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PATRIOTS FACE BROWNS IN SUNDAY AFTERNOON MATCHUP

MEDIA SCHEDULE

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2

Players Off – No Media Availability

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3

10:00 – 11:20 a.m. Media Check-In at Pro Shop

10:50 – 11:10 a.m. Coach Belichick Press Conf.
(In Media Workroom)

11:10 – 11:55 a.m. Open Locker Room

11:30 – 11:40 a.m. Romeo Crennel Conf. Call

11:45 – 11:55 a.m. Browns Player Conf. Call

Approx. 12:40 p.m. Media Availability at Practice

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4

10:00 – 11:20 a.m. Media Check-In at Pro Shop

10:50 – 11:10 a.m. Coach Belichick Press Conf.
(In Media Workroom)

11:10 – 11:55 a.m. Open Locker Room

Approx. 12:40 p.m. Media Availability at Practice

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5

10:00 – 11:20 a.m. Media Check-In at Pro Shop

10:45 – 11:00 a.m. Coach Belichick Press Conf.
(In Media Workroom)

11:00 – 11:45 a.m. Open Locker Room

Approx. 11:55 a.m. Media Availability at Practice

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6

Team Walkthrough – No Media Availability

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7

1:00 p.m. Patriots vs. Cleveland Browns

2007 PATRIOTS SCHEDULE

Sun., Sept. 9	at N.Y. Jets	W	38-14
Sun., Sept. 16	San Diego	W	38-14
Sun., Sept. 23	Buffalo	W	38-7
Mon., Oct. 1	at Cincinnati	W	34-13
Sun., Oct. 7	Cleveland	1:00	CBS
Sun., Oct. 14	at Dallas	4:15	CBS
Sun., Oct. 21	at Miami	1:00	CBS
Sun., Oct. 28	Washington	4:15	FOX
Sun., Nov. 4	at Indianapolis	4:15	CBS
Sun., Nov. 11	BYE WEEK		
Sun., Nov. 18	at Buffalo	1:00*	CBS*
Sun., Nov. 25	Philadelphia	8:15*	NBC*
Mon., Dec. 3	at Baltimore	8:30	ESPN
Sun., Dec. 9	Pittsburgh	1:00*	CBS*
Sun., Dec. 16	N.Y. Jets	1:00*	CBS*
Sun., Dec. 23	Miami	1:00*	CBS*
Sat., Dec. 29	at N.Y. Giants	8:15	NFL Net

*Game subject to possible flexible scheduling adjustment.

AFC EAST STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
NEW ENGLAND	4	0	0	1.000	148	48
Buffalo Bills	1	3	0	.250	41	93
New York Jets	1	3	0	.250	72	103
Miami Dolphins	0	4	0	.000	78	119

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS (4-0) vs. CLEVELAND BROWNS (2-2)

Sunday, October 7, 2007 ★ Gillette Stadium (68,756) ★ 1:00 p.m. EDT

The Patriots return to Foxborough for a matchup against the 2-2 Cleveland Browns this Sunday. New England enters the second quarter of the 2007 season sporting an unblemished 4-0 record, but there are certainly significant challenges ahead. The Patriots' first four opponents have a cumulative record of 4-12 (.250), while New England's next two foes have a combined record of 6-2 (.750). In the five games remaining until the Patriots' bye week during the weekend of Nov. 10-11, the Patriots will be facing teams with an aggregate record of 12-7 (.632). That stretch includes two road matchups against undefeated teams (at Dallas and at Indianapolis, both currently 4-0). Adding to the challenge will be the fact that following this week's game, four of the Patriots' following five games will be on the road.

FOUR STRAIGHT WINS BY 20+ POINTS

The Patriots are the first NFL team since 1920 to win each of their first four games of a season by 20 or more points. The Patriots have won by 24, 24, 31 and 21 points in their four games this season. According to the Elias Sports Bureau, the last NFL team to win each of its first four games by 20 or more points was the 1920 Buffalo All-Americans.

FOUR GAMES, 148 POINTS, +100 POINT DIFFERENTIAL

New England has scored a total of 148 points through four games in 2007, marking the highest four-game scoring output in franchise history during a single season. The Patriots' previous four-game high was 146 points, achieved by the 1962 team in the first four games of the season. New England has outscored its opponents 148-48, and the Patriots' +100 point differential is the largest of any single-season four-game stretch in team history. The previous team record for point differential over a four-game span was +90, achieved by the 1997 team during the first four games of the season.

BROADCAST INFORMATION

TELEVISION: This week's game will be broadcast by CBS. The game can be seen in Boston on WBZ-TV Channel 4. **Greg Gumbel** will handle play-by-play duties with **Dan Dierdorf** providing analysis.

RADIO: WBCN 104.1 FM is the flagship station for the **Patriots Rock Radio Network**. A complete listing of the network's 33 stations can be found in this press release. Play-by-play broadcaster **Gil Santos** is in his 31st 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 24th season as a tandem.

PATRIOTS MEDIA WEBSITE

The Patriots' media-only website, located at <http://media.patriots.com>, will be updated for registered users throughout the season with all the latest media information, schedules, rosters and press releases. In addition to up-to-date information, the site's archives allow access to all of the Patriots media materials dating back to the 2002 season. The site also serves as the Patriots primary credentialing system for the 2007 season.

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Super Bowl Champions: 2001, 2003, 2004 ★ Conference Champions: 1985, 1996, 2001, 2003, 2004

Division Champions: 1963, 1978, 1986, 1996, 1997, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006

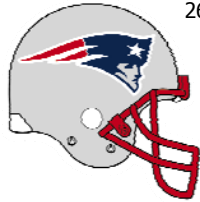
Playoff Seasons: 1963, 1976, 1978, 1982, 1985, 1986, 1994, 1996, 1997, 1998, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006



PATRIOTS VS. BROWNS

SERIES HISTORY

The Patriots and Browns will meet for the 21st time when the clubs square off on Sunday. The Patriots have won five of their last six games against the Browns, including three straight contests dating back to 2001. The Patriots and Browns played five times in a six-year span from 1999-2004, but have not been paired against each other for three seasons. The Browns will make their second visit to Gillette Stadium, with the Patriots claiming a 9-3 victory in the previous matchup on Oct.



26, 2003. The teams have met once in the playoffs, with the Bill Belichick-led Browns claiming a 20-13 victory over the Patriots on New Year's Day, 1995. The Patriots have allowed the Browns to score fewer than 20 points in each of the nine meetings between the teams since 1992. The Patriots are 4-5 overall against the Browns in Foxborough.

Regular Season – Browns 11, Patriots 8

Date	Result	Score	H/A	Stadium
11/21/71	L	7-27	A	Cleveland Municipal
11/10/74	L	14-21	H	Schaefer Stadium
09/26/77	L OT	27-30	A	Cleveland Municipal
09/07/80	W	34-17	H	Schaefer Stadium
11/21/82	L	7-10	A	Cleveland Municipal
11/20/83	L	0-30	H	Sullivan Stadium
10/07/84	W	17-16	A	Cleveland Municipal
10/06/85	L	20-24	A	Cleveland Municipal
10/04/87	L	10-20	H	Sullivan Stadium
09/08/91	L	0-20	H	Foxboro Stadium
10/25/92	L	17-19	H	Foxboro Stadium
12/19/93	W	20-17	A	Cleveland Municipal
11/06/94	L	6-13	A	Cleveland Municipal
09/03/95	W	17-14	H	Foxboro Stadium
10/03/99	W	19-7	A	Cleveland Browns
11/12/00	L	11-19	A	Cleveland Browns
12/09/01	W	27-16	H	Foxboro Stadium
10/26/03	W	9-3	H	Gillette Stadium
12/05/04	W	42-15	A	Cleveland Browns

Playoffs – Browns 1, Patriots 0

Date	Result	Score	H/A	Stadium
01/01/95	L	13-20	A	Cleveland Municipal

SERIES BREAKDOWN

(Including Playoffs)

Overall Record	8-12
Record in New England	4-5
Schaefer/Sullivan/Foxboro Stadium	3-5
Gillette Stadium	1-0
Record in Cleveland	4-7
Cleveland Municipal Stadium.....	2-6
Cleveland Browns Stadium.....	2-1
Bill Belichick vs. Cleveland	3-1
Romeo Crennel vs. New England	0-0

ROMEO RETURNS

Former Patriots defensive coordinator Romeo Crennel is facing the Patriots for the first time as the head coach of the Cleveland Browns. Crennel spent a total of eight seasons in Foxborough, coaching the Patriots defensive line from 1993-96 and serving as New England's defensive coordinator from 2001-04. Since becoming head coach of the Patriots in 2000, Bill Belichick is 2-0 in his first games against former assistants, defeating Nick Saban's Miami Dolphins 23-16 on Nov. 13, 2005 and beating Eric Mangini's New York Jets 24-17 on Sept. 17, 2006.

PATRIOTS vs. AFC NORTH

This week's game is the Patriots' second of four meetings with AFC North teams this season. The last time the Patriots played all four AFC North teams in a season was in 2004, when they compiled a 4-1 record against the division, including a win over the Pittsburgh Steelers in the AFC Championship Game. New England is 11-2 against the AFC North since 2001 (including playoffs). The Patriots are 3-0 against Cleveland over that span. The Patriots have won their last seven games against AFC North opposition, a streak that dates back to 2004. Last week, the Patriots defeated the AFC North's Cincinnati Bengals, 34-13.

PATRIOTS VS. AFC NORTH SINCE 2001

Date		Opponent	W/L	Score
09/09/01	at	Cincinnati	L	23-17
12/09/01		Cleveland	W	27-16
01/27/02	at	Pittsburgh*	W	24-17
09/09/02		Pittsburgh	W	30-14
10/26/03		Cleveland	W	9-3
10/31/04	at	Pittsburgh	L	20-34
11/28/04		Baltimore	W	24-3
12/05/04	at	Cleveland	W	42-15
12/12/04		Cincinnati	W	35-28
01/23/05	at	Pittsburgh*	W	41-27
10/25/05	at	Pittsburgh	W	23-20
10/01/06	at	Cincinnati	W	38-13
10/01/07	at	Cincinnati	W	34-13

*-AFC Championship Game

BILL BELICHICK IN CLEVELAND

Patriots Head Coach Bill Belichick was the head coach of the Cleveland Browns for five seasons from 1991-95. Belichick took over with the Browns coming off of what was their worst season in franchise history, a 3-13 campaign in 1990. By 1994, Belichick had coached the Browns to an 11-5 record and a playoff berth. The Browns' 11 victories in 1994 are tied for the second highest single-season win total in the 58-year history of the franchise, and their playoff victory over the Patriots in the wild card round that season stands as the franchise's most recent playoff win. In 1994, the Browns allowed just 204 points – the fewest points allowed in the NFL that season and the fewest points allowed by a defense coached by Belichick. While with the Browns, Belichick hired a significant number of coaches and scouts who have gone on to have significant success in the NFL or college football. Belichick's hires have produced an NFL head coach, four college head coaches, two NFL assistant head coaches, two NFL defensive coordinators and four NFL personnel directors/general managers, among many others who have attained success in the football world.

BILL BELICHICK'S CLEVELAND HIRES

(Current NFL head coaches, assistant head coaches, coordinators, personnel directors, general managers and college head coaches hired to positions with the Browns by Bill Belichick)

Name	Current Position	Team
Kirk Ferentz	Head Coach	University of Iowa
Al Groh	Head Coach	University of Virginia
Pat Hill	Head Coach	Fresno State
Eric Mangini	Head Coach	New York Jets
Nick Saban	Head Coach	University of Alabama
Jim Bates	Asst. Head Coach/Defense	Denver Broncos
Chuck Bresnahan	Defensive Coordinator	Cincinnati Bengals
Jim Schwartz	Defensive Coordinator	Tennessee Titans
Scott O'Brien	Special Teams Coordinator	Denver Broncos
Rick Venturi	Asst. Head Coach/LBs	New Orleans Saints
Ozzie Newsome	General Manager/Exec. VP	Baltimore Ravens
Scott Pioli	V.P. of Player Personnel	New England Patriots
Phil Savage	Senior VP/General Manager	Cleveland Browns
Mike Tannenbaum	General Manager	New York Jets



THREE-TIME SUPER BOWL CHAMPIONS





PATRIOTS VS. BROWNS

BRADY EXCELS ON ARTIFICIAL TURF

Tom Brady has enjoyed significant success on artificial surfaces throughout his career, and the Patriots have won 27 of their 29 games on artificial turf since 2001.

- Brady has compiled a career record of 27-2 as a starter in games played on artificial surfaces, including regular season and playoff games. His only losses came at Buffalo (09/07/03) and at Indianapolis (01/21/07).
- In his 29 previous starts on artificial surfaces, Brady has thrown 58 touchdowns and just 22 interceptions.
- Brady's touchdown-to-interception ratio on artificial surfaces is 2.6-to-1, as opposed to 1.8-to-1 on grass.
- On artificial surfaces, Brady has compiled a career passer rating of 101.3, compared to an 85.8 career rating on grass.

Tom Brady on Artificial Surfaces (27-2, .931) (Incl. Playoffs)

GP/GS	W-L*	A	C	Yd	%	TD	I	Rating
84/29	27-2	909	609	7,018	.670	58	22	101.3

*-W/L record only includes games started

Tom Brady on Natural Grass^ (59-24, .711) (Incl. Playoffs)

GP/GS	W-L*	A	C	Yd	%	TD	I	Rating
84/83	59-24	2,761	1,677	18,881	.607	122	67	85.8

*-W/L record only includes games started

^Includes games played on DD Grassmaster hybrid surfaces (a mixture of natural grass and artificial fibers) in Denver, Philadelphia and Pittsburgh

CONNECTIONS

- Patriots head coach **Bill Belichick** was the Browns head coach from 1991-1995. He was named the franchise's 10th head coach on Feb. 5, 1991, making him the NFL's youngest head coach at the age of 38.
- Patriots offensive coordinator/quarterbacks **Josh McDaniels** is a native of Canton, Ohio. His father, Thom McDaniels, is the head coach at Jackson High in Massillon, Ohio.
- Patriots defensive coordinator **Dean Pees** was born in Dunkirk, Ohio and is a graduate of Bowling Green University. He began his coaching career at Elmwood High School in Elmwood, Ohio and later served as defensive coordinator/secondary at Miami (Ohio). Pees spent four years as defensive coordinator at the University of Toledo.
- Patriots defensive line coach **Pepper Johnson** played for the Browns from 1993-95 under head coach **Bill Belichick**. He was also a two-time captain, defensive MVP and All-American at Ohio State.
- Patriots wide receivers coach **Nick Caserio** is a native of Westlake, Ohio.
- Patriots coaching assistant **Josh Boyer** was a graduate assistant at the University of Dayton and Kent State. He is a native of Heath, Ohio and attended Muskingum College (Ohio).
- Patriots college scouting coordinator **Jay Muraco** worked for Cleveland's personnel department from 1992-95. He is a graduate of Kent State.
- Patriots area scout **Monti Ossenfort** holds a master's degree in business administration and a master's degree in sports management from Ohio University.
- Patriots football research director **Ernie Adams** was an offensive assistant for the Browns from 1991-95.
- Browns head coach **Romeo Crennel** spent seven seasons with the Patriots and was a member of the coaching staff for all three Super Bowl victories. From 1993-96 he served as New England's defensive line coach. In 2001, he returned to the team as defensive coordinator and from 2002-03 he coached the defensive line in addition to his coordinating duties. Crennel's final year with the Patriots was in 2004.
- Browns defensive assistant coach **Bob Trott** managed defensive backs at New England from 1993-95.
- Browns offensive line coach **Steve Marshall** is a native of Hartford, Conn.

CONNECTIONS (Cont.)

- Browns defensive line coach **Randy Melvin** held the same position with the Patriots from 2000-01, when he earned a Super Bowl ring with New England.
- Browns secondary coach and assistant special teams **Cory Undlin** began his NFL career as a coaching staff assistant and defensive backs for the Patriots in 2004.
- Browns senior scout **Jake Hallum** was a college scout for New England for five seasons.
- Patriots vice president of player personnel **Scott Pioli** began his NFL career when **Belichick** hired him as a pro personnel assistant for the Browns in 1992.
- Patriots director of college scouting **Thomas Dimitroff Jr.**, was born in Barberton, Ohio and began his career with four seasons of experience working in the Browns scouting department (1998-01). His father, Tom, was a long-time personnel scout for the Cleveland Browns.
- Patriots tackle **Matt Light** was born on June 23, 1978, in Greenville, Ohio. He was a three-year, two-way starter who played guard as a sophomore, tackle as a junior and tight end as a senior at Greenville High School.
- Patriots linebacker **Mike Vrabel** was born on Aug. 14, 1975 in Akron, Ohio, and received *USA Today* All-American second-team honors at Walsh Jesuit High in Stowe, Ohio. While in high school, Vrabel earned Ohio Player of the Year honors from Columbus Touchdown Club.
- Browns kicker **Phil Dawson** spent the 1998 season on the Patriots practice squad.
- Patriots running back **Heath Evans** and Browns wide receiver **Tim Carter** were teammates at Auburn from 1998-00.
- Patriots wide receiver **Jabar Gaffney** and Browns linebacker **Andra Davis** played together at Florida in 2001.
- Linebacker **Leon Williams**, quarterback **Ken Dorsey** and tight end **Kellen Winslow** of the Browns were members of the same 2001 Miami Hurricanes squad as Patriots defensive linemen **Vince Wilfork** and **Santonio Thomas**.
- Both teams have linebackers from USC who've spent more than a decade in the NFL: Patriot **Junior Seau** is in his 18th season in the league, while Browns linebacker **Willie McGinest** is four years behind, at 14. McGinest, who was a first-round draft pick (fourth overall) by the Patriots in 1994, won three Super Bowls in New England and ranks third on its all-time sacks list with 78 career sacks.
- Patriots linebacker **Pierre Woods** and Browns wide receiver **Braylon Edwards** both played for Michigan from 2002-04.
- Patriots defensive lineman **Mike Wright** (an Ohio native) and Browns defensive back **Daven Holly** were teammates at the University of Cincinnati from 2001-2004. They were joined by Browns linebacker **Antwan Peek** for the 2001 season.
- Patriots tight end **Benjamin Watson** and Browns defensive back **Sean Jones** played together at Georgia from 2001-02.
- Patriots tight end **Kyle Brady** lined up with Browns wide receiver **Joe Jurevicius** at Penn State in 1994.
- Browns defensive lineman **Ethan Kelly** was originally drafted by New England in the seventh round (243rd overall) of the 2003 NFL draft. He was claimed off waivers by Cleveland in August 2004. Kelly played on the same Baylor defense as Patriots defensive back **Willie Andrews** in 2002.
- Patriots wide receiver **Donte Stallworth** and Browns running back **Jamal Lewis** were teammates at Tennessee in 1999.
- Patriots kicker **Stephen Gostkowski** and Browns defensive back **Brandon McDonald** were one year apart at Memphis.
- Patriots defensive lineman **Ty Warren** and guard **Billy Yates** were teammates at Texas A&M with Browns offensive lineman **Seth McKinney**.
- Patriots linebacker **Corey Mays** was one year ahead of Browns quarterback **Brady Quinn** at Notre Dame. The two played in the 2006 Fiesta Bowl with the Fighting Irish.



