



GAME RELEASE

LOS ANGELES CHARGERS (0-1)

VS.

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS (0-2)

FRIDAY, AUGUST 26, 2022 – 7:00 PM (CST)

CAESARS SUPERDOME – NEW ORLEANS, LA.

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THE MATCHUP

Friday in the Caesars Superdome, the New Orleans Saints will host the Los Angeles Chargers at 7 p.m. The Saints worked to improve last week as they participated in joint practices with the Green Bay Packers on Tuesday and Wednesday before dropping a 20-10 decision in a pre-season contest on Friday night. The Saints fought back from a 13-3 deficit to move to within 13-10 with 12 seconds remaining in the second quarter following a 20-yard touch-down connection between QB **Ian Book** and rookie WR **Chris Olave**. Following a scoreless third quarter, a fourth quarter 51-yard rushing touchdown by Packers QB **Danny Etling** brought Green Bay's lead to 20-10 and a missed field goal attempt by K **John Parker Romo** with 1:32 left ended New Orleans' hopes.

The game reminded the Saints that plenty of work remains in this final preseason contest and three weeks of practice before the Sept. 11 regular season opener at Atlanta. While QB **Ian Book** was efficient, completing 16-of-28 passes for 113 yards and rushing for 49, the New Orleans offense was hurt by two lost turnovers.

After the clubs traded punts to start the contest, Green Bay got on the scoreboard first with a 25-yard field goal late in the first quarter by K **Ramiz Ahmed**. New Orleans then showed the ability of their special teams to even the score. WR **Kirk Merritt** showed his potential in the return

game, bringing back a kickoff 59 yards to the Green Bay 43-yard line. K **Wil Lutz**, who missed the 2021 season with an abdominal injury showed that he is back by booting a 59-yard field goal, the longest kick of his NFL career.

In the second quarter, Green Bay scored 10 straight points, a field goal aided by a New Orleans fumble on the exchange and a 37-yard return. However, Book settled down after an interception late in the second quarter and took advantage of a forced fumble by LB **Eric Wilson** and a recovery by LB **Jon Bostic** to engineer a four-play 37-yard drive to collaborate with Olave for New Orleans' only touchdown.

After spending five days in Green Bay and having the final practice of the preseason in front of fans at the Caesars Superdome Sunday, the focus returns to the Ochsner Sports Performance Center for the last week of training camp as the club continues to install their offense and defense. Several younger players whom are competing for roster spots and roles were also bright spots in the narrow loss, as the Saints continued to receive impressive play from their first round picks, Olave at wideout and LT **Trevor Penning**, who started and continued his impressive development, while in competition with **James Hurst**. RB **Tony Jones Jr.** started and continued to stake his claim for a roster spot, gaining 40 yards on the ground, 20 through the air and recording two special teams tackles.

THE COACHES

Dennis Allen was hired as the 17th head coach in New Orleans Saints history on February 8, 2022. Now in his 27th year coaching and 21st in the NFL, Allen has spent 12 seasons in New Orleans in two stints, including the last six-and-a-half campaigns as the team's defensive coordinator. He succeeds Sean Payton, who coached the team for 16 seasons, including the 2009 campaign, when Allen was secondary coach and ended with the Super Bowl XLIV championship. When Allen took control of a Black and Gold defense in Week 11 of the 2015 season that was ranked 32nd in opponent net yards per game and opponent points per game, he methodically molded a unit that has finished in the top 10 in both categories each of the last two years, effectively synchronizing with the team's offensive and special teams units to produce five consecutive winning seasons (2017-present) and four straight division titles and playoff berths (2017-20). Before rejoining the Saints coaching staff in 2015, Allen served as head coach of the Oakland Raiders from 2012-14 and as defensive coordinator of the Denver Broncos in 2011. Prior to his first stint in New Orleans from 2006-10, Allen was also an assistant in Atlanta from 2002-05.

Allen played safety at Texas A&M from 1992-95, where he started the final 21 games of his career before being signed as an undrafted free agent by the Buffalo Bills in 1996. Prior to entering the National Football League coaching ranks in 2002, Allen served as a graduate assistant at his alma mater from 1996-99 and as secondary coach at the University of Tulsa from 2000-2001. He earned a bachelor of business administration degree and a master's in kinesiology from Texas A&M.

Raised in Hurst, Texas, Allen and his wife Alisson have a daughter, Layla and a son, Garrison.

Brandon Staley (9-8) was named the 17th head coach in franchise history on Jan. 17, 2021. He brought an aggressive style to the organization, as the Bolts led the NFL with 22 fourth-down conversions and seven two-point conversions. The offensive unit also scored 181 fourth-quarter points, good for the second-most in a season in NFL history. Staley called a defense that led the NFL with 11 strip-sacks and paced the AFC with 19 forced fumbles. In his first season as head coach. In his first season as head coach, six Chargers were selected to the Pro Bowl, including five that were tabbed as starters. As defensive coordinator for the Los Angeles Rams in 2020, Staley directed the NFL's No. 1-ranked total defense, pass defense and scoring defense. Staley's unit also ranked as the league's third-best run defense in 2020. Prior to the Rams, Staley spent one season as outside linebackers coach with the Denver Broncos (2019) after two seasons in the same capacity for the Chicago Bears (2017-18). Staley guided

Broncos OLB Von Miller and Bears OLB Khalil Mack to Pro Bowl honors during their time together, as Mack earned first-team *Associated Press* All-Pro recognition in his lone season with Staley. Staley also guided OLB Bradley Chubb to PFWA All-Rookie Team honors following the 2019 campaign with the Broncos.

SERIES HISTORY

The Saints and Chargers have played 13 times in the regular season, with San Diego leading the series 7-6, but New Orleans winning the last four matchups. Most recently, the Saints defeated the Chargers 30-27 on October 12, 2020 in a Sunday Night Football contest at the Superdome, when QB **Drew Brees** successfully executed a nine-play, 48-yard drive that ended with a 36-yard field goal by K **Wil Lutz** and on a fourth and six play, CB Marshon Lattimore tackled Chargers WR **Mike Williams** at the Los Angeles 49-yard line, one yard short of the first down marker to end the contest.

The Saints lead the preseason series with the Chargers 5-4, having won their last three contests.

The last time the two teams met in exhibition play was 2019, when the Saints traveled to Southern California early and practiced with the Chargers for two days prior to posting a 19-17 win at Dignity Sports Park in Carson, Calif. on August 18. In the contest, **Taysom Hill** completed 11-of-15 passes for 136 yards with two touchdown passes, zero interceptions and a 140.6 passer rating, while also leading the team in rushing with five carries for 53 yards. RB **Devine Ozigbo** rushed for 30 yards and caught a team-high three passes for 23 yards with one touchdown. On special teams, Lutz made two field goals for the Saints, a 33-yarder in the first quarter and a game-winning 28-yarder with 1:05 left in the contest. Four plays after Lutz's field goal, LB **Colton Jumper** recorded an interception four plays later to end the contest.

SAINTS-CHARGERS CONNECTIONS

Chargers Offensive Coordinator **Joe Lombardi** served as an offensive assistant with New Orleans from 2007-13 and from 2016-20, tutoring quarterbacks from 2009-13 and his last five seasons with the club. Saints Co-Defensive Coordinator/Defensive Line Coach **Ryan Nielsen** prepped at Royal (Simi Valley, Calif.), played at USC from 1998-2001 and was a volunteer assistant for the Trojans in 2002...New Orleans Co-Defensive Coordinator/Secondary Coach **Kris Richard** prepped at Junipero Serra (Gardena, Calif.) HS and was teammates with Nielsen at USC, also serving as a graduate assistant for the Trojans from 2008-09. **CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE**

SAINTS-CHARGERS CONNECTIONS

New Orleans OL **Josh Andrews** prepped at Colony (Ontario, Calif.) HS...Saints T **Derrick Kelly** and Chargers S **Derwin James Jr.** and CB **Asante Samuel Jr.** were college teammates at Florida State University...New Orleans OL **Forrest Lamp** was a second round draft pick of the Chargers in 2017 and played in 25 games with 18 starts at left guard from 2018-20...Chargers QB **Chase Daniel** played for the Saints from 2009-12 and in 2017. Daniel and New Orleans TE **J.P. Holtz** were teammates in Chicago in 2019...New Orleans S **Daniel Sorensen** prepped at Colton (Calif.) HS, where he earned first-team All-Conference honors, playing both offense and defense...Saints OL **Calvin Throckmorton** and Los Angeles QB **Justin Herbert** were college teammates at Oregon...New Orleans WR **Marquez Callaway**, DT **Shy Tuttle** and CB **Alontae Taylor** and Los Angeles WR **Joshual Palmer** were college teammates at Tennessee...New Orleans Assistant Head Coach/Special Teams Coordinator **Darren Rizzi** and Los Angeles Passing Game Coordinator/Quarterbacks Coach **Shane Day** and Defensive Coordinator **Renaldo Hill** served on the same Miami Dolphins coaching staff...Saints WR **Michael Thomas** prepped at Oaks Christian (Westlake Village, Calif.) HS and Taft Charter (Woodland Hills, Calif. HS...Los Angeles K **Dustin Hopkins** spent the end of the 2014 season on the Saints practice squad and went to training camp with the Black and Gold in 2015...Saints Offensive Line Coach **Doug Marone** was head coach of the Buffalo Bills when Hopkins was a member of the Bills in 2013 and went to training camp with them in 2014...Chargers TE **Gerald Everett** played at South Alabama from 2015-16...Saints RB **Dwayne Washington** prepped at Gahr (Cerritos, Calif.) HS. Washington and Chargers LB **Kyle Van Noy** were teammates in Detroit from 2016-17...New Orleans WR **Kevin White**'s younger brother Kyzir spent his first four NFL seasons with the Chargers...Saints DE **Cameron Jordan** was a college teammate of Los Angeles WR **Kee-nan Allen** at the University of California in 2010...Saints WR **Chris Olave** prepped at Mission Hills (San Marcos, Calif.) HS after transferring from Eastlake (Chula Vista, Calif.) HS...New Orleans WR/RS **Rashid Shaheed** prepped at Mt. Carmel (San Diego, Calif.) HS...New Orleans QB **Ian Book**, RB **Tony Jones Jr.** and Los Angeles S **Alohi Gilman**, LB **Drue Tranquill** and DE **Jerry Tillery**, who prepped at Evangel Christian (Shreveport, La.) Academy, were college teammates at Notre Dame...Los Angeles DB **Kemon Hall** went to training camp with the Saints in 2020...Saints QB **Taysom Hill** and Sorensen played with Los Angeles CB **Michael Davis** at Brigham Young...Saints Head Coach **Dennis Allen** tutored Chargers LB **Khalil Mack** as a rookie in 2014 as head coach of the Oakland Raiders. Holtz and Mack were teammates with the Chicago Bears. Thomas, Saints TE **Nick**

Vannett and Chargers OLB **Joey Bosa** and C **Corey Linsley** were college teammates at Ohio State. Bosa also played with Saints CB **Marshon Lattimore** with the Buckeyes...Vannett and Los Angeles T **Brandon Feiler** were teammates with the Pittsburgh Steelers in 2019...Los Angeles Offensive Line Coach **Brendan Nugent** served on the New Orleans coaching staff from 2015-21...Chargers C **Will Clapp** prepped at Brother Martin HS, played at LSU and was a seventh round draft pick of the Saints in 2018, playing for the club for his first four NFL seasons...Chargers DE **Breiden Fehoko** played at LSU from 2017-19 and was part of the Tigers' 2020 National Championship winning team...Los Angeles Offensive Assistant **Pat White** prepped at Daphne, (Al.) HS and served as quarterbacks coach at Alcorn State from 2018-19...Los Angeles Defensive Line Coach/Run Game Coordinator **Jay Rodgers** served as a graduate assistant at LSU from 2001-02...Chargers Linebackers Coach **Michael Wilhoite** served on the New Orleans coaching staff from 2019-20. Wilhoite was tutored by Richard in 2017 in Seattle when he was defensive coordinator of the Seahawks...Los Angeles Outside Linebackers Coach **Giff Smith** served as defensive line coach at Tulane from 1999-2003.

2021 NEW ORLEANS-LOS ANGELES FINAL STATISTICAL COMPARISON

League Rankings

	<u>Saints</u>	<u>Chargers</u>
Record	9-8	9-8
Scoring Avg. (NFL Rank)	21.4 (19)	27.9 (5)
Opp. Scoring Avg. (NFL Rank)	19.7 (4)	27.0 (29t)
Total Off. (NFL Rank)	304.5 (28)	390.2 (4)
Rushing Off. (NFL Rank)	117.1 (15)	107.9 (21)
Passing Off. (NFL Rank)	187.4 (32)	282.4 (2t)
Total Def. (NFL Rank)	318.2 (7)	360.1 (23)
Rushing Def. (NFL Rank)	93.5 (4)	138.9 (30)
Passing Def. (NFL Rank)	224.8 (14t)	221.2 (12)
Kickoff Return Avg. (NFL Rank)	22.6 (14)	25.0 (4)
Punt Return Avg. (NFL Rank)	10.0 (8)	5.9 (32)
Turnover Margin (NFL Rank)	+7 (8t)	-1 (19)
Penalties	98	116
Penalty Yards	811	1,033
Opp. Penalties	89	99
Opp. Penalty Yards	761	835

TRANSACTIONS (July 19 —)**July**

19 – Signed CB **Alontae Taylor** to a four-year contract.

21 – Placed DE **Marcus Davenport** and WR **Michael Thomas** on the active/physically unable to perform list.

26 – Placed DL **Tanoh Kpassagnon** and TE **Nick Vannett** Non-Football Illness list, signed RB **Malcolm Brown**, C **Nick Martin** and DE **Scott Patchan** and waived DB **Jordan Miller**, **Derek Schweiger** P **Daniel Whelan**.

27 – Placed LB **Pete Werner** on Non-Football Injury, activated WR **Michael Thomas** from Physically Unable to Perform and TE **Nick Vannett** from Non-Football Illness.

30 – Activated DE **Tanoh Kpassagnon** from Non-Football Illness list.

August

1 – Activated LB **Pete Werner** from Non-Football Injury.

3 – Signed TE **Christopher Herndon** and waived TE **Brandon Dillon**.

5 – Signed LB **Kiko Alonso** and placed DB **Smoke Monday** on Injured Reserve.

6 – Placed LB **Kiko Alonso** on Reserve/Retired and placed T **Gerald Hawkins** on Injured Reserve. Signed CB **Quenton Meeks**

8 – Signed DB **Jordan Brown** LB **Chase Hansen**. Waived/Injured CB **Dylan Mabin**.

9 – Signed DL **T.J. Carter**, and placed LB **D'Marco Jackson** and DB **Dylan Mabin** on Injured Reserve.

11 – Signed DB **Brian Allen**, QB **K.J. Costello** and DB **Jack Koerner**, placed DB **Bryce Thompson** on Injured Reserve and terminated the contracts of RB **Malcolm Brown** and DT **Jaleel Johnson**.

12 – Reached an injury settlement with DB **Dylan Mabin**.

15 – Signed LB **Jon Bostic** and DE **Niko Lalos**, re-signed DT **Jaleel Johnson**, waived/injured DBs **Jordan Brown** and **Isaiah Pryor**, waived DL **T.J. Carter**, DB **Jack Koerner**, DE **Scott Patchan**, K **John Parker Romo** and WR **Easop Winston Jr.**, reached an injury settlement with DB **Bryce Thompson** and placed T **Ethan Greenidge** on Injured Reserve.

17 – Awarded T **Derrick Kelly** off waivers from the New York Jets and placed DT **Jaleel Johnson** on Injured Reserve.

18 – Re-signed OL **Derek Schweiger** and waived/injured

OL **Sage Doxtater**.

19 – Re-signed K **John Parker Romo** and placed OLs **Sage Doxtater** and **Forrest Lamp** on Injured Reserve.

HOW DO YOU SAY IT?**SAINTS PRONUNCIATION GUIDE****PLAYERS**

LB	Zack Baun (BONN)
WR	Marquez Callaway (mar-QWEZ)
WR	Dai'Jean Dixon (day-jhon)
LB	Demario Davis (duh-MAR-ee-oh)
WR/RS	Deonte Harty (deo-on-tay)
RB	Alvin Kamara (kuh-Mare-Uh)
DE	Tanoh Kpassagnon (tawn-oh pass-N-yo)
S	Tyrann Mathieu (ty-REN MATH-you)
WR	Chris Olave (O-lav-ae)
DL	David Onyemata (Un-ye-mah-tah)
RB	Devine Ozigbo (oh-Zig-bo)
T	Andrus Peat (ann-druss pete)
CB	Alontae Taylor (Alon-tay)
TE	Adam Trautman (Trout-man)

COACHES

Senior Defensive Asst. Peter **Giunta** (GEN-ta).

Secondary Coach Kris **Richard** (Ri-SHARD).

Tight Ends/Run Game Coordinator Dan **Roushar** (ROW-shar).

Assistant Offensive Line Coach Zach **Strief** (Streef)

2022 SCHEDULE

PRESEASON

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Result</u>
Aug. 13	@ Houston Texans	L, 13-17
Aug. 19	@ Green Bay Packers	L, 10-20
Aug. 26	LOS ANGELES CHARGERS	7:00/FOX 8

REGULAR SEASON

Sept. 11	ATLANTA FALCONS	NOON/FOX
Sept. 18	TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS	NOON/FOX
Sept. 25	@ Carolina Panthers	Noon/FOX
Oct. 2	MINNESOTA VIKINGS (London)	8:30 a.m./NFLN
Oct. 9	SEATTLE SEAHAWKS	NOON/FOX
Oct. 16	CINCINNATI BENGALS	NOON/CBS
Oct. 20	@ Arizona Cardinals	7:15/Amazon
Oct. 30	LAS VEGAS RAIDERS	NOON/CBS
Nov. 7	BALTIMORE RAVENS	7:15/ESPN
Nov. 13	@ Pittsburgh Steelers	Noon/FOX
Nov. 20	LOS ANGELES RAMS	NOON/FOX
Nov. 27	@ San Francisco 49ers	3:25/FOX
Dec. 5	@ Tampa Bay Buccaneers	7:15/ESPN
Dec. 11	BYE	
Dec. 17/18	ATLANTA FALCONS	TBD/TBD
Dec. 24	@ Cleveland Browns	Noon/FOX
Jan. 1	@ Philadelphia Eagles	Noon/FOX
Jan. 7/8	CAROLINA PANTHERS	TBD/TBD

TEAM NOTES

EVANS AND WARREN TO SERVE AS TRAINING CAMP COACHING INTERNS

Former Saints G **Jahri Evans** and ten-year NFL veteran DL **Ty Warren** will serve as coaching interns for training camp.

Evans and Warren will observe, participate and gain hands on experience at training camp, offseason workout programs and minicamps as part of the NFL's Bill Walsh Diversity Coaching Fellowship program. The program provides NFL coaching experience to talented minority college coaches, high school coaches and former players who

wish to pursue a career in professional coaching.

Evans, 6-4, 318, is one of the most decorated offensive linemen in franchise history. He played 11 seasons with the Saints from 2006-16 after being selected in the fourth round in the 2006 NFL Draft out of Bloomsburg. Among his accolades were five consecutive selections to the AP All-Pro teams, including four consecutive first-team honors from 2009-2012. Evans was also selected to six consecutive Pro Bowls from 2009-2014, was a member of a line that was awarded the Madden Most Valuable Protectors Award in 2009 and 2011 along with the other members of the Saints' line, and was a member of the NFL 2010s All-Decade Team (Pro Football Hall of Fame selectors). The Philadelphia native started all 183 regular season games he appeared in for the Saints (2016-16) and Green Bay Packers (2017) and ten postseason contests in a Black and Gold uniform, the 11th most in club record books. Evans was selected to the club's All-50th team in 2016, inducted into the Saints Hall of Fame in 2021 and the Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame in 2022.

Warren, 6-5, 300, was selected by the Patriots in the first round (13th overall) of the 2003 NFL Draft out of Texas A&M. He played in 106 games for New England (2003-10) and Denver (2011-12) from 2003-12 with 93 starts and recorded 375 tackles (253 solo), 20.5 sacks, seven passes defended, four forced fumbles and six recoveries. The Bryan, Texas native also appeared in 15 postseason contests with 11 starts, posting 54 tackles (41 solo), 1.0 sack, one pass defense and one forced fumble as he was a member of Super Bowl Championship squads his first two seasons. Warren was a two-time All-Pro selection (2006, 2007) and was selected to the Patriots' All-2000s team. Warren spent 2020 with Detroit as a William Clay Ford minority coaching assistant and served as defensive line coach for the USFL's Houston Gamblers in 2022.

FAMILY TIES

Numerous Saints players, coaches and administrators are not the only members of their families to make a name for themselves in pro football. 23 Saints roster players, coaches or front office staff have relatives who have played, coached or served in the front office in the NFL.

Head Coach Dennis Allen - Late father, Grady Allen, played linebacker for the Falcons from 1968-72.

Offensive Coordinator Pete Carmichael - Late father, Pete, served as an assistant coach from 1994-2003 with the Jacksonville Jaguars (1994-99), Cleveland Browns (2000) and Chicago Bears (2002-03).

Offensive Asst. D.J. Williams - Father, Doug Williams, is a veteran of the Washington Football Team's front office, who won Super Bowl XXII as their starting quarterback, the pinnacle of a storied 12-year pro football career, which includes him being in the Tampa Bay Buccaneers Ring of Honor, also working in the Buccaneers front office.

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VP/Asst. General Manager-College Personnel Jeff Ireland – Stepson of Chiefs Hall of Fame linebacker/center E.J. Holub. Grandson of Philadelphia Eagles running back and Chicago Bears personnel exec. Jim Parmer.

National Scout Terry Wooden - Brother, JoJo, is Director of Player Personnel for the Los Angeles Chargers.

LB Jon Bostic - Father, John, played defensive back for the Detroit Lions from 1985-87.

LB Demario Davis - Late cousin Steve McNair was a former standout quarterback for the Houston Oilers/Tennessee Titans (1995-2005) and Ravens (2006-07).

LB Kaden Elliss - Father, Luther was a former first round draft pick of the Lions in 1995 and played ten years in the NFL and was selected to two Pro Bowls. Younger brother Christian, signed with the Minnesota Vikings after the 2021 NFL Draft and went to training camp with the team.

LB Chase Hansen - Uncle, Bruce, played for New England in 1987.

TE Taysom Hill - Brother-in-law, David Nixon played linebacker and on special teams for the Raiders (2009), Houston Texans (2010) and St. Louis Rams (2010-11).

DE Cameron Jordan - Father, Steve, had a prolific 13-year career at tight end for the Vikings, with six Pro Bowl selections, being inducted into their Ring of Honor.

TE Juwan Johnson - Brother George, played defensive end for eight years in the National Football League with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers, Vikings, Lions and Saints.

DB Quenton Meeks - Father, Ron, coached in the NFL from 1991-2012, including stints as defensive coordinator for the Carolina Panthers (2009-10) and Indianapolis (2002-08).

G Andrus Peat - Father, Todd, played six NFL seasons with the Phoenix/Arizona Cardinals and the Raiders.

LB Nephi Sewell - Brother, Penei, was the seventh overall pick in the 2021 NFL Draft to Detroit as an offensive lineman.

WR Michael Thomas - Uncle, Keyshawn Johnson, is a former wide receiver who was the first overall pick in the 1996 NFL Draft by the Jets, spending 11 seasons in the National Football League with the Jets, Tampa Bay Buccaneers, Dallas Cowboys and Carolina Panthers, earning three Pro Bowls and the Super Bowl XXXVII title.

DT Shy Tuttle - Uncle, Perry Tuttle played wide receiver

on Clemson's national championship team in 1981, who was a first round pick of the Bills in 1982 and then played three NFL seasons with the Buffalo Bills, Atlanta Falcons and Tampa Bay Buccaneers.

LB Pete Werner - Father, Greg, played nine games at right end and on special teams for this week's opponent, the New York Jets in 1989 and went to training camp with the Philadelphia Eagles in 1990.

WR Kevin White - Younger brother, Kyzir plays linebacker for the Philadelphia Eagles, after originally being a fourth round pick of the Los Angeles Chargers in 2018. Another younger brother Ka'Raun, was on the practice squad of Seattle, Cincinnati and Pittsburgh from 2018-19.

Senior Scouting Consultant Scott Campbell - Late father, Marion, played for the 49ers (1954-55) and Philadelphia Eagles (1956-61) as one of the league's last two-way players along the line as a two-time Pro Bowl selection and first-team All-Pro (1960), was a defensive assistant with the Patriots (1962-63), Vikings (1964-66), Rams (1967-68), Eagles (1977-82) and Falcons (1969-74) and former head coach of the Eagles (1983-85) and Falcons (1987-89).

Area Scout Joey Vitt - Father, Joe Vitt, is a longtime NFL assistant coach, who served as assistant head coach/linebackers of the Saints from 2006-16 and also had coaching stints with the Seattle Seahawks, Colts, Los Angeles/St. Louis Rams, Kansas City Chiefs and Jets.

Combine Scout Matt Phillips - Father, Ted is the president/CEO of the Chicago Bears.

COACHES IN THE NFL

Five members of the 2022 Saints coaching staff have prior playing experience in the National Football League.

Offensive Line Coach **Doug Marrone** - Played for the Miami Dolphins in 1987 and the Saints in 1989.

Passing Game Coord./Quarterbacks Coach **Ronald Curry** - A seventh round draft pick (235th overall) of the Oakland Raiders in 2002 out of the University of North Carolina and played for Oakland from 2002-08, appearing in 76 games with 32 starts, registering 193 receptions for 2,347 yards with 13 TDs.

Co-Defensive Coordinator/Secondary Coach **Kris Richard** - A third-round draft pick (85th overall) of the Seattle Seahawks in 2002, Richard played in 38 games at cornerback and on special teams with the Seahawks from 2002-04 before finishing his playing career with the San Francisco 49ers in 2005.

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Asst. Offensive Line Coach **Zach Strief** - Originally entered the NFL as a seventh round draft pick of the Saints in 2006 and played for the team for 12 seasons, playing in 158 games with 93 starts, opening 87 contests at right tackle and serving as an offensive team captain five times.

Pass Rush Specialist **Brian Young** - Played in the NFL from 2000-08 with the St. Louis Rams his first four seasons, who originally selected him in the fifth round of the 2000 NFL Draft (139th overall) from Texas-El Paso and final five campaigns with the Saints, playing in 124 games, recording 22.5 career sacks and eight fumble recoveries.

FIVE IN A ROW

New Orleans has had five winning seasons in a row all resulting in playoff berths, going 11-5 in 2017, 13-3 in 2018 and 2019, 12-4 in 2020 and 9-8 in 2021. The Saints have joined the Kansas City Chiefs (nine) and Los Angeles Rams (five) as only the third NFL team currently with five consecutive winning seasons.

TURNOVER RATIO LEADER

In 2021, the Saints finished the regular season tied for eighth in the NFL in takeaway/giveaway ratio at +7. New Orleans and Seattle are the only two NFL teams to finish in the top 10 in turnover ratio each of the last five seasons.

2021 NFL TURNOVER DIFFERENTIAL LEADERS

Team	Takeaways			Giveaways			Diff
	Ints	Fum	Total	Ints	Fum	Total	
1t. Ind.	19	14	33	8	11	19	+14
1t. Dal.	26	8	34	11	9	20	+14
3. GB	18	8	26	7	6	13	+13
4. Arz.	13	14	27	11	4	15	+12
5. Min.	16	8	24	7	6	13	+11
6. TB	17	12	29	12	7	19	+10
7. Buf.	19	10	30	16	6	22	+8
8t. NO	18	7	25	13	5	18	+7
8t. NE	23	7	30	13	10	23	+7
10. Sea.	11	7	18	7	6	13	+5

ROSTER FACTS AND FIGURES

Oldest Saints player: Quarterback Andy Dalton, 34, 10/29/87

Youngest Saint: Wide Receiver Chris Olave, 22, 6/27/00

Most Seasons as a Saint: Defensive End Cameron Jordan - 11

Most NFL seasons: Jordan, Running Back Mark Ingram II and Quarterback Andy Dalton - 12

Most consecutive starts: Center/Guard Cesar Ruiz, 31

Consecutive games played: Long Snapper Zach Wood, 78

Most playoff experience: Jordan and Safety Tyrann Mathieu, 11 games

Heaviest Saint: Offensive Lineman Khalique Washington, 339

Tallest Saint: Defensive End Tanoh Kpassagnon, 6-6

Shortest Saint: Wide Receiver/Return Specialist Deonte Harty, 5-6.

Former first round draft picks: 11 – Defensive End Taco Charlton, Jordan, Ingram, Defensive End Marcus Davenport, Cornerback Marshon Lattimore, Olave, Tackle Trevor Penning Tackle Ryan Ramczyk, Cornerback Bradley Roby, Ruiz, Defensive End Payton Turner and Quarterback Jameis Winston.

Pro Bowlers: 10 – Quarterback Andy Dalton, Defensive Back J.T. Gray, Ingram, Jenkins, Jordan, Running Back Alvin Kamara, Lattimore, Wide Receiver Jarvis Landry, Safety Tyrann Mathieu, Wide Receiver Michael Thomas and Winston.

College with the most Saints: Ohio State—6 (Olave, Lattimore, Thomas, Roby, Tight End Nick Vannett and Linebacker Pete Werner).

MY HOMETOWN

New Orleans Saints players come from 21 states, Canada and Nigeria. Of the players on the team's roster, Texas (cornerback Paulson Adebo, defensive back Brian Allen, defensive end Marcus Davenport, defensive back DaMarcus Fields, center/guard Erik McCoy, running back Devine Ozigbo, running back Abram Smith and long snapper Zach Wood claim the most members with eight and Florida (linebacker Jon Bostic, defensive back C.J. Gardner-Johnson, defensive tackle Jordan Jackson, running back Tony Jones Jr., tackle Derrick Kelly, safety Marcus Maye, wide receiver Tre'Quan Smith and cornerback P.J. Williams) ranked second.

TEAM NOTES

ROAD WARRIORS

Since 2006, the Saints have the best road record in the NFC, second-best in the NFL at 76-53 (.589). In 2021, New Orleans finished 6-3 on the road, winning a seventh away from the Caesars Superdome when the season opening win vs. Green Bay was relocated to Jacksonville due to Hurricane Ida. The Black and Gold posted a road winning record for the fourth consecutive season for the first time in franchise history, winning at least six road tilts in all four of the campaigns.

NFL REGULAR SEASON ROAD RECORDS SINCE 2006

Team	Record
1. New England	86-42
2. New Orleans	75-53
3. Dallas	72-57
4. Pittsburgh	69-58-1

Since 2009, with a 64-41 (.610) road mark, the Saints have the best record in the NFC and second-best in the National Football League.

NFL REGULAR SEASON ROAD RECORDS SINCE 2009

Team	Record
1. New England	66-38
2. New Orleans	64-41
3. Dallas	58-47
4. Pittsburgh	56-47-1

Since 2018, with a 26-7 (.788) road mark, the Saints have the best road record away in the National Football League away from the Caesars Superdome. New Orleans will open the season for the second consecutive away from home when they start the regular season at the Atlanta Falcons on September 11

NFL REGULAR SEASON ROAD RECORDS SINCE 2018

Team	Record
1. New Orleans	26-7
2. Kansas City	25-7
3. L.A. Rams	22-12
4. Baltimore	20-12
5. Seattle	20-13

DOMEFIELD ADVANTAGE

Since 2008, the Saints have posted a 77-33 home record, ranked fifth in the National Football League. New Orleans enjoyed four consecutive winning seasons at home from 2017-20 for the second time joining 2008-11, seeking to start a new streak in 2022 after going 3-5 in 2021.

NFL REGULAR SEASON HOME RECORDS SINCE 2008

Team	Record
1. New England	90-20
2. Green Bay	85-23-2
3. Pittsburgh	82-30-1
4. Baltimore	80-31
5. New Orleans	77-33

OPPONENT POINTS PER GAME

Under the leadership of Dennis Allen, who served as defensive coordinator in 2021, prior to being promoted to head coach in the offseason, New Orleans finished the season ranked first in the NFC and fourth in the NFL in opponent scoring, as one of only four teams to surrender an average of fewer than 20 points per game.

2021 NFL OPPONENT POINTS PER GAME LEADERS

Team	Pts.	Pts./Gm.
1. Buffalo	289	17.0
2. New England	303	17.8
3. Denver	322	18.9
4. New Orleans	335	19.7
5. Tampa Bay	353	20.8
6. Tennessee	354	20.8

ROSTER ROLL CALL

On the 85-player Saints training camp roster, 52 were on the active roster, a reserve list or the practice squad at the end of the 2021 season. Among newcomers, the roster includes five unrestricted free agents, 12 veteran free agents, four draft picks and 12 rookie free agents.

Of the players, 35 have less than four years of previous NFL experience, including 16 players who are in their first training camp. The following is a breakdown of New Orleans' roster by years of experience (year entering): 12 years-3, 11 years-1, 10 years-2, 9 years-4, 8 years-5, 7 years-6, 6 years-9, 5 years-5, 4 years-9, 3 years-8, 2 years-11, 1 year-5, rookies-16.

TEAM NOTES

HIGHER EDUCATION

54 colleges and universities are represented on the Saints' 85-man roster. Of that total, 17 are represented by multiple Saints, six from Ohio State, four from Tennessee and Notre Dame, three from Florida, Florida State, Michigan and Stanford and two apiece from Arkansas State, Mississippi State, LSU, Pittsburgh, Kentucky Brigham Young, Oregon State, Texas A&M and Utah.

IN THE NFL

The Saints have the second-best regular season record in the NFC and have the fourth-best in the National Football League since 2006.

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE REGULAR SEASON RECORDS SINCE 2006

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
New England Patriots	191	66	0	.743
Green Bay Packers	166	89	2	.650
Pittsburgh Steelers	162	93	2	.634
New Orleans Saints	159	98	0	.617
Baltimore Ravens	155	102	0	.603
Indianapolis Colts	153	104	0	.595

Since 2009, New Orleans' 134-75 regular season record is second in the NFC and tied for third in the National Football League.

