



PATRIOTS HOST EAGLES ON MONDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL

MEDIA SCHEDULE

MONDAY, AUGUST 13

1:00 p.m. Coach Belichick Press Conf.
1:30-4:00 p.m. Practice
4:00-4:30 p.m. Player Media Availability

TUESDAY, AUGUST 14

1:00 p.m. Nick Caserio Press Conf.
1:30-4:00 p.m. Practice
4:00-4:30 p.m. Player Media Availability

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15

1:00 p.m. Coach Belichick Press Conf.
1:30-4:00 p.m. Practice
4:00-4:30 p.m. Player Media Availability

THURSDAY, AUGUST 16

1:00 p.m. Coach Belichick Press Conf.
1:30-4:00 p.m. Practice
4:00-4:30 p.m. Player Media Availability

FRIDAY, AUGUST 17 – Sunday, August 19
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2012 PATRIOTS SCHEDULE

PRESEASON

| Thurs., Aug. 9 | New Orleans | 7-6 | W |
|----------------|----------------|------|------|
| Mon., Aug. 20 | Philadelphia | 8:00 | ESPN |
| Fri., Aug. 24 | at Tampa Bay | 7:30 | WBZ |
| Wed., Aug. 29 | at N.Y. Giants | 7:30 | WBZ |

REGULAR SEASON

| | | | |
|-----------------|-----------------|-----------|------|
| Sun., Sept. 9 | at Tennessee | 1:00 p.m. | CBS |
| Sun., Sept. 16 | Arizona | 1:00 p.m. | FOX |
| Sun., Sept. 23 | at Baltimore | 8:20 p.m. | NBC |
| Sun., Sept. 30 | at Buffalo | 1:00 p.m. | CBS |
| Sun., Oct. 7 | Denver | 4:25 p.m. | CBS |
| Sun., Oct. 14 | at Seattle | 4:05 p.m. | CBS |
| Sun., Oct. 21 | N.Y. Jets | 4:25 p.m. | CBS |
| Sun, Oct. 28 | at St. Louis | 1:00 p.m. | CBS# |
| Sun., Nov. 4 | BYE WEEK | | |
| Sun., Nov. 11 | Buffalo | 1:00 p.m. | CBS |
| Sun., Nov. 18 | Indianapolis | 1:00 p.m. | CBS* |
| Thurs., Nov. 22 | at N.Y. Jets | 8:20 p.m. | NBC |
| Sun., Dec. 2 | at Miami | 1:00 p.m. | CBS* |
| Mon., Dec. 10 | Houston | 8:30 p.m. | ESPN |
| Sun., Dec. 16 | San Francisco | 8:20 p.m. | NBC* |
| Sun., Dec. 23 | at Jacksonville | 1:00 p.m. | CBS* |
| Sun., Dec. 30 | Miami | 1:00 p.m. | CBS* |

#Game played in London

*Game Time and Network subject to possible flexible scheduling adjustment.

PATRIOTS MEDIA WEBSITE

The Patriots' media website, located at <http://media.patriots.com>, will be updated for registered users throughout training camp with all the latest media information, schedules, rosters and press releases. In addition to up-to-date media information, the site's archives allow access to all of the Patriots media material dating back to the 2002 season.

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS (1-0) vs. PHILADELPHIA EAGLES (1-0)

Monday, August 20, 2012 ★ Gillette Stadium (68,756) ★ 8:00 p.m. EDT

The New England Patriots will attempt to improve to a 2-0 record when they face the Philadelphia Eagles in a nationally-televised Monday Night Football game from Gillette Stadium.

The Patriots opened the preseason with a 7-6 win against the New Orleans Saints on Thurs., Aug. 9. The preseason opener followed two days of joint practice sessions between the two teams.

Following the Monday Night matchup with the Eagles, the Patriots will head to the Tampa Bay Buccaneers' headquarters for joint practices on Wednesday, Aug. 22 and Thursday, Aug. 23 before the teams battle in a preseason game on Friday, Aug. 24.

Philadelphia opened the 2012 preseason with a 24-23 victory over the visiting Pittsburgh Steelers.

BROADCAST INFORMATION

TELEVISION: This week's game will be nationally televised by **ESPN** and can be seen in Boston on **WCVB-TV Channel 5**. **Mike Tirico** and **Jon Gruden** will call the game. **Lisa Salters** will be the sideline reporter. **Jay Rothman** will produce the game and **Chip Dean** will be the director.

RADIO: 98.5 FM, The Sports Hub, is the flagship station for the **Patriots Radio Network**. A complete listing of the network's 40 stations can be found in this press release. Play-by-play broadcaster **Gil Santos** is in his 36th season as the voice of the Patriots and will call the action. Former Patriots quarterback **Scott Zolak** will handle the color commentary, taking over duties for Gino Cappelletti. Cappelletti, a member of the original Boston Patriots in 1960 and the all-time leading scorer in the American Football League's history, retired from the broadcast team after 31 years as the team's iconic color analyst.

TROY BROWN INDUCTED INTO PATRIOTS HALL OF FAME

Troy Brown was voted by the fans as the 18th player and 19th member to enter the Patriots Hall of Fame. The induction ceremony will be held outside The Hall at Patriot Place presented by Raytheon on Saturday, Sept. 15, 2012 at 5:00 p.m., the day before the Patriots 2012 regular season home opener.

Brown spent his entire 15-season NFL career with the Patriots (1993-2007) after being drafted by the team in the eighth round (198th overall) of the 1993 NFL Draft. The 5-foot-10-inch, 196-pound receiver, punt returner and defensive back retired as the Patriots' all-time leading receiver with 557 career receptions and as the team's all-time leading punt returner with 252 career returns. He finished ranked second in team history with 6,366 career receiving yards and was tied for the franchise record with three punt returns for touchdowns.



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ROBERT KRAFT NEWS & NOTES

Since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994, the Patriots have experienced one of the most dramatic turnarounds in the history of sports. Now in his 19th season of ownership, Kraft has transformed one of the league's least successful clubs into what many observers view as a model NFL franchise. In the five seasons immediately preceding his purchase (1989-93), the Patriots were a moribund team, winning just 19 of 80 games (.238 pct.) and recording the worst record in the NFL over that span. When he bought the franchise on Jan. 21, 1994, Kraft announced his intention to bring a championship to New England, a tall order considering the team's previous success rate. But under Kraft's leadership, the Patriots have won more division titles (11), conference crowns (6) and Super Bowl championships (3) than any other NFL team. The Patriots have made six Super Bowl appearances since Kraft purchased the team, a period during which no other NFL franchise has earned more than four berths. In Kraft's other 18 seasons, the Patriots qualified for the playoffs 13 times, more than doubling the franchise's accomplishments during its first 34 seasons.



| | Pre-Kraft 1960-93 | 1989-93 | Kraft Era 1994-11 |
|---------------------|------------------------------|----------------|------------------------------|
| Overall Record | 225-276-9 | 19-61 | 212-105 |
| Winning Pct. | .450 | .238 | .669 |
| Super Bowl Titles | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Conference Titles | 1 | 0 | 6 |
| Division Titles | 3 | 0 | 11 |
| Playoff Seasons | 6 | 0 | 13 |
| Playoff Record | 4-6 | -- | 19-10 |
| Home Playoff Games | 1 | 0 | 15 |
| Home Playoff Record | 0-1 | -- | 13-2 |

A CHAMPIONSHIP TRADITION

MULTIPLE LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 2001

| Team | League | Titles |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|----------|
| Los Angeles Lakers..... | NBA..... | 4 |
| New England Patriots..... | NFL..... | 3 |
| San Antonio Spurs..... | NBA..... | 3 |

HIGHEST WINNING PERCENTAGE IN MAJOR PROFESSIONAL SPORTS SINCE 1994

| Team | League | PCT |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| San Antonio Spurs..... | NBA..... | .680 |
| New England Patriots..... | NFL..... | .670 |
| Detroit Red Wings..... | NHL..... | .668 |
| Los Angeles Lakers..... | NBA..... | .654 |
| Green Bay Packers..... | NFL..... | .642 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers..... | NFL..... | .641 |

194-GAME SELLOUT STREAK

In the early 1990s, the Patriots seemed destined for relocation until Robert Kraft's purchase of the team rejuvenated local interest. In 1991, the season ticket base was just 17,635, barely enough to support the club. Now, the season tickets are capped and more than 50,000 fans are on a season ticket waiting list. The Patriots have sold out 194 consecutive home games, including playoff and preseason games (dating back to the 1994 season opener).

SINCE ROBERT KRAFT PURCHASED THE TEAM IN 1994...

TOTAL VICTORIES SINCE 1994 (Regular Season)

| | |
|----------------------------------|------------|
| New England Patriots..... | 193 |
| Green Bay Packers..... | 185 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers..... | 184 |
| Indianapolis Colts..... | 172 |

TOTAL VICTORIES SINCE 1994 (Incl. Postseason)

| | |
|----------------------------------|------------|
| New England Patriots..... | 212 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers..... | 201 |
| Green Bay Packers..... | 200 |
| Indianapolis Colts..... | 183 |
| Denver Broncos..... | 174 |
| Philadelphia Eagles..... | 173 |

WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 1994 (Incl. Postseason)

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
|----------------------------------|------------|------------|----------|-------------|
| New England Patriots..... | 212 | 105 | 0 | .669 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers..... | 201 | 113 | 1 | .640 |
| Green Bay Packers..... | 200 | 114 | 0 | .637 |
| Indianapolis Colts..... | 183 | 128 | 0 | .588 |
| Denver Broncos..... | 174 | 129 | 0 | .574 |
| Philadelphia Eagles..... | 173 | 135 | 2 | .561 |
| New York Giants..... | 162 | 141 | 1 | .533 |

SUPER BOWL CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994

| | |
|----------------------------------|----------|
| New England Patriots..... | 3 |
| Green Bay..... | 2 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers..... | 2 |
| Denver Broncos..... | 2 |
| N.Y. Giants..... | 2 |
| 7 Teams..... | 1 |

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994

| | |
|----------------------------------|----------|
| New England Patriots..... | 6 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers..... | 4 |
| Green Bay Packers..... | 3 |
| New York Giants..... | 3 |
| Denver Broncos..... | 2 |
| St. Louis Rams..... | 2 |
| Indianapolis Colts..... | 2 |
| 14 Teams..... | 1 |

DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994

| | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| New England Patriots..... | 11 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers..... | 10 |
| Green Bay Packers..... | 8 |
| Indianapolis Colts..... | 8 |

PLAYOFF VICTORIES SINCE 1994

| | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| New England Patriots..... | 19 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers..... | 17 |
| Green Bay Packers..... | 15 |
| Philadelphia Eagles..... | 11 |
| Indianapolis Colts..... | 11 |

PLAYOFF GAMES PLAYED SINCE 1994

| | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| New England Patriots..... | 29 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers..... | 27 |
| Green Bay Packers..... | 26 |
| Indianapolis Colts..... | 23 |
| Philadelphia Eagles..... | 22 |
| Baltimore Ravens..... | 17 |

PLAYOFF SEASONS SINCE 1994

| | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| New England Patriots..... | 13 |
| Indianapolis Colts..... | 13 |
| Green Bay Packers..... | 13 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers..... | 12 |
| Philadelphia Eagles..... | 11 |
| Dallas Cowboys..... | 9 |

PLAYOFF WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 1994

| Team | W | L | Pct. |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|
| New England Patriots..... | 19 | 10 | .655 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers..... | 17 | 10 | .630 |
| New York Giants..... | 10 | 6 | .625 |
| Arizona Cardinals..... | 5 | 3 | .625 |
| Denver Broncos..... | 9 | 6 | .600 |
| New Orleans Saints..... | 6 | 4 | .600 |
| Carolina Panthers..... | 6 | 4 | .600 |
| New Baltimore Ravens..... | 10 | 7 | .588 |

MOST PRO BOWLERS DRAFTED SINCE 1994

Since Robert Kraft's purchase of the Patriots in 1994, the team has drafted more Pro Bowl players than any other NFL team.

| Rank | Team | Players |
|-----------|--------------------|-----------|
| 1. | New England | 20 |
| 2. | Green Bay | 19 |
| 3. | Pittsburgh | 18 |
| 4. | Philadelphia | 15 |
| | Baltimore | 15 |



PATRIOTS HOME DOMINANCE



Since the Patriots moved to Gillette Stadium in 2002, they have celebrated more regular season and postseason wins than any other team in the NFL. The Patriots have the highest point differential at home in that time and are among the top three offensive and defensive leaders at home. The Patriots home dominance is especially strong against NFC teams.

REGULAR SEASON HOME RECORD SINCE 2002

| Rank | Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
|------|--------------|----|----|---|-------|
| 1 | New England | 67 | 13 | 0 | 0.838 |
| 2 | Baltimore | 61 | 19 | 0 | 0.763 |
| 3 | Indianapolis | 59 | 21 | 0 | 0.738 |
| 4 | Pittsburgh | 58 | 21 | 1 | 0.731 |
| 5 | San Diego | 55 | 25 | 0 | 0.688 |

HOME PLAYOFF RECORD SINCE 2002 (MIN. 5 GAMES)

| Rank | Team | W | L | Pct |
|------|--------------|---|---|-------|
| 1 | Seattle | 5 | 1 | 0.833 |
| 2 | New England | 9 | 2 | 0.818 |
| 3t | Philadelphia | 5 | 2 | 0.714 |
| 3t | Pittsburgh | 5 | 2 | 0.714 |
| 5 | Indianapolis | 6 | 3 | 0.667 |

HOME RECORD SINCE 2002 (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

| Rank | Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
|------|--------------|----|----|---|-------|
| 1 | New England | 76 | 15 | 0 | 0.835 |
| 2 | Baltimore | 62 | 21 | 0 | 0.747 |
| 3 | Pittsburgh | 64 | 23 | 1 | 0.733 |
| 4 | Indianapolis | 65 | 24 | 0 | 0.730 |
| 5 | San Diego | 57 | 28 | 0 | 0.671 |

HOME RECORD AFTER HALLOWEEN SINCE 2002

| Rank | Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
|------|--------------|----|----|---|-------|
| 1 | New England | 35 | 8 | 0 | 0.814 |
| 2 | Green Bay | 34 | 10 | 0 | 0.773 |
| 3 | Baltimore | 36 | 11 | 0 | 0.766 |
| 4 | Indianapolis | 37 | 13 | 0 | 0.740 |
| 5 | San Diego | 32 | 14 | 0 | 0.696 |

HOME RECORD VS. NFC SINCE 2002

| Rank | Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
|------|--------------|----|---|---|-------|
| 1 | New England | 18 | 2 | 0 | 0.900 |
| 2 | Pittsburgh | 17 | 2 | 1 | 0.875 |
| 3 | Baltimore | 18 | 3 | 0 | 0.857 |
| 4 | Jacksonville | 15 | 6 | 0 | 0.714 |
| 5 | Indianapolis | 14 | 6 | 0 | 0.700 |

HOME RECORD VS DIVISIONAL OPPONENTS SINCE 2002

| Rank | Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
|------|--------------|----|----|---|-------|
| 1t | New England | 25 | 5 | 0 | 0.833 |
| 1t | Indianapolis | 25 | 5 | 0 | 0.833 |
| 3 | Green Bay | 23 | 7 | 0 | 0.767 |
| 4t | Seattle | 22 | 8 | 0 | 0.733 |
| 4t | Pittsburgh | 22 | 8 | 0 | 0.733 |
| 6 | San Diego | 21 | 9 | 0 | 0.724 |
| 7 | Minnesota | 20 | 10 | 0 | 0.667 |

POINT DIFFERENTIAL AT HOME SINCE 2002

| Rank | Team | Point Differential |
|------|--------------|--------------------|
| 1 | New England | 826 |
| 2 | Baltimore | 696 |
| 3 | San Diego | 624 |
| 4 | Pittsburgh | 604 |
| 5 | Indianapolis | 579 |

POINTS ALLOWED PER GAME AT HOME SINCE 2002

| Rank | Team | Points Allowed |
|------|---------------|----------------|
| 1 | Baltimore | 15.6 |
| 2 | New England | 16.6 |
| 3 | Pittsburgh | 16.8 |
| 4 | New York Jets | 18.0 |
| 5 | Jacksonville | 18.6 |

POINTS SCORED PER GAME AT HOME SINCE 2002

| Rank | Team | Points Scored |
|------|--------------|---------------|
| 1 | San Diego | 27.8 |
| 2 | New England | 27.0 |
| 3 | Green Bay | 26.9 |
| 4 | Indianapolis | 26.1 |
| 5 | New Orleans | 25.8 |



PATRIOTS VS. EAGLES

SERIES HISTORY

The Patriots and Eagles will meet for the 20th time in the preseason and for the first preseason meeting since the Patriots opened 2009 with a 27-25 win at Philadelphia on Aug. 13.

The Patriots and Eagles last met in the regular season last year when New England overcame a 10-0 deficit for a 38-20 win at Lincoln Financial Field on Nov. 27.



While the teams have played just 11 times in the regular season, the teams have played 19 times in the preseason with the Patriots holding a 10-9 advantage in those games.

Philadelphia leads the all-time regular-season series with a 6-5 margin. New England beat Philadelphia 24-21 in Super Bowl

XXXIX following the 2004 season.

Philadelphia last played at Gillette Stadium on Aug. 22, 2008 in a preseason game, beating the Patriots 27-17. Philadelphia last played a regular season game at Gillette Stadium on Nov. 25, 2007, a 31-28 New England win.

Regular Season - Philadelphia 6, New England 5

| Date | Result | Score | H/A | Stadium |
|----------|--------|-------|-----|-------------------------|
| 11/04/73 | L | 23-24 | A | Veterans Stadium |
| 11/27/77 | W | 14-6 | H | Schaefer Stadium |
| 10/08/78 | W | 24-14 | H | Schaefer Stadium |
| 09/13/81 | L | 3-13 | A | Veterans Stadium |
| 12/09/84 | L | 17-27 | A | Veterans Stadium |
| 11/29/87 | L(OT) | 31-34 | H | Sullivan Stadium |
| 11/04/90 | L | 20-48 | A | Veterans Stadium |
| 12/19/99 | L | 9-24 | A | Veterans Stadium |
| 09/14/03 | W | 31-10 | A | Lincoln Financial Field |
| 11/25/07 | W | 31-28 | H | Gillette Stadium |
| 11/27/11 | W | 38-20 | A | Lincoln Financial Field |

Playoffs - New England 1, Philadelphia 0

| Date | Result | Score | H/A | Stadium |
|-----------|--------|-------|-----|----------------|
| *02/06/05 | W | 24-21 | N | Alltel Stadium |

*Super Bowl XXXIX

Preseason - New England 10, Philadelphia 9

| Date | Result | Score | H/A | Stadium |
|----------|--------|-------|-----|-------------------------|
| 09/02/68 | L | 20-22 | H | Harvard Stadium |
| 08/12/72 | L | 20-29 | A | Veterans Stadium |
| 09/08/74 | W | 27-17 | H | Schaefer Stadium |
| 08/22/75 | L | 10-24 | A | Veterans Stadium |
| 09/05/76 | W | 27-7 | H | Schaefer Stadium |
| 08/22/77 | L | 10-21 | A | Veterans Stadium |
| 08/24/80 | L | 17-23 | H | Schaefer Stadium |
| 08/20/82 | L | 7-14 | A | Veterans Stadium |
| 08/23/87 | L(OT) | 13-19 | H | Sullivan Stadium |
| 08/20/88 | W | 24-21 | A | Veterans Stadium |
| 08/17/95 | L | 7-31 | A | Veterans Stadium |
| 08/18/96 | W | 37-10 | H | Foxboro Stadium |
| 08/21/97 | W | 28-14 | A | Veterans Stadium |
| 08/29/98 | W | 24-7 | H | Foxboro Stadium |
| 08/17/02 | W | 16-15 | H | Gillette Stadium |
| 08/22/03 | W | 24-12 | A | Lincoln Financial Field |
| 08/13/04 | W | 24-6 | H | Gillette Stadium |
| 08/22/08 | L | 17-27 | H | Gillette Stadium |
| 08/13/09 | W | 27-25 | A | Lincoln Financial Field |

TALE OF THE TAPE

| 2011 Regular Season | New England | Philadelphia |
|--------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| Record | 13-3 | 8-8 |
| Divisional Standings | 1st | 2nd |
| Total Yards Gained | 6,848 | 6,386 |
| Total Offense (Rank) | 428.0 (2) | 399.1 (4) |
| Rush Offense | 110.3 (20) | 142.3 (5) |
| Pass Offense | 317.8 (2) | 256.9 (9) |
| Points Per Game | 32.1 (3) | 24.8 (8) |
| Total Yards Allowed | 6,577 | 5,198 |
| Total Defense | 411.1 (31) | 324.9 (8) |
| Rush Defense | 117.1 (17) | 112.6 (16) |
| Pass Defense | 293.9 (31) | 212.3 (10) |
| Points Allowed/Game | 21.4 (15) | 20.5 (10) |
| Possession Avg. | 28:47 | 31:20 |
| Sacks Allowed/Yards Lost | 32/173 | 32/166 |
| Sacks Made/Yards | 40/274 | 50/316 |
| Total Touchdowns Scored | 61 | 46 |
| Penalties Against/Yards | 87/815 | 107/853 |
| Punts/Avg. | 57/46.5 | 67/36.9 |
| Field Goals Made/Att. | 28/33 | 24/27 |
| Takeaway/Giveaway Ratio | +17 (3) | -14 (30t) |

MOST FREQUENT PRESEASON OPPONENTS

The Patriots and Eagles will meet for the 20th time this week in the preseason.

PATRIOTS MOST FREQUENT PRESEASON OPPONENTS

| Team | Games | W | L | Last |
|----------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| New York Giants | 21 | 8 | 13 | 2011 |
| Washington Redskins | 20 | 13 | 7 | 2009 |
| Philadelphia Eagles | 19 | 10 | 9 | 2009 |

PRESEASON HISTORY

The Patriots are 42-33 (.560) in the preseason since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994. Prior to 1994, the Patriots were 60-96-1 (.385) in the preseason. New England enters this week's game with an all-time preseason mark of 102-129-1 (.442).

BILL BELICHICK IN THE PRESEASON

Bill Belichick has compiled an overall record of 39-36 (.520) in the preseason, including a 28-22 (.560) mark as Patriots head coach. Belichick's teams have been .500 or above in 15 of his 17 previous preseasons as a head coach in the NFL.

LAST REGULAR SEASON MEETING:

PATRIOTS 38, PHILADELPHIA 20

November 27, 2011 ★ Lincoln Financial Field

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | Final |
|-----------------------------|----|----|---|---|-----------|
| New England Patriots | 7 | 17 | 7 | 7 | 38 |
| Philadelphia Eagles | 10 | 3 | 0 | 7 | 20 |

The New England Patriots overcame a quick 10-0 deficit on their way to a 38-20 victory over the Philadelphia Eagles at Lincoln Financial Field. The AFC-leading Patriots improved to 8-3 and stayed in the hunt for the lead in the conference. With their eighth win of the 2011 season, the Patriots (8-3) would guarantee to finish the season with a record of .500 or better for the 11th consecutive year.

Tom Brady threw for 361 yards and three touchdowns - WRs Deion Branch (125) and Wes Welker (115) both went over 100 yards receiving and RB BenJarvus Green-Ellis scored two touchdowns. Both receivers also contributed big plays. Branch caught a 63-yard pass from Brady in the second quarter to set up a touchdown, and Welker scored on a 41-yard touchdown pass later in the second quarter.

Vince Young, who threw for 400 yards, started for the Eagles in place of the injured Michael Vick and led the Eagles on scoring drives on their first two series for a 10-0 first quarter lead. Young connected on a 22-yard pass on the game's first play and then he connected with WR Riley Cooper on a 58-yard pass to the New England 4-yard line to set up a 2-yard touchdown run by LeSean McCoy for a 7-0 lead. A 44-yard pass from Young to



PATRIOTS VS. EAGLES

PATRIOTS 38, PHILADELPHIA 20 (continued)

WR DeSean Jackson on the next series positioned the Eagles for a 43-yard field goal and a 10-0 lead.

New England scored on four of their next five drives to take a 24-13 halftime lead. Green-Ellis capped a 12-play, 80-yard drive with a 4-yard touchdown run to make it 10-7 at the end of the first quarter. Brady hit the deep pass to Branch to the Philadelphia 1-yard line to set up Green-Ellis' second touchdown run of the day and give the Patriots a 14-10 lead early in the second quarter.

Young went deep on the next series in an attempt to Jackson, but CB Antwaun Molden registered his first career interception. The Patriots failed to capitalize with a missed field goal, but forced Philadelphia on a three-and-out on the next series. Brady hit Welker for a 41-yard touchdown on the ensuing drive for a 21-10 lead midway through the second quarter.

A Philadelphia field goal closed the score to 21-13 but New England took over with 2:11 left in the first half and all three time outs and were able to move to the Philadelphia 27-yard line where K Stephen Gostkowski drilled a 45-yard field goal for a 24-13 halftime lead.

New England took the second half kick and engineered an 8-play, 69-yard drive that ended when Brady connected with Welker for a 9-yard touchdown pass for a 31-13 lead. The Patriots opened the fourth quarter with a 75-yard scoring drive that ended in a 24-yard touchdown pass from Brady to TE Rob Gronkowski for a 38-13 lead.

Philadelphia closed out the scoring with a four-minute drive that ended in a touchdown with 36 seconds to play for a 38-20 final.

CONNECTIONS

New England Ties

- Eagles **FB Emil Igwenagu** grew up in Boylston, MA and attended Holy Name Catholic High School. Igwenagu helped lead Holy Name Catholic to two Division 2 Super Bowl championships and was named MVP in both games. Igwenagu then enrolled at the University of Massachusetts where he played a number of different positions for the Minutemen from 2007-11.
- Eagles **CB Curtis Marsh** committed to play football for the US Naval Academy out of high school and spent the 2006 season at the Naval Academy Prep school in Newport, RI. Marsh ended up signing with Utah St. in December of 2006.

Former Patriots

- Eagles **T Thomas Welch** was a seventh-round draft pick by the Patriots in 2010. He was waived prior to the start of the season, but was signed back in 2011 and spent some time on the practice squad and the 53-man roster, appearing in three games with one start.

Former Teammates

- Patriots **DL Jonathan Fanene** played with Eagles **G Evan Mathis** and **S Tom Nelson** in Cincinnati from 2009-10.
- Patriots **LB Bobby Carpenter** was a teammate with Eagles **P Matt McBriar** in Dallas from 2006-09. Patriots **WR Jesse Holley** also played with McBriar in Dallas from 2010-11.
- Patriots **LB Tracy White** and Eagles **DT Cullen Jenkins** teamed up on the Green Bay Packers defense from 2006-2008. Patriots **DB Derrick Martin** played with Jenkins in Green Bay from 2009-2010.
- Eagles **DE Jason Babin** played with a number of Patriots throughout the years: **WR Jabar Gaffney** (Texans 2004-05), **LB Tim Bulman** (Texans 2006), **LB Niko Koutouvides** (Seahawks 2007), **WR Deion Branch** (Seahawks 2007-08), **G Brian Waters** (Chiefs 2008), White (Eagles 2009).

CONNECTIONS (continued)

- During his time in Seattle **Branch** also teamed up with Eagles **FB Owen Schmitt** (2008-09), **DE Darryl Tapp** (2006-09), **C Steve Vallos** (2008-09) and **G Mike Gibson** (2009-10). **LB Niko Koutouvides** played with Tapp in Seattle from 2006-07.
- Patriots **G Donald Thomas** protected the quarterback alongside Eagles **G Evan Mathis** during the 2008 season with the Miami Dolphins. Patriots **LB Rob Ninkovich** and **CB Will Allen** were also members of the 2008 Dolphins.
- Patriots **DL Gerrard Warren** and **LB Trevor Scott** both spent time with Eagles **CB Nnamdi Asomugha** in Oakland. Both players played two years with Asomugha: Warren (2007-08) and Scott (2008-10).
- Patriots **WR Brandon Lloyd** played with Eagles **S Joselio Hanson** for one season in San Francisco (2004).
- **Lloyd** also played part of the 2011 season in St. Louis with Eagles **T Thomas Welch**.
- Patriots **TE Daniel Fells** spent three seasons with Eagles **S OJ Atogwe** (2008-10) and one year with **WR Mardy Gilyard** (2010) in St. Louis.
- **Gaffney** and **WR Donte Stallworth** spent the 2011 season with **Atogwe** in Washington.

Former Eagles

- **WR Donte Stallworth** played in Philadelphia for one season (2006). Stallworth finished the season with 38 receptions for 725 yards and five touchdowns, as the Eagles claimed first place in the NFC East.
- **LB Tracy White** spent the 2009 season in Philadelphia and recorded his first career interception in a game vs. San Francisco (12/20/09).

NFL'S BEST ROAD WARRIORS SINCE ROBERT KRAFT PURCHASED THE TEAM IN 1994.

Since Robert Kraft purchased the Patriots in 1994, the team has the best regular-season road record at 86-58 (.597). The Eagles are tied for the fifth-best road record in the NFL during that time.

| TEAM | RECORD | PCT. |
|--------------|---------|------|
| New England | 86-58 | .597 |
| Pittsburgh | 81-63 | .563 |
| Indianapolis | 76-68 | .528 |
| N.Y. Giants | 75-68-1 | .524 |
| Green Bay | 75-69 | .521 |
| Philadelphia | 74-68-2 | .521 |

2012 PATRIOTS OPPONENTS

In 2012 the Patriots will play each of the other AFC East rivals twice and will play one game against each of the AFC South and NFC West teams. As the first-place team in the AFC East, the Patriots will play the first-place teams of the AFC West (Denver) and the AFC North (Baltimore).

| HOME | | | | AWAY | | | |
|---------------------|----|----|------|----------------------|----|----|------|
| Team | W | L | Pct. | Team | W | L | Pct. |
| San Francisco 49ers | 13 | 3 | .813 | Baltimore Ravens | 12 | 4 | .750 |
| Houston Texans | 10 | 6 | .625 | Tennessee Titans | 9 | 7 | .563 |
| Denver Broncos | 8 | 8 | .500 | New York Jets | 8 | 8 | .500 |
| New York Jets | 8 | 8 | .500 | Seattle Seahawks | 7 | 9 | .438 |
| Arizona Cardinals | 8 | 8 | .500 | Miami Dolphins | 6 | 10 | .375 |
| Miami Dolphins | 6 | 10 | .375 | Buffalo Bills | 6 | 10 | .375 |
| Buffalo Bills | 6 | 10 | .375 | Jacksonville Jaguars | 5 | 11 | .313 |
| Indianapolis Colts | 2 | 14 | .125 | St. Louis Rams | 2 | 14 | .125 |



LAST GAME: PATRIOTS VS. SAINTS

PATRIOTS 7, NEW ORLEANS 6

August 9, 2012 ★ Gillette Stadium

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | Final |
|----------------------|---|---|---|---|-------|
| New Orleans Saints | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | — 6 |
| New England Patriots | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | — 7 |

The New England Patriots opened the 2012 preseason with a 7-6 victory over the New Orleans Saints at Gillette Stadium. The game followed two days of joint practices for the two teams.