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PATRIOTS VS. BROWNS

TALE OF THE TAPE

2007 Regular Season	New England	Cleveland
Record	4-0	2-2
Divisional Standings	1st	T-2nd
Total Yards Gained	1,727	1,390
Total Offense (Rank)	431.8 (2)	347.5 (11)
Rush Offense	157.0 (4)	114.8 (15)
Pass Offense	274.8 (5)	232.8 (10)
Points Per Game	37.0 (2)	27.3 (6)
Touchdowns Scored	19	13
Third Down Conversion Pct.	51.3	43.4
Team Passer Rating	134.6	82.0
Total Yards Allowed	904	1,710
Total Defense (Rank)	226.0 (1)	427.5 (31)
Rush Defense	69.8 (3)	160.0 (30)
Pass Defense	156.3 (4)	267.5 (T-30)
Points Allowed/Game	12.0 (4)	29.5 (28)
Touchdowns Allowed	6	13
Third Down Defense (Pct.)	30.0	44.8
Field Goals Made/Attempted	5/6	6/7
Possession Avg.	35:10	25:25
Sacks Allowed/Yards Lost	3/19	7/67
Sacks Made/Yards	11/91	4/25
Interceptions For/Against	5/2	3/6
Penalties Against/Yards	15/123	27/201
Punts/Avg.	5/36.8	17/41.4
Takeaway/Giveaway Ratio	+3	-1

THIS WEEK IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

October 2 – October 8

October 8, 1967: In a game moved to San Diego due to the 1967 World Series at Fenway Park, the Boston Patriots and San Diego Chargers fight to a 31-31 tie. It was the ninth tie in franchise history, and the Patriots have not tied a game since.

October 6, 1974: The Patriots improve to 4-0 on the season with a 42-3 win over the Baltimore Colts at Schaefer Stadium. The 39-point victory is the fourth-largest in team history.

October 2, 1988: The Patriots defeat the Indianapolis Colts 21-17, with Doug Flutie providing the game-winning touchdown on a 13-yard bootleg with 29 seconds left in the game to erase a 17-14 deficit.

October 2, 1994: The Patriots score a thrilling 17-16 victory over the Green Bay Packers at Foxboro Stadium in the first home victory under Robert Kraft's ownership. Matt Bahr sealed the win by converting a do-or-die 33-yard field goal with four seconds left in the game.

October 6, 1996: The Patriots score the most points by a New England team since 1984 and gain a 46-38 shootout win over the Baltimore Ravens at Memorial Stadium. To date, the 46 points are the most scored by a Patriots team in 23 years.

October 4, 1998: Adam Vinatieri nails a 27-yard field goal with three seconds left in the game to give the Patriots a 30-27 win over the New Orleans Saints at the Louisiana Superdome.

October 8, 2000: The Patriots defeat the Indianapolis Colts 24-16 at Foxboro Stadium to record Bill Belichick's first home victory as New England's head coach.

October 5, 2003: The Patriots defeat the Tennessee Titans 38-30 at Gillette Stadium to begin their NFL-record 21-game winning streak, including a Super Bowl XXXVIII win.

October 3, 2004: The Patriots defeat the Buffalo Bills, 31-17, at Ralph Wilson Stadium to tie the all-time pro football record with their 18th consecutive regular season and playoff victory.

THE LAST TIME

PATRIOTS 42, BROWNS 15

December 5, 2004 ★ Cleveland Browns Stadium (Att: 73,028)

	1	2	3	4	Final
New England Patriots	14	7	21	0	— 42
Cleveland Browns	0	7	0	8	— 15

The New England Patriots saw success in each facet of the game, notching a convincing road victory by a 42-15 margin over the Cleveland Browns at Cleveland Browns Stadium on Dec. 5. The win brought the Patriots to a franchise-best 11-1 mark to start the 2004 season.

New England's defense had a solid game with multiple major contributors. Tedy Bruschi, Willie McGinest and Mike Vrabel each contributed with a sack of rookie quarterback Luke McCown, while Rodney Harrison and Troy Brown each nabbed an interception. Richard Seymour and Dexter Reid forced a fumble apiece, one recovered by Randall Gay for a touchdown and the latter snatched up by Eugene Wilson.

On the offensive side, the Patriots' running game was the key to victory. Corey Dillon rushed for 100 yards on 18 carries, the seventh time this season he has eclipsed the century mark. Kevin Faulk ran for 87 yards and Cedric Cobbs scampered for 29. As a group, Patriots rushers recorded 225 net yards, the most by the Patriots in a single game since 1993.

New England got off to a swift start when Bethel Johnson returned the opening kickoff 93 yards for a touchdown, using his blazing speed to run untouched to the end zone. The Patriots defense then forced a three-and-out on Cleveland's initial possession. The next Patriots possession saw a fumble by Corey Dillon, this one snatched up by the Browns. It wouldn't take long before New England had the ball back though, as McCown's second pass attempt of the series was intercepted by Harrison. The turnover resulted in a 95-yard Patriots drive that culminated in a 4-yard touchdown run for Dillon, putting the Patriots ahead 14-0.

The second quarter began with an unsuccessful drive from Cleveland that left the Patriots with good field position to march down the field for another Dillon touchdown, this time a 1-yard scurry for the score and a 21-0 New England edge. Late in the quarter the Browns answered back, with McCown connecting with Antonio Bryant a 16-yard touchdown, narrowing the Cleveland deficit to 21-7. The Patriots drove once more before the half, but Brady's pass for Givens was intercepted, keeping the score 21-7 going into the break.

The third quarter was all New England, as the Patriots scored a season-high 21 points in the period to put the game away. The scoring barrage began with a big play from the defense, as a Seymour tackle on William Green caused the Cleveland runner to fumble. Gay recovered and took the ball to the end zone for another Patriots score, making the margin 28-7. The next Patriots drive saw the ball spread around to five different players before Faulk ran in for a touchdown, leaving the score 35-7 in favor of New England. There were more defensive exploits on the way for the Patriots, as Browns tight end Steve Heiden fumbled on Cleveland's next possession and Wilson picked it up for the Patriots. New England had already scored on special teams, defense and on the ground, so it was only natural that the next Patriots' drive ended in a 44-yard Brady-to-Patten TD pass, making the score 42-7 to end the third quarter.

The start of the final quarter saw a fumble from Cobbs to give Cleveland the ball at their own 7-yard line. A 40-yard McCown-to-Bryant toss to the end zone gave the Browns a touchdown that, followed by a two-point conversion, put the score at 42-15 New England. The Browns' final drive was halted by a Troy Brown interception, ending the game in a 42-15 Patriots victory.



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LAST WEEK: PATRIOTS 34, BENGALS 13

PATRIOTS 34, BENGALS 13

October 1, 2007 ★ Paul Brown Stadium (Att: 66,113)

	1	2	3	4	Final
New England Patriots	10	7	7	10	— 34
Cincinnati Bengals	0	7	3	3	— 13

The Patriots defeated the Bengals 34-13 on Monday Night Football to improve to 4-0 on the season. New England gained a total of 173 rushing yards on 34 carries, while Tom Brady threw three touchdown passes – two to Randy Moss – to provide the offensive spark. Brady's passer rating exceeded 100.0 and Moss's receiving total exceeded 100 yards for the fourth consecutive week. Sammy Morris paced the rushing attack with 117 yards on 21 carries. On defense, the Patriots came up with two interceptions and held the Bengals to 57 rushing yards as the team allowed 14 or fewer points for the fourth straight week.

The Patriots got on the board first, taking a 3-0 lead on a 31-yard field goal by Stephen Gostkowski to cap off the game's opening drive. After swapping punts, the Patriots got the ball back and marched 65 yards on five plays to take a 10-0 lead on a 1-yard touchdown reception by linebacker Mike Vrabel, who lined up as a tight end on a goal-line play. A 49-yard run by Morris was the key play of the drive as the first quarter ended with New England up by 10. On the Patriots' first drive of the second quarter, the Bengals' Leon Hall intercepted a Brady pass to set up a quick-strike drive directed by Carson Palmer that ended in a 1-yard touchdown toss to T.J. Houshmandzadeh and cut the Patriots' lead to 10-7. But New England answered back, compiling an ensuing drive of 62 yards and 12 plays to take a 17-7 lead on an acrobatic 7-yard scoring grab by Moss. On the next possession, the Bengals drove into Patriots territory, but Asante Samuel intercepted a Palmer pass at the Patriots' 2-yard line to preserve the 17-7 lead going into halftime.

After a Cincinnati punt to open the second half, the Patriots extended their lead to 24-7 on a 7-yard scoring run by Morris. The teams then embarked on three successive field goal drives – two by Cincinnati and one by New England – to leave the score at 27-13 midway through the fourth quarter. But the Patriots then went 85 yards on nine plays to put the game away on a 14-yard touchdown from Brady to Moss that made the score 34-13.

THREE-PLUS TDs IN FOUR STRAIGHT GAMES

Tom Brady became the third player in NFL history to throw three or more touchdowns in each of the first four games of a season. Brady has totaled 13 touchdowns through four games. He joins Kurt Warner (1999) and Steve Young (1998) as the only NFL quarterbacks to throw three-plus scoring passes in four straight games to begin a season. Young threw three touchdowns in each of the first five games of the 1998 season (setting an NFL record) and Warner threw three or more in each of the first three games in 1999.

TOUCHDOWN FOR MIKE VRABEL

Linebacker Mike Vrabel caught his seventh regular-season touchdown pass and his ninth overall touchdown pass (including two in the playoffs) on a 1-yard scoring catch from Tom Brady in the first quarter that gave the Patriots a 10-0 lead. Each of Vrabel's nine career receptions have been for touchdowns – including one in Super Bowl XXXVIII and one in Super Bowl XXXIX. The touchdown reception against Cincinnati was Vrabel's first since Dec. 26, 2005, when he caught two scoring passes against the New York Jets. Including his one career interception return for a touchdown, Vrabel now has totaled eight career regular-season touchdowns – the fourth-highest total in a New England uniform by a current Patriot (trailing only Troy Brown, Kevin Faulk and Benjamin Watson).

TWO TOUCHDOWNS FOR MOSS

Randy Moss scored two touchdowns, marking his third straight game with two touchdown catches. Moss is the first Patriots player since 1970 to catch two or more touchdown passes in three consecutive games within the same season. Ben Coates also caught two touchdowns in three straight games, but his streak spanned the 1993 and 1994 seasons (1/2/94, 9/4/94 and 9/11/94). Moss's two touchdowns against the Bengals raised his season total to seven touchdown catches and his seven overall touchdowns lead the NFL in 2007.

100-YARD GAME AND TOUCHDOWN FOR MORRIS

Sammy Morris exceeded the 100-yard rushing mark against Cincinnati, totaling 117 yards and a touchdown on 21 carries (5.6 avg.). The 100-yard game was the second of Morris's career; he also broke that barrier on Dec. 10, 2006 while playing for the Miami Dolphins against the Patriots, totaling 123 yards on 25 carries (4.9 avg.). The 100-yard game was the second of the season for the Patriots and the second in as many weeks, with Laurence Maroney totaling 103 yards on 19 carries (5.4 avg.) on Sept. 23 against Buffalo. Last season, the Patriots had just one 100-yard rushing game, and it came in Cincinnati exactly one year ago to the date of Morris's achievement, when Laurence Maroney totaled 125 yards on 15 carries (8.3 avg.).

100 YARDS FOR MOSS

Randy Moss gained 102 yards on nine receptions, marking his fourth consecutive game with 100 or more yards to begin the 2007 season. Moss became the first player in NFL history to record 100 or more receiving yards in each of his first four games with a new team (rookie or veteran). Moss's 100-yard game was the 50th of his regular season career, tying him with Don Maynard for third on the NFL's all-time list.

INTERCEPTION FOR SAMUEL

Asante Samuel intercepted a Carson Palmer pass in the end zone in the final two minutes of the first half, recording his second interception of the season and the 18th interception of his regular-season career. Samuel has also totaled four playoff interceptions for New England. With his interception against the Bengals, Samuel has now recorded 11 interceptions in his last 13 regular-season and playoff games, dating back to a three-pick performance against Chicago on Nov. 26, 2006. Including the playoffs, Samuel has returned five of his 22 career interceptions for touchdowns.

INTERCEPTION BY RANDALL GAY

Randall Gay intercepted a Carson Palmer pass in the fourth quarter, recording his first interception of the season and his first since 2004. The pick was the third of Gay's career. His last interception came in his rookie season, on Nov. 28, 2004 against the Baltimore Ravens at Gillette Stadium.

FIRST SACK FOR ADALIUS THOMAS

Adalius Thomas recorded his first sack in a Patriots uniform when he dropped Carson Palmer for an 8-yard loss on third down in the first quarter. The play ended the Bengals' first drive of the game by forcing a punt on the next play.

LONG RUN FOR MORRIS

Sammy Morris had a 49-yard run in the first quarter that gave the Patriots a first-and-goal on the Bengals' 2-yard line, setting up Mike Vrabel's touchdown that gave the Patriots a 10-0 lead. The run was the second longest by a Patriot since Bill Belichick became head coach in 2000, trailing only Corey Dillon's 50-yard gain against the New York Jets at Gillette Stadium on Nov. 12, 2006. The run was the second longest of Morris's 8-year career, trailing only a 55-yard run while playing for the Miami Dolphins on Thanksgiving Day, 2006 at Detroit.



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TEAM NEWS & NOTES

DOMINATING DEFENSE

Since the beginning of the 2001 season, the Patriots have allowed an average of 17.39 points per game, a mark that ranks second in the NFL over that span. The Patriots have allowed 17.0 points per game or fewer in four of the six seasons since 2001.

FEWEST POINTS PER GAME ALLOWED 2001-PRESENT

Team	Reg. Season 01-07			Playoffs 01-06		
	GP	Pts	PPG	GP	Pts	PPG
Tampa Bay	100	1715	17.15	5	85	17.00
New England	100	1739	17.39	14	260	18.57
Pittsburgh	100	1755	17.55	10	221	22.10
Baltimore	100	1758	17.58	4	65	16.25
Philadelphia	100	1785	17.85	12	216	18.00

SNAPSHOTS OF SUCCESS

The Patriots are in the midst of one of the most prosperous periods for any team in NFL history. The recent run of success began with a 29-26 overtime victory against the San Diego Chargers on Oct. 14, 2001, sparking a streak of 85 wins in the Patriots' last 110 games, including the playoffs.

PATRIOTS SUCCESS STREAKS (Including Postseason)

- 12 wins in last 14 games, dating to Nov. 19, 2006 (12-2, .857)
- 18 wins in last 23 games, dating to Sept. 10, 2006 (18-5, .783)
- 25 wins in last 33 games, dating to Nov. 13, 2005 (25-8, .758)
- 40 wins in last 53 games, dating to Nov. 7, 2004 (40-13, .755)
- 61 wins in last 75 games, dating to Oct. 5, 2003 (61-14, .813)
- 69 wins in last 88 games, dating to Nov. 3, 2002 (69-19, .784)
- 81 wins in last 104 games, dating to Nov. 25, 2001 (81-23, .779)
- 85 wins in last 110 games, dating to Oct. 14, 2001 (85-25, .773)

TOUGH SCHEDULE

The Patriots' 2007 schedule is the third toughest in the NFL based on their opponents' 2006 winning percentage. Patriots opponents had a cumulative record of 137-119 last season, just one game behind the opponents of the Buffalo Bills and Oakland Raiders, who are tied for the toughest schedule (138-118 opponents 2006 record).

2007 STRENGTH OF SCHEDULE

	Opps. 2006 Win Pct.	Gms vs. Tms	Games v.
Team	And Record	.500 or Better	Playoff Tms.
Buffalo Bills	.539, 138-118	12	8
Oakland Raiders	.539, 138-118	11	6
New England	.535, 137-119	10	8
Tennessee Titans	.520, 133-123	11	6

Highlights of the Patriots' 2007 schedule—

- Eight of the 16 games are against 2006 playoff teams.
- The Patriots play the teams that were seeded in each of the top three spots in the 2006 AFC playoffs (SD, BAL, IND).
- Ten of the 16 games are against teams that posted records of .500 or better in 2006.
- The Patriots have rematches against each of their 2006 playoff foes: hosting the New York Jets and San Diego Chargers while traveling to play the Jets and the Indianapolis Colts.
- The Patriots tied the best road record in team history in 2006 (7-1), and will be put to the test on the road in 2007. Six of the Patriots' eight road games are against teams that finished the 2006 season with a record of .500 or better and five road games are against 2006 playoff teams.

PLAYOFF PERFORMERS

The Patriots are the only team in the NFL to have won at least one playoff game in each of the last four seasons.

CONSECUTIVE SEASONS W/ PLAYOFF WIN

New England Patriots	4
Seattle Seahawks	2
Four Teams	1

TOUGH AT HOME

The Patriots own an overall record of 38-9 (.809) at Gillette Stadium. Since their state-of-the-art facility opened at the beginning of the 2002 season, the Patriots are tied for the NFL's best record at home.

BEST HOME RECORDS SINCE 2002

Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
New England	38	9	0	.809	1114	730
Indianapolis	38	9	0	.809	1365	866
Kansas City	32	10	0	.762	1264	819
Seattle	34	12	0	.739	1163	862
Baltimore	32	12	0	.727	1019	707
Denver	31	13	0	.705	1069	811
Pittsburgh	31	13	1	.700	1153	888
Philadelphia	34	15	0	.694	1152	870
St. Louis	27	16	0	.628	1105	952

NOTE: Records include regular-season and playoff games

HOMELAND DEFENSE

Since Gillette Stadium opened in 2002, the Patriots have had the NFL's best defense at home. New England has allowed an average of just 15.53 points per game, a figure that leads the league since 2002.

FEWEST POINTS PER GAME ALLOWED AT HOME SINCE GILLETTE STADIUM OPENED IN 2002

Team	Stadium	GP	Pts	Pts/Gm
New England	Gillette Stadium	47	730	15.53
Jacksonville	Jacksonville Municipal Stad.	42	672	16.00
Baltimore	M&T Bank Stadium	44	707	16.07
Tampa Bay	Raymond James Stadium	44	732	16.64
Philadelphia	Lincoln Fin. Field/Vets Stad.	49	870	17.76
Chicago	Soldier Field/Memorial Stad.	45	802	17.82
Miami	Dolphin Stadium	42	768	18.29

NOTE: Records include regular-season and playoff games

DIVISIONAL DOMINANCE

The New England Patriots own a 31-9 record in regular season AFC East games since the beginning of the 2001 season, compiling the best intra-division record of any team in the NFL over the last six-plus seasons. The Patriots have claimed five of the last six AFC East championships, and along with the Philadelphia Eagles are the only team in the NFL to have won five division titles in the last six years.

