

'BULLIGERENCE'

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Welcome Back

It's that wonderful time of year, Homecoming in Cache Valley. After a week full of painting, dancing, Mr. USU, and a whole lot more, welcome back to Romney Stadium. Thank you students, as we have filled our capacity of 6,500 and then some for both the SUU and U of U home games and we are about to make it three. Since the Aggies have been gone, they lost a last second nail-biter 16-14 against Wisconsin in Camp Randall. The following week, the team bounced back and took care of business in Colorado against Colorado St. winning 31-19. Now all of Aggie nation welcomes them home with this...

For the first time in the history of Utah State University, it is hosting its first ever White Out game. If you are reading this and are still not wearing a white shirt, make your way up to the Aggie Bookstore trailer, The Bullpen, or go home and get a white shirt of some sort. Just whatever you do please have a white shirt on, because we are going to make this look good.

So some may still be asking, Why the White-Out? Well shortly after the Aggies took down Colorado St., in a press conference with Gary Andersen he stated that to be welcomed home next week, him and the team would love a White-Out. Due to the great love and support that we all have and share for Coach Andersen and how he has flipped around this football program 180 degrees.... you best believe he is getting what he wants.

But please, everyone remember that we love our Aggie Blue greatly, and 99.3% of the time we want everyone in Aggie Blue at the games. So from here on out after today, please sport your Aggie Blue. Although we warn you to be prepared for something very similar to what you see today with the White Out in the future. Just with an extra added little twist to it.



Game Preview

The exciting thing about playing teams in the Mountain West conference is that it's giving us a great look at what next year can be like. Well this Utah State team is on fire and showing that we can beat anyone. UNLV has yet to play a road game this season so that might factor into hurting their chances just a little. Look to see how RB Kerwynn Williams performs as he faces a school from his hometown.

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Utah State (3-1) Can't White This Out

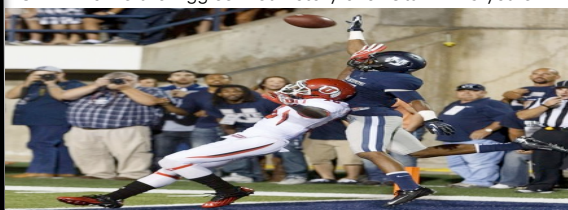
At the beginning of the season we said this would be a historical season well here are just a few of the many reasons why going into Week 5...

- This 3-1 Aggie record is the best start to a season since 1978 when we went 5-0.
- The Aggie defense has yet to allow a first half touchdown, has outscored its opponent 51-0 in the 1st quarter and ranks 11th in the nation in the best overall defense.
- Kerwynn Williams has rushed for a total of 406 yards this season which ranks 21st in the nation. He had 205 of those yards last week against Colorado St.
- Thank you Aggie Nation!! Chuckie Keeton is on top of the fan vote (where he deserves to be) for the Davey O' Brien National Quarterback Award. Keep voting and give him even more of a cushion up there in 1st place!! Keeton has completed 85 passes on 121 attempts for 879 yards and 7 TD's this season.

Will Davis: Still Makin Plays

Utah State senior CB #17 Will Davis, has made an impact on this USU defense this year. Going into spring and fall camp, Davis worked his way up the depth chart to become a starter and is now arguably, one of the best corner backs for this team. So far on the season Davis has recorded 12 tackles, batted down a lot of potential completions and had a fair share of interception opportunities. For those of you that have been here for the previous two home games you will be able to recall some huge plays that this #17 has made. In week 1 against SUU, on a special teams punt play, Davis ran down the field towards the sideline and the end zone to down the ball as close to the goal line as possible. But as he got down there and looked straight ahead all he could see was black and white. Will had a huge collision with the referee in which the commentators for that game stated, "Will Davis, still makin plays." The same commentator went on to state that Davis had de-cleated the referee.

In week 2 against the U of U, Davis doubled his play making abilities. First he was the last person to ever make a tackle on Utah's former quarterback Jordan Wynn, as that tackle made Jordan Wynn re-injure his shoulder and later announce his retirement from the game. Then on the final play of that game, Davis was over there in that southeast corner to bat down the final pass and seal the deal 27-20 in OT. Which is the Aggies first victory over Utah in 15 years.



UNLV (1-3)

Controversy in Vegas

For those of you who don't know, the UNLV Rebels currently play home football games on an off-campus location 9 miles away at Sam Boyd Stadium. To fix this there are plans to build a state of the art stadium on campus that would have a capacity of 60,000, include student housing and some other sweet stuff looking to be completed around 2017. How nice is that? Well, not too nice considering the Rebels are only averaging a little over 15,000 in attendance this year. The stadium has a capacity of just under 37,000 so it's not an issue with lack of space. All of their games have been at home, which is a total of 4 already, so it's not a lack of opportunity. Maybe Rebel fans are losing too much in the sports betting industry and don't have enough money to spend on a ticket. A 1-3 record certainly isn't helping the desires of most, but Rebel fans need to watch out for the university chancellor Jim Rogers, as he is looking to drop UNLV's football program. In a report with 8 News Now, Rogers states there is a SERIOUS problem with the UNLV football program and wrote a 5-page memo about it. In reaction a UNLV student thought it was crazy that anyone would want to do that, after admitting himself that yeah the football team isn't very good but it gives the students something to do other than hit the bars. Really? Come on there has to be more to do in the Vegas area than that.

Homecoming 2012

Homecoming- is the tradition of welcoming back alumni to a school, including many events, parades and of course a football game. This tradition dates back to the early 1900's and this year we would like to make it special for those returning to Utah State. As you may recall as the band is playing on the field before the game begins they play the National Anthem, Fight Song, and other things. They play that one tune where everyone goes quiet because no one knows the words or what to do? Well for this week we would like to solve this problem and highly encourage everyone to sing the Alma Mater Hymn. Here are the words below, belt it loud and proud and impress those coming back to this wonderful University...Once an Aggie, Always an Aggie!!!

Alma Mater Hymn

Utah State University

Theodore M. Burton

1.A (And) cross the quad at ev - en - tide as shad - ows soft - ly fall The
through the years as time rolls on, and stu - dent friend - ships grow, We'll

tow - er of 'Old Main' ap - pears, and peace rests ov - er all The
ne'er for - get the joys we had, those days we used to know. Thy

light - ed "A" up on the hill stands out a - gainst the blue Oh, Al - ma Mat - er
mem' - ries ev - er will be new, thy friends be ev - er true,

U - tah State, my heart sings out to you. 2.And heart sings out to you. Oh,

Al - ma Mat - er U - tah State, my heart sings out to you!

Important Note For Next Week

Next week on Friday October 5th, we play that team from down south that...ok we will stop right there. If you haven't gotten your ticket and want to go you will have to get it through the BYU ticket office as Utah State has given back their allotment they didn't sell. For those of you who are going, get excited, this year won't end up like the last one down in Happy Valley. Come with your Aggie Blue and all the car decorations that you can grab. Everyone will be meeting at the Romney Stadium parking lot at 2:30pm on Friday the 5th to decorate cars. The caravan headed down to Happy Valley will proceed to leave at 3:00pm for an exciting 3-hour drive down together.

We hope you have enjoyed this issue of Bulligence. If you have any questions, comments or concerns, feel free to e-mail