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WESTERN DIVISION**

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## THE DENVER BRONCOS DIRECTORY

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Defensive Backfield Coach .....	GARY GLICK
Offensive Line Coach .....	JIM MARTIN
Offensive End Coach .....	MAC SPEEDIE

### MISCELLANEOUS

Stadium .....	Bears Stadium
Capacity .....	34,264
Address .....	W. 20th Ave. & Decatur St.
Office Address .....	2050 Clay Street
Telephone .....	Office — GEnesee 3-2541
	Stadium — GEnesee 3-2535
Team Colors .....	Orange, Royal Blue & White
Training Camp .....	Colorado State University
	Fort Collins, Colo.

## The Denver Broncos

### 1962 GAMES

#### EXHIBITION GAMES

- Aug. 11, Denver vs. Houston at Atlanta, Ga.  
 Aug. 18, Denver vs. San Diego at San Diego  
 Aug. 24, Denver vs. Dallas at Fort Worth  
 Sept. 1, Denver vs. Oakland at Stockton

#### LEAGUE GAMES

- Sept. 7, ..... San Diego  
 Sept. 15, ..... at Buffalo  
 Sept. 21, ..... at Boston  
 Sept. 30, ..... at New York  
 Oct. 5, ..... Oakland  
 Oct. 14, ..... at Oakland  
 Oct. 21, ..... Houston  
 Oct. 28, ..... Buffalo  
 Nov. 4, ..... at San Diego  
 Nov. 11, ..... Boston  
 Nov. 18, ..... Dallas  
 Nov. 22, ..... New York  
 Dec. 2, ..... at Houston  
 Dec. 9, ..... at Dallas



**CALVIN W. KUNZ, JR.**

President

The Denver Broncos

When Cal Kunz, along with other prominent Denver businessmen, took over the Broncos in June, 1961, they promised changes. It was too late to do anything for that season and Cal suffered through a horrendous 3-11 season. But the last jersey was still in the wash after the campaign ended when the enthusiastic Denver native began to make changes.

The transition has been described in detail time and time again, so there's no need to repeat it here. Suffice it to say everyone came as a direct result of how Cal Kunz feels things should be done to give the Rocky Mountain area top-flight professional football. His sincerity, his dynamic personality, his personal integrity, all these qualities and more were involved and today the Denver Broncos have emerged as one of the dominant forces in the American Football League.

Examining Kunz' background fails to uncover the why of his association with professional sports, but a few minutes with him is all the indication one needs to observe the effervescent nature of this man and the devotion he displays toward the Broncos.

Cal, 43, attended the University of Denver and Harvard Business School. A Colonel in the Marine Corps Reserve, the Bronco president served 39 months in the South Pacific during World War II. He was violently involved in the historic and bloody battles at Guadalcanal and Bougainville, Guam and Iwo Jima.

After the war Cal assumed the presidency of a farming business which involves corporate farming in Arizona and marketing in the eastern United States.

An ardent disciple of all sports, both as a spectator and participator Kunz' emergence as the Number One man in the Denver Broncos is a natural follow-up to a lifetime of outdoor living and a zest for improving his native community, Denver.

Cal and his wife, Missy, have three daughters.

## JACK FAULKNER

Gen. Mgr.-Head Coach Jack Faulkner epitomizes the NEW Denver Broncos. This youthful-appearing, but experience-packed Youngstown, Ohio, native came to Denver as head coach during the winter of 1962. He immediately made known his presence by instituting sweeping changes in coaching, operating and outlook. His normal office hours leading up to the start of the training season left many observers wondering when he slept for he consistently was the first man in the office in the mornings and the last to leave in the evenings.

Jack brought in almost an entirely new set of assistants, retaining only the veteran Dale Dodrill from the previous regime.

He went into the trading marts with purpose and emerged with strength and depth for the Broncos, acquiring such front line players as quarterback Hunter Enis, fullback Bo Dickinson, ends Luther Hayes and Bob Scarpitto and defensive halfback Bob Zeman.

In June he assumed the dual mantle of general manager and head coach and, although the days weren't long enough with the single title, he managed to fit the increased duties in some way to such an extent that the Broncos' became as efficient an operation administratively speaking, as is possible.

Jack was born April 4, 1926, at Youngstown where he attended public school. He interrupted his education to enlist in the U. S. Marine Corps during World War II where he saw action in the South Pacific as a private first class with the Second Division at Saipan and Okinawa. After the war he continued his high school education, matriculating at Miami University in Oxford, Ohio, where he made first contact with coach Sid Gillman. Among his teammates at the Miami school were Paul Dietzel, present army coach, and Ara Parseghian who is head coach at Northwestern. Jack also found time to letter at Miami in baseball and track.

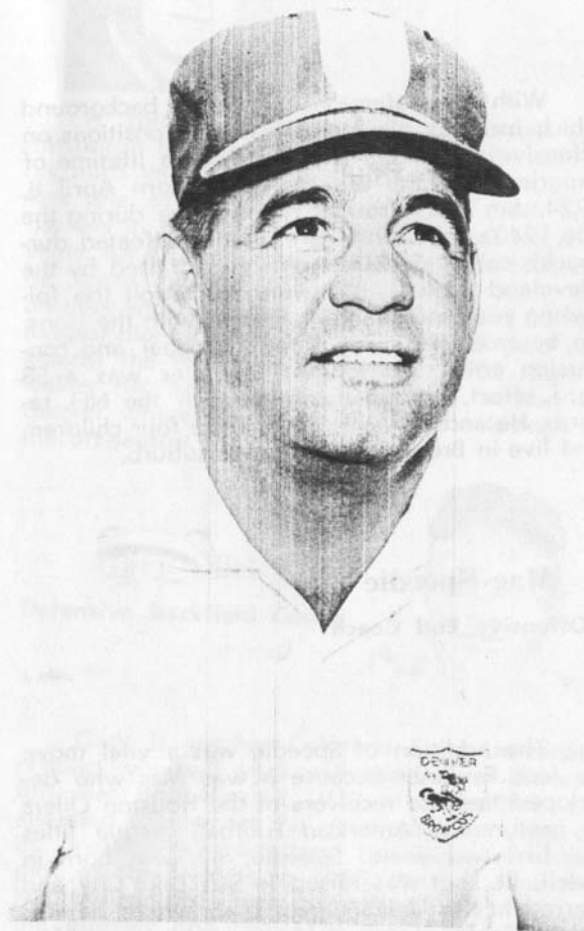
A dedicated football man Jack joined Gillman as an assistant coach at the University of Cincinnati, moved with him to the Los Angeles Rams and then to the Chargers of San Diego.

There it was that Jack developed the fabulous "Seven Pirates" a larcenous bunch of pass interceptors of there ever was, with 49 interceptions in 1961, an all-time professional record.

Jack and his wife, Betty, have one daughter, Cathy, 10, and live in Broomfield, a Denver suburb.

Jack is gregarious by nature with an infectious laugh and a ready wit. He is a one-man public relations department by himself.

These qualities insure that Jack Faulkner will soon be a name to be reckoned with among football fans of the nation.



**Jack Faulkner**

**General Manager — Head Coach**





**Jim Martin**  
Offensive Line Coach

With a professional football background which includes playing virtually all positions on offensive teams Jim Martin brings a lifetime of experience to the Broncos staff. Born April 8, 1924, Jim was a star at Notre Dame during the late 1940's when the Irish were undefeated during his collegiate career. He was drafted by the Cleveland Browns, but went to Detroit the following year and spent 11 seasons with the Lions. He became proficient as a field goal and conversion artist. His longest 3-pointer was a 53 yard effort, among the longest in the NFL records. He and his wife, Gloria have four children, and live in Broomfield, a Denver suburb.