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE REGULAR SEASON RECORDS SINCE 2009

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
New England Patriots	151	58	0	.723
Green Bay Packers	138	69	2	.665
New Orleans Saints	134	75	0	.641
Pittsburgh Steelers	132	75	2	.636
Baltimore Ravens	126	83	0	.603

POINTS PER GAME

Since 2006, the Saints have averaged 27.6 points per game (7,105 points) in 259 regular season games, second in the National Football League. Since 2006, they've scored 20 or more points in 200 contests (77.5%) and 30 or

more in 117 (45.4%). The Saints are tied with three teams for having three consecutive 45-point plus outputs all-time.

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE POINTS PER GAME LEADERS SINCE 2006

Team	Pts.	Pts./Gm.
1. New England	7,319	28.5
2. New Orleans	7,105	27.6
3. Green Bay	6,731	26.2

In 2021, New Orleans finished the season ranked fourth in the NFL in fourth quarter scoring.

2021 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE POINTS PER GAME LEADERS

(FOURTH QUARTER)

Team	Pts.	Pts./Gm.
1. LA Chargers	181	10.6
2. Pittsburgh	169	9.9
3. New England	165	9.7
4. New Orleans	162	9.5
5. Buffalo	151	8.9

BUCKING THE ODDS

The Saints have a long tradition of finding players as free agents signed after the draft that make an impact. Several played key roles in 2021. Wide Receiver/Return Specialist Deonte Harris finished ranked second on the team with 570 receiving yards on 36 catches (team-best 15.8 avg., seventh in the NFL), while leading the club in kickoff return average (23.8 avg.) and punt return average (9.5 avg.). Wide receiver Marquez Callaway led the team in two of four major receiving categories with a club-best 46 receptions for a team-high 698 yards (15.2 avg., ranked tenth in the NFL) and a club-best six touchdown grabs as the team's only offensive skill player to play in all 17 games. Defensive end Carl Granderson played in 15 games with three starts and posted 24 tackles and three sacks. Punter Blake Gillikin enjoyed an October where he was selected as NFC Special Teams Player of the Month. He finished his first season with punting duties ranked third in the league with 29 punts dropped inside the 20-yard line. Defensive tackle Shy Tuttle moved into a starting role for one of the NFL's top-ranked run defenses and finished with 48 tackles, three passes defended, one fumble and one fumble recovery.

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Defensive back J.T. Gray led the NFL with 19 special teams stops (league-best 16 solo) and this season was voted by his teammates as the club's special teams captain and was selected to the Pro Bowl as a starter and as a first-team *Associated Press* All Pro. Tight End Juwan Johnson led his position group with four touchdown receptions. Offensive Lineman Calvin Throckmorton was one of two Saints linemen to play in all 17 games, starting four at right guard and the last nine contests at left guard.

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS WHO HAVE JOINED THE TEAM AS UNDRAFTED ROOKIE FREE AGENTS

(ON 53-MAN ROSTER AT END OF 2021)

PLAYER, SCHOOL	SEASON
DB J.T. Gray, Mississippi State	2018
WR/RS Deonte Harris, Assumption	2019
DT Shy Tuttle, Tennessee	2019
DE Carl Granderson, Wyoming	2019
P Blake Gillikin, Penn State	2020
TE Juwan Johnson, Oregon	2020
WR Marquez Callaway, Tennessee	2020
OL Calvin Throckmorton, Oregon	2020

SAINTS BY THE NUMBERS

0 – Number of points surrendered by New Orleans in the December 19, 2021 9-0 win at Tampa Bay, when Dennis Allen handled head coaching duties.

1 – The club's final NFL ranking in opponent yards per rush (3.7) in 2021.

2 – Number of Heisman Trophy-winning players currently on the team (Running Back Mark Ingram II and Quarterback Jameis Winston).

3 – The number of times in 2021 when New Orleans didn't surrender a touchdown. Also the number of points surrendered by New Orleans in the season-opening 38-3 win over Green Bay.

4 – New Orleans' final National Football League ranking in opponent points per game and opponent rushing yards per game and the number of Saints Pro Bowl selections in 2021.

5 – The number of special teams tackles by linebacker An-

drew Dowell, Dec. 19, 2021 at Tampa Bay, the most in the NFL in 2021. Also the number of consecutive Pro Bowl selections by defensive end Cameron Jordan.

6 – In Week Three in 2021, when Dowell blocked a punt at New England, it was the first time in six seasons that the Patriots had a punt blocked against them. Also the number of double digit sack seasons by Jordan, tied for the most in franchise history with Pro Football Hall of Fame linebacker Rickey Jackson.

7 – Ring of Honor members, including linebacker Sam Mills who was inducted posthumously on December 2, 2021 at halftime and was inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame this summer to join former Saints teammates Morten Andersen, Jackson and William Roaf. Also the number of Pro Bowl selections by Jordan, the most in club history by a defensive player and tied for second in club record books.

8.5 – The number of sacks by Jordan in the last three games in 2021, the most in the NFL over that period.

9 – Division championships, including the 2020 season. Also the career-high number of sacks by Defensive End Marcus Davenport in 2021.

11 – Number of Pro Football Hall of Famers.

406 – Franchise wins (Regular season/postseason combined).

14 – Number of postseason berths.

19 – With rookie CB Paulson Adebo's second quarter interception in his NFL debut, Sept. 12, 2021 vs. Green Bay, he became the first Saint in 19 years to record a pick in his NFL debut after LB James Allen, had a game-winning pick in overtime in the September 8, 2002 season-opening 26-20 victory at Tampa Bay. Also the number of special teams tackles by DB J.T. Gray, which led the NFL.

29 – P Blake Gillikin's 29 punts inside-the-20-yard line in 2021 was ranked fourth in the NFL, tied for the club record with P Thomas Morstead in 2019.

33 – Number of years the club was owned by Tom Benson, who passed away in 2018.

48 – The club enters its 48th season at the Caesars Superdome.

56 – The club enters its 56th season of play.

84,728 – Largest home crowd (United States), a November 3, 1968 contest vs. Dallas played at Tulane Stadium.

73,373 – Largest crowd at the Caesars Superdome, a November 24, 2014 contest vs. Baltimore.

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107 – Career sacks by Jordan, second in team records and ranked for 27th in National Football League, a half sack behind former Black and Gold linebacker Pat Swilling and Chandler Jones, who are tied for 25th. Jordan needs eight sacks in 2022 to tie franchise leader Rickey Jackson and 8.5 to become the team's new leader.

12.5 – With 12.5 sacks in 2021, sixth double-digit total in his career, Jordan finished tied for seventh in the National Football League despite missing one contest under COVID-19 protocols.

12 – With three sacks against Atlanta, Nov. 22, 2020, upping his all-time total against the club to 21, Jordan became only the 12th player in NFL history to have 20 sacks against an opponent. With one sack in the 2021 regular season finale at the Falcons, Jordan now has 22 takedowns against the Falcons.

12.5 – With 3.5 sacks vs. Carolina January 2, 2022, Jordan now has 12.5 career sacks against the Panthers and double-digit totals against all three NFC South division opponents.

15 – With one sack against Tampa Bay on October 31, 2021, Jordan became the 15th National Football League player with at least 15 takedowns against two different teams.

15.5 – 2019 Sack total by Jordan, ranked third in the National Football League. It is tied for the fourth-highest total in franchise history.

25 – After the January 2, 2022 3.5-sack performance against Carolina, the number of career multi-sack games by Jordan, second in club record books behind Jackson (27).

42 – Number of players sacked by Jordan in his career after he dropped Panthers signal-caller Sam Darnold 3.5 times on January 2, 2022.

1,107 – Career tackles by linebacker Demario Davis.

105 – Team-leading 2021 tackle total by Davis, as he became the first Saint since safety Roman Harper (2008-12) to have four straight seasons at the century mark and the only Saint joining Joe Federspeil to have four straight seasons exceeding 100 stops.

PRIME TIME POWER

Since 2006, the Saints have the fourth-best record in prime time contests.

TOP FOUR NFL PRIME TIME RECORDS SINCE 2006

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
Seattle Seahawks	36	17	1	.679
New England Patriots	47	24	0	.662
Pittsburgh Steelers	47	27	0	.635
New Orleans Saints	38	23	0	.623

New Orleans has been even more dominating at home on prime time, posting a 24-10 mark since 2006, fifth in the NFL over that period.

TOP NFL HOME PRIME TIME RECORDS SINCE 2006

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
Baltimore Ravens	18	3	0	.857
Seattle Seahawks	25	6	0	.807
Pittsburgh Steelers	27	8	0	.771
New England Patriots	24	8	0	.750
New Orleans Saints	24	10	0	.706

3:25 IS FINE

With the January 9, 2022 30-20 win in the regular season finale at Atlanta with a 3:25 CT kick, the Saints posted a 4-0 record in games that started at 3:25 in 2021. On Sept. 12, they defeated Green Bay 38-3 in the season opener relocated to Jacksonville due to Hurricane Ida, defeated Tampa Bay 36-27 at the Caesars Superdome on Oct.31 and on Sunday defeated Carolina 18-10. In 2022, New Orleans only has one 3:25 game scheduled at San Francisco on November 27.

PRACTICE MAKES PERFECT

A spot on the practice squad is another avenue to eventually get onto the active roster and have the opportunity to contribute. Below is an overview of players on the club's roster with extensive practice squad experience.

Running back **Dwayne Washington** participated on the Saints practice squad briefly in 2018 after spending most of the 2016 and 2017 seasons on Detroit's active roster. Through development, the tailback, in addition to his running skills, has developed into a core special teams player with 11 stops, to have a career-high seven for 2021. Washington scored a receiving touchdown in the preseason opener on Saturday night at Houston.

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Tight end **Juwan Johnson** was signed by New Orleans out of Oregon, where he spent his graduate transfer season following the 2020 NFL Draft as a wideout. Recording four receptions for 39 yards seven contests, Johnson spent the majority of the season on the practice squad. Converted to tight end in 2021, Johnson's took advantage of his frame and participation in his first full offseason strength and conditioning program and led the tight ends group with four touchdown grabs.

After spending the last six weeks of the 2019 season and the first 16 weeks of the 2020 campaign on the team's practice squad, linebacker **Andrew Dowell** was elevated to the club's active roster for the regular season finale at Carolina. In two preseason games in 2021, he posted five tackles, one forced fumbles and two coverage spots to secure a regular season roster spot. In Week 3 at New England, Dowell recorded the first blocked punt that an opponent had against the Patriots since the 2015 season. Dowell's five special teams tackles on December 19 at Tampa Bay was the highest single-game total in the NFL in 2021 and he finished the season tied for fifth in the league with 14 coverage stops.

After splitting his rookie season in 2018 between the practice squad and active roster, defensive back **J.T. Gray** enjoyed a breakthrough campaign in 2019, when he was selected *Associated Press* second-team All-Pro when he recorded 16 special teams tackles, one blocked punt and one coverage fumble recovery. In 2021, he was selected as a first-team All-Pro and to his first career Pro Bowl (starter), when he led the NFL with 19 special teams tackles (league-leading 16 solo).

OFFENSIVE NOTES

DOMINATING OFFENSE

Since 2006, the Saints have been the National Football League's top offense, averaging 392.4 total net yards per game.

NFL TOTAL OFFENSE LEADERS SINCE 2006

Team	Yds.	Yds./Gm.
1. New Orleans	100,842	392.4
2. New England	97,348	378.8
3. Dallas	94,923	369.4

YARDAGE RAMPAGE

Since 2006, the Saints have racked up the team's top seven highest single-game net yardage totals. Prior to 2006, New Orleans had only reached 500 yards in seven games. Since then, they've met the mark in 29 contests.

TOP NINE SAINTS TOTAL NET YARDAGE GAMES

Rk.	Opponent	Yds.	Rush	Pass	Date
1.	vs. Dallas	625	242	383	11/10/13
2.	vs. Carolina	617	208	409	1/1/12
3.	vs. NYG	608	103	505	11/1/15
4.	vs. Cin.	595	91	504	11/19/06
5.	vs. Min.	583	264	319	12/25/20
6.	vs. NYG	577	205	172	11/28/11
7.	at Min.	573	161	412	12/18/11
8.	at SF	571	248	323	11/6/16
9.	at Dal.	562	116	446	12/23/12

KEEPING DRIVES GOING

The Saints have converted a National Football League-best 45.5 of their third down attempts in the regular season since 2006.

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE THIRD DOWN PCT. LEADERS SINCE 2006

Team	Made	Att.	Pct.
1. New Orleans	1,517	3,337	45.5
2. L.A. Chargers	1,444	3,318	43.5
3. Indianapolis	1,455	3,354	43.4

FIRST DOWNS

The Saints' 5,757 first downs since 2006 are ranked first in the NFC and second in the National Football League.

NFL FIRST DOWN LEADERS SINCE 2006

Team	Tot.	Rush	Pass	Pen
1. New England	5,853	1,913	3,410	530
2. New Orleans	5,757	1,678	3,688	391
3. Indianapolis	5,424	1,588	3,320	516

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THROUGH THE AIR

New Orleans' 280.5 net passing yards per game lead the National Football League since 2006.

NFL NET PASSING YARDS PER GAME SINCE 2006

Rk. Team	Yds.	Yds./Gm.
1. New Orleans	72,079	280.5
2. New England	66,216	257.6
3. LA Chargers	65,993	256.8

FOUR DOWN TERRITORY

Since 2006, the Saints are third in the NFL in fourth down conversion rate, converting 147-of-259 attempts (57.0).

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE FOURTH DOWN PCT. LEADERS SINCE 2006

Rk. Team	Conv./Att.	Pct.
1. New England Patriots	153/253	60.5
2. Cincinnati Bengals	147/251	58.6
3. New Orleans Saints	147/259	56.8

HOLDING THE LINE

Since 2006 the Saints have allowed the fewest sacks in the NFL, surrendering only 405 takedowns.

SACKS ALLOWED IN NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE FROM 2006-PRESENT

Rk. Team	Sacks
1. New Orleans	405
2. Indianapolis	458
3. New England	477

Ahead is a synopsis of several returning players and newcomers through the draft and free agency to the 2021 Saints offensive line:

T/G James Hurst - An eight-year NFL veteran who was signed as a free agent from Baltimore in 2020, Hurst has 119 career regular season appearances with 64 starts at three different positions on the inside and outside. His versatility came in handy in 2020, as he started two contests at left tackle and one at left guard and the Saints gained over 200 yards rushing each time. In 2021, Hurst moved into the lineup for eight games at left tackle in place of an injured Armstead, two at left guard in place of an injured

Andrus Peat and three at right tackle for an injured Ryan Ramczyk, starting contests at three different positions.

LT Trevor Penning- The club's second first round draft choice (19th overall) in 2022 out of Northern Iowa, the 6-7, 322-pound Penning is competing with Hurst for the starting left tackle slot in the preseason. The Clear Lake, Iowa native brings athleticism and extensive college experience to the tackle position, where he played in 37 games with 33 starts.

RT Ryan Ramczyk - The Black and Gold used their second first round selection in the 2017 NFL Draft to snag Ramczyk out of Wisconsin, one of the best linemen in the entire draft. After opening all 16 games and both postseason contests in 2017 and being selected as a PFWA All-Rookie, he has been selected as an AP All-Pro selection three times since

C/G Erik McCoy - New Orleans traded up in the second round of the 2019 NFL Draft to select this standout from Texas A&M, who was a three-year starter, anchoring the middle of the Aggies line. In 2018, he was a team captain who paved the way for the SEC's leading rusher and in 2019 was the first Saint in franchise history to start at center in Week One, opening all 16 regular season contests. McCoy opened all 16 contests and both postseason games in 2020 for the NFL's sixth-ranked rushing offense. McCoy started 13 contests at center in 2021.

G/C Cesar Ruiz - The hard-working, talented and intelligent lineman is a perfect fit for New Orleans' culture with the 24th pick in the 2020 NFL Draft out of Michigan. The three-year letterman played in 36 games in college, starting his last 31 including the final 26 at center, earning All-Big Ten in 2019. Ruiz settled in at right guard in the last 15 games, with nine starts, as well as both postseason contests. When McCoy suffered a lower leg injury in the first quarter of the 2021 season-opening win over Green Bay, Ruiz transitioned over to his natural position, where the Saints did not give up a sack and started four contests in the middle. He returned to right guard on Oct. 25 at Seattle and was the only lineman in 2021 to not miss a start.

OL Calvin Throckmorton - This 6-5, 309 pound former four-year starter on the Oregon line was signed as an undrafted free agent in 2020, possessing the flexibility to play all five positions along the offensive line. After spending his rookie season on the practice squad, Throckmorton increased strength in the 2021 offseason and made strides in training camp, securing a roster spot. In his NFL debut in the 2021 season opening-win, Throckmorton was called to play right guard following a lower leg injury to McCoy in the first quarter, subsequently starting four contests. He then moved into left guard, Oct. 25 at Seattle following a shoulder injury to Andrus Peat and opened the last ten.

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T/G Andrus Peat - A first round selection (13th overall) in the 2015 NFL Draft out of Stanford, Peat was considered one of the top college linemen in 2014. In his first seven seasons, he's played in 84 regular season games with 79 starts, opening a contest at every position except center. In 2020, he opened 13 contests at left guard as he was part of the NFC Pro squad for the third consecutive season. In 2021, he opened the first six contests, where New Orleans got off to a 4-2 start before suffering a season-ending pec-toral injury.

T Landon Young - A mainstay at left tackle for his entire college career at Kentucky, Young played in 49 con-tests with 30 starts in his college career. The Lexington, Ky. native was selected by New Orleans in the sixth round of the 2021 NFL Draft and held up to the competition in training camp to snare a roster spot. Young opened one contest at right tackle in 2021 and serves as Ramczyk's backup on the right side.

DEFENSIVE NOTES

DEFENSIVE DRAFTS

Over the last eight drafts from 2015-22, New Orleans has shown a commitment to defense, spending 21-of-33 picks on that side of the ball. With nine picks in 2015, the Saints picked six defensive players, the most taken since New Orleans chose nine in a 12-round selection meeting in 1990. Below is an overview of the defensive players select-ed by New Orleans from 2015-22 currently with the club:

CB Paulson Adebo, Stanford (D3-21) - Selected in the third round (76th overall) of the 2021 NFL Draft out of Stan-ford, Adebo finished his college career playing in 22 games with 21 starts and recording 97 tackles, 34 passes de-fensed and eight interceptions, earning All-Pac-12 in 2018 and 2019. He started in the opener and became the first Saint to record an interception in his NFL debut since 2002. With three picks on the season, he became only the fifth Saints rookie to reach that level. Overall, he posted 63 tackles (54 solo), three picks and eight passes defended.

LLB Zack Baun, Wisconsin (D3a-20) - Selected in the third round (74th overall) of the 2020 NFL Draft out of the Wisconsin, Baun finished his college career with 154 tack-les, 15 sacks, two interceptions, one returned for a TD, six passes defended, three forced fumbles and a recovery. The Saints were attracted to his playmaking ability Baun finished with eight coverage stops in 2021, adding 22 de-fensive stops (16 solo) and a return of a blocked field goal.

DE Marcus Davenport, Texas-San Antonio (D1-18) - Davenport joined the Saints with the 14th overall pick in the 2018 NFL Draft after showing potential and production as a pass rusher at Texas-San Antonio. In four seasons, Daven-port posted 22 sacks, including 8.5 in 2017 when he cap-tured Conference USA Defensive Player of the Year. Dav-enport's strength on the line is a valuable asset for the Saints front, posting six sacks in 13 games in 2019. Daven-port finished second on the team with a career-high nine sacks and added a club-best three forced fumbles and a fumble recovery in 11 games with nine starts in 2021, de-spite missing six games.

LB Kaden Elliss, Idaho (D7-19) - New Orleans selected this four-year starter from Idaho to compete at both line-backer and contribute on special teams. The Salt Lake City native finished his college career with 288 stops 47 tackles for loss and 17 sacks. After missing the bulk of his rookie year with a knee injury, Elliss showed promise with five stops on coverage units in 2020 and in 2021, his progress continue with 13 stops, one sack, one fumble recovery and one special teams tackle.

DB C.J. Gardner-Johnson, Florida (D4-19) Possessing a combination of instincts and speed, this Florida native was a solid value in the fourth round after playing in all 13 games with 12 starts for the Gators in 2018, when he post-ed 71 tackles, three sacks and four interceptions with two brought back for TDs. Gardner-Johnson appeared in all 16 contests with seven starts as a rookie in 2019, recording 46 tackles (35 solo), an interception, eight passes defended, a forced fumble and a fumble recovery. He finished third on the team with 65 stops in 2020. In 12 games with 11 starts in 2021, Gardner-Johnson finished with 46 tackles, two sacks, three interceptions and seven passes defended.

CB Marshon Lattimore, Ohio State (D1a-17) - The 11th overall selection in the 2017 NFL draft out of Ohio State and the first corner taken possesses all the traits of a lock-down defender. With his agile, fluid style, Lattimore has the ability to shut down the best wide receivers. In 2017, he finished with 53 stops, five picks, to lead NFL rookies and the Saints, tying a team rookie record, a club-best 18 pass-es defended, a forced fumble and a recovery. Lattimore was the first Saints corner selected to the Pro Bowl since 1995 and selected as AP Defensive Rookie of the Year. His five takeaways in 2018 led the team, adding two more picks in the NFC Divisional Playoff win. In 2020, he led the cornerbacks with 63 tackles, two interceptions and ten passes defended as he was selected to his third Pro Bowl. In 2021, he was named the Week Six NFC Defensive Play-er of the Week, recording a career-high six passes defens-es at Washington, the league's highest total since 2017. He finished the season with 68 tackles (53 solo), three picks, a career-high and league-best 19 passes defended and one fumble recovery to lead the team with four takeaways.

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DT David Onyemata, Manitoba (D4-16) - Possessing a unique combination of size and speed, this Nigeria native had an impressive rookie year after becoming the first player from the University of Manitoba to be drafted into the NFL. Despite being new to football, the 2016 fourth round draft pick became a critical member on the interior of the Saints defensive front in 2017, playing in all 16 games with six starts, making 40 tackles and two sacks. Overall in his career, he has played in 89 contests with 51 starts, posting 218 stops, 18 sacks, one interception, five passes defensed, one forced fumble and one fumble recovery. In 2021, Onyemata started all 11 games he played in and posted 34 tackles, two sacks for a loss of 17 yards and one one fumble recovery.

DE Payton Turner, Houston (D1-21) - Selected 28th overall in the first round of the 2021 NFL Draft, the Texas native comes off a senior campaign where he posted 10.5 tackles for loss and five sacks in only five contests. During his four collegiate seasons, Turner notched career totals of 115 tackles (68 solo), ten sacks, 25 tackles for loss, one interception, one forced fumble, ten passes defensed and one blocked punt. Turner recorded five tackles and a sack in his NFL debut on September 19 at Carolina.

LB Pete Werner, Ohio State (D2-21) - New Orleans selected this three-year starter from Ohio State to compete at the linebacker position. The Indianapolis, Ind. native finished his college career playing in 47 career games with 35 starts, recording 185 tackles (111 solo), 16 stops for loss, four sacks, 11 passes defensed, four forced fumbles and two fumble recoveries. Werner helped power the Buckeyes to the College Football Playoff championship game as a senior in 2020, when he was voted by Big Ten coaches as a first-team All-Conference selection and a Butkus Award semifinalist, posting 54 tackles, 2.5 stops for loss, one sack and two forced fumbles. Werner made his first career start in Week Three and on Oct. 3 vs. the New York Giants had ten tackles. Leading the team with 13 stops in Week 6 at the Washington Football Team, Werner became the first Saints rookie since 2015 to have back-to-back performances of double-digit stops. He finished his rookie campaign with 59 defensive tackles (33 solo) and three special teams stops on the season.

CB Alontae Taylor, Tennessee (D2-22) - A four-year starter at Tennessee, this 6-foot, 193-pound defender possesses a combination of speed, instincts and versatility needed to excel both on defense and special teams. After playing quarterback in high school and starting his college career at wide receiver, he took to the secondary quickly, finishing his college career with totals of 162 tackles (115 solo), a split sack, five stops for loss, three forced fumbles, one fumble recovery for a touchdown, four interceptions,

one returned 56 yards for a touchdown, 17 passes defensed and one blocked punt.

DB P.J. Williams, Florida State (D3b-15) - Williams' career was initially limited by missing all but two games his first two seasons, but he's rebounded to miss only four contests with injury since. An experienced starter from Florida State, who developed into one of the nation's top cover corners, in 2019, he made 41 stops, a sack, an interception and three passes defensed, serving as the team's nickel corner. In the Dec. 22, 2019 win at Tennessee, Williams further showed his versatility by making the switch to safety after Marcus Williams was forced to depart with a groin injury and then starting in Williams' place in the regular season finale at Carolina. In 2020, Williams posted 37 tackles, a club-best two defensive fumble recoveries,, one interception and two passes defensed in 15 games, as he played both cornerback and safety. Williams finished tied for the team lead with three picks in 2021 and added 42 tackles (36 solo), two sacks, four passes defensed and one forced fumble, playing in 16 games with four starts.

DT Jordan Jackson, Air Force (D6-22) - This 6-foot-5, 285 pound defender possesses the strength, speed and versatility to play at multiple spots along the defensive line. He played in 49 total games with 37 starts for the Falcons and finished his college career with 140 tackles (73 solo), 15.5 sacks, 29.5 tackles for loss, two forced fumbles and six passes defensed.

IN THE NFL

The New Orleans defense has made great strides in all areas after Head Coach Dennis Allen became defensive coordinator midway through the 2015 campaign. After ranking fourth in 2020, the New Orleans defense finished the 2021 season ranked seventh in the NFL in 2021 in opponent net yards per game.

2021 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE OPP. NET YARDS PER GAME LEADERS (REGULAR SEASON)

Team	Opp. Net Yds. Gm.
1. Buf.	272.8
2. Car.	305.9
3. SF	310.0
4. NE	310.8
5. Cle.	311.5
6. Chi.	316.7
7. NO	318.2
8. Den.	326.1

DEFENSIVE NOTES

IN THE NFL

The New Orleans defense finished the 2021 season ranked fourth in the National Football League in opponent net yards per play for the second consecutive season.

2021 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE OPP. NET YARDS PER PLAY LEADERS

Team	Opp. Net Yds. Play
1. Buf.	4.57
2. Cle.	5.02
3. Car.	5.06
4. NO	5.08
5. NE	5.09

NOSE FOR THE BALL

In 2021, New Orleans finished the season tied for tenth in the NFL in takeaways, producing 75 points (nine touchdowns and four field goals off the forced turnovers)

2021 NFL TAKEAWAY LEADERS

Team	Takeaways
1. Dal.	34
2. Ind.	33
3t. Buf.	30
3t. NE	30
5t. TB	29
5t. KC	29
7t. Arz.	27
8t. GB	26
8t. Mia.	26
10t. NO	25
10t. Hou	25
10t. LAR	25

FIRST DOWNS

The Saints' 320 first downs surrendered in 2020 were the sixth-lowest total in the NFL. Their 304 first downs surrendered in 2021 were the second-lowest in the league with their 84 rushing first downs lowest in the NFC and second-lowest in the NFL.

NFL OPPONENT FIRST DOWN LEADERS IN 2021

Team	Tot.	Rush	Pass	Pen
1. Buffalo	285	108	138	39
2. New Orleans	304	84	185	35
3. New England	308	111	176	21
4. Carolina	311	112	170	29
5. Denver	312	99	192	21

2021 NFL OPP. RUSHING FIRST DOWNS

Team	Opp. Rush First Downs
1. Bal.	81
2. NO	84
3. Ten.	90

IN THE RED ZONE

The Saints' 43.5% opponent red zone touchdown percentage was ranked first in the league.

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE OPPONENT RED ZONE TOUCHDOWN PERCENTAGE LEADERS IN 2021

Team	Driv.	Pts.	TD	TD%
1. New Orleans	46	194	20	43.5
2. New England	48	196	23	47.9
3. Denver	42	183	21	50.0

STOPPING THE RUN

In rush defense, the Saints gave up only 80.2 net yards per game in 2018, second in the NFL after giving up 129.4 per game in 2017. The 2019 Saints finished fourth in the NFL in opponent rushing yards per game (91.3). 2018-19 marked only the second time they did so in back-to-back seasons in franchise history, joining the 1986-1987 teams. The 2020 Saints were fourth in the NFL in opponent rushing yards per game and opponent rushing yards per carry.

The Saints continued to effectively stop the run in 2021. New Orleans ranked fourth in opponent rushing yards per game (93.5) and first in opponent yards per rush (3.7).

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2021 NFL OPP. RUSHING YARDS PER GAME

Team	Opp. Rush Yards/Game
1. Bal.	84.5
2. Ten.	84.6
3. TB	92.5
4. NO	93.5
5. Cin.	102.5

2021 NFL OPP. RUSHING YARDS PER PLAY

Team	Opp. Rush Yards/Play
1. NO	3.7
2. Sea.	3.80
3. Bal.	3.80

The Saints have stopped the run impressively the past four seasons. In seven straight games in 2018, they didn't surrender 100 rushing yards to an opponent for the first time since 2007 had a seven-game run in 2020. In 2021, the Saints didn't give up 100 yards rushing in their last four contests. Below are the longest streaks in team history the defense has gone without surrendering 100 yards. Between 2017-20 they didn't allow a 100-yard rusher in a 55 straight games (regular season/postseason), the longest streak in NFL history. In holding Buccaneers TB Ronald Jones to nine yards on Nov. 8, New Orleans' efforts produced dominant results as his rushing total was the lowest for a leading rusher for an opponent during the streak. Keeping San Francisco RB Jerrick McKinnon to 18 carries for 33 yards (1.8 avg.), New Orleans set the NFL record for the longest streak of keeping individual rushers under 100. After the last streak ended, New Orleans again has the longest current NFL streak of not surrendering a 100-yard rusher.

CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITHOUT SURRENDERING 100 YARDS RUSHING

Time Period	Games
1. 10/1/89-12/10/89	11
t2. 10/25/20-12/13/20	7
t2. 9/17/18-11/4/18	7
t2. 9/16/07-10/28/07	7
t2. 9/1/91-10/20/91	7

CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITHOUT ALLOWING A 100-YARD RUSHER (REG. SEASON/POSTSEASON)

1. New Orleans Saints (2017-2020): 55
2. Dallas Cowboys (1972-76): 51
3. Baltimore Ravens (1998-2001): 50

CURRENT CONSEC. GAMES WITHOUT ALLOWING A 100-YARD RUSHER (REG. SEASON/POSTSEASON)

1. **New Orleans Saints (2020-): 22**
2. Los Angeles Rams (2021): 15

SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES

Blake Gillikin was signed by New Orleans following the 2020 NFL Draft after a college career at Penn State, where he finished tied for second on the Nittany Lions' career gross punting average charts (43.03). After spending his rookie season on Injured Reserve, Gillikin had a 42.0 net punting average, ranked eighth in the league and 29 inside-the-20 yard line, ranked third in the NFL and tying the single-season club record. Gillikin enjoyed a breakout performance in Week 5, where he had three punts drop inside-the-three-yard line at the Washington Football Team, flipping the field position battle and becoming the first punter since at least 2000 to have three punts of 53-plus yards downed inside the three-yard line. In the Oct. 31 win over Tampa Bay, Gillikin punted at a 48.0 net clip and had a career-best 63-yard punt, helping him earn October's NFC Special Teams Player of the Month.

2021 PUNTS INSIDE THE 20-YARD LINE LEADERS

Rk. Player, Team	Inside 20
1. Michael Dickson, Sea.	40
2. Cam Johnston, Hou.	37
3. Blake Gillikin, NO	29

SAINTS PUNTS INSIDE THE 20-YARD LINE LEADERS

(single-season since 1976)

Rk. Player, Year	Net Avg.
1t. Blake Gillikin, 2021	29
1t. Thomas Morstead, 2019	29
3t. Mitch Berger, 2005	28
3t. Mitch Berger, 2003	28
3t. Mitch Berger, 2004	28

SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES

Kicker **Wil Lutz** went undrafted in 2016, joining the Ravens for training camp. Prior to the start of the regular season, Lutz joined the Black and Gold. Lutz has kicked in 80 games, converting 142-of-164 field goal attempts (86.6 percent) and 253-of-260 PATs (97.3 percent). He's recorded 316 touchbacks, the sixth-most in the NFL since 2016 despite missing the 2021 campaign with an abdominal injury. His 86.6 percent field goal percentage is best among kickers in team history. Until the 2018 regular season finale, he'd kicked a field goal in a club-record 36 consecutive games, second-longest streak in NFL history. In scoring three points on December 6, 2020 at Atlanta to reach 101, Lutz joined Pro Football Hall of Famer Morten Andersen (1985-89) as only the second Saint to score at least 100 points in five consecutive seasons, Lutz doing it in the first five years of his career.

With his first field goal on October 20, 2019 at Chicago, Lutz set the National Football League record for consecutive road field goals.

CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH A FIELD GOAL ON THE ROAD IN NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE HISTORY

Rk.	Player	Years	Cons. Kicks
1.	Wil Lutz	2017-2019	35
2.	Rian Lindell	2006-09	34
3t.	Norm Johnson	1994-96	33
3t.	Kai Forbath	2014-17	33

In 2018, Lutz made 28-of-30 field goal attempts, including a club-record 26 straight at one point, 52-of-53 PAT attempts and recorded 64 touchbacks, adding a special teams stop. He ranked second in the NFL in scoring with 134 points, his field goal accuracy ranked third in the league and 52 PATs ranked second.

NFL 2018 FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE LEADERS

Player	FG Percentage
1. Robbie Gould, SF	97.1
2. Aldrick Rosas, NY Giants	97.0
3. Wil Lutz, New Orleans	96.4

Between 2019-20, Lutz drilled 29 consecutive field goal attempts.

MOST CONSECUTIVE FIELD GOALS MADE IN TEAM HISTORY

Rk.	Player	Date	Cons.
1.	Wil Lutz	10/27/19-11/1/20	29
2.	Wil Lutz	9/23/18-12/23/18	26
3.	Morten Andersen	11/1/92-9/12/93	25

The 36 consecutive games where Lutz had kicked a field goal ended with no attempts in the regular season finale as the second-longest streak in NFL history.

CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH A FIELD GOAL

Rk.	Player	Years	Cons. Games
1.	Matt Stover	1999-2001	38
2.	Wil Lutz	2016-2018	36
3.	Fred Cox	1968-70	31

Since entering 2016, Lutz ranks among leaders in scoring

NFL SCORING LEADERS SINCE 2016

Player	Points
1. Justin Tucker, Bal.	831
2. Greg Zuerlein, LAR-Dal.	732
3. Matt Prater, Det.-Ari.	719
4. Wil Lutz, New Orleans	679
5. Harrison Butker, KC	671

In 2019, Lutz drilled 32-of-36 field goal attempts, ranked third in the league in kicks converted and ranks first in the NFC and second in the NFL in scoring with a career-high 144 points, including two game-winners as time expired. He is now the single-season record holder for field goals in Saints history and was selected to his first Pro Bowl, the first Black and Gold kicker to be selected to the league's all-star game since Morten Andersen in 1992. Lutz's 32 field goals, including 17 straight kicks are a club record.

SAINTS SINGLE-SEASON FIELD GOAL LEADERS

Saint, Year	FG
1. Wil Lutz, 2019	32
2t. Wil Lutz, 2017	31
2t. John Carney, 2002	31
2t. Morten Andersen, 1985	31

SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES

2019 NFL FIELD GOAL LEADERS

Player	FG
1. Harrison Butker, KC	34
2. Josh Lambo, Jax.	33
3. Wil Lutz, New Orleans	32

Booting 23-of-28 field goals and 57-of-58 PAT attempts in 2020, Lutz was again a weapon on special teams, tied for ninth in the National Football League in scoring among kickers (126 points).

2020 NFL SCORING LEADERS

Player	Points
1t. Daniel Carlson, LV	144
1t. Jason Sanders, Mia.	144
1t. Younghoe Koo, Atl.	144
4. Tyler Bass, Buf.	141
5. Rodrigo Blankenship, Ind.	139
6. Ryan Succop, TB	136
7. Greg Zuerlein, Dal.	135
8. Justin Tucker, Bal.	130
9t. Wil Lutz, New Orleans	126
9t. Cairo Santos, Chi.	126

Lutz is also a weapon in the kickoff game with his 316 touchbacks since 2016 ranking sixth in the league, despite missing the entire 2021 season. Lutz finished 2020 tied for third.

NFL TOUCHBACK LEADERS SINCE 2016

Player	TB
1. Bradley Pinion	380
2. Greg Zuerlein	369
3t. Dustin Hopkins	334
3t. Justin Tucker	334
5. Harrison Butker	326
6. Wil Lutz	316

2020 NFL TOUCHBACK LEADERS

Player	Touchbacks
1. Bradley Pinion, Tampa Bay	85
2. Harrison Butker, KC	72
3t. Wil Lutz, New Orleans	71
3t. Joey Slye, Car.	71
3t. Tyler Bass, Buf.	71

COVERAGE UNITS

New Orleans' coverage and block units in 2022 are expected to be led by linebackers **Zack Baun**, **Andrew Dowell** and **Kaden Elliss**, defensive back **J.T. Gray** and safety **Daniel Sorensen**, as well as several contributors competing for spots in training camp and the preseason.

One of the club's two third round draft picks in 2020, Baun, a former Wisconsin standout, embraced work on the club's coverage units in 2020 with three stops. On Sept. 19 at Carolina, he made an adept play by returning a blocked field goal and was ranked fourth on the team with eight stops.

After spending the bulk of the 2019 and 2020 season on the Saints practice squad, Dowell recorded his first career blocked punt on September 26 at New England. He ranked second on the team with 14 stops and was tied for fifth in the NFL after having a career-high five tackles (four solo) on December 19 at Tampa Bay, the highest single-game total in the National Football League in 2021.

A seventh round draft pick of New Orleans in 2019, Elliss' blue collar mentality fit in with the coverage units with four stops in both 2020 and 2021.

Sorensen's a ninth-year NFL veteran who signed with New Orleans as an unrestricted free agent from Kansas City after spending the first eight seasons of his career in Kansas City, posting 29 coverage stops, one special teams fumble recovery and one blocked field goal to go with 378 defensive tackles, 4.5 sacks, 12 interceptions, 33 passes defended, four forced fumbles and three fumble recoveries.

Signed by the Saints after the 2018 NFL Draft out of Mississippi State, Gray enjoyed a banner campaign in 2021, emerging as one of the league's elite players on special teams. Voted by his teammates as the club's special teams captain for the first time, Gray led the NFL with 19 special teams tackles in 16 games and added three defensive stops as he was selected as a Pro Bowl starter and as the team's only first-team *Associated Press* All-Pro. Playing in 53 career games, Gray has career totals of 44 special teams stops, one blocked punt, three fumble recoveries and five defensive tackles and one pass defended.

SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES

2021 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES LEADERS

Rk. Player/Team	Tackles
1. J.T. Gray, NO	19
2. Ashton Dulin, Ind.	17
3t. Nick Bellore, Sea.	15
3t. Cody Davis, NE	15
5t. Andrew Dowell, NO	14
5t. Henry Black, GB	14
5t. Nick Niemann, LAC	14
5t. Derek Watt, Pit.	14

2021 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE SOLO SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES LEADERS

Rk. Player/Team	Solo Tackles
1. J.T. Gray, NO	16
2. Ashton Dulin, Ind.	12
3. Henry Black, GB	11

QUARTERBACKS

JAMEIS WINSTON

• Winston signed with New Orleans as an unrestricted free agent after the 2020 NFL Draft after starting all 16 games for Tampa Bay in 2019, completing 380-of-626 passes (60.7%) for 5,109 yards with 33 touchdowns and an 84.3 rating, also carrying 59 times for 250 yards with one touchdown. Winston's NFL-high passing yardage total was the eighth-highest total in NFL record books as he became only the eighth passer to reach 5,000 yards in a season. In Week 14 and 15 wins, Winston tossed for 456 and 458 yards, becoming the only player in NFL history to pass for 450 yards in consecutive contests.

• Overall, the Bessemer, Ala. Native has appeared in 83 regular season games with 77 starts, completing 1,665-of-2,720 passes (61.2%) for 20,982 yards with 135 TDs, 91 interceptions and an 87.8 passer rating, while adding 1,204 rushing yards and 11 touchdowns. After seeing limited action in 2020, behind Drew Brees and Taysom Hill, Winston secured the starting spot in the preseason, when he completed 16-of-22 passes for 219 yards, three touchdowns,

one interception and a 124.8 passer rating.

• Before suffering a season-ending knee injury in Week Eight, Winston completed 95-of-161 passes for 1,170 yards, 14 touchdowns, three interceptions and a 102.8 passer rating, ranked first in the NFL at the time of his injury in touchdown percentage (8.7).

POWERFUL START

In the Sept. 12 opener vs. Green Bay played in Jacksonville, Fla., Winston had one of the most impressive first starts in a Black and Gold uniform amongst its signal-callers. He passed for 148 yards on 14-of-20 passing (70.0%) with a 130.8 rating. Winston threw five touchdown passes, with a long of 55 yards on a pass to Deonte Harris. His five touchdown passes tied a career high from when he threw five touchdowns against Philadelphia (11/22/15) as a member of the Buccaneers. He also finished with 37 rushing yards on six attempts. In his first start with the Saints, Winston became the third player since 1950 to throw for five touchdowns in his first start with a team. Winston's 148 passing yards is the fewest yards with five passing touchdowns since 1948. With zero interceptions, Winston became the first quarterback in NFL history to throw five touchdown passes with no interceptions in his first career start with a new team in an opener. Overall, Winston became the seventh quarterback with five touchdowns and no interceptions in an opener, and first since Baltimore QB Lamar Jackson did so at Miami on Sept. 8, 2019. Winston became the 33rd player to start a game at quarterback for New Orleans, and the 11th to win in his first start. The victory was Winston's third career opening day victory and his first career win over Green Bay.

SECOND THROUGH FIVE

In his first five National Football League seasons, Jameis Winston threw for 19,737 yards, the second-most yards ever by a player from their rookie season through their fifth season.

MOST PASSING YARDS BY A PLAYER IN HIS FIRST FIVE SEASONS

Rk.	Player	No.
1.	Peyton Manning, 1998-2002	20,618
2.	Jameis Winston, 2015-19	19,737
3.	Dan Marino, 1983-87	19,422

JAMEIS GOING DEEP

Winston's ability to throw down the field during his career has helped make big plays and open up passing attacks. In the first five games, Winston connected on touchdown passes of 72, 55 and 49 yards. Since entering the league in 2015, Winston is ranked first in the NFL in pass yards per completion.

2015-21 NFL HIGHEST YARDS PER COMPLETION

(Min. 1,000)

Player	Cmp.	Yds.	Yds/Cmp
1. Jameis Winston (TB-NO)	1,665	20,982	12.60
2. Carson Palmer (Ret)	870	10,882	12.5
3. Jimmy Garoppolo (NE, SF)	941	11,670	12.40

TOUCHDOWN LEADER

Winston's touchdown percentage was ranked first in the National Football League through Week Eight in 2021 before suffering the injury.

2021 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE TOUCHDOWN PERCENTAGE LEADERS THROUGH WEEK EIGHT

Player	Att.	TD Passes	TD Pct.
1. Jameis Winston (NO)	161	14	8.7
2. Joe Burrow (Cin.)	246	20	8.1
3. Matthew Stafford (LAR)	273	22	8.1

BY THE NUMBERS

2 - Winston is only the second Heisman Trophy-winning quarterback to play for the Saints, joining Danny Wuerffel, the 1996 winner, who played for New Orleans from 1997-99. He also joins his current teammate Mark Ingram II (2009), running back Reggie Bush (2005), running back Ricky Williams (1998), running back George Rogers (1980) and running back Earl Campbell (1977) as winners of College Football's most prestigious award to suit up for the Black and Gold.

11 - Despite not throwing a touchdown in the regular season in 2020 and missing the last ten games of 2021, Winston's 135 touchdowns since coming into the National Football League as a rookie in 2015 is still ranked 15th in the league over that period.

12 - On October 3, 2021 vs. the New York Giants, Winston completed a career-best 12 consecutive passes for the

second time in his career. Also the number of games where Winston has engineered a game-winning drive in either the fourth quarter or overtime to lead his team to victory after The October 25, 2021 game-winning drive at Seattle, his first as a Saint.

30 - Career games which Winston has started with a passer rating of 100 or better, including five of seven games in 2021.

42 - The number of contests over the last seven seasons, where Winston has tossed for at least 250 yards.

1,204 - Rushing yards by Winston in his career,.

20,982 - Career passing yards by Winston since 2015. Despite throwing for only 75 yards in 2020, this is the 11th-highest total in the National Football League over that period.

39 - Career multiple-touchdown pass games, including three in 2021.

72 - In the October 17, 2021 win over the Washington Football Team, Winston's 72-yard touchdown pass to WR/RS Deonte Harris was a career-long completion. Combined with the 49-yard hail mary touchdown pass at the end of the first half to WR Marquez Callaway, it marked the first time Winston had two touchdown passes of at least 45 yards in a contest.

ANDY DALTON

- Dalton brings additional starting experience to the New Orleans Saints quarterback room. Originally a second round draft pick in the 2015 NFL Draft by the Cincinnati Bengals out of TCU, Dalton has played in 152 career games with 148 starts for Cincinnati (2011-19), Dallas (2020) and Chicago (2021) and completed 3,122-of-5,018 passes (62.2 pct.) for 35,279 yards, 226 touchdowns, 135 interceptions and an 87.0 passer rating.

IAN BOOK

- Book was the team's fourth round pick out of Notre Dame, where he was the Fighting Irish's winningest quarterback of all time (30 victories). In four seasons in South Bend, Book played in 45 games and completed 728-of-1,141 attempts for 8,949 yards, 72 touchdowns and 20 interceptions, carrying 360 times for 1,518 yards and 17 TDs.
- Book became the first Saints rookie to start at quarterback since 1997 with Taysom Hill and Trevor Siemian sidelined by COVID-19 protocols and he completed 12-of-20 passes for 135 yards on a Dec. 28 Monday Night Football loss vs. Miami.

RUNNING BACKS

ALVIN KAMARA

• A talented runner and receiver with a 5-10, 215-pound frame who was selected by the Saints in the third round of the 2017 NFL Draft out of Tennessee, Kamara enjoyed an outstanding rookie campaign. He ranked first on the club and sixth in the NFL in yards from scrimmage (1,554), second on the team in rushing and receiving, carrying 120 times for 728 yards (6.1 avg.) with eight TDs and a two-point conversion, catching 81 passes for 826 yards (10.2 avg.) with five TDs and a kickoff return for a TD for a club rookie record 14 total scores, tied for second in the NFL. Kamara finished first in the NFL in yards per carry.

• Kamara was the first Saints offensive rookie selected to the Pro Bowl since Rueben Mayes (1986), as an AP second team All-Pro (flex), the club's first rookie All-Pro since 1993. He was named *The Sporting News* NFL Rookie of the Year and AP NFL Offensive Rookie of the Year.

SCRIMMAGE LEADER

Since entering the National Football League in 2017, Kamara ranks second in the league in total yards from scrimmage (7,501).

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE YARDS FROM SCRIMMAGE LEADERS SINCE 2017

Rk.	Player	No.
1.	Ezekiel Elliott, Dal.	7,636
2.	Alvin Kamara, NO	7,501
3.	Derrick Henry, Ten.	7,016

• In 2020, Kamara even exceeded expectations as one of the NFL's most electric players in the NFL. He carried 187 times for a career-high 932 yards (5.0 avg.) with 16 touchdowns, tied for first in the NFL. He led running backs in receiving with a career-high and team best 83 receptions for 756 yards (9.1 avg.) with five TDs. Kamara, who was the second Saint to lead the team in rushing and receiving, led the NFL with a team-record 21 total touchdowns, was second with 93 first downs and third with a career-best 1,688 yards from scrimmage, the seventh-highest total in club history.

• Kamara enjoyed a productive start to the 2021 season in the season-opening win over Green Bay, when he started and finished with 83 rushing yards on 20 attempts. Kamara

added eight receiving yards on three receptions, with one receiving touchdown, surpassing Pierre Thomas for the seventh-most receptions in club record books and the most receptions all-time for a Saints running back.

• Despite missing four games in the middle of the 2021 season with a knee injury, Kamara led the Saints in rushing and receiving, for the second consecutive season carrying 240 times for 898 yards and four TDs and catching 47 passes for 439 yards with five TDs for a club-best 1,337 yards from scrimmage, surpassing wide receiver Marques Colston (2009-12), running back Mark Ingram II (2014-17) and wide receiver Michael Thomas (2016-19) as the first Saint to have 1,000 total yards from scrimmage in his first five seasons and/or in five consecutive seasons. New Orleans posted a 9-4 record in the 13 games that Kamara appeared in.

TOUCHDOWN LEADER

In the Saints' 2020 Christmas 52-33 win over the Vikings, Kamara tied the NFL record for total touchdowns and rushing touchdowns, as he carried 22 times for a career-high 155 yards (7.0 avg.), adding three receptions for 17 yards for 172 yards from scrimmage. The rushing touchdowns record tied the record held by Ernie Nevers of the Chicago Cardinals since Nov. 28, 1929, while for total touchdowns, Kamara joins Nevers, Cleveland's Dub Jones (Nov. 25, 1951) and Chicago's Gayle Sayers (Dec. 12, 1965). The performance catapulted Kamara to the NFL's touchdown lead, as he joined running back Dalton Hilliard as only the second Saint to lead the league in touchdowns.

2020 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE TOUCHDOWN LEADERS

Rk.	Player	No.
1.	Alvin Kamara, NO	21.
2t.	Tyreek Hill, KC	17
2t.	Dalvin Cook, Min.	17
2t.	Davante Adams, GB	17

SAINTS SINGLE SEASON TOUCHDOWN LEADERS

Rk. Saint	No.
1. Alvin Kamara, 2020	21
2t. Alvin Kamara, 2018	18
2t. Dalton Hilliard, 1989	18

TOUCHDOWN LEADER

Through five seasons, Kamara is the club's all-time leader in multiple touchdown performances.

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS CAREER MULTI-TD GAMES

Rk. Saint	No.
1. Alvin Kamara, 2017-	19
2t. Marques Colston, 2006-15	15
2t. Deuce McAllister, 2001-09	15

After Kamara's two-touchdown performance in the Week Five win over Washington, Kamara's 19 career games with at least two touchdowns are tied with four players for the third-most such games by a player in his first five seasons in NFL history. Only Pro Football Hall of Famers Ladainian Tomlinson (21) and Emmitt Smith (20) have more.

With the one rushing TD, one receiving TD performance, Kamara now has nine career games with one of each, tied with Chuck Foreman and Christian McCaffrey for the most by such games by a player in his first five seasons all-time.

- Kamara in his first game returning from a knee injury in the December 12 30-9 win at the New York Jets rushed 27 times for 120 yards with a score and caught 4 passes for 25 yards. Kamara's touchdown run in the second quarter was the 67th score of his career and tied him for the 2nd-most touchdowns in a player's first 70 games since the league merger behind LaDainian Tomlinson's 68 touchdowns in 67 career games.

Kamara finished 2018 ranked second in the NFL with a club-record 14 rushing touchdowns and tied for second with a franchise-best 16 scores on the ground in 2020.

2018 NFL RUSHING TOUCHDOWN LEADERS

Rk.	Player	No.
1.	Todd Gurley, LAR	17
2.	Alvin Kamara, NO	14

2020 NFL RUSHING TOUCHDOWN LEADERS

Rk.	Player	No.
1.	Derrick Henry, Ten.	17
2t.	Alvin Kamara, NO	16
2t.	Dalvin Cook, Min.	16

ON THE RUN

Kamara has taken over third place in club record books in rushing touchdowns.

SAINTS CAREER RUSHING TOUCHDOWN LEADERS

Rk. Saint	No.
1. Mark Ingram, 2011-18, 2021-	51
2. Deuce McAllister, 2001-09	49
3. Alvin Kamara, 2017-	47

The 47 rushing touchdowns since coming into the league in 2017 are also ranked third in the NFL over that period.

RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS SINCE 2017

Rk. Player	No.
1. Derrick Henry, Ten	60
2. Todd Gurley, LAR/Atl.	51
3. Alvin Kamara, NO	47

Kamara ranks second on the team's career touchdown list, four from reaching first place on the club's list.

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS CAREER TOTAL TD LEADERS

Rk. Saint	No.
1. Marques Colston, 2006-15	72
2. Alvin Kamara, 2017-	68
3. Mark Ingram, 2011-18, 21-	56

RECEIVING LEADER

In 2018, Kamara's 81 receptions in 15 games played were ranked fourth in the National Football League among running backs.

MOST RECEPTIONS BY RUNNING BACK-NFL (2018)

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TDs
1. Christian McCaffrey, Car.	107	867	8.1	6
2. Saquon Barkley, NYG	91	721	7.9	4
3. James White, NE	87	751	8.6	7
4. Alvin Kamara, NO	81	709	8.8	4

RECEIVING LEADER

In 14 games in 2019, Kamara finished third in the National Football League in receptions by running backs (81). He led New Orleans in rushing, carrying 171 times for 797 yards (4.7 avg.) and five TDs. With 1,330 yards from scrimmage, Kamara joined Deuce McAllister (2002-04) as the second Saint to have 1,300 yards from scrimmage in three consecutive seasons.

MOST RECEPTIONS BY RB-NFL (2019)

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TDs
1. Christian McCaffrey, Car.	116	1,005	8.7	4
2. Austin Ekeler, LAC	92	993	10.8	8
3. Alvin Kamara, NO	81	533	6.6	1

In 2020, Kamara led National Football League running backs in receiving with a club-best 83 receptions for 756 yards and five TDs, first in yards after the catch (742), third in total yards from scrimmage (1,516) and second in first downs (83).

MOST RECEPTIONS BY RB-NFL (2020)

Running Back	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TDs
1. Alvin Kamara, NO	83	756	9.1	5
2. J.D. McKissic, Was.	80	589	7.4	2

2020 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE YARDS AFTER THE CATCH LEADERS

Rk. Player	No.
1. Alvin Kamara, NO	742
2. Darren Waller, LV	576

Kamara ranks first in franchise history among running backs in receptions, receiving yards and receiving touchdowns.

RUNNING BACK RECEPTIONS IN NEW ORLEANS SAINTS HISTORY

Player	Seasons	Receptions
Alvin Kamara	2017-	373
Pierre Thomas	2007-14	327
Reggie Bush	2006-10	294

RB RECEIVING YARDS IN SAINTS HISTORY

Player	Seasons	Receiving Yards
Alvin Kamara	2017-	3,263
Pierre Thomas	2007-14	2,608
Dalton Hilliard	1986-93	2,233

RUNNING BACK TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS IN SAINTS HISTORY

Player	Seasons	Receiving TDs
Alvin Kamara	2017-	20
Darren Sproles	2011-13	16
Dalton Hilliard	1986-93	14
Wayne Wilson	1979-86	14

Since entering the league in 2017, Kamara leads all NFL running backs in receptions and receiving yards by a tail-back, while his 20 touchdown receptions rank second.

RB RECEPTIONS SINCE 2017

Player	Team	Receptions
Alvin Kamara	New Orleans	373
Christian McCaffrey	Carolina	357
Austin Ekeler	LA Chargers	282

RUNNING BACK RECEIVING YARDS SINCE 2017

Player	Team	Receiving Yards
Alvin Kamara	New Orleans	3,263
Christian McCaffrey	Carolina	3,015
Austin Ekeler	LA Chargers	2,726

RUNNING BACK RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS SINCE 2017

Player	Team	Receiving TDs
Austin Ekeler	LA Chargers	24
Alvin Kamara	New Orleans	20
Christian McCaffrey	Carolina	17

VERSATILE THREAT

In 2020, he carried 187 times for a club-best and career-high 932 yards (5.0 avg.) with a franchise-record 16 TDs, becoming the second Saint to reach double-digits in rushing scores in two seasons. He caught a team-high 83 passes for a club-best 756 yards and five scores, leading the team in rushing, receiving and receiving yardage.

2020 NFL YARDS FROM SCRIMMAGE LEADERS

Player	Team	Total Yds.	Rush	Rec.
1. Derrick Henry	Ten.	2,141	2,027	114
2. Dalvin Cook	Min.	1,918	1,557	361
3. Alvin Kamara	NO	1,688	932	756

SAINTS SINGLE SEASON YARDS FROM SCRIMMAGE LEADERS

Saint	Year	Total Yds.	Rush	Rec.
1. Deuce McAllister	2003	2,157	1,641	516
2. George Rogers	1981	1,800	1,674	126
3. Dalton Hilliard	1989	1,776	1,262	514
4. Ricky Williams	2001	1,756	1,245	511
5. Deuce McAllister	2002	1,740	1,388	352
6. Michael Thomas	2019	1,716	1,725	-9
7. Alvin Kamara	2020	1,688	932	756

2020 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE FIRST DOWNS LEADERS

Player	Team	First Dns.	Rush	Receive
1. Dalvin Cook	Min.	108	91	17
2. Derrick Henry	Ten.	102	98	4
3. Alvin Kamara	NO	93	58	35

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE 2020 ALL-PURPOSE YARD LEADERS

Rk.	Player	No.
1.	Derrick Henry, Ten	2,141
2.	Dalvin Cook	1,918
3.	Alvin Kamara, NO	1,732

MARK INGRAM II

• One of the club's two first round draft picks in 2011, the 2009 Heisman Trophy winner has an integral part of the rushing attack since his arrival in New Orleans as the 28th overall pick. In 11 NFL seasons, Ingram has played in 146 games with 97 starts, carrying 1,755 times for 7,878 yards (4.5 avg.) with 64 touchdowns, also catching 287 passes for 2,057 yards with ten touchdowns for 9,918 total yards from scrimmage. For his Saints career in which he has played in 112 games with 66 starts, he ranks first in club record books with 6,267 yards rushing, first with 51 rushing touchdowns and third with 56 total touchdowns. Acquired by New Orleans from the Houston Texans on Oct. 29 after spending the 2019 and 2020 seasons in Baltimore, Ingram had 160 carries for 555 yards with two touchdowns and 27 receptions for 162 yards in 13 games with ten starts split between the Saints and the Texans in 2021.

INGRAM'S BIG DAYS

Saints running back Mark Ingram II has reached 100 rushing yards 15 times over his Saints career. New Orleans has posted a 13-2 record in those games.

- **Nov. 10, 2013 vs. Dallas** - Carried 14 times for 145 yards (10.4 avg.) with one touchdown and two receptions for 15 yards for 160 yards of total offense, reaching the century mark for the first time while the club set a franchise record in total net yards and an NFL record for first downs.
- **Oct. 26, 2014 vs. Green Bay** - Rushed for a career-high 172 yards on 24 carries (7.2 avg.) with one touchdown.
- **Oct. 30, 2014 at Carolina** - Carried 30 times for 100 yards with two touchdowns and added a 10-yard grab as he reached the century mark on four days rest.
- **Nov. 9, 2014 vs. San Francisco** - Became the first Saint to have 100 yards rushing in three consecutive games since 2003 with 27 carries for 120 yards.
- **Nov. 30, 2014 at Pittsburgh** - Rushed 23 times for 122 yards (5.3 avg.) with a season-long 31-yard carry.
- **Oct. 25, 2015 at Indianapolis** - Carried 14 times for 143 yards (10.2 avg.) with one touchdown.
- **Nov. 6, 2016 at San Francisco** - Carried 15 times for 158 yards (10.5 avg.) with one touchdown.
- **Nov. 27, 2016 vs. LA Rams** - Carried 14 times for 146 yards (10.4 avg.) with one TD as he was selected as NFC Offensive Player of the Week for the first time in his career.
- **Jan. 1, 2017 at Atlanta** - Carried 20 times for 103 yards (5.2 avg.) with one touchdown.

INGRAM'S BIG DAYS

- **Oct. 15, 2017 vs. Detroit** - Carried 25 times for 114 yards (4.6 avg.) with two touchdowns.
- **Oct. 22, 2017 at Green Bay** - Carried 22 times for 105 yards (4.8 avg.) with one touchdown.
- **Nov/ 19, 2017 vs. Washington** - Carried 11 times for 105 yards (12.2 avg.) with one touchdown.
- **Nov. 11, 2018 at Cincinnati** - Carried 13 times for 104 yards.
- **Nov. 18, 2018 vs. Philadelphia** - Carried 16 times for 103 yards (6.4 avg.) with one TD, including a season-long 38-yard rush on New Orleans' first play from scrimmage.

YARDAGE LEADER

Saints RB Mark Ingram II became the club's all-time rushing leader on November 14, 2021 at Tennessee

ALL-TIME SAINTS RUSHING YARDS LIST

Player	<u>Att.</u>	<u>Yds.</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>TDs</u>
1. Mark Ingram	1,389	6,267	4.5	51
2. Deuce McAllister	1,429	6,096	4.3	49
3. George Rogers	995	4,267	4.3	23

Ingram's 309 rushing first downs are ranked first in club records.

SAINTS ALL-TIME RUSHING FIRST DOWNS LEADERS

Rk. Player	No.
1. Mark Ingram II (2011-18, 21-)	309
2. Deuce McAllister (2001-09)	292
3. Alvin Kamara (2017-)	229

Ingram is only the second Saint with 8,000 yards from scrimmage.

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS CAREER TOTAL YARDS FROM SCRIMMAGE LEADERS

Player	Total Yds.	Rush	Receive
1. Marques Colston	9,766	7	9,759
2. Mark Ingram	8,003	6,267	1,736
3. Eric Martin	7,865	11	7,854
4. Deuce McAllister	7,816	6,096	1,720
5. Joe Horn	7,653	31	7,622

RUSHING LEADER

Including stints with the Baltimore Ravens (2019-20) and Houston Texans (2021), Ingram's 7,878 career rushing yards make him the NFL's current leading active rusher.

CURRENT LEADING CAREER NFL RUSHERS

Player	<u>Att.</u>	<u>Yds.</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>TDs</u>
1. Mark Ingram II	1,755	7,878	4.5	64
2. Ezekiel Elliott	1,650	7,386	4.5	56
3. Derrick Henry	1,401	6,797	4.9	65

WIDE RECEIVERS**MICHAEL THOMAS**

• A talented wideout with a 6-3, 212-pound frame who was selected by the Saints in the second round of the 2016 NFL Draft out of Ohio State, Thomas had an outstanding rookie campaign, leading the team with 92 receptions for 1,137 yards and a nine touchdowns. He became the first Saints rookie to break 1,000 yards since Marques Colston (1,038-2006). In 2017, Thomas was New Orleans' receiving leader, making a club-record 104 receptions for 1,245 yards with five TDs to rank third in the league and making him only the second player in NFL record books, joining Odell Beckham Jr. to have 90 catches in each of his first two seasons, his 196 grabs being the most by a player in in his first two seasons.

2017 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE RECEIVING LEADERS

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1. Jarvis Landry	112	987	8.8	9
2. Larry Fitzgerald	109	1,156	10.6	6
3. Michael Thomas	104	1,245	12.0	5

TOP OF THE CHARTS

Thomas picked up where he left off from his standout 2017 in the 2018 opener vs. Tampa Bay. He set a club single-game record with 16 receptions for 180 yards and a touchdown.

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS SINGLE-GAME RECEIVING LEADERS

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TDs
1. Michael Thomas, 9/8/18	16	180	11.3	1
2. Tony Galbreath, 9/10/78	14	122	8.7	0

TOP OF THE CHARTS

In a Nov. 4, 2018 win vs. The Los Angeles Rams, Thomas had a franchise-record 211 yards receiving, 72 of which came on a late touchdown reception in a 45-35 victory..

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS SINGLE-GAME RECEIVING YARDAGE TOTALS

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TDs
1. Michael Thomas, 11/4/18	12	211	17.6	1
2. Wes Chandler, 9/2/79	6	205	34.2	1

Thomas finished 2018 with a league-high 125 receptions for 1,405 yards and nine touchdowns, leading the Black and Gold in all three major receiving categories, breaking his own club record at the time for receptions and setting what was the team record for receiving yards. The receptions total was fifth-biggest in NFL history at the time before his 2019 record-setting number

RECORD-BREAKING 2019

With 149 receptions for 1,725 yards and nine touchdowns in 2019, Thomas became the National Football League's single-season receptions leader, repeated as the NFL's receptions leader and added his first receiving yardage crown.

2019 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE RECEIVING LEADERS

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1. Michael Thomas	149	1,725	11.6	9
2. Christian McCaffrey	116	1,005	8.7	4
3t. Deandre Hopkins	104	1,165	11.2	7
3t. Keenan Allen	104	1,199	11.5	7

2019 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE RECEIVING YARDAGE LEADERS

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1. Michael Thomas	149	1,725	11.6	9
2. Julio Jones	99	1,394	14.1	6
3. Chris Godwin	86	1,333	15.5	9

TOP EIGHT NFL SINGLE-SEASON RECEIVING TOTALS

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1. Michael Thomas, 2019	149	1,725	11.6	9
2. Cooper Kupp, 2021	145	1,947	13.4	16
3. Marvin Harrison, 2002	143	1,722	12.0	11
4t. Antonio Brown, 2015	136	1,834	13.5	10
4t. Julio Jones, 2015	136	1,871	13.8	8
6. Antonio Brown, 2014	129	1,698	13.2	13
7. Stefon Diggs, 2020	127	1,535	12.1	8
8. Michael Thomas, 2018	125	1,405	11.2	9

TOPS THROUGH FOUR

With 470 receptions from 2016-19, Thomas is the player with the most receptions through a player's first four seasons, surpassing current Saints teammate Jarvis Landry. He's the only player through his first four campaigns to have over 400 receptions and 5,000 receiving yards.

RECEPTIONS THROUGH FIRST FOUR NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE SEASONS

Player	Years	Rec.	Yds.	TDs
Michael Thomas	2016-19	470	5,512	32
Jarvis Landry	2014-17	400	4,038	22

TOPS THROUGH FIVE

After being hobbled by ankle and hamstring injuries the first half of the 2020 season, Thomas came through in a big way in the team's 24-9 win over Atlanta on November 22 with nine receptions for 104 yards as with 489 career receptions at the end of the day, the total marked the most grabs in a player's first five seasons. With nine grabs for 105 yards on December 6 at Atlanta in his 69th career game, Thomas surpassed current teammate Landry and became the fastest player in NFL record books to record 500 receptions. After missing nine games, Thomas posted 40 grabs for 438 yards in seven contests. After missing the entire 2021 season due to multiple ankle surgeries, the Saints welcome the return of Thomas in 2022 to help power the New Orleans passing game.

RECEPTIONS THROUGH FIRST FIVE NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE SEASONS

Player	Years	Rec.	Yds.	TDs
Michael Thomas	2016-	510	5,950	32
Jarvis Landry	2014-18	481	5,014	26

BY THE NUMBERS

510 - Career grabs, the fourth-highest total in club history and the most in the National Football League through a player's first five seasons and still sixth in the league since 2016 despite missing the 2021 campaign. His 470 receptions from 2016-19 are the most by a player through his first four seasons. Reaching 500 grabs in his 69th career contests, Thomas reached the mark the quickest in NFL record books.

5,950 - Career receiving yardage, fourth-highest in club history.

32 - Career receiving touchdowns, the seventh-most in franchise history.

21 - 100-yard receiving games, third in team history—including a club-record three games with 180 yards. Thomas reached the century mark a club-record ten times in 2019 and twice in 2020.

31 - The number of contests over the last six seasons when Thomas has recorded eight or more receptions.

323 - Career receptions that have moved the chains for a first down - 63.3 percent of his catches.

34 - Catches of 25 yards or more.

5 - Career multiple-touchdown games. Also with the November 24, 2019 101-yards receiving performance vs. Carolina, Thomas surpassed tight end Jimmy Graham (four-2011 and 2013) to become the first player in franchise history with five consecutive games of 100-yards receiving.

