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NFL.COM RELEASES 2006 FANTASY FOOTBALL PREVIEW MAGAZINE

NFL.com Expert Analysis on Trades, Hidden Gems, Sleepers & Rookies to Look For

Player Rankings, Cheat Sheets, & Three-Year Statistical Averages with 2006 Projections

Magazine Hits Newsstands on June 12

With football fans already gearing up for the 2006 NFL season more than a month before the opening of training camps, NFL.com has again produced an outstanding tool for fantasy football players to prepare for the upcoming season. For the second consecutive year, the NFL's own fantasy football magazine – **NFL.COM FANTASY FOOTBALL 2006 PREVIEW** – provides all the essentials for fantasy players with exclusive analysis and statistics from NFL.com. The magazine hits newsstands on June 12.

NFL.COM FANTASY FOOTBALL 2006 PREVIEW, produced by NFL Publishing and Time Inc. Home Entertainment, is priced at \$7.99 and features 160 pages of in-depth, position-by-position scouting reports, depth charts, draft cheat sheets, mock drafts, statistics and features. Rankings and analysis found in **NFL.COM FANTASY FOOTBALL 2006 PREVIEW** will be updated throughout the preseason on NFL.com.

Among the highlights:

<u>Three Year Averages</u>: A 26-page review of NFL players and their statistics over the past three seasons with projections for 2006.

- "New Coaches, New Ideas": NFL.com national editor Vic Carucci discusses how the NFL's 10 new head coaches will affect the 2006 fantasy football season.
- <u>"Expert Advice"</u>: NFL.com senior analyst and former Dallas Cowboys personnel chief Gil Brandt gives a position-by-position look at what fans should keep in mind while preparing for the 2006 season.
- "Hollywood League, Year 2": Recaps the second season of the NFL Total Access Hollywood League. The winner of the second annual league crown, Curb Your Enthusiasm's Jeff Garlin, also took part in the NFL.com Experts' Mock Draft.
- <u>"Trading Secrets"</u>: Sam Caplan, a contributor to NFL.com's Fantasy Extra service, offers inside tips on making blockbuster trades -- and avoiding bad ones.
- "Breakout Stars: Who's Next?": Adam Caplan, editor-in-chief of NFL.com's Fantasy Extra, looks at second and third-year players ready to break out.
- <u>"Comeback Kids"</u>: NFL.com senior analyst Pat Kirwan breaks down which players will bounce back or emerge as fantasy stars in 2006.

- "Waking Up The Sleepers": NFL.com Fantasy Preview stats coordinator Matt Marini discusses how finding this year's stars takes careful planning, and a little luck.
- <u>"Seven Was Not His Lucky Number"</u>: Comedian Nick Bakay, who last year advised fantasy football players to stay disciplined and only manage one team, discusses how he broke his own rule and managed seven.

NFL.com Experts Mock Draft: Carucci, Brandt, Kirwan, NFL Network's Adam Schefter, and others participate in a preseason draft.

"Meet Your Players": Tiki Barber, Marvin Harrison, Alex Smith and others participate in a Q & A on their careers and the upcoming season.