**Mac Speedie**  
Offensive End Coach

The addition of Speedie was a vital move by Jack Faulkner because it was Mac who developed the fine receivers of the Houston Oilers to capture the American Football League titles the first two years. Speedie, 42, was born in Odell, Ill., but was raised in Salt Lake City and starred at the University of Utah where he was an All-Conference end for three seasons. After serving in the army he joined the Cleveland Browns where he played from 1946-53, leading the old All-American Conference in receptions from 1946-1949 and the NFL in 1952. He went to Canada and was with Regina in 1954-55 and Vancouver in 1956. Mac and his wife live in Encino, Calif., and have two children.



**Dale Dodrill**  
Line Coach

A former Colorado State University and Pittsburgh Steeler great, Dodrill, 35, is serving his third year as Defensive Line Coach. Dodrill was one of the top middle guards and linebackers in the National Football League for nine years. An All-Pro defensive choice from 1935-55, he spent his entire playing career with the Steelers and holds the Pittsburgh record for the longest blocked kick return . . . an 83 yard run against the Los Angeles Rams in 1952. Dodrill makes his home in the Lakewood section of Denver where he is an insurance salesman in the off-season.



**Gary Glick**  
Defensive Backfield Coach

Gary is another Colorado State University product who will work with the Denver Broncos this year. Born May 14, 1930, at Grant, Neb., he attended CSU where he developed into one of its greatest gridiron stars. He was the bonus pick of the Steelers in 1955, the last time the NFL utilized this unique method, thus, he was the number one choice of the college seniors that year. He holds the offensive gaining record at CSU, compiling 2,250 yards during his collegiate career. A defensive specialist with the Steelers from 1956-58, he moved to the Washington Redskins until last season when he was traded to the Baltimore Colts. Gary, 6-1, 200 pounds, and his wife, Colleen, have three children and live in Ft. Collins, Colo.



**Ray Malavasi**  
Chief Talent Scout

Ray was born Nov. 8, 1930, at Clifton, N. J. He earned many All-State honors while playing high school ball and then entered the United States Military Academy at West Point in 1949. A dogged and determined lineman he won honorable mention on several All-Americans in 1950.

In 1951 he switched to Mississippi State and received his degree in civil engineering in 1952. After one season with the Philadelphia Eagles Malavasi entered the Army and coached and played football at Fort Belvoir, Va. He holds the reserve rank of captain.

After service he became an assistant coach at Mississippi State and went to Minnesota in a similar capacity for two years. From there he went to Memphis State for three seasons and served as defensive line coach.

He was named chief assistant to coach Billy Hildebrand at Wake Forest one year ago, resigning that post to join the Broncos.

Ray is married to the former Mary Fleming and they have four children: Dennis, 5; Maureen, 4; Shiela, 3; and Billy, 1.



**FRED POSEY**  
Trainer



**HARVEY STEPHEN**  
Equipment Mgr.



**PAUL MANASSEH**  
Director of  
Public Relations

## The 1962 Denver Broncos



**KEN ADAMSON — Guard —**  
23 . . . 6-2 . . . 235 . . . Notre Dame — Fine young performer who developed fast in his sophomore year in the pro ranks . . . named to All-League and was outstanding in All-Star Game . . . Captained 1959 Notre Dame team which was his greatest thrill in football . . . Selected to high school All-America at Marist High in Atlanta, Ga. . . His father, Col. K. E. Adamson, is an army career man, presently stationed at Colorado Springs . . . Married (Joyce) . . . sells mutual funds in Denver in off season . . . Born Oct. 12, 1938.



**JAMES EDWARD BARTON —**  
Center — 27 . . . 6-5 . . . 250 . . . Marshall — Giant of a man obtained from Dallas Texans last season and rapidly attaining top recognition around league . . . Has two brothers, Chuck and Bob, who also play football . . . Earned 16 letters in high school in basketball, baseball and football . . . Served in U. S. Navy . . . Hobbies are golf, fishing and cards . . . Born June 12, 1935, at Kirbyville, Pa.



**ELDON VOSS DANENHAUER —**  
Tackle — 26 . . . 6-4 . . . 245 . . . Pittsburg State — Giant of a man in desire and size . . . One of original Broncos from 1960 season and has been bulwark on offense . . . Served two years in army as MP . . . Hobbies are hunting, fishing, golf . . . Has one son (Kurt) born March, 1962 . . . worked on Masters Degree at Colorado State College during off-season . . . Born Oct. 4, 1935, at Clay Center, Kansas.



**RICHARD LEE DICKINSON —**  
**Fullback** — 27 . . . 6-2 . . . 218  
 . . . Miss. Southern — Obtained  
 from Dallas Texans in a trade  
 for Guard Carl Larperter during  
 spring . . . Held down first  
 string fullback post for Texans  
 in '61 . . . Considered great  
 blocker as well as power runner  
 with good speed . . . Served in  
 army from 1954-56 . . . Hobby  
 is golf . . . plans to work in

field of physical education and recreation . . .  
 Married, 2 children, (Gwen, 2; and Richard Allen,  
 6 months) . . . Born July 18, 1935, at Hattiesburg,  
 Miss.



**JAMES DORAN — End — 35**  
 . . . 6-2 . . . 210 . . . Iowa State  
 — One of the real great names  
 in professional football . . .  
 Spent 11 seasons in NFL . . .  
 Was with Detroit Lions from  
 1951-59 and with Dallas Cow-  
 boys in 1960-61 . . . Started out  
 as defensive end for first four  
 years, but has been offensive  
 end and flanker ever since . . .  
 Was teammate of Bronco offen-  
 sive line coach Jim Martin with Lions . . . Born Aug.

11, 1927, at Paton, Iowa.



**GEORGE HUNTER ENIS —**  
**Quarterback** — 25 . . . 6-2 . . .  
 195 . . . Texas Christian —  
 Another of Jack Faulkner's  
 acquisitions during the off-sea-  
 son and perhaps the smartest  
 young field general in the game  
 . . . Understudied the great  
 Cotton Davidson at Dallas in  
 1960 and Jack Kemp at San  
 Diego last year . . . Making  
 determined bid to step into

number one QB with Broncos . . . Earned Geology  
 and Math Degree from TCU . . . Married . . .  
 Born Dec. 10, 1936, at Fort Worth, Tex., where he  
 still lives.



**ADOLPHUS CORNELIUS FRA-  
 ZIER — Flanker — 27 . . .**  
 5-11 . . . 180 . . . Florida A & M  
 — "Rocket Al" is considered by  
 many to be as fast as any in  
 the league . . . Possesses fine  
 moves in addition to his great  
 speed and good hands, indi-  
 cated by his 47 receptions last  
 year . . . Was second in league  
 in kickoff returns (18 for 28  
 yard average); third in punt

returns (18 for 12.8 yard average); tied for eighth  
 in pass receptions; 13th in scoring with 50 points  
 . . . Holds club record for longest kickoff return  
 (90 yards) and longest overall pass play (87 yards)  
 . . . Born Mar. 28, 1935, at Jacksonville, Fla., where  
 he still lives . . . single.



**LARRY G. JORDAN — Flanker**  
**& End — 24 . . . 6-6 . . . 230**  
 . . . Yongstown — Jack Faulk-  
 ner saw this boy last summer  
 when he trained with the Char-  
 gers who released him and he  
 had outstanding season with  
 Akron in the United Football  
 League . . . Spent two years  
 in U. S. Navy . . . Another  
 zoology major in college . . .  
 Born April 18, 1938, at Youngs-  
 town, Ohio, where he still lives.



