



KICKOFF: 2:30 p.m.
Ryan Field, Evanston, Ill.
(47,130 capacity)

NEBRASKA vs. NORTHWESTERN

EVANSTON, ILL., FORECAST:
Partly cloudy, dry, high of 57.

TV: ABC
RADIO: KLIQ (94.5 FM), KLRB
(97.3 FM), KBBN (98.3 FM), KQKY
(105.9 FM), KGFV (1340 AM),

KAWL (1370 AM), KRGI (1430 AM),
Star 97 (97.3 FM)



■ OFFENSE

WIDE RECEIVER X

80 Kenny Bell 6-1 180 So.
88 Tyler Evans 6-1 200 So.

LEFT TACKLE

79 Brent Ovale 6-7 315 Jr.
79 Brandon Thompson 6-6 300 Sr.

LEFT GUARD

77 Seung Hoon Choi 6-2 295 Sr.
62 Cole Pensick 6-2 275 Jr.

CENTER

58 Justin Jackson 6-3 280 Sr.
62 Cole Pensick 6-2 275 Jr.

RIGHT GUARD

61 Spencer Long 6-4 305 Jr.
69 Brodrick Nickens 6-5 305 Jr.

RIGHT TACKLE

71 Jeremiah Sirles 6-6 310 Jr.
OR

63 Andrew Rodriguez 6-6 325 Jr.

TIGHT END

81 Ben Cotton 6-6 255 Sr.
or 25 Kyler Reed 6-3 230 Sr.

WIDE RECEIVER Z

18 Quincy Enunwa 6-2 215 Jr.
7 Taariq Allen 6-3 200 Fr.
OR 21 Steven Osborne 6-4 205 Sr.

WIDE RECEIVER A

10 Jamal Turner 6-1 185 So.
6 Tim Marlowe 6-1 200 Sr.

QUARTERBACK

3 Taylor Martinez 6-1 200 Jr.
12 Ron Kellogg III 6-1 210 Jr.

I-BACK

22 Rex Burkhead 5-11 210 Sr.
8 Ameer Abdullah 5-9 185 So.

FULLBACK

25 Andy Janovich 6-1 215 Fr.
OR

19 Mike Marrow 6-2 250 Jr.

■ DEFENSE

DEFENSIVE END

46 Eric Martin 6-2 250 Sr.
OR

9 Jason Ankrah 6-4 265 Jr.

DEFENSIVE TACKLE

53 Thad Randle 6-1 295 Jr.
92 Kevin Williams 6-2 265 Fr.

DEFENSIVE TACKLE

55 Baker Steinkuhler 6-6 290 Sr.
97 Chase Rome 6-3 285 So.

DEFENSIVE END

34 Cameron Meredith 6-4 260 Sr.
7 Joseph Carter 6-5 265 Sr.

BUCK LINEBACKER

42 Sean Fisher 6-6 230 Sr.
45 Alonzo Whaley 6-2 230 Sr.

MIKE LINEBACKER

51 Will Compton 6-2 230 Sr.
54 Trevor Roach 6-2 230 So.

WILL LINEBACKER

45 Alonzo Whaley 6-2 230 Sr.
41 David Santos 6-0 220 Fr.

CORNERBACK

16 S. Jean-Baptiste 6-3 215 Jr.
or 11 Andrew Green 6-0 195 Jr.

SAFETY

13 P.J. Smith 6-2 210 Sr.
1 Harvey Jackson 6-2 210 So.

SAFETY

3 Daimion Stafford 6-1 205 Sr.
12 Courtney Osborne 6-3 200 Sr.

RIGHT CORNERBACK

10 Josh Mitchell 5-11 155 So.
4 Moh. Seisay 6-2 200 Jr.

NICKEL

17 Cianté Evans 5-11 185 Jr.

■ SPECIAL TEAMS

PLACE KICKER

96 Brett Maher 6-0 185 Sr.
37 Mauro Bondi 6-0 200 So.

PUNTER

96 Brett Maher 6-0 185 Sr.

KICKOFFS

96 Brett Maher 6-0 185 Sr.

HOLDER

31 Jase Dean 6-0 200 Sr.

KICKOFF RETURNS

8 Ameer Abdullah 5-9 180 So.
80 Kenny Bell 6-1 185 So.

PUNT RETURNS

8 Ameer Abdullah 5-9 180 So.

LONG SNAPPER

92 P.J. Mangieri 6-4 240 Sr.



When Nebraska has the ball

Kenny Bell has emerged as Nebraska's big-play receiver. The sophomore has 20 catches this season for 463 yards and four touchdowns. Northwestern has been pretty good against the run, but has given up an average of 270 yards per game through the air. This could be a chance for Taylor Martinez to show off his arm and for the Nebraska receiving corps to show off their hands. Could be a big day for the passing game.

