



– WEEK 5: GAMES PLAYED THROUGH OCTOBER 2, 2021 ·

NICOLE AUERBACH

The Athletic

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Penn State
5. Cincinnati
6. Michigan
7. Oklahoma
8. BYU
9. Ohio State
10. Coastal Carolina
11. Florida
12. Michigan State
13. Oregon
14. Arkansas
15. Texas
16. Wake Forest

ZACH BARNETT

FootballScoop.com

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Cincinnati
5. Penn State
6. Oklahoma
7. Oregon
8. Ohio State
9. Arkansas
10. Michigan
11. Michigan State
12. BYU
13. Ole Miss
14. Coastal Carolina
15. Kentucky
16. Auburn

TONY BARNHART

SEC Network

1. Georgia
2. Alabama
3. Penn State
4. Cincinnati
5. Iowa
6. Oklahoma
7. Ohio State
8. BYU
9. Michigan
10. Oregon
11. Coastal Carolina
12. Kentucky
13. Florida
14. Arkansas
15. Notre Dame
16. Ole Miss

DAVID BAZZEL

Broyles Award, MultiMedia

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Penn State
5. Cincinnati
6. Oklahoma
7. Ohio State
8. Michigan
9. BYU
10. Michigan State
11. Oregon
12. Notre Dame
13. Coastal Carolina
14. Arkansas
15. Florida
16. Ole Miss

COACH TOM BECK

2004 Hall of Fame Class

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Penn State
5. Cincinnati
6. Ohio State
7. Michigan
8. Oklahoma
9. Oklahoma State
10. Michigan State
11. Auburn
12. Coastal Carolina
13. Notre Dame
14. USC
15. Wake Forest
16. Iowa State

RYAN BLACK

Manhattan Mercury (KS)

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Penn State
5. Cincinnati
6. Oklahoma
7. Oregon
8. Ohio State
9. BYU
10. Michigan
11. Oklahoma State
12. Coastal Carolina
13. Michigan State
14. Kentucky
15. Wake Forest
16. Auburn

MARK BLAUDSCHUN

TMG College Sports

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Penn State
4. Iowa
5. Cincinnati
6. Oklahoma
7. Ohio State
8. Michigan
9. Kentucky
10. Oregon
11. Florida
12. Notre Dame
13. BYU
14. Fresno State
15. Michigan State
16. Ole Miss

CHIP BROWN

Horns247.com

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Penn State
5. Cincinnati
6. Oklahoma
7. Oregon
8. Arkansas
9. Ohio State
10. Michigan
11. Notre Dame
12. Oklahoma State
13. Texas
14. Florida
15. Michigan State
16. SMU

BRETT CIANCIA

Pick Six Previews

1. Georgia
2. Alabama
3. Penn State
4. Iowa
5. Oklahoma
6. Oregon
7. Ohio State
8. Cincinnati
9. Michigan
10. BYU
11. Kentucky
12. Oklahoma State
13. Arkansas
14. Michigan State
15. Wake Forest
16. Texas

DAVE CONGROVE

CollegeFootballPoll.com

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Oklahoma
5. Cincinnati
6. Penn State
7. Ohio State
8. Michigan
9. Michigan State
10. Oklahoma State
11. BYU
12. Notre Dame
13. Kentucky
14. Texas
15. Wake Forest
16. Arizona State

ROSS DELLENGER

Sports Illustrated

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Cincinnati
5. Penn State
6. Michigan State
7. Oklahoma
8. BYU
9. Michigan
10. Oregon
11. Ohio State
12. Arkansas
13. Kentucky
14. Notre Dame
15. Oklahoma State
16. Florida

GENE DUFFEY

Houston Freelancer

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Oklahoma
5. Penn State
6. Cincinnati
7. Oregon
8. Ohio State
9. BYU
10. Michigan
11. Michigan State
12. Oklahoma State
13. Notre Dame
14. Fresno State
15. Florida
16. NC State

JON FINKEL

Author

1. Georgia
2. Alabama
3. Penn State
4. Oklahoma
5. Cincinnati
6. Iowa
7. Ohio State
8. Michigan
9. BYU
10. Auburn
11. Ole Miss
12. Notre Dame
13. Arkansas
14. Michigan State
15. Oregon
16. Coastal Carolina