**JACK V. MATTOX — Tackle**  
 — 24 . . . 6-4 . . . 240 . . .  
 Fresno State — "Smiling Jack"  
 could be the story of the year  
 . . . He was with the Broncos  
 last year, but released about  
 mid-season . . . When Jack  
 Faulkner took over in February  
 he watched this boy in movies  
 and was impressed, flew to San  
 Diego where Jack was serving  
 a six-month hitch in the Mar-  
 ines and signed him just ahead of overtures from  
 the Chargers . . . Handsome, strong, quick . . .  
 Born Aug. 3, 1938, at Fresno, Calif., now lives in  
 Clovis, Calif.



**ROB'T VERNON McCULLOUGH**  
**— Guard — 21 . . . 6-2 . . .**  
 239 . . . Colorado — Product  
 of the Big 8 Champions of last  
 season where his exploits were  
 overshadowed by Joe Romig, but  
 coaches claimed Bob was one  
 of the most valued members of  
 the squad . . . Can also play  
 linebacker, but being given good  
 shot at guard . . . Studying  
 business administration at C. U.  
 . . . Born Nov. 18, 1940, at Helena, Mont., where  
 he still lives.



**EUGENE MINGO — Halfback**

— 23 . . . 6-1 . . . 200 . . . Service Ball — Surprise of the year as he led the league in scoring . . . great runner with good hands and handled PAT and field goals for Broncos . . . Had 11 for 11 conversions in 1961 . . . Had outstanding record as army footballer . . . Has surprisingly good arm, threw 4 pass completions in 8

attempts last year for 2 touchdowns . . . Holds league record for consecutive games scoring (18) and field goals (4) in one game . . . Married (Annie), one son (Anthony Lawrence) . . . Born Sept. 22, 1938, at Akron, Ohio, where he still lives.



**JAMES WILLIAM PERKINS — Tackle**

— 23 . . . 6-5 . . . 250 . . . Colorado — Another one of the outstanding products from the 1961 Big 8 Champions . . . Graduated from business from CU this past June . . . Strong big and fast . . . Has all potential of great performer . . .

Born June 16, 1939, at Loyalton, Calif., where he still lives.



**EUGENE NICHOLAS PREBOLA — End**

— 24 . . . 6-3 . . . 225 . . . Boston University — Heady tight end who clutched 29 receptions last year . . . Was with Boston Terriers in 1960 and obtained by Denver in trade for Willie Smith . . . Member of Marine Corps Reserve . . . Named to All-New England and Methodist All-America . . . Leading pass receiver at BU in

1958-59 . . . Single . . . Born June 30, 1938 at the Bronx, N.Y., now lives in West New York, N. J.



**ROBERT J. SCARPITTO — Flanker & End**

— 23 . . . 5-11 . . . 195 Notre Dame — Another of the countless fine ball players who went to the South Bend school . . . Obtained along with Hayes and Zeman from San Diego during the winter . . . Earned a Sociology Degree from Notre Dame . . . Caught pass for winning TD against Denver last November . . . Spent the off-

season on six-month active duty with the Air Force . . . Married . . . Born Jan. 7, 1939, at Rahway, N. J., where he still lives.



**JIM EDWARD STINETTE — Fullback**

— 23 . . . 6-1 . . . 230 . . . Oregon State — Joined the Broncos last year as a fullback, but suffered a pulled hamstring in the third game which sidelined him for several weeks . . . When he returned he was placed at linebacker, but Faulkner returned him to fullback this year and he's impressed all and sundry with

his power, speed, blocking ability and competitive spirit . . . Was a first team high school All-America and later named first team scholastic All-America . . . With the St. Louis Cardinals in 1960 and Denver last year . . . Single . . . Born Dec 3, 1938 at Corvallis, Ore., where he still lives.



**DONALD STONE — Halfback**

— 24 . . . 6-1 . . . 210 . . . Arkansas — Hard-nosed dynamic runner, excellent pass receiver, will to win . . . these are merely a few attributes of Donnie Stone whose 127 carries last year average 4 yards per try . . . He also had 38 pass receptions for 344 yards and in the league All-Star game caught two touchdown passes

to lead the West to victory . . . Scored 48 points . . . Considered sure bet to repeat as all-league . . . Born in Fayetteville, Ark., but now lives in Santa Ana, Calif.



**JERRY GORDON STURM — Tackle**

— 25 . . . 6-4 . . . 245 . . . Illinois — Spent 3 seasons with Calgary Stampeders, but got his free agency last fall and joined the Broncos . . . Big and powerful he is force to be reckoned with this season . . . Married, 3 children (Jerry, 7; Cindy, 5; Beth, 3) . . . Born

Dec. 31, 1936, at Terre Haute, Ind., now lives in Denver.





**LIONEL THOMAS TAYLOR** — End & Flanker — 26 . . . 6-2 . . . 215 . . . Highlands — Two years All-League, recognized by all as possessing the finest pair of hands in the game today . . . Broke his own professional pass catching record with 100 receptions in 1961 after snaring 92 the year before . . . Was first veteran end in camp this year, indicative of intense desire possessed by this remarkable West Virginian . . . On taxi squad of Chicago Bears in 1959 and their final cut in 1960, he caught 11 passes twice in games, holds league record most touchdown passes in one game (3) . . . Married, 2 daughters (Loretta, 3; and LaVern, 1) . . . Born Aug. 15, 1936, at Kansas City, Mo., but now lives in Lorado, West Virginia.



**FRANK TRIPUCKA** — Quarterback — 34 . . . 6-2 . . . 205 . . . Notre Dame — There are few things that can be said about this Pro that haven't already been said . . . He reported to camp this year like a rookie and has diligently pursued training camp rigors to get himself in top physical shape . . . Suffered a transverse process in the first pre-season game

last year, remained out of action 2 games, forced back before he was ready because of George Harrington's broken hand, never fully recovered, but played to the hilt anyway . . . Has amazing faculty for detecting defensive flaws in opponents and capitalizing on it . . . In 13 pro seasons has passed for the amazing total of 21,788 yards . . . Lives in Bloomfield, N. J. where he and another ex-Irish quarterback, Angelo Bertelli, are in business together . . . He and his wife, Randy, have six children and 2 Basset Hounds . . . Born Dec. 8, 1927.



**JOHN CASH** — End — 26 . . . — 6-3 . . . 240 . . . Allen — Earned B. S. Degree . . . lettered 4 years in football and 1 in basketball, 2 in track, 2 in baseball . . . Graduated from college in 1958 and was in service 2 years . . . Greatest thrills were winning 4 straight games during career over arch-rival Benedicts and playing in Berlin, Germany, during service hitch



**THOMAS DEAN ERLANDSON** — Linebacker — 22 . . . 6-3 . . . 220 . . . Wash. State — Physical Education major at Washington State, could surprise many as unheralded youngster . . . Lettered two yrs. at State in football . . . Hobbies are swimming, skiing and reading . . . Single . . . Born Mar. 24, 1940, at Seattle, now lives in Bellingham, Wash.



**JAMES G. FRASER** — Linebacker — 26 . . . 6-3 . . . 240 . . . Wisconsin — Outstanding prospect who was with the Chargers last training camp, but released . . . Commissioner Foss ruled he was Denver's property and looms as regular . . . Served in 101st Air Borne Division and is a sky diver now . . . Single . . . Hobbies are golf and music . . . Born May 29, 1936, at Philadelphia, Pa., now lives in Wynnewood, Pa.



**CHARLES E. GAVIN** — End — 28 . . . 6-1 . . . 245 . . . Tennessee State — A four year letterman in college Chuck can lay claim to being one of the few who were with the original Broncos in 1960 . . . Played 2 seasons with Vancouver Lions . . . Very quick and extra tough, particularly on rushing passer . . . Engaged in construction work in off-season . . . Scored first TD in pro career in final game of '61 season when he blocked Dallas punt and returned it 45 yards for score . . . Married, 2 children (Charlotte Jean and Ramona) . . . Born Dec. 26, 1933, at Lake, Miss., calls Laurel his home.