NFL'S TOP DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
New England Patriots	31	9	0	.775
Pittsburgh Steelers	29	12	0	.707
Indianapolis Colts	28	12	0	.700
Green Bay Packers	27	12	0	.692
Philadelphia Eagles	27	13	0	.675
Seattle Seahawks	25	15	0	.625
Denver Broncos	24	15	0	.615
Kansas City Chiefs	23	16	0	.590

AFC EAST DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	Div. Titles	Years
New England	31	9	0	.775	5	2001, 2003-06
New York Jets	20	21	0	.488	1	2002
Miami	16	23	0	.410	0	---
Buffalo	14	26	0	.350	0	---

NOTES: The Indianapolis Colts were members of the AFC East in 2001 and compiled a 3-5 divisional record that season. In 2002, the Patriots and Jets both finished with a 9-7 overall record and a 4-2 divisional record, but the Jets claimed the division title by virtue of having a better record against common opponents.

ANNUAL ACHIEVEMENTS

The Patriots are the only team in the NFL to have recorded nine or more wins in each of the last six seasons.

MOST SEASONS OF 9+ WINS SINCE 2001

New England	6	Miami	4
Indianapolis	5	Green Bay	4
Philadelphia	5	Pittsburgh	4
Denver	5	Seattle	4



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ROBERT KRAFT NEWS & NOTES

Since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994, the Patriots have experienced one of the most dramatic turnarounds in the history of sports. In 13 seasons of ownership, Kraft has transformed one of the league's least successful clubs into what many observers view as a model NFL franchise. In the five seasons immediately preceding his purchase (1989-93), the Patriots were a moribund team, winning just 19 of 80 games (.311 pct.) and recording the worst record in the NFL over that span. When he bought the franchise on Jan. 21, 1994, Kraft announced his intention to bring a championship to New England, a tall order considering the team's previous success rate. But under Kraft's leadership, the Patriots have won seven division titles, four conference crowns and three Super Bowl championships.



	Pre-Kraft 1960-93	1989-93	Kraft Era 1994-07
Overall Record	225-276-9	19-61	148-85
Winning Pct.	.450	.311	.635
Super Bowl Titles	0	0	3
Conference Titles	1	0	4
Division Titles	3	0	7
Playoff Seasons	5	0	9
Playoff Record	4-6	--	15-6
Home Playoff Games	1	0	9
Home Playoff Record	0-1	--	9-0

A CHAMPIONSHIP TRADITION

The Patriots are the only team from North America's four major professional sports leagues to have won three titles since 2001. Additionally, the Patriots trail only the New York Yankees and San Antonio Spurs in having won three titles in the period since Robert Kraft purchased the team.

MULTIPLE LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 2001

Team	League	Titles
New England Patriots	NFL	3
San Antonio Spurs	NBA	3
Los Angeles Lakers	NBA	2

LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994

Team	League	Titles
New York Yankees	MLB	4
San Antonio Spurs	NBA	4
New England Patriots	NFL	3
Los Angeles Lakers	NBA	3
Chicago Bulls	NBA	3
Detroit Red Wings	NHL	3
New Jersey Devils	NHL	3

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME/SERIES APPEARANCES SINCE 1994

Team	League	Appearances
New York Yankees	MLB	6
New England Patriots	NFL	4
Los Angeles Lakers	NBA	4
San Antonio Spurs	NBA	4
Detroit Red Wings	NHL	4
New Jersey Devils	NHL	4

SELLOUT STREAK

In the early 1990s, the Patriots franchise appeared destined for relocation until Robert Kraft's purchase of the team rejuvenated local interest. In 1991, the team's season ticket base consisted of just 17,635 fans, barely enough to support the club. Fifteen years later, the season-ticket base stands at a capped total of 61,759 and more than 50,000 fans are on a waiting list. The Patriots have sold out 141 consecutive home games (dating back to the 1994 regular-season opener) including regular-season, preseason and playoff games. Patriots fans in New England have never been faced with a TV blackout under Kraft's ownership.

SUCCESS STORY

Since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994, the Patriots have been one of the NFL's elite franchises. Over the first 13-plus years of Kraft's ownership, the Patriots own the highest win total among all NFL teams in addition to the highest winning percentage – a remarkable record considering the fact that the Patriots were a combined 19-61 (.311) in the five years immediately preceding the purchase.

SINCE ROBERT KRAFT PURCHASED THE TEAM IN 1994...

TOTAL VICTORIES (Incl. Postseason)

New England Patriots	148
Pittsburgh Steelers	144
Green Bay Packers	144
Denver Broncos	140
Indianapolis Colts	134
Philadelphia Eagles	126

OVERALL WINNING PERCENTAGE (Incl. Postseason)

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
New England Patriots	148	85	0	.635
Green Bay Packers	144	86	0	.626
Pittsburgh Steelers	144	86	1	.626
Denver Broncos	140	85	0	.622
Indianapolis Colts	134	95	0	.585
Kansas City Chiefs	122	95	0	.562
Philadelphia Eagles	126	102	1	.552
San Francisco 49ers	122	103	0	.542
Minnesota Vikings	120	103	0	.538
Miami Dolphins	120	104	0	.536

SUPER BOWL CHAMPIONSHIPS

New England Patriots	3
Denver Broncos	2
8 Teams	1

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS

New England Patriots	4
Denver Broncos	2
Green Bay Packers	2
Pittsburgh Steelers	2
St. Louis Rams	2
14 Teams	1

PLAYOFF VICTORIES

New England Patriots	15
Pittsburgh Steelers	12
Green Bay Packers	10
Philadelphia Eagles	9
Indianapolis Colts	9
Denver Broncos	8

PLAYOFF GAMES PLAYED

New England Patriots	21
Pittsburgh Steelers	19
Green Bay Packers	18
Philadelphia Eagles	17
Indianapolis Colts	17
Denver Broncos	13
San Francisco 49ers	13

PLAYOFF SEASONS

New England Patriots	9
Green Bay Packers	9
Indianapolis Colts	9
Pittsburgh Steelers	8
Philadelphia Eagles	8
Five Teams	7

PLAYOFF WINNING PERCENTAGE

Team	W	L	Pct.
New England Patriots	15	6	.714
Carolina Panthers	6	3	.667
Pittsburgh Steelers	12	7	.632
Baltimore Ravens	5	3	.625
Denver Broncos	8	5	.615

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BILL BELICHICK NEWS & NOTES

THE HEAD COACH

Overall Record: 128-84 (.604)
Regular Season: 115-81 (.587)
Postseason: 13-3 (.813)
With Patriots overall: 91-39 (.700)
Overall since 2001: 86-28 (.754)
Super Bowl Titles: 5 (86, 90, 01, 03, 04)
Conf. Titles: 6 (86, 90, 96, 01, 03, 04)
Division Titles: 12 (75, 78, 86, 89, 90, 96, 98, 01, 03, 04, 05, 06)



Bill Belichick is in his 33rd season as an NFL coach and is the only head coach in NFL history to win three Super Bowl titles in a four-year span. In the 2006 season, Belichick led the Patriots to the AFC Championship Game for the fourth time in six seasons. He has directed four consecutive AFC East titles and has produced five division championships in the last six seasons. Belichick's Patriots teams own the all-time NFL records for consecutive total victories (21 from 2003-04), consecutive regular-season victories (18 from 2003-04) and consecutive playoff victories (10 from 2001-05). Belichick owns the second best postseason record in NFL history (13-3) and is the winningest NFL head coach since 2001 (86-28). From 2003-04, he directed the Patriots to back-to-back Super Bowl titles while posting consecutive 17-win campaigns. Belichick has spent more seasons in the league than any other current NFL head coach, and in that time has been a part of five Super Bowl championship teams. His overall record of 90-39 with the Patriots gives him the most victories and the best winning percentage of any head coach in franchise history.

BELICHICK'S PATRIOTS RENAISSANCE

Any successful project requires a sound plan, and once head coach Bill Belichick implemented his design on the Patriots, his approach has given him the best record of any NFL head coach who has coached at least one full season since 2001.

NFL COACHES' RECORDS SINCE 2001

<u>Coch</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>Pct.</u>
Bill Belichick	NE	86	28	0	.754
Tony Dungy	TB/IND	80	32	0	.714
Bill Cowher	PIT	70	35	1	.665
Andy Reid	PHI	72	40	0	.643
Mike Martz	STL	46	29	0	.613
Mike McCarthy	GB	12	8	0	.600
Mike Shanahan	DEN	62	42	0	.596
Mike Holmgren	SEA	63	44	0	.589
Mike Sherman	GB	50	36	0	.581
Lovie Smith	CHI	32	24	0	.571

NOTE: Records include playoff games

SUPER SUCCESS

Bill Belichick is one of just four head coaches to win three championships since the Super Bowl Era began following the 1966 season. Coach Belichick joins three members of the Pro Football Hall of Fame in the exclusive club. Belichick is the only coach to win three Super Bowls in the post-1993 salary cap era.

MOST SUPER BOWL VICTORIES

<u>Head Coach</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>Titles</u>	<u>Seasons</u>
Chuck Noll	PIT	4	1974, 1975, 1978, 1979
Bill Belichick	NE	3	2001, 2003, 2004
Joe Gibbs	WAS	3	1982, 1987, 1991
Bill Walsh	SF	3	1981, 1984, 1988

NOTE: Sorted by most recent championship. Super Bowls have determined NFL champion since 1966.

NFL'S BEST DEFENSIVE MIND

In a 2006 *Sports Illustrated* poll of 361 NFL players, Bill Belichick was selected as the best defensive mind in the NFL, earning 35 percent of the players' vote. Indianapolis' Tony Dungy ranked second with 15 percent of the vote, while Chicago's Lovie Smith (9 percent) and Cincinnati's Marvin Lewis (8 percent) also garnered votes in the poll.

TOPS IN TEAM HISTORY

Bill Belichick is the most successful head coach in Patriots history. He has recorded more wins (91) and a higher winning percentage (.700) than any of the franchise's 13 previous head coaches.

WINNINGEST HEAD COACHES IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

<u>Coch</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>Career Winning Pct.</u>	<u>Overall W-L-T</u>	<u>Playoff W-L</u>
Bill Belichick	2000-07	.700	91-39-0	12-2
Raymond Berry	1984-89	.554	51-41-0	3-2
Pete Carroll	1997-99	.549	28-23-0	1-2
Ron Meyer	1982-84	.529	18-16-0	0-1
Mike Holovak	1961-68	.528	53-47-9	1-1

ELITE COMPANY

Bill Belichick is one of nine NFL head coaches to win three or more championships since the league began postseason play in 1933. With the Patriots' victory in Super Bowl XXXIX, Belichick joined an exclusive club in which each of the eight other members has been enshrined in the Pro Football Hall of Fame.

HEAD COACHES WITH THREE OR MORE NFL TITLES

(Listed alphabetically)

<u>Head Coach</u>	<u>Championship Team(s)</u>
Bill Belichick	New England Patriots
Paul Brown	Cleveland Browns
Weeb Ewbank	Baltimore Colts, New York Jets
Joe Gibbs	Washington Redskins
George Halas	Chicago Bears
Earl (Curly) Lambeau	Green Bay Packers
Vince Lombardi	Green Bay Packers
Chuck Noll	Pittsburgh Steelers
Bill Walsh	San Francisco 49ers

NOTE: NFL Playoffs first held in 1933.

POSTSEASON PROWESS

Bill Belichick is the second winningest head coach in NFL playoff history, trailing only the legendary Vince Lombardi, whose name is emblazoned on the Super Bowl trophy.

BEST POSTSEASON RECORDS IN NFL HISTORY

(Minimum five games)

<u>Head Coach</u>	<u>Team(s)</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>Pct.</u>
Vince Lombardi	GB/WAS	9	1	.900
Bill Belichick	CLE/NE	13	3	.813
Weeb Ewbank	BAL (Colts)/NYJ	4	1	.800
Don McCafferty	BAL (Colts)	4	1	.800
Joe Gibbs	WAS	17	6	.739

PLAYOFF SUCCESS

Coach Belichick has won 13 career playoff games, a total that is the fifth-highest by a head coach in NFL history.

MOST PLAYOFF WINS BY AN NFL HEAD COACH

<u>Coch</u>	<u>Team(s)</u>	<u>Wins</u>
Tom Landry	Dallas Cowboys	20
Don Shula	Baltimore Colts, Miami Dolphins	19
Joe Gibbs	Washington Redskins	17
Chuck Noll	Pittsburgh Steelers	16
Bill Belichick	Cleveland Browns, New England Patriots	13

RANKED AMONG COACHING GREATS

In a 2006 SportsNation Poll on ESPN.com, Bill Belichick was placed among the top five greatest coaches of all time (in any sport) by 9.4 percent of the poll's 117,000 voters. Voters were asked to select five coaches from a list of 20, and Coach Belichick finished 14th. UCLA's John Wooden (10 NCAA basketball titles) topped the poll with 44.4 percent of voters placing him in the top five. The other football coaches in the poll were Vince Lombardi (11.8 percent), Knute Rockne (11.4), Bear Bryant (10.5), Don Shula (10.3), Bill Walsh (10.0) and Joe Paterno (9.9). The only other Boston-area coach in the poll was the late Red Auerbach, who won nine NBA championships with the Celtics and finished with a 9.6 percent total in the poll.



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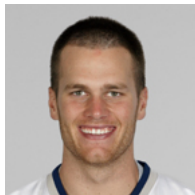




QB TOM BRADY NEWS & NOTES

RECORDING SUCCESS

TOM BRADY has quarterbacked the Patriots to victories in 74 of his 98 career regular-season games, compiling a .755 winning percentage and giving him the best record of any active quarterback in the NFL who has at least two full seasons of starts under his belt. Including his 12-2 record in the playoffs, he is 86-26 (.768) as a starter.



ACTIVE QUARTERBACKS WINNING PERCENTAGE

Minimum 32 Starts, Regular Season Only

Quarterback, Team(s)	W	L	T	Pct.
Tom Brady, NE	74	24	0	.755
Ben Roethlisberger, PIT	32	12	0	.727
Donovan McNabb, PHI	67	35	0	.657
Peyton Manning, IND	96	52	0	.649
Brett Favre, GB	151	90	0	.627
Steve McNair, TEN/BAL	90	61	0	.596
Matt Hasselbeck, SEA	50	34	0	.595

TOM BRADY'S RECORD AS A STARTER

	Reg. Season	Playoffs	Total
Overall:	74-24	12-2	86-26
Home:	39-10	6-0	45-10
Road:	35-14	6-2*	41-16*
By Yardage Total			
Less than 200:	19-11	3-0	22-11
200-299:	41-11	7-1	48-12
300 or more:	14-2	2-1	16-3
Other Records			
On Artificial Turf	25-1	2-1	27-2
Thanksgiving or later	28-6	12-2	40-8
Leading at Halftime:	58-2	9-1	66-3
Leading after 3 Qtrs:	62-1	8-1	70-2
Overtime:	6-0	1-0	7-0
Final margin <7 pts:	20-4	6-1	26-5
Final margin <4 pts:	11-4	6-0	17-4
Passer rating >100.0:	37-1	5-0	42-1

*-Includes three Super Bowls at neutral sites

BRADY'S COMEBACKS

TOM BRADY has engineered 24 career game-winning performances to lead his team to a victory from a fourth-quarter deficit or tie. He accomplished the feat three times in 2006, including once in the playoffs. The performances are the latest addition to a long list of late-game heroics for Brady, who has led three Super Bowl-winning drives.

TOM BRADY'S GAME-WINNING PERFORMANCES

		Time Remaining		Passing Statistics [^]					Final
Date	Opp.	Score	in Reg.	Att	Cmp	Yds	TD	Int	
01/14/07 at SD		13-21	8:35	14	9	122	1	1	24-21
12/03/06 DET		13-21	13:07	15	14	101	0	0	28-21
11/26/06 CHI		10-10	14:46	7	6	98	1	0	17-13
11/13/05 at MIA		15-16	2:53	2	2	76	1	0	23-16
10/30/05 BUF		7-16	10:07	4	4	69	0	0	21-16
10/09/05 at ATL		28-28	3:52	2	2	17	0	0	31-28
09/25/05 at PIT		10-13	14:19	12	12	167	0	0	23-20
02/06/05 PHI**		14-14	15:00	4	2	33	0	0	24-21
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 noted until the end of the game * Divisional Playoffs ** Super Bowl

SOLID START TO 2007 SEASON

Through four games of the 2007 season, Tom Brady is off to the strongest start of his career. Brady leads the NFL in completion percentage (79.2), touchdown passes (13) and passer rating (134.6). He has joined Steve Young (1998) and Kurt Warner (1999) as the only quarterbacks in NFL history to throw three or more touchdowns in each of the season's first four games. He completed 79 passes in his first 100 attempts of the season, setting a new NFL record for most completions in a quarterback's first 100 attempts, topping the previous record of 76 completions by Dave Krieg (1991) and Jeff George (1991). Brady joins Kurt Warner (2001-02) and Carson Palmer (2004-05) as the only quarterbacks in NFL history to have a completion percentage of 75 percent or higher in four straight games and is the only player in NFL history to achieve the feat in a single season.

2007 NFL PASSER RATING LEADERS

Player	Team	A	C	Yds	TD	I	Rating
Tom Brady	NE	120	95	1118	13	2	134.6
Tony Romo	DAL	121	72	1199	11	3	112.9
Jake Delhomme	CAR	86	55	626	8	1	111.9
Peyton Manning	IND	128	86	1066	8	1	110.4

2007 NFL COMPLETION PERCENTAGE LEADERS

Player	Team	Att.	Cmp.	Pct.
Tom Brady	NE	120	95	79.2
Chad Pennington	NYJ	82	63	76.8
Matt Schaub	HST	123	91	74.0
Joey Harrington	ATL	125	89	71.2

2007 NFL TOUCHDOWN PASS LEADERS

Player	Team	Att.	Cmp.	TD
Tom Brady	NE	120	95	13
Tony Romo	DAL	121	72	11
Carson Palmer	CIN	160	101	10
Derek Anderson	CLV	116	61	9

BRADY'S TOP PASSER RATINGS

Rating	Date	Opp.	Att.	Cmp.	Yds	TD	INT
150.9	9/23/07	vs BUF	29	23	311	4	0
148.3	10/21/01	at IND	20	16	202	3	0
147.6	11/03/02	at BUF	26	22	265	3	0
146.6	9/9/07	at NYJ	28	22	297	3	0
143.9	11/25/01	vs NO	26	19	258	4	0

BRADY'S TOP TD GAMES

TD	Date	Opp.
4	9/23/07	vs BUF
4	11/19/06	at GB
4	10/30/06	at MIN
4	12/27/03	vs BUF
4	09/22/02	vs KC
4	11/25/01	vs NO

BRADY'S TOP COMP. PCTS.

Pct	Cmp-Att	Date	Opp.
84.6	22-26	11/03/02	at BUF
81.5	22-27	10/09/05	at ATL
80.6	25-31	9/17/07	vs SD
80.0	16-20	10/21/01	at IND
79.3	23-29	9/23/07	vs BUF
78.6	22-28	9/9/07	at NYJ

IRON MAN

Tom Brady has started 112 consecutive games at quarterback for the Patriots, including 98 regular-season games and 14 playoff contests, recording the NFL's third longest current streak and the longest such streak in Patriots history.