3 - The number of quarterbacks Thomas caught passes from in his NFL record-setting 149 grabs in 2019, including Drew Brees, Teddy Bridgewater and Taysom Hill. In 2020, he caught passes from Brees, Hill and Jameis Winston.

4 - Thomas became the first player in NFL history to have 90 receptions in each of his first four NFL seasons.

56 - On November 10, 2019 vs. Atlanta, in his 56th game, Thomas surpassed Odell Beckham Jr. (61) to become the player to reach 400 catches in the fewest games.

9 - With eight games of at least ten grabs in 2019, Thomas set the NFL single-season record.

149 - NFL-record number of receptions Thomas posted in 2019, surpassing Marvin Harrison's (143-2002).

1,725 - NFL-leading and career-high receiving yardage total in 2019, the seventh-highest single-season total in NFL history.

JARVIS LANDRY

- Signed by New Orleans as a free agent after the 2022

NFL Draft, this former Litcher High School and LSU stand-out returns home as one of the league's most accomplished receivers and will seek to establish continuity with Jameis Winston and the Saints offense in training camp to become one of his top targets. Posting career totals in 123 career games with 113 Starts with the Miami Dolphins (2014-17) and Cleveland Browns (2018-21), the five-time Pro Bowler has produced 688 catches for 7,598 yards with 37 touchdowns. He ranks fourth in the NFL in receptions since coming into the league as a second round pick of the Dolphins in 2014. Landry ranks 10th in NFL history for most receptions in a player's first 123 career games (688) and sixth in a player's first 100 games (581). He is just one of four players to have 680-plus catches since 2014. Since being drafted in 2014, Landry is ranked fourth in the league in receptions (688) and targets (1,045), eighth in first down receptions (394) and ninth in receiving yards (7,598).

- Landry will look to bounce back in 2022 from a knee injury in 2021 that caused him to miss four games and will seek to build on his totals last season in 12 games where he still managed to lead the Browns in receiving with 52 receptions for 570 yards with two touchdowns, while adding six carries for a career-high two rushing scores.

TWO AT A TIME

Since Week 2 of his rookie season in 2014 until Week 2 of the 2021 campaign, Landry caught at least two passes in 111 consecutive games. His streak was the best in the NFL since 2014 and was the fourth-longest all-time.

2014-2021 NFL RECEIVING LEADERS: CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH 2+ REC.

Player	Games	Streak
1. Jarvis Landry	111	Sept. 14, 2014-Sept. 19, 2021
2. Antonio Brown	86	Sept. 7, 2014-Sept. 9, 2021

ALL-TIME RECEIVING LEADERS: CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH 2+ REC.

Player	Games	Streak
1. Tim Brown	147	Oct. 10, 1993-Oct. 27, 2002
2. Jerry Rice	146	Sept. 8, 2091-Sept. 9, 2001
3. Antonio Brown	125	Oct. 23, 2011-Sept. 9, 2021
4. Jarvis Landry	111	Sept. 14, 2014-Sept. 19, 2021
5. Marvin Harrison	110	Oct. 20, 1996-Nov. 2, 2003

MARQUEZ CALLAWAY

• After a productive college career on offense and special teams at Tennessee, Callaway joined the Black and Gold as an undrafted free agent in 2020. Appearing in 11 games with three starts, Callaway posted 21 receptions for 213 yards and also made an impact as a gunner and punt returner. He returned 11 punts for 122 yards (11.1 avg.), four kickoff returns for 94 yards (23.5 avg.) and recovered two punts on special teams. In 2021, Callaway built an impressive all-around sophomore campaign. As the only Saints skill position player to play in all 17 games, Callaway provided consistency to the position, recording 46 receptions for a club-best 698 yards with a team-high six touchdowns.

Q FACTOR

In the September 26, 2021 win at New England, Callaway had four reception for 48 yards and scored his first career NFL touchdown from Jameis Winston.

The former University of Tennessee standout then made a couple of big catches on October 3 vs. the New York Giants, catching two receptions for 74 yards, including a 58-yard grab in the second half.

In the Week Five win at Washington, Callaway posted four receptions for 85 yards with a career-high two touchdowns, including a perfectly anticipated 49-yard “Hail Mary” scoring reception from Winston at the end of the first half.

Although Callaway had only three receptions for 32 yards in the Oct. 25 win at Seattle, he saved his best for last with a fourth quarter 13-yard reception that advanced New Orleans to the Seahawks six-yard line and set up a 33-yard field goal.

Callaway’s two receptions for 37 yards came at a crucial time in the November 14 contest at Tennessee, as he caught a grab for a 22-yard gain on the first play of New Orleans’ final drive and then caught a 15-yard touchdown on third-and-13 on the drive to put the Saints within two.

Callaway caught a 26-yard pass from QB Trevor Siemian in the end zone of the November 21 contest at Philadelphia to give him a team-leading six scoring grabs.

On December 19 at Tampa Bay, Callaway posted six receptions for a career-high 112 yards, including grabs of 33 and 40 yards to help pace the passing offense.

In the Jan. 2, 2022 win over Carolina, Callaway helped spark the New Orleans pass offense with a game-high six grabs for a game-high 97 yards, including crucial 28- and 15-yard receptions on a two minute drive at the end of the first half to set up a field goal as time expired at the end of the second quarter to close New Orleans’ halftime deficit to one.

TRE’QUAN SMITH

• A talented fifth-year wideout, who was selected by New Orleans in the third round of the 2018 draft out of Central Florida, the 6-1, 210-pounder emerged as one of the Knights’ top weapons from 2015-17 and was a key figure in their emergence. During that period, he caught 168 passes for 2,748 yards (16.4 avg.) with 22 touchdowns. In his final campaign for the 13-0 Knights in 2017, Smith appeared in and started all 13 games and hauled in 54 receptions for 1,082 yards (19.9 avg.) and 13 touchdowns.

• Smith recorded five touchdowns apiece in each of his first two seasons and achieved more consistency in 2020, when he posted a career-high 34 receptions for 448 yards (13.2. avg.) with four touchdowns to rank fourth on the Black and Gold in receiving. He was activated off Injured Reserve for the NFC Divisional Playoff vs. Tampa Bay, where he recorded three receptions for 85 yards (28.3 avg.) with two touchdowns.

• Activated off Injured Reserve on October 25, Smith played in 11 of the last 12 games in 2021 and recorded 32 receptions for 377 yards with three touchdowns, finishing his season on a high note at Atlanta in the regular season finale, when he posted five grabs for 76 yards and a TD.

DEONTE HARTY

• This fourth-year wideout initially made his mark for New Orleans in the return game, where he was selected to the Pro Bowl as a rookie. In addition to return duties in 2021, Harris enjoyed a breakout season on offense, when he recorded 36 receptions for 570 yards (15.8 avg.) with three touchdowns, finishing seventh in the NFL in yards per catch. Harris also returned 21 punts for 199 yards (9.5 avg.) and brought back 26 kickoffs for 690 yards (23.8 avg.) to spark the New Orleans return game.

CHRIS OLAVE

• A talented wide receiver who became one of the most prolific receivers in Buckeyes history, Olave played in 47 games and caught 176 passes for 2,711 yards (15.4 avg.) with 35 touchdowns. Olave’s 35 career touchdown receptions set an Ohio State program record and ranks fourth in Big Ten history. His 11 career 100-yard games also ranks second in school history. Olave entered the starting lineup in 2019 with immediate results. He helped lead the Buckeyes to three consecutive Big Ten championships (2018-2020) and back-to-back College Football Playoff appearances (2019, 2020). In the 2020 CFP Semifinal vs. Clemson, Olave had a career night, hauling in six passes for 132 yards and two touchdowns in a 49-28 win, securing a bid to play in the championship game. Olave will look to integrate into the Saints offense in training camp

TIGHT ENDS

ADAM TRAUTMAN

- The Saints were pleased to find the 6-5, 253-pound Trautman available near the end of the third round of the 2020 NFL Draft and made an aggressive trade up to the 105th pick to add him out of Dayton. A converted high school quarterback, the Michigan native moved to tight end as a freshman developed into one of the top offensive player in NCAA FCS football, where he played in 44 games, recording 178 receptions for 2,295 yards (12.9 avg.) and 31 touchdowns. Though 16 contests in 2020, Trautman posted 15 receptions for 171 yards with one touchdown while also impressively developing his blocking ability.
- In 2021, Trautman continued progress in both blocking and pass-catching, leading the tight end unit with 27 grabs for 263 yards and two touchdowns. Prior to being sidelined by a knee injury for three weeks, Trautman had recorded five catches in the team's Week 10 and 11 contests. Trautman will seek to pick up on this momentum in the 2022 offseason/preseason.

TAYSOM HILL

- Hill's brought unheralded versatility to the Saints offense and special teams. A constant participant on special teams from midseason in 2017 to midseason in 2020, as well as the backup signal-caller and as a runner and receiver, in 2018, Hill averaged 24.9 yards per return on 14 kickoff returns, had six coverage stops, second on the team, completed a ten-yard pass on a fake punt and blocked a punt. Overall, Hill carried 37 times for 196 yards (5.3 avg.), third on the team, with two touchdowns and completed three of seven passes for 64 yards. The blocked punt that sparked a division-clinching win at Tampa Bay, earning him Week 14 NFC Special Teams Player of the Week honors. In the postseason, he caught a touchdown, made a special teams tackle and executed a successful fake punt, making significant contributions in all facets as the team advanced to the NFC Championship game for the third time in franchise history.
- In 2019, Hill carried 27 times for 156 yards (5.8 avg.) with a touchdown, catching 19 passes for 234 yards with six TDs, deflecting a punt and posting two coverage stops. He ranked third on the club in touchdowns and third in receiving TDs. After a multi-threat performance Thanksgiving night at Atlanta, when he deflected a punt and caught and rushed for a touchdown. Hill became the first quarterback to rush for and catch a touchdown in the same contest since Jim McMahon (1983). In a valiant postseason effort vs. Minnesota, Hill led the team in rushing with four carries for 50 yards, caught two passes for 25 yards with a TD and

completed a 50-yard pass.

- In 2020, Hill contributed on multiple facets, completing 88-of-121 passes (72.7%) for 928 yards with a 98.8 rating, rushing 87 times for 457 (5.3 avg.) yards with eight touchdowns, catching eight passes for 98 yards with a TD and playing on special teams units until Brees' rib injury. Following Brees' injury, November 15, Hill went 3-1 in four starts.
- In the 2021 season-opening win, Hill contributed to a 38-3 victory over Green Bay on September 19, completing a pass for three yards, rushing twice, including gaining a first down once and playing on special teams. Sept. 19 at Carolina, Hill started at tight end and rushed twice for 16 yards and added one coverage stop. In the September 26 win at New England, Hill carried six times for 32 yards, while his fourth quarter four-yard touchdown run helped seal the win. Oct. 3 vs. the New York Giants, Hill scored two rushing touchdowns for the third time in his career. Overall in 12 games with nine starts providing value at quarterback on offense and special teams, he completed 78-of-134 passes for 978 yards with four touchdowns, carried 70 times for 374 yards (5.3 avg.) with a club-best five touchdowns, caught four passes for 52 yards and added a special teams stop. In 2022, Hill will assist the Black and Gold offense in multiple facets.

DEFENSIVE ENDS

CAMERON JORDAN

- New Orleans' first choice in the 2011 NFL Draft (24th overall) out of the University of California, Jordan enjoyed another standout season in 2021, recording 59 tackles (38 solo), 12.5 sacks for a loss of 75.5 yards, tied for seventh in the NFL, including 8.5 takedowns in the last four contests to lead the league over that period, six passes defensed and two forced fumbles. Jordan was selected to his seventh Pro Bowl, the most by a defensive player in club history and ranked second overall in team records. With 107 sacks in his first 11 seasons, Jordan is ranked second on the Saints career sack list and ranked 27th on the National Football League's all-time quarterback takedown list. He's also proven to be one of the league's best run defenders, playing an important role in top five rush defenses in each of the past four seasons.

JORDAN SACK NOTES

Jordan is ranked second on the club's all-time sack list, ranked 27th in National Football League record books.

SAINTS ALL-TIME SACK LEADERS

(Regular Season since 1982)

Rk. Player, Years	No.
1. Rickey Jackson, 1982-93	115.0
2. Cameron Jordan, 2011-	107
3. Wayne Martin, 1989-99	82.5
4. Pat Swilling, 1986-92	76.5
5. Will Smith, 2004-12	67.5

Jordan now has 23 sacks against the Falcons.

JORDAN'S CAREER SACKS

(Most vs. a Single Team)

Rk. Team	No.
1. Atlanta Falcons	23
2. Tampa Bay Bucs	17
3. Carolina Panthers	12.5

Since Week Eight of the 2014 season, Jordan's played among the National Football League's elite defenders. He's third in the NFL since October. 26, 2014 with 84.5 quarterback takedowns.

MOST SACKS IN THE NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE SINCE OCTOBER 26, 2014

Rk. Player, Team	No.
1. Aaron Donald, LAR	96
2. Chandler Jones, NE-Ari.	85.5
3. Cameron Jordan, NO	84.5

Jordan's 60.5 takedowns since 2017 are tied for third in the NFL.

MOST SACKS IN THE NFL SINCE 2017

Rk. Player, Team	No.
1. T.J. Watt, Pit.	72
1. Aaron Donald, LAR	70
3t. Cameron Jordan, NO	60.5
3t. Chandler Jones, Ari.	60.5

Jordan's career-high 15.5 takedowns in 2019 were third in the NFL and tied for the fourth-highest single-season total in Saints history and the highest total by a Black and Gold defender since 2001.

MOST SACKS IN THE NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE IN 2019

Rk. Player, Team	No.
1. Shaquil Barrett, TB	19.5
2. Chandler Jones, Ari.	19
3. Cameron Jordan, NO	15.5

ALL-TIME SINGLE SEASON SAINTS SACK LEADERS

Rk. Saint, Year	No.
1t. La'Roi Glover, 2000	17
1t. Pat Swilling, 1991	17
3. Pat Swilling, 1989	16.5
4t. Cameron Jordan, 2019	15.5
4t. Wayne Martin, 1992	15.5

In 2021 he led the team with 12.5 takedowns, including 8.5 in the last four games of December/January, ranked first in the league.

MOST SACKS IN THE NFL IN 2021

Rk. Player, Team	No.
1. T.J. Watt, Pit.	22.5
2. Robert Quinn, Chi.	18.5
3. Myles Garrett, Cle.	16
4. Nick Bosa, SF	15.5
5. Trey Hendrickson, Cin.	14
6. Micah Parsons, Dal.	13
7t. Cameron Jordan, NO	12.5
7t. Aaron Donald, LAR	12.5
7t. Matthew Judon, NE	12.5

MOST SACKS IN THE NFL SINCE DEC. 19, 2021

Rk. Player, Team	No.
1. Cameron Jordan, NO	8.5
2. Carlos Dunlap II, Sea.	7
3. T.J. Watt, Pitt.	6.5

MULTI-SACK GAMES

Jordan has posted 107 career sacks and over the past 11 seasons is the only player to have 90 takedowns and 50 passes defended, after reaching 51 deflections with two in the 2020 regular season finale at Carolina. During this time, the Saints own a 54-19 regular season record when he corrals a signal-caller, and they boast a 22-3 mark in a multi-sack performance in the regular season, including a three-sack performance against Atlanta on Nov. 22, 2020 that gave him 21 all-time against the Falcons, making him only the 12th player in league record books to have 20 takedowns against an opponent. Jordan's 25 multi-sack games rank second in franchise record books to Rickey Jackson's 27

CAMERON JORDAN'S MULTIPLE SACK GAMES

Date	Opp.	Tackles	Solo	Asst.	Sacks	Yards
11/5/12	vs. Phi.	3	3	3	3	21
9/22/13	vs. Arz.	7	3	4	2	14
11/21/13	@ Atl.	7	3	4	2.5	10.5
12/8/13	vs. Car.	5	3	2	2	19
10/26/14	vs. GB	4	3	1	2	15
12/28/14	@ TB	6	4	2	1.5	9
10/15/15	vs. Atl.	7	6	1	3	12
10/25/15	@ Ind.	3	2	1	2	12
10/15/17	vs. Det.	5	4	1	2	12
11/5/17	vs. TB	7	5	2	1.5	9
11/26/17	@ LAR	4	4	0	2	20
12/24/17	vs. Atl.	3	3	0	2	10
9/16/18	vs. Cle.	2	2	0	2	11
9/23/18	at Atl.	5	4	1	2	8
11/22/18	vs. Atl.	4	4	0	2	9
11/29/18	@ Dal.	7	3	4	2	10
12/9/18	@ TB.	4	4	0	2	21
10/13/19	@Jax.	4	3	1	2	12
10/20/19	@Chi.	2	2	0	2	16
11/17/19	@TB	3	1	2	1.5	12
11/28/19	@Atl.	5	1	6	4	19
11/22/20	vs. Atl.	4	0	4	3	14
12/19/21	at TB	5	0	5	2	13
12/27/21	vs. Mia.	4	2	6	2	9
1/2/22	vs. Car.	6	2	8	3.5	21.5

BACK TO BACK TO BACK

With 3.5 sacks on January 2 vs. Carolina preceded by two takedowns apiece at Tampa Bay on December 19 and vs. Miami on December 27, Jordan became the first player to have multiple takedowns in three consecutive games in the NFL since he had a similar stretch from November 22-December 9, 2018.

VERSATILE DEFENDER

Jordan's the only National Football League defender to record at least 200 tackles, 45 sacks, 60 stops for loss and 90 quarterback hits since 2017. Since 2017, Jordan has posted 273 stops, 60.5 sacks, 74 tackles for loss and 109 QB hits.

TACKLES FOR LOSS

Jordan's 74 tackles for loss since 2017 rank third in the NFL over that period.

MOST TACKLES FOR LOSS IN THE NFL SINCE 2017

Rk.	Player, Team	No.
1.	Aaron Donald, LAR	93
2.	T.J. Watt, Pit.	80
3.	Cameron Jordan, NO	74
4.	Matt Judon, Bal.-NE	65
5.	Chandler Jones, NE-Arz.	64

FOUR IN A ROW

Jordan has had three consecutive contests of at least one sack in 2013, 2014, 2016, 2017-19 and in 2021. With at least one sack in the final four contests of 2021, Jordan did so twice in a season for the first time. In the January 9 regular season finale at Atlanta, when Jordan dropped Falcons signal-caller Matt Ryan for the 23rd time, he finished the campaign with least one takedown in four consecutive games for the second time in his career, which matched a stretch from October 6-October 27, 2019.

ONE OF 15

With three sacks of Buccaneers QB Tom Brady in 2021, Jordan is now one of only 15 NFL players to have at least 15 sacks against two opponents, 17 against Tampa Bay and 23 against Atlanta, after dropping former Falcons signal-caller Matt Ryan twice in 2021. Jordan's 23 takedowns of Ryan are the most a player has had against an individual quarterback in NFL history.

DURABLE DEFENDER

Until missing the Dec. 12, 2021 contest at the New York Jets on the Reserve/COVID-19 list, Jordan had enjoyed the longest active games played streak among position players and the longest games started streak

CONSECUTIVE REGULAR SEASON GAMES PLAYED BY ACTIVE DEFENSIVE LINEMEN THROUGH DEC. 9, 2021

Rk. DL	Team	No.
1. Cameron Jordan	NO	172
2t. DaQuan Jones	Car.	60
2t. B.J. Hill	Cin.	60

CONSECUTIVE REGULAR SEASON GAMES PLAYED BY ACTIVE POSITION PLAYERS THROUGH DEC. 9, 2021

Rk. Defensive Player	Team	No.
1. Cameron Jordan	NO	172
2. Demario Davis	NYJ-NO	156
3. Duron Harmon	NE-Det.-Atl.	139

CONSECUTIVE REGULAR SEASON GAMES STARTED AMONG ACTIVE NFL DEFENSIVE ENDS THROUGH DEC. 9, 2021

Rk. Defensive End	Team	No.
1. Cameron Jordan	NO	157
2. Maxx Crosby	LV.	36

In the 2020 regular season finale, Jordan's consecutive games started streak became the longest in Saints records.

MOST CONSECUTIVE REGULAR SEASON GAMES STARTED BY NEW ORLEANS SAINTS PLAYERS

Rk. Saint	Dates	No.
1. Cameron Jordan	(1/2/12-12/2/21)	157
2. Wayne Martin	(9/19/91-1/2/99)	144
3. Jahri Evans	(9/10/06-9/15/13)	114

MOST CONSECUTIVE REGULAR SEASON GAMES PLAYED BY NEW ORLEANS SAINTS PLAYERS

Rk. Saint	Dates	No.
1. Cameron Jordan	(9/8/11-12/2/21)	172
2. Jim Dombrowski	(10/25/87-11/3/96)	148

Jordan's ranked eighth on the club's all-time games played list. If he appears in all 17 games in 2022, he would move into fourth place on the club's all-time list.

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS ALL-TIME GAMES PLAYED LIST**(REGULAR SEASON)**

Rk. Saint	Years	No.
1. Drew Brees	2006-20	228
2. Morten Andersen	1982-94	196
3. Rickey Jackson	1982-93	195
4. Thomas Morstead	2009-20	190
5. Frank Warren	1981-94	189
6. Stan Brock	1980-92	186
7. Jim Wilks	1981-93	183
8. Cameron Jordan	2011-	176
9. Hoby Brenner	1981-93	175
10. Wayne Martin	1989-99	171

PRO BOWL LEADER

With seven Pro Bowl appearances as a Saint since joining the club in 2011, no Saints defensive player has been selected to the league's all-star game more than Cameron Jordan in franchise record books and Jordan is tied for second in team records with Pro Football Hall of Fame left tackle William Roaf for number of overall selections as a Saint, moving into sole possession of second if he is selected in 2022.

SAINTS ALL-TIME PRO BOWL SELECTIONS

Rk. Saint	Pro Bowl Selections
1. Drew Brees	12
2t. Cameron Jordan	7
2t. William Roaf	7
4t. Morten Andersen	6
4t. Jahri Evans	6
4t. Rickey Jackson	6

MARCUS DAVENPORT

•The team’s first round election in the 2018 NFL Draft out of Texas-San Antonio, In only eight games with six starts in 2021, Davenport has made an impact with his athleticism, strength and speed and finished ranked second on the Saints with a career-high nine sacks to go with a career-best 39 tackles, three forced fumbles and one fumble recovery.

DAVID ONYEMATA

• A fourth round selection out of Manitoba in 2016, Onyemata teams with Shy Tuttle to form a solid duo in the interior of the Saints defensive line. In 80 games with 42 starts in five seasons, he has posted 186 career tackles, 16 sacks, five passes defended, one forced fumble and one fumble recovery. In 2019, he opened all 15 regular season games he played in, posting 32 stops, one pass defended and three sacks for the NFL’s fourth-ranked run defense. Onyemata was re-signed to a three-year contract by the Saints in the 2020 offseason and finished ranked third on the team with 6.5 quarterback takedowns, tied for sixth in the league among defensive tackles and one interception, starting every contest for a unit ranked fourth in the NFL in opponent net yards per game and fourth in run defense. In 2021, he anchored an interior that has helped the Saints defense currently ranked first in the league in opponent yards per rushing and fourth in opponent rushing yards per game.

DYNAMIC DUO

2021 NEW ORLEANS SAINTS SACK LEADERS

Rk. Saints Defender	SK
1. Cameron Jordan	12.5
2. Marcus Davenport	9

CARL GRANDERSON

•Signed by New Orleans as an undrafted free agent out of Wyoming in 2019, Granderson posted 17.5 career sacks in college and possesses the perfect body type for a pass rusher. As a rookie, Granderson appeared in eight regular season contests, posting ten tackles and one sack. In 2020, Granderson added 11 tackles, five sacks, ranked fourth on the team, a club-best two forced fumbles and one pass defended as he has seen more extensive time in the club’s defensive line rotation as his game experience has continued to increase. On September 19 at Carolina, Granderson received his first start in place of an injured Marcus Davenport and blocked his first career field goal on special teams. In Week Five at the Washington Football Team, Granderson recorded his first takedown of 2021. He made his second on Thanksgiving night at Buffalo against his former Wyoming college teammate, Bills QB Josh Allen and had a key third quarter takedown on December 12at the New York Jets against another high draft pick, New York signal-caller Zach Wilson.

SHY TUTTLE

• Signed as an undrafted free agent out of the University of Tennessee in 1999, Tuttle contributed to a defensive unit in 2021 that ranked fourth in the NFL in run defense, seventh in total defense, and eighth in sacks. He played in all 17 games with 15 starts and posted 48 tackles (17 solo), three passes defended, one forced fumble and one fumble recovery. In his first three seasons in New Orleans, Tuttle has appeared in 46 regular season games, with 19 starts, recording 94 tackles (42 solo), two sacks, one interception, seven passes defended, a forced fumble and a fumble recovery. In three postseason contests, he’s made eight stops (five solo) and two passes defended.

PAYTON TURNER

•With the 28th overall pick in the 2021 NFL Draft, the Saints added to the line with this gifted pass rusher. He appeared in five games in 2021 before spending the remainder of his rookie season on Injured Reserve (shoulder). Turner recorded 12 tackles (nine solo) and one sack while also appearing on special teams. A full recovery from the shoulder injury and hard work in the team’s offseason program has led to an impressive start in training camp for Turner.

KENTAVIUS STREET

• Signed with New Orleans at the start of the offseason, this fourth-year defensive lineman brings positional versatility to a formidable Saints defensive front. Originally a fourth round draft selection in the 2018 NFL Draft (128th overall) out of North Carolina State by San Francisco, Street enjoyed his most productive campaign in 2021. He appeared in all 17 regular season games with two starts, posting career-highs across the board; 27 tackles (15 solo), three sacks, six tackles for loss and one forced fumble, adding two more solo stops in three postseason contests as San Francisco advanced to the NFC Championship Game. Overall, the Greenville, N.C. native has appeared in 35 career regular season games with four starts for the 49ers, posting career totals of 41 tackles (23 solo), three sacks for a loss of 17 yards and one forced fumble.

LINEBACKERS

DEMARIO DAVIS

• This dependable and sure-tackling defender joined the New Orleans Saints after a breakout 2017, where he started 16 games for the Jets. Davis posted a team-high and career-high 165 tackles (112 solo) and a career-best five sacks. For his career, the Brandon, Miss. native has appeared in 160 games with 146 starts for the Jets (2012-15, 2017), Cleveland (2016) and Saints, recording 1,105 tackles (733 solo), 29.5 sacks, two interceptions, 45 passes defended, three forced fumbles, six fumble recoveries and 24 special team stops.

• In 2018, Davis opened all 16 contests and led the team with 110 stops (74 solo), five sacks to lead the linebackers, four passes defended, two forced fumbles and one fumble recovery. Davis' abilities to diagnose and tackle played a key role in New Orleans ranking second in the NFL in opponent rushing yards per game and opponent rushing yards per play. Participating in the postseason for the first time, Davis led the defense with 22 stops (15 solo), an interception in the NFC Championship and a pass defense. In 2019, he posted 111 stops, ranked first on the club, four sacks, one interception and 11 passes defended to help spur the league's fourth-ranked run defense.

• In 2020, Davis filled up the stat sheet with a team-leading 119 tackles (74 solo), four sacks and six passes defended. Davis became the first Saint to lead the team in tackles in three consecutive seasons since Jonathan Vilma (2008-10).

2020 NEW ORLEANS SAINTS TACKLE LEADERS

Rk. Saint	No.
1. Demario Davis	119
2. Malcolm Jenkins	91
3. C.J. Gardner-Johnson	65
4. Marshon Lattimore	62
5. Marcus Williams	59

• In 2021 Davis led the team in tackles for the fourth consecutive season with 105 stops (70 solo), three sacks and seven passes defended. With 105 stops in 2021, Davis became the first Saint to reach the century mark in four consecutive seasons since S Roman Harper (2008-12) and joined Joe Federspeil as only the second Saints to exceed 100 stops in four consecutive seasons.

2021 NEW ORLEANS SAINTS TACKLE LEADERS

Rk. Saint	No.
1. Demario Davis	105
2. Malcolm Jenkins	79
3. Marcus Williams	74
4. Marshon Lattimore	68
5. Paulson Adebo	63

DURABLE DEFENDER

Davis who had never missed a game in his career until December 27 vs. Miami due to COVID-19 protocols, ranks as one of the league's most durable defenders, playing one of the game's most physically demanding positions. His 158 consecutive games played streak WAS the longest in the NFL by a position player and his 79 straight games started were the most at his position.

CONSECUTIVE REGULAR SEASON GAMES PLAYED AMONG ACTIVE NFL LINEBACKERS THROUGH WEEK 15 IN 2021

Rk. Defensive Player	Team	No.
1. Demario Davis	NYJ-NO	158
2. De'Vondre Campbell	GB	79

CONSECUTIVE REGULAR SEASON GAMES STARTED AMONG ACTIVE NFL LINEBACKERS THROUGH WEEK 15 IN 2021

Rk. Linebacker	Team	No.
1. Demario Davis	NO	79
2. Leonard Floyd	LAR	62

CONSECUTIVE REGULAR SEASON GAMES PLAYED AMONG ACTIVE NFL POSITION PLAYERS THROUGH WEEK 15 IN 2021

Rk. Defensive Player	Team	No.
1. Demario Davis	NYJ-NO	158
2. Duron Harmon	NE, Det., Atl.	141
3. Malcolm Jenkins	NO, Phi.	133

ZACK BAUN

- An athletic, sideline to sideline linebacker, possessing the rare combination of pass rush skills and the ability to drop in coverage. After a stellar career at Wisconsin, Baun played in 15 rgames in 2020, with three starts at strongside linebacker, posting eight tackles (three solo) and four special teams stops. Overall in his college career, he played in 39 games with 27 starts, all which took place in his final two seasons, recording 154 tackles, 30.5 stops for loss, 15 sacks, two interceptions and three forced fumbles.
- Baun's strength and knowledge of the defense, which was on display when he led the team with five solo tackles in the season opening win vs. Green Bay.
- With Kwon Alexander missing the Week 16 contest vs. Miami due to COVID-19 protocols, Baun stepped into his place at weakside and tied a career-high with seven tackles (career-high tying five solo) and added one solo stop.

KADEN ELLISS

- Elliss was selected by the Saints with their second of two seventh round draft choices (244th overall) in 2019 out of Idaho. Elliss is a strong, athletic player with coverage, pass rush and run-stopping abilities who bounced back after missing the majority of 2019 (knee). In 2020, he appeared in 15 regular season games and two postseason contests on special teams recording five stops. The son of former NFL standout Luther Elliss, has utilized his strength, speed and size on defense and special teams. Elliss finished his third campaign with 13 stops, four special teams stops, one sack and one fumble recovery in 13 games.

PETE WERNER

- New Orleans selected this three-year starter from Ohio State in the second round of the 2021 NFL Draft. The Indianapolis native finished his college career playing in 47 career games with 35 starts, recording 185 tackles (111 solo), 16 stops for loss, four sacks, 11 passes defended, four forced fumbles and two fumble recoveries. Werner helped power the Buckeyes to the College Football Playoff championship game as a senior in 2020, when he was voted by Big Ten coaches as a first-team All-Conference selection and a Butkus Award semifinalist, posting 54 tackles, 2.5 stops for loss, one sack and two forced fumbles. Werner made his second career start Oct. 3 vs. the Giants and recorded a ten tackles. With 13 stops in Week Five at Washington, he became the first Saints rookie defender to reach double-digit totals in back-to-back games. He ranked fifth on the team with 59 tackles.

- With Davis missing 2021's Week 16 contest vs. Miami due to COVID-19 protocols, Werner stepped into his spot in the middle and enjoyed a standout performance with a

game-high ten tackles, his second double-digit total of the season.

SECONDARY**S TYRANN MATHIEU**

- This versatile, hard-hitting, playmaking safety and New Orleans native returned home, signing after the 2022 NFL Draft and will bring extensive experience to the Saints secondary. Mathieu was originally selected by the Arizona Cardinals in the third round (69th overall) in the 2013 NFL Draft out of LSU and has played for the Cardinals (2013-17), Houston Texans (2018) and Kansas City Chiefs (2019-21). In nine NFL seasons, he has played in 129 regular season games with 120 starts and has posted career totals of 606 tackles (520 solo), 41 stops for loss, ten sacks for a loss of 78 yards, 26 interceptions for 335 returns yards, three brought back for touchdowns, 82 passes defended, four forced fumbles, six fumble recoveries and five special teams stops. Mathieu has been selected to three Pro Bowls, three *Associated Press* All-Pro teams and the Pro Football Hall of Fame's 2010's All-Decade Team.

NOSE FOR THE BALL

Saints Saints safety Tyrann Mathieu comes to New Orleans after starting all 16 games he played in for Kansas City in 2021 and recording 76 tackles, one sack, a career-high three fumble recoveries, one sack and two interceptions to earn his second consecutive Pro Bowl selection. With the two picks in 2021, Mathieu's interception total since he entered the NFL in 2013 is tied for third over that span.

NFL LEADERS IN INTERCEPTIONS**(2013-PRESENT)**

Rk. Player	Interceptions
1. Marcus Peters	31
2. Xavien Howard	27
3t. Tyrann Mathieu	26
3t. Stephon Gilmore	26
3t. Tashaun Gipson Sr.	26
3t. Harrison Smith	26
7t. Richard Sherman	25
7t. J.C. Jackson	25

CB MARSHON LATTIMORE

Selected by the New Orleans Saints in the first round (11th overall) of the 2017 NFL Draft, Lattimore started all 13 games he appeared in. He totaled 53 tackles (44 solo), a forced fumble, one fumble recovery, five interceptions for 85 yards and 18 passes defended, as he became the youngest Saint (21 years old) ever selected to the Pro Bowl and was selected as the AP NFL Defensive Rookie of the Year.

In 2018, Lattimore opened all 16 contests and posted a career-high 59 tackles (49 solo), two interceptions, 12 passes defended, a club-best four forced fumbles, tied for fourth in the NFL and three fumble recoveries, returned for 91 yards, leading the team in takeaways and tied for the NFL lead in defensive fumble recoveries, the highest total among defensive backs. Lattimore also added two picks in the NFC Divisional Playoff win over Philadelphia.

