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**NEW ORLEANS SAINTS WEEKLY  
MEDIA INFORMATION GUIDE**

CAROLINA PANTHERS vs. NEW ORLEANS SAINTS  
SEPTEMBER 18, 2023 @ BANK OF AMERICA STADIUM

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# GAME RELEASE



**NEW ORLEANS SAINTS (1-0)**

**AT**

**CAROLINA PANTHERS (0-1)**

**GAME #2**

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2023 – 6:15 P.M. (CST)**

**BANK OF AMERICA STADIUM – NEW ORLEANS, LA.**

*TV: ESPN (WDSU 6 locally) – Chris Fowler (play-by-play), Dan Orlovsky and Louis Riddick (color analysts) and Laura Rutledge (sideline)*

*LOCAL RADIO: WWL (870 AM and 105.3 FM) – Mike Hoss (play-by-play), Deuce McAllister (color analyst) and Jeff Nowak (sideline)*

*NATIONAL RADIO: Westwood One Radio – Bill Rosinski (play-by-play) and Tony Boselli (color analyst)*

*SPANISH LANGUAGE RADIO: KGLA (830 AM and 105.7 FM) – Mario Jerez (play-by-play), Juan Carlos Ramos and Victor Quinonez (color analysts)*



## THE MATCHUP

The New Orleans Saints will kickoff off their 2023 prime-time slate, the first of three nationally televised games on the docket, when they travel to Bank of America Stadium to take on the Carolina Panthers on Monday Night Football. The 1-0 Saints seek to start 2-0 for the first time since 2013.

New Orleans is coming off a hard-fought 16-15 season opening victory over the Tennessee Titans at the Caesars Superdome on Sunday. With the rugged victory, the Black and Gold are the only team to have captured their last five season openers.

Sunday's slugfest was a back and forth defensive battle as the clubs combined for eight field goals, an NFL Week One record, with just one touchdown score - a 19-yard strike from quarterback **Derek Carr** to wide receiver/return specialist **Rashid Shaheed** late in the third quarter to give New Orleans their first lead of the contest.

The Black and Gold defense and special teams units contributed early and often, forcing three interceptions and a one-yard punt and kicker **Blake Grupe** being the first Saints rookie to drill three field goals in his NFL debut.

The New Orleans defense showed why they are among the league's best. Cornerbacks **Marshon Lattimore** and **Paulson Adebode** and safety **Marcus Maye** all intercepted

Titans quarterback **Ryan Tannehill**, while all three levels of the unit held him to a career-low 28.8 passer rating. Linebacker **Demario Davis** led the team with ten tackles, while defensive end **Carl Granderson** contributed 1.5 sacks and four stops.

Offensively, Carr was solid in his Saints debut, throwing for 305 yards, including a 41-yard strike to Shaheed, who had a career-high 216 all-purpose yards, with under two minutes left. Wide receivers **Chris Olave** and **Michael Thomas** were also a handful for the Tennessee secondary. Olave finished with eight receptions for 112 yards, including team-long 45-yard grab, while Thomas hauled in five passes for 61 yards.

Monday night's contest between the Saints and Panthers starts with New Orleans leading the all-time series 29-28, including the 2017 NFC Wild Card playoff victory. The rivalry started in the NFC West from 1995-2001 when the Panthers entered the NFL as an expansion franchise and has continued in the NFC South. After getting swept by the Panthers in 2022, the Saints will look to get back into the win column against their division rival.

**Around the NFC South:** The Tampa Bay Buccaneers (1-0) host the Chicago Bears (0-1) at Raymond James Stadium at noon CT and the Atlanta Falcons (1-0) host the Green Bay Packers (1-0) at noon CT at Mercedes-Benz Stadium.

## THE COACHES

**Dennis Allen** was hired as the 17th head coach in New Orleans Saints history on February 8, 2022. Now in his 28th year coaching and 21st in the NFL, Allen has spent 13 seasons in New Orleans in two separate stints, including the six-and-a-half campaigns (2015-21) as the team's defensive coordinator prior to being promoted to head coach. He succeeded 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 both 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 three years. From 2017 to the present, New Orleans is the only defense in the NFL to rank in the top five in the National Football League in both opponent rushing yards per game and sacks.

In his first year as head coach of the Saints, Allen guided New Orleans through the challenge of significant injuries at several positions to win three of their last four games after a Week 14 bye and give up 20 or fewer points in the final eight contests of the season, ten points apiece in the final three.

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 with the Atlanta Falcons from 2002-05, where he received his NFL coaching start.

Over the course of his coaching career in New Orleans, Allen has coached linebacker Demario Davis and defensive end Cameron Jordan to career seasons. Davis has led the team in tackles in every campaign since signing with the club as an unrestricted free agent in 2018 and has garnered AP All-Pro honors four straight times. Since Allen returned to New Orleans in 2015, his 86.5 sacks rank third in the NFL.

Allen played safety at Texas A&M from 1992-95, where he started the final 21 games of his college 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.

**Frank Reich** is in his first season as head coach of the Carolina after being named the sixth head coach in franchise history on Jan. 26, 2023. Reich has more than 30 years of NFL experience as a player (1985-98) and a coach (2006-present), including serving as the Panthers' first starting quarterback in franchise history after signing with the team during its inaugural season, 1995. Reich joined Carolina after five seasons (2018-2022) as the head coach of the Indianapolis Colts. Reich led the team to the playoffs twice and guided the Colts to 41 wins, including two years with 10-plus victories (2018 and 2020). It marked his second stint as a coach with the Colts, rejoining the team after spending six years on the coaching staff from 2006-11.

Reich spent the 2016-17 seasons as offensive coordinator of the Philadelphia Eagles and was instrumental in the team's Super Bowl LII championship during the 2017 season. Prior to Philadelphia, Reich spent three seasons (2013-15) with the San Diego Chargers, serving the last two as offensive coordinator. He worked closely with Philip Rivers, who hit the 4,000-yard passing plateau in three straight seasons and totaled 13,556 yards, marking the third-most passing yards by an NFL quarterback during that span.

Reich spent the first six seasons (2006-11) of his coaching career with the Colts as wide receivers coach (2011), quarterbacks coach (2009-10), offensive assistant (2008) and coaching intern (2006-07). In Indianapolis, he was a member of teams that earned five playoff appearances, four AFC South division titles, two Super Bowl appearances and a World Championship.

Reich enjoyed a 14-year playing career with the Buffalo Bills, Carolina Panthers, New York Jets and Detroit Lions after being selected by the Bills in the third round (57th overall) of the 1985 NFL Draft. Including postseason, he played in 129 career games (22 starts) and passed for 6,858 yards and 47 touchdowns. Reich is most notably known for engineering the greatest comeback in NFL history, a 1992 Wild Card playoff game against the Houston Oilers. Making his first postseason start in place of injured quarterback Jim Kelly, Reich led the Bills to a 41-38 overtime victory despite being down by 32 points early in the third quarter.

Reich played quarterback at Maryland (1981-84). As a senior, he rallied the Terrapins from a 31-0 deficit to defeat the Miami Hurricanes 42-40.

A native of Freeport, N.Y., Reich was born on Dec. 4, 1961. He and his wife, Linda, have three children and two grandchildren.

**NEW ORLEANS – CAROLINA****STATISTICAL COMPARISON****2022 NFL Rankings**

	<b><u>Saints</u></b>	<b><u>Panthers</u></b>
Record	7-10	7-10
Scoring Avg. (NFL Rank)	19.4 (22)	20.4 (20)
Opp. Scoring Avg. (NFL Rank)	20.3 (9)	22.0 (19)
Total Off. (NFL Rank)	333.8 (19)	306.2 (29)
Rushing Off. (NFL Rank)	116.6 (19)	122.6 (10)
Passing Off. (NFL Rank)	217.2 (16)	227.5 (29)
Total Def. (NFL Rank)	314.8 (5)	350.2 (22)
Rushing Def. (NFL Rank)	130.5 (24)	122.6 (18)
Passing Def. (NFL Rank)	184.4 (2)	227.5 (22)
Kickoff Return Avg. (NFL Rank)	22.0 (19)	24.1 (10)
Punt Return Avg. (NFL Rank)	9.0 (16)	6.4 (28)
Turnover Margin (NFL Rank)	-11 (31)	-4 (24t)
Penalties	99	104
Penalty Yards	841	862
Opp. Penalties	92	105
Opp. Penalty Yards	798	866

**NEW ORLEANS SAINTS-CAROLINA  
PANTHERS SERIES HISTORY**

The Panthers initially entered the National Football League as an expansion franchise in 1995 and since then, with the regular season series tied 28-28, with the Saints picking up the 2017 NFC Wild Card showdown at the Mercedes-Benz Superdome. The clubs were in the NFC West from 1995-2001 and the rivalry has continued in the NFC South since it was formed in 2002 divisional realignment. The clubs are deadlocked 14-14 in both home and road contests. Of the 56 regular season games in the series, 28 have been decided by eight points or less, with each team winning 14. The Saints' longest winning streak was a five-game stretch from 2000-02.

In the 56 regular season games of the series there has been:

- 1,221 points scored by New Orleans, 1,196 allowed.
- A five-game New Orleans winning streak from 2000-02.
- A four-game New Orleans winning streak in games played at the Mercedes-Benz Superdome from 1998-2001 and a four-game winning streak at contests played at Bank of America Stadium from 2017-20. The Saints will try to break a two-game losing streak at Bank of America Stadium on Monday night.
- 27 games decided by double-digits.

- Seven games decided by 21 or more points.
- 28 games decided by eight points or less.
- One 32-point win by New Orleans in the 2020 regular season finale.
- A 32-point loss by New Orleans.

**SAINTS-PANTHERS SERIES FAST  
FACTS**

**Saints' Largest Margin of Victory:** 32 points, Saints won 42-10, 12/28/19 at Bank of America Stadium

**Panthers' Largest Margin of Victory:** 32 points, Panthers won 45-13, 1/2/00 at Ericsson Stadium

**Current Series Streak:** Two-game winning streak for Carolina, 9/25/22-present

**Saints' Longest Win Streak:** Five games, 10/15/00-11/10/02

**Panthers' Longest Win Streak:** Four games (twice), 12/18/05-10/7/07 (most recent) and 12/29/02-12/5/04

**Most Points by Saints in a Game:** 45 points, Saints won 45-17, 1/1/12 at Mercedes-Benz Superdome

**Most Points by Panthers in a Game:** 45 points, Panthers won 45-13, 1/2/00 at Ericsson Stadium

**Most Combined Points (Both Teams):** 82 points, Panthers won 44-38, 12/30/12 at Mercedes-Benz Superdome

**Fewest Points by Saints in a Game:** Zero points, Panthers won 13-0, 10/19/97 at Superdome

**Fewest Points by Panthers in a Game:** Three points, Saints won 34-3, 11/7/10 at Bank of America Stadium

**Fewest Combined Points (Both Teams):** 13 points, Panthers won 13-0, 10/19/97 at Superdome

**INDIVIDUAL**

**Most Rushing Yards (Saints):** RB **Ricky Williams**, 147 yards on 31 carries (4.7 avg.) with one TD on 10/14/01 at Ericsson Stadium.

**Most Rushing Yards (Panthers):** RB **DeAngelo Williams**, 210 yards on 21 carries (10.0 avg.) with two TDs on 12/30/12 at Mercedes-Benz Superdome.

**Most Passing Yards (Saints):** QB **Drew Brees**, 465 yards on 34-of-49 passing (69.4%) with four TDs (118.2 rating) on 10/16/16 at Mercedes-Benz Superdome.

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**Most Passing Yards (Panthers):** QB **Kerry Collins**, 335 yards on 17-of-46 passing (37.0 %) with three TDs (48.7 passer rating) on 11/26/95 at Superdome.

**Most Receptions (Saints):** (Tie) RB **Darren Sproles**, 13 receptions for 128 yards (9.8 avg.), 9/16/12 at Bank of America Stadium (Most Recent). WR **Joe Horn**, 13 receptions for 150 yards (11.5 avg.) and one touchdown, 12/2/01 at Louisiana Superdome (First).

**Most Receptions (Panthers):** (Tie) TE **Greg Olsen**, 10 receptions for 72 yards (7.2 avg.) and one TD on 12/7/14 at Mercedes-Benz Superdome (Most Recent). WR **Steve Smith**, 10 receptions for 87 yards (8.7 avg.) and one TD on 10/1/06 at Bank of America Stadium. WR **Muhsin Muhammad**, 10 receptions for 179 yards (17.9 avg.) and one TD on 12/5/04 at Louisiana Superdome (First).

**Most Receiving Yards (Saints):** WR **Brandin Cooks**, 173 yards on seven receptions (24.7 avg.) with one TD on 10/16/16 at Mercedes-Benz Superdome.

**Most Receiving Yards (Panthers):** WR **Muhsin Muhammad**, 192 yards on nine receptions (21.3 avg.) with one TD on 9/13/98 at Louisiana Superdome.

**Most Sacks (Saints):** DE **Cameron Jordan**, 3.5 sacks on 1/2/22 at Caesars Superdome.

**SAINTS-PANTHERS CONNECTIONS**

New Orleans safety **Marcus Maye** and defensive tackle **Nathan Shepherd** and Carolina defensive end **Henry Anderson** were teammates with the New York Jets from 2018-20. Tackle/guard **Andrus Peat** and Anderson were college teammates at Stanford...New Orleans guard/tackle **James Hurst** played at the University of North Carolina...Carolina quarterback **Andy Dalton** played for the Saints in 2022...New Orleans tight end **Juwan Johnson** and Carolina defensive end **Yetur Gross Matos** were college teammates at Penn State...Panthers Offensive Line Coach **James Campen** played at Tulane from 1984-85 and played on the offensive line with the Saints from 1986-88...New Orleans Assistant Offensive Line Coach **Kevin Carberry**, Carolina Offensive Coordinator **Thomas Brown**, Secondary/Cornerbacks Coach **Jonathan Coo-ley** and Defensive Coordinator **Ejiro Evero** served on the same coaching staff with the Los Angeles Rams from 2021-22...Panthers cornerback **Jaycee Horn** is the son of former New Orleans wide receiver **Joe Horn**. New Orleans fullback **Adam Prentice**, Horn and Panthers wide receiver **Shi Smith** were college teammates at South Carolina in 2020...New Orleans tight end **Jimmy Graham** prepped at Charis (Goldsboro, N.C.) Preparatory School. Graham and

Dalton were teammates in Chicago in 2021...Carolina Senior Defensive Assistant **Dom Capers** served as secondary coach for the Saints from 1986-91. Saints Defensive Line Coach **Todd Grantham** served on Capers' staff when he was head coach of the Houston Texans from 2002-04... New Orleans defensive tackle **Bryan Bresee** played at Clemson...Saints Passing Game Coordinator/ Quarterbacks Coach **Ronald Curry** was a four-year starter at quarterback at the University of North Carolina and also was the starting point guard on the school's 1998-99 and 2000-01 basketball teams...Carolina Special Teams Assistant **Devin Fitzsimmons** is a Folsom native, who along with Panthers Wide Receivers Coach **Shawn Jefferson** also served on the same Arizona Cardinals staff with Saints Secondary Coach **Marcus Robertson** from 2021-22. Robertson and Jefferson also served on the same Detroit Lions staff in 2012. New Orleans Assistant Head Coach/ Special Teams Coordinator **Darren Rizzi** worked on the same Miami Dolphins staff with Jefferson from 2016-18...Panthers Special Teams Coordinator **Chris Tabor** and Saints Tight Ends Coach **Clancy Barone** served on the same Chicago Bears staff from 2020-21. Carolina wide receiver **Terrace Marshall Jr.** prepped at Parkway (Bossier City, La.) HS and played at LSU, helping the Tigers win the 2019 National Championship and recording 106 career receptions for 1,594 and 23 touchdowns...Carolina safety **Vonn Bell** was a second round draft pick of the Saints in 2016 and played for the Black and Gold from 2016-19. Saints cornerback **Marshon Lattimore** and wide receiver **Michael Thomas** played with Bell at Ohio State...Panthers wide receiver **Laviska Shenault Jr.** and wide receiver **D.T. Chark** and DB **C.J. Henderson** played for Saints Offensive Line Coach **Doug Marrone** when he served as Head Coach of the Jacksonville Jaguars in 2020...Panthers tight end **Stephen Sullivan** prepped at Donaldsonville (La.) High School and played at Louisiana State University from 2016-19, spending most of his senior season as the Tigers' second tight end, catching 12 passes for 130 yards as the Tigers won the 2020 National Championship. Saints tight end **Foster Moreau** played with Chark, Marshall and Sullivan with the Tigers...Carolina defensive tackle **Shy Tuttle** played for the Saints from 2019-22...Panthers guard/tackle **Calvin Throckmorton** played for the Saints from 2020-22...Panthers cornerback **Donte Jackson** prepped at Riverdale High School and played at Louisiana State University...Carolina practice squad linebacker **Deion Jones** was a standout at Jesuit (New Orleans, La.) HS and at Louisiana State University...New Orleans wide receiver **Keith Kirkwood** played for the Panthers from 2020-21. Kirkwood and Panthers safety **Sam Franklin Jr.** were college teammates at Temple...New Orleans Area Scout **C.J. Leak** played his first two years of college football at Wake Forest.

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**SAINTS-PANTHERS CONNECTIONS**

Panthers linebacker **Claudin Chereus** played at Alcorn State from 2020-22...New Orleans Defensive Assistant **Kamu Grugier-Hill** and Panthers LB **Kamu Grugier-Hill** were college teammates at Eastern Illinois. Saints DB **Lonnie Johnson** and Grugier-Hill were teammates with the Houston Texans...Saints Defensive Coordinator **Joe Woods** tutored Panthers cornerback **Troy Hill** when he was defensive coordinator in Cleveland in 2021...New Orleans cornerback **Alontae Taylor** and Panthers guard **Cade Mays** were college teammates at Tennessee...Panthers defensive back **Xavier Woods** prepped at West Monroe (La.) HS and played at Louisiana Tech...Panthers General Manager **Scott Fitterer** played baseball at LSU from 1994-95.

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

CB	Paulson <b>Adebo</b> (uh-DEE-boh)
DB	<b>Ugo Amadi</b> (ooh-go uh-MAH-dee)
LB	Zack <b>Baun</b> (BONN)
DT	Bryan <b>Bresee</b> (bruH-ZEE)
LB	<b>Demario</b> Davis (duh-MAR-ee-oh)
DE	Isaiah <b>Foskey</b> (FAW-skee)
K	Blake <b>Grupe</b> (GROOP-ee)
DE	<b>Tanoh Kpassagnon</b> (tawn-oh pass-N-yo)
S	<b>Tyrann Mathieu</b> (ty-REN MATH-you)
TE	Foster <b>Moreau</b> (muh--ROH)
WR	Chris <b>Olave</b> (oh-LAH-vay)
T	<b>Andrus Peat</b> (ann-druss pete)
T	Ryan <b>Ramczyk</b> (RAM-check)
DT	<b>Khalen</b> Saunders (KAWL-en)
LB	<b>Nephi Sewell</b> (KNEE-fy soo-ul)
CB	<b>Alontae</b> Taylor (Alon-tay)
WR	<b>Rashid</b> Shaheed (rah-SHEED)
TE	Isaac <b>Yiadam</b> (YEAH-dum)

**COACHES**

Senior Offensive Asst. Bob **Bicknell** (bick-NELL).

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

**TRANSACTIONS (July 20 —)****JULY**

**20** – Waived C/G **Billy Price**.

**25** – Signed TE **Jimmy Graham**, C/G **Max Garcia** and G **Trai Turner** to one-year contracts and waived TE **Miller Forristall** and G **Koda Martin**.

**28** – Signed LS **Zach Wood** to four-year contract exten-

sion.

**30** – Re-signed G **Koda Martin** and placed DE **Jabari Zuniga** on Reserve/Retired.

**31** – Signed DE **Kyle Phillips**. Placed G **Trai Turner** on Injured Reserve.

**AUGUST**

**2** – Signed G **Tommy Kraemer**. Awarded G **Chuck Filiaga** off waivers (Green Bay). Placed LB **Andrew Dowell** on Injured Reserve.

**3** – Placed T **Scott Lashley** on Injured Reserve.

**4** – Signed DE **Cameron Jordan** to two-year extension.

**6** – Signed WR **Jontre Kirklin** and placed RB **Eno Benjamin** on Injured Reserve.

**9** – Signed TE **J.P. Holtz**. Waived/injured G **Koda Martin**.

**10** – Placed G **Koda Martin** on Injured Reserve.

**11** – Signed LB **Jaylon Smith** and terminated contract of WR **Keke Coutee**.

**13** – Reached an injury settlement with G **Koda Martin**.

**5** – Signed RB **Darrel Williams** and terminated contract of WR **James Washington**.

**22** – Reached an injury settlement with T **Scott Lashley**. Waived WR **Bryan Edwards**.

**29** – Waived S **Johnathan Abram**, LB **Nick Anderson**, WRs **Kawaan Baker**, **Lynn Bowden Jr.**, **Shaq Davis** and **Jontre Kirklin**, FB **Jake Bargas**, DL **Jerron Cage**, TE **Lucas Krull**, DE **Niko Lalos**, DT **Prince Emili**, OLs **Mark Evans II** and **Lewis Kidd**, G **Chuck Filiaga**, DB **Adrian Frye**, P **Blake Gillikin**, DT **Jack Heflin**, DB **Anthony Johnson**, G **Tommy Kraemer**, LB **Ellis Merriweather**, S **Smoke Monday**, LB **Anthony Orji**, DE **Kyle Phillips**, OLs **Alex Pihlstrom** and **Calvin Throckmorton** and DB **Troy Pride**. Terminated contracts of LB **Ryan Connelly**, TEs **J.P. Holtz** and **Jesse James**, T **Storm Norton**, CB **Bradley Roby**, LB **Jaylon Smith**, LB **Ty Summers** and RB **Darrel Williams**. Traded K **Wil Lutz** to Denver in exchange for a 2024 seventh round pick. Placed RB **Alvin Kamara** on Reserve/Suspended By Commissioner.

**30** – Signed to practice squad contracts; S **Johnathan Abram**, WR **Lynn Bowden**, LB **Ryan Connelly**, WR **Shaq Davis**, OL **Mark Evans** DL **Jack Heflin**, DB **Anthony Johnson**, WR **Jontre Kirklin**, G **Tommy Kraemer**, DE **Niko Lalos**, RB **Ellis Merriweather**, T **Storm Norton**, LB **Anfernee Orji**, DE **Kyle Phillips** and LBs **Jaylon Smith** and **Ty Summers**.

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**TRANSACTIONS** (August 31 —)**August**

**31** – Terminated practice squad contracts of RB **Ellis Merriweather** and LB **Ty Summers** and signed RBs **Tony Jones Jr.** and **Jordan Mims** to the practice squad.

**September**

**4** – Terminated practice squad contract of OL **Mark Evans II** and signed TE **Tommy Hudson** to the practice squad.

**6** – Placed QB **Jake Haener** on Reserve/Suspended By Commissioner.

**6** – Placed WR **Tre'Quan Smith** on Injured Reserve. Standard elevations of practice squad LB **Ryan Connelly** and RB **Tony Jones Jr.** Signed G/C **Cesar Ruiz** to a four-year contract extension.

**TEAM NOTES****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. 22 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 Atlanta Falcons from 1968-72.

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

**Senior Offensive Assistant Bob Bicknell** - Father, Jack spent 13 seasons as a head coach in NFL Europe. Brother, Jack Jr. served as an assistant with the New York Giants, Kansas City Chiefs, Pittsburgh Steelers and Miami Dolphins.

**Offensive Assistant D.J. Williams** - Father, Doug, is a veteran of Washington'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 Buccaneers Ring of Honor, also working in the Tampa Bay front office.

**Vice President/Assistant General Manager-College Personnel Jeff Ireland** – Stepson of Kansas City Chiefs Hall of Fame linebacker/center E.J. Holub. Grandson of Eagles running back and Bears personnel exec. Jim Parmer.

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

**Quarterback Derek Carr** - Older brother, Derek, was the No. 1 overall pick in 2002 by the Houston Texans and played 11 years with Houston, Carolina, the New York Giants and San Francisco. Uncle, Lon Boyett, played tight end for Tampa Bay, the Raiders and San Francisco.

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

**Tight End 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).

**Defensive Back Jordan Howden** - Cousin, Saldin Martin, played with the New York Giants, New York Jets and San Francisco 49ers.

**Linebacker D'Marco Jackson** - Cousin Maurice Morris played running back for the Seattle Seahawks (2002-08) and the Detroit Lions (2009-11).

**Defensive End 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.

**Tight End Juwan Johnson** - Brother George, played defensive end for eight years in the NFL with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers, Minnesota Vikings, Detroit Lions and Saints.

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

**Linebacker Nephi Sewell** - One brother, Penei, was the No. 7 overall pick in the 2021 NFL Draft of the Detroit Lions. A second brother, Noah, was a fifth round draft pick of the Chicago Bears in 2023.

**Wide Receiver Michael Thomas** - Uncle, Keyshwan Johnson, played 12 seasons with the New York Jets, Tampa Bay Buccaneers, Dallas Cowboys and the Carolina Panthers.

**Linebacker Pete Werner** - Father, Greg, played nine games for the New York Jets in 1989 and went to training camp with the Philadelphia Eagles in 1990.

**Running Back Jamaal Williams** - Cousin Victor Butler played linebacker for the Dallas Cowboys (2009-12), Saints (2013) and Indianapolis Colts (2014).

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## TEAM NOTES

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**Senior Scouting Consultant Scott Campbell** - Late father, Marion, played for the 49ers (1954-55) and 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), the Minnesota Vikings (1964-66), Los Angeles Rams (1967-68), Eagles (1977-82) and Atlanta Falcons (1969-74) and former head coach of the Eagles (1983-85) and Falcons (1987-89).

**Area Scout Joey Vitt** - The son of longtime NFL Coach Joe Vitt, who served as assistant head coach/linebackers with the Saints from 2006-16 and is currently assistant head coach of the Denver Broncos.

**Area Scout Matt Phillips** - The son of longtime Chicago Bears front office member and former team president, Ted Phillips.

**VP/Player Development Fred McAfee** - The cousin of former Los Angeles Rams running back Marcus Dupree.

### 2023 PRACTICE SQUAD

The following players make up the New Orleans Saints practice squad:

Player	Pos.	School	Exp.
Johnathan Abram	S	Mississippi State	5
Niko Lalos	DE	Dartmouth	2
Lynn Bowden	WR	Kentucky	3
Ryan Connelly	LB	Wisconsin	4
Shaq Davis	WR	South Carolina State	R
Tommy Hudson	TE	Arizona State	2
Jack Heflin	DL	Iowa	2
Anthony Johnson	DB	Virginia	R
Tony Jones Jr.	RB	Notre Dame	3
Jontre Kirklin	WR	LSU	1
Tommy Kraemer	G	Notre Dame	3
Jordan Mims	RB	Fresno State	R
Storm Norton	T	Toledo	4
Kyle Phillips	DE	Tennessee	4
Anthony Orji	LB	Vanderbilt	R
Jaylon Smith	LB	Notre Dame	7

### ROSTER FACTS AND FIGURES

**Oldest Saints player:** Tight End Jimmy Graham, 36, 10/24/86

**Youngest Saint:** Running Back Kendre Miller, 21, 6/11/02

**Most Seasons as a Saint:** Defensive End Cameron Jordan - 13

**Most NFL seasons:** Jordan and Graham - 13

**Most consecutive starts:** Linebacker Demario Davis, 21

**Consecutive games played:** Long snapper Zach Wood, 99

**Most playoff experience:** Jordan and safety Tyrann Mathieu, 11 games

**Heaviest Saint:** Tackle Landon Young, 321

**Tallest Saint:** Graham and Young, 6-7

**Shortest Saint:** Kicker Blake Grupe, 5-7.

**Former first round draft picks:** 9 – Jordan, defensive tackle Bryan Bresee, cornerback Marshon Lattimore, Olave, tackle Trevor Penning, tackle Ryan Ramczyk, Ruiz, defensive end Payton Turner and quarterback Jameis Winston.

**Pro Bowlers:** 9 – Graham, defensive back J.T. Gray (special teams), linebacker Demario Davis, wide receiver Michael Thomas, Jordan, guard/tackle Andrus Peat, Lattimore, Mathieu and Winston.

**Colleges with the most Saints:** Ohio State - 4 (Olave, Lattimore, Thomas and linebacker Pete Werner).

### A SAINTS WIN WOULD...

- Give the Saints a 2-0 start for the first time since 2013 when New Orleans won its first five contests.
- Give the Saints a road win in their NFC opener for the second consecutive season.
- Snap a two-game losing streak the Saints have against the Panthers after last season's series sweep.
- Improve New Orleans's all-time record against Carolina to 30-28, including the 2017 NFC Wild Card playoff victory.
- Give the Saints wins in five of their last six tries and six of their last nine.
- Mark New Orleans' third consecutive road win, dating back to the 2022 season.



## TEAM NOTES

### MY HOMETOWN

Saints players come from 24 states, Australia and Canada. Of the players on the team's roster, California (quarterback Derek Carr, defensive end Isaiah Foskey, defensive end Carl Granderson, defensive back Jordan Howden, wide receiver Chris Olave, fullback Adam Prentice, wide receiver/return specialist Rashid Shaheed, wide receiver Michael Thomas and running back Jamaal Williams) claims the most with nine.

### COACHES IN THE NFL

Seven members of the 2023 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 Coordinator/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.

Assistant Offensive Line Coach **Kevin Carberry** - Prior to entering the coaching ranks, Carberry competed in training camps of the Cleveland Browns (2005) and Carolina Panthers (2006) and spent the 2005 season on the Detroit Lions practice squad. He also played for the Berlin Thunder of NFL Europe in the spring of 2006. From 2007-08, he played in the Arena Football League for the New York Dragons and Philadelphia Soul and was a member of the Soul's 2008 Arena Bowl Championship squad.

Offensive Assistant **Jahri Evans** - Evans was selected by the Saints in the fourth round (108th overall) of the 2006 NFL Draft and spent the first 11 seasons of his 12-year playing career with the Saints. Overall, he started 183 career regular season games at right guard for the Saints (2006-16) and Green Bay Packers (2017), 169 for the Black and Gold. Evans was a six-time Pro Bowl selection, a five-time *Associated Press* All-Pro and was named to the Pro Football Hall of Fame's 2020's All-Decade Team, as New Orleans finished in the Top Ten in total offense each of the 11 seasons he lined up for the Saints, while the 196 sacks surrendered by the offensive line over the period were the lowest in the NFC and second-lowest in the NFL. After being selected as a consensus All-Rookie in 2006, Evans was a Pro Bowl starter and consensus first-team All-Pro each season from 2009-12. He was inducted into the Saints Hall of Fame in 2020, the Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame in 2022 and was a semifinalist for the Pro Football Hall of Fame's Class of 2023.

Defensive Assistant **Matt Giordano** - Giordano was a fourth round draft pick of the Indianapolis Colts in 2005 and enjoyed a nine-year NFL career with the Colts (2005-08), Green Bay Packers (2009), Saints (2010), Oakland Raiders (2011-12) and St. Louis Rams (2013), starting 30-of-116 career games, accumulating 202 tackles, one sack, 11 interceptions, including two returned for touchdowns, 16 passes defended, two forced fumbles, 52 special teams stop and one coverage fumble recovery. He also appeared in seven postseason games for the Colts and Packers and was a member of Indianapolis' Super Bowl XLI championship team.

Secondary Coach **Marcus Robertson** - Robertson played in the NFL for 12 years with the Houston Oilers/Tennessee Titans (1991-00) and the Seattle Seahawks (2001-02) after entering the league with Houston as a fourth-round selection (102nd overall) in the 1991 NFL Draft out of Iowa State. Robertson was a first-team All-Pro at free safety in 1993 and 1997. The Pasadena, Calif. native finished his career by appearing in 162 games (144 starts), collecting 24 interceptions, 72 passes defended, 11 fumble recoveries, nine forced fumbles and 795 tackles (638 solo).

Pass Rush Specialist **Brian Young** - Played in the National Football League 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.

### ROSTER ROLL CALL

On the 51-player Saints active roster as of Sept. 11, 35 were on the active roster, a reserve list or the practice squad at the end of the 2022 season. Among newcomers, the roster includes three unrestricted free agents, ten veteran free agents, six draft picks and two rookie free agents.

Of the players, 19 have less than four years of previous NFL experience, including eight players who were in their first training camp or preseason. The following is a breakdown of New Orleans' roster by years of experience (year entering): 13 years-2, 12 years-1, 11 years-1, 10 years-2, 9 years-3, 8 years-1, 7 years-7, 6 years-3, 5 years-6, 4 years-5, 3 years-5, 2 years-5, 1 year-2 rookies-8.

### HIGHER EDUCATION

35 colleges and universities are represented on the Saints 53-man roster. 11 are represented by multiple Saints, four from Ohio State and two from Florida, LSU, Wisconsin, Kentucky, Miami (Fla.), Oregon Notre Dame, Stanford, Arkansas State, BYU, and Oregon.

## TEAM NOTES

### IN THE NFL

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

#### NFL REGULAR SEASON RECORDS SINCE 2006

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
New England Patriots	199	76	0	.724
Green Bay Packers	175	98	2	.640
Pittsburgh Steelers	170	103	2	.623
<b>New Orleans Saints</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.607</b>
Baltimore Ravens	166	109	0	.604

Since 2009, New Orleans' 142-85 regular season record is ranked second in the NFC and fourth in the NFL.

#### NFL REGULAR SEASON RECORDS SINCE 2009

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
New England Patriots	159	68	0	.704
Green Bay Packers	147	78	2	.652
Pittsburgh Steelers	142	83	2	.630
<b>New Orleans Saints</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.626</b>
Baltimore Ravens	137	90	0	.604

### POINTS PER GAME

Since 2006, the Saints have averaged 27.1 points per game (7,435 points) in 273 games, second in the NFL. Since 2006, they've scored 20 or more points in 209 contests (76.6%) and 30 or more in 119 (43.8%).

#### NFL POINTS PER GAME LEADERS SINCE 2006

Team	Pts.	Pts./Gm.
1. New England	7,703	28.0
<b>2. New Orleans</b>	<b>7,451</b>	<b>27.1</b>
3. Green Bay	7,139	26.0

### OPPONENT POINTS PER GAME

After ranking in the top 10 in opponent points per game in 2020 and 2021, New Orleans had slipped in 2022 to 31st (28.9 ppg.), going into the Week Eight contest vs. Las Vegas. Since that 24-0 shutout of the Raiders, New Orleans is second in the NFL opponent points per game (14.5 ppg.), moving up to ninth overall to conclude 2022. Giving

up 20 or fewer points in eight consecutive games, New Orleans gave up 20 or fewer in five straight contests in three consecutive seasons for the first time in franchise history in 2022. Carrying over to Sunday's 16-15 win over the Tennessee Titans, the Saints have up 20 or fewer points in a nine-game span for the second time in franchise history, tying the previous club record (9/8-11/10/91). If they give up 20 or fewer on Monday night, they will set a new club record.

#### NFL OPPONENT POINTS PER GAME LEADERS FROM OCT. 30, 2022 - PRESENT

Team	Pts.	Pts./Gm.
1. San Francisco	151	13.7
2. Baltimore	141	14.1
<b>2. New Orleans</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>14.5</b>

#### 2022 NFL OPPONENT POINTS PER GAME LEADERS

Team	Pts.	Pts./Gm.
1. San Francisco	277	16.3
2. Buffalo	286	17.9
3. Baltimore	315	18.5
4. New York Jets	316	18.6
5. Dallas	342	20.1
6. Cincinnati	322	20.1
7. Washington	343	20.2
8. Philadelphia	344	20.2
<b>9. New Orleans</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>20.3</b>
10. Pittsburgh	346	20.4

Since Head Coach **Dennis Allen's** second full season in charge of the Saints defense in 2017, New Orleans has ranked first in the NFC and fourth in the NFL in opponent points per game.

#### NFL OPPONENT POINTS PER GAME LEADERS SINCE 2017

Team	Pts.	Pts./Gm.
1. New England	1,874	18.9
2. Baltimore	1,891	19.1
3. Buffalo	1,942	20.0
<b>4. New Orleans</b>	<b>2,052</b>	<b>20.7</b>
5. Pittsburgh	2,057	20.8



# TEAM NOTES

## STREAKS IN NEW ORLEANS SAINTS HISTORY OF SURRENDERING 20 OR FEWER POINTS

- 1t. 9 Games - 11/13/22-present**
- 1t. 9 Games - 9/8/91-11/10/91
- 3. 8 Games - 12/16/91-10/11/92

## STREAKS IN NEW ORLEANS SAINTS HISTORY OF SURRENDERING 10 OR FEWER POINTS

- 1. 6 Games - 9/8/91-10/20/91
- 2t. 3 Games - 12/24/22-1/8/23**
- 2t. 3 Games - 11/2-11/16/86
- 2t. 3 Games - 10/21-11/4/86

## ROAD WARRIORS

Since 2006, the Saints have the best road record in the NFC, second-best in the National Football League at 79-58 (.577).

## NFL REGULAR SEASON ROAD RECORDS SINCE 2006

Team	Record
1. New England	90-47
<b>2. New Orleans</b>	<b>79-58</b>
3. Dallas	75-61
4. Pittsburgh	74-61-1

Since 2009, with a 67-46 (.593) road mark, the Saints have the best record in the NFC and second-best in the National Football League.

## NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE REGULAR SEASON ROAD RECORDS SINCE 2009

Team	Record
1. New England	70-43
<b>2. New Orleans</b>	<b>67-46</b>
3. Dallas	62-51
4. Pittsburgh	61-51-1

Since 2018, with a 29-12 (.707) road mark, the Saints have the best road record away in the NFC and second-best in the National Football League after rallying to win their final

two road contests in 2022.

## NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE REGULAR SEASON ROAD RECORDS SINCE 2018

Team	Record
1. Kansas City	31-9
<b>2. New Orleans</b>	<b>29-12</b>
3. Baltimore	25-16

## AT HOME IN THE DOME

Since 2008, the Saints have posted an 82-38 regular season home record, fifth in the NFL. In 2022, New Orleans improved upon their 2021 record at the Caesars Superdome of 2-5, going 4-4 and winning back to back contests at their home stadium for the first time since the middle of the 2020 campaign.

## NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE REGULAR SEASON HOME RECORDS SINCE 2008

Team	Record
1. New England	94-25
2. Green Bay	89-26-2
3. Pittsburgh	86-35-1
4. Baltimore	86-35
<b>5. New Orleans</b>	<b>82-38</b>

Below is a breakdown of the club's regular season record on their home turf since 2008:

September.....	16-10
October.....	25-5
November.....	21-10
December.....	16-13
January.....	2-2
Playing at noon or before.....	42-27
Playing between 3:05-3:30.....	15-3
Playing on prime time.....	23-10
Played on Thursday.....	3-2
Played on Friday.....	1-0
Played on Saturday.....	1-1
Played on Sunday.....	65-32
Played on Monday.....	11-6
Playing against the NFC South.....	29-16
Played against the NFC (non-NFC South).....	33-12
Played against the AFC.....	14-11
Vs. Arizona.....	2-0
Vs. Atlanta.....	10-5

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## CONTINUED FROM PREVIOUS PAGE-SAINTS HOME BREAKDOWN SINCE 2008

Vs. Baltimore.....	0-2
Vs. Buffalo.....	1-1
Vs. Carolina.....	9-6
Vs. Chicago.....	2-0
Vs. Cincinnati.....	0-2
Vs. Cleveland.....	1-1
Vs. Dallas.....	3-2
Vs. Denver.....	0-1
Vs. Detroit.....	3-2
Vs. Green Bay.....	3-1
Vs. Indianapolis.....	5-5
Vs. Houston.....	2-0
Vs. Jacksonville.....	1-0
Vs. Kansas City.....	0-2
Vs. Las Vegas.....	2-1
Vs. Los Angeles Chargers.....	3-0
Vs. Los Angeles Rams.....	4-0
Vs. Tampa Bay.....	10-5
Vs. Tennessee.....	1-1
Vs. Washington.....	2-1

## BUCKING THE ODDS

The Saints have a long tradition of finding players as free agents signed after the draft that make an impact or development through use of the practice squad. Several Saints on the roster play key roles on offense, defense and special teams that the club developed. This trends for the competition battles in training camp/preseason

Wide receiver/return specialist **Rashid Shaheed** came to New Orleans as an undrafted free agent out of Weber State in 2022 after being one of the all-time best Division FCS returners and after spending the first five weeks on the practice squad, made an immediate impact, Oct. 16 vs. Cincinnati with a 44-yard rushing touchdown. He followed that up with a 53-yard touchdown reception on Oct. 20 at Arizona to become the only Saint to score a touchdown in each of his first two offensive touches. In the December 18 win over Atlanta, he finished with three receptions for 95 yards, with a 68-yard touchdown grab from Taysom Hill, the longest play from scrimmage of the season for New Orleans and the fifth-longest receiving TD by a Saints rookie all-time. On the Christmas Eve win at Cleveland in challenging conditions, Shaheed led the team in receiving with four grabs for 41 yards. In the January 1 victory at Philadelphia, he led the team in receiving for the third consecutive week, posting six receptions for 79 yards, including a 58-yard grab to set up a field goal. Overall, he carried

four times for 57 yards with a 44-yard touchdown, caught 28 passes for 488 yards (17.4 avg.) with two TDs, returned 20 punts for 193 yards (9.7 avg.) and returned 14 kickoffs for 320 yards (22.9 avg.).

## LONGEST SAINTS ROOKIE RECEIVING TDS

Rk. Rookie, Game	Yds.
1. Marques Colston, 10/1/06 at Car.	86t
2. Kenny Stills, 12/29/13 vs. TB	76t
3. Reggie Bush, 12/3/06 vs. SF	74
4. Kenny Stills, 10/27/13 vs. Buf.	69t
<b>5. Rashid Shaheed, 12/18/22 vs. Atl. 68t</b>	

In Sunday's season-opening win over Tennessee, Shaheed had a career-high 216 all-purpose yards, highlighted by five receptions for 89 yards, including a 19-yard touchdown and a 41-yard grab.

Tight end **Juwan Johnson** led his position group with four touchdown receptions in 2021, converting to the position after playing wide receiver in college and starting his Black and Gold career in 2020 as a wideout on the team's practice squad after signing as an undrafted free agent from Oregon. In 2022, he led his position group in receiving with 42 grabs for 508 yards with a club-best and career-high seven receiving touchdowns, tied for third at the position in the National Football League. On January 1, 2023 at Philadelphia, Johnson tied his career-high in receiving with five grabs for 62 yards. Johnson leads the Saints with 11 receiving touchdowns over the past two seasons, while being tied for sixth among league tight ends.

## NFL RECEIVING TOUCHDOWN LEADERS AMONG TIGHT ENDS IN 2022

Rk. Tight End	No.
1. Travis Kelce, KC	12
2. George Kittle, SF	11
<b>3t. Juwan Johnson, NO</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>3t. Cole Kmet, Chi.</b>	<b>7</b>

Johnson has gotten off to a positive start in 2023, beginning with Sunday's season-opening win over Tennessee, when he recorded three receptions for 36 yards, including a 27-yard grab.