ACTIVE QUARTERBACKS' CONSEC. STARTS STREAKS

Player	Team	Total	Reg.	Post.	Strk Began
Brett Favre	GB	261	241	20	09/27/92
Peyton Manning	IND	160	148	12	09/06/98
Tom Brady	NE	112	98	14	9/30/01
Eli Manning	NYG	45	43	2	11/21/04

CONSEC. QB STARTS STREAKS / PATRIOTS HISTORY

Player	Total	Reg.	Post.	Strk Began	Strk Ended*
Tom Brady	112	98	14	9/30/01	Current
Steve Grogan	78	76	2	11/23/75	11/16/80
Drew Bledsoe	64	58	6	10/08/95	12/13/98
Jim Plunkett	56	56	0	09/19/71	12/15/74

*-End date listed is the date of the player's last start in the streak



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WR RANDY MOSS NEWS & NOTES

MOSS DEBUT A SUCCESS

RANDY MOSS began his Patriots career with four consecutive 100-yard games, becoming the first player in NFL history to gain 100 or more receiving yards in each of his first four games with a new team. He is the second Patriot to gain 100 or more receiving yards in four consecutive games and is the first to do it all in the same season. Stanley Morgan had 100 or more yards in the 1985 regular-season finale and exceeded the mark in the first three games of the 1986 season. Moss's four-game total of 505 receiving yards is the third highest for any four-game stretch by a player in Patriots history, trailing only two four-game outputs by Terry Glenn in 1999.



PATRIOTS RECORD BOOK

MOST REC. YARDS IN A FIVE-GAME SPAN SINCE 1970

Player	Yds	Dates	Gm1	Gm2	Gm3	Gm4
Terry Glenn	544	9/12/99-10/3/99	113	122	95	214
Terry Glenn	523	9/19/99-10/10/99	122	95	214	92
Randy Moss	505	9/9/07-10/1/07	183	105	115	102
S. Morgan	502	12/22/85-9/21/86	121	116	104	161
Ben Coates	488	1/2/94-9/18/94	95	161	124	108

MOSS AMONG ALL-TIME LEADERS

Randy Moss is among the NFL's all-time leaders in two major receiving categories – career touchdown receptions and receiving yards per game. In his nine-plus seasons, Moss has caught 108 touchdown passes and is one of just seven receivers in NFL history to break the 100-touchdown mark. Additionally, Moss has averaged 78.9 receiving yards per game during his career, a mark that ranks third all-time.

NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS / RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS

Player	Years	Team(s)	TDs
Jerry Rice	1985-2004	SF/OAK/SEA	197
Cris Carter	1987-2002	PHI/MIN/MIA	130
Marvin Harrison	1996-2007	IND	123
Terrell Owens	1996-2007	SF/PHI/DAL	117
Randy Moss	1998-2007	MIN/OAK/NE	108
Tim Brown	1988-2004	LA(A)/OAK/TB	100
Steve Largent	1976-1989	SEA	100

NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS / RECEIVING YARDS PER GAME

(Minimum 100 Games Played)

Player	Years	Team(s)	Gms	Yds	Yd/G
Torry Holt	1999-2007	STL	130	10,937	84.1
Marvin Harrison	1996-2007	IND	174	13,928	80.0
Randy Moss	1998-2007	MIN/OAK/NE	142	11,205	78.9
Jerry Rice	1985-2004	SF/OAK/SEA	303	22,895	75.6
Lance Alworth	1962-1972	SD/DAL	136	10,226	75.5
Michael Irvin	1988-1999	DAL	159	11,904	74.9

NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS / 100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

Player	Team(s)	Years	Gms
Jerry Rice	SF/OAK/SEA	1985-2004	76
Marvin Harrison	IND	1996-2007	59
Randy Moss	MIN/OAK/NE	1998-2007	50
Don Maynard	NYG/NYJ/STL	1958, 60-73	50

TWO-TOUCHDOWN PERFORMANCES

Randy Moss caught two touchdown passes in three consecutive games from Sept. 16 to Oct. 1, becoming the first Patriot to have two or more receiving touchdowns in three straight games within the same season. Ben Coates hauled in two scoring passes in the last game of the 1993 season (1/2/94) and also in the first two games of the 1994 season (9/4/94 and 9/11/94). Moss caught one touchdown in his Patriots debut on Sept. 9, then caught two touchdowns on Sept. 16, Sept. 23 and Oct. 1.

MOSS AMONG 2007 LEADERS

Randy Moss is among the 2007 NFL leaders in nearly every receiving category. Through four games, Moss leads the league in receiving yards (505) and receiving touchdowns (7), ranks fourth in receptions (31) and holds the league scoring lead among all non-kickers (42 points). Moss led the NFL in receiving touchdowns in 1998, 2000 and 2003.

2007 NFL RECEIVING YARD LEADERS

Player	Team	Rec.	Yds	Avg.	TD
Randy Moss	NE	31	505	16.3	7
Chad Johnson	CIN	28	495	17.7	3
Roy Williams	DET	26	388	14.9	3
Jerricho Cotchery	NYJ	26	382	14.7	0
Antonio Gates	SD	33	376	11.4	2
Braylon Edwards	CLV	18	375	20.8	4

2007 NFL TOUCHDOWN RECEPTION LEADERS

Player	Team	Rec.	Yds	Avg.	TD
Randy Moss	NE	31	505	16.3	7
Plaxico Burress	NYG	19	286	15.1	6
T.J. Houshmandzadeh	CIN	39	360	9.2	5
Dallas Clark	IND	19	251	13.2	4
Lavaruanes Coles	NYJ	24	211	8.8	4
Braylon Edwards	CLV	18	375	20.8	4
Steve Smith	CAR	21	313	14.9	4

2007 NFL RECEPTION LEADERS

Player	Team	Rec.	Yds	Avg.	TD
T.J. Houshmandzadeh	CIN	39	360	9.2	5
Antonio Gates	SD	33	376	11.4	2
Derrick Mason	BAL	33	287	8.7	1
Randy Moss	NE	31	505	16.3	7
Chad Johnson	CIN	28	495	17.7	3
Donald Driver	GB	27	323	12.0	2
Roy Williams	DET	26	388	14.9	3
Jerricho Cotchery	NYJ	26	382	14.7	0
Larry Fitzgerald	ARZ	26	315	12.1	0
Bernard Berrian	CHI	24	320	13.3	0
Lavaruanes Coles	NYJ	24	211	8.8	4

2007 NFL SCORING LEADERS, NON-KICKERS

Player	Team	TD	Rsh	Rec	Ret	2-Pt	Pts
Randy Moss	NE	7	0	7	0	0	42
Plaxico Burress	NYG	6	0	6	0	0	36
Marion Barber III	DAL	5	4	1	0	0	30
Joseph Addai	IND	5	5	0	0	0	30
T.J. Houshmandzadeh	CIN	5	0	5	0	0	30

SOLID START FOR MOSS

In his Patriots debut against the New York Jets on Sept. 9, Randy Moss caught nine passes for 183 yards, achieving the third-highest single-game receiving yardage total in Patriots history. Moss's 183 yards were the most by a Patriots receiver since Terry Glenn's franchise-record 214 yards at Cleveland on Oct. 3, 1999. His 183 yards also were the third highest yardage total of his 139-game regular season career.

RANDY MOSS'S TOP RECEIVING PERFORMANCES

Yds	Rec	Date	Opponent
204	12	11/14/99	at Chicago
190	5	10/05/98	at Green Bay
183	9	09/09/07	at N.Y. Jets
172	8	09/28/03	San Francisco
171	10	11/19/01	N.Y. Giants

TOP RECEIVING PERFORMANCES/PATRIOTS HISTORY

Player	Yds	Rec	Date	Opponent
Terry Glenn	214	13	10/03/99	at Cleveland
Terry Glenn	193	9	12/06/98	at Pittsburgh
Randy Moss	183	9	09/09/07	at N.Y. Jets
Stanley Morgan	182	5	11/08/81	Miami
Troy Brown	176	16	09/22/02	Kansas City



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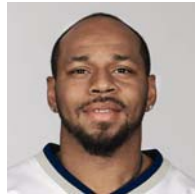




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FAULK: FRANCHISE RB RECEPTIONS LEADER

Offensive co-captain KEVIN FAULK is the Patriots' all-time leader in receptions by a running back, totaling 286 career receptions. His receiving total ranks seventh on the Patriots' overall receptions list. Faulk needs seven more receptions to move past Gino Cappelletti (292) into sixth on the Patriots' all-time receptions list.



RECEPTIONS BY PATRIOTS RUNNING BACKS

Player	Years	Rec.
Kevin Faulk	1999-2007	286
Tony Collins	1981-1987	261
Sam Cunningham	1973-79, 1981-82	210

PATRIOTS ALL-TIME CAREER RECEPTIONS LIST

Rk	Player	Pos.	Years	Rec.
1	Troy Brown	WR	1993-2006	557
2	Stanley Morgan	WR	1977-1989	534
3	Ben Coates	TE	1991-1999	490
4	Irving Fryar	WR	1984-1992	363
5	Terry Glenn	WR	1996-2001	329
6	Gino Cappelletti	WR	1960-1970	292
7	Kevin Faulk	RB	1999-2007	286
8	Jim Colclough	WR	1960-1968	283
9	Tony Collins	RB	1981-1987	261
10	Vincent Brisby	WR	1993-1999	217

BROWN AND FAULK: TOP RETURN MEN

KEVIN FAULK and TROY BROWN are the top two return specialists in Patriots history. Faulk leads the franchise with 4,641 overall return yards, while Brown is close behind with 4,420 overall return yards. Brown is the team's all-time leading punt returner with 2,570 career yards, and Faulk is the club's all-time leading kickoff returner with 3,871 career yards. In addition, Brown is tied with Irving Fryar for the club record with three punts returned for touchdowns.

PATRIOTS ALL-TIME LEADING RETURNERS

Player	Years	Overall			Punt Returns			Kick Ret.		
		Yards	TD	PR	Yds	TD	KR	Yds	TD	TD
Kevin Faulk	1999-07	4,641	2	84	770	0	169	3,871	2	
Troy Brown	1993-06	4,420	3	246	2,570	3	87	1,862	0	
Dave Meggett	1995-97	3,999	1	142	1,438	1	105	2,561	0	
Carl Garrett	1969-72	2,738	0	43	487	0	92	2,251	0	

WATSON: RED ZONE THREAT

Tight end BENJAMIN WATSON scored touchdowns in the Patriots' first three games this season and has caught a scoring pass in five of his last eight regular season games dating back to Nov. 19, 2006. Against Buffalo on Sept. 23, Watson hauled in an 8-yard touchdown pass from Tom Brady to give the Patriots a 10-7 lead in the second quarter. He also snared a 7-yard score against San Diego on Sept. 16 and grabbed a 5-yard touchdown in the season opener against the New York Jets. Last season, Watson finished second among all Patriots receivers with 49 receptions, the highest total by a Patriots tight end since Ben Coates caught 67 passes in 1998.

CAPTAINS NAMED

The Patriots elected seven players as team captains for the 2007 season. Quarterback Tom Brady and running back Kevin Faulk will serve as offensive captains; linebacker Tedy Bruschi, linebacker Junior Seau, linebacker Mike Vrabel and defensive lineman Ty Warren will serve as defensive captains; and linebacker Larry Izzo will serve as special teams captain.

FOUR WINS TO START SEASON

The Patriots have begun the 2007 season with a 4-0 record, marking the sixth time in the franchise's 48-year history that they have begun the season with four victories in a row. The Patriots also began the season 4-0 in 1964, 1974, 1997, 1999 and 2004. New England has begun the season with five straight wins on just two occasions – in 1974 and 2004.

HIGH RANKS ON OFFENSE AND DEFENSE

The Patriots have the NFL's top-ranked defense and the NFL's second-ranked offense in terms of total yards gained and total yards allowed.

2007 NFL DEFENSE RANKINGS

Team	Gm	Yards	Rush	Pass	Yds/Gm
New England	4	904	279	625	226.0
Pittsburgh	4	1,034	326	709	258.5
Kansas City	4	1,139	472	667	284.8
Jacksonville	3	863	411	452	287.7
Tampa Bay	4	1,167	473	694	291.8

2007 NFL OFFENSE RANKINGS

Team	Yards	Rush	Pass	Yds/Gm
Dallas	1,763	610	1,153	440.8
New England	1,727	628	1,099	431.8
Indianapolis	1,614	563	1,051	403.5
Detroit	1,549	298	1,251	387.3
Denver	1,530	622	908	382.5

PATRIOTS YARDAGE RANKINGS 2000-2007

Year	Offense	Defense	Year	Offense	Defense
2000	22	20	2004	7	9
2001	19	24	2005	7	26
2002	21	23	2006	11	6
2003	17	7	2007*	2	1

*-Through Three Games

BRADY SHARP IN CLOSE CALLS

Tom Brady has compiled a 26-5 record as a starter in games where the final margin was less than a touchdown, including a 6-1 postseason record in such games.

TOM BRADY'S RECORD AS A STARTER IN CLOSE GAMES

26-5 in games decided by six points or less

Date	Opp.	Score	Result	Margin
01/21/07	at IND*	34-38	L	-4
01/14/07	at SD*	24-21	W	+3
12/24/06	at JAX	24-21	W	+3
11/26/06	CHI	17-13	W	+4
11/12/06	NYJ	14-17	L	-3
09/10/06	BUF	19-17	W	+2
01/01/06	MIA**	26-28	L	-2
10/30/05	BUF	21-16	W	+5
10/09/05	at ATL	31-28	W	+3
09/25/05	at PIT	23-20	W	+3
02/06/05	PHI^	24-21	W	+3
12/20/04	at MIA	28-29	L	-1
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

*-Playoffs

**Played in only the first quarter



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LINEBACKERS ARE SACK LEADERS

Five Patriots are among the top eight active linebackers in terms of total career sacks. CHAD BROWN is second among active linebackers with 79.0 career sacks, while JUNIOR SEAU ranks fifth with 53.0 sacks. ROSEVELT COLVIN is sixth with 50.5 career sacks. MIKE VRABEL is seventh with 41.0 sacks, while ADALIUS THOMAS ranks eighth with 39.5 career sacks. TEDY BRUSCHI is 13th with 28.5 career sacks.

ACTIVE LINEBACKERS SACKS LEADERS

Player	Team(s)	Seasons	GP	Sacks
Willie McGinest	NE/CLV	14	186	82.0
Chad Brown	PIT/SEA/NE	15	188	79.0
Joey Porter	PIT/MIA	9	126	60.0
Greg Ellis	DAL	10	134	58.0
Junior Seau	SD/MIA/NE	18	245	53.0
Rosevelt Colvin	CHI/NE	9	110	50.5
Mike Vrabel	PIT/NE	11	148	42.0
Adalius Thomas	BAL/NE	8	100	39.5
Julian Peterson	SF/SEA	8	99	36.5

SACKS SINCE 2004

Patriots linebacker ADALIUS THOMAS has recorded the second highest sack total of any NFL linebacker since 2004. Thomas totaled 8.0 sacks in 2004, 9.0 sacks in 2005 and 11.0 sacks in 2006 with the Baltimore Ravens. He has 1.0 sacks this season with New England. The Patriots' Rosevelt Colvin ranks seventh on the list with 22.5 sacks with New England from 2004-present.

LINEBACKER SACK LEADERS: 2004-PRESENT

Player	Team(s)	Sacks	Yds
Shawne Merriman	SD	30.0	178
Adalius Thomas	BAL/NE	29.0	170
Shaun Phillips	SD	26.0	161
Joey Porter	PIT/MIA	24.5	166
Clark Haggans	PIT	24.0	104.5
Greg Ellis	DAL	23.0	133.5
Rosevelt Colvin	NE	22.5	160
DeMarcus Ware	DAL	22.5	163
Julian Peterson	SF/SEA	20.5	145.5

VRABEL=VERSATILITY

In proving to be one of the NFL's most versatile players, linebacker MIKE VRABEL has made important contributions for the Patriots on offense and defense. Vrabel has recorded nine career receptions, all resulting in touchdowns. He has scored one touchdowns for the Patriots this season – on a 1-yard reception against Cincinnati on Monday Night Football on Oct. 1. Vrabel recorded a career-high two touchdown catches against the N.Y. Jets on Dec. 26, 2005 – also on Monday night.

MIKE VRABEL'S CAREER TOUCHDOWNS

Date	Opponent	Scoring Play	Yds
09/29/02	at San Diego	Reception	1
02/01/04	* Carolina	Reception	1
11/07/04	at St. Louis	Reception	2
01/02/05	San Francisco	Reception	1
02/06/05	^ Philadelphia	Reception	2
09/18/05	at Carolina	Interception Return	24
11/20/05	New Orleans	Reception	1
12/26/05	at N.Y. Jets	Reception	1
12/26/05	at N.Y. Jets	Reception	2
10/01/07	at Cincinnati	Reception	1

*-Super Bowl XXXVIII ^-Super Bowl XXXIX

SEAU MOVES UP LIST

JUNIOR SEAU has recorded the second highest games played total among any linebacker in NFL history. Seau played in his 244th career game on Sept. 23 against Buffalo, passing Bill Romanowski's total of 243 games. Seau has totaled 18 seasons with San Diego (1990-2002), Miami (2003-2005) and New England (2006-2007). Clay Matthews holds the NFL record for most games played by a linebacker, appearing in 278 contests from 1978-1996 with Cleveland and Atlanta.

SCORING STREAK

The Patriots have scored points in each of their 16 quarters of play this season and have scored in 35 consecutive quarters dating back to last season (including regular season and playoff games). Since being shut out 21-0 against the Miami Dolphins on Dec. 10, 2006, the Patriots have scored in 39 of 40 quarters.

HOBBS'S RECORD KICKOFF RETURN

In the season opener against the New York Jets on Sept. 9, ELLIS HOBBS returned the opening kickoff of the second half 108 yards for a touchdown, tying the longest play in NFL history and setting an all-time NFL record for the longest kickoff return in league annals. Hobbs's 108-yard kickoff return surpassed the previous NFL record of 106 yards, achieved three times, last by Roy Green of the St. Louis Cardinals in 1979. Hobbs's play tied two 108-yard missed field goal returns for touchdowns as the longest play in NFL history. Nathan Vasher and Devin Hester of the Chicago Bears returned field goals 108 yards for touchdowns in 2005 and 2006, respectively. The kickoff return for a touchdown was the second of Hobbs's career, with his other coming on Dec. 17, 2006 on a 93-yard return against the Houston Texans.



LONGEST PLAYS IN NFL HISTORY

Player	Team	Date	Opp.	Yds	Play
Ellis Hobbs	NE	9/9/07	at NYJ	108	Kickoff Return
Devin Hester	CHI	11/12/06	at NYG	108	Missed FG Return
Nathan Vasher	CHI	11/13/05	vs. SF	108	Missed FG Return

LONGEST KICKOFF RETURNS IN NFL HISTORY

Player	Team	Date	Opp.	Yds
Ellis Hobbs	NE	9/9/07	at NYJ	108
Roy Green	STL	10/21/79	at DAL	106
Noland Smith	KC	12/17/67	at DEN	106
Al Carmichael	GB	10/07/56	vs CHI	106

DEFENSIVE SCORER

ADALIUS THOMAS returned an interception 65 yards for a touchdown against the San Diego Chargers on Sept. 16. For Thomas, it was his seventh career interception and his third career interception return for a touchdown. It was his sixth career defensive touchdown – he has also brought three fumbles back to the end zone. In 2005 with the Baltimore Ravens, Thomas set a franchise record with three defensive touchdowns – two via fumble return and one on an interception return. Last season with Baltimore, Thomas scored one touchdown – on a 57-yard fumble return. Thomas's interception return against the Chargers was the longest of his career and the third longest by a linebacker in Patriots history, trailing only Chris Singleton's 82-yard interception return for a touchdown against the Indianapolis Colts on Nov. 15, 1992 and Sam Hunt's 68-yard scoring return against Tampa Bay on Dec. 12, 1976.



