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### **MEDIA SCHEDULE**

**ALL TIMES ARE APPROXIMATE** 

#### **TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5**

11:00-11:30 2-3 player before practice 1:10 Media access at practice 4:30 Open locker room

#### WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6

TBD **Bill Belichick Video Conference** 

#### 1 **THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7**

Patriots at Pittsburgh - 8:15 p.m. ET

### **2023 PATRIOTS SCHEDULE**

#### **REGULAR SEASON (2-10)**

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Sun., Sept. 10		Philadelphia	20-25	L
Sun, Sept. 17		Miami	17-24	L
Sun., Sept. 24	at	N.Y. Jets	15-10	w
Sun., Oct. 1	at	Dallas	3-38	L
Sun., Oct. 8		New Orleans	0-34	L
Sun., Oct. 15	at	Las Vegas	17-21	L
Sun., Oct. 22		Buffalo	29-25	w
Sun., Oct. 29	at	Miami	17-31	L
Sun. Nov. 5		Washington	17-20	L
#Sun. Nov. 12		Indianapolis	6-10	L
Sun., Nov. 19		BYE WEEK		
Sun., Nov. 26	at	N.Y. Giants	7-10	L
Sun., Dec. 3		L.A. Chargers	0-6	L
Thurs., Dec. 7	at	Pittsburgh	8:15 p.m.	Prime
				Video
Sun., Dec. 17		Kansas City	1:00 p.m.	FOX
Sun., Dec. 24	at	Denver	8:15 p.m.	NFLN
Sun. Dec. 31	at	Buffalo	1:00 p.m.	CBS
TBD		N.Y. Jets	TBD	TBD
*Kickoff times for all Sund	lay gan	nes after Week 5 are s	subject to flex so	heduling

#Frankfurt, Germany

#### 2023 AFC EAST STANDINGS

TEAM	w	L	т	PCT.	PF	PA
Miami Dolphins	9	3	0	.750	384	266
Buffalo Bills	6	6	0	.500	328	227
New York Jets	4	8	0	.333	171	251
NEW ENGLAND	2	10	0	.167	148	254

#### GAME SUMMARY

**NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS (2-10) AT PITTSBURGH STEELERS (7-5)** Thursday, December 7, 2023 • Acrisure Stadium (68,400) • 8:15 p.m. ET

The New England Patriots will travel to play the Steelers in Pittsburgh for the second straight season. Last year, the Patriots played at Pittsburgh in Week 2 and came away with a 17-14 victory. The Patriots have won the last two meetings between the two clubs. The Patriots prevailed with a 33-3 win at Gillette Stadium on Sept. 8, 2019.

#### **BROADCAST INFORMATION**

TELEVISION: This week's game will be broadcast by Prime Video and can be seen locally on WFXT-TV Channel 25. Al Michaels will handle play-by-play duties with Kirk Herbstreit as the color analyst. Kaylee Hartung will work from the sidelines. The game will be produced by Mark Teitelman and directed by Pierre Moossa.

NATIONAL RADIO: Thursday's game will be broadcast to a national audience on Westwood One. Ian Eagle will call the game and Ryan Leaf will be providing analysis.

LOCAL RADIO: 98.5 The Sports Hub is the flagship station for the Patriots Radio Network. A complete listing of the network's 33 stations can be found in this press release on page 61. Play-by-play broadcaster Bob Socci will call the action along with former Patriots guarterback Scott Zolak, who will provide color analysis. The games are produced by Marc Cappello.

#### COACH BELICHICK TO COACH HIS 507TH GAME

Last week against the Chargers, Bill Belichick coached in his 506th game overall, tying George Halas for the second all-time games coached in NFL history. On Thursday night against the Steelers, Belichick will coach his 507th game and take over sole possession for the second most games coached of all time.

#### MOST GAMES COACHED IN NFL HISTORY (INCLUDING POSTSEASON)

Coach	Total Games
Don Shula	
Bill Belichick	506
George Halas	

#### WEEK 14 HIGHLIGHTS

**PAGE 15:** New England Patriots at Pittsburgh matchup notes

PAGE 22: What To Look For This Week

PAGE 24: Last Game's Notes

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# 2023 OFFENSIVE STATISTICS

v							
WON 2, LOST 10			* RUSHING	No	. Yds		Long TD
09/10 L 20-25	Philadelphia	64,628	Stevenson	156	619	4.0	64t 4
)9/17 L 17-24	Miami	64,628	Elliott	112	429	3.8	17 2
09/24 W 15-10	at N.Y. Jets	80,878	Mac Jones	26	96	3.7	18 0
10/01 L 3-38	at Dallas	93,719	Thornton	2	42	21.0	39 0
10/08 L 0-34	New Orleans	64,628	Douglas	4	29	7.3	20 0
10/15 L 17-21	at Las Vegas	61,985	Zappe	4	16	4.0	5 0
	Buffalo	64,628	Montgomery	3	9	3.0	7 0
LO/29 L 17-31	at Miami	65,836	Bourne	1	4	4.0	4 0
11/05 L 17-20	Washington	64,628	TEAM	308	1244	4.0	64t 6
11/12 L 6-10	Indianapolis	50,144	OPPONENTS	330	1064	3.2	46 9
11/26 L 7-10	at N.Y. Giants	82,211	* RECEIVING	No	. Yds	Avg	Long TD
12/03 L 0- 6	L.A. Chargers	64,628	Stevenson	38	238	6.3	34 0
12/07	at Pittsburgh		Bourne	37	406	11.0	36 4
12/17	Kansas City		Douglas	36	410	11.4	42 0
12/24	at Denver		Henry	32	313	9.8	21 3
12/31	at Buffalo		Smith-Schus	ter 25	170	6.8	20 1
01/07	N.Y. Jets		Elliott	24	154	6.4	23 0
	N.E.	Opp.	Parker	22	264	12.0	27 0
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	203	217	Gesicki	21	182	8.7	18 1
Rushing	78	65	P. Brown	7	170	24.3	58t 1
Passing	111	135	Thornton	5	34	6.8	15 0
Penalty	14	17	Montgomery	4	23	5.8	11 0
3rd Down: Made/	Att 53/160	64/167	Reagor	3	33	11.0	11 0
3rd Down Pct.	33.1	38.3	Boutte	2	19	9.5	11 0
4th Down: Made/	Att 8/20	8/12	Strange	0	3		3 0
4th Down Pct.	40.0	66.7	TEAM	256	2419	9.4	58t 10
POSSESSION AVG.	28:11	31:49	OPPONENTS	272	2815	10.3	48 13
TOTAL NET YARDS	3485	3726	* INTERCEPT	IONS No.	Yds	Avg	Long TD
Avg. Per Game	290.4	310.5	Dugger	2	35	17.5	20 0
Total Plays	747	768		LG 1	9	9.0	9 0
Avg. Per Play	4.7	4.9	Bryant	1	6	6.0	6 0
NET YARDS RUSHING		1064	Peppers	1	1	1.0	1 0
Avg. Per Game	103.7	88.7	Gonzalez	1	0	0.0	0 0
Total Rushes	308	330	Ja. Tavai	1	0	0.0	0 0
NET YARDS PASSING		2662	TEAM	6	42	7.0	20 0
Avg. Per Game	186.8	221.8	OPPONENTS	14	317	22.6	70t 3
Sacked/Yards Lo		24/153	* PUNTING	No. Yds			In Lq B
Gross Yards	2419	2815	Baringer		7.6 41		28 79 0
Att./Completion		414/272	TEAM		7.6 41		28 79 0
Completion Pct.		65.7	OPPONENTS	56 2667 4			28 74 0
Had Intercepted		6	* PUNT RETU				Long TD
PUNTS/AVERAGE	63/47.6	56/47.6	Douglas	11 10			25 0
NET PUNTING AVG.	63/41.7	56/42.8	Bryant		) 30 1 26		
PENALTIES/YARDS	68/492	65/462	Peppers		3 26		
FUMBLES/BALL LOST		12/5	Mar. Jones	3		7.0	
TOUCHDOWNS	16	26	TEAM	22 18			
Rushing	6	20	OPPONENTS	28 15		9.7	
Passing	10	13	* KICKOFF R		Yds	Avg L	
-	0	4		BIORNS NO.		24.4	43 0
Returns			Montgomery				
* SCORE BY PERIOD			Bryant	1		11.0	11 0
TEAM	26 44 26		Reagor	1	2	2.0	2 0
OPPONENTS	56 92 36		TEAM			20.8	43 0
	-Ru-Pa-Rt K-PAT		OPPONENTS		281		42 0
Ryland 0		12/18 0 50	* FIELD GOA				
Bourne 4		0 24	Ryland	0/0 3/3			7 1/3
Stevenson 4		0 24	TEAM		3 3/		
Henry 3		0 18	OPPONENTS	0/0 5/5			
Elliott 2	2 0 0	0 12		49G) (48G,48N,57N,5			
P. Brown 1	. 0 1 0	0 6		4G,49G) (38G) (43G)			
Gesicki 1	. 0 1 0	0 6	OPP: (32G,5	6G,48G,51G) (23G,49	9в <b>,</b> 55N	)(52G)	(23G,
Smith-Schuster 1	. 0 1 0	0 6	23G,33G)(54	G,53G) (25G,37G,300	G,24G)	(36G,4	2N) (30G
Judon 0	0 0 0	1 2	(37G <b>,</b> 30G)(5	7N,51G)(42G)(38G,3	38G)		
TEAM 16	6 10 0 14/14	12/18 1 148					
OPPONENTS 26	5 9 13 4 23/24	23/27 1 254					
2-Pt Conv: TM 0-2	, OPP 2-2 SACKS	: Barmore 4,	Bentley 4, J	udon 4,Wise 2.5, U	Jche 2	, Jenn	ings 1.
L,Dugger 1, Gonza	lez 1, Peppers	1, Ja. Tavai	1, White 1, T	M 24, OPP 30			
* PASSING	Att Cn	np Yds Cmp%	Yds/Att TD	TD% Int Int% Long	g Sack	/Lost	Rating
(	245 2	04 0100 64 0	C 14 10	2012 25 50			

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* PASSING	Att	Cmp	Yds	Cmp%	Yds/Att	TD	TD% I	Int	Int%	Long	Sack/Los	t Rating
Mac Jones	345	224	2120	64.9	6.14	10	2.9 1	.2	3.5	58t	22/ 127	77.0
Zappe	64	32	299	50.0	4.67	0	0.0	2	3.1	27	7/ 46	50.2
Cunningham	0	0	0			0		0			1/ 5	
TEAM	409	256	2419	62.6	5.91	10	2.4 1	4	3.4	58t	30/ 178	72.8
OPPONENTS	414	272	2815	65.7	6.80	13	3.1	6	1.4	48	24/ 153	89.6

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# **2023 DEFENSIVE STATISTICS**

PLAYER	T	ACKL	S		SACKS		IN	ITERCE	PTIO	NS		FUM	BLES		SP. TEAMS					
Name	Π	UT	Α	s	Yds	QH	Int	Yds	TD	PD	FF	FR	Yds	TD	Π	UT	Α	FF	FR	
Ja'Whaun Bentley	79	38	41	4.0	13.0	8	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Kyle Dugger	72	49	23	1.0	6.0	2	2	35	0	4	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	
Jahlani Tavai	70	39	31	1.0	9.0	3	1	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	
Jabrill Peppers	63	43	20	1.0	7.0	2	1	1	0	6	1	1	0	0	3	2	1	0	0	
Myles Bryant	57	49	8	1.0	6.0	1	1	6	0	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Davon Godchaux	46	20	26	0.0	0.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Anfernee Jennings	42	29	13	1.5	10.0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Deatrich Wise Jr.	39	16	23	2.5	25.0	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Christian Barmore	30	20	10	4.0	25.0	7	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jonathan Jones	29	23	6	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Lawrence Guy Sr.	24	10	14	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
J.C. Jackson	24	21	3	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jalen Mills	23	14	9	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Mack Wilson Sr.	21	12	9	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	
Christian Gonzalez	17	14	3	1.0	8.0	1	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Shaun Wade	17	15	2	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Keion White	17	8	9	1.0	9.0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Adrian Phillips	13	8	5	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	2	0	0	
Matthew Judon	13	10	3	4.0	25.0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jack Jones	12	8	4	0.0	0.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Marte Mapu	12	8	4	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	
Josh Uche	8	6	2	2.0	10.0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Marcus Jones	5	4	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sam Roberts	5	2	3	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Daniel Ekuale	3	2	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jeremiah Pharms Jr.	3	1	2	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Ameer Speed	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	
Calvin Munson	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Chris Board	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	4	1	0	0	
Ty Montgomery II	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	6	1	0	0	
Matthew Slater	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	
Joe Cardona	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	
Pharaoh Brown	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	
Cody Davis	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	
Brenden Schooler	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	11	9	2	0	0	
	747	472	275	24.0	153.0	48	6	42	0	49	7	5	0	0	45	34	11	0	0	

FUMBLES -	LOST	(13-6	)	
			Own	
	No.	Lost	Rec	<b>O.B.</b>
Ezekiel Elliott	2	1	0	0
Demario Douglas	3	1	1	1
Kendrick Bourne	1	1	0	0
Mac Jones	3	2	0	0
Jabrill Peppers	1	0	0	1
Rhamondre Stevenson	1	1	0	0
Hunter Henry	1	0	0	0
David Andrews	0	0	0	1
Cole Strange	0	0	1	0
JuJu Smith-Schuster	0	0	1	0
Marcus Jones	1	0	0	1
	13	6	3	4

TT-Total Tackles
UT-Unassisted Tackles
A-Assisted Tackles

KEY Int/Yds-Interceptions/Yards Returned

PD-Passes Defensed FF-Forced Fumbles

BLOCKED KICKS												
	ХР	FG	Ρ									
Brenden Schooler	0	1	0									
Totals	0	1	0									



#### NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS 2023 STATS PACK PATRIOTS PARTICIPATION

1	1	Re	gular	Sea	son	~	INI	013	D FA		CIF	PATI										
			-	DNP		Ŧ	MIA	5	F	<u> </u>		BUF	MIA	WAS	٥	NYG	ų	E	0	DEN	щ	2
Player	POS	GP	ß	ō	INA	IHd	Ξ	at NYJ	at DAL	NO	at LV	B	at M)	Ň	QNI #	at N)	LAC	at PIT	КC	at DF	at BUF	ΓλΝ
Anderson, Calvin	OL	5	2	0	2	RT	RT	sub	sub	х	sub	х	X	IR	IR	IR	IR	-			lu	
Andrews, David	С	12	12	0	0	С	С	С	С	С	С	С	С	С	С	С	С					
Andrews, Jake	С	11	0	1	0	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	dnp					
Austin, Alex	CB	0	0	0	4									x	x	x	x					⊢
Baringer, Bryce	P	12	0	0	0	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub					⊢
Barmore, Christian Bentley, Ja'Whaun	DL LB	12 11	3 11	0	0	DL LB	DL	sub	sub	sub	DL LB	sub LB	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub LB					<u> </u>
Board, Chris	LB	11	0	0	0	sub	LB sub	LB sub	LB sub	LB sub	sub	sub	LB sub	LB sub	x sub	LB sub	sub					<u> </u>
Bourne, Kendrick	WR	8	5	0	0	WR	sub	sub	sub	WR	WR	WR	WR	IR	IR	IR	IR					<u> </u>
Boutte, Kayshon	WR	3	0	0	9	sub	X	X	X	X	X	x	X	X	sub	sub	X					<u> </u>
Brown, Pharaoh	TE	12	6	0	0	sub	TE	sub	TE	TE	sub	sub	sub	TE	TE	TE	sub					
Brown, Trent	OL	9	8	0	3	LT	х	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	х	х	sub	LT					
Bryant, Myles	DB	12	5	0	0	DB	sub	LCB	LCB	RCB	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	DB	sub					
Cardona, Joe	LS	12	0	0	0	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub					
Cunningham, Malik	QB	1	0	1	1	ps	ps	ps	ps	ps	sub	х	ps	ps	ps	ps	dnp					
Davis, Cody	DB	6	0	0	0	Rese	rve lis	st-PUF	5			sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub					
Douglas, Demario	WR	10	4	0	2	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	х	WR	WR	WR	WR	sub	х					
Dugger, Kyle	DB	12	12	0	0	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S					$\vdash$
Ekuale, Daniel	DL	3	0	0	0	sub	sub	sub	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR					⊢
Elliott, Ezekiel	RB	12	0	0	0	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub					⊢
Gesicki, Mike	TE	12	6	0	0	TE	TE	TE	TE	sub	sub	sub	sub	TE	TE	sub	sub					⊢
Godchaux, Davon	DL	12	12	0	0	DL	DL	DL	DL	DL	DL	DL	DL	DL	DL	DL	DL					⊢
Gonzalez, Christian	CB	4	4	0	0	RCB	-	RCB	RCB	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR					⊢
Grier, Will	QB	0	0	0	8		9/23	3rd	3rd	3rd	X	3rd	3rd	3rd	3rd	11/25	ps					⊢
Guy Sr., Lawrence	DL	12 0	10 0	0	0	sub	sub	DL	DL	DL	DL	DL	DL	DL	DL	DL	DL					⊢
Hasty, JaMycal	RB TE	12	9	0	2	TE	TE	TE	TE	a da	TE	TE	TE	a da	a da	X	Х					├──
Henry, Hunter	DL	12	9	0	0	TE	TE	TE 1 to PS	TE	sub	TE	TE	TE	sub	sub	TE	TE					┣──
Hill, Trysten Jackson, J.C.	CB	8	5	0	0			a trade		ps sub	ps RCB	sub RCB	ps RCB	ps sub	ps sub	ps RCB	ps RCB					├──
Jennings, Anfernee	LB	10	9	0	2	Acqui X	X	LB	sub	LB	LB	LB	LB	LB	LB	LB	LB					
Jones, Jack	CB	5	0	0	0	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	sub	sub	sub	sub		ased 1	1/14				
Jones, Jonathan	DB	9	9	0	3	LCB	X	X	X	LCB	LCB	LCB	LCB	LCB	LCB	LCB	LCB					<u> </u>
Jones, Mac	QB	11	11	1	0	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	dnp					
Jones, Marcus	DB	2	1	0	0	sub	LCB	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR					
Judon, Matthew	LB	4	2	0	1	LB	sub	sub	LB	х	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR					
Lowe, Vederian	OL	9	5	2	1	dnp	LT	RT	RT	RT	RT	sub	х	dnp	sub	sub	sub					
Mafi, Atonio	OL	12	4	0	0	LG	sub	sub	LG	LG	LG	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub					
Mapu, Marte	LB	12	1	0	0	sub	DB	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub					
McDermott, Conor	OL	4	3	1	0								dnp	LT	LT	LT	sub					
Mills, Jalen	DB	12	5	0	0	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	DB	DB	DB	DB	sub	DB					
Montgomery II, Ty	RB	12	0	0	0	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub					<u> </u>
Munson, Calvin	LB	3	0	0	0	sub	sub	ps	ps	ps	ps	ps	ps	ps	sub	ps	ps					⊢
Onwenu, Mike	OL	10	10	1	1	х	RG	RG	RG	RG	dnp	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT					<u> </u>
Parker, DeVante	WR	9	9	0	3	X	WR	WR	WR			WR	WR	X	x	WR						┝──
Peppers, Jabrill	DB	12	12	0	0	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S					⊢
Pharms, Jeremiah Phillips, Adrian	DL DB	7	0	0	0	ps cub	ps	ps	sub	SUD		ps	ps	sub	sub	sub	sub					<u> </u>
Phillips, Adrian Reagor, Jalen	WR	6	1	1	1	sub	sub	sub	sub	DB		sub	sub sub	sub WR	sub sub	sub	sub sub					<u> </u>
Reagor, Jalen Reiff, Riley	OL	0	0	0	1	ps IR	dnp IR	ps IR	ps IR	ps sub	sub x	sub IR	IR	IR	IR	X IR	IR					<u> </u>
Roberts, Sam	DL	7	1	0	5	X	X	DL	sub	sub		sub	sub	X	X	X	sub					<u> </u>
Ryland, Chad	K	12	0	0	0	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub			sub		sub	sub						<u> </u>
Schooler, Brenden	DB	12	0	0	0	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub			sub	sub	sub	sub						
Slater, Matthew	WR	12	0	0	0	sub	sub	sub	sub	sub		sub	sub	sub	sub	sub						
Smith-Schuster, JuJu	WR	10	6	0	2	WR	sub	WR	sub	WR	x	x	sub	sub	WR	WR	WR					
Sow, Sidy	OL	10	8	0	2	RG	х	х	sub	sub		RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG					
Speed, Ameer	DB	5	0	0	1	sub	х	sub	sub	sub	sub	relea										
Stevenson, Rhamondre	RB	12	12	0	0	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB					
Strange, Cole	OL	8	8	0	4	х	LG	LG	х	х	х	LG	LG	LG	LG	LG	LG					
Tavai, Jahlani	LB	12	11	0	0	LB	LB	LB	LB	sub	LB	LB	LB	LB	LB	LB	LB					
Thornton, Tyquan	WR	5	2	1	1	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	WR	sub	х	sub	dnp	sub	WR					
Uche, Josh	LB	10	2	0	2	sub	LB	sub	sub	LB	sub	х	х	sub	sub	sub	sub					$\vdash$
Wade, Shaun	CB	11	3	0	1	x	sub	sub	DB	sub	sub	sub	sub	RCB	RCB	sub						<u> </u>
Wheatley Jr., Tyrone	OL	2	0	0	3	sub	sub	х	x	х	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR					⊢
White, Keion	DE	11	4	0	1	sub	sub		sub	sub		x	DE	sub	sub	sub						⊢
Wilson Sr., Mack	LB	12	1	0	0	sub	sub		sub	sub			sub	sub	LB	sub						⊢
Wise Jr., Deatrich	DL	11	8	0	1	DE	DE	sub	DE	DE		DE	sub	DE	DE	DE	X					⊢
Zappe, Bailey	QB	5	1	6	1	dnp	dnp	dnp	sub	sub	3rd	dnp	dnp	dnp	sub	sub	QB					<u> </u>
Totals	rs / sut	565	264	15	69																	

x - inactive / CAPS - starters / sub - played / dnp - did not play / ps - Practice Squad / JF - Jumbo Formation

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Not on active roster



#### NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS 2023 STATS PACK GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

					202	3 OFFEN	SIVE STAR	TERS BY GAM	E			
Date	Opponent	WR	LT	LG	С	RG	RT	TE	TE	WR	QB	RB
09/10	Philadelphia	Bourne	T. Brown	Mafi	D. Andrews	Sow	Anderson	Henry	Gesicki	Smith-Schuster	Mac Jones	Stevensor
09/17	Miami	Parker	Lowe	Strange	D. Andrews	Onwenu	Anderson	Henry	Gesicki	P. Brown (TE)	Mac Jones	Stevensor
09/24	at NY Jets	Parker	T. Brown	Strange	D. Andrews	Onwenu	Lowe	Henry	Gesicki	Smith-Schuster	Mac Jones	Stevensor
10/01	at Dallas	Parker	T. Brown	Mafi	D. Andrews	Onwenu	Lowe	Henry	Gesicki	P. Brown (TE)	Mac Jones	Stevensor
10/08	New Orleans	Parker	T. Brown	Mafi	D. Andrews	Onwenu	Lowe	Brown	Bourne (WR)	Smith-Schuster	Mac Jones	Stevensor
10/15	at Las Vegas	Parker	T. Brown	Mafi	D. Andrews	Sow	Lowe	Henry	Bourne (WR)	Thornton	Mac Jones	Stevensor
10/22	Buffalo	Parker	T. Brown	Strange	D. Andrews	Sow	Onwenu	Henry	Bourne (WR)	Douglas	Mac Jones	Stevensor
10/29	at Miami	Parker	T. Brown	Strange	D. Andrews	Sow	Onwenu	Henry	Bourne (WR)	Douglas	Mac Jones	Stevensor
11/05	Washington	Reagor	McDermott	Strange	D. Andrews	Sow	Onwenu	P. Brown	Gesicki	Douglas	Mac Jones	Stevensor
11/12	# Indianapolis	Smith-Schuster	McDermott	Strange	D. Andrews	Sow	Onwenu	P. Brown	Gesicki	Douglas	Mac Jones	Stevensor
11/26	at NY Giants	Parker	McDermott	Strange	D. Andrews	Sow	Onwenu	P. Brown	Henry	Smith-Schuster	Mac Jones	Stevensor
12/03	LA Chargers	Parker	T.Brown	Strange	D. Andrews	Sow	Onwenu	Thornton (WR)	Henry	Smith-Schuster	Zappe	Stevensor
12/07	at Pittsburgh			5								
12/18	Kansas City											
12/24	at Denver											
12/31	at Buffalo											
TBD	NY Jets											
					202	3 DEFEN	SIVE STAR	TERS BY GAM	12			
Date	Opponent	DL	DL	DL	LB	LB	LB	DB	LCB	RCB	S	S
09/10	Philadelphia	Wise	Godchaux	Barmore	Judon	Bentley	Tavai	Bryant	Jo. Jones	Gonzalez	Dugger	Peppers
09/17	Miami	Wise	Godchaux	Barmore	Uche	Bentley	Tavai	Mapu	Marcus Jones		Dugger	Peppers
09/24	at NY Jets	White	Godchaux	Guy	Roberts (DL)	Bentley	Tavai	Jennings (LB)	Bryant	Gonzalez	Dugger	Peppers
10/01	at Dallas	Wise	Godchaux	Guy	Judon	Bentley	Tavai	Wade	Bryant	Gonzalez	Dugger	Peppers
10/08	New Orleans	Wise	Godchaux	Guy	Uche	Bentley	Jennings	Phillips	Jo. Jones	Bryant	Dugger	Peppers
10/00	at Las Vegas	Barmore	Godchaux	Guy	White (DE)	Bentley	Tavai	Jennings (LB)	Jo. Jones	Jackson	Dugger	Peppers
10/13	Buffalo	Wise	Godchaux	Guy Guy	Jennings	Bentley	Tavai	Mills	Jo. Jones	Jackson	Dugger	Peppers
10/22	at Miami	White	Godchaux	Guy	Jennings	Bentley	Tavai	Mills	Jo. Jones	Jackson	Dugger	Peppers
11/05	Washington	Wise	Godchaux		Jennings			Mills	Jo. Jones	Wade	55	
11/03	# Indianapolis	Wise	Godchaux	Guy	5	Bentley Wilson	Tavai	Mills	Jo. Jones	Wade	Dugger Dugger	Peppers Peppers
	at NY Giants			Guy	Jennings Jennings		Tavai Tavai					
11/26 12/03	LA Chargers	Wise	Godchaux	Guy	Jennings	Bentley	Tavai	Bryant	Jo. Jones	Jackson	Dugger	Peppers
	at Pittsburgh	White	Godchaux	Guy	Jennings	Bentley	Tavai	Mills	Jo. Jones	Jackson	Dugger	Peppers
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12/18	Kansas City											
12/24	at Denver											
12/31	at Buffalo											
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09/10	Philadelphia	Parker		Jennings	Strange		Roberts	Debeste				
09/17	Miami	Speed	Jo. Jones	Jennings	Sow	Brown	Boutte	Roberts				
09/24	at NY Jets	Grier (3rd QB)	Jo. Jones	Sow	Wheatley	Boutte						
10/01	at Dallas	Grier (3rd QB)	Jo. Jones	Strange Strange	Wheatley Wheatley	Boutte Boutto	Andorec					
10/08	New Orleans	Grier (3rd QB)	Judon	Strange	Wheatley	Boutte	Anderson	Dourster				
10/15	at Las Vegas	Zappe (3rd QB)	Smith-Schuster	Strange	Grier	Boutte	Reiff	Douglas				
10/22	Buffalo	Grier (3rd QB)	Smith-Schuster	Uche	Cunningham	Boutte	White	Anderson				
10/29	at Miami	Grier (3rd QB)	Thornton	Uche	Lowe	Boutte	Anderson					
11/05	Washington	Grier (3rd QB)	Parker	Austin	T. Brown	Boutte	Roberts					
11/12	# Indianapolis	Grier (3rd QB)	Parker	Austin	T. Brown	Bentley Debasts	Roberts	J.C. Jackson				
11/26	at NY Giants	Hasty	Lowe	Austin	Reagor	Roberts	NA/					
12/03	LA Chargers	Hasty	Lowe	Austin	Douglas	Boutte	Wise					
12/07	at Pittsburgh											
12/18	Kansas City											
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**Tyquan Thornton** 

Ty Montgomery II

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Bryce Baringer

Matthew Slater Adrian Phillips

Cody Davis

Kyle Dugger Shaun Wade

Alex Austin J.C. Jackson

Marte Mapu

Jonathan Jones

Chad Ryland

JaMycal Hasty

Chris Board Jahlani Tavai

Joe Cardona

Vederian Lowe

David Andrews

Jake Andrews

Jeremiah Pharms Jr.

**Conor McDermott** 

Kayshon Boutte

Demario Douglas

Atonio Mafi

Cole Strange

Mike Onwenu

Trent Brown

Jalen Reagor

Mike Gesicki

Hunter Henry Pharaoh Brown

Christian Barmore

Deatrich Wise Jr.

Davon Godchaux

Lawrence Guy Sr.

