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NEW YORK GIANTS (1-2)



NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS (1-2)

August 31, 2017

7:30 p.m. ET

Gillette Stadium • Foxborough, MA

2017 Schedule			
Date	Opponent	Result	TV
PRESEASON			
8/11	PITTSBURGH	20-12 (L)	WNBC
8/21	at Cleveland	10-6 (L)	ESPN
8/26	JETS	32-31 (W)	WNBC
8/31	at New England	7:30 PM	WNBC
REGULAR SEASON			
9/10	at Dallas	8:30 PM	NBC
9/18	DETROIT	8:30 PM	ESPN
9/24	at Philadelphia	1:00 PM	FOX
10/1	at Tampa Bay	4:05 PM	FOX
10/8	LA CHARGERS	1:00 PM	CBS
10/15	at Denver	8:30 PM	NBC
10/22	SEATTLE	4:25 PM	CBS
10/29	BYE WEEK		
11/5	LA RAMS	1:00 PM	CBS
11/12	at San Francisco	4:25 PM*	FOX
11/19	KANSAS CITY	1:00 PM*	CBS
11/23	at Washington	8:30 PM*	NBC
12/3	at Oakland	4:25 PM*	FOX
12/10	DALLAS	4:25 PM*	FOX
12/17	PHILADELPHIA	1:00 PM*	FOX
12/24	at Arizona	4:25 PM*	FOX
12/31	WASHINGTON	1:00 PM*	FOX

*Game Subject to NFL Flex Scheduling

All Times Eastern

2017 OPPONENTS

The 2017 NFL scheduling formula has the Giants playing both the AFC and NFC West. In addition to their home-and-home series with NFC East rivals Dallas, Philadelphia and Washington, the Giants will host the Los Angeles Rams, Seattle, Kansas City, the Los Angeles Chargers and Detroit, who finished second in the NFC North. Last season, the Giants' longest trip was to Dallas. This year, they will travel to Arizona, San Francisco, Denver and Oakland, as well as Tampa Bay, which clinched second place in the NFC South.

Home	2016 Record	Away	2016 Record
Dallas	13-3	Dallas	13-3
Washington	8-7	Washington	8-7
Philadelphia	7-9	Philadelphia	7-9
LA Rams	4-12	Arizona	7-8
Seattle	10-5	San Francisco	2-14
Kansas City	12-4	Denver	9-7
LA Chargers	5-11	Oakland	12-4
Detroit	9-7	Tampa Bay	9-7

GIANTS vs. PATRIOTS

The Giants will travel to New England to face the Patriots in their preseason finale on Thursday, Aug. 31. This will be the 13th consecutive year the two teams will close the preseason against one another. Last year, the Giants prevailed, beating the Patriots, 17-9, at home. The Giants also lead the preseason series, 17-9, since their first preseason meeting in 1971.

THIS WEEK'S MEDIA SCHEDULE

Tuesday, August 29

11:20 a.m. — 1:30 p.m. — Practice
1:35 p.m. — Ben McAdoo available
1:40 p.m. — 2:25 p.m. — Player Interviews

Wednesday, August 30

No Availability
Travel to New England

Thursday, August 31

7:30 p.m. — Giants at Patriots

Friday, September 1

T.B.D. — Select Players Conference Call
T.B.D. — Ben McAdoo Conference Call

Saturday, September 2

(Roster cut-down to 53 players by 4 p.m.)
No Availability
Players Off

Sunday, September 3

(Clubs may establish a Practice Squad after 1 p.m.)
No Availability
Players Off

TV BROADCAST

This week's game will be televised on WNBC 4NY. Bob Papa will call the play-by-play and Carl Banks will provide the analysis. Bruce Beck will report from the sidelines.

GIANTS RADIO NETWORK

This week's game will be broadcast on radio on WCBS 880. Chris Carri-
no will call the play-by-play and Howard Cross will provide the analy-
sis. Paul Dottino will report from the sidelines.

GIANTS ON THE WEB

Giants.com is the only place to watch live broadcasts of Head Coach Ben McAdoo's press conferences, player spotlight features and more. Follow @Giants on Twitter, Instagram @nygiants and 'Like' the Giants on Facebook.com/NewYorkGiants. Download the FREE Giants Mobile App to get Giants news on the go 24/7! Sign up for the Giants.com E-News-
letter, which features weekly game preview information at Giants.com/
Newsletter.

MEDIA GUIDE

The electronic version of the Giants 2017 Media guide is available online,
please visit: media.giants.com.

2017 WHAT TO WATCH FOR

Giants:

- Aim for 2nd consecutive 10-win season, for the first time since 2007-2008 season.
- Aim to win the NFC East for the first time since 2011.

Head Coach Ben McAdoo:

- Aims for 2nd consecutive 10-win season and first for the team since Tom Coughlin led the team to consecutive 10-win seasons from 2007-08.
- Aims for 2nd consecutive postseason berth and the first coach to do it in the first two years with the team since Allie Sherman.

QB Eli Manning:

- Aims for 4th consecutive season completing at least 62% of his passes.
- Aims for 4th consecutive season with at least 375 completions.
- Aims for 4th consecutive season with at least 4,000 yards passing.
- Aims for 4th consecutive season with a passer rating of at least 85.0.
- Aims for 4th consecutive season with at least 25 passing touchdowns.
- Needs 30 touchdown passes to become 6th player to ever to reach 350.
- Needs 23 touchdown passes (320) to pass Pro Football Hall of Famer Fran Tarkenton (342) for 6th most touchdown passes all-time.

WR Odell Beckham Jr.:

- Aims for 4th consecutive season with at least 90 receptions.
- Aims for 4th consecutive season with at least 10 receiving touchdowns.
- Aims for 4th consecutive season with at least 1,300 receiving yards.
- Aims for 42nd consecutive game with at least 3 receptions.
- Needs one multi-receiving TD game (9) to move into sole possession of 1st place in Giants history.
- Needs 12 receptions (288) to reach 300 career receptions.
- Needs 5 touchdowns receptions to reach 40 for his career.
- Needs four 100-yard receiving games (19) to pass Amani Toomer (22) for most 100-yard receiving games in franchise history.

WR Brandon Marshall:

- Needs 7 touchdown receptions (82) to pass Pro Football Hall of Famer Don Maynard for 13th most touchdown receptions all-time.
- Needs 1,000 yards receiving (12,061) to move past Irving Fryar (12,785) for 19th most receiving yards all-time.
- Needs 59 receptions (941) to reach 1,000 for his career, which would make him the 15th player ever to reach the mark.
- Needs 18 touchdown receptions (82) to reach 100 for his career.
- Aims for 11th consecutive season with at least 55 receptions.

WR Sterling Shepard:

- Aims for 2nd consecutive season with at least 65 receptions.
- Aims for 2nd consecutive season with at least 600 yards receiving and the first with at least 500 yards consecutively since Odell Beckham Jr.
- Aims for 2nd consecutive season with at least 8 touchdown receptions.

CB Janoris Jenkins:

- Needs 2 interceptions (13) to reach 15 for his career.
- Aims for 3rd consecutive season with at least 3 interceptions.
- Aims for 3rd consecutive season with at least 15 passes defensed.

CB Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie:

- Aims for 5th consecutive season with at least 2 interceptions.

DE Jason Pierre-Paul:

- Needs 11.0 sacks (50.0) to pass Justin Tuck (60.5) for 6th-most sacks all-time in Giants history.

DE Olivier Vernon:

- Aims for 5th consecutive season with at least 6.5 sacks.
- Needs 12.5 sacks (37.5) to reach 50.0 for his career.



BIG BLUE IN THE COMMUNITY

"To whom much is given, much is asked."

- Jay Bromley

Jay Bromley, understands the impact he can make both on and off the football field. The four-year veteran dedicated his offseason to making a positive difference in the lives of families in the greater New York community.



On April 3, Bromley visited the Covenant House in Newark, NJ, an agency that provides food, shelter and care for homeless, runaway and trafficked youth. During his visit, Bromley spent time with the kids as they enjoyed lunch courtesy of the New York Giants. He also provided the kids with new clothes and sneakers.

On May 6, Bromley hosted his 2nd Annual Youth Football Camp in his hometown of Flushing, Queens. The camp, a free event for kids ages 11-17, was attended by more than 200 local children looking to learn the game of football. Throughout the day, the kids took part in various football drills with Bromley's fellow teammates DT Damon Harrison, QB Josh Johnson, RB Orleans Darkwa, DT Robert Thomas, DE Kerry Wynn and DE Romeo Okwara. The children also had the opportunity to take part in a punting competition with the New York Giants players.



"You have to be a better example for the kids on and off the field, not just teaching them things about football, which is kind of easier to learn."

- Jay Bromley



On June 1, Bromley traveled to the Speedway School in Newark, NJ to deliver prescription eyeglasses to children identified as having vision trouble. In partnership with Vision to Learn, a nonprofit organization that provides free eye exams and glasses through mobile eye clinics, Bromley helped launch the project in Newark Public Schools that will provide over 7,000 vision screenings, 2,400 eye exams and 2,215 pairs of glasses in the first year. Throughout the day, Bromley visited and took pictures with the kids.

"Now that I have glasses, I realize that reading isn't as much of a challenge and I read more books. And I really enjoy reading books more often."

- Jay Bromley

2016 SEASON IN REVIEW



2016 NEW YORK GIANTS SEASON NOTES

By Michael Eisen

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — Notes, statistics and milestones from the Giants' 2016 season.

*The Giants finished their regular season with an 11-5 record and a second-place finish in the NFC East, after finishing 6-10 and in third place in both 2014 and 2015. The five-game improvement in victories is their biggest since 2005, when they were also 11-5 one year after finishing 6-10.

*The Giants qualified for their first playoff berth since 2011, when they won Super Bowl XLVI. It was their 32nd postseason appearance, tying them with Dallas and Green Bay for the most in NFL history. The Giants' season ended with a 38-13 loss to the Packers in an NFC Wild Card game.

*The Giants finished 7-1 at home, their best record in the seven-year history of MetLife Stadium (previous best: 6-2 in 2012) and their best home record since they were 7-1 in Giants Stadium in 2008.

*The Giants won their last six home games, their longest such streak since they won their first six games at home in 2008.

*The Giants were 4-4 on the road, their best record as visitors since 2011, when they were 5-3. They were 3-5 on the road in each of the previous four seasons.

*The Giants finished 4-2 in NFC East games, their best record within the division since they were 4-2 in 2013. Their 2-1 record in division road games was their best since they were 2-1 in 2013.

*With their 27-23 victory against Baltimore on Oct. 16, the Giants became the third NFL franchise with 700 combined regular-season and postseason victories. At the conclusion of their 92nd season, the Giants were 708-597-33. The Green Bay Packers are 764-575-37, and the Chicago Bears are 761-586-42.

The Giants' milestone victories:

DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE	WIN #
10/25/1936	PHILADELPHIA EAGLES	21-17	100
12/16/1951	NEW YORK YANKS	27-17	200
11/01/1964	ST. LOUIS CARDINALS	34-17	300
09/02/1984	PHILADELPHIA EAGLES	28-27	400
10/17/1993	PHILADELPHIA EAGLES	21-10	500
11/20/2005	PHILADELPHIA EAGLES	27-17	600
10/16/2016	BALTIMORE RAVENS	27-23	700

*The Giants were 8-3 in games decided by seven points or less. The eight victories tied them with four other teams for the most in the NFL (Detroit, Houston, Oakland, and Miami).

*The Giants won an NFL-high six games when scoring no more than 20 points.

*The Giants were second in the NFL with 284 points allowed, one season after they were ranked 30th after giving up 442 points, the second-highest total in franchise history. The 158-point decrease in points allowed was by far the NFL's highest; Philadelphia was second with a 99-point drop. The Giants were the first NFL team to allow at least 158 fewer points than the previous season since the 2002 Indianapolis Colts (173 points).

*The Giants allowed 17.8 points per game, the lowest average by their opponents since 2002, when they gave up 17.4 points a game.

*The Giants allowed an NFL-low 26 touchdowns (including a league-low 25 opposing offensive touchdowns). They allowed 15 touchdown passes in 2016 (after giving up 31 the previous year). That was the NFL's second-lowest total, behind Denver's 13 touchdown passes allowed.

*The Giants allowed less than 20 points eight times, their highest total since 2008, when they also did it eight times.

*The Giants ranked 10th in the NFL, allowing 5,435 yards (339.7 a game), one season after finishing 32nd by yielding a franchise-record 6,725 yards (420.3 a game). The 1,290-yard improvement was the league's best; the Eagles were second with 942 fewer yards allowed. The Giants were the first team to give up at least 1,290 fewer yards than the previous season since the 2013 New Orleans Saints (2,151).

*The Giants held their final eight opponents to less than 400 total yards, their longest such streak in a single season since 2013.

*The Giants held their opponents to less than 100 rushing yards in 10 games, their highest total since they did it 10 times in 2001.

*Giants opponents had 297 first downs, 69 fewer than they had in 2015.

*With Eli Manning throwing every pass, the Giants had 598 attempts (the fifth-highest total in franchise history) and 377 completions (third-highest total). The Giants' completion percentage of 63.0 was the second-highest in franchise history, just behind the record of 63.1 set in 2014, and just ahead of the 62.9 rate in 2015.

*The Giants allowed 22 sacks — five fewer than in 2015 — the third-lowest total in the league after Oakland (18) and Pittsburgh (21).

*The Giants rushed for 1,412 yards (88.3 a game) in 2016, their lowest total since they ran for 1,332 yards in 2013.

*The Giants were 7-0 when they had at least 25 rushing attempts.

*The Giants did not score 30 points in any game in 2016, the first time that happened since 2001.

*The Giants scored fewer than 20 points in each of their final five regular-season games, their longest such streak since they had five in a row from Nov. 14-Dec. 12, 2004. They also scored 13 points in their postseason game.

*Giants kickers Josh Brown and Robbie Gould combined to make 21 of 22 field goal attempts, a team-record 95.5 percent success rate. The previous mark of 93.8 percent was set in 2015.

*The Giants' net punting average of 40.9 yards was their highest since it became an official statistic in 1976. The previous mark of 40.2 yards was set in 2008.

*Giants opponents threw 630 passes and completed 369, both the second-highest totals ever against the team. Both records were set in 2015 (638 attempts, 423 completions).

*Opponents kicked 34 field goals, the highest single-season total ever against the Giants. The previous record of 31 field goals was set in 2015.

*The Giants were highly-decorated award winners in 2016. Defensive tackle Damon (Snacks) Harrison and safety Landon Collins were selected to the Associated Press 2016 NFL All-Pro team. They were the Giants' initial first-team All-Pro's since defensive end Jason Pierre-Paul in 2011. The Giants also had four players named to the second team: wide receiver Odell Beckham, Jr., defensive end Olivier Vernon, and cornerbacks Janoris Jenkins and Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie.

*Beckham, Jenkins, Collins, and special teamer Dwayne Harris were voted to the NFC Pro Bowl team. Beckham played in the game for the third time in as many seasons; he is the first Giants player to play in the Pro Bowl in each of his first three seasons since Pro Football Hall of Fame linebacker Lawrence Taylor from 1981-83, and the first to play in three consecutive Pro Bowls since offensive linemen Shaun O'Hara and Chris Snee from 2008-10. Jenkins, Collins and Harris played in the game for the first time. The Giants sent two defensive backs to the Pro Bowl for the first time since 1963, when Erich Barnes and Dick Lynch were selected.

*The Giants were also recipients of numerous honors during the season, when they had eight player of the week award winners, and a player of the month recipient. Collins was named NFC Defensive Player of the Week in Week 7 vs. Los Angeles and Week 9 vs. Philadelphia (the Giants had their bye in Week 8). Pierre-Paul was cited in Week 11 at Cleveland and Rodgers-Cromartie in Week 17 at Washington. Beckham was the NFC Offensive Player of the Week for his Week 6 performance vs. Baltimore. Jenkins was the NFC Special Teams Player of the Week in Week 2 vs. New Orleans and punter Brad Wing was honored in Week 14 vs. Dallas and Week 15 vs. Detroit. Collins and Wing were the first

Giants players to win player of the week awards for their performances in consecutive games.

*This was the first season since 1990 that the Giants received four defensive player of the week awards. That season, which ended with a Giants victory in Super Bowl XXV, Taylor was cited twice, and defensive backs Everson Walls and Greg Jackson once apiece.

Game Notes

Sept. 11, 2016: Giants 20, Cowboys 19

*The Giants broke a five-game losing streak on Kickoff Weekend. They had last won their season opener on Sept. 12, 2010, a 31-18 triumph over Carolina in the first regular-season game in MetLife Stadium.

*They also broke a seven-game losing streak in season-opening road games. They had last opened a season as visitors and won in 1999, at Tampa Bay.

*The Giants' opening day record improved to 50-37-5. They have the same record in road openers. The Giants' record in season-opening road games is 33-25-5.

*The Giants became the third NFL franchise with 50 Kickoff Weekend victories, joining Green Bay and Chicago, which each have 54. The Giants are also the second franchise with at least 50 victories in road openers. Green Bay has 55.

*The Giants improved to 1-7 in season openers vs. Dallas, but the Cowboys fell to 8-1 in openers vs. the Giants. Why the discrepancy? In 1966, there were 15 NFL teams, so every week a team had to have a bye. Dallas had its bye in Week 1 that season, and played the Giants in Week 2; it was the Cowboys' season opener, but the Giants had already played a game. The Cowboys won that game.

*The season-opening triumph was the Giants' first one-point victory since Oct. 23, 2005, when they defeated Denver in Giants Stadium, 24-23. It was their first such triumph on the road since Nov. 27, 1988, when they defeated the Saints in New Orleans, 13-12. The Giants beat Dallas by a single point for the first time in their 45 (now 46) victories over the Cowboys (including one postseason game).

*The Giants trailed at the end of the third quarter, 16-13. When they rallied to win, it broke a streak of 11 consecutive losses in games in which they were behind entering the fourth quarter. The Giants' previous victory in a game in which they trailed after three quarters was on Oct. 5, 2014 vs. Atlanta. The Giants faced a 20-17 deficit before winning, 30-20. Odell Beckham, Jr., playing his first career game, scored the go-ahead touchdown.

*Dan Bailey's 56-yard field goal in the second quarter was the second-longest ever by a Giants opponent. The longest was a 57-yarder by Green Bay's Mason Crosby in MetLife Stadium on Nov. 17, 2013. Bailey's long field goal supplanted a 55-yarder by Washington's Brett Conway on Oct. 7, 2001.

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Sept. 18, 2016: Giants 16, Saints 13

*The Giants improved to 2-0 for the first time since 2009, when they won their first five games.

*The Giants won consecutive games by no more than three points apiece for the first time since Oct. 16-Oct. 30, 2011, when they defeated Buffalo (27-24) and Miami (20-17).

*Josh Brown scored the game-winning points on a 23-yard field goal as time expired. It was the first time the Giants scored the deciding points on a game's final play since Sept. 20, 2009, when Lawrence Tynes' 37-yard field goal defeated the Cowboys, 33-31, in the first regular-season game in AT&T Stadium.

*The Giants improved to 50-39-3 in home openers, including 3-4 in MetLife Stadium. The previous week in Dallas, they earned their 50th victory in a road opener. They are the second NFL franchise with 50 victories in both home and road openers. Green Bay has 55 victories in road openers, and 51 in home openers.

*The winning team in the previous four Giants-Saints games had scored at least 48 points, including New Orleans' 52-49 victory in 2015. It is the first time in NFL history two teams played four consecutive games in which the winner scored at least 48 points in each of them.

When the Giants won in Week 2, 16-13, it was the first time the winner in this series scored so few points since Sept. 28, 1997, when the Giants defeated the Saints, 14-9.

*In their 2015 meeting, the Giants and Saints combined for 101 points, which was tied for the third-highest-scoring game in NFL history. In 2016, they combined for 29 points. According to the Elias Sports Bureau, the 72-point decline was the largest from one game to the next between two teams that played in

consecutive seasons (or in the same season) since Oct. 7, 1962, when the Chicago Bears and Minnesota Vikings combined for 13 points (a 13-0 Bears victory) after totaling 87 points in their previous game on Dec. 17, 1961 (a 52-35 Bears triumph), a decline of 74 points.

*The Giants scored their only touchdown on Janoris Jenkins' 65-yard return of a blocked field goal. It was their first victory without scoring an offensive touchdown since Oct. 27, 2013 when Josh Brown kicked five field goals in a 15-7 triumph in Philadelphia.

*The Giants scored on a blocked field goal for the first time since Dec. 7, 2008, when Kevin Dockery scooped up a blocked attempt by Philadelphia's David Akers and returned it 71 yards for a score.

Sept. 25, 2016: Redskins 29, Giants 27

*The Giants' first three games were decided by a total of six points. It was the first time the Giants played three consecutive games that were each decided by no more than three points since Nov. 17-Dec. 1, 2002, when they beat Washington (19-17), and lost to Houston (16-14), and Tennessee in overtime (32-29).

*The Giants had last played three consecutive games in which the total margin of victory was no more than six points from Nov. 13-27, 1994, when they lost to Arizona (10-9), and won at Houston (13-10) and Washington (21-19). The following week they won at Cleveland (16-13) to make it four games decided by nine points.

*The Giants gained 457 yards, their highest total since they had 525 yards in a victory over San Francisco on Oct. 11, 2015.

*With Rashad Jennings inactive with a thumb injury, Shane Vereen started at running back. It was Vereen's first start in his two seasons with the Giants and first since Dec. 14, 2014 when he was with New England vs. Miami. Vereen had team-high totals of 11 carries for 67 yards and a touchdown, with a long run of 25 yards, and caught two passes for 28 yards.

*Jennings missed a game for the first time since Dec. 14, 2014 at St. Louis. He had started 18 consecutive games.

Oct. 3, 2016: Vikings 24, Giants 10

*The Giants' defense did not record a takeaway for the fourth consecutive game.

*The Giants punted five times in the first half after punting four times in the first half of their first three games combined.

*Orleans Darkwa scored the Giants' only touchdown on a one-yard run early in the fourth quarter. The score capped a five-play, 91-yard drive that was the Giants' longest series in terms of yardage since they drove 96 yards in Miami on Dec. 14, 2015 – their previous Monday night game. The Giants also had a 91-yard drive against New England on Nov. 15, 2015.

*Darkwa made his first career start at running back – in his 31st career game and 27th with the Giants – for Jennings, who missed his second game with a thumb injury.

*Running back Bobby Rainey caught a team-high seven passes. That tied the career-best he set on Sept. 18, 2014 for Tampa Bay at Atlanta. Rainey also rushed for 22 yards on four carries.

*Rookie Andrew Adams, playing in his second game, made his first start at free safety. He was the first Giants rookie free agent to start a game since tight end Will Tye at Miami on Dec. 14, 2015 (also on a Monday night), and the first defensive rookie to do so since linebacker Mark Herzlich vs. Philadelphia on Nov. 20, 2011. Adams had six tackles (two solo) and a pass defended, and also played on the kickoff and punt return teams.

Oct. 9, 2016: Packers 23, Giants 16

*This was the 11th time in Giants history they played a Monday night road game, followed immediately by a road game the next week (with no weeks off in-between). They are 5-6 in the Monday night games and in Green Bay they fell to 7-4 as visitors on the second leg of the trips.

*The Giants gained 219 yards, their lowest total since they finished with 197 yards at Detroit on Sept. 8, 2014.

*The Giants allowed a season-high four sacks, three on Eli Manning, and one on Odell Beckham, who took a pitch from Manning and intended to throw the ball before he was pushed out of bounds. Beckham was the first Giants player other than a quarterback to be sacked since running back David Meggett vs. Cincinnati on Dec. 11, 1994.

*Cornerback Janoris Jenkins became the first player to intercept two Aaron Rodgers passes in a game at Lambeau Field. Baccari Rambo, then a safety for the Bills, had been the last player to twice pick off Rodgers in a game, a feat he accomplished in Buffalo on Dec. 14, 2014.

*Rainey led the Giants in rushing yards (22) and receptions (six) in Green Bay. The last Giants player to lead the team in both categories was wide receiver Jerrel Jernigan, who had 57 rushing yards and six catches in a victory over Washington on Dec. 29, 2013. The previous running back to do it was Andre Brown, with 124 rushing yards and four receptions against Dallas on Nov. 24, 2013.

Oct. 16, 2016: Giants 27, Ravens 23

*The victory was the 700th in Giants history (regulars-season and postseason combined). They joined the Green Bay Packers and Chicago Bears as the only NFL franchises with at least 700 victories.

*The Giants committed a turnover on their first offensive play when Beckham lost a fumble after a five-yard completion. The fumble was forced by safety Eric Weddle and recovered by linebacker Zachary Orr at the Giants' 30-yard line. The Giants had

last lost the ball on their first snap on Nov. 8, 2015 at Tampa Bay, when Eli Manning's pass was intercepted by Sterling Moore — after it was tipped by Beckham.

*Manning's regular-season record as a starter improved to 100-89. He became the 14th quarterback in NFL history with at least 100 regular-season victories.

*Manning became the sixth quarterback with at least 100 victories and two Super Bowl triumphs with the same team, joining Terry Bradshaw, Tom Brady, John Elway, Joe Montana, and Ben Roethlisberger.

*The Giants and Ravens combined for 230 penalty yards, the highest total in a Giants game since Sept. 21, 2003, when the Giants and Redskins totaled 266 penalty yards.

Oct. 23, 2016: Giants 17, Rams 10 (London)

*The Giants broke a two-game losing streak in pre-bye week games and are 20-8 in such games. That ties them with the Dallas Cowboys for the second-best record in games before a regular-season bye, behind only Seattle, who are 22-6.

*The Giants improved to 2-0 in London. They defeated the Miami Dolphins, 13-10, in Wembley Stadium on Oct. 28, 2007. The Giants and New England Patriots are the only franchises to win two games in London in the NFL's International Series.

*When Larry Donnell fumbled on the game's second play, the Giants lost the ball on a turnover on their opening possession for the second straight game. That had last happened when they had a first-series turnover in three straight games from Oct. 17-Nov. 7, 2010.

*For the second week in a row, the Giants rallied to win after falling behind in the first quarter, 10-0. The previous week, they defeated Baltimore, 27-23. It was the first time the Giants a) faced deficits of at least 10 points before scoring in consecutive games, and b) faced deficits of at least 10 points in back-to-back first quarters since the first two games of the 2014 season. Both of those games ended in defeats, to Detroit and Arizona.

*The Giants surrendered points on each of their opponent's first two possessions, and none thereafter. That had last happened on Oct. 15, 2007, when they won in Atlanta, 31-10.

*The Giants outscored the Rams in the second half, 7-0. They held their opponent scoreless in the second half for the first time since Dec. 29, 2013, when they led Washington at halftime, 10-6, and won, 20-6.

*The Giants gained 232 yards vs. the Rams, their lowest output in a victory since they totaled 212 yards vs. Philadelphia on Sept. 30, 2007. They won that game, 16-3, thanks in part to their franchise-record 12 sacks.

*Safety Landon Collins and cornerback Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie each had two interceptions of Case Keenum

passes. They were the first pair of teammates with multiple interceptions each in a single game since Seattle's Byron Maxwell and Richard Sherman in Week 15 of the 2013 season, ironically, against the Giants in MetLife Stadium. They are the first Giants duo to accomplish the feat since Kenny Hill and Terry Kinard vs. San Diego on Sept. 14, 1986.

*It was the Giants' first four-interception game since Sept. 25, 2014, when Prince Amukamara, Quintin Demps, Trumaine McBride and Antrel Rolle all picked off passes in a 45-14 victory in Washington.

Nov. 6, 2016: Giants 27, Eagles 23

*The Giants broke a four-game losing streak to the Eagles, and improved to 2-5 in MetLife Stadium vs. Philadelphia.

*The Giants broke a two-game losing streak in post-bye week games and improved to 11-17 in games following a regular-season bye.

*The Giants scored 14 points in the first quarter. They had scored a combined 14 first-quarter points in their first seven games — all occurring against Washington on Sept. 25.

*The Giants scored their first touchdown 2:33 into the game on a 20-yard pass from Manning to Beckham. It was their earliest touchdown since Nov. 25, 2012, when Andre Brown scored on a 2-yard run after 2:22 had elapsed in what was a 38-10 rout of the Green Bay Packers.

*After a takeaway, the Giants quickly scored again on Manning's 30-yard pass to Roger Lewis, Jr. That gave them two touchdowns in the first 5:17 of the game. They had not scored two touchdowns so quickly in a regular-season game since they scored twice in the first 5:11 in a 21-0 season-opening victory on Sept. 8, 1985 — also a home game vs. Philadelphia. The touchdowns were a 23-yard pass from Phil Simms to Lionel Manuel, and an 11-yard run by Joe Morris.

*Safeties Landon Collins and Andrew Adams intercepted Carson Wentz passes on Philadelphia's first two possessions. It was the first time the Giants intercepted two passes in a first quarter since Oct. 28, 2012, when Stevie Brown and Corey Webster picked off Tony Romo in a victory in Dallas.

*Shepard, Lewis and Adams are all rookies. This was the first time the Giants had rookies with both touchdown receptions and an interception in the same game since Nov. 14, 1954, when Dick Nolan intercepted a pass and Ken MacAfee and Bob Topp had touchdown receptions — also in a home game vs. the Eagles. It had last happened in the NFL on Jan. 2, 2011, when Tampa Bay's Dezmon Briscoe had a 2-yard touchdown reception, and Larry Asante intercepted a Brees pass in New Orleans.

*The Giants also intercepted Case Keenum passes on the final three Los Angeles Rams possessions in their previous game. They were the second team in 2016 to pick off passes on five consecutive opposing possessions; the Kansas City Chiefs had

five straight interceptions vs. the Jets on Sept. 25.

*The Giants rushed for 54 yards, their fifth consecutive game with fewer than 80 yards on the ground. It was the first time the Giants had such a long streak of sub 80-yard games since official rushing records were first kept in 1933.

*The Giants defeated the Eagles despite not scoring a point in the fourth quarter. That had last occurred on Nov. 25, 2012, in a 38-10 victory against Green Bay. The Eagles scored six points in the fourth quarter. The Giants had last won a game in which they were scoreless in the fourth quarter while opponents scored points on Jan. 2, 2011, in a 17-14 victory at Washington.

Nov. 14, 2016: Giants 21, Bengals 20

*Including their 20-19 victory in the season opener in Dallas, this was the Giants' second one-point victory of the year. It was the first season in which the Giants won two games by a single point since 1988, when they won at Washington, 24-23, and New Orleans, 13-12.

*With a 6-3 record, the Giants matched their victory total from each of the previous two seasons, when they finished 6-10.

*The Giants improved to 4-1 at home, exceeding their victory total in MetLife Stadium in both 2014 and 2015, when they were 3-5. They last won four home games in 2013. They were also 4-4 at home in their 2011 Super Bowl XLVI season. MetLife opened in 2010. The Giants' best home record in the stadium's first six seasons was 6-2 in 2012.

*The Giants' six victories were by a total of 21 points. It's the first time in their history the Giants won by a combined 21 or fewer points over a six-victory span in a single season.

*The Bengals were off the previous week. The Giants are 10-7 since 1990 when their opponents are coming off a bye and the Giants are not.

*The Giants scored a touchdown on the game's opening series when Eli Manning threw a 10-yard touchdown pass to rookie tight end Jerrell Adams. It was the Giants' first opening-possession touchdown in 14 games — and one year. On Nov. 15, 2015, Manning threw an 87-yard touchdown pass to Beckham on their first drive against New England.

*Cincinnati responded with its own first-possession score, on a 13-yard touchdown pass from Andy Dalton to A.J. Green — which was set up by Dalton's 72-yard completion to tight end Tyler Eifert. It was first game in which both the Giants and their opponents scored touchdowns on their first offensive drives since the game against the Patriots in 2015. Tom Brady threw a one-yard touchdown pass to Scott Chandler before Beckham's long catch and run enabled the Giants to tie the score two plays later.

*Manning's game-winning three-yard touchdown pass to Shepard was his 100th touchdown pass in MetLife Stadium.

*Collins and Cincinnati safety George Iloka picked off passes on consecutive plays. The Giants and their opponents had last had interceptions on successive plays on Sept. 5, 2002 in Giants Stadium, when a Kerry Collins pass to Ike Hilliard early in the second quarter was picked off by San Francisco linebacker Julian Peterson, and Will Allen immediately got the ball back for the Giants by intercepting a Jeff Garcia pass intended for Terrell Owens.

Nov. 20, 2016: Giants 22, Bears 16

*The Giants' total margin of victory in their first seven triumphs was 27 points, the lowest victory margin over a team's first seven wins in NFL history. The Giants' previous low combined margin of victory in their first seven triumphs was 31 points in 1994.

*The Giants improved to 7-3 and exceeded their victory total from each of the previous two seasons (when they were 6-10) — with six games remaining.

*With the victory, the Giants concluded a 3-0 homestand. It was the first time the Giants won three games at home in consecutive weeks since Oct 21-Nov 4, 1962, when they beat Detroit, Washington, and the St. Louis Cardinals.

*The Giants were the 127th team since 1990 to play at least three consecutive home games, and the 29th to go 3-0.

*The Giants won the coin toss and deferred taking possession of the ball until the second half in windy conditions. The Bears took the kickoff and scored just 5:14 into the game on Jay Cutler's 19-yard pass to tight end Zach Miller. Chicago was the fourth team to score a first-possession touchdown against the Giants this season, joining Green Bay, Los Angeles and Cincinnati. The Bengals scored the previous Monday night on Andy Dalton's 13-yard touchdown pass to A.J. Green. It was the first time the Giants allowed consecutive opponents to score opening-possession touchdowns since Sept. 8 and 14, 2014, when Detroit (Matthew Stafford's 67-yard pass to Calvin Johnson) and Arizona (on Jonathan Dwyer's 1-yard run) did it.

*The Giants immediately responded on their first offensive series against Chicago by driving 78 yards in 11 plays, the last a 2-yard touchdown run by Rashad Jennings. It was also the Giants' second straight first-possession touchdown, following Eli Manning's 10-yard pass to Jerrell Adams against the Bengals. The Giants had last scored first-possession touchdowns in consecutive games on Nov. 16 and 23, 2014 vs. San Francisco (on Manning's 19-yard pass to Larry Donnell) and Dallas (on Manning's 3-yard pass to Beckham).

*The Giants did not commit a turnover, ending their NFL-long streak of 18 consecutive games with at least one giveaway.

Nov. 27, 2016: Giants 27, Browns 13

*The Browns entered the game with an 0-11 record. It was the first time in Giants history they faced a team that was 0-11 or worse. Previously, the winless team with the most losses they had faced was the 0-10 Dallas Cowboys on Dec. 4, 1960. That game ended in a 31-31 tie and was Dallas' only non-loss in an 0-11-1 inaugural season. The Giants are 10-3 against teams that entered the game 0-4 or worse since the 1970 merger.

*This was the sixth game in NFL history in which a team with a winning streak of at least five games played a team with a losing streak of at least 11 games. The team with the winning streak has won all six games.

*The Giants won their sixth consecutive game and improved to 8-3. The six-game winning streak is their longest since the Giants won seven straight games from Oct. 19-Nov. 30, 2008.

*The Giants' 8-3 start is their best record through 11 games since they were 10-1 in 2008. The lone loss then was in Cleveland.

*The 14-point margin of victory was the Giants' largest of the season.

*The Giants sacked Cleveland quarterback Josh McCown seven times, their highest total since they had seven sacks in a victory against Washington on Dec. 14, 2014.

*The seven sacks raised the Giants' season total to 25, which is two more than they had in the entire 2015 season, when their 23 sacks was a franchise-low in a 16-game season.

Dec. 4, 2016: Steelers 24, Giants 14

*The Giants lost in Pittsburgh for the first time since Nov. 21, 1971. However, that's not as impressive as it seems. Since then, the Giants had only played there in 1991 and 2008 before this game.

*The Giants trailed at halftime, 14-0. It was their first scoreless opening half since Nov. 29, 2015 at Washington, where they trailed after two quarters, 17-0, in what became a 20-14 loss.

*The Giants rushed for 56 yards, ending their streak of consecutive 100-yard games at three.

*The Steelers rushed for 117 yards, the first Giants opponent to pass the century mark since Green Bay on Oct. 9. The Giants held six consecutive opponents to less than 100 rushing yards, their longest such streak since the final six games of the 2000 season.

*LeVeon Bell had all but one of the Steelers' 30 rushing attempts (the other was a Landry Jones kneel down on the game's final play). Bell ran for 118 yards, the first Giants opponent to reach triple digits since Minnesota's Adrian Peterson

ponent to reach triple digits since Minnesota's Adrian Peterson rushed for 109 yards on Dec. 27, 2015.

*The Steelers took a 2-0 lead when Giants left tackle Ereck Flowers was penalized for holding James Harrison in the end zone with 3:04 remaining in the first quarter. Offensive holding in the end zone results in a safety. It was the first safety scored by a Giants opponent since Dec. 22, 2013, when Eli Manning was sacked in the end zone by the Lions' Nick Fairley in Detroit.

Dec. 11, 2016: Giants 10, Cowboys 7

*The Giants swept the Cowboys for the first time since 2011. They have won three consecutive games vs. the Cowboys after previously losing five in a row.

*The Giants' Sunday night record improved to 21-28-1, including 11-12 at home.

*The Giants won a game in which they scored no more than 10 points for the first time since Dec. 28, 2002, when they clinched a playoff berth with a 10-7 overtime victory against Philadelphia. That was also the last time no more than 17 points were scored in a Giants game.

*How unusual was it for the Giants to win while scoring just 10 points? According to the Elias Sports Bureau, since the 1970 merger, the Giants are 8-133-1 when scoring no more than 10 points. In the five seasons from 2012-16, NFL teams are 11-306-2 when they score 10 or fewer points.

*The Giants' 10-7 victory against Dallas was the 13th NFL game in the last five years in which the teams combined for no more than 17 points, and the fifth in 2016.

*The Giants twice defeated Dallas this season by a combined four points (20-19 and 10-7), their lowest victory margin in a series sweep since 1990, when they defeated the Phoenix Cardinals by four combined points (20-19 and 24-21).

*The Dallas game was the third this season in which the Giants did not allow a second-half point, their highest total since 2012.

*The Giants and Cowboys struggled not only to put points on the board, but also to gain yards and get first downs. Each team finished with 260 total yards. It was the first Giants game in which neither team exceeded that total since Nov. 10, 2013, when the Giants gained 251 yards and the Oakland Raiders had 213 in a 24-20 Giants victory.

*The Giants gained fewer than 300 yards for the fourth consecutive game, the first time that's happened since they did it four games in a row spanning the 2013-14 seasons (last three in 2013, and the opener in 2014).

*The Giants (12) and Cowboys (13) combined for 25 first downs, the lowest total in a Giants game since Oct. 3, 2010,

when they and the Bears totaled 24 first downs (just six by Chicago).

*The Giants and Cowboys were a combined 3-for-29 on third-down conversion opportunities (including 1-for-15 by Dallas). The last Giants game with so few successes on so many attempts was on Nov. 7, 2004, when the Giants and Bears also went 3-for-29 (the Giants were 1-for-14). The last NFL game with so much third-down futility was played on Nov. 15, 2009, when Oakland and Kansas City were a combined 3-for-31.

*The Giants last had no more than two third-down conversions on at least 14 tries on Oct. 12, 2014 in Philadelphia (2-for-14). They had last held their opponents to one success on at least 15 tries on Dec. 6, 1987 (when the Eagles were 1-for-18).

*The Giants and Cowboys each punted nine times on Sunday night, the first time that's happened in a Giants game since Dec. 24, 2011, when the Giants and Jets each had nine punts.

*The Giants trailed Dallas at halftime, 7-0. The previous week in Pittsburgh, their halftime deficit was 14-0. It's the first time they were held scoreless in consecutive first halves since Dec. 8 and 15, 2013, when they trailed San Diego 24-0 (in a 37-14 loss) and Seattle 13-0 (in a 23-0 loss).

*This was the third 2016 victory in which the Giants did not score a point in the fourth quarter (beating Philadelphia, Chicago, and Dallas). They last did that in a single season in 2010. They had only two such victories in the five seasons from 2011-15 (one in 2011, one in 2012).

*The Cowboys had won their previous 11 games. This was the seventh time in their history the Giants played a regular-season game against a team that had won at least 11 consecutive games. The Giants have been the home team in every game. They are 2-5 in those games (also beating 13-0 Denver in 1998), and each of the last five games has been decided by just three points.

GIANTS VS. TEAMS ON SINGLE-SEASON 11+ GAME WINNING STREAK

DATE	OPPONENT	STREAK	RESULT	SCORE
12/10/1972	vs MIA	12*	L	23-13
12/13/1998	vs DEN	13*	W	20-16
12/18/2004	vs PIT	11	L	33-30
12/29/2007	vs NE	15*	L	38-35
12/04/2011	vs GB	11*	L	38-35
12/20/2015	vs CAR	13*	L	38-35
12/11/2016	vs DAL	11	W	10-7

*Team was undefeated when it faced the Giants.

Note: The Giants defeated New England in Super Bowls XLII and XLVI when the Patriots had 18 and 10-game winning streaks, respectively.

*The Giants had a season-high 33 rushing attempts for 93 yards. Their previous high was 32 attempts against New Orleans on Sept. 25. Rashad Jennings and Paul Perkins each had 15 carries for 45 yards.

DEC. 18, 2016: GIANTS 17, LIONS 6

*Each team entered the game with a 9-4 record. It was the first Giants game in which each team is at least five games over .500 since Dec. 19, 2010, when Giants and Eagles were both 9-4.

*The Giants won for the eighth time in nine games and improved to 10-4. It is their first season with double-digit victories since 2010, when they finished 10-6 and did not make the playoffs.

*The Giants won their sixth consecutive home game, their longest such streak since they won their first six at home in 2008.

*The Giants finished 7-1 at home, their best record in the seven-year history of MetLife Stadium (previous best: 6-2 in 2012) and their best home record since they were 7-1 in Giants Stadium in 2008.

*This was the first Giants home game this season decided by more than six points.

*Including their 10-7 victory vs. Dallas the previous week, the Giants won consecutive games in which they allowed no more than seven points in either game for the first time since Oct. 21 and 27, 2013, when they defeated Minnesota, 23-7, and Philadelphia, 15-7.

*The Giants did not allow an offensive touchdown for the first time since a 36-7 victory at Tennessee on Dec. 7, 2014 (the Titans scored on an interception return) and no touchdowns for the first time since a 20-6 victory against Washington on Dec. 29, 2013 (the Redskins got two field goals from Kai Forbath).

*The Giants won consecutive games in which they scored no more than 17 points in either game for the first time since Oct. 29 and Nov. 5, 2006, when they defeated Tampa Bay, 17-3, and Houston, 14-10. In 2007, they had consecutive victories in which they scored 13 and 16 points, but they were sandwiched around a loss.

*The Giants finished 2-2 against the NFC North, beating Chicago and Detroit at home, and losing to Green Bay and Minnesota on the road.

*The Giants had exactly 300 total yards, after gaining less than 300 yards in each of their previous three games.

*The Giants took the opening kickoff and drove 75 yards in 10 plays, the last a 6-yard touchdown pass from Eli Manning to Sterling Shepard. It was the third time this season the Giants scored a first-possession touchdown, and the Giants won each of those games. They also scored early touchdowns in their victories against Cincinnati and Chicago on Nov. 14 and 20.

*The Giants evened their all-time series with Detroit at 21-21.

*The Giants lost a night game in Lincoln Financial Field for the third consecutive season. In their last four games there, including a victory in 2013, they have scored a total of two touchdowns.

*The Giants gained 470 yards, their fourth game this season with more than 400 yards, and their highest total since they gained 502 yards in the 2015 season finale against Philadelphia (on Jan. 3, 2016). The Eagles gained just 286 yards.

*The Giants' 24 first downs were a season-high, and their highest total since they had 30 first downs against the Eagles in the 2015 finale.

*The Giants converted 10 of 22 third-down opportunities, their highest number of successes since they had 10 (on 17 tries) vs. Atlanta on Sept. 20, 2015.

*Darren Sproles opened the scoring with a 25-yard touchdown run on Philadelphia's first offensive possession. It was the fifth time in 2016 a Giants' opponent scored a touchdown on its first offensive series. The Giants were 3-2 in those games.

*The Eagles increased their lead to 14-0 just 1:28 later, when safety Malcolm Jenkins intercepted an Eli Manning pass and returned it 34 yards for a touchdown. It was the first defensive touchdown scored by a Giants opponent in 2016. The last team to score on defense vs. the Giants was ... the Eagles, on Walter Thurmond's 83-yard fumble return in the 2015 season finale in MetLife Stadium.

*Jenkins also intercepted Manning with 11:57 remaining in the fourth quarter. He was the first Giants opponent with two interceptions in a game since Nov. 16, 2014, when San Francisco linebacker Chris Borland twice picked off Manning in MetLife Stadium.

*The Eagles led at the end of the first quarter, 14-3. They were the first team to score 14 first-quarter points vs. the Giants since ... the Eagles, who led 14-3 after one quarter in the final game of the 2015 season.

*Philadelphia led at halftime, 21-13. The 21 points were the most allowed by the Giants in a first half this season. Green Bay had the previous high, with 17 on Oct. 9. The last team to score at least 21 first-half points against the Giants was ... the Eagles, who led the 2015 season finale after two quarters, 21-20.

*Manning threw a Giants-record 63 passes in Philadelphia. The Giants' all-time record when they throw 50 or more passes is 2-23, including 2-21 when one quarterback throws all of the passes.

*The Giants became the 16th consecutive team to lose when throwing 60 or more passes. The last team to put the ball in the air so often and win was Brian Griese's Buccaneers, who

beat the Bears in overtime, 27-24, on Sept. 21, 2008.

*The Giants converted 10 of 22 third-down opportunities against the Eagles. The 22 chances were the most the Giants had in a game since Nov. 20, 1983, when they also converted 10 on 22 tries in a game in Philadelphia. They won that game, 23-0. The 22 third-down opportunities were the most for an NFL team since Baltimore also had 22 on Sept. 5, 2013 at Denver.

*The Giants had a 184-yard advantage in total yards (470-286) and a 188-yard advantage in passing yards (356-168). It was their largest lead in those categories in a loss since Sept. 26, 2010, when they were defeated by Tennessee despite having 200 more total yards (471-271) and 254 more passing yards (364-110).

Jan. 1, 2017: Giants 19, Redskins 10

*The Giants and Redskins split their season series for the second year in a row, but this time each team won on the road. That had last happened in this series in 2007.

*The Giants scored fewer than 20 points for the fifth consecutive game, their longest such streak since they had five in a row from Nov. 14-Dec. 12, 2004.

*The Giants rushed for 161 yards, their highest total since they ran for 208 yards in the 2015 season finale vs. Philadelphia. Their previous high in 2016 was 122 rushing yards vs. Cincinnati on Nov. 14.

*Washington rushed for only 38 yards, the fewest yards on the ground allowed by the Giants since Oct. 21, 2013, when the Minnesota Vikings ran for only 30 yards. It was the fewest rushing yards allowed by the Giants in a road game since Oct. 29, 2012, when the Cowboys ran for 19 yards in AT&T Stadium. *The Giants did not commit a turnover for the fourth time this season. They have won their last six games in which they did not commit an offensive turnover, dating back to the 2015 season.

*The Giants led at halftime, 10-0. It was the first time they shut out their opponents in the first two quarters since Dec. 7, 2014, when they led at Tennessee, 23-0, on their way to a 36-7 victory. Washington had not been held scoreless in a half since the second half of a loss to Miami in Week 1 of the 2015 season. The Redskins' 60 straight halves without being shut out was longest active streak in NFL. It was the fifth time this season the Giants did not allow a first-half touchdown.

*The Giants sacked Washington quarterback Kirk Cousins four times, matching their second-highest total of the season. Cousins had been sacked only 19 times in the first 15 games. The defense finished the season with 35 sacks, 12 more than they had last year, when their 23 was a Giants record-low for a 16-game season.

Jan. 8, 2017: Packers 38, Giants 13 (NFC Wild Card Game)

*The 25-point margin of defeat was the Giants' largest since a 49-17 loss in Minnesota on Dec. 15, 2015. Their five regular-season defeats had been by a total of 38 points, the largest a 14-point loss on Oct. 3, also against Minnesota. It was the Giants' worst postseason defeat since a 34-7 loss to Baltimore in Super Bowl XXXV on Jan. 28, 2001.

*The Giants' all-time postseason record fell to 24-25, including 8-15 on the road.

*The Giants are 6-4 in Wild Card games, including 3-3 on the road.

*The loss ended the Giants' NFL-record five-game postseason road winning streak, which had included two victories in Lambeau.

*Previously, the Giants were the only visiting team to win consecutive postseason games in Lambeau, but couldn't stretch their streak to three games.

*The Giants lost in Lambeau on Oct. 9, 23-16. Since the 1970 merger (or 1981, when they first made the postseason after the merger), the Giants are 14-7 in playoff games against teams they faced during regular season, including 10-5 in games against non-division opponents.

*The Giants are 3-5 in postseason games vs. the Packers.

*The Giants did not score at least 20 points in any of their last six games (including five in the regular season), their longest such streak since Sept. 22-Oct. 26, 1980. They did not reach the 30-point mark in any of their 17 games.

*Green Bay's 38 points tied for the third-highest total allowed by the Giants in a postseason game, and were the most by a team other than San Francisco. The 49ers scored 44 in a 1993 NFC Divisional Playoff Game, 39 in a 2002 NFC Wild Card Game, and 38 in a 1981 divisional matchup.

*The Giants are 0-18 in postseason games in which they allow more than 21 points.

*The Giants had not surrendered a 300-yard passing game by an opposing quarterback in the postseason since Jan. 5, 2003, when San Francisco's Jeff Garcia threw for 331 yards in a 49ers wild card victory.

*Eli Manning vs. Aaron Rodgers was the first Wild Card matchup in NFL postseason history between former Super Bowl MVP quarterbacks.

*Rodgers was the first quarterback to throw four touchdown passes against the Giants in a postseason game. The previous record of three occurred twice previously, including twice by Pro Football Hall of Famers: Green Bay's Bart Starr in the NFL

Championship Game here on Dec. 31, 1961, and Joe Montana in an NFC Divisional Playoff Game in San Francisco on Dec. 29, 1984. Andy Garcia threw three touchdown passes in the Niners' 39-38 NFC Wild Card victory on Jan. 5, 2003.

Head Coach Ben McAdoo

*The Giants finished 11-5 in McAdoo's first season as head coach. He was the NFL's first rookie head coach to win at least 11 games since Chuck Pagano was 11-5 with the Indianapolis Colts in 2012.

*McAdoo tied Dan Reeves (1993) for the most victories by a Giants head coach in his first season with the team. McAdoo was the fourth coach with double-digit victories in his initial Giants season in franchise history:

COACH	SEASON	RECORD
BEN McADOO	2016	11-5
DAN REEVES	1993	11-5
ALLIE SHERMAN	1961	10-3
JIM FASSEL	1997	10-5-1

*McAdoo is the fourth coach in Giants history to lead the team to the playoffs in his first season, joining Allie Sherman (1961), Reeves (1993), and Jim Fassel (1997).

*The Giants defeated Dallas, 20-19, in McAdoo's first regular-season game. Giants head coaches are 9-7-1 in their debuts.