## TEAM NOTES

Defensive end **Carl Granderson** played in 15 games in 2021 with three starts and posted 24 tackles and three sacks. In 2022, he posted 53 stops (30 solo) and a career-high 5.5 sacks, recovering the first fumble of his career on December 5 at Tampa Bay. In the Christmas Eve win at Cleveland, Granderson, sacked Browns QB Deshaun Watson at the Saints 22-yard line on fourth down with 19 seconds left in the fourth quarter to secure the win. The following week on January 1, 2023 at Philadelphia, he posted two stops, 1.5 sacks, one stop for loss and two quarterback hits, as Granderson posted at least half a takedown in three consecutive weeks for the first time in his career.

In Sunday's season-opening win over Tennessee, Granderson recorded four tackles (two solo), a team-high 1.5 sacks and four quarterback hits.

Punter **Lou Hedley** was signed following the 2023 NFL Draft by the Saints out of the University of Miami, where he played from 2019-22 and punted 206 times for 9,315 yards with a 45.2 gross punting average and 77 inside-the-20. The Australia native, who won the punting job in a punting competition in training camp at 30 years old earned All-ACC second-team honors in 2021 and was selected as a semifinalist for the Ray Guy Award, honoring the nation's top punter. In 2020, Hedley was recognized with AP second-team All-American honors and a Ray Guy Award finalist, as the Hurricanes ranked second in the FBS in net punting average.

Kicker **Blake Grupe** was signed by New Orleans as an undrafted free agent out of Notre Dame, where he played his graduate campaign in 2022, after handling kicking duties at Arkansas State from 2017-21. In 2022, he led the Fighting Irish with 91 points on 14-of-19 field goals and a perfect 49-for-49 in PATs. The Missouri native was Arkansas State's career record holder in scoring (354), field goals (64) and PATs (162). In the 2023 preseason, Grupe secured a roster spot, by making five-of-six field goal attempts.

In the team's season-opening win over Tennessee, Grupe was a perfect three-of-three on field goal attempts, including a 52-yarder, making him the first Saints rookie to drill three field goals in his NFL debut. All five of Grupe's kick-offs sailed into the end zone for touchbacks.

Wide Receiver **Keith Kirkwood** originally joined the Saints as an undrafted free agent out of Temple in 2018. The New Jersey native spent the first two months of his rookie season on the New Orleans practice squad, before being signed to the active roster at midseason and recording 13 receptions for 209 yards (16.1 avg.) with two touchdowns. He added one more scoring grab in the NFC Divisional playoff win over Philadelphia to help the Saints advance to the NFC Championship. After spending most of the 2019

campaign on Injured Reserve and playing for Carolina from 2020-21, Kirkwood returned to New Orleans in 2022, where he contributed on offense and special teams. In the 2023 preseason opening win over Kansas City, he caught a four-yard touchdown pass from QB Derek Carr.

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

(ON 53-MAN ROSTER )

PLAYER, SCHOOL	SEASON
DB J.T. Gray, Mississippi State	2018
WR Keith Kirkwood, Temple	2018
DE Carl Granderson, Wyoming	2019
TE Juwan Johnson, Oregon	2020
WR/RS Rashid Shaheed, Weber State	2022
K Blake Grupe, Notre Dame	2023
P Lou Hedley, Miami (Fla.)	2023

### SAINTS IN 2023 WHEN?

Trailing After First Quarter.....	1-0
Trailing at Halftime.....	1-0
Leading After Third Quarter.....	1-0
Opponent Scores First.....	1-0
Saints 200+ Yards Passing.....	1-0
+ 1 Turnover Margin.....	1-0
Recording 3 Takeaways.....	1-0
Defense Has 3+ Sacks.....	1-0
Indoors.....	1-0
Home Games.....	1-0
On Artificial Turf.....	1-0
Allowing 20 Or Fewer Points.....	1-0

### SAINTS BY THE NUMBERS

**0** – Number of points surrendered by New Orleans in the Oct. 30, 2022 24-0 shutout of Las Vegas. With the defense under Head Coach Dennis Allen's supervision, the Saints have had three of the franchise's 16 shutouts. With Sunday's 16-15 season-opening win over Tennessee, Head Coach Dennis Allen became the first Saints head coach to win his first two season openers in charge of the team.

**2** – With his 200th career start (regular season and post-season combined) on Dec. 24, 2022 at Cleveland, defensive end Cameron Jordan joined quarterback Drew Brees as only the second Saint reach that milestone. With 193 regular season appearances, Jordan is seven from joining Brees as only the second Saint to play in 200 regular season games with the club this season.

**3** – The number of times New Orleans has posted a shut-out since 2017. **CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE**

## TEAM NOTES

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**4** – The number of number of Saints players who have appeared in 200 games in a Black and Gold uniform (regular season and postseason combined), with Jordan joining Brees, punter Thomas Morstead and kicker Morten Andersen in 2022.

**5** – The Saints have won a franchise-record four consecutive season openers dating back to the 2019 season. The five-game winning streak for season openers is the longest current running streak in the NFL.

**6.5** – The career-high number of sacks in 2022 by linebacker Demario Davis, who was selected to the Pro Bowl for the first time.

**7** – The number of Ring of Honor members, including LB Sam Mills who was inducted posthumously on Dec. 2, 2021 at halftime and was inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame in 2022 to join former Saints teammates in K Morten Andersen, Jackson and T William Roaf.

**8** – The number of Pro Bowl selections by Jordan, the most in club history by a defensive player and 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. Also the team-leading number of sacks by Jordan in 2022 when he became the franchise's all-time leader (116 after recording a split sack in Sunday's season opener).

**9** – Number of consecutive games New Orleans has surrendered 20 points or fewer, tying the team mark and seeking to set the new franchise record on Monday night at Carolina. For the first time in franchise history in 2022, the Saints have had streaks of giving up 20 or fewer points in at least five straight games for three consecutive campaigns. Also the team leading number of total touchdowns by Taysom Hill (seven rushing and two receiving) last season, tied for the second-highest total of score accounted for by a player at the position in 2022.

**11** – After Jordan's three sacks on Jan. 1, 2023 at Philadelphia to up his season total to 8.5, he became the sixth player in NFL history to record at least seven takedowns in 11 consecutive seasons.

**12** – The team-leading number of special teams tackles recorded by DB J.T. Gray in 2022.

**17.4** – Wide receiver/return specialist Rashid Shaheed's 17.4 yards per catch average as a rookie in 2022 ranked second in the NFC and third in the NFL among players with at least 28 receptions.

**19** – The special teams tackle total by Gray in 2021, which led the NFL.

**32** – The number of years since the club last had shutouts in back-to-back seasons (1991-92) after the club has posted shutouts in both 2021 and 2022.

**48** – The number of sacks by New Orleans in 2022, tied for fifth in the NFL.

**49** – The club opened 49th season at the Caesars Superdome on Sunday against the Titans.

**53** – With his 53-yard receiving touchdown on Oct. 20, 2022 at Arizona following up a 44-yard rushing touchdown the prior week, Shaheed become the first Saint to score touchdowns on each of his first two career offensive touches.

**216** – Shaheed had a career-high 216 all-purpose yards in Sunday's win over Tennessee, the highest total by a Saint since the 2017 regular season finale.

**57** – The club started its 57th season of play Sunday vs. Tennessee.

**414** – Franchise wins (Regular season/postseason combined).

**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 Nov. 24, 2014 contest vs. Baltimore.

**116** – Career and franchise-record number of sacks by Jordan, first in team records and ranked 23th in NFL. Jordan is 5.5 sacks from reaching 22nd, six from 21st and seven from reaching the top 20.

**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. Jordan now has 23 takedowns against the Falcons.

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

**13.5** – With a sack against Carolina on Sept. 25, 2022 Jordan now has 13.5 career sacks against the Panthers and double-digit totals against all three NFC South division opponents.

**15** – With one sack against Tampa Bay on Oct. 31, 2021, Jordan became the 15th National Football League player with at least 15 takedowns against two different teams. Jordan has 17 sacks against the Buccaneers, the second-most against an opponent.

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**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.

**27** – After the January 1, 2023 three-sack performance against Philadelphia, the number of career multi-sack games by Jordan, tied with Jackson for first in club record books.

**28** – Number of opponents Jordan has a sack against. Jordan has not recorded a sack against Baltimore, Kansas City and the New York Jets.

**45** – Number of players sacked by Jordan in his career after he split a sack of Steelers rookie signal-caller Kenny Pickett on Nov. 13, 2022. Jordan will face a rookie signal-caller this week in Carolina's Bryce Young, the first pick in the 2023 NFL Draft out of Alabama.

**109** – Team-leading number of tackles by linebacker Demario Davis, who was selected to the Pro Bowl for the first time. Davis is the third Saint to have 100 stops in five consecutive seasons, has done so in six straight campaigns overall and in nine of his 11 seasons overall.

**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 only the second Saint, joining Joe Federspeil to have four straight campaigns exceeding 100 stops.

**100** – Davis was the only NFL linebacker in 2022 to play in 100% of his team's defensive snaps.

**1,224** – Career number of tackles by Davis in his 12-year career.

**143** – QB Derek Carr started his 143rd career game on Sunday against the Titans, giving him the most starts by a signal-caller since 2014, surpassing the retired Tom Brady.

**218** – Number of career touchdown passes by Carr, ranked 37th in the NFL.

**3,224** – Number of career completions by Carr, ranked 26th all-time. With 26 completions, he will move into a tie for 25th with Alex Smith and with 27 would surpass SMith.

**35,527** – Number of career passing yards by Carr, ranked 31st all-time. With 124 passing yards on Monday night at Carolina, Carr would surpass Smith and move into 30th.

**PRO BOWL PLAYERS COACHED BY DENNIS ALLEN**  
Allen's coached ten players who've earned 23 Pro Bowl selections as head coach, coordinator and position coach,

three who are currently with the club.

### PRO BOWL PLAYERS COACHED BY ALLEN AS A HEAD COACH, COORDINATOR OR POSITION COACH

Pos.	Player	Pro Bowls	Years
CB	Champ Bailey	1	2011
<b>LB</b>	<b>Demario Davis</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2022</b>
S	Brian Dawkins	1	2011
DE	Elvis Dumervil	1	2011
S	Roman Harper	2	2009-10
<b>DE</b>	<b>Cameron Jordan</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2015, 2017-22</b>
<b>CB</b>	<b>Marshon Lattimore</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2017, 2019-21</b>
OLB	Von Miller	1	2011
FB	Marcel Reece	3	2012-14
S	Darren Sharper	1	2009
DE	Will Smith	1	2006

### PRIME TIME POWER

Since 2006, the Saints have the fourth-best winning percentage in prime time contests (games starting 7 pm or later EST). New Orleans plays at Carolina Monday night and will also play two Thursday Night Football contests; vs. Jacksonville (Oct. 19) and at the L. A. Rams (Dec. 21).

### TOP FIVE NFL PRIME TIME RECORDS SINCE 2006

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
Seattle Seahawks	37	18	1	.673
New England Patriots	48	27	0	.640
Pittsburgh Steelers	50	29	0	.633
<b>New Orleans Saints</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.603</b>
Green Bay Packers	46	33	0	.582

### 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 eight key contributors players on the club's Week One 53-man roster with extensive practice squad experience.

TE **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 in seven contests, Johnson spent the majority of his rookie season on the practice squad. Converted to tight end in 2021 and leading the position group with four touchdowns, Johnson took advantage of his first full offseason strength and conditioning program in 2022, led the tight ends group with 42 receptions for 508 yards with a club-best seven TD grabs, tied for third in the league at his position. **CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE**

## TEAM NOTES

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After spending his first three seasons with the Seattle Seahawks, contributing on both defense and special teams, defensive back **Ugo Amadi** split the 2022 campaign between the Titans active roster and the Kansas City Chiefs practice squad, also appearing in one contest for Kansas City. Possessing the versatility to play in multiple roles, Amadi secured a roster spot with the Saints in the preseason, recording eight tackles, one interception, two passes defended and one coverage stop.

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 AP 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). Gray led the team with 12 special teams stops in 2022, despite missing three games with a hamstring, the third time in four seasons, he has led New Orleans in coverage tackles.

Wide receiver/return specialist **Rashid Shaheed** came to New Orleans as one of the all-time best Division I-AA returners and after spending the first five weeks on the practice squad, made a quick impact on Oct. 16 vs. Cincinnati with a 44-yard rushing TD. With his 53-yard receiving touchdown on October 20 at Arizona, Shaheed became the only Saint to score touchdowns on each of his first two career offensive touches. In addition to finishing with 28 grabs for 488 yards (17.4 avg.) with two touchdowns, Shaheed also handled return duties for New Orleans since being activated, bringing back 20 punts for 193 yards (9.7 avg.). He made big contribution's in Sunday's season opening win over Tennessee with a career-high 216 all-purpose yards, including five receptions for 89 yards, including a 19-yard touchdown and a late fourth quarter 41-yard grab to help secure the victory.

Wide Receiver **Keith Kirkwood** originally joined the Saints as an undrafted free agent out of Temple in 2018. The New Jersey native spent the first two months of his rookie season on the New Orleans practice squad, before being signed to the active roster at midseason and recording 13 receptions for 209 yards (16.1 avg.) with two touchdowns. He added one more scoring grab in the NFC Divisional Playoff win over Philadelphia to help the Saints advance to the NFC Championship. After spending most of the 2019 campaign on Injured Reserve and playing for Carolina from

2020-21, Kirkwood returned to New Orleans in 2022, where he contributed on offense and special teams. In the 2023 preseason opening win over Kansas City, he caught a four-yard touchdown pass from QB Derek Carr.

Fullback **Adam Prentice** was originally signed by Denver following the 2021 NFL Draft out of South Carolina. Joining the Saints at the conclusion of the 2021 preseason, Prentice appeared in seven games with three starts for New Orleans, carrying three times for five yards and catching three passes for 16 yards, while making one special teams stop. In 2022, he played in 11 games with two starts, rushing four times for nine yards, catching three passes for nine yards and also contributing on special teams with three tackles. Prentice recorded one coverage stop in the season opening win over Tennessee

Linebacker **Nephi Sewell** was signed by New Orleans following the 2022 NFL Draft out of Utah and appeared in four games as a rookie, contributing on special teams, while spending the remainder of the campaign on the practice squad. In the offseason, Sewell continued to progress on both defense and special teams and secured a spot on the 53-man roster after leading New Orleans in both defensive tackles (12) and coverage stops (four) in the preseason.

Originally a third round draft pick of the Broncos in 2018, **Isaac Yiadom** has played in 71 games with 20 starts for Denver, the New York Giants, Green Bay, Houston and New Orleans and has posted 107 tackles, a split sack, one interception, 13 passes defended, one forced fumble and 15 special teams stops. After starting 2022 with the Texans, Yiadom joined the Saints practice squad midway through the season and upon being signed to the active roster, recorded two special teams stops in six appearances. In the 2023 opening win over Tennessee, Yiadom contributed a special teams tackle and also tipped a pass to S Marcus Maye for an interception.

## OFFENSIVE NOTES

### IN THE NFL

New Orleans' 388.6 net yards per game since 2006 ranks first in the NFL

### NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE NET YARDS PER GAME LEADERS SINCE 2006

Rk.	Team	Yds.	Yds./Gm.
1.	New Orleans	106,867	388.6
2.	New England	103,078	374.8
3.	Philadelphia	101,506	369.1

## OFFENSIVE NOTES

### THROUGH THE AIR

New Orleans' 276.5 net passing yards per game lead the National Football League since 2006.

#### NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE NET PASSING YARDS PER GAME SINCE 2006

Rk. Team	Yds.	Yds./Gm.
1. New Orleans	<b>76,053</b>	<b>276.6</b>
2. LA Chargers	70,776	257.4
3. New England	70,058	254.8

### YARDAGE RAMPAGE

Since 2006, the Saints have racked up the team's top nine 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 45.1 of their third down attempts since 2006.

#### NFL THIRD DOWN PCT. LEADERS SINCE 2006

Team	Made	Att.	Pct.
1. New Orleans	<b>1,612</b>	<b>3,572</b>	<b>45.1</b>
2. L.A. Chargers	1,565	3,590	43.6
3. New England	1,539	3,601	42.7

### FIRST DOWNS

The Saints' 6,077 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	6,165	2,016	3,594	555
2. New Orleans	<b>6,077</b>	<b>1,783</b>	<b>3,881</b>	<b>413</b>
3. LA Chargers	5,802	1,640	3,699	503

### FOUR DOWN TERRITORY

Since 2006, the Saints second in the NFC and fourth in the NFL in fourth down conversion rate.

#### NFL FOURTH DOWN PCT. LEADERS SINCE 2006

Rk. Team	Conv./Att.	Pct.
1. New England Patriots	159/270	58.9
2. Cincinnati Bengals	150/264	56.8
3. Dallas Cowboys	150/268	56.0
4. <b>New Orleans Saints</b>	<b>151/270</b>	<b>55.9</b>
5. Baltimore Ravens	159/292	54.5

### HOLDING THE LINE

Since 2006 the Saints have allowed the fewest sacks in the NFL, surrendering only 447 takedowns.

#### SACKS ALLOWED IN THE NFL FROM 2006-PRESENT

Rk. Team	Sacks
1. <b>New Orleans</b>	<b>447</b>
2. New England	520
3. Indianapolis	522

Ahead is a synopsis of several returning players and newcomers through the draft and free agency to the 2023 Saints offensive line:

**T/G James Hurst** - A nine-year NFL veteran who was signed as a free agent from Baltimore in 2020, Hurst has 136 career regular season appearances with 81 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, while 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. Hurst started 15 games at left tackle and one at left guard in 2022 and the 2023 season opener at left guard. **CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE**



## OFFENSIVE NOTES

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**RT Ryan Ramczyk** - The Black and Gold used their second first round selection in the 2017 NFL Draft to snag Ramczyk out of the University of Wisconsin, one of the best offensive 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 *Associated Press* All-Pro selection three times since. After missing seven contests in 2021, Ramczyk rebounded to be open the first 16 games in 2022 and continues to anchor the right side of the line.

**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 eight seasons, he's played in 92 regular season games with 86 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 pectoral injury. In his return to the starting lineup in the 2022 season opener in Atlanta, New Orleans rushed for 151 yards. In back-to-back weeks, Peat was a part rushing efforts of 200-yards plus by the club for the first time since 2020.

**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 contests. McCoy has opened all 57 contests he has appeared in at center and signed a five-year contract extension with the team in 2022.

**G/C Cesar Ruiz** - The hard-working, talented and intelligent lineman is a perfect fit for New Orleans' culture. He was selected with the 24th pick in the 2020 NFL Draft out of the University 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 opening win over Green Bay, Ruiz transitioned over to his natural position, where the Saints did not give up a sack in his four starts at center. He returned to right guard on Oct. 25 at Seattle and was the only lineman in 2021 to not miss a start. Ruiz opened 13 games at right guard and one at center in 2022 before suffering a season-ending foot injury Dec. 18, vs. Atlanta. The 46 consecutive starts for Ruiz at the time of his

injury was the longest active streak for a Saint. Following an ardent rehab, Ruiz returned to the starting lineup for the season opener on Sunday, the day after signing a four-year contract extension.

**T Landon Young** - A mainstay at left tackle for his entire college career at Kentucky, Young played in 49 contests 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, also playing jumbo tight end. In 2022, Young showed versatility. On October 13 at Pittsburgh, he slide over to left tackle for the second half to replace Hurst (concussion) and opened this the November 20 win over the Rams at one of the league's most challenging positions. In the January 1 win at Philadelphia, Young played the final three quarters in place of Ramczyk (hip) and then started the following week's season finale vs. Carolina.

**T Trevor Penning** - The club's second first round draft choice (19th overall) in 2022 out of Northern Iowa, the 6-7, 322-pound Penning competed with Hurst for the starting left tackle slot in the preseason before suffering a toe injury. The Clear Lake, Iowa native brings athleticism and extensive college experience to the tackle position, where he played in 37 games with 33 starts. Activated for the second half of the season, Penning served as the club's sixth offensive lineman in jumbo packages and started the season finale at left tackle, carrying over in 2023 to start at the position.

## DEFENSIVE NOTES

### IN THE NFL

After finishing ranked seventh in 2021, surrendering 318.2 net yards per game, the New Orleans defense returned to the top five again in 2022, ranking fifth, while giving up 314.8 net yards per game. New Orleans and San Francisco are the only two teams to rank in the top ten each of the last three seasons and this marked the third time the Saints have ranked in the top ten in total defense for three straight seasons (1982-84 and 1991-93).

### NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE TOTAL DEFENSE LEADERS IN 2022

Team	Yds.	Yds./Gm.
1. San Francisco	5,110	300.6
2. Philadelphia	5,125	301.5
3. Washington	5,178	304.6
4. New York Jets	5,288	311.1
<b>5. New Orleans</b>	<b>5,352</b>	<b>314.8</b>

## DEFENSIVE NOTES

### CONTINUED FROM PREVIOUS PAGE-IN THE NFL

Since 2017, Allen’s second season in charge of the Saints defense, the team has ranked fifth in the NFL in opponent net yards per game.

### NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE TOTAL DEFENSE LEADERS SINCE 2017

Team	Yds.	Yds./Gm.
1. Buffalo	30,543	314.9
2. San Francisco	31,329	316.5
3. Baltimore	31,932	322.5
4. Pittsburgh	32,0151	323.7
<b>5. New Orleans</b>	<b>32,319</b>	<b>326.5</b>
6. New England	32,685	330.2
7. Chicago	32,709	330.4

### PASS DEFENSE

After ranking 14th in 2021, New Orleans finished second in the NFL in pass defense in 2022, despite injuries and having to start several different secondary combinations. In the finale vs. Carolina, New Orleans allowed only 32 net passing yards, the sixth-lowest total by a Saints opponent in a single game, while the –4 net passing yards given up in the first half was the lowest total in the first half of a Saints contest since –15 on Oct. 29, 1986 vs. Atlanta. Panthers QB Sam Darnold’s 2.8 passer rating was the lowest by an opposing passer (min. 10 att.) in a single game in Saints record books. Opposing teams managed only an 83.8 rating in 2022, the ninth-lowest total in the league. Success against opposing passers continued in the 2023 season-opening win over Tennessee, when New Orleans held Titans QB Ryan Tannehill to a career-low 28.8 passer rating.

### 2022 NFL OPP. NET PASSING YARDS PER GAME LEADERS

Team	Opp. Net Pass. Yds. Gm.
1. Philadelphia	179.8
<b>2. NO</b>	<b>184.4</b>
3. NYJ	189.4

### STOPPING THE RUN

New Orleans has ranked third in the NFL in opponent rushing yards per game and fifth in opponent yards per rush since 2017.

### 2017- NFL OPP. RUSHING YARDS PER GAME

Team	Opp. Rush Yards/Game
1. Bal.	95.1
2. Tenn.	98.0
<b>3. NO</b>	<b>100.4</b>

### 2017- NFL OPP. RUSHING YARDS PER PLAY

Team	Opp. Rush Yards/Play
1. Ten.	3.95
2. SF	3.96
3. Ind.	4.03
4. Bal.	4.06
<b>5. NO</b>	<b>4.08</b>

### SACK ATTACK

Since 2017, New Orleans’ 281 sacks are ranked first in the NFC and second in the NFL. With 48 quarterback takedowns recorded in the 2022 season, the Black and Gold have at least 45 sacks in five straight seasons (2018-22) for only the third time in franchise history (1983-87 and 1997-2001), standing tied for streaks for 45-sack seasons since they were recognized as an official statistic in 1982.

### NFL SACK LEADERS FROM 2017-

Team	Sacks
1. Pittsburgh	316
<b>2. New Orleans</b>	<b>284</b>
3. Los Angeles Rams	282
4. Philadelphia	275

In 2022, New Orleans finished the season tied for fifth in the NFL in quarterback takedowns (48).

### 2022 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE SACK LEADERS

Team	Sacks
1. Philadelphia	70
2. Kansas City	55
3t. New England	54
3t. Dallas	54
<b>5t. New Orleans</b>	<b>48</b>
5t. Baltimore	48

## DEFENSIVE NOTES

### BALANCED PRODUCTION

Since 2017, the Saints are the only team in the NFL to rank in the top three in both opponent rushing yards per game and sacks cumulatively over the six-season period.

### IN THE RED ZONE

In 2022, New Orleans' 50.0% red zone touchdown percentage ranked third in the NFC and sixth in the NFL.

This continued in Sunday's season-opening win over Tennessee as New Orleans made stops when they needed them most in the 16-15 victory. **In addition to three takeaways outside of the red zone, the Saints held the Titans to just nine points on three red zone trips. The 0.0. opposing red zone touchdown percentage was the best mark in the NFL in Week 1** (min. three opportunities).

### 2022 NFL OPP. RED ZONE TD PCT. LEADERS

Team	Driv.	Pts.	TD	TD%
1. L.A. Rams	54	241	24	44.4
2. Buffalo	49	195	22	44.9
3. Baltimore	56	243	26	46.4
4. N.Y. Jets	46	206	22	47.8
5. N.Y. Giants	63	288	31	49.2
<b>6. New Orleans</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>50.0</b>

## SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES

### COVERAGE UNITS

New Orleans' coverage and block units in 2023 are led by defensive team co-captain DB **J.T. Gray**.

Signed by the Saints after the 2018 NFL Draft out of Mississippi State, Gray enjoyed a banner campaign in 2021. Voted by teammates as the club's special teams captain for the first time, Gray led the NFL with 19 tackles in 16 games, as he was selected as a Pro Bowl starter and as the team's only first-team AP All-Pro. Playing in 65 career games, Gray has career totals of 56 special teams stops, a blocked punt, three fumble recoveries and ten defensive tackles, 2.5 sacks and a pass defense, ranked first on the team with 12 coverage stops in 2022 despite missing three games (hamstring). Gray has led the Black and Gold in special teams stops in three of the last four seasons.

### 2021 NFL SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES LEADERS

(PRESS BOX TOTALS)

Rk. Player/Team	Tackles
<b>1. J.T. Gray, NO</b>	<b>19</b>
2. Ashton Dulin, Ind.	17
3t. Nick Bellore, Sea.	15
3t. Cody Davis, NE	15

### 2021 NFL SOLO SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES LEADERS

(PRESS BOX TOTALS)

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

Gray's 56 tackles since 2018 are ranked fourth in the league despite missing three contests in 2022 with a hamstring injury.

### 2018–PRESENT NFL SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES LEADERS

(PRESS BOX TOTALS)

Rk. Player/Team	Tackles
1. George Odum, Ind.-SF	66
2. Nick Bellore, Sea.	59
3. Justin Bethel, Atl.-Bal.-NE-Mia.	58
<b>4. J.T. Gray, NO</b>	<b>56</b>
5. Tyler Matakevich, Pit.-Buf.	55

A third round draft pick of the Denver Broncos in 2018 out of Boston College, in addition to starting 20 of his 70 career contests on defense and posting 107 tackles, a split sack, one interception, 13 passes defended and a forced fumble, **Isaac Yiadom** has recorded 18 career coverage stops for five teams. Brought up to the active roster during Gray's injury, Yiadom brought a boost to the Saints coverage units with two stops, remaining an integral part of the group after Gray's return to the lineup and re-signing in the offseason.

One of the club's two third round draft picks in 2020, **Zack Baun**, a former Wisconsin standout, has embraced work on the team's special teams units. He has recorded 20 tackles on coverage, one blocked field goal and 38 defensive stops. On Sunday at Tennessee, Baun got his hands on a punt that went out of bounds one yard past the line of scrimmage, a game-changing play.



# QUARTERBACKS

## DEREK CARR

• On March 6, 2023 the New Orleans Saints agreed to terms with QB Derek Carr on a four-year contract to solidify the team's quarterback position. He spent the first nine seasons of his NFL career with the Oakland/Las Vegas Raiders. Originally selected in the second round (36th overall) of the 2014 NFL Draft by the Raiders out of Fresno State, the Bakersfield, Calif. native has started all 143 career regular season games he's played in, completing 3,224-of-4,991 passes (64.6 percent) for 35,527 yards with 218 touchdown passes, 100 interceptions and a 91.8 passer rating, while adding 849 rushing yards and six touchdowns. From 2014-22 as a member of the Raiders, Carr was selected to four Pro Bowl Games (2015-17, 2022) and set numerous team passing records including the franchise's career passing yardage and touchdown pass marks and single-season mark in passing yards (4,804 in 2021), as the only signal-caller in the team's history with multiple seasons reaching the 4,000 yard mark. He also holds franchise records from his Raiders tenure for multiple-touchdown pass games (69), contests with a passer rating of at least 100.0 (47) and 300-yard passing performances (33).

• Since entering the league in 2014, Carr ranks third in the NFL in completions, fourth in passing yardage and seventh in passing touchdowns. He became the third quarterback in history to pass for 3,000-plus yards in each of his first nine seasons, joining Pro Football Hall of Fame signal-caller Peyton Manning and Russell Wilson. He is just the fourth player in NFL history to reach 35,000 passing yards in his first nine seasons. He has completed 279 passes of 25+ yards since he entered the league in 2014, the fifth-most in the NFL over that span. His 143 starts are the most by a quarterback since 2014.

• Carr enjoyed a successful Saints debut in Sunday's win over Tennessee, when he completed 23-of-33 passes (69.7%) for 305 yards with one touchdown, one interception and a 96.1 passer rating.

## WHERE HE RANKS

Since entering the league in 2014, Carr has totaled 35,527 passing yards the fourth best mark in the NFL over that span.

### PASSING YARDS SINCE 2014

Yards	QB	Teams
40,065	Tom Brady	NE/TB
39,320	Matt Ryan	Atl./Ind.
36,164	Kirk Cousins	Was./Min
<b>35,527</b>	<b>Derek Carr</b>	<b>Rai.</b>

His 217 touchdown passes since 2014 are also the seventh most in the NFL over that span

### TOUCHDOWN PASSES SINCE 2014

Touchdowns	Quarterback
290	Tom Brady
287	Aaron Rodgers
258	Russell Wilson
246	Kirk Cousins
228	Matt Ryan
224	Matthew Stafford
<b>218</b>	<b>Derek Carr</b>

## 20+ TDS

With 24 touchdown passes in 2022, Carr notched his eighth career season with 20+ passing touchdowns, tied for the second most 20-touchdown seasons since 2014.

### SEASONS WITH 20+ PASS TDs-SINCE 2014

Rk.	Quarterback	Seasons
1.	Tom Brady	9
<b>2t.</b>	<b>Derek Carr</b>	<b>8</b>
2t.	Russell Wilson	8
2t.	Matt Ryan	8
2t.	Aaron Rodgers	8
2t.	Kirk Cousins	8

He is only the sixth player in NFL history to have eight or more seasons with 20+ passing touchdowns in their first nine seasons in the NFL.

### SEASONS WITH 20+ PASS TDs-FIRST NFL SEASONS

Rk.	Quarterback	Seasons
1t.	Russell Wilson	9
1t.	Peyton Manning	9
1t.	Dan Marino	9
<b>4t.</b>	<b>Derek Carr</b>	<b>8</b>
2t.	Matt Ryan	8
4t.	Eli Manning	8

Carr is also currently one of only six quarterbacks with 20+ passing touchdowns in each of the last four seasons (2019-22), joining Josh Allen, Tom Brady, Patrick Mahomes, Aaron Rodgers and Kirk Cousins.

**MULTI-TD GAMES**

Carr's 69 career games with multiple passing touchdowns are tied for sixth since entering the league in 2014.

**GAMES WITH MULTIPLE TOUCHDOWN PASSES SINCE 2014**

Rk. Quarterback	No.
1. Aaron Rodgers	92
2. Tom Brady	89
3. Russell Wilson	79
4. Kirk Cousins	76
5. Matthew Stafford	72
<b>6t. Derek Carr</b>	<b>69</b>
6t. Philip Rivers	69
6t. Matt Ryan	69

**3,000 x 9**

Carr is one of just three quarterbacks in NFL history to pass for at least 3,000 yards in each of his first nine seasons in the league.

**QUARTERBACKS W/NINE 3,000 YARD SEASONS TO START CAREER**

Quarterback	Years
<b>Derek Carr</b>	<b>2014-22</b>
Peyton Manning	1998-2006
Russell Wilson	2012-20

**35,000+ IN 9**

Carr is one of just four players in NFL history to reach 35,000 yards in their first nine NFL seasons.

**PASSING YARDS - FIRST NINE SEASONS**

Rk. Quarterback	Yards
1. Matt Ryan	37,701
1. Peyton Manning	37,586
3. Dan Marino	35,386
<b>4. Derek Carr</b>	<b>35,222</b>

**CLUTCH CARR**

Carr has now thrown three passing touchdowns in overtime in his career. Since overtime began in the NFL in 1974, his three passing touchdowns are tied for the second most, only behind Drew Bledsoe's four.

**OVERTIME PASSING TOUCHDOWNS-SINCE 1974**

Rk. Quarterback	Pass TDs
1. Drew Bledsoe	4
<b>2t. Derek Carr</b>	<b>3</b>
2t. Dak Prescott	3
2t. Terry Bradshaw	3

**CHUNK PLAYS**

Carr owns 279 completions of 20 yards or more over the last five seasons (2018-12), the fourth most in the NFL over that span.

**20+ YARD COMPLETIONS - SINCE 2018**

Rk. Quarterback	No.
1. Patrick Mahomes	327
2. Tom Brady	301
3. Jared Goff	288
<b>4. Derek Carr</b>	<b>279</b>
5. Aaron Rodgers	272

Carr owns 83 completions of 40 yards or more in his career, the sixth most in the NFL over that span (2014-).

**40+ YARD COMPLETIONS - SINCE 2014**

Rk. Quarterback	No.
1. Russell Wilson	95
2. Aaron Rodgers	93
3. Matthew Stafford	90
4t. Ben Roethlisberger	84
4t. Kirk Cousins	84
<b>6. Derek Carr</b>	<b>83</b>
7. Tom Brady	82

## CHUNK PLAYS

In 2022, Carr led the NFL with 10 touchdown passes for 30+ yards. His 53 career 30-yard touchdown passes since 2014 are the most over that span.

### 30+ YARD PASSING TDs - 2022 SEASON

Rk. Quarterback	No.
1. Derek Carr	10
2t. Joe Burrow	8
2t. Jalen Hurts	8
2t. Tua Tagovailoa	8
2t. Geno Smith	8

## CARR VS. PANTHERS

Against this week's opponent, the Tennessee Titans, Carr has won both his starts, completing 48-of-16 passes (70.6%) for 554 yards with three touchdowns, only one interception and a 103.4 passer rating.

### JAMEIS WINSTON

- The 2013 Heisman Trophy winner at Florida State and the first pick in the 2015 NFL Draft, Winston has appeared in 86 games with 80 starts, completing 1,738-of-2,835 passes (61.3%) for 21,840 yards with 139 touchdowns, 96 interceptions and an 87.7 rating, adding 1,220 rushing yards and 11 touchdowns. In 2021, 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).

- In three contests in 2022, Winston completed 73-of-115 passes for 858 yards with four touchdowns, five interceptions and a 79.5 passer rating.

- Slated to serve as a backup to Carr with extensive starting experience, Winston is coming off a preseason where he completed 35-of-50 passes (70.0%) with two touchdowns, zero interceptions and a 103.3 passer rating.

### 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 re-

turns, 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, earned 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, Nov. 15, Hill went 3-1 in four starts.

- In 12 games with nine starts in 2021, 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 assisted the Black and Gold offense in multiple facets. He contributed on both offense and special teams in the season opener at Atlanta, Hill carried four times for a club-best 81 yards (20.3 avg.), including a career-long 57-yard carry, as well as an 11-yard rushing touchdown on the same first quarter drive of his long run. Hill also caught a pass for a two-yard gain and contributed on multiple special teams units both on the coverage and return teams. Overall, he ranked second on the team in rushing with 96 carries for a career-high 575 yards (club-best 6.0 avg.) with a club-best seven rushing touchdowns, nine catches for 75 yards with two scores, leading the team in total touchdowns, while completing 13-of-19 passes for 240 yards with two touchdown throws and a 146.3 passer rating.



## RUNNING BACKS

### JAMAAL WILLIAMS

- Signed by the Saints as an unrestricted free agent from Detroit in the offseason, Williams is a talented runner who had a breakout season in 2022, as he led the National Football League and set a Lions single-season franchise record for rushing touchdowns with 17. In 17 games with nine starts for Detroit, Williams added on 262 attempts for 1,066 rushing yards and 12 receptions for 73 yards, producing the first 1,000 yard rushing season of his career.
- The former BYU star's talent came consistently all over the field, as well as in short bursts, as ten of his rushing touchdowns in 2022 came from exactly one yard out, tied for third-most in NFL history. A sound ballcarrier, he went 752 career touches before fumbling the ball and became the league's first active running back to reach 600 carries before fumbling.
- Since being drafted by Green Bay in the fourth round (134th overall) of the 2017 NFL Draft, Williams has played in 91 games with 41 starts, totaling 933 attempts for 3,697 yards and 30 touchdowns, while adding 162 receptions for 1,198 yards and eight touchdowns against only five fumbles.

#### 2022 NFL RUSHING TOUCHDOWN LEADERS

Rk.	Player	No.
1.	<b>Jamaal Williams</b>	<b>17.</b>
2t.	Austin Ekeler	13
2t.	Derrick Henry	13
2t.	Jalen Hurts	13

### 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 the University 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 clubs' 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 (8,888). Kamara is the first NFL player since Julio Jones (2014-19) to have six consecutive seasons of at least 1,300 total yards from scrimmage.

#### NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE YARDS FROM SCRIMMAGE LEADERS SINCE 2017

Rk.	Player	No.
1.	Derrick Henry	9,071
1.	<b>Alvin Kamara</b>	<b>8,888</b>
3.	Christian McCaffrey	8,651

## ALL-PURPOSE LEADER

In the season finale vs. Carolina, Kamara became only the second Saint with 9,500 career all-purpose yards, needing 221 to surpass Marques Colston as the franchise's all-time leader.

#### NEW ORLEANS SAINTS CAREER ALL-PURPOSE YARDAGE LEADERS

Rk. Saint	No.
1. Marques Colston, 2006-15	9,766
2. <b>Alvin Kamara, 2017-</b>	<b>9,546</b>
3. Deuce McAllister, 2001-08	8,931

## TOUCHDOWN LEADER

In the Saints' 2020 Christmas Day 52-33 win over the Vikings, Kamara tied the NFL record for total touchdowns and rushing touchdowns (6), 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.

## TOUCHDOWN LEADER

### 2020 NFL TOUCHDOWN LEADERS

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

### SAINTS SINGLE SEASON TOUCHDOWN LEADERS

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

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

### SAINTS CAREER MULTI-TOUCHDOWN GAMES

Rk. Saint	No.
1. <b>Alvin Kamara, 2017-</b>	<b>20</b>
2t. Marques Colston, 2006-15	15
2t. Deuce McAllister, 2001-09	15

Despite missing two games with rib injuries, Kamara ranked 17th in the NFL with 1,387 total yards from scrimmage in 2022 to go with four touchdowns. With the four scores in 2022, Kamara is tied with former Black and Gold wideout Marques Colston for first on the club's list, needing one to become the franchise's all-time leader.

### NEW ORLEANS SAINTS CAREER TOTAL TD LEADERS

Rk. Saint	No.
1t. Marques Colston, 2006-15	72
<b>1t. Alvin Kamara, 2017-</b>	<b>72</b>
3. Mark Ingram, 2011-18, 21-	57

## THIRD THROUGH FIVE

After Kamara's two-touchdown performance in the 2021 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) had more than Kamara's total from 2017-21.

## TEN OF ONE OF EACH

With the one rushing TD, two receiving TD performance on October 30, 2022 vs. Las Vegas, Kamara along with San Francisco's Christian McCaffrey on the same day became the first two players in NFL history to have at least 10 games with at least one rushing and one receiving touchdown in their first seven seasons. One Marshall Faulk (15), Brian Westbrook (12) and McCaffrey (11) have more in NFL records.

## 67 THROUGH 70

Kamara in his first game returning from a knee injury in the December 12, 2021 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 67<sup>th</sup> score of his career and tied him for the 2<sup>nd</sup>-most touchdowns in a player's first 70 games since the league merger behind LaDainian Tomlinson's 68 touchdowns in 67 career games.

## ON THE RUN

Kamara finished 2018 ranked second in the National Football League 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.	<b>Alvin Kamara, NO</b>	<b>14</b>

### 2020 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE RUSHING TOUCHDOWN LEADERS

Rk.	Player	No.
1.	Derrick Henry, Ten.	17
<b>2t.</b>	<b>Alvin Kamara, NO</b>	<b>16</b>
2t.	Dalvin Cook, Min.	16
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## ON THE RUN

Kamara is tied for second place in club records in rushing touchdowns with the opportunity to take sole possession of second with his next and to move into a tie for first with two.

### SAINTS CAREER RUSHING TOUCHDOWN LEADERS

Rk. Saint	No.
1. Mark Ingram, 2011-18, 2021-22	51
2t. Deuce McAllister, 2001-09	49
<b>2t. Alvin Kamara, 2017-</b>	<b>49</b>

The 49 rushing touchdowns since coming into the league in 2017 are also ranked fourth in the National Football League over that period, needing two to move into the top three.

### RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS SINCE 2017

Rk. Player	No.
1. Derrick Henry, Ten	73
2. Ezekiel Elliott	53
3. Todd Gurley, LAR/Atl.	51
<b>4. Alvin Kamara, NO</b>	<b>49</b>
5. Nick Chubb, Cle.	48
6. Dalvin Cook	47
7. Melvin Gordon III	45

## RECEIVING LEADER

In 2018, Kamara's 81 receptions in only 15 games played after sitting out the regular season finale were ranked fourth in the National Football League among running backs.

### MOST RECEPTIONS BY RB-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
<b>4. Alvin Kamara, NO</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>709</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>4</b>

In 14 games in 2019, Kamara finished third in the NFL 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
<b>3. Alvin Kamara, NO</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>533</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>1</b>

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 RUNNING BACK-NFL (2020)

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

### 2020 NFL YARDS AFTER THE CATCH LEADERS

Rk. Player	No.
<b>1. Alvin Kamara, NO</b>	<b>742</b>
2. Darren Waller, LV	576

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

### RUNNING BACK RECEPTIONS IN NEW ORLEANS SAINTS HISTORY

Player	Seasons	Receptions
<b>Alvin Kamara</b>	<b>2017-</b>	<b>430</b>
Pierre Thomas	2007-14	327
Reggie Bush	2006-10	294

### RB RECEIVING YARDS IN SAINTS HISTORY

Player	Seasons	Receiving Yards
<b>Alvin Kamara</b>	<b>2017-</b>	<b>3,750</b>
Pierre Thomas	2007-14	2,608
Dalton Hilliard	1986-93	2,233

## RECEIVING LEADER

### RUNNING BACK TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS IN SAINTS HISTORY

Player	Seasons	Receiving TDs
<b>Alvin Kamara</b>	<b>2017-</b>	<b>22</b>
Darren Sproles	2011-13	16
Dalton Hilliard	1986-93	14
Wayne Wilson	1979-86	14

Since entering the league in 2017, Kamara's 430 receptions and 3,753 receiving yards rank second among running backs, while his 22 receiving touchdowns are tied for second.

