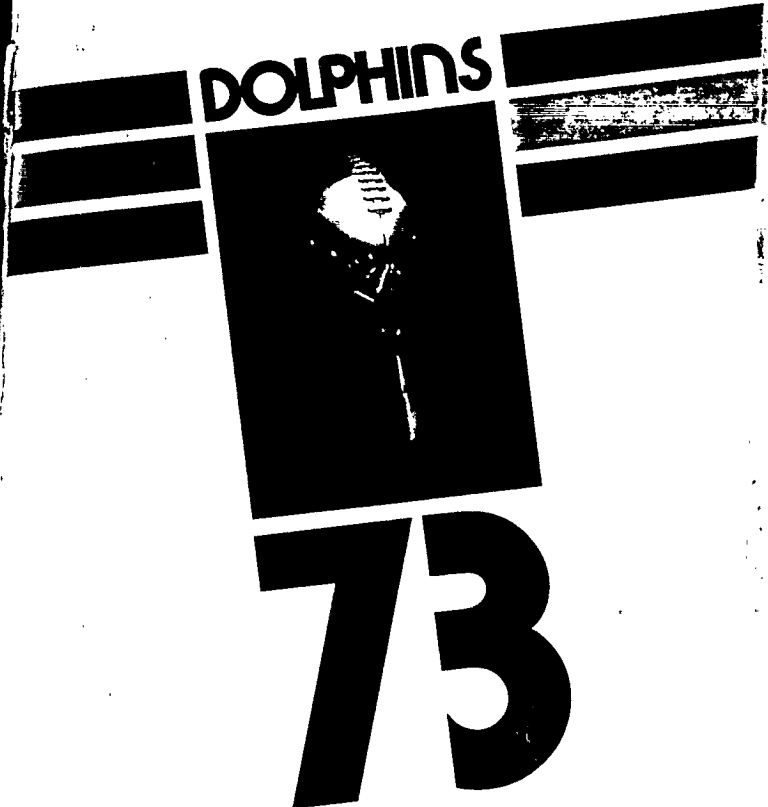


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WORLD CHAMPION MIAMI DOLPHINS

MIAMI DOLPHINS 1973 SCHEDULE

PRE-SEASON

(Home Games Capitalized—All Times Local)

Date	Opponent	Time
July 27	College All-Stars at Chicago	9 P.M.
Aug. 4	CINCINNATI	8 P.M.
Aug. 11	NEW ORLEANS	8 P.M.
Aug. 18	CHICAGO	8 P.M.
Aug. 24	LOS ANGELES	8 P.M.
Aug. 31	at Minnesota	8 P.M.
Sept. 6	at Dallas	8 P.M.

CHAMPIONSHIP SEASON

Sept. 16	SAN FRANCISCO	1 P.M.
Sept. 23	at Oakland	1 P.M.
Sept. 30	NEW ENGLAND	1 P.M.
Oct. 7	at New York Jets	1 P.M.
Oct. 15	at Cleveland	9 P.M.
Oct. 21	BUFFALO	1 P.M.
Oct. 28	at New England	1 P.M.
Nov. 4	NEW YORK JETS	1 P.M.
Nov. 11	BALTIMORE	1 P.M.
Nov. 18	at Buffalo	1 P.M.
Nov. 22	at Dallas	2:30 P.M.
Dec. 3	PITTSBURGH	9 P.M.
Dec. 9	at Baltimore	2 P.M.
Dec. 15	DETROIT	1 P.M.

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Home Stadium: Orange Bowl (capacity 80,010)

Team Colors: Aqua and Orange

Road Uniform: Aqua with white-over-orange let-
tering (white headgear)

Home Uniform: White with aqua-over-orange let-
tering (white headgear)

Training Camp: Biscayne College, 16400 N.W.
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TRAINING CAMP

The Dolphins train at Biscayne College in northwest Miami. The squad assembles in two groups, the first of which reports to camp on Sunday, July 8, the second July 11. Other important training camp dates are as follows:

Intra-squad scrimmage—Sun. night, July 15, Lockhart Stadium, Fort Lauderdale

Press Picture Day—July 18, Biscayne College

Family Day and Intra-squad scrimmage—Sat. night, July 21, Orange Bowl

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Monte Clark	Assistant Coach
Thomas Keane	Assistant Coach
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Michael Scarry	Assistant Coach
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JOSEPH ROBBIE
Managing General Partner



A challenge—that's all Joseph Robbie ever needs. Sell tickets to professional football games in Miami. They said it couldn't be done. But Joe Robbie did it. Make the Dolphins a winner. They laughed at the thought. But Joe Robbie did it.

And, now, they're wondering out loud what the Dolphins can do for an encore after the 1972 campaign that produced an unblemished 17-0 record.

So, the future is the newest challenge for Joe Robbie, and the managing general partner of the Dolphins is only too ready to meet it head-on, as he has the challenges that already have been conquered.

"It's easier to become a winner than to stay a winner," Robbie admits frankly. But, then, characteristically, he challenges the challenge:

"The great days are ahead."

But while Robbie feels there are great days ahead, he still likes to revel in the euphoria of the immediate past, reflected by his feeling that the Dolphins climb to the top of pro football's world in just seven years under his guidance "is like a living dream."

Dreams, however, are not what Robbie's world is made of. Robbie's world consists of looking at the facts through his own eyes, making his own determination about how to treat with the facts—and then moving inexorably toward the chosen goal. It has been that way in the past—and likely will be that way in the future.

The past is now emblazoned in history, the Dolphins having pulled a city of diverse people together in one massive ball of support while climbing from expansion team to championship team in record time.

"Community leaders have told me that the Dolphins are the first enterprise the people of Miami have ever been totally behind," says Robbie. "There are 1.2 million people in Dade County (Miami) and two million more

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DONALD F. SHULA
Head Coach — Vice President



Don Shula, the head coach of the Miami Dolphins, had just climbed down off the shoulders of his jubilant players after a 14-7 victory over Washington in Super Bowl VII. Now he was standing, atop a makeshift platform, accepting the Vince Lombardi Trophy from Commissioner Pete Rozelle while the hot television klieg lights blazed in his face.

And he was telling what that moment meant to him:

"This is the greatest moment in my coaching life. I've had some great moments, but I've always felt that this was something I wanted and needed to accomplish. Now we can let the record speak for itself. We have gone unbeaten and won the big one—and nobody else has done that.

"This is the ultimate."

The Ultimate.

Don Shula and the ultimate met more than once during the 1972 season, and when it was all over there was no arguing his stature among the coaches who had prowled the sidelines during the 53-year history of the National Football League.

For, during 1972, Don Shula accomplished two feats never before achieved in the entire history of organized professional football:

—Taken the Dolphins through a 17-0 season, the first time any team ever had gone through the regular season and post season without a defeat.

—Brought his victory total to 105 in a 10-year career, becoming the first coach in the annals of the NFL to ever reach the 100-victory plateau in his first 10 years.

In addition, he had lifted his three-year record since

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ASSISTANT COACHES

BILL ARNSPARGER Assistant Head Coach

Bill Arnsparger, head of the defensive coaching staff, is the architect of the Dolphins' No-Name Defense which permitted the least points in the National Football League during the 1972 season.

The Dolphins' points-allowed statistics have steadily decreased since Arnsparger's arrival in Miami in 1970. For that first season, it was 228; in 1971, 174; and in 1972, an all-time team record was established with just 171 points allowed. That included three shutouts. Before Arnsparger arrived, the 1969 Dolphins' defense had permitted 332 points.



Arnsparger has been with Head Coach Don Shula for nine years in the pros, joining Shula at Baltimore in 1964. They have been side-by-side ever since. Prior to the start of the 1973 season, Coach Shula elevated Arnsparger to the position of assistant head coach "to give him more responsibility and recognition for his contributions to the Dolphins' success. Bill's primary responsibility will be the overall defense. But, he will also be second in command and some of my overall duties will be delegated to him."

One of Arnsparger's responsibilities is developing young linebackers. Two of his products, Mike Kolen and Doug Swift, have played key roles in Miami's success, working with middle linebacker Nick Buoniconti.

Arnsparger is a native of Paris, Kentucky, where he played football at Paris High. Following a Marine tour of duty during WWII, he played tackle at Miami (Ohio) University.

His first coaching assignment was the offensive line at his alma mater (1950). He later coached at Ohio State (1951-53), Kentucky (1954-61), where he and Coach Shula began working together as assistant coaches, and Tulane (1962-63).

Arnsparger, 46, (born December 16, 1926) and his wife Betty Jane have two children, David and Mary Susan, and live in Miami Lakes.

MONTE CLARK Offensive Line

"Our keys are two four-letter words. Want and Work. Want to be the best and work to be the best."

Those are the words that offensive line coach Monte Clark uses to motivate his men. And it works. In 1972 the Dolphins set an all-time National Football League rushing record with 2960 yards. And for the third straight year the Dolphins had the top rushing attack in the AFC. It was also the third straight year that Monte Clark was the Dolphins' offensive line coach.



Before Clark came to the Dolphins in 1970, ending his

11-year career as a professional football player, the Miami Dolphins' quarterbacks were prime targets for the opposition's defense, Miami's top quarterback having been sacked 53 times in just nine games. Clark and his "Expendables" set a goal of no more than 20 sacks in the 1972 season. They almost reached that target with 21.

Clark came to Miami after 11 years as a top lineman in the NFL. He began his pro playing career as a defensive player for San Francisco, a fourth round draft choice from Southern California. Traded to Dallas in 1962, he was moved to the offensive tackle slot. He went to Cleveland in 1963 and was the starting right tackle in four NFL title games.

Clark was born in Fillmore, California, on January 24, 1937. He played ball at Kingsbury (Calif.) High and went on to become captain of the 1958 University of Southern California team, his senior year.

Clark and his wife Charlotte live in southwest Miami with their three sons, Bryan, Randy and Eric.

TOM KEANE Defensive Backfield

Since the inception of the Dolphins, defensive backfield coach Tom Keane has watched the team grow through defeats and victories, ultimately rising to become the World Champions in 1972. Keane, who came to the Dolphins in 1966, is the only member of the coaching staff who remembers first hand the first Dolphin days.

As the defensive backfield coach, Keane's responsibility is building a strong corps of pass defenders. In 1971 he molded Jake Scott, Dick Anderson, Curtis Johnson and Tim Foley into a standout unit. In 1972 he worked with Lloyd Mumphord as a prime weapon in the Nickel Defense.

As in 1971, the backfield allowed only 10 touchdown passes. It was credited with 18 of the 26 interceptions by the defense during the 1972 season.



Keane is a 16-year pro coaching veteran, having started his career in 1956 with the then Chicago Cardinals. He moved to Calgary in the Canadian Football League in 1960 and was head coach and general manager of Wheeling in the United League from 1961-64. He became an assistant coach at Pittsburgh in 1965 before coming to Miami.

His college playing career began as a freshman No. 1 quarterback for Ohio State's 1944 national champions, followed by two years at West Virginia U. after service in the Navy during WWII.

In the pros, he was a defensive back in the NFL starting with Los Angeles in 1948, then in 1952 with both Dallas and Baltimore, gaining All-Pro status with the Colts in 1953. In 1955 he was traded to Chicago, where a knee injury ended his career.

Keane was born September 7, 1926, at Bellaire, Ohio. He and his wife Mary live in southwest Miami and have four children, Candi, Tom, Tim, and Mary.

BILL McPEAK Offensive Coach

Bill McPeak, whose pro coaching career spans 15 seasons, is the new offensive coach of the Miami Dolphins, filling the vacancy created by the departure of Howard Schnellenberger. McPeak is the only new addition to the Dolphins' coaching staff in three years.



McPeak came to the Dolphins from the Detroit Lions, where since 1967 he had been primarily responsible for the increased production of the Lions' offensive unit. His main responsibility with the Dolphins will be the pass.

"McPeak has been in every phase of the game—he's been a player, assistant coach, head coach," says Head Coach Don Shula. "He's a proven coach who is directly responsible for the resurgence of the Detroit offense over the last couple of years."

McPeak played for the Pittsburgh Steelers from 1949 through 1957, beginning his coaching career as an assistant coach his last two years with that club. He was with Washington from 1959 to 1965—the last five years as a head coach—and then joined the Lions in 1967.

McPeak, 46, was born on July 24, 1926, in New Castle, Pennsylvania. He has one daughter, Leslie Ann.

MIKE SCARRY Defensive Line

Mike "Mo" Scarry came to Miami as defensive line coach in 1970. In just three years he worked to rebuild the Dolphins' front four into an awesome defensive line. When the 1972 season began, Manny Fernandez and



Bill Stanfill were mainstays, but two holes had to be filled. Scarry proceeded to work with Jim Dunaway, a nine-year veteran acquired from Buffalo, and Vern Den Herder, who was advanced from the specialty teams. The front four was formed. Then, when Dunaway was injured early in the season, Bob Heinz stepped in.

Scarry's 23 years' experience paid off each of the 33 times the opposition's quarterback was sacked, and in the 306 tackles and assists amassed by the front four during the 1972 season.

Scarry began his coaching career at his alma mater, Western Reserve, in 1948-49, and continued at Santa Clara (1950-52), Loras (Iowa) College (1953), Washington State (1954-55), Cincinnati (1956-62) and Waynesburg (Pa.) College (1963-65).

From Waynesburg, he went to the pro ranks as a defensive line coach for the Washington Redskins from 1966 thru 1968, then scouted for San Francisco in 1969 before he came to Miami.

"Mo" Scarry began his pro football playing career in 1944 after serving two years in the Army. He had the

unusual honor of being the captain of two teams in two different leagues, both of which won league championships. In 1945 he was captain of the Cleveland Rams, winners of the National Football League title. In 1946 he became captain of the first Cleveland Browns team, in the All-America Conference. In 1964, he was elected to the NAIA Hall of Fame.

Scarry, born on February 1, 1920, is a native of Duquesne, Pennsylvania. He and his wife Elizabeth live in Miami and have eight children.

CARL TASEFF Offensive Backfield

In all three years Carl Taseff has been offensive backfield coach for the Dolphins, Miami has led the American Football Conference in rushing.

During the 1972 season, the Dolphins set all-time team

and National Football League rushing records. And for the first time in NFL history, two runners in the same backfield each reached the coveted 1,000-yard mark—Larry Csonka and Mercury Morris.

Adding to that the skills of Jim Kiick, the Dolphins went on to establish another all-time NFL feat—the rushing record, with 2960 yards. Three of

Taseff's backs, Csonka, Kiick and Morris, claimed 2638 of those yards.

A former teammate of Head Coach Don Shula at John Carroll University and in the pros at Cleveland and Baltimore, Taseff rejoined Shula here after serving the CEPO scouting organization for two years.

As a player, he was with Cleveland in 1951 and 1952 and Baltimore from 1953 through 1961, finishing his playing career with Buffalo in 1962.

Taseff was born in Cleveland. He has two daughters, Cynthia Sue and Susan Alice.

PERSONNEL DEPARTMENT

A. PAT PEPPLER

Director of Pro Scouting

Pat Peppler is well experienced at working with veteran football players on a championship team—he came to Miami from Green Bay, where he was Personnel Director during the Packers' prime years and was assistant to the

General Manager in 1971. He considers his major accomplishment at Green Bay the 1965 draft when the Packers drafted and signed three first round picks.

Peppler, 41, joined the Miami club in the spring of 1971 following a nine-year stint at Green Bay. His major responsibilities at Miami are negotiations with veteran ball players

at contract time and keeping himself informed about the abilities of all veteran players throughout the league.

Peppler attended Michigan State University where he lettered in baseball and basketball. After graduating in 1948, Peppler played pro baseball briefly before beginning



a successful career coaching in the East Lansing area. He coached state championship teams in football before taking a position as assistant coach at North Carolina State University for eight years, working with centers and linebackers. In 1962, he switched to Wake Forest and in 1963, went to Green Bay as Director of Player Personnel.

Pepler is married and has six children. The family lives in Plantation.

BOBBY BEATHARD **Director of Player Personnel**

With football in his blood, it was only natural that Bobby Beathard turn to a front office position when he was cut as a player.

Beathard was a quarterback and safety prospect at Washington and Minnesota and then hooked on with San Diego—for five games—in 1960. Since then, he's discovered a world of happiness in the field of scouting.



His major responsibility at Miami is co-ordinating the scouting efforts of three other full-time scouts and a pair of part-time talent seekers. They deal only with college material and work closely with the results of the computer scouting firm BLESTO-VIII to continue the development of good young talent for the Miami Dolphins.

The 36-year-old Beathard, older brother of quarterback Pete, came to Miami in 1972 after four years as a member of the Atlanta Falcons scouting force. Prior to that he was a scout for Kansas City and an aide to Al Davis when Davis was commissioner of the American Football League.

Beathard is the father of four children—three sons and a daughter. He lives on Key Biscayne.

DOLPHINS SCOUTING STAFF

Scouts: Sil Cornachione, Richard Daniels, Les Miller, Doug Minner, Floyd Peters.

LARRY GARDNER **Trainer**

Larry Gardner is the newest member of the Miami Dolphins camp staff, having joined the Dolphins in April of 1973 as head trainer.



Gardner, 34, comes to the Dolphins from the Dallas Cowboys, whom he served as co-trainer from 1965-72. He is a graduate of McNeese State and the Hermann Hospital School of Physical Therapy in Houston. He spent two years on the University of California staff, with time out for a six-month tour

of Army duty, then spent a year as football trainer at Stanford.

Gardner has served two full terms as president of the

Professional Football Trainers group. He and his wife Carol have one son and one daughter.

DAN DOWE **Equipment Manager**

Head equipment manager of the Dolphins since 1968, Dan Dowe joined the original cast of the club in 1966 as assistant equipment manager.



A native of Brighton, Mass., he graduated from Brighton High School, where he participated in all sports.

A Navy veteran of WWII, he formerly worked for the Raytheon Corp. in the industrial electronics field, for the Martin Co. as an aerospace lab technician and as a police officer for the Miami Beach suburb of Bal Harbour before joining the Dolphins.

Dowe and his wife Virginia live in North Miami along with their son, Darin.

OTHER CLUB PERSONNEL

Front Office

Mariam E. Kircher Executive Secretary
Mary Stansell Executive Secretary
Agnes (Pat) Bell Executive Secretary
Anita Lungari File Clerk

Public Relations Office

Diane B. Hayes Public Relations Aide

Accounting Office

David W. Young Accountant

Ticket Office

Patricia Southard Ticket Aide

Coaching Staff

Lynn Brandom Secretary

Training

Stan Taylor Assistant Trainer

Equipment

James Cheever Assistant Equipment Manager

Others

Leila Mobley Receptionist
Harry Blum Mail Clerk
Glenn Howard Messenger
Bob and Sylvia Allen Photographers

JOSEPH ROBBIE (Continued from page 4)

on the Gold Coast (50 miles in either direction) and most of them are working people. They buy their cars on time, have a few beers on pay day and pull for the Dolphins every time out.

"Our football team belongs to people who never had a team of their own before. We get 91 per cent of our fans from within 50 miles of the stadium. They're mostly working people—whites, blacks, Latins. There's a deep empathy between them and the team."

That deep empathy, that bringing together of people in support of the aqua and orange is best reflected in the fact that the Dolphins stand No. 1 all-time among the NFL's 26 teams in season ticket sales with 78,000 fans ticketed for every game, pre-season and regular season.

It all began on August 15, 1965, when Robbie was formally granted a franchise for Miami, a city that had failed in its only previous attempt to support pro football. But Robbie determined that Miami could do it, although he found himself involved only by circumstance. An attorney by profession, Robbie only came into the picture when one of his clients expressed interest in a franchise for Philadelphia.

"Joe Foss, then the commissioner of the AFL, and I had been classmates in college and our friendship went a long way back," says Robbie. "When I approached Joe about a Philadelphia franchise, he told me the stadium there was in litigation. He said there would be a good chance of getting a team for Miami but not for Philadelphia. He called Miami the best open city for a pro football franchise. I told my client. He was not interested in Miami.

"So I decided to apply for the franchise there. The rest is history."

History shows years of struggle before the ultimate success story was finally written. It wasn't even until 1968, in their third season, that the Dolphins fans supported Robbie's vision that the struggle would wind up in success.

The date was August 31, 1968. The lure was the Baltimore Colts, with Johnny Unitas at quarterback. The response was a crowd of 68,125 fans rushing to the Orange Bowl to see the Dolphins tangle with the Colts.

"That's when I knew beyond all doubt that our struggle would succeed," Robbie remembers.

While that 1968 game showed Robbie Miami would support pro football in a manner which it had to in order to keep the product viable, possibly the most important decision made by Robbie didn't occur until 1970.

The actual date involved then was February 18, 1970, the day Robbie presented Don Shula as the new head coach of the Dolphins. The Robbie-Shula combination clicked instantly. That first season Shula took a team that had a 3-10-1 record the year before and turned it into a 10-4 team.

A year later the Dolphins captured the American Conference championship and on January 14, 1973, reached the pinnacle of success by beating Washington 14-7 in Super Bowl VII for the championship of the National Football League.

Robbie's success story, however, isn't limited to the Dolphins. He is and has been a key executive in the NFL's inner councils, currently serving as one of six owners on the Executive Committee of the NFL Management Council.

But Joseph Robbie's interests don't stop with football. He believes in working with and for his community. "If we expect this area to support us," he emphasizes, "we

must support the area." And, in the years he has run the Dolphins, Robbie has run all around Florida immersing himself in one worthy cause after another.

Robbie, who is a member of the Greater Miami Chamber of Commerce, and United Fund Board of Directors and the Downtown Kiwanis Club, has through pre-season charity games and other activities been responsible for the contribution of more than one-half million dollars for such benefactors as the Crippled Children's Society, Variety Children's Hospital, Goodwill Industries, the Greg Stead Fund, Boystown of South Florida, Big Brothers, Archbishop's Charities, Operation Self-Help and the Miami Dolphins-Larry Little Summer Camp for underprivileged children. He also is Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Metro Dade Community Relations Board and general campaign chairman for the Heart Association of Greater Miami.

Through Robbie and because of his interest in community support of higher education the Dolphins have also helped Biscayne College, Barry College, the University of Miami, Florida Memorial College and Miami-Dade Community College. Biscayne College has conferred on Robbie an honorary Doctor of Laws Degree.

Robbie, 56, is a native of Sisseton, South Dakota. He began his college days at Northern State Teachers' College in Aberdeen, South Dakota. He later transferred to the University of South Dakota, where he became a national debate champion. In addition, he was elected student government president of both and president of the South Dakota Student Federation and the statewide Collegiate Press Association. He received his AB and LLB degrees from the University of South Dakota.

Immediately following the bombing of Pearl Harbor, Robbie enlisted in the Navy, took part in five South Pacific theatre invasions, and received the Bronze Star for his efforts. He served until late 1945.

During his early law practice, Robbie served on the teaching staffs of the College of St. Catherine and Dakota Wesleyan University. In 1951 he became regional director of the Office of Price Stabilization in Minneapolis.

In 1948, he was elected to the South Dakota Legislature and served as both a State Representative and minority leader of the Democratic Caucus. He was state chairman of the Democratic Party from 1948-50. He ran for governor of South Dakota as the Democratic candidate in 1950.

Always active in urban affairs, he was author of the law which created the Minnesota Municipal Commission and chaired that body under the appointment of three governors from different political parties from 1959-65. He was a charter member of the Twin Cities Metropolitan Planning Commission, and he also served as the legal counsel to the Minnesota Legislative Committees and later for the United States Senate hearings on the Creation of the Department of Urban Affairs in the Cabinet during the Kennedy Administration.

In 1965, Robbie served as personal representative for Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey on the Inaugural Committee which planned the inauguration of both Humphrey and President Lyndon B. Johnson. He currently is chairman of the Dade County Democratic Executive Committee.

Robbie and his wife, Elizabeth, had 11 children. Their daughter, Kathleen, lost her life in a drowning accident at Acapulco in 1971 at the age of 22. The family has established scholarships for underprivileged students in her memory. The family makes its home in Miami Shores.

DON SHULA (Continued from page 5)

taking over at Miami to 34-7-1 in regular season games and 5-2 in post-season action and annexed Coach of the Year honors for the sixth time in his 10-year tenure with the Baltimore Colts and the Dolphins.

At Baltimore, he had a 71-23-4 record, for an over-all mark of 105-30-5 that has left little doubt that he is, at age 43, right at the top of his profession—just 13 years since he began his pro career as an assistant coach at Detroit.

What great design and/or philosophy has brought the coach of the Miami Dolphins to that juncture of history?

None. At least that's the way Shula feels about it. "I'm no miracle worker and don't make me out to be one," Shula says. "I don't have a magic formula that I'm going to give to the world as soon as I can write a book. I'm not a person with a great deal of finesse. I'm about as subtle as a punch in the mouth."

And then, he often concludes with the following statement, as close as he ever comes to a statement of philosophy:

"I'm just a guy who rolls up his sleeves and goes to work. I don't have peace of mind until I know I've given the game everything I can, because the whole idea is to somehow get an edge. Sometimes it takes just a little extra something to get that edge. But you have to get it.

"I try to do it with mental preparation, and physical preparation, and in general with over-all preparation to accomplish the ultimate. Of course I know that the people we play have the same goal—winning—so I try to put more effort in our preparation. You set a goal to be the best and then work hard every hour, every day striving to reach that goal.

"If you allow yourself to settle for anything less than No. 1, you're cheating yourself."

That attitude has carried Shula throughout his coaching career, which began as an assistant at Virginia and Kentucky after a seven-year turn as a defensive back in the NFL with Cleveland, Baltimore and Washington.

The school-of-thought to which he was constantly subjected—and reveled in—was the Paul Brown school. "Paul Brown offered more than fundamentals," Shula explains. "He brought something special into pro coaching. I think that if you want to pinpoint Paul Brown's greatest contribution to football, it was his ability to teach. When you learned something from Paul Brown, you never forgot it."

That Shula has that same ability is obvious from a statement made by quarterback Bob Griese when he was asked about the Dolphins amazing flip-flop in Shula's first year—from a 3-10-1 record in 1969 to 10-4 in 1970.

"Our club was ready to go," Griese said emphatically, adding succinctly: "We were just looking for somebody to take us."

Shula advanced to pro status following his one year terms at Virginia and Kentucky when he began serving with the Lions in 1960 under George Wilson, the man who became the Dolphins' first coach and the man whom Shula ultimately replaced.

In 1963, Shula obtained his first head coaching assignment at Baltimore, and turned in an 8-6 record. Not one of his teams since has ever lost more games than it has won, and not one of his teams has ever had a record that wasn't better than the one compiled his rookie season.

Shula spent seven years directing the Colts, compiling the 71-23-4 record under his guidance, including a 13-1 record in 1968 that astounded pro football's world. The

Colts also had one other season when they lost only one game, 1967, when they put together an 11-1-2 mark.

Shula personally was rewarded during those two seasons by being selected Coach of the Year, an honor that first came to him in 1964 (his second year with the Colts, who had a 12-2 record that season), and also has been bestowed his three seasons in Miami.

In 1970, Shula left Baltimore for Miami, becoming head coach and vice president. He purchased a home in Miami Lakes for his family—wife Dorothy, and five children, David, Donna, Sharon, Anne and Michael.

The Dolphins immediately turned around in 1970, gaining the playoffs before losing to Oakland, then in 1971 compiled a 10-3-1 record that eventually brought them the Eastern Division title in the American Football Conference after a playoff victory over Kansas City and a title game victory over Baltimore.

Despite all those achievements, accomplished in such a short time, Shula expressed disappointment after a Super Bowl loss to Dallas. That, however, was soon behind him and he turned to 1972 with the same dedication as before, but possibly just a bit more determination.

It paid off.

Shula's Regular Season Coaching Record

Year	Team	W-L-T	Pct.
1963	Baltimore	8-6-0	.571
1964	Baltimore	12-2-0	.857
1965	Baltimore	10-3-1	.769
1966	Baltimore	9-5-0	.643
1967	Baltimore	11-1-2	.917
1968	Baltimore	13-1-0	.929
1969	Baltimore	8-5-1	.615
1970	Miami	10-4-0	.715
1971	Miami	10-3-1	.769
1972	Miami	14-0-0	1.000
TOTALS		105-30-5	.778

Shula's Post-Season Coaching Record

	W-L	Pct.
Super Bowls	1-2	.333
Championship Games	3-1	.750
Playoffs	4-2	.667
TOTALS	8-5	.615

Shula's Pre-Season Coaching Record

Year	Team	W-L-T	Pct.
1963	Baltimore	4-1-0	.800
1964	Baltimore	3-1-1	.750
1965	Baltimore	5-0-0	1.000
1966	Baltimore	5-0-0	1.000
1967	Baltimore	4-1-0	.800
1968	Baltimore	5-1-0	.833
1969	Baltimore	6-0-0	1.000
1970	Miami	4-2-0	.667
1971	Miami	2-3-1	.400
1972	Miami	3-3-0	.500
TOTALS		41-12-2	.774

100-Victory Coaches

Coach, Team	Total	Years	Avg. Per Year
George Halas, Chicago	321	40	8.0
Curley Lambeau, GB-Chi. Cards-Wash.	230	33	7.0
Paul Brown, Cleveland-Cincinnati	185	22	8.4
Steve Owen, New York Giants	150	22	6.8
Weeb Ewbank, Balt.-N.Y. Jets	126	19	6.6
Sid Gillman, L.A.-San Diego	121	16	7.6
Hank Stram, Kansas City	112	12	9.3
Don Shula, Baltimore-Miami	105	10	10.5
Buddy Parker, Chi. Cards-Detroit-Pitts.	102	15	6.8

Prospects In General

There are those who have taken a look at the Miami Dolphins' exploits in 1972—a perfect 17-0 season and a Super Bowl championship—and asked the obvious question: What are the targets for 1973?

It is fact, of course, that the Dolphins of 1972 became the youngest team in NFL history to win a Super Bowl and became the first team ever to ride through an entire season undefeated.

Nevertheless, there are targets—beginning with a repeat victory in the Super Bowl, a feat that has not been achieved since the Green Bay Packers accomplished it the first two years of pro football's premier event. Another obvious target is a third consecutive American Conference crown.

Finally, there is one victory streak that the Dolphins were unable to exceed last season that is within their grasp this year—the record for most consecutive regular season triumphs over a period of more than one year.

The Dolphins currently are tied with Los Angeles-San Diego (1960-61) for third place with 15 successive victories, having won all 14 during the 1972 season and the final game of 1971. The targets are 16 victories by the Chicago Bears (1941-42) and 17 victories by the Bears (1933-34).

The team that will be challenging those streaks figures to be virtually the same as the one that marched through the 1972 season with an unblemished record. Here's how Coach Don Shula views the club in a position-by-position rundown:

Offense

QUARTERBACKS—"Bob Griese (injured in the fifth game of the season) came back in the Super Bowl and turned in the type of performance we've begun to expect from him. We picked up Earl Morrall for quarterback insurance early in the year and he demonstrated just exactly what quarterback insurance is by the great performance that he gave the Miami Dolphins. There wouldn't have been any 17-0 and there wouldn't have been any Super Bowl if it hadn't been for Earl Morrall. He just is a tremendous person who came in here and helped our team when it needed help. Bob has got it all ahead of him. He's a fine, young quarterback who really understands the game. He's very unselfish—knows how important the run is. I just think with Griese and Morrall we're in the best possible position that we can be in. Jim Del Gaizo is a fine young man who is a little restless. He wants to move. I think that he has value and I'm not going to give him away. If I can make a trade that will help the Dolphins, I'll consider it. If not, he'll be back with us. We also drafted a quarterback, Don Strock."

RUNNING BACKS—"As far as I was concerned, we had a delightful situation in 1972. I can't speak for Mercury Morris and Jim Kiick, but I was happy with the way things worked out. Larry Csonka (1,117 yards) is the constant back there. He gives us the strength and the big back. Occasionally, we'll put Kiick in on a passing situation and take Csonka out, but all other times Csonka is in the ball game. As far as the halfback position, Kiick (521 yards) and Merc (1,000 yards) both have strengths.

Kiick is a better pass receiver and maybe a shade better blocker. Mercury, on the other hand, has outstanding outside speed and does a good job of blocking also. I think the way they worked in 1972 demonstrated how you can effectively use three running backs and this is what our three-back offense is all about. Charley Leigh and Hubert Ginn give us added depth."

RECEIVERS—"That's another bright spot in our operation, Paul Warfield is in a class by himself as a wide receiver. Marv Fleming and Jim Mandich really spell each other out at tight end the way that you would like them to do. This has worked out extremely well for us. Larry Seiple is primarily a punter, but he can go in there and spell either tight end, or he could even go outside as a wide receiver. He really gives us a lot of versatility. Marlin Briscoe and Howard Twilley battled it out at the other wide receiver spot last season. Briscoe started, Twilley came on strong and then Briscoe couldn't get back in there. With a year of our system under his belt, Briscoe should be a stronger challenge to Twilley. We made an off-season trade for wide receiver Ron Sellers who is a big target who has caught a lot of passes in four years. We're hopeful he'll be able to step in and challenge for a No. 1 spot. Karl Noonan also returns after a year absence due to injury."

OFFENSIVE LINE—"These players have to be very happy with their accomplishments in 1972, having been instrumental in helping our team break the all-time rushing record (2,960 yards). The big adjustment we made last year was giving Jim Langer the opportunity to be the No. 1 center and he responded by playing every minute of every ball game. Guard Larry Little: his record speaks for itself. He's been the AFC's top offensive lineman for the last two years, and there is no question he's exceptional. Bob Kuechenberg, our other guard, is the most improved member of our offensive line. He's a tremendous competitor and works well with Little and Langer. You have to consider both Doug Crusan and Wayne Moore No. 1 tackles on our left side. They have played a lot of football, alternating for each other when injuries have occurred. On the right side, Norm Evans has held that down with solid play. Al Jenkins, who has played guard and tackle, gives us good reserve strength. Howard Kindig, who snaps on our punts and field goals, also can back up at tackle as well as center. Our early draft picks are players we hope will compete for No. 1 jobs. One is Chuck Bradley (first pick, second round), center, Oregon. He's a big football player who will help us on special teams while he's learning. Another is Leon Gray (third round), guard-tackle, Jackson State. We believe that in a year or two he'll be able to compete for a No. 1 job."

Defense

DEFENSIVE LINE—"There's been great improvement here. Defensive line coach Mike Scarry has worked hard and you can see the progress. Vern Den Herder turned in a strong performance for us last year, stepping in for injured Jim Riley (now retired) at left end. Actually, because of Den Herder we turned out to be stronger than we were a year before. Den Herder looks like he's got it all ahead of him. Tackle Manny Fernandez has been the outstanding defensive lineman year-in and year-out since I've been with the Dolphins. Right end Bill Stanfill has made continued improvement and he now ranks as

one of the top defensive ends in football. We look for Stanfill to get even better because he has all the potential and equipment: great size, exceptional strength and quickness. Tackle Bob Heinz gave us solid play after Jim Dunaway was injured in 1972 and we expect Heinz to be a real fixture on our defensive line while we hope Dunaway will be able to come back from his back injury and compete. Reserve Maulty Moore has ability but we're bringing him along slowly because he needed a lot of work when he first came here. He should be ready to challenge for a No. 1 position. Mike Kadish, our No. 1 draft pick, never suited up but we haven't given up on him. We drafted some defensive ends in the middle rounds (Archie Pearmon, No. 8; Karl Lorch, 9; Ron Fernandes, 10; James Jackson, 16) in hopes that one or two might compete for positions on our 40-man squad."