*McAdoo was the third consecutive Giants head coach to debut against an NFC East opponent, and the second in a row to do so on the road. The previous two Giants coaching debuts ended in the same score. Fassel beat Philadelphia in Giants Stadium (31-17 on Aug. 31, 1997), and Tom Coughlin lost to the Eagles in Lincoln Financial Field (31-17, on Sept. 12, 2004).

COACHES CAPSULE



**BEN
MCADOO**
HEAD COACH

- Hired as the Giants 17th head coach on January 14, 2016.
- McAdoo led the team to an 11-5 record and its first postseason berth since 2011. He was the NFL's first rookie head coach to win at least 11 games since Chuck Pagano was 11-5 with the Indianapolis Colts in 2012.
- McAdoo is the fourth coach in franchise history to lead the team to the playoffs in his first season, joining Allie Sherman (1961), Reeves (1993) and Fassel (1997).
- In two seasons with McAdoo formulating game plans and calling the plays, the Giants' offense ranked 10th and eighth, respectively, in the NFL. They averaged 367.2 and 372.3 total yards, 100.2 and 100.6 rushing yards, and 267.0 and 271.7 passing yards. The Giants' passing yardage total was the seventh-highest in the NFL in both 2013 and 2014. Their point totals were 380 in 2014 and 420 in the 2015 season.
- In 2016, with McAdoo's game plans and play-calling, the Giants had 598 attempts (the fifth-highest total in franchise history) and 377 completions (third-highest total). The Giants' completion percentage of 63.0 was the second highest in franchise history, just behind the record of 63.1 set in 2014 and just ahead of the 62.9 rate in 2015.



**MIKE
SULLIVAN**
OFFENSIVE
COORDINATOR

- Sullivan is in his second season as the Giants' offensive coordinator, and in the third year of his second stint on the team's coaching staff. In 2015, Sullivan was the team's quarterbacks coach. He previously spent eight seasons (2004-11) with the Giants, the first six coaching the team's wide receivers, and the final two as the quarterbacks coach. During that time, the Giants won Super Bowls XLII and XLVI.
- Under Sullivan in 2016, Eli Manning completed 377 of 598 passes (63.0 percent) for 4,017 yards, 26 touchdowns, 16 interceptions and a passer rating of 86.0, exceeding 4,000 passing yards for the third consecutive season.
- In Sullivan's two seasons as quarterbacks coach, Manning completed 61.9 percent of his passes for 8,935 yards, 60 touchdowns, 41 interceptions and a passer rating of 89.2. In 2011, Manning set an NFL record with 15 fourth-quarter touchdown passes.



**STEVE
SPAGNUOLO**
DEFENSIVE
COORDINATOR

- Spagnuolo (pronounced SPAG-no-low) is in his third season of his second tenure as the Giants' defensive coordinator. He previously held the position in 2007-08.
- During Spagnuolo's first tenure with the team, the 2007 Giants won Super Bowl XLII and ranked seventh and fifth in the NFL in his two seasons as a coordinator.
- Under Spagnuolo in 2016, the Giants held their opponents to less than 100 rushing yards in 10 games, their highest total since they did it 10 times in 2001 and allowed an NFL-low 25 offensive touchdowns.
- A 36-year coaching veteran, including 19 in the NFL, Spagnuolo has coached for teams that have made 9 playoff appearances, won 6 division titles, played in 5 conference championship games, earned 2 conference titles and won a Super Bowl.

COACHES CAPSULE



BOBBY BLICK
DEFENSIVE ASSISTANT

- Blick is in his first season as the Giants' defensive assistant. He succeeds Rob Leonard, who is now the team's assistant defensive line coach.

- In 2016, Blick was on the Army West Point Football staff as director of player personnel.

- Prior to arrival at West Point, Blick served as special teams coordinator and director of recruiting at Samford University in Birmingham, Ala. and was part of kickoff and kickoff return units that finished first in the Southern Conference.



FRANK CIGNETTI JR.
QUARTERBACKS COACH

- Cignetti is in his second season as the Giants' quarterbacks coach, his 10th season in the NFL, and his 29th year in coaching.

- Under Cignetti in 2016, Eli Manning completed 377 of 598 passes (63.0 percent) for 4,017 yards, 26 touchdowns, 16 interceptions, and a passer rating of 86.0.

- In 2015, Cignetti was the St. Louis Rams' offensive coordinator. Under Cignetti, the Rams ranked seventh in the NFL in rushing yards, averaging 122.3 yards a game.



JOE DANOS
PERFORMANCE MANAGER

- Danos is in his fourth season as performance manager and strength and conditioning assistant on the Giants' coaching staff.

- Danos came to the Giants from Florida State University, where he spent three seasons as an assistant strength and conditioning coach with the football team. Danos joined the Seminoles' staff in January 2010, following head strength and conditioning coach Vic Vitoria from Southern Methodist University, where he spent the previous three years (2007-09) serving as his top assistant.



KEVIN M. GILBRIDE
TIGHT ENDS

- Gilbride is in his fourth season as the Giants' tight ends coach and his eighth as a member of the team's coaching staff.

- In 2016, Gilbride's unit had another productive season. Will Tye, a second-year undrafted pro from Stony Brook, emerged as the Giants' most consistent tight end. He played in all 16 games with 11 starts, including each of the last 10 games, and finished third on the team with 48 receptions, which gained 395 yards, and included a nine-yard touchdown catch vs. Chicago on Nov. 20. Rookie Jerrell Adams, a sixth-round draft choice in 2016, became the third Giants rookie to catch a touchdown pass.



PATRICK GRAHAM
DEFENSIVE LINE COACH

- Patrick Graham is in his second season coaching the Giants' defensive line, his ninth season in the NFL, and his 16th year in coaching.

- In 2016, Graham's linemen helped the Giants' defense become the NFL's most improved unit, one that allowed 158 fewer points and 1,290 fewer yards than the previous season. The lineman accounted for 23 of the Giants' 35 sacks, which was 12 more sacks than the team had in 2015.

- Under Graham, Damon Harrison and Landon Collins were awarded AP first-team All-Pros.



ADAM HENRY
WIDE RECEIVERS COACH

- Henry is in his second season as the Giants' wide receivers coach, his eighth season in the NFL, and his 20th season in coaching.

- Under Henry, Odell Beckham, Jr. played all 16 games for the first time, finishing with 101 catches, the third-highest total in the NFL and the second-highest total in Giants' history.

- Rookie Sterling Shepard, the Giants' second-round draft choice in 2016, finished second on the team with 65 catches for 683 yards and eight touchdowns.

COACHES CAPSULE



CRAIG
JOHNSON
RUNNING BACKS COACH

- Johnson is in his fourth season as the Giants' running backs coach, his 18th season coaching in the NFL, and his 35th season as a football coach.

- Despite multiple injuries within the running back unit, Johnson had another impressive season. Under Johnson, Rashad Jennings led the Giants with 181 rushing attempts for 593 yards, and three touchdowns and Paul Perkins, the Giants' fifth-round draft choice in 2016, was second on the team with 112 carries for 456 yards.



ROB
LEONARD
ASSISTANT DEFENSIVE
LINE

- Leonard is in his fifth season on the Giants' coaching staff, and his first as the team's assistant defensive line coach. He spent the previous four seasons as a defensive assistant.

- Leonard was part of a staff that coached the most-improved defense in the NFL. The unit allowed 158 fewer points and 1,290 fewer yards than it did in 2015. The Giants allowed an NFL-low 25 offensive touchdowns and surrendered less than 20 points eight times, their highest total since 2008, when they also did it eight times. They also had 35 sacks, 12 more than they had in 2015.



BILL
MCGOVERN
LINEBACKERS COACH

- McGovern, who has more than three decades of coaching experience, is in his second season as the Giants' linebackers coach, and his fifth year in the NFL.

- Under McGovern in 2016, the linebackers contributed significantly to the NFL's most-improved defense. Jonathan Casillas, voted the Giants' defensive captain by his teammates, played in all 17 games, including the NFC Wild Card Game, Casillas finished second on the team with 92 tackles (59 solo), while contributing 1.5 sacks, eight passes defended, and a forced fumble. Devon Kennard played in every game and had 58 tackles (38 solo).



DAVID
MERRITT, SR.
SECONDARY
COACH/SAFETIES

- Merritt is in his 14th season on the Giants' coaching staff and his 12th as the team's secondary coach/safeties. He is the team's longest-tenured coach.

- Under Merritt's tutelage, second-year pro Landon Collins was named first-team All-Pro and selected to his first Pro Bowl after leading the team in tackles for the second consecutive season, with 125 (100 solo). He also had five interceptions, four sacks, and 13 passes defended.

- In 2016, Collins was a two-time NFC Defensive Player of the Week and the conference's Defensive Player of the Month in November.



PRATIK
PATEL
DIR. NUTRITION
PERF/ASST. STRENGTH &
CONDITIONING

- Patel came to the Giants from the University of Oregon, where he was the athletic department's director of sports nutrition since October 2014. Patel's job was to develop and direct the sports nutrition department and manage the daily nutrition needs for Oregon's football, baseball, and men's and women's golf teams along with overseeing his staff, student interns, and needs for the other 15 athletic teams and sports.

- Patel was able to improve the health and performance of Duck student athletes utilizing the most up-to-date evidenced based literature with cutting-edge science and technology.



MARKUS
PAUL
ASSISTANT STRENGTH
AND CONDITIONING

- Paul, a former NFL player who has won five Super Bowl rings as a coach in the league, is in his 11th season as the Giants' assistant strength and conditioning coach. Paul works closely with Aaron Wellman on the physical development of the Giants' players.

- Paul was on the staff of the Super Bowl-winning Giants in 2007 and 2011 and won three Super Bowl rings with the New England Patriots in 2001, 2003 and 2004.

- Prior to joining the Giants, Paul spent two seasons on the coaching staff of the Jets.

COACHES CAPSULE



TOM QUINN
SPECIAL TEAMS
COORDINATOR

- Quinn is in his 12th season with the Giants and his 11th as the team's special teams coordinator. He spent his first year with the team as an assistant to Mike Sweatman, who retired following the 2006 season.
- In 2016, Giants kickers combined to make 21 of 22 field goal attempts, a team-record 95.5 percent success rate. The previous mark of 93.8 percent was set in 2015.
- Under Quinn, Brad Wing was named NFC Special Teams Player of the Week consecutively in Weeks 14 and 15.



MIKE SOLARI
OFFENSIVE LINE COACH

- Forty-one year coaching veteran Mike Solari is in his 29th season in the NFL and his second as the Giants' offensive line coach.
- In Solari's 18 seasons serving as an NFL team's primary offensive line coach, his players combined for 25 Pro Bowl appearances and at least one of his players was selected to the Pro Bowl in 15 of those seasons.
- Last season, Solari's linemen allowed 22 sacks—five fewer than the Giants surrendered in 2015.



TIM WALTON
SECONDARY/CORNERBACKS

- Walton is in his third season as the Giants' secondary/cornerbacks coach, his eighth season in the NFL, and his 22nd year in coaching.
- In 2016, Pro Bowl selection Janoris Jenkins finished the season with 49 tackles (44 solo), three interceptions, a sack, 18 passes defended and a forced fumble. Jenkins held Dallas' star receiver Dez Bryant to a single catch twice.
- Under Walton, Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie led the Giants and was tied for second in the NFL with six interceptions, becoming the first Giants player with six interceptions in a season since safety Antrel Rolle in 2013.



LUNDA WELLS
ASSISTANT OFFENSIVE
LINE



RYAN ROEDER
OFFENSIVE ASSISTANT

- Roeder is in his fifth season as the Giants' offensive assistant coach.
- Roeder came to the Giants from Princeton University, where he served as tight ends coach and directed the kickoff return and punt return units. In 2012, he helped tight end Mark Hayes earn All-Ivy League honors.
- In 2009, Roeder coached the wide receivers at the University of Rhode Island, assisting Shawn Leonard in leading the Colonial Athletic Association in touchdown receptions and earning All-CAA League honors.



DWAYNE STUKES
ASSISTANT SPECIAL
TEAMS COACH

- Stukes is in his second season as the Giants' assistant special teams coach.
- In 2016, Stukes helped the Giants' special teams unit earn a net punting average of 40.9 yards, their highest since it became an official statistic in 1976.
- Stukes came to the Giants after serving as the Chicago Bears' assistant special teams coach in 2013-14. Chicago finished the 2014 season ranked first in the NFL in kickoff coverage, allowing an average of only 17.5 yards on 35 returns.



AARON WELLMAN
STRENGTH AND
CONDITIONING COACH

- Wellman is in his second season as the Giants' strength and conditioning coach and second in the NFL following a 20-year career at the Division I collegiate level.
- In 2016, Wellman significantly changed the Giants' offseason and in-season training regimens, and the result was a substantial decrease in the number of season-ending injuries suffered by Giants players.
- Wellman came to the Giants after serving as the assistant director of strength and conditioning coach for the University of Notre Dame in 2015.

- Wells is in his sixth season on the Giants' coaching staff and his fifth as the team's assistant offensive line coach.

- Last season, the Giants allowed 22 sacks—five fewer than the total surrendered in 2015—and the third-lowest total in the league after Oakland (18) and Pittsburgh (21).

NEW TO BIG BLUE

The Giants kicked off free agency with the signings of WR **Brandon Marshall**, OL **D.J. Fluker** and TE **Rhett Ellison**. All three players were considered at the top of their position during free agency.



Originally a 4th-round (119th pick overall) draft choice by the Denver Broncos in 2006, **Brandon Marshall** has played in 167 regular-season games with 151 starts for Denver, Miami, Chicago and the Jets. His career totals include 941 receptions for 12,061 yards and 82 touchdowns. He has caught more than 100 passes in a season an NFL-record 6 times, including a career-high 118 with the Bears in 2012, when he was selected first-team All-Pro. He is one of only six players in NFL history to catch at least 100 passes in three consecutive seasons (2007-09).

QUOTEABLE: "I am definitely excited about Brandon. He's a talented guy. I think he'll be a great leader of this team and a great playmaker, and to give us another weapon, you are always excited about that."

- **QUARTERBACK ELI MANNING**

Originally a 4th-round (128th pick overall) draft choice by the Minnesota Vikings in 2012, **Rhett Ellison** has played in 73 regular-season games with 41 starts. The outstanding blocker helped Adrian Peterson rush for more than 1,000 yards three times, including 2,097 yards in his MVP season in 2012. His career totals include 51 receptions for 515 yards, with a long catch of 41 yards and three touchdowns. Ellison played in one postseason game as a rookie in 2012 when the Minnesota Vikings battled the Green Bay Packers in the NFC Wild Card Game in Green Bay.

QUOTEABLE: "He's a veteran guy that has played a lot of football. He's very bright and he works his butt off as far as the understanding of the playbook. He can catch more than he's shown from a statistic standpoint. He has good routes and is a good run blocker as everyone knows."

- **TIGHT ENDS COACH KEVIN M. GILBRIDE**



Originally a first-round (11th pick overall) draft choice by the San Diego Chargers in 2013, **D.J. Fluker** was signed as a free agent by the Giants on March 12, 2017. Fluker has started all 59 regular-season and two postseason games in which he's played. In his first two seasons, he started 28 games in the regular season and two playoff games at right tackle, plus three games at left tackle. In 2016, Fluker started all 16 games at right guard, helping the San Diego Chargers finish 8th in the NFL in passing yards (262.4 per game) and 9th in scoring (25.6 points-per-game).

QUOTEABLE: "He can block out the sun. He had to turn sideways to get through the doorway. He's a big man and loves the game, provides a lot of energy."

- **HEAD COACH BEN MCADOO**

2017 DRAFT CLASS

EVAN ENGRAM



With the No. 23 pick in the first round of the 2017 NFL Draft, the Giants selected Mississippi tight end **Evan Engram**. The four-year starter and two-year team captain played in 45 games with 42 starts at Ole Miss. As the career leader in receptions (162), receiving yards (2,320) and touchdown catches (15) by a tight end, Engram was the first player in school history to earn four All-SEC honors. The first-round draft pick ended his college career as the nation's leader among active tight ends in career receiving yards. The former Rebel ranks 4th in career receptions, 5th in receiving yards and is tied for 6th in touchdown catches.

QUOTABLE: "We think that this guy can be a dynamic weapon in our offense. Obviously he has great speed for the position — we think that he can be a matchup nightmare for teams trying to cover him."

- SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT & GENERAL MANAGER **JERRY RESSE**

With the No. 55 pick in the second round of the 2017 NFL Draft, the Giants selected standout defensive tackle **Dalvin Tomlinson** from Alabama. After redshirting as a freshman in 2012, Tomlinson played in 45 games with 15 starts for the Crimson Tide and totaled 122 tackles, 11.5 tackles for losses, 5.0 sacks and one forced fumble. During his 2015 season, Tomlinson played in all 15 games as the top defensive line reserve and had one solo tackle in the CFP National Championship game victory vs. Clemson.

QUOTABLE: "He fits right in with that group. There's no drop-off from when the ones go out and he comes in. Obviously, I know he's got to learn the scheme and learn his role within the scheme, but he plays at a great pad level. I'm impressed with him."

- GUARD **JUSTIN PUGH**

DALVIN TOMLINSON



DAVIS WEBB



With the No. 87 pick in the third round of the 2017 NFL Draft, the New York Giants selected quarterback **Davis Webb**. A semifinalist for the Davey O'Brien National Quarterback Award and Honorable Mention All-Pac-12 selection, Webb completed 382 of 620 passes (61.6%) for 4,295 yards and 37 touchdowns. The former University of California Bear ranked 2nd among the nation's leaders in pass attempts, 3rd in completions per game, 4th in completions, 4th in total offense, 6th in passing yards and tied for 8th in passing touchdowns. The third-round pick set Cal single-season records for passing attempts and completions.

QUOTABLE: "First of all, he has a big arm. He has one of those wintertime arms, he can throw it in the wind, so again, we thought that he had the best arm talent in the draft this year and this guy is football all the time."

- SVP & GM **JERRY REESE**

2017 DRAFT CLASS

WAYNE GALLMAN



With the 140th pick in the fourth round of the 2017 NFL Draft, the Giants selected running back **Wayne Gallman** from Clemson. As one of the most decorated and productive running backs in school history, the former Tiger was voted second-team All-ACC after contributing 232 carries for 1,133 yards and 17 touchdowns. The stellar running back contributed a 1-yard touchdown in the CFP National Championship victory over Alabama in 2016.

QUOTABLE: "He comes from a winning program and provides a spark and change of pace. He has some speed and we feel like he has some upside in the pass game."

- HEAD COACH **BEN McADOO**

AVERY MOSS



With the 167th pick in the fifth round of the 2017 NFL Draft, the Giants selected defensive end **Avery Moss** from Youngstown State. Moss played four collegiate seasons, including two at Nebraska (2013-14) and two at Youngstown State (2015-16). His 41 games played and 21 starts include 124 tackles, 30 tackles for losses, 18.5 sacks, five forced fumbles, one fumble recovery and one interception which he returned 25 yards for a touchdown.

QUOTABLE: "Avery is really a true defensive end. We think he is just now scratching the surface of where we think he can be."

- SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT & GENERAL MANAGER **JERRY REESE**

ADAM BISNOWATY



With the 200th pick in the sixth round of the 2017 NFL Draft, the Giants selected offensive tackle **Adam Bisnowaty** from Pittsburgh. After redshirting his freshman season, the former Panther played in 45 games with 43 starts at left tackle. Selected first-team All-ACC by league coaches, Bisnowaty helped the Panthers gain 464 yards in a 43-42 road upset of eventual national champions Clemson in 2016.

QUOTABLE: "He has versatility, he could go to guard. He has played a little guard in his career, obviously left tackle, but right now, we like him at right tackle."

- OFFENSIVE LINE COACH **MIKE SOLARI**

ROSTER NOTES

CONNECTIONS

Giants connections to the Patriots:

Defensive Line Coach **Patrick Graham** served as the Patriots coaching assistant (2009), defensive assistant (2010), linebackers coach (2011), defensive line coach (2012-13) and linebackers coach (2014-15); Assistant Strength and Conditioning Coach **Markus Paul** served as the Patriots assistant strength and conditioning coach (2000-04); Director, Pro Personnel **Ken Sternfeld** served as a member of the Patriots organization (1981-2002); LB **Jonathan Casillas** was traded by the Buccaneers to the Patriots (2014); LS **Zak DeOssie**'s father Steve DeOssie served as a linebacker and deep snapper for the Patriots (1994-95); RB **Shane Vereen** was drafted in the second round (56th pick overall) by the Patriots (2011).

Giants connections to Massachusetts:

Defensive Coordinator **Steve Spagnuolo** (from Whitinsville, MA) earned his master's degree in sport management from the University of Massachusetts and served as a graduate assistant at the University of Massachusetts (1982); Linebackers Coach **Bill McGovern** served as defensive backs coach at the University of Massachusetts (1987-90) and defensive coordinator (1992-93), served as defensive backs coach at Boston College (1994-96), linebackers coach (2000-08) and defensive coordinator/linebackers coach (2009-12); Vice President, Player Evaluation **Marc Ross** earned a master's degree in sport management from the University of Massachusetts (1997); LS **Zak DeOssie** is from North Andover, MA; LB **Mark Herzlich** (2006-10) and LB **Steven Daniels** (2012-15) attended Boston College in Newton, MA; Director of Corporate and Football Communications **Jen Conley** is from Quincy, MA and attended Boston College (2001-05).

Patriots connections to the Giants:

Head Coach **Bill Belichick** served as the Giants special teams coach (1979-80), special teams and linebackers coach (1981-82), linebackers coach (1983-84), defensive coordinator (1985-88), defensive coordinator and secondary coach (1989-90) and won his first two Super Bowls as the defensive coordinator (1986 & 1990); WR **Chris Hogan** signed by the Giants to the practice squad (2011); Football Research Director **Ernie Adams** served as the Giants offensive assistant (1979-81) and director of pro personnel (1982-85).

Patriots connections to New Jersey/New York:

Patriots RB **Dion Lewis** attended Albany High School, Albany Academy (Albany, N.Y.) and Blair Academy (Blairstown, N.J.); Patriots DB **Devin McCourty** attended Saint Joseph's High School (Montvale, N.J.) and Rutgers University (New Brunswick, N.J.); Patriots Director of Football/Head Coach Administration **Berj Najarian** is from Manhasset, N.Y.

College Connections:

LB **Curtis Grant** (2011-14) and Patriots DB **Nate Ebner** (2009-11) were teammates at Ohio State; Tight Ends Coach **Kevin M. Gilbride** (2003-05) and Patriots Defensive Coordinator **Matt Patricia** (2001-03) served as graduate assistants at Syracuse; Secondary/Cornerbacks coach **Tim Walton** (2002) coached defensive backs while Patriots Defensive Coordinator **Matt Patricia** (2001-03) served as a graduate assistant at Syracuse; OL **D.J. Fluker** (2009-12) and Patriots LB **Dont'a Hightower** (2008-11) were teammates at Alabama; S **Landon Collins** (2012-14), OL **D.J. Fluker** (2009-12) and Patriots CB **Cyrus Jones** (2012-14) were teammates at Alabama; DT **Dalvin Tomlinson** (2013-16) and Patriots CB **Cyrus Jones** (2012-14) were teammates at Alabama; OL **D.J. Fluker** (2009-12) played at Alabama when Patriots Special Teams Coach **Joe Judge** (2009-11) served on the coaching staff; LS **Zak DeOssie** (2003-06) and Patriots FB **James Develin** (2006-09) were teammates at Brown; OL **Adam Gettis** (2007-2011) and Patriots OL **James Ferentz** (2008-12) were teammates at Iowa; T **Jon Halapio** (2009-13) was teammates with Patriots QB **Jacoby Brissett** (2011-12) and RB **Mike Gillislee** (2009-12) at Florida; WR **Tavarres King** (2008-12) was teammates with Patriots C **David Andrews** (2011-14) and WR **Malcolm Mitchell** (2011-15) at Georgia;

CONNECTIONS CONT.

TE **Matt LaCasse** (2011-14) and Patriots G **Ted Karras** were teammates at Illinois; DE **Stansly Maponga Sr.** (2010-12) and Patriots OL **Marcus Cannon** (2006-2010) were teammates at Texas Christian; DE **Avery Moss** (2015-16) and Patriots DE **Derek Rivers** (2013-16) were teammates at Youngstown State; S **Ryan Murphy** (2011-14) and Patriots WR **Brandin Cooks** (2011-13) were teammates at Oregon State; DE **Owa Odighizuwa** (2010-14) and RB **Paul Perkins** (2013-15) were teammates with Patriots WR **Devin Lucien** (2012-15) and OL **Conor McDermott** (2013-16) at UCLA; LB **Keenan Robinson** (2008-11) and Patriots DL **Malcom Brown** (2011-14) were teammates at Texas; WR **Sterling Shepard** (2012-15) and Patriots DL **Geneo Grissom** (2011-14) were teammates at Oklahoma; DT **Robert Thomas** (2011-13) was teammates with Patriots DL **Trey Flowers** (2011-14), DL **Deatrich Wise Jr.** (2012-16), LB **Brooks Ellis** (2013-16) and WR **Cody Hollister** (2014-16) at Arkansas and played defensive tackle when Patriots Tight Ends Coach **Nick Caley** (2013) was a defensive grad assistant; DE **Jordan Williams** (2011-14) was teammates with Patriots CB **Justin Coleman** (2011-14) and DL **Corey Vereen** (2013-16); DE **Kerry Wynn** (2009-13) and Patriots DB **David Jones** (2012-15) were teammates at Richmond; OL **Matt Rotherham** (2010-14) and Patriots **Dion Lewis** (2009-10) were teammates at Pittsburgh; FB **Jacob Huesman** (2011-15) and Patriots DL **Keionta Davis** (2012-16) were teammates at Tennessee-Chattanooga.

ROSTER FACTS

Oldest Giants Player: QB Eli Manning, 36

Youngest Giants Player: WR Jerome Lane, 21

Heaviest Giants Player: OL D.J. Fluker, 345 lbs.

Lightest Giants Player: CB Donte Deayon, 163 lbs.

Tallest Giants Player: DE Devin Taylor, 6'8

Shortest Giants Player: CB Donte Deayon, 5'9

Most Seasons with the Giants: QB Eli Manning, 14th season

Most NFL Seasons: QB Eli Manning, 14th season

College with the most Giants (3, tied): Alabama, USC and Ohio State

Former 1st round picks (8): TE Evan Engram (2017-Giants), D.J. Fluker (2013-Chargers), CB Eli Apple (2016-Giants), WR Odell Beckham Jr. (2014-Giants), T Ereck Flowers (2015-Giants), CB Leon Hall (2007-Bengals), QB Eli Manning (2004-Chargers), G Justin Pugh (2013-Giants), CB Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie (2008-Cardinals)

Players with Super Bowl Rings (6): LB Jonathan Casillas (2), LS Zak DeOssie (2), LB Mark Herzlich, QB Eli Manning (2), DE Jason Pierre-Paul, LB Deontae Skinner

GIANTS PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

JERELL Adams (JA-relle)

Nat BERHE (bur-HEY)

Adam BISNOWATY (bis-no-vat-ee)

Jonathan CASILLAS (kuh-SEE-is)

Donte DEAYON (dee-ON)

Zak DEOSSIE (dee-OSSY)

Shaun DRAUGHN (DRONE)

Mark HERZLICH (HERZ-lick)

Jacob HUESMAN (HUES-men)

Duke IHENACHO (EE-ah-NAH-cho)

DEVON KENNARD (duh-VON kuh-NARD)

Matt LACOSSE (la-COSS)

Owa ODIGHIZUWA (oh-diggy-ZOO- wah)

Romeo OKWARA (OAK-wara)

OLIVIER Vernon (oh-liv-E-A)

Aldrick ROSAS (rose-AHS)

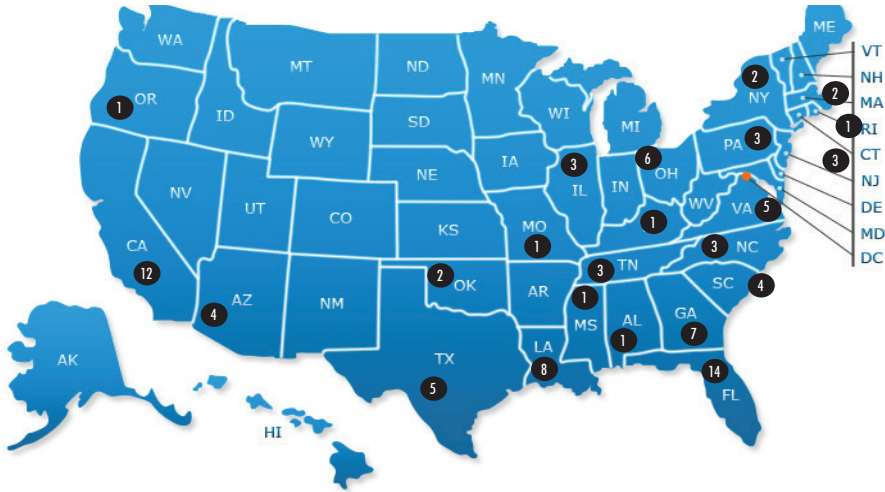
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DEONTAE Skinner (DEE-on-TAY)

GIANT STATE OF MIND

HOMETOWN HEROES: The Giants players represent 23 states and two countries. Below is a breakdown.

*Canada is not included on the map.



Alabama (1)

Chris Casher - Mobile

Arizona (4)

Marquis Bundy - Phoenix
Devon Kennard - Phoenix
Avery Moss - Tempe
Paul Perkins - Chandler

California (12)

Nat Berhe - Colton
Donte Deayon - Rialto
Rhett Ellison - Portola Valley
Duke Ihenacho - Torrance
Josh Johnson - Oakland
Ryan Murphy - Oakland
Eric Pinkins - Sacramento
Aldrick Rosas - Orland
Shane Smith - Los Gatos
Darian Thompson - Lancaster
Shane Vereen - Valencia
Chad Wheeler - Santa Monica

Connecticut (1)

Will Tye - Salisbury

Florida (14)

Ereck Flowers - Miami Gardens
Jon Halapio - St. Petersburg
Bobby Hart - Lauderdale
Janoris Jenkins - Pahokee
Jason Pierre-Paul - Deerfield Beach
Bobby Richardson - Tampa
Travis Rudolph - West Palm Beach
Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie - Bradenton
Geno Smith - Miramar
Brandon Marshall - Winter Park
J.T. Thomas III - Fort Lauderdale
Nigel Tribune - Jacksonville
Olivier Vernon - Miami
Jordan Williams - Gainesville

Georgia (7)

Andrew Adams - Fayetteville
Evan Engram - Powder Springs
Wayne Gallman - Loganville
Dwayne Harris - Tucker
Tavarres King - Mount Airy
Dalvin Tomlinson - McDonough
Tay Glover-Wright - Smyrna

Illinois (3)

Corbin Bryant - Chicago
Adam Gettis - Calumet Park
Matt LaCrosse - Naperville

Louisiana (8)

Odell Beckham Jr. - New Orleans
Landon Collins - Geismen
Ed Eagan - New Orleans
D.J. Fluker - New Orleans
Damon Harrison - Westlake
Michael Hunter Jr. - Monroe
Eli Manning - New Orleans
Brad Wing - Baton Rouge

Massachusetts (2)

Zak DeOssie - North Andover
Canaan Severin - Marlborough

Mississippi (1)

Deontae Skinner - Macon

Missouri (1)

Calvin Munson - St. Charles

New Jersey (3)

Eli Apple - Voorhees
Jonathan Casillas - New Brunswick
Richard Levy - Trenton

New York (2)

Jay Bromley - Flushing
Jarron Jones - Rochester

North Carolina (3)

Josh Banks - Cary
Shaun Draughn - Tarboro
Romeo Okwara - Charlotte

Ohio (6)

Steven Daniels - Cincinnati
C.J. Germany - Cleveland
Jerome Lane - Akron
Roger Lewis Jr. - Pickerington
Mike Nugent - Kettering
Matt Rotheram - North Olmsted

Oklahoma (2)

Sterling Shepard - Oklahoma City
Robert Thomas - Muskogee

Oregon (1)

Owa Odighizuwa - Portland

Pennsylvania (3)

Adam Bisnowaty - Pittsburgh
Mark Herzlich - Conestoga
Justin Pugh - Holland

South Carolina (4)

Jerrell Adams - Summerton
B.J. Goodson - Lamar
Trey Robinson - Spartanburg
Devin Taylor - Beaufort

Tennessee (3)

Orleans Darkwa - Nashville
Jacob Huesman - Chattanooga
John Jerry - Batesville

Texas (5)

Stansly Maponga - Carrollton
Weston Richburg - Bushland
Keenan Robinson - Plano
Davis Webb - Prosper
Valentino Blake - Missouri City

Virginia (5)

Khalid Abdullah - Newport News
DaShaun Amos - Midlothian
Curtis Grant - Richmond
Tim Scott - Stafford
Kerry Wynn - Louis Country

Canada (1)

Brett Jones - Weyburn, Saskatchewan

INSIDE THE SERIES HISTORY

By Michael Eisen
September 1, 2016

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — The immediate future is uncertain for many of them, but the Giants reserves can always say they won a game in which they faced Tom Brady for a half.

Eli Manning, Odell Beckham Jr., and all four members of the starting defensive line were among the front-line players Ben McAdoo rested when the Giants hosted the New England Patriots Thursday in the preseason finale. Resting stars and starters is standard procedure for many teams in the last preseason game. Playing a four-time Super Bowl-winning quarterback and future Hall of Famer is not. But Brady must serve his NFL suspension in the first four games of the regular season, so Bill Belichick figured this was Brady's last chance to get some work before he returns Oct. 9 in Cleveland.

Brady's presence wasn't enough to prevent the Giants from winning, 17-9. The Giants finished their summer tour of the AFC East with a 2-2 record.

Ryan Nassib played quarterback for most of the game, and Tavarres King, Roger Lewis, Trevin Wade, Bobby Rainey and Mark Herzlich were some of the players who stepped up for the Giants.

"It was good to see the back end of the roster get out there and play well tonight," coach Ben McAdoo said. "They played hard, they played with some great energy and enthusiasm. They were challenged on both sides of the ball, especially on special teams and they stepped up and had a nice night."

Nassib, who is expected to spend a fourth season as Manning's backup, completed 16 of 29 passes for 210 yards, including a 59-yard touchdown to King (who ran 50 yards after catching the ball).

As he has all summer, McAdoo was fully supportive of Nassib.

"What's important for the backup quarterback position is we need to be able to put players around them in positions to be successful," McAdoo said. "We feel Ryan can do that. He missed a couple throws, but we didn't run some great routes at times and he keeps playing. He keeps running, he keeps playing hard and he keeps taking shots and staying aggressive."

Nassib was among a large group of reserves to make key contributions. Lewis caught a 17-yard touchdown pass from Logan Thomas. Wade intercepted a Brady pass, knocked down another, and was credited with four tackles (two solo). Rainey led the Giants with 38 rushing yards and returned two punts and a kickoff. Herzlich and Montori Hughes recovered Patriots fumbles.

Brady had similar statistics to Nassib — 16 completions in 26 attempts for 166 yards, a touchdown, and the interception. Brady was replaced not by Jimmy Garoppolo, who will start in his absence, but by rookie Jacoby Brissett.

"I think (the defense) responded well," McAdoo said of facing Brady. "Playing chess with one of the best in the history of the game, they responded, they got a couple of turnovers and they helped us out."

Prior to the game, the Giants released a list of 15 players who would not participate in the game, including six with injuries. That group included cornerback Leon Hall (concussion); safety Darian Thompson (shoulder); tight end Will Johnson (burner); and linebackers Jasper Brinkley (knee), Jonathan Casillas (ribs) and B.J. Goodson (concussion).

The other players held out of the game were Manning, Beckham, center Weston Richburg, cornerbacks Janoris Jenkins and Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie, defensive ends Jason Pierre-Paul and Olivier Vernon, and defensive tackles Johnathan Hankins and Damon Harrison.

McAdoo said he was not at all tempted to play Manning, who sat out two of the four preseason games.

"It was our plan going into it," McAdoo said. "He's played a lot of football in his career. He has a lot he can fall back on. Two games is enough."

New England scored first on Brady's seven-yard touchdown pass to Keshawn Martin, but the 2-point conversion attempt failed. Randy Bullock's 25-yard field goal for the Giants was the only other first-half score.

The Giants took the lead for good when King ran an in-cut, caught Nassib's pass in stride and outraced the Patriots secondary to the end zone for a 10-6 lead. Stephen Gostkowski's 32-yard field goal early in the fourth quarter pulled the Patriots to within a point. Thomas replaced Nassib in the fourth quarter and led the Giants on a 13-play, 79-yard drive that ended with a perfect back shoulder throw to Lewis, who scored his first touchdown.

Now, presumably, comes the hard part. The Giants must remove 22 players from their roster by 4 p.m. Saturday to reach the NFL regular-season limit of 53.

"We're going to use our lines of communication," McAdoo said. "We'll get with the position coaches, the coordinators and put everything on the table. We've had a revolving door, you could say, where we ranked it each day on how the positions look, and we always keep it up to date. There'll be maybe a couple of surprises. We're going to have some tough conversations, it's not anything that's going to be easy. And then we'll go down and work from the top with (general manager) Jerry (Reese) and the personnel department and get everybody on the same page and go from there."

Asked when that process started, McAdoo said, "A while ago."

Now, it's crunch time.



LAST GAME VS. PATRIOTS (Regular Season)

PATRIOTS 27, GIANTS 26 - NOV. 15, 2015 AT MetLife Stadium

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS (Head Coach: BILL BELICHICK)



OFFENSE

TE 85 M.Williams
LT 71 C.Fleming
LG 69 S.Mason
C 60 D.Andrews
RG 67 J.Kline
RT 66 B.Stork
TE 87 R.Gronkowski
WR 11 J.Edelman
QB 12 T.Brady
RB 29 L.Blount
TE 88 S.Chandler

DEFENSE

LE 50 R.Ninkovich
DT 97 A.Branch
DT 90 M.Brown
RE 95 C.Jones
LB 55 J.Freeny
LB 54 D.Hightower
LB 51 J.Mayo
LCB 21 M.Butler
RCB 26 L.Ryan
S 32 D.McCourt
S 23 P.Chung

NEW YORK GIANTS (Head Coach: TOM COUGHLIN)

OFFENSE

WR 13 O.Beckham Jr
LT 76 E.Flowers
LG 77 J.Jerry
C 70 W.Richburg
RG 74 G.Schwartz
RT 73 M.Newhouse
WR 45 W.Tye
QB 10 E.Manning
WR 82 R.Randle
RB 23 R.Jennings
TE 86 J.Cunningham

DEFENSE

LDE 91 R.Ayers Jr.
LDT 99 C.Jenkins
RDT 78 M.Kuhn
RDE 90 J.Pierre-Paul
SLB 59 D.Kennard
MLB 53 J.Brinkley
WLB 54 J.Casillas
LCB 41 D.Rodgers-Cromartie
SS 22 B.Meriweather
FS 21 L.Collins
RCB 28 J.Hosley

GAME SUMMARY

	1	2	3	4	OT	TOTAL	FG (Made) & Missed
PATRIOTS	7	3	7	10	0	27	(31)(54)
GIANTS	7	10	6	3	0	26	(37)(38)(53)(29)

TEAM	OTR	TIME	PLAY DESCRIPTION	DRIVE	SCORE
Patriots	1	6:40	S.Chandler 1 yd. pass from T.Brady (S.Gostkowski kick)	14-80, 8:20	7-0
Giants	1	5:49	O.Beckham Jr. 87 yd. pass from E.Manning (J.Brown kick)	2-91, 0:51	7-7
Patriots	2	12:54	S.Gostkowski 31 yd. Field Goal	10-57, 5:28	10-7
Giants	2	3:42	J.Brown 37 yd. Field Goal	9-35, 3:17	10-10
Giants	2	0:13	D.Harris 1 yd. pass from E.Manning (J.Brown kick)	7-74, 0:56	10-17
Giants	3	9:32	J.Brown 38 yd. Field Goal	10-60, 5:28	10-20
Patriots	3	4:46	L.Blount 1 yd. run (S.Gostkowski kick)	3-7, 1:23	17-20
Giants	3	0:49	J.Brown 53 yd. Field Goal	9-45, 3:57	17-23
Patriots	4	11:33	R.Gronkowski 76 yd. pass from T.Brady (S.Gostkowski kick)	3-86, 1:25	24-23
Giants	4	1:47	J.Brown 29 yd. Field Goal	15-86, 4:14	24-26
Patriots	4	0:01	S.Gostkowski 54 yd. Field Goal	12-44, 1:46	27-26

OFFICIALS - Referee: Ed Hochuli (85), Umpire: Clay Martin (19), Head Linesman: Patrick Turner (13), Line Judge: Rusty Baynes (59)

Side Judge: Greg Meyer (78), Field Judge: Adrian Hill (29), Back Judge: Scott Helverson (93), Replay Official: Tom Sifferman

TEAM STATISTICS

	PATRIOTS	GIANTS
First Downs	22	21
Third Downs	7-14	7-15
Fourth Downs	1-1	0-0
Total Net Yards	406	422
Net Rushing Yards	77	80
Net Passing Yards	329	342
Att-Comp-INT	42-26-1	44-24-0
Penalties-Yards Lost	7-93	8-49
Fumbles (Total-Lost)	2-1	2-1
FG (Made-Attempted)	0-0	0-0
Safeties	0	0
Final Score	27	26
Time of Possession	31:36	28:24

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

PATRIOTS

Passing	Att	Cmp	Yds	TD	INT	LG
T.Brady	42	26	334	2	1	76

Rushing

	Att	Yds	Avg	Lg	TD
L.Blount	19	66	3.5	13	1
T.Brady	2	9	4.5	10	0
J.White	1	5	5.0	5	0
B.Bolden	1	-3	-3.0	-3	0

Receiving

	Tar	Rec	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
D.Amendola	11	10	79	7.9	12	0
R.Gronkowski	7	5	113	22.6	76	1
J.Edelman	5	4	53	13.3	30	0
B.LaFell	6	2	66	33.0	54	0
L.Blount	2	2	11	5.5	10	0
J.White	1	1	6	6.0	6	0
A.Dobson	4	1	5	5.0	5	0
S.Chandler	3	1	1	1.0	1	1

GIANTS

Passing	Att	Cmp	Yds	TD	INT	LG
E.Manning	44	24	361	2	0	87

Rushing

	Att	Yds	Avg	Lg	TD
R.Jennings	11	39	3.5	6	0
O.Darkwa	5	15	3.0	4	0
S.Vereen	4	14	3.5	9	0
E.Manning	1	10	10.0	10	0
A.Williams	2	2	1.0	3	0

Receiving

	Tar	Rec	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
D.Harris	9	6	82	13.7	30	1
W.Tye	7	5	56	11.2	31	0
O.Beckham Jr.	12	4	104	26.0	87	1
R.Randle	4	3	51	17.0	31	0
S.Vereen	4	2	12	6.0	11	0
R.Jennings	3	2	12	6.0	7	0
M.White	3	1	28	28.0	28	0
J.Cunningham	2	1	16	16.0	16	0

GIANTS PLAYERS vs. PATRIOTS

REGULAR SEASON ONLY

Offensive Statistics

Passing

Player	G	A - C - I	Yards	Pct.	TD	Rtg.
G. Smith	4	129-69-5	883	53.5	3	66.8
E. Manning	3	115-66-2	862	57.4	8	97.1
J. Johnson	1	26-9-3	156	34.6	1	29.2

Rushing

Player	G	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
S. Vereen	1	4	14	3.5	9	0

Receiving

Player	G	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
B. Marshall	12	60	882	14.7	47	6
O. Beckham Jr.	1	4	104	26.0	87t	1
W. Tye	1	5	56	11.2	31	0

Special Teams

Kicking

Player	G	FG	FGA	Long	XP	XPA
M. Nugent	10	9	11	54	18	18

Defensive Statistics

Defensive Line

Player	G	Tackles	Sacks	QBH	FF	FR
O. Vernon	8	14	3.5	10	0	0
D. Harrison	7	9	1	1	0	0
J. Pierre-Paul	2	3	1	2	0	0

Linebackers

Player	G	Tackles	INT	QBH	PD	FF
J. Casillas	2	7	0	0	0	0
M. Herzlich	2	2	0	0	0	0
K. Robinson	1	7	1	0	1	0
D. Kennard	1	6	0	0	0	0

Defensive Backs

Player	G	Tackles	INT	TD	FF	PD
D. Rodgers-Cromartie	3	11	0	0	0	3
J. Jenkins	1	5	0	0	0	2
L. Collins	1	5	0	0	0	1

TALE OF THE TAPE



NEW YORK GIANTS

2016 TALE OF THE TAPE

Giants		Opponents
310	Points Scored	284
289	First Downs	298
78	3rd Down Conversions	84
5291	Offensive Yards	5435
1412	Net Rushing Yards	1417
3879	Net Passing Yards	4018
21	Field Goals	34
36	Touchdowns	26
6	Rushing TDs	10
26	Passing TDs	15
4	PR/KR TDs	1
6.1	Punt Return Avg.	8.9
23.8	KO Return Avg.	22.8
35.0	Sacks	21.0

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS



2016 TALE OF THE TAPE

Patriots		Opponents
441	Points Scored	250
351	First Downs	294
104	3rd Down Conversions	76
6180	Offensive Yards	5223
1872	Net Rushing Yards	1417
4308	Net Passing Yards	3806
27	Field Goals	21
51	Touchdowns	27
19	Rushing TDs	6
32	Passing TDs	21
0	PR/KR TDs	0
6.9	Punt Return Avg.	5.0
18.7	KO Return Avg.	19.3
34.0	Sacks	24.0

2016 LEADERS

Scoring:	Odell Beckham Jr.	60
Pass Attempts:	Eli Manning	598
Pass Completions:	Eli Manning	377
Completion Pct:	Eli Manning	63.0
Passing Yards:	Eli Manning	4027
Passing TDs:	Eli Manning	26
Rushing Yards:	Rashad Jennings	593
Rushing TDs:	Rashad Jennings	3
Avg. Yards-Per-Rush:	Sterling Shepard	10.3
Receptions:	Odell Beckham Jr.	101
Receiving Yards:	Odell Beckham Jr.	1367
Receiving TDs:	Odell Beckham Jr.	10
Avg. Yards-Per-Rec:	Tavarres King	25.0
Tackles:	Landon Collins	125
Sacks:	Olivier Vernon	8.5
Interceptions:	Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie	6
Punt Returns:	Dwayne Harris	29
Punt Return Average:	Odell Beckham Jr.	6.6
KO Returns:	Dwayne Harris	22
KO Return Average:	Bobby Rainey	25.5
Punts:	Brad Wing	93
Punting Average:	Brad Wing	46.2

2016 LEADERS

Scoring:	Stephen Gostkowski	127
Pass Attempts:	Tom Brady	432
Pass Completions:	Tom Brady	291
Completion Pct:	Jimmy Garoppolo	68.3
Passing Yards:	Tom Brady	3554
Passing TDs:	Tom Brady	28
Rushing Yards:	LeGarrette Blount	1161
Rushing TDs:	LeGarrette Blount	18
Avg. Yards-Per-Rush:	Jacoby Brissett	5.19
Receptions:	Julian Edelman	98
Receiving Yards:	Julian Edelman	1106
Receiving TDs:	Martellus Bennett	7
Avg. Yards-Per-Rec:	Rob Gronkowski	21.6
Tackles:	Logan Ryan	92
Sacks:	Trey Flowers	7.0
Interceptions:	Malcolm Butler	4
Punt Returns:	Danny Amendola	18
Punt Return Average:	Julian Edelman	9.0
KO Returns:	Cyrus Jones	8
KO Return Average:	D.J. Foster	30.0
Punts:	Ryan Allen	72
Punting Average:	Ryan Allen	44.7

QUOTABLES

On the Team's Confidence in B.J. Goodson at Middle Linebacker...

"Yeah, we have a lot of confidence in B.J. He gets better each and every day. He is taking it from the practice field to the game field. And he is working on ripping the ball out, he was doing a good job of that today. He is a guy that gets better with reps and we are excited for B.J."

- Head Coach Ben McAdoo

On the First-Team Offense's Performance vs. the Jets in Preseason Week 3...

"Well, I thought we did a good job. We moved the ball well. Obviously, we had the interception. I've got to do a better job on that and feeling the pressure and not throwing it right there and getting hit and the ball fluttering up. But besides that, had some good drives. We were able to get into the end zone the other time we got down there close. But I thought the assignments, guys were doing their assignments well and made some plays."

- QB Eli Manning

On Jay Bromley's Improvement...

"He's made a tremendous jump. The way he gets off the ball, the way he uses his power. The way he's reading the blocks, he's not just running up the field. Jay is a totally different player from four years ago. I think he's ready. I think this is going to be his come-out year."

- DE Jason Pierre-Paul

On Landon Collins...

"He's an amazing player, amazing person. Being with him on the field and off the field, in meeting rooms, I can see why he's so good. He loves the game and he's a great player for us."

- S Darian Thompson

On Brett Jones...

"He does a great job. He's really versatile. The thing that makes him good is he knows exactly what he's supposed to be doing at any time, so you can really put him anywhere. He does a great job of making sure he knows what's going on."

- C Weston Richburg

On the Pursuit to Make the Final 53-Man Roster...

"I'm just coming out and doing the best that I can do. It's all in God's hands and it's in coach's hands, so I'm just trying to come out and be who I can be."

- WR Travis Rudolph

Mike Nugent On His 54-Yard Field Goal vs. the Jets in Preseason Week 3...

"Yeah, it came off my foot really well. I just did a good job of keeping my head down. I got to give it to the guys up front, the blocking is always great here. I've noticed that every day. My job is a lot easier when I get snaps and holds like I do with these two guys. So, it is nice going up to a field goal thinking everything else is going to be great. I just have to make sure to do my job."

- K Mike Nugent

GIANTS COACHING FACTS

YOUTH MOVEMENT

When Ben McAdoo coached his first game as New York Giants Head Coach, he was 39 years old and the youngest head coach for the team in over 35 years. McAdoo's age also made him the second youngest head coach in the NFL at the time, with only the Dolphins' Adam Gase younger by a year. However, this past offseason more teams followed the trend of hiring youthful coaches, which sent McAdoo down the list of youngest NFL coaches. The chart below shows the five youngest coaches currently coaching in the NFL.

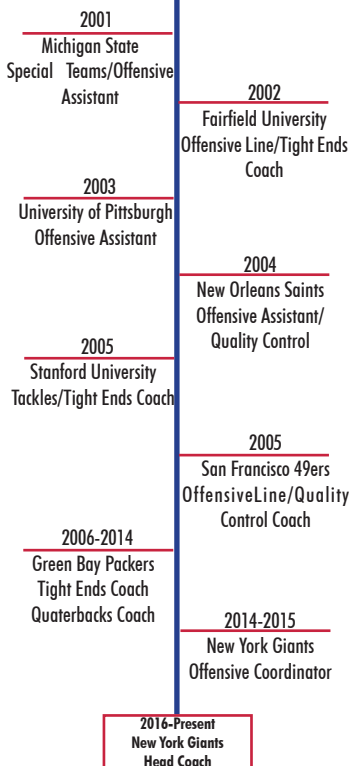
1. Sean McVay LAR	31	1/24/86
2. Kyle Shanahan SF	37	12/14/79
3. Adam Gase MIA	38	3/9/78
4. Ben McAdoo NYG	40	7/9/77
5. Vance Joseph DEN	44	9/30/72

COMBINED NFL COACHING EXP.