The Patriots defense allowed the Saints to tally only six points. Last season, the Saints offense gained an all-time NFL record 7,474 total net yards. The six points allowed was New England's lowest preseason scoring allowance in more than five years. The last time New England allowed six or fewer points in a preseason game was on Aug. 26, 2006, when the Patriots beat Washington 41-0.

Quarterback Tom Brady started the game and played through the first two drives. He was 4-for-7 for 30 yards. His first drive was an 11-play, 20-yard drive that ended on a forced fumble on a sack and his second was a 5-play, 20-yard drive that ended with a punt.

Quarterback Brian Hoyer and QB Ryan Mallett rotated the rest of the game after the first two drives. Mallett led the team with 89 passing yards on 8-for-19 passing, while Hoyer went 8-for-15 with a touchdown and 45 passing yards.

Hoyer led a 14-play, 97-yard drive on the first series of the third quarter that started at the New England 3-yard line and ended with a 3-yard touchdown pass to first-year WR Britt Davis for the game's only touchdown. RB Shane Vereen had 73 total yards on that drive with 63 rushing yards on seven carries and one 10-yard catch.

Vereen and RB Stevan Ridley combined for 19 rushes for 104 yards (5.5 avg.), pacing a Patriots running game that totaled 126 yards on 31 carries. Vereen led the team with 11 rushes for 64 yards, while Ridley added 40 yards on eight carries.

Both Patriots starting safeties had interceptions inside the Patriots' own 20-yard line to end New Orleans scoring threats in the first half. First, newly acquired S Steve Gregory intercepted Saints QB Chase Daniel at the New England 12-yard line after LB Jerod Mayo tipped the ball. Gregory has four career interceptions during his six NFL seasons. Then, with under a minute to play in the first quarter, Patrick Chung picked off QB Sean Canfield at the New England 11-yard line.

New Orleans scored its first points in the first quarter following a Brady fumble on a sack by DE Will Smith that was recovered by the Saints at the New England 34-yard line. The turnover set up a 46-yard field goal by K John Kasey.

A 27-yard field goal by New Orleans closed the gap to 7-6 in the fourth quarter but the Saints missed on a 41-yard field goal later in the quarter to help preserve the Patriots win.

PATRIOTS WIN FOURTH STRAIGHT PRESEASON OPENER

The Patriots began the 2012 preseason with a 7-6 win. New England has now won four straight preseason openers dating back to 2009, and are now 9-4 (.692) in preseason openers since Bill Belichick became head coach in 2000.

PATRIOTS DEFENSE HOLDS SAINTS TO SIX

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VEREEN GAINS 73 TOTAL YARDS ON THE 97-YARD TOUCHDOWN DRIVE

RB Shane Vereen had 73 total yards on the 97-yard drive that ended with a touchdown in the third quarter. On that drive, Vereen had 63 rushing yards on seven carries and one 10-yard catch.

VEREEN AND RIDLEY COMBINE FOR 19 RUSHES AND 104 YARDS (5.5 AVG.)

Second-year running backs Shane Vereen and Stevan Ridley combined for 19 rushes for 104 yards (5.5 avg.), pacing a Patriots running game that totaled 126 yards on 31 carries. Vereen led the team with 11 rushes for 64 yards, while Ridley added 40 yards on eight carries.

TWO 2012 DRAFT PICKS IN THE STARTING LINEUP

Six of the seven Patriots 2012 draft picks made their NFL debuts, including two that were in the starting lineup. First round picks DE Chandler Jones and LB Dont'a Hightower both were in the starting lineup on defense.

TEN NEWLY ACQUIRED PLAYERS

Ten players signed as veteran free agents made their first appearance in a Patriots uniform – CB Will Allen, DL Tim Bulman, LB Bobby Carpenter, CB Marquice Cole, S Steve Gregory, DL Marcus Harrison, WR Jesse Holley, WR Brandon Lloyd, S Derrick Martin, and LB Trevor Scott.

GAFFNEY AND STALLWORTH MAKE THEIR RETURN

Two veterans that were re-acquired by the Patriots this past offseason donned the New England uniform. WR Jabar Gaffney saw his first action with the Patriots since his previous stint with New England from 2006-08. WR Donte' Stallworth made his Patriots return after previously playing in New England in 2007.

KOPPEN BACK ON THE FIELD

Veteran C Dan Koppen made a successful return to the field after suffering a season-ending injury in the first game of the 2011 season at Miami on Sept. 21.

BOTH STARTING SAFETIES RECORD INTERCEPTIONS

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ROOKIE DE JAKE BEQUETTE RECORDS A SACK

DE Jake Bequette, the Patriots' 2012 third-round draft choice, registered a 1-yard sack in the fourth quarter.

TREVOR SCOTT FORCED A FUMBLE ON A SACK

LB Trevor Scott sacked New Orleans QB Luke McCown for an 8-yard loss at the Saints' 6-yard line late in the fourth quarter. Scott also forced McCown to fumble on the play, but New Orleans was able to come up with the recovery.

EDELMAN LEADS THE TEAM IN RECEIVING

WR Julian Edelman led the team with four receptions and 36 receiving yards, including the Patriots' longest play from scrimmage for the evening, a 23-yard catch from Ryan Mallett.



QUOTES AND NOTES

NEWLY ACQUIRED PATRIOTS

The Patriots acquired veteran free agnets CB Will Allen, LB Bobby Carpenter, DE Jonathan Fanene, WR Jabar Gaffney, S Steve Gregory, FB Spencer Larsen, WR Brandon Lloyd, LB Trevor Scott, TE Visanthe Shiancoe and WR Donte' Stallworth this past offseason. Below are some of their thoughts on joining the Patriots:

From Will Allen: "Obviously, they're one of the best offenses in the league and they've been that way for quite some time. I'm excited to be on this side. I've faced Tom (Brady) quite a few times. To be a teammate of his, I'm grateful for that."

From Bobby Carpenter: "It's been interesting. My only experience here was watching the media resources that you provided and watching Bill [Belichick] in press conferences and seeing him on TV. I knew a couple of guys, but other than that I didn't know. It's been exciting, we have a great team atmosphere and I was very pleased with how great the locker room was. We've got a tremendous group of players here and not only that, but they're great people. So it's been easy to get acclimated."

From Jonathan Fanene: "I see guys focused more, and not just the workout, but in everything we do here. It's more of a team effort. Guys welcome me inside the locker room. It's just hard-working, do-the-job type of atmosphere."

From Jabar Gaffney: "It's everybody, starting at the top with Mr. Kraft. He's probably one of the best owners in the league. His relationship with the players is like none I've seen in the world. From there down to the coaching staff with Coach Belichick and then the players, the locker room and everything."

From Steve Gregory: "It's a winning organization. Obviously everyone's goal in the NFL is to win a Super Bowl and I know that this gives me a great opportunity to do that."

From Spencer Larsen: "I've played [New England] twice in my career and it was definitely circled on our schedule early. These are the guys that you need to beat and I'm just really excited to be a part of that. It's been since my junior year in high school since I've had a winning season and I'm just really excited to be a part of a team that contends."

From Brandon Lloyd: "The coaching, the way that the message is delivered and the way that the coaches coach and the players all fall in line. It's been a good experience so far."

From Trevor Scott: You just know what to expect when you come here. They want to compete for the Super Bowl every year. To come in here, I'm going to have big shoes to fill."

From Visanthe Shiancoe: "It's just a well-organized team. I can see I have to work hard here and it's time to work."

From Donte' Stallworth: "Coming back to the Patriots has been great. Just being around for workouts and being back in the locker room, it's definitely been surreal. That was the right word. It took me a while to get used to being back here, but it's a good feeling and I'm excited to be back and to be part of this organization once again."

ANNUAL ACHIEVEMENTS

The Patriots have won more than half of their games for the 11th straight year with a 13-3 record in 2011. They are the first team to win more than half of their games in 11 straight seasons since free agency began in 1993.

The Patriots are the fourth team to win more than half of their games in 11 straight seasons since the 1970 AFL-NFL merger, joining the 49ers (16 straight from 1983-1998), the Cowboys (16 straight from 1970-85) and the Raiders (11 straight from 1970-80).

The Patriots have now won nine or more games in 15 of the 18 seasons Robert Kraft has owned the team.

MOST CONSECUTIVE WINNING SEASONS (since 1970 merger)

San Francisco (1983-98) 16

Dallas (1970-85)..... 16

New England (2001-11) 11

Oakland (1970-80) 11

PATRIOTS HAVE THE MOST 9+ WIN SEASONS SINCE 2001

The Patriots are the only team in the NFL to have recorded nine or more wins in each of the last 11 seasons.

MOST SEASONS OF 9+ WINS SINCE 2001

New England.....11

Pittsburgh.....9

Indianapolis.....9

Philadelphia.....8

PATRIOTS WIN 10+ FOR THE NINTH STRAIGHT YEAR

New England has reached at least 10 regular-season wins for nine consecutive seasons, joining San Francisco (16) and Indianapolis (9) as the only teams to accomplish the feat.

| Team | Years | Consecutive Seasons with 10+ Wins |
|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------|
| San Francisco | 1983-1998 | 16 |
| New England | 2003-present | 9 |
| Indianapolis | 2002-2010 | 9 |

PATRIOTS EARNED NUMBER ONE SEED IN AFC PLAYOFF FIELD FOR SECOND STRAIGHT SEASON

The Patriots were the number one seed in the AFC playoff field for the second straight season in 2011. The Patriots have now earned the number one seed four times (2011, 2010, 2007 and 2003) in the past nine seasons. New England is the first team since Philadelphia (2002, 2003 and 2004) to have the top seed in its conference in at least two straight years and is the first AFC team to have the first seed in two straight years since Buffalo in 1990 and 1991.

PRO BOWLERS DRAFTED SINCE 1996

The Patriots have the highest number of Pro Bowlers drafted since 1996 in the NFL.

| Rank | Team | Players |
|------|--------------------|-----------|
| 1. | New England | 17 |
| 2. | Green Bay | 16 |
| 3. | Baltimore | 15 |
| | Pittsburgh | 15 |





PATRIOTS 2012 TEAM NOTES

2012 WHAT TO LOOK FOR

BILL BELICHICK

- Bill Belichick (192) needs one more win to tie Chuck Knox (193) for 8th place all-time and 10 more wins to move past Dan Reeves (201) into seventh place all-time.
- Belichick (17) needs one more postseason victory to move out of a second place tie with Joe Gibbs into sole possession of third place all-time in postseason wins. Tom Landry (20) is in first place followed by Don Shula (18).

TOM BRADY

- Tom Brady (39,979) needs 21 yards passing to become the 14th player in NFL history with 40,000 career passing yards.
- Brady (124) needs one more career win to move into sole possession of fifth place for most career wins as a starting quarterback. He enters 2012 tied with Fran Tarkenton for fifth place. Peyton Manning is in fourth place with 141 career wins.
- Brady enters the 2012 season in a fifth place tie with John Elway for most career touchdowns passes with 300. Fran Tarkenton is in fourth place with 342 career touchdown passes.
- Brady enters the 2012 season in 8th place all-time with 45 career 300-yard passing games. Warren Moon is in seventh place with 49 300-yard games.
- If Brady reaches 30 or more touchdowns passes in 2012 he will become just the fifth player in NFL history with at least 30 or more touchdown passes in four seasons.
- Brady needs one more postseason victory to set the NFL record for most career postseason wins by a starting quarterback. He enters 2012 tied with Joe Montana with 16 career postseason wins.
- Brady needs one more AFC Offensive Player of the Week honor to tie Peyton Manning (21) for the most player of the week honors in NFL history.
- If Brady reaches 4,000 passing yards in 2011, he will be just the fifth player in NFL history to reach 4,000 yards in five or more seasons: Peyton Manning (11), Dan Marino (6), Drew Brees (6) and Brett Favre (6).
- Brady enters the 2012 season with at least one touchdown pass in 32 straight games. Brady's 32 straight games with at least one touchdown pass are fourth all-time, behind Johnny Unitas (47), Drew Brees (43) and Brett Favre (36).
- Brady had at least one touchdown pass in all 16 games in each of the last two seasons. Brady and Brees are the first two quarterbacks to throw for at least one touchdown pass in all 16 games for two straight seasons.

ROB GRONKOWSKI

- Rob Gronkowski (10 touchdowns in 2010 and 18 in 2011) can become the first tight end in NFL history with three straight 10-plus touchdown seasons. Gronkowski and Antonio Gates (13 in 2004 and 10 in 2005) are the only tight ends to have back-to-back 10-plus touchdown seasons.
- If he has another 10-touchdown season in 2012, he will join Randy Moss (2007, 2008 and 2009) and Corey Dillon (2004, 2005, 2006) as the only Patriots with three straight 10-plus touchdown seasons and three 10-plus seasons overall.

WES WELKER

- Wes Welker enters the 2012 season with 554 receptions and needs four receptions to pass Troy Brown (557) and become the Patriots all-time reception leader.
- Welker (6,105) needs 262 receiving yards to move past Troy Brown (6,366) into second place on the New England all-time receiving yards list. Stanley Morgan is in first place with 10,352 yards.
- If Welker reaches 100 receptions in 2012, he will become the first player in NFL history with five 100-catch seasons.
- Welker enters 2012 tied with Cris Carter and Reggie Wayne for fourth place all-time with 14 10-plus reception games. Jerry Rice is in first place with 17 10-reception games, followed by Marvin Harrison (16) and Andre Johnson (15).

NFL'S BEST AT HOME

Since their state-of-the-art facility opened at the beginning of the 2002 season, the Patriots own the NFL's best record at home overall. The Patriots own an overall record of 67-13 (.838) at Gillette Stadium in regular season games and a 76-15 (.835) record including playoffs.

BEST HOME RECORDS SINCE 2002

(including playoffs)

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
|--------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| New England | 76 | 15 | 0 | .835 |
| Baltimore | 62 | 21 | 0 | .747 |
| Pittsburgh | 64 | 23 | 1 | .733 |
| Indianapolis | 65 | 24 | 0 | .730 |
| San Diego | 57 | 28 | 0 | .671 |
| Green Bay | 57 | 29 | 0 | .663 |
| Seattle | 56 | 30 | 0 | .651 |
| Philadelphia | 55 | 33 | 0 | .625 |

PATRIOTS ARE SHARP AT GILLETTE

The Patriots concluded a 20-game home winning streak with a 24-20 loss to the New York Giants on Nov. 6, 2011. It was the longest home win streak in team history. The Patriots own an overall record of 67-13 (.838) at Gillette Stadium in regular season games.

The teams with the highest winning percentage at a stadium since 1970 (minimum 25 games):

| Team | Stadium | W-L-T | WIN PCT. |
|--------------------|-------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| New England | Gillette Stadium | 67-13 | .838 |
| Miami | Orange Bowl | 101-22-1 | .819 |
| Pittsburgh | Heinz Field | 65-22-1 | .744 |
| Minnesota | Metropolitan Stadium | 64-23-1 | .733 |
| LA Rams | Memorial Coliseum | 53-20-2 | .726 |

LONGEST HOME WINNING STREAK / PATRIOTS HISTORY (REG. SEASON)

| Streak | First Win | Last Win |
|-----------|----------------------|----------------------|
| 20 | Dec. 12, 2008 | Oct. 16, 2011 |
| 18 | Dec. 29, 2002 | Sept. 8, 2005 |
| 12 | Nov. 26, 2006 | Sept. 7, 2008 |
| 10 | Sept. 18, 1976 | Oct. 30, 1977 |

TWO PATRIOTS REACH 1,000 YARDS in 2011

Wes Welker (1,569) and Rob Gronkowski (1,327) both finished with over 1,000 yards receiving in 2011. It is the fifth time in team history that New England had two players with over 1,000 receiving yards. Welker and Randy Moss had three straight seasons with 1,000 yards (2007-09). Welker and Moss became the sixth group of NFL teammates to have three straight 1,000 yard seasons. The Patriots also had two receivers reach 1,000 yards in 1979.

TOM BRADY AND WES WELKER BECOME THE 12TH TO SCORE ON A 99-YARD PASS PLAY

Tom Brady connected with Wes Welker on a 99-yard touchdown in the fourth quarter of the 2011 season-opener at Miami (9/12/11). The 99-yard play tied the NFL record for the longest offensive play, which has been accomplished 14 times. There have been 13 pass plays and one running play for 99 yards. Listed below are the 14 99-yard plays.

(13) 99-YARD PASS PLAYS

Frank Filchock to Andy Farkas, Wash. vs. Pitt. – Oct. 15, 1939
 George Izo to Bobby Mitchell, Wash. vs. Clev. – Sept. 15, 1963
 Karl Sweetan to Pat Studstill, Det. vs. Balt. – Oct. 16, 1966
 Sonny Jurgensen to Gerry Allen, Wash. vs. Chic. – Sept. 15, 1968
 Jim Plunkett to Cliff Branch, LA Raiders vs. Wash. – Oct. 2, 1983
 Ron Jaworski to Mike Quick, Phil. vs. Atl. – Nov. 10, 1985
 Stan Humphries to Tony Martin, SD. vs. Sea. – Sept. 18, 1994
 Brett Favre to Robert Brooks, GB vs. Chic. – Sept. 11, 1995
 Trent Green to Marc Boerigter, KC vs. SD. – Dec. 22, 2002
 Jeff Garcia to Andre Davis, Clev. vs. Cin. – Oct. 17, 2004
 Gus Ferrotte to Bernard Berrian, Minn. vs. Chi. – Nov. 30, 2008

Tom Brady to Wes Welker, NE at Mia. – Sept. 12, 2011

Eli Manning to Victor Cruz, NY Giants at NY Jets – Dec. 24, 2011

(1) 99-YARD RUN PLAY

Tony Dorsett, Dal. vs. Minn. – Jan. 3, 1983



PATRIOTS 2012 TEAM NOTES

PATRIOTS SET FRANCHISE RECORD WITH 622 TOTAL YARDS IN 2011 OPENER

The Patriots 622 total yards at Miami (9/12/11) in the 2011 season opener is a franchise record. The previous high was 619 yards vs. Tennessee on Oct. 18, 2009. The Patriots now have two games in their history with 600 or more total yards.

NFL'S BEST ROAD WARRIORS

Since the start of the 2000 season, the Patriots have the best regular-season road record at 63-33 (.656).

| TEAM | RECORD | PCT. |
|--------------------|--------------|-------------|
| New England | 63-33 | .656 |
| Philadelphia | 62-33-1 | .651 |
| Indianapolis | 59-37 | .615 |
| Pittsburgh | 59-37 | .615 |

PATRIOTS FORCE TURNOVERS

The Patriots lead the NFL with a +123 turnover margin since the 1994 season, including a league-leading and franchise record +28 in 2010 and an AFC leading +17 in 2011 that was third to San Francisco's +28 and Green Bay's +24. The Patriots +17 is 10 higher than the second place AFC team (Houston at +7)

NFL TURNOVER MARGIN SINCE 1994

| Rank | Team | Turnover Margin |
|-----------|--------------------|-----------------|
| 1. | New England | +123 |
| 2. | Kansas City | +102 |
| 3. | Green Bay | +70 |

PATRIOTS SCORE TOUCHDOWNS

The Patriots scored 61 total touchdowns in 2011. That number is third in team history to the 75 scored in 2007 and the 65 scored in 2010.

MOST TOUCHDOWNS IN A SEASON / PATRIOTS

75 in 2007
65 in 2010
61 in 2011
52 in 1961 and 1980

PATRIOTS REACHED 400 POINTS FOR THE FIFTH STRAIGHT YEAR

The Patriots finished the season with 513 points for their fifth straight season of 400 or more points and their second straight season with over 500 points. The 513 points are third in team history. The Patriots are the third team to ever have at least five straight 400-point seasons. Indianapolis had five straight (2003-07) and San Diego has a current streak of eight straight 400 point seasons (2004-11).

MOST POINTS SCORED IN A SEASON BY THE PATRIOTS

589 in 2007
518 in 2010
513 in 2011
441 in 1980

PATRIOTS ON POINT

The Patriots averaged 32.1 points per game in 2011. That average ranks third all-time in team history.

HIGHEST AVG. POINTS PER GAME BY THE PATRIOTS

36.8 in 2007
32.4 in 2010
32.1 in 2011
29.5 in 1961

PATRIOTS SET FRANCHISE RECORD FOR MOST TOTAL NET YARDS IN 2011

The Patriots finished the 2011 season with 6,848 total net yards, setting a new franchise record for most total net yards in a season. That total is fourth all-time in NFL history.

MOST TOTAL NET YARDS/SEASON PATRIOTS

6,848 in 2011
6,580 in 2007
6,357 in 2009

MOST TOTAL NET YARDS/ NFL

7,474 New Orleans in 2011
7,075 St. Louis in 2000
6,936 Miami in 1984
6,848 Patriots in 2011

WHAT'S THE POINT?

During the past 12 seasons, the Patriots defense has always ranked higher in fewest points allowed than in yards allowed except for 2007 when both ranked fourth. The Patriots finished 15th in the NFL on defense by allowing an average of 21.4 points per game in 2011.

| | Avg. Points Allowed | Avg. Yds Allowed |
|------|---------------------|------------------|
| 2011 | 21.4 (15) | 411.1 (31) |
| 2010 | 19.6 (8) | 365.5 (25) |
| 2009 | 17.8 (5) | 320.2 (11) |
| 2008 | 19.3 (8) | 309.0 (10) |
| 2007 | 17.1 (4) | 288.3 (4) |
| 2006 | 14.8 (2) | 294.4 (6) |
| 2005 | 21.1 (17) | 330.2 (26) |
| 2004 | 16.3 (2t) | 310.6 (9) |
| 2003 | 14.9 (1) | 291.6 (7) |
| 2002 | 21.6 (17) | 336.1 (23) |
| 2001 | 17.0 (6) | 334.5 (24) |
| 2000 | 21.1 (17) | 334.6 (20) |

TOP OFFENSE

The Patriots offense finished second in the NFL in total yards. The Patriots offense has finished in the top 10 five straight seasons. Since the 1970 merger, the Patriots offense has finished in the top 10 a total of 16 times, including seven times under Bill Belichick.

| Year | Rank |
|-------------|------------------|
| 2011 | 2 (428.0) |
| 2010 | 8 (363.8) |
| 2009 | 3 (397.3) |
| 2008 | 5 (365.4) |
| 2007 | 1 (411.3) |

WELKER AND GRONKOWSKI ARE THE TOP TWO IN THE AFC

Wes Welker (1,569) and Rob Gronkowski (1,327) finished first and second respectively in the AFC in receiving yards. They became the first teammates to finish 1-2 in a conference in receiving yards since Torry Holt and Isaac Bruce in 2000 (St. Louis). **TEAMMATES TO FINISH FIRST AND SECOND IN A CONFERENCE**

| | | |
|------|-------------|-------------------------------|
| 2011 | New England | Wes Welker/Rob Gronkowski |
| 2000 | St. Louis | Torry Holt/Isaac Bruce |
| 1982 | San Diego | Wes Chandler/Kellen Winslow |
| 1980 | San Diego | John Jefferson/Kellen Winslow |

DIVISIONAL DOMINANCE I

The New England Patriots own a 53-15 (.779) record in regular season AFC East games since the beginning of the 2001 season, compiling the best intra-division record of any team in the NFL.

NFL'S TOP DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| New England Patriots | 53 | 15 | 0 | .779 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers | 50 | 20 | 0 | .714 |
| Green Bay Packers | 48 | 20 | 0 | .706 |
| Indianapolis Colts | 47 | 21 | 0 | .691 |

AFC EAST DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. | Div. Titles | Years |
|--------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-------------|-------------|---------------------------|
| New England | 53 | 15 | 0 | .779 | 9 | 2001, 03-07, 09-11 |
| New York Jets | 34 | 34 | 0 | .500 | 1 | 2002 |
| Miami | 29 | 39 | 0 | .426 | 1 | 2008 |
| Buffalo | 21 | 47 | 0 | .309 | 0 | --- |

NOTES: The Indianapolis Colts were members of the AFC East in 2001 and compiled a 3-5 divisional record that season. In 2002, the Patriots and Jets both finished with a 9-7 overall record and a 4-2 divisional record, but the Jets claimed the division title by virtue of having a better record against common opponents. In 2008, the Patriots and Dolphins both finished with an 11-5 overall record and a 4-2 divisional record, but Miami qualified for the playoffs due to a better conference record (8-4 to 7-5).

DIVISIONAL DOMINANCE II

The Patriots have the highest winning percentage in division games from November until the end of the season since 2002.

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
|--------------------|-----------|----------|----------|-------------|
| New England | 27 | 7 | 0 | .794 |
| Indianapolis | 25 | 9 | 0 | .735 |
| San Diego | 25 | 9 | 0 | .735 |
| Green Bay | 27 | 10 | 0 | .730 |
| Pittsburgh | 27 | 11 | 0 | .710 |



PATRIOTS 2012 TEAM NOTES

HOME RECORD IN DECEMBER SINCE 2002

With a 20-1 record, the New England Patriots have the best home record in December since Gillette Stadium opened in 2002. The Patriots have won 19 straight at home in December. This year the Patriots will play three of their final four regular season games at home.

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
|--------------------|-----------|----------|----------|-------------|
| New England | 20 | 1 | 0 | .952 |
| Green Bay | 18 | 4 | 0 | .818 |
| Indianapolis | 19 | 6 | 0 | .760 |
| Denver | 13 | 5 | 0 | .722 |
| Philadelphia | 14 | 6 | 0 | .700 |

NFL'S TOP DECEMBER RECORD SINCE 2001

The Patriots have an NFL-best 41-5 record in the month of December since the 2001 season, including a 4-0 record in 2011.

| Rk | Team | Record |
|----------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| 1 | New England Patriots | 41-5 |
| 2 | Philadelphia Eagles | 35-12 |
| 3 | Pittsburgh Steelers | 34-14 |
| 4 | Indianapolis Colts | 31-17 |
| 5 | San Diego Chargers | 31-18 |

The Patriots have finished undefeated in December seven times since 2001: (4-0 -2011): (2001 - 4-0), (2003 - 4-0), (2005 - 4-0), (2007 - 5-0), (2008 - 4-0) and (2010 -4-0).

BEST RECORDS IN THE FINAL FOUR GAMES OF THE SEASON SINCE 2006

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
|--------------------|-----------|----------|----------|-------------|
| New England | 22 | 2 | 0 | .917 |
| San Diego | 22 | 2 | 0 | .917 |
| Philadelphia | 19 | 5 | 0 | .792 |
| Baltimore | 18 | 6 | 0 | .750 |

STRONG IN THE SECOND HALF

Since 2001, the Patriots have done a remarkable job of finishing the season strong, compiling an NFL-best 69-16 (.812) record in games on or after Thanksgiving.

PATRIOTS BEFORE AND AFTER THANKSGIVING SINCE 2001

| Season | Pre-Thanksgiving | Post-Thanksgiving | Overall |
|---------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------|
| 2001 | 5-5 (.500) | 9-0 (1.000) | 14-5* |
| 2002 | 6-5 (.545) | 3-2 (.600)^ | 9-7 |
| 2003 | 9-2 (.818) | 8-0 (1.000) | 17-2* |
| 2004 | 9-1 (.900) | 8-1 (.889) | 17-2* |
| 2005 | 6-4 (.600) | 5-3 (.625) | 11-7* |
| 2006 | 7-3 (.700) | 7-2 (.777) | 14-5* |
| 2007 | 10-0 (1.000) | 8-1 (.889) | 18-1* |
| 2008 | 7-4 (.636) | 4-1 (.800) | 11-5 |
| 2009 | 7-3 (.700) | 3-4 (.429) | 10-7* |
| 2010 | 8-2 (.800) | 6-1 (.857)^ | 14-3* |
| 2011 | 7-3 (.700) | 8-1 (.889) | 15-4* |
| Totals | 81-32 (.717) | 69-16 (.812) | 150-48 |

*Includes playoffs ^Includes games played on Thanksgiving

BEST RECORDS IN GAMES PLAYED ON OR AFTER THANKSGIVING SINCE 2001

(Includes regular-season and playoff games)

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
|--------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| New England | 69 | 16 | 0 | .812 |
| Pittsburgh | 58 | 24 | 0 | .707 |
| Philadelphia | 52 | 29 | 0 | .642 |
| San Diego | 45 | 26 | 0 | .634 |
| Green Bay | 49 | 29 | 0 | .628 |



PATRIOTS TIE THE NFL RECORD FOR MOST 30-POINT GAMES IN A SINGLE SEASON

The Patriots scored 30 points 12 times in 2011 to tie the NFL record for most 30-point games in a single season. The 2007 Patriots and the 1999 St. Louis Rams also had a dozen 30 point games. The NFL record for most consecutive 30-point games in a single season is eight by the 2007 and 2010 Patriots and the 2000 St. Louis Rams.

TWO PLAYERS WITH 10 OR MORE TOUCHDOWNS FOR SECOND STRAIGHT SEASON

RB BenJarvus Green-Ellis (11) and TE Rob Gronkowski (18) reached 10 or more touchdowns in 2011. It is the second straight season and fourth time in team history that the Patriots have had two players finish with 10 or more touchdowns in a season. Last season, Gronkowski (10) and Green-Ellis (13) had 10 touchdown seasons. In 1976, Steve Grogan had 12 touchdowns (12 rushing) and Andy Johnson had 10 touchdowns (6 rushing, 4 receiving). In 1974, Mack Herron had 12 touchdowns (7 rushing, 5 receiving) and Sam Cunningham had 11 (9 rushing, 2 receiving).

PATRIOTS HAD 18 100-YARD RECEIVERS IN 2011 TO SET FRANCHISE RECORD

The Patriots had two receivers pass the 100-yard receiving mark against Buffalo, giving New England 18 individual 100-yard receiving performances in 2011. That number set a new franchise record, topping the 16 100-yard performances in 2007.

