

# 20th Season of Bills Football

## THE ALL-TIME LEADERS



**P Paul Maguire**  
552 Career Punts



**DB Charley Warner**  
1,789 Career Kickoff  
Return Yards

**WR Elbert Dubenion**  
Career Receiving Leader  
296 Receptions



**QB Jack Kemp**  
Career Passing Leader  
15,128 Yards

**RB O. J. Simpson**  
Career Rushing Leader  
10,183 Yards  
Career Scoring Leader  
420 Points



**DB George Byrd**  
40 Career  
Interceptions

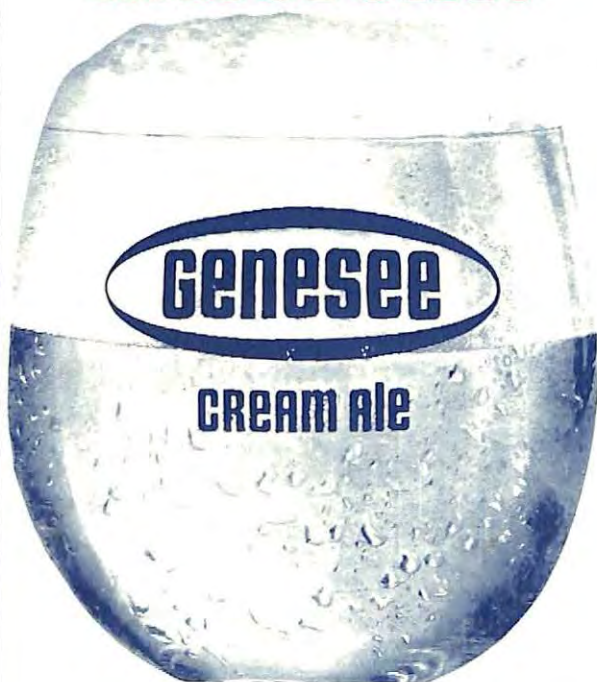
**DB Keith Moody**  
602 Career Punt  
Return Yards



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## 1979 BUFFALO BILLS SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Kickoff Time
<b>PRE-SEASON</b>		
Sat. Aug. 4	PITTSBURGH	6:00 EDT
Sat. Aug. 11	DETROIT	6:00 EDT
Sat. Aug. 18	At Green Bay	8:00 CDT
Sat. Aug. 25	At Oakland	6:00 PDT

### REGULAR SEASON

Sun. Sept. 2	MIAMI	1:00 EDT
Sun. Sept. 9	CINCINNATI	1:00 EDT
Sun. Sept. 16	At San Diego	1:00 PDT
Sun. Sept. 23	NEW YORK JETS	1:00 EDT
Sun. Sept. 30	At Baltimore	2:00 EDT
Sun. Oct. 7	CHICAGO	1:00 EDT
Sun. Oct. 14	At Miami	1:00 EDT
Sun. Oct. 21	BALTIMORE	1:00 EDT
Sun. Oct. 28	At Detroit	1:00 EST
Sun. Nov. 4	NEW ENGLAND	1:00 EST
Sun. Nov. 11	At New York Jets	1:00 EST
Sun. Nov. 18	GREEN BAY	1:00 EST
Sun. Nov. 25	At New England	1:00 EST
Sun. Dec. 2	DENVER	1:00 EST
Sun. Dec. 9	At Minnesota	1:00 CST
Sun. Dec. 16	At Pittsburgh	1:00 EST

### NFL POST-SEASON SCHEDULE

Sun. Dec. 23	NFL First Round Playoffs
Sat. Dec. 29	AFC & NFC Divisional Playoffs
Sun. Dec. 30	AFC & NFC Divisional Playoffs
Sun. Jan. 6	AFC & NFC Championship Games
Sun. Jan. 20	Super Bowl XIV at Rose Bowl, Pasadena, Calif.
Sun. Jan. 27	AFC-NFC Pro Bowl at Honolulu, Hawaii.

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### BILLS TRAIN AT NIAGARA UNIVERSITY

For the thirteenth consecutive year, the Bills will train on the campus of Niagara University at Lewiston, N. Y. An advance camp will open on Sunday, July 15, and the regular camp will convene on Friday, July 20.





# BUFFALO BILLS

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## 1979 CLUB DIRECTORY

*President* ..... Ralph C. Wilson, Jr.  
*Vice President-Football Operations* ..... Chuck Knox  
*Vice President-Administration* ..... Stew Barber  
*Vice President-Marketing* ..... Patrick J. McGroder, Jr.  
*Vice President-Public Relations* ..... L. Budd Thalman  
*Vice President* ..... Edwin T. Cox, Jr.  
*Vice President-General Counsel*  
    & *Secretary* ..... Ralph L. Halpern  
*Treasurer* ..... Richard O. Morrison

### *Directors*

Ralph C. Wilson, Jr.                      Richard O. Morrison  
Frank G. Raichle                      Patrick J. McGroder, Jr.

Ralph L. Halpern

### *Assistant Coaches*

Tom Catlin                      Ray Prochaska  
Jack Donaldson                      Kay Stephenson  
Steve Moore                      Jim Wagstaff  
Elijah Pitts                      Willie Zapalac

*Ticket Director* ..... Jim Cipriano  
*Assistant Ticket Director* ..... Adam Ziccardi  
*Stadium Manager* ..... Don Guenther  
*Assistant Director of Public Relations* ..... Mike Shaw  
*Assistant Director of Marketing* ..... Bill Munson  
*Director of College Scouting* ..... Norm Pollom  
*Director of Pro Scouting* ..... Doug Hafner  
*Scouting Assistant* ..... Bruce Nicholas  
*Talent Scout* ..... George Sengal  
*Talent Scout* ..... Dave Smith  
*Talent Scout* ..... Harvey Johnson

### *Team Physicians*

Dr. Richard Weiss                      Dr. Owen Bossman

### *Team Dentists*

Dr. Steve Hudecki                      Dr. Greg Hudecki

### *Trainers*

Eddie Abramowski                      Bud Tice  
*Equipment Manager* ..... Tony Marchitte  
*Assistant Equipment Manager* ..... Dave Hojnowski

### *Stadium Operations Staff*

Al Hojnowski                      Tom Christen  
John Kowalski                      Dick Popiela  
Art Hauret                      Tim Hauret                      Don Sabers

### *Front Office Staff*

Phyllis Leckta                      Mary Tash  
Annette Bartlett                      Nancy Hermann  
Jackie Kosmowski                      Mary Phillips                      Bonnie Casey

### *Ticket Office Staff*

Adrianne Kolesar                      Karen Maskas                      Pat Majerowski  
*Receptionist* ..... Christine Hanley  
*Hostess Coordinator* ..... Debby Stilb  
*Entertainment Director* ..... Joe Godios  
*Statistician* ..... John Barnes  
*Buffalo Jills Director* ..... Chris Sullivan

**RALPH C. WILSON, Jr.**  
**President and Owner**

The face of modern professional football has been shaped by men like Ralph C. Wilson, Jr., only owner of the Buffalo Bills since their induction as an original member of the American Football League in 1960.



A sports interest that dated from boyhood stimulated Wilson to first purchase a minority interest in the NFL Detroit Lions and later to join ranks with Lamar Hunt and the other principals of the new AFL. The youthful owner chose Buffalo as the home for his fledgling franchise on October 17, 1959, and six weeks later named it "the Bills."

In the 21 years that have passed since, professional football has enjoyed explosive popularity and expansion, completed a major merger and experienced first labor strife and, more recently, labor peace. Ralph Wilson has remained involved.

It was Wilson and the late Carroll Rosenbloom, then owner of the Baltimore Colts, who had the first tentative talks in January, 1965, that would ultimately lead to the AFL-NFL merger. A past president of the AFL, Wilson served as a member of the expansion committee and the AFL-NFL Negotiations Committee.

The Bill's owner was prominent in the negotiations which resulted in a new agreement between the NFL Management Council and the Players Association.

A resident of Detroit since moving there with his family as a youngster, Wilson won his undergraduate degree from the University of Virginia and later attended the University of Michigan law school. He enlisted in the Navy during World War II, earning his commission within a year and serving aboard minesweepers in both the Atlantic and Pacific theatres.

Among many business pursuits, Wilson is president of the Ralph C. Wilson Insurance Agency and Motorcar, an auto transport business. His interest in sports, however, extends beyond football. He owns a stable of thoroughbred race horses and is an avid tennis player, skier and golfer.

From the inception of the Bills, Wilson has played a dynamic and active role in the organization. He is determined in his effort to bring two things — "winning football and a Super Bowl trophy" — to the NFL faithful of Western New York.

Wilson's contribution to the game was recognized by the weekly publication, Football News, which named him "Man of the Year" in 1973. "He has been a tower of strength in the administration of professional football," the newspaper said.

## FRONT OFFICE STAFF



**STEW BARBER**  
Vice Pres.-Administration



**PAT MCGRODER**  
Vice President

### **STEW BARBER**

#### **Vice President In Charge of Administration**

Stew Barber who established a reputation for dependability and excellence as a player, was appointed to the new post of Vice President in Charge of Administration in January. The position encompasses all of the duties formerly assigned to Bob Lustig, who departed the football organization to become president and chief operating officer of a new insurance company being formed by Bills' owner Ralph C. Wilson, Jr. Barber's responsibilities include directing the club's administrative, ticket and stadium operations; arranging the pre-season schedule; coordinating travel arrangements and representing the Bills at official League meetings. He will also continue to supervise player signings. In announcing Barber's new position, Wilson said he was confident Stew would "attack this challenge with the same skill and vigor that typified his career with the Buffalo Bills." After a distinguished playing career at Penn State, that included All-East recognition and appearances in three post-season all-star games, Barber was drafted in the fourth round of the 1961 AFL selection meeting by Buffalo. He spurned an offer from Dallas of the NFL, which made him its third choice, to play for the Bills. Over the next nine seasons, Barber started 112 consecutive regularly-scheduled games, was a five-time All-AFL choice and appeared in five League All-Star games. Barber was a member of both the Bills AFL Championship teams. During his playing days, Barber worked part-time for a rendering company that hired him as General Manager at the time of his retirement following the 1969 season. Barber got into the bakery business in Erie, Pa., in 1971, heading his own firm for two years and doing some part-time scouting for the Bills. He landed a pro

coaching job as an assistant with the WFL New York Stars in 1974 and moved with the Stars to Charlotte before the team finally folded. Barber was hired by the WFL Chicago Wind for the 1975 season but left before the year began to accept a fulltime scouting position with the Bills. He was named assistant to Lustig in December, 1976.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Born June 14, 1939 at Bradford, Pa. . . . Attended Bradford High School and Penn State University . . . College degree is in Economics and Real Estate . . . Stew and wife, Vicki, have five daughters — Tracey, Jennifer, Michelle, Rebekah and Alicia . . . Lives in East Aurora.

### **PATRICK J. McGRODER, Jr.** **Vice President**

An early champion of Buffalo's AFL franchise was Patrick J. McGroder, the city's sports coordinator at the time Ralph Wilson brought the young Bills to Western New York. At Wilson's insistence, McGroder joined the club's front office staff in 1962 as Vice President. The longtime Buffalo native serves as the organization's advertising sales coordinator and handles other special duties at the management level. McGroder attended St. Joseph's Collegiate Institute and Hutchinson High School, Canisius and Chattanooga Colleges. He founded McKinley Liquor Company in 1942 after achieving the position of National Sales Representative for W.A. Taylor Importers. McGroder was the Buffalo Athletic Club's "Sportsman of the Year" in 1955 and winner of the Chamber of Commerce "Good Government Award" three years later. His efforts in promoting professional football games for Buffalo nearly enabled him to secure an NFL franchise for the city. He has remained fast friends with such legendary pro football figures as George Halas of Chicago and Art Rooney of Pittsburgh. In addition to sports coordinator, McGroder also served as Buffalo Parks Commissioner and President of the Police Athletic League.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Attended St. Joseph's Collegiate Institute and Hutchinson High School, Canisius and Chattanooga Colleges . . . Excellent golfer . . . He and wife Loretta have two daughters, Carol and Kathleen, and a son, Patrick III . . . Son-in-law is John McLeod, coach of Phoenix Suns of NBA . . . Lives in Buffalo.

### **JIM CIPRIANO** **Ticket Director**

Tickets have always been Jim Cipriano's business. Starting with the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad following World War II service in the U.S. Marine Corps, later with the Pennsylvania Railroad and the University of Pittsburgh athletic department, Jim Cipriano has accumulated 30 years of experience in his profession. The likable native of Youngstown, Ohio, was named Bills'



Ticket Director in April, 1969. Prior to his Buffalo appointment, Cipriano was Assistant Business Manager of Athletics for 12 years at the University of Pittsburgh.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Born June 19, 1925 in Youngstown, Ohio . . . Attended North High School in Youngstown and the University of Pittsburgh . . . He and his wife, Angelina, have a daughter, Adrienne . . . Lives in the Boston Hills.



**JIM CIPRIANO**  
Ticket Director



**BUDD THALMAN**  
Vice President  
Public Relations

### **L. BUDD THALMAN**

#### **Vice President — Public Relations**

Budd Thalman came to the Buffalo organization in 1973 after 11 years as Sports Information Director at the U.S. Naval Academy. A native of Wheeling, W. Va., he is a 1957 Journalism graduate of West Virginia University. He worked for one year in the Associated Press Bureau at Huntington, W. Va., before entering the Army where he served from 1958-60 as Public Information Officer for Fort Jay, Governor's Island, N. Y. Thalman returned to the AP in 1960, transferring to the Annapolis, Md., Bureau in January, 1962.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Born Oct. 6, 1935 . . . Attended Central Catholic High School in Wheeling, W. Va., and West Virginia University at Morgantown, W. Va. . . . Married, he and wife Pattie have two sons, Mark and Scott and a daughter, Kelly . . . Resides in Orchard Park.

### **BILLS HOTELS ON THE ROAD**

<b>Opponent</b>	<b>Hotel</b>	<b>Phone Number</b>
Green Bay	Howard Johnson's	414-336-0611
Oakland	Edgewater Hyatt House	415-562-6100
San Diego	Islandia Hyatt House	714-224-3541
Baltimore	Cross Keys Inn	301-532-6900
Miami	Marriott	305-649-5000
Detroit	Northfield Hilton	313-879-2100
New York Jets	Sheraton Centre	212-581-1000
New England	Newton Marriott	617-969-1000
Minnesota	Minnesota Marriott	612-854-7441
Pittsburgh	Pittsburgh Marriott	412-922-8400



## **CHUCK KNOX**

### **Vice President in Charge of Football Operations**

Chuck Knox didn't promise any miracles and the 1978 Buffalo Bills didn't produce any.

At the time he was appointed Buffalo coach in January a year ago, Knox did say he hoped to build a program that would be competitive. The 1978 Bills were that . . . immediately.

Buffalo finished 5-11 in Knox's first season and was involved in ten games decided by a touchdown or less. With a 21-14 victory over Baltimore in the season finale, the Bills lifted themselves out of the AFC Eastern Division basement for the first time since 1975.

"We won our first game on the road and escaped the cellar," Knox said after the Colt game. "That may not be much to brag about but it's a definite step up for us."

The Bills' five victories matched the win total of the previous two seasons. Buffalo produced a 1,000-yard rusher — rookie Terry Miller, who became only the tenth first-year player to gain 1,000. The Bills' led the NFL in pass defense also.

Knox put the punch back in the Bills with a roster that featured ten rookies and 22 players with two or less years NFL experience. Three of his 1978 draft choices — Miller, defensive tackle Dee Hardison and linebacker Lucius Sanford — were named to All-Rookie teams.

With the infusion of new talent added in the college draft, Knox hopes the Bills' rebuilding program can take another giant step forward.

In his six-year career as an NFL head coach, Chuck Knox has built an impeccable reputation for winning football.

An offensive line coach with the Detroit Lions, he was hired in 1973 to lead the Los Angeles Rams, a team that limped home 6-7-1 in 1972.

Knox wasted no time. He turned the Rams into a 12-2 Western Division Champion in 1973, an achievement that earned him NFL "Coach of the Year" honors. It was only the beginning. In five years as LA coach, Knox orchestrated five consecutive division titles, a string

unmatched in NFL coaching annals and won a stunning 77 percent of his regular season games.

Ralph C. Wilson, Jr., brought Knox to Buffalo with a new long-term contract on January 11, 1978. "Chuck has the kind of imagination and experience that will give our program the kind of leadership and direction it requires to again be successful," the Bills president said at the time.

Knox's penchant for leadership, imagination and hard work are well documented. They date from the days of his youth in the steel mill town of Sewickley, Pa.

The eldest of two sons of immigrant Scotch-Irish parents, Knox was an 180-pound high school tackle. He received an athletic scholarship to Juniata College in Huntingdon, Pa., where he won four varsity letters and was football co-captain as a senior.

After break-even seasons as freshman and sophomore, Knox played on two winning Juniata elevens, including the 7-0-0 1953 club that fashioned the first undefeated record in the history of the school.

"I got a quality education," Knox, an American History major recalls. "I've always been interested in things of a historical nature. I think the past can give you guidance in dealing with the present."

For Knox, there wasn't any question about the future. "I wanted to be a coach for as long as I can remember," he says. "I wasn't good enough to play in the pros so I started coaching in high schools and moved up. It's more difficult that way."

Success was instantaneous for Chuck Knox, football coach. In 1954, he was the only assistant to Juniata skipper Bob Hicks and, together, they guided the Indians to a perfect record of 8-0-0.

The next season, Knox was an assistant at Tyrone, Pa., High School, departing in 1956 for a three-year turn as head coach at Elwood City, Pa., High School where his teams were 10-16-2.

He landed his first college job at Wake Forest in 1959, working for Deamon Deacon coach Paul Amen. After two seasons in Greensboro, it was off to Kentucky for the 1961-62 campaigns with Blanton Collier and the Wildcats.

New York Jet skipper Weeb Ewbank gave Knox his first pro position in 1963. The AFL Jets of those years played second fiddle in the Eastern Division to the Buffalo Bills, who collected back-to-back championships in 1964-65. Knox quickly gained respect as an offensive line coach and developed a well-disciplined forward wall that would be a Jet strength for years to come.

From New York, Knox went to the Detroit Lions. He coached Joe Schmidt's offensive lines from 1967-72, creating the kind of credentials that won him the Los Angeles job in 1973.

For all of his success, Knox remains low key and takes pride in his reputation as a "player's coach."

"I try," he has said, "never to get too low or too high. I have a saying that regardless of what is written about you or your team no one is as good or as bad as he is made out to be. No one likes criticism but you have to understand it's a part of this business."

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Born April 27, 1932 in Sewickley, Pa. . . . Attended Sewickley High School and Juniata College in Huntingdon, Pa. . . . Bachelor of Arts is in History . . . Received Juniata "National Alumni Achievement Award" in 1974 . . . Married, he and wife, Shirley, have four children—three daughters: Chris, Kathy, and Colleen, and a son, Chuck . . . Lives in Orchard Park.

#### KNOX COMPLETE NFL COACHING RECORD

Year	Team	Won	Lost	Tied	Div. Finish
1973	Los Angeles	12	2	0	First
1974	"	10	4	0	First
1975	"	12	2	0	First
1976	"	10	3	1	First
1977	"	10	4	0	First
1978	Buffalo	5	11	0	Fourth
	Career	59	26	1	
1975 thru 1978	AFC-NFC Pro Bowl	3	1	0	

### Assistant Coaches and Football Staff



Tom Catlin



Jack Donaldson



Steve Moore

#### TOM CATLIN

##### Defensive Coordinator — Linebackers

An All-America for Bud Wilkinson at Oklahoma, Tom Catlin is defensive coordinator and linebacker coach for the Buffalo Bills. Catlin spent 12 seasons (1966-77) with the Los Angeles Rams, the longest continuous coaching assignment in the club's history. His linebackers were a key element in six Western Division title teams. A native of Ponca City, Okla., Catlin played center and linebacker for the Sooners during the 1950-51-52 seasons. He was drafted by Baltimore but traded to Cleveland where he started midway through his rookie season and called defensive signals for the 1954 NFL Champions. He was in the Air Force during the 1955-56 seasons but stayed in touch with football by coaching the West Point Plebes for one year under Army skipper Earl "Red" Blaik. Returning to the NFL in 1957 with Cleveland, Catlin played there two more seasons before finishing his career in Philadelphia in 1959. Catlin broke into coaching with Hank Stram and the Dallas Texans, moved with the franchise to Kansas City in



1963 and spent three seasons there before going to LA in 1966. In Los Angeles, Catlin handled the linebackers for three different Rams coaches — George Allen, Tommy Prothro and Chuck Knox.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Born September 8, 1931 in Ponca City, Okla. . . . Attended Ponca City High School and the University of Oklahoma . . . Married, he and wife Betty have a daughter, Kim, and a son, Tom . . . Lives in Orchard Park.

## **JACK DONALDSON**

### **Receivers**

The Jack Donaldson-Chuck Knox relationship dates from their days as assistant coaches with the New York Jets. Donaldson handled the defensive line and backfield for Weeb Ewbank, Knox the offensive line. They started together in 1963 and Donaldson remained five seasons, one more than Knox. When Paul Brown was putting together his new Cincinnati franchise in 1968, Donaldson was the first coach he hired. The new Buffalo assistant spent 10 seasons (1968-77) with the Bengals, one working with the defensive line and the next nine the offensive backfield. A 1949 graduate of Ohio State University, Donaldson was a highly-successful high school coach in Ohio for 10 years. He had teams at McArthur, Xenia, Carey and achieved particular success at Perrysburg HS, near Toledo, where he fashioned a 38-8 won-lost mark that included two undefeated seasons and two conference championships. Donaldson was an assistant at the University of Toledo for two years before joining the Jets.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Born February 28, 1927, in Columbus, Ohio . . . Attended Pataskala High School and Ohio State University . . . He and wife, Patricia, have two daughters, Mrs. Deborah Koenig, and Mrs. Nettie Lou Wiethe, and a son John . . . Lives in Orchard Park.

## **STEVE MOORE**

### **Special Assignments**

A college assistant for three seasons, Steve Moore joined the Bills' staff in 1978 as special assignments coach. His duties include responsibility for tight ends and off-field work in film breakdown, scouting of the upcoming opponent and coordination of computer analysis. The 31-year-old Moore spent the 1976-77 seasons at Rice University where he coached the Owl's passing game, working with quarterbacks and receivers. Prior to Rice, Moore was quarterback and receiver coach at the U.S. Military Academy under Homer Smith. A native of Southern California, Moore was born in Los Angeles and attended high school and junior college in Glendale. A junior college All-America at Glendale JC, Moore transferred to the University of California-Santa Barbara where he finished his undergraduate career by winning All-Coast honors and appearing in the Coaches All-America game. Moore's first two years of coaching (1970-71) were as a graduate

assistant at UC-Santa Barbara. In 1972, he was named assistant football and head track coach at Temple, Tex., HS. After two seasons there, he became head football coach at Mesa Verde, Calif., HS, a job he left in 1975 to join the West Point staff.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Born Aug. 19, 1947, in Los Angeles, Calif. . . . Attended Glendale High School, Glendale JC and University of California-Santa Barbara . . . College degree is in Physical Education . . . Married, he and wife, Carol, have three children: Steve, Jr., Kim, and Christy . . . Lives in Orchard Park.



**Elijah Pitts**



**Ray Prochaska**



**Kay Stephenson**

## **ELIJAH PITTS**

### **Offensive Backs — Special Teams**

A 13th round draft choice out of Philander Smith College in Little Rock, Ark., Elijah Pitts played for 11 years in the National Football League. He was on six Green Bay title teams — the NFL Champions of 1961-62, 1964, 1966 and the 1967-68 Super Bowl winners. A running back and return specialist, he scored two of the Packers' touchdowns in the 35-10 win over Kansas City in Super Bowl I. Traded to Chicago in 1970, Pitts also played briefly with the Rams, New Orleans and, finally, returned to Green Bay before finally retiring in 1971. In his pro career, Pitts averaged 3.5 yards per rushing attempt, gained nearly 1,000 yards on kick returns, caught more than 100 passes and scored 35 touchdowns. He went to work as a fulltime scout for the Packers in 1972 then joined Chuck Knox's new Los Angeles coaching staff in 1973. In his five seasons as a Ram assistant, Pitts was instrumental in the development of All-Pro running back Lawrence McCutcheon, who passed Dick Bass as Los Angeles' all-time rushing leader. Pitts was inducted into the Green Bay Packer Hall of Fame in March, 1979. He joins teammates Bart Starr, Willie Davis and Coach Vince Lombardi, among others, in the Packer shrine, established in 1970.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Born Feb. 3, 1938, in Mayflower, Ark. . . . Attended Conway, Ark., Pine Street High School and Philander Smith College at Little Rock, Ark. . . . Wife's name is Ruth . . . Has three children: Ronnie, Kimberly, and Anthony . . . Lives in Orchard Park.

## **RAY PROCHASKA**

### **Offensive Coordinator — Offensive Line**

Ray Prochaska's association with football spans 40 years. An offensive end at Nebraska, he capped his college career by playing in the 1941 Rose Bowl against Stanford and the College All-Star game. Prochaska played one season for the Cleveland Rams before departing for 4½ years of Army service, reaching the rank of Major prior to his separation. He went back to Nebraska as an assistant coach in 1946 and stayed nine years. Pop Ivy introduced Prochaska to professional football with the Edmonton Eskimos of the CFL. A member of Ivy's staff from 1955-57, Ray joined the Chicago Cardinals for the 1958 season as offensive line coach. He stayed with the Cards for seven seasons, moving with the club to St. Louis in 1960. George Allen hired Prochaska at Los Angeles in 1966 where he remained until Allen went to Washington after the 1970 season. Two years in Cleveland (1971-72) followed before Prochaska's return to LA with Chuck Knox. This is Prochaska's third season as an offensive coordinator.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Born Aug. 9, 1919, at Ulysses, Neb. . . . Attended University of Nebraska . . . He and wife, Jo Ann, have three sons and a daughter: Craig, Mark, Judy, and Scott . . . Lives in Hamburg.

## **KAY STEPHENSON**

### **Quarterbacks**

A former Buffalo quarterback himself, Kay Stephenson works with the Bills' signal-callers. Originally signed as a free agent by the San Diego Chargers, the former Florida quarterback played with Buffalo during the 1968 season. Inserted as the starter against Houston, Stephenson was the regular for three weeks before suffering a season-ending fracture of the collarbone against the Miami Dolphins. In his abbreviated season, Stephenson completed 29 of 79 passes for 364 yards and four touchdowns. Kay spent time with Atlanta and Oakland in 1969-70 before his first coaching position at Rice in 1971. He was away from football in 1972 but returned as Athletic Director and Head Coach at Baker County, Fla., HS in 1973. Stephenson played a year with the WFL Jacksonville Sharks (1974), then became the team's Director of Player Personnel and offensive coordinator in 1975. He had been out of football for a year when Chuck Knox tapped him to join the Rams' staff in 1977.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Born December 17, 1944 at DeFuniak Springs, Fla. . . . Attended Pensacola High School and the University of Florida . . . Wife's name is Mary Jac . . . Lives in Orchard Park.



**Jim Wagstaff**



**Willie Zapalac**

## **JIM WAGSTAFF**

### **Defensive Backfield**

One of the original Buffalo Bills, Jim Wagstaff was a defensive mainstay of the 1960-61 teams. The graduate of Idaho State, where he played running back and cornerback, intercepted nine passes and had 166 yards in returns during his two seasons in Buffalo. A Detroit draft choice, Wagstaff never played there but did spend one season with the NFL Chicago Cardinals (1959). He got into the coaching profession at South Fremont, Idaho, High School in 1962, later moved on to head coaching jobs at Pocatello HS (1963-65) and Idaho Falls HS (1966-68). He was the defensive coordinator, secondary and linebacker coach at Boise State University for four seasons (1969-72). Named to the Los Angeles staff by new coach Chuck Knox in 1973, Wagstaff turned a suspect Ram secondary into the League Leader in 1976 when LA backs picked off 32 passes and had the NFL's interception leader — Monte Jackson with 10. Wagstaff's 1978 Buffalo secondary led the NFL in pass defense, surrendering an average of only 104.0 yards per game.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Born June 12, 1936, at American Falls, Idaho . . . Attended Idaho State University . . . Married . . . He and wife, Nancy, have two daughters: Cary and Geniel . . . Lives in Orchard Park.

## **WILLIE ZAPALAC**

### **Defensive Line**

A coach in the football-rich Southwestern Conference for 23 years, Willie Zapalac came to the Bills after two seasons on Don Coryell's St. Louis Cardinals staff. At St. Louis, Zapalac worked with the Big Red defensive line, the same assignment he fills for Chuck Knox. A native of Sealy, Tex., Willie was a legendary high school running back at Bellville, Tex., where he scored a record 265 points his senior season. His college football career at Texas A&M was sandwiched around World War II military service. A fullback for the Aggies, he played in two East-West Shrine and two College All-Star games. Zapalac coached for eight seasons at his alma mater (1953-60), was at Texas Tech for two years and Oklahoma State for one before landing at the Uni-



versity of Texas in 1964. He worked for 12 years under the Longhorns' Darrell Royal, first as a defensive coach and later as offensive coordinator and line coach. Zapalac's two sons both played at Texas — Bill on the National Championship teams of 1969-70 and Jeff in 1971. He left Texas to accept his first pro job in St. Louis.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Born December 11, 1922, at Sealy, Tex. . . . Attended Belleville, Tex. High School and Texas A&M University . . . He and wife, Dorothy, have two sons and a daughter . . . Lives in Orchard Park.



**Norm Pollom**



**Doug Hafner**

## **NORM POLLOM**

### **Director of College Scouting**

A scouting and personnel specialist with the Los Angeles Rams for 16 years, Norm Pollom has responsibility for Buffalo's college scouting setup. He was the Rams' Director of Player Personnel in 1976 after serving five years as Director of College Scouting. Pollom first joined the Rams in 1961 on a part time basis, became a permanent member of the staff in 1965. He spent the 1977 season scouting and doing special assignments for the Tampa Bay Buccaneers. A native of Chehalis, Wash., Pollom graduated from Puget Sound in 1950. An offensive and defensive end in college, he coached seven seasons in Pacific Northwest high schools, putting together a scholastic won-lost record of 54-16-2. Named to Jim Owens' Washington staff in 1957, Pollom was with the Huskies for three seasons and had a hand in the 44-8 victory over Wisconsin in the 1960 Rose Bowl game. He left in 1960 to join John McKay's Southern California staff. From SC, Pollom went into the educational field, serving four years as assistant principal of Palos Verdes, Calif., Unified High Schools. He left the school system to pursue a fulltime scouting career. While in LA, Pollom isolated such prospects as Rams All-Pro Jack Youngblood, Lawrence McCutcheon and Isaiah Robertson. Twenty-seven of the 31 Ram choices in the first five rounds of the 1973-76 drafts won positions in the National Football League.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Born August 20, 1925, in Chehalis, Wash. . . . Attended Chehalis High School and University of Puget Sound . . . Married, he and wife, Janis Teresa, live in Hamburg.

**DOUG HAFNER**  
**Director of Pro Scouting**

With more than a dozen years experience in professional football personnel matters, Doug Hafner is the Bills' pro scouting boss. Prior to his appointment here, Hafner, 48, was director of player personnel for the Green Bay Packers. In his two years with the Packers, Hafner was a key figure in the Green Bay draft, including the especially productive 1977 selection meeting. Doug worked under Paul Brown as Cincinnati's assistant director of player personnel from 1969 through 1976. A graduate of the University of Miami (Fla.), Hafner was assistant football and assistant baseball coach at his alma mater and assistant football and head baseball coach at Tulane University. Hurricane baseball teams won the Florida State championship twice and the Miami gridders appeared in the Liberty Bowl during Hafner's coaching tenure. He was also on a Coral Gables HS football staff that coached two national championship teams. The new member of the Bills' staff landed his first job in professional football at Oakland, where he was the Raiders' chief talent scout in 1966. A year later, he moved to Florida State University as Director of Athletic Recruiting, a position he held for two seasons before joining Brown in Cincinnati.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Born April 17, 1931, in Mineola, N.Y. . . . Attended Mineola High School and the University of Miami (Fla.) . . . Has an M.S. in Education from Miami . . . He and wife, Nancy, have a daughter, Jena . . . Lives in Orchard Park.



**Harvey Johnson**



**George Sengel**

**HARVEY JOHNSON**  
**College Scout**

Harvey Johnson has served the Bills as an assistant and head coach, director of player personnel and, now, as college scout. A part of the Buffalo organization from the first days of the franchise, Johnson was the Bills' defensive backfield mentor in 1960-61. Harvey was appointed Director of Player Personnel in 1962, succeeding Lou Saban when Lou took over the football program. Harvey was Buffalo's head coach for 12 games of the 1968 season, following the departure of Joe Collier, and for the entire 1971 campaign. A product of William & Mary, Johnson played for the Bainbridge, Md., Naval Training Center from 1943-45. A draft choice of the All-American Conference New York Yankees, Johnson played regularly in the pros as a de-

fensive back but earned his principal recognition as a placement specialist, once stringing together 146 consecutive conversions. Harvey remained with the New York franchise when it joined the NFL in 1950 but retired as a player in 1953 to take an assistant coaching job with the Hamilton Tiger-Cats. He became head coach of the Kitchener team (Rugby Football Union) in 1954 and guided them to four titles in as many years. He left Kitchener to coach with the Montreal Alouettes in 1958-59.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Born June 22, 1919 . . . Attended William and Mary College . . . Has a growing stable of thoroughbred horses . . . He and wife Molly have five children, Linda Louise, Harvey Jr., Helen, Dan, and Cathy.

### **DAVE SMITH** **College Scout**

New Bills' scout Dave Smith showed his eye for talent when he recruited Joe DeLamielleure for Michigan State. An assistant for the Spartans at the time, Smith helped lure the Bills' All-Pro guard to East Lansing. In his new capacity as a member of the Buffalo scouting staff, Smith will be criss-crossing the country in the search of the next generation of All-Pros. Born in Detroit, Smith graduated from Charlevoix High School and Michigan State University. He played end on three MSU teams including two that went to the Rose Bowl. Dave got his introduction to coaching at two Michigan high schools — Walled Lake and Ferndale — where he fashioned a composite record of 83-14-0 and orchestrated nine Conference championships. He signed on with Duffy Daugherty in 1966 and, for five seasons, worked at Michigan State, first with the linebackers and, later, with the receivers and passing game. Named head coach at Ferris State College in Big Rapids, Mich., in 1972, Smith put together a 5-5 record before moving to the newly-formed World Football League with the Detroit Wheels. Since the demise of the WFL, he has been teaching Physical Education at Ferndale and scouting part-time for the Oakland Raiders.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Born August 2, 1930 at Detroit, Mich. . . . Graduate of Charlevoix, Mich., HS and Michigan State University . . . Has both B.S. and M.S. from Michigan State in Physical Education . . . Wife's name is Sherry.

### **GEORGE (CHINK) SENDEL** **College Scout**

A scout for the BLESTO combine the last 11 seasons, George (Chink) Sendel is the newest member of the Buffalo Bills' personnel staff. Sendel was added to the college scouting department in March, 1979. A product of the University of Kentucky, where he played for Bear Bryant, Sendel joined BLESTO as Eastern Regional scout in 1968. In addition to his considerable background in scouting, Sendel has excellent coaching credentials. He served on Kentucky staffs for nine seasons under coaches Bryant, Blanton Collier and Charlie Bradshaw. Sendel and Chuck Knox were assistants together at UK in 1961-62. After winning a letter

at Kentucky in 1942, Sengel's education was temporarily shelved by World War II service as an Air Force bombardier. He returned to Lexington to letter at end for Bryant in the 1946-47 seasons, helping the Wildcats to a 15-6 record and a post-season Bowl appearance in 1947. Sengel was with the Internal Revenue Service briefly, working as an investigator in the Eastern Kentucky region. He got back into football as a high school coach, first in Florida and later back in Kentucky, before landing a job as a UK assistant.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Born Sept. 14, 1922 at Louisville . . . Attended DuPont Manual High School and the University of Kentucky . . . Married, he and wife, Mary Alice, have two sons — Tuck and David . . . Lives in Lexington, Ky.



**Ed Abramowski**



**Bud Tice**



**Tony Marchitto**

### **EDDIE ABRAMOSKI** **Trainer**

Since their formation in 1960, the Buffalo Bills have had only one trainer—Eddie Abramowski. An outstanding high school guard in his hometown of Erie, Pa., Abramowski went to Purdue University on a football scholarship. A back injury, which required surgery, wrote an early end to his playing career and led to an interest in becoming an athletic trainer. Following graduation, Eddie landed his first training job at the United States Military Academy, West Point, N. Y. He later moved to the University of Detroit as head trainer. While in Detroit, he moonlighted as a trainer with the Lions. He struck up an acquaintance with Detroit assistant coach Buster Ramsay, who took Abe with him to Buffalo when he was named first head coach of the Bills in 1960.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Born Nov. 5, 1933 . . . Attended Erie, Pa., East High School and Purdue University . . . Bachelor's and Master's degrees from Purdue in Physical Education . . . Races homing pigeons as a hobby . . . He and his wife Patricia have five daughters, Sophia, Cynthia, Carolyn, Jennifer, Rebecca . . . Lives in Amherst.

### **BUD TICE** **Assistant Trainer**

Assistant trainer Bud Tice begins his third season as a member of the Bills' football staff. Immediately prior to his appointment, Tice, 34, worked for two seasons as football trainer at West Virginia University in



Morgantown, W. Va. A native of Hart, Mich., Tice is a 1968 graduate of Indiana State University. He began his training career as an undergraduate there and, after a two-year interruption for military service in Vietnam, won his Master's Degree from Eastern Michigan in 1970. Tice was head trainer at Northwest Missouri State University just prior to accepting a position at West Virginia.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Born June 22, 1945 . . . Attended Hart High School in Hart, Mich. . . . Earned his Bachelor's from Indiana State in 1968 and a Master's from Eastern Michigan in 1970 . . . College major was Physical Education . . . Married, wife's name is Paulette Lives in Orchard Park.

## TONY MARCHITTE

### Equipment Manager

One of the essential people behind the scenes in the Bills' football operation is equipment manager Tony Marchitte. His responsibilities include maintaining the large stockpile of gear required to outfit the Buffalo squad. Marchitte has been with the Bills almost as long as they've been in business, first joining the organization in 1961. Born in Buffalo, Marchitte is a life-long resident of Western New York. Tony's easy manner and pleasant personality make him a popular member of the staff.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** He has two daughters, Mrs. Phyllis List and Mrs. Judith Anne Jordan . . . Lives in Cheektowaga.

## BILLS' REGULAR SEASON RECORD WITH EACH OPPONENT\*\*

Opponent	W	L	T	Pct.	Last Met
Atlanta . . . . .	2	0	0	1.000	1977
Baltimore . . . . .	7	10	1	.417	1978
Chicago . . . . .	1	1	0	.500	1974
Cincinnati . . . . .	2	4	0	.333	1978
Cleveland . . . . .	1	3	0	.250	1978
Dallas . . . . .	0	2	0	.000	1976
Denver . . . . .	12	7	1	.625	1977
Detroit . . . . .	0	1	1	.333	1976
Green Bay . . . . .	1	0	0	1.000	1974
Houston . . . . .	7	17	0	.412	1978
Kansas City . . . . .	12	10	1	.543	1978
Los Angeles . . . . .	0	2	0	.000	1974
Miami . . . . .	4	21	1	.173	1978
Minnesota . . . . .	0	2	0	.000	1975
New England . . . . .	19	19	1	.500	1978
New York Giants . . . . .	1	2	0	.333	1978
New York Jets . . . . .	19	19	0	.500	1978
New Orleans . . . . .	0	1	0	.000	1973
Oakland . . . . .	10	11	0	.452	1977
Philadelphia . . . . .	1	0	0	1.000	1973
Pittsburgh . . . . .	1	3	0	.250	1978
San Diego . . . . .	5	13	2	.300	1976
San Francisco . . . . .	1	0	0	1.000	1972
St. Louis . . . . .	1	1	0	.500	1975
Seattle . . . . .	0	1	0	.000	1977
Tampa Bay . . . . .	1	1	0	.500	1978
Washington . . . . .	1	1	0	.500	1977
All-Time Regular Season Totals . . . . .	109	151	8	.422	

\*To compute percentages, ties counted as 1/2 won, 1/2 lost.

\*\*All-time record includes five playoff games.

## BUFFALO OPPONENTS

### **MIAMI DOLPHINS, Sept. 2, Oct. 14**

PR Director—Bob Kearney  
Telephone—305—379-1851  
Stadium—Orange Bowl (75,449)

### **CINCINNATI BENGALS, Sept. 9**

PR Director—Al Heim  
Telephone—513—621-3350  
Stadium—Riverfront Stadium (56,200)

### **SAN DIEGO CHARGERS, Sept. 16**

PR Director—Rick Smith  
Telephone—714—280-2111  
Stadium—San Diego Stadium (52,552)

### **NEW YORK JETS, Sept. 23, Nov. 11**

PR Director—Frank Ramos  
Telephone—212—421-6611  
Stadium—Shea Stadium (60,000)

### **BALTIMORE COLTS, Sept. 30, Oct. 21**

PR Director—Jim Husbands  
Telephone—301—667-4400  
Stadium—Memorial Stadium (60,202)

### **CHICAGO BEARS, Oct. 7**

PR Director—Ted Haracz  
Telephone—312—663-5100  
Stadium—Soldier Field (57,359)

### **DETROIT LIONS, Oct. 28**

PR Director—Don Kremer  
Telephone—313—335-4131  
Stadium—Pontiac Silverdome (80,638)

### **NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS, Nov. 4, Nov 25**

PR Director—Tom Hoffman  
Telephone—617—543-7911  
Stadium—Schaefer Stadium (61,297)

### **GREEN BAY PACKERS, Nov. 18**

PR Director—Chuck Lane  
Telephone—414—494-2351  
Stadium—Lambeau Field (56,267)

### **DENVER BRONCOS, Dec. 2**

PR Director—Bob Peck  
Telephone—303—623-8778  
Stadium—Denver Mile High Stadium (75,086)

### **MINNESOTA VIKINGS, Dec. 9**

PR Director—Merrill Swanson  
Telephone—612—920-0531  
Stadium—Metropolitan Stadium (48,446)

### **PITTSBURGH STEELERS, Dec. 16**

PR Director—Joe Gordon  
Telephone—412—323-1200  
Stadium—Three Rivers Stadium (50,350)

## PRE-SEASON DEPTH

(Last year's starters all caps, first-year players italics)

### OFFENSE

- WR — FRANK LEWIS, Lou Piccone, John Holland, *Jerry Butler, Grey Seamans, Bob Jahn, Orlando Alvarez*
- LT — KEN JONES, Craig Hertwig, *Jon Borchardt, Terry Mastny*
- LG — REGGIE MCKENZIE, Bill Adams, *Mike Burrow*
- C — WILLIE PARKER, Will Grant, Connie Zelencik, *Tim Vogler, John Martinelli*
- RG — JOE DeLAMIELLEURE, Dan Medlin, *Rollie Hansen*
- RT — JOE DEVLIN, *Eric Smith*, Elbert Drungo
- TE — REUBEN GANT, Mike Franckowiak, *Joe Shipp, Tom Mullady*
- WR — BOB CHANDLER, Larry Walton, Len Willis, *Dan Fulton, Willie Zachery, Mark McDaniel, Roland Solomon*
- QB — JOE FERGUSON, Bill Munson, David Mays, *Dan Manucci, Jeff Knapple*
- RB — TERRY MILLER, Roland Hooks, Steve Powell, *Leroy McGee, Derrick Burnett, Dave Merritt*
- FB — CURTIS BROWN, Dennis Johnson, Mike Collier, *Mike Harris, Reinhold Finkes*

### DEFENSE

- LE — BEN WILLIAMS, *Mekeli Ieremia, Ken Johnson*
- LT — DEE HARDISON, *Fred Smerlas*
- RT — MIKE KADISH, Dennis Johnson, *Rod Broadway*
- RE — SHERMAN WHITE, Scott Hutchinson, Phil Dokes, *Kevin Baker*
- LLB — SHANE NELSON, Doug Becker, Mario Celotto, *Jim Haslett, Joe Lally*
- MLB — Randy McClanahan, *Tom Cousineau, Chris Keating, John McGriff*
- RLB — LUCIUS SANFORD, Dan Jilek, Tom Ehlers, *Bill Crowley*
- LCB — MARIO CLARK, Keith Moody, *Ron Ricks*
- RCB — CHARLES ROMES, Eddie McMillan, *Jerome Carter, Russell Pope*
- SS — DOUG JONES, Marvin Switzer, *Rod Kush, Paul Lawler, Mark Patterson*
- FS — TONY GREENE, Steve Freeman, Bill Simpson, *Jeff Nixon*

**SPECIALISTS:** Punters—RUSTY JACKSON, *Bob Cameron, Don Clayton, Mike Manson*. Place Kicker—TOM DEMPSEY, *Brent Wagner, Tom Sarette, Berj Yepremian, Roger McCoy*. Kick Center—WILLIE PARKER, Connie Zelencik. Holder—BOB CHANDLER.

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In addition to the stadium box office, Bills tickets for the 1979 season will be available at numerous outlets including all Twin Fair stores and Ticketron locations in Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Rochester, Olean, Bradford, Pa., Dunkirk and Fredonia, Lockport, Batavia, Syracuse and Utica.

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The NFL cutdown dates for the 1979 season are: Aug. 14 — 60 players; Aug. 21 — 50 players and Aug. 27 — 45 players.

## VETERAN PLAYERS



**Bill Adams**



**Doug Becker**



**Curtis Brown**



**Mario Celotto**

### BILL ADAMS

#### Guard

*Birthdate*—February 4, 1950

*Birthplace*—Lynn, Mass.

*Hometown*—Swampscott, Mass.

*Acquired*—Free Agent

*College*—Holy Cross

*Height*—6-2

*Weight*—246

*Year With Bills*—8th

**PRO:** One of the strongest men on the squad and a tireless worker who could probably start for many NFL teams, but in Buffalo he plays behind Joe DeLamielleure and Reggie McKenzie . . . played in six games during 1978 as a backup guard and on special teams . . . appeared in nine contests in 1977 and 11 in 1976, one of them as a starter at tackle . . . was a starter at tackle in all six pre-season games in 1976 . . . has been with the Bills since the 1972 season. He played in the final six games that year after being activated from the taxi squad . . . was originally signed by the Bills as a free agent.

**COLLEGE:** Played offensive guard and tackle at Holy Cross . . . was a tri-captain of the Crusaders and earned All-New England honors . . . also won two letters in track and three in wrestling.

**PERSONAL:** Bill and his wife, Debbie have two children, Bill Jr., 3, and Kerri Ann, 1 . . . an avid golfer . . . he spent a good part of the off-season as a substitute teacher at schools in the Swampscott area and he also coached track at Swampscott High School . . . has a B.A. degree in economics with a minor in history and is interested in eventually pursuing career as either a C.P.A., business management specialist or a teacher.

### DOUG BECKER

#### Linebacker

*Birthdate*—June 27, 1956

*Birthplace*—Hamilton, Ohio

*Hometown*—Hamilton, Ohio

*Acquired*—Free Agent

*College*—Notre Dame

*Height*—6-0

*Weight*—220

*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** Joined the Bills late last October as a free agent and played in eight games, mainly on special teams . . . is very tough and strong . . . was drafted by Pittsburgh in the 10th round in 1978 . . . was with Chicago and had a tryout at Houston before coming to the Bills.

**COLLEGE:** A starter for three years at Notre Dame and was fifth on the team in tackles during 1977 season. Played in two bowl games for the Irish—the Gator Bowl in 1976 and the Cotton Bowl in 1978.

**PERSONAL:** Was a construction worker in his hometown of Hamilton, Ohio during the off-season and also played a lot of racquetball . . . won letters in track and baseball as well as football while in high school . . . is single.

## CURTIS BROWN

### Running Back

*Birthdate*—December 7, 1954  
*Birthplace*—St. Louis, Mo.  
*Hometown*—Lake Charles, Mo.  
*Acquired*—Draft (#3A-1977)

*College*—Missouri  
*Height*—5-10  
*Weight*—203  
*Year With Bills*—3rd

**PRO:** When the 1978 campaign began there was no indication the Bills' "secret weapon" in their offensive arsenal would be a second-year fullback who had missed half of his rookie year because of a knee injury. But, at season's end, not only had Curtis Brown emerged as a key figure in the Bills' backfield, he was voted the ballclub's most valuable player for 1978 by his teammates... a powerful runner, who became solidly entrenched as the ballclub's fullback by mid-season after being used strictly on special teams during the first four games... his 102-yard runback of a kickoff in the fourth game of the season against Baltimore rates as the most spectacular play of 1978 for Buffalo... In his second season, Curtis compiled 1,149 all-purpose yards, 130 on pass receptions, 428 on kickoff returns and 591 as a running back... was the team's second-leading rusher and tallied four TD's from his fullback position including one on a 58-yard scamper against Miami at Orchard Park... Brown also is among only three Bills players to score two touchdowns in a game last season. Running back Terry Miller and receiver Bob Chandler are the others. Curtis recorded his two scores against the Giants... was the first Bills player to run for 100 yards in a game last season, hitting that figure on the nose against Cincinnati. Three weeks later, he ran for 114 yards against Miami... his quickness and strength make him extremely difficult to bring down... missed last game of 1978 because of a foot injury.

**COLLEGE:** Missouri's leading rusher in 1976 as he gained 876 yards (5.0 avg.) and earned Football News honorable mention All-America distinction... most productive game of college career came against Oklahoma in 1975 when he carried 20 times for 153 yards... a tri-captain as a senior and during that season returned five kickoffs for 35-yard average. One of those returns was for 95 yards... transferred to Missouri after playing at Ft. Scott Jr. College in Kansas where he once rushed for 375 yards in one game.

**PERSONAL:** Curtis and his wife, Helen have a daughter, Michelle, age 3... was a parks and recreation major at Missouri... enjoys playing basketball and attending jazz concerts in his spare time.

### BILLS STATISTICS

RUSHING	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1977	3	34	0	4.3
1978	128	591	4	4.6
Totals	136	625	4	4.6
RECEIVING	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1977	5	20	1	4.0
1978	18	130	0	7.2
Totals	23	150	1	6.5
KICKOFF RETURNS	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1977	3	66	0	22.0
1978	17	428	1	25.2
Totals	20	494	1	24.7

### SINGLE GAME CAREER HIGHS

Longest Kickoff Return—102 yds. vs. Baltimore, 9/24/78  
Most Yards Rushing One Game—114 yds. vs. Miami, 11/12/78  
Longest Run from Scrimmage—58 yds. vs. Miami, 11/12/78

## MARIO CELOTTO

### Linebacker

*Birthdate*—Aug. 23, 1956  
*Birthplace*—Palos Verdes, Calif.  
*Hometown*—Palos Verdes, Calif.  
*Acquired*—Draft (#7A-1978)

*College*—So. California  
*Height*—6-3  
*Weight*—234  
*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** A knee injury cut short his rookie season in a Buffalo uniform after playing in just four games, principally on special teams... underwent corrective surgery and appears to have made a complete recovery.