### RB RECEPTIONS SINCE 2017

Player	Team	Receptions
Christian McCaffrey	Carolina-SF	445
<b>Alvin Kamara</b>	<b>New Orleans</b>	<b>430</b>
Austin Ekeler	LA Chargers	393

### RUNNING BACK RECEIVING YARDS SINCE 2017

Player	Team	Receiving Yards
Christian McCaffrey	Carolina	3,773
<b>Alvin Kamara</b>	<b>New Orleans</b>	<b>3,753</b>
Austin Ekeler	LA Chargers	3,495

### RUNNING BACK RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS SINCE 2017

Player	Team	Receiving TDs
Austin Ekeler	LA Chargers	29
<b>Alvin Kamara</b>	<b>New Orleans</b>	<b>22</b>
Christian McCaffrey	Carolina	22

## VERSATILE THREAT

In 2020, Kamara 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 TDs, 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. <b>Alvin Kamara</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>1,688</b>	<b>932</b>	<b>756</b>

### 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. <b>Alvin Kamara</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>1,688</b>	<b>932</b>	<b>756</b>

### 2020 NFL FIRST DOWNS LEADERS

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

### NFL 2020 ALL-PURPOSE YARD LEADERS

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

Kamara's 43 regular season games of 100+ scrimmage yards since 2017 are tied for first in the NFL:

### MOST 100+ TOTAL YARDS FROM SCRIMMAGE GAMES SINCE 2017

Rk.	Player	No.
1.	Christian McCaffrey, Car.-SF	44
2.	<b>Alvin Kamara, NO</b>	<b>43</b>
3.	Derrick Henry, Ten	42
4.	Nick Chubb, Cle.	39



## WIDE RECEIVERS

### 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 seamlessly integrated into the Saints offense following a standout senior campaign, where he caught 65 passes for 936 yards (14.4 avg.) and 13 touchdowns, tied for sixth nationally, as he was selected as an AFCA first-team All-American and a consensus second-team All-American.

• Following a September, where he captured NFL Offensive Rookie of the Month honors with 17 grabs for a league rookie-best 268 yards, including scoring receiving touchdowns in back to back contests, Olave led the team in receiving, yards per catch and receiving yardage with 72 grabs for 1,042 yards (14.5 avg.) with four touchdowns along with a successful two-point conversion, ranking second among rookies in receiving yardage and tied for second in catches and third down grabs (26). Olave became the first Saints rookie since Danny Abramowicz (1967) to lead the team in receiving, receiving yardage and yards per catch in his first campaign. The receiving yardage total was second all-time among Saints rookies, as he was only the third Black and Gold rookie to reach 1,000.

### 1,000 CLUB

Chris Olave became the 24th player since the 1970 AFL-NFL merger to record 1,000 receiving yards in his rookie season in 2022, recording 1,042.

Player/Season	Receiving Yards
Ja’Marr Chase, 2021	1,455
Justin Jefferson, 2020	1,400
Anquan Boldin, 2003	1,377

Player/Season	Receiving Yards
Randy Moss, 1998	1,317
Odell Beckham Jr. 2014	1,305
Michael Clayton, 2004	1,193
Michael Thomas, 2016	1,137
Terry Glenn, 1996	1,132
Bill Brooks, 1986	1,131
Garrett Wilson, 2022	1,103
Amari Cooper, 2015	1,070
Ernest Givins, 1986	1,062
A.J. Green, 2011	1,057
Mike Evans, 2014	1,051
A.J. Brown, 2019	1,051
Keenan Allen, 2013	1,046
<b>Chris Olave, 2022</b>	<b>1,042</b>
Joey Galloway, 1995	1,039
Marques Colston, 2006	1,038
Kyle Pitts, 2021	1,026
Jaylen Waddle, 2021	1,015
Cris Collinsworth, 1981	1,009
Kelvin Benjamin, 2014	1,008
John Jefferson, 1978	1,001

## BY THE NUMBERS

**2** - With 72 receptions for 1,042 yards (14.5 avg.), Olave joined Danny Abramowicz (1967), as the second Saints rookie to lead the team in receiving, receiving yardage and yards per catch in his rookie campaign with the club.

**4** - Number of 100-yard receiving games by Olave, the most recent a 112-yard effort in Sunday’s season opener vs. Tennessee

**7** - Consecutive games where Olave recorded at least four receptions and at least 50 receiving yards from Sept. 18-Nov. 7.

**9** - Career-high number of receptions by Olave, who also had a career-best 147 receiving yards on Sept. 25 at Carolina.

**11** - Selected with the 11th overall pick in the 2022 NFL Draft out of Ohio State, Olave is the highest pick for a Saints wideout since Wes Chandler (third overall) in 1978.

## BY THE NUMBERS

**12** - Olave led all rookies with 12 games with 50-or-more receiving yards, tied for the third-most such games ever by a rookie, trailing only Michael Clayton (14 games in 2004) and Terry Glenn (13 in 1996).

**26** - Olave's 26 third down receptions were ranked second among NFL rookies and was tied for ninth overall in the league.

**69.5** - Olave led all NFL rookies with 69.5 receiving yards per game in 2022.

**72** - With 72 receptions, Olave was tied for second among National Football League rookies, the fourth-highest total by a Saints rookie all-time.

**345** - With 345 fourth quarter receiving yards, Olave finished ranked second of all National Football League rookies and was ranked second in the NFC and fifth in the league overall.

**1,042** - With 1,042 receiving yards, Olave was ranked second among National Football League rookies and was the second-highest total all-time for a Saints rookie behind Michael Thomas' 1,137 yards (2016).

## ROOKIE RANKS

Chris Olave ranked first among all rookies in receiving yards per game (69.5) and 50-or-more receiving yard games (12), second among all rookies in receiving yards (1,042) and fourth quarter receiving yards (345), tied for second in receptions (72) and third down receptions (26), third with 217 yards after the catch and ranked fourth in yards per catch (14.5).

### 2022 NFL ROOKIE RECEIVING LEADERS

Rookie	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TDs
1. Garrett Wilson, NYJ	83	1,103	13.3	4
<b>2t. Chris Olave, NO</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>1,042</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>4</b>
2t. Drake London, Atl.	72	866	12.0	4

## STARRY SOPHOMORE

Olave picked up right where he left of in Sunday's 16-15 season-opening win over the Tennessee Titans. He led all players in the contest in receptions (eight) and receiving yards (112), including a 45-yard reception on third down. Six of his catches moved the chains, tied for the third-highest total of first down receptions on NFL Kickoff Week-end.

## 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
<b>3. Michael Thomas</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>1,245</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>5</b>

## 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 one touchdown.

### NEW ORLEANS SAINTS SINGLE-GAME RECEIVING LEADERS

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

In a November 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
<b>1. Michael Thomas, 11/4/18</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>17.6</b>	<b>1</b>
2. Wes Chandler, 9/2/79	6	205	34.2	1

## TOP OF THE CHARTS

Thomas finished 2018 where the Black and Gold advanced to their third NFC Championship game 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-most in NFL history at the time before his 2019 record-setting number.

## RECORD-BREAKING 2019

With 149 receptions for 1,725 yards and nine TDs 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 NFL 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 NFL 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 NINE 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. Justin Jefferson, 2022	128	1,809	14.1	8
8. Stefon Diggs, 2020	127	1,535	12.1	8
9. Michael Thomas, 2018	125	1,405	11.2	9

With 470 receptions from 2016-19, Michael Thomas has the most receptions through a player's first four seasons. He's the only NFL player through his first four campaigns to have over 400 receptions and 5,000 receiving yards.

## TOPS THROUGH FOUR AND FIVE

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### 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

Despite missing nine games in 2020, Thomas became the fastest player in NFL record books to record 500 receptions.

### RECEPTIONS THROUGH FIRST FIVE NFL SEASONS

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

## BY THE NUMBERS

**531** - Career grabs, the third-highest total in club history and eighth in the league since 2016 despite missing the entire 2021 campaign and all but three games of 2022. His 470 receptions from 2016-19 are the most by a player through his first four seasons and his 510 are the most through a player's first five seasons. Reaching 500 grabs in his 69th career contest, Thomas reached the mark the quickest in NFL record books. With one grab in Sunday's season opener, Thomas would tie Eric Martin for second in club record books and surpass him with two.

**6,182** - Career receiving yardage, fourth-highest in club history.

**35** - Career receiving touchdowns, the seventh-most in franchise history. Thomas needs two touchdown receptions to tie Danny Abramowicz for sixth.

**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 seven seasons when Thomas has recorded eight or more receptions.

## BY THE NUMBERS

**337** - Career receptions that have moved the chains for a first down - 63.5 percent of his catches.

**35** - Catches of 25 yards or more, including a 25-yard catch in Sunday's season opening win over Tennessee.

**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 2013/13) 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 in 2002).

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

## TIGHT ENDS

### JUWAN JOHNSON

• The former Penn State and Oregon wideout joined the Saints in 2020 following the NFL Draft and transitioned to tight end his second season. In 2022, the New Jersey native had a breakout campaign as he appeared in 16 games with 12 starts and finished with 42 receptions for 508 yards and a team-best seven touchdown grabs. Johnson's touchdown grab total was tied for third among NFL tight ends.

• In Sunday's win over Tennessee, Johnson paced the position group with three receptions for 36 yards.

### FOSTER MOREAU

• This veteran tight end and New Orleans native enters his fifth NFL season and first with the Black and Gold after spending his first four seasons with the Oakland/Las Vegas Raiders. In his career, Moreau has appeared in 62 regular season games with 35 starts and has recorded 91 receptions for 1,107 yards (12.2 avg.) with 12 touchdowns and

has posted at least 30 catches in each of his last two campaigns. In 2022, the former Jesuit High School and LSU standout set career-highs in receptions (33) and receiving yards (420), while adding two touchdowns.

### JIMMY GRAHAM

• New Orleans' third round draft choice in 2010 after playing four years of basketball and just one year of football at the University of Miami (Fla.). Graham broke out in his second year with the Saints totaling 99 catches for 1,310 yards with 11 touchdowns and went on to lead the team in receiving for four consecutive seasons. Graham's production has been among the top 10 in NFL history at the tight end position in all three major categories: receptions, yards, and receiving touchdowns. Graham posts career totals of 713 receptions, 8,506 yards, and 85 touchdowns. His 85 receiving touchdowns rank 4<sup>th</sup> all time among NFL tight ends, while his 51 touchdowns as a Saint rank 2<sup>nd</sup> in franchise history. He and Kansas City's Travis Kelce are the only two tight ends in NFL history to have multiple seasons of 1,200-plus receiving yards and 10- plus receiving touchdowns. Graham returns to New Orleans, the location of his most personal and team success, after playing in seven campaigns with three other teams.

## RECEIVING LEADER

Saints TE Jimmy Graham's 85 career touchdown receptions rank fourth among tight ends all-time, his 713 receptions seventh and his 8,506 receiving yards eighth.

### CAREER TE RECEIVING TD TOTALS

<u>Tight End</u>	<u>Rec.</u>	<u>Yds.</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>TD</u>
1. Antonio Gates	955	11,841	12.4	116
2. Tony Gonzalez	1,325	15,127	11.4	111
3. Rob Gronkowski	621	9,286	15.0	92
<b>4. Jimmy Graham</b>	<b>713</b>	<b>8,506</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>85</b>
5. Jason Witten	1,228	13,046	10.6	74

### RECEPTIONS BY A TE IN SAINTS HISTORY

#### (SINGLE SEASON)

<u>Tight End, Year</u>	<u>Rec.</u>	<u>Yds.</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>TD</u>
<b>1. Jimmy Graham, 2011</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>1,310</b>	<b>13.2</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>2. Jimmy Graham, 2013</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>1,215</b>	<b>14.1</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>3t. Jimmy Graham, 2014</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>889</b>	<b>10.5</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>3t. Jimmy Graham, 2012</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>982</b>	<b>11.6</b>	<b>9</b>



## RECEIVING LEADER

### RECEPTIONS BY A TE IN SAINTS HISTORY (ALL-TIME)

<u>Tight End</u>	<u>Rec.</u>	<u>Yds.</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>TD</u>
1. Jimmy Graham	386	4,752	12.3	51
2. Hoby Brenner	267	3,849	14.4	21

### TD RECEPTIONS IN TEAM HISTORY BY A TIGHT END

<u>Tight End</u>	<u>Rec.</u>	<u>Yds.</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>TD</u>
1. Jimmy Graham	386	4,752	12.3	51
2. Henry Childs	207	3,224	15.6	27

### RECEIVING YARDS BY A TE IN TEAM HISTORY (ALL-TIME)

<u>Tight End</u>	<u>Rec.</u>	<u>Yds.</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>TD</u>
1. Jimmy Graham	386	4,752	12.3	51
2. Hoby Brenner	267	3,849	14.4	21

## DEFENSIVE LINE

### CAMERON JORDAN

•New Orleans' first choice in the 2011 NFL Draft (24th overall) out of California, Jordan's enjoyed another standout season in 2022, recording 66 tackles, a club-best 8.5 sacks for a loss of 67.5 yards, a team-high 12 stops for loss and 14 quarterback hits, two passes defended and two forced fumbles to tie for the team lead.

## RECORD-BREAKER

Jordan is now ranked first on the club's all-time sack list (116) and 23rd on the NFL's list. He has headlined the only defense in the NFL to rank both in the top three in opponent rushing yards per game and sacks over the past seven seasons.

### SAINTS ALL-TIME SACK LEADERS (Since 1982)

Rk.	Player, Years	No.
1.	Cameron Jordan, 2011-	116.0
2.	Rickey Jackson, 1982-93	115.0
3.	Wayne Martin, 1989-99	82.5

## JORDAN SACK NOTES

After recording only one sack as a rookie in 2011, Jordan immediately picked up his production with eight takedowns

in 2012. Jordan's 114.5 sacks since his second season (2012), leads the NFL over that span.

### MOST SACKS IN THE NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE SINCE 2012

Rk.	Player, Team	No.
1.	Cameron Jordan, NO	115
2t.	Von Miller, Den.-LAR-Buf.	112
2t.	Chandler Jones, NE-Ari.-LV	112

With his three-sack performance on Jan. 1, 2023 at Philadelphia, Jordan became the sixth player since sacks became an official statistic in 1982 to record at least seven takedowns in 11 consecutive seasons, joining Reggie White (14 consecutive seasons), Chris Doleman (13), John Randle (12), Derrick Thomas (11) and Robert Mathis (11).

Jordan's 69.5 quarterback takedowns since 2017 are ranked second in the NFC and fourth in the National Football League.

### MOST SACKS IN THE NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE SINCE 2017

Rk.	Player, Team	No.
1.	T.J. Watt, Pit.	80.5
2t.	Aaron Donald, LAR	75.5
2t.	Myles Garrett, Cle.	75.5
4.	Cameron Jordan, NO	69.5
5.	Chandler Jones, NE-Arz.-LV	65

Jordan's 115.5 career sacks are ranked second among active players.

### LEADING ACTIVE NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE PLAYERS IN SACKS

Rk.	Player	No.
1.	Von Miller	123.5
2.	Cameron Jordan	115.5
3.	Chandler Jones	112.0
4.	Justin Houston	111.5

## MULTI-SACK GAMES

Jordan has posted 115.5 career sacks and is the only player to have 90 takedowns and 50 passes defensed. During this time, the Saints own a 57-23 regular season record when he corrals a signal-caller, and they boast a 24-3 mark in a multi-sack performance in the regular season, including a three-sack performance on Jan. 1 at Philadelphia that made him the franchise's all-time leader in sacks, the same opponent of his first three-sack performance in 2012. With the three-takedown performance against the Eagles, Jordan's 27 multi-sack games are tied for first in franchise record books with Pro Football Hall of Fame linebacker Rickey Jackson's 27, with both of them leading the franchise with six performances of at least three sacks.

### CAMERON JORDAN'S MULTIPLE SACK GAMES

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opp.</u>	<u>Tackles</u>	<u>Solo</u>	<u>Asst.</u>	<u>Sacks</u>	<u>Yards</u>
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.	8	6	2	3.5	21.5

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opp.</u>	<u>Tackles</u>	<u>Solo</u>	<u>Asst.</u>	<u>Sacks</u>	<u>Yards</u>
10/9/22	vs. Sea.	3	3	0	2	23
1/1/23	at Phi.	5	5	0	3	16

## THREE WITH 15

Having posted 23 sacks against Atlanta, 17 against Tampa Bay and 13.5 against Monday night's opponent Carolina, Jordan needs 1.5 sacks Monday to join Reggie White, Lawrence Taylor, Bruce Smith, Jared Allen, Derrick Thomas and Michael Strahan as only the seventh player with at least 15 sacks against at least three different teams.

## JORDAN SACK NOTES

Cameron Jordan has posted 116 sacks overall, first in club record books and 23rd in NFL records. Below is a breakdown of them

### BY CONFERENCE AND DIVISION

	<u>Sacks</u>	<u>Yards</u>
NFC	97.0	643.5
NFC SOUTH	53.5	362.0
NFC WEST	14.5	117.5
NFC NORTH	13.0	93.0
NFC EAST	12.0	71.0
AFC	23.0	128.5
AFC SOUTH	7.5	42.5
AFC EAST	6.0	46.0
AFC WEST	5.0	23.5
AFC NORTH	4.5	16.5

### BY TEAM

	<u>Sacks</u>	<u>Yards</u>
Atlanta	23.0	118.0
Tampa Bay	17.0	131.5
Carolina	13.5	112.5
Philadelphia	7.0	39.0
Arizona	5.0	39.0

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**MULTI-SACK GAMES**

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**BY TEAM**

	<u>Sacks</u>	<u>Yards</u>
L.A. Rams	4.0	37.0
Detroit	4.0	23.0
Minnesota	3.5	26.5
Chicago	3.5	19.0
Seattle	3.0	28.0
San Francisco	2.5	13.5
L.A. Chargers	2.5	16.0
Green Bay	2.0	15.0
Cleveland	2.0	11.0
Dallas	2.0	10.0
Washington	2.0	16.0
Houston	2.0	15.0
Miami	2.0	19.0
Jacksonville	2.0	12.0
Indianapolis	2.0	12.0
Denver	2.0	5.0
Tennessee	1.5	3.5
Pittsburgh	1.5	3.5
New England	1.0	5.0
Buffalo	1.0	13.0
N.Y. Giants	1.0	6.0
Cincinnati	1.0	2.0
Las Vegas	0.5	2.5

**BY PLAYER**

	<u>Sacks</u>	<u>Yards</u>
Matt Ryan	23.0	118.0
Jameis Winston	10.0	70.5
Cam Newton	8.0	74.0
Gardner Minshew	5.0	28.0
Jared Goff	4.0	37.0
Matthew Stafford	4.0	23.0

	<u>Sacks</u>	<u>Yards</u>
Tom Brady	4.0	24.0
Sam Darnold	3.5	21.5
Josh Freeman	3.0	23.0
Carson Palmer	3.0	23.0
Michael Vick	3.0	21.0
Geno Smith	3.0	28.0
Kirk Cousins	2.5	24.5
Mitchell Trubisky	2.5	20.5
Colin Kaepernick	2.5	13.5
Ryan Tannehill	2.5	12.5
Dak Prescott	2.0	10.0
Tyrod Taylor	2.0	11.0
Kyler Murray	2.0	16.0
Andrew Luck	2.0	12.0
Josh McCown	1.5	9.0
Baker Mayfield	1.0	10.0
Brian Hoyer	1.0	10.0
Jacoby Brissett	1.0	0.0
Ben Roethlisberger	1.0	0.0
Jay Cutler	1.0	10.0
Thad Lewis	1.0	13.0
Kendall Hinton	1.0	1.0
Teddy Bridgewater	1.0	7.0
Eli Manning	1.0	6.0
Trevor Siemian	1.0	4.0
Sam Bradford	1.0	5.0
Andy Dalton	1.0	2.0
Alex Smith	1.0	6.0
Jalen Hurts	1.0	2.0
Philip Rivers	1.0	7.0
Tua Tagovailoa	1.0	9.0
Deshawn Watson	1.0	5.0
Will Grier	1.0	7.0
Nick Foles	1.0	8.0
Justin Herbert	0.5	4.0
Derek Carr	0.5	2.5
Kenny Pickett	0.5	3.5

**MR. 200**

Dec. 24, 2022 at Cleveland, Jordan played in his 200th career game (regular season/postseason combined) in a Black and Gold uniform, moving him into third place on the club's games played list. The following week at Philadelphia, Jan. 1, 2023, Jordan also started his 200th career game, joining Drew Brees as only the second player to start 200 games in Black and Gold uniform. On Monday night, Jordan will play in his 205th game, tying him with P Thomas Morstead for second in club record books.

**MOST GAMES PLAYED IN SAINTS HISTORY (REGULAR SEASON AND POSTSEASON COMBINED)**

Rk. Player	No.
1. Drew Brees	228
2. Thomas Morstead	205
3. <b>Cameron Jordan</b>	<b>204</b>

**VERSATILE DEFENDER**

Jordan's the only NFL defender to record at least 300 tackles, 60 sacks, 75 stops for loss and 90 quarterback hits since 2017. Since 2017, Jordan has posted 345 stops, 69.5 sacks, 86 tackles for loss and 126 QB hits.

**FOUR IN A ROW**

Jordan's had three consecutive contests of at least one sack in 2013, 2014, 2016, 2017-19 and 2021-22. 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 2021 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. In the Oct. 9 win vs. Seattle, with two sacks of Seahawks QB Geno Smith, Jordan recorded takedowns in three consecutive games for the ninth season with his three-game streak in the 2022 campaign.

**TACKLES FOR LOSS**

Jordan's 86 tackles for loss since 2017 rank second in the NFC and third in the National Football League over that period.

**MOST TACKLES FOR LOSS IN THE NFL SINCE 2017**

Rk. Player, Team	No.
1. Aaron Donald, LAR	103

Rk. Player, Team	No.
2. T.J. Watt, Pit.	89
3. <b>Cameron Jordan, NO</b>	<b>86</b>
4. Matt Judon, Bal.-NE	79
5. Myles Garrett, Cle.	78
6. Cameron Heyward, Pit.	73
7. Von Miller, Den.-LAR-Buf.	70
8. Demario Davis, NYJ-NO	69
9t. Chandler Jones, NE-Arz.-LV	68
9t. Danielle Hunter, Min.	68

**IRON MAN**

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. Missing one contest in 2022 due an eye injury, Jordan has played in at least 16 games in each of his 12 previous seasons, missing only two contests.

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

Rk. DL	Team	No.
1. <b>Cameron Jordan</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>172</b>
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. <b>Cameron Jordan</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>172</b>
2. <b>Demario Davis</b>	<b>NYJ-NO</b>	<b>156</b>
3. Duron Harmon	NE-Det.-Atl.	139

**CONSECUTIVE REGULAR SEASON GAMES STARTED AMONG ACTIVE DEFENSIVE ENDS THROUGH 12/9/21**

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



**IRON MAN**

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. <b>Cameron Jordan</b>	<b>(1/2/12-12/2/21)</b>	<b>157</b>
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. <b>Cameron Jordan</b>	<b>(9/8/11-12/2/21)</b>	<b>172</b>
2. Jim Dombrowski	(10/25/87-11/3/96)	148

Jordan finished 2022 fourth on the team's regular season games played list, looking to move into a tie for third in Week Three, a tie for second in Week Four and sole possession of second in Week Five.

**SAINTS ALL-TIME GAMES PLAYED (REG. SEASON)**

Rk. Saint	Years	No.
1. Drew Brees	2006-20	228
2. Morten Andersen	1982-94	196
3. Rickey Jackson	1982-93	195
4. <b>Cameron Jordan</b>	<b>2011-</b>	<b>193</b>

**PRO BOWL LEADER**

With eight Pro Bowl appearances as a Saint, no defensive player has more selections than Jordan in franchise record books and Jordan is ranked second in team records

**SAINTS ALL-TIME PRO BOWL SELECTIONS**

Rk. Saint	Pro Bowl Selections
1. Drew Brees	12
2. <b>Cameron Jordan</b>	<b>8</b>
3. William Roaf	7
4t. Morten Andersen	6
4t. Jahri Evans	6
4t. Rickey Jackson	6

**SEASON BY SEASON**

In addition to being the franchise's all-time sack leader, Jordan has led the Saints in takedowns a franchise-best nine times (2012-13, 2015-19, 2021-22).

**MOST SEASONS LEADING SAINTS IN SACKS**

Player	Seasons	Sacks
<b>Cameron Jordan</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>115.5</b>
Rickey Jackson	5	115
Pat Swilling	5	76.5

**LINEBACKERS****DEMARIO DAVIS**

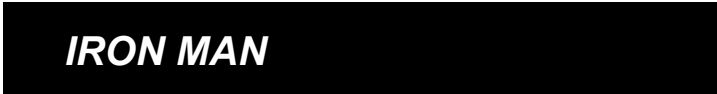
- This dependable and sure-tackling defender joined the New Orleans Saints in 2018 after spending his first six National Football League seasons with the New York Jets and Cleveland Browns. For his career, the Brandon, Miss. native has appeared in 177 career regular season games with 163 starts for the Jets (2012-15, 2017), Cleveland (2016) and the Saints (2018-), recording 1,224 stops (795 solo), 36 sacks, three interceptions, 51 passes defended, three forced fumbles, seven fumble recoveries and 24 special teams tackles. With a club-best seven stops on Jan. 1 at Philadelphia, Davis joined Bobby Wagner and Lavonte David as only the third active NFL player with 1,200 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, becoming 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. <b>Demario Davis</b>	<b>119</b>
2. Malcolm Jenkins	91
3. C.J. Gardner-Johnson	65



• 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 Federspiel as only the second Saint to exceed 100 stops in four consecutive seasons.

**2021 NEW ORLEANS SAINTS TACKLE LEADERS**

Rk. Saint	No.
1. <b>Demario Davis</b>	<b>105</b>
2. Malcolm Jenkins	79
3. Marcus Williams	74

• In 2022, Davis led the team in stops for the fifth straight season as he posted 109 tackles (53 solo), a career-high 6.5 sacks, one interception, six passes defended and one fumble recovery as he was selected to the Pro Bowl Games for the first time in his career. He joined Federspiel and Harper as the third Saint to have 100 stops in five straight seasons, has done so in his last six campaigns and his ninth season overall of his 11-year NFL career.

**2022 NEW ORLEANS SAINTS TACKLE LEADERS**

Rk. Saint	No.
1. <b>Demario Davis</b>	<b>109</b>
2. Tyrann Mathieu	91
3. Pete Werner	79
4. Kaden Elliss	74
5. Cameron Jordan	66

**CONSECUTIVE SEASONS W/ 100 TACKLES BY A SAINT (SAINTS DID NOT TRACK TACKLES BEFORE 1975)**

Player	Consec. Seasons	Tackles
Joe Federspiel	6 (1975-80)	818
<b>Demario Davis</b>	<b>5 (2018-22)</b>	<b>554</b>
Roman Harper	5 (2008-12)	573

**ACTIVE NFL TACKLE LEADERS**

Player	Seasons	Tackles
Bobby Wagner	12 (2012-)	1,540
Lavonte David	12 (2008-)	1,532
<b>Demario Davis</b>	<b>12 (2012-)</b>	<b>1,224</b>

Davis who had never missed a game in his career until December 27, 2021 vs. Miami due to COVID-19 protocols, ranks as one of the league's most durable defenders, while 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. In 2022, Davis was one of three Black and Gold starting defenders to open every contest, joining safety Tyrann Mathieu and defensive tackle David Onyemata. More impressive, he was the only linebacker in the NFL to play in every defensive snap for his teams.

**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.

• Werner enjoyed a standout 2022 season, appearing in 12 games with 11 starts at weakside linebacker and ranked third on the team and second at the linebacker position, despite missing five games, with 79 tackles (55 solo), three stop for loss, three passes defended, two forced fumbles and one special teams tackle.

• Werner got off to an impressive start for the 2023 season, finishing second on the team with eight stops in Sunday's season-opening win over Tennessee, one stop for loss and a split sack, his first career takedown.

## SECONDARY

### S TYRANN MATHIEU

• This versatile, hard-hitting, playmaking safety and New Orleans native returned home, signing after the draft and brings extensive experience to the secondary. Mathieu was 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), Kansas City Chiefs (2019-21) and now the Saints. In 11 NFL seasons, he has played in 147 regular season games with 138 starts and has posted career totals of 702 tackles (587 solo), 42 stops for loss, ten sacks for a loss of 78 yards, 29 interceptions for 379 returns yards, three brought back for touchdowns, 90 passes defended, four forced fumbles, seven 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

Mathieu came 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 a team-leading three picks and one fumble recovery, adding up to a team-best four takeaways to go with a career-high 91 tackles (club-best 64 solo) to rank third on the team and first in the secondary.

Mathieu's 29 picks since coming into the league in 2013 are ranked fourth in the NFL. 2022 marked the fourth consecutive season that he led the team he played for in picks.

### NFL INTERCEPTION LEADERS (2013-PRESENT)

Rk.	Player	Interceptions
1.	Marcus Peters	32
2t.	Harrison Smith	31
2t.	Tashaun Gipson Sr.	31
<b>4t.</b>	<b>Tyrann Mathieu</b>	<b>29</b>
4t.	Stephon Gilmore	29
6.	Xavien Howard	28
7t.	Justin Simmons	27
7t.	Darius Slay	27
7t.	Kevin Byard	27

### S MARCUS MAYE

•Originally a second round draft pick of the New York Jets in 2017 out of the University of Florida, Maye is a seven-year NFL veteran who has recorded career totals of 374 tackles (264 solo), 3.5 sacks, seven interceptions, 27 passes defended, five forced fumbles and one fumble recovery in 71 career games, all starts. Despite missing five contests in 2022, Maye recorded 60 tackles and one forced fumble. Maye is coming off a pair of performances in back-to-back contests, where he has led the team with a total of 18 tackles, adding two passes defended in the December 18 win over Atlanta. 18 months removed from Achilles surgery, Maye will team with Mathieu for a formidable safety tandem.

•At the start of the third quarter of Sunday's season-opening win over Tennessee, May recorded his first interception of a Saint, when he picked off Titans QB Ryan Tannehill to extinguish a potential scoring drive.

### CB MARSHON LATTIMORE

•Selected by the Saints in the first round (11<sup>th</sup> 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 *Associated Press* 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.

• 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.

• After signing a contract extension at the start of the season, Lattimore continued to fulfill high expectations as he 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.

• After missing ten games in 2022 with an abdomen injury, Lattimore returned to action Jan. 1, 2023 at Philadelphia and made an instant impact, tying for the team lead with six solo tackles, a team-high two passes defended and returning an interception 12 yards for a touchdown for New Orleans' first defensive score of the season. He finished the season, starting all seven games he appeared in and posting 21 stops, the pick for a score and four passes defended.

• To open 2023, Lattimore came up with a standout performance in the season-opening win over Tennessee. In addition to his 15th career pick, to move him into a tie for eighth place in club record books in interceptions, he also had four passes defended, the third time in his career, he has deflected at least four throws in a contest.

## NOSE FOR THE BALL

Lattimore's 82 passes defended since entering the NFL in 2017 are the most by a Saint and ranked third in the league despite missing ten games in 2022.

### PASSES DEFENDED BY SAINTS SINCE 2017

(Press Box Stats)

Rk. Saints Defender	PD
1. Marshon Lattimore	82
2. Marcus Williams	38

### PASSES DEFENDED IN THE NFL SINCE 2017

(Press Box Stats)

Rk. Defender	PD
1. James Bradberry, Car.-NYG-Phi.	90
2. Darius Slay, Det.-Phi.	88
3. Marshon Lattimore, NO	82
4t. Jalen Ramsey, Jax-LAR	78
4t. Xavien Howard, Mia.	78

### 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

### 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 defended 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 defended and two special teams stops.

• Adebo fought off injuries and played in 13 games with 12 starts to lead the team's corners with 60 tackles (51 solo) and added seven passes defended for the NFL's second-ranked club in opponent passing yards per game.

• Sharpened by an extensive training camp competition, Adebo recorded his first interception since his rookie year in the season-opening win over Tennessee on Sunday.

### CB ALONTAE TAYLOR

• Selected by the Saints in the second round (49<sup>th</sup> overall) of the 2022 NFL Draft out of Tennessee, Taylor shook off early injuries to play in 13 games with nine starts and posted 45 tackles (38 solo) and a club-best 11 passes defended. Moving to the nickel position in 2023, Adebo finished with five tackles and one pass defense in the season-opening win over Tennessee.



## INSTANT IMPACT

Taylor's pass defense total was ranked fourth among NFL rookies.

### 2022 NFL ROOKIE PASS DEFENSED LEADERS

(Press Box Stats)

Rk. Rookie, Team	PD
1. Sauce Gardner, NYJ	20
2. Tariq Woolen, Sea.	16
3. Martin Emerson Jr.	15
4. Alontae Taylor, NO	11

He was the first rookie since Lattimore to lead the Saints in pass breakups (11), and only the fourth rookie in team history to do so (Saints did not track passes defended before 1980).

### NEW ORLEANS SAINTS ROOKIES TO LEAD DEFENSE IN PASSES DEFENSED

Player, Season	PD
Marshon Lattimore, 2017	18
Robert Massey, 1989	18
Dave Waymer, 1980	18
Alontae Taylor, 2022	11

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR

- If the Saints defeat the Panthers, they would open a season 2-0 for the first time since 2013 and for the ninth time in franchise history

- A Saints victory would even up New Orleans' record on Monday Night Football at 25-25.

- A Saints would improve New Orleans' record against the Panthers to 29-28 in the regular season and 30-28 overall, including a 2017 NFC Wild Card playoff victory. The Saints will also be looking to improve their record in road contests against the Panthers to 15-14.

- New Orleans has given up 20 or fewer points in nine consecutive games, tied for the longest streak in franchise history (9/8-11/10/91). If they give up 20 or fewer points on Monday night, they would do so in ten straight games for the first time.

- Including two appearances as a member of the Las Vegas Raiders, QB Derek Carr will be looking to improve his record against the Carolina Panthers to 3-0 as a starter. Carr will also be looking to improve his record on Monday Night Football to 7-4

- Carr has 3,224 career completions, 26th in NFL record

books. With 26 completions he would tie Alex Smith for 25th and with 27, would take sole possession of 20th.

- Carr has 35,527 career passing yards, ranked 31st in NFL record books. With 124 passing yards, he would surpass Smith and move into 30th.

- With a Saints win, Carr will be looking to start his season 2-0 for the fourth time, having done so in 2017, 2020 and 2021 as a member of the Las Vegas Raiders.

- LB Demario Davis has 795 career solo tackles, needing five on Monday night to reach 800.

- Having had 112 yards receiving in Sunday's season opener against Tennessee, the fourth 100-yard performance of his career, WR Chris Olave will be looking to have back-to-back 100-yard receiving performances for the first time in his career.

- WR Michael Thomas has 531 career receptions, third in club record books. With one reception, Thomas will tie WR Eric Martin for second in franchise history and with two will surpass him.

- TE Jimmy Graham has 4,752 career receiving yards as a Saint, sixth in club record books. With 124 receiving yards, Graham would move into the top five in club records past WR Danny Abramowicz.

- Graham's 8,506 career receiving yards ranked eighth among tight ends. With 78 receiving yards, he would surpass Greg Olsen and move into seventh.

- Graham has 713 career receptions, tied for 53<sup>rd</sup> all-time with Jarvis Landry in NFL record books. With one grab, he would take sole possession of 53<sup>rd</sup>.

- Graham's 85 touchdown receptions are tied for 17<sup>th</sup> all-time with Lance Alworth, Hines Ward and Paul Warfield. With one touchdown grab, he would take sole possession of 17<sup>th</sup> place.

- DE Cameron Jordan's 27 multi-sack games are tied for first in franchise record books with Rickey Jackson, needing one more to become the franchise's all-time leader. With his six three-sack games, that is tied for first in club history with Jackson, needing one more to become the leader in that category.

- Having posted 23 sacks against Atlanta, 17 against Tampa Bay and 13.5 against Monday night's opponent Carolina, Jordan needs 1.5 sacks Monday to join Reggie White, Lawrence Taylor, Bruce Smith, Jared Allen, Derrick Thomas and Michael Strahan as only the seventh player with at least 15 sacks against at least three different teams.

- Jordan has sacked 45 players in his career. If he sacks Carolina rookie QB Bryce Young on Monday night, Young would be the 46th player for him to have sacked.

- Jordan will play in his 205th game (regular season/postseason combined) on Monday night moving him into a tie with P Thomas Morstead for second on the team's games played list.

- CB Marshon Lattimore has 15 interceptions as a Saint, tied with Ernie Jackson, Brett Maxie and Marcus Williams for eighth in club record books. With one interception, Lattimore, would move into a tie for seventh with Toi Cook and with two, into a tie for sixth with Johnnie Poe.

# HOW THE SAINTS WERE BUILT

## • 2011

### DRAFT

DE **Cameron Jordan** (1a)

## • 2015

### DRAFT

T **Andrus Peat** (1a)

## • 2016

### DRAFT

WR **Michael Thomas** (2a)

## • 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

### FREE AGENTS

LB **Demario Davis** (UFA-NYJ)

DB **J.T. Gray** (Rookie FA)

## • 2019

### DRAFT

C/G **Erik McCoy** (2)

### FREE AGENTS

DE **Carl Granderson** (Rookie FA)

## • 2020

C/G **Cesar Ruiz** (1)

LB **Zack Baun** (3a)

### FREE AGENTS

OL **James Hurst** (FA)

TE **Juwan Johnson** (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 Wemer** (2)

CB **Paulson Adebo** (3)

T **Landon Young** (6)

### FREE AGENTS

DE **Tanoh Kpassagnon** (UFA-KC)

### WAIVERS

FB **Adam Prentice** (Den.)

## • 2022

### DRAFT

WR **Chris Olave** (1a)

T **Trevor Penning** (1b)

CB **Alontae Taylor** (2)

LB **D'Marco Jackson** (5)

### FREE AGENTS

WR **Keith Kirkwood** (FA)

S **Tyrann Mathieu** (FA)

S **Marcus Maye** (UFA-NYJ)

WR **Kirk Merritt** (FA)

WR **Rashid Shaheed** (Rookie FA)

LB **Nephi Sewell** (Rookie FA)

CB **Isaac Yiadom** (FA)

## • 2023

### DRAFT

DT **Bryan Bresee** (1)

DE **Isaiah Foskey** (2)

RB **Kendre Miller** (3)

OL **Nick Saldiveri** (4a)

DB **Jordan Howden** (5)

WR **A.T. Perry** (6)

### FREE AGENTS

S **Ugo Amadi** (FA)

QB **Derek Carr** (FA)

LB **Ryan Connelly** (FA)

G/C **Max Garcia** (FA)

TE **Jimmy Graham** (FA)

K **Blake Grupe** (Rookie FA)

P **Lou Hedley** (Rookie FA)

DB **Lonnie Johnson Jr.** (UFA-Ten.)

TE **Foster Moreau** (FA)

DT **Khalen Saunders** (UFA-KC)

DT **Nathan Shepherd** (UFA-NYJ)

RB **Jamaal Williams** (UFA-Det.)

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### 73 MAX GARCIA G/C

**HEIGHT: 6-4 WEIGHT: 309**

**COLLEGE: FLORIDA**

**JOINED SAINTS: FA-23**

**NFL EXPERIENCE: 9**

**BORN: 10/9/91**

**NFL CAREER** – Garcia has played in 105 regular-season games with 59 starts and in 4 postseason games with one start and was a member of the Broncos team that won Super Bowl 50 in his rookie season after he was selected by Denver in the fourth round of the NFL Draft out of Florida. This versatile lineman has started 46 games at right guard, nine at left guard and four at center in the regular season with his lone playoff start coming at right guard, allowing him to compete at all three interior positions after signing with New Orleans at the start of training camp. In 2022, he appeared in 12 games with seven starts at right guard for Arizona.

**CAREER TRANSACTIONS** – Signed by the New Orleans Saints to a one-year contract, 7/25/23; Signed off the Giants' practice squad by the Arizona Cardinals, 9/10/22; Signed to the Giants practice squad, 9/2/22; Released by the Giants, 8/31/22; Signed by the Giants to a one-year contract (UFA-Arz.), 3/28/22; Re-signed by Arizona to a one-year contract, 3/25/21; Re-signed by Arizona to a one-year contract, 3/24/20; Activated by Arizona off PUP, 11/6/19; Placed by Arizona on PUP, 8/31/19; Signed by the Cardinals to a one-year contract (UFA-Den.), 3/14/19; Placed by Denver on Injured Reserve, 11/20/18; Signed by the Broncos to a four-year contract, 5/13/15; Selected by the Broncos in the fourth round (133<sup>rd</sup> overall) of the 2015 NFL Draft.

**2022** – Spent the season with the Cardinals after being signed off the Giants' practice squad in week one. Appeared in 12 games with five starts at right guard and two at left guard, allowing only one sack...Received first start of season in Thursday Night victory vs. New Orleans, Oct. 22, when Cardinals rushed for 127 yards and two touchdowns.

**2021** – Appeared in 15 games for Arizona with 11 starts, including seven at right guard and four at center. Opened NFC Wild Card Playoff loss at Los Angeles Rams at right guard, 1/17/22. **2020** – Appeared in 14 games for the Cardinals, seeing the majority of his snaps on special teams.

**2019** – Appeared in seven games for Arizona after starting the season on PUP from a knee injury the prior season, seeing the majority of his snaps on special teams. **2018** – Saw action in nine games for the Denver Broncos, starting his last four appearances, allowing only one sack... Suffered a season-ending knee injury vs. Houston, Nov. 4.

**2017** – Played and started all 16 games for Broncos at right guard. **2016** – Played and started all 16 games at left guard for Denver. **2015** – Played in 16 games for Denver in his rookie campaign, making five starts, including the last three regular season contests at left guard. Played in all three postseason contests.

**COLLEGE** – Began his collegiate career at Maryland before transferring to University of Florida...Played in 39 games with 37 starts at the two schools...Started at left-tackle, guard and center...In 2014, voted second-team All-SEC after starting all 13 games at center following off-season transition from tackle to left guard...Twice named SEC Lineman of the week...In his first season with Florida in 2013, started all 12 games and saw action at both left tackle and guard...Redshirted in 2012...Started 12 games at left tackle for Maryland in 2011...Majored in Family, Youth and Community Sciences.

**PERSONAL** – Attended Norcross (Ga.) HS, where he was named honorable mention Class 5A All-Georgia as a senior...Also competed in the shot put and discus events and traveled to Australia in the summer of 2009 to compete in a World Track meet.

