



OAKLAND RAIDERS

vs.

BUFFALO BILLS



3-5

WEEK 8 • SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2017 • 10:00 A.M. PT • NEW ERA FIELD

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----- POSTGAME NOTES -----

CAPTAINS

#4 Derek Carr, #16 Johnny Holton, #27 Reggie Nelson, #41 Erik Harris, #52 Khalil Mack, #61 Rodney Hudson

New Era Field					
Orchard Park, New York					
Attendance: 69,599					
	1	2	3	4	Total
Oakland Raiders	7	0	0	7	14
Buffalo Bills	0	14	6	14	34

Raiders 14, Bills 34

- The Raiders were defeated by the Bills by a score of 14-34, as their 2017 record drops to 3-5 at the midway point of the campaign.
- The loss cuts the Silver and Black's lead over the Bills in the all-time regular season series to 21-18.
- This Raiders have not won against the Bills away from home since 2002, when the team defeated Buffalo by a score of 49-31 at what used to be called Ralph Wilson Stadium.
- The Raiders will travel to Miami to finish up their two-game road trip with a Sunday Night Football contest against the Dolphins on Nov. 5, which will also mark the team's third primetime appearance of the season.

Game Highlights

- **LB NaVorro Bowman** led the team in tackles (11) for the second consecutive game since joining the team.
- **QB Derek Carr** tallied his second consecutive 300-yard day passing and 13th of his career.
- **FB/RB Jamize Olawale** scored his first touchdown of 2017.
- **RB DeAndré Washington** recorded career highs in both receptions (eight) and receiving yards (62).
- The offensive line did not surrender a sack for the second consecutive game.

Starters - Offense

- **WR Michael Crabtree**
- **WR Cordarrelle Patterson**
- **T Donald Penn**
- **LG Kelechi Osemele**
- **C Rodney Hudson**
- **RG Gabe Jackson**
- **RT Marshall Newhouse**
- **TE Jared Cook**
- **WR Amari Cooper**
- **QB Derek Carr**
- **RB Jalen Richard**

Starters - Defense

- **DE Mario Edwards Jr.**
- **DT Eddie Vanderdoes**
- **NT Justin Ellis**
- **DE Khalil Mack**
- **SLB Bruce Irvin**
- **MLB NaVorro Bowman**
- **WLB Cory James**
- **LCB Dexter McDonald**
- **RCB TJ Carrie**
- **FS Reggie Nelson**
- **SS Shalom Luani**

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Highlights

- **QB Derek Carr**
 - Carr led the Raiders down the field on the opening drive of the game, orchestrating a 13-play, 81-yard drive lasting 5:32, culminating in a 1-yard rush by **FB/RB Jamize Olawale**.
 - Carr executed a 9-play, 75-yard drive that lasted 4:07 to pull the team within two scores early in the fourth quarter. On the drive, Carr completed seven-of-eight passes for 61 yards and found **RB DeAndré Washington** for his first touchdown pass of the afternoon.
 - Carr surpassed 300-yards passing, marking the first time he's done so in back-to-back games since Weeks 8 and 9 of the 2015 season.
 - Today's game marked Carr's 13th career 300-yard day. The team fell to 9-4 when Carr surpasses 300 yards passing.
 - Carr finished completing 31-of-49 passing for 313 yards with one touchdown and two interceptions for a passer rating of 71.2.
- **WR Michael Crabtree**
 - Crabtree hauled in three first-half receptions for 72 yards including the second-longest reception of the season for him (40 yards).
 - Crabtree has recorded a reception in all 118 career games and recorded at least three receptions in 102 of them.
 - Crabtree recorded his fourth reception early in the fourth quarter to mark his 82nd such game in his career.
 - Crabtree ended the game with five receptions for 83 yards (16.6 avg.) with a 40-yard long.
- **LB Cory James**
 - James made key stops on the afternoon including three that went for a loss. His three tackles-for-loss were the most by any defender in today's contest.
 - James finished second on the team with eight total tackles (seven solo).
- **FB/RB Jamize Olawale**
 - Olawale recorded his first touchdown of the season from one yard out to culminate a 13-play, 81-yard drive lasting 5:32 on the game's opening drive. The score marked his fourth career rushing touchdown.
 - Olawale ended with two carries for three yards and one touchdown.
- **TE Lee Smith**
 - On the opening drive of the ball game, Smith hauled in a 21-yard pass from **QB Derek Carr** to set the offense up on the Bills' 1-yard line. The team punched the ball in two plays later for the opening score of the contest.
 - The 21-yard reception by Smith was his longest since Week 4 of the 2013 season (28 yards) when he was a member of the Buffalo Bills.
- **RB DeAndré Washington**
 - After a 17-yard catch by **TE Jared Cook** placed the Raiders at the Bills' 4-yard line early in the fourth quarter, Washington caught a 4-yard pass for the Raiders' second touchdown of the day.
 - The touchdown by Washington marked his first career receiving score.
 - The score by Washington marked the first time in his career that he has scored in back-to-back ball games after adding a rushing score in Week 7's victory against the Chiefs.
 - Washington set a career high in today's game in both receptions (eight) and receiving yards (62).
 - Washington totaled 88 yards from scrimmage, amassing 26 yards on the ground on six rushes, while adding his eight receptions for 62 yards.

Special Teams

- **P Marquette King**
 - King's first punt of the day traveled just 33 yards but was downed inside the 10-yard line. His nine punts downed inside the 10 this season are tied for first in the NFL.
 - King ended the day with four punts for 153 yards (38.3 avg.) with one punt downed inside the 20-yard line.

Other Notables

- **LB NaVorro Bowman** led the team in tackles (11) for the second consecutive week.
- **WR Amari Cooper** registered five receptions for 48 yards (9.6 avg.), the third consecutive game he has recorded at least five receptions.
- **S Shalom Luani** made his first career NFL start in replace of an injured **S Karl Joseph**. Luani finished third on the team in tackles with seven (six solo) and added his first career pass defended.
- **T Donald Penn** extended his starting streak to 164 games, the longest active streak in the NFL among offensive lineman. Penn was a part of an offensive line that did not surrender a sack for the second consecutive week. The team's 92 sacks surrendered since 2014 are the fewest in the NFL.
- **RB Jalen Richard** rushed five times for 21 yards (4.2 avg.) and added five receptions for 35 yards (7.0 avg.). Five receptions is a season high this season for Richard.