



NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS

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UPCOMING MEDIA SCHEDULE

Wednesday, Nov. 13

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
2:45 Oakland Player Conference Call
3:00 Bill Callahan Conference Call

Thursday, Nov. 14

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

Friday, Nov. 15

10:30-11:00 Head Coach Bill Belichick's Press
Conference (Media Workroom)
11:00-11:35 Open Locker Room
12:00-12:15 Photographers Access to Practice

Monday, Nov. 18

3:00 Head Coach Bill Belichick
Conference Call

2002 PATRIOTS SCHEDULE

REGULAR SEASON (5-4)

Mon., Sept. 9	at Pittsburgh	W	30-14
Sun., Sept. 15	at N.Y. Jets	W	44-7
Sun., Sept. 22	Kansas City	W	41-38
Sun., Sept. 29	at San Diego	L	14-21
Sun., Oct. 6	at Miami	L	13-26
Sun., Oct. 13	Green Bay	L	10-28
Sun., Oct. 20	BYE		
Sun., Oct. 27	Denver	L	16-24
Sun., Nov. 3	at Buffalo	W	38-7
Sun., Nov. 10	at Chicago	W	33-30
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

AFC EAST STANDINGS

Teams	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
NEW ENGLAND	5	4	0	.556	239	195
Buffalo Bills	5	4	0	.556	248	269
Miami Dolphins	5	4	0	.556	210	180
New York Jets	4	5	0	.444	173	216

Sunday, Nov. 17

N.E. Patriots at Oakland	8:30
Buffalo at Kansas City	1:00
Baltimore at Miami	1:00
N.Y. Jets at Detroit	4:15

PATRIOTS (5-4) HOPE TO WIN THIRD STRAIGHT ROAD GAME WHEN THEY TRAVEL TO OAKLAND TO FACE THE RAIDERS (5-4)

This Week: The New England Patriots (5-4) will travel to Oakland, Calif. this weekend to face the Raiders (5-4) at Network Associates Coliseum (63,132 capacity). The game will be televised on ESPN. Kickoff is scheduled at 8:30 p.m. This will be the Patriots final game of their three-game road trip.

Television: This week's game will be broadcast nationally on ESPN (locally on WCVB Channel 5). The play-by-play duties will be handled by **Mike Patrick**, who will be joined in the booth by **Paul Maguire** and **Joe Theismann**. **Suzy Kolber** 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.

National Radio: This week's game can also be heard nationally on CBS Radio. **Joel Meyers** and **Bob Trumpy** will be calling all the action and **Warren Moon** will be reporting from the sidelines.

Patriots in Prime Time: This weekend's game against the Raiders will be the Patriots third nationally televised game of the 2002 season. New England will appear in a total of six nationally televised games this season, a single-season franchise record. Their previous high of five was set in 1998. They faced the Philadelphia Eagles in a preseason prime-time match up and opened the 2002 season with a 30-14 victory over the Pittsburgh Steelers on Monday Night Football. The Patriots will be featured on Thanksgiving against the Lions (11/28) and will appear on Monday Night Football against the Tennessee Titans (12/16) and again on ESPN versus the New York Jets (12/22).

Kickin' It: Patriots kicker Adam Vinatieri boomed the longest field goal in Patriots history last week against the Bears when he nailed a 57-yard attempt in the first quarter. This season Vinatieri has made 15-of-16 field goals and has converted 22 of his last 23 attempts. Vinatieri is the most accurate kicker in Patriots history, having made 81.4 percent of his kicks (175 of 215) and also ranks fifth in NFL history over his seven-year career.

On the Road Again: The Patriots will conclude their three-game road trip this weekend when they travel to Oakland to face the Raiders. The road trip, which will cover 7,872 miles, is the longest road streak this year in the NFL. This week's game will be the first of three games played over an 11-day span, including two on the road. After traveling to Oakland, the Patriots return home to host the Vikings (11/24) before traveling to Detroit to battle the Lions on Thanksgiving (11/28/02).

COMEBACK KID

Patriots quarterback Tom Brady completed four of seven passes for 53 yards on the final drive of last week's 33-30 come-from-behind victory over the Bears, including a 20-yard game-winning touchdown pass in the final seconds. It was Brady's seventh game-winning drive to break a tie or deficit in his 26 career starts. It was also the fifth time he led a fourth-quarter comeback drive. Brady's passing statistics from his seven game-winning performances are listed below.

Against the Raiders in the playoffs last year, Brady led the Patriots back from a 13-3 fourth quarter deficit to a 16-13 overtime victory. He completed 20-of-27 passes for 138 yards in the fourth quarter and overtime. He also scored on a 6-yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter.

fourth quarter.

Date	Opponent	Score	Time Remaining	Passing Statistics					
			in Regulation	Att	Cmp	Yds	Td	Int	Final
10/14/01	vs. San Diego	16-26	8:48	18	13	130	1	0	29-26 ot
12/2/01	at N.Y. Jets	14-16	15:00	7	6	56	0	0	17-16
12/16/01	at Buffalo	6-9	5:57	13	9	116	0	0	12-9 ot
1/19/02	vs. Oakland*	3-13	15:00	27	20	138	0	0	16-13 ot
2/3/02	vs. St. Louis**	17-17	1:21	8	5	53	0	0	20-17
9/22/02	vs. Kansas City	38-38	0:00	5	4	46	0	0	41-38 ot
11/10/02	at Chicago	19-30	5:16	14	9	116	2	0	33-30

* Divisional Playoffs

** Super Bowl XXXVI



PATRIOTS AND RAIDERS SERIES RESULTS

SERIES HISTORY

The Patriots and Raiders will renew acquaintances this weekend on Sunday Night Football. They met in the AFC Divisional Playoff game last year and the Patriots defeated the Raiders 16-13 in overtime. The game, which was the last contest in Foxboro Stadium, was played under arctic conditions: a constant snowfall and a temperature of 25 degrees. New England scored the game's final 13 points, including two Adam Vinatieri field goals, a 45-yarder at the end of regulation to tie the game and a 23-yard kick in overtime for the win.

The Patriots and Raiders were two of the eight charter teams of the AFL in 1960 and have met 30 times over the past 42 years. While the two teams clashed 22 times in the 1960s and '70s, this will be just the eighth time they have met since 1981 and their first meeting in the regular season since 1994. The series is knotted at 14-14-1, including playoffs.

SERIES RECORD—New England 14, Oakland 14, 1 tie

DATE	RESULT	+/-	SITE
10/16/60	at Raiders 27, Patriots 14	-13	Kezar Stad.
11/4/60	at Patriots 34, Raiders 28	+6	B.U.
11/17/61	at Patriots 20, Raiders 17	+3	B.U.
12/9/61	Patriots 35, at Raiders 21	+14	Candlestick
10/26/62	at Patriots 26, Raiders 16	+10	B.U.
12/16/62	at Raiders 20, Patriots 0	-20	Frank Youell Field
9/22/63	Patriots 20, at Raiders 14	+6	Frank Youell Field
10/11/63	at Patriots 20, Raiders 14	+6	Fenway
9/13/64	Patriots 17, at Raiders 14	+3	Frank Youell Field
10/16/64	at Patriots 43, Raiders 43	0	Fenway
10/8/65	Raiders 24, at Patriots 10	-14	Fenway
10/24/65	at Raiders 30, Patriots 21	-9	Frank Youell Field
10/30/66	at Patriots 24, Raiders 21	+3	Fenway
9/17/67	at Raiders 35, Patriots 7	-28	Oakland Coliseum
10/22/67	Raiders 48, at Patriots 14	-34	Fenway
10/6/68	at Raiders 41, Patriots 10	-31	Oakland Coliseum
9/28/69	Raiders 38, at Patriots 23	-15	B.C. Alumni
9/19/71	at Patriots 20, Raiders 6	+14	Schaefer
12/1/74	at Raiders 41, Patriots 26	-15	Oakland Coliseum
10/3/76	at Patriots 48, Raiders 17	+31	Schaefer
12/18/76	at Raiders 24, Patriots 21*	-3	Oakland Coliseum
9/24/78	Patriots 21, at Raiders 14	+7	Oakland Coliseum
11/1/81	at Raiders 27, Patriots 17	-10	Oakland Coliseum
9/29/85	Raiders 35, at Patriots 20	-15	Sullivan
1/5/86	Patriots 27, at Raiders 20*	+7	LA Coliseum
11/1/87	at Patriots 26, Raiders 23	+3	Sullivan
11/26/89	at Raiders 24, Patriots 21	-3	LA Coliseum
10/9/94	Raiders 21, at Patriots 17	-4	Foxboro
1/19/02	at Patriots 16, Raiders 13 ot*	+3	Foxboro

* Divisional Playoff

SERIES TRENDS

Patriots record at Home	8-5-1 (1-0 in playoffs)
Patriots record on the Road	5-9 (1-1 in playoffs)
Total Points in the Series	NE 618, Oakland 716
Patriots Largest Margin of Victory	+31 (10/3/76)
Patriots Largest Margin of Defeat	-34 (10/22/67)
Highest Combined Point Total	86 (10/16/64)
Lowest Combined Point Total	20 (12/16/62)
Longest Win Streak	4, twice
Longest Losing Streak	4

PATRIOTS ON ESPN

The Patriots will be featured on Sunday Night Football for the 15th time in the last 16 years this weekend against Oakland. The Patriots have won six of the their last seven games on Sunday night, including four of five on ESPN. The Patriots overall record on Sunday night is 9-9, including a 6-5 record on ESPN.