### 80 JIMMY GRAHAM TE

**HEIGHT: 6-7 WEIGHT: 265**

**COLLEGE: MIAMI (Fla.)**

**JOINED SAINTS: FA-23**

**NFL EXPERIENCE: 13**

**BORN: 11/24/86**

**NFL CAREER** – New Orleans' third round draft choice in 2010 after playing four years of basketball and just one year of football at the University of Miami (Fla.). Graham broke out in his second year with the Saints totaling 99 catches for 1,310 yards with 11 touchdowns and went on to lead the team in receiving for four consecutive seasons. Graham's production has been among the top 10 in NFL history at the tight end position in all three major categories: receptions, yards, and receiving touchdowns. Graham posts career totals of 713 receptions, 8,506 yards, and 85 touchdowns. His 85 receiving touchdowns rank 4<sup>th</sup> all time among NFL tight ends, while his 51 touchdowns as a Saint rank 2<sup>nd</sup> in franchise history. He and Kansas City's Travis Kelce are the only two tight ends in NFL history to have multiple seasons of 1200- plus receiving yards and 10- plus receiving touchdowns. Graham returns to New Orleans, the location of his most personal and team success

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**HONORS** – **2020**: Team nominee for Walter Payton NFL Man of the Year; **2017**: Pro Bowl; **2016**: Pro Bowl; **2014**: Pro Bowl; **2013**: Pro Bowl; First-team AP All-Pro; All-Pro (CBSSports.com, ESPN.com, *Sports Illustrated* and *The Sporting News*); PFWA All-NFL and All-NFC; NFC Offensive Player of the Week (Week 3); NFC Offensive Player of the Month (September). **2012**: NFC Offensive Player of the Week (Week 10); **2011**: Pro Bowl starter; Second-team *Associated Press* All-Pro; *Pro Football Weekly*/PFWA All-NFC; Ed Block Courage Award (Saints recipient).

**CAREER TRANSACTIONS** – Signed to a one-year contract by the Saints, 7/25/23; Signed to a two-year contract with the Bears, 3/18/20; Released by the Packers, 3/12/2020; Signed to a three-year contract with the Packers (UFA-Sea.), 3/16/18; Placed by Seahawks on Injured Reserve, 11/30/15; Traded to the Seahawks in exchange for C Max Unger and a first round draft pick, 3/10 2015; Re-signed to a four-year contract by the Saints, 7/15/14; Designated franchise player by New Orleans, 3/3/14; Agreed to terms on a four-year contract with New Orleans, 7/28/10; Selected by the Saints in the third round (95<sup>th</sup> overall) of the 2010 NFL Draft.

**2021** - Appeared in 15 games with six starts totaling 14 receptions for 167 yards (11.9 avg.) and three touchdowns in second season in Chicago...Caught a season-long 28-yard pass at Pittsburgh, Nov. 8... Recorded a season-high 34 yards on two receptions and a touchdown against Detroit, Nov. 25...Posted two receptions for 30 yards and a touchdown in a win at Seattle, Dec. 26. **2020** - Appeared in all 16 games with 15 starts in his first season with Chicago; led the Bears with eight receiving touchdowns and was third on the team with 50 receptions for 456 yards...Walter Payton Man of the Year team nominee...Hauled in a season-high six catches for 60 yards and two touchdowns at Atlanta, Sept. 27...Posted six catches for 55 yards and a touchdown at Tennessee, Nov. 8...Recorded a season-high 69 yards on four receptions, including a season-long 30 yard reception to go along with two touchdowns at Jacksonville, Dec. 27. The two TD receptions marked his 17<sup>th</sup> career multi-touchdown game. Reeled in two passes for 25 yards, including a 19-yard touchdown reception in the NFC Wild Card Playoff loss at New Orleans, 1/10/21. **2019** - Appeared in all 16 games with ten starts in his final season with Green Bay Packers racking up 38 receptions for 447 yards (11.8 avg.) and three touchdowns...Posted a season-high six catches for 61 yards and a touchdown vs Philadelphia, Sept. 26...Recorded four catches for 65 yards and a touchdown against Detroit, Oct. 14...Played in both playoff games: Caught 3 passes for 49 yards in a divisional round victory against Seattle, 1/12/20...Had four receptions for 59

yards, including a long catch of 42 yards, in NFC Championship at San Francisco, 1/19/20. **2018** - Appeared in all 16 games with 12 starts in his first season with the Packers. Second on team with 55 receptions for 636 yards and two touchdowns...Recorded the ninth-most receiving yards and catches among NFL tight ends. Led the team in receiving with 95 yards on six catches against Minnesota, Sept. 16...Posted a season-high 104 yards on five receptions vs. San Francisco, Oct. 15, his first 100 yard receiving game since Nov. 7, 2016, against Buffalo when he was with Seattle; Season-high 54 yard grab at the end of the first quarter... Hauled in a season high eight receptions for 50 yards against Arizona, Dec. 2. **2017** – Played in all 16 games with 10 starts posting 57 receptions for 527 yards and 10 touchdowns in final season in Seattle...Led all NFL tight ends in TD receptions and earned fifth Pro Bowl selection...All 10 of his receiving touchdowns came inside the red zone, most in league... Recorded a season-high 72 yards on seven catches at Tennessee, Sept. 24... Hauled in two touchdowns on six receptions at Arizona, Nov. 9...Tied season-high with seven catches for 58 yards and one touchdown against Atlanta, Nov. 20. **2016** – Appeared in all 16 games with 15 starts, setting Seattle tight end records with 65 receptions for 923 yards...ranked No. 1 among NFL tight ends in yards per catch with a career-high 14.2 average and No. 3 in receiving yards...Tied for second among NFL tight ends with three games of 100-plus receiving yards... Was selected to his fourth career Pro Bowl...Started both playoff games totaling six receptions for 59 yards and a touchdown...Recorded six catches for 100 yards and a TD against San Francisco, Sept. 25...Eclipsed the 100-yard mark for the second straight game reeling in game highs with six catches and 113 yards at New York Jets, Oct. 2... Led the Seahawks with six receptions for 89 yards against Atlanta, Oct. 16...Posted a season-high eight catches for 103 yards and two touchdowns vs. Buffalo, Nov. 7, becoming the first TE in team history with eight-plus catches, 100-plus yards, and two TD catches in a game...Hauled in six passes for 63 yards and touchdown against Carolina, Dec. 4. **2015** – Started all 11 games he appeared in; his first season with the Seahawks was cut short (knee)...Caught 48 passes for 605 yards and two TDs...Recorded six receptions for 51 yards and one TD in Seahawks debut at St. Louis, Sept. 13...Led team with seven receptions for 83 yards and a touchdown against Chicago, Sept. 27...Posted season-high eight catches and tied franchise single-game record for a TE with 140 yards receiving vs. Carolina, Oct. 18...Team highs with seven receptions for 75 yards at Dallas, Nov. 1...Tied for second on team with four catches for 75 yards including a 36-yard reception against Pittsburgh, Nov. 29.

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**2014** – Appeared in 16 games with 13 starts. Led team in receiving for fourth consecutive season and finished second in NFL in receiving among TEs with 85 catches for 889 yards and 10 TDs. Led team with eight receptions for 82 yards at Atlanta, Sept. 7...Tied career-high with 10 receptions for 118 yards and two TDs at Cleveland, Sept. 14, his 10<sup>th</sup> multiple touchdown game and 13<sup>th</sup> career game with 100+ yards...Team-high eight receptions for game-high 86 yards and a TD at Dallas, Sept. 28...Was second on team with five receptions for 59 yards and a 22-yard TD vs. Green Bay, Oct. 26...Had game-high seven receptions for 83 yards with a TD at Carolina, Oct. 30...Led team and tied career-high with 10 receptions for 76 yards and two TDs vs. San Francisco, Nov. 9...Hauled in six receptions for 47 yards and two TDs vs. Baltimore, Nov. 24...Tied for team lead with five receptions for game-high 87 yards at Chicago, Dec. 15...Tied for team lead with six receptions for 53 yards and a TD vs. Atlanta, Dec. 21. 51<sup>st</sup> career TD, gaining sole possession of second place on team's all-time list. First Saint to have three seasons with double-digit TD grabs...Started and led team with game-high six receptions for 54 yards at Tampa Bay, Dec. 28. **2013** – Enjoyed one of the most prolific campaigns for a TE, leading team in receiving for third consecutive season with 86 receptions for 1,215 yards (14.1 avg.) with team-record 16 TDs, second-highest receiving TD total for a tight end all-time, which led the NFL in scoring grabs, second in scoring among non-kickers...Led TDs in virtually every receiving category, while overall, ranked 13<sup>th</sup> in NFL in receptions, 15<sup>th</sup> in receiving yardage and tied for 11<sup>th</sup> in third down receptions (25). Tied club record for 100-yard receiving games (6), tied for most in NFL records for a TE...Started and caught four receptions for 45 yards and a TD vs. Atlanta, Sept. 8...Started and finished with ten receptions for career-high 179 yards with a TD at Tampa Bay, Sept. 15...Started and caught nine passes for game-high 134 yards and two TDs vs. Arizona, Sept. 22, earning NFC Offensive Player of the Week...Capped month hauling in four passes for 100 yards and two TDs as he became the first Saints TE to be named NFC Offensive Player of the Month, as his 413 receiving yards over the final three games of month is tied with Shannon Sharpe (1996) and Dave Kocourek (1961) for highest total by a TE in a three-game span...At Chicago, Oct. 6, hauled in ten receptions for 135 yards (13.5 avg.), as he tied NFL-record streak of four consecutive games with over 100-yards receiving by a TE. 548 receiving yards during streak were the most by a TE over any four-game span in a single season...Caught three passes for 37 yards and two TDs vs. Buffalo, Oct. 27...Started and posted nine receptions for 116 yards with two TDs to lead team in catches, yardage and TDs at N.Y. Jets, Nov. 3...Caught five passes

for 59 yards vs. Dallas, Nov. 10. Became club's all-time receiving leader among TEs...Started and caught team-leading six passes for 41 yards vs. San Francisco, Nov. 17...Started and led team in receiving, catching five passes for 100 yards, including a 44-yard TD at Atlanta, Nov. 21. With sixth 100-yard receiving game of season, tied franchise record and NFL single-season mark for a tight end (Tony Gonzalez – 2000, 04)...Led team in receiving with 42 yards, while hauling in a TD to set then-team-mark with 12 scores at Seattle, Dec. 2...Had six receptions for 58 yards with two TDs, surpassing the 1,000 yards receiving mark for second time in three seasons vs. Carolina, Dec. 8...Started and tied for team receiving lead with five grabs for 73 yards, including a five-yard TD at Carolina, Dec. 22...Started and caught five passes for 71 yards and a TD vs. Tampa Bay, Dec. 29...In two postseason contests with one start, recorded four receptions for 52 yards (13.0 avg.). **2012** – Played in 15 games with nine starts and led team in receiving with 85 receptions for 982 yards with nine TDs. Third on team in receiving yardage and second in TD receptions. Tied for 13<sup>th</sup> in the NFL in receiving, third at his position. Among tight ends, yardage total ranked second and touchdown total tied for second. With at least one touchdown in the first three games, carrying over from the last three contests of 2011, Graham's six-game streak of touchdown receptions set a team record, while he tied for the longest streak in touchdowns. The six-game touchdown reception streak tied for second-longest among TEs since the 1970 AFL-NFL merger. **2012** - Vs. Washington, Sept. 9, started and tied for team-lead with six receptions for 85 yards (14.2 avg.) with a TD...Started at Carolina, Sept. 16 and caught seven passes for 71 yards with a TD...Started and hauled in four receptions for 16 yards with a TD vs. Kansas City, Sept. 23...Made seven receptions for 76 yards at Green Bay, Sept. 30...Inactive (ankle) at Tampa Bay, Oct. 21...At Denver, Oct. 28, made five receptions for 63 yards with a TD...Vs. Philadelphia, Nov. 5, led team with eight receptions for 72 yards and a TD...Most explosive game of career to date vs. Atlanta, Nov. 11, when he caught seven passes for 146 yards (20.9 avg.) and tied career-best with two TDs. Yardage total highest by Saints TE in a game. Named NFC Offensive Player of the Week for first time...Started and led team in receptions with six catches for 29 yards and a TD at Oakland, Nov. 18...Caught four passes for 59 yards (14.8 avg.) at Atlanta, Nov. 29...Finished with five receptions for 56 yards at N.Y. Giants, Dec. 9...Started and recorded five receptions for 69 yards (13.8 avg.) vs. Tampa Bay, Dec. 16...Hauled in seven passes for 88 yards at Dallas, Dec. 23, but his biggest play was when he recovered a fumble by teammate Marques Colston in overtime that set up the game-winning field goal...In finale vs. Carolina, Dec. 30, led team in receiving with nine catches for 115 yards and a TD.

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**2011** – Enjoyed the most prolific season by a TE in franchise history to date in all categories. Played in all 16 games with 11 starts, leading team in catches, yardage and scoring grabs with a then-club record 99 receptions for 1,310 yards (13.2 avg.) with 11 touchdowns as he was selected a Pro Bowl starter, second-team AP All-Pro and the team winner of the Ed Block Courage Award. Receiving touchdown total was tied for first in club record books at the time. Yardage total ranked fourth. Yardage total was ranked second all-time in NFL history for tight ends, while receptions total tied for third and scoring grab total was then tied for eighth. Also set team record for a tight end with seven or more receptions in seven games and at least six in 10 contests and set a club mark for all Saints by having at least 50 yards receiving in 14 games (now tied with Michael Thomas-2019). Contributed to an offense that produced an NFL-record 7,474 net yards and club record 416 first downs...In postseason, finished with 12 receptions for 158 yards (16.6 avg.) with a team-best three TDs...In NFL opener at Green Bay, Sept. 8, had four receptions for 56 yards, including a fourth quarter five-yard TD grab... Finished with six receptions for 79 yards (13.2 avg.) in home opener vs. Chicago, Sept. 18...Had first career 100-yard game, when he finished with four grabs for a team-best 100 yards (25.0 avg.) with a TD vs. Houston, Sept. 25. Fourth quarter 27-yard scoring grab ignited a 23-point fourth quarter...Set career-highs in catches (has equaled four additional times), yardage (since broken) and receiving long at Jacksonville, Oct. 2, when he grabbed ten balls for 132 yards (13.2 avg.), including a 59-yard grab, with one TD...Became first Saints tight end to have three straight 100-yard games when he led New Orleans in receiving and yardage with eight grabs for 129 yards at Carolina, Oct. 9... Became the first Saint and only the second tight end since the 1970 AFL-NFL merger to have four straight games of 100 yards receiving when he had seven grabs for a game-high 124 yards at Tampa Bay, Oct. 16. This capped a four-game period where Graham had 29 receptions for 485 yards with two TDs...Caught two TDs as part of six receptions for 54 yards vs. Indianapolis, Oct. 23, his second career multiple-TD game...Finished with seven receptions for 82 yards, including a second quarter 21-yard scoring grab at Atlanta, Nov. 13...Had his second two-TD performance of the season and third of his career to date as he tied for the team lead with eight catches for 84 yards vs. New York Giants, Nov. 28...Caught eight passes for 89 yards on Sunday night vs. Detroit, Dec. 4, to become the first Saints tight end to surpass 1,000 yards receiving...Posted five receptions for 55 yards at Tennessee, Dec. 11...Shook off an early fumble to record seven receptions for 70 yards with a second quarter one-yard TD at Minnesota, Dec. 18...Had

four receptions for 42 yards, including a second quarter nine-yard TD near the end of the first half to give New Orleans a 21-10 halftime lead vs. Atlanta, Dec. 26. It was the tenth TD grab of the season for Graham, giving him the club record for a tight end...Vs. Carolina, 1/1/12, Graham had eight receptions for 97 yards and a TD. For a brief moment, Graham held the NFL record for receiving yards in a season by a TE (1,310) before New England's Rob Gronkowski caught a 23-yard pass in the final two minutes at Buffalo to up his season total to 1,327...In NFL postseason debut in the NFC Wild Card Playoff vs. Detroit, Graham's third quarter three-yard TD grab opened up a 24-14 lead. Tied for team lead in receiving with seven catches for 55 yards. Reception total was the highest by a Saints TE in a postseason contest...In the NFC Divisional Playoff at San Francisco, Graham finished with five receptions for 103 yards with two TDs, the latter two being franchise playoff records for a TE. Graham's 66-yard fourth quarter scoring reception, the longest for a Saints TE in a postseason contest, had given New Orleans a lead with under two minutes left...In the Pro Bowl, Graham finished with five receptions for 74 yards, including a second quarter two-yard TD pass from Drew Brees. **2010** – Appeared in 15 games with five starts and had 31 receptions for 356 yards with five TDs... Added a three-yard rush and a special teams tackle... Reception and yardage total third all-time among Saints rookie tight ends and receiving TD total second...Caught four of his TDs in a three-week span from weeks 15-17... Recorded one special teams stop and made an athletic play to save a ball on a punt from going out of bounds that was recovered by LS Jason Kyle to set up a TD vs. Atlanta, Sept. 26...Converted a third down with a three-yard rush vs. Carolina, Oct. 3...Made first career start in two-TE set at Arizona, Oct. 10...Made first career catch, an 11-yard grab at Tampa Bay, Oct. 17...Caught four passes for 38 yards and recovered a fumble on a Saints punt return and advanced ball 20 yards vs. Cleveland, Oct. 24...Started and had three receptions for 49 yards, including his first career TD, a 19-yard grab, at Carolina, Nov. 7 field goal... In finale vs. Carolina, Dec. 30, led team in receiving with nine catches for 115 yards and a TD. Filled in for an injured Jeremy Shockey and had five receptions for 72 yards vs. Seattle, Nov. 21...Caught three passes for 72 yards, including a career-long 52-yard grab to set up a field goal before halftime at Cincinnati, Dec. 5...Had five receptions for 29 yards, including 18-yard and one-yard TD grabs in first multiple-score game at Baltimore, Dec. 19...Started in three-TE set and had game-winning six-yard TD with 3:24 left on Monday night at Atlanta, Dec. 27...Started and had two receptions for 15 yards, including a four-yard TD in regular season finale vs. Tampa Bay, 1/2/11, before departing with an ankle injury that would cause him to miss playoff game.

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**COLLEGE** – Appeared in 13 games with one start in a multiple-tight end set in only season of college football for the University of Miami and made 17 receptions for 213 yards (12.5 avg.) with five TDs...Appeared in 120 games with 39 starts for UM basketball team as a four-year letterwinner and averaged 4.2 points per game and 4.2 rebounds per game, while his 104 blocked shots ranked eighth in school history when he finished his career...Two-time Academic All-ACC...Earned a business degree with a double major in marketing and management.

**PERSONAL** – Attended Charis Preparatory (Goldsboro, N.C.) Academy, where he played basketball, football, baseball and tennis...On the hardwood, earned All-American honorable mention from *Street & Smith Magazine*, in addition to garnering All-State and conference and team Most Valuable Player honors...As a senior, averaged 20.7 points, 13.8 rebounds and 4.6 blocks per game...During his junior season, grabbed 15.1 rebounds and scored an average of 18.2 points per game...Earned his pilot's license in 2012; has earned several ratings and flies aerobatics, seaplanes and helicopters...The only two NFL games Graham had ever attended prior to being drafted by the Saints was a New Orleans-Oakland contest at the Superdome on Oct. 12, 2008 and Super Bowl XLIV...Featured in a television program on USA Network in 2012 titled "NFL Characters Unite", where he mentors a New Orleans teenager in need...Hosted a youth football camp at the Tulane campus in 2012...A former foster child, has provided both financial and in-person support to Boys Town Louisiana...Supported Second Harvest Food Bank of Greater New Orleans and the Toys for Tots program.

**NEW ORLEANS SAINTS ALPHABETICAL ROSTER (as of 9/11/23)**

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Born	Exp.	College	H.S. Hometown
29	Adebo, Paulson	CB	6-1	192	7/3/99	3	Stanford	Mansfield, Texas
0	Amadi, Ugo	S	5-9	201	5/16/97	5	Oregon	Nashville, Tenn.
53	Baun, Zack	LB	6-3	225	12/30/96	4	Wisconsin	Brown Deer, Wis.
90	Bresee, Bryan	DT	6-5	305	10/6/01	R	Clemson	Damascus, Md.
4	Carr, Derek	QB	6-3	215	3/28/91	10	Fresno State	Bakersfield, Calif.
56	Davis, Demario	LB	6-2	248	1/11/89	12	Arkansas State	Brandon, Miss.
55	Foskey, Isaiah	DE	6-5	265	10/30/00	R	Notre Dame	Concord, Calif.
73	Garcia, Max	G	6-4	309	11/9/91	9	Florida	Norcross, Ga.
80	Graham, Jimmy	TE	6-7	265	10/24/86	13	Miami (Fla.)	Goldsboro, N.C.
96	Granderson, Carl	DE	6-5	261	12/18/96	5	Wyoming	Sacramento, Calif.
48	Gray, J.T.	DB	6-0	202	1/18/96	6	Mississippi State	Clarksdale, Miss.
19	Grupe, Blake	K	5-7	156	11/5/98	R	Notre Dame	Sedalia, Mo.
39	Hedley, Lou	P	6-4	220	6/27/93	R	Miami (Fla.)	Mandurah, Au.
7	Hill, Taysom	QB	6-2	221	8/23/90	7	Brigham Young	Pocatello, Idaho
31	Howden, Jordan	DB	6-0	209	5/14/00	R	Minnesota	San Diego, Calif.
74	Hurst, James	OL	6-5	310	12/17/91	10	North Carolina	Plainfield, Ind.
52	Jackson, D'Marco	LB	6-1	233	7/20/98	2	Appalachian State	Spartanburg, S.C.
28	Johnson Jr., Lonnie	CB	6-2	213	11/4/95	5	Kentucky	Gary, Ind.
83	Johnson, Juwan	TE	6-4	231	9/13/96	4	Oregon	Glassboro, N.J.
94	Jordan, Cameron	DE	6-4	287	7/10/89	13	California	Chandler, Ariz.
18	Kirkwood, Keith	WR	6-3	210	12/26/94	4	Temple	Neptune Township, N.J.
92	Kpassagnon, Tanoh	DE	6-7	289	6/14/94	7	Villanova	Ambler, Pa.
23	Lattimore, Marshon	CB	6-0	192	5/20/96	7	Ohio State	Cleveland, Ohio
32	Mathieu, Tyrann	S	5-9	190	5/13/92	11	LSU	New Orleans, La.
6	Maye, Marcus	S	6-0	207	3/9/93	7	Florida	Melbourne, Fla.
78	McCoy, Erik	C/G	6-4	303	8/27/97	5	Texas A&M	Lufkin, Texas
33	Merritt, Kirk	RB	6-1	214	1/5/97	1	Arkansas State	Destrehan, La.
25	Miller, Kendre	RB	6-0	220	6/11/02	R	TCU	Mount Enterprise, Texas
87	Moreau, Foster	TE	6-4	250	5/6/97	5	LSU	New Orleans, La.
12	Olave, Chris	WR	6-0	187	6/27/00	2	Ohio State	San Marcos, Calif.
75	Peat, Andrus	G/T	6-7	316	11/4/93	9	Stanford	Tempe, Ariz
70	Penning, Trevor	T	6-7	325	5/15/99	2	Northern Iowa	Mason City, Iowa
17	Perry, A.T.	WR	6-5	205	10/26/99	R	Wake Forest	Lake Worth, Fla.
46	Prentice, Adam	FB	6-0	245	1/16/97	3	South Carolina	Clovis, Calif.
71	Ramczyk, Ryan	T	6-6	314	4/22/94	7	Wisconsin	Stevens Point, Wis.
97	Roach, Malcolm	DL	6-3	290	6/9/98	4	Texas	Baton Rouge, La.
51	Ruiz, Cesar	C/G	6-4	316	6/14/99	4	Michigan	Camden, N.J.
64	Saldiveri, Nick	OL	6-6	316	8/14/00	R	Old Dominion	Monroe, N.C.
99	Saunders, Khalen	DT	6-0	324	8/9/96	5	Western Illinois	St. Louis, Mo.
45	Sewell, Nephi	LB	6-0	228	12/19/98	1	Utah	St. George, Utah
22	Shaheed, Rashid	WR/RS	6-0	180	8/31/98	2	Weber State	San Diego, Calif.
93	Shepherd, Nathan	DT	6-4	315	10/9/93	6	Fort Hays State	Ajax, Ontario, Canada
1	Taylor, Alontae	CB	6-1	199	12/3/98	2	Tennessee	Manchester, Tenn.
13	Thomas, Michael	WR	6-3	212	3/3/93	8	Ohio State	Woodland Hills, Calif.
98	Turner, Payton	DE	6-6	270	1/7/99	3	Houston	Houston, Texas
20	Werner, Pete	LB	6-3	242	6/5/98	3	Ohio State	Indianapolis, Ind.
21	Williams, Jamaal	RB	6-0	224	4/3/95	7	Brigham Young	Fontana, Calif.
2	Winston, Jameis	QB	6-4	231	1/6/94	9	Florida State	Hueytown, Ala.
49	Wood, Zach	LS	6-3	255	1/10/93	7	Southern Methodist	Rowlett, Texas
27	Yiadam, Isaac	CB	6-1	188	2/20/96	6	Boston College	Worcester, Mass.
67	Young, Landon	T	6-7	321	8/21/97	3	Kentucky	Lexington, Ky.

**Players on Active Roster: (51)**

**Practice Squad: (16)**

24	Abram, Johnathan	S	6-0	205	10/25/96	5	Mississippi State	Columbia, Miss.
5	Bowden Jr., Lynn	WR	6-1	204	10/14/97	3	Kentucky	Warren, Ohio
43	Connelly, Ryan	LB	6-2	234	10/3/95	4	Wisconsin	Eden Prairie, Minn.
88	Davis, Shaq	WR	6-5	215	2/8/00	R	South Carolina State	Summerville, S.C.
95	Heflin, Jack	DT	6-3	304	3/8/98	2	Iowa	Prophetstown, Ill.
89	Hudson, Tommy	TE	6-5	255	2/22/97	2	Arizona State	San Jose, Calif.
36	Johnson, Anthony	DB	6-2	205	6/12/99	R	Virginia	Hollywood, Fla.
34	Jones Jr., Tony	RB	5-11	224	11/24/97	3	Notre Dame	Bradenton, Fla.
85	Kirklín, Jontre	WR	6-0	184	10/9/98	1	LSU	Lutcher, La.
62	Kraemer, Tommy	G	6-6	316	4/16/98	3	Notre Dame	Cincinnati, Ohio
57	Lalos, Niko	DE	6-5	269	6/25/97	2	Dartmouth	Akron, Ohio
37	Mims, Jordan	RB	6-0	205	6/16/99	R	Fresno State	Atherton, Calif.
72	Norton, Storm	T	6-7	317	5/16/94	4	Toledo	Toledo, Ohio
58	Orji, Anfernee	LB	6-2	230	10/6/00	R	Vanderbilt	Rockwall, Texas
91	Phillips, Kyle	DE	6-4	277	5/5/97	4	Tennessee	Nashville, Tenn.
54	Smith, Jaylon	LB	6-2	240	6/14/95	7	Notre Dame	Fort Wayne, Ind.

**Reserve/Injured: (4)**

26	Benjamin, Eno	RB	5-9	207	4/13/99	3	Arizona State	Wylie, Texas
50	Dowell, Andrew	LB	6-1	225	11/16/96	4	Michigan State	Lakewood, Ohio
10	Smith, Tre'Quan	WR	6-2	210	1/7/96	6	Central Florida	Delray Beach, Fla.
59	Turner, Trai	G	6-3	320	6/14/93	9	LSU	New Orleans, La.

**Reserve/Suspended: (2)**

3	Haener, Jake	QB	6-1	200	3/10/99	R	Fresno State	Danville, Calif.
41	Kamara, Alvin	RB	5-10	215	7/25/95	7	Tennessee	Atlanta, Ga.

**HEAD COACH: DENNIS ALLEN. Assistants: Clancy Barone**(Tight Ends), **Bob Bicknell** (Senior Offensive Assistant), **Kodi Burns** (Wide Receivers), **Kevin Carberry** (Assistant Offensive Line), **Pete Carmichael** (Offensive Coordinator), **Ronald Curry** (Passing Game Coordinator/Quarterbacks), **Jahri Evans** (Offensive Assistant), **Phil Galiano** (Assistant Special Teams), **Matt Giordano** (Defensive Assistant), **Peter Giunta** (Senior Defensive Assistant), **Todd Grantham** (Defensive Line), **Adam Gristick** (Defensive Assistant), **Michael Hodges** (Linebackers), **Doug Marrone** (Offensive Line), **Mike Martinez** (Assistant to the Head Coach), **Kevin Petry** (Offensive Assistant), **Darren Rizzi** (Assistant Head Coach/Special Teams Coordinator), **Marcus Robertson** (Secondary), **Joel Thomas** (Running Backs), **Jordan Traylor** (Offensive Assistant), **D.J. Williams** (Offensive Assistant), **Joe Woods** (Defensive Coordinator), **Brian Young** (Pass Rush Specialist).



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No. Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Exp.	College	H.S. Hometown	How Acquired	GP	GS	DNP	IA
0 Ugo Amadi	S	5-9	201	26	5	Oregon	Nashville, Tenn.	FA-23	1	0	0	0
1 Alontae Taylor	CB	6-1	199	24	2	Tennessee	Manchester, Tenn.	D2-22	1	0	0	0
2 Jameis Winston	QB	6-4	231	29	9	Florida State	Hueytown, Ala.	UFA-20 (TB)	0	0	1	0
4 Derek Carr	QB	6-3	215	32	10	Fresno State	Bakersfield, Calif.	FA-23	1	1	0	0
6 Marcus Maye	S	6-0	207	30	7	Florida	Melbourne, Fla.	UFA-22 (NYJ)	1	1	0	0
7 Taysom Hill	QB	6-2	221	33	7	Brigham Young	Pocatello, Idaho	WAI-17 (GB)	1	0	0	0
12 Chris Olave	WR	6-0	187	23	2	Ohio State	San Marcos, Calif.	D1a-22	1	1	0	0
13 Michael Thomas	WR	6-3	212	30	8	Ohio State	Woodland Hills, Calif.	D2a-16	1	1	0	0
17 A.T. Perry	WR	6-6	205	23	R	Wake Forest	Lake Worth, Fla.	D6-23	0	0	0	1
18 Keith Kirkwood	WR	6-3	210	28	4	Temple	Neptune Township, N.J.	FA-22	1	0	0	0
19 Blake Grupe	K	5-7	156	24	R	Notre Dame	Sedalia, Mo.	FA-23	1	0	0	0
20 Pete Werner	LB	6-3	242	25	3	Ohio State	Indianapolis, Ind.	D2-21	1	1	0	0
21 Jamaal Williams	RB	6-0	224	28	7	Brigham Young	Fontana, Calif.	UFA-23 (DET)	1	1	0	0
22 Rashid Shaheed	WR/RS	6-0	180	25	2	Weber State	San Diego, Calif.	FA-22	1	0	0	0
23 Marshon Lattimore	CB	6-0	192	27	7	Ohio State	Cleveland, Ohio	D1a-17	1	1	0	0
25 Kendre Miller	RB	6-0	220	21	R	TCU	Mount Enterprise, Texas	D3-23	0	0	0	1
27 Isaac Yiadom	CB	6-1	188	27	6	Boston College	Worcester, Mass.	FA-22	1	0	0	0
28 Lonnie Johnson Jr.	CB	6-2	213	27	5	Kentucky	Gary, Ind.	UFA-23 (TEN)	1	0	0	0
29 Paulson Adebo	CB	6-1	192	24	3	Stanford	Mansfield, Texas	D3-21	1	1	0	0
31 Jordan Howden	DB	6-0	209	23	R	Minnesota	San Diego, Calif.	D5-23	1	0	0	0
32 Tyrann Mathieu	S	5-9	190	31	11	LSU	New Orleans, La.	UFA-22 (KC)	1	1	0	0
33 Kirk Merritt	RB	6-1	214	26	1	Arkansas State	Destrehan, La.	FA-21	1	0	0	0
39 Lou Hedley	P	6-4	220	30	R	Miami (Fla.)	Mandurah, Au.	FA-23	1	0	0	0
45 Nephi Sewell	LB	6-0	228	24	1	Utah	St. George, Utah	FA-22	1	0	0	0
46 Adam Prentice	FB	6-0	245	26	3	South Carolina	Clovis, Calif.	WAI-21 (DEN)	1	0	0	0
48 J.T. Gray	DB	6-0	202	27	6	Mississippi State	Clarksdale, Miss.	FA-18	0	0	0	1
49 Zach Wood	LS	6-3	255	30	7	Southern Methodist	Rowlett, Texas	FA-17	1	0	0	0
51 Cesar Ruiz	C/G	6-4	316	24	4	Michigan	Camden, N.J.	D1-20	1	1	0	0
52 D'Marco Jackson	LB	6'1	233	25	2	Appalachian State	Spartanburg, S.C.	D5-22	1	0	0	0
53 Zack Baun	LB	6-3	225	26	4	Wisconsin	Brown Deer, Wis.	D3a-20	1	1	0	0
55 Isaiah Foskey	DE	6-5	265	22	R	Notre Dame	Concord, Calif.	D2-23	0	0	0	1
56 Demario Davis	LB	6-2	248	34	12	Arkansas State	Brandon, Miss.	UFA-18 (NYJ)	1	1	0	0
64 Nick Saldiveri	OL	6-6	316	23	R	Old Dominion	Monroe, N.C.	D4a-23	0	0	0	1
67 Landon Young	T	6-7	321	26	3	Kentucky	Lexington, Ky.	D6-21	1	0	0	0
70 Trevor Penning	T	6-7	325	24	2	Northern Iowa	Mason City, Iowa	D1b-22	1	1	0	0
71 Ryan Ramczyk	T	6-6	314	29	7	Wisconsin	Stevens Point, Wis.	D1b-17	1	1	0	0
73 Max Garcia	G	6-4	309	31	9	Florida	Norcross, Ga.	FA-23	1	0	0	0
74 James Hurst	OL	6-5	310	31	10	North Carolina	Plainfield, Ind.	FA-20	1	1	0	0
75 Andrus Peat	G/T	6-7	316	29	9	Stanford	Tempe, Ariz.	D1a-15	1	0	0	0
78 Erik McCoy	C/G	6-4	303	26	5	Texas A&M	Lufkin, Texas	D2-19	1	1	0	0
80 Jimmy Graham	TE	6-7	265	36	13	Miami (Fla.)	Goldsboro, N.C.	FA-23	1	0	0	0
83 Juwan Johnson	TE	6-4	231	27	4	Oregon	Glassboro, N.J.	FA-20	1	1	0	0
87 Foster Moreau	TE	6-4	250	26	5	LSU	New Orleans, La.	FA-23	1	1	0	0
90 Bryan Bresee	DT	6-5	305	21	R	Clemson	Damascus, Md.	D1-23	1	0	0	0
92 Tanoh Kpassagnon	DE	6-7	289	29	7	Villanova	Ambler, Pa.	UFA-21 (KC)	1	0	0	0
93 Nathan Shepherd	DT	6-4	315	29	6	Fort Hays State	Ajax, Ontario, Canada	UFA-23 (NYJ)	1	1	0	0
94 Cameron Jordan	DE	6-4	287	34	13	California	Chandler, Ariz.	D1a-11	1	1	0	0
96 Carl Granderson	DE	6-5	261	26	5	Wyoming	Sacramento, Calif.	FA-19	1	1	0	0
97 Malcolm Roach	DL	6-3	290	25	4	Texas	Baton Rouge, La.	FA-20	1	0	0	0
98 Payton Turner	DE	6-6	270	24	3	Houston	Houston, Texas	D1-21	1	0	0	0
99 Khalel Saunders	DT	6-0	324	27	5	Western Illinois	St. Louis, Mo.	UFA-23 (KC)	1	1	0	0

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**Practice Squad: (16)**

5 Lynn Bowden Jr.	WR	6-1	204	25	3	Kentucky	Warren, Ohio	FA-23	0	0	0	0
24 Johnathan Abram	S	6-0	205	26	5	Mississippi State	Columbia, Miss.	UFA-23 (SEA)	0	0	0	0
34 Tony Jones Jr.	RB	5-11	224	25	3	Notre Dame	Bradenton, Fla.	FA-23	1	0	0	0
36 Anthony Johnson	DB	6-2	205	24	R	Virginia	Hollywood, Fla.	FA-23	0	0	0	0
37 Jordan Mims	RB	6-0	205	24	R	Fresno State	Atherton, Calif.	FA-23	0	0	0	0
43 Ryan Connelly	LB	6-2	234	27	4	Wisconsin	Eden Prairie, Minn.	FA-23	1	0	0	0
54 Jaylon Smith	LB	6-2	240	28	7	Notre Dame	Fort Wayne, Ind.	FA-23	0	0	0	0
57 Niko Lalos	DE	6-5	269	26	2	Dartmouth	Akron, Ohio	FA-23	0	0	0	0
58 Anfernee Orji	LB	6-2	230	22	R	Vanderbilt	Rockwall, Texas	FA-23	0	0	0	0
62 Tommy Kraemer	G	6-6	316	25	3	Notre Dame	Cincinnati, Ohio	FA-23	0	0	0	0
72 Storm Norton	T	6-7	317	29	4	Toledo	Toledo, Ohio	UFA-23 (LAC)	0	0	0	0
85 Jontre Kirklín	WR	6-0	184	24	1	LSU	Lutcher, La.	FA-23	0	0	0	0
88 Shaq Davis	WR	6-5	215	23	R	South Carolina State	Summerville, S.C.	FA-23	0	0	0	0
89 Tommy Hudson	TE	6-5	255	26	2	Arizona State	San Jose, Calif.	FA-23	0	0	0	0
91 Kyle Phillips	DE	6-4	277	26	4	Tennessee	Nashville, Tenn.	FA-23	0	0	0	0
95 Jack Heflin	DT	6-3	304	25	2	Iowa	Prophetstown, Ill.	FA-23	0	0	0	0

**Reserve/Injured: (4)**

10 Tre'Quan Smith	WR	6-2	210	27	6	Central Florida	Delray Beach, Fla.	D3-18	0	0	0	0
26 Eno Benjamin	RB	5-9	207	24	3	Arizona State	Wylie, Texas	WAI-22 (HOU)	0	0	0	0
50 Andrew Dowell	LB	6-1	225	26	4	Michigan State	Lakewood, Ohio	FA-19	0	0	0	0
59 Trai Turner	G	6-3	320	30	9	LSU	New Orleans, La.	FA-23	0	0	0	0

**Reserve/Suspended: (2)**

3 Jake Haener	QB	6-1	200	24	R	Fresno State	Danville, Calif.	D4b-23	0	0	0	0
41 Alvin Kamara	RB	5-10	215	28	7	Tennessee	Atlanta, Ga.	D3a-17	0	0	0	0

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No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Birthdate	Exp.	College	H.S. Hometown
80	Jimmy Graham	TE	6-7	265	10/24/86	13	Miami (Fla.)	Goldsboro, N.C.
94	Cameron Jordan	DE	6-4	287	7/10/89	13	California	Chandler, Ariz.
56	Demario Davis	LB	6-2	248	1/11/89	12	Arkansas State	Brandon, Miss.
32	Tyrann Mathieu	S	5-9	190	5/13/92	11	LSU	New Orleans, La.
4	Derek Carr	QB	6-3	215	3/28/91	10	Fresno State	Bakersfield, Calif.
74	James Hurst	OL	6-5	310	12/17/91	10	North Carolina	Plainfield, Ind.
73	Max Garcia	G	6-4	309	11/9/91	9	Florida	Norcross, Ga.
75	Andrus Peat	G/T	6-7	316	11/4/93	9	Stanford	Tempe, Ariz.
2	Jameis Winston	QB	6-4	231	1/6/94	9	Florida State	Hueytown, Ala.
13	Michael Thomas	WR	6-3	212	3/3/93	8	Ohio State	Woodland Hills, Calif.
7	Taysom Hill	QB	6-2	221	8/23/90	7	Brigham Young	Pocatello, Idaho
92	Tanoh Kpassagnon	DE	6-7	289	6/14/94	7	Villanova	Ambler, Pa.
23	Marshon Lattimore	CB	6-0	192	5/20/96	7	Ohio State	Cleveland, Ohio
6	Marcus Maye	S	6-0	207	3/9/93	7	Florida	Melbourne, Fla.
71	Ryan Ramsey	T	6-6	314	4/22/94	7	Wisconsin	Stevens Point, Wis.
21	Jamaal Williams	RB	6-0	224	4/3/95	7	Brigham Young	Fontana, Calif.
49	Zach Wood	LS	6-3	255	1/10/93	7	Southern Methodist	Rowlett, Texas
48	J.T. Gray	DB	6-0	202	1/18/96	6	Mississippi State	Clarksdale, Miss.
93	Nathan Shepherd	DT	6-4	315	10/9/93	6	Fort Hays State	Ajax, Ontario, Canada
27	Isaac Yiadom	CB	6-1	188	2/20/96	6	Boston College	Worcester, Mass.
0	Ugo Amadi	S	5-9	201	5/16/97	5	Oregon	Nashville, Tenn.
96	Carl Granderson	DE	6-5	261	12/18/96	5	Wyoming	Sacramento, Calif.
78	Erik McCoy	C/G	6-4	303	8/27/97	5	Texas A&M	Lufkin, Texas
87	Foster Moreau	TE	6-4	250	5/6/97	5	LSU	New Orleans, La.
28	Lonnie Johnson Jr.	CB	6-2	213	11/4/95	5	Kentucky	Gary, Ind.
99	Khalen Saunders	DT	6-0	324	8/9/96	5	Western Illinois	St. Louis, Mo.
53	Zack Baun	LB	6-3	225	12/30/96	4	Wisconsin	Brown Deer, Wis.
83	Juwan Johnson	TE	6-4	231	9/13/96	4	Oregon	Glassboro, N.J.
18	Keith Kirkwood	WR	6-3	210	12/26/94	4	Temple	Neptune Township, N.J.
97	Malcolm Roach	DL	6-3	290	6/9/98	4	Texas	Baton Rouge, La.
51	Cesar Ruiz	C/G	6-4	316	6/14/99	4	Michigan	Camden, N.J.
29	Paulson Adebo	CB	6-1	192	7/3/99	3	Stanford	Mansfield, Texas
46	Adam Prentice	FB	6-0	245	1/16/97	3	South Carolina	Clovis, Calif.
98	Payton Turner	DE	6-6	270	1/7/99	3	Houston	Houston, Texas
20	Pete Werner	LB	6-3	242	6/5/98	3	Ohio State	Indianapolis, Ind.
67	Landon Young	T	6-7	321	8/21/97	3	Kentucky	Lexington, Ky.
52	D'Marco Jackson	LB	6-1	233	7/20/98	2	Appalachian State	Spartanburg, S.C.
12	Chris Olave	WR	6-0	187	6/27/00	2	Ohio State	San Marcos, Calif.
70	Trevor Penning	T	6-7	325	5/15/99	2	Northern Iowa	Mason City, Iowa
22	Rashid Shaheed	WR/RS	6-0	180	8/31/98	2	Weber State	San Diego, Calif.
1	Alontae Taylor	CB	6-1	199	12/3/98	2	Tennessee	Manchester, Tenn.
33	Kirk Merritt	RB	6-1	214	1/5/97	1	Arkansas State	Destrehan, La.
45	Nephi Sewell	LB	6-0	228	12/19/98	1	Utah	St. George, Utah
90	Bryan Bresee	DT	6-5	305	10/6/01	R	Clemson	Damascus, Md.
55	Isaiah Foskey	DE	6-5	265	10/30/00	R	Notre Dame	Concord, Calif.
19	Blake Grupe	K	5-7	156	11/5/98	R	Notre Dame	Sedalia, Mo.
39	Lou Hedley	P	6-4	220	6/27/93	R	Miami (Fla.)	Mandurah, Au.
31	Jordan Howden	DB	6-0	209	5/14/00	R	Minnesota	San Diego, Calif.
25	Kendre Miller	RB	6-0	220	6/11/02	R	TCU	Mount Enterprise, Texas
17	A.T. Perry	WR	6-5	205	10/26/99	R	Wake Forest	Lake Worth, Fla.
64	Nick Saldiveri	OL	6-6	316	8/14/00	R	Old Dominion	Monroe, N.C.

