



NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS

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MEDIA SCHEDULE

Wednesday, Sept. 18

10:45-11:15 Head Coach Bill Belichick's Press
Conference (Media Workroom)
11:15-11:55 Open Locker Room
12:40-12:55 Photographers Access to Practice
1:15 Priest Holmes Conference Call
1:30 Dick Vermeil Conference Call

Thursday, Sept. 19

10:45-11:05 Head Coach Bill Belichick's Press
Conference (Media Workroom)
11:15-11:55 Open Locker Room
12:40-12:55 Photographers Access to Practice

Friday, Sept. 20

10:30-11:00 Head Coach Bill Belichick's Press
Conference (Media Workroom)
11:00-11:35 Open Locker Room
12:10-12:30 Photographers Access to Practice

2002 PATRIOTS SCHEDULE

REGULAR SEASON (2-0)

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|-------------------|-------------|-------|-------|
| Mon., Sept. 9 | Pittsburgh | W | 30-14 |
| Sun., Sept. 15 at | N.Y. Jets | W | 44-7 |
| Sun., Sept. 22 | Kansas City | 1:00 | CBS |
| Sun., Sept. 29 at | San Diego | 4:15 | CBS |
| Sun., Oct. 6 at | Miami | 1:00 | CBS |
| Sun., Oct. 13 | Green Bay | 1:00 | FOX |
| Sun., Oct. 20 | BYE | | |
| Sun., Oct. 27 | Denver | 4:15 | CBS |
| Sun., Nov. 3 at | Buffalo | 1:00 | CBS |
| Sun., Nov. 10 at | Chicago | 4:15 | CBS |
| Sun., Nov. 17 at | Oakland | 8:30 | ESPN |
| Sun., Nov. 24 | Minnesota | 1:00 | FOX |
| Thur., Nov. 28 at | Detroit | 12:30 | CBS |
| Sun., Dec. 8 | Buffalo | 1:00 | CBS |
| Mon., Dec. 16 at | Tennessee | 9:00 | ABC |
| Sun., Dec. 22 | N.Y. Jets | 8:30 | ESPN |
| Sun., Dec. 29 | Miami | 1:00 | CBS |

HOME SWEET HOME

The Patriots have won seven of their last eight games at home, including four in a row. Their last loss at home was on Nov. 18, 2001, when the Rams defeated the Patriots 24-17. Foxborough has been a wonderful home to the Patriots since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994. The team has compiled a 57-28 (.671) overall record at home during that time span.

NEW ENGLAND (2-0) WELCOMES KANSAS CITY (1-1) TO GILLETTE STADIUM THIS WEEKEND

This Week: The New England Patriots (2-0) will return to their new home, Gillette Stadium, this weekend following their 44-7 victory over the New York Jets at the Meadowlands last weekend. The Chiefs (1-1) lost to the Jacksonville Jaguars 23-16 in week two and will try and be the first road team in the series to win in the last five games.

Television: This week's game will be broadcasted nationally on CBS (locally on WBZ Channel 4). The play-by-play duties will be handled by **Dick Enberg**, who will be joined in the booth by **Dan Dierdorf**. **Bonnie Bernstein** will provide sideline reports throughout the game.

Radio: Every Patriots game can be heard in stereo on the Patriots official flagship station **WBCN 104.1 FM**. **Gil Santos**, now in his 26th season as the voice of the Patriots, will call the game along with Patriots Hall of Famer **Gino Cappelletti**, who will provide in-depth analysis for his 22nd season. A complete list of the Patriots WBCN Rock Radio Network can be found on pages 462-463 of the 2002 Patriots media guide or at www.patriots.com.

Winning Ways: Last week's victory was the Patriots eighth consecutive regular season victory, tying the longest streak in franchise history (Nov. 3, 1994 – 9/3/95). Including postseason games, the Patriots have now won 11 consecutive games. The streak started with a 34-17 victor over the New Orleans Saints on Nov. 25, 2001. Their last loss came against the St. Louis Rams on Nov. 18, 2001.

Scoring is Soaring: The Patriots are averaging 37.0 points per game, while limiting their opponents to only 10.5 during their first two games of the year. Their 26.5 margin of victory is currently the largest in the NFL.

Take That: The Patriots are tied for the lead in the NFL with seven takeaways and a turnover ratio of +4 through the first two games of the 2002 season. During their current 8-game winning streak the Patriots have a takeaway ratio of +15.

First Impressions: In New England's season opener, three newcomers scored touchdowns for the Patriots when Christian Fauria, Donald Hayes and Deion Branch each made touchdown receptions. It was the first time in NFL history that such a feat had been accomplished (excluding expansion teams). That trend continued this past week when the Patriots fourth touchdown of the 2002 season was scored by tight end Cameron Cleeland, who joined the Patriots as an unrestricted free agent for the New Orleans Saints in 2002.

2-0, BUT A LONG WAY TO GO

Last year, the Patriots started the season 0-2 and faced the 2-0 Indianapolis Colts in Week 3. The Colts, who entered the season as a favorite to contend for the AFC title, were averaging over 43 points per game. Conversely, the Patriots had lost their first two games and Tom Brady was making his first professional start for the Patriots. At that time, few could have predicted the outcome of that game, as the Patriots scored a 44-13 victory. The Patriots went on to win 11 of their final 14 games to win the division with an 11-5 record en route to their first Super Bowl title, while the Colts finished 6-10.

"It's the same thing that everybody said last year with the Colts," said Patriots head coach Bill Belichick. "They were averaging over 40 points a game and they won their first two games big. Everybody's was talking about, 'this is the greatest team in the history of football,' and they came in here and they didn't have a good day here. This stuff can change in a hurry. We've played two games; that's it. We've got a big one coming up this week. I think it's way too early to clinch anything around here."



PATRIOTS AND CHIEFS SERIES RESULTS

SERIES HISTORY

The New England Patriots trail the Kansas City Chiefs 9-15-3 in a series that began along with the AFL in 1960. This will be the fourth time in the last five seasons the two teams have met. The Patriots hold a 2-1 advantage in the last three games and won the last meeting 30-24 in Foxboro on Monday Night Football (12/4/00).

The home team has an advantage in the series, winning 18 of the 27 games (67%), including the last five games. Below is a listing of the series results:

NEW ENGLAND 9-15-3

| Date | Result | +/- | Site |
|----------|----------------------------------|----------|-------------------|
| 11/18/60 | at Patriots 42, Dallas Texans 14 | +28 | Boston University |
| 12/11/60 | at Dallas Texans 34, Patriots 0 | ..-34 | Cotton Bowl |
| 10/29/61 | Patriots 18, at Dallas Texans 17 | +1 | Cotton Bowl |
| 11/03/61 | at Patriots 28, Dallas Texans 21 | +6 | Boston University |
| 09/08/62 | at Dallas Texans 42, Patriots 28 | -14 | Cotton Bowl |
| 10/12/62 | Dallas Texans 27, at Patriots 7 | ..-20 | Boston University |
| 11/17/63 | at Patriots 24, Chiefs 24 |-- | Fenway Park |
| 12/14/63 | at Chiefs 35, Patriots 3 |-32 | Municipal |
| 10/23/64 | at Patriots 24, Chiefs 7 |+17 | Fenway Park |
| 12/06/64 | Patriots 31, at Chiefs 24 |+7 | Municipal |
| 10/03/65 | at Chiefs 27, Patriots 17 |-10 | Municipal |
| 11/21/65 | at Patriots 10, Chiefs 10 |-- | Fenway Park |
| 09/25/66 | Chiefs 43, at Patriots 24 |-19 | Fenway Park |
| 11/20/66 | Patriots 27, at Chiefs 27 |-- | Municipal |
| 11/12/67 | Chiefs 33, at Patriots 10 |-23 | Fenway Park |
| 11/17/68 | at Chiefs 31, Patriots 17 |-14 | Municipal |
| 09/21/69 | Chiefs 31, at Patriots 0 |-31 | B.C. Alumni |
| 10/11/70 | at Chiefs 23, Patriots 10 |-13 | Municipal |
| 09/23/73 | Chiefs 10, at Patriots 7 |-3 | Schaefer |
| 09/18/77 | at Patriots 21, Chiefs 17 |+4 | Schaefer |
| 10/04/81 | at Patriots 33, Chiefs 17 |+16 | Schaefer |
| 12/02/90 | Chiefs 37, at Patriots 7 |-30 | Foxboro |
| 12/13/92 | at Chiefs 27, Patriots 20 |-7 | Arrowhead |
| 10/15/95 | at Chiefs 31, Patriots 26 |-5 | Arrowhead |
| 10/11/98 | at Patriots 40, Chiefs 10 |+30 | Foxboro |
| 10/10/99 | at Chiefs 16, Patriots 14 |-2 | Arrowhead |
| 12/4/00 | at Patriots 30, Chiefs 24 |+6 | Foxboro |

SERIES TRENDS

Overall Record9 wins - 15 losses - 3 ties
 Record in New England.....7-6-2
 Record in Kansas City1-7-1
 Record in Dallas1-2-0
 Total Points in the Series Patriots 518, Chiefs 659
 Patriots Largest Margin of Victory ...30 points (10/11/98)
 Patriots Largest Margin of Defeat....-32 points (12/14/63)
 Shutouts in the Series.....2 - by Kansas City

CONNECTIONS

Chiefs head coach **Dick Vermeil** coached at Hillsdale High School from 1960-1962 and at San Mateo College in 1963, both schools were in San Mateo, Ca, the home of **Tom Brady**.

Patriots guard/center **Damien Woody** and Chiefs running back **Michael Cloud** attended Boston College from 1995-98.

Chiefs wide receiver **Curtis Jackson** was with the Patriots from 2000-2001.

Patriots defensive tackle **Steve Martin** played in 16 games with the Chiefs in 2000 and recorded 27 tackles.

Chiefs quarterback **Todd Collins** hails from Walpole, Ma.

Chiefs fullback **Omar Easy** played his high school football at Everett, Mass.