**COLLEGE:** Started as a freshman, sophomore and senior at USC, but was plagued by injuries most of his collegiate career... earned letters all four

seasons . . . timed at 4'7" in the 40 and was leading the team in tackles for losses before being injured in sophomore year . . . also was used as a defensive tackle on occasion

**PERSONAL:** Spent three months in Hawaii during the off-season working to rehabilitate his right knee . . . also did some sales and PR work for his dad who owns a mattress-manufacturing company . . . a business major at USC single.



**Bob Chandler**



**Mario Clark**



**Mike Collier**

## **BOB CHANDLER** **Wide Receiver**

*Birthdate*—April 24, 1949  
*Birthplace*—Long Beach, Calif.  
*Hometown*—Whittier, Calif.  
*Acquired*—Draft (#7-1971)

*College*—So. California  
*Height*—6-1  
*Weight*—160  
*Year With Bills*—9th

**PRO:** One of the finest receivers in NFL history . . . has caught more passes (220) during the last four years than any player in the NFL . . . led the Bills in receptions last season with 44 despite the fact he did not see action with the offensive unit during the first three games because of knee problems . . . now has 3,999 career yards on pass receptions . . . needs just two more TD pass receptions and two more catches to become the Bills' all-time leader in both categories. Elbert Dubenion is the current leader with 35 TD catches and 296 receptions, overall . . . Chandler's most productive games in 1978 were against Kansas City at Orchard Park as he made seven receptions for 116 yards and two touchdowns, and at Cleveland where he also made seven catches for 114 yards . . . prior to last season, he had caught 55 or more passes for three consecutive years including a career high 61 in 1976 . . . recorded two career highs on Nov. 28, 1977 at Oakland as he caught nine passes for 120 yards . . . in 1976 he made three TD receptions in a game against Kansas City . . . his 10 TD receptions in 1976 tied him with ex-Bill Wray Carlton for most touchdown catches in a season . . . was slowed most of 1974 because of a knee injury that was corrected by off-season surgery . . . also had knee surgery after the 1977 campaign . . . Chandler possesses amazing ability to make seemingly impossible catches deep in the endzone or on the sidelines . . . also is one of the NFL's finest holders on field goal tries and extra point attempts.

**COLLEGE:** Was "Player of the Game" for Southern Cal in the 1970 Rose Bowl win over Michigan . . . captained the Trojans as a senior and also earned All-Pacific Eight honors as a flanker . . . was USC's pass reception leader each of his three varsity seasons and caught eight passes for 115 yards and one TD in his first game as a starter for USC . . . played in East-West Shrine game . . . was a member of the USC track team and his specialties were the long jump, high jump and triple jump.

**PERSONAL:** Bob and his wife, Marilyn are the parents of a daughter, Marisa, age 2 . . . majored in finance at USC with a minor in physical education . . . During the off-season the last several years, Bob has been studying for a law degree at Western State College of Law and will conclude his studies in May 1980 . . . an excellent golfer, Bob shoots in the 70s and he played in several tournaments during the winter and spring.



## BILLS STATISTICS

RECEIVING	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1971	5	60	0	12.0
1972	33	528	5	16.0
1973	30	427	3	14.2
1974	7	88	1	12.6
1975	55	746	6	13.6
1976	61	824	10	13.5
1977	60	745	4	12.4
1978	44	581	5	13.2
Totals	295	3,999	34	13.6

### SINGLE GAME CAREER HIGHS

Most Catches—9, vs. Oakland, 11/28/77  
 Most Yards—120, vs. Oakland, 11/28/77  
 Most TD Catches—3, vs. Kansas City, 10/3/76  
 Longest Reception—58, vs. Tampa Bay, 9/26/76

*Additional Career Statistics:* Rushing — 10 att., 18 yds., 1.8 avg., 0 TD's; Punt Returns: 2 ret., 5 yds., 2.5 avg., 0 TD's; Passing: 1 att., 0 comp., 0 yds.

## BOB CHANDLER vs. THE NFL

Team	Games	Receptions	Yards	TD
Atlanta	2	4	41	0
Baltimore	13	37	528	5
Chicago	1	0	0	0
Cincinnati	3	6	65	0
Cleveland	4	10	154	0
Dallas	1	7	79	0
Denver	2	5	84	0
Detroit	2	6	93	1
Green Bay	1	0	0	0
Houston	3	11	125	0
Kansas City	4	19	270	5
Los Angeles	1	0	0	0
Miami	13	44	518	5
Minnesota	1	4	33	0
New England	14	41	589	7
New Orleans	1	2	23	0
NY Giants	2	8	126	0
NY Jets	13	42	608	6
Oakland	3	11	141	0
Philadelphia	1	1	14	0
Pittsburgh	2	10	153	3
San Diego	2	3	40	0
San Francisco	1	1	15	0
St. Louis	1	3	29	0
Seattle	1	2	29	0
Tampa Bay	2	11	170	2
Washington	2	7	72	0
Totals	96	295	3,999	34

## MARIO CLARK

### Defensive Back

*Birthdate*—March 29, 1954  
*Birthplace*—Pasadena, Calif.  
*Hometown*—Pasadena, Calif.  
*Acquired*—Draft (#1-1976)

*College*—Oregon  
*Height*—5-11  
*Weight*—185  
*Year With Bills*—4th

**PRO:** Led the Bills in interceptions during 1978 with five and has been a Buffalo starter in 43 of 44 games after his selection in the first round of the 1976 draft. . . in 1977, he ranked fourth in the NFL and second on the Bills with seven interceptions and 151 return yards. . . was credited with 49 unassisted tackles last season, third highest among the ballclub's defensive backs. . . had 62 tackles overall compared with 57 in 1977 and 63 as a rookie. . . named to the NFL's all-rookie squad in 1976 and tied a Buffalo record in 1977 by intercepting at least one pass in four consecutive games.

**COLLEGE:** While at Oregon, he earned AP and UPI All-Pacific Eight honors as well as AP All-America honorable mention. . . had 13 career

interceptions at Oregon and earned letters all four years — made two interceptions in Oregon's 15-13 upset win over Stanford in 1972 and as a result became the first freshman in Pacific Eight history to be named "Player of the Week" — played in both the East-West Shrine Game and the Senior Bowl — was voted defensive player of the Senior Bowl game.

**PERSONAL:** Mario is single and enjoys music and re-upholstering furniture — majored in architecture and real estate at Oregon.

### BILLS STATISTICS

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1976	2	21	0	10.5
1977	7	151	0	21.6
1978	5	29	0	5.8
Totals	14	201	0	14.4

### MIKE COLLIER

#### Running Back

*Birthdate*—September 21, 1953

*Birthplace*—Baltimore, Md.

*Hometown*—Baltimore, Md.

*Acquired*—Free Agent

*College*—Morgan State

*Height*—5-11

*Weight*—200

*Year With Bills*—3rd

**PRO:** Has missed two of the last three seasons because of injuries — was expected to battle for a backfield spot last year, but suffered a fractured foot in pre-season training and spent entire year on injured reserve list — signed with the Bills midway through 1977 and played in six games, spelling Roland Hooks at running back — was Buffalo's fifth leading rusher that year with 116 yards on 31 carries — also returned four kickoffs for 55 yards and grabbed three passes for 23 — Pittsburgh's 14th round draft choice in 1975 — had rushing average of 5.9 that year and also returned a kickoff 94 yards against Green Bay — runs with power.

**COLLEGE:** Was a three-year letterman at Morgan State, but didn't earn a starting berth until his senior year when he rushed 114 times for 557 yards, a 4.9 average.

**PERSONAL:** Mike and his wife, Elsie reside in Baltimore during the off-season — he majored in physical education at Morgan State.

### BILLS STATISTICS

RUSHING	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1977	31	116	0	3.7
RECEIVING	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1977	3	23	0	7.7
KICKOFF RETURNS	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1977	4	55	0	13.8

*Additional Pro Statistics* (with Pittsburgh): Rushing—21 carries, 124 yards, 5.9 avg., 3 TDs; Receiving—1 catch, 7 yards; Kickoff Returns —22 returns, 523 yards, 23.8 avg., 1 TD.

### JOE DeLAMIELLEURE

#### Guard

*Birthdate*—March 16, 1951

*Birthplace*—Detroit, Mich.

*Hometown*—Orchard Park, N.Y.

*Acquired*—Draft (#1B-1973)

*College*—Michigan State

*Height*—6-3

*Weight*—245

*Year With Bills*—7th

**PRO:** In six seasons Joe has earned recognition as one of the truly outstanding linemen in NFL history — was a starter for the AFC squad in the Pro Bowl last January for the third consecutive year and also was a consensus All-Pro choice for the fourth straight year — ranks as the most honored Bills lineman since Billy Shaw — suffered a knee injury in Buffalo's first pre-season game a year ago, but vowed to play in the season opener against Pittsburgh and did — has started every regular-season game since joining Bills in 1973 and his streak has now reached 87 contests — one of two first round draft choices by the Bills in 1973 — it was feared for a time that he might not be able to play professional football because of a physical problem.

**COLLEGE:** Three times an All-Big 10 choice at Michigan State where he

played offensive guard and tackle for Duffy Daugherty — an All-American as a senior and earned invitations to the North-South game and the Senior Bowl — was named UPI "Lineman of the Week" after 1972 Michigan State-Purdue game.

**PERSONAL:** Does considerable public relations work for the Bills during the off-season as a dinner speaker and also plays on the Bills basketball team — Joe and his wife, Gerri, doubled their off-spring last January when she gave birth to twins, a son, Todd and a daughter, Allison. They also have two other daughters, Ellen, 6, and Mary, 2 — an excellent racquetball player. Joe won the NFL Players Association Racquetball Championship at Providence, R. I. in June — works out every day during the off-season and is one of the strongest players on the squad — is one of 10 children — majored in criminal justice at Michigan State and spent one winter working with the Erie County Sheriff's Department.



Joe DeLamielleure



Tom Dempsey



Joe Devlin

## TOM DEMPSEY

### Kicker

*Birthdate*—January 12, 1947  
*Birthplace*—Milwaukee, Wisc.  
*Hometown*—Kenner, La.  
*Acquired*—Free Agent

*College*—Palomar JC  
*Height*—6-1  
*Weight*—255  
*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** Buffalo's top scorer last season with 66 points. He converted 36 of 39 PAT attempts and 10 of 13 field goal tries — his percentage of .769 on field goals is the best ever for a Bills kicker in one season — his 13 FG attempts ranks as the fewest in the NFL during 1978 — now in his 11th season, Dempsey has a career field goal percentage of .622 including 12 successful attempts of over 50 yards — he owns the NFL mark for the longest field goal, a 63-yarder against Detroit while he was playing for New Orleans in 1970 — came to the Bills as a free agent to rejoin his former coach while at Los Angeles, Chuck Knox — was signed by New Orleans in 1969 as a free agent and remained with the Saints for two seasons before being released and picked up by Philadelphia in 1971 — spent four seasons with the Eagles, then two at LA and part of the 1977 season in Houston — was a Pro Bowl participant after the 1969 campaign — his career points now total 718.

**COLLEGE:** Tom did not attend a four-year school, but earned All-Pacific Southwestern Conference honors at Palomar Junior College as a defensive end despite a withered foot.

**PERSONAL:** The Dempsey family was increased by one member last January when Tom's wife, Carlene gave birth to their third child, a daughter, Meghan. They also have another daughter, Ashley, 3, and a son, Toby, 5. Tom worked for a car dealership in New Orleans during the off-season — he also once worked as sports director of WSHO Radio in New Orleans.

## PRO STATISTICS

SCORING	FG-FGA	Pct	PAT	PTS
1969—New Orleans	22-41	537	33-35	99
1970—New Orleans	18-34	529	16-17	70
1971—Philadelphia	12-17	706	13-14	49
1972—Philadelphia	20-35	571	11-12	71
1973—Philadelphia	24-40	600	34-34	106
1974—Philadelphia	10-16	625	26-30	56
1975—Los Angeles	21-26	808	31-36	94
1976—Los Angeles	17-26	654	36-44	87
1977—Houston	4-6	667	8-11	20
1978—Buffalo	10-13	769	36-39	66
Totals	158-254	622	244-272	718

## JOE DEVLIN

### Tackle

*Birthdate*—February 23, 1954  
*Birthplace*—Phoenixville, Pa  
*Hometown*—Malvern, Pa  
*Acquired*—Draft (#2B-1976)

*College*—Iowa  
*Height*—6-4  
*Weight*—250  
*Year With Bills*—4th

**PRO:** The Bills' "other Joe D" has been a starter at right tackle the last two years teams with All-Pro Guard Joe DeLamielleure to give Buffalo a strong blocking duo on the right side of the offensive line had started 30 consecutive games including final two contests in rookie year before being sidelined late last season with a minor knee problem his tremendous strength and continual improvement augurs well for his development as one of the league's outstanding young offensive linemen.

**COLLEGE:** Was a starter three straight seasons at Iowa where he played both guard and tackle as a senior, he was a first team All-America selection of The Sporting News as well as a UPI honorable mention All-America choice also was named to the All-Big Ten team in 1975 and was invited to the Blue-Gray game that year

**PERSONAL:** Spent the off-season attending classes at the University of Iowa to finish up his degree requirements. His major is liberal arts with emphasis on general studies is the second oldest of four children his younger brother, Mark, is a cheerleader at Penn State enjoys hunting, camping, fishing, music and boxing single



Phil Dokes



Elbert Drungo



Tom Ehlers

## PHIL DOKES

### Defensive Tackle

*Birthdate*—September 7, 1955  
*Birthplace*—North Little Rock, Ark.  
*Hometown*—North Little Rock, Ark.  
*Acquired*—Draft (#1-1977)

*College*—Oklahoma State  
*Height*—6-4  
*Weight*—255  
*Year With Bills*—3rd

**PRO:** Was a starter for 10 games last season at right defensive tackle before being sidelined for the final six contests with a dislocated shoulder had a total of 44 tackles and was credited with three quarterback sacks appeared in 12 games as a rookie in 1977, playing both defensive end and defensive tackle was the Bills' top draft choice in 1977

**COLLEGE:** A two-time All-Big Eight defensive lineman, earning those honors as a sophomore and senior was credited with 214 tackles over three years, including 87 unassisted sacked opposing quarterbacks 11 times during the 1975 collegiate season and had nine career fumble recoveries among his college honors were Outstanding Defensive Player in 1974 Fiesta Bowl, 1975 Big Eight Academic Team, Football News Third Team All-America, NEA Second Team, UPI Honorable Mention

**PERSONAL:** A former high school Athlete of the Year in Arkansas, Phil also enjoys playing basketball he is single

## ELBERT DRUNGO

### Tackle

*Birthdate*—April 30, 1943  
*Birthplace*—Columbus, Miss  
*Hometown*—Hermitage, Tenn  
*Acquired*—Trade (Houston)

*College*—Tennessee State  
*Height*—6-5  
*Weight*—265  
*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** A veteran of 10 NFL seasons, Elbert came to the Bills during training camp a year ago via a trade with Houston. He had been with the Oilers for nine seasons after they selected him in the third round of the 1969 draft... played in 13 games for the Bills in 1978, four of them as a starter... was among four Houston players to see action in approximately 90 per cent of the team's offensive plays in 1977... has played both guard and tackle during his career... was a starter for the Oilers for eight years and was named the team's outstanding offensive lineman of 1971.

**COLLEGE:** Earned All-America honors as a junior and senior at Tennessee State... played linebacker as a freshman and earned All-Conference honors as a tight end for three consecutive seasons... won the Most Improved Player Award for 1967.

**PERSONAL:** Married to the former Deborah Louise McMichael of Springfield, Ohio... his hobbies include drawing and tennis... a member of Who's Who Among Black Americans.

## **TOM EHLERS**

### **Linebacker**

*Birthdate*—July 14, 1952

*Birthplace*—South Bend, Ind.

*Hometown*—South Bend, Ind.

*Acquired*—Trade (Philadelphia)

*College*—Kentucky

*Height*—6-2

*Weight*—218

*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** A trade with the Philadelphia Eagles brought Ehlers to the Bills during the pre-season a year ago... played in eight games and was sidelined during the second half of 1978 campaign with a knee injury that required surgery... was Philadelphia's 13th round draft choice in 1975... played in all 14 games for the Eagles in 1977, three of them as a starter... good special teams player.

**COLLEGE:** Was a captain and All-Southeast Conference selection at Kentucky where he earned a B.S. degree in business administration... led the team in tackles as a senior... had 11 unassisted tackles and two pass interceptions in a game against Tulane during senior year.

**PERSONAL:** Tom spent the off-season rehabilitating his left knee and also worked odd jobs as a carpenter... enjoys building and restoring furniture and antiques... he and his wife, Gwen did some camping in the Florida Keys... his father, Ed, was the first player ever selected in the NBA draft by the Boston Celtics and he also played baseball for the New York Yankees.

## **JOE FERGUSON**

### **Quarterback**

*Birthdate*—April 23, 1950

*Birthplace*—Alvin, Texas

*Hometown*—Shreveport, La.

*Acquired*—Draft (#3-1973)

*College*—Arkansas

*Height*—6-1

*Weight*—184

*Year With Bills*—7th

**PRO:** The 1978 season was one of the most productive of Fergy's career. He completed 53 per cent of his passes (175-330), the best single season completion rate ever for him; had four 200-yard afternoons and compiled the finest single game percentage of his NFL career when he connected on 15 of 18 attempts (83.3 per cent) against Kansas City, Oct. 1... Joe threw 16 TD passes during the campaign to become the Bills' all-time leader in that category with 78 in 79 NFL contests... the 16 touchdown strikes represent his second highest total for one season... his passing yardage of 2,136 was his third best ever... in 330 passing attempts during 1978, he was intercepted just 15 times... Fergy's performances last season enabled him to improve his career passing percentage to 50.2 with 831 completions in 1655 attempts... Joe virtually rewrote the Buffalo Bills season passing records in 1977 when he established marks for most attempts (457) and most completions (221). His yardage of 2803 was the second best ever in Bills history... his 1977 totals for attempts, completions and yardage were tops in the NFL... the 1976 campaign saw him miss seven games because of four fractured transverse processes in his lower back, but he still set two league marks — fewest interceptions in a season (1) and lowest interception percentage (0.66) - 1 interception in 151 attempts... in 1975, he established two Bills records - most TD passes in a season (25) and most consecutive games throwing a touchdown pass (12)... he also tied a club record that year with four TD passes in a game against New England... Fergy owns the team mark for most completions in a single contest — 25 vs Miami in 1977.

**COLLEGE:** All-America quarterback at Arkansas and was voted the MVP in the Southwest Conference and a member of the All-Conference team as a

junior . . . set a number of Razorback passing records for Coach Frank Broyles . . . was named to the North-South Game, Hula Bowl and College All-Star squad.

**PERSONAL:** Joe is part-owner of a new fast-food burger and breakfast establishment in Monroe, La., known as Gabby's . . . he has a private pilot's license and during the off-season purchased a four-seat single-engine Cessna . . . for the last five years he has served as an assistant coach for spring practice at Northwestern (La.) State University in Natchitoches, working with the quarterbacks . . . majored in physical education at Arkansas . . . enjoys hunting and fishing and also is involved in breeding and raising Arabian horses . . . single.

### BILLS STATISTICS

<b>PASSING</b>	<i>Att.</i>	<i>Comp.</i>	<i>Yds.</i>	<i>Int.</i>	<i>TD</i>	<i>Pct.</i>
1973	164	73	939	10	4	.445
1974	232	119	1588	12	12	.513
1975	321	169	2426	17	25	.526
1976	151	74	1086	1	9	.490
1977	457	221	2803	24	12	.484
1978	330	175	2136	15	16	.530
Totals	1655	831	10,978	79	78	.502

<b>RUSHING</b>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Yds.</i>	<i>TD</i>	<i>Avg.</i>
1973	48	147	2	3.1
1974	53	111	2	2.1
1975	23	82	1	3.6
1976	18	81	0	4.5
1977	41	279	2	6.8
1978	27	76	0	2.8
Totals	210	776	7	3.7

### SINGLE GAME CAREER HIGHS

Most Passing Attempts—43, vs. Oakland, 11/28/77  
 Most Completions—25, vs. Miami, 12/17/77  
 Most Yards Passing—331, vs. Miami, 12/17/77  
 Most TD Passes—4, vs. New England, 11/23/75  
 Highest Comp. Percentage—83.3, vs. Kansas City, 10/1/78  
 (15 of 18)  
 Most Rushing Attempts—10, vs. NY Jets, 9/29/74  
 Most Yards Rushing—54, vs. Cleveland, 10/23/77  
 Longest Run—41, vs. Cleveland, 10/23/77

### JOE FERGUSON vs. THE NFL

<i>Team</i>	<i>Games</i>	<i>Att.</i>	<i>Comp.</i>	<i>Pct.</i>	<i>Yards</i>	<i>TD</i>	<i>Int.</i>
Atlanta	2	33	15	45.5	191	0	1
Baltimore	11	245	118	48.2	1814	14	10
Chicago	1	17	8	47.1	103	0	0
Cincinnati	3	42	21	50.0	182	1	1
Cleveland	3	59	25	42.4	393	1	4
Dallas	0						
Denver	2	46	22	47.8	254	2	3
Green Bay	1	16	13	81.3	175	1	1
Houston	3	73	28	38.4	295	0	6
Kansas City	4	78	49	62.8	664	6	5
Los Angeles	1	14	8	57.1	121	1	1
Miami	11	292	159	54.4	2185	13	10
Minnesota	1	16	6	37.5	51	0	3
New England	11	192	106	55.2	1427	15	8
New Orleans	1	19	9	47.8	87	0	0
N.Y. Giants	2	34	20	58.8	253	2	3
N.Y. Jets	11	221	110	49.8	1452	13	10
Oakland	2	63	28	44.4	374	4	1
Philadelphia	1	9	6	66.7	63	0	0
Pittsburgh	2	30	12	40.0	149	2	1
San Diego	1	17	5	29.4	53	0	2
San Francisco	0						
St. Louis	1	22	11	50.0	128	0	2
Seattle	1	37	17	45.9	227	1	3
Tampa Bay	2	38	18	47.4	235	2	2
Washington	1	42	17	40.5	202	0	2
Totals	79	1655	831	50.2	10,978	78	79





**Joe Ferguson**



**Mike Franckowiak**



**Steve Freeman**

## **MIKE FRANCKOWIAK**

### **Tight End**

*Birthdate*—March 25, 1953

*Birthplace*—Grand Rapids, Mich.

*Hometown*—Orchard Park, N.Y.

*Acquired*—Free Agent

*College*—Central Michigan

*Height*—6-3

*Weight*—225

*Year With Bills*—3rd

**PRO:** Played in every game for the Bills during 1978, principally on the special teams . . . key man on the wedge on kickoff returns . . . signed by the Bills as a free agent in September 1977 and appeared in 13 games that season . . . was selected by Denver in the third round of the draft in 1975 . . . played 14 games with the Broncos in 1976, including one start.

**COLLEGE:** Starting quarterback at Central Michigan for two years . . . played in the East-West Shrine Game and Coaches All-America Game . . . earned College Division All-America honors and also was an Academic All-American . . . majored in business administration.

**PRO:** He and his wife, Gay, reside in Orchard Park, the year round . . . good basketball player and also plays a pretty fair game of golf.

*Career Statistics with Denver:* Rushing—13 carries, 26 yards; Receiving—4 receptions, 42 yards (10.5 avg.); Kickoff Returns—2 for 22 yards.

## **STEVE FREEMAN**

### **Safety**

*Birthdate*—May 8, 1953

*Birthplace*—LaMesa, Texas

*Hometown*—LaMesa, Texas

*Acquired*—Waivers (New England)

*College*—Mississippi State

*Height*—5-11

*Weight*—185

*Year With Bills*—5th

**PRO:** Started last seven games of the 1978 season after an injury to regular strong safety Doug Jones and turned in creditable performances . . . led all Bills defensive backs with 109 tackles including 59 unassisted . . . plays with abandon and enthusiasm . . . when not in the starting lineup he is used as the fifth defensive back in passing situations . . . came to the Bills in pre-season in 1975 after being waived by New England and has played in every game in the last four years (58 consecutive contests) . . . strong special teams player as well as a defensive back . . . in a game against Miami in 1975, he returned an intercepted pass 22 yards for a touchdown.

**COLLEGE:** Three-year starter at Mississippi State where he led the team in interceptions his last two seasons tying a club record with 10 thefts . . . also returned 12 punts during his senior year for 101 yards . . . played in the North-South and Senior Bowl games . . . lettered in track.

**PERSONAL:** Steve and his dad, J.C. Freeman own and operate a 1,600-acre farm in LaMesa, Tex., where they grow cotton . . . he also played a lot of tennis and racquetball during the off-season . . . Steve and his wife, Bo, have one son, Brad, 4 . . . majored in agricultural economics at Mississippi State.

## **BILLS STATISTICS**

### **INTERCEPTIONS**

1975

*No.*

2

*Yds.*

44

*TD*

1

*Avg.*

22.0



**Danny Fulton**



**Reuben Gant**



**Will Grant**

## **DANNY FULTON**

### **Wide Receiver**

*Birthdate*—September 2, 1956  
*Birthplace*—Omaha, Nebraska  
*Hometown*—Omaha, Nebraska  
*Acquired*—Draft (#3B-1978)

*College*—Nebraska-Omaha  
*Height*—6-2  
*Weight*—180  
*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** Reported to camp late a year ago and then had foot problems that sidelined him for the entire season . . . possesses excellent speed and Bills coaches have high expectations for him.

**COLLEGE:** An Associated Press first team All-America selection in 1976 when he led the nation in receptions with 67, yardage with 1,581 and touchdowns with 16 . . . Set seven school records alone in 1976 . . . during his college career he once caught TD passes in 11 consecutive games . . . earned AP third team All-America honors in 1977 . . . nickname is "The Steam Machine" . . . went to Nebraska for a year and then transferred to Nebraska-Omaha.

**PERSONAL:** Majored in social work at Nebraska-Omaha where he attended classes during the off-season to complete his degree requirements . . . Danny is single.

## **COLLEGE STATISTICS**

<b>RECEIVING</b>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Yds.</i>	<i>Avg.</i>	<i>TD</i>
1975	37	554	15.0	6
1976	67	1581	23.6	16
1977	48	604	12.6	4
Totals	152	2739	18.0	26

## **REUBEN GANT**

### **Tight End**

*Birthdate*—April 12, 1952  
*Birthplace*—Tulsa, Okla.  
*Hometown*—Tulsa, Okla.  
*Acquired*—Draft (#1-1974)

*College*—Oklahoma State  
*Height*—6-4  
*Weight*—230  
*Year With Bills*—6th

**PRO:** Gradually becoming one of the NFL's finest tight ends, Reuben had another outstanding year in 1978 as he grabbed 34 passes for 408 yards and five touchdowns. His receptions and yardage totals were the third highest on the ballclub last season . . . over the past two years, he has caught 75 passes for a total of 1,054 yards and seven TDs . . . a big target (6-4) with good speed, Gant's finest game in 1978 came early in the season against the New York Jets at Orchard Park as he caught six passes for 100 yards and a touchdown . . . his receiving totals in 1977 were the third best in the NFL among tight ends . . . had seven receptions (all in the first half) for 97 yards in Buffalo's upset win at New England Nov. 6, 1977 . . . his most productive afternoon ever was against Cleveland, Oct. 23, 1977 when he had five receptions for 111 yards . . . played virtually every offensive down for Buffalo in 1978 . . . Buffalo's first round pick in 1974, but missed all of the pre-season because of a shoulder injury suffered in the Hall of Fame Game at Canton.

**COLLEGE:** Played both tight end and wide receiver at Oklahoma State where he had 35 receptions for 779 yards and 10 TDs . . . three-time honorable mention All-Big Eight . . . earned an invitation to the college All-Star game at Lubbock, Tex. . . . also received two college letters for basketball.

**PERSONAL:** Reuben and his wife, Sandra reside in Tulsa during the off-season . . . comes from a family of eight children . . . enjoys jazz, horseback riding and hunting . . . majored in Radio-TV, Film and Public Relations . . . owns a Disco in Tulsa known as Reuben Gant's Sports Factory . . . would eventually like to get into personnel administration or industrial relations

## BILLS STATISTICS

RECEIVING	No	Yds	TD	Avg
1974	0	0	0	0.0
1975	9	107	2	11.9
1976	12	263	3	21.9
1977	41	646	2	15.8
1978	34	408	5	12.0
Totals	96	1424	12	14.8

### SINGLE GAME CAREER HIGHS

Most Catches—7, vs. New England, 11/6/77  
 Most Yards Receiving—111, vs. Cleveland, 10/23/77  
 Most TDs—1, Seven Times  
 Longest Reception—39, vs. Baltimore, 10/17/76,  
 39, vs. New England, 11/7/76

## WILL GRANT

### Center

*Birthdate*—March 7, 1954  
*Birthplace*—Milton, Mass.  
*Hometown*—Paris, Ky.  
*Acquired*—Draft (#10-1978)  
*College*—Kentucky  
*Height*—6-3  
*Weight*—245  
*Year With Bills*—2nd

**Pro:** As a rookie a year ago, Will played in all 16 of the Bills games as a member of the special teams.

**COLLEGE:** Started the final six games of the 1977 season for Kentucky after the starting center suffered an injury . . . played very well and earned an invitation to the Blue-Grey Game . . . transferred to Kentucky after beginning his collegiate career at Idaho State . . . played in the Peach Bowl.

**PERSONAL:** He and his wife, Sue, reside in Paris, Ky., in the off-season where he did some farming . . . enjoys playing racquetball . . . majored in arts and sciences.



**Tony Greene**



**Dee Hardison**



**Craig Hertwig**

## TONY GREENE

### Safety

*Birthdate*—August 29, 1949  
*Birthplace*—Bethesda, Md.  
*Hometown*—Buffalo, N.Y.  
*Acquired*—Free Agent  
*College*—Maryland  
*Height*—5-10  
*Weight*—170  
*Year With Bills*—9th

**PRO:** The "dean" of the Bills' defensive backs, Tony is in his 9th season with the ballclub and needs just five more interceptions to become Buffalo's all-time leader . . . was credited with 102 tackles during 1978, the second highest total among Bills defensive backs . . . also had three interceptions to hike his career total to 36 . . . had nine thefts in 1977, the second best total in the NFL . . . has played in the Pro Bowl twice . . . established a Buffalo record when he returned an intercepted pass 101 yards for a TD against Kansas City in October 1976. The return also was the longest of the season in the NFL . . . in

1977 during a game against Seattle, he had three interceptions to tie a Bills record. earned All-Pro honors in 1974 despite missing the final two games because of a knee injury. also voted the team's MVP that year. 1974 season also saw him tie a Buffalo mark with interceptions in four consecutive games. was defensive captain 1974-76. has played the cornerback spot on occasion and also saw action as a kick returner in 1972 and 1973.

**COLLEGE:** Defensive back and captain of Maryland's 1970 team. led the Atlantic Coast Conference in interceptions. was voted the team's outstanding defensive back as a junior and senior. also a sprinter for the Terrapin track team and set school records in the 50 (5.3), 60 (6.0) and 100-yard (9.5) events.

**PERSONAL:** A physical education major at Maryland. winner of the 1976 Dodge Man of the Year balloting in Buffalo. plays a good game of racquetball and was a member of the Bills basketball team last winter. worked for two years in the off-season for the Commerce Department's Business Management Fellowship program in Buffalo. enjoys music and dancing. single.

## BILLS STATISTICS

INTERCEPTIONS	No	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1972	3	45	1	15.0
1973	1	0	0	0.0
1974	9	157	0	17.4
1975	6	81	0	13.5
1976	5	135	1	27.0
1977	9	144	0	16.0
1978	3	56	0	18.7
Totals	36	618	2	17.2

*Additional Career Statistics:* Punt Returns—2 att., 18 yds., 0 TDs, 9.0 avg.; Kickoff Returns, 16 att., 385 yds., 0 TDs, 24.1 avg.

## DEE HARDISON Defensive Tackle

*Birthdate*—May 22, 1956  
*Birthplace*—Newton Grove, N.C.  
*Hometown*—Clinton, N.C.  
*Acquired*—Draft (#2A-1978)

*College*—North Carolina  
*Height*—6-4  
*Weight*—269  
*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** So impressive was Hardison during his initial NFL season that he was a consensus choice for the All-Rookie squad. was a starter in 15 of the Bills' 16 games and led the defensive linemen in tackles with 81, including 55 unassisted. also was credited with 4½ quarterback sacks, the second highest total on the ballclub. has great size and possesses excellent speed.

**COLLEGE:** North Carolina's top defensive lineman his junior and senior years. Associated Press first team All-American as a senior after earning honorable mention laurels the previous year. two-time All-Atlantic Coast Conference pick. a heavyweight wrestler for the Tar Heels despite never having wrestled prior to college.

**PERSONAL:** Second oldest of six children. his brother, Freeman, has a black belt in karate. majored in elementary education at North Carolina and is interested in working with children. enjoys listening to all types of music. likes to play basketball, racquetball and fish.

## CRAIG HERTWIG Tackle

*Birthdate*—January 15, 1952  
*Birthplace*—Columbus, Ga.  
*Hometown*—Athens, Ga.  
*Acquired*—Free Agent

*College*—Georgia  
*Height*—6-8  
*Weight*—270  
*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** Signed by the Bills the last week of the 1978 campaign to replace the injured Joe Devlin on the roster, but was not used during the team's final game. a four-year veteran who was drafted by Detroit in the fourth round in 1975. had started 23 consecutive games for the Lions before being released in August 1978.

**COLLEGE:** Earned first team Associated Press All-America honors at Georgia. voted to the All-Southeastern Conference squad and also played in the Senior Bowl game.

**PERSONAL:** Craig resides in Athens, Ga., in the off-season . . . single.



**John Holland**



**Roland Hooks**



**Scott Hutchinson**

## JOHN HOLLAND

### Wide Receiver

*Birthdate*—February 28, 1952  
*Birthplace*—Beckley, W. Va.  
*Hometown*—Dallas, Texas  
*Acquired*—Waivers (Minnesota)

*College*—Tennessee State  
*Height*—6-1  
*Weight*—190  
*Year With Bills*—5th

**PRO:** Injuries continued to plague John in 1978 . . . he missed the last 11 games of the 1977 season when sidelined by a jaw injury suffered in a contest against Baltimore . . . returning to action in pre-season a year ago, he tore ligaments in his left knee during a game against Cleveland in early August and had to undergo surgery . . . his best season was in 1976 when he caught 15 passes for 299 yards and two touchdowns . . . played in 13 games that year, eight as a starter . . . in Buffalo's 1976 season opener on Monday night against Miami, Holland had a spectacular game with two TD catches on receptions of 58 and 53 yards . . . scored a third TD that year when in a game against San Diego, he recovered an errant punt snap in the endzone . . . had his finest day as a professional Oct. 12, 1975 when he subbed for the injured Bob Chandler and caught six passes for 121 yards . . . played in 12 games in 1975 and saw some action as a kick returner . . . was drafted by Minnesota in the second round in 1974.

**COLLEGE:** Earned Little All-America honors at Tennessee State where he set three school records as a senior with 53 catches for 739 yards and 11 touchdowns . . . also played centerfield for the baseball team and was drafted by Philadelphia.

**PERSONAL:** John, his wife, Debra and son, Jermaine, reside in Dallas during the off-season . . . enjoys listening to all types of music and also likes to play basketball and racquetball.

## BILLS STATISTICS

RECEIVING	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1975	7	144	1	20.6
1976	15	299	2	19.9
1977	8	107	0	13.4
Totals	30	550	3	18.3

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1975	7	53	0	7.6
1976	4	11	0	2.8
Totals	11	64	0	5.8

KICKOFF RETURNS	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1975	4	67	0	16.8
1976	4	62	0	15.5
Totals	8	129	0	16.1

### SINGLE GAME CAREER HIGHS

Most Catches—6, vs. Baltimore, 10/12/75  
 Most Yards Receiving—121, vs. Baltimore, 10/12/75  
 Most TD Catches—2, vs. Miami, 9/13/76

*Additional Career Statistics (with Minnesota)* Receiving—5 catches 84 yds., 16.8 avg., 0 TDs.

## ROLAND HOOKS

### Running Back

Birthdate—January 2, 1953  
Birthplace—Brooklyn, N.Y.  
Hometown—Denver, Colo.  
Acquired—Draft (#10-1975)

College—North Carolina State  
Height—6-0  
Weight—197  
Year With Bills—5th

**PRO:** In his last two seasons with the Bills, Roland has developed into a solid performer. . . . was the ballclub's third leading rusher in 1978 with 76 carries for 538 yards and two touchdowns. . . . his average per carry of 4.7 yards was tops among the running backs and he also recorded the Bills' longest run from scrimmage during the season, 66 yards against the Giants. . . . it came on a play in which he just missed going in for a TD as he was stopped on the one-foot line. . . . he gained a total of 115 yards on 12 carries for the day, his best performance of the season. . . . on almost any other day he likely would have been the Bills' top rusher, but that was the afternoon rookie running back Terry Miller ran for 208 yards. . . . Hooks also caught 15 passes during the season for 110 yards (7.3 avg.) and a TD. . . . in a game at New England in November, 1977, Roland, while subbing for the injured O.J. Simpson, rushed for a career high 155 yards on 27 carries as the Bills upset the Patriots. . . . his performance that afternoon was the best by an AFC running back in 1977. . . . Buffalo's second-leading rusher in 1977 with 497 yards on 128 carries. . . . had a 79-yard kickoff return vs. Miami in 1976. . . . missed all of his rookie season because of illness and injury.

**COLLEGE:** Versatile player at North Carolina State where he set records for average yards per carry — 5.6 (1,368 yards on 246 carries). . . . led the Wolfpack with 850 and a 6.3 average in 1974 while scoring 17 touchdowns. . . . holds N.C. State kickoff return yardage record of 981, and returned a kickoff 80 yards in his first varsity contest.

**PERSONAL:** He and his wife, Earlene reside in Denver during the off-season where Roland was a reading teacher in a special education program. . . . a history major. . . . enjoys playing handball.

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### BILLS STATISTICS

RUSHING	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1976	25	116	0	4.6
1977	128	497	0	3.9
1978	76	358	2	4.7
Totals	229	971	2	4.2

RECEIVING	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1976	6	72	0	12.0
1977	16	195	0	12.2
1978	15	110	1	7.3
Totals	37	377	1	10.2

KICKOFF RETURNS	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1976	23	521	0	22.7
1978	7	124	0	17.7
Totals	30	645	0	21.5

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1976	11	45	0	4.1
1978	3	12	0	4.0
Totals	14	57	0	4.1

### SINGLE GAME CAREER HIGHS

Most Carries—27, vs. New England, 11/6/77  
Most Yards Rushing—155, vs. New England, 11/6/77  
Longest Run—66, vs. New England, 11/6/77;  
66, vs. N.Y. Giants, 11/26/78  
Most Receptions—4, vs. Miami, 12/17/77  
Most Yards Receiving—63, vs. Miami, 12/17/77  
Longest Reception—33, vs. Washington, 12/4/77  
Longest KO Return—79, vs. Miami, 12/5/76  
Longest Punt Return—12, vs. Houston, 9/19/76

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## SCOTT HUTCHINSON

### Defensive End

*Birthdate*—May 27, 1956

*Birthplace*—Winter Park, Fla.

*Hometown*—Winter Park, Fla.

*Acquired*—Draft (#2B-1978)

*College*—Florida

*Height*—6-4

*Weight*—243

*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** Drafted by the Bills in the second round in 1978, Scott was used primarily as a backup at defensive end last season, but his playing time increased near the end of the campaign . . . the coaches expect a good deal more from him this season as his development as a pro defensive lineman continues.

**COLLEGE:** A three-year starter at Florida where he was an Associated Press honorable mention All-America selection in 1977 and also received United Press International All-Southeastern Conference honors . . . began his collegiate career as a middle linebacker before being shifted to middle guard . . . his 107 tackles as a senior ranked him third on the team . . . led Florida in "big plays" in 1977 with 25 . . . had 118 tackles in 1976.

**PERSONAL:** Purchased a home in Orlando, Fla., during the off-season and spent a lot of time working on it . . . also played a lot of softball . . . majored in advertising at Florida . . . single.



**Mekeli Ieremia**



**Rusty Jackson**



**Dan Jilek**

## MEKELI IEREMIA

### Defensive End

*Birthdate*—March 4, 1954

*Birthplace*—Niosafutu, Samoa

*Hometown*—Provo, Utah

*Acquired*—Free Agent

*College*—Brigham Young

*Height*—6-2

*Weight*—244

*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** Joined the Bills as a free agent early last December and saw action in two games . . . a sixth round draft choice of the Chicago Bears in 1978.

**COLLEGE:** Three-year starter and two-time all—WAC selection . . . credited with 40 sacks during his final two years . . . aggressive player with good speed . . . in a game against Arizona State as a junior, he had five quarterback sacks . . . earned Associated Press honorable mention All-America laurels.

**PERSONAL:** Born in Samoa, Mekeli didn't start playing American football until his senior year in high school in 1973 . . . also set school records that year in the discus, shotput and javelin at Tarrytown (N.Y.) High . . . at the invitation of writer-explorer-photographer James Lipscomb (who adopted him as a foster son), he left Samoa for the U.S. in 1972 aboard a 70-foot schooner for a 9-month sail to Singapore . . . made remainder of journey by air . . . learned to speak English during the lengthy sail . . . an elder in the Mormon Church . . . a sociology major at BYU . . . Mekeli and his wife, Lisa reside in Provo, Utah.

## RUSTY JACKSON

### Punter

*Birthdate*—November 17, 1950

*Birthplace*—Tuscaloosa, Ala.

*Hometown*—Daphne, Ala.

*Acquired*—Free Agent

*College*—LSU

*Height*—6-2

*Weight*—195

*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** In his first season with the Bills a year ago, Rusty finished 17th among the league's punters with a 38.8 average . . . put 19 of his 87 punts inside the opponents' 20-yard line . . . was a key figure in the Bills' 5-0 win over Cincinnati last October as he punted 10 times for 447 yards (44.7 avg.) and four of his kicks wound up inside the Bengals' 10 . . . late in the contest he booted a 70-yarder. It ranks among the longest in Bills history . . . had two punts blocked in 1978 . . . punted for Chuck Knox at Los Angeles in 1976 where he averaged 39.0 yards per boot, sixth best in the NFL . . . his net punting average of 33.0 that year was fourth best in the NFC . . . also played for Birmingham in the WFL in 1975, punting 54 times for a 41.2 average.

**COLLEGE:** Three-year letterman at LSU where he also was a placekicker.

**PERSONAL:** Rusty, his wife, Kathy, and their two sons, Kyle 7 and Brandon 1, live in Daphne, Ala., in the off-season . . . he worked as an engineering assistant for a chemical company last winter and spring . . . also coached a Little League baseball team . . . enjoys fishing, jogging, tennis and golf.

## DAN JILEK

### Linebacker

*Birthdate*—December 3, 1953

*Birthplace*—Cedar Rapids, Iowa

*Hometown*—Ann Arbor, Mich.

*Acquired*—Draft (#4-1976)

*College*—Michigan

*Height*—6-2

*Weight*—212

*Year With Bills*—4th

**PRO:** Played in 15 of the Bills' 16 games a year ago and started opening game against Pittsburgh . . . used most of the season as a backup at linebacker . . . was credited with 18 tackles including 12 unassisted . . . after being drafted by Buffalo in 1976 in the fourth round, Dan started 28 consecutive regular-season games . . . second leading tackler two straight years with 143 in 1977 and 99 the previous season . . . as a rookie, he also had one sack and two fumble recoveries.

**COLLEGE:** Two-Time All-Big Ten selection of AP and UPI at defensive end . . . honorable mention All-America . . . Played in the Hula and Japan Bowls and was a candidate for Academic All-America honors . . . Michigan's sixth leading tackler in 1975 with 99, including 70 solo stops . . . involved in 80 tackles as a junior, including 10 for losses of 53 yards.

**PERSONAL:** He and his wife, Joy, have two young daughters, Elisabeth 1, and Sarah, who was born last February 2 . . . they live in Ann Arbor during the off-season . . . Dan spent a good deal of his time in classes at Michigan during the winter where he is enrolled in the masters program in urban planning . . . majored in speech and political science . . . his dad is football and basketball coach at Henry Ford High School in Detroit.

## BILLS STATISTICS

### INTERCEPTIONS

1976

*No.*

2

*Yds.*

33

*TD*

0

*Avg.*

16.5



Dennis Johnson



Dennis Johnson



Doug Jones

## DENNIS JOHNSON

### Defensive Tackle

*Birthplace*—October 22, 1951

*Birthplace*—Passaic, N.J.

*Hometown*—Reston, Va.

*Acquired*—Free Agent

*College*—Delaware

*Height*—6-4

*Weight*—265

*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** Signed by the Bills Sept. 1, 1978 as a free agent and played in 14 of the 16 games as a backup defensive tackle . . . credited with 17 tackles, nine unassisted . . . drafted by Washington in the 13th round in 1973 and played four seasons with the Redskins after missing his rookie year because of an injury . . . became a starter in 1975 when Verlon Biggs was injured . . . had 10 sacks and a fumble recovery while playing 11 games in 1977 . . . missed three contests because of a knee injury

**COLLEGE:** Played both defensive and offensive tackle at Delaware all three seasons . . . career totals include 215 tackles, 116 unassisted, three fumble recoveries and two pass interceptions . . . AP second team Little All-American, Kodak Little All-America first team and All-ECAC team . . . played in the East-West Shrine game as a senior and in the Boardwalk Bowl in 1971 and 1972.

**PERSONAL:** Dennis and his wife, Chris, reside in Reston, Va. . . he worked for the National Alliance of Businessmen in the off-season and his wife is assistant vice president of Central Fidelity Bank in Reston . . . Dennis also has a real estate license . . . majored in business administration.

## DENNIS JOHNSON

### Running Back

*Birthdate*—February 26, 1956

*Birthplace*—Weir, Miss.

*Hometown*—Weir, Miss.

*Acquired*—Draft (#3A-1978)

*College*—Mississippi State

*Height*—6-2

*Weight*—220

*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** Saw limited action in rookie season, but still managed to finish as the Bills' fourth-leading ground gainer with 222 yards on 55 carries (4.0 avg.) and two touchdowns . . . also caught 10 passes for 83 yards . . . had his finest game of the year in season finale at Baltimore as he carried 19 times for 62 yards and a touchdown . . . his 30-yard-run in season opener against Pittsburgh helped fire up the offense . . . had a productive performance against the Jets in New York, running 11 times for 59 yards . . . also was used on the kickoff return teams and proved to be very effective with 10 returns for 204 yards (20.4 avg.) . . . in a game at Tampa Bay, Dennis returned a kickoff 41 yards . . . it was the second longest KO return of the season for Buffalo . . . has good speed for a big man.

**COLLEGE:** Second team All-Southeastern Conference pick in 1976 as he led Mississippi State in rushing with 859 yards and a 5.7 average . . . rushed for 2,284 career yards and caught 39 passes out of the Wishbone attack . . . rushed for more than 100 yards three consecutive games in 1976 . . . holds Mississippi State single-game rushing mark of 198 in 26 carries against Memphis State . . . sidelined part of 1977 season after undergoing corrective knee surgery.

**PERSONAL:** A good basketball player, Dennis played for the Bills cagers during the off-season . . . majored in physical education . . . single.

## BILLS STATISTICS

<b>RUSHING</b>	<i>Att.</i>	<i>Yds.</i>	<i>Avg.</i>	<i>TD</i>
1978	55	222	4.0	2
<b>RECEIVING</b>	<i>Att.</i>	<i>Yds.</i>	<i>Avg.</i>	<i>TD</i>
1978	10	83	8.3	0
<b>KICKOFF RETURNS</b>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Yds.</i>	<i>Avg.</i>	<i>TD</i>
1978	10	204	20.4	0

## DOUG JONES

### Safety

*Birthdate*—May 31, 1950

*Birthplace*—San Diego, Calif.

*Hometown*—San Diego, Calif.

*Acquired*—Trade (Kansas City)

*College*—San Fernando Valley

*Height*—6-2

*Weight*—205

*Year With Bills*—5th

**PRO:** Missed four games in 1978 because of a knee injury, but still finished the year with 68 tackles, 44 of them solos . . . started the first nine games of the season before he was sidelined . . . a starter at strong safety for 28 consecutive contests during the 1976 and 1977 seasons and had five interceptions over that span . . . credited with 100 tackles in 1977 and 75 in

1976 ... one of the hardest hitters on the squad ... came up with a big defensive play in Buffalo's 3-0 win over Atlanta in 1977 as he helped stop a Falcon TD threat near the goal line ... suffered a knee injury in pre-season in 1975 and missed the entire year ... drafted by Kansas City in the sixth round of 1973 and came to the Bills in August 1975 in a trade with the Chiefs.

**COLLEGE:** A two-year starter at both cornerback and safety ... played two years at San Diego City College before transferring to San Fernando Valley ... a member of the track team where he was a championship hurdler.

**PERSONAL:** Resides in his native San Diego where he had a home built during the off-season ... he and his wife, Doris are the parents of a daughter, Michelle, age 10 ... enjoys playing racquetball and remains interested in track ... in the past he has worked as an assistant track coach.

## BILLS STATISTICS

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1976	3	5	0	1.6
1977	2	30	1	15.0
Totals	5	35	1	7.0

*Additional Career Statistics (with Kansas City):* 1 interception, 13 yards, 0 TD.



Ken Jones



Mike Kadish



Frank Lewis

## KEN JONES Offensive Tackle

*Birthdate*—December 1, 1952  
*Birthplace*—St. Louis, Mo.  
*Hometown*—Bridgeton, Mo.  
*Acquired*—Draft (#2A-1976)

*College*—Arkansas State  
*Height*—6-5  
*Weight*—252  
*Year With Bills*—4th

**PRO:** The Bills' starting left tackle in 15 of the 16 games last season ... plagued periodically by penalties, but continued to show improvement ... a second round draft choice by the Bills in 1976 and he started seven games as a defensive end during rookie season before being switched back to the offensive line in 1977 ... started the first two games of 1977, replacing the injured Dave Foley ... also played on special teams that year ... was credited with 29 tackles, one sack and two fumble recoveries in 1976 ... earned starting berth in 1978 after Foley's retirement.

