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## PATRIOTS, CHIEFS SET TO CLASH ON MONDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL

## MEDIA SCHEDULE

TUE., NOV. 16 AND WED. NOV. 17

No Media Availability

## THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18

10:45 – 11:10 Coach Belichick Press Availability  
in Media Workroom

11:10 – 11:55 Open Locker Room

12:55 – 1:15 Access to Practice (Photographers  
and videographers only)

TBA Dick Vermeil Conference Call

TBA Trent Green Conference Call

## FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19

10:45 – 11:10 Coach Belichick Press Availability  
in Media Workroom

11:10 – 11:55 Open Locker Room

12:45 – 1:05 Access to Practice (Photographers  
and videographers only)

## SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20

10:30 – 11:00 Coach Belichick Press Availability  
in Media Workroom

11:30 – 11:50 Open Locker Room

12:00 – 12:15 Access to Practice (Photographers  
and videographers only)

## SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21

Travel to Kansas City – No Media Availability

## MONDAY, NOVEMBER 22

9:00 p.m. Patriots at Kansas City Chiefs

## 2004 PATRIOTS SCHEDULE

Thurs., Sept. 9	Indianapolis	W	27-24
Sun., Sept. 19	at Arizona	W	23-12
Sun., Sept. 26	BYE WEEK		
Sun., Oct. 3	at Buffalo	W	31-17
Sun., Oct. 10	Miami	W	24-10
Sun., Oct. 17	Seattle	W	30-20
Sun., Oct. 24	N.Y. Jets	W	13-7
Sun., Oct. 31	at Pittsburgh	L	20-34
Sun., Nov. 7	at St. Louis	W	40-22
Sun., Nov. 14	Buffalo	W	29-6
Mon., Nov. 22	at Kansas City	9:00	ABC
Sun., Nov. 28	Baltimore	4:15	CBS
Sun., Dec. 5	at Cleveland	1:00	CBS
Sun., Dec. 12	Cincinnati	1:00	CBS
Mon., Dec. 20	at Miami	9:00	ABC
Sun., Dec. 26	at N.Y. Jets	4:05	CBS
Sun., Jan. 2	San Francisco	1:00	FOX

## AFC EAST STANDINGS

Teams	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
NEW ENGLAND.....	8	1	0	.889	237	152
New York Jets.....	6	3	0	.667	202	158
Buffalo Bills.....	3	6	0	.322	143	166
Miami Dolphins .....	1	8	0	.111	123	186

## NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS (8-1) at KANSAS CITY CHIEFS (3-6)

Monday, November 22, 2004 ★ Arrowhead Stadium (79,451) ★ 9:00 p.m. EST

The Patriots will face another tough test this week when they travel to Kansas City to take on the Chiefs and the NFL's top-ranked offense on Monday Night Football. New England aims to improve upon what has been the most successful start to a season in franchise history against a Kansas City team that averages more than 422 yards of offense per game. The Patriots defense will try to calm the Chiefs offense just one week after New England turned in its most productive defensive performance of the season, holding Buffalo to zero points on offense and forcing five turnovers in a 29-6 victory.

New England will bid for its third consecutive victory and its 24th win in its last 25 games, playing in a city where the Patriots have not won in 40 years. The last time a Patriots team won in Kansas City was on Dec. 6, 1964, when the AFL's Boston Patriots took a 31-24 decision over the Chiefs at Municipal Stadium.

## BROADCAST INFORMATION

**TELEVISION:** This week's game will be televised nationwide by ABC. The game can be seen in Boston on WCVB-TV Channel 5. **Al Michaels** will handle the play-by-play duties, while **John Madden** will provide analysis. **Michele Tafoya** will contribute reports from the sidelines.

**RADIO:** WBCN 104.1 FM is the flagship station for the Patriots Rock Radio Network. Play-by-play broadcaster **Gil Santos** is in his 28th season as the voice of the Patriots and will call the action along with Patriots Hall of Famer **Gino Cappelletti**. Santos and Cappelletti are celebrating their 21st season as a broadcast tandem.

**NATIONAL RADIO:** This week's game will be broadcast nationwide by Westwood One/ CBS Radio Sports. **Marv Albert** and **Boomer Esiason** will call the action from Arrowhead Stadium. **John Dockery** will provide sideline reports during the game.

## POPULAR PATRIOTS

The New England Patriots are more popular than ever and have recorded some of the highest local television ratings in franchise history this season. Through nine games, the Patriots are averaging a 31.2 rating (57 share) in the Boston television market. That average is nearly five full points higher than the 26.8 rating (51 share) that Patriots games averaged during the 2003 regular season. Including a 32.6 rating (50 share) for their 29-6 win over the Bills last Sunday night, the Patriots have drawn a rating above 30.0 for each of their last five games. The top-rated game so far this year was against the N.Y. Jets on Oct. 24, a game that earned the third-highest regular-season rating in team history, a 35.5 rating (62 share).

NOTE: One ratings point is equal to one percent of the 2.4 million households in the Boston market.

## PRO BOWL BALLOTING

Online balloting is underway on NFL.com for fans to vote for the players they would like to see represent the league at the 2005 Pro Bowl on Sun., Feb. 13 in Honolulu. The AFC and NFC squads are made up of the consensus votes of fans, players and coaches. Each group's votes counts one-third towards determining the 43-man rosters for each conference. Fans may log on to <http://nfl.com/probowl/ballot> and cast their votes and can also enter the Amerquest Pro Bowl Paradise Sweepstakes to get a chance to win a trip to the game. Voting will conclude on Sun., Dec. 19, and the teams will be announced on Wed., Dec. 22 at 7:00 in the Pro Bowl Selection Show on ESPN.



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# THIS WEEK: PATRIOTS VS. CHIEFS

## SERIES HISTORY

This week, the Patriots and Chiefs will renew acquaintances for the 29th time overall as the Patriots travel to Kansas City for the 10th time in team history. New England has won three of the last four games in the series, including a 41-38 overtime shootout at Gillette Stadium two seasons ago. But despite the Patriots' recent success against the Chiefs, they have not won a game in Kansas City in 40



years, dating back to when the Boston Patriots came away with a 31-24 win at Municipal Stadium in 1964. New England will look for its first win at Arrowhead Stadium after coming up empty in its first three visits to the Chiefs' current home, most recently dropping a tight 16-14 decision in 1999.

### KC Chiefs/Dallas Texans 15, Patriots 10 (3 Ties)

Date	Result	Score	H/A	Stadium
11/18/60	W	42-14	H	Boston University Field
12/11/60	L	0-34	A	Cotton Bowl
10/29/61	W	18-17	A	Cotton Bowl
11/03/61	W	28-21	H	Boston University Field
09/08/62	L	28-42	A	Cotton Bowl
10/12/62	L	7-27	H	Boston University Field
11/17/63	T	24-24	H	Fenway Park
12/14/63	L	3-35	A	Municipal Stadium
10/23/64	W	24-7	H	Fenway Park
12/06/64	W	31-24	A	Municipal Stadium
10/03/65	L	17-27	A	Municipal Stadium
11/21/65	T	10-10	H	Fenway Park
09/25/66	L	24-43	H	Fenway Park
11/20/66	T	27-27	A	Municipal Stadium
11/12/67	L	10-33	H	Fenway Park
11/17/68	L	17-31	A	Municipal Stadium
09/21/69	L	0-31	H	B.C. Alumni Stadium
10/11/70	L	10-23	A	Municipal Stadium
09/23/73	L	7-10	H	Schaefer Stadium
09/18/77	W	21-17	H	Schaefer Stadium
10/04/81	W	33-17	H	Schaefer Stadium
12/02/90	L	7-37	H	Foxboro Stadium
12/13/92	L	20-27	A	Arrowhead Stadium
10/15/95	L	26-31	A	Arrowhead Stadium
10/11/98	W	40-10	H	Foxboro Stadium
10/10/99	L	14-16	A	Arrowhead Stadium
12/04/00	W	30-24	H	Foxboro Stadium
09/22/02	W	41-38*	H	Gillette Stadium

\*-Overtime

Note: KC Franchise located in Dallas (as Dallas Texans) from 1960-62

## SERIES BREAKDOWN

<b>Home Record</b> .....	<b>8-6-2</b>
Record in Foxborough .....	5-2-0
Schaefer/Sullivan/Foxboro Stadium .....	4-2-0
Gillette Stadium .....	1-0-0
Record in Boston .....	3-4-2
Boston University Field .....	2-1-0
Fenway Park .....	1-2-2
B.C. Alumni Stadium .....	0-1-0
<b>Away Record</b> .....	<b>2-9-1</b>
Record in Dallas (Cotton Bowl) .....	1-2-0
Record in Kansas City .....	1-7-1
Municipal Stadium .....	1-4-1
Arrowhead Stadium .....	0-3-0
Patriots vs. Chiefs since 1970 AFL-NFL merger .....	5-6-0
Patriots in games decided by 7 pts. or fewer .....	6-4-3
Patriots vs. Chiefs on Monday Night Football .....	1-0-0
Patriots in Kansas City in November .....	0-1-1
Total Points in Regular Season Series .....	559-967
Largest Margin of Victory .....	30 pts (10/11/98)
Largest Margin of Defeat .....	34 points (12/11/60)

## TALE OF THE TAPE

2004 Regular Season	New England	Kansas City
Record	8-1	3-6
Divisional Standing	1st	T-3rd
Total Yards Gained	3,139	3,799
Total Offense (Rank)	348.8 (10)	422.1 (1)
Rush Offense	124.3 (12)	164.2 (1)
Pass Offense	224.4 (14)	257.9 (5)
Points Per Game	26.3	28.6
Total Yards Allowed	2,838	3,171
Total Defense	315.3 (11)	352.3 (26)
Rush Defense	111.3 (13)	116.4 (T-16)
Pass Defense	204.0 (11)	235.9 (26)
Points Allowed/Game	16.9	26.4
Possession Avg.	30:13	33:45
Sacks Allowed/Yards Lost	17/111	19/142
Sacks Made/Yards	26/157	22/127
Interceptions By	12	9
Penalties Against/Yards	67/512	73/629
Punts/Avg.	28/45.4	34/41.3
Takeaway/Giveaway Ratio	+4	-5

## A TOUGH ROAD TO K.C.

The Patriots have not won in Kansas City since 1964, recording an 0-6-1 record in their last seven visits. New England's 7-game winless streak in Kansas City is the team's longest such current streak in any NFL city.

## PATRIOTS ROAD DROUGHTS

Opponent	Last Road Win	Winless Streak
Dallas Cowboys .....	Never .....	4
San Francisco 49ers .....	Never .....	4
Green Bay Packers .....	Never .....	2*
Washington Redskins .....	Never .....	2
<b>Kansas City Chiefs .....</b>	<b>10/06/64 .....</b>	<b>7</b>
Minnesota Vikings .....	12/27/74 .....	2
Seattle Seahawks .....	11/17/85 .....	1
LA/Oakland Raiders .....	01/05/86 .....	2
Tampa Bay Buccaneers .....	11/16/86 .....	2
Cincinnati Bengals .....	09/18/94 .....	1

\*-Not including loss in one game in Milwaukee (10/09/88)

## FANTASTIC FINISHES

One of the oldest mantras in sports is that it doesn't matter where you start a season, but it does matter where you finish it. The Patriots have done a remarkable job of finishing strong over the past two-plus seasons, as they have compiled a 30-4 (.882) record after November 1 since the 2001 season.

## PATRIOTS BEFORE AND AFTER NOV. 1, SINCE 2001

Season	Pre-11/1	Post-11/1	Totals
2001 .....	3-4 .....	11-1 .....	14-5*
2002 .....	3-4 .....	6-3 .....	9-7
2003 .....	6-2 .....	11-0 .....	17-2*
2004 .....	6-1 .....	2-0 .....	8-1
<b>Totals</b>	<b>18-11</b>	<b>30-4</b>	<b>48-15</b>

\*-Includes Playoffs

## NFL'S BEST RECORDS AFTER NOV. 1, SINCE 2001

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
New England .....	30 .....	4 .....	0 .....	.882
Philadelphia .....	28 .....	9 .....	0 .....	.757
Green Bay .....	24 .....	10 .....	0 .....	.706
St. Louis .....	23 .....	10 .....	0 .....	.697
Pittsburgh .....	22 .....	11 .....	1 .....	.662
Tennessee .....	21 .....	11 .....	0 .....	.656

## PATRIOTS MEDIA WEB SITE

The New England Patriots' media-only Web site, located at <http://media.patriots.com>, will be updated for registered users throughout the season with all of the latest media information, schedules, rosters and press releases. Additionally, the site's archives allow access to all of the Patriots media materials and press released from the 2002 and 2003 seasons. The media site will also serve as the team's exclusive credentialing system in 2004.



# THIS WEEK: PATRIOTS VS. CHIEFS

## PATRIOTS ON MONDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL

The Patriots will make their 30th appearance on Monday Night Football. New England has won three of its last four games on Monday nights dating back to a 30-24 victory over Kansas City on Dec. 4, 2000. The Patriots have scored exactly 30 points in each of their last three Monday night victories, including a memorable 30-26 win at Denver in 2003. This week's game is the first of two Monday appearances this season. The Patriots will also travel to Miami for a Monday night showdown on Dec. 20. New England holds an all-time record of 10-19 in its 29 previous Monday night games.



## PATRIOTS ALL-TIME MONDAY NIGHT RECORD (10-19)

Date	W/L	Score	Opponent	Stadium
11/06/72	L	17-24	Baltimore	Memorial Stadium
12/01/75	L	7-20	at Miami	Orange Bowl
10/18/76	W	41-7	N.Y. Jets	Schaefer Stadium
09/26/77	L	27-30*	at Cleveland	Cleveland Stadium
09/18/78	L	27-34	Baltimore	Schaefer Stadium
12/18/78	L	3-23	at Miami	Orange Bowl
09/03/79	L	13-16*	Pittsburgh	Schaefer Stadium
10/01/79	L	14-27	at Green Bay	Lambeau Field
09/29/80	W	23-14	Denver	Schaefer Stadium
11/10/80	L	34-38	at Houston	Astrodome
12/08/80	L	13-16*	at Miami	Orange Bowl
09/21/81	L	35-21	Dallas	Schaefer Stadium
12/16/85	L	27-30	at Miami	Orange Bowl
12/22/86	W	34-27	at Miami	Orange Bowl
09/21/87	L	24-43	at N.Y. Jets	Giants Stadium
12/28/87	W	24-10	at Miami	Joe Robbie Stadium
10/23/95	W	27-14	Buffalo	Foxboro Stadium
10/06/97	L	13-34	at Denver	Mile High Stadium
10/27/97	L	10-28	Green Bay	Foxboro Stadium
12/22/97	W	14-12	at Miami	Pro Player Stadium
09/07/98	L	21-27	at Denver	Mile High Stadium
10/19/98	L	14-24	N.Y. Jets	Foxboro Stadium
11/23/98	W	26-23	Miami	Foxboro Stadium
11/15/99	L	17-24	N.Y. Jets	Foxboro Stadium
09/11/00	L	19-20	at N.Y. Jets	Giants Stadium
12/04/00	W	30-24	Kansas City	Foxboro Stadium
09/09/02	W	30-14	Pittsburgh	Gillette Stadium
12/16/02	L	7-24	at Tennessee	The Coliseum
11/03/03	W	30-26	at Denver	Invesco Field

\*-Overtime

## PASSING PERFORMANCES

Tom Brady will face the Chiefs for the second time in his career. The last time the teams squared off Brady had one of the best games of his career, completing a career-high 39 passes and racking up a career-high 410 yards. The New England signal caller also tied his career high with four touchdown passes.

### Tom Brady vs. Kansas City (1-0)

Date	A	C	Yds	%	TD	I Rating	W/L	Score
09/22/02	54	39	410	.722	4	110.9	W	41-39ot

### Trent Green vs. New England (0-1)

Date	A	C	Yds	%	TD	I Rating	W/L	Score
09/22/02	25	16	149	.640	3	86.5	L	39-41ot

## NINE-GAME MARK

The Patriots have recorded an 8-1 mark in 2004, notching the best mark in franchise history through nine games. New England has started the season with a 7-2 mark on three prior occasions, most recently in 2003, but this season is the first in which they have begun the campaign at 8-1. The best starts in franchise history are listed below.