LINEBACKERS—"Our linebackers, with the exception of Nick Buoniconti, all have youth on their side. Buoniconti gives us the experience in the middle. He worked harder at being a good middle linebacker in 1972 than he ever has in his life. He really studied it and he did an outstanding leadership job. Doug Swift was exceptional in his third year and Mike Kolen gives us real solid play on the weak side. We also have Jesse Powell, a good back-up and fine special teams player. We have a young linebacker, Larry Ball, who we think will challenge more this year either as a strong side linebacker or defensive end. And there's Bob Matheson, who is our main man in the '53-defense' coming in at either linebacker or end and it all gives us a lot of versatility as to what we can do defensively. Bob can also back up the middle, having played it at Cleveland. He can play the weak side—he's done that for us several times—and is on all the special teams. He's been a tremendous addition to our football team."

DEFENSIVE BACKS—"We're a little thin if we get somebody hurt in the defensive backfield. Last year we stumbled and had a rookie (Charley Babb) as the backup safety. Fortunately, safeties Jake Scott and Dick Anderson and cornerbacks Tim Foley and Curtis Johnson played most of the year. Babb helped us on the special teams and demonstrated that he could go in and play. This year, with Babb in his second season we're going to feel a lot better about our deep people. Then there's Lloyd Mumphord, who was a No. 1 but was relegated to No. 2 and became the captain of our special teams. In the Super Bowl, when Foley wasn't able to play, Mumphord played the whole game and did an outstanding job. We're happy with our secondary. It's been tremendous in the three years it's been together. And, we think we have good depth with Mumphord and Babb."

Specialty

KICKING GAME—"We're strong here. Larry Seiple is an exceptional athlete back there to punt the football. Garo Yepremian, we feel, is one of the top field goal kickers in the league, a real pressure guy kicking the football—not throwing it. Garo has done a great job for us. We're also pleased with our special teams. Our kickoff returns, we think, are strong with Charlie Leigh and Mercury Morris back there. The same is true on punt returns with either Jake Scott or Charlie Leigh as the deep man and Dick Anderson as our short man."

MIAMI'S 1973 OPPONENTS (All Times Local)

SAN FRANCISCO

Home, Sunday, September 16, 1 p.m.

PUBLIC RELATIONS DIRECTOR—George McFadden; also John McCasey

ADDRESS—1255 Post St., Suite 300, San Francisco, Calif., 94109

TELEPHONE—(415) 771-1149

STADIUM—Candlestick Park, 61,111 cap.

1972 RECORD—8-5-1; lost to Dallas in post-season playoffs

HEAD COACH—Dick Nolan (5 years, 38-27-5)

SERIES HISTORY—First regular season meeting

1972 LEADERS—**Rushing**: Vic Washington 468 yards, 141 attempts, 3.3 average, 3 TD. **Passing**: Steve Spurrier 147 of 269 attempts, 54.6 percent, 1983 yards, 18 TD, 16 interceptions. **Receiving**: Gene Washington 46 for 918, 20 average, 12 TD.

OAKLAND

Away, Sunday, September 23, 1 p.m.

PUBLIC RELATIONS DIRECTOR—Tom Grimes

ADDRESS—7811 Oakport St., Oakland, Calif., 94621

TELEPHONE—(415) 562-5900

STADIUM—Oakland-Alameda County Stadium, 54,041 cap.

1972 RECORD—8-4-2

HEAD COACH—John Madden (4 years, 36-13-7)

SERIES HISTORY—Oakland 5 wins, Miami 1, 1 tie

1972 LEADERS—**Rushing**: Marv Hubbard 1100 yards, 219 attempts, 5.0 average, 4 TD. **Passing**: Daryle Lamonica 149 of 281 attempts, 53 percent, 1998 yards, 18 TD, 12 interceptions. **Receiving**: Fred Biletnikoff 58 for 802 yards, 13.8 average, 7 TD.

NEW ENGLAND — 2 games

Home, Sunday, September 30, 1 p.m.

Away, Sunday, October 28, 1 p.m.

PUBLIC RELATIONS DIRECTOR—Pat Horne; also Denny Lynch

ADDRESS—Schaefer Stadium, Rt. 1, Foxboro, Mass., 02035

TELEPHONE—(617) 543-7911

STADIUM—Schaefer Stadium, 61,043 cap.

1972 RECORD—3-11

HEAD COACH—Chuck Fairbanks (first year)

SERIES HISTORY—Miami 8 wins, New England 5 (Miami won, 52-0 and 37-21, in 1972)

1972 LEADERS—**Rushing**: John Ashton 546 yards, 128 attempts, 4.3 average, 3 TD. **Passing**: Jim Plunkett 169 of 355 attempts, 47.6 percent, 2196 yards, 8 TD, 25 interceptions. **Receiving**: Reggie Rucker 44 for 681 yards, 15.5 average, 3 TD.

NEW YORK JETS — 2 games

Away, Sunday, October 7, 1 p.m.
Home, Sunday, November 4, 1 p.m.

PUBLIC RELATIONS DIRECTOR—Frank Ramos; also Jim Trecker
ADDRESS—595 Madison Ave., New York City, N.Y., 10022
TELEPHONE—(212) 421-6600
STADIUM—Shea Stadium, 60,000 cap.
1972 RECORD—6-8
HEAD COACH—Weeb Ewbank (10 years, 66-68-6)
SERIES HISTORY—New York 9 wins, Miami 5 (Miami won, 27-17 and 28-24, in 1972)
1972 LEADERS—**Rushing**: John Riggins 944 yards, 207 attempts, 4.6 average, 7 TD. **Passing**: Joe Namath 162 of 324 attempts, 50 percent, 2816 yards, 19 TD, 21 interceptions. **Receiving**: Rich Caster 39 for 833 yards, 21.4 average, 10 TD.

CLEVELAND

Away, Monday, October 15, 9 p.m.

PUBLIC RELATIONS DIRECTOR—Nate Wallack; also Ed Uhas
ADDRESS—Cleveland Stadium, Cleveland, Ohio, 44114
TELEPHONE—(216) 696-5555
STADIUM—Cleveland Stadium, 79,282 cap.
1972 RECORD—10-4; lost to Miami in post-season playoffs
HEAD COACH—Nick Skorich (2 years, 19-9)
SERIES HISTORY—Cleveland 1 win, Miami none
1972 LEADERS—**Rushing**: Leroy Kelly 881 yards, 224 attempts, 3.6 average, 4 TD. **Passing**: Mike Phipps 144 of 305 attempts, 47.2 percent, 1994 yards, 13 TD, 16 interceptions. **Receiving**: Frank Pitts 36 for 620 yards, 17.2 average, 8 TD.

BUFFALO — 2 games

Home, Sunday, October 21, 1 p.m.
Away, Sunday, November 18, 1 p.m.

PUBLIC RELATIONS—Don Phinney
ADDRESS—69 W. Mohawk St., Buffalo, N.Y., 14202
TELEPHONE—(716) 856-1567
STADIUM—80,000 cap.
1972 RECORD—4-9-1
HEAD COACH—Lou Saban (5 years, 40-22-4)
SERIES HISTORY—Miami 9 wins, Buffalo 4, 2 ties (Miami won, 24-23 and 30-16, in 1972)
1972 LEADERS—**Rushing**: O. J. Simpson 1251 yards, 292 attempts, 4.3 average, 2 TD. **Passing**: Dennis Shaw 136 of 258 attempts, 52.7 percent, 1666 yards, 14 TD, 17 interceptions. **Receiving**: J. D. Hill 52 for 754 yards, 14.5 average, 5 TD.

BALTIMORE — 2 games

Home, Sunday, November 11, 1 p.m.
Away, Sunday, December 9, 2 p.m.

PUBLIC RELATIONS DIRECTOR—Ernie Accorsi; also Chip Campbell
ADDRESS—600 N. Howard St., Baltimore, Md., 21201
TELEPHONE—(301) 685-4521
STADIUM—Memorial Stadium, 60,238 cap.
1972 RECORD—5-9
HEAD COACH—Howard Schnellenberger (first year)
SERIES HISTORY—Miami 4 wins, Baltimore 2 (Miami won, 23-0 and 16-0, in 1972)
1972 LEADERS—**Rushing**: Don McCauley 675 yards, 175 attempts, 3.8 average, 2 TD. **Passing**: Marty Domres 115 of 222 attempts, 51.8 percent, 1392 yards, 11 TD, 6 interceptions. **Receiving**: Tom Mitchell 40 for 494 yards, 12.4 average, 4 TD.

DALLAS

Away, Thursday, November 22, 2:30 p.m.

PUBLIC RELATIONS DIRECTOR—Curt Mosher; also Doug Todd
ADDRESS—6116 N. Central Expressway, Dallas, Tex., 75206
TELEPHONE—(214) 369-3211
STADIUM—Texas Stadium, 65,000 cap.
1972 RECORD—10-4; lost to Washington in NFC Championship game
HEAD COACH—Tom Landry (13 years, 98-76-6)
SERIES HISTORY—First regular season meeting
1972 LEADERS—**Rushing**: Calvin Hill 1036 yards, 245 attempts, 4.2 average, 6 TD. **Passing**: Craig Morton 185 of 339 attempts, 54.6 percent, 2396 yards, 15 TD, 21 interceptions. **Receiving**: Calvin Hill 43 for 364 yards, 8.5 average, 3 TD.

PITTSBURGH

Home, Monday, December 3, 9 p.m.

PUBLIC RELATIONS DIRECTOR—Ed Kiely; also Joe Gordon
ADDRESS—300 Stadium Circle, Pittsburgh, Pa., 15212
TELEPHONE—(412) 323-1200
STADIUM—Three Rivers Stadium, 50,000 cap.
1972 RECORD—11-3; lost to Miami in AFC Championship game
HEAD COACH—Chuck Noll (4 years, 23-33)
SERIES HISTORY—Miami 1 win, Pittsburgh none
1972 LEADERS—**Rushing**: Franco Harris 1055 yards, 188 attempts, 5.6 average, 10 TD. **Passing**: Terry Bradshaw 147 of 308 attempts, 47.7 percent, 1887 yards, 12 TD, 12 interceptions. **Receiving**: Ron Shanklin 38 for 669 yards, 17.6 average, 3 TD.

DETROIT

Home, Saturday, December 15, 1 p.m.

PUBLIC RELATIONS DIRECTOR—Lyaal Smith; also Elliott Trumbull
ADDRESS—1401 Michigan Ave., Detroit, Mich., 48216
TELEPHONE—(313) 965-6644
STADIUM—Tiger Stadium, 54,418 cap.
1972 RECORD—8-5-1
HEAD COACH—Don McCafferty (first year)
SERIES HISTORY—First regular season meeting
1972 LEADERS—**Rushing**: Altie Taylor 658 yards, 154 attempts, 4.3 average, 4 TD. **Passing**: Greg Landry 134 of 268 attempts, 50 percent, 2066 yards, 18 TD, 17 interceptions. **Receiving**: Altie Taylor 29 for 250 yards, 8.6 average, 2 TD.

FUTURE DOLPHINS OPPONENTS

As a member of the Eastern Division of the American Football Conference, Miami is scheduled to play eight games each year with the four other teams in its conference—Baltimore, New England, Buffalo, and the New York Jets. These games are on home-and-home basis.

In addition, the Dolphins annually will meet six clubs from outside the AFC East at sites to be determined. Here is the line-up of future Miami foes:

1974—Cincinnati, Kansas City, San Diego; Atlanta, New Orleans, Washington
1975—Denver, Houston, Oakland; Chicago, Green Bay, Philadelphia
1976—Cleveland, Kansas City, Pittsburgh; Los Angeles, Minnesota, New York Giants
1977—Cincinnati, Houston, San Diego; Dallas, St. Louis, San Francisco
1978—Denver, Oakland, Pittsburgh; Detroit, New Orleans, Washington



MIAMI'S THREE "NO. 1s" IN 1972

LARRY CSONKA

Game	Rushing				Receiving			
	Att.	Yds.	TD	Long	No.	Yds.	TD	Long
at Kansas City	21	118	1	17	—	—	—	—
Houston	17	79	1	11	1	8	0	8
at Minnesota	10	66	0	19	1	9	0	9
at New York Jets	18	102	0	15	—	—	—	—
San Diego	13	70	0	14	—	—	—	—
Buffalo	18	107	1	21	—	—	—	—
at Baltimore	19	93	2	13	—	—	—	—
at Buffalo	17	72	0	16	—	—	—	—
New England	5	32	1	10	—	—	—	—
New York Jets	17	72	0	18	1	8	0	8
St. Louis	16	114	0	20	—	—	—	—
at New England	15	91	0	45	1	14	0	14
at New York Giants	9	30	0	7	—	—	—	—
Baltimore	18	71	0	9	1	9	0	9
TOTALS	213	1117	6	45	5	48	0	14

JIM KIICK

Game	Rushing				Receiving			
	Att.	Yds.	TD	Long	No.	Yds.	TD	Long
at Kansas City	7	11	0	4	—	—	—	—
Houston	9	55	1	9	3	8	1	7
at Minnesota	7	21	0	9	3	25	0	15
at New York Jets	16	53	2	11	2	16	0	11
San Diego	14	41	0	7	1	10	0	10
Buffalo	25	81	0	13	2	17	0	11
at Baltimore	14	52	0	9	3	20	0	9
at Buffalo	12	63	0	16	—	—	—	—
New England	5	16	0	8	—	—	—	—
New York Jets	2	6	0	5	—	—	—	—
St. Louis	8	25	1	10	2	18	0	11
at New England	6	23	1	7	1	5	0	5
at New York Giants	10	69	0	26	4	28	0	10
Baltimore	2	5	0	3	—	—	—	—
TOTALS	137	521	5	26	21	147	1	15

MERCURY MORRIS

Game	Rushing				Receiving			
	Att.	Yds.	TD	Long	No.	Yds.	TD	Long
at Kansas City	14	67	0	16	1	7	0	7
Houston	15	94	1	25	1	17	0	17
at Minnesota	8	28	0	14	1	6	0	6
at New York Jets	3	6	0	3	—	—	—	—
San Diego	8	44	0	10	2	-1	0	3
Buffalo	5	35	2	15t	—	—	—	—
at Baltimore	11	71	1	16	2	5	0	6
at Buffalo	11	106	2	33	1	26	0	26
New England	16	90	3	17	2	35	0	34
New York Jets	23	107	2	20	1	5	0	5
St. Louis	16	55	0	16	1	12	0	12
at New England	15	113	0	20	1	25	0	25
at New York Giants	19	98	1	28	—	—	—	—
Baltimore	26	86	0	12	2	31	0	24
TOTALS	190	1000	12	33	15	168	0	34

DOLPHINS VETERANS

ANDERSON, DICK

Ht.: 6-2

Wt.: 196

Safety

Colorado

Born: February 10, 1946

Sixth year (D-3, 1968)

PRO: Had probably his finest year in 1972 when he made All-NFL and was voted starting strong safety in the Pro Bowl. Has started all but one of his 70 league games and leads the Dolphins in career interceptions (24) and most yards (594). Best game: 109 yards vs. New England, 11/24/68. Most talked about play: 62-yard TD return with interception of Johnny Unitas pass in 1972 AFC championship game. Led defensive backfield with 74 total stops in 1972. Led old AFL in interception return yardage in 1968 with 230. Named, along with Oakland's George Atkinson, AP's Rookie-of-Year that season. In 1972, selected All-NFL by AP, Pro Football Writers Association and Newspaper Enterprise Association; All-AFC by AP, UPI and Sporting News.



COLLEGE: Three-year regular as defensive back at Colorado, where he won All-America honors as a senior. Was outstanding player in Blue-Gray Game in which he returned two punts for touchdowns. Also received Ernie Davis Memorial Award for all-round excellence at Coaches All-America Game. Intercepted seven passes as a senior. Also did some punting and returned punts. Made All-Academic team in Big Eight.

PERSONAL: Born in Midland, Mich., raised in Boulder, Colo. Son of a chemist. Younger brother Bob was first draft choice of Denver in 1969. Dick enjoys snow skiing and tennis and is a low-handicap golfer. President of Pro Financial Services. Lives in South Miami with wife and sons Christopher and Blakeley.

PRO STATISTICS:

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1968	8	230	28.8	1	96t
1969	3	106	35.3	0	40
1970	8	191	23.9	0	86
1971	2	33	16.5	0	33
1972	3	34	11.3	0	22
TOTALS	24	594	24.8	1	96t

Punt Returns	FC	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1968	—	5	18	3.6	0	10
1969	—	12	82	6.8	0	29
1970	0	1	6	6.0	0	6
1971	3	8	114	14.3	0	47
1972	3	5	19	3.8	0	17
TOTALS	6	31	239	7.7	0	47

Kickoff Returns	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1968	6	106	17.7	0	25
1969	(NONE)				
1970	1	8	8.0	0	8
TOTALS	7	114	16.3	0	25

Punting	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Blk.	Long
1969	5	188	37.6	0	49
1970	(NONE)				
1971	(NONE)				
1972	4	147	36.8	0	45
TOTALS	9	335	37.2	0	49

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POST-SEASON

Punt Returns	FC	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	1	1	-4	-4.0	0	-4
1971	(NONE)					
1972	2	0	0	0.0	0	0
TOTALS	3	1	-4	-4.0	0	-4

Kickoff Returns	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	1	8	8.0	0	8

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1971	1	62	62.0	1	62t
1972	2	12	6.0	0	12
TOTALS	3	74	24.7	1	62t

BABB, CHARLES

Ht.: 6-0

Wt.: 190

Safety

Memphis State

Born: February 4, 1950

Second year (5-D, 1972)

PRO: One of three rookies who made the 40-man squad in 1972. Babb was the back-up to both Dick Anderson and Jake Scott. Used considerably on specialty teams, Babb's biggest moment came in Cleveland-Miami playoff game when he scored a five-yard touchdown with a blocked punt.



COLLEGE: Timed in 4.65 for the 40-dash and was a two-year regular for Memphis State, primarily at cornerback. Tackle-assists for three years: 132-87-229. Recovered five fumbles, blocked two kicks, defended against 29 passes, and intercepted nine for 216 yards.

PERSONAL: A four-year letterman at Charleston (Mo.) High, playing quarterback and safety. Also basketball and baseball. Captain in football and basketball. Married. Born in Sikeston, Mo.

PRO STATISTICS:

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1972	1	24	24.0	0	24

BALL, LARRY

Ht.: 6-6

Wt.: 225

Linebacker

Louisville

Born: September 27, 1949

Second year (4-D, 1972)

PRO: Worked all of 1972 at linebacker and on the specialty teams for which he played a vital role in several games. Coach Don Shula says Ball will be tested at defensive end this year, as well as linebacker.



COLLEGE: Went to Louisville on a basketball scholarship, but switched to football his sophomore year. Began his career as a 185-pound safety. Captain.

Standout play: 95-yard TD return with a pass interception.

PERSONAL: Attended Rushville (Ill.) High and played football, basketball, baseball and track, each for three years. Single. Born in Iowa City, Iowa.

BRISCOE, MARLIN

Ht.: 5-11

Born: September 10, 1945



agent. He caught 57 passes for 1036 yards and led AFC receivers in 1970. Originally, a 14th round draft pick by Denver in 1968.

COLLEGE: Outstanding football and basketball star. Named to NAIA All-America team as a senior. Set 22 passing and total offense school records.

PERSONAL: Works in computer systems in off-season. Also made personal appearances and played for the Dolphins' basketball team. Born in Oakland.

PRO STATISTICS:

Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1969 (Buffalo)	32	532	16.6	5	—
1970 (Buffalo)	57	1036	18.2	8	—
1971 (Buffalo)	44	603	13.7	5	—
1972 (Miami)	16	279	17.4	4	51†
TOTALS	149	2450	16.4	22	51†

Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1968 (Denver)	41	308	7.5	3	—
1969	(NONE)				
1970	3	19	6.3	0	—
TOTALS	44	327	7.4	3	—

Kickoff Returns	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1972 (Miami)	1	0	0.0	0	0

Passing	Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yds.	TD	Int.	Long
1968 (Denver)	224	93	41.5	1589	14	13	—
1969 (Buffalo)	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	—
1970	(NONE)						
1971 (Buffalo)	2	1	50.0	36	0	0	—
1972 (Miami)	3	3	100.0	72	0	0	26
TOTALS	230	97	42.2	1697	14	13	26

BUONICONTI, NICK

Ht.: 5-11

Born: December 15, 1940

PRO: Has led Dolphins' defenders in tackles and assists every year since coming from New England (for QB Kim Hammond, LB John Bramlett and draft choice) where he was the AFL's All-Time middle linebacker. 1972: 72 tackles, 74 assists, 146 total. Calls Miami's defensive signals and adds experience to the youthful LB corps. All-NFL by the Football News in 1972; All-AFC by the



Wide Receiver

Wt.: 178

Omaha

Sixth year (FA, 1972)

Started the 1972 regular season, but was injured during pre-game warm-up for the fourth game and never regained his job. As the emergency quarterback, he took some practice center snaps in the San Diego game when Bob Griese was injured and Earl Morrall was the only active signal caller. Briscoe was an outstanding receiver for Buffalo, who signed him as a 1969 free

Associated Press. NFL Player-of-Year by Minnesota Minutemen. Past honors: All-time AFL team, by the Pro Football Hall of Fame: all-star games in 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1969, 1972. Originally drafted 13th by Patriots in 1962.

COLLEGE: Co-captain and All-America at Notre Dame. playing guard on offense and middle guard on defense. Led Irish in tackles as senior and starred in several all-star games.

PERSONAL: Graduated with a degree in economics in 1962, received his law degree from Suffolk Law School in 1968, passed the Massachusetts Bar Exam in 1969. Passed Florida Bar in 1970. Born in Springfield, Mass. Married, the father of one girl and two boys, Gina, Nick and Marc. He has a daily radio program and runs a firm licensing NFL stars.

PRO STATISTICS:

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1962 (New England)	2	3	1.5	0	3
1963 (New England)	3	42	14.0	0	26
1964 (New England)	5	75	15.0	0	26
1965 (New England)	3	31	10.3	0	26
1966 (New England)	4	43	10.8	0	41
1967 (New England)	4	7	1.8	0	5
1968 (New England)	3	22	7.3	0	14
1969 (Miami)	3	27	9.0	0	24
1970 (Miami)	(NONE)				
1971 (Miami)	1	16	16.0	0	16
1972 (Miami)	2	17	8.5	0	10
TOTALS	30	283	9.4	0	41

Kickoff Return	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1962 (New England)	1	8	8.0	0	8

Additional: Scored one safety in 1967.

POST-SEASON

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1972 (Miami)	2	38	19.0	0	32

CRUSAN, DOUG

Ht.: 6-4

Wt.: 250

Indiana

Born: July 26, 1946

Sixth year (1a-D, 1968)

PRO: Starting left tackle for four years after moving up to the role in mid-1968. Leg injuries hampered him some in 1972, but when he was healthy he played much of the time, alternating with Wayne Moore. Crusan is a consistent performer who has shown steady improvement as a pass blocker. Helped offensive line cut down quarterback losses from 53 in 1969 to 21 last year.



A durable lineman, he was first round pick after Larry

Csonka in 1968. UPI All-AFC honorable mention after 1972 season.

COLLEGE: Captain of 1967 Indiana Rose Bowl squad. Defensive tackle as a senior after two years on offensive unit. Received second-team All-America honors.

PERSONAL: Born in Monessen, Pa., and now lives in Allison Park, Pa., where he's a rehabilitation counselor for convicts. Set Western Pa. shot put record of 60 feet at Monessen High. Football and track captain. Married, one daughter, Kelly Lee. Sociology major in college.

CSONKA, LARRY **Running Back**

Ht.: 6-2 Wt.: 237 Syracuse
Born: December 25, 1946 Sixth year (D-1, 1968)

PRO: Most outstanding running back in Miami's short history, Csonka is a throwback to old fullback types.



Compared constantly with Bronko Nagurski. Became sixth man in NFL history to put together successive 1,000-yard years when he amassed 1,117 for a career high in 1972 (that figure to 38 per cent of Miami's NFL rushing mark of 2,960 yards). In 1972, he was the

Miami Touchdown Club's NFL Player-of-the-Year; All-NFL by Pro Football Weekly and the Football News and consensus All-AFC. Gained 100 or more yards on four occasions, giving him 10 for his career—both club records. Most prolific rushing day as a pro came against New York Jets in 1971, when he gained 137 yards, and scored two TDs, in 20 carries. Best receiving day: Against Kansas City in 1969, six receptions. Selected to the Pro Bowl for third straight year.

COLLEGE: Unanimous All-America at Syracuse, where he broke rushing records of all university greats: Jim Brown, the late Ernie Davis, Jim Nance and Floyd Little. Rushed for 216 yards against West Virginia as a sophomore and rolled up 1,127 yards rushing as a senior. Had 2,934 yards on 957 carries and a career 4.9 average. First offensive back drafted in 1968. Only player ever selected Outstanding Player in both the Coaches All-America and College All-Star games.

PERSONAL: Born in Stow, Ohio, on Christmas Day. Football, track and wrestling star at Stow High. Football captain. Likes hunting and fishing in off-season. Hunts in Canada; fishes locally and at summer home in North Carolina. Lives in Plantation, Fla., with his wife and sons, Doug and Paul. Name is pronounced ZONK-ah. Did personal appearance work in off-season; works for land development company in North Carolina.

PRO STATISTICS:

Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1968	138	540	3.9	6	40
1969	131	566	4.3	2	54+
1970	193	874	4.5	6	53
1971	195	1051	5.4	7	28
1972	213	1117	5.2	6	45
TOTALS	870	4148	4.8	27	54+

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Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1968	11	118	10.7	1	65
1969	21	183	8.7	1	42
1970	11	94	8.5	0	54
1971	13	113	8.7	1	25
1972	5	48	9.6	0	14
TOTALS	61	556	9.1	3	65

POST-SEASON

Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	10	23	2.3	0	8
1971	48	189	3.9	2	29
1972	51	212	4.2	0	49
TOTALS	109	424	3.9	2	49

Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1971	2	19	9.5	0	16
1972	2	8	4.0	1	9+
TOTALS	4	27	6.8	1	16

CURTIS, TOM **Safety**

Ht.: 6-1 Wt.: 195 Michigan
Born: November 1, 1947 Third year (WA, 1972)

PRO: Acquired by the Dolphins in 1972 pre-season from Los Angeles, which picked him up from Baltimore, where he was a 14th round draft pick in 1970. A knee injury kept him idle during 1972 season. Impressed the Colts during his two seasons and played 10 games his first year and all 14 in 1971.



COLLEGE: UPI All-America and All-Big Ten twice. Made 26 career interceptions.

PERSONAL: Born in Cleveland and was a high school quarterback. Spends off-season in Miami. Single.

PRO STATISTICS:

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Lng.	
1970 (Baltimore)	1	0	0.0	0	0	
Punt Returns	FC	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Lng.
1971 (Baltimore)	-	7	15	2.1	0	-

DEL GAIZO, JIM **Quarterback**

Ht.: 6-1 Wt.: 198 Tampa
Born: May 31, 1947 Second year (FA, 1971)

PRO: Elevated from the taxi squad when Bob Griese was injured in 1972, Del Gaizo proved a capable back-up to Earl Morrall while Griese was out. Played his best game against New England, when Don Shula said, "Get in there and play as if the score is 0-0." Del Gaizo responded with a 4-for-6 performance for 145 yards and two TDs, with a long of 51. Southpaw.



COLLEGE: Set 12 career and single season records. Selected Little All-America third team. Captain. Voted

MVP for two years, the Press Box Award for two years and the Academic Athletic Award. Played in the American Bowl. Played one year at Syracuse, setting a record for most TD passes in one year, before he transferred.

PERSONAL: Born in Everett, Mass.; attended Revere (Mass.) High. All-State QB for two years and All-America as a prep. Lettered and captain in basketball. Married with one son, Ted. Lives in Miami, where he made personal appearances during the off-season. Has a degree in history.

PRO STATISTICS:

Passing	Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yds.	Int.	TD	Tkld.	Long
1972	9	5	55.6	165	1	2	0/0	51+
Rushing	No.		Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long		
1972	1		0	0.0	0	0		

DEN HERDER, VERN

Defensive End

Ht.: 6-6 Wt.: 250
Born: November 28, 1948

Central (Iowa) College
Third year (9-D, 1971)

PRO: Den Herder stepped into the starting line-up just three days before the Dolphins opened the 1972 season, when it was announced Jim Riley would undergo surgery. Having worked out considerably on his strength, weight and pass rush during the off-season, Den Herder was ready for the challenge. Led the Dolphins with a team-record 10½ sacks of opposing quarterbacks and was the No. 4 tackler with 91 total stops. Was one of only two rookies to make the 1971 squad and saw considerable action on specialty teams. Named All-AFC by the Associated Press and All-NFL second team by the Football News following the 1972 campaign. Also UPI All-AFC honorable mention.



COLLEGE: Named to the NAIA and Kodak All-America teams and the NCAA and AP second teams. Captain. Most Valuable Player in the Iowa Conference as a junior. Set several basketball records and lettered four times each in both sports.

PERSONAL: Born in Lemars, Iowa. Attended Sioux Center Community High School, where he lettered in basketball, track, baseball and football. Set shot put record—54-foot-2. Enjoys hunting and fishing. Married. Chemistry major. Off-season work: Sales representative for the Keith M. Merrick Co.

PRO STATISTICS:

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1972	1	24	24.0	0	24

DUNAWAY, JIM

Defensive Tackle

Ht.: 6-4 Wt.: 277
Born: September 3, 1941
Mississippi
Eleventh year (Trade, 1972)
PRO: Missed his first games as a pro the second half of

1972 after back surgery. The first half of the season he started and helped the Dolphins to a 6-0 record with 24 tackles, one sack, one pass defended.



Was No. 1 draft choice of Buffalo in 1963 and started for nine years before being traded to Miami for reserve linebacker Dale Farley. Trimmed from 300 pounds when he got to Miami.

COLLEGE: Unanimous All-America at Ole Miss his senior year. Played in Senior, Coaches All-America and College All-Star games.

PERSONAL: Raises cattle on 1,000-acre ranch. Interested in animal husbandry and archaeology. Has BS in education. Avid hunter and fisherman. Married, one daughter, Lani Katrina, and one son, Jason Khayyam. Was born in Columbia, Miss.

EVANS, NORM

Tackle

Ht.: 6-5 Wt.: 250

Texas Christian

Born: September 28, 1942

Ninth year (AFL Exp., 1966)

PRO: Only player left from the AFL expansion draft that furnished Miami with 31 players in 1966. Starting eighth year as regular right tackle. Has played in more Dolphins regular-season games (96 of 98) than any other player. Originally drafted 14th by Houston in 1965; played one year for the Oilers. Served as Miami's offensive captain in 1967 and was twice chosen Miami's best



offensive lineman. Received honorable mention on UPI's All-AFC team after 1972 campaign.

COLLEGE: Captain of 1964 TCU team. Played tackle and defensive end.

PERSONAL: Born in Santa Fe, N.M., raised in Donna, Texas, and now lives in Hollywood with his wife and children, Ron and Deana Jo. Off-season work: National accounts representative for Ryder Truck Lines and does public relations for Hollywood Federal Savings and Loan. Involved with Fellowship of Christian Athletes and conducts chapel services for the Dolphins. Won 10 letters in football, basketball and track at Donna High.

FERNANDEZ, MANNY

Defensive Tackle

Ht.: 6-2 Wt.: 250

Utah

Born: July 3, 1946

Sixth year (FA, 1968)

PRO: One of the outstanding free agent surprises in Miami's history, Fernandez has been the Dolphins' premier defensive lineman—having won the honor five consecutive years. Had probably his most outstanding game as a pro in Super Bowl VII when he was credited with 11 tackles, despite being double-teamed much of the time. Key to Miami's "53-defense," because he wound up double-teamed more than 150 times in 1972. "That allows someone to be free to get to the quarterback or runner," says defensive line coach Mike Scarry. Compensates for lack of size with quickness, mobility and strength. Finished 1972 as leading lineman in tackles with 68 and had



39 assists for 107 stops—second only to Nick Buoniconti—and up from his personal high of 67 the year before. Got to the quarterback five times, recovered two fumbles. Named to All-AFC second team by UPI following 1972 season.

COLLEGE: Three-year letterman; captain of Utah squad as a senior.

PERSONAL: Born in Oakland, now lives in Miramar, Fla. Attended Chabot Junior College. Won three letters in both football and wrestling at San Lorenzo (Calif.) High. Set school bench press record of 305 pounds. Body surfs and water skis. Plays golf. Married. Owns Manny Fernandez Mobile Home Sales in Hallandale, Fla.

FLEMING, MARV

Tight End

Ht.: 6-4 Wt.: 232 Utah
Born: January 2, 1942 Eleventh year (Trade, 1970)

PRO: A veteran of three NFL title games and four Super Bowls, he wound up a Dolphin after playing out his option at Green Bay following the 1969 season. Fleming is "as good a blocking tight end as there is in football," says Coach Don Shula. He's also a pretty good "money" player, having earned more in the post season than any other player. He caught 13 passes during the entire 1972



regular season and then nabbed five against Pittsburgh alone in the AFC Championship game. His blocking has helped establish the Dolphins' running game as No. 1 in pro football. Tied with Herb Adderley for most Super Bowl bonuses.

COLLEGE: Physical education major. All-Skyline Conference selection. Played in East-West Shrine game.

PERSONAL: Born in Longview, Texas, and now lives in Compton, Calif. Attended Compton High. Single. Has studied acting under Lee Strasberg at Los Angeles Institute of Theatre and Arts, but believes there are better opportunities in movie producing. Co-author of a book, "The Mind Garden."

PRO STATISTICS:

Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1963 (Green Bay)	7	132	18.9	2	33
1964 (Green Bay)	4	36	9.0	0	10
1965 (Green Bay)	14	141	10.1	2	31+
1966 (Green Bay)	31	361	11.6	2	53+
1967 (Green Bay)	10	126	12.6	1	19+
1968 (Green Bay)	25	278	11.1	3	32+
1969 (Green Bay)	18	226	12.6	2	23
1970 (Miami)	18	205	11.4	0	36
1971 (Miami)	13	137	10.5	2	23
1972 (Miami)	13	156	12.0	1	31
TOTALS	153	1798	11.8	15	53+

POST-SEASON

Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1966 (Green Bay)	3	50	16.7	0	24
1967 (Green Bay)	5	52	10.4	0	12
1968 (Green Bay)	4	35	8.8	0	11
1969-70	(NONE)				
1971 (Miami)	5	64	12.8	1	27
1972 (Miami)	5	50	10.0	0	15
TOTALS	22	251	11.4	1	27

FOLEY, TIM

Cornerback

Ht.: 6-0 Wt.: 194 Purdue
Born: January 22, 1948 Fourth year (3-D, 1970)

PRO: Came on strong after an injury-riddled rookie year to earn a starting assignment in 1971. Maintained his position until he suffered a separated shoulder in the AFC Championship game and missed the Super Bowl. Surgery was successful and he's listed as No. 1 on the left side. Led the team in passes defended—for the second consecutive year—with 12 in 1972 and had three interceptions. Named to UPI's All-AFC honorable mention list after the 1972 season.