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**New Orleans Saints Unofficial Depth Chart (as of 9/11/23)**

**OFFENSE**

<b>WR</b>	<b>13 Michael Thomas</b>	22 Rashid Shaheed	17 <u>A.T. Perry</u>
<b>LT</b>	<b>70 Trevor Penning</b>	67 Landon Young	
<b>LG</b>	<b>74 James Hurst</b>	75 Andrus Peat	64 <u>Nick Saldiveri</u>
<b>C</b>	<b>78 Erik McCoy</b>	73 Max Garcia	
<b>RG</b>	<b>51 Cesar Ruiz</b>	64 <u>Nick Saldiveri</u>	
<b>RT</b>	<b>71 Ryan Ramczyk</b>	67 Landon Young	
<b>TE</b>	<b>83 Juwan Johnson</b>	87 Foster Moreau	80 Jimmy Graham
<b>WR</b>	<b>12 Chris Olave</b>	18 Keith Kirkwood	
<b>QB</b>	<b>4 Derek Carr</b>	2 Jameis Winston	7 Taysom Hill
<b>RB</b>	<b>21 Jamaal Williams</b>	25 <u>Kendre Miller</u>	33 Kirk Merritt
<b>FB</b>	<b>46 Adam Prentice</b>		

**DEFENSE**

<b>RDE</b>	<b>96 Carl Granderson</b>	98 Payton Turner	55 <u>Isaiah Foskey</u>
<b>DT</b>	<b>99 Khalen Saunders</b>	97 Malcolm Roach	
<b>DT</b>	<b>93 Nathan Shepherd</b>	90 <u>Bryan Bresee</u>	
<b>LDE</b>	<b>94 Cameron Jordan</b>	92 Tanoh Kpassagnon	
<b>WILL</b>	<b>20 Pete Werner</b>	45 Nephi Sewell	
<b>MLB</b>	<b>56 Demario Davis</b>	52 D'Marco Jackson	
<b>SAM</b>	<b>53 Zack Baun</b>	52 D'Marco Jackson	
<b>LCB</b>	<b>29 Paulson Adebo</b>	27 Isaac Yiadom	
<b>SS</b>	<b>6 Marcus Maye</b>	48 J.T. Gray	31 <u>Jordan Howden</u>
<b>FS</b>	<b>32 Tyrann Mathieu</b>	28 Lonnie Johnson Jr.	0 Ugo Amadi
<b>RCB</b>	<b>23 Marshon Lattimore</b>	1 Alontae Taylor	

**SPECIAL TEAMS**

<b>P</b>	<b>39 <u>Lou Hedley</u></b>
<b>K</b>	<b>19 <u>Blake Grupe</u></b>
<b>KO</b>	<b>19 <u>Blake Grupe</u></b>
<b>LS</b>	<b>49 <u>Zach Wood</u></b>
<b>H</b>	<b>39 <u>Lou Hedley</u></b>
<b>PR</b>	<b>22 Rashid Shaheed</b>
<b>KR</b>	<b>22 Rashid Shaheed</b>

**PRONUNCIATIONS:**

**PLAYERS**

- CB Paulson **Adebo** (uh-DEE-boh)
- DB **Ugo Amadi** (OO-goh / ah-MAH-dee)
- LB Zack **Baun** (BAWN)
- DT Bryan **Bresee** (bruh-ZEE)
- LB **Demario** Davis (duh-MAR-ee-oh)
- DE **Isaiah Foskey** (FAW-skee)
- K **Blake Grupe** (GROOP-ee)
- QB Jake **Haener** (HAY-ner)
- RB Alvin **Kamara** (kuh-MAIR-Uh)
- DE **Tanoh Kpassagnon** (TAWN-oh / PASS-en-yoh)
- S **Tyrann Mathieu** (Ty-ren / MATH-you)
- TE Foster **Moreau** (Muh-ROH)
- WR Chris **Olave** (oh-LAH-vay)
- T **Andrus Peat** (ANN-druss / PEET)
- T Ryan **Ramczyk** (RAM-check)
- C/G **Cesar Ruiz** (SEE-zarr / ROO-eez)
- DT **Khalen** Saunders (KAWL-en)
- LB **Nephi Sewell** (NEE-fy / SOO-uhl)
- WR **Rashid Shaheed** (rah-SHEED / shah-HEED)
- CB **Alontae** Taylor (uh-LAWN-tay)
- CB **Isaac Yiadom** (YEAH-dumm)

**COACHES**

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

**NEW ORLEANS SAINTS / WEEK 1 / THROUGH SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2023**

WON 1, LOST 0				* RUSHING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD			
09/10 W 16-15	Tennessee	70,024		J. Williams	18	45	2.5	11	0			
09/18	at Carolina			Shaheed	2	11	5.5	6	0			
09/24	at Green Bay			Jones	1	5	5.0	5	0			
10/01	Tampa Bay			Carr	3	4	1.3	7	0			
10/08	at New England			Hill	3	4	1.3	4	0			
10/15	at Houston			TEAM	27	69	2.6	11	0			
10/19	Jacksonville			OPPONENTS	22	104	4.7	18	0			
10/29	at Indianapolis			* RECEIVING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD			
11/05	Chicago			Olave	8	112	14.0	45	0			
11/12	at Minnesota			Shaheed	5	89	17.8	41	1			
11/26	at Atlanta			Thomas	5	61	12.2	25	0			
12/03	Detroit			J. Johnson	3	36	12.0	27	0			
12/10	Carolina			J. Williams	2	7	3.5	5	0			
12/17	N.Y. Giants			TEAM	23	305	13.3	45	1			
12/21	at L.A. Rams			OPPONENTS	16	198	12.4	46	0			
12/31	at Tampa Bay			* INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD			
01/07	Atlanta			Maye	1	5	5.0	5	0			
	N.O.	Opp.		Adebo	1	0	0.0	0	0			
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	15	16		Lattimore	1	0	0.0	0	0			
Rushing	2	5		TEAM	3	5	1.7	5	0			
Passing	12	8		OPPONENTS	1	10	10.0	10	0			
Penalty	1	3		* PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Net	TB	In	Lg	B
3rd Down: Made/Att	7/16	2/12		Hedley	5	241	48.2	40.8	0	1	52	0
3rd Down Pct.	43.8	16.7		TEAM	5	241	48.2	40.8	0	1	52	0
4th Down: Made/Att	0/0	0/0		OPPONENTS	3	107	35.7	33.7	0	1	62	0
4th Down Pct.	0.0	0.0		* PUNT RETURNS	Ret	FC	Yds	Avg	Long	TD		
POSSESSION AVG.	28:40	31:20		Shaheed	2	0	6	3.0	6	0		
TOTAL NET YARDS	351	285		TEAM	2	0	6	3.0	6	0		
Avg. Per Game	351.0	285.0		OPPONENTS	4	0	37	9.3	14	0		
Total Plays	64	59		* KICKOFF RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD			
Avg. Per Play	5.5	4.8		Shaheed	5	110	22.0	27	0			
NET YARDS RUSHING	69	104		TEAM	5	110	22.0	27	0			
Avg. Per Game	69.0	104.0		* FIELD GOALS	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+			
Total Rushes	27	22		Grupe	0/ 0	1/ 1	1/ 1	0/ 0	1/ 1			
NET YARDS PASSING	282	181		TEAM	0/ 0	1/ 1	1/ 1	0/ 0	1/ 1			
Avg. Per Game	282.0	181.0		OPPONENTS	0/ 0	2/ 2	1/ 1	1/ 1	1/ 1			
Sacked/Yards Lost	4/23	3/17		Grupe: (26G, 33G, 52G)								
Gross Yards	305	198		OPP: (50G, 27G, 31G, 45G, 29G)								
Att./Completions	33/23	34/16										
Completion Pct.	69.7	47.1										
Had Intercepted	1	3										
PUNTS/AVERAGE	5/48.2	3/35.7										
NET PUNTING AVG.	5/40.8	3/33.7										
PENALTIES/YARDS	7/45	6/45										
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	2/1	0/0										
TOUCHDOWNS	1	0										
Rushing	0	0										
Passing	1	0										
Returns	0	0										
* SCORE BY PERIODS	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	OT	PTS						
TEAM	3	3	10	0	0	16						
OPPONENTS	6	3	0	6	0	15						
* SCORING	TD-Ru-Pa-Rt	K-PAT	FG	S	PTS							
Grupe	0 0 0 0	1/ 1	3/ 3	0	10							
Shaheed	1 0 1 0			0	6							
TEAM	1 0 1 0	1/ 1	3/ 3	0	16							
OPPONENTS	0 0 0 0	0/ 0	5/ 5	0	15							
2-Pt Conv: TM 0-0, OPP 0-0												
SACKS: Granderson 1.5, Bresee 0.5, Jordan 0.5, Werner 0.5, TM 3, OPP 4												
FUM/LOST: Shaheed 1/1, J. Williams 1/0												
* PASSING	Att	Cmp	Yds	Cmp%	Yds/Att	TD	TD%	Int	Int%	Long	Sack/Lost	Rating
Carr	33	23	305	69.7	9.24	1	3.0	1	3.0	45	4/ 23	96.1
TEAM	33	23	305	69.7	9.24	1	3.0	1	3.0	45	4/ 23	96.1
OPPONENTS	34	16	198	47.1	5.82	0	0.0	3	8.8	46	3/ 17	28.8

## New Orleans Saints 2023 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
Davis, Demario	9	1	10	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Werner, Pete	3	5	8	0.5	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maye, Marcus	5	1	6	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Taylor, Alontae	3	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mathieu, Tyrann	3	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jordan, Cameron	2	3	5	0.5	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Granderson, Carl	2	2	4	1.5	9	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lattimore, Marshon	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Adebo, Paulson	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Roach, Malcolm	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kpassagnon, Tanoh	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bresee, Bryan	0	1	1	0.5	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Turner, Payton	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yiadom, Isaac	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Amadi, Ugo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hill, Taysom	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Johnson Jr., Lonnie	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jackson, D'Marco	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wood, Zach	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	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
Johnson, Juwan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Williams, Jamaal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
<b>Totals</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>

**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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## 29 Paulson Adebo

Pos.: CB Ht.: 6-1 Wt.: 192 Exp.: 3 College: Stanford



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (31/30); 2023: (1/1)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Started at left cornerback. Recorded two solo tackles, a pass defense, and delivered a crucial interception off QB Ryan Tannehill in the second half, as the secondary helped force Tannehill to have a career-low 28.8 passer rating.

**ADDITIONAL STATS: Special Teams Tackles – (2021, 3); Total: 3.**

**CAREER HIGHS: Tackles — 8 (3x), last vs. Las Vegas (10/30/22); Solo Tackles — 8, vs. Minnesota (10/2/22); Special Teams Tackles — 1 (2x), last vs. Miami (12/27/21); Passes Defensed — 2 (2x), at Atlanta (1/9/22) and at San Francisco (11/27/22); Interceptions — 1 (4x), last at Tennessee (9/10/23).**

29 CB Paulson Adebo													
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR		
9/10	TEN	1	1	2	0	2	0.0	0.0	1	0	1	0	0
2023 Season		1	1	2	0	2	0.0	0.0	1	0	1	0	0
Career Totals		31	30	107	18	125	0.0	0.0	4	50	16	0	0

## 0 Ugo Amadi

Pos.: S Ht.: 5-9 Wt.: 205 Exp.: 5 College: Oregon



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (51/12); 2023: (1/0)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Rotated in at nickel in his first game action with the Black and Gold and recorded one pass defense.

**ADDITIONAL STATS: Special Teams Tackles — Special Teams Tackles – (2019, 10), (2020, 5), (2021, 3), (2022, 1); Total: 19.**

**CAREER HIGHS: Tackles — Tackles — 9, vs. Jacksonville (10/31/21); Solo Tackles — 8 (2x), last vs. Jacksonville (10/31/21); Special Teams Tackles — 2, vs. Arizona (12/22/19); Passes Defensed — 2 (4x), last at Houston (12/21/21); Interceptions — 1, vs. Detroit (1/2/22).**

0 S Ugo Amadi													
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR		
9/10	TEN	1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0
2023 Season		1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0
Saints Career		1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0
Career Totals		51	12	92	20	112	0.0	0.0	1	12	14	2	1

## 53 Zack Baun

Pos.: LB Ht.: 6-3 Wt.: 225 Exp.: 4 College: Wisconsin



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (46/9); 2023: (1/1)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Started at SLB and saw action on special teams. Put his hands on a punt to set up a one-yard punt.

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**ADDITIONAL STATS:** Special Teams Tackles – (2020, 4), (2021, 8) (2022, 8); **Total: 20**; Blocked Field Goal Recoveries – (2021, 1).

**CAREER HIGHS:** Tackles — 7 (2x), last vs. Miami (12/27/21); Solo Tackles — 6, last vs. Miami (12/27/21); Special Teams Tackles — 2 (3x), last vs. Cincinnati (10/16/22).

53 LB Zack Baun												
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR	
9/10	TEN	1	1	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
<b>2023 Season</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>Career Totals</b>		<b>46</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	

## 90 Bryan Bresee

Pos.: DT Ht.: 6-5 Wt.: 305 Exp.: R College: Clemson



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (1/0); **2023:** (1/0)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Rotated in at DT in his NFL debut, recording one assisted tackle, two QB hurries and a half-sack.

**CAREER HIGHS:** Tackles — 1, vs. Tennessee (9/10/23); Sacks — 1, vs. Tennessee (9/10/23).

90 DT Bryan Bresee												
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR	
9/10	TEN	1	0	0	1	1	0.5	4.0	0	0	0	
<b>2023 Season</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>Career Totals</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	

## 4 Derek Carr

Pos.: QB Ht.: 6-3 Wt.: 215 Exp.: 10 College: Fresno State



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (143/143); **2023:** (1/1)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Started in his Saints debut, completing 23-of-33 passes for 305 yards with a TD and an INT. With his 143<sup>rd</sup> start since coming into the league in 2014, Carr surpassed Tom Brady for most starts since that season. Carr had completions of 45 yards to WR Chris Olave and 41-yards to WR/RS Rashid Shaheed, bringing his 83 completions of 40-yards or more to sixth in the NFL among active QBs since coming into the league in 2014. His 305 yards brought him to 35,527 career passing yards, ranking 31<sup>st</sup> all-time in the NFL record books, surpassing Jim Kelly. His 23 completions brought his career total to 3,224, which rank 26<sup>th</sup> all-time in NFL record books, surpassing Matt Hasselbeck. Carr also became the 37<sup>th</sup> player to start a contest at the position for New Orleans and the 12<sup>th</sup> to win his first start with the club.

**CAREER HIGHS:** Attempts — 59, at Tampa Bay (10/30/16); Completions — 40, at Tampa Bay (10/30/16); Completion Pct. — 91.20 (31-for-34), vs. Philadelphia (10/24/21); Passing Yards — 513, at Tampa Bay (10/30/16); Long Pass — 87, at LA Chargers (12/31/17); Interceptions — 3 (4x), last at Pittsburgh (12/24/22); Passing TDs — 4 (6x), last vs. Cleveland (9/30/18); Passer Rating — 140.2, vs. San Francisco (12/7/14); Rushes — 7 (2x), last vs. Denver (10/2/22); Rushing Yards — 58, vs. Houston (9/14/14); Long Rush — 41, vs. Houston (9/14/14); Rushing TDs — 1 (6x), last vs. Miami (12/26/20).

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## 4 QB Derek Carr

				Passing								Rushing				
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Comp	Att	Pct.	Yards	TD	INT	Lg	Rating	Att	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD
9/10	TEN	1	1	23	33	69.7%	305	1	1	45	96.1	3	4	0.8	7	0
2023 Season		1	1	23	33	69.7%	305	1	1	45	96.1	3	4	1.3	7	0
Saints Career		1	1	23	33	69.7%	305	1	1	45	96.1	3	4	1.3	7	0
Career Totals		143	143	3,224	4,991	64.6%	35,527	218	100	87	91.8	281	849	3.0	41	6

## 43 Ryan Connelly

Pos.: LB Ht.: 6-2 Wt.: 234 Exp.: 4 College: Wisconsin



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (32/3); 2023: (1/0)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Gameday elevation from the practice squad. Rotated in at LB and on special teams.

ADDITIONAL STATS: Special Teams Tackles — (2020, 5), (2021, 3); Total: 8.

CAREER HIGHS: Tackles — 7, at Tampa Bay (9/22/19); Solo Tackles — 3 (2x), vs. Buffalo (9/15/19) and vs. Washington (9/29/19); Sacks — 1, vs. Washington (9/29/19); Interceptions — 1 (2x), at Tampa Bay (9/22/19) and vs. Washington (9/29/19); Passes Defensed — 1 (2x), at Tampa Bay (9/22/19) and vs. Washington (9/29/19).

## 43 LB Ryan Connelly

Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR
9/10	TEN	1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0
2023 Season		1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0
Saints Career		1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0
Career Totals		32	3	11	10	21	1.0	2.0	2	0	0

## 56 Demario Davis

Pos.: LB Ht.: 6-2 Wt.: 248 Exp.: 12 College: Arkansas State



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (178/164); 2023: (1/1)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Started at MLB, recording a team-high 10 tackles (9 solo), including a tackle for loss.

ADDITIONAL STATS: Special Teams Tackles — (2012, 16); (2013, 6); (2014, 2); Total: 24.

CAREER HIGHS: Tackles — 15, vs. Kansas City (12/20/20); Solo Tackles — 11 (2x), vs. Pittsburgh (11/9/14) and vs. Miami (9/24/17); Sacks — 2 (4x), last vs. Cincinnati (10/16/22); Interceptions — 1 (3x), last at Tampa Bay (12/5/22); Passes Defensed — 4, at Tampa Bay (11/17/19); Forced Fumbles — 1 (3x), last vs. Atlanta (11/22/18); Fumble Recoveries — 1 (7x), last vs. Tampa Bay (9/18/22).

## 56 LB Demario Davis

Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR
9/10	TEN	1	1	9	1	10	0.0	0.0	0	0	0
2023 Season		1	1	9	1	10	0.0	0.0	0	0	0
Saints Career		82	82	366	198	564	22.5	173.5	2	5	34
Career Totals		178	164	795	429	1224	36.0	265.0	3	5	51

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## 55 Isaiah Foskey

Pos.: DE Ht.: 6-5 Wt.: 265 Exp.: R College: Notre Dame



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (0/0); 2023: (0/0)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Inactive.

55 DE Isaiah Foskey												
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR	
9/10	TEN	Inactive										
2023 Season		0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Career Totals		0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0

## 73 Max Garcia

Pos.: G Ht.: 6-4 Wt.: 309 Exp.: 9 College: Florida



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (106/59); 2023: (1/0)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Saw action on special teams.

## 80 Jimmy Graham

Pos.: TE Ht.: 6-7 Wt.: 265 Exp.: 13 College: Miami (Fla.)



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (185/132); 2023: (1/0)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Rotated in at TE and saw action on special teams.

**CAREER HIGHS:** Receptions — 10 (5x), last vs. San Francisco (11/9/14); Targets — 16 (2x), last at Tampa Bay (9/15/13); Receiving Yards — 179, at Tampa Bay (9/15/13); Long Reception — 59, at Jacksonville (10/2/11); Receiving TDs — 2 (17x), last at Jacksonville (12/27/20).

80 TE Jimmy Graham					Receiving				
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Rec	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD	
9/10	TEN	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	
2023 Season		1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	
Saints Career		80	50	386	4,752	12.3	59	51	
Career Totals		186	132	713	8,506	11.9	59	85	

## 96 Carl Granderson

Pos.: DE Ht.: 6-5 Wt.: 261 Exp.: 5 College: Wyoming



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (55/8); 2023: (1/1)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Started at RDE, recording four tackles (2 solo), 1.5 sacks, a tackle for loss, and four QB hurries.

ADDITIONAL STATS: Blocked Field Goals — (2021, 1); Total: 1; Special Teams Tackles — (2021, 1); Total: 1.

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**CAREER HIGHS:** Tackles — 7 (2x), vs. L.A. Rams (11/20/22) and vs. Atlanta (12/18/22); **Solo Tackles** — 5, vs. Cleveland (12/24/22); **Sacks** — 2, at Carolina (1/3/21). **Forced Fumbles** — 1 (2x), vs. Tampa Bay (9/13/20) and at Atlanta (12/6/20); **Fumble Recoveries** — 1, at Tampa Bay (12/5/22); **Passes Defensed** — 1, vs. Green Bay, (9/27/20). **Blocked Field Goals** — 1, at Carolina (9/19/21).

96 DE Carl Granderson												
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR	
9/10	TEN	1	1	2	2	4	1.5	9.0	0	0	0	
<b>2023 Season</b>		1	1	2	2	4	1.5	9.0	0	0	0	
<b>Career Totals</b>		55	8	61	44	105	16.0	105.5	0	0	1	

## 48 J.T. Gray

Pos.: DB Ht.: 6-0 Wt.: 202 Exp.: 6 College: Mississippi State



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (67/0); 2023: (0/0)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Inactive (shoulder).

ADDITIONAL STATS: Special Teams Tackles — (2018, 2); (2019, 16); (2020, 7), (2021, 19), (2022, 12); Total: 56; Special Teams Fumble Recoveries — (2019, 1); Total: 1.

CAREER HIGHS: Tackles — 2 (2x), last at Carolina (9/25/22); Solo Tackles — 1 (6x), last vs. Carolina (1/8/23); Passes Defensed — 1, at Carolina (1/3/21); Sacks — 1 (2x), vs Seattle (10/9/22) and vs. Carolina (1/8/23); Special Teams Tackles — 3 (2x), last vs. Minnesota (10/2/2); Blocked Punts — 1, at Chicago (10/20/19); Special Teams Fumble Recoveries — 1, vs. Carolina (11/24/19).

48 DB J.T. Gray												
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR	
9/10	TEN	Inactive										
<b>2023 Season</b>		0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
<b>Career Totals</b>		67	0	6	4	10	2.5	12.5	0	0	0	

## 19 Blake Grupe

Pos.: K Ht.: 5-7 Wt.: 156 Exp.: R College: Notre Dame



Regular Season Career GP: (1); 2023: (1)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Handled the kicking duties in his NFL debut. Finished a perfect 3-for-3 on FG attempts, with a long of 52 yards, and made his lone extra point attempt. Became the first Saints rookie to kick three field goals in his NFL debut. Had all five kickoffs sail through the end zone for touchbacks.

19 K Blake Grupe																				
			Field Goals					1-19		20-29		30-39		40-49		50+		PATs		
Date	Opp.	GP	M	A	Pct.	Lg	Blk	M	A	M	A	M	A	M	A	M	A	M	A	Pts
9/10	TEN	1	3	3	100.0%	52	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	10
<b>2023 Season</b>		1	3	3	100.0%	52	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	10
<b>Career Totals</b>		1	3	3	100.0%	52	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	10

## 3 Jake Haener

Pos.: QB Ht.: 6-1 Wt.: 200 Exp.: R College: Fresno State



Regular Season Career GP: (0); 2023: (0)



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**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Placed on Reserve/Suspended by Commissioner list, (9/8/23).

3 QB Jake Haener																
				Passing								Rushing				
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Comp	Att	Pct.	Yards	TD	INT	Lg	Rating	Att	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD
9/10	TEN	Reserve/Suspended by Commissioner														
2023 Season		0	0	0	0	#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	#DIV/0!	0	0
Career Totals		0	0	0	0	#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	#DIV/0!	0	0

## 39 Lou Hedley

Pos.: P Ht.: 6-4 Wt.: 220 Exp.: R College: Miami (Fla.)



Regular Season Career GP: (1); 2023: (1)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Handled the punting duties in his NFL debut. Punted five times for 241 yards (48.2 avg., 40.2 net) with one downed inside the 20 and a long of 52 yards.

39 P Lou Hedley											
Date	Opp.	GP	No	Yds	Avg	Net	TB	In20	Lg	Blk	
9/10	TEN	1	5	241	48.2	40.2	0	1	52	0	
2023 Season		1	5	241	48.2	40.2	0	1	0	0	
Career Totals		1	5	241	48.2	0.0	0	1	0	0	

## 7 Taysom Hill

Pos.: QB Ht.: 6-2 Wt.: 221 Exp.: 7 College: Brigham Young



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (82/34); 2023: (1/0)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Rotated in at QB and saw action on special teams. Rushed three times for four yards and recorded one special teams tackle.

**ADDITIONAL STATS: Special Teams Tackles** — (2017, 4), (2018, 6), (2019, 2), (2021, 1); (2023, 1); **Total: 14; Blocked Punts** — (2018, 1); **Total: 1.**

**CAREER HIGHS: Passing Attempts** — 41, vs. Dallas (12/2/21); **Completions** — 28, at Philadelphia (12/13/20); **Passing Yards** — 291, at Philadelphia (12/13/20); **Long Completion** — 70, vs. Dallas (12/2/21); **Passing TDs** — 2 (3x), last vs. Dallas (12/2/21); **Interceptions** — 4, vs. Dallas (12/2/21); **Receptions** — 3, vs. Arizona (10/27/19); **Receiving Yards** — 63, vs. Arizona (10/27/19); **Long Reception** — 45, at Carolina (12/29/19); **Receiving TDs** — 1 (9x), last at Tampa Bay (12/5/22); **Rushes** — 14, at Atlanta (12/6/20); **Rushing Yards** — 112, vs. Seattle (10/9/22); **Long Rush** — 60, vs. Seattle (10/9/22); **Rushing TDs** — 3, vs. Seattle (10/9/22); **Kickoff Returns** — 3 (2x), vs. Seattle (10/9/22) and at Atlanta (9/23/18); **Kickoff Return Yards** — 69, vs. Seattle (10/9/22); **Long Kickoff Return** — 47, vs. Cleveland (10/6/18); **Special Teams Tackles** — 2 (2x), last at Baltimore (10/21/18); **Special Teams Fumble Recoveries** — 1, vs. Seattle (10/9/22); **Total: 1; Blocked Punts** — 1, at Tampa Bay (12/9/18).

7 QB Taysom Hill																					
				Rushing					Receiving					Passing							
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Att	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD	Rec	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD	Comp	Att	Pct.	Yards	TD	INT	Lg	Rating
9/10	TEN	1	0	3	4	1.3	4	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0%	0	0	0	0	0
2023 Season		1	0	3	4	1.3	4	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	0
Career Totals		82	34	320	1,762	5.5	60t	23	43	465	10.8	45t	9	185	287	64.5%	2,265	10	8	70t	88.7

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## 31 Jordan Howden

Pos.: DB Ht.: 6-0 Wt.: 209 Exp.: R College: Minnesota



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (1/0); 2023: (1/0)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Rotated in at S and saw action on special teams in his NFL debut.

31 DB Jordan Howden												
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR	
9/10	TEN	1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
2023 Season		1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
Career Totals		1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	

## 74 James Hurst

Pos.: OL Ht.: 6-5 Wt.: 310 Exp.: 10 College: North Carolina



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (136/81); 2023: (1/1)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Started at LG.

## 52 D'Marco Jackson

Pos.: LB Ht.: 6-1 Wt.: 233 Exp.: 2 College: Appalachian State



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (1/0); 2023: (1/0)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Saw action on special teams in his NFL debut, recording two special teams tackles.

ADDITIONAL STATS: Special Teams Tackles — (2023, 2); Total: 2.

52 LB D'Marco Jackson												
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR	
9/10	TEN	1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
2023 Season		1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
Career Totals		1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	

## 83 Juwan Johnson

Pos.: TE Ht.: 6-4 Wt.: 233 Exp.: 4 College: Oregon



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (38/19); 2023: (1/1)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Started in the first game of the 2023 campaign, catching three passes for 36 yards.

ADDITIONAL STATS: Special Teams Tackles — (2022, 1); Total: 1.

CAREER HIGHS: Receptions — 5 (3x), at Arizona (10/20/22), at Pittsburgh (11/13/22) and at Philadelphia (1/1/23); Receiving Yards — 67, vs. Atlanta (12/18/22); Long Reception — 41, vs. Baltimore (11/7/22); TD Receptions — 2 (3x), last vs. Atlanta (12/18/22). Special Teams Tackles — 1, at Carolina (9/25/22).

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83 TE Juwan Johnson								
				Receiving				
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Rec	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD
9/10	TEN	1	1	3	36	12.0	27	0
2023 Season		1	0	3	36	12.0	27	0
Career Totals		38	18	62	742	12.0	42	11

## 28 Lonnie Johnson Jr.

Pos.: CB Ht.: 6-2 Wt.: 213 Exp.: 5 College: Kentucky



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (57/19); 2023: (1/0)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Saw action on special teams in his Saints debut, recording one tackle.

ADDITIONAL STATS: Special Teams Tackles — (2019, 3); (2020, 6), (2021, 4), (2022, 2); (2023, 1); Total: 16.

CAREER HIGHS: Tackles — 11, vs. Cincinnati (12/27/20); Solo Tackles — 7 (2x), at Indianapolis (10/20/19) and at Indianapolis (12/20/20); Passes Defensed — 2, at Kansas City (10/13/19); Special Teams Tackles — 2 (2x), last at Chicago (12/13/20).

28 CB Lonnie Johnson Jr.													
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR		
9/10	TEN	1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
2023 Season		1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Saints Career		1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Career Totals		57	19	122	46	168	0.0	0.0	3	47	13	0	0

## 34 Tony Jones Jr.

Pos.: RB Ht.: 5-11 Wt.: 224 Exp.: 3 College: Notre Dame



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (19/5); 2023: (1/0)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Rotated in at RB, rushing one time for five yards.

CAREER HIGHS: Rushes — 16, vs. Buffalo (11/25/21); Rushing Yards — 50, vs. Green Bay (9/12/21); Long Rush — 11, vs. Buffalo (11/25/21); Rushing TDs — 0; Receptions — 2 (3x), last at L.A. Rams (12/4/22); Receiving Yards — 19, at N.Y. Jets (12/12/21); Long Reception — 19, at N.Y. Jets (12/12/21).

34 RB Tony Jones Jr.													
				Rushing					Receiving				
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Att	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD	Rec	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD
9/10	TEN	1	0	1	5	5.0	5	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2023 Season		1	0	1	5	5.0	5	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Saints Career		15	5	60	168	2.8	11	0	7	41	5.9	19	0
Career Totals		19	5	68	184	2.7	11	0	10	59	5.9	19	0

## 94 Cameron Jordan

Pos.: DE Ht.: 6-4 Wt.: 287 Exp.: 13 College: California



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (193/192); 2023: (1/1)

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**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Started at LDE, recording five tackles (2 solo), a half sack, two pass defenses and a QB hurry, leading a defensive line that forced Titans QB Ryan Tannehill into a career-low 28.8 passer rating.

**ADDITIONAL STATS: Blocked Field Goals** — (2015, 1); **Total: 1.**

**CAREER HIGHS: Tackles** — 13, vs. Washington (9/9/12); **Sacks** — 4, at Atlanta (11/28/19); **Interceptions** — 1 (2x), last vs. Detroit (10/15/17); **Long Interception Return** — 6, at Pittsburgh (11/30/14); **Interception Return TDs** — 1, vs. Detroit (10/15/17); **Passes Defensed** — 4, vs. N.Y. Jets (12/17/17); **Forced Fumbles** — 1 (15x), last at Philadelphia (1/1/23); **Fumble Recoveries** — 1 (10x), last at L.A. Rams (9/15/19); **Blocked Field Goals** — 1, vs. Atlanta (1/3/16).

94 DE Cameron Jordan												
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR	
9/10	TEN	1	1	2	3	5	0.5	0.0	0	0	2	0
<b>2023 Season</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Career Totals</b>		<b>193</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>461</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>738</b>	<b>116.0</b>	<b>771.5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>15</b>

## 41 Alvin Kamara

Pos.: RB Ht.: 5-10 Wt.: 215 Exp.: 7 College: Tennessee



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (88/58); **2023: (0/0)**

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Placed on Reserve/Suspended by Commissioner, (9/3/23).

**ADDITIONAL STATS: Two-Point Conversions** — (2017, 1), (2018, 3); **Total: 4; Fumble Recoveries** — (2020, 2), (2021, 1); **Total: 3; Miscellaneous Tackles** — (2020, 1), (2021, 1); **Total: 2.**

**CAREER HIGHS: Receptions** — 15, at Atlanta (9/23/18); **Receiving Yards** — 139, vs. Green Bay (9/27/20); **Long Reception** — 54, vs. Seattle (10/9/22); **Receiving TDs** — 2 (2x), vs. Green Bay (9/27/20) and vs. Las Vegas (10/30/22); **Rushes** — 30, at Atlanta (1/9/22); **Rushing Yards** — 155, vs. Minnesota (12/25/20); **Long Rush** — 74, at L.A. Rams (11/26/17); **Rushing TDs** — 6-Tied NFL Record, vs. Minnesota (12/25/20); **Total TDs** — 6 – Tied NFL Record, vs. Minnesota (12/25/20); **Total Yards From Scrimmage** — 197, vs. Green Bay (9/27/20); **Punt Returns** — 3 (4x), last at Washington (10/10/21); **Punt Return Yards** — 32, at Tampa Bay (11/17/19); **Long Punt Return** — 27, at Tampa Bay (11/17/19); **Kickoff Returns** — 4, at Tampa Bay (12/31/17); **Kickoff Return Yards** — 155, at Tampa Bay (12/31/17); **Long Kickoff Return** — 106, at Tampa Bay (12/31/17); **Total TDs** — 6-Tied NFL Record, vs. Minnesota (12/25/20).

41 RB Alvin Kamara													
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Rushing					Receiving				
				Att	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD	Rec	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD
9/10	TEN	Reserve/Suspended by Commissioner											
<b>2023 Season</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Career Totals</b>		<b>88</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>1,135</b>	<b>5,135</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>3,753</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>22</b>

## 18 Keith Kirkwood

Pos.: WR Ht.: 6-3 Wt.: 210 Exp.: 4 College: Temple



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (19/2); **2023: (1/0)**

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Rotated in at WR.

**ADDITIONAL STATS: Special Teams Tackles** — (2018, 1); **Total: 1.**

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**CAREER HIGHS:** **Receptions** — 3 (2x), last at N.Y. Giants (10/24/21); **Receiving Yards** — 45, at Cincinnati (11/18/18); **Long Reception** — 42, at Cincinnati (11/11/18); **Receiving TDs** — 1 (2x), vs. Atlanta (11/22/18) and at Dallas (11/29/18); **Special Teams Tackles** — 1, at Cincinnati (11/18/18).

18 WR Keith Kirkwood								
				Receiving				
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Rec	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD
9/10	TEN	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
<b>2023 Season</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Saints Career</b>		<b>16</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>15.0</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Career Totals</b>		<b>19</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>2</b>

## 92 Tanoh Kpassagnon

Pos.: DE Ht.: 6-7 Wt.: 289 Exp.: 7 College: Villanova



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (85/34); 2023: (1/0)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Rotated in along the defensive line and saw action on special teams. Finished with one solo tackle and two QB hurries.

**ADDITIONAL STATS:** **Special Teams Tackles** — (2017, 1); **Total: 1**; **Blocked Field Goals** — (2019, 1); **Total: 1**.

**CAREER HIGHS:** **Tackles** — 7, at Denver (12/31/17); **Solo Tackles** — 5, vs. Baltimore (11/7/22); **Sacks** — 2 (2x), at Denver (12/31/17) and vs. Green Bay (10/27/19); **Passes Defensed** — 1 (7x), last at Washington (10/10/21); **Forced Fumbles** — 1, at Oakland (11/29/18); **Fumble Recoveries** — 1, at Tennessee (11/10/19); **Special Teams Tackles** — 1, at N.Y. Jets (12/3/17).

92 DE Tanoh Kpassagnon												
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR	
9/10	TEN	1	0	1	0	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
<b>2023 Season</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>Saints Career</b>		<b>24</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>51.0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>Career Totals</b>		<b>85</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>118.0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	

## 23 Marshon Lattimore

Pos.: CB Ht.: 6-0 Wt.: 192 Exp.: 7 College: Ohio State



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (81/81); 2023: (1/1)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Started at CB, recording two solo tackles, four passes defensed, and an interception, the 15<sup>th</sup> of his career to move into a tie for eighth in club record books.

**CAREER HIGHS:** **Tackles** — 12, at Seattle (9/22/19); **Solo Tackles** — 10, at Seattle (9/22/19); **Interceptions** — 1 (15x), last vs. Tennessee (9/10/23); **Long Interception Return** — 33, at Atlanta (12/7/17); **Passes Defensed** — 6, at Washington (10/10/21); **Forced Fumbles** — 1 (5x), last at Tampa Bay (11/29/18); **Fumble Recoveries** — 1 (5x), last at Tampa Bay (12/19/21).

23 CB Marshon Lattimore												
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR	
9/10	TEN	1	1	2	0	2	0.0	0.0	1	0	4	
<b>2023 Season</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	
<b>Career Totals</b>		<b>81</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>82</b>	



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## 32 Tyrann Mathieu

Pos.: S Ht.: 5-9 Wt.: 190 Exp.: 11 College: Louisiana State



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (147/138); 2023: (1/1)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Started at FS and recorded five tackles (3 solo) to surpass 700 career stops.

ADDITIONAL STATS: Special Teams Tackles — (2013, 1), (2017, 4); Total: 5.

CAREER HIGHS: Tackles — 13, at San Francisco (11/25/15); Solo Tackles — 11 (2x), at San Francisco (11/25/15) and vs. San Francisco (10/1/17); Tackles for Loss — 3, vs. Baltimore (10/26/15); Sacks — 1 (11x), last vs. Atlanta (12/18/22); Interceptions — 2 (3x), last at Baltimore (9/19/21); Passes Defensed — 3 (5x), last at Baltimore (9/19/21); Forced Fumbles — 1 (5x), last vs. Carolina (1/8/23); Fumble Recoveries — 1 (7x), last at Atlanta (9/11/22); Special Teams Tackles — 1 (5x), last at Seattle (12/31/17).

32 S Tyrann Mathieu												
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR	
9/10	TEN	1	1	3	2	5	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
2023 Season		1	1	3	2	5	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
Saints Career		18	18	67	29	96	1.0	0.0	3	44	8	
Career Totals		147	138	587	115	702	11.0	78.0	29	379	90	

## 6 Marcus Maye

Pos.: S Ht.: 6-0 Wt.: 207 Exp.: 7 College: Florida



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (71/71); 2023: (1/1)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Started at SS, recording six tackles (5 solo), one pass defense, and a crucial interception to stop the Titans offensive momentum.

CAREER HIGHS: Tackles — 12, at New England (10/24/21); Solo Tackles — 8 (3x), last at Tampa Bay (12/5/22); Sacks — 2, at Buffalo (9/13/20); Tackles for Loss — 2 (2x), at Buffalo (9/13/20) and vs. New England (9/19/21); Sacks — 2, at Buffalo (9/13/20); Interceptions — 1 (7x), last vs. Tennessee (9/10/23); Passes Defensed — 2 (5x), last vs. Atlanta (12/18/22); Forced Fumbles — 1 (5x), last at Atlanta (9/11/22); Fumble Recoveries — 1, vs. Las Vegas (12/6/20).

6 S Marcus Maye												
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR	
9/10	TEN	1	1	5	1	6	0.0	0.0	1	5	1	
2023 Season		1	1	5	1	6	0.0	0.0	1	5	1	
Saints Career		11	11	47	19	66	0.0	0.0	1	5	3	
Career Totals		71	71	268	106	374	3.5	19.0	7	153	27	

## 78 Erik McCoy

Pos.: C/G Ht.: 6-4 Wt.: 315 Exp.: 5 College: Texas A&M



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (58/58); 2023: (1/1)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Started at C.

ADDITIONAL STATS: Miscellaneous Tackles — (2022, 1); Total: 1.

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## 33 Kirk Merritt

Pos.: RB Ht.: 6-1 Wt.: 214 Exp.: 1 College: Arkansas State



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (8/0); 2023: (1/0)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Saw action on special teams.

33 RB Kirk Merritt													
				Rushing					Receiving				
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Att	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD	Rec	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD
9/10	TEN	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2023 Season		1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Saints Career		5	0	0	0	0.0	23	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Career Totals		8	0	0	0	0.0	44	0	1	13	13.0	13	0

## 25 Kendre Miller

Pos.: RB Ht.: 6-0 Wt.: 220 Exp.: R College: TCU



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (0/0); 2023: (0/0)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Inactive (hamstring).

25 RB Kendre Miller													
				Rushing					Receiving				
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Att	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD	Rec	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD
9/10	TEN	Inactive											
2023 Season		0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Saints Career		0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Career Totals		0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0

## 87 Foster Moreau

Pos.: TE Ht.: 6-4 Wt.: 250 Exp.: 5 College: Louisiana State



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (62/35); 2023: (1/1)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Started at TE.

ADDITIONAL STATS: Special Teams Tackles — (2019, 3), (2020, 2), (2021, 2); Total: 7.

CAREER HIGHS: Receptions — 7, at Cleveland (12/20/21); Receiving Yards — 67, vs. Denver (12/26/21); Long Reception — 47, vs. Indianapolis (12/13/20); Receiving TDs — 1 (12x), last at Seattle (11/27/22).

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87 TE Foster Moreau								
				Receiving				
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Rec	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD
9/10	TEN	1	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
2023 Season		1	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
Saints Career		1	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
Career Totals		62	35	91	1,107	12.2	47t	12

## 12 Chris Olave

Pos.: WR Ht.: 6-0 Wt.: 187 Exp.: 2 College: Ohio State



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (16/10); 2023: (1/1)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Started at WR and led the team in receiving in the season opener, hauling in eight passes for 112 yards.

**ADDITIONAL STATS: Two-Point Conversions** — (2022, 1); **Total: 1. Miscellaneous Tackles** — (2022, 3); **Total: 3.**

**CAREER HIGHS: Receptions** — 9, at Carolina (9/25/22); **Receiving Yards** — 147, at Carolina (9/25/22); **Long Reception** — 53, vs. Los Angeles Rams (11/20/22); **Receiving TDs** — 1 (4x), last vs Carolina (1/8/23).

12 WR Chris Olave								
				Receiving				
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Rec	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD
9/10	TEN	1	1	8	112	14.0	45	0
2023 Season		1	1	8	112	14.0	45	0
Career Totals		16	10	80	1,154	14.4	53t	4

## 75 Andrus Peat

Pos.: G/T Ht.: 6-7 Wt.: 316 Exp.: 9 College: Stanford



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (96/90); 2023: (1/0)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Saw action on special teams.