## BEST PATRIOTS RECORDS THROUGH NINE GAMES

8-1	7-2	6-2-1
2004	2003, 1980, 1978	1964, 1962

## CONNECTIONS

- Chiefs head coach **Dick Vermeil**, defensive line coach **Carl Hairston** and defensive backs coach **Peter Giunta** held the same positions for the St. Louis Rams from 1997-99 and Patriots linebacker **Roman Phifer** played until 1998. Chiefs wide receiver **Eddie Kennison** also played for the Rams during that time.
- Kansas City assistant offensive line coach **Irv Eatman** held the same position with the Pittsburgh Steelers in 2000 when Patriots linebacker **Mike Vrabel** was in his final year with the Steelers.
- Vrabel** was an All-American defensive end at Ohio State University from 1992-96 when Chiefs linebackers coach **Fred Pagac** held the same position and acted as the defensive coordinator.
- Chiefs fullback **Omar Easy** played his high school football at Everett High School in Everett, Mass., and earned Gatorade and *USA Today* Massachusetts Player of the Year Honors.
- Chiefs head coach **Dick Vermeil** coached at Hillsdale High School from 1960-1962 and at San Mateo College in 1963. Both schools are located in San Mateo, Calif., the home town of **Tom Brady**.
- Patriots rookie safety **Dexter Reid** and Kansas City defensive tackle **Ryan Sims** played on the same defensive unit at the University of North Carolina in 2000 and 2001.
- Patriots linebacker **Willie McGinest** and Chiefs wide receiver **Johnnie Morton** were teammates at the University of Southern California for four seasons from 1990-93.
- New England linebacker **Don Davis** and Kansas City defensive back **Dexter McCleon** were teammates on the St. Louis Rams defense from 2001-02.
- Kansas City quarterback **Damon Huard** was the backup quarterback for the Patriots from 2001-03 and was on the Patriots' 2001 and 2003 Super Bowl championship teams.
- Chiefs quarterback **Todd Collins** was named the 1989 New England High School Player of the Year by the *Boston Globe* as a senior at Walpole High School in Walpole, Mass., and grew up an avid Patriots fan.
- Patriots defensive lineman **Ty Warren** and Chiefs wide receiver **Dante Hall** were teammates at Texas A&M University in 1999.

## LAST TIME: PATRIOTS 41, CHIEFS 38 (OT)

September 22, 2002 ★ Gillette Stadium (Att: 68,436)

	1	2	3	4	Final
<b>Kansas City Chiefs</b>	10	7	0	14	— 31
<b>New England Patriots</b>	10	7	0	0	— 17

The Patriots improved to 3-0 on the 2002 season, defeating the Kansas City Chiefs 41-38 in overtime at Gillette Stadium. The Patriots offense totaled 496 yards, their highest output since they gained 506 yards vs. Seattle (09/21/86) and scored five touchdowns.

Wide receiver Troy Brown recorded 16 receptions for 176 yards and a touchdown, setting a franchise record for receptions in a game and tying him for fourth place in NFL history. Brown also recorded a career high with 176 yards, which ranks fourth in Patriots annals. Quarterback Tom Brady threw for a career-high 410 yards and tied a career high with four touchdowns.

The Chiefs jumped out to a 10-0 lead, but the Patriots closed the gap to 10-9 by halftime. In the second half, Kansas City added a quick touchdown and increased its lead to 17-9 before the Patriots scored 22 unanswered points to take a 31-17 lead. Kansas City chipped back into the game, and a pair of Priest Holmes touchdown runs helped the Chiefs tie the game at 38 at the end of regulation.

After winning the overtime coin toss, the Patriots elected to receive the ball and Brady led the offense 53 yards on nine plays into field goal position. With the ball spotted at the Chiefs 35-yard line, Adam Vinatieri kicked the 13th game-winning field goal of his career, giving New England a 41-38 win.





# LAST GAME: PATRIOTS 29, BILLS 6

## PATRIOTS 29, BILLS 6

November 14, 2004 ★ Gillette Stadium (Att: 68,756)

	1	2	3	4	Final
<b>Buffalo Bills</b>	0	0	6	0	— 6
<b>New England Patriots</b>	3	17	3	6	— 29

The New England Patriots continued their home winning streak, notching their eighth victory of the 2004 season and their 16th straight win at Gillette Stadium, a 29-6 win over the Buffalo Bills on Nov. 14. The win upped the Patriots' record to 8-1 on the season.

New England had a solid game defensively, shutting out the Bills offense. Linebacker Tully Banta-Cain had the most productive day of his young career, registering 1.5 sacks and an interception. Willie McGinest pitched in with a sack of his own as well as a fumble recovery. Roosevelt Colvin added a half a sack and Tedy Bruschi and Troy Brown each had interceptions. For Brown, it was his first career pick.

On the offensive side, Corey Dillon barreled for 151 yards on 26 carries. David Givens led the aerial attack with five grabs for 66 yards, while Tom Brady threw for 233 yards, completing 19 of his 35 passing attempts. Kicker Adam Vinatieri was a perfect 5-for-5 on field goal attempts.

The Patriots got on the board first with a 27-yard Vinatieri field goal, marking the 17th consecutive game in which they have scored first. After the two teams traded punts, Eugene Wilson picked off a Drew Bledsoe pass at the New England 3-yard line to end the first quarter.

At the start of the second quarter, a 47-yard connection from Brady to Bethel Johnson helped push the Patriots downfield and set Vinatieri up for another field goal, this one from 24 yards, and a 6-0 New England lead. The Patriots defense then forced the Bills to a three-and-out on the ensuing drive, giving New England possession on a drive that culminated in a 13-yard touchdown pass from Brady to Givens. Vinatieri's PAT not only gave the Patriots a 13-0 lead, it also earned him his 1,000th career point.

The Patriots continued their momentum when Tedy Bruschi intercepted a Bledsoe pass on the Bills' next possession and followed it up with an impressive 29-yard return. The offense then stepped on the field, where a 5-yard Brady touchdown pass to Christian Fauria resulted in a 20-0 New England edge going into halftime.

The second half began with a lengthy New England drive wherein Brady connected with Daniel Graham, David Patten and Brown, and both Dillon and Kevin Faulk contributed to the running game. The offense put Vinatieri in position to make good on a 20-yard field goal, increasing the New England advantage to 23-0. The teams then had two punts apiece, the last of which, a Josh Miller kick, gave way to a 70-yard return to the end zone for Buffalo's Jonathan Smith. The Bills' two-point conversion attempt failed, resulting in a 23-6 score.

The Patriots answered with Vinatieri's fourth field goal of the day to begin the final quarter. When Buffalo got the ball back, Bledsoe threw his second interception, this one snagged by Brown and returned 17 yards. Brady committed the same error a few plays later when Buffalo's Nate Clements picked him off. The Bills could not convert, and the Patriots would score next, and last, with another field goal from Vinatieri, widening the gap to 29-6. A Buffalo fumble recovered by McGinest was soon followed by a Banta-Cain interception of Bledsoe, closing the books on a 29-6 Patriots victory.

## 1,000 POINTS FOR VINATIERI

With his extra point following the Patriots' first touchdown of the evening, Adam Vinatieri reached the 1,000-point mark for his career. Vinatieri is just the second Patriot to reach the 1,000-point plateau, joining Patriots Hall of Famer Gino Cappelletti. Vinatieri ranks second to Cappelletti (1,130 points) on the Patriots' all-time scoring list.

## HUNDRED-YARD DAY FOR DILLON

Corey Dillon exceeded 100 yards rushing, marking the fifth time this season he has reached the mark and the 33rd time in his career he has accomplished the feat. Dillon's five 100-yard games are the most by a Patriot in a single season since Curtis Martin notched nine 100-yard games in 1995. Martin set a franchise record that season with 1,487 yards. Through nine games this season, Dillon has gained 900 yards on 180 carries (5.0 avg.).

## 200 NET RUSHING YARDS

As a team, the Patriots gained 208 rushing yards on 45 carries, marking the first time in six years that they have exceeded 200 net yards rushing. It is the first time the team has broken the 200-yard mark since gaining exactly 200 yards on the ground at St. Louis on Dec. 13, 1998. In that game, Robert Edwards led the Patriots with 196 yards on 24 carries.

## TROY BROWN: TWO-WAY STANDOUT

Troy Brown intercepted a Drew Bledsoe pass in the fourth quarter, as the Patriots' two-way standout became the first player in Patriots history to record a reception and an interception in the same game. Only two other players have recorded at least one reception and one interception for the Patriots in a season, and both players played primarily on defense. Defensive back Chuck Shonta had one reception and one interception in 1961 and linebacker Mike Vrabel had one interception and one reception in 2002. Brown played on defense for the first time in his career last week in St. Louis, and followed up his debut performance with his first career pick.

## HOME SWEET HOME

The Patriots have now recorded a 20-3 (.870) all-time record at Gillette Stadium, including regular-season and postseason games. New England has won 16 consecutive regular-season and postseason contests at home, compiling the longest current home winning streak in the NFL. New England has not lost at home since a 30-17 defeat to the New York Jets on Dec. 22, 2002. The Patriots' .870 winning percentage at Gillette Stadium is the highest of any NFL team at its current home.

## BEAST OF THE EAST

The Patriots have won nine consecutive games against AFC East opposition and are 18-3 in their last 21 divisional games. The defending AFC East champions have not lost within the division since the 2003 season opener. Since the beginning of the 2001 season, the Patriots own the best cumulative record within the division, notching a 19-5 mark.

## PARTY OF FIVE

Adam Vinatieri tied his career high with five field goals. The Patriots kicker was a perfect 5-for-5 on the night, matching his performance in the 2003 AFC Championship Game. He also nailed five kicks in a 5-for-6 performance against Jacksonville as a rookie on Sept. 22, 1996. That game was Vinatieri's fourth as a pro.

## CONSISTENT KICKING

Adam Vinatieri nailed five field goals, raising his accuracy rate to 95.8 percent (23/24) on the season. Vinatieri's career high for accuracy was set in the 2002 season, when he hit 27 of his 30 attempts, good for a 90.0 percent clip. The only field goal Vinatieri has missed this season came on his longest attempt of the year, a 47-yarder against Miami on Oct. 10.

## TULLY BANTA-CAIN

Patriots second-year linebacker Tully Banta-Cain recorded 1.5 sacks and his first career interception. Banta-Cain intercepted Buffalo's J.P. Losman in the final minute of the game after dropping Drew Bledsoe once and splitting a fourth-quarter sack of Bledsoe with Roosevelt Colvin.



# LAST GAME: PATRIOTS 29, BILLS 6

## OUT IN FRONT

Including the Buffalo game, the Patriots have scored first in 14 straight regular-season games and in 17 consecutive games including the playoffs. New England is one game shy of the NFL record for consecutive regular-season games scoring first. The 1978 Miami Dolphins hold the all-time record by scoring first in 15 straight regular-season games. The last time New England did not get on the board first was on Nov. 23, 2003 at Houston, when the Texans jumped out to a 3-0 lead at Reliant Stadium in a game the Patriots eventually won 23-20 in overtime.

## FINISHING STRONG

The Patriots scored on their final possession of the first half, marking the fourth consecutive game in which they have accomplished the feat and eighth time in their last 10 games that they have scored on their last possession before halftime. New England scored last-possession touchdowns against Buffalo (11/14), Pittsburgh (10/31), the N.Y. Jets (10/24), Miami (10/10), Buffalo (10/3), and Carolina (2/1), and notched last-possession field goals at St. Louis (11/07) and against Indianapolis (9/9). The Patriots did not score on their final half possessions against Seattle (10/17) and Arizona (9/19).

## CHRISTIAN SCORIA

Tight end Christian Fauria grabbed a 5-yard touchdown reception from Tom Brady with 35 seconds left in the first half, giving the Patriots a 20-0 lead. The touchdown was Fauria's first scoring grab since Sept. 14, 2003, when he caught a pair of touchdowns in a 31-10 win at Philadelphia. Fauria led the Patriots with seven touchdown catches in 2002 and tied for the lead among all NFL tight ends that season.

## DILLON DOMINATES

Corey Dillon ran for 43 yards on six carries on New England's opening drive. His productive stretch included a 30-yard run, his fourth jaunt of 30 yards or more this season. Dillon totaled 89 yards on 12 carries in the first half.

## FLY PATTEN

David Patten grabbed his fifth touchdown of the season on a 13-yard pass from Tom Brady in the second quarter, giving the Patriots a 13-0 lead. Patten has tied his career high for touchdown catches (5, 2002). Patten now has 18 career touchdown receptions.

## FULL TILT, FULL TIME

Tedy Bruschi recorded his second interception of the season and the 10th pick of his career when he snared a Drew Bledsoe pass in the second quarter. The pick led to the Patriots' second touchdown of the night and a 20-0 halftime lead. Last season, Bruschi set a career high with three picks, including two that were returned for touchdowns.

## BIG-PLAY BETHEL

Bethel Johnson grabbed a 47-yard pass from Brady in the second quarter as part of a Patriots field goal drive. It was the second-longest grab of Johnson's career, just one yard shy of his 48-yard reception against Seattle on Oct. 17.

## MEAN GENE

Eugene Wilson recorded his third interception of the season when he picked off Drew Bledsoe at the Patriots' 3-yard line in the waning seconds of the first quarter. Wilson leads the Patriots with three picks this season. As a rookie in 2003, Wilson tied for the NFL rookie lead with four interceptions. Wilson's interception resulted in a 24-yard Adam Vinatieri field goal and a 6-0 Patriots lead.

## TOMMY TOUCHDOWNS

Tom Brady found David Patten for a 13-yard touchdown in the second quarter, marking the 15th consecutive game (including playoffs) in which Brady has thrown a touchdown pass. The last time Brady did not throw a touchdown pass in a game was on Dec. 7, 2003 in a 12-0 win over Miami at Gillette Stadium. Brady's 12 consecutive regular-season games with a touchdown pass establishes a career-best touchdown streak, passing his 11 consecutive regular-season games from Dec. 22, 2001 to Nov. 10, 2002.

## OUT OF THE ZONE

The Patriots did not allow the Bills to penetrate past the New England 20-yard line, marking the first time in more than two years that the Patriots were able to keep their opponent out of the red zone for the entire game. The last time New England did not allow a red zone possession was on Sept. 29, 2002 at San Diego.

## COACH BELICHICK QUOTES

The following are excerpts from Patriots Head Coach Bill Belichick's press conference on Monday, Nov. 15.

### (On the challenges presented by Kansas City's offense)

Offensively, I think this is probably as explosive an offense as I have seen. They are very good at every area. There are no weaknesses on that team. The line, the skill players, the tight end, the backs, the quarterback, they just keep coming. That is a very, very good football team. Offensively with that Atlanta game, [they had] 35 points in the first half, 50 points at the end of the third quarter. Atlanta is a pretty good team. This gives you some kind of idea of what kind of explosiveness that they have. We will be moving onto them right away.

### (On his final impressions of the Bills game)

It was a pretty well balanced effort by the team. I was proud of the way they played. I thought we had some balance offensively running and throwing [the ball.] Defensively, we played more competitively than we did up in Buffalo by not giving up the big plays. We played the running game better. Overall, I thought it was a solid performance. There are still a lot of things we can improve on. We left some points out there offensively in the red area. Obviously on special teams we had a couple of problems there. There are still some things we can improve on. Overall, I thought it was a solid game.

### (On Troy Brown playing on offense and defense)

It takes a special guy to do what he is doing. There is no question about that. But, he is doing what he is supposed to be doing. Whatever the coverage is he is trying to play it, and should be trying to play it, the way it is supposed to be played. That is what his job is when he is out there on defense or on offense, for that matter. Any time we put a player out there on the field we expect him to do it the way it is basically designed to be played. Troy does a good job of that. He is a very consistent player. He is a dependable player. That is one thing he is. He is instinctive, too. There are some things you can't teach.

### (On his experience in working with Corey Dillon)

The one thing that you don't see is what a person is day-to-day, what he brings to the practice field, what his work habits are. I think we all saw Corey play on Sundays in Cincinnati and we have seen him play on Sundays here. From a consistency standpoint, he is dependable. He is consistent. You know what you are going to get from Corey every day. He brings a very consistent effort and performance level to the practice field. When he is in there, you know what you are going to get. It is not an up and down type of thing. He can make a mistake out there just like everybody else will. But, for the most part, he is very consistent. He does what he is supposed to do. He does it the same way repeatedly, so you can count on it and you can depend on it. That makes it easier for everybody else to work around.



# PATRIOTS NEWS & NOTES

## THE HEAD COACH

### BILL BELICHICK

**Overall Record:** 90-71 (.559)

**Regular Season:** 83-70 (.542)

**Postseason:** 7-1 (.875)

**With Patriots overall:** 53-26 (.671)

**Overall since 2001:** 48-15 (.762)

**Super Bowl Titles:** 4 (86, 90, 01, 03)

**Conf. Titles:** 5 (86, 90, 96, 01, 03)

**Division Titles:** 9 (75, 78, 86, 89, 90, 96, 98, 01, 03)



Bill Belichick is celebrating his 30th season as an NFL coach and has spent more seasons in the league than any other current head coach. He has been a part of four Super Bowl championship teams, including two world titles in his four seasons as Patriots head coach. In addition to the team's current success, Belichick has built a firm foundation for the Patriots to remain competitive into the future. Since 2001, the Patriots have blossomed, rattling off 48 wins in their last 63 games and making Belichick the winningest NFL head coach since the 2001 season. His overall record of 53-26 (including a 6-0 playoff mark) gives him the best winning percentage of any head coach in Patriots history.

