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TRE' MCKITTY

AGE: 25 (January 12, 1999) | HT: 6-4 | WT: 246

COLLEGE: Georgia

NFL EXP: 4 Years

HOMETOWN: Wesley Chapel, FL

ACQUIRED: Free Agent (2023)

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TRE' MCKITTY signed to the Bills practice squad on November 7, 2023. McKitty originally entered the NFL as a third round draft pick (97th overall) by the Los Angeles Chargers in 2021.

SHOUTOUTS

- Appeared in 34 career games for the Chargers from 2021-23, recording 16 receptions for 117 yards.
- Began the 2023 season with the Chargers, playing in six games.
- Appeared in all 17 games and during the 2022 season, making eight starts. Also started in the team's AFC Wild Card matchup against the Jacksonville Jaguars and recorded two receptions for 16 yards.
- Registered 3 catches for a career-high 24 yards in a win vs. LV (9/11/22).
- Started 4 of 11 appearances as a rookie in 2021. Hauled in 4 catches for 45 yards.
- Logged his first career catch on a 7-yard pass from Justin Herbert vs. Pit. (11/21/21).
- Made his NFL debut vs. New England (10/31/21).
- Played three seasons at Florida State (2017-19) before transferring to the Georgia (2020). Played in 42 career games in college, totaling 56 receptions for 628 yards and three touchdowns.
- Over his three seasons with the Seminoles, McKitty registered 50 receptions for 520 yards and two touchdowns.

PERSONAL

Son of BJ and Anna McKitty. Earned a degree in criminology from Florida State. Prepped at IMG Academy in Bradenton, Florida. Earned his pilot's license and enjoys flying in his free time.

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AIR TIME

Since he was young, Tre' McKitty always thought about the possibility of becoming a pilot.

"My uncle started flying when I was young and I've always been interested in flying since I was 5 or 6 years old. I started flying in college, actually," McKitty said in a video feature on chargers.com. "I didn't really want to be an airline pilot or anything. Just being able to fly as much as I want and have my own plane would be really awesome."

With the help of Florida State's Division of Student Affairs, McKitty started pursuing his pilot's license while in college. When he transferred to Georgia, he continued training with a school there and after being drafted by the Chargers, he finished his lessons in Los Angeles.

"My first solo was probably the coolest thing. And then, my first cross country which was actually very recent...I think since my first solo, it definitely grew my confidence a lot. Being in the plane by myself where I didn't have my instructor, if anything went wrong I would have to deal with it myself, I don't have anyone there to help me."

"Football or not, I still want to fly because it's fun. It's like yoga for me. It's like meditation being in the air."

THE STAMPEDE

High school teammates in the NFL: Grant Delpit, KJ Hamler, Ceser Ruiz, Andre Cisco, Kellen Mond, Evan Neal, Robert Hainsey, Robert Beal

Favorite players growing up: Tony Gonzalez, Antonio Gates, Derrick Brooks

Favorite musician: Drake

Bucket list item: Visiting the 7 Wonders of the World

Dream golf foursome: Me, LeBron, Lewis Hamilton, Drake

Favorite TV show: Game of Thrones

Favorite food: Oxtail