TALE OF THE TAPE

| Categories | New England | Kansas City |
|--------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Record | 2-0 | 1-1 |
| Divisional Standings | T 1st | 4th |
| Total Yards Gained..... | 775 | 806 |
| Total Offense..... | 387.5 (8) | 403.0 (6) |
| Rush Offense..... | 113.0 (14) | 167.0 (4) |
| Pass Offense | 274.5 (6) | 236.0 (13) |
| Points Per Game | 37.0 | 23.0 |
| Total Yards Allowed | 483 | 861 |
| Total Defense..... | 241.5 (4) | 430.5 (31) |
| Rush Defense | 53.0 (2) | 94.5 (14) |
| Pass Defense..... | 188.5 (12) | 336.0 (31) |
| Points Allowed/Game | 10.5 | 31.0 |
| Possession Avg. | 29:16 | 33:47 |
| Sacks Allowed/Yards Loss | 2/14 | 1/3 |
| Sacks Made/Yards..... | 10/59 | 1/7 |
| Interceptions By | 4/94 | 0/0 |
| Penalties Against/Yards | 10/124 | 14/135 |
| Punts/Avg. | 7/40.0 | 8/42.3 |
| Takeaway/Giveaway Ratio | +4 | -1 |

SERIES SUPERLATIVES

In the 27-game series with the Chiefs, the Patriots have had three 100-yard rushing performances, three 300-yard passing performances and eight 100-yard receiving performances. The top performances by each team are listed below:

| Rushing Yards | No | Yds | Avg. | TD | Date |
|-----------------|----|-----|------|----|----------|
| Jim Nance - NE | 22 | 107 | 4.9 | 0 | 11/20/66 |
| Barry Word - KC | 19 | 112 | 5.9 | 0 | 12/2/90 |

| Receiving Yards | No | Yds | Avg. | TD | Date |
|--------------------|----|-----|------|----|----------|
| Tony Romeo - NE | 10 | 149 | 14.9 | 1 | 11/17/63 |
| Troy Brown - NE | 12 | 119 | 9.9 | 1 | 12/4/00 |
| Chris Burford - KC | 10 | 155 | 15.5 | 3 | 9/25/66 |

| Passing | Att | Comp. | Yds | TD | Int | Date |
|-------------------|-----|-------|-----|----|-----|----------|
| Babe Parilli - NE | 45 | 25 | 354 | 1 | 1 | 11/17/63 |
| Elvis Grbac - KC | 46 | 25 | 350 | 3 | 1 | 12/4/00 |

THE LAST MEETING – Patriots 30, Chiefs 24 (12/4/00)

New England defeated Kansas City 30-24 on Monday Night Football in their last meeting. The Patriots scored in every quarter and tallied a season-high 30 points.

The teams traded field goals in the first quarter before running back Kevin Faulk recorded the first touchdown of the game on a 1-yard run. The Chiefs knotted the score at 10, when Elvis Grbac connected with Derrick Alexander on an 81-yard touchdown strike.

New England tallied two more scores before the half ended, including a 17-yard touchdown pass to Troy Brown and took a 20-10 lead into the locker room. Brown set a career-high with 12 catches against the Chiefs, the second best single game performance in franchise history.

The Patriots opened the second half by forcing a turnover and converting it into a touchdown, increasing their lead to 27-10. The Chiefs responded with a touchdown making the score 27-17 early in the fourth quarter. The two teams traded scores and the Patriots led 30-24 with just under four minutes remaining.

The Patriots defense held off a late Chiefs drive when Tebucky Jones tackled Tony Gonzalez in the middle of the field as the final seconds ticked off the clock.



GAME RECAP – PATRIOTS 44, N.Y. JETS 7

GAME RECAP

The New England Patriots continued their successful 2002 campaign defeating their AFC East rival N.Y. Jets 44-7 last week. The Patriots offense totaled 432 yards while their defense limited the Jets to only 200 yards. The road team has now won the last four games in the series and seven of the last nine games.

The Patriots scored 34 points in the second half en route for their second straight win versus the Jets. In usual Patriots style, the offense and defense contributed to the scoring as the Patriots offense scored four touchdowns and the defense scored two.

The Patriots opened the scoring in the second quarter as quarterback Tom Brady drove the team 80 yards on six plays for a score, a 1-yard pass to tight end Cam Cleeland. On the Patriots next possession, Brady led a 19-play drive that spanned 70 yards in 6:40 and resulted in a 28-yard field goal by Adam Vinatieri, increasing their lead to 10-0 at the half. The 19-play drive was the longest in franchise history, topping the previous mark of 18 set twice before.

Three plays into the second half, Patriots cornerback Tebucky Jones sacked Vinny Testaverde and stripped him of the football. Jones picked up the loose ball and galloped 24 yards for a touchdown. The Patriots added another Vinatieri field goal on the next offensive possession and led 20-0. The Patriots defense struck again when Victor Green returned an interception 90 yards for a touchdown.

After the Jets scored on an Anthony Becht touchdown reception, the Patriot offense went back to work. Rookie wide receiver Deion Branch caught a 49-yard touchdown pass from Brady, increasing their lead to 34-7. The catch was the longest reception of the day for either team, and the longest of Branch's young career.

After another Vinatieri field goal, Kevin Faulk closed out the scoring with a two-yard touchdown run. The 37-point victory was the second largest by the Patriots in the series and their seventh largest in franchise history.

The Patriot defense limited the Jets to only 200 total yards, including only 32 rushing yards. The leading rusher for the Jets was their punter, Matt Turk, who picked up 14 yards on a fake punt in the third quarter. The New England defense did not allow a Jet receiver to touch the ball until the 3:52 mark of the third quarter. The defense also recorded five sacks in the game, equaling their total from last week against Pittsburgh. Also, like last week, five different Patriots recorded sacks: Willie McGinest, Bobby Hamilton, Anthony Pleasant, Bernard Holsey and Tebucky Jones all brought down Jets quarterbacks. This season, nine different players have recorded the 10 sacks by the defense. McGinest is the only player who has recorded multiple sacks this season (2.0).

SERIES NOTES

- The average margin of victory in the last six games of the Patriots-Jets series prior to last week's game was six points.
- The visiting team has now won seven of the last nine games in the series.

CAMERON CLEELAND

Patriots tight end Cameron Cleeland caught his first touchdown pass with the Patriots and the 12th of his career on a 1-yard reception in the second quarter. He finished the game with three receptions for 11 yards.

KEVIN FAULK

Faulk rushed for his seventh career touchdown on a 2-yard run in the fourth quarter. He gained 48 yards on 10 carries and caught two passes for 14 yards. Faulk converted a 3rd-and-3 in the second quarter when the ball was directly snapped to him and he gained 4 yards for the first down.

SUNDAY DRIVE

The Patriots offense set a franchise record with a 19-play scoring drive to end the first half. The drive, which covered 65 yards, culminated with a 25-yard field goal by Adam Vinatieri. The previous record was an 18-play drive, which was accomplished twice (10/22/00 – 89 yards in 8:43) (12/13/81 – 64 yards in 2:05). The Patriots converted four of five third downs and one fourth down during their record-setting drive.

TEBUCKY JONES

Jones recorded his second career sack when he brought down Vinny Testaverde in the third quarter of last week's game. He also stripped Testaverde of the football, recovered the loose ball and returned it 24 yards for a touchdown. It was the first score of his five-year career. The last Patriot to return a fumble for a touchdown was Chad Eaton (23 yards) vs. Baltimore on Jan. 2, 2000.

GREEN MONSTER

Victor Green intercepted a Vinny Testaverde pass in the third quarter and returned it 90 yards for a touchdown.

- It was the fourth longest interception return for a touchdown in franchise history.
 1. 100 yards Jimmy Hitchcock, vs. Miami (11/23/97)
 2. 99 Rick Sanford at Chicago (12/5/82)
 3. 98 Bob Suci vs. Houston (11/1/63)
- It was the third and longest of Green's 10-year career.
 1. 90 yards at NY Jets (9/15/02)
 2. 63 at Miami (11/18/01)
 3. 21 vs. New England (10/15/00)

THE LAST TIME

The Patriots defense scored two touchdowns against the N.Y. Jets. Tebucky Jones returned a fumble 24 yards for a score and Green returned an interception 90 yards into the end zone. The last time the Patriots recorded two defensive scores in one game was 1/6/02 vs. Carolina. Ty Law (46-yards) and Otis Smith (76-yards) both returned interceptions for scores.

OUTSIDE THE MARGINS

The Patriots margin of victory over the Jets (37 points) was their second largest in the series and the seventh widest margin in franchise history. It was their largest victory since the Patriots defeated the San Diego Chargers by 38 points on Dec. 1, 1996.

| Margin | Result |
|--------|---------------------------------|
| 53 | at NE 56, NYJ 3 (9/9/79) |
| 42 | at NE 45, Houston 3 (11/1/63) |
| 41 | NE 41, at SD 0 (12/17/61) |
| 39 | at NE 42, Baltimore 3 (10/6/74) |
| 38 | NE 45, at SD 7 (12/1/96) |
| 38 | at NE 38, Ind. 0 (12/26/93) |
| 37 | NE 44, at NYJ 7 (9/15/02) |

The Patriots have won their last three regular season games by a combined total of 85 points (+32 at Carolina; +16 vs. Pittsburgh and +37 at N.Y. Jets). It's the largest margin of victory in any three-game span in the franchise's 43-year history. The previous high was 76 from 11/24/96-12/8/96.

STREAKS

Patriots safety Lawyer Milloy played in his 98th consecutive regular season game since entering the league in 1996. It also marked his 92nd consecutive start.

Patriots wide receiver Troy Brown extended his consecutive streak of games with a reception to 42.



TEAM AND OFFENSIVE NOTES

FREE AGENT ADDITIONS

The Patriots have added eight new veterans to their roster since the end of the 2001 season and have added 43 players to their current 53-man roster since Bill Belichick was hired in January of 2000. The list of Patriots additions this season are listed below in alphabetical order:

| NAME, POS | EXP | CAREER GP | FORMER TEAM |
|---------------------------|---------|--------------|--------------|
| O.J. Brigrance, LB..... | 7..... | 85/0..... | St. Louis |
| Terrell Buckley, CB..... | 11..... | 144/123..... | Tampa Bay |
| Cameron Cleeland, TE..... | 5..... | 38/31..... | New Orleans |
| Christian Fauria, TE..... | 8..... | 105/75..... | Seattle |
| Victor Green, S..... | 10..... | 132/108..... | N.Y. Jets |
| Donald Hayes, WR..... | 5..... | 53/31..... | Carolina |
| Bernard Holsey, DL..... | 6..... | 82/17..... | Indianapolis |
| Rick Lyle, DL..... | 9..... | 94/68..... | N.Y. Jets |
| Steve Martin, DT..... | 7..... | 89/40..... | N.Y. Jets |

TOMMY GUN

Tom Brady has effectively and efficiently opened the 2002 campaign recording back-to-back passer ratings over 100.0, the fourth and fifth time of his young career. It is the first time since Drew Bledsoe accomplished the feat in back-to-back games at Denver (10/1/00) and vs. Indianapolis (10/8/00). No Patriots quarterback has ever opened the season with three consecutive games with passer ratings over 100.0 (minimum of 15 attempts).

