

Wednesday, December 28
8:00 PM ET FOX



Petco Park
San Diego, CA

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(9-3)

**OREGON
DUCKS**
(-13)

VS.

**NORTH CAROLINA
TAR HEELS**
O/U (76)



(9-4)



BO NIX - QB

Holiday Bowl History	
2021	Canceled
2019	Iowa 49-24 USC
2018	Northwestern 31-20 Utah
2017	Michigan St. 42-17 Wash St.
2016	Minnesota 17-12 Washington St



DRAKE MAYE - QB

Oregon Bowl History (15-20)
2021 Alamo - Oklahoma (L 32-47)
2020 Fiesta - Iowa State (L 17-34)
2019 Rose - Wisconsin (W 28-27)
2018 Redbox - Michigan State (W 7-6)
2017 Las Vegas - Boise Stae (L 28-38)

QUICK STATS	OREGON	UNC
Points Per Game	39.7	35.0
PPG Allowed	27.4	31.0
Pass YDs	291.5	317.2
Rush YDs	216.3	156.4
Pass YDs Allowed	260.6	276.4
Rush YDs Allowed	125.5	161.8
Turnover Margin	10	-1
Last 5 Games	(3-2)	(2-3)

N. Carolina Bowl History (15-21)
2021 Mayo - South Carolina (L 21-38)
2020 Orange - Texas A&M (L 27-41)
2019 Military - Temple (W 55-13)
2016 Sun - Stanford (L 23-25)
2015 Russell Athletic - Baylor (L 38-49)



Aaron's Pick
41-30

Jonny's Pick
52-45



THE BOTTOM LINE

You'll be hard pressed to find a better quarterback matchup than the one featured in the Holiday Bowl. Both Bo Nix and Drake Maye will be Heisman favorites next season and both are capable of racking up points in a hurry. And, considering the struggles of both defenses at times, expect a shootout. Both teams are looking to erase unpleasant memories from their last contest. For Oregon, they lost to rival Oregon State while North Carolina found themselves on the wrong side of a 29-point route in the ACC Championship. Both teams lost several players to the transfer portal but North Carolina is taking the brunt of the opt-outs considering star wide receiver Josh Downs has opted out and so too has cornerback Storm Duck. Maye has nearly 5,000 yards between passing and rushing and will have to play his best game of the season to overcome Oregon. Luckily for Maye, the Ducks defense struggled to put pressure on opposing quarterbacks although they did snatch 16 interceptions.

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