TALE OF THE TAPE

Categories	New England	Oakland
Record	5-4	5-4
Divisional Standings	1 st T	3 rd
Total Yards Gained	3,243	3,633
Total Offense	360.3 (10)	403.7 (1)
Rush Offense	97.8 (22)	93.4 (25)
Pass Offense	262.6 (4)	310.2 (1)
Points Per Game	26.6	28.9
Total Yards Allowed	2,775	3,122
Total Defense	308.3 (5T)	346.9 (23)
Rush Defense	131.8 (27)	103.3 (10)
Pass Defense	176.6 (2)	243.6 (27)
Points Allowed/Game	21.6	22.0
Possession Avg.	30:23	29:16
Sacks Allowed/Yards Loss	19/109	19/106
Sacks Made/Yards	23/151	22/118
Interceptions By	9/144	11/320
Penalties Against/Yards	68/651	68/614
Punts/Avg.	37/39.1	29/42.7
Takeaway/Giveaway Ratio	0	+5

PATRIOTS – RAIDERS CONNECTIONS

- Patriots quarterback **Tom Brady** grew up in San Mateo, Calif. and attended Serra High School.
- Patriots linebacker **Tedy Bruschi** is a San Francisco native.
- Patriots cornerback **Ty Law** grew up in Aliquippa, Pa with Raiders safety **Anthony Dorsett**. Law and Dorsett's father, Tony are cousins.
- Patriots safety **Je'Rod Cherry** was raised in Berkeley, Calif. and matriculated to the University of California at Berkeley.
- Patriots safety **Tebucky Jones** (1994-97) and Raiders tight end **Roland Williams** (1994-97) were teammates at Syracuse.
- Patriots quarterback **Tom Brady** (1996-99), cornerback **Ty Law** (1992-94) and Raiders running back **Tyrone Wheatley** (1991-94) and cornerback **Rod Woodson** (1995-97) all attended the University of Michigan.
- Raiders quarterback **Rich Gannon** was originally drafted by the Patriots in the fourth round (98th overall) of the 1987 draft. He was later traded to the Minnesota Vikings for their fourth round (97th overall – WR Sammy Martin) pick in the 1988 draft.
- Raiders linebacker **Bill Romanowski** attended Boston College and resides in Vernon, CT.
- Raiders defensive coordinator **Chuck Bresnahan** served as Patriots Head Coach **Bill Belichick's** linebackers coach with the Cleveland Browns from 1994-95.
- Raiders defensive back coach **Ron Lynn** coached with the Patriots from 1997-99.

SERIES SUPERLATIVES

Below is a list of the top individual efforts during the Patriots and Raiders series, based on yards gained:

Rushing Yards	Yds	Att	Avg	LG	Td
Patriots: Craig James (1/5/86)	104	23	4.5	16	1
Raiders: Marcus Allen (1/5/86)	121	22	5.5	17	1
Receiving Yards	Yds	No	Avg	LG	Td
Patriots: David Patten (1/19/02)	107	8	13.4	25	0
Raiders: Fred Biletnikoff (12/18/76)	137	9	15.2	31t	1
Passing Yards	Yds	Att	Comp	TD	Int
Patriots: Tom Brady (1/19/02)	312	52	32	0	1
Raiders: Ken Stabler (12/18/76)	233	32	19	1	0



GAME RECAP – PATRIOTS 33, BEARS 30

GAME RECAP

The Patriots won their second consecutive game and improved to 5-4 on the season after their 33-30, come-from-behind victory over the Bears. The Patriots trailed 27-6 with 6:42 remaining in the third period and scored 27 of the game's final 30 points to defeat the Bears.

The game was a tale of two halves, as the teams combined for 12 points in the first half and 51 in the second half, including 31 in the third quarter.

It was the Patriots largest comeback since they rebounded from a 21-point deficit against the Indianapolis Colts on Sept. 19, 1999.

The Bears opened the scoring with a 39-yard field goal by Paul Edinger at 14:51 in the second quarter. New England tied the game at three with a 57-yard field goal by Adam Vinatieri. It was the longest field goal in Patriots history.

The Bears edged out ahead on their next drive with a 40-yard field goal by Edinger. The Patriots struck back before the half, moving 55 yards on seven plays and tied it up at six on a 31-yard field goal with 44 seconds remaining in the half.

On the Patriots first drive of the second half, Tom Brady was stripped of the football by Phillip Daniels and the Bears gained possession. Two plays later, Jim Miller completed an 11-yard pass to Stanley Pritchett and the Bears led 13-6.

The Bears added to their lead when wide receiver Marty Booker completed a 44-yard touchdown pass to fellow wide receiver Marcus Robinson and the Bears led 20-6.

Two series later, Brady was intercepted by Brian Urlacher and the Bears mounted another scoring drive. Three plays later Bears running back Anthony Thomas rushed in from three yards out and the Patriots were trailing by 21, 27-6.

New England began their comeback on their next drive when they moved 75 yards on eight plays and Brady threw a 15-yard touchdown pass to Kevin Faulk. On the next play from scrimmage, Patriots cornerback Otis Smith intercepted Miller and returned the pass 22 yards, setting up Vinatieri for a 42-yard field goal, his third of the game.

The Patriots regained the ball and moved 54 yards on 16 plays and cut the Bears lead to 27-19 on Vinatieri's fourth field goal. Chicago struck back with a field goal of their own, a 32-yarder by Edinger to take a 30-19 lead with 5:16 left in the game.

The never-say-die Patriots took the next drive 63 yards on seven plays and Brady completed a 36-yard touchdown pass to Kevin Faulk to make the score 30-25. It was Faulk's second touchdown of the game, a career-high.

On the Bears next drive, the Patriots defense stopped them from converting a first down on 2nd-and-1 and 3rd-and-1 and forced them to punt. The Patriots regained the ball with 1:50 remaining in the game and began their drive. With 1:21 remaining, Brady's pass attempt was ruled an interception, but after a review it was changed to an incomplete pass. The Patriots converted their 4th-and-3 on the next play with a 3-yard run by Brady. Brady gave the Patriots their first lead on a 20-yard touchdown pass to David Patten with 28 seconds remaining in the game. The Patriots converted the two-point conversion and won by three, 33-30.

ARTIFICIAL TURF

The Patriots won their seventh consecutive game on artificial turf, including their second consecutive game this season. Their last loss on artificial turf was at Detroit on Thanksgiving (11/23/00).

POINTS APLENTY

The Patriots have not scored less than 30 points in any of their five wins this season and are averaging 37.2 points in those wins. They have scored 239 points (26.5 average) in their nine games this year and are on pace to score 425 points this season. It would rank as the second-highest point production in franchise history (441, 1980).

PATRIOTS SACK ATTACK

The Patriots have recorded 23 sacks this season, which ranks third in the AFC and is tied for seventh in the NFL.

TEDY BRUSCHI

Patriots linebacker Tedy Bruschi sacked Chris Chandler for a 6-yard loss in the first quarter. It was his third sack of the season, 18th of his career.

MIKE VRABEL

Vrabel dropped Bears quarterback Jim Miller for a 3-yard loss on the Bears final possession to thwart any hopes of a Chicago comeback. It was his fourth sack of the season, setting a single-season career-high.

DAMON HUARD

Patriots backup quarterback Damon Huard ran for a 4-yard gain on 4th-and-1 in the second quarter. The Patriots lined up in punt formation but shifted to a regular offensive formation with Huard behind center. The Patriots continued the drive and evened the game at three with a 57-yard field goal by Adam Vinatieri.

OTIS SMITH

Recorded his second interception of the season and the 28th of his career (10th as a Patriot) in the third quarter. He returned the interception 22 yards. Smith increased his career return yardage to 645, including 278 with the Patriots. He needs 11 more yards to move past Ross O'Hanley (288 yards) into 10th place on the Patriots all-time list.