### WINNINGEST HEAD COACHES IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

Coach	Years	Career Winning Pct.	Overall W-L-T	Playoff W-L
<b>Bill Belichick</b>	<b>2000-03</b>	<b>.671</b>	<b>53-26-0</b>	<b>6-0</b>
Raymond Berry	1984-89	.554	51-41-0	3-2
Pete Carroll	1997-99	.549	28-23-0	1-2
Chuck Fairbanks	1973-78	.529	46-41-0	0-2
Ron Meyer	1982-84	.529	18-16-0	0-1
Mike Holovak	1961-68	.529	53-47-9	1-1
Bill Parcells	1993-96	.500	34-34-0	2-2

### BELICHICK'S PATRIOTS RENAISSANCE

Any successful project requires a sound plan, and once head coach Bill Belichick had the time to implement his design on the Patriots, his approach has given him the best record of any NFL head coach since 2001. After the team endured a 5-11 rebuilding year in his first season, the fruits of Belichick's labor were put on display to the entire NFL, as his team posted an 11-5 record in 2001 and claimed the first Super Bowl title in franchise history. Since 2001, his plan has been in place in New England, and Belichick and the Patriots have compiled the best record in the NFL, winning two of the last three Super Bowls. The remarkable run includes postseason play, where Belichick and the Patriots own a perfect 6-0 record.

### NFL COACHES' RECORDS SINCE 2001

Coach	Team	W	L	T	Pct.
<b>Bill Belichick</b>	<b>NE</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.758</b>
Andy Reid	PHI	47	17	0	.734
Mike Sherman	GB	41	21	0	.661
Mike Martz	STL	40	21	0	.656
Bill Cowher	PIT	39	21	1	.648
Tony Dungy	TB/IND	39	23	0	.629
Jon Gruden	OAK/TB	36	26	0	.581
Jeff Fisher	TEN	35	26	0	.574
Mike Shanahan	DEN	33	25	0	.569

NOTE: Records include postseason games, minimum one full season as a head coach.

### TOP BILLING

Bill Belichick is widely recognized as one of the NFL's premier head coaches, and recent polls have shown how his reputation has solidified. In an SI.com election day poll of more than 90,000 voters, Belichick was selected as the active coach (in any sport) that fans would most want to call their team's shots in a title game (Belichick received 35 percent of the vote, while Duke's Mike Krzyzewski ranked second with 27 percent). In addition, a Sports Illustrated poll of more than 300 NFL players revealed that Belichick was the coach that players would most like to play for, receiving 45 percent of the leaguewide vote.

## THE KRAFT ERA

Since ROBERT KRAFT purchased the team in 1994, the Patriots have experienced a remarkable reversal of fortunes. In the five seasons immediately preceding his purchase (1989-93), the Patriots were a moribund franchise that had won just 19 of 80 games (.311 pct.). In the early 1990s, the franchise appeared destined for relocation until Kraft bought the team and rejuvenated local interest. By the start of the 1994 season, every game was a complete sellout. Ten seasons later, the consecutive sellout streak is now at 111 and counting. **Since Kraft took ownership, the Patriots have won more conference championships than any other team in the NFL, claiming three AFC titles in the past eight seasons.**



	Pre-Kraft 1960-93	1989-93	Kraft Era 1994-04
Overall Record	225-276-9	19-61	110-72
Winning Pct.	.450	.311	.604
Super Bowl Titles	0	0	2
Conference Titles	1	0	3
Division Titles	2	0	4
Playoff Seasons	5	0	6
Playoff Record	4-6	--	9-4
Home Playoff Games	1	0	6
Home Playoff Record	0-1	--	6-0

## SUCCESS STORY

By 1996, Robert Kraft's third season of ownership, the Patriots reached the Super Bowl for the second time in team history and had established themselves as one of the NFL's elite teams. Since 1996, the Patriots have won two Super Bowls, three conference titles and have qualified for the playoffs six times, positioning themselves over time as one of the NFL's top clubs.

### BEST REGULAR-SEASON RECORDS SINCE 1996

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
Green Bay Packers	93	44	0	.679
Denver Broncos	89	48	0	.650
<b>New England Patriots</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.620</b>
Tennessee Titans	83	54	0	.606
Pittsburgh Steelers	80	56	1	.588
Minnesota Vikings	79	58	0	.577
Philadelphia Eagles	78	58	1	.573
Miami Dolphins	78	59	0	.569
San Francisco 49ers	77	60	0	.562
Tampa Bay Buccaneers	76	61	0	.555
St. Louis Rams	76	61	0	.555
Kansas City Chiefs	75	62	0	.547
Jacksonville Jaguars	75	62	0	.547
Indianapolis Colts	72	65	0	.526
New York Jets	70	67	0	.511

### CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994

<b>New England Patriots</b> .....	<b>3</b>
Denver Broncos.....	2
Green Bay Packers .....	2
St. Louis Rams .....	2
10 Other Teams .....	1

## TOPS IN BOSTON SPORTS SCENE

Since Robert Kraft took ownership of the Patriots in 1994, the Patriots have become the most successful sports franchise in New England, based on winning percentage, division titles (4), conference titles (3) and championships (2). The regular-season records listed below are from the seasons starting in 1994 through Nov. 14, 2004.

Team	Record	Pct.	Div.	Conf.	Champ.
Patriots	101-68	.598	4	3	2
Red Sox	942-773	.549	1	1	1
Bruins	351-293-108-34	.515	2	0	0
Celtics	341-452	.430	0	0	0



# BROKEN RECORD: 21 WINS IN A ROW

## BROKEN RECORD

The Patriots recorded a one-game winning streak 21 consecutive times, setting an all-time record for the 85-year history of pro football. Using their game-by-game, week-by-week approach to remain focused, the Patriots did not lose a game for more than a year. Following a 20-17 loss at Washington on Sept. 28, 2003, the Patriots did not lose for 398 days, until the streak was snapped in a 34-20 loss at Pittsburgh on Oct. 31, 2004.

### PRO FOOTBALL'S LONGEST WINNING STREAKS

Includes postseason games

Wins	Team	Years	League
21.....	New England Patriots.....	2003-04.....	NFL
18.....	Denver Broncos.....	1997-98 .....	NFL
18.....	San Francisco 49ers.....	1989-90 .....	NFL
18.....	Miami Dolphins.....	1972-73 .....	NFL
18.....	Cleveland Browns.....	1947-48 .....	AAFC
18.....	Chicago Bears.....	1941-42 .....	NFL
18.....	Chicago Bears.....	1933-34 .....	NFL
17.....	Oakland Raiders.....	1976-77 .....	NFL

Includes teams from the NFL (1920-Present), All American Football Conference (1946-49) and American Football League (1960-69).

## WINNING STREAK BREAKDOWN

The Patriots' NFL-record 21 consecutive victories came under widely varied circumstances, from location to jersey color to margin of victory. Below is a breakdown of the streak.

### Victories By Venue...

Home .....	13
Road .....	7
Neutral .....	1

### By Start Time...

Day .....	15
Night .....	6

### By Conference...

Against AFC .....	16
Against NFC .....	5

### By Time Zone...

In Eastern Time Zone .....	16
In Central Time Zone.....	3
In Mountain Time Zone.....	2

### By Day of Week...

Thursday .....	1
Saturday .....	3
Sunday .....	16
Monday.....	1

### By Televising Network...

CBS .....	15
ABC .....	2
ESPN .....	2
FOX .....	2

### Most Victories By Opponent...

Against Indianapolis.....	3
Against Miami.....	3
Against Buffalo.....	2
Against Tennessee.....	2
Against N.Y. Jets .....	2

### By Jersey Color...

Blue.....	13
White.....	5
Silver .....	2

### By Opponent's Home State...

New York.....	5
Florida .....	4
Indiana .....	3
Texas .....	2
Tennessee .....	2

### By Final Margin...

3 points or fewer .....	4
6 points or fewer .....	10
10 points or more.....	10
14 points or more.....	4
Shutouts .....	3

### By Television Audience...

Regional .....	13
National .....	8

### By Attendance...

68,436 (Gillette Stadium 2003)....	9
68,756 (Gillette Stadium 2004)....	4
70,000 or more .....	6
60,000 or fewer.....	2

### By Month...

September .....	2
October .....	8
November .....	4
December .....	4
January.....	2
February .....	1

### By Weather...

Snow .....	3
Rain.....	3
Below Freezing (32 degrees).....	5
Above 60 degrees.....	8
Indoors.....	3

## NEW ENGLAND'S 21-GAME STREAK

Below is a listing of the date, opponent and score for each of the Patriots' record-setting 21 consecutive victories.

Date	Opponent	Score	Margin
10/05/03	Tennessee Titans	W 38-30	8
10/12/03	New York Giants	W 17-6	11
10/19/03	at Miami Dolphins	W 19-13 OT	6
10/26/03	Cleveland Browns	W 9-3	6
11/03/03	at Denver Broncos	W 30-26	4
11/16/03	Dallas Cowboys	W 12-0	12
11/23/03	at Houston Texans	W 23-20 OT	3
11/30/03	at Indianapolis Colts	W 38-34	4
12/04/03	Miami Dolphins	W 12-0	12
12/14/03	Jacksonville Jaguars	W 27-13	14
12/20/03	at New York Jets	W 21-16	5
12/27/03	Buffalo Bills	W 31-0	31
01/10/04	Tennessee Titans*	W 17-14	3
01/18/04	Indianapolis Colts^	W 24-14	10
02/01/04	Carolina Panthers\$	W 32-29	3
09/09/04	Indianapolis Colts	W 27-24	3
09/19/04	at Arizona Cardinals	W 23-12	11
10/03/04	at Buffalo Bills	W 31-17	14
10/10/04	Miami Dolphins	W 24-10	14
10/17/04	Seattle Seahawks	W 30-20	10
10/24/04	N.Y. Jets	W 13-7	6

\*-AFC Divisional Playoffs ^-AFC Championship Game \$-Super Bowl XXXVIII at Houston

## THE STREAK: BY THE NUMBERS

### 398

The number of days between losses, from September 28, 2003 to October 31, 2004.

### 310

The number of NFL games that were played during the 21-game streak (including the postseason).

### 18-3

The Philadelphia Eagles' record over the same 21 regular-season and playoff games, ranking second behind the Patriots among NFL teams in that 21-game span.

### 54

The number of touchdowns the Patriots scored during the streak (34 passing, 14 rushing, 6 on returns).

### 34

The number of touchdown passes Tom Brady threw for during the winning streak.

### 408

The number of first downs registered by the Patriots during the winning streak.

### 1,358

The number of offensive plays the Patriots ran during the winning streak.

### 1,366

The number of defensive plays the Patriots ran during the winning streak.

### 1,442,237

The total attendance at the 21 games of the Patriots' winning streak.

### 9.0

The Patriots' average margin of victory during the streak.

## PATRIOTS WINNING STREAK: HIGHS AND LOWS

### Points Scored

High 38	(two times)
Low 9	(vs. CLE, 10/26/03)

### Points Allowed

High 34	(at IND, 11/30/03)
Low 0	(three times)

### Margin of Victory

High 31 points	(vs. BUF, 12/27/03)
Low 3 points	(four times)

### Touchdowns Scored

High 5	(two times)
Low 0	(vs. CLE, 10/26/03)

### Yards of Net Offense

High 481	(vs. CAR, 02/01/04)
Low 204	(vs. MIA, 10/10/04)

### Net Offense Allowed

High 446	(vs. CAR, 02/01/04)
Low 134	(vs. MIA, 12/07/03)

### Rushing Yards

High 172	(at ARZ, 09/19/04)
Low 56	(at IND, 11/30/03)

### Gross Passing Yards

High 368	(at HST, 11/23/03)
Low 76	(vs. MIA, 10/10/04)

### Offensive Plays Run

High 92	(at HST, 11/23/03)
Low 50	(at NYJ, 12/20/03)

### Sacks Made

High 7	(at BUF, 10/03/04)
Low 0	(two times)

### Attendance

High 77,835	(at NYJ, 12/20/03)
Low 51,557	(at ARZ, 09/19/04)

### Temperature

High 89	(at ARZ, 09/19/04)
Low 4	(vs. TEN, 01/10/04)





# TEAM NEWS & NOTES

## 2004 PATRIOTS AWARD WINNERS

<b>LB Tedy Bruschi</b>	AFC Defensive Player of the Week (Wk. 4)
<b>S Rodney Harrison</b>	AFC Defensive Player of the Week (Wk. 2)
<b>DB Eugene Wilson</b>	AFC Defensive Player of the Month (Sept.)
<b>K Adam Vinatieri</b>	AFC Special Teams Player of the Week (Wk. 9)

## WORKING OVERTIME

The Patriots have won their last eight overtime games (including the playoffs). New England's eight-game overtime winning streak is the longest in NFL history. The Patriots won two overtime games in 2003, defeating the Dolphins 19-13 in Miami and defeating the Texans 23-20 in Houston. New England has not lost in overtime since Buffalo won 16-13 at Foxboro Stadium on Nov. 5, 2000. Since that time, the Patriots have won eight straight, including five games in which they scored on their first possession of overtime.

### NEW ENGLAND'S OVERTIME STREAK

DATE	OPP	PLAY	DRIVE INFO	FINAL SCORE
11/23/03	at HST	28-yd FG	9 plays, 76 yds; 3:39	23-20
10/19/03	at MIA	82-yd TD	1-82; 0:12	19-13
12/29/02	vs. MIA+	35-yd FG	7-43; 2:03	27-24
09/22/02	vs. KC+	35-yd FG	9-53; 4:40	41-38
01/19/02	vs. OAK+*	23-yd FG	15-61; 8:29	16-13
12/16/01	at BUF+	23-yd FG	8-75; 3:18	12-9
10/14/01	vs. SD+	44-yd FG	6-51; 2:59	29-26
12/17/00	at BUF	24-yd FG	14-83; 5:56	13-10
11/05/00	vs. BUF	32-yd FG	6-52-2:50	L, 13-16

\*playoffs

+NE scored on its first possession in overtime

## O.T. IS THE PLACE TO BE

The Patriots have won eight straight overtime games and own the longest overtime winning streak in NFL history, including playoff games. The streak includes New England's 16-13 "Snow Bowl" win over Oakland in the 2001 Divisional Playoffs (01/19/02).

### MOST CONSECUTIVE OVERTIME VICTORIES

Wins	Team	Dates
8*	New England	2000-present
7	Denver	1978-1985
6	Washington	1976-1987
6	Pittsburgh	1994-1997
5	Many Times	

\*-Includes one playoff game

## HOLDING THE LEAD

The Patriots lead the NFL with 34 consecutive regular-season victories when holding a lead entering the fourth quarter. The last time New England lost a game in which it led at the beginning of the final quarter was on Dec. 24, 2000, when it led Miami 24-17 entering the fourth quarter and ended up losing, 27-24. Since then, the Patriots have won six games in which they trailed or were tied entering the fourth quarter. New England was 10-0 when leading after three quarters in 2001, 6-0 in 2002, 11-0 in 2003 and is 7-0 in 2004.

### CONSECUTIVE WINS / LEADING AFTER THREE QUARTERS

New England Patriots	34
St. Louis Rams	11

NOTE: Regular-season games only

## BEAST OF THE EAST

New England has the best record among AFC East teams in division games since the beginning of the 2001 season (19-5). The New York Jets rank second with a 13-12 record and Miami is third with an 11-13 mark. Buffalo has a 7-18 record (see below). In their last 21 divisional games, the Patriots are 18-3.

### AFC EAST DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001

Team	Division W-L Since 2001	Team	Division W-L Since 2001
New England	19-5	Miami	11-13
New York Jets	13-12	Buffalo	7-18

## RIISING TO THE OCCASION

Since the beginning of the 2003 season, the Patriots are 14-1 against teams with winning records. In 2003, the Patriots were 10-0 against teams that finished the season with a winning mark, including an 8-0 mark against playoff teams. So far this year, the Patriots are 4-1 against teams with winning records, having defeated Indianapolis, Seattle, St. Louis and the New York Jets while losing to Pittsburgh.

### PATRIOTS VS. TEAMS WITH WINNING RECORDS

Since start of the 2003 season

Final/Current Record v.