COLLEGE: Won places on UPI, NEA, Sporting News, New York News and Time All-America units, in addition to spots on the Academic All-America and Big Ten first teams. Led Purdue backs in defensive points in 1969, posting five interceptions. Also Boilermakers' leading punt returner with 17 for 84 yards.

PERSONAL: Active in Fellowship of Christian Athletes. Prepped at Loyola Academy in Wilmette, Ill., where he earned five letters in football, baseball and basketball. Plays drums, guitar and handball. Married. Lives in Miami Lakes.

PRO STATISTICS:

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1971	4	14	3.5	0	18
1972	3	25	8.3	0	15
TOTALS	7	39	5.6	0	18
Kickoff Return	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	1	0	0.0	0	0

GINN, HUBERT

Running Back

Ht.: 5-10 Wt.: 185 Florida A&M
Born: January 4, 1947 Fourth year (9-D, 1970)

PRO: Played mostly on special teams in 1972, although he saw some action as a running back. Was the fourth leading ground-gainer in the all-time rushing attack.



COLLEGE: Star runner and receiver as Rattlers reeled off eight wins in nine starts in 1969. Rushed 125 times for 446 yards and 13 TDs. Also grabbed 20 passes for 224 yards and two scores. Best year was 1968 when

he finished with 722 rushing yards.

PERSONAL: Native of Savannah, Ga. Starred in four sports—football, basketball, track and baseball—at Tompkins High. Married. Lives in Miami.

PRO STATISTICS:

Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	5	-1	-0.2	0	8
1971	22	97	4.4	0	46
1972	27	142	5.3	1	22
TOTALS	54	238	4.4	1	46
Kickoff Returns	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	5	59	11.8	0	26
1971	10	252	25.2	0	35
1972	1	25	25.0	0	25
TOTALS	16	336	21.0	0	35

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Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1972	1	23	23.0	0	23
POST-SEASON					
Kickoff Returns	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	2	27	13.5	0	16
1971	1	32	32.0	0	32
TOTALS	3	59	19.7	0	32

GRIESE, BOB

Quarterback

Ht.: 6-1 Wt.: 190 Purdue
 Born: February 3, 1945 Seventh year (I-D, 1967)

PRO: Sat out the middle of 1972 with an ankle injury, but came back to lead Dolphins to AFC Championship and Super Bowl victories. Rated one of the top quarterbacks in pro football, Griese is ranked No. 5 among the all-time active AFC passers. Selected to the AFC All-Star team for the Pro Bowl in 1970 and 1971. Has poise, passing ability and intelligence required of top quarterbacks, according to Don Shula. Also has an uncanny appreciation for the running game. Had career single game high of 23 passes, of 40 attempts, against Oakland in 1968. Holds most of Miami's passing records. Has won Dolphins' MVP honors four times. Injured against San Diego last year, after carving out victories over Kansas City, Minnesota and New York Jets on the road and Houston at home. Statistically, was on his way to one of his finest years. Miami's first round pick in 1967, year he finished No. 2 in Heisman Trophy balloting to Steve Spurrier.



COLLEGE: Two-time All-America. Won Cleveland Touchdown Club award as best college player of 1966 and Chicago Tribune award as outstanding player in Big Ten. Guided Boilermakers to 14-13 victory over Southern California in Rose Bowl in senior season. Posted career passing percentage of 57.1 and total offense mark of 4,829 yards. As senior was 130 of 215 attempts (60.4 percent) for 1,749 yards. Played basketball as a sophomore.

PERSONAL: Born in Evansville, Ind., lives in Coral Gables. Runs summer boys camp with Karl Noonan. All-round athlete who enjoys tennis and golf. Married, with two sons, Scott and Jeff.

PRO STATISTICS:

Passing	Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yds.	Int.	TD	Tkld.	Long
1967	331	166	50.2	2005	18	15	25/240	68t
1968	355	186	52.4	2473	16	21	43/372	50t
1969	252	121	48.0	1695	16	10	33/289	53t
1970	245	142	58.0	2019	17	12	31/282	54t
1971	263	145	55.1	2089	9	19	23/248	86t
1972	97	53	54.6	638	4	4	7/45	39
Totals	1543	813	52.7	10919	80	81	162/1476	86t

Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1967	37	157	4.2	1	22
1968	42	230	5.5	1	35
1969	21	102	4.9	0	22
1970	26	89	3.4	2	16
1971	26	82	3.2	0	21
1972	3	11	3.7	5	1
TOTALS	155	671	4.3	9	35

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POST-SEASON								
Passing	Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yds.	Int.	TD	Tkld.	Long
1970	27	13	48.3	155	1	2	3/31	24
1971	66	36	54.5	555	4	2	3/45	75t
1972	16	11	68.8	158	1	1	2/19	52
Totals	109	60	55.0	868	6	5	8/95	75t
Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long			
1970	1	2	2.0	0	2			
1971	4	21	5.3	0	12			
TOTALS	5	23	4.6	0	12			

GRIESE GAME-BY-GAME PASSING

1967	Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yds.	Int.	TD	Tkld.	Long
Kansas City	22	11	50.0	101	2	0	3/24	18
at New York	3	1	33.3	4	1	0	2/13	4
New York	21	17	81.0	160	2	2	1/10	22
at Buffalo	37	16	43.2	107	1	1	4/27	17
at San Diego	39	13	33.3	186	0	0	6/64	34
Denver	19	12	63.2	193	2	2	1/11	68t
at Oakland	29	17	58.6	231	2	1	2/32	61
Buffalo	31	17	54.8	222	3	1	2/20	31t
at Houston	29	14	48.3	178	0	2	1/13	44t
San D'ego	28	15	53.6	145	0	2	0/0	19
New England	32	17	53.1	270	0	3	2/19	38
Houston	41	16	39.0	208	5	1	1/7	43
1967 Totals	331	166	50.2	2005	18	15	25/240	68t

1968	Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yds.	Int.	TD	Tkld.	Long
Houston	28	13	46.4	165	3	1	0/0	44
Oakland	40	23	57.5	290	4	2	2/16	38
Kansas City	17	2	11.8	24	2	0	3/35	24
at Houston	12	6	50.0	92	0	1	3/22	50t
Buffalo	22	9	40.9	97	2	0	4/38	21
at Cincinnati	29	16	55.2	186	0	3	4/29	31t
at Denver	26	16	61.5	246	2	1	4/30	34
at San Diego	27	20	74.1	260	1	3	2/22	38
at Buffalo	28	13	46.4	188	1	1	4/32	24
Cincinnati	31	16	51.6	253	1	3	6/49	48t
at New England	33	19	57.6	264	0	3	3/27	44t
at New York	33	17	51.5	224	0	1	5/46	38t
New England	29	16	55.2	184	0	2	3/26	29
1968 Totals	355	186	52.4	2473	16	21	43/372	50t

1969	Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yds.	Int.	TD	Tkld.	Long
at Cincinnati	39	19	48.7	327	2	1	5/46	50
at Oakland	34	9	26.5	193	3	0	1/7	39
at Houston	30	14	46.7	198	1	1	5/44	38
Oakland	27	13	48.1	160	2	1	6/56	22
San Diego	31	18	58.1	171	2	1	4/33	37
at Kansas City	45	21	46.7	192	3	0	4/39	20
Buffalo	18	9	50.0	232	2	2	2/15	53t
at New York	27	18	66.7	222	1	4	5/39	31
at New England	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	1/10	0
1969 Totals	252	121	48.0	1695	16	10	33/289	53t

1970	Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yds.	Int.	TD	Tkld.	Long
at New England	27	10	37.0	161	2	0	7/67	47
at Houston	17	10	58.0	138	1	2	1/11	34
Oakland	16	8	50.0	180	1	2	1/5	54
at New York Jets	24	14	58.3	224	1	2	4/29	40
at Buffalo	22	15	68.2	196	1	1	4/42	43t
Cleveland	12	5	41.7	67	3	0	3/26	47
at Baltimore	25	14	56.0	168	2	0	1/11	50
at Philadelphia	14	6	42.9	42	3	0	3/31	15
New Orleans	19	15	78.9	225	0	0	0/0	42
Baltimore	16	10	62.5	163	0	2	3/27	51t
at Atlanta	11	8	72.7	94	1	0	1/8	22
New England	15	11	73.3	102	0	1	1/9	28
New York Jets	17	9	52.9	116	2	1	2/16	23t
Buffalo	10	7	70.0	143	0	1	0/0	54
1970 Totals	245	142	58.0	2019	17	12	31/282	54

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	Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yds.	Int.	TD	Tkld.	Long
1971								
at Denver	24	13	54.1	181	1	1	5/60	36
at Buffalo	18	10	55.5	159	0	1	1/9	28
New York Jets	23	9	40.9	146	1	0	1/12	32
at Cincinnati	23	12	52.1	194	1	2	1/13	43
New England	14	9	64.3	185	0	4	2/28	32
at New York Jets	18	5	27.7	68	0	1	1/9	37
at Los Angeles	19	13	68.4	209	0	2	3/24	74
Buffalo	14	7	50.0	68	0	2	1/6	16
Pittsburgh	14	9	64.3	232	2	3	3/35	86†
Baltimore	16	10	62.5	90	0	1	1/9	16
Chicago	17	12	70.5	214	1	2	1/11	32
at New England	12	6	50.0	70	1	0	1/9	29
at Baltimore	30	17	56.7	151	2	0	0/0	18
Green Bay	21	13	61.9	122	0	0	2/23	21
1971 Totals	263	145	55.1	2089	9	19	23/248	86†
1972								
at Kansas City	15	8	53.3	111	1	1	2/11	30
Houston	16	11	68.8	142	1	1	1/4	39
at Minnesota	33	16	48.4	127	2	1	2/15	17
at New York Jets	27	15	55.6	220	0	1	0/0	24
San Diego	3	1	33.3	19	0	0	1/8	19
Baltimore	3	2	66.7	19	0	0	1/7	15
1972 Totals	97	53	54.6	638	4	4	7/45	39
Six-Year Tot.	1543	813	52.7	10919	80	81	162/1476	86†

HEINZ, BOB

Ht.: 6-6 Wt.: 265 Pacific (Calif.)
Born: July 25, 1947 Fifth year (2-D, 1969)

PRO: Dolphins attempted during pre-season 1972 to make Heinz a full-time defensive end, but injuries forced him to tackle, where he took over the starting role at mid-season and did an impressive job. Two sacks, 39 total tackles for 1972. In the words of defensive line coach Mike Scarry, "Bob is a guy who you can ask to play right or left end or right or left tackle at a moment's notice and know you'll get a great job from him. He's smart."

COLLEGE: Three-year regular at Pacific after one year at San Joaquin Delta College. Won two letters in track as a weightman. Track captain.

PERSONAL: Born in Milwaukee and moved to Stockton Calif.; was football, basketball and track star at Lincoln High in Stockton his final two years. Set a sectional meet discus record of 167-feet-9. Married, one daughter, Julie Anna. Off-season work: Specialty advertising salesman in Stockton.



JENKINS, AL

Ht.: 6-2 Wt.: 245 Tulsa
Born: July 15, 1946 Fourth year (FA, 1972)

PRO: Back-up lineman in 1969 and 1970 for Cleveland, which drafted him second in 1969. Earned a spot on the 40-man squad at Miami during 1972 pre-season and worked as back-up for Larry Little and Bob Kuechenberg at guard and Norm Evans at tackle. Returned one kickoff each in 1969 and 1970 for no yards.

COLLEGE: All-Missouri Valley offense and defense as a junior



at Tulsa. AP Lineman-of-Week for 25 unassisted tackles against Houston. Freshman Athlete of Year and All-Illinois as sophomore at Southern Illinois.

PERSONAL: Born in New Orleans. Lives in Miami, making personal appearances. Has done civil service work. Single.

JENKINS, ED

Ht.: 6-2 Wt.: 210 Holy Cross
Born: August 31, 1950 Second year (11-D, 1972)

PRO: Rode the Dolphins' taxi squad much of 1972, but played three games on the specialty squad. Impressed coaches with quickness and agility during pre-season.

COLLEGE: A series of injuries held his participation to just 20 games in four years, including all 10 as a senior. Saw action as a receiver and linebacker, in addition to running back. No. 2 rusher with 444 yards on 117 carries. No. 3 receiver with 113 yards on 10 catches. Seven punt returns for 41 yards. Seven kick-off returns for 146 yards.

PERSONAL: Born in Jacksonville, Fla. Played football and basketball at St. Francis Prep in Brooklyn. Guidance counselor at Citrus Grove Junior High in Miami.



JOHNSON, CURTIS

Ht.: 6-1 Wt.: 196 Toledo
Born: June 22, 1948 Fourth year (4-D, 1970)

PRO: Doubles as starting cornerback and special teams performer. As a cornerback in 1972, he had three interceptions, defended against four passes and had a total of 57 tackles-assists. On the special teams he blocked a pair of punts and one field goal attempt, giving him five blocked kicks in two regular seasons.

COLLEGE: Standout on Toledo team which captured 11 straight in 1969, including Tangerine Bowl victory over Davidson. Intercepted seven passes as senior and 15 in three-year career. First team NEA All-America and second-team AP. Captain.

PERSONAL: Native of Toledo, where he makes his off-season home. Played high school ball at Toledo Waite.

PRO STATISTICS:

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	3	29	9.7	0	21
1971	2	34	17.0	0	34
1972	3	20	6.7	0	13
TOTALS	8	83	10.4	0	34

POST-SEASON

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1971	1	0	0.0	0	0
1972	1	33	33.0	0	33
TOTALS	2	33	16.5	0	33

KADISH, MIKE

Ht.: 6-5 Wt.: 265 Notre Dame
Born: May 27, 1950 First year (1-D, 1972)

PRO: Spent entire 1972 season on taxi squad.

COLLEGE: Led Notre Dame in tackles his senior year with

Defensive Tackle



97, including eight sacks of opposing quarterbacks for 40 yards in losses. Consensus All-America. Played in Senior Bowl.

PERSONAL: Attended Central Catholic High in Grand Rapids, Mich., where he was born. Captain. All-City, All-Area, All-State. Married.

PERSONAL: Lives and works in Columbus, Ohio in off-season.

KIICK, JIM

Ht.: 5-11

Wt.: 214

Running Back

Wyoming

Born: August 9, 1946

Sixth year (5-D, 1968)

PRO: One of Miami's most versatile backs, Kiick is either holder or co-holder of six team scoring, rushing and pass receiving records. As one of Miami's "three first-string running backs" in 1972, he contributed 521 yards to the Dolphins' NFL rushing record of 2,960 and was the No. 2 pass receiver with 21. An outstanding "money" player, Kiick set a Dolphins' record by scoring four touchdowns in the three post-season games, including the winning score in each contest.



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COLLEGE: Three-year starter at Wyoming. All-Western Athletic Conference tailback three times. Gained 1,714 yards on 431 carries, including 583 yards as a senior. Led Cowboys to 10-0 season in 1967. Member of College All-Star team in 1968.

PERSONAL: Born in Paterson, N.J., raised in nearby Lincoln Park. Football, baseball and basketball star at Boonton (N.J.) High. Won nine letters. Son of George Kiick, former Steelers' back. Now makes his home in Miami with his wife and son, Brandon. Along with Larry Csonka, authored a book during the off-season. Involved in North Carolina real estate.

PRO STATISTICS:

Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1968	165	621	3.8	4	25
1969	180	575	3.2	9	27
1970	191	658	3.4	6	56
1971	162	738	4.6	3	34
1972	137	521	3.8	5	26
TOTALS	835	3113	3.7	27	56

Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1968	44	422	9.6	0	38
1969	29	443	15.3	1	53t
1970	42	497	11.8	0	47
1971	40	338	8.5	0	27
1972	21	147	7.0	1	15
TOTALS	176	1847	10.5	2	53t

POST-SEASON

Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	14	64	4.6	0	13
1971	40	162	4.1	1	15
1972	34	100	2.9	4	9
TOTALS	88	326	3.7	5	15

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Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	4	34	8.5	0	15
1971	6	45	7.5	0	21
1972	3	11	3.7	0	5
TOTALS	13	90	6.9	0	21

KINDIG, HOWARD

Ht.: 6-6

Wt.: 260

Cal State-L. A.

Born: June 22, 1941

Seventh year (Trade, 1972)

PRO: Came out of retirement in 1972 pre-season to play for Miami. Used as reserve tackle, guard and center at Buffalo in 1971 and in same capacity for Miami. Snapped at center on kicks. Started in 1970 at tackle after playing first three years with Bills as defensive end and center. Signed as free agent with Bills in 1967 after being defensive starter with San Diego in 1966.



COLLEGE: Attended Moberly (Mo.) Junior College before entering Marines. Following discharge he entered Cal State at Los Angeles and was a 1963 Little All-America.

PERSONAL: Born in Mexico, Mo. Real estate appraisal is off-season work in New Orleans area. Worked towards MA degree in real estate. Married with two sons, Keith and Jess. Enjoys fishing.

KOLEN, MIKE

Ht.: 6-2

Wt.: 220

Linebacker

Auburn

Born: January 31, 1948

Fourth year (12-D, 1970)

PRO: Has kept college nickname of "Captain Crunch" with his powerful tackling, which accounted for a total of 84 stops in 1972. That was 13 higher than his 1971 total. Starting right linebacker all three years with Miami. In 1972 he also intercepted a pass and defended against three others.



COLLEGE: Team captain whose leadership was instrumental in Auburn's 8-2 mark en route to Bluebonnet Bowl appearance in 1969. Alternate captain in 1968 when Tigers went to Sun Bowl. Two-time All-South pick and second-team NEA All-America selection.

PERSONAL: Played at Berry High School in hometown of Birmingham, Ala. Married, with daughter, Kelly Ann. Family resides in Hollywood, Fla. Involved in area real estate sales. Active with Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

PRO STATISTICS:

Interception	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1972	1	14	14.0	0	14

POST-SEASON

Interception	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1972	1	5	5.0	0	5

KUECHENBERG, BOB

Ht.: 6-2

Wt.: 248

Guard

Notre Dame

Born: October 14, 1947

Fourth year (FA, 1970)

PRO: Became starter for Miami when Maxie Williams was injured in 1970 and has never relinquished the spot, while



developing into a fine blocker with excellent execution. Came to Dolphins after having been drafted on fourth round by Philadelphia in 1969. Left the Eagles and had time in Atlanta training camp before being cut and spending a season with Chicago's minor league team.

COLLEGE: Had excellent career at Notre Dame, where honors included appearances in East-West and All-America Bowl classics, in addition to All-America mention. As a junior, was switched from tackle to defensive end. Received degree in economics.

PERSONAL: Birthplace: Gary, Ind. One of nine children, he is the brother of Rudy Kuechenberg, former Indiana and pro star. Lettered in four sports at Hobart (Ind.) High, serving as captain of the football and baseball teams his senior year. Lives in Hollywood. During off-season he works for Kuechenberg Advertising Specialty Co., plays basketball and makes personal appearances. Married, one son, Bryan.

LANGER, JIM

Center

Ht.: 6-2 Wt.: 250
Born: May 16, 1948

S. Dakota State
Fourth year (WA, 1970)

PRO: Earned the starting center's job during pre-season 1972 when he beat out veteran Bob DeMarco. Went on to start every game and play on every offensive play. Of about 500 pass-blocking assignments he had in 1972, films reveal he needed help just three times, according to offensive line coach Monte Clark. Signed first pro contract with Cleveland as a free agent. Spent part of the



1970 training camp with the Browns before coming to Miami on waivers. Named 1972 South Dakota Sports Celebrity of the Year.

COLLEGE: Played middle linebacker and also was a star in baseball. As a senior, was captain of both football and baseball. Set school records for most hits and most runs batted in. Received B.S. in economics.

PERSONAL: Born in Little Falls, Minn., grew up in Royalton, Minn. At Royalton High, was football and baseball captain. Lives in Hollywood. Married, two children, Tracy and Carrie. Plays basketball in off-season and makes personal appearances. Also worked on real estate license and for Peoples Banks of Miami. Chosen as South Dakota's outstanding athlete in 1972.

LEIGH, CHARLIE

Running Back

Ht.: 5-11 Wt.: 206
Born: October 30, 1945

None
Fifth year (FA, 1971)

PRO: Used sporadically on offense in 1972; largest contribution was as punt returner, where he finished with a 9.5 average and now ranks No. 23 on the AFC's all-time, active punt returners list. Played for Cleveland as a starter and specialty man in 1968-69. Has spent time with Philadelphia and Norfolk of the Continental League and Ottawa of the Canadian League.

PERSONAL: Born in Albany, N.Y., where he attended



Albany High and was football captain. Did not attend college. Wrote to Commissioner Rozelle asking for pro football tryout with Philadelphia before his class would graduate. Married, three children, Charles Jr., Sherrell and Carla. Teachers aide at Philip Schuyler High in Albany.

PRO STATISTICS:

Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1971	5	15	3.0	0	7
1972	21	79	3.8	0	10
TOTALS	26	94	3.6	0	10

Kickoff Returns	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1971	4	99	24.8	0	31
1972	6	153	25.5	0	45
TOTALS	10	252	25.2	0	45

Punt Returns	FC	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1972	5	22	210	9.5	0	27

LITTLE, LARRY

Guard

Ht.: 6-1 Wt.: 265
Born: November 2, 1945

Bethune-Cookman
Seventh year (Trade, 1969)

PRO: Since coming to the Dolphins from San Diego, Little has developed into the premier pulling guard in the NFL. Thrice, in fact, the NFL Players Association voted him the outstanding lineman in the AFC. He has been chosen to play in the Pro Bowl three of the last four years and has been voted the team's outstanding offensive lineman for three successive years. Joined San



Diego as a free agent in 1967 and missed two games due to a knee injury but was selected to play in the All-Star game. At the conclusion of the 1972 season, he was named All-NFL by the Associated Press and Pro Football Writers Association (each for the second successive year), by the Football News, Newspaper Enterprise Association and Pro Football Weekly; and All-AFC by AP, UPI and Sporting News (each for the second straight year). Also Forrest Gregg Trophy and Fuzzy Thurston Trophy, both for being the best offensive lineman in the NFL.

COLLEGE: All-Southern Intercollegiate Conference, team MVP, captain. Played tackle on both offense and defense. Ebony All-America.

PERSONAL: Born in Groveland, Ga., now lives in Miami. Star at B. T. Washington High in Miami where he was a senior captain. Director of Miami Dolphins-Larry Little Gold Coast Summer Camp for underprivileged children. In recognition of his general civic work, he was honored by Biscayne College with an honorary degree as Doctor of Science and Human Relations. Single.

MANDICH, JIM

Tight End

Ht.: 6-2 Wt.: 224
Born: July 30, 1948

Michigan
Fourth year (2-D, 1970)

PRO: Although he remained second-team to Marv Fleming, Mandich caught almost 300 per cent more passes in 1972 than he had in both 1970 and 1971 (11, compared with 4). Also performed on specialty squads. Biggest game: Catching winning three-yard TD catch at Minnesota last year. Used in double tight-end formation in third and short yardage situations.



COLLEGE: Consensus All-America and the Wolverines' second-leading career receiver with 111 receptions for 1,415 yards. Caught 42 for 583 as a senior and another eight in the Rose Bowl against Southern Cal. Michigan's captain and MVP in senior year. Academic All-America.

PERSONAL: Born in Cleveland, now lives in Miami. Enjoys playing pool. High school track, baseball and football. Single.

PRO STATISTICS:

Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	1	3	3.0	1	3t
1971	3	19	6.3	1	10
1972	11	168	15.3	3	39
TOTALS	15	190	12.7	5	39

Kickoff Returns	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	2	0	0.0	0	0

POST-SEASON

Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1971	2	13	6.5	0	9
1972	2	24	12.0	0	19
TOTALS	4	37	9.3	0	28

MATHESON, BOB

Ht.: 6-4 Wt.: 235 Duke
 Born: November 25, 1944 Seventh year (Trade, 1971)
PRO: Of necessity due to a series of injuries to defensive linemen, the Dolphins utilized Matheson's linebacking and defensive end experience to



devise the "53-defense" in 1972, so called for Matheson's uniform number. Basically, he lines up at linebacker or end and either rushes or falls back. He was a first round draft choice by Cleveland in 1967. Spent his rookie year as a specialty teams player and continues on those teams at Miami. Played defensive end and linebacker at Cleveland. Brought to Miami as back-up for Nick Buoniconti who was suffering from a wrist injury. In 1972, had 68 stops, 4 passes defended and 2½ sacks.

COLLEGE: All-America career included honors from AP, UPI, Sporting News. Set a record for most tackles in one season. Captain.

PERSONAL: Lives in Boone, N.C., where he's a partner in a rock crushing plant and runs a summer camp for boys. Married, one son, Todd McRea. Went to Appalachian High in Boone, set records in track, football and basketball.

PRO STATISTICS:

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1967 (Cleveland)	1	0	0.0	0	0
1968 (Cleveland)	2	44	22.0	0	30
1969 (Cleveland)		(NONE)			
1970 (Cleveland)	1	11	11.0	0	11
TOTALS	4	55	13.8	0	30

Kickoff Returns	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1969 (Cleveland)	1	0	0.0	0	0
1970 (Cleveland)	2	21	10.5	0	14
1971 (Miami)	3	32	10.7	0	16
1972 (Miami)	2	34	17.0	0	17
TOTALS	8	87	10.9	0	17

MOORE, MAULTY

Ht.: 6-5 Wt.: 265
 Born: August 12, 1946

PRO: One of the strongest—and most quiet—Dolphins, Moore rode the Miami taxi squad in 1971 and made the 40-man roster in 1972. Used primarily on special teams, he blocked one point-after attempt and one field goal try.



COLLEGE: Named to the Pittsburgh Courier All-America first team. Earned four letters in football and two in track as weight man.

PERSONAL: Born in Milligan, Fla. and now lives in Pompano Beach, where he's an off-season salesman. Also plays for the Dolphins' basketball team. Played football at Moton High in Brooksville. Senior football captain.

Defensive Tackle

Bethune-Cookman
 Second year (FA, 1971)

MOORE, WAYNE

Ht.: 6-6 Wt.: 265
 Born: August 17, 1945

PRO: Played more as a starter in 1972 than any other year. Injuries continued to hamper his development and when he was down Doug Crusan was healthy and vice-versa.



Moore started Super Bowl VII. Injured in 1971 pre-season and missed all but final game due to knee surgery. Originally signed with San Francisco as a free agent after a basketball career at Lamar Tech. Tried at tight end and tackle then rode cab squad.

COLLEGE: Didn't play football. Three letters and All-Conference in basketball. Degree in diesel engineering.

PERSONAL: Born in Beaumont, Texas, lives in San Francisco in off-season, where he works as a counselor at a juvenile home. Basketball and football at Charlton-Pollard High in Beaumont. All-State in basketball and All-District defensive end in football. Married with one son, Wayne Jr.

Tackle

Lamar Tech
 Fourth year (WA, 1970)

MORRALL, EARL

Ht.: 6-2 Wt.: 210
 Born: May 17, 1934

PRO: Coming off the sidelines after an injury to Bob Griese, Earl Morrall took over and led the Dolphins to 12 consecutive victories during the 1972 season and earned the team's most coveted award—Most Valuable Player. "There wouldn't have been an undefeated season and the World Championship if it wasn't for Earl," said coach Don Shula.



But Morrall is no stranger to success. He was the NFL's Most Valuable Player in 1968, went to the Pro Bowl as a Steeler in 1957 and was MVP for his team in 1963, 1965, 1968 and now 1972. He added to his list of awards this year: AFC Player of the Year by the Sporting News; All-NFL, AP; All-AFC, AP; All-NFL second team, NEA; Pro Football Weekly Comeback of the Year and the City of Hope Victor Award. Morrall started his career as No. 1 draft choice of San Francisco in 1956, saw action with Pittsburgh (1957), Detroit (1958-64), and the New York Giants (1965-67)

Quarterback

Michigan State
 Eighteenth Year (WA, 1972)

before he started working for Shula at Baltimore. Shula picked him up in 1972 off the waiver list for "insurance" just as he had earlier. In 1968 the insurance policy paid off with Morrall stepping in for an injured Johnny Unitas to lead the Colts to 15 victories and a trip to the Super Bowl.

COLLEGE: An All-America quarterback at Michigan State. Morrall was a star in the 1955 Rose Bowl and played in the 1956 College All-Star game.

PERSONAL: Born in Muskegon, Mich., where he went to high school and played both football and baseball. Morrall is married and has five children, Matthew Earl, Mardi Jane, Mindi Rae, Mitchell and Meghan. They live in a Detroit suburb, Bloomfield Heights, during the off-season.

PRO STATISTICS:

Passing	Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yds.	Int.	TD	Long
1956 (San Fran.)	78	38	48.7	621	6	1	37
1957 (Pittsburgh)	289	139	48.1	1900	12	11	64
1958 (Detroit)	78	25	32.1	463	9	5	66
1959 (Detroit)	137	65	47.4	1102	6	5	79
1960 (Detroit)	49	32	65.3	423	3	4	65
1961 (Detroit)	150	69	46.0	909	9	7	61
1962 (Detroit)	52	32	61.5	449	4	4	53
1963 (Detroit)	328	174	53.0	2621	14	24	75
1964 (Detroit)	91	50	54.9	588	3	4	48
1965 (NY Giants)	302	155	51.3	2446	12	22	89
1966 (NY Giants)	151	71	47.0	1105	12	7	98
1967 (NY Giants)	24	13	54.2	181	1	3	27
1968 (Baltimore)	317	182	57.4	2909	17	26	84
1969 (Baltimore)	99	46	46.5	755	7	5	42
1970 (Baltimore)	93	51	54.8	792	4	9	44
1971 (Baltimore)	167	84	50.3	1210	12	7	64
1972 (Miami)	150	83	55.3	1360	7	11	49
TOTALS	2555	1309	51.2	19834	138	155	98

Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1956 (San Francisco)	6	10	1.7	0	—
1957 (Pittsburgh)	41	81	2.0	2	—
1958 (Detroit)	11	80	7.3	0	—
1959 (Detroit)	26	112	4.3	0	—
1960 (Detroit)	10	37	3.7	1	—
1961 (Detroit)	20	86	4.3	0	—
1962 (Detroit)	17	65	3.8	1	—
1963 (Detroit)	26	105	4.0	1	—
1964 (Detroit)	10	70	7.0	0	—
1965 (NY Giants)	17	52	3.1	0	—
1966 (NY Giants)	5	12	2.4	0	—
1967 (NY Giants)	4	11	2.8	1	—
1968 (Baltimore)	11	18	1.6	1	—
1969 (Baltimore)		(NONE)			
1970 (Baltimore)	2	6	3.0	0	—
1971 (Baltimore)	6	13	2.2	0	—
1972 (Miami)	17	67	3.9	1	31+
TOTALS	229	825	3.6	8	31+

POST-SEASON

Passing	Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yds.	Int.	TD	Long
1972 (Miami)	24	13	54.2	139	1	1	35

Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1972 (Miami)	4	3	0.8	0	3

MORRIS, MERCURY

Ht.: 5-10

Wt.: 190

Born: January 5, 1947

West Texas State

Fifth year (3-D, 1969)

PRO: Heading into his fourth season, Mercury Morris was unleashed and opposition defenses were able to get a full



appreciation of what Morris could do on the field. He had been used primarily on the specialty teams but was given a backfield opportunity in the 1972 pre-season. Morris showed himself more than capable. He was the second leading rusher for the Dolphins in 1972 with 1,000 yards, and picked up another 168 yards on pass receptions. Morris led the team in touchdowns with a club record 12. He returned to the Pro Bowl in 1973 for the second successive year.

COLLEGE: Held the all-time career rushing mark for NCAA major colleges until Steve Owens surpassed it in 1969. Morris, who gained 3,388 yards in a brilliant three-year career, ranked second in the nation in junior and senior years and had 252 points.

PERSONAL: Born and raised in Pittsburgh, he was a star at Avonworth High School. Was a three-year letterman in football, baseball and basketball. His given name is Eugene. Morris enjoys golf and weight-lifting. He makes his home in Miami with his wife and son.

PRO STATISTICS:

Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1969	23	110	4.8	1	37
1970	60	409	6.8	0	40
1971	57	315	5.5	1	51
1972	190	1000	5.3	12	33
TOTALS	330	1834	5.6	14	51

Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1969	6	65	10.8	0	29
1970	12	149	12.4	0	50
1971	5	16	3.2	0	11
1972	15	168	11.2	0	34
TOTALS	38	398	10.5	0	50

Kickoff Returns	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1969	43	1136	26.4	1	105+
1970	28	812	29.0	1	96+
1971	15	423	28.2	1	94+
1972	14	334	23.9	0	33
TOTALS	100	2705	27.1	3	105+

Punt Returns	FC	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1969	3	25	172	6.9	0	38
TOTALS	3	27	171	6.3	0	38
1970	0	2	-1	-0.5	0	0

POST-SEASON

Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	8	29	3.6	0	12
1971	1	3	3.0	0	3
1972	41	182	4.4	0	27
TOTALS	50	214	4.3	0	27

Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	2	15	7.5	0	9
1971		(NONE)			
1972	1	-6	-6.0	0	-6
TOTALS	3	9	3.0	0	9

Kickoff Returns	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	1	21	21.0	0	21
1971	7	173	24.7	0	37
1972	3	56	18.7	0	23
TOTALS	11	250	22.7	0	37

MUMPHORD, LLOYD

Ht.: 5-10 Wt.: 176
 Born: December 20, 1946

Cornerback

Texas Southern
 Fifth year (16-D, 1969)

PRO: Speed from outside makes him asset on specialty teams. Blocked two field goal attempts in 1972. Used



considerably in Miami's five-defensive back "nickel defense." Started and played entire Super Bowl VII for injured Tim Foley.

COLLEGE: Won four letters each in football and swimming. Football captain as cornerback and flanker.

PERSONAL: Born in Los Angeles. Attended Tampa Midleton High, where he was football captain. Off-season: Public relations for Pepsi Cola. Lives in Miami with his wife.

PRO STATISTICS:

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1969	5	102	20.4	0	51
1970	5	35	7.0	1	32t
1971		(NONE)			
1972	4	50	12.5	1	28t
TOTALS	14	187	13.6	2	51t

Kickoff Returns	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1969	1	0	0.0	0	0

NOONAN, KARL

Ht.: 6-2
 Born: February 17, 1944

Wt.: 198
 Iowa
 Seventh year (FA, 1966)

PRO: Injured in the 1972 pre-season and missed the entire year. One of the original Dolphins—only 1966 free agent



left—he was overlooked in the draft although he was a record-setter. Part of his original contract was a no-cut clause during training camp, because he's a slow starter. Set team record for catches in consecutive games with 17 and most TDs (now tied). Best single game was in

1968 with seven catches for 104 yards. Played in every regular season game the first six years (84), a club record.

COLLEGE: Established Big Ten reception record with 40 catches as junior. Senior captain. Played in East-West game. NEA first team All-America as a junior.

PERSONAL: Born in Dubuque, Iowa. Makes home in Coral Gables with wife, Stephanie, and son, Karl. Off-season: Investment acreage real estate and summer boys' camp with Bob Griese. Prep at Assumption High in Davenport, Iowa, where he also played basketball.