Malik Cunningham

Joshuah Bledsoe

Breon Borders

Calvin Munson

Joe Giles-Harris

Matthew Wright

Andrew Stueber

James Ferentz

Kody Russey

T.J. Luther

Matt Sokol

Trysten Hill

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William Bradley-King

Kevin Harris

Azizi Hearn

Sam Roberts

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PRACTICE SQUAD # NAME

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Will Grier

Josh Uche

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Brenden Schooler

Anfernee Jennings

Rhamondre Stevenson

Myles Bryant

JuJu Smith-Schuster

Bailey Zappe

Jalen Mills

Mac Jones

#	NAME	POS	НТ	WT	HABETICAL RO		COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN		#
60	Andrews, David	C	6-3	300	7/10/1992	9	Georgia	Johns Creek, Ga.		1
67	Andrews, Jake	č	6-3	308	11/11/1999	R	Troy	Millbrook, Ala,		2
28	Austin. Alex	DB	6-1	191	5/22/2001	R	Oregon State	Long Beach, Calif.		3
17	Baringer, Bryce	P	6-3	215	4/26/1999	R	Michigan State	Pontiac, Mich.		4
90	Barmore, Christian	DL	6-5	315	7/28/1999	3	Alabama	Philadelphia, Pa.		5
8	Bentley, Ja'Whaun	LB	6-2	250	8/24/1996	6	Purdue	Glenarden, Md.		7
45	Board, Chris	LB	6-2	244	7/23/1995	6	North Dakota State	Orlando, Fla.		8
80	Boutte, Kayshon	WR	6-0	197	5/7/2002	R	Louisiana State	New Iberia, La.		10
86	Brown, Pharaoh	TE	6-5	246	5/4/1994	6	Oregon	Lyndhurst, Ohio		11
77	Brown, Trent	OL	6-8	370	4/13/1993	9	Florida	Albany, Ga.		14
27	Bryant, Myles	DB	5-9	192	1/2/1998	4	Washington	Pasadena, Calif.		15
49	Cardona, Joe	LS	6-3	245	4/16/1992	9	Navy	El Cajon, Calif.		17
22	Davis, Cody	DB	6-2	205	6/6/1989	11	Texas Tech	Stephenville, Texas		18
81	Douglas, Demario	WR	5-8	192	12/8/2000	R	Liberty	Jacksonville, Fla.		21
23	Dugger, Kyle	DB	6-2	222	3/22/1996	4	Lenoir-Rhyne	Decatur, Ga.		22
15	Elliott, Ezekiel	RB	6-0	228	7/22/1995	8	Ohio State	St. Louis, Mo.		23
88	Gesicki, Mike	TE	6-6	245	10/3/1995	6	Penn State	Stafford, N.J.		26
92	Godchaux, Davon	DL	6-3	330	11/11/1994	7	Louisiana State	Plaquemine, La.		27
93	Guy Sr., Lawrence	DL	6-4	315	3/17/1990	13		Las Vegas, Nev.		28
39	Hasty, JaMycal	RB	5-8	205	9/12/1996	4	Baylor	Longview, Texas		29
85	Henry, Hunter	TE	6-5	258	12/7/1994	8	Arkansas	Little Rock, Ark.		30
29	Jackson, J.C.	CB	6-1	198	11/17/1995	6	Maryland	Immokalee, Fla.		31
33	Jennings, Anfernee	LB	6-3	255	5/1/1997	4	Alabama	Dadeville, Ala.		33
31	Jones, Jonathan	DB	5-10	185	9/20/1993	8	Auburn	Carrollton, Ga.		37
10	Jones, Mac	QB	6-3	220	9/5/1998	3	Alabama	Jacksonville, Fla.		38
59	Lowe, Vederian	OL	6-6	320	4/17/1999	2	Illinois	Rockford, III.		39
68	Mafi, Atonio	OL	6-3	330	10/20/2000	R	UCLA	Shoreview, Calif.		41
30	Mapu, Marte	LB	6-3	230	11/8/1999	R	Sacramento State	Hawthorne, Ca.		45
75	McDermott, Conor	OL	6-8	310	10/19/1992	7	UCLA	Nashville, Tenn.		48
2	Mills, Jalen	DB	6-0	200	4/6/1994	8	Louisiana State	Dallas, Texas		49
14	Montgomery II, Ty	RB	6-0	220	1/22/1993	9	Stanford	Dallas, Texas		55
71	Onwenu, Mike	OL	6-3	350	12/10/1997	4	Michigan	Detroit, Mich.		59
1	Parker, DeVante	WR	6-3	215	1/20/1993	9	Louisville	Louisville, Ky.		60
5	Peppers, Jabrill	DB	5-11	217	10/4/1995	7	Michigan	Paramus, N.J.		62
70	Pharms Jr., Jeremiah	DL	6-3	300	10/16/1996	1	Friends	Stockton, Calif.		67
21	Phillips, Adrian	DB	5-11	208	3/28/1992	10	Texas	Garland, Texas		68
83	Reagor, Jalen	WR	5-11	197	1/2/1999	4	TCU	Waxahachie, Texas		69
96	Roberts, Sam	DL	6-5	300	4/14/1998	2	Northwest Missouri St.			70
37	Ryland, Chad	K	6-0	195	10/15/1999	Ŕ	Maryland	Lebanon, Pa.		71
41	Schooler, Brenden	DB	6-1	210	5/30/1997	2	Texas	Dana Point, Calif.		75
18	Slater, Matthew	WR	6-0	205	9/9/1985	16	UCLA	Anaheim, Calif.	-	77
7	Smith-Schuster, JuJu	WR	6-1	205	11/22/1996	7	Southern California	Long Beach, Calif.		80
62	Sow. Sidv	OL	6-5	318	6/10/1998	Ŕ	Eastern Michigan	Bromont, Quebec		81
38	Stevenson, Rhamondre	RB	6-0	227	2/23/1998	3	Oklahoma	Las Vegas, Nev.		83
69	Strange, Cole	OL	6-5	310	7/31/1998	2	Chattanooga	Knoxville, Tenn.		85
48	Tavai, Jahlani	LB	6-5 6-2	255	9/28/1996	2 5	Hawaii	Inglewood, Calif.		86
40 11	Thornton, Tyguan	WR	6-2	185	8/7/2000	2	Bavlor	Miami, Fla.		88
55	Uche, Josh	LB	6-3	240	9/18/1998	4	Michigan	Miami, Fla.		90
55 26	Wade, Shaun	CB	6-3 6-1	240 195	9/16/1998	4	Ohio State	Jacksonville, Fla.		90
20 99	White, Keion	DE	6-5	290	1/20/1999	R	Georgia Tech	Garner, N.C.		92
3	Wilson Sr., Mack	LB	6-1	230	2/14/1998	5	Alabama	Montgomery, Ala.	-	93
91	Wise Jr., Deatrich	DL	6-6	246	7/26/1994	5	Arkansas	Carrollton, Texas		95
4	Zappe, Bailey	QB	6-0 6-1	200	4/26/1994	2	Western Kentucky	Victoria, Texas		99
-+	Lappe, Dalley	QD	0-1	210	+/20/1339	4	western Kentucky	VICIOIIA, TEXAS	_	33

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#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
24	Bledsoe, Joshuah	S	5-11	207	12/30/1998	3	Missouri	Houston, Texas
35	Borders, Breon	СВ	6-0	189	7/22/1995	6	Duke	Statesville, N.C.
52	Bradley-King, William	DL	6-4	248	12/22/1997	3	Baylor	Kansas Citry, Mo.
16	Cunningham, Malik	QB	6-1	198	10/6/1998	R	Louisville	Montgomery, Ala.
65	Ferentz, James	OL	6-2	290	6/5/1998	8	lowa	lowa City, lowa
44	Giles-Harris, Joe	LB	6-2	234	4/1/1997	3	Duke	Montvale, N.J.
36	Harris, Kevin	RB	5-10	225	11/17/2000	2	South Carolina	Hinesville, Ga.
42	Hearn, Azizi	СВ	6-1	204	6/5/1999	R	UCLA	Oceanside, Calif.
97	Hill, Trysten	DL	6-3	310	3/25/1998	5	Central Florida	Live Oak, Fla.
82	Luther, T.J.	WR	5-11	189	5/13/2000	R	Gardner-Webb	Port Charlotte, Fla.
47	Matthew Wright	ĸ	5-11	174	3/22/1996	3	Central Florida	Lancaster, Pa.
43	Munson, Calvin	LB	6-0	240	12/27/1994	5	San Diego State	St. Charles, Mo.
66	Russey, Kody	OL	6-2	295	5/14/1998	2	Houston	Burleson, Texas
87	Sokol, Matt	TE	6-5	258	11/9/1995	1	Michigan State	Rochester Hills, Mich.
64	Stueber, Andrew	OL	6-6	318	7/1/1999	2	Michigan	Darien, Conn.
19	Will Grier	QB	6-1	215	4/3/1995	5	West Virginia	Davidson, N.C.

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#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN	#	NAME
76	Anderson, Calvin	OL	6-5	305	3/25/1996	5	Texas	Austin, Texas	6	Christian Gonzalez
29	Bolden, Isaiah	СВ	6-2	205	12/16/1999	R	Jackson State	Tampa, Fla.	9	Matthew Judon
84	Bourne, Kendrick	WR	6-1	205	8/4/1995	7	Eastern Washington	Portland, Ore.	25	Marcus Jones
95	Ekuale, Daniel	DL	6-3	310	1/13/1994	5	Washington State	Pago Pago, Amer. Samoa	29	Isaiah Bolden
6	Gonzalez, Christian	CB	6-2	205	6/28/2002	R	Oregon	The Colony, Texas	50	Raekwon McMillan
25	Jones, Marcus	DB	5-8	188	10/22/1998	2	Houston	Enterprise, Ala.	72	Tyrone Wheatley Jr.
9	Judon, Matthew	LB	6-3	270	8/15/1992	8	Grand Valley State	West Bloomfield, Mich.	74	Riley Reiff
50	McMillan, Raekwon	LB	6-2	250	11/17/1995	7	Ohio State	Hinesville, Ga.	76	Calvin Anderson
82	Nixon, Tre	WR	6-2	190	1/26/1998	1	Central Florida	Viera, Fla.	82	Tre Nixon
74	Reiff, Riley	OL	6-6	310	12/1/1988	12	lowa	Parkston, S.D.	84	Kendrick Bourne
72	Wheatley Jr., Tyrone	OL	6-6	320	2/4/1997	1	Stony Brook	Buffalo, N.Y.	95	Daniel Ekuale

#### HEAD COACH: BILL BELICHICK

ASSISTANTS: Cam Achord, Special Teams Coordinator; Brian Belichick, Safeties; Steve Belichick, Linebackers; V'Angelo Bentley, NFL Coaching Fellowship/Defense; Troy Brown, Wide Receivers/Kickoff Returners; Moses Cabrera, Head Strength and Conditioning; DeMarcus Covington, Defensive Line; Ross Douglas, Wide Receivers; Joe Houston, Special Teams Assistant; Keith Jones, NFL Coaching Fellowship/Defense; Joe Judge, Assistant Head Coach; Adrian Klemm, Offensive Line; Will Lawing, Tight Ends; Deron Mayo, Strength and Conditioning Assistant; Jerod Mayo, Linebackers; Bill O'Brien, Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks; Mike Pellegrino, Cornerbacks; Evan Rothstein, Assistant Quarterbacks; Vinnie Sunseri, Running Backs; Billy Yates, Assistant Offensive Line.

# **2023 NUMERICAL ROSTER**

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#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	AGE	YR	COLLEGE	HOW ACQ.
1	DeVante Parker	WR	6-3	215	30	9	Louisville	TR (MIA)-22
2	Jalen Mills	DB	6-0	200	29	8	Louisiana State	UFA (PHI)-21
3	Mack Wilson Sr.	LB	6-1	246	25	5	Alabama	TR (CLE)-22
4	Bailey Zappe	QB	6-1	215	24	2	Western Kentucky	D4-22
5	Jabrill Peppers	DB	5-11	217	28	7	Michigan	UFA (NYG)-22
7	JuJu Smith-Schuster	WR	6-1	215	27	7	Southern California	UFA (KC)-23
8	Ja'Whaun Bentley	LB	6-2	250	27	6	Purdue	D5-18
10	Mac Jones	QB	6-3	220	25	3	Alabama	D1-21
11	Tyquan Thornton	WR	6-2	185	23	2	Baylor	D2-22
14	Ty Montgomery II	RB	6-0	220	30	9	Stanford	UFA (NO)-22
15	Ezekiel Elliott	RB	6-0	228	28	8	Ohio State	FA-23
17	Bryce Baringer	Р	6-3	215	24	R	Michigan State	D6b-23
18	Matthew Slater	WR	6-0	205	38	16	UCLA	D5-08
21	Adrian Phillips	DB	5-11	208	31	10	Texas	UFA (LAC)-20
22	Cody Davis	DB	6-2	205	34	11	Texas Tech	UFA (JAX)-20
23	Kyle Dugger	DB	6-2	222	27	4	Lenoir-Rhyne	D2a-20
26	Shaun Wade	СВ	6-1	195	25	3	Ohio State	TR (BAL)-21
27	Myles Bryant	DB	5-9	192	25	4	Washington	FA-20
28	Alex Austin	DB	6-1	191	22	R	Oregon State	FA-23
29	J.C. Jackson	СВ	6-1	198	28	6	Maryland	TR (LAC)-23
30	Marte Mapu	LB	6-3	230	24	R	Sacramento State	D3-23
31	Jonathan Jones	DB	5-10	185	30	8	Auburn	FA-16
33	Anfernee Jennings	LB	6-3	255	26	4	Alabama	D3a-20
37	Chad Ryland	к	6-0	195	24	R	Maryland	D4b-23
38	Rhamondre Stevenson	RB	6-0	227	25	3	Oklahoma	D4-21
39	JaMycal Hasty	RB	5-8	205	27	4	Baylor	CW (JAX)-23
41	Brenden Schooler	DB	6-1	210	26	2	Texas	FA-22
45	Chris Board	LB	6-2	244	28	6	North Dakota State	UFA (DET)-23
48	Jahlani Tavai	LB	6-2	255	27	5	Hawaii	FA-21
49	Joe Cardona	LS	6-3	245	31	9	Navy	D5-15
55	Josh Uche	LB	6-3	240	25	4	Michigan	D2b-20
59	Vederian Lowe	OL	6-6	320	24	2	Illinois	TR (MIN)-23
60	David Andrews	с	6-3	300	31	9	Georgia	FA-15
62	Sidy Sow	OL	6-5	318	25	R	Eastern Michigan	D4c-23
67	Jake Andrews	с	6-3	308	24	R	Troy	D4a-23
68	Atonio Mafi	OL	6-3	330	23	R	UCLA	D5-23
69	Cole Strange	OL	6-5	310	25	2	Chattanooga	D1-22
70	Jeremiah Pharms Jr.	DL	6-3	300	27	1	Friends	FA-23
71	Mike Onwenu	OL	6-3	350	25	4	Michigan	D6a-20
75	Conor McDermott	OL	6-8	310	31	7	UCLA	FA-22
77	Trent Brown	OL	6-8	370	30	9	Florida	TR (LV)-21
80	Kayshon Boutte	WR	6-0	197	21	R	Louisiana State	D6a-23
81	Demario Douglas	WR	5-8	192	22	R	Liberty	D6c-23
83	Jalen Reagor	WR	5-11	197	24	4	тси	FA-23
85	Hunter Henry	TE	6-5	258	28	8	Arkansas	UFA (LAC)-21
86	Pharaoh Brown	TE	6-5	246	29	6	Oregon	FA-23
88	Mike Gesicki	TE	6-6	245	28	6	Penn State	UFA (MIA)-23
90	Christian Barmore	DL	6-5	315	24	3	Alabama	D2-21
91	Deatrich Wise Jr.	DL	6-6	280	29	7	Arkansas	D4-17
92	Davon Godchaux	DL	6-3	330	29	7	Louisiana State	UFA (MIA)-21
93	Lawrence Guy Sr.	DL	6-4	315	33	13	Arizona State	UFA (BAL)-17
96	Sam Roberts	DL	6-5	300	25	2	Northwest Missouri St.	D6b-22
99	Keion White	DE	6-5	290	24	R	Georgia Tech	D2-23

# NAME	POS	HT	WT	AGE	YR	COLLEGE	HOW ACQ.
6 Malik Cunningham	QB	6-1	198	25	R	Louisville	FA-23
L9 Will Grier	QB	6-1	215	28	5	West Virginia	FA-23
24 Joshuah Bledsoe	S	5-11	207	24	3	Missouri	D6-21
35 Breon Borders	СВ	6-0	189	28	6	Duke	FA-23
36 Kevin Harris	RB	5-10	225	23	2	South Carolina	D6-22
12 Azizi Hearn	СВ	6-1	204	24	R	UCLA	FA-23
13 Calvin Munson	LB	6-0	240	28	5	San Diego State	FA-22
14 Joe Giles-Harris	LB	6-2	234	26	3	Duke	FA-23
17 Matthew Wright	к	5-11	174	27	3	Central Florida	FA-23
52 William Bradley-King	DE	6-4	248	25	3	Baylor	FA-23
54 Andrew Stueber	OL	6-6	318	24	2	Michigan	D7-22
55 James Ferentz	OL	6-2	290	34	8	Iowa	FA-17
56 Kody Russey	OL	6-2	295	25	2	Houston	FA-22
32 T.J. Luther	WR	5-11	189	23	R	Gardner-webb	FA_23
37 Matt Sokol	TE	6-5	258	28	1	Michigan State	CW (DET)-22
97 Trysten Hill	DL	6-3	310	25	5	Central Florida	FA-23

# N	NAME	POS	HT	WT	AGE	YR	COLLEGE	DATE
6 (	Christian Gonzalez	CB	6-2	205	21	R	Oregon	(10/7/23)
9 N	Matthew Judon	LB	6-3	270	31	8	Grand Valley State	(10/14/23)
25 M	Marcus Jones	DB	5-8	188	25	2	Houston	(9/22/23)
29 I	Isaiah Bolden	СВ	6-2	205	23	R	Jackson State	(8/29/23)
50 F	Raekwon McMillan	LB	6-2	250	28	7	Ohio State	(5/25/23)
72 1	Fyrone Wheatley Jr.	OL	6-6	320	26	1	Stony Brook	(10/14/23)
74 F	Riley Reiff	OL	6-6	310	35	12	Iowa	(10/21/23)
76 C	Calvin Anderson	OL	6-5	305	27	5	Texas	(11/3/23)
82 T	Fre Nixon	WR	6-2	190	25	1	Central Florida	(8/23/23)
84 H	Kendrick Bourne	WR	6-1	205	28	7	Eastern Washington	(10/31/23)
95 E	Daniel Ekuale	DL	6-3	310	29	5	Washington State	(9/26/23)

# **2023** POSITIONAL ROSTER

	V				December 4, 2	023		
					DEFENSE (2			
#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
DEFEN 90	ISIVE LINE (7) Barmore, Christian	DL	6-5	315	7/28/1999	3	Alabama	Philadelphia, Pa.
92	Godchaux, Davon	DL	6-3	330	11/11/1994	7	Louisiana State	Plaguemine, La.
93	Guy Sr., Lawrence	DL	6-4	315	3/17/1990	13	Arizona State	Las Vegas, Nev.
70	Pharms Jr., Jeremiah	DL	6-3	300	10/16/1996	1	Friends	Stockton, Calif.
96	Roberts, Sam	DL	6-5	300	4/14/1998	2	Northwest Missouri St.	Waynesville, Mo.
99	White, Keion	DE	6-5	290	1/20/1999	R	Georgia Tech	Garner, N.C.
91	Wise Jr., Deatrich	DL	6-6	280	7/26/1994	7	Arkansas	Carrollton, Texas
LINEB 8	ACKER (7) Bentley, Ja'Whaun	LB	6-2	250	8/24/1996	6	Purdue	Glenarden, Md.
45	Board, Chris	LB	6-2	230 244	7/23/1995	6	North Dakota State	Orlando, Fla.
33	Jennings, Anfernee	LB	6-3	255	5/1/1997	4	Alabama	Dadeville, Ala.
30	Mapu, Marte	LB	6-3	230	11/8/1999	R	Sacramento State	Hawthorne, Calif.
48	Tavai, Jahlani	LB	6-2	255	9/28/1996	5	Hawaii	Inglewood, Calif.
55	Uche, Josh	LB	6-3	240	9/18/1998	4	Michigan	Miami, Fla.
3	Wilson Sr., Mack	LB	6-1	246	2/141998	5	Alabama	Montgomery, Ala.
28	ISIVE BACK (11) Austin, Alex	DB	6-1	191	5/22/2001	R	Oregon State	Long Beach, Calif.
27	Bryant, Myles	DB	5-9	192	1/2/1998	4	Washington	Pasadena, Calif
22	Davis, Cody	DB	6-2	205	6/6/1989	. 11	Texas Tech	Stephenville, Texas
23	Dugger, Kyle	DB	6-2	222	3/22/1996	4	Lenoir-Rhyne	Decatur, Ga.
29	Jackson, J.C.	CB	6-1	198	11/17/1995	6	Maryland	Immokalee, Fla.
31	Jones, Jonathan	DB	5-10	185	9/20/1993	8	Auburn	Carrollton, Ga.
2	Mills, Jalen	DB	6-0	200	4/6/1994	8	Louisiana State	Dallas, Texas
5	Peppers, Jabrill	DB	5-11	217	10/4/1995	7	Michigan	Paramus, N.J.
21 41	Phillips, Adrian Schooler, Brenden	DB DB	5-11 6-1	208 210	3/28/1992 5/30/1997	10 2	Texas Texas	Garland, Texas Dana Point, Calif.
26	Wade, Shaun	CB	6-1	195	5/30/1997 9/16/1998	2	Ohio State	Jacksonville, Fla.
20	Wate, Shaan	CD	01	195	OFFENSE (2		onio state	Successfrance, Fig.
#	NAME	POS	HT	WТ	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
OFFEN	SIVE LINE (9)							
60	Andrews, David	С	6-3	300	7/10/1992	9	Georgia	Johns Creek, Ga.
67	Andrews, Jake	C	6-3	308	11/11/1999	R	Troy	Millbrook, Ala.
77 59	Brown, Trent Lowe, Vederian	OL OL	6-8 6-6	370 320	4/13/1993 4/17/1999	9 2	Florida Illinois	Albany, Ga. Rockford, III.
68	Mafi, Atonio	OL	6-3	330	10/20/2000	R	UCLA	Shoreview, Calif.
75	McDermott, Conor	OL	6-8	310	10/19/1992	7	UCLA	Nashville, Tenn.
71	Onwenu, Mike	OL	6-3	350	12/10/1997	4	Michigan	Detroit, Mich.
62	Sow, Sidy	OL	6-5	318	6/10/1998	R	Eastern Michigan	Bromont, Quebec
69	Strange, Cole	OL	6-5	310	7/31/1998	2	Chattanooga	Knoxville, Tenn.
	TERBACK (2)							
10	Jones, Mac	QB	6-3	220	9/5/1998	3	Alabama Wastern Kantusla	Jacksonville, Fla.
4 WIDE	Zappe, Bailey RECEIVER (7)	QB	6-1	215	4/26/1999	2	Western Kentucky	Victoria, Texas
80	Boutte, Kayshon	WR	6-0	197	5/7/2002	R	Louisiana State	New Iberia, La.
81	Douglas, Demario	WR	5-8	192	12/8/2000	R	Liberty	Jacksonville, Fla.
1	Parker, DeVante	WR	6-3	215	1/20/1993	9	Louisville	Louisville, Ky.
83	Reagor, Jalen	WR	5-11	197	1/2/1999	4	TCU	Waxahachie, Texas
18	Slater, Matthew	WR	6-0	205	9/9/1985	16	UCLA	Anaheim, Calif.
7	Smith-Schuster, JuJu	WR	6-1	215	11/22/1996	7	Southern California	Long Beach, Calif.
11 RUNN	Inornton, Tyquan ING BACK (4)	WR	6-2	185	8/7/2000	Z	Baylor	міаті, На.
15	Elliott, Ezekiel	RB	6-0	228	7/22/1995	8	Ohio State	St. Louis, Mo.
39	Hasty, JaMycal	RB	5-8	205	9/12/1996	4	Baylor	Longview, Texas
14	Montgomery II, Ty	RB	6-0	220	1/22/1993	9	Stanford	Dallas, Texas
38	Stevenson, Rhamondre	RB	6-0	227	2/23/1998	3	Oklahoma	Las Vegas, Nev.
	END (3)	TE	6 5	240	E/4/1004	c	Orogon	Lundburgt Obio
86 88	Brown, Pharaoh Gesicki, Mike	TE TE	6-5 6-6	246 245	5/4/1994 10/3/1995	6 6	Oregon Penn State	Lyndhurst, Ohio Stafford, N.J.
85	Henry, Hunter	TE	6-5	245 258	10/3/1995 12/7/1994	8	Arkansas	Little Rock, Ark.
					SPECIALISTS			
#	NAME	POS	HT	WТ	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
	ALISTS (3)							
17	Baringer, Bryce Cardona, Joe	P	6-3	215	4/26/1999	R	Michigan State	Pontiac, Mich. El Cajon, Calif.
49 37	Cardona, Joe Ryland, Chad	LS K	6-3 6-0	245 195	4/16/1992 10/15/1999	9 R	Navy Maryland	El Cajon, Calif. Lebanon, Pa.
57		N	55		SERVE/INJUR			
#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
RESER	VE/INJURED (11)							
76	Anderson, Calvin	OL	6-5	305	3/25/1996	5	Texas	Austin, Texas
29	Bolden, Isaiah	CB	6-2	205	12/16/1999	R	Jackson State	Tampa, Fla.
84 05	Bourne, Kendrick	WR	6-1	205	8/4/1995	7	Eastern Washington	Portland, Ore.
95 6	Ekuale, Daniel Gonzalez, Christian	DL CB	6-3 6-2	310 205	1/13/1994 6/28/2002	5 R	Washington State Oregon	Pago Pago, American Samoa The Colony, Texas
25	Jones, Marcus	DB	6-2 5-8	205 188	6/28/2002 10/22/1998	к 2	Houston	Enterprise, Ala.
25	Judon, Matthew	LB	5-8 6-3	270	8/15/1998	2	Grand Valley State	West Bloomfield, Mich.
50	McMillan, Raekwon	LB	6-2	250	11/17/1995	7	Ohio State	Hinesville, Ga.
82	Nixon, Tre	WR	6-2	190	1/26/1998	1	Central Florida	Viera, Fla.
74	Reiff, Riley	OL	6-6	310	12/1/1988	12	Iowa	Parkston, S.D.
72	Wheatley Jr., Tyrone	OL	6-6	320	2/4/1997	1	Stony Brook	Buffalo, N.Y.



# How The Patriots Were Built

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0. 2/11 22	December 4, 2025		WAIVERS (1) /	<b>ROOKIE AND FIRST-YEAR</b>
<u>YEAR</u> 2008	DRAFTEES (24) Matthew Slater (5)	<u>VETERAN FREE AGENTS (16)</u>		FREE AGENTS (6)
2015	Joe Cardona (5)			David Andrews (fa)
2016				Jonathan Jones (fa)
2017	Deatrich Wise Jr. (4)	Lawrence Guy Sr. (7) (GB)		
2018	Ja'Whaun Bentley (5)			
2020	Kyle Dugger (2a) Josh Uche (2b) Anfernee Jennings (3a) Mike Onwenu (6a)	Cody Davis (fa) (STL) Adrian Phillips (fa) (SD)		Myles Bryant (fa)
2021	Mac Jones (1) Christian Barmore (2) Rhamondre Stevenson (4)	Davon Godchaux (5) (MIA) Hunter Henry (2) (LAC) Jalen Mills (7) (PHI) Jahlani Tavai (2) (DET)	Trent Brown (7) (tr-LV) Shaun Wade (5) (tr-BAL)	
2022	Cole Strange (1) Tyquan Thornton (2) Bailey Zappe (4c) Sam Roberts (6b)	Conor McDermott (6) (NE) Ty Montgomery (3) (GB) Jabrill Peppers (1) (CLE)	DeVante Parker (1) (tr-MIA) Mack Wilson Sr. (5) (tr-CLE)	Jeremiah Pharms Jr. (fa) Brenden Schooler (fa)
2023	Keion White (2) Marte Mapu (3) Jake Andrews (4a) Chad Ryland (4b) Sidy Sow (4c) Atonio Mafi (5) Kayshon Boutte (6a) Bryce Baringer (6b) Demario Douglas (6c)	Chris Board (fa) (BAL) Pharaoh Brown (fa) (OAK) Ezekiel Elliott (1) (DAL) Mike Gesicki (2) (MIA) Jalen Reagor (1) (PHI) JuJu Smith-Schuster (2) (PIT)	JaMycal Hasty (fa) (CW-JAX) J.C. Jackson (fa) (tr-LAC) Vederian Lowe (6) (tr-MIN)	Alex Austin (7) (BUF)
(#) – indica	im in parenthesis is the playe ates round drafted ates non-drafted free agents	-	<b>RESERVE/INJURED</b> Calvin Anderson (fa) (NE) Isaiah Bolden (7) Kendrick Bourne (fa) (SF) Daniel Ekuale (fa) (CLE) Christian Gonzalez (1) Marcus Jones (3) Matthew Judon (5) (BAL) Raekwon McMillan (2) (MIA) Riley Reiff (1) (DET) Tre Nixon (7) Tyrone Wheatley (fa) (tr-CLE)	

# UNDFFICIAL DEPTH CHART

### Unofficial depth chart compiled by Patriots Media Relations

		OFFENSE		
WR:	1 DeVante Parker	83 Jalen Reagor	<u>80</u> Kayshon Boutte 18 Matthew Slater	
· <del>•</del> •	77 Trent Drews	75 Conor McDormoth	-	
LT:	77 Trent Brown	75 Conor McDermott	59 Vederian Lowe	
LG:	69 Cole Strange	<u>68</u> <u>Atonio Mafi</u>		
C:	60 David Andrews	67 Jake Andrews		
RG:	62 Sidy Sow	<u>68</u> <u>Atonio Mafi</u>		
RT:	71 Mike Onwenu	59 Vederian Lowe		
TE:	85 Hunter Henry	88 Mike Gesicki	86 Pharaoh Brown	
WR:	7 JuJu Smith-Schuster	11 Tyquan Thornton	81 Demario Douglas	
QB:	4 Bailey Zappe	10 Mac Jones		
RB:	15 Ezekiel Elliott	14 Ty Montgomery II		
RB:	38 Rhamondre Stevensor	,		
LE:	91 Deatrich Wise Jr.	<b>DEFENSE</b> 96 Sam Roberts		
DL:	92 Davon Godchaux	70 Jeremiah Pharms Jr.		
DL:	90 Christian Barmore	<u>99 Keion White</u>		
RE:	93 Lawrence Guy Sr.	99 Keion White		
LB:	-	55 Josh Uche	45 Chris Board	
LB:	33 Anfernee Jennings		45 CHIIS BOAIU	
	8 Ja'Whaun Bentley	3 Mack Wilson Sr.		
LB:	48 Jahlani Tavai	<u>30 Marte Mapu</u>		
LCB:	31 Jonathan Jones	26 Shaun Wade	20 Alox Austin	
ксы: S:	29 J.C. Jackson 23 Kyle Dugger	27 Myles Bryant 21 Adrian Phillips	<u>28</u> <u>Alex Austin</u> 41 Brenden Schooler	
S:	5 Jabrill Peppers	2 Jalen Mills	22 Cody Davis	
5.		SPECIAL TEAMS	22 Cody Davis	
К:	37 Chad Ryland			
P:	17 Bryce Baringer			
H:	17 Bryce Baringer			
PR:	81 Demario Douglas	5 Jabrill Peppers		
KR:	14 Ty Montgomery II	27 Myles Bryant		
LS:	49 Joe Cardona			
During	Designer	PRONUNICATION GUI		
-	Baringer naun Bentley	BEAR-ringer ja-WHAN	Jabrill Peppers Jalen Reagor	juh-BRILL RAY-gur
	ion Boutte	KAY-shawn BOO-tee	Chad Ryland	RYE-lind
	ardona	car-DOAN-a	Sidy Sow	sih-TEE sew
	Gesicki	guh-SICK-ee	Rhamondre Stevenson	ruh-MON-dray
	n Godchaux	duh-VAHN GOD-chaw JUH-michael	Jahlani Tavai Tyquan Thornton	ja-LAN-EE TAH-vie tie-QUAN
Atonic	cal Hasty o Mafi	MA-fee	Josh Uche	00-chay
	Mapu	mar-TAY mah-PU	Deatrich Wise Jr.	DEE-tritch
Jalen		JAY-lin	Bailey Zappe	ZAPP-ee
Mike	Onwenu	oh-WHEN-new		
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## **2023 TRANSACTIONS**