ADALIUS THOMAS'S CAREER TOUCHDOWNS

Date	Opponent	Scoring Play	Yds
11/10/02	Cincinnati	Interception Return	25
12/04/05	Houston	Interception Return	20
12/19/05	Green Bay	Fumble Return	35
01/01/06	at Cleveland	Fumble Return	9
11/26/06	Pittsburgh	Fumble Return	57
09/16/07	San Diego	Interception Return	65



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WEEK 3: PATRIOTS 38, BILLS 7

PATRIOTS 38, BILLS 7

September 23, 2007 ★ Gillette Stadium (Att: 68,756)

	1	2	3	4	Final
Buffalo Bills	7	0	0	0	7
New England Patriots	3	14	14	7	38

The Patriots defeated the Bills 38-7 to improve to 3-0 on the season. After trailing 7-3 midway through the second quarter, the Patriots rolled off 31 consecutive points to pull away from their division rivals and claim their eighth straight win over Buffalo. Tom Brady set a career high with a 150.9 passer rating and tied his career high with four touchdown passes. Randy Moss exceeded the 100-yard receiving mark for the third straight game and caught two touchdown passes for the second consecutive week. Laurence Maroney tallied 103 rushing yards to pace a Patriots ground game that totaled 177 yards and averaged 4.7 yards per carry. On defense, New England allowed the Bills to penetrate past midfield only once in the game, stalling 10 Buffalo drives in its own territory and one at midfield. Cornerback Asante Samuel recorded his first interception of the year and fellow defensive back Ellis Hobbs had a strip-sack.

The Patriots scored on their first drive for the third straight game, taking a 3-0 lead on a 24-yard field goal with 9:26 left in the first quarter. On the ensuing drive, the Bills marched 80 yards in 12 plays to take a 7-3 lead on an 8-yard touchdown run by Marshawn Lynch. Two possessions later, a Brady fumble at the Bills' 1-yard line stalled a potential scoring drive. But the Patriots then proceeded to score touchdowns on four of their next five possessions to put the game away. On the drive following Brady's fumble, Benjamin Watson grabbed an 8-yard touchdown pass to give the Patriots a 10-3 lead. On the next drive, Moss caught a 3-yard scoring pass to give the Patriots a 17-7 halftime lead.

After trading punts to begin the second half, the Patriots put together a 9-play, 89-yard drive to take a 24-7 lead on a 4-yard scoring reception by Jabar Gaffney. Following a Buffalo three-and-out, the Patriots further extended their advantage as a 4-yard touchdown plunge by Sammy Morris put them up 31-7. New England put the finishing touches on the win on its next drive, as Brady found Moss for a 45-yard score that completed a 10-play, 98-yard drive and made the score 38-7.

CAREER-HIGH GAME FOR BRADY

Tom Brady set a career high with a 150.9 passer rating and tied his career high with four touchdown passes. Through three games, Brady has totaled 887 yards and has completed 70-of-88 passes (79.5 percent) and has compiled a 141.8 passer rating. Brady's 79.3 percent completion rate against the Bills (23-29) is the fifth-highest completion percentage of his career. Each of his three games this season rank among the top six single-game completion percentages of Brady's career.

MARONEY: 100-YARD GAME

Laurence Maroney totaled 103 yards on 19 carries (5.4 avg.), marking his second career 100-yard rushing game. He also broke the 100-yard mark at Cincinnati on Oct. 1, 2006, when he totaled 125 yards on 15 carries (8.3 avg.). Through three games this season, Maroney is averaging 4.7 yards per carry, totaling 252 yards on 54 carries.

ASANTE SAMUEL INTERCEPTION

Asante Samuel picked off a Trent Edwards pass in the fourth quarter and returned it 42 yards, recording his first interception of the season and the 17th interception of his regular season career. Samuel has also recorded four playoff interceptions for New England. With his interception against the Bills, Samuel has recorded 10 interceptions in his last 12 regular-season and playoff games, dating back to a three-pick performance against Chicago on Nov. 26, 2006. Including the playoffs, Samuel has returned five of his 21 career interceptions for touchdowns.

MOSS PASSES 11,000 YARDS

With a 45-yard reception in the third quarter, Randy Moss became the 19th player in NFL history to gain 11,000 or more career receiving yards. Moss finished the game with 11,103 career receiving yards. Moss, a 10th-year veteran, finished the game ranked third in NFL history by averaging 78.8 receiving yards per game (11,103 yards in 141 games).

GAFFNEY TOUCHDOWN

Jabar Gaffney scored his first touchdown of the season on a 4-yard reception from Tom Brady in the third quarter. The touchdown was the ninth of Gaffney's regular season career and his second regular-season touchdown in a Patriots uniform. Gaffney also scored a pair of touchdowns for New England in the 2006 playoffs. Gaffney's touchdown against the Bills capped off a 9-play, 89-yard drive and gave the Patriots a 24-7 lead.

HOBBS STRIP SACK

Ellis Hobbs strip-sacked Buffalo's J.P. Losman, forcing a fumble on a 9-yard sack in the first quarter. Jarvis Green recovered the ball for the Patriots, who proceeded to march deep into Buffalo territory and take a 3-0 lead on a 24-yard field goal by Stephen Gostkowski. The sack was the first of Hobbs's career and his forced fumble was also a career first. For Green, it was his fifth career fumble recovery. Hobbs's strip-sack was the Patriots' fourth of the season. In the season opener against the Jets, Mike Vrabel sacked Kellen Clemens and forced him to fumble in the fourth quarter (the Jets recovered the ball). Last week against the Chargers, Rosevelt Colvin sacked Philip Rivers and caused him to fumble twice (the Patriots recovered once).

BILLS SERIES STATS

- With their victory over Buffalo, the Patriots now own 13 wins over the Bills in a 14-game span, marking the first time in franchise history that New England has defeated an opponent as many as 13 times in a 14-game span. The Patriots have defeated Buffalo eight straight times dating back to the Bills' 31-0 victory in the 2003 season opener.
- The Patriots defense has held the Bills to a touchdown or less in five of the last eight games between the teams.

SILVER JERSEYS

The Patriots wore their silver alternate jerseys against the Bills – the sixth time that the team has worn them since they were introduced in 2003. New England improved to 5-1 while wearing silver. Below is a recap of New England's record when wearing silver.

GAMES WEARING SILVER JERSEYS

(all at Gillette Stadium)

Date	Opponent	W/L	Score
11/16/03	Dallas	W	12-0
12/07/03*	Miami	W	12-0
12/12/04*	Cincinnati	W	35-28
10/02/05	San Diego	L	17-41
12/17/06	Houston	W	40-7
09/23/07	Buffalo	W	38-7

*-New England clinched AFC East title with win

BRADY-TO-BRADY

Kyle Brady grabbed his first pass in a Patriots uniform in the second quarter, hauling in a 20-yard reception from Tom Brady to bring the Patriots to the Bills' 2-yard line and set up Randy Moss's touchdown catch that made the score 17-7.

STARTING STRONG

The Patriots scored first, taking a 3-0 lead on a 24-yard field goal by Stephen Gostkowski in the first quarter. New England has scored first in six straight regular-season home games and has scored first in each of its three games this season.



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WEEK 2: PATRIOTS 38, CHARGERS 14

PATRIOTS 38, CHARGERS 14

September 16, 2007 ★ Gillette Stadium (Att: 68,756)

	1	2	3	4	Final
San Diego Chargers	0	0	7	7	— 14
New England Patriots	14	10	7	7	— 38

The Patriots put together a convincing 38-14 victory over the San Diego Chargers in their 2007 home opener, beginning the season with consecutive victories for the eighth time in the franchise's 48-year history. New England led from wire-to-wire as it took a 7-0 lead on its first offensive possession and never looked back. Tom Brady threw three touchdown passes, including two to Randy Moss, and the Patriots totaled 144 rushing yards and averaged 4.5 yards per carry. New England's run defense held the Chargers to just 2.6 yards per carry, as 2006 MVP LaDainian Tomlinson managed just 43 yards on 18 carries. Adalius Thomas returned an interception 65 yards for a touchdown, while fellow linebacker Roosevelt Colvin had two sacks and an interception.

For the second straight game, the Patriots put together an impressive drive on their first offensive possession, taking a 7-0 lead after marching 69 yards in seven plays, ending in a 7-yard touchdown pass from Brady to Benjamin Watson. The New England defense continued the momentum, as Colvin intercepted San Diego's Philip Rivers on the Chargers' first play from scrimmage. Later in the first quarter, the Patriots took a 14-0 lead on a touchdown from Brady to Moss. Brady completed 13-of-16 passes for 151 yards and two touchdowns in the first quarter, recording the highest first-quarter yardage total of his career. In the second quarter, a Colvin strip-sack set up a Patriots field goal and Thomas' interception return gave the Patriots a 24-0 lead at halftime.

In the second half, San Diego got the ball and marched down the field to get on the scoreboard and cut the New England lead to 24-7. But on the ensuing drive, the Patriots marched 75 yards in seven plays, taking a 31-7 lead on Moss's second touchdown catch of the night. The teams traded fourth-quarter touchdowns, as Sammy Morris rumbled into the end zone with 3:18 left in the game to put the finishing touches on the Patriots' second straight 38-14 win to begin the 2007 season.

THREE TOUCHDOWNS FOR BRADY

Tom Brady threw three touchdown passes, marking the second time in his career he has thrown three or more touchdowns in back-to-back regular season games in the same season. The other time Brady threw for three-plus scores in consecutive games was in 2002, when he had three touchdowns against Buffalo (11/3/02) and followed that with a three-score day against Chicago (11/10/02). This season marks the first time in Brady's career that he has had three or more scoring throws in each of the season's first two games.

100-YARD DAY FOR MOSS

Randy Moss gained 105 yards on eight receptions, totaling 100 or more yards in a game for the 50th time in his career (including three playoff games). He has exceeded the 100-yard mark in each of his first two games as a Patriot, following his 9-catch, 183-yard performance in the Patriots' season-opening win over the New York Jets on opening day.

TWO TOUCHDOWNS FOR MOSS

Randy Moss scored a pair of touchdowns – a 24-yard scoring grab in the third quarter and a 23-yard touchdown in the first quarter. The game was the 24th multiple-touchdown game of Moss's career. He leads the Patriots with three touchdowns this season, including his 51-yard scoring catch last week against the New York Jets. With his two touchdowns against San Diego, Moss has 104 career receiving touchdowns, a total that ranks fifth on the NFL's all-time list.

COLVIN: TWO STRIP-SACKS

Roosevelt Colvin sacked Philip Rivers and forced him to fumble twice in the game. The first sack came at the Patriots' 44-yard line in the first quarter, and Vince Wilfork then recovered the loose ball to give possession to the Patriots. His second sack – in the fourth quarter – cause a fumble that was recovered by the Chargers. The sacks gave Colvin 50.5 career sacks – the sixth highest total among all active NFL linebackers. Last season, Colvin led the Patriots with 8.5 sacks and 26 quarterback hits. Included among his 2006 sack total was one strip-sack, coming against Detroit's Jon Kitna on Dec. 3. In last season's divisional playoff game between the Patriots and Chargers, New England's Mike Vrabel strip-sacked Rivers, setting up a New England field goal drive that gave the Patriots a 3-0 first-quarter lead.

COLVIN INTERCEPTION

Roosevelt Colvin intercepted a Philip Rivers pass on the Chargers' first play from scrimmage, giving the Patriots possession on the San Diego 24-yard line. Colvin also picked off a Rivers pass in the third quarter of the teams' divisional playoff game in San Diego on Jan. 14. The interception was the first of Colvin's Patriots career in regular season play and was his third career regular season pick. He intercepted two passes in 2001 while playing for the Chicago Bears.

QUICK HITS

- The Patriots scored in every quarter for the second straight game and have put at least seven points on the board in each of their eight quarters of football this season.
- The Patriots recorded their 140th consecutive home sellout, a streak that dates back to the 1994 regular season opener and includes all preseason, regular season and playoff games since then.
- Santonio Thomas and James Sanders combined to stuff LaDainian Tomlinson for no gain at the Chargers' 39-yard line on a third-and-one rush in the second quarter, forcing a San Diego punt on the next play.
- Adalius Thomas stuffed Tomlinson for a 4-yard loss in the third quarter.

WATSON TOUCHDOWN

Benjamin Watson scored his second touchdown of the season and the ninth touchdown of his career when he hauled in a 7-yard pass from Tom Brady to complete the Patriots' first scoring drive of the game. Brady completed six-of-seven passes on the drive, totaling 69 yards, as the Patriots passed the ball on all seven plays of the drive. The biggest play of the drive was a 34-yard pass from Brady to Wes Welker that gave the Patriots a first-and-goal at the Chargers' 7-yard line, setting up the touchdown strike on the next play.

MORRIS TOUCHDOWN

Sammy Morris scored his first touchdown in a Patriots uniform when he rumbled in for a 3-yard touchdown on fourth down in the fourth quarter to give the Patriots a 38-14 lead. The touchdown was the 15th rushing touchdown of Morris' 8-year career and his 16th overall touchdown (one receiving). Morris' score against the Chargers completed a 15-play, 91-yard drive that lasted 10:07.



THREE-TIME SUPER BOWL CHAMPIONS





WEEK 1: PATRIOTS 38, JETS 14

PATRIOTS 38, JETS 14

September 9, 2007 ★ Giants Stadium (Att: 77,900)

	1	2	3	4	Final
New England Patriots	7	7	14	10	— 38
New York Jets	0	7	7	0	— 14

The Patriots opened the 2007 season with a convincing road victory over a division rival, defeating the New York Jets, 38-14. New England used 24 second-half points to put the game out of reach, as a solid effort in all three phases of the game resulted in an encouraging beginning to the campaign.

On offense, Randy Moss compiled 183 receiving yards on nine catches, turning in the third-most prolific day for a receiver in Patriots history (in terms of receiving yardage) and totaling the third-highest receiving yardage total of his career. Tom Brady also turned in a superlative performance, as his 146.6 passer rating was the third best of his career. New England ground out three drives of 10 plays or longer and in its four red zone trips came away with three touchdowns and a field goal.

On defense, the Patriots sacked New York quarterbacks five times, as Mike Vrabel totaled 2.5 sacks and Jarvis Green added a pair of sacks. New England allowed just 60 rushing yards as the Jets made six first downs on their non-scoring drives.

New England's special teams produced a 108-yard kickoff return for a touchdown by Ellis Hobbs, the longest kickoff return in the NFL's 88-year history.

The Patriots started strong, compiling a 12-play, 91-yard scoring drive on their first offensive possession, ending in an 11-yard touchdown strike from Brady to Wes Welker. New York tied the score at seven midway through the second quarter, but on the ensuing drive, the Patriots marched down the field to reclaim the lead, 14-7, on a 5-yard touchdown pass from Brady to tight end Benjamin Watson.

In the second half, New England came out of the gates quickly, as Hobbs returned the opening kickoff 108 yards for a touchdown and a 21-7 Patriots advantage. On New England's next possession, Brady found Moss for a 51-yard touchdown and a 28-7 Patriots lead. A Jets score on their ensuing possession cut the lead to 28-14 entering the fourth quarter, but 10 unanswered points for the Patriots in the final period – a 22-yard Stephen Gostkowski field goal and a 1-yard scoring run by Heath Evans – put it away as the Patriots headed home with a 38-14 win.

LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN IN NFL HISTORY

Ellis Hobbs returned the opening kickoff of the second half 108 yards for a touchdown, recording the longest kickoff return in NFL history and tying for the longest play in NFL history. The kickoff return for a touchdown was the second of Hobbs's career, with his other coming on Dec. 17, 2006 on a 93-yard return against the Houston Texans. Hobbs's 108-yard kickoff return surpasses the previous NFL record of 106 yards, achieved three times, last by Roy Green of the St. Louis Cardinals in 1979. Hobbs's play ties two 108-yard missed field goal returns for touchdowns as the longest play in NFL history. Nathan Vasher and Devin Hester of the Chicago Bears returned field goals 108 yards for touchdowns in 2005 and 2006, respectively.

SEASON STARTS WITH A TOUCHDOWN DRIVE

The Patriots scored a touchdown on their first offensive possession of the season for the first time since 1997. The last time New England reached the end zone on its season-opening possession was on Aug. 31, 1997 against San Diego at Foxboro Stadium. In that game, the Patriots received the opening kickoff and marched 73 yards, ending in a 4-yard touchdown pass from Drew Bledsoe to Ben Coates. The last time the Patriots opened the season with a touchdown drive on the road was in 1989, when New England opened with a 93-yard touchdown drive against the Jets at Giants Stadium, ending in a 20-yard touchdown pass from Tony Eason to Irving Fryar.

MOSS DEBUTS

Randy Moss scored his first touchdown in a Patriots uniform on a 51-yard reception from Tom Brady in the third quarter, giving the Patriots a 28-7 lead. The touchdown catch was the 102nd of Moss's career and was his 20th career touchdown reception of 50 yards or longer. Moss's 183 receiving yards in the game marked the third highest total of his career and the third highest single-game total in Patriots history.

150 FOR BRADY

Tom Brady's 51-yard touchdown pass to Randy Moss in the third quarter was the 150th touchdown toss of his regular season career. He joins Steve Grogan (182) and Drew Bledsoe (166) as the only quarterbacks in Patriots history to total 150 touchdowns.

STARTING STRONG

The Patriots' first offensive possession of the season was a 91-yard, 12-play touchdown drive that ended in an 11-yard touchdown pass from Tom Brady to Wes Welker, giving the Patriots a 7-0 lead. New England gained seven first downs on the drive and did not face a third down until the final play of the drive, on which Brady found Welker for the score.

BRADY-TO-WELKER

Wes Welker scored his first touchdown in a Patriots uniform on an 11-yard scoring grab from Tom Brady in the first quarter. The scoring catch was Welker's 100th career reception and the second touchdown catch of his career. He also reached the end zone on a kick return in 2004 with the Miami Dolphins. Welker was acquired by the Patriots from the Dolphins on March 5, 2007 in exchange for a second-round pick and a seventh-round selection in the 2007 draft.

PATRIOTS DEBUTS

Eleven players made their Patriots debuts against the Jets: TE Kyle Brady, P Chris Hanson, DB Brandon Meriweather, S Mel Mitchell, RB Sammy Morris, WR Randy Moss, WR Donte' Stallworth, LB Adalius Thomas, DL Santonio Thomas, WR Kelley Washington and WR Wes Welker

VRABEL WITH MULTIPLE SACKS

Linebacker Mike Vrabel totaled 2.5 sacks, marking the second highest single-game sack total of his career and his highest since totaling a career-high 3.0 sacks against Cleveland on Oct. 26, 2003.