PRO STATISTICS:

Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1966	17	224	13.2	1	35
1967	12	141	11.8	1	32
1968	58	760	13.1	11	50t
1969	29	307	10.6	3	27
1970	10	186	18.6	1	51t
1971	10	180	18.0	0	43
TOTALS	136	1798	13.2	17	51t

Kickoff Returns	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1966	0*	23	—	0	23

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Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	1	-9	-9.0	0	-9

POWELL, JESSE

Ht.: 6-2 Wt.: 220
 Born: April 14, 1947

Linebacker

West Texas State
 Fifth year (9-D, 1969)

PRO: Used mainly on special teams, but one of team's best tacklers. 24 total stops in 1972. Back-up to Mike Kolen on the right side.



COLLEGE: Three-year regular at defensive tackle and linebacker. Senior captain. Team Player-of-Week three times as sophomore, four as junior, three as senior.

PERSONAL: Born in Matador, Texas, now lives in Spur,

Texas. Earned four letters in football, three in basketball, two in track at Spur High. All-District football twice. All-State end in 1964. MVP twice. Football captain. Off-season: Cattle buyer. Married, one child, Shay.

SCOTT, JAKE

Ht.: 6-0 Wt.: 188
 Born: July 20, 1945

Georgia
 Fourth year (7-D, 1970)

PRO: As usual, played part of 1972 with several injuries, including a sore neck much of the year. Named to the



Pro Bowl for the second consecutive year. Voted Super Bowl's MVP by Sport Magazine and named Outstanding Player of Super Bowl by Kansas City 101 Club. Set a Super Bowl record for most interception yards (63) and tied another for most interceptions (2). Other

1972 honors: All-NFL by Football News, Pro Football Weekly; All-AFC by AP, UPI, Sporting News; All-NFL second team by AP, Pro Football Writers Association, Newspaper Enterprise Association. Signed first pro pact with Vancouver in Canadian League in 1969. As a flanker he caught 42 passes. Traded to Montreal in 1970, he saw some pre-season action before clearing waivers and signing with Miami. Led club in interceptions in 1972 for second year in-a-row. Holds 11 club punt return records.

COLLEGE: Second-leading punt returner in the nation in 1968 and was an All-America defensive back. Also named Outstanding Player in SEC that year, when he set a conference interception record with 10. All-SEC as a 1967 sophomore. Gave up senior year for Canadian League.

PERSONAL: Born in Greenwood, S.C., lives in Atlanta. Attended Washington and Lee High in Arlington, Va., and Bullis Prep in Silver Spring, Md. Football, basketball, baseball. Single. Owns property in Colorado with Dick Anderson.

PRO STATISTICS:

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	5	112	22.4	0	47
1971	7	34	4.9	0	21
1972	5	73	14.6	0	31
TOTALS	17	219	12.9	0	47

Punt Returns	FC	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	15	27	290	10.7	1	77t
1971	18	33	318	9.6	0	31
1972	3	13	100	7.7	0	15
TOTALS	36	73	708	9.7	1	77t

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Kickoff Returns	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	4	117	29.3	0	42

POST-SEASON

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1971	2	13	6.5	0	13
1972	2	63	31.5	0	55
TOTALS	4	76	19.0	0	55

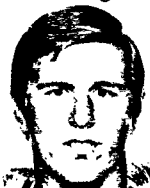
Punt Returns	FC	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	0	1	-1	-1.0	0	-1
1971	1	4	59	14.7	0	21
1972	5	3	3	1.0	0	4
TOTALS	6	8	61	7.6	0	21

SEIPLE, LARRY

Tight End-Punter

Ht.: 6-0 Wt.: 214 Kentucky
 Born: February 14, 1945 Seventh year (7-D, 1967)

PRO: Most versatile of the Dolphins, having played tight end and running back, thrown three passes and been the team punter for six years. Also can play wide receiver and could be used as a defensive back. Missed his first games as a Dolphin since 1967 last year when a leg injury forced him out of action for three weeks. Returned to inspire team in AFC Championship game by



running—instead of punting—on a play that set up Miami's first touchdown. Coach Don Shula called the play the turning point in the game. The run was 37 yards. In 1969, he stepped into the tight end slot as a starter due to injuries and caught 41 passes, a team high, including a record-tying eight for 106 yards at Buffalo. Longest punt was 73 yards against Pittsburgh in 1971; best game average, 51, in 1971 at Denver (2 punts).

COLLEGE: Played several positions and had three-year punting average of 40.5 yards. Set record with 30 rushing attempts in one game. Once scored on a 70-yard run from punt formation against Mississippi on a 4th and 28 situation. Co-captain.

PERSONAL: Born in Allentown, Pa. Three-year letterman and captain of football and baseball at Allen High. Now lives in Miami. He and his wife have three children, Keri Lyn, Larry Todd and Lori Ann.

PRO STATISTICS:

Punting	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Blkd.	Long
1967	70	2909	41.6	1	70
1968	75	3044	40.6	0	60
1969	80	3263	40.8	2	66
1970	58	2392	41.2	0	67
1971	52	2087	40.1	1	73
1972	36	1437	39.9	0	54
TOTALS	371	15132	40.8	4	73

Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1967	1	21	21.0	0	21
1968	7	69	9.9	1	20
1969	41	577	14.1	5	41t
1970	2	14	7.0	0	7
1971	1	32	32.0	0	32
TOTALS	52	713	13.7	6	41t

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Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1967	3	58	19.3	0	34
1968	5	42	8.4	0	32
1969	1	6	6.0	0	6
1970	2	21	10.5	0	24
1971	1	14	14.0	0	14
TOTALS	12	141	11.8	0	34

Passing	Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yds.	TD	Int.	Tkld.	Long
1967	2	2	100.0	61	0	0	0/0	42
1969	1	1	100.0	8	0	0	0/0	8
TOTALS	3	3	100.0	69	0	0	0/0	42

Kickoff Returns	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	2	5	2.5	0	3

POST-SEASON

Punting	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Blkd.	Long
1970	5	196	39.2	0	49
1971	12	496	41.3	0	52
1972	16	653	40.8	0	57
TOTALS	33	1345	40.8	0	57

Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1972	1	37	37.0	0	37

SELLERS, RON

Wide Receiver

Ht.: 6-4 Wt.: 195 Florida State
 Born: February 5, 1947 Fifth year (Trade, 1973)

PRO: Acquired from Dallas, along with a No. 2 draft choice, for wide receiver Otto Stowe during the 1973 off-season. Sellers was a starter at Dallas, after being acquired from New England prior to the 1972 regular season. Was a No. 1 draft choice of Patriots in 1969.



COLLEGE: Set an NCAA career yardage mark of 3,598 on 212 receptions. Scored 23 times.

Two-time consensus All-America.

PERSONAL: Born in Jacksonville, now lives in West Palm Beach during the off-season. Married.

PRO STATISTICS:

Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Lg.
1969 (New England)	27	705	26.1	6	77
1970 (New England)	38	550	14.5	4	48
1971 (New England)	14	222	15.9	3	49
1972 (Dallas)	31	653	21.1	5	55t
TOTALS	110	2130	19.4	18	77

STANFILL, BILL

Defensive End

Ht.: 6-5 Wt.: 250 Georgia
 Born: January 13, 1947 Fifth year (1-D, 1969)

PRO: Starter in every Dolphins game he's played, showing constant improvement each year. Named All-NFL by AP in 1972 and All-AFC by AP, UPI, Sporting News. Total of 69 stops during the year with 10 sacks. Had eight sacks in 1969, six in 1970 and six and one-half in 1971. Played in Pro Bowl second straight time in 1972.



COLLEGE: Received All-America recognition three consecutive years. Starter in 33 straight

games, including three bowls. Received Outland Trophy from Football Writers Association as outstanding collegiate lineman in 1968. Helped Georgia lead SEC in total defense his junior and senior years.

PERSONAL: Born and raised in Cairo, Ga. Won four letters in football and basketball and three in track at Cairo High. Football captain. Set prep record with discus toss of 180-feet-6. Off-season athletic activity is golf and weights. Owns Hoagie's restaurant in Athens, Ga., where he lives in off-season with wife and two children, Bill Jr. and Jake Noah.

STUCKEY, HENRY

Ht.: 6-1

Born: August 24, 1950

PRO: Cut by Lions in final cutdown to 40 during 1972 pre-season. Miami picked him up as free agent and he rode the taxi squad until the Super Bowl when he was activated for his first pro game because of an injury to cornerback Tim Foley. Detroit drafted him eighth in 1972.



J.C. in California. Picked off one at Merritt in 1969. Has 9.6 speed in the 100-dash.

PERSONAL: Born in Oakland. Named to Junior College All-America in 1969 and was All-State as an Oakland prep. Single. Lives in Miami and did off-season personal appearance work.

SWIFT, DOUG

Ht.: 6-3

Born: October 24, 1948

PRO: Developing into one of the finer outside linebackers in the game. 1972 was his best year as he finished with 50 tackles and 42 assists for 92 total stops. In addition, he had three interceptions, one fumble recovery, five passes defended and one sack. A key man in Miami's "53-defense." Possibly the biggest surprise of his rookie year. In the summer of 1970 he signed with Montreal in the Canadian League. Released there, he hooked on as a free agent with the Dolphins and began developing. He earned a spot on the 40-man squad and then became a starter. Was All-AFC Rookie team outside linebacker by Pro Football Weekly.



COLLEGE: The first from Amherst to ever become a pro player. A three-year regular, he played linebacker and offensive tackle. Team record was 13-3 during his final two years. Had eight career interceptions.

PERSONAL: Born and raised in Syracuse, N.Y. Played guard at Nottingham High School when team won two consecutive Central, N.Y. League championships. Also basketball. Enjoys painting and reading. Both parents are doctors. Married.

PRO STATISTICS:

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1971	1	12	12.0	0	12
1972	3	5	1.7	0	4
TOTALS	4	17	4.3	0	12

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Defensive Back

Wt.: 180

Missouri

First year (FA, 1971)

Linebacker

Amherst

Fourth year (FA, 1970)

POST-SEASON

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1972	2	19	9.5	0	19

TWILLEY, HOWARD

Ht.: 5-10

Wt.: 185

Wide Receiver

Tulsa

Born: December 25, 1943

Eighth year (12-D, 1966)

PRO: Survived the challenge of another receiver for the third successive year, remaining the team's starting wide receiver opposite Paul Warfield.

In 1972, following a pre-season leg injury which hampered his progress, Twilley healed in time to take over for Marlin Briscoe, injured in the pre-game warmup at New York. He never lost the job after that, finishing the year with his highest per-catch average as a pro and his longest reception. He was the club's No. 3 receiver in 1972. Twilley, one of only three original Dolphins left on the 47-man squad, has overcome injuries to rank as one of the team's top receivers. Suffered cracked jaw in 1966, missing last eight games; fractured elbow in 1969, missing final 10 games.



COLLEGE: Set 10 NCAA pass receiving marks as a consensus All-America, shattering four of five major reception records. Voted Lineman-of-Year in 1965 as he caught 134 passes for 1,779 yards and 16 TDs. Led all scorers with 127 points. Football captain. Played in Bluebonnet Bowl twice and North-South Shrine game. Named outstanding player in Senior Bowl in 1965. Degree in electrical engineering.

PERSONAL: Born in Houston and attended Galena Park High. Considers football a year-round occupation, but is planning for future with Masters Degree in business administration. Off-season work: Oklahoma real estate development. Married, one son, Michael Glenn.

Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1966	10	128	12.8	0	20
1967	24	314	13.1	2	38
1968	39	604	15.5	1	40
1969	10	158	15.8	1	33
1970	22	281	12.8	5	23†
1971	23	349	15.2	4	41
1972	20	364	18.2	3	44
TOTALS	148	2198	14.9	16	44

Punt Returns	FC	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1969	3	1	0	0.0	0	0

POST-SEASON

Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1970	1	14	14.0	0	14
1971	8	111	13.9	0	23
1972	4	61	15.3	1	28†
TOTALS	13	186	14.3	1	28†

WARFIELD, PAUL

Ht.: 6-0

Wt.: 188

Wide Receiver

Ohio State

Born: November 28, 1942

Tenth year (Trade, Cleveland, 1970)

PRO: Beginning his fourth season with the Dolphins, Warfield continues to break records for the Dolphins. He



has been voted All-NFL for four years and has played in the Pro Bowl twice. Warfield came to the Dolphins in 1970 in a trade for Miami's No. 1 draft choice and became an instant success with the Dolphins, catching 28 passes for a team high 703 yards, six touchdowns

and 25.1 yard-per-catch average, AFC high. Warfield has a three-year total of 20 touchdowns. Not only is Warfield the Dolphins' premier receiver, but he also has great blocking abilities, a fact noted by the Dolphins new offensive coach, Bill McPeak. All-NFL by Newspaper Enterprise Association and All-AFC by AP and Sporting News in 1972.

COLLEGE: Starred on both offense and defense at Ohio State for three years. He was selected to Time Magazine's All-America Eleven in 1963 and made All-Big Ten in 1962 and 1963. Warfield played in the 1964 East-West, All-America, Hula Bowl, and College All-Star games. He earned a degree in physical education.

PERSONAL: At Warren (Ohio) Harding High School, he won letters in football, basketball and track. Warfield was offered substantial bonuses by several major league baseball teams but rejected them to go to Ohio State. Warfield went to Kent State during the off-season to work on his masters in communications. Warfield is married and has one daughter. He owns a home in Cleveland suburb of Beachwood. Warfield has a local radio program, practicing for a career he hopes to have when football is over.

PRO STATISTICS:

Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1964 (Cleveland)	52	920	17.7	9	62t
1965 (Cleveland)	3	30	10.0	0	13
1966 (Cleveland)	36	741	20.6	5	51
1967 (Cleveland)	32	702	21.9	8	49t
1968 (Cleveland)	50	1067	21.3	12	65t
1969 (Cleveland)	42	886	21.1	10	82t
1970 (Miami)	28	703	25.1	6	54
1971 (Miami)	43	996	23.2	11	86t
1972 (Miami)	29	606	20.9	3	47
TOTALS	315	6651	21.1	64	86t

Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1967 (Cleveland)	2	10	5.0	0	18
1968 (Cleveland)		(NONE)			
1969 (Cleveland)	2	23	11.5	0	16
1970 (Miami)	2	13	6.5	0	16
1971 (Miami)	9	115	12.8	0	39
1972 (Miami)	4	23	5.8	0	21
TOTALS	19	184	9.7	0	39

POST-SEASON

Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1964 (Cleveland)	1	13	13.0	0	13
1965 (Cleveland)	2	30	15.0	0	19
1966 (Cleveland)		(NONE)			
1967 (Cleveland)	3	99	33.0	1	75t
1968 (Cleveland)	6	116	19.3	0	39
1969 (Cleveland)	12	146	12.2	0	24
1970 (Miami)	4	62	15.5	1	24
1971 (Miami)	13	306	23.5	1	75t
1972 (Miami)	7	149	21.3	0	52
TOTALS	48	969	20.2	3	75t

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Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1964 (Cleveland)	1	3	3.0	0	3
1965-1971		(NONE)			
1972 (Miami)	2	41	20.5	0	21
TOTALS	3	44	14.7	0	21

YEPREMIAN, GARO

Kicker

Ht.: 5-8 Wt.: 175
Born: June 2, 1944 None
Sixth year (FA, 1970)

PRO: Garo joined the Dolphins in late summer of 1970 as a free agent after two years with Detroit and two



years out of action. On a recommendation, Coach Don Shula signed Garo without ever having seen him kick. Yepremian quickly became one of the most popular Dolphins, with small size, quick wit and kicking ability. At Detroit, he obtained a tryout without any previous experience in football. His youth was spent as a soccer player in his native Cyprus and later in England. His first season with the Lions was sensational, setting an NFL record in one game against Minnesota, with six field goals, including four in one quarter, another NFL record. He continued to set records when he came to Miami. In 1971 he led the NFL in scoring with 117 points and was 100 per cent in PAT attempts. This past season, Garo had 24 field goals, 48 PAT for a total of 115 points. Yepremian added to his fame this year in Super Bowl VII by attempting to throw a pass after recovering a blocked field goal attempt. Won longest game at Kansas City in 1971 playoff with 37-yard field goal at 22:40 of overtime.

PERSONAL: Although Garo never graduated from high school, he speaks four languages. He was born in Cyprus and played both soccer and tennis for American Academy in Larnaca, Cyprus. Garo manufactures ties and owns two tie stores. He is married and lives in Miami.

PRO STATISTICS:

Scoring	PAT	FG(L)	Pts.
1966 (Detroit)	11-11	13-22(44)	50
1967 (Detroit)	22-23	2-6 (33)	28
1968-1969		(NONE)	
1970 (Miami)	31-31	22-29(47)	97
1971 (Miami)	33-33	28-40(48)	117
1972 (Miami)	43-45	24-37(54)	115
TOTALS	140-143	89-134(54)	407

Field Goals	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-over
1970	4-4	2-3	5-6	11-15	0-1
1971	7-7	8-8	6-11	7-12	0-2
1972	7-7	3-3	7-8	4-11	3-8
TOTALS	18-18	13-14	18-25	22-38	3-11

POST-SEASON

Scoring	PAT	FG(L)	Pts.
1970	2-2	0-2	2
1971	6-6	3-5 (37)	15
1972	7-7	2-5 (46)	13
TOTALS	15-15	5-12(46)	15

1973 DRAFTEES

BOYD, GREG

Ht.: 6-2½ Wt.: 201 Arizona
 Born: December 30, 1950 First year (14-D, 1973)

COLLEGE: Intercepted three passes as a senior. In Arizona's defensive rating system, he had 32 points—in the top half—building most of his points with 11 tackles. Knee surgery during off-season before his senior year.

PERSONAL: All-American honorable mention and All-State as a prep at Sahauro High School in Scottsdale.

BRADLEY, CHUCK

Ht.: 6-5½ Wt.: 227 Oregon
 Born: October 13, 1950 First year (2-D, 1973)

COLLEGE: Bradley—Miami's top pick in the 1973 draft—began his college career at tight end, catching 12 passes for 202 yards as a junior. Switched to center his senior year; also plays tackle or guard. Quick to get to the middle linebacker. Timed at 4.8 for the 40-dash. Did not play as a freshman or sophomore, but started as junior.

PERSONAL: Three-sport man at Menlo-Atherton High School in California. Played football, basketball, baseball. Born in Hinsdale, Ill.

FERNANDES, RON

Ht.: 6-3¾ Wt.: 238 Eastern Michigan
 Born: September 11, 1951 First year (10-D, 1973)

COLLEGE: After living in shadow of All-America Dave Pureifory, Fernandes came to life his senior year with 101 tackles. Caused and recovered two fumbles, defended on four passes as defensive tackle.

PERSONAL: Star prep football player in native Ypsilanti, Mich.

GRAY, LEON

Ht.: 6-3 Wt.: 256 Jackson State
 Born: November 15, 1951 First year (3-D, 1973)

COLLEGE: Top offensive lineman for Tigers, making several all-star teams following his senior year. Timed by Dolphins' scouts in 5.0 for 40-dash, after one scouting combine rated him much slower. Good pass-blocker, pulls well. All-Southwestern Conference first team, team most valuable player and captain. Honored by Pittsburgh Courier on All-America team. Dean's list every quarter except first as frosh.

PERSONAL: All-Conference and All-State at East Side High in Olive Branch, Miss. Lives in Memphis.

HATTER, WILLIE

Ht.: 5-11 Wt.: 175 Northern Illinois
 Born: October 27, 1950 First year (7c-D, 1973)

COLLEGE: Led Huskies in receiving his senior year with 17 receptions for 268 yards, a 15.8 average. Three-year totals: 102 catches for 1,301 yards and six touchdowns. Grabbed 50 as a junior, including 11 against Wisconsin and 12 against Western Michigan. Associated Press All-America honorable mention.

PERSONAL: Played football at Evanston High School on two undefeated teams. All-Suburban League and All-State.

JACKSON, JAMES

Ht.: 6-4 Wt.: 220 Norfolk State
 Born: May 14, 1949 First year (16-D, 1973)

COLLEGE: Versatility helped him play four positions: tight end, defensive end and offensive and defensive tackle.
PERSONAL: Touminville High football star in Mobile, Ala.

KETE, CHRIS

Ht.: 6-2½ Wt.: 225 Boston College
 Born: March 31, 1951 First year (11-D, 1973)

COLLEGE: Showed aggressiveness in abilities to get to the middle linebacker.

PERSONAL: Single, Kete makes his home in Madison, New Jersey.

LORCH, KARL

Ht.: 6-3½ Wt.: 240 Southern California
 Born: June 14, 1950 First year (9-D, 1973)

COLLEGE: Played second string at USC, but was thought to be the quickest, fastest and best pass rusher on the squad by scouts. Attended Arizona Western College for two years before transferring to USC.

PERSONAL: Native of Aiea, Hawaii, he played football at Kamehameha High School.

MCCURRY, DAVE

Ht.: 6-0½ Wt.: 187 Iowa State
 Born: February 23, 1951 First year (5b-D, 1973)

COLLEGE: Tied for second on team in senior year with four interceptions and returned 14 punts for 112 yards, with a long of 35. Was wide receiver as a sophomore, but switched to defense as a junior because of team injuries. Timed at 4.5 in the 40-dash. Also ran track.

PERSONAL: Four-sport man at Grinnell (Iowa) High, with letters in football, basketball, baseball and track. Captained football, basketball. State hurdles champion.

MULLEN, MIKE

Ht.: 6-1 Wt.: 220 Tulane
 Born: February 4, 1950 First year (12-D, 1973)

COLLEGE: Balanced performer for Tulane, with 52 unassisted tackles and 53 assists for 105 total as a senior. Started as a guard at Oklahoma, but transferred because of a stated preference for playing linebacker.

PERSONAL: Prep player for St. Mark's High in Dallas. Weight-lifting enthusiast.

NEWMAN, ED

Ht.: 6-1¾ Wt.: 236 Duke
 Born: June 4, 1951 First year (6-D, 1973)

COLLEGE: All-Atlantic Coast Conference his junior and senior years. Timed at 4.85 for the 40-dash. Twice All-ACC heavyweight wrestling champion.

PERSONAL: Football, wrestling and track were his sports at Syossett High School in New York. All-North Shore, All-Nassau County and All-Metropolitan in football and wrestling.

PALMER, BILL**Tight End**

Ht.: 6-3 Wt.: 235 St. Thomas, Minn.
 Born: February 19, 1951 First year (15-D, 1973)

COLLEGE: Started his career as a 180-pound wide receiver, but ended as a tight end. Played some linebacker.

PERSONAL: One of nine children—including eight boys—he played football in home town high school at Stillwater, Minn.

PEARMON, ARCHIE**Defensive End**

Ht.: 6-3½ Wt.: 235 Northeast Oklahoma
 Born: February 16, 1950 First year (8-D, 1973)

COLLEGE: Scored four touchdowns for Northeast Oklahoma. Three followed blocked punts—he had a total of nine blocked punts—and one with a fumble recovery. National Lineman of the Week. All-Oklahoma Collegiate Conference three times. Career total: 163 tackles, 181 assists.

kickoff returns. Considered by many scouts to have the potential of a Paul Warfield.

PERSONAL: From Sandusky, Ohio, where he played football and was a prep long-jump champion.

RATHER, DAVE "BO"**Wide Receiver**

Ht.: 6-0¾ Wt.: 184 Michigan
 Born: October 7, 1950 First year (4-D, 1973)

COLLEGE: Second-leading receiver at Michigan senior year with 15 catches for 197 yards and two touchdowns. A defensive back as a sophomore, he switched to offense as a junior and was No. 2 in receiving and led team in

PERSONAL: From Annapolis, Md., where he played basketball and football in high school.

REILLY, KEVIN**Linebacker**

Ht.: 6-1½ Wt.: 213 Villanova
 Born: April 10, 1951 First year (7a-D, 1973)

COLLEGE: Had 66 tackles and 59 assists for 125 total his senior year. Caused one fumble and recovered three others.

PERSONAL: All-State and captain in football at Salesianum High School in Wilmington, Del. Also played basketball and lifts weights.

SHEPHERD, BENNY**Running Back**

Ht.: 5-9¾ Wt.: 196 Arkansas Tech
 Born: April 5, 1950 First year (7b-D, 1973)

COLLEGE: Rushed for 860 yards in 123 carries and gained another 73 yards on 11 pass receptions during his senior year. Scored six touchdowns rushing. NAIA All-America honorable mention. All-Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference.

PERSONAL: Attended Fort Smith, Ark., High School, where he earned local football honors.

SMITH, TOM**Running Back**

Ht.: 6-0¾ Wt.: 216 Miami, Fla.
 Born: October 4, 1949 First year (7d-D, 1973)

COLLEGE: Power-back in the Miami offense. Smith carried the ball 91 times as a senior for 457 yards—a team-leading 5.02 average—and scored three times. Caught six passes for 41 yards. Transferred to Miami from Iowa after his sophomore year.

PERSONAL: Won All-America, All-State and All-Conference first team honors twice each while at Waterloo, Iowa High. Played football, basketball, track, wrestling.

STROCK, DON**Quarterback**

Ht.: 6-5 Wt.: 205 Virginia Tech
 Born: November 27, 1950 First year (5-D, 1973)

COLLEGE: Led nation's major college division in passing and total offense as a senior. Completed 228 of 427 passes for 3,243 yards and 16 touchdowns. Total offense: 3,170 yards in 480 plays. Played in the Hula Bowl and was outstanding offensive player in Blue-Gray game. Over-all in college: 628 completions in 1174 attempts (.535 average) for 8,887 yards.

PERSONAL: Graduated from Virginia Tech with degree in Distributive Direction. Currently lives in Washington, D.C. and works for surveying company.

WADE, CHARLEY**Wide Receiver**

Ht.: 5-9½ Wt.: 164 Tennessee State
 Born: February 23, 1950 First year (17-D, 1973)

COLLEGE: Considerable speed, and abilities to catch for man his size.

PERSONAL: Last man selected in the 1973 college draft, No. 442.

RADIO**WEAVER****BARROW****WOODSON**

Miami radio station WIOD (610) is the originating station for the Dolphins network, which carries all the Miami games. Rick Weaver, play-by-play sportscaster of the year in competition by the Florida Sportscasters Association, calls the play-by-play; former Dolphin Freddie Woodson supplies the color commentary, and Henry Barrow handles the analysis from the playing field. At this point other stations on the network will be: WTRL, Bradenton; WEZY, Cocoa; WINK, Fort Myers; WARN, Fort Pierce; WRUF, Gainesville; WNOG, Naples; WKIS, Orlando; WWBA, St. Petersburg; WROD, Daytona Beach; WIAX, Jacksonville; WTNT, Tallahassee; WPOM, West Palm Beach; WMCF, Stuart; WKIZ, Key West; WFBM, Indianapolis, and WMMB, Melbourne.

MIAMI DOLPHINS DEPTH CHART

(As of June 1, 1973)

OFFENSE

Wide Receiver Paul Warfield Ron Sellers Karl Noonan Willie Hatter Charley Wade	Left Tackle Wayne Moore Doug Crusan Greg Garton	Left Guard Bob Kuechenberg Al Jenkins Chris Kete	Center Jim Langer Howard Kindig Chuck Bradley	Right Guard Larry Little Ed Newman	Right Tackle Norm Evans Leon Gray	Tight End Marv Fleming Jim Mandich Larry Seiple Bill Palmer Tom Turner David Webster	Wide Receiver Howard Twilley Marlin Briscoe Dave Rafter Willie Hatter	
Running Back Mercury Morris Jim Kiick Hubert Ginn Ben Shepherd Joe Washington John Ferl	Quarterback Bob Griese Earl Morrall Jim Del Gaizo Don Strock	Running Back Larry Csonka Charles Leigh Tom Smith Greg Boyd	Ed Jenkins Cleo House	Holder Earl Morrall Marlin Briscoe Karl Noonan	Placekicker Garo Yepremian Mike Burke Jeff White	Punter Larry Seiple Dick Anderson	San Jose State Southern California	FA D-9

DEFENSE

Left End Vern Den Herder Archie Pearson Karl Lorch	Left Tackle Manny Fernandez Mauffy Moore Mike Kadish	Left Linebacker Doug Swift Larry Ball Kevin Reilly John Iglehart	Middle Linebacker Nick Buoniconti Bob Matheson Mike Mullen	Right Tackle Bob Heinz Jim Dunaway	Right End Bill Stanfill Ron Fernandes James Jackson
Left Cornerback Tim Foley Lloyd Mumphord Henry Stuckey Jodi Carter	Free Safety Jake Scott Charles Babb Tom Curtis Leonard George	Right Linebacker Mike Kolen Jesse Powell	Strong Safety Dick Anderson Charles Babb Willie Lewis Greg Strunk	Right Cornerback Curtis Johnson Lloyd Mumphord Dave McCurry	

(Rookies in bold face)

NUMERICAL ROSTER 1973

MIAMI DOLPHINS VETERAN ROSTER
(As of June 1, 1973)

No.	Name, Pos.
1	Yeplemian, Garo, K
11	Del Gaizo, Jim, QB
12	Griese, Bob, QB
13	Scott, Jake, S
15	Morrall, Earl, QB
20	Seiple, Larry, P-TE
21	Kiick, Jim, RB
22	Morris, Mercury, RB
23	Leigh, Charles, RB
25	Foley, Tim, CB
26	Mumphord, Lloyd, CB
28	Jenkins, Ed, RB
32	Ginn, Hubert, RB
39	Csonka, Larry, RB
40	Anderson, Dick, S
42	Warfield, Paul, WR
44	Curtis, Tom, S
45	Johnson, Curtis, CB
49	Babb, Charles, DB
51	Ball, Larry, LB
53	Matheson, Bob, LB
54	Kindig, Howard, C
56	Powell, Jesse, LB
57	Kolen, Mike, LB
59	Swift, Doug, LB
60	Jenkins, Al, G
62	Langer, Jim, C
65	Moore, Maulty, DT
66	Little, Larry, G
67	Kuechenberg, Bob, G
72	Heinz, Bob, DT
73	Evans, Norm, T
75	Fernandez, Manny, DT
77	Crusan, Doug, T
78	Dunaway, Jim, DT
79	Moore, Wayne, T
80	Fleming, Marv, TE
81	Twilley, Howard, WR
83	Den Herder, Vern, DE
84	Stanfill, Bill, DE
85	Buoniconti, Nick, LB
86	Briscoe, Marlin, WR
87	Sellers, Ron, WR
88	Mandich, Jim, TE
89	Noonan, Karl, WR

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Yr.	College
40	Anderson, Dick	S	6-2	196	27	6	Colorado
49	Babb, Charles	S	6-0	190	23	2	Memphis State
51	Ball, Larry	LB	6-6	225	24	2	Louisville
86	Briscoe, Marlin	WR	5-11	178	27	5	Omaha
85	Buoniconti, Nick	LB	5-11	220	32	12	Notre Dame
77	Crusan, Doug	T	6-4	250	27	6	Indiana
39	Csonka, Larry	RB	6-2	237	26	6	Syracuse
44	Curtis, Tom	S	6-1	195	26	3	Michigan
11	Del Gaizo, Jim	QB	6-1	198	26	2	Tampa
83	Den Herder, Vern	DE	6-6	250	24	3	Central, Iowa
78	Dunaway, Jim	DT	6-4	277	32	11	Mississippi
73	Evans, Norm	T	6-5	250	30	9	TCU
75	Fernandez, Manny	DT	6-2	250	27	6	Utah
80	Fleming, Marv	TE	6-4	232	31	11	Utah
25	Foley, Tim	CB	6-0	194	24	4	Purdue
32	Ginn, Hubert	RB	5-10	185	26	4	Florida A&M
12	Griese, Bob	QB	6-1	190	28	7	Purdue
72	Heinz, Bob	DT-DE	6-6	265	26	5	Pacific
60	Jenkins, Al	G-T	6-2	245	27	4	Tulsa
28	Jenkins, Ed	RB	6-2	210	23	2	Holy Cross
45	Johnson, Curtis	CB	6-1	196	25	4	Toledo
21	Kiick, Jim	RB	5-11	214	27	6	Wyoming
54	Kindig, Howard	T-C	6-6	260	32	7	Cal State-L.A.
57	Kolen, Mike	LB	6-2	220	25	4	Auburn
67	Kuechenberg, Bob	G	6-2	248	25	4	Notre Dame
62	Langer, Jim	C	6-2	250	25	4	South Dakota State
23	Leigh, Charles	RB	5-11	206	27	5	None
66	Little, Larry	G	6-1	265	27	7	Bethune-Cookman
88	Mandich, Jim	TE	6-2	224	25	4	Michigan
53	Matheson, Bob	LB	6-4	235	28	7	Duke
65	Moore, Maulty	DT	6-5	265	27	2	Bethune-Cookman
79	Moore, Wayne	T	6-6	265	27	4	Lamar Tech
15	Morrall, Earl	QB	6-2	210	39	18	Michigan State
22	Morris, Mercury	RB	5-10	190	26	5	West Texas State
26	Mumphord, Lloyd	CB	5-10	176	26	5	Texas Southern
89	Noonan, Karl	WR	6-2	198	29	7	Iowa
56	Powell, Jesse	LB	6-2	220	26	5	West Texas State
13	Scott, Jake	S	6-0	188	28	4	Georgia
20	Seiple, Larry	TE-P	6-0	214	28	7	Kentucky
87	Sellers, Ron	WR	6-4	195	26	5	Florida State
84	Stanfill, Bill	DE	6-5	250	26	5	Georgia
59	Swift, Doug	LB	6-3	226	25	4	Amherst
81	Twilley, Howard	WR	5-10	185	29	8	Tulsa
42	Warfield, Paul	WR	6-0	188	30	10	Ohio State
1	Yeplemian, Garo	K	5-8	175	29	6	None

(Ages as of September 1, 1973)