TURNOVER NOTES

- The Patriots 33-30 win was their first win in a game where they recorded a negative turnover ratio since they came from behind to defeat the Buffalo Bills 12-9 in overtime last year.
- When Tom Brady fumbled in the third quarter it snapped a streak of 12 quarters without a turnover. The last Patriots turnover was a Brady interception in the third quarter against the Green Bay Packers (10/13).
- When Brady was intercepted by Brian Urlacher in the third quarter, it snapped his streak of 94 pass attempts without an interception. His last interception was against the Green Bay Packers (10/13).

MOVIN' ON UP

The Patriots 21-point come-from-behind victory against the Bears was their largest since they rebounded from a 21-point deficit against the Indianapolis Colts on Sept. 19, 1999. The Patriots trailed the Colts 28-7 at halftime and scored the final 24 points of the game and won 31-28.

THREE'S COMPANY

The Patriots converted 35% (6-17) of their third downs against the Bears last weekend, including 6-of-12 in the second half. It was the lowest conversion rate in a win since they recorded a 28.6% (4-14) conversion rate in their 27-16 victory over the Cleveland Browns (12/9/01).

This season, the Patriots rank first in the AFC and third in the NFL with a conversion rate of 45.2% (56-124). Defensively, the Patriots limited the Bears to a 33.3% (5-15) conversion rate on third down last week. In their five wins this season, the Patriots have held their opponents to a 31.8% (20-63) third down conversion rate.

FOUR WHEELING

The Patriots converted all three of their fourth down attempts against the Bears last weekend, including a 4th-and-3 on their game-winning touchdown drive. Quarterback Tom Brady ran over right guard for three yards and a first down. The Patriots have converted 8-of-12 fourth downs this season. Their eight fourth down conversions are the second most in the NFL along with Philadelphia.



PATRIOTS NEWS AND NOTES

TROY BROWN

Brown led the Patriots with 11 catches for 90 yards last week against the Bears. It was his second double-digit reception game this season and the fourth of his career. Five of Brown's 11 receptions against the Bears resulted in first downs, including a 14-yard reception on 4th-and-3 in the fourth quarter. The Patriots scored a touchdown three plays later and cut their deficit to 30-25.

Brown leads the Patriots in receptions with 57 for 516 yards (9.1 avg.) and one touchdown, despite missing two games with an injury. Brown set a Patriots franchise record with 16 catches against the Chiefs on Sept. 22, 2002. His previous high was also set against Kansas City when he was credited with 12 receptions for 119 yards and a touchdown on Dec. 4, 2000. He also gained a single-game career-high 176 yards.

BROWN'S 100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

Brown recorded his 12th career 100-yard receiving game against the Chiefs on Sept. 22 and is now tied for third in Patriots history (listed below).

Yds	Rec.	Date
176	16	vs. K.C. 9/22/02
125	5	at N.Y. Jets, 10/19/97
124	6	vs. Chicago, 9/21/97
*121	8	at Pittsburgh, 1/27/02
120	8	at Indianapolis, 10/21/01
119	12	vs. K.C., 12/4/00
117	11	vs. S.D., 10/14/01
110	8	vs. Cincinnati, 11/19/00
108	5	at Denver, 10/1/00
106	7	at Cincinnati, 9/9/01
105	5	at Philadelphia, 12/19/99
102	8	vs. Miami, 12/24/00

*-AFC Championship Game

# of 100-Yd Rec. Gm	Rk	Player	100 + Gm
1		Stanley Morgan	39
2		Terry Glenn	13
3		Troy Brown	12
		Irving Fryar	12
5		Ben Coates	9

RANKINGS

Patriots wide receiver Troy Brown is tied for sixth in the AFC and seventh in the NFL with 57 receptions despite missing two games due to injury.

Rk	Player, Team	Rec	Yds	Avg	Lg	TD
1	Harrison, Ind.	75	972	13.0	69	6
2	Ward, Pit.	66	746	11.3	34t	8
3	Moulds, Buf.	62	853	13.8	70t	5
4	P. Price, Buf.	60	838	14.0	59t	7
	Rice, Oak.	60	781	13.0	75	5
	M. Faulk, St.L	60	426	7.1	40	2
7	Troy Brown, NE	57	516	9.1	38	1
	Smith, Den.	57	613	10.8	34	2

PATRIOTS ALL-TIME LISTS

Brown increased his career reception total to 378 last week and currently ranks third on the Patriots all-time list.

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	Troy Brown, WR	378	4,486	11.9	67	18
4	Irving Fryar, WR	363	5,726	15.8	80t	38

THE RETURNS ARE IN

Troy Brown became the Patriots all-time leading punt returner on a 16-yard return in the third quarter last week against Chicago. His 2,066 career return yards moved him past Irving Fryar's career total of 2,055 yards into first place.

Rk	Player	No	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD
1	Troy Brown	182	2,066	11.4	85t	3
2	Irving Fryar	206	2,055	10.0	85t	3
3	David Meggett	142	1,438	10.1	60t	1

PATTEN PENDING

Patriots wide receiver David Patten caught four passes for 51 yards last week against Chicago, including the game-winning 20

yard touchdown grab in the back of the end zone. It was his fourth touchdown reception of the season, equaling a career-high set in 2001.

Through nine games this season, Patten has accumulated 597 receiving yards and ranks ninth in the AFC. He is projected to total 1,061 yards this season, which would be his first career 1,000-yard season. Patten leads all Patriots receivers with two 100-yard receiving games this season. He has increased his career total to five 100-yard games (see below). Patten also caught two touchdowns against the Dolphins (10/6/02) to tie his career-high.

Yds	Rec	Opponent
117	4	at Indianapolis, 10/21/01
113	7	vs. Baltimore, 10/1/00
108	7	vs. Kansas City, 9/22/02
103	7	vs. Philadelphia, 12/10/00
102	5	at Miami, 10/6/02

CENTURY MARK

Four different Patriots have totaled five 100-yard receiving games this season, including running back Kevin Faulk's 109-yard performance against the Bears last week. The Patriots are the only team in the NFL who have four different receivers who have recorded a 100-yard receiving game. Buffalo and Oakland rank second with three apiece. The Patriots are tied for third, along with this week's opponent Oakland, behind Buffalo (9) and Indianapolis (6) with five 100-yard receiving games this season (see below).

Patriots 100-yard Receiving Games in 2002

Player	Date	Opponent	No	Yds	TD
Troy Brown	9/22/02	Chiefs	16	176	1
David Patten	9/22/02	Chiefs	7	108	1
Deion Branch	9/29/02	Chargers	13	128	0
David Patten	10/6/02	Dolphins	5	102	2
Kevin Faulk	11/10/02	Bears	7	109	2

TOP ROOK

Patriots wide receiver Deion Branch earned AFC Rookie of the Month honors for September. Branch leads all NFL rookies with 38 catches and 417 yards receiving. Below is a comparison of Branch and the 10 receivers taken before him in the 2002 draft.

Pick	Player	Rec.	Yds	Avg.	TD
13	Donte Stallworth, New Orleans	20	273	13.7	5
19	Ashley Delve, Denver	13	198	15.2	0
20	Javon Walker, Green Bay	13	210	16.2	1
33	Jabar Gaffney, Houston	26	307	11.8	1
36	Josh Reed, Buffalo	24	314	13.1	2
46	Tim Carter, N.Y. Giants	2	37	18.5	0
47	Andre Davis, Cleveland	27	326	12.1	5
48	Rache Caldwell, San Diego	6	55	9.2	2
62	A. Randle El, Pittsburgh	27	315	11.7	0
63	Antonio Bryant, Dallas	24	391	16.3	3
65	Deion Branch, NE	38	417	11.0	2

Earlier this season, Branch established career highs in receptions (13) and receiving yards (128) against the Chargers (9/29/02). It was the second-highest single-game reception total by a rookie wide receiver in NFL history. Wide receiver Don Looney established the mark of 14 catches on Dec. 1, 1940. Branch also tied the second highest reception total by a Patriot, equaling the mark set by Terry Glenn on Oct. 3, 1999. It was the highest receiving total by a Patriots rookie since Hart Lee Dykes totaled 130 yards on 10 catches at Pittsburgh (12/17/89).

MOST RECEPTIONS IN A GAME / ROOKIE NFL HISTORY

14	WR Don Looney, Phi.	at Washington, Dec. 1, 1940
13	WR Deion Branch, New England	at S.D., Sept. 29, 2002
	RB Sid Blanks, Houston	at S.D., Sept. 12, 1964
	RB LaDainian Tomlinson, S.D.	vs. Arizona, Nov. 25, 2001



PATRIOTS NEWS AND NOTES

JUST FOR KICKS

Patriots kicker Adam Vinatieri boomed a 57-yard field goal last week at Chicago. It was the longest field goal in franchise history and the longest in the NFL this season. Denver's Jason Elam kicked a 55-yard field goal against Miami (10/13) earlier this season.