**AUSTIN GONSOULIN — Safety**  
— 24 . . . 6-3 . . . 210 . . .  
Baylor — All-League two years  
running . . . During 1960 season  
was named Defensive player of  
the week for intercepting 4  
passes against Buffalo on Sept.  
18, a league record . . . Holds  
loop mark for most interceptions  
in season (11) and most in  
league history (17) . . . Had  
only 2 TD's scored over his ter-

ritory during 1961 season . . . Has degree in Busi-  
ness administration from Baylor . . . Single . . .  
Served in army during off-season . . . Born June  
7, 1938, at Port Arthur, Tex., where he still lives.



**GORDON FRANCIS HOLZ —**  
**Tackle** — 29 . . . 6-4 . . . 270  
. . . Minnesota — Another vet-  
eran of the original Broncos,  
Gordie was an offensive tackle  
that season and switched to  
defense in 1961 where he and  
Bud McFadin were side by side  
. . . Played one season at Sar-  
nia and spent some time in the  
U. S. Navy . . . Gentle off the  
field, but real tiger on it . . .

Married . . . Born May 14, 1933, at St. Paul, Minn.



**CHARLES EDWARD MARSHALL**  
— Cornerback — 23 . . . 6-2  
. . . 197 . . . Oregon State —  
Graduated from Oregon State  
on June 3, 1962, in marketing  
and selling . . . Has exceptional  
speed . . . Greatest thrill was  
intercepting pass against Mich-  
igan and running it back 74  
yards . . . Married, 1 child  
(Caelynn, 15 months) . . .  
Born Feb. 13, 1939, at Hickory,  
San Francisco.

Miss., now lives in



**ED WAHOO McDANIEL — Line-**  
**backer** — 24 . . . 6-1 . . . 240  
. . . Oklahoma — Indian decent,  
middle name is real . . . Earned  
letters in football at OU and  
B. A. degree in 1960 . . . Named  
to high school All-America as  
fullback . . . Played in Blue-  
Gray game in 1959 . . . hobbies  
are hunting and fishing . . .  
Earning reputation as wrestler  
in professional ranks . . . Began

mat career this past off-season, billed as "Chief  
Wahoo" . . . Colorful, hard hitter . . . Born June  
19, 1938, at Bernice, La., now lives in Midland, Tex.



**LEWIS PATE McFADIN —**  
**Tackle** — 34 . . . 6-4 . . . 270  
. . . Texas — The "Old Pro" of  
the Broncos and professional  
football . . . Probably most  
respected player in either  
league for his superb ability  
and determination . . . Played  
five years with Los Angeles  
Rams and 2 with Broncos, mak-  
ing All-League every time . . .  
Was All-America at Texas

where he is regarded as one of the all-time greats  
produced by the Austin school . . . Bronco's team  
captain . . . Hobbies are hunting and fishing . . .  
To say anything more would be too little or not  
enough . . . Born Aug. 21, 1928, at Iraan, Tex.,  
now lives in Humble, Tex. . . Nickname, "Bud".



**JOHN MCGEEVER — Safety** —  
23 . . . 6-1 . . . 195 . . . Auburn  
— Broncos number 7 draft  
choice and 6th choice of Phila-  
delphia Eagles . . . Considered  
one of the real finds of the 1961  
collegiate crop . . . Has great  
speed and intense desire . . .  
Graduated with BA degree in  
June, 1962, . . . Single . . . Born  
Feb. 14, 1939, at Bogalusa,  
La., now lives in Birmingham, Alabama.



**JAMES McMILLIN — Corner-**  
**back** — 23 . . . 6-0 . . . 190  
. . . Colorado State U. — A-  
nother of those guys with deep-  
down determination and desire  
. . . Was with Broncos origi-  
nally in 1960, but released . . .  
Stayed in training during year,  
asked for and received tryout  
in 1961 and made club . . .  
One of hardest hitters in defen-  
sive backfield . . . Born Sept.  
18, 1939 in Pleasant Hill, Calif., but now resides  
in Fort Collins, Colo.



**WILLIAM EDWARD ROEHN-**  
**ELT — Linebacker** — 26 . . .  
6-1 . . . 230 . . . Bradley — All  
around athlete who joined Bron-  
cos early last season after ex-  
perience with Chicago Bears  
(1958-59) and Washington Red-  
skins (1960) . . . Lettered in  
football and track in college  
. . . Called to active duty at  
mid-season, 1961, with 169th  
Tactical Fighter Squadron, Air

## THE DENVER BRONCOS PRE-SEASON ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS.	AGE	HT.	WT.	HOMETOWN	COLLEGE	PRO YRS.
14	Hunter Enis	QB	25	6-2	195	Ft. Worth, Tex.	T. C. U.	3
18	Frank Tripucka	QB	34	6-2	205	Bloomfield, N. J.	Notre Dame	14
21	Gene Mingo	HB	23	6-1	200	Akron, Ohio	Service Ball	3
23	Goose Gonsoulin	S	24	6-3	210	Port Arthur, Tex.	Baylor	3
33	Richie Lucas	S	24	6-3	190	Glassport, Pa.	Penn. State	3
34	Don Stone	HB	25	6-1	205	Fayetteville, Ark.	Arkansas	4
35	Bo Dickinson	FB	27	6-2	220	Hattiesburg, Miss.	Miss. Southern	4
36	Jim Stinnette	FB	24	6-1	230	Corvallis, Ore.	Oregon State	3
40	Pete Schenk	OE	23	6-2	195	Los Angeles, Cal.	Wash. State	R
41	Jerry Tarr	HB	22	6-0	190	Bakersfield, Cal.	Oregon	R
42	Al Frazier	HB	27	5-11	180	Jacksonville, Fla.	Florida A & M	4
43	Charles Marshall	CB	23	6-2	197	San Francisco, Cal.	Oregon State	R
45	Jim McMillin	CB	23	6-0	190	Pleasant Hill, Cal.	C. S. U.	3
46	Bob Zeman	S	25	6-1	203	Wheaton, Ill.	Wisconsin	3
47	John McGeever	S	23	6-1	195	Birmingham, Ala.	Auburn	R
52	Jim Barton	C	27	6-5	250	Mason, West Va.	Marshall	4
53	Tom Erlandson	LB	22	6-3	220	Bellingham, Wash.	Washington State	R
54	Wahoo McDaniel	LB	24	6-1	240	Midland, Tex.	Oklahoma	3
55	Jim Fraser	LB	26	6-3	240	Wynnewood, Pa.	Wisconsin	3
60	Ken Adamson	G	23	6-2	225	Denver, Colo.	Notre Dame	3
61	Chuck Gavin	DE	28	6-1	245	Laurel, Miss.	Tenn. State	5
62	Jerry Stalcup	LB	23	6-0	230	Rockford, Ill.	Wisconsin	3
64	Bud McFadin	DT	34	6-4	270	Iraan, Tex.	Texas	9
65	John Denvir	G	24	6-4	245	Connellsville, Pa.	Colorado	R
66	John Cash	DE	26	6-3	240	Cleveland, Ohio	Allen	3
67	Bob McCullough	G	21	6-2	240	Helena, Mont.	Colorado	R
68	Bill Roehnelt	LB	26	6-1	230	Chillicothe, Ill.	Bradley	5
71	Jim Perkins	OT	23	6-5	250	Loyalton, Cal.	Colorado	R
72	Jerry Sturm	OT	25	6-4	245	Terre Haute, Ind.	Illinois	5
73	Isaac Lassiter	DT	21	6-5	270	Wilson, N. C.	St. Augustine	R
74	Gordy Holz	DT	29	6-4	260	St. Paul, Minn.	Minnesota	4
75	Eldon Danenhauer	OT	26	6-4	245	Clay City, Kans.	Pittsburg Tchr.	3
77	Jack Mattox	OT	23	6-4	240	Clovis, Cal.	Fresno State	3
78	Don Joyce	DE	32	6-2	260	Steubenville, Ohio	Tulane	13
81	Jim Doran	OE	35	6-2	220	Paton, Iowa	Iowa State	12
82	Bob Scarpitto	OE	23	5-11	195	Rahway, N. J.	Notre Dame	2
86	Larry Jordan	DE	24	6-6	230	Youngstown, Ohio	Youngstown	2
87	Lionel Taylor	OE	26	6-2	215	Lorado, West Va.	N. M. Highlands	4
88	Gene Prebala	OE	24	6-3	225	West New York, N. J.	Boston U.	3

National Guard . . . Hobbies include golf, tennis, bridge, books, music and photography . . . Single . . . Born June 4, 1936, at Peoria, Ill., now lives in Chillicothe, Ill.