1973 ROOKIE AND FREE AGENT ROSTER

(As of June 15, 1973 — Ages as of September 1, 1973)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Hometown	College	How Acquired
35	BOYD, GREG	RB	6-2½	201	22	Scottsdale, Ariz.	Arizona	D-14
50	BRADLEY, CHUCK	C	6-6	227	22	Prairie View, Kan.	Oregon	D-2
7	BURKE, MICHAEL	K	5-9½	185	23	Miami	Miami, Fla.	FA
47	CARTER, JODIE	DB	5-11	180	22	N. Little Rock, Ark.	Henderson State	FA
31	FERL, JOHN	RB	6-0	220	26	Erie, Pa.	None	FA
74	FERNANDES, RON	DE	6-4	260	22	Ypsilanti, Mich.	Eastern Michigan	FA
71	GARTON, GREG	G	6-2	270	23	Rockford, Ill.	Northern Illinois	D-10
41	GEORGE, LEONARD JR.	DB	5-10	175	22	Tampa	Florida	FA
70	GRAY, LEON	T	6-3	256	22	Memphis	Jackson State	FA
36	HATTER, WILLIE	WR	5-11	175	22	Evanston, Ill.	Northern Illinois	D-3
33	HOUSE, CLEO	RB	5-10	234	23	DeKalb, Texas	Southern State	D-7c
55	INGLEHART, JOHN	LB	6-3	237	22	Oakland	Cal-State Hayward	FA
76	JACKSON, JAMES	DE	6-4	220	24	Mobile, Ala.	Norfolk State	FA
68	KADISH, MIKE	DT	6-5	265	23	Grand Rapids, Mich.	Noire Dame	D-16
61	KETE, CHRIS	C	6-2½	225	22	Madison, N.J.	Boston College	D-1, '72
Joe Washington John Ferl								
43	LEWIS, WILLIE	DB	6-0	185	24	San Jose	San Jose State	FA
63	LORCH, KARL	DE	6-3½	240	23	Honolulu, Hawaii	Southern California	D-9
34	MCCURRY, DAVE	DB	6-0½	187	22	Grimmell, Ia.	Iowa State	D-5
58	MULLEN, MIKE	MLB	6-1	220	23	Dallas	Tulane	D-12
64	NEWMAN, ED	G	6-2	236	22	Woodbury, N.Y.	Duke	D-6
46	PALMER, BILL	TE	6-3	235	22	Lawrence, Kan.	St. Thomas, Minn.	D-15
69	PEARMON, ARCHIE	DE	6-4	235	23	Annapolis, Md.	Northeast Oklahoma	D-8
30	RATHER, DAVE	WR	6-1	184	22	Sandusky, Ohio	Michigan	D-4
52	REILLY, KEVIN	LB	6-1½	213	22	Wilmington, Del.	Villanova	D-7a
24	SHEPHARD, BEN	RB	5-10	196	23	Fort Smith, Ark.	Arkansas Tech	D-7b
29	SMITH, TOM	RB	6-1	216	23	Waterloo, Ia.	Miami, Fla.	D-7d
10	STROCK, DON	QB	6-5	205	22	Washington, D.C.	Virginia Tech	D-5a
38	STRUNK, GREG	DB	6-0½	190	22	Evanston, Ill.	Northwestern	FA
48	STUCKEY, HENRY	DB	6-1	180	24	San Francisco	Missouri	FA, '72
	TURNER, TOM	TE	6-5	217	23	Louisville	Western Kentucky	FA
37	WADE, CHARLEY	WR	5-9½	164	23	Nashville	Tennessee State	D-17
27	WASHINGTON, JOSEPH	RB	5-9	180	22	Baton Rouge, La.	Illinois State	FA
	WEBSTER, DAVID	TE	6-4	225	24	Heflin, Ala.	Jacksonville (Ala.) State	FA
5	WHITE, JEFF	K	5-11	185	25	Bronxville, N.Y.	Texas-El Paso	FA



DOLPHINS' ALL-TIME ROSTER

PLAYERS

Player, Pos.	College	Years
ANDERSON, Dick, S	Colorado	1968-72
AUER, Joe, RB	Georgia Tech	1966-67
BABB, Charlie, DB	Memphis State	1972
BALL, Larry, LB	Louisville	1972
BARBER, Rudy, LB	Bethune-Cookman	1968
BEIER, Tom, S	Miami, Fla.	1967, 69
BOUTWELL, Tom, QB	Southern Mississippi	1969
BOYNTON, John, T	Tennessee	1969
BRAMLETT, John, LB	Memphis State	1967-68
BRANCH, Mel, DE	Louisiana State	1966-68
BRISCOE, Marlin, WR	Omaha	1972
BROWN, Dean, S	Ft. Valley State	1970
BROWNLIE, Claude, DE	Benedict	1967
BRUGGERS, Bob, LB	Minnesota	1966-68
BUONICONTI, Nick, LB	Notre Dame	1966-72
CANALE, Whit, DE	Tennessee	1966
CARPENTER, Preston, TE	Arkansas	1966
CASARES, Rick, RB	Florida	1966
CHESSER, George, RB	Delta State	1966-67
CLANCY, Jack, WR	Michigan	1967-69
COLE, Terry, RB	Indiana	1971
COOKE, Ed, DE	Maryland	1966-67
CORNISH, Frank, DT	Grambling	1970-71
COX, Jim, TE	Miami (Fla.)	1968
CRONIN, Bill, TE	Boston College	1966
CRUSAN, Doug, T	Indiana	1968-72
CSONKA, Larry, RB	Syracuse	1968-72
CURRENT, Mike, T	Ohio State	1967
DARNALL, Bill, WR	North Carolina	1968-69
DAVIS, Ted, LB	Georgia Tech	1970
DE MARCO, Bob, C	Dayton	1970-71
DEL GAIZO, Jim, QB	Tampa	1972
DEN HERDER, Vern, DE	Central (Iowa)	1971-72
DOTSON, Al, DT	Grambling	1966
DUNAWAY, Jim, DT	Mississippi	1972
EDMUNDS, Randall, LB	Georgia Tech	1968-69
EMANUEL, Frank, LB	Tennessee	1966-69
ERLANDSON, Tom, LB	Washington State	1966-67
EVANS, Norm, T	Texas Christian	1966-72
FAISON, Earl, DE	Indiana	1966
FARLEY, Dale, LB	West Virginia	1971
FERNANDEZ, Manny, DE	Utah	1968-72
FLEMING, Marv, TE	Utah	1970-72
FOLEY, Tim, DB	Purdue	1970-72
FOWLER, Charlie, G	Houston	1967-68
GILCHRIST, Cookie, RB	None	1966
GINN, Hubert, RB	Florida A&M	1970-72
GOODE, Tom, C	Mississippi State	1966-69
GRADY, Garry, DB	Eastern Michigan	1969
GRIESE, Bob, QB	Purdue	1967-72
HAMMOND, Kim, QB	Florida State	1968
HARPER, Jack, RB	Florida	1967-68
HAYNES, Abner, RB	North Texas State	1967
HEINZ, Bob, DT	Pacific	1969-72
HIGGINS, Jim, G	Xavier	1966

Player, Pos.	College	Years
HINES, Jimmy, WR	Texas Southern	1969
HOLMES, Johnny, DE	Florida A&M	1966
HOPKINS, Jerry, LB	Texas A&M	1967-68
HOWELL, Mike, DB	Grambling	1972
HUDOCK, Mike, C	Miami (Fla.)	1966
HUNTER, Billy, RB	Syracuse	1966
JACKSON, Frank, WR	Southern Methodist	1966-67
JACOBS, Ray, DT	Howard Payne	1967-68
JACQUESS, Pete, DB	Eastern New Mexico	1966-67
JENKINS, Al, T	Tulsa	1972
JENKINS, Ed, RB	Holy Cross	1972
JOE, Billy, RB	Villanova	1966
JOHNSON, Curtis, DB	Toledo	1970-72
JOSWICK, Bob, DE	Tulsa	1968-69
KEATING, Bill, DT	Michigan	1967
KEYES, Jimmy, LB-K	Mississippi	1968-69
KIICK, Jim, RB	Wyoming	1968-72
KINDIG, Howard, G-C	Cal. State-L.A.	1972
KOCOUREK, Dave, TE	Wisconsin	1966
KOLEN, Mike, LB	Auburn	1970-72
KREMSER, Karl, K	Tennessee	1969-70
KUECHENBERG, Bob, G	Notre Dame	1970-72
LAMB, Mack, DB	Tennessee A&I	1967-68
LANGER, Jim, G	So. Dakota State	1971-72
LEIGH, Charles, RB	None	1971-72
LITTLE, Larry, G	Bethune-Cookman	1969-72
LOTHRIDGE, Billy, K	Georgia Tech	1972
LUSTEG, Booth, K	Connecticut	1967
MANDICH, Jim, TE	Michigan	1970-72
MASS, Wayne, T	Clemson	1971
MATHESON Bob, LB	Duke	1971-72
MATTHEWS, Wes, WR	Northeast Oklahoma	1966
MAUCK, Carl, C	Southern Illinois	1970
McBRIDE, Norm, DE	Utah	1969-70
McCULLERS, Dale, LB	Florida State	1969
McDANIEL, Wahoo, LB	Oklahoma	1966-68
McGEEVER, John, DB	Auburn	1966
MERTENS, Jim, TE	Fairmont State	1969
MILTON, Gene, WR	Florida A&M	1968-69
MINGO, Gene, K	None	1966-67
MIRA, George, QB	Miami (Fla.)	1971
MITCHELL, Stan, RB	Tennessee	1966-70
MOORE, Maulty, DT	Bethune-Cookman	1972
MOORE, Wayne, T	Lamar Tech	1970-72
MOREAU, Doug, TE	Louisiana State	1966-69
MORRALL, Earl, QB	Michigan State	1972
MORRIS, Mercury, RB	West Texas State	1969-72
MUMPHORD, Lloyd, CB	Texas Southern	1969-72
NEFF, Bob, DB	Stephen F. Austin	1966-68
NEIGHBORS, Billy, G	Alabama	1966-69
NOMINA, Tom, DT	Miami (Ohio)	1966-68
NOONAN, Karl, WR	Iowa	1966-71
NORTON, Rick, QB	Kentucky	1966-69
PARK, Ernie, G	McMurray (Tex.)	1966
PEARSON, Willie, CB	North Carolina A&T	1969
PETRELLA, Bob, DB	Tennessee	1966-71
POWELL, Jesse, LB	West Texas State	1969-72
PRICE, Sam, RB	Illinois	1966-68
PRYOR, Barry, RB	Boston U.	1969-70

DOLPHINS' ALL-TIME ROSTER

Player	Pos.	College	Years
PYBURN, Jack, T		Texas A&M	1967-68
RICE, Ken, G		Auburn	1966-67
RICHARDSON, Jeff, T		Michigan State	1969
RICHARDSON, John, DT		UCLA	1967-71
RICHARDSON, Willie, WR		Jackson State	1970
RILEY, Jim, DE		Oklahoma	1967-71
ROBERSON, Bo, WR		Cornell	1966
ROBERTS, Archie, QB		Columbia	1967
RODERICK, John, WR		Southern Methodist	1966-67
RUDOLPH, Jack, LB		Georgia Tech	1966
SCOTT, Jake, S		Georgia	1970-72
SEIPLE, Larry, P-TE		Kentucky	1967-72
STANFILL, Bill, DE		Georgia	1969-72
STOFA, John, QB		Buffalo	1966-67, 1969-70
STOWE, Otto, WR		Iowa State	1971-72
SWIFT, Doug, LB		Amherst	1970-72
THORNTON, Jack, LB		Auburn	1966
TORCZON, Laverne, DE		Nebraska	1966
TUCKER, Gary, RB		Chattanooga	1968
TWILLEY, Howard, WR		Tulsa	1966-72
URBANEK, Jim, DT		Mississippi	1968
WARFIELD, Paul, WR		Ohio State	1970-72
WARREN, Jimmy, DB		Illinois	1966-69
WASHINGTON, Dick, DB		Bethune-Cookman	1968
WEISACOSKY, Ed, LB		Miami (Fla.)	1968-70
WEST, Willie, DB		Oregon	1966-68
WESTMORELAND, Dick, RB		North Carolina A&T	1966-69
WILLIAMS, Maxie, G-T		Southeast Louisiana	1966-70
WILSON, George, Jr., QB		Xavier	1966
WOOD, Dick, QB		Auburn	1966
WOODSON, Freddie, G		Florida A&M	1967-69
YEPREMIAN, Garo, K		None	1970-72
ZECHER, Rich, DT		Utah State	1966-67

DOLPHINS HEAD COACHES

Coach, School, Years	Record
George Wilson, Northwestern	
1966-69	15-39-2
Donald F. Shula, John Carroll University	
1970-72	34- 7-1

DOLPHINS ASSISTANT COACHES

Coach, School, Assignment	Years
Bill Arnsparger, Miami (Ohio)	
Assistant (Head Defensive Coach, Linebackers)	1970-72
Les Bingaman, Illinois	
Assistant (Defensive Line, Special Assignments)	1966-69
Monte Clark, Southern California	
Assistant (Offensive Line)	1970-72
Ralph Hawkins, Maryland	
Assistant (Receivers)	1966
Ernie Hefferle, Duquesne	
Assistant (Offensive Line)	1966-69
John Idzik, Maryland	
Assistant (Offensive Backfield)	1966-69
Tom Keane, West Virginia	
Assistant (Defensive Backfield)	1966-72
Bob Pellegrini, Maryland	
Assistant (Linebackers)	1966-67
Mike Scarry, Waynesburg College	
Assistant (Defensive Line)	1970-72
Howard Schnellenberger, Kentucky	
Assistant (Head Offensive Coach, Receivers)	1970-72
Carl Taseff, John Carroll University	
Assistant (Offensive Backfield)	1970-72
Bobby Walston, Georgia	
Assistant (Receivers and Placekickers)	1966-67

SERVICE TO THE DOLPHINS
TOTAL DOLPHINS GAMES

	1972	Before	Total
Anderson, Dick	14	56	70
Babb, Charlie	14	0	14
Ball, Larry	10	0	10
Briscoe, Marlin	10	0	10
Buoniconiti, Nick	14	40	54
Crusan, Doug	11	56	67
Csonka, Larry	14	50	64
Del Gaizo, Jim	4	0	4
Den Herder, Vern	14	14	28
Dunaway, Jim	6	0	6
Evans, Norm	14	82	96
Fernandez, Manny	14	52	66
Fleming, Marv	14	28	42
Foley, Tim	14	28	42
Ginn, Hubert	14	26	40
Griese, Bob	6	62	68
Heinz, Bob	11	38	49
Jenkins, Al	14	0	14
Jenkins, Ed	3	0	3
Johnson, Curtis	14	42	56
Kiick, Jim	14	55	69
Kindig, Howard	14	0	14
Kolen, Mike	13	28	41
Kuechenberg, Bob	14	42	56
Langer, Jim	14	20	34
Leigh, Charlie	14	14	28
Little, Larry	14	39	53
Mandich, Jim	14	25	39
Matheson, Bob	14	14	28
Moore, Maulty	14	0	14
Moore, Wayne	9	15	24
Morrall, Earl	14	0	14
Morris, Mercury	14	38	52
Mumphord, Lloyd	14	37	51
Noonan, Karl	0	84	84
Powell, Jesse	14	37	51
Scott, Jake	14	28	42
Seiple, Larry	11	69	80
Stanfill, Bill	14	39	53
Swift, Doug	14	28	42
Twilley, Howard	13	66	79
Warfield, Paul	12	25	37
Yepremian, Garo	14	27	41
TOTALS	14	84	98

ORIGIN OF THE DOLPHINS

Player	Pos.	College	Round Selected
1966 EXPANSION DRAFT			
Norm Evans	T	Houston	
1966 COLLEGE DRAFT			
Howard Twilley	WR	Tulsa	12
1966 FREE AGENT SIGNEES			
Karl Noonan	WR	Iowa	
1967 COLLEGE DRAFT			
Bob Griese	QB	Purdue	1
Larry Seiple	P-TE	Kentucky	7
1968 COLLEGE DRAFT			
Larry Csonka	RB	Syracuse	1A
Doug Crusan	T	Indiana	1B
Dick Anderson	S	Colorado	3
Jim Klick	RB	Wyoming	5

1968 FREE AGENT SIGNEES

Player	Pos.	College	Round Selected
Manny Fernandez	DT	Utah	

1969 COLLEGE DRAFT

Bill Stanfill	DE	Georgia	1
Bob Heinz	DT	Pacific	2
Mercury Morris	RB	West Texas State	3
Jesse Powell	LB	West Texas State	9
Lloyd Mumphord	CB	Texas Southern	16

1969 TRADE ACQUISITIONS

Larry Little	G	Bethune-Cookman	from Chargers
Nick Buoniconiti	MLB	Notre Dame	from Patriots

1970 COLLEGE DRAFT

Jim Mandich	TE	Michigan	2
Tim Foley	CB	Purdue	3
Curtis Johnson	CB	Toledo	4
Jake Scott	S	Georgia	7
Hubert Ginn	RB	Florida A&M	9
Mike Kolen	LB	Auburn	12

1970 FREE AGENT SIGNEES

Bob Kuechenberg	G	Notre Dame	
Doug Swift	LB	Amherst	
Garo Yepremian	K	None	

1970 TRADE ACQUISITIONS

*Marv Fleming	TE	Utah	from Packers
Paul Warfield	WR	Ohio State	from Browns

1970 WAIVER ACQUISITIONS

Jim Langer	G	South Dakota State	from Browns
Wayne Moore	T	Lamar Tech	from 49ers

1971 COLLEGE DRAFT

Vern Den Herder	DE	Central, Iowa	9
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1971 FREE AGENT SIGNEES

Jim Del Gaizo	QB	Tampa	
Charlie Leigh	RB	None	
Maulty Moore	DT	Bethune-Cookman	

1971 TRADE ACQUISITIONS

Bob Matheson	LB	Duke	from Browns
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1972 COLLEGE DRAFT

Mike Kadish	DT	Notre Dame	1
Larry Ball	LB	Louisville	4
Charlie Babb	S	Memphis State	5
Eddie Jenkins	RB	Holy Cross	11

1972 FREE AGENT SIGNEES

Al Jenkins	G	Tulsa	
Henry Stuckey	DB	Missouri	

1972 TRADE ACQUISITIONS

*Marlin Briscoe	WR	Omaha	from Bills
Jim Dunaway	DT	Mississippi	from Bills
Howard Kindig	T-C	Cal State—L.A.	from Bills

1972 WAIVER ACQUISITIONS

Player	Pos.	College	Received From
Tom Curtis	S	Michigan	from Rams
Earl Morrall	QB	Michigan State	from Colts

1973 TRADE ACQUISITION

Ron Sellers	WR	Florida State	from Cowboys
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*Played out option; Miami gave his club compensation.

DOLPHINS TRADES PLAYERS ONLY

- 1967 John McGeever to San Diego for John Farris (did not report)
 Mike Hudock to New York Jets for Nick DeFelice
 Bill Cronin to Denver for Ray Jacobs
 Ernie Park, George Wilson, Jr., Earl Faison and Cookie Gilchrist to Denver for Jerry Hopkins, Abner Haynes, Danny LaRose and draft pick 6
 Ron Caveness to Houston (swap for rights to Billy Anderson, Tulsa QB)
- 1969 Kim Hammond, John Bramlett and draft pick 5 to New England for Nick Buoniconti
 Mack Lamb to San Diego for Larry Little
- 1970 Dick Westmoreland to Minnesota for Bookie Bolin
 Tom Beier to San Francisco for Lance Olsen
 Jack Clancy to Green Bay for Marv Fleming
- 1972 Dale Farley to Buffalo for Jim Dunaway
- 1973 Frank Cornish to Buffalo for Howard Kindig and draft pick 5
- 1973 Otto Stowe to Dallas for Ron Sellers and draft pick No. 2.

DRAFT PICKS

(Year indicated is draft pick year, not year traded)

- 1967 George Wilson, Jr. from Buffalo (13)
 Jack Spikes to Buffalo (5)
 Jerry Oliver to Denver (12)
 Bill Cronin from Oakland (8)
 Cookie Gilchrist from Denver (3 and 5)
 1968 John Stofa to Cincinnati (1, 2 at end of rounds)
 John Brittenum to San Diego (3)
 Dave Kocourek to Oakland (8)
 Billy Anderson to Houston (9)
 John Bramlett from Denver (4)
 Archie Roberts from New York Jets (8)
 1969 Tom Erlandson to San Diego (7)
 John Roderick to Oakland (5)
 1970 Paul Warfield from Cleveland (1)
 Nick Buoniconti from New England (5)
 1971 Willie Richardson from Pittsburgh (5)
 Bob DeMarco from Pittsburgh (8)
 1972 Carl Mauck to San Diego (4)
 John Stofa to Denver (7)
 Bob Matheson from Cleveland (2)
 Russell Price from Houston (10)
 1973 Marlin Briscoe from Buffalo (1)
 Frank Cornish to Buffalo (5)
 Wayne Mass to New England (7)
 Bob DeMarco to Cleveland (7)
 Bill Griffin to New England (7)

DOLPHINS CAPTAINS

- 1966—Linebacker Tom Erlandson (defense), tight end Dave Kocourek (offense)

- 1967—End Ed Cooke (defense), tackle Norm Evans (offense)
 1968—Tackle Ray Jacobs, cornerback Dick Westmoreland (defense), guard Billy Neighbors (offense)
 1969—Linebacker Nick Buoniconti (defense), quarterback Bob Griese (offense), Frank Emanuel (special teams)
 1970—Linebacker Nick Buoniconti (defense), quarterback Bob Griese (offense), special teams chosen by game
 1971—Linebacker Nick Buoniconti (defense); quarterback Bob Griese, guard Larry Little (offense), special teams chosen by game.
 1972—Linebacker Nick Buoniconti (defense); quarterback Bob Griese, guard Larry Little (offense), special teams chosen by game.

1972 IN REVIEW

17 Games to History

MIAMI 20, KANSAS CITY 10

September 17, 1972
 At Kansas City—79,829

Miami	7	10	3	0	—	20
Kansas City	0	0	3	7	—	10
Miami—Briscoe, 14 pass from Griese (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 47						
Miami—Csonka, 2 run (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 15						
KC—FG, Stenerud 40						
KC—Frazier, 4 pass from Dawson (Stenerud kick)						

MIAMI 34, HOUSTON 13

September 24, 1972
 At Miami—77,821

Houston	0	0	13	0	—	13
Miami	13	7	7	7	—	34
Miami—Kiick, 1 run (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—Morris, 2 run (kick blocked)						
Miami—Csonka, 4 run (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—Griese, 2 run (Yepremian kick)						
Hou—Joiner, 82 pass from Pastorini (kick wide)						
Hou—Rodgers, 1 run (S. Butler kick)						
Miami—Kiick, 6 pass from Griese (Yepremian kick)						

MIAMI 16, MINNESOTA 14

October 1, 1972
 At Minneapolis-St. Paul—47,900

Miami	0	0	6	10	—	16
Minnesota	7	0	0	7	—	14
Minn—Gilliam, 56 pass from Tarkenton (Cox kick)						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 38						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 42						
Minn—Brown, 1 run (Cox kick)						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 51						
Miami—Mandich, 3 pass from Griese (Yepremian kick)						

MIAMI 27, NEW YORK JETS 17

October 8, 1972
 At New York—63,841

Miami	0	14	3	10	—	27
New York Jets	7	0	3	7	—	17
NY—Rasmussen recovered fumble in end zone (Howfield kick)						
Miami—Twilley, 16 pass from Griese (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—Kiick, 6 run (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 27						
NY—FG, Howfield 18						
Miami—Kiick, 3 run (Yepremian kick)						
NY—Boozar, 1 run (Howfield kick)						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 43						

MIAMI 24, SAN DIEGO 10

October 15, 1972
At Miami—80,010

San Diego	3	0	0	7	—	10
Miami	3	14	7	0	—	24
Miami—FG, Yepremian 37						
SD—FG, Partee 12						
Miami—Anderson, 35 return with fumble recovery (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—Twilley, 18 pass from Morrall (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—Warfield, 19 pass from Morrall (Yepremian kick)						
SD—Edwards, 3 pass from Hadl (McClard kick)						

MIAMI 24, BUFFALO 23

October 22, 1972
At Miami—80,010

Buffalo	0	13	0	10	—	23
Miami	7	0	10	7	—	24
Miami—Morris, 5 run (Yepremian kick)						
Buffalo—FG, Leypoldt 35						
Buffalo—Lee, 16 return with interception (Leypoldt kick)						
Buffalo—FG, Leypoldt 34						
Miami—Csonka, 10 run (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 54						
Buffalo—FG, Leypoldt 45						
Miami—Morris, 15 run (Yepremian kick)						
Buffalo—Braxton, 6 pass from Taliaferro (Leypoldt kick)						

MIAMI 23, BALTIMORE 0

October 29, 1972
At Baltimore—60,000

Miami	7	9	7	0	—	23
Baltimore	0	0	0	0	—	0
Miami—Csonka, 1 run (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—Csonka, 1 run (kick failed)						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 24						
Miami—Morris, 7 run (Yepremian kick)						

MIAMI 30, BUFFALO 16

November 5, 1972
At Buffalo—46,206

Miami	10	6	7	7	—	30
Buffalo	6	7	3	0	—	16
Miami—FG, Yepremian 33						
Buffalo—Jackson, 13 pass from Shaw (kick blocked)						
Miami—Morris, 22 run (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 17						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 16						
Buffalo—Greene, 39 return with interception (Leypoldt kick)						
Miami—Fleming, 7 pass from Morrall (Yepremian kick)						
Buffalo—FG, Leypoldt 28						
Miami—Morris, 4 run (Yepremian kick)						

MIAMI 52, NEW ENGLAND 0

November 12, 1972
At Miami—80,010

New England	0	0	0	0	—	0
Miami	17	14	7	14	—	52
Miami—Morris, 4 run (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—Morris, 4 run (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 16						
Miami—Csonka, 3 run (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—Morris, 6 run (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—Briscoe, 16 pass from Morrall (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—Briscoe, 51 pass from Del Gaizo (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—Mandich, 39 pass from Del Gaizo (Yepremian kick)						

MIAMI 28, NEW YORK JETS 24

November 19, 1972
At Miami—80,010

New York Jets	7	10	7	0	—	24
Miami	7	7	7	7	—	28
Miami—Twilley, 9 pass from Morrall (Yepremian kick)						
NY—Riggins, 1 run (Howfield kick)						
NY—Caster, 29 pass from Namath (Howfield kick)						
NY—FG, Howfield 33						
Miami—Morris, 1 run (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—Morrall, 31 run (Yepremian kick)						
NY—Stewart, 4 pass from Namath (Howfield kick)						
Miami—Morris, 14 run (Yepremian kick)						

MIAMI 31, ST. LOUIS 10

November 27, 1972
At Miami—80,010

St. Louis	0	3	0	7	—	10
Miami	7	3	14	7	—	31
Miami—Kiick, 2 run (Yepremian kick)						
St. L.—FG, Bakken 49						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 25						
Miami—Stowe, 37 pass from Morrall (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—Mumphord, 28 return with interception (Yepremian kick)						
St. L.—Burns, 2 run (Bakken kick)						
Miami—Stowe, 27 pass from Morrall (Yepremian kick)						

MIAMI 37, NEW ENGLAND 21

December 3, 1972
At New England—60,999

Miami	3	10	17	7	—	37
New England	0	7	0	14	—	21
Miami—FG, Yepremian 36						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 10						
Miami—Kiick, 1 run (Yepremian kick)						
NE—T. Reynolds, 36 pass from Plunkett (Walker kick)						
Miami—Mandich, 3 pass from Morrall (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 18						
Miami—Briscoe, 14 pass from Morrall (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—Ginn, 8 run (Yepremian kick)						
NE—Tarver, 8 pass from Dowling (Walker kick)						
NE—Dowling, 1 run (Walker kick)						

MIAMI 23, NEW YORK GIANTS 13

December 10, 1972
At New York—62,728

Miami	10	7	0	6	—	23
New York Giants	6	7	0	0	—	13
NY—Johnson, 1 run (kick blocked)						
Miami—Morris, 12 run (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 37						
Miami—Warfield, 34 pass from Morrall (Yepremian kick)						
NY—Johnson, 1 run (Gogolak kick)						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 31						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 16						

MIAMI 16, BALTIMORE 0

December 16, 1972
At Miami—80,010

Baltimore	0	0	0	0	—	0
Miami	3	7	3	3	—	16
Miami—FG, Yepremian 40						
Miami—Warfield, 14 pass from Morrall (Yepremian kick)						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 50						
Miami—FG, Yepremian 35						

AFC SEMIFINAL
MIAMI 20, CLEVELAND 14

December 24, 1972
 At Miami—80,010

Cleveland	0	0	7	7	—	14
Miami	10	0	0	10	—	20

Miami—Babb, 5 return with blocked punt (Yeapremian kick)
 Miami—FG, Yeapremian 40
 Cleve—Phipps, 5 run (Cockroft kick)
 Miami—FG, Yeapremian 46
 Cleve—Hooker, 27 pass from Phipps (Cockroft kick)
 Miami—Kiick, 8 run (Yeapremian kick)

AFC CHAMPIONSHIP
MIAMI 21, PITTSBURGH 17

December 31, 1972
 At Pittsburgh—50,350

Miami	0	7	7	7	—	21
Pittsburgh	7	0	3	7	—	17

Pitt—Mullins, fumble recovery in end zone (Gerela kick)
 Miami—Csonka, 9 pass from Morrall (Yeapremian kick)
 Pitt—FG, Gerela 14
 Miami—Kiick, 2 run (Yeapremian kick)
 Miami—Kiick, 3 run (Yeapremian kick)
 Pitt—Young, 12 pass from Bradshaw (Gerela kick)

SUPER BOWL VII
MIAMI 14, WASHINGTON 7

January 14, 1973
 At Los Angeles—90,182 (record)

Miami	7	7	0	0	—	14
Washington	0	0	0	7	—	7

Miami—Twilley, 28 pass from Griese (Yeapremian kick)
 Miami—Kiick, 1 run (Yeapremian kick)
 Wash—Bass, 49 return with fumble (Knight kick)

	Dolphins	Redskins
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	12	16
First downs rushing	7	9
First downs passing	5	7
First downs by penalty	0	0
NET YARDS RUSHING	184	141
Attempts	37	36
Avg. gain per rush	5.0	3.9
NET YARDS PASSING	69	87
Attempts/completed	11-8	28-14
Yds. lost att. pass	2-19	2-17
Intercepted/yds. returned	3-95	1-0
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	253	228
Plays rushing & passing	50	66
Avg. gain per play	5.1	3.5
Punting average	7-43.0	5-31.2
Punt return	2	4
Net yds. punt returned	4	9
Kickoff return	2	3
Net yds. kickoff returned	33	45
Penalties	3-35	3-25
Fumbles/lost	2/1	1/0

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING—Miami, Kiick 12-38, Csonka 15-112, Morris 10-34.
 Washington, Brown 22-72, Harraway 10-37, Kilmer 2-18.

RECEIVING—Miami, Warfield 3-36, Twilley 1-28t, Kiick 2-6,
 Mandich 1-19. Washington, Brown 5-26, Jefferson 5-50.

PASSING—Miami, Griese 8-11-1, 88 yards. Washington, Kilmer
 14-28-3, 104.



ALL-TIME AFC LEADERS

(Numbers in parenthesis denote 1971 ranking.)

TOP AFC ACTIVE PASSERS (1,000 or more attempts)

	Yrs.	Comp.	Pct.	Yds.	TDs	Had	
						Int.	Pts.
1. Dawson, K.C.	16	1,839	56.3	25,318	225	161	7
2. Unitas, S.D.	17	2,796	54.7	39,768	287	246	9
3. Morrall, Miami (3)	17	1,309	51.2	19,834	155	138	16
4. Lamonica, Oak.	10	1,243	49.7	18,505	161	126	19
5. Griese, Miami (7)	6	813	52.7	10,919	81	80	21
6. Nelsen, Cleve.	10	963	50.6	14,165	98	101	23
7. Johnson, Denver	12	1,352	50.8	18,955	132	143	26
8. Namath, N.Y. Jets	8	1,306	50.1	20,099	126	143	28
9. Blanda, Oak.	23	1,909	47.7	26,881	235	276	32
10. Beathard, K.C.	9	544	44.7	7,787	41	83	39

Ratings based on a series of statistics, with one point for first, two for second, three for third, etc., in each category. (Numbers in parenthesis denote 1971 ranking.)

