

OAKLAND RAIDERS vs. Los Angeles Rams



I = 1 Preseason Week 2 ● Saturday, August 18, 2018 ● 1:00 P.M. PT ● Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum

---- POSTGAME NOTES -----

<u>CAPTAINS</u> #27 Reggie Nelson, #58 Kyle Wilber, #76 Jon Feliciano

Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum Los Angeles, California					
	1	2	3	4	Total
Oakland Raiders	0	0	6	9	15
Los Angeles Rams	0	13	3	3	19

Raiders 15, Rams 19

- The Raiders fell to the Los Angeles Rams in their second preseason contest of 2018 by a score of 19-15.
- The Raiders loss brings their 2018 preseason record to 1-1 as the Rams improve to 1-1.
- The Raiders now own a 12-9 advantage in the all-time preseason record against the Rams and are now 130-134-1 all-time in the preseason.

Starters – Defense
DE Tank Carradine
DT Mario Edwards Jr.
DT Treyvon Hester
DE Frostee Rucker
LB Kyle Wilber
LB Marquel Lee
LB Nicholas Morrow
CB Rashaan Melvin
CB Gareon Conley
S Reggie Nelson
S Karl Joseph

Game Themes

- **RB Chris Warren III** eclipsed 100-yards rushing for the first time in his NFL career, finishing the day with 110 yards on 18 carries (6.1 avg.) with one touchdown.
- Raiders defense forced the Rams to settle for a field goal on 3-of-4 trips in the redzone.
- **QB EJ Manuel** led all quarterbacks with a 98.2 passer rating. Manuel, who led the Raiders on two scoring drives, completed 10-of-16 passes for 89 yards with one touchdown.

Raiders Debuts

K Mike Nugent

 Nugent made his Raiders debut in the second preseason contest, cutting the Rams led in the fourth quarter with a 31-yard field goal. Nugent's first field goal for the Raiders was the culmination of a 9 play, 47-yard drive lasting 3:51.

Individual Highlights

QB Connor Cook

- Earning his first start of the 2018 preseason, Cook orchestrated a 9 play, 75-yard drive lasting
 4:29, culminating in a 3-yard rush by RB Chris Warren III for the Raiders first scoring drive of the day.
- o Cook finished the day completing 6-of-12 passes with 49 yards for a passer rating of 60.8.

LB James Cowser

 Cowser recorded the Raiders first pick of the 2018 preseason, intercepting QB Brandon Allen with a 15-yard return early in the fourth quarter. Cowser's interception helped set up the Raiders second touchdown of the game, a 10-yard reception by WR Griff Whalen.

DT Maurice Hurst

- Hurst recorded his first sack of the preseason, taking down QB Brandon Allen in the third quarter for a loss of eight yards. Hurst's sack helped the Raiders force a punt two plays later.
- Hurst finished the game with two tackles (two solo) and one sack.

LB Marquel Lee

- On third-and-1 with the Ram's on Oakland's 1-yard line, Lee sacked QB Sean Mannion for a 1-yard loss to force fourth down.
- o Lee finished the day second behind LB Jason Cabinda with five tackles (four solo).

RB Jalen Richard

o Richard showed off his versatility in the contest, leading the Raiders through the first half with three receptions for 35 yards (11.7 avg.) including a 29-yard catch and run.

• RB Chris Warren III

- Warren continued to impress in his second preseason contest, putting the Raiders on the board with a 3-yard rush in the third quarter. Warren's touchdown run was the culmination of a 9 play, 75-yard drive lasting 4:29, which cut the Ram's lead to 16-6.
- Warren, who finished the first half with just five carries for 19 yards, ended the game with 18 rushes for 110 yards (6.1 avg.) with one touchdown.
- o Warren's preseason totals are 31 carries for 196 yards (6.3 avg.) with one touchdown.

WR Griff Whalen

- After handling a majority of the Raiders kickoff and punt returns in the first preseason game,
 Whalen showed he's a threat on offense recording a 10-yard touchdown with 9:57 left in the fourth quarter.
- O Whalen's touchdown was the culmination of a 4 play, 21-yard drive lasting 1:56 to bring the Raiders within one.