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#### JAI

JANUARY 2023		
1/10/2023	Hall, Terez	Signed to a future contract
1/10/2023 1/10/2023	Hawkins, Brad Howerton, Hayden	Signed to a future contract Signed to a future contract
	Mosely, Quandre	Signed to a future contract
1/10/2023 1/10/2023	Munson, Calvin Nixon, Tre	Signed to a future contract Signed to a future contract
1/10/2023	Pharms Jr., Jeremiah	Signed to a future contract
1/10/2023 1/10/2023	Ray, LaBryan Sokol, Matt	Signed to a future contract Signed to a future contract
1/10/2023	Taylor, J.J.	Signed to a future contract
1/10/2023 1/12/2023	Washington, Scotty Randle Jr., Rodney	Signed to a future contract Signed to a future contract
1/18/2023	Fatukasi, Olakunle	Signed to a future contract
1/24/2023 1/30/2023	Murray, Bill Bowden Jr., Lynn	Signed to a future contract Signed to a future contract
FEBRUARY 2023		
2/15/2023	Hayes, Tae	Released
2/15/2023 2/15/2023	Nordin, Quinn Wilkerson, Kristian	Released Released
2/17/2023	Ray, LaBryan	Released
MARCH 2023		
3/3/2023 3/10/2023	Howerton, Hayden McCourty, Devin	Released Reserve/Retired
	Bailey, Jake	Released
3/15/2023	Smith, Jonnu Andorson, Calvin	Traded to Atlanta Signed
3/16/2023 3/16/2023	Anderson, Calvin Hoyer, Brian	Released
	Peppers, Jabrill	Re-signed
3/17/2023 3/17/2023	Robinson, James Smith-Schuster, JuJu	Signed Signed
3/20/2023	Gesicki, Mike	Signed
3/20/2023 3/20/2023	Reiff, Riley Wilson Sr., Mack	Signed Re-signed
3/21/2023	Cardona, Joe	Re-signed
3/21/2023	Davis, Cody Board, Chris	Re-signed Signed
3/23/2023	Ekuale, Daniel	Re-signed
3/23/2023	Waitman, Corliss	Signed
APRIL 2023 4/5/2023	Cajuste, Yodny	Re-signed
4/13/2023	McSorley, Trace	Signed
4/17/2023 4/27/2023	Bryant, Myles Gonzalez, Christian	Re-signed Drafted
4/28/2023	White, Keion	Drafted
	Mapu, Marte Andrews, Jake	Drafted Drafted
4/29/2023	Ryland, Chad	Drafted
4/29/2023 4/29/2023	Sow, Sidy Mafi, Atonio	Drafted Drafted
4/29/2023	Boutte, Kayshon	Drafted
4/29/2023 4/29/2023	Baringer, Bryce Douglas, Demario	Drafted Drafted
4/29/2023	Speed, Ameer	Drafted
4/29/2023	Bolden, Isaiah	Drafted
MAY 2023 5/9/2023	Hayes, Tae	Signed
5/10/2023	Bowden Jr., Lynn	Released
5/12/2023 5/12/2023	Ryland, Chad Sow, Sidy	Signed/Draft Choice Signed/Draft Choice
5/12/2023	Mafi, Atonio	Signed/Draft Choice
5/12/2023 5/12/2023	Boutte, Kayshon Baringer, Bryce	Signed/Draft Choice Signed/Draft Choice
5/12/2023	Douglas, Demario	Signed/Draft Choice
5/12/2023 5/12/2023	Speed, Ameer Bolden, Isaiah	Signed/Draft Choice Signed/Draft Choice
5/12/2023	Cunningham, Malik	Signed
5/12/2023 5/12/2023	Heilig, Jourdan Lumpkin, Johnny	Signed Signed
5/18/2023	Cajuste, Yodny	Released
5/19/2023 5/24/2023	Tavai, Justus Andrews, Jake	Signed Signed/Draft Choice
5/25/2023	Firkser, Anthony	Signed
5/25/2023	McMillan, Raekwon	Placed on Reserve/Injured
JUNE 2023 6/2/2023	Tavai, Justus	Released
6/5/2023	Lee, Ed	Signed
6/12/2023 6/12/2023	Tavia, Justus Hayes, Tae	Signed Released
6/12/2023	Robinson, James	Released
6/12/2023	Mapu, Marte	Signed/Draft Choice
JULY 2023	Controlor Chairt	Cianad/Durth Chai
7/21/2023 7/21/2023	Gonzalez, Christian White, Keion	Signed/Draft Choice Signed/Draft Choice
7/24/2023	Fagot, Diego	Signed
7/25/2023	Hurd, Jalen	Signed
AUGUST 2023 8/1/2023	Pitts, Thyrick	Claimed off Waivers (Chicago)
8/1/2023	Hurd, Jalen	Reserve/Retired
8/2/2023 8/3/2023	Lee, Ed Hall, Terez	Released Released
8/8/2023	Flowers, Trey	Signed
8/10/2023 8/12/2023	Giles-Harris, Joe Marable, C.J.	Signed Signed
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AUGUST 2023	(Continued)	
8/12/2023	Vanterpool, Micah	Signed
8/12/2023	Fatukasi, Olakunle	Released
8/12/2023 8/15/2023	Heilig, Jourdan Wells, Carson	Released Signed
8/15/2023	Addington, Tucker	Released
8/15/2023 8/16/2023	Mitchell, DaMarcus Elliott, Ezekiel	Released Signed
8/22/2023	McCall, Marquan	Claimed off Waivers (Carolina)
8/22/2023 8/23/2023	Nixon, Tre McCall, Marquan	Released Released
8/23/2023	Nixon, Tre	Placed on Reseve/Injured
8/27/2023 8/27/2023	Wheatley Jr., Tyrone Strong Jr., Pierre	Acquired Via Trade (Cleveland) Traded to Cleveland
8/27/2023	Davis Jr., Carl	Released
8/27/2023	Fagot, Diego Hawkins, Brad	Released
8/27/2023 8/27/2023	Lumpkin, Johnny	Released Released
8/27/2023	Marable, C.J.	Released
8/27/2023 8/27/2023	Mosely, Quandre Randle Jr., Rodney	Released Released
8/27/2023	Tavai, Justus	Released
8/27/2023 8/27/2023	Vanterpool, Micah Washington, Scotty	Released Released
8/27/2023	Wells, Carson	Released
8/28/2023 8/28/2023	Lowe, Vederian McSorley	Acquired Via Trade (Minnesota) Released
8/28/2023	Waitman, Corliss	Released
8/29/2023 8/29/2023	Folk, Nick Boldon, Isaiah	Traded to Tennessee Placed on Reserve/Injured
8/29/2023	Bolden, Isaiah McDermott, Conor	Placed on Reserve/Injured
8/29/2023	Davis, Cody	Placed on Reserve/PUP List
8/29/2023 8/29/2023	Flowers, Trey Bledsoe, Joshuah	Placed on Reserve/PUP List Released
8/29/2023	Cunningham, Malik	Released
8/29/2023 8/29/2023	Ferentz, James Firkser, Anthony	Released Released
8/29/2023	Giles-Harris, Joe	Released
8/29/2023 8/29/2023	Harris, Kevin Hines Chasen	Released Released
8/29/2023	Montgomery II, Ty	Released
8/29/2023 8/29/2023	Munson, Calvin Murray, Bill	Released Released
8/29/2023	Perkins, Ronnie	Released
8/29/2023 8/29/2023	Pharms Jr. Jeremiah Pitts, Thyrick	Released Released
8/29/2023	Russey, Kody	Released
8/29/2023 8/29/2023	Sokol, Matt Stueber, Andrew	Released Released
8/29/2023	Taylor, J.J.	Released
8/29/2023 8/29/2023	Webb, Raleigh Zappe, Bailey	Released Released
8/30/2023	Bledsoe, Joshuah	Signed to the practice squad
8/30/2023	Brown, Pharaoh	Signed to the practice squad
8/30/2023 8/30/2023	Cunningham, Malik Ferentz, James	Signed to the practice squad Signed to the practice squad
8/30/2023 8/30/2023	Giles-Harris, Joe Harris, Kevin	Signed to the practice squad Signed to the practice squad
8/30/2023	Montgomery II, Ty	Signed to the practice squad
8/30/2023	Munson, Calvin	Signed to the practice squad
8/30/2023 8/30/2023	Perkins, Ronnie Pitts, Thyrick	Signed to the practice squad Signed to the practice squad
8/30/2023	Russey, Kody	Signed to the practice squad
8/30/2023 8/30/2023	Sokol, Matt Stueber, Andrew	Signed to the practice squad Signed to the practice squad
8/30/2023	Waitman, Corliss	Signed to the practice squad
8/30/2023 8/31/2023	Zappe, Bailey Corral, Matt	Claimed off Waivers (Carolina)
8/31/2023	Thornton, Tyquan	Placed on Reserve/Injured
SEPTEMBER 2023		
9/1/2023 9/1/2023	Luther, T.J. Reagon Jalen	Signed to the practice squad
9/1/2023	Reagor, Jalen Pitts, Thyrick	Signed to the practice squad Released from the practice squad
9/4/2023	Brown, Pharaoh	Signed from the practice squad
9/4/2023 9/4/2023	Pharms Jr. Jeremiah Reiff, Riley	Signed to the practice squad Placed on Reserve/Injured
9/8/2023	McDermott, Conor	Released from Reserve/Injured
9/9/2023 9/9/2023	Montgomery II, Ty Zappe, Bailey	Signed from the practice squad Signed from the practice squad
9/9/2023	Zappe, Bailey Corral, Matt	Placed on Exempt/Left Squad
9/9/2023 9/9/2023	Jones, Jack Munson, Calvin	Placed on Reserve/Injured Elevated to the active roster
9/12/2023	Munson, Calvin	Reverted back to the practice squad
9/13/2023 9/13/2023	Book, Ian Hooper, William	Signed to the practice squad Signed to the practice squad
9/16/2023	Munson, Calvin	Elevated to the active roster
9/16/2023 9/18/2023	Reagor, Jalen Munson, Calvin	Elevated to the active roster Reverted back to the practice squad
9/18/2023	Reagor, Jalen	Reverted back to the practice squad
9/18/2023 9/18/2023	Book, Ian Corral, Matt	Released from the practice squad Released
9/21/2023	Borders, Breon	Signed to the practice squad
9/21/2023 9/23/2023	Hearn, Azizi Grier, Will	Signed to the practice squad Signed from Cincinati practice squad
9/23/2023	Jones, Marcus	Placed on Reserve/Injured
9/26/2023 9/26/2023	Ekuale, Daniel Hooper, William	Placed on Reserve/Injured Released from the practice squad
9/27/2023	Jones, Manny	Signed to the practice squad
9/30/2023	Pharms Jr. Jeremiah	Elevated to the active roster
OCTOBER 2023 10/2/2023	Pharms Jr. Jeremiah	Reverted back to the practice squad
10/2/2023		



## **2023 TRANSACTIONS**

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OCTOBER 2023	(Continued)	
10/4/2023	Hill, Trysten	Signed to the practice squad
10/4/2023	Waitman, Corliss	Released from the practice squad
10/5/2023	Jackson, J.C.	Acquired Via Trade (LA Chargers)
10/7/2023	Reiff, Riley	Activated to the 53-man roster
10/7/2023	Pharms Jr., Jeremiah	Elevated to the active roster
10/7/2023	Gonzalez, Christian	Placed on Reserve/Injured
10/9/2023	Pharms Jr., Jeremiah	Reverted back to the practice squad
10/14/2023	Judon, Matthew	Placed on Reserve/Injured
10/14/2023	Wheatley Jr., Tyrone	Placed on Reserve/Injured
10/14/2023	Thornton, Tyquan	Activated to the 53-man roster
10/14/2023	Cunningham, Malik	Signed from the practice squad
10/14/2023	Pharms Jr., Jeremiah	Elevated to the active roster
10/14/2023	Reagor, Jalen	Elevated to the active roster
10/16/2023	Pharms Jr., Jeremiah	Reverted back to the practice squad
10/16/2023	Reagor, Jalen	Reverted back to the practice squad
10/17/2023	McDermott, Conor	Signed to the practice squad
10/18/2023	Bradley-King, William	Signed to the practice squad
10/18/2023	Taylor, Patrick	Signed to the practice squad
10/18/2023	Jones, Manny	Released from the practice squad
10/18/2023	Luther, T.J.	Released from the practice squad
10/19/2023	Speed, Ameer	Released
10/21/2023	Davis, Cody	Activated to the 53-man roster
10/21/2023	Jones, Jack	Activated to the 53-man roster
10/21/2023	Reiff, Riley	Placed on Reserve/Injured
10/21/2023	Hill, Trysten	Elevated to the active roster
10/21/2023	Reagor, Jalen	Elevated to the active roster
10/23/2023	Hill, Trysten	Reverted back to the practice squad
10/23/2023	Reagor, Jalen	Reverted back to the practice squad
10/24/2023	Cunningham, Malik	Released
10/24/2023	Flowers, Trey	Released
10/26/2023	Reagor, Jalen	Signed from the practice squad
10/26/2023	Cunningham, Malik	Signed to the practice squad
10/28/2023	McDermott, Conor	Elevated to the active roster
10/30/2023	McDermott, Conor	Reverted back to the practice squad
10/31/2023	Bourne, Kendrick	Placed on Reserve/Injured
NOVEMBER 2023		
11/2/2023	Austin, Alex	Signed
11/3/2023	Anderson, Calvin	Placed on Reserve/Injured
11/4/2023	Pharms Jr., Jeremiah	Signed from the practice squad
11/4/2023	McDermott, Conor	Elevated to the active roster
11/6/2027	McDermott, Conor	Reverted back to the practice squad
11/7/2023	Luther, T.J.	Signed to the practice squad
11/11/2023	McDermott, Conor	Elevated to the active roster
11/11/2023	Munson, Calvin	Elevated to the active roster
11/13/2023	McDermott, Conor	Reverted back to the practice squad
11/13/2023	Munson, Calvin	Reverted back to the practice squad
11/13/2023	Jones, Jack	Released
11/13/2023	Hasty, JaMycal	Claimed off Waivers (Jacksonville)
11/25/2023	McDermott, Conor	Signed from the practice squad
11/25/2023	Grier, Will	Released
11/29/2023	Grier Will	Signed to the practice squad

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#### DECEMBER 2023

11/29/2023 11/29/2023

11/30/2023 11/30/2023

Cunningham, Malik 12/2/2023 12/3/2023 Cunningham, Malik

Grier, Will Sexton, Mathew

Wright, Matthew Sexton, Mathew

Elevated to the active roster Reverted back to the practice squad

# **RIOTS** AT PITTSBURGH STEELERS



The Patriots and Steelers will meet for the second straight season and for the second straight year in Pittsburgh when they play this Thursday hight. Over the last seven regular season matchups between the two teams, the Patriots are 6-1. The only other Thursday matchup between the teams was on Sept. 10, 2015, when the Patriots won, 28-21, in a Thursday Kickoff Celebration game following the Patriots win in Super Bowl XLIX.

This week's matchup will mark the 35th meeting overall. Pittsburgh leads the regular season series by a 15-14 margin, while New England leads 4-1 in the postseason. The Patriots are 4-1 against Pittsburgh in prime time games with a 1-1 record on Monday Night Football, 2-0 record on Sunday Night Football and a 1-0 record on Thursday Night Football. The Patriots only prime time game at Pittsburgh was a Sunday Night Football Game on Nov. 14, 2010, a 39-26 New England win.

The teams played in the AFC Championship Game during the 2001, '04 and '16 playoffs, with the Patriots winning each time, en route to Super Bowl titles. The teams also met in the 1996 and '97 Divisional Playoffs. The Patriots defeated Pittsburgh, 28-3, at Foxboro Stadium en route to their Super Bowl XXXI appearance. Pittsburgh beat New England the following season, 7-6, at Three Rivers Stadium.

The Patriots are 9-11 in road games against Pittsburgh in the regular season, including a 5-3 record at newly named Acrisure Stadium. The Patriots are 2-0 against Pittsburgh in the postseason on the road with two AFC Championship wins.

The Patriots first regular season home game at Gillette Stadium was the 2002 season-opening 28-21 win on Sept. 9, 2002, against Pittsburgh

#### **REGULAR SEASON • STEELERS 15. PATRIOTS 14**

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DATE	RESULT	SCORE	H/A	STADIUM
10/22/72	L	3-33	Α	Three Rivers Stadium
12/08/74	L	17-21	Н	Schaefer Stadium
09/26/76	W	30-27	Α	Three Rivers Stadium
09/03/79	L	13-16	Н	Schaefer Stadium
09/27/81	L	21-27	Α	Three Rivers Stadium
12/26/82	L	14-37	Α	Three Rivers Stadium
09/25/83	W	28-23	Α	Three Rivers Stadium
10/19/86	W	34-0	Α	Three Rivers Stadium
12/17/89	L	10-28	А	Three Rivers Stadium
12/09/90	L	3-24	А	Three Rivers Stadium
09/15/91	L	6-20	А	Three Rivers Stadium
12/05/93	L	14-17	А	Three Rivers Stadium
12/16/95	L	27-41	А	Three Rivers Stadium
12/13/97	L	21-24	Н	Foxboro Stadium
12/06/98	W	23-9	А	Three Rivers Stadium
09/09/02	W	30-14	Н	Gillette Stadium
10/31/04	L	20-34	А	Heinz Field
09/25/05	W	23-20	А	Heinz Field
12/09/07	W	34-13	Н	Gillette Stadium
11/30/08	L	10-33	Н	Gillette Stadium
11/14/10	W	39-26	А	Heinz Field
10/30/11	L	17-25	А	Heinz Field
11/03/13	W	55-31	Н	Gillette Stadium
09/10/15	W	28-21	Н	Gillette Stadium
10/23/16	W	27-16	А	Heinz Field
12/17/17	W	27-24	А	Heinz Field
12/16/18	L	10-17	Α	Heinz Field
09/08/19	W	33-3	Н	Gillette Stadium
09/18/22	W	17-14	Α	Acrisure Stadium

#### **PLAYOFFS • PATRIOTS 4. STEELERS 1**

DATE	RESU	LT SCORE	H/A	STADIUM
01/05/97*	W	28-3	н	Foxboro Stadium
01/03/98*	L	6-7	А	Three Rivers Stadium
01/27/02^	W	24-17	А	Heinz Field
01/23/05^	W	41-27	А	Heinz Field
01/22/17^	W	36-17	н	Gillette Stadium
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Divisional Playoffs ^-AFC Championship Game

#### **QUICK HITS**

Overall Record (INCLUDES POSTSEASON)	18-16
Home Record	
Gillette Stadium	6-1
Foxboro Stadium	1-3
Road Record	11-12
Heinz/Acrisure Field	7-3
Three Rivers Stadium	4-9
Bill Belichick vs. Pittsburgh 16-12 (13-4 with New I	England)
Mike Tomlin vs. New England	3-9

#### PATS AND STEELERS AT THE TOP

The Patriots and Steelers are at the top of the NFL charts in several categories since the 1994 season.

#### **TOTAL VICTORIES SINCE 1994 (Incl. Postseason)**

New England Patriots	
Green Bay Packers	
Pittsburgh Steelers	

#### **SUPER BOWL CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994**

New England Patriots6	,
Denver Broncos	5
Baltimore Ravens 2	
Pittsburgh Steelers 2	
Green Bay Packers	
Kansas City Chiefs 2	
os Angeles Rams 2	
N.Y. Giants	
Fampa Bay Buccaneers.   2	

#### **CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994**

New England Patriots	10
Pittsburgh Steelers	. 4
Denver Broncos	. 4
Los Angeles Rams	. 4

#### **PLAYOFF VICTORIES SINCE 1994**

New England Patriots
Green Bay Packers
Pittsburgh Steelers

#### **DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994**

New England Patriots19
Green Bay Packers15
Pittsburgh Steelers





#### TALE OF THE TAPE

2023 Regular Season	New England	Pittsburgh
Record	2-10	7-5
Divisional Standings	4th	3rd
Total Yards Gained	3,485	3,539
Total Offense (Rank)	290.4 (28)	294.9 (25)
Rush Offense	103.7 (22)	115.3 (14)
Pass Offense	186.8 (23)	179.6 (28)
Points Per Game	12.3 (32)	16.0 (28)
Total Yards Allowed	3,726	4,180
Total Defense (Rank)	310.5 (8)	348.3 (22)
Rush Defense	88.7 (4)	121.0 (22)
Pass Defense	221.8 (16)	227.3 (19)
Points Allowed/Game	21.2 (16)	19.1 (6)
Possession Avg.	28:11	28:42
Sacks Allowed/Yards Lost	30/178	25/188
Sacks Made/Yards	24/153	34/210
Total Touchdowns Scored	16	18
Penalties Against/Yards	68/492	69/597
Punts/Avg.	63/47.6	67/44.7
Turnover Differential	-9 (31)	+10 (2T

#### LAST REGULAR-SEASON MEETING: PATRIOTS 17, STEELERS 14

#### SEPTEMBER 18, 2022 · ACRISURE STADIUM

	1	2	3	4	SCORE
New England	3	7	7	0	17
Pittsburgh	0	3	3	8	14

#### SCORING SUMMARY

First Quarter: NE: N.Folk 28 yd. Field Goal (13-71, 6:45)

#### Second Quarter:

PIT: C.Boswell 36 yd. Field Goal (16-48, 7:07) NE: N.Agholor 44 yd. pass from M.Jones (N.Folk kick) (8-74, 2:46)

#### Third Quarter:

PIT: C.Boswell 52 yd. Field Goal (7-25, 3:33) NE: D.Harris 2 yd. run (N.Folk kick) (3-10, 1:11)

#### Fourth Quarter:

PIT: Freiermuth 8 yd. pass from M.Trubisky (M.Trubisky-D.Johnson) (9-75, 2:49)

TEAM STATISTICS	NE	PITT
First Downs	18	16
Rushes-Yds (Net)	31-124	22-91
Passing Yds (Net)	252	152
Passes Comp-Att-Int	35-21-1	33-21-1
Total Offense Plays-Yds	66-376	58-243
Fumble Returns-Yards	1-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	3-22	1-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-85	0-0
Interception Returns-Yards	1-13	1-13
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-41.5	4-51.8
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	7-55	3-20
Possession Time	33:36	26:24
Third-Down Conversions	9-17	8-15
Fourth-Down Conversions	0-0	1-3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-3	1-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	3-16	0-0
Attendance: 67,307		

RUSHING: NE - D.Harris 15-71-1 TD, R.Stevenson 8-47, M.Jones 7-6. PITT - N.Harris 15-49, G.Olsewski 1-18, J.Warren 4-15, M.Trubisky 1-7, D.Watt 1-2. PASSING: NE - M.Jones 35-21-252 1 TD/1 INT. PITT -M.Trubisky 33-21-168 1 TD/1 INT.

**RECEIVING: NE** - J.Meyers 9-95, N.Agholor 6-110-1 TD, K.Bourne 2-16, D.Harris 2-16, L.Humphrey 1-11, R.Stevenson 1-4. **PITT** - D.Johnson 6-57, N.Harris 5-40, C.Claypool 4-26, P.Freiermuth 4-22-1 TD, G. Pickens 1-23, J.Warren 1-0.

# **PATRIOTS** AT PITTSBURGH STEELERS

#### FORMER COLLEGE CONNECTIONS

		FOR	MER COLLEGE TEAMI	MATES			
	А	NE NE NE NE NE NE	DT Christian Barmore LB Anfernee Jennings QB Mac Jones LB Mack Wilson Sr. ST Asst. Joe Houston RB Coach Vinnie Sunseri	2018-20 2015-19 2018-20 2016-2018 2019 2011-13, 2019	M	NE NE PIT PIT	K Chad Ryland CB J.C. Jackson RB Anthony McFarland Jr. WR Jacob Copeland
		PIT PIT PIT PIT	S Minkah Fitzpatrick RB Najee Harris CB Levi Wallace DL Coach Karl Dunbar	2017-13, 2019 2015-17 2017-20 2015-17 2016-17	M	NE NE NE NE PIT	OL Mike Onwenu DB Jabrill Peppers OL Andrew Stueber LB Josh Uche OT Tyrone Wheatley Jr. C Mason Cole
	*	NE PIT	DL Deatrich Wise Jr. DT Jonathan Marshall	2012-16 2016-20		NE PIT	TE Matt Sokol TE/FB Connor Heyward
	æ	NE PIT	DB Jonathan Jones DT Montravius Adams	2012-15 2013-16			
50° 3	馰	NE NE NE PIT	WR Tyquan Thornton DL Will Bradley-King RB JaMycal Hasty S Henry Black	2018-21 2020 2015-19 2015-19	٢	NE NE PIT PIT PIT	Off. Coord. Bill O'Brien TE Coach Will Lawing Coaching Asst/Def. V'Angelo Bentley TE Pat Freiermuth CB Joey Porter Jr. WR Allen Robinson
		PIT PIT	WR Coach Frisman Jackson Off. Asst. Glenn Thomas	2020-21 2017-19			
	۲	NE NE NE PIT	OL Trent Brown CB J.C. Jackson QB Will Grier S Keanu Neal	2013-14 2015 2014-15 2013-15	<b>₽</b> -	NE PIT	LB Calvin Munson S Damontae Kazee
	05,720**	NE		2021-22	œ	NE PIT	RB Kevin Harris CB Darius Rush
	Gr	PIT	LB Tariq Carpenter	2017-21			
	щ	NE NE PIT	DB Marcus Jones OL Kody Russey Secondary Coach Grady Brown	2019-21 2021 2021	Ucla	NE PIT	OL Coach Adrian Klemm LB Myles Jack
	LSU	NE NE PIT PIT	DL Davon Godchaux DB Jalen Mills LB Kwon Alexander NT Breiden Fehoko	2014-16 2012-15 2012-14 2017-19			
	4	NE PIT PIT	QB Malik Cunningham WR Dez Fitzpatrick Secondary Coach Grady Brown	2017-22 2016-20 2018			

2022 2016-17 2017-19 2022

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2014-18 2017-21

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2019-21 2018-20 2019-22 2011-13

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2019-21 2018-22

2012-16 2013-15

# **PATRIOTS** AT PITTSBURGH STEELERS

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			FORM		CONNECTIONS	
Α	RIZONA	A CA	RDINALS		JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS	
CB Breon Borders DL Trysten Hill	2021 2022		LB Markus Golden 2015 CB Luq Barcoo	-18, 20-22 2021	DB Cody Davis2018-19LS Christian Kuntz2018DL Daniel Ekuale2020CB Luq Barcoo2020TE Matt Sokol2019, '21LB Myles Jack2016-21LB Joe Giles-Harris2019-20CH LE ES	
OL Conor McDermott DB Alex Austin	2017-19 2023	، چ	B Levi Wallace	2018-21	WR JuJu Smith-Schuster 2022 CB Luq Barcoo 2022	
В	ALTIMO	D R E	RAVENS		LOS ANGELES CHARGERS	
Lawrence Guy LB Chris Board LB Matthew Judon WR Ty Montgomery II	2014-16 2018-21 2016-20 2018	14-	WR Miles Boykin Def. QC Jason Brooks	2019-21 2021-22	CB J.C. Jackson2022-23NT Breiden Fehoko2020-22TE Hunter Henry2016-20OL Coach Pat Meyer2017-19DB Adrian Phillips2014-192019	
C A QB Will Grier	<b>A R O L I N</b> 2019-20	R	ANTHERS WR Coach Frisman Jackson OL Coach Pat Meyer	2020-21 2020-21	MIAMI DOLPHINS         TE Mike Gesicki       2018-22       S Minkah Fitzpatrick       2018-19         DL Davon Godchaux       2017-20       LB Elandon Roberts       2020-22         LB Raekwon McMillan       2017-19       S Eric Rowe       2019-22         LB Calvin Munson       2019-21       DBs Coach Gerald Alexander       2020-21	
OL Riley Reiff	<b>CHICA</b> 2022	GOE	B E A R S DE Armon Watts	2022	WR DeVante Parker 2015-21	
CB Breon Borders	2022	C	WR Kellen Diesch	2022-23	MINNESOTA         VIKINGS           OL Riley Reiff         2017-20         CB Chandon Sullivan         2022           WR Jalen Reagor         2022         DE Armon Watts         2019-21           OT Vederian Lowe         2022         DE Armon Watts         2019-21	
OL Riley Reiff	2021		DT Larry Ogunjobi	2021	NEW ODLEANS CAINTS	
			DT Renell Wren	2019-21	NEW ORLEANS SAINTS           WR Ty Montgomery II 2020-21         DT Montravius Adams 2021           LB Kwon Alexander 2020-21	
TE Pharaoh Brown DL Daniel Ekuale DB Jabrill Peppers LB Mack Wilson Sr.	2019, 22 2018-19 2017-18 2019-22	<b>,</b>	DT Larry Ogunjobi DB Trenton Thompson	2017-20 2018	NEWYORK GIANTS         LB Calvin Munson         DB Jabrill Peppers         Asst. HC Joe Judge         2020-21         LB Calvin Munson         2019-20         LB Markus Golden`         2020-21         LB Blake Martinez         QBs Coach Mike Sullivan         2015-17	
	DALLAS		NBOYS		NEW YORK JETS           WR Ty Montgomery II 2019         RB Godwin Igwebuike 2019	
RB Ezekiel Elliott DL Tysten Hill QB Will Grier	2016-22 2019-22 2021-22	$\star$	S Damontae Kazee S Keanu Neal RB Qadree Ollison	2021 2021 2022	PHILADELPHIA EAGLES	
LB Jahlani Tavai OL Riley Reiff TE Matt Sokol	<b>DETRO</b> 2019-20 2012-16 2020, 22		. I O N S Asst. S&C Rodain Delus S Miles Killebrew Def. Coord Teryl Austin	2017 2016-20 2014-17	DB Jalen Mills 2016-20 WR Jalen Reagor 2020-22 G G Nate Herbig 2019-21 G Isaac Seumalo 2016-22 CB Chandon Sullivan 2018 S Elijah Riley 2020-21 DT Renell Wren 2022 LB Kyron Johnson 2022-23	
Asst. OL Billy Yates Asst. QB Coach Evan Rothstein	2018-20	-				
-	<b>D E N V E I</b> 2019-22	R BR	ONCOS TE Rodney Williams	2022	SAN FRANCISCO 49ERSWR Kendrick Bourne2017-20OL Trent Brown2015-17RB JaMycal Hasty2020-21RB JaMycal Hasty2020-21RB JaMycal Hasty2020-21	
G WR Ty Montgomery II RB Patrick Taylor	<b>REEN</b> [ 2015-18 2021-23	G	P A C K E R S DT Montravius Adams LB Blake Martinez CB Chandon Sullivan S Henry Black LB Tariq Carpenter	2017-20 2016-19 2019-21 2020-21 2022	WASHINGTON       COMMANDERS         CB Breon Borders       2019       LB Cole Holcomb       2019-22         DL William Bradley-King       2021-22       W       1	
OL James Ferentz TE Coach Will Lawing Off. Coord. Bill O'Brier	HOUST 2014-15 2017-20 n 2014-20	0 N	T E X A N S K Chris Boswell Asst. QBs David Corley	2014 2019		



		CONNECTIONS
FORM	R STEELERS	STEELERS TIES TO NEW ENGLAND
WR JuJu Smith-Schuster OL Coach Adrian Klemm	2017-21 2019-21	TE Pat Freiermuth Hometown: Merrimac, MA High School: Brooks School
		Def. QC Jason Brooks Coach: Massachusetts (2007)
FORME	R PATRIOTS	Asst. QBs Coach David Corley Coach: Connecticut (2014-16)
DT Montravius Adams	2021	
LS Christian Kuntz	2017	Averan 1
Lb Elandon Roberts S Eric Rowe	2016-19 2016-18	L. Martin
		PATRIOT TIES TO PENNSYLVANIA
		DL Christian Barmore Hometown: Philadelphia, PA High School: Neumann Goretti
		Asst. HC Joe Judge Hometown: Philadelphia, PA High School: Lansdale, PA
		TE Mike Gesicki College: Penn State (2014-17)

Off. Coord Bill O'Brien Head Coach: Penn State (2012-13)

# ATRIOTS PROJECTED CONTRIBUTORS: OFFENSE

#### BAILEY ZAPPE | 6-1 | 215 | WESTERN KENTUCKY

- A fourth-round draft pick by the Patriots in 2022.
  - While at Western Kentucky, set all-time single season FBS records with 5,987 yards and 62 touchdowns.
- Last season, he became the first Patriots rookie guarterback to win his first home and first road game.

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#### EZEKIEL ELLIOTT | 6-0 | 228 | OHIO STATE

- Selected by the Cowboys in the first round of the 2016 NFL Draft.
- The three-time Pro Bowler (2016, 2018 and 2019) has four 1,000yard seasons, including a career-high and NFL-leading 1,631 rushing yards as a rookie in 2016.
- Overall, he has played in 115 regular season games with 102 starts and has rushed for 8,695 yards and 70 touchdowns.
  - Was the NFL's leading rusher in 2016 (1,631 yards) and 2018 (1,434 yards).

#### RHAMONDRE STEVENSON | 6-0 | 227 | OKLAHOMA

- Reached 1,000 yards rushing for the first time in his career in 2022, finishing the season with 1,040 yards, marking the first 1,000-yard season for New England since LeGarrette Blount in 2016.
- Concluded the 2022 season with a team-leading 69 receptions, the fourth-most by a running back in team history
- Earned his third 100-yard rushing game in 2022 with 172 yards at Las Vegas (12/18), the most rushing yards by a Patriots running back in a game since Jonas Gray at Indianapolis on 11/16/14.

#### MIKE ONWENU | 6-3 | 350 | MICHIGAN

- Selected in the sixth round in 2020 and started in 10 games at right tackle, 3 at right guard, 1 at left guard and 2 at tight end.
- Earned a spot on the PFWA All-Rookie Team and Pro Football Focus ranked him as the eighth-best tackle in the NFL in 2020.
- Started all 17 regular season games last season at right guard.

#### SIDY SOW | 6-5 | 318 | EASTERN MICHIGAN

- Selected in the fourth round (117th overall) of the 2023 NFL Draft. Graduated as Eastern Michigan's all-time leader in games played (57) and games started (55) in school history.
- Ended his college career with 49 consecutive starts.

#### DAVID ANDREWS | 6-3 | 300 | GEORGIA

- Signed as a rookie free agent in 2015 and has played in 115 games and started 112 at center.
- Two-time Super Bowl winner with the Patriots.
- Has been named team captain the last seven seasons (2017-23).
- Was named to the Patriots All-Decade 2010's team at center.

#### COLE STRANGE | 6-5 | 310 | CHATTANOOGA

- Was the Patriots first-round draft pick in 2022 NFL Draft out of Chattanooga.
- Started all 17 games in his rookie season at left guard.
- 2021 All-America First Team: Stats Perform, AFCA, Walter Camp, HERO Sports & Phil Steele
- The first Patriots player drafted out of Chattanooga since 1996, as well as the highest drafted player from Chattanooga.