The chart below shows the NFL coaching experiences of all of the Giants 21 coaches and the combined number of years they have coached in the league.

Name	Year Started	Total Exp.
Ben McAdoo	2004	14 years
Mike Sullivan	2002	16 years
Steve Spagnuolo	1999	19 years
Bobby Blick	2017	1 year
Frank Cignetti Jr.	'99/'07/'14/'16	10 years
Joe Danos	2012	6 years
Kevin Gilbride	2010	8 years
Patrick Graham	2010	8 years
Adam Henry	2007 & 2015	8 years
Craig Johnson	2000	18 years
Rob Leonard	2012	6 years
Bill McGovern	2013	5 years
David Merritt Sr.	2004	14 years
Markus Paul	1998	20 years
Tom Quinn	2006	12 years
Ryan Roeder	2013	5 years
Mike Solari	1987-88 & 1992	29 years
Dwayne Stukes	2006	12 years
Tim Walton	2010	8 years
Aaron Wellman	2016	2 years
Lunda Wells	2012	6 years
Combined Exp.		227 years

McADOO'S TIMELINE



COACHING COMPARISON



BEN McADOO

NFL Record: 11-5 (Overall)
NFL Head Coach: 2nd Year



Ben McAdoo succeeded Tom Coughlin as the Giants 17th head coach on Jan. 14, 2016, after spending the 2014 and 2015 seasons as the Giants offensive coordinator.

McAdoo had one of the most successful debut seasons by a head coach in Giants history in 2016. He tied Dan Reeves (1993) for the most victories by a Giants head coach in his first season with the team and was the fourth coach with double-digit victories in his initial Giants season. He is also fourth coach in franchise history to lead the team to the playoffs in his first season, joining Allie Sherman (1961), Reeves (1993) and Fassel (1997).

The Giants finished 11-5 and in second place in the NFC East after finishing 6-10 and in third place in both 2014 and 2015. The five-game improvement in victories was their biggest since 2005.

While in his role as offensive coordinator in 2014 and 2015, the Giants offense ranked in the top 10 in the NFL both seasons.

Last season, McAdoo continued his play-calling role as head coach. With Eli Manning throwing every pass, the Giants had 598 attempts (the fifth-highest total in franchise history) and 377 completions (third-highest total). The Giants' completion percentage of 63.0 was the second highest in franchise history, just behind the record of 63.1 set in 2014 and just ahead of the 62.9 rate in 2015.

Before joining the Giants, McAdoo spent eight years as an assistant coach with the Green Bay Packers. During his tenure, the Packers earned six playoff berths, won four NFC North titles and defeated Pittsburgh in Super Bowl XLV.



BILL BELICHIK

NFL Record: 237-115 (Overall)
NFL Head Coach: 23rd Year



Bill Belichick completed his 42nd season as an NFL coach in 2016 and is in his 18th season as head coach of the New England Patriots. Belichick won his fifth Super Bowl as head coach of the Patriots in 2016, surpassing Pittsburgh's Chuck Noll for most Super Bowl wins by a head coach. Additionally in 2016, Belichick coached the Patriots to their NFL record eighth straight AFC East title and advanced to the AFC Championship Game for the sixth straight season, passing John Madden who appeared in five straight conference title games (1973-77). Belichick won 14 regular-season games for an NFL record fifth time and secured his 14th AFC East Division title as Patriots head coach, the most in NFL history.

Bill Belichick enters 2017 with the most wins among all active coaches and is currently fourth all-time with 263 total victories as a head coach. Belichick's winning percentage of .678 ranks second in NFL history among coaches with 150 or more wins, trailing only George Halas (.682). He has led the Patriots to a winning record for 16 consecutive seasons (2001-16), trailing only Tom Landry, who recorded 20 consecutive winning seasons from 1966-85. Belichick has also notched 26 postseason wins in his career, most by a head coach in NFL history.

Belichick, who was hired by Patriots Chairman and CEO Robert Kraft on Jan. 27, 2000, is in his 18th season with the Patriots. In 17 seasons, Belichick has so far delivered five Super Bowl championships, seven conference titles, 14 division crowns and 25 playoff victories, while posting an overall record of 226-80. Entering 2017, the Patriots have won eight consecutive division championships, besting the seven won by the L.A. Rams (1973-79).

BEN McADOO

11-5

0-0 (0-0)

2

2

0-0 (0-0)

Overall Record

Career Head-to-Head RS (PS)

Years as Team's Head Coach

Years as NFL Head Coach

RS Record vs. Opponent (PS)

BILL BELICHIK

237-115

0-0 (0-0)

18

23

3-3 (0-2)

2016 SEASON RANKINGS

TEAM OFFENSE



TOTAL YARDS ALLOWED PER PLAY

Category	Stat	NFL Rank
Points Per Game	19.4	26th
First Downs Per Game	18.1	29th
3rd Down Percentage	35.64	28th
Touchdowns	36	T20th
Total Yards	5,291	25th
Total Yards Per Play	5.2	23rd
Passing Yards Per Game	251.7	18th
Rushing Yards Per Game	88.3	29th
Total Yards Per Game	330.7	25th

TEAM DEFENSE

Category	Stat	Rank
Points Per Game	17.8	2nd
Total Yards Per Game	339.7	10th
Total Yards Per Play	5.1	7th
Rushing Yards Per Game	88.6	4th
Rushing Yards Per Play	3.6	T2nd
Passing Yards Per Game	251.1	23rd
Passing Yards Per Play	6.8	7th
Red Zone Percentage	42.55%	1st

POINTS PER GAME ALLOWED

The Giants allowed the 2nd fewest points per game in the NFL in 2016, with 17.8. The chart below shows the 10 teams in the NFL who allowed the fewest points per game.

POINTS PER GAME ALLOWED IN 2016

TEAM	TOTAL POINTS PER GAME
1. NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS	15.6
2. NEW YORK GIANTS	17.8
3. SEATTLE SEAHAWKS	18.3
4. DENVER BRONCOS	18.6
5. DALLAS COWBOYS	19.1
6. MINNESOTA VIKINGS	19.2
7. KANSAS CITY CHIEFS	19.4
8. CINCINNATI BENGALS	19.7
9. BALTIMORE RAVENS	20.1
10. PITTSBURGH STEELERS	20.4

The Giants were tied for fifth in fewest yards allowed per play in the NFL with 5.1 yards in 2016.

TOTAL YARDS PER PLAY ALLOWED IN 2016

TEAM	TOTAL YARDS PER PLAY
1. DENVER BRONCOS	4.7
2. ARIZONA CARDINALS	4.8
T3. JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS	5.0
T3. SEATTLE SEAHAWKS	5.0
T5. MINNESOTA VIKINGS	5.1
T5. NEW YORK GIANTS	5.1
T5. HOUSTON TEXANS	5.1
T8. BALTIMORE RAVENS	5.2
T8. LOS ANGELES RAMS	5.2
T8. NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS	5.2

RUSHING YARDS ALLOWED PER GAME

The Giants tied for 3rd in fewest rushing yards allowed per game in the NFL with 88.6 in 2016. The chart below shows the 10 teams in the NFL who allowed the fewest rushing yards per game last season.

RUSHING YARDS PER GAME ALLOWED IN 2016

TEAM	RUSHING YARDS PER GAME
1. DALLAS COWBOYS	83.5
2. TENNESSEE TITANS	88.3
T3. NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS	88.6
T3. NEW YORK GIANTS	88.6
5. BALTIMORE RAVENS	89.4
6. CAROLINA PANTHERS	91.6
7. SEATTLE SEAHAWKS	92.9
8. GREEN BAY PACKERS	94.7
9. ARIZONA CARDINALS	94.9
10. SAN DIEGO CHARGERS	97.9

DEFENSIVE RED ZONE % 2016

The Giants ranked 1st in the NFL in defensive red zone percentage in 2016. They only allowed touchdowns on 42.55% of opponent red zone trips. The chart below shows the top 5 red zone defenses in the NFL in 2016.

RED ZONE PERCENTAGE IN 2016

TEAM	RED ZONE PERCENTAGE
1. NEW YORK GIANTS	39.02%
2. CAROLINA PANTHERS	43.64%
3. PHILADELPHIA EAGLES	45.10%
4. KANSAS CITY CHIEFS	45.61%
5. PITTSBURGH STEELERS	48.48%

2016 INDIVIDUAL NOTES

MANNING IN 2016



AIR RAID

Category	Stat	NFL Rank
Passer Rating	86.0	22nd
Attempts	598	7th
Completions	377	8th
Completion Percentage	63.0%	17th
Passing Yards	4,027	13th
Passing TDs	26	T10th
Passing 1st Downs	190	16th
25+ Yard Completions	31	T10th

ATTACKING THROUGH THE AIR

Eli Manning was 7th in the NFL in pass attempts in 2016. The chart below shows where Manning stacked up in the top 10 in attempts.

Most Pass Attempts in 2016

Player	Team	Att
1. Drew Brees	New Orleans	673
1. Joe Flacco	Baltimore	672
3. Blake Bortles	Jacksonville	625
4. Aaron Rodgers	Green Bay	610
5. Carson Wentz	Green Bay	607
6. Kirk Cousins	Washington	606
7. Eli Manning	NY Giants	598
8. Carson Palmer	Arizona	597
9. Matthew Stafford	Oakland	594
10. Philip Rivers	Detroit	578

KEEP CALM AND COMPLETE ON

Eli Manning was 8th in the NFL in completions in 2016. The chart below shows where Manning stacked up in the top 10 in completions.

Most Completions in 2016

Player	Team	Comp
1. Drew Brees	New Orleans	471
2. Joe Flacco	Baltimore	436
3. Kirk Cousins	Washington	406
4. Aaron Rodgers	Green Bay	401
5. Sam Bradford	Minnesota	395
6. Matthew Stafford	Detroit	388
7. Carson Wentz	Philadelphia	379
8. Eli Manning	NY Giants	377
9. Matt Ryan	Atlanta	373
10. Blake Bortles	Jacksonville	368

Eli Manning was tied for 10th in the NFL in touchdown passes in 2016. The chart below shows where Manning stacked up in the top 10 in touchdown passes.

Most Touchdown Passes in 2016

Player	Team	TDs
1. Aaron Rodgers	Green Bay	40
2. Matt Ryan	Atlanta	38
3. Drew Brees	New Orleans	37
4. Philip Rivers	San Diego	33
5. Andrew Luck	Indianapolis	31
6. Ben Roethlisberger	Pittsburgh	29
T7. Derek Carr	Oakland	28
T7. Jameis Winston	Tampa Bay	28
T7. Tom Brady	New England	28
T10. Eli Manning	NY Giants	26
T10. Marcus Mariota	Tennessee	26
T10. Carson Palmer	Arizona	26

GO LONG

Eli Manning tied for 10th in the NFL in 25+ yard completions in 2016. The chart below shows where Manning stacked up in the top 10 in 25+ yard completions.

Most 25+ Yard Completions in 2016

Player	Team	25+
1. Kirk Cousins	Washington	44
2. Matt Ryan	Atlanta	42
3. Drew Brees	New Orleans	40
T4. Philip Rivers	LA Chargers	35
T4. Tom Brady	New England	35
T4. Russell Wilson	Seattle	35
7. Aaron Rodgers	Green Bay	34
8. Ben Roethlisberger	Pittsburgh	33
9. Derek Carr	Oakland	32
T10. Eli Manning	NY Giants	31
T10. Marcus Mariota	Tennessee	31



ELI MANNING NOTES

COMPLETION % BY SEASON

In 2016, Eli Manning completed a career-high 63.0% of his passes, surpassing his previous high (62.9%) that was set in 2010. Manning posted the 3rd highest completion percentage of his career in 2015 (62.6%). During his first two seasons with coach Ben McAdoo, Manning posted two of the three highest completion percentages of his career. Below is a look at Manning's year-by-year completion percentages.

ELI MANNING'S YEAR-BY-YEAR COMPLETION PERCENTAGE

YEAR	COMP %
2004	48.2%
2005	52.8%
2006	57.7%
2007	56.1%
2008	60.3%
2009	62.3%
2010	62.9%
2011	61.0%
2012	59.9%
2013	57.5%
2014	63.1%
2015	62.6%
2016	63.0%

2007-PRESENT

In the last decade, Eli Manning has been one of the league's best quarterbacks. Manning is 3rd in the NFL in passing yards and 5th in the NFL in touchdowns since 2007. Only Drew Brees and Philip Rivers appear ahead of Manning on both lists.

MOST PASSING YARDS (2007-2016)

PLAYER	YARDS
1. Drew Brees	49,345
2. Philip Rivers	42,297
3. Eli Manning	40,165
4. Tom Brady	40,018
5. Ben Roethlisberger	38,295

MOST TOUCHDOWNS (2007-2016)

PLAYER	TDs
1. Drew Brees	359
2. Tom Brady	309
3. Aaron Rodgers	297
4. Philip Rivers	291
5. Eli Manning	266
6. Peyton Manning	264
7. Ben Roethlisberger	249
8. Matt Ryan	240
9. Tony Romo	228
10. Carson Palmer	207



QUARTERBACK SHUFFLE

Since Eli Manning's first start on November 21, 2004 the Giants are the only team in the NFL to start just one quarterback. The chart below shows the number of starting quarterbacks each team in the NFL has had since Manning's first start during the 2004 season.

TEAM	#QBs
Cleveland	22
Los Angeles	17
Oakland	16
Chicago	15
Minnesota	15
Miami	14
Arizona	13
Tennessee	12
Dallas	12
Philadelphia	12
Houston	12
San Francisco	11
Tampa Bay	11
Kansas City	11
NY Jets	11
Buffalo	10
Washington	10
Jacksonville	9
Carolina	9
Baltimore	8
Detroit	8
Denver	8
Pittsburgh	8
Indianapolis	7
Seattle	7
Atlanta	6
Cincinnati	5
New Orleans	5
Green Bay	5
New England	4
San Diego	3
NY Giants	1



ELI MANNING NOTES

THE COMEBACK KID

Manning is 4th on the active list for 4th quarter comebacks. Since 2015, Manning ranks 3rd in 4th quarter comebacks. Below is a chart that shows where Manning ranks on the all-time and active lists for 4th quarter comebacks by a quarterback.

Active Leaders in Regular Season 4th Quarter Comebacks

Player	Team	4QC
1. Tom Brady	NE	40
2. Drew Brees	NO	38
3. Ben Roethlisberger	PIT	35
4. Eli Manning	NYG	34
T5. Matt Ryan	ATL	31
T5. Carson Palmer	ARI	31
7. Matthew Stafford	DET	25
8. Philip Rivers	LAC	22
9. Carson Palmer	ARI	31
10. Joe Flacco	BAL	19

Most 4th Quarter/OT Comebacks Since 2015

Player	Team	4QC
T1. Matthew Stafford	DET	11
T1. Derek Carr	OAK	11
3. Eli Manning	NYG	7



MANNING AND McADOO

Eli Manning has excelled in his first three seasons in Ben McAdoo's offense. Manning posted a passer rating above 90 for two consecutive seasons (2014-15), the first time he accomplished that feat in his career. Manning surpassed the 4,000-yard mark for passing yards in each of the last three seasons, a feat which he last accomplished in the 2009-11 seasons. In 2014-15, Manning threw 30 and 35 touchdown passes, respectively, the third and highest totals of his career. The chart below shows where Manning ranks in the NFL in completions, passing yards and passing touchdowns since Ben McAdoo joined the Giants.

Most Completions (2014-present)

Player	Completions
1. Drew Brees	1,355
2. Matt Ryan	1,195
3. Phillip Rivers	1,165
4. Matthew Stafford	1,149
4. Eli Manning	1,143
6. Aaron Rodgers	1,089
7. Ben Roethlisberger	1,055
8. Tom Brady	1,066
9. Derek Carr	1,054
10. Ryan Tannehill	1,016

Most Passing Yards (2014-2016)

Player	Passing Yards
1. Drew Brees	15,030
2. Matt Ryan	14,229
3. Philip Rivers	13,464
4. Eli Manning	12,869
5. Matthew Stafford	12,846
6. Ben Roethlisberger	12,709
7. Aaron Rodgers	12,630
8. Tom Brady	12,433
9. Russell Wilson	11,718
10. Ryan Tannehill	11,248

Most Touchdowns (2014-2016)

Player	TDs
1. Aaron Rodgers	109
2. Drew Brees	102
3. Tom Brady	97
4. Philip Rivers	93
5. Eli Manning	91
6. Andrew Luck	84
7. Matt Ryan	87
8. Ben Roethlisberger	82
9. Derek Carr	81
10. Matt Stafford	78

ODELL BECKHAM, JR. NOTES

OBJ KEEPS BREAKING RECORDS

- New York Giants wide receiver Odell Beckham had 101 catches for 1,367 yards and 10 touchdowns last season. He is the first player in NFL history to record at least 80 catches and 1,000 receiving yards in each of his first three seasons.

- Beckham is one of three players in NFL history with at least 1,000 receiving yards and 10 touchdown catches in each of his first three seasons, joining John Jefferson (1978-1980) and Randy Moss (1998-2000).

TAKING THE LEAGUE BY STORM

Since Beckham's debut in Week 5 of 2014, his 35 receiving touchdowns are the most in the NFL.

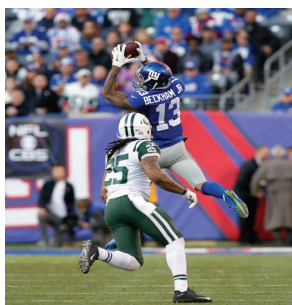
Beckham's 95.9 yards per game are the 3rd most in that span. The charts below show where Beckham stacks up against the rest of the league in receiving TDs and receiving yards per game since Week 5 of the 2015 season.

MOST RECEIVING TDs SINCE WEEK 5, 2014

PLAYER	No.
1. ODELL BECKHAM (NYG)	35
2. ANTONIO BROWN (PIT)	30
3. MIKE EVANS (TB)	26
4. DOUG BALDWIN (SEA)	24
T5. ROB GRONKOWSKI (NE)	23
T5. JORDY NELSON (GB)	23

MOST RECEIVING YARDS PER GAME SINCE WEEK 5, 2014

PLAYER	No.
1. JULIO JONES (ATL)	108.0
2. ANTONIO BROWN (PIT)	102.1
3. ODELL BECKHAM (NYG)	95.9
4. DEMARIOUS THOMAS (DEN)	85.9
5. A.J. GREEN (CIN)	85.3



DIVISION DOMINATOR

Since 2014, Odell Beckham has been one of the best receivers when playing against divisional opponents.

Beckham, Jr. ranks 1st in the NFL in receiving touchdowns and tied for 2nd in first downs against his own division, since 2014.

MOST RECEIVING TDs AGAINST OWN DIVISION, 2014-PRESENT, NFL

PLAYER	Div.	No.
1. ODELL BECKHAM	NFC EAST	14
2. BRANDON MARSHALL	NFC EAST	11
T3. DEZ BRYANT	NFC EAST	10
T3. JORDAN MATTHEWS	NFC EAST	10
T3. COBY FLEENER	NFC SOUTH	10
T3. ALSHON JEFFREY	NFC NORTH	10
T3. JORDY NELSON	NFC NORTH	10
T3. MIKE EVANS	NFC SOUTH	10

MOST FIRST DOWNS AGAINST OWN DIVISION, 2014-PRESENT, NFL

PLAYER	Div.	1st
1. JULIO JONES	NFC SOUTH	90
T2. ANTONIO BROWN	AFC NORTH	79
T2. ODELL BECKHAM	NFC EAST	79
T2. DEANDRE HOPKINS	AFC SOUTH	79
5. JARVIS LANDRY	AFC EAST	71

BECKHAM QUICK NOTES

- In his first 42 career games, Odell Beckham has 19 100-yard receiving games. He is tied for 1st in the NFL, with Antonio Brown, for the most 100-yard games in the last 42 games.

- Since 2014, Beckham is 2nd in the NFL in touchdowns with 35. Pittsburgh's Antonio Brown is 1st with 37, and Arizona's David Johnson is 3rd with 33.

- Beckham scored multiple receiving touchdowns in three games last season. He was tied with Pittsburgh's Antonio Brown and Tampa Bay's Mike Evans for the most multi-touchdown receiving games in 2016.

ODELL BECKHAM, JR. NOTES

SINGLE GAME HIGH IN 2016

Odell Beckham recorded the 2nd-most receiving yards in a game last season, when he had a 222-yard game vs. Baltimore on Oct. 16. That trailed only Julio Jones' 300-yard performance against Carolina on Oct. 2. The chart below shows the top five single-game receiving yardage performances of 2016.

MOST RECEIVING YARDS, SINGLE GAME IN 2016

PLAYER	DATE	OPP.	YARDS
1. JULIO JONES	10/02	CAR	300
2. ODELL BECKHAM	10/16	NYG	222
3. MARVIN JONES JR.	9/25	GB	205
4. ADAM THIELEN	12/24	GB	202
5. STEFON DIGGS	9/18	GB	182

NOTHING AVERAGE ABOUT THIS

Beckham had the 6th-highest avg. yards per catch in a single-game in 2016. The chart below shows the top 10 averages in 2016.

HIGHEST RECEIVING AVERAGE, SINGLE GAME IN 2016 (MIN OF 4 RECEPTIONS)

PLAYER	OPP.	REC.	AVG.
1. MARVIN JONES JR.	GB	6	34.2
2. TEVIN COLEMAN	DEN	4	33.0
5. MIKE WALLACE	PIT	4	31.0
4. CHRIS HOGAN	CLE	4	28.5
5. DEZ BRYANT	PHI	4	28.3
T6. ODELL BECKHAM	BAL	8	27.8
T6. ALDRICK ROBINSON	SF	4	27.8
T8. ALSHON JEFFREY	HOU	4	26.3
T8. T.Y. HILTON	OAK	4	26.3
10. BRANDIN COOKS	ARI	7	26.6

75+ YARD TDs

Odell Beckham has four touchdowns of 75+ yards. That is the most in the NFL since 2014. He trails Homer Jones (6) by two 75+ yard touchdowns for the franchise record.



YAC ATTACK

Odell Beckham, Jr. is one of the most explosive wide receivers in the NFL in open space. Since entering the league in 2014, Beckham, Jr. is top 10 in the NFL in yards after the catch (YAC). The chart below shows where Beckham stacks up among the top 10.

MOST YAC SINCE 2014

PLAYER	TEAM	YAC
1. GOLDEN TATE	DET	1,902
2. TRAVIS KELCE	KC	1,701
3. JARVIS LANDRY	MIA	1,680
4. LE'VEON	PIT	1,669
5. JULIO JONES	ATL	1,667
6. ODELL BECKHAM	NYG	1,616
7. ANTONIO BROWN	PIT	1,606
8. DEMARIUS THOMAS	DEN	1,514
9. MATT FORTE	NYJ	1,448
10. RANDALL COBB	GBP	1,441

A HOME RUN THREAT

Odell Beckham has nine touchdown receptions of at least 60 yards over the last three seasons, which is the most in the NFL in that span. The chart below shows when and where each touchdown happened and the yardage of each touchdown.

Beckham, Jr.'s Touchdowns of 60+ Yards

Date	Team	Yardage
12/21/14	at St. Louis	80
12/28/14	vs. Philadelphia	63
9/20/15	vs. Atlanta	67
11/15/15	vs. New England	87
12/6/15	vs. NY Jets	67
12/14/15	at Miami	84
10/16/16	vs. Baltimore	75
10/16/16	vs. Baltimore	66
12/11/16	vs. Dallas	61

ODELL BECKHAM, JR. NOTES

BECKHAM IN 2016



Category	Stat	NFL Rank
Targets	169	2nd
Receptions	101	3rd
Receptions per Game	6.3	T4th
Receiving Yards	1,397	3rd
Receiving Yards Per Game	85.4	4th
Receiving First Downs	65	3rd
Touchdowns	10	5th
25+ Receptions	14	T3rd

FEED BECKHAM THE BALL

Odell Beckham was 2nd in the NFL in targets in 2016. The chart below shows where Beckham stacked up in the top 5 in targets.

Most Targets in 2016

Player	Team	Targets
1. Mike Evans	Tampa Bay	173
2. Odell Beckham	NY Giants	169
3. Julian Edelman	New England	159
4. T.Y. Hilton	Indianapolis	155
5. Antonio Brown	Pittsburgh	154

CATCHING ON

Odell Beckham was 3rd in the NFL in receptions in 2016. The chart below shows where Beckham stacked up in the top 5 in receptions.

Most Receptions in 2016

Player	Team	Rec
1. Larry Fitzgerald	Arizona	107
2. Antonio Brown	Pittsburgh	106
3. Odell Beckham	NY Giants	101
4. Julian Edelman	New England	98
5. Jordy Nelson	Green Bay	97

RACKING UP THE YARDS

Odell Beckham was 3rd in the NFL in receiving yards in 2016. The chart below shows where Beckham stacked up in the top 5 in receiving yards.

Most Receiving Yards in 2016

Player	Team	Yards
1. T.Y. Hilton	Indianapolis	1,448
2. Julio Jones	Atlanta	1,409
3. Odell Beckham	NY Giants	1,367
4. Mike Evans	Tampa Bay	1,321
5. Antonio Brown	TPittsburgh	1,284

MOVING THE CHAINS

Odell Beckham was 3rd in the NFL in first downs among receivers in 2016. The chart below shows where Beckham stacked up in the top 5 in first downs.

Most First Downs in 2016 (Wide Receivers)

Player	Team	1st
1. Mike Evans	Tampa Bay	81
2. T.Y. Hilton	Indianapolis	66
3. Odell Beckham	NY Giants	65
T4. Antonio Brown	Pittsburgh	64
T4. Julio Jones	Atlanta	64

FINDING THE ENDZONE

Odell Beckham was 5th in the NFL in touchdown receptions in 2016. The chart below shows where Beckham stacked up in the top 5 in touchdown receptions.

Most TD Receptions in 2016

Player	Team	TDs
1. Jordy Nelson	Green Bay	14
T2. Antonio Brown	Pittsburgh	12
T2. Davante Adams	Green Bay	12
T2. Mike Evans	Tampa Bay	12
5. Odell Beckham	NY Giants	10

THE LONG BALL

Odell Beckham was tied for 3rd in the NFL in 25+ yard receptions in 2016. The chart below shows where Beckham stacked up in the top 10 in 25+ yard receptions.

Most 25+ Yard Receptions in 2016

Player	Team	25+
1. T.Y. Hilton	Indianapolis	16
2. Amari Cooper	Oakland	15
T3. Odell Beckham	NY Giants	14
T3. DeSean Jackson	Washington	14
T5. Doug Baldwin	Seattle	13
T5. Antonio Brown	Green Bay	13
T5. Tyrell Williams	San Diego	13
T5. Brandin Cooks	New Orleans	13
9. Jarvis Landry	Miami	12
T10. Kenny Britt	Los Angeles	11
T10. Rob Gronkowski	New England	11
T10. Julio Jones	Atlanta	11

DEFENSIVE NOTES

POINTS ARE HARD TO COME BY

In 2016, the Giants surrendered only 284 points. This was the fewest points the Giants allowed in a season since 2002, when they gave up only 279 points.

PICKS IN 4 STRAIGHT

In 2016, the Giants had two different four-game spans where they intercepted at least one pass. The last season that the Giants had intercepted a pass in four straight games was in 2014, when they intercepted a pass in five straight games from Sept. 21-Oct. 14.

STRONG FINISH

The Giants finished the 2016 regular season 9-2 over their last 11 regular season games. During that span the team ranked in the top 5 in the league in sacks and interceptions. The chart below shows where the Giants rank in total sacks, forced fumbles and interceptions.

MOST SACKS IN THE NFL FINAL 11 WEEKS OF 2016

TEAM	SACKS
1. CAROLINA PANTHERS	36
2. NEW YORK GIANTS	31
T3. ARIZONA CARDINALS	30
T3. PITTSBURGH STEELERS	30
T3. SEATTLE SEAHAWKS	30

MOST INTERCEPTIONS IN THE NFL FINAL 11 WEEKS OF 2016

TEAM	INTs
T1. NEW YORK GIANTS	15
T1. GREEN BAY PACKERS	15
T1. MIAMI DOLPHINS	15
4. TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS	14
T5. CINCINNATI BENGALS	13
T5. PHILADELPHIA EAGLES	13



BALL HAWK

Since entering the league in 2007, Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie is in the top 10 for most interceptions. The chart below shows the active players with the most interceptions in the NFL since 2007.

MOST INTERCEPTIONS SINCE 2007

PLAYER	SEASON	INTs
1. REGGIE NELSON	2007-2016	35
2. AQUIB TALIB	2008-2016	33
3. DEANGELO HALL	2007-2016	31
T4. TRAMON WILLIAMS	2007-2016	30
T4. RICHARD SHERMAN	2011-2016	30
T4. D. RODGERS-CROMARTIE	2007-2016	30
T4. BRENT GRIMES	2007-2016	30
T8. DARRELLE REVIS	2007-2016	29
T8. TERENCE WILLIAMS	2007-2016	29
10. JOHNATHAN JOSEPH	2007-2016	26

DEFENDING PASSES SINCE 07

Since 2007, Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie has the most passes defended in the NFL with 143. The chart below shows the active players with the most passes defended in the NFL since 2007.

MOST PASSES DEFENSED SINCE 2007

PLAYER	SEASON	PD
1. D. RODGERS-CROMARTIE	2008-2016	143
2. JOHNATHAN JOSEPH	2007-2016	139
3. DARRELLE REVIS	2007-2016	137
4. TRAMON WILLIAMS	2007-2016	130
5. BRENT GRIMES	2007-2016	123
6. TERENCE NEWMAN	2007-2016	114
7. AQUIB TALIB	2008-2016	111
8. BRANDON CARR	2008-2016	109
9. DEANGELO HALL	2007-2016	107
10. JOE HADEN	2010-2016	101

SNACKS LOVES THE 4-3

Damon "Snacks" Harrison had 2.5 sacks in 2016. That is one more than the total number of sacks he had in his four seasons with the Jets.

DEFENSIVE NOTES

4TH QUARTER PERFORMERS

The Giants only allowed five fourth quarter touchdowns in 2016.

BLITZING FROM THE BACKFIELD

Landon Collins recorded the first four sacks of his career in 2016. Collins' four sacks led all NFL defensive backs.

Green Bay's Mogan Burnett was 2nd with three sacks, while eight different players were tied for third with two sacks.

RED ZONE DEFENSE

The Giants allowed touchdowns on only 42.55 percent of opponents trips into the red zone in 2016, which was the best in the NFL.

STOUT RUN D

In 2016, the Giants held 10 opponents under 100 rushing yards. They were the first Giants team to hold 10 opponents under 100 yards in one season since 2001 when they accomplished the feat en route to the NFC Championship and a Super Bowl appearance.

TOUGH TO SCORE ON BLUE

The Giants allowed the second fewest points in the NFL last season. The chart below shows the top 5 teams in fewest points allowed in 2016.

FEWEST POINTS ALLOWED IN 2016	
TEAM	Pts
1. NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS	250
2. NEW YORK GIANTS	284
3. SEATTLE SEAHAWKS	292
4. DENVER BRONCOS	297
5. DALLAS COWBOYS	306



DON'T LET THE RABBIT LOOSE

The chart below shows all seven of Janoris Jenkins' career touchdowns.

Date	Play	Opp.
11/25/12	36-Yard Int-TD Return	ARI
11/25/12	39-Yard Int-TD Return	ARI
12/02/12	2-Yard FR-TD Return	SF
12/23/12	41-Int-TD Return	TB
09/21/14	25-Int-TD Return	DAL
11/23/14	99-Yard Interception	SD
09/18/16	65-Yard Blocked FG Return	NO

TAKING IT TO THE CRIB

Since 2012, Janoris Jenkins is tied for 2nd in the NFL in interceptions returned for touchdowns. The chart below shows the players with the most interceptions returned for touchdowns since 2012.

PLAYER	TEAM	TDs
1. AQUIB TALIB	DEN	6
T2. JANORIS JENKINS	NYG	5
T2. WILLIAM GAY	PIT	5
T2. MALCOLM JENKINS	PHI	5
T5. KARLOS DANSBY	CIN	4
T5. CAPTAIN MUNNERLYN	MIN	4
T5. HARRISON SMITH	MIN	4
T5. ERIC BERRY	KC	4

DRC IS BALLING

Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie's 6 picks in 2016 tied his career-high (6) set in 2009 as a second-year pro for the Arizona Cardinals. DRC had two and then three interceptions in his first two seasons with the Giants.

DEFENSE/SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES

TOP SAFETY

Landon Collins' five interceptions last season were tied for the second most among safeties in 2016. The chart below shows the safeties with the most interceptions in the NFL in 2016.

MOST INTERCEPTIONS IN 2016

(SAFETIES)

PLAYER	TEAM(S)	INTs
1. QUINTIN DEMPS	HOUSTON TEXANS	6
T2. LANDON COLLINS	NY GIANTS	5
T2. HA HA CLINTON-DIX	GREEN BAY PACKERS	5
T2. REGGIE NELSON	OAKLAND RAIDERS	5
T5. ERIC WEDDLE	BALTIMORE RAVENS	4
T5. ERIC BERRY	KANSAS CITY CHIEFS	4
T5. KURT COLEMAN	CAROLINA PANTHERS	4
T5. KEITH TANDY	TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS	4

PICKING ON OPPONENTS

Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie's six interceptions in 2016 were tied for the 2nd most in the NFL.

MOST INTERCEPTIONS IN 2016

PLAYER	TEAM(S)	INTs
T1. CASEY HAYWARD	LAC	7
T2. D. RODGERS-CROMARTIE	NYG	6
T2. QUINTIN DEMPS	HOU	6
T2. MARCUS PETERS	KC	6

OV FINISHED ON A TEAR

From Weeks 9-16 last season, Olivier Vernon was 5th in the NFL in sacks. The chart below shows the top 5 players in the NFL in sacks since Week 9 of 2016.

MOST SACKS SINCE WEEK 9 OF 2016

PLAYER	TEAM(S)	SACKS
T1. CAMERON WAKE	MIA	8.5
T1. DANIELLE HUNTER	MIN	8.5
T3. MARIO ADDISON	CAR	8.0
T3. VIC BEASLEY, JR.	ATL	8.0
5. OLIVIER VERNON	NYG	7.5



MULTI INT GAMES

Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie had the 6th multi-interception game of his career against the Redskins in Week 17 at FedEx Field. Among active players, Rodgers-Cromartie is tied for first for the most multi-interception games. The chart below shows the active players with the most multi-interception games in the NFL.

MOST MULTI-INTERCEPTION GAMES

(ACTIVE PLAYERS)

PLAYER	TEAM(S)	MULTI-INT GAMES
T1. D. RODGERS-CROMARTIE	NYG/DEN/PHI/AZ	6
T1. TERRANCE NEWMAN	MIN/CIN/DAL	6
T3. RICHARD SHERMAN	SEA	5
T3. JAIKUS BYRD	NO/BUF	5
T4. MIKE ADAMS	IND/DEN/CLE/SF	4
T4. AQUIB TALIB	DEN/NE/TB	4
T4. DEANGELO HALL	WAS/OAK/ATL	4

RACKING IN THE STATS

- Landon Collins was the only player in the NFL last season with 5+ interceptions and 3+ sacks.

- Collins tied with Baltimore's Eric Weddle for most passes defended amongst safeties in 2016 with 13.

DREAD THE DREADS

Since 2012, Dwayne Harris is tied for 7th in the NFL with an 10.8 punt return average.

ACTIVE PUNT RETURN LEADERS, NFL, 2012-PRESENT

MINIMUM OF 40 GAMES PLAYED

Player	Games	Avg.
1. Travis Benjamin	68	11.9
2. Julian Edelman	63	11.3
T3. Jeremy Ross	49	11.2
T3. Marcus Sherels	74	11.2
5. Darren Sproles	74	10.6
6. Adam Joones	78	10.4
T7. Dwayne Harris	76	10.3
T7. Golden Tate	79	10.3
T9. De'Anthony Thomas	34	10.0
T9. Antonio Brown	76	10.0
T9. Tedd Ginn Jr.	76	10.0

SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES

MINIMAL PUNT RETURN YARDAGE

The Giants allowed less than 15 punt return yards from Weeks 11-16 in 2016. The last time they held a team to five straight games with less than 15 punt return yards was in 2008, when they held nine teams to under 15 yards between Oct. 5, 2008 thru Nov. 30, 2008 with punter Jeff Feagles.

PINNING THEM INSIDE THE 20

Since 2015, Brad Wing is top 10 in the NFL in punts inside the 20. The chart below shows where Wing ranks among the top 10.

Most Punts Inside the 20 since 2015

Name	Team	Inside the 20
1. Johnny Hekker	LAR	92
2. Dustin Colquitt	KC	75
3. Marquette King	OAK	74
T4. Sam Koch	BAL	66
T4. Brett Kern	TEN	66
6. Bryan Anger	TB	63
7. Matt Darr	MIA	62
8. Brad Wing	NYG	61
T9. Bradley Pinion	SF	59
10. Jeff Locke	IND	57



NEARLY RECORD-BREAKING

In 2015, Brad Wing tied Brad Maynard for the most punts inside the 20-yard line in a single season in Giants history with 33. In 2016, Wing had 28 punts inside the 20.

Most Punts Inside the 20 in Giants History

Name	Year	Inside the 20
1. Brad Wing	2015	33
1. Brad Maynard	1998	33
1. Brad Maynard	1997	33
4. Mike Horan	1996	32
5. Jeff Feagles	2003	31



PLAYER QUICK NOTES

Preseason Week 4 - New York Giants at New England Patriots

QUARTERBACKS (4)

3 GENO SMITH 6-3 221 5th season West Virginia

- Originally a 2nd-round (39th pick overall) draft choice by the Jets in 2013... Signed as a free agent by the Giants on March 20, 2017... Smith played in 33 games with 30 starts in 4 seasons with the Jets... His career totals include 501 completions in 866 pass attempts (57.9%) for 5,962 yards, 28 touchdowns and 36 interceptions for a passer rating of 72.4... Also had 135 rushing attempts for 647 yards (4.8-yard average) and 7 touchdowns... Record as a starter is 12-18.

- Completed 10 of 16 passes for 114 yards and one interception and rushed twice for 5 yards vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Completed 11 of 17 passes for 79 yards and one interception and rushed twice for 4 yards at Cleveland (8/21).

- Completed 5 of 10 passes for 51 yards and rushed once for 2 yards vs. the Jets (8/26).

5 DAVIS WEBB 6-5 229 Rookie California

- Originally a 3rd-round (87th pick overall) draft choice by the Giants in 2017... Webb played 3 seasons at Texas Tech before transferring for his final year to the University of California, where he played in 2016 as a graduate transfer... In 4 seasons, he played in 35 games with 26 starts... Career stats included 841 completions in 1,367 attempts (61.5%) for 9,852 yards, 83 touchdown passes, and 34 interceptions.

- Completed 8 of 16 passes for 67 yards vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Did not play at Cleveland (8/21).

- Completed 2 of 4 passes for 20 yards vs. the Jets (8/26).

8 JOSH JOHNSON 6-3 219 7th season San Diego

- Originally a 5th-round (160th pick overall) draft choice by the Tampa Bay Buccaneers in 2008... Signed as a free agent by the Giants on Sept. 5, 2016... Johnson has played in 29 games with 5 starts... Career totals include 96 completions of 177 passes (54.2%) for 1,042 yards, 5 touchdowns and 10 interceptions... In his first season with the Giants in 2016, Johnson was inactive for 12 games, and active but did not play as Eli Manning's primary backup in 4 regular-season games, and the NFC Wild Card Game.

- Started at quarterback and completed 5 of 10 passes for 31 yards and rushed twice for 8 yards vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Completed 2 of 4 passes for 6 yards at Cleveland (8/21).

- Completed 4 of 6 passes for 67 yards vs. the Jets (8/26).

10 ELI MANNING 6-5 220 14th season Mississippi

- Originally selected 1st overall by the San Diego Chargers in 2004... Obtained by the Giants in a trade for quarterback Philip Rivers and draft choices... Manning won the Rozelle Trophy as the Most Valuable Player in Super Bowls XLII and XLVI. He is one of five players in NFL history to win multiple Super Bowl MVP awards... Has played in 201 regular-season games with starts in his last 199 appearances, and has started all 12 postseason

games in which he's played. The 201 games played for the Giants is the highest total among active players... Manning is first in franchise history in attempts, completions, passing yards, touchdown passes and interceptions... Manning's record as a starter is 108-91 (.543) in the regular season and 8-4 (.666) in the postseason... In 2016 threw for 4,027 yards and 26 touchdowns.

- Did not play vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Started at quarterback and completed 10 of 14 passes for 80 yards at Cleveland (8/21).

- Started at quarterback and completed 7 of 14 passes for 121 yards and 1 interception vs. the Jets (8/26).

RUNNING BACKS (8)

22 W AYNE GALLMAN 6-0 210 Rookie Clemson

- Originally a 4th-round (140th pick overall) draft choice by the Giants in 2017... Left Clemson after 3 seasons as 1 of the most decorated and productive running backs in school history... Played in 42 games with 37 starts... Career totals include 3,429 rushing yards and 34 touchdowns on 676 carries... Finished 3rd in Clemson history in rushing touchdowns and 5th in rushing yards. Added 65 career receptions for 473 yards and 2 touchdowns.

- Rushed for 11 yards on 5 carries and had 1 reception for 4 yards vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Rushed for a team-high 22 yards on 5 carries and had 2 receptions for 20 yards at Cleveland (8/21).

- Rushed for a team-high 43 yards on 12 carries and had 1 reception for 11 yards vs. the Jets (8/26).

25 SHAUN DRAUGHN 5-11 205 4th season North Carolina

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Washington Redskins on July 28, 2011... Signed by the Giants as a free agent on March 21, 2017... Draughn has played in 57 games with 7 starts for 6 teams, and his career totals include 225 carries for 723 yards and 7 touchdowns, 80 receptions for 597 yards and 2 scores, and 38 kickoff returns for 22.9-yard average.

- Was placed on the PUP list on July 27, 2017.

- Removed from the PUP list and placed on the active roster on August 15, 2017.

- Did not play at Cleveland (8/21) due to an injury.

- Had 1 carry for -4 yards and 1 reception for 6 yards vs. the Jets (8/26). Also had 1 tackle on special teams. Left game in 3rd quarter with a concussion and neck injury.

26 ORLEANS DARKWA 6-0 215 4th season Tulane

- Signed as an undrafted free agent by the Miami Dolphins on May 12, 2014... Waived by the Dolphins on Oct. 6, 2014...

Signed to the Dolphins' practice squad on Oct. 8, 2014... Signed to the Giants' active roster on Nov. 12, 2014... Darkwa has

played in 37 games with 2 starts... His totals include 75 rushing attempts for 287 yards (3.8-yard avg.) and 4 touchdowns, and 10 receptions for 91 yards (9.1-yard avg.)... In 2016, Darkwa played in 10 games with 2 starts... Placed on injured reserve with a lower leg injury on Nov. 29... Season totals included 30 carries for 111 yards (a 3.7-yard average) and two touchdowns, plus 2 receptions for 12 yards

- Rushed for 18 yards on 3 attempts vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Rushed for 11 yards on 4 carries at Cleveland (8/21).
- Rushed for 21 yards and 1 touchdown on 7 carries and had 1 reception for 4 yards vs. the Jets (8/26).

28 PAUL PERKINS 5-10 208 Rookie

UCLA

- Fifth round draft pick (149th overall) by the Giants in 2016... As a rookie, Perkins played in 14 regular-season games with 1 start, and started in the NFC Wild Card Game... Inactive for the season's first 2 games... Finished 2nd on the team with 112 carries for 456 yards (4.1-yard avg.), and caught 15 passes for 162 yards (10.8-yard avg.).

- Started at running back and rushed for 3 yards on 5 carries vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Started at running back and rushed for 10 yards on 6 carries at Cleveland (8/21).
- Started at running back and rushed for 33 yards on 6 carries vs. the Jets (8/26).

31 KHALID ABDULLAH 5-10 211 Rookie James Madison

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Giants on May 15, 2017... Played in 48 games for James Madison, and was a 4-time All-America selection... Named the Most Outstanding Player in the 2017 FCS National Championship Game... Abdullah set school records in career rushing touchdowns (41), total touchdowns (45), and points scored (270)... As a senior in 2016, he started all 15 games at running back and rushed for 1,873 yards on 298 carries (6.1-yard avg.), and scored 22 touchdowns.

- Rushed for 10 yards on 4 carries and had 2 receptions for 16 yards vs. Pittsburgh (8/11). Also returned 1 kickoff for 17 yards.
- Had 1 reception at Cleveland (8/21).
- Saw action vs. the Jets (8/26).

34 SHANE VEREEN 5-10 205 6th season California

- Originally a 2nd round pick (56th overall) in 2011 by the New England Patriots... Signed with the Giants as an unrestricted free agent on March 11, 2015... In 2016, Vereen played in 5 games with 1 start, and was twice placed on injured reserve with a triceps injury... Finished the season with 33 rushing attempts for 158 yards and 1 touchdown, and 11 catches for 94 yards... Vereen set a Super Bowl record for receptions by a running back with 11 in the Patriots' victory over Seattle in Super Bowl XLIX.

- Rushed for 5 yards on 1 carry vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Rushed for 16 yards on 2 carries at Cleveland (8/21).
- Had 1 reception for 1 yard vs. the Jets (8/26).

43 SHANE SMITH 6-2 231 Rookie San Jose St.

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Giants on May 11, 2017... Played in 48 career games with 27 starts at San

Jose State, where he was a 3-time Academic All-Mountain West honoree, and a 3-year starter at running back for the Spartans... Moved from linebacker to running back following 2013 spring practice... As a senior in 2016, played in 12 games with 10 starts as the team's primary blocking back.

- Started at fullback and had 1 reception for 9 yards vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Saw action at fullback at Cleveland (8/21).
- Started at fullback vs. the Jets (8/26).

48 JACOB HUESMAN 6-1 240 1st season Tennessee-Chattanooga

- Originally signed to the Giants' practice squad on Dec. 27, 2016... Signed as a free agent by the Giants on Jan. 9, 2017... At Chattanooga, Huesman played in 50 games at quarterback and running back... Career totals included 4,051 rushing yards, 43 rushing touchdowns, 12 receptions for 106 yards and 1 touchdown, and 743 completions for 1,104 yards and 64 touchdowns... Huesman holds school records in rushing yards (4,051), rushing touchdowns (43), carries (788), and 100-yard rushing games (15).

- Saw action vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Saw action at Cleveland (8/21).
- Registered 2 special teams tackles and 1 forced fumble vs. the Jets (8/26).

WIDE RECEIVERS (12)

2 C.J. GERMANY 5-11 180 Rookie Notre Dame (OH)

- Originally signed as an undrafted free agent by the Los Angeles Rams on August 4, 2017... Signed by the Giants on August 23, 2017... Played four seasons at Notre Dame of Ohio.

- Saw action vs. the Jets (8/26).

6 JEROME LANE 6-3 220 Rookie Akron

- Signed by the Giants on June 1, 2017... Played 3 seasons for Akron, the first as a linebacker and the final 2 at wide receiver. In his 2 years on offense, Lane played in 25 games with 23 starts and caught 101 passes for 1,800 yards and 14 touchdowns. In 2016, he was selected 3rd-team All-MAC after starting all 12 games and finishing with 62 catches for 1,062 yards.

- Had 2 receptions for 27 yards vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Saw action at Cleveland (8/21).
- Saw action vs. the Jets (8/26).

12 TAVARES KING 6-1 200 3rd season Georgia

- Originally a 5th-round (161st pick overall) draft choice by the Denver Broncos in 2013... Signed to a reserve/future contract by the Giants on Jan. 5, 2016... King played in 9 regular-season games - 2 for the 2014 Buccaneers and 7 for the 2016 Giants - and in 1 postseason game. He has 4 receptions for 63 yards (15.8-yard avg.) in the regular-season, and 3 catches for 73 yards (24.3-yard avg.) and a touchdown in the postseason... In 2016, King played in 7 regular-season games and 1 postseason game in his first season with the Giants.

- Did not play vs. Pittsburgh (8/11) due to injury.
- Had 1 reception for 7 yards at Cleveland (8/21). Left game in 3rd quarter due to an ankle injury.
- Did not play vs. the Jets (8/26) due to injury.

13 ODELL BECKHAM JR. 5-11 198 4th season LSU

- First round draft pick (12th overall) by the Giants in 2014... Beckham had the best 3-season start by a wide receiver in Giants history, and 1 of the best ever in the NFL. His 3-year totals of 288 receptions, 4,122 yards, and 35 touchdowns, all shattered the previous Giants records for a player in his first 3 seasons (Beckham had the 3-year touchdown receptions record with 25 — in his first 2 seasons). On the Giants' career lists, Beckham's 288 catches place him 12th, his 4,122 yards are 15th, and his 35 touchdown receptions leave him in a 4-way tie for 5th... In 2016, Beckham played and started in all 16 games for the 1st time in his career. And for the 3rd time in as many pro seasons, he led the Giants in receptions (101), receiving yards (1,367), and touchdown catches (10), and was selected to the Pro Bowl.

- Did not play vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Started at wide receiver and had 3 receptions for a team-high 37 yards at Cleveland (8/21). Left game in 2nd quarter due to an ankle injury.
- Did not play vs. the Jets (8/26) due to injury.

15 BRANDON MARSHALL 6-4 230 12th season Central Florida

Originally a 4th-round (119th pick overall) draft choice by the Denver Broncos in 2006... Signed as a free agent by the Giants on March 8, 2017... Marshall has played in 167 regular-season games with 151 starts for Denver, Miami, Chicago, and the Jets... His career totals include 941 receptions for 12,061 yards (12.8-yard avg.), and 82 touchdowns... Among active players entering the 2017 season, Marshall's 941 catches rank 4th (behind Larry Fitzgerald, Jason Witten, and Anquan Boldin), his 12,061 yards are 3rd (behind Fitzgerald and Boldin), and his 82 touchdown catches tie him with Boldin for 3rd (behind Antonio Gates and Fitzgerald)... In 2016, started every game in which he played (15) for the 7th consecutive season... Finished the season with 59 receptions and 3 touchdowns.

- Started at wide receiver vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Started at wide receiver and had 1 reception for 2 yards at Cleveland (8/21). Left game in 2nd quarter due to a shoulder injury.
- Did not play vs. the Jets (8/26) due to injury.

17 DWAYNE HARRIS 5-10 202 6th season East Carolina

- Originally a 6th-round (176th pick overall) draft choice by the Dallas Cowboys in 2011... Signed as a free agent by the Giants on March 11, 2015... Elected to his first Pro Bowl in 2016... Harris has played in 83 regular-season games with 10 starts and in 3 postseason games... He has 70 receptions for 827 yards (11.8-yard avg.), and 8 touchdowns, 7 rushing attempts for 25 yards, 121 kickoff returns for a 26.5-yard average (scoring 1 touchdown), and 150 punt returns for a 9.8-yard average (scoring 3 touchdowns)... Led the Giants in kickoff and punt returns for the 2nd straight season... Finished 5th in the NFL with a 24.2-yard average on 22 kickoff returns... Also averaged 5.9 yards on 29 punt returns.

- Had 1 reception for 2 yards vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Did not play at Cleveland (8/21) due to injury.
- Did not play vs. the Jets (8/26) due to injury.