Date	Opponent	W/L	Score	Record	Rest of NFL
11/07/04	at St. Louis	W	40-22	5-4	5-3
10/31/04	at Pittsburgh	L	20-34	8-1	7-1
10/24/04	N.Y. Jets	W	13-7	6-3	6-2
10/17/04	Seattle	W	30-20	5-4	5-3
09/09/04	Indianapolis	W	27-24	6-3	6-2
02/01/04	Carolina*	W	32-39	14-6	14-5
01/18/04	Indianapolis*	W	24-14	14-5	14-3
01/10/04	Tennessee*	W	17-14	13-5	13-3
12/07/03	Miami	W	12-0	10-6	10-4
11/30/03	at Indianapolis	W	38-34	14-5	--
11/16/03	Dallas	W	12-0	10-6	10-5
11/03/03	at Denver	W	30-26	10-6	10-5
10/19/03	at Miami	W	19-13 ot	10-6	--
10/05/03	Tennessee	W	38-30	13-5	--
09/14/03	at Philadelphia	W	31-10	13-5	13-4

\*-Playoffs

Patriots vs. teams with winning record ..... 14-1 (.933)

Rest of NFL vs. those teams..... 40-113 (.261)

## HOT WHEN IT'S COLD

Since 1993, the Patriots are 18-2 when the kickoff temperature is 35 degrees or colder. Last season, the Patriots played seven games in temperatures 35 or lower, winning all seven contests.

### COLDEST GAMES SINCE 1993 (18-2)

Date	Opp.	Temp	Notes	W/L	Score
01/10/04	TEN*	4	Wind Chill -10	W	17-14
12/26/93	IND	19	Wind Chill -1	W	38-0
12/21/96	at NYG	24	Wind Chill 17	W	23-22
12/14/03	JAX	25	Wind Chill 16	W	27-13
01/19/02	OAK*	25	Snow	W	16-13 ot
12/10/95	NYJ	26	Wind Chill 12	W	31-28
01/12/97	JAX*	27	Wind Chill 11	W	20-6
12/07/03	MIA	28	Wind Chill 17	W	12-0
12/20/03	at NYJ	30	Wind Chill 20	W	21-16
12/24/00	MIA	31	Wind Chill 22	L	24-27
01/18/04	IND*	32	Light Snow	W	24-14
11/16/03	DEN	33	Cloudy and calm	W	12-0
11/26/95	at BUF	33	Flurries	W	35-25
12/16/01	at BUF	34	Wind Chill 25	W	12-9 ot
12/12/93	CIN	34	Wind Chill 23	W	7-2
11/03/03	at DEN	35	Foggy	W	30-26
12/17/00	at BUF	35	Snow/W.Chill 23	W	16-13 ot
11/23/97	MIA	35	Flurries/Drizzle	W	27-24
12/28/97	MIA*	35	Wind Chill 25	W	17-3
01/01/95	at CLE*	35	Wind Chill 25	L	13-20

\*-playoffs

## OFFENSE FROM DEFENSE

RICHARD SEYMOUR's 68-yard fumble return for a touchdown against Buffalo on Oct. 3 was the Patriots' first defensive touchdown of the season and also the longest fumble return in franchise history. It was New England's first touchdown on a fumble recovery since Matt Chatham recorded a 38-yard scoop-and-score in a 17-6 win over the New York Giants at Gillette Stadium on Oct. 12, 2003. Last season, the Patriots led the NFL with six defensive touchdowns and were 6-0 in games in which they scored on defense. The Patriots are 13-2 in their last 15 games in which they scored a defensive touchdown, dating back to 1999.





# OFFENSE NEWS & NOTES

## TAKING AIM

ADAM VINATIERI is the most accurate kicker in franchise history and ranks sixth among the most accurate kickers in NFL history. He has recorded an 81.9 percent conversion rate (235/287) over his nine-year career. He is 23-for-24 in 2004. He has connected on 82 of his last 95 kicks, good for an 86.3 percent clip.



## NFL ALL-TIME MOST ACCURATE KICKERS

	TEAM	PCT.	FGM/FGA
1. Mike Vanderjagt	Colts	86.9	180/207
2. David Akers*	Eagles	83.4	131/157
3. Matt Stover	Ravens	82.6	337/408
4. Olindo Mare	Dolphins	82.5	188/228
5. Ryan Longwell	Packers	82.2	194/236
<b>6. Adam Vinatieri</b>	<b>Patriots</b>	<b>81.9</b>	<b>235/287</b>
7. John Carney	Saints	81.7	358/438
8. Jeff Wilkins	Rams	81.5	216/265
9. Doug Brien	Jets	81.2	194/239
10. Gary Anderson	Titans	80.2	532/663
11. Jason Hanson	Lions	80.1	289/361
12. Mike Hollis	Giants	80.0	200/250
13. John Kasay	Panthers	79.8	272/341
14. Jason Elam	Broncos	79.1	303/383
15. Morten Andersen	Vikings	78.9	511/648
16. Martin Gramatica	Buccaneers	77.8	137/176

## SCORING MACHINE

ADAM VINATIERI is the second leading scorer in Patriots history, totaling 1,010 points in his eight-plus seasons with the club. Vinatieri made the team as a rookie free agent in 1996 and has scored 100 points or more in each of his eight seasons, joining Jason Elam of the Denver Broncos as the only two kickers in NFL history to accomplish the feat. Vinatieri has kicked the most field goals in Patriots history, having tallied 235 successful boots in a Patriots uniform.

## LEADING SCORERS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

#	SCORING	TD	PAT/PATA	2-Pt	FG /FGA	TP
1	Gino Cappelletti	42	346/ 358	2	176/ 334	1,130
<b>2</b>	<b>Adam Vinatieri</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>303/ 309</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>235/ 287</b>	<b>1,010</b>
3	John Smith	0	308/ 323	0	128/ 191	692

## LAST-MINUTE MAN

ADAM VINATIERI nailed his second Super Bowl-winning field goal, booting a 41-yarder through the uprights with four seconds left to give the Patriots a 32-29 victory over Carolina in Super Bowl XXXVIII. He is the only kicker in NFL history to kick a game-winning field goal in the final minute of the Super Bowl and has accomplished the feat twice, including his 48-yarder to win Super Bowl XXXVI. Out of the Patriots' six playoff wins since 2001, four were decided on game-winning boots by Vinatieri. In all, Vinatieri has kicked 17 game-winning field goals in his career, including nine in the past three seasons. His game-winners are listed below:

## ADAM VINATIERI'S GAME-WINNING FIELD GOALS

Date	Opponent	Yds	Time	Final Score
02/01/04	Carolina*	41	0:04	32-29
01/10/04	Tennessee*	46	4:06	17-14
11/23/03	at Houston	28	0:41 (OT)	23-20
12/29/02	Miami	35	12:57 (OT)	27-24
09/22/02	Kansas City	35	10:20 (OT)	41-38
02/03/02	St. Louis*	48	0:00	20-17
01/19/02	Oakland*	23	6:31 (OT)	16-13
12/16/01	at Buffalo	23	9:15 (OT)	12-9
10/14/01	San Diego	44	10:55 (OT)	29-26
12/17/00	at Buffalo	24	0:19 (OT)	13-10
11/19/00	Cincinnati	22	0:03	16-13
09/19/99	Indianapolis	26	0:35	31-28
09/12/99	at N.Y. Jets	23	0:03	30-28
12/20/98	San Francisco	35	0:03	24-21
10/04/98	at New Orleans	27	0:03	30-27
09/14/97	N.Y. Jets	34	6:57 (OT)	27-24
09/22/96	Jacksonville	40	12:24 (OT)	28-25

\*-Playoffs

## ON POINT

ADAM VINATIERI is in the midst of the most successful season of his nine-year career and leads the NFL in scoring with 93 points. He set a single-game career high with 17 points against Buffalo on Nov. 14, and is on pace to total 165 points this season. If Vinatieri reaches that mark, he would establish a franchise record for points in a season, topping Gino Cappelletti's total of 155 points in 1964.

## 2004 NFL SCORING LEADERS

Player	Team	TD	PAT/PATA	FG/FGM	Pts
<b>Adam Vinatieri</b>	<b>NE</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>24/24</b>	<b>23/24</b>	<b>93</b>
Priest Holmes	KC	15	-/-	-/-	90
David Akers	PHI	0	18/18	19/22	75
Shayne Graham	CIN	0	16/16	19/21	73
Josh Brown	SEA	0	21/21	17/18	72
Shaun Alexander	SEA	12	-/-	-/-	72
Terrell Owens	PHI	12	-/-	-/-	72

## SUCCESS STREAK

ADAM VINATIERI enters this week's action having connected on each of his last 16 field goals, tying his own mark for the second-longest success streak in team history. Vinatieri has been perfect in each of his last five games and has not missed a kick since a 47-yard attempt went wide right against Miami on Oct. 10. Vinatieri established a franchise record by connecting on 25 consecutive boots from Nov. 24, 1996 to Nov. 9, 1997. He has equaled the second longest streak in team history, which he also achieved by hitting 16 straight kicks from Oct. 8 to Dec. 4, 2000.

## PATRIOTS ALL-TIME LISTS

TROY BROWN ranks third in Patriots history with 469 career receptions. He ranks fourth in franchise history with 5,450 career receiving yards. Brown needs 22 catches to pass Ben Coates for second place on the all-time receptions list, and can move into third place on the receiving yardage with 22 more yards.

## PATRIOTS ALL-TIME RECEIVING LEADERS (BY CATCHES)

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
<b>3</b>	<b>Troy Brown, WR .....</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>5,450</b>	<b>11.6</b>	<b>82t</b>	<b>25</b>
4	Irving Fryar, WR.....	363	5,726	15.8	80t	38

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5	Jim Colclough.....	283	5,001	17.7	78t	39
6	Terry Glenn .....	329	4,669	14.2	86t	22

## GOOD POINTS

The Patriots offense has been remarkably efficient in the first half of games this season, scoring in both the first and second quarters of each game this season. The second quarter has been New England's most productive period. The Patriots have scored a touchdown in the second quarter of every game so far this season. New England has scored a total of 143 points in the first half and has led at halftime in six of its nine games. A halftime lead has been a harbinger of success for the Patriots, as they have won each of their last 28 games in which they held a halftime advantage.

## 2004 QUARTER-BY-QUARTER SCORING

Date	Opp.	1	2	3	4	Total
09/09	IND	3	10	14	0	27
09/19	at ARZ	7	7	7	6	23
10/03	at BUF	10	7	0	14	31
10/11	MIA	7	10	7	0	24
10/17	SEA	10	10	0	10	30
10/24	NYJ	3	10	0	0	13
10/31	at PIT	3	7	3	7	20
11/07	at STL	6	13	14	7	40
11/14	BUF	3	17	3	6	29
<b>9-GAME TOTALS</b>		<b>52</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>237</b>



# OFFENSE NEWS & NOTES

## DILLON DOMINATES

COREY DILLON has recorded five 100-yard games so far this season and owns 33 career 100-yard games. Dillon's five games surpassing the century mark are the most by a Patriot since Curtis Martin recorded a franchise-record nine 100-yard performances in 1995. Dillon's five 100-yard games ties his career high, set in 1999, 2000 and 2002. He has exceeded 100 yards in each of the last four games in which he has appeared, marking the most productive stretch of his career. Dillon's top performances of 2004 are listed below.



### DILLON'S 100-YARD GAMES IN 2004

Date	Opponent	Yds	Att	Avg.	Lg	TD
09/19/04	at Arizona	158	32	4.9	17	0
11/14/04	Buffalo	151	26	5.8	30	0
10/24/04	N.Y. Jets	115	22	5.2	44	0
11/07/04	at St. Louis	112	25	4.5	17	1
10/17/04	Seattle	105	23	4.6	15	2

## MAKING HIS MARK

In his second game as a Patriot, Dillon ran for 158 yards at Arizona (09/19/04), gaining the most yards by a Patriots rusher in nearly six years, since Robert Edwards cut loose for 196 yards (on 24 carries) on Dec. 13, 1998 at St. Louis.

### Corey Dillon's 32 carries against Arizona were...

- The most by a Patriot in more than seven years (since Curtis Martin set a franchise record with 40 carries in a game against the New York Jets at Foxboro Stadium on Sept. 14, 1997).
- The most for Dillon in nearly four years, since he ran 35 times (for 216 yards) for the Bengals against the Arizona Cardinals in Cincinnati on Dec. 3, 2000.
- The fourth-largest workload of Dillon's eight-year career. He had a career-high 39 carries for the Bengals against Tennessee on Dec. 4, 1997.

### Corey Dillon's 158 yards against Arizona were...

- The most by a Patriot in nearly six years (Robert Edwards, 196 yards on 24 carries at St. Louis on Dec. 13, 1998).
- The 29th time in his career that Dillon has exceeded 100 yards in a game.
- The eighth time in his career that Dillon has exceeded 150 yards in a game.

### DILLON'S TOP TEN RUSHING PERFORMANCES

Rk	Yds	Att	Date	Opponent
1.	278	22	10/22/00	Denver
2.	246	39	12/04/97	Tennessee
3.	216	35	12/03/00	Arizona
4.	192	28	12/12/99	Cleveland
5.	184	27	10/28/01	at Detroit
6.	168	28	10/10/99	at Cleveland
7.	164	23	10/06/02	at Indianapolis
8.	158	32	09/19/04	at Arizona
9.	151	26	11/14/04	Buffalo
10.	140	31	10/14/01	Cleveland

## RECORD PACE

Through nine games, Corey Dillon has run for 900 yards on 180 carries (5.0 avg). Last season, Antowain Smith led the team with 642 rushing yards. Dillon is on pace to run for 1,600 yards, which would beat Curtis Martin's team mark of 1,487 yards, set in 1995. If Dillon continues on this pace, he could also break his personal career high of 1,435 yards (on 315 carries), set in 2000 with the Cincinnati Bengals.

### DILLON ON PRODUCTIVE PACE

	Rush	Yds	Avg	TD
Dillon through nine games	180	900	5.0	4
Projected 2004 Totals	360	1,600	5.0	7
Curtis Martin in 1995	368*	1,487*	4.0	14*
Dillon's Career Highs	340	1,435	4.8	10

\*-Patriots Franchise Records

## BALANCED ATTACK

Corey Dillon and David Givens have each gained 100 yards in the same game three times this season, marking the only times since 1997 that the Patriots have had a 100-yard rusher and a 100-yard receiver in the same game. Dillon and Givens both broke the 100-yard mark in their respective categories at Arizona (9/19), against the N.Y. Jets (10/24) and at St. Louis (11/7). Prior to this season, the last time the Patriots achieved the feat was on Nov. 2, 1997, when Curtis Martin ran for 104 yards and Shawn Jefferson gained 108 receiving yards at Minnesota.

## GIVENS LEADS THE WAY

Through nine games this season, DAVID GIVENS is New England's leading receiver, pacing the team with a career-high 42 receptions and 710 yards. Last season, Givens tied for the team's postseason lead with 17 catches on the heels of a 34-catch regular season. Givens has exceeded the 100-yard receiving mark four times this season, becoming the first Patriot to record four 100-yard games in a season since Terry Glenn did it in 1999. He got his first career 100-yard game at Arizona on Sept. 19, 2004 (120 yards), then followed that with three consecutive century-mark games against the N.Y. Jets (10/24) at Pittsburgh (10/31) and at St. Louis (11/7).

## MR. FIRST DOWN

DAVID GIVENS' first 30 catches this season all resulted in first downs for the Patriots, and 39 of his 42 catches to date have recorded first downs. New England's leading receiver is averaging 16.9 yards per catch, and has shown a knack for the big play, grabbing three passes of more than 40 yards and 11 passes of 20 yards or more.

## HE RATE ME

TOM BRADY has earned four passer ratings over 100.0 this season and has done so 20 times in his career. All of Brady's 20 career 100.0-plus ratings have come in Patriots victories.

### BRADY'S GAMES WITH A PASSER RATING OVER 100.0

Date	Opp.	Att	Cmp	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	NO	26	19	258	.731	4	0	143.9	W
11/04/01	at ATL	31	21	250	.677	3	0	124.4	W
12/27/03	BUF	32	21	204	.656	4	0	122.9	W
10/19/03	at MIA	34	24	283	.706	2	0	115.2	W
10/03/04	at BUF	30	17	298	.567	2	0	112.9	W
11/24/02	MIN	34	21	239	.617	3	0	112.3	W
09/09/04	IND	38	26	335	.684	3	1	111.2	W
09/22/02	KC	54	39	410	.722	4	1	110.9	W
09/09/02	PIT	43	29	294	.674	3	0	110.0	W
11/03/03	at DEN	35	20	350	.571	3	1	108.0	W
09/14/03	at PHI	44	30	255	.682	3	0	105.8	W
10/24/04	NYJ	29	20	230	.690	1	0	104.1	W
11/07/04	at STL	31	18	234	.581	2	0	103.4	W
12/14/03	JAX	34	22	228	.647	2	0	103.6	W
12/20/03	at NYJ	25	15	138	.600	2	0	101.8	W
12/08/02	BUF	27	15	183	.556	2	0	101.3	W
09/15/02	at NYJ	35	25	269	.714	2	1	100.8	W
02/01/04	CAR	48	32	354	.667	3	1	100.5	W

## ON TARGET

TOM BRADY is moving up in the Patriots record books in a number of categories. Below is a list of how Brady ranks among the franchise's passing leaders.

