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PAT FREIERMUTH OF PENN STATE NAMED JOHN MACKEY TIGHT END OF THE WEEK

New York, N.Y. (October 29, 2019) – The John Mackey Award has named Pat Freiermuth as the John Mackey Tight End of the Week. The Big Ten conference sophomore had a monster game with three touchdowns on five receptions and 60 yards as the Nittany Lions defeated Michigan State. Honorable mentions for week eight include Harrison Bryant of FAU, Charlie Kolar of Iowa State and Armani Levias of Marshall.

The 2019 John Mackey recipient will be announced on December 11, 2019 and then presented live on December 12, 2019 at The Home Depot College Football Awards Red Carpet Show on ESPNU.

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The John Mackey Tight End of the Week is an honor distinct and different from the annual John Mackey Award. This weekly honor was started in 2004 to draw attention to individual play by Tight Ends during the active season. The Tight End of the Week acknowledgment does not have a direct bearing on the final John Mackey Award selection process. The John Mackey Tight End of the Week honor will run until the announcement of the eight Semi-Finalists.

The John Mackey Award is a member of the National College Football Awards Association (NCFAA) which encompasses the most prestigious awards in college football. The 25 awards boast 800 recipients, dating to 1935. Visit <u>www.NCFAA.org</u> to learn more about our story.

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