18 ROGER LEWIS JR. 6-0 196 2nd season Bowling Green St.

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Giants on May 6, 2016... As a rookie in 2016, Lewis was inactive for the first 3 games before playing in each of the final 13 regular-season games with 1 start... He also played in the NFC Wild Card Game... Finished with 7 receptions for 97 yards, and 2 touchdowns.

- Started at wide receiver and had 1 reception for 15 yards vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Had 1 reception for 6 yards at Cleveland (8/21).
- Started at wide receiver and had 2 receptions for 30 yards vs. the Jets (8/26).

19 TRAVIS RUDOLPH 6-0 190 Rookie Florida St.

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Giants on May 11, 2017... Played in 39 career games for Florida State, where his totals were 153 receptions for 2,311 yards (15.1-yard avg.) and 18 touchdowns... Named 2nd-team All-ACC in his sophomore and junior seasons, and received the Musial Award for Extraordinary Sportsmanship in 2016.

- Finished with 1 reception for 14 yards and 1 rush attempt for 13 yards vs. Pittsburgh (8/11). Also returned 3 kickoffs for 66 yards and 2 punts for 5 yards.
- Had 2 receptions for 16 yards at Cleveland (8/21).
- Had 3 receptions for a team-high 81 yards vs. the Jets (8/26). Also returned 1 punt for 3 yards.

83 CANAAN SEVERIN 6-2 205 2nd season Virginia

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Pittsburgh Steelers on May 1, 2016... Signed by the Giants on August 18, 2017... Spent the 2016 season on Injured Reserve.

- Had 2 receptions for 24 yards as a member of the Steelers vs. the Giants (8/11).
- Saw action at Cleveland (8/21).
- Had 1 reception for 10 yards vs. the Jets (8/26).

84 ED EAGAN 5-10 198 1st season Northwestern St. (LA)

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Dallas Cowboys on May 6, 2016... Signed by the Giants on August 18, 2017... Spent time with the Cowboys, Browns and Bills last season and spent the majority of the season on the Bills' practice squad.

- Saw action at Cleveland (8/21).
- Returned 1 punt for 9 yards and 2 kickoffs for 40 yards, with a long of 27 vs. the Jets (8/26).

86 MARQUIS BUNDY 6-4 215 2nd season New Mexico

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Arizona Cardinals on June 2, 2016... Signed by the Giants on August 23, 2017... Spent the 2016 on both the Cardinals practice squad and active roster... Played 4 seasons at New Mexico where he finished with 31 receptions for 395 yards and 2 touchdowns.

- Saw action vs. the Jets (8/26).

87 STERLING SHEPARD 5-10 194 2nd season Oklahoma

- Originally a 2nd-round (40th pick overall) draft choice by the Giants in

2016... As a rookie, Shepard started all 16 regular-season games and the NFC Wild Card Game... Finished 2nd on the team with 65 catches for 683 yards and 8 touchdowns... Shepard placed 2nd among NFL rookies in all 3 major statistical categories, trailing only New Orleans' Michael Thomas, who had 92 catches for 1,137 yards and 9 scores.

- Did not play vs. Pittsburgh (8/11) due to injury.
- Had 3 receptions for 9 yards and 1 rushing attempt for 2 yards at Cleveland (8/21).
- Started at wide receiver and had 2 receptions for 47 yards vs. the Jets (8/26). Also returned 1 punt.

TIGHT ENDS (5)

45 WILL TYE 6-2 256 3rd season Stony Brook

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Giants on May 11, 2015... Since making the team as an undrafted rookie in 2015, Tye has played in 29 regular-season games with 17 starts, and started the only postseason game in which he played... Career totals include 90 receptions for 859 yards (9.5-yard avg.) and 4 touchdowns, plus 4 catches for 66 yards in the postseason.
- Had 1 reception for 11 yards vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Had 3 receptions for 24 yards at Cleveland (8/21).
- Had 1 reception for 18 yards vs. the Jets (8/26).

81 MATT LACOSSE 6-6 255 2nd season Illinois

- Originally signed as an undrafted free agent by the Giants on May 7, 2015... LaCrosse has played in 2 games, both in 2015, and caught 3 passes for 22 yards, with a long reception of 10 yards... In 2016, spent the season on injured reserve after suffering a knee injury in a preseason game at Buffalo (8/20).
- Had 2 receptions for 11 yards vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Had 1 reception for 4 yards at Cleveland (8/21).
- Had 2 receptions for 8 yards vs. the Jets (8/26).

85 RHETT ELLISON 6-5 250 6th season USC

- Originally a 4th-round (128th pick overall) draft choice by the Minnesota Vikings in 2012... Signed as a free agent by the Giants on March 10, 2017... In 2016, Ellison played in 15 games with 6 starts after recovering from surgery to repair a torn patellar tendon... Caught 9 passes for 57 yards... Career totals include 51 receptions for 515 yards, with a long catch of 41 yards, and 3 touchdowns... He has also played in 1 postseason game.
- Started at tight end and had 3 receptions for 20 yards vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Started at tight end and had 1 reception for 6 yards at Cleveland (8/21).
- Started at tight end vs. the Jets (8/26).

88 EVAN ENGRAM 6-3 236 Rookie Mississippi

- Originally a first-round (23rd pick overall) draft choice by the Giants in 2017... Four-year starter and 2-year team captain... Played in 45 games with 42 starts... Engram is the Ole Miss career leader in receptions (162), receiving yards (2,320) and touchdown catches (15) by a tight end... First player in school history to earn 4 All-SEC honors... Ended his career as nation's leader among active tight ends in career receiving yards... Among all Rebels, he ranks 4th in career receptions, 5th in receiving yards, and tied for 6th in touchdown catches.

- Had 1 reception for 11 yards vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Had 3 receptions for 32 yards at Cleveland (8/21).
- Had 2 receptions for 32 yards vs. the Jets (8/26).

89 JERELL ADAMS 6-5 247 2nd season South Carolina

- A 6th round (184 overall) draft pick by the Giants in 2016... As a rookie in 2016, Adams played in 13 games with 2 starts... Finished with 16 receptions for 122 yards, including a 10-yard touchdown against Cincinnati.
- Had 3 receptions for 28 yards vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Saw action at Cleveland (8/21).
- Had 1 reception for 12 yards vs. the Jets (8/26).

CENTERS (2)

69 BRETT JONES 6-2 318 3rd season Regina (Canada)

- Originally a 2nd-round (16th pick overall) draft choice by the Calgary Stampeders in the 2013 Canadian Football League draft... Signed as a free agent by the Giants on Feb. 11, 2015... In 2016, Jones played in his first 14 NFL games with 1 start.
- Saw action at center vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Saw action at center at Cleveland (8/21).
- Saw action at right guard and center vs. the Jets (8/26).

70 WESTON RICHBURG 6-4 300 4th season Colorado State

- Originally a 2nd-round (43rd pick overall) draft choice by the Giants in 2014... Richburg has played in 47 games with 46 starts - 15 at left guard as a rookie in 2014, and 31 at center in 2015 and 2016... In 2016, Richburg started all 16 regular-season games and the NFC Wild Card Game at center... It was the first time in his career he started every game... He was a standout on an offensive line that allowed only 22 regular-season sacks, behind only Oakland (19) and Pittsburgh (21).
- Started at center vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Started at center at Cleveland (8/21).
- Started at center vs. the Jets (8/26).

GUARDS (6)

60 ADAM GETTIS 6-2 305 5th season Iowa

- Originally a 5th-round (141st pick overall) draft choice by the Washington Redskins in 2012... Signed to a reserve/future contract by the Giants on Jan. 11, 2017... Gettis has played in 17 career games, including 13 for Washington in 2013, and 1 in 2015 and 3 in 2016 for the Giants... In 2016, Gettis played in 3 games with 1 start.
- Saw action at left guard vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Did not play at Cleveland (8/21) due to injury.
- Saw action at guard vs. the Jets (8/26). Left game in 4th quarter due to a foot injury.

61 MATT ROTHERAM 6-5 325 1st season Pittsburgh

- Originally signed as an undrafted free agent by the Green Bay Packers on May 8, 2015... Signed by the Giants on August 23, 2017... Spent the 2015 season on the Packers practice squad and the 2016 season on the Packers and Eagles practice squads.
- Saw action at guard vs. the Jets (8/26).

67 JUSTIN PUGH 6-5 311 5th season Syracuse

- In his first 4 seasons, Pugh started all 55 regular-season games and 1 postseason game in which he played - 31 at right tackle, including all 16 as a rookie, 23 at left guard, and 1 at left tackle

in the regular season, and 1 at left guard in the postseason... In 2016, started all 11 regular-season games in which he played, and the NFC Wild Card Game, at left guard... Inactive for 5 games from Nov. 14-Dec. 11 with a knee injury he suffered vs. Philadelphia (11/6)... One of the primary contributors on an offensive line that allowed only 22 regular-season sacks, behind only Oakland (19) and Pittsburgh (21).
 - Started at left guard vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
 - Started at left guard at Cleveland (8/21).
 - Started at left guard vs. the Jets (8/26).

75 JON HALAPIO 6-2 320 1st season Florida
 - Originally a 6th-round (179th pick overall) draft choice by the New England Patriots in 2014... Signed to the Giants' practice squad on Sept. 29, 2016... Signed to a reserve/future contract by the Giants on Jan. 9, 2017... Played in 51 games with 43 starts in 5 years at Florida... Elected a team captain as both a junior and senior... As a senior, Halapio started the final 10 games at right guard after missing the first 2 with an injury.
 - Saw action at right guard vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
 - Saw action at right guard at Cleveland (8/21).
 - Saw action at right guard and center vs. the Jets (8/26).

76 D.J. FLUKER 6-5 339 5th season Alabama
 - Originally a first-round (11th pick overall) draft choice by the San Diego Chargers in 2013... Signed as a free agent by the Giants on March 12, 2017... Fluker has started all 59 regular-season and 2 postseason games in which he's played... In his first 2 seasons, he started 28 games in the regular season and 2 playoff games at right tackle, plus 3 games at left tackle... Moved to right guard in his 3rd year, and started 28 games the next 2 seasons... In 2016, started all 16 games at right guard... Helped the Chargers finish 8th in the NFL in passing yards (262.4 per game), and 9th in scoring (25.6 points-per-game).
 - Saw action at right guard vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
 - Saw action at right guard at Cleveland (8/21).
 - Saw action at right guard vs. the Jets (8/26).

77 JOHN JERRY 6-5 335 8th season Mississippi
 - Originally a 3rd round (73rd overall) selection by the Dolphins in 2010... Signed as a free agent by the Giants on March 21, 2014... Jerry has played in 105 games with 85 starts... In 2016, he started all 16 regular-season games and the NFC Wild Card Game at right guard. It was the 5th consecutive season he played all 16 games, and the 4th time in those 5 years he started every game.
 - Started at right guard vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
 - Started at right guard at Cleveland (8/21).
 - Started at right guard vs. the Jets (8/26).

TACKLES (6)

62 JARRON JONES 6-6 320 Rookie Notre Dame
 - Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Giants on May 11, 2017... Played in 36 games at Notre Dame, where his career totals were 105 tackles (59 solo), 4.5 sacks, 19.5 tackles for loss, 3 forced fumbles, 2 fumble recoveries, 4 passes defended and 1 interception... As a redshirt senior in 2016, he started 12 games at defensive tackle and registered 45 tackles (26 solo), 2.0 sacks, 11 tackles for loss, 1 forced fumble, 2 fumble recoveries, 3 passes defended and 1 interception.
 - Saw action at left tackle vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
 - Saw action at left tackle at Cleveland (8/21).
 - Saw action at left tackle vs. the Jets (8/26).

63 CHAD WHEELER 6-7 312 Rookie USC
 - Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Giants on May 11, 2017... Played in 47 games with 45 starts at left tackle for USC... As a senior in 2016, Wheeler played in 13 games with 11 starts... Did not start 2 games because of a foot injury... Named first-team All-Pac 12 and USC's 2016 Offensive Lineman of the Year.
 - Saw action at left tackle vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
 - Saw action at left tackle at Cleveland (8/21).
 - Saw action at left tackle vs. the Jets (8/26).

65 RICHARD LEVY 6-6 315 Rookie Connecticut
 - Originally signed as an undrafted rookie by the San Francisco 49ers on May 8, 2017... Signed by the Giants on August 23, 2017... During his five-year career at Connecticut, appeared in 38 games, with 37 starts.
 - Did not play vs. the Jets (8/26).

66 ADAM BISNOWATY 6-5 310 Rookie Pittsburgh
 - Originally a 6th-round (200th pick overall) draft choice by the Giants in 2017... Selected first-team All-ACC by league coaches during his senior season... Bisnowaty started all 13 games at left tackle for Pitt in 2016... Helped the Panthers gain 464 yards in a road 43-42 upset of eventual national champions Clemson (11/12)... Selected to play in the Senior Bowl... Named to the ACC All-Academic Football Team for the 4th consecutive year.
 - Saw action at right tackle vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
 - Saw action at right tackle at Cleveland (8/21).
 - Saw action at right tackle vs. the Jets (8/26).

68 BOBBY HART 6-5 334 3rd season Florida St.
 - Has played in 23 games with 14 starts... In 2016, played in 14 regular-season games with 13 starts, and played in the NFC Wild Card Game... Part of an offensive line that allowed just 22 regular-season sacks, behind only Oakland (19) and Pittsburgh (21).
 - Started at right tackle vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
 - Started at right tackle at Cleveland (8/21).
 - Started at right tackle vs. the Jets (8/26).

74 ERECK FLOWERS 6-6 329 3rd season Miami (FL)
 - Originally a first-round (9th pick overall) draft choice by the Giants in 2015... Flowers has started at left tackle in all 31 regular-season games and 1 postseason game in which he's played... In 2016, started all 16 regular-season games and the NFC Wild Card Game at left tackle... Was a mainstay on an offensive line that allowed only 22 regular-season sacks, behind only Oakland (19) and Pittsburgh (21).
 - Started at left tackle vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
 - Started at left tackle at Cleveland (8/21).
 - Started at left tackle vs. the Jets (8/26).

DEFENSIVE ENDS (8)

54 OLIVIER VERNON 6-2 262 6th season Miami (FL)
 - Originally a 3rd-round (72nd pick overall) draft choice by the Miami Dolphins in 2012... Signed as a free agent by the Giants on March 10, 2016... Has played in 80 regular-season games with 62 starts, and started 1 postseason game... Did not miss a game in his first 5 NFL seasons... Career totals include 251 tackles (181 solo), 37.5 sacks, and 6 forced fumbles. In his first season with the Giants in 2016, Vernon started all 16 regular-season games and the NFC Wild Card Game at right defensive end... It was the

3rd consecutive season he started every 1 of his team's games... Selected 2nd-team All-Pro by the AP... Led the Giants with 8.5 sacks, the 2nd-highest total of his 5-year career.

- Started at right defensive end and registered 1 tackle and 1 pass defended vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Started at right defensive end and registered 1 tackle, 0.5 sacks, 1 QB hit and 2 passes defended at Cleveland (8/21).
- Started at right defensive end and registered 2 tackles vs. the Jets (8/26).

58 OWA ODIGHIZUWA 6-3 270 3rd season UCLA

- Originally a 3rd-round (74th pick overall) draft choice by the Giants in 2015... Odighizuwa played in 18 games... He has been credited with 4 tackles (3 solo), plus 2 special teams tackles.
- Registered 2 tackles (1 solo) vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Saw action at defensive end at Cleveland (8/21).
- Saw action at defensive end vs. the Jets (8/26).

72 KERRY WYNN 6-5 264 4th season Richmond

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Giants on May 12, 2014... Wynn has played in 34 regular-season games with 7 starts, and played in 1 postseason game... Totals include 77 tackles (48 solo) 2.0 sacks, 3 fumble recoveries, 1 forced fumble, and 3 passes defended, plus 1.0 postseason sack... In 2016, Wynn played in 14 regular-season games and in 1 postseason game... Registered 8 tackles (3 solo), a half-sack, 1 fumble recovery and 4 special teams tackles.
- Started at left defensive end and registered 3 tackles (2 solo), 1 sack, 2 tackles for loss and 1 pass defended vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Registered 1 solo tackle at Cleveland (8/21).
- Registered 4 tackles (3 solo) vs. the Jets (8/26).

78 ROMEO OKWARA 6-5 275 2nd season Notre Dame

- Originally signed as an undrafted free agent by the Giants on May 6, 2016... As a rookie in 2016, Okwara played in all 16 regular-season games with starts in each of the final 4 contests, and he started the NFC Wild Card Game... Finished the regular season with 21 tackles (9 solo), including 1.0 sack, and 4 special teams tackles (3 solo).
- Saw action at defensive end vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Registered 1 tackle at Cleveland (8/21).
- Registered 1 solo tackle vs. the Jets (8/26).

79 JORDAN WILLIAMS 6-4 276 1st season Tennessee

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Jets on May 8, 2015... Signed to a reserve/future contract by the Giants on Jan. 9, 2017... 4-year letterman at Tennessee (2011-14)... Played in 44-career games with 21 starts... Career totals included 66 tackles (39 solo), 6.5 sacks, and 4 pass breakups.
- Registered 3 tackles (1 for loss) and 1 sack vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Registered 1 solo tackle at Cleveland (8/21).
- Saw action at defensive end vs. the Jets (8/26).

90 JASON PIERRE-PAUL 6-5 278 8th season South Florida

- Has played in 93 regular-season games with 67 starts and started all four postseason games in which he's played... Career regular-season totals include: 398 tackles (290 solo), 50 sacks, 11 forced fumbles, seven fumble recoveries (one returned for a touchdown), two interceptions (each returned for a touchdown) and 38 passes defended... In 2016, Pierre-Paul started the first 12 games of the season before missing the final 4 and the NFC Wild Card Game after undergoing surgery to repair a core muscle injury that he suffered at Pittsburgh (12/4)... Finished 2nd on the team with 7.0 sacks, and had 53 tackles (35 solo), 8 passes defended, 3 forced fumbles, and 1 fumble recovery that he returned for a touchdown.
- Did not play vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Registered 2 tackles (1 solo), 0.5 sacks, 1 QB hit, 1 interception and 1 pass defended at Cleveland (8/21).
- Started at left defensive end and registered 3 solo tackles (2 for loss), 1 sack, 1 safety, 2 QB hits and 1 pass defended vs. the Jets (8/26).

91 AVERY MOSS 6-3 265 Rookie Youngstown St.

- Originally a 5th-round (167th pick overall) draft choice by the Giants in 2017... Moss played 4 collegiate seasons, 2 at Nebraska (2013-14), and 2 at Youngstown State (2015-16)... Played in 41 games with 21 starts... Totals include 124 tackles, 30 tackles for losses, 18.5 sacks, 5 forced fumbles, 1 fumble recovery, and 1 interception, which he returned 25 yards for a touchdown.
- Registered 2 tackles (1 solo) vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Registered 1 solo tackle at Cleveland (8/21).
- Registered 1 tackle and 1 QB hit vs. the Jets (8/26).

97 DEVIN TAYLOR 6-7 275 5th season South Carolina

- Originally a 4th-round (132nd pick overall) draft choice by the Detroit Lions in 2013... Signed as a free agent by the Giants on May 25, 2017... In 4 seasons with Detroit, Taylor played in 61 regular-season games with 18 starts, and in 2 postseason games with 1 start... Career totals include 92 tackles (69 solo), 15.0 sacks, and 4 forced fumbles in the regular season, and 5 tackles (3 solo) in the postseason.
- Registered 1 interception and 1 tackle vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Saw action at defensive end at Cleveland (8/21).
- Saw action defensive end vs. the Jets (8/26).

DEFENSIVE TACKLES (7)

64 JOSH BANKS 6-3 278 Rookie Wake Forest

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Giants on May 11, 2017... Played in 43 games at Wake Forest, where his career totals were 107 tackles (58 solo), 10.5 sacks, 19.5 tackles for losses, 3 forced fumbles, 4 fumble recoveries, 5 passes defended, and 1 interception... As a senior in 2016, he played in all 12 games and tallied 34 tackles (19 solo), 4.5 sacks, 8 tackles for losses, 1 forced fumble, and 1 fumble recovery.

- Saw action at defensive tackle vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Saw action at defensive tackle at Cleveland (8/21).
- Registered 1 solo tackle (for loss) vs. the Jets (8/26).

73 CORBIN BRYANT 6-4 300 5th season Northwestern

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Pittsburgh Steelers on July 30, 2011... Signed by the Giants on June 8, 2017... Bryant has played in 56 regular-season games with 18 starts. His career totals include 84 tackles (43 solo), 2.5 sacks, 2 passes defended, and 1 forced fumble... In 2016, Bryant played in 8 games with 6 starts at nose tackle for the Bills; he started each of the first 5 games... Finished with 11 tackles (5 solo).
- Registered 2 tackles vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Placed on the Reserve/Injured list on August 15, 2017 (elbow).

73 BOBBY RICHARDSON 6-3 286 2nd season Indiana

- Originally signed as an undrafted free agent by the New Orleans Saints on May 4, 2015... Signed by the Giants on August 15, 2017... Appeared in 15 games in 2015 with the Saints, including 11 starts, and finished with 20 tackles (4 for loss) 0.5 sacks and 1 interception.
- Saw action at defensive tackle at Cleveland (8/21).
- Saw action at defensive tackle vs. the Jets (8/26).

94 DALVIN TOMLINSON 6-3 312 Rookie Alabama

- Originally a 2nd-round (55th pick overall) draft choice by the Giants in 2017... Started all 15 games for Alabama in 2016... Dominant run defender who collected 62 tackles, 5.5 tackles for losses, 3.0 sacks, 7 quarterback hurries, 4 pass breakups, and 1 forced fumble in 2016.
- Registered 4 tackles (2 solo) vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Registered 3 tackles (2 solo) at Cleveland (8/21).
- Registered 2 tackles vs. the Jets (8/26).

96 JAY BROMLEY 6-3 306 4th season Syracuse

- Originally a 3rd-round (74th pick overall) draft choice by the Giants in 2014... Bromley has played in 39 regular-season games with 4 starts, and played in 1 postseason game... His totals include 55 tackles (30 solo) and 1.0 sack in the regular season, and 1 solo tackle in the postseason... In 2016, played in 15 regular-season games and in the Giants' postseason game as a reserve defensive tackle.
- Started at right defensive tackle and registered 3 tackles (1 solo, 1 for loss) vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Started at right defensive tackle and registered 1 tackle at Cleveland (8/21).
- Started at right defensive tackle and registered 1 tackle vs. the Jets (8/26). Left game in 2nd quarter due to a knee injury.

98 DAMON HARRISON 6-3 341 6th season William Penn

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Jets on May 4, 2012... Signed by the Giants as a free agent on March 10, 2016... In his first season with the Giants in 2016, Harrison started all 16 regular-season games, plus the NFC Wild Card Game in Green Bay. It was the 4th consecutive season he started every one of his team's game... Led all NFL defensive tackles and finished 3rd on the team with a career-high 86 tackles (55 solo), and a career-best 2.5 sacks.
- Started at left defensive tackle vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Started at left defensive tackle and registered 1 tackle at Cleveland (8/21).
- Started at left defensive tackle and registered 4 tackles (3 solo) vs. the Jets (8/26).

99 ROBERT THOMAS 6-1 331 2nd season Arkansas

- Originally signed as an undrafted free agent by the Washington Redskins on May 14, 2014... Signed as a free agent by the Giants on Sept. 4, 2016... Thomas has played in 9 regular-season games and 1 postseason game... Has been credited with 6 tackles (3 solo), and 1.0 sack, plus 1 postseason stop... In 2016, played in 8 regular-season games and the NFC Wild Card Game in his first season with the Giants.
- Did not play vs. Pittsburgh (8/11) due to injury.
- Registered 1 tackle at Cleveland (8/21).
- Registered 2 solo tackles vs. the Jets (8/26).

INSIDE LINEBACKERS (4)

44 MARK HERZLICH 6-4 246 7th season Boston College

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Giants on July 28, 2011... Has played in 88 regular-season games with 17 starts... Career totals include 121 tackles (84 solo), 1.0 sack, 3 passes defended, 1 forced fumble, and 53 tackles and 2 fumble recoveries on special teams... In 2016, Herzlich played in 14 games... Most of his playing time was on special teams, where he finished with 7 tackles and a fumble recovery.
- Did not play vs. Pittsburgh (8/11) due to injury.
- Did not play at Cleveland (8/21) due to injury.
- Did not play vs. the Jets (8/26) due to injury.

46 CALVIN MUNSON 6-1 245 Rookie San Diego St.

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Giants on May 11, 2017... Played in 52 games at San Diego State, where his career totals were 301 tackles (159 solo), 36.5 tackles for loss, 18.0 sacks, 7 interceptions, 5 passes defended, 4 forced fumbles, and 2 fumble recoveries... Finished his career 3rd in school history in interception yards (244), first in interceptions returned for touchdowns (3), 6th in total tackles (301), and 9th in sacks (18.0).
- Recorded 4 tackles (1 solo) on defense and 1 tackle and 1 fumble recovery on special teams vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Registered 4 tackles (3 solo) at Cleveland (8/21).
- Registered a team-high 5 tackles (4 solo) on defense and 1 tackle on special teams vs. the Jets (8/26).

49 CURTIS GRANT 6-2 240 1st season Ohio St.

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the San Diego Chargers on May 2, 2015... Signed by the Giants on Jan. 12, 2017... Played in 30 games with 13 starts in 4 seasons at Ohio State... Totaled 131 tackles and 3.5 sacks.
- Recorded 3 tackles on defense and 1 tackle on special teams vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Registered 3 tackles (2 solo) at Cleveland (8/21).
- Registered a team-high 5 tackles (1 solo) on defense and 1 tackle on special teams vs. the Jets (8/26).

93 B.J. GOODSON 6-0 242 2nd season Clemson

- Originally a 4th-round (109th pick overall) draft choice by the Giants in 2016... As a rookie in 2016, Goodson played in 15 regular-season games on special teams, including 6 as a substitute linebacker, and in the NFC Wild Card Game... Inactive at Dallas (9/11)... Finished with 7 tackles (4 solo) and 1 forced fumble on special teams, and 2 tackles (1 solo) on defense.

- Started at middle linebacker and registered 1 sack and 1 tackle for loss vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
- Started at middle linebacker and registered a team-high 7 tackles (5 solo, 1 for loss), 1 sack and 1 QB hit at Cleveland (8/21).
- Started at middle linebacker and registered 4 tackles (3 solo) vs. the Jets (8/26).

OUTSIDE LINEBACKERS (8)

43 STEVEN DANIELS 5-11 245 1st season Boston College
 - Originally a 7th-round (232nd overall) draft choice by the Washington Redskins in 2016...Signed by the Giants on August 15, 2017...played 4 seasons at Boston College where he finished with 266 tackles, 10.5 sacks, 3 interceptions and 1 forced fumble.
 - Saw action at Cleveland (8/21).
 - Saw action vs. the Jets (8/26).

48 CHRIS CASHER 6-3 264 Rookie Faulkner
 - Originally signed as an undrafted free agent by the Oakland Raiders on May 8, 2017...Signed by the Giants on August 14, 2017...Played 3 seasons at Florida State where he finished with 62 tackles, 3 sacks, 1 forced fumble, 1 fumble recovery and 1 touchdown...Finished his college career playing at Faulkner in 2016.
 - Registered 1 solo tackle at Cleveland (8/21).
 - Saw action vs. the Jets (8/26).

52 JONATHAN CASILLAS 6-1 227 9th season Wisconsin
 - In 2016, Casillas played in all 16 regular-season games with 15 starts (both career-high totals) at weakside linebacker, and started the NFC Wild Card Game...Did not start at Philadelphia (12/22)...Voted the Giants' defensive captain by his teammates...Finished 2nd on the team with a career-high 92 tackles (59 solo), while contributing 1.5 sacks, 8 passes defended, and 1 forced fumble. Casillas has played in 94 regular-season games with 40 starts at linebacker and played in 8 postseason games with 1 start...Career totals include 312 tackles (213 solo), 6.5 sacks, 18 passes defended, 3 forced fumbles, 2 fumble recoveries and 44 special teams tackles in the regular season, and 13 tackles (8 solo) and 2 special teams tackles in the postseason.
 - Started at outside linebacker vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
 - Started at outside linebacker and registered 4 tackles (2 solo) at Cleveland (8/21).
 - Started at outside linebacker and registered 2 solo tackles, 1 sack and 1 QB hit vs. the Jets (8/26).

53 DEONTAE SKINNER 6-1 241 3rd season Mississippi State
 - Originally signed by the New England Patriots as an undrafted free agent on May 12, 2014...Signed to the Giants' active roster on Oct. 11, 2016...Skinner has played in 11 regular-season games with 1 start, and in 1 postseason game...His career totals include 11 tackles (2 solo) and 1.0 sack...He was a member of the New England Patriots' practice squad when the team won Super Bowl XLIX...In 2016, played in 4 regular-season games and the NFC Wild Card Game in his first season with the Giants.
 - Registered 3 tackles (2 solo) on defense and 1 tackle on special teams vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
 - Recorded 3 solo tackles at Cleveland (8/21).
 - Saw action vs. the Jets (8/26).

55 J.T. THOMAS III 6-1 236 7th season West Virginia
 - Originally a 6th-round (195th pick overall) draft choice by the Chicago Bears in 2011...Signed as a free agent by the Giants on March 11, 2015...Thomas has played in 60 games with 23 starts...His career totals include 140 tackles (86 solo), 2 interceptions, 4 forced fumbles, and 1 fumble recovery on defense, and 19 special teams tackles...In 2016, Thomas suffered torn ligaments in his left knee in the season opener in Dallas (9/11), and was sidelined for the remainder of the year.
 - Was placed on the PUP list on July 27, 2017.
 - Removed from the PUP list and placed on the active roster on August 15, 2017.
 - Did not play at Cleveland (8/21) due to injury.
 - Registered 1 solo tackle vs. the Jets (8/26).

57 KEENAN ROBINSON 6-3 238 6th season Texas
 - Originally a 4th-fourth round (119th pick overall) draft choice by the Washington Redskins in 2012...Signed as a free agent by the Giants on March 14, 2016...In his first season with the Giants in 2016, Robinson played in all 16 regular-season games for the first time in his career with 6 starts...He also started the NFC Wild Card Game in Green Bay...Finished 4th on the team with 79 tackles (52 solo), and had 7 passes defended.
 - Did not play vs. Pittsburgh (8/11) due to injury.
 - Did not play at Cleveland (8/21) due to injury.
 - Did not play vs. the Jets (8/26) due to injury.

59 DEVON KENNARD 6-3 251 4th season USC
 - Originally a 5th-round (174th pick overall) draft choice by the Giants in 2014...Kennard has played in 37 games with 24 starts...His totals include 157 tackles (110 solo) 5.5 sacks, 3 forced fumbles, 1 fumble recovery, and 1 interception...In 2016, played in all 16 regular-season games for the first time in his career with 9 starts, and played in the NFC Wild Card Game...Finished the season with a career-high 58 tackles (38 solo), 1.0 sack, 1 pass defended, 1 forced fumble, and 1 fumble recovery.
 - Started at outside linebacker vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
 - Started at outside linebacker and registered 1 solo tackle at Cleveland (8/21).
 - Registered 1 solo tackle vs. the Jets (8/26).

95 STANSLY MAPONGA SR. 6-2 65 4th season TCU
 - Originally a 5th-round (153rd pick overall) draft choice by the Atlanta Falcons in 2013...Signed to a reserve/future contract by the Giants on Jan. 9, 2017...Maponga has played in 26 regular-season games...His totals include 8 tackles (4 solo), a sack, and 2 fumble recoveries...In 2016, Maponga spent the entire season on the Giants' practice squad.
 - Saw action vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).
 - Saw action at Cleveland (8/21).
 - Registered 1 solo tackle vs. the Jets (8/26).

CORNERBACKS (9)

20 JANORIS JENKINS 5-10 198 6th season North Alabama
 - Originally a 2nd-round (39th pick overall) draft choice by the St. Louis Rams in 2012...Signed as a free agent by the Giants on March 10, 2016...In 2016, Jenkins was named a 2nd-team

AP All-Pro and voted to his first Pro Bowl... Finished the season with 49 tackles (44 solo), 3 interceptions, 1 sack, 18 passes defended, and 1 forced fumble.

- Started at cornerback vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Started at cornerback and recorded 3 solo tackles (1 for loss) at Cleveland (8/21).

- Started at cornerback and registered 2 tackles and 1 pass defended vs. the Jets (8/26).

22 TIM SCOTT 5-11 195 1st season North Carolina

- Originally signed as an undrafted free agent by the Dallas Cowboys on May 9, 2015...signed by the Giants on August 24, 2017...Spent the 2015 season on the Cowboys and Browns practice squads...started 45 of 50 career games at North Carolina and totaled 212 tackles, 25 passes defended and 8 interceptions.

- Registered 2 solo tackles vs. the Jets (8/26).

28 ELI APPLE 6-1 199 2nd season Ohio St.

- Originally a first-round (10th pick overall) draft choice by the Giants in 2016...As a rookie in 2016, Apple played in 14 regular-season games with 11 starts, and started the NFC Wild Card Game...Finished the season with 49 tackles (41 solo), 7 passes defended, 1 interception, 1 forced fumble and 1 fumble recovery...Apple had 4 solo tackles in his NFL debut at Dallas (9/11)...Apple was the first Giants player with an interception and fumble recovery in the same game since defensive end Kerry Wynn did it in St. Louis on Dec. 21, 2014.

- Started at cornerback vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Did not play at Cleveland (8/21).

- Started at cornerback and registered 2 solo tackles and 1 pass defended vs. the Jets (8/26). Left game in 3rd quarter due to an ankle injury.

30 DASHAUN AMOS 6-4 193 Rookie East Carolina

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Giants on May 11, 2017...Played in 49 games at East Carolina, appearing at both cornerback and safety...Career totals included 116 tackles, 1 interception which was returned for a school record 100-yard touchdown, 11 passes defended, 2 fumble recoveries and 2.0 sacks...As a senior in 2016, Amos was selected as a team captain, and played in 12 games with 8 starts...Recorded 51 tackles, 2 tackles for losses and 3 passes defended.

- Registered 1 tackle vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Registered 2 solo tackles at Cleveland (8/21).

- Registered 1 pass defended and 1 special teams tackle vs. the Jets (8/26).

35 NIGEL TRIBUNE 5-10 193 Rookie Iowa St.

- Originally signed by the Giants on May 11, 2017...Played in 42 games with 29 starts in 4 season at Iowa State...Career totals include 145 tackles, 4 interceptions, 27 pass breakups, 2 forced fumbles, and 2 fumble recoveries...As a senior in 2016, Tribune played in 10 games and had 14 tackles.

- Registered 1 tackle on special teams vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Saw action at Cleveland (8/21).

- Saw action vs. the Jets (8/26) and had 1 pass defended.

38 DONTE DEAYON 5-9 163 1st season Boise St.

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Giants on May 6, 2016...Signed to the Giants' practice squad on Sept. 5, 2016...Signed to a reserve/future contract by the Giants on Jan. 9, 2017...At Boise State, Deayon played in 40 games with 36 starts...Career totals included 155 tackles and 17 interceptions, 5th on the school's all-time list.

- Registered 1 tackle and 1 QB hit on defense and 1 tackle on special teams vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Registered 1 tackle and QB hit at Cleveland (8/21).

- Finished with 4 tackles (3 solo), 1 pass defended and a 36-yard interception return touchdown vs. the Jets (8/26). Also returned 1 kickoff for 15 yards.

39 MICHAEL HUNTER 6-0 186 1st season Oklahoma St.

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Giants on May 6, 2016...Signed to a reserve/future contract by the Giants on Jan. 9, 2017...In 2016, Hunter played in 2 games for the Giants...Made his NFL debut at Minnesota (10/3), where he had 2 tackles as a reserve cornerback...Also had 2 unassisted tackles at Green Bay (10/3).

- Recorded 3 tackles vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Recorded 1 solo tackle at Cleveland (8/21). Left game in 3rd quarter due to a concussion.

- Did not play vs. the Jets (8/26) due to injury.

41D. RODGERS-CROMARTIE 6-2 205 10th season Tennessee St.

- Originally a first-round (16th pick overall) draft choice by the Arizona Cardinals in 2008...Signed as a free agent by the Giants on March 17, 2014...In 2016, played in 15 regular-season games with 9 starts...Was selected 2nd-team All-Pro by the AP...Led the Giants and was tied for 2nd in the NFL with 6 interceptions...

The 6 picks matched the career-high he set as a 2nd-year pro with Arizona in 2009...Rodgers-Cromartie was the first Giants player with 6 interceptions in a season since safety Antrel Rolle in 2013...Also contributed 49 tackles (41 solo), a team-high 21 passes defended, and a sack.

- Did not play vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Started at cornerback and registered 2 tackles at Cleveland (8/21).

- Started at cornerback and registered 1 solo tackle vs. the Jets (8/26).

47 TAY GLOVER-WRIGHT 6-0 180 1st season Utah St.

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Philadelphia Eagles on May 12, 2014...Signed by the Giants on August 27, 2017...Glover played two games for the Colts in the 2015 season and spent time on the Indianapolis Colts' practice squad during the 2016 season.

SAFETIES (8)

21 LONDON COLLINS 6-0 225 3rd season Alabama

- Originally a 2nd-round (33rd pick overall) draft choice by the Giants in 2015...In 2016, was named first-team All-Pro by the Associated Press and an NFC starter in the Pro Bowl...Led the team in tackles for the 2nd consecutive season with 125, most by a

safety in Giants history... Also had 5 interceptions, 4.0 sacks, and 13 passes defended... Is the only player in NFL history to have 100 or more solo tackles, and at least 2.0 sacks, 5 interceptions, and 12 passes defended... Was the only NFL player in 2016 with at least 5 interceptions and at least 4.0 sacks.

- Started at strong safety and finished with 5 tackles (4 solo, 1 for loss) vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Started at strong safety and recorded 1 tackle at Cleveland (8/21).

- Started at strong safety and finished with 4 solo tackles, 1 pass defended and a 23-yard interception return touchdown vs. the Jets (8/26).

23 DUKE IHENACHO 6-1 208 5th season San Jose St.

- Originally signed by the Denver Broncos as a rookie free agent on May 3, 2012... Signed as a free agent by the Giants on May 25, 2017... Played in 36 regular-season games with 25 starts... Started all 3 postseason games in which he played, including Super Bowl XLVIII... Career regular-season totals include 135 tackles, 8 passes defended, 3 forced fumbles, and 2 fumble recoveries... In 2016, played in 15 games with 10 starts in his final season with the Washington Redskins... Finished with 59 tackles and 2 passes defended.

- Recorded 1 tackle on special teams vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Had 1 fumble recovery at Cleveland (8/21).

- Registered 1 solo tackle on defense and 1 tackle on special teams vs. the Jets (8/26). Left game in 4th quarter due to a knee injury.

27 DARIAN THOMPSON 6-1 213 2nd season Boise St.

- Originally a 3rd-round (71st pick overall) draft choice by the Giants in 2016... Took over as the starting free safety in the spring, but his rookie season was limited to the first 2 games because of a foot injury... Was inactive for 6 games before being placed on injured reserve on Nov. 10... Had 3 tackles (2 solo) in his NFL debut at Dallas (9/11)... Made his first start vs. New Orleans (9/18), and finished with 4 solo tackles.

- Started at free safety and registered 1 tackle vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Started at free safety and registered 1 solo tackle on defense and 1 tackle on special teams at Cleveland (8/21).

- Started at free safety and registered 3 tackles (2 solo, 1 for loss), 1 sack and 1 QB hit vs. the Jets (8/26).

29 NAT BERHE 6-0 194 4th season San Diego St.

- Originally a 5th-round (152nd pick overall) draft choice by the Giants in 2014... Has played in 23 regular-season games with 2 starts... His career totals include 22 tackles (17 solo), 1 pass defended, 1 forced fumble, and 14 special teams tackles... In 2016, played in 7 games with 2 starts... Finished the season with 18 tackles, 1 pass defended, 1 forced fumble, and 3 special teams tackles.

- Registered 3 tackles vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Registered 6 tackles (4 solo, 1 for loss) at Cleveland (8/21).

- Registered 1 tackle on defense and 1 tackle on special teams vs. the Jets (8/26).

31 TREY ROBINSON 6-1 212 Rookie Furman

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Giants on May 15, 2017... Played in 44 games with 34 starts at Furman... Career totals were 264 tackles, 6 interceptions, 20 passes defended, 1

forced fumble and 1 fumble recovery.

- Recorded 1 tackle vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Recorded 1 tackle on special teams at Cleveland (8/21).

- Registered 2 solo tackles vs. the Jets (8/26).

33 ANDREW ADAMS 5-11 202 2nd season Connecticut

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Giants on May 6, 2016... Played in the last 14 regular-season games, starting the final 13 at free safety... Finished the season with 45 tackles (31 solo), 5 passes defended, and 1 interception... Made his NFL debut vs. Washington (9/25)... Contributed season-high totals of 9 solo tackles and 2 passes defended, including his first career interception when he picked off a Carson Wentz pass and returned it 19 yards vs. Philadelphia (11/6).

- Recorded 2 tackles on defense and 2 tackles on special teams vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Recorded 1 solo tackle at Cleveland (8/21).

- Registered 3 tackles (2 solo, 1 for loss), 1 sack and 1 QB hit vs. the Jets (8/26).

36 RYAN MURPHY 6-0 216 1st season Oregon St.

- Originally a 7th-round (248th pick overall) draft choice by the Seattle Seahawks in 2015... Signed to a reserve/future contract by the Giants on Jan. 9, 2017... A 3-year starter at Oregon State, Murphy played in 50 games with 39 starts... Finished career with 235 tackles, 7 interceptions, 14 pass breakups, and 1.5 sacks.

- Did not play vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Saw action at Cleveland (8/21).

- Registered 1 tackle on special teams vs. the Jets (8/26).

37 ERIC PINKINS 6-3 230 3rd season San Diego St.

- Originally a 6th-round (208th pick overall) draft choice by the Seattle Seahawks in 2014... Signed to the Giants' active roster on Nov. 29, 2016... Pinkins has played in 11 regular-season and 2 postseason games, and has been credited with 3 special teams tackles in the regular season and 1 in the postseason... In 2016, Pinkins played in the final 5 regular-season games and the NFC Wild Card Game in his first season with the Giants.

- Registered 1 tackle vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Registered 1 special teams tackle at Cleveland (8/21).

- Registered 1 solo tackle vs. the Jets (8/26).

SPECIAL TEAMS (4)

2 ALDRICK ROSAS 6-2 195 Rookie Southern Oregon

- Originally signed as a rookie free agent by the Tennessee Titans on May 9, 2016... Signed to a reserve/future contract by the Giants on Jan. 19, 2017... Played in 15 games at Southern Oregon... Played all 15 games of his career as a sophomore and made 83 of 86 PAT attempts (96.5%) and 16 of 21 field goal attempts (76.1%) with a long of 48 yards.

- Made 2-2 field goals vs. Pittsburgh (8/11), connecting from 27 and 52 yards.

- Made his only field goal attempt at Cleveland (8/21), connecting from 47 yards.

- Made his only field goal attempt vs. the Jets (8/26), connecting from 24 yards.

6 MIKE NUGENT 5-10 183 12th season Ohio St.

- Originally a 2nd round (47th pick overall) draft choice by the Jets in 2005... Signed by the Giants on Aug. 1, 2017... Nugent has played in 158 regular-season games for the Jets, Tampa Bay, Arizona, and the previous 7 season for Cincinnati. He has also

SPECIAL TEAMS CONT. (4)

points... In 2016, Nugent played the first 13 games for the Bengals... He had the same numbers on field goals and extra points, making 23 of 29 attempts, and scored 92 points.

- Made 2-of-2 field goals vs. Pittsburgh (8/11), connecting from 30 and 45 yards.

- Made his only field goal attempt at Cleveland (8/21) connecting from 38 yards.

- Made 2-of-2 field goals vs. the Jets (8/26), connecting from 50 and 54 yards.

9 BRAD WING 6-3 205 4th season LSU

- In 2 seasons with the Giants, Wing has booted 169 punts, and his gross average of 45.4 yards is the 2nd-highest in team history, behind Steve Weatherford's 46.3-yard average (on 311 punts from 2011-14)... In 2016, Wing punted 93 times for a 46.2-yard gross average (11th in the NFL) and a 40.9-yard net average (10th in the league).....Wing is also 6th on the list with a 38.9-yard net average in 2015... Wing placed 28 punts inside the 20-yard line, 5 fewer than he had in 2015, when he tied the franchise record of 33 also held by Brad Maynard (1997 and 98).

- Punted 4 times for 180 yards with an average of 45.0 and a net of 40.3, including one punt inside the 20 vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Punted 3 times for 144 yards with an average of 48.0 and a net of 36.3, including a long of 52 yards and one punt inside the 20 at Cleveland (8/21).

- Punted 6 times for 296 yards with an average of 49.3 and a net of 42.8, including a long of 59 yards and one punt inside the 20 vs. the Jets (8/26).

51 ZAK DEOSSIE 6-4 249 11th season Brown

- 4th round draft pick (116th overall) by the Giants in 2007..

Has played in 156 regular-season and 10 postseason games as the long snapper and on coverage teams... DeOssie is the 2nd-longest tenured Giants player, behind Eli Manning (who is in his 12th season)... Among current players, only Manning (201) has played more games in a Giants uniform than DeOssie... In 2016, DeOssie played in all 16 regular-season games, and in the NFC Wild Card Game at Green Bay... Had 8 special teams tackles (7 solo).

- Saw action at long-snapper vs. Pittsburgh (8/11).

- Saw action at long-snapper at Cleveland (8/21).

- Saw action at long-snapper vs. the Jets (8/26).

A GIANT LOOK AT...TRAVIS RUDOLPH

FAST FIVE

1. What is the biggest difference between living up north compared to in the south, where you grew up and went to college?

"Right now, there's not too much different, it's still hot here. The traffic here is crazy, though. Much worse than Florida."

2: What do you do to unwind after practice?

"Just relax, watch SportsCenter. Try to watch some funny videos on social media, too."

3. Who is your favorite wide receiver of all time?

"I'd definitely say Jerry Rice because of his work ethic. And his numbers show it."

4. What is the strangest food you've ever eaten?

"Honestly, I keep it pretty basic when it comes to food. The strangest thing I've ever had was probably sushi."

5. What is something most people don't know about you?

"I've got some hoop skills. I really enjoy playing basketball and like to think I'm pretty decent at it."

COLLEGIATE HONORS

2 x 2nd Team All-ACC Selection

2016 Musial Award Winner for Extraordinary Sportsmanship

"Travis is a guy who you can count on to be in the right spot. He understands how to play the game."

-QB Geno Smith

Height: 6'0"

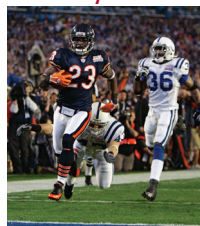
Weight: 190

Rookie 

College: 
Florida State

ALL IN THE FAMILY

Travis is a cousin of former NFL wide receiver and prolific kick returner Devin Hester, who holds the record for most combined kick and punt return touchdowns in NFL history with 19.



Rudolph, who has been returning punts for the Giants in the preseason, says watching his cousin score a touchdown on the opening kickoff of Super Bowl XLI as a member of the Bears was his all-time favorite sports memory as a fan.