#### TRENT BROWN | 6-8 | 370 | FLORIDA

- Has 93 total career starts 51 at right tackle and 42 at left tackle.
- Won Super Bowl LIIII with the Patriots as the team's starting left tackle
- Traded to New England prior to the 2022 season for the second time in his career and is the starting left tackle.

#### JUJU SMITH-SCHUSTER | 6-1 | 215



Spent five seasons in Pittsburgh after



- being selected by the Steelers in the second round of the 2017 NFL Draft.
- Signed with Kansas City in 2022 and recorded 53 receiving yards on seven catches in the Chiefs' Super Bowl LVII victory over Philadelphia.
- Overall, he has played in 89 regular season games with 71 starts.
- Earned Pro Bowl honors in 2018 after finishing with 111 receptions for 1,426 yards and seven touchdowns

#### DEVANTE PARKER | 6-3 | 215



- overall) by Miami in the 2015 NFL Draft. Acquired by New England in a
- trade with the Dolphins on April 5, 2022.
- His best statistical season was in 2019 when he finished with 72 receptions for 1,202 yards and nine touchdowns.

In 2022, Parker started 11 of the 13 games that he played and finished with 31 receptions for 539 yards and three touchdowns.

#### MIKE GESICKI | 6-6 | 245

٢E 88 Drafted by Miami in the second round of the 2018 NFL Draft.



- spending five seasons with the Dolphins.
- Has played in 93 regular season games with 37 starts.
- In 2022, Gesicki played in 17 games with one start and finished with 32 receptions for 362 yards and five touchdowns.

#### HUNTER HENRY | 6-5 | 258 ΓЕ 85

Set a single season career-high mark

with nine receiving touchdowns in 2021. He tied for the NFL lead among tight ends.

- Coach Belichick has been following Henry's career since the tight end was in high school at Pulaski Academy in Little Rock, Ark., from 2009 to 2013. Belichick has a relationship with Henry's former high school coach, Kevin Kelley.
- Henry wears No. 85, which is a tribute to his former teammate and legendary tight end, Antonio Gates.















# **PATRIOTS** PROJECTED CONTRIBUTORS: DEFENSE

#### DEATRICH WISE JR. | 6-0 | 280 | ARKANSAS

- Named a defensive team captain in 2022 and 2023.
- Named the 2022 Ron Burton Award winner for his community service. Selected in the fourth round of the 2017 NFL Draft by the Patriots and re-signed
- with New England in 2021. Has two brothers who played college football. Daniel and Solomon.

#### LAWRENCE GUY SR. | 6-4 | 315 | ARIZONA STATE

- Thirteen-year NFL veteran with stints with the Packers, Colts, Chargers and Ravens.
- Three-time honorable mention All-Pac-10 selection at Arizona State.
- Was named to the Patriots All-Decade team for the 2010's.
- Was named the 2021 Ron Burton Award winner

#### DAVON GODCHAUX | 6-3 | 330 | LSU

- Fifth-round pick by the Dolphins out of LSU in the 2017 NFL draft.
- Started all 17 games last season.
- Calls former Patriots nose tackle Vince Wilfork a "mentor" after training with him in the offseason in South Florida.
- His hometown of Plaquemine, Louisiana honored him in 2017 by making May 9th "Davon Godchaux Dav'"
- Started his own clothing brand called, Chauxdown, built around fitness and street fashion

#### CHRISTIAN BARMORE | 6-5 | 315 | ALABAMA

- Drafted by the Patriots in the second round (38th overall) of the 2021 NFL Draft out of Alabama.
- Earned PFWA All-Rookie Team honors in his rookie season. Integral part of the 2020 BCS National Champion Crimson Tide, earning Defensive Most
- Valuable Player in the CFP National Championship win over Ohio State.

#### JONATHAN JONES | 5-10 | 185 | AUBURN

- Has emerged as a top cornerback after originally signing in New England as a rookie free agent in 2016 out of Auburn.
- Played 71% of defensive snaps and 42% of special teams snaps in 2020. Played in all 19 games of the 2016 and 2018 Super Bowl Championship sea-
- sons
- Established the Jonathan Jones Next Step Foundation Inc. which aims to empower the youth.

#### <u>JA'WHAUN BENTLEY | 6-2 | 250 | PURDUE</u>

- Drafted by the Patriots in the fifth round of the 2018 NFL draft and was re-signed in the 2022 offseason.
- Set new single-season personnel career-high in total tackles (115) tackles in 2022 He had 108 tackles in 2021.
- Was the first three-time captain in Purdue history. Named a defensive team captain for the third time in 2023 time (2020, 2022-23).

#### JAHLANI TAVAI | 6-2 | 255 | HAWAII

- Originally drafted by Detroit in the second round of the 2019 NFL draft out of Hawaii. Was signed to the New England Patriots 53-man roster in October of the 2021 season after spending time on the practice squad.
- Comes from an athletic family: older brother J.R. is a former Tennessee Titans linebacker and younger brothers, Justis and Jonah, played along the defensive line for San Diego State. Also has multiple cousins playing professional rugby.

#### ADRIAN PHILLIPS | 5-11 | 208 | TEXAS

- Led the team in tackles in 2021 (107), his first season with the Patriots.
- An extremely versatile defensive player, Phillips made the Pro Bowl as a special teamer in 2018 with the Chargers.
- Scored his first career touchdown in 2021 after returning an interception 26 yards against the Los Angeles Chargers.
- Phillips' wife, Camille, is a pediatrician, joining Shahrzad Slater, wife of Matthew Slater, as two Patriots wives in the medical field.

#### JALEN MILLS | 6-0 | 200

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#### Signed with the Patri ots prior to the 2021 season after spending his first five years with Philadelphia.

DB

- Totaled nine tackles and two passes defended in Super Bowl LII against the Patriots.
- Nicknamed the Green Goblin.
- Wears No. 2 to honor his late uncle Uhkoto who preferred his nickname Two.

#### JOSH UCHE | 6-3 | 240

.B 55 Drafted by New En-



the 2020 NFL Draft. Played in 15 games at linebacker and recorded career highs with 27 total tackles (23 solo, 4 assists), 11½ sacks for a loss of 49.5 yards and two forced fumbles in 2022.

#### MYLES BRYANT | 5-9 | 192 DB

- Originally signed by the Patriots as a rookie free agent in 2020.
- Plaved in all 17 games with six starts in the 2022 season.
- Walked on at Washington but quickly found a role on the team, playing in 11 games his true freshman season.







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# WHAT TO LOOK FOR



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#### **DEFENSIVE DOMINANCE**

- The Patriots have allowed just 26 points over the last three games. The fewest points the Patriots have allowed over a four-game stretch was 26 in 2021 Nov. 7 at Carolina (24-6), Nov. 14 vs. Cleveland (45-7), Nov. 18 at Atlanta (25-0) and Nov. 28 vs. Tennessee (36-13).
- The Patriots enter this week's game with the eighth ranked defense in yards allowed. The team has finished in the top 10 in defense 10 times during Bill Belichick's reign as head coach of the Patriots.

#### PATRIOTS IN THE TOP TEN IN DEFENSE UNDER BELICHICK

Year	Rank
2003	7
2004	9
2006	6
2007	4
2008	10
2015	9
2016	8
2019	1
2021	4
2022	8

#### PATRIOT TO WATCH



### **BRYCE BARINGER**

• Rookie P Bryce Baringer has at least one 50-yard punt in all 12 games to tie for the longest single season streak in team history (at any point of the season). Zoltan Mesko had a 12-game streak in 2011. He can surpass Mesko and set the team mark with at least one 50yard punt this week at Pittsburgh. Last season, Johnny Hekker (Carolina), Ryan Stonehouse (Tennessee) and Cameron Johnston (Houston) all had at least one 50-yard punt in all 17 games. Johnston also accomplished the feat in 2017.

• Baringer is tied for first with Ryan Stonehouse of Tennessee with 28 punts inside the 20-yard line. Baringer is on pace to finish the year with 39 punts inside the 20-yard line. The Patriots record for most punts inside the 20-yard line in a season is 36 by Jake Bailey in 2019.





### RHAMONDRE STEVENSON #38, RB

- RB Rhamondre Stevenson has four rushing touchdowns so far in 2023 and needs one more to become the second player in franchise history with at least five rushing touchdowns in each of his first three seasons, joining Patriots Hall of Fame RB Jim Nance, who accomplished the feat with five rushing touchdowns in 1965, 11 in 1966 and seven in 1967. Stevenson had five rushing touchdowns in his first two seasons in 2021 and 2022.
- Stevenson is leading the team with 619 yards rushing and needs 381 yards rushing over the next five games (an average of 76 yards per game) to reach his second straight 1,000-yard season. Last season he recorded his first 1,000-yard rushing season with a career-high 1,040 rushing yards. He can become the third New England player with back-to-back 1,000-yard rushing seasons in 2023, joining Curtis Martin (1,487 in 1995, 1,152 in 1996 and 1,160 in 1997) and Jim Nance (1,458 in 1966 and 1,216 in 1967).
- Stevenson had a 64-yard touchdown run in the second quarter vs. Washington on Nov. 5. Since 1970, Laurence Maroney (2007), Sedrick Shaw (1998), Robert Edwards (1998) and Craig James (1985) are the only Patriots players with multiple 50-yard runs in a season. Stevenson will look to join them with a 50-yard run this week against the Steelers.

#### PATRIOTS PLAYERS WITH MULTIPLE 50-YARD RUNS IN A GAME SINCE 1970

#### Craig James in 1985

65-yard TD run vs. Green Bay on Sept. 8, 1985 57-yard run at N.Y. Jets on Nov. 24, 1985

#### **Robert Edwards in 1998**

53-yard run vs. Tennessee on Sept. 20, 1998 53-yard run at St. Louis on Dec. 13, 1998

#### Sedrick Shaw in 1998

51-yard run vs. Indianapolis om Sept. 13, 1998 71-yard run at N.Y. Jets on Dec. 27, 1998

#### Lawrence Maroney in 2007

59-yard TD run vs. Miami on Dec. 23, 2007 51-yard run vs. Miami on Dec. 23, 2007

#### **GAMES COACHED IN NFL HISTORY**

Bill Belichick has been the head coach in 506 total games to tie George Halas for second all-time. He will coach in his 507th career game this week against Pittsburgh to take over sole possession of second place, behind the 526 total games coached by Don Shula.

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### J.C. JACKSON'S INTERCEPTIONS

 CB J.C. Jackson is tied for the NFL lead in interceptions since entering the NFL in 2018 as a rookie free agent with New England out of Maryland.

#### MOST INTERCEPTIONS SINCE 2018

PLAYER	INTERCEPTIONS
J.C. Jackson	26
Justin Simmons	26
Xavien Howard	25
Quandre Diggs	21
Tyrann Mathieu	21



 Jackson enters this week ninth on New England's all-time interception list with 25. He needs two interceptions to move into a tie with Maurice Hurst with 27 interceptions. Jackson has four two-interception games in his career.

#### MOST INTERCEPTIONS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

PLAYER	INTERCEPTIONS
Raymond Clayborn	36
Ty Law	36
Devin McCourty	35
Ron Hall	29
Roland James	29
Fred Marion	29
Mike Haynes	28
Maurice Hurst	27
J.C. Jackson	25

#### PHARAOH BROWN'S YARDS PER RECEPTION

**TE Pharaoh Brown** has seven receptions for 170 yards for the year and is averaging 24.3 yards per reception. He has five receptions in 2023 of at least 20 yards. The highest average in a season for a Patriots player was Stanley Morgan with a 23.4-yard average in 1981 (44 receptions for 1,029 yards). The Patriots have had a player finish with an average of at least 20 yards per reception 11 times. The last Patriots player to accomplish the feat was Shawn Jefferson in 1998 when he had a 22.7-yard average on 34 receptions for 771 yards.





### BRENDEN SCHOOLER #41, DB

• **DB Brenden Schooler** is tied for the NFL lead with 11 special teams tackles and is on pace to finish the year with 16 special teams tackles. The last Patriots player to lead the NFL in special teams tackles was DB Nate Ebner with 19 in 2016. If Schooler reaches 20 special teams tackles, it will be the sixth time in team history that a player has finished the year with at least 20 special teams tackles.





- **Rookie WR Demario Douglas** has 36 receptions for 410 yards. Douglas needs seven receptions to tie WR Deion Branch for the most receptions by a rookie receiver under Bill Belichick. Branch had 43 receptions for 489 yards as a rookie in 2002.
- Douglas needs 109 receiving yards to match the 519 receiving yards by WR Aaron Dobson for the most receiving yards by a rookie receiver under Belichick. Dobson had 37 receptions for 519 yards as a rookie in 2013.

LAST GAME vs. los angeles

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#### LOS ANGELES 6, NEW ENGLAND 0

Los Angeles Chargers New England Patriots	<b>1</b> 0 0	<b>2</b> 0 0	<b>3</b> 7 7	<b>4</b> 0 0	<b>Final</b> 6 0		
<b>TEAM NOTES</b>							

Patriots defense allows just 29 yards rushing for a 1.2-yard average.

- **Bill Belichick** moves past Don Shula into third place for most games coaching with one franchise (424 games).
- Belichick ties George Halas for second all-time with 506 career games coached.
- **QB Bailey Zappe** makes first start of the season.
- WR Tyquan Thornton records second-longest run by a Patriots wide receiver in franchise history.

#### PATRIOTS ALLOW 10 POINTS OR LESS FOR THIRD STRAIGHT GAME

The Patriots have held their last three opponents to 10 points or less, but have lost each of those games.

#### THE PATRIOTS DEFENSE ALLOWS JUST 29 YARDS RUSHING

The Patriots held the Chargers to just 29 yards on 24 carries for a 1.2-yard average. It is the fewest rushing yards allowed since holding Miami to 15 yards on Oct. 29, 2015. The Patriots are 16-1 under Bill Belichick when holding a team under 40 yards.

#### FEWEST RUSHING YARDS ALLOWED IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

DATE	OPP	ATT	YDS	AVG.
12/17/61	SD	16	2	0.1
10/11/98	KC	11	14	1.3
12/11/05	BUF	12	14	1.2
10/29/15	MIA	13	15	1.2
11/1/63	HOU	12	19	1.6
11/16/14	IND	16	19	1.2
12/4/88	SEA	19	20	1.1
9/9/12	TEN	16	20	1.3
9/22/63	OAK	10	24	2.4
12/11/77	MIA	19	25	1.3
10/9/16	CLE	22	27	1.2
12/9/61	OAK	10	27	2.7
11/17/68	KC	26	27	1.0
11/4/84	DEN	18	28	1.6
12/3/23	LAC	24	29	1.2
10/2/66	NYJ	18	29	1.6
11/15/70	SD	28	29	1.0
9/22/96	JACK	11	29	2.6

### 1.21 RUSHING AVERAGE IS LOWEST BY AN OPPONENT SINCE 2014

The Chargers rushed 24 times for 29 yards for a 1.21 rushing average, the lowest since a game at Indianapolis on Nov. 16, 2014 when the Colts rushed 16 times for 19 yards for a 1.9-yard average.

# **INDIVIDUAL NOTES**

#### **BELICHICK MOVES PAST SHULA**

Bill Belichick coached in his 424th game with the Patriots (including the postseason) to move past Don Shula (423) for the third-most games coached with one team, behind the 506 by George Halas with Chicago and the 454 by Tom Landry with Dallas.

### MOST GAMES COACHED WITH ONE TEAM (INCLUDING POSTSEASON)

Coach	Total Games	Team
George Halas	506	Chicago
Tom Landry	454	Dallas
Bill Belichick	424	New England
Don Shula	423	Miami

#### **BELICHICK TIES HALAS FOR SECOND ALL-TIME**

Belichick coached his 506th game overall to tie George Halas for second all-time, behind the 526 games coached by Don Shula.

#### ZAPPE MAKES FIRST START OF THE SEASON

QB Bailey Zappe made his first start of the season, his third overall. He finished 13-of-25 for 141 yards.

#### THORNTON HAS SECOND-LONGEST RUN EVER BY A PATRI-OTS RECEIVER

WR Tyquan Thornton had a 39-yard run in the fourth quarter, the second longest run ever by a Patriots wide receiver. WR Julian Edelman had a 47-yard run in the fourth quarter vs. Indianapolis on Nov. 18, 2012. Thornton's previous long was a 19-yard touchdown run at Cleveland on Oct. 16, 2022.

#### **BENTLEY ON A HIGH PACE**

LB Ja'Whaun Bentley led the team with 8 total tackles to push his season totals to 79 total tackles and is on pace to finish the season with 112 total tackles for his third straight season of more than 100 tackles.

#### BARINGER GETS OFF A 70-YARD PUNT IN THE FIRST QUAR-TER

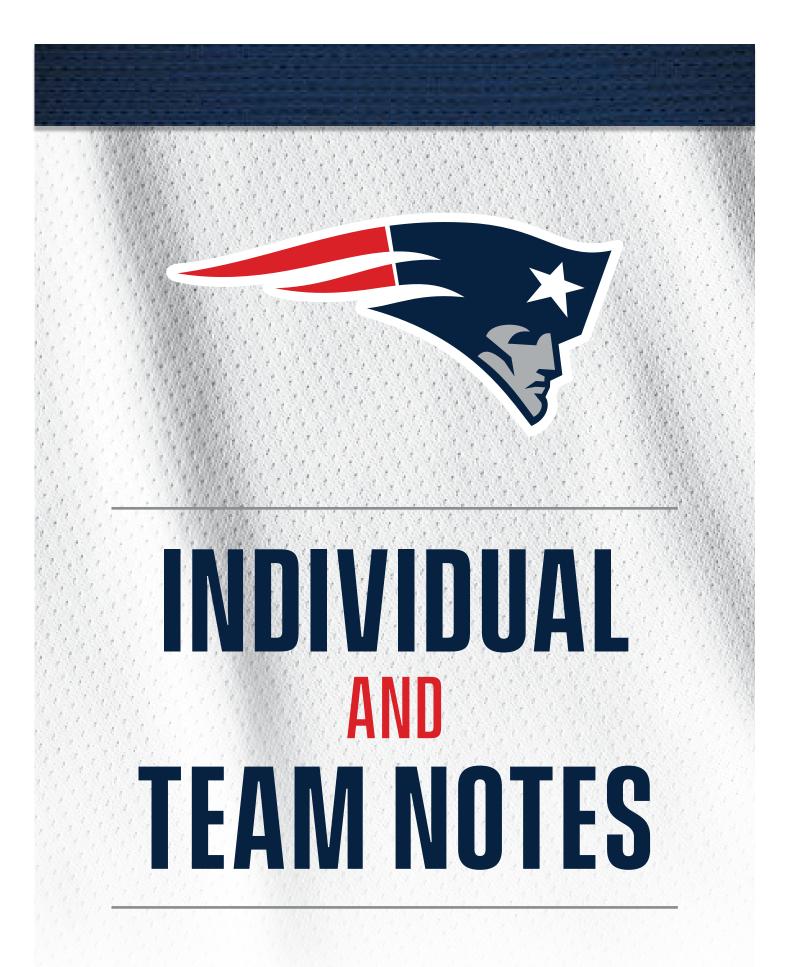
Rookie P Bryce Baringer had his second 70-yard punt of the season with a 70-yard punt in the first quarter. He had a 79-yard punt vs. Indianapolis on Nov. 12 in Frankfurt, Germany.

#### BARINGER TIES TEAM MARK WITH 12 STRAIGHT GAMES WITH AT LEAST ONE 50-YARD PUNT

Baringer has at least one 50-yard punt in all 12 games to tie the for the longest single season streak in team history (at any point of the season). Zoltan Mesko had a 12-game streak in 2011. Last season, Johnny Hekker (Carolina), Ryan Stonehouse (Tennessee) and Cameron Johnston (Houston) all had at least one 50-yard punt in all 17 games. Johnston also accomplished the feat in 2017.



- **DL Keion White** started at defensive end in place of Deatrich Wise Jr., who was inactive due to injury. It is his fourth start of the season.
- **QB Bailey Zappe** made his first of the season.
- DB Myles Bryant returned punts in place of WR Demario Douglas, who was out due to injury.
- **WR Jalen Reagor** lined up to return kickoffs in the first half for the first time.



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# FASTEST OWNER IN NFL HISTORY TO REACH 300 WINS

### **23-YEAR** Season ticket holder Before buying the team in 1994

Under Kraft's leadership since he purchased the team in 1994, the Patriots have experienced one of the most dramatic turnarounds in the history of sports. Kraft has led the two most dominant decades in NFL history in terms of overall wins – 141 (2010-19) and 126 (2000-09). Kraft is the most successful owner since he purchased the team in 1994 in terms of wins (351), division titles (19), winning percentage (.666), playoff wins (33) and playoff seasons (22).



Since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994, the Patriots have experienced one of the most dramatic turnarounds in the history of sports. Now in his 30th season of ownership, he is credited with transforming one of the league's least successful clubs into one of the most valuable. In the five seasons immediately preceding his purchase (1989-93), the Patriots were a moribund team, winning just 19 of 80 games (.238 pct.), the worst record in the NFL over that span. When he bought the franchise on Jan. 21, 1994, Kraft announced his intention to bring a champi-



onship to New England, a tall order considering the team's previous success rate. But under Kraft's leadership, the Patriots have won more division titles (19), conference crowns (10) and Super Bowl championships (6) than any other NFL team. Additionally, the Patriots have achieved the most winning seasons (24) since Kraft assumed ownership beginning in 1994. **Super Bowl LIII was the 10th Super Bowl appearance since Kraft purchased the team, a period during which no other team has appeared in more than four Super Bowls.** In Kraft's first 29 seasons, the Patriots qualified for the playoffs 22 times, more than doubling the franchise's accomplishments during its first 34 seasons.



#### SINCE ROBERT KRAFT PURCHASED **THE TEAM IN 1994**

#### TOTAL VICTORIES SINCE 1994 (REGULAR SEASON) TOTAL VICTORIES SINCE 1994 (INCL. POSTSEASON) New England Patriots......351 **MOST HOME VICTORIES SINCE 1994 (INCL. POSTSEASON)** New England Patriots...... 198 Green Bay Packers ......193 Denver/Kansas City/Minnesota......165 WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 1994 (INCL. POSTSEASON) TEAM W L T Pct. New England Patriots 351 0 .666 176 Green Bay Packers 324 193 2 .626 Pittsburgh Steelers 319 192 3 .624 Kansas City Chiefs 286 217 0 569 **PLAYOFF WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 1994** TEAM T Pct. W L New England Patriots 33 16 0 .673 Los Angeles Rams 13 7 0 .650 Denver Broncos 14 9 0 609 San Francisco 49ers 18 0 .600 12 **SUPER BOWL CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994** New England Patriots......6

Denver Broncos	
Baltimore Ravens	2
Green Bay Packers	
Kansas City Chiefs	
Los Angeles Rams	
Pittsburgh Steelers	2
N.Y. Giants	2
Tampa Bay Buccaneers	2

#### **CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994**

New England Patriots	10
Pittsburgh Steelers	
Denver Broncos	4
Los Angeles Rams	4

#### **DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994**

New England Patriots	
Green Bay Packers	
Pittsburgh Steelers	
Kansas Čity Chiefs	11
PLAYOFF VICTORIES SINCE 1994	
New England Patriots	

Green Bay Packers	
Pittsburgh Steelers	
San Francisco	

PLAYOFF VICTORIES ALL TIME	
Rooney Family, Pittsburgh (1933-present)	36

Green Bay Packers (1919-present)	
Robert Kraft, New England Patriots (1994-present)	33

#### **PLAYOFF GAMES PLAYED SINCE 1994**

New England Patriots	
Green Bay Packers	
Pittsburgh Steelers	
Philadelphia	

#### **PLAYOFF SEASONS SINCE 1994**

22
21
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#### DYNASTY VS. DYNASTY

Of all the great teams throughout the Super Bowl era, the New England Patriots and the San Francisco 49ers have set a standard of extended excellence above all of the others.

#### 49ERS (1981-98)

49ERS (1981-98)	PATRIOTS (2001-2019)
5Super Bowl Appea	arances9
5Super Bowl Ti	tles6
10 in 18 yearsConference Title	Games13 in 19 years
22-11 (.667)Playoff Reco	rd 30-11 (.732)
13 Division Title	es17
16 Playoff Seaso	ons17
207-72-1 (.741) Regular Season I	Record
108Pro Bowl Selec	tions 94
21 in 18 yearsHome Playoff G	ames24 in 19 years
13 in 18 years First-Round B	yes13 in 19 years
4 in 18 years Playoff One-and-	Dones 3 in 19 years
122 (1990-99)Most Wins in a D	ecade 141 (2010-19)

	Pre-Kraft	Pre-Kraft	Kraft Era
	1960-93	1989-93	1994-23
Overall Record	225-276-9	19-61	351-176
Winning Pct.	.450	.238	.666
Super Bowl Titles	0	0	6
Conference Titles	1	0	10
Division Titles	3	0	19
Playoff Seasons	6	0	22
Playoff Record	4-6		33-16
Home Playoff Games	1	0	27
Home Playoff Record	0-1		23-4

#### WHAT TO KNOW

Robert Kraft has 33 career postseason wins as an owner, third most in NFL history behind the Rooney Family in Pittsburgh (36) and the Green Bay Packers (36). Kraft needs three postseason wins to match the Rooney family and the Green Bay Packers for the most postseason wins in NFL history.

#### **500TH GAME FOR KRAFT**

The game at Pittsburgh (9/18/22) was the 500th game of the Robert Kraft era. Kraft is the most successful owner since he purchased the team in 1994 in terms of Super Bowl wins (6), overall wins (351), division titles (19), winning percentage (.666), playoff wins (33) and playoff seasons (22).



# ROBERT KRAFT CHAIRMAN & CEO

Robert Kraft's 10 conference crowns are more than any other owner in the Super Bowl Era (since 1966).

#### MOST CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS BY AN OWNER IN SUPER BOWL ERA

Owner	TEAM	#	SEASONS	SUPER BOWL APPEARANCES
Robert Kraft	New England	10	1996, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2007	XXXI, XXXVI, XXXVIII, XXXIX,
			2011, 2014, 2016, 2017, 2018	XLII, XLVI, XLIX, LI, LII, LIII
Pat Bowlen	Denver	7	1986, 1987, 1989, 1997, 1998,	XXI, XXII, XXIV, XXXII,
			2013, 2015	XXXIII, XLVIII, 50
Jack Kent Cooke	Washington	5	1972, 1982, 1983, 1987, 1991	VII, XVII, XVIII, XXII, XXVI
Al Davis	Oakland/L.A. Raiders	5	1967, 1976, 1980, 1983, 2002	II, XI, XV, XVIII, XXXVII
Eddie DeBartolo	San Francisco	5	1981, 1984, 1988, 1989, 1994	XVI, XIX, XXIII, XXIV, XXIX
Clint Murchison	Dallas	5	1970, 1971, 1975, 1977, 1978	V, VI, X, XII, XIII
Packers Stockholders	Green Bay	5	1966, 1967, 1996, 1997, 2010	I, II, XXXI, XXXII, XLV
Joe Robbie	Miami	5	1971, 1972, 1973, 1982, 1984	VI, VII, VIII, XVII, XIX

#### **A WINNING TRADITION I**

Robert Kraft won his 300th game overall as owner of the New England Patriots against Miami on Sept. 30, 2018. Kraft reached the milestone in his 25th NFL season and in his 432nd game, the fastest an owner has reached the mark. Al Davis of the Raiders accomplished the feat in 495 games (31 seasons) while Pat Bowlen of Denver reached 300 career wins in 501 games (30 seasons).

#### A WINNING TRADITION II

Kraft's winning percentage with the Patriots (.666) since taking over the team in 1994 is the highest among all owners/ownership groups with at least 200 wins (regular and postseason) with one team. He is one of just four owners with at least 200 wins and a winning percentage over .600.

Owner	Team	Years	Winning Pct.
Robert Kraft	Patriots	1994-present	.666
Eddie DeBartolo, Jr.	49ers	1977-1999	.636
Clint Murchison, Jr.	Cowboys	1960-1983	.634
Joe Robbie	Dolphins	1966-1989	.609
Pat Bowlen	Broncos	1984-2018	.596

#### **ALL-TIME POSTSEASON WINS**

Robert Kraft has 33 career postseason wins, which are the thirdmost in NFL history.

OWNERSHIP	YEARS	WINS
The Rooney Family, Pittsburgh (1933-present)	90	
Green Bay Packers (1919-present)	104	
Robert Kraft, New England (1994-present)	29	
The Mara Family, N.Y. Giants (1925-present)		
Eddie DeBartolo, Jr., San Francisco (1977-1999)	23	
Al Davis, Oakland/Los Angeles (1972-2011)	40	
Pat Bowlen, Denver (1984-2018)	35	

#### **KRAFT PASSES OTHER OWNERS**

The Patriots have 351 wins overall under Robert Kraft. He has produced more victories than every other Patriots owner combined. Under Kraft, the Patriots are 351-176 overall since he purchased the team in 1994. Kraft's predecessors in the owner's office went 225-276-9 in the 34 years prior to his purchase of the team.

#### **CONTINUITY BREEDS SUCCESS**

New England is the first team in NFL history to win six Super Bowls with the same owner (Robert Kraft), head coach (Bill Belichick) and quarterback (Tom Brady).

#### **PATRIOTS IN THE PLAYOFFS**

The Patriots have qualified for the playoffs 28 times in their 63-year history. Twenty-two of those playoff berths have come in the 29 seasons since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994, a dramatic contrast to the six total playoff berths the team earned in its first 34 years of existence. The Patriots have won 22 division crowns.

#### **PATRIOTS PLAYOFF SEASONS (28)**

Year	How Qualified	Seed	Rec.	Result
2021	Wild Card	6	0-1	Wild Card Round
2019	Division Champions	3	0-1	Wild Card Round
2018	Division Champions	2	3-0	Super Bowl Champions
2017	Division Champions	1	2-1	AFC Champions
2016	Division Champions	1	3-0	Super Bowl Champions
2015	Division Champions	2	1-1	AFC Championship Game
2014	Division Champions	1	3-0	Super Bowl Champions
2013	Division Champions	2	1-1	AFC Championship Game
2012	Division Champions	2	1-1	AFC Championship Game
2011	Division Champions	1	2-1	AFC Champions
2010	Division Champions	1	0-1	AFC Divisional Round
2009	Division Champions	3	0-1	Wild Card Round
2007	Division Champions	1	2-1	AFC Champions
2006	Division Champions	4	2-1	AFC Championship Game
2005	Division Champions	4	1-1	AFC Divisional Round
2004	Division Champions	2	3-0	Super Bowl Champions
2003	Division Champions	1	3-0	Super Bowl Champions
2001	Division Champions	2	3-0	Super Bowl Champions
1998	Wild Card	6	0-1	Wild Card Round
1997	Division Champions	3	1-1	AFC Divisional Round
1996	Division Champions	2	2-1	AFC Champions
1994	Wild Card	5	0-1	Wild Card Round
1986	Division Champions	3	0-1	AFC Divisional Round
1985	Wild Card	5	3-1	AFC Champions
1982*	16-Team Format	7	0-1	First Round
1978	Division Champions	2	0-1	AFC Divisional Round
1976	Wild Card	4	0-1	AFC Divisional Round
1963	Division Champions		1-1	AFL Championship Game

A MODEL OF <u>CONSISTENCY</u>

Since Kraft took ownership of the team in 1994, the Patriots have had just three head coaches - Bill Parcells (1994-96), Pete Carroll (1997-99) and current head coach Bill Belichick (2000-present). The only team with fewer head coaches since 1994 is the Pittsburgh Steelers, who have had two: Bill Cowher (1992-2006) and Mike Tomlin (2007-present).

#### FEWEST HEAD COACHES SINCE 1994

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Pittsburgh2	New England3	
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## WINNINGEST MEN'S PRO SPORTS TEAMS SINCE 1994

#### PATRIOTS ARE WINNINGEST MEN'S PRO SPORTS FRANCHISE SINCE 1994

Since the 1994 season, the Patriots have won 66.5 percent of their regular season games (318-160), which is the highest winning percentage in men's major American professional sports over that period. Since 1994, there have been 148 franchises that have fielded teams in the five major American sports leagues (NFL, MLB, NBA, NHL and MLS) and completed more than two full seasons of competition. On the women's side the Toronto Six (29-5-3) and the Boston Pride (90-29-10) of the PHF hold the two highest winning percentages of all women's professional sports teams.