BRADY BUNCHES

Patriots quarterback Tom Brady registered his second consecutive game with a passer rating of over 100.0. It was the fifth time in his 16 career starts that he has recorded a passer rating of over 100.0 and the first time in back-to-back games. The Patriots have been victorious in all five of those games (see below). Brady has recorded a passer rating of 105.9 through two games this season, the fourth highest ranking in the NFL.

| Date | Opp. | Att | C | Yds | Pct. | TD | I | Rating | W/L |
|-----------------|---------------|-----------|-----------|------------|-------------|----------|----------|--------------|----------|
| 10/21/01 | at Ind. | 20 | 16 | 202 | .800 | 3 | 0 | 148.3 | W |
| 11/25/01 | N.O. | 26 | 19 | 258 | .731 | 4 | 0 | 143.9 | W |
| 11/04/01 | at Atl. | 31 | 21 | 250 | .677 | 3 | 0 | 124.4 | W |
| 09/09/02 | Pitt. | 43 | 29 | 294 | .674 | 3 | 0 | 110.0 | W |
| 09/15/02 | at NYJ | 35 | 25 | 269 | .714 | 2 | 1 | 100.8 | W |

FIRST THINGS FIRST

Tom Brady has quarterbacked the Patriots to victories in 13 of his 16 regular season starts during his career, compiling a winning percentage of 81 percent, the highest of any active starting quarterback in the NFL. Including the playoffs, he is 16-3 as a starter. Last season, Brady became the only quarterback in franchise history to win 11 of his first 14 regular season starts as a Patriot. Vito "Babe" Parilli ranks second in Patriots annals with 10 wins in his first 14 starts.

| Quarterback, Team | W | L | Pct. |
|------------------------------------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| Tom Brady, New England..... | 13 | 3 | .813 |
| Kurt Warner, St. Louis..... | 35 | 10 | .777 |
| Jim Miller, Chicago..... | 15 | 6 | .714 |
| Jay Fiedler, Miami..... | 24 | 10 | .706 |
| Brett Favre, Green Bay..... | 104 | 55 | .654 |

THIRD DOWN IS A CHARM

The Patriots converted 63 percent (10-16) of their third downs last week against the N.Y. Jets. It was their highest single-game total since they converted 67% of their third downs at Miami (12/28/87). New England ranks third in the AFC and fifth in the NFL with a third down conversion rate of 51 percent (15-29). During their current eight-game winning streak, the Patriots have converted 43.9 percent of their third downs. Last season the Patriots converted 41.2 percent of their third downs, their highest total since they recorded a 46.7 conversion rate in 1980 (they also recorded a 41.2 rate in 1994).

TROY BROWN

Brown led all receivers with nine catches for 94 yards last week against the N.Y. Jets. It tied the third-highest reception performance of his career (10/28/01 – at Denver). His career-high for receptions is 12 against this week's opponent Kansas City (12/4/00).

Brown now has 336 receptions during his 10-year career and moved past Terry Glenn (329 catches) into fourth place on the Patriots all-time receiving list on a 19-yard reception in the first quarter.

| Rk | Player, Pos. | No | Yds | Avg. | Lg | TD |
|----------|----------------------------|------------|--------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|
| 1 | Stanley Morgan, WR..... | 534 | 10,352 | 19.4 | 76t | 67 |
| 2 | Ben Coates, TE..... | 490 | 5,471 | 11.2 | 84t | 50 |
| 3 | Irving Fryar, WR..... | 363 | 5,726 | 15.8 | 80t | 38 |
| 4 | Troy Brown, WR..... | 336 | 4,086 | 12.2 | 67 | 17 |
| 5 | Terry Glenn, WR..... | 329 | 4,669 | 14.2 | 86t | 22 |

Brown also needs 44 punt return yards to surpass Fryar as the Patriots all-time leader.

| Rk | Player | No | Yds | Avg. | Lg | TD |
|----------|------------------------|------------|--------------|-------------|------------|----------|
| 1 | Irving Fryar..... | 206 | 2,055 | 10.0 | 85t | 3 |
| 2 | Troy Brown..... | 176 | 2,012 | 11.4 | 85t | 3 |
| 3 | David Meggett..... | 142 | 1,438 | 10.1 | 60t | 1 |

PATIENCE IS A VIRTUE

Brown earned the first 1,000-yard receiving season of his nine-year playing career in 2000 and established a Patriots franchise record with 101 catches. His 1,199 receiving yards rank second in Patriots history behind Stanley Morgan's 1,491. Brown's nine seasons before his first 1,000-yard season tie him for the second-longest streak in NFL history.

| Player | Team(s) | Years Before 1st 1,000 Yd Season |
|------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Pete Retzlaff..... | Philadelphia..... | 10 |
| Troy Brown..... | New England..... | 9 |
| Reggie Langhorne..... | Cleveland, Indianapolis..... | 9 |
| Frank Lewis..... | Pittsburgh, Buffalo..... | 9 |
| J.T. Smith..... | Wash., K.C., St.L Cardinals..... | 9 |

DEION BRANCH

Branch caught his second touchdown in as many weeks on a 49-yard reception in the fourth quarter. He finished the game with three catches for 65 yards and has accumulated nine catches for 148 yards and two scores in his first two games. Branch leads all rookies with 148 yards receiving and is tied with Donte Stallworth with two scores. He also ranks second with nine receptions. Below is a comparison of Branch and the 10 receivers taken before him in the 2002 draft (see below).

| Pick | Player | Rec. | Yds | Avg. | TD |
|-----------|----------------------------------|----------|------------|-------------|----------|
| 13 | Donte Stallworth, New Orleans | 8 | 122 | 15.3 | 2 |
| 19 | Ashley Lelie, Denver | 1 | 11 | 11.0 | 0 |
| 20 | Javon Walker, Green Bay | 5 | 83 | 16.6 | 0 |
| 33 | Jabar Gaffney, Houston | 3 | 34 | 11.3 | 0 |
| 36 | Josh Reed, Buffalo | 11 | 143 | 13.0 | 1 |
| 46 | Tim Carter, NY Giants | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 |
| 47 | Andre Davis, Cleveland | 7 | 51 | 7.3 | 2 |
| 48 | Rache Caldwell, San Diego | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 |
| 62 | A. Randle El, Pittsburgh | 8 | 110 | 13.8 | 0 |
| 63 | Antonio Bryant, Dallas | 7 | 134 | 19.1 | 0 |
| 65 | Deion Branch, New England | 9 | 148 | 16.4 | 2 |



PATRIOTS NEWS AND NOTES

FASTEST STARTS

The Patriots are 2-0 for just the sixth time in franchise history. After a 2-0 start, the Patriots have never had a losing season. Their undefeated starts and their season-ending records are listed below:

| Year | Record | Final Record |
|-------------|------------|--------------|
| 2002 | 2-0 | ??? |
| 1999 | 4-0 | 8-8 |
| 1997 | 4-0 | 10-6 |
| 1986 | 2-0 | 11-5 |
| 1974 | 5-0 | 7-7 |
| 1964 | 4-0 | 10-3-1 |

Fewest Points Allowed (after 2 games)

| Pts | Year | Season Record |
|-----------|-------------|------------------|
| 9 | 1986 | 11-5 |
| 13 | 1997 | 10-6 |
| 19 | 1979 | 9-7 |
| 21 | 2002 | 2-0 start |

Most Prolific Scoring (after two game)

| Pts | Year | Season Record |
|-----------|-------------|------------------|
| 74 | 2002 | 2-0 start |
| 72 | 1997 | 10-6 |
| 70 | 1994 | 10-6 |
| 69 | 1979 | 9-7 |
| 65 | 1961 | 9-4-1 |

TURNOVERS

The Patriots lead the NFL with seven takeaways and are tied for the highest turnover ratio of (+4) through the first two weeks of the season. Since 1996, the Patriots have recorded a 37-10 record when they recorded a positive turnover ratio.

| +/- Team | Takeaways Team |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| +4 New England | 7 New England |
| +4 Miami | 6 Chicago |
| +4 Carolina | 5 5 teams |

MOVING ON UP

Adam Vinatieri scored 14 points against the N.Y. Jets on three field goals and four extra points to become only the second Patriot in franchise history to eclipse the 700-point mark with 714 points. Gino Cappelletti leads all Patriots scorers with 1,130 points.

| # | SCORING | TD | PAT/PATA | 2-Pt | FG /FGA | TP |
|----------|-----------------------|----------|-----------------|----------|-----------------|------------|
| 1 | Gino Cappelletti | 42 | 346/ 358 | 2 | 176/ 334 | 1,130 |
| 2 | Adam Vinatieri | 0 | 214/ 219 | 1 | 166/ 205 | 714 |
| 3 | John Smith | 0 | 308/ 323 | 0 | 128/ 191 | 692 |

SCORING LEADER

Vinatieri leads the NFL with 26 points through the first two games of the season. He has made all six of his field goals and all eight of his extra points this season. His 26 points in the first two games is his third-highest two-game total during his seven-year career. He recorded 28 points in back-to-back games twice before (9/22/96-10/6/96 and 10/4/98-10/11/98). Dating back to last season, Vinatieri has made his last 13 field goals.

| Rk | Player, Team | TD | PAT | FG | Pts |
|----------|------------------------|----------|------------|------------|-----------|
| 1 | Vinatieri, N.E. | 0 | 8/8 | 6/6 | 26 |
| 2 | P. Dawson, Cle. | 0 | 5/5 | 6/6 | 23 |
| 3 | Holmes, K.C. (RB) | 4 | 0 | 0 | 24 |

JUST FOR KICKS

Vinatieri has established himself as the most reliable kicker in team history, with an 81.0 field goal percentage (166 of 205).

| Field Goal % (at least 100 att.) | | | |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Rank | Kicker | % | FGM-FGA |
| 1. | Adam Vinatieri..... | 81.0 | 166-205 |
| 2. | Tony Franklin | 74.4 | 93-125 |
| 3. | John Smith..... | 67.0 | 128-191 |

CLUTCH KICKER

Vinatieri became the first kicker in Super Bowl history to kick a game-winning field goal on the final play of the game. His Super Bowl-winning 48-yard field goal against the Rams was also the longest kick in Patriots postseason history.