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2017 NEW YORK GIANTS ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

(as of Aug. 28, 2017)

NO.	LAST	FIRST	POS.	HT.	WT.	AGE	EXP.	COLLEGE	HOMETOWN	HOW ACQUIRED
31	Abdullah	Khalid	RB	5-10	211	22	R	James Madison	Leesburg, VA	FA-'17
33	Adams	Andrew	S	5-11	205	24	2	Connecticut	Fayetteville, GA	FA-'16
89	Adams	Jerell	TE	6-5	254	24	2	South Carolina	Summerton, SC	D6-'16
30	Amos	DaShaun	CB	6-0	193	22	R	East Carolina	Midlothian, VA	FA-'17
24	Apple	Eli	CB	6-1	201	22	2	Ohio State	Voorhees, NJ	D1-'16
64	Banks	Josh	DT	6-3	290	23	R	Wake Forest	Apex, NC	FA-'17
13	Beckham Jr.	Odell	WR	5-11	198	24	4	LSU	New Orleans, LA	D1-'14
29	Berhe	Nat	S	5-11	195	26	4	San Diego State	Colton, CA	D5-'14
66	Bisnowaty	Adam	OL	6-5	310	23	R	Pittsburgh	Pittsburgh, PA	D6-'17
96	Bromley	Jay	DT	6-3	314	25	4	Syracuse	Flushing, NY	D3-'14
86	Bundy	Marquis	WR	6-4	215	23	2	New Mexico	Phoenix, AZ	FA-'17
48	Casher	Chris	LB	6-4	265	23	R	Faulkner	Mobile, AL	FA-'17
52	Casillas	Jonathan	LB	6-1	226	30	9	Wisconsin	New Brunswick, NJ	FA-'15
21	Collins	Landon	S	6-0	218	23	3	Alabama	Geismar, LA	D2-'15
43	Daniels	Steven	LB	5-11	245	24	1	Boston College	Cincinnati	FA-'17
26	Darkwa	Orleans	RB	5-11	219	25	4	Tulane	Nashville, TN	FA-'15
38	Deayon	Donte	CB	5-9	163	23	1	Boise State	Fontana, CA	FA-'16
51	DeOssie	Zak	LS	6-5	250	33	11	Brown	No. Andover, MA	FA-'17
25	Draughn	Shaun	RB	5-11	214	29	6	North Carolina	Tarboro, NC	FA-'17
84	Eagan	Ed	WR	5-10	198	24	1	Northwestern State	(LA) New Orleans, LA	FA-'17
85	Ellison	Rhett	TE	6-5	255	28	6	USC	Mountain View, CA	FA-'17
88	Engram	Evan	TE	6-3	240	22	R	Ole Miss	Powder Springs, GA	D1-'17
74	Flowers	Ereck	T	6-6	325	23	3	Miami (FL)	Miami, FL	D1-'15
76	Fluker	D.J.	OL	6-5	345	26	5	Alabama	New Orleans, LA	FA-'17
22	Gallman	Wayne	RB	6-0	210	22	R	Clemson	Loganville, GA	D4-'17
2	Germany	C.J.	WR	5-11	180	23	R	Notre Dame (OH)	Cleveland, OH	FA-'17
60	Gettis	Adam	OL	6-3	315	28	5	Iowa	Frankfort, IL	FA-'17
47	Glover-Wright	Tay	CB	6-0	180	25	1	Utah State	Mableton, GA	FA-'17
93	Goodson	B.J.	LB	6-1	241	24	2	Clemson	Lamar, SC	D4-'16
49	Grant	Curtis	LB	6-3	249	24	1	Ohio State	Richmond, VA	FA-'17
75	Halapio	Jon	T	6-3	315	26	1	Florida	St. Petersburg, FL	FA-'16
17	Harris	Dwayne	WR	5-11	206	29	6	East Carolina	Stone Mountain, GA	FA-'15
98	Harrison	Damon	DT	6-3	341	28	6	William Penn	Westlake, LA	FA-'16
68	Hart	Bobby	T	6-4	316	22	3	Florida State	Fort Lauderdale, FL	D7-'15
44	Herzlich	Mark	LB	6-5	236	29	7	Boston College	Conestoga, PA	FA-'11
48	Huesman	Jacob	RB	6-1	240	24	1	Tennessee-Chattanooga	Chattanooga, TN	FA-'16
39	Hunter Jr.	Michael	CB	6-0	192	24	1	Oklahoma State	West Monroe, LA	FA-'16
23	Ihenacho	Duke	S	6-0	212	28	5	San Jose State	Gardena, CA	FA-'17
20	Jenkins	Janoris	CB	5-10	190	28	6	North Alabama	Pahokee, FL	FA-'16
77	Jerry	John	G	6-5	335	31	8	Ole Miss	Batesville, MS	FA-'14
8	Johnson	Josh	QB	6-3	219	31	7	San Diego	Oakland, CA	FA-'17
69	Jones	Brett	OL	6-2	312	26	3	Regina	Weyburn, Saskatchewan	FA-'15
62	Jones	Jarron	OL	6-6	320	23	R	Notre Dame	Rochester, NY	FA-'17
59	Kennard	Devon	LB	6-4	256	26	4	USC	Phoenix, AZ	D5b-'14
12	King	Tavarres	WR	6-1	192	27	3	Georgia	Mount Airy, GA	FA-'15
81	LaCrosse	Matt	TE	6-6	255	24	2	Illinois	Naperville, IL	FA-'17
6	Lane	Jerome	WR	6-3	225	22	R	Akron	Akron, OH	FA-'17
65	Levy	Richard	T	6-6	315	24	R	Connecticut	Trenton, NJ	FA-'17
18	Lewis Jr.	Roger	WR	6-0	203	23	2	Bowling Green	Pickerington, OH	FA-'16
10	Manning	Eli	QB	6-5	220	36	14	Ole Miss	New Orleans, LA	T(SD)-'04
95	Maponga Sr.	Stansly	LB	6-2	257	26	4	Texas Christian	Carrollton, TX	FA-'16

15	Marshall	Brandon	WR	6-5	232	33	12	UCF	Winter Park, FL	FA-'17
91	Moss	Avery	DE	6-3	271	22	R	Youngstown State	Tempe, AZ	D5-'17
46	Munson	Calvin	LB	6-0	241	22	R	San Diego State	St. Charles, MO	FA-'17
36	Murphy	Ryan	S	6-1	216	24	1	Oregon State	Oakland, CA	FA-'16
6	Nugent	Mike	K	5-10	190	35	13	Ohio State	Kettering, OH	FA-'17
58	Odighizuwa	Owa	DE	6-4	264	25	3	UCLA	Portland, OR	D3-'15
78	Okwara	Romeo	DE	6-4	271	22	2	Notre Dame	Charlotte, NC	FA-'16
28	Perkins	Paul	RB	5-11	213	22	2	UCLA	Chandler, AZ	D5-'16
90	Pierre-Paul	Jason	DE	6-5	275	28	8	South Florida	Deerfield Beach, FL	D1-'10
37	Pinkins	Eric	S/LB	6-3	220	26	3	San Diego State	Sacramento, CA	FA-'16
67	Pugh	Justin	G	6-5	311	27	5	Syracuse	Holland, PA	D1-'13
73	Richardson	Bobby	DT	6-3	286	24	2	Indiana	Tmapo, FL	FA-'17
70	Richburg	Weston	C	6-4	300	26	4	Colorado State	Bushland, TX	D2-'14
57	Robinson	Keenan	LB	6-3	245	28	6	Texas	Plano, TX	FA-'16
31	Robinson	Trey	S	6-1	212	22	R	Furman	Spartanburg, SC	FA-'17
41	Rodgers-Cromartie	Dominique	CB	6-2	203	31	10	Tennessee State	Bradenton, FL	FA-'14
2	Rosas	Aldrick	K	6-3	221	22	1	Southern Oregon	Orland, CA	FA-'17
61	Rotheram	Matt	G	6-5	325	25	1	Pittsburgh	Olmsted, OH	FA-'17
19	Rudolph	Travis	WR	6-0	190	21	R	Florida State	West Palm Beach, FL	FA-'17
22	Scott	Tim	CB	5-11	195	24	1	North Carolina	Fredericksburg, VA	FA-'17
83	Severin	Canaan	WR	6-2	205	24	2	Virginia	Worcester, MA	FA-'17
87	Shepard	Sterling	WR	5-10	201	24	2	Oklahoma	Oklahoma City, OK	D2-'16
53	Skinner	Deontae	LB	6-1	241	26	3	Mississippi State	Macon, MS	FA-'16
3	Smith	Geno	QB	6-3	221	26	5	West Virginia	Miramar, FL	FA-'17
43	Smith	Shane	RB	6-1	241	23	R	San Jose State	Los Gatos, CA	FA-'17
97	Taylor	Devin	DE	6-8	270	27	5	South Carolina	Beaufort, SC	FA-'17
99	Thomas	Robert	DT	6-1	331	26	2	Arkansas	Muskogee, OK	FA-'16
55	Thomas III	J.T.	LB	6-1	230	29	7	West Virginia	Pompano Beach, FL	FA-'15
27	Thompson	Darian	S	6-2	208	23	2	Boise State	Lancaster, CA	D3-'16
94	Tomlinson	Dalvin	DT	6-3	317	23	R	Alabama	Mcdonogh, GA	D2-'17
35	Tribune	Nigel	CB	5-10	193	22	R	Iowa State	Jacksonville, FL	FA-'17
45	Tye	Will	TE	6-2	256	25	3	Stony Brook	Salisbury, CT	FA-'15
34	Vereen	Shane	RB	5-10	205	28	7	California	Valencia, CA	FA-'15
54	Vernon	Olivier	DE	6-2	262	26	6	Miami (FL)	Miami, FL	FA-'16
5	Webb	Davis	QB	6-5	230	22	R	California	Prosper, TX	D3-'17
63	Wheeler	Chad	T	6-7	312	23	R	USC	Santa Monica, CA	FA-'17
79	Williams	Jordan	DE	6-4	272	24	1	Tennessee	Gainesville, FL	FA-'16
9	Wing	Brad	P	6-3	192	26	4	LSU	Baton Rouge, LA	T(PIT)-'15
72	Wynn	Kerry	DE	6-5	264	26	4	Richmond	Louisa, VA	FA-'14
RESERVE/INJURED										
71	Schwan	Evan	DE	6-6	261	23	R	Penn State	Harrisburg, PA	FA-'17
73	Bryant	Corbin	DT	6-4	303	29	5	Northwestern	Chicago, IL	FA-'17
65	Dunker	Jessamen	OL	6-4	315	24	R	Tennessee State	Boynton Beach, FL	FA-'17
82	Johnson	Keeon	WR	6-3	216	22	R	Virginia	Kannapolis, NC	FA-'17
83	Norwood	Kevin	WR	6-2	212	27	3	Alabama	Biloxi, MS	FA-'17
86	Powe	Darius	WR	6-2	218	23	1	California	Lakewood, California	FA-'16
22	Thompson	Mykkele	S	6-1	195	24	3	Texas	San Antonio, TX	D5-'15
97	Williams	Ishaq	DE	6-4	253	24	R	Notre Dame	Brooklyn, NY	FA-'16

2017 NEW YORK GIANTS NUMERICAL ROSTER

(as of Aug. 28, 2017)

NO.	FIRST	LAST	POS.	HT.	WT.	AGE	EXP.	COLLEGE	HOMETOWN	HOW ACQUIRED
2	Aldrick	Rosas	K	6-3	221	22	1	Southern Oregon	Orland, CA	FA-'17
2	C.J.	Germany	WR	5-11	180	23	R	Notre Dame (OH)	Cleveland, OH	FA-'17
3	Geno	Smith	QB	6-3	221	26	5	West Virginia	Miramar, FL	FA-'17
5	Davis	Webb	QB	6-5	230	22	R	California	Prosper, TX	D3-'17
6	Mike	Nugent	K	5-10	190	35	13	Ohio State	Kettering, OH	FA-'17
6	Jerome	Lane	WR	6-3	225	22	R	Akron	Akron, OH	FA-'17
8	Josh	Johnson	QB	6-3	219	31	7	San Diego	Oakland, CA	FA-'17
9	Brad	Wing	P	6-3	192	26	4	LSU	Baton Rouge, LA	T(PIT)-'15
10	Eli	Manning	QB	6-5	220	36	14	Ole Miss	New Orleans, LA	T(SD)-'04
12	Tavarres	King	WR	6-1	192	27	3	Georgia	Mount Airy, GA	FA-'15
13	Odell	Beckham Jr.	WR	5-11	198	24	4	LSU	New Orleans, LA	D1-'14
15	Brandon	Marshall	WR	6-5	232	33	12	UCF	Winter Park, FL	FA-'17
17	Dwayne	Harris	WR	5-11	206	29	7	East Carolina	Stone Mountain, GA	FA-'15
18	Roger	Lewis Jr.	WR	6-0	203	23	2	Bowling Green	Pickerington, OH	FA-'16
19	Travis	Rudolph	WR	6-0	190	21	R	Florida State	West Palm Beach, FL	FA-'17
20	Janoris	Jenkins	CB	5-10	190	28	6	North Alabama	Pahokee, FL	FA-'16
21	Landon	Collins	S	6-0	218	23	3	Alabama	Geismar, LA	D2-'15
22	Tim	Scott	CB	5-11	195	24	1	North Carolina	Fredericksburg, VA	FA-'17
22	Wayne	Gollman	RB	6-0	210	22	R	Clemson	Loganville, GA	D4-'17
23	Duke	Ihenacho	S	6-0	212	28	5	San Jose State	Gardena, CA	FA-'17
24	Eli	Apple	CB	6-1	201	22	2	Ohio State	Voorhees, NJ	D1-'16
25	Shaun	Draughn	RB	5-11	214	29	6	North Carolina	Tarboro, NC	FA-'17
26	Orleans	Darkwa	RB	5-11	219	25	4	Tulane	Nashville, TN	FA-'15
27	Darian	Thompson	S	6-2	208	23	2	Boise State	Lancaster, CA	D3-'16
28	Paul	Perkins	RB	5-11	213	22	2	UCLA	Chandler, AZ	D5-'16
29	Nat	Berhe	S	5-11	195	26	4	San Diego State	Colton, CA	D5-'14
30	DaShaun	Amos	CB	6-0	193	22	R	East Carolina	Midlothian, VA	FA-'17
31	Trey	Robinson	S	6-1	212	22	R	Furman	Spartanburg, SC	FA-'17
31	Khalid	Abdullah	RB	5-10	211	22	R	James Madison	Leesburg, VA	FA-'17
33	Andrew	Adams	S	5-11	205	24	2	Connecticut	Fayetteville, GA	FA-'16
34	Shane	Vereen	RB	5-10	205	28	7	California	Valencia, CA	FA-'15
35	Nigel	Tribune	CB	5-10	193	22	R	Iowa State	Jacksonville, FL	FA-'17
36	Ryan	Murphy	S	6-1	216	24	1	Oregon State	Oakland, CA	FA-'16
37	Eric	Pinkins	S/LB	6-3	220	26	3	San Diego State	Sacramento, CA	FA-'16
38	Donte	Deayon	CB	5-9	163	23	1	Boise State	Fontana, CA	FA-'16
39	Michael	Hunter Jr.	CB	6-0	192	24	1	Oklahoma State	West Monroe, LA	FA-'16
41	Dominique	Rodgers-Cromartie	CB	6-2	203	31	10	Tennessee State	Bradenton, FL	FA-'14
43	Steven	Daniels	LB	5-11	245	24	1	Boston College	Cincinnati, OH	FA-'17
43	Shane	Smith	RB	6-1	241	24	R	San Jose State	Los Gatos, CA	FA-'17
44	Mark	Herzlich	LB	6-5	236	29	7	Boston College	Conestoga, PA	FA-'11
45	Will	Tye	TE	6-2	256	25	3	Stony Brook	Salisbury, CT	FA-'15
46	Calvin	Munson	LB	6-0	241	22	R	San Diego State	St. Charles, MO	FA-'17
47	Tay	Glover-Wright	CB	6-0	180	25	1	Utah State	Mableton, GA	FA-'17
48	Jacob	Huesman	RB	6-1	240	24	1	Tennessee-Chattanooga	Chattanooga, TN	FA-'16
48	Chris	Casher	LB	6-4	265	23	R	Faulkner	Mobile, AL	FA-'17
49	Curtis	Grant	LB	6-3	249	24	1	Ohio State	Richmond, VA	FA-'17
51	Zak	DeOssie	LS	6-5	250	33	11	Brown	No. Andover, MA	FA-'17
52	Jonathan	Casillas	LB	6-1	226	30	9	Wisconsin	New Brunswick, NJ	FA-'15
53	Deontae	Skinner	LB	6-1	241	26	3	Mississippi State	Macon, MS	FA-'16
54	Olivier	Vernon	DE	6-2	262	26	6	Miami (FL)	Miami, FL	FA-'16
55	J.T.	Thomas III	LB	6-1	230	29	7	West Virginia	Pompano Beach, FL	FA-'15

57	Keenan	Robinson	LB	6-3	245	28	6	Texas	Plano, TX	FA-'16
58	Owa	Odighizuwa	DE	6-4	264	25	3	UCLA	Portland, OR	D3-'15
59	Devon	Kennard	LB	6-4	256	26	4	USC	Phoenix, AZ	D5b-'14
60	Adam	Gettis	OL	6-3	315	28	5	Iowa	Frankfort, IL	FA-'17
61	Matt	Rotheram	OL	6-5	325	25	1	Pittsburgh	Olmsted, OH	FA-'17
62	Jarron	Jones	OL	6-6	320	23	R	Notre Dame	Rochester, NY	FA-'17
63	Chad	Wheeler	T	6-7	312	23	R	USC	Santa Monica, CA	FA-'17
64	Josh	Romeo	DT	6-3	290	23	R	Wake Forest	Apex, NC	FA-'17
65	Richard	Levy	OL	6-6	315	24	R	Connecticut	Trenton, NJ	FA-'17
66	Adam	Bisnowaty	OL	6-5	310	23	R	Pittsburgh	Pittsburgh, PA	D6-'17
67	Justin	Pugh	G	6-5	311	27	5	Syracuse	Holland, PA	D1-'13
68	Bobby	Hart	T	6-4	316	23	3	Florida State	Fort Lauderdale, FL	D7-'15
69	Brett	Jones	OL	6-2	312	26	3	Regina	Weyburn, Saskatchewan	FA-'15
70	Weston	Richburg	C	6-4	300	26	4	Colorado State	Bushland, TX	D2-'14
72	Kerry	Wynn	DE	6-5	264	26	4	Richmond	Louisa, VA	FA-'14
73	Bobby	Richardson	DT	6-3	286	24	2	Indiana	Tampa, FL	FA-'17
74	Ereck	Flowers	T	6-6	325	23	3	Miami (FL)	Miami, FL	D1-'15
75	Jon	Halapio	T	6-3	315	26	1	Florida	St. Petersburg, FL	FA-'16
76	D.J.	Fluker	OL	6-5	345	26	5	Alabama	New Orleans, LA	FA-'17
77	John	Jerry	G	6-5	335	31	8	Ole Miss	Batesville, MS	FA-'14
78	Romeo	Okwara	DE	6-4	271	22	2	Notre Dame	Charlotte, NC	FA-'16
79	Jordan	Williams	DE	6-4	272	24	1	Tennessee	Gainesville, FL	FA-'16
81	Matt	LaCosse	TE	6-6	255	24	2	Illinois	Naperville, IL	FA-'17
83	Canaan	Severin	WR	6-2	205	24	2	Virginia	Worcester, MA	FA-'17
84	Ed	Eagan	WR	5-10	198	24	1	Northwestern St (LA)	New Orleans, LA	FA-'17
85	Rhett	Ellison	TE	6-5	255	28	6	USC	Mountain View, CA	FA-'17
86	Marquis	Bundy	WR	6-4	215	23	2	New Mexico	Phoenix, AZ	FA-'17
87	Sterling	Shepard	WR	5-10	201	24	2	Oklahoma	Oklahoma City, OK	D2-'16
88	Evan	Engram	TE	6-3	240	22	R	Ole Miss	Powder Springs, GA	D1-'17
89	Jerrell	Adams	TE	6-6	254	24	2	South Carolina	Summerton, SC	D6-'16
90	Jason	Pierre-Paul	DE	6-5	275	28	8	South Florida	Deerfield Beach, FL	D1-'10
91	Avery	Moss	DE	6-3	271	22	R	Youngstown State	Tempe, AZ	D5-'17
93	B.J.	Goodson	LB	6-1	241	24	2	Clemson	Lamar, SC	D4-'16
94	Dalvin	Tomlinson	DT	6-3	317	23	R	Alabama	Mcdonogh, GA	D2-'17
95	Stansly	Maponga Sr.	LB	6-2	257	26	4	Texas Christian	Carrollton, TX	FA-'16
96	Jay	Bromley	DT	6-3	314	25	4	Syracuse	Flushing, NY	D3-'14
97	Devin	Taylor	DE	6-8	270	27	5	South Carolina	Beaufort, SC	FA-'17
98	Damon	Harrison	DT	6-3	341	28	6	William Penn	Westlake, LA	FA-'16
99	Robert	Thomas	DT	6-1	331	26	2	Arkansas	Muskogee, OK	FA-'16
RESERVE/INJURED										
62	Mykkele	Thompson	S	6-1	195	24	3	Texas	San Antonio, TX	D5-'15
65	Jessamen	Dunker	OL	6-4	315	24	R	Tennessee State	Boynton Beach, FL	FA-'17
71	Evan	Schwan	DE	6-6	261	23	R	Penn State	Harrisburg, PA	FA-'17
73	Corbin	Bryant	DT	6-4	303	29	5	Northwestern	Chicago, IL	FA-'17
82	Keeon	Johnson	WR	6-3	216	22	R	Virginia	Kannapolis, NC	FA-'17
83	Kevin	Norwood	WR	6-2	212	27	3	Alabama	Biloxi, MS	FA-'17
86	Darius	Powe	WR	6-2	218	23	1	California	Lakewood, CA	FA-'16
97	Ishaq	Williams	DE	6-4	253	24	R	Notre Dame	Brooklyn, NY	FA-'16

2017 NEW YORK GIANTS DEPTH CHART

OFFENSE

WR	13	Odell Beckham Jr.	12	Tavarres King	84	Ed Eagan	83	<u>Canaan Severin</u>
							2	<u>C.J. Germany</u>
LT	74	Ereck Flowers	63	<u>Chad Wheeler</u>	62	<u>Jarron Jones</u>		
LG	67	Justin Pugh	60	Adam Gettis	61	Matt Rotheram		
C	70	Weston Richburg	69	Brett Jones				
RG	77	John Jerry	76	D.J. Fluker	75	Jon Halapio		
RT	68	Bobby Hart	66	<u>Adam Bisnowaty</u>	65	<u>Richard Levy</u>		
TE	85	Rhett Ellison	88	<u>Evan Engram</u>	45	Will Tye	89	Jerrell Adams
							81	Matt LaCrosse
QB	10	Eli Manning	8	Josh Johnson	3	Geno Smith	5	<u>Davis Webb</u>
WR	87	Sterling Shepard	17	Dwayne Harris	19	<u>Travis Rudolph</u>		
RB	28	Paul Perkins	34	Shane Vereen	26	Orleans Darkwa	22	<u>Wayne Gallman</u>
					25	Shaun Draughn	31	<u>Khalid Abdullah</u>
FB	48	Jacob Huesman	43	Shane Smith				
WR	15	Brandon Marshall	18	Roger Lewis Jr.	6	<u>Jerome Lane</u>	86	Marquis Bundy

DEFENSE

LDE	90	Jason Pierre-Paul	78	Romeo Okwara	72	Kerry Wynn	97	Devin Taylor
LDT	98	Damon Harrison	99	Robert Thomas	73	Bobby Richardson		
RDT	96	Jay Bromley	94	Dalvin Tomlinson	64	Josh Banks		
RDE	54	Olivier Vernon	58	Owa Odighizuwa	79	Jordan Williams	91	Avery Moss
SLB	59	Devon Kennard	95	Stansly Maponga Sr.	48	Chris Casher	43	Steven Daniels
MLB	93	B.J. Goodson	44	Mark Herzlich	49	Curtis Grant	46	Calvin Munson
WLB	52	Jonathan Casillas	57	Keenan Robinson	53	Deontae Skinner	55	J.T. Thomas III
CB	24	Eli Apple	30	DeShaun Amos	47	Tay Glover-Wright		
SS	21	Landon Collins	29	Nat Berhe	36	Ryan Murphy	31	Trey Robinson
FS	27	Darian Thompson	33	Andrew Adams	23	Duke Ihenacho	37	Eric Pinkins
CB	20	Janoris Jenkins	39	Michael Hunter	35	Nigel Tribune		
CB	41	Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie			38	Donte Deayon	22	Tim Scott

SPECIALISTS

P	9	Brad Wing						
K	2	Aldrick Rosas	6	Mike Nugent				
H	9	Brad Wing						
LS	51	Zak DeOssie	79	Jordan Williams				
KR	17	Dwayne Harris	87	Sterling Shepard	38	Donte Deayon		
PR	17	Dwayne Harris	13	Odell Beckham Jr.	87	Sterling Shepard	38	Donte Deayon
							19	<u>Travis Rudolph</u>

Underlined = Rookie; BOLD = Starter ; + = PUP/Active

HOW THE 2017 GIANTS WERE BUILT

YEAR	DRAFTEES (24)	FREE AGENTS (44)	TRADES/WAIVERS (2)
2017	TE Evan Engram (1) DT Dalvin Tomlinson (2) QB Davis Webb (3) RB Wayne Gallman (4) DE Avery Moss (5) OT Adam Bisnowaty (6)	K Mike Nugent WR Brandon Marshall TE Rhett Ellison OL D.J. Fluker QB Geno Smith WR Kevin Snead S Duke Ihenacho DE Devin Taylor WR Jerome Lane RB Shaun Draughn LB Chris Casher	LB Steven Daniels CB Tim Scott OL Matt Rotheram OL Richard Levy WR C.J. Germany WR Marquis Bundy WR Ed Eagan WR Canaan Severin DT Bobby Richardson CB Tay Glover-Wright
2016	CB Eli Apple (1) WR Sterling Shepard (2) S Darian Thompson (3) LB B.J. Goodson (4) RB Paul Perkins (5) TE Jerrell Adams (6)	CB Janoris Jenkins DE Olivier Vernon DT Damon Harrison LB Keenan Robinson QB Josh Johnson TE Matt LaCrosse S Andrew Adams CB Donte Deayon WR Taverres King LB Deontae Skinner T Adam Gettis WR Darius Powe DE Jordan Williams LB Eric Pinkins	T Jon Halapio FB Jacob Huesman S Ryan Murphy
2015	T Ereck Flowers (1) S Landon Collins (2) DE Owa Odighizuwa (3) T Bobby Hart (7)	C Brett Jones DE Stansly Maponga T Marshall Newhouse LB JT Thomas III TE Will Tye WR Dwayne Harris RB Shane Vereen LB Jonathan Casillas RB Orleans Darkwa	K Brad Wing (T-PIT)
2014	WR Odell Beckham, Jr. (1) C Weston Richburg (2) DT Jay Bromley (3) S Nat Berhe (5a) LB Devon Kennard (5b)	G John Jerry CB Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie DE Kerry Wynn	
2012		G Justin Pugh	
2011		LB Mark Herzlich	
2010	DE Jason Pierre-Paul (1)		
2007	LS Zak DeOssie (4)		
2004			QB Eli Manning

*practice squad, +reserve/injured reserve, #PUP

2017 GIANTS PLAYER BY POSITION

HEAD COACH: BEN McADOO

OFFENSIVE COORDINATOR: MIKE SULLIVAN

QUARTERBACKS (4): Frank Cignetti Jr.

No	Name	Pos	HT	WT	Exp	College
3	Smith, Geno	QB	6-3	221	5	West Virginia
5	Webb, Davis	QB	6-5	230	R	California
8	Johnson, Josh	QB	6-3	215	7	San Diego
10	Manning, Eli	QB	6-4	218	14	Ole Miss

RUNNING BACKS (8): Craig Johnson

No	Name	Pos	HT	WT	Exp	College
25	Draughn, Shaun	RB	5-11	214	6	North Carolina
26	Darkwa, Orleans	RB	5-11	219	4	Tulane
28	Perkins, Paul	RB	5-11	213	2	UCLA
30	Gallman, Wayne	RB	6-0	210	R	Clemson
31	Abdullah, Khalid	RB	5-10	211	R	James Madison
34	Vereen, Shane	RB	5-10	205	7	California
*43	Smith, Shane	RB	6-1	241	R	San Jose State
*48	Huesman, Jacob	RB	6-1	240	1	Tennessee-Chattanooga

* = Fullback

WIDE RECEIVERS (12): Adam Henry

No	Name	Pos	HT	WT	Exp	College
2	Germany, C.J.	WR	5-11	180	R	Notre Dame (OH)
6	Lane, Jerome	WR	6-3	225	R	Akron
12	King, Tavarres	WR	6-1	192	3	Georgia
13	Beckham Jr., Odell	WR	5-11	198	4	LSU
15	Marshall, Brandon	WR	6-5	232	12	UCF
17	Harris, Dwayne	WR	5-11	206	6	East Carolina
18	Lewis Jr., Roger	WR	6-0	203	2	Bowling Green
19	Rudolph, Travis	WR	6-0	190	R	Florida State
83	Severin, Canaan	WR	6-2	205	2	Virginia
84	Eagan, Ed	WR	5-10	198	1	Northwestern St (LA)
86	Bundy, Marquis	WR	6-4	215	2	New Mexico
87	Shepard, Sterling	WR	5-10	201	2	Oklahoma

TIGHT ENDS (5): Kevin M. Gilbride

No	Name	Pos	HT	WT	Exp	College
45	Tye, Will	TE	6-2	256	3	Stony Brook
81	LaCrosse, Matt	TE	6-6	255	2	Illinois
85	Ellison, Rhett	TE	6-5	255	6	USC
88	Engram, Evan	TE	6-3	240	R	Ole Miss
89	Adams, Jerrell	TE	6-5	254	2	South Carolina

OFFENSIVE LINE (14): Mike Solari

No	Name	Pos	HT	WT	Exp	College
60	Gettis, Adam	OL	6-3	315	5	Iowa
61	Rotheram, Matt	OL	6-5	325	1	Pittsburgh
62	Jones, Jarron	OL	6-6	320	R	Notre Dame
63	Wheeler, Chad	T	6-7	312	R	USC
65	Levy, Richard	OL	6-6	315	R	Connecticut
66	Bisnowaty, Adam	OL	6-5	310	R	Pittsburgh
67	Pugh, Justin	G	6-5	311	5	Syracuse
68	Hart, Bobby	T	6-4	316	3	Florida St.
69	Jones, Brett	OL	6-2	312	3	Regina
70	Richburg, Weston	C	6-4	300	4	Colorado St.
74	Flowers, Ereck	T	6-6	325	3	Miami (FL)
75	Halapio, John	T	6-3	315	1	Florida
76	Fluker, D.J.	OL	6-5	345	5	Alabama
77	Jerry, John	G	6-5	335	8	Ole Miss

2017 GIANTS PLAYER BY POSITION

DEFENSIVE COORDINATOR: STEVE SPAGNUOLO

DEFENSIVE LINE (14): Patrick Graham

No	Name	Pos	HT	WT	Exp	College
54	Vernon, Olivier	DE	6-2	262	6	Miami (FL)
58	Odighizuwa, Owa	DE	6-4	264	3	UCLA
64	Banks, Josh	DT	6-4	290	R	Wake Forest
72	Wynn, Kerry	DE	6-5	264	4	Richmond
73	Richardson, Bobby	DT	6-3	286	2	Indiana
78	Okwara, Romeo	DE	6-4	271	2	Notre Dame
79	Williams, Jordan	DE	6-4	272	1	Tennessee
90	Pierre-Paul, Jason	DE	6-5	275	5	South Florida
91	Moss, Avery	DE	6-3	271	R	Youngstown State
94	Tomlinson, Dalvin	DT	6-3	317	R	Alabama
96	Bromley, Jay	DT	6-3	314	4	Syracuse
97	Taylor, Devin	DE	6-8	270	5	South Carolina
98	Harrison, Damon	DT	6-3	341	6	William Penn
99	Thomas, Robert	DT	6-1	331	2	Arkansas

LINEBACKERS (12): Bill McGovern

No	Name	Pos	HT	WT	Exp	College
43	Daniels, Steven	LB	5-11	245	1	Boston College
44	Herzlich, Mark	LB	6-5	236	7	Boston College
46	Munson, Calvin	LB	6-0	241	R	San Diego State
48	Casher, Chris	LB	6-4	265	R	Faulkner
49	Grant, Curtis	LB	6-3	249	1	Ohio State
52	Casillas, Jonathan	LB	6-1	226	9	Wisconsin
53	Skinner, Deontae	LB	6-1	241	3	Mississippi State
55	Thomas, J.T. III	LB	6-1	230	7	West Virginia
57	Robinson, Keenan	LB	6-3	245	6	Texas
59	Kennard, Devon	LB	6-4	256	4	USC
93	Goodson, B.J.	LB	6-4	241	2	Clemson
95	Maponga, Stansly	LB	6-2	257	4	TCU

DEFENSIVE BACKS (17): Tim Walton & David Meritt Sr.

No	Name	Pos	HT	WT	Exp	College
20	Jenkins, Janoris	CB	5-10	190	6	North Alabama
21	Collins, Landon	S	6-0	218	3	Alabama
22B	Tim Scott	CB	5-11	195	1	North Carolina
23	Ihenacho, Duke	DB	6-0	212	5	San Jose State
24	Apple, Eli	CB	6-1	201	2	Ohio State
27	Thompson, Darian	S	6-2	208	2	Boise State
29	Berhe, Nat	S	5-11	195	4	San Diego State
33	Adams, Andrew	S	5-11	205	2	Connecticut
35	Tribune, Nigel	CB	5-10	193	R	Iowa State
36	Murphy, Ryan	S	6-1	216	1	Oregon State
37	Pinkins, Eric	S/LB	6-3	220	3	San Diego State
39	Hunter, Michael	CB	6-0	192	1	Oklahoma State
41	Rodgers-Cromartie, Dominique	CB	6-2	203	10	Cincinnati
47	Glover-Wright, Tay	CB	6-0	180	2	Utah State
30	Amos, DaShaun	CB	6-4	193	R	East Carolina
31B	Robinson, Trey	S	6-1	212	R	Furman

SPECIALISTS (4):

Tom Quinn

No	Name	Pos	HT	WT	Exp	College
2	Rosas, Aldrick	K	6-3	221	R	Southern Oregon
6	Nugent, Mike	K	5-10	190	13	Ohio State
9	Wing, Brad	P	6-3	192	4	LSU
51	DeOssie, Zak	LS	6-5	250	11	Brown

2017 PRESEASON OFFENSIVE STATS

NEW YORK GIANTS / PRESEASON / WEEK 4 / THROUGH SATURDAY, AUGUST 26, 2017

WON 1, LOST 2						* RUSHING		No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD	
08/11 L 12-20	Pittsburgh	73,979	Gallman	22	76	3.5	11	0					
08/21 L 6-10	at Cleveland	62,075	Darkwa	14	50	3.6	11	1					
08/26 W 32-31	New York Jets	74,597	Perkins	17	46	2.7	16	0					
08/31	at New England		Vereen	3	21	7.0	8	0					
NY-G		Opp.	Rudolph	1	13	13.0	13	0					
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS		51	G. Smith	5	11	2.2	6	0					
Rushing		13	Abdullah	4	10	2.5	6	0					
Passing		33	J. Johnson	2	8	4.0	8	0					
Penalty		5	Shepard	1	2	2.0	2	0					
3rd Down: Made/Att		10/42	Draughn	1	-4	-4.0	-4	0					
3rd Down Pct.		23.8	Webb	3	-4	-1.3	-1	0					
4th Down: Made/Att		4/7	TEAM	73	229	3.1	16	1					
4th Down Pct.		57.1	0/0										
POSSESSION AVG.		30:14	29:46	* RECEIVING	81	335	4.1	16	2				
TOTAL NET YARDS		785	938	Rudolph	6	111	18.5	57	0				
Avg. Per Game		261.7	312.7	Engram	6	75	12.5	21	0				
Total Plays		195	179	Bundy	5	73	14.6	18	0				
Avg. Per Play		4.0	5.2	Shepard	5	56	11.2	31	0				
NET YARDS RUSHING		229	335	Tye	5	53	10.6	18	0				
Avg. Per Game		76.3	111.7	LaCosse	5	23	4.6	6	0				
Total Rushes		73	81	Lewis	4	51	12.8	17	0				
NET YARDS PASSING		556	603	J. Adams	4	40	10.0	21	0				
Avg. Per Game		185.3	201.0	Gallman	4	35	8.8	11	0				
Sacked/Yards Lost		11/80	8/53	Ellison	4	26	6.5	8	0				
Gross Yards		636	656	Beckham	3	37	12.3	18	0				
Att./Completions		111/64	90/59	Severin	3	34	11.3	14	0				
Completion Pct.		57.7	65.6	Severin	1	10	10.0	10	0				
Had Intercepted		3	5	Abdullah	3	16	5.3	11	0				
PUNTS/AVERAGE		13/47.7	15/45.6	Lane	2	27	13.5	19	0				
NET PUNTING AVG.		13/40.5	15/44.3	K. Johnson	2	22	11.0	16	0				
PENALTIES/YARDS		19/153	19/173	Powe	1	15	15.0	15	0				
FUMBLES/BALL LOST		6/3	3/1	S. Smith	1	9	9.0	9	0				
TOUCHDOWNS		3	7	King	1	7	7.0	7	0				
Rushing		1	2	Norwood	1	7	7.0	7	0				
Passing		0	5	Draughn	1	6	6.0	6	0				
Returns		2	0	Darkwa	1	4	4.0	4	0				
* SCORE BY PERIODS		Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4 OT	PTS	Harris	1	2	2.0	2	0				
TEAM		22 19 6 3 0	50	Marshall	1	2	2.0	2	0				
OPPONENTS		0 20 21 20 0	61	Perkins	1	2	2.0	2	0				
* SCORING		TD-Ru-Pa-Rt K-PAT	FG S PTS	Vereen	1	0	0.0	0	0				
Nugent		0 0 0 0 1/ 1	5/ 5 0	16	TEAM	64	636	9.9	57	0			
Rosas		0 0 0 0 2/ 2	4/ 4 0	14	OPPONENTS	59	656	11.1	85t	5			
Collins		1 0 0 1 0	0	6	* INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD			
Darkwa		1 1 0 0 0	0	6	Deayon	1	36	36.0	36t	1			
Deayon		1 0 0 1 0	0	6	Collins	1	23	23.0	23t	1			
Pierre-Paul		0 0 0 0 0	1	2	Taylor	1	23	23.0	23	0			
TEAM		3 1 0 2 3/ 3	9/ 9 1	50	Blake	1	11	11.0	11	0			
OPPONENTS		7 2 5 0 5/ 5	4/ 4 0	61	Pierre-Paul	1	-1	-1.0	-1	0			
2-Pt Conv: TM 0-0, OPP 1-2					TEAM	5	92	18.4	36t	2			
SACKS: Goodson 2, Pierre-Paul 1.5,					OPPONENTS	3	21	7.0	20	0			
Casillas 1, D. Thompson 1, J. Williams 1,					* PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Net	TB	In	Log	
Wynn 1, Vernon 0.5, TM 8, OPP 11					Wing	13	620	47.7	40.5	1	3	59	
FUM/LOST: B. Jones 2/0, Deayon 1/1,					TEAM	13	620	47.7	40.5	1	3	59	
Gallman 1/1, Rudolph 1/0, Shepard 1/1					OPPONENTS	15	684	45.6	44.3	0	6	54	
					* PUNT RETURNS	Ret	FC	Yds	Avg	Long	TD		
					Deayon	3	3	3	1.0	3	0		
					Rudolph	3	3	8	2.7	3	0		
					Eagan	1	0	9	9.0	9	0		
					Shepard	1	0	0	0.0	0	0		
					TEAM	8	6	20	2.5	9	0		
					OPPONENTS	10	0	73	7.3	31	0		
					* KICKOFF RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD			
					Rudolph	3	66	22.0	31	0			
					Deayon	2	39	19.5	24	0			
					Eagan	2	40	20.0	27	0			
					Abdullah	1	17	17.0	17	0			
					TEAM	8	162	20.3	31	0			
					OPPONENTS	9	182	20.2	29	0			
					* FIELD GOALS	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+			
					Nugent	0/ 0	0/ 0	2/ 2	1/ 1	2/ 2			
					Rosas	0/ 0	2/ 2	0/ 0	1/ 1	1/ 1			
					TEAM	0/ 0	2/ 2	2/ 2	2/ 2	3/ 3			
					OPPONENTS	0/ 0	1/ 1	2/ 2	1/ 1	0/ 0			
Nugent: (30G,45G) (38G) (50G,54G) Rosas: (27G,52G) (47G) (24G) TM: (27G,30G,52G,45G) (38G, 47G) (24G,50,54G) OPP: (48G,37G) (39G) (27G)													
* PASSING		Att	Cmp	Yds	Cmp%	Yds/Att	TD	TD%	Int	Int%	Long	Sack/Lost	Rating
G. Smith		43	26	244	60.5	5.67	0	0.0	2	4.7	21	5/ 37	56.7
Manning		28	17	201	60.7	7.18	0	0.0	1	3.6	31	1/ 9	67.7
J. Johnson		20	11	104	55.0	5.20	0	0.0	0	0.0	57	4/ 30	69.6
Webb		20	10	87	50.0	4.35	0	0.0	0	0.0	19	1/ 4	61.9
TEAM		111	64	636	57.7	5.73	0	0.0	3	2.7	57	11/ 80	62.7
OPPONENTS		90	59	656	65.6	7.29	5	5.6	5	5.6	85t	8/ 53	82.5

2017 PRESEASON DEFENSIVE STATS

	DEFENSE												SPECIAL TEAMS					MISC.			
Player	T	A	TT	SK	YD	TFL	QH	INT	PD	FF	FR	T	A	FF	FR	BL	T	A	FF	FR	
Calvin Munson	8	5	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
B.J. Goodson	9	3	12	2	18	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Curtis Grant	6	5	11	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Landon Collins	9	1	10	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Nat Berhe	7	3	10	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Dalvin Tomlinson	4	5	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Kerry Wynn	6	2	8	1	5	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Andrew Adams	5	1	6	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Deontae Skinner	5	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jonathan Casillas	4	2	6	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Donte Deayon	4	2	6	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jason Pierre-Paul	4	1	5	1.5	10	2	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Darian Thompson	4	1	5	1	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Antwon Blake	4	1	5	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Janoris Jenkins	3	2	5	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Damon Harrison	3	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jay Bromley	1	4	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jordan Williams	4	0	4	1	9	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Michael Hunter	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Avery Moss	2	2	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Olivier Vernon	0	4	4	0.5	6	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Trey Robinson	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
D. Rodgers-Cromartie	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
DaShaun Amos	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Robert Thomas	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Eli Apple	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Eric Pinkins	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Corbin Bryant	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Devon Kennard	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Tim Scott	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Owamagbe Odighizuwa	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Romeo Okwara	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Duke Ihenacho	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Chris Casher	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
J.T. Thomas	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Josh Banks	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Stanly Maponga	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Devin Taylor	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Steven Daniels	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Nigel Tribune	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jacob Huesman	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Roger Lewis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	
Ryan Murphy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Shaun Draughn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Brad Wing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Darius Powe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jerell Adams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Travis Rudolph	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Sterling Shepard	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Geno Smith	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Josh Johnson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Team Totals	123	53	176	8	53	15	13	5	14	0	1	20	7	1	1	0	5	0	0	2	
Opponent Totals	134	52	186	11	80	20	18	3	19	1	2	15	7	1	3	0	4	0	0	0	

T = Solo Tackle, A = Assisted Tackle, TT = Total Tackles, SK = Sack, TFL = Tackle for Loss, QH = Quarterback Hit, INT = Interception PD = Pass Defense, FF = Forced Fumble, FR = Fumble Recovery, BL = Blocked

2016 REGULAR SEASON RECORDS

2016 (11-5)

2nd Place, NFC East

BEN McADOO, Head Coach

Date.....	Opponent	Giants	Opp.
9/11	at Dallas	20	19 (W)
9/18	NEW ORLEANS	16	13 (W)
9/25	WASHINGTON	27	29 (L)
10/3	at Minnesota	10	24 (L)
10/9	at Green Bay	16	23 (L)
10/16	BALTIMORE	27	23 (W)
10/23	vs. Rams (London)	17	10 (W)
11/6	PHILADELPHIA	28	23 (W)
11/14	CINCINNATI	21	20 (W)
11/20	CHICAGO	22	16 (W)
11/27	at Cleveland	27	13 (W)
12/4	at Pittsburgh	14	24 (L)
12/11	DALLAS	10	7 (W)
12/18	DETROIT	17	6 (W)
12/22	at Philadelphia	19	24 (L)
1/1	at Washington	19	10 (W)

Giants individual 100-yard rusher	1-0
Giants individual 100-yard receiver	2-3
Giants individual 300-yard passer	2-2

Giants outgain opposition	5-2
Giants outrush opposition	7-1
Giants out-pass opposition	5-2

Opponent individual 100-yard rusher	1-1
Opponent individual 100-yard receiver	1-2
Opponent individual 300-yard passer	3-1

Surface	
On artificial turf	8-2
On grass	3-3
Outdoors	10-4
Indoors	1-1

By Month:	
September	2-1
October	2-2
November	4-0
December	2-2
January	1-0

Against:	
NFC Opponents	8-4
NFC East	4-2
NFC North	2-2
NFC South	1-0
NFC West	1-0

AFC Opponents	3-1
AFC East	0-0
AFC North	3-1
AFC South	0-0
AFC West	0-0

Jersey Color:	
Blue Jersey	7-1
White Jersey	4-4
White Pants	7-2

Time of Game:

Day (1 p.m.)	7-2
Afternoon (4 p.m.)	1-1
Thursday night	0-1
Sunday night	1-1
Monday night	1-1

Turnovers:

Positive	5-1
Negative	4-3
Even	2-1

Time of possession 30:00 or more: 5-1

2016 REGULAR SEASON RECORDS



AMERICAN FOOTBALL CONFERENCE

EAST

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Net Pts	TD	Home	Road	Div	Pct	Conf	Pct	Non-Conf
*- New England Patriots	14	2	0	.875	441	250	191	51	6-2	8-0	5-1	.833	11-1	.917	3-1
y- Miami Dolphins	10	6	0	.625	363	380	-17	45	6-2	4-4	4-2	.667	7-5	.583	3-1
Buffalo Bills	7	9	0	.438	399	378	21	49	4-4	3-5	1-5	.167	4-8	.333	3-1
New York Jets	5	11	0	.313	275	409	-134	28	2-6	3-5	2-4	.333	4-8	.333	1-3

NORTH

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Net Pts	TD	Home	Road	Div	Pct	Conf	Pct	Non-Conf
z- Pittsburgh Steelers	11	5	0	.688	399	327	72	47	6-2	5-3	5-1	.833	9-3	.750	2-2
Baltimore Ravens	8	8	0	.500	343	321	22	32	6-2	2-6	4-2	.667	7-5	.583	1-3
Cincinnati Bengals	6	9	1	.406	325	315	10	35	4-3-1	2-6	3-3	.500	5-7	.417	1-2-1
Cleveland Browns	1	15	0	.063	264	452	-188	29	1-7	0-8	0-6	.000	1-11	.083	0-4

SOUTH

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Net Pts	TD	Home	Road	Div	Pct	Conf	Pct	Non-Conf
z- Houston Texans	9	7	0	.563	279	328	-49	25	7-1	2-6	5-1	.833	7-5	.583	2-2
Tennessee Titans	9	7	0	.563	381	378	3	46	5-3	4-4	2-4	.333	6-6	.500	3-1
Indianapolis Colts	8	8	0	.500	411	392	19	47	4-4	4-4	3-3	.500	5-7	.417	3-1
Jacksonville Jaguars	3	13	0	.188	318	400	-82	34	2-6	1-7	2-4	.333	2-10	.167	1-3

WEST

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Net Pts	TD	Home	Road	Div	Pct	Conf	Pct	Non-Conf
z- Kansas City Chiefs	12	4	0	.750	389	311	78	42	6-2	6-2	6-0	1.000	9-3	.750	3-1
z- Oakland Raiders	12	4	0	.750	416	385	31	47	6-2	6-2	3-3	.500	9-3	.750	3-1
Denver Broncos	9	7	0	.563	333	297	36	35	5-3	4-4	2-4	.333	6-6	.500	3-1
San Diego Chargers	5	11	0	.313	410	423	-13	48	3-5	2-6	1-5	.167	4-8	.333	1-3



NATIONAL FOOTBALL CONFERENCE

EAST

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Net Pts	TD	Home	Road	Div	Pct	Conf	Pct	Non-Conf
*- Dallas Cowboys	13	3	0	.813	421	306	115	49	7-1	6-2	3-3	.500	9-3	.750	4-0
y- New York Giants	11	5	0	.688	310	284	26	36	7-1	4-4	4-2	.667	8-4	.667	3-1
Washington Redskins	8	7	1	.531	396	383	13	43	4-4	4-3-1	3-3	.500	6-6	.500	2-1-1
Philadelphia Eagles	7	9	0	.438	367	331	36	37	6-2	1-7	2-4	.333	5-7	.417	2-2

NORTH

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Net Pts	TD	Home	Road	Div	Pct	Conf	Pct	Non-Conf
z- Green Bay Packers	10	6	0	.625	432	388	44	51	6-2	4-4	5-1	.833	8-4	.667	2-2
y- Detroit Lions	9	7	0	.563	346	358	-12	36	6-2	3-5	3-3	.500	7-5	.583	2-2
Minnesota Vikings	8	8	0	.500	327	307	20	36	5-3	3-5	2-4	.333	5-7	.417	3-1
Chicago Bears	3	13	0	.188	279	399	-120	32	3-5	0-8	2-4	.333	3-9	.250	0-4

SOUTH

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Net Pts	TD	Home	Road	Div	Pct	Conf	Pct	Non-Conf
z- Atlanta Falcons	11	5	0	.688	540	406	134	63	5-3	6-2	5-1	.833	9-3	.750	2-2
Tampa Bay Buccaneers	9	7	0	.563	354	369	-15	41	4-4	5-3	4-2	.667	7-5	.583	2-2
New Orleans Saints	7	9	0	.438	469	454	15	55	4-4	3-5	2-4	.333	6-6	.500	1-3
Carolina Panthers	6	10	0	.375	369	402	-33	40	4-4	2-6	1-5	.167	5-7	.417	1-3

WEST

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Net Pts	TD	Home	Road	Div	Pct	Conf	Pct	Non-Conf
z- Seattle Seahawks	10	5	1	.656	354	292	62	37	7-1	3-4-1	3-2-1	.583	6-5-1	.542	4-0
Arizona Cardinals	7	8	1	.469	418	362	56	51	4-3-1	3-5	4-1-1	.750	6-5-1	.542	1-3
Los Angeles Rams	4	12	0	.250	224	394	-170	24	1-7	3-5	2-4	.333	3-9	.250	1-3
San Francisco 49ers	2	14	0	.125	309	480	-171	36	1-7	1-7	2-4	.333	2-10	.167	0-4

x - Clinched playoff

y - Clinched Wild Card

z - Clinched Division

* - Clinched Division and Homefield Advantage

TD	TD%	Int	Int%	Long	Sack/Lost	Rating
26	4.3%	16	2.7%	75t	21/142	86.0
0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	1/6	0.0
26	4.3%	16	2.7%	75t	22/148	86.0
15	2.4%	17	2.7%	71	35/242	75.8

2016 REGULAR SEASON DEFENSIVE STATS

	DEFENSE												SPECIAL TEAMS					MISC.			
Player	T	A	TT	SK	YD	TFL	QH	INT	PD	FF	FR	T	A	FF	FR	BL	T	A	FF	FR	
Landon Collins	100	25	125	4	39	9	5	5	13	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jonathan Casillas	59	33	92	1.5	3.5	5	3	0	8	1	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Damon Harrison	55	31	86	2.5	25.5	6	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Keenan Robinson	52	27	79	0	0	2	1	0	7	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Olivier Vernon	46	18	64	8.5	54.5	17	23	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Devon Kennard	38	20	58	1	8	4	5	0	1	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jason Pierre-Paul	35	18	53	7	40.5	7	16	0	8	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	
Janoris Jenkins	44	5	49	1	9	5	1	3	18	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
D. Rodgers-Cromartie	41	8	49	1	9	2	1	6	21	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Eli Apple	41	8	49	0	0	4	0	1	7	1	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Kelvin Sheppard	27	20	47	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Andrew Adams	31	14	45	0	0	1	1	1	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Johnathan Hankins	29	14	43	3	16.5	8	10	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	
Leon Hall	20	10	30	2	21	2	3	1	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Trevin Wade	22	2	24	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Romeo Okwara	9	12	21	1	5	2	5	0	2	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Nat Berhe	14	4	18	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Coty Sensabaugh	11	3	14	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jay Bromley	9	5	14	1	5	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Kerry Wynn	3	5	8	0.5	1.5	0	1	0	0	0	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Darian Thompson	6	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Robert Thomas	3	2	5	1	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Michael Hunter	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
B.J. Goodson	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Owamagbe Odighizuwa	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Dwayne Harris	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Odell Beckham	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	
Zak DeOssie	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Deontae Skinner	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Mark Herzlich	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Roger Lewis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Bobby Rainey	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Paul Perkins	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Orleans Darkwa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Brad Wing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Robbie Gould	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Mykkele Thompson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Eric Pinkins	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Justin Pugh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	
Will Tye	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	
Victor Cruz	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	
Weston Richburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	
Sterling Shepard	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	
Tavarres King	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Shane Vereen	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Rashad Jennings	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	
John Jerry	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	
Larry Donnell	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Ereck Flowers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Bobby Hart	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Team Totals	702	286	988	35	242	78	85	17	101	13	7	66	27	2	5	2	22	0	0	4	
Opponent Totals	684	314	998	21	141	55	63	16	86	14	9	68	28	1	4	0	14	0	0	9	

T=Solo Tackle, A=Assisted Tackle, TT=Total Tackles, SK=Sack, TFL=Tackle for Loss, QH=Quarterback Hit, Int=Interception PD=Pass Defense, FF=Forced Fumble, FR=Fumble Recovery, BL=Blocked