## 70 Trevor Penning

Pos.: T Ht.: 6-7 Wt.: 325 Exp.: 2 College: Northern Iowa



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (7/2); 2023: (1/1)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Started at LT.

## 17 A.T. Perry

Pos.: WR Ht.: 6-5 Wt.: 205 Exp.: R College: Wake Forest



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (0/0); 2023: (0/0)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Inactive.

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## 17 WR A.T. Perry

				Receiving				
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Rec	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD
9/10	TEN	Inactive						
2023 Season		0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Career Totals		0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0

## 46 Adam Prentice

Pos.: RB Ht.: 6-0 Wt.: 245 Exp.: 3 College: South Carolina



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (19/5); 2023: (1/0)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Saw action on offense and special teams. Recorded one tackle.

ADDITIONAL STATS: Miscellaneous Tackles — (2021, 1); Total: 1; Special Teams Tackles — (2021, 1); (2022, 3) (2023, 1); Total: 5.

CAREER HIGHS: Receptions — 1, (6x) last at Philadelphia (1/1/23); Receiving Yards — 10, vs. Buffalo (11/25/21); Long Reception — 10, vs. Buffalo (11/25/21); Rushes — 2, at Cleveland (12/24/22); Rushing Yards — 5, at Cleveland (12/24/22); Long Rush — 3, at Cleveland (12/24/22); Rushing TDs — 0; Total TDs — 0; Total Yards From Scrimmage — 10, vs. Buffalo (11/25/21).

## 46 RB Adam Prentice

				Rushing					Receiving				
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Att	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD	Rec	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD
9/10	TEN	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2023 Season		1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Career Totals		19	5	7	14	2.0	3	0	6	25	4.2	0	0

## 71 Ryan Ramczyk

Pos.: T Ht.: 6-6 Wt.: 314 Exp.: 7 College: Wisconsin



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (90/90); 2023: (1/1)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Started at RT.

ADDITIONAL STATS: Miscellaneous Tackles — (2017, 1), (2018, 2); Total: 3.

## 97 Malcolm Roach

Pos.: DL Ht.: 6-3 Wt.: 290 Exp.: 4 College: Texas



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (30/5); 2023: (1/0)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Rotated in on defense and special teams, recording two assisted tackles.

CAREER HIGHS: Tackles — 7, at Pittsburgh (11/13/22); Solo Tackles — 5, at Pittsburgh (11/13/22); Sacks — 1, at Pittsburgh (11/13/22); Interceptions — 1, at Carolina (9/19/21); Passes Defensed — 1, at Carolina (9/19/21).

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97 DL Malcolm Roach												
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR	
9/10	TEN	1	0	0	2	2	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
2023 Season		1	0	0	2	2	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
Career Totals		30	5	25	29	54	1.0	3.0	1	5	1	

## 51 Cesar Ruiz

Pos.: C/G Ht.: 6-4 Wt.: 316 Exp.: 4 College: Michigan



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (47/41); 2023: (1/1)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Started at RG.

ADDITIONAL Stats: Miscellaneous Tackles — (2022, 1); Total: 1.

## 64 Nick Saldiveri

Pos.: OL Ht.: 6-6 Wt.: 316 Exp.: R College: Old Dominion



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (0/0); 2023: (0/0)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Inactive.

## 99 Khalen Saunders

Pos.: DT Ht.: 6-0 Wt.: 324 Exp.: 5 College: Western Illinois



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (37/5); 2023: (1/1)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Started at DT in his Saints debut.

CAREER HIGHS: Tackles — 8, at Indianapolis (9/5/22); Solo Tackles — 3 (3x), last vs. Tennessee (11/6/22); Sacks — 1 (4x), last vs. Denver (1/1/23); Interceptions — 0; Passes Defensed — 1 (2x), last at Houston (12/8/22).

99 DT Khalen Saunders												
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR	
9/10	TEN	1	1	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
2023 Season		1	1	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
Saints Career		1	1	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
Career Totals		39	6	40	41	81	4.5	22.5	0	0	2	

## 45 Nephi Sewell

Pos.: LB Ht.: 6-0 Wt.: 228 Exp.: 1 College: Utah



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (1/0); 2023: (1/0)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Saw action on special teams.



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45 LB Nephi Sewell												
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR	
9/10	TEN	1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
2023 Season		1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
Career Totals		5	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	

## 22 Rashid Shaheed

Pos.: WR Ht.: 6-0 Wt.: 180 Exp.: 2 College: Weber State



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (13/6); 2023: (1/0)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Rotated in at WR and handled the return duties. Caught five passes for 89 yards with a TD, rushed two times for 11 yards, returned two punts for six yards and five kickoffs for 110 yards for a career-high 216 all-purpose yards.

**CAREER HIGHS: Receptions** — 6, vs. Philadelphia (1/1/23); **Receiving Yards** — 95, vs. Atlanta (12/18/22); **Long Reception** — 68t, vs. Atlanta (12/18/22); **Receiving TDs** — 1 (3x), last vs. Tennessee (9/13/23); **Rushing Attempts** — 1 (4x), last at Carolina (1/8/23), **Rushing Yards** — 44, vs. Cincinnati (10/16/22); **Punt Returns** — 4, vs. L.A. Rams (11/20/22); **Punt Return Yards** — 59, at Tampa Bay (12/5/22); **Long Punt Return** — 42, at Tampa Bay (12/5/22). **Kickoff Returns** — 4, at Pittsburgh (11/13/22); **Kickoff Return Yards** — 93, at Pittsburgh (11/13/22); **Long Kickoff Return** — 31, at Pittsburgh (11/13/22); **All-Purpose Yards (Rushing, Receiving, Kickoff Return, Punt Return)** — 216, vs. Tennessee (9/10/23).

22 WR Rashid Shaheed																							
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Rushing					Receiving					Punt Returns				Kickoff Returns					
				Att	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD	Rec	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD	Ret	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD	Ret	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD
9/10	TEN	1	0	2	11	5.5	6	0	5	89	17.8	41	1	2	6	3.0	6	0	5	110	22.0	27	0
2023 Season		1	0	2	11	5.5	6	0	5	89	17.8	41	1	2	6	3.0	6	0	5	110	22.0	27	0
Career Totals		13	6	6	68	11.3	44t	1	33	577	17.5	68t	3	22	199	9.0	42	0	19	430	22.6	31	0

## 93 Nathan Shepherd

Pos.: DT Ht.: 6-4 Wt.: 315 Exp.: 6 College: Fort Hayes State



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (74/13); 2023: (1/1)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Started at DT in his Saints debut.

**CAREER HIGHS: Tackles** — 5 (2x), vs. Buffalo (11/11/18) and at Buffalo (1/9/22); **Solo Tackles** — 3 (5x), last vs. Detroit (12/18/22); **Tackles for Loss** — 3, vs. N.Y. Giants (11/10/19); **Sacks** — 1 (5x), last vs. New England (10/30/22).

93 DT Nathan Shepherd												
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR	
9/10	TEN	1	1	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
2023 Season		1	1	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
Saints Career		1	1	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
Career Totals		74	13	52	52	104	6.0	55.0	0	0	0	

## 10 Tre'Quan Smith

Pos.: WR Ht.: 6-2 Wt.: 210 Exp.: 6 College: Central Florida



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (66/35); 2023: (0/0)

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**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Placed on Injured Reserve (groin), (9/9/23).

**ADDITIONAL STATS: Offensive Fumble Recoveries** — (2020, 1); **Total: 1**; **Rushing Yards** — (2020, 3); **Total: 3**.

**CAREER HIGHS: Receptions** — 10, vs. Philadelphia (11/18/18); **Receiving Yards** — 157, vs. Philadelphia (11/18/18); **Long Reception** — 62, vs. Washington (10/8/18); **Receiving TDs** — 2 (2x), vs. Washington (10/8/18) and at Detroit (10/4/20).

10 WR Tre'Quan Smith									
				Receiving					
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Rec	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD	
9/10	TEN	Reserve/Injured							
2023 Season		0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	
Career Totals		66	35	131	1,764	13.5	62t	18	

## 1 Alontae Taylor

Pos.: CB Ht.: 6-1 Wt.: 199 Exp.: 2 College: Tennessee



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (14/9); **2023:** (1/0)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Rotated in at CB and saw action on special teams. Recorded five tackles (3 solo) with one pass defense.

**ADDITIONAL STATS: Special Teams Tackles** — (2022, 1); **Total: 1**.

**CAREER HIGHS: Tackles** — 8, at Tampa Bay (12/5/22); **Solo Tackles** — 6 (2x), last at Tampa Bay (12/5/22); **Passes Defensed** — 3 (2x), last vs. Atlanta (12/8/22); **Special Teams Tackles** — 1, at Cleveland (12/24/22).

1 CB Alontae Taylor												
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR	
9/10	TEN	1	0	3	2	5	0.0	0.0	0	0	1	0
2023 Season		1	0	3	2	5	0.0	0.0	0	0	1	0
Career Totals		14	9	41	9	50	0.0	0.0	0	0	12	0

## 13 Michael Thomas

Pos.: WR Ht.: 6-3 Wt.: 212 Exp.: 8 College: Ohio State



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (74/66); **2023:** (1/1)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Started at WR and recorded five catches for 61 yards.

**CAREER HIGHS: Receptions** — 16, vs. Tampa Bay (9/9/18); **Receiving Yards** — 211, vs. L.A. Rams (11/4/18); **Long Reception** — 72, vs. L.A. Rams (11/4/18); **Receiving TDs** — 2 (5x), last at Atlanta (9/11/22).

13 WR Michael Thomas									
				Receiving					
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Rec	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD	
9/10	TEN	1	1	5	61	12.2	25	0	
2023 Season		1	1	5	61	12.2	25	0	
Career Totals		74	66	531	6,182	11.6	72t	35	

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## 98 Payton Turner

Pos.: DE Ht.: 6-6 Wt.: 270 Exp.: 3 College: Houston



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (14/0); 2023: (1/0)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Rotated in at DE and saw action on special teams. Recorded one tackle before a toe injury in the second quarter knocked him out of the game.

**ADDITIONAL STATS: Blocked Field Goals** — (2022, 1); **Total: 1.**

**CAREER HIGHS: Tackles** — 5 (2x), at Carolina (9/19/21) and at Pittsburgh (11/13/22); **Solo Tackles** — 4, at Carolina (9/19/21) and at Pittsburgh (11/13/22); **Sacks** — 2, vs. Las Vegas (10/30/22).

98 DE Payton Turner												
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR	
9/10	TEN	1	0	0	1	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
<b>2023 Season</b>		1	0	0	1	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	
<b>Career Totals</b>		14	0	20	9	29	3.0	19.0	0	0	0	

## 20 Pete Werner

Pos.: LB Ht.: 6-3 Wt.: 242 Exp.: 3 College: Ohio State



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (28/20); 2023: (1/1)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Started at WLB, recording eight tackles (3 solo), a half-sack, his first career quarterback takedown and a QB hurry.

**ADDITIONAL STATS: Special Teams Tackles** — (2021, 2), (2022, 1); **Total: 3.**

**CAREER HIGHS: Tackles** — 5 (2x), at Carolina (9/19/21) and at Pittsburgh (11/13/22); **Solo Tackles** — 4, at Carolina (9/19/21) and at Pittsburgh (11/13/22); **Sacks** — 0.5, vs. Tennessee (9/10/23); **Forced Fumbles** — 1 (2x), at Atlanta (9/11/22) and vs. Seattle (10/9/22); **Passes Defensed** — 1 (3x), last vs. Las Vegas (10/30/22).

20 LB Pete Werner												
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR	
9/10	TEN	1	1	3	5	8	0.5	4.0	0	0	0	
<b>2023 Season</b>		1	1	3	5	8	0.5	4.0	0	0	0	
<b>Career Totals</b>		28	20	94	52	146	0.5	4.0	0	0	0	

## 21 Jamaal Williams

Pos.: RB Ht.: 6-0 Wt.: 224 Exp.: 7 College: Brigham Young



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (91/41); 2023: (1/1)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Started at RB in his Saints debut. Rushed 18 times for 45 yards and caught two passes for seven yards.

**ADDITIONAL STATS: Two-Point Conversions** — (2020, 2), (2022, 1); **Total: 3.**

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**CAREER HIGHS:** Receptions — 8 (2x), vs. Atlanta (10/5/20) and vs. San Francisco (9/12/21); Receiving Yards — 95, vs. Atlanta (10/5/20); Long Reception — 54t, at Pittsburgh (11/26/17); Receiving TDs — 1 (8x), last at Indianapolis (11/22/20); Rushes — 24, vs. Green Bay (11/6/22); Rushing Yards — 144, vs. Chicago (1/1/23); Long Rush — 58, vs. Chicago (1/1/23); Rushing TDs — 3, at N.Y. Giants (11/20/22); Total TDs — 3, at N.Y. Giants (11/20/22); Total Yards From Scrimmage — 157, vs. Chicago (1/1/23).

21 RB Jamaal Williams													
				Rushing					Receiving				
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Att	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD	Rec	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD
9/10	TEN	1	1	18	45	2.5	11	0	2	7	3.5	5	0
2023 Season		1	1	18	45	2.5	11	0	2	7	3.5	5	0
Saints Career		1	1	18	45	2.5	11	0	2	7	3.5	5	0
Career Totals		91	41	933	3,697	4.0	58	30	162	1,198	7.4	54t	8

## 2 Jameis Winston

Pos.: QB Ht.: 6-4 Wt.: 231 Exp.: 9 College: Florida State



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (86/80); 2023: (0/0)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Dressed but did not play.

**CAREER HIGHS:** Attempts — 58, vs. L.A. Rams (9/25/16); Completions — 36, vs L.A. Rams (9/25/16); Completion Pct. — 80.0 (16-for-20), at Chicago (9/30/18); Passing Yards — 458, at Detroit (12/15/19); Long Pass — 72, at Washington (10/10/21); Consecutive Completions — 12 (2x), last vs. N.Y. Giants (10/3/21); Interceptions — 5, vs. Carolina (10/13/19); Passing TDs — 5 (2x), last vs. Green Bay (9/12/21); Passer Rating — 131.6, at Philadelphia (11/22/15); Rushes — 10, vs. Cleveland (10/21/18); Rushing Yards — 55, vs. Cleveland (10/21/18); Long Rush — 26, vs. Arizona (11/10/19); Rushing TDs — 1 (11x), last vs. Carolina (9/19/21).

2 QB Jameis Winston																
				Passing								Rushing				
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Comp	Att	Pct.	Yards	TD	INT	Lg	Rating	Att	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD
9/10	TEN	Dressed but did not play														
2023 Season		0	0	0	0	#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	#DIV/0!	0	0
Saints Career		14	10	175	287	61.0%	2,103	18	8	72t	92.7	45	176	3.9	20	1
Career Totals		86	80	1,738	2,835	61.3%	21,840	139	96	72t	87.5	293	1,220	4.2	26	11

## 49 Zach Wood

Pos.: LS Ht.: 6-3 Wt.: 255 Exp.: 7 College: Southern Methodist



Regular Season Career GP: (99); 2023: (1)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Handled the snapping duties and recorded one special teams tackle.

ADDITIONAL STATS: Special Teams Tackles — (2018, 1), (2022, 4), (2023, 1); Total: 6.

## 27 Isaac Yiadom

Pos.: CB Ht.: 6-1 Wt.: 188 Exp.: 6 College: Boston College



Regular Season Career GP/GS: (71/20); 2023: (1/0)

2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10): Rotated in at CB and saw action on special teams. Recorded one special teams tackle and one pass defense, which led to a Marcus Maye interception.

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**ADDITIONAL STATS: Special Teams Tackles** — (2018, 6), (2019, 5), (2020, 1), (2021, 3), (2022, 2), (2023, 1); **Total: 18.**

**CAREER HIGHS: Tackles** — 8 (3x), last vs. Tampa Bay (11/2/20); **Solo Tackles** — 8, at Tampa Bay (11/2/20); **Sacks** — 0.5, at Washington (11/8/20); **Passes Defensed** — 2 (2x), vs. Oakland (12/29/19) and at Seattle (12/6/20); **Forced Fumbles** — 1, at L.A. Rams (10/4/20); **Interceptions** — 1, vs. L.A. Chargers (12/30/18).

27 CB Isaac Yiadom													
Date	Opp.	GP	ST	Solo	Ast	Total	Sack/Yds	INT/Yds	PD	FF	FR		
9/10	TEN	1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0
<b>2023 Season</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Saints Career</b>		<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Career Totals</b>		<b>71</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>

## 67 Landon Young

**Pos.:** T **Ht.:** 6-7 **Wt.:** 321 **Exp.:** 3 **College:** Kentucky



**Regular Season Career GP/GS:** (28/3); **2023:** (1/0)

**2023 REVIEW: vs. Tennessee (9/10):** Saw action on special teams.



**2023 New Orleans Saints Game Participation**

Name	9/10	9/18	9/24	10/1	10/8	10/15	10/19	10/29	11/5	11/12	11/26	12/3	12/10	12/17	12/21	12/31	TBD	Regular Season GP-GS-DNP-IA
	TE@CAR	@GB	TB	@NE	@HOU	JAX	@IND	CHI	@MIN	@ATL	DET	CAR	NYG	@LAR	@TB	ATL		
Abram, Johnathan	PS																	0-0-0-0
Adebo, Paulson	ST																	1-1-0-0
Amadi, Ugo	PL																	1-0-0-0
Baun, Zack	ST																	1-1-0-0
Benjamin, Eno	IR																	0-0-0-0
Bowden Jr., Lynn	PS																	0-0-0-0
Bresee, Bryan	PL																	1-0-0-0
Carr, Derek	ST																	1-1-0-0
Connelly, Ryan	PL																	0-0-0-0
Davis, Demario	ST																	1-1-0-0
Davis, Shaq	PS																	0-0-0-0
Dowell, Andrew	IR																	0-0-0-0
Foskey, Isaiah	IA																	0-0-0-1
Garcia, Max	PL																	1-0-0-0
Graham, Jimmy	PL																	1-0-0-0
Granderson, Carl	ST																	1-1-0-0
Gray, J.T.	IA																	0-0-0-1
Grupe, Blake	PL																	1-0-0-0
Haener, Jake	SUSP																	0-0-0-0
Hedley, Lou	PL																	1-0-0-0
Heflin, Jack	PS																	0-0-0-0
Hill, Taysom	PL																	1-0-0-0
Howden, Jordan	PL																	1-0-0-0
Hudson, Tommy	PS																	0-0-0-0
Hurst, James	ST																	1-1-0-0
Jackson, D'Marco	PL																	1-0-0-0
Johnson Jr., Lonnie	PL																	1-0-0-0
Johnson, Anthony	PS																	0-0-0-0
Johnson, Juwan	ST																	1-1-0-0
Jones Jr., Tony	PL																	1-0-0-0
Jordan, Cameron	ST																	1-1-0-0
Kamara, Alvin	SUSP																	0-0-0-0
Kirklín, Jontre	PS																	0-0-0-0
Kirkwood, Keith	PL																	1-0-0-0
Kpassagnon, Tanoh	PL																	1-0-0-0
Kraemer, Tommy	PS																	0-0-0-0
Lalos, Niko	PS																	0-0-0-0
Lattimore, Marshon	ST																	1-1-0-0
Mathieu, Tyrann	ST																	1-1-0-0
Maye, Marcus	ST																	1-1-0-0
McCoy, Erik	ST																	1-1-0-0
Merritt, Kirk	PL																	1-0-0-0
Miller, Kendre	IA																	0-0-0-1
Mims, Jordan	PS																	0-0-0-0
Moreau, Foster	ST																	1-1-0-0
Norton, Storm	PS																	0-0-0-0
Olave, Chris	ST																	1-1-0-0
Orji, Anfernee	PS																	0-0-0-0
Peat, Andrus	PL																	1-0-0-0
Penning, Trevor	ST																	1-1-0-0
Perry, A.T.	IA																	0-0-0-1
Phillips, Kyle	PS																	0-0-0-0
Prentice, Adam	PL																	1-0-0-0
Ramczyk, Ryan	ST																	1-1-0-0
Roach, Malcolm	PL																	1-0-0-0
Ruiz, Cesar	ST																	1-1-0-0
Saldiveri, Nick	IA																	0-0-0-1
Saunders, Khalen	ST																	1-1-0-0
Sewell, Nephi	PL																	1-0-0-0
Shaheed, Rashid	PL																	1-0-0-0
Shepherd, Nathan	ST																	1-1-0-0
Smith, Jaylon	PS																	0-0-0-0
Smith, Tre'Quan	IR																	0-0-0-0
Taylor, Alontae	PL																	1-0-0-0
Thomas, Michael	ST																	1-1-0-0
Turner, Payton	PL																	1-0-0-0
Turner, Trai	IR																	0-0-0-0
Werner, Pete	ST																	1-1-0-0
Williams, Jamaal	ST																	1-1-0-0
Winston, Jameis	DNP																	0-0-1-0
Wood, Zach	PL																	1-0-0-0
Yiadam, Isaac	PL																	1-0-0-0
Young, Landon	PL																	1-0-0-0

**LEGEND**

DNP=Did Not Play	RC=Reserve/COVID
IA=Inactive	OP=Opt Out
IR=Injured Reserve	SUSP=Suspension
PL=Played	XXX=Not With Team
PS=Practice Squad	RE=Roster Exemption
ST=Started	

## 2023 NEW ORLEANS SAINTS SUPPLEMENTAL STATISTICS

### DRIVE ENGINEERING

<b>SAINTS</b>																
Date	Opp.	Drives	TD	FG	Miss FG	Punt	Bk Punt	Fumble	INT	Downs	Safety	Half	Game	Off.Pts.	Score Pct.	
9/10	TEN	12	1	3	0	5	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	16	33.3%	
<b>Totals</b>		<b>12</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>33.3%</b>	

<b>OPPONENTS</b>																
Date	Opp.	Drives	TD	FG	Miss FG	Punt	Bk Punt	Fumble	INT	Downs	Safety	Half	Game	Off.Pts.	Score Pct.	
9/10	TEN	12	0	5	0	3	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	15	41.7%	
<b>Totals</b>		<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>41.7%</b>	

### INSIDE THE RED ZONE

<b>SAINTS</b>																
Date	Opp.	No.	TD	FG	MFG	INT	Fumble	Downs	Punt	Half	End Reg	Game	TD%	Score Pct.	Points	
9/10	TEN	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	25%	75%	13	
<b>Totals</b>		<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>25.0%</b>	<b>75.0%</b>	<b>13</b>	

<b>OPPONENTS</b>																
Date	Opp.	No.	TD	FG	MFG	INT	Fumble	Downs	Punt	Half	End Reg	Game	TD%	Score Pct.	Points	
9/10	TEN	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%	100%	9	
<b>Totals</b>		<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>9</b>	

**GOAL-TO-GO SITUATIONS**

SAINTS																
Date	Opp.	No.	TD	FG	MFG	INT	Fumble	Downs	Punt	Half	End	Reg	Game	TD%	Score Pct.	Points
9/10	TEN	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.0%	0.0%	0
9/18	@CAR															
9/24	@GB															
10/1	TB															
10/8	@NE															
10/15	@HOU															
10/19	JAX															
10/29	@IND															
11/5	CHI															
11/12	@MIN															
11/26	@ATL															
12/3	DET															
12/10	CAR															
12/17	NYG															
12/21	@LAR															
12/31	@TB															
TBD	ATL															
<b>Totals</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>0</b>

OPPONENTS																
Date	Opp.	No.	TD	FG	MFG	INT	Fumble	Downs	Punt	Half	End	Reg	Game	TD%	Score Pct.	Points
9/10	TEN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0
9/18	@CAR															
9/24	@GB															
10/1	TB															
10/8	@NE															
10/15	@HOU															
10/19	JAX															
10/29	@IND															
11/5	CHI															
11/12	@MIN															
11/26	@ATL															
12/3	DET															
12/10	CAR															
12/17	NYG															
12/21	@LAR															
12/31	@TB															
TBD	ATL															
<b>Totals</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>0</b>

	TAKEAWAYS			GIVEAWAYS			+/-	Rec	
	INT	Fum	Total	INT	Fum	Total			
9/10	TEN	3	0	3	1	1	2	1	W
9/18	@CAR								
9/24	@GB								
10/1	TB								
10/8	@NE								
10/15	@HOU								
10/19	JAX								
10/29	@IND								
11/5	CHI								
11/12	@MIN								
11/26	@ATL								
12/3	DET								
12/10	CAR								
12/17	NYG								
12/21	@LAR								
12/31	@TB								
TBD	ATL								
<b>Totals</b>		<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>(1-0)</b>

**3rd DOWN CONVERSIONS**

SAINTS			
3rd &	Made	Att.	Percent
1	1	2	50.0%
2	0	0	#DIV/0!
3	1	1	100.0%
4	1	1	100.0%
5	1	1	100.0%
6	1	1	100.0%
7	1	3	33.3%
8	0	1	0.0%
9	0	1	0.0%
10+	1	5	20.0%
<b>Totals</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>43.8%</b>

OPPONENTS			
3rd &	Made	Att.	Percent
1	0	0	#DIV/0!
2	1	1	100.0%
3	0	0	#DIV/0!
4	0	0	#DIV/0!
5	0	3	0.0%
6	0	1	0.0%
7	0	1	0.0%
8	0	0	#DIV/0!
9	0	2	0.0%
10+	1	4	25.0%
<b>Totals</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>16.7%</b>

BLOCKS				
	FGs	PATs	Punts	Total
Saints	0	0	1	1
Opp.	0	0	0	0

4th DOWN CONVERSIONS		
	Made	Att. Pct.
Saints	0	0 #DIV/0!
Opp.	0	0 #DIV/0!

**SCORING BY QUARTERS**

SAINTS							OPPONENTS								
Date	Opp.	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total	Date	Opp.	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
9/10	TEN	3	3	10	0		16	9/10	TEN	6	3	0	6		15
9/18	@CAR						0	9/18	@CAR						0
9/24	@GB						0	9/24	@GB						0
10/1	TB						0	10/1	TB						0
10/8	@NE						0	10/8	@NE						0
10/15	@HOU						0	10/15	@HOU						0
10/19	JAX						0	10/19	JAX						0
10/29	@IND						0	10/29	@IND						0
11/5	CHI						0	11/5	CHI						0
11/12	@MIN						0	11/12	@MIN						0
11/26	@ATL						0	11/26	@ATL						0
12/3	DET						0	12/3	DET						0
12/10	CAR						0	12/10	CAR						0
12/17	NYG						0	12/17	NYG						0
12/21	@LAR						0	12/21	@LAR						0
12/31	@TB						0	12/31	@TB						0
TBD	ATL						0	TBD	ATL						0
<b>Totals</b>		<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>Totals</b>		<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>15</b>

**2023 NEW ORLEANS SAINTS SCORING PLAYS**

<b>SAINTS SCORING PLAYS</b>									
Opp	Qtr	Time	Play	Plays	Yards	Time	Saints	Opp.	
vs TEN	1	10:18	B. Grupe 26 yd. Field Goal	9	67	3:22	3	3	
vs TEN	2	7:37	B. Grupe 33 yd. Field Goal	7	14	2:17	6	6	
vs TEN	3	9:25	B. Grupe 52 yd. Field Goal	7	60	3:30	9	9	
vs TEN	3	1:23	R. Shaheed 19 yd. pass from D. Carr	5	33	1:45	16	9	
Scoring Totals: 1 TDs (1 pass, 0 rush, 0 return, 0 safeties), 3 FGs - 16 pts									

<b>OPPONENT SCORING PLAYS</b>									
Opp	Qtr	Time	Play	Plays	Yards	Time	Saints	Opp.	
vs TEN	1	13:40	N. Folk 50 yd. Field Goal	4	-8	1:16	0	3	
vs TEN	1	3:07	N. Folk 27 yd. Field Goal	11	66	7:11	3	6	
vs TEN	2	1:40	N. Folk 31 yd. Field Goal	7	57	2:49	6	9	
vs TEN	4	11:12	N. Folk 45 yd. Field Goal	12	48	5:11	16	12	
vs TEN	4	2:17	N. Folk 29 yd. Field Goal	9	62	4:25	16	15	
Scoring Totals: 0 TDs (0 pass, 0 rush, 0 returns, 0 safeties), 5 FGs - 15 pts									

**2023 NEW ORLEANS SAINTS TURNOVER TABLE**

<b>OPPONENT GIVEAWAYS</b>				
<b>Opp</b>	<b>Qtr</b>	<b>Turnover</b>	<b>Spot*</b>	<b>Result</b>
vs TEN	2	R. Tannehill intercepted by M. Lattimore	NO 41	Punt
vs TEN	3	R. Tannehill intercepted by M. Maye	NO 1	Field Goal
vs TEN	3	R. Tannehill intercepted by P. Adebo	TEN 33	Touchdown
<b>Saints Takeaway Totals: 3 Takeaways (3 interceptions, 0 fumbles, 0 muffed kicks), 10 points (1 TDs, 1 FG)</b>				
<b>SAINTS GIVEAWAYS</b>				
<b>Opp</b>	<b>Qtr</b>	<b>Turnover</b>	<b>Spot*</b>	<b>Result</b>
vs TEN	1	R. Shaheed fumble (A. Hooker), recovered by A. Hooker	NO 24	Field Goal
vs TEN	2	D. Carr intercepted by A. Hooker	TEN 12	End of Half
<b>Opponent Takeaway Totals: 2 Takeaways (1 interceptions, 1 fumbles, 0 muffed kicks), 3 points (0 TDs, 1 FGs)</b>				

\*Spot where the turnover was made



**TENNESSEE TITANS**

No.	NAME	Pos.
2	AL-SHAIR, AZEEZ	LB
96	AUTRY, DENICO	DL
23	AVERY, TRE	CB
55	BREWER, AARON	G/C
44	BROWN, MIKE	S
60	BRUNSKILL, DANIEL	OL
16	BURKS, TREYLON	WR
31	BYARD, KEVIN	S
36	CHESTNUT, JULIUS	RB
46	COX, MORGAN	LS
71	DILLARD, ANDRE	T
14	DOWELL, COLTON	WR
79	DUNCAN, JAELYN	OL
6	FOLK, NICK	K
26	FULTON, KRISTIAN	CB
50	GIBBENS, JACK	LB
57	GIFFORD, LUKE	LB
51	GIPSON, TREVIS	OLB
22	HENRY, DERRICK	RB
37	HOOKE, AMANI	S
10	HOPKINS, DEANDRE	WR
66	HUBBARD, CHRIS	OL
5	JACKSON, KEARIS	WR
39	JACKSON, MATTHEW	S
90	JONES, NAQUAN	DT
40	KENDALL, ANTHONY	CB
49	KEY, ARDEN	OLB
58	LANDRY III, HAROLD	OLB
62	LEVIN, COREY	C/G
8	LEVIS, WILL	QB
21	MCCREARY, ROGER	CB
24	MOLDEN, ELIJAH	DB
11	MOORE, CHRIS	WR
42	MURPHY, CALEB	OLB
0	MURPHY-BUNTING, SEAN	CB
67	NEWMAN, XAVIER	C/G
85	OKONKWO, CHIG	TE
92	PEEVY, JAYDEN	DT
75	RADUNZ, DILLON	OL
41	REESE IV, OTIS	LB
56	RICE, MONTY	LB
98	SIMMONS, JEFFERY	DT
77	SKORONSKI, PETER	OL
32	SPEARS, TYJAE	RB
4	STONEHOUSE, RYAN	P
17	TANNEHILL, RYAN	QB
93	TART, TEAIR	DT
20	VILDOR, KINDLE	CB
99	WEAVER, RASHAD	OLB
88	WESCO, TREVON	TE
15	WESTBROOK-IKHINE, NICK	WR
81	WHYLE, JOSH	TE
7	WILLIS, MALIK	QB



**TITANS PRACTICE SQUAD**

45	CAMPBELL, CHANCE	LB
28	CARTER, SHYHEIM	DB
97	DWUMFOUR, MICHAEL	DT
33	GARROR, ERIC	DB
82	HARRISON, TRE'SHAUN	WR
12	KINSEY, MASON	WR
38	MARSH, ARMANI	DB
69	MCLENDON JR., TK	DE
73	MURRAY, JUSTIN	T
89	ODUKOYA, THOMAS	TE
61	OJUKWU, JOHN	OL
95	PEKO, KYLE	DT
86	RADER, KEVIN	TE
70	ROOS, JORDAN	G
76	RUPCICH, ANDREW	OL
48	RUSH, THOMAS	OLB
13	YORK, CADE	K

**TENNESSEE TITANS**

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Exp.	College	H.S. Hometown
0	Sean Murphy-Bunting	CB	6-0	195	26	5	Central Michigan	Macomb, Mich.
2	Azeez Al-Shaair	LB	6-2	228	26	5	Florida Atlantic	Tampa, Fla.
4	Ryan Stonehouse	P	5-10	193	24	2	Colorado State	La Verne, Calif.
5	Kearis Jackson	WR	5-11	196	23	R	Georgia	Fort Valley, Ga.
6	Nick Folk	K	6-1	225	38	16	Arizona	Sherman Oaks, Calif.
7	Malik Willis	QB	6-1	219	24	2	Liberty	Atlanta, Ga.
8	Will Levis	QB	6-4	229	24	R	Kentucky	Madison, Conn.
10	DeAndre Hopkins	WR	6-1	212	31	11	Clemson	Central, S.C.
11	Chris Moore	WR	6-1	200	30	8	Cincinnati	Tampa, Fla.
14	Colton Dowell	WR	6-3	212	24	R	Tennessee-Martin	Lebanon, Tenn.
15	Nick Westbrook-Ikhine	WR	6-2	211	26	4	Indiana	Lake Mary, Fla.
16	Treyton Burks	WR	6-2	225	23	2	Arkansas	Warren, Ark.
17	Ryan Tannehill	QB	6-4	217	35	12	Texas A&M	Big Spring, Texas
20	Kindle Vildor	CB	5-11	189	25	4	Georgia Southern	College Park, Ga.
21	Roger McCreary	CB	5-11	190	23	2	Auburn	Mobile, Ala.
22	Derrick Henry	RB	6-3	247	29	8	Alabama	Yulee, Fla.
23	Tre Avery	CB	5-11	181	26	2	Rutgers	Baltimore, Md.
24	Elijah Molden	DB	5-10	192	24	3	Washington	West Linn, Ore.
26	Kristian Fulton	CB	5-11	197	25	4	Louisiana State	New Orleans, La.
31	Kevin Byard	S	5-11	212	30	8	Middle Tennessee State	Lithonia, Ga.
32	Tyjae Spears	RB	5-11	195	22	R	Tulane	Ponchatoula, La.
36	Julius Chestnut	RB	5-11	228	22	2	Sacred Heart	Bowie, Md.
37	Amani Hooker	S	5-11	210	25	5	Iowa	Minneapolis, Minn.
39	Matthew Jackson	S	6-1	209	24	R	Eastern Kentucky	Nashville, Tenn.
40	Anthony Kendall	CB	5-10	177	23	R	Baldwin Wallace	Port Richey, Fla.
41	Otis Reese IV	LB	6-3	214	25	R	Mississippi	Leesburg, Ga.
42	Caleb Murphy	OLB	6-3	254	23	R	Ferris State	Dowagiac, Mich.
44	Mike Brown	S	6-1	215	24	1	Miami (Ohio)	Grand Rapids, Mich.
46	Morgan Cox	LS	6-4	233	37	14	Tennessee	Collierville, Tenn.
49	Arden Key	OLB	6-5	240	27	6	Louisiana State	Atlanta, Ga.
50	Jack Gibbens	LB	6-3	242	24	1	Minnesota	Bulverde, Texas
51	Trevis Gipson	OLB	6-4	263	26	4	Tulsa	Cedar Hill, Texas
55	Aaron Brewer	G/C	6-1	295	25	4	Texas State	Dallas, Texas
56	Monty Rice	LB	6-0	233	24	3	Georgia	Huntsville, Ala.
57	Luke Gifford	LB	6-3	243	28	5	Nebraska	Lincoln, Neb.
58	Harold Landry III	OLB	6-2	252	27	6	Boston College	Spring Lake, N.C.
60	Daniel Brunskill	OL	6-5	300	29	5	San Diego State	Valley Center, Calif.
62	Corey Levin	C/G	6-4	307	29	5	Chattanooga	Dacula, Ga.
66	Chris Hubbard	OL	6-4	295	32	10	Alabama-Birmingham	Columbus, Ga.
67	Xavier Newman	C/G	6-2	297	24	1	Baylor	Desoto, Texas
71	Andre Dillard	T	6-5	315	27	5	Washington State	Woodinville, Wash.
75	Dillon Radunz	OL	6-6	301	25	3	North Dakota State	Becker, Minn.
77	Peter Skoronski	OL	6-4	313	22	R	Northwestern	Park Ridge, Ill.
79	Jaelyn Duncan	OL	6-6	306	23	R	Maryland	New Carrollton, Md.
81	Josh Whyte	TE	6-7	248	24	R	Cincinnati	Cincinnati, Ohio
85	Chig Okonkwo	TE	6-3	238	24	2	Maryland	Powder Springs, Ga.
88	Trevon Wesco	TE	6-3	267	27	5	West Virginia	Martinsburg, W.Va.
90	Naquan Jones	DT	6-3	313	25	3	Michigan State	Evanston, Ill.
92	Jayden Peevy	DT	6-5	308	24	1	Texas A&M	Bellaire, Texas
93	Teair Tart	DT	6-2	304	26	4	Florida International	Philadelphia, Pa.
96	Denico Autry	DL	6-5	285	33	10	Mississippi State	Albemarle, N.C.
98	Jeffery Simmons	DT	6-4	305	26	5	Mississippi State	Macon, Miss.
99	Rashad Weaver	OLB	6-4	259	25	3	Pittsburgh	Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

**• HEAD COACH: MIKE VRABEL**

Assistant Coaches: **Craig Aukerman** (assistant head coach - special teams coordinator), **Shane Bowen** (defensive coordinator), **Tim Kelly** (offensive coordinator), **Brian Bell** (assistant director of sports performance), **Scott Booker** (safeties), **Kylan Butler** (offensive assistant), **Ryan Crow** (outside linebackers), **Tony Dews** (tight ends), **Justin Hamilton** (defensive quality control), **Chris Harris** (defensive pass game coordinator/cornerbacks), **Jason Houghtaling** (offensive line), **Matt Jones** (offensive line assistant), **Bobby King** (inside linebackers), **Zak Kuhr** (inside linebackers assistant), **Anthony Levine** (special teams assistant), **Lori Locust** (defensive quality control), **Charles London** (pass game coordinator/quarterbacks), **Clinton McMillan** (defensive line assistant), **Rob Moore** (wide receivers), **Pat O'Hara** (passing game analyst), **Justin Outten** (run game coordinator/running backs), **Frank Piraino** (director of sports performance), **Tom Quinn** (special teams assistant), **Haley Roberts** (sports performance assistant), **Tyler Rouse** (sports performance assistant), **Luke Stocker** (offensive assistant), **John Streicher** (director of football administration), **Mike Sullivan** (assistant offensive line), **Terrell Williams** (assistant head coach - defense/defensive line).

**NEW ORLEANS SAINTS**

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Exp.	College	H.S. Hometown
0	Ugo Amadi	S	5-9	201	26	5	Oregon	Nashville, Tenn.
1	Alontae Taylor	CB	6-1	199	24	2	Tennessee	Manchester, Tenn.
2	Jameis Winston	QB	6-4	231	29	9	Florida State	Hueytown, Ala.
4	Derek Carr	QB	6-3	215	32	10	Fresno State	Bakersfield, Calif.
6	Marcus Maye	S	6-0	207	30	7	Florida	Melbourne, Fla.
7	Taysom Hill	QB	6-2	221	33	7	Brigham Young	Pocatello, Idaho
10	Tre'Quan Smith	WR	6-2	210	27	6	Central Florida	Delray Beach, Fla.
12	Chris Olave	WR	6-0	187	23	2	Ohio State	San Marcos, Calif.
13	Michael Thomas	WR	6-3	212	30	8	Ohio State	Woodland Hills, Calif.
17	A.T. Perry	WR	6-6	205	23	R	Wake Forest	Lake Worth, Fla.
18	Keith Kirkwood	WR	6-3	210	28	4	Temple	Neptune Township, N.J.
19	Blake Grupe	K	5-7	156	24	R	Notre Dame	Sedalia, Mo.
20	Pete Werner	LB	6-3	242	25	3	Ohio State	Indianapolis, Ind.
21	Jamaal Williams	RB	6-0	224	28	7	Brigham Young	Fontana, Calif.
22	Rashid Shaheed	WR/RS	6-0	180	25	2	Weber State	San Diego, Calif.
23	Marshon Lattimore	CB	6-0	192	27	7	Ohio State	Cleveland, Ohio
25	Kendre Miller	RB	6-0	220	21	R	TCU	Mount Enterprise, Texas
27	Isaac Yiadom	CB	6-1	188	27	6	Boston College	Worcester, Mass.
28	Lonnie Johnson Jr.	CB	6-2	213	27	5	Kentucky	Gary, Ind.
29	Paulson Adebo	CB	6-1	192	24	3	Stanford	Mansfield, Texas
31	Jordan Howden	DB	6-0	209	23	R	Minnesota	San Diego, Calif.
32	Tyrann Mathieu	S	5-9	190	31	11	LSU	New Orleans, La.
33	Kirk Merritt	RB	6-1	214	26	1	Arkansas State	Destrehan, La.
39	Lou Hedley	P	6-4	220	30	R	Miami (Fla.)	Mandurah, Au.
45	Nephi Sewell	LB	6-0	228	24	1	Utah	St. George, Utah
46	Adam Prentice	FB	6-0	245	26	3	South Carolina	Clovis, Calif.
48	J.T. Gray	DB	6-0	202	27	6	Mississippi State	Clarksdale, Miss.
49	Zach Wood	LS	6-3	255	30	7	Southern Methodist	Rowlett, Texas
51	Cesar Ruiz	C/G	6-4	316	24	4	Michigan	Camden, N.J.
52	D'Marco Jackson	LB	6-1	233	25	2	Appalachian State	Spartanburg, S.C.
53	Zack Baun	LB	6-3	225	26	4	Wisconsin	Brown Deer, Wis.
55	Isaiah Foskey	DE	6-5	265	22	R	Notre Dame	Concord, Calif.
56	Demario Davis	LB	6-2	248	34	12	Arkansas State	Brandon, Miss.
64	Nick Saldiveri	OL	6-6	316	23	R	Old Dominion	Monroe, N.C.
67	Landon Young	T	6-7	321	26	3	Kentucky	Lexington, Ky.
70	Trevor Penning	T	6-7	325	24	2	Northern Iowa	Mason City, Iowa
71	Ryan Ramsey	T	6-6	314	29	7	Wisconsin	Stevens Point, Wis.
73	Max Garcia	G	6-4	309	31	9	Florida	Norcross, Ga.
74	James Hurst	OL	6-5	310	31	10	North Carolina	Plainfield, Ind.
75	Andrus Peat	G/T	6-7	316	29	9	Stanford	Tempe, Ariz.
78	Erik McCoy	C/G	6-4	303	26	5	Texas A&M	Lufkin, Texas
80	Jimmy Graham	TE	6-7	265	36	13	Miami (Fla.)	Goldsboro, N.C.
83	Juwan Johnson	TE	6-4	231	26	4	Oregon	Glassboro, N.J.
87	Foster Moreau	TE	6-4	250	26	5	LSU	New Orleans, La.
90	Bryan Bresee	DT	6-5	305	21	R	Clemson	Damascus, Md.
92	Tanoh Kpassagnon	DE	6-7	289	29	7	Villanova	Ambler, Pa.
93	Nathan Shepherd	DT	6-4	315	29	6	Fort Hays State	Ajax, Ontario, Canada
94	Cameron Jordan	DE	6-4	287	34	13	California	Chandler, Ariz.
96	Carl Granderson	DE	6-5	261	26	5	Wyoming	Sacramento, Calif.
97	Malcolm Roach	DL	6-3	290	25	4	Texas	Baton Rouge, La.
98	Payton Turner	DE	6-6	270	24	3	Houston	Houston, Texas
99	Khalen Saunders	DT	6-0	324	27	5	Western Illinois	St. Louis, Mo.