Vinatieri kicked four field goals during the 2001 season in the final minute of the fourth quarter or in overtime to give his team the victory, increasing his career total to 12. Against the Raiders in last season's Divisional playoff game, Vinatieri boomed a 45-yard kick with 27 seconds remaining in regulation to tie the game at 13 and send it into overtime. In the extra session he nailed a 23-yard field goal, giving the Patriots a 16-13 victory. Half of his game-winning kicks (six) have come in overtime, including three in 2001. His game-winning kicks are listed below:

| Date | Opponent | Yds | Time | Final Score |
|-----------------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|--------------|
| 9/22/96 | Jacksonville | 40 | 12:24 (OT) | 28-25 |
| 9/14/97 | NY Jets | 34 | 6:57 (OT) | 27-24 |
| 10/04/98 | at New Orleans | 27 | 0:03 | 30-27 |
| 12/20/98 | San Francisco | 35 | 0:03 | 24-21 |
| 9/12/99 | at NY Jets | 23 | 0:03 | 30-28 |
| 9/19/99 | Indianapolis | 26 | 0:35 | 31-28 |
| 11/19/00 | Cincinnati | 22 | 0:03 | 16-13 |
| 12/17/00 | at Buffalo | 24 | 0:19 (OT) | 13-10 |
| 10/14/01 | San Diego | 44 | 10:55 (OT) | 29-26 |
| 12/16/01 | at Buffalo | 23 | 9:15 (OT) | 12-9 |
| 1/19/02 | Oakland | 23 | 6:31 (OT) | 16-13 |
| 2/3/02 | St. Louis | 48 | 0:07 | 20-17 |

CLUTCH KICKERS

Vinatieri has kicked 12 field goals in the final minute of the fourth quarter or in overtime to give his team the victory, which ranks third among active kickers (regular season and postseason).

| Kicker | Game Winning FGs | Kicker | GW FGs |
|----------------------------|------------------|-------------------|--------|
| Morten Andersen..... | 17 | John Carney..... | 9 |
| Steve Christie..... | 14 | Jason Hanson..... | 7 |
| Adam Vinatieri..... | 12 | Joe Nedney..... | 7 |

SACK ATTACK I

Willie McGinest recorded a sack in each of the Patriots games this season and needs only one sack to move past Ray Hamilton into fourth place on the Patriots all-time sack list.

| Rk. | Player | Years | Sacks |
|-----------|------------------------------|---------------------|-------------|
| 1. | Andre Tippett | 1982-93..... | 100.0 |
| 2. | Julius Adams | 1971-85, 87 | 79.5 |
| 3. | Tony McGee | 1974-81..... | 72.5 |
| 4. | Ray Hamilton..... | 1973-81..... | 54.0 |
| 5. | Willie McGinest | 1994-02..... | 53.5 |
| 6. | Chris Slade | 1993-00..... | 51.0 |

SACK ATTACK II

The Patriots have recorded 10 sacks this season (the second highest total in the NFL) and nine different defenders have contributed to the total. Tedy Bruschi, Jarvis Green, Bobby Hamilton, Bernard Holsey, Tebucky Jones, Ty Law, Anthony Pleasant and Richard Seymour have all recorded sacks this season. Willie McGinest is the only defender to record multiple sacks.



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| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---------|------------------|--------|-------------|---------|---------------------------------------|------|---------|-------|-------|------|---------|------|-----------|--------|
| WON 2, LOST 0 | | | | * RUSHING | | | | No. | Yds | Avg | Long | TD | | | |
| 09/09 | W 30-14 | Pittsburgh | 68,436 | A. Smith | 32 | 126 | 3.9 | 25 | 0 | | | | | | |
| 09/15 | W 44- 7 | at New York Jets | 78,726 | Faulk | 10 | 48 | 4.8 | 25 | 1 | | | | | | |
| 09/22 | | Kansas City | | Pass | 4 | 27 | 6.8 | 13 | 0 | | | | | | |
| 09/29 | | at San Diego | | Edwards | 8 | 24 | 3.0 | 9 | 0 | | | | | | |
| 10/06 | | at Miami | | Brady | 2 | 5 | 2.5 | 4 | 0 | | | | | | |
| 10/13 | | Green Bay | | Davey | 2 | -4 | -2.0 | -2 | 0 | | | | | | |
| 10/27 | | Denver | | TEAM | 58 | 226 | 3.9 | 25 | 1 | | | | | | |
| 11/03 | | at Buffalo | | OPPONENTS | 33 | 106 | 3.2 | 16 | 1 | | | | | | |
| 11/10 | | at Chicago | | * RECEIVING | No. | Yds | Avg | Long | TD | | | | | | |
| 11/17 | | at Oakland | | Brown | 15 | 116 | 7.7 | 26 | 0 | | | | | | |
| 11/24 | | Minnesota | | Branch | 9 | 148 | 16.4 | 49t | 2 | | | | | | |
| 11/28 | | at Detroit | | Cleeland | 9 | 51 | 5.7 | 10 | 1 | | | | | | |
| 12/08 | | Buffalo | | Patten | 8 | 135 | 16.9 | 39 | 0 | | | | | | |
| 12/16 | | at Tennessee | | D. Hayes | 4 | 68 | 17.0 | 40t | 1 | | | | | | |
| 12/22 | | New York Jets | | Edwards | 2 | 20 | 10.0 | 11 | 0 | | | | | | |
| 12/29 | | Miami | | Faulk | 2 | 14 | 7.0 | 11 | 0 | | | | | | |
| | | N.E. | Opp. | Fauria | 2 | 11 | 5.5 | 7 | 1 | | | | | | |
| TOTAL FIRST DOWNS | | | | 44 | 29 | Redmond | 1 | 3 | 3.0 | 3 | 0 | | | | |
| Rushing | | | | 13 | 8 | A. Smith | 1 | 3 | 3.0 | 3 | 0 | | | | |
| Passing | | | | 27 | 18 | Graham | 1 | -6 | -6.0 | -6 | 0 | | | | |
| Penalty | | | | 4 | 3 | TEAM | 54 | 563 | 10.4 | 49t | 5 | | | | |
| 3rd Down: Made/Att | | | | 15/29 | 5/26 | OPPONENTS | 43 | 436 | 10.1 | 35 | 2 | | | | |
| 3rd Down Pct. | | | | 51.7 | 19.2 | * INTERCEPTIONS | No. | Yds | Avg | Long | TD | | | | |
| 4th Down: Made/Att | | | | 2/2 | 3/5 | Buckley | 2 | 4 | 2.0 | 6 | 0 | | | | |
| 4th Down Pct. | | | | 100.0 | 60.0 | V. Green | 1 | 90 | 90.0 | 90t | 1 | | | | |
| POSSESSION AVG. | | | | 33:47 | 26:14 | Vrabel | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| TOTAL NET YARDS | | | | 775 | 483 | TEAM | 4 | 94 | 23.5 | 90t | 1 | | | | |
| Avg. Per Game | | | | 387.5 | 241.5 | OPPONENTS | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| Total Plays | | | | 138 | 114 | * PUNTING | No. | Yds | Avg | Net | TB | In Lg B | | | |
| Avg. Per Play | | | | 5.6 | 4.2 | Walter | 7 | 280 | 40.0 | 33.3 | 1 | 2 43 0 | | | |
| NET YARDS RUSHING | | | | 226 | 106 | TEAM | 7 | 280 | 40.0 | 33.3 | 1 | 2 43 0 | | | |
| Avg. Per Game | | | | 113.0 | 53.0 | OPPONENTS | 12 | 516 | 43.0 | 35.1 | 2 | 2 62 0 | | | |
| Total Rushes | | | | 58 | 33 | * PUNT RETURNS | Ret | FC | Yds | Avg | Long | TD | | | |
| NET YARDS PASSING | | | | 549 | 377 | Brown | 4 | 2 | 39 | 9.8 | 12 | 0 | | | |
| Avg. Per Game | | | | 274.5 | 188.5 | Faulk | 1 | 0 | 16 | 16.0 | 16 | 0 | | | |
| Sacked/Yards Lost | | | | 2/14 | 10/59 | TEAM | 5 | 2 | 55 | 11.0 | 16 | 0 | | | |
| Gross Yards | | | | 563 | 436 | OPPONENTS | 3 | 3 | 27 | 9.0 | 18 | 0 | | | |
| Att./Completions | | | | 78/54 | 71/43 | * KICKOFF RETURNS | No. | Yds | Avg | Long | TD | | | | |
| Completion Pct. | | | | 69.2 | 60.6 | Branch | 3 | 68 | 22.7 | 29 | 0 | | | | |
| Had Intercepted | | | | 1 | 4 | Pass | 1 | 14 | 14.0 | 14 | 0 | | | | |
| PUNTS/AVERAGE | | | | 7/40.0 | 12/43.0 | TEAM | 4 | 82 | 20.5 | 29 | 0 | | | | |
| NET PUNTING AVG. | | | | 7/33.3 | 12/35.1 | OPPONENTS | 14 | 300 | 21.4 | 33 | 0 | | | | |
| PENALTIES/YARDS | | | | 10/124 | 20/167 | * FIELD GOALS | 1-19 | 20-29 | 30-39 | 40-49 | 50+ | | | | |
| FUMBLES/BALL LOST | | | | 2/2 | 3/3 | Vinatieri | 0/ 0 | 3/ 3 | 1/ 1 | 2/ 2 | 0/0 | | | | |
| TOUCHDOWNS | | | | 8 | 3 | TEAM | 0/ 0 | 3/ 3 | 1/ 1 | 2/ 2 | 0/0 | | | | |
| Rushing | | | | 1 | 1 | OPPONENTS | 0/ 0 | 0/ 0 | 0/ 1 | 0/ 0 | 0/0 | | | | |
| Passing | | | | 5 | 2 | Vinatieri: (45G,28G,27G)(28G,31G,40G) | | | | | | | | | |
| Returns | | | | 2 | 0 | OPPONENTS: (39N)() | | | | | | | | | |
| * SCORE BY PERIODS | | | | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | OT | PTS | | | | | | |
| TEAM | | | | 7 | 13 | 34 | 20 | 0 | 74 | | | | | | |
| OPPONENTS | | | | 7 | 0 | 7 | 7 | 0 | 21 | | | | | | |
| * SCORING | | | | TD-Ru-Pa-Rt | K-PAT | FG | S | PTS | | | | | | | |
| Vinatieri | | | | 0 0 0 0 | 8/ 8 | 6/ 6 | 0 | 26 | | | | | | | |
| Branch | | | | 2 0 2 0 | | | 0 | 12 | | | | | | | |
| Cleeland | | | | 1 0 1 0 | | | 0 | 6 | | | | | | | |
| Faulk | | | | 1 1 0 0 | | | 0 | 6 | | | | | | | |
| Fauria | | | | 1 0 1 0 | | | 0 | 6 | | | | | | | |
| V. Green | | | | 1 0 0 1 | | | 0 | 6 | | | | | | | |
| D. Hayes | | | | 1 0 1 0 | | | 0 | 6 | | | | | | | |
| T. Jones | | | | 1 0 0 1 | | | 0 | 6 | | | | | | | |
| TEAM | | | | 8 1 5 2 | 8/ 8 | 6/ 6 | 0 | 74 | | | | | | | |
| OPPONENTS | | | | 3 1 2 0 | 3/ 3 | 0/ 1 | 0 | 21 | | | | | | | |
| 2-Pt. Conversions: TEAM 0-0, OPPONENTS 0-0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SACKS: McGinest 2.0, Bruschi 1.0, J. Green 1.0, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hamilton 1.0, Holsey 1.0, T. Jones 1.0, Law 1.0, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pleasant 1.0, Seymour 1.0, TEAM 10.0, OPPONENTS 2.0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| * PASSING | | | | Att | Cmp | Yds | Cmp% | Yds/Att | TD | TD% | Int | Int% | Long | Sack/Lost | Rating |
| Brady | | | | 78 | 54 | 563 | 69.2 | 7.22 | 5 | 6.4 | 1 | 1.3 | 49t | 2/ 14 | 105.9 |
| TEAM | | | | 78 | 54 | 563 | 69.2 | 7.22 | 5 | 6.4 | 1 | 1.3 | 49t | 2/ 14 | 105.9 |
| OPPONENTS | | | | 71 | 43 | 436 | 60.6 | 6.14 | 2 | 2.8 | 4 | 5.6 | 35 | 10/ 59 | 64.1 |