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Date	Opponent	9/11 @DAL	9/18 NO	9/25 WAS	10/3 @MIN	10/9 @GB	10/16 BAL	10/23 @LA	11/6 PHI	11/14 CIN	11/20 CHI	11/27 @CLE	12/4 PIT	12/11 DAL	12/18 DET	12/22 @PHI	1/1 @WAS	TOTALS GP/GS/DNP/IA
89	Adams, Jerell	DNP	P	DNP	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	TE	TE	IA	13/2/2/1
33	Adams, Andrew	PS	PS	P	FS	FS	FS	FS	FS	FS	FS	FS	FS	FS	FS	FS	FS	14/13/0/0
24	Apple, Eli	P	P	LCB	IA	P	IA	CB	DB	LCB	LCB	LCB	LCB	LCB	DB	LCB	CB	14/11/0/2
65	Beatty, Will	IA	IA	P	DNP	DNP	DNP	P	IA	IA	P	P	P	P	IA	IA	P	7/0/3/6
13	Beckham Jr., Odell	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	16/16/0/0
29	Berhe, Nat	FS	P	FS	IA	IA	IA	IA	P	P	P	P	IA	IA	IA	IA	IA	7/2/0/9
96	Bromley, Jay	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	IA	P	P	P	P	P	15/0/0/1
3	Brown, Josh	SUS	P	P	P	P	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	4/0/0/0
5	Bullock, Randy	P	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1/0/0/0
52	Casillas, Jonathan	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB	LB	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB	P	WLB	16/15/0/0
21	Collins, Landon	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	16/16/0/0
80	Cruz, Victor	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	P	IA	WR	WR	WR	WR	P	P	WR	15/12/0/1
26	Darkwa, Orleans	P	P	P	RB	RB	DNP	P	P	P	P	P	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	10/2/1/0
38	Deayon, Donte	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	0/0/0/0
51	DeOssie, Zak	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	16/0/0/0
84	Donnell, Larry	TE	TE	TE	TE	IA	TE	TE	P	P	IA	P	P	P	P	P	P	14/6/0/2
6	Edwards, Ben	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	0/0/0/0
74	Flowers, Ereck	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	16/16/0/0
60	Gettis, Adam	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	P	P	P	LG	IA	N/A	PS	PS	PS	4/1/0/1
93	Goodson, B.J.	IA	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	15/0/0/1
5	Gould, Robbie	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	10/0/0/0
75	Halapio, Jon	N/A	N/A	N/A	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	0/0/0/0
25	Hall, Leon	P	P	DB	P	CB	P	P	IA	IA	IA	IA	P	P	P	P	P	12/2/0/4
95	Hankins, Johnathan	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	16/16/0/0
17	Harris, Dwayne	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	WR	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	16/1/0/0
98	Harrison, Damon	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	16/16/0/0
68	Hart, Bobby	DNP	P	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT	IA	14/2/1/1
94	Herzlich, Mark	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	IA	IA	P	P	P	14/0/0/2
79	Hughes, Montori	DNP	DNP	DNP	P	P	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2/0/3/0
39	Hunter, Michael	PS	PS	PS	P	P	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	2/0/0/0
48	Huesman, Jacob	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	PS	0/0/0/0
20	Jenkins, Janoris	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	IA	RCB	15/15/0/1
23	Jennings, Rashad	RB	RB	IA	IA	IA	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB	P	13/12/0/3
77	Jerry, John	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	16/16/0/0
8	Johnson, Josh	IA	IA	IA	IA	IA	IA	IA	DNP	IA	IA	IA	IA	IA	IA	DNP	DNP	0/0/4/12
46	Johnson, Will	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	0/0/0/0
69	Jones, Brett	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	LG	IA	IA	P	P	P	P	P	14/1/0/2
59	Kennard, Devon	SLB	SLB	P	SLB	P	SLB	P	P	SLB	SLB	SLB	SLB	SLB	P	P	P	16/9/0/0
15	King, Tavarres	P	P	P	P	P	IA	IA	IA	P	IA	IA	IA	IA	IA	IA	P	7/0/0/9

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Opponent		@DAL	NO	WAS	@MIN	@GB	BAL	@LA	PHI	CIN	CHI	@CLE	@PIT	TDAL	DET	@PHI	@WAS	GP/GS/DNP/IA
81	LaCosse, Matt	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	0/0/0/0
82	Lewis Jr., Roger	IA	IA	IA	P	P	P	P	P	WR	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	13/1/0/3
71	Maponga, Stansly	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	0/0/0/0
10	Manning, Eli	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	16/16/0/0
64	McDermott, Shane	PS	PS	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	P	P	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2/0/0/0
36	Murphy, Ryan	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	PS	0/0/0/0
12	Nassib, Ryan	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	IA	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	IA	IR	IR	0/0/12/2
73	Newhouse, Marshall	RT	RT	IA	IA	IA	IA	IA	P	P	LG	IA	LG	LG	P	P	RT	10/6/0/6
83	Norwood, Kevin	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	0/0/0/0
58	Odighizuwa, Owa	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	IA	IA	P	P	P	14/0/0/2
78	Okwara, Romeo	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	LDE	LDE	LDE	LDE	16/4/0/0
28	Perkins, Paul	IA	IA	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	RB	14/1/0/2
90	Pierre-Paul, Jason	LDE	LDE	LDE	LDE	LDE	LDE	LDE	LDE	LDE	LDE	LDE	LDE	IA	IA	IA	IA	12/12/0/4
37	Pinkins, Eric	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	P	P	P	P	P	5/0/0/0
86	Powe, Darius	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	0/0/0/0
67	Pugh, Justin	LG	LG	LG	LG	LG	LG	LG	LG	IA	IA	IA	IA	IA	LG	LG	LG	11/11/0/5
43	Rainey, Bobby	P	IA	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	15/0/0/1
70	Richburg, Weston	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	16/16/00
57	Robinson, Keenan	P	P	SLB	P	MLB	P	LB	SLB	P	P	P	P	P	P	WLB	MLB	16/6/0/0
41	Rodgers-Cromarie	LCB	LCB	P	IA	LCB	LCB	LCB	LCB	P	P	P	P	P	LCB	RCB	RCB	15/9/0/1
30	Sensabaugh, Coty	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	IA	10/0/0/1
87	Shepard, Sterling	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	16/16/0/0
91	Sheppard, Kelvin	MLB	MLB	P	MLB	P	MLB	P	P	MLB	MLB	MLB	MLB	MLB	MLB	MLB	P	16/11/0/0
53	Skinner, Deontae	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	IA	IA	IA	IA	PS	PS	P	P	IA	P	P	4/0/0/5
55	Thomas III, J.T.	P	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	1/0/0/0
99	Thomas, Robert	IA	IA	IA	IA	IA	P	IA	P	P	IA	P	P	P	IA	P	P	8/0/0/8
27	Thompson, Darian	P	FS	IA	IA	IA	IA	IA	IA	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	2/1/0/6
22	Thompson, Mykkele	IA	P	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	1/0/0/1
45	Tye, Will	P	P	P	P	TE	P	P	TE	TE	TE	TE	TE	TE	TE	TE	TE	16/10/0/0
47	Ungo, Uani	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	0/0/0/0
34	Vereen, Shane	P	P	RB	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	P	P	P	P	5/1/2000
54	Vernon, Olivier	RDE	RDE	RDE	RDE	RDE	RDE	RDE	RDE	RDE	RDE	RDE	RDE	RDE	RDE	RDE	RDE	16/16/0/0
19	Wade, Trevin	P	P	P	LCB	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	CB	P	16/2/0/0
31	Wenning, Keith	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	PS	0/0/0/0
49	Whitlock, Nikita	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	0/0/0/0
97	Williams, Ishaq	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	IA	IA	0/0/0/2
79	Williams, Jordan	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	PS	PS	PS	PS	0/0/0/0
9	Wing, Brad	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	16/0/0/0
44	Winn, George	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	N/A	IA	IA	0/0/0/2
72	Wynn, Kerry	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	IA	IA	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	14/0/0/2

2016 GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

OFFENSE

OPP	WR	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	QB	WR	RB	WR TE
@Dal	Beckham	Flowers	Pugh	Richburg	Jerry	Newhouse	Donnell	Manning	Shepard	Jennings	Cruz
NO	Beckham	Flowers	Pugh	Richburg	Jerry	Newhouse	Donnell	Manning	Shepard	Jennings	Cruz
WAS	Beckham	Flowers	Pugh	Richburg	Jerry	Hart	Donnell	Manning	Shepard	Vereen	Cruz
@MIN	Beckham	Flowers	Pugh	Richburg	Jerry	Hart	Donnell	Manning	Shepard	Darkwa	Cruz
@GB	Beckham	Flowers	Pugh	Richburg	Jerry	Hart	Tye	Manning	Shepard	Darkwa	Cruz
BAL	Beckham	Flowers	Pugh	Richburg	Jerry	Hart	Donnell	Manning	Shepard	Jennings	Cruz
@LA	Beckham	Flowers	Pugh	Richburg	Jerry	Hart	Donnell	Manning	Shepard	Jennings	Cruz
PHI	Beckham	Flowers	Pugh	Richburg	Jerry	Hart	Tye	Manning	Shepard	Jennings	Harris
CIN	Beckham	Flowers	Jones	Richburg	Jerry	Hart	Tye	Manning	Shepard	Jennings	Lewis
CHI	Beckham	Flowers	Newhouse	Richburg	Jerry	Hart	Tye	Manning	Shepard	Jennings	Cruz
@CLE	Beckham	Flowers	Gettis	Richburg	Jerry	Hart	Tye	Manning	Shepard	Jennings	Cruz
@PIT	Beckham	Flowers	Newhouse	Richburg	Jerry	Hart	Tye	Manning	Shepard	Jennings	Cruz
DAL	Beckham	Flowers	Newhouse	Richburg	Jerry	Hart	Tye	Manning	Shepard	Jennings	Cruz
DET	Beckham	Flowers	Pugh	Richburg	Jerry	Hart	Tye	Manning	Shepard	Jennings	Adams
@PHI	Beckham	Flowers	Pugh	Richburg	Jerry	Hart	Tye	Manning	Shepard	Jennings	Adams
WAS	Beckham	Flowers	Pugh	Richburg	Jerry	Newhouse	Tye	Manning	Shepard	Perkins	Cruz

DEFENSE

OPP	LDE	LDT	RDT	RDE	SLB	MLB	WLB	LCB	RCB	SS	FS	DB
@Dal	Pierre-Paul	Harrison	Hankins	Vernon	Kennard	Sheppard	Casillas	Rodgers-Cromartie	Jenkins	Collins	Berhe	N/A
NO	Pierre-Paul	Harrison	Hankins	Vernon	Kennard	Sheppard	Casillas	Rodgers-Cromartie	Jenkins	Collins	Thompson	N/A
WAS	Pierre-Paul	Harrison	Hankins	Vernon	Robinson	N/A	Casillas	Apple	Jenkins	Collins	Berhe	Hall
@MIN	Pierre-Paul	Harrison	Hankins	Vernon	Kennard	N/A	Casillas	Wade	Jenkins	Collins	Adams	N/A
@GB	Pierre-Paul	Harrison	Hankins	Vernon	N/A	Robinson	Casillas	Rodgers-Cromartie	Jenkins	Collins	Adams	Hall
BAL	Pierre-Paul	Harrison	Hankins	Vernon	Kennard	Sheppard	Casillas	Rodgers-Cromartie	Jenkins	Collins	Adams	N/A
@LA	Pierre-Paul	Harrison	Hankins	Vernon	Robinson	N/A	Casillas	Rodgers-Cromartie	Jenkins	Collins	Adams	Apple
PHI	Pierre-Paul	Harrison	Hankins	Vernon	Robinson	N/A	Casillas	Rodgers-Cromartie	Jenkins	Collins	Adams	Apple
CIN	Pierre-Paul	Harrison	Hankins	Vernon	Kennard	Sheppard	Casillas	Apple	Jenkins	Collins	Adams	N/A
CHI	Pierre-Paul	Harrison	Hankins	Vernon	Kennard	Sheppard	Casillas	Apple	Jenkins	Collins	Adams	N/A
@CLE	Pierre-Paul	Harrison	Hankins	Vernon	Kennard	Sheppard	Casillas	Apple	Jenkins	Collins	Adams	N/A
@PIT	Pierre-Paul	Harrison	Hankins	Vernon	Kennard	Sheppard	Casillas	Apple	Jenkins	Collins	Adams	N/A
DAL	Okwara	Harrison	Hankins	Vernon	Kennard	Sheppard	Casillas	Apple	Jenkins	Collins	Adams	N/A
DET	Okwara	Harrison	Hankins	Vernon	N/A	Sheppard	Casillas	Rodgers-Cromartie	Jenkins	Collins	Adams	Apple
@PHI	Okwara	Harrison	Hankins	Vernon	N/A	Sheppard	Robinson	Apple	Rodgers-Cromartie	Collins	Adams	Wade
WAS	Okwara	Harrison	Hankins	Vernon		Robinson	Casillas	Rodgers-Cromartie	Jenkins	Collins	Adams	Apple

GAMEDAY INACTIVES

@Dal	Johnson	M. Thompson	Perkins	Beatty	Lewis	Goodson	Thomas
NO	Johnson	Perkins	Rainey	Beatty	Lewis	Hughes	Thomas
WAS	Johnson	Jennings	D. Thompson	Newhouse	Lewis	Hughes	Thomas
@MIN	Johnson	Jennings	Apple	Thompson	Berhe	Newhouse	Thomas
@GB	Johnson	Jennings	Thompson	Berhe	Newhouse	Donnell	Thomas
BAL	Johnson	King	Apple	Thompson	Berhe	Skinner	Newhouse
@LA	Johnson	King	Thompson	Berhe	Skinner	Newhouse	Thomas
PHI	Nassib	King	Hall	Thompson	Skinner	Beatty	Wynn
CIN	Johnson	Hall	Skinner	Beatty	Pugh	Wynn	Cruz
CHI	Johnson	King	Hall	Pugh	Jones	Donnell	Thomas
@CLE	Johnson	King	Hall	Pugh	Jones	Newhouse	Bromley
@PIT	Johnson	King	Berhe	Odighizuwa	Gettis	Pugh	Herzlich
DAL	Johnson	King	Berhe	Odighizuwa	Pugh	Pierre-Paul	Herzlich
DET	Nassib	King	Berhe	Skinner	Beatty	Pierre-Paul	Thomas
@PHI	King	Jenkins	Berhe	Winn	Beatty	Pierre-Paul	Williams
WAS	Berhe	Sensabaugh	Winn	Hart	Adams	Pierre-Paul	Williams

2016 TEAM SCORING

GIANTS

GIANTS

OPPONENTS

	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	OT	TOTAL	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	OT	TOTAL
9/11 at Dallas	0	13	0	7	0	20	3	6	7	3	0	19
9/18 New Orleans	0	7	3	6	0	16	0	3	0	10	0	13
9/25 Washington	14	7	3	3	0	27	6	10	7	6	0	29
10/3 at Minnesota	0	3	0	7	0	10	7	7	3	7	0	24
10/9 at Green Bay	0	6	3	7	0	16	7	10	0	6	0	23
10/16 Baltimore	0	7	10	10	0	27	10	0	3	10	0	23
10/23 at Los Angeles	0	10	0	7	0	17	10	0	0	0	0	10
11/6 Philadelphia	14	7	7	0	0	28	3	7	7	6	0	23
11/14 Cincinnati	7	7	0	7	0	21	7	3	10	0	0	20
11/20 Chicago	6	3	13	0	0	22	9	7	0	0	0	16
11/27 at Cleveland	0	14	0	13	0	27	0	6	0	7	0	13
12/4 at Pittsburgh	0	0	7	7	0	14	5	9	7	3	0	24
12/11 Dallas	0	0	10	0	0	10	7	0	0	0	0	7
12/18 Detroit	7	3	0	7	0	17	0	3	3	0	0	6
12/22 at Philadelphia	3	10	3	3	0	19	14	7	0	3	0	24
1/1 at Washington	3	7	0	9	0	19	0	0	3	7	0	10
2016 Totals	54	104	59	93	0	310	88	78	50	68	0	284
POSTSEASON												
1/8 at Green Bay	3	3	7	0	0	13	0	14	10	14	0	38

2016 GIANTS TEAM OFFENSIVE STATS

GIANTS	FIRST DOWNS				TOTAL OFF.		RUSHING		PASSING					INT. BY NYG		
	T	R	Pa	Pe	YDS	PLYS	YDS	ATT	YDS	SK/YD	ATT	COM	I	NO	YDS	TD
9/11 at Dallas	18	6	11	1	316	54	113	24	203	2/4	28	19	1	0	0	0
9/18 New Orleans	22	5	15	2	417	75	64	32	353	2/15	41	32	0	0	0	0
9/25 Washington	28	8	16	4	457	61	120	21	337	2/13	38	25	2	0	0	0
10/3 at Minnesota	18	6	9	3	339	63	78	18	261	0/0	45	25	1	0	0	0
10/9 at Green Bay	14	2	12	0	221	54	43	15	178	4/21	35	18	0	2	26	0
10/16 Baltimore	19	0	16	3	435	64	38	17	397	1/6	46	32	2	0	0	0
10/23 at Los Angeles	13	4	9	0	232	57	36	20	196	0/0	37	24	0	4	62	1
11/6 Philadelphia	16	3	10	3	302	61	54	24	248	1/9	36	22	2	2	26	0
11/14 Cincinnati	23	5	15	3	351	72	122	27	229	1/11	44	28	2	1	0	0
11/20 Chicago	19	7	11	1	329	65	102	29	227	0/0	36	21	0	1	3	0
11/27 at Cleveland	13	3	10	0	296	55	104	27	192	1/2	27	15	0	0	0	0
12/4 at Pittsburgh	16	3	10	3	234	55	56	14	178	2/17	39	24	2	1	0	0
12/11 Dallas	12	4	7	1	260	64	93	33	167	3/26	28	17	1	2	29	0
12/18 Detroit	17	5	12	0	300	62	114	32	186	2/15	28	20	0	1	0	0
12/22 at Philadelphia	24	7	17	0	470	88	114	25	356	0/0	63	38	3	1	0	0
1/1 at Washington	17	5	10	2	332	68	161	40	171	1/9	27	17	0	2	28	0
2016 Totals	289	73	190	26	5291	1018	1412	398	3879	22/148	598	377	16	17	174	1
POSTSEASON																
1/8 at Green Bay	15	3	12	0	365	63	70	17	295	2/4	44	23	1	0	0	0

GIANTS	PUNTS NO-AVG	PUNT RETURNS				KO RETURNS				PEN. NO-YDS	FUM. NO/LT
		NO	YDS	FC	TD	NO	YDS	TD			
9/11 at Dallas	5-51.4	1	17	1	0	2	46	0		4-40	1/0
9/18 New Orleans	2-58.0	1	9	0	0	1	2	0		3-25	3/3
9/25 Washington	3-47.3	1	14	0	0	1	15	0		11-128	3/1
10/3 at Minnesota	6-46.7	1	0	3	0	3	94	0		8-69	1/1
10/9 at Green Bay	6-39.2	1	6	1	0	4	140	0		6-51	1/1
10/16 Baltimore	4-51.3	3	11	2	0	0	0	0		7-119	1/1
10/23 at Los Angeles	8-49.8	4	13	0	0	0	0	0		3-33	1/1
11/6 Philadelphia	7-46.0	1	10	0	0	2	30	0		5-30	1/0
11/14 Cincinnati	6-46.0	4	40	2	0	3	53	0		2-15	1/0
11/20 Chicago	6-44.5	3	14	1	0	3	85	0		4-35	2/0
11/27 at Cleveland	9-47.4	6	42	0	0	2	51	0		9-100	1/1
12/4 at Pittsburgh	4-44.3	1	1	1	0	3	78	0		4-24	0/0
12/11 Dallas	9-43.2	5	26	4	0	2	40	0		7-50	4/2
12/18 Detroit	7-42.6	4	28	0	0	1	23	0		5-46	0/0
12/22 at Philadelphia	3-48.3	3	-2	1	0	4	82	0		5-50	2/0
1/1 at Washington	8-45.4	6	46	1	0	0	0	0		5-42	0/0
2016 Totals	93-46.2	45	229	17	0	31	739	0		88-857	22/11
POSTSEASON											
1/8 at Green Bay	8-39.0	3	4	1	0	5	103	0		3-42	1/1

2016 GIANTS TEAM OFFENSIVE STATS

GIANTS SCORING	TD	TD _r	TD _p	TD _r t	PAT	2-PT	FG	T.O.P.
9/11 at Dallas	3	0	3	0	2	0	0	23:17
9/18 New Orleans	1	0	0	1	1	0	3	34:07
9/25 Washington	3	2	1	0	3	0	2	26:34
10/3 at Minnesota	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	24:28
10/9 at Green Bay	1	0	1	0	1	0	3	23:22
10/16 Baltimore	3	0	3	0	3	0	2	24:56
10/23 at Los Angeles	2	1	0	1	2	0	1	24:57
11/6 Philadelphia	4	0	4	0	4	0	0	27:20
11/14 Cincinnati	3	0	3	0	3	0	0	31:23
11/20 Chicago	3	1	2	0	1	0	1	29:31
11/27 at Cleveland	4	0	3	1	3	0	0	26:09
12/4 at Pittsburgh	2	0	2	0	2	0	0	25:52
12/11 Dallas	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	30:52
12/18 Detroit	2	0	2	0	2	0	1	30:16
12/22 at Philadelphia	1	0	1	0	1	0	4	34:04
1/1 at Washington	2	1	0	1	1	0	2	35:52
2016 Totals	36	6	26	4	31	0	21	28:11
POSTSEASON								
1/8 at Green Bay	1	0	1	0	1	0	2	25:29

2016 GIANTS THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY

Date	Opponent	Conv/A	Pct.	Date	Opponent	Conv/A	Pct.
9/11 at Dallas		5-10	50%	11/14 vs. Cincinnati		6-14	43%
9/18 vs. New Orleans		7-15	47%	11/20 Chicago		5-14	36%
9/25 vs. Washington		4-9	44%	11/27 at Cleveland		4-13	31%
10/3 at Minnesota		2-12	17%	12/4 at Pittsburgh		4-11	36%
10/9 at Green Bay		4-13	31%	12/11 Dallas		2-14	14%
10/16 vs. Baltimore		4-14	29%	12/18 Detroit		7-15	47%
10/23 vs. LA (London)		4-13	31%	12/22 at Philadelphia		10-22	45%
11/6 vs. Philadelphia		4-13	31%	1/1 at Washington		6-17	35%
POSTSEASON				1/8 at Green Bay		5-16	31%

2016 OPPONENTS THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY

Date	Opponent	Conv/A	Pct.	Date	Opponent	Conv/A	Pct.
9/11 at Dallas		10-17	59%	11/14 vs. Cincinnati		2-11	18%
9/18 vs. New Orleans		3-13	23%	11/20 Chicago		4-12	33%
9/25 vs. Washington		7-16	44%	11/27 at Cleveland		3-14	21%
10/3 at Minnesota		8-16	50%	12/4 at Pittsburgh		7-15	47%
10/9 at Green Bay		9-19	47%	12/11 Dallas		1-15	7%
10/16 vs. Baltimore		5-18	28%	12/18 Detroit		5-14	36%
10/23 at LA		9-19	47%	12/22 at Philadelphia		4-12	33%
11/6 vs. Philadelphia		3-15	20%	1/1 at Washington		4-12	33%
POSTSEASON				1/8 at Green Bay		5-14	36%

2016 OPPONENTS TEAM OFFENSIVE STATS

OPPONENTS	FIRST DOWNS				TOTAL OFF.		RUSHING		PASSING					INT. BY OPP		
	T	R	Pa	Pe	YDS	PLYS	YDS	ATT	YDS	SK/YD	ATT	COM	I	NO	YDS	TD
9/11 at Dallas	24	10	13	1	328	75	101	30	227	0/0	45	25	0	1	0	0
9/18 New Orleans	16	1	15	0	288	59	41	13	247	2/16	44	29	0	0	0	0
9/25 Washington	20	5	13	2	403	68	90	30	313	2/14	36	22	0	2	2	0
10/3 at Minnesota	22	6	14	2	366	69	104	33	262	0/0	36	26	0	1	29	0
10/9 at Green Bay	23	9	13	1	406	77	147	32	259	0/0	45	23	2	0	0	0
10/16 Baltimore	22	7	10	5	391	76	98	26	293	2/14	48	26	0	2	16	0
10/23 at Los Angeles	20	4	15	1	345	76	74	20	271	3/20	53	32	4	0	0	0
11/6 Philadelphia	21	6	14	1	443	74	96	25	347	2/17	47	27	2	2	3	0
11/14 Cincinnati	12	4	7	1	264	55	78	23	186	3/18	29	16	1	2	21	0
11/20 Chicago	17	6	10	1	315	59	93	25	222	4/30	30	17	1	0	0	0
11/27 at Cleveland	21	4	14	3	343	72	58	21	285	7/37	44	25	0	0	0	0
12/4 at Pittsburgh	20	5	15	0	389	69	117	30	272	2/17	37	24	1	2	58	0
12/11 Dallas	13	6	6	1	260	65	108	25	152	3/13	37	17	2	1	0	0
12/18 Detroit	16	2	11	3	324	59	56	19	268	1/5	39	24	1	0	0	0
12/22 at Philadelphia	15	6	7	2	286	55	118	30	168	0/0	25	14	1	3	40	1
1/1 at Washington	16	1	14	1	284	54	38	15	246	4/41	35	22	2	0	0	0
2016 Totals	298	82	191	25	5435	1062	1417	397	4018	35/242	630	369	17	16	169	1
POSTSEASON																
1/8 at Green Bay	23	5	17	1	406	70	75	25	331	5/31	40	25	0	1	78	0

OPPONENTS	PUNTS NO-AVG	PUNT RETURNS				KO RETURNS			PEN. NO-YDS	FUM. NO/LT
		NO	YDS	FC	TD	NO	YDS	TD		
9/11 at Dallas	3-49.0	2	16	0	0	1	21	0	6-50	0/0
9/18 New Orleans	7-54.7	2	27	0	0	2	24	0	7-76	0/0
9/25 Washington	2-91.0	3	58	0	0	1	25	0	8-70	3/1
10/3 at Minnesota	6-44.0	2	13	1	0	2	29	0	6-37	0/0
10/9 at Green Bay	4-36.5	1	3	2	0	2	42	0	6-57	1/0
10/16 Baltimore	5-47.8	1	3	1	0	1	26	0	15-111	0/0
10/23 at Los Angeles	7-46.0	3	28	1	0	3	62	0	8-43	4/0
11/6 Philadelphia	3-47.0	2	76	1	0	2	50	0	4-43	1/0
11/14 Cincinnati	7-48.0	3	35	2	0	4	145	0	9-60	0/0
11/20 Chicago	6-48.2	3	12	3	0	4	116	0	5-40	2/0
11/27 at Cleveland	8-45.3	3	5	0	0	2	45	0	5-35	3/3
12/4 at Pittsburgh	4-37.0	0	0	1	0	2	47	0	12-115	1/1
12/11 Dallas	9-42.7	3	3	2	0	2	28	0	5-54	2/1
12/18 Detroit	6-45.8	4	11	0	0	2	32	0	2-15	2/1
12/22 at Philadelphia	5-47.8	0	0	1	0	2	38	0	1-5	0/0
1/1 at Washington	7-49.7	5	40	1	0	0	0	0	5-42	2/1
2016 Totals	89-46.2	37	330	16	0	32	730	0	104-853	21/8
POSTSEASON										
1/8 at Green Bay	6-41.8	5	50	2	0	4	108	0	2-20	0-0

2016 OPPONENTS TEAM OFFENSIVE STATS

OPPONENTS SCORING	TD	TD _r	TD _p	TD _t	PAT	2-PT	FG	T.O.P.
9/11 at Dallas	1	1	0	0	1	0	4	36:43
9/18 New Orleans	1	0	1	0	1	0	2	25:53
9/25 Washington	2	0	2	0	2	0	5	33:26
10/3 at Minnesota	3	2	1	0	3	0	1	35:32
10/9 at Green Bay	2	0	2	0	2	0	3	36:38
10/16 Baltimore	2	2	0	0	2	0	3	35:04
10/23 at Los Angeles	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	35:03
11/6 Philadelphia	2	2	0	0	2	0	3	32:40
11/14 Cincinnati	2	1	1	0	2	0	2	28:37
11/20 Chicago	2	1	1	0	1	0	1	30:29
11/27 at Cleveland	1	0	1	0	1	0	2	33:51
12/4 at Pittsburgh	2	0	2	0	1	0	3	34:08
12/11 Dallas	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	29:08
12/18 Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	29:44
12/22 at Philadelphia	3	1	1	1	3	0	1	25:56
1/1 at Washington	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	24:08
2016 Totals	26	10	15	1	24	0	34	31:48
POSTSEASON								
1/8 at Green Bay	5	1	4	0	5	0	1	34:31

2016 INDIVIDUAL BESTS

GIANTS (16 GAMES)

LONGEST RUN FROM SCRIMMAGE: 25, twice, last Jennings vs. CIN (11/14)
 LONGEST TOUCHDOWN RUN: 2, three times, last Jennings at WAS (1/1)
 LONGEST PASS COMPLETION: 75, Manning to Beckham Jr., vs. BAL (10/16)
 LONGEST TOUCHDOWN PASS: 75, Manning to Beckham Jr., vs. BAL (10/16)
 LONGEST PUNT RETURN: 19, Beckham Jr., at CLE (11/27)
 LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN: 46, Harris, vs. CHI (11/20)
 MOST INTERCEPTIONS: 2, four times, last, Rodgers-Cromartie at WAS (1/1)
 LONGEST INTERCEPTION RETURN: 44, Collins at L.A. (10/23)
 LONGEST PUNT: 63, Wing, vs. NO (9/18)
 LONGEST FIELD GOAL: 48, Brown, vs. NO (9/18)
 MOST RUSHING ATTEMPTS: 21, twice, last, Perkins at WAS (1/1)
 MOST RUSHING YARDS: 102, Perkins at WAS (1/1)
 MOST PASS ATTEMPTS: 63, Manning at PHI (12/22)
 MOST PASS COMPLETIONS: 38, Manning at PHI (12/22)
 MOST YARDS PASSING: 403, Manning, vs. BAL (10/16)
 MOST RECEPTIONS: 11, Beckham Jr. at PHI (12/22)
 MOST YARDS RECEIVING: 222, Beckham Jr., vs. BAL (10/16)
 MOST INTERCEPTIONS THROWN: 3, Manning at PHI (12/22)
 MOST RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS: 1, six times, last, Jennings at WAS (1/1)
 MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES: 4, Manning vs. PHI (11/6)

OPPONENTS (16 GAMES)

LONGEST RUN FROM SCRIMMAGE: 33, West, vs. BAL (10/16)
 LONGEST TOUCHDOWN RUN: 25, Sproles at PHI (12/22)
 LONGEST PASS COMPLETION: 72, Flacco to Wallace, vs. BAL (10/16)
 LONGEST TOUCHDOWN PASS: 55, Cousins to Crowder, vs. WAS (9/25)
 LONGEST PUNT RETURN: 66, Sproles, vs. PHI (11/6)
 LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN: 84, Erickson vs. CIN (11/14)
 MOST INTERCEPTIONS: 2, Jenkins at PHI (12/22)
 LONGEST INTERCEPTION RETURN: 58, Timmons, at PIT (12/4)
 LONGEST PUNT: 67, O'Donnell, vs. CHI (11/20)
 LONGEST FIELD GOAL: 56, Bailey, at DAL (9/11)
 MOST RUSHING ATTEMPTS: 29, Bell at PIT (12/4)
 MOST RUSHING YARDS: 118, Bell at PIT (12/4)
 MOST PASS ATTEMPTS: 53, Keenum at L.A. (10/23)
 MOST PASS COMPLETIONS: 32, Keenum at L.A. (10/23)
 MOST YARDS PASSING: 364, Wentz, vs. PHI (11/6)
 MOST RECEPTIONS: 10, Austin, at L.A. (10/23)
 MOST YARDS RECEIVING: 131, Pryor, at CLE (11/27)
 MOST INTERCEPTIONS THROWN: 4, Keenum at L.A. (10/23)
 MOST RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS: 2, West vs. BAL (10/16)
 MOST TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS: 1, fourteen times, last, Reed at WAS (1/1)
 MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES: 2, twice, last, Roethlisberger at PIT (12/4)
 MOST QB SACKS: 1, 22 times, last, Jenkins at WAS (1/1)

2016 BIG PLAYS

GIANTS

PLAYERS	YDS	DATE	OPPONENT
Manning to Beckham	75	10/16	vs. Baltimore
Manning to Perkins	67	10/3	at Minnesota
Manning to Beckham	66	10/16	vs. Baltimore
Manning to Beckham	61	12/11	vs. Dallas
Manning to Cruz	48	11/20	vs. Chicago
Manning to Cruz	46	11/6	vs. Philadelphia
Manning to Beckham	45	9/11	at Dallas
Manning to King	44	1/1	at Washington
Manning to Beckham	43	10/16	vs. Baltimore
Manning to Beckham	41	11/27	at Cleveland
Manning to Cruz	40	9/18	vs. New Orleans
Manning to Cruz	37	9/25	vs. Washington
Manning to Cruz	37	11/27	at Cleveland
Manning to Cruz	34	9/18	vs. New Orleans
Manning to Beckham	33	12/22	at Philadelphia
Manning to Shepard	32	9/18	vs. New Orleans
Manning to Shepard	32	9/18	vs. New Orleans
Manning to Shepard	32	11/6	vs. Philadelphia
Manning to Beckham	32	11/27	at Cleveland
Manning to Lewis	30	11/6	vs. Philadelphia
Manning to Beckham	30	12/22	at Philadelphia
Manning to Cruz	29	12/18	vs. Detroit
Manning to Cruz	29	12/22	at Philadelphia
Manning to Tye	27	10/9	at Green Bay
Manning to Beckham	27	12/22	at Philadelphia
Manning to Beckham	26	9/25	vs. Washington
Manning to Beckham	26	11/6	vs. Philadelphia
Manning to Cruz	25	10/23	at Los Angeles
Manning to Tye	25	11/14	vs. Cincinnati
Manning to Beckham	25	12/4	at Pittsburgh
Manning to Beckham	25	12/18	vs. Detroit
Manning to Rainey	24	9/25	vs. Washington
Manning to Beckham	24	9/25	vs. Washington
Manning to Lewis	24	10/16	vs. Baltimore
Manning to Jennings	24	10/23	at Los Angeles
Manning to Tye	24	1/1	at Washington
Manning to Cruz	23	9/11	at Dallas
Manning to Shepard	23	9/25	vs. Washington
Manning to Beckham	23	12/4	at Pittsburgh
Manning to Shepard	23	12/18	vs. Detroit
Manning to Beckham	22	10/23	at Los Angeles
Manning to Beckham	22	12/18	vs. Detroit
Manning to Beckham	21	11/14	vs. Cincinnati
Manning to Shepard	20	9/11	at Dallas
Manning to Beckham	20	11/20	vs. Chicago
Manning to Jennings	20	12/4	at Pittsburgh

POSTSEASON

Manning to Tye	51	1/8	at Green Bay
Manning to King	41	1/8	at Green Bay
Manning to Shepard	26	1/8	at Green Bay

OPPONENTS

PLAYERS	YDS	DATE	OPPONENT
Flacco to Wallace	72	10/16	vs. Baltimore
Dalton to Eifert	71	11/14	vs. Cincinnati
Stafford to Tate	67	12/18	vs. Detroit
Wentz to Treggs	58	11/6	vs. Philadelphia
Cousins to Crowder	55	9/25	vs. Washington
McCown to Pryor	54	11/27	at Cleveland
Cousins to Garcon	49	1/1	at Washington
Keenum to Quick	48	10/23	at Los Angeles
Cousins to Jackson	44	9/25	vs. Washington
Flacco to Perriman	41	10/16	vs. Baltimore
Bradford to Johnson	40	10/3	at Minnesota
Wentz to Agholor	40	12/22	at Philadelphia
Roethlisberger to Green	37	12/4	at Pittsburgh
Cutler to Wilson	35	11/20	vs. Chicago
Cutler to Miller	34	11/20	vs. Chicago
Wentz to Matthews	33	11/6	vs. Philadelphia
Roethlisberger to Green	33	12/4	at Pittsburgh
Stafford to Zenner	33	12/18	vs. Detroit
Wentz to Burton	32	11/6	vs. Philadelphia
Cousins to Jackson	31	9/25	vs. Washington
Way to Dunbar	31	9/25	vs. Washington
Prescott to Williams	31	12/11	vs. Dallas
Cousins to Davis	31	1/1	at Washington
Bradford to Johnson	30	10/3	at Minnesota
Wentz to Ertz	30	11/6	vs. Philadelphia
Rodgers to Adams	29	10/9	at Green Bay
Keenum to Britt	26	10/23	at Los Angeles
Wentz to Matthews	25	11/6	vs. Philadelphia
Cousins to Reed	24	9/25	vs. Washington
Stafford to Tate	24	12/18	vs. Detroit
Brees to Thomas	23	9/18	vs. New Orleans
Keenum to Quick	23	10/23	at Los Angeles
Wentz to Agholor	23	11/6	vs. Philadelphia
Cutler to Bellamy	23	11/20	vs. Chicago
Cousins to Garcon	23	1/1	at Washington
Cousins to Jackson	23	1/1	at Washington
Flacco to Aiken	22	10/16	vs. Baltimore
Cutler to Howard	22	11/20	vs. Chicago
McCown to Pryor	22	11/27	at Cleveland
Roethlisberger to Brown	22	12/4	at Pittsburgh
Prescott to Swaim	21	9/11	at Dallas
Brees to Fleener	21	9/18	vs. New Orleans
Bradford to Patterson	21	10/3	at Minnesota
Bradford to Diggs	21	10/3	at Minnesota
Rodgers to Cobb	21	10/9	at Green Bay
Dalton to Green	21	11/14	vs. Cincinnati
McCown to Coleman	21	11/27	at Cleveland
Roethlisberger to Bell	21	12/4	at Pittsburgh
Stafford to Ebron	21	12/18	vs. Detroit
Stafford to Jones	21	12/18	vs. Detroit
Cousins to Reed	21	1/1	at Washington
Cousins to Garcon	21	1/1	at Washington
Cousins to Garcon	20	9/25	vs. Washington
Rodgers to Adams	20	10/9	at Green Bay
Keenum to Gurley	20	10/23	at Los Angeles
Wentz to Ertz	20	11/6	vs. Philadelphia
Dalton to Eifert	20	11/14	vs. Cincinnati
Roethlisberger to Green	20	12/4	at Pittsburgh

POSTSEASON

Rodgers to Cobb	42	1/8	at Green Bay
Rodgers to Montgomery	34	1/8	at Green Bay
Rodgers to Adams	31	1/8	at Green Bay
Rodgers to Cobb	30	1/8	at Green Bay
Rodgers to Adams	23	1/8	at Green Bay
Rodgers to Adams	20	1/8	at Green Bay

2016 BIG PLAYS

GIANTS

PLAYER	YDS	DATE	OPPONENT
Vereen	25	9/25	vs. Washington
Jennings	25	11/14	vs. Cincinnati
Jennings	24	10/23	at Los Angeles
Jennings	24	11/14	vs. Cincinnati
Shepard	22	11/27	at Cleveland
Perkins	22	1/1	at Washington
Jennings	21	11/20	vs. Chicago
Perkins	20	12/22	at Philadelphia
Perkins	18	12/4	at Pittsburgh
Jennings	17	9/11	at Dallas
Darkwa	17	10/3	at Minnesota
Vereen	15	9/25	vs. Washington
Darkwa	15	9/25	vs. Washington
Vereen	14	9/25	vs. Washington
Rainey	14	10/9	at Green Bay
Perkins	14	11/6	vs. Philadelphia
Perkins	14	1/1	at Washington
Darkwa	13	9/25	vs. Washington
Jennings	13	12/11	vs. Dallas
Jennings	12	9/11	at Dallas
Jennings	12	11/20	vs. Chicago
Jennings	12	12/22	at Philadelphia
Jennings	11	9/11	at Dallas
Perkins	11	11/20	vs. Chicago
Jennings	11	11/27	at Cleveland
Perkins	11	12/18	vs. Detroit
Perkins	10	10/23	at Los Angeles
Jennings	10	11/20	vs. Chicago
Perkins	10	12/18	vs. Detroit

POSTSEASON

Perkins	14	1/8	at Green Bay
Jennings	11	1/8	at Green Bay
Manning	11	1/8	at Green Bay
Jennings	10	1/8	at Green Bay

OPPONENTS

PLAYER	YARDS ...	DATE	OPPONENT
West	33	10/16	vs. Baltimore
Lacy	31	10/9	at Green Bay
Howard	27	11/20	vs. Chicago
McKinnon	25	10/3	at Minnesota
Sproles	25	12/22	at Philadelphia
Smallwood	19	11/6	vs. Philadelphia
Bell	19	12/4	at Pittsburgh
Sproles	17	11/6	vs. Philadelphia
Mathews	17	12/22	at Philadelphia
Dalton	15	11/14	vs. Cincinnati
Elliott	15	12/11	vs. Dallas
Elliott	14	12/11	vs. Dallas
A. Morris	13	9/11	at Dallas
Ripkowski	13	10/9	at Green Bay
Elliott	13	12/11	vs. Dallas
Elliott	13	12/11	vs. Dallas
Sproles	13	12/22	at Philadelphia
Jones	12	9/25	vs. Washington
Lacy	12	10/9	at Green Bay
West	12	10/16	vs. Baltimore
Howard	12	11/20	vs. Chicago
Bell	12	12/4	at Pittsburgh
Bell	12	12/4	at Pittsburgh
Bell	12	12/4	at Pittsburgh
Washington	12	12/18	vs. Detroit
Prescott	11	9/11	at Dallas
Lacy	11	10/9	at Green Bay
Rodgers	11	10/9	at Green Bay
Wentz	11	12/22	at Philadelphia
Jones	10	9/25	vs. Washington
McKinnon	10	10/3	at Minnesota
McKinnon	10	10/3	at Minnesota
Starks	10	10/9	at Green Bay
Austin	10	10/23	at Los Angeles

POSTSEASON

Michael	10	1/8	at Green Bay
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THE LAST TIME IT HAPPENED - REGULAR SEASON

OFFENSE

OVERTIME GAME

Jets 23, Giants 20,
Dec. 6, 2013

SHUTOUT

Giants 24 at Tampa Bay 0
Sept. 27, 2009
Opponent:
Giants 0 vs. Philadelphia 27
Oct. 12, 2014

SCORLESS FIRST HALF

Giants 0 vs. Dallas 7
Dec. 11, 2016
Opponent:
Washington 0 vs. Giants 10
Jan. 1, 2017

SCORLESS SECOND HALF:

Giants 0 v Jets 13, Dec. 6, 2015
Opponent:
Giants 10 vs. Dallas 0
Dec. 11, 2016

400 YARDS:

Giants: 470 at Philadelphia, Dec.
22, 2016
Opponent: 443 vs. Philadelphia, Nov.
6, 2016; GB PS

500 YARDS:

502 vs. Philadelphia
Jan. 3, 2016
Opponent: 608 at New Orleans, Nov.
1, 2015

600 TOTAL YARDS:

604 vs. Tampa Bay, Sept. 16, 2012
Opponent: 608 at New Orleans, Nov.
1, 2015

200 YARDS RUSHING:

208 vs. Philadelphia
Jan. 3, 2016
Opponent: 218 at Minnesota, Dec.
27, 2015

300 YARDS RUSHING:

301 vs. Carolina, Dec. 21, 2008
Opponent: 350 at Seattle
Nov. 9, 2014

300 NET YARDS PASSING:

356 at Philadelphia, Dec. 22, 2016
Opponent: 347 vs. Philadelphia, Nov.
6, 2016 GBPS

400 NET YARDS PASSING:

441 vs. San Francisco, Oct. 11,
2015
Opponent: 505 at New Orleans,
Nov. 1, 2015

500 NET YARDS PASSING:

510 vs. Tampa Bay, Sept. 16, 2012
Opponent: 505 at New Orleans,
Nov. 1, 2015

MOST POINTS:

62 vs. Philadelphia
Nov. 26, 1972
Opponent: 72 at Washington Nov.
27, 1966

60 POINTS:

62 vs. Philadelphia
Nov. 26, 1972
Opponent: 62 at Cleveland
Dec. 6, 1953

50 POINTS:

52 vs. New Orleans, Dec. 9, 2012
Opponent: 52 at New Orleans,
Nov. 1, 2015

100-YARD RUSHING GAME:

Paul Perkins 102 at Washington,
Jan. 1, 2017
Opponent: Ezekiel Elliott, 107 vs.
Dallas, Dec. 11, 2016

100-YARD RECEIVING GAME:

Odell Beckham Jr., 150 at
Philadelphia, Dec. 22, 2016
Opponent: Golden Tate, 122 vs.
Detroit, Dec. 18, 2016; 2 PS

200-YARD RECEIVING GAME:

Odell Beckham Jr., 222 vs.
Baltimore, Oct. 16, 2016
Opponent: Gary Clark 11-241
vs. Washington, Oct. 27, 1986

300-YARD PASSING GAME

Eli Manning, 356 at Philadelphia,
Dec. 22, 2016
Opponent: Carson Wentz, 364
vs. Philadelphia, Nov. 6, 2016,
RodgersPS

400-YARD PASSING GAME

Eli Manning, 403 vs. Baltimore,
Oct. 16, 2016
Opponent: Drew Brees 505 at
New Orleans, Nov. 1, 2015

3 TD PASSES:

Eli Manning (3) at Cleveland, Nov.
27, 2016
Opponent: Cam Newton (5), vs.
Carolina, Dec. 20, 2015

4 TD PASSES:

Eli Manning (6) at Philadelphia, Nov.
6, 2016
Opponent: Cam Newton (5), vs.
Carolina, Dec. 20, 2015; Rodgers PS

5 TD PASSES:

Eli Manning (6) at New Orleans,
Nov. 1, 2015
Opponent: Cam Newton (5), vs.
Carolina, Dec. 20, 2015

3 TD RECEIVING:

Odell Beckham Jr. at New Orleans,
Nov. 1, 2015
Opponent: Santana Moss
at Washington, Dec. 24, 2005;
Cobb PS

4 TD RECEIVING:

Earnest Gray
at St. Louis (Cardinals)
Sept. 7, 1980
Opponent: Joe Horn
at New Orleans, Dec. 14, 2003

3 TD RUSHING:

Ahmad Bradshaw
vs. Buffalo, Oct. 16, 2011
Opponent: Marshawn Lynch (4) at
Seattle, Nov. 9, 2014

4 TD RUSHING:

Rodney Hampton
vs. New Orleans Sept. 24, 1995
Opponent: Marshawn Lynch, at
Seattle, Nov. 9, 2014.

THE LAST TIME IT HAPPENED - REGULAR SEASON

DEFENSE

INTERCEPTION TD RETURN

Landon Collins, 44 yards
vs. Los Angeles, Oct. 23, 2016
Opponent:
Malcolm Jenkins, 34 yards
at Philadelphia, Dec. 22, 2016

FUMBLE RETURN FOR TD

Trevin Wade, 11 yards
at Washington, Jan. 1, 2017
Opponent: Walter Thurmond 83
yards
vs. Philadelphia, Jan. 3, 2016

3 QUARTERBACK SACKS

Jason Pierre-Paul (3.0)
at Cleveland, Nov. 27, 2016
Opponent:
Connor Barwin (3.0)
at Philadelphia, Oct. 12, 2014

4 QUARTERBACK SACKS

Justin Tuck (4.0)
at Washington, Dec. 1, 2010
Opponent:
Bertrand Berry (4.0)
at Arizona, Nov. 14, 2004

2 INTERCEPTIONS

Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie
at Washington, Jan. 1, 2017
Opponent:
Malcolm Jenkins, at Philadelphia,
Dec. 22, 2016

SAFETY

Rashad Jennings blocked the punt
and ball went into the endzone vs.
Washington, Sept. 24, 2015
Opponent:
Ereck Flowers penalized for holding
James Harrison in the end zone at
Pittsburgh, Dec. 4, 2016

SPECIAL TEAMS

5 FIELD GOALS

Josh Brown
at Tennessee, Dec. 7, 2014
Opponent:
Dustin Hopkins, vs. Washington,
Sept. 25, 2016

50-YARD FIELD GOAL

Josh Brown, 53
vs. New England, Nov. 15, 2015
Opponent:
56, 54 Dan Bailey at Dallas,
Sept. 11, 2016

KICKOFF RETURN FOR TD

Dwayne Harris 100 yards
vs. Dallas, Oct. 25, 2015
Opponent:
Rashad Ross, 101 yards vs.
Washington, Sept. 25, 2015

PUNT RETURN FOR TD

Dwayne Harris 80 yards
vs. New York Jets, Dec. 6, 2015
Opponent:
Ted Ginn Jr. 71 yards vs. Arizona,
Sept. 14, 2014

BLOCKED PUNT

Jonathan Hankins
vs. New Orleans, Sept. 19, 2016
Opponent:
James Casey
vs. Philadelphia, Dec. 28, 2014

BLOCKED PUNT RETURN/RECOVERED FOR TD

Cooper Taylor 21 yards
(blocked by Damontre Moore)
vs. Oakland, Nov. 10, 2013
Opponent: Myron Baker 5 yards
at Chicago Sept. 5, 1993

BLOCKED FIELD GOAL ATTEMPT

Jason Pierre-Paul
vs. Philadelphia, Nov. 6, 2016
Opponent:
Daren Bates
at St. Louis, Dec. 21, 2014

BLOCKED FIELD RETURNED FOR TD

Janoris Jenkins
vs. New Orleans, Sept. 19, 2016

FAKE FIELD GOAL ATTEMPT

Jeff Hostetler 22-yard TD pass
to Carl Banks
at Philadelphia, Oct. 8, 1989
Opponent:
Shaun Suisham, vs. Pittsburgh
Nov. 4, 2012 (no first down)

BLOCKED PAT

Barry Cofield
vs. Dallas, Nov. 14, 2010
Opponent:
Brandon Noble
at Dallas, Dec. 17, 2000

PAT MISSED

Robbie Gould
at Cleveland, Nov. 27, 2016
Opponent:
Connor Barth
vs. Chicago, Nov. 20, 2016

TWO POINT CONVERSION MADE

Andre Williams
at Buffalo, Oct. 4, 2015
Opponent:
Cousins pass to Crowder
vs. Washington, Sept. 24, 2015

TWO POINT CONVERSION FAILED

Eli Manning kneel down,
at Washington, Jan. 1, 2017
Opponent:
Ben Roethlisberger, pass failed
to Antonio Brown Jacksonville, Dec.
4, 2016

RECOVERED OWN ONSIDE KICK

vs. Washington, Dec. 14, 2014
Opponent:
vs. Philadelphia, Dec. 30, 2012

THE LAST TIME IT HAPPENED - SEASON

OFFENSE

1,000 YARD RUSHER

Ahmad Bradshaw, 2012, 1,015 yards

300 RUSHING ATTEMPTS

Tiki Barber, 2006, 327 attempts

5 100-YARD RUSHING GAMES

Brandon Jacobs, 2007, (5)

10 RUSHING TDS

Brandon Jacobs, 2008, 15 touchdowns

600 PASS ATTEMPTS

Eli Manning, 2015, 618 attempts

500 PASS ATTEMPTS

Eli Manning, 2016, 598 attempts

300 PASS COMPLETIONS

Eli Manning, 2016, 377 completions

4,000 YARDS PASSING

Eli Manning, 2016, 4,027 yards

5 GAMES WITH 300 YARDS

Eli Manning, 2015, (6)

30 TOUCHDOWN PASSES

Eli Manning, 2015, 35 touchdowns

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH A TD PASS

Eli Manning, 2008, (12)

100 RECEPTIONS

Odell Beckham Jr., 2016,
101 receptions

1,000 RECEIVING YARDS

Odell Beckham Jr., 2016,
1,367 yards

10 RECEIVING TDS

Odell Beckham Jr., 2016,
10 touchdowns

DEFENSE

10 INTERCEPTIONS

Willie Williams, 1968,
11 interceptions

2 DEFENSIVE TDS

Percy Ellsworth, 1998,
2 touchdowns

5 FORCED FUMBLES

Osi Umenyiora, 2010,
10 forced fumbles &
Justin Tuck, 2010,
6 forced fumbles

10+ SACKS

Jason Pierre-Paul, 2014,
12.5 sacks

SPECIAL TEAMS

50 KICKOFF RETURNS

David Wilson, 2012, 57 returns

30-YARD AVG. KICKOFF RETURN

John Counts, 1962,
30.2 yard average

1,000 KICKOFF RETURN YARDS

David Wilson, 2012, 1,533 yards

2 KICKOFF RETURN TDS

Never Happened

50 PUNT RETURNS

Phil McConkey, 1985, 53 returns

500 PUNT RETURN YARDS

Tiki Barber, 1999, 506 yards

15-YARD PUNT RETURN AVG

Amani Toomer, 1996,
16.6 yard average

2 PUNT RETURNS FOR TD

Amani Toomer, 1996,
2 touchdowns

Head Coach Ben McAdoo
Postgame vs. Jets, August 26, 2017

Opening Statement: I thought the first half, the first group on both sides came out with the right mindset in the third preseason game. It was nice to see the defense put up the points that they put up in the ball game early. I thought we hung in there, we got a little short on numbers in the second half, and we hung in there - guys kept battling and we found a way to stop them on the two-point. We did a nice job with our hands team there at the end.