BRYAN FISCHER

Athlon Sports

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Penn State
4. Iowa
5. Cincinnati
6. Oklahoma
7. Ole Miss
8. BYU
9. Arkansas
10. Texas
11. Kentucky
12. Michigan State
13. Michigan
14. Ohio State
15. Coastal Carolina
16. Oklahoma State

PETE FIUTAK

CollegeFootballNews.com

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Michigan
5. Penn State
6. Oklahoma
7. Kentucky
8. Cincinnati
9. Michigan State
10. Oklahoma State
11. Kansas State
12. Stanford
13. Oregon
14. Ohio State
15. Arkansas
16. Ole Miss

TOM FORNELLI

CBS Sports

1. Georgia
2. Alabama
3. Penn State
4. Oklahoma
5. Cincinnati
6. Ohio State
7. Iowa
8. Kentucky
9. Michigan
10. Michigan State
11. Oregon
12. Oklahoma State
13. Wake Forest
14. BYU
15. Arkansas
16. Auburn

MATT FORTUNA

The Athletic

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Cincinnati
5. Penn State
6. Kentucky
7. Oklahoma
8. Oregon
9. Ohio State
10. Michigan State
11. Michigan
12. Wake Forest
13. Notre Dame
14. Auburn
15. Arkansas
16. Ole Miss

MIKE GRIFFITH

AJC-DawgNation

1. Georgia
2. Alabama
3. Penn State
4. Cincinnati
5. Iowa
6. Oklahoma
7. Michigan
8. Oregon
9. Michigan State
10. Ohio State
11. Notre Dame
12. Auburn
13. Kentucky
14. Oklahoma State
15. Wake Forest
16. Coastal Carolina

DAN HARRALSON

Vols Wire/USA Today

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Penn State
4. Iowa
5. Cincinnati
6. Michigan
7. Kentucky
8. Oklahoma
9. Michigan State
10. BYU
11. Oregon
12. Oklahoma State
13. Wake Forest
14. Notre Dame
15. Ohio State
16. Coastal Carolina

STEVE HELWAGEN

Bucknuts Media Network

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Penn State
5. Cincinnati
6. Oklahoma
7. Oregon
8. Ohio State
9. Michigan
10. BYU
11. Michigan State
12. Oklahoma State
13. Notre Dame
14. Coastal Carolina
15. Kentucky
16. Arizona State

RON HIGGINS

Tiger Rag

1. Georgia
2. Alabama
3. Penn State
4. Iowa
5. Oklahoma
6. Cincinnati
7. BYU
8. Michigan
9. Michigan State
10. Kentucky
11. Oklahoma State
12. Oregon
13. Ohio State
14. Notre Dame
15. Arkansas
16. Coastal Carolina

BOB HOLT

Arkansas Democrat-Gazette

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Cincinnati
5. Penn State
6. Oklahoma
7. Ohio State
8. Michigan
9. Oregon
10. BYU
11. Michigan State
12. Kentucky
13. Notre Dame
14. Florida
15. Oklahoma State
16. Coastal Carolina

COACH LOU HOLTZ

2008 Hall of Fame Class

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Michigan
5. Penn State
6. Cincinnati
7. Oklahoma
8. Ohio State
9. Kentucky
10. Oklahoma State
11. BYU
12. Texas
13. Wake Forest
14. Fresno State
15. SMU
16. Arizona State

ADAM HUNSUCKER

USA TODAY Network

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Penn State
5. Oklahoma
6. Cincinnati
7. Ohio State
8. Michigan
9. Arkansas
10. Michigan State
11. BYU
12. Coastal Carolina
13. Notre Dame
14. Florida
15. Mississippi State
16. Appalachian State

JOHNNIE JOHNSON

2007 Hall of Fame Class

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Oklahoma
4. Iowa
5. Penn State
6. Cincinnati
7. Ohio State
8. Michigan
9. BYU
10. Kentucky
11. Notre Dame
12. Oregon
13. Michigan State
14. Coastal Carolina
15. Oklahoma State
16. Arkansas

BRENT JONES

2002 Hall of Fame Class

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Penn State
4. Iowa
5. Cincinnati
6. Oklahoma
7. Ohio State
8. Michigan
9. BYU
10. Oregon
11. Coastal Carolina
12. Michigan State
13. Oklahoma State
14. Notre Dame
15. Auburn
16. Arkansas

BARRETT JONES

ESPN (Campbell Trophy Winner)