A standout 2019 campaign by Lattimore resulted in him being voted to the Pro Bowl, the only Saints cornerback to ever be selected multiple times. Lattimore started all 14 games he played in and posted 57 stops, one interception and ranked first on the team with 14 passes defended.

In 2020, he posted a career-high 62 tackles (52 solo), two interceptions and 11 passes defended as he was voted to the Pro Bowl for the third time. High expectations follow in 2021 as he signed a long-term contract extension to lock up the lockdown corner in the New Orleans secondary.

After signing a contract extension at the start of the season, Lattimore posted 68 stops, three picks, a career-high 19 passes defended, ranked third in the NFL and one fumble recovery, being selected to his fourth Pro Bowl.

(five solo), a fourth quarter interceptions and a game-high three passes defended.

In the Week 14 win at the New York Jets, Lattimore, recorded a game-high two passes defended and five tackles, as New York's longest reception in the contest went for only 27 yards.

In the Week 15 9-0 win at Tampa Bay posted four solo tackles, two passes defended and his first fumble recovery of the season.

After being selected to the Pro Bowl five days earlier, Lattimore posted a team-lead tying third interception in the third quarter vs. Miami on December 27.

THE SAINTS AND THE NFL

Lattimore's 74 passes defended since entering the NFL in 2017 are ranked first in the league.

PASSES DEFENSED BY SAINTS SINCE 2017

(Press Box Stats)

Rk.	Saints Defender	PD
1.	Marshon Lattimore	74
2.	Marcus Williams	38
3t.	Cameron Jordan	29
3t.	P.J. Williams	29

PASSES DEFENSED IN THE NFL SINCE 2017

(Press Box Stats)

Rk.	Defender, Team	PD
1.	Marshon Lattimore, NO	74
2.	James Bradberry, Car.-NYG	72

2021 NFL PASS DEFENSED LEADERS

(Press Box Stats)

Rk.	Defender, Team	PD
1.	J.C. Jackson, NE	23
2.	Trevon Diggs, Dal.	21
3.	Marshon Lattimore, NO	19

2021 HIGHLIGHTS

Below were Lattimore's 2021 defensive highlights:

In the September 26 28-13 win at New England, Lattimore picked off Patriots QB Mac Jones in the game's next to last play to seal the victory.

In the Week Five win over Washington, Lattimore earned NFC Defensive Player of the Week honors, as he recorded a career-high six passes defended, the first time that occurred in the NFL since 2017 and tied for the second-highest total in the league since the 1992 season.

In Week 13 vs. Dallas, Lattimore, posted eight tackles

S MARCUS MAYE

- Marcus Maye joined the Saints as an unrestricted free agent in 2022, looking to solidify the safety position alongside Mathieu. Maye, entering his sixth NFL season, first entered the league as a second round draft pick (39th overall) of the New York Jets out of the University of Florida in 2017. He has started all 60 contests he has appeared in for the Jets, posting career totals of 308 tackles (221 solo), 3.5 sacks for a loss of 19 yards, six interception returns for 148 yards, 24 passes defensed, four forced fumbles, one fumble recovery and four special teams stops.

CB PAULSON ADEBO

- New Orleans' third round selection (76th overall) in the 2021 NFL Draft out of Stanford, Adebo overcame not playing college football in 2020 to make significant contributions to the Saints secondary in his first season with the club. The Texas native finished his college career playing in 22 games with 21 starts for Stanford and recording 97 tackles, 34 passes defensed and eight interceptions, earning All-Pac 12 honors in both 2018 and 2019.
- Adebo showed his development by opening opposite Lattimore in the 2021 regular season opening win vs. Green Bay and returning a pick 33 yards in the third quarter to become the first Saints defender to have an interception in his NFL debut since LB James Allen vs. Tampa Bay on September 8, 2002. He then added a second pick in the Week Five win at Washington. With a pick in the regular season finale at Atlanta, Adebo finished his rookie campaign ranked fifth on the club with 63 tackles (54 solo), tied for first with three picks and added eight passes defensed and two special teams stops.

P.J. WILLIAMS

- A third round pick of the Saints in 2015 out of Florida State, Williams has appeared in 78 regular season games with 31 starts for New Orleans, posting 208 tackles, four sacks, eight interception returns for 168 yards with two touchdowns, 49 passes defensed, three forced fumbles and two fumble recoveries. In 2021, playing a hybrid role of both cornerback and safety, Williams tied for the team lead with three picks for 86 yards returned including a game-clinching 40-yard interception return for a touchdown on October 31 vs. Tampa Bay, while playing outside cornerback, nickel cornerback, strong safety or free safety.

DB C.J. Gardner-Johnson

- Selected in the fourth round (109th overall) of the 2019 overall draft out of the University of Florida by New Orleans, Gardner-Johnson's hard-hitting and playmaking perso-

na took root as a rookie in 2019, when he played in all 16 games with seven starts, posting 46 tackles (35 solo), one interception, eight passes defensed, a forced fumble, a fumble recovery and three special teams stops. In 2020, he has established a niche as the club's starting nickel, playing in all 15 games he appeared in with 13 starts and posting 65 tackles to rank third on the club, one sack, one interception and a club-best 13 passes defensed for the NFL's fourth-ranked defense in opponent net yards per game, sixth against the run and fifth against the pass. In the post-season, he added ten stops and one pass defensed. In 2021, he played in 12 games with 11 starts and had 46 stops, two sacks, tied for the team lead with three interceptions, including two against Buccaneers signal-caller Tom Brady and seven passes defensed.

HOW THE SAINTS WERE BUILT**• 2011****DRAFT**DE **Cameron Jordan** (1a)**• 2015****DRAFT**T **Andrus Peat** (1a)CB **P.J. Williams** (3b)**• 2016****DRAFT**WR **Michael Thomas** (2a)DL **David Onyemata** (4)**• 2017****DRAFT**CB **Marshawn Lattimore** (1a)T **Ryan Ramczyk** (1b)RB **Alvin Kamara** (3a)**FREE AGENTS**LS **Zach Wood** (FA)**WAIVERS**QB **Taysom Hill** (GB)**• 2018****DRAFT**DE **Marcus Davenport** (1)WR **Tre'Quan Smith** (3)**FREE AGENTS**LB **Demario Davis** (UFA-NYJ)DB **J.T. Gray** (Rookie FA)RB **Dwayne Washington** (FA)**• 2019****DRAFT**C **Erik McCoy**(2)DB **C.J. Gardner-Johnson** (4)LB **Kaden Elliss** (7b)**FREE AGENTS**LB **Andrew Dowell** (FA)DE **Carl Granderson** (Rookie FA)OL **Ethan Greenidge** (Rookie FA)LB **Chase Hansen** (Rookie FA)WR/RS **Deonte Harty** (Rookie FA)DT **Shy Tuttle** (Rookie FA)**• 2020****DRAFT**C/G **Cesar Ruiz** (1)LB **Zack Baun** (3a)TE **Adam Trautman** (3b)**FREE AGENTS**WR **Marquez Callaway** (Rookie FA)P **Blake Gillikin** (Rookie FA)OL **James Hurst** (FA)TE **Juwan Johnson** (Rookie FA)RB **Tony Jones Jr.** (Rookie FA)DL **Malcolm Roach** (Rookie FA)OL **Calvin Throckmorton** (Rookie FA)QB **Jameis Winston** (UFA-TB)**• 2021****DRAFT**DE **Payton Turner** (1)LB **Pete Werner** (2)CB **Paulson Adebo** (3)QB **Ian Book** (4)T **Landon Young** (6)WR **Kawaan Baker** (7)**FREE AGENTS**DL **Albert Huggins** (FA)DE **Tanoh Kpassagnon** (UFA-KC)WR **Kevin White** (FA)TE **Nick Vannett** (FA)**TRADES**RB **Mark Ingram** (Hou.)CB **Bradley Roby** (Hou.)**WAIVERS**FB **Adam Prentice** (Den.)**• 2022****DRAFT**WR **Chris Olave** (1a)T **Trevor Penning** (1b)CB **Alontae Taylor** (2)DT **Jordan Jackson** (6)**FREE AGENTS**DB **Brian Allen** (FA)OL **Josh Andrews** (FA)DL **Josh Black** (Rookie FA)LB **Jon Bostic** (FA)DE **Taco Charlton** (UFA-Pit.)QB **K.J. Costello** (Rookie FA)QB **Andy Dalton** (UFA-Chi.)WR **Dai'Jean Dixon** (Rookie FA)DB **Justin Evans** (FA)DB **DaMarcus Fields** (Rookie FA)DB **Vincent Gray** (Rookie FA)TE **Chris Herndon** (FA)TE **J.P. Holtz** (UFA-Chi.)OL **Lewis Kidd** (Rookie FA)TE **Lucas Krull** (Rookie FA)WR **Jarvis Landry** (FA)DL **Nikos Lalos** (FA)C **Nick Martin** (FA)S **Tyrann Mathieu** (FA)S **Marcus Maye** (UFA-NYJ)CB **Quenton Meeks** (FA)WR **Kirk Merritt** (FA)RB **Devine Ozigbo** (FA)DB **Isaiah Pryor** (Rookie FA)K **John Parker Romo** (Rookie FA)LB **Nephi Sewell** (Rookie FA)RB **Abram Smith** (Rookie FA)OL **Derek Schweiger** (Rookie FA)S **Daniel Sorensen** (UFA-KC)DT **Kentavious Street** (FA)OL **Khalique Washington** (Rookie FA)LB **Eric Wilson** (FA)**WAIVERS**T **Derrick Kelly** (NYJ)

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37 BRIAN ALLEN DB

HEIGHT: 6-3 WEIGHT: 215

COLLEGE: UTAH

DRAFTED: FA-22

NFL EXPERIENCE: 3

BORN: 10/21/93

NFL CAREER – New Orleans signed this third-year NFL veteran after playing for the USFL's Birmingham in the spring. In addition to his USFL experience, Allen, who was selected by the Steelers in the fifth round of the 2017 NFL Draft out of Utah, has enjoyed stints with Pittsburgh, the 49ers and Browns playing in 19 games with one start and making three solo tackles and three special teams stops.

CAREER TRANSACTIONS – Signed by Saints, 8/11/2022; Standard practice squad elevation by Browns, 1/8/22; COVID-19 practice squad elevation by Browns, 12/20/21; Signed to Browns practice squad, 12/16/21; Waived by Browns, 8/31/21; Re-signed by Browns, 3/29/21; Promoted to Browns' 53-man roster from Cincinnati practice squad, 1/4/21; Activated from Practice Squad Reserve/COVID-19 by Bengals, 1/1/21; Placed on Reserve/COVID-19 by Bengals, 12/21/20; Activated from Practice Squad Reserve/COVID-19 by Bengals, 11/16/21; Placed on Reserve/COVID-19 by Bengals, 11/11/20; Signed to Bengals practice squad, 11/3/20; Practice squad contract terminated by 49ers, 11/3/20; Activated from 49ers practice squad to the 53-man roster (standard elevation), 10/10/20; Signed to 49ers practice squad, 9/16/20; Waived by Buffalo, 9/5/20; Signed by Buffalo, 8/28/20; Waived by Seattle, 8/10/20; Signed by Seattle to reserve/future contract, 1/14/20; Signed to Seattle practice squad, 12/6/19; Practice Squad terminated by Seattle, 12/5/19; Signed to Seattle practice squad, 10/15/19; Reached an injury settlement with Pittsburgh, 10/15/19; Placed on Injured Reserve by Pittsburgh, 8/28/19; Activated from Steelers practice squad to 53-man roster, 10/2/18; Signed by Steelers to the practice squad, 9/2/18; Waived by Steelers, 9/1/18; Signed by the Steelers to four-year contract, 5/8/17; Selected by Pittsburgh in the fifth round (173rd overall) of the 2017 NFL Draft.

2022 – Played for USFL Champion Birmingham Stallions. Posted 40 tackles and an interception. **2021** – Played in two games for Browns. **2020** – Started at RCB for 49ers vs. Miami, Oct. 11 and posted three solo stops. **2019** – Spent the second half of season on Seattle practice squad. **2018** – Spent first four weeks of regular season on Steelers practice squad before being promoted to active roster...Saw action in six games, recorded a coverage tackle. **2018** – In 10 games for Pittsburgh, recorded two special teams stops.

COLLEGE — Played in 42 games with 12 starts at Utah (2012-16)...Totaled 62 tackles, 14 pass breakups and five interceptions, tied for fifth in Pac-12...Earned honorable mention All-Pac-12 academic in 2014...Played on special teams early in career (2013-14)...Graduated with two degrees, one in human development and family studies and one in economics.

PERSONAL — Attended La Marque (Texas) HS...Three-time first-team all-district 24-4A...First-team All-County in 2011...Captain in football and basketball...Lettered three years in both sports...Won school's Gene Sutton Fighting Spirit award...Honor roll student...Married (Paula)...Couple has one daughter, A'mya...Full name: Brian Keith Allen.

47 JON BOSTIC LB

HEIGHT: 6-1 WEIGHT: 245

COLLEGE: FLORIDA

JOINED SAINTS: FA-22

NFL EXPERIENCE: 10

BORN: 5/5/91

NFL CAREER - Originally selected in the second round (50th overall) of the 2013 NFL Draft by Chicago, Bostic has played in 106 career games, recording 557 tackles (336 solo), 9.5 sacks, 15 passes defensed, two fumble recoveries and three interceptions.

CAREER TRANSACTIONS - Signed by the Saints, 8/15/22; Placed on Injured Reserve by Washington Football Team, 10/5/21; Re-signed by Washington, 3/18/20; Signed by Washington, 5/22/19; Waived by the Pittsburgh Steelers, 4/27/19; Signed by the Steelers a two-year contract (UFA-Ind.), 3/18/18; Placed on Injured Reserve by the Colts, 12/18/17; Signed by the Colts to a one-year contract (UFA-Det.), 4/20/17; Placed on Injured Reserve by the Lions, 9/6/16; Traded to the Lions from the Patriots in exchange for future considerations, 5/9/16; Traded to the New England Patriots from the Bears in exchange for future considerations, 9/29/15; Signed to a four-year contract with the Bears, 5/9/13; Originally selected in the second round (50th overall) by the Bears in the 2013 NFL Draft

2021 - Started all four games he played prior to tearing his pectoral muscle in Week 4. Recorded 22 tackles (11 solo).

2020 - Played in 16 regular season games with 15 starts and recorded a career-high, team-leading 118 tackles (59 solo), three sacks and three passes defensed...Vs Philadelphia, Sep. 13, recorded team-high eight tackles (five solo), a sack and three QB hits in win...At Arizona, Sep. 20, recorded a sack for consecutive weeks for the first time in his career...At Cleveland, Sep. 27, notched team-leading nine tackles (five solo) and a stop for loss...Vs Baltimore, Oct. 4, recorded team-leading and season-high 14 tackles (six solo)...At Pittsburgh, Dec. 7, recorded a team-high 10 tackles (four solo) and his first interception of the season to seal win...At San Francisco, Dec. 13, compiled a team-high 10 tackles (four solo) and a pass defensed in win...At Philadelphia, 1/3/21, led the team with eight tackles (four solo) and a three-yard sack in win...Vs Tampa in NFC Wild Card game, 1/9/21, made his playoff debut while recording seven tackles (four solo), a pass defensed and a fumble recovery. **CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE**

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2019 - Started in all 16 games and finished with a 105 tackles (56 solo) while adding an interception, a sack, two passes defended and three stops for loss. **2018** - Played in 16 games with 14 starts in his only season in Pittsburgh and racked up 73 tackles (40 solo), 2.5 sacks and three passes defended...Earned nine tackles (four solo) and a sack in a Week 1 contest at Cleveland, Sept. 9...Notched six tackles, two passes defended and a sack in a win at TB (9/24)...Earned nine total tackles (six solo) vs. BAL (9/30) ...Had five total tackles (three solo) and half a sack in a win vs. ATL (10/7...Added two tackles [one solo] and a pass defended in a win at CIN [10/14]...Compiled four tackles [one solo] and a quarterback hit in win vs. CLE [10/28]...Recorded five total tackles (four solo) in a victory at BAL (11/4)...Notched a season-high 10 total tackles (six solo) in a victory vs. CAR (11/8)...Recorded six total tackles (two solo) in a win at JAX (11/18)...Made four tackles [three solo] at DEN [11/25]...Contributed on defense vs. LAC [12/2] and at OAK [12/9]...Earned two tackles in a victory vs. NE (12/16) Totaled five tackles (four solo) at NO (12/23)...Contributed on defense in win vs. CIN [12/30]. **2017** - Started all 14 games he played in prior to injuring knee in Week 15. Recorded 97 tackles (54 solo), a sack and three passes defended. **2016** - Spent season on Injured Reserve (foot). **2015** - Played in 11 games with a start for New England, recording one assisted defensive tackle and one special teams stop. **2014** - Played in 13 games with eight starts for Chicago recording 84 tackles (57 solo) and three passes defended. **2013** - Played in 16 games with nine starts recording 57 tackles (42 solo), two sacks, a pass defense and an interception.

COLLEGE - Played 51 games with 32 starts at Florida recording 237 tackles (155 solo), 19 stops for loss, 7.5 sacks, seven passes defended, five interceptions and two forced fumbles...As a senior in 2012, was named Second-team All-SEC after finishing third on team with 68 tackles, fifth with 6.5 TFL for a total of 23 yards for loss, tied for second with three sacks and tied for fourth with two interceptions...As junior in 2011, started all 13 games and recorded 94 tackles, three sacks, two passes defended and a forced fumble...As sophomore in 2010, appeared in all 13 games with six starts, recording 57 tackles (36 solo)...As freshman in 2009, led freshman with 18 tackles (14 solo)...Graduated with degree in Health, Education and Behavior.

PERSONAL - Jonathan Earl Bostic II was born in Atlanta, Ga. on May 5, 1991...Father, Jon Bostic Sr., played for Detroit from 1985-87...Prepped at Palm Beach Central (Wellington, Fl.) HS...Selected to the U.S. Army All-American Bowl...Ranked as fifth-best inside linebacker prospect according to Rivals.com...Member of the ESPN top 150...All-State selection for Florida Class-6A.

19 K.J. COSTELLO QB

HEIGHT: 6-5 WEIGHT: 225

COLLEGE: MISSISSIPPI STATE

JOINED SAINTS: FA-22

NFL EXPERIENCE: 1

BORN: 7/7/97

Signed by Saints 8/11/22...Waived by L.A. Chargers, 8/17/21...Signed by L.A. Chargers, 8/1/21...Costello, 6-5, 225 pounds, spent two weeks with the Los Angeles Chargers in 2021 preseason and participated on a tryout basis in Saints' 2022 rookie minicamp. Played final season of college career at Mississippi State in 2020 after spending three seasons at Stanford. Over his four-year career, threw for 7,434 yards 55 TDs. The Rancho Santa Margarita, Calif., native was a two-time team captain for the Cardinal and saw his most productive season as a sophomore in 2018, when he helped lead the team to a 9-4 record and a bowl victory. In 13 starts, Costello threw for 3,540 yards and 29 TDs for a conference-best 155.0 efficiency rating. On Sept. 26, 2020, Costello set a SEC record, throwing for 623 yards, to go with five TD passes in a 44-34 victory for the Bulldogs in Baton Rouge...Graduated from Stanford with bachelor's degree in political science...Prepped at Santa Margarita (Calif.) Catholic HS...Four-star prospect (ESPN, Rivals and 247Sports...Rated No. 19 overall recruit by ESPN...Tabbed No. 2 pro-style quarterback nationally by ESPN and Rivals...California's No. 2 recruit by ESPN...Named to the U.S. Army All-America Game...Was an Elite 11 finalist...Earned All-State honors as junior and senior...Holds 19 school records...Owns the SMCHS career passing yards record (8,222 yards), which broke Carson Palmer's school record...Threw a school-record 62 passing TDs...Added 19 career rushing TDs...Owns school standard with 452 yards passing in a single game...Earned Presidential Honor Roll (4.0 GPA or higher)...Born Kevin Richard Costello on June 7, 1997...Enjoys ping pong and golf...Pursuing master's in business administration.

40 CHASE HANSEN LB

HEIGHT: 6-3 WEIGHT: 230

COLLEGE: UTAH

JOINED SAINTS: FA-19

NFL EXPERIENCE: 2

BORN: 5/20/93

NFL CAREER – Third-year linebacker, first joined New Orleans as an undrafted free agent in 2019, in 2020 appearing in two regular season games and recording one special teams stop in the two postseason contests he played in. He played in three games in 2021 and posted one coverage stop. Re-signed in the preseason, Hansen will compete for more extensive snaps on both defense and coverage units in 2022.

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CAREER TRANSACTIONS – Re-signed, 8/8/22; Reinstated to practice squad from Reserve/COVID-19, 1/6/21; Placed on Reserve/COVID-19, 12/31/21; Signed to practice squad and standard elevation to active roster, 12/27/21; Practice squad contract terminated, 12/22/21; Standard practice squad elevation, 12/11/21; Standard practice squad elevation, 12/2/21; Signed to the practice squad, 11/13/21; Waived, 11/9/21; Activated from Injured Reserve, 11/8/21; Placed on Injured Reserve, 9/8/21; Signed to reserve/future contract, 1/18/21; Elevated from practice squad, 1/16/21; Elevated from practice squad, 1/9/21; Elevated from practice squad, 1/2/21; Signed to the practice squad, 11/26/20; Waived, 11/24/20; Activated from Injured Reserve, 11/13/20; Placed on Injured Reserve, 10/3/20; Placed on Reserve/NFI, 6/11/19; Re-signed, 5/14/19; Waived, 5/10/19; Signed to a three-year contract, 5/2/19.

2021 – Played in three games and recorded a special teams stop vs. Miami, Dec. 27. **2020** – After spending 2019 season on Reserve/NFI, Hansen appeared in two regular season contests and two postseason games, recording a special teams stop in the Wild Card game vs. Chicago, 1/10/21. **2019** – Spent entire season on Reserve/NFI.

COLLEGE – Four-year starter at Utah who played in 43 games with 35 starts at both S and LB and saw action at QB redshirt freshman year...Finished college career with 272 tackles (164 solo), 33.5 stops for loss, eight sacks, six interceptions, 22 passes defended, five fumble recoveries, and four forced fumbles...2018 FWA, *The Sporting News*, The Athletic and Phil Steele second-team All-American linebacker and two-time All-Pac-12 selection (first-team LB in 2018 and 2016 honorable mention safety in 2016)...In 2018, started 13 games, finishing second on team with 114 tackles, leading the conference with 22 stops for loss and adding two interceptions, one returned for a touchdown and four passes defended...In 2017, played in and started eight games (seven at strong safety and one at linebacker) and posted 51 tackles, 2.5 tackles for loss, one sack, one interception and two passes defended...Graduated with a bachelor's degree in consumer and community studies with an emphasis in financial planning and a sociology minor.

PERSONAL – Standout at Lone Peak (Highland, Utah) HS, the only *Parade* All-American (all-purpose player) from Utah in 2011...2011 Class 5A Player of the Year (*Salt Lake Tribune*), Mr. Football (*Deseret News*) and the Utah Gatorade Player of the Year...Quarterbacked team to 14-0 record and Utah Class 5A state championship...Lettered four years in basketball, one in baseball...Played for 2011 state championship basketball team...Academic All-Region...Father Brian played football at Brigham Young, lettering in 1978 and 1981-82...Uncle Randy lettered at Utah from 1968-70...Uncle Bruce lettered at BYU in 1981 and 1985-86, and played for New England Patriots in 1987...Cousin Colby played for BYU from 2015-16...In May, 2021 participated in "Beyond The Physical: A Symposium on Mental Health in Sports", where he shared how he personally values being proactive about mental health and how it is important for everyone...Born May 20, 1993 in Salt Lake City, Utah.

86 CHRIS HERNDON IV TE

HEIGHT: 6-4 WEIGHT: 253

COLLEGE: UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI

JOINED SAINTS: FA-22

NFL EXPERIENCE: 4

BORN: 2/23/96

NFL CAREER — The former University of Miami (Fla.) standout signed with the Saints during training camp. Herndon spent the first three seasons of his career with the Jets before being traded to the Vikings prior to the 2021 regular season. Originally selected in the fourth round by New York (107th overall), Herndon's tallied 75 career receptions for 836 yards and eight TDs over 49 games played.

CAREER TRANSACTIONS — Signed with New Orleans, 8/2/22; Activated from reserve/COVID-19 by Vikings, 1/14/22; Placed on reserve/COVID-19 by Vikings, 1/4/22; Traded from New York Jets to Minnesota Vikings in exchange for a 2022 fourth-round pick 8/31/21; Placed on Injured Reserve by Jets 11/12/19; Signed by Jets to four-year contract 7/12/19; Originally selected by the Jets in the fourth round (107th overall) of the 2018 NFL Draft.

HONORS — 2018: PFWA All-Rookie.

2021 — Played in 16 games for Minnesota, starting five... Recorded four receptions for 40 yards and a TD, which he scored at Carolina, Oct. 17. **2020** — Started 13 of 16 games played in final season with the Jets, tallying 31 receptions for 287 yards and three TDs...Had six receptions for 37 yards at Buffalo, Sept. 13...Scored first touchdown of season against the Chargers, Nov. 22...Had season-high seven receptions for season-high 63 yards and one TD in finale at New England in Week 17, 1/3/21. **2019** — Limited to one game due to stint on Injured Reserve and a suspension...Caught one seven-yard pass. **2018** — Appeared in all 16 games of rookie season with 12 starts and led all rookie TDs in receptions (39), tied for first in TDs (four) and second in receiving yards (504), receiving PFWA All-Rookie...Recorded first NFL catch against Miami, Sept. 16...Had first NFL touchdown against Indianapolis, tallying 56 yards on two catches, Oct. 14...Recorded four catches for 42 yards and a touchdown against Minnesota in Week 7, Oct. 21...Had a touchdown for third straight game at Chicago in Week Eight, Oct. 28...Had season-high seven receptions for 57 yards against New England in Week 11, Nov. 25...Had a season-high 82 yards on six catches and a touchdown against Green Bay in week 15, Dec. 23.

COLLEGE — Four-year letterman at the University of Miami (Fla.)...Earned All-ACC second-team his senior year in 2017 after totaling 477 yards and four touchdowns in 11 games played...Named a Mackey Award semifinalist as nation's top tight end...Played in 13 games with 12 starts as a junior in 2016...Tallied 28 receptions for 334 yards with a long of 48...Finished second among tight ends on the team in receptions (18) and yards (237)...Saw action in three games as a true freshman in 2014, but didn't record any stats.

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PERSONAL — Attended Norcross (Ga.) HS...Three-star prospect (ESPN and Rivals)... Ranked No. 18 TE nationwide by Rivals...Third-team All-County WR by *Gwinnett Daily Post*...Led Norcross to 2013 Georgia Class 6A State Championship...Was a high school teammate of Saints RB Alvin Kamara...Born with a genetic anomaly known as post-axial polydactyly, which gave him an extra pinky finger on each hand that was removed when he was an infant.

62 DERRICK KELLY II T

HEIGHT: 6-5 WEIGHT: 320

COLLEGE: FLORIDA STATE

JOINED SAINTS: FA-20

NFL EXPERIENCE: 2

BORN: 8/23/95

NFL CAREER — This 6-5, 320 pound former four-year starter on the Florida State line was signed as an undrafted free agent in 2019, possessing the flexibility to play both tackle and guard. After spending his rookie season on the practice squad, Kelly secured a roster spot in 2020, playing in six contests. After playing in one contest for the Giants in 2021, Kelly returns to New Orleans in the preseason to compete for a roster spot.

CAREER TRANSACTIONS — Awarded off waivers to Saints from Jets, 8/17/21; Waived by Jets, 8/16/22; Signed by New York Jets, 5/9/22; COVID-19 practice squad elevation by Giants, 1/1/22; Signed to Giants practice squad, 10/19/21; Practice squad contract terminated by Saints, 10/12/21; Signed to Saints practice squad, 9/6/21; Waived by New Orleans, 8/31/21; Activated by New Orleans from Reserve/Covid-19, 12/9/20; Placed on Reserve/Covid-19, 11/29/20; Signed by the Saints to reserve/future contract, 1/6/20; Agreed to terms with the Saints to practice squad contract, 9/1/19; Waived by the Saints, 8/31/19; Signed by Saints to a three-year contract, 5/10/19.

2021 — Saw action for Giants in contest at Chicago, 1/2/22.

2020 — Made his NFL debut and appeared in six regular season contests in the jumbo package and on special teams...Vs. Tampa Bay, Sept. 13, made NFL debut, appearing on offense in jumbo package...Vs. Green Bay, Sept. 27, appeared on offense in jumbo package and on special teams...Vs. Minnesota, Dec. 25, played as a sixth OL in the jumbo package for an offense that rushed for 264 yards and scored seven touchdowns on the ground, including an NFL record tying six by Alvin Kamara.

COLLEGE — A four-year starter at Florida State who appeared in 34 games with 28 starts at T and G...Blocked for an offense ranked third in ACC and 28th in the country in passing offense (270.1 ypg.) as a senior in 2018...Started all 13 contests as a junior, opening games at both LT and LG...Helped the Seminoles offense top the 400-yard mark five times...Graduated with degree in social science.

PERSONAL — Four-star tackle recruit by 247Sports in the 2014 class at East Gadsden (Havana, Fla.) HS...Ranked the No. 25 tackle and the No. 31 prospect in Florida by 247Sports...Class 4A All-State first-team as senior and second-team honors as junior...Born August 23, 1995.

60 NIKO LALOS DE

HEIGHT: 6-5 WEIGHT: 270

COLLEGE: DARTMOUTH

JOINED SAINTS: FA-22

NFL EXPERIENCE: 2

BORN: 6/25/97

NFL CAREER - Signed by the New York Giants as an undrafted free agent out of Dartmouth, Lalos saw action in 6 of the final games of the 2020 season, amounting 5 tackles (2 solo), one interception and a one fumble recovery.

CAREER TRANSACTIONS - Signed by Saints, 1/15/22; Waived by the Giants, 8/5/22; Signed to a reserve/future contract by the Giants, 1/10/22; Signed to the Giants practice squad, 9/1/21; Released by the Giants, 8/31/21; Activated off the Giants practice squad, 12/5/20; Standard elevation off the Giants practice squad, 11/29/20; Signed to Giants practice squad, 9/6/20; Waived by Giants, 9/5/20; Signed by the Giants as a rookie free agent, 4/28/20

2021 - Spent the entire season on Giants' practice squad.

2020 - Played in 6 games and posted 5 tackles (2 solo), one interception and one fumble recovery...At Cincinnati, Nov. 29, made NFL debut and posted first career interception, becoming the first Giants player to intercept a pass in pro debut since 9/13/15...At Seattle, Dec. 6, recorded his first two career tackles (2 solo) and recovered a fumbled snap, becoming the first Giants player with at least one interception and one opponent fumble recovery in first two NFL games since 1950...Vs. Arizona, Dec. 13, assisted with a tackle...Vs. Cleveland, Dec. 20, assisted with a stop.

COLLEGE - Played in 24 games in three seasons for Dartmouth, recording 59 tackles (32 solo), including 17.5 tackles for loss and 11 sacks, nine passes defensed, an interception and a fumble recovery...As senior in 2019, selected first-team All-Ivy League after posting career-high totals of 35 tackles (21 solo), 10 stops for loss, 5.5 sacks and one interception returned for a TD, his first career points...As a junior in 2018, named All-Ivy Leagues honorable mention after playing nine games and posting 17 tackles (10 solo) and five sacks, ranking him 2nd on team and 5th in league...As a sophomore in 2017, recorded six tackles.

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PERSONAL - Given name is Nikolas A. Lalos...Prepped at St. Vincent-St. Mary (Akron, Ohio) HS, LeBron James' alma mater...As senior, won the school's Ironman Award and was an AP Northeast Ohio Inland all-district pick...Team won state championships his first two years and went 50-7 over his four seasons...Lettered three times in basketball...Earned a taekwondo black belt at age 10...Supported the Food Bank for New York City during the 2021 season by funding BackPack programs for P.S. 57 Hubert H. Elementary School and sponsoring a teacher appreciation program...Chosen as his team's MVP at the Hula Bowl after notching 2 sacks and a forced fumble.

72 NICK MARTIN C

HEIGHT: 6-4 WEIGHT: 295

COLLEGE: NOTRE DAME

JOINED SAINTS: FA-22

NFL EXPERIENCE: 6

BORN: 04/29/93

PRO CAREER – Martin enters his seventh NFL season and first with the Saints. Originally selected by the Houston Texans in the second round (50th overall) of the 2016 NFL draft, Martin has appeared in 79 career games with 62 starts at center.