**JERRY NEWELL STALCUP —**  
Linebacker — 25 . . . 6-2 . . . 240 . . . Wisconsin — Another of the Broncos' growing corps of the University of Wisconsin alumni . . . Joined Denver early last season after playing with the Los Angeles Rams in 1960.



**EDWARD ROBERT ZEMAN —**  
Safety — 25 . . . 6-1 . . . 203 . . . Wisconsin — Received degree in June, 1960, after lettering 3 years in football . . . Acquired by Broncos from San Diego Chargers in winter deal . . . Outstanding member of famed "Seven Pirates" coached by present Bronco Head Coach, Jack Faulkner . . . Greatest thrill was playing in 1960 Rose Bowl game . . . Is a 2nd Lt. in USAR, Transportation Corps . . .

Single . . . Born Feb. 22, 1937, at Geneva, Ill., presently lives in Wheaton, Ill., home town of Red Grange . . . Broke several of Grange's ground-gaining records in high school.



**PETER SCHENK — Offensive**  
End — 23 . . . 6-2 . . . 195 . . . Washington State — Pete was the Broncos' number 18 draft choice . . . Reputed to have excellent hands and good moves as well as better-than average speed. Could prove surprise of club . . . Starred for Los Angeles, Calif. . . Rookie

State . . . Lives in



**JOHN DENVIR — Guard —** 24 . . . 6-4 . . . 245 . . . Colorado — Appropriately named to play with Broncos . . . Outstanding lineman for CU's Big 8 Champions . . . Future draft choice by the San Diego Chargers in 1960 . . . Picked up by Broncos in AFL intra-league draft . . . Rejoined former teammates Bob McCullough and Jim Perkins on line . . . Strong with great

desire . . . Lives in

Cornellville, Pa.



league draft . . . Lives in Wilson, N. C.



fine ball clubs . . . Lives in Steubenville, Ohio.

**DON JOYCE — Defensive End**  
32 . . . 6-2 . . . 260 . . . Tulane — One of the real pros in the game . . . 13 year veteran mostly with the Baltimore Colts but spent last season with the Vikings . . . Can still move and knows the game . . . Attended Tulane in days when Henry Franka was producing



1938, at Glassport, Pa., where he still lives with his wife.

**RICHIE LUCAS — Safety —**  
24 . . . 6-3 . . . 190 . . . Penn State — Everybody's All-American at Penn State in 1959, called by coach Rip Engle as "best football player I ever coached" . . . Big, strong, fast and a hard and authoritative hitter . . . Brilliant quarterback in college but will play on defense for Broncos . . . Born April 15,



. . . Makes his home in Bakersfield, California.

**JERRY TARR — Halfback —**  
22 . . . 6-0 . . . 190 . . . Oregon — Tremendous speed . . . Beat the Russians this summer in the 110 meter high hurdles . . . Reputed to be the fastest man in the AFL. Was clocked at 13.3 for the 120 yard high hurdles, only one-tenth of a second off the world mark and a new collegiate standard . . . Broncos 17th draft choice



## Broncos Won and Lost Record

### AGAINST A.F.L. RIVALS

Against the Boston Patriots .....	Won 2, Lost 2
Against the Buffalo Bills .....	Won 2, Lost 1, Tied 1
Against the Dallas Texans .....	Won 0, Lost 4
Against the Houston Oilers .....	Won 0, Lost 4
Against the New York Titans .....	Won 1, Lost 3
Against the Oakland Raiders .....	Won 2, Lost 2
Against the San Diego Chargers .....	Won 0, Lost 4
Overall against Opponents —	Won 7, Lost 20, Tied 1

## INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

### LONGEST PLAYS

#### FROM SCRIMMAGE:

68 yards by Henry Bell vs. LA Chargers  
(Oct. 16, 1960)

#### FORWARD PASS:

87 yards, Frank Tripucka to Al Frazier vs San  
Diego Chargers, (Nov. 12, 1961)

#### KICKOFF RETURN:

90 yards by Al Frazier vs Boston Patriots, (Dec.  
3, 1961)

#### PUNT RETURN:

\*76 yards by Gene Mingo vs. Boston Patriots,  
(Sept. 9, 1960)

#### WITH INTERCEPTION:

65 yards by Buddy Allison against Buffalo Bills  
(Sept. 18, 1960)

#### WITH BLOCKED PUNT:

45 yards by Chuck Gavin vs. Dallas Texans (Dec.  
10, 1961)

\* League Record

## INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

(Continued)

### BALL CARRYING

#### MOST ATTEMPTS

Lifetime: 130, Dave Rolle (1960)  
Season: 130, Dave Rolle (1960)  
Game: 21, Don Stone vs. Boston, Dec. 3, 1961

#### TOTAL YARDS GAINED

Lifetime: 505, Don Stone (1961)  
Season: 505, Don Stone (1961)  
Game: 99, Dave Rolle vs. Oakland, Oct. 2, 1960

### FORWARD PASSING

#### ATTEMPTS

Lifetime: 822, Frank Tripucka (1960-61)  
Season: \*478, Frank Tripucka (1960)  
Game: 49, Frank Tripucka vs. San Diego, Nov.  
12, 1961

#### COMPLETIONS

Lifetime: 415, Frank Tripucka (1960-61)  
Season: \*248, Frank Tripucka (1960)  
Game: 30, Frank Tripucka vs. Houston, Nov.  
6, 1960  
Consecutive: 9, Frank Tripucka vs. Dallas, Oct. 8,  
1961

#### INTERCEPTIONS

Lifetime: 55, Frank Tripucka (1960-61)  
Season: \*34, Frank Tripucka (1960)  
Game: 6, George Herring vs. Houston, Nov.  
26, 1961

#### INTERCEPTIONS, BY

Lifetime: \*17, Austin Gonsoulin (1960-61)  
Season: \*11, Austin Gonsoulin (1960)  
Game: \*4, Austin Gonsoulin vs. Buffalo, Sept.  
18, 1960

#### YARDS GAINED

Lifetime: 4,728, Frank Tripucka (1960-61)  
Season: 3,038, Frank Tripucka (1960)  
Game: 375, Frank Tripucka vs. Houston, Nov.  
6, 1960

#### TOUCHDOWN PASSES

Lifetime: 34, Frank Tripucka (1960-61)  
Season: 24, Frank Tripucka (1960)  
Game: 4, Frank Tripucka vs. Boston, Oct. 23,  
1960  
Consecutive games throwing touchdown passes: 8,  
Frank Tripucka, (Nov. 20, 1960 to Sept. 24, 1961)

\* League Record

## PASS RECEIVING

### MOST CAUGHT

Lifetime: \*192, Lionel Taylor (1960-61)  
 Season: †100, Lionel Taylor (1961)  
 Game: 11, Lionel Taylor vs. New York, Dec. 4, 1960  
 11, Lionel Taylor vs. New York, Sept. 24, 1961