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As Recorded by Day of Game Stats Crew

| DEFENSIVE STATISTICS | | | | | | | | | | | SP. TEAMS | | | | | FUMBLES - LOST (2-2) | | | | | |
|----------------------|-----|----|----|-------|------|-----|----|----|----|---|-----------|----|---|----|----|----------------------|----------------|------|------|------|---|
| Name | TT | UT | A | S/ YL | Int/ | Yds | PD | FF | FR | | TT | UT | A | FF | FR | | Own | | | | |
| Ty Law | 13 | 12 | 1 | 1.0 | 5.0 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | No. | Lost | Rec. | O.B. | |
| Roman Phifer | 12 | 8 | 4 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | Troy Brown | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Tedy Bruschi | 9 | 7 | 2 | 1.0 | 1.0 | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | Antowain Smith | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Willie McGinest | 9 | 6 | 3 | 2.0 | 13.0 | - | - | 4 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Totals | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Lawyer Milloy | 8 | 5 | 3 | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Mike Vrabel | 7 | 5 | 2 | - | - | 1 | 0 | 1 | - | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Richard Seymour | 7 | 3 | 4 | 1.0 | 10.0 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Otis Smith | 5 | 5 | 0 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Tebucky Jones | 5 | 3 | 2 | 1.0 | 7.0 | - | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 2 | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Rick Lyle | 5 | 2 | 3 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Victor Green | 4 | 4 | 0 | - | - | 1 | 90 | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Steve Martin | 4 | 3 | 1 | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Jarvis Green | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1.0 | 13.0 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Bernard Holsey | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1.0 | 0.0 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Terrell Buckley | 3 | 3 | 0 | - | - | 2 | 4 | 5 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Bobby Hamilton | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1.0 | 3.0 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Ted Johnson | 3 | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Antwan Harris | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Anthony Pleasant | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1.0 | 7.0 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Je'Rod Cherry | 1 | 1 | 0 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | - | 2 | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Ben Kelly | 1 | 1 | 0 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Matt Chatham | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 7 | 5 | 2 | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Larry Izzo | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 4 | 4 | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| O.J. Brigance | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | | | | | |
| J.R. Redmond | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Patrick Pass | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Totals | 110 | 81 | 29 | 10.0 | 59.0 | 4 | 94 | 15 | 3 | 3 | 26 | 17 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | |

| BLOCKED KICKS | | | |
|---------------|----|----|---|
| | XP | FG | P |
| Totals | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| MISC. OFFENSIVE STATS | | | | |
|-----------------------|-----|-----|----|----|
| | Tkl | Ast | FF | FR |
| Matt Light | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| David Patten | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| BLOCKED KICKS | | | |
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| | XP | FG | P |
| Totals | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| MISC. OFFENSIVE STATS | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| | Tkl | Ast | FF | FR |
| Matt Light | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| David Patten | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| LEGEND | |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| TT- Total Tackles | PD- Pass Defensed |
| UT- Unassisted Tackles | FF- Forced Fumbles |
| A- Assists | FR- Fumbles Recovered |
| S/Yds- Sacks/Yards Lost | Tack. T.O. - Tackles off Turnovers |
| I/Ret.- Interceptions/Return Yards | O.B. - Out of Bounds |



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| # | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
|----|------------------------|-----|------|-----|----------|----|--------------------------|----------------------|
| 63 | Andruzzi, Joe | G | 6-3 | 312 | 08/23/75 | 6 | Southern Connecticut St. | Staten Island, N.Y. |
| 68 | Ashworth, Tom | OL | 6-6 | 305 | 10/10/77 | 1 | Colorado | Englewood, Colo. |
| 12 | Brady, Tom | QB | 6-4 | 225 | 08/03/77 | 3 | Michigan | San Mateo, Calif. |
| 83 | Branch, Deion | WR | 5-9 | 193 | 07/18/79 | R | Louisville | Albany, Ga. |
| 80 | Brown, Troy | WR | 5-10 | 193 | 07/02/71 | 10 | Marshall | Blackville, S.C. |
| 59 | Brigance, O.J. | LB | 6-0 | 236 | 09/26/69 | 7 | Rice | Sugarland, Texas |
| 54 | Bruschi, Tedy | MLB | 6-1 | 245 | 06/09/73 | 7 | Arizona | Roseville, Calif. |
| 22 | Buckley, Terrell | CB | 5-9 | 176 | 06/07/71 | 11 | Florida State | Pascagoula, Miss. |
| 58 | Chatham, Matt | LB | 6-4 | 248 | 06/28/77 | 3 | South Dakota | Sioux City, Iowa |
| 30 | Cherry, Je'Rod | S | 6-1 | 210 | 05/30/73 | 7 | California | Berkeley, Calif. |
| 85 | Cleeland, Cameron | TE | 6-4 | 272 | 08/15/75 | 5 | Washington | Sedro Woolley, Wash. |
| 77 | Compton, Mike | G/C | 6-6 | 310 | 09/18/70 | 10 | West Virginia | Richlands, Va. |
| 6 | Davey, Rohan | QB | 6-2 | 245 | 04/14/78 | R | Louisiana State | Miami, Fla. |
| 44 | Edwards, Marc | FB | 6-0 | 245 | 11/17/74 | 6 | Notre Dame | Cincinnati, Ohio |
| 33 | Faulk, Kevin | RB | 5-8 | 202 | 06/05/76 | 4 | Louisiana State | Carencro, La. |
| 88 | Fauria, Christian | TE | 6-4 | 250 | 09/22/71 | 8 | Colorado | Encino, Calif. |
| 87 | Givens, David | WR | 6-0 | 212 | 08/16/80 | R | Notre Dame | Humble, Texas |
| 82 | Graham, Daniel | TE | 6-3 | 253 | 11/16/78 | R | Colorado | Denver, Colo. |
| 97 | Green, Jarvis | DE | 6-3 | 285 | 01/12/79 | R | Louisiana State | Donaldsonville, La. |
| 27 | Green, Victor | S | 5-11 | 210 | 12/08/69 | 10 | Akron | Americus, Ga. |
| 91 | Hamilton, Bobby | DE | 6-5 | 280 | 07/01/71 | 8 | Southern Mississippi | Columbia, Miss. |
| 23 | Harris, Antwan | S | 5-9 | 194 | 05/29/77 | 3 | Virginia | Raleigh, N.C. |
| 81 | Hayes, Donald | WR | 6-4 | 220 | 07/13/75 | 5 | Wisconsin | Madison, Wis. |
| 99 | Holsey, Bernard | DL | 6-2 | 286 | 12/10/73 | 6 | Duke | Cave Spring, Ga. |
| 19 | Huard, Damon | QB | 6-3 | 215 | 07/09/73 | 6 | Washington | Puyallup, Wash. |
| 53 | Izzo, Larry | LB | 5-10 | 228 | 09/26/74 | 7 | Rice | Houston, Texas |
| 52 | Johnson, Ted | LB | 6-4 | 253 | 12/04/72 | 8 | Colorado | Alameda, Calif. |
| 74 | Jones, Kenyatta | T | 6-3 | 310 | 01/18/79 | 2 | South Florida | Gainesville, Fla. |
| 34 | Jones, Tebucky | FS | 6-2 | 218 | 10/06/74 | 5 | Syracuse | New Britain, Conn. |
| 31 | Kelly, Ben | CB | 5-9 | 185 | 09/15/78 | 3 | Colorado | Cleveland, Ohio |
| 70 | Klemm, Adrian | T | 6-3 | 312 | 05/21/77 | 3 | Hawaii | Los Angeles, Calif. |
| 24 | Law, Ty | CB | 5-11 | 200 | 02/10/74 | 8 | Michigan | Aliquippa, Pa. |
| 72 | Light, Matt | T | 6-4 | 305 | 06/23/78 | 2 | Purdue | Greenville, Ohio |
| 96 | Lyle, Rick | DL | 6-5 | 285 | 02/26/71 | 9 | Missouri | Hickman Hills, Mo. |
| 90 | Martin, Steve | DT | 6-4 | 320 | 05/31/74 | 7 | Missouri | St. Paul, Minn. |
| 55 | McGinest, Willie | DE | 6-5 | 270 | 12/11/71 | 9 | Southern Cal | Long Beach, Calif. |
| 36 | Milloy, Lawyer | SS | 6-0 | 210 | 11/14/73 | 7 | Washington | Tacoma, Wash. |
| 61 | Neal, Stephen | OL | 6-4 | 305 | 10/09/76 | 1 | Cal State-Bakersfield | San Diego, Calif. |
| 35 | Pass, Patrick | FB | 5-10 | 217 | 12/31/77 | 3 | Georgia | Tucker, Ga. |
| 86 | Patten, David | WR | 5-10 | 190 | 08/19/74 | 6 | Western Carolina | Hopkins, S.C. |
| 66 | Paxton, Lonie | LS | 6-2 | 260 | 03/13/78 | 3 | Sacramento State | Corona, Calif. |
| 95 | Phifer, Roman | LB | 6-2 | 248 | 03/05/68 | 12 | UCLA | Pineville, N.C. |
| 98 | Pleasant, Anthony | DE | 6-5 | 280 | 01/27/68 | 13 | Tennessee State | Century, Fla. |
| 21 | Redmond, J.R. | RB | 5-11 | 215 | 09/28/77 | 3 | Arizona State | Carson, Calif. |
| 64 | Robinson-Randall, Greg | T | 6-5 | 322 | 06/23/78 | 3 | Michigan State | La Marque, Texas |
| 67 | Ruegamer, Grey | C/G | 6-5 | 302 | 06/01/76 | 4 | Arizona State | Las Vegas, Nevada |
| 93 | Seymour, Richard | DT | 6-6 | 310 | 10/06/79 | 2 | Georgia | Gadsden, S.C. |
| 32 | Smith, Antowain | RB | 6-2 | 232 | 03/14/72 | 6 | Houston | Montgomery, Ala. |
| 45 | Smith, Otis | CB | 5-11 | 198 | 10/22/65 | 13 | Missouri | Matairie, La. |
| 4 | Vinatieri, Adam | K | 6-0 | 202 | 12/28/72 | 7 | South Dakota State | Rapid City, S.D. |
| 50 | Vrabel, Mike | OLB | 6-4 | 261 | 08/14/75 | 6 | Ohio State | Akron, Ohio |
| 13 | Walter, Ken | P | 6-1 | 207 | 08/15/72 | 6 | Kent State | Euclid, Ohio |
| 65 | Woody, Damien | C | 6-3 | 320 | 11/03/77 | 4 | Boston College | Beaverdam, Va. |