**COLLEGE:** First team All-America selection of Football Writers, Time Magazine and The Sporting News ... third team AP Pick ... played in the East-West Shrine game and the Senior Bowl ... two year starter at guard where he was a key man in the top rushing offense in college football in 1975 ... played nose guard as a freshman and earned All-Conference honors ... also played three college games as a fullback and tight end ... an appendectomy forced him to miss most of his sophomore year.

**PERSONAL:** Ken remained in Orchard Park during the off-season ... a member of the Bills' basketball team last winter ... likes to play racquetball ... major was physical education ... single.

## MIKE KADISH Defensive Tackle

*Birthdate*—May 27, 1950  
*Birthplace*—Grand Rapids, Mich.  
*Hometown*—Orchard Park, N.Y.  
*Acquired*—Trade (Miami)

*College*—Notre Dame  
*Height*—6-5  
*Weight*—270  
*Year With Bills*—7th

**PRO:** Played in 11 games during 1978 after reporting late . . . started six contests in latter half of season in place of the injured Phil Dokes and turned in one solid effort after another . . . despite missing five games, he still recorded the second highest number of tackles among the Bills' defensive linemen—76 . . . 49 of them were solo efforts . . . more than half of his total tackles came in the final three games as he was credited with 39 including 15 in a game at Kansas City . . . his teammates voted him the ballclub's MVP for 1977 as he led all defensive linemen with 117 tackles . . . also was credited with 3½ quarterback sacks . . . led linemen in tackles in 1976, too, with 95 and had 6½ QB sacks . . . started every game for the Bills from 1974-77 . . . realized a lineman's dream in 1975 when he scored a touchdown against Pittsburgh, taking a lateral from Earl Edwards and running 22 yards after a Steeler fumble . . . came to the Bills in August 1973 from Miami in exchange for Irv Goode . . . Miami's top draft choice in 1972, but spent that entire season on the taxi squad.

**COLLEGE:** All-America defensive tackle at Notre Dame where he led the Fighting Irish in tackles with 97 and had eight quarterback sacks as a senior . . . played in the Senior Bowl.

**PERSONAL:** Mike and his wife, Diane spent most of the off-season in Western New York . . . likes to play racquetball and also is an avid golfer . . . worked on the Western New York Multiple Sclerosis campaign in the winter of 1978.

## FRANK LEWIS

### Wide Receiver

*Birthdate*—July 7, 1947

*Birthplace*—New Orleans, La.

*Hometown*—Houma, La.

*Acquired*—Trade (Pittsburgh)

*College*—Grambling

*Height*—6-1

*Weight*—196

*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** The 1978 season was the finest of Lewis' eight-year NFL career as he established personal records for receptions (41), yardage (735) and touchdowns (7) . . . his yardage total was the highest among Bills receivers in 1978 as was his average per catch of 17.9 . . . enjoyed a spectacular day at Miami Sept. 17, 1978 as he grabbed five Joe Ferguson passes for 153 yards and a touchdown . . . the TD came on the longest pass play of the season in the NFL—92 yards. It also ranks as the third longest pass play in Bills history . . . his 7 TD pass receptions was tops among Bills receivers last year and his 41 receptions placed him second on the squad behind Bob Chandler's 44 . . . he also had a 100-yard reception day in the third last game of the season at Kansas City, catching a personal season high of seven passes for 126 yards and a TD . . . came to Buffalo in a trade with Pittsburgh during pre-season a year ago . . . injuries have hampered him during his career, but he's a very productive player when healthy as evidenced by his performances last season . . . made some great plays for the Steelers in playoff competition . . . had a 76-yard reception for the first TD in an opening round game in 1976 and also made a sensational one-handed grab to set up the winning score in the first post-season game of 1975 . . . both plays came against Baltimore . . . best year with Steelers was in 1974 when he caught 30 passes for 365 yards and four TDs . . . had 409 reception yards in 1973 and caught five TD passes for the Steelers in 1972.

**COLLEGE:** A wingback who was used as a runner and receiver . . . had 42 career TDs . . . ran the 100 in 9.4 . . . a third team Little All-American in 1970 . . . twice named to the All-Southwest Conference team . . . selected to play in the Senior Bowl and College All-Star game.

**PERSONAL:** Frank was a deputy sheriff in Terrebonne Parish in Louisiana during the off-season . . . he and his wife, Norma, have one daughter, Gabrielle Simone 7 . . . likes to play golf, tennis and basketball.

## BILLS STATISTICS

### RECEIVING

1978

No.

41

Yds

735

TD

7

Avg.

17.9

*Additional career statistics:* In 7 pro seasons with Pittsburgh — 128 receptions for 2086 yards (16.3 avg.) and 16 TDs; rushed 10 times for 152 yards (15.2 avg.) and 1 touchdown; returned five punts for 56 yards (11.2 avg.). In playoff competition, he caught 14 passes for 312 yards (22.3 avg.) and two TDs.



**David Mays**



**Randy McClanahan**



**Reggie McKenzie**

## DAVID MAYS

### Quarterback

*Birthdate*—June 20, 1949  
*Birthplace*—Pine Bluff, Ark.  
*Hometown*—Baton Rouge, La.  
*Acquired*—Free Agent

*College*—Texas Southern  
*Height*—6-1  
*Weight*—194  
*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** Acquired by the Bills as a free agent in pre-season a year ago, David appeared in one regular season game during 1978 as he threw for a touchdown against his former Cleveland teammates . . . played for the Browns in 1976 and 1977 as a backup signal-caller . . . completed nearly 54 per cent of his passes over that span, connecting on 76 of 141 tosses for 898 yards and six touchdowns . . . he also punted twice for the Browns in 1976, averaging 45.5 yards per boot . . . was Buffalo's backup punter last year, but never was used in that capacity . . . when Cleveland's starting quarterback Brian Sipe suffered an injury during 1977 campaign, Mays turned in an impressive performance against the Pittsburgh Steelers as he completed 17 of 32 passes for 296 yards and three touchdowns . . . was signed by Cleveland as a free agent in 1976 more for his punting and placekicking ability than his quarterbacking . . . passed up by the NFL in its 1974 draft and signed with the Houston Texans of the World Football League . . . also played for Shreveport in the WFL.

**COLLEGE:** Quarterback, punter and placekicker at Texas Southern University.

**PERSONAL:** Attended dental school at the University of Southern California . . . took time off from his studies while playing in the WFL, but completed work on his dental degree in 1976 . . . single . . . worked as an instructor in the USC Dental School's oral diagnostic department last spring . . . also spent considerable time working on a weight program in the USC football program.

## BILLS STATISTICS

PASSING	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Int.	TD	Pct.
1978	15	4	39	0	1	267

*Additional NFL Statistics:* With Cleveland in 1976 and 1977 — Passing: 141 attempts, 76 completions (.539), 898 yards; six touchdowns; 11 interceptions. Rushing: 9 carries, 16 yards (1.8 avg.) Punting: 2 for 91 yards (45.5 avg.)

## RANDY McCLANAHAN

### Linebacker

*Birthdate*—December 12, 1954  
*Birthplace*—Lincoln, Neb.  
*Hometown*—Peoria, Ariz.  
*Acquired*—Trade (Oakland)

*College*—S.W. Louisiana  
*Height*—6-5  
*Weight*—225  
*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** Joined the Bills in pre-season last year via a trade with Oakland and played in all 16 contests as a middle linebacker including 10 as a starter . . . led the Bills in fumble recoveries with five . . . third leading tackler among the team's linebackers with 67 . . . 43 were unassisted . . . as a rookie at Oakland in 1977, he played in every game . . . one of the few college free agents to make the Raiders' squad in recent years . . . outstanding special teams player at Oakland.



**COLLEGE:** A starter for two years as a defensive end at Southwest Louisiana . . . in senior year, the team was 9-2 and co-champions of the Southland Conference . . . attended Glendale Community College in Phoenix for two years before transferring to Southwest Louisiana.

**PERSONAL:** Finished requirements for his degree in health and physical education with a minor in driver education during the off-season . . . also worked for a meat-packing company in the Phoenix area . . . Randy and his wife, Jackie reside in Peoria, Ariz. . . likes to play basketball . . . spent part of the winter making furniture for his home.

## REGGIE McKENZIE

### Guard

*Birthdate*—July 27, 1950  
*Birthplace*—Detroit, Mich.  
*Hometown*—Buffalo, N.Y.  
*Acquired*—Draft (#2-1972)

*College*—Michigan  
*Height*—6-4  
*Weight*—242  
*Year With Bills*—8th

**PRO:** The 1978 season may well have been the best yet in his 7-year pro career . . . teams with Joe DeLamielleure to give the Bills one of the most feared guard combinations in the league . . . his string of 101 consecutive starts dates back to his rookie season in 1972 . . . earned All-Pro and All-AFC honors in 1973 and 1974 . . . received the Wisconsin Pro Football Writers Award as the NFL's top blocking lineman for 1973 . . . was the Bills' player representative from 1973-77.

**COLLEGE:** Consensus All-American for Bo Schembechler at Michigan . . . member of the 1970 and 1972 Michigan Rose Bowl teams . . . a two-time All-Big Ten choice and he won invitations to the Hula Bowl and College All-Star game.

**PERSONAL:** Married to the former Ethellean Hicks, Miss Massachusetts of 1974 . . . active in the public service area where he has worked for the Special Olympics and United Way . . . was the Bills' representative for the 1978 United Way television spots . . . worked for Twin Fair, a local department store, during the off-season . . . has a degree in physical education . . . interested in politics . . . worked for a time for a local hotel in public relations . . . enjoys music, reading, basketball and racquetball . . . has four brothers and three sisters.



**Eddie McMILLAN**



**Dan Medlin**



**Terry Miller**

## EDDIE McMILLAN

### Cornerback

*Birthdate*—November 25, 1951  
*Birthplace*—Tampa, Fla.  
*Hometown*—Redmond, Wash.  
*Acquired*—Free Agent

*College*—Florida State  
*Height*—6-0  
*Weight*—190  
*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** Played in 14 games for the Bills last fall after joining the team as a free agent in September . . . saw some action as a defensive back, but was used mostly on special teams . . . credited with 13 tackles . . . in 1976 and 1977, he started 28 consecutive games for Seattle . . . intercepted four passes and recovered three fumbles in 1977 . . . established a Seattle record with 157 return yards on intercepted passes that season . . . has 12 career interceptions . . . was a fourth round draft choice of the Los Angeles Rams in 1973 and went to Seattle in the 1976 expansion draft . . . in three seasons with the Rams, he started all but four games . . . earned UPI All-Rookie honors in 1973.

**COLLEGE:** Began his senior year at Florida State by returning the opening kickoff 96 yards for a touchdown against the University of Miami. . . played in the North-South and American Bowl games. . . also ran track and recorded a time of 9.6 in the 100-yard dash.

**PERSONAL:** Spent part of the off-season working with youngsters at Boys' Clubs in Tampa, Fla., where his mother lives. . . also played some basketball and did some fishing. . . single.

## DAN MEDLIN

### Guard

*Birthdate*—Oct. 12, 1949

*Birthplace*—High Point, N.C.

*Hometown*—Oakland, Calif.

*Acquired*—(Trade-Tampa Bay, May 1979) *Year With Bills*—1st

*College*—North Carolina State

*Height*—6-4

*Weight*—255

**PRO:** Started 22 games for the Bucs over the last two seasons. . . obtained by Tampa Bay from Oakland just five days before the start of the 1977 season and started every contest that year. . . originally drafted by Oakland in the fifth round in 1972 as a defensive lineman, but was switched to the offensive line in August 1974. . . has good speed and agility and is regarded as a strong blocker on sweeps. . . once a regular for the Raiders as he played in 27 games during the 1975 and 1976 campaigns.

**COLLEGE:** Played in 32 consecutive games at North Carolina State and a starter since the middle of his sophomore season. . . recovered a total of seven fumbles during the 1970 and 1971 seasons. . . played in the North-South game and the Senior Bowl. . . majored in textile technology.

**PERSONAL:** All-state tackle at Thomasville High School and played in two all-star games. . . was the Western North Carolina heavyweight wrestling and shot put champion. . . single.

## TERRY MILLER

### Running Back

*Birthdate*—January 7, 1956

*Birthplace*—Columbus, Ga.

*Hometown*—Colorado Springs, Colo.

*Acquired*—Draft (#1-1978)

*College*—Oklahoma State

*Height*—5-10

*Weight*—196

*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** No rookie running back in Bills history ever attained the heights that Terry Miller did in 1978. . . after struggling early in the season, Miller was nothing short of sensational in the closing weeks of the campaign. At season's end he emerged as only the 10th rookie in NFL history to rush for 1,000 yards and his final total of 1,060 was the sixth highest ever by a first-year back. He was among just 11 NFL players a year ago to reach the 1,000-yard plateau. Overall, Terry carried 238 times for a 4.5 average. But, his average per carry in the season's final four weeks was a spectacular 7.1 as he gained 462 yards on 65 attempts. His late bid to reach the magical 1,000-yard mark began with an awesome performance against the New York Giants in the Bills' final home game last Nov. 26. In 21 carries that afternoon, he ripped through the New York defense for 208 yards and two touchdowns. It marked the only time all season that an NFL running back gained 200 yards in a game. Three weeks later in the season finale at Baltimore, Miller turned in another memorable performance, rushing for 123 yards on 15 carries (8.2 avg.) to achieve his final total of 1,060 yards. Early in the fourth quarter on a sweep to the left, Terry raced 60 yards for a TD. The run was his longest of the season. In all, Miller rushed for seven touchdowns, tops on the ballclub in that category. In addition, he proved to be a very capable pass receiver with 22 receptions for 246 yards, an 11.2 average. He ranked fourth on the ballclub in pass receptions and was the leader among the running backs.

**COLLEGE:** Consensus All-America choice his junior and senior years at Oklahoma State where he rushed for 4,754 yards and 49 touchdowns in four years. . . runnerup to Earl Campbell in Heisman Trophy balloting in 1977 and he was the highest undergraduate vote-getter in Heisman balloting in 1976. . . holds all Oklahoma State rushing and scoring records. . . first back in Big 8 history to rush for over 1,000 yards three consecutive seasons. . . Big 8 Offensive Player of the Year in 1976. . . leading rusher in Big 8 history when he was taken by Buffalo in the first round of the draft in 1978. It marked the first time the Bills had selected a running back in the opening round since 1969 when they chose O.J. Simpson.

**PERSONAL:** A finance major at Oklahoma State, Terry has been involved in the business world for several years. . . he is owner of one construction

firm and part owner of another . . . the companies are currently involved in building single family dwellings in Oklahoma while also serving as sub-contractor in two other projects involving a shopping center and automobile dealership Terry has a private pilot's license single

## BILLS STATISTICS

<b>RUSHING</b>	<i>Att</i>	<i>Yds.</i>	<i>Avg.</i>	<i>TD</i>
1978	238	1,060	4.5	7
<b>RECEIVING</b>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Yds.</i>	<i>Avg.</i>	<i>TD</i>
1978	22	246	11.2	0

### SINGLE GAME CAREER HIGHS

Most Carries—25 vs. Baltimore 9/24/78  
 Most Yards Rushing—208 vs. N. Y. Giants 11/26/78  
 Longest Run—60 vs. Baltimore 12/17/78

## KEITH MOODY

### Return Specialist

*Birthdate*—June 13, 1953 *College*—Syracuse  
*Birthplace*—Salisbury, N.C. *Height*—5-11  
*Hometown*—Orchard Park, N.Y. *Weight*—171  
*Acquired*—Draft (#10-1976) *Year With Bills*—4th

**PRO:** Moody continued to set punt and kickoff return records during 1978 as he established all-time Bills marks for most yards on punt returns (602); most career touchdowns on punt returns (3); highest career punt return average (12.04 yards per return) and most lifetime kickoff returns (74) . . . for the third consecutive year, Moody returned a punt for a touchdown when he raced 82 yards in the Bills game last October in Houston . . . all three of his TD returns have come in the month of October . . . the 82-yard return at Houston matched the longest of the season in the NFL . . . the 1977 season also saw Moody set several records . . . marks established included best punt return average for a season (13.1); longest punt return (91 yds. vs. Cleveland 10/23/77); most kickoff returns in one game (8 vs. Seattle) and most yards on kickoff return in one game (185 vs. Seattle) . . . 13.1 punt return average was the third best in the NFL in 1977 . . . his 12.6 average on punt returns in 1978 was the league's second best . . . 1977 saw him start three games at cornerback . . . second on the ballclub in kickoff returns in 1978 with 371 yards (20.6 avg.) . . . has 2,214 yards in punt and kickoff returns in three seasons . . . returned a punt 67 yards for a TD vs. the Jets in 1976

**COLLEGE:** ECAC first team selection in 1975 as top Syracuse defensive back and punt returner . . . intercepted six passes in 1975 and returned 28 punts for an 8.1 average . . . earned three letters . . . sat out 1974 season.

**PERSONAL:** Keith and his wife, Celia have a daughter, Shirley, age 5 . . . Moody's three sisters and brother also reside with them in Orchard Park . . . worked in the off-season as a coordinator for a migrant education program in Western New York . . . also did considerable public relations work for the Bills . . . college major was physical education

## BILLS STATISTICS

<b>INTERCEPTIONS</b>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Yds.</i>	<i>TD</i>	<i>Avg.</i>
1976	3	63	0	21.0
<b>PUNT RETURNS</b>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Yds.</i>	<i>TD</i>	<i>Avg.</i>
1976	16	166	1	10.4
1977	15	196	1	13.1
1978	19	240	1	12.6
Totals	50	602	3	12.04
<b>KICKOFF RETURNS</b>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Yds.</i>	<i>TD</i>	<i>Avg.</i>
1976	26	605	0	23.3
1977	30	636	0	21.2
1978	18	371	0	20.6
Totals	74	1,612	0	21.8

### SINGLE GAME CAREER HIGHS

Longest Interception Return—44 vs. New England, 10/24/76  
 Longest Punt Return—91, Cleveland, 10/23/77  
 Longest Kickoff Return—45 vs. Cleveland, 10/23/77



**Kelth Moody**



**Bill Munson**



**Shane Nelson**

## **BILL MUNSON** **Quarterback**

*Birthdate*—August 11, 1941  
*Birthplace*—Sacramento, Calif  
*Hometown*—Birmingham, Mich  
*Acquired*—Trade (San Diego)

*College*—Utah State  
*Height*—6-2  
*Weight*—205  
*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** The Bills' search a year ago for an experienced quarterback to back up Joe Ferguson ended with the acquisition of Munson from San Diego in a pre-season trade . . . the veteran signal-caller wasted little time illustrating his value as he came off the bench in the opening game of the season against Pittsburgh to complete 10 of 16 passes for 171 yards and two TDs . . . Bill appeared in four games during 1978 and completed 55.8 per cent of his passes (24 of 43) for 328 yards and four scores . . . finished the season with an excellent rating of 91.8 . . . enters the 1979 season (his 16th) with 84 career TD passes; 12,815 yards passing, and a percentage of .540 (1067 of 1975) . . . Los Angeles Rams' No. 1 pick in the 1964 draft and sixth player selected overall . . . played four seasons in LA before being traded to Detroit May 1, 1968 . . . spent the next eight years with the Lions . . . best season of his career was in 1968 when he completed 55 per cent of his passes for 2,311 yards and 15 touchdowns . . . was traded to Seattle in September 1976 and then acquired by the Chargers a year later as a free agent . . . played in four games in 1977 before being sidelined with a broken leg suffered in a game against Denver

**COLLEGE:** Led the nation in 1963 at Utah State as he threw just three interceptions . . . an outstanding back in the Senior Bowl and he also played in the East-West Shrine game . . . attended Foothill Junior College in Los Altos, Calif

**PERSONAL:** Bill, his wife, Beverly and their two sons, Tom, 17 and Terry, 14, and daughter, Krista, 7, reside in Birmingham, Mich. . . during off-season worked in sales for a steel warehouse . . . likes to play golf.

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## **BILLS STATISTICS**

<b>PASSING</b>	<i>Att.</i>	<i>Comp.</i>	<i>Yds.</i>	<i>Int.</i>	<i>TD</i>	<i>Pct</i>
1978	43	24	328	2	4	55.8

*Other career totals:* Passing — 1043 of 1932 (53.9%); 12,537 yards; 80 touchdowns, 78 interceptions. Prior to coming to Buffalo, he played in 100 games, starting 65.

Rushing — 130 attempts, 548 yards, 4.2 average and one touchdown

## **SHANE NELSON** **Linebacker**

*Birthdate*—May 25, 1955  
*Birthplace*—Mathis, Texas  
*Hometown*—Mathis, Texas  
*Acquired*—Free Agent

*College*—Baylor  
*Height*—6-1  
*Weight*—225  
*Year With Bills*—3rd

**PRO:** Has started every game at left linebacker since coming to the Bills as a free agent in 1977 . . . third leading tackler on the squad last fall with 104, including 63 solos . . . also had three pass interceptions, tops among the Bills' linebackers . . . a very pleasant surprise in 1977 when he earned NFL All-

Rookie honors while leading the Bills in tackles with 168, an average of more than 12 per game ... also was credited with one sack and two fumble recoveries ... passed up by all NFL teams in the 1977 draft, but later had a tryout and contract offer from Dallas ... chose Bills instead.

**COLLEGE:** A regular for two seasons at Baylor, but sat out most of his senior year because of a knee injury.

**PERSONAL:** Very personable guy with a great sense of humor ... spent part of the off-season helping his father plant corn and grain on Texas farm ... also did some public relations work for the Bills as a dinner speaker ... was married about a month before the opening of training camp in 1977 ... wife's name is Jeanette ... majored in physical education at Baylor.



**Willie Parker**



**Lou Piccone**



**Steve Powell**

## **WILLIE PARKER** **Center**

*Birthdate*—December 28, 1948  
*Birthplace*—Baytown, Texas  
*Hometown*—Baytown, Texas  
*Acquired*—Trade (Los Angeles)

*College*—North Texas State  
*Height*—6-3  
*Weight*—245  
*Year With Bills*—7th

**PRO:** An "iron man" last season as he was involved in every center snap including all PATs, punts and field goals ... a battler who never stops working ... missed 12 games during the 1976 season because of a knee injury, but came back strong in 1977 as he started all 14 games at center ... had played in 30 consecutive games for Buffalo prior to his injury in second game of the 1976 campaign ... earlier in Bills career he was used at guard and also played on the special teams ... excellent snapper on punts and placements ... a third round draft choice of San Francisco in 1971 ... spent time on the 49ers' and Los Angeles reserve list before being traded by the Rams to Buffalo in September 1973 ... in first season with Bills he was credited with one kickoff return for 16 yards.

**COLLEGE:** A first team All-Missouri Valley Conference selection as a senior after earning second team honors in junior year.

**PERSONAL:** Spent the off-season working for Boys' Harbor, an organization for wayward youth in Baytown, Tex. ... headed the athletic program there ... also is a member of the board of directors for the Little League in his locale ... he and his wife, Gail have three children, Scott 10, Matt 6 and a daughter, Laura, born last December ... enjoys fishing.

## **LOU PICCONE** **Wide Receiver**

*Birthdate*—July 17, 1949  
*Birthplace*—Vineland, N.J.  
*Hometown*—Vineland, N.J.  
*Acquired*—Trade (N.Y. Jets)

*College*—West Liberty State  
*Height*—5-9  
*Weight*—175  
*Year With Bills*—3rd

**PRO:** Played in all 16 games for the Bills a year ago ... a multi-purpose performer who is a strong special teams player, excellent blocker and good pass receiver ... caught seven passes for 71 yards (10.1 avg.) and two touchdowns in 1978 ... also returned 14 punts for 88 yards and 3 kickoffs for 51 yards ... appeared in 14 games for Buffalo in 1977, 10 as a starter after being acquired from the Jets in a trade ... Buffalo's fourth leading receiver in '77 with 17 receptions for 240 yards (14.1 avg.) and two TDs.

returned four kickoffs for 89 yards ... established a New York Jets single season record for kickoff return yardage with 961 in 1974 (that record has since been surpassed) ... also holds Jets records for most career kickoff return yards (2386) and most career kickoff returns (96) ... signed as a free agent by the Jets in 1974 after two seasons with the Youngstown Hardhats and Bridgeport Jets.

**COLLEGE:** A running back for four seasons at West Liberty State where he played on two championship teams and reached the NAIA semi-finals in 1970 and 1971.

**PERSONAL:** Majored in health and physical education ... likes to play racquetball and was a guard on the Bills' basketball team last winter ... single

## BILLS STATISTICS

RECEIVING	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1977	17	240	2	14.1
1978	7	71	2	10.1
Totals	24	311	4	13.0

KICKOFF RETURNS	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1977	4	89	0	22.3
1978	3	51	0	17.0
Totals	7	140	0	20.0

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1978	14	88	0	6.3

*Additional Career Statistics (with Jets):* Receiving — 19 catches, 226 yards (11.9 avg.); kickoff returns — 96 for 2386 yards (24.9 avg.); punt returns — 48 for 322 yards (5.7 avg.) and 1 TD.

## STEVE POWELL

### Running Back

*Birthdate*—January 2, 1956

*College*—N.E. Missouri State

*Birthplace*—Kirkwood, Mo.

*Height*—5-11

*Hometown*—Kirkwood, Mo.

*Weight*—186

*Acquired*—Draft (#7B-1978)

*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** Drafted by Buffalo in the seventh round a year ago and later waived during pre-season, Steve was signed by the ballclub as a free agent after the season began ... appeared in 10 games with the special teams ... returned 3 kickoffs for 53 yards, a 17.7 average.

**COLLEGE:** A first team Division II All-America selection by American Football Coaches Association in 1977 ... rushed for 1,372 yards in 1977 and 3,643 in a four-year career ... also earned a berth on the Associated Press Little All-America second team ... second in NCAA Division II rushing and 13th in scoring as a senior ... finished just 13 yards shy of the school's single season rushing mark in final year, and he missed two games with a thigh injury.

**PERSONAL:** Second oldest of seven children ... enjoys disco dancing and music ... majored in industrial occupations ... member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes ... single

## CHARLES ROMES

### Defensive Back

*Birthdate*—December 16, 1953

*College*—N. Carolina Central

*Birthplace*—Durham, N.C.

*Height*—6-1

*Hometown*—Bolton, N.C.

*Weight*—191

*Acquired*—Draft (#12-1977)

*Year With Bills*—3rd

**PRO:** Has the ability and desire to become one of the finest cornerbacks ever to wear a Buffalo uniform ... surprised many when he made the team in 1977 after being the last player selected by Buffalo in the NFL draft that year ... his performances last season left no doubt he belongs in the National Football League ... recorded the longest interception return of the year in the AFC in the second game of the season as he picked off a pass

against the New York Jets and raced 85 yards for a touchdown . . . was credited with 73 tackles during the season, 45 unassisted . . . also had two interceptions . . . at 6-1, 191 pounds. Rome's has good size for a CB . . . started all 16 games in 1978.

**COLLEGE:** Played just one year of college ball after transferring from Lake City (Fla.) Junior College where he was the national junior college champion in the 60 and 120 yard high hurdles . . . drafted on the basis of his raw physical talent . . . has run the 40 yard dash in 4.5 seconds.

**PERSONAL:** Spent part of the off-season painting Walter's AME Zion Church in his community . . . he also taught a class in football fundamentals at the local YMCA . . . married and his wife's name is Redahlia.

## BILLS STATISTICS

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1978	2	95	1	47.5



Charles Rome's



Lucius Sanford



Joe Shipp

## LUCIUS SANFORD

### Linebacker

*Birthdate*—February 13, 1956

*Birthplace*—Atlanta, Ga.

*Hometown*—Atlanta, Ga.

*Acquired*—Draft (#4-1978)

*College*—Georgia Tech

*Height*—6-2

*Weight*—217

*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** Easily the outstanding defensive player of the year for the Bills in 1978 though only a rookie . . . was a starter at right linebacker from the second game on for obvious reasons . . . led the ballclub in tackles with 116 . . . his 71 solo stops also was tops . . . the team leader in quarterback sacks with five . . . earned a spot in the Bills' record book when he became the first player in Buffalo history to block two field goal attempts in one game . . . accomplished that against Kansas City 12/3/78 . . . also blocked a punt in season finale at Baltimore to set up Buffalo's first touchdown . . . intercepted a pass in game against the Giants 11/26/78 and returned it 41 yards . . . developed quickly as a rookie and has all the tools to become one of the best at his position.

**COLLEGE:** Second team Associated Press All-America selection in 1977 after receiving honorable mention the two previous seasons . . . Associated Press All-South Independent pick in 1976 . . . a starter for four seasons at Georgia Tech . . . compiled 433 tackles during his career . . . team leader in tackles in 1975 with 121 and 1976 with 117 . . . was third in 1977 with 71 and had 124 as a freshman . . . team captain in 1976.

**PERSONAL:** One of five children, Lucius has worked since the age of 13 to help support his family after his father was paralyzed in an automobile accident . . . industrial management major at Georgia Tech . . . was a management trainee at an Atlanta bank during the off-season . . . plans to attend a graduate business school . . . single.

## BILLS STATISTICS

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1978	1	41	0	41.0



## JOE SHIPP

### Tight End

*Birthdate*—July 25, 1955

*Birthplace*—Carson, Calif.

*Hometown*—Los Angeles, Calif.

*Acquired*—Free Agent

*College*—USC

*Height*—6-4

*Weight*—225

*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** Missed the entire 1978 season after suffering a knee injury during training camp . . . was signed by the Bills as a free agent.

**COLLEGE:** Was plagued by injuries most of his college career . . . tore knee ligaments early in the 1975 season and then saw little action the following year . . . caught two passes in 1977 for 17 yards.

**PERSONAL:** Lived in Santa Monica, Calif., during the off-season where he spent a good deal of his time rehabilitating his knee . . . single.



**Bill Simpson**



**Eric Smith**



**Marvin Switzer**

## BILL SIMPSON

### Free Safety

*Birthdate*—Dec. 5, 1951

*Birthplace*—Detroit, Mich.

*Hometown*—Garden Grove, Calif.

*Acquired*—(Trade-Los Angeles, May 1979)

*College*—Michigan State

*Height*—6-1

*Weight*—180

*Year With Bills*—1st

**PRO:** A starter at Los Angeles the last four years after being selected by the Rams in the second round of the 1974 draft . . . had 22 interceptions in regular season play with the Rams and was the club leader in that category with six in 1975 and 1977 . . . last season he had 61 solo tackles and assisted on 33 others while intercepting five passes . . . also was credited with one quarterback sack . . . in a game against San Francisco in 1977, he tied a Los Angeles record with three pass thefts . . . recorded two interceptions in the Rams' 34-10 NFC playoff win over Minnesota last season . . . missed the 1977 playoffs after suffering torn ligaments in his right knee in the final regular season game. Nevertheless, he earned UPI and The Sporting News All-NFC honors for the second time in three years . . . in addition to his six interceptions in regular-season play in 1975, he added three more thefts in two playoff games, including a 65-yard return for a touchdown against St. Louis . . . was at his best in the Rams' big games with six interceptions in eight playoff contests . . . Pro Football Writers named him to the All-Rookie team for 1974 . . . was an All-NFC selection by Pro Football Weekly in 1978.

**COLLEGE:** Earned All-Big Ten football honors as a junior and senior at Michigan State and was an All-America choice by the Sporting News in his final year . . . had 12 pass interceptions as a collegian and led the Big Ten in punting (40.5 avg.) and punt returns (13.6 avg.) as a junior . . . played in the East-West Shrine game and the Hula Bowl . . . also played baseball at Michigan State, earning MVP honors as a centerfielder during the two seasons he was on the ballclub . . . an All-Big Ten selectee in baseball as a senior.

**PERSONAL:** Attended Royal Oak (Mich.) Shrine High School where he earned all-league honors in football, baseball and basketball . . . he also competed in track . . . he and his wife, Lynn, reside in Garden Grove, Calif., in the off-season . . . they have a daughter, Virginia Lynn, born last January.

## CAREER STATISTICS

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds.	Avg	TD
1974	1	0	0.0	0
1975	6	90	15.0	0
1976	4	62	15.5	0
1977	6	157	26.2	0
1978	5	82	16.4	0
Totals	22	391	17.8	0

*Additional statistics* — six interceptions and one TD in eight playoff games.

### ERIC SMITH

#### Tackle

*Birthdate*—January 3, 1956

*Birthplace*—Orlando, Fla.

*Hometown*—Orlando, Fla.

*Acquired*—Draft (#6-1978)

*College*—Southern Mississippi

*Height*—6-3

*Weight*—263

*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** Drafted by the Bills in the sixth round a year ago, Eric suffered a knee injury during training camp and missed the entire 1978 season. . . has worked hard to rehabilitate the knee and based on how quickly he develops, Eric could win a spot on the squad as a backup offensive tackle.

**COLLEGE:** A four-year starter at Southern Mississippi. . . first team All-Southern pick of the Associated Press in 1977. . . Played in North-South game a year ago.

**PERSONAL:** College major was in athletic administration and coaching. . . was involved in the Western New York Migrant Education Program during the off-season. . . also played for the Bills' basketball team last winter. . . single.

### MARVIN SWITZER

#### Defensive Back

*Birthdate*—October 28, 1954

*Birthplace*—Bogue, Kan.

*Hometown*—Springfield, Mo.

*Acquired*—Free Agent

*College*—Kansas State

*Height*—6-0

*Weight*—192

*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** Acquired by the Bills as a free agent, he was waived during pre-season and then signed again in October. . . proved to be a pleasant surprise. . . played in 10 games, including one as a starter. . . saw considerable action on special teams. . . was credited with 25 tackles, 13 of them unassisted. . . tenacious competitor.

**COLLEGE:** A starter for two seasons at Kansas State. . . had 56 tackles in 1975. . . assisted the coaching staff as a graduate assistant in 1977.

**PERSONAL:** Was married during the off-season, and his wife's name is Lori. . . majored in recreation at Kansas State. . . would like to get into coaching eventually. . . his uncle, Veryl Switzer, played for the Green Bay Packers in 1954 and 1955.



**Larry Walton**



**Sherman White**



**Ben Williams**

## LARRY WALTON

### Wide Receiver

*Birthdate*—February 8, 1947  
*Birthplace*—Johnstown, Pa.  
*Hometown*—Tempe, Ariz.  
*Acquired*—Free Agent

*College*—Arizona State  
*Height*—6-0  
*Weight*—180  
*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** Appeared in 12 games for the Bills last year, two as a starter, after being acquired as a free agent in late August . . . caught four passes for 66 yards (16.5 avg.) and a touchdown . . . his top performance came in the second game of the season as he had two receptions for 39 yards and caught a 32-yard aerial for a TD . . . drafted by Detroit in the third round in 1969, Walton ranks fifth on the Lions' all-time list with 26 TD receptions . . . in seven seasons with Detroit (he sat out 1975 with a knee injury) Walton had 169 receptions for 2,623 yards, a 15.5 average . . . also rushed 13 times for 127 yards and a TD

**COLLEGE:** Was primarily a running back at Arizona State . . . ran for four touchdowns in a game against Utah in 1967

**PERSONAL:** Resides in Tempe, Ariz. in the off-season . . . wife's name is Donna, and they have two children, Brian and Jyokita.

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## BILLS STATISTICS

RECEIVING	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1978	4	66	1	16.5

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*Additional Career Statistics (with Detroit):* Receiving — 169 receptions, 2,623 yards, 26 touchdowns. Rushing — 13 carries, 127 yards, one TD.

## SHERMAN WHITE

### Defensive End

*Birthdate*—September 6, 1948  
*Birthplace*—Portsmouth, N.H.  
*Hometown*—Oakland, Calif.  
*Acquired*—Trade (Cincinnati)

*College*—California  
*Height*—6-5  
*Weight*—250  
*Year With Bills*—4th

**PRO:** The 1978 season may well have been his best as a professional . . . A starter in every game for the second consecutive year, White was third on the team in quarterback sacks with four and was credited with 64 tackles, 38 solo . . . since joining the Bills in the summer of 1976 in a trade with Cincinnati, Sherman has started every game in which he has played — 43 . . . missed one game during his first year with the Bills because of a back injury . . . had 67 tackles in 1977 and was the team leader in sacks with four . . . a four-year starter with the Bengals . . . second player selected in the 1972 draft when Cincinnati tabbed him as their first choice.

**COLLEGE:** A consensus All-American at the University of California where he was a letterman for three years . . . flip-flopped sides to meet the opponent's strength . . . co-captain and MVP of the Golden Bears . . . played in the Hula Bowl and East-West Shrine game . . . had participated in just two games of organized football prior to entering college . . . primarily a basketball player in high school.

**PERSONAL:** Business administration major at California . . . has worked with Bay area disadvantaged youth through his "Pros of Oakland" organization which he formed in conjunction with several other professional athletes in the San Francisco area.

## BEN WILLIAMS

### Defensive End

*Birthdate*—September 1, 1954  
*Birthplace*—Yazoo City, Miss.  
*Hometown*—Jackson, Miss.  
*Acquired*—Draft (#3-1976)

*College*—Mississippi  
*Height*—6-2  
*Weight*—258  
*Year With Bills*—4th

**PRO:** Continued his development in 1978 and for the second consecutive year he started every game at left end . . . finished the season with 65 tackles including 48 solo stops . . . also had three quarterback sacks . . . has started 37 contests over the last three seasons . . . selected by the Bills in

the third round of the 1976 draft ... credited with 42 tackles and four quarter-back sacks in rookie year and had 85 tackles and three sacks as well as a fumble recovery in 1977.

**COLLEGE:** Associated Press and United Press International first team All-Southeastern Conference selection as a senior ... also earned AP and UPI honorable mention All-America distinction ... Played in the Senior Bowl ... Lightning quick noseguard in college.

**PERSONAL:** Ben and his wife, Linda have two children, a son, Rodrick, 2, and a daughter, Aisha, born last September ... worked at a Jackson, Miss., bank during the off-season, handling installment loans ... good chess player.



**Len Willis**



**Willie Zachery**



**Connle Zelencik**

## **LEN WILLIS** **Wide Receiver**

*Birthdate*—March 4, 1954  
*Birthplace*—Washington, D.C.  
*Hometown*—Columbus, Ohio  
*Acquired*—Free Agent

*College*—Ohio State  
*Height*—5-11  
*Weight*—185  
*Year With Bills*—3rd

**PRO:** Played in just four games for the Bills in 1978 after suffering a leg injury in the Baltimore game last September ... caught two passes for 41 yards in '78 ... drafted by Minnesota in the fourth round in 1976, he appeared in all 14 games that season as a kickoff and punt return specialist ... was used very little that season as a receiver ... spent part of 1977 season with New Orleans before being acquired by the Bills late in the campaign as a free agent ... played in four games for Buffalo in 1977, all on special teams.

**COLLEGE:** Transferred to Ohio State from Nebraska Southern Junior College where he was a JC All-American ... was a wide receiver and returned kickoffs for the Buckeyes ... also was a member of the track team.

**PERSONAL:** Resides in Columbus, Ohio where he worked for the City National Bank in the off-season as a management trainee ... college major was marketing, management and distributive education ... he and his wife, Arlette, have one son, Lenny 2 ... Willis did a lot of skiing during the winter and also played basketball for the Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

## **BILLS STATISTICS**

<b>RECEIVING</b>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Yds.</i>	<i>TD</i>	<i>Avg.</i>
1978	2	41	0	20.5

*Additional career statistics (with Minnesota):* Punt Returns — 30 for 207 yards (6.9 avg.); kickoff returns — 24 for 552 yards (23.0 avg.).

## **WILLIE ZACHERY** **Wide Receiver**

*Birthdate*—February 7, 1956  
*Birthplace*—La Grange, Ga.  
*Hometown*—LaGrange, Ga.  
*Acquired*—Free Agent

*College*—Central State, Ohio  
*Height*—6-1  
*Weight*—185  
*Year With Bills*—2nd

**PRO:** Was signed by the Bills early in 1978 as a free agent, but suffered a knee injury during pre-season and spent the rest of the year on Injured Reserve ... Cincinnati's 9th round pick in the 1977 draft.

**COLLEGE:** Three-year starter at Central State where he caught passes for 584 yards and seven touchdowns in 1975 and 14 passes for 203 yards and a TD in 1976 also starred in track where he competed in the 100 and 440-yard relay

**PERSONAL:** Spent the off-season in Columbus, Ohio where he taught school and served as the coordinator for a work adjustment program youngest of four children majored in psychology likes to fish

## CONNIE ZELENCIK

### Center

*Birthdate*—April 3, 1955

*Birthplace*—Calumet City, Ill.

*Hometown*—Calumet City, Ill.

*Acquired*—Trade (Chicago)

*College*—Purdue

*Height*—6-4

*Weight*—245

*Year With Bills*—3rd

**PRO:** Sat out the 1978 campaign after undergoing knee surgery in pre-season selected by Chicago Bears in the 11th round of the 1977 draft and came to Buffalo in September of that year in a trade played in all 14 games for the Bills in 1977, mostly on special teams was used as a snapper on punts and placements and also as a backup to Willie Parker

**COLLEGE:** First team All-Big Ten, AP and Football News honorable mention All-American started every game for three years at Purdue played in East-West Shrine Game and Hula Bowl was used at center, guard and tackle in college

**PERSONAL:** Spent most of the off-season working to rehabilitate his knee also played some racquetball and golf majored in industrial management at Purdue single

## PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

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CELOTTO .....	Seh-LOT-tow
COUSINEAU .....	COO-sin-OH
DeLAMIELLEURE .....	Deh-LAH-Meh-LEERE
EHLERS .....	Ail-ers
FRANCKOWIAK .....	Fran-KOH-vee-ak
IEREMIA .....	Me-Kelly Ear-AH-ME-ah
JILEK .....	JILL-ek
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YEPREMIAN .....	YEH-PREM-EE-an
ZELENCIK .....	Zeh-LEN-chik

## DRAFT CHOICES



**Kevin Baker**



**Jon Borchardt**



**Mike Burrow**

### KEVIN BAKER Defensive End

*Birthdate*—May 23, 1955  
*Birthplace*—Lovilla, Iowa  
*Hometown*—Lovilla, Iowa  
*Acquired*—Draft (#9-1979)

*College*—William Penn (Iowa)  
*Height*—6-4  
*Weight*—240  
*Year With Bills*—1st

**COLLEGE:** Iowa Conference first team selection in 1977 and 1978 and his team's most valuable player both years . . . made 128 tackles last season including 30 solo stops . . . a co-captain in 1978 . . . began collegiate career at Indian Hills of Centerville in 1974, transferred to Drake in 1976 and finished up at William Penn.

**PERSONAL:** Majored in physical education and coaching . . . single.

### JON BORCHARDT Tackle

*Birthdate*—Aug. 13, 1957  
*Birthplace*—Minneapolis, Minn.  
*Hometown*—Minneapolis, Minn.  
*Acquired*—(#3-1979)

*College*—Montana State  
*Height*—6-5  
*Weight*—255  
*Year With Bills*—1st

**COLLEGE:** A first team college division All-America selection by Associated Press in 1978, Jon started 48 games over four seasons during his career . . . a first team All-Big Sky selection, he also was named to the All-Big Sky Academic team . . . named Big Sky Conference player of the week in 1977 season, marking only the fourth time in 14 years a lineman was accorded the honor . . . played in East-West Shrine game.

**PERSONAL:** Jon is married and his wife's name is Susan . . . an excellent student, he compiled a 3.4 grade point in microbiology and has considered eventually attending medical school.

### MIKE BURROW Guard

*Birthdate*—July 20, 1957  
*Birthplace*—Birmingham, Ala.  
*Hometown*—Birmingham, Ala.  
*Acquired*—(#6-1979)

*College*—Auburn  
*Height*—6-5  
*Weight*—258  
*Year With Bills*—1st

**COLLEGE:** A starter for three seasons at Auburn and the only returning starter on the offensive line the last two years . . . possesses good speed and agility . . . tough competitor and intelligent . . . played in the Senior Bowl.

**PERSONAL:** Majored in education . . . single.



**Jerry Butler**



**Tom Cousineau**



**Mike Harris**

## **JERRY BUTLER** **Wide Receiver**

*Birthdate*—Oct. 12, 1957

*Birthplace*—Greenwood, S.C.

*Hometown*—Ware Shoals, S.C.

*Acquired*—(#1B-1979)

*College*—Clemson

*Height*—6-0

*Weight*—178

*Year With Bills*—1st

**COLLEGE:** Premier college receiver in the nation in 1978 and a first team All-America selection . . . holds Clemson single season and career receiving records . . . career stats include 139 receptions for 2,223 yards (16.0 avg.) and 11 touchdowns . . . had record-setting 58 catches as a senior for 908 yards (15.7 avg.) and three TDs . . . his 1978 stats were the best in the Atlantic Coast Conference . . . his reception yardage of 824 in 1977 also was tops in the ACC . . . holds the Clemson record for most yards in a game (163) vs. Georgia Tech in 1977 . . . in 1978 game against North Carolina, he caught six passes for 124 yards in his top performance of the season . . . third in balloting for ACC player of the year in 1978 . . . elusive and runs well after catching the ball . . . has tremendous speed as evidenced by his victory in the 1978 ACC 60-yard dash . . . also beat world record-holder Harvey Glance in qualifying race at NCAA indoor championships in 1977 . . . earned ACC offensive lineman of the week awards several times during his career . . . played in the East-West Shrine game and was a starter in the Senior Bowl.

**PERSONAL:** A quarterback in high school, Jerry originally came to Clemson on a track scholarship . . . majored in recreation and park administration . . . single.

### **COLLEGE STATISTICS**

<b>RECEIVING</b>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Yds.</i>	<i>Avg.</i>	<i>TD</i>
1975	1	7	7.0	0
1976	33	484	14.7	4
1977	47	824	17.5	4
1978	58	908	15.7	3
Totals	139	2223	16.0	11

## **TOM COUSINEAU** **Linebacker**

*Birthdate*—May 6, 1957

*Birthplace*—Bloomington, Ind.

*Hometown*—Fairview Park, Ohio

*Acquired*—(#1A-1979)

*College*—Ohio State

*Height*—6-3

*Weight*—232

*Year With Bills*—1st

**COLLEGE:** A consensus All-American the last two years, Tom was the first player selected in the 1979 draft and also is the first player in Ohio State history to be picked No. 1 in the 44 years of the NFL draft . . . in 47 games during college career, was credited with 631 tackles (360 solo), an average of 13.5 per game . . . led the Buckeyes in tackles as a sophomore with 184 and as a senior with 227 (18.9 avg.) . . . had 22 tackles against Michigan in 1976 and 23 vs. Indiana in 1975 . . . is described as a "very competitive player, emotional and fiery who makes tackles all over the field" . . . possesses "excellent agility and balance" . . . was voted the Cleveland Touchdown Club's Collegiate Football Player of the Year in 1978 . . . defensive MVP in the 1977 Orange Bowl against Colorado . . . an Ohio State co-captain in 1978 . . . defensive player of the game in the 1979 Hula Bowl.

**PERSONAL:** As a senior at St. Edward High School, Fairview Park, he was a state wrestling finalist . . . hobbies include water skiing and lifting weights . . . single.



## MIKE HARRIS

### Running Back

*Birthdate*—Dec. 24, 1955  
*Birthplace*—Indio, Calif.  
*Hometown*—Indio, Calif.  
*Acquired*—(#12-1979)

*College*—Arizona State  
*Height*—6-1  
*Weight*—208  
*Year With Bills*—1st

**COLLEGE:** Arizona State's leading rusher in 1977 with 738 yards on 163 carries (4.5 avg.) and three touchdowns. . . had 32 yards on 13 carries in opening game of season last fall, but suffered a right arm fracture in practice a few days later and missed the rest of the schedule. . . career totals include 856 yards rushing on 187 carries (4.6 avg.) and five touchdowns.

**PERSONAL:** Earned seven letters as a standout in track and football at Indio High School and set state records in the high and low hurdles. . . majored in recreation with a minor in business at Arizona State. . . single.

### COLLEGE STATISTICS

<b>RUSHING</b>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Yds.</i>	<i>Avg.</i>	<i>TD</i>
1976	24	118	4.9	2
1977	163	738	4.5	3
1978	13	32	2.5	1
Totals	200	888	4.4	6
<b>RECEIVING</b>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Yds.</i>	<i>Avg.</i>	<i>TD</i>
1977	17	107	6.3	0



Jim Haslett



Ken Johnson



Rod Kush

## JIM HASLETT

### Linebacker

*Birthdate*—Dec. 9, 1955  
*Birthplace*—Pittsburgh, Pa.  
*Hometown*—Pittsburgh, Pa.  
*Acquired*—(#2B-1979)

*College*—Indiana (Pa.) Univ.  
*Height*—6-3  
*Weight*—232  
*Year With Bills*—1st

**COLLEGE:** Named to numerous college division All-America teams the last three years. . . made 144 tackles (77 solo stops) in 10 games during the 1978 season. . . also handled the team's punting with 60 kicks for 2,489 yards (41.5 avg.) . . . booted a 73-yarder in a game against Lock Haven as he punted four times for a 61.3 average. . . described as a "super competitor, very tough and aggressive who goes all out on every play."

**PERSONAL:** Played quarterback and defensive back at Avalon High School in Pittsburgh. . . majored in elementary education. . . single.

## KEN JOHNSON

### Defensive End

*Birthdate*—March 25, 1955  
*Birthplace*—Nashville, Tenn.  
*Hometown*—Nashville, Tenn.  
*Acquired*—(#4A-1979)

*College*—Knoxville  
*Height*—6-5  
*Weight*—253  
*Year With Bills*—1st

**COLLEGE:** A starter for four seasons at Knoxville where he led the team in tackles and quarterback sacks. . . an NCAA small college All-American in 1978 and earned Southern Intercollegiate Conference honors four consecutive years. . . some consider him the "sleeper" of the draft. . . possesses outstanding size and strength. . . named to the Ebony Magazine All-America team.

**PERSONAL:** Majored in health and physical education ... likes to collect old coins ... single

## ROD KUSH

### Strong Safety

*Birthdate*—Dec. 29, 1956  
*Birthplace*—Omaha, Neb.  
*Hometown*—Omaha, Neb.  
*Acquired*—(#5A-1979)

*College*—Nebraska-Omaha  
*Height*—6-0  
*Weight*—188  
*Year With Bills*—1st

**COLLEGE:** A first team All-North Central Conference selection in 1978. Rod also was voted his team's defensive player of the year and his teammates selected him as the top defensive back ... defensive player of the week five times in the conference in 1978 ... as a senior was credited with 88 tackles (49 solo) and tied a single season school record with six interceptions ... ranked third in the conference in punt returns with 15 for 126 yards and a touchdown ... a hard-hitter. Rod was credited with 217 tackles during his three seasons, including 126 unassisted stops.