CAREER TRANSACTIONS – Signed by the Saints, 7/26/22; Signed by Las Vegas Raiders to a one-year contract, March 24, 2021; Released by the Houston Texans, 2/26/21; Placed by Texans on Injured Reserve, 12/19/17; Placed by Texans on Injured Reserve, 8/30/16...Signed by Houston to a four-year contract, 5/13/16; Selected by Texans in second round (50th overall) of the 2016 NFL draft;

2021- Appeared in 17 regular season games and one post-season contest for Raiders. **2020-** Started all 16 games at C for the third-consecutive season in final campaign with the Texans, in which the team recorded the highest passing yards per play in the NFL (8.31 avg)...Sept. 10 at Kansas City, helped Texans rush for 5.4 yards per attempt... Oct. 10 vs. Minnesota, blocked for QB Deshaun Watson as he threw for 300 passing yards and two TDs...Oct. 11 at Jacksonville, helped the Texans record 486 net yards and an average of 8.4 yards per play...Nov. 22 vs. New England, part of a line that did not allow a sack and helped Watson pass for 344 yards and two TDs...Nov. 26 at Detroit, blocked for Watson as he passed for 318 yards and four TDs...Dec. 27 vs. Cincinnati, part of a line that helped Texans offense average a team-record 9.6 yards per play. **2019-** Started in all 16 games at C for the second consecutive season, blocking for a rushing attack that averaged 4.63 yards per carry, which was the second-most in franchise history and the most since 2010...Sept. 9 at New Orleans, in the opener, paved the way for a rushing attack that averaged 7.83 yards per carry, which marked the second-highest rushing average in a single game in team his-

tory...Sept. 22 at Chargers, protected Watson, helping him record 351 passing yards and three TDs...Oct. 6 vs. Atlanta, played every offensive snap, paving the way for Watson's 426 passing yards and five TD passes...Oct. 13, at Kansas City, part of line that paved way for 472 total net yards, not allowing a sack for second consecutive week... Oct. 20 at Indianapolis, part of line that blocked for 391 yards of total offense...Oct. 27 vs. Oakland, helped block for Watson, as he threw for 279 yards and three TDs...Dec. 15 at Tennessee, part of a line that helped protect Watson, only allowing one sack, the fifth time on the season the line allowed one-or fewer sacks...Started in AFC Wild Card game against Buffalo, 1/4/20 and helped pave the way for 141 rushing yards, the third-most in a playoff game in Texans history...Started and helped the offense gain the most total net yards (442) and most net passing yards (348) in a postseason game in franchise history in AFC Divisional game at Kansas City, 1/12/20. **2018-** Started all 16 regular season games at C and a postseason contest for first time in career...Sept. 9 at New England, helped post second-highest team rushing total (167) in a opener in club history...At Tennessee, Sept. 16, helped record second consecutive game with more than 140 rushing yards...Sept. 30 at Indianapolis, helped Texans gain 466 yards of offense... Oct. 7 vs. Dallas, helped Texans gain 462 yards of offense...Oct. 21 at Jacksonville, helped Texans rush for 141 yards...Oct. 25 at Miami, helped Texans rush for season-high 188 yards...Nov. 18 at Washington, helped Texans rush for 139 yards...Nov. 26, against Tennessee, helped line to be on the way to a team-record 281 yards rushing... Dec. 30 vs. Jacksonville, helped Texans rush for 134 yards. **2017-** Started 14 games at center...Missed final two games of season...Sept. 19 vs. Jacksonville, started in NFL debut...Sept. 14 at Cincinnati, helped line pave way for 168 rushing yards...Sept. 24 vs. New England, paved way for 125-yard rushing performance with 300-yard passer...Oct. 1 vs. Tennessee, paved way for 445 yards of offense, six offensive TDs and team-record 57 points...Oct. 8 vs. Kansas City, blocked for a 144-yard rushing performance and five TDs...Oct. 15 vs. Cleveland, paved the way for 340 net yards of offense and helped Texans score 30-plus points for a team-record fourth straight game...Oct. 29 at Seattle, helped produce 500-plus yards of offense and 38 points...Nov. 19 vs. Arizona, paved the way for 357 yards of total offense and team's sixth game of 30-or-more points...Dec. 3 at Tennessee, helped offense compile 384 total yards. **2016-** Missed season after being placed on Reserve/Injured, Aug. 30 (ankle).

COLLEGE: Played four seasons (2012-15) at Notre Dame, appearing in 50 games with 37 starts...Named to Rimington Trophy watch list in 2014 and 2015...Named to Lombardi Award watch list in 2014...Voted a team captain final two seasons...Started 26 consecutive games from 2014-15...As senior in 2015, helped establish a run game that rushed for 207.6 yards per game, the highest average for Notre Dame since 1998...Played final 10 games of junior season in 2014 at LG...In 2013, part of a line that allowed only eight sacks and ranked second in the FBS in fewest sacks allowed...Graduated with management consulting degree from the Mendoza College of Business.

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PLAYER BIOS NOT IN MEDIA GUIDE

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PERSONAL: Attended Bishop Chatard (Indianapolis, Ind.) HS...Named to Indiana Football Coaches Association Top-50 All-State team as one of ten offensive lineman... Was a first-team Indiana all-state selection by *AP* Class 3A team...Named to the 2010 Super Team by the *Indianapolis Star*...Helped team to 11-4 record and 2010 Indiana Class 3A state title...Helped team to No. 3 state ranking in 2010...Starter on both offensive and defensive lines...As junior, helped team to a 12-2 record and a state semifinals appearance...Brother, Zack, is a seven-time Pro Bowler and five-time *Associated Press* All-Pro selection who plays right guard for the Dallas Cowboys after being selected by the club in the first-round in the 2014 NFL Draft.

43 QUENTON MEEKS CB

HEIGHT: 6-1 **WEIGHT:** 209

COLLEGE: STANFORD

DRAFTED: FA-22

NFL EXPERIENCE: 3

BORN: 9/8/96

NFL CAREER – New Orleans signed this third-year NFL veteran after playing for the USFL's Tampa Bay Bandits in the spring. In addition to his USFL experience, Meeks, who was signed by Jacksonville as an undrafted free agent in 2018, has enjoyed stints with the Jaguars and Los Angeles Chargers, playing in 14 career games with one start and making four solo tackles, two passes defended and four special teams stops.

CAREER TRANSACTIONS – Signed by Saints, 8/6/22; Waived by Tennessee, 7/31/21; Signed by the Titans, 5/11/21; Waived by the Jaguars, 3/17/21; Promoted to the Jaguars' 53-man roster, 12/26/20; Activated from the Jaguars' practice squad to the 53-man roster as a standard elevation, 12/19/20; Activated from the Jaguars' practice squad to the 53-man roster as a standard elevation, 12/12/20; Signed by the Jaguars to the practice squad, 12/7/20; Released by the Chargers, 11/26/20; Activated from the Chargers practice squad to the active roster as a standard elevation, 11/14/20; Activated from the Chargers practice squad to the 53-man roster as a standard elevation, 11/7/20; Signed to the Chargers practice squad, 9/6/20; Released by the Chargers, 9/5/20; Re-signed by the Chargers, 12/30/19; Signed by the Los Angeles Chargers to their practice squad, 10/1/19; Waived by the Jaguars, 8/31/19; Promoted to the Jaguars' 53-man roster, 10/6/18; Signed to the Jaguars practice squad, 9/2/18; Waived by the Jaguars, 9/1/18; Signed by the Jacksonville Jaguars as an undrafted free agent, 4/30/18.

2022 – Played for the USFL's Tampa Bay Bandits, where he posted 47 tackles, an interception and blocked a punt.

2021 – Spent the offseason with Tennessee Titans. **2020** –

Saw action in six total games with the Chargers and Jaguars, playing primarily on special teams...Spent training camp with the Chargers and 10 games on the Chargers' practice squad, including two contests as a standard elevation from the practice squad. Signed to Jacksonville practice squad, Dec. 7 before being promoted to the active roster, Dec. 26...Against Las Vegas, Nov. 18, saw his first action of the season with the Chargers...Against Tennessee, Dec. 13, appeared in a Jaguars uniform for the first time in 2020 and played on special teams. **2019** – Spent weeks 5-17 on Chargers practice squad. **2018** – Appeared in eight games in rookie season with Jaguars. Logged a start and totaled four tackles and two passes defended...At Kansas City (10/7), made his NFL debut and registered one tackle on defense. Recorded a tackle on the first defensive snap of his NFL career...Against Philadelphia, Oct. 28, recorded his first career start and registered three tackles and two passes defended.

COLLEGE CAREER – Finished Stanford career with 39 games played, 121 tackles, 25 passes defended and seven interceptions...As a junior in 2017, earned All-Pac-12 second-team, in addition to Pac-12 All-Academic honorable mention. Named to Bronko Nagurski Trophy watch list and Jim Thorpe Award watch list...Appeared in 14 games and totaled 65 tackles (37 solo), two picks and eight passes defended...Earned All Pac-12 honorable mention as a sophomore in 2016...Majored in sociology at Stanford.

PERSONAL – Attended Del Norte (San Diego, Calif.) High School and lettered in football, track and field and baseball...Established a Del Norte record with 13 touchdowns in a single season...His father, Ron Meeks, coached in the NFL from 1991 to 2012, including stints as defensive coordinator for the Carolina Panthers and Indianapolis Colts. He was defensive coordinator for the Colts during their Super Bowl XLI title run...Follow Meeks on Twitter and Instagram @ShowtimeQM...Born Quenton Terry Meeks in Knoxville, Tenn., on June 20, 1997.

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS ALPHABETICAL ROSTER (as of 8/20/22)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Born	Exp.	College	H.S. Hometown
29	Adebo, Paulson	CB	6-1	192	7/3/99	2	Stanford	Mansfield, Texas
37	Allen, Brian	DB	6-3	200	10/21/22	4	Utah	La Marque, Texas
68	Andrews, Josh	OL	6-2	298	6/21/91	7	Oregon State	Ontario, Calif.
87	Baker, Kawaan	WR	6-1	215	8/24/98	1	South Alabama	Atlanta, Ga.
53	Baun, Zack	LB	6-3	225	12/30/96	3	Wisconsin	Brown Deer, Wis.
57	Black, Josh	DT	6-3	290	12/25/97	R	Syracuse	Machesney Park, Ill.
16	Book, Ian	QB	6-0	206	3/30/98	2	Notre Dame	El Dorado Hills, Calif.
47	Bostic, Jon	LB	6-1	245	5/5/91	9	Florida	Wellington, Fla.
1	Callaway, Marquez	WR	6-2	204	3/27/98	3	Tennessee	Warner Robins, Ga.
54	Charlton, Taco	DE	6-6	270	11/7/94	6	Michigan	Pickerington, Ohio
19	Costello, K.J.	QB	6-5	225	6/7/97	1	Mississippi State	Rancho Santa Margarita, Calif.
14	Dalton, Andy	QB	6-2	220	10/29/87	12	TCU	Katy, Texas
92	Davenport, Marcus	DE	6-6	265	9/4/96	5	Texas-San-Antonio	San Antonio, Texas
56	Davis, Demario	LB	6-2	248	1/11/89	11	Arkansas State	Brandon, Miss.
84	Dixon, DaJean	WR	6-4	200	10/16/1998	R	Nicholls State	New Orleans, La.
50	Dowell, Andrew	LB	6-1	225	11/16/96	2	Michigan State	Lakewood, Ohio
55	Elliss, Kaden	LB	6-2	238	6/10/95	4	Idaho	Salt Lake City, Utah
30	Evans, Justin	DB	6-2	199	8/26/95	4	Texas A&M	Wiggins, Miss.
39	Fields, DaMarcus	DB	6-0	200	3/11/98	R	Texas Tech	Taylor, Texas
22	Gardner-Johnson, C.J.	DB	5-11	210	12/20/97	4	Florida	Cocoa, Fla.
4	Gillikin, Blake	P	6-2	196	1/21/98	3	Penn State	Atlanta, Ga.
96	Granderson, Carl	DE	6-5	261	12/18/96	4	Wyoming	Sacramento, Calif.
48	Gray, J.T.	DB	6-0	202	1/18/96	5	Mississippi State	Clarksdale, Miss.
35	Gray, Vincent	DB	6-2	192	12/28/99	R	Michigan	Rochester, Mich.
40	Hansen, Chase	LB	6-3	222	5/20/93	2	Utah	Highland, Utah
11	Harty, Deonte	WR/RS	5-6	170	12/4/97	4	Assumption	Baltimore, Md.
86	Hernon, Chris	TE	6-4	253	2/23/96	5	Miami (Fla.)	Norcross, Ga.
7	Hill, Taysom	TE	6-2	221	8/23/90	6	Brigham Young	Pocatello, Idaho
88	Holtz, J.P.	TE	6-3	255	8/28/93	4	Pittsburgh	Pittsburgh, Penn.
95	Huggins, Albert	DT	6-3	305	6/27/97	2	Clemson	Orangeburg, S.C.
74	Hurst, James	OL	6-5	310	12/17/91	9	North Carolina	Planfield, Ind.
5	Ingram II, Mark	RB	5-9	215	12/21/89	12	Alabama	Flint, Mich.
59	Jackson, Jordan	DT	6'4	294	1/30/98	R	Air Force	Jacksonville, Fla.
83	Johnson, Juwan	TE	6-4	231	9/13/96	3	Oregon	Glassboro, N.J.
34	Jones Jr., Tony	RB	5-11	224	11/24/97	2	Notre Dame	St. Petersburg, Fla.
94	Jordan, Cameron	DE	6-4	287	7/10/89	12	California	Chandler, Ariz.
41	Kamara, Alvin	RB	5-10	215	7/25/95	6	Tennessee	Atlanta, Ga.
62	Kelly II, Derrick	OL	6-5	320	8/23/95	2	Florida State	Havana, Fla.
66	Kidd, Lewis	OL	6-6	311	9/15/1997	R	Montana State	Minneapolis, Minn.
90	Kpassagnon, Tanoh	DE	6-7	289	6/14/94	6	Villanova	Ambler, Pa.
44	Krull, Lucas	TE	6-6	260	7/11/98	R	Pittsburgh	Shawnee, Kan.
60	Lalos, Niko	DE	6-5	270	6/25/97	2	Dartmouth	Akron, Ohio
80	Landry, Jarvis	WR	5-11	196	11/28/92	9	LSU	Lutcher, La.
23	Lattimore, Marshon	CB	6-0	192	5/20/96	6	Ohio State	Cleveland, Ohio
3	Lutz, Wil	K	5-11	184	7/7/94	7	Georgia State	Newnan, Ga.
72	Martin, Nick	C	6-4	295	4/29/93	6	Notre Dame	Indianapolis, Ind.
32	Mathieu, Tyrann	S	5-9	190	5/13/92	10	LSU	New Orleans, La.
6	Maye, Marcus	S	6-0	207	3/9/93	6	Florida	Melbourne, Fla.
78	McCoy, Erik	C/G	6-4	303	8/27/97	4	Texas A&M	Lufkin, Texas
43	MEEKS, Quenton	DB	6-1	209	6/20/97	3	Stanford	San Diego, Calif.
85	Merritt, Kirk	WR	6-1	214	1/5/97	1	Arkansas State	Destrehan, La.
12	Olave, Chris	WR	6'0	187	6/27/00	R	Ohio State	San Marcos, Calif.
93	Onyemata, David	DT	6-4	300	11/13/92	7	Manitoba (Canada)	Lagos, Nigeria
28	Ozigbo, Devine	RB	6-2	225	10/2/96	3	Nebraska	Sasche, Texas
75	Peat, Andrus	G/T	6-7	316	11/4/93	8	Stanford	Tempe, Ariz.
70	Penning, Trevor	OT	6'7	325	5/15/99	R	Northern Iowa	Mason City, Iowa
46	Prentice, Adam	FB	6-0	245	1/16/97	2	South Carolina	Clovis, Calif.
71	Ramczyk, Ryan	T	6-6	314	4/22/94	6	Wisconsin	Stevens Point, Wis.
97	Roach, Malcolm	DL	6-3	290	6/9/98	3	Texas	Baton Rouge, La.
21	Roby, Bradley	CB	5-11	194	5/1/92	9	Ohio State	Suwanee, Ga.
15	Romo, John Parker	K	5-11	175	8/24/97	R	Virginia Tech	Peachtree City, Ga.
51	Ruiz, Cesar	C/G	6-4	316	6/14/99	3	Michigan	Camden, N.J.
64	Schweiger, Derek	OL	6-3	325	4/18/99	R	Iowa State	Plymouth, Wis.
45	Sewell, Nephi	LB	6-0	228	12/19/98	R	Utah	St. George, Utah
89	Shaheed, Rashid	WR/RS	6-0	180	8/31/98	R	Weber State	San Diego, Calif.
33	Smith, Abram	RB	5-11	221	9/14/98	R	Baylor	Abilene, Texas
10	Smith, TreQuan	WR	6-2	210	1/7/96	5	Central Florida	Delray Beach, Fla.
25	Sorensen, Daniel	S	6-2	208	3/5/90	9	Brigham Young	Colton, Calif.
69	Street, Kentavius	DT	6-2	287	9/8/96	4	North Carolina State	Greenville, N.C.
27	Taylor, Alontae	CB	6'1	199	12/3/98	R	Tennessee	Manchester, Tenn.
13	Thomas, Michael	WR	6-3	212	3/3/93	7	Ohio State	Woodland Hills, Calif.
76	Throckmorton, Calvin	OL	6-5	309	8/16/96	2	Oregon	Bellevue, Wash.
82	Trautman, Adam	TE	6-5	253	2/5/97	3	Dayton	Williamsburg, Mich.
98	Turner, Payton	DE	6-6	270	1/7/99	2	Houston	Houston, Texas
99	Tuttle, Shy	DT	6-3	300	10/20/95	4	Tennessee	Welcome, N.C.
81	Vannett, Nick	TE	6-6	261	3/6/93	7	Ohio State	Westerville, Ohio
24	Washington, Dwayne	RB	6-1	223	4/24/94	7	Washington	Cerritos, Calif.
65	Washington, Khalique	G/T	6-5	339	11/12/98	R	Southern Miss	Lebanon, Pa.
20	Werner, Pete	LB	6-3	242	6/5/99	2	Ohio State	Indianapolis, Ind.
17	White, Kevin	WR	6-3	216	6/25/92	6	West Virginia	Emmaus, Pa.
26	Williams, P.J.	CB	6-0	196	6/1/93	8	Florida State	Ocala, Fla.
58	Wilson, Eric	LB	6-1	230	9/26/94	6	Cincinnati	Redford, Mich.
2	Winston, Jameis	QB	6-4	231	1/6/94	8	Florida State	Hueytown, Ala.
49	Wood, Zach	LS	6-3	255	1/10/93	6	Southern Methodist	Rowlett, Texas
67	Young, Landon	T	6-7	321	8/21/97	2	Kentucky	Lexington, Ky.

Players on Active Roster: (85)

Reserve/Injured: (9)

38	Brown, Jordan	DB	6-0	197	3/26/96	1	South Dakota State	Phoenix, Ariz.
79	Doxtater, Sage	OL	6-7	316	10/20/1998	R	New Mexico State	London, Ontario, Canada
73	Greenidge, Ethan	OL	6-4	335	9/10/97	4	Villanova	Flanders, N.Y.
63	Hawkins, Jerald	T	6-6	305	10/16/93	6	Louisiana State	Baldwin, La.
52	Jackson, D'Marco	LB	6'1	233	7/20/98	R	Appalachian State	Spartanburg, S.C.
91	Johnson, Jaleel	DT	6-3	316	7/12/94	6	Iowa	Lombard, Ill.
77	Lamp, Forrest	OL	6-4	310	2/20/94	5	Western Kentucky	Venice, Fla.
38	Monday, Smoke	S	6-3	199	2/19/00	R	Auburn	Atlanta, Ga.
42	Pryor, Isalah	LB	6-1	217	11/29/97	R	Notre Dame	Lawrenceville, Ga.

Reserve/Physically Unable to Perform: (1)

89	Soehner, Dylan	TE	6-7	272	11/8/97	2	Iowa State	Prairie Grove, Ark.
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HEAD COACH: DENNIS ALLEN. Assistants: **Bob Bicknell** (Senior Offensive Assistant), **Kodi Burns** (Wide Receivers), **Pete Carmichael** (Offensive Coordinator), **Ronald Curry** (Passing Game Coordinator/Quarterbacks), **Declan Doyle** (Offensive Assistant), **Phil Galiano** (Assistant Special Teams), **Peter Giunta** (Senior Defensive Assistant), **Michael Hodges** (Linebackers), **Doug Marrone** (Offensive Line), **Sterling Moore** (Defensive Assistant), **Ryan Nielsen** (Co-Defensive Coordinator/Defensive Line), **Kevin Petry** (Assistant to the Head Coach/Offensive Assistant), **Kris Richard** (Co-Defensive Coordinator/Secondary), **Darren Rizzi** (Assistant Head Coach/Special Teams Coordinator), **Cory Robinson** (Assistant Defensive Backs), **Dan Roushar** (Run Game Coordinator/Tight Ends), **Zach Strief** (Assistant Offensive Line), **Joel Thomas** (Running Backs), **Jordan Traylor** (Defensive Assistant), **D.J. Williams** (Offensive Assistant), **Brian Young** (Pass Rush Specialist).

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS NUMERICAL ROSTER (as of 8/20/22)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Exp.	College	H.S. Hometown	How Acquired	GP	GS	DNP	IA
1	Marquez Callaway	WR	6-2	204	24	3	Tennessee	Warner Robins, Ga.	FA-20	0	0	0	0
2	Jameis Winston	QB	6-4	231	28	8	Florida State	Hueytown, Ala.	UFA-20 (TB)	0	0	0	0
3	Will Lutz	K	5-11	184	28	7	Georgia State	Newnan, Ga.	FA-16	0	0	0	0
4	Blake Gillikin	P	6-2	196	24	3	Penn State	Atlanta, Ga.	FA-20	0	0	0	0
5	Mark Ingram II	RB	5-9	215	32	12	Alabama	Flint, Mich.	TR-21 (HOU)	0	0	0	0
6	Marcus Maye	S	6-0	207	29	6	Florida	Melbourne, Fla.	UFA-22 (NYJ)	0	0	0	0
7	Taysom Hill	TE	6-2	221	32	6	Brigham Young	Pocatello, Idaho	WAI-17 (GB)	0	0	0	0
10	Tre'Quan Smith	WR	6-2	210	26	5	Central Florida	Delray Beach, Fla.	D3-18	0	0	0	0
11	Deonte Harty	WR/RS	5-6	170	24	4	Assumption	Baltimore, Md.	FA-19	0	0	0	0
12	Chris Olave	WR	6-0	187	22	R	Ohio State	San Marcos, Calif.	D1a-22	0	0	0	0
13	Michael Thomas	WR	6-3	212	29	7	Ohio State	Woodland Hills, Calif.	D2a-16	0	0	0	0
14	Andy Dalton	QB	6-2	220	34	12	TCU	Katy, Texas	UFA-22 (CHI)	0	0	0	0
15	John Parker Romo	K	5-11	175	25	R	Virginia Tech	Peachtree City, Ga.	FA-22	0	0	0	0
16	Ian Book	QB	6-0	206	24	2	Notre Dame	El Dorado Hills, Calif.	D4-21	0	0	0	0
17	Kevin White	WR	6-3	216	30	6	West Virginia	Emmaus, Pa.	FA-21	0	0	0	0
19	K.J. Costello	QB	6-5	225	25	1	Mississippi State	Rancho Santa Margarita, Calif.	FA-22	0	0	0	0
20	Pete Werner	LB	6-3	242	23	2	Ohio State	Indianapolis, Ind.	D2-21	0	0	0	0
21	Bradley Roby	CB	5-11	194	30	9	Ohio State	Suwanee, Ga.	TR-21 (HOU)	0	0	0	0
22	C.J. Gardner-Johnson	DB	5-11	210	24	4	Florida	Cocoa, Fla.	D4-19	0	0	0	0
23	Marshon Lattimore	CB	6-0	192	26	6	Ohio State	Cleveland, Ohio	D1a-17	0	0	0	0
24	Dwayne Washington	RB	6-1	223	28	7	Washington	Cerritos, Calif.	FA-18	0	0	0	0
25	Daniel Sorensen	S	6-2	208	32	9	Brigham Young	Colton, Calif.	UFA-22 (KC)	0	0	0	0
26	P.J. Williams	CB	6-0	196	29	8	Florida State	Ocala, Fla.	D3b-15	0	0	0	0
27	Alontae Taylor	CB	6'1	199	23	R	Tennessee	Manchester, Tenn.	D2-22	0	0	0	0
28	Devine Ozigbo	RB	6-2	225	25	3	Nebraska	Sachse, Texas	FA-22	0	0	0	0
29	Paulson Adebo	CB	6-1	192	23	2	Stanford	Mansfield, Texas	D3-21	0	0	0	0
30	Justin Evans	DB	6-0	199	27	4	Texas A&M	Wiggins, Miss.	FA-22	0	0	0	0
32	Tyrann Mathieu	S	5-9	190	30	10	LSU	New Orleans, La.	UFA-22 (KC)	0	0	0	0
33	Abram Smith	RB	5-11	221	23	R	Baylor	Abilene, Texas	FA-22	0	0	0	0
34	Tony Jones Jr.	RB	5-11	224	24	2	Notre Dame	St. Petersburg, Fla.	FA-20	0	0	0	0
35	Vincent Gray	DB	6-2	192	22	R	Michigan	Rochester, Mich.	FA-22	0	0	0	0
37	Brian Allen	DB	6-3	200	28	4	Utah	La Marque, Texas	FA-22	0	0	0	0
39	DaMarcus Fields	DB	6-0	200	24	R	Texas Tech	Taylor, Texas	FA-22	0	0	0	0
40	Chase Hansen	LB	6-3	222	29	2	Utah	Highland, Utah	FA-19	0	0	0	0
41	Alvin Kamara	RB	5-10	215	27	6	Tennessee	Atlanta, Ga.	D3a-17	0	0	0	0
43	Quenton Meeks	DB	6-1	209	25	3	Stanford	San Diego, Calif.	FA-22	0	0	0	0
44	Lucas Krull	TE	6-6	260	24	R	Pittsburgh	Shawnee, Kan.	FA-22	0	0	0	0
45	Nephi Sewell	LB	6-0	228	23	R	Utah	St. George, Utah	FA-22	0	0	0	0
46	Adam Prentice	FB	6-0	245	25	2	South Carolina	Clovis, Calif.	WAI-21 (DEN)	0	0	0	0
47	Jon Bostic	LB	6-1	245	31	9	Florida	Wellington, Fla.	FA-22	0	0	0	0
48	J.T. Gray	DB	6-0	202	26	5	Mississippi State	Clarksdale, Miss.	FA-18	0	0	0	0
49	Zach Wood	LS	6-3	255	29	6	Southern Methodist	Rowlett, Texas	FA-17	0	0	0	0
50	Andrew Dowell	LB	6-1	225	25	2	Michigan State	Lakewood, Ohio	FA-19	0	0	0	0
51	Cesar Ruiz	C/G	6-4	316	23	3	Michigan	Camden, N.J.	D1-20	0	0	0	0
53	Zack Baun	LB	6-3	225	25	3	Wisconsin	Brown Deer, Wis.	D3a-20	0	0	0	0
54	Taco Charlton	DE	6-6	270	27	6	Michigan	Pickerington, Ohio	UFA-22 (PIT)	0	0	0	0
55	Kaden Elliss	LB	6-2	238	27	4	Idaho	Salt Lake City, Utah	D7b-19	0	0	0	0
56	Demario Davis	LB	6-2	248	33	11	Arkansas State	Brandon, Miss.	UFA-18 (NYJ)	0	0	0	0
57	Josh Black	DT	6-3	290	24	R	Syracuse	Machesney Park, Ill.	FA-22	0	0	0	0
58	Eric Wilson	LB	6-1	230	27	6	Cincinnati	Redford, Mich.	FA-22	0	0	0	0
59	Jordan Jackson	DT	6-4	294	24	R	Air Force	Jacksonville, Fla.	D6-22	0	0	0	0
60	Niko Lalos	DE	6-5	270	25	2	Dartmouth	Akron, Ohio	FA-22	0	0	0	0
62	Derrick Kelly II	OL	6-5	320	27	2	Florida State	Havana, Fla.	FA-19	0	0	0	0
64	Derek Schweiger	OL	6-3	325	23	R	Iowa State	Plymouth, Wis.	FA-22	0	0	0	0
65	Khalique Washington	G/T	6-5	339	23	R	Southern Miss	Lebanon, Pa.	FA-22	0	0	0	0
66	Lewis Kidd	OL	6-6	311	24	R	Montana State	Minneapolis, Minn.	FA-22	0	0	0	0
67	Landon Young	T	6-7	321	25	2	Kentucky	Lexington, Ky.	D6-21	0	0	0	0
68	Josh Andrews	OL	6-2	298	31	7	Oregon State	Ontario, Calif.	UFA-22 (ATL)	0	0	0	0
69	Kentavius Street	DT	6-2	287	26	4	North Carolina State	Greenville, N.C.	UFA-22 (SF)	0	0	0	0
70	Trevor Penning	OT	6-7	325	23	R	Northern Iowa	Mason City, Iowa	D1b-22	0	0	0	0
71	Ryan Ramczyk	T	6-6	314	28	6	Wisconsin	Stevens Point, Wis.	D1b-17	0	0	0	0
72	Nick Martin	C	6-4	295	29	6	Notre Dame	Indianapolis, Ind.	FA-22	0	0	0	0
74	James Hurst	OL	6-5	310	30	9	North Carolina	Plainfield, Ind.	FA-20	0	0	0	0
75	Andrus Peat	G/T	6-7	316	28	8	Stanford	Tempe, Ariz.	D1a-15	0	0	0	0
76	Calvin Throckmorton	OL	6-5	309	26	2	Oregon	Bellevue, Wash.	FA-20	0	0	0	0
78	Erik McCoy	C/G	6-4	303	25	4	Texas A&M	Lufkin, Texas	D2-19	0	0	0	0
80	Jarvis Landry	WR	5-11	196	29	9	LSU	Lutcher, La.	UFA-22 (CLE)	0	0	0	0
81	Nick Vannett	TE	6-6	261	29	7	Ohio State	Westerville, Ohio	FA-21	0	0	0	0
82	Adam Trautman	TE	6-5	253	25	3	Dayton	Williamsburg, Mich.	D3b-20	0	0	0	0
83	Juwon Johnson	TE	6-4	231	25	3	Oregon	Glassboro, N.J.	FA-20	0	0	0	0
84	Dai'Jean Dixon	WR	6-4	200	23	R	Nicholls State	New Orleans, La.	FA-22	0	0	0	0
85	Kirk Merritt	WR	6-1	214	25	1	Arkansas State	Destrehan, La.	FA-21	0	0	0	0
86	Chris Herndon	TE	6-4	253	26	5	Miami (Fla.)	Norcross, Ga.	FA-22	0	0	0	0
87	Kawaan Baker	WR	6-1	198	24	1	South Alabama	Atlanta, Ga.	D7-21	0	0	0	0
88	J.P. Holtz	TE	6-3	255	29	4	Pittsburgh	Pittsburgh, Penn.	UFA-22 (CHI)	0	0	0	0
89	Rashid Shaheed	WR/RS	6-0	180	23	R	Weber State	San Diego, Calif.	FA-22	0	0	0	0
90	Tanoh Kpassagnon	DE	6-7	289	28	6	Villanova	Ambler, Pa.	UFA-21 (KC)	0	0	0	0
92	Marcus Davenport	DE	6-6	265	25	5	Texas-San Antonio	San Antonio, Texas	D1-18	0	0	0	0
93	David Onyemata	DT	6-4	300	29	7	Manitoba (Canada)	Lagos, Nigeria	D4-16	0	0	0	0
94	Cameron Jordan	DE	6-4	287	33	12	California	Chandler, Ariz.	D1a-11	0	0	0	0
95	Albert Huggins	DT	6-3	305	25	2	Clemson	Orangeburg, S.C.	FA-21	0	0	0	0
96	Carl Granderson	DE	6-5	261	25	4	Wyoming	Sacramento, Calif.	FA-19	0	0	0	0
97	Malcolm Roach	DL	6-3	290	24	3	Texas	Baton Rouge, La.	FA-20	0	0	0	0
98	Payton Turner	DE	6-6	270	23	2	Houston	Houston, Texas	D1-21	0	0	0	0
99	Shy Tuttle	DT	6-3	300	26	4	Tennessee	Welcome, N.C.	FA-19	0	0	0	0

Players on Active Roster: (85)

Reserve/Injured: (9)

38	Jordan Brown	DB	6-0	197	26	1	South Dakota State	Phoenix, Ariz.	FA-22	0	0	0	0
38	Smoke Monday	S	6-3	199	22	R	Auburn	Atlanta, Ga.	FA-22	0	0	0	0
42	Isaiah Pryor	LB	6-1	217	24	R	Notre Dame	Lawrenceville, Ga.	FA-22	0	0	0	0
52	D'Marco Jackson	LB	6'1	233	24	R	Appalachian State	Spartanburg, S.C.	D5-22	0	0	0	0
63	Jerald Hawkins	T	6-6	305	28	6	Louisiana State	Baldwin, La.	FA-21	0	0	0	0
73	Ethan Greenidge	OL	6-4	335	24	4	Villanova	Flanders, N.Y.	FA-19	0	0	0	0
77	Forrest Lamp	OL	6-4	310	28	5	Western Kentucky	Venice, Fla.	FA-21	0	0	0	0
79	Sage Doxtater	OL	6-7	316	23	R	New Mexico State	London, Ontario, Canada	FA-22	0	0	0	0
91	Jaleel Johnson	DT	6-3	316	28	6	Iowa	Lombard, Ill.	UFA-22 (HOU)	0	0	0	0

Reserve/Physically Unable to Perform: (1)

89	Dylan Soehner	TE	6-7	272	24	2	Iowa State	Prairie Grove, Ark.	FA-21	0	0	0	0
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HEAD COACH: DENNIS ALLEN. Assistants: Bob Bicknell(Senior Offensive Assistant), **Kodi Burns** (Wide Receivers), **Pete Carmichael** (Offensive Coordinator), **Ronald Curry** (Passing Game Coordinator/Quarterbacks), **Declan Doyle** (Offensive Assistant), **Phil Galiano** (Assistant Special Teams), **Peter Giunta** (Senior Defensive Assistant), **Michael Hodges** (Linebackers), **Doug Marrone** (Offensive Line), **Sterling Moore** (Defensive Assistant), **Ryan Nielsen** (Co-Defensive Coordinator/Defensive Line), **Kevin Petry** (Assistant to the Head Coach/Offensive Assistant), **Kris Richard** (Co-Defensive Coordinator/Secondary), **Darren Rizzi** (Assistant Head Coach/Special Teams Coordinator), **Cory Robinson** (Assistant Defensive Backs), **Dan Roushar** (Run Game Coordinator/Tight Ends), **Zach Strief** (Assistant Offensive Line), **Joel Thomas** (Running Backs), **Jordan Traylor** (Defensive Assistant), **D.J. Williams** (Offensive Assistant), **Brian Young** (Pass Rush Specialist).

