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Memphis Tigers score big bounce-back win over Middle Tennessee



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MEMPHIS, September 28, 2024- The Memphis Tigers returned home on Saturday September 28 to take on Middle Tennessee State at Simmons Bank Liberty Stadium. After a disappointing upset loss to Navy last week, the Tigers needed this win to stay alive in the hunt for the College Football Playoff.

Quarterback Seth Henigan 26 of 41 for 227 yards. He did not have

a touchdown pass in the game. That ended his streak of 41 games with a touchdown pass. After a scoreless 1st quarter, the Tigers got touchdown runs in the 2nd quarter from Brandon Thomas and Mario Anderson. They took a 14-7 lead into half-time.

The Tigers pulled away in the 3rd quarter. Terry Wilkins ran one in from 5 yards out. That was followed by a 1-yard touchdown run from Brandon Thomas for his second touchdown of the game. They tacked on a field goal late in the quarter to complete the scoring. The Tiger defense held MTSU to no points in the second half.

The Tigers now head into their bye week at 4-1. When they return, they will be on the road to play conference rival South Florida. The team still has some hope of making the playoff as the highest ranked Group of 5 teams. They most likely have to win out and win the Conference in order to be considered. That quest starts with South Florida in 2 weeks.

NFL Foundation and teams contribute \$8 million to the Hurricane Helene relief funds

Contributions from the Atlanta Falcons, Carolina Panthers, Houston Texans, Tampa Bay Buccaneers and NFL Foundation will Support Communities Affected by the Storm



NEW YORK – Sept. 30, 2024 – The NFL family is providing \$8 million to support communities affected by Hurricane Helene. Led by individual contributions from clubs and ownership groups from the Atlanta Falcons, Carolina Panthers, Houston Texans, Tampa Bay Buccaneers and NFL Foundation, these donations will deliver critical resources and support to those affected by this tragic storm. Individual club contributions to

relief efforts include: •The Arthur M. Blank Family Foundation in partnership with the Atlanta Falcons has provided World Central Kitchen with a \$2 million grant to provide Georgians affected by Hurricane Helene with emergency meals. •The David & Nicole Tepper Foundation in partnership with the Carolina Panthers has made an initial \$3 million commitment to Hurricane Helene relief efforts to support both immediate and long-term humanitarian aid and

recovery efforts in North and South Carolina.

•The Houston Texans have pledged \$1 million to support those impacted by Hurricane Helene with immediate and long-term aid.

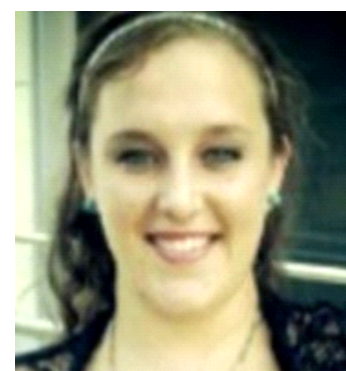
•The Glazer family, owners of the Tampa Bay Buccaneers, has pledged \$1 million to support local nonprofit organizations in the region aiding those most impacted by Hurricane Helene. In addition, the NFL Foundation, the league's philanthropic arm, is complementing these club donations with a \$1 million contribution to support relief efforts. The NFL is also hosting a Hurricane Helene disaster relief auc-

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Gun Owners of America (GOA) Statement on new White House gun control

From The Outdoor Wire

SEPTEMBER 30, 2024- Spokesmen with Gun Owners of America (GOA) issued the following statements in reaction to the White House issuing a new executive order on gun control this afternoon.

Erich Pratt, GOA's Senior Vice President, issued the following statement:

"The White House just made a huge mistake by reminding gun owners of Kamala's radical, gun-grabbing agenda, with the election a mere month or so away. Kamala Harris just claimed responsibility for each infringement—every banned gun and part—by ATF in the last four years, so we are pushing back and calling her out."

Aidan Johnston, GOA's Director of Federal Affairs, added:

"Shockingly, Kamala Harris is weaponizing the 'enhanced background check for young adults into a tool for gun confiscation. If an existing gun owner goes to purchase a new firearm legally, the government may 'red flag' them instead and seize their currently owned firearms in the process. The chilling effect this could have on new gun purchases is unimaginable."

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Pres. Trump delivers relief to Hurricane Helene victims



Pres. Trump spoke and prayed for the relief of Hurricane Helene victims. Rev, Franklin Graham and his Samaritan Purse charity were among those who came out to offer prayers and support. (Photo/Courtesy: RNC)

VALDOSTA, GA, September 30, 2024 - President Trump met with victims of Hurricane Helene, delivered relief supplies, and offered his full support in the recovery — while Kamala is missing in action

President Trump was on the ground in Valdosta, Georgia, today, where he was briefed on the heartbreaking devastation

from Hurricane Helene, delivered truckloads of relief supplies, and offered his full support in the

recovery: •President Trump led a moment of silence and prayer in remem-

U.S. Sen. Marsha Blackburn unveils Hurricane Helene Resource website for Tennesseans needing assistance. See details sports-Military page 2

brance of those whose lives were lost: "To the families and loved ones of those who have perished,

we mourn alongside of you and we grieve every single life so Please see sports-Military 2



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