### BRADY IN THE PATRIOTS RECORD BOOKS

Category	Number	Rank
Completion Pct.	61.4	1
Passer Rating	86.8	1
Completions	1,121	4
Touchdowns	86	4
Yards	12,330	4
Attempts	1,825	4



# QB TOM BRADY NEWS & NOTES

## RECORDING SUCCESS

TOM BRADY has quarterbacked the Patriots to victories in 42 of his 55 regular-season starts during his career, compiling a .763 winning percentage and giving him the best record of any active quarterback in the NFL. Including the playoffs, he is 48-13 (.787) as a starter. Including preseason, he is 55-16 (.775).



## ACTIVE QUARTERBACKS WINNING PERCENTAGE

Minimum 10 Starts

Quarterback, Team(s)	W	L	T	Pct.
<b>Tom Brady, NE</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.763</b>
Marc Bulger, STL	23	8	0	.742
Donovan McNabb, PHI	51	22	0	.699
Kurt Warner, STL/NYG	40	19	0	.678
Brett Favre, ATL/GB	130	68	0	.657
Michael Vick, ATL	19	10	1	.650
Chad Pennington, NYJ	18	11	0	.621
Steve McNair, TEN	71	44	0	.617
Jay Fiedler, JAX/MIA	37	23	0	.617

## OVERDRIVE IN OVERTIME

TOM BRADY owns a career record of 7-0 in overtime, including the postseason. Brady is the all-time NFL leader in overtime wins without a defeat. Brady and former Steelers signal caller Terry Bradshaw are the only two NFL quarterbacks to be undefeated in overtime (minimum of five games). The top six quarterbacks in overtime are listed below.

## BEST CAREER OVERTIME RECORD (Min: 5 Games)

	W- L	Pct.	Yrs in NFL
<b>Tom Brady</b>	<b>7-0</b>	<b>1.000</b>	<b>5</b>
Terry Bradshaw	5-0	1.000	14
Ken Stabler	6-1	.857	15
Jake Plummer	5-1	.833	7
Jim Kelly	6-2	.750	11
Ken O'Brien	4-1-1	.750	10

Regular and postseason games combined.

## COMEBACK KID

TOM BRADY has engineered 16 game-winning drives to break a tie or take the lead in the fourth quarter or overtime in his career. He has accomplished the feat twice in the Super Bowl, most recently engineering a 47-yard drive with just over a minute remaining to lead the Patriots to victory in Super Bowl XXXVIII. He led seven comebacks in 2003, including a fourth-quarter comeback to break a 14-14 tie against Tennessee in the AFC Divisional Playoffs in addition to comebacks against Houston, Indianapolis, Miami, Tennessee and Denver in the regular season. Brady's record also includes his dramatic performance to lead the Patriots to victory in Super Bowl XXXVI and his heroics in the snow against the Oakland Raiders in the 2001 Divisional Playoffs, giving him four comebacks in six postseason starts.

## TOM BRADY'S GAME-WINNING PERFORMANCES

Date	Opp.	Time Remaining		Passing Statistics^						Final
		Score	in Reg.	Att	Cmp	Yds	TD	Int		
10/03/04	at BUF	17-17	15:00	4	2	8	1	0		31-17
02/01/04	CAR**	29-29	1:08	5	4	47	0	0		32-29
01/10/04	TEN*	14-14	15:00	11	6	27	0	0		17-14
11/30/03	at IND	31-31	10:21	6	3	31	1	0		38-34
11/23/03	at HST	13-20	3:11	14	10	133	1	0		23-20 ot
11/03/03	at DEN	23-26	2:51	4	5	58	1	0		30-26
10/19/03	at MIA	13-13	15:00	10	7	147	1	0		19-13 ot
10/05/03	TEN	24-27	4:40	1	1	15	0	0		38-30
12/29/02	MIA	13-24	4:59	13	8	69	1	0		27-24 ot
11/10/02	at CHI	19-30	5:16	14	9	116	2	0		33-30
09/22/02	KC	38-38	0:00	5	4	46	0	0		41-38 ot
02/03/02	STL**	17-17	1:21	8	5	53	0	0		20-17
01/19/02	OAK*	3-13	15:00	27	20	138	0	0		16-13 ot
12/16/01	at BUF	6-9	5:57	13	9	116	0	0		12-9 ot
12/02/01	at NYJ	14-16	15:00	7	6	56	0	0		17-16
10/14/01	SD	16-26	8:48	18	13	130	1	0		29-26 ot

^Statistics are from the time until the end of the game

\* Divisional Playoffs

\*\* Super Bowl

## CAREER WINNING PERCENTAGE

TOM BRADY is the winningest quarterback in the Super Bowl Era (since 1966) among signal callers who have made at least 40 starts. He is one of just three quarterbacks in the Super Bowl Era to own a career winning percentage above 70 percent. Brady joins Roger Staubach and Joe Montana as the only quarterbacks to win as many as 70 percent of their starts. A list placing Brady's accomplishments in a historical perspective is below.

## WINNINGEST QUARTERBACKS OF THE SUPER BOWL ERA

Minimum 40 Starts

Player	Team	Years	W	L	Pct.
<b>Tom Brady</b>	<b>NE</b>	<b>2000-Pres.</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>.763</b>
Roger Staubach	DAL	1969-79	85	29	.746
Joe Montana	SF/KC	1979-94	117	47	.713

## CLOSE CALLS

Tom Brady has compiled a sparkling 18-1 record as a starter in games where the final margin was less than a touchdown, including a 4-0 postseason record in such games. In games decided by three points or fewer, Brady is 12-1. In the 2003 season, Brady led the team to nine victories by six points or fewer, including two in the playoffs. Since Brady took over as the starting quarterback early in the 2001 season, the Patriots have lost just one game by less than a touchdown.

## TOM BRADY'S RECORD IN CLOSE GAMES

18-1 in games decided by six points or less

Date	Opp.	Score	Result	Margin
10/24/04	NYJ	13-7	W	+6
09/09/04	IND	27-24	W	+3
02/01/04	CAR^	32-29	W	+3
01/10/04	TEN*	17-14	W	+3
12/20/03	at NYJ	21-16	W	+5
11/30/03	at IND	38-34	W	+4
11/23/03	at HST	23-20 ot	W	+3
11/03/03	at DEN	30-26	W	+4
10/26/03	CLE	9-3	W	+6
10/19/03	at MIA	19-13 ot	W	+6
09/28/03	at WAS	17-20	L	-3
12/29/02	MIA	27-24 ot	W	+3
11/10/02	at CHI	33-30	W	+3
09/22/02	KC	41-38 ot	W	+3
02/03/02	STL^	20-17	W	+3
01/19/02	OAK*	16-13 ot	W	+3
12/16/01	at BUF	12-9	W	+3
12/02/01	at NYJ	17-16	W	+1
10/14/01	SD	29-26 ot	W	+3

^Super Bowl

\*-Divisional Playoffs

## MILESTONE MAN

TOM BRADY recorded the 1,000th completion of his career on a 13-yard toss to Corey Dillon in the first quarter against Buffalo on Oct. 3. Brady becomes the fourth Patriots passer to join the 1,000-completion club, joining Drew Bledsoe (2,544), Steve Grogan (1,879) and Vito "Babe" Parilli (1,140).

## CAREER NUMBERS

TOM BRADY ranks fourth among Patriots' all-time leading passers, and is the franchise's all-time leader in completion percentage. Brady passed Tony Eason to move into fourth place on the Patriots yardage list at Arizona on Sept. 19. With 20 more completions, he can pass Vito "Babe" Parilli and move into third place on the Patriots all-time completions list. Brady became the fourth Patriot to reach the 1,000-completion mark at Buffalo on Oct. 3.

## ALL-TIME PATRIOTS PASSING LEADERS

Rk.	Name	Att	Cmp	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.	<b>TOM BRADY</b>	<b>1,825</b>	<b>1,121</b>	<b>12,330</b>	<b>61.4</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>46</b>
5.	Tony Eason	1,500	876	10,732	58.4	60	48
6.	Jim Plunkett	1,503	729	9,932	48.5	62	87
7.	Hugh Millen	612	370	4,276	60.5	17	28





# DEFENSE NEWS AND NOTES

## LAW AND ORDER

TY LAW is tied for the Patriots franchise record with 36 career interceptions and needs just one more pick to pass Raymond Clayborn and claim sole possession of the club mark. Law tied the franchise record with a first-quarter interception against Seattle on Oct. 17 at Gillette Stadium. Law and Clayborn are the only two Patriots to record 30 or more picks in a Patriots uniform. Law is the team's all-time leader in interceptions returned for a touchdown and also in postseason picks (4).



### PATRIOTS ALL-TIME INTERCEPTIONS LIST

Rk	Player	Int.	Yards	Avg	Lg	TD
1	Ty Law .....	36	583	16.2	65t	6
	Raymond Clayborn .....	36	555	15.4	85	1
3	Ron Hall .....	29	476	16.4	87	1
	Roland James .....	29	383	13.2	46	0
	Fred Marion .....	29	457	15.8	83	1

## TOUCHDOWN TY

TY LAW is the Patriots' all-time leader in interceptions returned for a touchdown. He returned his sixth career pick for a score against Tennessee on Oct. 5, 2003. Including his 47-yard return for a touchdown in Super Bowl XXXVI, Law has seven touchdown returns. Below is a list of Law's interceptions returned for touchdowns. The Patriots are 6-1 in games when Law has scored a touchdown.

### TY LAW'S CAREER INTERCEPTIONS RETURNED FOR TD

Date	Opponent	Length	Quarterback	Result
10/06/03	Tennessee	65 yds	Steve McNair	W, 38-30
02/03/01	St. Louis*	47 yds	Kurt Warner	W, 20-17
01/06/01	Carolina	46 yds	Chris Weinke	W, 38-6
09/30/01	Indianapolis	23 yds	Peyton Manning	W, 44-13
10/17/99	Miami	27 yds	Damon Huard	L, 30-31
09/13/98	Indianapolis	59 yds	Peyton Manning	W, 29-6
12/08/96	N.Y. Jets	38 yds	Glenn Foley	W, 24-10

\*-Super Bowl XXXVI

## WILLIE MAC ATTACK

WILLIE MCGINEST ranks fourth on the Patriots' all-time sacks list with 68.0 career sacks. He leads the team with 5.5 sacks through nine games in the 2004 season, continuing a run of strong play dating back to late last year. Including his NFL-leading 5.0 sacks in the 2003 postseason, McGinest has recorded 12.0 sacks in his last 12 games, 12.5 sacks in his last 14 games and 13.5 sacks in his last 16 games. He is the Patriots' career postseason sack leader and ranks third all-time in NFL postseason history with 11.5 career postseason sacks, trailing only Bruce Smith (14.5) and Reggie White (12.0). The Patriots' all-time regular-season sack leaders are listed below.

### PATRIOTS ALL-TIME SACK LEADERS

1. Andre Tippett, 1982-93.....100.0
2. Julius Adams, 1971-87.....79.5
3. Tony McGee, 1974-81.....72.5
4. **Willie McGinest, 1994-...68.0**
5. Ray Hamilton, 1973-81.....54.0
6. Chris Slade, 1993-00.....51.0

## ROMAN'S EMPIRE

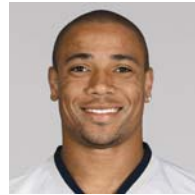
Since arriving in New England in 2001, ROMAN PHIFER leads the Patriots with 367 total tackles. Last season, he ranked third on the team with 133 tackles. In 2002, he led the team with 109 tackles, following a 2001 campaign where he recorded 92 tackles.

### PATRIOTS LEADING TACKLERS SINCE 2001

Player	2001	2002	2003	2004	Total
Roman Phifer	92	109	133	33	367
Tedy Bruschi	73	65	137	66	342
Mike Vrabel	60	75	69	49	253
Ty Law	70	77	77	26	250
Ted Johnson	46	96	26	64	232
Rodney Harrison	-	-	140	84	224
Richard Seymour	44	56	80	42	222
Willie McGinest	33	62	79	31	205

## HOT ROD

RODNEY HARRISON leads the Patriots with 84 tackles (56 solo) and continues to be a leader in the New England secondary. Harrison is also tied for second on the team with 3.0 sacks, putting him halfway to his career high of 6.0 sacks, set with the San Diego Chargers in 2000. He recorded a career-high 20 tackles (12 solo) at Pittsburgh on Oct. 31, 2004. In 2003, his first season in New England, Harrison led the team with a career-high 140 tackles (105 solo) and is on pace to beat that mark with 149 tackles this season.



## SACK ATTACK

The Patriots have recorded 26.0 sacks through nine games this season. New England's 26.0 sacks have been recorded by 11 different defenders, with Willie McGinest leading the way with 5.5 sacks and Rodney Harrison, Richard Seymour and Mike Vrabel close behind with 3.0 sacks. Last season, the Patriots totaled 41.0 sacks, registered by 14 different players, and are on pace to notch 46.0 sacks this season.

### PATRIOTS SACK BREAKDOWN:

#### 26.0 Sacks by 11 Different Players

Player	Sacks	Player	Sacks
W. McGinest .....	5.5	R. Colvin.....	2.0
R. Harrison .....	3.0	J. Green .....	2.0
M. Vrabel.....	3.0	T. Bruschi.....	1.5
R. Seymour.....	3.0	T. Banta-Cain.....	1.5
V. Wilfork .....	2.0	T. Warren.....	1.5
		R. Phifer .....	1.0

## "BIG SEY" SEES THE ZONE

Two-time Pro Bowl defensive lineman RICHARD SEYMOUR scored his first career touchdown on Oct. 3 at Buffalo, scooping up a Drew Bledsoe fumble caused by Tedy Bruschi and rumbling 68 yards for the score and a decisive 31-17 advantage for the Patriots. Seymour became the first Patriots defensive lineman to score a touchdown since Willie McGinest recovered a fumble in the end zone in a 30-28 win over the New York Jets in the 1999 season opener.

## MEAN GENE

EUGENE WILSON leads the Patriots with three interceptions this season. Two of his picks came against Arizona on Sept. 19, marking the first multiple-pick game of his career. All of Wilson's interceptions this season have kick-started Patriots scoring drives, with the team notching 17 points off of his three picks. Last year, Wilson tied for the NFL rookie lead with four picks and the Patriots led the NFL with 29 interceptions.

## A SPECIAL PLAYER

LARRY IZZO leads the team with 16 special teams tackles and has led his team in special teams stops in each of his last five NFL seasons. Since pacing the Miami Dolphins with 33 special teams tackles in 1999, the two-time Pro Bowler has set the mark on his team in every season since then, including every year since he joined the Patriots in 2001. He has recorded 88 special teams tackles in a Patriots uniform over the last three-plus seasons and is in his fourth consecutive year as New England's special teams captain.

## PICK A STREAK

The Patriots have notched at least one interception in 20 of their last 23 regular-season games and have done so in 12 of their last 13 regular-season home games. Including last season's two postseason games in Foxborough, the Patriots have at least one pick in 14 of their last 15 home games.



# BROADCAST INFORMATION

## PATRIOTS ALL ACCESS

**P**atriots All Access, an Emmy Award-winning one-hour magazine show, airs weekly throughout the season on WCVB-TV Channel 5 in Boston. Indicative of its name, Patriots All Access provides viewers exclusive, behind-the-scenes access and weekly in-depth features on Patriots players and personnel. WCVB's Mike Lynch hosts the program and is joined by head coach Bill Belichick for a weekly chalk talk and also by a Patriots player of the week. Another weekly segment takes a look at what Patriots players do off the field. The show also offers game previews, reviews and comprehensive analysis of every Patriots game.



## WCVB-TV Channel 5

**Patriots All Access** ..... Saturdays at 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

## WBCN PATRIOTS ROCK RADIO NETWORK

For the 10th consecutive season, WBCN is proud to be the flagship station for the Patriots Rock Radio Network. Every Patriots game can be heard on WBCN (104.1 FM) and its network of 34 stations throughout all six New England states. Longtime broadcast tandem Gil Santos and Gino Cappelletti will call all of the action in static-free stereo sound.