PRACTICE SQUAD

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|-------------------|----|------|-----|----------|---|------------|----------------|
| 75 | Anderson, Maurice | DT | 6-3 | 296 | 01/19/75 | 2 | Virginia | Nottoway, Va. |
| 51 | Moore, Brandon | LB | 6-1 | 242 | 01/16/79 | R | Oklahoma | Freeport, N.Y. |
| 76 | Gorin, Brandon | T | 6-6 | 302 | 07/17/78 | 2 | Purdue | Muncie, Ind. |
| 28 | Williams, Brock | CB | 5-10 | 196 | 08/11/79 | 2 | Notre Dame | Hammond, La. |

HEAD COACH: BILL BELICHICK

ASSISTANTS: Romeo Crennel, Defensive Coordinator/Defensive Line; Brian Daboll, Wide Receivers; Jeff Davidson, Assistant Offensive Line/Tight Ends; Ivan Fears, Running Backs; Pepper Johnson, Inside Linebackers; Eric Mangini, Defensive Backs; Markus Paul, Assistant Strength and Conditioning; Rob Ryan, Outside Linebackers; Dante Scarnecchia, Assistant Head Coach/Offensive Line; Brad Seely, Special Teams; Charlie Weis, Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks; Mike Woicik, Strength and Conditioning.



2002 NUMERICAL ROSTER

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| # | NAME | POS | HT | WT | AGE | YR | COLLEGE | HOW ACO. | G/S/D/I |
| 4 | Adam Vinatieri | K | 6-0 | 202 | 28 | 7 | South Dakota State | FA-96 | 2/0/0/0 |
| 6 | Rohan Davey | QB | 6-2 | 245 | 24 | R | Louisiana State | D4a-02 | 1/0/0/1 |
| 12 | Tom Brady | QB | 6-4 | 225 | 25 | 3 | Michigan | D6b-00 | 2/2/0/0 |
| 13 | Ken Walter | P | 6-1 | 207 | 30 | 6 | Kent State | FA-01 | 2/0/0/0 |
| 19 | Damon Huard | QB | 6-3 | 215 | 29 | 6 | Washington | UFA (MIA)-01 | 1/0/1/0 |
| 21 | J.R. Redmond | RB | 5-11 | 215 | 24 | 3 | Arizona State | D3-00 | 1/0/0/1 |
| 22 | Terrell Buckley | CB | 5-9 | 176 | 31 | 11 | Florida State | FA-(TB)-02 | 2/0/0/0 |
| 23 | Antwan Harris | S | 5-9 | 194 | 25 | 3 | Virginia | D6a-00 | 2/0/0/0 |
| 24 | Ty Law | CB | 5-11 | 200 | 28 | 8 | Michigan | D1-95 | 2/2/0/0 |
| 27 | Victor Green | S | 5-11 | 210 | 32 | 10 | Akron | FA (NYJ)-02 | 2/0/0/0 |
| 30 | Je'Rod Cherry | S | 6-1 | 210 | 29 | 7 | California | FA-01 | 2/0/0/0 |
| 31 | Ben Kelly | CB | 5-9 | 185 | 23 | 3 | Colorado | CW (MIA)-01 | 2/0/0/0 |
| 32 | Antowain Smith | RB | 6-2 | 232 | 30 | 6 | Houston | FA (BUF)-01 | 2/2/0/0 |
| 33 | Kevin Faulk | RB | 5-8 | 202 | 26 | 4 | Louisiana State | D2-99 | 1/0/0/1 |
| 34 | Tebucky Jones | FS | 6-2 | 218 | 27 | 5 | Syracuse | D1b-98 | 2/2/0/0 |
| 35 | Patrick Pass | FB | 5-10 | 217 | 24 | 3 | Georgia | D7b-00 | 2/0/0/0 |
| 36 | Lawyer Milloy | SS | 6-0 | 210 | 28 | 7 | Washington | D2-96 | 2/2/0/0 |
| 44 | Marc Edwards | FB | 6-0 | 245 | 27 | 6 | Notre Dame | UFA (CLE)-01 | 2/2/0/0 |
| 45 | Otis Smith | CB | 5-11 | 198 | 36 | 13 | Missouri | FA-00 | 2/2/0/0 |
| 50 | Mike Vrabel | OLB | 6-4 | 261 | 27 | 6 | Ohio State | UFA (PIT)-01 | 2/2/0/0 |
| 52 | Ted Johnson | LB | 6-4 | 253 | 29 | 8 | Colorado | D2-95 | 1/1/0/1 |
| 53 | Larry Izzo | LB | 5-10 | 228 | 27 | 7 | Rice | UFA (MIA)-01 | 2/0/0/0 |
| 54 | Tedy Bruschi | MLB | 6-1 | 245 | 29 | 7 | Arizona | D3-96 | 2/2/0/0 |
| 55 | Willie McGinest | DE | 6-5 | 270 | 30 | 9 | Southern Cal | D1-94 | 2/1/0/0 |
| 58 | Matt Chatham | LB | 6-4 | 248 | 25 | 3 | South Dakota | CW (STL)-00 | 2/0/0/0 |
| 59 | O.J. Brigance | LB | 6-0 | 236 | 32 | 7 | Rice | FA-02 | 1/0/0/0 |
| 61 | Stephen Neal | OL | 6-4 | 305 | 24 | 1 | Cal State-Bakersfield | FA-01 | 0/0/0/2 |
| 63 | Joe Andruzzi | G | 6-3 | 312 | 27 | 6 | Southern Connecticut St. | FA-00 | 2/2/0/0 |
| 64 | Greg Robinson-Randall | T | 6-5 | 322 | 24 | 3 | Michigan State | D4-00 | 0/0/0/2 |
| 65 | Damien Woody | C | 6-3 | 320 | 24 | 4 | Boston College | D1a-99 | 2/2/0/0 |
| 66 | Lonie Paxton | LS | 6-2 | 260 | 24 | 3 | Sacramento State | FA-00 | 2/0/0/0 |
| 67 | Grey Ruegamer | C/G | 6-5 | 302 | 26 | 4 | Arizona State | FA-00 | 2/0/0/0 |
| 68 | Tom Ashworth | OL | 6-6 | 305 | 24 | 1 | Colorado | FA-01 | 0/0/0/2 |
| 70 | Adrian Klemm | T | 6-3 | 312 | 25 | 3 | Hawaii | D2-00 | 2/0/0/0 |
| 72 | Matt Light | T | 6-4 | 305 | 24 | 2 | Purdue | D2-01 | 2/2/0/0 |
| 74 | Kenyatta Jones | T | 6-3 | 310 | 23 | 2 | South Florida | D4a-01 | 2/2/0/0 |
| 77 | Mike Compton | G/C | 6-6 | 310 | 31 | 10 | West Virginia | UFA (DET)-01 | 2/2/0/0 |
| 80 | Troy Brown | WR | 5-10 | 193 | 31 | 10 | Marshall | D8-93 | 2/2/0/0 |
| 81 | Donald Hayes | WR | 6-4 | 220 | 27 | 5 | Wisconsin | UFA (CAR)-02 | 2/0/0/0 |
| 82 | Daniel Graham | TE | 6-3 | 253 | 23 | R | Colorado | D1-02 | 2/1/0/0 |
| 83 | Deion Branch | WR | 5-9 | 193 | 23 | R | Louisville | D2-02 | 2/0/0/0 |
| 85 | Cameron Cleeland | TE | 6-4 | 272 | 27 | 5 | Washington | UFA (NO)-02 | 2/0/0/0 |
| 86 | David Patten | WR | 5-10 | 190 | 28 | 6 | Western Carolina | UFA (CLE)-01 | 2/1/0/0 |
| 87 | David Givens | WR | 6-0 | 212 | 22 | R | Notre Dame | D7b-02 | 0/0/0/2 |
| 88 | Christian Fauria | TE | 6-4 | 250 | 30 | 8 | Colorado | UFA (SEA)-02 | 2/2/0/0 |
| 90 | Steve Martin | DT | 6-4 | 320 | 28 | 7 | Missouri | UFA (NYJ)-02 | 2/2/0/0 |
| 91 | Bobby Hamilton | DE | 6-5 | 280 | 31 | 8 | Southern Mississippi | UFA (NYJ)-00 | 2/1/0/0 |
| 93 | Richard Seymour | DT | 6-6 | 310 | 22 | 2 | Georgia | D1-01 | 2/2/0/0 |
| 95 | Roman Phifer | LB | 6-4 | 248 | 34 | 12 | UCLA | FA-01 (NYJ)-01 | 1/1/0/1 |
| 96 | Rick Lyle | DL | 6-5 | 285 | 31 | 9 | Missouri | UFA (NYJ)-02 | 2/0/0/0 |
| 97 | Jarvis Green | DE | 6-3 | 285 | 23 | R | Louisiana State | D4b-02 | 1/0/0/1 |
| 98 | Anthony Pleasant | DE | 6-5 | 280 | 34 | 13 | Tennessee State | UFA (SF)-01 | 2/2/0/0 |
| 99 | Bernard Holsey | DL | 6-2 | 286 | 28 | 6 | Duke | FA-02 | 2/0/0/0 |

INJURED RESERVE

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|-----------|---|-----|-----|----|---|------------|-------|
| 37 | Rob Kelly | S | 6-0 | 205 | 27 | 5 | Ohio State | FA-02 |
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RESERVE NON-FOOTBALL INJURY

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|-----------------|----|------|-----|----|---|----------|--------|
| 42 | Antwoine Womack | RB | 5-11 | 225 | 24 | R | Virginia | D7a-02 |
|----|-----------------|----|------|-----|----|---|----------|--------|

RESERVE PHYSICALLY UNABLE TO PERFORM

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|---------------|----|------|-----|----|---|--------------|--------|
| 25 | Leonard Myers | CB | 5-10 | 198 | 23 | 2 | Miami (Fla.) | D6b-01 |
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HEAD COACH: BILL BELICHICK

ASSISTANTS: Romeo Crennel, Defensive Coordinator/Defensive Line; Brian Daboll, Wide Receivers; Jeff Davidson, Assistant Offensive Line/Tight Ends; Ivan Fears, Running Backs; Pepper Johnson, Inside Linebackers; Eric Mangini, Defensive Backs; Markus Paul, Assistant Strength and Conditioning; Rob Ryan, Outside Linebackers; Dante Scarnecchia, Assistant Head Coach/Offensive Line; Brad Seely, Special Teams; Charlie Weis, Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks; Mike Woicik, Strength and Conditioning.