**• HEAD COACH: DENNIS ALLEN**

Assistant Coaches: **Clancy Barone** (Tight Ends), **Bob Bicknell** (Senior Offensive Assistant), **Kodi Burns** (Wide Receivers), **Kevin Carberry** (Assistant Offensive Line), **Pete Carmichael** (Offensive Coordinator), **Ronald Curry** (Passing Game Coordinator/Quarterbacks), **Jahri Evans** (Offensive Assistant), **Phil Galiano** (Assistant Special Teams), **Matt Giordano** (Defensive Assistant), **Peter Giunta** (Senior Defensive Assistant), **Todd Grantham** (Defensive Line), **Adam Gristick** (Defensive Assistant), **Michael Hodges** (Linebackers), **Doug Marrone** (Offensive Line), **Mike Martinez** (Assistant to the Head Coach), **Kevin Petry** (Offensive Assistant), **Darren Rizzi** (Assistant Head Coach/Special Teams Coordinator), **Marcus Robertson** (Secondary), **Joel Thomas** (Running Backs), **Jordan Traylor** (Offensive Assistant), **D.J. Williams** (Offensive Assistant), **Joe Woods** (Defensive Coordinator), **Brian Young** (Pass Rush Specialist).

**NEW ORLEANS SAINTS**

No.	NAME	Pos.
29	ADEBO, PAULSON	CB
0	AMADI, UGO	S
53	BAUN, ZACK	LB
90	BRESEE, BRYAN	DT
4	CARR, DEREK	QB
56	DAVIS, DEMARIO	LB
55	FOSKEY, ISAIAH	DE
73	GARCIA, MAX	G
80	GRAHAM, JIMMY	TE
96	GRANDERSON, CARL	DE
48	GRAY, J.T.	DB
19	GRUPE, BLAKE	K
39	HEDLEY, LOU	P
7	HILL, TAYSOM	QB
31	HOWDEN, JORDAN	DB
74	HURST, JAMES	OL
52	JACKSON, D'MARCO	LB
28	JOHNSON JR., LONNIE	CB
83	JOHNSON, JUWAN	TE
94	JORDAN, CAMERON	DE
18	KIRKWOOD, KEITH	WR
92	KPASSAGNON, TANO	DE
23	LATTIMORE, MARSHON	CB
32	MATHIEU, TYRANN	S
6	MAYE, MARCUS	S
78	MCCOY, ERIK	C/G
33	MERRITT, KIRK	RB
25	MILLER, KENDRE	RB
87	MOREAU, FOSTER	TE
12	OLAVE, CHRIS	WR
75	PEAT, ANDRUS	G/T
70	PENNING, TREVOR	T
17	PERRY, A.T.	WR
46	PRENTICE, ADAM	FB
71	RAMCZYK, RYAN	T
97	ROACH, MALCOLM	DL
51	RUIZ, CESAR	C/G
64	SALDIVERI, NICK	OL
99	SAUNDERS, KHALEN	DT
45	SEWELL, NEPHI	LB
22	SHAHEED, RASHID	WR/RS

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Date: Sunday, 9/10/2023

## Tennessee Titans at New Orleans Saints

Start Time: 12:03 PM CDT

at Caesars Superdome, New Orleans, LA

### Game Day Weather

Game Weather: Sunny

Temp: 83° F (28.3° C) Humidity: 62%, Wind: NE 7 mph

Closed Stadium on UBU Speed Series S5 Turf

Outdoor Weather: Sunny

### Officials

Referee: Torbert, Ronald (62)

Umpire: Anderson, Barry (20)

Down Judge: Causey, Max (21)

Line Judge: Chaka, Maia (100)

Field Judge: Dickson, Ryan (25)

Side Judge: Washington, Keith (7)

Back Judge: Josselyn, Tony (67)

Replay Official: Young-Seigler, Artenzia (0)

### Lineups

#### Tennessee Titans

#### New Orleans Saints

Offense		Defense	
WR 16	T.Burks	DL 96	D.Autry
TE 85	C.Okonkwo	DT 93	T.Tart
TE 88	T.Wesco	DT 98	J.Simmons
LT 71	A.Dillard	DT 95	K.Peko
LG 77	P.Skoronski	LB 2	A.Al-Shaair
C 55	A.Brewer	LB 50	J.Gibbens
RG 60	D.Brunskill	OLB 58	H.Landry
RT 66	C.Hubbard	CB 0	S.Murphy-Bunting
WR 10	D.Hopkins	S 31	K.Byard
QB 17	R.Tannehill	S 37	A.Hooker
RB 22	D.Henry	CB 26	K.Fulton

Offense		Defense	
WR 13	M.Thomas	RDE 96	C.Granderson
WR 12	C.Olave	DT 99	K.Saunders
LT 70	T.Penning	DT 93	N.Shepherd
LG 74	J.Hurst	LDE 94	C.Jordan
C/G 78	E.McCoy	LB 20	P.Werner
C/G 51	C.Ruiz	LB 56	D.Davis
T 71	R.Ramczyk	SAM 53	Z.Baun
TE 83	J.Johnson	LCB 29	P.Adebo
TE 87	F.Moreau	SS 6	M.Maye
QB 4	D.Carr	FS 32	T.Mathieu
RB 21	J.Williams	RCB 23	M.Lattimore

### Substitutions

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P 4 R.Stonehouse, WR 5 K.Jackson, K 6 N.Folk, WR 11 C.Moore, WR 15 N.Westbrook-Ikhine, CB 20 K.Vildor, CB 21 R.McCreary, DB 24 E.Molden, RB 32 T.Spears, RB 36 J.Chestnut, S 39 M.Jackson, CB 40 A.Kendall, LB 41 O.Reese, S 44 M.Brown, LS 46 M.Cox, OLB 49 A.Key, OLB 51 T.Gipson, LB 56 M.Rice, LB 57 L.Gifford, T 73 J.Murray, TE 81 J.Whyle, DT 90 N.Jones, OLB 99 R.Weaver

S 0 U.Amadi, CB 1 A.Taylor, QB 7 T.Hill, WR 18 K.Kirkwood, K 19 B.Grupe, WR/RS 22 R.Shaheed, CB 27 I.Yiadom, CB 28 L.Johnson, DB 31 J.Howden, WR 33 K.Merritt, RB 34 T.Jones, P 39 L.Hedley, LB 43 R.Connelly, LB 45 N.Sewell, FB 46 A.Prentice, LS 49 Z.Wood, LB 52 D.Jackson, T 67 L.Young, G 73 M.Garcia, G/T 75 A.Peat, TE 80 J.Graham, DT 90 B.Bresee, DE 92 T.Kpassagnon, DL 97 M.Roach, DE 98 P.Turner

### Did Not Play

### Did Not Play

QB 7 M.Willis, C/G 62 C.Levin, G/C 67 X.Newman-Johnson

QB 2 J.Winston

### Not Active

### Not Active

3QB 8 W.Levis, WR 14 C.Dowell, CB 23 T.Avery, OLB 42 C.Murphy, OL 75 D.Radunz, OL 79 J.Duncan, DT 92 J.Peevy

WR 17 A.Perry, RB 25 K.Miller, DB 48 J.Gray, DE 55 I.Foskey, OL 64 N.Saldiveri

### Field Goals (made ( ) & missed)

N.Folk (50) (27) (31) (45) (29)

B.Grupe (26) (33) (52)

		1	2	3	4	OT	Total
VISITOR:	Tennessee Titans	6	3	0	6	0	15
HOME:	New Orleans Saints	3	3	10	0	0	16

### Scoring Plays

Team	Qtr	Time	Play Description (Extra Point) (Drive Info)	Visitor	Home
Titans	1	13:40	N.Folk 50 yd. Field Goal (4--8, 1:16)	3	0
Saints	1	10:18	B.Grupe 26 yd. Field Goal (9-67, 3:22)	3	3
Titans	1	3:07	N.Folk 27 yd. Field Goal (11-66, 7:11)	6	3
Saints	2	7:37	B.Grupe 33 yd. Field Goal (7-14, 2:17)	6	6
Titans	2	1:40	N.Folk 31 yd. Field Goal (7-57, 2:49)	9	6
Saints	3	9:25	B.Grupe 52 yd. Field Goal (7-60, 3:30)	9	9
Saints	3	1:23	R.Shaheed 19 yd. pass from D.Carr (B.Grupe kick) (5-33, 1:45)	9	16
Titans	4	11:12	N.Folk 45 yd. Field Goal (12-48, 5:11)	12	16
Titans	4	2:17	N.Folk 29 yd. Field Goal (9-62, 4:25)	15	16

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Paid Attendance: 70,024

Time: 3:17

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# Final Individual Statistics

## Tennessee Titans

## New Orleans Saints

RUSHING						RUSHING											
	ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD		ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD						
D.Henry	15	63	4.2	18	0	J.Williams	18	45	2.5	11	0						
T.Spears	3	27	9.0	17	0	R.Shaheed	2	11	5.5	6	0						
T.Burks	1	9	9.0	9	0	T.Jones	1	5	5.0	5	0						
R.Tannehill	3	5	1.7	2	0	D.Carr	3	4	1.3	7	0						
						T.Hill	3	4	1.3	4	0						
Total	22	104	4.7	18	0	Total	27	69	2.6	11	0						
PASSING									PASSING								
ATT	CMP	YDS	SK/YD	TD	LG	IN	RT		ATT	CMP	YDS	SK/YD	TD	LG	IN	RT	
R.Tannehill	34	16	198	3/17	0	46	3	28.8	D.Carr	33	23	305	4/23	1	45	1	96.1
Total	34	16	198	3/17	0	46	3	28.8	Total	33	23	305	4/23	1	45	1	96.1
PASS RECEIVING								PASS RECEIVING									
TAR	REC	YDS	AVG	LG	TD			TAR	REC	YDS	AVG	LG	TD				
D.Hopkins	13	7	65	9.3	16	0		C.Olave	10	8	112	14.0	45	0			
N.Westbrook-Ikhine	7	4	58	14.5	24	0		R.Shaheed	6	5	89	17.8	41	1			
D.Henry	3	2	56	28.0	46	0		M.Thomas	8	5	61	12.2	25	0			
T.Burks	3	2	18	9.0	14	0		J.Johnson	5	3	36	12.0	27	0			
T.Spears	4	1	1	1.0	1	0		J.Williams	2	2	7	3.5	5	0			
C.Okonkwo	2	0	0	0.0	0	0		T.Hill	1	0	0	0.0	0	0			
C.Moore	1	0	0	0.0	0	0		K.Kirkwood	1	0	0	0.0	0	0			
Total	33	16	198	12.4	46	0		Total	33	23	305	13.3	45	1			
INTERCEPTIONS							INTERCEPTIONS										
NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD			NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD						
A.Hooker	1	10	10.0	10	0		M.Maye	1	5	5.0	5	0					
							M.Lattimore	1	0	0.0	0	0					
							P.Adebo	1	0	0.0	0	0					
Total	1	10	10.0	10	0		Total	3	5	1.7	5	0					
PUNTING								PUNTING									
NO	YDS	AVG	NET	TB	IN20	LG		NO	YDS	AVG	NET	TB	IN20	LG			
R.Stonehouse	3	107	35.7	33.7	0	1	62	L.Hedley	5	241	48.2	40.8	0	1	52		
Total	3	107	35.7	33.7	0	1	62	Total	5	241	48.2	40.8	0	1	52		
PUNT RETURNS								PUNT RETURNS									
NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD			NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD				
K.Jackson	4	37	9.3	0	14	0		R.Shaheed	2	6	3.0	0	6	0			
[OUT OF BOUNDS]	1	0	0.0	0	0	0		[OUT OF BOUNDS]	1	0	0.0	0	0	0			
Total	4	37	9.3	0	14	0		Total	2	6	3.0	0	6	0			
KICKOFF RETURNS								KICKOFF RETURNS									
NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD			NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD				
[TOUCHBACK]	5	0	0.0	0	0	0		R.Shaheed	5	110	22.0	0	27	0			
								[TOUCHBACK]	1	0	0.0	0	0	0			
Total	0	0	0.0	0	0	0		Total	5	110	22.0	0	27	0			

### Tennessee Titans

FUMBLES											
	FUM	LOST	OWN-REC	YDS	TD	FORCED	OPP-REC	YDS	TD	OUT-BDS	
A.Hooker	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	
S.Murphy-Bunting	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	
Total	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	

### New Orleans Saints

FUMBLES											
	FUM	LOST	OWN-REC	YDS	TD	FORCED	OPP-REC	YDS	TD	OUT-BDS	
J.Williams	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
R.Shaheed	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

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# Final Team Statistics

	Visitor Titans	Home Saints
<b>TOTAL FIRST DOWNS</b>	16	15
By Rushing	5	2
By Passing	8	12
By Penalty	3	1
<b>THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY</b>	2-12-16.7%	7-16-43.8%
<b>FOURTH DOWN EFFICIENCY</b>	0-0-0.0%	0-0-0.0%
<b>TOTAL NET YARDS</b>	285	351
Total Offensive Plays (inc. times thrown passing)	59	64
Average gain per offensive play	4.8	5.5
<b>NET YARDS RUSHING</b>	104	69
Total Rushing Plays	22	27
Average gain per rushing play	4.7	2.6
Tackles for a loss-number and yards	1-2	3-8
<b>NET YARDS PASSING</b>	181	282
Times thrown - yards lost attempting to pass	3-17	4-23
Gross yards passing	198	305
<b>PASS ATTEMPTS-COMPLETIONS-HAD INTERCEPTED</b>	34-16-3	33-23-1
Avg gain per pass play (inc.# thrown passing)	4.9	7.6
<b>KICKOFFS Number-In End Zone-Touchbacks</b>	6-2-1	5-5-5
<b>PUNTS Number and Average</b>	3-35.7	5-48.2
Had Blocked	0	0
<b>FGs - PATs Had Blocked</b>	0-0	0-0
<b>Net Punting Average</b>	33.7	40.8
<b>TOTAL RETURN YARDAGE (Not Including Kickoffs)</b>	47	11
No. and Yards Punt Returns	4-37	2-6
No. and Yards Kickoff Returns	0-0	5-110
No. and Yards Interception Returns	1-10	3-5
<b>PENALTIES Number and Yards</b>	6-45	7-45
<b>FUMBLES Number and Lost</b>	0-0	2-1
<b>TOUCHDOWNS</b>	0	1
Rushing	0	0
Passing	0	1
<b>EXTRA POINTS Made-Attempts</b>	0-0	1-1
Kicking Made-Attempts	0-0	1-1
<b>FIELD GOALS Made-Attempts</b>	5-5	3-3
<b>RED ZONE EFFICIENCY</b>	0-3-0%	1-4-25%
<b>GOAL TO GO EFFICIENCY</b>	0-0-0%	0-1-0%
<b>SAFETIES</b>	0	0
<b>FINAL SCORE</b>	15	16
<b>TIME OF POSSESSION</b>	31:20	28:40



# Ball Possession And Drive Chart

## Tennessee Titans

#	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	14:56	13:40	1:16	Fumble	NO 24	4	2	-10	-8	0	NO 32	Field Goal
2	10:18	3:07	7:11	Kickoff	TEN 25	11	66	0	66	4	* NO 9	Field Goal
3	1:22	0:00	1:22	Punt	TEN 23	3	2	0	2	0	TEN 25	Punt
4	11:44	9:54	1:50	Punt	TEN 23	3	4	0	4	0	TEN 27	Punt
5	7:37	6:36	1:01	Kickoff	TEN 25	3	5	0	5	0	TEN 30	Interception
6	4:29	1:40	2:49	Punt	TEN 30	7	67	-10	57	2	* NO 13	Field Goal
7	0:30	0:00	0:30	Interception	TEN 22	1	-8	0	-8	0	TEN 22	End of Half
8	15:00	12:55	2:05	Kickoff	TEN 25	4	28	0	28	2	NO 47	Interception
9	9:25	7:15	2:10	Kickoff	TEN 25	4	9	0	9	1	TEN 34	Punt
10	4:38	3:08	1:30	Punt	TEN 11	3	5	0	5	0	TEN 16	Interception
11	1:23	11:12	5:11	Kickoff	TEN 25	12	48	0	48	4	NO 27	Field Goal
12	6:42	2:17	4:25	Punt	TEN 27	9	57	5	62	3	* NO 11	Field Goal

(337) Average TEN 28

## 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	15:00	14:56	0:04	Kickoff		0	0	0	0	0		Fumble
2	13:40	10:18	3:22	Kickoff	NO 25	9	67	0	67	3	* TEN 8	Field Goal
3	3:07	1:22	1:45	Kickoff	NO 28	3	3	-5	-2	0	NO 26	Punt
4	15:00	11:44	3:16	Punt	NO 13	5	23	0	23	1	NO 36	Punt
5	9:54	7:37	2:17	Punt	TEN 28	7	14	0	14	1	* TEN 14	Field Goal
6	6:36	4:29	2:07	Interception	NO 41	3	-8	0	-8	0	NO 33	Punt
7	1:40	0:30	1:10	Kickoff	NO 25	6	44	0	44	2	TEN 31	Interception
8	12:55	9:25	3:30	Interception	NO 6	7	60	0	60	1	TEN 34	Field Goal
9	7:15	4:38	2:37	Punt	NO 18	5	11	15	26	1	NO 44	Punt
10	3:08	1:23	1:45	Interception	TEN 33	5	33	0	33	2	* TEN 19	Touchdown
11	11:12	6:42	4:30	Kickoff	NO 13	8	35	-5	30	2	NO 43	Punt
12	2:17	0:00	2:17	Kickoff	NO 29	9	69	-10	59	2	* TEN 11	End of Game

(337) Average NO 31

### \* inside opponent's 20

#### Time of Possession by Quarter

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Visitor Tennessee Titans	9:49	6:10	7:08	8:13		31:20
Home New Orleans Saints	5:11	8:50	7:52	6:47		28:40

#### Kickoff Drive No.-Start Average

Titans: 5 - TEN 25

Saints: 5 - NO 24

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# Final Defensive Statistics

Tennessee Titans	Regular Defensive Plays											Special Teams					Misc			
	TKL	AST	COMB	SK	/ YDS	TFL	Q	IN	PD	FF	FR	TKL	AST	FF	FR	BL	TKL	AST	FF	FR
K.Byard	6	3	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
E.Molden	6	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.Gibbens	6	1	7	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S.Murphy-Bunting	4	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A.Al-Shaair	2	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D.Autry	4	1	5	1.5	10.5	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.Simmons	3	2	5	1	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T.Tart	3	2	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A.Hooker	2	2	4	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
A.Key	1	3	4	1.5	9.5	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
K.Fulton	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
K.Peko	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
H.Landry	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
K.Vildor	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N.Jones	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A.Kendall	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M.Rice	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
O.Reese	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D.Hopkins	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
C.Moore	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

TKL = Tackle AST = Assist COMB = Combined QH=QB Hit IN = Interception PD = Pass Defense FF = Forced Fumble FR = Fumble Recovery

New Orleans Saints	Regular Defensive Plays											Special Teams					Misc			
	TKL	AST	COMB	SK	/ YDS	TFL	QH	IN	PD	FF	FR	TKL	AST	FF	FR	BL	TKL	AST	FF	FR
D.Davis	9	1	10	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
P.Werner	3	5	8	0.5	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M.Maye	5	1	6	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A.Taylor	3	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T.Mathieu	3	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C.Jordan	2	3	5	0.5	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C.Granderson	2	2	4	1.5	9	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M.Lattimore	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
P.Adebo	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M.Roach	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T.Kpassagnon	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
B.Bresee	0	1	1	0.5	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
P.Turner	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
I.Yiadam	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
U.Amadi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T.Hill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
L.Johnson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D.Jackson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Z.Wood	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A.Prentice	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.Johnson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
J.Williams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>





## Play By Play

## First Quarter

9/10/2023

TEN wins the coin toss and elects to defer. NO elects to Receive, and TEN elects to defend the south goal.

N.Folk kicks 63 yards from TEN 35 to NO 2. R.Shaheed to NO 21 for 19 yards (A.Hooker). FUMBLES (A.Hooker), ball out of bounds at NO 24.

*PENALTY on NO-A.Prentice, Offensive Holding, 10 yards, enforced at NO 20.*

Tennessee challenged the ball was inbounds ruling, and the play was REVERSED.

N.Folk kicks 63 yards from TEN 35 to NO 2. R.Shaheed to NO 21 for 19 yards (A.Hooker). FUMBLES (A.Hooker), RECOVERED by TEN-A.Hooker at NO 24.

*Penalty on NO-A.Prentice, Offensive Holding, declined.*

## Tennessee Titans at 14:56

- 1-10-NO 24 (14:56) *PENALTY on TEN-T.Wesco, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at NO 24 - No Play.*
- 1-15-NO 29 (14:56) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass incomplete short right to C.Okonkwo.
- 2-15-NO 29 (14:53) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill right end to NO 27 for 2 yards (C.Granderson).
- 3-13-NO 27 (14:06) (Shotgun) *PENALTY on TEN-D.Hopkins, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at NO 27 - No Play.*
- 3-18-NO 32 (13:49) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass incomplete short right to T.Spears [C.Granderson].
- 4-18-NO 32 (13:45) **N.Folk 50 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-M.Cox, Holder-R.Stonehouse.**

Timeout at 13:40.

**TEN 3 NO 0, 4 plays, -8 yards, 1:16 drive, 1:20 elapsed**

N.Folk kicks 62 yards from TEN 35 to NO 3. R.Shaheed to NO 25 for 22 yards (M.Rice; O.Reese).

## New Orleans Saints at 13:40, (1st play from scrimmage 13:35)

- 1-10-NO 25 (13:35) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass deep left to M.Thomas pushed ob at 50 for 25 yards (K.Fulton). P1
- 1-10-50 (13:15) (No Huddle) D.Carr pass short right to J.Williams to TEN 45 for 5 yards (H.Landry).
- 2-5-TEN 45 (12:42) (Shotgun) J.Williams right guard to TEN 45 for no gain (D.Autry).
- 3-5-TEN 45 (12:11) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short middle to M.Thomas to TEN 33 for 12 yards (S.Murphy-Bunting). P2
- 1-10-TEN 33 (11:34) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass deep right to R.Shaheed pushed ob at TEN 11 for 22 yards (K.Byard) [D.Autry]. P3
- 1-10-TEN 11 (11:13) J.Williams right guard to TEN 8 for 3 yards (K.Peko; K.Byard).
- 2-7-TEN 8 (10:32) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass incomplete short right to M.Thomas.
- 3-7-TEN 8 (10:25) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass incomplete short middle to M.Thomas.
- 4-7-TEN 8 (10:21) **B.Grupe 26 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-Z.Wood, Holder-L.Hedley.**

Timeout at 10:18.

**TEN 3 NO 3, 9 plays, 67 yards, 3:22 drive, 4:42 elapsed**

B.Grupe kicks 65 yards from NO 35 to end zone, Touchback.

## Tennessee Titans at 10:18

- 1-10-TEN 25 (10:18) D.Henry left guard to TEN 31 for 6 yards (M.Lattimore).
- 2-4-TEN 31 (9:41) (Shotgun) D.Henry left guard to TEN 37 for 6 yards (P.Werner; T.Mathieu). R1
- 1-10-TEN 37 (8:59) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill sacked at TEN 37 for 0 yards (sack split by C.Jordan and C.Granderson).
- 2-10-TEN 37 (8:16) D.Henry left tackle to TEN 43 for 6 yards (P.Werner).
- 3-4-TEN 43 (7:33) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass short right to T.Spears to TEN 45 for 2 yards (P.Werner). X2
- PENALTY on NO-A.Taylor, Defensive Holding, 5 yards, enforced at TEN 43 - No Play.*
- 1-10-TEN 48 (7:11) *PENALTY on TEN-C.Okonkwo, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at TEN 48 - No Play.*
- 1-15-TEN 43 (6:47) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass short middle to D.Hopkins to NO 48 for 9 yards (M.Lattimore).
- 2-6-NO 48 (6:05) D.Henry right end to NO 30 for 18 yards (D.Davis). R3
- 1-10-NO 30 (5:20) R.Tannehill pass short left to D.Hopkins to NO 15 for 15 yards (M.Maye). P4
- 1-10-NO 15 (4:34) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass incomplete short left to T.Spears.
- 2-10-NO 15 (4:29) (Shotgun) Direct snap to D.Henry. D.Henry left end to NO 12 for 3 yards (T.Mathieu).
- 3-7-NO 12 (3:48) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass short right to N.Westbrook-Ikhine to NO 9 for 3 yards (A.Taylor) [T.Kpassagnon].
- 4-4-NO 9 (3:10) **N.Folk 27 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-M.Cox, Holder-R.Stonehouse.**

Timeout at 03:07.

**TEN 6 NO 3, 11 plays, 66 yards, 1 penalty, 7:11 drive, 11:53 elapsed**

N.Folk kicks 63 yards from TEN 35 to NO 2. R.Shaheed to NO 28 for 26 yards (A.Kendall).

## New Orleans Saints at 3:07, (1st play from scrimmage 3:01)

- 1-10-NO 28 (3:01) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short left to R.Shaheed to NO 27 for -1 yards (A.Hooker).
- 2-11-NO 27 (2:25) *PENALTY on NO-C.Olave, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at NO 27 - No Play.*
- 2-16-NO 22 (2:10) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short left to J.Johnson to NO 26 for 4 yards (K.Fulton, A.Hooker).

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- 3-12-NO 26 (1:36) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass incomplete deep left to C.Olave.
- 4-12-NO 26 (1:30) L.Hedley punts 51 yards to TEN 23, Center-Z.Wood, out of bounds.

Timeout at 01:22.

**Tennessee Titans at 1:22**

- 1-10-TEN 23 (1:22) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass incomplete short left to N.Westbrook-Ikhine (M.Lattimore) [T.Kpassagnon].
- 2-10-TEN 23 (1:18) D.Henry left tackle to TEN 24 for 1 yard (M.Roach; P.Turner).
- 3-9-TEN 24 (:37) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill scrambles left end pushed ob at TEN 25 for 1 yard (D.Davis).
- 4-8-TEN 25 (:01) R.Stonehouse punts 62 yards to NO 13, Center-M.Cox. R.Shaheed ran ob at NO 13 for no gain.

**END OF QUARTER**

	<b>Score</b>	<b>Time Poss</b>	<b>First Downs</b>				<b>Efficiencies</b>	
			<b>R</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>3 Down</b>	<b>4 Down</b>
<b>Tennessee Titans</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>9:49</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0/3</b>	<b>0/0</b>
<b>New Orleans Saints</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5:11</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1/3</b>	<b>0/0</b>



## Second Quarter

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## Play By Play

New Orleans Saints continued.

## New Orleans Saints at 15:00

- 1-10-NO 13 (15:00) J.Williams left guard to NO 14 for 1 yard (T.Tart).
- 2-9-NO 14 (14:27) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short middle to C.Olave to NO 31 for 17 yards (E.Molden). P4
- 1-10-NO 31 (13:50) J.Williams right end pushed ob at NO 37 for 6 yards (A.Hooker).
- 2-4-NO 37 (13:15) D.Carr sacked at NO 31 for -6 yards (A.Key). TEN-K.Fulton was injured during the play. His return is Questionable.

Timeout at 12:42.

- 3-10-NO 31 (12:38) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short middle to J.Johnson to NO 36 for 5 yards (A.Al-Shaair) [D.Autry].
- 4-5-NO 36 (11:54) L.Hedley punts 52 yards to TEN 12, Center-Z.Wood. K.Jackson to TEN 23 for 11 yards (T.Hill, D.Jackson).

## Tennessee Titans at 11:44

- 1-10-TEN 23 (11:44) (Shotgun) D.Henry left end to TEN 26 for 3 yards (D.Davis).
- 2-7-TEN 26 (11:01) D.Henry right tackle to TEN 27 for 1 yard (C.Jordan; P.Werner).
- 3-6-TEN 27 (10:18) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass incomplete short right to N.Westbrook-Ikhine (A.Taylor). NO-P.Turner was injured during the play. His return is Probable.

Timeout at 10:10.

- 4-6-TEN 27 (10:01) R.Stonehouse punts 1 yard to TEN 28, Center-M.Cox, out of bounds.

## New Orleans Saints at 9:54

- 1-10-TEN 28 (9:54) D.Carr scrambles right tackle to TEN 21 for 7 yards (J.Gibbens).
- 2-3-TEN 21 (9:07) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short left to C.Olave to TEN 19 for 2 yards (J.Gibbens).
- 3-1-TEN 19 (8:35) J.Williams left guard to TEN 14 for 5 yards (J.Simmons; J.Gibbens). R5
- 1-10-TEN 14 (7:59) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass incomplete short right to R.Shaheed.  
INJURY UPDATE: Titans 26-K.Fulton, hamstring, QUESTIONABLE to return.  
New Orleans challenged the incomplete pass ruling, and the play was Upheld. The ruling on the field stands. (Timeout #1.)

Timeout at 07:50.

- 2-10-TEN 14 (7:50) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass incomplete short left to T.Hill.
- 3-10-TEN 14 (7:45) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass incomplete short middle to M.Thomas (A.Key).  
Tennessee challenged the incomplete pass ruling, and the play was Upheld. The ruling on the field stands. (Timeout #1.)
- 4-10-TEN 14 (7:40) **B.Grupe 33 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-Z.Wood, Holder-L.Hedley.**

Timeout at 07:37.

TEN 6 NO 6, 7 plays, 14 yards, 2:17 drive, 7:23 elapsed

B.Grupe kicks 65 yards from NO 35 to end zone, Touchback.

## Tennessee Titans at 7:37

- 1-10-TEN 25 (7:37) R.Tannehill pass incomplete deep left to D.Hopkins (M.Lattimore).
- 2-10-TEN 25 (7:31) D.Henry right tackle to TEN 30 for 5 yards (D.Davis).
- 3-5-TEN 30 (6:48) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass deep right intended for D.Hopkins INTERCEPTED by M.Lattimore [C.Granderson] at NO 41. M.Lattimore to NO 41 for no gain (D.Hopkins).

## New Orleans Saints at 6:36

- 1-10-NO 41 (6:36) J.Williams right end to NO 43 for 2 yards (E.Molden).
- 2-8-NO 43 (6:00) (Shotgun) D.Carr sacked at NO 36 for -7 yards (sack split by A.Key and D.Autry).
- 3-15-NO 36 (5:17) (Shotgun) D.Carr sacked at NO 33 for -3 yards (J.Simmons).
- 4-18-NO 33 (4:41) L.Hedley punts 49 yards to TEN 18, Center-Z.Wood. K.Jackson to TEN 30 for 12 yards (D.Jackson; Z.Wood).

## Tennessee Titans at 4:29

- 1-10-TEN 30 (4:29) R.Tannehill pass short left to D.Henry to NO 24 for 46 yards (M.Maye). P5
- 1-10-NO 24 (3:43) T.Burks left end to NO 15 for 9 yards (M.Maye).
- 2-1-NO 15 (3:01) D.Henry left tackle to NO 13 for 2 yards (P.Werner; M.Maye). R6
- 1-10-NO 13 (2:16) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass incomplete short right to D.Hopkins (C.Jordan).
- 2-10-NO 13 (2:12) D.Henry left end pushed ob at NO 11 for 2 yards (T.Mathieu; D.Davis).  
*PENALTY on TEN-A.Brewer, Offensive Holding, 10 yards, enforced at NO 13 - No Play.*

Two-Minute Warning

- 2-20-NO 23 (2:00) R.Tannehill pass short right to D.Henry to NO 13 for 10 yards (A.Taylor; P.Werner).  
Timeout #2 by NO at 01:49.
- 3-10-NO 13 (1:49) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass incomplete short right [B.Bresee].
- 4-10-NO 13 (1:43) **N.Folk 31 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-M.Cox, Holder-R.Stonehouse.**  
*Penalty on NO, Illegal Formation, declined.*

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**TEN 9 NO 6, 7 plays, 57 yards, 2:49 drive, 13:20 elapsed**

N.Folk kicks 65 yards from TEN 35 to end zone, Touchback.

**New Orleans Saints at 1:40**

- 1-10-NO 25 (1:40) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short right to J.Johnson to TEN 48 for 27 yards (E.Molden, K.Byard) [H.Landry]. P6
- 1-10-TEN 48 (1:21) (No Huddle, Shotgun) D.Carr pass short middle to R.Shaheed to TEN 40 for 8 yards (K.Byard).
- 2-2-TEN 40 (1:06) (No Huddle, Shotgun) D.Carr pass short right to C.Olave pushed ob at TEN 33 for 7 yards (K.Vildor). P7  
The Replay Official reviewed the pass completion ruling, and the play was Upheld. The ruling on the field stands.
- 1-10-TEN 33 (1:00) (Shotgun) D.Carr sacked at TEN 40 for -7 yards (D.Autry).  
Timeout #3 by NO at 00:55.
- 2-17-TEN 40 (:55) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short left to M.Thomas to TEN 31 for 9 yards (K.Byard).
- 3-8-TEN 31 (:37) (No Huddle, Shotgun) D.Carr pass deep middle intended for J.Johnson INTERCEPTED by A.Hooker at TEN 12. A.Hooker to TEN 22 for 10 yards (J.Johnson).

**Tennessee Titans at 0:30**

- 1-10-TEN 22 (:30) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill sacked at TEN 14 for -8 yards (sack split by B.Bresee and P.Werner).

**END OF QUARTER**

		<b>Time Poss</b>	<b>First Downs</b>				<b>Efficiencies</b>	
	<b>Score</b>		<b>R</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>3 Down</b>	<b>4 Down</b>
<b>Tennessee Titans</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>6:10</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0/3</b>	<b>0/0</b>
<b>New Orleans Saints</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>8:50</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1/5</b>	<b>0/0</b>

## Third Quarter

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## Play By Play

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

B.Grupe kicks 65 yards from NO 35 to end zone, Touchback.

## Tennessee Titans at 15:00

1-10-TEN 25 (15:00) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass short left to D.Hopkins to TEN 29 for 4 yards (P.Werner).

2-6-TEN 29 (14:26) D.Henry left tackle to TEN 36 for 7 yards (C.Jordan). R7

1-10-TEN 36 (13:48) (Shotgun) T.Spears left end pushed ob at NO 47 for 17 yards (D.Davis). R8

1-10-NO 47 (13:06) R.Tannehill pass deep left intended for C.Moore INTERCEPTED by M.Maye (I.Yiadom) at NO 1. M.Maye to NO 6 for 5 yards (C.Moore).

Timeout at 12:55.

## New Orleans Saints at 12:55

1-10-NO 6 (12:55) J.Williams right tackle to NO 10 for 4 yards (N.Jones; A.Al-Shaair).

2-6-NO 10 (12:23) (Shotgun) J.Williams left guard to NO 13 for 3 yards (E.Molden; T.Tart).

3-3-NO 13 (11:44) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass deep left to C.Olave pushed ob at TEN 42 for 45 yards (K.Byard). P8

1-10-TEN 42 (11:04) (Shotgun) Direct snap to T.Hill. T.Hill right guard to TEN 38 for 4 yards (J.Gibbens).

2-6-TEN 38 (10:28) T.Jones right end to TEN 33 for 5 yards (S.Murphy-Bunting).

3-1-TEN 33 (9:47) J.Williams right tackle to TEN 34 for -1 yards (J.Gibbens, A.Al-Shaair).

*Penalty on NO-E.McCoy, Offensive Holding, declined.*4-2-TEN 34 (9:30) **B.Grupe 52 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-Z.Wood, Holder-L.Hedley.**

Timeout at 09:25.

TEN 9 NO 9, 7 plays, 60 yards, 3:30 drive, 5:35 elapsed

B.Grupe kicks 65 yards from NO 35 to end zone, Touchback.

## Tennessee Titans at 9:25

1-10-TEN 25 (9:25) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass short middle to T.Burks to TEN 39 for 14 yards (P.Adebo). P9

1-10-TEN 39 (8:48) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass short left to T.Burks to TEN 43 for 4 yards (M.Maye).

2-6-TEN 43 (8:08) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass incomplete short middle to T.Burks.

3-6-TEN 43 (8:04) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill sacked at TEN 34 for -9 yards (C.Granderson).

4-15-TEN 34 (7:27) R.Stonehouse punts 44 yards to NO 22, Center-M.Cox. R.Shaheed ran ob at NO 45 for 23 yards (M.Rice).

*PENALTY on NO-L.Johnson, Offensive Holding, 10 yards, enforced at NO 28.*

Timeout at 07:15.

## New Orleans Saints at 7:15

1-10-NO 18 (7:15) (Shotgun) J.Williams right guard to NO 19 for 1 yard (D.Autry).

2-9-NO 19 (6:43) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short left to M.Thomas to NO 26 for 7 yards (A.Al-Shaair).

3-2-NO 26 (6:06) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass incomplete short left to J.Johnson (R.McCreary).

*PENALTY on TEN-A.Al-Shaair, Roughing the Passer, 15 yards, enforced at NO 26 - No Play.* X9

1-10-NO 41 (5:58) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short right to C.Olave pushed ob at NO 47 for 6 yards (K.Byard).

2-4-NO 47 (5:27) J.Williams left guard to NO 44 for -3 yards (T.Tart).

3-7-NO 44 (4:50) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass incomplete short left to J.Johnson (A.Hooker).

4-7-NO 44 (4:46) L.Hedley punts 45 yards to TEN 11, Center-Z.Wood. K.Jackson to TEN 11 for no gain (L.Johnson).

Timeout at 04:38.

## Tennessee Titans at 4:38

1-10-TEN 11 (4:38) (Shotgun) T.Spears right guard to TEN 13 for 2 yards (C.Granderson; T.Mathieu).

2-8-TEN 13 (3:57) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass short right to D.Hopkins to TEN 16 for 3 yards (A.Taylor).

3-5-TEN 16 (3:14) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass deep right intended for D.Hopkins INTERCEPTED by P.Adebo at TEN 33. P.Adebo pushed ob at TEN 33 for no gain (D.Hopkins).

## New Orleans Saints at 3:08

1-10-TEN 33 (3:08) (Shotgun) Direct snap to T.Hill. T.Hill left end pushed ob at TEN 29 for 4 yards (T.Tart).

2-6-TEN 29 (2:41) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short right to C.Olave pushed ob at TEN 22 for 7 yards (E.Molden). P10

1-10-TEN 22 (2:10) J.Williams right guard to TEN 19 for 3 yards (S.Murphy-Bunting).

2-7-TEN 19 (1:33) D.Carr pass incomplete deep right to K.Kirkwood.

3-7-TEN 19 (1:28) (Shotgun) **D.Carr pass deep right to R.Shaheed for 19 yards, TOUCHDOWN.** P11

B.Grupe extra point is GOOD, Center-Z.Wood, Holder-L.Hedley.

TEN 9 NO 16, 5 plays, 33 yards, 1:45 drive, 13:37 elapsed

**Tennessee Titans vs New Orleans Saints at Caesars Superdome**

B.Grupe kicks 65 yards from NO 35 to end zone, Touchback.

**Tennessee Titans at 1:23**

- 1-10-TEN 25 (1:23) D.Henry left tackle to TEN 28 for 3 yards (T.Kpassagnon).
- 2-7-TEN 28 (:45) (Shotgun) PENALTY on TEN-T.Burks, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at TEN 28 - No Play.
- 2-12-TEN 23 (:25) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill scrambles up the middle to TEN 25 for 2 yards (M.Roach; D.Davis).

**END OF QUARTER**

	Score	Time Poss	First Downs				Efficiencies	
			R	P	X	T	3 Down	4 Down
Tennessee Titans	9	7:08	2	1	0	3	0/2	0/0
New Orleans Saints	16	7:52	0	3	1	4	2/4	0/0

**Fourth Quarter**

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**Play By Play**

Tennessee Titans continued.

3-10-TEN 25	(15:00) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass deep middle to D.Hopkins to TEN 41 for 16 yards (P.Adebo).	P10
<u>1-10-TEN 41</u>	(14:20) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass short right to D.Hopkins pushed ob at NO 47 for 12 yards (A.Taylor).	P11
<u>1-10-NO 47</u>	(13:43) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass incomplete deep right to C.Okonkwo.	
2-10-NO 47	(13:37) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass short middle to N.Westbrook-Ikhine to NO 37 for 10 yards (P.Werner).	P12
<u>1-10-NO 37</u>	(13:00) D.Henry left guard to NO 33 for 4 yards (C.Jordan).	
2-6-NO 33	(12:17) R.Tannehill pass incomplete short right to D.Hopkins.	
3-6-NO 33	(12:11) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass incomplete short middle to N.Westbrook-Ikhine. NO-A.Taylor was injured during the play. His return is Probable. <i>PENALTY on NO-P.Adebo, Defensive Holding, 5 yards, enforced at NO 33 - No Play.</i>	X13

Timeout at 12:06.

<u>1-10-NO 28</u>	(12:06) R.Tannehill pass incomplete short right to D.Henry (C.Jordan).
2-10-NO 28	(12:01) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass short left to T.Spears to NO 27 for 1 yard (T.Mathieu).
3-9-NO 27	(11:20) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass incomplete short right to D.Hopkins (U.Amadi).
4-9-NO 27	<b>(11:16) N.Folk 45 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-M.Cox, Holder-R.Stonehouse.</b>

Timeout at 11:12.

**TEN 12 NO 16, 12 plays, 48 yards, 1 penalty, 5:11 drive, 3:48 elapsed**

N.Folk kicks 68 yards from TEN 35 to NO -3. R.Shaheed to NO 13 for 16 yards (A.Kendall).