TWO PLAYERS WITH 100 YARDS FOR THE FIFTH TIME IN 2011

Both Rob Gronkowski (108) and Aaron Hernandez (138) went over 100 yards receiving vs. Buffalo, marking the fifth time that the Patriots had a game with two players over 100 yards receiving in 2011.

- Wes Welker (160) and Aaron Hernandez (103) at Miami (9/12)
- Welker (217) and Rob Gronkowski (109) at Buffalo (9/25)
- Welker (136) and Gronkowski (101) vs. NY Giants (11/6)
- Welker (115) and Deion Branch (125) at Philadelphia (11/27)
- Gronkowski (108) and Hernandez (138) vs. Buffalo (1/1).

2011 HONORS AND AWARDS

QB Tom Brady

- AFC Offensive Player of the Week (Wk. 1 at Miami)
- AFC Offensive Player of the Week (Wk. 2 vs. San Diego)
- AFC Offensive Player of the Month (November)
- AFC Offensive Player of the Week (Wk. 16 vs. Miami)
- AFC Offensive Player of the Month (December/January)
- AFC Pro Bowl starter

DE Andre Carter

- AFC Defensive Player of the Week (Wk. 10 at NY Jets)
- AFC Pro Bowl starter

WR Julian Edelman

- AFC Special Teams Player of the Week (Wk. 11 vs. KC)

TE Rob Gronkowski

- AFC Offensive Player of the Week (Wk. 14 at Washington)
- AFC Pro Bowl starter
- Associated Press All-Pro: First Team
- Pro Football Weekly All-NFL Team

G Logan Mankins

- AFC Pro Bowl starter
- Associated Press All-Pro: Second Team

DB Sterling Moore

- Pepsi NFL Rookie of the Week (Wk17 vs. Buffalo)

WR Matthew Slater

- AFC Pro Bowl (special teams)

T Nate Solder

- Pro Football Weekly All-Rookie Team

G Brian Waters

- AFC Pro Bowl starter

WR Wes Welker

- AFC Pro Bowl starter
- Associated Press All-Pro: First Team
- Pro Football Weekly All-NFL Team

NT Vince Wilfork

- AFC Pro Bowl starter
- Associated Press All-Pro: Second Team



PATRIOTS SUSTAINING SUCCESS

PATRIOTS ARE MOST FREQUENT SUPER BOWL TEAM OVER LAST 30 YEARS

The Patriots won their seventh conference championship since the 1985 season, and have won more conference titles than any other team over the last 30 years (since 1982). Additionally, the Patriots' six conference titles over the last 25 years are two more than the next closest teams, and New England's six conference championships in the last 20 years are also more than any other team. New England also has more conference titles over the last 15 years (5) and over the last 10 years (4) than any other team. The Patriots' two conference titles in the last five years are tied with Pittsburgh and the New York Giants for the most over that span.

Most Conference Championships in Last 5 Years (2007-2011)

| | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| New England | 2 |
| Pittsburgh..... | 2 |
| N.Y. Giants..... | 2 |
| New Orleans..... | 1 |
| Indianapolis..... | 1 |
| Green Bay..... | 1 |
| Arizona..... | 1 |

Most Conference Championships in Last 10 Years (2002-2011)

| | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| New England | 4 |
| Pittsburgh..... | 3 |
| Indianapolis..... | 2 |
| N.Y. Giants..... | 2 |
| 9 Other Teams..... | 1 |

*-Pending Results of 2011 NFC Championship Game

Most Conference Championships in Last 15 Years (1997-2011)

| | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| New England | 5 |
| Pittsburgh..... | 3 |
| N.Y. Giants..... | 3 |
| Denver..... | 2 |
| Green Bay..... | 2 |
| Indianapolis..... | 2 |
| St. Louis Rams..... | 2 |

Most Conference Championships in Last 20 Years (1992-2011)

| | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| New England | 6 |
| Pittsburgh..... | 4 |
| Dallas..... | 3 |
| Green Bay..... | 3 |
| N.Y. Giants..... | 3 |
| Buffalo..... | 2 |
| Denver..... | 2 |
| Indianapolis..... | 2 |
| St. Louis..... | 2 |

Most Conference Championships in Last 25 Years (1987-2011)

| | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| New England | 6 |
| Buffalo..... | 4 |
| Denver..... | 4 |
| Pittsburgh..... | 4 |
| N.Y. Giants..... | 4 |
| Dallas..... | 3 |
| Green Bay..... | 3 |
| San Francisco..... | 3 |

Most Conference Championships in Last 30 Years (1982-2011)

| | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| New England | 7 |
| Denver..... | 5 |
| N.Y. Giants..... | 5 |
| Buffalo..... | 4 |
| Pittsburgh..... | 4 |
| San Francisco..... | 4 |
| Washington..... | 4 |
| Dallas..... | 3 |
| Green Bay..... | 3 |

WHAT HAVE YOU DONE FOR ME LATELY?

Since their record-setting 2007 season, the Patriots have maintained their spot atop the NFL in terms of regular season winning percentage and are second in regular season points scored. Since the beginning of the 2008 season, the Patriots have the NFL's highest winning percentage and have scored the second most points in the NFL. Since 2009, the Patriots are tied for the best winning percentage and have scored the most points. New England tops both categories since the beginning of the 2010 season.

HIGHEST WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 2008

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. | PF | PA |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| New England Patriots | 48 | 16 | 0 | .750 | 1868 | 1249 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers | 45 | 19 | 0 | .703 | 1415 | 1006 |
| New Orleans Saints | 45 | 19 | 0 | .703 | 1904 | 1380 |
| Baltimore Ravens | 44 | 20 | 0 | .688 | 1511 | 1041 |
| Atlanta Falcons | 43 | 21 | 0 | .672 | 1570 | 1288 |
| Green Bay Packers | 42 | 22 | 0 | .656 | 1828 | 1276 |
| New York Giants | 39 | 25 | 0 | .609 | 1617 | 1468 |
| Philadelphia Eagles | 38 | 26 | 1 | .602 | 1680 | 1331 |

HIGHEST WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 2009

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. | PF | PA |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| New England Patriots | 37 | 11 | 0 | .771 | 1458 | 940 |
| New Orleans Saints | 37 | 11 | 0 | .771 | 1441 | 987 |
| Green Bay Packers | 36 | 12 | 0 | .750 | 1409 | 896 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers | 33 | 15 | 0 | .688 | 1068 | 783 |
| Baltimore Ravens | 33 | 15 | 0 | .688 | 1126 | 797 |
| Atlanta Falcons | 32 | 16 | 0 | .667 | 1179 | 963 |
| San Diego Chargers | 30 | 18 | 0 | .625 | 1301 | 1019 |
| Philadelphia Eagles | 29 | 19 | 0 | .604 | 126 | 1042 |
| New York Jets | 28 | 20 | 0 | .583 | 1092 | 903 |

HIGHEST WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 2010

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. | PF | PA |
|-----------------------------|-----------|----------|----------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| New England Patriots | 27 | 5 | 0 | .844 | 1031 | 655 |
| Green Bay Packers | 25 | 7 | 0 | .781 | 948 | 599 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers | 24 | 8 | 0 | .750 | 700 | 459 |
| Baltimore Ravens | 24 | 8 | 0 | .750 | 735 | 536 |
| New Orleans Saints | 24 | 8 | 0 | .750 | 931 | 646 |
| Atlanta Falcons | 23 | 9 | 0 | .719 | 816 | 638 |
| New York Jets | 19 | 13 | 0 | .594 | 744 | 667 |
| Chicago Bears | 19 | 13 | 0 | .594 | 687 | 627 |
| New York Giants | 19 | 13 | 0 | .594 | 788 | 747 |
| San Francisco 49ers | 19 | 13 | 0 | .594 | 685 | 575 |

MOST POINTS SCORED SINCE 2008

| Team | Points |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| New Orleans Saints..... | 1904 |
| New England Patriots..... | 1868 |
| Green Bay Packers..... | 1828 |
| San Diego Chargers..... | 1740 |
| Philadelphia Eagles..... | 1680 |
| New York Giants..... | 1617 |
| Atlanta Falcons..... | 1570 |
| Houston Texans..... | 1525 |
| Baltimore Ravens..... | 1511 |

MOST POINTS SCORED SINCE 2009

| Team | Points |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| New England Patriots..... | 1458 |
| New Orleans Saints..... | 1441 |
| Green Bay Packers..... | 1409 |
| San Diego Chargers..... | 1301 |
| Philadelphia Eagles..... | 1264 |
| New York Giants..... | 1190 |
| Atlanta Falcons..... | 1179 |
| Houston Texans..... | 1159 |
| Baltimore Ravens..... | 1126 |

MOST POINTS SCORED SINCE 2010

| Team | Points |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| New England Patriots..... | 1031 |
| Green Bay Packers..... | 948 |
| New Orleans Saints..... | 931 |
| San Diego Chargers..... | 847 |
| Detroit Lions..... | 836 |
| Philadelphia Eagles..... | 835 |
| Atlanta Falcons..... | 816 |
| New York Giants..... | 788 |
| Houston Texans..... | 771 |



2011 SEASON PERFORMANCES: WHERE DID THEY RANK?

| TEAM | | | |
|-----------------------|-------|--------------|-------|
| Total Net Yards | 6,848 | Team History | 1st |
| Total Net Yards | 6,848 | NFL History | 4th |
| Victories | 13 | Team History | 5th |
| Points Scored | 513 | Team History | 3rd |
| Gm. w/ 30+ Points | 12 | NFL History | T-1st |
| Touchdowns Scored | 61 | Team History | 3rd |
| First Downs | 399 | Team History | 1st |
| First Downs | 399 | NFL History | 2nd |
| Passing First Downs | 262 | Team History | 1st |
| Passing First Downs | 262 | NFL History | 2nd |
| Net Passing Yards | 5,084 | Team History | 1st |
| Net Passing Yards | 5,084 | NFL History | 4th |
| Fewest Fumbles | 13 | Team History | 2nd |
| 100-Yard Receivers | 18 | Team History | 1st |
| Interceptions | 23 | AFC in 2011 | 1st |
| Interceptions | 23 | NFL in 2011 | T-2nd |
| Turnover Differential | +17 | Team History | T-2nd |
| Turnover Differential | +17 | AFC in 2011 | 1st |



TOM BRADY

| | | | |
|-------------------|-------|--------------|-------|
| Passing Yards | 5,235 | NFL History | 2nd |
| Passing Yards | 5,235 | Team History | 1st |
| Passing Yds/Game | 332.8 | NFL History | 2nd |
| Passing Yds/Game | 332.8 | Team History | 1st |
| Completions | 401 | Team History | 1st |
| Touchdown Passes | 39 | Team History | 2nd |
| Touchdown Passes | 39 | NFL History | T-8th |
| 300-Yd Passing Gm | 11 | Team History | 1st |
| 300-Yd Passing Gm | 11 | NFL History | 2nd |
| Games with 2+ TD | 14 | Team History | T-1st |
| Games with 1+ TD | 16 | NFL History | T-1st |
| Games with 1+ TD | 16 | Team History | T-1st |

WES WELKER

| | | | |
|-------------------|-------|--------------|-------|
| Receptions | 122 | Team History | 2nd |
| Receptions | 122 | NFL History | T-4th |
| Receptions | 122 | NFL in 2011 | 1st |
| Receiving Yards | 1,569 | Team History | 1st |
| Receiving Yards | 1,569 | NFL in 2011 | 2nd |
| Longest Reception | 99t | NFL History | T-1st |



ROB GRONKOWSKI

| | | | |
|----------------------|-------|--------------|-------|
| Total Touchdowns | 18 | Team History | 2nd |
| Total TDs by a TE | 18 | NFL History | 1st |
| TD Rec. by a TE | 17 | NFL History | 1st |
| TD Receptions | 17 | Team History | 2nd |
| TD Receptions | 17 | NFL History | T-5th |
| TD Receptions | 17 | NFL in 2011 | 1st |
| Rec. Yards by a TE | 1,327 | NFL History | 1st |
| Receiving Yards | 1,327 | Team History | 6th |
| Receptions by a TE | 90 | Team History | 2nd |
| Games with 2+ TD | 7 | NFL History | T-2nd |
| Gm w/2+ TD by a TE | 7 | NFL History | 1st |
| Pts. by a Non-Kicker | 108 | NFL in 2011 | 2nd |
| Pts. by a Non-Kicker | 108 | AFC in 2011 | 1st |

ROB GRONKOWSKI & AARON HERNANDEZ

| | | | |
|-------------------|-----|-------------|-----|
| Rec. by TE Tandem | 169 | NFL History | 1st |
|-------------------|-----|-------------|-----|

STEPHEN GOSTKOWSKI

| | | | |
|---------------|-----|--------------|-----|
| Points Scored | 143 | AFC in 2011 | 1st |
| Points Scored | 143 | Team History | 4th |

KYLE ARRINGTON

| | | | |
|---------------|---|--------------|-------|
| Interceptions | 7 | NFL in 2011 | T-1st |
| Interceptions | 7 | Team History | T-6th |

ZOLTAN MESKO

| | | | |
|-----------------|------|--------------|-----|
| Punting Average | 46.5 | Team History | 1st |
|-----------------|------|--------------|-----|



INSIDE THE NUMBERS

BY THE NUMBERS

2

The number of interceptions by Vince Wilfork in 2011. Anthony Pleasant (2001) is the only other Patriots defensive lineman to record two interceptions in the same season.

2

The number of punts returned by Julian Edelman for touchdowns during his career, the fourth Patriots player with two or more punt returns for a touchdown.

3

The number of NFL players with four 100-reception seasons after Wes Welker (122) reached 100 receptions in 2011 to join Jerry Rice and Marvin Harrison.

4

The number of times LB Jerod Mayo has reached 100 tackles to start his career. He is the first player in New England history to register 100 tackles in his first four NFL seasons.

7

The number of interceptions by Kyle Arrington to put him in a three-way tie for the NFL lead in 2011.

8

The number of times in NFL history a player reached 1,000 yards in the ninth game of the season after Wes Welker reached the milestone in 2011.

9

The number of AFC East titles by the Patriots since the 2000 season.

17

The number of touchdown catches by TE Rob Gronkowski, the most in NFL history by a tight end in a single season.

18

The number of total touchdowns by TE Rob Gronkowski in 2011 (17 rec. and 1 rush), the highest number of combined touchdowns by a tight end in NFL history.

41.5

Zoltan Mesko finished the 2011 season with a franchise record 41.5-yard net average, the sixth-best net average in NFL history.

122

The number of receptions in 2011 by Wes Welker. With 122 in 2011 and 123 in 2009, Welker joins Cris Carter as the only two NFL players with at least 120-plus receptions twice in their careers.

1,327

The number of receiving yards by Gronkowski in 2011 to set an NFL record, surpassing Kellen Winslow in 1980 (1,290).

TOM BRADY BY THE NUMBERS

1

Tom Brady became the first player to follow a 500-yard performance with a 400-yard performance after Brady had back-to-back games with 517 yards and 423 yards to start 2011.

2

Brady joined Drew Brees (2011) as the only players to reach 3,000 yards in the first nine games of the season. Brady (3,032) had the most yards ever through the first nine games of the year.

4

The number of times in his career that Brady has thrown a game-winning touchdown pass in the final minute of the game to turn a deficit into a Patriots win.

4

The number of seasons that Brady has reached 4,000 passing yards. His four 4,000-yard seasons are tied with Warren Moon and Philip Rivers for the fifth most in NFL history.

6

Brady became the sixth NFL quarterback in NFL history to have 30 or more touchdowns passes in at least three seasons after reaching 30 vs. Indianapolis (12/4).

TOM BRADY BY THE NUMBERS

11

Tom Brady was the 11th quarterback in NFL history to throw for 500 or more yards after he passed for 517 in the 2011 opener at Miami.

20

The number of times Tom Brady has earned AFC Offensive Player of the Week honors. He earned the award in each of the first two weeks of the 2011 season and in Week 16.

45

The number of regular season 300-yard passing games by Tom Brady, a team record.

96

The number of times that Brady has thrown two or more touchdowns in a game. The Patriots are 81-15 when he throws for two or more touchdowns.

124

The number of wins that Brady has as a starting quarterback to tie Fran Tarkenton for fifth place. Brady reached the 100-win milestone in the fewest number of starts (131) among all quarterbacks in the modern era.

1,327

The number of passing yards Brady had in the first three games (517, 423 and 387) of 2011. Brady's 1,327 yards set the NFL mark for the most passing yards ever in a three-game stretch.

5,235

The number of passing yards by Brady in 2011, the second most in a season in NFL history.

THE KRAFT ERA

3

The number of Super Bowl championships the Patriots have won since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994. That mark is the highest total in the NFL over that span. Only Denver (2; 1997 and 1998), Pittsburgh (2; 2005 and 2008) and the NY Giants (2; 2007 and 2011) have won multiple Super Bowl titles since 1994.

6

The number of conference championships the Patriots have won since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994. That mark is the highest total in the NFL over that span. Pittsburgh is second with four conference titles since 1994.

11

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

13

The number of playoff seasons earned by the Patriots in the 18 seasons since Robert Kraft purchased the team.

19

The number of playoff games the Patriots have won since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994. That mark is the highest total in the NFL over that span. Pittsburgh ranks second with 17 playoff wins over that span.

29

The number of playoff games the Patriots have appeared in since 1994, the most in the NFL. Pittsburgh has the second most with 27.

THE BELICHICK ERA

4

Bill Belichick is one of just four coaches to win three championships since the Super Bowl era began. Belichick joins three members of the Pro Football Hall of Fame in the exclusive club (Chuck Noll 4, Joe Gibbs 3 and Bill Walsh 3). Belichick is the only coach to win three Super Bowls in the post-1993 salary cap era and the only one to ever win three in four years.

192

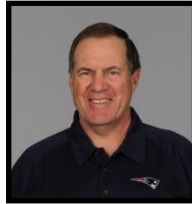
Bill Belichick has 192 career victories as a head coach, including playoff games. Belichick moved past Bill Parcells into sole possession of ninth place in all-time coaching victories. Chuck Knox is in 8th place with 193 wins.



BILL BELICHICK NEWS & NOTES

THE HEAD COACH

Overall Record: 192-104 (.649)
Regular Season: 175-97 (.643)
Postseason: 17-7 (.708)
With Patriots overall: 155-59 (.724)
Super Bowl Titles: 5 (86, 90, 01, 03, 04)
Conf. Titles: 8 (86, 90, 96, 01, 03, 04, 07, 11)
Division Titles: 16 (75, 78, 86, 89, 90, 96, 98, 01, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 11)



Bill Belichick is the only head coach in NFL history to win three Super Bowl titles in a four-year span. He has won more regular season games (121) and more games overall (135) during a 10-year stretch (2001-2010) than any other coach in NFL History. In the 2007 season, Belichick led the Patriots to the fourth undefeated and untied regular season and the first since the NFL established a 16-game schedule in 1978.

BELICHICK LEADS TEAM TO 11TH STRAIGHT WINNING RECORD

Bill Belichick has led the Patriots to a winning record for 11 consecutive seasons (2001-2011). The only other NFL coach to have at least 10 consecutive winning seasons with one team since the 1970 merger was Tom Landry, who led the Dallas Cowboys to 16 consecutive winning seasons (1970-1985).

BELICHICK BECOMES FIRST COACH WITH NINE STRAIGHT SEASONS OF 10 WINS

Bill Belichick is the first coach in NFL history with nine straight seasons with at least 10 victories after guiding the Patriots to nine 10-plus seasons from 2003 through 2011.

BELICHICK FIRST IN NFL HISTORY WITH 13-PLUS IN FIVE DIFFERENT SEASONS

Bill Belichick is the first head coach in NFL history with 13 or more wins in five different seasons.

2003-14-2
 2004-14-2
 2007-16-0
 2010-14-2
 2011-13-3

BELICHICK PASSES PARCELLS FOR 9TH PLACE

Bill Belichick moved past Bill Parcells into sole possession of 9th place in all-time coaching victories and now has 192 wins.

MOST WINS NFL COACHES

| Head Coach | Team(s) | Years of service | Record |
|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------|
| 1. Don Shula | BAL, MIA | 33 | 347-173-6 |
| 2. George Halas | Chicago | 40 | 324-151-31 |
| 3. Tom Landry | Dallas | 29 | 270-178-6 |
| 4. Curly Lambeau | GB, Cards, WAS | 33 | 229-134-22 |
| 5. Chuck Noll | Pittsburgh | 23 | 209-156-1 |
| 6. M. Schottenheimer | CLE, KC, WAS, SD | 21 | 205-139-1 |
| 7. Dan Reeves | DEN, NYG, ATL | 23 | 201-174-2 |
| 8. Chuck Knox | LAR, BUF, SEA | 22 | 193-158-1 |
| 9. Bill Belichick | CLE, NE | 17 | 192-104-0 |
| 10. Bill Parcells | NYG, NE, NYJ, DAL | 19 | 183-138-1 |
| 11. Mike Holmgren | GB, SEA | 17 | 174-122-0 |
| 12. Joe Gibbs | Washington | 16 | 171-101-0 |
| 13. Paul Brown | CLE, CIN | 21 | 170-108-6 |

ELITE COMPANY

Bill Belichick is one of nine NFL head coaches to win three or more championships since the league began postseason play in 1933, but the only one to win three in four years. Belichick joined an exclusive club in which each of the eight other members has been enshrined in the Pro Football Hall of Fame.

HEAD COACHES WITH THREE OR MORE NFL TITLES

(Listed alphabetically)

| Head Coach | Championship Team(s) |
|----------------|---|
| Bill Belichick | Patriots (SB XXXVI, XXXVIII, XXXIX) |
| Paul Brown | Cleveland Browns (1950, 54, 55) |
| Weeb Ewbank | Baltimore Colts, New York Jets (1958, 59 SB III) |
| Joe Gibbs | Washington Redskins (SB XVII, XXII, XXVI) |
| George Halas | Chicago Bears (1921, 33, 40, 41, 46, 63) |
| Curly Lambeau | Green Bay Packers (1929, 30, 31, 36, 39, 44) |
| Vince Lombardi | Green Bay Packers (1961, 62, 65, SB I, II) |
| Chuck Noll | Pittsburgh Steelers (Super Bowl IX, X, XIII, XIV) |
| Bill Walsh | San Francisco 49ers (Super Bowl XVI, XIX, XXIII) |

BELICHICK'S PATRIOTS RENAISSANCE

Any successful project requires a sound plan and once Head Coach Bill Belichick implemented his design on the Patriots, his approach has given him the best record of any NFL head coach who has coached over 40 games since 2001 (including the postseason).

NFL COACHES' RECORDS SINCE 2001

| Coach | Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
|----------------|--------|-----|----|---|------|
| Bill Belichick | NE | 150 | 48 | 0 | .758 |
| Tony Dungy | TB/IND | 101 | 41 | 0 | .711 |
| Mike Tomlin | PIT | 60 | 28 | 0 | .682 |

AMONG THE GREATS

Bill Belichick has recorded 192 career wins, which ranks 9th all-time in NFL history. Belichick owns a career winning percentage of .649, which is third all-time, behind George Halas (.682) and Don Shula (.667).

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

| Head Coach | Team(s) | Years | W | L | T | Pct. |
|----------------|------------|------------------------------|-----|-----|----|------|
| George Halas | CHI | 1920-29, 33-41, 46-55, 58-67 | 324 | 151 | 31 | .682 |
| Don Shula | BAL/MIA | 1963-95 | 347 | 173 | 6 | .667 |
| Bill Belichick | CLE/NE | 1991-95, 00-11 | 192 | 104 | 0 | .649 |
| Curly Lambeau | GB/CHI/WAS | 1921-53 | 229 | 134 | 22 | .630 |

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

SUPER SUCCESS

Bill Belichick is one of just four head coaches to win three Super Bowl championships. Belichick is the only coach to win three Super Bowls in the post-1993 salary cap era.

MOST SUPER BOWL VICTORIES

| Head Coach | Team | Titles | Seasons |
|----------------|------|--------|------------------------|
| Chuck Noll | PIT | 4 | 1974, 1975, 1978, 1979 |
| Bill Belichick | NE | 3 | 2001, 2003, 2004 |
| Joe Gibbs | WAS | 3 | 1982, 1987, 1991 |
| Bill Walsh | SF | 3 | 1981, 1984, 1988 |

NOTE: Sorted by most recent championship. Super Bowls have determined NFL champion since 1966.

PLAYOFF SUCCESS

MOST PLAYOFF WINS BY AN NFL HEAD COACH

| Coach | Team(s) | Wins |
|----------------|--|------|
| Tom Landry | Dallas Cowboys | 20 |
| Don Shula | Baltimore Colts, Miami Dolphins | 19 |
| Bill Belichick | Cleveland Browns, New England Patriots | 17 |
| Joe Gibbs | Washington Redskins | 17 |
| Chuck Noll | Pittsburgh Steelers | 16 |

POSTSEASON PROWESS

BEST POSTSEASON RECORDS IN NFL HISTORY (minimum of 10 games)

| Head Coach | Team(s) | W | L | Pct. |
|----------------|---------------|----|---|------|
| Vince Lombardi | GB/WAS | 9 | 1 | .900 |
| Tom Flores | Oakland | 8 | 3 | .727 |
| Bill Walsh | San Francisco | 10 | 4 | .714 |
| Bill Belichick | CLE/NE | 17 | 7 | .708 |
| Joe Gibbs | Washington | 17 | 7 | .708 |

BELICHICK IS GOOD IN DECEMBER

Bill Belichick is 43-7 (.860) in December with New England, the best record in December among head coaches with one team in NFL history (min. 25 games). George Seifert is second (27-6, .818).

BELICHICK NAMED COACH OF THE YEAR 3 TIMES

The Associated Press named Bill Belichick the NFL's Coach of the Year for 2010. It was the third time that Belichick earned the honor. He was also named coach of the year following the 2003 and 2007 seasons. Belichick joins Don Shula (4-time winner) and Chuck Knox as the only three-time winners. Belichick is the most successful head coach in Patriots history.

BELICHICK FIRST WITH 14 WINS IN FOUR SEASONS

Bill Belichick guided the Patriots to an NFL-best 14-2 record in 2010. Belichick is the first head coach ever to win at least 14 regular-season games in four separate seasons. Only four other coaches — San Francisco's George Seifert (3), Washington's Joe Gibbs (2), Chicago's Mike Ditka (2) and Miami's Don Shula (2) — have more than one 14-win season.



TOM BRADY NEWS & NOTES

RECORDING SUCCESS

Tom Brady has quarterbacked the Patriots to victories in 124 of his 159 career regular-season starts, compiling a .780 winning percentage and giving him the best record of any quarterback in the Super Bowl era (since 1966).

TOP WINNING PERCENTAGES IN SUPER BOWL ERA

(Since 1966, Minimum 50 Starts, Regular Season Only)

| Player | Team(s) | Years | W | L | T | Pct. |
|------------------|-----------|----------------|------------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| Tom Brady | NE | 2000-11 | 124 | 35 | 0 | .780 |
| Roger Staubach | DAL | 1969-79 | 85 | 29 | 0 | .746 |
| Joe Montana | SF/KC | 1979-94 | 117 | 47 | 0 | .713 |



ACTIVE QUARTERBACKS WINNING PERCENTAGE

Minimum 32 Starts (two full seasons), Regular Season Only

| Quarterback | Team(s) | W | L | T | Pct. |
|--------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| Tom Brady | NE | 124 | 35 | 0 | .780 |
| Ben Roethlisberger | PIT | 80 | 33 | 0 | .708 |
| Matt Ryan | ATL | 43 | 19 | 0 | .694 |
| Joe Flacco | BAL | 44 | 20 | 0 | .688 |
| Peyton Manning | IND | 141 | 67 | 0 | .678 |
| Aaron Rodgers | GB | 41 | 21 | 0 | .661 |

MOST CAREER WINS AS A STARTER

(Regular season only) Bold Indicates active players

| Rk | Name | W | L | T | Pct. |
|------------|-----------------------|------------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| 1. | Brett Favre | 186 | 112 | 0 | .624 |
| 2. | John Elway | 148 | 82 | 1 | .643 |
| 3. | Dan Marino | 147 | 93 | 0 | .613 |
| 4. | Peyton Manning | 141 | 67 | 0 | .678 |
| 5t. | Tom Brady | 124 | 35 | 0 | .780 |
| 5t. | Fran Tarkenton | 124 | 109 | 6 | .531 |
| 7. | Johnny Unitas | 119 | 64 | 4 | .647 |
| 8. | Joe Montana | 117 | 47 | 0 | .713 |
| 9. | Terry Bradshaw | 107 | 51 | 0 | .677 |
| 10. | Warren Moon | 102 | 101 | 0 | .510 |

BRADY REACHES 5,000 YARDS IN 2011

Brady set a franchise record with 5,235 passing yards and joined Drew Brees (5,476 in 2011 and 5,069 in 2008), Dan Marino (5,084 in 1984) and Matthew Stafford (5,038 in 2011) as the only players in NFL history to reach 5,000 passing yards in a single season. Brady surpassed his previous career high of 4,806 passing yards in 2007.

Most Passing Yards in a season

5,476 Drew Brees, New Orleans in 2011

5,235 Tom Brady, Patriots in 2011

5,084 Dan Marino, Miami in 1984

5,069 Drew Brees, New Orleans in 2008

5,038 Matthew Stafford, Detroit in 2011

NFL RECORD FOR MOST PASSING YARDS PER GAME/SEASON

| Player | Team | Year | Yards/Game |
|------------------|-----------------|-------------|--------------|
| Drew Brees | New Orleans | 2011 | 342.3 |
| Tom Brady | Patriots | 2011 | 332.8 |

BRADY BECOMES SECOND PLAYER WITH TWO OR MORE SEASONS OF 39-PLUS TDS

Brady finished the 2011 season with 39 touchdown passes, marking the second highest total of his career, trailing the NFL-record of 50 he had in 2007. Brady joins Dan Marino as the only players in NFL history with at least two different seasons with 39 or more touchdown passes.