Longest FGs in Patriots History

1	Adam Vinatieri	57	at Chicago (11/10/02)
2	Adam Vinatieri	55	at St. Louis (12/13/98)
	Matt Bahr		at Miami (11/12/95)
4	Adam Vinatieri	54	vs. Cleveland (12/9/01)
5	Adam Vinatieri	53	vs. Kansas City (12/4/00)
	Jason Staurovsky		vs. Seattle (10/7/90)
	Gino Cappelletti	53	at N.Y. Jets (11/28/65)

POINT MAN

Adam Vinatieri nailed all four of his field goal attempts (57, 31, 42 and 25 yards) and added an extra point against the Bears. His 13-point output was his second-highest total of the season (14, at N.Y. Jets, 9/15/02). He has made 15 of his 16 field goal attempts this season and 22 of his last 23 kicks. Vinatieri increased his season point total to 67 and his career point total to 755. 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	228/ 233	1	175/ 215	755
3	John Smith	0	308/ 323	0	128/ 191	692

ACCURATE STATEMENTS

Vinatieri has made 15-of-16 (.938) field goals in 2002. He is the third most accurate field goal kicker in the NFL this season (see below).

Kicker	FGM	FGA	Pct.	Points
David Akers, Phi.	21	22	.955	84
Morten Andersen, K.C.	19	20	.950	86
Adam Vinatieri, NE	15	16	.938	67
John Carney, N.O.	16	18	.889	74
Gary Anderson, Minn.	8	9	.889	40

Vinatieri is also the most accurate kicker in franchise history, as well as the fifth most accurate kicker in NFL history. He has recorded an 81.40 conversion rate (175-215) over his seven-year career.

NFL ALL-TIME MOST ACCURATE KICKERS

	TEAM	PCT.	FGM/FGA
1	Mike Vanderjagt	Colts	85.62 125/146
2	Olindo Mare	Dolphins	83.62 148/177
3	John Carney	Saints	81.81 306/374
4	Matt Stover	Ravens	81.58 279/342
5	Adam Vinatieri	Patriots	81.40 175/215
6	Ryan Longwell	Packers	80.65 150/186

CLUTCH KICKERS

Vinatieri has kicked 13 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	9
Adam Vinatieri	13	Joe Nedney	7

LAST-MINUTE MAN

Vinatieri drilled a 35-yard game-winning field goal in overtime against the Kansas City Chiefs on Sept. 22 that lifted the Patriots to a 41-38 victory. The game-winning kick was the 13th of his career and his first this season. Last year, he became the first kicker in Super Bowl history to kick a game-winning field goal on the final play of the game. Over half of his game-winning kicks (seven) have come in overtime. 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	N.Y. 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 N.Y. 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
9/22/02	Kansas City	35	10:20 (OT)	41-38

CAREER DAY

Patriots running back Kevin Faulk established career-highs with 109 yards receiving and two touchdown receptions against the Bears last week. It was the first multiple touchdown game of his four-year career and he became the first running back to record a 100-yard receiving performance since Tony Collins gained 109 yards receiving on six catches at Tampa Bay (10/27/85). Faulk is currently tied with fellow running back Antowain Smith for the team lead with five touchdowns (two rushing, three receiving). He has tied a career-high with five touchdowns, which he set in 2000.

MR. SMITH GOES TO FOXBOROUGH

Patriots running back Antowain Smith has gained 21 more yards through nine games this year, than he did last year, on 10 fewer carries (see below). Last year, Smith finished the season with a career-high of 1,157 yards rushing on 287 attempts. He has also caught 16 passes for 98 yards and two touchdowns this season. At this point last year, Smith had 11 receptions for 107 yards, but no touchdowns.

Year	Att	Yds	Avg	TD	Rec	Yds	TD	Total Yds
2002	138	595	4.3	3	16	98	2	693

Year	Att	Yds	Avg	TD	Rec	Yds	TD	Total Yds
2001	148	574	3.9	6	11	107	0	681

BOWLING THEM OVER

During his five seasons with the Cleveland Browns, Coach Belichick was responsible for the hiring of two dozen coaches and personnel staff who have since advanced their careers in the NFL and/or in the college ranks. Coach Belichick's offensive line coach, Kirk Ferentz, and his defensive coordinator, Nick Saban, have built very successful programs in the college ranks and are bowling over some NCAA powerhouses. Ferentz's Iowa Hawkeyes are now 10-1 and currently ranked fifth in the nation (ESPN/USA Today Coaches Poll) and have a very good chance of being invited to the granddaddy of all college bowl games, the Rose Bowl. Meanwhile, Saban's LSU Tigers have clawed their way to the top of the SEC Western Division. They are now 7-2 overall and ranked 12th in the nation (Coaches Poll). With a victory over Alabama this weekend, the Tigers are sure to accept an invitation to one of college football's premier bowl games this January.



PATRIOTS NEWS AND NOTES

PASSING BY

Tom Brady became just the sixth player in franchise history to pass for over 5,000 yards last week at Chicago (11/10/02). He now has 5,321 yards passing, including 2,472 yards this season. He is currently on pace to throw for 4,394 yards. The franchise record is 4,555 set by Drew Bledsoe in 1994.

Rk.	Name	Att	Comp	Yards	Pct	TD	Int
1.	Drew Bledsoe	4,518	2,544	29,657	56.3	166	138
2.	Steve Grogan	3,593	1,879	26,886	52.3	182	208
3.	Babe Parilli	2,412	1,140	16,747	47.3	132	138
4.	Tony Eason	1,500	876	10,732	58.4	60	48
5.	Jim Plunkett	1,503	729	9,932	48.5	62	87
6.	TOM BRADY	786	508	5,321	64.6	39	22
7.	Hugh Millen	612	370	4,276	60.5	17	28
8.	Mike Taliaferro	680	305	3,920	44.9	27	44

COMPLETING THE PICTURE

During the first 23 starts of Tom Brady's career, he has completed 64.9% of his passes (773-502). It's the second highest completion percentage of any quarterback's first 23 starts since the AFL/NFL merger in 1970. Last season, Brady completed 63.9% of his passes and established a Patriots franchise completion percentage record.

HIGHEST COMPLETION % / FIRST 23 STARTS SINCE 1970

Rk	Name	Att	Com	Pct.
1.	Kurt Warner	729	483	66.3
2.	Tom Brady.....	773	502	64.9
3.	Daunte Culpepper.....	704	447	63.5
4.	Joe Montana.....	704	446	63.4
5.	Brett Favre.....	729	461	63.2

ON TARGET

Brady has become the Patriots all-time leader in completion percentage by completing 508-of-786 career pass attempts. Through the first nine games of the 2002 season, he has completed 65.7 percent of his passes (370-243). Brady established the highest single-game completion percentage in Patriots history (min. of 20 attempts) earlier this season against the Bills (11/3), completing 22 of 26 passes (.846).

Highest Completion % in Franchise History (min. of 500 passes)

Rk	Quarterback	Att	Comp	Comp %
1.	Tom Brady	786	508	64.6
2.	Hugh Millen	612	370	60.5
3.	Tony Eason	1,500	876	58.4

RATINGS GAME

Brady has recorded seven games with a quarterback rating of over 100.0 in his 23 career starts, all Patriots victories (see below). Brady owns three of the top five quarterback ratings in Patriots history, including his 147.6 rating at Buffalo (11/3/02). Earlier this season, Brady became the first Patriots quarterback to open the season with three consecutive games with passer ratings over 100.0 (minimum of 15 attempts). Brady has recorded a passer rating of 92.3 through nine games this season.

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
11/03/02	at Buf	26	22	265	.846	3	0	147.6	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
9/22/02	K.C.	54	39	410	.722	4	1	110.9	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

Brady has quarterbacked the Patriots to victories in 16 of his 23 regular season starts during his career, compiling a winning percentage of 69.6 percent, the third highest of any active starting quarterback in the NFL. Including the playoffs, he is 19-7 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.
Kurt Warner, St. Louis	35	12	.744
Jay Fiedler, Miami	27	11	.711
Tom Brady, New England.....	16	7	.696
Brett Favre, Green Bay	111	55	.669
Brad Johnson, Tampa Bay	47	27	.630

TOUCHDOWN STREAK

Quarterback Tom Brady extended his consecutive games with a touchdown pass streak to 11 on a 15-yard pass to Kevin Faulk against the Bears. It equals the third longest streak in franchise history (see below). Babe Parilli owns the longest consecutive streak of games with a touchdown pass with 14 (12/3/61-11/18/62, 9/8/63).