**PERSONAL:** All-State in football at Burke High School in Omaha ... majored in criminal justice and his hobby is training attack dogs ... single.



Paul Lawler



Dan Manucci



Tom Mullady

## PAUL LAWLER

### Corner Back

*Birthdate*—Dec. 23, 1954  
*Birthplace*—Millbrae, Calif.  
*Hometown*—Oak Lawn, Ill.  
*Acquired*—(#11-1979)

*College*—Colgate  
*Height*—6-0  
*Weight*—198  
*Year With Bills*—1st

**COLLEGE:** Had 16 career interceptions for the Red Raiders including seven in 1977 when he led the nation in that category ... the team's leading tackler in 1978 with 70 including 30 solo stops ... AP Honorable mention All-American in 1978 and AP second team All-East ... 56 tackles as a junior and 73 in sophomore year ... played in the Can-American All-Star game.

**PERSONAL:** Attended LaLumiere High School in Indiana where he lettered in track and baseball as well as football ... college major was geology ... single.

## DAN MANUCCI

### Quarterback

*Birthdate*—Sept. 3, 1957  
*Birthplace*—Erie, Pa.  
*Hometown*—Tempe, Ariz.  
*Acquired*—(#5B-1979)

*College*—Kansas State  
*Height*—6-2  
*Weight*—193  
*Year With Bills*—1st

**COLLEGE:** Completed better than 51 per cent of his passes last season, connecting on 122 of 237 attempts for 1,808 yards and nine touchdowns ... also rushed for five TDs ... Kansas State's backup QB in 1977, but started four games ... has rifle arm and good quickness ... has been described as a "natural leader."

**PERSONAL:** Majored in secondary physical education ... plays the guitar ... a sportscaster for the campus radio station at Kansas State. Dan broadcast the school's baseball games last spring ... single.

## COLLEGE STATISTICS

<b>PASSING</b>	<i>Att</i>	<i>Comp.</i>	<i>Yds.</i>	<i>Avg.</i>	<i>TD</i>
1977	97	42	697	43.3	2
1978	237	122	1808	51.5	9
Totals	334	164	2505	49.1	11

## TOM MULLADY

### Tight End

*Birthdate*—Jan. 30, 1957

*Birthplace*—Chattanooga, Tenn.

*Hometown*—Chattanooga, Tenn.

*Acquired*—(#7-1979)

*College*—SW at Memphis

*Height*—6-3

*Weight*—232

*Year With Bills*—1st

**COLLEGE:** Holder of several Southwestern school records including most career receptions — 149; most career reception yards — 2,152; most passes caught in a single game — 13; and most pass reception yardage in a single game — 267. . . had his finest season as a senior, catching 50 passes for 776 yards and nine touchdowns. . . earned first team All College Athletic Conference honors as a freshman, junior and senior. . . a starter for four seasons and a co-captain as a senior. . . good blocker.

**PERSONAL:** Majored in business administration. . . single.

## COLLEGE STATISTICS

<b>RECEIVING</b>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Yds.</i>	<i>Avg.</i>	<i>TD</i>
1975	22	324	14.7	4
1976	28	361	12.9	3
1977	49	691	14.1	9
1978	50	776	15.6	9
Totals	149	2152	14.3	25



**Jeff Nixon**



**Fred Smerlas**

## JEFF NIXON

### Free Safety

*Birthdate*—Oct. 13, 1956

*Birthplace*—Fursten Feldbruck, Germany

*Hometown*—Glendale, Ariz.

*Acquired*—(#4B-1979)

*College*—Richmond

*Height*—6-3

*Weight*—190

*Year With Bills*—1st

**COLLEGE:** One of the finest defensive backs in Richmond history. . . holds school single season and career marks for interceptions and interception return yards. . . also established a Richmond record for punt returns in a season with 34 during 1978 for 341 yards. . . the total includes an NCAA 1978 single game high of 160 return yards in a game against Wisconsin. . . had 25 tackles in a game against North Carolina and was credited with 152 for the season. . . ranks fourth on the NCAA all-time career interceptions list with 23. . . scored two TDs on intercepted passes in 1978. . . named to numerous All-America teams. . . ECAC Division 1 Defensive Player of the Year, and Player of the Year in Virginia. . . played in the East-West Shrine game and Senior Bowl.

**PERSONAL:** Born in Germany. Jeff is an accomplished guitarist and has written some of his own music . . . his mother is a descendant of composer Johann Sebastian Bach . . . he also has considerable artistic ability . . . single.

*College Statistics:* Interceptions — 23 with 379 return yards (16.5 avg.) and two touchdowns; Tackles — 541 including 304 solo; punt returns — 34 for 341 yards (10.0 avg.).

## FRED SMERLAS

### Defensive Tackle

*Birthplace*—April 8, 1957

*Birthplace*—Waltham, Mass.

*Hometown*—Waltham, Mass.

*Acquired*—(#2A-1979)

*College*—Boston College

*Height*—6-3

*Weight*—270

*Year With Bills*—1st

**COLLEGE:** Associated Press and The Sporting News honorable mention All-American in 1978 . . . also UPI first team All-New England in 1977 and 1978 . . . a starter the last three seasons . . . classified as a tough and aggressive player with excellent size and strength . . . played well in the 1979 Senior Bowl . . . a tri-captain for the Eagles in 1978.

**PERSONAL:** A standout athlete at Waltham, Mass. High School and a superb schoolboy wrestler, winning the New England championship two consecutive years in the heavyweight class . . . All-America wrestler as a senior . . . majored in education at BC . . . enjoys weight-lifting and camping . . . single.

## ATTENDANCE SUMMARY

Year	Home	Road	Total	Avg.
1960	111,860	106,781	218,781	15,622
1961	133,408	99,324	232,732	16,623
1962	195,436	148,278	343,714	24,551
1963	242,763*	131,610	374,373*	24,958*
1964	297,566*	212,973	510,539*	34,038*
1965	306,675	239,707*	546,382*	35,425*
1966	341,207*	273,629	614,836*	40,949*
1967	280,461	248,277	528,738	37,767
1968	251,796	244,633	496,429	35,459
1969	286,466	323,698	610,164	43,583
1970	277,966	371,115	649,081	46,363
1971	274,441	383,763	658,204	47,015
1972	313,667	437,896	751,563	53,670
1973	531,270	402,558	933,828	66,702
1974	547,237	457,692*	1,004,929*	66,995*
1975	514,386	387,257	901,643	64,403
1976	390,068	370,658	760,726	54,338
1977	286,413	386,700	655,113	46,794
1978	377,482	364,231	741,713	46,357
Totals	5,959,568	5,590,920	11,550,488	42,309

\*Includes Playoff Games

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**WORKING PRESS:** Admittance to the Bills' press box is restricted to the **WORKING PRESS ONLY**. Credentials are marked with a row and seat number. Passes are non-transferable.

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Sideline photo passes will be tightly controlled by the Public Relations Department and generally limited to photographers shooting for a daily newspaper, wire service, or magazine of national circulation. No tripods are permitted on the field. Photographers may also shoot from a camera platform that runs the length of the press box.

**RADIO-TELEVISION:** There are spacious radio and television accommodations in the Bills' new press box. In making requests for broadcast credentials, please specify requirements for spotters and/or statisticians.

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Van Miller, sports director of WIVB-TV, and Stan Barron, sports director of WBEN Radio, will handle the broadcasts of Bills games on WBEN (930) during the 1979 season. Miller will do the play-by-play and Barron, the color commentary.

## STADIUM INFORMATION

Orchard Park is headquarters for NFL football in Western New York. Before a sellout crowd of 80,020, the Buffalo Bills dedicated their spanking new playing facility on August 17, 1973. While the visiting Washington Redskins captured the inaugural game 37-21, even defeat could not dull the enthusiasm of fans who had long awaited completion of the project.

Built on a 113-acre tract approximately 30 minutes from downtown Buffalo, the stadium was constructed at a cost of \$22 million, financed by the taxpayers of Erie County. From the ground-breaking on April 4, 1972, to the inaugural, actual construction time was slightly over 14 months.

To form the lower level of the stadium more than 370,000 feet of shale was removed — putting the field 50 feet below ground level. The outside of the stadium rises only 60 feet above the horizon. The AstroTurf field has an 18-inch crown to assure proper drainage.

The Bills have approximately \$3 million of their own money in the attractive physical plant. The scoreboard, most technically advanced in the nation, was purchased by the team for \$1.3 million. Rising 30 feet in the air and extending a length of 105 feet, the scoreboard has a computerized matrix of nearly 10,000 light bulbs. Using the advanced techniques built into the system, the scoreboard operators are able to show instant replays of the action on the field.

Another million dollars of the club's money went to build and furnish 34 luxury private suites, which are leased on an annual basis. In addition, there are more than \$700,000 in other capital expenses that were paid directly by the team.

Terms of the lease agreement, which gives the Bills an exclusive 25-year tenancy, also gives the club financial responsibility for maintenance and operation of the stadium, a figure estimated at approximately \$1,000,000 annually.

Surrounding the stadium are parking facilities for 16,000 cars and 300 buses. Scattered throughout the concourses are 38 concession stands and 42 rest rooms.



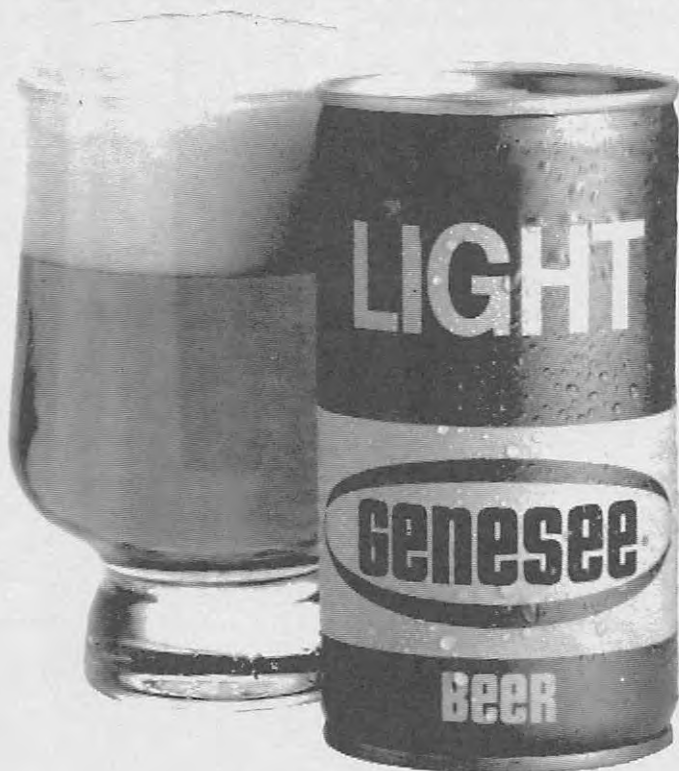
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No.	Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.
60	Adams, Bill	G	6-2	246
52	Becker, Doug	LB	6-0	220
47	Brown, Curtis	FB	5-10	203
58	Celotto, Mario	LB	6-3	234
81	Chandler, Bob	WR	6-1	180
29	Clark, Mario	CB	6-2	195
35	Collier, Mike	RB	5-11	200
68	DeLamielleure, Joe	G	6-3	245
6	Dempsey, Tom	K	6-1	260
70	Devlin, Joe	T	6-5	250
85	Dokes, Phil	DE	6-5	255
79	Drungo, Elbert	T	6-5	265
56	Ehlers, Tom	LB	6-2	218
12	Ferguson, Joe	QB	6-1	195
84	Franckowiak, Mike	TE	6-3	225
22	Freeman, Steve	SS	5-11	185
88	Gant, Reuben	TE	6-4	225
53	Grant, Will	C	6-3	248
43	Greene, Tony	FS	5-10	175
74	Hardison, Dee	DT	6-4	269
76	Hertwig, Craig	T	6-8	270
80	Holland, John	WR	6-1	190
25	Hooks, Roland	RB	6-0	195
78	Hutchinson, Scott	DE	6-4	243
4	Jackson, Rusty	P	6-2	195
51	Jilek, Dan	LB	6-2	225
75	Johnson, Dennis	DT	6-4	265
39	Johnson, Dennis	FB	6-3	220
24	Jones, Doug	SS	6-2	205
72	Jones, Ken	T	6-5	250
71	Kadish, Mike	DT	6-5	270
82	Lewis, Frank	WR	6-1	196
10	Mays, David	QB	6-1	204
54	McClanahan, Randy	LB	6-5	225
67	McKenzie, Reggie	G	6-5	242
41	McMillan, Eddie	CB	6-0	190
62	Medlin, Dan	G	6-4	255
40	Miller, Terry	RB	5-10	196
46	Moody, Keith	CB	5-10	170
9	Munson, Bill	QB	6-2	205
59	Nelson, Shane	LB	6-1	225
61	Parker, Willie	C	6-3	245
89	Piccone, Lou	WR	5-9	175
23	Powell, Steve	RB	5-11	186
26	Romes, Charles	CB	6-1	190
57	Sanford, Lucius	LB	6-2	216
48	Simpson, Bill	FS	6-1	180
21	Switzer, Marvin	DB	6-0	192
49	Walton, Larry	WR	6-0	180
83	White, Sherman	DE	6-5	250
77	Williams, Ben	DE	6-3	245
86	Willis, Len	WR	5-11	185
53	Zelencik, Connie	C	6-4	245

<b>NFL Exp.</b>	<b>Birthdate</b>	<b>College</b>	<b>Games in 1978</b>
7	2/4/50	Holy Cross	9
2	6/27/56	Notre Dame	8
3	12/7/54	Missouri	15
2	8/23/56	USC	4
9	4/24/49	USC	16
4	3/29/52	Oregon	16
4	9/21/53	Morgan State	0
7	3/16/51	Michigan State	16
11	1/12/47	Palomar State	16
4	2/23/54	Iowa	14
3	9/7/55	Oklahoma State	10
11	4/30/43	Tennessee State	13
5	7/14/52	Kentucky	8
7	4/23/50	Arkansas	16
5	3/25/53	Cent. Michigan	16
5	5/8/53	Mississippi	16
6	4/12/52	Oklahoma State	16
2	3/7/54	Kentucky	16
9	8/29/49	Maryland	16
2	5/22/56	North Carolina	16
4	1/15/52	Georgia	0
5	2/28/52	Tennessee State	0
4	1/2/53	North Carolina State	16
2	5/27/56	Florida	16
3	11/17/50	Louisiana State	16
4	12/3/53	Michigan	16
6	10/22/51	Delaware	15
2	2/26/56	Mississippi State	16
6	11/23/51	Cal State	11
4	12/1/52	Arkansas State	16
7	5/27/50	Notre Dame	11
9	7/7/47	Grambling	15
4	6/20/49	Texas Southern	1
3	12/12/54	Southwest Louisiana	16
8	7/27/50	Michigan	16
7	11/25/51	Florida State	16
6	10/12/49	North Carolina State	14
2	1/7/56	Oklahoma State	16
4	6/13/53	Syracuse	14
16	8/11/41	Utah State	4
3	5/25/55	Baylor	16
8	12/28/48	North Texas State	16
6	7/17/49	West Liberty State	16
2	1/2/56	N. E. Missouri St.	10
3	12/16/54	North Carolina Central	16
2	2/13/56	Georgia Tech	16
6	12/5/51	Michigan State	16
2	10/28/54	Kansas State	10
11	2/8/47	Arizona State	12
8	10/6/48	California	16
4	9/1/54	Mississippi	16
4	3/4/53	Ohio State	4
2	4/3/55	Purdue	0

# BUFFALO BILLS 1979 FIRST-YEAR ROSTER

Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.
Alvarez, Orlando	WR	6-0	180
Baker, Kevin	DE	6-4	240
Borchardt, Jon	T	6-5	255
Broadway, Rod	DT	6-3	251
Burnett, Derrick	RB	5-11	182
Burrow, Mike	G	6-5	258
Butler, Jerry	WR	6-0	178
Cameron, Robert	P	6-0	185
Carter, Jerome	CB	5-11	188
Clayton, Donald	P	5-11	185
Cousineau, Tom	LB	6-3	232
Crowley, Bill	LB	6-4	223
Finkes, Reinhold	RB	6-1	204
Fulton, Dan (1)	WR	6-2	180
Hansen, Rollie	G	6-3	245
Harris, Mike	RB	6-1	208
Haslett, Jim	LB	6-3	232
Jeremia, Mekeli (1)	DE	6-2	244
Jahn, Robert	WR	6-0	175
Johnson, Ken	DE	6-5	253
Keating, Chris	LB	6-2	223
Knapple, Jeff	QB	6-2	210
Kush, Rod	SS	6-0	188
Lally, Joe	LB	6-2	232
Lawler, Paul	SS	6-0	198
Manson, Mike	P	6-1	200
Manucci, Dan	QB	6-2	193
Martinelli, John	C	6-4	240
Mastny, Terry	T	6-4	248
McCoy, Roger	K	5-10	163
McDaniel, Mark	WR	5-11	180
McGee, Leroy	RB	5-11	191
McGriff, John (1)	LB	6-3	240
Merritt, Dave	RB	5-11	180
Mullady, Tom	TE	6-3	232
Nixon, Jeff	FS	6-3	190
Patterson, Mark (1)	SS	6-2	190
Pope, Russell	CB	5-10	186
Ricks, Ronald	CB	5-11	190
Sarette, Thomas	K	6-0	190
Seamans, Grey (1)	WR	5-11	175
Shipp, Joe (1)	TE	6-4	225
Smerlas, Fred	DT	6-3	270
Smith, Eric (1)	T	6-4	263
Solomon, Roland	WR	5-11	180
Vogler, Tim	C	6-3	245
Wagner, Brent	K-P	6-2	210
Yepremian, Berj	K	5-6	160
Zachery, Willie (1)	WR	6-1	185

(1) Reported to an NFL training camp previously, but was not c

Birthdate	College	How Acq.
9/27/56	Montclair State	FA
5/23/55	William Penn	D-9
8/13/57	Montana State	D-3
4/9/55	North Carolina	FA
1/26/56	Indiana	FA
7/20/57	Auburn	D-6
10/12/57	Clemson	D-1B
7/18/54	Acadia	FA
11/5/55	Delaware State	FA
12/29/56	Wyoming	FA
5/6/57	Ohio State	D-1A
10/4/57	Yale	FA
2/27/57	Wilmington	FA
9/2/56	Nebraska-Omaha	D-3A (78)
7/9/57	Eastern Michigan	FA
12/24/55	Arizona State	D-12
12/9/55	Indiana, Pennsylvania	D-2B
3/4/54	Brigham Young	FA
1/18/57	Edinboro State	FA
3/25/55	Knoxville	D-4A
10/12/57	Maine	FA
8/27/56	Northern Colorado	FA
12/29/56	Nebraska-Omaha	D-5A
11/27/56	Penn State	FA
12/23/55	Colgate	D-11
3/3/57	Illinois-Benedictine	FA
9/3/57	Kansas State	D-5B
1/19/56	Georgetown, Kentucky	FA
2/7/57	Chadron State	FA
3/8/57	Grand Valley Central	FA
4/9/57	Northern Colorado	FA
7/18/56	Michigan State	FA
2/12/53	Miami	FA
11/22/56	Wittenburg	FA
1/30/57	Southwestern at Memphis	FA
10/13/56	Richmond	D-4B
10/22/55	Washington State	FA
10/10/57	Purdue	FA
11/23/56	Kansas	FA
11/18/56	Boise State	FA
6/20/53	Ottawa	FA
7/25/55	USC	FA (78)
4/8/57	Boston College	D-2A
1/3/56	Southern Mississippi	D-6 (78)
2/6/56	Utah	FA
12/20/56	Ohio State	FA
8/1/57	Puget Sound	FA
8/28/55	Florida	FA
2/7/56	Central State	FA (78)

on the active roster for three or more games.

# BUFFALO BILLS INDIVIDUAL 1978 Season

## RUSHING (Carries-Yards)

Week	Opponent	Miller	Brown	Hooks
1	Pittsburgh	20-60		
2	N.Y. Jets	16-71		
3	Miami	14-44		6-35
4	Baltimore	25-97		
5	Kansas City	18-67	11-42	6-11
6	N.Y. Jets	12-39	7-22	5-17
7	Houston	17-56	16-58	1-0
8	Cincinnati	12-46	18-100	2-10
9	Cleveland	11-23	7-33	3-20
10	New England	12-58	13-48	7-21
11	Miami	9-17	11-114	7-39
12	Tampa Bay	7-20	14-44	3-12
13	N.Y. Giants	21-208	12-31	12-115
14	Kansas City	15-57	10-45	7-19
15	New England	14-74	9-53	7-49
16	Baltimore	15-123		10-10
	Season	238-1060	128-591	76-358

## PASSING (Att.-Comp.-Yds.-Int.-TD)

Week	Opponent	Ferguson				
		Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Int.	TD
1	Pittsburgh	10	3	20	1	0
2	N.Y. Jets	32	20	222	1	2
3	Miami	24	14	245	0	2
4	Baltimore	14	9	154	0	2
5	Kansas City	18	15	210	1	2
6	N.Y. Jets	24	10	140	2	1
7	Houston	21	9	95	0	0
8	Cincinnati	21	12	76	0	0
9	Cleveland	23	13	185	2	0
10	New England	23	14	114	1	1
11	Miami	27	15	129	0	2
12	Tampa Bay	16	6	47	2	0
13	N.Y. Giants	15	9	106	1	1
14	Kansas City	25	14	207	3	1
15	New England	24	9	133	1	1
16	Baltimore	13	3	53	0	1
	Season	330	175	2136	15	16

## RECEIVERS (Catches-Yards)

Week	Opponent	Chandler	Lewis	Gant	Miller
1	Pittsburgh		2-46	3-31	6-97
2	N.Y. Jets		2-10	6-100	3-18
3	Miami		5-153	2-44	
4	Baltimore	1-6	2-62	2-31	1-2
5	Kansas City	7-116	4-74	2-14	1-3
6	N.Y. Jets	1-15	1-29	2-23	4-94
7	Houston	2-17	2-35	1-6	0-0
8	Cincinnati	2-22	1-5	3-26	2-2
9	Cleveland	7-114	1-15	3-29	1-10
10	New England	4-35	4-34	3-26	1-10
11	Miami	5-52	4-52	2-14	0-0
12	Tampa Bay	6-60	1-15	4-39	1-3
13	N.Y. Giants	5-75		0-0	2-7
14	Kansas City	2-48	7-126	0-0	0-0
15	New England	1-11	4-40	1-25	0-0
16	Baltimore	1-10	1-39	0-0	0-0
	Season	44-581	41-735	34-408	22-246

NOTE: Ferguson caught one pass for a minus 6 yards vs. New England.

# OFFENSIVE YARDSTICK

## Game-By-Game

### RUSHING (Carries-Yards)

Johnson	Ferguson	Braxton	Gant	Jackson
2-31		7-9		
7-35	1-1	1-3		
2-6	3-11	11-32		
1-3	6-11	9-24		
1-6	1-3	2-5		
11-59				
	4-35			
	5-14			
4-6				
	2-13			
	1-0			
2-3				
3-12	1-0			
	1-1		1-14	
3-17	1-4			
19-62	1-2			1-(-13)
55-222	27-76	30-73	1-14	1-(-13)

### PASSING (Att.-Comp.-Yds.-Int.-TD)

Munson					Mays				
Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Int.	TD	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Int.	TD
16	10	171	0	2					
4	2	45	0	1					
1	0	0	0	0					
					15	4	39	0	1
22	12	112	2	1					
43	24	328	2	4	15	4	39	0	1

### RECEIVERS (Catches-Yards)

Brown	Hooks	Johnson	Piccone	Braxton	Walton	Willis
		1-9	0-0	1-8	0-0	0-0
		5-28	1-9	0-0	2-39	1-18
	1-4	1-6		4-30	1-8	
		1-11	0-0	0-0	1-19	1-23
	1-3					
2-13	2-11	0-0	0-0		0-0	
3-31	1-6	0-0	0-0		0-0	
2-9	2-12	0-0	0-0			
1-9	2-29	0-0	2-18		0-0	
1-15	0-0	0-0	0-0			
4-11	0-0	0-0	0-0		0-0	
2-10	2-20	1-1	1-11		0-0	
0-0	0-0	0-0	2-24		0-0	
1-3	3-21	0-0	1-9		0-0	
2-29	0-0	1-28	0-0			
	1-4	0-0	0-0			
18-130	15-110	10-83	7-71	5-38	4-66	2-41

## BUILDING THE BILLS

### Through the Draft (39 players)

**1971**—Bob Chandler, wr (7)

**1972**—Reggie McKenzie, g (2)

**1973**—Joe DeLamielleure, g (1B); Joe Ferguson, qb, (3A)

**1974**—Reuben Gant, te (1)

**1975**—Roland Hooks, rb (10)

**1976**—Mario Clark, db (1); Joe Devlin, t (2B); Dan Jilek, lb (4); Ken Jones, t (2A); Keith Moody, db (10); Ben Williams, de (3)

**1977**—Curtis Brown, rb (3A); Phil Doakes, dt (1); Charles Romes, db (12)

**1978**—Mario Celotto, lb (7A); Danny Fulton, wr (3B); Will Grant, c (10); Dee Hardison, dt (2A); Scott Hutchinson, de (2B); Dennis Johnson, rb (3A); Terry Miller, rb (1); Steve Powell, rb (7B); Lucius Sanford, lb (4); Eric Smith, t (6)

**1979**—Kevin Baker, de (9); Jon Borchardt, t (3); Mike Burrow, g (6); Jerry Butler, wr (1B); Tom Cousineau, lb (1A); Mike Harris, rb (12); Jim Haslett, lb (2B); Ken Johnson, de (4A); Rod Kush, ss (5A); Paul Lawler, cb (11); Dan Manucci, qb (5B); Tom Mullady, te (7); Jeff Nixon, fs (4B); Fred Smerlas, dt (2A).

### Through the Trades (13 players)

**1973**—Mike Kadish, dt (from Miami); Willie Parker, c (from Los Angeles)

**1975**—Doug Jones, ss (from Kansas City)

**1976**—Sherman White, de (from Cincinnati)

**1977**—Lou Piccone, wr (from New York Jets); Connie Zelencik, c (from Chicago)

**1978**—Elbert Drungo, t (from Houston); Tom Ehlers, lb (from Philadelphia); Frank Lewis, wr (from Pittsburgh); Randy McClanahan, lb (from Oakland); Bill Munson, qb (from San Diego)

**1979**—Dan Medlin, g (from Tampa Bay); Bill Simpson, fs (from Los Angeles).

### Through Free Agent Signings (46 players)

**1971**—Tony Greene, fs

**1972**—Bill Adams, g

**1977**—Mike Collier, rb; Shane Nelson, lb; Len Willis, wr

**1978**—Doug Becker, lb; Tom Dempsey, k; Craig Hertwig, t; Mekeli Ieremia, de; Rusty Jackson, p; Dennis Johnson, dt; David Mays, qb; Eddie McMillan, cb; Joe Shipp, te; Marvin Switzer, cb; Willie Zachery, wr.

**1979**—Orlando Alvarez, wr; Rod Broadway, dt; Derrick Burnett, rb; Robert Cameron, p; Jerome Carter, cb; Donald Clayton, p; Bill Crowley, lb; Reinhold Finkes, rb; Rolie Hansen, g; Robert Jahn, wr; Chris Keating, lb; Jeff Knappe, qb; Joe Lally, lb; Mike Manson, p; John Martinelli, c; Terry Mastny, t; Roger McCoy, k; Mark McDaniel, wr; Leroy McGee, rb; John McGriff, lb; Dave Merritt, rb; Mark Patterson, ss; Russell Pope, cb; Ronald Ricks, cb; Thomas Sarette, k; Grey Seamans, wr; Roland Solomon, wr; Tim Volger, c; Brent Wagner, p-k; Berj Yepremian, k.



## BILLS SEASON TICKET SALES

1960	5,265	1969	22,654
1961	6,330	1970	22,558
1962	6,947	1971	21,671
1963	9,996	1972	24,700
1964	20,000	1973	52,474
1965	26,303	1974	54,182
1966	23,248	1975	43,184
1967	23,569	1976	33,308
1968	21,276	1977	20,624
		1978	18,084

## BILLS' OFFENSE YEAR-BY-YEAR

<i>Year</i>	<i>Total Plays</i>	<i>First Downs</i>	<i>Rush Yards</i>	<i>Pass Yards</i>	<i>Total Yards</i>	<i>Total Points</i>
1960	908	211	1207	2689	3896	296
1961	876	243	1608	2287	3895	294
1962	852	238	2480	1958	4438	309
1963	912	272	1838	3080	4918	304
1964	885	247	2039	3187*	5226	400
1965	852	206	1288	2461	3749	313
1966	944	255	1892	2856	4748	358
1967	805	203	1271	2317	3588	237
1968	822†	159	1527	1343	2870	199
1969	868†	224	1522	2345	3867	230
1970	822†	203	1465	2430	3895	204
1971	770†	185	1337	1989	3326	184
1972	877†	221	2132	1601	3733	257
1973	849†	219	3088*	997	4085	259
1974	829†	220	2094	1492	3586	264
1975	964†	318*	2974	2493	5467*	420*
1976	964	250	2566	1838	4404	245
1977	944	246	1861	2530	4391	160
1978	974*	274	2381	2249	4630	302

## BILLS' DEFENSE YEAR-BY-YEAR

<i>Year</i>	<i>Total Plays</i>	<i>First Downs</i>	<i>Rush Yards</i>	<i>Pass Yards</i>	<i>Total Yards</i>	<i>Total Points</i>
1960	903	225	1393	2462	3855	306
1961	812	200	1376	2954	4330	342
1962	811	229	1687	2769	4456	272
1963	789*	224	1217	2856	4073	291
1964	832	201	918*	2969	3887	242
1965	861	226	1114	3199	4313	226*
1966	808	191*	1062	3047	4109	255
1967	814	201	1622	1825	3477*	285
1968	887†	210	2021	2204	4225	377
1969	852†	236	1858	2486	4344	359
1970	853†	213	1718	2088	3806	337
1971	895†	250	2496	2108	4604	394
1972	862†	249	2232	1951	4183	377
1973	855†	231	1797	2118	3915	230
1974	833†	219	1854	1620*	3474	244
1975	940†	300	1993	3080	5073	355
1976	898	262	2476	2254	4730	363
1977	922	260	2405	2048	4453	313
1978	1016	305	3228	1960	5188	354

\* — Team Record

† — Includes quarterback sacks

# 1978 RESULTS

## Pre-Season (0-4)

Date	W-L-T	Opponent	Score	Site	Att.*
A. 5	L	Detroit Lions	20-28	A	48,474
A. 12	L	Cleveland Browns	10-20	H	23,241
A. 19	L	Denver Broncos	13-23	H	18,301
A. 26	L	Minnesota Vikings	27-30	A	45,026

## Regular Season (5-11)

S. 3	L	Pittsburgh Steelers	17-28	H	64,147
S. 10	L	New York Jets	20-21	H	40,985
S. 17	L	Miami Dolphins	24-31	A	48,373
S. 24	W	Baltimore Colts	24-17	H	55,270
O. 1	W	Kansas City Chiefs	28-13	H	47,310
O. 8	L	New York Jets	14-45	A	44,545
O. 15	L	Houston Oilers	10-17	A	47,727
O. 22	W	Cincinnati Bengals	5-0	H	47,754
O. 29	L	Cleveland Browns	20-41	A	51,409
N. 5	L	New England Patriots	10-14	H	44,897
N. 12	L	Miami Dolphins	24-25	H	48,623
N. 19	L	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	10-31	A	61,383
N. 26	W	New York Giants	41-17	H	28,496
D. 3	L	Kansas City Chiefs	10-14	A	25,781
D. 10	L	New England Patriots	24-26	A	59,958
D. 17	W	Baltimore Colts	21-14	A	25,415

\*—Attendances shown are actual (turnstile) figures.

## 1978 TEAM STATISTICS

	Bills	Opponent
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS .....	274	305
Rushing .....	132	171
Passing .....	113	104
Penalty .....	29	30
Third Down Made/Att .....	88-213	98-209
Third Down Efficiency .....	41.3	46.9
TOTAL NET YARDS .....	4,630	5,188
Avg. Per Game .....	289.4	324.3
Total Plays .....	974	1,016
Avg. Per Play .....	4.8	5.1
NET YARDS RUSHING .....	2,381	3,228
Avg. Per Game .....	148.8	201.8
Total Rushes .....	556	677
NET YARDS PASSING .....	2,249	1,960
Avg. Per Game .....	140.6	122.5
Tackled/Yards Lost .....	30-254	22-196
Gross Yards .....	2,503	2,156
Attempts/Completions .....	388-203	317-167
Pct. of Completions .....	52.3	52.7
Had Intercepted .....	17	14
PUNTS/AVERAGE .....	89-37.9	71-36.5
NET PUNTING AVERAGE .....	30.9	30.3
PENALTIES/YARDS .....	120-1103	98-939
FUMBLES/BALL LOST .....	34-17	27-16
TOUCHDOWNS .....	39	46
Rushing .....	15	23
Passing .....	21	20
Returns .....	3	3
TOTAL POINTS .....	302	354

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

<b>RUSHING</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Yds.</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>LG</b>	<b>TD</b>
Miller .....	238	1,060	4.5	60	7
Brown .....	128	591	4.6	58	4
Hooks .....	76	358	4.7	66	2
D. Johnson .....	55	222	4.0	30	2
Ferguson .....	27	76	2.8	12	0
Braxton .....	30	73	2.4	5	0
Gant .....	1	14	14.0	14	0
Jackson .....	1	-13	-13.0	-13	0
<b>BILLS TOTAL</b> .....	<b>556</b>	<b>2,381</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>Opp. Total</b> .....	<b>677</b>	<b>3,228</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>23</b>

<b>RECEIVING</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Yds.</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>LG</b>	<b>TD</b>
Chandler .....	44	581	13.2	44	5
Lewis .....	41	735	17.9	92	7
Gant .....	34	408	12.0	25	5
Miller .....	22	246	11.2	52	0
Brown .....	18	130	7.2	31	0
Hooks .....	15	110	7.3	12	1
D. Johnson .....	10	83	8.3	28	0
Piccone .....	7	71	10.1	15	2
Braxton .....	5	38	7.6	12	0
Walton .....	4	66	16.5	32	1
Willis .....	2	41	20.5	23	0
Ferguson .....	1	-6	-6.0	-6	0
<b>BILLS TOTAL</b> .....	<b>203</b>	<b>2,503</b>	<b>12.3</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>21</b>
<b>Opp. Total</b> .....	<b>167</b>	<b>2,156</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>20</b>

	<b>Pct.</b>		<b>Pct.</b>		<b>Lost</b>	
<b>PASSING</b>	<b>TD</b>	<b>Int.</b>	<b>Int.</b>	<b>LG</b>	<b>Att.</b>	<b>Rating</b>
Ferguson .....	4.8	15	4.5	92	29-243	70.5
Munson .....	9.3	2	4.7	43	0-0	91.8
Mays .....	6.7	0	0.0	19	1-11	61.9
<b>BILLS TOTAL</b> .....	<b>5.4</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>30-254</b>	<b>72.2</b>
<b>Opp. Total</b> .....	<b>6.3</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>22-196</b>	<b>77.0</b>

				<b>Avg.</b>		
<b>PASSING</b>	<b>Att.</b>	<b>Comp.</b>	<b>Yards</b>	<b>Pct.</b>	<b>Att.</b>	<b>TD</b>
Ferguson .....	330	175	2,136	53.0	6.47	16
Munson .....	43	24	328	55.8	7.63	4
Mays .....	15	4	39	26.7	2.60	1
<b>BILLS TOTAL</b> .....	<b>388</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>2,503</b>	<b>52.3</b>	<b>6.45</b>	<b>21</b>
<b>Opp. Total</b> .....	<b>317</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>2,156</b>	<b>52.7</b>	<b>6.80</b>	<b>20</b>

	<b>TDR</b>	<b>TDP</b>	<b>TDR%</b>	<b>PAT</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>SAF</b>	<b>TP</b>
Dempsey .....				36-39	10-13		66
Lewis .....		7					42
Miller .....	7						42
Brown .....	4		1			1	32
Chandler .....		5					30
Gant .....		5					30
Hooks .....	2	1					18
D. Johnson .....	2						12
Piccone .....		2					12
Moody .....			1				6
Romes .....			1				6
Walton .....		1					6
<b>BILLS TOTAL</b> .....	<b>15</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>36-39</b>	<b>10-13</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>302</b>
<b>Opp. Total</b> .....	<b>23</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>43-46</b>	<b>11-21</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>354</b>

<b>FIELD GOALS</b>	<b>1-19</b>	<b>20-29</b>	<b>30-39</b>	<b>40-49</b>	<b>50+</b>	<b>Total</b>
Dempsey .....	0-0	5-5	4-5	1-3	0-0	10-13
<b>Opp. Total</b> .....	<b>0-0</b>	<b>6-9</b>	<b>1-5</b>	<b>4-7</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>11-21</b>

<b>INTERCEPTIONS</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Yds.</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>LG</b>	<b>TD</b>
Clark .....	5	29	5.8	29	0
Nelson .....	3	69	23.0	40	0
Greene .....	3	56	18.7	29	0
Romes .....	2	95	47.5	85	1
Sanford .....	1	41	41.0	41	0
<b>BILLS TOTAL</b> .....	<b>14</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>20.7</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>1</b>
Opp. Total .....	17	219	12.9	40	1

<b>KICKOFF RET.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Yds.</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>LG</b>	<b>TD</b>
Brown .....	17	428	25.2	102	1
Moody .....	18	371	20.6	35	0
D. Johnson .....	10	204	20.4	41	0
Hooks .....	7	124	17.7	25	0
Franckowiak .....	5	60	12.0	19	0
Powell .....	3	53	17.7	25	0
(Others) .....	6	76	—	26	0
<b>BILLS TOTAL</b> .....	<b>66</b>	<b>1,316</b>	<b>19.9</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>1</b>
Opp. Total .....	58	1,182	20.4	46	0

<b>PUNT RETURNS</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>FC</b>	<b>Yds.</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>LG</b>	<b>TD</b>
Moody .....	19	5	240	12.6	82	1
Piccone .....	14	4	88	6.3	13	0
Levenseller .....	3	0	35	11.7	15	0
Hooks .....	3	0	12	4.0	11	0
Brown .....	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
<b>BILLS TOTAL</b> .....	<b>40</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>375</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>1</b>
Opp. Total .....	48	8	442	9.2	82	1

<b>PUNTING</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Yds.</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>TB</b>	<b>In 20</b>	<b>LG</b>	<b>Blk.</b>
Jackson .....	87	3,373	38.8	9	19	70	2
(Blocked) .....	2						
<b>BILLS TOTAL</b> ..	<b>89</b>	<b>3,373</b>	<b>37.9</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>2</b>
Opp. Total .....	71	2,588	36.5	3	17	65	1

## ONE-GAME SUPERLATIVES 1978

### Team

Most Yards Total Offense—	465 vs. New York Giants	11/26
*Most Yards Rushing	—366 vs. New York Giants	11/26
Most Yards Passing	—245 vs. Miami	9/17
Most Plays	— 67 vs. Tampa Bay	11/19
Most Rushing Plays	— 49 vs. New York Giants	11/26
Most Passing Attempts	— 38 vs. Cleveland	10/29
	— 38 vs. Tampa Bay	11/19
Most Pass Completions	— 20 vs. New York Jets	9/10
Most First Downs	— 28 vs. Cleveland	10/29
*Most Touchdowns		
Rushing	— 5 vs. New York Giants	11/26
Most Third Down		
Conversions	— 9 vs. Kansas City	10/1

### Individual

Most Yards Rushing	—208, Miller vs. N.Y. Giants	11/26
Most Yards Passing	—245, Ferguson vs. Miami	9/17
Most Yards Receiving	—153, Lewis vs. Miami	9/17
Most Pass Receptions	— 7, Chandler vs. Kansas City	10/1
	— 7, Chandler vs. Cleveland	10/29
	— 7, Lewis vs. Kansas City	12/3
Most Interceptions	— 2, Clark vs. Cincinnati	10/22
Longest Interception		
Return	— 85, Romes vs. N.Y. Jets	9/10
Longest Punt	— 70, Jackson vs. Cincinnati	10/22
Longest Punt Return	— 82, Moody vs. Houston	10/15
Longest Field Goal	— 46, Dempsey vs. Miami	9/17
†Longest Kickoff Return	—102, Brown vs. Baltimore	9/24
Longest Rushing Play	— 66, Hooks vs. New York Giants	11/26
Longest Rushing Play		
for TD	— 60, Miller vs. Baltimore	12/17
Longest Pass Play	— 92, Ferguson-Lewis vs. Miami	9/17
*— Team Record		
†— Ties Team Record		

# THE SEASON IN REVIEW

## STEELERS 28, BILLS 17

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y., Sept. 3 — Stymied for three quarters by Pittsburgh's famed "Steel Curtain," the Bills' offense came alive in the fourth period under the direction of backup quarterback Bill Munson. Buffalo was trailing 21-0 when he entered the game at the start of the final quarter. Before it was over, he had rallied the Bills to within 11 points of the Steelers. Overall, Munson connected on 10 of 16 passes for 171 yards and two touchdowns while also setting up a 32-yard Tom Dempsey field goal. Starting quarterback Joe Ferguson, still hampered by a knee injury suffered in a pre-season game, managed to connect on just three of 10 attempts for 20 yards before being lifted in favor of Munson. Rookie running back Terry Miller made an impressive debut for the Bills as he caught six passes for 97 yards and rushed for 60 yards in 20 carries. In leading the Steelers to the opening game victory, QB Terry Bradshaw completed 14 of 19 passes for 217 yards and two scores. Pittsburgh's Franco Harris was the rushing leader with 96 yards on 27 carries.

Pittsburgh	0	14	0	14	—	28
Buffalo	0	0	0	17	—	17

Pitts—Stallworth, 22, pass from  
Bradshaw (Gerela kick)  
Pitts—Harris, 1, run (Gerela kick)  
Pitts—Thornton, 2, run (Gerela kick)  
Buff—Lewis, 22, pass from Munson  
(Dempsey kick)  
Buff—Dempsey, 32, field goal  
Pitts—Bell, 15, pass from  
Bradshaw (Gerela kick)  
Buff—Gant, 3, pass from Munson  
(Dempsey kick)  
Att 64-147

Team Statistics	Pitts	Buff
First Downs	21	16
Total Yards	359	264
Rush Yards	142	100
Pass Yards	217	164
Passes	19-14-1	26-15-1
Punts	4	6
Fumbles Lost	0-0	0-0
Yards Penalized	54	62

## JETS 21, BILLS 20

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y., Sept. 10 — A missed extra point, several near misses on interception attempts and nine penalties were the major ingredients contributing to the Bills' heartbreaking loss to the Jets. Cornerback Charles Rome's electrified the home crowd with an 85-yard return of a Richard Todd pass to put the Bills in front early in the second period. However, Todd, who was very nearly intercepted at least a half dozen more times during the afternoon, wound up throwing three touchdown passes, the last one going to Jerome Barkum with just 50 seconds remaining in the game. Pat Leahy's conversion was the margin of victory. Earlier in the fourth quarter, Buffalo's Tom Dempsey missed a PAT after Joe Ferguson had thrown an 11-yard TD pass to Reuben Gant. Fergy, rebounding after a poor performance the week before, hit 20 of 32 passes for 222 yards and two scores. Gant caught six aerals for 100 yards and Terry Miller led the Bills in rushing for the second straight week with 71 yards on 16 carries. Several times the Bills put together good drives only to be frustrated by penalties.

New York Jets	0	7	7	7	—	21
Buffalo	0	7	0	13	—	20

Buff—Rome's, 85, with intercepted pass  
(Dempsey kick)  
NY Jets—Barkum, 14, pass from Todd  
(Leahy kick)  
NY JETS—Gaffney, 36, pass from Todd  
(Leahy kick)  
Buff—Gant, 11, pass from Ferguson  
(kick failed)  
BUFF—Walton, 32, pass from Ferguson  
(Dempsey kick)  
NY Jets—Barkum, 3, pass from Todd  
(Leahy kick)  
Att 40-985

Team Statistics	NY Jets	Buff
First Downs	18	17
Total Yards	288	314
Rush Yards	117	101
Pass Yards	171	213
Passes	26-14-2	32-25-1
Punts	9	9
Fumbles Lost	0-0	1-0
Yards Penalized	40	76

## DOLPHINS 31, BILLS 24

MIAMI, Fla., Sept. 17 — The Dolphins, in scoring their 17th consecutive win over the Bills, built a 24-10 margin after three quarters and were never seriously threatened. Buffalo tallied early in the final period on a spectacular 92-yard pass play, Joe Ferguson to Frank Lewis, and had the ball with 10½

minutes remaining while trailing by just seven points. The Bills were unable to move the ball, however, and Miami responded with its fourth touchdown of the day to put the game out of reach. The Bills played the second half without all-pro guard Joe DeLamielleure and rookie running back Terry Miller, both of whom suffered leg injuries. Buffalo was able to generate little in the way of a ground game, but quarterback Joe Ferguson tossed two TD passes for the second straight week as he connected on 14 of 25 attempts for 245 yards. Meanwhile, Miami ran at will against the Bills, piling up 275-yards on the ground led by Delvin Williams' 125 yards in 24 carries. Wide receiver Frank Lewis had a spectacular game for the Bills as he caught five aerials for 153 yards including the 92-yarder for a TD.

Buffalo	0	7	3	14	—	24
Miami	7	7	10	7	—	31

Miami—Harris, 4, run. (Yepremian kick)

Buff—Miller, 1, run (Dempsey kick)

Miami—Tillman, 6, pass from Strock.  
(Yepremian kick)

Miami—Yepremian, 49, FG

Buff—Dempsey, 46, FG

Miami—Davis, 65, run (Yepremian kick)

Buff—Lewis, 92, pass from Ferguson  
(Dempsey kick)

Miami—Williams, 18, run (Yepremian kick)

Buff—Hooks, 4, pass from Ferguson  
(Dempsey kick)

Att 48,373

Team Statistics	Miami	Buff
First Downs	17	17
Total Yards	363	349
Rush Yards	275	128
Pass Yards	88	221
Passes	14-7-0	24-14-0
Punts	4	6
Fumbles Lost	4-1	1-1
Yards Penalized	25	47

## BILLS 24, COLTS 17

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y., Sept. 24 — Solid play by the offense, defense and special teams and Curtis Brown's 102-yard return of a kickoff for a touchdown were the principal ingredients in the Bills' first win under new head coach Chuck Knox. Buffalo appeared en route to an easy win scoring two unanswered first quarter touchdowns on passes from quarterback Joe Ferguson to tight end Reuben Gant and wide receiver Frank Lewis. The Colts rebounded with two second period TDs, one of them coming on a blocked Bills punt with three minutes remaining in the half. That tied the game at 14-all, but Buffalo went on top shortly thereafter as Brown took the ensuing kickoff two yards deep in the endzone and broke several tackles on his touchdown jaunt. The play matched the Bills' record for the longest kickoff return in the team's history. Kicker Tom Dempsey added a field goal just before the half for a 24-14 lead and the Bills defense limited the Colts to just three points during the last two quarters. Baltimore drives were halted three times by Buffalo pass interceptions in the second half. Rookie running back Terry Miller piled up 97 yards on 25 carries to earn rushing honors and Ferguson turned in an impressive afternoon with nine completions in 14 attempts for 154 yards and two TDs.

Baltimore	0	14	3	0	—	17
Buffalo	14	10	0	0	—	24

Buff—Gant, 19, pass from Ferguson  
(Dempsey kick)

Buff—Lewis, 28, pass from Ferguson  
(Dempsey kick)

Balt—Leaks, 17, pass from Troup  
(Linhart kick)

Balt—McCall, 5, blocked Jackson punt  
(Linhart kick)

Buff—Brown, 102, kickoff return  
(Dempsey kick)

Buff—Dempsey, 21, FG

Balt—Linhart, 21, FG

Att 55,270

Team Statistics	Balt	Buff
First Downs	16	12
Total Yards	307	247
Rush Yards	182	129
Pass Yards	125	118
Passes	27-10-3	14-9-0
Punts	7	8
Fumbles Lost	1-0	2-1
Yards Penalized	60	51

## BILLS 28, CHIEFS 13

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y., Oct. 1 — The Chiefs took an early 6-0 lead on two Jan Stenerud field goals, but after that it was the Ferguson-Chandler Show as the Bills romped to their second consecutive victory. Continuing his superb play after a sub-par performance in the season opener, Fergy established an all-time Bills record for completion percentage in one game as he connected on 15 of 18 tosses (83.3%) for 210 yards and two touchdowns. Chandler was on the receiving end of both Ferguson TD passes. In all, Bob had seven receptions for 116 yards in his most productive afternoon of the young season. Buffalo built a 21-6 halftime advantage and increased it to 28-6 late in the third period on a spectacular 22-yard scamper by fullback Curtis Brown who broke four tackles en route to the endzone. Kansas City's

Wing-T running attack produced 238 yards, but the Chiefs managed just one TD with that coming in the fourth period on Ted McKnight's 41-yard run. Veteran fullback MacArthur Lane accounted for a majority of the Chiefs' rushing yardage with 144 in 17 carries.

Kansas City	6	0	0	7	—	13
Buffalo	0	21	7	0	—	28

KC—Stenerud, 42, FG  
 KC—Stenerud, 27, FG  
 Buff—Chandler, 20, pass from Ferguson  
 (Dempsey kick)  
 Buff—Miller, 8, run (Dempsey kick)  
 Buff—Chandler, 22, pass from Ferguson  
 (Dempsey kick)  
 Buff—Brown, 22, run (Dempsey kick)  
 KC—McKnight, 41, run (Stenerud kick)  
 Att 47,310

Team Statistics	KC	Buff
First Downs	15	17
Total Yards	308	293
Rush Yards	238	117
Pass Yards	70	176
Passes	21-9-0	18-15-1
Punts	5	5
Fumbles Lost	2-2	3-2
Yards Penalized	63	72

## JETS 45, BILLS 14

NEW YORK, N.Y., Oct. 8 — After impressive back-to-back wins over Baltimore and Kansas City, the Bills were the victims of a complete reversal of form against the Jets. The Jets grabbed an early 14-0 advantage on fullback Kevin Long's five-yard run (the first of three TD's for him during the opening half), and safety Burgess Owens' 40-yard return of an intercepted Joe Ferguson pass. The Bills cut the deficit to seven points before the end of the quarter on a Ferguson to Reuben Gant 16-yard pass play, but then the roof caved in. A blocked punt and a Buffalo fumble on a kickoff return set up two more Kevin Long TDs in the second quarter. Then, Bruce Harper returned a Bills punt 82 yards for another score to make it 35-7 at the half. Buffalo didn't tally again until 28 seconds before the final gun as reserve quarterback Bill Munson and receiver Bob Chandler combined on a 15-yard pass play. The New York defense put the clamps on the Bills' aerial attack as Buffalo quarterbacks were able to complete just 12 of 28 passes while being intercepted twice.