WATSON TOUCHDOWN

Benjamin Watson gave the Patriots a 14-7 lead with a 5-yard touchdown reception from Tom Brady with 1:07 remaining in the first half. The scoring grab was the eighth of Watson's career. Last season, Watson finished second on the team with 49 receptions, the highest reception total by a Patriots tight end since Ben Coates caught 67 passes in 1998.

RECORD UPDATE

- Tom Brady improved to 7-0 as a starter on the road against the Jets.
- Brady improved to 22-1 as a starter on artificial turf in the regular season.
- Brady improved to 18-2 in the regular season when throwing for three or more touchdowns.
- The Patriots improved their all-time record to 24-24 on opening day.

MILESTONE FOR BELICHICK

With the Patriots' win, Bill Belichick recorded his 125th career regular season victory as a head coach, becoming one of just four active NFL head coaches with 125 or more career wins. He joins Joe Gibbs (163), Mike Holmgren (160) and Mike Shanahan (140).



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7

The number of receptions Kevin Faulk needs to pass Gino Cappelletti and take possession of sixth place on the Patriots' all-time receptions list. Faulk currently has 286 career receptions and Cappelletti has 292 career catches.

1.5

The number of sacks Tedy Bruschi needs to reach the 30-sack mark for his career and become the 13th player in Patriots history to record 30 or more sacks in a New England uniform.

3

The number of rushing yards Laurence Maroney needs to reach 1,000 rushing yards for his career.

2

The number of victories the Patriots need to reach 150 victories (including regular season and playoff games) since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994.

2

The number of interceptions Asante Samuel needs to reach 20 for his career. He would become the 11th player in team history to record 20 or more interceptions for the Patriots.

2

The number of starts Brady needs to reach 100 regular season games started in his career.

7

Number of passing touchdowns Brady needs to pass Drew Bledsoe (166) and move into second on the franchise's career passing touchdowns list behind leader Steve Grogan (182).

9

The number of victories Bill Belichick needs to reach 100 wins in his regular season and playoff career as Patriots head coach.

9

The number of receptions Benjamin Watson needs to reach 100 for his career and become the ninth tight end in team history to reach that milestone with the Patriots.

28

The number of yards rushing Kevin Faulk needs to move ahead of Craig James (2,469) into 10th place on the Patriots all-time rushing list. Faulk is currently in 12th place with 2,442 career yards.

LEAGUE LEADERS

+100

The Patriots' point differential this season, a mark that leads the NFL. New England has scored 148 points and has allowed 48 points through four games.

+823

The Patriots yardage differential this season, a mark that leads the NFL. New England has gained 1,727 yards and has allowed 904 yards through three games.

105

The number of first downs the Patriots have gained this season – the highest total in the league.

51.3%

The Patriots' third-down conversion percentage this season (20/39), a mark that ranks first in the league.

30.0%

The Patriots third-down defense this season (12/40), a mark that leads the NFL.

32.5

The Patriots' kickoff return average, a mark that leads the NFL.

904

The number of total yards the Patriots have allowed this season – the fewest in the NFL.

THE KRAFT ERA

148

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

That mark is the highest total in the NFL over that span.

.635

The Patriots' NFL-best winning percentage in regular-season and playoff games since Robert Kraft bought the team in 1994. The team has recorded a 148-85 record in that span after going 19-61 in the five years prior (1989-93).

4

The number of times the Patriots have appeared in the Super Bowl since Robert Kraft bought the team in 1994. No other team has made more than two Super Bowl appearances in that span.

15

The number of playoff games the Patriots have won since Robert Kraft bought the team in 1994. That mark leads the NFL over that span (Pittsburgh, 12).

9

The number of playoff seasons in which the Patriots have qualified for the playoffs since Robert Kraft bought the team in 1994. That mark leads the NFL over that span.

82-33

The Patriots' record at home since 1994, including regular season and postseason games, a winning percentage of .713.

7

The number of AFC East titles the Patriots have won since 1996. No other NFL team has won more than five division titles over that span.

142

The number of consecutive regular-season, preseason and playoff games that have been sold out in Foxborough. The streak began with the 1994 season and includes this week's game.

288

The number of consecutive Patriots games that have been televised locally, including this week's game.

THE HEAD COACH

91-39

Bill Belichick's overall record as head coach of the Patriots, including the regular season and the playoffs, the best head coaching record in franchise history.

86-28

Bill Belichick's record since 2001, making him the winningest head coach in over the last six-plus seasons.

13-3

Coach Belichick's career record in playoff games. His winning percentage of .813 ranks second in NFL history to Vince Lombardi (9-1, .900), and his 13 total playoff wins are the fifth highest total of all time.

12

The number of division titles Bill Belichick has contributed to as a coach, including five of the last six AFC East titles as head coach of the Patriots.

9

The number of head coaches who have won three or more NFL championships since the postseason era began in 1933. Belichick joined that elite club with a victory in Super Bowl XXXIX.

.754

Coach Belichick's winning percentage in regular-season and playoff games since 2001 (86-28).



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PATRIOTS FOOTBALL NETWORK

The **Patriots Football Network (PFN)** is the full portfolio of media offerings from the three-time Super Bowl Champion New England Patriots. PFN provides Patriots content produced both in-house and with media partners spanning print, television, radio and the Internet.

PATRIOTS ALL ACCESS

Patriots All Access, winner of the 2007 New England Emmy Award for Best Sports Series, airs weekly throughout the season on WCVB-TV and a network of regional affiliates. The show can also be seen anytime on Comcast On Demand. Patriots All Access features exclusive, behind-the-scenes access and in-depth weekly features on Patriots players and personnel. Hosted by WCVB's Mike Lynch, the show features weekly sit-downs with Coach Bill Belichick including the popular "Belestrator" segment where the coach breaks down upcoming opponents.



Saturdays at 7:00 p.m. and Sundays at 10:00 a.m. on **WCVB-TV Channel 5 in Boston**
Sundays at 1:30 a.m. on **WPRI-TV Channel 12 in Providence**, Saturdays at 7:00 p.m. on **WFXQ-TV in Springfield**
Also available 24 hours a day on **Comcast On Demand**

TOTALLY PATRIOTS



Totally Patriots, a youth-oriented football show, airs each Sunday morning on WCVB, Channel 5 in Boston. The show, hosted by Kerry Connolly, is geared towards young fans and includes a health and fitness segment as well as a weekly football tips feature with Patriots Hall of Fame linebacker Andre Tippett and a current Patriots player. Other features and segments emphasize the importance of an active lifestyle and let young football players hear directly from the pros. Check your local listings for other times and locations.

Sundays at 11:00 a.m. on **WCVB-TV Channel 5**
Also available 24 hours a day on **Comcast On Demand**

NEW PATRIOTS PROGRAMMING

PATRIOTS TODAY: Available daily on Comcast On Demand and at Patriots.com

PATRIOTS THIS WEEK: Saturdays at 10:30 p.m. on WSBK Channel 38

Patriots Today, the team's newest media offering, gives fans a daily, in-depth look at the club that is unmatched by any other outlet. The show is hosted by Kristina Akra with daily reports from Brian Lowe and twice-weekly analysis from PFW's Paul Perillo. This daily half-hour Webcast is dedicated exclusively to the Patriots and provides daily features, reports and commentary that will satisfy every fan's daily Patriots fix. Every Saturday night during the season on Channel 38, Kristina Akra will bring you *Patriots This Week*, providing a thorough recap of each week's developments.

PATRIOTS.COM

NEWS

Patriots.com features daily updates and exclusive content from the writers of *Patriots Football Weekly*, offering everything from breaking news to player features and the popular "Ask PFW" postings.

VIDEO

The first professional sports team website to offer streaming video provides Patriots fans with a variety of exclusive video content. Visitors can choose their channel and watch exclusive video from news to cheerleaders. Patriots.com also features video of every Patriots press conference, including postgame press conferences and Coach Belichick's weekday media updates.

AUDIO

"PFW In Progress," available exclusively on Patriots.com, is a weekly online program that features candid commentary from the writers of *Patriots Football Weekly*. Patriots.com also offers podcasts and streaming audio of every press conference.

PATRIOTS FRIDAY ON 890 ESPN BOSTON

ESPN Boston has the exclusive rights to broadcast "Patriots Friday" from Gillette Stadium each week during the season. ESPN Boston's Mike Felger hosts the show from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. each Friday and will be joined by prominent Patriots.

ESPN Radio Boston

890 AM (Boston/Dedham), 1400 AM (Lowell/Lawrence)

Time (Fridays)	Show	Guests
3:00 – 6:00 p.m.	The Mike Felger Show	Troy Brown, Mike Vrabel and Matt Light

WBCN PATRIOTS ROCK RADIO NETWORK

For the 13th consecutive season, WBCN is proud to be the flagship station for the Patriots Rock Radio Network. Every Patriots game was heard on WBCN (104.1 FM) and its network of 35 stations throughout all six New England states. WBCN's pregame and postgame shows can be heard before and after each game, beginning three hours before kickoff.



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WBEC	Pittsfield	1420 AM
WEIM	Fitchburg	1280 AM
WNAW	N. Adams	1230 AM
WBSM	New Bedford	1420 AM
WPVQ	Greenfield	95.3 FM
WSAR	Fall River	1480 AM
WSBS	Gt. Barrington	860 AM
WWFX	Worcester	100.1 FM
WXTK	Hyannis	95.1 FM

MAINE

WEBB	Augusta	98.5 FM
WWMJ	Bangor	97.7 FM
WBLM	Portland	102.9 FM

CONNECTICUT

WCCC	Hartford	106.9 FM
WLXM	New London	102.3 FM
WINY	Putnam	1350 AM

NEW YORK

WEAV	Plattsburgh	960 AM
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NEW HAMPSHIRE

WTPL	Concord	107.7 FM
WSAK	Hampton	102.1 FM
WWHQ	Laconia	101.5 FM
WVRR	Lebanon	101.7 FM
WGAM	Nashua	900 AM
WPKQ	N. Conway	103.7 FM
WKBR	Manchester	1250 AM
WSHK	Portsmouth	105.3 FM

RHODE ISLAND

WSKO	Providence	99.7 FM
WSKO	Providence	790 AM

VERMONT

WSNO	Barre	1450 AM
WBTN	Bennington	1370 AM
WKVT	Brattleboro	92.7 FM
WXZO	Burlington	96.7 FM
WIKI	Newport	1490 AM
WEXP	Rutland	101.5 FM
WSTJ	St Johnsbury	1340 AM
WMXR	Woodstock	93.9 FM

PATRIOTS MONDAY ON WEEI

Sports Radio 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 Bill Belichick, Tom Brady and other star players.

Sports Radio WEEI

850 AM (Boston), 103.7 FM (Providence),
1440 AM (Worcester), 105.5 FM (Springfield)

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 Holley	Stars of the Week
2:00 – 6:00 p.m.	The Big Show	Coach Belichick



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2007 OFFENSIVE STATISTICS

WON 4, LOST 0

09/09 W 38-14	at New York Jets	77,900
09/16 W 38-14	San Diego	68,756
09/23 W 38-7	Buffalo	68,756
10/01 W 34-13	at Cincinnati	66,113
10/07	Cleveland	
10/14	at Dallas	
10/21	at Miami	
10/28	Washington	
11/04	at Indianapolis	
11/18	at Buffalo	
11/25	Philadelphia	
12/03	at Baltimore	
12/09	Pittsburgh	
12/16	New York Jets	
12/23	Miami	
12/29	at New York Giants	

	N.E.	Opp.
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	105	60
Rushing	43	16
Passing	56	41
Penalty	6	3
3rd Down: Made/Att	20/39	12/40
3rd Down Pct.	51.3	30.0
4th Down: Made/Att	3/6	2/3
4th Down Pct.	50.0	66.7
POSSESSION AVG.	35:10	24:51
TOTAL NET YARDS	1727	904
Avg. Per Game	431.8	226.0
Total Plays	264	209
Avg. Per Play	6.5	4.3
NET YARDS RUSHING	628	279
Avg. Per Game	157.0	69.8
Total Rushes	141	81
NET YARDS PASSING	1099	625
Avg. Per Game	274.8	156.3
Sacked/Yards Lost	3/19	11/91
Gross Yards	1118	716
Att./Completions	120/95	117/72
Completion Pct.	79.2	61.5
Had Intercepted	2	5
PUNTS/AVERAGE	5/36.8	21/45.9
NET PUNTING AVG.	5/32.8	21/38.0
PENALTIES/YARDS	15/123	22/190
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	5/2	5/2
TOUCHDOWNS	19	6
Rushing	4	1
Passing	13	5
Returns	2	0

* SCORE BY PERIODS	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	OT	PTS
TEAM	34	38	42	34	0	148
OPPONENTS	7	14	17	10	0	48

* SCORING	TD-Ru-Pa-Rt	K-PAT	FG	S	PTS
Moss	7	0	7	0	42
Gostkowski	0	0	0	0	19/19
Morris	3	3	0	0	0
Watson	3	0	3	0	0
Evans	1	1	0	0	0
Gaffney	1	0	1	0	0
Hobbs	1	0	0	1	0
A. Thomas	1	0	0	1	0
Vrabel	1	0	1	0	0
Welker	1	0	1	0	0
TEAM	19	4	13	2	19/19
OPPONENTS	6	1	5	0	6/6

2-Pt. Conversions: TEAM 0-0, OPPONENTS 0-0

SACKS: Vrabel 3.5, Green 2.5, Colvin 2, Hobbs 1, A. Thomas 1, T. Warren 1, TEAM 11, OPPONENTS 3
FUM/LOST: T. Brady 2/1, Cassel 1/0, Hobbs 1/1, Welker 1/0

* PASSING	Att	Cmp	Yds	Cmp%	Yds/Att	TD	TD%	Int	Int%	Long	Sack/Lost	Rating
T. Brady	120	95	1118	79.2	9.32	13	10.8	2	1.7	51t	3/19	134.7
TEAM	120	95	1118	79.2	9.32	13	10.8	2	1.7	51t	3/19	134.7
OPPONENTS	117	72	716	61.5	6.12	5	4.3	5	4.3	23	11/91	75.3

* RUSHING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Morris	54	268	5.0	49	3
Maroney	54	252	4.7	19	0
Faulk	7	44	6.3	14	0
Welker	2	33	16.5	27	0
Evans	10	20	2.0	9	1
Eckel	3	11	3.7	6	0
T. Brady	5	6	1.2	4	0
Cassel	3	-3	-1.0	0	0
Gutierrez	3	-3	-1.0	-1	0
TEAM	141	628	4.5	49	4
OPPONENTS	81	279	3.4	16	1

* RECEIVING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Moss	31	505	16.3	51t	7
Welker	23	243	10.6	34	1
Watson	11	87	7.9	14	3
Faulk	10	95	9.5	23	0
Stallworth	8	115	14.4	28	0
Gaffney	4	26	6.5	11	1
Morris	4	26	6.5	18	0
K. Brady	1	20	20.0	20	0
D. Thomas	1	9	9.0	9	0
Vrabel	1	1	1.0	1t	1
Mankins	1	-9	-9.0	-9	0
TEAM	95	1118	11.8	51t	13
OPPONENTS	72	716	9.9	23	5

* INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Samuel	2	43	21.5	42	0
A. Thomas	1	65	65.0	65t	1
Colvin	1	4	4.0	4	0
Gay	1	0	0.0	0	0
TEAM	5	112	22.4	65t	1
OPPONENTS	2	22	11.0	20	0

* PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Net	TB	In	Lg	B
Hanson	5	184	36.8	32.8	1	0	53	0
TEAM	5	184	36.8	32.8	1	0	53	0
OPPONENTS	21	964	45.9	38.0	3	6	75	0

* PUNT RETURNS	Ret	FC	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Welker	9	1	107	11.9	29	0
Faulk	0	4	0	---	---	0
TEAM	9	5	107	11.9	29	0
OPPONENTS	1	1	0	0.0	0	0

* KICKOFF RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Hobbs	10	334	33.4	108t	1
Andrews	1	24	24.0	24	0
TEAM	11	358	32.5	108t	1
OPPONENTS	22	499	22.7	34	0

* FIELD GOALS	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+
Gostkowski	0/0	3/3	2/2	0/1	0/0
TEAM	0/0	3/3	2/2	0/1	0/0
OPPONENTS	0/0	0/0	0/0	2/2	0/0

Gostkowski: (22G)(41N,24G)(24G)(31G,36G)

OPPONENTS: () () () (40G,48G)



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2007 DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

Tackle statistics based on coaches' film review

Ranking Statistics Based on Coaches' Film Review

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS												SP. TEAMS					FUMBLES - LOST (5-2)				
Name	TT	UT	A	S/ YL	QH	Int/	Yds	PD	FF	FR		TT	UT	A	FF	FR	Own				
																	No.	Lost	Rec.	O.B.	
Ty Warren	25	15	10	1.0	9.0	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Adalius Thomas	25	15	10	1.0	8.0	2	1	65	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Junior Seau	19	13	6	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Mike Vrabel	18	12	6	3.5	26.5	7	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Eugene Wilson	17	14	3	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
James Sanders	17	13	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	2	3	-	-					
Jarvis Green	15	12	3	2.5	18.5	5	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-					
Tedy Bruschi	14	8	6	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Ellis Hobbs	13	10	3	1.0	9.0	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Asante Samuel	12	12	0	-	-	-	2	43	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Rosevelt Colvin	12	7	5	2.0	20.0	-	1	4	1	2	0	-	-	-	-	-					
Vince Wilfork	12	7	5	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-					
Randall Gay	9	9	0	-	-	-	1	0	3	-	-	1	0	1	-	-					
Brandon Meriweather	8	6	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	0	5	-	-					
Santonio Thomas	5	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Rashad Baker	4	4	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Eric Alexander	2	2	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	3	2	-	-					
Mike Wright	1	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	0	-	-					
Kelley Washington	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	2	3	1	0					
Pierre Woods	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	1	4	-	-					
Larry Izzo	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	1	4	-	-					
Mel Mitchell	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	0	-	-					
Chad Brown	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	0	2	-	-					
Willie Andrews	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	1	-	-					
Corey Mays	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	1	-	-					
Sammy Morris	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	1	-	-					
Totals	228	163	65	11.0	91.0	26	5	112	19	4	2	40	13	27	1	0	Totals				

BLOCKED KICKS			
	XP	FG	P
Totals	0	0	0

MISC. OFFENSIVE STATS				
	Tkl	Ast	FF	FR
Wes Welker	2	0	0	0
Totals	2	0	0	0

BLOCKED KICKS			
	XP	FG	P
Totals	0	0	0

MISC. OFFENSIVE STATS				
	Tkl	Ast	FF	FR
Wes Welker	2	0	0	0
Totals	2	0	0	0

KEY	
TT-Total Tackles	Int/Yds-Interceptions/Yards Returned
UT-Unassisted Tackles	PD-Passes Defensed
A-Assisted Tackles	FF-Forced Fumbles
S/YL-Sacks/Yards Lost	FR-Fumble Recoveries
QH-Quarterback Hits	