Games	Player (Dates)
14	Vito 'Babe' Parilli (12/3/61-11/18/62, 9/8/63)
12	Drew Bledsoe (12/5/93 - 10/16/94)
11	Tom Brady (12/22/01 - present)
	Drew Bledsoe (12/21/96 - 11/16/97)
10	Vito 'Babe' Parilli (12/11/66 - 10/29/67)
	Mike Taliaferro (9/28/69 - 11/30/69)
	Tony Eason (11/24/85 - 10/5/86)

TOUCHING DOWN

Brady leads NFL with 21 touchdown passes this season and has already eclipsed his touchdown total of last season (18). He has thrown a touchdown in the last 11 games, equaling the third-longest streak in franchise history. He only needed nine games this season to reach 20 touchdown passes, equaling the second fewest number of games to reach 20 along with Drew Bledsoe (1997). Vito Parilli reached 20 touchdown passes in eight games during the 1964 season, the same season he set the Patriots record with 31 touchdown passes.

SHARING THE WEALTH

The Patriots have distributed their 21 passing touchdowns to 11 different players this season. It's the widest distribution of any team in the NFL and the most in Patriots history. The Packers rank second with nine (see below).

11.....Patriots	8.....Broncos / Chiefs / Redskins /
9Packers	Tennessee

LAST BUT NOT LEAST

Last week against the Bears, Brady completed 13-of-22 passes for 152 yards and two touchdowns in the fourth quarter while leading the Patriots to a 33-30 come-from-behind victory. This season Brady has flourished in the fourth quarter, totaling the second-highest quarterback rating in the NFL, 113.3.

Rk	Player	Att	C	Yds	Pct.	TD	I	Rating
1	T. Green	79	49	613	62.0	8	1	114.6
2	T. Brady	91	57	669	62.6	9	1	113.3
3	M. Bulger	30	20	247	66.7	3	1	111.4

TOMMY GUN

Through 10 weeks of action in the NFL, Brady leads numerous passing categories in the NFL:

2nd in attempts (370)	2nd in completions (243)
3rd in yards (2,472)	1st in touchdowns (21)
9th in completion % (65.7)	8th in quarterback rating (92.3)



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WBEC-A/F Pittsfield 1420 AM
WBSM New Bedford 1420 AM
WCIB Cape Cod 101.9 FM
WSAR Fall River 1480 AM
WWFX-FM Worcester 100.1 FM

NEW HAMPSHIRE

WBHG Laconia 101.5 FM
WGIR Manchester 610 AM
WKBK Keene 1220 AM
WSHK Portsmouth 105.3 FM
WSAK Portsmouth 102.1 FM
WTSL Hanover 1400 AM
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WSKO-AM Providence 790 AM
WSKO-FM Providence 99.7 FM

VERMONT

WCFR Springfield 93.5 FM
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WEAV Burlington 960 AM
WEXP Rutland 101 FM
WKVT Brattleboro 92.7 FM
WLVB Middleboro 93.9 FM
WMOO Derby 92.1 FM
WXZO Burlington 96.7 FM

MAINE

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WEBB-FM Augusta 98.5 FM
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Patriots All Access WCVB Ch. 5 airs at 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. weekly. PAA provides Patriots fans with behind-the-scenes access and in-depth weekly features on Patriots players and personnel.

2002 TELEVISION RATINGS

Date	Opponent	Affiliate/ Network	Rating/ Share	Results
Sat., Aug. 10	at N.Y. Giants	WCVB	12.7 / 28	L, 19-22
Sat., Aug. 17	Philadelphia	CBS	12.4 / 26	W, 16-15
Fri., Aug. 23	Carolina	WCVB	11.1 / 21	W, 23-3
Thur., Aug. 29	at Washington	WCVB	15.0 / 29	W, 28-14

REGULAR SEASON

Mon., Sept. 9	Pittsburgh	ABC	27.6 / 49	W, 30-14
Sun., Sept. 15	at N.Y. Jets	CBS	28.4 / 57	W, 44-7
Sun., Sept. 22	Kansas City	CBS	27.6 / 58	W, 41-38 ot
Sun., Sept. 29	at San Diego	CBS	33.2 / 58	L, 28-14
Sun., Oct. 6	at Miami	CBS	24.0 / 52	L, 26-13
Sun., Oct. 13	Green Bay	FOX	25.1 / 54	L, 28-10
Sun., Oct. 20	BYE			
Sun., Oct. 27	Denver	CBS	29.9 / 50	L, 24-16
Sun., Nov. 3	at Buffalo	CBS	30.0 / 58	W, 31-7
Sun., Nov. 10	at Chicago	CBS	32.2 / 51	W, 33-30
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	

Note: Each rating point represents one percent of the area's 2.1 million homes. Cable channel ratings are based on the full number of homes, although only 76 percent of area homes have cable service.

RATINGS GAME

The Patriots-Bears game earned a 32.2 rating (51 share) last week and was the highest rated program in the Boston market. It was the seventh consecutive Patriots game that was the highest rated program in the Boston market.

Rk	Programs 11/4-11/10 (Network)	Rating (Share)
1.	Patriots/Bears (CBS)	32.2 (51)
2.	CSI (CBS)	21.3 (31)
3.	Everybody Loves Raymond (CBS)	21.1 (30)
4.	Friends (NBC)	18.6 (29)
5.	Will and Grace (NBC)	18.4 (27)



WON 5, LOST 4						* RUSHING		No.		Yds		Avg		Long		TD	
09/09 W 30-14		Pittsburgh		68,436		A. Smith		138		595		4.3		42t		3	
09/15 W 44- 7		at New York Jets		78,726		Faulk		27		166		6.1		45t		2	
09/22 W 41-38		OT Kansas City		68,436		Brady		16		56		3.5		13		0	
09/29 L 14-21		at San Diego		66,463		Edwards		18		40		2.2		9		0	
10/06 L 13-26		at Miami		73,369		Pass		4		27		6.8		13		0	
10/13 L 10-28		Green Bay		68,436		Huard		1		4		4.0		4		0	
10/27 L 16-24		Denver		68,436		Redmond		4		2		0.5		5		0	
11/03 W 38- 7		at Buffalo		73,448		Branch		2		0		0.0		4		0	
11/10 W 33-30		at Chicago		63,105		Patten		1		-1		-1.0		-1		0	
11/17		at Oakland				Davey		2		-4		-2.0		-2		0	
11/24		Minnesota				Brown		1		-5		-5.0		-5		0	
11/28		at Detroit				TEAM		214		880		4.1		45t		5	
12/08		Buffalo				OPPONENTS		262		1186		4.5		58t		10	
12/16		at Tennessee				* RECEIVING		No.		Yds		Avg		Long		TD	
12/22		New York Jets				Brown		57		516		9.1		38		1	
12/29		Miami				Patten		39		597		15.3		39		4	
		N.E.		Opp.		Branch		38		417		11.0		49t		2	
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS		190		170		Faulk		18		233		12.9		36t		3	
Rushing		56		70		Fauria		17		137		8.1		24		4	
Passing		124		83		Edwards		17		135		7.9		13		0	
Penalty		10		17		A. Smith		16		98		6.1		19		2	
3rd Down: Made/Att		56/124		48/119		Cleeland		13		75		5.8		12		1	
3rd Down Pct.		45.2		40.3		D. Hayes		11		124		11.3		40t		1	
4th Down: Made/Att		8/12		7/10		Graham		9		101		11.2		31		1	
4th Down Pct.		66.7		70.0		Givens		5		33		6.6		10		1	
POSSESSION AVG.		30:23		29:37		Redmond		2		5		2.5		3		0	
TOTAL NET YARDS		3243		2775		Vrabel		1		1		1.0		1t		1	
Avg. Per Game		360.3		308.3		TEAM		243		2472		10.2		49t		21	
Total Plays		604		551		OPPONENTS		165		1740		10.5		52t		15	
Avg. Per Play		5.4		5.0		* INTERCEPTIONS		No.		Yds		Avg		Long		TD	
NET YARDS RUSHING		880		1186		Law		3		29		9.7		29		0	
Avg. Per Game		97.8		131.8		O. Smith		2		21		10.5		22		0	
Total Rushes		214		262		Buckley		2		4		2.0		6		0	
NET YARDS PASSING		2363		1589		V. Green		1		90		90.0		90t		1	
Avg. Per Game		262.6		176.6		Vrabel		1		0		0.0		0		0	
Sacked/Yards Lost		19/109		23/151		TEAM		9		144		16.0		90t		1	
Gross Yards		2472		1740		OPPONENTS		10		110		11.0		46		0	
Att./Completions		371/243		266/165		* PUNTING		No.		Yds		Avg		Net		TB	
Completion Pct.		65.5		62.0		Walter		37		1447		39.1		34.1		4 12 55 0	
Had Intercepted		10		9		TEAM		37		1447		39.1		34.1		4 12 55 0	
PUNTS/AVERAGE		37/39.1		39/40.5		OPPONENTS		39		1578		40.5		32.2		5 6 62 0	
NET PUNTING AVG.		37/34.1		39/32.2		* PUNT RETURNS		Ret		FC		Yds		Avg		Long	
PENALTIES/YARDS		68/651		45/427		Brown		11		4		104		9.5		16 0	
FUMBLES/BALL LOST		14/6		11/7		Faulk		6		4		60		10.0		16 0	
TOUCHDOWNS		28		25		Branch		2		0		58		29.0		40 0	
Rushing		5		10		TEAM		19		8		222		11.7		40 0	
Passing		21		15		OPPONENTS		14		12		106		7.6		26 0	
Returns		2		0		* KICKOFF RETURNS		No.		Yds		Avg		Long		TD	
* SCORE BY PERIODS		Q1		Q2		Q3		Q4		OT		PTS		Branch		24 572 23.8 52 0	
TEAM		21		55		75		85		3		239		Faulk		8 182 22.8 27 0	
OPPONENTS		30		65		56		44		0		195		Pass		5 100 20.0 28 0	
* SCORING		TD-Ru-Pa-Rt		K-PAT		FG		S		PTS		Edwards		1 15 15.0 15 0			
Vinatieri		0 0 0 0		22/22		15/16		0		67		J. Green		1 10 10.0 10 0			
A. Smith		5 3 2 0						0		32		TEAM		39 879 22.5 52 0			
Faulk		5 2 3 0						0		30		OPPONENTS		43 961 22.3 57 0			
Fauria		4 0 4 0						0		24		* FIELD GOALS		1-19 20-29 30-39 40-49 50+			
Patten		4 0 4 0						0		24		Vinatieri		0/ 0 5/ 5 5/ 5 4/ 5 1/1			
Branch		2 0 2 0						0		12		TEAM		0/ 0 5/ 5 5/ 5 4/ 5 1/1			
Brown		1 0 1 0						0		8		OPPONENTS		1/ 1 0/ 1 4/ 6 2/ 6 0/2			
Cleeland		1 0 1 0						0		6		Vinatieri:		(45G,28G,27G)(28G,31G,40G)(37G,35G)			
Givens		1 0 1 0						0		6		(41N)()		(32G)(26G)(46G)(57G,31G,42G,25G)			
Graham		1 0 1 0						0		6		OPPONENTS:		(39N)()(39G)(23G)(50B)(45N,40G,33G)(42N)			
V. Green		1 0 0 1						0		6		(48N,19G,39N)(50N,25N,45N)		(39G,40G,32G)			
D. Hayes		1 0 1 0						0		6							
T. Jones		1 0 0 1						0		6							
Vrabel		1 0 1 0						0		6							
TEAM		28 5 21 2		22/22		15/16		0		239							
OPPONENTS		25 10 15 0		24/25		7/16		0		195							
2-Pt. Conversions: Brown, A. Smith, TEAM 2-6, OPPONENTS 0-0																	
SACKS: McGinest 4.5, Vrabel 4.0, Bruschi 3.0, Seymour 3.0, Hamilton 2.0,																	
T. Jones 1.5, Pleasant 1.5, J. Green 1.0, Holsey 1.0,																	
Law 1.0, Johnson 0.5, TEAM 23.0, OPPONENTS 19.0																	
* PASSING		Att		Cmp		Yds		Cmp%		Yds/Att		TD		TD%		Int	
Brady		370		243		2472		65.7		6.68		21		5.7		10	
Faulk		1		0		0		0.0		0.00		0		0.0		0	
TEAM		371		243		2472		65.5		6.66		21		5.7		10	
OPPONENTS		266		165		1740		62.0		6.54		15		5.6		9	
														Int%		Long	
														Sack/Lost		Rating	
														19/ 109		92.3	
														0/ 0		39.6	
														19/ 109		92.1	
														23/ 151		85.7	



NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS 2002 DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

As Recorded by Day of Game Stats Crew

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS											SP. TEAMS					FUMBLES - LOST (11-5)				
Name	TT	UT	A	S/ YL	Int/	Yds	PD	FF	FR		TT	UT	A	FF	FR	Own				
																No.	Lost	Rec.	O.B.	
Roman Phifer	57	39	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-					
Lawyer Milloy	49	29	20	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Tedy Bruschi	45	33	12	3.0	14.0	-	-	3	1	-	1	1	0	-	-					
Ty Law	44	37	7	1.0	5.0	3	29	8	1	1	-	-	-	-	-					
Willie McGinest	43	29	14	4.5	35.0	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Ted Johnson	41	25	16	0.5	7.0	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	0	-	-					
Victor Green	40	32	8	-	-	1	90	2	4	2	4	4	0	-	-					
Tebucky Jones	35	26	9	1.5	11.0	-	-	3	1	2	5	3	2	-	-					
Bobby Hamilton	35	22	13	2.0	7.0	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Mike Vrabel	31	23	8	4.0	26.0	1	0	3	-	1	1	1	0	-	-					
Richard Seymour	28	17	11	3.0	22.0	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Otis Smith	25	22	3	-	-	2	21	3	-	-	5	3	2	-	-					
Steve Martin	16	12	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Jarvis Green	15	11	4	1.0	13.0	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Rich Lyle	15	9	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Anthony Pleasant	13	7	6	1.5	11.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Terrell Buckley	9	9	0	-	-	2	4	7	-	-	1	1	0	-	-					
Bernard Holsey	5	3	2	1.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Ben Kelly	4	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	0	-	-					
Antwan Harris	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	0	-	-					
Matt Chatham	2	2	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	8	2	-	-					
Je'Rod Cherry	1	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	3	3	-	-					
Larry Izzo	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	11	3	-	-					
Patrick Pass	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5	0	-	-					
Daniel Graham	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	0	-	-					
David Givens	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	0	-	-					
O.J. Brigance	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	-					
J.R. Redmond	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	-					
Marc Edwards	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	1	-	-					
Lonie Paxton	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	0	-	-					
Totals	556	393	163	23	151	9	144	42	8	7	70	55	15	0	0					
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																Tebucky Jones 1 0 0				
																Team 0 1 0				
																Totals 1 1 0				
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																Mike Compton 2 0 0 0				
																David Patten 2 0 0 0				
																Christian Fauria 1 0 0 0				
																Matt Light 1 0 0 0				
																Troy Brown 1 0 0 0				
																Tom Brady 1 0 0 0				
																Greg R.-Randall 1 0 0 0				
																Deion Branch 1 0 0 0				
																Grey Ruegamer 1 0 0 0				
																Totals 13 0 0 0				

BLOCKED KICKS			
	XP	FG	P
Tebucky Jones	1	0	0
Team	0	1	0
Totals	1	1	0

MISC. OFFENSIVE STATS				
	Tkl	Ast	FF	FR
Donald Hayes	2	0	0	0
Mike Compton	2	0	0	0
David Patten	2	0	0	0
Christian Fauria	1	0	0	0
Matt Light	1	0	0	0
Troy Brown	1	0	0	0
Tom Brady	1	0	0	0
Greg R.-Randall	1	0	0	0
Deion Branch	1	0	0	0
Grey Ruegamer	1	0	0	0
Totals	13	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



2002 ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

Nov. 11, 2002

#	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.
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.
37	Hitchcock, Jimmy	CB	5-10	187	11/09/70	8	North Carolina	Concord, N.C.
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.
25	Myers, Leonard	CB	5-10	198	12/18/78	2	Miami (Fla.)	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
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.
76	Gorin, Brandon	T	6-6	302	07/17/78	2	Purdue	Muncie, Ind.
71	Hochstein, Russ	G	6-4	300	10/07/77	2	Nebraska	Hartington, Neb.
94	Kocher, Ken	DT	6-3	315	07/30/80	R	UCLA	San Diego, Calif.
16	McCready, Scott	WR	6-0	200	02/01/77	1	South Florida	Tampa, Fla.

