



Nick Wass/Associated Press
Tennessee Titans wide receiver Carnell Tate (14) runs after a catch during the first half of an NFL football game against the Baltimore Ravens on Sunday Oct. 4 in Baltimore.

Winless Titans, confident Saleh and mistakes that persist

BY TERESA M. WALKER
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NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Coach Robert Saleh believes the Tennessee Titans will be good, really good.

First, he has to get them to stop the self-inflicted mistakes that good teams either don't commit or overcome.

"You've got to learn how not to lose a football game before you can start winning," Saleh said Monday.

Turnovers, ill-timed penalties and technique mistakes are why the Titans are 0-4 for a second straight season, obscuring the only evidence that matters of the improvement Saleh insists he sees. Saleh said the Titans will stop making so many painful mistakes, learn how to overcome those when they do

"Eventually this team's going to become really good," Saleh said. "And I know it's been a painful process in the interim, but this team's going to be good. I believe it."

The Titans found new ways to lose in a 24-18 road loss to Baltimore that really wasn't that close.

Tennessee had two turnovers that led to 10 points for the Ravens. The Titans had a first-and-goal for a second straight game that not only didn't result in points but proved very costly.

Last week, Cam Ward was intercepted in the end zone to seal a loss to the New York Giants. In Baltimore, the Titans turned the ball over on downs in the second quarter.

The Ravens went 98 yards the other way for a



Stephanie Scarbrough/Associated Press
Tennessee Titans quarterback Cam Ward (1) walks off the field after the team's loss in an NFL football game against the Baltimore Ravens on Sunday, Oct. 4 in Baltimore.

touchdown and a 21-7 lead for a 14-point swing.

"More often than not, we're getting into scoring position and we're coming away with nothing," Saleh said. "And when that happens, it's always going to look a little lopsided."

WHAT'S WORKING

Defense continues leading the way for Tennessee. The Titans are tied for ninth in giving up 20.8 points a game despite being on the field longer than any other defense in the NFL. They also held Baltimore to 2 of 10 on third downs and now rank 10th in the league with a 35.8% on third down efficiency.

Jermaine Johnson's sack of Lamar Jackson knocked the Ravens quarterback out for the rest of the game, and the Titans kept the Ravens out of the end zone in the second half.

All-Pro defensive tackle Jeffery Simmons had a relatively quiet day. Saleh said the Ravens were getting four hands on Simmons every snap, leaving 1-on-1 chances where the

other Titans have to be better.

WHAT NEEDS HELP

The offense piled up 14 first downs in the first half after managing only one before halftime at the Giants. That was Tennessee's best first-half total since having 14 first downs at Houston on Nov. 24, 2004. But the Titans still struggle to score points and now rank ahead of only Miami in averaging 13.8 points a game.

Tennessee also ranks last in averaging 261.3 yards a game.

STOCK UP

Carnell Tate. The rookie wide receiver led

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Minchey leads Kentucky to OT win over South Carolina

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COLUMBIA, S.C. — Kentucky coach Will Stein held up two fingers on the sidelines after his team's overtime touchdown, letting the Wildcats know his intention to end things right away.

Strong safety Ty Bryant hinted he knew his coach's intentions a few days earlier. Bryant, a senior, usually sits in on staff meetings late in the week. "I'm not going to tell you what (Stein) said," Bryant continued. "He's aggressive. I'm good with that."

So were all connected with No. 24 Kentucky (4-1, 2-1 Southeastern Conference) after Kenny Minchey's 6-yard TD pass to Henry Boyer and successful 2-point pass to Willie Rodriguez at the back of the end zone gave the Wildcats a 35-34 OT win at South Carolina after trailing 17-0.

"We just felt the momentum South Carolina had taken at the end of regulation," Stein said. "We needed to go for two. That's what we did. Felt really confident about the play call and executed it well."

Kentucky's players exploded in celebration, spilling onto the field after a second major road win for first-year coach Stein, who's team beat then-ninth-ranked Texas A&M 31-21 at College Station two weeks ago.

And now, Kentucky gets to dream of even bigger things and a special season in Stein's debut when it faces No. 11 LSU at home next Saturday.

"Oh, it's going to mean a lot," freshman receiver Kenny Darby said. "But I'm not going to worry about that. I'm ready to celebrate."

The Wildcats needed to fight back several times. Minchey's 32-yard scoring pass to Nic Anderson late in the third quarter gave them



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Kentucky wide receiver Kenny Darby (9) attempts to make a catch during the first half of an NCAA college football game against South Carolina on Saturday, Oct. 3 in Columbia, S.C.



