



THE  
**EARL CAMPBELL**  
TYLER ROSE AWARD

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**Tyler Announces The Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Award National Player of the Week**

**TYLER, Texas** – Texas running back, D’Onta Foreman has been named The Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Award National Player of the Week for the tenth week of the college football season.

This is the second week in a row the Junior running back has been given this honor. Foreman exploded for 341 rushing yards – the third most in school history – and three touchdowns, averaging over 10 yards a carry, in Texas’ 45-37 victory at Texas Tech. The win over the Red Raiders marks his 10<sup>th</sup> straight 100-yard rushing game, moving him to just one game shy of Earl Campbell’s all-time record for most consecutive 100-yard performances.

The 341 yards was a career high and the third-most in a single game in school history. They were the most rushing yards by a player in a game in college football this season and the most at Texas in a game since 1998. Foreman has rushed for 1,446 yards this season, the second-most in school history through eight games, and 13 touchdowns. Foreman leads the nation averaging 180.8 yards per game.

D’Onta Foreman is a graduate of Texas City High School, Texas City, Texas.

**Week 10 Honorable Mentions:**

**JOSH ATKINSON, WR, TULSA - Senior**  
Carrollton, TX (The Oakridge School)  
10 catches - 123 yards, 2 TD  
W 45-24 vs. East Carolina

**JT BARRETT, QB, OHIO STATE - Junior**  
Wichita Falls, TX (Rider HS)

26/38 - 290 yards, 4 TD | 39 yards rushing  
W 62-3 vs. #10 Nebraska

**KYLE HICKS, RB, TCU - Junior**

Arlington, TX (Martin HS)  
26 carries - 192 yards, 5 TD  
W 62-22 @ #17 Baylor

**RYAN HIGGINS, QB, LOUISIANA TECH - Senior**

Hutto, TX (Hutto HS)  
18/30 - 253 yards, 4 TD, INT | 50 yards rushing  
W 45-24 @ North Texas

**SKYLER HOWARD, QB, WEST VIRGINIA - Senior**

Fort Worth, TX (Brewer HS)  
16/27 - 260 yards, 3 TD | 11 carries - 64 yards, 2 TD  
W 48-21 vs. Kansas

**AARON JONES, RB, UTEP - Junior**

El Paso, TX (Burgess HS)  
14 carries - 228 yards, 2 TD  
W 42-10 vs. Houston Baptist

**RONALD JONES II, RB, USC - Sophomore**

McKinney, TX (McKinney North HS)  
20 carries - 171 yards, 4 TD | 26 receiving yards  
W 45-20 vs. Oregon

**RICHARD LAGOW, QB, INDIANA - Junior**

Plano, TX (Plano HS)  
28/40 - 394 yards, 3 TD, 2 INT  
W 33-27 vs. Rutgers

**BAKER MAYFIELD, QB, OKLAHOMA - Senior**

Austin, TX (Lake Travis HS)  
25/34 - 328 yards, 4 TD, INT  
W 34-24 @ Iowa State

**FRED ROSS, WR, MISSISSIPPI STATE - Senior**

Tyler, TX (John Tyler HS)  
6 catches - 98 yards, 2 TD  
W 35-28 vs. #4 Texas A&M

**JARVEON WILLIAMS, RB, UTSA - Senior**

Converse, TX (Judson HS)

21 carries - 109 yards, 3 TD | 20 yard catch

W 45-25 @ Middle Tennessee

**RAWLEIGH WILLIAMS III, RB, ARKANSAS - Sophomore**

Dallas, TX (Bishop Lynch HS)

26 carries - 148 yards, 2 TD

W 31-10 vs. #22 Florida

**THE EARL CAMPBELL TYLER ROSE AWARD**

The Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Award, announced in 2012 by the Tyler Chamber and SPORTyler, recognizes the top offensive player in Division 1 football who also exhibits the enduring characteristics that define Earl Campbell: integrity, performance, teamwork, sportsmanship, drive, community, and tenacity; specifically tenacity to persist and determination to overcome adversity and injury in pursuit of reaching goals.

In addition, the nominee must meet one or more of the following criteria: born in Texas and/or graduated from a Texas High School and/or played at a Texas-based junior college or four year D1 Texas college.

For more information about The Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Award go to [www.earlcampbellaward.com](http://www.earlcampbellaward.com) or contact Cindy Smoak, SPORTyler, Tyler Area Chamber of Commerce: [csmoak@tylertexas.com](mailto:csmoak@tylertexas.com) or 903-592-1661, extension 237.

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