UAB was handed its first loss of the season, falling by a final tally of 20-13 to Western Kentucky on Saturday night at Houchens Industries-L.T. Smith Stadium. UAB is now 3-1 on the season.

True junior running back Spencer Brown set the UAB career rushing record on Saturday night, turning in a 70-yard performance with a touchdown to reach 2,818 yards as a Blazer.

Brown passed Pat Green, who finished with 2,817 yards in his Blazer career, to reach the program pinnacle. He now has 30 total touchdowns to his name with 29 coming on the ground along with one receiving touchdown to date. Brown still sits second all-time in career rushing touchdowns with 29.

UAB outgained Western Kentucky in total yards by 76 yards (298-222) and rushing yards by 84 yards (117-33) through the game. The Blazer offense also held the advantage in first downs (20-14), time of possession (32:45-27:15) and total plays (70-53).

The Blazer defense has been stingy in the first half of each game this season, allowing no more than 13 points in the first two quarters of any contest. UAB has allowed 35 total points in the first half of all four games combined.

UAB has now forced and recovered at least one fumble in three consecutive games.

Redshirt senior linebacker Adrienne Talan forced a fumble, registering two total tackles and a sack on the night.

Redshirt sophomore outside linebacker Jordan Smith has registered a sack in all four of UAB’s games this season as he’s up to four sacks for a loss of 24 yards on the year.

True junior linebacker Kris Moll led the UAB defense in tackles on the night with eight total (1 TFL) and two quarterback hurries.

Redshirt sophomore safety Will Boler was second on the team with seven tackles, a career high.