TOP AFC ACTIVE RUSHERS

	Seasons	Afts.	Yards	TDs
1. Kelly, Cleveland	9	1,595	6,885	71
2. Garrett, San Diego	7	1,194	5,014	35
3. Matte, San Diego	12	1,200	4,646	45
4. Little, Denver	6	1,143	4,587	28
5. Snell, New York Jets	9	1,057	4,285	24
6. Csonka, Miami (9)	5	870	4,148	27
7. Boozer, New York Jets	7	936	3,690	45
8. Granger, Houston	7	805	3,653	19
9. Hayes, Kansas City	9	836	3,200	24
10. Simpson, Buffalo	4	776	3,178	18
11. Kiick, Miami	5	835	3,113	27
24. Morris, Miami	4	330	1,834	14

TOP AFC ACTIVE PUNTERS

	Seasons	No.	Avg.	Long
1. Lewis, Cincinnati	3	217	44.5	63
2. Wilson, Kansas City	10	648	44.2	72
3. Walden, Pittsburgh	9	622	43.0	76
4. Lee, Baltimore	7	386	43.0	76
5. Partee, San Diego	5	292	42.8	73
6. Van Heusen, Denver	5	336	42.2	68
7. Lothridge, Miami	9	532	41.0	75
8. Pastorini, Houston	2	157	40.9	63
9. Seiple, Miami	6	371	40.8	73
10. Jones, Buffalo	3	236	40.8	73
18. Morrall, Miami	17	106	37.7	60

TOP AFC ACTIVE INTERCEPTORS

	Seasons	No.	Yards	TDs
1. Willie Brown, Oakland	10	38	394	2
2. Emmitt Thomas, Kansas City	7	32	509	3
3. Nick Buoniconti, Miami (8)	11	30	283	0
4. Rick Volk, Baltimore	6	28	518	1
5. Dick Anderson, Miami (17)	5	24	594	1
6. Bobby Bell, Kansas City	10	24	427	5
7. Larry Grantham, New York Jets	13	24	308	1
8. Jimmy Warren, Oakland	9	22	458	3
9. Nemiah Wilson, Oakland	8	21	423	3
Joe Beauchamp, San Diego	7	21	398	3
17. Jake Scott, Miami	3	17	219	0

TOP AFC ACTIVE SCORERS

	Seasons	TDs	XP	FG	Pts.
1. Blanda, Oakland	23	9	824	288	1,742
2. Turner, Denver	9	0	293	198	887
3. Stenerud, Kansas City	6	0	212	155	677
4. Maynard, N.Y. Jets	14	88	4	0	532
5. Kelly, Cleveland	9	87	0	0	522
6. Cockroft, Cleveland	5	0	187	79	424
7. Yepremian, Miami (10)	5	0	140	89	407
8. Muhlmann, Cincinnati	4	0	126	88	390
Warfield, Miami (7)	9	65	0	0	390
10. Howfield, N.Y. Jets	5	0	158	75	383
26. Csonka, Miami	5	30	0	0	180
27. Kiick, Miami	5	29	0	0	174

TOP AFC ACTIVE KICKOFF RETURNERS

	Seasons	No.	Yards	Avg.
1. Simpson, Buffalo	4	33	990	30.0
2. Laird, Baltimore	1	29	843	29.1
3. Scott, Cleveland	4	25	722	28.9
4. Marshall, Kansas City	1	23	651	28.3
5. Blount, Pittsburgh	3	22	611	27.8
6. Wilson, Oakland	8	18	499	27.7
7. Pitts, Cleveland	8	14	385	27.5
8. McCauley, Baltimore	2	21	571	27.2
9. Morris, Miami (6)	4	100	2,705	27.1
10. Hayes, Kansas City	9	15	401	26.7

TOP AFC ACTIVE PASS RECEIVERS

	Seasons	No.	Yards	TDs
1. Maynard, New York Jets	14	632	11,816	88
2. Biletnikoff, Oakland	8	360	5,852	49
3. Parks, Houston	9	357	5,588	43
4. Taylor, Kansas City	8	352	6,366	51
5. Mackey, San Diego	10	331	5,236	38
6. Garrison, San Diego	7	320	5,960	48
7. Warfield, Miami	9	315	6,651	64
8. Matte, San Diego	12	249	2,869	12
9. Garrett, San Diego	7	223	1,886	12
10. Morin, Cleveland	7	217	3,442	12
17. Kiick, Miami	5	176	1,847	2
21. Fleming, Miami	10	153	1,798	15
22. Briscoe, Miami	5	149	2,450	22

TOP AFC ACTIVE PUNT RETURNERS

	Seasons	No.	Yards	Avg.
1. Studstill, New England	11	59	716	12.1
2. Little, Denver	6	76	852	11.2
3. Thompson, Denver	4	81	883	10.9
4. Dunlap, San Diego	2	27	291	10.8
5. Kelly, Cleveland	9	93	983	10.6
6. Scott, Miami (9)	3	73	708	9.7
7. Carwell, New England	6	49	474	9.7
8. Casanova, Cincinnati	1	30	289	9.6
9. Sumner, Cleveland	4	18	172	9.6
10. Farasopoulos, New York Jets	2	36	334	9.3
22. Anderson, Miami (15)	5	31	239	7.7
23. Leigh, Miami	4	41	304	7.4

1972 REGULAR SEASON (14-0)

TEAM STATISTICS

	Miami	Opp.
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	291	186
By Rushing	170	76
By Passing	102	96
By Penalty	19	14
Third-Down Efficiency	82/177	55/167
TOTAL NET YARDS	5036	3297
Total Offensive Plays	893	771
Avg. Gain per Play	5.6	4.3
Avg. Gain per Game	359.1	235.5
NET YARDS RUSHING	2960	1548
Total Rushing Plays	613	389
Avg. Gain per Rush	4.8	4.0
Avg. Gain Rushing per Game	210.8	110.6
NET YARDS PASSING	2076	1749
Lost Attempting to Pass	21/159	33/280
Gross Yards Passing	2235	2029
Attempts/Completions	259/144	348/178
Percent Completed	55.6	51.1
Had Intercepted	12	26
Avg. Net Passing per Game	148.3	124.9
POINTS/AVERAGE	44/39.4	67/41.8
POINT RETURNS/AVERAGE	40/8.2	17/3.9
KICKOFF RETURNS/AVERAGE	24/22.8	56/22.9
MISC. RETURNS/YARDS	8/69	4/92
INTERCEPTIONS/AVG. RET.	26/11.0	12/20.8
PENALTIES/YARDS	68/714	70/659
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	25/16	32/20
TOTAL POINTS	385	171
Avg. Points per Game	27.5	12.2
Touchdowns	45	21
By Rushing	26	8
By Passing	17	10
By Returns	2	3
Field Goals	21	9
Conversions	43(of 45)	18(of 21)

RUSHING

	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Csonka	213	1117	5.2	45	6
Morris	190	1000	5.3	33	12
Kiick	137	521	3.8	26	5
Ginn	27	142	5.3	22	1
Leigh	21	79	3.8	10	0
Morrall	17	67	3.9	31+	1
Warfield	4	23	5.8	21	0
Griese	3	11	3.7	5	1
Del Gaizo	1	0	0.0	0	0
MIAMI TOTAL	613	2960	4.8	45	26
OPPONENTS TOTAL	389	1548	4.0	40	8

FIELD GOALS

	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-over
Depremian	7-7	3-3	7-8	4-11	3-8
OPPONENTS TOTAL	3-3	2-4	3-3	1-4	0-2

Depremian sequence (bold indicates good): (57, 47, 15, 50, 43)
 (52b, 38, 42, 51) (38, 44, 27, 43) (37, 49) (54) (24) (33, 17, 16) (16, 49, 48) (42) (54, 52, 25) (36, 10, 18) (37, 45, 31, 16) (40, 50, 35)

PASSING

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	Avg./	TD	Pct.	Lost/
Morrall	150	83	1360	55.3	9.1	11	7.3	49
Griese	97	53	638	54.6	6.6	4	4.1	39
Del Gaizo	9	5	165	55.6	18.3	2	22.2	51+
Briscoe	3	3	72	100.0	24.0	0	0.0	26
MIAMI TOTAL	259	144	2235	55.6	8.6	17	6.6	51+
OPPONENTS TOTAL	348	178	2029	51.1	5.8	10	2.9	82+

SCORE BY QUARTERS

	1	2	3	4	Total
MIAMI	94	108	98	85	385
OPPONENTS	36	47	29	59	171

RECEIVING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Warfield	29	606	20.9	47	3
Kiick	21	147	7.0	15	1
Twilley	20	364	18.2	44	3
Briscoe	16	279	17.4	51+	4
Morris	15	168	11.2	34	0
Stowe	13	276	21.2	49	2
Fleming	13	156	12.0	31	1
Mandich	11	168	15.3	39	3
Csonka	5	48	9.6	14	0
Ginn	1	23	23.0	23	0
MIAMI TOTAL	144	2235	15.5	51+	17
OPPONENTS TOTAL	178	2029	11.4	82+	10

PUNTING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	Blk.
Seiple	36	1437	39.9	54	0
Lothridge	4	150	37.5	42	0
Anderson	4	147	36.8	45	0
MIAMI TOTAL	44	1734	39.4	54	0
OPPONENTS TOTAL	63	2613	41.8	67	2

INTERCEPTIONS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Scott	5	73	14.6	31	0
Mumphord	4	50	12.5	28+	1
Anderson	3	34	11.3	22	0
Foley	3	25	8.3	15	0
Johnson	3	20	6.7	13	0
Swift	3	5	1.7	4	0
Buoniconti	2	17	8.5	10	0
Others: Babb (1-24); Den Herder (1-24); Kolen (1-14)	26	286	11.0	31	1
MIAMI TOTAL	26	286	11.0	31	1
OPPONENTS TOTAL	12	249	20.8	43	2

PUNT RETURNS

	No.	FC	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Leigh	22	5	210	9.5	27	0
Scott	13	3	100	7.7	15	0
Anderson	5	3	19	3.8	17	0
MIAMI TOTAL	40	11	329	8.2	27	0
OPPONENTS TOTAL	17	11	67	3.9	13	0

SCORING

	TDR	TDP	TD Ret.	FG 24	PAT 43	TP 115
Yepremian	12					36
Morris	6					36
Csonka	5	1				24
Klick		4				18
Briscoe		3				18
Mandich		3				18
Twilley		3				12
Warfield		2				6
Stowe			1			6
Anderson						6
Fleming						6
Ginn	1					6
Griese	1					
Other TDs: Morrall (1 run); Mumphord (1 ret.)						
MIAMI TOTAL	26	17	2	24	43	385
OPPONENTS TOTAL	8	10	3	9	18	171

KICKOFF RETURNS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Morris	14	334	23.9	33	0
Leigh	6	153	25.5	45	0
Matheson	2	34	17.0	17	0
Ginn	1	25	25.0	25	0
Briscoe	1	0	0.0	0	0
MIAMI TOTAL	24	546	22.8	45	0
OPPONENTS TOTAL	56	1283	22.9	39	0

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

(TACKLES-ASSISTS-TOTAL)			
Buoniconti	72-74-146	Babb	14-8-22
Fernandez	68-39-107	Ginn	9-3-12
Swift	50-42- 92	Ball	7-4-11
Den Herder	60-31- 91	Leigh	7-3-10
Kolen	49-35- 84	Mandich	4-3- 7
Anderson	48-26- 74	Little	4-1- 5
Stanfill	41-28- 69	M. Moore	4-0- 4
Matheson	38-30- 68	M. Moore	3-0- 3
Foley	38-24- 62	Langer	3-0- 3
Johnson	39-18- 57	Evans	1-2- 3
Scott	27-27- 54	Csonka	2-0- 2
Heinz	15-24- 39	Fleming	1-1- 2
Powell	16- 8- 24	Jenkins	0-2- 2
Dunaway	14-10- 24	Howell	1-0- 1
Mumphord	16- 6- 22	Kuechenberg	1-0- 1
		Morrall	1-0- 1

OPPONENTS' FUMBLES RECOVERED: Anderson 6, Fernandez 2, Scott 2, Stanfill 2, Ball 1, Den Herder 1, Ginn 1, Heinz 1, Leigh 1, Mandich 1, M. Moore 1, Swift 1, Twilley 1.

PASSES DEFENDED: Foley 12, Scott 8, Anderson 7, Swift 5, Buoniconti 4, Den Herder 4, Johnson 4, Matheson 4, Kolen 3, Stanfill 2, Dunaway 1, Fernandez 1, Mumphord 1.

FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS BLOCKED: Mumphord 2, Johnson 1, M. Moore 1.

PUNT ATTEMPTS BLOCKED: Johnson 2.

CONVERSIONS BLOCKED: M. Moore 1, Team 1.

TACKLED PASSER: Den Herder 10½, Stanfill 10, Fernandez 5, Matheson 2½, Heinz 2, Buoniconti 1, Dunaway 1, M. Moore 1, Swift 1.

1972 POST SEASON (3-0) RESULTS AND ATTENDANCE

	Opp.	Att.
Miami	14	*80,010
20 CLEVELAND	17	*50,350
21 at Pittsburgh	7	*90,182
14 +Washington		
+Super Bowl at Los Angeles		
*capacity crowd		
AVG. ATT: 73,514		

SCORE BY QUARTERS

	1	2	3	4	Total
MIAMI	17	14	7	17	55
Opponents	7	0	10	21	38

RUSHING

	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Csonka	51	212	4.2	49	0
Morris	41	182	4.4	27	0
Klick	34	100	2.9	9	4
Warfield	2	41	20.5	21	0
Seiple	1	37	37.0	37	0
Morrall	4	3	.8	3	0
MIAMI TOTAL	133	575	4.3	49	4
Opponents Total	94	434	4.6	17	1

TEAM STATISTICS

	Miami	Opp.
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	48	44
By Rushing	29	24
By Passing	15	19
By Penalty	4	1
Third-Down Efficiency	13/44	9/34
TOTAL NET YARDS	839	761
Total Offensive Plays	179	171
Avg. Gain per Play	4.7	4.5
Avg. Gain per Game	279.7	253.7
NET YARDS RUSHING	575	434
Total Rushing Plays	133	94
Avg. Gain per Rush	4.3	4.4
Avg. Gain Rushing per Game	191.7	144.7
NET YARDS PASSING	264	327
Lost Attempting to Pass	6/33	6/45
Gross Yards Passing	297	372
Attempts/Completions	40/24	71/33
Percent Completed	60.0	46.5
Had Intercepted	2	10
Avg. Net Passing per Game	88.0	109.0
PUNTS/AVERAGE	16/40.8	15/37.9
PUNT RETURNS/AVERAGE	3/1	7/8.6
KICKOFF RETURNS/AVERAGE	3/18.7	9/20.7
MISC. RETURNS/YARDS	1/5	1/49
INTERCEPTIONS/AVG. RET.	10/17.0	2/14.0
PENALTIES/YARDS	8/79	10/80
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	4/3	5/0
TOTAL POINTS	55	38
Avg. Points per Game	18.3	12.7
Touchdowns	7	5
By Rushing	4	1
By Passing	2	2
By Returns	1	2
Field Goals	2	1
Conversions	7(of 7)	5(of 5)

FIELD GOALS

	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-over
Yepremian	0-0	0-0	0-0	2-4	0-1
Opponents Total	1-1	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0

PASSING

	Att.	Cp.	Yds.	Pct.	Avg./		TD	LG	Int.	Pct.	Lost/
					Att.	TD					
Morrall	24	13	139	54.2	6.0	1	4.2	35	1	4.2	4/14
Griese	16	11	158	68.8	9.9	1	6.3	52	1	6.3	2/19
MIAMI TOT.	40	24	297	60.0	7.4	2	5.0	52	2	5.0	6/33
Opp. Total	71	33	372	46.5	5.2	2	2.8	27	10	14.1	6/45

RECEIVING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Warfield	7	149	21.3	52	0
Fleming	5	50	10.0	15	0
Twilley	4	61	15.3	28r	1
Csonka	2	8	4.0	9f	1
Klick	3	11	3.7	5	0
Mandich	2	24	12.0	19	0
Morris	1	-6	-6.0	-6	0
MIAMI TOTAL	24	297	12.4	52	2
Opponents Total	33	372	11.3	27	2

PUNTING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	Blk.
Seiple	16	653	40.8	57	0
Opponents Total	15	569	37.9	60	1

INTERCEPTIONS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Scott	2	63	31.5	55	0
Buoniconi	2	38	19.0	32	0
Swift	2	19	9.5	19	0
Anderson	2	12	6.0	12	0
Johnson	1	33	33.0	33	0
Kolen	1	5	5.0	5	0
MIAMI TOTAL	10	170	17.0	55	0
Opponents Total	2	28	14.0	28	0

KICKOFF RETURNS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Morris	3	56	18.7	23	0
Opponents Total	9	186	20.7	41	0

PUNT RETURNS

	No.	FC	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Scott	3	5	3	1.0	4	0
Anderson	0	2	0	0.0	0	0
MIAMI TOTAL	3	7	3	1.0	4	0
Opponents Total	7	7	60	8.6	38	0

SCORING

	TDR	TDP	TD Ret.	FG	PAT	TP
Yepremian				2	7	13
Klick	4					24
Babb			1			6
Csonka		1				6
Twilley		1				6
MIAMI TOTAL	4	2	1	2	7	55
Opponents Total	1	2	2	1	5	38

Yepremian sequence (bold indicates good): (46, 53, 40, 46) (0) (42)



THROUGH THE DOLPHINS YEARS

HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS

1965

- AUGUST 16** — Miami receives first AFL expansion franchise, with Joseph Robbie and Danny Thomas as recipients.
- NOVEMBER** — Mrs. Robert Swanson of West Miami winner of Miami's nickname contest; wins two lifetime passes to home games. 20,000 entries.
- NOVEMBER 27** — Miami picks QB Rick Norton, Kentucky, and RB Jim Grabowski, Illinois, in first round of college draft.
- DECEMBER 16** — Miami Dolphins, Ltd., organized as a Florida limited partnership with Joseph Robbie as managing general partner; Danny Thomas Sports, Inc., as sole other general partner.

1966

- JANUARY 15** — Expansion draft. Miami picks Dave Kocourek, Wahoo McDaniel, Billy Joe, Billy Neighbors first.
- JANUARY 29** — George Wilson named first head coach.
- JUNE 8** — Merger of AFL into NFL announced; Pete Rozelle as commissioner; common draft in 1967; World Championship Game at end of 1966 season.
- JULY 5** — Dolphins open first training camp at St. Petersburg Beach; 83 players.
- AUGUST 6** — Dolphins play and lose first game ever, 38-10, at San Diego before 25,712.
- AUGUST 12** — Dolphins play and lose first home game at the Orange Bowl, 33-0, to Kansas City before 36,366.
- SEPTEMBER 2** — Joe Auer returns opening kickoff 95 yards for TD in first regular season game. Oakland wins, 23-14, before 26,776 at Orange Bowl.
- SEPTEMBER 9** — George Wilson Jr. sets first Dolphins League record with 483 yards on 10 punts against New York Jets in Orange Bowl.
- OCTOBER 16** — Dolphins win first ever, 24-7, over Denver.

1967

- MARCH 14** — Miami picks QB Bob Griese, Purdue, in first round of college draft. Griese first player taken by AFL team; fourth to go over-all.
- JULY 22** — Dolphins hold first public intrasquad scrimmage in Ft. Lauderdale, with 6,112 in Lockhart Stadium. Defense "won," 27-0.
- JULY 29** — Dolphins score first-ever pre-season victory, 19-2, over Denver.
- AUGUST 19** — First inter-League game, a 27-17 loss to Atlanta.
- SEPTEMBER 17** — After four minutes in season-opener, QB John Stofa breaks his ankle and Griese takes over to beat Denver, 35-21.

1968

- JANUARY 30** — Dolphins pick RB Larry Csonka, Syracuse, and T Doug Crusan, Indiana, in first round of college draft.
- AUGUST 17** — Dolphins win first-ever over NFL foe, 23-7, over Philadelphia.

1969

- JANUARY 28** — Dolphins pick DT Bill Stanfill, Georgia, in first round of college draft.
- MARCH 24** — Dolphins obtain LB Nick Buoniconti from Patriots in trade for QB Kim Hammond and LB John Bramlett.
- MAY 16** — Robbie announces five prominent Miamians are now limited partners in ownership of the Dolphins. They are H. Earl Smalley, Harper Sibley Jr., Wilbur Morrison, Frank J. Callahan and James W. McLamore. Robbie becomes the majority owner of the franchise.
- MAY 30** — Four additional limited partners in ownership of the Dolphins announced: William Snow Frates, Peter T. Fay, Robert L. Floyd and Ray H. Pearson.
- JULY 23** — Morris S. Burk becomes a limited partner in the ownership structure.
- AUGUST 15** — James L. Davis becomes limited partner.

1970

- JANUARY 27** — Miami trades first draft pick to Cleveland for WR Paul Warfield and subsequently end Jim Mandich, Michigan, is first man picked in draft (second round).
- FEBRUARY 1** — AFL and NFL officially merge in accordance with terms of a 1966 agreement and the Dolphins become a member of the Eastern Division of the American Conference of the NFL.
- FEBRUARY 18** — Don Shula appointed head coach with additional title of vice president and with ownership in the team.
- APRIL 11** — Dolphins join computer scouting firm, Blessto-VIII.
- APRIL 13** — Dolphins' first-round draft choice next year awarded to Baltimore by Commissioner Rozelle as compensation for loss of Shula.
- APRIL 25** — First pre-training camp Introdoctrination Camp is held by Shula and his staff for veterans, with rookies reporting one week later.
- MAY 18** — TE Marv Fleming signs with Miami after playing out his option with Green Bay. By agreement, Jack Clancy is sent to Green Bay as compensation for Fleming.
- NOVEMBER 30** — Miami becomes a part of Monday night football, beats Atlanta, 20-7.
- 1970 SEASON** — First victories ever over Oakland, New York Jets (twice), Baltimore. Also, first post-season playoff game, against Oakland.

1971

- JANUARY 27** — Miami picks WR Otto Stowe, Iowa State, first (but second round) in college draft.
- NOVEMBER 7** — Dolphins score first shutout victory, 34-0 over Buffalo.
- NOVEMBER 29** — Dolphins win eighth straight, 34-3 over Chicago, for club record and longest win streak of season in NFL.
- DECEMBER 19** — 76,812, largest regular-season crowd ever to watch Dolphins, see team beat Green Bay, 27-6, to win first divisional championship.
- DECEMBER 25** — Dolphins win longest game in pro football history (82 minutes, 40 seconds), 27-24 over Kansas City, to gain AFC title berth.

1972

JANUARY 2 — Dolphins shut out Baltimore for first time in 97 games, 21-0, to win AFC title and gain berth in Super Bowl.

JANUARY 16 — Dolphins lose to Dallas, 24-3, in Super Bowl VI.

FEBRUARY 1 — Dolphins pick DT Mike Kadish, Notre Dame, as first round draft choice.

APRIL 14 — Dolphins announce season ticket sales of 61,186, which eclipses all prior NFL records.

OCTOBER 1 — Dolphins end season ticket sale at 69,303, record.

OCTOBER 15 — Earl Morrall takes over for injured Bob Griese, finishes off San Diego victory for 5-0 record.

NOVEMBER 12 — Don Shula becomes first NFL coach in history to record 100th career victory within 10 seasons as Dolphins crush New England, 52-0.

NOVEMBER 19 — Dolphins clinch AFC East title second straight time with 10-0 record; earliest title clinch of any club since realignment.

DECEMBER 16 — Dolphins become first club ever to go 14-0 in regular season.

DECEMBER 31 — Bob Griese returns as Dolphins win American Conference title for second straight time, defeating Pittsburgh, 21-17.

1973

JANUARY 14 — Dolphins become youngest club ever to win Super Bowl, dominating Washington, 14-7; also first club ever to go through regular and post-season unbeaten, untied.

FEBRUARY 22 — Dolphins name Bill McPeak offensive coach, elevate Bill Arnsparger to assistant head coach.

APRIL 18 — Dolphins set NFL record with 78,000 season tickets sold.

STANDINGS BY YEARS AFL — 1966

EASTERN DIVISION

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
Buffalo	9	4	1	.692	358	255
New England	8	4	2	.677	315	283
New York	6	6	2	.500	322	312
Houston	3	11	0	.214	335	396
MIAMI	3	11	0	.214	213	362

WESTERN DIVISION

Kansas City	11	2	1	.846	448	276
Oakland	8	5	1	.615	315	288
San Diego	7	6	1	.538	335	284
Denver	4	10	0	.286	196	381

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

Kansas City 31, Buffalo 7

SUPER BOWL

Green Bay 35, Kansas City 10

1967

EASTERN DIVISION

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
Houston	9	4	1	.692	258	199
New York	8	5	1	.615	371	329
Buffalo	4	10	0	.286	237	285
MIAMI	4	10	0	.286	219	407
New England	3	10	1	.231	280	389

WESTERN DIVISION

Oakland	13	1	0	.929	468	233
Kansas City	9	5	0	.643	408	254
San Diego	8	5	1	.615	360	252
Denver	3	11	0	.214	256	409

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

Oakland 40, Houston 7

SUPER BOWL

Green Bay 33, Oakland 14

1968

EASTERN DIVISION

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
New York	11	3	0	.786	419	280
Houston	7	7	0	.500	303	248
MIAMI	5	8	1	.385	276	355
New England	4	10	0	.286	229	406
Buffalo	1	12	1	.077	199	367

WESTERN DIVISION

Kansas City	12	2	0	.857	371	170
Oakland	12	2	0	.857	453	233
San Diego	9	5	0	.643	382	310
Denver	5	9	0	.357	255	404
Cincinnati	3	11	0	.214	215	329

WESTERN DIVISION PLAYOFF

Oakland 41, Kansas City 6

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

New York 27, Oakland 23

SUPER BOWL — New York 16, Baltimore 7

1969

EASTERN DIVISION

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
New York	10	4	0	.714	353	269

Houston	6	6	2	.500	278	279
New England	4	10	0	.286	266	316
Buffalo	4	10	0	.286	230	359
MIAMI	3	10	1	.231	233	332

WESTERN DIVISION

Oakland	12	1	1	.923	377	242
Kansas City	11	3	0	.786	359	177
San Diego	8	6	0	.571	288	276
Denver	5	8	1	.385	297	344
Cincinnati	4	9	1	.308	280	367

PLAYOFFS

Kansas City 13, New York 6
Oakland 56, Houston 7

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

Kansas City 17, Oakland 7

SUPER BOWL

Kansas City 23, Minnesota 7

AFC — 1970

EASTERN DIVISION

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
Baltimore	11	2	1	.846	321	234
*MIAMI	10	4	0	.714	297	228
New York Jets	4	10	0	.286	255	286
Buffalo	3	10	1	.231	204	337
New England	2	12	0	.143	149	361

WESTERN DIVISION

Oakland	8	4	2	.667	300	293
Kansas City	7	5	2	.583	282	244
San Diego	5	6	3	.455	282	278
Denver	5	8	1	.357	253	264

CENTRAL DIVISION

Cincinnati	8	6	0	.571	312	255
Cleveland	7	7	0	.500	286	265
Pittsburgh	5	9	0	.357	210	272
Houston	3	10	1	.231	217	352

*Fourth Qualifier for Playoffs

PLAYOFFS

Oakland 21, Miami 14
Baltimore 17, Cincinnati 0
Dallas 5, Detroit 0
San Francisco 17, Minnesota 14

CHAMPIONSHIPS

Baltimore 27, Oakland 17
Dallas 17, San Francisco 10

SUPER BOWL

Baltimore 16, Dallas 13

1971

EASTERN DIVISION

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
MIAMI	10	3	1	.769	315	174
*Baltimore	10	4	0	.714	313	140
New England	6	8	0	.429	238	325
New York Jets	6	8	0	.429	212	299
Buffalo	1	13	0	.071	184	394

WESTERN DIVISION

Kansas City	10	3	1	.769	302	208
Oakland	8	4	2	.667	344	278
San Diego	6	8	0	.429	311	341
Denver	4	9	1	.308	203	275

CENTRAL DIVISION

Cleveland	9	5	0	.643	285	273
Pittsburgh	6	8	0	.429	246	292
Houston	4	9	1	.308	251	330
Cincinnati	4	10	0	.286	284	265

*Fourth Qualifier for Playoffs

PLAYOFFS

Miami 27, Kansas City 24
(22:40 overtime)
Baltimore 20, Cleveland 3
Dallas 20, Minnesota 12
San Francisco 24, Wash. 20

CHAMPIONSHIPS

Miami 21, Baltimore 0
Dallas 14, San Francisco 3
SUPER BOWL
Dallas 24, Miami 3

1972

EASTERN DIVISION

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
MIAMI	14	0	0	1.000	385	171
New York Jets	7	7	0	.500	367	324
Baltimore	5	9	0	.429	235	252
Buffalo	4	9	1	.321	257	377
New England	3	11	0	.214	192	446

CENTRAL DIVISION

Pittsburgh	11	3	0	.786	343	175
*Cleveland	10	4	0	.714	268	249
Cincinnati	8	6	0	.571	299	229
Houston	1	13	0	.071	164	380

WESTERN DIVISION

Oakland	10	3	1	.750	365	248
Kansas City	8	6	0	.571	287	254
Denver	5	9	0	.429	325	350
San Diego	4	9	1	.321	264	344

*Fourth Qualifier for Playoffs

PLAYOFFS

Miami 20, Cleveland 14
Pittsburgh 13, Oakland 7
Washington 16, Green Bay 3
Dallas 30, San Francisco 28

CHAMPIONSHIPS

Miami 21, Pittsburgh 17
Washington 26, Dallas 3

SUPER BOWL

Miami 14, Washington 7

SUMMARY OF REGULAR SEASON RESULTS

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
Atlanta	1	0	0	1.000	20	7
Chicago	1	0	0	1.000	34	3
Green Bay	1	0	0	1.000	27	7
Los Angeles	1	0	0	1.000	20	14
Minnesota	1	0	0	1.000	16	14
New Orleans	1	0	0	1.000	27	10
New York Giants	1	0	0	1.000	37	21
Pittsburgh	1	0	0	1.000	24	21
St. Louis	1	0	0	1.000	31	10
Buffalo	9	4	1	.667	308	275
Baltimore	4	2	0	.667	93	80
New England	8	5	0	.615	371	269
Denver	3	2	1	.571	117	100
Houston	5	5	0	.500	178	207
Cincinnati	2	2	0	.500	89	100
New York Jets	5	9	0	.357	243	323
San Diego	2	4	0	.333	117	157
Oakland	1	5	1	.250	119	175
Kansas City	1	6	0	.143	67	193
Cleveland	0	1	0	.000	0	28
Philadelphia	0	1	0	.000	17	24
TOTALS	49	46	3	.515	1955	2038

HOME RECORD

	W	L	T	Pct.
1966	2	5	0	.286
1967	4	3	0	.571
1968	1	5	1	.250
1969	2	4	1	.375
1970	6	1	0	.857
1971	6	1	0	.857
1972	7	0	0	1.000
TOT.	28	19	2	.588

ROAD RECORD

	W	L	T	Pct.
1966	1	6	0	.143
1967	0	7	0	.000
1968	4	3	0	.571
1969	1	6	0	.143
1970	4	3	0	.571
1971	4	2	1	.625
1972	7	0	0	1.000
TOT.	21	27	1	.440



SCORES BY YEARS

(OB indicates Miami home game; all others away.)

ATLANTA (1-0) 1970—Miami 20, Atlanta 7	LOS ANGELES (1-0) 1971—Miami 20, LA 14
BALTIMORE (4-2) 1970—Baltimore 35, Miami 0 Miami 34, Balt. 17 (OB) 1971—Miami 17, Balt. 14 (OB) Baltimore 14, Miami 3 1972—Miami 23, Baltimore 0 Miami 16, Balt. 0 (OB)	MINNESOTA (1-0) 1972—Miami 16, Minnesota 14
BUFFALO (9-4-1) 1966—Buffalo 58, Miami 24 Buff. 29, Miami 0 (OB) 1967—Buffalo 35, Miami 13 Miami 17, Buff. 14 (OB) 1968—Miami 14, Buff. 14 (OB) Miami 21, Buffalo 17 1969—Miami 24, Buff. 6 (OB) Buffalo 28, Miami 3 1970—Miami 33, Buffalo 14 Miami 45, Buff. 7 (OB) 1971—Miami 29, Buffalo 14 Miami 34, Buff 0 (OB) 1972—Miami 24, Buff. 23 (OB) Miami 30, Buffalo 16	NEW ENGLAND (8-5) 1966—NE 20, Miami 14 (OB) 1967—NE 41, Miami 10 Miami 41, NE 32 1968—Miami 34, NE 10 Miami 38, NE 7 (OB) 1969—Miami 17, NE 16 NE 38, Miami 23 (Tampa) 1970—NE 27, Miami 14 Miami 37, NE 20 (OB) 1971—Miami 41, NE 3 (OB) NE 34, Miami 13 1972—Miami 52, NE 0 (OB) Miami 37, NE 21
CHICAGO (1-0) 1971—Miami 34, Chi. 3 (OB)	NEW ORLEANS (1-0) 1970—Miami 27, NO 10 (OB)
CINCINNATI (2-2) 1968—Miami 24, Cin. 22 Cin. 38, Miami 21 (OB) 1969—Cin. 27, Miami 21 1971—Miami 23, Cin. 13	NEW YORK GIANTS (1-0) 1972—Miami 37, New York 21
CLEVELAND (0-1) 1970—Cleve. 28, Miami 0 (OB)	NEW YORK JETS (5-9) 1966—NY 19, Miami 14 (OB) NY 30, Miami 13 1967—NY 29, Miami 7 NY 33, Miami 14 (OB) 1968—NY 35, Miami 17 NY 31, Miami 7 (OB) 1969—NY 34, Miami 31 NY 27, Miami 9 (OB) 1970—Miami 20, NY 6 Miami 16, NY 10 (OB) 1971—NY 14, Miami 10 (OB) Miami 30, NY 14 1972—Miami 27, NY 17 Miami 28, NY 24 (OB)
DENVER (3-2-1) 1966—Miami 24, Den. 7 (OB) Denver 17, Miami 7 1967—Miami 35, Den. 21 (OB) 1968—Denver 21, Miami 14 1969—Miami 27, Den. 24 (OB) 1971—Miami 10, Denver 10	OAKLAND (1-5-1) 1966—Oak. 23, Miami 14 (OB) Oak. 21, Miami 10 1967—Oak. 21, Miami 17 1968—Oak. 47, Miami 21 (OB) 1969—Oak. 20, Miami 17 Miami 20, Oak. 20 (OB) 1970—Miami 20, Oak. 13 (OB)
GREEN BAY (1-0) 1971—Miami 27, GB 6 (OB)	PHILADELPHIA (0-1) 1970—Phil. 24, Miami 17
HOUSTON (5-5) 1966—Miami 20, Houston 13 Miami 29, Hous. 28 (OB) 1967—Houston 17, Miami 14 Hous. 41, Miami 10 (OB) 1968—Hous. 24, Miami 10 (OB) Miami 24, Houston 7 1969—Houston 22, Miami 10 Hous. 32, Miami 7 (OB) 1970—Miami 20, Houston 10 1972—Miami 34, Hous. 13 (OB)	PITTSBURGH (1-0) 1971—Miami 24, Pitts. 21 (OB)
KANSAS CITY (1-6) 1966—KC 34, Miami 16 KC 19, Miami 18 (OB) 1967—KC 24, Miami 0 (OB) KC 41, Miami 0 1968—KC 48, Miami 3 (OB) 1969—KC 17, Miami 10 1972—Miami 20, KC 10	ST. LOUIS (1-0) 1972—Miami 31, St. L. 10 (OB)
	SAN DIEGO (2-4) 1966—SD 44, Miami 10 1967—SD 24, Miami 0 Miami 41, SD 24 (OB) 1968—SD 34, Miami 28 1969—SD 21, Miami 14 (OB) 1972—Miami 24, SD 10 (OB)

REGULAR SEASON RESULTS

(*—denotes night game)

1966 (3-11)

9/2	L	14-23	Oakland	26,776*
9/9	L	14-19	New York Jets	34,402*
9/18	L	24-58	at Buffalo	37,546
10/2	L	10-44	at San Diego	26,444
10/9	L	10-21	at Oakland	30,787
10/16	W	24-7	Denver	23,393
10/23	W	20-13	at Houston	23,173
11/6	L	0-29	Buffalo	37,177
11/13	L	16-34	at Kansas City	34,063
11/20	L	13-30	at New York Jets	58,664
11/27	L	14-20	New England	22,754
12/4	L	7-17	at Denver	32,592
12/11	L	18-19	Kansas City	17,884
12/18	W	29-28	Houston	20,045

1967 (4-10)

9/17	W	35-21	Denver	29,381
9/24	L	0-24	Kansas City	36,272
10/1	L	7-29	at New York Jets	61,240
10/8	L	0-41	at Kansas City	45,291
10/15	L	10-41	at New England	23,955
10/22	L	14-33	New York Jets	30,049
11/5	L	13-35	at Buffalo	31,622
11/12	L	0-24	at San Diego	34,761
11/19	L	17-31	at Oakland	37,295
11/26	W	17-14	Buffalo	27,050
12/3	L	14-17	at Houston	20,979
12/10	W	41-24	San Diego	23,007
12/17	W	41-32	New England	25,969
12/23	L	10-41	Houston	31,121

1968 (5-8-1)

9/14	L	10-24	Houston	40,067*
9/21	L	21-47	Oakland	30,021*
9/28	L	3-48	Kansas City	28,501*
10/6	W	24-7	at Houston	36,109
10/12	T	14-14	Buffalo	28,559*
10/20	W	24-22	at Cincinnati	25,936
10/27	L	14-21	at Denver	44,115
11/3	L	28-34	at San Diego	37,281
11/10	W	21-17	at Buffalo	28,759
11/17	L	21-38	Cincinnati	31,747
11/24	W	34-10	at New England	18,305
12/1	L	17-35	at New York Jets	61,766
12/8	W	38-7	New England	24,242
12/15	L	7-31	New York Jets	32,843

1969 (3-10-1)

9/14	L	21-27	at Cincinnati	25,335
9/20	L	17-20	at Oakland	50,277*
9/28	L	10-22	at Houston	41,086
10/4	T	20-20	Oakland	35,614*
10/11	L	14-21	San Diego	34,585*
10/19	L	10-17	at Kansas City	49,809
10/26	W	24-6	Buffalo	39,837
11/2	L	31-34	at New York Jets	61,761
11/9	W	17-16	at New England	19,821
11/16	L	3-28	at Buffalo	32,868
11/23	L	7-32	Houston	27,218
11/30	L	23-38	New England (Tampa)	32,121
12/7	W	27-24	Denver	25,332
12/14	L	9-27	New York Jets	48,108

1970 (10-4)

9/20	L	14-27	at New England	32,607
9/27	W	20-10	at Houston	39,840
10/3	W	20-13	Oakland	57,140*
10/10	W	20-6	at New York Jets	62,712*
10/18	W	33-14	at Buffalo	41,312
10/25	L	0-28	Cleveland	75,313
11/1	L	0-35	at Baltimore	60,240
11/8	L	17-24	at Philadelphia	58,171
11/15	W	21-10	New Orleans	42,866
11/22	W	34-17	Baltimore	67,699
11/30	W	20-7	at Atlanta	54,036*
12/6	W	37-20	New England	51,032
12/13	W	16-10	New York Jets	75,099
12/20	W	45-7	Buffalo	70,990

1971 (10-3-1)