The Players with the Most Touchdown Passes in a single season in NFL history

| Player | Team | Season | TDs |
|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------|
| Tom Brady | Patriots | 2007 | 50 |
| Peyton Manning | Indianapolis | 2004 | 49 |
| Dan Marino | Miami | 1984 | 48 |
| Drew Brees | New Orleans | 2011 | 46 |
| Aaron Rodgers | Green Bay | 2011 | 45 |
| Dan Marino | Miami | 1986 | 44 |
| Matthew Stafford | Detroit | 2011 | 41 |
| Kurt Warner | St. Louis | 1999 | 41 |
| Tom Brady | Patriots | 2011 | 39 |
| Daunte Culpepper | Minnesota | 2004 | 39 |
| Brett Favre | Green Bay | 1996 | 39 |

BRADY TIED NFL MARK WITH 13 STRAIGHT GAMES WITH TWO OR MORE TOUCHDOWNS

Brady threw for one touchdown against the Jets (10/9/11), snapping his streak of 13 straight games with two or more touchdown passes. Brady's streak of 13 straight games with two or more touchdowns is tied with Peyton Manning's 2004 total and Aaron Rodgers' 2011 total for the longest such streak in NFL history.

BRADY HAS 16 CAREER 4-TD GAMES AFTER GETTING TWO IN 2011

Brady's four touchdowns at Buffalo (9/25/11) marked his 12th game with four touchdown passes. He has thrown four or more touchdowns in a game 16 times with 12 four-touchdown games, two five-touchdown games and two six-touchdown games.

Most Games with 4+ Touchdown Passes

| PLAYER | 4+ TD Games |
|---------------------|-------------|
| 1. Brett Favre | 23 |
| 2. Peyton Manning | 22 |
| 3. Dan Marino | 21 |
| 4. Johnny Unitas | 17 |
| 5. Tom Brady | 16 |
| 5. Drew Brees | 16 |

CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH AT LEAST ONE TOUCHDOWN PASS CONTINUES FOR BRADY

Brady has now thrown at least one touchdown pass in 32 straight regular season games to extend a team mark. Brady's 32 straight games are fourth all-time, behind Johnny Unitas (47), Drew Brees (43) and Brett Favre (36).

BRADY GOES OVER 300 YARDS FOR THE 45th TIME IN HIS CAREER

Brady had his 45th NFL game with 300 or more yards passing vs. Buffalo (1/1/12) and ranks third among active NFL quarterbacks, behind NFL-leader Peyton Manning (63) and Drew Brees (57). The Patriots are 39-6 when Brady throws for 300 or more yards.

NFL QUARTERBACK 300-YARD GAMES (*ACTIVE)

| Player | 300-Yard Games |
|-------------------|----------------|
| Peyton Manning* | 63 |
| Dan Marino | 63 |
| Brett Favre | 62 |
| Drew Brees* | 57 |
| Kurt Warner | 52 |
| Dan Fouts | 51 |
| Warren Moon | 49 |
| Tom Brady* | 45 |
| Joe Montana | 39 |

Brady had a career-best 11 300-yard games in the 2011 season which is the second most 300 yard games in a single season. The NFL record for most 300-yard games in a season is 13 by Drew Brees in 2011.

TOM BRADY'S RECORD AS A STARTER

| | Reg. Season | Playoffs | Total |
|-----------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|
| Overall: | 124-35 | 16-6 | 140-41 |
| Home: | 69-11 | 10-2 | 79-13 |
| Road: | 55-24 | 6-4* | 61-28* |

By Yardage Total

| | | | |
|----------------|-------|------|-------|
| Less than 200: | 29-13 | 3-1 | 32-14 |
| 200-299: | 56-16 | 10-4 | 66-20 |
| 300 or more: | 39-6 | 3-1 | 42-7 |

Other Records

| | | | |
|------------------------|-------|------|--------|
| On Artificial Turf: | 65-7 | 6-4 | 71-11 |
| Temp. Below 40: | 28-3 | 10-2 | 38-5 |
| Thanksgiving or later: | 49-9 | 16-6 | 65-15 |
| Leading at Halftime: | 95-9 | 11-3 | 106-12 |
| Leading after 3 Qtrs: | 102-6 | 10-3 | 112-9 |
| Overtime: | 7-1 | 1-0 | 8-1 |
| Passer rating >100.0: | 71-4 | 7-0 | 78-4 |

*-Includes five Super Bowls at neutral sites



TOM BRADY NEWS & NOTES

BRADY CONCLUDES 31-GAME HOME WINNING STREAK

Tom Brady set an NFL record for most consecutive home wins as a starting quarterback with his 26th straight win in a regular-season home start following the 45-3 win against the Jets (12/06/10) and extended his streak to 31 before it ended with a 24-20 loss against the New York Giants (11/6/11).

MOST CONSECUTIVE REGULAR-SEASON HOME GAMES WON AS A STARTING QUARTERBACK:

| Player | Team | Years | Streak |
|--------------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|
| Tom Brady | NE | 2006-11 | 31 |
| Brett Favre | GB | 1995-98 | 25 |
| John Elway | DEN | 1996-98 | 22 |
| Bob Griese | MIA | 1971-74 | 20 |
| Randall Cunningham | PHI | 1990-94 | 20 |

MOST CAREER TOUCHDOWNS

MOST TOUCHDOWNS CAREER

(regular season only) Bold indicates active players

| Rank | Name | Touchdowns |
|------|-----------------------|------------|
| 1. | Brett Favre | 508 |
| 2. | Dan Marino | 420 |
| 3. | Peyton Manning | 399 |
| 4. | Fran Tarkenton | 342 |
| 5t. | Tom Brady | 300 |
| 5t. | John Elway | 300 |
| 7. | Warren Moon | 291 |
| 8. | Johnny Unitas | 290 |
| 9. | Drew Brees | 281 |
| 10. | Vinny Testaverde | 275 |

BRADY AT 30 TOUCHDOWNS....AGAIN

Brady finished the year with 39 touchdowns. He became the sixth quarterback in NFL history to have 30 or more touchdown passes in at least three seasons.

MOST SEASONS WITH 30-PLUS TOUCHDOWN PASSES

| | |
|------------------|----------|
| Brett Favre | 9 |
| Peyton Manning | 6 |
| Dan Marino | 4 |
| Drew Brees | 4 |
| Tom Brady | 3 |
| Kurt Warner | 3 |

Brady is the second NFL player to have at least 35 touchdowns in three different seasons.

QB's with the most 35+ passing touchdowns in NFL history

| Player | 35+TD Pass Seasons |
|-------------|---|
| Tom Brady | 3 (50 in 2007, 36 in 2010 and 39 in 2011) |
| Brett Favre | 3 |

BRADY REACHES 30 TDS FOR THIRD TIME

Tom Brady (39) reached 30 touchdown passes in 2011. Brady now has three 30-touchdown seasons after throwing for an NFL-leading 36 in 2010 and an NFL-record 50 in 2007. He is one of just 13 NFL players since the 1970 merger to have at least two 30 touchdown seasons. The only other Patriots quarterback to have a 30-touchdown season was Vito Parilli in 1964 when he led the AFL with 31.

BRADY SETS FRANCHISE RECORD WITH 517 PASSING YARDS

Brady set a franchise record with 517 passing yards in the 2011 season-opener at Miami (9/12). The previous high was 426 yards by Drew Bledsoe vs. Minnesota on Nov. 13, 1994. Brady's previous best was 410 passing yards vs. Kansas City on Sept. 22, 2002. Brady is one of 12 NFL quarterbacks to throw for 500 yards or more. His 517 yards are the sixth highest in NFL history.

| PLAYER | TEAM | 500 YARD GAME |
|-------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|
| Norm Van Brocklin | LA Rams | 554 yards in 1951 |
| Warren Moon | Houston Oilers | 527 yards in 1990 |
| Boomer Esiason | Arizona | 522 yards in 1996 |
| Dan Marino | Miami | 521 yards in 1988 |
| Matthew Stafford | Detroit | 520 yards in 2011 |
| Tom Brady | Patriots | 517 yards in 2011 |

BRADY'S COMEBACKS

Brady has engineered 34 career game-winning performances to lead his team to a victory from a fourth-quarter deficit or tie.

Time Remaining Passing Statistics^

| Date | Opp. | Score | in Reg. | Att | Cmp | Yds | TD | Int | Final |
|-----------------|-------|-------|---------|-----|-----|-----|----|-----|------------|
| 01/22/12 | BAL* | 16-20 | 15:00 | 6 | 3 | 20 | 0 | 1 | 23-20 |
| 12/24/11 | MIA | 17-17 | 15:00 | 11 | 8 | 120 | 0 | 0 | 27-24 |
| 10/16/11 | DAL | 13-16 | 5:13 | 9 | 11 | 87 | 1 | 0 | 20-16 |
| 12/19/10 | GB | 21-27 | 13:49 | 6 | 5 | 82 | 1 | 0 | 31-27 |
| 10/17/10 | BAL | 10-20 | 14:53 | 24 | 16 | 156 | 1 | 1 | (ot) 23-20 |
| 09/14/09 | BUF | 13-24 | 5:32 | 13 | 11 | 112 | 2 | 0 | 25-24 |
| 12/29/07 at NYG | | 23-28 | 15:00 | 12 | 8 | 130 | 1 | 0 | 38-35 |
| 12/03/07 at BAL | | 17-24 | 14:25 | 17 | 7 | 113 | 1 | 0 | 27-24 |
| 11/25/07 | PHI | 24-28 | 15:00 | 16 | 11 | 109 | 0 | 0 | 31-28 |
| 11/04/07 at IND | | 10-20 | 9:42 | 10 | 8 | 144 | 2 | 0 | 24-20 |
| 01/14/07 at SD* | | 13-21 | 8:35 | 14 | 9 | 122 | 1 | 1 | 24-21 |
| 12/03/06 | DET | 13-21 | 13:07 | 15 | 14 | 101 | 0 | 0 | 28-21 |
| 11/26/06 | CHI | 10-10 | 14:46 | 7 | 6 | 98 | 1 | 0 | 17-13 |
| 11/13/05 at MIA | | 15-16 | 2:53 | 2 | 2 | 76 | 1 | 0 | 23-16 |
| 10/30/05 | BUF | 7-16 | 10:07 | 4 | 4 | 69 | 0 | 0 | 21-16 |
| 10/09/05 at ATL | | 28-28 | 3:52 | 2 | 2 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 31-28 |
| 09/25/05 at PIT | | 10-13 | 14:19 | 12 | 12 | 167 | 0 | 0 | 23-20 |
| 02/06/05 | PHI** | 14-14 | 15:00 | 4 | 2 | 33 | 0 | 0 | 24-21 |
| 10/03/04 at BUF | | 17-17 | 15:00 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 31-17 |
| 02/01/04 | CAR** | 29-29 | 1:08 | 5 | 4 | 47 | 0 | 0 | 32-29 |
| 01/10/04 | TEN* | 14-14 | 15:00 | 11 | 6 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 17-14 |
| 11/30/03 at IND | | 31-31 | 10:21 | 6 | 3 | 31 | 1 | 0 | 38-34 |
| 11/23/03 at HST | | 13-20 | 3:11 | 14 | 10 | 133 | 1 | 0 | (ot) 23-20 |
| 11/03/03 at DEN | | 23-26 | 2:51 | 4 | 5 | 58 | 1 | 0 | 30-26 |
| 10/19/03 at MIA | | 13-13 | 15:00 | 10 | 7 | 147 | 1 | 0 | (ot) 19-13 |
| 10/05/03 | TEN | 24-27 | 4:40 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 38-30 |
| 12/29/02 | MIA | 13-24 | 4:59 | 13 | 8 | 69 | 1 | 0 | (ot) 27-24 |
| 11/10/02 at CHI | | 19-30 | 5:16 | 14 | 9 | 116 | 2 | 0 | 33-30 |
| 09/22/02 | KC | 38-38 | 0:00 | 5 | 4 | 46 | 0 | 0 | (ot) 41-38 |
| 02/03/02 | STL** | 17-17 | 1:21 | 8 | 5 | 53 | 0 | 0 | 20-17 |
| 01/19/02 | OAK* | 3-13 | 15:00 | 27 | 20 | 138 | 0 | 0 | (ot) 16-13 |
| 12/16/01 at BUF | | 6-9 | 5:57 | 13 | 9 | 116 | 0 | 0 | (ot) 12-9 |
| 12/02/01 at NYJ | | 14-16 | 15:00 | 7 | 6 | 56 | 0 | 0 | 17-16 |
| 10/14/01 | SD | 16-26 | 8:48 | 18 | 13 | 130 | 1 | 0 | (ot) 29-26 |

^--Statistics are from the time noted until the end of the game * Divisional Playoffs ** Super Bowl

BRADY IN THE POSTSEASON

NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS / PLAYOFF VICTORIES AS STARTING QUARTERBACK

| Player | Team(s) | Playoff Wins |
|------------------|---------------------|--------------|
| Tom Brady | New England | 16 |
| Joe Montana | San Fran./K.C. | 16 |
| Terry Bradshaw | Pittsburgh | 14 |
| John Elway | Denver | 14 |
| Brett Favre | Green Bay/Minnesota | 12 |
| Troy Aikman | Dallas | 11 |
| Roger Staubach | Dallas | 11 |

QB's WITH 3 OR MORE SUPER BOWL VICTORIES

| Quarterback | Team | Wins |
|------------------|-----------|----------|
| Terry Bradshaw | PIT | 4 |
| Joe Montana | SF | 4 |
| Troy Aikman | DAL | 3 |
| Tom Brady | NE | 3 |

PLAYERS WITH MULTIPLE SUPER BOWL MVP AWARDS

| Player | Team | MVPs |
|------------------|-----------|----------|
| Joe Montana | SF | 3 |
| Terry Bradshaw | PIT | 2 |
| Tom Brady | NE | 2 |
| Bart Starr | GB | 2 |
| Eli Manning | NYG | 2 |

TOP QB HOME STARTING RECORDS SINCE 1970 MERGER (includes postseason)

| Player | Team(s) | W | L | T | Pct. |
|------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| Tom Brady | NE | 79 | 13 | 0 | .859 |
| Terry Bradshaw | PIT | 75 | 14 | 0 | .843 |
| John Elway | DEN | 104 | 25 | 0 | .806 |

BRADY HAD THREE STRAIGHT GAMES WITH 30 COMPLETIONS IN 2011

Brady tied an NFL record with three straight games with 30 completions after completing 32 at Miami (9/12), 31 vs. San Diego (9/18) and 30 at Buffalo (9/25). He shares the record with Drew Brees (2011), Steve Young (1995), Rich Gannon (2002), Kurt Warner (2008) and Peyton Manning (2010). The most 30 completion games Brady has had in a season is five in 2007.



TOM BRADY NEWS & NOTES

WINNINGEST COACH/QB TANDEM

Bill Belichick and Tom Brady have the best winning percentage among a head coach/starting quarterback tandem since the 1970 merger. The tandem's 124 wins are the most wins by any coach-QB tandem since the 1970 AFL-NFL merger.

WINNINGEST COACH/QB TANDEM SINCE 1970

(Regular Season Only – by winning percentage)

| Quarterback/Head Coach | Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
|---------------------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| Tom Brady/Bill Belichick | NE | 124 | 35 | 0 | .780 |
| Ken Stabler/John Madden | OAK | 60 | 19 | 1 | .756 |
| Jim McMahon/Mike Ditka | CHI | 46 | 15 | 0 | .754 |
| Peyton Manning/Tony Dungy | IND | 73 | 24 | 0 | .753 |

WINNINGEST COACH/QB TANDEM SINCE 1970

(Regular Season Only – by victories)

| Quarterback/Head Coach | Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
|---------------------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| Tom Brady/Bill Belichick | NE | 124 | 35 | 0 | .780 |
| Dan Marino/Don Shula | MIA | 116 | 68 | 0 | .630 |
| Terry Bradshaw/Chuck Noll | PIT | 107 | 51 | 0 | .601 |

TOM BRADY EARNS 20TH AFC OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK AWARD

Tom Brady was named the AFC Offensive Player of the Week after leading the Patriots on five straight second half scoring drives to help rally the Patriots from a 17-0 deficit to a 27-24 win vs. Miami (12/24/11). He also earned the award after throwing for 517 yards and four touchdowns, including a 99-yard touchdown pass to Wes Welker in Week 1 at Miami (9/12/11) and in Week 2 after a 423-yard effort with three touchdowns vs. San Diego (9/28/11). Brady has the second-most Player of the Week awards earned by a player since the accolade was instituted in 1984. He is the first player to earn AFC Offensive Player of the Week honors in back-to-back weeks to open a season. He joins Panthers kicker John Kasey (Special Teams, 1996) as the only players to garner consecutive Player of the Week laurels in Week 1 and Week 2 of the same year.

THE PLAYERS WITH THE MOST CAREER PLAYER OF THE WEEK AWARDS

| Player | Career | Team | POW Awards |
|------------------|---------------------|------------------------|------------|
| Peyton Manning | 1998-present | Colts | 21 |
| Tom Brady | 2000-present | Patriots | 20 |
| Dan Marino | 1983-1999 | Dolphins | 18 |
| Brett Favre | 1991-present | Packers, Jets, Vikings | 16 |
| John Elway | 1983-1998 | Broncos | 15 |

BRADY SETS NFL RECORD FOR MOST PASS ATTEMPTS WITHOUT AN INTERCEPTION

Tom Brady extended his streak to 358 consecutive regular season pass attempts without an interception in the season-opener before throwing his first interception since Oct. 17, 2010 in the 2011 opener at Miami game (9/12). Brady eclipsed Bernie Kosar's record of 308 pass attempts on Dec. 26, 2010 at Buffalo.

MOST CONSECUTIVE PASS ATTEMPTS WITHOUT AN INTERCEPTION

| | | |
|------------|-----------------------------|----------------|
| 358 | Tom Brady (Patriots) | 2010-11 |
| 308 | Bernie Kosar (Cleveland) | 1990-91 |
| 294 | Bart Starr (Green Bay) | 1964-65 |
| 279 | Jeff George (IND/ATL) | 1993-94 |
| 277 | Rich Gannon (Oakland) | 2001 |
| 271 | Jason Campbell (Washington) | 2007-08 |

BRADY HAD 11 STRAIGHT STARTS WITHOUT AN INTERCEPTION

Brady finished the 2010 season with 11 straight starts without an interception. That is the most consecutive starts without an interception in the NFL since the 1970 merger. The previous best was nine straight starts by Jason Campbell (2007-08) and Bernie Kosar (1991).

BRADY IS PATRIOTS ALL-TIME LEADING PASSER

Tom Brady passed Drew Bledsoe at New Orleans (11/30/09) to become the Patriots all-time passing yardage leader and currently has 39,979 career passing yards.

PATRIOTS ALL-TIME LEADING PASSERS

| Player | YEARS | ATT | COMP | YARDS |
|------------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| Tom Brady | 2000-11 | 5,321 | 3,397 | 39,979 |
| Drew Bledsoe | 1993-01 | 4,518 | 2,544 | 29,657 |
| Steve Grogan | 1975-90 | 3,593 | 1,879 | 26,886 |

BRADY SETS NFL RECORD WITH AT LEAST TWO TOUCHDOWNS AND NO INTERCEPTIONS

Tom Brady set an NFL record by throwing at least two touchdowns without an interception in each of the final nine games of the 2010 season. Brady passed Don Meredith's previous record of six straight games with two or more touchdowns and no interceptions (1965-66).

BRADY REACHES 3,000 YARDS IN 2011 IN JUST NINE GAMES

Brady entered the Jets game on Nov. 13, 2011 with 2,703 yards and added 329 to set the NFL record for most yards through a team's first nine games with 3,032 yards. Brady joins Drew Brees (2011) as the only players to reach 3,000 yards passing in the first nine games of a season. It is Brady's ninth career 3,000-yard season.

Most passing yards through a team's first nine games of a season

| Player | Team | Year | Passing Yards |
|------------------|-----------------|-------------|---------------|
| Tom Brady | Patriots | 2011 | 3,032 |
| Drew Brees | Saints | 2011 | 3,004 |
| Phillip Rivers | Chargers | 2010 | 2,944 |
| Rich Gannon | Raiders | 2002 | 2,898 |
| Dan Fouts | Chargers | 1982 | 2,883 |
| Peyton Manning | Colts | 2009 | 2,872 |

BRADY REACHES 4,000 YARDS IN 2011

Brady reached 4,000 yards passing for the fourth time in his career on an 11-yard touchdown pass to Rob Gronkowski in the first quarter at Washington (12/11). His four 4,000-yard seasons are tied with Warren Moon and Philip Rivers for the fifth most in NFL history. Brady had 4,110 yards in 2005, 4,806 in 2007, 4,398 in 2009 and 5,235 in 2011.

All-time 4,000-yard passing seasons

- 11 Peyton Manning
- 6 Dan Marino
- 6 Drew Brees
- 6 Brett Favre
- 4 Tom Brady**
- 4 Warren Moon
- 4 Philip Rivers

BRADY HAD 423 YARDS AS A FOLLOW-UP TO HIS 517 YARD PERFORMANCE IN MIAMI IN 2011

In the 2011 season opener in Miami (9/12), Brady threw for 517 yards, becoming one of 11 passers in NFL history to break the 500-yard mark. In Week 2 against San Diego (9/18), Brady became the first of those 11 500-yard passers to follow up his 500-yard performance by throwing for 400 or more yards. Before Brady's performance against the Chargers, only Drew Brees (2006) had followed-up a 500-yard game with 300 or more passing yards.

BRADY SETS A CAREER-HIGH FOR A SEASON WITH THREE RUSHING TDS

Brady scored on two 1-yard touchdown runs in the win vs. Miami on Dec. 24, 2011 for a single-season career high of three rushing touchdowns for the 2011 season. His previous best was two rushing touchdowns in the 2007 season. It is the second time in his career that he has had two rushing touchdowns in a game. He scored two rushing touchdowns in the 2007 win vs. Washington on Oct. 28, 2007.

BRADY HAS 8TH GAME WITH 300 YDS AND 4 TDS

Tom Brady had his 8th game with 300 yards or more (326) and 4 TDs (and no interceptions) in a win against the Jets (12/6/10) last season. No other quarterback since the 1970 merger has accomplished that feat.



PATRIOTS OFFENSIVE NOTES

BRADY HAD 14 GAMES IN 2011 WITH 2 OR MORE TOUCHDOWNS

Brady threw three touchdowns against Buffalo in the 2011 season finale (1/1/12), marking Brady's 14th game in 2011 with two or more touchdowns, tying his franchise record for most games with two or more touchdowns in a season. Brady had 14 such games in 2007. The NFL record for most games with two or more touchdown passes in a season is 15 by Dan Marino in 1984.

BRADY THREW AT LEAST ONE TOUCHDOWN PASS IN ALL 16 GAMES IN 2011 FOR THE SECOND STRAIGHT SEASON

Brady had at least one touchdown pass in all 16 games of the 2011 season. Since the NFL went to a 16-game season in 1978, only seven quarterbacks have thrown for at least one touchdown in each game. Tom Brady and Drew Brees are the first to do so in two straight seasons (2010, 2011).

QBS WITH A LEAST ONE TD PASS IN ALL 16 GAMES IN A SEASON

| Tom Brady (New England) | 2010, 2011 |
|------------------------------|------------|
| Drew Brees (New Orleans) | 2010, 2011 |
| Daunte Culpepper (Minnesota) | 2004 |
| Brett Favre (Green Bay) | 2003 |
| Kurt Warner (St. Louis) | 1999 |
| Dan Marino (Miami) | 1984, 1986 |
| Dave Krieg (Seattle) | 1984 |

*16-game schedule was instituted in 1978

BRADY IS ONE OF SEVEN TO THROW FOR CONSECUTIVE 400 YARD GAMES

Brady is one of just seven NFL quarterbacks to have back-to-back games with 400 or more passing yards.

NFL RECORD FOR MOST CONSECUTIVE 400 OR MORE YARDS PASSING

2 Tom Brady, 2011

- 2 Cam Newton, Carolina, 2011
- 2 Matt Cassel, New England, 2008
- 2 Billy Volek, Tennessee, 2004
- 2 Phil Simms, N.Y. Giants, 1985
- 2 Dan Marino, Miami, 1984
- 2 Dan Fouts, San Diego, 1982

CLASS OF 2000

Tom Brady was the seventh quarterback selected in the 2000 NFL Draft. The Patriots selected him in the sixth round with the 199th overall pick.

Quarterbacks taken in the 2000 NFL Draft

| Rd | Pick | Player | Taken By |
|----|------|-------------------|---------------|
| 1 | 18 | Chad Pennington | NY Jets |
| 3 | 65 | Giovanni Carmazzi | San Francisco |
| 3 | 75 | Chris Redman | Baltimore |
| 5 | 163 | Tee Martin | Pittsburgh |
| 6 | 168 | Marc Bulger | New Orleans |
| 6 | 183 | Spergon Wynn | Cleveland |
| 6 | 199 | Tom Brady | New England |

DEION BRANCH RETURNED TO THE PATRIOTS

Deion Branch was acquired by the Patriots in a trade with Seattle on Oct. 12, 2010. Originally a second-round pick of the Patriots in 2002, Branch was traded to Seattle in 2006 for a first round pick (Brandon Meriweather). Branch returned to a team that he helped win two Super Bowls. Branch was awarded the Pete Rozelle Trophy as the Most Valuable Player of Super Bowl XXXIX. His 11 receptions in the game tied the Super Bowl record, also achieved by Jerry Rice, Dan Ross and Wes Welker. On the day of Super Bowl XXXIX, Deion called a dozen of his former football coaches to thank them for the support that they gave him throughout his high school, junior college and college careers. Hours after talking to his coaches, he tied the Super Bowl record with 11 receptions and was named MVP of the game. Branch has turned in his biggest performances on the greatest stage in sports, leading all receivers in Super Bowls XXXVIII and XXXIX. He recorded a combined 24 receptions in three games and owns two of the top seven receiving performances in Super Bowl history. His career reception total in the Super Bowl ranks third all-time, trailing only Jerry Rice (33) and Andre Reed (27).

DEION BRANCH GOES OVER 100 YARDS

Deion Branch registered his 11th career 100-yard game and the eighth as a member of the Patriots after finishing with 125 yards on six receptions at Philadelphia (11/27). It was his second 100-yard game of 2011. He had eight receptions for 129 yards vs. San Diego (9/18).

DAN CONNOLLY HAS THE LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN EVER BY AN OFFENSIVE LINEMAN

Dan Connolly was named AFC Special Teams Player of the Week after he returned a kickoff 71 yards to the 4-yard line in the second quarter of the Patriots win vs. Green Bay on Dec. 19, 2010. According to the Elias Sports Bureau, it is the longest kickoff return by an offensive lineman in NFL history. The run by Connolly topped the 48-yard touchdown return by Atlanta's Mal Snider in 1969. The previous longest kickoff return for a Patriots offensive lineman was a 27-yard return by G Stephen Neal on Nov. 30, 2008 vs. Pittsburgh. Connolly's previous best was a 16-yard return vs. Miami on Nov. 8, 2009. Connolly's return set up a 2-yard touchdown pass from Tom Brady to Aaron Hernandez that cut the Packers' lead to 17-14. Joked T Matt Light, "Dan Connolly has the best average for a kickoff returner in the NFL. I couldn't believe it when I was watching it. But you put the ball in the hands of an offensive lineman, and, well, naturally [what Connolly did] is not a real shocker."

JULIAN EDELMAN SETS FRANCHISE RECORD WITH A 94-YARD PUNT RETURN FOR A TOUCHDOWN

WR Julian Edelman set a franchise record with a 94-yard punt return for a touchdown in the second quarter vs. Miami (01/02/11). The Patriots' previous longest punt return was an 89-yard touchdown return by Mike Haynes vs. Buffalo on Nov. 7, 1976. Edelman returned his second career punt for a touchdown vs. Kansas City on Nov. 21, 2011 with a 72-yard return. He is the fourth Patriots player with two or more punt returns for a touchdown. He was named AFC Special Teams Player of the Week for his performance against Kansas City.

Most Punt Return Touchdowns/Patriots Career

- 3 Troy Brown
- 3 Irving Fryar
- 2 Julian Edelman**
- 2 Mike Haynes

EDELMAN SETS PATRIOTS RECORD FOR BEST PUNT RETURN AVERAGE IN A SEASON

Edelman set a franchise record for the best punt return average in a single season with a 15.3-yard punt return average in 2010. The previous best was a 14.8 punt return average by Mack Herron in 1974. Edelman led the AFC and finished second in the NFL with a 15.3 punt return average. Chicago's Devin Hester led the NFL with a 17.1-yard average.

Patriots Best Punt Return Average/Season

| Player | Punt Rt Avg. | Year |
|-----------------------|--------------|-------------|
| Julian Edelman | 15.3 | 2010 |
| Mack Herron | 14.8 | 1974 |
| Troy Brown | 14.2 | 2001 |

EDELMAN HAS HIGHEST PUNT RETURN AVERAGE IN TEAM HISTORY

Edelman has returned 55 punts for 680 yards during his Patriots' career and leads the franchise with a 12.4-yard average.

HIGHEST PUNT RETURN AVERAGE, PATRIOTS CAREER (20 Returns)

| Player | Punt Rt Avg. | Year |
|-----------------------|--------------|------------------------|
| Julian Edelman | 12.4 | 2009-11(55-680) |
| Mack Herron | 12.0 | 1973-75 (74-888) |
| Carl Garrett | 11.3 | 1969-72 (43-487) |
| Wes Welker | 10.6 | 2007-11 (89-942) |



PATRIOTS OFFENSIVE NOTES

EDELMAN GOES FROM STANDOUT QB TO WR

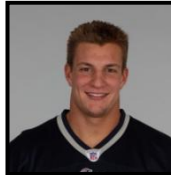
Edelman began his college football career with a year at the College of San Mateo (Calif.) before transferring to Kent State where as a senior he completed 56% of his passes (153 of 275 passes for 1,820 yards) with 13 touchdowns. He was also the leading rusher, gaining 1,551 yards on 215 attempts (an average of 7.5 yards per carry) and scoring 13 touchdowns. His offensive numbers broke Kent State's single-season record for total offense set by Joshua Cribbs in 2003.

EDELMAN GOES ON DEFENSE

Late in the fourth quarter of the Patriots' 37-16 win at the Jets (11/13), Edelman was pressed into service on defense and registered his first NFL tackle when he laid a hard hit on RB LaDainian Tomlinson. He continued to see action on defense throughout the season and finished the year with 14 total tackles.

GRONKOWSKI SETS NFL RECORD FOR RECEIVING YARDS BY A TIGHT END

Rob Gronkowski finished the 2011 season with 1,327 receiving yards, surpassing San Diego's Kellen Winslow's 1980 record of 1,290 receiving yards for most receiving yards in a season by a tight end. New Orleans' Jimmy Graham also broke Winslow's old record, but finished with 1,310 receiving yards, 17 shy of Gronkowski's new record.