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2007 TRANSACTIONS

MARCH, 2007

3/2	Heath Evans	Re-Signed
	Billy Yates.....	Re-Signed
	Corey Dillon	Released
3/3	Kyle Brady	Signed
	Sammy Morris	Signed
	Adalius Thomas	Signed
3/5	Wes Welker	Acquired via trade (MIA)
3/6	Larry Izzo	Re-Signed
3/13	Donte Stallworth	Signed
	Kelley Washington	Signed
3/19	Eddie Jackson	Signed
3/20	Bam Childress	Re-Signed
3/21	Rashad Baker	Re-Signed
	Corey Mays	Re-Signed
	Gene Mruczkowski	Re-Signed
	Mike Wright.....	Re-Signed

APRIL, 2007

4/5	Wesley Britt	Re-Signed
4/17	Kelvin Kight	Re-Signed
4/20	Sean Bubin	Retired
4/24	Tory James.....	Signed
4/25	Tony Case	Signed
4/28	Brandon Meriweather	Drafted
4/29	Randy Moss	Acquired via trade (OAK)
	Kareem Brown	Drafted
	Clint Oldenburg	Drafted
	Justin Rogers	Drafted
	Mike Richardson	Drafted
	Justise Hairston	Drafted
	Corey Hilliard	Drafted
	Oscar Lua	Drafted
	Mike Elgin	Drafted

MAY, 2007

5/8	Larry Anam	Signed as rookie free agent
	Kyle Bissinger	Signed as rookie free agent
	Matt Gutierrez	Signed as rookie free agent
	Jake Nordin	Signed as rookie free agent
	Quinton Smith	Signed as rookie free agent
	Justin Warren	Signed as rookie free agent
	Zach West	Signed as rookie free agent
5/11	Gemara Williams.....	Re-Signed
5/14	Chris Dunlap.....	Signed
	Denny Poland	Signed
5/15	Justin Warren	Released
5/20	Denny Poland	Released
5/21	Junior Seau	Re-Signed
5/29	Eric Alexander.....	Re-Signed
	Randall Gay	Re-Signed

JUNE, 2007

6/1	Antwain Spann	Re-Signed
6/7	C.J. Jones.....	Signed
6/8	Rashad Moore.....	Signed
	Kenny Smith	Signed
	Tony Case	Released

JULY, 2007

7/14	Corey Hilliard	Signed (Draft Choice)
	Oscar Lua	Signed (Draft Choice)
	Mike Richardson	Signed (Draft Choice)
7/17	Troy Brown.....	Re-Signed
	Justin Rogers.....	Signed (Draft Choice)
	Justise Hairston	Signed (Draft Choice)
7/18	Clint Oldenburg.....	Signed (Draft Choice)
7/19	Chad Brown.....	Signed
	Jake Nordin	Released
	Jonathan Smith.....	Released
	Antwain Spann	Released
7/23	Kareem Brown	Signed (Draft Choice)
	Mike Elgin.....	Signed (Draft Choice)

JULY, 2007 (Cont.)

7/27	Justise Hairston.....	Released
	Troy Brown, Chad Jackson, Eddie Jackson Mel Mitchell, Richard Seymour, Donte Stallworth and David Thomas.....	Placed on PUP list
7/28	Brandon Meriweather.....	Signed (Draft Choice)
7/30	Chad Scott.....	Placed on Reserve/Injured

AUGUST, 2007

8/1	Mel Mitchell.....	Removed from PUP list
	Justise Hairston.....	Cleared waivers; on Reserve/Injured
8/6	Donte Stallworth	Removed from PUP list
	Quadtrine Hill.....	Released
8/7	Dante Wesley.....	Acquired via trade (CHI)
8/8	Marcellus Rivers	Signed
8/12	Brian Jones.....	Signed
	Matt Kranchick	Released
8/16	Chris Patrick	Claimed off of Waivers
	Brian Barthelmes.....	Released
	Josh Miller	Released
8/18	Vinny Testaverde.....	Signed
	Artrell Hawkins.....	Released
	Gemara Williams	Released
	Kyle Bissinger.....	Released
8/22	Tom Malone.....	Released
	Kenny Smith	Released
8/28	Asante Samuel	Signed
	Troy Brown.....	Placed on Reserve/PUP
	Chad Jackson	Placed on Reserve/PUP
	Eddie Jackson	Placed on Reserve/PUP
	Mike Richardson	Placed on Reserve/Injured
	Chris Patrick.....	Released
8/30	Chris Hanson.....	Signed
	Danny Baugher	Released

SEPTEMBER, 2007

9/1	David Thomas.....	Removed from PUP list
	Richard Seymour.....	Placed on Reserve/PUP
	Oscar Lua	Placed on Reserve/Injured
	Larry Anam, Chad Brown, Bam Childress, Chris Dunlap, Mike Elgin, Corey Hilliard, Brian Jones, C.J. Jones, Kelvin Kight, Corey Mays, Garrett Mills, Rashad Moore, Gene Mruczkowski, Clint Oldenburg, Marcellus Rivers, Justin Rogers, Quinton Smith, Vinny Testaverde, Santonio Thomas, Dante Wesley and Zach West	Released
9/3	Marcellus Rivers	Re-Signed
	David Herron	Claimed off of Waivers
	Bam Childress, Kyle Eckel, C.J. Jones, Corey Mays, Clint Oldenburg, Jason Rader and Santonio Thomas	Signed to Practice Squad
	Reche Caldwell.....	Released
9/8	Corey Mays.....	Signed to active roster
	Santonio Thomas	Signed to active roster
	Tory James	Released
	Marcellus Rivers	Released
9/12	Chad Brown	Signed
	David Herron	Released
	Justise Hairston.....	Released from Reserve/Inj.
	Gemara Williams	Signed to Practice Squad
	Dan Connolly	Signed to Practice Squad
9/19	David Greene.....	Signed to Practice Squad
	Ray Ventrone.....	Signed to Practice Squad
	Clint Oldenburg	Released from Practice Squad
9/25	Antwain Spann.....	Signed to Practice Squad
	Gemara Williams	Released from Practice Squad
	Jason Rader	Placed on P.S. Reserve/Inj.
9/26	Zach West	Signed to Practice Squad
9/30	Jason Rader	Released from P.S. Reserve/Inj.

OCTOBER, 2007

10/1	Kyle Eckel.....	Signed to active roster
	Corey Mays.....	Released



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HOW THE PATRIOTS WERE BUILT

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>DRAFTEES (24)</u>	<u>AS OF OCTOBER 2, 2007</u> <u>VETERAN FREE AGENTS (16)</u>	<u>WAIVERS (1) /</u> <u>TRADES (2)</u>	<u>ROOKIE AND FIRST-YEAR</u> <u>FREE AGENTS (11)</u>
1993				
1994				
1995				
1996	Tedy Bruschi (3)			
1997				
1998				
1999	Kevin Faulk (2)			
2000	Tom Brady (6b)			Lonie Paxton (fa)
2001	Matt Light (2)	Larry Izzo (fa)(MIA) Mike Vrabel (3)(PIT)		Stephen Neal (fa)
2002	Jarvis Green (4b)			Russ Hochstein (5)
2003	Ty Warren (1) Eugene Wilson (2a) Asante Samuel (4b) Dan Koppen (5)	Rosevelt Colvin (4)(CHI) Rodney Harrison (5)(SD)		
2004	Vince Wilfork (1a) Benjamin Watson (1b)	Billy Yates (fa)(MIA)		Eric Alexander (fa) Randall Gay (fa)
2005	Logan Mankins (1) Ellis Hobbs III (3a) Nick Kaczur (3b) James Sanders (4) Matt Cassel (7a)	Heath Evans (3)(MIA)		Wesley Britt (5) Santonio Thomas (fa) Mike Wright (fa)
2006	Laurence Maroney (1) David Thomas (3) Stephen Gostkowski (4b) Ryan O'Callaghan (5) Le Kevin Smith (6c) Willie Andrews (7)	Jabar Gaffney (2)(PHI) Mel Mitchell (5)(NO) Junior Seau (1)(MIA)	Rashad Baker (fa)(cw-MIN)	Pierre Woods (fa)
2007	Brandon Meriweather (1) Kareem Brown (4)	Kyle Brady (1)(JAX) Chad Brown (2)(PIT) Chris Hanson (fa)(NO) Sammy Morris (5)(MIA) Donte Stallworth (1)(PHI) Adalius Thomas (6)(BAL) Kelley Washington (3)(CIN)	Randy Moss (1)(tr-OAK) Wes Welker (fa)(tr-MIA)	Kyle Eckel (fa) Matt Gutierrez (fa)
			RESERVE/PUP LIST (4) Troy Brown (D8-93) Chad Jackson (D2-06) Eddie Jackson (FA-07)(fa)(MIA) Richard Seymour (D1-01)	RESERVE/INJURED LIST (3) Mike Richardson (D6b-07) Chad Scott (1)(PIT)(FA-05) Oscar Lua (D7a-07)

(#) – indicates round drafted
(fa) – indicates non-drafted free agents



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2007 UNOFFICIAL DEPTH CHART

Unofficial depth chart compiled by Patriots Media Relations, October 2, 2007

OFFENSE

WR: 18 Donte' Stallworth	83 Wes Welker	
LT: 72 Matt Light	65 Wesley Britt	
LG: 70 Logan Mankins	71 Russ Hochstein	
C: 67 Dan Koppen	71 Russ Hochstein	
RG: 61 Stephen Neal	71 Russ Hochstein	74 Billy Yates
RT: 77 Nick Kaczur	68 Ryan O'Callaghan	
TE: 84 Benjamin Watson	88 Kyle Brady	86 David Thomas
WR: 81 Randy Moss	10 Jabar Gaffney	15 Kelley Washington
QB: 12 Tom Brady	16 Matt Cassel	<u>7 Matt Gutierrez</u>
RB: 39 Laurence Maroney	33 Kevin Faulk	34 Sammy Morris
FB: 44 Heath Evans	<u>38 Kyle Eckel</u>	

DEFENSE

LE: 94 Ty Warren	99 Mike Wright	
NT: 75 Vince Wilfork	90 Le Kevin Smith	
RE: 97 Jarvis Green	<u>92 Santonio Thomas</u>	<u>95 Kareem Brown</u>
OLB: 50 Mike Vrabel	58 Pierre Woods	
ILB: 96 Adalius Thomas	52 Eric Alexander	53 Larry Izzo
ILB: 54 Tedy Bruschi	55 Junior Seau	
OLB: 59 Rosevelt Colvin	98 Chad Brown	
LCB: 22 Asante Samuel	21 Randall Gay	
RCB: 27 Ellis Hobbs	<u>31 Brandon Meriweather</u>	
SS: 36 James Sanders	<u>31 Brandon Meriweather</u>	24 Mel Mitchell
FS: 26 Eugene Wilson	23 Willie Andrews	32 Rashad Baker

SPECIAL TEAMS

K: 3 Stephen Gostkowski	6 Chris Hanson
P: 6 Chris Hanson	3 Stephen Gostkowski
H: 6 Chris Hanson	16 Matt Cassel
PR: 83 Wes Welker	33 Kevin Faulk
KR: 27 Ellis Hobbs	23 Willie Andrews
LS: 66 Lonie Paxton	71 Russ Hochstein

Rookie and first-year players are underlined

PATRIOTS PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Matt Cassel.....	CASTLE	Dan Koppen.....	COPE-en
Stephen Gostkowski.....	gust-OW-ski	Ryan O'Callaghan.....	O'Callahan (silent "g")
Matt Gutierrez.....	goot-YAIR-ez	Le Kevin Smith.....	Lee • KEE-vin
Russ Hochstein.....	HOKE-stine	Adalius Thomas.....	ah-DAY-lus
Nick Kaczur.....	KÄ-zur		



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PATRIOTS ROSTER AS OF 10/2/2007

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
52	Alexander, Eric	LB	6-2	240	02/08/82	3	Louisiana State	Port Arthur, Texas
23	Andrews, Willie	DB	5-10	190	11/02/83	2	Baylor	Longview, Texas
32	Baker, Rashad	S	5-10	198	02/22/82	4	Tennessee	Camden, N.J.
88	Brady, Kyle	TE	6-6	280	01/14/72	13	Penn State	Camp Hill, Pa.
12	Brady, Tom	QB	6-4	225	08/03/77	8	Michigan	San Mateo, Calif.
65	Britt, Wesley	T	6-8	320	11/21/81	2	Alabama	Cullman, Ala.
98	Brown, Chad	LB	6-2	245	07/12/70	15	Colorado	Altadena, Calif.
95	Brown, Kareem	DL	6-4	295	01/30/84	R	Miami (Fla.)	Miami, Fla.
54	Bruschi, Tedy	LB	6-1	247	06/09/73	12	Arizona	Roseville, Calif.
16	Cassel, Matt	QB	6-4	230	05/17/82	3	Southern California	Northridge, Calif.
59	Colvin, Roosevelt	LB	6-3	250	09/05/77	9	Purdue	Indianapolis, Ind.
38	Eckel, Kyle	FB	5-11	237	12/30/81	1	Navy	Haverford, Pa.
44	Evans, Heath	RB	6-0	250	12/30/78	7	Auburn	West Palm Beach, Fla.
33	Faulk, Kevin	RB	5-8	202	06/05/76	9	Louisiana State	Carencro, La.
10	Gaffney, Jabar	WR	6-1	200	12/01/80	6	Florida	Jacksonville, Fla.
21	Gay, Randall	CB	5-11	190	05/05/82	4	Louisiana State	Brusly, La.
3	Gostkowski, Stephen	K	6-1	210	01/28/84	2	Memphis	Madison, Miss.
97	Green, Jarvis	DL	6-3	285	01/12/79	6	Louisiana State	Donaldsonville, La.
7	Gutierrez, Matt	QB	6-4	230	06/09/84	R	Idaho State	Concord, Calif.
6	Hanson, Chris	P	6-2	202	10/25/76	9	Marshall	Sharpsburg, Ga.
37	Harrison, Rodney	S	6-1	220	12/15/72	14	Western Illinois	Chicago, Ill.
27	Hobbs, Ellis	CB	5-9	195	05/16/83	3	Iowa State	DeSoto, Texas
71	Hochstein, Russ	G/C	6-4	305	10/07/77	7	Nebraska	Hartington, Neb.
53	Izzo, Larry	LB	5-10	228	09/26/74	12	Rice	Houston, Texas
77	Kaczur, Nick	T	6-4	315	07/28/79	3	Toledo	Brantford, Ontario
67	Koppen, Dan	C	6-2	296	09/12/79	5	Boston College	Whitehall, Pa.
72	Light, Matt	T	6-4	305	06/23/78	7	Purdue	Greenville, Ohio
70	Mankins, Logan	G	6-4	310	03/10/82	3	Fresno State	Catheys Valley, Calif.
39	Maroney, Laurence	RB	5-11	220	02/05/85	2	Minnesota	St. Louis, Mo.
31	Meriweather, Brandon	DB	5-11	200	01/14/84	R	Miami (Fla.)	Apopka, Fla.
24	Mitchell, Mel	S	6-1	225	02/10/79	6	Western Kentucky	Rockledge, Fla.
34	Morris, Sammy	RB	6-0	220	03/23/77	8	Texas Tech	San Antonio, Texas
81	Moss, Randy	WR	6-4	210	02/13/77	10	Marshall	Rand, W. Va.
61	Neal, Stephen	G	6-4	305	10/09/76	6	Cal State-Bakersfield	San Diego, Calif.
68	O'Callaghan, Ryan	T	6-7	330	07/19/83	2	California	Redding, Calif.
66	Paxton, Lonie	LS	6-2	260	03/13/78	8	Sacramento State	Corona, Calif.
22	Samuel, Asante	CB	5-10	185	01/06/81	5	Central Florida	Lauderdale Lakes, Fla.
36	Sanders, James	S	5-10	210	11/11/83	3	Fresno State	Porterville, Calif.
55	Seau, Junior	LB	6-3	250	01/19/69	18	Southern California	Oceanside, Calif.
90	Smith, Le Kevin	DL	6-3	308	07/21/82	2	Nebraska	Macon, Ga.
18	Stallworth, Donté	WR	6-0	200	11/10/80	6	Tennessee	Sacramento, Calif.
96	Thomas, Adalius	LB	6-2	270	08/18/77	8	Southern Mississippi	Equality, Ala.
86	Thomas, David	TE	6-3	248	07/05/83	2	Texas	Wolfforth, Texas
92	Thomas, Santonio	DL	6-4	305	07/02/81	1	Miami (Fla.)	Belle Glade, Fla.
50	Vrabel, Mike	LB	6-4	261	08/14/75	11	Ohio State	Akron, Ohio
94	Warren, Ty	DL	6-5	300	02/06/81	5	Texas A&M	Bryan, Texas
15	Washington, Kelley	WR	6-3	215	08/21/79	5	Tennessee	Stephens City, Va.
84	Watson, Benjamin	TE	6-3	255	12/18/80	4	Georgia	Rock Hill, S.C.
83	Welker, Wes	WR	5-9	185	05/01/81	4	Texas Tech	Oklahoma City, Okla.
75	Wilfork, Vince	DL	6-2	325	11/04/81	4	Miami (Fla.)	Boynton Beach, Fla.
26	Wilson, Eugene	DB	5-10	195	08/17/80	5	Illinois	Merrillville, Ind.
58	Woods, Pierre	LB	6-5	250	01/06/82	2	Michigan	Cleveland, Ohio
99	Wright, Mike	DL	6-4	295	03/01/82	3	Cincinnati	Cincinnati, Ohio
74	Yates, Billy	G	6-2	305	04/15/80	4	Texas A&M	Fort Worth, Texas

NUMERICAL ROSTER

#	NAME	POS
3	Stephen Gostkowski	K
6	Chris Hanson	P
7	Matt Gutierrez	QB
10	Jabar Gaffney	WR
12	Tom Brady	QB
15	Kelley Washington	WR
16	Matt Cassel	QB
18	Donté Stallworth	WR
21	Randall Gay	CB
22	Asante Samuel	CB
23	Willie Andrews	DB
24	Mel Mitchell	S
26	Eugene Wilson	DB
27	Ellis Hobbs	CB
31	Brandon Meriweather	DB
32	Rashad Baker	S
33	Kevin Faulk	RB
34	Sammy Morris	RB
36	James Sanders	S
37	Rodney Harrison	S
38	Kyle Eckel	FB
39	Laurence Maroney	RB
44	Heath Evans	RB
50	Mike Vrabel	LB
52	Eric Alexander	LB
53	Larry Izzo	LB
54	Tedy Bruschi	LB
55	Junior Seau	LB
58	Pierre Woods	LB
59	Rosevelt Colvin	LB
61	Stephen Neal	G
65	Wesley Britt	T
66	Lonie Paxton	LS
67	Dan Koppen	C
68	Ryan O'Callaghan	T
70	Logan Mankins	G
71	Russ Hochstein	G/C
72	Matt Light	T
74	Billy Yates	G
75	Vince Wilfork	DL
77	Nick Kaczur	T
81	Randy Moss	WR
83	Wes Welker	WR
84	Benjamin Watson	TE
86	David Thomas	TE
88	Kyle Brady	TE
90	Le Kevin Smith	DL
92	Santonio Thomas	DL
94	Ty Warren	DL
95	Kareem Brown	DL
96	Adalius Thomas	LB
97	Jarvis Green	DL
98	Chad Brown	LB
99	Mike Wright	DL

PRACTICE SQUAD

#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
13	Childress, Bam	WR	5-10	185	03/31/82	2	Ohio State	Warrensville Heights, Ohio
63	Connolly, Dan	G	6-4	313	09/02/82	3	Southeast Missouri St.	St. Louis, Mo.
8	Greene, David	QB	6-3	225	06/22/82	3	Georgia	Snellville, Ga.
19	Jones, C.J.	WR	5-11	195	09/20/80	2	Iowa	Boytown Beach, Fla.
28	Spann, Antwain	CB	6-0	195	02/22/83	2	Louisiana-Lafayette	Oceanside, Calif.
41	Ventrone, Ray	DB	5-10	200	10/21/82	2	Villanova	Pittsburgh, Pa.
69	West, Zach	DL	6-5	305	04/27/84	R	Texas-El Paso	Ocala, Fla.