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Penn State
5. Cincinnati
6. Oklahoma
7. Ohio State
8. Michigan
9. Michigan State
10. Oregon
11. BYU
12. Oklahoma State
13. Coastal Carolina
14. Ole Miss
15. Arkansas
16. Notre Dame

CODY KELLNER

Cody Kellner Points Index

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Penn State
5. Cincinnati
6. Oklahoma
7. Oregon
8. Ohio State
9. Michigan
10. Michigan State
11. Kentucky
12. Oklahoma State
13. BYU
14. Auburn
15. Arkansas
16. Coastal Carolina

KELLY LYELL

Fort Collins Coloradoan

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Cincinnati
4. Penn State
5. Oklahoma
6. Iowa
7. Michigan State
8. Oklahoma State
9. Michigan
10. Ohio State
11. Coastal Carolina
12. BYU
13. Oregon
14. Notre Dame
15. Ole Miss
16. Wake Forest

MARK MAY

2005 Hall of Fame Class

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Penn State
5. Oklahoma
6. Cincinnati
7. Michigan
8. Oregon
9. Ohio State
10. BYU
11. Kentucky
12. Michigan State
13. Oklahoma State
14. Notre Dame
15. Coastal Carolina
16. NC State

KEVIN McGUIRE

Nittany Lions Wire/USA Today

1. Georgia
2. Alabama
3. Iowa
4. Penn State
5. Cincinnati
6. Michigan
7. Oklahoma
8. Michigan State
9. BYU
10. Oregon
11. Ohio State
12. Oklahoma State
13. Arkansas
14. Coastal Carolina
15. NC State
16. Wake Forest

DON McPHERSON

2008 Hall of Fame Class

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Oklahoma
4. Iowa
5. Penn State
6. Cincinnati
7. Ohio State
8. Michigan State
9. Michigan
10. Oregon
11. BYU
12. Notre Dame
13. Oklahoma State
14. Auburn
15. Arkansas
16. Arizona State

RUSS MITCHELL

College Football News

1. Georgia
2. Alabama
3. Penn State
4. Iowa
5. Cincinnati
6. Oklahoma
7. Ohio State
8. BYU
9. Michigan
10. Auburn
11. Oregon
12. Arkansas
13. Ole Miss
14. Michigan State
15. Oklahoma State
16. Kentucky

MAX OLSON

The Athletic

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Penn State
4. Iowa
5. Cincinnati
6. Oklahoma
7. Oregon
8. Ohio State
9. Michigan
10. BYU
11. Notre Dame
12. Michigan State
13. Arkansas
14. Kentucky
15. Ole Miss
16. Oklahoma State

RANDY PETERSON

Des Moines Register

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Penn State
5. Oklahoma
6. Cincinnati
7. Ohio State
8. Oregon
9. Michigan
10. BYU
11. Notre Dame
12. Michigan State
13. Coastal Carolina
14. Oklahoma State
15. Florida
16. Arkansas

BEN PORTNOY

The State (SC)

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Cincinnati
5. Penn State
6. Oklahoma
7. Oregon
8. Ohio State
9. Michigan
10. Notre Dame
11. Kentucky
12. BYU
13. Florida
14. Oklahoma State
15. Arkansas
16. Ole Miss

BILL ROYCE

2016 Hall of Fame Class

1. Georgia
2. Alabama
3. Iowa
4. Penn State
5. Oklahoma
6. Cincinnati
7. Michigan
8. Coastal Carolina
9. BYU
10. Arkansas
11. Ohio State
12. Florida
13. Oregon
14. Michigan State
15. Ole Miss
16. Fresno State

BARRETT SALLEE

CBSSports.com

1. Georgia
2. Alabama
3. Penn State
4. Iowa
5. Cincinnati
6. Ohio State
7. Michigan
8. BYU
9. Oklahoma
10. Oklahoma State
11. Wake Forest
12. Michigan State
13. Coastal Carolina
14. Ole Miss
15. Notre Dame
16. Kentucky

MIKE'L SEVERE

1620 The Zone (NE)

1. Georgia
2. Alabama
3. Oklahoma
4. Iowa
5. Penn State
6. Cincinnati
7. Michigan
8. Michigan State
9. Ohio State
10. BYU
11. Oklahoma State
12. Oregon
13. Notre Dame
14. Arkansas
15. Kentucky
16. Wake Forest