Most Receiving Yards by Tight End in the NFL

| Player | Yards | Year |
|----------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| Rob Gronkowski | 1,327 | 2011 |
| Jimmy Graham (NO) | 1,310 | 2011 |
| Kellen Winslow (SD) | 1,290 | 1980 |
| Tony Gonzalez (KC) | 1,258 | 2004 |
| Todd Christensen (Raiders) | 1,247 | 1983 |
| Jackie Smith (STL) | 1,205 | 1967 |
| Tony Gonzalez (KC) | 1,203 | 2000 |
| Pete Retzlaff (PHI) | 1,190 | 1965 |
| Ben Coates (NE) | 1,174 | 1994 |

Most Receiving Yards by a Patriots Tight End

| Player | Yards | Year |
|-----------------------|--------------|-------------|
| Rob Gronkowski | 1,327 | 2011 |
| Ben Coates | 1,174 | 1994 |
| Ben Coates | 915 | 1995 |
| Aaron Hernandez | 910 | 2011 |
| Marv Cook | 808 | 1991 |
| Don Hasselbeck | 808 | 1981 |

Most Receptions by a Patriots Tight End

| Player | Rec. | Year |
|-----------------------|-----------|-------------|
| Ben Coates | 96 | 1994 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 90 | 2011 |
| Ben Coates | 84 | 1995 |
| Marv Cook | 82 | 1991 |
| Aaron Hernandez | 79 | 2011 |

GRONKOWSKI SETS NFL MARK FOR TOUCHDOWNS BY A TIGHT END IN A SEASON

Gronkowski extended his NFL record for overall touchdowns in a single season by a tight end with two touchdown receptions vs. Buffalo (1/1/12) to 18 overall touchdowns (17 receiving and 1 rushing). Gronkowski passed the old mark of 13 receiving touchdowns by Vernon Davis (SF in 2009) and Antonio Gates (SD in 2004). In addition to his 17 touchdown receptions, Gronkowski scored on a lateral in the third quarter vs. Indianapolis (12/4) on his first career rushing play.

MOST TOTAL TDs BY A TIGHT END IN A SINGLE NFL SEASON

| | Player | Team | Year | Total TDs |
|-----------|-----------------------|-----------|-------------|--------------------------|
| 18 | Rob Gronkowski | NE | 2011 | (17 pass, 1 rush) |
| 13 | Vernon Davis | SF | 2009 | (13 pass) |
| 13 | Antonio Gates | SD | 2004 | (13 pass) |

MOST TD RECEPTIONS BY A TIGHT END IN A SINGLE NFL SEASON

| | Player | Team | Year | Receptions |
|-----------|-----------------------|-----------|-------------|------------|
| 17 | Rob Gronkowski | NE | 2011 | |
| 13 | Vernon Davis | SF | 2009 | |
| 13 | Antonio Gates | SD | 2004 | |

GRONKOWSKI SECOND PATRIOTS TIGHT END TO REACH 1,000 YARDS

Gronkowski became the second tight end in New England Patriots history to go over 1,000 receiving yards after gaining 160 at Washington (12/11). He moved past TE Ben Coates (1,174 yards in 1994) to set the franchise record for most receiving yards by a Patriots tight end with 1,327 yards. He is the seventh tight end in NFL history to reach 1,200 yards.

GRONKOWSKI BECOMES FIRST PATRIOTS TIGHT END TO RECORD A RUSHING TOUCHDOWN

Gronkowski scored a 2-yard touchdown on a lateral from Tom Brady in the third quarter vs. Indianapolis (12/4), becoming the first tight end in Patriots history to score a rushing touchdown. Gronkowski is the first NFL tight end to score a rushing touchdown since Tennessee's Bo Scaife had a 31-yard scoring run against Baltimore on Nov. 12, 2006. He is the first tight end since the 1970 merger to have two receiving touchdowns and a rushing touchdown in the same game.

LEADS AFC IN SCORING; FIRST TIME THAT A TIGHT END HAS LED A CONFERENCE IN SCORING

Gronkowski led the AFC in scoring among nonkickers with 108 points in 2011 and finished second in the NFL to Philadelphia's LeSean McCoy, who has 120 points. It is the first time in NFL history that a tight end has led his conference in scoring and the first time a tight end has led the NFL in touchdown receptions (17).

BACK-TO-BACK 10 TOUCHDOWN SEASONS

Gronkowski set a Patriots record with 10 touchdowns in 2010 and broke that record with his 11th touchdown reception at Philadelphia on Nov. 27. With back-to-back 10 touchdown seasons (10 in 2010 and 17 in 2011), Gronkowski is the second Patriots player to have back-to-back seasons with 10 or more touchdown reception seasons. Randy Moss had three straight from 2007-09.

CONSECUTIVE 10-PLUS TOUCHDOWN SEASONS / PATRIOTS HISTORY

- 3 Randy Moss – 2007, 2008, 2009
- 3 Corey Dillon – 2004, 2005, 2006
- 2 Rob Gronkowski - 2010, 2011**
- 2 BenJarvus Green-Ellis – 2010, 2011
- 2 Curtis Martin – 1995, 1996

MOST 10-PLUS TOUCHDOWN SEASONS / PATRIOTS HISTORY

- 3 Randy Moss – 2007, 2008, 2009
- 3 Corey Dillon – 2004, 2005, 2006
- 2 Rob Gronkowski – 2001, 2011**
- 2 BenJarvus Green-Ellis – 2010, 2011
- 2 Curtis Martin – 1995, 1996
- 2 Stanley Morgan – 1979, 1986

GRONKOWSKI IS SECOND TIGHT END IN NFL HISTORY WITH BACK-TO-BACK 10-PLUS TD SEASONS

Gronkowski is the second tight end ever to have back to back 10-plus touchdown seasons, joining Antonio Gates (2004-05).

CONSECUTIVE 10-PLUS TD SEASON BY A TE /NFL HISTORY

- Rob Gronkowski 10 in 2010 and 18 in 2011**
- Antonio Gates 13 in 2004 and 10 in 2005

GRONKOWSKI IS SECOND IN NFL HISTORY TO RUSH FOR A TD, CATCH A TD, RECORD A TACKLE AND RETURN A KICKOFF IN THE SAME SEASON

In 2011, Gronkowski became the second tight end in NFL history to rush for a touchdown, catch a touchdown, record a tackle and return a kickoff in the same season. Bo Scaife was the first to accomplish the feat in 2006 with Tennessee.



PATRIOTS OFFENSIVE NOTES

GRONKOWSKI REACHED 20 TDS IN FEWEST GAMES AMONG TEs IN NFL HISTORY

With his two touchdowns vs. Kansas City (11/21), Gronkowski reached the 20 touchdown mark in just 26 career games, the fewest games among tight ends in NFL history.

THE TIGHT ENDS TO REACH 20 TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS IN THE FEWEST GAMES

| Player | Team | Games to 20 TD catches |
|-----------------------|-----------------|------------------------|
| Rob Gronkowski | Patriots | 26 |
| Mike Ditka | Chicago | 31 |
| Kellen Winslow | San Diego | 35 |
| Antonio Gates | San Diego | 37 |

GRONKOWSKI THIRD ON PATRIOTS LIST FOR TOUCHDOWNS BY A TIGHT END

Most Receiving Touchdowns by a Patriots Tight End

| Player | TD | Years |
|-----------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| Ben Coates | 50 | 1991-99 |
| Russ Francis | 28 | 1975-80, 87-88 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 27 | 2010-Present |
| Ben Watson | 20 | 2004-09 |

MOST TD CATCHES BY A PATS TIGHT END

MOST TOUCHDOWN CATCHES IN A SEASON BY A PATRIOTS TIGHT END

| Player | Year | Rec | Yds | Avg | Lg | TD |
|-----------------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|------------|-----------|
| Rob Gronkowski | 2011 | 90 | 1327 | 14.7 | 52t | 17 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 2010 | 42 | 546 | 13 | 28 | 10 |
| Ben Coates | 1996 | 62 | 682 | 11 | 84t | 9 |

GRONKOWSKI'S 18 OVERALL TDS ARE SECOND MOST BY A PATRIOT IN A SEASON

Gronkowski finished the 2011 season with 18 overall touchdowns (17 receiving, 1 rushing). His 18 overall touchdowns passed Curtis Martin (17 overall in 1996) for the second highest single season total in Patriots history. Randy Moss had a franchise record 23 total touchdowns in 2007.

PATRIOTS RECORD BOOK / MOST TOUCHDOWNS IN A SEASON

| Player | Season | TDs |
|-----------------------|-------------|-----------|
| Randy Moss | 2007 | 23 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 2011 | 18 |
| Curtis Martin | 1996 | 17 |

GRONKOWSKI: NFL TIGHT END RECORD OF SEVEN GAMES OF TWO OR MORE TDS IN 2011

Gronkowski had his ninth game overall with two or more touchdowns and his seventh game in 2011 with two or more touchdowns in the season-finale vs. Buffalo (1/1/12). The seven games with two or more touchdowns extends his NFL record for a tight end. Antonio Gates (San Diego in 2004) and Jerry Smith (Washington in 1967) each had four two-touchdown games. The NFL record for most two-plus touchdown reception games in a season is eight by Randy Moss with the Patriots in 2007. Gronkowski's is tied with Cris Carter (1995) and Jerry Rice (1987) for the second most games with two or more touchdowns in a single season

MOST GAMES WITH 2+ TD RECEPTIONS/SEASON

| | | |
|----------|----------------------------------|-------------|
| 8 | Randy Moss (Patriots) | 2007 |
| 7 | Rob Gronkowski (Patriots) | 2011 |
| 7 | Cris Carter (Minnesota) | 1995 |
| 7 | Jerry Rice (San Francisco) | 1987 |

GRONKOWSKI LEADS ALL TIGHT ENDS WITH 27 TOUCHDOWN CATCHES SINCE 2010

Gronkowski's 27 touchdown receptions since the start of the 2010 season are the most among all NFL tight ends and second among all NFL players.

Most Touchdowns by a Tight End Since 2010

| Player | Touchdowns |
|-----------------------|------------|
| Rob Gronkowski | 27 |
| Antonio Gates | 17 |
| Jimmy Graham | 16 |
| Jason Witten | 14 |

Most Touchdown Receptions Since 2010

| Player | Touchdowns |
|-----------------------|------------|
| Calvin Johnson | 28 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 27 |
| Greg Jennings | 21 |

GRONKOWSKI SETS TEAM MARK WITH A TD REC. IN SIX STRAIGHT GAMES

Gronkowski set a franchise record with a touchdown reception in six straight games at Washington on (12/11/11). The Patriots record for most consecutive games with at least one touchdown is seven by Curtis Martin.

GRONKOWSKI GOES OVER 100

Gronkowski registered his sixth career 100-yard game and his fifth of the 2011 season after finishing with 108-yards in the season-finale vs. Buffalo (1/1/12). Gronkowski had a career-high 160 yards on six receptions at Washington (12/11). His previous best was a 113 yards at the NY Jets on Nov. 13, 2011. The record for a New England tight end is 161 yards by Ben Coates on Sept. 4, 1994 at Miami.

13TH TIME AN NFL TIGHT END HAS 90 RECEPTIONS

Gronkowski finished the season with 90 receptions, posting the 13th season with 90 or more receptions by a tight end. New Orleans' Jimmy Graham (99) also eclipsed the 90- reception plateau.

ALL IN THE FAMILY

Rob Gronkowski grew up playing football against his brothers in the backyard. Now three of the five brothers are playing in the NFL. Dan Gronkowski, finished the 2011 season with Cleveland after spending part of the season with the Patriots. He also spent time with Detroit (2009) and Denver (2010). Chris is currently playing for Denver. The Gronkowskis are among 23 different sets of brothers currently in the NFL, yet they are the only family that can claim to have three siblings in the league. According to the Pro Football Hall of Fame, the Gronkowski brothers join nine other families to have at least three brothers playing at the same time. The Gronkowski brothers join nine other families to have at least three brothers playing at the same time.

| Family | Brothers | Yr. in NFL at Same Time |
|------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Gronkowski | Rob, Dan, Chris | 2010- 2011 |
| Baldinger | Brian, Gary, Rich | 1986-88, 90-92 |
| Browner | Joey, Keith, Ross | 1984-87 |
| Olsen | Merlin, Phil, Orrin | 1976 |
| Saul | Rich, Bill, Ron | 1970 |
| Richardson | Gloster, Tom, Willie | 1969 |
| Rooney | Bill, Cobb, Joe | 1924-27 |
| Kinderdine | Hobby, Shine, Walt | 1924 |
| Nesser | Al, Frank, Fred, John, Phil, Ted | 1921 |

GRONKOWSKI'S 27 TDS ARE SECOND MOST IN FIRST TWO NFL SEASONS

Most Touchdown Catches First Two NFL seasons

| No. | Player |
|-----------|------------------------------------|
| 28 | Randy Moss (Minnesota – 17 and 11) |
| 27 | Rob Gronkowski (10 and 17) |
| 25 | Bob Hayes (Dallas – 12 and 13) |



PATRIOTS OFFENSIVE NOTES

GRONKOWSKI IS ONE OF FIVE NFL TIGHT ENDS WITH 90-PLUS RECEPTIONS, 1000-PLUS YARDS AND 10-PLUS TOUCHDOWNS IN A SINGLE SEASON

In 2011, Rob Gronkowski joined Dallas Clark, Jimmy Graham, Tony Gonzalez and Todd Christensen, as the only tight ends in NFL history with 90-plus receptions, 1,000-plus yards and 10-plus touchdown receptions in a single season.

TIGHT ENDS WITH 90-PLUS RECEPTIONS, 1000-PLUS YARDS AND 10-PLUS TOUCHDOWNS IN A SEASON

| Player | Rec. | Yards | TDs | Year |
|----------------------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|-------------|
| Rob Gronkowski (NE) | 90 | 1,327 | 17 | 2011 |
| Jimmy Graham (NO) | 99 | 1,310 | 11 | 2011 |
| Dallas Clark (IND) | 100 | 1,106 | 10 | 2009 |
| Tony Gonzalez (KC) | 96 | 1,058 | 10 | 2008 |
| Todd Christensen (LAR) | 92 | 1,247 | 12 | 1983 |

TIGHT END TANDEM

Ron Gronkowski (90) and Aaron Hernandez (79) combined for 169 receptions in 2011, the most by a pair of tight ends in the same season in NFL history. Jason Witten (94) and Martellus Bennett (33) combined for 127 in 2010 with Dallas for the second most. Gronkowski and Hernandez combined yardage total of 2,237 in 2011 is the most by any tight end pair in NFL history.

Most Receptions by Tight Ends, NFL History

| | | |
|-------------|-----------------|------------|
| 2011 | Patriots | 169 |
| 1984 | San Diego | 163 |
| 2005 | Tennessee | 149 |

Most Receiving Yards by Tight Ends, NFL History

| | | |
|-------------|-----------------|--------------|
| 2011 | Patriots | 2,237 |
| 1984 | San Diego | 1,927 |
| 1983 | San Diego | 1,886 |

TIGHT ENDS COMBINE FOR 24 TDS IN 2011

Gronkowski (17) and Hernandez (7) combined for 24 touchdown receptions. In 2010, Gronkowski had 10 touchdown catches, while Hernandez had six. It is the first time in NFL history a tight end tandem has had five or more touchdowns in consecutive seasons.

AARON HERNANDEZ LEARNS FROM HIS BROTHER

The relationship between Aaron Hernandez and his older brother D.J. has taken on many roles over the years: sibling, teammate, role model and surrogate father. They played high school football together – D.J. the star senior quarterback and Aaron, the athletic, but not quite ready, freshman. When their father passed away when Aaron was 17, he relied on his brother even more. "I just followed my brother's footsteps," he told the Providence Journal. "I just tried to follow his work ethic because he did everything the right way. He was always successful." D.J., now the quarterbacks coach at Brown, has tried to instill hard work and perseverance in his younger brother. It's paying off, as Aaron started last season as the youngest active player on an NFL roster and continues to thrive in the Patriots offense.

HERNANDEZ SETS CAREER-HIGH WITH SEVEN TOUCHDOWNS IN 2011

Hernandez set a single-season career high with his seventh touchdown of the season on a 39-yard pass from Tom Brady in the second quarter vs. Buffalo (1/1/12) in the season-finale. As a rookie in 2010, he had six touchdown receptions.

HERNANDEZ PUTS UP BIG NUMBERS IN 2011

Hernandez finished the 2011 season with 79 receptions for 910 yards and seven touchdowns. The 910 yards are the fourth best in Patriots history for a tight end and the 79 receptions fifth best in a single season.

Most Receiving Yards by a Patriots Tight End

| Player | Yards | Year |
|------------------------|------------|-------------|
| Rob Gronkowski | 1,327 | 2011 |
| Ben Coates | 1,174 | 1994 |
| Ben Coates | 915 | 1995 |
| Aaron Hernandez | 910 | 2011 |
| Marv Cook | 808 | 1991 |

HERNANDEZ PUTS UP BIG NUMBERS IN 2011(continued)

Most Receptions by a Patriots Tight End

| Player | Rec. | Year |
|------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| Ben Coates | 96 | 1994 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 90 | 2011 |
| Ben Coates | 84 | 1995 |
| Marv Cook | 82 | 1991 |
| Aaron Hernandez | 79 | 2011 |

2011 FIRST ROUND PICK NATE SOLDER

It only took a day for Nate Solder to decide to change from his lifelong position of tight end to tackle after playing his freshman year at Colorado as a tight end. "My coaches came to me and said, 'You'd be an all right tight end, but you'd be an even better tackle,'" he told the Boston Globe. "I've always wanted to be great, so that's why I moved to tackle." He added over 30 pounds after his redshirt freshman season and was named the team's starting left tackle. He played in 2,540 of 2,542 offensive plays over the next three seasons at Colorado and became an immediate contributor on the Patriots offensive line at right tackle. He even had the chance to return to his tight end roots, occasionally filling in as the third tight end in short-yardage situations throughout the 2011 season.

MATTHEW SLATER: LIKE FATHER LIKE SON

Matthew Slater, drafted in 2008, is one of six sons of Hall of Fame members to be drafted in NFL history.

HALL OF FAME FATHERS WITH SONS DRAFTED IN THE NFL

Jackie Slater (class of 2001) – son, Matthew Slater (NE)
 Howie Long (class of 2000) – son, Chris Long (STL)
 Bobby Bell (class of 1983) – son, Bobby Bell (NYJ)
 Tony Dorsett (class of 1994) – son, Anthony Dorsett (HOU)
 Bob Griese (class of 1990) – son, Brian Griese (DEN)
 Kellen Winslow (class of 1995) – son, Kellen Winslow (CLE)

DONALD THOMAS: FROM NO HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL TO THE NFL

Donald Thomas found football while playing basketball. A former high school baseball and basketball player who had never played football at any level, Thomas arrived at the University of Connecticut looking for an identity. He often played pickup basketball at the student gymnasium and one day found himself playing with several members of the UConn football team who convinced him to try out for the team. After meeting with coaches, Thomas walked on to the team as a defensive lineman for the scout team in 2003. He red-shirted a year before contributing on special teams. In 2007, he got his chance to play offensive guard, earning All-Big East honors before being selected in the sixth round of the 2008 draft by the Miami Dolphins. As Thomas told the Brockton Enterprise, "Things just took off. It's crazy. This is only my fifth year (of) really playing guard, while some guys have been playing O-line for 15, almost 20 years."

GREETINGS FROM KAARST, GERMANY: SEBASTIAN VOLLMER MAKES HIS MARK

A native of Kaarst, Germany, Vollmer did not begin playing football until the age of 14 when he started playing for the Dusseldorf club team. Vollmer helped lead his German prep school team to two national football championships. His early football success landed him an appearance in the 2004 Global Junior Championships in San Diego, which led him to a scholarship at Houston. He spoke almost no English when he signed with Houston, but he became fluent in the language as he developed from a 250-pound tight end into a 315-pound lineman who started his final 25 games at tackle for the Cougars. Vollmer's collegiate career created interest from the NFL where the Patriots drafted him in the second round of the 2009 draft. Nicknamed "Seabass" during his playing days at Houston, a nickname that has carried over to the NFL.



WR Wes Welker News & Notes

WELKER LEADS NFL IN RECEPTIONS SINCE 2007

Wes Welker leads the NFL with 554 receptions since the start of 2007. He is the first player to reach 300 receptions in his first 40 games with a new team. Welker led the NFL in 2011 with 122 receptions and led the AFC and finished second in the NFL with 1,569 receiving yards. He had 22 more receptions than the next wide receiver (Roddy White with 100).



2007-PRESENT NFL REC. LEADERS

| Player | Team | Rec. | Yds | TD |
|-------------------|-----------|------------|--------------|-----------|
| Wes Welker | NE | 554 | 6,105 | 31 |
| Brandon Marshall | DEN/MIA | 474 | 5,938 | 32 |
| Reggie Wayne | IND | 472 | 6,234 | 36 |
| Roddy White | ATL | 471 | 6,422 | 42 |

WELKER REACHED 1,000 YARDS FOR A PATRIOTS RECORD FOURTH TIME

Welker reached 1,000 yards for the fourth time as a member of the Patriots in a win at the New York Jets on Nov. 13, 2011. He finished the 2011 season with a franchise record 1,569 yards. The four 1,000-yard seasons are the most by a Patriots receiver.

MOST 1,000-YARD RECEIVING SEASONS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

- 4 **Wes Welker (2007-09, 11)**
3 Randy Moss (2007-09)
3 Stanley Morgan (1979, 1981, 1986)

WELKER SETS FRANCHISE RECORD IN 2011

Wes Welker had a career-high of 1,569 receiving yards in 2011 for a new franchise record. He surpassed Randy Moss, who had 1,493 yards in 2007.

PATRIOTS SINGLE-SEASON RECEIVING YARD LEADERS

| Player | Season | Yds | Rec. | TD |
|-------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|----------|
| Wes Welker | 2011 | 1569 | 122 | 9 |
| Randy Moss | 2007 | 1493 | 98 | 23 |
| Stanley Morgan | 1986 | 1491 | 84 | 10 |
| Wes Welker | 2009 | 1348 | 123 | 4 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 2011 | 1,327 | 90 | 17 |

WELKER BECOMES 2ND PLAYER IN NFL HISTORY WITH TWO 120-CATCH SEASONS

Welker led the NFL with 122 receptions in 2011, a total that is tied for the fourth-highest single-season total in NFL history. The 120-plus catch season was the second time in Welker's career he has passed the 120-reception mark (123 in 2009 and 122 in 2011), joining Cris Carter (122 in 1995 and 122 in 1994) as the only players to have 120-plus receptions twice in a career.

MOST RECEPTIONS IN A SEASON

| Player | Team | Year | Receptions |
|-------------------|--------------------|-------------|------------|
| Marvin Harrison | Indianapolis | 2002 | 143 |
| Wes Welker | New England | 2009 | 123 |
| Herman Moore | Detroit | 1995 | 123 |
| Wes Welker | New England | 2011 | 122 |
| Cris Carter | Minnesota | 1995 | 122 |
| Cris Carter | Minnesota | 1994 | 122 |
| Jerry Rice | San Francisco | 1995 | 122 |

Most receptions in a season by a Patriots Player

| Player | Year | Receptions |
|-------------------|-------------|------------|
| Wes Welker | 2009 | 123 |
| Wes Welker | 2011 | 122 |
| Wes Welker | 2007 | 112 |
| Wes Welker | 2008 | 111 |
| Troy Brown | 2001 | 101 |

WELKER SETS PERSONAL BEST WITH HIS NINTH TD OF 2011

Welker caught a 24-yard touchdown in the third quarter at Washington (12/11/11) for his personal-best ninth touchdown of the season. His previous best was eight touchdowns in 2007.

WELKER FINISHED WITH JUST UNDER 8 RECEPTIONS PER GAME IN 2011

Welker averaged 7.6 receptions per game in 2011, totaling 122 receptions in 16 games. The NFL record for highest average per game in a season is 8.9 by Marvin Harrison in 2002. Harrison in 2002 and Welker in 2009 with 8.8 are the only NFL players to average 8.0 or more receptions per game.

NFL Highest Average Per Game/Season

| Player | Season | Average |
|--------------------------------|-------------|------------|
| Marvin Harrison (Indianapolis) | 2002 | 8.9 |
| Wes Welker (Patriots) | 2009 | 8.8 |
| Herman Moore (Detroit) | 1995 | 7.7 |
| Lionel Taylor (Denver) | 1960 | 7.7 |
| Wes Welker (Patriots) | 2011 | 7.6 |
| Cris Carter (Minnesota) | 1994 | 7.6 |
| Cris Carter (Minnesota) | 1995 | 7.6 |
| Jerry Rice (San Francisco) | 1995 | 7.6 |

EIGHTH TIME IN NFL HISTORY A PLAYER REACHES 1,000 YARDS IN THE NINTH GAME

Welker reached 1,000 yards in the ninth game of the 2011 season. It is an accomplishment that has happened just eight times in NFL history since the merger and for the first time since Torry Holt accomplished the feat with St. Louis in 2003. Isaac Bruce accomplished the feat two times. All eight times the accomplishment was reached in the ninth game of the season.

PLAYERS WHO REACHED 1,000 RECEIVING YARDS BY TEAMS

NINTH GAME OF THE SEASON

| Player | Team | Year |
|-------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| Wes Welker | Patriots | 2011 |
| Torry Holt | St. Louis | 2003 |
| Isaac Bruce | St. Louis | 2000 |
| Marvin Harrison | Indianapolis | 2000 |
| Isaac Bruce | St. Louis | 1995 |
| Michael Irvin | Dallas | 1995 |
| Jerry Rice | San Francisco | 1990 |
| Wes Chandler | San Diego | 1982 |

WELKER BECOMES THIRD PATRIOT TO RECORD 500 RECEPTIONS

Welker (554) entered the Jets (11/13/11) game with 498 receptions as a member of the Patriots. He caught two passes in the second quarter to become the third Patriots player to reach 500 receptions as a member of the Patriots, joining Troy Brown (557) and Stanley Morgan (534). Welker needs 4 receptions to pass Troy Brown and become the Patriots' all-time reception leader.

WELKER BECOMES FASTEST PLAYER IN NFL HISTORY TO REACH 500 RECEPTIONS WITH ONE TEAM

Welker reached 500 receptions as a member of the Patriots in his 70th game with the team and became the fastest player to record 500 receptions with one team, surpassing Anquan Boldin (80 games with Arizona). He is the fourth player in NFL history with at least 500 catches in a five-year span. Only Marvin Harrison (five times), Cris Carter (twice) and Pro Football Hall of Famer Jerry Rice (once) have accomplished the feat.

THE PLAYERS TO REACH 500 RECEPTIONS WITH ONE TEAM IN

THE FEWEST GAMES

| Player | Team | Games |
|-------------------|--------------------|-----------|
| Wes Welker | New England | 70 |
| Anquan Boldin | Arizona | 80 |

WELKER LED TEAM IN RECEPTIONS FOR FIFTH STRAIGHT YEAR

Wes Welker became the first Patriots player to lead the team in receiving in four straight years after finishing 2010 with 86 receptions. He led the team for a fifth straight season with 122 receptions in 2011. He has now led the team in receiving yards four straight seasons.



WR Wes Welker/DEENSIVE NOTES

WELKER HAD THREE STRAIGHT 100 CATCH AND 1,000 YARD SEASONS

Welker registered his third straight season with at least 100 receptions (123) and 1,000 receiving yards (1,348) in 2009. Only four other NFL players have had three consecutive seasons of at least 100 receptions and 1,000 yards receiving: Marvin Harrison (4, 1999-02), Brandon Marshall (3, 2007-09), Herman Moore (3, 1995-97) and Jerry Rice (3, 1994-96).

WELKER JOINS RICE AND HARRISON WITH FOUR 100-RECEPTION SEASON

Welker added seven receptions at Washington (12/11) to reach 100 receptions for the season and become the third player in NFL history with four 100-catch seasons. Welker joins Marvin Harrison and Jerry Rice as the only players with four 100-reception seasons.

MOST 100-RECEPTIONS SEASON IN NFL HISTORY

| Player | 100-reception seasons |
|-------------------|-----------------------|
| Wes Welker | 4 |
| Marvin Harrison | 4 |
| Jerry Rice | 4 |
| Brandon Marshall | 3 |
| Herman Moore | 3 |
| Andre Johnson | 3 |
| Reggie Wayne | 3 |

WELKER: 7.2 CATCHES PER GAME SINCE 2007

Wes Welker is averaging 7.2 receptions per game since joining New England in 2007. His 7.2 average is the highest in the NFL during that time.

MOST RECEPTIONS PER GAME SINCE 2007

(Minimum-20 games)

| Player | Team | Average |
|-------------------|-----------------------------|------------|
| Wes Welker | New England Patriots | 7.2 |
| Andre Johnson | Houston Texans | 6.5 |
| Brandon Marshall | Denver/Miami | 6.2 |

WELKER TIES NFL RECORD FOR 10-PLUS CATCH GAMES IN A SEASON WITH SEVEN IN 2009

Welker had seven 10-plus reception games in 2009 season to tie the NFL record for most 10-plus reception games in a single season. Andre Johnson of Houston had seven 10-plus reception games in 2008.

PATRIOTS MOST GAMES WITH 10-PLUS CATCHES

No. of 10-plus reception games for the Patriots

| | |
|-------------------|-----------|
| Wes Welker | 14 |
| Ben Coates | 5 |
| Troy Brown | 5 |

WELKER TIES NFL RECORD WITH THREE GAMES OF 8 RECEPTIONS, 150 YARDS AND A TD

Welker is already tied with six other players as the only players in NFL history to have at least eight receptions, 150 receiving yards and at least one touchdown three times in a single season with three such games in 2011.