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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	9/0/0/0
6	Rohan Davey	QB	6-2	245	24	R	Louisiana State	D4a-02	1/0/0/8
12	Tom Brady	QB	6-4	225	25	3	Michigan	D6b-00	9/9/0/0
13	Ken Walter	P	6-1	207	30	6	Kent State	FA-01	9/0/0/0
19	Damon Huard	QB	6-3	215	29	6	Washington	UFA (MIA)-01	2/0/7/0
21	J.R. Redmond	RB	5-11	215	25	3	Arizona State	D3-00	7/0/0/2
22	Terrell Buckley	CB	5-9	176	31	11	Florida State	FA-(TB)-02	9/1/0/0
23	Antwan Harris	S	5-9	194	25	3	Virginia	D6a-00	7/0/0/2
24	Ty Law	CB	5-11	200	28	8	Michigan	D1-95	9/9/0/0
25	Leonard Myers	CB	5-10	198	23	2	Miami (Fla.)	D6b-01	1/0/0/0
27	Victor Green	S	5-11	210	32	10	Akron	FA (NYJ)-02	9/1/0/0
30	Je'Rod Cherry	S	6-1	210	29	7	California	FA-01	9/0/0/0
31	Ben Kelly	CB	5-9	185	23	3	Colorado	CW (MIA)-01	7/0/0/2
32	Antowain Smith	RB	6-2	232	30	6	Houston	FA (BUF)-01	9/8/0/0
33	Kevin Faulk	RB	5-8	202	26	4	Louisiana State	D2-99	8/0/0/1
34	Tebucky Jones	FS	6-2	218	28	5	Syracuse	D1b-98	9/9/0/0
35	Patrick Pass	FB	5-10	217	24	3	Georgia	D7b-00	9/0/0/0
36	Lawyer Milloy	SS	6-0	210	28	7	Washington	D2-96	9/9/0/0
37	Jimmy Hitchcock	CB	5-10	187	31	8	North Carolina	FA (CAR)-02	1/0/0/6
44	Marc Edwards	FB	6-0	245	27	6	Notre Dame	UFA (CLE)-01	9/5/0/0
45	Otis Smith	CB	5-11	198	37	13	Missouri	FA-00	9/8/0/0
50	Mike Vrabel	OLB	6-4	261	27	6	Ohio State	UFA (PIT)-01	9/7/0/0
52	Ted Johnson	LB	6-4	253	29	8	Colorado	D2-95	7/4/0/2
53	Larry Izzo	LB	5-10	228	28	7	Rice	UFA (MIA)-01	8/0/0/1
54	Tedy Bruschi	MLB	6-1	245	29	7	Arizona	D3-96	8/6/0/1
55	Willie McGinest	DE	6-5	270	30	9	Southern Cal	D1-94	9/7/0/0
58	Matt Chatham	LB	6-4	248	25	3	South Dakota	CW (STL)-00	9/0/0/0
63	Joe Andruzzi	G	6-3	312	27	6	Southern Connecticut St.	FA-00	6/6/0/3
64	Greg Robinson-Randall	T	6-5	322	24	3	Michigan State	D4-00	5/2/0/4
65	Damien Woody	C	6-3	320	24	4	Boston College	D1a-99	9/8/0/0
66	Lonie Paxton	LS	6-2	260	24	3	Sacramento State	FA-00	9/0/0/0
67	Grey Ruegamer	C/G	6-5	302	26	4	Arizona State	FA-00	6/2/0/3
68	Tom Ashworth	OL	6-6	305	25	1	Colorado	FA-01	1/0/0/8
70	Adrian Klemm	T	6-3	312	25	3	Hawaii	D2-00	9/1/0/0
72	Matt Light	T	6-4	305	24	2	Purdue	D2-01	9/9/0/0
74	Kenyatta Jones	T	6-3	310	23	2	South Florida	D4a-01	8/7/0/1
77	Mike Compton	G/C	6-6	310	32	10	West Virginia	UFA (DET)-01	9/9/0/0
80	Troy Brown	WR	5-10	193	31	10	Marshall	D8-93	7/6/0/2
81	Donald Hayes	WR	6-4	220	27	5	Wisconsin	UFA (CAR)-02	6/1/0/3
82	Daniel Graham	TE	6-3	253	23	R	Colorado	D1-02	6/4/0/3
83	Deion Branch	WR	5-9	193	23	R	Louisville	D2-02	9/5/0/0
85	Cameron Cleeland	TE	6-4	272	27	5	Washington	UFA (NO)-02	8/1/0/1
86	David Patten	WR	5-10	190	28	6	Western Carolina	UFA (CLE)-01	9/8/0/0
87	David Givens	WR	6-0	212	22	R	Notre Dame	D7b-02	6/0/0/3
88	Christian Fauria	TE	6-4	250	31	8	Colorado	UFA (SEA)-02	9/7/0/0
90	Steve Martin	DT	6-4	320	28	7	Missouri	UFA (NYJ)-02	9/5/0/0
91	Bobby Hamilton	DE	6-5	280	31	8	Southern Mississippi	UFA (NYJ)-00	9/8/0/0
93	Richard Seymour	DT	6-6	310	23	2	Georgia	D1-01	9/9/0/0
95	Roman Phifer	LB	6-4	248	34	12	UCLA	FA-01 (NYJ)-01	7/7/0/2
96	Rick Lyle	DL	6-5	285	31	9	Missouri	UFA (NYJ)-02	8/0/0/1
97	Jarvis Green	DE	6-3	285	23	R	Louisiana State	D4b-02	8/4/0/1
98	Anthony Pleasant	DE	6-5	280	34	13	Tennessee State	UFA (SF)-01	7/5/0/2
99	Bernard Holsey	DL	6-2	286	28	6	Duke	FA-02	6/0/0/3

INJURED RESERVE

37	Rob Kelly	S	6-0	205	27	5	Ohio State	FA-02
61	Stephen Neal	G	6-4	305	24	1	Cal State-Bakersfield	FA-01

RESERVE NON-FOOTBALL INJURY

42	Antwoine Womack	RB	5-11	225	24	R	Virginia	D7a-02
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UNOFFICIAL 2002 DEPTH CHART

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OFFENSE

WR: 80 Troy Brown (7/6/0/2)	<u>83</u> <u>Deion Branch</u> (9/5/0/0)	<u>87</u> <u>David Givens</u> (6/0/0/3)
LT: 72 Matt Light (9/9/0/0)	<u>68</u> <u>Tom Ashworth</u> (1/0/0/8)	
LG: 77 Mike Compton (9/9/0/0)	70 Adrian Klemm (9/1/0/0)	
C: 65 Damien Woody (9/8/0/0)	67 Grey Ruegamer (6/2/0/3)	
RG: 63 Joe Andruzzi (6/6/0/3)	70 Adrian Klemm (9/1/0/0)	
RT: 64 Greg Robinson-Randall (5/2/0/4)	74 Kenyatta Jones (8/7/0/1)	
TE: 88 Christian Fauria (9/7/0/0)	85 Cameron Cleeland (8/1/0/1)	<u>82</u> <u>Daniel Graham</u> (6/4/0/3)
WR: 86 David Patten (9/8/0/0)	81 Donald Hayes (6/1/0/3)	
QB: 12 Tom Brady (9/9/0/0)	19 Damon Huard (2/0/7/0)	<u>6</u> <u>Rohan Davey</u> (1/0/0/8)
RB: 32 Antowain Smith (9/8/0/0)	33 Kevin Faulk (8/0/0/1)	21 J.R. Redmond (7/0/0/2)
		35 Patrick Pass (9/0/0/0)
FB: 44 Marc Edwards (9/5/0/0)		

DEFENSE

LE: 55 Willie McGinest (9/7/0/0)	96 Rick Lyle (8/0/0/1)	
DT: 91 Bobby Hamilton (9/8/0/0)	90 Steve Martin (9/5/0/0)	
DT: 93 Richard Seymour (9/9/0/0)	99 Bernard Holsey (6/0/0/3)	
RE: 98 Anthony Pleasant (7/5/0/2)	<u>97</u> <u>Jarvis Green</u> (8/4/0/1)	
OLB: 50 Mike Vrabel (9/7/0/0)	58 Matt Chatham (9/0/0/0)	
MLB: 54 Tedy Bruschi (8/6/0/1)	52 Ted Johnson (7/4/0/2)	53 Larry Izzo (8/0/0/1)
OLB: 95 Roman Phifer (7/7/0/2)	55 Willie McGinest (9/7/0/0)	
LCB: 24 Ty Law (9/9/0/0)	22 Terrell Buckley (9/1/0/0)	37 Jimmy Hitchcock (1/0/0/6)
RCB: 45 Otis Smith (9/8/0/0)	31 Ben Kelly (7/0/0/2)	25 Leonard Myers (1/0/0/0)
SS: 36 Lawyer Milloy (9/9/0/0)	23 Antwan Harris (7/0/0/2)	30 Je'Rod Cherry (9/0/0/0)
FS: 34 Tebucky Jones (9/9/0/0)	27 Victor Green (9/1/0/0)	

SPECIAL TEAMS

K: 4 Adam Vinatieri (9/0/0/0)	13 Ken Walter (9/0/0/0)	
P: 13 Ken Walter (9/0/0/0)	4 Adam Vinatieri (9/0/0/0)	
H: 13 Ken Walter (9/0/0/0)	19 Damon Huard (2/0/7/0)	
PR: 80 Troy Brown (7/6/0/2)	<u>83</u> <u>Deion Branch</u> (9/5/0/0)	33 Kevin Faulk (8/0/0/1)
KR: <u>83</u> <u>Deion Branch</u> (9/5/0/0)	35 Patrick Pass (9/0/0/0)	33 Kevin Faulk (8/0/0/1)
PC: 66 Lonie Paxton (9/0/0/0)	77 Mike Compton (9/9/0/0)	
KC: 66 Lonie Paxton (9/0/0/0)	77 Mike Compton (9/9/0/0)	