Buffalo	7	0	0	7	—	14
New York Jets	14	21	10	0	—	45

NYJ—Long, 5, run (Leahy kick)  
 NYJ—Owens, 40, Int. return (Leahy kick)  
 Buff—Gant, 16, pass from Ferguson  
 (Dempsey kick)  
 NYJ—Long, 16, run (Leahy kick)  
 NYJ—Long, 3, run (Leahy kick)  
 NYJ—Harper, 82, punt return (Leahy kick)  
 NYJ—Gaffney, 18, pass from Robinson  
 (Leahy kick)  
 NYJ—Leahy, 38, FG  
 Buff—Chandler, 15, pass from Munson  
 (Dempsey kick)  
 Att 44,545

Team Statistics	NY Jets	Buff
First Downs	18	16
Total Yards	278	322
Rush Yards	231	137
Pass Yards	47	185
Passes	10-4-0	28-12-2
Punts	4	5
Fumbles Lost	2	2
Yards Penalized	35	78

## OILERS 17, BILLS 10

HOUSTON, Tex., Oct. 15 — The Bills' defense turned in a respectable showing against the Oilers powerful offense led by rookie fullback Earl Campbell, but failed to score a touchdown on offense themselves in dropping their fifth game in seven decisions. Houston managed just 178 yards rushing, 105 of them by Campbell. Earl raced 45 yards on one play in the first quarter, but managed just 60 yards on 18 other carries during the game. Houston led 7-3 after a quarter, the Oilers taking advantage of a Buffalo fumble on the first play of the game from scrimmage. They recovered on the Bills 8 and were in the endzone in three plays. The game's highlight for Buffalo came about midway through the second quarter when return specialist Keith Moody ran a Houston punt back 82 yards for a TD that gave the Bills a 10-7 halftime lead. It marked the third time in as many years that Moody returned a punt for a touchdown. The Oilers' winning score came late in the third quarter on an 18-yard run by Rob Carpenter that climaxed a 97-yard march. For the second straight week, the Bills' passing attack was ineffectual as they completed just 9 of 22 attempts.



Buffalo	3	7	0	0	—	10
Houston	7	0	7	3	—	17

Houston—Castor, 4, pass from Pastorini  
(Fritsch kick)

Buff—Dempsey, 33, FG

Buff—Moody, 82, punt return  
(Dempsey kick)

Houston—Carpenter, 18, run  
(Fritsch kick)

Houston—Fritsch, 43, FG  
Att 47,727

Team Statistics	Houston	Buff
First Downs	17	15
Total Yards	330	229
Rush Yards	178	149
Pass Yards	152	80
Passes	22-15-0	22-9-0
Punts	6	6
Fumbles Lost	1-0	1-1
Yards Penalized	80	70

## BILLS 5, BENGALS 0

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y., Oct. 22 — The defense turned in its finest effort of the season and newly-installed fullback Curtis Brown recorded the first 100-yard rushing day by a Bills' back in 1978 as Buffalo scored its third straight victory at home. A 20-yard second quarter Tom Dempsey field goal and a fourth period safety provided the only points in a penalty-filled game as the Bills posted their second shutout in as many seasons. The loss was the eighth in a row for the Bengals. Sharing the day's laurels with Brown and the Buffalo defense was Rusty Jackson, who turned in the most spectacular punting display in the stadium's six-year history. Jackson totaled 447 yards on 10 punts. Five times he dropped the ball inside the Cincinnati 10, and with two minutes remaining in the game, he booted a 70-yarder. The Bengals managed only 244 total yards against the Buffalo defense which picked off three Cincinnati passes. Mario Clark had two of the thefts including one on the Buffalo 11 with five minutes remaining to thwart the most serious Cincinnati scoring threat of the afternoon. Curtis Brown carried 18 times for his 100 yards rushing, and also combined with Lou Piccone to nail punt returner Dennis Law in his own endzone for a safety early in the final quarter. Law had fielded the punt on his own 1-yardline and circled behind the goal line where he was slowed by Piccone and brought down by Brown.

Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	—	0
Buffalo	0	3	0	2	—	5

Buff—Dempsey, 20, FG

Buff—Piccone/Brown, safety in end zone  
on punt

Att 47,754

Team Statistics	Cinn	Buff
First Downs	16	12
Total Yards	244	226
Rush Yards	141	170
Pass Yards	103	56
Passes	27-13-3	21-12-0
Punts	6	10
Fumbles Lost	2-2	1-0
Yards Penalized	61	90

## BROWNS 41, BILLS 20

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Oct. 29 — The Browns scored touchdowns on five of their first six possessions in dealing the Bills their second lopsided defeat of the season. As effective as the Buffalo defense was a week earlier in blanking Cincinnati 5-0, it was powerless to halt the fired-up Browns offense which amassed 532 total yards including 309 on the ground. Mike and Greg Pruitt combined for 260 yards rushing. Mike piled up 173 yards on 21 carries including a 71-yard jaunt for a touchdown in the third quarter. Quarterback Brian Sipe tied a Bills record for an opposing signal-caller as he completed 12 of 15 passes (80%) for 217 yards and three touchdowns. Cleveland led 20-7 at the half and built the margin to 34-7 on Mike Pruitt's 71-yard run late in the third period. One of the few standouts for the Bills was receiver Bob Chandler, who recorded his second 100-yard pass catching performance of the season. He had seven receptions for 114 yards.

Buffalo	0	7	6	7	—	20
Cleveland	7	13	14	7	—	41

Cleve—Rucker, 16, pass from Sipe  
(Cockroft kick)

Cleve—Hill, 15, pass from Sipe  
(Kick failed)

Buff—Miller, 2, run (Dempsey kick)

Cleve—M. Pruitt, 1, run (Cockroft kick)

Cleve—Rucker, 44, pass from Sipe  
(Cockroft kick)

Cleve—M. Pruitt, 71, run (Cockroft kick)

Buff—Johnson #39, 1, run (PAT failed)

Cleve—Hill, 3, pass from Mark Miller  
(Cockroft kick)

Buff—Piccone, 5, pass from Mays  
(Dempsey kick)

Att 51,409

Team Statistics	Buff	Cleve
First Downs	28	28
Total Yards	283	532
Rush Yards	82	309
Pass Yards	201	223
Passes	38-17-2	17-14-0
Punts	4	2
Fumbles Lost	4-1	1-1
Yards Penalized	64	135

## PATRIOTS 14, BILLS 10

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y., Nov. 5 — The Bills did a commendable job of containing the explosive New England offense, but the Patriots still managed to win their seventh straight game to remain atop the AFC Eastern Division standings. Buffalo's ball-control strategy and a stubborn defense limited the NFL's No. 1 offense to just 105 total yards during the first half. The Patriots got rolling after the intermission, but still never put the game out of reach as Buffalo had several scoring opportunities, but failed to capitalize on them. Buffalo scored first as Tom Dempsey connected on a 21-yard field goal early in the opening period. An interception set the stage for New England's first touchdown, a 19-yard run by Horace Ivory about midway through the second quarter. Ivory, who finished with 128 yards rushing during the afternoon, tallied his second TD from five yards out early in the third period. The Bills managed to come within four points less than two minutes before the final gun as Bob Chandler and Joe Ferguson combined on an 11-yard pass play. Ferguson completed 14 of 23 passes for 114 yards while running back Terry Miller gained 58 yards in 12 rushing attempts.

New England	0	7	7	0	—	14
Buffalo	3	0	0	7	—	10

Buff—Dempsey, 21, FG  
 NE—Ivory, 19, run (Posey kick)  
 NE—Ivory, 5, run (Posey kick)  
 Buff—Chandler, 11, pass from Ferguson  
 (Dempsey kick)  
 Att. 44.897

Team Statistics	NE	Buff
First Downs	20	15
Total Yards	319	247
Rush yards	279	140
Pass Yards	40	107
Passes	17-5-1	23-14-1
Punts	3	2
Fumbles Lost	3-2	2-2
Yards Penalized	54	75

## DOLPHINS 25, BILLS 24

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y., Nov. 12 — A superlative effort went for naught as the Bills were frustrated by the Dolphins once more in losing their 18th consecutive regular season game to Miami. The defeat established an all-time NFL record. In easily their best performance of the season, the Bills battled Miami to the very end as a late bid for victory was foiled with little more than a minute remaining. After Miami tallied three first half touchdowns for a 22-17 lead at intermission, the Bills limited the Dolphins to a Garo Yepremian field goal midway through the third period. Buffalo scored the only touchdown of the second half three minutes, 31 seconds before the final gun when quarterback Joe Ferguson hit wide receiver Frank Lewis with a 14-yard pass. Fergy had two TD passes during the afternoon, the other one going to tight end Reuben Gant in the first quarter to give the Bills a 7-7 tie. Fullback Curtis Brown had his second 100-yard day of the season as he rushed for 114 on 11 carries including a 58-yarder for a TD. Delvin Williams had 144 of Miami's 193 yards on the ground and rushed for two scores. The other Dolphin TD came on a 16-yard Bob Griese pass to Nat Moore.

Miami	7	15	3	0	—	25
Buffalo	7	10	0	7	—	24

Miami—Williams, 25, run (Yepremian kick)  
 Buff—Gant, 5, pass from Ferguson  
 (Dempsey kick)  
 Miami—Yepremian, 47, FG  
 Miami—Williams, 26, run (Yepremian kick  
 blocked)  
 Buff—Brown, 58, run (Dempsey kick)  
 Miami—N. Moore, 16, pass from Griese  
 (Yepremian kick blocked)  
 Buff—Dempsey, 33, FG  
 Miami—Yepremian, 24, FG  
 Buff—Lewis, 14, pass from Ferguson  
 (Dempsey kick)  
 Att. 48.623

Team Statistics	Miami	Buff
First Downs	20	16
Total Yards	289	284
Rush Yards	193	170
Pass Yards	96	114
Passes	21-13-0	27-15-0
Punts	4	5
Fumbles Lost	2-2	4-2
Yards Penalized	60	116

## BUCCANEERS 31, BILLS 10

TAMPA, Fla., Nov. 19 — Tampa Bay dominated every phase of the game in sending the Bills to their fifth road defeat of the season without a victory. Buffalo managed just 211 total yards on offense (only 79 on the ground) compared with 311 for the Bucs who led 10-0 at the half and 31-3 late in the fourth quarter. The Tampa Bay defense played spectacularly as three pass interceptions and a recovered fumble paved the way for four Buccaneers TDs. Five different Tampa Bay players tallied touchdowns, two of them coming on passes from quarterback Mike Rae. Fullback Johnny Davis was

the game's leading rusher with 73 yards on 18 carries. Curtis Brown had 44 yards on 14 carries for the Bills. Bob Chandler scored the only Buffalo touchdown late in the fourth quarter on a nine-yard pass from reserve quarterback Bill Munson.

Buffalo	0	0	3	7	—	10
Tampa Bay	7	3	7	14	—	31

Tampa—Bell, 12, run (O'Donoghue kick)  
 Tampa—O'Donoghue, 28, FG  
 Tampa—Owens, 22, pass from Rae  
 (O'Donoghue kick)  
 Buff—Dempsey, 37, FG  
 Tampa—Giles, 33, pass from Rae  
 (O'Donoghue kick)  
 Tampa—Davis, 3, run (O'Donoghue kick)  
 Buff—Chandler, 9, pass from Munson  
 (Dempsey kick)  
 Att: 61,383

Team Statistics	Buff	Tampa Bay
First Downs	18	20
Total Yards	211	311
Rush Yards	79	204
Pass Yards	132	107
Passes	38-18-4	14-7-1
Punts	5	4
Fumbles Lost	1-1	1-1
Yards Penalized	55	100

## BILLS 41, GIANTS 17

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y., Nov. 26 — The Bills concluded their home schedule with a flourish turning in their most explosive performance of the season in drubbing the Giants. Rookie running back Terry Miller was awesome as he recorded the only 200-yard rushing day of the season in the NFL with 208 yards on 21 carries. He also tallied two of the Bills' six TDs. With his performance Miller became only the third Bills player in the ball-club's history to rush for 200 yards in a game, and the 208 yards was the sixth highest rushing total for a Buffalo player in a single contest. Fullback Curtis Brown also ran for two scores and running back Roland Hooks rushed for another en route to a 115-yard day on 12 carries. In finishing with a 4-4 home slate, the Bills spotted the Giants a 17-7 lead midway through the third quarter before scoring the last 34 points of the game, including 27 in the final period. The Buffalo defense shut down the Giants' rushing game, limiting them to just 99 yards on the ground and only 35 in the second half. The victory was the first by the Bills over the Giants in regular season play after losses in 1970 and 1975.

NY Giants	7	3	7	0	—	17
Buffalo	7	0	7	27	—	41

NY — Dixon, 31, pass from Pisarcik  
 (Danelo kick)  
 Buff — Brown, 1, run (Dempsey kick)  
 NY — Danelo, 27, FG  
 NY — Kotar, 19, pass from Pisarcik  
 (Danelo kick)  
 Buff — Hooks, 1, run (Dempsey kick)  
 Buff — Brown, 1, run (Dempsey kick)  
 Buff — Piccone, 9, pass from Ferguson  
 (Dempsey kick)  
 Buff — Miller, 39, run (Dempsey kick)  
 Buff — Miller, 13, run (Dempsey kick blocked)  
 Att: 28,496

Team Statistics	NY Giants	Buff
First Downs	15	27
Total Yards	321	465
Rush Yards	99	366
Pass Yards	222	99
Passes	24-15-1	15-9-1
Punts	6	3
Fumbles Lost	0-0	3-0
Yards Penalized	57	40

## CHIEFS 14, BILLS 10

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 3 — Rookie Linebacker Lucius Sanford earned a place in the Bills' record book with two blocks of Jan Stenerud field goal attempts, but the Buffalo offense sputtered and the result was another road defeat, their sixth of the season without a win. Though the Bills compiled 343 total yards on offense they lost the ball five times on turnovers, twice on fumbles and three times via interceptions. On another occasion in the third quarter, a two-yard touchdown run was wiped out by a penalty and the Bills eventually settled for a field goal. Buffalo's lone TD came in the second period on a 40-yard pass from Joe Ferguson to Frank Lewis. Ted McKnight rushed 17 yards for the Chief's first TD in the opening period and then Mike Livingston hit Walter White with a three-yard pass on the last play of the third quarter for what proved to be the winning score. Lewis had an outstanding afternoon with half of Buffalo's 14 pass receptions for 126 yards and the TD. Sanford, was also credited with 11 tackles during the game, became the only Bills player to block two field goal attempts in one game. The only other time Buffalo blocked a field goal try came in a game at New England in 1974.

Buffalo	0	7	3	0	—	10
Kansas City	7	0	7	0	—	14

KC — McKnight, 17, run (Stenerud kick)

Buff — Lewis, 40, pass from Ferguson  
(Dempsey kick)

Buff — Dempsey, 22, FG

KC — White, 3, pass from Livingston  
(Stenerud kick)

Att: 25,781

Team Statistics	Buff	KC
First Downs	16	21
Total Yards	343	340
Rush Yards	136	241
Pass Yards	207	99
Passes	25-14-3	21-12-1
Punts	2	2
Fumbles Lost	4-2	1-0
Yards Penalized	54	47

## PATRIOTS 26, BILLS 24

FOXBORO, Mass., Dec. 10 — David Posey kicked a 21-yard field goal with eight seconds remaining to dash the Bills' hopes for an upset and give the Patriots their first AFC Eastern Division title in 15 years. A heavy favorite to defeat the team they'd beaten earlier in the season at Orchard Park by four points, the Patriots trailed most of the game until early in the fourth quarter when Horace Ivory's 20-yard run and Posey's PAT gave New England its first lead, 21-17. But the Bills refused to quit as they took the ensuing kickoff and marched 68 yards in 8 plays to take the lead once more on Joe Ferguson's 21-yard pass to Frank Lewis. The score remained 24-21 until just under two minutes remained when the Bills took an intentional safety rather than risking a blocked punt deep in their own territory. The Patriots returned the free kick to the Bills' 47 and then marched to the Buffalo seven. It was third and goal when Posey kicked his game-winner. The defeat was the seventh straight on the road for the Bills and it was their fifth loss of the season by four points or less.

Buffalo	0	10	7	7	—	24
New England	0	7	7	12	—	26

Buff — Hooks, 28, run (Dempsey kick)

NE — Cunningham, 4, run (Posey kick)

Buff — Dempsey, 26, FG

Buff — Miller, 32, run (Dempsey kick)

NE — Grogan, 4, run (Posey kick)

NE — Ivory, 20, run (Posey kick)

Buff — Lewis, 21, pass from Ferguson  
(Dempsey kick)

NE — Team Safety. Punter Jackson ran  
out of end zone

NE — Posey, 21, FG

Att: 59,598

Team Statistics	Buff	NE
First Downs	16	24
Total Yards	307	403
Rush Yards	184	249
Pass Yards	123	154
Passes	24-9-1	21-13-0
Punts	4	2
Fumbles Lost	2-1	4-3
Yards Penalized	35	15

## BILLS 21, COLTS 14

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 17 — Terry Miller rushed for 123 yards to hit 1,060 for the season as the Bills concluded the 1978 campaign with their first win at Baltimore since 1975. Miller's rushing total was the sixth best ever for an NFL rookie and it marked the first time since 1962 that a first-year Bills back rushed for 1,000 yards. Cookie Gilchrist did it that year. After falling behind 0-7 in the second quarter, the Bills earned a 7-7 halftime deadlock on Dennis Johnson's two-yard run with less than seven minutes left in the second period. They went ahead for good early in the third on Joe Ferguson's record-breaking 78th career touchdown pass, a 39-yarder to Frank Lewis. The previous mark of 77 was held by Jack Kemp, now a U.S. congressman. Along with his 123 yards rushing, Miller tallied his seventh touchdown of the season on a 60-yard scamper early in the fourth period. It was his longest run from scrimmage during 1978 and also the longest TD run by any Bills player during the campaign. The Buffalo defense turned in one of its best efforts of the season, recording four quarterback sacks in the process. And, linebacker Lucius Sanford, who blocked two field goal attempts two weeks ago in Kansas City, set up the Bills' first TD when he blocked a David Lee punt on the Baltimore 28 in the second quarter.

Buffalo	0	7	7	7	—	21
Baltimore	0	7	0	7	—	14

Balt — McCauley, 1, run (Linhart kick)

Buff — Johnson, 2, run (Dempsey kick)

Buff — Lewis, 39, pass from Ferguson  
(Dempsey kick)

Buff — Miller, 60, run (Dempsey kick)

Balt — Siani, 26, pass from Washington  
(Linhart kick)

Att: 25,415

Team Statistics	Buff	Balt
First Downs	16	18
Total Yards	246	172
Rush Yards	193	139
Pass Yards	53	33
Passes	13-3-0	16-5-1
Punts	7	5
Fumbles Lost	2-1	2-1
Yards Penalized	112	55

## BILLS HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS

It all began with Lamar Hunt's dream, and a meeting in Chicago on August 14, 1959. Eight days later, the American Football League came into being. On October 17, Buffalo was granted the seventh franchise in the upstart AFL.

The new league started its initial draft on November 22, and Buffalo selected Penn State's Richie Lucas in the first round.

On November 30, Buffalo owner Ralph C. Wilson, Jr., named his team the Bills. In December Buster Ramsey was named the first Head Coach of the Bills and Dick Gallagher was appointed General Manager.

The Bills opened their first training camp in East Aurora, N. Y., on July 10, 1960, and 20 days later played their first preseason game, bowing to the Boston Patriots 28-7, before 16,000 at War Memorial Stadium.

Buffalo finished its first season with a 5-8-1 record, drawing 111,860 fans in seven home games. The Bills improved to 6-8 in 1961 and home attendance grew to 133,408.

In January, 1962, Lou Saban replaced Buster Ramsey as the Buffalo Head Coach and Saban led the Bills to their first winning season, 7-6-1. In 1963 the Bills duplicated the 7-6-1 record, and home attendance grew to 209,719. On December 7, 1963, Buffalo fullback Cookie Gilchrist set a pro rushing record with 243 yards while scoring five touchdowns in a 45-14 rout of New York.

Buffalo's 1963 season ended in disappointment as the Bills lost an Eastern Division playoff game to Boston 26-8.

The next two years were glory years for the Buffalo Bills. In 1964 the Bills won their first nine games en route to a 12-2 season, capped by a 20-7 win over the San Diego Chargers in the AFL Championship game on December 26 in Buffalo.

Buffalo repeated as AFL champions exactly one year later, scoring a 23-0 shutout of the Chargers in the championship game in San Diego. Buffalo's home attendance jumped to 257,324 in 1964 and 306,675 in 1965.

In January, 1966, Lou Saban resigned and was replaced by Joe Collier. Buffalo won its third straight Eastern Division title by defeating Denver 38-21 in the 1966 season's finale, but the Kansas City Chiefs stopped the Bills, 31-7, in the AFL Championship Game.

On August 14, 1967, the Bills, playing their first game against a team from the National Football League, dropped a 17-14 decision to the Detroit Lions in Tiger Stadium.

Joe Collier's tenure as the Bills Head Coach ended on September 15, 1968 and he was replaced by Harvey Johnson. On January 17, 1969 John Rauch signed a four-year pact to lead the Bills. Rauch lasted until July 20, 1971 when he resigned and Johnson once again stepped in.

Six months later Lou Saban returned to Buffalo after a six-year absence. On December 23, 1971 Saban was named Vice President in Charge of Football and Head Coach of the Bills.

After a lengthy controversy over the sight and type of stadium, ground breaking ceremonies for a new home for the Buffalo Bills were held in Orchard Park, N. Y., on April 4, 1972.

1973 saw a resurgence in the Bills' fortunes. On August 17 a sell-out crowd of 80,020 watched the Washington Redskins defeat Buffalo 37-21 in the inaugural game in the new stadium in Orchard Park. It was the first of six sell-outs that year as the Bills drew 531,270 fans at home, leading the NFL in attendance.

In the opening game of the 1973 season, September 16, O. J. Simpson set an NFL rushing record with a 253-yard performance against New England. Simpson surpassed the 1,000-yard plateau in the seventh game of the season, October 29, in the Bills' Monday Night debut, a 23-14 victory over Kansas City.

Simpson ended the 1973 season in spectacular style on December 16, gaining 200 yards against the New York Jets to up his season total to 2,003 yards, bettering Jim Brown's NFL season rushing mark. On that day the Bills became the first NFL team to rush for over 3,000 yards in a single season.

The Buffalo resurgence continued in 1974 as the Bills finished with a 9-5 mark and qualified for the post-season playoffs. Again Buffalo topped the NFL in attendance, attracting 547,237 fans to Orchard Park (six sell-outs). On December 22, 1974, the Pittsburgh Steelers, eventual Super Bowl Champions, crushed the Bills 32-14 in an AFC Divisional Playoff game in Three Rivers Stadium.

In 1975 the Bills again led the NFL in attendance with a home total of 514,386. The team record slipped to 8-6, but Simpson continued his assault on the record book. On December 20, in a 35-13 loss to the Minnesota Vikings, Simpson scored his 23rd touchdown of the year, an NFL mark.

Lou Saban's second term as the Bills Head Coach ended on October 15, 1976 and Jim Ringo was appointed his successor. On November 25, 1976, Simpson broke his own single game rushing record with a 273-yard performance against the Detroit Lions on Thanksgiving Day.

Another Bills' coaching change was initiated on December 22, 1977 when Ringo was relieved of his responsibilities. The man assigned the job of rebuilding the Buffalo Bills was Chuck Knox, winningest coach in the history of the Los Angeles Rams. Knox's appointment as Bills Vice President and Head Coach was announced on January 12, 1978.

A Bills era ended on Friday, March 24, 1978 when O. J.

Simpson was traded to the San Francisco 49ers for a package of draft choices.

It was "Miller Time" in 1978 as the Bills regained respectability. The campaign saw the unveiling of exciting running back in Terry Miller, a two-time consensus All-American at Oklahoma State and Buffalo's top draft choice in 1978. Miller rushed for 1,060 yards, the sixth highest total for a rookie in NFL history. In a late season game at Orchard Park against the New York Giants, he gained 208 yards on 21 carries, making him the lone NFL player to rush for 200 yards in a game during the 1978 season.

The campaign also saw quarterback Joe Ferguson become the Bills' all-time leader in the touchdown passes category with 78, one more than Jack Kemp's career total.

## BILLS IN POST-SEASON GAMES

1963

### PATRIOTS 26, BILLS 8

Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 28, 1963 — Babe Parilli passed for 292 yards and a pair of touchdowns and Gino Cappelletti kicked four field goals to lead the Boston Patriots over Buffalo 26-8 in the Eastern Division playoff game. The Boston defense limited the Bills to just seven yards rushing and intercepted four Bills' passes to ruin Buffalo's first post-season playoff appearance. Buffalo had just 38 yards total offense in the first half as the Patriots broke to a 16-0 lead. The Bills' only scoring threat was set up by a 62-yard kickoff return by Elbert Dubenion, but Buffalo couldn't move and a 39-yard field goal attempt fell short. In the second half, Buffalo scored first on a 93-yard pass play from Daryle Lamonica to Dubenion late in the third quarter, but Boston answered with a 68-yard touchdown drive capped by a Parilli pass to Larry Garron that put the game out of reach.

<b>Boston</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>26</b>
<b>Buffalo</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>8</b>

Bos-Cappelletti, 28, field goal  
 Bos-Garron, 59, pass from Parilli  
 (Cappelletti kick)  
 Bos-Cappelletti, 12, field goal  
 Bos-Cappelletti, 33, field goal  
 Buff-Dubenion, 93, pass from Lamonica  
 (Tracey, pass from Lamonica)  
 Bos-Garron, 17, pass from Parilli  
 (Cappelletti kick)  
 Bos-Cappelletti, 36, field goal  
 Att: 33,044

Team Statistics	Bos	Buff
First Downs	16	13
Total Yards	375	286
Rush Yards	83	7
Pass Yards	292	279
Passes	35-14-1	45-19-4
Punts	7	8
Fumbles Lost	0	2
Yards Penalized	65	100



# 1964

## BILLS 20, CHARGERS 7

Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 26, 1964 — Buffalo made it's first appearance in an AFL Championship Game a successful one with a 20-7 victory over the San Diego Chargers. The Bills used a punishing ground attack and stingy defense as its main weapons. The Chargers scored first and made it look easy, driving 80 yards in just four plays, but the momentum quickly changed hands. On the Charger's second possession, the Bills' Mike Stratton crashed into San Diego running back Keith Lincoln, putting the Charger star out of the game, and a sense of excitement rippled through the Buffalo stands. The rest of the game belonged to the Bills. Cookie Gilchrist's 122 rushing yards complimented the varied Bills passing attack as Buffalo scored 20 unanswered points. A pair of Pete Gogolak field goals and a four-yard run by Wray Carlton gave Buffalo a 13-7 halftime lead and Jack Kemp's 47-yard pass to Glenn Bass set up a Kemp sneak for a TD in the third quarter that finished the scoring.

San Diego	7	0	0	0	—	7
Buffalo	3	10	0	7	—	20

SD-Kocourek, 26, pass from Rote  
(Lincoln kick)  
Buff-Gogolak, 12, field goal  
Buff-Carlton, 4, run (Gogolak kick)  
Buff-Gogolak, 17, field goal  
Buff-Kemp, 1, run (Gogolak run)  
Att. 40,242

Team Statistics	SD	Buff
First Downs	15	21
Total Yards	259	387
Rush Yards	124	219
Pass Yards	135	168
Passes	36-13-3	20-10-0
Punts	5	5
Fumbles Lost	0	0
Yards Penalized	20	45

# 1965

## BILLS 23, CHARGERS 0

San Diego, Calif., Dec. 26, 1965 — For the second straight year, the Buffalo Bills are champions. And for the second straight year, the Bills can thank their defense. Just ask the frustrated San Diego Chargers, who for the second time fell to the Bills in the AFL Championship Game, this time by a 23-0 count. In eight quarters of championship play, the Chargers have managed just seven points against Buffalo. After an uneventful first quarter, Buffalo scored all the points it needed in this game with a pair of touchdowns in the second quarter. Jack Kemp, voted the game's most valuable player, hit Ernie Warlick with an 18-yard touchdown pass to open the scoring and three minutes later the Bills' Butch Byrd returned a punt 74 yards for a score to put Buffalo on top 14-0. The rest of the game belonged to the Bills' defense as time and again they thwarted San Diego's explosive offense. Three Pete Gogolak field goals in the second half added icing to the Bills' championship cake.

Buffalo	0	14	6	3	—	23
San Diego	0	0	0	0	—	0

Buff-Warlick, 18, pass from Kemp  
(Gogolak kick)  
Buff-Byrd, 74, punt return  
(Gogolak kick)  
Buff-Gogolak, 11, field goal  
Buff-Gogolak, 39, field goal  
Buff-Gogolak, 32, field goal  
Att. 30,361

Team Statistics	SD	Buff
First Downs	12	14
Total Yards	223	260
Rush Yards	104	108
Pass Yards	119	152
Passes	25-12-2	20-9-1
Punts	7	4
Fumbles Lost	0	0
Yards Penalized	41	21

## CHIEFS 31, BILLS 7

Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 1, 1967 — Led by the impeccable quarterbacking of Len Dawson, the Kansas City Chiefs earned the right to play the Green Bay Packers in Super Bowl I by defeating Buffalo 31-7. Dawson completed 16 of 24 passes for 227 yards and a pair of touchdowns while the Kansas City defense forced four Buffalo turnovers and limited the Bills to nine first downs and 40 yards rushing. It was a turnover that turned the game around. The teams traded early touchdowns as the Chiefs took advantage of a Buffalo fumble on the opening kickoff to grab a 7-0 lead. The Bills countered with a 69-yard bomb from Jack Kemp to Elbert Dubenion to tie the game. Dawson hit Otis Taylor with a 29-yard TD pass in the second quarter to put the Chiefs on top, but Kemp moved Buffalo into scoring position near the end of the half. A Johnny Robinson interception and long return set up Mike Mercer's 32-yard field goal with three seconds left in the half and Kansas City had the momentum. Buffalo never penetrated the Chief's 40-yard line in the second half while Kansas City added a pair of scores by Mike Garrett to turn the game into a rout.

Kansas City	7	10	0	14	—	31
Buffalo	7	0	0	0	—	7

KC-Arbanas, 29, pass from Dawson  
(Mercer kick)  
Buff-Dubenion, 69, pass from Kemp  
(Lusteg kick)  
KC-Taylor, 29, pass from Dawson  
(Mercer kick)  
KC-Mercer, 32, field goal  
KC-Garrett, 1, run (Mercer kick)  
KC-Garrett, 18, run (Mercer kick)  
Att 42,080

Team Statistics	KC	Buff
First Downs	14	9
Total Yards	277	255
Rush Yards	113	40
Pass Yards	164	215
Passes	24-16-0	27-12-2
Punts	6	8
Fumbles Lost	0	2
Yards Penalized	40	23

## STEELERS 32, BILLS 14

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 22, 1974 — A four-touchdown explosion in the second quarter propelled the Pittsburgh Steelers to a 32-14 win over the Bills, spoiling Buffalo's first post-season appearance in eight years. The Bills moved out to an early 7-3 lead on a 22-yard touchdown pass from Joe Ferguson to Paul Seymour. Buffalo's advantage was short-lived against the eventual Super Bowl Champions. Terry Bradshaw ran the Steeler offense to perfection in the second quarter, completing seven of eight passes for 143 yards and repeatedly hurting Buffalo with scrambling gains. Rocky Bleier began the Pittsburgh scoring avalanche with a 27-yard TD reception and Franco Harris scored three times from inside the five yard line as the Steelers moved out to an insurmountable 29-7 lead. In the second half Buffalo's comeback hopes were stymied by the tough Pittsburgh defense and a stubborn ball control offense that kept the ball away from the Bills.

Bills	7	0	7	0	—	14
Steelers	3	26	0	3	—	32

Pitt-Gerela, 21, field goal  
Buff-Seymour, 22, pass from Ferguson  
(Leypoldt kick)  
Pitt-Bleier, 27, pass from Bradshaw  
(Kick blocked)  
Pitt-Harris, 1, run (Gerela kick)  
Pitt-Harris, 4, run (Kick blocked)  
Pitt-Harris, 1, run (Gerela kick)  
Buff-Simpson, 3, pass from Ferguson  
(Leypoldt kick)  
Pitt-Gerela, 22, field goal  
Att 48,321

Team Statistics	Buff	Pitt
First Downs	15	29
Total Yards	264	438
Rush Yards	100	235
Pass Yards	164	203
Passes	26-11-0	21-12-0
Punts	5	3
Fumbles Lost	1	0
Yards Penalized	15	10

## ALL-TIME BILLS PLAYER DRAFTS 1960-PRESENT

**1960 FIRST CHOICES:** Birtho Arnold, T-G, Ohio State. Charles Bevens, HB, Morris Brown. Don Black, E, New Mexico. Bill Burrell, G, Illinois. Paul Choquette, FB, Brown. Mike Connelly, C, Utah State. Jim Conroy, FB, Southern California. Bob Coogan, T-G, Utah. Louis Cordileone, T, Clemson. Ted Dean, FB, Wichita. Willie Evans, HB, Buffalo. Ross Fichtner, QB, Purdue. Jon Gilliam, C, East Texas State. Al Goldstein, E, North Carolina. James Houston, E, Ohio State. Ray Jauch, HB, Iowa. Robert Khayat, T, Mississippi. Ken Kirk, C, Mississippi. Jim Leo, E, Cincinnati. Richie Lucas, QB, Penn State. Charles McMurtry, T-G, Whittier. Bubba Meyer, E, Texas Christian. Ron Miller, E, Vanderbilt. Gale Oliver, T, Texas A&M. Harold Olson, T, Clemson. Ray Peterson, HB, West Virginia. Vince Promuto, G, Holy Cross. Rene Ramirez, HB, Texas. Len Rhode, T, Utah State. Joe Schaffer, T, Tennessee. Wayne Schneider, HB, Colorado State. Ivan Tonicic, QB, Pittsburgh. Larry Wilson, HB, Utah.

**SECOND SELECTIONS:** Dwight Baumgardner, E, Duke. Tom Day, T-G, North Carolina A&T. Babe Dreymla, T-G, Texas. Joe Gomes, HB, South Carolina. Mike Graney, E, Notre Dame. Pete Hall, QB, Marquette. \*Ernie Hanson, C, Arizona State. John Littlejohn, HB, Kansas State. Marvin Luster, E, UCLA. Dwight Nichols, HB, Iowa State. Merlin Priddy, HB, Texas Christian. Gary Ratkowski, HB, Citadel. Dale Rems, T-G, Purdue. Carl Robinson, T-G, South Carolina State. Bob Sliva, T-G, S.F. Austin. James Srey, T-G, Texas Southern. Jerry Thompson, T-G, Oklahoma. Royce Whittington, T-G, Southeastern. \*Darrell Harper, HB, Michigan.

**NOTE:** Richie Lucas from Penn State was the first player ever drafted by the Buffalo Bills.

**1961:** 1. Ken Rice, T, Auburn. 2. Billy Shaw, T, Georgia Tech. 3A. Art Baker, FB, Syracuse. 3B. Tom Gilburg, T, Syracuse. 4. Stew Barber, T, Penn State. 5. Norm Snead, QB, Wake Forest. 6. Fred Brown, HB, Georgia. 7. Albert Bemiller, C, Syracuse. 8. Charles Linning, T, Miami. 9. William Majors, HB, Tennessee. 10. Don Kern, HB, Virginia Military. 11. Roy Wall, HB, North Carolina. 12. Floyd Powers, G, Mississippi State. 13. Tom Causey, E, Louisiana Tech. 14. Ron Kostelnik, T, Cincinnati. 15. Jerry Frye, E, South Carolina. 16. Vincent Scott, E, Maryland. 17. Wayne Wolff, T, Wake Forest. 18. John Bodkin, G, South Carolina. 19. Charles Barnes, E, Northeast Louisiana State. 20. Everett Cloud, HB, Maryland. 21. \*Larry Vargo, E, Detroit. 22. \*Charles Baker, T, Tennessee. 23. William Mack, HB, Notre Dame. 24. \*Frank Jackunas, C, Detroit. 25. Jack Harbaugh, HB, Bowling Green. 26. Lorenzo Stanford, T, North Carolina A&I. 27. Bob Allen, E, Wake Forest. 28. Jason Harness, E, Michigan State. 29. Mike Stock, HB, Northwestern. 30. William Martin, HB, Minnesota.

**1962:** 1. Ernie Davis, HB, Syracuse. 2. Glenn Glass, HB, Tennessee. 3. John Elwell, E, Purdue. 4. Choice to Dallas Texans. 5. Tom Dellinger, HB, North Carolina State. 6. Dave Viti, E, Boston University. 7. Jim LeCompte, North Carolina. 8. Paul White, HB, Florida. 9. Bill Saul, C, Penn State. 10. Amos Bullocks, HB, Southern Illinois. 11A. Jerry Croft, G, Bowling Green. 11B. Tom Pennington, E, Georgia. 12. Choice to Oakland. 13A. Ron Gassert, T, Virginia. 13B. Mike Stratton, E, Tennessee. 14. \*Ron Scufca, T, Purdue. 15. \*Roger Kochman, HB, Penn State. 16. Frank Imperiale, T, Southern Illinois. 17. Tom Sestak, E, McNeese State. 18. Joe Kehoe, E, Virginia. 19. Bill Johnson, LB, Southeast Louisiana. 20. Sam Tidmore, E, Ohio State. 21. Carey Henly, HB, Chattanooga. 22. Tom Hall, E, Minnesota. 23. Ray Abruzzese, HB, Alabama. 24. Stan Sczurek, G, Purdue. 25. \*Dave Gash, E, Kentucky. 26. \*Ed Reynolds, T, Tulane. 27. \*Claude Crabb, HB, Colorado. 28. \*Roy Walker, FB, Purdue. 29. \*Jim Beaver, G, Florida. 30. \*Cody Binkley, C, Vanderbilt. 31. \*Jim Collier, E, Arkansas. 32. \*Ken Erickson, E, Syracuse. 33. \*Tony Parilli, G, Illinois. 34. \*Ben Charles, QB, Southern California. \* = Future Choice.

**1963:** 1. Dave Behrman, C, Michigan State. 2A. Jim Dunaway, T, Mississippi. 2B. Tom Hutchinson, E, Kentucky. 3. Tom Brown, HB, Maryland. 4. Tom Woodeshick, HB, West Virginia. 5. Bob Jencks, E, Miami (Ohio). 6A. George Salmes, FB, Michigan State. 6B. Jim Moss, LB, South Carolina. 7. Jim Kanicki, T, Michigan State. 8. Choice to Denver. 9. Larry Stallings, LB, Georgia Tech. 10. Ron Snidow, T, Oregon. 11. Lindy Infante, HB, Florida. 12. Choice to Boston. 13. Choice to Boston. 14. \*J.B. Simmons, E, Tulsa. 15. \*Paul Underhill, FB, Missouri. 16. Ed Hoerster, LB, Notre Dame. 17. Jeff Slabaugh, T, Indiana. 18. Herb Paterra, LB, Michigan State. 19. Gene Sykes, E, Louisiana State. 20. Harlow Fullwood, T, Virginia Union. 21. \*Ed Adamchak, T, Pittsburgh. 22. \*Charles Walker, T, Duke. 23. Bob Middleton, E, Ohio State. 24. Daryle Lamonica, QB, Notre Dame. 25. Ron Carlson, E, Wisconsin. 26. \*Willie Crenshaw, FB, Nebraska. 27. Dick Quast, G, Memphis State. 28. \*Leon Mavity, HB, Colorado. 29. \*Charles Killett, HB, Michigan State.

**1964:** 1. Carl Eller, T, Minnesota. 2. Dick Evey, DE, Tennessee. 3. George Rose, DB, Auburn. 4A. George Byrd, DB, Boston University. 4B. Paul Warfield, WR, Ohio State. 5A. Tom Keating, T, Michigan. 5B. Mike Reilly, LB, Iowa. 6. Choice to Kansas City. 7. Roger Pillath, T, Wisconsin. 8. Choice to Boston. 9. Paul Martha, HB, Pittsburgh. 10A. Howard Simpson, E, Auburn. 10B. Earl Lattimer, RB, Michigan State. 11A. Bobby Smith, HB, North Texas State. 11B. Cloyd Webb, E, Iowa. 12A. Willie Ross, HB, Nebraska. 12B. Pete Gogolak, K, Cornell. 13. Joe O'Donnell, G, Michigan. 14. \*Remi Prudhomme, T, Louisiana State. 15. \*Bill Simpson, T, Baylor. 16. \*John Hilton, E, Richmond. 17. \*Larry Kramer, T, Nebraska. 18. Hagood Clarke, HB, Florida. 19. Don Montgomery, E, North Carolina State. 20. Bob Dugan, T, Mississippi State. 21. \*John Delbert, T, Penn State. 22. \*John Briscoe, LB, Arizona. 23. \*John Evans, T, Memphis State. 24. \*Dick Schott, T, Louisville.

**1965:** 1. Jim Davidson, T, Ohio State. 2. Choice to Kansas City. 3. Alan Atkinson, T, Villanova. 4. Choice to Kansas City. 5. Dave Simmons, LB, Georgia Tech. 6. Lance Rentzel, WR, Oklahoma. 7. Marty Schottenheimer, LB, Pittsburgh. 8. Ray Rismiller, T, Georgia. 9. Al Nelson, DB, Cincinnati. 10A. Chuck Mercein, FB, Yale. 10B. Floyd Hudlow, DB, Arizona. 11. Doug Goodwin, FB, Maryland State. 12A. Chuck Hurston, T, Auburn. 12B. Pete Mills, HB, Wichita. 13. Bob Timberlake, QB, Michigan. 14. Lyn Hart, Virginia State. 15. John Meyer, LB, Notre Dame. 16. Bruce Airheart, HB, North Dakota State. 17. John Henderson, E, Michigan. 18A. Ray Hinze, T, Texas A&M. 18B. John Fouse, E, Arizona. 19. Frank Marchlewski, LB, Minnesota. 20. John Henry, DT, Boston University.

**1965 RED SHIRT DRAFT:** 1. Ken Ambrusco, HB, Maryland. 2. Gary Lane, QB, Missouri. 3. John Kuzniewski, FB, Purdue. 4. Roger Davis, HB, Virginia. 5. John Boyette, T, Clemson. 6. John Strohmeier, DE, Nebraska. 7. J.R. Wilburn, E, South Carolina. 8. Charles King, DB, Purdue. 9. Earl Hawkins, HB, Emory. 10. Sonny Odom, HB, Duke. 11. Ray Johnson, G, Prairie View. 12. George Wilson, QB, Xavier.

**1966:** 1. Mike Dennis, HB, Mississippi. 2. Jim Lindsey, HB, Arkansas. 3. Randy Jackson, T, Florida. 4. Bobby Burnett, HB, Arkansas. 5. Bob Sherlag, DB, Memphis State. 6. Bill Johnson, DB, Sewanee. 7. Choice to Denver. 8. Paul Guidry, LB, McNeese State. 9. James Carter, DE, Tennessee State. 10. Bobby Crockett, WR, Arkansas. 11. Dale Stewart, HB, Pittsburgh. 12. Wayne DeSutter, T, Western Illinois. 13. Al McFarlane, HB-K, Louisville. 14. Tony Golmont, DB, North Carolina State. 15. Allen Smith, HB, Fort Valley State. 16. Ed Russell, T, Illinois. 17. Bill Earhart, DT, Bowling Green. 18. Greg Lashutka, E, Ohio State. 19. Mel Phillips, DB, North Carolina A&T. 20. Ken McLean, E, Texas A&M. \* - Future Choice.

**1966 RED SHIRT DRAFT:** 1. Jack Gregory, DE, Chattanooga. 2. Johnny Robinson, E, Tennessee State. 3. Tony King, E, Findlay. 4. Dick Cunningham, LB, Arkansas. 5. Richard Czap, T, Nebraska. 6. Leroy Carter, HB, Grambling. 7. Dick Weeks, HB,

Texas Western. 8. Monroe Phelps, HB, Missouri. 9. Ed King, LB, Southern California. 10. Bill Moorer, C, Georgia Tech. 11. Benny Russell, QB, Louisville.

**1967:** 1. John Pitts, DB, Arizona State. 2. Jim LeMoine, TE, Utah State. 3. Tom Rhoads, DE, Notre Dame. 4. Gary Bugenhagen, T, Syracuse. 5. Choice to Miami. 6. Bill Wilkerson, DE, Texas Western. 7. George Gaiser, T, Southern Methodist. 8. Tommy Luke, DB, Mississippi. 9. Gerald Seither, WR, Kent State. 10. Tom Croft, DB, Louisiana Tech. 11. Paul Tomich, T, Drake. 12A. Ernie Ames, DT, Kent State. 12B. Robert Bonner, DT, Southern. 13A. Howard Finley, DB, Tennessee A&I. 13B. George Carter, HB, St. Bonaventure. 13C. Randy Wheeler, HB, Georgia. 14. Vern Moore, HB, Central Oklahoma State. 15. Grant Martinsen, DB, Utah State. 16. Mike Irwin, DB, Penn State. 17. Grove Smith, HB, Fort Valley State.

**1968:** 1. Haven Moses, WR, San Diego State. 2. Bob Tatareck, DT, Miami. 3. Richard Trapp, E, Florida. 4. Edgar Chandler, LB, Georgia. 5A. Ben Gregory, RB, Nebraska. 5B. Mike McBath, DE, Penn State. 5C. Max Anderson, RB, Arizona State. 6. Choice to Cincinnati. 7. Pete Richardson, DB, Dayton. 8. Robert Kalsu, T, Oklahoma. 9. Gary McDermott, RB, Tulsa. 10. Jerome Lawson, DB, Utah. 11. Richard Plagge, RB, Auburn. 12. Greg Pipes, LB, Baylor. 13. Dan Darragh, QB, William & Mary. 14. Chuck Devliegher, DT, Memphis State. 15. John Gilmore, DT, Peru. 16. John Frantz, C, California. 17. Dick Hines, DT, Kentucky State.

**1969:** 1. O.J. Simpson, RB, Southern California. 2. Bill Enyart, RB, Oregon State. 3. Julian Nunamaker, DE, Tennessee (Martin). 4. Mike Richey, T, North Carolina. 5. Ben Mayes, DT, Drake. 6. Choice to Denver. 7. John Helton, DE, Arizona State. 8A. James Harvey, T, Virginia Tech. 8B. James Harris, QB, Grambling. 9. Choice to Boston. 10. Ron Baines, WR, Montana. 11. Bobby Hall, RB, North Carolina State. 12. Lloyd Pate, RB, Cincinnati. 13. Leon Lovelace, T, Texas Tech. 14. Bubba Thornton, WR, Texas Christian. 15. Karl Wilson, RB, Olivet. 16. Robert Kirk, G, Indiana. 17. Wayne Lineberry, LB, East Carolina.

**1970:** 1. Al Cowlings, DE, Southern California. 2. Dennis Shaw, QB, San Diego State. 3A. Jim Reilly, G, Notre Dame. 3B. Glenn Alexander, DB, Grambling. 4. Jerome Gantt, DE, North Carolina Central. 5. Steve Starnes, LB, Tampa. 6A. Ken Edwards, RB, Virginia Tech. 6B. Grant Guthrie, K, Florida State. 7. Wayne Fowler, T, Richmond. 8. Richard Cheek, T, Auburn. 9. Bill Bridges, G, Houston. 10. Willie Dixon, DB, Albany State. 11. Terry Williams, RB, Grambling. 12. Dave Simpson, T, Drake. 13. Steve Schroeder, K, Pacific. 14. William Costen, T, Morris Brown. 15. Dave Farris, TE, Central Michigan. 16. Larry Davis, WR, Rice. 17. George Bevan, DB, Louisiana State.

**1971:** 1. J.D. Hill, WR, Arizona State. 2. Jan White, TE, Ohio State. 3A. Bruce Jarvis, C, Washington. 3B. Jim Braxton, RB, West Virginia. 4. Choice to New Orleans. 5A. Don Green, T, Purdue. 5B. Tim Beamer, DB, Johnson C. Smith. 6. Bill McKinley, DE, Arizona. 7. Bob Chandler, WR, Southern California. 8A. Lewis Ross, DE, South Carolina State. 8B. Tyrone Walls, RB, Missouri. 9. Bob Strickland, LB, Auburn. 10. Choice to Oakland. 11. Andy Browder, T, Texas A&I. 12. Jim Sheffield, K, Texas A&M. 13. Busty Underwood, QB, Texas Christian. 14. Jim Hoots, DE, Missouri Southern. 15. Charles Cole, RB, Toledo. 16. Billy Hunter, DB, Utah. 17. Pat Morrison, TE, Arkansas.

**1972:** 1. Walt Patulski, DE, Notre Dame. 2. Reggie McKenzie, G, Michigan. 3. Fred Swendson, DE, Notre Dame. 4. Randy Jackson, RB, Wichita State. 5A. Leon Garror, DB, Alcorn A&M. 5B. Bob Penchion, G, Alcorn A&M. 6. Choice to Oakland. 7. Ralph Stepaniak, DB, Notre Dame. 8. Paul Gibson, WR, Texas-El Paso. 9. Steve Vogel, LB, Boise State. 10. Maurice Tyler, DB, Morgan State. 11. Bill Light, LB, Minnesota. 12. Jeff Baker, WR, U.S. International. 13. Ed Moss, RB, Southeast Missouri. 14. Karl Salb, DT, Kansas. 15. Choice to Oakland. 16. Brian Lindstrom, QB, Arizona. 17. John Sheeley, DB, Oklahoma.