UNOFFICIAL 2002 DEPTH CHART

(unofficial, 9/15/02)

OFFENSE

| | | |
|--|--|---|
| WR: 80 Troy Brown (2/2/0/0) | <u>83</u> <u>Deion Branch</u> (2/0/0/0) | <u>87</u> <u>David Givens</u> (0/0/0/2) |
| LT: 72 Matt Light (2/2/0/0) | <u>68</u> <u>Tom Ashworth</u> (0/0/0/2) | |
| LG: 63 Joe Andruzzi (2/2/0/0) | 70 Adrian Klemm (2/0/0/0) | <u>61</u> <u>Stephen Neal</u> (0/0/0/2) |
| C: 77 Mike Compton (2/2/0/0) | 67 Grey Ruegamer (2/0/0/0) | |
| RG: 65 Damien Woody (2/2/0/0) | 70 Adrian Klemm (2/0/0/0) | |
| RT: 74 Kenyatta Jones (2/2/0/0) | 64 Greg Robinson-Randall (0/0/0/2) | |
| TE: 88 Christian Fauria (2/2/0/0) | <u>82</u> <u>Daniel Graham</u> (2/1/0/0) | 85 Cameron Cleeland (2/0/0/0) |
| WR: 86 David Patten (2/1/0/0) | 81 Donald Hayes (2/0/0/0) | |
| QB: 12 Tom Brady (2/2/0/0) | 19 Damon Huard (1/0/1/0) | <u>6</u> <u>Rohan Davey</u> (1/0/0/1) |
| RB: 32 Antowain Smith (2/2/0/0) | 33 Kevin Faulk (1/0/0/1) | 21 J.R. Redmond (1/0/0/1) |
| | | 35 Patrick Pass (2/0/0/0) |
| FB: 44 Marc Edwards (2/2/0/0) | | |

DEFENSE

| | | |
|--|---|----------------------------|
| LE: 91 Bobby Hamilton (2/1/0/0) | 96 Rick Lyle (2/0/0/0) | |
| DT: 90 Steve Martin (2/2/0/0) | 99 Bernard Holsey (2/0/0/0) | |
| DT: 93 Richard Seymour (2/2/0/0) | 99 Bernard Holsey (2/0/0/0) | |
| RE: 98 Anthony Pleasant (2/2/0/0) | <u>97</u> <u>Jarvis Green</u> (1/0/0/1) | |
| OLB: 50 Mike Vrabel (2/2/0/0) | 55 Willie McGinest (2/1/0/0) | 58 Matt Chatham (2/0/0/0) |
| MLB: 54 Tedy Bruschi (2/2/0/0) | 52 Ted Johnson (1/1/0/1) | 53 Larry Izzo (2/0/0/0) |
| OLB: 95 Roman Phifer (1/1/0/1) | 55 Willie McGinest (2/1/0/0) | 59 O.J. Brigance (1/0/0/0) |
| LCB: 24 Ty Law (2/2/0/0) | 22 Terrell Buckley (2/0/0/0) | |
| RCB: 45 Otis Smith (2/2/0/0) | 31 Ben Kelly (2/0/0/0) | 23 Antwan Harris (2/0/0/0) |
| SS: 36 Lawyer Milloy (2/2/0/0) | 23 Antwan Harris (2/0/0/0) | 30 Je'Rod Cherry (2/0/0/0) |
| FS: 34 Tebucky Jones (2/2/0/0) | 27 Victor Green (2/0/0/0) | |

SPECIAL TEAMS

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|---|
| K: 4 Adam Vinatieri (2/0/0/0) | 13 Ken Walter (2/0/0/0) | |
| P: 13 Ken Walter (2/0/0/0) | 4 Adam Vinatieri (2/0/0/0) | |
| H: 13 Ken Walter (2/0/0/0) | 19 Damon Huard (1/0/1/0) | |
| PR: 80 Troy Brown (2/2/0/0) | 33 Kevin Faulk (1/0/0/1) | <u>83</u> <u>Deion Branch</u> (2/0/0/0) |
| KR: 33 Kevin Faulk (1/0/0/1) | 35 Patrick Pass (2/0/0/0) | 21 J.R. Redmond (1/0/0/1) |
| PC: 66 Lonie Paxton (2/0/0/0) | 77 Mike Compton (2/0/0/0) | |
| KC: 66 Lonie Paxton (2/0/0/0) | 77 Mike Compton (2/0/0/0) | |

Rookies and first-year players are underlined
[indicates out of line-up due to injury]

PATRIOTS PRONUNCIATION

Tedy Bruschi Teddy ● BREW-ski
Christian Fauria FOR-ee-AY
Damon Huard HUE-ard
Lonie Paxton Lonnie

Grey Ruegamer ROO-gah-mer
Antowain Smith AN-twon
Adam Vinatieri VIN-a-TERRY



2002 SEASON - HOW BUILT

| <u>YEAR</u> | <u>DRAFTEES (23)</u> | <u>VETERAN FREE AGENTS (23)</u> | <u>WAIVERS (2) / TRADES (0)</u> | <u>ROOKIE AND FIRST-YEAR FREE AGENTS (5)</u> |
|---|--|---|-------------------------------------|--|
| 1993 | Troy Brown (8) | | | |
| 1994 | Willie McGinest (1) | | | |
| 1995 | Ty Law (1) Ted Johnson (2) | | | |
| 1996 | Lawyer Milloy (2) Tedy Bruschi (3) | | | Adam Vinatieri (fa) |
| 1997 | | | | |
| 1998 | Tebucky Jones (1b) | | | |
| 1999 | Damien Woody (1a) Kevin Faulk (2) | | | |
| 2000 | Adrian Klemm (2) J.R. Redmond (3) Greg Robinson-Randall (4) Antwan Harris (6a) Tom Brady (6b) Patrick Pass (7b) | Joe Andruzzi (fa) (G.B.) Bobby Hamilton (fa) (NYJ) Otis Smith (fa) (NYJ) | Matt Chatham (fa) (cw-STL) | Lonie Paxton (fa) Grey Ruegamer (fa) |
| 2001 | Richard Seymour (1) Matt Light (2) Kenyatta Jones (4a) | Je'Rod Cherry (2) (PHI) Mike Compton (3) (DET)* Marc Edwards (2) (CLE)* Damon Huard (fa) (MIA) Larry Izzo (fa) (MIA)* David Patten (fa) (CLE) * Roman Phifer (2) (NYJ) Anthony Pleasant (3) (SF)* Antowain Smith (1) (BUF) Mike Vrabel (3) (PIT)* Ken Walter (fa) (CAR) | Ben Kelly (3) (cw-MIA) | Tom Ashworth (fa) Stephen Neal (fa) |
| 2002 | Daniel Graham (1) Deion Branch (2) Rohan Davey (4a) Jarvis Green (4b) David Givens (7b) | O.J. Brigance (fa) (StL) Terrell Buckley (1) (TB) Cameron Cleeland (2) (NO)* Christian Fauria (2) (SEA)* Victor Green (fa) (NYJ) Donald Hayes (4) (CAR)* Bernard Holsey (fa) (IND) Rick Lyle (fa) (NYJ)* Steve Martin (5) (NYJ)* | | |
| <p>Injured Reserve Rob Kelly (2) (NO)</p> <p>Reserve-Non-Football Injury Antwoine Womack (7a)</p> <p>Reserve-Physically Unable to Perform Leonard Myers (6b)</p> | | | | |
| <p>* unrestricted free agent (#) - indicates round drafted (fa) - indicates non-drafted free agents</p> | | | | |