9/19	T	10-10	at Denver	51,200
9/26	W	29-14	at Buffalo	45,139
10/3	L	10-14	New York Jets	70,670
10/10	W	23-13	at Cincinnati	60,099
10/17	W	41-3	New England	58,822
10/24	W	30-14	at New York Jets	62,130
10/31	W	20-14	at Los Angeles	72,903
11/7	W	34-0	Buffalo	61,016
11/14	W	24-21	Pittsburgh	66,435
11/21	W	17-14	Baltimore	75,312
11/29	W	34-3	Chicago	75,312*
12/5	L	13-34	at New England	61,457
12/11	L	3-14	at Baltimore	60,238
12/19	W	27-6	Green Bay	76,812

1972 (14-0)

9/17	W	20-10	at Kansas City	79,829
9/24	W	34-13	Houston	77,821
10/1	W	16-14	at Minnesota	47,900
10/8	W	27-17	at New York Jets	63,841
10/15	W	24-10	San Diego	80,010
10/22	W	24-23	Buffalo	80,010
10/29	W	23-0	at Baltimore	60,000
11/5	W	30-16	at Buffalo	46,206
11/12	W	52-0	New England	80,010
11/19	W	28-24	New York Jets	80,010
11/27	W	31-10	St. Louis	80,010*
12/3	W	37-21	at New England	60,999
12/10	W	23-13	at New York Giants	62,728
12/16	W	16-0	Baltimore	80,010

POST SEASON RESULTS

1970 (0-1)

12/2p	L	14-21	at Oakland	54,401
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1971 (2-1)

12/25p	W	27-24	at Kansas City (2 OT)	50,374
1/2c	W	21-0	Baltimore	78,629
1/16sb	L	3-24	Dallas (at New Orleans)	81,035

1972 (3-0)

12/24p	W	20-14	Cleveland	80,010
12/31c	W	21-17	at Pittsburgh	50,350
1/14sb	W	14-7	Washington (at Los Angeles)	90,182

p—Playoff; c—AFC Championship; sb—Super Bowl

SUMMARY OF PRE-SEASON RESULTS

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
Pittsburgh	1	0	0	1.000	16	10
Buffalo	1	0	1	.667	38	35
San Francisco	1	0	1	.667	34	24
Atlanta	2	2	0	.500	77	70
Cincinnati	2	2	0	.500	86	82
Denver	1	1	0	.500	35	30
Detroit	1	1	0	.500	51	55
New England	1	1	0	.500	30	19
Philadelphia	1	1	0	.500	33	21
Baltimore	1	2	0	.333	43	58
Minnesota	1	2	0	.333	29	86
Washington	1	2	0	.333	72	63
Chicago	0	1	0	.000	10	16
Kansas City	0	1	0	.000	0	33
New York Jets	0	1	0	.000	14	31
New Orleans	0	1	0	.000	17	20
Green Bay	0	2	0	.000	20	24
San Diego	0	2	0	.000	29	58
TOTALS	14	22	2	.395	634	735

PRE-SEASON RESULTS

(* day game)

1966 (0-4)

8/6 L 10-38	at San Diego	25,712
8/12 L 0-33	Kansas City	36,366
8/20 L 14-31	New York Jets (Jacksonville)	11,508
8/24 L 16-28	Denver (Memphis)	18,106

1967 (2-3)

7/29 W 19-2	Denver (Akron)	7,000
8/5 W 10-7	Buffalo (Memphis)	21,200
8/12 L 19-20	San Diego	35,871
8/19 L 17-27	Atlanta	50,822
9/2 L 17-20	New Orleans (Charleston, S.C.)	11,214

1968 (2-2-1)

8/11 T 28-28	Buffalo (Rochester)	11,200*
8/17 W 23-7	Philadelphia	41,010
8/23 L 17-19	New England (Jacksonville)	15,003
8/31 L 13-22	Baltimore	68,125
9/7 W 19-13	Atlanta	36,122

1969 (1-5)

8/2 L 10-45	Minnesota (Tampa)	37,219
8/9 L 10-16	Chicago	51,116
8/16 L 10-14	Philadelphia	32,733
8/23 L 21-28	at Cincinnati	25,122
8/30 L 10-23	Baltimore	56,665
9/6 W 13-0	New England (Birmingham, Ala.)	18,000

1970 (4-2)

8/8 W 16-10	Pittsburgh (Jacksonville)	13,407
8/15 W 20-10	Cincinnati	60,460
8/22 W 17-7	San Francisco	58,745
8/29 W 20-13	Baltimore	76,712
9/5 L 21-26	Washington (Tampa)	37,151
9/12 L 17-20	Atlanta	50,259

1971 (2-3-1)

8/7 L 10-27	Cincinnati	61,311
8/13 T 17-17	San Francisco	60,213
8/21 L 7-10	Green Bay (Milwaukee)	47,286
8/28 W 28-24	Detroit	63,082
9/4 W 27-10	Washington	61,202
9/11 L 0-24	at Minnesota	47,900

1972 (3-3)

8/5 L 31-23	at Detroit	54,192
8/12 L 14-13	Green Bay	75,372
8/19 W 35-17	at Cincinnati	55,808
8/25 W 24-10	Atlanta	75,372
8/31 L 27-24	at Washington	53,039
9/10 W 19-17	Minnesota	75,372

ATTENDANCE

Year	Home	Away	Pre-Season	Games	Total
1966	182,431	243,269	91,692	18	517,392
1967	202,849	255,143	126,107	19	584,099
1968	215,980	252,291	171,460	19	639,731
1969	242,815	280,967	220,855	20	744,637
1970	440,139	348,918	296,734	20	1,085,791
1971	484,379	413,166	340,994	20	1,238,539
1972	557,881	421,503	389,155	20	1,368,539
Totals	2,326,474	2,215,257	1,636,997	136	6,178,728

Averages at Home

Year	League	Pre-Season	Games	Over-All
1966	26,062	36,366	8	27,349
1967	28,978	43,346	9	32,171
1968	30,854	48,419	10	36,124
1969	34,688	46,838	10	38,333
1970	62,877	61,544	11	64,210
1971	69,197	61,452	11	66,380
1972	79,697	76,681	10	78,792

REGULAR SEASON "TOP TEN"

Home

Crowd	Year	Crowd	Year
80,010	San Diego 1972	79,829	Kansas City 1972
80,010	Buffalo 1972	72,903	Los Angeles 1971
80,010	New England 1972	63,841	New York Jets 1972
80,010	New York Jets 1972	62,728	N.Y. Giants 1972
80,010	St. Louis 1972	62,712	New York Jets 1970
80,010	Baltimore 1972	62,130	New York Jets 1971
77,821	Houston 1972	61,766	New York Jets 1968
76,812	Green Bay 1971	61,761	New York Jets 1969
75,312	Baltimore 1971	61,457	New England 1971
75,312	Chicago 1971	61,240	New York Jets 1967
75,312	Cleveland 1970		

Away

Opponents' Highs

In Miami

Crowd	Year
80,010	1972
80,010	1972
75,312	1971
31,747	1968
75,312	1970
29,381	1967
76,812	1971
77,821	1972
36,272	1967
80,010	1972
42,866	1970
80,010	1972
57,140	1970
66,434	1971
80,010	1972
80,010	1972

Dolphins' Highs

On the Road

Crowd	Year
54,036	1970
60,328	1971
46,206	1972
60,099	1971
51,200	1971
41,096	1969
79,829	1972
72,903	1971
47,900	1972
61,457	1971
63,841	1972
62,728	1972
50,277	1969
58,171	1971
37,281	1968

PRE-SEASON ATTENDANCE RECORDS

	Home		Away	
	Crowd	Year	Crowd	Year
Minnesota	79,298	1972	Cincinnati	55,808 1972
Baltimore	76,712	1970	Detroit	54,192 1972
Atlanta	75,372	1972	Washington	53,039 1972
Green Bay	75,372	1972		

AWARDS

1966

Most Valuable Player—Joe Auer, running back
 Best Offensive Back—Joe Auer, running back
 Best Offensive Lineman—Tom Goode, center
 Best Defensive Lineman—Ed Cooke, end
 Best Defensive Back—Willie West, safety
 Rookie of the Year—Frank Emanuel, linebacker
 Most Courageous—George Wilson, head coach

1967

Most Valuable Player—Bob Griese, quarterback
 Best Offensive Back—Bob Griese, quarterback
 Best Offensive Lineman—Norm Evans, tackle
 Best Defensive Lineman—Ray Jacobs, tackle
 Best Defensive Back—Jimmy Warren, cornerback
 Rookie of the Year—Jim Kiick, running back
 Most Courageous—John Bramlett, linebacker

1968

Most Valuable Player—Bob Griese, quarterback
 Best Offensive Back—Karl Noonan, wide receiver
 Best Offensive Lineman—Norm Evans, tackle
 Best Defensive Lineman—Manny Fernandez, end
 Best Defensive Back—Jimmy Warren, cornerback
 Rookie of the Year—Jim Kiick, running back
 Most Courageous—Howard Twilley, wide receiver

1969

Most Valuable Player—Nick Buoniconti, linebacker
 Best Offensive Back—Jim Kiick, running back
 Best Offensive Lineman—Tom Goode, center
 Best Defensive Lineman—Manny Fernandez, tackle
 Best Defensive Back—Ed Weisacosky, linebacker
 Rookie of the Year—Bill Stanfill, defensive end
 Biggest Surprise of Year—Lloyd Mumphord, defensive back

1970

Most Valuable Player—Bob Griese, quarterback, and Paul Warfield, wide receiver
 Best Offensive Backs—Larry Csonka and Jim Kiick, running backs
 Best Offensive Lineman—Larry Little, guard
 Best Defensive Lineman—Manny Fernandez, tackle
 Best Defensive Back—Nick Buoniconti, linebacker
 Rookie of the Year—Jake Scott, safety

1971

Most Valuable Player—Bob Griese, quarterback
 Best Offensive Back—Larry Csonka, running back
 Best Offensive Lineman—Larry Little, guard
 Best Wide Receiver—Paul Warfield
 Best Defensive Lineman—Manny Fernandez, tackle
 Best Defensive Back—Jack Scott, safety
 Best Linebacker—Nick Buoniconti

1972

Most Valuable Player—Earl Morrall, quarterback
 Best Offensive Back—Larry Csonka, running back
 Best Offensive Lineman—Larry Little, guard
 Best Wide Receiver—Paul Warfield
 Best Defensive Lineman—Manny Fernandez, tackle
 Best Defensive Back—Dick Anderson, safety
 Best Linebacker—Nick Buoniconti

THIRD DOWN AWARD

(Sponsored by Newspaper Enterprise Association and awarded to Most Valuable Player, according to vote of teammates.)

1966 Willie West, defensive back
 1967 Tom Goode, center
 1968 Bob Griese, quarterback
 1969 Nick Buoniconti, linebacker
 1970 Paul Warfield, wide receiver
 1971 Larry Csonka, running back
 1972 Larry Csonka, running back

DOLPHINS VEEPS MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

1966 Joe Auer, running back
 1967 Bob Griese, quarterback
 1968 Jim Kiick, running back (offense) and Dick Anderson, safety (defense)
 1969 Nick Buoniconti, linebacker

LES BINGAMAN MEMORIAL AWARD

(Presented by the Dolphins Veepts to the outstanding lineman.)

1970 Manny Fernandez, defensive tackle
 1971 Larry Little, offensive guard

ROBERT KING HIGH MEMORIAL TROPHY

(Awarded by Dolphins' Quarterback Club to player selected as team's "Unsung Hero.")

1967 Billy Neighbors, guard
 1968 Randall Edmunds, linebacker
 1969 Larry Seiple, tight end-punter
 1970 Norm Evans, offensive tackle
 1971 Garo Yepremian, kicker

WIOD-RICK WEAVER SPECIAL TEAMS AWARD

(Presented by Dolphins radio broadcast station and play-by-play announcer to Outstanding Special Teams performer.)

1972 Lloyd Mumphord

THOMAS FITZGERALD MEMORIAL AWARD

(Awarded by writers regularly assigned to training camp to player selected as the outstanding rookie in camp.)

1969 Lloyd Mumphord, defensive back
 1970 Mike Kolen, linebacker
 1971 Otto Stowe, wide receiver
 1972 Charlie Babb, defensive back

ALL-LEAGUE HONORS

1969 **NICK BUONICONTI** (linebacker) All-AFL (Consensus) (Also named middle linebacker of the All-Time AFL team by the Pro Football Hall of Fame)
 1970 **DON SHULA** (head coach) **Coach-of-the-Year** (Sporting News, Pro Football Weekly)
LARRY CSONKA (running back) All-AFL (Pro Football Weekly, UPI second team)

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MANNY FERNANDEZ (defense tackle) **All-AFC** (NEA second team)

BOB GRIESE (quarterback) **All-AFC** (Sporting News, NEA second team)

LARRY LITTLE (guard) **Best Offensive Lineman in AFC** (NFL Players' Association.)

JAKE SCOTT (safety) **All-AFC** (Football News, Pro Football Weekly Rookie Team)

DOUG SWIFT (linebacker) **All-AFC** (Pro Football Weekly Rookie Team)

PAUL WARFIELD (wide receiver) **All-AFC** (Sporting News, NEA second team)

1971 **LARRY CSONKA** (running back) **All-NFL** (AP, PFWA, FN; PFW special mention); **All-AFC** (AP, UPI, SN)

BOB DeMARCO (center) **All-AFC** (UPI second team)

MANNY FERNANDEZ (defensive tackle) **All-AFC** (SN, UPI second team)

BOB GRIESE (quarterback) **Player-of-Year** (NFL; NEA Jim Thorpe Award; Sport Magazine Top Performer in NFL; New York and Boston branches, PFWA, Kansas City 101 Club; Best Passer in AFC, NFL Players' Association); **All-NFL** (Consensus); **All-AFC** (AP, UPI, SN, PFW)

LARRY LITTLE (guard) **Best Offensive Lineman in AFC** (NFL Players' Association); **All-NFL** (PFWA, AP, PFW); **All-AFC** (AP, UPI, SN, PFW)

MERCURY MORRIS (kick return-running back) **Best Kickoff Returner in AFC** (NFL Players' Association)

JAKE SCOTT (safety) **All-NFL** (FN); **All-AFC** (AP, UPI)

BILL STANFILL (defensive end) **All-AFC** (UPI)

PAUL WARFIELD (wide receiver) **All-NFL** (Consensus); **All-AFC** (AP, UPI, SN, PFW)

GARO YEPREMIAN (kicker) **All-NFL** (AP, PFWA, PFW, FN); **All-AFC** (PFW, SN); **Best Kicker in NFL** (PFW Golden Toe Award); in **AFC** (NFL Players' Association)

COACH DON SHULA: Coach-of-the-Year (NFL: FN, Boston PFWA; AFC: PFWA, UPI, Kansas City 101 Club)

(Consensus—AP, UPI, PFWA, PFW, FN)

1972 **DICK ANDERSON** (safety) **All-NFL** (AP, PFWA, NEA); **All-AFC** (AP, UPI, SN)

NICK BUONICONTI (linebacker) **All-NFL** (FN); **All-AFC** (AP); **All-NFL second team** (AP, PFWA); **All-AFC second team** (UPI)

LARRY CSONKA (running back) **Player-of-Year** (Miami Touchdown Club); **All-NFL** (PFW, FN); **All-AFC** (AP, SN, UPI); **All-NFL second team** (AP, PFWA)

VERN DEN HERDER (defensive end) **All-AFC** (AP); **All-NFL second team** (FN)

MANNY FERNANDEZ (defensive tackle) **All-AFC second team** (UPI)

LARRY LITTLE (guard) **All-NFL** (AP, FN, PFWA, NEA, PFW); **Offensive Lineman-of-Year** (PFWA, Wisconsin chapter); **All-AFC** (AP, UPI, SN)

EARL MORRALL (quarterback) **AFC Player-of-Year** (SN, Long Island Athletic Club); **All-NFL** (AP); **Comeback-of-Year** (PFW); **All-AFC** (AP); **All-NFL second team** (NEA Victor Award (City of Hope))

JAKE SCOTT (safety) **All-NFL** (FN, PFW); **All-AFC** (AP, UPI, SN); **All-NFL second team** (AP, PFWA, NEA); **Outstanding Player of Super Bowl** (Kansas City 101 Club)

BILL STANFILL (defensive end) **All-NFL** (AP); **All-AFC** (AP, UPI, SN)

PAUL WARFIELD (wide receiver) **All-NFL** (NEA); **All-AFC** (AP, SN); **All-NFL second team** (AP); **All-AFC second team** (UPI)

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COACH DON SHULA: NFL Coach-of-Year (AP, SN, FN, PFW, Columbus, O., Touchdown Club); **AFC Coach-of-Year** (PFWA, Kansas City 101 Club); **Super Bowl Super-man** (PFWA, New York chapter)

JOSEPH ROBBIE (managing general partner) **Pro Football Executive-of-Year** (Long Island Athletic Club)

In addition, seven players were given honorable mention on the UPI All-AFC team: tackle Doug Crusan, Dan Herder, tackle Norm Evans, cornerback Tim Foley, linebacker Mike Kolen, guard Bob Kuechenberg and Morrall.

Key—PFW - Pro Football Weekly; PFWA - Pro Football Writers Association; SN - Sporting News; FN - Football News; AP - Associated Press; UPI - United Press International; NEA - Newspaper Enterprise Association.

DOLPHINS IN ALL-STAR GAMES AMERICAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE

- 1966 Ed Cooke, Tom Erlandson, Jimmy Warren, Willie West
1967 John Bramlett, Jack Clancy, Bob Griese, Dick Westmoreland
1968 Bob Griese, Jim Kiick, Karl Noonan
1969 Nick Buoniconti, Tom Goode, Jim Kiick, Larry Little, Bill Stanfill, Coach George Wilson

AFC-NFC PRO-BOWL

- 1970 Larry Csonka, Bob Griese, Paul Warfield
1971 Larry Csonka, Bob Griese, Larry Little, Mercury Morris, Jake Scott, Bill Stanfill, Paul Warfield
1972 Dick Anderson, Nick Buoniconti, Larry Csonka, Norm Evans, Larry Little, Mercury Morris, Jake Scott, Bill Stanfill, Paul Warfield

MILESTONE PERFORMANCES MIAMI 100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

Player	Date	Opponent	No.	Yds.	TD	L.
Bo Roberson	9/18/66	Buffalo	5	128	1	54†
Joe Auer	11/27/66	New England	6	112	1	25†
Bo Roberson	12/4/66	Denver	6	161	0	71
Frank Jackson	12/18/66	Houston	4	110	1	48†
Joe Auer	9/17/67	Denver	2	113	1	68†
Jack Clancy	10/8/67	Kansas City	6	102	0	28
Jack Clancy	11/19/67	Oakland	8	114	0	39
Jack Clancy	12/3/67	Houston	7	126	1	44†
Karl Noonan	9/14/68	Houston	7	104	1	44
Howard Twilley	11/3/68	San Diego	7	124	1	38
Larry Seiple	11/2/69	New York Jets	7	102	2	29†
Larry Seiple	11/16/69	Buffalo	8	106	0	25
Paul Warfield	10/3/70	Oakland	3	120	2	54†
Paul Warfield	10/10/70	New York Jets	5	122	1	40
Paul Warfield	9/19/71	Denver	6	146	1	36
Paul Warfield	10/3/71	New York Jets	5	117	0	32
Paul Warfield	10/31/71	Los Angeles	3	108	1	74†
Paul Warfield	11/14/71	Pittsburgh	3	158	3	86†
Marlin Briscoe	11/12/72	New England	4	128	2	51†
Otto Stowe	11/27/72	St. Louis	6	140	2	37†
Paul Warfield	12/10/72	New York Giants	4	132	1	44

MIAMI 300-YARD PASSING GAMES

Player	Date	Opponent	Att.	Com.	Yds.	TD	L.	Int.
John Stofa	12/18/66	Houston	38	22	307	4	48†	2
Bob Griese	9/14/69	Cincinnati	39	19	327	1	50	2

MIAMI 100-YARD RUSHING GAMES

Player	Date	Opponent	Att.	Yds.	TD	Long
Abner Haynes	9/17/67	Denver	12	151	2	65t
Jim Kiick	10/6/68	Houston	26	104	0	12
Jim Kiick	11/10/68	Buffalo	23	111	1	25
Jim Kiick	11/2/69	New York Jets	15	106	0	27
Larry Csonka	11/9/69	New England	16	121	1	54t
Larry Csonka	11/30/70	Atlanta	19	108	1	18
Larry Csonka	12/6/70	New England	21	115	1	30
Larry Csonka	9/26/71	Buffalo	20	103	1	17
Jim Kiick	9/26/71	Buffalo	20	108	0	16
Larry Csonka	10/24/71	New York Jets	20	137	2	21
Jim Kiick	10/24/71	New York Jets	17	121	0	24
Mercury Morris	11/7/71	Buffalo	13	116	1	45
Larry Csonka	11/29/71	Chicago	16	104	1	19
Larry Csonka	9/17/72	Kansas City	21	118	1	17
Larry Csonka	10/8/72	New York Jets	18	102	0	15
Larry Csonka	10/22/72	Buffalo	18	107	1	21
Mercury Morris	11/5/72	Buffalo	11	106	2	33
Mercury Morris	11/19/72	New York Jets	23	107	2	20
Larry Csonka	11/27/72	St. Louis	16	114	0	20
Mercury Morris	12/3/72	New England	15	113	0	20

LONG PLAYS BY YEARS

Run from Scrimmage		Punt Returns	
1966	Joe Auer 41	1966	Joe Auer 56
1967	Abner Haynes 65t	1967	Abner Haynes lateral from Joe Auer 31
1968	Larry Csonka 40	1968	Eugene Milton 26
1969	Larry Csonka 54t	1969	Mercury Morris 38
1970	Jim Kiick 56	1970	Jake Scott 77t
1971	Mercury Morris 51	1971	Dick Anderson 47
1972	Larry Csonka 45	1972	Charlie Leigh 27
Punt		Kickoff Returns	
1966	George Wilson Jr. 63	1966	Joe Auer 95t
1967	Larry Seiple 70	1967	Bobby Neff 69
1968	Larry Seiple 60	1968	Bobby Neff 95
1969	Larry Seiple 66	1969	Mercury Morris 105t
1970	Larry Seiple 67	1970	Mercury Morris 96t
1971	Larry Seiple 73	1971	Mercury Morris 94t
1972	Larry Seiple 54	1972	Charlie Leigh 45
Pass Play		Interception Return	
1966	George Wilson Jr. to Bo Roberson 80t	1966	Jimmy Warren 70t
1967	Bob Griese to Joe Auer 68t	1967	Tom Erlandson 37
1968	Rick Norton to Larry Csonka 65	1968	Dick Anderson 96t
1969	Bob Griese to Jim Kiick 53t	1969	Lloyd Mumphord 51
1970	Bob Griese to Paul Warfield; Bob Griese to Larry Csonka 54	1970	Dick Anderson 86
1971	Bob Griese to Paul Warfield 86t	1971	Curtis Johnson 34
1972	Jim Del Gaizo to Marlin Briscoe 51t	1972	Jake Scott 31
		Field Goal	
		1966	Gene Mingo 47
		1967	Booth Lusteg 48
		1968	Jimmy Keyes 31
		1969	Karl Kremser 39
		1970	Garó Yepremian 47
		1971	Garó Yepremian 48
		1972	Garó Yepremian 54



INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

SERVICE

MOST SEASONS, MOST CONSECUTIVE SEASONS

- 7 Norm Evans, Howard Twilley, both 1966-72
- 6 Karl Noonan, Bob Petrella (both 1966-71); Bob Griese, Larry Seiple (1967-72)

MOST GAMES

- 96 Norm Evans, 1966-72
- 84 Karl Noonan, 1966-71
- 79 Howard Twilley, 1966-72
- 70 Dick Anderson, 1968-72

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES

- 84 Karl Noonan, 1966-71
- 70 Dick Anderson, 1968-72
- 51 Norm Evans (sixth game) 1969-72

SCORING

MOST POINTS, LIFETIME

- 329 Garo Yepremian, 1970-72

MOST POINTS, SEASON

- 117 Garo Yepremian, 1971

MOST POINTS, GAME

- 18 Mercury Morris (vs. New England 11/12/72), Paul Warfield (vs. Pittsburgh 11/14/71), Jim Kiick (vs. Buffalo 12/20/70)

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES SCORING

- 35 Garo Yepremian, 1970-72 (last 7 of 1970, all in 71 and 72)

TOUCHDOWNS

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, LIFETIME

- 30 Larry Csonka, 1968-72 (27 rushing, 3 receiving)
- 29 Jim Kiick, 1968-72 (27 rushing, 2 receiving)

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, SEASON

- 12 Mercury Morris, 1972

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, GAME

- 3 Mercury Morris (vs. New England 11/12/72), Paul Warfield (vs. Pittsburgh 11/14/71), Jim Kiick (vs. Buffalo 12/20/70)

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES SCORING TOUCHDOWNS

- 6 Paul Warfield, 1971 (Cincinnati-Pittsburgh)

POINTS AFTER TOUCHDOWN

MOST PAT ATTEMPTED, LIFETIME

- 109 Garo Yepremian, 1970-72

MOST PAT ATTEMPTED, SEASON

- 45 Garo Yepremian, 1972

MOST PAT ATTEMPTED, GAME

- 7 Garo Yepremian, 1972 (vs. New England 11/12)

MOST PAT MADE, LIFETIME

- 107 Garo Yepremian, 1970-72 (of 109)

MOST PAT MADE, SEASON

- 43 Garo Yepremian, 1972 (of 45)

MOST PAT MADE, GAME

- 7 Garo Yepremian, 1972 (vs. New England 11/12)

MOST CONSECUTIVE PAT MADE

- 64 Garo Yepremian, 1970-71 (of 64)

TWO POINT CONVERSIONS

MOST RUSHING PLAYS MADE, LIFETIME, SEASON, GAME

- 1 George Wilson Jr., 1966 (vs. Kansas City 12/11)

MOST PASS PLAYS MADE, LIFETIME, SEASON, GAME

- 1 Billy Joe from George Wilson Jr., 1966 (vs. Houston 12/18)

FIELD GOALS

MOST FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED, LIFETIME

- 106 Garo Yepremian, 1970-72

MOST FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED, SEASON

- 40 Garo Yepremian, 1971

MOST FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED, GAME

- 6 Garo Yepremian, 1971 (at Buffalo 9/26)

MOST FIELD GOALS MADE, LIFETIME

- 74 Garo Yepremian, 1970-72 (of 106)

MOST FIELD GOALS MADE, SEASON

- 28 Garo Yepremian, 1971 (of 40)

MOST FIELD GOALS MADE, GAME

- 5 Garo Yepremian, 1971 (at Buffalo 9/26)

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES, FIELD GOALS MADE

- 20 Garo Yepremian, 1970-72 (last 5 of 1970, all of 1971, 1 of 1972)

MOST CONSECUTIVE FIELD GOALS MADE

- 8 Garo Yepremian, 1970-71 (15, 39, 30, 40, 13, 21, 43, 22)
- 5 Garo Yepremian, 1972 (last 5: 31, 16, 40, 50, 35)

HIGHEST PERCENTAGE, SEASON

- 75.7 Garo Yepremian, 1970 (22 of 29)

HIGHEST PERCENTAGE, LIFETIME (Min. 25)

- 69.8 Garo Yepremian, 1970-72 (74 of 106)

HIGHEST PERCENTAGE, GAME

- 100.0 Garo Yepremian, 1970-72 (several times)

LONGEST FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTED

- 57 Garo Yepremian, 1972 (at Kansas City 9/17)

LONGEST FIELD GOAL MADE

- 54 Garo Yepremian, 1972 (vs. Buffalo 10/22)

RUSHING

MOST ATTEMPTS, LIFETIME

- 870 Larry Csonka, 1968-72
- 835 Jim Kiick, 1968-72

MOST ATTEMPTS, SEASON

- 213 Larry Csonka, 1972

MOST ATTEMPTS, GAME

- 26 Mercury Morris, 1972 (vs. Baltimore 12/16), Jim Kiick, 1970 (at New York Jets 10/10), Larry Csonka and Jim Kiick, 1968 (both at Houston 10/6)

MOST YARDS GAINED, LIFETIME

- 4148 Larry Csonka, 1968-72
- 3113 Jim Kiick, 1968-72

MOST YARDS GAINED, SEASON

- 1117 Larry Csonka, 1972

MOST YARDS GAINED, GAME

- 151 Abner Haynes, 1967 (vs. Denver 9/17)

MOST GAMES 100+ YARDS, LIFETIME

- 10 Larry Csonka, 1968-72
- 5 Jim Kiick, 1968-72

MOST GAMES 100+ YARDS, SEASON

- 4 Larry Csonka, 1972

LONGEST RUN FROM SCRIMMAGE

- 65t Abner Haynes, 1967 (vs. Denver 9/17)

AVERAGE GAIN RUSHING

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, LIFETIME (200 ATT.)

- 5.6 Mercury Morris, 1969-72 (330 for 1834)
- 4.8 Larry Csonka, 1968-72 (870 for 4148)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, LIFETIME (100-199 ATT.)

4.3 Bob Griese, 1967-72 (155 for 671)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, LIFETIME (99-LESS)

23.3 Frank Jackson, 1966-67 (3 for 70)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, SEASON (100 ATT.)

5.4 Larry Csonka, 1971 (195 for 1051)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, SEASON (50-99 ATT.)

6.8 Mercury Morris, 1970 (60 for 409)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, SEASON (49-LESS)

48.0 Frank Jackson, 1967 (1 for 48)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, GAME (10 ATT.)

12.6 Abner Haynes, 1967 (vs. Denver 9/17-12 for 151)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, GAME (5-9 ATT.)

17.0 Mercury Morris, 1971 (vs. New England 10/17-5 for 85)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, GAME (4-LESS)

48.0 Frank Jackson, 1967 (at Oakland 11/19-1 for 48)

TOUCHDOWNS RUSHING**MOST TOUCHDOWNS RUSHING, LIFETIME**

27 Larry Csonka, Jim Kiick, each 1968-72

MOST TOUCHDOWNS RUSHING, SEASON

12 Mercury Morris, 1972

MOST TOUCHDOWNS RUSHING, GAME

3 Mercury Morris, 1972 (vs. New England 11/12), Jim Kiick, 1970 (vs. Buffalo 12/20)

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES, TOUCHDOWNS RUSHING

5 Mercury Morris, 1972 (vs. Buffalo-New York Jets)

PASSING**MOST ATTEMPTS, LIFETIME**

1543 Bob Griese, 1967-72

MOST ATTEMPTS, SEASON

355 Bob Griese, 1968

MOST ATTEMPTS, GAME

53 Dick Wood, 1966 (vs. New England 11/27)

MOST COMPLETIONS, LIFETIME

813 Bob Griese, 1967-72

MOST COMPLETIONS, SEASON

186 Bob Griese, 1968 (of 355)

MOST COMPLETIONS, GAME

23 Bob Griese, 1968 (vs. Oakland 9/21-of 40 att.)

MOST CONSECUTIVE COMPLETIONS

10 Bob Griese, 1969 (vs. San Diego 10/11)

COMPLETION PERCENTAGE**COMPLETION PERCENTAGE, LIFETIME (300 ATT.)**

52.7 Bob Griese, 1967-72 (813 of 1543)

COMPLETION PERCENTAGE, LIFETIME (100-299 ATT.)

55.3 Earl Morrall, 1972 (83 of 150)

COMPLETION PERCENTAGE, LIFETIME (99-LESS)

100.0 Larry Seiple, 1967-72 (3 of 3), Marlin Briscoe, 1972 (3 of 3)

55.6 Jim Del Gaizo, 1972 (5 of 9)

COMPLETION PERCENTAGE, SEASON (100 ATT.)

58.0 Bob Griese, 1970 (142 of 245)

COMPLETION PERCENTAGE, SEASON (33-99 ATT.)

54.6 Bob Griese, 1972 (53 of 97)

COMPLETION PERCENTAGE, SEASON (32-LESS)

100.0 Marlin Briscoe, 1972 (3 of 3), John Stofa, 1967 (2 of 2), Larry Seiple, 1967 (2 of 2)

60.9 John Stofa, 1969 (14 of 23)

COMPLETION PERCENTAGE, GAME (20 ATT.)

81.0 Bob Griese, 1967 (vs. New York Jets 10/22-17 of 21)

COMPLETION PERCENTAGE, GAME (7-19 ATT.)

80.0 Earl Morrall, 1972 (vs. San Diego 10/15-8 of 10)

COMPLETION PERCENTAGE, GAME (2-6 ATT.)

100.0 George Wilson Jr., 1966 (at Houston 10/23-4 of 4)

PASSING YARDAGE**MOST YARDS, LIFETIME**

10,919 Bob Griese, 1967-72

MOST YARDS, SEASON

2473 Bob Griese, 1968

MOST YARDS, GAME

327 Bob Griese, 1969 (at Cincinnati 9/14)

MOST GAMES 200+ YARDS, LIFETIME

20 Bob Griese, 1967-72

MOST GAMES 200+ YARDS, SEASON

6 Bob Griese, 1968

LONGEST PASS

86ft Bob Griese to Paul Warfield, 1971 (vs. Pittsburgh 11/14)

TOUCHDOWNS PASSING**MOST TOUCHDOWNS, LIFETIME**

81 Bob Griese, 1968-72

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, SEASON

21 Bob Griese, 1968

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, GAME

4 Bob Griese (vs. New England 10/17/71, at New York Jets 11/2/69), John Stofa (vs. Houston 12/18/66)

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES, TOUCHDOWN PASSES

8 Bob Griese, 1967-68 (final 6 of 1967, first 2 of 1968); 1968

7 Earl Morrall, 1972 (final 7 games)

MOST CONSECUTIVE PASSES FOR TOUCHDOWNS

3 Bob Griese, 1971 (vs. Pittsburgh 11/14)

INTERCEPTIONS**LOWEST INTERCEPTION FREQUENCY, LIFETIME (300 ATT.)**

5.2 Bob Griese, 1967-72 (80 of 1543)

LOWEST INTERCEPTION FREQUENCY, LIFETIME (100-299 ATT.)

4.4 John Stofa, 1966-70 (6 of 135)

4.7 Earl Morrall, 1972 (7 of 150)

LOWEST INTERCEPTION FREQUENCY, LIFETIME (3-99)

0.0 Larry Seiple, 1967-72 (0 of 3), Marlin Briscoe, 1972 (0 of 3)

LOWEST INTERCEPTION FREQUENCY, SEASON (100 ATT.)

3.5 Bob Griese, 1971 (9 of 263)

LOWEST INTERCEPTION FREQUENCY, SEASON (33-99)

3.5 John Stofa, 1966 (2 of 57)

LOWEST INTERCEPTION FREQUENCY, SEASON (3-32)

0.0 Marlin Briscoe, 1972 (0 of 3)

LOWEST INTERCEPTION FREQUENCY, GAME (MOST ATT.)