PLAYERS TIED FOR NFL RECORD OF THREE GAMES WITH 8+ REC, 150+ YDS, AND 1+ TD IN A SINGLE SEASON

| | |
|-------------------|-------------|
| Wes Welker | 2011 |
| Randy Moss | 2003 |
| Tim Brown | 1995 |
| Isaac Bruce | 1995 |
| Jerry Rice | 1993 |
| Sterling Sharpe | 1989 |
| Roy Green | 1984 |

WELKER SETS FRANCHISE RECORDS

Welker had a career-high 217 receiving yards to set a franchise record at Buffalo (9/25/11). The previous record was set by Terry Glenn when he had 214 at Cleveland on Oct. 3, 1999. It is the second 200-yard performance in franchise history. Welker's previous best was 192 yards vs. the New York Jets (11/22/09). Welker's 16 receptions at Buffalo are also a personal best and are tied with Troy Brown for the franchise mark. Brown had 16 vs. Kansas City on Sept. 22, 2001. Welker's previous best were the 15 he had vs. the New York Jets (11/22/09)

WELKER TIED FOR THIRD AMONG ACTIVE PLAYERS WITH 14 10-PLUS RECEPTION GAMES

Welker now has 14 10-plus reception games in his career.

Most Games with 10+ receptions/Active Players

| | |
|----------------------|---------------------|
| 15 Andre Johnson | 12 Anquan Boldin |
| 14 Wes Welker | 12 Brandon Marshall |
| 14 Reggie Wayne | |

MOST GAMES WITH 10+ RECEPTIONS IN NFL HISTORY

| | |
|----------------------|---------------------|
| 17 Jerry Rice | 13 Tim Brown |
| 16 Marvin Harrison | 12 Anquan Boldin |
| 15 Andre Johnson | 12 Brandon Marshall |
| 14 Wes Welker | |
| 14 Cris Carter | |
| 14 Reggie Wayne | |

WELKER IS STREAKING

Welker has a streak of 95 straight regular-season games with at least one reception. He has caught at least one pass in each of his 84 games with the Patriots, including seven postseason games. The last time that Welker did not catch a pass in a game was December 24, 2005 when he was with Miami. He has caught at least one pass in 77 consecutive regular-season games with the Patriots to extend a franchise record. TE Ben Coates originally set the record with 63

KYLE ARRINGTON TIED FOR NFL LEAD WITH SEVEN INTERCEPTIONS IN 2011

Kyle Arrington, who had just two interceptions during his entire college career at Hofstra, tied for the NFL lead with a career-high seven interceptions in 2011. The last Patriots player to lead the league in interceptions was Asante Samuel with 10 in 2006. Arrington had two games in 2011 with two picks: at Buffalo on Sept. 25 and vs. Kansas City on Nov. 21.

2011 NFL INTERCEPTION LEADERS

| Player | Team | Int | Yds | Avg | Lg | TD |
|-----------------------|-----------|----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|----------|
| Kyle Arrington | NE | 7 | 92 | 13.1 | 28 | 0 |
| Eric Weddle | SD | 7 | 89 | 12.7 | 26 | 0 |
| Charles Woodson | GB | 7 | 63 | 9.0 | 30t | 1 |

PATRICK CHUNG'S JOURNEY TO THE NFL

Long before S Patrick Chung picked up flag football as a teen, his mother, Jamaican recording artist Sophia George, had preached about being a tough man in a song. Her hit single, "Girlie Girlie" – a traditional reggae song about poking fun at a boy who was not man enough – topped the charts in 1985. Chung is aware that among his talents he was born with, such as speed and agility, singing is not one of them. Chung possesses a great sense of pride in his unique heritage – his mother is Jamaican and his father is half Jamaican and half Chinese, was born in Jamaica and moved to California at age 12 where he started to play football as a freshman in high school. Chung went on to star at Oregon, where he holds the distinction of starting more games than any other defensive player in school history with 51 starts. He originally entered the draft as a junior, but ultimately decided to return for his senior season. Pinned to the back of his locker is a reminder of the support he has gotten – a Jamaican flag that represents his family's heritage.

JAMES IHEDIGBO WILL ALWAYS HAVE HOPE

Amherst, Mass. native James Ihedigbo is the son of Apollos and Rose Ihedigbo, who came to Massachusetts from Nigeria, earned doctorate degrees from UMass and strived to improve the lives of many Africans back home. When James was in high school, his father returned to Africa to start the Nigerian-American Technical and Agricultural College. He worked to build the school for two years before dying in 2002 from kidney failure. In 2008, Ihedigbo, his mother and his four siblings kept his legacy alive by founding HOPE Africa, an organization that helps fund educational and medical efforts in Africa and supports the college his father started. As he told the Boston Herald, Ihedigbo hopes to "help students be what they dream they can be." He went a long way toward that goal in March 2011 when he traveled to Africa with three other NFL players, Amobi Okoye, Frank Okam and Connor Baldwin, and his mother, who serves a



PATRIOTS DEFENSIVE NOTES

JAMES IHEDIGBO WILL ALWAYS HAVE HOPE (continued)

HOPE Africa's executive director. They brought 3,500 books, ran health clinics, taught kids American football and most of all, spread hope.

KYLE LOVE 'MINI-V' FOLLOWS WILFORK

Kyle Love has been looking up to Vince Wilfork since his days at Mississippi State, when his teammates dubbed him "Mini-V" for his resemblance to the Patriots defensive tackle. The nickname led Love to closely monitor Wilfork as he finished his playing days with the Bulldogs. Little did he know that he would get the chance to watch Wilfork from an even closer perspective – lined up next to him on the Patriots defensive line. "I stay close to that guy always. Watch me out here, I'm right beside him, no matter what," Love told the *Boston Globe*. Now that they're on the same team, Wilfork has become an even bigger influence, like a big brother, according to Love.

STILL RECEIVING THE LOVE

Kyle Love continues to receive motivation from his father, retired Army colonel Anthony Love. Every game day, his father sends him a text message with words of encouragement to get him excited. His dad has been motivating him since middle school and the message has always remained the same: "Give the coaches a reason to keep you."

STERLING MOORE RECORDS FIRST CAREER INTERCEPTIONS

Rookie Sterling Moore intercepted his first pass of his career at the Buffalo 25-yard line in the third quarter in the season-finale (1/1/12). The Patriots converted the turnover into a touchdown to give the Patriots their first lead of the game. He intercepted his second pass in the fourth quarter and returned it 21 yards for a touchdown.

MAYO OVER 100 TACKLES FOR THE FOURTH STRAIGHT YEAR

LB Jerod Mayo finished the 2011 season with 103 tackles, registering 100 tackles for the fourth straight year. He is the first player in New England history to register 100 tackles in his first four NFL seasons. He is the fifth Patriots player to register at least four consecutive 100 tackle seasons.



100 Tackles in at least four consecutive seasons/Patriots

6 Fred Marion (1985-1990)
5 Lawyer Milloy (1997-2001)
5 Vincent Brown (1991-1995)

4 Jerod Mayo (2008-2011)

4 Steve Nelson (1979-82)

MAYO LED NFL WITH 193 TOTAL TACKLES IN 2010

Mayo finished first in the NFL with a career-high 193 total tackles in 2010 with two 19-tackle games: vs. BLT (10/17) and vs. GB (12/19). His 193 tackles are the highest since LB Steve Nelson had 207 tackles in 1984 and are the third highest in team history. Mayo had 10 games in 2010 with 10-plus tackles.

Patriots Single Season Tackle Leaders All-Time

| Year | Player | Tackles |
|------|---------------------|---------|
| 1983 | LB Clayton Weishuhn | 229 |
| 1984 | LB Steve Nelson | 207 |
| 2010 | LB Jerod Mayo | 193 |
| 1980 | LB Steve Nelson | 186 |

MAYO REGISTERS FIRST TWO CAREER INTERCEPTIONS IN 2011

Mayo registered his first two career interceptions in consecutive games – vs. Indianapolis (12/4) and at Washington (12/11). He clinched the win at Washington when he intercepted a Redskins pass at the New England 9-yard line to seal the 34-27 win.

MAYO IS A YOUNG LEADER

Jerod Mayo learned knowledge and discipline are the keys to success while spending afternoons with his three brothers under the supervision of their grandfather, Walter Johnson, a retired Air Force veteran of 30 years. While Mayo's mother worked two jobs, Johnson taught the boys discipline, responsibility and the value of life. Those lessons helped Mayo develop a work ethic and demeanor that has earned him the nickname of "Old Soul" from his teammates. His leadership skills and talent helped him become only the second Patriot to be named AFC Rookie of the Year, earning that title in 2008 to join Michael Haynes (1976).

DOUBLE TROUBLE: CB DEVIN MCCOURTY

After being selected by the Patriots in the first round of the 2010 NFL Draft, CB Devin McCourty became part of a select group in league history. McCourty's identical twin brother, Jason, is a cornerback with Tennessee, selected in the sixth round of the 2009 NFL Draft. The two are the 12th set of twins to play in the NFL. Devin redshirted for the 2005 season and therefore was a year behind his brother in eligibility. McCourty is the second twin to suit up for the Patriots, after CB Kato Serwanga was a member of the team from 1998-2000. His twin brother Wasswa played for San Francisco and Minnesota from 1999-2001. According to McCourty's mother, the two can only be told apart by tiny scars on their faces left by chickenpox.

ROB NINKOVICH: WHERE DID HE COME FROM?

Rob Ninkovich's journey to the Patriots was not easy. He entered the league as a fifth-round pick of New Orleans in 2006 and was waived four times by New Orleans and Miami before landing in New England on Aug. 2, 2009. He spent the 2009 offseason trying to make the New Orleans team as a long snapper. Before coming to the Patriots he had appeared in just eight games over three years. He doubled that total in his first year in New England, appearing in 15 games in 2009 and his role on the team has grown since. He finished with 58 total tackles, four sacks, broke up three passes and had 11 special teams stops in 2010. He also had two interceptions, both against his former team, the Miami Dolphins. He tied for the AFC lead in fumble recoveries with three, with the most notable coming at San Diego on Oct. 24, 2010, when he returned a fumble 63 yards, marking the second longest fumble return in team history. He had his second 2-interception game at the New York Jets on Nov. 13, 2011 and returned his second pick 12 yards for a touchdown. Despite his success, Ninkovich told the Brockton Enterprise, "I don't want to get comfortable. You can't get comfortable because the first time you get comfortable, you're out of a job. I'm always uneasy. That keeps you going."

NINKOVICH SCORED AS A TE IN COLLEGE

Ninkovich played some at tight end in college at Purdue and caught two touchdown passes with a 2-yard touchdown pass from Dallas QB Kyle Orton and a 1-yard touchdown pass from current Indianapolis QB Curtis Painter.

VINCE WILFORK REGISTERS FIRST CAREER INTERCEPTIONS IN 2011

Vince Wilfork recorded his first career interception when he picked off QB Philip Rivers in the second quarter vs. San Diego (9/18). He had his second interception at Oakland (10/2) to join Anthony Pleasant (2001) as the only other Patriots defensive lineman to ever record two interceptions in the same season. Wilfork is one of four Patriots defensive lineman to ever record two interceptions overall, joining Pleasant, Richard Seymour and Henry Thomas.

WILFORK SCORES FIRST NFL TOUCHDOWN IN 2011

Wilfork recovered a fumble in the end zone at Washington (12/11) for his first touchdown. DE Andre Carter sacked QB Rex Grossman in the end zone and forced a fumble and Wilfork recovered the ball for the Patriots first points in their 34-27 victory.



DEFENSIVE NOTES/SPECIAL TEAMS

WILFORK WEARS HIS HEART ON HIS NECK

Wilfork wears No. 75 over his shoulder pads. Underneath hangs a gold chain locket for those who were number one in his heart: his parents. In 2002, parents David and Barbara Wilfork both passed away within five months of each other, leaving the then University of Miami star without his greatest support system. Wilfork, who lost his father to diabetes, has raised hundreds of thousands of dollars for diabetes-related causes. His annual draft day fundraiser, a bowling event he has held for eight years, is one of the longest running fundraising events held by a pro athlete in New England. For his charity work, Wilfork was awarded the 2010 New England Patriots Ron Burton Community Service Award. While he will always cherish his National Championship and Super Bowl rings, his constant reminder lies closest to his heart, a picture of his late parents at their high school prom. "I carry them with me wherever I go," Wilfork said of his parents' keepsake. "My parents pushed me to be the best I could be. The things I do and my wife does, we do out of the kindness of our heart, and we do it for the community. I never look for anything in return. My teammates are my second family. My kids, my wife, the New England Patriots – that's all I have."

GOSTKOWSKI SIXTH BEST EVER IN FG PCT.

Stephen Gostkowski's 84.4 field goal percentage is the sixth-best among NFL kickers all-time.

| Player | Years | FGM | FGA | Pct. |
|---------------------------|----------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| Nate Kaeding | 2004-11 | 173 | 200 | 86.5 |
| Mike Vanderjagt | 1998-06 | 230 | 266 | 86.5 |
| Rob Bironas | 2005-11 | 189 | 219 | 86.3 |
| Shayne Graham | 2001-11 | 214 | 249 | 85.9 |
| Robbie Gould | 2005-11 | 187 | 218 | 85.8 |
| Stephen Gostkowski | 2006-11 | 141 | 167 | 84.4 |
| Matt Bryant | 2002-11 | 200 | 238 | 84.0 |

EVEN STEPHEN

Since joining the Patriots as a fourth-round draft choice in 2006, Stephen Gostkowski has connected on 84.4 percent of his regular-season field goal attempts (141-for-167), achieving the best field goal percentage in Patriots history.

PATRIOTS ALL-TIME LEADERS / FIELD GOAL PCT.

(Minimum 50 Attempts)

| Player | Years | FGM | FGA | Pct. |
|---------------------------|----------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| Stephen Gostkowski | 2006-11 | 141 | 167 | .844 |
| Adam Vinatieri | 1996-05 | 263 | 321 | .819 |
| Matt Bahr | 1993-95 | 55 | 72 | .764 |
| Tony Franklin | 1984-87 | 93 | 125 | .744 |
| Jason Staurovsky | 1988-91 | 50 | 69 | .724 |
| John Smith | 1974-83 | 128 | 191 | .670 |

GOSTKOWSKI TIED FOR THIRD IN POINTS

Gostkowski added 9 points vs. Miami (12/24) to push his career total to 701 points and take sole possession of third place on the Patriots scoring list. Gostkowski led the AFC and finished third in the NFL with 143 points. The 143 points are second to the 148 he had in 2008 and the fourth highest in team history.

Most Points/ Patriots History

| Player | Points |
|-------------------------------------|------------|
| Adam Vinatieri (1996-05) | 1,158 |
| Gino Cappelletti (1960-70) | 1,130 |
| Stephen Gostkowski (2006-11) | 712 |
| John Smith (1974-83) | 692 |

ZOLTAN MESKO: COMING TO AMERICA

P Zoltan Mesko was born in Timisoara, Romania on the Romania-Hungary border. On Many occasions in 1989, during the communist revolutions, his family was forced to take cover to avoid gun shots from the armies. Even after the fall of the Berlin Wall, his family lived in poverty. His family left Romania when his father won a United States Permanent Resident Card (green card) in the Diversity Immigrant Visa Lottery in 1997 when Mesko was 11.

MESKO DISCOVERS FOOTBALL

An avid soccer player from his days in Romania, Mesko had a strong leg. It was only when he came to America that he discovered his leg could take him places. In eighth grade, Mesko was playing kickball in the gym when he kicked the ball so high that he broke a light fixture. He was given a choice: pay for the light fixture or play football. The choice was an easy one—Mesko decided to play football. His leg would land him numerous Division I scholarships and admission offers from Ivy League schools. From those, Mesko chose to play football at Michigan.

MESKO SETS FRANCHISE RECORD WITH A 46.5 AVERAGE

Mesko led the AFC and finished third in the NFL in 2011 with a 41.5 net average. His 46.5 average overall in 2011 is the best in team history, topping the 45.8 average by Tom Tupa in 1997.

Zoltan Mesko finished the 2011 season with a 41.5 net average, the sixth-best net average in NFL history. It marked just the 24th time in NFL history that a player finished a season with a net average over 40 yard.

BEST NET AVERAGE IN NFL HISTORY/SEASON

| Player | Year | Net Average |
|--------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Andy Lee (San Francisco) | 2011 | 44.0 |
| Shane Lechler (Oakland) | 2009 | 43.9 |
| Thomas Morstead (New Orleans) | 2011 | 43.1 |
| Donnie Jones (St. Louis) | 2009 | 41.7 |
| Matt McBriar (Dallas) | 2010 | 41.7 |
| Zoltan Mesko (Patriots) | 2011 | 41.5 |





PATRIOTS FOOTBALL NETWORK

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

PATRIOTS ALL ACCESS

T Emmy-Award winning Patriots All Access airs weekly throughout the season on WBZ, Channel 4 in Boston and regional affiliates. Patriots All Access features exclusive, behind-the-scenes access and in-depth weekly features on Patriots players and personnel. Hosted by WBZ's Steve Burton, the show features weekly sit-downs with Coach Bill Belichick, including the popular "Belestrator" segment where the coach breaks down upcoming opponents. Fridays at 7:00 p.m. and Sundays at 9:00 a.m. on **TV 38 in Boston; WNAC-TV in Providence**; Saturdays at 12:05 a.m. on **WMUR-TV in Manchester, N.H.** Saturdays at 5:00 a.m. on **WMTW-TV in Portland, Maine**; Saturdays at 5:00 p.m. on **WCTX-TV in Hartford, Conn.** Saturdays at 7:00 p.m. on **WFXQ-TV in Springfield, Mass.**; Sundays at 11:00 a.m. on **WVII-TV in Bangor, Maine**



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Totally Patriots is a unique, one of a kind Patriots show aimed for the next generation of Patriots fans. This weekly, youth oriented football show allows school aged fans unprecedented access to their favorite players, enabling them to ask questions in a relaxed, informal setting.

PATRIOTS TODAY AND PATRIOTS THIS WEEK

PATRIOTS TODAY: Available daily at Patriots.com and on Verizon Fios on Demand, as well as on Verizon wireless' VCAST.

PATRIOTS THIS WEEK: Fridays 10:30 p.m. on Comcast Sports Net.

Patriots Today gives fans a daily, in-depth look at the club that is unmatched by any other outlet. The show is hosted by Jackie Brittain with daily reports from Brian Lowe and twice-weekly analysis from PFW's Paul Perillo. This daily Webcast is dedicated exclusively to the Patriots and provides daily features, reports and commentary that will satisfy every fan's daily Patriots fix. Every Friday at 10:30 a.m. on Comcast Sports Net, Jackie Brittain will bring you *Patriots This Week*, providing a thorough recap of each week's developments.

PATRIOTS.COM NEWS

Patriots.com features daily updates and exclusive content from the writers of *Patriots Football Weekly*, offering everything from breaking news to player features and the popular "Ask PFW" postings.

VIDEO

The first professional sports team website to offer streaming video provides Patriots fans with a variety of exclusive video content. Visitors can choose their channel and watch exclusive video from news to cheerleaders. Patriots.com also features video of every Patriots press conference, including postgame press conferences and Coach Belichick's weekday media updates.

AUDIO

Patriots Web Radio programming is available exclusively on Patriots.com beginning at noon each day, Monday through Friday. Kicking off the programming lineup is PFW In Progress, a daily online program that features candid commentary from the writers of *Patriots Football Weekly*. Following PFW In Progress is Patriots Playbook, hosted by John Rooke, featuring items from around the NFL. And new in 2012 is the addition of three shows from FootballNation.com including Kerry Byrne and his Cold Hard Patriots.com also offers streaming audio of every Patriots press conference, as well as archives of Patriots.com Radio shows and exclusive podcasts.

PATRIOTS MONDAY ON WEEI

WEEI Sports Radio broadcasts Patriots Monday each week, offering fans unique insight and analysis from Coach Belichick and Tom Brady in addition to other Patriots players. WEEI will broadcast Patriots Monday live from Gillette Stadium each Monday, kicking off with Dennis & Callahan at 6:00 a.m.

PATRIOTS FRIDAY ON WEEI

WEEI Sports Radio broadcasts Patriots Friday each week, offering fans a look ahead at the weekend's game, match ups and rivalries. Various Patriots players will be featured on air. WEEI will broadcast Patriots Fridays each week throughout the season, kicking off with Dennis & Callahan at 6:00 a.m., followed by Mutt and Merloni at 10:00 a.m. and The Big Show with Glenn Ordway and Michael Holley from 2:00 to 6:00 p.m.

98.5 THE SPORTS HUB PATRIOTS RADIO NETWORK

A new era in Patriots Radio history began in 2009, with the move of the game broadcasts to 98.5 FM, Boston's Sports Hub. The transition to Boston's new all-sports radio station insures that Patriots fans will continue to hear every kick, block and tackle in stereo, and without static, in crystal-clear FM quality. Fans all over New England will be able to listen in to any of 40 stations on the Safety Insurance 98.5 The Sports Hub Patriots Radio Network, starting with Patriots Preview three hours before kickoff, and capped off with Patriots Postgame for three hours after the final gun.



FLAGSHIP STATION 98.5 FM Boston's Sports Hub

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| WAQY | Springfield | 102.1 FM |
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| WNAW | N. Adams | 1230 AM |
| WBSM | New Bedford | 1420 AM |
| WPVQ | Greenfield | 95.3 FM |
| WSAR | Fall River | 1480 AM |
| WWFX | Worcester | 100.1 FM |
| WXTK | Hyannis | 95.1 FM |

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| WEBB | Augusta | 98.5 FM |
| WWMJ | Bangor | 95.7 FM |
| WBLM | Portland | 102.9 FM |
| WEGP | Presque Isle | 1390 AM |

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| WCCC | Hartford | 106.9 FM |
| WGCH | Greenwich | 1490 AM |
| WINY | Putnam | 1350 AM |
| WMOS | New London | 102.3 FM |

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| WTPL | Concord | 107.7 FM |
| WSAK | Hampton | 102.1 FM |
| WLKZ | Laconia | 104.9 FM |
| WKNE | Keene | 99.1 FM |
| WSHK | Portsmouth | 105.3 FM |
| WGHM | Nashua | 1590 AM |
| WPKQ | N. Conway | 103.7 FM |
| WGAM | Manchester | 1250 AM |

RHODE ISLAND

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| WPRO | Providence | 630 AM |
| WEAN | Providence | 99.7 FM |

NEBRASKA

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| KRNP | Sutherland | 100.7 FM |
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NEW YORK

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| WUSP | Utica | 95.5 FM |
| WUSP | Utica | 1550 AM |
| WARD | Utica | 1480 AM |

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| WBTN | Bennington | 1370 AM |
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| WKVT | Brattleboro | 92.7 FM |
| WCPV | Burlington | 101.3 FM |
| WEXP | Rutland | 101.5 FM |
| WMOO | Derby Center | 92.1 FM |
| WSTJ | St Johnsbury | 1340 AM |
| WMXR | Woodstock | 93.9 FM |



2012 PRESEASON OFFENSIVE STATISTICS

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08/09 W 7- 6 New Orleans 68,756
 08/20 Philadelphia
 08/24 at Tampa Bay
 08/29 at New York Giants

N.E. Opp.

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|--------------------|--------|--------|
| TOTAL FIRST DOWNS | 20 | 15 |
| Rushing | 6 | 5 |
| Passing | 10 | 9 |
| Penalty | 4 | 1 |
| 3rd Down: Made/Att | 5/17 | 5/15 |
| 3rd Down Pct. | 29.4 | 33.3 |
| 4th Down: Made/Att | 0/0 | 0/0 |
| 4th Down Pct. | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| POSSESSION AVG. | 29:21 | 30:39 |
| TOTAL NET YARDS | 279 | 280 |
| Avg. Per Game | 279.0 | 280.0 |
| Total Plays | 73 | 67 |
| Avg. Per Play | 3.8 | 4.2 |
| NET YARDS RUSHING | 126 | 92 |
| Avg. Per Game | 126.0 | 92.0 |
| Total Rushes | 31 | 29 |
| NET YARDS PASSING | 153 | 188 |
| Avg. Per Game | 153.0 | 188.0 |
| Sacked/Yards Lost | 1/11 | 2/9 |
| Gross Yards | 164 | 197 |
| Att./Completions | 41/20 | 36/20 |
| Completion Pct. | 48.8 | 55.6 |
| Had Intercepted | 1 | 2 |
| PUNTS/AVERAGE | 8/47.8 | 7/44.6 |
| NET PUNTING AVG. | 8/45.9 | 7/39.4 |
| PENALTIES/YARDS | 5/81 | 10/66 |
| FUMBLES/BALL LOST | 1/1 | 2/0 |
| TOUCHDOWNS | 1 | 0 |
| Rushing | 0 | 0 |
| Passing | 1 | 0 |
| Returns | 0 | 0 |

| * SCORE BY PERIODS | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | OT | PTS |
|--------------------|----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| TEAM | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| OPPONENTS | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 6 |

| * SCORING | TD | Ru | Pa | Rt | K | PAT | FG | S | PTS |
|---|----|----|----|----|------|------|----|---|-----|
| Davis | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | | | 0 | | 6 |
| Gostkowski | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1/ 1 | 0/ 1 | 0 | | 1 |
| TEAM | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1/ 1 | 0/ 1 | 0 | | 7 |
| OPPONENTS | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0/ 0 | 2/ 3 | 0 | | 6 |
| 2-Pt Conv: TM 0-0, OPP 0-0 | | | | | | | | | |
| SACKS: Bequette 1, Scott 1, TM 2, OPP 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| FUM/LOST: Brady 1/1 | | | | | | | | | |

| * RUSHING | No. | Yds | Avg | Long | TD |
|-----------|-----|-----|------|------|----|
| Vereen | 11 | 64 | 5.8 | 18 | 0 |
| Ridley | 8 | 40 | 5.0 | 9 | 0 |
| Bolden | 8 | 23 | 2.9 | 13 | 0 |
| Woodhead | 1 | 3 | 3.0 | 3 | 0 |
| Mallett | 3 | -4 | -1.3 | -1 | 0 |
| TEAM | 31 | 126 | 4.1 | 18 | 0 |
| OPPONENTS | 29 | 92 | 3.2 | 13 | 0 |

| * RECEIVING | No. | Yds | Avg | Long | TD |
|-------------|-----|-----|------|------|----|
| Edelman | 4 | 36 | 9.0 | 23 | 0 |
| Woodhead | 3 | 26 | 8.7 | 20 | 0 |
| Gronkowski | 2 | 20 | 10.0 | 11 | 0 |
| Gaffney | 2 | 18 | 9.0 | 9 | 0 |
| Vereen | 2 | 17 | 8.5 | 10 | 0 |
| Kettani | 2 | 12 | 6.0 | 7 | 0 |
| Urban | 1 | 20 | 20.0 | 20 | 0 |
| Hernandez | 1 | 7 | 7.0 | 7 | 0 |
| Ebert | 1 | 4 | 4.0 | 4 | 0 |
| Davis | 1 | 3 | 3.0 | 3t | 1 |
| Stallworth | 1 | 1 | 1.0 | 1 | 0 |
| TEAM | 20 | 164 | 8.2 | 23 | 1 |
| OPPONENTS | 20 | 197 | 9.9 | 30 | 0 |

| * INTERCEPTIONS | No. | Yds | Avg | Long | TD |
|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|------|----|
| Gregory | 1 | 5 | 5.0 | 5 | 0 |
| Chung | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| TEAM | 2 | 5 | 2.5 | 5 | 0 |
| OPPONENTS | 1 | 1 | 1.0 | 1 | 0 |

| * PUNTING | No. | Yds | Avg | Net | TB | In | Lg | B |
|-----------|-----|-----|------|------|----|----|----|---|
| Mesko | 8 | 382 | 47.8 | 45.9 | 0 | 4 | 50 | 0 |
| TEAM | 8 | 382 | 47.8 | 45.9 | 0 | 4 | 50 | 0 |
| OPPONENTS | 7 | 312 | 44.6 | 39.4 | 1 | 3 | 60 | 0 |

| * PUNT RETURNS | Ret | FC | Yds | Avg | Long | TD |
|----------------|-----|----|-----|-----|------|----|
| Edelman | 2 | 3 | 16 | 8.0 | 10 | 0 |
| Ebert | 0 | 1 | 0 | --- | --- | 0 |
| TEAM | 2 | 4 | 16 | 8.0 | 10 | 0 |
| OPPONENTS | 5 | 1 | 15 | 3.0 | 8 | 0 |

| * KICKOFF RETURNS | No. | Yds | Avg | Long | TD |
|-------------------|-----|-----|------|------|----|
| Woodhead | 2 | 24 | 12.0 | 18 | 0 |
| TEAM | 2 | 24 | 12.0 | 18 | 0 |
| OPPONENTS | 0 | 0 | --- | --- | 0 |

| * FIELD GOALS | 1-19 | 20-29 | 30-39 | 40-49 | 50+ |
|---------------|------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Gostkowski | 0/ 0 | 0/ 0 | 0/ 0 | 0/ 0 | 0/ 0 |
| TEAM | 0/ 0 | 0/ 0 | 0/ 0 | 0/ 0 | 0/ 1 |
| OPPONENTS | 0/ 0 | 1/ 1 | 0/ 0 | 1/ 2 | 0/ 0 |

Gostkowski: (53N)
 TM: (53N)
 OPP: (46G,27G,41N)

| * PASSING | Att | Cmp | Yds | Cmp% | Yds/Att | TD | TD% | Int | Int% | Long | Sack/Lost | Rating |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|------|---------|----|-----|-----|------|------|-----------|--------|
| Mallett | 19 | 8 | 89 | 42.1 | 4.68 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 5.3 | 23 | 0/ 0 | 34.8 |
| Hoyer | 15 | 8 | 45 | 53.3 | 3.00 | 1 | 6.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 10 | 0/ 0 | 81.3 |
| Brady | 7 | 4 | 30 | 57.1 | 4.29 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 11 | 1/ 11 | 67.6 |
| TEAM | 41 | 20 | 164 | 48.8 | 4.00 | 1 | 2.4 | 1 | 2.4 | 23 | 1/ 11 | 57.4 |
| OPPONENTS | 36 | 20 | 197 | 55.6 | 5.47 | 0 | 0.0 | 2 | 5.6 | 30 | 2/ 9 | 48.0 |