EDGE: NEBRASKA

Overall outlook: This could be another shootout. There is no reason to think either defense is going to stop the other. Both offenses will get their yards. The team that limits mistakes will win the game. **PREDICTION: NEBRASKA 42, Northwestern 34**



When NORTHWESTERN has the ball

The Huskers know they need to keep an eye on **Kain Colter**, whether he lines up at quarterback or receiver. He's a rare triple threat who can run, throw and catch and he's likely to do all three in this game. The Wildcats have also found a running back in Venric Mark (792 yards on 134 carries). This will be a big challenge for a Husker defense that has had its problems this season, especially in road losses at UCLA and Ohio State.

EDGE: NORTHWESTERN



Special teams/intangibles

Ameer Abdullah gives the Husker return game a chance every time he gets the ball in his hands. The Huskers have a pretty good field goal kicker as well in Brett Maher, but so does Northwestern. Wildcat kicker Jeff Budzien is a perfect 11-for-11 in field goal tries with a long of 44 yards. Punter Brandon Williams is averaging 40 yards a kick, but the Wildcats don't have anyone who can match Abdullah in the return game.

EDGE: NEBRASKA

■ OFFENSE

RIGHT TACKLE

75 Jack Konopka 6-5 290 So.
74 Chuck Porcelli 6-7 315 Sr.

RIGHT GUARD

79 Neal Deiters 6-8 315 Sr.
57 Matt Frazier 6-4 290 Fr.

CENTER

66-Brandon Vitabile 6-3 310 So.
65-Hayden Baker
(6-2, 290, So.

LEFT GUARD

72 Brian Mulroe 6-4 310 Sr.
53 Geoff Mogus 6-5 295 Fr.

LEFT TACKLE

70 Patrick Ward 6-7 310 Sr.
81 Paul Jorgensen 6-6 295 So.

RUNNING BACK

5 Venric Mark 5-8 180 Jr.
32 Mike Trumpy 6-1 210 Jr.

WIDE RECEIVER H

14 Christian Jones 6-3 220 So.
80 Mike Jensen 6-0 190 Jr.

WIDE RECEIVER Y

8 Demetrius Fields 6-0 210 Sr.
11 P. Youngblood-Ary 6-3 190 Fr.

WIDE RECEIVER Z

17 Rashad Lawrence 6-2 195 Jr.
19 Cameron Dickerson 6-3 200 Fr.

TIGHT END

40 Dan Vitale 6-2 220 Fr.
87 Brian Smith 6-7 285 Jr.

QUARTERBACK

2 Kain Colter 6-0 190 Jr.
13 Trevor Siemian 6-3 210 So.

■ DEFENSE

LEFT DEFENSIVE END

88 Quentin Williams 6-4 255 Sr.
94-Dean Lowry 6-6 255 Fr.

DEFENSIVE TACKLE

91 Brian Arnfelt 6-5 300 Sr.
99 Chance Carter 6-3 290 So.

DEFENSIVE TACKLE

67 Sean McEvilly 6-5 290 So.
92 Will Hampton 6-3 290 Jr.

RIGHT DEFENSIVE END

97 Tyler Scott 6-4 265 Jr.
98 Deonte Gibson 6-3 255 Fr.

OUTSIDE LINEBACKER

44 Chi Chi Ariguzo 6-3 235 So.
55 Drew Smith 6-1 225 Fr.

MIDDLE LINEBACKER

46 Damien Proby 6-0 245 Jr.
50-Timmy Vernon 6-3 225 Jr.

OUTSIDE LINEBACKER

33 David Nwabuisi 6-1 240 Sr.
45 Collin Ellis 6-2 230 So.

RIGHT CORNERBACK

15 Daniel Jones 5-11 180 So.
31 Quinn Evans 5-10 180 Sr.

SAFETY

27 Jared Carpenter 6-0 205 Sr.
10 Traveon Henry 6-1 215 Fr.

SAFETY

24 Ibraheem Campbell 5-11 210 So.
16 Davion Fleming 5-10 200 Jr.

LEFT CORNERBACK

23 Nick VanHoose 6-0 185 Fr.
22 Demetrius Dugar 5-11 180 Sr.

■ SPECIAL TEAMS

PLACE KICKER

37 Jeff Budzien 5-11 170 Jr.

PUNTER

49 Brandon Williams 6-2 195 Jr.

LONG SNAPPER

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