#### HIGHEST WINNING PERCENTAGE IN MEN'S MAJOR AMERICAN PROFESSIONAL SPORTS, 1994-PRESENT

(Regular Season – Includes National Football League, Major League Baseball, National Basketball Association, National Hockey League and Major League Soccer)

#### Records updated through games completed on December 3, 2023

Rk	Records since 1994		W	L	T/OTL	PCT.
1	New England Patriots	NFL	318	160	0	0.665
2	San Antonio Spurs	NBA	1494	835	0	0.641
3	Vegas Golden Knights	NHL	283	152	41	0.638
4	Green Bay Packers	NFL	302	174	2	0.634
5	Pittsburgh Steelers	NFL	299	176	3	0.629
6	Los Angeles FC	MLS	93	53	46	0.604
7	Detroit Red Wings	NHL	1174	733	307	0.600
8	Boston Bruins	NHL	1164	745	312	0.594
9	Dallas Stars	NHL	1152	768	298	0.587
10	Colorado Avalanche/Quebec Nordiques	NHL	1175	793	265	0.586
11	New York Yankees	MLB	2741	1946	0	0.585
12	Pittsburgh Penguins	NHL	1154	802	262	0.579
13	Utah Jazz	NBA	1353	983	0	0.579
14	St. Louis Blues	NHL	1140	792	295	0.578
15	Washington Capitals	NHL	1130	799	282	0.575
16	Seattle Sounders FC	MLS	225	152	113	0.574
17	Kansas City Chiefs	NFL	274	204	0	0.573
18	Indianapolis Colts	NFL	273	204	1	0.572
19	New Jersey Devils	NHL	1112	805	294	0.569
20	Los Angeles Lakers	NBA	1324	1006	0	0.568
21	Baltimore Ravens	NFL	252	193	1	0.566
22	Miami Heat	NBA	1313	1008	0	0.566
23	Philadelphia Flyers	NHL	1080	792	328	0.565
24	Philadelphia Eagles	NFL	267	207	2	0.563
25	Nashville Predators	NHL	951	720	238	0.561
26	Atlanta Braves	MLB	2627	2061	1	0.560
27	Minnesota Wild	NHL	868	660	231	0.559
28	Los Angeles Dodgers	MLB	2615	2077	0	0.557
29	Nashville FC	MLS	46	32	47	0.556
30	New York City FC	MLS	126	93	76	0.556
31	Oklahoma City/Seattle Thunder	NBA	1294	1035	0	0.556
32	Denver Broncos	NFL	265	213	0	0.554
33	Dallas Cowboys	NFL	265	213	0	0.554
34	Atlanta United FC	MLS	96	73	58	0.551
35	Seattle Seahawks	NFL	262	215	1	0.549
36	Toronto Maple Leafs	NHL	1072	855	285	0.549
37	Dallas Mavericks	NBA	1290	1060	0	0.549
38	San Jose Sharks	NHL	1069	854	296	0.548
39	New York Rangers	NHL	1070	861	261	0.548
40	Minnesota Vikings	NFL	260	216	14	0.545
41	Boston Red Sox	MLB	2553	2139	0	0.544
42	Houston Rockets	NBA	1263	1064	0	0.543
43	Los Angeles Galaxy	MLS	385	311	192	0.542
44	Indiana Pacers	NBA	1260	1068	0	0.541
45	Vancouver Canucks	NHL	1048	871	288	0.540
46	St. Louis Cardinals	MLB	2530	2157	0	0.540
47	Carolina Hurricanes/Hartford Whalers	NHL	1032	876	298	0.535
48	Phoenix Suns	NBA	1246	1085	0	0.535
49	Cleveland Guardians/Indians	MLB	2491	2196	0	0.531
50	Anaheim Ducks	NHL	1021	885	308	0.531

**NOTES:** This analysis uses NFL rules when calculating winning percentage, counting ties as a half-win and a half-loss. For NHL teams, overtime losses (OTL) and ties from 2001-2004 (the NHL abolished ties in 2005-2006 and instituted a shootout system) are counted as ties when calculating winning percentage.

#### HIGHEST WINNING PERCENTAGE AMONG BOSTON-AREA MAJOR PROFESSIONAL SPORTS TEAMS, 1994-PRESENT

(Rankings listed below are each team's overall ranking among the 148 men's major American pro sports teams that have completed more than two full seasons of competition)

#### Records updated through games completed on November 27, 2023

Rank	Team	Lg.	w	L	T/OTL	Pct.
1	New England Patriots	NFL	318	160	0	0.665
8	Boston Bruins	NHL	1164	744	312	0.594
41	Boston Red Sox	MLB	2553	2139	0	0.544
55	Boston Celtics	NBA	1245	1107	0	0.529
93	New England Revolution	MLS	339	353	198	0.492

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#### PATRIOTS

- The New England Patriots are tied with the Pittsburgh Steelers for the most Super Bowl wins in NFL history with six.
- The Patriots have played in 11 Super Bowls, the most by any team in NFL history. Dallas, Denver and Pittsburgh have played in eight.
- The New England Patriots have 37 postseason victories, the most in NFL history. Dallas, Pittsburgh, Green Bay and San Francisco are second with 36 playoff wins all-time.
- The Patriots are third in NFL history with 15 Conference Championship Game appearances, behind San Francisco (18) and the Pittsburgh (16).
- The New England Patriots have earned seven No. 1 seeds, trailing only San Francisco (9) and Denver (8) since playoff seeding began in 1975.
- The Patriots have earned a first-round playoff bye an NFL-best 14 times since 1990. Pittsburgh and San Francisco are second with nine byes since 1990. New England is the only team in NFL history with nine straight first-round byes (2010-18).
- The Patriots have played in 59 postseason games, tied with San Francisco for the fourth-most in NFL history behind Dallas (66), Pittsburgh (63) and Green Bay (61).
- The Patriots are second with 13 seasons of 12 wins since 1970, behind San Francisco's 14 seasons with 12 victories.
- New England has won 13 games in a single season seven times in franchise history. Only San Francisco has more 13-win seasons with 10.
- The New England Patriots have won 14 or more games in a season five times, most in NFL history. San Francisco is second with four 14-win seasons.
- New England has 28 undefeated months since 2000, most in the NFL over that span. Green Bay is second with 21 undefeated months during that time.
- The Patriots have 35 winning seasons since 1970, third all-time, behind Pittsburgh's 39 and Dallas' 36.



- The Patriots have 576 total victories, the fourth-most wins since their inception in 1960, behind the 595 wins by Dallas, 593 by Pittsburgh and the 581 by Green Bay.
- New England (1,037) played their 1,000th game in franchise history (regular season and playoffs combined) against Cleveland on Nov. 14, 2021, and became the first original AFL team to play in 1,000 games.
- The Patriots ended a 10-year streak of finishing in the top 10 for fewest points allowed (2012-2021) after finishing 11th in 2022 with 20.4 points allowed. The Patriots and Tampa Bay (1996-2005) are the last two teams to reach 10 straight seasons in the top 10 for fewest points allowed.
- The Patriots have finished with a positive turnover ratio for 17 straight seasons (2006-22), the longest streak since the 1970 merger. Seattle is second with 12 straight seasons with a positive turnover ratio.
- The Patriots are ranked 8th in defense. The Patriots have finished in the top 10 in defense 10 times under Bill Belichick.



# PATRIOTS 2023 TEAM NOTES



#### 2023 TEAM CAPTAINS WERE ELECTED BY TEAMMATES

#### **OFFENSE**

C David Andrews, TE Hunter Henry and QB Mac Jones

#### DEFENSE

· LB Ja'Whaun Bentley and DL Deatrich Wise Jr.

#### **SPECIAL TEAMS**

WR Matthew Slater

Slater was chosen as a captain for the 13th consecutive season. Andrews is a captain for the seventh straight year. Bentley is a captain for the third time overall and second straight year after also serving as a captain in 2020. Jones and Wise are captains for the second straight year and Henry is a captain for the first time.

#### **DIFFERENT POSITIONS**

The Patriots have 10 players on the roster that have played different positions in during their career.

**CHRIS BOARD -** Began his college career as a safety before moving to linebacker as a junior.

**MARCUS JONES -** Played defensive back and wide receiver in college.

**MIKE ONWENU** – Began his collegiate career as a defensive lineman before switching to offensive line following his freshman season.

**ATONIO MAFI** - Played defensive tackle in college before moving to the offensive line during his junior year.

MARTE MAPU - Played both linebacker and safety in college.

**TY MONTGOMERY II -** Played both wide receiver and running back during his college career at Stanford.

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{JABRILL}}\xspace \ensuremath{\mathsf{PEPPERS}}\xspace - \ensuremath{\mathsf{Played}}\xspace$  wide receiver, running back and defensive back in college.

**BRENDEN SCHOOLER -** Played defensive back and wide receiver in college.

**TYRONE WHEATLEY JR.** - Played tight end during his collegiate years and did not switch to the offensive line until the spring of 2021 during his stint in the Spring League.

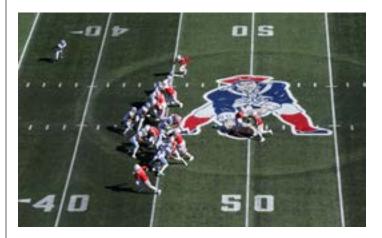
**KEION WHITE -** Played tight end as a redshirt at Old Dominion in 2018 before moving to defensive end in 2019.

#### **GONE AND BACK**

29 players have had at least two stints with New England since 2000 (on the active roster with the Patriots for at least one game in each stint; on the active roster with another team for at least one game in between). The Patriots current roster has two such players returning for at least a second stint on the 53-man roster: OL Trent Brown and CB J.C. Jackson. LB Calvin Munson is on the practice squad but was elevated to the active roster for three games in 2023. In addition, the Patriots have one current player that originally signed with New England but went to other teams before playing in their first game. OL Calvin Anderson signed with the Patriots as a rookie agent in 2019 but did not go to camp with the Patriots that summer. OL Conor McDermott was originally drafted by New England but was released at the end of training camp and spent time with the Jets and Bills before returning last season.

#### PLAYERS WITH MULTIPLE STINTS IN NEW ENGLAND

Player	Years
Tully Banta-Cain	
Caleb Benenoch	
Martelllus Bennett	
LeGarrette Blount	
Brandon Bolden	
Deion Branch	
Chad Brown	
Trent Brown	
Marcus Cannon	
Andre Carter	
Patrick Chung	
Thomas Clayton	
Michael Cloud	
Jamie Collins Sr	
Jonathan Freeny	
Brian Hoyer	2009-11, 2017-18, 2020-22
J.C. Jackson	
Ted Karras	
Harvey Langi	
Steve Maneri	
Calvin Munson	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Jordan Richards	
Mike Rivera	······································
Guss Scott	
Donté Stallworth	······································
Maugaula Tuitele	
Kyle Van Noy	
Ken Walter	
Ben Watson	



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Three 2023 draft picks were in the starting lineup on opening day in 2023 with first-round pick CB Christian Gonzalez starting at cornerback, fourth-round pick OL Sidy Sow starting at right guard and fifthround pick OL Atonio Mafi starting at left guard. Twenty-eight rookies have now started on opening day under Bill Belichick. Gonzalez, Sow and Mafi join five current Patriots to start as a rookie on opening day - Cole Strange (2022), Mac Jones (2021), Mike Onwenu (2020), Ja'Whaun Bentley (2018), David Andrews (2015).

#### **ROOKIES IN THE OPENING DAY STARTING LINEUP UN-DER BILL BELICHICK WITH THE PATRIOTS**

#### 2023 - CB Christian Gonzalez (first-round), OL Sidy Sow (fourth-round) and OL Atonio Mafi (fifth-round)

2022 - OL Cole Strange (first-round)

2021 - QB Mac Jones (first-round)

2020 - OL Mike Onwenu (sixth-round)

2018 - LB Ja'Whaun Bentley (fifth-round)

2016 – OL Joe Thuney (third-round), WR Malcolm Mitchell (fourth-round) and OL Ted Karras (sixth-round)

2015 – DL Malcom Brown (first-round), OL Tre Jackson (fourth-round) and OL David Andrews (rookie free agent)

2013 - WR Kenbrell Thompkins (rookie free agent)

2012 - DL Chandler Jones (first-round) and LB Dont'a Hightower (first-round)

2011 - OL Nate Solder (first-round) and DB Ras-I Dowling (second-round)

2010 – DB Devin McCourty (first-round), TE Rob Gronkowski (second-round) and TE Aaron Hernandez (fourth-round)

2008 – LB Jerod Mayo (first-round)

2006 – OL Ryan O'Callaghan (fifth-round)

2005 – OL Logan Mankins (first-round)

2004 – DL Vince Wilfork (first-round) and TE Ben Watson (first-round)

2002- TE Daniel Graham (first-round)

2001 - DL Jace Sayler (rookie free agent)

#### **ROOKIES MAKE IMPACT**

The Patriots had 11 rookies on the opening day roster. It is the sixth time during Patriots head coach Bill Belichick's 24-year tenure that he has had at least 10 rookies on the opening day roster. CB Christian Gonzalez (first round). DL Keion White (second round). LB Marte Mapu (third round), OL Jake Andrews (fourth round), K Chad Ryland (fourth round), OL Sidy Sow (fourth round), OL Atonio Mafi (fifth round), WR Kayshon Boutte (sixth round), P Bryce Baringer (sixth round), WR Demario Douglas (sixth round) and DB Ameer Speed (sixth round) were all on the opening day roster. DB Isaiah Bolden (seventh round) was on injured reserve prior to the start of the regular season. Speed was released on Oct. 19 and claimed by Indianapolis.

#### THIRD GO-AHEAD TD IN FINAL 15 SECONDS

TE Mike Gesicki's go-ahead touchdown from QB Mac Jones against the Buffalo Bills on Oct. 22, 2023 with 12 seconds to play was the Patriots third go-ahead touchdown in the final 15 seconds in the last 30 seasons. The others were Tom Brady to Kenbrell Thompkins with five seconds to play in a 30-27 win vs. New Orleans on Oct. 13, 2013, and Drew Bledsoe's 1-yard touchdown pass to TE Ben Coates as time expired in a 25-21 win vs. Buffalo on Nov. 29, 1998.

#### **ROOKIE KICKER AND ROOKIE PUNTER**

The Patriots have a rookie kicker and a rookie punter in 2023 after drafting K Chad Ryland in the fourth round and P Bryce Baringer in the sixth round. Since 2000, eight other NFL teams have had a rookie kicker and a rookie punter on the active roster for the season opening game: 2019 - Cleveland Browns, 2015 - Miami Dolphins, 2012 - St. Louis Rams, 2011 – Philadelphia Eagles, 2005 – New York Jets, 2002 – Baltimore Ravens, 2000 - Dallas Cowboys and 2000 - Oakland Raiders. The Patriots are the first team since the 2000 Oakland Raiders to begin the year with a rookie kicker and punter that were selected in the same draft.

Year	Kicker	Punter
2023 (Patriots)	Chad Ryland (Rd. 5)	Bryce Baringer (Rd. 6)
2019 (Browns)	Austin Selbert (FA)	Jamie Gillian (FA)
2015 (Dolphins)	Andrew Franks (FA)	Matt Darr (FA)
2012 (Rams)	Greg Zuerlein (Rd. 6)	Johnny Hekker (FA)
2011 (Eagles)	Alex Henery (FA)	Chas Henry (FA)
2005 (Jets)	Mike Nugent (Rd. 2)	Ben Graham (FA)
2002 (Ravens)	J.R. Jenkins (FA)	Dave Zastudi (Rd. 4)
2000 (Cowboys)	Tim Seder (FA)	Micah Knorr (FA)
2000 (Oakland)	Sebastian Janikowski (Rd. 1)	Shane Lechler (Rd. 5)

### ARCHIVED TEAM NOTES **TWO DECADES OF DOMINANCE**

The Patriots finished the 2010s with 125 regular season and 16 postseason wins (141 total), the most ever in a single decade.

#### TEAMS OF THE DECADES

Team	Years	Reg. Season	Postseason	n Total
New England	2010-19	125-35 (.781)	16-7 (.696)	141-42 (.770)
New England	2000-09	112-48 (.700)	14-4 (.778)	126-52 (.708)
Indianapolis	2000-09	115-45 (.719)	9-8 (.529)	124-53 (.701)
San Francisco	1990-99	113-47 (.706)	9-7 (.563)	122-54 (.693)

**TRIUMPH IN THE 2000S** 

The Patriots record of 294-130 (.693) since Bill Belichick became head coach in 2000 is the best in the NFL over that span.

#### **BEST RECORDS SINCE 2000** (INCLUDING POSTSEASON)

Team	W	L	Τ	Pct.
New England	294	130	0	.693
Pittsburgh	257	149	3	.632
Green Bay	251	158	2	.613
Baltimore	244	166	0	.595
Philadelphia	243	166	2	.594
Indianapolis	241	167	1	.590



#### AFC EAST SUPREMACY

The New England Patriots own a 102-36 (.739) record in regular season AFC East games since the beginning of the 2001 season, compiling the best intra-division record of any team in the NFL.

#### **NFL'S TOP DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001**

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	
New England	102	36	0	.739	
Pittsburgh	96	43	1	.689	
Green Bay	92	44	2	.674	
Indianapolis	90	48	1	.65	

#### **AFC EAST DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001**

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	Div. Tit	les Years
New England	102	36	0	.739	17	2001, 03-07, 09-19
Miami	62	76	0	.449	1	2008
Buffalo	60	78	0	.435	3	2020-22
N.Y. Jets	53	85	0	.384	1	2002

The New England Patriots have won 16 division titles and have 17 playoff berths since realignment in 2002, most in the NFL.

#### MOST DIVISION TITLES SINCE 2002 REALIGNMENT

Team	Division Titles	Playoff Berths
New England		
Green Bay		
Indianapolis		14
Seattle		
Pittsburgh		
Kansas City		
Philadelphia		

#### **54 SACKS IN 2022 TIED FOR THIRD**

The Patriots finished tied with Dallas for third in the NFL in 2022 with 54 sacks, behind Philadelphia (70) and Kansas City (55). The 54 sacks are the most under Bill Belichick, besting the 49 sacks by the 2015 team. It is the fifth-most sacks in a season in team history.

#### MOST SACKS IN NEW ENGLAND HISTORY

Sacks	Year
66	1963
58	1977
57	1979
55	1984
54	2022
51	1985

#### JUDON AND UCHE EACH RECORD 3 SACKS

LB Matthew Judon and LB Josh Uche each recorded three sacks vs. Indianapolis (11/6/22). It is the second time in team history that the Patriots had two players reach three sacks in a game. Don Blackmon and Andre Tippett each had a three-sack game on Sept. 9, 1985 vs. Green Bay. It was the first game in the NFL with a pair of teammates with at least three sacks since Aaron Donald and Troy Reeder in Week 5 of the 2020 season with the Los Angeles Rams.

#### **MOST DIVISION TITLES IN A DECADE**

The New England Patriots won 10 division titles in the 2010s, the most ever by a team in a single decade. The Patriots also won 11 straight division crowns overall from 2009-19, an NFL record.

#### MOST DIVISION TITLES IN A DECADE

Team	Decade	<b>Division Titles</b>
New England		10
Minnesota		8
New England	2000-09	7
San Francisco		7
Dallas		7
L.A. Rams		7
Pittsburgh		7
Cleveland	1950-58	7

#### **ALL-TIME WINNING SEASONS**

The Patriots have 35 seasons since the 1970 merger in which the team has finished above .500, third in the NFL to the Pittsburgh Steelers (39) and Dallas Cowboys (36). New England also had 19 consecutive winning seasons from 2001-19, the second longest streak in NFL history.

#### MOST WINNING SEASONS SINCE THE 1970 MERGER

Team	Seasons
Pittsburgh	39
Dallas	36
New England	35
Miami	34
Minnesota	32
Kansas City	30
San Francisco	30
Denver	29

#### **MOST WINNING SEASONS SINCE 2001**

Team	Seasons
New England	20
Pittsburgh	17
Philadelphia	
Baltimore	
Green Bay	
Seattle	
Indianapolis	
Kansas City	14

#### **MOST CONSECUTIVE SEASONS AT .500**

#### MOST CONSECUTIVE SEASONS WITH A .500 RECORD OR

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Team	Seasons	<b>Consecutive Seasons</b>	
Dallas	1965-85	21	
New England	2001-19		
Pittsburgh	2004-present		

#### SEVEN DEFENSIVE TDS; A TEAM RECORD

The Patriots scored on defense seven times in 2022, the most in the NFL and the most in team history. The Patriots eight non-offensive touchdowns led the NFL in 2022 (including DB Marcus Jones' punt return for a TD).



#### PATRIOTS DEFENSIVE TOUCHDOWNS IN 2022

- 1. DB Jack Jones returned an interception 40 yards for a touchdown at Green Bay on Oct. 2.
- 2. S Kyle Dugger returned a fumble 59 yards for a touchdown vs. Detroit on Oct. 9.
- **3. CB Jonathan Jones** returned an interception 17 yards for a touchdown vs. Indianapolis on Nov. 6.
- 4. LB Raekwon McMillan returned a fumble 23 yards for a touchdown at Arizona on Dec. 12.
- 5. S Kyle Dugger returned and interception 13-yard yards for a touchdown at Las Vegas on Dec. 18.
- DB Marcus Jones returned an interception 69 yards for a touchdown vs. Cincinnati on Dec. 24.
- 7. **S Kyle Dugger** returned an interception 39 yards for a touchdown vs. Miami on Jan. 1.

#### PATRIOTS CORRAL COLTS WITH 9 SACKS

The Patriots defense generated a season-high nine sacks vs. Indianapolis on Nov. 6, 2022, tied for the most under Bill Belichick. It is also tied for the second-most sacks in team history.

#### MOST PATRIOTS SACKS IN BELICHICK ERA

Date	Opponent	Sacks
11/06/22	vs. Indianapolis	9
11/04/01	at Atlanta	9
09/14/03	at Philadelphia	8
09/20/15	at Buffalo	8
12/17/05	vs. Tampa Bay	7
09/15/19	at Miami	7
11/26/17	vs. Miami	7
12/30/12	vs. Miami	7
12/23/07	vs. Miami	7

#### MOST SACKS IN TEAM HISTORY

Date	Opponent	Sacks
09/22/63	At Oakland	11
11/06/22	vs. Indianapolis	9
12/08/63	at Houston	9
11/28/76	vs. Denver	9
09/09/79	vs. N.Y. Jets	9
10/17/99	vs. Miami	9
11/04/01	at Atlanta	9

#### **17 STRAIGHT 10-WIN SEASONS**

New England reached at least 10 regular season wins for 17 consecutive seasons (2003-19), most in the NFL since the 1970 merger.

#### **MOST CONSECUTIVE 10-WIN SEASONS**

Team	Years	Consec. Seasons w/10+ Wins
New England	2003-19	
San Francisco	1983-18	
Indianapolis	2002-10	9
Kansas City	2015-22	8
Dallas	1975-81	7

#### **15 WINNING STREAKS OF 6 OR MORE**

The Patriots won their seventh game in a row at Buffalo (12/6/21) and now have 15 winning streaks of six or more games in a season since 2001, the most in the NFL.

Team	Winning Streaks of at least 6 games
New England	15
Green Bay	8
Indianapolis	7
New Orleans	7
Philadelphia	7
Kansas City	6
Pittsburgh	6

#### MOST 11-WIN SEASONS

The Patriots have won 11 games 21 times in team history, including an NFL record 10 consecutive seasons from 2010-19.

#### MOST 11-WIN SEASONS SINCE 1970 MERGER

Team	11+ Win Seasons
New Engla	nd 21
Dallas	
Pittsburgh	
San Franci	sco17
Denver	

#### **TEN STRAIGHT 11-WIN SEASONS**

#### **MOST CONSECUTIVE 11-WIN SEASONS**

Team	Years	Consec. Seasons w/11+ Wins
New England	2010-19.	10
Indianapolis	2003-09	7
Dallas	1976-81.	6
Kansas City	2018-22.	5
San Francisco	1994-98.	5
Dallas	1991-95.	5
Philadelphia	2000-04	5

#### **SEASONS WITH A DOZEN W'S**

The Patriots have 13 seasons of 12 or more wins since 1970, including an NFL-record of eight straight 12-win seasons from 2010-17.

#### **MOST 12-WIN SEASONS SINCE 1970 MERGER**

Team	12+ Win Seasons
San Francisco	15
Dallas	14
New England	13
Denver	11
Pittsburgh	



#### FLOATING ABOVE .500

Since 2001, the New England Patriots have held a record below .500 for only 49 weeks, fewest in the NFL over that span.

#### FEWEST WEEKS UNDER .500 SINCE 2001

Team	Weeks Under .500	
New England	49	
Baltimore	69	
Pittsburgh	80	
Green Bay		
Seattle		

#### MOST WINS AMONG ORIGINAL AFL TEAMS

The Patriots have the most overall wins among the original eight AFL teams.

#### OVERALL VICTORY TOTAL OF ORIGINAL AFL TEAMS

(INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)			
Team	W	L	T
New England	576	452	9
Kansas City	549	458	12
Denver	529	481	10
Las Vegas	527	485	11
L.A. Chargers	495	503	11
Tennessee	491	521	6
Buffalo	486	521	8
N.Y. Jets	437	558	8

#### FOURTH IN WINS SINCE 1960

Since the Patriots franchise began play in 1960, they have the fourth-most wins overall with 576 total wins.

#### MOST WINS IN PRO FOOTBALL SINCE 1960 (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

Team	W	L	Τ
Dallas Cowboys	595	441	6
Pittsburgh Steelers	593	434	11
Green Bay Packers	581	436	15
New England Patriots	576	452	9

#### NFL'S BEST AT HOME

Since Gillette Stadium opened in 2002, the Patriots own the NFL's best home record. The Patriots hold a 135-40 (.771) record at home in regular season games and a 154-45 (.774) record including playoffs. The Patriots are an NFL-best 198-68 at home since 1994, the year Robert Kraft purchased the team.

#### **BEST HOME RECORDS SINCE 2002**

#### (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

Team	W	L	Τ	Pct
New England	154	45	0	.774
Green Bay	132	55	2	.704
Pittsburgh	130	56	2	.697
Seattle	128	59	0	.684
Baltimore	127	54	0	.702

#### PATRIOTS EARN 15TH STRAIGHT VICTORY OVER JETS

The Patriots secured their 15th straight win over the New York Jets with a 15-10 victory on Sept. 24, 2023. It is tied for the longest winning streak over an opponent in team history.

#### PATRIOTS LONGEST WINNING STREAKS

Win Streak	Opponent	Date Begun	Date Ended
15	New York Jets	11/27/16	current
15	Buffalo Bills	12/27/03	12/26/10
11	Buffalo Bills	01/02/83	12/20/87
10	San Diego Charge	rs 12/02/73	10/14/01

#### LONGEST CURRENT NFL WINNING STREAKS

<u>Team</u>	Opponent	Win Streak
<b>New England Patriots</b>	New York Jets	15
Green Bay Packers	Chicago Bears	9
San Francisco 49ers	L.A. Rams	9

#### LONGEST NFL WINNING STREAKS OVER A SINGLE OPPONENT

<u>Team</u>	Opponent	Win Streak (Dates)
Miami Dolphins	Buffalo Bills	20 (1970-79)
San Francisco 49ers	St. Louis Rams	17 (1990-98)
Kansas City Chiefs	Denver Broncos	16 (2015-23))
Washington	Detroit Lions	16 (1968-97)
New England Patriots	New York Jets	15 (2016-current)
New England Patriots	Buffalo Bills	15 (2003-10)
Green Bay Packers	Chicago Cardinals	15 (1937-46)
Oakland Raiders	Denver Broncos	14 (1965-71)
Miami Dolphins	Indianapolis Colts	14 (1980-87)

#### **SEVEN STRAIGHT SERIES SWEEPS**

The Patriots have 23 series sweeps over the New York Jets after a series sweep in 2022, second most in team history to the 27 series sweeps over Buffalo. The Patriots seven straight series sweeps over the Jets are tied for the third-most consecutive series sweeps in NFL history and tied for the most consecutive sweeps by New England over an opponent.

#### MOST CONSECUTIVE SERIES SWEEPS IN NFL HISTORY

Seasons	Teams	Years
10	Miami over Buffalo	1970-1979
8	San Francisco over the Rams	1991-1998
7	New England over New York Jets	2016-present
7	Kansas City over Denver	2016-2022
7	New England over Buffalo	2004-2010
7	Oakland over Denver	1965-1971

#### MOST CONSECUTIVE SERIES SWEEPS IN NEW ENGLAND HISTORY

Seasons	Teams	Years
7	New England over New York Jets	2016-present
7	New England over Buffalo	2004-10



#### **MOST SEASON SERIES SWEEPS SINCE 2000**

Swe	eps Team
15	New England over Buffalo
14	New England over New York Jets
14	Pittsburgh over Cleveland
13	Minnesota over Detroit
13	Green Bay over Chicago

#### **ROAD WARRIORS**

Since the start of the 1994 season when Robert Kraft purchased the team, the Patriots have the best regular season road record in the NFL. New England has finished undefeated on the road twice (2007 and 2016).

#### **BEST ROAD RECORDS SINCE 1994**

BEST ROAD RECORDS SINCE 1994					
Team	W	L	Τ	Pct	
New England	143	95	0	.601	
Pittsburgh	131	106	1	.553	
Philadelphia	124	113	2	.523	
Indianapolis	122	116	1	.513	
Green Bay	122	117	0	.510	
New Orleans	121	119	0	.504	

#### WINNING THE CLOSE ONES

Since 2001, New England owns the NFL's best record (including postseason) in games decided by three points or fewer. New England is 7-2 in those close games in the playoffs.

#### BEST RECORD IN GAMES DECIDED BY 3 POINTS OR FEWER SINCE 2001 (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

Team	W	L	τ	Win Pct
New England	48	25	0	.658
Indianapolis	54	36	1	.599
Pittsburgh	53	41	3	.562
N.Y. Jets	41	32	0	.562
Seattle	51	40	1	.560
Tennessee	54	45	0	.545

#### **INTER-CONFERENCE RECORD**

The New England Patriots own a 63-28 (.692) record vs. NFC teams since realignment in 2002, the best inter-conference record in the NFL during that time.

#### NFL'S BEST INTER-CONFERENCE RECORD SINCE 2002

Team	W	L	Τ	Pct.	
New England	63	28	0	.692	
Pittsburgh	59	29	2	.667	
Baltimore	57	32	0	.640	
Kansas City	55	36	0	.604	

#### **MODEL OF CONSISTENCY**

The New England Patriots have had only one head coach since 2000, showing an unparalleled level of stability in the AFC East.

#### **HEAD COACHES IN AFC EAST SINCE 2000**

1
7
10
11

#### **DECADES OF VICTORY**

The Patriots own nine of the 10 highest winning percentages in any 10 consecutive seasons since 1970.

#### HIGHEST WINNING PERCENTAGE IN 10 CONSECUTIVE SEASONS (SINCE 1970)

Winning Percentage	Team	Years
.788	Patriots	2003-12
.788	Patriots	2007-16
.781	Patriots	2010-19
.775	Patriots	2004-13
.775	Patriots	2006-15
.769	Patriots	2002-11
.769	Patriots	2008-17
.769	Patriots	2009-18
.769	49ers	1989-98
.763	Patriots	2005-14

**OFFENSE** 

#### **PROTECTING THE BALL**

Since 2008, the Patriots have totaled 94 regular season games without a turnover, second in the NFL to Green Bay.

#### ZERO TURNOVER GAMES (SINCE 2008)

Green Bay	99
New England	94
Kansas City	81
Seattle	77
San Francisco	77

#### **BALL SECURITY PAYS OFF**

Since 2001, the Patriots are an NFL-best 159-34 when not throwing an interception.

ZERO INTERCEPTION GAMES			
Team	Games with No Int.	W-L-T	Win Pct.
New England	193	. 159-34-0	
Green Bay		148-34-2	
Kansas City		. 125-52-0	
Seattle	174	123-50-1	710
Jacksonville		96-74-0	

# **PATRIOTS** TEAM NOTES DEFENSE

# **FORCING THE ISSUE**

The Patriots lead the NFL with a plus-233 turnover margin since 1994. The Patriots have gone 17 straight seasons with a positive turnover ratio (2006-22), the longest streak since the merger. Seattle is second with 12 straight (2011-22).