2012 PRESEASON DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

Tackle Statistics based on Play-by-Play

| PLAYER Name | TACKLES | | | SACKS | | | INTERCEPTIONS | | | | FUMBLES | | | | SP. TEAMS | | | | |
|------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|----------|---------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| | TT | UT | A | S | Yds | QH | Int | Yds | TD | PD | FF | FR | Yds | TD | TT | UT | A | FF | FR |
| Jeff Tarpinian | 6 | 2 | 4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Devin McCourty | 5 | 1 | 4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jerod Mayo | 4 | 3 | 1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Patrick Chung | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Mike Rivera | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dont'a Hightower | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Trevor Scott | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1.0 | 8.0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jake Bequette | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Marcus Harrison | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Tavon Wilson | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bobby Carpenter | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Steve Gregory | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sterling Moore | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Tim Bulman | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Will Allen | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Kyle Arrington | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Chandler Jones | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Marcus Forston | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Vince Wilfork | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Kyle Love | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ras-I Dowling | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Niko Koutouvides | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Marquice Cole | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Aaron Lavarias | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Malcolm Williams | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Danny Aiken | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Nate Ebner | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTALS | 64 | 32 | 32 | 2.0 | 9.0 | 5 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 |

| FUMBLES - LOST (1-1) | | | | |
|----------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| | No. | Lost | Rec | Own O.B. |
| Tom Brady | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTALS | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |

| MISC. OFFENSIVE STATS | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| | Tkl | Ast | FF | FR |
| Dan Connolly | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Donte' Stallworth | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTALS | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| KEY | | | |
|-----------------------|----|--------------------------------------|---|
| TT-Total Tackles | | Int/Yds-Interceptions/Yards Returned | |
| UT-Unassisted Tackles | | PD-Passes Defensed | |
| A-Assisted Tackles | | FF-Forced Fumbles | |
| BLOCKED KICKS | | | |
| | XP | FG | P |
| | | | |
| Totals | 0 | 0 | 0 |



2012 New England Patriots Roster

AS OF AUGUST 13, 2012

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

| # | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
|----|----------------------|-----|------|-----|------------|----|------------------------|--------------------------|
| 48 | Aiken, Danny | LS | 6-4 | 260 | 8/28/1988 | 2 | Virginia | Roanoke, Va. |
| 26 | Allen, Will | CB | 5-10 | 195 | 8/5/1978 | 12 | Syracuse | Syracuse, N.Y. |
| 24 | Arrington, Kyle | CB | 5-10 | 195 | 8/12/1986 | 4 | Hofstra | Accokeek, Md. |
| 88 | Ballard, Jake | TE | 6-6 | 275 | 12/21/1987 | 2 | Ohio State | Springboro, Ohio |
| 30 | Barrett, Josh | S | 6-2 | 225 | 11/22/1984 | 5 | Arizona State | Reno, Nev. |
| 66 | b Bequette, Jake | DE | 6-4 | 265 | 2/21/1989 | R | Arkansas | Little Rock, Ark. |
| 38 | Bolden, Brandon | RB | 5-11 | 220 | 1/26/1990 | R | Mississippi | Baton Rouge, La. |
| 97 | Brace, Ron | DL | 6-3 | 330 | 12/18/1986 | 4 | Boston College | Worcester, Mass. |
| 12 | Brady, Tom | QB | 6-4 | 225 | 8/3/1977 | 13 | Michigan | San Mateo, Calif. |
| 84 | Branch, Deion | WR | 5-9 | 195 | 7/18/1979 | 11 | Louisville | Albany, Ga. |
| 31 | Brown, Sergio | S | 6-2 | 210 | 5/22/1988 | 3 | Notre Dame | Maywood, Ill. |
| 93 | Bulman, Tim | DL | 6-4 | 281 | 10/31/1982 | 8 | Boston College | Dorchester, Mass. |
| 61 | Cannon, Marcus | OL | 6-5 | 340 | 5/6/1988 | 2 | Texas Christian | Odessa, Texas |
| 59 | Carpenter, Bobby | LB | 6-2 | 250 | 8/1/1983 | 7 | Ohio State | Lancaster, Ohio |
| 25 | Chung, Patrick | S | 5-11 | 210 | 8/19/1987 | 4 | Oregon | Rancho Cucamonga, Calif. |
| 23 | Cole, Marquice | CB | 5-10 | 195 | 11/13/1983 | 4 | Northwestern | Hazel Crest, Ill. |
| 63 | Connolly, Dan | OL | 6-4 | 310 | 9/2/1982 | 7 | Southeast Missouri St. | St. Louis, Mo. |
| 96 | Cunningham, Jermaine | LB | 6-3 | 255 | 4/24/1988 | 3 | Florida | Stone Mountain, Ga. |
| 17 | Davis, Britt | WR | 6-3 | 215 | 4/23/1986 | 1 | Northern Illinois | Broadview, Ill. |
| 71 | b Deaderick, Brandon | DL | 6-4 | 305 | 8/19/1987 | 3 | Alabama | Elizabethtown, Ky. |
| 37 | Dennard, Alfonso | CB | 5-10 | 200 | 9/9/1989 | R | Nebraska | Rochelle, Ga. |
| 72 | Dennis, Derek | OL | 6-3 | 315 | 7/16/1988 | R | Temple | Queens, N.Y. |
| 21 | Dowling, Ras-I | CB | 6-1 | 210 | 5/9/1988 | 2 | Virginia | Chesapeake, Va. |
| 80 | Ebert, Jeremy | WR | 6-0 | 195 | 4/6/1989 | R | Northwestern | Hilliard, Ohio |
| 43 | Ebner, Nate | DB | 6-0 | 210 | 12/14/1988 | R | Ohio State | Dublin, Ohio |
| 11 | Edelman, Julian | WR | 5-10 | 200 | 5/22/1986 | 4 | Kent State | Redwood City, Calif. |
| 98 | Fanene, Jonathan | DE | 6-4 | 285 | 3/19/1982 | 8 | Utah | Pago Pago, Amer. Samoa |
| 86 | Fells, Daniel | TE | 6-4 | 265 | 9/23/1983 | 6 | UC Davis | Fullerton, Calif. |
| 52 | Fletcher, Dane | LB | 6-2 | 245 | 9/14/1986 | 3 | Montana State | Bozeman, Montana |
| 65 | b Forston, Marcus | DL | 6-3 | 305 | 9/28/1989 | R | Miami (Fla.) | Maimi, Fla. |
| 68 | b Francis, Justin | DE | 6-4 | 270 | 2/8/1989 | R | Rutgers | Opa-Locka, Fla. |
| 10 | Gaffney, Jabar | WR | 6-2 | 200 | 12/1/1980 | 11 | Florida | Jacksonville, Fla. |
| 3 | Gostkowski, Stephen | K | 6-1 | 215 | 1/28/1984 | 7 | Memphis | Madison, Miss. |
| 28 | Gregory, Steve | S | 5-11 | 200 | 1/8/1983 | 7 | Syracuse | Staten Island, N.Y. |
| 87 | Gronkowski, Rob | TE | 6-6 | 265 | 5/14/1989 | 3 | Arizona | Pittsburgh, Pa. |
| 94 | Harrison, Marcus | DL | 6-3 | 310 | 7/10/1984 | 4 | Arkansas | Little Rock, Ark. |
| 81 | Hernandez, Aaron | TE | 6-1 | 245 | 11/6/1989 | 3 | Florida | Bristol, Conn. |
| 45 | Hightower, Dont'a | LB | 6-3 | 270 | 3/12/1990 | R | Alabama | Lewisburg, Tenn. |
| 75 | w Hill, Kyle | OL | 6-6 | 306 | 5/16/1989 | R | Duke | Orlando, Fla. |
| 69 | Hix, Kyle | OL | 6-7 | 315 | 9/23/1988 | 2 | Texas | Aledo, Tex. |
| 16 | Holley, Jesse | WR | 6-2 | 220 | 1/8/1984 | 3 | North Carolina | Roselle, N.J. |
| 8 | Hoyer, Brian | QB | 6-2 | 215 | 10/13/1985 | 4 | Michigan State | North Olmsted, Ohio |
| 44 | Ihedigbo, James | DB | 6-1 | 214 | 12/3/1983 | 6 | Massachusetts | Northampton, Mass. |
| 95 | Jones, Chandler | DE | 6-5 | 260 | 2/27/1990 | R | Syracuse | Endicott, N.Y. |
| 36 | w Kettani, Eric | FB | 5-11 | 240 | 3/26/1987 | 1 | Navy | Kirtland, Ohio |
| 2 | Koepllin, Chris | K | 6-3 | 215 | 10/11/1985 | 1 | Massachusetts | Manhasset, N.Y. |
| 68 | w Kopa, Matt | OL | 6-6 | 310 | 2/25/1987 | 2 | Stanford | Elk Grove, Calif. |
| 67 | Koppen, Dan | C | 6-2 | 300 | 9/12/1979 | 10 | Boston College | Whitehall, Pa. |
| 90 | Koutouvides, Niko | LB | 6-2 | 245 | 3/25/1981 | 9 | Purdue | New Britain, Conn. |
| 46 | Larsen, Spencer | FB | 6-2 | 245 | 3/4/1984 | 5 | Arizona | Gilbert, Ariz. |
| 60 | b Lavarias, Aaron | DE | 6-3 | 250 | 4/27/1988 | 1 | Idaho | Woodinville, Wash. |
| 85 | Lloyd, Brandon | WR | 6-0 | 200 | 7/5/1981 | 10 | Illinois | Blue Springs, Mo. |
| 74 | b Love, Kyle | DL | 6-1 | 315 | 11/18/1986 | 3 | Mississippi State | Fairburn, Ga. |
| 15 | Mallett, Ryan | QB | 6-6 | 245 | 6/5/1988 | 2 | Arkansas | Texarkana, Texas |
| 70 | Mankins, Logan | G | 6-4 | 310 | 3/10/1982 | 8 | Fresno State | Catheys Valley, Calif. |
| 36 | b Martin, Derrick | S | 5-10 | 198 | 5/16/1985 | 7 | Wyoming | Denver, Colo. |
| 51 | Mayo, Jerod | LB | 6-1 | 250 | 2/23/1986 | 5 | Tennessee | Hampton, Va. |
| 32 | McCourt, Devin | CB | 5-10 | 195 | 8/13/1987 | 3 | Rutgers | Montvale, N.J. |
| 65 | w McDonald, Nick | OL | 6-4 | 305 | 6/27/1987 | 3 | Grand Valley State | Sterling Heights, Mich. |
| 14 | Mesko, Zoltan | P | 6-5 | 230 | 3/6/1986 | 3 | Michigan | Twinsburg, Ohio |
| 29 | Moore, Sterling | DB | 5-10 | 200 | 2/3/1990 | 2 | Southern Methodist | Antioch, Calif. |
| 50 | Ninkovich, Rob | LB | 6-2 | 260 | 2/1/1984 | 7 | Purdue | Blue Island, Ill. |
| 91 | Pryor, Myron | DL | 6-1 | 305 | 6/13/1986 | 4 | Kentucky | Louisville, Ky. |
| 22 | Ridley, Stevan | RB | 5-11 | 220 | 1/27/1989 | 2 | Louisiana State | Natchez, Miss. |
| 47 | b Rivera, Mike | LB | 6-2 | 255 | 1/10/1986 | 1 | Kansas | Shawnee Mission, Kan. |
| 99 | Scott, Trevor | LB | 6-5 | 250 | 8/30/1984 | 5 | Buffalo | Potsdam, N.Y. |
| 82 | Shiancoe, Visanthe | TE | 6-4 | 250 | 6/18/1980 | 10 | Morgan State | Laurel, Md. |
| 49 | Silvestro, Alex | TE | 6-3 | 260 | 11/15/1988 | 1 | Rutgers | Gibbstown, N.J. |
| 18 | Slater, Matthew | WR | 6-0 | 210 | 9/9/1985 | 5 | UCLA | Anaheim, Calif. |
| 77 | Solder, Nate | T | 6-8 | 320 | 4/12/1988 | 2 | Colorado | Buena Vista, Colo. |
| 55 | Spikes, Brandon | LB | 6-2 | 255 | 9/3/1987 | 3 | Florida | Shelby, N.C. |
| 19 | Stallworth, Donte' | WR | 6-0 | 200 | 11/10/1980 | 10 | Tennessee | Sacramento, Calif. |
| 53 | Tarpinian, Jeff | LB | 6-3 | 240 | 10/16/1987 | 2 | Iowa | Omaha, Neb. |
| 64 | Thomas, Donald | OL | 6-4 | 305 | 9/25/1985 | 5 | Connecticut | New Haven, Conn. |
| 47 | w Urban, Tyler | TE | 6-5 | 249 | 9/30/1989 | R | West Virginia | Huntingdon, Pa. |
| 35 | Ventrone, Ross | DB | 5-8 | 195 | 9/27/1986 | 2 | Villanova | Pittsburgh, Pa. |
| 34 | Vereen, Shane | RB | 5-9 | 205 | 5/2/1989 | 2 | California | Valencia, Calif. |
| 76 | Vollmer, Sebastian | T | 6-8 | 320 | 7/10/1984 | 4 | Houston | Kaarst, Germany |
| 71 | w Waldron, Dustin | OL | 6-5 | 310 | 5/24/1990 | R | Portland State | Pleasant Hill, Ore. |
| 92 | Warren, Gerard | DL | 6-4 | 330 | 7/25/1978 | 12 | Florida | Lake Butler, Fla. |
| 60 | w Warren, Jeremiah | OL | 6-4 | 320 | 9/20/1987 | R | South Florida | Panama City, Fla. |
| 74 | w Weems, Darrior | OL | 6-5 | 302 | 9/11/1988 | R | Oregon | Winnetka, Calif. |
| 83 | Welker, Wes | WR | 5-9 | 185 | 5/1/1981 | 9 | Texas Tech | Oklahoma City, Okla. |
| 62 | Wendell, Ryan | OL | 6-2 | 300 | 3/4/1986 | 4 | Fresno State | Diamond Bar, Calif. |
| 58 | White, Tracy | LB | 6-0 | 235 | 4/14/1981 | 10 | Howard | St. Stephen, S.C. |
| 75 | b Wilfork, Vince | DL | 6-2 | 325 | 11/4/1981 | 9 | Miami (Fla.) | Boynton Beach, Fla. |
| 41 | Williams, Malcolm | DB | 5-11 | 205 | 11/22/1987 | 2 | Texas Christian | Grand Prairie, Texas |
| 27 | Wilson, Tavon | DB | 6-0 | 210 | 3/19/1990 | R | Illinois | Washington, D.C. |
| 39 | Woodhead, Danny | RB | 5-8 | 200 | 1/25/1985 | 5 | Chadron State | North Platte, Neb. |
| 66 | w Zusevics, Markus | T | 6-5 | 300 | 4/25/1989 | R | Iowa | Arlington Heights, Ill. |

NUMERICAL ROSTER

| # | NAME | POS |
|----|---------------------|-----|
| 2 | Chris Koepllin | K |
| 3 | Stephen Gostkowski | K |
| 8 | Brian Hoyer | QB |
| 10 | Jabar Gaffney | WR |
| 11 | Julian Edelman | WR |
| 12 | Tom Brady | QB |
| 14 | Zoltan Mesko | P |
| 15 | Ryan Mallett | QB |
| 16 | Jesse Holley | WR |
| 17 | Britt Davis | WR |
| 18 | Matthew Slater | WR |
| 19 | Donte' Stallworth | WR |
| 21 | Ras-I Dowling | CB |
| 22 | Stevan Ridley | RB |
| 23 | Marquice Cole | CB |
| 24 | Kyle Arrington | CB |
| 25 | Patrick Chung | S |
| 26 | Will Allen | CB |
| 27 | Tavon Wilson | DB |
| 28 | Steve Gregory | S |
| 29 | Sterling Moore | DB |
| 30 | Josh Barrett | S |
| 31 | Sergio Brown | S |
| 32 | Devin McCourty | CB |
| 34 | Shane Vereen | RB |
| 35 | Ross Ventrone | DB |
| 36 | w Eric Kettani | FB |
| 36 | b Derrick Martin | S |
| 37 | Alfonzo Dennard | CB |
| 38 | Brandon Bolden | RB |
| 39 | Danny Woodhead | RB |
| 41 | Malcolm Williams | DB |
| 43 | Nate Ebner | DB |
| 44 | James Ihedigbo | DB |
| 45 | Dont'a Hightower | LB |
| 46 | Spencer Larsen | FB |
| 47 | b Mike Rivera | LB |
| 47 | w Tyler Urban | TE |
| 48 | Danny Aiken | LS |
| 49 | Alex Silvestro | TE |
| 50 | Rob Ninkovich | LB |
| 51 | Jerod Mayo | LB |
| 52 | Dane Fletcher | LB |
| 53 | Jeff Tarpinian | LB |
| 55 | Brandon Spikes | LB |
| 58 | Tracy White | LB |
| 59 | Bobby Carpenter | LB |
| 60 | b Aaron Lavarias | DE |
| 60 | w Jeremiah Warren | OL |
| 61 | Marcus Cannon | OL |
| 62 | Ryan Wendell | OL |
| 63 | Dan Connolly | OL |
| 64 | Donald Thomas | OL |
| 65 | w Nick McDonald | OL |
| 65 | b Marcus Forston | DL |
| 66 | b Jake Bequette | DE |
| 66 | w Markus Zusevics | T |
| 67 | Dan Koppen | C |
| 68 | w Matt Kopa | OL |
| 68 | b Justin Francis | DE |
| 69 | Kyle Hix | OL |
| 70 | Logan Mankins | G |
| 71 | b Brandon Deaderick | DL |
| 71 | w Dustin Waldron | OL |
| 72 | Derek Dennis | OL |
| 74 | b Kyle Love | DL |
| 74 | w Darrior Weems | OL |
| 75 | b Vince Wilfork | DL |
| 75 | w Kyle Hill | OL |
| 76 | Sebastian Vollmer | T |
| 77 | Nate Solder | T |
| 80 | Jeremy Ebert | WR |
| 81 | Aaron Hernandez | TE |
| 82 | Visanthe Shiancoe | TE |
| 83 | Wes Welker | WR |
| 84 | Deion Branch | WR |
| 85 | Brandon Lloyd | WR |
| 86 | Daniel Fells | TE |
| 87 | Rob Gronkowski | TE |
| 88 | Jake Ballard | TE |
| 90 | Niko Koutouvides | LB |
| 91 | Myron Pryor | DL |
| 92 | Gerard Warren | DL |
| 93 | Tim Bulman | DL |
| 94 | Marcus Harrison | DL |
| 95 | Chandler Jones | DE |
| 96 | Jermaine Cunningham | LB |
| 97 | Ron Brace | DL |
| 98 | Jonathan Fanene | DE |
| 99 | Trevor Scott | LB |

RESERVE/DID NOT REPORT

| # | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
|----|---------------|-----|-----|-----|-----------|----|-------------|-------------------|
| 54 | Waters, Brian | G | 6-3 | 320 | 2/18/1977 | 13 | North Texas | Waxahachie, Texas |

EXEMPT/LEFT SQUAD

| # | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
|----|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----------|----|----------|-------------------|
| 42 | Fiammetta, Tony | FB | 6-0 | 250 | 8/22/1986 | 4 | Syracuse | Walkersville, Md. |

RESERVE/INJURED LIST

| # | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
|----|----------------|-----|-----|-----|------------|----|---------|----------------|
| 82 | Herman, Brad | TE | 6-5 | 255 | 12/29/1989 | R | Iowa | Metamora, Ill. |
| 71 | Richard, Jamey | OL | 6-5 | 295 | 10/9/1984 | 5 | Buffalo | Weston, Conn. |

RESERVE/MILITARY LIST

| # | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
|----|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----------|----|---------|----------------|
| 15 | White, Shun | WR | 5-8 | 195 | 12/9/1985 | 1 | Navy | Memphis, Tenn. |

RESERVE/DID NOT REPORT

| # | NAME | POS |
|----|--------------|-----|
| 54 | Brian Waters | G |

EXEMPT/LEFT SQUAD

| # | NAME | POS |
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| 42 | Tony Fiammetta | FB |

RESERVE/INJURED LIST

| # | NAME | POS |
|----|---------------|-----|
| 82 | Brad Herman | TE |
| 71 | Jamey Richard | OL |

RESERVE/MILITARY LIST

| # | NAME | POS |
|----|------------|-----|
| 15 | Shun White | WR |

HEAD COACH: BILL BELICHICK

ASSISTANTS: Josh Boyer, Cornerbacks; Moses Cabrera, Assistant Strength and Conditioning; Ivan Fears, Running Backs; Brian Flores, Safeties; George Godsey, Tight Ends; Patrick Graham, Defensive Line; Pepper Johnson, Linebackers; Joe Judge, Special Teams Assistant; Josh McDaniels, Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks; Harold Nash, Head Strength and Conditioning; Scott O'Brien, Special Teams; Chad O'Shea, Receivers; Matt Patricia, Defensive Coordinator; Dante Scarnecchia, Assistant Head Coach/Offensive Line



2012 Numerical Roster

August 13, 2012

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|------|---------------------|----|------|-----|----|----|------------------------|-------------|
| 2 | Chris Koeplin | K | 6-3 | 215 | 26 | 1 | Massachusetts | FA-12 |
| 3 | Stephen Gostkowski | K | 6-1 | 215 | 28 | 7 | Memphis | D4b-06 |
| 8 | Brian Hoyer | QB | 6-2 | 215 | 26 | 4 | Michigan State | FA-09 |
| 10 | Jabar Gaffney | WR | 6-2 | 200 | 31 | 11 | Florida | FA-12 |
| 11 | Julian Edelman | WR | 5-10 | 200 | 26 | 4 | Kent State | D7a-09 |
| 12 | Tom Brady | QB | 6-4 | 225 | 35 | 13 | Michigan | D6b-00 |
| 14 | Zoltan Mesko | P | 6-5 | 230 | 26 | 3 | Michigan | D5-10 |
| 15 | Ryan Mallett | QB | 6-6 | 245 | 24 | 2 | Arkansas | D3b-11 |
| 16 | Jesse Holley | WR | 6-2 | 220 | 28 | 3 | North Carolina | FA-12 |
| 17 | Britt Davis | WR | 6-3 | 215 | 26 | 1 | Northern Illinois | FA-11 |
| 18 | Matthew Slater | WR | 6-0 | 210 | 26 | 5 | UCLA | D5-08 |
| 19 | Donte' Stallworth | WR | 6-0 | 200 | 31 | 10 | Tennessee | UFA(WAS)-12 |
| 21 | Ras-I Dowling | CB | 6-1 | 210 | 24 | 2 | Virginia | D2a-11 |
| 22 | Stevan Ridley | RB | 5-11 | 220 | 23 | 2 | Louisiana State | D3a-11 |
| 23 | Marquice Cole | CB | 5-10 | 195 | 28 | 4 | Northwestern | FA-12 |
| 24 | Kyle Arrington | CB | 5-10 | 195 | 26 | 4 | Hofstra | FA-09 |
| 25 | Patrick Chung | S | 5-11 | 210 | 24 | 4 | Oregon | D2a-09 |
| 26 | Will Allen | CB | 5-10 | 195 | 34 | 12 | Syracuse | UFA(MIA)-12 |
| 27 | Tavon Wilson | DB | 6-0 | 210 | 22 | R | Illinois | D2-12 |
| 28 | Steve Gregory | S | 5-11 | 200 | 29 | 7 | Syracuse | UFA(SD)-12 |
| 29 | Sterling Moore | DB | 5-10 | 200 | 22 | 2 | Southern Methodist | FA-11 |
| 30 | Josh Barrett | S | 6-2 | 225 | 27 | 5 | Arizona State | CW(DEN)-10 |
| 31 | Sergio Brown | S | 6-2 | 210 | 24 | 3 | Notre Dame | FA-10 |
| 32 | Devin McCourty | CB | 5-10 | 195 | 25 | 3 | Rutgers | D1-10 |
| 34 | Shane Vereen | RB | 5-9 | 205 | 23 | 2 | California | D2b-11 |
| 35 | Ross Ventrone | DB | 5-8 | 195 | 25 | 2 | Villanova | FA-10 |
| 36 w | Eric Kettani | FB | 5-11 | 240 | 25 | 1 | Navy | FA-12 |
| 36 b | Derrick Martin | S | 5-10 | 198 | 27 | 7 | Wyoming | FA-12 |
| 37 | Alfonzo Dennard | DB | 5-10 | 200 | 22 | R | Nebraska | D7a-12 |
| 38 | Brandon Bolden | RB | 5-11 | 220 | 22 | R | Mississippi | FA-12 |
| 39 | Danny Woodhead | RB | 5-8 | 200 | 27 | 5 | Chadron State | FA-10 |
| 41 | Malcolm Williams | DB | 5-11 | 205 | 24 | 2 | Texas Christian | D7-11 |
| 43 | Nate Ebner | DB | 6-0 | 210 | 23 | R | Ohio State | D6-12 |
| 44 | James Ihedigbo | DB | 6-1 | 214 | 28 | 6 | Massachusetts | FA-12 |
| 45 | Dont'a Hightower | LB | 6-3 | 270 | 22 | R | Alabama | D1b-12 |
| 46 | Spencer Larsen | FB | 6-2 | 245 | 28 | 5 | Arizona | UFA(DEN)-12 |
| 47 b | Mike Rivera | LB | 6-2 | 255 | 26 | 1 | Kansas | FA-11 |
| 47 w | Tyler Urban | TE | 6-5 | 249 | 22 | R | West Virginia | FA-12 |
| 48 | Danny Aiken | LS | 6-4 | 260 | 23 | 2 | Virginia | CW(BUF)-11 |
| 49 | Alex Silvestro | TE | 6-3 | 260 | 23 | 1 | Rutgers | FA-11 |
| 50 | Rob Ninkovich | LB | 6-2 | 260 | 28 | 7 | Purdue | FA-09 |
| 51 | Jerod Mayo | LB | 6-1 | 250 | 26 | 5 | Tennessee | D1-08 |
| 52 | Dane Fletcher | LB | 6-2 | 245 | 25 | 3 | Montana State | FA-10 |
| 53 | Jeff Tarpinian | LB | 6-3 | 240 | 24 | 2 | Iowa | FA-11 |
| 55 | Brandon Spikes | LB | 6-2 | 255 | 24 | 3 | Florida | D2c-10 |
| 58 | Tracy White | LB | 6-0 | 235 | 31 | 10 | Howard | TR(PHI)-10 |
| 59 | Bobby Carpenter | LB | 6-2 | 250 | 29 | 7 | Ohio State | UFA(DET)-12 |
| 60 b | Aaron Lavarias | DE | 6-3 | 250 | 24 | 1 | Idaho | FA-11 |
| 60 w | Jeremiah Warren | OL | 6-4 | 320 | 24 | R | South Florida | FA-12 |
| 61 | Marcus Cannon | OL | 6-5 | 340 | 24 | 2 | Texas Christian | D5a-11 |
| 62 | Ryan Wendell | OL | 6-2 | 300 | 26 | 4 | Fresno State | FA-08 |
| 63 | Dan Connolly | OL | 6-4 | 310 | 29 | 7 | Southeast Missouri St. | FA(JAX)-08 |
| 64 | Donald Thomas | OL | 6-4 | 305 | 26 | 5 | Connecticut | FA-11 |
| 65 w | Nick McDonald | OL | 6-4 | 305 | 25 | 3 | Grand Valley State | FA-11 |
| 65 b | Marcus Forston | DL | 6-3 | 305 | 22 | R | Miami (Fla.) | FA-12 |
| 66 b | Jake Bequette | DE | 6-5 | 265 | 23 | R | Arkansas | D3-12 |
| 66 w | Markus Zusevics | T | 6-5 | 300 | 23 | R | Iowa | FA-12 |
| 67 | Dan Koppen | C | 6-2 | 300 | 32 | 10 | Boston College | D5-03 |
| 68 w | Matt Kopa | OL | 6-6 | 310 | 25 | 2 | Stanford | FA-11 |
| 68 b | Justin Francis | DE | 6-4 | 270 | 23 | R | Rutgers | FA-12 |
| 69 | Kyle Hix | OL | 6-7 | 315 | 23 | 2 | Texas | FA-11 |
| 70 | Logan Mankins | G | 6-4 | 310 | 30 | 8 | Fresno State | D1-05 |
| 71 w | Dustin Waldron | OL | 6-5 | 310 | 22 | R | Portland State | CW(MIA)-12 |
| 71 b | Brandon Deaderick | DL | 6-4 | 305 | 24 | 3 | Alabama | D7b-10 |
| 72 | Derek Dennis | OL | 6-3 | 315 | 24 | R | Temple | FA-12 |
| 74 b | Kyle Love | DL | 6-1 | 315 | 25 | 3 | Mississippi State | FA-10 |
| 74 w | Darrion Weems | OL | 6-5 | 302 | 23 | R | Oregon | FA-12 |
| 75 b | Vince Wilfork | DL | 6-2 | 325 | 30 | 9 | Miami (Fla.) | D1a-04 |
| 75 w | Kyle Hill | OL | 6-6 | 306 | 23 | R | Duke | FA-12 |
| 76 | Sebastian Vollmer | T | 6-8 | 320 | 28 | 4 | Houston | D2d-09 |
| 77 | Nate Solder | T | 6-8 | 320 | 24 | 2 | Colorado | D1-11 |
| 80 | Jeremy Ebert | WR | 6-0 | 195 | 23 | R | Northwestern | D7b-12 |
| 81 | Aaron Hernandez | TE | 6-1 | 245 | 22 | 3 | Florida | D4-10 |
| 82 | Visanthe Shiancoe | TE | 6-4 | 250 | 32 | 10 | Morgan State | FA-12 |
| 83 | Wes Welker | WR | 5-9 | 185 | 31 | 9 | Texas Tech | TR(MIA)-07 |
| 84 | Deion Branch | WR | 5-9 | 195 | 33 | 11 | Louisville | TR(SEA)-10 |
| 85 | Brandon Lloyd | WR | 6-0 | 200 | 31 | 10 | Illinois | UFA(STL)-12 |
| 86 | Daniel Fells | TE | 6-4 | 265 | 28 | 6 | UC Davis | UFA(DEN)-12 |
| 87 | Rob Gronkowski | TE | 6-6 | 265 | 23 | 3 | Arizona | D2a-10 |
| 88 | Jake Ballard | TE | 6-6 | 275 | 24 | 2 | Ohio State | CW(NYG)-12 |
| 90 | Niko Koutouvides | LB | 6-2 | 245 | 31 | 9 | Purdue | FA-11 |
| 91 | Myron Pryor | DL | 6-1 | 305 | 26 | 4 | Kentucky | D6b-09 |
| 92 | Gerard Warren | DL | 6-4 | 330 | 34 | 12 | Florida | FA-11 |
| 93 | Tim Bulman | DL | 6-4 | 281 | 29 | 8 | Boston College | FA-12 |
| 94 | Marcus Harrison | DL | 6-3 | 310 | 28 | 4 | Arkansas | FA-12 |
| 95 | Chandler Jones | DE | 6-5 | 260 | 22 | R | Syracuse | D1a-12 |
| 96 | Jermaine Cunningham | LB | 6-3 | 255 | 24 | 3 | Florida | D2b-10 |
| 97 | Ron Brace | DL | 6-3 | 330 | 25 | 4 | Boston College | D2b-09 |
| 98 | Jonathan Fanene | DE | 6-4 | 285 | 30 | 8 | Utah | UFA(CIN)-12 |
| 99 | Trevor Scott | LB | 6-5 | 250 | 27 | 5 | Buffalo | UFA(OAK)-12 |