DAN SILEO

The National Radio Show

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Penn State
4. Iowa
5. Oklahoma
6. Ohio State
7. Michigan
8. BYU
9. Oregon
10. Coastal Carolina
11. Michigan State
12. Notre Dame
13. Arkansas
14. Fresno State
15. Florida
16. Oklahoma State

AYOKUNLE SPENCE

Sports Radio America

1. Georgia
2. Alabama
3. Penn State
4. Iowa
5. Cincinnati
6. Oklahoma
7. Michigan
8. Michigan State
9. Kentucky
10. Arkansas
11. Oklahoma State
12. BYU
13. Oregon
14. Ohio State
15. SMU
16. Coastal Carolina

PHIL STEELE

Phil Steele Publications

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Penn State
5. Oklahoma
6. Cincinnati
7. Ohio State
8. Michigan
9. Michigan State
10. Kentucky
11. Oregon
12. BYU
13. Notre Dame
14. Arkansas
15. Ole Miss
16. Auburn

PATRICK STEVENS

Baltimore/DC Freelancer

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Cincinnati
5. Penn State
6. Oklahoma
7. Michigan
8. Oregon
9. Ohio State
10. BYU
11. Kentucky
12. Michigan State
13. Arkansas
14. Oklahoma State
15. Coastal Carolina
16. Wake Forest

DAVID TEEL

Richmond Times Dispatch

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Cincinnati
5. Oklahoma
6. Penn State
7. Oregon
8. Ohio State
9. Michigan
10. BYU
11. Michigan State
12. Arkansas
13. Kentucky
14. Oklahoma State
15. Notre Dame
16. Florida

COACH MEL TJEERDSMA
2018 Hall of Fame Class

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Cincinnati
5. Oklahoma
6. Penn State
7. Oregon
8. Ohio State
9. Notre Dame
10. BYU
11. Michigan
12. Coastal Carolina
13. Arkansas
14. Oklahoma State
15. Michigan State
16. Wake Forest

JOHN WAGNER
The (Toledo) Blade-Retired

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Oklahoma
4. Iowa
5. Penn State
6. Cincinnati
7. Oregon
8. Ohio State
9. BYU
10. Michigan State
11. Michigan
12. Notre Dame
13. Florida
14. Arkansas
15. Ole Miss
16. Oklahoma State

WESLEY WALLS
2014 Hall of Fame Class

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Penn State
4. Iowa
5. Cincinnati
6. Oklahoma
7. Oregon
8. Ohio State
9. BYU
10. Michigan
11. Arkansas
12. Notre Dame
13. Florida
14. Ole Miss
15. Clemson
16. Coastal Carolina

DICK WEISS
Blue Star Media

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Penn State
5. Cincinnati
6. Oklahoma
7. Michigan
8. Ohio State
9. Kentucky
10. Michigan State
11. Oregon
12. Notre Dame
13. BYU
14. Ole Miss
15. Coastal Carolina
16. Oklahoma State

REGGIE WILLIAMS
2007 Hall of Fame Class

1. Georgia
2. Alabama
3. Iowa
4. Penn State
5. Cincinnati
6. Oklahoma
7. Michigan
8. Oregon
9. Ohio State
10. Michigan State
11. Kentucky
12. BYU
13. Arkansas
14. Ole Miss
15. Coastal Carolina
16. Notre Dame

SCOTT WOERNER
2016 Hall of Fame Class

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Penn State
4. Iowa
5. Oklahoma
6. Cincinnati
7. Michigan
8. Oregon
9. Coastal Carolina
10. BYU
11. Ohio State
12. Notre Dame
13. Michigan State
14. Oklahoma State
15. Kentucky
16. Wake Forest

MATT ZENITZ
On3

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Penn State
5. Cincinnati
6. Oklahoma
7. Ohio State
8. Michigan
9. Oregon
10. Kentucky
11. Arkansas
12. Oklahoma State
13. Florida
14. Michigan State
15. Ole Miss
16. BYU

CHRIS ZORICH
2007 Hall of Fame Class

1. Alabama
2. Georgia
3. Iowa
4. Penn State
5. Cincinnati
6. Oklahoma
7. Ohio State
8. Oregon
9. BYU
10. Michigan State
11. Oklahoma State
12. Kentucky
13. Michigan
14. Stanford
15. Florida
16. Arkansas

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