# **NFL TURNOVER MARGIN SINCE 1994**

New England+	233
Kansas City	156
Green Bay	+133

# LIMITING OFFENSES

The 2021 New England Patriots finished 2nd in the NFL for fewest points allowed with 17.8 points allowed per game. The Patriots finished in the top 10 in fewest points allowed for 10 seasons from 2012 to 2021. The last team to do that in 10 consecutive seasons was Tampa Bay (10 straight from 1996 to 2005).

# **GETTING DEFENSIVE**

Since 2001, the Patriots have recorded 14 seasons of 20.0 points allowed or fewer, second to the 15 seasons by Baltimore.

# SEASONS ALLOWING 20 POINTS PER GAME OR FEWER SINCE 2001

Team	Seasons
Baltimore	15
New England	14
Pittsburgh	13
Denver	9
Miami	8
Chicago	8
Seattle	8
Jacksonville	8
N.Y. Jets	8

Years 2001, 03-06, 08-11, 14, 17-20, 22 2001, 03-04, 06-10, 14-17, 19, 21 2001, 04-08, 10-12, 15, 17, 20 2003-06, 12, 15-16, 19, 21 2001-03, 05-06, 08, 11-12 2001, 2005-06, 10, 12, 17-19 2005, 07, 11-16 2001-02, 04-07, 17-18 2001, 03-04, 06, 09, 10, 15, 22

# **SPECIAL TEAMS**

# **BLOCKED KICKS SINCE 2014**

The Patriots are tied for the NFL lead with 22 blocked kicks since 2014.

New England	22 (10 FGs, 3 XPs & 9 Punts)
Philadelphia	
Denver	
Miami	







# **REGULAR SEASON HOME RECORD SINCE 2002**

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
New England	135	40	0	.771
Baltimore	125	50	0	.714
Green Bay	125	48	2	.720
Pittsburgh	123	51	2	.705

#### **HOME PLAYOFF RECORD SINCE 2002**

Team	W	L	Pct.
New England	19	4	.826
Seattle	10	2	.833
Kansas City	9	6	.600
Philadelphia	9	5	.643
Indianapolis	8	3	.727
San Francisco	7	1	.875

#### HOME RECORD SINCE 2002 (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
New England	154	44	0	.778
Green Bay	132	55	2	.704
Pittsburgh	130	56	2	.697
Seattle	128	59	0	.684
Baltimore	127	54	0	.702
Indianapolis	122	64	0	.650

# HOME RECORD VS. NFC SINCE 2002

Team	W	L	Τ	Pct.
Baltimore	35	10	0	.778
Pittsburgh	34	10	2	.761
Kansas City	33	13	0	.717
New England	31	15	0	.674
Denver	31	15	0	.674

# HOME RECORD VS. DIVISIONAL OPPONENTS SINCE 2002

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
New England	52	13	0	.800
Indianapolis	48	17	0	.738
Pittsburgh	48	17	0	.738
Green Bay	45	18	2	.708
Seattle	44	22	0	.667

### POINT DIFFERENTIAL AT HOME SINCE 2002 (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

Team	<b>Point Differential</b>
New England	1,911
Green Bay	1,336
Baltimore	1,332
Seattle	1,147
Pittsburgh	1,122

# POINTS ALLOWED PER GAME AT HOME SINCE 2002 (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

Team	Point Average
Baltimore	17.3
New England	17.8
Pittsburgh	19.2
Seattle	19.4
Green Bay	19.5
Philadelphia	19.9

# POINTS SCORED PER GAME AT HOME SINCE 2002 (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

Team	Point Average
New England	27.4
New Orleans	27.2
Green Bay	26.6
Dallas	26.4
Seattle	25.5
L.A. Chargers	25.4
Indianapolis	25.4



# TEAM

1

The Patriots are the first team since the 2000 Raiders to take a kicker and a punter in the same draft after selecting K Chad Ryland in the fourth round and P Bryce Baringer in the sixth round in 2023. The 2000 Raiders took K Sebastian Janikowski in the first round and P Shane Lechler in the fifth round. Those are the only times that has happened since the draft moved to seven rounds in 1994.

#### 2

The Patriots have two sets of twins on the team with Kyle Dugger (Kaelyn) and Davon Godchaux (Devin).

#### 2

The Patriots have two Cliff Harris Award winners on the roster with DB Kyle Dugger (2019) and DL Sam Roberts (2021). The award is given to the best defensive player from a small school and is named after Dallas Pro Football Hall of Famer Cliff Harris. The Patriots are the third team to have at least two Cliff Harris Award winners on the same team since the award was first handed out in 2013, joining the 2021 Chicago Bears with DB Marqui Christian (2015) and DB Michael Joseph (2017) and the 2020 New York Jets with DB Marqui Christian (2015), DB Corey Ballentine (2018) and DB Pierre Desir (2013).

#### 2

The Patriots have two Paul Hornung Award winners as the nation's most versatile player with DB Jabrill Peppers (2016) and DB Marcus Jones (2021).

#### 3

DB Kyle Dugger scored three touchdowns in 2022 with two interceptions and a fumble returned for touchdowns. He needs one more defensive touchdown to tie Willie McGinest and Tedy Bruschi for the second-most defensive touchdowns in team history with four to the six by Ty Law.

#### 4

DB Marcus Jones scored on a 48-yard TD pass from QB Mac Jones vs. Buffalo on Dec. 1, 2022. He joins LB Mike Vrabel, LB Elandon Roberts and LB/DE John Tanner as the only New England defensive players to catch touchdowns.

#### 6

Bill Belichick has had 10 or more rookies on his opening day roster six times since 2000. 2000 (10), 2009 (10), 2010 (11), 2013 (13), 2015 (10) and 2023 (11 draft picks).

#### 10

The Patriots finished in the top 10 in fewest points allowed in ten straight seasons from 2012 through 2021. The last team to do that in 10 consecutive seasons was Tampa Bay (10 straight from 1996 to 2005).

# 10

The Patriots finished in the top 10 in total defense 10 times since 2000 and enter this week with a defense that is ranked 8th overall.

#### 17

The Patriots have finished with a positive turnover ratio for 17 straight seasons (2006-22), the longest streak since the 1970 merger. Seattle is second with 12 straight seasons with a positive turnover ratio (2011-22).

#### 19

The Patriots went 19 straight seasons (2001-19) without being swept in a series by a division opponent, the longest such streak since the 1970 NFL merger.

#### 109-4

The Patriots are 109-4 all-time at Gillette Stadium in the regular season when leading at halftime.

# **ROBERT KRAFT**

# 6

The number of Super Bowl championships the Patriots have won since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994, twice as many as any other team during that time. In the 57-year history of the Super Bowl, no franchise has won more than six.

#### 10

The number of conference championships the Patriots have won since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994, the NFL record for most conference championships as an owner.

#### 19

The number of division championships won by the Patriots since Kraft purchased the team in 1994.

# 22

The number of playoff berths earned by the Patriots in the 29 seasons since Robert Kraft purchased the team.

# 49

The number of playoff games the Patriots have appeared in since 1994, the most in the NFL. Green Bay is second with 41.

# 351

The number of games the Patriots have won, including playoffs, since Robert Kraft purchased the franchise in 1994. Prior to Kraft's ownership, the team had won 225 total games in its entire 34-year history from 1960-93.

# BILL BELICHICK

# 2

Bill Belichick's 331 wins (regular season and playoffs combined) are second among all-time NFL head coaches, and he needs just 17 wins to pass Don Shula (347).

#### 4

Belichick is the first head coach to lead his team to four 500-point seasons (2007, 10-12).

## 6

Belichick has won six Super Bowls as a head coach, the most Super Bowl wins by a head coach in NFL history.

# 7

The number of 13-win seasons by Bill Belichick, the most among all NFL coaches.

# 9

Belichick has the most conference championships by a head coach with nine.

### 12

Super Bowl LIII was Belichick's 12th Super Bowl overall, including nine as a head coach and three as an assistant coach.

#### 19

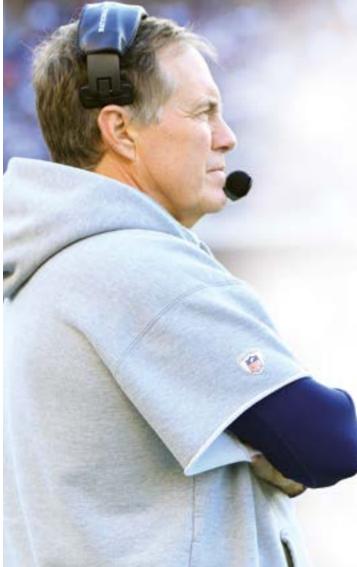
Bill Belichick led the Patriots to 19-straight seasons with a winning record (2001-19), second all-time behind Tom Landry, whose Dallas Cowboys accomplished the feat 20 straight seasons from 1966-85.

#### 31

Bill Belichick has the most postseason victories by an NFL coach with 31. Tom Landry is second with 20 postseason wins.

#### 50

Bill Belichick has won at least one game in 50 different stadiums, including the postseason. The only two current NFL stadiums where he hasn't recorded a win are Allegiant Stadium and U.S. Bank Stadium. Andy Reid is second with wins in 44 different stadiums.



# **BELICHICK BY THE NUMBERS**

49<sup>™</sup> COACHING SEASON | 49<sup>™</sup> NFL SEASON 24<sup>™</sup> SEASON AS PATRIOTS HEAD COACH 29<sup>™</sup> HEAD COACHING SEASON

SUPER BOWL WINS (8):

'86 | '90 | '01 | '03 | '04 | '14 | '16 | '18

CONFERENCE TITLES (12): '86 | '90 | '96 | '01 | '03 | '04 | '07 | '11 | '14 | '16 | '17 | '18

# **DIVISION TITLES (24):**

75 | 78 | 86 | 89 | 90 | 96 | 98 | 01 | 03 | 04 | 05 06 | 07 | 09 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19

> CAREER RECORD: **331-175 (.654)** REGULAR SEASON: **300-162 (.649)** POSTSEASON: **31-13 (.705)** PATRIOTS RECORD: **294-130 (.693)**

Bill Belichick is the only head coach in NFL history to win six Super Bowl titles. He won more games overall (141) during a 10-year stretch (2010-19) than any other coach in NFL history. In 2007, Belichick led the Patriots to the fourth undefeated and untied regular season in NFL history and the only one since the NFL established a 16-game schedule in 1978. His 49 consecutive years as an NFL coach are most in NFL history. The only other NFL coaches with at least 40 consecutive NFL coaching seasons are Dick LeBeau (45) and Tom Moore (41).



# **BELICHICK POINTS OF INTEREST**

- Bill Belichick has an NFL-best six Super Bowl championships as a head coach, joining George Halas and Curly Lambeau as the only NFL coaches with six championships since the league began postseason play in 1933.
- Belichick has 331 total victories (regular season and playoffs combined), second all-time behind Don Shula (347).
- Belichick (300) is third NFL coach with 300 career regular season wins, joining Don Shula (328) and George Halas (318).
- Belichick's 17 division titles are the most by a head coach in NFL history. Andy Reid, Don Shula and Tom Landry are tied for second with 13.
- Belichick owns the NFL record with 17 seasons of 11 wins in the regular season. Andy Reid is second with 14.
- Belichick has the NFL record with 13 seasons with 12 regular season victories. Andy Reid is second with nine.

# **BELICHICK POINTS OF INTEREST**

- Belichick is in his 24th season as the head coach of the New England Patriots the fifth-longest tenure with one team as a head coach.
- Belichick is the only head coach in NFL history with seven seasons of 13-plus wins. George Seifert is second with four 13-win seasons.
- Belichick has five 14-win seasons. George Seifert is second with three.
- Belichick has led his teams to 19 postseason berths as a head coach, tied with Don Shula for the most among NFL head coaches all-time.
- The 2023 season is Belichick's 49th consecutive NFL season as a coach, the most consecutive coaching seasons in NFL history.
- Belichick is second with 264 regular season wins with one team (Patriots), behind George Halas (318). He is the fourth coach with at least 250 career regular season wins with one team.

# ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Belichick (506) id tied with George Halas (506) for the second-most games coached, behind the 526 games coached by Don Shula. Belichick, Halas and Shula are the only coaches with 500 total games as head coach.
- Belichick has 21 winning seasons as a head coach, behind George Halas (34) and Don Shula (27) and Curly Lambeau (27).
- Belichick is in his 29th season as a head coach, tied or the fourth-most seasons as a head coach, behind George Halas (40), Don Shula (33), Curly Lambeau (33) and Tom Landry (29).

# THE THIRD HIGHEST WINNING PCT.

Bill Belichick's 331 career wins are the second-most and his .654 career winning percentage as a head coach is the third-most in NFL history.

# TOP WINNING PERCENTAGE AMONG HEAD COACHES WITH AT LEAST 160 WINS (INCL. POSTSEASON)

Head Coach	Team(s)	Years	W	L	T	Pct.
George Halas	Chicago	1920-29, 33-41,	324	151	31	.682
		46-55, 58-67				
Don Shula	BLT/MIA	1963-95	347	173	6	.666
Bill Belichick	CLE/NE	1991-95, 2000-23	331	175	0	.654
Andy Reid	PHI/KC	1999-23	277	158	1	.636
NOTE: Winning	percentage calcu	lated using current N	JEL rul	es coi	untin	a a tie

NOTE: Winning percentage calculated using current NFL rules, counting a tie as a half-win, half-loss.

# **MOVING ON UP**

Bill Belichick is second with 331 career wins, 16 games behind Don Shula (347).

### MOST WINS BY NFL COACHES (INCL. POSTSEASON)

Head Coach	Team(s)	Years	W	L	T
Don Shula	BLT/MIA	1963-95	347	173	6
Bill Belichick	CLE/NE	1991-95, 2000-23	331	175	0
George Halas	Chicago	1920-29, 33-41,	324	151	31
		46-55, 58-67			
Andy Reid	PHI/KC	1999-2023	277	158	1
Tom Landry	Dallas	1960-88	270	178	6
Curly Lambeau	GB/CHI/WAS	1921-53	229	134	2

# **SUPER SUCCESS**

Bill Belichick has won six Super Bowls, the most by a head coach.

#### MOST SUPER BOWL VICTORIES

Head Coach	Team	Titles	Seasons
Bill Belichick	New England	6	2001, 03-04, 14, 16, 18
Chuck Noll	Pittsburgh	4	1974-75, 78-79
Joe Gibbs	Washington	3	1982, 87, 91
Bill Walsh	San Francisco	3	1981, 84, 88
NOTE: Sorted b	y most recent ch	ampionsl	nip. Super Bowls have determined
the NFL champion	on since 1966.		

# **ELITE COMPANY**

Bill Belichick joined George Halas and Curly Lambeau as the only coaches with six NFL championships.

# HEAD COACHES WITH FOUR OR MORE NFL TITLES

Coach	NFL Titles	Championship Teams
Bill Belichick	6	New England (SB XXXVI, XXXVIII,
		XXXIX, XLIX, LI and LIII)
George Halas	6	Chicago (1921, 33, 40, 41, 46 & 63)
Curly Lambeau	6	Green Bay (1929, 30, 31, 36, 39 & 44)
Vince Lombardi	5	Green Bay (1961, 62, 65, SB   & II)
Chuck Noll	4	Pittsburgh (SB IX, X, XII, XIV)

# **12 SUPER BOWL APPEARANCES**

Super Bowl LIII was Bill Belichick's 12th career Super Bowl appearance, the most appearances by a coach who eventually became a head coach.

# MOST SUPER BOWL APPEARANCES AS A HEAD COACH (INCLUDING YEARS AS AN ASSISTANT)

Bill Belichick	12 (nine as a head coach)
Dan Reeves	7 (four as a head coach)
Andy Reid	6 (four as a head coach)
Don Shula	6 (six as a head coach)
Tom Landry	5 (five as a head coach)
Chuck Noll	5 (four as a head coach)
Marv Levy	5 (four as a head coach)

# NINE CONFERENCE TITLES ARE THE MOST IN SUPER BOWL ERA

# MOST CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS BY A HEAD COACH IN SUPER BOWL ERA

HEAD COACH	TEAM	#	SEASONS	SUPER BOWL APPEARANCES
Bill Belichick	New England	9	2001, 2003, 2004, 2007, 2011, 2014, 2016, 2017, 2018	XXXVI, XXXVIII, XXXIX, XLII, XLVI, XLIX, LI, LII, LIII
Don Shula	Baltimore/Miami	6	1968, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1982, 1984	III, VI, VII, VIII, XVII, XIX
Tom Landry	Dallas	5	1970, 1971, 1975, 1977, 1978	V, VI, X, XII, XIII
Joe Gibbs	Washington	4	1982, 1983, 1987, 1991	XVII, XVIII, XXII, XXVI
Bud Grant	Minnesota	4	1969, 1973, 1974, 1976	IV, VII, IX, XI
Marv Levy	Buffalo	4	1990, 1991, 1992, 1993	XXV, XXVI, XXVII, XXVIII
Chuck Noll	Pittsburgh	4	1974, 1975, 1978, 1979	IX, X, XIII, XIV
Dan Reeves	Denver/Atlanta	4	1986, 1987, 1989, 1998	XXI, XXII, XXIV, XXIII
Andy Reid	Philadelphia/Kansas City	4	2004, 2019, 2020, 2022	XXXIX, LIV, LV, LVII



#### **POSTSEASON COACHING MARK**

Bill Belichick coached in his NFL-record 37th postseason game in the 2017 AFC Divisional Playoff against Tennessee, moving past Tom Landry and Don Shula for the most in NFL history. He has now coached in 44 postseason games.

# MOST POSTSEASON GAMES AS A HEAD COACH

Head Coach	Team(s)	Games
Bill Belichick	Cleveland/New England	
Andy Reid	Philadelphia/Kansas City	
Tom Landry	Dallas	
Don Shula	Baltimore/Miami	
Chuck Noll	Pittsburgh	24
Mike Holmgren	Green Bay/Seattle	24
Joe Gibbs	Washington	24

#### **13 CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP GAME APPEARANCES**

Coach Belichick reached his 13th conference championship game as a head coach in 2018, extending his record for the most since the 1970 merger.

# MOST CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES AS A HEAD COACH

Head Coach	Conference Championship Games
Bill Belichick	
Tom Landry	
Andy Reid	
Don Shula	7
Chuck Noll	7
John Madden	6
Bill Cowher	6

#### **MOST POSTSEASON WINS**

Coach Belichick earned his NFL-record 21st postseason victory after the Patriots defeated the Indianapolis Colts in the 2014 AFC Championship Game. He now has 31 career postseason victories.

# MOST PLAYOFF WINS BY AN NFL HEAD COACH

Coach	Team(s)	Wins
Bill Belichick	CLE/NE	31
Andy Reid	KC/PHI	22
Tom Landry	Dallas	20
Don Shula	BLT/MIA	19
Joe Gibbs	Washington	17
Chuck Noll	Pittsburgh	16

# BEST NFL POSTSEASON WIN PERCENTAGE (MINIMUM 10 GAMES)

Head Coach	Team	w	L	PCT.
Vince Lombardi	GB/WAS	9	1	.900
Tom Flores	Oakland	8	3	.727
Bill Walsh	San Francisco	10	4	.714
Joe Gibbs	Washington	17	7	.708
Bill Belichick	CLE/NE	31	13	.705
Sean McVay	L.A. Rams	7	3	.700
Jimmy Johnson	DAL/MIA	9	4	.692

#### **DIVISION TITLES RECORD**

Coach Belichick 17 division titles are the most by a head coach in NFL history. Andy Reid, Don Shula and Tom Landry are second with 13 titles.

## **POSTSEASON BERTHS**

Bill Belichick has led his teams to 19 postseason berths, tied for first all-time among NFL head coaches.

# NFL HEAD COACHES WITH THE MOST POSTSEASON BERTHS

Head Coach Postseason Appearance	
Bill Belichick	
Don Shula	
Tom Landry	
Andy Reid	

#### **MOST CONSECUTIVE DIVISION TITLES**

Coach Belichick is the first NFL coach to lead his team to 11 consecutive division titles, after claiming the AFC East crown in 2019. Andy Reid (2016-22) has led his team to seven straight titles.

# NFL COACHES WITH THE MOST CONSECUTIVE DIVISION TITLES

Head Coach	Team	Consec. Div. Titles
Bill Belichick	New England	11 (2009-19)
Andy Reid	Kansas Čity	
Paul Brown	Cleveland	6 (1950-55)
Tom Landry	Dallas	6 (1966-71)
Bud Grant	Minnesota	
Chuck Noll	Pittsburgh	

### **CAREER MILESTONE - 300 REGULAR SEASON WINS**

Coach Belichick is the third NFL head coach to reach 300 regular season victories.

# MOST REGULAR SEASON WINS, NFL HEAD COACHES

Head Coach	Team(s)	W	L	Τ
Don Shula	BLT/MIA	328	156	6
George Halas	Chicago	318	148	31
Bill Belichick	CLE/NE	300	162	0
Andy Reid	PHI/KC	255	142	1
Tom Landry	Dallas	250	162	6
Curly Lambeau	GB/CHI/WAS	226	132	22

### **CLIMBING THE WINS LADDER**

Belichick has 264 career regular season wins with the Patriots, the second-most regular season wins with one team among head coaches.

### NFL HEAD COACHES WITH THE MOST REGULAR SEASON WINS WITH ONE TEAM

Coach	Team	W	L	Τ
George Halas	Chicago	318	148	31
Bill Belichick	New England	264	118	0
Don Shula	Miami	257	133	2
Tom Landry	Dallas	250	162	6
Curly Lambeau	Green Bay	209	104	21

#### **3X COACH OF THE YEAR**

The Associated Press named Bill Belichick the NFL's Coach of the Year in 2003, 2007 and 2010. He joined Don Shula (four-time winner) and Chuck Knox as the only three-time winners.

### PATRIOTS RENAISSANCE

Once head coach Bill Belichick implemented his coaching design on the Patriots, his approach has given him the second-best record of any NFL head coach since 2001 (including the postseason).

# NFL COACHES RECORDS SINCE 2001 (MINIMUM 70 GAMES)

Coach	Team(s)	W	L	T	Pct.	
Tony Dungy	TB/IND	101	41	0	.711	
Bill Belichick	New England	289	119	0	.708	
Jim Harbaugh	San Francisco	49	22	1	.688	
Bill Cowher	Pittsburgh	70	35	1	.665	

### **ABOVE THE CENTURY MARK**

Bill Belichick has an overall record of 331-175, 156 games above the .500 mark. Belichick, Don Shula, George Halas and Andy Reid are the only coaches with 100 more wins than losses.

#### **COACHES WITH 100 OR MORE WINS THAN LOSSES**

Head Coach	Team(s)	W	L	T	Wins above .500
Don Shula	BLT/MIA	347	173	6	174
George Halas	Chicago	324	151	31	173
Bill Belichick	CLE/NE	331	175	0	156
Andy Reid	PHI/KC	277	158	1	119

#### **500+ FOR 3 STRAIGHT YEARS**

Coach Belichick became the first head coach in NFL history to lead his team to three straight 500-point seasons (2010-12) and four overall (2007-589, 2010-518, 2011-513 and 2012-557). St. Louis was the only other team to have done it three consecutive times (1999-526, 2000-540, 2001-503).

# **BILL BELICHICK'S 500-POINT SEASONS**

Season	Points Scored
2007	
2010	
2011	513
2012	

# **TWO DECADES WITH THE PATRIOTS**

The 2023 season is Bill Belichick's 24th season as head coach of the New England Patriots. He is one of seven coaches to coach one team for at least 20 years.

# **20 YEAR HEAD COACHES WITH ONE TEAM**

Head Coach	Years with Team
George Halas	
Curly Lambeau	
Tom Landry	
Don Shula	
Bill Belichick	24 with New England
Chuck Noll	
Steve Owen	

#### **BELICHICK HAS 21 WINNING SEASON AS A HEAD COACH**

Bill Belichick secured his 21st winning season as a head coach in 2021, including his 20th winning season as the head coach of the Patriots.

# WINNING SEASONS AS A HEAD COACH

Head coach	Winning Seasons
George Halas	34
Don Shula	27
Curly Lambeau	27
Bill Belichick	21
Tom Landry	20

#### **BETTER THAN AVERAGE**

Coach Belichick led the Patriots to 19 straight seasons with a winning record (2001-19), second all-time behind Tom Landry, whose Dallas Cowboys accomplished the feat 20 straight seasons.

# MOST CONSECUTIVE SEASONS WITH A WINNING RECORD

Head Coach	Team	Years
Tom Landry	Dallas	
Bill Belichick	New England	
Curly Lambeau	Green Bay	14 – 1934-47
Curly Lambeau	Green Bay	12 – 1921-32
Andy Reid		10 - 2013-22
George Halas	Chicago	10 – 1933-42
John Madden		10 – 1969-78

# **DOUBLE-DIGIT WINS**

Coach Belichick led New England to 17 consecutive seasons with at least 10 wins, an NFL record.

# **MOST CONSECUTIVE 10-WIN SEASONS**

Team	Years	Consec. Seasons w/10+ Wins
New England	2003-19	
San Francisco	1993-98	
Indianapolis	2002-10	9
Kansas City	2015-22	8
Dallas	1975-81	7

#### **DIVISIONAL SUCCESS**

#### HIGHEST WIN PCT. VS. DIVISION OPPONENTS (SINCE 1970 - MINIMUM 60 GAMES)

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Head Coach	Team(s)	W	L	T	Win Pct.
George Allen	LAR/WAS	42	18	2	.700
Bud Grant	Minnesota	69	31	1	.688
Tom Landry	Dallas	101	46	0	.687
Mike Tomlin	Pittsburgh	68	31	1	.685
Mike McCarthy	GB/DAL	66	30	2	.684
Bill Belichick	CLE/NE	119	59	0	.669

### **MOST WINS VS. DIVISION OPPONENTS SINCE 1970**

Head Coach	Team(s)	Wins vs. Div. Opponents
Don Shula	Miami	
Bill Belichick	CLE/NE	119
Tom Landry	Dallas	
Andy Reid	PHI/KC	
Dan Reeves	DEN/NYG/	ATL95
Marty Schottenheimer	CLE/KC/SE	D/WAS95

#### **BELICHICK MOVES PAST SHULA**

Belichick is the fourth NFL head coach to reach 400 games coached with one team and is second all-time with 424, behind George Halas (506 with Chicago) and Tom Landry (454 with Dallas).

# MOST GAMES COACHING WITH ONE TEAM (INCLUDING POSTSEASON)

Coach	Total Games	<u>Team</u>
George Halas	506	Chicago
Tom Landry	454	Dallas
Bill Belichick	424	New England
Don Shula	423	Miami



# **BACK TO NEW ENGLAND**

 When the Patriots acquired OL Trent Brown in 2021 via trade for the second time, he became the fourth NFL player since 1980 to be traded to the same team multiple times.

#### PLAYERS TRADED MULTIPLE TIMES TO SAME TEAM (SINCE 1980)

(SINCE 1980)				
<u>Player</u>	Team	Trade #1	Trade #2	
Walter White	Arizona	1980	1980	
Mark Hermann	Indianapolis	1983	1988	
Jerome Harrison	Philadelphia	2010	2011	
Trent Brown	New England	2018	2021	



#### THE MEANING BEHIND THE NICKNAME

Demario Douglas is more commonly referred to by his nickname, "Pop". Although the nickname is fitting for his quickness on the field, the name actually comes from family ties. Douglas' granddad passed away on his first birthday. The wide receiver was commonly referred to as 'Poppa' from his granddad – a nickname that was quickly shortened to just 'Pop'.



#### 1,000 YARD SEASONS

• The three-time Pro Bowler (2016, 2018 and 2019) has four 1,000yard seasons, including a career-high and NFL-leading 1,631 rushing yards as a rookie in 2016. He became the fifth rookie since the merger to lead the NFL in rushing, joining Earl Campbell, George Rogers, Eric Dickerson and Edgerrin James. In addition, he rushed for 10 or more touchdowns four times, including 15 rushing touchdowns as a rookie in 2016. In addition, he has 30 100-yard rushing games.

# MOST CONSECUTIVE SEASONS W/ 8+ SCRIMMAGE TDS TO START NFL CAREER - ALL-TIME

- LaDainian Tomlinson Jim Brown **Ezekiel Elliott** Adrian Peterson Emmitt Smith
- 9 (2001 2009) 9 (1057 1965)
- 9 (1957 1965)
- **7** (2016 present) 7 (2007 – 2013)
- 7 (2007 2013)
- 7 (1990 1996)



# **MULTI-SPORT ATHLETE**

The Penn State record holder for most receptions by a tight end in the school's history, believe it or not, did not receive his first recruiting letter from the Penn State football staff, but instead from the men's volleyball head coach Mark Pavlik. Gesicki, a four-year varsity starter on his high school volleyball team, credits the sport as a reason for his incredible 38 ½ inch vertical. "The entire sport, especially the position I was playing, is jumping. Every day, I was jumping up and hitting 50 to 100 balls." he shared with ESPN.



#### HENRY SCORES TWO LONGEST TD PASSES OF HIS CAREER

TE Hunter Henry scored on a 31-yard touchdown pass from QB Bailey Zappe in the third quarter at Cleveland on Oct. 16, 2022, and had a 37-yard touchdown from Mac Jones at Minnesota in the third quarter on Nov. 24, 2022, the longest touchdown receptions of his career. His previous best was a 30-yard touchdown pass at Jacksonville on Dec. 8, 2019, when he played for the Chargers in 2021.







#### WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2023

- QB Mac Jones is in seventh place on New England's all-time passing list with 8,918 career passing yards and needs 1,014 passing yards to move past Jim Plunkett (9,932) for sixth place on the list.
- Jones has the highest completion percentage in team history at 66.1.
- In 2022, Jones finished with a 65.2 completion percentage for his second season with a completion percentage of at least 65%. He finished his rookie season with a 67.6 completion percentage. Jones joins Justin Herbert and Joe Burrow as the only quarterbacks to have completed at least 65% of their passes in their first two seasons. Herbert and Burrow are the only quarterbacks to accomplish this feat in their first three seasons. He has completed 64.9 of his passes so far in 2023.

#### SECOND-BEST COMPLETION PERCENTAGE

 QB Mac Jones had a 66.5 completion percentage through his first two seasons, the second-highest in a quarterback's first two NFL seasons, behind the 68.2 completion percentage that Joe Burrow recorded in 2020 and 2021.

# HIGHEST PASS COMPLETION IN FIRST TWO SEASONS

Player	Completions Percentage
Joe Burrow	68.2
Mac Jones	66.5
Deshaun W	atson 66.4

#### JONES SETS CAREER-HIGH WITH 382 YARDS PASSING

 Jones set a career-high with 382 yards passing at Minnesota on Nov. 24, 2022, for his second 300-yard game of the 2022 season. Jones' previous best was 321 yards vs. Baltimore on Sept. 25, 2022. Jones finished 28-of-39 (.718) for 382 yards with two touchdowns for a passer rating of 119.8 against the Vikings.

#### JONES HAD TWO TOUCHDOWNS OF 30 YARDS OR MORE

Jones had two touchdown passes of more than 30 yards vs. Minnesota (11/24/22), completing a 34-yard touchdown pass to WR Nelson Agholor and a 37-yard touchdown pass to TE Hunter Henry. Overall, he had four passes of 30 or more yards against Minnesota, the most he has had in one game, besting the three he had vs. Baltimore on Sept. 25, 2022 and at Miami on Jan. 9, 2022.

#### **CAREER-HIGH WITH .852 COMPLETION PERCENTAGE**

 Jones set a career-high with a .852 completion percentage after completing 23-of-27 passes for 246 yards vs. the New York Jets (11/20/22). It is fourth highest in team history. Jones' previous best was .846 at Atlanta (23-of-26) on Nov. 18, 2021.

# HIGHEST COMPLETION PERCENTAGE IN A GAME/PATRIOTS HISTORY (MINIMUM 20 ATTEMPTS)

.885	Tom Brady vs. Jacksonville, Dec. 27, 2009 (26-23)
.857	Tom Brady vs. Chicago, Oct. 26, 2014 (35-30)

- .853 Tom Brady vs. Tennessee, Oct. 18, 2009 (34-29)
- .852
   Mac Jones vs. N.Y. Jets, Nov. 20, 2022 (27-23)

   .846
   Mac Jones at Atlanta, Nov. 18, 2021 (26-22)

# JONES HAS FOURTH GAME ABOVE 80 PERCENT

QB Mac Jones had his fourth career game with a completion percentage of 80 percent against the Buffalo Bills on Oct. 22, 2023, finishing 25-of-30 for 272 yards and two touchdowns for a completion percentage of 83.3.