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| # | NAME | POS | HT | WT | AGE | YR | COLLEGE | ACQ. |
|----|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|-------------|-------|
| 54 | Brian Waters | G | 6-3 | 320 | 35 | 13 | North Texas | FA-11 |

EXEMPT/LEFT SQUAD

| # | NAME | POS | HT | WT | AGE | YR | COLLEGE | ACQ. |
|----|----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|----------|-------|
| 42 | Tony Fiammetta | FB | 6-0 | 250 | 25 | 4 | Syracuse | FA-12 |

RESERVE/INJURED LIST

| # | NAME | POS | HT | WT | AGE | YR | COLLEGE | INJURY (IR date) |
|----|---------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|---------|------------------|
| 82 | Brad Herman | TE | 6-5 | 255 | 22 | R | Iowa | (6/12/12) |
| 71 | Jamey Richard | OL | 6-5 | 295 | 27 | 5 | Buffalo | (8/2/12) |

RESERVE/MILITARY LIST

| # | NAME | POS | HT | WT | AGE | YR | COLLEGE | DATE |
|----|------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|---------|-----------|
| 15 | Shun White | WR | 5-8 | 195 | 26 | 1 | Navy | (8/17/09) |



2012 Transactions

UPDATED: August 13, 2012

JANUARY, 2012

1/12/2012 Hartline, Mike Signed a future contract

FEBRUARY, 2012

2/7/2012 Carter, Markell Signed a future contract
 2/7/2012 Davis, Britt Signed a future contract
 2/7/2012 Kopa, Matt Signed a future contract
 2/7/2012 Lavarias, Aaron Signed a future contract
 2/7/2012 Rivera, Mike Signed a future contract
 2/7/2012 Underwood, Tiquan Signed a future contract
 2/7/2012 Ventrone, Ross Signed a future contract
 2/14/2012 Kettani, Eric Signed a future contract
 2/22/2012 Ohmberger, Rich Released
 2/22/2012 Wright, Mike Released

MARCH, 2012

3/5/2012 Welker, Wes Designated Franchise Player
 3/13/2012 Hoyer, Brian Tendered contract
 3/13/2012 Love, Kyle Tendered contract
 3/15/2012 Slater, Matthew Signed
 3/15/2012 Harrison, Marcus Signed
 3/16/2012 Gregory, Steve Signed
 3/16/2012 White, Tracy Signed
 3/17/2012 Gonzalez, Anthony Signed
 3/19/2012 Cole, Marquice Signed
 3/19/2012 Scott, Trevor Signed
 3/20/2012 Connolly, Dan Signed
 3/20/2012 Fanene, Jonathan Signed
 3/20/2012 Fells, Daniel Signed
 3/20/2012 Lloyd, Brandon Signed
 3/20/2012 Cox, Christian Released
 3/21/2012 Allen, Will Signed
 3/21/2012 Gallery, Robert Signed
 3/23/2012 Hoyer, Brian Signed
 3/23/2012 Stallworth, Donte' Signed
 3/26/2012 Polite, Lousaka Released
 3/30/2012 Branch, Deion Signed
 3/30/2012 Fiammetta, Tony Signed
 3/30/2012 Larsen, Spencer Signed

APRIL, 2012

4/5/2012 Carpenter, Bobby Signed
 4/16/2012 Koppen, Dan Signed
 4/16/2012 Koeplin, Chris Signed
 4/26/2012 Jones, Chandler Drafted
 4/26/2012 Hightower, Dont'a Drafted
 4/27/2012 Wilson, Tavon Drafted
 4/27/2012 Bequette, Jake Drafted
 4/28/2012 Ebner, Nate Drafted
 4/28/2012 Dennard, Alfonzo Drafted
 4/28/2012 Ebert, Jeremy Drafted

MAY, 2012

5/3/2012 Warren, Gerard Signed
 5/3/2012 Underwood, Tiquan Released
 5/7/2012 Light, Matt Announced his retirement
 5/7/2012 Gaffney, Jabar Signed
 5/10/2012 Addai, Joseph Signed
 5/10/2012 Bolden, Brandon Signed
 5/10/2012 Forston, Marcus Signed
 5/10/2012 Francis, Justin Signed
 5/10/2012 Herman, Brad Signed
 5/10/2012 Roark, Matt Signed
 5/10/2012 Warren, Jeremiah Signed
 5/10/2012 Zusevics, Markus Signed
 5/15/2012 Wilosn, Tavon Signed/Draft Choice
 5/15/2012 Hartline, Mike Released
 5/17/2012 Ebert, Jeremy Signed/Draft Choice
 5/18/2012 Oppenrud, Jon Signed
 5/21/2012 Ebner, Nate Signed/Draft Choice
 5/21/2012 Welker, Wes Signed Franchise Tender
 5/23/2012 Jones, Chandler Signed/Draft Choice
 5/29/2012 Dennard, Alfonzo Signed/Draft Choice
 5/29/2012 Melillo, Nick Signed
 5/29/2012 Richard, Jamey Signed
 5/29/2012 Gonzalez, Anthony Released

JUNE, 2012

6/7/2012 Scaife, Bo Signed
 6/7/2012 Carter, Markell Released
 6/7/2012 Melillo, Nick Released
 6/7/2012 Ochocinco, Chad Released
 6/7/2012 Oppenrud, Jon Released
 6/11/2012 Holley, Jesse Signed
 6/11/2012 Ingersoll, Mike Signed
 6/11/2012 Urban, Tyler Signed
 6/12/2012 Ballard, Jake Claimed off Waivers (NYG)

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June, 2012

6/12/2012 Herman, Brad Placed on Reserve/Injured
 6/15/2012 Bequette, Jake Signed/Draft Choice
 6/19/2012 Ingersoll, Mike Released
 6/19/2012 Scaife, Bo Released
 6/22/2012 Ihedigbo, James Signed

July, 2012

7/19/2012 Hightower, Dont'a Signed/Draft Choice
 7/20/2012 Roark, Matt Released
 7/23/2012 Love, Kyle Signed
 7/25/2012 Bulman, Tim Signed
 7/25/2012 Shiancoe, Visanthe Signed
 7/25/2012 Addai, Joseph Released
 7/27/2012 Weems, Darriion Signed

August, 2012

8/2/2012 Dennis, Derek Signed
 8/2/2012 Waldron, Dustin Claimed off Waivers (MIA)
 8/2/2012 Richard, Jamey Placed on Reserve/Injured
 8/4/2012 Huggins, Kareem Signed
 8/4/2012 Martin, Derrick Signed
 8/4/2012 Gallery, Robert Announced his retirement
 8/4/2012 Fiammetta, Tony Placed on Exempt/Left Squad
 8/5/2012 Huggins, Kareem Released
 8/8/2012 Hill, Kyle Signed



2012 Positional Roster

| August 13, 2012 | | | | | | | | |
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| DEFENSE (43) | | | | | | | | |
| # | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| DEFENSIVE LINE (14) | | | | | | | | |
| 66 | b Bequette, Jake | DE | 6-5 | 265 | 2/21/1989 | R | Arkansas | Little Rock, Ark. |
| 97 | Brace, Ron | DL | 6-3 | 330 | 12/18/1986 | 4 | Boston College | Worcester, Mass. |
| 93 | Bulman, Tim | DL | 6-4 | 281 | 10/31/1982 | 8 | Boston College | Dorchester, Mass. |
| 71 | b Deaderick, Brandon | DL | 6-4 | 305 | 8/19/1987 | 3 | Alabama | Elizabethtown, Ky. |
| 98 | Farene, Jonathan | DE | 6-4 | 285 | 3/19/1982 | 8 | Utah | Pago Pago, American Samoa |
| 65 | b Forston, Marcus | DL | 6-3 | 305 | 9/28/1989 | R | Miami (Fla.) | Miami, Fla. |
| 68 | b Francis, Justin | DE | 6-4 | 270 | 2/8/1989 | R | Rutgers | Opa-Locka, Fla. |
| 94 | Harrison, Marcus | DL | 6-3 | 310 | 7/10/1984 | 4 | Arkansas | Little Rock, Ark. |
| 95 | Jones, Chandler | DE | 6-5 | 260 | 2/27/1990 | R | Syracuse | Endicott, N.Y. |
| 60 | b Lavarias, Aaron | DE | 6-3 | 250 | 4/27/1988 | 1 | Idaho | Woodinville, Wash. |
| 74 | b Love, Kyle | DL | 6-1 | 315 | 11/18/1986 | 3 | Mississippi State | Fairburn, Ga. |
| 91 | Pryor, Myron | DL | 6-1 | 305 | 6/13/1986 | 4 | Kentucky | Louisville, Ky. |
| 92 | Warren, Gerard | DL | 6-4 | 330 | 7/25/1978 | 12 | Florida | Lake Butler, Fla. |
| 75 | b Wilfork, Vince | DL | 6-2 | 325 | 11/4/1981 | 9 | Miami (Fla.) | Boynton Beach, Fla. |
| LINEBACKER (12) | | | | | | | | |
| 59 | Carpenter, Bobby | LB | 6-2 | 250 | 8/1/1983 | 7 | Ohio State | Lancaster, Ohio |
| 96 | Cunningham, Jermaine | LB | 6-3 | 255 | 4/24/1988 | 3 | Florida | Stone Mountain, Ga. |
| 52 | Fletcher, Dane | LB | 6-2 | 245 | 9/14/1986 | 3 | Montana State | Bozeman, Montana |
| 45 | Hightower, Dont'a | LB | 6-3 | 270 | 3/12/1990 | R | Alabama | Lewisburg, Tenn. |
| 90 | Koutouvides, Niko | LB | 6-2 | 245 | 3/25/1981 | 9 | Purdue | New Britain, Conn. |
| 51 | Mayo, Jerod | LB | 6-1 | 250 | 2/23/1986 | 5 | Tennessee | Hampton, Va. |
| 30 | Ninkovich, Rob | LB | 6-2 | 260 | 2/1/1984 | 7 | Purdue | Blue Island, Ill. |
| 47 | b Rivera, Mike | LB | 6-2 | 255 | 1/10/1986 | 1 | Kansas | Shawnee Mission, Kan. |
| 99 | Scott, Trevor | LB | 6-5 | 250 | 8/30/1984 | 5 | Buffalo | Potsdam, N.Y. |
| 55 | Spikes, Brandon | LB | 6-2 | 255 | 9/3/1987 | 3 | Florida | Shelby, N.C. |
| 58 | Tarpinian, Jeff | LB | 6-3 | 240 | 10/16/1987 | 2 | Iowa | Omaha, Neb. |
| 53 | White, Tracy | LB | 6-0 | 235 | 4/14/1981 | 10 | Howard | St. Stephen, S.C. |
| DEFENSIVE BACK (17) | | | | | | | | |
| 26 | Allen, Will | CB | 5-10 | 195 | 8/5/1978 | 12 | Syracuse | Syracuse, N.Y. |
| 24 | Arrington, Kyle | CB | 5-10 | 195 | 8/12/1986 | 4 | Hofstra | Azcokeek, Md. |
| 30 | Barrett, Josh | S | 6-2 | 225 | 11/22/1984 | 5 | Arizona State | Reno, Nev. |
| 31 | Brown, Sergio | S | 6-2 | 210 | 5/22/1988 | 3 | Notre Dame | Maywood, Ill. |
| 25 | Chung, Patrick | S | 5-11 | 210 | 8/19/1987 | 4 | Oregon | Rancho Cucamonga, Calif. |
| 23 | Cole, Marquice | CB | 5-10 | 195 | 11/13/1983 | 4 | Northwestern | Hazel Crest, Ill. |
| 37 | Dennard, Alfonso | CB | 5-10 | 200 | 9/9/1989 | R | Nebraska | Rochelle, Ga. |
| 21 | Dowling, Ras-I | CB | 6-1 | 210 | 5/9/1988 | 2 | Virginia | Chesapeake, Va. |
| 43 | Ebner, Nate | DB | 6-0 | 210 | 12/14/1988 | R | Ohio State | Dublin, Ohio |
| 28 | Gregory, Steve | S | 5-11 | 200 | 1/8/1983 | 7 | Syracuse | Staten Island, N.Y. |
| 44 | Iredigbo, James | DB | 6-1 | 214 | 12/3/1983 | 6 | Massachusetts | Northampton, Mass. |
| 36 | b Martin, Derrick | S | 5-10 | 198 | 5/16/1985 | 7 | Wyoming | Denver, Colo. |
| 32 | b McCourt, Devin | CB | 5-10 | 195 | 8/13/1987 | 3 | Rutgers | Montvale, N.J. |
| 29 | Moore, Sterling | DB | 5-10 | 200 | 2/3/1990 | 2 | Southern Methodist | Antioch, Calif. |
| 35 | Ventrone, Ross | DB | 5-8 | 195 | 9/27/1986 | 2 | Villanova | Pittsburgh, Pa. |
| 41 | Williams, Malcolm | DB | 5-11 | 205 | 11/22/1987 | 2 | Texas Christian | Grand Prairie, Texas |
| 27 | Wilson, Tavon | DB | 6-0 | 210 | 3/19/1990 | R | Illinois | Washington, D.C. |
| OFFENSE (43) | | | | | | | | |
| # | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| OFFENSIVE LINE (17) | | | | | | | | |
| 61 | Cannon, Marcus | OL | 6-5 | 340 | 5/6/1988 | 2 | Texas Christian | Odessa, Texas |
| 63 | Connolly, Dan | OL | 6-4 | 310 | 9/2/1982 | 7 | Southeast Missouri St. | St. Louis, Mo. |
| 72 | Dennis, Derek | OL | 6-3 | 315 | 7/16/1988 | R | Temple | Queens, N.Y. |
| 75 | w Hill, Kyle | OL | 6-6 | 306 | 5/16/1989 | R | Duke | Orlando, Fla. |
| 69 | Hix, Kyle | OL | 6-7 | 315 | 9/23/1988 | 2 | Texas | Aledo, Texas |
| 68 | w Kopa, Matt | OL | 6-6 | 310 | 2/25/1987 | 2 | Stanford | Elk Grove, Calif. |
| 67 | Koppen, Dan | C | 6-2 | 300 | 9/12/1979 | 10 | Boston College | Whitehall, Pa. |
| 70 | Mankins, Logan | G | 6-4 | 310 | 3/10/1982 | 8 | Fresno State | Calhoun Valley, Calif. |
| 65 | w McDonald, Nick | OL | 6-4 | 305 | 6/27/1987 | 3 | Grand Valley State | Sterling Heights, Mich. |
| 77 | Solder, Nate | T | 6-8 | 320 | 4/12/1988 | 2 | Colorado | Buena Vista, Co. |
| 64 | Thomas, Donald | OL | 6-4 | 305 | 9/25/1985 | 5 | Connecticut | New Haven, Conn. |
| 76 | Vollmer, Sebastian | T | 6-8 | 320 | 7/10/1984 | 4 | Houston | Kaars, Germany |
| 71 | w Waldron, Dustin | OL | 6-5 | 310 | 5/24/1990 | R | Portland State | Pleasant Hill, Ore. |
| 74 | w Warren, Jeremiah | OL | 6-4 | 320 | 9/20/1987 | R | South Florida | Panama City, Fla. |
| 64 | w Weems, Darrin | OL | 6-5 | 302 | 9/1/1988 | R | Oregon | Winnemka, Calif. |
| 62 | Wendell, Ryan | OL | 6-2 | 300 | 3/4/1986 | 4 | Fresno State | Diamond Bar, Calif. |
| 66 | w Zusevics, Markus | T | 6-5 | 300 | 4/25/1989 | R | Iowa | Arlington Heights, Ill. |
| QUARTERBACK (3) | | | | | | | | |
| 12 | Brady, Tom | QB | 6-4 | 225 | 8/3/1977 | 13 | Michigan | San Mateo, Calif. |
| 8 | Hoyer, Brian | QB | 6-2 | 215 | 10/13/1985 | 4 | Michigan State | North Olmsted, Ohio |
| 15 | Mallett, Ryan | QB | 6-6 | 245 | 6/5/1988 | 2 | Arkansas | Texarkana, Texas |
| WIDE RECEIVER (10) | | | | | | | | |
| 84 | Branch, Deion | WR | 5-9 | 195 | 7/18/1979 | 11 | Louisville | Albany, Ga. |
| 17 | Davis, Britt | WR | 6-3 | 215 | 4/23/1986 | 1 | Northern Illinois | Bradview, Ill. |
| 80 | Ebert, Jeremy | WR | 6-0 | 195 | 4/6/1989 | R | Northwestern | Hilliard, Ohio |
| 11 | Edelman, Julian | WR | 5-10 | 200 | 5/22/1986 | 4 | Kent State | Redwood City, Calif. |
| 10 | Gaffney, Jabar | WR | 6-2 | 200 | 12/1/1980 | 11 | Florida | Jacksonville, Fla. |
| 16 | Holley, Jesse | WR | 6-2 | 220 | 1/8/1984 | 3 | North Carolina | Roselle, N.J. |
| 85 | Lloyd, Brandon | WR | 6-0 | 200 | 7/5/1981 | 10 | Illinois | Blue Springs, Mo. |
| 19 | Stallworth, Donte | WR | 6-0 | 200 | 11/10/1980 | 10 | Tennessee | Sacramento, Calif. |
| 18 | Slater, Matthew | WR | 6-0 | 210 | 9/9/1985 | 5 | UCLA | Anaheim, Calif. |
| 83 | Walker, Wes | WR | 5-9 | 185 | 5/1/1981 | 9 | Texas Tech | Oklahoma City, Okla. |
| RUNNING BACK (6) | | | | | | | | |
| 38 | Bolden, Brandon | RB | 5-11 | 220 | 1/26/1990 | R | Mississippi | Baton Rouge, La. |
| 36 | w Kettani, Eric | FB | 5-11 | 240 | 3/26/1987 | 1 | Navy | Kirtland, Ohio |
| 46 | Larsen, Spencer | FB | 6-2 | 245 | 3/4/1984 | 5 | Arizona | Gilbert, Ariz. |
| 22 | Ridley, Stevan | RB | 5-11 | 220 | 1/27/1989 | 2 | Louisiana State | Natchez, Miss. |
| 34 | Vereen, Shane | RB | 5-9 | 205 | 5/2/1989 | 2 | California | Valencia, Calif. |
| 39 | Woodhead, Danny | RB | 5-8 | 200 | 1/25/1985 | 5 | Chadron State | North Platte, Ne. |
| TIGHT END (7) | | | | | | | | |
| 88 | Ballard, Jake | TE | 6-6 | 275 | 12/21/1987 | 2 | Ohio State | Springboro, Ohio |
| 86 | Fells, Daniel | TE | 6-4 | 265 | 9/23/1983 | 6 | UC Davis | Fullerton, Calif. |
| 87 | Gronkowski, Rob | TE | 6-6 | 265 | 5/14/1989 | 3 | Arizona | Pittsburgh, Pa. |
| 81 | Hernandez, Aaron | TE | 6-1 | 245 | 11/6/1989 | 3 | Florida | Bristol, Conn. |
| 82 | Shiancoe, Visanthe | TE | 6-4 | 250 | 6/18/1980 | 10 | Morgan State | Laurel, Md. |
| 49 | Silvestro, Alex | TE | 6-3 | 260 | 11/15/1988 | 1 | Rutgers | Gibbstown, N.J. |
| 47 | w Urban, Tyler | TE | 6-5 | 249 | 9/30/1989 | R | West Virginia | Huntingdon, Pa. |
| SPECIALISTS (4) | | | | | | | | |
| # | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| SPECIALISTS (4) | | | | | | | | |
| 48 | Alken, Danny | LS | 6-4 | 260 | 8/28/1988 | 2 | Virginia | Roanoke, Va. |
| 3 | Gostkowski, Stephen | K | 6-1 | 215 | 1/28/1984 | 7 | Memphis | Madison, Miss. |
| 2 | Koepplin, Chris | K | 6-3 | 215 | 10/11/1985 | 1 | Massachusetts | Manhasset, N.Y. |
| 14 | Mesko, Zoltan | P | 6-5 | 230 | 3/6/1986 | 3 | Michigan | Twinsburg, Ohio |
| RESERVE/DID NOT REPORT (1) | | | | | | | | |
| # | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| RESERVE/DID NOT REPORT (1) | | | | | | | | |
| 54 | Waters, Brian | G | 6-3 | 320 | 2/18/1977 | 13 | North Texas | Waxahachie, Texas |
| EXEMPT/LEFT SQUAD (1) | | | | | | | | |
| # | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| EXEMPT/LEFT SQUAD (1) | | | | | | | | |
| 42 | Fiammetta, Tony | FB | 6-0 | 250 | 8/22/1986 | 4 | Syracuse | Walkersville, Md. |
| RESERVE/INJURED (2) | | | | | | | | |
| # | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| RESERVE/INJURED (2) | | | | | | | | |
| 82 | Herman, Brad | TE | 6-5 | 255 | 12/29/1989 | R | Iowa | Metamora, Ill. |
| 71 | Richard, Jamey | OL | 6-5 | 295 | 10/9/1984 | 5 | Buffalo | Weston, Conn. |
| RESERVE/MILITARY (1) | | | | | | | | |
| # | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| RESERVE/MILITARY (1) | | | | | | | | |
| 15 | White, Shun | WR | 5-8 | 195 | 12/9/1985 | 1 | Navy | Memphis, Tenn. |



How The Patriots Were Built

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| <u>YEAR</u> | <u>DRAFTEES (33)</u> | <u>VETERAN FREE AGENTS (24)</u> | <u>WAIVERS (4) / TRADES (3)</u> | <u>ROOKIE AND FIRST-YEAR FREE AGENTS (26)</u> |
|--|--|--|---|---|
| 2000 | Tom Brady (6b) | | | |
| 2003 | Dan Koppen (5) | | | |
| 2004 | Vince Wilfork (1a) | | | |
| 2005 | Logan Mankins (1) | | | |
| 2006 | Stephen Gostkowski (4b) | | | |
| 2007 | | | Wes Welker (fa)(tr-MIA) | |
| 2008 | Jerod Mayo (1) Matthew Slater (5) | Dan Connolly (fa)(JAX) | | |
| 2009 | Patrick Chung (2a) Ron Brace (2b) Sebastian Vollmer (2d) Myron Pryor (6b) Julian Edelman (7a) | Rob Ninkovich (5)(NO) | | Kyle Arrington (fa) (PHI) Brian Hoyer (fa) Ryan Wendell (fa) |
| 2010 | Devin McCourty (1) Rob Gronkowski (2a) Jermaine Cunningham (2b) Brandon Spikes (2c) Aaron Hernandez (4) Zoltan Mesko (5) Brandon Deaderick (7) | Danny Woodhead (fa)(NYJ) | Josh Barrett (7) CW (DEN) Deion Branch (2) (tr-SEA) Tracy White (fa) (tr-PHI) | Sergio Brown (fa) Dane Fletcher (fa) Kyle Love (fa) Ross Ventrone (fa) |
| 2011 | Nate Solder (1) Ras-I Dowling (2a) Shane Vereen (2b) Stevan Ridley (3a) Ryan Mallett (3b) Marcus Cannon (5a) Malcolm Williams (7) | James Ihedigbo (fa)(NYJ) Niko Koutouvides (4)(SEA) Nick McDonald (fa)(GB) Donald Thomas (6)(MIA) Gerard Warren (1)(CLE) | Danny Aiken (fa) CW (BUF) | Kyle Hix (fa) Sterling Moore (fa) Alex Silvestro (fa) Jeff Tarpinian (fa) |
| 2012 | Chandler Jones (1a) Dont'a Hightower (1b) Tavon Wilson (2) Jake Bequette (3) Nate Ebner (6) Alfonzo Dennard (7a) Jeremy Ebert (7b) | Will Allen (1)(NYG) Tim Bulman (fa)(ARI) Bobby Carpenter (1)(DAL) Marquice Cole (fa)(OAK) Jonathan Fanene (7)(CIN) Daniel Fells (fa)(ATL) Jabar Gaffney (1)(HOU) Steve Gregory (fa)(SD) Marcus Harrison (3)(CHI) Jesse Holley (fa)(CIN) Spencer Larsen (6)(DEN) Brandon Lloyd (4)(SF) Derrick Martin (6)(BAL) Trevor Scott (6)(OAK) Visanthe Shiancoe (3)(NYG) Donte' Stallworth(1)(NO) | Jake Ballard (fa) CW (NYG) Dustin Waldron (fa) CW (MIA) | Brandon Bolden (fa) Britt Davis (fa) Derek Dennis (fa) Marcus Forston (fa) Justin Francis (fa) Kyle Hill (fa) Eric Kettani (fa) Chris Koepplin (fa) Matt Kopa (fa) Aaron Lavarias (fa) Mike Rivera (fa) Tyler Urban (fa) Jeremiah Warren (fa) Darrion Weems (fa) Markus Zusevics (fa) |
| NOTE: Team in parenthesis is the player's prior team (#) – indicates round drafted (fa) – indicates non-drafted free agents | | | <u>RESERVE/INJURED (2)</u> Brad Herman (fa) Jamey Richard (7)(IND) <u>RESERVE/DID NOT REPORT (1)</u> Brian Waters (fa)(DAL) | <u>RESERVE/MILITARY (1)</u> Shun White (fa) <u>EXEMPT/LEFT SQUAD (1)</u> Tony Fiammetta (4)(CAR) |



UNOFFICIAL DEPTH CHART

Unofficial depth chart compiled by Patriots media relations

OFFENSE

| | | | | |
|------------|-------------------|---|---|--|
| WR: | 83 Wes Welker | 11 Julian Edelman | 10 Jabar Gaffney | 18 Matthew Slater <u>80 Jeremy Ebert</u> |
| LT: | 77 Nate Solder | 69 Kyle Hix | <u>74 Darrion Weems</u> | <u>66 Marcus Zusevics</u> <u>75 Kyle Hill</u> |
| LG: | 62 Ryan Wendell | 64 Donald Thomas | <u>60 Jeremiah Warren</u> | 70 Logan Mankins |
| C: | 67 Dan Koppen | 65 Nick McDonald | | |
| RG: | 63 Dan Connolly | 62 Ryan Wendell | 64 Donald Thomas | <u>72 Derek Dennis</u> |
| RT: | 61 Marcus Cannon | 68 Matt Kopa | <u>71 Dustin Waldron</u> | 76 Sebastian Vollmer |
| TE: | 87 Rob Gronkowski | 81 Aaron Hernandez <u>47 Tyler Urban</u> | 82 Visanthe Shiancoe 86 Daniel Fells | 49 Alex Silvestro 88 Jake Ballard |
| WR: | 84 Deion Branch | 85 Brandon Lloyd | 19 Donte' Stallworth | 17 Britt Davis 16 Jesse Holley |
| QB: | 12 Tom Brady | 8 Brian Hoyer | 15 Ryan Mallett | |
| RB: | 39 Danny Woodhead | 22 Stevan Ridley | 34 Shane Vereen | <u>38 Brandon Bolden</u> |
| FB: | 46 Spencer Larsen | 36 Eric Kettani | | |

DEFENSE

| | | | | |
|-------------|----------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|---|
| LE: | 98 Jonathan Fanene | 92 Gerard Warren | <u>66 Jake Bequette</u> | |
| DT: | 75 Vince Wilfork | 97 Ron Brace | 94 Marcus Harrison | <u>65 Marcus Forston</u> |
| DT: | 74 Kyle Love | <u>68 Justin Francis</u> | 91 Myron Pryor | |
| RE: | 71 Brandon Deaderick | <u>95 Chandler Jones</u> | 93 Tim Bulman | 60 Aaron Lavarias |
| LB: | 51 Jerod Mayo | 59 Bobby Carpenter | 58 Tracy White | 53 Jeff Tarpinian |
| LB: | 55 Brandon Spikes | 52 Dane Fletcher | <u>45 Dont'a Hightower</u> | 47 Mike Rivera |
| LB: | 50 Rob Ninkovich | 99 Trevor Scott | 96 Jermaine Cunningham | 90 Niko Koutouvides |
| LCB: | 32 Devin McCourty | 29 Sterling Moore | 41 Malcolm Williams | 23 Marquice Cole |
| RCB: | 24 Kyle Arrington | 21 Ras-I Dowling | 26 Will Allen | <u>37 Alfonzo Dennard</u> |
| S: | 28 Steve Gregory | 31 Sergio Brown | 30 Josh Barrett | <u>27 Tavon Wilson</u> |
| S: | 25 Patrick Chung | 44 James Ihedigbo | 35 Ross Ventrone | 36 Derrick Martin <u>43 Nate Ebner</u> |

SPECIAL TEAMS

| | | |
|------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| K: | 3 Stephen Gostkowski | 2 Chris Koeplin |
| P: | 14 Zoltan Mesko | |
| H: | 14 Zoltan Mesko | 8 Brian Hoyer |
| PR: | 11 Julian Edelman | 83 Wes Wilker |
| KR: | 39 Danny Woodhead | 11 Julian Edelman |
| LS: | 48 Danny Aiken | |

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

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|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------------------|
| Jake Bequette | BECK-it | Dan Koppen | COPE-en |
| Marquice Cole | mar-KWEECE | Niko Koutouvides | Nee-koh KOO-tah-VEE-dees |
| Brandon Deaderick | DEAD-er-rick | Jerod Mayo | je-ROD |
| Alfonzo Dennard | DENN-erd | Zoltan Mesko | ZOLE-tahn |
| Ras-I Dowling | ross-EYE | Stevan Ridley | STEE-ven |
| Jonathan Fanene | fuh-NAY-nay | Visanthe Shiancoe | vi-sahn-TAY SHANK-oh |
| Stephen Gostkowski | gust-OW-ski | Nate Solder | SOLD-er |
| Dont'a Hightower | don-TAY | Shane Vereen | vuh-REEN |
| James Ihedigbo | ee-HEAD-dee-bow | Tavon Wilson | TAY-von |
| Chris Koeplin | COPE-lynn | Markus Zusevics | ZOOZ-uh-vicks |