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PATRIOTS PLAY BILLS IN AFC EAST TILT IN FOXBOROUGH

MEDIA SCHEDULE

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

11:45 – 12:15 p.m. Coach Belichick Press Conf.
(In Media Workroom)

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

Players Off – No Media Availability

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

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
1:45 – 2:00 p.m. Dick Jauron Conference Call
2:00 – 2:15 p.m. Bills Player Conf. Call

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

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, SEPTEMBER 21

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, SEPTEMBER 22

Team Walkthrough – No Media Availability

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

1:00 p.m. – Patriots vs. Buffalo Bills

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	1:00	CBS
Mon., Oct. 1 at	Cincinnati	8:30	ESPN
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.

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS (2-0) vs BUFFALO BILLS (0-2)

Sunday, September 23, 2007 ★ Gillette Stadium (68,756) ★ 1:00 p.m. EDT

The Patriots return to AFC East divisional play this weekend, hosting the Buffalo Bills on Sunday afternoon at Gillette Stadium. New England has begun the 2007 season with back-to-back victories and will seek to start the season with a 3-0 record for just the seventh time in the franchise's 48-year history and for the first time since 2004.

New England currently holds a seven-game winning streak over the Bills, and has defeated Buffalo in Foxborough in six consecutive seasons dating back to 2001. The Patriots own a 30-9 record since 2001 against divisional opponents, compiling the best such record in the NFL over that span. The Patriots are 20-4 in their last 24 games against AFC East teams, a run that dates back to 2003.

This week's game marks the Patriots' second consecutive home game, but it will be followed by a stretch of three road contests in four weeks, beginning with a Monday night game in Cincinnati on Oct. 1.

EARLY-SEASON SUCCESS

Through two games, the Patriots are at or near the top of the NFL in a number of major statistical categories. The New England defense is the top-rated unit in the NFL, allowing a league-low 428 total net yards, while the Patriots offense is second in the league rankings, gaining 838 yards (Denver, 911). On the individual side, Tom Brady leads the NFL with a 134.2 passer rating and a completion rate of 79.7 percent (47-59). Randy Moss is tied for the league lead with 17 receptions and ranks second in the NFL with 288 receiving yards. With a pair of 38-14 victories, the Patriots own a point differential of +48, the second best in the league so far.

BROADCAST INFORMATION

TELEVISION: This week's game will be broadcast by **CBS**. The game can be seen in Boston on WBZ-TV Channel 4. **Kevin Harlan** will handle play-by-play duties and **Rich Gannon** will provide 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.

NATIONAL RADIO: The game will be broadcast to a national radio audience by the **Sports USA Radio Network**. **Howard David** will handle play-by-play, **Tim Perneti** will provide analysis and **Tony Graziani** will report from the sidelines.

PATRIOTS MEDIA WEB SITE

The Patriots' media-only Web site, 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



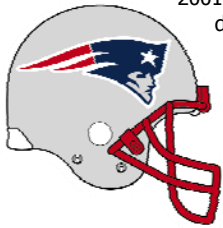
PATRIOTS VS. BILLS

SERIES HISTORY

This week, the Patriots and Bills will meet for the 94th time since the series between the AFC East rivals began in 1960. The Patriots lead the series 53-40, with one tie. The Patriots' 53 wins over Buffalo are their most over any opponent, six more than they own over the New York Jets (47). New England has won seven straight games in the series and has won 12 of its last 13 games against Buffalo dating back to the 2000 season.



The Patriots have swept the season series from the Bills in three straight years and have achieved the feat five of the last six years. Last season, the Patriots claimed a 19-17 victory in the season opener at Gillette Stadium on Sept. 10 and later defeated the Bills 28-6 on the road on Oct. 22. The teams have had many memorable matchups over the years, including a five-game span from 1999 to 2001 where four of the five contests were decided in overtime. The Patriots have been successful at home against the Bills in recent years, winning their last six games in Foxborough while compiling a 5-0 overall record at Gillette Stadium. **The results of the first 94 games between the Patriots and the Bills can be found on page 305 of the 2007 Patriots Media Guide.**



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SERIES TRENDS

Home Record	28-19
Record in Foxborough.....	22-14
Foxboro Stadium.....	17-14
Gillette Stadium.....	5-0
Record in Boston.....	6-5
Away Record	25-21-1
War Memorial Stadium.....	7-6-1
Ralph Wilson/Rich Stadium.....	18-15
Largest Margin of Victory.....	31 pts (1961, 1983, 2002 & 2003)
Largest Margin of Defeat.....	35 points (1970)
Longest Win Streak.....	11 games (1982-87)