Q: How do you think Brett Jones did after he came in for John Jerry?

A: I'm going to have to go back and look at the tape.

Q: What went into that decision?

A: We had a few guys we rotated in there with the first group on the offensive line. I thought we moved the ball. We started a little bit slow, but I thought we moved the ball, and we ended up running it fairly decent there, which was encouraging to see against a very physical front.

Q: Was OL Brett Jones coming in on the second drive a result of the first drive?

A: No.

Q: So, you planned it ahead of time?

A: Yes.

Q: The same with T Chad Wheeler coming in for Ereck Flowers?

A: Yes.

Q: Why did you want to do that today?

A: To see them against good competition.

Q: CB Donte Deayon moved from the outside to the inside; is that a place where you could see him playing?

A: Ideally, he's an inside player, but you have to have flexibility to help out on the outside.

Q: What would you say is your quick reaction to WR Travis Rudolph's performance tonight?

A: I thought he did some good things — he was productive. I thought there were some contested balls that he should've come down with, but he made the most of his opportunity; he had a chance to shine, and he took advantage of it.

Q: How important is it to see from your offense, being able to run the ball effectively?

A: Again, we came out to evaluate to see if we could run the ball a little bit against a good front. We had our ups and downs with it, but we'll take a look at the tape.

Q: Do you have any updates on WR Odell Beckham Jr. or WR Brandon Marshall?

A: Yeah, they got some treatment today and we'll see how they do.

Q: Was Odell at the game or did you want him off his feet?

A: We thought it was best for Odell to get treatment and not be standing out there.

Q: Was he getting cell treatment?

A: No, he was here today.

Q: Did he go get cell treatment at any point?

A: I don't know what cell treatment is, and I don't know where you go to get it. Other than that, better look somewhere else for that answer.

Q: Talk about the confidence that S Landon Collins seems to be playing with.

A: Landon is a confident player - he's a young player, he flies around. The guys, they feed off of each other on the defensive side of the ball, it's not just one player. It's a bunch of different guys, and you saw a little bit of that today.

Q: Do you have any concern about CB Eli Apple's ankle?

A: I think he did his other ankle today, so I have concerns about both ankles.

Q: What did you think about K Mike Nugent today?

A: He kicked the heck out of the football today. He made a nice long one there for us on the 36-yard line — that's big for us. Both kickers did a nice job today.

Q: Do you feel like you got a monkey off your back finally scoring a touchdown, even if it was on defense?

A: No.

Q: Is Brett Jones potentially in the running to take G John Jerry's job?

A: We're going to go back, we're going to look at the film, and when we get to the first regular season game, we're going to put the best group out there that we feel can help us win.

Q: How bad is CB Eli Apple's ankle?

A: I'm not sure, I'll have to go talk to the trainers and the doctors about it.

Q: What does Brett Jones give to your offense?

A: He can play either guard, so he has some flexibility. He's a smart guy with some versatility.

Q: Was there a free safety rotation that was different from the other starters?

A: Again, we're just taking a look at different guys who've performed well and deserve an opportunity to get in there and compete for a job.

Q: Some of your decisions were based on the Jets' defensive line. Would you consider them a good test?

A: Very good, yes. They're very good on the defensive front, not just the defensive line. Their linebackers are very good. They're a stout front; they have young safeties that run and fly around, and this was a tremendous challenge for our offensive front - our run blocking unit and our pass protection unit.

Q: Does gaining more traction in the running game give you more confidence?

A: It's better than less traction.

Q: But coming in, does that bolster it?

A: It's better than less, yes. I felt we got one percent better there.

Head Coach Ben McAdoo
Conference Call, August 27, 2017

Opening Statement: We'll start with the defensive side and what we did well. The first group, they were out there flying around. We were disruptive up front; that led to 16 points directly, plus some points and opportunities on the offensive side of the ball. We need to work on ripping at the Duke, we need to clean up the penalties, shore up the tackling, continue to make communication a priority, and develop some depth behind the first group.

Offense, what we did well, I thought we made some gains, especially in the first quarter. Showing signs of being explosive in both the run and the pass. We ran through some arm tackles and made some safeties miss. What we need to work on, we left some points (off) the board. We tripped in pass protection that led to an interception, the release and the throw versus press, on the third down to Evan (Engram), and we need to be better at press overall. Too many penalties, and we need to complete the ball at a higher percentage.

Special teams, what we did well — kickoff coverage was physical, punt coverage improved. We had great situational work, whether it was kickoff after a safety or the hands team, and we've got one heck of a competition at the kicker's spot. With what we need to work on, we need to get the punt return going. With that, we'll open it up.

Q: How do you decide the kicker competition when neither guy is missing?

A: Well, we just keep on competing. We have a short week here to get ready to go, and we'll just keep on competing.

Q: You said you wanted to get a look at some different offensive linemen with C Brett Jones and T Chad Wheeler, what did you see on the film?

A: I thought Jones and Wheeler and Fluker jumped in there and did a nice job, and they're competing at a high level.

Q: Any potential changes?

A: We're going to continue to evaluate.

Q: Any injury updates on CB Eli Apple or DT Jay Bromley?

A: Jay has a knee sprain. Eli still has an ankle. I don't have really any updates on those injuries. Evan Schwan has a foot fracture. (Duke) Ihenacho also has a knee sprain. That's all I have.

Q: Is this the best you've seen Jason Pierre-Paul play?

A: JPP was dialed in and playing at a high level last night. He was very disruptive — the safety was an impressive play. Clubbing the tackle and getting skinny and making the play on a stretch play. He was all over the field - very productive. He had an outstanding night.

Q: Is it too early to say that the running game is starting to click a little more?

A: Again, we played so many different players. Right now, we're just out there evaluating and taking a look at some things schematically and see what we can do from that standpoint. So, we're mixing some things. We'll have to get into the regular season to really get a vibe on that.

Q: Where's the backup quarterback competition at this point?

A: We're still not in a position to say who the number two is. Thursday night we're hoping it cleans itself up.

Q: Has anybody moved ahead or done anything to separate themselves from the pack?

A: No.

Q: You played QB Eli Manning less than last year in the third game, do you expect him to play Thursday?

A: We'll handle the play time very similar to the way we handled it for last year's fourth preseason game.

Q: Is QB Davis Webb in that conversation for the No. 2 job because of the lack of clarity?

A: Never say never.

Q: Going into last night's game without your best two receivers, how do you feel about the depth at the position?

A: We were confident going into the game with the players that we have on the roster. We feel like we have some tight ends and some receivers, even with the caliber of the players we had out, that can get open. I think it showed up that we need to be better against press coverage with those players. We'll address that in the room tomorrow, but I feel we had some guys step up and take advantage of their opportunities.

Q: You're two games into this three games in 11-day period; so far how do you like the tempo of the team?

A: I think going into the Monday night game on the road, I feel that we were a little heavy-legged. You can even make an argument that last night, despite the production, that we were a little heavy-legged, but that's what this time of the year is all about. We're building some calluses, though. That's what I like about this team — they're willing to work and willing to build the calluses, and that's going to go a long way for us when we do get our legs back.

Q: At what point do you start to give them more recovery time?

A: That'll happen naturally after this ballgame. It's all built in.

Q: How likely is it that WR Odell Beckham Jr. and WR Brandon Marshall get back on the practice field this week?

A: We'll see. We practice tomorrow, and we'll get up in the morning and see how they respond to what's going on medically, the treatment that they're getting, and if they're able to go, we'll practice them.

Q: What was the explanation the officials gave you for the replay late in the game when they reviewed the play after running another play?

A: Well, New York decided to stop the play. They felt there was enough time to get the play stopped. The communication didn't happen fast enough from New York to the playing field, and they let the play go on. It should've been a sack-fumble and end of the ball game. We ended up having a player get carted off the field on it, which is inexcusable to have a play that doesn't count, or never existed, and have a player get carted off the field. That's the explanation I got.

Q: Did you get a good look at tight end Evan Engram's blocking abilities when he was going up against guys on the Jets defensive line like defensive end Muhammad Wilkerson?

A: Yeah, Wilkerson's a handful. They have a bunch of handfuls on that defense and Evan has some things he has to learn from, finish-wise. He has to finish better as a blocker; he's certainly willing as a blocker. It's preseason and he's going to find out it's going to turn up a notch on him here very quickly. But, he just needs to keep on developing. He's a willing teamer, he's a football player that is not a selfish football player. He's a team guy and that shows up in special teams, that shows up in offense.

Q: Was getting called for a delay of game after Landon Collins' interception return for a touchdown a teachable moment?

A: Well, we have a lot of concerns about the [new league celebration] rule. As soon as the official puts his hands out that says it's a touchdown, we've got to make sure we get the ball put down and the PAT team on the field ready to go. There's certain mechanical things that are happening. The snapper, the holder and the kicker need to be able to set up and get ready to go. I don't feel that the defense took too long celebrating on either of their two touchdowns, but that clock happens fast and we need to be able to move fast. It just seems like when the offense is on the field, it doesn't seem like it'll be as big of a rush, but when the defense scores, it definitely is a challenging transition that we need to address.

Q: Are you concerned about your depth at cornerback and do you have any update on Michael Hunter Jr.?

A: Well, we like the guys that we have in the [cornerback] room. They're competing at a high level. Michael Hunter is still in the concussion protocol. We do like Michael Hunter. He was out there playing at a high level for us and competing very well for us. We hope to get him back as soon as we can.

Q: How did linebacker J.T. Thomas look in his first game action since coming back from injury?

A: It was good to see J.T. out there. He was flying around. He actually got knocked off his feet one time on the boundary and bounced right back up. That was great to see. I think that's a major hurdle when you're coming back from an injury. But if you can go down and then pop right back up, that's a big moment for J.T.

Q: Does Thomas have enough time to make this team?

A: Absolutely.

Quarterback Eli Manning
Postgame vs. Jets, August 26, 2017

Q: Can you tell us the impact that offensive lineman Brett Jones had when he went into the game?

A: Yeah, I think Brett's done a good job for us. He's a guy who knows what he's doing, knows his assignments, his details and has played well, whether it's center, at guard. I think the offensive line, all those guys did a great job tonight going against a tough front four and guys who do a good job of getting to the quarterback. They gave us time and we hit some throws down the field.

Q: How do you think the first-team offense did as a whole tonight?

A: Well, I thought we did a good job. We moved the ball well. Obviously, we had the interception. I've got to do a better job on that and feeling the pressure and not throwing it right there and getting hit and the ball fluttering up. But besides that, had some good drives. We were able to get into the end zone the other time we got down there close. But I thought the assignments, guys were doing their assignments well and made some plays.

Q: Does it give you confidence that you were able to move the ball downfield without wide receivers Odell Beckham Jr. and Brandon Marshall playing tonight?

A: Well, I think we've got some weapons and I thought [wide receiver] Sterling Shepard and [tight end] Evan [Engram] did a good job tonight. [Wide receiver] Roger Lewis made some plays, [wide receiver] Travis Rudolph made some plays. So, those guys have been here the whole time, been practicing, making plays in practice and it showed up today in the game.

Q: How much has tight end Evan Engram improved since the beginning of the summer?

A: Well, he's improved a bunch. He's just playing faster now, has the timing of the routes and he's sharpened his assignments and playing fast and making some plays for us. So, that's good to see.

Q: Was not having scored a touchdown heading into this game something that was hanging over the offense's heads?

A: It's not something that kept me up at night, let's say that. I always want to score, you always want to score points and move the ball, so it was good to have some good drives.

Linebacker J.T. Thomas III
Postgame vs. Jets August 26, 2017

Q: Good to get back out there?

A: Great to get some reps in, some live-game reps. There is nothing like those game reps. It was good to be back out there with the guys. Being around the guys definitely gave me a lot of energy. Now, it will just be about stacking up days and being back on the field again. Working my way back up into my normal role. Special teams, being able to be more consistent. Today was the first step for me and I look forward to the next opportunity.

Q: Have they said anything to you about your role?

A: We're just playing things out by ear. I think the most important thing for J.T. Thomas and the Giants is for me to be healthy. Just keep working me but not overwhelming me with the workload starting out.

Q: Did this take longer than you thought getting back on the field?

A: Yes. You just have to be patient. Listen to my body every single day. It was one of those things that you really have to stay on top of. Just trying to continue to be a leader on the team. It was really great to be back out there and like I said, I can't wait for my next time at bat.

Q: You got your legs taken out from under you. Did you come up and make sure you were OK?

A: It was more of a sense of relief. Just to be able to take the hit and pop back up to be ready for the next play. You really have to understand how good it feels to get those game reps under my belt. It was really good for me mentally which was probably the biggest hurdle. Recovering from this injury, if I can get through this mentally, I'll be ready to go.

Q: You broke them down after the warmups. What was the message?

A: I always give the guys a little RAH-RAH. Just let them know regardless of who it is and what the circumstance it is time to bring it. Just getting a little old school with the group. They always get behind me. It was good to bring it up and break it down with the guys. That's something I always look forward to. To have a game under my belt, you have no idea how big it is for me mentally. For me to be able to walk off the field after a game.

Cornerback Donte Deayon
Postgame vs. Jets, August 26, 2017

Q: Did you think about redeeming yourself from the punt from the last time you played here?

A: I have a short-term memory, so that play has been out of the window. Day by day, I keep trying to stack good days and move forward.

Q: When that ball is in the air, what do you see?

A: I just read the quarterback. Robert [Thomas] got some good pressure on him. Jackrabbit [Janoris Jenkins] made a nice play and it popped in my hands. Then I was just trying to get into the end zone.

Q: Can you describe what you were feeling as you grabbed the ball and headed to the end zone?

A: Excitement. When you get a chance to score a touchdown, it's always exciting.

Q: When was the last time you scored a touchdown?

A: College. UConn. Pick six.

Q: Can you take us through the play?

A: I kind of bobbled it a little bit. I had to make sure I secured the catch first and then I took off running. I looked and saw that the quarterback wasn't going to be able to catch me. I was just excited to get in the end zone.

Q: What's the difference between you this year and last year?

A: Attention to detail. I've been in the playbook real heavy and trying to make sure I'm on top of things mentally. Then over the season, trying to physically get my body right so I don't have soft tissue injuries. My body and my mentality. I have had a year under my belt to figure things out and it's paying off.

Q: How important is it for you to show the versatility to play the slot and also special teams?

A: I think it's important to play in this league as not just a slot guy. You want to be able to show versatility whether it's special teams, outside or inside. You just want to be able to do it all for them and contribute to the team in any way possible.

Center/Guard Brett Jones
Postgame vs. Jets, August 26, 2017

Q: How do you feel like you did?

A: I thought I did some good things. I mean, there's things I always can work on. I'm excited to get back and watch the film and see what I can improve for next week.

Q: Do you feel like you're competing for a starting job?

A: I mean, I don't worry what the coaches' decisions are. I've just got to go out and perform and that's just the way I look at it. I control what I can control, and I'm going to go out and perform the best I can and execute at the highest level I can.

Q: It looked like as the game went on your blocking was better, did you feel that was the case?

A: You've got to see the film to see all the things, but just from the flow of the game from the first half, we were definitely moving the ball and doing some positive things. It's exciting. We're on the right track now, and we've just got to keep moving forward.

Q: Was this a good test for you?

A: Oh, definitely. Those are good players out there with 96 (DL Muhammad Wilkerson) and 91 (DL Sheldon Richardson) — those guys are good guys. They got a bunch of them, 92 (DL Leonard Williams) and 98 (DL Mike Pennel). I mean, that's the strength of their team — their front four. So, you want to go out and perform. It's an exciting challenge, but each and every week you're going to get an exciting challenge on the defensive front. That's just the NFL.

Q: Have you played a lot against 3-4 defenses?

A: In my time in the CFL, no. We don't see that very often, we don't have seven defenders usually in the box. In these last few weeks, we've played the Steelers, the Browns were a 3-4 team before. So, we were expecting that, and it's been good for us to see those fronts because we're going to see them later in the year with the defenses we're playing. So, I'd say I've had as much experience as some of the other guys, but definitely I'm prepared to go and play against those fronts.

Q: What's the biggest change for you, is it angles or having a guy over you?

A: Oh yeah, definitely, and the versatility of the fronts. You can do a lot of different things from that front. So it challenges you that way and schematically it's tough, but I think we had a good game plan and it was exciting.

Q: Do you look at this as an opportunity or a competition for that right guard job?

A: I mean, I just try to go out and play whenever I get the opportunity, and it was my opportunity today. So, I want to go out and play the best that I can. Last year was a little disappointing with that, and I just want to make sure that I learn from that experience and I'm prepared for now, and I'm excited for what the next few games are going to be. Yeah, it's exciting.

Safety Landon Collins
Postgame vs. Jets, August 26, 2017

Q: Can you talk about the big night that the defense had?

A: Yeah, we were just trying to make some plays and make game-changing plays and be one of those teams that can do that too.

Q: How much confidence does it give to you, the defense, after the way you played today? It's the final dress rehearsal before the regular season.

A: It's an understanding. We practice, we harp on it, it makes us feel confident that we know what we have to do, and we do it well.

Q: Do you feel like this was kind of exactly what you were looking for in this game from the defense?

A: I'm just looking for us to play fast, play sound, be on all our keys and play great defense like we've been doing, and take what we did last year into this year.

Q: Does it feel like you guys are ready for the regular season now?

A: Yeah, we were ready since week one. We've been ready, just ready to be there now.

Q: Can you bring us through the play on the pick. What did you see and how you make the play?

A: Just concept and studying, film study. I got it from Brandon Marshall, he told me to use the route. He's going to read his progressions and maybe throw from there and that's what he did. I sat on it, I knew what the concept of it was with them when they were in the bunch formation, and I broke on it from there.

Q: Is this defense where you want it to be heading into the regular season, given the starters might not all be out there at the same time in the fourth preseason game. Are you guys happy with where you are?

A: Yeah, we're definitely happy with where we're at. Definitely looking to grow, continue to grow and make big plays. Just ready to play all four quarters now and see what we could do. We got a half of it, try to see how we could do four now.

Wide Receiver Travis Rudolph
Postgame vs. Jets, August 26, 2017

Q: How do you think you played out there tonight?

A: I felt like I had a pretty decent game.

Q: What were you happy with?

A: The catch, of course. Just making a play.

Q: Can you take us through the play, what happened and how you made the catch?

A: That's just an effort play. I feel like when the ball is in the air, it's mine, so I have to go get it.

Q: Do you feel like you have established some good chemistry with QB Eli Manning that carried over to the game?

A: Yes, I did.

Q: What's the thing you feel you have improved on the most over this summer?

A: Just learning the whole playbook. When I first got here, it was more about thinking. Now, I'm just playing fast.

Q: You seem to be calm out there (on the field). Does big school (Florida State) experience play into it?

A: Yeah. Coming from Florida State, the offense is pretty similar to Florida State, but you have to go out there with confidence and play fast. You're not supposed to think, because when you think, bad things will happen.

Q: Have you gained confidence as this preseason and training camp has gone on?

A: Definitely. Just taking notes from Odell (Beckham Jr.), Brandon (Marshall), Sterling (Shepard) and a lot of veterans and gaining a lot of chemistry with everything.

Q: Did you think you had a chance to score on that play?

A: Yeah. Every time I get the ball, I feel like I have a chance to score. Unfortunately, I didn't.

Q: WR Sterling Shepard said he has to look at it, but it might be a fine (for not scoring).

A: Yeah, that might be a fine. We (the wide receivers) hold ourselves to make plays and finish off on them. It might be a fine, but we have to see.

Q: That would not be the most horrible way to lose a couple of bucks, right?

A: No, it's not a horrible way. It just drives you more to get the ball in your hands and score.

Q: It shows the standard to make great plays and even better ones, right?

A: Yeah, that's the standard.

Q: Is Sterling the only guy who decides that (a player gets fined)?

A: No, it's the whole (wide receivers) room. We have a board in our room, and we mark down fines for someone.

Q: Maybe Marshall would stick up for you.

A: We'll see.

Q: WR Dwayne Harris is pretty active in that, isn't he?

A: Oh, he's the toughest one, honestly.

Q: Does it add to all of you guys bonding?

A: Yeah. It's a great bond in the whole room. Like I said, it's brotherly love in there.

Q: Stick up for yourself, okay?

A: Definitely. I'm not just going to give in.

Q: When you were coming into this game as a starter, did you approach it differently? It must be hard not to be aware of the opportunities at stake.

A: No, it's the same thing. It's the same approach; coming in to the third, fourth or first quarter, it's the same approach. You have to make the best of every opportunity.

Q: Do you think you're showing your knowledge and your ability to be in the right place?

A: Yeah. It's not even just in the games; it's in practice, too. You have to earn the coach's trust to even put you out there. That's what it is.

Q: Do you sense that people are starting to notice you a little bit more? What has this been like?

A: Yeah, I guess so. I don't really think of it that much. I just want the coaches and the players to notice me.

Q: Does it make a difference to be on the field, whatever field it is, with QB Eli Manning?

A: Slightly. You just want to be right. You don't want to do the wrong thing. It is what it is, really.

Q: What happens if you do something wrong with Eli?

A: Nothing bad. He communicates with you. He talks it out with you just like, "Look, this is what you've got." He's one intelligent quarterback, one of the best to communicate.

Q: How helpful is it for a guy like you learning the ropes?

A: It's very helpful because it basically makes you feel comfortable. Coming out there and knowing that you have to go out with the 1's (starting group), it's really nerve-wracking at first. But he comforts you.

Q: Do you maintain the focus that you want to make this team? Or if you think that the roster gets too crowded, you want to show that you can make a team?

A: I'm just coming out and doing the best that I can do. It's all in God's hands and it's in coach's hands, so I'm just trying to come out and be who I can be.

Q: Do you feel good leaving the building tonight?

A: Yeah. I feel good.

Defensive End Jason Pierre-Paul
Postgame vs. Jets, August 26, 2017

Q: What is the difference between when you are playing well but not getting all of the stats, and the way you are when you accumulate stats?

A: I am just going to beat the person in front of me. That's the game of football. But at the same time, do your assignment. But 9 times out of 10, if you beat the person in front of you, you're going to be okay.

Q: In this game, a tune up for the regular season, is this the result you want to see from your play?

A: You just focus on getting better man. Honestly, I am just focusing on getting better. The players are. We are seeing great things, we just got to get better.

Q: What did you see on the safety?

A: I just saw the ball. Y'all liked that though, right?

Q: Ben [McAdoo] said the other day he wanted to see the defense go from good to great, do you think you guys are almost there?

A: Yeah, but we are going to need everybody man, not just the defense. Everybody, special teams, offense. We are going to go back and look at the film and see what we need to do better as a unit and we will correct those mistakes. That's what training camp is for, just figuring out the mistakes and getting rid of them.

Q: The defense scored half the points, 16 of the 32. Can you talk about that?

A: Yeah, you know, it's going to be like that sometimes. Great offenses take time.

Q: Do you think you can do better than your 16.5 career high sacks?

A: I think I can. Why? Do you want me to?

Q: You look like you're about to with the way you're playing.

A: I don't know. I am just getting warmed up though.

Q: Do you think the first team defense needs any work next Thursday or are you ready for Dallas?

A: I don't know.

K Mike Nugent
Postgame vs. Jets, August 26, 2017

Q: Did it feel good when you hit the 54-yard field goal?

A: Yeah, it came off my foot really well. I just did a good job of keeping my head down. I got to give it to the guys up front, the blocking is always great here. I've noticed that every day. My job is a lot easier when I get snaps and holds like I do with these two guys. So, it is nice going up to a field goal thinking everything else is going to be great. I just have to make sure to do my job.

Q: The next kickoff after the 54-yarder went out of the end zone, were you pumped up after making that one?

A: I think I was honestly just more under control. I think the first two I hit well, but not as good as I wanted to and I wasn't ecstatic about the placement on both of them and I just realized I have to be more under control and I need that to be on the first kickoff and not the third one.

Q: You basically have no control of when you are going to get out there, is getting two 50 yarders, the best-case scenario for you?

A: Yeah, especially in the preseason when you want to try to get as much exposure as possible. You don't know what is going to happen when the time comes when the roster has to go down so it's good to be able to put some good kicks on film and try to be the same player every day.

Q: What is your take on how this is going down? Neither one of you guys have missed a kick this pre-season.

A: I can't really speak for Aldrick [Rosas] but it has been a lot of fun I think. I talked to him the first day and it was like, when you work out, you like to be with someone else, when you run you like to be with someone else because you have somebody to compare yourself to. There are things that he does that I think to myself, 'he is doing that well, I got to do a better job of it', so I think we are both learning a lot from each other. At the end of the day, we only won by a point tonight, but its good we had all the points put on the board for our opportunities.

Q: Do you think it is important given your age that you can still make those long kicks?

A: I think so. Whether you are Adam Vinatieri or a rookie, that is what the preseason is for. You get a feel for everything. We talked a little bit this week about how the season can be a rollercoaster and hopefully as a kicker you can be the same player every day and make that pretty steady and not so much the ups and downs.

Q: Do you think your long-distance kicking might have been a question they might have had?

A: I wouldn't say strength-wise. That is the great thing and the tough thing about being a kicker. Everything is pretty black and white. It's either a make or a miss. There is no grey area. It is all very objective so, I am not ecstatic about my numbers over 50 so, I think it is something that I am definitely going to have to prove not only in practice, not only in preseason, but in the regular season as well. I have gotten myself in certain situation where I try to kick it harder, but it is like, 'hit the same ball', that is what I was taught from day one and I think I did a good job of that tonight and I just have to do that when the next time comes.

Q: You hit two long-distance kicks. Does that make you feel good about what the coaches and team think of you?

A: Yeah. It does. It's one of those things where you're lucky if you hit a 22-yarder or a 52-yarder so, whenever it is your turn, just make sure you do your job.

Q: Did you expect this competition to be so even?

A: I really didn't know how it would play out. I really didn't know because I have had preseasons before where I have been the only guy and I have attempted four field goals in four games and I have had others where I have attempted 12 or 14 so, I think one great thing is we are seeing a lot of situations. Getting some extra points in there tonight. I don't know how we are doing field goal wise, but I obviously know how accurate we have been with how many we've had. It's good we've seen a lot of situations. That's one thing that is great about the preseason and hopefully you get to the regular season and think, 'well we saw this two weeks ago.'

Q: It seems like it is going to come down to the wire.

A: It could. I can't speak for Aldrick, but I think both of us are doing a great job of coming in and doing our job when it is our turn and we have coaches that take great care of our bodies. I am not kicking a million balls a day, every day. So, I think that really plays a part in training camp especially when you are 35 years old. This organization has been great about kicking and things like that and making sure we are at our best when the time comes.

Giants Notebook

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Like so many NFL preseason games, the annual Giants-Jets MetLife Bowl Saturday night was a two-for-one special.

When the starters and key reserves played in the first two quarters, the Giants soared to a 29-3 halftime lead. In the second half, when many players who won't make the regular-season roster got their turn, the Giants were outscored, 28-3. The Giants won, 32-31, when Jets rookie running back Elijah McGuire was stopped by several defenders on a two-point conversion attempt with 1:26 remaining in the game.

The Giants improved to 1-2 this month, and enjoyed celebrating their first victory. But more importantly were the numerous positive developments and performances the Giants can point to with their regular-season opener just two weeks away.

*After losing two games without scoring a touchdown, the Giants reached the end zone three times, two on interception returns by Landon Collins and Donte Deayon, and on Orleans Darkwa's one-yard run. They also got field goals of 50 and 54 yards from Mike Nugent and 24 yards from Aldrick Rosas, and a safety when Jason Pierre-Paul tackled Matt Forte in the end zone.

*Eli Manning played only the first quarter — a shorter than normal stint for a third preseason game — and completed seven of 14 passes for 121 yards. He threw an interception on the Giants' first series when he faced a heavy rush from Sheldon Richardson and his pass for wide receiver Roger Lewis, Jr. was picked off by Justin Burris.

The Giants played without four injured wide receivers — Odell Beckham, Jr. (ankle), Brandon Marshall (shoulder), Dwayne Harris (upper body), and Tavarres King (ankle).

"I think we've got some weapons and I thought (wide receiver) Sterling Shepard and (tight end) Evan (Engram) did a good job tonight," Manning said. "Roger Lewis made some plays, (wide receiver) Travis Rudolph made some plays. Those guys have been here the whole time, been practicing, making plays in practice, and it showed up today in the game."

*Manning was followed, in order, by Josh Johnson, Geno

Smith and rookie Davis Webb, who combined to complete 11 of 20 passes for 138 yards.

*Rudolph, a rookie free agent from Florida State, joined Shepard and Lewis when the first-team offense deployed three receivers and led the team with three catches for 81 yards. That included a 57-yard catch-and-run from the Giants' nine when he outjumped cornerback Darryl Roberts for the ball and ran for an additional 34 yards. The ball was thrown by Johnson.

"That's just an effort play," Rudolph said. "I feel like when the ball is in the air, it's mine, so I have to go get it."

"I thought he did some good things — he was productive," McAdoo said of Rudolph's performance. "I thought there were some contested balls that he should've come down with, but he made the most of his opportunity; he had a chance to shine, and he took advantage of it."

*There was intrigue on the offensive line. When the Giants came out for their second offensive series, Brett Jones replaced John Jerry at right guard. Jerry had missed the block that enabled Richardson to pressure Manning. But McAdoo said the switch was planned prior to the game. D.J. Fluker later became the third right guard to work with the other starters. Jones later played center on the second line.

"We had a few guys we rotated in there with the first group on the offensive line (including rookie Chad Wheeler at left tackle)," McAdoo said. Asked if Jones has a chance to take Jerry's job, McAdoo said, "We're going to go back, we're going to look at the film, and when we get to the first regular season game, we're going to put the best group out there that we feel can help us win."

Jones can play either guard position, as well as center.

"That's my job," Jones said. "I have to be able to go in there and be able to go when I'm called upon. I'm excited for any opportunity to go in. It's my chance to go in and my opportunity. I'm going to do the best that I can. It's exciting."

*In addition to the safety, Pierre-Paul had a sack. "I am just getting warmed up," JPP said.

*Collins, who led the starters with four solo tackles, scored the easiest touchdown he'll ever have when he stepped in front of tight end Eric Tomlinson, picked off Christian Hackenberg's pass and ran 23 yards to the end zone.

"I kind of just baited him into it," Collins said. "Just kind of sat back and triggered when I saw the ball release. My eyes got very big. I said, 'Oh, it's just me, ball and green grass.'"

*Deayon, who was on the Giants' practice squad for the first six weeks of the 2016 season, helped his bid to make the roster when he grabbed a Hackenberg pass that Janoris Jenkins tipped away from Robby Anderson and returned it 36 yards for a touchdown late in the second quarter.

"I kind of bobbled it a little bit," Deayon said. "I had to make sure I secured the catch first and then I took off running. I looked and saw that the quarterback wasn't going to be able to catch me. I was just excited to get in the end zone."

*Nugent, a 13-year veteran who is competing with Rosas, kicked two long field goals and followed each with a touchback, which he admitted was a best-case scenario for him.

"Especially in the preseason, when you want to try to get as much exposure as possible," he said. "You don't know what is going to happen when the time comes when the roster has to go down, so it's good to be able to put some good kicks on film and try to be the same player every day."

"He kicked the heck out of the football today," McAdoo said. "He made a nice long one there for us on the 36-yard line — that's big for us. Both kickers did a nice job today."

*The Giants did not escape the game unscathed. Cornerback Eli Apple left the game with an ankle injury and defensive tackle Jay Bromley with a sprained knee. Running back Shaun Draughn suffered a concussion and neck injury, and defensive lineman Evan Schwan was carted off late in the game with a lower leg injury.

*McAdoo said Beckham and Marshall underwent treatment yesterday. Beckham did not watch the game from the sideline because the medical staff wanted him off his feet.

*The Giants' game captains were Manning, Jonathan

Casillas, Zak DeOssie, Damon Harrison, Shane Vereen and Kerry Wynn.

*In addition to the four wide receivers, three other Giants did not suit up for the game: linebackers Keenan Robinson (concussion) and Mark Herzlich (stinger), and cornerback Michael Hunter (concussion).

*The Giants have won two straight MetLife Bowls, but trail in the preseason series, 25-24-1.

Giants Notebook II

By Michael Eisen
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Ben McAdoo said today he has not chosen the Giants' placekicker or backup quarterback, the two position decisions that have received the most scrutiny in the preseason.

All of the contestants had an opportunity to state their case last night, when the Giants edged the Jets, 32-31, in the MetLife Bowl. The Giants have one more preseason game, Thursday night in New England, before they must reduce their roster from 90 players to the 53-man regular-season limit.

Mike Nugent, the 13-year veteran signed on Aug. 1, kicked field goals of 50 and 54 yards and an extra point, and had two touchbacks on four kickoffs. First-year pro Aldrick Rosas kicked a 24-yard field goal and two PATs, and had two touchbacks on three kickoffs.

"We just keep on competing," McAdoo said. "We have a short week here to get ready to go, and we'll just keep on competing."

At quarterback, Josh Johnson relieved Eli Manning, who played only the first quarter. Johnson completed four of six passes before giving way to Geno Smith in the third quarter. Smith hit five of 10 passes for 51 yards. Rookie Davis Webb played the final three series, including one in which he had three kneel-downs. Webb threw only four passes, completing two for 20 yards.

"We're still not in a position to say who the number two is," McAdoo said. "Thursday night we're hoping it cleans itself up."

Can Webb still capture the No. 2 job? "Never say never," McAdoo said.

*Will Manning play against the Patriots? "We'll handle the play time very similar to the way we handled it in last year's fourth preseason game," McAdoo said. Manning did not play in that game.

*Asked about potential changes on the offensive line, McAdoo said, "We're going to continue to evaluate. Brett Jones and D.J. Fluker (both at right guard) and rookie Chad Wheeler (left tackle) all played with the first unit last night.

"I thought Jones and Wheeler and Fluker jumped in there and did a nice job," McAdoo said, "and they're

competing at a high level."

*The Giants played without four injured wide receivers: Odell Beckham, Jr. (ankle), Brandon Marshall (shoulder), Dwayne Harris (upper body) and Tavarres King (ankle). But the four quarterbacks completed 18 of 34 passes for 259 yards, and 12 different players caught at least one pass.

"We were confident going into the game with the players that we have on the roster," McAdoo said. "We feel like we have some tight ends and some receivers, even with the caliber of the players we had out, that can get open. I think it showed up that we need to be better against press coverage with those players. We'll address that in the room tomorrow, but I feel we had some guys step up and take advantage of their opportunities."

*McAdoo was asked "how likely" it is for Beckham and/or Marshall to be on the practice field this week.

"We'll see," he said. "We practice tomorrow, and we'll get up in the morning and see how they respond to what's going on medically, the treatment that they're getting, and if they're able to go, we'll practice them."

*Linebacker J.T. Thomas played in second half, his first game action since last Sept. 11, when he tore his ACL in the season opener in Dallas.

"Great to get some reps in, some live-game reps," Thomas said. "There is nothing like those game reps. It was good to be back out there with the guys. Being around the guys definitely gave me a lot of energy. Now, it will just be about stacking up days and being back on the field again. Working my way back up into my normal role. Special teams, being able to be more consistent. Today was the first step for me and I look forward to the next opportunity."

"It was good to see J.T. out there," McAdoo said. "He was flying around. He actually got knocked off his feet one time on the boundary and bounced right back up. That was great to see. I think that's a major hurdle when you're coming back from an injury. But if you can go down and then pop right back up, that's a big moment for J.T."

Despite Thomas' late start, McAdoo said he "absolutely" has a chance to make the team.

*Injuries from the game: cornerback Eli Apple (ankle), defensive tackle Jay Bromley and safety Duke Ihenacho (sprained knees), and rookie defensive Evan Schwann (foot fracture).

With first catch of summer, Brandon Marshall shows Giants (and himself) he's not done yet

By Art Stapleton
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Brandon Marshall has played 11 previous seasons in the NFL and caught 941 passes for 12,061 yards and 82 touchdowns, reaching the Pro Bowl six times in his career.

Yet when the horn sounded during practice Saturday and the Giants lined up for their first 7-on-7 drill of training camp, Marshall promises he broke the huddle with one thing on his mind:

At 33, the newest Giants wide receiver still had something to prove.

"I mean, you hear a lot of talk about being over 30 and there's an extreme drop off, so for me, that play was awesome because it was the first play of, really, training camp, the first time going against the defense," said Marshall, on his fifth team after playing for the Broncos, the Dolphins, the Bears and most recently the Jets, who released him in March. "Being the new guy, you want to prove yourself and then secondly I want to prove to myself that I could still do it. So making a play that could possibly end up on, maybe not the Top 10 [on highlight shows], but maybe the Top 20 plays [of the day], it feels good.

"It was like, 'OK, I can still do this.'"

This was only the second practice of training camp, of course, but as far as introductions go, the connection from Eli Manning to Marshall was the perfect way to start.

Giants Pro Bowl cornerback Janoris Jenkins was step for step in coverage against Marshall along the left sideline, exactly the kind of competition you would expect between two players on whom the team will count on immensely in order to realize its goal of reaching Super Bowl LII in Minnesota seven months from now.

With Manning's throw in the air, Marshall stopped at the top of his route and in one motion used all of his 6-foot-4 frame to high-point the football, coming down with the catch to the roar of the crowd - a Giants' crowd - for the first time.

"Well, it was nice to see on the first play of training

camp, he gets a ball thrown to him and makes a nice play," Giants coach Ben McAdoo said. "There's going to be a learning curve there [within a new offense], there will be some ups and downs like there are. But Brandon's played a lot of football, and we're confident that he'll come a long way fast. He's a tremendous communicator. There's a lot of teaching and learning going on both ways: coach to player, player to coach, player to player. That always helps, and being a great communicator is important, so that'll help facilitate the process."

Beckham put on a show of his own Saturday, following up his declared hope of being the highest-paid player in the NFL and co-owner and team president John Mara again proclaiming his desire that the star wide receiver would never play for a team other than the Giants.

On the first play of 11-on-11 drills, Manning fired deep for Beckham, who ran under the pass and sprinted into the end zone for a long touchdown. He followed that up with a nifty catch in traffic and a sliding catch in front of Eli Apple in another set of drills.

"He deserves to get paid, we're going to pay him," Mara said Friday. "It's just a question of when."

With Marshall and Beckham on the outside, the presence of Sterling Shepard in the slot and the potential of rookie Evan Engram at tight end, the Giants are certainly optimistic.

The Giants harbored great expectations heading into last season, but their offensive production left a lot to be desired. They failed to reach 30 points in any game and ranked 22nd in red-zone efficiency, converting touchdowns only 51 percent of the time.

So far they've impressed the defense tasked with trying to stop them every day this summer.

"In the NFL, you have to have at least three cornerbacks," Jenkins said, "but you might need five to cover those guys. And they come out and work man every day. You can see it as a defense everyone is getting better. Nobody is trying to take a step back or trying to be too much. It is all about getting better and having fun."

"That offseason grind is a hunger, and going out there training with those guys, it's like, 'OK, I see why,'" Deayon said. "I look at it as, we're going to make money, people are going to spend money, well, how are you going to spend it? They always tell us ways to save money, and I'm like, well, this is an investment in myself. Because I know if I come back in better shape and a better player, I've got a chance to make more money."

Deayon and fellow undrafted corner Michael Hunter have impressed enough in spring workouts to get the chance to show they can be trusted on special teams and in coverage if the need arises behind Janoris Jenkins, Eli Apple and Rodgers-Cromartie at the position.

The next month or so will be Deayon's opportunity to prove he deserves to be there in prime time Sept. 10 in Arlington when the Giants open against the Cowboys.

"I've got to be available and I've got to prove to them that I'm going to be available," Deayon said. "I'm going to be a better player today than I was yesterday, that's my mind-set. Everything I do matters in trying to make this team. I know I've got to earn my spot."

Giants' Damon Harrison looking for more sacks this season

By Tom Rock
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Damon Harrison's nickname is Snacks. This year he'd like to drop the N.

Harrison registered 2.5 sacks last season, more than he had in his first four NFL campaigns combined. That wasn't enough.

"I didn't have many sacks last year, so I'm gonna work my butt off this offseason, or I have so far, to change that," Harrison said. "If you ask me one thing that I'm changing from last year is I didn't have enough sacks."

He said he has a number in mind for a goal, but he chose not to disclose it.

"I want to break Jared Allen's record," he joked of the 22 registered by Allen in 2011. Giants Hall of Famer Michael Strahan holds the single-season record for sacks with 22.5 in 2001.

The key to getting even halfway to those numbers, or a quarter, is abandoning an element of Harrison's game that may sound surprising.

"Not being scared," the 350-pound All-Pro said.

Scared?

"I don't want to say I play scared, but I try to dominate in the run game so much that I end up with two hands on people a lot," Harrison said. "In passing situations that's the one thing you don't want to do is have both hands on someone because you are down the middle. You want to rush half the man. Just getting off the ball quicker, recognizing run and pass quicker as well."

If he can do that, Harrison may go from being regarded as the NFL's best run-stuffer to one of the league's premier overall defensive linemen.

Of course, there is one part of that plan that Harrison doesn't want to change: The way he celebrates.

"The Snack Dance is staying," he said of his moves after bringing down opposing quarterbacks.

He just hopes it shows up more often.

This Giant spent his summer in Vegas ... training with a Navy SEAL

By James Kratch
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Ben McAdoo recently said Romeo Okwara plays with “combatability.”

One, pretty sure that’s a made-up word. Two, the Giants’ head coach probably doesn’t realize how apt his invented term for the second-year defensive end is, considering Okwara just spent his summer training with an actual warrior.

After a strong rookie season that included five starts down the stretch after Jason Pierre-Paul’s season-ending core muscle surgery, Okwara told NJ Advance Media he prepared for his second year by working with Navy SEAL Steve Chyra of Red Road Training in Las Vegas.

“It was hot. But it’s a dry heat, so it’s not too bad,” Okwara said. “Once or twice a week, we’d do a workout in the pool with SEAL stuff. Controlling your breathing, trying to focus when you’re uncomfortable. Running underwater with weights, stuff like that.”

Okwara, who went undrafted out of Notre Dame, said he was connected to Chyra by some college friends. He worked with him last year and was eager to get back before this season.

Okwara earned a roster spot last year with a sensational preseason, including a sack of Patriots quarterback Tom Brady in the final exhibition game. He appeared in all 16 games, playing mostly on special teams before Pierre-Paul’s injury elevated him to the starting lineup.

“He’s a guy that, he plays with tremendous effort and combatability,” Okwara said. “He’s a big man that can run on special teams and he gets football, he’s a smart player.”

Okwara acquitted himself well in his starting stint, particularly his star turn in the Giants’ stirring 10-7 win over the Cowboys at home in Week 14, his first start after Pierre-Paul went down. Despite that, he said he doesn’t feel he enters this year’s training camp in any different a position.

“I mean, I’m still fighting,” Okwara said. “Nothing has changed.”

Okwara said he has “started from square one again” and his main focus is working on his fundamentals. He believes his training this summer will allow him to make noticeable gains.

The Giants have a training camp kicking competition between Mike Nugent and Aldrick Rosas. But when it comes to their Week 1 kicker against the Cowboys, there’s no guarantee either will get the nod. Here’s a look at veteran kickers who could become available at the end of the preseason.

“The main thing I try to focus on is consistency. Just being more consistent against the run, pass rushing and all the aspects of my game,” Okwara said. “You have to fight each and every day. Put good days together.”

Okwara certainly earned his roster spot last summer, but he was aided by a lack of depth at his position. The Giants won’t have that same issue this fall, at least on paper. They fortified their ends group this offseason by drafting Avery Moss and signing Devin Taylor, as well as re-signing Kerry Wynn and Pierre-Paul.

There will be an odd man or two out at defensive end this summer. It’s highly unlikely Okwara is in any danger of that sort of fate - he is one of the Giants’ more promising young players. He won’t think like that though.

“You just take it like another day. Injuries happen, so you’ve just got to step up to the plate and just play,” Okwara said, reflecting on last year’s stretch run. “I don’t think about it that way. It’s a new year. Anything can happen, especially in this game. Each and every day you have to go out there and compete, just try to do your best.”

Giants' Robert Thomas: It's my time to turn too many close calls into big opportunity

By Art Stapelton
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Robert Thomas figured it was only a matter of time.

Not that the Giants' defensive tackle would be challenging for a starting job, mind you, but that he'd get the call that the team was cutting him last season, ultimately becoming the sixth to do so since he entered the NFL undrafted three years ago.

Thomas was unable to practice, missing nearly six weeks with an undisclosed illness.

The longer he was sidelined, the less certain he was about his future with Big Blue.

"Honestly, I had thoughts that for as long as I was out, at some point they were going to come to me and say, 'OK, we've decided to let you go,'" Thomas told The Record and NorthJersey.com after Tuesday's practice. "The more I talked to the bigger guys around here, the more they kept explaining to me that, 'Hey, they really like you, don't give up, they're gonna keep you.'"

"So I just kept working, and when they called my name, I was gonna be ready."

And now?

"I really feel like I owe them my best," Thomas added with a smile.

That's exactly what the undrafted 6-foot-1, 331-pounder from Arkansas has offered since spring workouts when the Giants created quite the competition at the position among veteran Jay Bromley, rookie second-round pick Dalvin Tomlinson and him.

The departure of Johnathan Hankins to the Colts in free agency left a hole on one of the NFL's best defensive lines featuring Jason Pierre-Paul, Olivier Vernon and All-Pro Damon Harrison.

Well, some viewed the spot next to Harrison vacated by Hankins as a hole.

What Thomas saw was opportunity.

"Everybody knows it's open. It's not set in stone that anyone is the starter," Thomas said. "Everyone knows as long as you work and you go out and grind every day you got a shot for it, so you got to grind for it. ... When I'm out there, all respect to Snacks, OV and JPP, I feel like I can make plays, too."

Thomas, 27, had been with five other teams in three previous seasons, hopping from the practice squad to practice squad with the Redskins, the Seahawks, the Patriots, the Dolphins and the Panthers, with whom he spent the 2016 preseason.

"I was one of those guys that, everywhere I was, I was always so close to making the team and earning my spot, but the numbers' game always seemed to be working against me," Thomas said. "It wasn't like I wasn't doing good or anything, but there was always someone with a bigger contract or a real good player. I'd say to myself, what do I have to do to get over this hump and get rolling?"

When final cuts rolled around in Carolina last summer, Thomas found out close was not good enough again. Even after the Panthers informed him of his release, team officials and coaches told him to stick around. They were hoping to sign him to the practice squad and expected to do so until the Giants claimed Thomas on the waiver wire.

Yet just when he thought business was about to pick up with Big Blue, Thomas was forced to be patient again. He developed that illness -- "It wasn't life-threatening or career-threatening, but knocked me out for a while" -- and was not cleared until late October to resume practicing.

Thomas ended up playing in eight games, recording a sack in one of the season's biggest games when he decked Cowboys quarterback Dak Prescott in the Giants' 10-7 victory over Dallas at MetLife Stadium in December.

"[Thomas is] a big man," Giants coach Ben McAdoo said. "He's built low to the ground, he has that natural type of leverage. He's a little bit of a spark plug."

Tomlinson, 23, will certainly have a role when he gets up to speed, and from what he has shown thus far, that should be sooner rather than later. Bromley, 25, knows the Giants are counting on him to take a big step forward in his fourth season.

"I knew after Hank was leaving, it was down to me and Jay Bromley. I didn't know they were going to draft Dalvin," Thomas said. "That just makes it even tougher, everyone's battling for a job. I feel like they feel like they know what I can do. I feel they think I can play ball here."

Pushing for prime time, Deayon embraces Giant chance to turn popularity into production

By Art Stapelton
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No one has asked Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie for an evaluation yet, but he's already readied his pitch just in case team brass might ask.

Donte Deayon's popularity within the Giants' locker room is undeniable. His presence on the practice field is also noticeable as teammates gravitate toward him.

The undrafted cornerback from Boise State may be the smallest player on the Giants' roster, but there's plenty of admiration for his ability to get everything he can out of his 5-foot-9, 160-pound frame.

If only Deayon were two inches taller and, say, 20 pounds heavier.

But that isn't the world Deayon chooses to live in, certainly not as he refocuses on his NFL dream in the early stages of Giants' training camp this summer.

The 23-year-old offers no excuses, preferring not to deal in hypotheticals regarding his size. And truth be told, he refuses to believe it will hinder his chances to make the Giants' 53-man roster after spending his rookie season on the practice squad injured reserve due to a leg injury.

Rodgers-Cromartie, a 10-year veteran and two-time Pro Bowler, needs no convincing that Deayon belongs.

"There's no doubt in my mind that DD can play in this league," Rodgers-Cromartie told The Record and NorthJersey.com after practice Saturday. "I call him 'Dyno' because he's so dynamic — he's just got 'it.' Every tool that you need to be in this league: he's got the brains, he's got the athletic ability and he has the heart that goes with it. And the thing is, I think his heart is bigger than everything else. He doesn't look at his size. What he is, he's a guy that competes each and every day. I tell him, keep the main thing the main thing, and the main thing is do what you do."

"Because at the end of the day, look around — everybody loves you. Do what you do and you play hard all the time, and that's going to keep you around."

It's not uncommon to see Giants defensive coordina-

tor Steve Spagnuolo praise Deayon in practice. He did so Saturday, and not after what was a flash play during team drills when Deayon showed great closing speed on a crossing route before deflecting a pass intended for wide receiver Dwayne Harris.

During an 11-on-11 team session, Deayon stuck with rookie receiver Keeon Johnson from the snap, and with Johnson turning every which way on a play that turned into a scramble drill, he never gave an inch of space, forcing an incompletion.

Spagnuolo greeted Deayon almost immediately.

"I've gotta make this team. I have to make this team. That's my goal and I know I haven't made the team yet," Deayon told The Record and northjersey.com. "Whether I'm running with the ones, the twos, the threes, whatever it is, I haven't made the team yet. Nothing is guaranteed until that final cut down comes. Day in and day out, you know you've got to come and bring your 'A' game to practice. You can go from the top of the depth chart to the bottom from practice, not just games, and that's the biggest thing. I've got that hunger and I know what's at stake for me every single day."

Rodgers-Cromartie compares Deayon to Mike Adams, a former teammate of his with the Arizona Cardinals who played seven seasons in the NFL.