2002 DAILY TRANSACTIONS – BY DATE

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|------|------------------------|---|------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1/10 | Terry Glenn..... | Suspended | 6/21 | Roman Phifer | Re-signed |
| 1/11 | Jimmy Farris..... | Signed | | Kole Ayi | Signed |
| 2/11 | Mike Clare..... | Signed (Allocated to NFL Europe) | 6/27 | Kole Ayi | Traded (St. Louis) |
| | Cecil Deckard | Signed (Allocated to NFL Europe) | 7/8 | Tony Scott | Claimed off of Waivers (N.Y. Jets) |
| | Patrick Downey | Signed (Allocated to NFL Europe) | 7/16 | Victor Green | Signed |
| | Radell Lockhart..... | Signed (Allocated to NFL Europe) | 7/17 | Daniel Benetka | Signed |
| | Scott McCready | Signed (Allocated to NFL Europe) | 7/18 | Jarvis Green | Signed |
| | Maugaula Tuitele | Signed (Allocated to NFL Europe) | | Antwoine Womack | Signed |
| | Mark Washington..... | Signed (Allocated to NFL Europe) | 7/21 | Daniel Graham | Signed |
| | Maurice Anderson | Signed | | Rohan Davey..... | Signed |
| | Tom Ashworth | Signed | | David Givens | Signed |
| | Ryan Benjamin | Signed | 7/25 | Bernard Holsey..... | Signed |
| | Setema Gali..... | Signed | | Chris Sullivan..... | Released |
| | Drew Inzer | Signed | 7/26 | Riddick Parker | Signed |
| 2/18 | Matt Stevens | Selected by Houston Texans in Expansion Draft | | Marty Moore..... | Released |
| 2/25 | Jace Saylor..... | Signed | 7/29 | Rich Tylski..... | Retired |
| | Curtis Jackson | Released | 8/1 | Howard Duncan..... | Claimed off of Waivers (Tampa Bay) |
| | Charles Johnson | Released | 8/12 | O.J. Brigance..... | Signed |
| | Terrence Shaw | Released | 8/14 | Jimmy Hitchcock..... | Signed |
| 3/1 | Antowain Smith | Re-signed | 8/17 | Howard Duncan..... | Waived |
| 3/5 | Marty Moore..... | Released | | Daryl Porter..... | Released |
| 3/8 | Terry Glenn..... | Traded (Green Bay) | 8/19 | Grant Williams | Traded (St. Louis) |
| 3/12 | Scott Dragos | Signed | 8/24 | Daniel Benetka | Released |
| | Donald Hayes | Signed | | Scott Dragos | Released |
| | Chris Hayes | Signed | | Jabari Holloway | Released |
| | Rick Lyle | Signed | | Scott McCready | Released |
| 3/15 | Adam Vinatieri..... | Re-signed | | Ryan Phillips..... | Released |
| 3/19 | Rob Kelly | Signed | | Tony Scott | Released |
| 3/20 | Hakim Akbar | Waived | | Tony Umholtz..... | Released |
| 3/22 | Christian Fauria | Signed | 8/27 | O.J. Brigance..... | Released |
| 3/28 | Cameron Cleeland..... | Signed | | Ryan Benjamin | Released |
| 3/29 | Fred Coleman..... | Re-signed | | Jimmy Farris..... | Released |
| 4/3 | Steve Martin..... | Signed | | Rob Kelly..... | Placed on Injured Reserve |
| | Ryan Phillips..... | Signed | | Antwoine Womack..... | Placed on Reserve/Non-Football Injury |
| | Mark Washington..... | Waived | 8/28 | Tom Brady | Signed a contract Extension |
| | Cecil Deckard | Waived | 8/30 | Patrick Downey | Released |
| 4/4 | Tommy Knight..... | Signed | | Chris Hayes | Released |
| | Jermaine Wiggins | Re-signed | | Radell Lockhart..... | Released |
| 4/19 | Grey Ruegamer | Re-signed | | Ratcliff Thomas | Released |
| | Grant Williams | Re-signed | 9/1 | Maurice Anderson..... | Released |
| 4/20 | Daniel Graham | Drafted | | Fred Coleman..... | Released |
| | Deion Branch..... | Drafted | | Drew Inzer | Released |
| 4/21 | Rohan Davey..... | Drafted | | Arther Love | Released |
| | Jarvis Green | Drafted | | David Nugent | Released |
| | Antwoine Womack | Drafted | | Riddick Parker | Released |
| | David Givens | Drafted | | Jace Saylor | Released |
| | Drew Bledsoe | Traded (Buffalo) | | T.C. Taylor | Released |
| 4/26 | Major Applewhite..... | Signed | | Maugaula Tuitele..... | Released |
| | T.C. Taylor | Signed | | Brock Williams | Released |
| | Tony Umholtz..... | Signed | | Leonard Myers | Placed on Reserve/PUP |
| 5/2 | Jermaine Wiggins | Waived | 9/3 | Maurice Anderson..... | Signed to practice squad |
| 5/8 | Daryl Porter..... | Signed | | Arther Love | Signed to practice squad |
| 5/30 | Major Applewhite..... | Waived | | Jace Saylor | Signed to practice squad |
| | | | | Brock Williams..... | Signed to practice squad |
| 5/31 | Rich Tylski..... | Signed | 9/4 | Brandon Moore..... | Signed to practice squad |
| | Marty Moore..... | Signed | 9/5 | Brandon Gorin | Signed to practice squad |
| 6/7 | Ratcliff Thomas | Signed | | Jace Saylor | Released from practice squad |
| 6/14 | Andy Katzenmoyer..... | Released | 9/5 | Terrell Buckley..... | Signed |
| | | | 9/6 | Jimmy Hitchcock..... | Released |
| | | | 9/9 | Tommy Knight..... | Released |
| | | | 9/11 | O.J. Brigance..... | Signed |
| | | | 9/16 | Arther Love | Released from practice squad |



GILLETTE STADIUM FACT SHEET



STADIUM SIZE

Seating Capacity: 68,000, including 60,000 general seats, 6,000 club seats and the capacity for 2,000 guests in the 80 suites

Stadium Dimensions: 1000' long x 80' wide x 168' high

Stadium Area: 1.9 million square feet

Width of Seats: 19-21 inches

FAN AMENITIES

Entry Gates: 60 entry gates for general seating.

Concourses: 70 feet wide, double the width of the old facilities.

Concessions: 46 permanent concession stands and 60 portable food and beverage stands providing over 350 points of sale.

Novelty Stands: 15 permanent stands.

Restroom Facilities: 60, including 22 men's restrooms, 22 women's restrooms and 16 family facilities, three times as many as the old facilities.

Scoreboards/Video Boards: Two HDTV video boards, measuring 27' high x 48' wide. Each will be able to display live action, instant replay reviews, game statistics and highlights from around the league.

Sound System: State-of-the-art distributed sound with over 2,000 sources of sound.

Television Monitors: Over 1,000

Ticket Office Ticket Windows: 16

ATM Locations: Seven

Team Store: 7,200 square feet

SUITES AND CLUBS

Club Lounges: 120,000 square feet of space with functional use year-round. Lounges have full view of the field from end zone to end zone and have cathedral ceilings four stories high.

Luxury Suites: The 80 suites will be the largest in the NFL, ranging from 800 to 1900 square feet.

OTHER NOTABLE IMPROVEMENTS

- The Patriots training facility is now over 40,000 square feet and features a large team auditorium and state-of-the-art strength and conditioning facilities.
- Spacious plazas at each stadium entrance.
- Open concourse views to the field.
- Over 68,000 comfortable chairback seats (with cupholders at every seat).
- A coastal-themed signature view featuring a lighthouse and a bridge in the north end zone of the stadium.
- A full-service television production studio.

OUT WITH THE OLD, IN WITH THE NEW

Based on the comparisons below, there will be no comparison between Foxboro Stadium and the state-of-the-art facilities offered at Gillette Stadium. The comparative chart below offers a description of some of the dramatic changes fans can expect this season.

| STADIUM FACTS | FOXBORO STADIUM | GILLETTE STADIUM |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------|---|
| Cost | Approximately \$6 million | Approximately \$325 million |
| Chairback Seats | 7,281 | 68,000 |
| Bench Seats | 53,011 | 0 |
| Seat Width | 16 1/2 inches (bench) | 19-21 inches (15% more space) |
| Luxury Suites | 34 | 80 (from 800-1900 sf) |
| Luxury Suite Seats | 504 | 2,000 |
| Club Seats | 0 | 6,000 (21 inches wide) |
| Club Lounges | 0 | 2 (each 4 stories high and over 60,000 square feet) |
| Parking Spaces | 11,000 | over 14,000 |
| Concession Points of Sale | 117 | over 350 |
| Number of Concourses | 1 | 3 |
| Width of Main Concourse | 35 feet | 70 feet |
| Permanent Novelty Stands | 6 | 15 |
| Team Store | 3,600 square feet | 7,200 square feet |
| Video Screens | 1 | 2 |
| Video Screen Size | 29 feet x 29 feet | 48 feet x 27 feet |
| Stadium Footprint | 7.95 acres | 17.3 acres |
| Men's Restrooms | 10 | 22 |
| Women's Restrooms | 10 | 22 |
| Family Restrooms | 0 | 16 |
| Port-a-Johns | 167 | 0 |
| Television Monitors | 115 | Over 1,000 |
| Sound System | Single Point Sound | Full Stadium Distributed Sound |

For More Information on Gillette Stadium, visit www.patriots.com



BY THE NUMBERS

43

The number of players who have joined the team since January 2000 (as of Sept. 16).

9

The number of veteran free agents who have joined the team since February 2002 (as of Sept. 16).

179

The number of consecutive Patriots games that have been broadcast locally. The streak includes preseason, regular season and postseason games (including this weekend's game against the Chiefs).

86

The current Patriots consecutive home sellout streak since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994 (including this week's game against the Chiefs).

57-28

The Patriots record at home since 1994 (including preseason and postseason games).

7

The number of takeaways the Patriots have recorded during the first two weeks of the season (leads the NFL).

+4

The Patriots turnover ratio through the first two games of the season (tied for first in the NFL).

+15

The Patriots turnover ratio during their current eight-game regular season winning streak.

10

The number of sacks the Patriots have recorded during the first two weeks of the season.

9

The number of different Patriots defenders who have recorded sacks this season.

336

The number of receptions Troy Brown has recorded during his 10-year playing career.

44

The number of punt return yards Brown needs to move past Irving Fryar (2,055) into first place on the Patriots all-time punt return list.

37

The Patriots margin of victory over the N.Y. Jets this past weekend (44-7). It was the seventh largest margin of victory in franchise history.

85

The Patriots margin of victory in their last three wins (+32 at Carolina; +16 vs. Pittsburgh and +37 at N.Y. Jets). It the largest three-game point margin in franchise history.

100.8

Tom Brady's quarterback rating against the N.Y. Jets.

105.9

Brady's rating through two games this season (4th in the NFL)

5

The number of 100.0+ rating games Brady has had during his 16 career starts.

5-0

The Patriots record in those games.

19

Starts by Patriots quarterback Tom Brady (including playoffs).

16

The Patriots have won 16 of the 19 games Brady has started (including playoffs).

36-8

Including his 20-5 record as a starter at Michigan, Brady is now 36-8 as a starting quarterback.

58

The number of points the Patriots scored in the third quarter during the entire 2001 season.

34

The number of points the Patriots scored in the third quarter in 2002 (through two games).

94

Points allowed by the Patriots in the third quarter in 2001, the most in any quarter.

7

Points allowed by the Patriots in the third quarter in 2002 (through two games).

8

The number of consecutive regular season victories the Patriots have recorded, tying a club mark (11/3/94-9/3/95)

12.2

The average number of points yielded by the Patriots defense during their current 8-game winning streak.

11

The number of consecutive wins (including three postseason wins) the Patriots have recorded.

63%

The Patriots third down conversion rate last week against the N.Y. Jets (10-16). It's their highest conversion rate since they converted 67% of their third downs at Miami (12/28/87).

8%

The Patriots defense allowed the N.Y. Jets to convert only one of 12 third downs during last week's game. It was the lowest percentage since they allowed the Cleveland Browns to convert only 1-of-12 (8%) on Oct. 3, 1999.