**1973:** 1A. Paul Seymour, T, Michigan. 1B. Joe DeLamielleure, G, Michigan State. 2. Jeff Winans, DT, Southern California. 3A. Joe Ferguson, QB, Arkansas. 3B. Bob Kampa, DE, California. 4A. Donnie Walker, DB, Central State (Ohio). 4B. Jeff Yeates, DT, Boston College. 5. Wallace Francis, WR, Arkansas A&M. 6. John Skorupan, LB, Penn State. 7A. Brian McConnell, LB, Michigan State. 7B. John Ford, TE, Henderson State. 8. Lee Fobbs, RB, Grambling. 9. Mike Reppond, WR, Arkansas. 10A. Matthew Reed, QB, Grambling. 10B. John LeHeup, LB, South Carolina. 11. Richard Earl, T, Tennessee. 12. Ron Carroll, DT, Sam Houston. 13. Choice to Denver. 14. Merv Krakau, LB, Iowa State. 15A. Joe Rizzo, LB, Kings Point. 15B. Vince O'Neil, RB, Kansas. 16. Choice to Denver. 17. John Stearns, DE, Colorado.

**1974:** 1. Reuben Gant, TE, Oklahoma State. 2. Doug Allen, LB, Penn State. 3. Gary Marangi, QB, Boston College. 4. Carlester Crumpler, RB, East Carolina. 5A. Gary Hayman, WR, Penn State. 5B. Tim Guy, DT, Oregon. 6. Choice to Cleveland. 7. Choice to Baltimore. 8. Greg Hare, QB, Ohio State. 9. Brian Doherty, P, Notre Dame. 10A. Art Cameron, TE, Albany State. 10B. Don Calhoun, RB, Kansas State. 11. Rod Kirby, LB, Pittsburgh. 12. Dave Means, DE, Southeast Missouri State. 13. Ed Gatewood, LB, Tennessee State. 14A. Phil Lamm, DB, North Carolina. 14B. Phil Gurbada, DB, Mayville College. 15. Ken Williams, DB, Southwest Louisiana State. 16. Sanford Qvale, OT, North Dakota State. 17. Sal Casola, K, Cincinnati.

**1975:** 1. Tom Ruud, LB, Nebraska. 2A. Bob Nelson, LB, Nebraska. 2B. Glenn Lott, DB, Drake. 3. Choice to San Francisco. 4. Tom Donchez, FB, Penn State. 5. John McCrumbly, LB, Texas A&M. 6. Choice to New Orleans. 7A. Gil Chapman, WR, Michigan. 7B. Reggie Cherry, RB, Houston. 7C. Harry Banks, DB, Michigan. 8. John Hill, DT, Duke. 9. Choice to Cincinnati. 10. Roland Hooks, RB, North Carolina State. 11. Tom Drake, DB, Michigan. 12. Mark Johnson, DE, Missouri. 13. Mark Dienhart, G, St. Thomas. 14. Robert Evans, WR, Morris Brown. 15. Chris Kupec, QB, North Carolina. 16. Tom Fine, TE, Notre Dame. 17. Jeff Turcotte, DE, Colorado.

**1976:** 1. Mario Clark, DB, Oregon. 2A. Ken Jones, G-DE, Arkansas State. 2B. Joe Devlin, T, Iowa. 3. Ben Williams, DE, Mississippi. 4. Dan Jilek, LB, Michigan. 5. Fred Coleman, TE, Northeast Louisiana. 6A. Leslie Benson, DE, Baylor. 6B. Scott Piper, WR, Arizona. 6C. Darnell Powell, RB, Chattanooga. 7. Jackie Williams, DB, Texas A & M. 8A. Scott Gardner, QB, Virginia. 8B. Bobby Joe Easter, RB, Middle Tennessee. 8C. Art Meadowcroft, G, Minnesota. 9A. Jeff Turner, LB, Kansas. 9B. Bob Kotzur, DT, Southwest Texas. 10. Keith Moody, DB, Syracuse. 11. Forry Smith, WR, Iowa State. 12. Joe Lowery, RB, Jackson State. 13. Will Wilcox, G, Texas. 14. Tony Williams, WR, Middle Tennessee. 15. Arnold Robinson, LB, Bethune Cookman. 16. Gary Gorrell, LB, Boise State. 17. Bob Berg, K, New Mexico.

**1977:** 1. Phil Dokes, DT, Oklahoma State. 3A. Curtis Brown, RB, Missouri. 3B. John Kimbrough, WR, St. Cloud State. 4. Jimmy Dean, DT, Texas A. & M. 5A. Fred Besana, QB, California. 5B. Neil O'Donoghue, K, Auburn. 6. Ron Pruitt, DT, Nebraska. 7. Mike Nelms, DB, Baylor. 8. Greg Morton, LB, Michigan. 11. Nate Jackson, RB, Tennessee State. 12. Charles Romes, DB, North Carolina Central.

**1978:** 1. Terry Miller, RB, Oklahoma State. 2A. Dee Hardison, DE, North Carolina. 2B. Scott Hutchinson, DE, Florida. 3A. Dennis Johnson, RB, Mississippi State. 3B. Danny Fulton, WR, Nebraska-Omaha. 4. Lucius Sanford, LB, Georgia Tech. 5. Ken Spaeth, TE, Nebraska. 6. Eric Smith, T, Southern Mississippi. 7A. Mario Celotto, LB, Southern California. 7B. Steve Powell, RB, N. E. Missouri State. 10. Will Grant, C, Kentucky. 11. Gerald Blanton, LB, Kentucky. 12. Richard Crump, RB, N. E. Oklahoma A & M.

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## RECENT BUFFALO TRADES

### 1972-Present

#### 1972

Guard Irv Goode from St. Louis for guard Joe O'Donnell. Defensive tackle Greg Lens and defensive end Randy Marshall from Atlanta for fifth-round draft choice (choice from Denver in Byrd trade). Linebacker/tight end Dave Washington from Denver for linebacker Al Andrews. Miami's No. 1 draft choice in 1973 (guard Joe DeLamielleure) in compensation for wide receiver Marlin Briscoe. Defensive end/linebacker Dale Farley from Miami for defensive tackle Jim Dunaway. Conditional draft choice from Washington for guard Mike Wilson. Conditional draft choice from San Diego for defensive end Cal Snowden. Defensive tackle Frank Cornish from Miami for tackle/center Howard Kindig and fifth-round draft choice (quarterback Don Strock). Wide receiver Dwight Harrison from Denver for wide receiver Haven Moses. Center Tom Beard from Denver for thirteenth-round draft choice (defensive end Ed Smith). Conditional draft choice for guard Levert Carr. Center Remi Prudhomme and tackle Sam Holden on waivers from New Orleans. Defensive end Scott Lewis from Houston for conditional draft choice (nullified). Kicker Mike Clark and defensive tackle Lonnie Leonard on waivers from Dallas. Linebacker Andy Selfridge and defensive tackle John Richardson on waivers from San Diego. Cornerback Lorenzo Brinkley on waivers from Cleveland. Linebacker Ken Lee on waivers from Detroit. Wide receiver Dennis Homan on waivers from Kansas City. Running back Tom Mosizek on waivers from New York Giants. Defensive tackle Don Croft and quarterback Karl Douglas on waivers from Baltimore. Defensive tackle Jerry Patton on waivers from Minnesota. Tackle Dave Foley on waivers from New York Jets. Quarterback Mike Taliaferro on waivers from New England. Tight end Bob Christiansen, safety John Saunders and quarterback Leo Hart on waivers from Los Angeles. Linebacker Jeff Lyman on waivers from St. Louis. Defensive tackle Steve Okoniewski on waivers from Atlanta. Waived cornerback Tim Beamer to Cincinnati. Waived defensive end Fred Swendsen to Detroit. Waived guard Dick Cheek to Houston.

#### 1973

Running back Tom Bougus from Denver for 16th-round draft choice (running back Oliver Ross). Defensive end Allen Aldridge from Houston for linebacker Paul Guidry. Waived wide receiver Linzy Cole to New York Giants. Waived center John Matlock and tackle Tom Beard to Chicago. Future draft choices from Washington for quarterback Mike Taliaferro. Center/guard Mike Montler, defensive end Halvor Hagen and linebacker Jim Cheyunski from New England for linebacker Edgar Chandler, running back Wayne Patrick and linebacker Jeff Lyman. Tight end Lee Thomas and safety Chuck Detwiler from San Diego for a future draft choice. Wide receiver Jack Gehrke and running back Clem Turner from Denver for future draft choice. Running back Robert "Bo" Cornell from Cleveland for a future draft choice. Future draft choice from Houston for defensive end Al Cowlings. Defensive end Ron Berger from New England for linebacker Ken Lee. Wide receiver Ray Jarvis from Atlanta for future draft choice. Punter Joe Zuger on waivers from Detroit. Tight end John Mosier from Baltimore for future draft choice. Running back Al Davis from Philadelphia for future draft choice. Future draft choice from Cleveland for tight end Jan White. Fullback Larry Watkins from Philadelphia for linebacker Dick Cunningham. Running back Willie Belton from Atlanta for defensive end Louis Ross. Running back Charley Davis on waivers from New England. Defensive tackle Mike Kadish from Miami for guard Irv Goode. Linebacker Dave Long from New Orleans for future draft choice. Future draft choice from San Diego for linebacker Mike Stratton. Linebacker Marty Huff from San Francisco for future draft choice. Defensive tackle Earl Edwards from San



Francisco for running back Randy Jackson and future draft choice. Linebacker Rick Kingrea from Cleveland for future draft choice. Guard/center Willie Parker from Los Angeles for future draft choice. Running back Steve Jones on waivers from St. Louis. Running back Pete Van Valkenburg on waivers from New Orleans. Future draft choice from St. Louis for running back Willie Belton. Linebacker Fred Forsberg from Denver for safety John Pitts.

#### 1974

Wide receiver Amhad Rashad from St. Louis for quarterback Dennis Shaw. Second round draft choice (linebacker Bob Nelson) from Philadelphia for defensive tackle Jerry Patton. Quarterback Scott Hunter from Green Bay for defensive tackle Steve Okoniewski and running back Pete Van Valkenburg. Defensive tackle Steve Chomyszak from Cincinnati for future draft choice. Safety Neal Craig from Cincinnati for future draft choice. Seventh round draft choice (wide receiver Gil Chapman) to San Francisco for tackle Bob Penchion. Seventh round draft choice (running back Reggie Cherry) from Denver for defensive end Bob Kampa. Running back Clint Haslerig on waivers from Chicago.

#### 1975

Fifth round draft choice from Los Angeles for defensive back Donnie Walker. Sixth round draft choice (defensive end Leslie Benson) and eighth round draft choice (guard Art Meadowcroft) from Atlanta for wide receiver Wallace Francis. Seventh round draft choice (defensive back Jackie Williams) from New York Giants for running back Larry Watkins. Sixth round draft choice (running back Darnell Powell) from Baltimore for linebacker Jim Cheyonski. Future draft choice from San Francisco for linebacker Dave Washington. Second round draft choice in 1977 to Dallas for defensive end Pat Toomay. Seventh round draft choice to New York Jets for defensive back Earlie Thomas. Eighth round draft choice to Kansas City for defensive back Doug Jones. Eighth round draft choice (quarterback Scott Gardner) from Cleveland for safety Neal Craig. Future draft choice to San Francisco for defensive back Frank Oliver.

#### 1976

Second round draft choice (tackle Joe Devlin) from St. Louis for defensive end Walt Patulski. Ninth round draft choice (linebacker Jeff Turner) from San Diego for tackle Halvor Hagen. Third round draft choice (wide receiver John Kimbrough) and sixth round draft choice (defensive tackle Ron Pruitt) from Cleveland for defensive tackle Earl Edwards. First round draft choice (defensive tackle Phil Dokes) from Detroit for wide receiver J. D. Hill. Defensive end Sherman White from Cincinnati for first round draft choice. Third round draft choice (later traded to Houston) from Oakland for defensive tackle Jeff Winans. Wide receiver Bob Gaddis from Pittsburgh for tenth round draft choice. Wide receiver Emmett Edwards from Houston for third round draft choice.

#### 1977

Defensive tackle Bill Dunstan from Philadelphia for draft choice. 1979 second round draft choice from Denver for Mike Montler. Defensive end Billy Newsome from New York Jets for draft choice. Draft choice from Philadelphia (tackle Eric Smith) for tackle Donnie Green. Wide receiver Lou Piccone from New York Jets for draft choice. Draft choice from Houston (running back Steve Powell) for defensive tackle Jimmy Dean. Center Connie Zelencik from Chicago for defensive end Billy Newsome.

#### 1978

Second round draft choice (defensive end Scott Hutchinson), third round draft choice (wide receiver Danny Fulton) and future draft choices from San Francisco for running back O. J. Simpson. Center Phil Olsen from Denver for future draft choice. Defensive tackle Pete Lazetich from Philadelphia for future draft choice. Cornerback Dwight Harrison to Baltimore for future draft choice. Wide receiver Frank Lewis from Pittsburgh for tight end Paul Seymour. Wide receiver Kevin Farrell from Philadelphia for cash. Tackle Elbert Drungo from Houston for future draft choice. Tackle Blanchard Carter from Tampa Bay for future draft choice. Center Richard Keys from San Diego for past consideration. Guard Stephen Lawson from San Francisco for future draft choice. Linebackers Tom Ehlers and Tom Graham from Philadelphia for future draft choices. Wide receiver Mike Levenseller, linebacker Randy McLanahan and kicker Errol Mann from Oakland for past considerations. Quarterback Bill Munson from San Diego for future draft choice. Running back Jim Braxton to Washington for future draft choice. Running back Stan Winfrey to Detroit for future draft choice.

# THE BILLS ALL-PRO SELECTIONS

1960-1978

**1960:** Wray Carlton FB, TSN, 2; Archie Matsos LB, TSN, 1; AP, 1; UPI, 1. Richie McCabe DB, TSN, 1; AP, 1. LaVerne Torczon DE, TSN, 1; AP, 1; UPI, 1. Jim Wagstaff DB, TSN, 2.

**1961:** Billy Atkins DB, TSN, 2; UPI, 1; AP, 1; NEA, 1. Ralph Felton LB, UPI, 2. Archie Matsos LB, TSN, 1; UPI, 2. Chuck McMurtry DT, TSN, 1. Ken Rice T, TSN, 2; UPI, 2. LaVerne Torczon DE, TSN, 2; UPI, 1.

**1962:** Stew Barber T, AP, 1; UPI, 2. Cookie Gilchrist FB, TSN, 1; AP, 1; UPI, 1. Harold Olson T, AP, 1; UPI, 1. Tom Sestak DT, TSN, 2; UPI, 2. Billy Shaw G, AP, 1; UPI, 1.

**1963:** Stew Barber T, AP, 1; UPI, 1; NEA, 1; TSN, 2. Elbert Dubenion WR, AP, 2. Cookie Gilchrist FB, TSN, 2; AP, 2; UPI, 2. Jack Kemp QB, TSN, 2; AP, 2; UPI, 2. Bill Miller TE, AP, 2. Tom Sestak DT, TSN, 1; AP, 1; UPI, 1; NEA, 1. Billy Shaw G, TSN, 1; AP, 1; UPI, 1; NEA, 1. Willie West DB, TSN, 2.

**1964:** Stew Barber T, TSN, 1; AP, 1; UPI, 1; NEA, 1. George Byrd CB, TSN, 2. Tom Day DE, TSN, 2; NEA, 2. Elbert Dubenion WR, AP, 2. Cookie Gilchrist FB, TSN, 1; AP, 1; UPI, 1; NEA, 1. George Saines S, AP, 1; UPI, 2; NEA, 2; TSN, 2. Tom Sestak DT, TSN, 1; AP, 1; UPI, 1; NEA, 1. Bill Shaw G, TSN, 1; AP, 1; UPI, 1; NEA, 1. Mike Stratton LB, AP, 1; UPI, 1; NEA, 2; TSN, 2. John Tracey LB, TSN, 2.

**1965:** Stew Barber T, UPI, 2. George Byrd CB, TSN, 1; AP, 1; UPI, 2; NEA, 2. Tom Day DE, TSN, 2; AP, 2; NEA, 2. Jim Dunaway DT, UPI, 2. Pete Gogolak K, TSN, 1. Harry Jacobs LB, NEA, 2. Jack Kemp QB, TSN, 1; AP, 1; UPI, 1; NEA, 1. Ron McDole DE, UPI, 1. George Saines S, TSN, 1; AP, 1; UPI, 1; NEA, 1. Tom Sestak DT, TSN, 1; AP, 1; UPI, 1; NEA, 1. Billy Shaw G, TSN, 1; AP, 1; UPI, 1; NEA, 1. Mike Stratton LB, TSN, 1; AP, 1; UPI, 1; NEA, 1. John Tracey LB, AP, 2.

**1966:** Stew Barber T, TSN, 2; AP, 2. Bobby Burnett RB, TSN, 2; AP, 2; UPI, 2; NEA, 2. George Byrd CB, TSN, 1; AP, 1; UPI, 1; NEA, 1. Wray Carlton FB, TSN, 2; AP, 2; UPI, 2; NEA, 2. Hagood Clarke DB, AP, 2. Paul Costa T, NEA, 2. Tom Day DE, TSN, 2. Jim Dunaway DT, AP, 1; UPI, 2. Dick Hudson T, AP, 2; UPI, 2; NEA, 2. Harry Jacobs LB, TSN, 2; UPI, 2. Jack Kemp QB, TSN, 2; AP, 2. Ron McDole DE, AP, 1; UPI, 2; NEA, 2. George Saines, S, TSN, 1; UPI, 2; NEA, 2. Tom Sestak DT, TSN, 2; NEA, 1. Billy Shaw G, TSN, 1; AP, 1; UPI, 1; NEA, 1. Mike Stratton LB, TSN, 1; AP, 1; UPI, 1; NEA, 1.

**1967:** Paul Maguire P, TSN, 2. Ron McDole DE, AP, 2; UPI, 2; NEA, 1. George Saines S, TSN, 1; AP, 1; UPI, 1; NEA, 1. Mike Stratton LB, TSN, 2; AP, 2; NEA, 1.

**1968:** George Byrd CB, AP, 2; NEA, 2. Ron McDole DE, AP, 2; TSN, 2; NEA, 1. George Saines S, TSN, 2; UPI, 2. Bill Shaw G, TSN, 2; AP, 2. Mike Stratton LB, TSN, 2; NEA, 2.

**1969:** George Byrd CB, TSN, 2; AP, 1; UPI, 1; NEA, 1. Jim Dunaway DT, NEA, 2. Ron McDole DE, NEA, 1. Billy Shaw G, NEA, 2. Mike Stratton LB, NEA, 2.

**1970:** (All Conference) — Marlin Briscoe WR, AP, 1; UPI, 1.

**1972:** (All-Pro) O.J. Simpson RB, AP, 1. (All Conference) Robert James CB, AP, 1; UPI, 1. O.J. Simpson RB, AP, 1; UPI, 1.

**1973:** (All-Pro) Robert James CB, AP, 1; FN, 1; PFW, 2. Reggie McKenzie G, AP, 1; FN, 1; PFW, 2. O.J. Simpson RB, AP, 1; PFWA, 1; FN, 1; PFW, 1; NEA, 1. (All-Conference) — Robert James CB, AP, 1; UPI, 1; PFW, 1. Reggie McKenzie G, AP, 1; UPI, 1; PFW, 2. O.J. Simpson RB, AP, 1; UPI, 1; PFW, 1.

**1974:** (All-Pro) Tony Greene, S, AP, 1; NEA, 1; PFWA 1; PFW 1; Robert James, CB, AP, 1; NEA 1; PFWA 1; PFW 1; FN 1; O.J. Simpson, RB, AP, 1; NEA 1; PFWA 1; PFW 1; FN 2 (All Conference) — Earl Edwards, DT, UPI Hon. Men.; Tony Greene, S, AP 1; UPI 1; TSN 1; Robert James, CB, AP 1; UPI, 1; TSN, 1; John Leyboldt, K, UPI, 2; Reggie McKenzie, G, UPI, 1; TSN, 1; Ahmad Rashad, WR, UPI, 2; O.J. Simpson, RB, AP, 1; UPI, 1; TSN, 1; Dave Washington, LB, UPI, 2.

**1975:** (All-Pro) Joe DeLamielleure, G, AP, 1; FN, 1; PFW, 1; PFWA, 1; O.J. Simpson, RB, AP, 1; FN, 1; NEA, 1; PFW, 1; PFWA, 1 (All Conference) Joe DeLamielleure, G, AP, 1; UPI, 1; PFW, 1; Reggie McKenzie, G, UPI, 2; O.J. Simpson, RB, AP, 1; PFW, 1; UPI, 1.

**1976:** (All-Pro) Joe DeLamielleure, G, AP, 1; FN, 1; NEA, 1; PFW, 1; PFWA, 1; UPI, 1; TSN, 1; O.J. Simpson, RB, AP, 1; FN, 1; NEA, 1; PFW, 1; PFWA, 1; UPI 1; TSN, 1 (All Conference) Joe DeLamielleure, G, AP, 1; UPI, 1; PFW, 1; O.J. Simpson, RB, AP, 1; UPI, 1; PFW, 1; Bob Chandler, WR, UPI, Hon. Men.

**1977:** (All-Pro) Joe DeLamielleure, G, AP, 2; FN, 1; NEA, 1; PFW, 1; PFWA, 1; UPI, 1; TSN, 1; Bob Chandler, WR, UPI, 2.

**1978:** (All-Pro) Joe DeLamielleure, G, NEA, 1; PFWA, 1; AP, 2; PFW, 1; (All-AFC) Joe DeLamielleure, G, TSN, 1; UPI, 1; PFW, 1; (All-Rookie) Terry Miller, RB, PFWA, PFW, UPI, FD; Dee Hardison, DT, UPI, PFWA, PFW, FD; Lucius Sanford, LB, FD.

**KEY:** TSN — The Sporting News; AP — Associated Press; UPI — United Press International; NEA — Newspaper Enterprise Association; PFWA — Pro Football Writer's Association; FN — Football News; PFW — Pro Football Weekly; FD — Football Digest

## BILLS IN POST-SEASON GAMES

### PRO BOWL

**1978:** Joe DeLamielleure, G.

**1977:** Joe DeLamielleure, G; Tony Greene, S.

**1976:** O.J. Simpson, RB; Joe DeLamielleure, G.

**1975:** O.J. Simpson, RB; Joe DeLamielleure, G.

**1974:** O.J. Simpson, RB; Robert James, CB.

**1973:** O.J. Simpson, RB; Robert James, CB; Dave Foley, T.

**1972:** O.J. Simpson, RB; Robert James, CB; J.D. Hill, WR.

**1971:** None.

**1970:** Marlin Briscoe, WR.

### AFL ALL-STAR GAME

**1969:** Billy Shaw, G. George Byrd, CB. Haven Moses, WR. Jack Kemp, QB. O.J. Simpson, RB. Harry Jacobs, LB.

**1968:** Billy Shaw, G. Jim Dunaway, T. Mike Stratton, LB. George Saimes, S.

**1967:** Billy Shaw, G. Keith Lincoln, RB. Ron McDole, DE. Jim Dunaway, DT. Mike Stratton, LB. George Saimes, S. Stew Barber, T. Mike Mercer, K. Tom Janik, DB.

**1966:** Paul Costa, E. Stew Barber, T. Jim Dunaway, DT. Billy Shaw, G. Jack Kemp, QB. Bob Burnett, RB. George Saimes, S. George Byrd, CB. Wray Carlton, FB. Mike Stratton, LB. John Tracey, LB.

**1965:** Entire Bills' squad played against a League All-Star team.

**1964:** Elbert Dubenion, WR. Stew Barber, T. Tom Sestak, DT. Billy Shaw, G. Jack Kemp, QB. George Byrd, CB. George Saimes, S. Cookie Gilchrist, FB. Mike Stratton, LB.

**1963:** Stew Barber, T. Tom Sestak, DT. Billy Shaw, G. Cookie Gilchrist, FB. Mike Stratton, LB. Jack Kemp, QB (Did not play).

**1962:** Tom Sestak, DT. Billy Shaw, G. Jack Kemp, QB. Cookie Gilchrist, FB. Archie Matsos, LB.

**1961:** LaVerne Torczon, DE. Chuck McMurtry, DT. Bill Atkins, DB. Archie Matsos, LB.

## REGULAR SEASON RESULTS, 1960-Present

### 1960 (Won 5, Lost 8, Tied 1)

Date	W-L-T	Opponent	Score	Site	Att.
S.11	L	New York Titans	3-27	A	10,200
S.18	L	Denver Broncos	21-27	H	15,229
S.23	W	Boston Patriots	13-0	A	20,732
O. 2	L	Los Angeles Chargers	10-24	H	15,821
O.16	L	New York Titans	13-17	H	14,988
O.23	W	Oakland Raiders	38-9	H	8,876
O.30	W	Houston Oilers	25-24	H	23,001
N. 6	L	Dallas Texans	28-45	H	19,610
N.13	L	Oakland Raiders	7-20	A	8,800
N.20	W	Los Angeles Chargers	32-3	A	16,161
N.27	T	Denver Broncos	38-38	A	7,785
D. 4	W	Boston Patriots	38-14	H	14,335
D.11	L	Houston Oilers	23-31	A	25,243
D.18	L	Dallas Texans	7-24	A	18,000

Coach: Buster Ramsey

Total Attendance — 218,781 (111,860 Home; 106,921 Away)

### 1961 (Won 6, Lost 8)

S.10	L	Denver Broncos	10-22	H	16,636
S.17	W	New York Titans	41-31	H	15,584
S.23	L	Boston Patriots	21-23	H	21,504
S.30	L	San Diego Chargers	11-19	H	20,742
O. 8	W	Houston Oilers	22-12	A	22,761
O.15	W	Dallas Texans	27-24	H	20,678
O.22	L	Boston Patriots	21-52	A	9,398
O.29	L	Houston Oilers	16-28	H	21,237
N. 5	L	Oakland Raiders	22-31	H	17,027
N.12	W	Dallas Texans	30-20	A	15,000
N.19	W	Denver Broncos	23-10	A	7,645
N.23	L	New York Titans	14-21	A	12,023
D. 3	W	Oakland Raiders	26-21	A	8,011
D. 9	L	San Diego Chargers	10-28	A	24,486

Coach: Buster Ramsey

Total Attendance — 232,732 (133,408 Home; 99,324 Away)

### 1962 (Won 7, Lost 6, Tied 1)

S. 9	L	Houston Oilers	23-28	H	31,236
S.15	L	Denver Broncos	20-23	H	30,577
S.22	L	New York Titans	6-17	H	24,024
S.30	L	Dallas Texans	21-41	A	25,500
O. 7	L	Houston Oilers	14-17	A	26,350
O.13	W	San Diego Chargers	35-10	H	20,074
O.20	W	Oakland Raiders	14-6	H	21,037
O.28	W	Denver Broncos	45-38	A	26,051
N. 3	T	Boston Patriots	28-28	H	33,247
N.11	W	San Diego Chargers	40-20	A	22,203
N.18	W	Oakland Raiders	10-6	A	11,700
N.23	L	Boston Patriots	10-21	A	20,021
D. 2	W	Dallas Texans	23-14	H	35,261
D. 8	W	New York Titans	20-3	A	16,453

Coach: Lou Saban

Total Attendance — 343,714 (195,436 Home; 148,278 Away)

### 1963 (Won 7, Lost 6, Tied 1)

Date	W-L-T	Opponent	Score	Site	Att.
S. 8	L	San Diego Chargers	10-14	A	22,344
S.15	L	Oakland Raiders	17-35	A	17,568
S.22	T	Kansas City Chiefs	27-27	H	33,487
S.28	L	Houston Oilers	20-31	H	32,340
O. 5	W	Oakland Raiders	12-0	H	24,846
O.13	W	Kansas City Chiefs	35-26	A	25,519
O.20	L	Houston Oilers	14-31	A	23,948
O.26	W	Boston Patriots	28-21	H	29,243
N. 3	W	Denver Broncos	30-28	A	19,424
N. 9	W	Denver Broncos	27-17	H	30,989
N.17	L	San Diego Chargers	13-23	H	38,592
D. 1	L	Boston Patriots	7-17	A	16,981
D. 8	W	New York Jets	45-14	H	20,222
D.14	W	New York Jets	19-10	A	5,826

#### AFL Playoffs

D.28	L	Boston Patriots	8-26	H	33,044
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Coach: Lou Saban

Total Attendance — 374,373 (242,763 Home; 131,610 Away)

### 1964 (Won 12, Lost 2)

S.13	W	Kansas City Chiefs	34-17	H	30,157
S.20	W	Denver Broncos	30-13	H	28,501
S.26	W	San Diego Chargers	30-3	H	40,167
O. 3	W	Oakland Raiders	23-20	H	36,451
O.11	W	Houston Oilers	48-17	A	26,218
O.18	W	Kansas City Chiefs	35-22	A	20,904
O.24	W	New York Jets	34-24	H	39,621
N. 1	W	Houston Oilers	24-10	H	40,119
N. 8	W	New York Jets	20-7	A	60,300
N.15	L	Boston Patriots	28-36	H	42,308
N.26	W	San Diego Chargers	27-24	A	34,865
D. 6	L	Oakland Raiders	13-16	A	18,134
D.13	W	Denver Broncos	30-19	A	14,431
D.20	W	Boston Patriots	24-14	A	38,021

#### AFL Playoffs

D.26	W*	San Diego Chargers	20-7	H	40,242
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Coach: Lou Saban

Total Attendance — 510,539 (297,566 Home; 212,973 Away)

\* — Bills' first AFL team title

### 1965 (Won 10, Lost 3, Tied 1)

S.11	W	Boston Patriots	24-7	H	45,502
S.19	W	Denver Broncos	30-15	A	30,682
S.26	W	New York Jets	33-21	H	45,056
O. 3	W	Oakland Raiders	17-12	H	41,256
O.10	L	San Diego Chargers	3-34	H	45,260
O.17	W	Kansas City Chiefs	23-7	A	26,941
O.24	W	Denver Broncos	31-13	H	45,046
O.31	L	Houston Oilers	17-19	H	44,267
N. 7	W	Boston Patriots	23-7	A	24,415
N.14	W	Oakland Raiders	17-14	A	19,352
N.25	T	San Diego Chargers	20-20	A	27,473
D. 5	W	Houston Oilers	29-18	A	23,087
D.12	W	Kansas City Chiefs	34-25	H	40,298
D.19	L	New York Jets	12-14	A	57,396

#### AFL Playoffs

D.26	W*	San Diego Chargers	23-0	A	30,361
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Coach: Lou Saban

Total Attendance — 546,382 (306,675 Home; 239,707 Away)

\* — AFL Championship Game

### 1966 (Won 9, Lost 4, Tied 1)

Date	W-L-T	Opponent	Score	Site	Att.
S. 4	L	San Diego Chargers	7-27	A	27,572
S.11	L	Kansas City Chiefs	20-42	H	42,023
S.18	W	Miami Dolphins	@58-42	H	37,546
S.25	W	Houston Oilers	27-20	H	42,526
O. 2	W	Kansas City Chiefs	29-14	A	43,885
O. 8	L	Boston Patriots	10-20	H	45,542
O.16	T	San Diego Chargers	17-17	H	45,169
O.30	W	New York Jets	33-23	A	61,552
N. 6	W	Miami Dolphins	29-0	A	37,177
N.13	W	New York Jets	14-3	H	45,738
N.20	W	Houston Oilers	42-20	A	27,312
N.24	W	Oakland Raiders	31-10	A	36,781
D. 4	L	Boston Patriots	3-14	A	39,350
D.18	W	Denver Broncos	38-21	H	40,583

### AFL Playoffs

J. 1	L *	Kansas City Chiefs	7-31	H	42,080
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Coach: Joe Collier

Total Attendance — 614,836 (341,207 Home; 273,629 Away)

\* — AFL Championship Game. Winner went to Super Bowl I.

@ — Most points ever scored by the Bills

### 1967 (Won 4, Lost 10)

S.10	W	New York Jets	20-17	H	45,748
S.17	L	Houston Oilers	3-20	H	41,384
S.24	L	Boston Patriots	0-23	H	45,748
O. 1	L	San Diego Chargers	17-37	H	39,310
O. 8	W	Denver Broncos	17-16	A	35,188
O.15	L	Oakland Raiders	20-24	H	45,758
O.29	L	Houston Oilers	3-10	A	30,060
N. 5	W	Miami Dolphins	35-13	H	31,622
N.12	L	New York Jets	10-20	A	62,671
N.19	L	Denver Broncos	20-21	H	30,891
N.26	L	Miami Dolphins	14-17	A	27,050
D. 3	L	Kansas City Chiefs	13-23	A	41,943
D. 9	W	Boston Patriots	44-16	A	20,627
D.24	L	Oakland Raiders	21-28	A	30,738

Coach: Joe Collier

Total Attendance — 528,738 (280,461 Home; 248,277 Away)

### 1968 (Won 1, Lost 12, Tied 1)

S. 8	L	Boston Patriots	7-16	H	38,865
S.15	L	Oakland Raiders	6-48	H	43,056
S.22	L	*Cincinnati Bengals	23-34	A	24,405
S.29	W	New York Jets	37-35	H	38,044
O. 5	L	Kansas City Chiefs	7-18	H	40,748
O.12	T	Miami Dolphins	14-14	A	28,559
O.20	L	Boston Patriots	6-23	A	21,082
O.27	L	Houston Oilers	7-30	H	34,339
N. 3	L	New York Jets	21-25	A	61,452
N.10	L	Miami Dolphins	17-21	H	28,751
N.17	L	San Diego Chargers	6-21	H	27,993
N.24	L	Denver Broncos	32-34	A	35,142
N.28	L	Oakland Raiders	10-13	A	39,883
D. 7	L	Houston Oilers	6-35	A	34,110

Coach: Joe Collier and Harvey Johnson

Total Attendance — 496,429 (251,796 Home; 244,633 Away)

\* — Harvey Johnson relieved Joe Collier as head coach

### 1969 (Won 4, Lost 10)

Date	W-L-T	Opponent	Score	Site	Att.
S.14	L	New York Jets	19-33	H	46,165
S.21	L	Houston Oilers	3-17	H	40,146
S.28	W	Denver Broncos	41-28	H	40,302
O. 5	L	Houston Oilers	14-28	A	46,485
O.11	W	Boston Patriots	23-16	H	46,201
O.19	L	Oakland Raiders	21-50	A	54,418
O.26	L	Miami Dolphins	6-16	A	39,837
N. 2	L	Kansas City Chiefs	7-29	H	45,844
N. 9	L	New York Jets	6-16	A	62,680
N.16	W	Miami Dolphins	28-3	H	32,686
N.23	L	Boston Patriots	21-35	A	25,584
N.30	W	Cincinnati Bengals	16-13	H	35,122
D. 7	L	Kansas City Chiefs	19-22	A	47,112
D.14	L	San Diego Chargers	6-45	A	47,582

Coach: John Rauch

Total Attendance — 610,164 (286,466 Home; 323,698 Away)

### 1970 (Won 3, Lost 10, Tied 1)

S.20	L	Denver Broncos	10-25	H	34,882
S.27	L	Los Angeles Rams	0-19	H	46,206
O. 4	W	New York Jets	33-31	H	46,206
O.11	L	Pittsburgh Steelers	10-23	A	42,140
O.18	L	Miami Dolphins	14-33	H	41,312
O.25	W	New York Jets	10-6	A	62,712
N. 1	W	Boston Patriots	45-10	A	31,148
N. 8	L	Cincinnati Bengals	14-43	H	43,587
N.15	T	Baltimore Colts	17-17	A	60,240
N.22	L	Chicago Bears	13-31	A	41,015
N.29	L	Boston Patriots	10-14	H	31,427
D. 6	L	New York Giants	6-20	A	62,870
D.13	L	Baltimore Colts	14-20	H	34,346
D.20	L	Miami Dolphins	7-45	A	70,990

Coach: John Rauch

Total Attendance — 649,081 (277,966 Home; 371,115 Away)

### 1971 (Won 1, Lost 13)

S.19	L	Dallas Cowboys	10-25	H	46,206
S.26	L	Miami Dolphins	14-29	H	45,139
O. 3	L	Minnesota Vikings	0-19	A	47,900
O.10	L	Baltimore Colts	0-43	H	46,206
O.17	L	New York Jets	17-28	A	61,498
O.23	L	San Diego Chargers	3-20	A	49,261
O.31	L	St. Louis Cardinals	23-28	H	40,040
N. 7	L	Miami Dolphins	0-34	A	61,061
N.14	L	New England Patriots	33-38	A	57,446
N.21	L	New York Jets	7-20	H	41,577
N.28	W	New England Patriots	27-20	H	27,166
D. 5	L	Baltimore Colts	0-24	A	58,476
D.12	L	Houston Oilers	14-22	H	28,107
D.19	L	Kansas City Chiefs	9-22	A	48,121

Coach: Harvey Johnson

Total Attendance — 658,204 (274,441 Home; 383,763 Away)



### 1972 (Won 4, Lost 9, Tied 1)

Date	W-L-T	Opponent	Score	Site	Att.
S.17	L	New York Jets	24-41	H	46,206
S.24	W	San Francisco 49ers	27-20	H	45,845
O. 1	L	Baltimore Colts	0-17	H	46,206
O. 8	W	New England Patriots	38-14	H	41,749
O.15	L	Oakland Raiders	16-28	A	53,501
O.22	L	Miami Dolphins	23-24	A	80,010
O.29	L	Pittsburgh Steelers	21-38	H	45,882
N. 5	L	Miami Dolphins	16-38	H	46,206
N.12	L	New York Jets	3-41	A	62,853
N.19	W	New England Patriots	27-24	A	60,999
N.26	L	Cleveland Browns	10-27	A	70,104
D. 3	L	Baltimore Colts	7-35	A	55,390
D.10	T	Detroit Lions	21-21	H	41,583
D.17	W	Washington Redskins	24-17	A	55,039

Coach: Lou Saban

Total Attendance – 751,563 (313,667 Home; 437,896 Away)

### 1973 (Won 9, Lost 5)

S.16	W	New England Patriots	31-13	A	56,119
S.23	L	San Diego Chargers	7-34	A	47,588
S.30	W	New York Jets	9-7	H	77,425*
O. 7	W	Philadelphia Eagles	27-26	H	72,364
O.14	W	Baltimore Colts	31-13	H	78,875*
O.21	L	Miami Dolphins	6-27	A	65,241
O.29	W	**Kansas City Chiefs	23-14	H	76,071*
N. 4	L	New Orleans Saints	0-13	A	74,770
N.11	L	Cincinnati Bengals	13-16	H	76,927*
N.18	L	Miami Dolphins	0-17	H	77,138*
N.25	W	Baltimore Colts	24-17	A	52,250
D. 2	W	Atlanta Falcons	17-6	A	58,850
D. 9	W	New England Patriots	37-13	H	72,470
D.16	W	New York Jets	34-14	A	47,740

Coach: Lou Saban

Total Attendance – 933,828 (531,270 Home; 402,558 Away)

\*\*Bills 1st game on Monday Night National TV

### 1974 (Won 9, Lost 5)

S.16	W	Oakland Raiders	21-20	H	79,876*
S.22	L	Miami Dolphins	16-24	H	78,990*
S.29	W	New York Jets	16-12	H	76,978*
O. 6	W	Green Bay Packers	27-7	A	56,267
O.13	W	Baltimore Colts	27-14	A	40,626
O.20	W	New England Patriots	30-28	H	78,935*
O.27	W	Chicago Bears	16-6	H	77,910*
N. 3	W	New England Patriots	29-28	A	58,932
N.10	L	Houston Oilers	9-21	H	79,223*
N.17	L	Miami Dolphins	28-35	A	69,313
N.24	W	Cleveland Browns	15-10	A	66,504
D. 1	W	Baltimore Colts	6-0	H	75,325
D. 8	L	New York Jets	10-20	A	32,805
D.15	L	Los Angeles Rams	14-19	A	84,324

### AFC Divisional Playoff

D.22	L	Pittsburgh Steelers	14-32	A	48,321
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Coach: Lou Saban

Total Attendance — 1,004,929 (547,237 Home; 457,692 Away)

### 1975 (Won 8, Lost 6)

Date	W-L-T	Opponent	Score	Site	Att.
S 21	W	New York Jets	42-14	H	77,895*
S 28	W	Pittsburgh Steelers	30-21	A	49,348
O 5	W	Denver Broncos	38-14	H	79,864*
O 12	W	Baltimore Colts	38-31	A	43,907
O 20	L	New York Giants	14-17	H	79,518*
O 26	L	Miami Dolphins	30-35	H	79,141*
N 2	W	New York Jets	24-23	A	58,343
N 9	L	Baltimore Colts	35-42	H	77,320
N 17	L	Cincinnati Bengals	24-33	A	56,666
N 23	W	New England Patriots	45-31	H	65,655
N 27	W	St. Louis Cardinals	32-14	A	41,899
D 7	L	Miami Dolphins	21-31	A	78,701
D 14	W	New England Patriots	34-14	A	58,393
D 20	L	Minnesota Vikings	13-35	H	54,993

Coach: Lou Saban

Total Attendance — 901,643 (514,386 Home; 387,257 Away)

### 1976 (Won 2, Lost 12)

S 13	L	Miami Dolphins	21-30	H	77,683
S 19	L	Houston Oilers	3-13	H	61,364
S 26	W	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	14-9	A	44,505
O 3	W	Kansas City Chiefs	50-17	H	51,909
O 10	L	New York Jets	14-17	A	52,416
O 17	L	Baltimore Colts-xx	13-31	H	71,009
O 24	L	New England Patriots	22-26	H	45,144
O 31	L	New York Jets	14-19	H	41,258
N 7	L	New England Patriots	10-20	A	61,157
N 15	L	Dallas Cowboys	10-17	A	51,779
N 21	L	San Diego Chargers	13-34	H	41,701
N 25	L	Detroit Lions	14-27	A	66,875
D 5	L	Miami Dolphins	27-47	A	43,475
D 12	L	Baltimore Colts	20-58	A	50,451

Coaches: Lou Saban and Jim Ringo

Total Attendance — 760,726 (390,068 Home; 370,658 Away)

xx-Jim Ringo replaced Lou Saban as head coach

### 1977 (Won 3, Lost 11)

S 18	L	Miami Dolphins	0-13	H	76,097
S 25	L	Denver Broncos	6-26	A	74,897
O 2	L	Baltimore Colts	14-17	A	49,247
O 9	L	New York Jets	19-24	H	32,046
O 16	W	Atlanta Falcons	3-0	H	27,348
O 23	L	Cleveland Browns	16-27	H	60,905
O 30	L	Seattle Seahawks	17-56	A	61,180
N 6	W	New England Patriots	24-14	A	60,263
N 13	L	Baltimore Colts	13-31	H	39,444
N 20	L	New England Patriots	7-20	H	27,598
N 28	L	Oakland Raiders	13-34	A	51,558
D 4	L	Washington Redskins	0-10	H	22,975
D 11	W	New York Jets	14-10	A	31,929
D 17	L	Miami Dolphins	14-31	A	39,626

Coach: Jim Ringo

Total Attendance — 655,113 (286,413 Home; 368,700 Away)

The Bills' cheerleaders, the Buffalo Jills, are under the direction of Chris Sullivan, a member of the group for six seasons. Under newly-revised eligibility requirements, membership in the Jills is open to anyone 18 or over. For information on the Jills and interviews or photographs, call the Bills' offices.

### 1978 (Won 5, Lost 11)

S. 3	L	Pittsburgh Steelers	17-28	H	64,147
S.10	L	New York Jets	20-21	H	40,985
S.17	L	Miami Dolphins	24-31	A	48,373
S.24	W	Baltimore Colts	24-17	H	55,270
O. 1	W	Kansas City Chiefs	28-13	H	47,310
O. 8	L	New York Jets	14-45	A	44,545
O.15	L	Houston Oilers	10-17	A	47,727
O.22	W	Cincinnati Bengals	5-0	H	47,754
O.29	L	Cleveland Browns	20-41	A	51,409
N. 5	L	New England Patriots	10-14	H	44,897
N.12	L	Miami Dolphins	24-25	H	48,623
N.19	L	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	10-31	A	61,383
N.26	W	New York Giants	41-17	H	28,496
D. 3	L	Kansas City Chiefs	10-14	A	25,781
D.10	L	New England Patriots	24-26	A	59,598
D.17	W	Baltimore Colts	21-14	A	25,415

Coach: Chuck Knox

Total Attendance — 741,713 (377,482 Home; 364,231 Away)

Note: Beginning with 1973 season attendance figures are actual turnstile count.

\*Sellout (80,020 tickets distributed)

## BILLS HOME & ROAD RECORDS

### 1960-1978

Year	Home	Road	Overall
1960	3-4	2-4-1	5-8-1
1961	2-5	4-3	6-8
1962	3-3-1	4-3	7-6-1
1963	4-2-1	3-4	7-6-1
1964	6-1	6-1	12-2
1965	5-2	5-1-1	10-3-1
1966	4-2-1	5-2	9-4-1
1967	2-5	2-5	4-10
1968	1-6	0-6-1	1-12-1
1969	4-3	0-7	4-10
1970	1-6	2-4-1	3-10-1
1971	1-6	0-7	1-13
1972	2-4-1	2-5	4-9-1
1973	5-2	4-3	9-5
1974	5-2	4-3	9-5
1975	3-4	5-2	8-6
1976	1-6	1-6	2-12
1977	1-6	2-5	3-11
1978	4-4	1-7	5-11
	57-73-4	52-78-4	109-151-8

These are regular season records and do not include playoff games.

Bills have a 2-3 record in playoff competition. They are 1-2 at home and 1-1 on the road.

## PRE-SEASON RESULTS, 1960–Present

### 1960 (Won 1, Lost 4)

Date	W-L-T	Opponent	Score	Site	Att.
J.30	L	Boston Patriots	7-28	H	16,000
A.13	W	Denver Broncos	31-14	N1	6,200
A.21	L	Boston Patriots	7-21	N2	7,500
A.24	L	Oakland Raiders	21-26	H	17,071
S. 4	L	New York Titans	31-52	H	6,821

*Coach:* Buster Ramsey

Total Attendance – 53,592 (39,892 Home; 13,700 Away)

N1-at Rochester, N.Y.; N2-at Worcester, Mass.

### 1961 (Won 0, Lost 4)

A. 8	L	Hamilton Tiger-Cats (CFL)	21-38	A	12,000
A.18	L	Dallas Texans	26-35	H	11,166
A.25	L	Boston Patriots	10-28	N	4,762
S. 1	L	Boston Patriots	12-15	H	9,022

*Coach:* Buster Ramsey

Total Attendance – 36,950 (20,188 Home; 16,762 Away)

N-at Providence, R.I.

### 1962 (Won 3, Lost 1)

A.12	W	New York Titans	20-10	N1	9,505
A.15	L	Boston Patriots	7-12	H	22,112
A.23	W	Houston Oilers	21-14	N2	17,257
S. 1	W	Boston Patriots	7-6	A	8,783

*Coach:* Lou Saban

Total Attendance – 57,657 (22,112 Home; 35,545 Away)

N1-at New Haven, Conn.; N2-at Mobile, Ala.

### 1963 (Won 3, Lost 1)

A. 9	L	Kansas City Chiefs	13-17	A	5,721
A.16	W	New York Jets	23-8	H	19,142
A.24	W	Boston Patriots	24-14	H	17,697
A.31	W	Denver Broncos	21-14	N	7,000

*Coach:* Lou Saban

Total Attendance – 49,560 (19,142 Home; 30,418 Away)

N-at Winston–Salem, N.C.

### 1964 (Won 2, Lost 3)

A. 8	W	New York Jets	26-13	N1	5,860
A.12	L	Kansas City Chiefs	21-24	H	17,738
A.23	L	Oakland Raiders	31-34	A	10,243
A.28	W	Boston Patriots	24-14	H	12,566
S. 5	L	New York Jets	17-19	N2	5,982

*Coach:* Lou Saban

Total Attendance – 52,389 (30,304 Home; 22,085 Away)

N1-at Tampa, Fla.; N2-at Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

### 1965 (Won 3, Lost 2)

A. 8	W	Boston Patriots	23-0	A	23,674
A.14	L	Houston Oilers	7-29	H	14,286
A.21	W	New York Jets	30-14	N1	16,000
A.28	L	Kansas City Chiefs	16-18	N2	8,000
S. 2	W	New York Jets	31-10	H	10,488

*Coach:* Lou Saban

Total Attendance – 72,448 (24,774 Home; 47,674 Away)

N1-at New Brunswick, N.J.; N2-at Wichita, Kan.

### 1966 (Won 3, Lost 1)

Date	W-L-T	Opponent	Score	Site	Att.
A. 7	W	Boston Patriots	19-13	A	23,291
A.12	W	Denver Broncos	25-3	H	28,144
A.20	W	Houston Oilers	28-16	N1	14,000
A.27	L	New York Jets	17-34	N2	14,000

*Coach:* Joe Collier

Total Attendance — 79,435 (28,144 Home; 51,291 Away)

N1-at Little Rock, Ark.; N2-at Allentown, Pa.

### 1967 (Won 1, Lost 4)

A. 5	L	Miami Dolphins	7-10	N1	21,200
A.14	L	*Detroit Lions	17-19	A	43,503
A.20	L	Boston Patriots	10-13	N2	15,300
A.25	L	Philadelphia Eagles	30-38	H	41,488
A.31	W	New York Jets	31-23	N3	19,274

*Coach:* Joe Collier

Total Attendance — 140,765 (41,488 Home; 99,277 Away)

N1-at Memphis, Tenn.; N2-at Rochester, N.Y.; N3-at Mobile, Ala.

\* — Buffalo's first game against an NFL team

### 1968 (Won 2, Lost 2, Tied 1)

A. 5	W	Detroit Lions	13-9	H	40,412
A.11	T	Miami Dolphins	28-28	N1	11,200
A.17	W	Cincinnati Bengals	10-6	A	20,111
A.23	L	Houston Oilers	7-37	N2	21,500
A.30	L	Cleveland Browns	12-22	H	45,448

*Coach:* Joe Collier and Harvey Johnson

Total Attendance — 138,671 (85,960 Home; 52,811 Away)

N1-at Rochester, N.Y.; N2-at Tulsa, Okla.

### 1969 (Won 1, Lost 5)

A. 2	L	Houston Oilers	7-24	A	37,250
A. 8	W	Washington Redskins	21-17	H	37,012
A.15	L	Detroit Lions	12-24	A	34,206
A.22	L	Baltimore Colts	7-20	H	45,750
A.30	L	Chicago Bears	16-23	N	*85,532
S. 6	L	Los Angeles Rams	20-50	A	69,904

*Coach:* John Rauch

Total Attendance — 309,654 (82,762 Home; 226,892 Away)

N-at Cleveland, Ohio

\*Largest crowd ever to watch Bills play

### 1970 (Won 1, Lost 5)

A. 8	L	New York Jets	10-33	N	48,012
A.14	L	Detroit Lions	6-22	H	31,610
A.21	W	Philadelphia Eagles	35-20	H	30,007
A.28	L	Washington Redskins	0-27	A	43,004
S. 4	L	Atlanta Falcons	7-10	H	30,869
S.12	L	Green Bay Packers	0-34	A	56,161

*Coach:* John Rauch

Total Attendance — 239,663 (92,486 Home; 147,177 Away)

N-at Birmingham, Ala.