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 (24)</u>	<u>VETERAN FREE AGENTS (23)</u>	<u>WAIVERS (2) / TRADES (0)</u>	<u>ROOKIE AND FIRST-YEAR FREE AGENTS (4)</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) Leonard Myers (6b)	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)
2002	Daniel Graham (1) Deion Branch (2) Rohan Davey (4a) Jarvis Green (4b) David Givens (7b)	Terrell Buckley (1) (TB) Cameron Cleeland (2) (NO)* Christian Fauria (2) (SEA)* Victor Green (fa) (NYJ) Donald Hayes (4) (CAR)* Jimmy Hitchcock (3) (CAR) Bernard Holsey (fa) (IND) Rick Lyle (fa) (NYJ)* Steve Martin (5) (NYJ)*		
<p>Injured Reserve Rob Kelly (2) (NO) Stephen Neal (fa)</p> <p>Reserve-Non-Football Injury Antwoine Womack (7a)</p>				

* unrestricted free agent
 (#) - indicates round drafted
 (fa) - indicates non-drafted free agents



2002 DAILY TRANSACTIONS – BY DATE

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



PATRIOTS 2002 TEAM STATS GAME-BY-GAME

OFFENSE		FIRST DOWNS				NET OFF.		RUSHING			PASSING										PEN.		PUNTS	
DATE	OPPONENT	Total	Rush	Pass	Pn	Yds	Plays	Yds	Att	Avg	Net	S	YL	Gross	Att	Cmp	Pct	TD	Int	No	Yds	No	Avg	
09/09	Pittsburgh	20	2	14	4	343	63	63	18	3.5	280	2	14	294	43	29	67.4%	3	0	7	88	5	39.4	
09/15 at	New York Jets	24	11	13	0	432	75	163	40	4.1	269	0	0	269	35	25	71.4%	2	1	3	36	2	41.5	
09/22	Kansas City	27	8	19	0	496	79	97	20	4.9	399	4	8	410	55	39	70.9%	4	1	12	100	6	36.7	
09/29 at	San Diego	25	8	17	0	440	76	87	23	3.8	353	0	0	353	53	36	67.9%	2	2	6	45	3	23.3	
10/05 at	Miami	16	2	12	2	245	51	37	17	2.2	208	3	32	240	31	17	54.8%	2	2	6	49	4	45.8	
10/13	Green Bay	20	9	9	2	289	68	123	22	5.6	166	2	17	183	44	24	54.5%	1	3	12	126	3	39.7	
10/27	Denver	16	6	9	1	179	53	69	19	3.6	110	5	20	130	29	15	51.7%	1	0	8	83	8	38.8	
11/03 at	Buffalo	23	5	17	1	422	63	159	36	4.4	263	1	2	265	26	22	84.6%	3	0	8	59	1	36.0	
11/10 at	Chicago	19	4	15	0	397	76	82	19	4.3	315	2	13	328	55	36	65.5%	3	1	6	65	5	45.8	
11/17 at	Oakland																							
11/24	Minnesota																							
11/28 at	Detroit																							
12/08	Buffalo																							
12/16 at	Tennessee																							
12/22	New York Jets																							
12/29	Miami																							
Regular Season Totals		190	55	125	10	3243	604	880	214	4.1	2363	19	106	2472	371	243	65.5%	21	10	68	651	37	39.1	

OPPONENTS TEAM STATS GAME-BY-GAME

DEFENSE		FIRST DOWNS				NET OFF.		RUSHING			PASSING										PEN.		PUNTS	
DATE	OPPONENT	Total	Rush	Pass	Pn	Yds	Plays	Yds	Att	Avg	Net	S	YL	Gross	Att	Cmp	Pct	TD	Int	No	Yds	No	Avg	
09/09	Pittsburgh	20	7	11	2	283	67	74	24	3.1	209	5	38	247	38	25	65.8%	2	3	13	112	5	39.4	
09/15 at	New York Jets	9	1	7	1	200	47	32	9	3.6	168	5	21	189	33	18	54.5%	1	1	7	55	7	45.6	
09/22	Kansas City	21	14	7	0	349	62	221	34	6.5	128	3	21	149	25	16	64.0%	3	2	1	5	4	40.5	
09/29 at	San Diego	14	11	3	0	342	52	238	34	7.0	104	0	0	104	18	10	55.6%	2	0	2	20	3	40.0	
10/05 at	Miami	21	7	12	2	319	72	137	44	3.1	182	1	8	190	27	17	63.0%	2	0	5	35	3	38.0	
10/13	Green Bay	20	7	9	4	301	64	158	36	4.4	143	1	4	147	27	17	63.0%	3	0	5	60	6	43.0	
10/27	Denver	23	9	12	2	351	65	136	40	3.4	215	2	14	229	23	18	78.3%	1	1	2	51	2	36.0	
11/03 at	Buffalo	28	6	16	6	331	62	65	13	5.0	266	4	36	302	45	28	62.2%	1	1	5	59	3	31.0	
11/10 at	Chicago	14	8	6	0	299	60	125	28	4.5	174	2	9	183	30	16	53.3%	2	1	5	30	6	40.5	
11/17 at	Oakland																							
11/24	Minnesota																							
11/28 at	Detroit																							
12/08	Buffalo																							
12/16 at	Tennessee																							
12/22	New York Jets																							
12/29	Miami																							
Regular Season Totals		170	70	83	17	2775	551	1186	262	4.5	1589	23	151	1740	266	165	62.0%	17	9	45	427	39	40.5	



BY THE NUMBERS

21

The number of touchdown passes Brady has thrown this year in nine games. His 21 touchdown passes are more than the Patriots recorded as a team in 28 of the franchise's previous 42 seasons.

18

The number of touchdown passes Tom Brady threw last year in 15 games.

31

Patriots single-season record for touchdowns passes, recorded by Vito 'Babe' Parilli in 1964.

11

The number of consecutive games in which Brady has thrown a touchdown pass, a streak that started last season versus Miami (12/22/01).

14

The Patriots record for consecutive games with a touchdown pass, set by Vito 'Babe' Parilli (12/3/61 – 9/8/63).

11

The number of different Patriots who have caught touchdown passes this season. It's the highest touchdown distribution in the NFL and the most in franchise history.

328

The number of passing yards recorded by Tom Brady against the Bears last weekend.

4

The number of 300-yard games Brady has recorded in his three-year career.

3-1

The Patriots record in his four 300-yard games.

26

Starts by Patriots quarterback Tom Brady (including playoffs).

19

The Patriots have won 19 of the 26 games Brady has started (including playoffs).

2,066

The number of punt return yards recorded by Troy Brown during his 10-year career – the most in Patriots history. He surpassed Irving Fryar's total of 2,055 last weekend.

378

The number of receptions Troy Brown has recorded during his 10-year playing career. He ranks third in Patriots annals.

597

The number of receiving yards recorded by David Patten this season. Patten is projected to record 1,061 yards this season, which would be his first 1,000 yard season of his career.

4

The number of touchdown passes David Patten has caught this season, equalling a career-high he set in 2001.

57

The yardage of Adam Vinatieri's first field goal last week in Chicago. It was the longest kick in franchise history and the longest in the NFL this season.

81.40

The career field goal conversion percentage of Adam Vinatieri (175-215). It is the tops in Patriots history and the fifth highest total in NFL history.

175

The number of field goals Adam Vinatieri has kicked in his career.

2

The number of field goals Vinatieri needs to move past Gino Cappelletti (176) into first place in Patriots annals.

103

The number of consecutive games Adam Vinatieri has scored (including playoffs).

30

The number of times the Patriots and Raiders have met since 1960.

8

The number of those meeting that have occurred since 1981 (including this weekend's game).

6

The number of nationally televised games the Patriots will appear in during the 2002 season. Their six nationally televised games is a single-season franchise record, topping their mark of five set in 1998.

6-5

The Patriot record in their 11 appearances on ESPN, including wins in five of their last seven games.

109

The number of receiving yards running back Kevin Faulk recorded against the Bears last week. It was the first 100-yard receiving game of his 4-year career and first by a Patriot running back since Tony Collins gained 109 yards at Tampa Bay (10/27/85).

5

The number of touchdowns Faulk has recorded this season, equaling his career-high he set in 2000.

38

The number of catches Deion Branch has recorded this season, tops among NFL rookies.

417

The number of receiving yards Branch has gained this season, tops among NFL rookies.

32.2

The television rating of the Patriots-Bears telecast on Nov. 10. It was the Patriots second-highest rated telecast of the season, behind the San Diego game on Sept. 29 (33.2 rating).

7

The number of consecutive Patriots games that have been the top rated program in the Boston market.