### YARDS GAINED

Lifetime: 2,413, Lionel Taylor (1960-61)  
 Season: 1,235, Lionel Taylor (1960)  
 Game: 199, Lionel Taylor vs. Buffalo, Nov. 27, 1960

### TOUCHDOWN PASSES CAUGHT

Lifetime: 16, Lionel Taylor (1960-61)  
 Season: 12, Lionel Taylor (1960)  
 Game: \*3, Lionel Taylor vs. Buffalo Nov. 27, 1960  
 Consecutive: 4, Lionel Taylor (1960)

## SCORING

### TOTAL POINTS

Lifetime: 155, Gene Mingo (1960-61)  
 Season: 123, Gene Mingo (1960)  
 Game: 21, Gene Mingo vs. Los Angeles, Dec. 10, 1960

### TOUCHDOWNS

Lifetime: 16, Lionel Taylor (1960-61)  
 Season: 12, Lionel Taylor (1960)  
 Game: 3, Lionel Taylor vs. Buffalo, Nov. 27, 1960

### FIELD GOALS

Lifetime: 21, Gene Mingo (1960-61)  
 Season: \*18, Gene Mingo (1960)  
 16, 1960.  
 Game: \*4, Gene Mingo vs. Los Angeles, Oct.  
 Longest: 51 Yards by Gene Mingo vs. Houston, Nov. 6, 1960

### EXTRA POINTS

Lifetime: 44, Gene Mingo (1960-61)  
 Season: 33, Gene Mingo (1960)  
 Game: 5, Gene Mingo vs. Buffalo. Nov. 27, 1960  
 Consecutive: \*16, Jack Hill (Oct. 16, 1961 thru Dec. 10, 1961, unbroken at end of season.)

\* League Record

† Professional Record

## BRONCO BITS

The Broncos have established themselves as the premier "comeback" team in professional football . . . On Oct. 23, 1960, they trailed the Boston Patriots 0-24 with 17:50 to play, but won 31-24 . . . Five weeks later the Buffalo Bills held a commanding 7-38 lead with 19-17 to go when the Broncos caught fire and emerged with a 38-38 tie . . . Denver has won but one game from the New York Titans in their four meetings, but the three losses, 24-28, 27-30, and 28-35, were by a total point spread of only 14 points . . . Denver's victory, 27-10, gave the Broncos an advantage of 3 points overall . . . Jack Hill and Gene Mingo combined to successfully convert all 27 PAT's during the 1961 season, a league record. Mingo had four straight on the final portion of the 1960 campaign so the Broncos have a continuing streak of 31 consecutive point after conversions . . . Denver failed to gather a two-point conversion in 1960, but picked up three in 1961 on runs by Al Frazier and Fred Bukaty and a pass completion by Gene Prebola . . . The Broncos defense twice held opponents to a total of 10 points: Boston in the first game ever played in the AFL on Sept. 9, 1960 and one year and one day later, Buffalo was held to only 10 points . . . Denver held the Patriots to only 11 first downs on Dec 3, 1961, while Oakland ran up 29 first downs against the Denvers on Dec. 17, 1960 . . . Mingo holds league record for most consecutive games scoring: 18, from Sept. 9, 1960 to Oct. 1, 1961 . . . Frank Tripuka completed 10 straight forward passes for a league mark against Dallas, Oct. 8, 1961.

## 1960 STATISTICS

(In Brief)

SCORING	TD	PA	FG	TOTAL
Gene Mingo	6	33	18	123
Lionel Taylor	12	0	0	72
Al Carmichael	7	0	0	42
RUSHING	ATT.	YDS.	AVG.	
Dave Rolle	130	501	3.9	
Gene Mingo	83	323	3.9	
Henry Bell	43	238	5.5	
PASSING	ATT.	COMP.	YDS.	INT.
Frank Tripuka	473	248	3038	34
George Herring	22	9	137	1
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS.	TD	
Lionel Taylor	92	1235	12	
Al Carmichael	32	616	5	
Ken Carpenter	29	350	1	

## TEAM RECORDS

### YARDS GAINED

Most, Season:

4,442, (1960)

Most, Game:

544, against Houston, Nov. 6, 1960

Most Rushing, Season:

1,195, (1960)

Most Passing, Season:

3,247, (1960)

Most Rushing, Game:

223, against New York, Sept. 23, 1960

Most Passing, Game:

328, against Buffalo, Nov. 27, 1960

### FIRST DOWNS

Most, Season:

248, (1960)

Most, Game:

26, against Houston, Nov. 6, 1960

Most Rushing, Game:

13, against New York, Sept. 23, 1960

Most Passing, Game:

18, against Houston, Nov. 6, 1960

Most Penalties, Game:

5, against Dallas, Oct. 8, 1960

5, against San Diego, Nov. 12, 1961

### FORWARD PASSING

Most Completed, Season:

265, (1961)

Most Completed, Game:

31, against Houston, Nov. 6, 1960

Most Attempted, Season:

568, (1961)

Most Attempted, Game:

54, against Houston, Nov. 6, 1960

54, against New York, Sept. 24, 1961

Most Intercepted, Season:

27, (1960)

Most Intercepted, Game:

6, vs. Buffalo Sept. 18, 1960

Most Had Intercepted, Season:

27, (1960)

Most Had Intercepted, Game:

6, vs. Buffalo, Nov. 19, 1961

6, vs. Houston, Nov. 26, 1961

Most Touchdown Passes, Season:

24, (1960)

Most Touchdown Passes, Game:

4, vs. Boston, Oct. 23, 1960

### SCORING

Most Points, Season:

309, (1960)

Most Points, Game:

38, vs. Buffalo, Nov. 27, 1960

Fewest Points, Season:

251, (1961)

Most Touchdowns, Season:

37, (1960)

Most Touchdowns, Game:

5, vs. Buffalo, Nov. 27, 1960

Most Extra Points, Season:

33, (1960)

Most Field Goals, Season:

18, (1960)

Most Extra Points, Game:

5, vs. Buffalo, Nov. 27, 1960

Most Field Goals, Game:

4, vs. Los Angeles, Oct. 16, 1960

### PUNTING

Most, Season:

80, for 39.4 yard average (1961)

Most, Game:

8, vs. Boston, Sept. 9, 1960; vs. Buffalo, Sept. 10, 1961; vs. Boston, Sept. 16, 1961; vs. Houston, Nov. 5, 1961

### PENALTIES

Most, Season:

60, (1961)

Most, Game:

7, vs. Dallas, Nov. 17, 1960; vs. New York, Oct. 22, 1961

Most Yards, Season:

560, (1961)

Most Yards, Game:

77, vs. Dallas, Nov. 13, 1960

FRIDAY, SEPT. 21

SUNDAY, NOV. 11

**BOSTON PATRIOTS**

Stadium Name: Boston Univ. Field  
 President: William H. Sullivan, Jr.  
 General Manager: Ed McKeever  
 Head Coach: Mike Holovak  
 Assistants: Art Spinney, Marion Campbell, Fred Bruney  
 Trainer: Bill Bates

**1961 RECORD (9-4-1)**

20 New York	21	Sept. 8—at Dallas*
45 Denver	17	Sept. 16—Houston
23 Buffalo	21	Sept. 21—Denver*
30 New York	37	Oct. 5—at New York
27 San Diego	38	Oct. 12—Dallas*
31 Houston (Tie)	31	Oct. 19—San Diego*
52 Buffalo	21	Oct. 26—Oakland*
18 Dallas	17	Nov. 3—at Buffalo*
28 Dallas	21	Nov. 11—at Denver
15 Houston	27	Nov. 18—at Houston
20 Oakland	17	Nov. 23—Buffalo*
28 Denver	24	Nov. 30—New York*
35 Oakland	21	Dec. 9—at San Diego
41 San Diego	0	Dec. 16—at Oakland