New Orleans Saints Unofficial Depth Chart (as of 8/20/22)

OFFENSE

WR 13 Michael Thomas	1 Marquez Callaway	17 Kevin White	85 Kirk Merritt	84 <u>Dai'Jean Dixon</u>	89 <u>Rashid Shaheed</u>
LT 74 James Hurst	70 <u>Trevor Penning</u>				
LG 75 Andrus Peat	62 Derrick Kelly II	64 <u>Derek Schweiger</u>			
C 78 Erik McCoy	72 Nick Martin	68 Josh Andrews			
RG 51 Cesar Ruiz	76 Calvin Throckmorton	65 <u>Khalique Washington</u>			
RT 71 Ryan Ramczyk	67 Landon Young	66 <u>Lewis Kidd</u>			
TE 82 Adam Trautman or 7 Taysom Hill	81 Nick Vannett	83 Juwan Johnson	88 J.P. Holtz	86 Chris Herndon	44 <u>Lucas Krull</u>
WR 80 Jarvis Landry	10 Tre'Quan Smith	12 <u>Chris Olave</u>	or 87 Kawaan Baker		
QB 2 Jameis Winston	14 Andy Dalton	11 <u>Deonte Harty</u>			
		16 Ian Book	19 K.J. Costello		
RB 41 Alvin Kamara	5 Mark Ingram II	24 Dwayne Washington	34 Tony Jones Jr.	28 Devine Ozigbo	33 <u>Abram Smith</u>
FB 46 Adam Prentice					

DEFENSE

RDE 92 Marcus Davenport	96 Carl Granderson	98 Payton Turner	54 Taco Charlton
DT 99 Shy Tuttle	97 Malcolm Roach	95 Albert Huggins	
DT 93 David Onyemata	69 Kentavious Street	59 <u>Jordan Jackson</u>	
LDE 94 Cameron Jordan	90 Tanoh Kpassagnon	57 <u>Josh Black</u>	60 Niko Lalos
WILI 20 Pete Werner	50 Andrew Dowell	40 Chase Hansen	
MLB 56 Demario Davis	58 Eric Wilson	45 <u>Nephi Sewell</u>	
SAM 55 Kaden Elliss	53 Zack Baun	47 Jon Bostic	
LCB 29 Paulson Adebo	21 Bradley Roby	35 <u>Vincent Gray</u>	43 Quenton Meeks
SS 6 Marcus Maye	22 C.J. Gardner-Johnson	48 J.T. Gray	25 Daniel Sorensen
FS 32 Tyrann Mathieu	26 P.J. Williams	30 Justin Evans	37 Brian Allen
RCB 23 Marshon Lattimore	27 <u>Alontae Taylor</u>	39 <u>DaMarcus Fields</u>	

SPECIAL TEAMS

P 4 Blake Gillikin	
K 3 Wil Lutz	15 <u>John Parker Romo</u>
KO 3 Wil Lutz	15 <u>John Parker Romo</u>
LS 49 Zach Wood	
H 4 Blake Gillikin	
PR 11 Deonte Harty	1 Marquez Callaway
KR 11 Deonte Harty	1 Marquez Callaway

LB	Zack Baun (BONN)
WR	Marquez Callaway (mar-QWEZ)
WR	Dai'Jean Dixon (day-jhon)
LB	Demario Davis (duh-MAR-ee-oh)
WR/RS	Deonte Harty (deo-on-tay)
RB	Alvin Kamara (kuh-Mare-Uh)
DE	Tanoh Kpassagnon (tawn-oh pass-N-yo)
S	Tyrann Mathieu (Ty-ren MATH-you)
WR	Chris Olave (O-lav-ae)
DL	David Onyemata (Un-ye-mah-tah)
RB	Devine Ozigbo (oh-Zig-bo)
T	Andrus Peat (ann-druss pete)
CB	Alontae Taylor (Alon-tay)

COACHES

Senior Defensive Asst. Peter **Giunta** (GEN-ta).
 Secondary Coach Kris **Richard** (Ri-SHARD).
 Tight Ends/Run Game Coordinator Dan **Roushar** (ROW-shar).
 Assistant Offensive Line Coach Zach **Strief** (Streef)

New Orleans Saints 2022 Preseason Defensive Stats

Name	Regular Defensive Plays											Special Teams					Miscellaneous			
	TKL	AST	TOT	SACK	YDS	TFL	QH	IN	PD	FF	FR	TKL	AST	FF	FR	BL	TKL	AST	FF	FR
Sewell, Nephi	6	3	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gray, J.T.	4	3	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bostic, Jon	5	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Charlton, Taco	4	2	6	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hansen, Chase	4	1	5	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meeks, Quenton	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Huggins, Albert	2	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tuttle, Shy	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sorensen, Daniel	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wilson, Eric	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Evans, Justin	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Roach, Malcolm	4	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gray, Vincent	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Granderson, Carl	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Street, Kentavious	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dowell, Andrew	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Elliss, Kaden	3	0	3	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carter, T.J.	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fields, DaMarcus	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Baun, Zack	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Turner, Payton	2	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Allen, Brian	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kpassagnon, Tanoh	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Adebo, Paulson	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Roby, Bradley	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brown, Jordan	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jackson, Jordan	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Williams, P.J.	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ozigbo, Devine	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Johnson, Juwan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wood, Zach	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Holtz, J.P.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prentice, Adam	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jones Jr., Tony	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	74	21	95	1	3	5	0	3	7	1	0	8	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Defense: TKL: tackle, AST: assist, TOT: total, INT: interception, PD: pass defense, FF: forced fumble, FR: fumble recovery

Special Teams: BL: kicks blocked.

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Date: Friday, 8/19/2022

New Orleans Saints at Green Bay Packers

Start Time: 7:06 PM CDT

at Lambeau Field, Green Bay, WI

Game Day Weather

Game Weather: Cloudy

Temp: 77° F (25.0° C) Humidity: 64%, Wind: SE 12 mph

Played Open Stadium on Turf: SISGrass

Outdoor Weather: Cloudy,

Officials

Referee: Hochuli, Shawn (83)

Umpire: Killens, Jr., Terry (77)

Down Judge: Holt, Patrick (106)

Line Judge: Bradley, Greg (98)

Field Judge: Flemming, Anthony (90)

Side Judge: Hill, Chad (125)

Back Judge: Martinez, Rich (39)

Replay Official: Cerimeli, Tyler (0)

Lineups

New Orleans Saints

Green Bay Packers

Offense		Defense	
WR	12 C.Olave	DE	96 C.Granderson
TE	82 A.Trautman	DT	69 K.Street
LT	70 T.Penning	DT	99 S.Tuttle
LG	76 C.Throckmorton	DE	98 P.Turner
C	68 J.Andrews	LB	55 K.Elliss
RG	51 C.Ruiz	LB	40 C.Hansen
RT	66 L.Kidd	CB	21 B.Roby
WR	1 M.Callaway	DB	35 V.Gray
QB	16 I.Book	CB	39 D.Fields
FB	46 A.Prentice	S	26 P.Williams
RB	34 T.Jones	S	25 D.Sorensen

Offense		Defense	
TE	84 T.Davis	DE	96 J.Heflin
LT	73 Y.Nijman	NT	93 T.Slaton
LG	76 J.Runyan	DE	95 D.Wyatt
C	71 J.Myers	OLB	53 J.Garvin
RG	67 J.Hanson	ILB	58 I.McDuffie
RT	70 R.Newman	ILB	7 Q.Walker
WR	87 R.Doubs	OLB	40 T.Galeai
WR	88 J.Winfree	CB	22 S.Jean-Charles
WR	8 Am.Rodgers	CB	25 K.Nixon
QB	10 J.Love	S	36 V.Scott
RB	27 P.Taylor	S	30 S.Davis

Substitutions

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K 3 W.Lutz, P 4 B.Gillikin, TE 7 T.Hill, WR 10 T.Smith, WR/RS 11 D.Harty, K 15 J.Romo, WR 17 K.White, RB 28 D.Ozigbo, S 30 J.Evans, RB 33 A.Smith, DB 37 B.Allen, CB 43 Q.Meeks, TE 44 L.Krull, LB 45 N.Sewell, LB 47 J.Bostic, DB 48 J.Gray, LS 49 Z.Wood, LB 50 A.Dowell, LB 53 Z.Baun, DE 54 T.Charlton, DT 57 J.Black, LB 58 E.Wilson, DT 59 J.Jackson, DE 60 N.Lalos, OL 62 D.Kelly, OL 64 D.Schweiger, OT 65 K.Washington, C 72 N.Martin, TE 81 N.Vannett, TE 83 J.Johnson, WR 84 D.Dixon, WR 85 K.Merritt, TE 86 C.Herdon, WR 87 K.Baker, TE 88 J.Holtz, DE 90 T.Kpassagnon, DT 95 A.Huggins, DL 97 M.Roach

WR 5 I.Hyman, P 16 P.O'Donnell, QB 19 D.Etling, RB 34 D.Williams, S 35 D.Cross, CB 37 R.Gafford, RB 39 T.Goodson, CB 43 K.Thomas, LB 44 T.Summers, K 45 R.Ahmed, S 46 M.Abernathy, LB 47 C.Manac, TE 47 A.Mack, CB 48 K.Ento, LB 49 K.Jones, OL 50 Z.Tom, LB 51 K.Barnes, LB 54 L.Hamilton, LB 55 K.Enagbare, LS 56 J.Coco, LB 57 R.Wilborn, DL 60 C.Slayton, C 61 T.Clary, C 65 M.Menet, T 72 C.Jones, T/G 75 S.Rhyan, T/G 78 C.Van Lanen, TE 80 S.Cannella, TE 81 J.Deguara, TE 82 N.Becker, WR 83 S.Toure, WR 86 T.Fulgham, DL 99 J.Ford

Did Not Play

Did Not Play

QB 2 J.Winston, RB 5 M.Ingram, S 6 M.Maye, WR 13 M.Thomas, QB 14 A.Dalton, QB 19 K.Costello, LB 20 P.Werner, DB 22 C.Gardner-Johnson, CB 23 M.Lattimore, RB 24 D.Washington, CB 27 A.Taylor, CB 29 P.Adebo, FS 32 T.Mathieu, RB 41 A.Kamara, LB 56 D.Davis, T 67 L.Young, T 71 R.Ramczyk, OL 74 J.Hurst, G/T 75 A.Peat, C/G 78 E.McCoy, WR 80 J.Landry, WR/RS 89 R.Shaheed, DE 92 M.Davenport, DT 93 D.Onyemata, DE 94 C.Jordan

K 2 M.Crosby, S 6 D.Leavitt, WR 9 C.Watson, WR 11 S.Watkins, QB 12 A.Rodgers, WR 13 A.Lazard, WR 18 R.Cobb, WR 20 D.Davis, CB 21 E.Stokes, CB 23 J.Alexander, S 24 T.Carpenter, S 26 D.Savage, RB 28 A.Dillon, CB 29 R.Douglas, S 31 A.Amos, RB 32 K.Hill, RB 33 A.Jones, S 38 I.Gaines, LB 52 R.Gary, LB 59 D.Campbell, T 63 R.Walker, T 69 D.Bakhtiari, G 74 E.Jenkins, TE 85 R.Tonyan, TE 89 M.Lewis, DL 90 J.Reed, LB 91 P.Smith, DL 94 D.Lowry, DL 97 K.Clark, DL 98 A.Byers

Not Active

Not Active

Field Goals (made () & missed)

J.Romo	35WL	R.Ahmed	(25) (45)
W.Lutz	(59)		

		1	2	3	4	OT	Total
VISITOR:	New Orleans Saints	3	7	0	0	0	10
HOME:	Green Bay Packers	3	10	0	7	0	20

Scoring Plays

Team	Qtr	Time	Play Description (Extra Point) (Drive Info)	Visitor	Home
Packers	1	2:20	R.Ahmed 25 yd. Field Goal (14-73, 7:04)	0	3
Saints	1	0:00	W.Lutz 59 yd. Field Goal (4-2, 2:20)	3	3

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Packers	2	8:04	R.Doubs 4 yd. pass from J.Love (R.Ahmed kick) (11-80, 6:56)	3	10
Packers	2	2:35	R.Ahmed 45 yd. Field Goal (4-5, 0:47)	3	13
Saints	2	0:12	C.Olave 20 yd. pass from I.Book (W.Lutz kick) (4-37, 0:28)	10	13
Packers	4	8:20	D.Etling 51 yd. run (R.Ahmed kick) (3-60, 1:19)	10	20
Paid Attendance: 71,754				Time: 2:54	

New Orleans Saints vs Green Bay Packers
8/19/2022 at Lambeau Field

Final Individual Statistics

New Orleans Saints

Green Bay Packers

RUSHING						RUSHING					
	ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD		ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD
I.Book	7	49	7.0	27	0	D.Etling	4	48	12.0	51	1
D.Ozigbo	7	40	5.7	9	0	T.Goodson	10	42	4.2	15	0
A.Smith	9	25	2.8	9	0	P.Taylor	8	27	3.4	5	0
T.Jones	4	19	4.8	7	0	D.Williams	5	24	4.8	9	0
						Am.Rodgers	2	15	7.5	8	0
						J.Love	3	13	4.3	11	0
						I.Hyman	1	11	11.0	11	0
						S.Toure	1	-2	-2.0	-2	0
Total	27	133	4.9	27	0	Total	34	178	5.2	51	1

PASSING									PASSING								
	ATT	CMP	YDS	SK/YD	TD	LG	IN	RT		ATT	CMP	YDS	SK/YD	TD	LG	IN	RT
I.Book	28	16	113	2/0	1	20	1	63.5	J.Love	24	12	113	1/2	1	21	0	77.3
									D.Etling	1	1	0	0/0	0	0	0	79.2
Total	28	16	113	2/0	1	20	1	63.5	Total	25	13	113	1/2	1	21	0	77.6

PASS RECEIVING								PASS RECEIVING							
	TAR	REC	YDS	AVG	LG	TD		TAR	REC	YDS	AVG	LG	TD		
T.Jones	3	3	20	6.7	20	0	J.Winfree	6	3	41	13.7	21	0		
A.Smith	4	3	5	1.7	6	0	R.Doubs	5	3	24	8.0	17	1		
C.Olave	3	2	28	14.0	20	1	Am.Rodgers	5	2	5	2.5	5	0		
K.Baker	3	2	13	6.5	7	0	S.Cannella	1	1	13	13.0	13	0		
D.Harty	2	2	12	6.0	11	0	J.Deguara	2	1	11	11.0	11	0		
D.Ozigbo	3	2	7	3.5	6	0	T.Goodson	1	1	10	10.0	10	0		
K.White	1	1	18	18.0	18	0	T.Davis	1	1	7	7.0	7	0		
T.Hill	2	1	10	10.0	10	0	N.Becker	1	1	2	2.0	2	0		
K.Merritt	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	P.Taylor	1	0	0	0.0	0	0		
D.Dixon	2	0	0	0.0	0	0	D.Williams	1	0	0	0.0	0	0		
J.Johnson	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	S.Toure	1	0	0	0.0	0	0		
Total	26	16	113	7.1	20	1	Total	25	13	113	8.7	21	1		

INTERCEPTIONS						INTERCEPTIONS					
	NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD		NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD
Total	0	0	0	0	0	M.Abernathy	1	0	0.0	0	0
						Total	1	0	0.0	0	0

PUNTING								PUNTING							
	NO	YDS	AVG	NET	TB	IN20	LG		NO	YDS	AVG	NET	TB	IN20	LG
B.Gillikin	5	297	59.4	50.8	1	1	81	P.O'Donnell	4	195	48.8	45.0	0	3	61
Total	5	297	59.4	50.8	1	1	81	Total	4	195	48.8	45.0	0	3	61

PUNT RETURNS								PUNT RETURNS							
	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD		NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD		
M.Callaway	2	15	7.5	1	15	0	Am.Rodgers	2	9	4.5	1	9	0		
[DOWNED]	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	I.Hyman	1	14	14.0	0	14	0		
							[TOUCHBACK]	1	0	0.0	0	0	0		
Total	2	15	7.5	1	15	0	Total	3	23	7.7	1	14	0		

KICKOFF RETURNS								KICKOFF RETURNS							
	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD		NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD		
K.Merritt	2	84	42.0	0	59	0	R.Gafford	1	18	18.0	0	18	0		
T.Jones	2	53	26.5	0	27	0	[TOUCHBACK]	2	0	0.0	0	0	0		
[TOUCHBACK]	1	0	0.0	0	0	0									
Total	4	137	34.3	0	59	0	Total	1	18	18.0	0	18	0		

New Orleans Saints

FUMBLES	FUM	LOST	OWN-REC	YDS	TD	FORCED	OPP-REC	YDS	TD	OUT-BDS
I.Book	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
E.Wilson	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
J.Bostic	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Total	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0

Green Bay Packers

FUMBLES	FUM	LOST	OWN-REC	YDS	TD	FORCED	OPP-REC	YDS	TD	OUT-BDS
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Final Individual Statistics

T.Davis	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S.Davis	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	37	0	0
Total	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	37	0	0

Final Team Statistics

	Visitor Saints	Home Packers
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	16	18
By Rushing	5	9
By Passing	8	7
By Penalty	3	2
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY	4-11-36.4%	4-11-36.4%
FOURTH DOWN EFFICIENCY	0-0-0.0%	0-0-0.0%
TOTAL NET YARDS	246	289
Total Offensive Plays (inc. times thrown passing)	57	60
Average gain per offensive play	4.3	4.8
NET YARDS RUSHING	133	178
Total Rushing Plays	27	34
Average gain per rushing play	4.9	5.2
Tackles for a loss-number and yards	1-1	2-3
NET YARDS PASSING	113	111
Times thrown - yards lost attempting to pass	2-0	1-2
Gross yards passing	113	113
PASS ATTEMPTS-COMPLETIONS-HAD INTERCEPTED	28-16-1	25-13-0
Avg gain per pass play (inc.# thrown passing)	3.8	4.3
KICKOFFS Number-In End Zone-Touchbacks	3-2-2	5-5-1
PUNTS Number and Average	5-59.4	4-48.8
Had Blocked	0	0
FGs - PATs Had Blocked	0-0	0-0
Net Punting Average	50.8	45.0
TOTAL RETURN YARDAGE (Not Including Kickoffs)	15	23
No. and Yards Punt Returns	2-15	3-23
No. and Yards Kickoff Returns	4-137	1-18
No. and Yards Interception Returns	0-0	1-0
PENALTIES Number and Yards	9-78	6-36
FUMBLES Number and Lost	1-1	1-1
TOUCHDOWNS	1	2
Rushing	0	1
Passing	1	1
EXTRA POINTS Made-Attempts	1-1	2-2
Kicking Made-Attempts	1-1	2-2
FIELD GOALS Made-Attempts	1-2	2-2
RED ZONE EFFICIENCY	0-1-0%	1-2-50%
GOAL TO GO EFFICIENCY	0-1-0%	1-2-50%
SAFETIES	0	0
FINAL SCORE	10	20
TIME OF POSSESSION	29:22	30:38

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Ball Possession And Drive Chart

New Orleans Saints

#	Time Recd	Time Lost	Time Poss	How Ball Obtained	Drive Began	# Play	Yds Gain	Yds Pen	Net Yds	1st Down	Last Scrm	How Given Up
1	12:54	9:24	3:30	Punt	NO 18	6	26	-3	23	2	NO 41	Punt
2	2:20	0:00	2:20	Kickoff	GB 43	4	12	-10	2	0	GB 41	Field Goal
3	8:04	3:22	4:42	Kickoff	NO 28	9	40	-5	35	3	GB 37	Fumble
4	2:35	0:54	1:41	Kickoff	NO 24	6	40	-5	35	2	GB 41	Interception
5	0:40	0:12	0:28	Fumble	GB 37	4	37	0	37	2	GB 20	Touchdown
6	15:00	12:49	2:11	Kickoff	NO 11	3	8	0	8	0	NO 19	Punt
7	11:12	7:07	4:05	Punt	NO 9	8	17	5	22	2	NO 31	Punt
8	3:13	1:11	2:02	Punt	NO 32	3	5	0	5	0	NO 37	Punt
9	11:14	9:39	1:35	Punt	NO 8	3	5	0	5	0	NO 13	Punt
10	8:20	1:32	6:48	Kickoff	NO 25	13	56	2	58	5	* GB 17	Missed FG

(275) Average NO 28

Green Bay Packers

#	Time Recd	Time Lost	Time Poss	How Ball Obtained	Drive Began	# Play	Yds Gain	Yds Pen	Net Yds	1st Down	Last Scrm	How Given Up
1	15:00	12:54	2:06	Kickoff	GB 25	4	18	0	18	1	GB 43	Punt
2	9:24	2:20	7:04	Punt	GB 21	14	73	0	73	5	* NO 6	Field Goal
3	15:00	8:04	6:56	Kickoff	GB 20	11	75	5	80	6	* NO 4	Touchdown
4	3:22	2:35	0:47	Fumble	NO 32	4	5	0	5	0	NO 27	Field Goal
5	0:54	0:40	0:14	Interception	GB 30	2	7	0	7	0	GB 30	Fumble
6	0:12	0:00	0:12	Kickoff	GB 25	1	-1	0	-1	0	GB 25	End of Half
7	12:49	11:12	1:37	Punt	GB 20	3	2	0	2	0	GB 22	Punt
8	7:07	3:13	3:54	Punt	GB 2	8	20	5	25	2	GB 27	Punt
9	1:11	11:14	4:57	Punt	GB 20	9	33	0	33	3	NO 47	Punt
10	9:39	8:20	1:19	Punt	GB 40	3	60	0	60	1	GB 49	Touchdown
11	1:32	0:00	1:32	Missed FG	GB 25	3	-3	0	-3	0	GB 23	End of Game

(296) Average GB 27

* inside opponent's 20

Time of Possession by Quarter		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Visitor	New Orleans Saints	5:50	6:51	8:18	8:23		29:22
Home	Green Bay Packers	9:10	8:09	6:42	6:37		30:38

Kickoff Drive No.-Start Average

Saints: 5 - NO 29 Packers: 3 - GB 23

First Quarter

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Play By Play

NO wins the coin toss and elects to defer. GB elects to Receive, and NO elects to defend the north goal.

J.Romo kicks 65 yards from NO 35 to end zone, Touchback.

Green Bay Packers at 15:00

- 1-10-GB 25 (15:00) (Shotgun) J.Love scrambles up the middle to GB 36 for 11 yards (D.Sorensen). R1
- 1-10-GB 36 (14:22) (Shotgun) P.Taylor up the middle to GB 38 for 2 yards (S.Tuttle).
- 2-8-GB 38 (13:50) P.Taylor up the middle to GB 43 for 5 yards (S.Tuttle).
- 3-3-GB 43 (13:07) (Shotgun) J.Love pass incomplete deep right to R.Doubs.
- 4-3-GB 43 (13:01) P.O'Donnell punts 39 yards to NO 18, Center-J.Coco, fair catch by M.Callaway.

New Orleans Saints at 12:54

- 1-10-NO 18 (12:54) T.Jones up the middle to NO 23 for 5 yards (D.Wyatt, T.Slaton).
- 2-5-NO 23 (12:19) (Shotgun) I.Book pass incomplete deep right to C.Olave.
- 3-5-NO 23 (12:16) (Shotgun) I.Book pass incomplete short right to M.Callaway (S.Jean-Charles). X1
- PENALTY on GB-S.Jean-Charles, Defensive Pass Interference, 7 yards, enforced at NO 23 - No Play.*
- 1-10-NO 30 (12:11) I.Book pass short right to T.Hill to NO 40 for 10 yards (S.Davis). P2
- 1-10-NO 40 (11:31) T.Jones right guard to NO 47 for 7 yards (Q.Walker; I.McDuffie).
- 2-3-NO 47 (10:56) T.Jones up the middle to GB 49 for 4 yards (J.Ford). P2
- PENALTY on NO-A.Trautman, Offensive Holding, 10 yards, enforced at NO 47 - No Play.*
- 2-13-NO 37 (10:34) (Shotgun) I.Book pass short left to D.Harty to NO 38 for 1 yard (I.McDuffie, R.Gafford).
- 3-12-NO 38 (10:15) (Shotgun) I.Book scrambles right end to NO 41 for 3 yards (I.McDuffie).
- 4-9-NO 41 (9:30) B.Gillikin punts 38 yards to GB 21, Center-Z.Wood, fair catch by Am.Rodgers.

Green Bay Packers at 9:24

- 1-10-GB 21 (9:24) P.Taylor left guard to GB 24 for 3 yards (K.Elliss).
- 2-7-GB 24 (8:46) P.Taylor right end to GB 27 for 3 yards (K.Elliss).
- 3-4-GB 27 (8:08) (Shotgun) J.Love pass short middle to J.Winfree ran ob at GB 42 for 15 yards (V.Gray). P2
- 1-10-GB 42 (7:30) (Shotgun) J.Love pass deep left to R.Doubs to NO 41 for 17 yards (D.Fields). P3
- 1-10-NO 41 (6:50) Am.Rodgers left end pushed ob at NO 33 for 8 yards (E.Wilson).
- 2-2-NO 33 (6:13) P.Taylor left tackle to NO 30 for 3 yards (T.Charlton, P.Williams). R4
- 1-10-NO 30 (5:35) J.Love pass short left to J.Deguara to NO 19 for 11 yards (E.Wilson). P5
- 1-10-NO 19 (4:57) (Shotgun) T.Goodson right guard to NO 17 for 2 yards (J.Bostic).
- 2-8-NO 17 (4:19) (Shotgun) J.Love pass short left to J.Winfree pushed ob at NO 12 for 5 yards (Q.Meeks).
- 3-3-NO 12 (3:39) (Shotgun) P.Taylor up the middle to NO 9 for 3 yards (J.Bostic). R6
- 1-9-NO 9 (3:14) P.Taylor up the middle to NO 6 for 3 yards (A.Huggins).
- 2-6-NO 6 (2:39) J.Love pass incomplete short left to J.Deguara.
- 3-6-NO 6 (2:35) (Shotgun) J.Love pass incomplete short left to P.Taylor.
- 4-6-NO 6 (2:24) **R.Ahmed 25 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-J.Coco, Holder-P.O'Donnell.**

NO 0 GB 3, 14 plays, 73 yards, 7:04 drive, 12:40 elapsed

R.Ahmed kicks 67 yards from GB 35 to NO -2. K.Merritt pushed ob at GB 43 for 59 yards (R.Ahmed).

New Orleans Saints at 2:20, (1st play from scrimmage 2:10)

- 1-10-GB 43 (2:10) T.Jones left guard to GB 33 for 10 yards (K.Nixon). P2
- PENALTY on NO-J.Andrews, Offensive Holding, 10 yards, enforced at GB 43 - No Play.*
- 1-20-NO 47 (1:52) T.Jones up the middle to NO 48 for 1 yard (T.Slaton).
- 2-19-NO 48 (1:15) (Shotgun) I.Book scrambles up the middle to GB 49 for 3 yards (Q.Walker).
- 3-16-GB 49 (:36) (Shotgun) I.Book pass short right to C.Olave pushed ob at GB 41 for 8 yards (I.McDuffie).
- Timeout #1 by NO at 00:02.
- 4-8-GB 41 (:02) **W.Lutz 59 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-Z.Wood, Holder-B.Gillikin.**

NO 3 GB 3, 4 plays, 2 yards, 2:20 drive, 15:00 elapsed

END OF QUARTER

	Score	Time Poss	First Downs				Efficiencies	
			R	P	X	T	3 Down	4 Down
New Orleans Saints	3	5:50	0	1	1	2	0/2	0/0
Green Bay Packers	3	9:10	3	3	0	6	2/4	0/0

Second Quarter

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Play By Play

Green Bay Packers continued.

J.Romo kicks 63 yards from NO 35 to GB 2. R.Gafford to GB 20 for 18 yards (A.Dowell).

Green Bay Packers at 15:00, (1st play from scrimmage 14:55)

1-10-GB 20	(14:55) J.Love pass deep left to R.Doubs to GB 37 for 17 yards (B.Allen). <i>PENALTY on GB-T.Davis, Offensive Holding, 10 yards, enforced at GB 20 - No Play.</i>	
1-20-GB 10	(14:26) (Shotgun) J.Love sacked at GB 8 for -2 yards (T.Charlton).	
2-22-GB 8	(13:46) (Shotgun) J.Love scrambles up the middle to GB 11 for 3 yards (T.Charlton).	
3-19-GB 11	(13:03) (Shotgun) J.Love pass incomplete deep right to R.Doubs. <i>PENALTY on NO-M.Roach, Roughing the Passer, 15 yards, enforced at GB 11 - No Play.</i>	X7
<u>1-10-GB 26</u>	(12:56) T.Goodson right guard to GB 29 for 3 yards (P.Turner, A.Huggins).	
2-7-GB 29	(12:14) T.Goodson left tackle to GB 38 for 9 yards (J.Bostic; J.Gray).	R8
<u>1-10-GB 38</u>	(11:29) T.Goodson left tackle to GB 47 for 9 yards (C.Granderson).	
2-1-GB 47	(10:52) J.Love pass deep left to J.Winfree pushed ob at NO 32 for 21 yards (Q.Meeks).	P9
<u>1-10-NO 32</u>	(10:11) J.Love pass incomplete short middle to R.Doubs.	
2-10-NO 32	(10:06) (Shotgun) J.Love pass short right to T.Goodson pushed ob at NO 22 for 10 yards (Q.Meeks).	P10
<u>1-10-NO 22</u>	(9:30) (Shotgun) J.Love pass short left to R.Doubs to NO 19 for 3 yards (J.Gray).	
2-7-NO 19	(8:47) T.Goodson left guard to NO 4 for 15 yards (E.Wilson).	R11
<u>1-4-NO 4</u>	(8:08) J.Love pass short left to R.Doubs for 4 yards, TOUCHDOWN. R.Ahmed extra point is GOOD, Center-J.Coco, Holder-P.O'Donnell.	P12

NO 3 GB 10, 11 plays, 80 yards, 1 penalty, 6:56 drive, 6:56 elapsed
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R.Ahmed kicks 65 yards from GB 35 to NO 0. K.Merritt MUFFS catch, and recovers at NO 3. K.Merritt to NO 28 for 25 yards (R.Wilborn).

New Orleans Saints at 8:04, (1st play from scrimmage 7:57)

1-10-NO 28	(7:57) I.Book pass short left to D.Ozigbo to NO 29 for 1 yard (K.Barnes).	
2-9-NO 29	(7:17) (Shotgun) I.Book pass incomplete short right to J.Johnson.	
3-9-NO 29	(7:14) (Shotgun) I.Book pass short right to D.Harty to NO 40 for 11 yards (S.Davis).	P3
<u>1-10-NO 40</u>	(6:38) D.Ozigbo right tackle to NO 39 for -1 yards (S.Davis).	
2-11-NO 39	(5:57) (Shotgun) I.Book pass incomplete short right to D.Ozigbo (K.Barnes).	
3-11-NO 39	(5:52) (Shotgun) I.Book pass short left to K.White pushed ob at GB 43 for 18 yards (K.Thomas).	P4
<u>1-10-GB 43</u>	(5:13) T.Jones right tackle to GB 37 for 6 yards (C.Slayton; D.Wyatt).	
2-4-GB 37	(4:31) I.Book pass short right to T.Jones ran ob at GB 32 for 5 yards [L.Hamilton].	P5
<u>1-10-GB 32</u>	(3:54) <i>PENALTY on NO-N.Vannett, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at GB 32 - No Play.</i>	
1-15-GB 37	(3:34) I.Book FUMBLES (Aborted) at GB 37, touched at GB 37, RECOVERED by GB-S.Davis at GB 31. S.Davis pushed ob at NO 32 for 37 yards (T.Smith).	

Green Bay Packers at 3:22

1-10-NO 32	(3:22) (Shotgun) P.Taylor left guard to NO 27 for 5 yards (B.Allen).	
2-5-NO 27	(2:46) (Shotgun) J.Love pass incomplete short middle to J.Winfree.	
3-5-NO 27	(2:43) (Shotgun) J.Love pass incomplete short right to Am.Rodgers.	
4-5-NO 27	(2:40) R.Ahmed 45 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-J.Coco, Holder-P.O'Donnell.	

NO 3 GB 13, 4 plays, 5 yards, 0:47 drive, 12:25 elapsed
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R.Ahmed kicks 68 yards from GB 35 to NO -3. T.Jones to NO 24 for 27 yards (P.Taylor).

New Orleans Saints at 2:35, (1st play from scrimmage 2:31)

1-10-NO 24	(2:31) (Shotgun) D.Ozigbo left guard to NO 28 for 4 yards (I.McDuffie; J.Heflin). Timeout #1 by GB at 02:22.	
2-6-NO 28	(2:22) (Shotgun) I.Book pass short left to T.Jones pushed ob at NO 48 for 20 yards (I.McDuffie).	P6

Two-Minute Warning

<u>1-10-NO 48</u>	(2:00) (Shotgun) D.Ozigbo up the middle to GB 46 for 6 yards (K.Enagbare; M.Abernathy).	
2-4-GB 46	(1:24) (Shotgun) I.Book pass short left to D.Ozigbo pushed ob at GB 40 for 6 yards (K.Barnes).	P7
<u>1-10-GB 40</u>	(1:19) (Shotgun) I.Book scrambles up the middle to GB 36 for 4 yards (C.Slayton).	
2-6-GB 36	(:59) <i>(No Huddle, Shotgun) PENALTY on NO-J.Andrews, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at GB 36 - No Play.</i>	
2-11-GB 41	(:59) (Shotgun) I.Book pass short left intended for T.Hill INTERCEPTED by M.Abernathy at GB 30. M.Abernathy ran ob at GB 30 for no gain.	

Green Bay Packers at 0:54

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1-10-GB 30 (:54) (Shotgun) J.Love pass incomplete short right to J.Winfree.

2-10-GB 30 (:50) (Shotgun) J.Love pass short middle to T.Davis to GB 37 for 7 yards (E.Wilson). FUMBLES (E.Wilson), RECOVERED by NO-J.Bostic at GB 37.

New Orleans Saints at 0:40

1-10-GB 37 (:40) D.Ozigbo up the middle to GB 29 for 8 yards (R.Wilborn).

Timeout #2 by NO at 00:34.