# HIGHEST COMPLETION PERCENTAGE IN A GAME/MAC JONES (MINIMUM 20 ATTEMPTS)

- .852 Mac Jones vs. N.Y. Jets, Nov. 20, 2022 (27-23)
- .846 Mac Jones at Atlanta, Nov. 18, 2021 (26-22)
- .833 Mac Jones vs. Buffalo, Oct. 22, 2023 (30-25)
- .826 Mac Jones vs. Cleveland, Nov. 14, 2021 (23-19)



#### **MAKING A DIFFERENCE**

Ty Montgomery II is making an impact on current individuals aging out of the foster care system, a cause that is close to his heart. "Those who have been in the foster care system will always hold a special place in my heart," Montgomery said. "I know the love they need. I saw it firsthand as my mom raised 17 foster youth alongside me." Montgomery sent 11 young adults aging out of the foster care system to Israel to be a part of a 10-day Jerusalem Encounter tour in the spring. His own charity, My 10 Percent, that Montgomery established in 2018, raised funds to help cover the expenses of the trip. He hopes to continue this initiative in the future and make this an annual event.



#### THE STORY BEHIND THE NUMBER

JuJu Smith-Schuster wears No. 7 for more than just luck. "It kind of represents a lot of things, my mom's favorite number is seven," Smith-Schuster said. "She had seven kids, lucky No. 7, one of my favorite football players in soccer wears No. 7, Vinicius Jr., year seven [in the NFL]. So, it was kind of a number that I picked that represented a lot of things." The number has additional meaning in the 2023 season for the wide receiver with it being his seventh year in the league.



### WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2023

- RB Rhamondre Stevenson recorded his first 1,000-yard rushing season with a career-high 1,040 rushing yards in 2022. He can become the third New England player with back-to-back 1,000-yard rushing seasons in 2023, joining Curtis Martin (1,487 in 1995, 1,152 in 1996 and 1,160 in 1997) and Jim Nance (1,458 in 1966 and 1,216 in 1967). He has 619 yards rushing in 2023 and needs 381 yards to reach 1,000 yards.
- Stevenson became the ninth New England running back to lead the team in receptions after finishing with 69 in 2022. He can become the first New England running back to lead the team in two consecutive seasons in 2023.

# **RHAMONDRE REACHES 1,000 YARDS RUSHING**

• Stevenson finished the 2022 season with 1,040 rushing yards, his first career 1,000-yard season and the 17th 1,000-yard season in New England history.

# PATRIOTS WITH 1,000 YARDS RUSHING IN A SEASON (LISTED CHRONOLOGICALLY)

Player	Yards	Year
Rhamondre Stevenson	1,040	2022
LeGarrette Blount	1,161	2016
Stevan Ridley	1,263	2012
BenJarvus Green-Ellis	1,008	2010
Corey Dillon	1,635	2004
Antowain Smith	1,157	2001
Robert Edwards	1,115	1998
Curtis Martin	1,160	1997
Curtis Martin	1,152	1996
Curtis Martin	1,487	1995
Leonard Russell	1,088	1993
John Stephens	1,168	1988
Craig James	1,227	1985
Tony Collins	1,049	1983
Sam Cunningham	1,015	1977
Jim Nance	1,216	1967
Jim Nance	1,458	1966

 Stevenson finished the 2022 season with a team-leading 69 receptions, the fourth-most by a running back in team history. It is the ninth time in team history that a running back has led the team in receptions in a season.

#### MOST RECEPTIONS IN A SEASON BY A PATRIOTS RUNNING BACK

Player	Year	<b>Receptions</b>		
James White	2018	87		
Tony Collins	1986	77		
James White	2019	72		
Rhamondre Stevenson	2022	69		
Leroy Thompson	1994	65		

# PATRIOTS RUNNING BACKS WHO LED THE TEAM IN RECEPTIONS

- 2022 Rhamondre Stevenson with 69 receptions
- 2018 James White with 87 receptions
- 1988 Reggie Dupard with 34 receptions
- 1987 Tony Collins with 44 receptions
- 1985 Tony Collins with 52 receptions
- 1977 Sam Cunningham with 42 receptions
- 1976 Andy Johnson with 29 receptions
- 1974 Mack Herron with 38 receptions
- 1969 Carl Garrett with 29 receptions

# MOST RECEPTIONS BY AN NFL RUNNING BACK IN 2022

Player	<u>Receptions</u>
Austin Ekeler	107
Christian McCaffrey	85
Leonard Fournette	73
Rhamondre Steven	son 69

# MOST RECEIVING YARDS BY A RUNNING BACK IN 2022

<u>Player</u>	<b>Receiving Yards</b>
Christian McCaffre	ey 741
Austin Ekeler	722
Leonard Fournette	e 523
Jerick McKinnon	512
Alvin Kamara	490
Joe Mixon	441
Rhamondre Steve	enson 421
Josh Jacobs	400

#### **DEDICATION TO HIS GOALS**

While in high school, Stevenson started gaining attention for the impressive stats he posted as a junior. Unfortunately, due to his grades, Stevenson was academically ineligible to receive a football scholarship despite being recruited. Following his senior year of high school, Stevenson took a year off from football and worked part-time jobs at Wal-Mart and Jimmy John's. But after a year away, he decided to follow a group of his friends and enroll in Cerritos Community College. During his time at Cerritos, he shared a two-bedroom apartment with up to six other guys at times and rode his bicycle 20 minutes to and from practice every day. After putting up monster stats in his second season at Cerriots, he committed to Oklahoma. Oklahoma led him to the 2021 NFL Draft where in the fourth round on the third day the Patriots selected Stevenson. In addition, he worked on his academics and made the Dean's List while at Oklahoma.

# STEVENSON RECORDS FIRST RECEIVING TOUCHDOWN

Stevenson had his first career touchdown reception on a 3-yard pass from QB Mac Jones in the second quarter vs. Indianapolis on Nov. 6 2022.

#### **CAREER HIGHS IN RECEPTIONS AND RECEIVING YARDS**

 Stevenson set career highs in receptions and receiving yards after finishing with nine receptions for 76 yards at Minnesota on Nov. 24, 2022. His previous high in receptions was eight vs. Chicago on Oct. 24, 2022, and his previous high in receiving yards was 72 yards on Oct. 30, 2022, at the New York Jets.

#### **STEVENSON HAS CAREER LONG RUN**

Stevenson had a career-long 64-yard touchdown run in the second quarter vs. Washington on Nov. 5, 2023 . His previous long was a 49-yard run vs. Detroit on Oct. 9, 2022 and his previous longest touchdown run was a 34-yard touchdown run at Las Vegas on Dec. 18, 2022. It is the longest touchdown run for a Patriots player since RB Damien Harris had a 64-yard touchdown run at Buffalo on Dec. 6, 2022. It is tied with Harris for the longest touchdown run by a Patriot player in the regular seasons since a 70-yard run by Curtis Martin on Sept. 21, 1997 vs. Chicago.



### **STEVENSON HAS FOURTH CAREER 100-YARD GAME**

Stevenson had a career-high 172 yards rushing at Las Vegas on Dec.
 18, 2022. It was his second 100-yard game of the year and fourth overall. He had 161 yards rushing vs. Detroit on Oct. 9, 2022. It is the 14th time in franchise history that a Patriots player has rushed for 160 yards or more.

#### **STEVENSON HAS THIRD GAME WITH 9.0 AVERAGE**

 Stevenson finished 9 carries for 87 yards for a 9.7-yard average vs. Washington on Nov. 5, 2023, the highest average of his career and the third time he had at least a 9.0-yard average. He had a 9.1-yard average at Las Vegas on Dec. 18, 2022 and a 9.0-yard average at Buffalo on Jan. 8, 2023.

### **MOST TOUCHES**

 Stevenson had 27 overall offensive touches with 25 rushing attempts and two receptions vs. Detroit (Oct. 9, 2022). It is the most offensive touches since RB Dion Lewis had 32 offensive touches with 26 rushing attempts and six receptions on Dec. 31, 2017, vs. the New York Jets.



# **STRANGE FACEMASK**

 2022 first-round draft pick OL Cole Strange started wearing the vertical bar facemask his senior season at Chattanooga. The idea started when the veteran offensive line group, who had been together for four years, wanted to do something different to finish out their final season playing alongside each other. They decided to all wear the same facemask and landed on the vertical bar. Strange brought the bar with him to the NFL and is one of only three NFL regulars to sport the vertical bar in their facemask.



# **THORNTON SCORES FIRST NFL TOUCHDOWN**

 WR Tyquan Thornton scored his first NFL touchdown on a 2-yard pass from QB Bailey Zappe in the third quarter at Cleveland on Oct. 16, 2022.

#### SCORES SECOND TD OF THE DAY ON A 19-YARD RUN

 Thornton scored his second touchdown of the day on a 19-yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter at Cleveland on Oct. 16. He is the sixth Patriots wide receiver to score on a touchdown run and first since Cordarrelle Patterson in 2018. Thornton is the first Patriots wide receiver with a rushing touchdown and a receiving touchdown in the same game since David Patten at Indianapolis on Oct. 21, 2001.

# RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS BY A PATRIOTS RECEIVER (REGULAR SEASON)

#### Tyquan Thornton 19-yard run at Cleveland on Oct. 16, 2022

# Cordarrelle Patterson

- 5-yard touchdown run vs. Green Bay on Nov. 4, 2018 David Patten
- 29-yard touchdown run at Indianapolis on Oct. 21, 2001 Irving Fryar
- 8-yard touchdown run at Seattle on Nov. 17, 1985 Darryl Stingley
- 34-yard touchdown run vs. Kansas City on Sept. 18, 1977 Darryl Stingley
- 23-yard touchdown run vs. Baltimore on Oct. 6, 1974 (Postseason)

#### Deion Branch

23-yard touchdown run in AFC Championship at Pittsburgh Jan. 23, 2005



#### FROM HOUSTON BAPTIST, TO WESTERN KENTUCKY, TO NEW ENGLAND

QB Bailey Zappe played his first four college seasons at Houston Baptist before playing at Western Kentucky in 2021. While at Western Kentucky, Zappe set new all-time single season FBS records with 5,987 yards and 62 touchdown passes, breaking the record held by Texas Tech's B.J. Symons (5,833 in 2013) and Joe Burrow (60 touchdown passes in 2019).

#### **BAILEY ZAPPE THROWS FOR OVER 300 YARDS**

Zappe made his second straight start of the season at Cleveland on Oct. 16, 2022, and finished 24-of-34 for 309 yards with two touchdown passes en route to a 38-15 victory. He became the first Patriots rookie quarterback to win in his first home and first road game after starting in the 29-0 victory at home against Detroit on Oct. 9. Zappe had a passer rating of 118.4 against the Browns. He is the first rookie quarterback to win and record a 100-plus passer rating in his first two starts since Sonny Jurgensen in 1957. Zappe had a passer rating of 100 in his first start against the Lions.



# PRO FOOTBALL HALL OF FAMER RICHARD SEYMOUR SEES GREATNESS AHEAD FOR CHRISTIAN BARMORE

- For a defensive lineman, if Patriots and Pro Football Hall of Famer Richard Seymour is in your corner, there are few better compliments or endorsements.
- "I think he has a ton of ability, natural ability, and he plays hard," Seymour told the Boston Herald. "I think he's going to be a problem for (opposing teams) for a long time to come. Hopefully he stays healthy and continues on the path he's on. I think he has a really bright future."



# SECOND-MOST QUARTERBACK PRES-SURES

 Barmore posted the second-most quarterback pressures for a first-year defensive tackle since 2006, according to Pro Football Focus. His 48 pressures in 2021 were two more than Aaron Donald had during his rookie season.



# **2022 ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

 LB Ja'Whaun Bentley set a single-season career-high with 122 tackles in 2022. He surpassed his previous best of 108 total tackles in 2021. He became the 13th New England player to reach at least 120 total tackles in a season and the first Patriots player to do so since Jerod Mayo had 147 total tackles in 2012.



Ja'Whaun and his family were homeless starting his freshman year of high school, living with one set of grandparents, then the other, then an aunt. Ja'Whaun and his brother slept on couches and floors at times over the course of several years. Once Ja'Whaun entered the NFL, he was able to secure permanent housing for his family.



# WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2023

DB Kyle Dugger scored three touchdowns in 2022 with two interceptions and a fumble returned for touchdowns. He needs one more defensive touchdown to tie Willie McGinest and Tedy Bruschi for the second-most defensive touchdowns in team history with four. Ty Law has the most defensive touchdowns with six.

# MOST DEFENSIVE TOUCHDOWNS IN A CAREER FOR THE PATRIOTS

Player Touchdo	<u>wns</u>
Ty Law	6
Willie McGinest	4
Tedy Bruschi	4
Kyle Dugger	3
Ty Law	3
Asanti Samuel	3

# PATRIOTS PLAYERS WITH AT LEAST TWO DEFENSIVE TOUCHDOWNS IN A SEASON

Year	Player Touch	downs
2022	Kyle Dugger	3
2019	Stephon Gilmore	e 2
2010	Gary Guyton	2
2003	Tedy Bruschi	2
2002	Tedy Bruschi	2
2001	Ty Law	2
2001	Otis Smith	2
1996	Willie McGinest	2
1994	Ricky Reynolds	2
1992	Vincent Brown	2
1987	Ronnie Lippett	2
1976	Prentice McCray	2
1963	Bob Suci	2
1961	Don Webb	2

# **DUGGER PLAYS ROLE IN FOUR OF THE 7 DEFENSIVE TDS**

 Dugger played a major role in four of the NFL-best seven defensive touchdowns in 2022. In addition to his pick-6 against Miami, he returned an interception 16 yards for a touchdown at Las Vegas, returned a fumble 59 yards for a touchdown vs. Detroit and forced a fumble that LB Raekwon McMillan returned 23 yards for a touchdown in the third guarter at Arizona (12/12).

#### **DUGGER EARNS HIS DEGREE**

- Dugger helped put Lenoir-Rhyne University on the map, becoming the highest-drafted athlete in the Division II football program's history.
- Three years after being selected in the second round of the 2020 NFL Draft, a diligent Dugger has worked hard to finish his degree, earning a Bachelor's degree in psychology with the Class of 2023.

# **DUGGER SCORES ON A 59-YARD FUMBLE RETURN**

Dugger recovered a fumble vs. Detroit (10/9/22) that was forced on a 13-yard sack by LB Matthew Judon, and returned the ball 59 yards for a touchdown in the second quarter. It is the fourth-longest fumble return in team history. It was Dugger's first career touchdown.

# LONGEST FUMBLE RETURNS IN TEAM HISTORY

**Player** Shea McClellin Richard Seymour at Buffalo (Oct. 3, 2004) Rob Ninkovich Kyle Dugger

Game at Miami (Jan. 1, 2017) at San Diego (Oct. 24, 2010) vs. Detroit (Oct. 9, 2022)

Fumble Return 69-yard return 68-yard TD return 63-yard return 59-yard TD return



# GONZALEZ RECORDS HIS FIRST CAREER INTERCEPTION

CB Christian Gonzalez recorded his first NFL interception in the fourth quarter vs. Miami on Sept. 17, 2023 when he picked off a deep pass by Miami QB Tua Tagovailoa intended for Tyreek Hill.

# **GONZALEZ RECORDS HIS FIRST CAREER INTERCEPTION**

Gonzalez was named the Defensive Rookie of the Month for September by the National Football League, becoming the fifth Patriots player to win a rookie of the month honor and the third defensive player to earn the award. Gonzalez joins QB Mac Jones (November of 2021), DE Chandler Jones (September of 2012), LB Jerod Mayo (October of 2008) and WR Deion Branch (September of 2002).



# CAREER-HIGH WITH FOURTH INTERCEPTION

DB Jonathan Jones intercepted Miami QB Skylar Thompson (01/01/22) in the fourth quarter for his fourth interception of the season, a new single-season career-high. He had three interceptions in 2018.

# JONES SCORES FIRST NFL TOUCHDOWN

Jones picked off a pass from Indianapolis QB Sam Ehlinger (11/6/22) in the fourth guarter and returned it 17 yards for his first career touchdown.

# JONES BLOCK PARTY

Jones returned an interception for a touchdown and blocked a punt vs. Indianapolis on Nov. 6, 2022. He is the fifth player to have a pick-6 and a blocked kick in the same game since 2000 and the first to have a blocked punt and a pick-6 in the same game since Patrick Chung in 2010 with the Patriots at Miami on Oct. 4, 2010.

### PLAYERS WITH A PICK-6 AND A BLOCKED KICK IN THE SAME GAME (SINCE 2000) **Opponent**

Player	Team	
Jonathan Jones	Patriots	vs Indianapolis (Nov. 6, 2
Minkah Fitzpatrick	Steelers	at Cincinnati (Sept. 11, 2022
Patrick Chung	Patriots	at Miami (Oct. 4, 2010) – Blo
Julius Peppers	Panthers	at Tampa Bay (Nov. 28, 200
Chad Williams	Baltimore	at Cincinnati (Dec. 1, 2002

2022) – Blocked Punt 2) – Blocked Extra Point cked punt and Field Goal 04) – Blocked Field Goal 2) – Blocked Punt



# WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2023

- LB Matthew Judon led the team with a career-high  $15\frac{1}{2}$  sacks in 2022 following a team-leading 121/2 sacks in 2021. He can join Tony McGee (12 in 1977, 11<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> in 1978 and 10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> in 1979) as the only Patriots player with three straight double-digit sack seasons.
- Judon has registered double-digit sack totals in each of his first two seasons in New England and can join Andre Tippett (3) and Tony Mc-Gee (3) as the only Patriots players with three double-digit sack totals.
- Judon registered 28 total sacks in the last two seasons (151/2 in 2022 and 121/2 in 2021). He needs 161/2 sacks in 2023 to match the best threeyear total in New England history with 441/2 sacks by Andre Tippett (181/2 in 1984, 161/2 in 1985 and 91/2 in 1986).

#### **2022 ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

Judon was selected to represent the New England Patriots in the 2023 NFL Pro Bowl. Judon has earned four consecutive Pro Bowl berths, including two straight with the Patriots.



Judon led the team with 121/2 sacks in 2021 and reached a career-high 151/2 sacks in 2022 to be-

come the fourth Patriots player with back-to-back 10-plus sack totals, joining Garin Veris (10 in 1985 and 11 in 1986), Andre Tippett (18 $\!\!\!^{1}\!\!\!^{1}$  in 1984 and  $16\frac{1}{2}$  in 1985) and Tony McGee (12 in 1977,  $11\frac{1}{2}$  in 1978 and  $10\frac{1}{2}$  in 1979). Judon also joined Tippett (3), McGee (3), Veris (2) and Chandler Jones (2) as the only Patriots to register more than one double-digit sack total.

- Judon registered a sack in each of the first five games of the 2022 season. He is the first New England player to start a season with at least one sack in each of the first five games to start a season. Patriots and Pro Football Hall of Famer Andre Tippett began the 1986 season with one sack in each of the first four games.
- Pro Football Hall of Famer Andre Tippett is the only Patriots player to record more sacks in a season than Judon's  $15 \ensuremath{^{1\!\!/}_{\!\!2}}$  in 2022, with Tippett recording 181/2 in 1984 and 161/2 in 1985.

# WEEK 5 AFC DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

- Judon was named AFC Defensive Player of the Week by the National Football League for his performance in the Patriots 29-0 shutout victory over the Detroit Lions on Oct. 9. 2022. Detroit entered the game with the top-ranked offense and was averaging 35 points per game. Judon had a 9-yard sack of QB Jared Goff in the second quarter and then forced a fumble on a 13-yard sack later in the second quarter that was returned for a 59-yard touchdown by DB Kyle Dugger.
- It is the second Player of the Week Award for Judon in his career. He earned AFC Defensive Player of the Week honors following a Week 11 performance in 2017 while with Baltimore.

# 12TH MULTI-SACK GAME; SIX WITH PATS

• Judon had two sacks at the New York Jets on Sept. 24, 2023, his 12th multi-sack game, including his sixth with the Patriots.

# JUDON'S TWO-SACK GAMES

Sacks	Opponent	Date
3	Indianapolis	11/06/2022
3	Oakland	11/25/2018
<b>2</b> ½	Chicago	10/24/2022
<b>2</b> ½	New Orleans	9/26/2021
2	at N.Y. Jets	9/24/2023
2	Detroit	10/9/2022
2	at Houston	10/10/2021
2	at Washington	10/04/2020
2	Houston	11/17/2019
2	at Green Bay	11/19/2017
2	Chicago	10/15/2017
2	at N.Y. Jets	10/23/2016

# NINE ACTIVE LBS WITH 60 CAREER SACKS

 Judon is one of nine active linebackers with 60 career sacks. He is also sixth in the NFL in sacks since 2021.

# MOST SACKS AMONG ACTIVE LINEBACKERS

Player	Sacks
Von Miller	123.5
Justin Houston	112.0
Khalil Mack	99.5
T.J. Watt	91.5
Jason Pierre-Paul	94.5
Danielle Hunter	84.5
Joey Bosa	67.0
Matthew Judon	66.5
Preston Smith	63.5

# JUDON HITS THE QB

• Judon ranks fifth in the NFL with 136 quarterback hits since 2018. He was tied for fourth in 2022 with 28 quarterback hits.

# **MOST QUARTERBACK HITS SINCE 2018**

Player	Team	QB Hits
T.J. Watt	Pittsburgh	176
Aaron Donald	LA Rams	150
Myles Garrett	Cleveland	147
Chris Jones	Kansas City	140
Matthew Judon	Patriots	136
Nick Bosa	San Francisco	136
Za'Darius Smith	BAL/GB/MIN/CLE	122
DeForest Buckner	Indianapolis	114
Max Crosby	Las Vegas	111

# **REPRESENTING FAMILY**

Judon wore jersey #99 during his five seasons with the Baltimore Ravens, but chose jersey #9 upon joining New England in 2021. Said Judon, "I'm one of 10 children, so I got nine siblings. Every time I go out there, I represent them. I like nine. That's one of the reasons I rock it. Ninety-nine was taken, so I chose to use the new rule and getting on it."

# TEAM RECORD FOR MOST SACKS IN FIRST FIVE GAMES

 Judon set a team record with 6½ sacks through the first five games in 2021. He had six sacks in the first five games of the 2022 season. The previous record was 5½ sacks by Chandler Jones in 2015 and Andre Tippett in 1984.

# JUDON SETS CAREER-HIGH WITH 151/2 SACKS IN 2022

# PATRIOTS 10-PLUS SACK SEASONS

Sacks	Player	Year
12	Tony McGee	1977
10	Ray Hamilton	1977
<b>11</b> ½	Tony McGee	1978
101/2	Tony McGee	1979
181⁄2	Andre Tippett	1984
161⁄2	Andre Tippett	1985
10	Garin Veris	1985
11	Garin Veris	1986
<b>12</b> ½	Andre Tippett	1987
11	Willie McGinest	1995
<b>12</b> ½	Mike Vrabel	2007
10	Tully Banta-Cain	2009
10	Mark Anderson	2011
10	Andre Carter	2011
<b>11</b> ½	Chandler Jones	2013
<b>12</b> ½	Chandler Jones	2015
<b>12</b> ½	Matthew Judon	2021
<b>15</b> ½	Matthew Judon	2022
<b>11</b> ½	Josh Uche	2022







#### THE RISE OF THE GREEN GOBLIN

- DB Jalen Mills has embraced his nickname "The Green Goblin." The origins of the nickname started out as a joke during his rookie season with Philadelphia when he dyed his hair green. Mills is not sure whether it was a coach or the media, but the spiderman villain nickname stuck.
- Said Mills, "It just kind of came from my rookie year and then just throughout my years playing for the Eagles, my style of play. That's what I get it from. It's kind of something that I stuck with."

# A NUMBER CHANGE WITH A STORY

Late in the Eagles' eventual Super Bowl-winning season, Jalen's Uncle Uhkoto lost his battle with cancer. The once-close relatives had long since drifted apart and fallen out of touch. As a result, only in the wake of Uhkoto's death did Jalen learn that his uncle – a man who otherwise shunned sports – could quote his nephew's NFL statistics chapter and verse: every pass breakup, every interception, every tackle, every game, Uhkoto was keeping track of Jalen. The discovery left him with a heavy heart.

.; "It kind of broke me down," Jalen revealed, "because we had grown apart. We were close at one point in time. It took that moment for me to realize, this is a man I looked up to as a younger kid, and now he was looking up to me, keeping up with sports that he didn't even care about. So, I wanted to honor him in my own quiet way."

In 2021, Mills got that opportunity. After signing his free-agent contract with New England, Jalen learned that the NFL would relax its jersey number restrictions, allowing certain positions beyond kickers, punters and quarterbacks to wear single-digits on their uniforms.

Mills, who wore 31 and 21 at times as an Eagle, chose No. 2 in New England. Almost no one ever called Uhkoto – pronounced uh-COO-too – by his full name. They preferred his shortened nickname: Two.



#### VERSATILITY

- "I'm one of the guys that when you ask me what position I play, I say 'defense.' I want to be able to line up everywhere, and most importantly, I want to be able to produce everywhere."
- Began his career in 2014 in San Diego focusing on special teams and was selected to his first Pro Bowl in 2018 as a special teamer. His 2018 Pro Bowl berth was the only one that Matthew Slater did not get voted to from 2011-2021.
- Started all 16 games at safety in 2020 for the Patriots and led the team in tackles with a career-high 107.



#### ASK AND JAHLANI RECEIVED

LB Jahlani Tavai starred in high school as a nose guard. He was undersized and did not attract the attention of many colleges. But after finding out one of the English teachers at his high school was the son of then-Hawaii coach Norm Chow, he reached out to the teacher, Cameron Chow, and asked if Cameron could tell his dad to scout his tape. Cameron followed up and passed along Jahlani's tape to his dad, and the very next day Jahlani had a scholarship offer. According to Jahlani, his football career would have been over after high school if it wasn't for this connection.



#### WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2023

 LB Josh Uche had a career-high 11½ sacks in 2022 and can become the fifth Patriots player with back-to-back 10-plus sack totals, joining Matthew Judon (15½ in 2022 and 12½ in 2021), Garin Veris (10 in 1985 and 11 in 1986), Andre Tippett (18½ in 1984 and 16½ in 1985) and Tony McGee (12 in 1977, 11½ in 1978 and 10½ in 1979). Uche can join Tippett (3), Tony McGee (3), Garin Veris (2), Chandler Jones (2) and Judon (2) as the only Patriots to register more than one double-digit sack total.

### LB JOSH UCHE WITH CAREER-HIGH 11 1/2 SACKS

Uche finished with a career-high 11½ sacks in 2022.

# MOST SACKS UNDER BELICHICK WITH THE PATRIOTS

Player	Sacks
Matthew Judon (2022)	151⁄2
Matthew Judon (2021)	<b>12</b> ½
Chandler Jones (2015)	<b>12</b> ½
Mike Vrabel (2007)	<b>12</b> ½
Josh Uche (2022)	<b>11</b> ½
Chandler Jones (2013)	111/2

#### **CAREER-HIGH THREE SACKS**

Uche registered a career-high three sacks after dropping Indianapolis QB Sam Ehlinger (11/6/22) for a 2-yard loss and an 8-yard loss in the second quarter and a 1-yard sack in the third quarter. He has three career games with at least two sacks. He had his first two-sack game after registering two fourth quarter sacks at the New York Jets on Sept. 19, 2021, and also had two sacks vs. Buffalo on Dec. 1, 2022.

# UCHE HAD TWO 3-SACK GAMES IN 2022

 Uche had his second 3-sack game of the 2022 season at Arizona on Dec. 12. He was named AFC Defensive Player of the Week for his efforts. Uche also had three sacks at the New York Jets on Oct. 30. Andre Tippett (3 in 1985 and 3 in 1987) and Mike Vrabel (2 in 2007) are the only Patriots players with multiple 3-sack games in a season.

# UCHE FOLLOWED A 2-SACK GAME WITH 3 SACKS

 Uche had two sacks vs. Buffalo on Dec. 1, 2022, and followed that game with three sacks against Arizona (12/12/22). He is the first Patriots player since Trey Flowers in 2016 to have back-to-back games with at least two sacks. Flowers had two sacks at Buffalo (10/30) followed by two sacks vs. Seattle (11/13).



#### SECOND TIME TEAM CAPTAIN

 Deatrich Wise Jr. has been named a team captain for the last two seasons.

### DEATRICH WISE JR. RECORDS THREE SACKS VS. BALTIMORE

- Wise had his first career three-sack game after a 3-yard sack in the first quarter, an 8-yard sack and a 1-yard sack in the second quarter vs. Baltimore on Sept. 25, 2022. His previous best was 1½ sacks, which he accomplished three times vs. Buffalo (12/24/17), vs. Houston (9/9/18) and vs. Cleveland (11/14/21).
- Wise is the fifth Patriots player to register three sacks in a half. DL Henry Thomas had three sacks in the first half at St. Louis on Dec. 13, 1998. LB Tully Banta-Cain had three sacks in the second half at Buffalo on Dec. 20, 2009, DL Jarvis Green had three sacks in the second half at Cincinnati on Oct. 1, 2006, and Josh Uche at Arizona on Dec. 12, 2022.

#### **2022 RON BURTON COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD WINNER**

 Wise was honored with the 2022 Ron Burton Community Service Award at the Patriots Premiere last September for his dedication to serving his community. After receiving the award, Wise said, "You don't go out in the community for the gratification. You just do it because it's in your heart to do. It's an honor to win an award of this prestige and to be in the same group as everybody who's won that before and have my name with the Burton family."



# **PATRIOTS** SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES



# FROM WALK-ON TO ALL-AMERICAN

Bryce Baringer had an unconventional path to the NFL. He began his collegiate career by earning a walk-on spot at Illinois in 2018 as a true freshman, but due to being buried on the depth chart and the cost of out-of-state tuition, he transferred home to Michigan State as a regular student. Outside of a four-game stint on the Michigan State team due to injuries on the roster, Baringer did not have a walk-on spot available to him in 2019. After a year serving as the team's photographer to maintain access to the facilities to train, Baringer attended an open tryout with a new coaching staff at the Spartans and made the team, establishing himself as the Spartans top punter in 2020 and going on to have record-breaking seasons in 2021 and 2022. In 2022, he was named the Big 10 Punter of the Year and a consensus All-American by all five major associations.



# **NOTES OF INTEREST**

- DB Marcus Jones scored on a 48-yard touchdown reception vs. Buffalo on Dec. 1, 2022. If he scores on offense again, he will join LB Mike Vrabel (8 touchdown receptions) as the only defensive player with more than one touchdown on offense in team history. Vrabel also has the most offensive touchdowns by an NFL defensive player with 10 in the regular season.
- Jones returned a punt 84 yards for a touchdown vs. the New York Jets on Nov. 20, 2022. If he returns a kickoff for a touchdown, he will become the first New England player to return a punt and a kickoff for a touchdown. He returned 27 kickoffs for 645 yards as a rookie.
- If Jones returns a another punt for a touchdown, he will join Julian Edelman (4), Troy Brown (3), Irving Fryar (3) and Mike Haynes (2) as the only Patriots players with more than one punt returned for a touchdown.
- Jones handled kickoff and punt return duties as a rookie in 2022. He will look to become the first Patriots player to ever return a kickoff for a touchdown and punt for a touchdown in the same season and the first NFL player to accomplish the feat since 2019 when Jamal Agnew did so for Detroit.
- Jones scored on offense, defense and special teams in 2022. He is the only player to score in all three phases in a single season since 1970. He is one of ten players to score on offense, defense and special teams during their NFL career.

# TEN NFL PLAYERS TO SCORE ON OFFENSE, DEFENSE AND SPECIAL TEAMS IN THEIR CAREER

PLAYERS Deion Sanders George Martin Nolan Cromwell Terence Newman Bobby Humphery William White Mike Fuller Marcus Jones Chris Moore Dale Carter

#### JONES NAMED FIRST-TEAM ALL-PRO

Jones, who won the 2021 Paul Hornung Award as the nation's most versatile player after returning two punts and two kickoff returns for a touchdown in college in 2021, finished second in the NFL with a 12.5yard punt return average, second in total return yards with 1,007 and seventh in kickoff return average with a 23.9 average. He was named to the Associated Press All-Pro First Team as a punt returner, the first Patriots rookie to be named All-Pro First Team.