**FLAGSHIP STATION**  
**WBCN**  
**Boston ★ 104.1 FM**



### MASSACHUSETTS

WAHL	Athol	99.9 FM
WXTK	Cape Cod	95.1 FM
WSAR	Fall River	1480 AM
WEIM	Fitchburg	1280 AM
WKKB	New Bedford	100.3 FM
WBEC	Pittsfield	1420 AM
WBEC	Pittsfield	95.7 FM
WAQY	Springfield	102.1 FM
WWFX	Worcester	100.1 FM

### MAINE

WEBB	Augusta	98.5 FM
WTUL	Augusta	1400 AM
WNSX	Bangor	97.7 FM
WSHK	Kittery	105.3 FM
WBLM	Portland	102.9 FM
WOZI	Presque Isle	101.9 FM

### CONNECTICUT

WCCC	Hartford	106.9 FM
WMOS	New London	104.7 FM
WINY	Putnam	1350 AM

### NEW HAMPSHIRE

WTSL	Hanover	1400 AM
WZBK	Keene	1220 AM
WBHG	Laconia	101.5 FM
WVRR	Lebanon	101.7 FM
WGIR	Manchester	610 AM
WSAK	Hampton	102.1 FM
WXKL	Concord	1450 AM

### RHODE ISLAND

WSKO	Providence	790 AM
WSKO	Providence	99.7 FM

### VERMONT

WKVT	Brattleboro	92.7 FM
WCPV	Burlington	101.3 FM
WMXR	Claremont	93.9 FM
WMOO	Derby	92.1 FM
WEXP	Rutland	101.5 FM
W257AUS	Johnsb.	99.3 FM
WSNO	Waterbury	960 AM

## PATRIOTS.COM

The official Web site of the New England Patriots offers fans an exciting lineup of daily features and is one of the most advanced and exciting Web sites in all of sports. **Patriots Video News** is a streaming video show broadcast daily on Patriots.com, giving Patriots fans interviews and analysis that picks up where the newspapers and TV reports leave off. **Patriots.com Radio** features six hours of original daily programming beginning at noon ET and allows fans to interact with hosts and guests via phone and email. Besides these features, the site offers daily news updates, press releases, live coverage of all press conferences and much more.



## 2004 TELEVISION RATINGS

Historically, the Patriots have been at or near the top of the weekly television ratings for the 2.4 million homes in the Boston market. Below is a compilation of this season's ratings along with a historical perspective to show the Patriots' consistent popularity in the Boston market. According to Nielsen Media Research, Boston is the fifth-largest television market in the country, behind New York, Los Angeles, Chicago and Philadelphia.

## 2004 PATRIOTS TELEVISION RATINGS

Date	Opponent	Rating/Share	Net.	Rk*
Thurs., Sept. 9	Indianapolis	28.1 / 47	ABC	1/1
Sun., Sept. 19	at Arizona	29.6 / 55	CBS	1/1
Sun., Oct. 3	at Buffalo	27.3 / 59	CBS	1/1
Sun., Oct. 10	Miami	28.8 / 61	CBS	1/1
Sun., Oct. 17	Seattle	31.9 / 66	FOX	4/1
Sun., Oct. 24	N.Y. Jets	35.5 / 62	CBS	8/7
Sun., Oct. 31	at Pittsburgh	33.9 / 57	CBS	7/5
Sun., Nov. 7	at St. Louis	33.4 / 56	CBS	1/1
Sun., Nov. 14	Buffalo	32.6 / 50	ESPN	
Mon., Nov. 22	at Kansas City	9:00	ABC	
Sun., Nov. 28	Baltimore	4:15	CBS	
Sun., Dec. 5	at Cleveland	1:00	CBS	
Sun., Dec. 12	Cincinnati	1:00	CBS	
Mon., Dec. 20	at Miami	9:00	ABC	
Sun., Dec. 26	at N.Y. Jets	4:05	CBS	
Sun., Jan. 2	San Francisco	1:00	FOX	

\*-Rating and Share rank among all other weekly television programming in the Boston TV market

## RATINGS HISTORY

Season	Rating / Share
2004 Regular Season Average	31.2 / 57
2003 Regular Season Average	26.8 / 51
2003 Postseason Average	47.0 / 72
2002 Regular Season Average	28.5 / 53
2001 Regular Season Average	24.7 / 48
2001 Postseason Average	47.4 / 73

**Note:** Each ratings point represents one percent of the 2.4 million homes in the Boston TV market.

## PATRIOTS MONDAY ON WEEI

Sports Radio 850 WEEI has the exclusive rights to broadcast "Patriots Monday" from Gillette Stadium every week during the season. The daylong programming lineup offers fans unique access from head coach Bill Belichick and quarterback Tom Brady along with appearances by Troy Brown and Richard Seymour, among other star players.

Time (Mondays)	Show	Guest(s)
6:00 – 10:00 a.m.	Dennis and Callahan	Tom Brady
10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Dale and Neumy	Stars of the Week
2:00 – 6:00 p.m.	The Big Show	Coach Belichick

## PATRIOTS FOOTBALL WEEKLY ON WB56

Join the editorial staff of Patriots Football Weekly for a half-hour Patriots extravaganza every Saturday night on WLVI-TV (WB56). The ultimate studio sports show for the ultimate Patriots fan is patterned like the official team newspaper, aiming to be confrontational and opinionated as the reporters dish about what's ahead for the team, give opponent analysis and offer insider information they've learned from working in the trenches at Gillette Stadium.

## WLVI-TV Channel 56

**Patriots Football Weekly** ..... Every Saturday at 11:00 p.m.



# 2004 TRANSACTIONS

## FEBRUARY, 2004

2/6	Phillip Crosby .....	Signed
	Jack Fadule .....	Signed
	Justin Kurpeikis .....	Signed
	Malaefou Mackenzie .....	Signed
	Frank Moreau .....	Signed
	Marquise Walker .....	Signed
	Scott Farley .....	Signed (Allocated to NFL Europe)
	Lawrence Flugence .....	Signed (Allocated to NFL Europe)
	Michael Hall .....	Signed (Allocated to NFL Europe)
	Jason Perry .....	Signed (Allocated to NFL Europe)
	David Pruce .....	Signed (Allocated to NFL Europe)
	Buck Rasmussen .....	Signed (Allocated to NFL Europe)
	Rohan Davey .....	Allocated to NFL Europe
	Chas Gessner .....	Allocated to NFL Europe
	Jamil Soriano .....	Allocated to NFL Europe
2/8	Antowain Smith .....	Declined to exercise option
2/12	Josh McDaniels .....	Named quarterbacks coach
2/25	Dean Pees .....	Named linebackers coach

## MARCH, 2004

3/1	Russ Hochstein .....	Re-signed
3/3	J.J. Stokes .....	Re-signed
3/5	Don Davis .....	Re-signed
3/10	Kevin Faulk .....	Re-signed
3/11	Rodney Bailey .....	Signed
3/15	Josh Miller .....	Signed
3/16	Je'Rod Cherry .....	Re-signed
	Patrick Pass .....	Re-signed
3/24	Michael Jennings .....	Signed
	Michael Hall .....	Released
3/31	Keith Traylor .....	Signed

## APRIL, 2004

4/5	Michael Cloud .....	Re-signed
4/13	Otis Smith .....	Signed
4/19	Corey Dillon .....	Acquired via trade (CIN)
4/24	Vince Wilfork .....	Drafted
	Benjamin Watson .....	Drafted
	Marquise Hill .....	Drafted
	Guss Scott .....	Drafted
4/25	Dexter Reid .....	Drafted
	Cedric Cobbs .....	Drafted
	P.K. Sam .....	Drafted
	Christian Morton .....	Drafted
4/28	Jeff Burris .....	Signed
4/29	Eric Alexander .....	Signed as a rookie free agent
	Quinn Dorsey .....	Signed as a rookie free agent
	Louis Gachelin .....	Signed as a rookie free agent
	Randall Gay .....	Signed as a rookie free agent
	Brian Sawyer .....	Signed as a rookie free agent
	Cody Scates .....	Signed as a rookie free agent
	Grant Steen .....	Signed as a rookie free agent

## MAY, 2004

5/2	Ricky Bryant .....	Signed as a rookie free agent
	Andy Mignery .....	Signed as a rookie free agent
5/11	Bob Hallen .....	Signed
5/24	Louis Gachelin .....	Released

## JUNE, 2004

6/8	Terrell Buckley .....	Signed
	Phillip Crosby .....	Released
	Sean McDermott .....	Released
	Frank Moreau .....	Released
6/22	Dexter Reid .....	Signed
	DeVonte Peterson .....	Signed
6/24	Marquise Hill .....	Signed
6/25	Ryan Atoe .....	Signed

## JULY, 2004

7/7	Otis Smith .....	Released
7/14	Jason Perry .....	Released
7/15	Kurt Kittner .....	Signed
7/19	Jim Miller .....	Signed
	Vince Wilfork .....	Signed
7/21	Marquise Walker .....	Released
7/23	Matt Cercone .....	Signed
7/25	P.K. Sam .....	Signed
	Christian Morton .....	Signed
	Ryan Atoe .....	Released
	Ricky Bryant .....	Released
7/27	Zeron Flemister .....	Signed
7/28	Dwight Johnson .....	Signed
	James Williams .....	Signed
7/29	Jeff Burris .....	Released
7/30	Cedric Cobbs .....	Signed
	Guss Scott .....	Signed
	Matt Cercone .....	Released

## AUGUST, 2004

8/1	Ricky Bryant .....	Signed
8/2	Rodney Bailey .....	Placed on Reserve / Injured
	Jack Fadule .....	Released
8/5	Earthwind Moreland .....	Signed
	Dana Stubblefield .....	Signed
8/6	Kurt Kittner .....	Released
	DeVonte Peterson .....	Released
	James Williams .....	Released
8/11	Zeron Flemister .....	Placed on Reserve / Injured
8/16	Benjamin Watson .....	Signed
8/17	Joel Jacobs .....	Signed
	Quinn Dorsey .....	Traded (CHI)
8/23	Fred McCrary .....	Released
8/25	Andy Mignery .....	Waived
8/26	J.J. Stokes .....	Released
8/30	Guss Scott .....	Placed on Reserve / Injured
	Cody Scates .....	Released
	Brian Sawyer .....	Released
8/31	Dana Stubblefield .....	Placed on Reserve / Injured
	Jim Miller .....	Released
	Tim Provost .....	Released

## SEPTEMBER, 2004

9/3	Kory Chapman .....	Signed
	Jim Miller .....	Signed
	Kliff Kingsbury .....	Released
	Dwight Johnson .....	Released
	Earthwind Moreland .....	Released
	Jamil Soriano .....	Released
	Lawrence Flugence .....	Released
	Joel Jacobs .....	Released
	Grant Steen .....	Released
	Scott Farley .....	Released
	Michael Cloud .....	Released
9/5	Matt Chatham .....	Placed on Reserve/PUP
	Cedric Cobbs .....	Placed on Reserve/PUP
	Eric Alexander .....	Released
	Ricky Bryant .....	Released
	Terrell Buckley .....	Released
	Kory Chapman .....	Released
	Je'Rod Cherry .....	Released
	Chas Gessner .....	Released
	Michael Jennings .....	Released
	Justin Kurpeikis .....	Released
	Malaefou Mackenzie .....	Released
	Christian Morton .....	Released
	David Pruce .....	Released
	Buck Rasmussen .....	Released
9/6	Eric Alexander .....	Signed to the practice squad
	Kory Chapman .....	Signed to the practice squad
	Michael Jennings .....	Signed to the practice squad
	Justin Kurpeikis .....	Signed to the practice squad
	Malaefou Mackenzie .....	Signed to the practice squad
	Christian Morton .....	Signed to the practice squad
	David Pruce .....	Signed to the practice squad
	Buck Rasmussen .....	Signed to the practice squad
	Dana Stubblefield .....	Released from Reserve / Injured
9/7	Michael Jennings .....	Released from practice squad
	Russell Stuvaints .....	Signed to the practice squad
9/8	Bob Hallen .....	Released
9/10	Michael Jennings .....	Signed to the practice squad
	Malaefou Mackenzie .....	Released from practice squad
9/11	Rabih Abdullah .....	Signed
	Billy Yates .....	Signed to the practice squad
	David Pruce .....	Released from practice squad
9/15	Curry Burns .....	Signed to the practice squad
9/22	Cedric James .....	Signed to the practice squad
	Earthwind Moreland .....	Signed to the practice squad
	Michael Jennings .....	Released from practice squad
	Christian Morton .....	Released from practice squad
9/29	Jed Weaver .....	Signed
	Benjamin Watson .....	Placed on Reserve / Injured

## OCTOBER, 2004

10/5	Shawn Mayer .....	Released
10/6	Je'Rod Cherry .....	Signed
	Kevin Kasper .....	Signed
	Adrian Klemm .....	Placed on Reserve / Injured
10/20	P.K. Sam .....	Placed on Reserve / Injured
10/24	Matt Chatham .....	Activated from Reserve / PUP
10/30	Cedric Cobbs .....	Activated from Reserve / PUP
	Dan Klecko .....	Placed on Reserve / Injured

## NOVEMBER, 2004

11/6	Earthwind Moreland .....	Signed to active roster
	Tom Ashworth .....	Placed on Reserve / Injured
11/10	Lance Nimmo .....	Signed to the practice squad





# HOW THE PATRIOTS WERE BUILT

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>DRAFTEES (26)</u>	<u>VETERAN FREE AGENTS (19)</u>	<u>WAIVERS (1) / TRADES (1)</u>	<u>ROOKIE AND FIRST-YEAR FREE AGENTS (6)</u>
<b>1993</b>	Troy Brown (8)			
<b>1994</b>	Willie McGinest (1)			
<b>1995</b>	Ty Law (1) Ted Johnson (2)			
<b>1996</b>	Tedy Bruschi (3)			Adam Vinatieri (fa)
<b>1997</b>				
<b>1998</b>				
<b>1999</b>	Kevin Faulk (2)			
<b>2000</b>	Tom Brady (6b) Patrick Pass (7b)	Joe Andruzzi (fa) (G.B.)	Matt Chatham (fa) (cw-STL)	Lonie Paxton (fa)
<b>2001</b>	Richard Seymour (1) Matt Light (2)	Je'Rod Cherry (2) (PHI)* Larry Izzo (fa) (MIA)* David Patten (fa) (CLE) * Roman Phifer (2) (NYJ) Mike Vrabel (3) (PIT)*		Stephen Neal (fa)
<b>2002</b>	Daniel Graham (1) Deion Branch (2) Rohan Davey (4a) Jarvis Green (4b) David Givens (7b)	Christian Fauria (2) (SEA)*		Russ Hochstein (5)
<b>2003</b>	Ty Warren (1) Eugene Wilson (2a) Bethel Johnson (2b) Asante Samuel (4b) Dan Koppen (5) Tully Banta-Cain (7b) Ethan Kelley (7c)	Rosevelt Colvin (4) (CHI)* Don Davis (fa) (STL)* Brandon Gorin (7) Rodney Harrison (5) (SD) Tyrone Poole (1) (DEN)*		Gene Mruczkowski (fa)
<b>2004</b>	Vince Wilfork (1) Marquise Hill (2) Dexter Reid (4a) Cedric Cobbs (4b)	Rabih Abdullah (CHI) Kevin Kasper (6) (ARZ) Jim Miller (6) (TB) Josh Miller (fa) (PIT) Earthwind Moreland (fa) (CLE) Keith Traylor (3) (CHI)* Jed Weaver (7) (DEN)	Corey Dillon (2) (tr-CIN)	Randall Gay (fa)
				<b><u>RESERVE / INJURED (8)</u></b> Tom Ashworth (FA-01) Rodney Bailey (RFA-04) Zeron Flemister (UFA-04) Dan Klecko (D4a-03) Adrian Klemm (D2-00) P.K. Sam (D5-04) Guss Scott (D3-04) Benjamin Watson (D1b-04)
				* Unrestricted Free Agent ^ Restricted Free Agent (#) - indicates round drafted (fa) - indicates non-drafted free agents