\*—Night Game

**1962 SCHEDULE**

SATURDAY, SEPT. 15

SUNDAY, OCT. 28

**BUFFALO BILLS**

Stadium Name: War Memorial  
 President: Ralph C. Wilson, Jr.  
 General Manager: Richard J. Gallagher  
 Head Coach: Lou Saban  
 Assistants: Robert Miller, Joel Collier, Jerry Smith, John Mazur  
 Trainer: Edward Abramowski

**1961 RECORD (6-8)**

10 Denver	22	Sept. 9—Houston
41 New York	31	Sept. 15—Denver*
21 Boston	23	Sept. 22—New York*
11 San Diego	19	Sept. 30—at Dallas
22 Houston	12	Oct. 7—at Houston
27 Dallas	24	Oct. 13—San Diego*
21 Boston	52	Oct. 20—Oakland*
16 Houston	28	Oct. 28—at Denver
22 Oakland	31	Nov. 3—Boston*
30 Dallas	20	Nov. 11—at San Diego
23 Denver	10	Nov. 18—at Oakland
14 New York	21	Nov. 23—at Boston
26 Oakland	21	Dec. 2—Dallas
10 San Diego	28	Dec. 8—at New York

\*—Night Game

**1962 SCHEDULE**

SUNDAY, NOV. 18

SUNDAY, DEC. 9

**DALLAS TEXANS**

Stadium: Cotton Bowl  
 President: Lamar Hunt  
 General Manager: Jack W. Steadman  
 Head Coach: Hank Stram  
 Assistants: Bill Walsh, Bob Ghilotti, Tom Catlin, Ed Hughes  
 Trainer: Wayne Rudy

**1961 RECORD (6-8)**

10 San Diego	26	Sept. 8—Boston
42 Oakland	35	Sept. 16—Bye
26 Houston	21	Sept. 23—Oakland
19 Dallas	12	Sept. 30—Buffalo
24 Buffalo	27	Oct. 7—at San Diego
7 Houston	38	Oct. 12—at Boston
17 Boston	18	Oct. 21—New York
21 Boston	28	Oct. 28—at Houston
20 Buffalo	30	Nov. 4—Houston
14 San Diego	24	Nov. 11—at New York
43 Oakland	11	Nov. 18—at Denver
7 New York	28	Nov. 25—Oakland
49 Denver	21	Dec. 2—at Buffalo
35 New York	24	Dec. 9—Denver
		Dec. 16—San Diego

**1962 SCHEDULE**

SUNDAY, OCT. 21

SUNDAY, DEC. 2

**HOUSTON OILERS**

Stadium Name: Jeppesen  
 President: K. S. Adams, Jr.  
 General Manager: Don Suman  
 Head Coach: Frank "Pop" Ivy  
 Assistants: Walt Schlinkman, Joe Spencer, Neill Armstrong  
 Trainer: Bobby Brown

**1961 RECORD (10-3-1)**

55 Oakland	0	Sept. 9—at Buffalo
24 San Diego	34	Sept. 16—at Boston
21 Dallas	26	Sept. 23—at San Diego
12 Buffalo	22	Sept. 30—Open
31 Boston (Tie)	31	Oct. 7—Buffalo
38 Dallas	7	Oct. 14—New York
28 Buffalo	16	Oct. 21—at Denver
55 Denver	13	Oct. 28—Dallas
27 Boston	15	Nov. 4—at Dallas
49 New York	13	Nov. 11—at Oakland
45 Denver	14	Nov. 18—Boston
33 San Diego	13	Nov. 25—San Diego
48 New York	21	Dec. 2—Denver
47 Oakland	16	Dec. 9—Oakland
10 San Diego	3*	Dec. 15—at New York

\* AFL Title



SUNDAY, SEPT. 30

THURS., NOV. 22

**TITANS OF NEW YORK**

Stadium: Polo Grounds  
 President: Harry Wismer  
 General Manager: George Sauer  
 Head Coach: Clyde "Bulldog" Turner  
 Assistants: George Sauer, John Dell Isola, Hugh Taylor  
 Trainer: Harold "Bud" Leininger

**1961 RECORD (7-7)****1962 SCHEDULE**

21 Boston	20	Sept. 9—at Oakland
31 Buffalo	41	Sept. 16—at San Diego
35 Denver	28	Sept. 22—at Buffalo
37 Boston	30	Sept. 30—Denver
10 San Diego	25	Oct. 5—Boston
10 Denver	27	Oct. 14—at Houston
14 Oakland	6	Oct. 21—at Dallas
13 San Diego	48	Oct. 28—San Diego
23 Oakland	12	Nov. 4—Oakland
13 Houston	49	Nov. 11—Dallas
28 Dallas	7	Nov. 18—Open
21 New York	14	Nov. 22—at Denver
21 Houston	48	Nov. 30—at Boston
24 Dallas	35	Dec. 8—Buffalo
		Dec. 15—Houston

FRIDAY, OCT. 5

SUNDAY, OCT. 14

**OAKLAND RAIDERS**

Stadium Name: Frank Youell Field  
 President: E. W. McGah  
 General Manager: W. L. Fry  
 Head Coach: Marty Feldman  
 Assistants: Tom Kalminar, "Red" Conkright, Ollie Spencer, Walt Michaels  
 Trainer: George Anderson

**1961 RECORD (2-12)****1962 SCHEDULE**

0 Houston	55	Sept. 9—New York
0 San Diego	44	Sept. 23—Dallas
35 Dallas	42	Sept. 30—San Diego
33 Denver	19	Oct. 5—at Denver*
24 Denver	27	Oct. 14—Denver
10 San Diego	41	Oct. 20—at Buffalo*
6 New York	14	Oct. 26—at Boston*
31 Buffalo	22	Nov. 4—at New York
12 New York	23	Nov. 11—Houston
17 Boston	20	Nov. 18—Buffalo
11 Dallas	43	Nov. 25—at Dallas
21 Buffalo	26	Dec. 2—at San Diego
17 Boston	35	Dec. 9—at Houston
16 Houston	47	Dec. 16—Boston

\*—Night Game

FRIDAY, SEPT. 7

SUNDAY, NOV. 4

**SAN DIEGO CHARGERS**

Stadium: Balboa Stadium  
 President: Barron Hilton  
 General Manager: Sid Gillman  
 Head Coach: Sid Gillman  
 Assistants: Joe Madro, Al Davis, Chuck Noll,  
 Walt Hackett  
 Trainer: Kearney Reeb

**1961 RECORD (12-2)****1962 SCHEDULE**

26 Dallas	10	Sept. 7—at Denver
44 Oakland	0	Sept. 16—New York
34 Houston	24	Sept. 23—Houston
19 Buffalo	11	Sept. 30—at Oakland
38 Boston	27	Oct. 7—Dallas
25 New York	10	Oct. 13—at Buffalo
41 Oakland	10	Oct. 19—at Boston
37 Denver	0	Oct. 28—at New York
48 New York	13	Nov. 4—Denver
19 Denver	16	Nov. 11—Buffalo
24 Dallas	14	Nov. 25—Houston
13 Houston	33	Dec. 2—Oakland
28 Buffalo	10	Dec. 9—Boston
0 Boston	42	Dec. 16—at Dallas

**American Football League****1111 Southland Center****Dallas, Texas**

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 Asst. Commissioner ..... Milt Woodard  
 Asst. to the Commissioner ..... Thurlo McCrady  
 Publicity Director ..... Al Ward

# Denver Broncos 1961 Statistics

## FINAL UNOFFICIAL

(Through 14 League Games)

