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In this edition:

- Blaze offense goes full throttle to defeat Avengers 76-63
- Boone has 1 TD and 5 catches; Burley and Germaine on fire

## **Blaze pound the Avengers 76-63**

**AirBoone has 5 receptions and 1 TD**

The Utah Blaze came out explosive against the Avengers to defeat LA 76-63 and take sole possession of first place. They continued their league-leading offensive onslaught as Siaha Burley had 14 catches for 175 yards and 5 touchdowns and Tom Pace had a big game as well with 11 catches for 125 yards and 3 touchdowns. Joe Germaine continued to sizzle as Quarterback with 10 touchdown passes.



**Aaron Boone is robbed of a TD catch when pushed out of bounds**  
*(photos from Timpanogos Tribune)*

Aaron Boone had a fairly quiet game with 5 catches for 42 yards. He did get a touchdown grab with 47 seconds remaining in the game, for Utah's final touchdown. In the first quarter the AirBoone made a spectacular catch in mid-air in the end zone (see photos above) but was pushed out of bounds while still in mid-air, and was called out of bounds with the pass incomplete.

A touchdown robbed... Boone's 4<sup>th</sup> quarter TD catch was his 6<sup>th</sup> receiving TD of the season.



*(photo from Timpanogos Tribune)*

The Blaze will play at home again this Friday against the Arizona Rattlers. The game will begin at 7:00 PM MDT. You can listen to the game live on the internet by going to [www.1280thezone](http://www.1280thezone) and clicking on the Listen Online link.

### The Boone-o-Meter Stats as of April 13, 2007:

#### Touchdowns: 7

TD 1: March 3, 2007 New Orleans at Utah 39 yard pass from Joe Germaine

TD 2: March 23, 2007 Grand Rapids at Utah 28 yard pass from J. Germaine

TD 3: March 23, 2007 Grand Rapids at Utah 7 yard pass from J. Germaine

TD 4: April 6, 2007 Utah at Austin 21 yard pass from J. Germaine

TD 5: April 6, 2007 Utah at Austin 18 yard pass from J. Germaine

TD 6: April 6, 2007 Utah at Austin 9 yard kickoff return from onside kick

TD 7: April 13, 2007 Los Angeles at Utah 12 yard pass from J. Germaine

**Receiving: 22 receptions**

March 3, 2007 New Orleans at Utah 3 receptions  
March 23, 2007 Grand Rapids at Utah 5 receptions  
April 6, 2007 Utah at Austin 9 receptions  
April 13, 2007 Los Angeles at Utah 5 receptions

**Total Receiving Yards: 284 yards**

March 3, 2007 New Orleans at Utah 54 yards  
March 23, 2007 Grand Rapids at Utah 89 yards  
April 6, 2007 Utah at Austin 99 yards  
April 13, 2007 Los Angeles at Utah 42 yards

**Longest Reception: 40**

March 23, 2007 40 yard pass reception from Joe Germaine  
March 3, 2006 39 yard pass reception from Joe Germaine

**Total Points Scored on Season: 42**

**Average yards per reception: 12.91**

**Catches for First Downs: 7**

March 23, 2007 Grand Rapids at Utah 2  
April 6, 2007 Utah at Austin 5

**Rushing Yards: 0**

**Kickoff Returns 1**

April 6, 2007 Utah at Austin 9 yards for TD

**Kickoff Returns Yards 9**

April 6, 2007 Utah at Austin 9 yards from onside kick

**Special Teams and Defense:**

1 assisted tackle

March 3, 2007 1 assisted tackle on kickoff

*\*\*\*Boone did not play on March 11 or March 19. Out with a high ankle sprain.  
He sat out on April 1 with a tweaked right ankle.*

## 2007 UTAH BLAZE SCHEDULE

WEEK	DATE	OPPONENT	TIME
1	Sat, March 3	NEW ORLEANS VOODOO	<b>UT 63</b> – NO 61 <b>1-0</b>
2	Sat, March 10	at Arizona Rattlers	<b>UT 75</b> – AZ 71 <b>2-0</b>
3	Sun, March 18	at Nashville Kats	NA 69 – <b>UT 55</b> <b>2-1</b>
4	Fri, March 23	GRAND RAPIDS RAMPAGE	<b>UT 83</b> – GR 42 <b>3-1</b>
5	Sun, April 1	at Las Vegas Gladiators	<b>UT 57</b> – LV 47 <b>4-1</b>
6	Fri, April 6	at Austin Wranglers	AU 65 – <b>UT 64</b> <b>4-2</b>
7	Fri, April 13	LOS ANGELES AVENGERS	<b>UT 76</b> – LA 63 <b>5-2</b>
8	Fri, April 20	ARIZONA RATTLEERS	7 p.m.
9	Sat, April 28	at San Jose SaberCats	8:30 p.m.
10	Fri, May 4	DALLAS DESPERADOS	7 p.m.
11	Sat, May 12	at Kansas City Brigade	6:30 p.m.
12	Fri, May 18	LAS VEGAS GLADIATORS	7 p.m.
13	Fri, May 25	at Orlando Predators	5:30 p.m.
14	Mon, June 4	COLORADO CRUSH	8:30 p.m.
15	Sat, June 9	SAN JOSE SABERCATS	7 p.m.
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17	Sat, June 23	at Los Angeles Avengers	8:30 p.m.

*All times Mountain Time*

## 2007 Arena Football League ESPN TV Schedule:

DATE		TIME	TELEVISION
Mon, April 16	Philadelphia at Dallas	8:00 p.m.	ESPN2
Mon, April 23	Philadelphia at Columbus	7:30 p.m.	ESPN2
Mon, April 30	Philadelphia at Chicago	8:00 p.m.	ESPN2
Mon, May 7	Colorado at Chicago	8:00 p.m.	ESPN2
Mon, May 14	New York at Philadelphia	7:30 p.m.	ESPN2
Mon, May 21	New Orleans at Philadelphia	7:30 p.m.	ESPN2
Mon, May 28	New York at New Orleans	8:00 p.m.	ESPN2
<b>Mon, June 4</b>	<b>Colorado at Utah</b>	<b>10:30 p.m.</b>	<b>ESPN2</b>
Mon, June 11	Los Angeles at Arizona	10:00 p.m.	ESPN2
Mon, June 18	Chicago at Colorado	10:00 p.m.	ESPN2
Mon, June 25	Dallas at Colorado	10:00 p.m.	ESPN2
WILDCARD			
Fri, June 29	Wildcard	7:00 p.m.	ESPN
Sat, June 30	Wildcard	12:00 p.m.	ESPN
Sat, June 30	Wildcard	3:00 p.m.	ESPN
Mon, July 2	Wildcard	10:00 p.m.	ESPN2
DIVISIONAL			
Sat, July 7	Divisional	3:00 p.m.	ESPN
Sat, July 7	Divisional	8:00 p.m.	ESPN
Sun, July 8	Divisional	9:00 p.m.	ESPN2
Mon, July 9	Divisional	7:30 p.m.	ESPN2
CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP			
Sat, July 14	Conference Championship	3:00 p.m.	ESPN
Sun, July 15	Conference Championship	12:30 p.m.	ESPN2
ARENABOWL XXI			
Sun, July 29	ArenaBowl XXI (New Orleans)	3:00 p.m.	ESPN on ABC

\* ESPN will broadcast a minimum of three Wildcard games and three Divisional Playoff games listed above