PRACTICE SQUAD

#	NAME	POS
8	David Greene	QB
13	Bam Childress	WR
19	C.J. Jones	WR
28	Antwain Spann	CB
41	Ray Ventrone	DB
63	Dan Connolly	G
69	Zach West	DL

RESERVE/PHYSICALLY UNABLE TO PERFORM LIST

#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
80	Brown, Troy	WR	5-10	196	07/02/71	15	Marshall	Blackville, S.C.
17	Jackson, Chad	WR	6-1	215	03/06/85	2	Florida	Hoover, Ala.
29	Jackson, Eddie	CB	6-0	200	12/19/80	4	Arkansas	Richardson, Texas
93	Seymour, Richard	DL	6-6	310	10/06/79	7	Georgia	Gadsden, S.C.

RESERVE/PUP LIST

#	NAME	POS
17	Chad Jackson	WR
29	Eddie Jackson	CB
80	Troy Brown	WR
93	Richard Seymour	DL

RESERVE/INJURED LIST

#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
49	Lua, Oscar	LB	6-1	240	05/09/84	R	Southern California	Indio, Calif.
35	Richardson, Mike	CB	5-11	190	02/18/84	R	Notre Dame	Warner Robins, Ga.
30	Scott, Chad	DB	6-1	205	09/06/74	11	Maryland	Suitland, Md.

RESERVE/INJURED LIST

#	NAME	POS
30	Chad Scott	CB
35	Mike Richardson	CB
49	Oscar Lua	LB

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#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	AGE	YR	COLLEGE	HOW ACQ.
3	Stephen Gostkowski	K	6-1	210	23	2	Memphis	D4b-06
6	Chris Hanson	P	6-2	202	30	9	Marshall	FA-07
7	Matt Gutierrez	QB	6-4	230	23	R	Idaho State	FA-07
10	Jabar Gaffney	WR	6-1	200	26	6	Florida	FA-06
12	Tom Brady	QB	6-4	225	30	8	Michigan	D6b-00
15	Kelley Washington	WR	6-3	215	28	5	Tennessee	UFA (CIN)-07
16	Matt Cassel	QB	6-4	230	25	3	Southern California	D7a-05
18	Donté Stallworth	WR	6-0	200	26	6	Tennessee	UFA (PHI)-07
21	Randall Gay	CB	5-11	190	25	4	Louisiana State	FA-04
22	Asante Samuel	CB	5-10	185	26	5	Central Florida	D4b-03
23	Willie Andrews	DB	5-10	190	23	2	Baylor	D7-06
24	Mel Mitchell	S	6-1	225	28	6	Western Kentucky	UFA(NO)-06
26	Eugene Wilson	DB	5-10	195	27	5	Illinois	D2a-03
27	Ellis Hobbs	CB	5-9	195	24	3	Iowa State	D3a-05
31	Brandon Meriweather	DB	5-11	200	23	R	Miami (Fla.)	D1-07
32	Rashad Baker	S	5-10	198	25	4	Tennessee	CW (MIN)-06
33	Kevin Faulk	RB	5-8	202	31	9	Louisiana State	D2-99
34	Sammy Morris	RB	6-0	220	30	8	Texas Tech	UFA (MIA)-07
36	James Sanders	S	5-10	210	23	3	Fresno State	D4-05
37	Rodney Harrison	S	6-1	220	34	14	Western Illinois	FA (SD)-03
38	Kyle Eckel	FB	5-11	237	25	1	Navy	FA-07
39	Laurence Maroney	RB	5-11	220	22	2	Minnesota	D1-06
44	Heath Evans	RB	6-0	250	28	7	Auburn	FA-05
50	Mike Vrabel	LB	6-4	261	32	11	Ohio State	UFA (PIT)-01
52	Eric Alexander	LB	6-2	240	25	3	Louisiana State	FA-04
53	Larry Izzo	LB	5-10	228	33	12	Rice	UFA (MIA)-01
54	Tedy Bruschi	LB	6-1	247	34	12	Arizona	D3-96
55	Junior Seau	LB	6-3	250	38	18	Southern California	FA-06
58	Pierre Woods	LB	6-5	250	25	2	Michigan	FA-06
59	Rosevelt Colvin	LB	6-3	250	30	9	Purdue	UFA (CHI)-03
61	Stephen Neal	G	6-4	305	31	6	Cal State-Bakersfield	FA-01
65	Wesley Britt	T	6-8	320	25	2	Alabama	FA-06
66	Lonie Paxton	LS	6-2	260	29	8	Sacramento State	FA-00
67	Dan Koppen	C	6-2	296	28	5	Boston College	D5-03
68	Ryan O'Callaghan	T	6-7	330	24	2	California	D5-06
70	Logan Mankins	G	6-4	310	25	3	Fresno State	D1-05
71	Russ Hochstein	G/C	6-4	305	30	7	Nebraska	FA-02
72	Matt Light	T	6-4	305	29	7	Purdue	D2-01
74	Billy Yates	G	6-2	305	27	4	Texas A&M	FA-05
75	Vince Wilfork	DL	6-2	325	25	4	Miami (Fla.)	D1a-04
77	Nick Kaczur	T	6-4	315	28	3	Toledo	D3b-05
81	Randy Moss	WR	6-4	210	30	10	Marshall	TR (OAK)-07
83	Wes Welker	WR	5-9	185	26	4	Texas Tech	TR (MIA)-07
84	Benjamin Watson	TE	6-3	255	26	4	Georgia	D1b-04
86	David Thomas	TE	6-3	248	24	2	Texas	D3-06
88	Kyle Brady	TE	6-6	280	35	13	Penn State	UFA (JAX)-07
90	Le Kevin Smith	DL	6-3	308	25	2	Nebraska	D6c-06
92	Santonio Thomas	DL	6-4	305	26	1	Miami (Fla.)	FA-05
94	Ty Warren	DL	6-5	300	26	5	Texas A&M	D1-03
95	Kareem Brown	DL	6-4	295	23	R	Miami (Fla.)	D4-07
96	Adalius Thomas	LB	6-2	270	30	8	Southern Mississippi	UFA (BAL)-07
97	Jarvis Green	DL	6-3	285	28	6	Louisiana State	D4b-02
98	Chad Brown	LB	6-2	245	37	15	Colorado	FA-07
99	Mike Wright	DL	6-4	295	25	3	Cincinnati	FA-05

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8	David Greene	QB	6-3	225	25	3	Georgia	FA-07
13	Bam Childress	WR	5-10	185	25	2	Ohio State	FA-05
19	C.J. Jones	WR	5-11	195	27	2	Iowa	FA-07
28	Antwain Spann	CB	6-0	195	24	2	Louisiana-Lafayette	FA-07
41	Ray Ventrone	DB	5-10	200	24	2	Villanova	FA-07
63	Dan Connolly	G	6-4	313	25	3	Southeast Missouri St.	FA-07
69	Zach West	DL	6-5	305	23	R	Texas-El Paso	FA-07

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#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	AGE	YR	COLLEGE	HOW ACQ.
17	Chad Jackson	WR	6-1	215	22	2	Florida	D2-06
29	Eddie Jackson	CB	6-0	200	26	4	Arkansas	FA-07
80	Troy Brown	WR	5-10	196	36	15	Marshall	D8-93
93	Richard Seymour	DL	6-6	310	28	7	Georgia	D1-01

RESERVE/INJURED LIST

#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	AGE	YR	COLLEGE	HOW ACQ.	IR DATE
35	Mike Richardson	CB	5-11	190	23	R	Notre Dame	D6b-07	Aug. 28
30	Chad Scott	DB	6-1	205	33	11	Maryland	FA (PIT)-05	July 30
49	Oscar Lua	LB	6-1	240	23	R	Southern California	D7a-07	Sept. 1

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DEFENSE (26)								
#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN

DEFENSIVE LINE (7)

95	Brown, Kareem	DL	6-4	295	01/30/84	R	Miami (Fla.)	Miami, Fla.
97	Green, Jarvis	DL	6-3	285	01/12/79	6	Louisiana State	Donaldsonville, La.
90	Smith, Le Kevin	DL	6-3	308	07/21/82	2	Nebraska	Macon, Ga.
92	Thomas, Santonio	DL	6-4	305	07/02/81	1	Miami (Fla.)	Belle Glade, Fla.
94	Warren, Ty	DL	6-5	300	02/06/81	5	Texas A&M	Bryan, Texas
75	Wilfork, Vince	DL	6-2	325	11/04/81	4	Miami (Fla.)	Boynton Beach, Fla.
99	Wright, Mike	DL	6-4	295	03/01/82	3	Cincinnati	Cincinnati, Ohio

LINEBACKER (9)

52	Alexander, Eric	LB	6-2	240	02/08/82	3	Louisiana State	Port Arthur, Texas
98	Brown, Chad	LB	6-2	245	07/12/70	15	Colorado	Altadena, Calif.
54	Bruschi, Tedy	LB	6-1	247	06/09/73	12	Arizona	Roseville, Calif.
59	Colvin, Roosevelt	LB	6-3	250	09/05/77	9	Purdue	Indianapolis, Ind.
53	Izzo, Larry	LB	5-10	228	09/26/74	12	Rice	Houston, Texas
55	Seau, Junior	LB	6-3	250	01/19/69	18	Southern California	Oceanside, Calif.
96	Thomas, Adalius	LB	6-2	270	08/18/77	8	Southern Mississippi	Equality, Ala.
50	Vrabel, Mike	LB	6-4	261	08/14/75	11	Ohio State	Akron, Ohio
58	Woods, Pierre	LB	6-5	250	01/06/82	2	Michigan	Cleveland, Ohio

CORNERBACK (4)

21	Gay, Randall	CB	5-11	190	05/05/82	4	Louisiana State	Brusly, La.
27	Hobbs, Ellis	CB	5-9	195	05/16/83	3	Iowa State	DeSoto, Texas
31	Meriweather, Brandon	DB	5-11	200	01/14/84	R	Miami (Fla.)	Apopka, Fla.
22	Samuel, Asante	CB	5-10	185	01/06/81	5	Central Florida	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

SAFETY (6)

23	Andrews, Willie	DB	5-10	190	11/02/83	2	Baylor	Longview, Texas
32	Baker, Rashad	S	5-10	198	02/22/82	4	Tennessee	Camden, N.J.
37	Harrison, Rodney	S	6-1	220	12/15/72	14	Western Illinois	Chicago, Ill.
24	Mitchell, Mel	S	6-1	225	02/10/79	6	Western Kentucky	Rockledge, Fla.
36	Sanders, James	S	5-10	210	11/11/83	3	Fresno State	Porterville, Calif.
26	Wilson, Eugene	DB	5-10	195	08/17/80	5	Illinois	Merrillville, Ind.

OFFENSE (25)								
#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN

OFFENSIVE LINE (9)

65	Britt, Wesley	T	6-8	320	11/21/81	2	Alabama	Cullman, Ala.
71	Hochstein, Russ	G/C	6-4	305	10/07/77	7	Nebraska	Hartington, Neb.
77	Kaczur, Nick	T	6-4	315	07/28/79	3	Toledo	Brantford, Ontario
67	Koppen, Dan	C	6-2	296	09/12/79	5	Boston College	Whitehall, Pa.
72	Light, Matt	T	6-4	305	06/23/78	7	Purdue	Greenville, Ohio
70	Mankins, Logan	G	6-4	310	03/10/82	3	Fresno State	Cathays Valley, Calif.
61	Neal, Stephen	G	6-4	305	10/09/76	6	Cal State-Bakersfield	San Diego, Calif.
68	O'Callaghan, Ryan	T	6-7	330	07/19/83	2	California	Redding, Calif.
74	Yates, Billy	G	6-2	305	04/15/80	4	Texas A&M	Fort Worth, Texas

QUARTERBACK (3)

12	Brady, Tom	QB	6-4	225	08/03/77	8	Michigan	San Mateo, Calif.
16	Cassel, Matt	QB	6-4	230	05/17/82	3	Southern California	Northridge, Calif.
7	Gutierrez, Matt	QB	6-4	230	06/09/84	R	Idaho State	Concord, Calif.

WIDE RECEIVER (5)

10	Gaffney, Jabar	WR	6-1	200	12/01/80	6	Florida	Jacksonville, Fla.
81	Moss, Randy	WR	6-4	210	02/13/77	10	Marshall	Rand, W. Va.
18	Stallworth, Donté	WR	6-0	200	11/10/80	6	Tennessee	Sacramento, Calif.
15	Washington, Kelley	WR	6-3	215	08/21/79	5	Tennessee	Stephens City, Va.
83	Welker, Wes	WR	5-9	185	05/01/81	4	Texas Tech	Oklahoma City, Okla.

RUNNING BACK (5)

38	Eckel, Kyle	FB	5-11	237	12/30/81	1	Navy	Haverford, Pa.
44	Evans, Heath	RB	6-0	250	12/30/78	7	Auburn	West Palm Beach, Fla.
33	Faulk, Kevin	RB	5-8	202	06/05/76	9	Louisiana State	Carencro, La.
39	Maroney, Laurence	RB	5-11	220	02/05/85	2	Minnesota	St. Louis, Mo.
34	Morris, Sammy	RB	6-0	220	03/23/77	8	Texas Tech	San Antonio, Texas

TIGHT END (3)

88	Brady, Kyle	TE	6-6	280	01/14/72	13	Penn State	Camp Hill, Pa.
86	Thomas, David	TE	6-3	248	07/05/83	2	Texas	Wolfforth, Texas
84	Watson, Benjamin	TE	6-3	255	12/18/80	4	Georgia	Rock Hill, S.C.

SPECIALISTS (3)								
#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN

SPECIALISTS (3)

3	Gostkowski, Stephen	K	6-1	210	01/28/84	2	Memphis	Madison, Miss.
6	Hanson, Chris	P	6-2	202	10/25/76	9	Marshall	Sharpsburg, Ga.
66	Paxton, Lonie	LS	6-2	260	03/13/78	8	Sacramento State	Corona, Calif.

RESERVE/PHYSICALLY UNABLE TO PERFORM LIST (4)								
#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN

80	Brown, Troy	WR	5-10	196	07/02/71	15	Marshall	Blackville, S.C.
17	Jackson, Chad	WR	6-1	215	03/06/85	2	Florida	Hoover, Ala.
29	Jackson, Eddie	CB	6-0	200	12/19/80	4	Arkansas	Richardson, Texas
93	Seymour, Richard	DL	6-6	310	10/06/79	7	Georgia	Gadsden, S.C.

RESERVE/INJURED LIST (3)								
#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN

49	Lua, Oscar	LB	6-1	240	05/09/84	R	Southern California	Indio, Calif.
35	Richardson, Mike	CB	5-11	190	02/18/84	R	Notre Dame	Warner Robins, Ga.
30	Scott, Chad	DB	6-1	205	09/06/74	11	Maryland	Suitland, Md.



PATRIOTS IN THE COMMUNITY

PATRIOTS AND SHAW'S TEAM UP TO SUPPORT KIDS CAFÉS



Patriots Chairman and CEO Robert Kraft looks on as Vince Wilfork purchases a gold paper football at Shaw's in Mansfield, Mass. as a part of the Kids Café fundraising campaign. The football, which costs \$6.65, will feed a child a hot meal for a week.

The New England Patriots Charitable Foundation, Shaw's Supermarkets and The Greater Boston Food Bank have kicked off a joint fundraising campaign to support local Kids Café programs and food banks throughout New England.

From September 11 to October 9, shoppers can help tackle childhood hunger by purchasing paper footballs at their local Shaw's or Star Market. A brown football for \$1.33 will feed a child dinner for one night. A gold football for \$6.65 will feed a child dinner for an entire week. The campaign goal is to raise \$300,000, which will be distributed to Kids Cafés and local food banks throughout New England.

Operated in partnership with local food banks and community organizations such as Boys & Girls Clubs, Kids Café is an after-school meals program for children from low-income families. Five days a week at six Boys & Girls Clubs in the Boston area, more than 1,000 children are served a hot, nutritious meal at no cost. Kids Café is a

national program developed by America's Second Harvest – The Nation's Food Bank Network.

New England Patriots Chairman and CEO Robert Kraft, Patriots defensive lineman Vince Wilfork and Patriots Hall of Famer Andre Tippett joined Shaw's President Carl Jablonski at the Shaw's in Mansfield to launch the program last week, where the group purchased and hung the inaugural paper footballs. Additionally, Wilfork and Tippett signed autographs for the first fifty people to support the program and spent time greeting customers at the checkout lanes.

"Hunger is a problem that doesn't grab headlines like gang violence or youth drug abuse, but it is affecting huge numbers of children in our community," said Josh Kraft, the president of the New England Patriots Charitable Foundation. "The good news is that collectively, we can make a big difference through small donations. This isn't just a Patriots initiative or a Shaw's initiative. It's a community initiative and we're inviting everyone to be part of this team."

The goal of the Kids Café program is to raise enough funds to open three new Kids Cafés by the end of 2009 and to continue supporting the six Kids Cafés already in operation in the Boston area. Additionally, this program will benefit numerous Kids Café programs and food banks throughout the New England region.



Larry Izzo serves food at the Kids Café located in the Yawkey Boys & Girls Club of Roxbury.

UPCOMING CHARITABLE EVENTS

October 2, 2007- Kids Café Appearance: Patriots players will join Brad Ozerdem, the executive chef of Gillette Stadium, at the Yawkey Boys and Girls Club in Roxbury to serve food to the Club's 300 members. After serving the meals, the players and chef will talk to the kids about healthy eating and the importance of nutrition.

October 9, 2007- Hometown Huddle: Patriots players will show kids how to prepare healthy snacks and lead fitness drills at the Jordan Boys & Girls Club of Chelsea during the 2007 Hometown Huddle. Hometown Huddle is a league-wide day of service that provides NFL players and coaches from each team the opportunity to take part in a variety of community-service activities. The Hometown Huddle partnership between the New England Patriots and United Way of Massachusetts Bay began in 1999 and has brought community-focused events to towns throughout the region.