"He brings a lot of energy to our practice," Giants coach Ben McAdoo said of Deayon. "We like that about him. He gets football, he's been well-coached. He responds well to coaching. He's a competitive, fiery kind of guy. He's a good player for us."

The key to Deayon's staying power will be his durability. At his size, he's going to have to prove he can hold up from the physical rigors of the game at this level.

To that end, Deayon spent a week working alongside teammates Odell Beckham Jr. and Sterling Shepard in Los Angeles with renowned speed trainer Jamal Liggin last month.

With Liggin, Deayon worked on core strength, body control and his explosion in and out of breaks.

Giants' first-string defense picks up where it left off

By Tom Rock
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Landon Collins is coming off a Pro Bowl season. He was under consideration for Defensive Player of the Year. He had one of the most statistically impressive years an NFL safety has ever registered and emerged as a leader and force for an ascending Giants offense.

On Friday night, he played like a guy trying to make the team.

Rather than loaf through the preseason opener, glide around in the secondary for the handful of snaps that he was scheduled to play, then pack it in and watch from the veterans' virtual chaise lounges on the sideline, Collins set an early tone against the Steelers.

Possibly, too, it will set the tone for the season.

"We just have to showcase that we are still a force to reckon with," Collins said after an aggressive showing in which he made the first two tackles of the game, assisted on stuffing a run on the second drive, and prevented an end-around from becoming a big play.

"He likes to play football," Ben McAdoo said of the budding leader of the defense. "He's always around the ball. He has a nose for the ball. He's an animal when it comes to that."

The Giants lost the game, 20-12, but it was a night in which the starting defense provided a brief first glimpse of what they believe can become the best defense in the NFL this season.

"If we continue working as we work and continue working as a whole, working against that type of offense we have now [in practice], we're definitely going to be one of the best out there," Collins said. "We're not there yet."

Collins said one reason for his on-field aggressiveness is that he is not allowed to hit teammates like that in practice. "I can't unload like I want to on our guys," he said. "We got to protect them. We got to keep them for the next game. So when I get the chance to hit somebody else, I am putting all of my force into them."

It may have been against a Steelers team that started

a third-string rookie quarterback, rested Ben Roethlisberger and Antonio Brown, and is without holdout Le'Veon Bell, but the Giants were impressive nonetheless. The starters forced a pair of three-and-outs and had an interception on the first three Pittsburgh possessions.

It was exactly what they were supposed to do, playing almost all of their starters against Steelers backups (Jason Pierre-Paul and Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie sat out).

"We're just excited to see what we're capable of," middle linebacker B.J. Goodson said. "We just have to keep going out and keep doing it over and over and over again. That's the process."

It was far less easy to analyze the offense, but that might have been because of those who were not on the field. Eli Manning and Odell Beckham Jr. did not play, Brandon Marshall was on the field for one brief series and Sterling Shepard sat out the game as he continues to recover from an ankle injury. Those are the four most potent offensive players on the team.

The offensive line looked shaky in pass protection, but some of that was a result of Josh Johnson's play at quarterback. The group was much more productive with Geno Smith at quarterback with the second-teamers (although Smith was intercepted in the third quarter).

The full starting offense will get a chance to try to flex some preseason muscle at some point later this month. On Friday night, it was the defense's chance. And Collins'.

"I don't pressure myself into being better," the safety said of what he expects from 2017. "I pressure myself into working to get better. That just comes when the time comes. That's just my ultimate goal."

This was the first step toward it.

Notes & quotes: Aldrick Rosas kicked field goals of 27 and 52 yards in his quest to become the Giants' opening-day kicker as a first-year player . . . The Steelers scored the only TD of the first half after the Giants' CB Donte Deayon muffed a punt with 40 seconds left in the second quarter. That set up a 28-yard scoring pass against Valentino Blake (who had an interception earlier in the game).

Giants rookie TE Evan Engram has good first experience

By Tom Rock
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Evan Engram moves around a lot in the Giants' offense, but the rookie tight end came away from Friday's preseason opener with a sense of stability.

"I felt really at home out there," he said of his first NFL experience. "I felt really at home, I felt comfortable, and I can't wait to just keep building on tonight for the rest of the season."

The boxscore didn't show much for Engram. He caught one pass for 11 yards and had to wait until midway through the second quarter to even have a pass come his way. But he was most impressive as a blocker, the aspect of his game that is of most concern as he evolves from a spread offense in college to more of an in-line position with the Giants.

"I went head-up with a couple of big dudes out there," he said of his blocking. "I think I held my own pretty good. Maybe some stuff to work on, maybe some better steps here and there, but that's what film is for. I definitely felt I was physical and got in there when need be."

Engram seemed to be improving in training camp over the past week. He's been playing faster and with more confidence in the offense. He said he felt that continue in Friday's game.

"Knowing your stuff just makes the game a lot easier," he said.

And allowed Engram to enjoy the experience of his first NFL game a whole lot more.

"It's a dream come true," he said. "To be out here with these guys, it was really exciting. I can't honestly put it into words. It was just a really unique and amazing feeling."

"[Thomas is] a big man," Giants coach Ben McAdoo said. "He's built low to the ground, he has that natural type of leverage. He's a little bit of a spark plug."

Tomlinson, 23, will certainly have a role when he gets up to speed, and from what he has shown thus far, that

should be sooner rather than later. Bromley, 25, knows the Giants are counting on him to take a big step forward in his fourth season.

Aldrick Rosas, Mike Nugent neck-and-neck in Giants' kicking battle

By Tom Rock
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Ben McAdoo is so enthralled by the kicking competition between Aldrick Rosas and Mike Nugent that for a moment he was almost rooting against his own offense.

That was in the fourth quarter on Friday's preseason game against the Steelers when the Giants were down by eight and driving.

"We had the ball on the 35-yard line," McAdoo said on Saturday. "I wanted to kick it there, but I also wanted to give the guys the chance to go down and score to give us a chance to tie the ballgame."

The Giants turned the ball over on downs at the Steelers' 35.

The game was not without other kicking opportunities, including Rosas' 52-yarder. It was, Rosas said after the game, his first kick from 50 or more yards since high school. He also connected on a 27-yarder while Nugent was good from 30 and 45.

"It was exciting for [Rosas] to get out there and see him make that kick," McAdoo said of the 52-yarder. "All the players around him were excited, too."

Rosas and Nugent remain stride-for-stride with each other in the competition, which is sure to be cranked up throughout the remainder of training camp.

"The positive thing," McAdoo said, "is we have one heck of a battle going on at the kicker spot."

Sack stance

The Giants allowed seven sacks in Friday's game, including three to Josh Johnson who was playing behind the starting offensive line. McAdoo, though, said that was not entirely the fault of the blocking.

"It wasn't all the offensive line, but we did have some push," McAdoo said, defending a unit that is under scrutiny this preseason. He chalked the sacks up to "some wide receiver errors," the quarterbacks holding onto the ball too long and Geno Smith at one point running out of bounds behind the line of scrimmage.

Still, seven is way too many.

"We need to eliminate the number of sacks that we had in the ball game," McAdoo said.

Giant steps

The Giants seemed to start the game off well on offense with a 7-yard run by Paul Perkins, but McAdoo wanted more. "Perkins was one-on-one with the safety, and we need more than seven yards there," he said. "He has to make him miss, and he has to run him over. We have to at least get a first down on that play" . . . McAdoo said many of the players who sat out Friday's game with injuries — including WR Sterling Shepard (ankle), WR Tavarras King (ankle), LB Mark Herzlich (stinger) — will begin getting "back in the mix" at practice on Sunday . . . Rookie LB Jimmy Herman, who was signed on Friday, was waived. He played two special teams snaps for the Giants on Friday night.

Giants rookie report: DT Dalvin Tomlinson impresses in debut

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The Giants' rookie class was on display for the first time in Friday's 20-12 loss to the Steelers in the pre-season opener. Here's a review of the six draft picks and some of the undrafted free agents:

TE Evan Engram

Engram had a quiet debut after a strong showing in practice last week. The first-round pick had one catch for 11 yards that ended with Engram twisting precariously in the air. Engram played 23 snaps. He was the second tight end alongside Rhett Ellison for a few snaps with the first-team offense and he was the top tight end with the second-team offense in the second quarter. Engram's blocking didn't stand out, although he and right guard John Jerry collided on one running play that got blown up in the backfield. Engram lined up in the backfield, in-line and in the slot.

DT Dalvin Tomlinson

Tomlinson had the most impressive debut of the Giants' rookies. The second-round pick logged 27 snaps, mostly with the second-team defense. Tomlinson finished with four tackles and was constantly in the Pittsburgh backfield. He also drew a holding penalty.

QB Davis Webb

Webb came in with 6:39 remaining and engineered two drives. His first throw sailed high, as he was clearly too hyped up for his debut. But Webb settled down, completing 8-of-16 passes for 67 yards on mostly safe throws while playing with the third- and fourth-team offenses. Webb showed impressive mobility, repeatedly extending plays outside the pocket. He threw a pretty fade to Keon Johnson that was broken up by a Steelers defensive back.

RB Wayne Gallman

Gallman ran hard, but didn't get much help from his blockers. He finished with 11 yards on five carries, but he often had no room to run.

DE Avery Moss

Moss had a quiet night in 20 snaps with the third-team defense. He finished with two tackles, and there were no

plays that jumped out positively or negatively.

OL Adam Bisnowaty

Bisnowaty struggled, repeatedly giving up pressures off the edge. He appeared to get away with one false start and then left no doubt on another when he came off the line comically early. Bisnowaty's rough outing should quiet the talk of him being ready to push for the starting right tackle job.

Here's a rundown on the Giants' undrafted free agents:

- Wide receiver Travis Rudolph has had a solid camp, but he had a rough night on Friday. He fumbled a kickoff return, was called for a block in the back and wasn't on the same page with quarterback Geno Smith on a third-quarter interception.

- Call off the left tackle competition. There was some intrigue when Chad Wheeler got reps with the first-team offense in Wednesday's practice, but the rookie showed on Friday that he's nowhere near ready for prime time. Wheeler was beat repeatedly, allowing two sacks and two hurries, according to Pro Football Focus.

- Linebacker Calvin Munson is a player to keep an eye on. Munson played 29 snaps at linebacker and recorded five tackles. But Munson isn't going to make the team for his linebacker play. His path to a roster spot is special teams and Munson was on the first-team of all four core units. Munson showed up by recovering Rudolph's fumble on a kickoff return.

- Fullback Shane Smith got eight snaps with the first-team offense. He was the lead-blocker on a fourth-and-1 conversion and had a nine-yard catch. Smith also played nine snaps on special teams. If the Giants elect to carry a fullback, Smith is in the driver's seat.

- Keon Johnson showed good explosion, catching a wide receiver screen and picking up 16 yards on a third-and-16.

- Wide receiver Jerome Lane impressed with two catches for 27 yards, including a 19-yard gain that featured a broken tackle.

- Cornerback DaShaun Amos got beat deep twice but was fortunate that the throws were off the mark.

- Cornerback Nigel Tribune had a big stick on a kickoff return.

A Giants title in 2017? Hey, it'd be peak Eli (again)

By Ian O'Connor

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Eli Manning has not won a single postseason game in 66 months, about the same amount of time it took Tolstoy to write "War and Peace." Manning is 36, and the New York Giants have acknowledged preparing for life without him. For the first time they have drafted a quarterback, Davis Webb, who could be a legitimate threat to take Eli's job.

Manning's 51.8 Total QBR last season ranked 27th in the league, five spots behind Brock Osweiler and four behind Colin Kaepernick. Manning ranked 17th, 14th, and 27th in his three preceding seasons. What does this all mean?

Eli Manning has you right where he wants you in 2017.

Why? He's one of the least likely big-city stars and probable Hall of Famers that the modern NFL has seen, that's why. Manning has been the master of the improbable for most of his career, and it sure seems improbable that he'll be good enough this season, or any remaining season, to become only the fifth quarterback to win at least three Super Bowl rings and the third to win at least three Super Bowl MVP awards.

Little about Manning's career has made much sense, starting with the fact that he's rightfully considered a clutch, big-game player despite his failure to win any playoff games in 11 of his 13 seasons. Manning has won as many as 12 games only once in his career. He has never struck people as the most rugged pocket passer, yet he's one snap away from becoming the third quarterback to make at least 200 consecutive regular-season starts. He has never struck people as the most elusive target, yet for all of the athletic marvels who have won championships -- from Roger Staubach to Steve Young to John Elway to Aaron Rodgers -- Eli is responsible for the greatest escape of all, on the David Tyree helmet catch against the 18-0 New England Patriots in Super Bowl XLII.

Forever projecting a quiet, retreating vibe, Eli would seem to be the least likely Manning, or SEC quarterback, to embrace New York life as much as Alabama's Joe Willie Namath did. Yet this former Ole Miss quarterback loves his New Jersey home and his new mansion in the Hamptons so much, his father Archie said, that Eli "doesn't even come back to Mississippi anymore. He

used to come back for two months to Oxford, where he built a house. But we kid him now. We tell him, 'You're a New York guy.'"

Manning secured his no-trade clause for a reason. He was dying to spend his entire career with the team that suited up his paternal grandfather's favorite player, another Ole Miss guy named Charlie Conerly. "From the get-go," Archie said, "Eli has been in love with the New York Giants."

The youngest of three boys raised in New Orleans (Cooper is the oldest), Eli was always a bit different, his old man said. He was the only son who would go antique shopping with his mother Olivia. He's the only Manning son who enjoys studying wine.

Early on, after Giants general manager Ernie Accorsi made the 2004 draft-day deal with San Diego to acquire Manning, the No. 1 overall pick, it didn't appear that Eli's aw-shucks act would last long on Broadway. In his first three seasons under former Giants coach Tom Coughlin, Manning almost seemed too oblivious to the noise around him. "I'm not sure he knew one writer from another," his father said. Archie, a former New Orleans Saints quarterback, appreciated his son's carefree demeanor and generally saw it as an asset in such a high-pressure market. But at times even he grew frustrated with Eli's room-temperature approach.

"One day I called him and left him a message," Archie recalled, "and I said, 'Eli, Tiki (Barber) just blew up Coach Coughlin. You need to know that. Someone's going to ask you about it.'"

In the second half of the 2007 season, Archie was struck by an ominous thought. "I don't know who they're going to run out of town first up there," he asked himself, "Eli or Coach Coughlin?" Two months later, Eli and Coach Coughlin beat Tom Brady and Bill Belichick in what Giants owner John Mara called the greatest victory in franchise history. Four years later, Manning and Coughlin did it again to Brady and Belichick, who are 5-0 against all other Super Bowl opponents. Mara said after that second title that Manning is likely the Giants' best offensive player of all time.

The postseason drought ever since has been painful. Coughlin was forced out, and the Giants' long-awaited return to the playoffs last season was a one-and-done dud defined by Odell Beckham Jr.'s meltdown and -- after his infamous Miami boating trip with some teammates -- the popular postgame take that he'd left his talents in South Beach. Manning has weathered it all. Now he looks up and down the Giants' roster and sees a potentially great defense, a frighteningly good secondary, and a pair of new receivers in Brandon Marshall and tight end Evan Engram, the first-round pick out of (where else?) Ole Miss, who could make Beckham's life easier and give Eli his best shot yet to win ring No. 3.

"That's the goal," he told ESPN.com. "I feel we're putting together a special group of guys right now."

Manning doesn't use words like "special" for public consumption unless he means it.

"The culture, obviously, with the Giants is always good," he said, "and ownership is always going to do everything possible to put a winning team together. So I think there's a chance, and now it's a matter of, we've got to do our jobs."

Not many stars have done their jobs in the New York market with fewer missteps than Manning. He has tried to follow the Derek Jeter model, the stay-out-of-trouble-at-all-costs model, but nobody, not even Jeter, spends a full career in the big city without getting nicked along the way. The Yankees' captain got a little dirt on his uniform over his contentious relationship with Alex Rodriguez, and over an ugly contract standoff with management as his career was ending.

Manning? He has been named in a memorabilia fraud lawsuit that alleges the quarterback and the team passed off game-used helmets and jerseys that weren't, you know, used in a game. Manning angrily denied any wrongdoing and asked that people consider his track record when shaping their opinions about the case.

That track record, Manning said after a practice this week, was born of his philosophy from day one of consistently playing to a low-volume beat. "You just try not to get overwhelmed with everything going on, and New York can do that to you," Manning said. "And the media and just, you're kind of pulled this way and that way, and answering questions and ... anything you say is going to be a headline, or anything someone else says is going to be a headline. You just can't let it get you up and down. If you're worried about it, it's just going to drive you crazy. ... That's how I've always been, and I never let it change me."

The retired executive who made him a Giant, Accorsi, is thrilled that Manning never changed. If he hadn't made that draft-day deal with the Chargers, Accorsi would've taken Ben Roethlisberger over Philip Rivers with the fourth pick. Roethlisberger's coach at Miami of Ohio, Terry Hoepfner, told Accorsi he badly wanted Big Ben in the Big Apple, but the Giants' GM liked Manning a tad more. Accorsi's scouting report on Eli said the Ole Miss quarterback had "a chance to be better than his brother." Eli was never Peyton, but he did honor another part of that narrative.

"Has courage and poise," Accorsi wrote. "In my opinion, most of all, he has that quality you can't define. Call it magic."

Thirteen years later, despite the 2-2 Roethlisberger-Manning score in titles and the fact that the Giants surrendered their 2005 first-rounder -- San Diego picked Shawne Merriman, though the Giants still ended up with Corey Webster, Justin Tuck and Brandon Jacobs in that draft -- Accorsi wouldn't take a do-over. He was worried in the early years when the fans and the media were all over the quarterback. Accorsi would occasionally go out to dinner in Hoboken, New Jersey, and look over at the building Manning lived in at the time and figure the poor guy was holed up inside, half-afraid to come out. "And I'm the one who put him here," the GM would say.

But time and a couple of ticker-tape parades changed everything. So did Eli's staggering durability. Manning has made 16 starts a dozen consecutive seasons; Roethlisberger has made 16 starts only three times. "And the most remarkable thing to me," Accorsi said, "is if you picked one guy to miss no games, you would've picked Roethlisberger. He's built like a linebacker."

Another weird Eli truth in a career of many. Though not swift or terribly athletic, Manning rarely takes a direct hit. He knows when to get rid of the ball and when to go down before impact, because he understands there's no bigger drop-off in sports than the drop-off between the first-string and second-string quarterbacks in the NFL. In the end, a franchise quarterback's most valuable talent is the talent for staying on the field. If he remains healthy this season, Manning will surpass his older brother's run of 208 consecutive regular-season starts and land second on the all-time list behind Brett Favre's untouchable streak of 297 straight.

Eli has never been an individual numbers guy. "But I do take pride in that one," he said. "If there's any stat, being there each and every week is something I'm proud of and work hard at doing. ... I know I'm going to do everything I can to be there every Sunday for my teammates."

Manning's inner flame burns hotter than his facial expressions ever let on. His offensive coordinator for the two titles, the retired Kevin Gilbride, found out during a practice session in the pre-glory years, when the defense was dominating the offense and doing some heavy trash-talking to boot. An infuriated Gilbride confronted Manning, who looked as dispassionate as ever. "You can't let this happen," the coordinator screamed. "You've gotta compete. It's got to bother you. Everything we do is important, and you need to feel, 'I've got to win this thing.' I don't feel it with you."

And then Manning shot Gilbride a look he'd never seen before. A look that said, You have no idea how much this means to me.

Gilbride said he has seen no discernible deterioration in Manning's skills, and unequivocally believes Eli has a third ring in him. He loves the quarterback's receivers. Asked if these are the best playmakers Manning has ever had, including the 2007 and 2011 championship teams, Gilbride said, "I won't say that because those were my guys. But if I were you, I'd probably look at it differently than what I'm saying publicly. That's as far as I'll go."

Manning wouldn't rank one group of skill-position players against another, but it's clear he knows what he has. Marshall, the newcomer opposite Beckham, spoke of how his quarterback constantly challenges him to learn everything that needs to be learned about head coach Ben McDoo's system. Marshall said Manning will emerge from the showers wearing only a towel and suddenly start giving him signals for calls at the line of scrimmage. "He's probably the most detailed quarterback I've been around," said the 12-year veteran.

If Manning gets some help from an offensive line that appears to be the team's weakest link, he could join Brady (five Super Bowl titles), Joe Montana (four), Terry Bradshaw (four), and Troy Aikman (three) in the exclusive three-or-more club. Asked what he thought another championship would do for his legacy, Manning said he hasn't thought of a prospective title in an individual context. He said he wants to win one for all the players and coaches in the building who have never experienced that feeling.

Manning suggested he might have one or two more cracks at it than most observers might suspect. He told ESPN.com he thinks he can play at least until he turns 40. "Yeah, I think sitting here right now, I think I can play another four years," Eli said. "That's the way the body feels."

Archie Manning said that he has "seen a lot of fire in Eli" of late, and that his youngest boy "threw the stew out of the ball this summer" at the Manning Passing Academy. When it's mentioned to Archie that Davis Webb could be to Eli what Jimmy Garoppolo is to Brady -- an heir apparent waiting for an opportunity -- the Manning patriarch said, "Well, Tom seems to be doing OK with it."

Of course, Brady never went 66 months without a post-season victory. That's why Accorsi's successor at GM, Jerry Reese, said Manning is "probably on the back nine" of his career.

But given his history, nobody should be shocked if this escape artist ends up behind the 18th green lifting another big trophy in the air.

Ben McAdoo shows Giants players 'Detroit' movie

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Ben McAdoo showed his players the movie "Detroit" on Tuesday night to emphasize one of the core values he constantly preaches to his team: empathy.

McAdoo had planned to show his team the film long before this week's white nationalist rally, violence and murder in Charlottesville, Va. But screening a film about the 1967 race riots in Detroit and the persecution of black civilians and minorities was especially poignant given the unfortunate current context.

"It's definitely sad to see what's going on," offensive lineman Justin Pugh, an NFLPA player rep, said Thursday. "(Coach) McAdoo would always say our country is not perfect; there are things going on that are issues ... We watched a movie the other night, which was good for the team to watch and see what's going on. It's definitely a touchy subject."

McAdoo wants his players always to put themselves in another person's shoes, to understand as opposed to judge.

D.J. Fluker, another offensive lineman, called the movie "a big eye-opener."

HUNTING SEASON

Corner Michael Hunter has asserted himself strongly in training camp as the Giants' top backup corner behind starters Janoris Jenkins, Eli Apple and Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie. Hunter even played in place of an injured Apple (ankle) with the first-team defense on Thursday, intercepting a Geno Smith pass intended for Roger Lewis and dominating corner DaShaun Amos out of bounds on the punt return team.

"He had a nice day today," McAdoo said of Hunter. "He made a nice play on the ball (and a) couple flashes on the ball from press coverage on a go route, which is tough to do and encouraging to see. He is a young player that is making gains."

Hunter, who played sparingly for the Giants last season as an undrafted rookie out of both Indiana and Oklahoma State, has had a consistently solid camp. He attributes his improved play to a better mastering of the play book, and said he's constantly focused on technique

and assignments.

Does the new film 'Detroit' risk a lawsuit from real-life cops?

He admitted his promotion Thursday may have shown "I guess they're taking note of" his performance, but Hunter is not resting at all.

"I have to keep earning my stripes," he said.

Giants' Sterling Shepard doesn't mind flying under the radar

By Tom Rock
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Forget about Sterling Shepard.

Seriously. That's what he wants.

Focus on Odell Beckham Jr., the rock star receiver and one of the NFL's most dynamic playmakers. Train the cameras on Brandon Marshall, the established veteran with close to Hall of Fame numbers who has come to the Giants in a last-ditch effort to reach the playoffs for the first time in his career. Fawn over Evan Engram, the rookie first-round pick who is expected to be a matchup nightmare for opposing defenses at tight end.

And ignore the player who was second on the team in passing targets last year, whose 65 catches for 683 yards and eight touchdowns were second among all NFL rookies in 2016.

"I don't mind it," Shepard said Thursday of his Mr. Cellophane persona. "That's kind of a good thing being under the radar. Don't pay attention to me on game day. I'd love it."

While the other Giants receivers have made headlines with one-handed grabs, quests to be the highest-paid player in the game and blunt talk of Super Bowls, Shepard had a very quiet summer. The biggest blip he created occurred when he rolled his ankle in a practice early in training camp. Once the injury was deemed mild, the story basically went away, too.

If Shepard were hobbling around in a boot, he'd be drawing more attention to himself than he currently is practicing with the team.

"As far as being noticed, I don't really care about any of that stuff," he said. "I'm just here to do my job and have a successful season."

His job, as he sees it, is to help those marquee names do theirs.

"That's my job, to free them up," he said. "If I'm catching balls over the middle, and Evan is as well, then they have to pay attention to that. Then they'll have to, I guess you'd say, pick your poison. [Beckham] demands a lot of attention and Brandon does as well. If we do

everything we're supposed to do, then we should have no problem moving the ball and being successful."

Shepard may be playing in shadows, dwarfed by the oversized personalities and production the Giants have as their two starting receivers. He may even see a decrease in his playing time and opportunities this season, as Engram is sure to take snaps away from him. The Giants want to be more diverse in terms of personnel, which means fewer three-receiver sets. Which means less work for the third receiver.

Even with that, though, Shepard thinks he can have a better season than he did as a rookie.

"We have a lot of guys who can go and we're definitely going to spread the ball around," he said, "but I feel like it could open me up if I do what I'm supposed to do."

The Giants certainly don't ignore Shepard. There was an almost audible exhale from the organization when the results of tests on that injured ankle came back as optimistic as they did. They know how important he is to this offense.

"I know we don't overlook him at all," cornerback Eli Apple said. "We know his role, his production. He was very productive for us last year, getting a lot of touchdowns for us . . . mostly in the red zone, too. He's a very good slot option for us and he can also play outside. He's very versatile."

Shepard came into the league fully confident that he would contribute right away. Beckham even tabbed him as the offensive rookie of the year before he played his first NFL snap. There was a lot of buzz around him.

"They don't draft you in the second round if they don't want you to make an immediate impact," he said. "I knew I was going to get that shot and I knew I was going to seize it. I didn't know exactly what numbers I'd put up, but I knew I was going to do something."

This year, that something may be a different thing. A quieter thing.

"I think he's more comfortable in the offense and comfortable with his role," Apple said. "I think he's going to have a huge year."

The fewer people who notice that, the better his season may be.

Giants defense hopes off-field chemistry translate to on-field success

By Tom Rock
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Steve Spagnuolo does not know how good or bad his defense will be this season. It's only three weeks into the preseason, they've been on the field against an opponent only for a handful of snaps, and there are plenty of concerns that need to be addressed.

The linebacker position, he said, is "revolving." The inability to stop long passes needs to be improved over last year. The Giants still have competition at defensive tackle and need to figure out depth issues at defensive end and cornerback.

But it's what Spagnuolo sees off the field that gives him the most hope for the upcoming season.

"I love the way these guys interact," the defensive coordinator said. "Around each other, they're a fun group."

That might not count for much in the NFL, but the Giants hope it's a harbinger. Chemistry cannot be coached or drilled into players. It must happen organically. And the Giants seem to have it.

Whether it is throwing dance parties in the locker room, gathering for a surprise dinner for Eli Apple's birthday last week or just hanging out on the field during practice, the Giants' defense seems to be a tight mesh of outgoing personae. They work hard, but they also know how to relax. And they relax together.

A good part of the reason for that esprit de corps comes from the success the group had last year and the fact that almost every significant piece to that group has returned.

"The group from a character standpoint is very much the same, in my opinion," Spagnuolo said. "They have the same personalities. I think they seem to be enjoying it a little bit more this time. I think we started enjoying it toward the end of last year, too."

That, not insignificantly, is when they started to play well. Well enough to drive the Giants to the playoffs. The Giants allowed a little more than 14 points per game in the final seven regular-season games.

Spagnuolo said it will take time for all of the pieces on

this year's team to come together, even though so many are returning. "The first quarter of the regular season, to me, is figuring out who you are and what you are and where everybody fits," he said. "Coaches, players, everybody. It's going to be an ongoing thing."

Given the head start the team has in that regard, though, it's not unreasonable to believe the jelling will happen sooner. It's why many of the players believe that this year's defense will be better than last year's. Giants videos

"You always want to get better. You don't want to stay the same," Jason Pierre-Paul said. "I think this is going to be a great defense."

Of course, the mood of the players and that bubbly personality will be a lot different if the Cowboys light them up in the opener. Or if the Giants are 0-2 and facing a must-win situation in Philadelphia in Week 3.

"It'd be a lot more fun if we're winning games," Spagnuolo said of the social fabric of his group. "This business is always fun if you win."

Sometimes it's also the other way. Winning begets fun, but fun can beget winning, too.

The Giants hope that's the case and that their preseason party atmosphere can hang around for the entire season.

Giants' Mike Sullivan: We're going only as far as O-line takes us

By Jordan Ranaan
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The New York Giants seem to know what everybody else already does about their team this season: They're going to be only as good as their offensive line allows.

The Giants struggled badly to score points last season, finishing 26th in scoring. They were 29th in rushing. Their offensive line was a major part of the problem.

General manager Jerry Reese added weapons (wide receiver Brandon Marshall and tight end Evan Engram) this offseason but brought back the same five starting offensive linemen. It was a calculated risk.

The Giants were able to make the playoffs last season with an offense that couldn't score points and an offensive line that didn't run block well and struggled to protect off the edges. They didn't win a playoff game.

Like the rest of us, the Giants seem to be aware they must improve in order to do any serious damage this season. They can go only so far, no matter how well the defense plays, if quarterback Eli Manning doesn't have ample time and there aren't holes for the running backs.

"All of the offensive line are determined. We know we're going to go as far as the offensive line goes," offensive coordinator Mike Sullivan said. "There has been improvement. We're not where we want to be but we have shown some progress and we're excited to take the next step."

The pressure is on. The Giants offensive line, which has been a weak spot for year, must take its game to an improved level.

The summer has been filled with ups and downs. The Giants starters had decent pass protection but ran for just 8 yards on six carries in the preseason opener. The interior, which is supposed to be the strength of the line, struggled in that contest. Left tackle Ereck Flowers performed adequately but has struggled badly at times this summer.

Flowers is a legitimate concern, as is the entire line and its depth. The Giants ran for 3.2 yards per carry and allowed seven sacks last week against the Pittsburgh

Steelers. It's not as if there are quality options waiting in reserve if Flowers falters. The backup tackles are an undrafted rookie and a sixth-round pick. There are reasons to be skeptical about the unit's potential, most notably when considering last season with the same five players.

But the Giants think they have made progress this summer. Right tackle Bobby Hart has looked improved in his third year with the team, and the group has another year of experience together.

"I'm excited about the direction that we're headed in," starting left guard Justin Pugh said. "Just watching the game film, we're doing some good things. It has to transition to the games, though. I'm excited about going out there this week and getting some game action."

There is plenty of room for improvement from last year. Pugh was injured and missed five games. Even when he returned, he wasn't at 100 percent. He's had better years. Center Weston Richburg played through a hand injury and didn't have his best season, either, while Flowers and Hart struggled as pass protectors on the outside.

As a result, the Giants see potential for the line to be exponentially improved. Flowers in particular has the most room to grow, and the team insists he's making gains. The Giants have gone to great lengths to make it known he's doing better.

"Ereck, I thought, was a bright spot in the game versus the first opponent we played," coach Ben McAdoo said. "I think he got his hands inside, had a couple nice strikes and punches. I thought he was bending pretty well, and I look forward to him taking a jump this week."

Sullivan also praised Flowers' performance. He noted a specific play at the 10- or 12-yard line on which Flowers' pass protection was picture perfect. The young tackle followed that up with some rough practices earlier in the week.

But the Giants (at least publicly) have remained confident that Flowers is improving. It has been the same for the offensive line, likely in part because the team is aware just how integral the unit will be to the overall success this season.

It may be preseason, but Giants' Evan Engram is pumped for games

By Tom Rock
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Evan Engram came off the field on Aug. 11 buzzing about his first NFL experience.

"It really kind of hit me in that moment," he said of his initial taste of professional football, the stadium and the lights and the atmosphere. He'd made it, a childhood dream come true.

So his second game on Monday night will be a little bit more back-to-business for the Giants' first-round pick? Focused more on execution than emotion?

"No," the 22-year-old tight end said. "It's still going to be kind of nerve-racking and exciting. I'm really pumped about it. It was a really cool feeling out there, getting out there and having your uniform on and being out there warming up . . . I don't think that's ever going to go away."

Engram said he tries to use that adrenaline to his advantage.

"I think it adds to my game, the eagerness to do well and get out there and run around to make plays," he said. "I think all that adds into my performance."

There are drawbacks, though.

"I had to lock in," he said. "Just being out there, I was kind of wide-eyed and a little nervous. So being in the huddle, I kind of had to slow down, lock in, hear the play call, get to the line. Just kind of slow everything down. In practice, we go through reads and just do all my stuff I usually do. But in the game, sometimes those nerves will build up, especially being a rookie and your first time out there, definitely stuff flies over your head."

Engram played at Ole Miss in the SEC, so he's been in plenty of games in front of large crowds. Even with MetLife Stadium far from filled to capacity, last week's game was different, though. And it started with a song.

"In college, we never stood out there for the national anthem. We were always in the locker room," he said. "I don't know, just the atmosphere and realizing that we have an NFL shield on our jersey and an 'NY' on our helmets. So that just raised the level. Playing a great

team in Pittsburgh, I grew up watching all these teams and watching guys who we're going up against and I'm out there on the field with them. So it's definitely just a different level. Emotionally and physically and X's and O's, it's just a whole other level."

And now he gets to do it again.

"I'm really excited," he said in anticipation of his second preseason game. "I can't wait for Monday night."

From playbooks to used cars, Curtis Grant enjoying 'blessing' with Giants

By James Kratch
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Curtis Grant was discussing the used car dealership he co-owns two hours south of here in Columbus, but the sentiment applies to his NFL career as well.

"When you're a new business, it takes a little time to see a profit," Grant said. "As long as the business can cover its bills for itself, you'll be fine. You just have got to continue to keep going."

The journeyman linebacker is as close as ever been to seeing his on-field profit come through with the Giants. A combination of a strong start to the preseason and attrition ahead of him on the depth chart has thrust the one-time undrafted free agent out of Ohio State, entering his third season and with his sixth club, onto the Giants' roster bubble heading into Monday night's exhibition game against the Browns.

Grant has been training at all three linebacker positions in the Giants' 4-3 scheme, both in the base defense and sub packages, as well as pushing for a role on special teams. Grant had some first-team snaps come his way when strongside linebacker Devon Kennard was limited for a spell in practice recently.

"It's a blessing, to be honest with you, just because it makes me versatile," Grant said. "Being in this league, being a free agency, just being able to have versatility is what you need. Obviously it's a big role. They know that, and I know that as well."

"The reason I'm working with the first-team because a couple of guys went down, but I don't know. Maybe they see something in me that I don't see yet. I'm just competing and having a good time."

Grant said defensive coordinator Steve Spagnuolo's system is "definitely the hardest playbook I've had. Grant is a good guy to ask about those things. The 24-year-old Richmond, Va., native started his career with the Chargers, but was waived at the end of the 2015 preseason.

Then came a stint on the Falcons' practice squad late in that season, followed by a preseason with the Titans in 2016 - waived again at cutdown - and practice squad stints with the Raiders and 49ers last fall before signing a futures deal with the Giants in January.

The playbook may be tough, but it's not too tough. Working at all three positions "makes you stay in-tune," Grant said, and there has always been a veteran player eager to help when he had a question. Grant is not about to complain, either. The Giants are giving him a firm look on defense and more special teams work than he ever had in his previous five spots.

"It definitely feels different than in the past. The opportunities that you get are very slim, so I'm very thankful," Grant said. "All I can do is show up and, as [Ohio State coach Urban] Meyer would say, stay above the line and continue to compete each and every day."

"A man in my position, you can't afford to have a bad day. And if you do have a bad day, you have to correct it. Continue to give effort on something. You're not going to be perfect at all times. But if you give an effort on something, they'll definitely see it."

Football is Grant's dream. That's why he's he doesn't "mind coming here and getting yelled at by somebody else." Ideally, he wants to be his own boss. That's where Car Mart Express comes in. Grant co-owns the used car dealership near Ohio State with his friend Jermaine Howell, who Grant says is more like a brother. Howell handles the day-to-day grind of the business, but Grant always keeps tabs on it.

"I've always loved cars. I worked at car dealerships in college over the summer and I did an internship at a car dealership," Grant said. "We have 20-plus cars on our lot right now. It's a small, kind-of family-owned business."

Grant's hope is he may have finally found a stable football home and family that keeps him close to his actual family.

"You never know. I want it to be," he said. "Who wouldn't want to play for the Giants and this organization? And I'm close to my family (in Virginia), that's the main thing. I'm only like five hours from my son, so that gives my family an opportunity to stay close and get him up here on the weekends."

"I'm just ready to play when my number is called."

Giants WR Jerome Lane, son of basketball star, trying to make his own name

By Dan Duggan
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How many times has Giants rookie wide receiver Jerome Lane seen the highlight?

"Maybe a million and three times," Lane said.

And how many times has he heard the iconic catchphrase that accompanied the play?

"Maybe a million and six times," Lane said.

Maybe the name Jerome Lane doesn't ring a bell. But you almost certainly have seen the clip of his father Jerome shattering a backboard with a dunk while playing for the University of Pittsburgh in 1988. And if you've seen the highlight, you surely remember announcer Bill Raftery punctuating the dunk by exclaiming, "Send it in, Jerome!"

The younger Lane wasn't alive for his father's most famous play or his five-year NBA career. Lane's earliest memories are growing up in Spain during the end of his father's professional career.

"I was there from 2 until 5 or 6 and then we came back," Lane said. "When I came back, my family said I didn't speak a lick of English. Now, I don't even remember a lick of Spanish."

The family settled in Akron, where the elder Jerome was raised. Growing up the son of a local star had its perks.

"Everybody knowing my dad and everybody giving me praise on my dad, it just made me real proud just to be his son," Lane said. "Somebody always knew me. Somebody always made sure I was staying out of trouble. It was like a close-knit family in Akron, so everybody just made sure I stayed out of harm's way, stayed out of trouble and stayed on the right path."

Lane thought he'd follow in his 6-foot-6 father's footsteps, but he stopped growing at 6-foot-3. Lane said he could have played football and basketball at Akron, but he chose to dedicate himself to the gridiron full-time in college.

Lane played linebacker and safety during his redshirt freshman season at Akron in 2014 before switching

to wide receiver. The 220-pounder's size and strength made him a productive receiver instantly. He had 62 catches for 1,018 yards and six touchdowns last season before declaring early for the NFL Draft.

Lane didn't get picked, but was signed as an undrafted free agent by the Colts. He said the Giants showed interest just after he agreed to sign with the Colts.

Lane was only with the Colts for a week before he was released. The Giants signed Lane on June 1 and he has been with the team since.

Lane faces long odds to make the roster at a deep position, but he has been turning heads recently. He had two catches for 27 yards in the preseason opener last Friday and he makes plays daily in practice.

"I always was able to work my way up," Lane said. "I have no problem starting from the bottom and showing people what I can do."

If Lane continues to show what he can do, he'll be known for more than being the son of a famous dunker.

"It actually makes me go a lot harder," Lane said. "Just knowing everybody knows me for being Jerome Lane's son, I want everybody to know me for me being Jerome Lane. I actually want to make the name a little bigger than what it already is. That's my goal right now."

Could Travis Rudolph become Giants' latest Victor Cruz tale?

By Tom Rock
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It's a pretty familiar story in Giants lore.

Many of the top wide receivers are hurt. An undrafted kid gets his opportunity in a preseason game against the Jets. He has an unbelievably successful game, suddenly everyone knows his name, he goes on to make the team and becomes a star.

Travis Rudolph was watching that night in 2010 when Cruz burst on the scene. He was a middle schooler tuning in to the nationally televised game and watched Cruz catch three touchdowns.

"He had some crazy acrobatic catches, touchdowns," Rudolph said. "He showed out in that game. I hadn't heard of him, but I knew who he was then."

On Saturday, the same thing could very well happen. Only this time, Rudolph won't be watching from home. It could be happening to him.

The undrafted rookie from Florida State will undoubtedly have plenty of opportunities to play in the preseason game against the Jets on Saturday. With Odell Beckham Jr., Brandon Marshall, Dwayne Harris and Tavarres King all injured and unlikely to play, someone will have to line up and run routes for Eli Manning.

"Next man up," Rudolph said on Wednesday after a practice in which he was that next man and he stood up.

Rudolph took reps with the starting offense in that workout, lining up outside when the team was in three-receiver sets. Roger Lewis Jr. was on the other side and Sterling Shepard was in the slot for those scenarios. It was Rudolph's first chance to run with that group, what he hopes will be the first of many.

The Giants have been intrigued by Rudolph since they signed him shortly after the draft. He came to the team known more for his role in a viral video from last year when he and Florida State teammates visited a middle school and he sat with an autistic child during lunch. Now, though, he wants to make his mark on the football field.

Rudolph has played in both preseason games with some

good — he's caught three passes for 30 yards -- and some bad. The most egregious error came in the opener when he fumbled a kickoff return. The Giants recovered the ball, but those kinds of things are not well-received by Giants coaches.

"Mistakes happen but you have to move on," Rudolph said. "Don't let it happen again."

For an undrafted rookie, sometimes one chance is all you get. That's a lot of pressure knowing that any slip up can be your last and cost you a spot on the final roster.

"You can't have that mentality," Rudolph said. "If you focus on making a mistake, that's when mistakes happen."

He prefers to think about the flip side of that dynamic. The one where a single play can earn you a place on the team. Where a strong performance in one game — even a preseason game — can turn a relative nobody into a star.

"Just go out there and show what you can do, and I can just open eyes," Rudolph said.

It's happened before. Rudolph saw it.

Now his challenge is to live it.

Giants legendary tight end Mark Bavaro: rookie Evan Engram is a 'special talent'

By Art Stapleton
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Evan Engram has already won over plenty of observers in his first three months with the Giants.

Included in that: the best tight end in the history of the franchise.

Giants legend Mark Bavaro watched Engram in practice this spring during off-season workouts and met with the first-round pick afterward.

His immediate impression: at 22, Engram has what it takes to be special.

"They weren't in pads yet, just shorts and helmets, but I was very impressed with Evan Engram - very impressed," Bavaro told The Record and NorthJersey.com by phone from his Boston-area home Thursday morning.

"Right off the bat, you can see he's a great athlete, he's smooth and he runs unbelievably. He's not small, he's not huge, but he's got good size, and he's out there, his footwork is impressive, his cutting and the way he ran his patterns. Just the way he reaches up for the ball, the way the ball fits in his hands, he's really a special talent."

That's high praise from the iconic Bavaro, a two-time Super Bowl champion who was inducted into the team's Ring of Honor in 2011. Of course, Engram is just getting started.

The Giants' tight end of the present and, they hope, the long-term future took the time after meeting Bavaro to do even more research. He asked around for scouting reports and searched for some highlights online, knowing any history lessons learned from watching Bavaro would serve him well.

What Engram had not seen until Thursday was video of one of the greatest plays in Giants history: the one from the December 1, 1986 game against the San Francisco 49ers when Bavaro bounced off three tackles before carrying three defenders - including Pro Football Hall of Fame safety Ronnie Lott - for a 31-yard gain.

When showed the replay of Bavaro's catch-and-drag after practice, a wide-eyed Engram watched with his

mouth agape and initially offered just a one-word response as part of his reaction.

"Savage," Engram said, pausing while watching it again, then adding: "Young guys like me, nowadays, we call that savage right there. The effort, the desire to keep going - he's just dragging people: two, three, four guys at one time. Crazy."

Reminded that one of those - Lott - is considered one of the greatest to ever play his position in the history of the NFL - Engram quipped: "Shoot, [Bavaro's] one of the best, too."

Being that they are from different eras, it's fruitless to compare what made Bavaro so good to what Engram's skill set should be. An accomplished receiver, Bavaro was asked to do far more blocking than Engram will in today's game.

As Bavaro likely deserves more credit than he gets for his ability as a receiver, Engram wants to earn that same credit for his blocking, which was criticized by scouts coming out of Ole Miss. So far, with two preseason games under his belt in preparation for a third Saturday night against the Jets, Engram has held his own in both areas.

"He's on the wall right there, right before we walk in our position meeting room," Engram said, pointing to an enlarged portrait of Bavaro that hangs in the nearby hallway of the Giants' facility.

"I knew some of the names, obviously, I knew of Jeremy Shockey, but Mark Bavaro's the biggest picture on there, so yeah, what a legend. You watch highlights, great player, hard-nosed guy, fans loved him, Super Bowl champ, what more could you want from a tight end?"

While so many marvel at Bavaro's famous play against the 49ers, he prefers to consider another as the one that sums up his career.

"I dropped the ball, and it bounced off my helmet in the Super Bowl [XXI in 1987], and I turned around, and there was one of my teammates picking up my slack," Bavaro recalled with a laugh. "But I think that's what exemplified those Giants teams. We were a great team, but not only because we had great talent, but because we were great teammates - we all played for one another, we all sacrificed for one another, and we helped carry each other through the hard times. That's what makes a championship team."

Bavaro will meet with fans and watch the Giants-Jets game Saturday night beginning at 6:30 p.m. at Empire City Casino in Yonkers,

"It's nice to be remembered," Bavaro said. "I can't believe they still remember me after all these years. I mean, it's been a long time, 30 years. Back in 1987, if you asked me to remember someone from 1957, I don't think I would've remembered anybody even if people told me about him. So I never get tired of meeting Giants fans, hearing about the Lott play from older fans, and from younger fans, whose dads or moms told them, 'Hey, that Mark Bavaro was a great player.'"

That's the standard for Giants tight ends, Engram acknowledged with a smile: "Definitely something and someone to live up to."

Walk this way: Now that Giants rookie Avery Moss has mastered crawling, he's set for more

By Art Stapleton
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Giants defensive end Avery Moss offered up the perfect analogy for his progression over the first three months of his rookie season this spring.

"I have to crawl before I learn how to walk," Moss told The Record and NorthJersey.com, flashing a wide smile during mini-camp in June. "And you have to walk before you can run, so right now, I'm crawling and doing my best to get up to speed as quickly as I can."

When reminded of that analogy after practice Thursday, Moss quickly replied: "Oh, I'm walking now, and this is the time when I have to figure out how to run."

Moss, 22, has been steady this summer as he continues to adjust to life as a pro.

He was not thrust into the mix of starters like fellow rookies Evan Engram and Dalvin Tomlinson; instead, sitting on a depth chart behind stars Jason Pierre-Paul and Oliver Vernon, not to mention among a crowd of returnees Kerry Wynn, Romeo Okwara, Owa Odighizuwa and veteran Devin Taylor, all of whom have been slugging it out.

Moss is not fighting for a roster spot in Saturday's MetLife Bowl against the Jets, the third preseason game that often serves as the dress rehearsal for the regular season.

The Giants' fifth-round pick has certainly shown enough talent that, provided something completely stunning and unforeseen, he will be included on the roster when the league requires teams to slice and dice to 53 by next Saturday at 4 p.m.

"He's a young player. We're asking a lot of him on the defensive side of the ball and special teams," Giants coach Ben McAdoo said of Moss. "He has a lot to learn, but he's very willing and he's a hard worker."

For Moss, the opportunity to stand out and convince the coaching staff he is ready for more is the challenge. Learning the playbook as a defensive end was daunting, but not nearly as difficult as learning the various positions on special teams Moss had to take on in order to truly earn his spot.

"I'd never even watched a down of special teams before, until I came here," Moss said. "It's definitely an eye-opening experience for me."

The Giants like the competition they have had behind Pierre-Paul and Vernon, with defensive coordinator Steve Spagnuolo again acknowledging the preference (and the desire) to lessen their workload, provided the players that would replace them can do the job.

"We'll see. They don't like to come off the field, but we do got to keep them fresh," Spagnuolo said, referring to Pierre-Paul and Vernon. "We have talked about it, it is a concentration. We'll see how the other guys do back there."

At 6-foot-3 and 265 pounds, Moss projects as someone who could play a role for Spagnuolo the way Justin Tuck and Mathias Kiwanuka did within Giants' defenses of the past.

"Avery is really a true defensive end. You don't see a lot of those guys these days but he's a true defensive end that can play the run, rush the passer," Giants general manager Jerry Reese said after drafting Moss. "Big guy, has a lot of upside. We think he is just now scratching the surface of where we think he can be. We really like his skill set and really think he can come in and help us in that d-line group and at that defensive end position."

Moss said he was looking forward to playing the Jets, and not just for the chance to perform between the lines. He trained for the Combine in Arizona with Jets first-round pick Jamal Adams of LSU and cornerback David Rivers, his Youngstown State teammate, against whom he's hoping to garner some bragging rights.

"I feel like I'm getting there, playing faster and understanding more," Moss said. "My job now is to keep getting better and show that I'm ready for whatever they give me."

Jason Pierre-Paul and Giants defense make big statement

By Zach Braziller
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The regular season is still two weeks away. There are plenty of practices remaining and one preseason game left to be played.

But if the Giants' defense had to face the Cowboys tomorrow, it looks more than ready.

In their final dress rehearsal before the games count for real, Big Blue's starters tormented Jets quarterback Christian Hackenberg, and toyed with their rival's offensive line, keying a 32-31 victory in the MetLife Bowl that wasn't nearly as close as the final score might indicate.

"We were ready since Week 1 [of the preseason]," safety Landon Collins said. "We've been ready."

Jason Pierre-Paul and Collins, two of the big stars on this treacherous unit, appear to be in midseason form. Pierre-Paul registered a safety, knocked down a pass at the line of scrimmage, had two tackles for losses, and had a sack. Collins expertly read Hackenberg's mind on a play-action pass, stepped in front of tight end Eric Tomlinson, and scored on a 23-yard pick-six.

The Giants' first-team defense, which has yet to allow a touchdown this preseason, was responsible for 16 first-half points, the other score coming on a Donte Deayon pick-six of 36 yards, after Janoris Jenkins separated Jets receiver Robby Anderson from the ball.

Casillas and Darian Thompson had sacks of Hackenberg, and the Giants' first-team defense allowed just 127 total yards.

"We scored points on defense, and to be the defense we want to be, I think that's where we need to go," linebacker Jonathan Casillas said, referring to a unit that was 10th in the league in yards allowed and second in points given up per game (17.8). "Creating turnovers, wreaking havoc in the backfield, a lot of pressure on the quarterback [are our goals], and I think we did that today."

Pierre-Paul was the most impressive player on the field. On the safety, when he tackled Matt Forte in the end zone, he went by Jets right tackle Brandon Shell like he wasn't there. Later in the first half, on a speed rush, he

clubbed Shell to the ground, a la Reggie White.

It was reminiscent of the old JPP, the pre-accident player. Pierre-Paul has come a long way from the fireworks mishap on July 4, 2015, that cost him his index finger and most of his middle digit. A year ago, in just 12 games due to a core muscle injury, he notched seven sacks and 53 tackles, showing signs of returning to form.

"I don't know what he looked liked before [the accident], because I wasn't with him, but he's the best I've ever seen him. By far, not even close," Casillas said. "He's one of the dominant players in the league and I think he's fully back from where he was at before the accident."

Pierre's Paul's career-high for sacks is 16.5, way back in 2011. He was asked if he could set a new mark this year, and smiled.

"I think I can," Pierre-Paul said. "I'm just getting warmed up, though."