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Kentucky quarterback Kenny Minchey (3) runs for a first down past South Carolina defensive lineman Anthony Addison (40) during the first half of an NCAA college football game on Saturday, Oct. 3 in Columbia, S.C.



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South Carolina quarterback LaNorris Sellers, left, runs from Kentucky linebacker Grant Godfrey (22) during the first half of an NCAA college football game on Saturday, Oct. 3 in Columbia, S.C.

their first lead, 24-20. And after South Carolina retook the lead in the fourth quarter on LaNorris Sellers' 15-yard TD pass to DJ Black, Minchey led a 66-yard

drive that ended with Adam Zouagui's 29-yard tying field goal with 4:13 to play.

Sellers again moved

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LEGAL NOTICE

ORDINANCE 2026-A-3
AN ORDINANCE ASSESSING AND LEVYING THE 2026 ANNUAL PROPERTY TAX ON REAL PROPERTY AND TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY WITHIN THE CITY OF ADAIRVILLE, KENTUCKY

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF ADAIRVILLE, KENTUCKY:

SECTION 1: There is hereby levied an Ad Valorem Tax of .370 cents for every One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) of the assessed valuation of all real estate and all tangible personal property subject to taxation for municipal purposes and having a taxable situs in the City of Adairville, as of the first day of January 2026, as listed in the tax assessment ledger compiled by the Logan County Property Valuation Administrator.

SECTION 2: All money collected from the taxes levied in this ordinance shall be paid into the General Fund of the City to be used for the payment of proper expenditures as determined by the City Council of the City of Adairville.

SECTION 3: It is further provided that a two percent (2%) discount shall be given on all payments made prior to November 1, 2026. The total property tax without the discount shall be due from November 1, 2026 through December 31, 2026. It is further provided that to the tax bills of all tax payers who fail to pay before January 1, 2027, there shall be added, by way of penalty, an amount equal to ten percent (10%) of the total tax bill, and upon the total tax bill plus penalty, there shall be charged interest at the rate of six percent (6%) per annum from February 1, 2027 until paid, and such delinquent tax payer shall also pay all costs and expenses incidental to any action taken by the City for the collection of such delinquent tax bill.

SECTION 4: If any part of this ordinance shall be declared invalid, such shall not affect the remainder of the ordinance, and the taxes, penalties, and interest shall apply to the maximum extent allowable under this ordinance. All ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its proper passage and publication as required by law.

Given first reading this the 1st day of October 2026. Given second reading, acted, and approved on the 2nd day of October 2026.

Donna Blake, Mayor
Sharon Head ATTEST: City Clerk

LEGAL NOTICE

2026 General Election Public Notice

The Logan County Board of Elections will meet at the Logan County Clerk's Office, 229 West 3rd Street Russellville, KY 42276, Wednesday, October 14th, 2026, at 2:00pm to inspect and examine all voting machines. If the examination is not completed by 4:30pm that day, we will resume at 10:00am on October 15th, 2026.

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ORDINANCE 2026-A-4
AN ORDINANCE ASSESSING AND LEVYING A PROPERTY TAX ON MOTOR VEHICLES AND WATERCRAFT HAVING A SITUS IN THE CITY OF ADAIRVILLE, KENTUCKY

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF ADAIRVILLE, KENTUCKY:

SECTION 1: There is hereby levied an Ad Valorem Tax of 35.0 cents for every One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) of the assessed valuations of motor vehicles and watercraft having a taxable situs in the City as of the first day of January 2027 and for each year thereafter as listed in the tax assessment ledger compiled by the Logan County Property Valuation Administrator.

SECTION 2: All money collected from the tax levied in this ordinance shall be paid into the General Fund of the City to be used for the payment of proper expenditures as determined by the City Council of the City of Adairville, Kentucky.

SECTION 3: In accordance with K.R.S. 132.487 and K.R.S. 134.800 the aforesaid tax shall be assessed under a centralized tax system, and collected by the Clerk of Logan County. It is further provided that for the collection of this tax on behalf of the City of Adairville, the County Court Clerk shall be paid four percent (4%) of money collected on vehicle taxes. Payment to the City by the County Court Clerk shall be governed by K.R.S. 134.815.

SECTION 4: If any part of this ordinance shall be declared invalid, such shall not affect the remainder of the ordinance. All ordinances in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its proper passage and publication as required by law.

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