



Illinois State Postgame Notes

FINAL – Illinois State 55, Indiana State 14
Oct. 19, 2013 • Hancock Stadium • Normal, Ill.

PLAYER NOTES:

- Freshman wide receiver **Anthony Warrum** set a career-high with 145 receiving yards. Warrum made three catches, including a career-long 62-yard reception from **Blake Winkler**, and scored one touchdown.
- Warrum's 145 yards is the most receiving yards in a game by an Illinois State freshman since Jon Laurenti tallied 135 yards versus Truman State, Sept. 2, 1999.
- **Marshaun Coprich** recorded his third-straight 100-plus rushing yard performance with a career-high 137 yards on 18 carries against the Sycamores. He also tied a career-best with three touchdowns, which included a career-record 72 yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter.
- Coprich is the first Illinois State running back to tally three-consecutive 100-plus rushing games since 2007.
- Quarterback-turned-wide receiver **Cameron Meredith** added his fifth touchdown reception of the season.
- **Josh Burch** became the fifth player in Illinois State history to return a kickoff 100 yards for a touchdown. It marked the first kickoff return for a touchdown since **Ben Ericksen** went 85 yards versus Central Missouri in 2010.
- With 13 points tallied Saturday, **Nick Aussieker** moved into sole possession of seventh place on the all-time list of total points scored at ISU with 186.
- **Colton Underwood** tallied a season-best 2.0 sacks, while a trio of players set career-highs in total tackles (**Pat Meehan** - 11 tackles, **Brandon Westphal** - 10 tackles, **Alex Donnelly** - 10 tackles).

TEAM NOTES:

- Illinois State set season-bests in points (55) and total yards (475) and allowed its fewest points this season (14).
- The Redbird defense forced four fumbles, recovering two for turnovers.
- The 52 points scored by the Redbirds were the most tallied this season by Illinois State, and the first time ISU eclipsed 50 points since a 54-51 double overtime win over Eastern Illinois, Sept. 15, 2012, at Hancock Stadium.
- With its 8-play, 64-yard scoring drive to open the game, Illinois State has scored on five of its seven opening drives this season.
- The 24 points scored by Illinois State in the first quarter is tied for second most points scored in a first quarter in team history. ISU also tallied 24 opening quarter points versus Morehead State on Sept. 10, 2011.
- Illinois State scored on its first six possessions of the game and did not punt until the closing two minutes of the opening half.
- With the victory, the Redbirds improve to 3-0 this season at Hancock Stadium and fifth year head coach Brock Spack is now 20-6 in home games.
- Saturday's contest marked the 65th overall meeting between Illinois State and Indiana State. Illinois State has now won 14 of the last 16 meetings between the two MVFC rivals.