# HIGHEST PUNT RETURN AVERAGE (MINIMUM OF 20 RETURNS)

Player	Punt Retu	ırn Average
Kalif Raymond		13.2
Marcus Jones		12.5
DeAndre 0	Carter	11.7

#### MOST TOTAL RETURN YARDS IN THE NFL

Player	<u>Total Return Yards</u>
Keisean Nixon	1,149
Marcus Jones	1,007
Ray-Ray McClou	ud III 955

# HIGHEST KICKOFF RETURN AVERAGE (MINIMUM OF 23 RETURNS)

<u>Player</u>	Kickoff I	Return Average
Dallas Fl	owers	31.1
Keisean	Nixon	28.8
Velus Jo	nes Jr.	27.6
Justin Jackson		26.7
Kene Nwangwu		26.3
Jerome Ford		24.1
Marcus Jones		23.9

#### JONES SCORES ON OFFENSE, DEFENSE AND SPECIAL TEAMS

Jones returned a third quarter interception 69 yards for a touchdown vs. Cincinnati on Dec. 24, 2022. He scored on a punt return for a touchdown, a touchdown reception and an interception returned for a touchdown to become the fourth player in NFL history to do so in a season, joining Frank Bacon (1920), Bill Dudley (1947) and Tommy Harmon (1947). Jones returned a punt 84 yards for a touchdown vs. the New York Jets on Nov. 20 and scored on a 48-yard touchdown pass vs. Buffalo on Dec. 1 in addition to the pick-6 against the Bengals. The only other player in the Super Bowl era to score a 40-plus touchdown in each of those ways in their entire career is Deion Sanders.

# **PATRIOTS** SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES

# FIRST DB TO CATCH A TD ON OFFENSE SINCE 2000

Jones, who made his first career start on defense vs. Buffalo on Dec.
1, 2022, also lined up on offense and scored on a 48-yard touchdown
pass from QB Mac Jones on his first play from scrimmage in the first
quarter. Jones became the first defensive back to record a touchdown reception on offense since 2000 when S Marcus Coleman of
the New York Jets caught a 45-yard touchdown pass from QB Vinny
Testaverde against Buffalo on Sept. 17, 2000. Jones caught 15 passes
for 137 yards with one receiving touchdown during his college career.
He scored on a 47-yard touchdown pass vs. Navy on Sept. 25, 2021.
Jones joins LB Mike Vrabel (six 1-yard touchdowns and four 2-yard
touchdowns from Tom Brady), LB Elandon Roberts (38-yard touch
down pass from Brady vs. Miami on Dec. 29, 2019) and LB/DE John
Tanner (2-yard as the only pass from QB Jim Plunkett on Nov. 24,
1974 at Baltimore) as the only New England defensive players to catch
touchdowns.

#### FIRST PAT TO CATCH A TD ON FIRST RECEPTION SINCE 2019

Jones is the first Patriots player to catch a touchdown on his first reception since LB Elandon Roberts caught a 38-yard touchdown pass in the third quarter vs Miami on Dec. 29, 2019. Jones's 48-yard touchdown on his first offensive play is the longest by a Patriots player on his first play since WR Stephen Starring caught a 73-yard touchdown pass from Steve Grogan on his first offensive play vs. Baltimore on Sept. 4, 1983.

#### **9TH PATRIOT TO SCORE ON FIRST CAREER RECEPTION**

 Since 1990, DB Marcus Jones is the ninth Patriots player with a touchdown reception on his first NFL reception.

DB Marcus Jones, vs. Buffalo, Dec. 1, 2022 – 48-yd TD reception LB Elandon Roberts, vs. Miami, Dec. 29, 2019 – 38-yd TD reception TE Matt Lengel, vs. NY Jets, Dec. 24, 2016 – 18-yd TD reception WR Aaron Dobson, vs. NY Jets, Sept. 12, 2013 – 39-yd TD reception TE Rob Gronkowski, vs. Cincinnati, Sept. 12, 2010 – 1-yd TD reception OL Tom Ashworth, vs. Tampa Bay, Dec. 17, 2005 – 1-yd TD reception LB Mike Vrabel, at San Diego, Sept. 29, 2002 – 1-yd TD reception TE Lovett Purnell, vs. N.Y. Jets, Sept. 14, 1997 – 10-yd TD reception TE Mike Bartrum, at Baltimore, Oct. 6, 1996 – 1-yd reception

#### JONES MAKES FIRST NFL START

 Jones made his first NFL start as a defensive back in a nickel defensive alignment vs. Buffalo on Dec. 1, 2022. He finished the game with one pass defensed. He also had one special teams tackle.

#### JONES RETURNS PUNT 84 YARDS FOR A TOUCHDOWN

 Jones returned a fourth quarter punt 84 yards for a touchdown vs. the New York Jets on Nov. 20, 2022 with five seconds to play. It is tied with Julian Edelman (84-yard touchdown return vs. Denver on Nov. 2, 2014) for the fifth-longest punt return in team history. Jones was the first player with a punt return for a touchdown in 2022. Jones' punt return for a touchdown is the first for the Patriots since Gunner Olszewski's 70-yard return at the LA Chargers on Dec. 6, 2020.

#### LAST MINUTE GAME WINNER

 Jones is the sixth player in the NFL to record a game-winning punt-return for a touchdown in the final two minutes of regulation or in overtime since 1970, joining Patrick Peterson (Nov. 6, 2011), DeSean Jackson (Dec. 19, 2010), Brian Westbrook (Oct. 19, 2003), Tamarick Vanover (Oct 9, 1995) and Walter Stanley (Nov. 27, 1986).  Jones' punt return for a touchdown with five seconds remaining vs. the New York Jets (11/20) marked the second-latest game-winning punt return for a touchdown in regulation since 1970, trailing only DeSean Jackson (no time remaining on Dec. 19, 2010) who returned a punt 65-yards for a touchdown in Philadelphia's win at the New York Giants.

### JONES' 84-YARD PUNT RETURN IS SECOND LONGEST GO-AHEAD TD IN 4TH QUARTER IN TEAM HISTORY

 Jones' 84-yard punt return for a touchdown is the second longest goahead 4th quarter touchdown in team history. The only longer return was the 91-yard missed field goal return for a touchdown by Ron Burton at Denver on Nov. 11, 1962.

#### WEEK 11 AFC SPECIAL TEAMS PLAYER OF THE WEEK

 Jones was named AFC Special Teams Player of the Week by the National Football League for his performance in the Patriots 10-3 victory over the New York Jets in Week 11.

#### JONES JOINS DEION SANDERS AS TRIPLE-THREAT

Jones registered his first career interception in the third quarter at Arizona on Dec. 12, 2022. He had a 48-yard touchdown reception vs. Buffalo (12/1/22) and returned a punt 84 yards for a touchdown vs. the New York Jets (11/20/22). The only other NFL player with a receiving touchdown, a punt or kick returned for a touchdown and an interception in the same season is Deion Sanders in 1992.



#### **SCHOOLER - SPECIAL TEAMS ACE**

 Brenden Schooler recovered his second fumble on the punt return team when he recovered a muffed punt return by WR Chester Rogers in the fourth quarter at Cleveland (10/16/22). Schooler also recovered a muffed punt at Pittsburgh (9/18/22). Schooler had a team-leading 14 special teams tackles in 2022, including 11 solo special teams tackles.

#### SCHOOLER RECORDS 1ST CAREER BLOCKED FIELD GOAL

Schooler blocked a 49-yard field goal attempt in the third quarter vs. Miami on Sept. 17, 2023 for his first career field goal block. It was the Patriots first blocked field goal attempt since DB Cody Davis blocked a 58-yard attempt at the LA Chargers on Dec. 6, 2020 that was returned 44 yards for a touchdown by S Devin McCourty. In 2022, the Patriots had one blocked kick when DB Jonathan Jones blocked a punt vs. Indianapolis on Nov. 6, 2022.

### **LEADER WITH 11 SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES**

Schooler added three special teams tackles vs. Washington on Nov. 5, 2023 to push his 2023 season totals to an NFL-leading 11. It is the second straight year he has reached double-digit special teams tackles. As a rookie in 2022, he had a team-leading 14 special teams tackles. He is the first NFL player to begin his career with two straight 10-plus special teams tackle seasons since LB Grant Stuard with 11 special teams tackles in 2021 when he played with Tampa Bay and 11 special teams tackles in 2022 when he played for Indianapolis.

# **PATRIOTS** SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES



# WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2023

- Matthew Slater has earned an NFL record 10 special teams Pro Bowl invitations and will look to add to that in 2023. His 10 Pro Bowl berths with the Patriots are second to the 14 by Tom Brady.
- Slater entered his 16th consecutive season with the Patriots in 2023, tied with Steve Grogan, behind only the 20 by Tom Brady.
- Slater has played in 232 regular season games, behind the 285 by Tom Brady.
- Slater enters the 2023 season having played in 25 postseason games, tied for the ninth-most postseason games played in NFL history.
- Slater has recorded 10 or more special tackles in an NFL-leading 11 seasons since 2000.

#### **2022 ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

• Slater recorded 13 special teams tackles in 2022 for his 11th season with double-digit special teams tackles.

# MOST SEASONS WITH 10 OR MORE SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES SINCE 2000

<u>Player</u>	Seasons with 10 Special Te	ams Tackles
Matthew	Slater	11
Larry Izzo		9
Nick Bello	ore	8
Justin Bet	hel	8
Gary Stills		8

# NOTEWORTHY

- Slater earned his 10th Pro Bowl invitation in 2021, extending his NFL record for most Pro Bowl selections as a special teamer. Slater has the second-most Pro Bowl selections as a Patriot with 10. Tom Brady holds the franchise record with 14. Slater is one of two active players to be selected to 10 Pro Bowls, joining Aaron Rodgers (10).
- Slater has played in 116 games at Gillette Stadium, the second-most games played at Gillette as a member of the Patriots, behind Tom Brady (134).

### **REGARDED HIGHLY BY HEAD COACH BILL BELICHICK**

ESPN Patriots beat writer Mike Reiss reported Bill Belichick complimenting Slater on being one of the best on special teams. "[He] will go up there, in the kicking game, with [Tom] Brady on offense and [Lawrence] Taylor on defense. So I feel very, very fortunate to have the opportunity to coach all the players, but I'd say those three in particular."

# SLATER RANKS SECOND IN GAMES PLAYED

Slater has played in 235 games with New England). He is one of six Patriots players to reach 200 regular season games.

# MOST REGULAR SEASON GAMES PLAYED

285	Tom Brady
235	Matthew Slater
212	Bruce Armstrong
206	Julius Adams
205	Devin McCourty
204	Stephen Gostkowski

 Slater is one of four Patriots players to play in 100 career regular season games at Gillette Stadium.

### MOST REGULAR SEASON GILLETTE STADIUM GAMES PLAYED FOR THE PATRIOTS

134	Tom Brady
116	Matthew Slater
102	Devin McCourty
102	Stephen Gostkowski

# LIKE FATHER LIKE SON

Slater is one of 10 sons of Hall of Fame members to be drafted in NFL history.

# HALL OF FAME FATHERS WITH SONS DRAFTED IN THE NFL

Jackie Slater (class of 2001) – son, Matthew Slater (NE)

Bobby Bell (class of 1983) – son, Bobby Bell (NYJ) Tony Dorsett (class of 1994) – son, Anthony Dorsett (HOU) Bob Griese (class of 1990) – son, Brian Griese (DEN) Russ Grimm (class of 2010) – son, Cody Grimm (TB)

Howie Long (class of 2000) – sons Chris Long (STL) and Kyle Long (CHI) Bruce Matthews (class of 2007) – son, Jake Matthews (ATL) Don Shula (class of 1997) – son, Mike Shula (TB) Kellen Winslow (class of 1995) – son, Kellen Winslow (CLE)

# **ELECTED TEAM LEADER**

- Slater has been named to 10 Pro Bowls for his special teams work, but perhaps more revealing of his value to New England is the fact that he was elected a captain by his teammates for the 13th straight season in 2023.
- He shared what it means to be a captain in a story published by *The Boston Globe.* "You have to be able to put others before yourself. Being a captain and leadership is about serving, and to me, that means a great deal of sacrifice – putting aside personal agendas for the greater common goal. Leadership is equated with sacrifice. I think you have to be willing to do whatever it takes for the unit to succeed. I think you need to lead by example. A lot of times, it's about what you do, not what you say."

# **PRO BOWL RECORD**

Slater has earned 10 Pro Bowl invitations (2011-17, 19-21) as a special teams player. Steve Tasker (1987, 90-95) has the second-most with seven Pro Bowl selections. Slater is also the only special teams player to earn seven consecutive Pro Bowls, which he did from 2011-17.





#### **ALL-STAR COMBINATION**

Slater was voted to the Pro Bowl for seven straight seasons from 2011-17 and three more from 2019-21. Those 10 selections are three more than the seven that his father earned with the L.A. Rams. The Slater family's 17 combined Pro Bowls are the second-most among father-son contingents to have been voted to at least one Pro Bowl each.

#### MOST FATHER AND SON PRO BOWL SELECTIONS

Players	Pro Bowls
Archie (2), Peyton (14) and Eli Manning (4)	20
Jackie (7) and Matthew Slater (10)	17

#### **SLATER'S SCORE**

 During a 2007 game against Arizona State, UCLA's Matthew Slater returned a kickoff 89 yards for the final touchdown of his collegiate career. In the Patriots 16-10 win over Buffalo on Sept. 29, 2019, DB J.C. Jackson blocked a punt, which Slater returned 11 yards for his first NFL touchdown, 12 seasons after his last touchdown.

#### SLATER IS THE PATRIOTS ALL-TIME SPECIAL TEAMS LEADER

 Slater is the team's all-time leader in special teams tackles with 174. Since 1994, Slater is third among all NFL players, behind only Larry Izzo (205) and Keith Burns (197).

#### MOST REGULAR SEASON SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES 174 Matthew Slater

Larry Izzo

Nate Ebner

174		
143		
91		

#### **SLATER EXTENDS HIS SPECIAL TEAMS LEAD**

Slater added two special teams tackles in the 2021 postseason and now has 23 total postseason special teams tackles, the most postseason special teams tackles since the statistic was tracked beginning in 1994.

# PATRIOTS ALL-TIME LEADING POSTSEASON SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES

<u>Player</u>	Special Teams Tackles
Larry Izzo	17
Eric Alexander	
Matt Chatham	
Je'Rod Cherry	12

### MOST POSTSEASON SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES IN NFL HISTORY (SINCE 1994)

<u>Player</u>	Special Teams Tackles
Matthew Slater	23
Larry Izzo	
Brendon Ayanbadejo	
Mark Pike	





# **PATRIOTS** PLAYER FOUNDATION WORK



- The Josh Uche Foundation was created to empower and provide at-risk youth with educational advancement, resource programming, mentorship and mental health empowerment.
- Josh plans to start an annual football camp that incorporates yoga and athletic mobility to show young athletes that there's more to physical fitness than just lifting weights and running fast.
- On top of the introduction of the football camps, Josh Uche is currently in the process of developing a mental health app for athletes.



- Wise Up & Co. is a foundation started by Patriots defensive lineman Deatrich Wise Jr. and his brothers, Daniel and Solomon Wise. The brothers started the foundation to leverage their name off the field with the aim to have a positive impact on the community.
- Deatrich has been a community pillar by supporting organizations that share the same mission, to assist youth, fight hunger, and celebrate individuality. He has been involved with Big Brothers, Big Sisters and on a yearly basis, runs a Thanksgiving and Christmas drive to support those in the local Massachusetts community.
- To support the Wise Up & Co. Foundation or to find out more, scan the QR code.



 The Chauxdown Foundation empowers at-risk youth through fitness, literacy and educational programming. The foundation has helped serve and impact over 2,000 youth in the Miami, Fla. and Plaquemine, Louisiana communities. Chauxdown has impacted the community in a variety of ways, from giving children toys to play with, to making sure they have the proper school supplies to receive proper education at school.



- The Lawrence Guy Family Foundation is a 501c(3) organization that provides resources and opportunities for financially disadvantaged families. Lawrence and his wife, Andrea Guy, established the foundation in 2019 with the goal to inspire and help families to achieve their full potential.
- The Guy family hosted their 11th annual "Guy Family Thanksgiving Giveaway" event at Orchard Gardens Boys & Girls Club of Boston on Tuesday, November 16, 2021. The foundation partnered with Roche Bros. Supermarkets to provide 150 families in need with groceries for their Thanksgiving meals. Each family received a turkey, fresh vegetables, sides, and fixings.
- On Tuesday, November 23, 2021, Lawrence & Andrea Guy donated 400 turkeys and Thanksgiving dinners to the students and families of the Martin Luther King School in Dorchester, Mass.

# **PATRIOTS** PLAYER FOUNDATION WORK



The mission of the Jonathan Jones Next Step Foundation, Inc. is to educate youth on practical life application, to encourage professional development and to empower them through education and mentorship. Established in 2019, the idea was born from Jones' love and recognition for developing youth; whether it is by way of football camps, meal distributions or fundraisers, and to pour back into them. However, he was no stranger to volunteerism; growing up, he would volunteer in the community at a local soup kitchen and became a change agent at a young age. He knew that when he became a professional football player, he would then have the vehicle and platform to give back on a larger scale.



- The Slater Family Foundation was established in 2020 by Matthew Slater and his wife Dr. Shahrzad Slater. The Foundation aims at empowering individuals, churches, schools, and community groups in all aspects of health and well-being including: spiritual, relational, medical, educational, economical, environmental and to the Glory of God.
- In addition to the Foundation, Matthew and Shahrzad have over the years supported a range of non-profit organizations including; International Justice Mission, Compassion International, Ron Burton Training Village, World Vision, the ELISHA Project, Barnabas Fund, Voice of the Martyrs and Open Doors.
- In addition to building a foundation of their own, the Slaters hope to continue to work alongside non-profits, bringing attention to multiple causes and organizations.



- The mission of TB77 Cares is To change lives of under privileged youth by providing effective means and tools that will advance their opportunities and inspire hope.
- During the offseason, Trent visited the Old Colony YMCA for their final Digital Design Class put on in partnership with Ticker and Create. TB77 Cares sponsored the event where students learned how to use the game development platform, The Unreal Engine, to design their own 2D and 3D games.
- Over 450 kids in the Auburn City Schools District face food insecurity in the summer months. Trent was asked by his former professor at Florida if he wanted to be part of the event run by the Auburn College of Human Sciences. Trent agreed to match dollar for dollar of all donations to the Summer Sustenance Project that helped kids get their proper nutrition. Kids were able to pick up a week's worth of food and snacks each week throughout the summer.



# **CONSECUTIVE SEASONS AT .500**

The Patriots have 35 seasons in which the team has finished above .500 since the 1970 merger. New England also led the NFL with 19 consecutive winning seasons (2001-19).

#### MOST CONSECUTIVE SEASONS AT .500 OR BETTER

Team	Seasons	<b>Consecutive Seasons</b>
Dallas	1965-85	21
New England	2001-19	
Pittsburgh		19
Cleveland		

# **STRONG IN THE SECOND HALF**

Since 2001, the Patriots have done a remarkable job of finishing the season strong, compiling an NFL-best 122-47 (.722) record in games on or after Thanksgiving.

#### PATRIOTS BEFORE AND AFTER THANKSGIVING SINCE 2001

SINCE 2001				
Season	Pre-Thanksgiving	Post-Thanksgiving	Overall	
2001	5-5 (.500)	9-0 (1.000)	14-5*	
2002	6-5 (.545)	3-2 (.600)^	9-7	
2003	9-2 (.818)	8-0 (1.000)	17-2*	
2004	9-1 (.900)	8-1 (.889)	17-2*	
2005	6-4 (.600)	5-3 (.625)	11-7*	
2006	7-3 (.700)	7-2 (.778)	14-5*	
2007	10-0 (1.000)	8-1 (.889)	18-1*	
2008	7-4 (.636)	4-1 (.800)	11-5	
2009	7-3 (.700)	3-4 (.429)	10-7*	
2010	8-2 (.800)	6-1 (.857)^	14-3*	
2011	7-3 (.700)	8-1 (.889)	15-4*	
2012	7-3 (.700)	6-2 (.750)^	13-5*	
2013	8-3 (.727)	5-2 (.714)	13-5*	
2014	9-2 (.818)	6-2 (.750)	15-4*	
2015	10-0 (1.000)	3-5 (.375)	13-5*	
2016	8-2 (.800)	9-0 (1.000)	17-2*	
2017	8-2 (.800)	7-2 (.778)	15-4*	
2018	7-3 (.700)	7-2 (.778)	14-5*	
2019	10-1 (.909)	2-4 (.333)	12-5*	
2020	4-6 (.400)	3-3 (.500)	7-9	
2021	7-4 (.636)	3-4 (.429)	10-8	
2022	6-4 (.600)	2-5 (.286)^	8-9	
Totals	165-62 (.727)	122-47 (.722)	287-109	
*-Includes playoffs ^Includes games played on Thanksgiving				

# **FORCING THE ISSUE**

The Patriots lead the NFL with a plus-233 turnover margin since 1994.

# **NFL TURNOVER MARGIN SINCE 1994**

New England+233	
Kansas City+156	
Green Bay +133	

# SHARP AT GILLETTE

The Patriots not only have the second-best home record at their home stadium in the NFL since 1970, but the club also owns three 20-plus home win streaks in Gillette Stadium history: a 20-game regular season win streak from 2008-11 and two 21-game win streaks that includes the playoffs.



### HIGHEST HOME WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 1970 (MINIMUM 25 GAMES)

Team	Stadium	W-L-T	Win Pct.
Miami	Orange Bowl	101-22-1	.819
New England	Gillette Stadium	135-40-0	.771
Minnesota	Metropolitan Stadium	64-23-1	.733
Pittsburgh	Three Rivers Stadium	169-67-0	.716
Denver	Mile High Stadium	167-66-4	.715

# LONGEST HOME WINNING STREAK/PATRIOTS HISTORY (REGULAR SEASON ONLY)

Streak	First Win	Last Win
20	Dec. 21, 2008	Oct. 16, 2011
18	Oct. 22, 2017	Nov. 24, 2019
18	Dec. 29, 2002	Sept. 8, 2005
16	Dec. 30, 2012	Dec. 28, 2014
12	Nov. 26, 2006	Sept. 7, 2008
10	Sept. 18, 1976	Oct. 30, 1977

# LONGEST HOME WINNING STREAK/NFL HISTORY (REGULAR SEASON)

Streak	Team
27	Miami (1971-74)
25	Green Bay (1995-98)
24	Denver (1996-98)
20	New England (2008-11)
20	Green Bay (1928-32)

# LONGEST HOME WINNING STREAK/PATRIOTS HISTORY

(REGULAR SEASON AND POSTSEASON)		
Streak	First Win	Last Win
21	Oct. 22, 2017	Nov. 24, 2019
21	Dec. 29, 2002	Sept. 8, 2005

# LONGEST HOME WINNING STREAK/NFL HISTORY (REGULAR SEASON AND POSTSEASON)

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# **TOP OFFENSE**

The Patriots finished in the top-10 in offense for seven straight seasons (2007-13), third behind the San Francisco 49ers with 15 (1982-96) and the 11 straight by New Orleans (2006-16).

# **TOP-10 OFFENSE**

Since the 1970 merger, the Patriots offense has finished with a top-10 ranking 23 times, including 13 times under Bill Belichick.

TOP-10 OFFENSE UNDER BILL BELICHICK		
Year	Rank	Yards per Game
2018	5	
2017		
2016	4	
2015	6	
2013	7	
2012		
2011		
2010	8	
2009		
2008	5	
2007		411.3
2005	7	
2004	7	411.3

# **BEND DON'T BREAK**

The Patriots finished first in the NFL in total defense for the first time in team history in 2019 and first in points allowed for the third time in team history.

PATRIOTS	<b>DEFENSIVE RANKIN</b>	GS SINCE 2000
Year	Avg. Points Allowed	Avg. Yds Allowed
2022		
2021		
2020		
2019		
2018	20.3 (7)	359.1 (21)
2017		
2016		
2015	19.7 (10)	
2014	19.5 (8)	
2013	21.1 (10)	
	20.7 (9t)	
	19.6 (8)	
2009	17.8 (5)	
	19.3 (8)	
	17.1 (4)	
	14.8 (2)	
	21.1 (17)	
	16.3 (2t)	
	17.0 (6)	
2000	21.1 (17)	

# HISTORIC SCORING CLIP

The Patriots had a historic scoring output over a three-game span in October and November 2014. New England tied a team record by scoring 40 or more points in three consecutive games from Oct. 26 to Nov. 16. The Patriots also scored 40 or more in three straight games in 2007. The Patriots have scored 40 or more points 71 times in team history, including 44 times since Bill Belichick became head coach in 2000, and 28 times since 2010.

#### MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH 40+ POINTS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

Gm	Year	Game 1	Game 2	Game 3
3	2014	10/26/14 (51-23 v. CHI)	11/02/14 (43-21 v. DEN)	11/16/14 (42-20 @ IND)
3	2007	10/14/07 (48-27 @ DAL)	10/21/07 (49-28 @ MIA)	10/28/07 (52-7 v. WAS)
2	1962	09/21/62 (41-16 v. DEN)	10/06/62 (43-14 @ NYT)	
2	2002	09/15/02 (44-7 @ NYJ)	09/22/02 (41-38 v. KC)	
2	2008	12/14/08 (49-26 @ OAK)	12/21/08 (47-7 v. ARZ)	
2	2010	11/25/10 (45-24 @ DET)	12/06/10 (45-3 v. NYJ)	
2	2012	11/18/12 (59-24 v. IND)	11/22/12 (49-19 @ NYJ)	
2	2015	09/20/15 (40-32 @ BUF)	09/27/15 (51-17 vs. JACK)	

# **SCORING FLURRY**

The Patriots scored three touchdowns in a 57-second span during the final two minutes of the first half against Chicago on Oct. 26, 2014, turning a 17-7 lead into a 38-7 cushion. It was the fastest three-touchdown flurry in the NFL since the Patriots had three touchdowns in 52 seconds against the New York Jets on Nov. 22, 2012. The Patriots are one of three teams to score three touchdowns in under a minute since the 1970 merger, and are the only team to have achieved the feat twice.

### NFL TEAMS TO SCORE THREE TDS IN LESS THAN ONE MINUTE

Team	Opponent	Date
New England	Chicago	10/26/14
New England	N.Y. Jets	11/22/12
Seattle	Minnesota	09/29/02
Atlanta	Carolina	10/04/98

# **COMEBACKS FOR THE AGES**

The Patriots have staged two historic come-from-behind victories over the past several seasons:

Bill Belichick coached the Patriots back from a 25-point deficit to win Super Bowl LI. A comeback of that magnitude is extremely rare. There had been 2,656 games in which a team led by 25 points or more in NFL history, including the postseason. Teams leading by 25 had recorded 2,647 wins, seven losses and two ties, a winning percentage of .997.

New England came back from a 24-point deficit to defeat the Broncos, 34-31, in overtime in a Sunday Night Football matchup on Nov. 24, 2013, marking the largest regular season comeback win in team history, after trailing 24-0 at halftime.

New England's previous best comeback win was from a 23-0 deficit to win, 38-23, vs. Seattle (09/16/84). The Patriots also came back from 22 points down to win at the New York Giants, 23-22 (12/21/96). The Patriots have come from 21 points down to win four times, most recently vs. Buffalo (01/01/12).

# **PATRIOTS** FOOTBALL NETWORK

The Patriots Football Network (PFN) is the full portfolio of media offerings from the six-time Super Bowl Champion New England Patriots. PFN provides Patriots content produced both in-house and with media partners spanning print, television, radio and the Internet.

# PATRIOTS ALL ACCESS

The Emmy Award-winning "Patriots All-Access" airs weekly throughout the season on WBZ-TV Channel 4 in Boston and regional affiliates throughout New England. "Patriots All-Access" features exclusive behind-the-scenes access and in-depth weekly features on Patriots players and personnel. Hosted by WBZ's Steve Burton, the show features weekly sit-downs with Bill Belichick, including the popular "Belestrator" segment where the coach breaks down upcoming opponents with Scott Zolak. T "Patriots All-Access" airs Fridays from 7-8 p.m. on WBZ-TV and Sunday from 9-10 a.m. on myTV38 in Boston. Check local listings for airtime.

# PATRIOTS THIS WEEK

Insider information. Passionate debate. Timely analysis. That's what "Patriots This Week" delivers. The show is hosted by Bob Socci and features former Patriots QB Scott Zolak and Levin Reid for this fast-paced, half-hour of football talk.

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#### **NEWS**

The team's official website offers all the Patriots news and transactions as well as exclusive video, audio, photos and features.

#### VIDEO

The Patriots offer video ready for any device with a screen. Live video includes every Bill Belichick and Mac Jones press conference, the Dunkin Pregame Show and the Postgame Show presented by Cyberseason, along with other events such as special episodes of Patriots All Access and the Patriots Hall of Fame induction ceremony. On demand video ranges from daily news updates, special features, player interviews, game highlights, podcasts and Patriots Cheerleaders. Video offerings also include exclusive content such as postgame locker room celebrations and the "Belichick Breakdown" where Coach gives his unique insight into opponents and plays.

#### AUDIO

Live, original radio shows and on demand podcasts produced from the studios at Gillette Stadium are available on Patriots.com, the Patriots app, and most of the popular podcast platforms. The lineup includes "Patriots Unfiltered," the team's flagship show featuring the content producers from Patriots.com. Other live shows include "Catch-22" with Evan Lazar and Alex Barth and "Patriots Playbook" with John Rooke. The Patriots podcast offerings include the above shows as well as "Pats From the Past", where Patriots Senior Editor, Paul Perillo and Senior Executive Producer Matt Smith, sit down for extended conversations with former Patriots. The show's long format and Perillo and Smith's combined 40-plus years of experience with the team make for great interviews with fan favorites over the decades. Additional audio and podcast content includes video conferences and conference calls, player interviews, Training Campcast, Patriots Prospect Reports and special live NFL Draft shows. Check Patriots.com for in-season and offseason schedules.

#### PHOTOS

The Patriots in-house photographers produce the largest selection of Patriots game action and behind-the-scenes photos in the world. Hundreds of player and cheerleader galleries will keep you clicking!

#### PATRIOTS SOCIAL MEDIA

Over 17 million people follow the Patriots on their various social media accounts where content is generated on a daily basis for each platform. The Patriots are active on multiple platforms including Facebook (NewEnglandPatriots), Twitter (@patriots), Instagram (@ patriots), Snapchat ('patriots'), YouTube (patriots), TikTok (@patriots), LinkedIn and Pinterest (patriots).

# PATRIOTS MONDAY ON WEEI

WEEI Sports Radio broadcasts Patriots Monday each week, offering fans unique insight and analysis from Bill Belichick and Patriots players. WEEI will broadcast Patriots Monday each Monday, kicking off with The Greg Hill Morning Show at 6 a.m., followed by Andy Gresh and Christian Fauria at 10 a.m. and Adam Jones and Meghan Ottolini from 2 to 6 p.m.

# PATRIOTS FRIDAY ON WEEI

WEEI broadcasts Patriots Friday each week, offering fans a look ahead at the weekend's game, match ups and rivalries. Various Patriots players will be featured on air. WEEI will broadcast Patriots Fridays each week throughout the season.

# **98.5 THE SPORTS HUB** PATRIOTS RADIO NETWORK





FLAGSHIP STATION OF THE NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS

98.5 The Sports Hub is the Patriots flagship station, broadcasting every Patriots game across its FM radio network and featuring broadcasting duo Bob Socci and Scott Zolak. Three hours prior to kickoff, during halftime and after the game, Marc Bertrand, Jim Murray and Chris Gasper will be serving up all the pregame news and notes, while Leroy Irvin joins Joe Murray for the postgame show, which includes live sound from the postgame press conferences.

#### **FLAGSHIP STATION**

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New Bedford 1420 AM

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WLNH	Laconia	98.3 FM
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WTSV	Claremont	94.3, 94.5 FM/
		1230 AM

106.3 FM

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