

POSTGAME NOTES

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LOS ANGELES CHARGERS at DALLAS COWBOYS

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BOLTS GET 11TH WIN IN DALLAS

The Los Angeles Chargers defeated the Dallas Cowboys, 34-17, on Sunday. The Bolts move to 11-4 on the season after a second-half shutout in AT&T Stadium.

TEAM	1	2	3	4	OT	F
L.A. Chargers	7	14	3	10	—	34
Dallas	7	10	0	0	—	17

The Chargers offense recorded a season-high 452 total net yards, while the defense limited Dallas' top-ranked offense to just four-of-nine (44.4 pct.) on third down and one-of-three (33.3 pct.) on fourth down.

QB Justin Herbert finished the game completing 23-of-29 passes (79.3 pct.) for 300 yards and two touchdowns to register a 132.8 passer rating. He added 42 yards on eight carries (5.3 avg.), including a 34-yard scramble to move the chains on third down and a one-yard touchdown rush.

RB Omarion Hampton led the Bolts on the ground with 16 carries for 85 yards (5.3 avg.) and a five-yard touchdown. The rookie also added a 10-yard reception to finish with 95 scrimmage yards on the day.

WR Quentin Johnston reached the century mark for the third time in his career, totaling 104 yards on four receptions (26.0 avg.) and a touchdown. The third-year receiver has recorded eight touchdowns in back-to-back seasons. **WR Ladd McConkey** hauled in four receptions for 42 yards (10.8 avg.) and a 25-yard touchdown grab.

S Tony Jefferson led the Bolts with eight tackles (four solo) while **S Derwin James Jr.** turned in six tackles (five solo) and a forced fumble. **OLB Tuli Tuipulotu** recovered James' fumble and recorded four tackles (two solo), a sack, a tackle for loss and a QB hit.

LB Del'Shawn Phillips turned in four special teams tackles to post a Chargers single-season record with 23 on the season.

HERBERT KEEPS SETTING RECORDS

QB Justin Herbert finished the game completing 23-of-29 passes (79.3 pct.) for 300 yards and two touchdowns to register a 132.8 passer rating. He added a one-yard scoring run.

Sunday marked Herbert's 13th game with a rushing and passing touchdown, passing QB Jonn Hadl for the most of such games in Chargers history.

MOST GAMES WITH A PASSING TOUCHDOWN AND A RUSHING TOUCHDOWN, CHARGERS HISTORY

Rank	Seasons	Player	Games
1.	2020-Present	QB Justin Herbert	13
2.	1962-72	QB John Hadl	12
3.	1960-62	QB Jack Kemp	10
4.	1973-87	QB Dan Fouts*	9
5.	2001-09	RB LaDainian Tomlinson*	5

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Herbert also set the record for the most completions before turning 28 in NFL history, reaching 2,264 for his career.

COMPLETIONS BEFORE TURNING 28 YEARS OLD, NFL HISTORY

Rank	Team	Player	Completions
1.	LAC	QB Justin Herbert	2,264
2.	Det.	QB Matthew Stafford	2,246
3.	S.D./N.O.	QB Drew Brees	2,192
4.	Ind.	QB Peyton Manning*	2,128
5.	K.C.	QB Patrick Mahomes	2,006

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With 300 yards, Herbert matches Buffalo's Josh Allen for the second most 300-yard games since the Oregon product entered the league in 2020.

MOST GAMES WITH 300-PLUS PASSING YARDS, NFL, SINCE 2020

Rank	Team/s	Player	Games
1.	K.C.	QB Patrick Mahomes	33
3.	LAC	QB Justin Herbert	31
	Buf.	QB Josh Allen	31
4.	LAR/Det.	QB Jared Goff	27
5.	Cin.	QB Joe Burrow	26

JOHNSTON GETS HIS EIGHTH TOUCHDOWN

WR Quentin Johnston reached the century mark for the third time in his career, totaling 104 yards on four receptions (26.0 avg.) and a touchdown.

Johnston has totaled eight receiving touchdowns in 2025, marking the second consecutive season he has posted eight receiving touchdowns, becoming the first Charger to do so in back-to-back seasons since Hall of Fame TE Antonio Gates (seven seasons from 2004-10).

He is one of seven players with active streaks of consecutive seasons with eight touchdown catches.

CONSECUTIVE SEASONS WITH EIGHT RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS, NFL, ACTIVE STREAKS

Rank	Team/s	Player	Consecutive Seasons
1.	L.V./NYJ/LAR	WR Davante Adams	6 (2020-Present)
2.	Det.	WR Amon-Ra St. Brown	3 (2023-Present)
3.	LAC	WR Quentin Johnston	2 (2024-Present)
	Cin.	WR Tee Higgins	2 (2024-Present)
	Den.	WR Courtland Sutton	2 (2023-24)
	T.B.	WR Mike Evans	2 (2023-24)
	Min.	WR Jordan Addison	2 (2023-24)

TWO TIMES THIRTY FIVE

K Cameron Dicker was two-for-two (100 pct.) from the field with four extra points for 10 points on the day.

Dicker has made 36 field goals this season, his second consecutive with 35-plus made attempts. He became the fourth player in history to post consecutive seasons with 35-plus made field goals.

CONSECUTIVE SEASONS WITH 35 MADE FIELD GOALS, NFL HISTORY

Rank	Team/s	Player	Consecutive Seasons
1.	LAC	K Cameron Dicker	2 (2024-Present)
	Dal.	K Brandon Aubrey	2 (2023-24)
	Bal.	K Justin Tucker	2 (2021-22)
	N.E.	K Stephen Gostkowski	2 (2013-14)

THIRTEEN GOING ON TULI

OLB Tuli Tuipulotu recorded four tackles (two solo), a sack, a tackle for loss, a QB hit and a recovery.

Tuipulotu has totaled a career-high 13.0 sacks through 15 games this season. At the end of the early slate of games in Week 16, the third-year outside linebacker ranks third in the NFL and second in the AFC.

SACKS, NFL, 2025

Rank	Teams	Player	Sacks
1.	Cle.	DE Myles Garrett	22.0
2.	NYG	OLB Brian Burns	15.0
3.	LAC	OLB Tuli Tuipulotu	13.0
4.	G.B.	LB Micah Parsons	12.5
	Den.	OLB Nik Bonitto	12.5

PHILLIPS SPECIAL ON TEAMS

LB Del'Shawn Phillips has made his mark in the Chargers record books in his debut season with the Bolts. The special teams ace recorded four special teams tackles on Sunday in Dallas to reach 23 on the season, setting a Chargers single season record since special teams tackles became a statistic in 2000.

His 23 special teams stops lead the NFL at the conclusion of Sunday's early slate of games.

SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES, SINGLE SEASON, CHARGERS HISTORY

Rank	Season	Player	Special Teams Tackles
1.	2025	LB Del'Shawn Phillips	23
2.	2009	RB Mike Tolbert	22
	2006	S Clinton Hart	22
4.	2017	LB Nick Dzubnar	21
	2005	S Hanik Milligan	21
	2007	LB Brandon Siler	21