### 1971 (Won 3, Lost 3)

Date	W-L-T	Opponent	Score	Site	Att.
A. 6	W	New Orleans Saints	14-10	H	35,758
A.16	L	Philadelphia Eagles	28-34	A	65,358
A.22	W	New England Patriots	28-14	H	31,610
A.29	L	Atlanta Falcons	24-35	A	53,090
S. 4	W	Detroit Lions	31-17	A	51,478
S.10	L	Green Bay Packers	14-20	H	37,301

*Coach:* Harvey Johnson

Total Attendance — 274,595 (104,669 Home; 169,926 Away)

### 1972 (Won 3, Lost 2, Tied 1)

<i>Date</i>	<i>W-L-T</i>	<i>Opponent</i>	<i>Score</i>	<i>Site</i>	<i>Att.</i>
A. 4	L	St. Louis Cardinals	10-27	H	38,338
A.12	W	New Orleans Saints	24-21	A	66,726
A.18	W	Minnesota Vikings	21-10	H	41,006
A.26	L	Oakland Raiders	13-31	N	60,046
S. 3	T	Chicago Bears	24-24	A	51,324
S. 8	W	Philadelphia Eagles	34-17	H	30,488

*Coach:* Lou Saban

Total Attendance — 287,928 (109,832 Home; 178,096 Away)  
N-at Berkeley, Calif.

### 1973 (Won 0, Lost 6)

A. 4	L	Philadelphia Eagles	6-13	N	15,808
A.11	L	Green Bay Packers	3-10	A	56,367
A.17	L	*Washington Redskins	21-37	H	80,020
A.26	L	Chicago Bears	10-13	H	61,165
A.31	L	Denver Broncos	14-16	A	42,336
S. 8	L	Oakland Raiders	7-17	H	70,128

*Coach:* Lou Saban

Total Attendance — 325,824 (211,313 Home; 114,511 Away)  
N-at Jacksonville, Fla.

\* — Stadium inaugural game at Orchard Park, N.Y.

### 1974 (Won 4, Lost 3)

J.27	L	St. Louis Cardinals	13-21	N	17,286
A. 2	L	Green Bay Packers	13-16	H	30,119
A.12	W	Kansas City Chiefs	35-21	A	39,248
A.18	W	Washington Redskins	16-15	A	28,409
A.25	L	Minnesota Vikings	13-32	A	44,126
A.30	W	Detroit Lions	28-7	H	59,411
S. 6	W	New York Giants (OT)	23-17	H	61,713

*Coach:* Lou Saban

Total Attendance — 280,312 (151,243 Home; 129,069 Away)  
N — at Canton, Ohio

\* — Hall of Fame Game

### 1975 (Won 3, Lost 3)

A. 9	L	Green Bay Packers	6-23	A	56,267
A.15	L	Cincinnati Bengals	27-38	H	48,247
A.23	W	Los Angeles Rams	31-24	H	54,023
S. 1	W	Cleveland Browns	34-20	A	31,155
S. 6	W	Atlanta Falcons	16-14	N	41,212
S.12	L	Kansas City Chiefs	7-9	H	48,691

*Coach:* Lou Saban

Total Attendance — 279,595 (150,961 Home; 128,634 Away)  
N — at Tampa, Fla.

### 1976 (Won 2, Lost 4)

J.31	L	Detroit Lions	17-20	A	49,432
A. 7	L	Cincinnati Bengals	10-31	A	47,117
A.13	L	New Orleans Saints	14-21	H	36,110
A.20	W	Green Bay Packers	37-0	H	33,706
A.28	L	Los Angeles Rams	17-31	A	50,012
S. 3	W	Cleveland Browns	28-10	H	37,951

*Coach:* Lou Saban

Total Attendance — 254,328 (107,767 Home; 146,561 Away)

### 1977 (Won 2, Lost 4)

A 6	L	Pittsburgh Steelers	24-28	A	49,600
A 13	W	Detroit Lions	17-10	H	27,565
A 20	L	New Orleans Saints	17-20	A	64,432
A 29	L	New York Giants	21-24	A	48,891
S 3	W	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	17-6	H	28,126
S 10	L	Minnesota Vikings	6-30	H	35,017

Coach: Jim Ringo

Total Attendance — 253,631 (90,708 Home 162,923 Away)

### 1978 (Won 0, Lost 4)

A 5	L	Detroit Lions	20-28	A	48,474
A 12	L	Cleveland Browns	10-20	H	23,241
A 19	L	Denver Broncos	13-23	H	18,301
A 26	L	Minnesota Vikings	27-30	A	45,026

Coach: Chuck Knox

Total Attendance — 135,042 (41,542 Home 93,500 Away)

## BILLS' PRE-SEASON RECORD WITH EACH OPPONENT

Opponent	W	L	T	Pct.	Last Met
Atlanta	1	2	0	.333	1975
Baltimore	0	1	0	.000	1969
Chicago	0	2	1	.167	1973
Cincinnati	1	2	0	.333	1976
Cleveland	2	2	0	.500	1978
Dallas	0	0	0	—	—
Denver	3	2	0	.600	1978
Detroit	4	5	0	.444	1978
Green Bay	1	5	0	.167	1976
Hamilton (CFL)	0	1	0	.000	1961
Houston	2	3	0	.400	1969
Kansas City	1	5	0	.167	1975
Los Angeles	1	2	0	.333	1976
Miami	0	1	1	.250	1968
Minnesota	1	3	0	.250	1978
New England	6	6	0	.500	1971
New York Giants	1	1	0	.500	1977
New York Jets	6	4	0	.600	1970
New Orleans	2	2	0	.500	1977
Oakland	0	4	0	.000	1973
Philadelphia	2	3	0	.400	1973
Pittsburgh	0	1	0	.000	1977
San Diego	0	0	0	—	—
San Francisco	0	0	0	—	—
St. Louis	0	2	0	.000	1974
Seattle	0	0	0	—	—
Tampa Bay	1	0	0	1.000	1977
Washington	2	2	0	.500	1974
All-Time Pre-Season Totals	37	61	2	.378	



# SERIES SCORES WITH OPPONENTS

## ATLANTA Won 2 — Lost 0

Date	Buffalo	Atlanta	Attendance	Place
12/ 2/73 W	17	6	58,850	Away
10/16/77 W	3	0	29,659	Home

## BALTIMORE Won 7 — Lost 10 — Tied 1

Date	Buffalo	Baltimore	Attendance	Place
11/15/70 T	17	17	60,240	Away
12/13/70 L	14	20	34,346	Home
10/10/71 L	0	43	46,206	Home
12/ 5/71 L	0	24	58,476	Away
10/ 1/72 L	0	17	46,206	Home
12/ 3/72 L	7	35	55,390	Away
10/14/73 W	31	13	78,875	Home
11/25/73 W	24	17	52,250	Away
10/13/74 W	27	14	40,126	Away
12/ 1/74 W	6	0	75,325	Home
10/12/75 W	38	31	43,907	Away
11/ 9/75 L	35	42	77,320	Home
10/17/76 L	13	31	73,846	Home
12/12/76 L	20	58	50,451	Away
10/ 3/77 L	14	17	49,247	Away
11/13/77 L	13	31	42,946	Home
9/24/78 W	24	17	55,270	Home
10/17/78 L	21	14	25,415	Away

## CHICAGO Won 1 — Lost 1 — Tied 0

Date	Buffalo	Chicago	Attendance	Place
11/22/70 L	13	31	41,015	Away
10/27/74 W	16	6	77,910	Home

## CINCINNATI Won 2 — Lost 4 — Tied 0

Date	Buffalo	Cincinnati	Attendance	Place
9/22/68 L	23	34	24,405	Away
11/30/69 W	16	13	35,122	Home
11/ 8/70 L	14	43	43,587	Home
11/11/73 L	13	16	76,927	Home
11/17/75 L	24	33	56,666	Away
10/22/78 W	5	0	47,754	Home

## CLEVELAND Won 1 — Lost 3 — Tied 0

Date	Buffalo	Cleveland	Attendance	Place
11/26/72 L	10	27	70,104	Away
11/24/74 W	15	10	66,504	Away
10/23/77 L	16	27	63,609	Home
10/29/78 L	20	41	51,409	Away

## DALLAS Won 0 — Lost 2 — Tied 0

Date	Buffalo	Dallas	Attendance	Place
9/19/71 L	37	49	46,206	Home
11/15/76 L	10	17	65,015	Away

## DENVER

Won 12 — Lost 7 — Tied 1

Date	Buffalo	Denver	Attendance	Place
9/18/60 L	21	27	15,229	Home
11/27/60 T	38	38	7,785	Away
9/10/61 L	10	22	16,636	Home
11/19/61 W	23	10	7,655	Away
9/15/62 L	20	23	30,557	Home
10/28/62 W	45	38	26,051	Away
11/ 3/63 W	30	28	17,508	Away
11/ 9/63 W	27	17	30,989	Home
9/20/64 W	30	13	28,501	Home
12/13/64 W	30	19	14,431	Away
9/19/65 W	30	15	30,682	Away
10/24/65 W	31	13	45,046	Home
12/18/66 W	38	21	40,583	Home
10/ 8/67 W	17	16	35,188	Away
11/19/67 L	20	21	30,891	Home
11/24/68 L	32	34	35,142	Away
9/28/69 W	41	28	40,302	Home
9/20/70 L	10	29	34,882	Home
10/ 5/75 W	38	14	79,864	Home
9/25/77 L	6	26	75,086	Away

## DETROIT

Won 0 — Lost 1 — Tied 1

Date	Buffalo	Detroit	Attendance	Place
12/10/72 T	21	21	41,583	Home
11/25/76 L	14	27	72,728	Away

## GREEN BAY

Won 1 — Lost 0 — Tied 0

Date	Buffalo	Green Bay	Attendance	Place
10/ 6/74 W	27	7	56,267	Away

## HOUSTON

Won 7 — Lost 17

Date	Buffalo	Houston	Attendance	Place
10/30/60 W	25	24	23,001	Home
12/11/60 L	23	31	25,243	Away
10/ 8/61 W	22	12	22,761	Away
10/29/61 L	16	28	21,237	Home
9/ 9/62 L	23	28	31,236	Home
10/ 7/62 L	14	17	26,350	Away
9/28/63 L	20	31	32,340	Home
10/20/63 L	14	28	23,948	Away
10/11/64 W	48	17	26,218	Away
11/ 1/64 W	24	10	40,119	Home
10/31/65 L	17	19	44,267	Home
12/ 5/65 W	29	18	23,087	Away
9/25/66 W	27	20	42,526	Home
11/20/66 W	42	20	27,312	Away
9/17/67 L	3	20	41,384	Home
10/29/67 L	3	10	30,060	Away
10/27/68 L	7	30	34,339	Home
12/ 7/68 L	6	35	34,110	Away

Date	Buffalo	Houston	Attendance	Place
9/21/69 L	3	17	40,146	Home
10/ 5/69 L	14	28	46,485	Away
12/12/71 L	14	20	28,107	Home
11/10/74 L	9	21	79,223	Home
9/19/76 L	3	13	63,677	Home
10/15/78 L	10	17	47,727	Away

### KANSAS CITY

Won 12 — Lost 11 — Tied 1

Date	Buffalo	Dallas	Attendance	Place
11/ 6/60 L	28	45	19,610	Home
12/18/60 L	7	24	18,000	Away
10/15/61 W	27	24	20,678	Home
11/12/61 W	30	20	15,000	Away
9/30/62 L	21	41	25,500	Away
12/ 2/62 W	23	14	35,261	Home

Franchise moved to Kansas City

9/22/63 T	27	27	33,487	Home
10/13/63 W	35	26	25,519	Away
9/13/64 W	34	17	30,157	Home
10/18/64 W	35	22	20,904	Away
10/17/65 W	23	7	26,941	Away
12/12/65 W	34	25	40,298	Home
9/11/66 L	20	42	42,023	Home
10/ 2/66 W	29	14	43,885	Away
1/ 1/67 L	7	31	42,080	Home
12/ 3/67 L	13	23	41,943	(Play-off) Away
10/ 5/68 L	7	18	40,748	Home
11/ 2/69 L	7	29	45,844	Home
12/ 7/69 L	19	22	47,112	Away
12/19/71 L	9	22	48,121	Away
10/29/73 W	23	14	76,071	Home
10/ 3/76 W	50	17	52,960	Home
10/ 1/78 W	28	13	47,310	Home
12/ 3/78 L	10	14	25,781	Away

### LOS ANGELES

Won 0 — Lost 2 — Tied 0

Date	Buffalo	Los Angeles	Attendance	Place
9/27/70 L	0	19	46,206	Home
12/15/74 L	14	19	84,324	Away

### MIAMI

Won 4 — Lost 21 — Tied 1

Date	Buffalo	Miami	Attendance	Place
9/18/66 W	58	24	37,546	Home
11/ 6/66 W	29	9	37,177	Away
11/ 5/67 W	35	13	31,622	Home
11/26/67 L	14	17	27,050	Away
10/12/68 T	14	14	28,559	Away
11/10/68 L	17	21	28,751	Home
10/26/69 L	6	24	39,837	Away
11/16/69 W	28	3	32,868	Home
10/18/70 L	14	33	41,312	Home
12/20/70 L	7	45	70,990	Away

Date	Buffalo	Miami	Attendance	Place
9/26/71 L	14	29	45,139	Home
11/7/71 L	0	34	61,061	Away
10/22/72 L	23	24	80,010	Away
11/5/72 L	16	30	46,206	Home
10/21/73 L	6	27	65,241	Away
11/18/73 L	0	17	77,138	Home
9/22/74 L	16	24	78,990	Home
11/16/74 L	28	35	69,213	Away
10/26/75 L	30	35	79,141	Home
12/7/75 L	21	31	78,701	Away
9/13/76 L	21	30	70,321	Home
12/5/76 L	27	47	43,475	Away
9/8/77 L	0	13	78,956	Home
12/17/77 L	14	31	47,111	Away
9/17/78 L	24	31	48,373	Away
11/12/78 L	24	25	48,623	Home

### MINNESOTA

Won 0 — Lost 2 — Tied 0

Date	Buffalo	Minnesota	Attendance	Place
10/3/71 L	0	19	47,900	Away
12/20/75 L	13	35	54,993	Home

### NEW ENGLAND

Won 19 — Lost 19 — 1

Date	Buffalo	New England	Attendance	Place
9/23/60 W	13	0	20,732	Away
12/4/60 W	38	14	14,335	Home
9/23/61 L	21	23	21,504	Home
10/22/61 L	21	52	9,398	Away
11/3/62 T	28	28	33,247	Home
11/23/62 L	10	21	20,021	Away
10/26/63 W	28	21	29,242	Home
12/1/63 L	7	17	12,162	Away
12/28/63 L	8	26	33,044	Home (Play-off)
11/15/64 L	28	36	42,308	Home
12/20/64 W	24	14	38,021	Away
9/11/65 W	24	7	45,502	Home
11/7/65 W	23	7	24,415	Away
10/8/66 L	10	20	45,542	Home
12/4/66 L	3	14	39,350	Away
9/24/67 L	0	23	45,748	Home
12/9/67 W	44	16	20,627	Away
9/8/68 L	7	16	38,865	Home
10/20/68 L	6	23	21,082	Away
10/11/69 W	23	16	46,201	Home
11/23/69 L	21	35	25,584	Away
11/1/70 W	45	10	31,148	Away
11/29/70 L	10	14	31,427	Home
11/14/71 L	33	38	57,446	Away
11/28/71 W	27	20	27,166	Home
10/8/72 W	38	14	41,749	Home
11/19/72 W	27	24	60,999	Away
9/16/73 W	31	13	56,119	Away
12/9/73 W	73	13	72,470	Home
10/20/74 W	30	28	78,935	Home
11/3/74 W	29	28	58,932	Away

Date	Buffalo	New England	Attendance	Place
11/23/75 W	45	31	65,655	Home
12/14/75 W	34	14	58,393	Away
10/24/76 L	22	26	50,383	Home
11/ 7/76 L	10	20	61,279	Away
11/ 6/77 W	24	14	61,279	Away
11/20/77 L	7	20	31,157	Home
11/ 5/78 L	10	14	44,897	Home
12/10/78 L	24	26	59,598	Away

### NEW ORLEANS

Won 0 — Lost 1

Date	Buffalo	New Orleans	Attendance	Place
11/ 4/73 L	0	13	74,770	Away

### NEW YORK GIANTS

Won 1 — Lost 2 — Tied 0

Date	Buffalo	New York	Attendance	Place
12/ 6/70 L	6	20	62,870	Away
10/20/75 L	14	17	79,518	Home
11/26/78 W	41	17	28,496	Home

### NEW YORK JETS

Won 19 — Lost 19

Date	Buffalo	New York	Attendance	Place
9/11/60 L	3	27	10,200	Away
10/16/60 L	13	17	14,988	Home
9/17/61 W	41	31	15,584	Home
11/23/61 L	14	21	12,023	Away
9/22/62 L	6	17	24,024	Home
12/ 8/62 W	20	3	16,453	Away
12/ 8/63 W	45	14	20,222	Home
12/14/63 W	19	10	6,526	Away
10/24/64 W	34	24	39,621	Home
11/ 8/64 W	20	7	61,929	Away
9/26/65 W	33	21	45,056	Home
12/19/65 L	12	14	57,396	Away
10/30/66 W	33	23	61,552	Away
11/13/66 W	14	3	45,738	Home
9/10/67 W	20	17	45,748	Home
11/12/67 L	10	20	62,671	Away
9/29/68 W	37	35	38,044	Home
11/ 3/68 L	21	25	61,452	Away
9/14/69 L	19	33	46,165	Home
11/ 9/69 L	6	16	62,680	Away
10/ 4/70 W	34	31	46,206	Home
10/25/70 W	10	6	62,712	Away
10/17/71 L	17	28	61,498	Away
11/21/71 L	7	20	41,577	Home
9/17/72 L	24	41	46,206	Home
11/12/72 L	3	41	62,853	Away
9/30/73 W	9	7	77,425	Home
12/16/73 W	34	14	47,740	Away
9/29/74 W	16	12	76,978	Home
12/ 8/74 L	10	20	32,805	Away
9/21/75 W	42	14	77,895	Home
11/ 2/75 W	24	23	58,343	Away
10/10/76 L	14	17	59,110	Away
10/31/76 L	14	19	48,361	Home
10/ 9/77 L	19	24	34,820	Home
12/11/77 W	14	10	49,315	Away
9/10/78 L	20	21	40,985	Home
10/ 8/78 L	14	45	44,545	Away

## OAKLAND

**Won 10 — Lost 11**

Date	Buffalo	Oakland	Attendance	Place
10/23/60 W	38	9	8,876	Home
11/13/60 L	7	20	8,800	Away
11/ 5/61 L	22	31	17,027	Home
12/ 3/61 W	26	21	8,011	Away
10/20/62 W	14	6	21,037	Home
11/18/62 W	10	6	12,500	Away
9/14/63 L	17	35	17,500	Away
10/ 5/63 W	12	0	24,846	Home
10/ 3/64 W	23	20	36,461	Home
12/ 6/64 L	13	16	18,134	Away
10/ 3/65 W	17	12	41,246	Home
11/14/65 W	17	14	19,352	Away
11/24/66 W	31	10	36,781	Away
10/15/67 L	20	24	45,758	Home
12/24/67 L	21	28	30,738	Away
9/15/68 L	6	48	43,056	Home
11/28/68 L	10	13	39,883	Away
10/19/69 L	21	50	54,418	Away
10/15/72 L	16	28	53,501	Away
9/16/74 W	21	20	79,876	Home
11/28/77 L	13	34	54,590	Away

## PHILADELPHIA

**Won 1 — Lost 0**

Date	Buffalo	Philadelphia	Attendance	Place
10/ 7/73 W	27	26	72,364	Home

## PITTSBURGH

**Won 1 — Lost 4 — Tied 0**

Date	Buffalo	Pittsburgh	Attendance	Place
10/11/70 L	10	23	42,140	Away
10/29/72 L	21	38	45,882	Home
12/22/74 L	14	32	48,321	Away (Play-off)
9/28/75 W	30	21	49,348	Away
9/ 3/78 L	17	28	64,147	Home

## ST. LOUIS

**Won 1 — Lost 1 — Tied 0**

Date	Buffalo	St. Louis	Attendance	Place
10/31/71 L	23	28	40,040	Home
11/27/75 W	32	14	41,899	Away

## SAN DIEGO

**Won 7 — Lost 13 — Tied 2**

Date	Buffalo	L. A.	Attendance	Place
10/ 2/60 L	10	24	15,821	Home
11/20/60 W	32	3	16,161	Away
Franchise moved to San Diego				
9/30/61 L	11	19	20,742	Home
12/ 9/61 L	10	28	24,486	Away
10/13/62 W	35	10	20,074	Home

Date	Buffalo	San Diego	Attendance	Place
11/11/62 W	40	20	22,204	Away
9/8/63 L	10	14	22,344	Away
11/17/63 L	13	23	38,582	Home
9/26/64 W	30	3	40,167	Home
11/26/64 W	27	24	34,865	Away
12/26/64 W	20	7	40,242	Home (Play-off)
10/10/65 L	3	34	45,260	Home
11/25/65 T	20	20	27,473	Away
12/26/65 W	23	0	30,361	Away (Play-off)
9/4/66 L	7	27	27,572	Away
10/16/66 T	17	17	45,169	Home
10/1/67 L	17	37	39,310	Home
11/17/68 L	6	21	27,883	Home
12/14/69 L	6	45	47,582	Away
10/23/71 L	3	20	49,261	Away
9/23/73 L	7	34	47,588	Away
11/21/76 L	13	34	41,701	Home

### SAN FRANCISCO

Won 1 — Lost 0 — Tied 0

Date	Buffalo	San Francisco	Attendance	Place
9/24/72 W	27	20	45,845	Home

### SEATTLE

Won 0 — Lost 1 — Tied 0

Date	Buffalo	Seattle	Attendance	Place
10/30/77 L	17	56	64,756	Away

### TAMPA BAY

Won 1 — Lost 1 — Tied 0

Date	Buffalo	Tampa Bay	Attendance	Place
9/26/76 W	14	9	48,440	Away
11/19/78 L	10	31	61,383	Away

### WASHINGTON

Won 1 — Lost 1 — Tied 0

Date	Buffalo	Washington	Attendance	Place
12/17/72 W	24	17	55,039	Away
12/4/77 L	0	10	27,750	Home

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The Bills' game against Miami in Orchard Park Sept. 2, marks the sixth consecutive year they've opened the season at home. The last time they opened on the road was in 1973 when they scored a 31-13 decision at New England.

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When Buffalo and Green Bay meet at Orchard Park Nov. 18, it will be only the second time they've played in regular season. Their only other meeting was at Green Bay in 1974 when the Bills were victorious 27-7.



# BILLS ALL-TIME RECORDS

## INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

### MOST SEASONS

11	Mike Stratton (1962-72)
9	Elbert Dubenion (1960-68)
	Al Bemiller (1961-69)
	Stew Barber (1961-69)
	Billy Shaw (1961-69)
	Jim Dunaway (1963-71)
	O. J. Simpson (1969-77)

### MOST CONSECUTIVE SEASONS

11	Mike Stratton (1962-72)
9	Elbert Dubenion (1960-68)
	Al Bemiller (1961-69)
	Stew Barber (1961-69)
	Billy Shaw (1961-69)
	Jim Dunaway (1963-71)
	O. J. Simpson (1969-77)

### MOST GAMES

142	Mike Stratton (1962-72)
126	Al Bemiller (1961-69)
125	Stew Barber (1961-69)

### MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES

126	Al Bemiller (1961-69)
125	Stew Barber (1961-69)

## SCORING

### TOTAL POINTS

LIFETIME	420	O. J. Simpson, 1969-77
	369	John Leypoldt, 1971-76
	248	Cookie Gilchrist, 1962-64
SEASON	138	O. J. Simpson, 1975
GAME	30	Cookie Gilchrist vs. New York, Dec. 8, 1963

### CONSECUTIVE GAMES SCORED

33	John Leypoldt, from vs. Baltimore, Nov. 25, 1973 to vs. Miami, Sept. 13, 1976
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### TOUCHDOWNS

LIFETIME	70	O. J. Simpson 1969-77
	39	Elbert Dubenion, 1960-67
	35	Cookie Gilchrist, 1962-64
SEASON	23	O. J. Simpson, 1975
GAME	5	Cookie Gilchrist vs. New York, Dec. 8, 1963

### CONSECUTIVE GAMES

14	O. J. Simpson, from vs. N. Y. Jets, Sept. 21, 1975 to vs. Minnesota, Dec. 20, 1975
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### POINTS AFTER TOUCHDOWNS

LIFETIME	147	John Leypoldt, 1971-76
	76	Pete Gogolak, 1964-65
SEASON	51	John Leypoldt, 1975
	45	Pete Gogolak, 1964
GAME	7	Booth Lusteg vs. Miami, Sept. 18, 1966

### CONSECUTIVE CONVERSIONS

66	Pete Gogolak vs. Oakland, Oct. 3, 1964 to vs. Kansas City, Dec. 12, 1965
38	John Leypoldt vs. Miami, Nov. 5, 1972 to vs. New York Jets, Dec. 16, 1973

### FIELD GOALS

LIFETIME	74	John Leypoldt, 1971-76
	47	Pete Gogolak, 1964-65
SEASON	28	Pete Gogolak, 1965
	21	John Leypoldt, 1973
GAME	5	Pete Gogolak vs. Houston, Dec. 5, 1965

## CONSECUTIVE FIELD GOALS

- 7 Pete Gogolak, Houston, Dec. 5, 1965 to  
vs. Kansas City, Dec. 12, 1965  
5 John Leypoldt vs. New England, Dec. 9, 1973  
to vs. New York Jets, Dec. 16, 1973

## LONGEST FIELD GOAL

- 52 John Leypoldt vs. Baltimore, Oct. 14, 1973  
52 Grant Guthrie vs. Pittsburgh, Oct. 11, 1970

## MISCELLANEOUS SCORING

### FUMBLE RECOVERY

- Billy Shaw vs. Dallas, Nov. 12, 1961 (7 yards).  
Don McDonald vs. San Diego, Dec. 10, 1961 (24 yards).  
Joe Auer vs. Boston, Nov. 15, 1964 (18 yards).  
George Saimes vs. Kansas City, Oct. 17, 1965 (18 yards).  
Mike Stratton vs. Denver, Dec. 18, 1966 (22 yards).  
Tom Sestak vs. Oakland, Dec. 24, 1967 (end zone).  
Booker Edgerson vs. Cincinnati, Nov. 30, 1969 (10 yards).  
Robert James vs. New England, Nov. 14, 1971 (end zone).  
Ahmad Rashad vs. Miami, Sept. 22, 1974 (end zone).  
Dave Washington vs. Miami, Nov. 17, 1974 (42 yards).  
Ahmad Rashad vs. Los Angeles, Dec. 15, 1974 (end zone).  
Mike Kadish vs. Pittsburgh, Sept. 28, 1975 (26 yards).  
John Holland vs. San Diego, Nov. 21, 1976 (end zone).  
Bo Cornell vs. Denver, Sept. 25, 1977 (22 yards).

### SAFETY

- Mack Yoho vs. New York Jets, Dec. 14, 1963.  
Mike Stratton/Harry Jacobs vs. Oakland, Oct. 5, 1963.  
Mike Stratton vs. San Diego, Nov. 26, 1964.  
Ron McDole vs. Oakland, Oct. 3, 1964.  
Ron McDole vs. Denver, Dec. 13, 1964.  
Marty Schottenheimer vs. Miami, Nov. 6, 1966 (blocked punt).  
Paul Guidry vs. Cincinnati, Sept. 22, 1968.  
Edgar Chandler vs. St. Louis, Oct. 31, 1971.  
Mike Kadish vs. Cleveland, Nov. 24, 1974.  
Tony Greene vs. New York Jets, Oct. 9, 1977.  
Lou Piccone vs. Cincinnati Bengals, Oct. 22, 1978.

### BLOCKED FIELD GOAL

- Jim Dunaway vs. New York Jets, Nov. 13, 1966 (72 yards)

## RUSHING

### MOST ATTEMPTS

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|----------|------|--|
| LIFETIME | 2123 | O. J. Simpson, 1969-77                       |
|          | 819  | Wray Carlton, 1960-67                        |
|          | 676  | Cookie Gilchrist, 1962-64                    |
| SEASON   | 332  | O. J. Simpson, 1973                          |
| GAME     | 39   | O. J. Simpson vs. Kansas City, Oct. 29, 1973 |

### MOST YARDS GAINED

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|----------|--------|---|
| LIFETIME | 10,183 | O. J. Simpson, 1969-77                        |
|          | 3368   | Wray Carlton, 1960-67                         |
|          | 3058   | Cookie Gilchrist, 1962-64                     |
| SEASON   | 2003   | O. J. Simpson, 1973                           |
|          | 1817   | O. J. Simpson, 1975                           |
|          | 1503   | O. J. Simpson, 1976                           |
|          | 1251   | O. J. Simpson, 1972                           |
| GAME     | 273    | O. J. Simpson vs. Detroit, Nov. 25, 1976      |
|          | 250    | O. J. Simpson vs. New England, Sept. 16, 1973 |
|          | 243    | Cookie Gilchrist vs. New York, Dec. 8, 1963   |

### LONGEST RUNS

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|----|---|
| 94 | O. J. Simpson vs. Pittsburgh, Oct. 29, 1972   |
| 88 | O. J. Simpson vs. Pittsburgh, Sept. 28, 1975  |
| 80 | Wray Carlton vs. Houston, Dec. 5, 1965        |
| 80 | O. J. Simpson vs. New England, Sept. 16, 1973 |

### BEST AVERAGE

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|----------|------|--|
| LIFETIME | 4.80 | O. J. Simpson, 1969-77   |
|          | 4.5  | Cookie Gilchrist, 1962-64  |
|          | 4.1  | Wray Carlton, 1960-67  |
| SEASON   | 6.0  | O. J. Simpson, 1973  |
|          | 5.5  | O. J. Simpson, 1975  |
| GAME     | 13.5 | Wray Carlton vs. Houston, Dec. 5, 1965<br>(11 carries—148-yards) |

**MOST TOUCHDOWNS**

LIFETIME	57	O. J. Simpson, 1969-77
	31	Cookie Gilchrist, 1962-64
	25	Jack Kemp, 1962-69
SEASON	16	O. J. Simpson, 1975
	13	Cookie Gilchrist, 1962
GAME	5	Cookie Gilchrist vs. New York, Dec. 8, 1963

**CONSECUTIVE GAMES TD RUSHING**

7	Cookie Gilchrist, from vs. Dallas, Sept. 30 1962 to vs. San Diego, Nov. 11, 1962
7	O. J. Simpson, from vs. Baltimore, Nov. 9, 1975 to vs. Minnesota, Dec. 20, 1975

**PASSING****MOST ATTEMPTS**

LIFETIME	2235	Jack Kemp, 1962-69
	1655	Joe Ferguson, 1973-78
SEASON	457	Joe Ferguson, 1977
	391	Jack Kemp, 1965
GAME	49	Jack Kemp vs. Denver, Oct. 19, 1965
	49	Johnny Green vs. Houston, Oct. 30, 1960

**MOST COMPLETIONS**

LIFETIME	1040	Jack Kemp, 1962-69
	831	Joe Ferguson, 1973-78
SEASON	221	Joe Ferguson, 1977
	194	Jack Kemp, 1963
GAME	25	Joe Ferguson vs. Miami, Dec. 17, 1977
	24	Dennis Shaw vs. Miami, Oct. 18, 1970

**MOST YARDS PASSING**

LIFETIME	15128	Jack Kemp, 1962-69
	10978	Joe Ferguson, 1973-78
SEASON	2914	Jack Kemp, 1963
	2803	Joe Ferguson, 1977
GAME	378	Jack Kemp vs. Houston, Oct. 11, 1964
	358	Dennis Shaw vs. Miami, Oct. 18, 1970

**MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES**

LIFETIME	78	Joe Ferguson, 1973-78
	77	Jack Kemp, 1962-69
SEASON	25	Joe Ferguson, 1975
GAME	4	Johnny Green vs. Oakland, Oct. 23, 1960
	4	Dennis Shaw vs. Dallas, Sept. 19, 1971
	4	Joe Ferguson vs. New England, Nov. 23, 1975

**MOST PASSES HAD INTERCEPTED**

LIFETIME	132	Jack Kemp, 1962-69
SEASON	26	Jack Kemp, 1964, 67
	26	Dennis Shaw, 1971
GAME	6	Joe Ferguson vs. Houston, Nov. 10, 1974

**LEAST PASSES HAD INTERCEPTED****(100 Att. Per Season)**

LIFETIME	15	Johnny Green, 1960-61 (354)
SEASON	1	Joe Ferguson, 1976 (151)

**MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES TOUCHDOWN PASS THROWN**

12	Joe Ferguson vs. New York Jets, Dec. 8, 1974 to vs. New England, Nov. 23, 1975
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**LONGEST PASS PLAY**

94	Jack Kemp-Glenn Bass vs. Houston, Oct. 11, 1964
92	Joe Ferguson-Frank Lewis vs. Miami, Sept. 17, 1978
89	Jack Kemp-Elbert Dubenion vs. Kansas City, Oct. 13, 1963

**BEST PASSING PERCENTAGE**

LIFETIME	52.9%	Dennis Shaw, 1970-73 (485 of 916 attempts)
	50.2%	Joe Ferguson, 1973-78 (831 of 1655 attempts)
SEASON	55.5%	Dennis Shaw, 1970 (178 of 321 attempts)
	53.0%	Joe Ferguson, 1978 (175 of 330 attempts)
GAME	83.3%	Joe Ferguson vs. Kansas City, Oct. 1, 1978 (15 of 18 attempts)

## RECEIVING

### MOST RECEPTIONS

LIFETIME	296	Elbert Dubenion, 1960-67
	295	Bob Chandler, 1971-78
SEASON	69	Bill Miller, 1963
	61	Bob Chandler, 1976
GAME	12	Glenn Bass vs. Oakland, Dec. 3, 1961
	12	Bill Miller vs. Oakland, Oct. 5, 1963

### MOST PASS RECEPTION YARDAGE

LIFETIME	5304	Elbert Dubenion, 1960-67
	3999	Bob Chandler, 1971-78
SEASON	1139	Elbert Dubenion, 1964
GAME	231	Glenn Bass vs. New York, Nov. 8, 1964
	218	Elbert Dubenion vs. New York, Oct. 24, 1964

### MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES CAUGHT

LIFETIME	35	Elbert Dubenion, 1960-67
	34	Bob Chandler, 1971-78
SEASON	10	Elbert Dubenion, 1964
	10	Bob Chandler, 1976
GAME	3	Wray Carlton vs. Oakland, Oct. 23, 1960
	3	Bob Chandler vs. Kansas City, Oct. 3, 1976

### MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES CAUGHT TD PASS

5	Elbert Dubenion vs. San Diego, Sept. 26, 1964 to vs. New York, Oct. 24, 1964
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### MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES CAUGHT PASS

42	Elbert Dubenion vs. Oakland, Nov. 5, 1961 to vs. Houston, Nov. 1, 1964
37	Marlin Briscoe vs. Oakland, Oct. 19, 1969 to vs. Kansas City, Dec. 19, 1971

## INTERCEPTIONS

### MOST PASSES INTERCEPTED

LIFETIME	40	George Byrd, 1964-70
	36	Tony Greene, 1971-78
	24	Booker Edgerson, 1962-69
SEASON	10	Billy Atkins, 1961
	10	Tom Janik, 1967
GAME	3	Billy Atkins vs. New York, Oct. 16, 1960
	3	Marv Matuszak vs. Houston, Oct. 7, 1962
	3	Charley Warner vs. Denver, Sept. 19, 1965
	3	Tom Janik vs. Boston, Dec. 9, 1967
	3	George Byrd vs. Houston, Oct. 5, 1969
	3	Tony Greene vs. Seattle, Oct. 30, 1977

### MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES PASSES INTERCEPTED

4	By four players: Tom Janik, Tony Greene, Dwight Harrison, Mario Clark
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### MOST YARDS INTERCEPTIONS RETURNED

LIFETIME	666	George Byrd, 1964-70
	618	Tony Greene, 1971-78
SEASON	222	Tom Janik, 1967
GAME	137	Tom Janik vs. New York, Sept. 29, 1968

### MOST TOUCHDOWNS ON INTERCEPTIONS

LIFETIME	5	George Byrd, 1964-70
	5	Tom Janik, 1965-68
SEASON	2	Tom Janik, 1966
	2	Tom Janik, 1967
	2	Booker Edgerson, 1968
GAME	1	Several

### LONGEST INTERCEPTION RETURNS

101	Tony Greene vs. Kansas City, Oct. 3, 1976
100	Tom Janik vs. New York Jets, Sept. 29, 1968
91	Booker Edgerson vs. Houston, Nov. 1, 1964
85	Charles Roms vs. New York Jets, Sept. 10, 1978

## PUNTING

### MOST PUNTS

LIFETIME	552	Paul Maguire, 1964-70
	262	Marv Bateman, 1974-77
SEASON	100	Paul Maguire, 1968
GAME	11	Paul Maguire vs. Oakland, Oct. 15, 1967
	11	Paul Maguire vs. Houston, Dec. 7, 1968
	11	Marv Bateman vs. Dallas, Nov. 15, 1976

### BEST AVERAGE

LIFETIME	42.1	Paul Maguire, 1964-70 (23,249 yards)
	41.7	Marv Bateman 1974-75-76-77 (10,936 yards)
SEASON	44.5	Billy Atkins, 1961 (3247 yards on 73 punts)
GAME	55.1	Paul Maguire vs. Houston, Sept. 21, 1969 (386 yards on 7 punts)
	51.8	Billy Atkins vs. Boston, Sept. 23, 1961 (467 yards on 9 punts)

### LONGEST PUNTS

78	Marv Bateman vs. Houston, Sept. 19, 1976
78	Paul Maguire vs. Houston, Sept. 21, 1969
75	Marv Bateman vs. Washington, Dec. 4, 1977
74	Marv Bateman vs. N. Y. Jets, Sept. 21, 1975
73	Marv Bateman vs. Baltimore, Oct. 2, 1977

## PUNT RETURNS

### MOST RETURNS

LIFETIME	85	George Byrd, 1964-70
	66	Ed Rutkowski, 1963-68
SEASON	43	Donnie Walker, 1974
GAME	8	Tommy Pharr vs. New York Jets, Oct. 25, 1970
	6	Ed Rutkowski vs. Houston, Oct. 11, 1964
	6	George Byrd vs. Denver, Nov. 9, 1967
	6	Donnie Walker vs. Houston, Nov. 10, 1974

### BEST AVERAGE

Lifetime	12.04	Keith Moody, 1976-78 (602 yard on 50 returns)
	9.6	Hagood Clark, 1964-66 (583 yards on 61 returns)
SEASON	13.1	Keith Moody, 1977 (196 yards on 15 returns)
	12.6	Keith Moody, 1978 (240 yards on 19 returns)
	11.6	Ed Rutkowski, 1966 (209 yards on 18 returns)
GAME	82	Keith Moody vs. Houston Oilers, Oct. 15, 1978 (82 yards on 1 return)

### MOST YARDS GAINED PUNT RETURNS

LIFETIME	602	Keith Moody, 1976-78
	594	Donnie Walker, 1973-74
	581	George Byrd, 1964-70
SEASON	384	Donnie Walker, 1974
GAME	97	Hagood Clarke vs. San Diego, Sept. 24, 1964

### MOST TOUCHDOWNS PUNT RETURNS

LIFETIME	3	Keith Moody, 1976-78
	2	Hagood Clarke, 1964-68
SEASON	1	Hagood Clarke, 1964, 1968
	1	George Byrd, 1966
	1	Ed Rutkowski, 1966
	1	Carl Charon, 1962
	1	Ike Hill, 1971
	1	Alvin Wyatt, 1971
	1	Bill Cahill, 1973

### LONGEST PUNT RETURNS

91	Keith Moody vs. Cleveland, Oct. 23, 1977
82	Keith Moody vs. Houston Oilers, Oct. 15, 1978
82	Hagood Clarke vs. New York, Nov. 3, 1968

## KICKOFF RETURNS

### MOST RETURNS

LIFETIME	74	Keith Moody, 1976-78
	69	Charley Warner, 1964-66
	60	Wallace Francis, 1973-74

SEASON	39	Max Anderson, 1968
GAME	8	Keith Moody vs. Seattle, Oct. 30, 1977

#### **BEST AVERAGE**

LIFETIME	27.2	Wallace Francis, 1973-74 (1634 yards on 60 returns)
SEASON	30.2	Ed Rutkowski, 1963 (396 yards on 13 returns)
	29.9	Wallace Francis, 1973 (687 yards on 23 returns)
GAME	70.5	O. J. Simpson vs. New York Jets, Oct. 4, 1970. (141 yards on 2 returns)

#### **MOST TOUCHDOWNS KICKOFF RETURNS**

LIFETIME	3	Charley Warner, 1964-66
	2	Wallace Francis, 1973-74
SEASON	2	Charley Warner, 1965
	2	Wallace Francis, 1973
GAME	1	Several Times

#### **MOST YARDS KICKOFF RETURNS**

LIFETIME	1789	Charley Warner, 1964-66
	1634	Wallace Francis, 1973-74
	1612	Keith Moody, 1976-78
SEASON	971	Max Anderson, 1968
GAME	185	Keith Moody vs. Seattle, Oct. 30, 1977

#### **LONGEST KICKOFF RETURNS**

102	Curtis Brown vs. Baltimore, Sept. 24, 1978
102	Charley Warner vs. Boston, Nov. 7, 1965
101	Wallace Francis vs. Philadelphia, Oct. 7, 1973

### **INDIVIDUAL SUPERLATIVES vs. BILLS (One Game)**

#### **MOST TOUCHDOWNS**

4	Chuck Foreman, Minnesota Vikings, Dec. 20, 1975
4	Lydell Mitchell, Baltimore Colts, Oct. 12, 1975
4	Calvin Hill, Dallas Cowboys, Sept. 19, 1971

#### **MOST TOUCHDOWNS RUSHING**

4	Calvin Hill, Dallas Cowboys, Sept. 19, 1971
3	Don Nottingham, Miami Dolphins, Oct. 26, 1975
3	Jim Kiick, Miami Dolphins, Dec. 20, 1970
3	Kevin Long, New York Jets, Oct. 8, 1978

#### **MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES CAUGHT**

3	Bob Scarpitto, Denver Broncos, Dec. 18, 1966
3	Gino Cappelletti, Boston Patriots, Nov. 15, 1964
3	Lionel Taylor, Denver Broncos, Nov. 27, 1960

#### **MOST RUSHING ATTEMPTS**

34	Jim Nance, Boston Patriots, Sept. 24, 1967 (185 yards)
31	Emerson Boozer, New York Jets, Oct. 17, 1971 (116 yards)

#### **MOST YARDS GAINED RUSHING**

185	Jim Nance, Boston Patriots, Sept. 24, 1967 (34 attempts)
173	Mike Pruitt, Cleveland Browns, Oct. 29, 1978 (21 attempts)
165	Abner Haynes, Dallas Texans, Sept. 30, 1962 (16 attempts)

#### **MOST PASSING ATTEMPTS**

68	George Blanda, Houston Oilers, Nov. 1, 1964
56	Frank Tripucka, Denver Broncos, Sept. 15, 1962

#### **MOST PASS COMPLETIONS**

37	George Blanda, Houston Oilers, Nov. 1, 1964 (68 attempts)
30	Ken Anderson, Cincinnati Bengals, Nov. 17, 1975 (46 attempts)

#### **MOST YARDS GAINED PASSING**

447	Ken Anderson, Cincinnati Bengals, Nov. 17, 1975
428	Frank Tripucka, Denver Broncos, Sept. 15, 1962

## **MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES**

- 6 Daryle Lamonica, Oakland Raiders, Sept. 19, 1969
- 4 Jim Plunkett, New England Patriots, Nov. 14, 1971
- 4 Bobby Douglass, Chicago Bears, Nov. 22, 1970
- 4 Jim Zorn, Seattle Seahawks, Oct. 30, 1977

## **HIGHEST COMPLETION PERCENTAGE**

- 80.0% Don Strock, Miami Dolphins, Dec. 7, 1975 (12 of 15)
- 80.0% Brian Sipe, Cleveland Browns, Oct. 29, 1978  
(12 of 15)

## **MOST PASS RECEPTIONS**

- 12 Charley Hennigan, Houston Oilers, Nov. 1, 1964  
(160 yards)
- 11 Chris Burford, Kansas City Chiefs, Sept. 22, 1963  
(106 yards)

## **MOST YARDS, PASS RECEIVING**

- 199 Lionel Taylor, Denver Broncos, Nov. 27, 1960  
(9 catches)
- 185 Lance Alworth, San Diego Chargers, Nov. 26, 1964  
(4 catches)

## **MOST FIELD GOALS**

- 6 Jim Turner, New York Jets, Nov. 3, 1968
- 5 Jan Stenerud, Kansas City Chiefs, Nov. 2, 1969;  
Dec. 7, 1969; Dec. 19, 1971
- 5 Horst Muhlmann, Cincinnati Bengals, Nov. 8, 1970

# **BILLS' LONGEST SCORING PLAYS**

## **RUSHING**

- 94 O. J. Simpson vs. Pittsburgh Steelers, Oct. 29, 1972
- 88 O. J. Simpson vs. Pittsburgh Steelers, Sept. 28, 1975
- 80 O. J. Simpson vs. New England Patriots, Sept. 16, 1973
- 80 Wray Carlton vs. Houston Oilers, Dec. 5, 1965
- 78 O. J. Simpson vs. Baltimore Colts, Oct. 14, 1973
- 75 O. J. Simpson vs. Miami Dolphins, Dec. 5, 1976
- 67 Cookie Gilchrist vs. Houston Oilers, Nov. 1, 1964
- 66 Elbert Dubenion vs. Boston Patriots, Dec. 4, 1960
- 65 Elbert Dubenion vs. Denver Broncos, Sept. 10, 1961
- 63 O. J. Simpson vs. New England Patriots, Dec. 14, 1975
- 62 Elbert Dubenion vs. New York Titans, Sept. 17, 1961
- 60 Cookie Gilchrist vs. Houston Oilers, Nov. 1, 1964
- 60 Terry Miller vs. Baltimore Colts, Dec. 17, 1978

## **PASSING**

- 94 Jack Kemp to Glenn Bass vs. Houston Oilers, Oct. 11, 1964
- 93\* Daryle Lamonica to Elbert Dubenion vs. Boston Patriots, Dec. 28, 1963
- 92 Joe Ferguson to Frank Lewis vs. Miami Dolphins, Sept. 17, 1978
- 89 Jack Kemp to Elbert Dubenion vs. Kansas City Chiefs, Oct. 13, 1963
- 80 Daryle Lamonica to Glenn Bass vs. New York Jets, Nov. 8, 1964
- 78 Jack Kemp to Billy Joe vs. Denver Broncos, Oct. 24, 1965
- 77 Joe Ferguson to J. D. Hill vs. New England Patriots, Nov. 23, 1975
- 76 Warren Rabb to Glenn Bass vs. San Diego Chargers, Oct. 13, 1962
- 76 Warren Rabb to Glenn Bass vs. Dallas Texans, Oct. 15, 1961
- 76 Tom O'Connell to Elbert Dubenion vs. Denver Broncos, Nov. 27, 1960
- 75 Warren Rabb to Elbert Dubenion vs. Denver Broncos, Oct. 28, 1962
- 75 Dennis Shaw to Marlin Briscoe vs. Dallas Cowboys, Sept. 19, 1971

## **KICKOFF RETURNS**

- 102 Curtis Brown vs. Baltimore Colts, Sept. 24, 1978
- 102 Charley Warner vs. Boston Patriots, Nov. 7, 1965
- 101 Wallace Francis vs. Philadelphia Eagles, Oct. 7, 1973
- 100 Max Anderson vs. Cincinnati Bengals, Sept. 22, 1968
- 100 Art Baker vs. Houston Oilers, Sept. 9, 1962
- 95 Charley Warner vs. New York Jets, Oct. 30, 1966
- 95 O. J. Simpson vs. New York Jets, Oct. 4, 1970
- 93 Elbert Dubenion vs. Boston Patriots, Nov. 3, 1962
- 93 Fred Brown vs. New York Titans, Sept. 17, 1961
- 90 Wallace Francis vs. New England Patriots, Dec. 9, 1973
- 87 Charley Warner vs. New York Jets, Dec. 19, 1965
- 52 Greg Jones vs. Boston Patriots, Nov. 1, 1970

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## PUNT RETURNS

- 91 Keith Moody vs. Cleveland Browns, Oct. 23, 1977
  - 82 Keith Moody vs. Houston Oilers, Oct. 15, 1978
  - 82 Hagood Clarke vs. New York Jets, Nov. 3, 1968
  - 74\* Butch Byrd vs. San Diego Chargers, Dec. 26, 1965
  - 73 Ed Rutkowski vs. Kansas City Chiefs, Sept. 11, 1966
  - 73 John Kimbrough vs. Baltimore Colts, Nov. 13, 1977
  - 72 Butch Byrd vs. Miami Dolphins, Sept. 18, 1965
  - 68 Ike Hill vs. New England Patriots, Nov. 14, 1971
  - 67 Keith Moody vs. New York Jets, Oct. 10, 1976
  - 61 Alvin Wyatt vs. St. Louis Cardinals, Oct. 3, 1971
  - 53 Hagood Clarke vs. San Diego Chargers, Sept. 26, 1964
  - 51 Bill Cahill vs. New York Jets, Dec. 16, 1973
- \*—Playoff game

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## INTERCEPTION RETURNS

- 101 Tony Greene vs. Kansas City Chiefs, Oct. 3, 1976
- 100 Tom Janik vs. New York Jets, Sept. 29, 1968
- 85 Charles Rome vs. New York Jets, Sept. 10, 1978
- 75 Butch Byrd vs. San Diego Chargers, Sept. 26, 1964
- 72 Dave Washington vs. New England Patriots, Nov. 3, 1974
- 66 Hagood Clarke vs. Houston Oilers, Sept. 25, 1966
- 60 Butch Byrd vs. Miami Dolphins, Sept. 18, 1966
- 60 Jim Wagstaff vs. Boston Patriots, Dec. 4, 1960
- 59 Edgar Chandler vs. Boston Patriots, Nov. 1, 1970
- 53 Butch Byrd vs. New York Jets, Sept. 29, 1968
- 49 Alvin Wyatt vs. Washington Redskins, Dec. 17, 1972
- 45 Neal Craig vs. Baltimore Colts, Oct. 13, 1974
- 45 Booker Edgerson vs. New York Jets, Sept. 29, 1968
- 45 Marty Schottenheimer vs. Boston Patriots, Dec. 9, 1967
- 44 Pat Toomay vs. New York Jets, Sept. 21, 1975