**New Orleans Saints at 11:12, (1st play from scrimmage 11:09)**

1-10-NO 13	(11:09) J.Williams right guard to NO 15 for 2 yards (D.Autry, E.Molden).	
2-8-NO 15	(10:34) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short middle to C.Olave to NO 28 for 13 yards (E.Molden).	P12
<u>1-10-NO 28</u>	(9:55) (Shotgun) Direct snap to T.Hill. T.Hill left end pushed ob at NO 24 for -4 yards (J.Simmons).	
2-14-NO 24	(9:18) (Shotgun) J.Williams right guard to NO 27 for 3 yards (T.Tart; A.Key).	
3-11-NO 27	(8:41) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short right to C.Olave pushed ob at NO 42 for 15 yards (S.Murphy-Bunting).	P13
<u>1-10-NO 42</u>	(8:03) (Shotgun) J.Williams left guard to NO 46 for 4 yards (A.Key; A.Al-Shaair).	
2-6-NO 46	(7:29) <i>PENALTY on NO-R.Ramczyk, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at NO 46 - No Play.</i>	
2-11-NO 41	(7:29) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short right to J.Williams to NO 43 for 2 yards (K.Byard; K.Peko). TEN-K.Peko was injured during the play.	

Timeout at 07:15.

3-9-NO 43	(6:59) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass incomplete deep right to C.Olave (E.Molden).
4-9-NO 43	(6:51) L.Hedley punts 44 yards to TEN 13, Center-Z.Wood. K.Jackson to TEN 27 for 14 yards (I.Yiadam, A.Prentice).

**Tennessee Titans at 6:42**

1-10-TEN 27	(6:42) (Shotgun) T.Spears left tackle to TEN 35 for 8 yards (M.Maye).	
2-2-TEN 35	(6:01) R.Tannehill pass incomplete deep left to T.Spears.	
3-2-TEN 35	(5:53) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass short right to N.Westbrook-Ikhine to NO 44 for 21 yards (D.Davis).	P14
<u>1-10-NO 44</u>	(5:16) D.Henry left guard to NO 44 for no gain (D.Davis, C.Jordan).	
2-10-NO 44	(4:36) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass short left to N.Westbrook-Ikhine to NO 20 for 24 yards (T.Mathieu).	P15
<u>1-10-NO 20</u>	(3:48) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass incomplete short middle to C.Okonkwo. <i>PENALTY on NO-M.Maye, Defensive Pass Interference, 5 yards, enforced at NO 20 - No Play.</i>	X16
<u>1-10-NO 15</u>	(3:45) D.Henry right end to NO 17 for -2 yards (D.Davis, A.Taylor).	
2-12-NO 17	(3:01) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass incomplete short left to N.Westbrook-Ikhine (M.Lattimore).	
3-12-NO 17	(2:56) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass short middle to D.Hopkins to NO 11 for 6 yards (D.Davis).	
4-6-NO 11	<b>(2:20) N.Folk 29 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-M.Cox, Holder-R.Stonehouse.</b>	

**TEN 15 NO 16, 9 plays, 62 yards, 1 penalty, 4:25 drive, 12:43 elapsed**

N.Folk kicks 63 yards from TEN 35 to NO 2. R.Shaheed to NO 29 for 27 yards (J.Gibbens; A.Kendall).

**New Orleans Saints at 2:17, (1st play from scrimmage 2:12)**

1-10-NO 29	(2:12) R.Shaheed left end to NO 41 for 12 yards (E.Molden). <i>PENALTY on NO-K.Kirkwood, Offensive Holding, 10 yards, enforced at NO 34.</i>
1-15-NO 24	(2:05) J.Williams right guard to NO 25 for 1 yard (J.Gibbens).

Two-Minute Warning

2-14-NO 25	(2:00) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short left to M.Thomas to NO 33 for 8 yards (S.Murphy-Bunting; A.Hooker). TEN-A.Hooker was injured during the play. Timeout #1 by TEN at 01:55.
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3-6-NO 33 (1:55) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass deep left to R.Shaheed ran ob at TEN 26 for 41 yards. P14  
 The Replay Official reviewed the pass completion ruling, and the play was Upheld. The ruling on the field stands.

1-10-TEN 26 (1:50) J.Williams right guard to TEN 26 for no gain (A.Al-Shaair; J.Simmons).  
 Timeout #2 by TEN at 01:46.

2-10-TEN 26 (1:46) R.Shaheed right end to TEN 20 for 6 yards (J.Simmons).  
 Timeout #3 by TEN at 01:39.

3-4-TEN 20 (1:39) J.Williams right tackle to TEN 9 for 11 yards (K.Byard, S.Murphy-Bunting). FUMBLES (S.Murphy-Bunting), and recovers at TEN 9. R15  
 J.Williams to TEN 9 for no gain (J.Gibbens).

1-9-TEN 9 (:59) D.Carr kneels to TEN 11 for -2 yards.

2-11-TEN 11 (:35) D.Carr kneels to TEN 12 for -1 yards.

**END OF QUARTER**

	Score	Time Poss	First Downs				Efficiencies	
			R	P	X	T	3 Down	4 Down
Tennessee Titans	15	8:13	0	5	2	7	2/4	0/0
New Orleans Saints	16	6:47	1	3	0	4	3/4	0/0



# Miscellaneous Statistics Report

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## Ten Longest Plays for Tennessee Titans

Yards	Qtr	Play Start	Play Description
46	2	1-10-TEN 30	(4:29) R.Tannehill pass short left to D.Henry to NO 24 for 46 yards (M.Maye).
24	4	2-10-NO 44	(4:36) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass short left to N.Westbrook-Ikhine to NO 20 for 24 yards (T.Mathieu).
21	4	3-2-TEN 35	(5:53) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass short right to N.Westbrook-Ikhine to NO 44 for 21 yards (D.Davis).
18	1	2-6-NO 48	(6:05) D.Henry right end to NO 30 for 18 yards (D.Davis).
17	3	1-10-TEN 36	(13:48) (Shotgun) T.Spears left end pushed ob at NO 47 for 17 yards (D.Davis).
16	4	3-10-TEN 25	(15:00) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass deep middle to D.Hopkins to TEN 41 for 16 yards (P.Adebo).
15	1	1-10-NO 30	(5:20) R.Tannehill pass short left to D.Hopkins to NO 15 for 15 yards (M.Maye).
14	3	1-10-TEN 25	(9:25) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass short middle to T.Burks to TEN 39 for 14 yards (P.Adebo).
12	4	1-10-TEN 41	(14:20) (Shotgun) R.Tannehill pass short right to D.Hopkins pushed ob at NO 47 for 12 yards (A.Taylor).
10	2	2-20-NO 23	(2:00) R.Tannehill pass short right to D.Henry to NO 13 for 10 yards (A.Taylor; P.Werner).

## Ten Longest Plays for New Orleans Saints

Yards	Qtr	Play Start	Play Description
45	3	3-3-NO 13	(11:44) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass deep left to C.Olave pushed ob at TEN 42 for 45 yards (K.Byard).
41	4	3-6-NO 33	(1:55) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass deep left to R.Shaheed ran ob at TEN 26 for 41 yards.
27	2	1-10-NO 25	(1:40) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short right to J.Johnson to TEN 48 for 27 yards (E.Molden, K.Byard) [H.Landry].
25	1	1-10-NO 25	(13:35) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass deep left to M.Thomas pushed ob at 50 for 25 yards (K.Fulton).
22	1	1-10-TEN 33	(11:34) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass deep right to R.Shaheed pushed ob at TEN 11 for 22 yards (K.Byard) [D.Autry].
19	3	3-7-TEN 19	(1:28) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass deep right to R.Shaheed for 19 yards, TOUCHDOWN.
17	2	2-9-NO 14	(14:27) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short middle to C.Olave to NO 31 for 17 yards (E.Molden).
15	4	3-11-NO 27	(8:41) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short right to C.Olave pushed ob at NO 42 for 15 yards (S.Murphy-Bunting).
13	4	2-8-NO 15	(10:34) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short middle to C.Olave to NO 28 for 13 yards (E.Molden).
12	1	3-5-TEN 45	(12:11) (Shotgun) D.Carr pass short middle to M.Thomas to TEN 33 for 12 yards (S.Murphy-Bunting).

## Touchdown Scoring Information

		Offense	Defense	Special Teams
<b>VISITOR</b>	Tennessee Titans	0	0	0
<b>HOME</b>	New Orleans Saints	1	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
TEN	N.Folk	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	15
NO	B.Grupe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	10
NO	R.Shaheed	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	3	0	0	7	3	7
Drives Leading	3	0	1	2	4	2
Time of Possession Leading	3:42	0:00	2:05	6:47	5:47	6:47
Largest Deficit	0	-3	-7	0	-7	-3
Drives Trailing	0	5	2	1	2	6
Time of Possession Trailing	0:00	11:50	9:36	3:30	9:36	15:20
Times Score Tied Up		2		1		3
Lead Changes		3		1		4



## POSTGAME NOTES AND QUOTES

### TENNESSEE TITANS VS. NEW ORLEANS SAINTS SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2023 • CAESARS SUPERDOME GAME NOTES

- With the Saints starting 1-0, they will go on the road next week to face the Carolina Panthers on Monday Night Football at Bank of America Stadium. Kickoff is scheduled for 6:15 p.m. CT and the game will be nationally televised on ESPN (WDSU 6 locally)
- The Saints improved to 22-35 in season openers and continued their club-record winning streak of season openers to five straight. The five straight season-opening wins are the longest streak of opening wins in the NFL.
- Head Coach **Dennis Allen** is the first coach in the franchise's history to win his first two seasons openers in charge of the club
- New Orleans' record against the Titans/Oilers franchise improved to 7-9-1
- This was the Saints' first win against Titans/Oilers in the Superdome since a season-opening 33-21 victory over the Oilers at the Superdome on September 5, 1993.
- After holding the Titans to 15 points in the season opener, it matched the longest streak in franchise history (9/8/-11/10/91) of nine consecutive games holding an opponent to 20 points or less, dating back to November 13, 2022. It was the second time in three season openers that New Orleans kept their opponent out of the end zone, with the Saints defeating the Green Bay Packers 38-3 on September 12, 2021. New Orleans held Tennessee to field goals on all three of their red zone attempts.
- New Orleans outgained the Titans 351-285 today and won the turnover battle 3-2, recording three interceptions.
- While the Saints converted seven-of-16 (43.8 percent) third down attempts, New Orleans allowed the Titans to convert only two-of-12 (16.7 percent).
- With eight combined field goals by both teams (three for New Orleans, five for Tennessee), it marked the most combined field goals in a Week One contest in the NFL.
- In making his Saints debut today as starting quarterback, **Derek Carr** started his 143rd career regular season contest, surpassing the retired Tom Brady for the most starts by a signal-caller since 2014, when Carr entered the league.
- Carr is the 37<sup>th</sup> player to start a contest at the position for New Orleans and the 12<sup>th</sup> to win his first start with the club.
- Carr completed 23-of-33 passes (69.7 percent) for 305 yards. His 305 yards brought him to 35,527 career passing yards, ranked 31<sup>st</sup> in NFL record books, surpassing Jim Kelly.
- His 23 completions brought his career total to 3,224, ranked 26<sup>th</sup> in NFL record books, surpassing Matt Hasselbeck.

- Carr had a completion of 45 yards to WR **Chris Olave** and a 41-yard completion to WR/RS **Rashid Shaheed**. His 83 completions of 40-yards or more since coming into the NFL in 2014 rank sixth in the NFL.
- Carr improved his record against the Titans to 4-2 and his season opener record to 6-4
- Olave finished with a team-leading eight receptions for 112 yards, marking his fourth 100-yard receiving game of his career.
- WR **Michael Thomas** finished with five receptions for 61 yards.
- Shaheed recorded five receptions for 89 yards (17.8 avg.) and one 19-yard touchdown, carried twice for 11 yards, returned five kickoffs for 110 yards and two punts for six yards. He finished with 100 total yards from scrimmage and a career-high 216 all-purpose yards, the highest total by a Saint since RB Alvin Kamara's 283 in the 2017 regular season finale at Tampa Bay.
- S **Tyrann Mathieu** finished with five (three solo) tackles to surpass the 700th mark on his career (702).
- Three Saints had an interception, the first time New Orleans had finished with three picks in a contest since September 26, 2021 at New England.
- CB **Marshon Lattimore** had one pick to give him 15 on his career and move him into a tie with Ernie Jackson, Brett Maxie and Marcus Williams for eighth in club record books for career interceptions. Overall, he finished with the second quarter pick, two solo tackles and four passes defended.
- CB **Paulson Adebbo** finished with two tackles and one interception to set up the Saints first touchdown of the season
- S **Marcus Maye** finished with six tackles and one interception, his first pick as a Saint and his first since 2020 as a member of the New York Jets.
- LB **Demario Davis** led the team with 10 tackles (9 solo).
- LB **Pete Werner** finished with eight tackles and a split sack.
- DE **Cameron Jordan**, posted five tackles (two solo), a split sack and two passes defended.
- DE **Carl Granderson** finished with four tackles (two solo), a team-high 1.5 sacks and four quarterback hits.
- Rookie DT **Bryan Bresee**, the team's first round pick, made his NFL debut and had a split sack near the end of the first half.
- LB **D'Marco Jackson** led the team with two special teams tackles.
- Early in the second quarter, LB **Zack Baun** got his hands on a punt that was scored as a punt for one yard, after it deflected out of bounds one yard past the line of scrimmage.
- K **Blake Grupe** drilled three-of-three field goals, including a 52-yarder and one PAT attempt. All five of Grupe's kickoffs sailed into the end zone for touchbacks. Grupe's became the first Saints rookie kicker to drill three field goals in his NFL debut.



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(Opening Statement): “Obviously, it’s a hell of a win for us. I thought our guys showed a lot of fortitude in just hanging in there to keep battling. It’s a really good football team that we just played. They have been, perennially, one of the teams in the AFC that you talk about all the way until the end. I think they’re well coached. I really thought it was a heck of a game, and I was proud of our guys for being able to hang in there and make just enough plays to win it.”

(On the three turnovers): “The guys made some plays. I thought the blocked punt (note scored as one-yard punt by the NFL because it landed out of bounds one yard past the line of scrimmage) gave us a little bit of energy early in the game. Then, I think our guys had opportunities to make plays on the ball, and they finished and capitalized on it. That’s probably something we didn’t execute as much in the previous season, but our guys made some plays when they needed to. It was good to see. Defensively, I thought it was pretty good.”

(On Marshon Lattimore coming out of the game at a certain point) “It wasn’t injury. I’m not sure exactly what it was in terms of why he came out. I think part of it was he got gassed a little bit, which is kind of to be expected. We played a lot of down safety. We played a lot of man to man. He was having to cover receivers every single down. I think he played a hell of a game. I thought our secondary made some plays on the ball. I thought the Titans, everything they got they had to earn. I thought we did a good job up front being able to get a little pressure on the quarterback.”

(On the fourth quarter execution) “The best teams are able to finish in this League. We were able to get into a competitive game in the fourth quarter and make enough plays to win the game. I’m proud of the team for being able to do that.”

(On the dime working defensively against the Titans): “I think it’s a combination of rush and coverage. I thought our guys did a good job of executing the pass rush patterns we had up front. We did a good job of being tight in coverage and not giving them easy completions for the most part. I think that’s the key to good pass defense. You need to have both elements involved there. I thought both elements were there in the game today.”

(On if he wanted the defense to close out the Titans’ last possession): “I wanted to win the game. At that point, the ball’s not in my court, but I was comfortable with whatever outcome we had because I had confidence our offense could run the clock out. That’s exactly what we did.”

(On the Saints’ run game): “I thought we weren’t able to run the ball very effectively at all today. Obviously, that’s a good front we played today. They led the league in terms of run defense last year. We knew it was going to be difficult to run the ball. I thought that made it a little more difficult, in terms of protecting the quarterback, early in the game. I thought we did a much better job as the game wore on of being able to get a little more protection for Derek (Carr). We started to be able to hit a few plays down the field. That’s something we’ve got to improve on. We’re excited about the fact that we won the game against a really good team, yet we know there’s a ton of stuff we have to clean up. There’s a lot of things we have to get better at and a short time to do it. We’re going to enjoy this win, but we’re going to turn our focus to Carolina and get ready for a divisional opponent.”

(On if they made any adjustments in the pass protection): “We made a few adjustments, got a couple of chips over there, particularly to Trevor (Penning), to help him out over there. That’s pretty common in our league. You go in with a plan, you have a few things and you see how things are working. Then, you have to make some adjustments. I thought our offense did a nice job of making a couple of adjustments to get some opportunities to make some plays.”

(On Trevor Penning’s play) “No, I am not concerned. This guy’s going to be a good player. You have a young guy that’s playing against an extremely good front. Does he have to get better? Absolutely. Am I concerned? No. I think we just keep our heads down, keep going to work. We will keep getting better. We will make our evaluations when we get to the end of the season and see where we are at. I think this kid’s going to be just fine.”

(On using the Titans’ strengths to strengthen the Saints’ play) “Our guys have been competing for the last month and a half or so. I thought we had a great camp. I thought our guys worked extremely hard. I thought they were focused on what we had to do in the game. I did think we were a little out of sorts early in the game. We had to kind of calm down a little bit. Once we kind of settled in, we did alright. After the opening kickoff and turning the ball over like we did and have the defense go out

there and force a field goal in that situation against a team who's been a really good red zone offense, I thought that was huge for our confidence for our team."

(On Derek Carr's performance): "I thought there was a lot of good things that I saw. I'm sure there's a few things that we need to look at, maybe get fixed. I think early on in the game, like you said, I don't know we did as good a job as we needed to, in terms of getting protection for (Derek Carr). Once we kind of settled that in a little more, I thought you saw in the second half a little bit more effectiveness in the passing game. We felt like there might be some opportunities downfield. The big pass play there to Rashid (Shaheed) there in the end, obviously the big touchdown pass, those were big plays in the game."

(On Rashid Shaheed's ability to handle the emotional highs and lows of the game): "I think overall (Rashid Shaheed) did well. You have to remember here's another young guy that doesn't have a ton of experience and missed a ton of camp. Look, that's the first time he had ever been tackled since last season. Those are all lessons that you learn. They're much easier lessons to learn off of a win."

(On Blake Grupe's performance): "I thought (Blake) kicked the ball well. The 52-yarder there was a huge kick in the game. That was great to see the kid knock that thing through. I thought he kicked the ball off well. I was pleased with the way he performed."

(On the offensive answer to the Titans throughout the game) "It was big. I think the big difference in the game is obviously the turnover-takeaway ratio. That was one thing that was a big factor in the game. I include the blocked punt in there. If you said that, there were four takeaways in the game, four plays that changed the field position and the momentum of the game. I thought that was huge. With the exception of the kneel-down play in the end, we were 1-of-3 in the red zone. They were 0-for-3 in the red zone in terms of scoring touchdowns. I thought that was a big factor."

(On Carl Granderson): "Carl (Granderson)'s been a guy that's worked extremely hard, and he's just continued to get better and better and better. That's a testament to the way that it works. The guy comes in and he doesn't say a whole lot. He just comes in and does his work, does his job and keeps getting better. He's a guy with talent that's willing to work. I feel like we can help him be a better football player, and he's kind of making his way into that."

(On the pump-and-go) "It was something we felt like we might have an opportunity against them [the Titans]. I thought Pete (Carmichael) called it right at the right time. I thought (Rashid) Shaheed - I don't know if it was the greatest route in the world - he just ran by him. Derek (Carr) put it in a good spot. It was awesome."

(On his trust in Derek Carr, specifically with two minutes left in the game) "I've been saying it. I have confidence in our offense. When it's time to go make the play, we're going to call the plays and make the plays we need to make to win games. I feel confident in our ability to do that."

(On the crowd's impact on the game): "The crowd was awesome. I've said this, I've told Demario (Davis) this. This crowd is the best crowd in football, particularly when we're playing well on defense. That's really our responsibility defensively to keep the crowd in the game. I think they were a big part particularly early in the game."

(On Rashid Shaheed's growth): "(Rashid Shaheed)'s much further along than where he was last year, yet there's so much more growth available for that kid. I just see a ton of potential in him. I don't think he's anywhere near where he can be. I'm excited about continuing to watch him grow as the season goes on."

(On Shaheed's knowledge to let the clock wind down) "Look, a couple of things - I thought there was excellent communication going on from Pete (Carmichael) to Derek (Carr) and Derek to the guys in the huddle. We all knew exactly what we needed to do on each one of those plays. We all knew the importance of staying in bounds. Obviously, he executed the play just like we would've liked him to."

(On the defense containing Derrick Henry): "Overall, I thought we did a hell of a job. One screen play got out on us. That would be probably one play I'd like to have back. Other than that, overall, I thought, we did a pretty good job of minimizing what they were able to do offensively."



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(On if this game slipped away) “Well, I don’t know about that. We’ve got to play a lot better. We have to come up with some more plays on third down, defensively. We have to match another defense that is excellent. We didn’t win the kicking game; and, certainly didn’t do good in the red zone offensively. Then, when we needed to get a stop, we were counting on our defense. They played well all day. We had the hiccup down there in the red zone where (on) third down, they (the Saints) scored a touchdown. We will have to play better, and we will. And, we will coach better. I don’t think we gave one away. We just (had) too many mistakes.”

(On his assessment of the quarterback play) “Well, coaching and quarterback play, line play, defensive play, everybody (has to do better). It’s just never going to be about one guy. I told them at halftime. We have to block better. We have to get into our routes better. We have to get open quicker. And we have to throw the ball better. The runners have to run better. That is what it is always going to be. Everybody is tied in. Week One, we found some adversity. It’s a great challenge on the road. When we handled the environment, we were able to hit some plays. Unfortunately, it got behind the sticks with too many long situations, too many third and longs, which led to not enough conversions.”

(On the defensive play) “Not good enough. Not good enough. (We) gave up a touchdown, just like I said, on third down. If we want to be a great defense, you have to be a great defense all of the time. We tried to put the game in their hands (the defense). I thought that we would get a stop. They (the Saints) had 49 rushing yards when we made the decision to kick. I thought that we would get a stop. I thought that we would find a way to get it inside the 40 and kick a field goal to win the game. That’s what I believed.”

(On Ryan Tannehill’s decision making today) “We just have to be more decisive in all three phases and figure out what allows our players to play decisive and play better, especially in an environment like this Ryan will be better. We will coach better. We will get open quicker. And, we will block a little longer than we did today going forward, because that’s what we have to do.”

(On if it was a momentum switch when not converting on the flea flicker) “We hit some plays and we don’t hit some plays. We didn’t hit it. Our job is to, as a team, as a coaching staff, as players, is to go try to make a play and get back to center (whether it’s a) positive play (or a) negative play so that those things don’t add up. I don’t know if that was a momentum switch, but, certainly, it’s a play that we have to hit and would’ve liked to have hit.”

(On if the officials blowing the Titans’ fumble recovery dead was a momentum-changer) “Whatever it is, they’re going to let it play out. Next week, that’s going to be a fumble. Then the next week it’s going to be an incomplete pass, then the next week it’s going to be a fumble. So, if you’re asking me that we should let replay sort it (out), I would tell you that we should let replay sort it out. You can go back and show the team a lot of things that we covered came up today. (We were) trying to recover the ball. I was proud of the way Kevin (Byard) didn’t flinch and went and got the ball, and the way that tried to affect the quarterback. It just did not go our way. They called (the dropped ball) incomplete. Once it goes to replay, they need obvious evidence that it wasn’t a pass.”

(On what constitutes a throw in that situation) “I could sit here and debate it. What needs to happen is that we all understand that the call on the field is critical. After that, you need clear and obvious evidence to overrule the call on the field. It was a good play there by the defense, but (we) didn’t get there quick enough. Again, that wasn’t the reason that we lost today,”

(On how banged up was Kristian Fulton and why he went back into the game) “He and the trainers said that he could go back in. You’ve got 48 guys on gameday. Two of them are quarterbacks. Three of them are specialists. When professional athletes tell us that they can go back in, whether it’s Jeff Simmons), Kristian, on and on and on, they get checked out and if they can come back and play, then we put them back in.”

(On if there was a reason why the team didn’t run Derrick Henry more in the second half) “He tried to run a few, and we weren’t overly successful. (We were) getting into some longer yardage situations and had some called that gave us a look that we had to check out of. Derrick is going to help us, and we’ve got to find ways to keep running the football, be a little better when we throw it, and find a way to get him a screen today like we did.”



(On if the passing game was not in a rhythm because it's the season opener) "We could find a million excuses. All that excuses are going to do is make you feel better today. What we need to do is have accountability and some discipline as we move forward to make today hard, but, hopefully, tomorrow a little easier down the stretch as we move forward."

(On how he evaluates the offensive line moving forward) "The same way I evaluate every position. We didn't coach better than the Saints. We didn't play better in the critical situations. Every position group, every player is going to have some good plays and some bad plays. We've got to eliminate the ones that's going to get us beat."

(On the mistake on the blocked punt-note scored as a one-yard punt because it went out of bounds past the line of scrimmage) "Missed a block. Missed a guy on the up and under, the inside out."

(On what he likes about Tyjae Spears) "I love who he is as a person. I love his attitude. I love the fact that he's given himself to this team. I love seeing him every day. I knew that he was talented. He will help us win."

(On what did the Saints defense do to prevent the Titans from converting in the red zone) "We just didn't really get into the drives. Once we hit into the red zone, we kind of stalled out there, kind of out at the high red. We never got really inside the ten to where we could feel good about scoring touchdowns."



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#### WIDE RECEIVER/RETURN SPECIALIST RASHID SHAHEED

That big third down connection there at the end, what was the mindset going into that play and what did you see? “Yeah, so it was funny. Derek (Carr) before the possession started, he came right up to me. And he was like, just run as fast as you can and I'm going to throw it. I knew going out there that he was going to give me an opportunity, and I was able to create some separation through a great ball and I was able to get two feet in and maintain that drive and maintain that win.

On the touchdown, how much have you guys been sitting on that one and sort of waiting for the right opportunity? “I felt like we were waiting for forever. I kind of had it in the back of my mind. I knew that the play was going to be called, it was just a matter of when and I knew that I had to execute and the play was perfectly executed. Derek saw me open and he delivered a great ball and all I had to do was catch it.”

It looked like you kind of stutter stepped a little bit in front of the guy and sort of caught him flat footed. Is that what you saw? “Yeah, that was the plan once I saw him flat footed. No, I knew that I could just burst by him and score a touchdown.”

Speak to the difference in how you felt pre-game beginning of last year to the pre-game of this year as well as the confidence level. “Yeah, no, I was so confident. I was just out there having fun, just enjoying the moment, not getting too caught up in any of the stuff, just going out and playing football. I felt completely different, I wasn't in my mind. I wasn't thinking, I just knew that I was prepared and I was going to come out and play the best game that I can.”

Was the game a little slower? “It was 100%.”

How do you analyze your work on film? “Yeah, like I just said, the game is slowing down a lot. I've been taking more time in the film room and spending more time just focusing on the little things and I knew that, going into the season, that will take me to the next level. There's still a lot of work to do, but I'm definitely proud of how far I came.”

How do you feel emotionally, from the opening kickoff to the touchdown to one of the clutch plays in the game? “Yeah, emotions were everywhere. It was a hard fought game and (there is) a lot of stuff that we have to clean up, but we got the win, that's all that matters and the emotions are high right now. We are going to enjoy this for the time being, but we know that we got to get back to work next week. Got a tough opponent. The emotions were kind of up and down. My teammates kind of kept my head high after the turnover on the first play, and I knew I was going to receive more opportunities, so I just had to make the most of them.”

Did that take a minute to get past that? Like, what is your process to get past that? “You kind of just got to just shove it in the dirt, move on to the next play. I knew that I was going to get more opportunities in the back of my head and I knew that there's plenty more game to play. So that's kind of what I was thinking.”

On the kickoffs, do you kind of have that opportunity to kind of make that decision the ball's in the air about whether you want to take it out? “Yeah, absolutely Riz (Darren Rizzi) gives me full go on that, whether to take it out or keep it. He believes in me and he believes in my decisions.”

## LINEBACKER DEMARIO DAVIS

**Opening Statement:** “Oh man, I got a lot to say. So, buckle up. I started to realize something. Man, we played his game on Sundays. And it's really the Lord's day. And when the day we should be worshiping the Lord, a lot of times players are getting worship, and we get to go on his ballfield. So, since so many of us didn't get to go to church today, I have a word that I want to share. It's a little untraditional so like I said, buckle up.

Revelations 3:20 says, “See I stand at the door and knock, if anyone hears My voice and opens the door, I will come in and dine with him and eat with him and He with me.”

I want to tell you all about a knock that I heard this week.

“A lot of people don't know this, but on Friday, my daughter, she's four years old, had her third epilepsy seizure attack. This is my same daughter who survived retinoblastoma. She's been totally cleared from that, but she had her third seizure. And it's been almost two years. She was about a month away if she would have had no seizures for one more month then she would have been off of the medicine, but now we have to start that clock all the way over. It was on Friday when there was a bunch of kids over at the house and she was playing and I noticed something was off. I told her momma I thought she was having a seizure and her mom is pretty good. She saw it, my wife, and we took her in the room, didn't want to cause a scene, and she started to foam at the mouth. It was her worst seizure. For 30 minutes She seized and we had to call the paramedics and they came. So, over a course of time, in a total of 30 minutes, they got her in. My wife got into the (medical vehicle) paramedics with her, and I got behind them driving. You can imagine all the thoughts that are racing through your mind as the last sight you see of your daughter is she's totally out of it. Got to the hospital and my wife told me that my daughter stopped breathing in the car twice, so I am of course praying. We get to the hospital. They give her a bunch of medicine so that the seizure stops. She's laying there. And at this point if she seize for 30 minutes you start to fear there could be development issues that could mess with the brain. She stopped breathing, there was no oxygen going into her brain. You know you're starting to think about her speech could be slurred or anything or worse. So we prayed and we prayed and she had medicine and my wife and I had to stay overnight at the hospital. And in the middle of the night, probably about 3:00, I heard a knock. The knock was my daughter. I pray for her. I said, “God, let this just be an attack from the enemy.” They are just trying to be a distraction and let him have overplayed his hand and my daughter come back stronger than before. When I heard my daughter talk in the middle of the night, and my daughter she doesn't have any developed development issues, Praise God. She doesn't have any slurred speech prior to this. She woke up talking clear that she was talking before and anyone who has dealt with epilepsy knows that it takes a few days for them to come back. You know usually they can get back to normal wherever they were, but it takes a couple of days. They're groggy, it's a lot, because what their body's like is like the TV, just static in your brain. She was talking clearer than before and it was three o'clock when we heard her talk and we let her talk for about 20 minutes we said, “Hey baby, it's nighttime. Let's go back to sleep.” I just started saying praise God, praise God. The next morning, when she got up, my daughter was so sharp. She was able to talk to me (and) her mom, I mean clear conversation. She's sharp for a four year old, no stuttering, all her words clear. And my daughter, like I said my daughter was already sharp, she was sharper than before. And if any of you were able to have a conversation with my daughter, you wouldn't know anything had ever happened. We had a birthday party for my seven year old daughter that day, and she got to be released from the hospital. She came back home and it was as if nothing was happening. She was playing with the kids the day before, she had the worst seizure that she had ever had, and the next day she's back out there playing with the kids. Now of course we can't let her get overstimulated. We have to keep bringing her in, had to keep cooling her down. Can't let her do too much just because of protocol. But when I tell you I got a chance to hear a knock from God. And what I want to share is, we get to play this game and it's great. There's so many amazing things that have happened in that game, and everybody wants to hear about them, but when we leave this game, we go back to being regular people. Regular people are living life, and people are waiting for a knock. And the word says, who Jesus is, he's knocking at the door. All you got to do is get up. So on the way, man, I'm nervous, but I'm praying and I'm trusting and I'm believing and I'm asking for my daughter to make it through. I'm not asking that she's better than before. God gave me just what I asked for plus some. I was blown away. And at that point, I knew what the game was already. The game was gonna take care of itself. My knock had already been answered. And I just want people to know, like if you got stuff going on in your life, lay it

before the Lord. Lay it before the Lord and trust and be expecting to have a knock. The word says what you have to do is, you have to get up and open the door. He's not going to open the door for you. He's going to knock, but you have to be listening and waiting for the knock and when you see it, you have to get up and open the door and your blessing is going to be there. I'll be here to talk about football next week. I wish y'all well, Happy Sunday, and Praise God."

Thank you

## **QUARTERBACK DEREK CARR**

Q: Your thoughts on the first game? "It was a lot of fun. We won and that's all I wanted to do, and that was one of the more physical games I've played in my 10 years, very physical football game up in the trenches. But proud of our guys where we bounced back in the second half, and we're able to get that win."

Q: On that last drive do you want that shot to go to Rashid to try to put the game away? "Yeah. Well, me and Pete (Carmichael) talked about on the sideline, and I told Pete that was a play that I liked and he trusted, Shid (Rashid Shaheed) and I to make the play, and the offensive line gave me time to throw it. And when he's that fast, I just was just trying to throw it out of bounds and he ran a great route, caught it. It's exciting, but that goes back to Pete's trust on us. He asked me what I liked throughout the game. Before that drive, that was something that I really liked and he called it. So, he has a lot of trust in us as players and that means a lot as a player."

Q: What did you see on the touchdown throw to Shaheed? "Great route by Shid, ran a double move, came over, motion, double move. I tried to give a little pump fake when he was settling his feet to try and get the corner to stop, and Shid is so fast that it is really tough on a corner to get back started when he gets going. Shid ran a great route. Again, that's another play that Pete had called up, dialed up. I really, really enjoyed working with him and his demeanor throughout the game because you kind of know what's coming and you know what to expect. He calls them and he counts on us to make plays for him."

Q: What does it say about Shaheed to be able to bounce back from opening kickoff and be available to help make those plays to get you guys a touchdown? "Well, it's very veteran thing of him to do. It is a very, very grown up thing. Usually when young guys make a mistake early, it's hard to get them back focused. It is hard to get them back right for the rest of the game. That is just the NFL. It is just overtime, you see that. He made that play and no one blinked, no one flinched. But I was really proud of him. When something like that happens, his mindset, his demeanor was great. So, when something like that happens like man, I hope he gets to make some plays after to get that confidence back. But from what it looked like to me, he didn't lose any because he came out and caught a lot of passes for us in some big situations."

Q: What does this mean for the offense as your first live game of meaningful action? "The exciting part was that everyone wanted to talk about the weapons and throwing the ball down the field, all that kind of stuff that things we've been doing in camp, but this we showed that we could win the ultimate physical type of game, right? Yeah, we showed that we can win a physical football game, and we're going to have to be able to win in any kind of different way. I'm just glad that we hopefully got that one out of the way."

Q: How proud are you to be able to execute the drive to run out the clock and seal the deal? Well, it felt really good, obviously. You can tell I wear my emotions on my sleeve sometimes, so I was really excited, fired up. The one that got me the most excited was the run that creased at the end, because that is the one that did it. The O-Line called it right, they blocked it right, and Jamaal (Williams) made the right cut and got down. He did exactly what coach asked, get the first and get down. That right there is what makes me proud because it's the game on the line. We get this, we win, and we didn't have to put the defense back out there. That makes me happy."

Q: Talk about your connection with Chris Olave as well as Michael Thomas? "Yeah, I think today was awesome because the ball spread around so much. Chris obviously went over 100 and that's fantasy people's favorite thing ever. When we can spread it out, no matter who gets the 100, no matter who gets the touchdown. As long as we keep that mindset of big team little me. Hopefully we will see a lot of good days for Chris and Shid and Mike and Juwan (Johnson) and everybody. Everybody made

their plays when they were called upon, that is good to see for a quarterback because now I can trust them all. Now if they're doubling hammer, they're playing robber, I can go to this guy and I can trust him to win. It helps me with my decision making for sure.

Q: Can you explain what you saw on that last drive to win the game? "Yeah, that's all Pete Carmichael, just trust in us as players. It's a play that we talked all game and before that drive was a play that him and I had talked about, and I was like Pete I love this. What was awesome about that is that this is our first game really playing together with all the situations, all the scenarios, game on the line and he trusted us to make a play. As a player, that means so much to us that he would trust us in that situation and go get that for him and for the team. Hopefully we can continue to do that because he showed us that he trusts us, so we got to keep proving to him every week that we can earn that."

So, it was designed to go to Shid on that play? "Yeah, if they gave it to us. If we had the one on one and a good release, but if not, we had something else. We were trying to get it to Shid."

Q: So, you guys had been sitting on that double move, the one that turned into the touchdown? What was sort of the origin of that, like did you guys talk about that last night or something? Or in the last few days, when did you identify that and know that was something you wanted to go to? "Well, we saw something in practice a couple weeks ago. We thought it would be kind of cool if we did this and sure enough, as you watch the tape, it looks kind of good in this situation to call it. We ran it at practice and we actually didn't connect on it in practice funny enough, but today we connected and those are the ones that matter."

Q: What about the defense, just the way how they played and what that does for you as a Quarterback? "If they don't play that well and we lose the game, everybody's mad at me, and rightfully so. That's how it should be as a quarterback. This is the ultimate team game. It takes all 11 on the field at once, all three phases. All three phases had some plays that they'd like back, but all three phases played their butt off and played physical and grinded and did everything they could to win. Yes, I'm so proud of our defense. Yes, I'm so thankful with the takeaways that they got and kind of washed ours away and helped us in that. They would say they expect us to finish the game just like we expect them to get us the ball back. As long as we keep that expectation for each other, knowing that, hey, if it doesn't happen, we got your back, we'll take care of it. Keep that kind of mindset. I think we're going to have a good season."

Q: Talk about how physical it was during the game. Tell us a little bit about your ability to maybe sit in that pocket a little bit longer in the second half and make some of those throws? "Well, that's all the offensive line. I try my best to not be a statue back there to let my guys get open and let them run and when I have to get out, try and go get as many yards as I can and or make a play with throwing it. But they did a great job in the second half. This is without watching the film too. In the second half it just felt better, the timing of things, whatever. However it worked out, it was just better and very proud of those guys. I think everybody offense, defense, or everybody felt a little rusty that it's week one and you hate to say that but it always happens. We cleaned it up really fast and we're able to bounce back to get the win."

Q: You have been waiting for this game for a long time. How did it feel emotionally to finally get that first touchdown after grinding it out? "Yeah, it felt great. But again, in that situation that was the expectation. We got to score, we have to get a touchdown to win this game, and thankfully we did. I just try my best until the game's over to stay here. I guess I get emotional after that touchdown. It's like so far in my head. I'm like, oh, cool, first touchdown. And then like, literally half a second later it's out. It's like okay, now what do I have to do next. The best part about it is that we win the game. We won the game. That's literally the only reason I came here and wanted to play this game so bad was to win. This game, so that we can hopefully continue to keep stacking them."

Q: What was your view of Mike from today? "I love Mike, the ultimate competitor. On gameday, I love the communication that we have. It's a different level man. He reminds me so much of Devante (Adams), the way that they both approach the game and it makes sense because they're two of the best receivers in the whole league. His mentality, his violent route running. You saw the one he caught over the middle on second down to get us back into a third and manageable and took a shot. He told me, he's like if you have to throw it in there, throw in there and he let me throw it in there. He took the hit and he bounced up. Just that mentality that he brings elevates everybody on offense. It means man I got to do that for us too, I have to match that. And I'm just so proud of him. I know it's

been a long road for Mike, now (to) be able to start the game off big down the sideline, I know how much that meant to him. But knowing Mike he couldn't care less. He cares about the next rep. I think that's what we've all fallen in love with Mike (for0 and I'm the same. I haven't been around him as much as y'all but it didn't take long for me to see what he was about."

Q: What makes Mike's communication a little bit different or something that stands out that he does?  
"He sees things that a quarterback sees. He sees things from certain reps and certain routes. Like he was like a third in the progression on that one, but now I know if these are shut out, I know he's going to do it. Right when we see that, so it just helps you so much. You get to him quicker. You know even on that third down, I almost gave him a hand signal just because I saw something. There was one earlier in the game where I gave him a hand signal. He ran it perfect. We were about to hit it when they hit the ball. I wish we had that play for Mike, but I don't know, he just sees things the way I want him as a quarterback to and it's really impressive.

Q: What happened on that interception? "I was dumb. I was way too excited just to be honest with you. I know it's funny right now because we won, but it wasn't funny at the moment. I took it very seriously, but that was just about me being stupid."





## POSTGAME NOTES AND QUOTES

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#### QUARTERBACK RYAN TANNEHILL

(on the mistakes) "It is a sick feeling in your gut. We did not go out and play the way that we wanted to play. We weren't good enough in the red zone. We had missed opportunities. There were a couple of bright spots, but as a whole we have to be better in a lot of different areas."

(on if he can walk through the interceptions) "It doesn't really matter. You can walk through. It doesn't matter what happened. They were turnovers. We have to eliminate those to give us a chance to win the game."

(on if the timing was off) "It was definitely a factor. Things play out a little differently in practices than they do in the game. We just have to do a better job of being consistent as we can. We have those reps in practice and we need to make sure when we carry them to the game that we are all on the same page. We need to execute those plays in critical situations."

(on if he felt off) "Obviously, we had a couple of missed opportunities. Those hurt. You have to be able to hit those. I'm obviously not happy about it, but I will go back to work and get it corrected. I'll be ready next week."

(on the pressure of their defensive front) "They did good. There were certain times that we had a good pocket and we were able to get the ball down field a little bit. We knew coming in that it was going to be a tough front to block. They had a good pressure package. There are some things we can build on there for sure."

(on if him not playing in the preseason contributed to the slow start) "I don't think so. We receive a ton of reps in practice. We just need to carry it over from practice and being consistent coming out on Sundays."

(on working with the new offense) "It all works together. We have to be on the same page. We have to be good on the ball. Guys have to be in the right spots with the timing. It is something that we have to continue to work through and we will. We will be ready to go next week."

#### RUNNING BACK DERRICK HENRY

(on today's game) "They were the better team today. We didn't take advantage of the opportunities that we had. They did. All the credit goes to them. We have to be better."

(on working off the rust) "I felt pretty good. As far the offense, we just have to go out there and put some plays together. It is going to take all 11 of us to be on the same page. The playmakers need to make plays when they are there. We know that. We all hold each other accountable. We just have to be better. We will watch the film and be ready for next week."

(on if it feels weird being off the field on first down) "No, not at all. We have some playmakers who are good with the ball when it's in their hands. You give the guys the ball and they have some opportunities. I'm excited to see those guys in there making some plays. We are a team and it is going to take all of us."

(on if he's frustrated on the limited touches in the second half) "No, not at all. Coach (Vrabel) trusts what we do. We have some playmakers. We have guys who can do special things when they get the ball. Everybody needs to touch the ball. Its not all about me."

(on playing in this environment) "Whenever you are in the red zone, you have got to put plays together to get some points in the end zone to give ourselves a chance. We kept shooting ourselves

in the foot with penalties and things like that. We need to be better on third down as well. We need to put some explosive plays together in the run game and the pass game. I think we will watch the film and see what we need to do better and go out there and do it.”

(on what the Saints were doing better) “They were playing better defense. They got to the ball and put a hat on a hat. They did a great job and got the W.”

(on what the issues were in the red zone) “We try to put it back together and then we have a self-inflicted wound. Then, we are back 10 yards. We have to be efficient. We have to be more detailed. We have to have more discipline and string those plays together to get into the endzone.”

(on if he is concerned) “I’m not concerned at all. I thought we had opportunities to go score and we just need to do better as an offense. I’m not concerned at all. It’s just one game in week. We will see where we are at and what we need to work on. We’ll do those things throughout the week and come out next week and turn it around.”