— SUPER BOWL XXXVI AND XXXVIII CHAMPIONS —



# 2004 DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

Tackle statistics tabulated from coaching grades

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS											SP. TEAMS					FUMBLES - LOST (12-8)				
Name	TT	UT	A	S/ YL	Int/	Yds	PD	FF	FR		TT	UT	A	FF	FR	Own				
																No.	Lost	Rec.	O.B.	
Rodney Harrison	84	56	28	3.0	33.0	-	-	4	2	-	8	3	5	-	-	Tom Brady	5	4	0	0
Tedy Bruschi	66	42	24	1.5	9.0	2	34	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	Deion Branch	1	1	1	0
Ted Johnson	64	43	21	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	Corey Dillon	1	1	1	0
Mike Vrabel	49	38	11	3.0	22.0	-	-	3	-	-	3	2	1	-	-	Dan Klecko	1	1	0	0
Eugene Wilson	49	37	12	-	-	3	27	4	3	1	1	0	1	-	-	Kevin Faulk	1	1	0	0
Richard Seymour	42	23	19	3.0	24.0	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	Patrick Pass	1	0	0	0
Ty Warren	37	25	12	1.5	7.5	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	Tyrone Poole	1	0	0	1
Roman Phifer	33	23	10	1.0	6.0	1	26	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	Bethel Johnson	1	0	0	0
Willie McGinest	31	20	11	5.5	23.5	1	27	5	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	Totals	12	8	2	1
Vince Wilfork	31	19	12	2.0	11.0	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	BLOCKED KICKS				
Ty Law	26	25	1	-	-	1	0	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	XP	FG	P		
Rosevelt Colvin	24	10	14	2.0	14.5	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Totals	0	0	0	
Keith Traylor	22	16	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	MISC. OFFENSIVE STATS				
Randall Gay	18	16	2	-	-	1	10	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	Tkl	Ast	FF	FR	
Asante Samuel	16	16	0	-	-	-	-	5	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	David Givens	4	0	0	0
Tyrone Poole	16	13	3	-	-	1	21	3	-	-	0	0	0	1	-	Daniel Graham	2	0	0	0
Jarvis Green	13	7	6	2.0	3.0	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	Stephen Neal	2	0	0	0
Tully Banta-Cain	7	4	3	1.5	3.5	1	4	1	-	-	11	6	5	-	-	Tom Brady	1	0	0	0
Dexter Reid	6	2	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	8	4	4	-	-	Kevin Kasper	1	0	0	0
Troy Brown	3	3	0	-	-	1	17	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Dan Koppen	1	0	0	0
Earthwind Moreland	2	2	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Bethel Johnson	1	0	0	0
Don Davis	1	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	5	6	-	-	Totals	12	0	0	0
Larry Izzo	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	11	5	-	-					
Rabih Abdullah	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	6	4	-	-					
Je'Rod Cherry	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	5	3	-	-					
Patrick Pass	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	5	2	-	-					
Matt Chatham	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	1	4	-	-					
Shawn Mayer	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	2	2	-	-					
Dan Klecko	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	2	2	-	-					
Adam Vinatieri	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	0	-	-					
Kevin Kasper	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	0	-	-					
David Givens	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	1	-	-					
Lonie Paxton	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	1	1	-					
Totals	640	441	199	26.0	157.0	12	166	42	12	7	100	54	46	2	0					

BLOCKED KICKS		
XP	FG	P
<b>Totals</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

MISC. OFFENSIVE STATS				
	Tkl	Ast	FF	FR
David Givens	4	0	0	0
Daniel Graham	2	0	0	0
Stephen Neal	2	0	0	0
Tom Brady	1	0	0	0
Kevin Kasper	1	0	0	0
Dan Koppen	1	0	0	0
Bethel Johnson	1	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

## 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





# UNOFFICIAL DEPTH CHART

Unofficial depth chart compiled by Patriots Media Relations, Nov. 15, 2004

## OFFENSE

<b>WR:</b>	87 David Givens (9/7/0/0)	81 Bethel Johnson (8/1/0/1)	83 Deion Branch (2/2/0/7)*
<b>LT:</b>	72 Matt Light (9/9/0/0)	76 Brandon Gorin (7/3/0/2)	
<b>LG:</b>	63 Joe Andruzzi (9/9/0/0)	71 Russ Hochstein (9/2/0/0)	
<b>C:</b>	67 Dan Koppen (9/9/0/0)	<u>64 Gene Mruczkowski (3/0/0/6)</u>	
<b>RG:</b>	61 Stephen Neal (9/7/0/0)	63 Joe Andruzzi (9/9/0/0)	
<b>RT:</b>	76 Brandon Gorin (7/3/0/2)	61 Stephen Neal (9/7/0/0)	
<b>TE:</b>	82 Daniel Graham (9/9/0/0)	88 Christian Fauria (9/5/0/0)	85 Jed Weaver (3/1/2/2)
<b>WR:</b>	86 David Patten (9/7/0/0)	80 Troy Brown (5/0/0/4)	10 Kevin Kasper (6/0/0/0)
<b>QB:</b>	12 Tom Brady (9/9/0/0)	6 Rohan Davey (1/0/8/0)	13 Jim Miller (0/0/0/9)*
<b>RB:</b>	28 Corey Dillon (8/7/0/1)	33 Kevin Faulk (6/1/0/3)	27 Rabih Abdullah (7/0/0/1) <u>34 Cedric Cobbs (1/0/0/2)*</u>
<b>FB:</b>	35 Patrick Pass (7/2/0/2)		

## DEFENSE

<b>LE:</b>	94 Ty Warren (9/9/0/0)	<u>91 Marquise Hill (0/0/1/8)*</u>	
<b>NT:</b>	98 Keith Traylor (9/3/0/0)	<u>75 Vince Wilfork (9/6/0/0)</u>	<u>99 Ethan Kelley (0/0/0/9)*</u>
<b>RE:</b>	93 Richard Seymour (9/9/0/0)	97 Jarvis Green (9/0/0/0)	
<b>OLB:</b>	50 Mike Vrabel (9/9/0/0)	48 Tully Banta-Cain (9/0/0/0)	58 Matt Chatham (3/0/0/1)*
<b>ILB:</b>	54 Tedy Bruschi (9/9/0/0)	51 Don Davis (9/0/0/0)	53 Larry Izzo (9/0/0/0)
<b>ILB:</b>	52 Ted Johnson (9/8/0/0)	95 Roman Phifer (9/1/0/0)	
<b>OLB:</b>	55 Willie McGinest (9/9/0/0)	59 Rosevelt Colvin (9/0/0/0)	
<b>LCB:</b>	22 Asante Samuel (8/4/1/0)	24 Ty Law (7/7/0/2)*	
<b>RCB:</b>	<u>21 Randall Gay (9/3/0/0)</u>	29 Earthwind Moreland (2/1/0/0)	38 Tyrone Poole (4/4/0/5)*
<b>FS:</b>	26 Eugene Wilson (9/8/0/0)	<u>42 Dexter Reid (9/0/0/0)</u>	
<b>SS:</b>	37 Rodney Harrison (9/9/0/0)	30 Je'Rod Cherry (6/0/0/0)	

## SPECIAL TEAMS

<b>K:</b>	4 Adam Vinatieri (9/0/0/0)	8 Josh Miller (9/0/0/0)	
<b>P:</b>	8 Josh Miller (9/0/0/0)	4 Adam Vinatieri (9/0/0/0)	
<b>H:</b>	8 Josh Miller (9/0/0/0)	12 Tom Brady (9/9/0/0)	
<b>PR:</b>	33 Kevin Faulk (6/1/0/3)	80 Troy Brown (5/0/0/4)	38 Tyrone Poole (4/4/0/5)*
<b>KR:</b>	81 Bethel Johnson (8/1/0/1)	35 Patrick Pass (7/2/0/2)	10 Kevin Kasper (6/0/0/0)
<b>LS:</b>	66 Lonie Paxton (9/0/0/0)	71 Russ Hochstein (9/2/0/0)	

Rookie and first-year players are underlined

Asterisk (\*) denotes player was inactive last week

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Rabih Abdullah .....	RAH-bee	Bethel Johnson .....	BETH-ull
Tedy Bruschi .....	BREW-ski	Dan Koppen.....	COPE-en
Christian Fauria .....	FOUR-ee-ay	Gene Mruczkowski .....	Merch-KOWSKI
Russ Hochstein.....	HOKE-stine	Adam Vinatieri .....	vin-a-TERRY



# 2004 ROSTER BY POSITION

#NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
<b>DEFENSIVE LINE (7)</b>							
97 Green, Jarvis	DL	6-3	290	01/12/79	3	Louisiana State	Donaldsonville, La.
91 Hill, Marquise	DL	6-6	297	08/07/82	R	Louisiana State	New Orleans, La.
99 Kelley, Ethan	DT	6-2	303	02/12/80	1	Baylor	Sugar Land, Texas
93 Seymour, Richard	DL	6-6	310	10/06/79	4	Georgia	Gadsden, S.C.
98 Traylor, Keith	DT	6-2	340	09/03/69	13	Central State (Okla.)	Little Rock, Ark.
94 Warren, Ty	DL	6-5	300	02/06/81	2	Texas A&M	Bryan, Texas
75 Wilfork, Vince	DL	6-2	325	11/04/81	R	Miami (Fla.)	Boynton Beach, Fla.
<b>LINEBACKER (10)</b>							
48 Banta-Cain, Tully	LB	6-2	250	08/28/80	2	California	Sunnyvale, Calif.
54 Bruschi, Teddy	LB	6-1	247	06/09/73	9	Arizona	Roseville, Calif.
58 Chatham, Matt	LB	6-4	250	06/28/77	5	South Dakota	Sioux City, Iowa
59 Colvin, Roosevelt	LB	6-3	250	09/05/77	6	Purdue	Indianapolis, Ind.
51 Davis, Don	LB	6-1	235	12/17/72	9	Kansas	Olathe, Kan.
53 Izzo, Larry	LB	5-10	228	09/26/74	9	Rice	Houston, Texas
52 Johnson, Ted	LB	6-4	253	12/04/72	10	Colorado	Alameda, Calif.
55 McGinest, Willie	LB	6-5	270	12/11/71	11	Southern California	Long Beach, Calif.
95 Phifer, Roman	LB	6-2	248	03/05/68	14	UCLA	Pineville, N.C.
50 Vrabel, Mike	LB	6-4	261	08/14/75	8	Ohio State	Akron, Ohio
<b>DEFENSIVE BACK (9)</b>							
30 Cherry, Je'Rod	DB	6-1	210	05/30/73	9	California	Berkeley, Calif.
21 Gay, Randall	CB	5-11	186	05/05/82	R	Louisiana State	Brusly, La.
37 Harrison, Rodney	S	6-1	220	12/15/72	11	Western Illinois	Chicago, Ill.
24 Law, Ty	CB	5-11	200	02/10/74	10	Michigan	Aliquippa, Pa.
29 Moreland, Earthwind	CB	5-10	182	06/13/77	3	Georgia Southern	Atlanta, Ga.
38 Poole, Tyrone	CB	5-8	188	02/03/72	9	Fort Valley State	LaGrange, Ga.
42 Reid, Dexter	S	5-11	203	03/18/81	R	North Carolina	Norfolk, Va.
22 Samuel, Asante	CB	5-10	185	01/06/81	2	Central Florida	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
26 Wilson, Eugene	DB	5-10	195	08/17/80	2	Illinois	Merrillville, Ind.
<b>OFFENSIVE LINE (7)</b>							
63 Andruzzi, Joe	G	6-3	312	08/23/75	8	S. Connecticut State	Staten Island, N.Y.
76 Gorin, Brandon	T	6-6	308	07/17/78	3	Purdue	Muncie, Ind.
71 Hochstein, Russ	G	6-4	305	10/07/77	4	Nebraska	Hartington, Neb.
67 Koppen, Dan	C	6-2	296	09/12/79	2	Boston College	Whitehall, Pa.
72 Light, Matt	T	6-4	305	06/23/78	4	Purdue	Greenville, Ohio
64 Mruczkowski, Gene	G/C	6-2	305	06/06/80	2	Purdue	Cleveland, Ohio
61 Neal, Stephen	G	6-4	305	10/09/76	3	Cal State-Bakersfield	San Diego, Calif.
<b>QUARTERBACK (3)</b>							
12 Brady, Tom	QB	6-4	225	08/03/77	5	Michigan	San Mateo, Calif.
6 Davey, Rohan	QB	6-2	245	04/14/78	3	Louisiana State	Miami, Fla.
13 Miller, Jim	QB	6-2	225	02/09/71	10	Michigan State	Waterford, Mich.
<b>WIDE RECEIVER (6)</b>							
83 Branch, Deion	WR	5-9	193	07/18/79	3	Louisville	Albany, Ga.
80 Brown, Troy	WR	5-10	196	07/02/71	12	Marshall	Blackville, S.C.
87 Givens, David	WR	6-0	215	08/16/80	3	Notre Dame	Humble, Texas
81 Johnson, Bethel	WR	5-11	200	02/11/79	2	Texas A&M	Corsicana, Texas
10 Kasper, Kevin	WR	6-1	202	12/23/77	4	Iowa	Hinsdale, Ill.
86 Patten, David	WR	5-10	190	08/19/74	8	Western Carolina	Hopkins, S.C.
<b>RUNNING BACK (4)</b>							
27 Abdullah, Rabih	RB	6-0	235	04/27/75	7	Lehigh	Roselle, N.J.
34 Cobbs, Cedric	RB	6-0	225	01/09/81	R	Arkansas	Little Rock, Ark.
28 Dillon, Corey	RB	6-1	225	10/24/74	8	Washington	Seattle, Wash.
33 Faulk, Kevin	RB	5-8	202	06/05/76	6	Louisiana State	Carencro, La.
<b>FULLBACK (1)</b>							
35 Pass, Patrick	FB	5-10	217	12/31/77	5	Georgia	Tucker, Ga.
<b>TIGHT END (3)</b>							
88 Fauria, Christian	TE	6-4	250	09/22/71	10	Colorado	Encino, Calif.
82 Graham, Daniel	TE	6-3	257	11/16/78	3	Colorado	Denver, Colo.
85 Weaver, Jed	TE	6-4	258	08/11/76	6	Oregon	Redmond, Ore.
<b>SPECIALISTS (3)</b>							
8 Miller, Josh	P	6-4	220	07/14/70	9	Arizona	Rockaway, N.Y.
66 Paxton, Lonie	LS	6-2	260	03/13/78	5	Sacramento State	Corona, Calif.
4 Vinatieri, Adam	K	6-0	202	12/28/72	9	South Dakota State	Rapid City, S.D.
<b>RESERVE / INJURED (8)</b>							
68 Ashworth, Tom	T	6-6	305	10/10/77	3	Colorado	Englewood, Colo.
96 Bailey, Rodney	DL	6-3	305	10/07/79	4	Ohio State	Cleveland, Ohio
46 Flemister, Zeron	TE	6-4	250	09/08/76	5	Iowa	Sioux City, Iowa
90 Klecko, Dan	DL/LB	5-11	283	01/12/81	2	Temple	Colts Neck, N.J.
70 Klemm, Adrian	T	6-3	312	05/21/77	5	Hawaii	Los Angeles, Calif.
14 Sam, P.K.	WR	6-3	210	02/26/83	R	Florida State	Buford, Ga.
39 Scott, Guss	S	5-10	205	05/21/82	R	Florida	Jacksonville, Fla.
84 Watson, Benjamin	TE	6-3	253	12/18/80	R	Georgia	Rock Hill, S.C.



