Boston College Postgame Notes vs. Florida State

- Boston College rallied from a 10-point deficit to tie the game at 24 in the fourth quarter, but Florida State used two long touchdowns to secure a 38-31 victory.
- FSU moved to 5-5 on the season and 4-4 in the ACC while BC dropped to 5-5 overall and 3-4 in conference play.
- BC hosted its sixth annual Red Bandanna game, evening its record at 3-3 in those contests. The Eagles wore accessories trimmed in a red bandanna design in honor of Welles Crowther, a former BC lacrosse player who is credited with saving at least a dozen people in the south tower of the World Trade Center on September 11, 2001. Crowther, who was wearing his signature red bandanna that day, lost his own life when he raced back up to save others before the tower collapsed.
- **AJ Dillon** moved into second place in Boston College history with his 19th career 100-yard game. Dillon finished with 165 yards on a career-high 40 carries. He moved into a tie for eighth place in ACC history with the 19, 100-yard games with Virginia’s Tiki Barber (1993-96).
- Dillon is now fourth in ACC history with 4,148 career rushing yards. He is the eighth player in conference history to reach the 4,000-yard plateau.
- The 40 carries by Dillon were the fifth-most in BC single-game history.
- **Kobay White** caught a team-high five receptions for 62 yards. His 89 career catches puts him in the top-30 all-time at BC; tied for 27th with Tony Gonzalez (2003-06) and Larry Lester (2002-05).
- **Dennis Grosel** finished with career-highs in passing yards (227), completions (20) and attempts (29) against FSU. Grosel threw two touchdowns and ran for another score.
- BC finished 14 of 20 on third down conversions; the most conversions and attempts this season.
- BC went over the 500-yard mark in total offense for the fifth time this season.
- The Eagles are 37-5 when leading at halftime under Steve Addazio. Two of the five losses have come against FSU in the last two seasons when BC held a lead at halftime.
- **Medhi El Attrach** wore No. 31 in honor of former Boston College defensive back Jay McGillis. El Attrach was named the recipient of the Jay McGillis Memorial Scholarship prior to the annual spring game, also named in honor of the former BC student-athlete. The award is given annually since 1993 to a Boston College defensive back who best exemplifies the personal qualities of team dedication and leadership by example, an extraordinary competitive spirit, and personal concern for family, friends and teammates. McGillis, a starting defensive back for Boston College, passed away from Leukemia in 1992.

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