Win over Tech sends BU to bowl game

By Brandon Turner
Staff Writer

Baylor offense directed a histori- cally third consecutive bowl bid this season, earning Texas Tech in overtime 52-45 on Sat- urday. The Bears are on a hot streak with three wins in a row in football games. When it counts the most, the Bears have been on hot football late in the season.

In November and December of the past two seasons, Baylor is mostly perfect with a 9-1 record. With the presence to earn a sixth win mounting, Baylor head coach Art Briles is watching his squad was able to earn bowl eligibility against Texas Tech, rather than losing is it chance against Oklahoma State.

"We felt some pressure last week because what you give down there to the end, your better receive the moment, and that is not our guys did", Briles said. "That is what beam to the team for them and for Baylor."

With No. 25 Oklahoma State losing this Saturday in Waco, Baylor will lay to put together a complete offense and defense effort to earn the win.

Baylor head coach Art Briles said Oklahoma State since 2005, so no self-made prediction for Baylor squad knows what it'll be come away with victory against the Cowboys.

"To beat them would be a great up set to my career", as- sisent receiver Terrance Williams said. "It's been a team that if we stay as a senior class hasn't beaten so, yet now them would be a great way up.

"Everybody has done the same thing we have to turn the page on the only major struggles.

Against Texas Tech, the Bears forced four turnovers with three interceptions and one fumble recovery.

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Several practice sessions were held for the French students to learn the song. “Il est né, le divin enfant.” In English, this translates to “He is born, the Holy child.” In this song, the students will sing a cappella, stand in a circle, and will sing twice a day due to the size and number of participants. Thiltges said he believes this is a powerful, beautiful, and meaningful piece of music.

Thiltges also co-coordinator of the karaoke group along with Marie Level, says he wants to thank his students for spending their time recording so that the practice can go on.

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The Sky is the Limit: The Rocket Summer's Bryce Avary

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Griffin didn’t disappoint the D.C. fans who made the long trip to watch the growing number of fans in Texas. By the end of the game, Griffin had brought another first to Redskins fans.

Washington left fans with its first-ever Thanksgiving Day victory against the Cowboys, and the rivalry became the first Redskins to throw four touchdowns in back-to-back games.

“Finally, the future is bright,” said Robert Rodriquez, a Dallas native who has been a Redskins fan for more than 20 years. “We’ve been waiting for a quarterback for so long, and finally we have one.”

After Griffin’s third touchdown pass of the second quarter, Crusoe boy fans let out a sound of delight and followed with a cheer similar to the one in the Big 12.

RG3. RG3.

Griffin provided plenty of reasons to cheer with play on the field, and the rookies submitted to hearing the chants.

“I played here for a long time,” Griffin said. “I know there are fans of me and family of what I’ve been able to do at Baylor and Coppell. Texas. It looks good that they can chant your name and whatever they feel like at that point, the game was over.”

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No. 2 wide receiver Terrance Williams catches the ball for a Baylor first down against Texas Tech on Saturday in Cowboys Stadium.

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Baylor Cyber Monday projected to be biggest online sales day of season

By Dave Almonor

Cyber Monday, that annual shopping day for bargain-hungry shoppers, is expected to be the biggest online sales day of the season. The National Retail Federation estimates that online sales will surpass 10 percent of total holiday sales for the first time.

Cyber Monday began on Thanksgiving. The strong start to Cyber Monday has become more and more popular as people move away from actually going shopping on Thanksgiving Day, traditionally the day that websites sell-off their biggest and most significant sales. The Thursday after Thanksgiving is expected to be Cyber Monday's biggest online sales day of the year.

The National Retail Federation estimates that online sales will surpass 10 percent of total holiday sales for the first time. The research firm predicts that online sales will surpass $11.4 billion in the first online Black Friday.

For many, Cyber Monday is a chance to save on big ticket items, such as televisions, computers, and other electronics. For others, it's a chance to score deals on gifts for friends and family. The holiday shopping season can be hectic, but with some smart planning and research, you can find great deals on the items you want.

Here are some tips for saving on Cyber Monday:

- Shop early: Most retailers release their Cyber Monday deals on Thanksgiving Day, so be ready to shop early.
- Compare prices: Check multiple websites to find the best deals. Some retailers may offer better prices or discounts on specific items.
- Use coupons: Many retailers offer exclusive coupons and deals for Cyber Monday, so be sure to check for these offers.
- Stay organized: Keep track of your shopping list and set a budget to avoid overspending.

By doing some research and planning, you can find great deals on Cyber Monday. Just remember to shop safely and securely to avoid scams and fraud. Happy shopping!