## THE LAST TIME

### Punt Returned for TD

By Bills —Keith Moody vs. Houston Oilers, Oct. 15, 1978  
(82 yards)

By Opp.—Bruce Harper, N.Y. Jets, Oct. 8, 1978 (82 yards)

### Kickoff Returned For TD

By Bills —Curtis Brown vs. Baltimore Colts, Sept. 24, 1978  
(102 yards)

By Opp.—Raymond Clayborn, New England Patriots, Nov. 6, 1977 (93 yards)

### Fumble Returned For TD

By Bills —Bo Cornell vs. Denver Broncos, Sept. 25, 1977  
(22 yards)

By Opp.—Derrel Luce, Baltimore Colts, Dec. 12, 1976  
(21 yards)

### Punt Blocked

By Bills —vs. Baltimore Colts, Dec. 17, 1978

By Opp.—New York Jets, Oct. 8, 1978

### Shutout Scored

By Bills —Buffalo 5, Cincinnati 0, Oct. 22, 1978

By Opp.—Washington 10, Buffalo 0, Dec. 4, 1977

### Pass Interception Returned For TD

By Bills —Charles Rome, (85 yards) vs. N.Y. Jets (Sept. 10, 1978)

By Opp.—Burgess Owens, (40 yards) N.Y. Jets (Oct. 8, 1978)

## TEAM RECORDS

### RUSHING

#### MOST RUSHES

SEASON	605	1973
GAME	65	vs. Kansas City, Oct. 29, 1973

#### MOST YARDS RUSHING

SEASON	3088	1973
GAME	366	vs. New York Giants, Nov. 26, 1978

#### MOST TOUCHDOWNS RUSHING

SEASON	26	1975
GAME	5	vs. New York Jets, Dec. 8, 1963; vs. N.Y. Giants, Nov. 26, 1978

### PASSING

#### MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED

SEASON	489	1966
GAME	53	vs. Boston, Nov. 15, 1964
	52	vs. Denver, Sept. 19, 1965

#### MOST COMPLETIONS

SEASON	228	1963
GAME	26	vs. Oakland, Sept. 15, 1963
	25	vs. New York, Sept. 26, 1965
	25	vs. Miami, Dec. 17, 1977

#### MOST YARDS GAINED PASSING

SEASON	3187	1964
GAME	405	vs. Houston, Oct. 11, 1964
	355	vs. Oakland, Sept. 15, 1963

#### MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES

SEASON	28	1975
GAME	4	vs. Oakland, Oct. 23, 1960
	4	vs. Houston, Nov. 20, 1966
	4	vs. Baltimore, Nov. 9, 1975
	4	vs. New England, Nov. 23, 1975

### TOTAL OFFENSE

SEASON	5467	1975
GAME	565	vs. Houston, Oct. 11, 1965

### FIRST DOWNS

#### MOST FIRST DOWNS

SEASON	318	1975
GAME	29	vs. Denver, Oct. 5, 1975

#### FEWEST FIRST DOWNS

SEASON	159	1968
GAME	4	vs. Baltimore, Oct. 10, 1971

#### MOST FIRST DOWNS RUSHING

SEASON	162	1975
GAME	20	vs. Denver, Oct. 5, 1975

#### FEWEST FIRST DOWNS RUSHING

SEASON	46	1964
GAME	0	vs. N. Y. Jets, Oct. 30, 1966
		vs. Baltimore, Oct. 10, 1971

#### MOST FIRST DOWNS PASSING

SEASON	151	1975
GAME	24	vs. Houston, Nov. 1, 1964

#### FEWEST FIRST DOWNS PASSING

SEASON	95	1972
GAME	0	vs. N. Y. Jets, Sept. 29, 1974

## SCORING

### MOST TOUCHDOWNS

SEASON	57	1975
GAME	8	vs. Miami, Sept. 18, 1966

### MOST CONVERSIONS AFTER TOUCHDOWNS

SEASON	51	1975
GAME	7	vs. Miami, Sept. 18, 1966
	6	vs. Denver, Oct. 28, 1962
	6	vs. Houston, Oct. 11, 1964
	6	vs. Boston, Nov. 1, 1970
	6	vs. N. Y. Jets, Sept. 21, 1975

### MOST FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED

SEASON	46	1965
GAME	7	vs. Houston, Dec. 5, 1965

### MOST FIELD GOALS MADE

SEASON	28	1965
GAME	5	vs. Houston, Dec. 5, 1965

### MOST POINTS SCORED

SEASON	420	1975
GAME	58	vs. Miami, Sept. 18, 1966
	50	vs. Kansas City, Oct. 3, 1976

## INTERCEPTIONS

### MOST INTERCEPTIONS

SEASON	36	1962
GAME	6	vs. Boston, Dec. 9, 1967
	6	vs. Los Angeles, Nov. 20, 1960
	6	vs. Denver, Nov. 19, 1961
	6	vs. Houston, Sept. 9, 1962

### MOST YARDS INTERCEPTIONS RETURNED

SEASON	505	1962
GAME	235	vs. New York, Sept. 29, 1968

## KICKOFF RETURNS

### MOST KICKOFF RETURNS

SEASON	75	1976
GAME	10	vs. Baltimore, Dec. 12, 1976

### MOST YARDAGE KICKOFFS RETURNED

SEASON	1673	1971
GAME	217	vs. Seattle, Oct. 30, 1977

## PUNT RETURNS

### MOST PUNT RETURNS

SEASON	56	1974
GAME	9	vs. Houston, Oct. 11, 1964

### MOST YARDAGE PUNT RETURNS

SEASON	460	1974
GAME	97	vs. San Diego, Sept. 26, 1964

## TEAM DEFENSE

### FEWEST POINTS ALLOWED

SEASON	226	1965
GAME	0	5 times

### MOST POINTS ALLOWED

SEASON	394	1971
GAME	58	vs. Baltimore, Dec. 12, 1976

### FEWEST PLAYS

SEASON	789	1963
GAME	43	vs. San Diego, Nov. 26, 1964

### MOST PLAYS

SEASON	940	1975
GAME	89	vs. Houston, Nov. 1, 1967

**FEWEST YARDS ALLOWED**

SEASON 3447 1967  
 GAME 104 vs. Kansas City, Oct. 29, 1973

**MOST YARDS ALLOWED**

SEASON 5188 1978  
 GAME 559 vs. Seattle Seahawks, Oct. 30, 1977

**FEWEST FIRST DOWNS ALLOWED**

SEASON 191 1966  
 GAME 5 vs. Houston, Oct. 11, 1964

**MOST FIRST DOWNS ALLOWED**

SEASON 305 1978  
 GAME 34 vs. Cincinnati, Nov. 17, 1975

**FEWEST FIRST DOWNS RUSHING ALLOWED**

SEASON 46 1964  
 GAME 0 vs. New York Jets, Oct. 30, 1966

**FEWEST FIRST DOWNS PASSING ALLOWED**

SEASON 95 1972  
 GAME 2 Five Times

**FEWEST RUSHES ALLOWED**

SEASON 317 1964, 1965  
 GAME 7 vs. Oakland, Oct. 5, 1963

**MOST RUSHES ALLOWED**

SEASON 677 1978  
 GAME 64 vs. Oakland, Nov. 28, 1977

**FEWEST YARDS RUSHING ALLOWED**

SEASON 918 1968  
 GAME 11 vs. Los Angeles, Nov. 20, 1960

**MOST YARDS RUSHING ALLOWED**

SEASON 3228 1978  
 GAME 320 vs. Dallas Texans, Sept. 30, 1962

**FEWEST PASSES ALLOWED**

SEASON 303 1971  
 GAME 7 vs. Cincinnati, Nov. 30, 1969

**MOST PASSES ALLOWED**

SEASON 515 1964  
 GAME 68 vs. Houston, Nov. 1, 1964

**FEWEST COMPLETIONS ALLOWED**

SEASON 143 1968  
 GAME 2 vs. Cincinnati, Nov. 30, 1969  
 2 vs. New York Jets, Sept. 29, 1974

**MOST COMPLETIONS ALLOWED**

SEASON 241 1964  
 GAME 37 vs. Houston, Nov. 1, 1964

**FEWEST YARDS ALLOWED PASSING**

SEASON 1620 1974  
 GAME 1 vs. Baltimore, Oct. 13, 1974

**MOST YARDS ALLOWED PASSING**

SEASON 3199 1965  
 GAME 447 vs. Cincinnati, Nov. 17, 1975

**LOWEST PERCENTAGE OF COMPLETIONS**

SEASON 42.1% 1968  
 GAME 11.1% vs. N. Y. Jets, Sept. 29, 1974  
 (2 for 18)

**HIGH COMPLETION PERCENTAGE**

SEASON 55.0% 1975  
 GAME 82.3% vs. Cleveland, Oct. 29, 1978

## BILLS' YEAR-BY-YEAR LEADERS

RUSHING		No.	Yds.	Avg.
1960	Wray Carlton	137	533	3.9
1961	Art Baker	152	498	3.3
1962	Cookie Gilchrist	214	1098	5.1
1963	Cookie Gilchrist	232	979	4.2
1964	Cookie Gilchrist	230	981	4.3
1965	Wray Carlton	156	592	3.7
1966	Bobby Burnett	187	766	4.1
1967	Keith Lincoln	159	601	3.8
1968	Max Anderson	147	525	3.6
1969	O. J. Simpson	181	697	3.9
1970	O. J. Simpson	120	488	4.1
1971	O. J. Simpson	183	742	4.1
1972	O. J. Simpson	292	1251	4.3
1973	O. J. Simpson	332	2003	6.0
1974	O. J. Simpson	270	1125	4.2
1975	O. J. Simpson	329	1817	5.5
1976	O. J. Simpson	290	1503	5.2
1977	O. J. Simpson	126	557	4.4
1978	Terry Miller	238	1060	4.5

RECEIVING		No.	Yds.	Tds.
1960	Tom Rychlec	44	581	0
1961	Glenn Bass	50	755	3
1962	Ernie Warlick	35	482	2
1963	Bill Miller	69	860	3
1964	Glenn Bass	43	897	7
1965	Bo Roberson	31	483	3
1966	Elbert Dubenion	50	747	2
1967	Keith Lincoln	41	558	5
1968	Haven Moses	42	633	2
1969	Haven Moses	39	752	5
1970	Marlin Briscoe	57	1036	5
1971	Marlin Briscoe	44	603	5
1972	J. D. Hill	52	754	5
1973	Bob Chandler	30	427	3
1974	Ahmad Rashad	36	433	4
1975	Bob Chandler	55	746	6
1976	Bob Chandler	61	824	10
1977	Bob Chandler	60	745	4
1978	Bob Chandler	44	581	5

PASSING		Att. Comp.		Int.	Yds.	TD	Pct.
1960	John Green	228	89	10	1287	10	.390
1961	M.C. Reynolds	181	83	13	1004	2	.459
1962	Warren Rabb	177	67	14	1196	10	.378
1963	Jack Kemp	384	194	20	2914	13	.505
1964	Jack Kemp	267	119	26	2285	13	.442
1965	Jack Kemp	391	179	18	2368	10	.458
1966	Jack Kemp	389	166	16	2451	11	.427
1967	Jack Kemp	369	161	26	2503	14	.436
1968	Dan Darragh	215	92	14	917	3	.428
1969	Jack Kemp	344	170	22	1981	13	.494
1970	Dennis Shaw	321	178	20	2507	10	.555
1971	Dennis Shaw	291	149	26	1813	11	.512
1972	Dennis Shaw	258	136	17	1666	14	.527
1973	Joe Ferguson	164	73	10	939	4	.445
1974	Joe Ferguson	232	119	12	1588	12	.513
1975	Joe Ferguson	321	169	17	2426	25	.526
1976	Joe Ferguson	151	74	1	1086	9	.490
1977	Joe Ferguson	457	221	24	2803	12	.484
1978	Joe Ferguson	330	175	15	2136	16	.530

SCORING		Tds.	Pats	Fgs.	Points
1960	Wray Carlton	11	0-0	0-0	66
1961	Elbert Dubenion	8	0-0	0-0	48
1962	Cookie Gilchrist	15	17-14	18-8	128
1963	Cookie Gilchrist	14	0-0	0-0	84
1964	Pete Gogolak	0	46-45	28-19	102
1965	Pete Gogolak	0	31-31	46-28	115
1966	Booth Lusteg	0	42-41	38-19	98
1967	Mike Mercer	0	25-25	27-16	73
1968	Bruce Alford	0	15-15	24-14	57
1969	Bruce Alford	0	24-23	26-17	74
1970	Grant Guthrie	0	25-24	19-10	54
1971	John Leypoldt	0	12-12	13-9	39
1972	John Leypoldt	0	30-29	24-16	77
1973	John Leypoldt	0	27-27	30-21	90
1974	John Leypoldt	0	29-25	33-19	82
1975	O. J. Simpson	23	0-0	0-0	138
1976	Bob Chandler	10	0-1	0-0	60
1977	Carson Long	0	13-14	7-11	34
1978	Tom Dempsey	0	36-39	10-13	66

KICKOFF RETURNS		No.	Yds.	Avg.	Tds.
1960	Joe Kulbacki	13	226	17.4	0
1961	Elbert Dubenion	16	329	20.6	0
1962	Willie Jones	14	287	20.5	0
1963	Ed Rutkowski	13	396	30.2	0
1964	Ed Rutkowski	21	498	23.7	0
1965	Charley Warner	32	825	25.8	2
1966	Charley Warner	33	846	25.6	1
1967	Charley Bivins	16	380	23.8	0
1968	Max Anderson	39	971	24.8	1
1969	O. J. Simpson	21	530	25.2	0
1970	Glenn Alexander	12	204	17.6	0
1971	Alvin Wyatt	30	762	22.1	0
1972	Alvin Wyatt	17	432	25.4	0
1973	Wallace Francis	23	687	29.9	2
1974	Wallace Francis	37	947	25.6	0
1975	Vic Washington	35	923	26.4	0
1976	Keith Moody	26	605	23.3	0
1977	Keith Moody	30	636	21.2	0
1978	Curtis Brown	17	428	25.2	1

PUNT RETURNS		No.	Yds.	Avg.	Tds.
1960	Joe Kulbacki	12	100	8.3	0
1961	Glenn Bass	8	75	9.4	0
1962	Willie West	14	112	8.0	0
1963	Ray Abruzzese	17	152	8.9	0
1964	Hagood Clarke	33	317	9.6	1
1965	George Byrd	22	220	10.0	0
1966	Ed Rutkowski	18	209	11.6	1
1967	George Byrd	30	142	4.7	0
1968	Hagood Clarke	29	241	8.3	1
1969	Max Anderson	19	142	7.5	0
1970	Tommy Pharr	23	184	8.0	0
1971	Ike Hill	14	133	9.5	1
1972	Alvin Wyatt	11	85	7.7	0
1973	Donnie Walker	25	210	8.4	0
1974	Donnie Walker	43	384	8.9	0
1975	Gary Hayman	25	216	8.6	0
1976	Keith Moody	16	166	10.4	1
1977	Keith Moody	15	196	13.1	1
1978	Keith Moody	19	240	12.6	1

FIELD GOALS		Att.	Made	Pct.	Long
1960	Billy Atkins	13	6	.462	45
1961	Joe Hergert	14	6	.429	45
1962	Cookie Gilchrist	20	8	.400	42
1963	Mack Yoho	23	10	.434	41
1964	Pete Gogolak	29	19	.655	47
1965	Pete Gogolak	46	28	.609	47
1966	Booth Lusteg	38	19	.500	47
1967	Mike Mercer	27	16	.592	51
1968	Bruce Alford	24	14	.583	51
1969	Bruce Alford	26	17	.653	44
1970	Grant Guthrie	19	10	.526	52
1971	John Leypoldt	13	9	.692	48
1972	John Leypoldt	24	16	.667	48
1973	John Leypoldt	30	21	.700	50
1974	John Leypoldt	33	19	.576	47
1975	John Leypoldt	16	9	.564	45
1976	George Jakowenko	17	12	.706	49
1977	Carson Long	11	7	.636	45
1978	Tom Dempsey	13	10	.769	46

PASS INTERCEPTIONS		No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1960	Arch Matsos	8	142	17.8	1
1961	Bill Atkins	10	158	15.8	0
1962	Carl Charon	7	131	18.7	1
1963	Willie West	5	57	11.4	0
	John Tracey	5	22	4.4	0
1964	George Byrd	7	178	25.4	1
1965	Hagood Clarke	7	60	8.6	0
1966	Tom Janik	8	136	17.0	2
1967	Tom Janik	10	222	22.2	2
1968	George Byrd	6	76	12.6	1
1969	George Byrd	7	95	13.6	1
1970	Pete Richardson	5	46	9.2	0
1971	Bob James	4	25	6.3	0
1972	Ken Lee	6	155	25.8	1
1973	Dwight Harrison	5	117	23.4	1
1974	Tony Greene	9	157	17.4	0
1975	Dwight Harrison	8	99	12.4	0
1976	Tony Greene	5	135	27.0	1
1977	Tony Greene	9	144	16.0	0
1978	Mario Clark	5	29	5.8	0

PUNTING		No.	Yds.	Avg.
1960	Billy Atkins	89	3468	39.0
1961	Billy Atkins	84	3783	45.0
1962	Wayne Crow	75	2929	39.0
1963	Daryle Lamonica	51	2071	40.6
1964	Paul Maguire	65	2777	42.7
1965	Paul Maguire	80	3437	43.0
1966	Paul Maguire	69	2841	41.2
1967	Paul Maguire	77	3320	43.1
1968	Paul Maguire	100	4175	41.8
1969	Paul Maguire	78	3471	44.5
1970	Paul Maguire	83	3226	38.9
1971	Spike Jones	72	2968	41.2
1972	Spike Jones	80	3104	38.8
1973	Spike Jones	66	2660	40.3
1974	Marv Bateman	34	1494	43.9
1975	Marv Bateman	61	2536	41.6
1976	Marv Bateman	86	3678	42.7
1977	Marv Bateman	81	3229	39.9
1978	Rusty Jackson	87	3373	38.3



# BUFFALO BILLS ALL-TIME ROSTER

Name	Position	School	Year
ABRAMOWITZ, DAN	WR	Xavier	1975
ABRUZZESE, RAY	DB	Alabama	1962-64
ADAMS, BILL	G	Holy Cross	1972-78
ALEXANDER, GLENN	WR	Grambling	1970
ALFORD, BRUCE	K	Texas Christian	1968-69
ALLEN, DOUG	LB	Penn State	1974-75
ALLEN, JACKIE	DB	Baylor	1970-71
ANDERSON, MAX	RB	Arizona State	1968-70
ANDERSON, TIM	DB	Ohio State	1976
ANDREWS, AL	LB	New Mexico	1970-71
ATKINS, BILL	DB	Auburn	1960-63
AUER, JOE	HB	Georgia Tech	1964-65
BAILEY, BILL	FB	Cincinnati	1967
BAKER, ART	FB-HB	Syracuse	1961-62
BAKER, MEL	WR	Texas Southern	1977
BARBER, STEW	T	Penn State	1961-69
BARRETT, ROBERT	E	Baldwin-Wallace	1960
BATEMAN, MARV	K	Utah	1974-77
BASS, GLENN	E	E.C.C.	1961-66
BEAMER, TIM	S	J.C. Smith	1971
BEARD, TOM	C	Michigan State	1972
BECKER, DOUG	LB	Notre Dame	1978
BEHRMAN, DAVE	C	Michigan State	1963-65
BEMILLER, AL	C	Syracuse	1961-69
BESANA, FRED	QB	California	1977
BIVINS, CHARLEY	HB	Morris Brown	1967
BLAZER, PHIL	G	N. Carolina	1960
BOHLING, DEWEY	RB	Hardin-Simmons	1961
BORDEN, NATE	E	Indiana	1962
BRAXTON, HEZEKIAH	HB	Virginia Union	1963
BRAXTON, JIM	RB	West Virginia	1971-78
BRISCOE, MARLIN	WR	Omaha	1969-71
BRODHEAD, BOB	QB	Duke	1960
BROOKS, CLIFFORD	DB	Tennessee State	1976
BROWN, CHARLEY	S	Syracuse	1968
BROWN, CURTIS	RB	Missouri	1977
BROWN, FRED	HB	Georgia	1961-63
BRUBAKER, RICHARD	E	Ohio State	1960
BUGENHAGEN, GARY	T	Syracuse	1967
BURNETT, BOBBY	HB	Arkansas	1966-67
BUZINISKI, BERNIE	LB	Holy Cross	1960
BYRD, GEORGE	CB	Boston Univ.	1964-70
CAHILL, BILL	S	Washington	1973-74
CALHOUN, DON	RB	Kansas State	1974-75
CANNAVINO, JOE	DB	Ohio State	1962
CAPPADONNA, BOB	RB	Northeastern	1968
CARLTON, WRAY	FB	Duke	1960-67
CARR, LEVERT	T	No. Central Ill.	1970-71
CARWELL, LARRY	S	Iowa State	1973
CELOTTO, MARIO	LB	So. California	1978
CHAMBERLAIN, DAN	E	Sacramento State	1960-61
CHANDLER, BOB	WR	So. California	1971-78
CHANDLER, EDGAR	LB	Georgia	1968-72
CHAPPLE, DAVE	P	Calif.-Santa Barbara	1971
CHARON, CARL	DB	Michigan State	1962-63
CHEEK, RICHARD	G	Auburn	1970-71
CHELF, DON	G	Iowa	1960-61
CHEYUNSKI, JIM	LB	Syracuse	1973-74
CHRISTIANSEN, BOB	TE	UCLA	1972
CLARK, MARIO	DB	Oregon	1976-78
CLARK, MIKE	K	Texas A. & M.	1972
CLARKE, HAGOOD	DB	Florida	1964-68
COLE, LINZY	WR	Texas Christian	1972
COLEMAN, FRED	TE	Northeast Louisiana	1976
COLLIER, MIKE	RB	Morgan State	1977
COLLINS, GREG	LB	Notre Dame	1977
COLLINS, JERALD	LB	Western Michigan	1969-71
CORNELL, ROBERT BO	LB	Washington	1973-77
CORNISH, FRANK	DT	Alcorn A. & M.	1972
COSTA, DAVE	DT	Utah	1966-74
COSTA, PAUL	TE-T	Notre Dame	1965-72
COWLINGS, AL	DE	So. California	1970-72
CRAIG, NEAL	S	Fisk	1974
CRAIG, REGGIE	WR	Arkansas	1977
CRAWFORD, HILTON	S	Grambling	1969
CROCKETT, BOBBY	WR	Arkansas	1966-69
CROCKETT, MONTE	E	Highlands Univ.	1960-62
CROFT, DON	DT	Texas-El Paso	1972-75
CROTTY, JIM	DB	Notre Dame	1961-62
CROW, WAYNE	HB	California	1962-63
CROYLE, PHIL	LB	California	1973

Name	Position	Schoo	Year
CUDZIK, WALT	C	Purdue	1964
CUNNINGHAM, DICK	T	Arkansas	1967-72
CURCHIN, JEFF	G	Florida State	1972
DARRAGH, DAN	QB	William & Mary	1968-70
DAY, TOM	DE	N.C. A&T	1961-66, 68
DELAHILLEURE, JOE	G	Michigan State	1973-78
DELUCCA, GERRY	T	Middle Tenn St.	1962-63
DEMPSEY, TOM	K	Palomar Jr.	1978
DENNEY, AUSTIN	TE	Tennessee	1970-71
DESUTTER, WAYNE	T	Western Illinois	1966
DEVLEIGER, CHUCK	DT	Memphis State	1969
DEVLIN, JOE	T	Iowa	1976-78
DISCENZO, TONY	T	Michigan State	1960
DITTRICH, JOHN	G	Wisconsin	1961
DOBBINS, OLIVER	DB	Morgan State	1964
DOKES, PHIL	DE	Oklahoma State	1977-78
DONALDSON, GENE	FB	Purdue	1967
DOROW, AL	QB	Michigan State	1962
DRUNGO, ELBERT	T	Tennessee St.	1978
DUBENION, ELBERT	WR	Bluffton	1960-68
DUNAWAY, JIM	DT	Mississippi	1963-71
DUNSTAN, BILL	DT	Utah State	1977
EDGERSON, BOOKER	CB	Western Illinois	1962-69
EDWARDS, EARL	DE	Wichita	1973-75
EDWARDS, EMMETT	WR	Kansas	1976
EHLERS, TOM	LB	Kentucky	1978
ENYART, BILL	RB	Oregon State	1969-70
FARLEY, DALE	LB	West Virginia	1972-73
FELTON, RALPH	LB	Maryland	1961-62
FERGUSON, CHARLEY	TE	Tennessee State	1963-69
FERGUSON, JOE	QB	Arkansas	1973-78
FLINT, GEORGE	G	Arizona State	1962-65, 68
FLORES, TOM	QB	Pacific	1967-69
FOLEY, DAVE	T	Ohio State	1972-77
FORD, CHARLEY	DB	Houston	1975
FORD, FRED	HB	California Tech	1960
FORSBERG, FRED	LB	Washington	1973
FOWLER, WAYNE	C	Georgia	1970
FOWLER, WILLMER	HB	Northwestern	1960-61
FRANCIS, WALLACE	WR	Arkansas A. M. & N.	1973-74
FRANCKOWIAK, MIKE	TE	Central Michigan	1977-78
FRANTZ, JACK	C	California	1968
FRAZIER, WAYNE	C	Auburn	1967
FREEMAN, STEVE	DB	Mississippi	1975-78
GADDIS, BOB	WR	Mississippi Valley	1976
GANT, REUBEN	TE	Oklahoma State	1974-78
GANTT, JEROME	T	No. Carolina Central	1970
GARROR, LEON	S	Alcorn A. & M.	1972-73
GIBSON, REUBEN	RB	Memphis State	1977
GILCHRIST, COOKIE	FB	None	1962-64
GLADIEUX, BOB	RB	Notre Dame	1970
GLOSSON, CLYDE	WR	Texas-El Paso	1970
GOGOLAK, PETE	K	Cornell	1964-65
GOODE, IRV	G	Kentucky	1972
GOODWIN, DOUG	FB	Maryland St.	1966
GRABOSKY, GENE	T	Syracuse	1960
GRAHAM, TOM	LB	Oregon	1978
GRANT, WES	DE	UCLA	1971
GRANT, WILL	C	Kentucky	1978
GRATE, WILLIE	TE	So. Carolina St.	1969-70
GREEN, DONNIE	T	Purdue	1971-76
GREEN, JOHN	QB	Chattanooga	1960-61
GREEN, VAN	DB	Shaw	1976
GREENE, TONY	CB	Maryland	1971-78
GREGORY, BEN	RB	Nebraska	1968-69
GROMAN, BILL	E	Heidelberg	1964-65
GUIDRY, PAUL	LB	McNeese State	1966-72
GUTHRIE, GRANT	K	Florida St.	1970-71
HAGEN, HALVOR	T	Weber State	1973-75
HARDISON, DEE	DT	North Carolina	1978
HARPER, DARRELL	HB	Michigan	1960
HARRIS, JIM	QB	Grambling	1969-71
HARRISON, DWIGHT	DB	Texas A. & I.	1972-77
HART, DICK	G	None	1972
HART, LEO	QB	Duke	1972-73
HARVEY, WADDEY	DT	Virginia Tech	1969-70
HASLERIG, CLINT	RB	Michigan	1974-75
HAYMAN, GARY	RB	Penn State	1974-75
HEALY, DON	T	Maryland	1962
HEATH, CLAYTON	RB	Wake Forest	1976
HENLEY, CAREY	HB	Chattanooga	1962
HERGERT, JOE	HB	Florida	1961-60
HEWS, BOB	T	Princeton	1971
HILL, IKE	CB	Catawba	1970-71
HILL, J.D.	WR	Arizona State	1971-75
HOISINGTON, AL	E	Pasadena	1960

Name	Position	School	Year
HOLLAND, JOHN	WR	Tennessee St.	1975-77
HOLMES, MIKE	WR	Texas Southern	1976
HOOKS, ROLAND	RB	North Carolina St.	1976-78
HUDLOW, FLOYD	DB	Arizona	1965
HUDSON, DICK	T	Memphis St.	1963-68
HUNTER, SCOTT	QB	Alabama	1974
HURSTON, CHUCK	DE	Auburn	1971
HUTCHINSON, SCOTT	DE	Florida	1978
JACKSON, RANDY	RB	Wichita State	1972
JACKUNAS, FRANK	C	Detroit	1962
JACOBS, HARRY	LB	Bradley	1963-69
JAKOWENKO, GEORGE	K	Syracuse	1976
JAMES, BOB	CB	Fisk	1969-74
JANIK, TOM	S	Texas A&I	1965-68
JARVIS, BRUCE	C	Washington	1971-74
JARVIS, RAY	WR	Norfolk State	1973
JENKINS, ED	RB	Holy Cross	1974
JILEK, DAN	LB	Michigan	1976-78
JOE, BILLY	FB	Villanova	1965
JOHNSON, DENNIS	DT	Delaware	1978
JOHNSON, DENNIS	FB	Mississippi St.	1978
JOHNSON, JACK	HB	Miami, (Fla.)	1960-61
JOHNSON, KEN	QB	Colorado	1977
JOHNSON, MARK	LB	Missouri	1975-76
JONES, DOUG	DB	California State	1975-78
JONES, ED	DB	Rutgers	1975
JONES, GREG	RB	UCLA	1970-71
JONES, KEN	DE	Arkansas State	1976-78
JONES, SPIKE	P	Georgia	1971-74
JONES, STEVE	RB	Duke	1973-74
JONES, WILLIE	HB	Purdue	1962
KADISH, MIKE	DT	Notre Dame	1973-78
KALSU, BOB	G	Oklahoma	1968
KAMPA, BOB	DT	California	1973-74
KEATING, TOM	DT	Michigan	1964-65
KELLERMAN, ERNIE	S	Miami-Ohio	1973
KEMP, JACK	QB	Occidental	1962-69
KERN, REX	S	Ohio State	1974
KIMBROUGH, JOHN	WR	St. Cloud State	1977
KINGREA, RICK	LB	Tulane	1973
KINARD, BILL	DB	Mississippi	1960
KINDIG, HOWARD	C-DE	Los Angeles St.	1967-71
KING, CHARLEY	CB	Purdue	1966-67
KING, TONY	DB	Findlay	1967
KINNEY, JEFF	RB	Nebraska	1976
KOCHMAN, ROGER	HB	Penn State	1963
KOY, TED	LB-TE	Texas	1971-74
KRAKAU, MERV	LB	Iowa State	1973-78
KRUSE, BOB	G	Wayne State	1969
KULBACKI, JOE	HB	Purdue	1960
LAMONICA, DARYLE	QB	Notre Dame	1963-66
LARAWAY, JACK	LB	Purdue	1960
LASKEY, BILL	LB	Michigan	1965
LASTER, ART	T	Maryland St.	1970
LAWSON, JEROME	CB	Utah	1968
LEDBETTER, MONTE	WR	N.W. Louisiana St.	1967-69
LEE, KEN	LB	Washington	1972
LEMOINE, JIM	G	Utah St.	1967
LEO, CHUCK	G	Indiana	1963
LETTNER, BOB	LB	Tennessee	1961
LEVENSELLER, MIKE	WR	Washington St.	1978
LEWIS, FRANK	WR	Grambling	1978
LEWIS, HAROLD	HB	Houston	1960
LEWIS, RICHARD	LB	Portland State	1973-74
LEYPOLDT, JOHN	K	None	1971-76
LINCOLN, KEITH	HB	Washington St.	1967-68
LITTLE, JOHN	DT	Oklahoma State	1977
LLOYD, JEFF	DT	West Texas State	1976
LONG, CARSON	K	Pittsburgh	1977
LOUDERBACK, TOM	LB	San Jose State	1962
LOUKAS, ANGELO	G	Northwestern	1969
LUCAS, RICHIE	QB-HB	Penn State	1960-61
LUSTEG, BOOTH	K	Connecticut	1966
LYMAN, JEFF	LB	Brigham Young	1972
MAGUIRE, PAUL	LB-K	The Citadel	1964-70
MAJORS, BILL	DB	Tennessee	1961
MARANGI, GARY	QB	Boston College	1974-76
MARCHLEWSKI, FRANK	C	Minnesota	1970
MASTERS, BILLY	TE	Louisiana State	1967-69
MATLOCK, JOHN	C	Miami	1972
MATSOS, ARCHIE	LB	Michigan State	1960-62
MATUSZAK, MARV	LB	Tulsa	1962-63
MAYS, DAVID	QB	Texas Southern	1978
McBATH, MIKE	DE	Penn State	1968-72
McCABE, RICHIE	DB	Pittsburgh	1960-61
McCAFFREY, MIKE	LB	California	1970

Name	Position	School	Year
McLANAHAN, RANDY	LB	S.W. Louisiana	1978
McCONNELL, BRIAN	LB	Michigan State	1973
McCRUMBLY, JOHN	LB	Texas A & M	1975
McDERMOTT, GARY	RB	Tulsa	1968
McDOLE, RON	DE	Nebraska	1963-70
McDONALD, DON	DB	Houston	1961
McFARLAND, JIM	TE	Nebraska	1970
McGREW, DAN	C	Purdue	1960
McKENZIE, REGGIE	G	Michigan	1972-78
McKINLEY, BILL	LB	Arizona	1971
McKINNEY, ROYCE	DB	Kentucky State	1975
McMILLAN, EDDIE	CB	Florida St.	1978
McMURTRY, CHUCK	DT	Whittier College	1960-61
MEANS, DAVE	DE	S. E. Missouri State	1974
MERCER, MIKE	K	No. Arizona	1967-68
MEREDITH, DUDLEY	DE	Lamar Tech	1964-68
MEYER, ED	T	W. Texas State	1960
MILLER, BILL	E	Miami	1963
MILLER, TERRY	RB	Oklahoma St.	1978
MILLS, SULLIVAN	E-DB	Wichita	1965-66
MINTER, TOM	HB	Baylor	1962
MITCHELL, CHARLEY	HB	Washington	1968
MONTIER, MIKE	C	Colorado	1973-76
MOODY, KEITH	DB	Syracuse	1976-78
MOORE, LEROY	DE	Ft. Valley St.	1960, 62-63
MORTON, GREG	DE	Michigan	1977
MOSES, HAVEN	WR	San Diego St.	1968-72
MOSLEY, WAYNE	RB	Alabama A. & M.	1974
MOSS, ROLAND	RB	Toledo	1970
MUELHAUPT, ED	G	Iowa State	1960-61
MUNSON, BILL	QB	Utah State	1978
MURDOCK, JESSIE	FB	California Western	1963
NELSON, BOB	LB	Nebraska	1975-77
NELSON, SHANE	LB	Baylor	1977-78
NIGHTWANDER, NICK	C	Morehead State	1974
NUNAMAKER, JULIAN	DE	Tennessee-Martin	1969-71
O'CONNELL, TOM	QB	Illinois	1960-61
O'DONNELL, JOE	G	Michigan	1964-71
O'DONOGHUE, NEIL	K	Auburn	1977
OGAS, DAVE	LB	San Diego St.	1969
OKONIEWSKI, STEVE	DT	Montana	1972-73
OLIVER, FRANK	DB	Kentucky State	1975
OLSON, HAROLD	T	Clemson	1960-62
PALMER, DICK	LB	Kentucky	1972
PALUMBO, SAM	C	Notre Dame	1960
PARKER, WILLIE	C	N. Texas State	1973-78
PATE, LLOYD	RB	Cincinnati	1970
PATERRA, HERB	LB	Michigan State	1963
PATRICK, WAYNE	RB	Louisville	1968-72
PATTON, BOB	C	Delaware	1976
PATTON, JERRY	DT	Nebraska	1972-73
PATULSKI, WALT	DE	Notre Dame	1972-75
PENCHION, ROBERT	G	Alcorn A. & M.	1972-73
PETRICH, BOB	DE	West Texas St.	1967
PHARR, TOMMY	S	Mississippi St.	1970
PICCONI, LOU	WR	West Liberty State	1977-78
PITTS, JOHN	S	Arizona State	1967-73
PLY, BOBBY	DB	Baylor	1967
POWELL, ART	E	San Jose	1967
POWELL, DARNELL	RB	Chattanooga	1976
POWELL, STEVE	RB	N.E. Missouri St.	1978
PRUDHOMME, REMI	C	L.S.U.	1966-67, 72
RABB, WARREN	QB	L.S.U.	1961-62
RANDOLPH, AL	S	Iowa	1974
RASHAD, AHMAD	WR	Oregon	1974-75
RAY, EDDIE	RB	Louisiana State	1976
REEVES, ROY	WR	So. Carolina	1969
REID, ANDY	RB	Georgia	1976
REILLY, JIM	G	Notre Dame	1970-71
REMMERT, DENNIS	T	Iowa State	1960
REYNOLDS, M.C.	QB	L.S.U.	1961
RICARDO, BENNY	K	San Diego State	1976
RICE, KEN	T	Auburn	1961-63
RICHARDS, PERRY	E	Detroit	1961
RICHARDSON, PETE	CB	Dayton	1969-71
RICHEY, MIKE	T	No. Carolina	1969
RIDLEHUBER, PRESTON	RB	Georgia	1969
RISSMILLER, RAY	T	Georgia	1968
RIVERA, HANK	DB	Oregon State	1963
ROBERSON, BO	E	Cornell	1965
ROMES, CHARLES	DB	North Carolina Central	1977-78
ROSDAHL, HARRISON	DE	Penn State	1964
ROSS, LOUIS	DE	So. Carolina State	1971-72
ROSS, WILLIE	FB	Nebraska	1964
RUSSELL, BEN	QB	Louisville	1968

Name	Position	School	Year
RUTKOWSKI, CHARLES	F	Ripon	1960
RUTKOWSKI, ED	QB-WR	Notre Dame	1963-68
RUUD, TOM	LB	Nebraska	1975-77
RYCHLEC, TOM	E	American Inter.	1960-62
SAIDOCK, TOM	DT	Michigan State	1962
SAIMES, GEORGE	S	Michigan State	1963-69
SANFORD, LUCIUS	LB	Georgia Tech	1978
SAUNDERS, JOHN	S	Toledo	1972
SCHAFER, JOE	HB	Tennessee	1960
SCHMIDT, BOB	C	Minnesota	1966-67
SCHMIDT, HENRY	DT	USC	1965
SCHNARR, STEVE	RB	Otterbein	1975
SCHOTTENHEIMER, MARTY	LB	Pittsburgh	1965-68
SCOTT, JOHN	T	Ohio State	1960-61
SEDLICK, BOB	DT	Georgia	1960
SELFIDGE, ANDY	LB	Virginia	1972
SESTAK, TOM	DT	McNeese State	1962-68
SEYMOUR, PAUL	TE	Michigan	1973-77
SHAW, BILLY	G	Georgia Tech	1961-69
SHAW, DENNIS	QB	San Diego St.	1970-73
SHERMAN, TOM	QB	Penn State	1969
SHOCKLEY, BILL	HB	Westchester State	1961
SIMPSON, O.J.	RB	U.S.C.	1969-77
SKORUPAN, JOHN	LB	Penn State	1973-77
SMITH, ALLEN	HB	Ft. Valley St.	1966-67
SMITH, BOBBY	HB	N. Texas State	1964-65
SMITH, CARL	FB	Tennessee	1960
SMITH, MARTY	DT	Louisville	1976
SMITH, TODY	DE	U.S.C.	1976
SNOWDEN, CAL	DE	Indiana	1971
SOREY, JIM	DT	Texas Southern	1960-62
SPIKES, JACK	FB	TCU	1966-67
STEPHENSON, KAY	QB	Florida	1968
STONE, DON	FB	Arkansas	1965
STONE, KEN	S	Vanderbilt	1973
STRATTON, MIKE	LB	Tennessee	1962-72
SWITZER, MARVIN	DB	Kansas State	1978
SYKES, GENE	DB	L.S.U.	1963-65
TALIAFERRO, MIKE	QB	Illinois	1972
TASEFF, CARL	DB	John Carrol Univ.	1962
TATAREK, BOB	DT	Miami	1968-72
THOMAS, IKE	DB	Bishop	1975
THORNTON, BUBBA	WR	Texas Christian	1969
TOOMAY, PAT	DE	Vanderbilt	1975
TORCZON, LAVERNE	DE	Nebraska	1960-62
TRACEY, JOHN	LB	Texas A&M	1962-67
TRAPP, RICHARD	WR	Florida	1968
TYLER, MAURICE	S	Morgan State	1972-73
VALDEZ, VERNON	DB	San Diego College	1961
VANVALKENBURG, PETE	RB	Brigham Young	1973
WAGSTAFF, JIM	DB	Idaho State	1960-61
WALKER, DONNIE	DB	Central State-Ohio	1973-74
WALTON, LARRY	WR	Arizona State	1978
WARLICK, ERNIE	E	No. Carolina Cent.	1962-65
WARNER, CHARLEY	DB	Prairie View	1964-66
WASHINGTON, DAVE	LB	Alcorn A. & M.	1972-74
WASHINGTON, VIC	RB	Wyoming	1975-76
WATKINS, LARRY	FB	Alcorn A. & M.	1973-74
WEGERT, TED	HB	None	1960
WEST, WILLIE	DB	Oregon	1962-63
WHEELER, MANCH	QB	Maine	1962
WHITE, JAN	TE	Ohio State	1971-72
WHITE, SHERMAN	DE	California	1976-78
WILLIAMS, BEN	DE	Mississippi	1976-78
WILLIS, LEN	WR	Ohio State	1977-78
WILSON, MIKE	G	Dayton	1971
WINANS, JEFF	DT	USC	1973-75
WINFREY, STAN	RB	Arkansas State	1977
WOLFF, WAYNE	G	Wake Forest	1961
WORD, ROSCOE	DB	Jackson State	1976
WYATT, ALVIN	DB	Bethune-Cookman	1970-73
WYCHE, SAM	QB	Furman	1976
YACCINO, JOHN	DB	Pittsburgh	1962
YEATES, JEFF	DT	Boston College	1974-76
YOHO, MACK	DE	Miami, (O.)	1960-63
YOUNG, WILLIE	T	Alcorn A & M	1971
YOUNGELMAN, SID	T	Alabama	1962-63
ZECHER, RICH	DT	Utah St.	1967
ZELENCIK, CONNIE	C	Purdue	1977

## COLLEGE HONOR ROLL

Since the Buffalo Bills' inaugural season in 1960, 415 players representing 174 different schools have worn the Bills' uniform. Michigan State and Notre Dame lead all schools with 11 alumni while Michigan, Nebraska, Penn State and Purdue each have had nine players on Bills teams. Here's the breakdown by school: (Four Bills did not attend college).

11—Michigan State, Notre Dame.

9—Michigan, Nebraska, Penn State, Purdue

8—Ohio State, Syracuse

7—Georgia, Louisiana State, USC

6—Arkansas, Auburn, California, Tennessee, Washington

5—Alcorn A & M, Arizona State, Florida, Grambling

4—Baylor, Duke, Iowa State, Kentucky, Miami (Fla.), Mississippi, Oklahoma State, Oregon, Pittsburgh, San Diego St., Tennessee State, Texas Christian, Utah State

3—Alabama, Chattanooga, Florida State, Holy Cross, Houston, Indiana, Iowa, Louisville, Maryland, Memphis State, Morgan State, North Carolina, Texas A & M, Texas Southern, UCLA, Utah, West Texas State.

2—Arizona, Arkansas State, Boston College, Brigham Young, Cincinnati, Colorado, Cornell, Dayton, Delaware, Detroit, Fisk, Fort Valley State, Georgia Tech, Illinois, Kansas State, Kentucky State, Maryland State, McNeese State, Miami (Ohio), Minnesota, Mississippi State, Missouri, North Carolina Central, North Texas State, Northwestern, Oregon State, San Jose State, South Carolina State, Texas A & I, Texas-El Paso, Toledo, Tulsa, Vanderbilt, Wake Forest, West Virginia, Western Illinois, Wichita

1—Alabama A & M, American International, Arkansas A M & N, Baldwin Wallace, Bethune Cookman, Bishop, Bluffton, Boston University, Bradley, California, California-Santa Barbara, California State, California Tech, California Western, Catawba, Central Michigan, Central State-Ohio, The Citadel, Clemson, Connecticut, East Carolina, Findlay, Furman, Hardin Simmons, Heidelberg, Idaho State, J.C. Smith, Jackson State, John Carroll, Kansas, Lamar Tech, Los Angeles State, Maine, Middle Tennessee State, Mississippi Valley, Montana, Morehead State, Morris Brown, New Mexico Highland, New Mexico State, Norfolk State, North Carolina A & T, North Carolina Central, North Carolina State, North Central, Northeastern, Northeast Louisiana, North East Missouri State, Northern Arizona, Northwest Louisiana State, Occidental, Oklahoma, Omaha, Otterbein, Pacific, Palomar Jr. College, Pasadena, Portland State, Prairie View, Princeton, Richmond, Ripon, Rutgers, Sacramento State, San Diego College, Shaw, South Carolina, Southeast Missouri State, Southwest Louisiana, St. Cloud State, Tennessee-Martin, Texas, Villanova, Virginia, Virginia Tech, Virginia Union, Washington State, Wayne State, Weber State, West Liberty State, West Chester State, Western Michigan, William & Mary, Wisconsin, Wichita State, Whittier College, Wyoming, Xavier.

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**1979:** 1A, Tom Cousineau, LB, Ohio State; 1B, Jerry Butler, WR, Clemson; 2A, Fred Smerlas, DT, Boston College; 2B, Jim Haslett, LB, Indiana (Pa.) State; 3, Jon Borchardt, T, Montana State; 4A, Ken Johnson, DE, Knoxville College; 4B, Jeff Nixon, FS, Richmond; 5A, Rod Kush, SS, Nebraska-Omaha; 5B, Dan Manucci, QB, Kansas State; 6, Mike Burrow, G, Auburn; 7, Tom Mullady, TE, Southwestern at Memphis; 9, Kevin Baker, DE, William Penn; 10, Dave Marler, QB-K, Mississippi State; 11, Paul Lawler, CB, Colgate; 12, Mike Harris, RB, Arizona State.

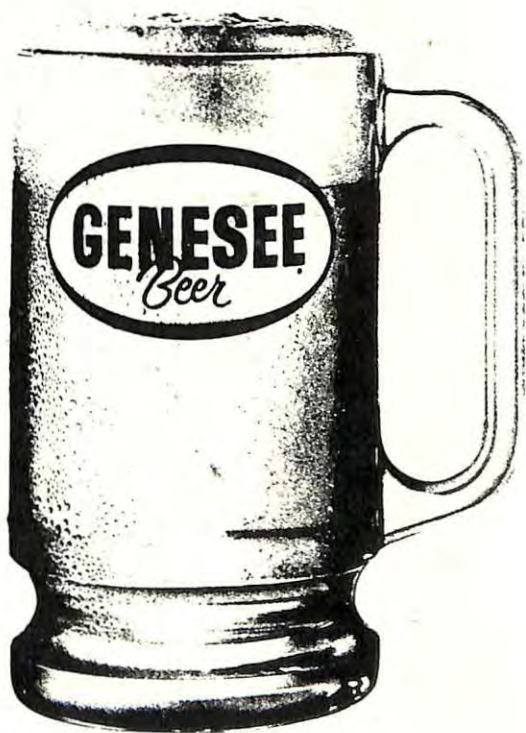
# ALL-TIME BILLS COACHES ROSTER

Buster Ramsey	Head Coach	1960-61
Lou Saban	Head Coach	1962-63-64-65 1972-73-74-75-76
Joe Collier	Head Coach	1966-67-68
Harvey Johnson	Head Coach	1968, 1971*
John Rauch	Head Coach	1969-70
Jim Ringo	Head Coach	1976-77**
Chuck Knox	Head Coach	1978
Floyd Reid	Ass't Coach	1960-61
Bob Dove	Ass't Coach	1960-61
Harvey Johnson	Ass't Coach	1960-61
Tommy O'Connell	Ass't Coach	1961
Bob Miller	Ass't Coach	1962
Herman Ball	Ass't Coach	1963
Joe Collier	Ass't Coach	1962-63-64-65
John Mazur	Ass't Coach	1962-63-64-65-66-67-68
Jerry Smith	Ass't Coach	1962-63-64-65-66-67-68
Richie McCabe	Ass't Coach	1966-67-68, 76-77
Tony Sardisco	Ass't Coach	1968
Marvin Bass	Ass't Coach	1968-69-70-71, 76
Bob Celeri	Ass't Coach	1968
Claude Gibson	Ass't Coach	1969
Bill Miller	Ass't Coach	1969
Lewis (Bugsy) Engelberg	Ass't Coach	1969-70
Ralph Hawkins	Ass't Coach	1969-70-71
Ray Malavasi	Ass't Coach	1969-70
Chuck Gottfried	Ass't Coach	1970-71
Bobby Hunt	Ass't Coach	1970-71
Tom Day	Ass't Coach	1971
Tom Flores	Ass't Coach	1971
Richard (Doc) Urich	Ass't Coach	1971
Jim Dooley	Ass't Coach	1972
Bill Atkins	Ass't Coach	1972-73-74-75
Ed Cavanaugh	Ass't Coach	1972-73-74-75-76
Stan Jones	Ass't Coach	1972-73-74-75
Jim Ringo	Ass't Coach	1972-73-74-75-76
Bob Shaw	Ass't Coach	1972-73-74-75
John Ray	Ass't Coach	1973-74-75-76
Jerry Wampfler	Ass't Coach	1976-77
Errol Prisby	Ass't Coach	1976
Jim LaRue	Ass't Coach	1976-77
Bruce Beatty	Ass't Coach	1977
Jim Carr	Ass't Coach	1977
Kay Dalton	Ass't Coach	1977
Ray Wietecha	Ass't Coach	1977
Tom Catlin	Ass't Coach	1978
Jack Donaldson	Ass't Coach	1978
Steve Moore	Ass't Coach	1978
Elijah Pitts	Ass't Coach	1978
Ray Prochaska	Ass't Coach	1978
Kay Stephenson	Ass't Coach	1978
Jim Wagstaff	Ass't Coach	1978
Willie Zapalac	Ass't Coach	1978

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