2-2-GB 29 (:34) D.Ozigbo up the middle to GB 20 for 9 yards (S.Davis). R8

1-10-GB 20 (:19) I.Book spiked the ball to stop the clock.

2-10-GB 20 (:18) **I.Book pass deep right to C.Olave for 20 yards, TOUCHDOWN.** P9

W.Lutz extra point is GOOD, Center-Z.Wood, Holder-B.Gillikin.

NO 10 GB 13, 4 plays, 37 yards, 0:28 drive, 14:48 elapsed
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J.Romo kicks 65 yards from NO 35 to end zone, Touchback.

Green Bay Packers at 0:12

1-10-GB 25 (:12) J.Love kneels to GB 24 for -1 yards.

END OF QUARTER

	Score	Time Poss	First Downs				Efficiencies	
			R	P	X	T	3 Down	4 Down
New Orleans Saints	10	6:51	1	6	0	7	2/2	0/0
Green Bay Packers	13	8:09	2	3	1	6	0/1	0/0

Third Quarter

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Play By Play

NO elects to Receive, and GB elects to defend the South goal.

R.Ahmed kicks 70 yards from GB 35 to NO -5. T.Jones to NO 34 for 39 yards (P.Taylor; R.Wilborn).

PENALTY on NO-K.White, Offensive Holding, 10 yards, enforced at NO 21.

Penalty on NO-N.Sewell, Illegal Block Above the Waist, declined.

New Orleans Saints at 15:00, (1st play from scrimmage 14:54)

1-10-NO 11 (14:54) A.Smith up the middle to NO 15 for 4 yards (K.Thomas, L.Hamilton).

2-6-NO 15 (14:21) A.Smith right tackle to NO 18 for 3 yards (K.Thomas).

3-3-NO 18 (13:40) A.Smith left guard to NO 19 for 1 yard (C.Slayton).

4-2-NO 19 (13:00) B.Gillikin punts 81 yards to end zone, Center-Z.Wood, Touchback.

Green Bay Packers at 12:49

1-10-GB 20 (12:49) T.Goodson up the middle to GB 20 for no gain (M.Roach).

2-10-GB 20 (12:05) (Shotgun) J.Love pass short right to N.Becker pushed ob at GB 22 for 2 yards (J.Bostic).

3-8-GB 22 (11:27) (Shotgun) J.Love pass incomplete deep right to J.Winfree.

4-8-GB 22 (11:24) P.O'Donnell punts 61 yards to NO 17, Center-J.Coco. M.Callaway ran ob at NO 34 for 17 yards (K.Thomas).

PENALTY on NO-D.Dixon, Offensive Holding, 8 yards, enforced at NO 17.

New Orleans Saints at 11:12

1-10-NO 9 (11:12) A.Smith right guard to NO 10 for 1 yard (R.Wilborn).

2-9-NO 10 (10:35) (Shotgun) A.Smith left guard to NO 19 for 9 yards (S.Davis). R10

1-10-NO 19 (9:59) A.Smith left guard to NO 24 for 5 yards (C.Slayton; T.Summers).

2-5-NO 24 (9:21) (Shotgun) I.Book pass incomplete short right to K.Baker.

3-5-NO 24 (9:16) (Shotgun) I.Book pass short middle to K.Baker to NO 31 for 7 yards (M.Abernathy, R.Wilborn). P11

1-10-NO 31 (8:40) A.Smith up the middle to NO 31 for no gain (L.Hamilton).

Timeout #1 by GB at 08:04.

2-10-NO 31 (8:04) I.Book pass short left to T.Jones to NO 26 for -5 yards (M.Abernathy).

3-15-NO 26 (7:20) (Shotgun) I.Book pass incomplete short left to A.Smith.

4-15-NO 26 (7:16) (Punt formation) *PENALTY on GB, Defensive Too Many Men on Field, 5 yards, enforced at NO 26 - No Play.*

4-10-NO 31 (7:16) B.Gillikin punts 65 yards to GB 4, Center-Z.Wood. Am.Rodgers to GB 16 for 12 yards (T.Jones; E.Wilson).

PENALTY on GB-K.Enagbare, Offensive Holding, 2 yards, enforced at GB 4.

Green Bay Packers at 7:07

1-10-GB 2 (7:07) D.Williams up the middle to GB 6 for 4 yards (J.Bostic).

2-6-GB 6 (6:24) D.Williams up the middle to GB 10 for 4 yards (J.Bostic, N.Sewell).

3-2-GB 10 (5:48) (Shotgun) D.Williams up the middle to GB 16 for 6 yards (T.Charlton). R13

1-10-GB 16 (5:06) D.Williams right tackle to GB 17 for 1 yard (N.Sewell).

2-9-GB 17 (4:25) (Shotgun) J.Love pass incomplete short right to D.Williams.

3-9-GB 17 (4:21) (Shotgun) J.Love pass incomplete short left to I.Hyman.

PENALTY on NO-D.Fields, Illegal Contact, 5 yards, enforced at GB 17 - No Play.

1-10-GB 22 (4:17) J.Love pass incomplete deep left to S.Toure. X14

Timeout #2 by GB at 04:11.

2-10-GB 22 (4:11) (Shotgun) J.Love pass short left to Am.Rodgers to GB 27 for 5 yards (N.Sewell).

3-5-GB 27 (3:28) (Shotgun) J.Love pass deep middle to Am.Rodgers to GB 45 for 18 yards (J.Bostic).

New Orleans challenged the pass completion ruling, and the play was REVERSED.

(Shotgun) J.Love pass incomplete deep middle to Am.Rodgers (J.Bostic).

4-5-GB 27 (3:24) P.O'Donnell punts 56 yards to NO 17, Center-J.Coco. M.Callaway to NO 32 for 15 yards (K.Ento).

New Orleans Saints at 3:13

1-10-NO 32 (3:13) A.Smith right tackle to NO 33 for 1 yard (R.Wilborn, L.Hamilton).

2-9-NO 33 (2:38) (Shotgun) I.Book pass short left to K.Baker to NO 39 for 6 yards (K.Ento).

3-3-NO 39 (1:58) (Shotgun) I.Book pass short left to A.Smith to NO 37 for -2 yards (T.Summers).

4-5-NO 37 (1:20) B.Gillikin punts 52 yards to GB 11, Center-Z.Wood. Am.Rodgers pushed ob at GB 20 for 9 yards (J.Holtz).

Green Bay Packers at 1:11

1-10-GB 20 (1:11) T.Goodson right tackle to GB 25 for 5 yards (A.Huggins).

2-5-GB 25 (:33) Am.Rodgers right end pushed ob at GB 32 for 7 yards (J.Evans). R15

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END OF QUARTER

	Score	Time Poss	First Downs				Efficiencies	
			R	P	X	T	3 Down	4 Down
New Orleans Saints	10	8:18	1	1	0	2	1/4	0/0
Green Bay Packers	13	6:42	2	0	1	3	1/3	0/0

Fourth Quarter

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Play By Play

Green Bay Packers continued.

- 1-10-GB 32 (15:00) T.Goodson left end pushed ob at GB 37 for 5 yards (Z.Baun).
Penalty on NO-A.Huggins, Defensive Holding, offsetting, enforced at GB 32.
Penalty on GB-A.Mack, Offensive Holding, offsetting.
- 1-10-GB 32 (14:47) I.Hyman right end to GB 43 for 11 yards (V.Gray) R16
- 1-10-GB 43 (14:06) S.Toure right end to GB 41 for -2 yards (P.Turner).
- 2-12-GB 41 (13:26) (Shotgun) J.Love pass short right to S.Cannella pushed ob at NO 46 for 13 yards (J.Evans) P17
- 1-10-NO 46 (12:52) T.Goodson up the middle to NO 47 for -1 yards (M.Roach).
- 2-11-NO 47 (12:15) T.Goodson left tackle to NO 47 for no gain (Z.Baun).
- 3-11-NO 47 (11:29) (Shotgun) J.Love pass incomplete short right to Am.Rodgers (D.Fields).
- 4-11-NO 47 (11:24) P.O'Donnell punts 39 yards to NO 8, Center-J.Coco, downed by GB-T.Summers.

New Orleans Saints at 11:14

- 1-10-NO 8 (11:14) D.Ozigbo right guard to NO 13 for 5 yards (R.Wilborn).
- 2-5-NO 13 (10:34) (Shotgun) I.Book sacked ob at NO 13 for 0 yards (C.Manac).
- 3-5-NO 13 (9:55) (Shotgun) I.Book pass incomplete deep left to K.Merritt.
- 4-5-NO 13 (9:50) B.Gillikin punts 61 yards to GB 26, Center-Z.Wood. I.Hyman to GB 40 for 14 yards (T.Jones).

Green Bay Packers at 9:39

- 1-10-GB 40 (9:39) (Shotgun) D.Williams up the middle to GB 49 for 9 yards (B.Allen).
- 2-1-GB 49 (9:03) (Shotgun) D.Etling pass short right to Am.Rodgers to GB 49 for no gain (D.Fields).
- 3-1-GB 49 **(8:29) (Shotgun) D.Etling right end for 51 yards, TOUCHDOWN.** R18
R.Ahmed extra point is GOOD, Center-J.Coco, Holder-P.O'Donnell.

NO 10 GB 20, 3 plays, 60 yards, 1:19 drive, 6:40 elapsed

R.Ahmed kicks 65 yards from GB 35 to end zone, Touchback.

New Orleans Saints at 8:20

- 1-10-NO 25 (8:20) I.Book pass incomplete short left to K.Merritt (K.Thomas).
- 2-10-NO 25 (8:13) (Shotgun) I.Book scrambles up the middle to GB 48 for 27 yards (K.Thomas) R12
- 1-10-GB 48 (7:23) I.Book scrambles up the middle to GB 44 for 4 yards (T.Summers).
- 2-6-GB 44 (6:39) (Shotgun) I.Book scrambles right end to GB 36 for 8 yards (T.Summers) R13
- 1-10-GB 36 (5:53) I.Book pass short left to A.Smith to GB 30 for 6 yards (R.Wilborn, K.Ento).
- 2-4-GB 30 (5:09) (Shotgun) I.Book sacked at GB 38 for -8 yards (C.Slayton).
PENALTY on GB-J.Heflin, Illegal Use of Hands, 5 yards, enforced at GB 30 - No Play. X14
- 1-10-GB 25 (4:45) D.Ozigbo up the middle to GB 16 for 9 yards (K.Thomas; M.Abernathy).
- 2-1-GB 16 (4:01) (Shotgun) I.Book sacked at GB 16 for 0 yards (R.Wilborn).
- 3-1-GB 16 (3:15) A.Smith up the middle to GB 15 for 1 yard (C.Slayton) R15
- 1-10-GB 15 (2:35) (Shotgun) I.Book pass short right to A.Smith to GB 14 for 1 yard (D.Cross).
- 2-9-GB 14 (2:01) (Shotgun) I.Book pass incomplete short right.
PENALTY on GB-K.Enagbare, Horse Collar Tackle, 7 yards, enforced at GB 14 - No Play. X16

Two-Minute Warning

- 1-7-GB 7 (1:54) (Shotgun) I.Book pass incomplete short right to D.Dixon.
- 2-7-GB 7 (1:50) (Shotgun) I.Book pass short middle to L.Krull for 7 yards, TOUCHDOWN NULLIFIED by Penalty.
PENALTY on NO-L.Krull, Offensive Pass Interference, 10 yards, enforced at GB 7 - No Play.
- 2-17-GB 17 (1:46) (Shotgun) I.Book pass incomplete deep right to D.Dixon.
- 3-17-GB 17 (1:42) (Shotgun) I.Book pass incomplete deep right.
- 4-17-GB 17 (1:35) J.Romo 35 yard field goal is No Good, Wide Left, Center-Z.Wood, Holder-B.Gillikin.

Green Bay Packers at 1:32

- 1-10-GB 25 (1:32) D.Etling kneels to GB 24 for -1 yards.
- 2-11-GB 24 (:48) D.Etling kneels to GB 23 for -1 yards.
- 3-12-GB 23 (:06) D.Etling kneels to GB 22 for -1 yards.

END OF QUARTER

	Score	Time	First Downs				Efficiencies	
		Poss	R	P	X	T	3 Down	4 Down
New Orleans Saints	10	8:23	3	0	2	5	1/3	0/0
Green Bay Packers	20	6:37	2	1	0	3	1/3	0/0

Miscellaneous Statistics Report

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Ten Longest Plays for New Orleans Saints

Yards	Qtr	Play Start	Play Description
27	4	2-10-NO 25	(8:13) (Shotgun) I.Book scrambles up the middle to GB 48 for 27 yards (K.Thomas).
20	2	2-6-NO 28	(2:22) (Shotgun) I.Book pass short left to T.Jones pushed ob at NO 48 for 20 yards (I.McDuffie).
20	2	2-10-GB 20	(:18) I.Book pass deep right to C.Olave for 20 yards, TOUCHDOWN.
18	2	3-11-NO 39	(5:52) (Shotgun) I.Book pass short left to K.White pushed ob at GB 43 for 18 yards (K.Thomas).
11	2	3-9-NO 29	(7:14) (Shotgun) I.Book pass short right to D.Harty to NO 40 for 11 yards (S.Davis).
10	1	1-10-NO 30	(12:11) I.Book pass short right to T.Hill to NO 40 for 10 yards (S.Davis).
9	2	2-2-GB 29	(:34) D.Ozigbo up the middle to GB 20 for 9 yards (S.Davis).
9	3	2-9-NO 10	(10:35) (Shotgun) A.Smith left guard to NO 19 for 9 yards (S.Davis).
9	4	1-10-GB 25	(4:45) D.Ozigbo up the middle to GB 16 for 9 yards (K.Thomas; M.Abernathy).
8	1	3-16-GB 49	(:36) (Shotgun) I.Book pass short right to C.Olave pushed ob at GB 41 for 8 yards (I.McDuffie).

Ten Longest Plays for Green Bay Packers

Yards	Qtr	Play Start	Play Description
51	4	3-1-GB 49	(8:29) (Shotgun) D.Etling right end for 51 yards, TOUCHDOWN.
21	2	2-1-GB 47	(10:52) J.Love pass deep left to J.Winfree pushed ob at NO 32 for 21 yards (Q.Meeks).
17	1	1-10-GB 42	(7:30) (Shotgun) J.Love pass deep left to R.Doubs to NO 41 for 17 yards (D.Fields).
15	1	3-4-GB 27	(8:08) (Shotgun) J.Love pass short middle to J.Winfree ran ob at GB 42 for 15 yards (V.Gray).
15	2	2-7-NO 19	(8:47) T.Goodson left guard to NO 4 for 15 yards (E.Wilson).
13	4	2-12-GB 41	(13:26) (Shotgun) J.Love pass short right to S.Cannella pushed ob at NO 46 for 13 yards (J.Evans).
11	1	1-10-GB 25	(15:00) (Shotgun) J.Love scrambles up the middle to GB 36 for 11 yards (D.Sorensen).
11	1	1-10-NO 30	(5:35) J.Love pass short left to J.Deguara to NO 19 for 11 yards (E.Wilson).
11	4	1-10-GB 32	(14:47) I.Hyman right end to GB 43 for 11 yards (V.Gray).
10	2	2-10-NO 32	(10:06) (Shotgun) J.Love pass short right to T.Goodson pushed ob at NO 22 for 10 yards (Q.Meeks).

Touchdown Scoring Information

		Offense	Defense	Special Teams
VISITOR	New Orleans Saints	1	0	0
HOME	Green Bay Packers	2	0	0

Player Scoring Information

Club	Player	TD	Rush TD	Rec TD	KO TD	Punt TD	Int TD	Fum TD	Misc TD	FG	XP	2Pt Rush	2Pt Rec	Sfty	Points
NO	C.Olave	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
NO	W.Lutz	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	4
GB	R.Ahmed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	8
GB	D.Etling	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
GB	R.Doubs	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6

Possession Detail

	First Half		Second Half		Game	
	Visitor	Home	Visitor	Home	Visitor	Home
Largest Lead	0	10	0	10	0	10
Drives Leading	0	3	0	5	0	8
Time of Possession Leading	0:00	1:13	0:00	13:19	0:00	14:32
Largest Deficit	-10	0	-10	0	-10	0
Drives Trailing	4	0	5	0	9	0
Time of Possession Trailing	9:11	0:00	16:41	0:00	25:52	0:00
Times Score Tied Up		1		0		1
Lead Changes		2		0		2

POSTGAME QUOTES

GREEN BAY PACKERS vs. NEW ORLEANS SAINTS, Aug. 19, 2022, at Green Bay, Wis.

HEAD COACH DENNIS ALLEN:

(opening comments) “So, disappointed in the loss. Too many penalties, turned the ball over and we let them run the ball on us. And you can’t do that and expect to win. Doesn’t matter if it’s a preseason game, we’ve got to be better in those areas. That was disappointing to see all the penalties. It was disappointing to see we turned the ball over again, for the second straight week, so that’s got to get cleaned up. There were some positives in the game. Obviously, defensively we take the ball away there at the end of the first half; forced fumble and we end up getting the touchdown to end the first half. I thought that was good. It was good to see Will Lutz kick a 59-yarder. So, that was a positive in the game. Look, we’ve got to go back to work and keep getting better.”

(on how big it was for Lutz to kick the 59-yarder given his injuries last year) “Yeah, I think it’s big. I think it’s big. He had a good warmup session prior to the game. We knew going that direction we had a little bit of help with the wind. That’s why we called the timeout right before the quarter so we had the wind behind us so we could get a little help on the 59-yarder. And it was great to see him kick it through. Another positive step for him.”

(on if the plan was to play Ian Book the whole game) “Yeah, we felt like we got a good look at Andy (Dalton) last week. Andy got a ton of the reps this week in the practices. So, there was a lot of guys that got a bunch of reps in the practices that we wanted to hold in tonight’s game. And so, we got a good look at Ian, played the whole game. There were some positives and then obviously the negative really becomes the two turnovers.”

(on what the positives were for Book’s performance) “Look, I thought there were a couple good throws. It was a great throw at the end of the half to Olave. Hell of a route by Olave and a good throw for a touchdown. I thought he, for the most part, did a pretty good job of operating in the huddle, getting us in and out. I thought he did some nice things creating some plays with his feet. So those were the positives.”

(on if Olave used some creativity of his own on the route or if it was designed) “Yeah, it was part of the concept in terms of how we run the route. I thought he did a good job of selling it and getting out of the double move.”

(on how special teams played tonight) “Yeah, I thought we did some good things with the special teams units. The penalties were disappointing. We come right out after the third quarter, and we had talked about it in the locker room, the penalties. And we had a holding on the first punt return. I think we would have had the ball at about the 34-yard line; instead we started the drive at the 8. And so, those are really big plays in the game that you don’t really think about. It’s a huge difference starting on the 8-yard line and starting on the 34.”

(on what he thought about Olave’s week in Green Bay) “I thought he took a real step forward this week and I thought he capped it off with a nice game today. And certainly the touchdown was a big play for us.”

(on his evaluation of Malcolm Roach, including the roughing the passer penalty) “Well, the roughing the passer can’t happen. Third-and-19, we’re going to be off the field and they end up extending the drive and it ended up being a touchdown drive. No different than when you turn the ball over; you can do a lot of really, really good things in the game, but those are critical plays in the game that end up costing you. So, we’ve got to be better in that area.”

(on where he is in the 53-man evaluation process) “Look, I think we moved a little closer through the week of practice. I’m going to reserve judgment on the game until we get back and watch the tape. But we still have a long way to go. Still have a lot of things we need to get better at. And so that’s really where our focus is.”

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QUARTERBACK IAN BOOK:

(on how he played) "I thought I did better. There were a few mistakes from last week that I really wanted to focus on. I just really wanted to go out there and have fun. Be more vocal than last week, and just lead these guys to a victory. We came up short, but I thought we did some good things, but we also hurt ourselves. That is what DA (head coach Dennis Allen) will make a huge point on; we can't shoot ourselves in the foot with penalties. I'm a part of that. Penalties and turnovers. We have to fix them."

(on his touchdown pass to WR Chris Olave) "The way they were playing it, he had to inside release and he was still able to expand, which is huge. I'm pretty sure on that, but I would need to watch the film. When I rolled out to the right, he did a great job of getting back on his landmark where he needs to be. He did a good job and we were on the same page so it worked out. It shows that his feel as a rookie is pretty special."

(on his fumble) "There is no excuse for it. I have been playing football too long. Have to get that figured out; been working with a few centers, but that is part of it. That is preseason, and I just have to keep working on that."

(on if he felt comfortable playing the whole game) "I did. It felt good. I was in there having fun, running around, trying to make plays with my feet when the clock was winding down. The main thing for me was I just wanted to go out there and just compete. I wanted to leave it all out there. I wanted to show DA and this team that I could be a leader. So that is what I was focusing on."

(on WR Olave) "We see it day in and day out; his ability to get in and out of cuts and his routes. It is pretty special. It is hard to teach. He's got it and he will build on it. Honestly, he is just fun to be out there with. He is a guy that is quiet, but he is having fun. He doesn't think anyone can guard him, which is probably true. It is cool to see that confidence from a rookie."

(on what he will work on for next week) "I know there will be some things once I watch the film. Turnovers is one of them; can't have that happen. Penalties, that starts with me with communication, with being loud enough. Whatever it may be, that starts with the quarterback. Same with the fumbles. That starts with me."

(on if he knew he would play the whole game) "I figured I would. I got the call on Wednesday night and knew it was going to happen. It has been huge, just being able to basically play two full games. It has been huge for me. I appreciate them giving me a chance. It has been good. I'm having fun out there. I had some things last week that I really wanted to work on. One of those was just to go out there, have fun, lead, enjoy and compete. That is what I did tonight."

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HEAD COACH MATT LaFLEUR:

(on Jordan Love's performance) "I thought there was a lot of good. I know the numbers don't necessarily reflect how I feel, but I saw a guy that not only was making some off-schedule plays running around, but there were a couple times we weren't great in protection. He stood in the pocket and was throwing on rhythm. I thought the ball that he threw to (Romeo) Doubs that was like a 20-something yard completion on our side(line), I thought that was a tough read because we ran like a sail-type concept, and the out-most receiver wasn't quite out of the area yet, so it was a cloudy read. But his ability to let it go... He hit (Juwann) Winfree on a high-cross. He hit a couple high-crosses for big, explosive gains. Then, I thought on the keeper that he threw to Samori (Toure) down the sidelines, I mean that ball has to be caught, and unfortunately again we had too many drops. I want to say we had at least five drops on offense."

(on the first play of the game when Love broke it down and ran) "I think he's done a great job with that. That's something that's a fine line with how you coach it. Do you hang in there? Because they brought pressure on that play, and I couldn't tell (but) I thought live we might have had that inside slant but I couldn't tell how hard the safety came down over the top of our slot receiver. He was decisive, and I think that's the big thing from him. I see a much more decisive player out there, and I think that's going to lead to a much more effective player."

(on Romeo Doubs' performance and if he's done enough to be included when the regular season starts) "Yeah, we'll see when we get there. I think Romeo has a lot of confidence and certainly he's made some big plays. You mentioned the sail route he caught, and then the fade ball, I thought Jordan threw a nice ball and he went up and got it. Yeah, it's not going to be perfect, there's going to be some lessons along the way, but he's a guy that has proved that he doesn't get fazed by a negative play (and) he just keeps on playing and so that's what excites you about him. You do see a guy that has really good feet. He's really good in his transition. He's got a burst. He's been able to separate, which is something that is tough to coach. Guys can either do it or they can't. There's stuff to clean up, for certain, but he's a guy that we're excited about and we'll see where we are come week one."

(on the impression Tyler Goodson has made during camp) "He's done a nice job. A guy that puts his foot in the ground and he's got a burst and I think that was evident tonight. He made some nice runs. And then also, one thing that you see from him quite frequently in practice is he's got good hands. I think a lot of it for a third running back is how they do on special teams, and that is an area where the third back has to be able to contribute, and that's really where the battle lies with all those guys right now."

(on Christian Watson taking part in warm ups tonight and if he'll suit up next week) "We'll see. We're going to take it one day at a time. I feel like a broken record saying that up here, but I'm not a doctor and I'm not a trainer so when they give us the green light on him, we'll let him go."

(on having 12-men and 10-men on the field on different special teams plays) "It is what it is and that's something that we're well aware of and we'll clean up."

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(on the Doubs play in the corner on third-and-three when he got turned around) “We ran a stop route and it was one-on-one and he gave him an opportunity, and I don’t know what exactly happened, I didn’t have a conversation with him, but I definitely was not anticipating how he got turned around on that. That’s a ball that you are usually looking over your inside shoulder for, and as a quarterback you are trying to throw it over his outside shoulder... I don’t know if he lost it or what happened, but obviously we don’t want a guy doing twirly-birds out there when they are running routes. That makes it a very difficult catch. But, I’d have to look at the tape.”

(on if he’s made a decision whether Aaron Rodgers will play this week or if it will be Love again) “We’ll discuss that. I wanted to get through this game and see where we’re at. Just from a health perspective mainly, and I definitely want to talk to our vets and see where they think we’re at. Then we’ll collectively make a decision.”

(on his analysis of QB Danny Etling’s performance so far this preseason and his rushing touchdown tonight) “It’s so funny because he had one of those when he was a rookie I want to say – it was an 87-yarder or whatever. I think Danny, first of all, he is just so much fun to be around. He has a great personality. He fits in well with those guys, with all the guys. And he’s a talented guy. He’s a very good athlete, although, he did have a little stumble at the end. I didn’t know if was going to fall or not. But that was something that was not called. He saw the safety barreling down and closing hard on the runner. And there was nobody else out there. He just pulled it and went. It was a hell of a decision by him. I think Danny’s done a lot of good things.”

(on if he feels more confident in Jordan Love’s performance this preseason than he did last year) “I think the game is slowing down for him. I think Tom [Clements] has done an unbelievable job with him. Connor Lewis is in our room, and he does a great job with him. And then I think Aaron [Rodgers] does a hell of a job with him as well – always coaching him on every play when we are in that meeting room, giving him little nuggets. And I think Jordan, you have to give him a lot of credit too – just being receptive to all the coaching but also learning from the other guys. I think, I don’t know how you guys see it, but the way I see it and have seen it on a daily basis, I think he’s light years ahead of where he was a year ago. And so if you ask those guys in that locker room, every one of them would tell you they have a lot of confidence in him. I think we would all agree in that locker room, he’s one of the most improved guys over the last year.”

(on when the moment was that he realized Jordan Love’s improvement) “I think a couple weeks ago, we started seeing him string a couple practices and that consistency started to show up more and more. But I think it was a couple weeks ago.”

(on if anyone jumped out at him on defense) “Yeah, a lot of guys did, but [Micah] Abernathy made a heck of a play. I thought Isaiah McDuffie seemed like he was flying around. But I need to go back and really dissect the tape and look at it, and I can give you a better answer later on. KT (Kiondre Thomas) – I thought he was competitive. I thought Sherm [Shemar Jean Charles] was super competitive. I know he got called for the PI, but I love that aggressive play by him. I thought that was great. I couldn’t tell, you guys might have a better opinion of it than I do. That’s how I felt live, but a lot of those calls are tough. I don’t envy being in the officials’ position for a lot of it.”

(on the biggest difference between Isaiah McDuffie between this year and last year) “He’s done a hell of a job. I think knowledge of the game, I think he’s really grown. I think Kirk Olivadotti does a great job with him. And he’s got a guy like De’Vondre Campbell. I think KB (Krys Barnes) is a big reason why he’s been able to grow so much in a short period of time. I think you definitely feel his presence on (Special) Teams. That’s what we need from him.”

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(on if he has gotten what he was hoping for out of the preseason) “I think it’s always tough to say if you’re really getting exactly everything you need, especially when your guys aren’t out there. It’s a ‘is the risk worth the rewards’ type deal. I don’t think there’s a right answer – everyone has their own philosophy. I think with whatever you choose, you just stick by that and you’re confident in that and hopefully you get the reps in practice. That’s why I thought this week was so beneficial going against the Saints. Against a team I know we all have a lot of respect for. Obviously, they whooped us pretty good last year. They’ve got great players. They’re a great coaching staff. A great scheme. I thought it was a really good test for us. To see our guys respond, not only just by going out there and executing, but being physical. I think that’s one thing we are always looking for is how physical we are going to be. And they have some dogs on that team in every phase.”

(on when he knew Danny Etling could run like that) “He is a guy that I know in New England, he actually played on special teams. We were making fun of him. He played, I think, in a preseason game in Detroit. We pulled out the tape actually in the quarterback room just to see how he did. For a guy who didn’t have much experience at all, he’s definitely an athletic guy. For a quarterback to even be placed in that position, I think that says a lot about just, not only his athleticism, but his toughness as well. Like I said, he’s a great person, first and foremost. He’s a hell of a worker. I don’t know if you guys see him every day after practice, he’s out there throwing to some of our equipment managers and getting guys in the right spot. You don’t get the reps that you need. He loves this. He is fully invested, fully committed to being the best player he can be. That’s always a tough position when you’re the third guy because you just don’t get the reps you really need in practice to develop. You have to do a lot of things on your own. He takes the initiative. He has a great mind. He always asks great questions. He’s just really fun to be around.”

(on how he’s divided the play-calling duties so far) “The last two games I called the first half and then “Steno” (Adam Stenavich) called the second half. I think Adam’s done a great job... he is a guy that obviously we know his value as an offensive line coach. I think that’s pretty clear and pretty evident. He’s well-respected around this league. But I think what you don’t see, and naturally, I think the pass game for guys in that room is a little foreign for them. But, the amount of work he’s put in and how much he’s learned, I’ve been really impressed and he’s added a ton of value to us in terms of suggestions and questions and I think he’s doing a helluva job.”

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GREEN BAY PACKERS vs. NEW ORLEANS SAINTS, Aug 19, 2022, at Green Bay, Wis.

QUARTERBACK JORDAN LOVE:

(on if he feels that he's far ahead of last season) "I feel definitely a lot better than I have in the last two years. I just feel a little more confident, more comfortable back there. It's my third year in the offense, second year getting game reps, so I definitely just feel a lot more comfortable and I think it just comes with getting those reps and getting those plays, and just getting more confidence in myself and everybody around me and in the offense."

(on what the biggest thing he's learned from Tom Clements) "I think just sticking to the rules of the quarterback room of how we play plays, just sticking to our keys, our reads, our footwork, and trying to just stay locked into the details of every play and trying to treat every play as its own play. Since Tom's been here that's been the focus, just sticking to those details, and it's been helping a lot."

(on how Clements is so effective in teaching QB skills) "I mean I just think he's really honest with us and when we do get out of focusing on those details – maybe the footwork's off, maybe the read was off – he's just, 'Hey, this is what you've got to do, let's get back to that,' and he's just honest with us and he holds us accountable for what we need to do as a quarterback."

(on the progression of his ability to pull the ball down and run) "I think that's a huge part of my game that I've just got to keep getting more comfortable doing, being able to find those running lanes, and like you said, when the play breaks down, maybe my first or second read's not there, just being able to get up and make a play with my legs. That first play they brought pressure and they ended up peeling with the back, and my first two reads weren't there and I felt a hole kind of open up in the middle and I just took off and it worked out for 11 yards. But, yeah, I think just continue to get more comfortable doing that, find those rushing lanes and that'll help me out."

(on the importance of being decisive) "It's very important and I think for me I've gotten more comfortable being decisive and being able to let it rip and not kind of waiting and being hesitant for a play to open up. I think it just comes around being comfortable with the offense, understanding where the receiver's going to be, what plays are good for certain coverages and just continuing to be decisive. But I think I've definitely been taking some steps in that direction."

(on Danny Etling's TD run and the dynamic of the QB room) "I think that was a great read by him, just zone read, they collapsed and I think he finished it off really well. We needed a boost right there and I think that's what he brought. That was a great play for him. But yeah, I think it's been great having Danny in the room with us. All of us I think have a good bond so far, and we're just trying to keep building that, but Danny had a good run on that one."

(on if he's going to rip off a 61-yard run next week) "We all hope we could. That's what I'm trying to do, but sometimes it doesn't work out like that."

(on what he thought his best throw of the night was) "I think for me the one to Romeo (Doubs) on the sideline in the first quarter. It was one of those ones I had pressure in my face and I kind of just trusted where he was going to be. The last second, I saw the DB kind of falling off and got kind of nervous about that. I just let the ball go and I couldn't see what happened. I just heard the crowd going crazy and I knew he made a good play over there."

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(on if he was throwing into a strong wind going into the north end zone) "I didn't really feel it as much, the wind coming in the end zone. I think the only time I kind of got affected throwing was when it started raining and the ball started getting wet. The wind started picking up there, but other than that I didn't really notice it."

(on if the wind affected the deep pass to Romeo Doubs that just missed) "I don't know if the wind affected that one. I kind of just threw it up. He was trying to adjust to the ball in the air and I'm not sure if the wind got it or not. I might have just thrown it a little bit too much outside, but it was one of those 50-50 balls that I try and give him a chance on it, and he didn't make a play on it."

(on if the ball was supposed to be inside on the Doubs play) "He turned outside over his shoulder to adjust to it, but it was just an inside fade ... so he's just trying to win and just trying to be over the top like that, but I think the way he thought ball was coming, he thought it would be better to adjust turning out."

(on his connection with Doubs and what's the next step with him) "I think we've had a really good connection. I think since he got here in OTAs he's been a guy that's been making plays out there. It's easy to throw him the ball and get it up to him, and even when it's kind of a 50-50 ball you know he's going to go up there and make a play on it like he did on the fade in the end zone right there. I think obviously we have a new connection. It's only been the first year throwing with him, and with Aaron (Rodgers) as well throwing to him, but I think he's been making a lot of really good plays and I'm excited to see what he does this season."

(on how he thinks Doubs has handled Aaron Rodgers' expectations) "I think it's come with it, especially being a rookie. It's not going to be perfect. You're going to have ups and downs, but I think Romeo, I think he's really hard on himself. When he doesn't make a play, he knows what he needs to do and he takes it out on himself, so I think it's easier for him to be there with Aaron and understand what Aaron's trying to get out of him. But, yeah, I think, like you said, it's ups and downs. It's not a perfect game ever, but I think he's been doing a really good job so far."