### WON 3

DENVER	0, San Diego	37
DENVER	14, Houston	55
DENVER	16, San Diego	19
DENVER	10, Buffalo	23
DENVER	14, Houston	45
DENVER	24, Boston	28
DENVER	21, Dallas	49

### LOST 11

DENVER	22, Buffalo	10
DENVER	17, Boston	45
DENVER	28, N. Y.	35
DENVER	19, Oakland	33
DENVER	12, Dallas	19
DENVER	27, Oakland	24
DENVER	27, N. Y.	10

TEAM	BRONCOS	OPP.
POINTS	251	432
Touchdowns	32	57
Rushing	11	20
Passing	18	30
Pass Interception	0	4
Punt Returns	2	3
Kickoff Returns	1	0
Safety	1	2
PAT (TOTAL)	32	54
Kicking	27	52
Passing	4	0
Running	2	2
FIELD GOALS (A-M)	25-8	23-12
FIRST DOWNS	219	233
Rushing	66	83
Passing	128	126
Penalties	25	24
TOTAL OFFENSE (NET)	3811	4418
Rushing	1091	1633
Passing	2720	2785
Yds. Lost Att. Pass	33-284	33-275
Plays	934	899
Avg. Per Play	4.1	4.9
Rush Plays	333	435
Avg. Per Rush	3.3	3.7
PASSING BREAKDOWN		
Compl.-Atts.	265-568	194-474
Interceptions	26	45
T.D. Passes	18	30
PUNTING (No.-Avg.)	80-39.3	75-41.6
Total Yards	3149	3124
PUNTS RETURNS	33-11.1	26-19.5
Total Yards	369	508
KICKOFF RETURNS	66-23	26-19.5
Total Yards	1501	720
PENALTIES (No.-Yards)	60-560	98-798
FUMBLES (Lost-No.)	23-40	14-23

## INDIVIDUAL RUSHING

PLAYER	TC	YDS.	AVG.	LONG
Ames	19	114	6.0	26
Herring	15	74	4.9	20
Frazier	23	110	4.6	43
Stone	127	505	4.0	34
Sturm	8	33	3.9	9
Mingo	18	51	2.8	15
Bukaty	74	187	2.5	45
Stinnette	18	8	.4	9
Tripucka	4	-9	.22	0
OTHERS*	(1)	-13		
TOTAL	333	1091	3.3	45

## INDIVIDUAL PASSING

PLAYER	COMP-ATTS	INT	YDS	TD	LONG
Tripucka	167-344	21	1690	10	87
Herring	93-211	22	1160	5	54
Mingo	4-9	0	136	2	52
Stone	1-2	0	18	1	18
Frazier	0-1	1	0	0	0
Taylor	0-1	1	0	0	0
Yds. Lost Att. to Pass	(33)		-284		
TOTAL	265-568	45	2720	18	87

## INDIVIDUAL RECEIVING

PLAYER	CATCHES	YDS	TD	LONG	GAIN
Taylor	100	1178	4		52
Frazier	47	799	6		87
Stone	38	344	4		37
Prebola	29	349	1		54
Mingo	8	110	2		69
Bukaty	14	96	0		13
Stinnette	11	58	1		15
Hill	3	30	0		15
Ames	6	20	0		9
Sturm	2	0	0		5
OTHERS*	6	22	0		14
TOTAL	265	3004	18		87

## INDIVIDUAL SCORING

PLAYER	Kick PAT		PASS	RUN	A-M	TOT.
	TD	A-M				
Frazier	8	0-0	0	1	0-0	50
Stone	8	0-0	0	0	0-0	48
Bukaty	5	0-0	1	0	0-0	32
Mingo	2	11-11	0	0	10-3	32
Hill	0	16-16	0	0	15-5	31
Taylor	4	0-0	0	0	0-0	24
Herring	2	0-0	0	0	0-0	12
Prebola	1	0-0	1	0	0-0	8
Gavin	1	0-0	0	0	0-0	6
Stinnette	1	0-0	0	0	0-0	6
TOTAL	32	27-27	2	1	25-8	†249

## RETURNS

PLAYER	PUNT		KICK		INTERCEPT	
	NO.	YDS.	NO.	YDS.	NO.	YDS
Frazier	18	231	18	504	0	0
Ames	2	17	12	240	0	0
Stone	0	0	9	215	0	0
Mingo	1	1	4	120	0	0
Bukaty	0	0	2	41	0	0
Hill	0	0	1	23	0	0
Prebola	0	0	1	8	0	0
Gavin	1	45	0	0	0	0
Nugent	0	0	0	0	7	77
Gonsoulin	0	0	0	0	6	76
McMillin	0	0	0	0	5	56
Hudson	0	0	0	0	3	16
McNamara	4	17	1	34	3	85
Lamberti	0	0	0	0	1	5
Stinnette	0	0	0	0	1	40
OTHERS*	7	58	16	310	0	0
TOTAL	33	369	66	1501	26	357

## PUNTING

PLAYER	PUNTS	YARDS	AVG.	LONG
Herring	80	3149	39.3	63

## SCORE BY QUARTERS

	1	2	3	4
Broncos	52	34	37	128
Opponents	75	143	95	119

\* No Longer With Club

† Does Not Include Safety

## ONE GAME SUPERLATIVES

### TEAM

MOST POINTS SCORED: 28, against New York at New York.

MOST FIRST DOWNS 2, against New York at Denver

MOST YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE: 358, against San Diego at Denver.

MOST YARDS RUSHING: 133, against New York at Denver.

MOST RUSHING PLAYS: 33, against Buffalo at Buffalo and Oakland at Oakland.

MOST PASSES: 54 (completed 28), against New York at New York.

MOST PASSES HAD INTERCEPTED: 6, by Buffalo at Denver, and Houston at Houston.

LOWEST OPPONENT'S SCORE: 10, Buffalo at Buffalo and New York at Denver.

LOWEST OPPONENT'S FIRST DOWNS: 11, Boston at Denver.

MOST PASSES INTERCEPTED: 4, against San Diego at San Diego

MOST FIELD GOALS: 2, against Oakland at Denver, and New York at Denver.

### INDIVIDUAL

MOST POINTS SCORED: 12, Lionel Taylor against Buffalo at Buffalo; Bukaty and Stone against New York at New York and Frazier against Boston at Denver.

MOST YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE: 285, Frank Tripucka against San Diego at Denver.

MOST YARDS RUSHING: 78, Don Stone against New York at Denver.

MOST RUSHING PLAYS: 21, Don Stone against Boston at Denver.

MOST YARDS PASSING: 285, Frank Tripucka against San Diego at Denver.

MOST PASSES COMPLETED: 23 (of 49), Frank Tripucka against San Diego at San Diego.

MOST PASS RECEPTIONS: 11, Lionel Taylor against New York at New York.

MOST PASS INTERCEPTIONS: 2, Goose Gonsoulin, against Buffalo at Buffalo; Phil Nugent against New York at New York and San Diego at San Diego; Jim McMillin against New York at Denver.

MOST YARDS PASS RECEPTIONS: 166 (7 receptions), Al Frazier against Oakland at Denver.

LONGEST RUSHING PLAY: 45 T. D., Fred Bukaty against Buffalo at Denver.

\*LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN: 90 T. D., Al Frazier against Boston at Denver.

LONGEST PUNT RETURN: 55, Al Frazier against Boston at Denver.

LONGEST PUNT: 63, George Herring against New York at Denver.

\*LONGEST PASSING PLAY: 87 T. D., Tripucka to Frazier, against San Diego at Denver.

LONGEST FIELD GOAL: 34, Gene Mingo against Boston at Boston.

#### \* ALL TIME DENVER RECORDS