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#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
27	Abdullah, Rabih	RB	6-0	235	04/27/75	7	Lehigh	Roselle, N.J.
63	Andruzzi, Joe	G	6-3	312	08/23/75	8	Southern Connecticut St.	Staten Island, N.Y.
48	Banta-Cain, Tully	LB	6-2	250	08/28/80	2	California	Sunnyvale, Calif.
12	Brady, Tom	QB	6-4	225	08/03/77	5	Michigan	San Mateo, Calif.
83	Branch, Deion	WR	5-9	193	07/18/79	3	Louisville	Albany, Ga.
80	Brown, Troy	WR	5-10	196	07/02/71	12	Marshall	Blackville, S.C.
54	Bruschi, Teddy	LB	6-1	247	06/09/73	9	Arizona	Roseville, Calif.
58	Chatham, Matt	LB	6-4	250	06/28/77	5	South Dakota	Sioux City, Iowa
30	Cherry, Je'Rod	DB	6-1	210	05/30/73	9	California	Berkeley, Calif.
34	Cobbs, Cedric	RB	6-0	225	01/09/81	R	Arkansas	Little Rock, Ark.
59	Colvin, Rosevelt	LB	6-3	250	09/05/77	6	Purdue	Indianapolis, Ind.
6	Davey, Rohan	QB	6-2	245	04/14/78	3	Louisiana State	Miami, Fla.
51	Davis, Don	LB	6-1	235	12/17/72	9	Kansas	Olathe, Kan.
28	Dillon, Corey	RB	6-1	225	10/24/74	8	Washington	Seattle, Wash.
33	Faulk, Kevin	RB	5-8	202	06/05/76	6	Louisiana State	Carencro, La.
88	Fauria, Christian	TE	6-4	250	09/22/71	10	Colorado	Encino, Calif.
21	Gay, Randall	CB	5-11	186	05/05/82	R	Louisiana State	Brusly, La.
87	Givens, David	WR	6-0	215	08/16/80	3	Notre Dame	Humble, Texas
76	Gorin, Brandon	T	6-6	308	07/17/78	3	Purdue	Muncie, Ind.
82	Graham, Daniel	TE	6-3	257	11/16/78	3	Colorado	Denver, Colo.
97	Green, Jarvis	DL	6-3	290	01/12/79	3	Louisiana State	Donaldsonville, La.
37	Harrison, Rodney	S	6-1	220	12/15/72	11	Western Illinois	Chicago, Ill.
91	Hill, Marquise	DE	6-6	300	08/07/82	R	Louisiana State	New Orleans, La.
71	Hochstein, Russ	G	6-4	305	10/07/77	4	Nebraska	Hartington, Neb.
53	Izzo, Larry	LB	5-10	228	09/26/74	9	Rice	Houston, Texas
81	Johnson, Bethel	WR	5-11	200	02/11/79	2	Texas A&M	Corsicana, Texas
52	Johnson, Ted	LB	6-4	253	12/04/72	10	Colorado	Alameda, Calif.
10	Kasper, Kevin	WR	6-1	202	12/23/77	4	Iowa	Hinsdale, Ill.
99	Kelley, Ethan	DT	6-2	310	02/12/80	1	Baylor	Sugar Land, Texas
67	Koppen, Dan	C	6-2	296	09/12/79	2	Boston College	Whitehall, Pa.
24	Law, Ty	CB	5-11	200	02/10/74	10	Michigan	Aliquippa, Pa.
72	Light, Matt	T	6-4	305	06/23/78	4	Purdue	Greenville, Ohio
55	McGinest, Willie	LB	6-5	270	12/11/71	11	Southern California	Long Beach, Calif.
13	Miller, Jim	QB	6-2	225	02/09/71	10	Michigan State	Waterford, Mich.
8	Miller, Josh	P	6-4	225	07/14/70	9	Arizona	Rockaway, N.Y.
29	Moreland, Earthwind	CB	5-10	182	06/13/77	3	Georgia Southern	Atlanta, Ga.
64	Mruczkowski, Gene	G/C	6-2	305	06/06/80	2	Purdue	Cleveland, Ohio
61	Neal, Stephen	G	6-4	305	10/09/76	3	Cal State-Bakersfield	San Diego, Calif.
35	Pass, Patrick	FB	5-10	217	12/31/77	5	Georgia	Tucker, Ga.
86	Patten, David	WR	5-10	190	08/19/74	8	Western Carolina	Hopkins, S.C.
66	Paxton, Lonie	LS	6-2	260	03/13/78	5	Sacramento State	Corona, Calif.
95	Phifer, Roman	LB	6-2	248	03/05/68	14	UCLA	Pineville, N.C.
38	Poole, Tyrone	CB	5-8	188	02/03/72	9	Fort Valley State	LaGrange, Ga.
42	Reid, Dexter	S	5-11	203	03/18/81	R	North Carolina	Norfolk, Va.
22	Samuel, Asante	CB	5-10	185	01/06/81	2	Central Florida	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
93	Seymour, Richard	DL	6-6	310	10/06/79	4	Georgia	Gadsden, S.C.
98	Traylor, Keith	DT	6-2	340	09/03/69	13	Central State (Okla.)	Little Rock, Ark.
4	Vinatieri, Adam	K	6-0	202	12/28/72	9	South Dakota State	Rapid City, S.D.
50	Vrabel, Mike	LB	6-4	261	08/14/75	8	Ohio State	Akron, Ohio
94	Warren, Ty	DL	6-5	300	02/06/81	2	Texas A&M	Bryan, Texas
85	Weaver, Jed	TE	6-4	258	08/11/76	6	Oregon	Redmond, Ore.
75	Wilfork, Vince	DL	6-2	325	11/04/81	R	Miami (Fla.)	Boynton Beach, Fla.
26	Wilson, Eugene	DB	5-10	195	08/17/80	2	Illinois	Merrillville, Ind.

## RESERVE / INJURED

68	Ashworth, Tom	T	6-6	305	10/10/77	3	Colorado	Englewood, Colo.
96	Bailey, Rodney	DL	6-3	305	10/07/79	4	Ohio State	Cleveland, Ohio
46	Flemister, Zeron	TE	6-4	250	09/08/76	5	Iowa	Sioux City, Iowa
90	Klecko, Dan	DL/LB	5-11	275	01/12/81	2	Temple	Colts Neck, N.J.
70	Klemm, Adrian	T	6-3	312	05/21/77	5	Hawaii	Los Angeles, Calif.
14	Sam, P.K.	WR	6-3	210	02/26/83	R	Florida State	Buford, Ga.
39	Scott, Guss	S	5-10	205	05/21/82	R	Florida	Jacksonville, Fla.
84	Watson, Benjamin	TE	6-3	253	12/18/80	R	Georgia	Rock Hill, S.C.

## HEAD COACH: BILL BELICHICK

**ASSISTANTS:** Romeo Crennel, Defensive Coordinator; Brian Daboll, Wide Receivers; Jeff Davidson, Assistant Offensive Line/Tight Ends; Ivan Fears, Running Backs; Pepper Johnson, Defensive Line; Eric Mangini, Defensive Backs; Josh McDaniels, Quarterbacks; Matt Patricia, Coaching Assistant; Markus Paul, Assistant Strength and Conditioning; Dean Pees, Linebackers; Dante Scarnecchia, Assistant Head Coach/Offensive Line; Brad Seely, Special Teams; Cory Undlin, Coaching Assistant; Charlie Weis, Offensive Coordinator; Mike Woicik, Strength and Conditioning.



# 2004 NUMERICAL ROSTER

#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	AGE	YR	COLLEGE	HOW ACQ.	P/S/D/I
4	Adam Vinatieri	K	6-0	202	31	9	South Dakota State	FA-96	9/0/0/0
6	Rohan Davey	QB	6-2	245	26	3	Louisiana State	D4a-02	1/0/8/0
8	Josh Miller	P	6-4	225	34	9	Arizona	FA (PIT)-04	9/0/0/0
10	Kevin Kasper	WR	6-1	202	26	4	Iowa	FA (ARZ)-04	6/0/0/0
12	Tom Brady	QB	6-4	225	27	5	Michigan	D6b-00	9/9/0/0
13	Jim Miller	QB	6-2	225	33	10	Michigan State	FA-04	0/0/0/9
21	Randall Gay	CB	5-11	186	22	R	Louisiana State	FA-04	9/3/0/0
22	Asante Samuel	CB	5-10	185	23	2	Central Florida	D4b-03	8/3/1/0
24	Ty Law	CB	5-11	200	30	10	Michigan	D1-95	7/7/0/2
26	Eugene Wilson	DB	5-10	195	24	2	Illinois	D2a-03	9/8/0/0
27	Rabih Abdullah	RB	6-0	235	29	7	Lehigh	FA (CHI)-04	7/0/0/1
28	Corey Dillon	RB	6-1	225	30	8	Washington	TR (CIN)-04	8/7/0/1
29	Earthwind Moreland	CB	5-10	182	27	3	Georgia Southern	FA-04	2/1/0/0
30	Je'Rod Cherry	DB	6-1	210	31	9	California	UFA (PHI)-01	6/0/0/0
33	Kevin Faulk	RB	5-8	202	28	6	Louisiana State	D2-99	6/1/0/3
34	Cedric Cobbs	RB	6-0	225	23	R	Arkansas	D4b-04	1/0/0/2
35	Patrick Pass	FB	5-10	217	26	5	Georgia	D7b-00	7/2/0/2
37	Rodney Harrison	S	6-1	220	31	11	Western Illinois	FA (SD)-03	9/9/0/0
38	Tyrone Poole	CB	5-8	188	31	9	Fort Valley State	UFA (DEN)-03	4/4/0/5
42	Dexter Reid	S	5-11	203	23	R	North Carolina	D4a-04	9/0/0/0
48	Tully Banta-Cain	LB	6-2	250	24	2	California	D7b-03	9/0/0/0
50	Mike Vrabel	LB	6-4	261	29	8	Ohio State	UFA (PIT)-01	9/9/0/0
51	Don Davis	LB	6-1	235	31	9	Kansas	UFA (STL)-03	9/0/0/0
52	Ted Johnson	LB	6-4	253	31	10	Colorado	D2-95	9/8/0/0
53	Larry Izzo	LB	5-10	228	30	9	Rice	UFA (MIA)-01	9/0/0/0
54	Tedy Bruschi	LB	6-1	247	31	9	Arizona	D3-96	9/9/0/0
55	Willie McGinest	LB	6-5	270	32	11	Southern California	D1-94	9/9/0/0
58	Matt Chatham	LB	6-4	250	27	5	South Dakota	CW-00	3/0/0/1
59	Rosevelt Colvin	LB	6-3	250	27	6	Purdue	UFA (CHI)-03	9/0/0/0
61	Stephen Neal	G	6-4	305	28	3	Cal State-Bakersfield	FA-01	9/7/0/0
63	Joe Andruzzi	G	6-3	312	29	8	Southern Connecticut St.	FA (GB)-00	9/9/0/0
64	Gene Mruczkowski	G/C	6-2	305	23	2	Purdue	FA-03	3/0/0/6
66	Lonie Paxton	LS	6-2	260	26	5	Sacramento State	FA-00	9/0/0/0
67	Dan Koppen	C	6-2	296	25	2	Boston College	D5-03	9/9/0/0
71	Russ Hochstein	G	6-4	305	27	4	Nebraska	FA-03	9/2/0/0
72	Matt Light	T	6-4	305	26	4	Purdue	D2-01	9/9/0/0
75	Vince Wilfork	DL	6-2	325	24	R	Miami (Fla.)	D1a-04	9/6/0/0
76	Brandon Gorin	T	6-6	308	26	3	Purdue	FA-03	6/3/0/2
80	Troy Brown	WR	5-10	196	33	12	Marshall	D8-93	5/0/0/4
81	Bethel Johnson	WR	5-11	200	24	2	Texas A&M	D2b-03	8/1/0/1
82	Daniel Graham	TE	6-3	257	25	3	Colorado	D1-02	9/9/0/0
83	Deion Branch	WR	5-9	193	25	3	Louisville	D2-02	2/2/0/7
85	Jed Weaver	TE	6-4	258	28	6	Oregon	FA (DEN)-04	3/1/2/2
86	David Patten	WR	5-10	190	30	8	Western Carolina	UFA (CLE)-01	9/7/0/0
87	David Givens	WR	6-0	215	24	3	Notre Dame	D7b-02	9/7/0/0
88	Christian Fauria	TE	6-4	250	33	10	Colorado	UFA (SEA)-02	9/5/0/0
91	Marquise Hill	DE	6-6	300	22	R	Louisiana State	D2-04	0/0/1/8
93	Richard Seymour	DL	6-6	310	25	4	Georgia	D1-01	9/9/0/0
94	Ty Warren	DL	6-5	300	22	2	Texas A&M	D1-03	9/9/0/0
95	Roman Phifer	LB	6-2	248	36	14	UCLA	FA (NYJ)-01	9/1/0/0
97	Jarvis Green	DL	6-3	290	25	3	Louisiana State	D4b-02	9/0/0/0
98	Keith Traylor	DT	6-2	340	35	13	Central State (Okla.)	FA (CHI)-04	9/3/0/0
99	Ethan Kelley	DT	6-2	310	24	1	Baylor	D7c-03	0/0/0/9

## PRACTICE SQUAD

18	Cedric James	WR	6-1	197	25	1	Texas Christian	FA-04	-/-/-/-
32	Kory Chapman	RB	6-1	202	24	R	Jacksonville State	FA-04	-/-/-/-
43	Scott Farley	S	6-0	212	24	1	Williams	FA-04	-/-/-/-
47	Justin Kurpeikis	LB	6-3	254	27	1	Penn State	FA (PIT)-04	-/-/-/-
49	Eric Alexander	LB	6-2	240	22	R	Louisiana State	FA-04	-/-/-/-
65	Lance Nimmo	T	6-5	303	25	1	West Virginia	FA-04	-/-/-/-
69	Buck Rasmussen	DL	6-4	285	25	1	Nebraska-Omaha	FA-04	-/-/-/-
74	Billy Yates	G	6-2	305	24	1	Texas A&M	FA-04	-/-/-/-

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# INSIDE THE NUMBERS

## AMAZING ADAM

**1,010**

The number of points kicker Adam Vinatieri has scored in his career, ranking second in Patriots history to Gino Cappelletti's team record 1,130 points.

**17**

The number of points Vinatieri scored in last week's victory over the Buffalo Bills, establishing a single-game career high.

**93**

The number of points Vinatieri has scored this season, leading the NFL.

**235**

The number of successful field goals Vinatieri has booted in his Patriots career, establishing a franchise record.

**81.9**

Vinatieri's career accuracy rate on field goals, establishing a team record and making him the sixth most accurate kicker in NFL history.

**16**

The number of consecutive field goals Vinatieri has made, tying his own mark for the second longest success streak in team history.

**122.9**

Vinatieri's career passer rating after completing the only attempt of his career, a 4-yard touchdown to Troy Brown on a fake field goal at St. Louis on Nov. 7.

## WHAT A RUSH

**900**

The number of rushing yards Corey Dillon has gained this season, ranking second in the AFC and fourth in the NFL.

**5.0**

The average number of yards Dillon has gained per attempt, leading the AFC and tying him with the Giants' Tiki Barber for second in the NFL (Shaun Alexander, 5.4) among all rushers with at least 100 attempts.

**5**

The number of 100-yard games Dillon has recorded this season, tying his career high and notching the most by a Patriot since Curtis Martin broke the mark nine times in 1995.

**4**

The number of consecutive games in which he has played where Dillon has exceeded the 100-yard mark, establishing a personal best and the longest streak by a Patriot since Martin had five straight 100-yard games in 1995.

## GIVENS RECEIVES ACCOLADES

**710**

The number of receiving yards David Givens has gained this season, ranking fourth in the AFC.

**4**

The number of games this season in which Givens has exceeded the 100-yard mark for receiving yards.

**4**

The number of 100-yard receiving games the Patriots had all of last season.

**1999**

The last year in which a Patriot recorded four 100-yard games in a single season, when Terry Glenn accomplished the feat.

## SOLID STARTERS

**50**

The number of consecutive games in which Matt Light has started at left tackle for the Patriots, dating back to his rookie season of 2001.

**55**

The number of consecutive games in which Tom Brady has started at quarterback for the Patriots, a streak which ranks fourth in the NFL.

## THE KRAFT ERA

**101**

The number of regular-season victories the Patriots have recorded since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994.

**111**

The number of consecutive Patriots preseason, regular-season and postseason home games that have been sold out since Robert Kraft bought the team in 1994.

**229**

The number of consecutive Patriots games that have been televised locally.

**79-34**

The Patriots record at home since 1994, including preseason, regular-season and postseason games.

**20-3**

The Patriots' record at Gillette Stadium, including regular-season and postseason games (.870 win pct).

## SEVEN-PLUS SOLID SEASONS

**116-66**

The Patriots' record in preseason, regular-season and postseason games since 1996 (.637 win pct).

**85-52**

The Patriots' regular-season record since 1996 (.620 win pct).

**9-3**

The Patriots' postseason record since 1996 (.750 win pct).

## CONSECUTIVE STREAKS

**16**

The number of consecutive regular-season and postseason games the Patriots have won at Gillette Stadium, dating back to the 2002 season finale.

**17**

The number of consecutive games, including playoffs, in which the Patriots have scored first.

**15**

The number of consecutive games, including playoffs, in which Tom Brady has thrown a touchdown pass.

**13**

The number of consecutive games the Patriots have won when they have had a 100-yard rusher, dating back to the 1999 season.

## SACK ATTACK

**26**

The number of sacks the Patriots have recorded through eight games.

**46**

The number of sacks the Patriots are on pace to record this season, a total that would be the most by the team since 1986, when they recorded 48 sacks.

## THIRD DOWN DOMINANCE

**44.3**

The Patriots' offensive third-down conversion percentage this season (51 conversions in 115 tries).

**24**

The number of seasons since the Patriots ended a campaign with a third-down conversion rate as high as 44.3 percent, dating back to the 1980 team's 46.7 percent conversion rate.

## GOOD POINTS

**9.4**

The Patriots' points-per-game differential, averaging 26.3 points per game while allowing 16.9 points per game.

**2**

The ranking among all NFL teams of New England's points-per-game differential, trailing only the San Diego Chargers.