

# GAME NOTES

# San Francisco 49ers at Washington Redskins Sunday, October 20, 2019

#### With the win...

- The **Niners** improved to 6-0 for the first time since 1990 and the 3<sup>rd</sup> time in franchise history.
- The **49ers** improved to 21-11-1 overall against the Redskins, including a 9-8 record on the road.
- San Francisco has now won 5 of the last 6 matchups against Washington.
- The **49ers** start the season with 4 consecutive road wins for the first time since the 2011 season. The team's 4 road wins in 2019 are the most in a single season by San Francisco since the 2014 season (4 road wins).
- The **Niners** have now won each of their first 3 games in the Eastern time zone, the most in a single season for the team since 2013 (3 Eastern time zone wins).

#### What's The Point?

- The **49ers defense** held the Redskins scoreless on the day, marking the first shutout by the team since 9/12/16 vs. LAR (W, 28-0).
- San Francisco has allowed 64 points through the team's first 6 games this season, the 2<sup>nd</sup>-fewest points allowed through 6 games in franchise history.

| Fewest Points Allowed through First<br>6 Games of the Season, Franchise<br>History |        |    |
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|  | Season | PA |
| 1.   | 1976   | 63 |
| 2.   | 2019   | 64 |
| 3.   | 1997   | 70 |
| 4.   | 1959   | 72 |
| 5.   | 1952   | 74 |

# Shut 'Em Down

According to the Elias Sports Bureau, after holding the Redskins to 0 points and 154 total net yds. of offense on the day, the **49ers** are the 6<sup>th</sup> team since 1990 to hold their opponent to 7-or-less pts. and 200-or-fewer total net yds. of offense in 3-consecutive games (Pittsburgh Steelers – 1990; New Orleans Saints – 1991; Baltimore Ravens – 2000; Tennessee Titans – 2000; New England Patriots – 2005).

# No Fly Zone

Over the last 2 Weeks, the 49ers have held their opponent to 48 total net yds. passing (at LAR) and 50 total net yds. passing (at Was.). According to the Elias Sports Bureau, the team's 98 total net yds. passing allowed combined over the last 2 Weeks are the fewest allowed by the team over a 2-game span since allowing 62 total net yds. passing on 11/6/77 at Atl. (29) and 11/13/77 at NO (33) and the 3<sup>rd</sup>-fewest by the team in a 2-game span in the Super Bowl era.

# Sack City, Sack Sack City

With 3.0 total sacks on the day, the 49ers defense has registered at least 3.0-or-more sacks in 3-consecutive games [4.0 vs. Cle. (10/7/19), 4.0 at LAR (10/13/19) & 3.0 at Was. (10/20)]. The last time San Francisco registered 3.0-or-more sacks in 3-or-more games since Weeks 15-17 of the 2011 season [3.0 vs. Pit. (12/19/11), 4.0 at Sea. (12/24/11) & 3.0 at StL (1/1/12)].

# Nothing Runs Like A Ford

- DL **Dee Ford** sacked Redskins QB Case Keenum for a 7-yd. loss. Ford now has 4.5 sacks on the season and 35.0 for his career.
- He has registered at least 1.0 sack in back-to-back games for the 6<sup>th</sup> time in his career.

# Slip & Slide

• DL Nick Bosa sacked Keenum for an 11-yd. loss. He now has 4.0 sacks in his rookie season.

# Stretch Armstead

- DL **Arik Armstead** brought down Keenum for a 9-yd. loss. He now has 3.5 sacks on the season and 12.5 in his career.
- His 3.5 sacks on the season are a single-season career high.

# LI-Ti-Rilla Comin' Through

- LB **Kwon Alexander** forced a Redskins RB Adrian Peterson fumble, his 1<sup>st</sup> FF of the season and 7<sup>th</sup> of his career.
- The FF was recovered by DL **Jullian Taylor**, marking the 1<sup>st</sup> of his career. Taylor also had a key run stop of Peterson on a 4<sup>th</sup>-and-1 run in the 2<sup>nd</sup> qtr.

# Run Jimmy, Run

• QB **Jimmy Garoppolo** rushed for a career-high 20 yds. on 4 atts., a single-game career high in rushing for the 49ers QB.