0.0 Rick Norton, 1969 (at Buffalo 11/16-0 of 41)

MOST CONSECUTIVE ATTEMPTS, NONE INTERCEPTED

122 Bob Griese, 1967

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES, NONE INTERCEPTED

4 Bob Griese, 1971 (65 att.)

MOST INTERCEPTED, LIFETIME

80 Bob Griese, 1967-72

MOST INTERCEPTED, SEASON

18 Bob Griese, 1967 (of 331)

MOST INTERCEPTED, GAME

5 Rick Norton, 1969 (vs. Houston 11/23); Bob Griese, 1967 (vs. Houston 12/23)

YARDAGE LOST; TACKLED ATTEMPTING TO PASS**MOST TIMES TACKLED, LIFETIME**

162 Bob Griese, 1967-72

MOST TIMES TACKLED, SEASON

43 Bob Griese, 1968

MOST TIMES TACKLED, GAME

8 Rick Norton, 1969 (at Buffalo 11/16)

MOST YARDS LOST, LIFETIME

1476 Bob Griese, 1967-72

MOST YARDS LOST, SEASON

372 Bob Griese, 1968

MOST YARDS LOST, GAME

83 Rick Norton, 1969 (at Buffalo 11/16)

RECEIVING**MOST RECEPTIONS, LIFETIME**

176 Jim Kiick, 1968-72

148 Howard Twilley, 1966-72

MOST RECEPTIONS, SEASON

67 Jack Clancy, 1967

MOST RECEPTIONS, GAME

8 Jim Kiick, 1970 (at Baltimore 11/1), Larry Seiple, 1969 (at Buffalo 11/16), Jack Clancy twice, 1967 (vs. San Diego 12/10 and 11/19)

MOST YARDS, LIFETIME

2305 Paul Warfield, 1970-72

2198 Howard Twilley, 1966-72

MOST YARDS, SEASON

996 Paul Warfield, 1971

MOST YARDS, GAME

161 Bo Roberson, 1966 (at Denver 12/4)

MOST GAMES 100+ YARDS, LIFETIME

7 Paul Warfield, 1970-72

MOST GAMES 100+ YARDS, SEASON

4 Paul Warfield, 1971 (Denver-Pittsburgh)

LONGEST PASS RECEPTION AND**LONGEST TOUCHDOWN RECEPTION**

86 Paul Warfield, 1971 (vs. Pittsburgh 11/14 from Bob Griese)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN PER, LIFETIME (80 RECEPTIONS)

23.1 Paul Warfield, 1970-72 (100 for 2305)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN PER, LIFETIME (40-79)

13.7 Larry Seiple, 1967-72 (52 for 713)

11.3 Marv Fleming, 1970-72 (44 for 498)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN PER, SEASON (20-39)

25.1 Paul Warfield, 1970 (28 for 703)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN PER, SEASON (19-LESS)

23.8 Stan Mitchell, 1968 (8 for 190)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN PER, GAME (5 RECEPTIONS)

26.8 Bo Roberson, 1966 (at Denver 12/4—6 for 161)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN PER, GAME (4-LESS)

80.0 Bo Roberson, 1966 (at Houston 10/23—1 for 80)

TOUCHDOWNS RECEIVING**MOST TOUCHDOWNS, LIFETIME**

20 Paul Warfield, 1970-72

17 Karl Noonan, 1966-71

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, SEASON

11 Paul Warfield, 1971; Karl Noonan, 1968

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, GAME

3 Paul Warfield, 1971 (vs. Pittsburgh 11/14)

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES, TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS

6 Paul Warfield, 1971 (Cincinnati-Pittsburgh)

INTERCEPTIONS BY**MOST INTERCEPTIONS, LIFETIME**

24 Dick Anderson, 1968-72

17 Jake Scott, 1970-72

MOST INTERCEPTIONS, SEASON

10 Dick Westmoreland, 1967

MOST INTERCEPTIONS, GAME

3 Dick Westmoreland, 1967 (vs. Buffalo 11/26); Willie West, 1966 (at Houston 10/23)

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES, INTERCEPTIONS

5 Dick Westmoreland, 1967 (Oakland-New England)

MOST YARDS, LIFETIME

594 Dick Anderson, 1968-72

MOST YARDS, SEASON

230 Dick Anderson, 1968

MOST YARDS, GAME

109 Dick Anderson, 1968 (at New England 11/24)

LONGEST INTERCEPTION RETURN

96+ Dick Anderson, 1968 (at New England 11/24)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, LIFETIME

24.8 Dick Anderson, 1968-72 (24 for 594)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, SEASON

39.6 Jimmy Warren, 1966 (5 for 198)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, GAME

86.0 Dick Anderson, 1970 (vs. Buffalo 12/20—1 for 86)

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, LIFETIME

2 Lloyd Mumphord, 1969-72; Bill Stanfill, 1969-72; Dick Westmoreland, 1966-69

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, SEASON

2 Bill Stanfill, 1969

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, GAME

1 Lloyd Mumphord (twice, most recent, 1972), Dick Westmoreland (twice), Bill Stanfill (twice), Pete Jaquess, Jimmy Warren, Tom Erlandson, Dick Anderson (one each)

PUNTING**MOST PUNTS, LIFETIME**

371 Larry Seiple, 1967-72

MOST PUNTS, SEASON

80 Larry Seiple, 1969

MOST PUNTS, GAME

10 George Wilson Jr., 1966 (vs. New York Jets 9/9)

MOST PUNTS HAD BLOCKED, GAME

1 Larry Seiple, 4 times

MOST YARDS, LIFETIME

15,132 Larry Seiple, 1967-72

MOST YARDS, SEASON

3263 Larry Seiple, 1969

MOST YARDS, GAME

483 George Wilson Jr., 1966 (vs. New York Jets 9/9—10 punts)

LONGEST PUNT

73 Larry Seiple, 1971 (vs. Pittsburgh 11/14)

HIGHEST AVERAGE, LIFETIME (200 PUNTS)

40.8 Larry Seiple, 1967-72 (371 for 15,132)

HIGHEST AVERAGE, LIFETIME (199-LESS)

42.1 George Wilson Jr., 1966 (42 for 1772)

HIGHEST AVERAGE, SEASON (30 PUNTS)

42.1 George Wilson Jr., 1966 (42 for 1772)

HIGHEST AVERAGE, SEASON (29-LESS)

37.6 Dick Anderson, 1969 (5 for 188)

HIGHEST AVERAGE, GAME (4 PUNTS)

48.4 Larry Seiple, 1967 (vs. Kansas City 9/24-5 for 242)

HIGHEST AVERAGE, GAME (3-LESS)

51.0 Larry Seiple, 1971 (at Denver 9/19-2 for 102)

PUNT RETURNS**MOST PUNT RETURNS, LIFETIME**

73 Jake Scott, 1970-72

MOST PUNT RETURNS, SEASON

33 Jake Scott, 1971

MOST PUNT RETURNS, GAME

7 Mercury Morris, 1969 (at Kansas City 10/19)

MOST YARDS, LIFETIME

708 Jake Scott, 1970-72

MOST YARDS, SEASON

318 Jake Scott, 1971

MOST YARDS, GAME

123 Mercury Morris, 1969 (at Kansas City 10/19)

LONGEST PUNT RETURN

77+ Jake Scott, 1970 (vs. Baltimore 11/22)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, LIFETIME (20 RETURNS)

9.7 Jake Scott, 1970-72 (73 for 708)

9.5 Charlie Leigh, 1971-72 (22 for 210)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, LIFETIME (19-LESS)

15.0 Dick Washington, 1968 (1 for 15)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, SEASON (10 RETURNS)

10.7 Jake Scott, 1970 (27 for 290)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, SEASON (9-LESS)

19.8 Joe Auer, 1966 (5 for 99)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, GAME (3 RETURNS)

17.6 Mercury Morris, 1969 (at Kansas City 10/19-7 for 123)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, GAME (2-LESS)

56.0 Joe Auer, 1966 (vs. Buffalo 11/6-1 for 56)

TOUCHDOWNS RETURNING PUNTS

1 Jake Scott, 1970 (vs. Baltimore 11/22-77 yards)

FAIR CATCHES**MOST FAIR CATCHES, LIFETIME**

36 Jake Scott, 1970-72

MOST FAIR CATCHES, SEASON

18 Jake Scott, 1971

MOST FAIR CATCHES, GAME

6 Jake Scott, 1970 (vs. Buffalo 12/20)

KICKOFF RETURNS**MOST KICKOFF RETURNS, LIFETIME**

100 Mercury Morris, 1969-72

MOST KICKOFF RETURNS, SEASON

43 Mercury Morris, 1969

MOST KICKOFF RETURNS, GAME

6 Mercury Morris, 1970 (at Baltimore 11/1); Gene Milton, 1968 (vs. Oakland 9/21)

MOST YARDS, LIFETIME

2705 Mercury Morris, 1969-72

MOST YARDS, SEASON

1136 Mercury Morris, 1969

MOST YARDS, GAME

204 Gene Milton, 1968 (vs. Oakland 9/21)

LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN

105+ Mercury Morris, 1969 (at Cincinnati 9/14)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, LIFETIME (40 RETURNS)

27.1 Mercury Morris, 1969-72 (100 for 2705)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, LIFETIME (20-39)

26.2 Bob Neff, 1966-68 (35 for 917)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, LIFETIME (19-LESS)

29.3 Jake Scott, 1970-72 (4 for 117)

25.2 Charlie Leigh, 1971-72 (10 for 252)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, SEASON (15 RETURNS)

29.0 Mercury Morris, 1970 (28 for 812)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, SEASON (7-14)

25.2 Hubert Ginn, 1971 (10 for 252)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, SEASON (6-LESS)

29.3 Jake Scott, 1970 (4 for 117)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, GAME (3 RETURNS)

46.7 Joe Auer, 1966 (vs. Oakland 9/2-3 for 140)

HIGHEST AVERAGE GAIN, GAME (2-LESS)

66 Mercury Morris, 1969 (at Cincinnati 9/14-2 for 132)

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, GAME

1 Mercury Morris (twice), Joe Auer (once)

PUNTS BLOCKED BY**MOST PUNTS BLOCKED BY, LIFETIME AND SEASON**

2 Curtis Johnson, 1972

MOST PUNTS BLOCKED, GAME

1 Curtis Johnson, 1972 (twice), Ed Weisacosky, 1968 (once)

MOST TOUCHDOWNS ON BLOCKED PUNTS, LIFETIME, SEASON, GAME

1 Frank Emanuel, 1968 (vs. New England 12/8-recovered punt blocked by Ed Weisacosky in end zone, completing 30-yard play)

FIELD GOALS BLOCKED BY**MOST FIELD GOALS BLOCKED BY, LIFETIME**

6 Lloyd Mumphord, 1969-72

4 Curtis Johnson, 1970-72

MOST FIELD GOALS BLOCKED BY, GAME

1 Lloyd Mumphord (6 times), Curtis Johnson (4), Frank Cornish (2), Bob Heinz (2), Manny Fernandez, Maulty Moore, Jim Riley (one each)

MOST FIELD GOALS BLOCKED BY, SEASON

2 Lloyd Mumphord, 1972, 1971, 1970; Curtis Johnson, 1971; Frank Cornish, 1970

PAT ATTEMPTS BLOCKED BY**MOST PAT ATTEMPTS BLOCKED, LIFETIME AND SEASON**

3 Wahoo McDaniel, 1966

MOST PAT ATTEMPTS BLOCKED BY, GAME

1 Wahoo McDaniel (thrice), John Bramlett (twice), Nick Buoniconti, Frank Cornish (one each)

TEAM RECORDS

GAMES

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITHOUT DEFEAT

15 1971 (final game)—1972 (all)

MOST CONSECUTIVE DEFEATS

8 1967 (Kansas City - Oakland)

MOST DECISIVE WIN

52 points 1972 (52-0 over New England 11/12)

MOST DECISIVE DEFEAT

45 points 1968 (3-48 vs. Kansas City 9/28)

SCORING

MOST POINTS, SEASON

385 1972

FEWEST POINTS, SEASON

213 1966

MOST POINTS, GAME

52 1972 (vs. New England 11/12)

FEWEST POINTS, GAME

0 Six times (last: at Baltimore 11/1/70—0-35 score)

MOST POINTS, BOTH TEAMS, GAME

82 1966 Miami (24) at Buffalo (58) (9/18)

FEWEST POINTS BOTH TEAMS, GAME

16 1972 Miami (16) vs. Baltimore (0) (12/16)

MOST POINTS, ONE QUARTER

28 1967 (vs. New England 12/17)

MOST POINTS BOTH TEAMS, ONE QUARTER

34 1966 Miami (7) at Buffalo (27) (9/18)

MOST POINTS, ONE HALF

35 1967 (vs. New England 12/17)

MOST POINTS BOTH TEAMS, ONE HALF

58 1966 Miami (10) at Buffalo (48) (9/18)

MOST POINTS, EACH QUARTER

1st—21 vs. Buffalo 12/20/70

2nd—28 vs. New England 12/17/67

3rd—17 vs. New England 12/3/72

4th—17 vs. Philadelphia 11/8/70

MOST POINTS BOTH TEAMS, EACH QUARTER

1st—27 Miami (3) vs. Kansas City (24) 9/28/68

2nd—34 Miami (7) at Buffalo (27) 9/18/66

3rd—28 Miami (14) vs. San Diego (14) 12/10/67

4th—28 Miami (0) at San Diego (28) 10/2/68; Miami (7) at New York Jets (21) 12/1/68

MOST POINTS, EACH HALF

1st—35 vs. New England 12/17/67

2nd—28 vs. San Diego 12/10/67

MOST POINTS BOTH TEAMS, EACH HALF

1st—58 Miami (10) at Buffalo (48) 9/18/66

2nd—42 Miami (21) vs. Denver (21) 9/17/67; Miami (28) vs. San Diego (14) 12/10/67

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES SCORING

39 (ended vs. Cleveland 10/28/70)

35 (Philadelphia 1970 through all of 1971 and 1972)

TOUCHDOWNS

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, SEASON

45 1972

FEWEST TOUCHDOWNS, SEASON

26 1966

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, GAME

7 1972 (vs. New England 11/12)

FEWEST TOUCHDOWNS, GAME

0 on 9 occasions (last: at Baltimore 12/11/71)

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES SCORING TOUCHDOWNS

20 10/6/68 - 11/9/69

15 12/18/71 - all 1972

TOTAL POINTS AFTER TOUCHDOWNS

MOST TOTAL POINTS AFTER TOUCHDOWN, SEASON

43 1972 (of 45)

FEWEST TOTAL POINTS AFTER TOUCHDOWN, SEASON

26 1969

MOST TOTAL POINTS AFTER TOUCHDOWN, GAME

7 1972 (vs. New England 11/12)

POINTS AFTER TOUCHDOWN, KICKING

MOST PAT ATTEMPTS, SEASON

45 1972

FEWEST PAT ATTEMPTS, SEASON

23 1966

MOST PAT MADE, SEASON

43 1972

FEWEST PAT MADE, SEASON

23 1966

MOST PAT ATTEMPTED AND MADE, GAME

7 1972 (vs. New England 11/12)

MOST CONSECUTIVE PAT MADE

68 11/19/67 - 11/23/69

FIELD GOALS

MOST FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED, SEASON

40 1971

FEWEST FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED, SEASON

18 1967

MOST FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED, GAME

6 1971 (at Buffalo 9/26)

MOST FIELD GOALS MADE, SEASON

28 1971

FEWEST FIELD GOALS MADE, SEASON

8, 1968 and 1967

MOST FIELD GOALS MADE, GAME

5 1971 (at Buffalo 9/26)

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES, FIELD GOALS MADE

33 11/22/70 - all of 1971 - all of 1972

MOST CONSECUTIVE FIELD GOALS

7 1970

5 1972 (last 5)

SAFETIES

None

FIRST DOWNS

MOST FIRST DOWNS, SEASON

291 1972

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS, SEASON

200 1966

MOST FIRST DOWNS, GAME

30 1972 (vs. Houston 9/24)

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS, GAME

7 1970 (vs. Oakland 10/3)

MOST FIRST DOWNS RUSHING, SEASON

170 1972

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS RUSHING, SEASON

65 1967

MOST FIRST DOWNS RUSHING, GAME

19 1972 (at Baltimore 10/29)

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS RUSHING, GAME

0 1967 (at New England 10/15)

MOST FIRST DOWNS PASSING, SEASON

144 1968

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS PASSING, SEASON

94 1971

MOST FIRST DOWNS PASSING, GAME

16 1968 (vs. Oakland 9/21)

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS PASSING, GAME

3 1970 (vs. Cleveland 10/25)

MOST FIRST DOWNS PENALTY, SEASON

25 1968

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS PENALTY, SEASON

17 1971

MOST FIRST DOWNS PENALTY, GAME

6 1967 (vs. Buffalo 11/26); 1966 (at Denver 12/4)

PLAYS**MOST PLAYS, SEASON**

893 1972

FEWEST PLAYS, SEASON

803 1971

MOST PLAYS, GAME

77 1970 (at Baltimore 11/1)

FEWEST PLAYS, GAME

45 1969 (at New England 11/9)

NET YARDS GAINED**MOST NET YARDS GAINED, SEASON**

5036 1972

FEWEST NET YARDS GAINED, SEASON

3458 1966

MOST NET YARDS GAINED, GAME

501 1972 (at New England 12/3)

FEWEST NET YARDS GAINED, GAME

111 1966 (vs. New York Jets 9/9)

RUSHING**MOST ATTEMPTS, SEASON**

613 1972

FEWEST ATTEMPTS, SEASON

326 1967

MOST ATTEMPTS, GAME

53 1968 (at Houston 10/6)

FEWEST ATTEMPTS, GAME

16 1967 (at Houston 12/3)

MOST YARDS GAINED, SEASON

2960 1972 (NFL Record)

FEWEST YARDS GAINED, SEASON

1323 1967

MOST YARDS GAINED, GAME

304 1972 (at New England 12/3)

FEWEST YARDS GAINED, GAME

23 1967 (vs. Kansas City 9/24)

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, SEASON

26 1972

FEWEST TOUCHDOWNS, SEASON

5 1966

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, GAME

4 1972 (vs. New England 11/12); 1970 (vs. Buffalo 12/20)

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES TOUCHDOWNS

8 1972 (Buffalo - New York Giants)

PASSING**MOST ATTEMPTS, SEASON**

480 1967

FEWEST ATTEMPTS, SEASON

259 1972

MOST ATTEMPTS, GAME

53 1966 (vs. New England 11/27)

FEWEST ATTEMPTS, GAME

10 1969 (at New England 11/9)

MOST COMPLETIONS, SEASON

229 1967

FEWEST COMPLETIONS, SEASON

144 1972

MOST COMPLETIONS, GAME

26 1968 (vs. Oakland 9/21)

FEWEST COMPLETIONS, GAME

5 1971 (at New York Jets 10/24)

MOST YARDS LOST ATTEMPTING TO PASS, SEASON

481 1969

FEWEST YARDS LOST ATTEMPTING TO PASS, SEASON

159 1972

MOST TIMES TACKLED ATTEMPTING TO PASS, SEASON

53 1969

FEWEST TIMES TACKLED ATTEMPTING TO PASS, SEASON

21 1972

MOST TOTAL PASS PLAYS, SEASON

521 1967

FEWEST TOTAL PASS PLAYS, SEASON

280 1972

MOST TOTAL PASS PLAYS, GAME

54 1966 (vs. New England 11/27)

FEWEST TOTAL PASS PLAYS, GAME

11 1969 (at New England 11/9)

MOST NET YARDS GAINED, SEASON

2402 1968

FEWEST NET YARDS GAINED, SEASON

1957 1970

MOST NET YARDS GAINED, GAME

312 1968 (vs. Oakland 9/21)

FEWEST NET YARDS, GAME

22 1969 (vs. Houston 11/23)

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, SEASON

21 1968

FEWEST TOUCHDOWNS, SEASON

12 1969

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, GAME

4 1971 (vs. New England 10/17); 1969 (at New York Jets 11/2); 1966 (vs. Houston 12/18)

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES, TOUCHDOWNS

8 1971 and 1968 and 1967 (6) - 1968 (2)

MOST HAD INTERCEPTED, SEASON

32 1966

FEWEST HAD INTERCEPTED, SEASON

10 1971

MOST HAD INTERCEPTED, GAME

6 1966 (at Kansas City 11/13)

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES, NONE INTERCEPTED

4 1971

PUNTING

MOST PUNTS, SEASON

85 1969

FEWEST PUNTS, SEASON

44 1972

MOST PUNTS, GAME

10 1966 (vs. New York Jets 9/9)

FEWEST PUNTS, GAME

1 1972 (at New England 12/3; vs. New England 11/12);
1970 (vs. New Orleans 11/30)

MOST YARDS, SEASON

3451 1969

FEWEST YARDS, SEASON

1734 1972

MOST YARDS, GAME

483 1966 (vs. New York Jets 9/9)

FEWEST YARDS, GAME

36 1972 (vs. New England 11/12)

HIGHEST AVERAGE, SEASON

41.6 1967

LOWEST AVERAGE, SEASON

39.4 1972 and 1966

HIGHEST AVERAGE, GAME

51 1971 (at Denver 9/19)

LOWEST AVERAGE, GAME

28.2 1969 (vs. New England 11/30)

MOST PUNTS HAD BLOCKED, GAME

1 On 5 occasions

PUNT RETURNS

MOST RETURNS, SEASON

45 1969

FEWEST RETURNS, SEASON

21 1966

MOST RETURNS, GAME

7 1969 (at Kansas City 10/19)

MOST YARDS, SEASON

423 1971

FEWEST YARDS, SEASON

128 1967

MOST YARDS, GAME

123 1969 (at Kansas City 10/19)

FEWEST YARDS, GAME

-14 1969 (vs. New England 11/30)

HIGHEST AVERAGE, SEASON

10.5 1971

LOWEST AVERAGE, SEASON

5.1 1967

HIGHEST AVERAGE, GAME

56 1966 (vs. Buffalo 11/6)

LOWEST AVERAGE, GAME

-3.5 1969 (vs. New England 11/30)

TOUCHDOWNS

1 1970

KICKOFF RETURNS

MOST RETURNS, SEASON

67 1967

FEWEST RETURNS, SEASON

24 1972

MOST RETURNS, GAME

9 1966 (at Buffalo 9/18)

FEWEST RETURNS, GAME

0 1972 (vs. New England 11/12—1 touchback; at Baltimore 10/29—1 touchback); 1971 (at Denver 9/19—2 touchbacks)

MOST YARDS, SEASON

1507 1966

FEWEST YARDS, SEASON

546 1972

MOST YARDS, GAME

245 1971 (at New England 12/5)

FEWEST YARDS, GAME

0 1972 (vs. New England 11/12; at Baltimore 10/29);
1971 (at Denver 9/19)

HIGHEST AVERAGE, SEASON

25.2 1971

LOWEST AVERAGE, SEASON

21.5 1967

HIGHEST AVERAGE, GAME

56.3 1969 (at Cincinnati 9/14)

LOWEST AVERAGE, GAME (1 RETURN)

0 1972 (at New England 12/3)

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, SEASON, GAME

1 1970 (vs. New England 12/6); 1969 (at Cincinnati 9/14);
1966 (vs. Oakland 9/2)

FIRST DOWNS

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS, SEASON

186 1972

MOST FIRST DOWNS, SEASON

269 1967

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS, GAME

7 1969 (at New England 11/9)

MOST FIRST DOWNS, GAME

28 1968 (at San Diego 11/3)

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS RUSHING, SEASON

66 1969

MOST FIRST DOWNS RUSHING, SEASON

116 1968

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS RUSHING, GAME

0 1970 (vs. Buffalo 12/20)

MOST FIRST DOWNS RUSHING, GAME

15 1967 (vs. Kansas City 9/24)

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS PASSING, SEASON

96 1972

MOST FIRST DOWNS PASSING, SEASON

140 1966

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS PASSING, GAME

0 1968 (vs. New England 12/8)

MOST FIRST DOWNS PASSING, GAME

17 1967 (at New York Jets 10/1)

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS PENALTY, SEASON

10 1971

MOST FIRST DOWNS PENALTY, SEASON

21 1967

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS PENALTY, GAME

0 28 occasions (last Houston in 1972)

MOST FIRST DOWNS PENALTY, GAME

5 1967 (vs. New England 12/17)

NET YARDS ALLOWED

FEWEST NET YARDS, SEASON

3297 1972

MOST NET YARDS, SEASON

4980 1967

FEWEST NET YARDS, GAME

118 1966 (vs. Denver 10/16)

MOST NET YARDS, GAME

542 1968 (vs. Oakland 9/21)

PLAYS**FEWEST PLAYS, SEASON**

771 1972

MOST PLAYS, SEASON

857 1966

FEWEST PLAYS, GAME

42 1972 (vs. Houston 9/24)

MOST PLAYS, GAME

74 1969 (vs. Houston 11/23)

RUSHING**FEWEST ATTEMPTS, SEASON**

387 1970

MOST ATTEMPTS, SEASON

466 1967

FEWEST ATTEMPTS, GAME

12 1970 (vs. New York Jets 10/10)

MOST ATTEMPTS, GAME

49 1967 (at Houston 12/3)

FEWEST NET YARDS, SEASON

1453 1970

MOST NET YARDS, SEASON

2172 1968

FEWEST NET YARDS, GAME

16 1966 (vs. Oakland 9/2)

MOST NET YARDS, GAME

279 1967 (at Houston 12/3)

FEWEST TOUCHDOWNS, SEASON

8 1972 and 1970

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, SEASON

19 1968

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, GAME

4 1966 (at Buffalo 9/18)

PASSING**FEWEST ATTEMPTS, SEASON**

342 1968

MOST ATTEMPTS, SEASON

425 1966

FEWEST ATTEMPTS, GAME

9 1969 (at New England 11/9)

MOST ATTEMPTS, GAME

46 1966 (vs. Buffalo 11/6)

FEWEST COMPLETIONS, SEASON

178 1972

MOST COMPLETIONS, SEASON

234 1970

FEWEST COMPLETIONS, GAME

2 1969 (at New England 11/9)

MOST COMPLETIONS, GAME

25 1967 (at New York Jets 10/1)

FEWEST NET YARDS, SEASON

2000 1971

MOST NET YARDS, SEASON

3101 1966

FEWEST NET YARDS, GAME

16 1968 (vs. New England 12/8)

MOST NET YARDS, GAME

427 1967 (at New York Jets 10/1)

FEWEST TOUCHDOWNS, SEASON

10 1972 and 1971

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, SEASON

31 1967

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, GAME

5 4 occasions (last at New York Jets 12/1/68)

INTERCEPTIONS BY**MOST INTERCEPTIONS BY, SEASON**

31 1966

FEWEST INTERCEPTIONS BY, SEASON

17 1971

MOST INTERCEPTIONS BY, GAME

5 1967 (vs. San Diego 12/10)

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES, INTERCEPTIONS

9 1970 and 1966

MOST YARDS GAINED, SEASON

522 1966

FEWEST YARDS GAINED, SEASON

143 1971

MOST YARDS GAINED, GAME

121 1970 (vs. Buffalo 12/20)

MOST TOUCHDOWNS, SEASON

4 1966

TACKLED ATTEMPTING TO PASS**MOST TIMES CAUGHT PASSER, SEASON**

34 1972 and 1971

FEWEST TIMES CAUGHT PASSER, SEASON

16 1966

MOST TIMES CAUGHT PASSER, GAME

7 1971 (vs. New England 10/17)

MOST YARDS TACKLING PASSER, SEASON

293 1971

FEWEST YARDS TACKLING PASSER, SEASON

157 1970

MOST YARDS TACKLING PASSER, GAME

52 1971 (vs. New England 10/17)

OPPONENTS' ALL-TIME LONG PLAYS**RUN FROM SCRIMMAGE**

80t by Patriots' Carl Garrett at New England 11/9/69

PASS PLAY

93t from Chiefs' Mike Livingston to Otis Taylor to Robert Holmes (lateral) at Kansas City 10/19/69

INTERCEPTION RETURN

76t by Raiders' Dave Grayson at Oakland 9/20/69

PUNT

70 by Broncos' Bobby Scarpito vs. Denver 10/16/66

PUNT RETURN

80t by Colts' Ron Gardin at Baltimore 11/1/70

KICKOFF RETURN

99t by Colts' Jim Duncan at Baltimore 11/1/70

FIELD GOAL

52 by Chiefs' Jan Stenerud vs. Kansas City 9/28/68

HALL OF FAME GAME

Miami is scheduled to make its first appearance in the annual Hall of Fame Game at Canton, Ohio, in 1978, against the Philadelphia Eagles of the National Conference.

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16		SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7	
Atlanta at New Orleans	1:00	Baltimore at New England	1:00
Baltimore at Cleveland	1:00	Chicago at New Orleans	1:00
Buffalo at New England	1:00	Cleveland at Cincinnati	1:00
Cincinnati at Denver	2:00	Denver at Kansas City	1:00
Dallas at Chicago	1:00	Green Bay at N.Y. Giants	1:00
Detroit at Pittsburgh	4:00	Los Angeles at Houston	1:00
Houston at N.Y. Giants	1:00	Miami at New York Jets	1:00
Los Angeles at Kansas City	3:00	Minnesota at Detroit	4:00
Oakland at Minnesota	1:00	Oakland at St. Louis	1:00
St. Louis at Philadelphia	1:00	Philadelphia at Buffalo	1:00
San Diego at Washington	1:00	San Diego at Pittsburgh	1:00
San Francisco at Miami	1:00	San Francisco at Atlanta	1:00
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 17		MONDAY, OCTOBER 8	
N.Y. Jets vs. Green Bay at Milwaukee	8:00	Dallas at Washington	9:00
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 23		SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14	
Atlanta at Los Angeles	1:00	Baltimore at Buffalo	1:00
Buffalo at San Diego	1:00	Chicago at Atlanta	1:00
Cleveland at Pittsburgh	1:00	Dallas at Los Angeles	1:00
Detroit at Green Bay	1:00	Denver at Houston	1:00
Houston at Cincinnati	1:00	Detroit at New Orleans	1:00
Kansas City at N. England	1:00	Kansas City vs. Green Bay at Milwaukee	1:00
Miami at Oakland	1:00	Minnesota at San Francisco	1:00
Minnesota at Chicago	1:00	New England at N.Y. Jets	1:00
New York Jets at Baltimore	2:00	Philadelphia at St. Louis	1:00
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San Francisco at Denver	2:00	San Diego at Oakland	1:00
Washington at St. Louis	1:00	Washington at N.Y. Giants	1:00
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24		MONDAY, OCTOBER 15	
New Orleans at Dallas	8:00	Miami at Cleveland	9:00
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Chicago at Denver	2:00	Atlanta at San Diego	1:00
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Los Angeles at S. Francisco	1:00	Green Bay at Los Angeles	1:00
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Pittsburgh at Houston	1:00	Philadelphia at Minnesota	1:00
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Washington at Philadelphia	1:00	St. Louis at Washington	1:00
MONDAY, OCTOBER 1		MONDAY, OCTOBER 22	
Atlanta at Detroit	9:00	Oakland at Denver	7:00

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28

Atlanta at San Francisco	1:00
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh	4:00
Dallas at Philadelphia	1:00
Denver at New York Jets	1:00
Green Bay at Detroit	1:00
Houston at Chicago	1:00
Los Angeles at Minnesota	1:00
Miami at New England	1:00
N.Y. Giants at St. Louis	1:00
Oakland at Baltimore	2:00
San Diego at Cleveland	1:00
Washington at N. Orleans	1:00

MONDAY, OCTOBER 29

Kansas City at Buffalo	9:00
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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 4

Buffalo at New Orleans	1:00
Chicago at Green Bay	1:00
Cincinnati at Dallas	1:00
Cleveland at Minnesota	1:00
Denver at St. Louis	1:00
Houston at Baltimore	2:00
Kansas City at San Diego	1:00
Los Angeles at Atlanta	1:00
N. England at Philadelphia	1:00
N.Y. Giants at Oakland	1:00
New York Jets at Miami	1:00
San Francisco at Detroit	4:00

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5

Washington at Pittsburgh	9:00
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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11

Atlanta at Philadelphia	1:00
Baltimore at Miami	1:00
Cincinnati at Buffalo	1:00
Cleveland at Houston	1:00
Dallas at New York Giants	1:00
Detroit at Minnesota	1:00
N. Orleans at Los Angeles	1:00
N.Y. Jets at New England	1:00
Pittsburgh at Oakland	1:00
St. Louis at Green Bay	1:00
San Diego at Denver	2:00
S. Francisco at Washington	1:00

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12

Chicago at Kansas City	8:00
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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18

Baltimore at Washington	1:00
Cleveland at Oakland	1:00
Denver at Pittsburgh	1:00
Detroit at Chicago	1:00
Green Bay at New England	1:00
Houston at Kansas City	1:00
Miami at Buffalo	1:00
New Orleans at San Diego	1:00
New York Jets at Cincinnati	1:00
Philadelphia at Dallas	1:00
St. Louis at N.Y. Giants	1:00
S. Francisco at Los Angeles	1:00

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 19

Minnesota at Atlanta	9:00
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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 22

Washington at Detroit	12:15
Miami at Dallas	2:30

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 25

Atlanta at New York Jets	4:00
Buffalo at Baltimore	2:00
Chicago at Minnesota	1:00
Kansas City at Denver	2:00
Los Angeles at N. Orleans	2:00
New England at Houston	1:00
N.Y. Giants at Philadelphia	1:00
Oakland at San Diego	1:00
Pittsburgh at Cleveland	1:00
St. Louis at Cincinnati	1:00

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26

Green Bay at San Francisco	6:00
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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2

Baltimore at New York Jets	1:00
Buffalo at Atlanta	1:00
Cleveland at Kansas City	3:00
Dallas at Denver	2:00
Detroit at St. Louis	1:00
Los Angeles at Chicago	1:00
Minnesota at Cincinnati	1:00
New Orleans vs. Green Bay at Milwaukee	1:00
N.Y. Giants at Washington	1:00
Oakland at Houston	1:00
Philadelphia at S. Francisco	1:00
San Diego at New England	1:00

MONDAY, DECEMBER 3

Pittsburgh at Miami	9:00
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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8

Kansas City at Oakland	1:00
Minnesota at Green Bay	12:00

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 9

Chicago at Detroit	1:00
Cincinnati at Cleveland	1:00
Denver at San Diego	1:00
Houston at Pittsburgh	1:00
Miami at Baltimore	2:00
New England at Buffalo	1:00
N.Y. Jets at Philadelphia	1:00
St. Louis at Atlanta	1:00
S. Francisco at N. Orleans	1:00
Washington at Dallas	3:00

MONDAY, DECEMBER 10

N.Y. Giants at Los Angeles	6:00
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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15

Detroit at Miami	1:00
Pittsburgh at San Francisco	1:00

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 16

Buffalo at New York Jets	1:00
Cincinnati at Houston	1:00
Cleveland at Los Angeles	1:00
Dallas at St. Louis	1:00
Denver at Oakland	1:00
Green Bay at Chicago	1:00
Minnesota at N.Y. Giants	1:00
New England at Baltimore	2:00
New Orleans at Atlanta	1:00
Philadelphia at Washington	1:00
San Diego at Kansas City	1:00

POST SEASON

- Saturday, Dec. 22—AFC and NFC Divisional Playoffs
- Sunday, Dec. 23—AFC and NFC Divisional Playoffs
- Sunday, Dec. 30—AFC Championship Game
NFC Championship Game
- Sunday, Jan. 13, 1974—Super Bowl VIII at Houston
- Sunday, Jan. 20, 1974—AFC-NFC Pro Bowl at Kansas City