TALE OF THE TAPE

2007 Regular Season	New England	Buffalo
Record	2-0	0-2
Divisional Standings	1st	T-2nd
Total Yards Gained	838	407
Total Offense (Rank)	419.0 (2)	203.5 (31)
Rush Offense	139.0 (8)	107.0 (18)
Pass Offense	280.0 (4)	96.5 (32)
Points Per Game	38.0 (2)	8.5 (30)
Touchdowns Scored	10	2
Third Down Conversion Pct.	52.9	33.3
Team Passer Rating	134.2	68.3
Total Yards Allowed	428	890
Total Defense (Rank)	214.0 (1)	445.0 (31)
Rush Defense	56.0 (1)	177.5 (30)
Pass Defense	158.0 (5)	267.5 (T-27)
Points Allowed/Game	14.0 (8)	20.5 (T-21)
Touchdowns Allowed	4	3
Third Down Defense (Pct.)	36.4	51.7
Field Goals Made/Attempted	2/3	1/2
Possession Avg.	34:28	25:41
Sacks Allowed/Yards Lost	2/16	6/58
Sacks Made/Yards	8/65	2/11
Interceptions For/Against	2/1	2/1
Penalties Against/Yards	10/83	10/95
Punts/Avg.	2/43.5	10/43.7
Turnover Differential	+1	+1

PATRIOTS – BILLS QUICK HITS

- With a victory this week, the Patriots would own 13 wins over the Bills in a 14-game span – a feat never before achieved in franchise history against any opponent.
- The Patriots defense has held the Bills to a touchdown or less in four of the last seven games between the teams.
- The Patriots have won 12 of their last 13 games against Buffalo and are 19-6 in their last 25 meetings with the Bills.
- The Patriots have recorded 53 wins over the Bills, the most against any opponent.
- New England has won seven straight games against Buffalo and has swept the season series in each of the last three seasons.
- Bill Belichick holds a 12-3 career record against Buffalo, including a 12-2 record as head coach of the Patriots.
- The Patriots and Bills have played in 19 games decided by three points or fewer since 1972.
- Since 1993, the two teams have played five overtime games, good for a total of 51:49 of extra time, almost equaling an entire game.

TOM ON TURF

Tom Brady has enjoyed significant success on artificial surfaces throughout his career, and the Patriots have won 25 of their 27 games on artificial turf since 2001.

- Brady has compiled a career record of 25-2 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 27 previous starts on artificial surfaces, Brady has thrown 51 touchdowns and just 21 interceptions.
- Brady's touchdown-to-interception ratio on artificial surfaces is 2.4-to-1, as opposed to 1.8-to-1 on grass.
- On artificial surfaces, Brady has compiled a career passer rating of 98.8, compared to an 85.8 career rating on grass.

Tom Brady on Artificial Surfaces (25-2, .926) (Incl. Playoffs)

GP/GS	W-L*	A	C	Yd	%	TD	I	Rating
28/27	25-2	848	561	6,476	.662	51	21	98.8

*-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

THIS WEEK IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

September 17 – 23

Sept. 22, 1968— Due to a scheduling conflict at Fenway Park, the nomadic Boston Patriots play the New York Jets in a "home" game at Legion Field in Birmingham, Ala.

Sept. 23, 1970— Ground-breaking ceremonies are held in Foxborough to inaugurate the construction of the Patriots' new stadium. Schaefer/Sullivan/Foxboro Stadium served as the team's home from 1971-2001.

Sept. 19, 1971— The Patriots defeat the Oakland Raiders, 20-6, in the first regular-season game played at the new Schaefer Stadium in Foxborough.

Sept. 18, 1983— Running back Tony Collins ran for a team-record 212 yards on 23 carries in a 23-13 win over the New York Jets at Sullivan Stadium. Collins' 212 yards stand as one of two 200-yard rushing performances in team history.

Sept. 23, 1990— The Patriots drop a 41-7 decision to the Bengals in Cincinnati, beginning a 14-game losing streak to end the 1990 season with a 1-15 record.

Sept. 22, 2002— Wide receiver Troy Brown establishes a single-game franchise record with 16 receptions in the Patriots' 41-38 overtime victory over the Kansas City Chiefs at Gillette Stadium.



THREE-TIME SUPER BOWL CHAMPIONS





PATRIOTS VS. BILLS

PASSING PERFORMANCES

Tom Brady is slated to start against Buffalo for the 13th time in his career. The Patriots signal caller has led the Patriots to 11 regular season victories over the Bills, recording his highest regular season victory total over any opponent. Brady has compiled seven consecutive victories over the Bills, marking his longest regular-season winning streak over any opponent. Additionally, Brady has thrown for more touchdowns (21) against Buffalo than any other opponent.

Tom Brady vs. Buffalo (11-1)

Date	H/A	A	C	Yd	%	TD	I	Rating	W/L	Score
11/11/01	H	21	15	107	.714	1	1	78.9	W	21-11
12/16/01	A	35	19	237	.543	0	1	63.6	W(ot)	12-9
11/03/02	A	26	22	265	.846	3	0	147.6	W	38-7
12/08/02	H	27	15	183	.556	2	0	101.3	W	27-17
09/07/03	A	28	14	123	.500	0	4	22.4	L	0-31
12/27/03	H	32	21	204	.656	4	0	122.9	W	31-0
10/03/04	A	30	17	298	.567	2	0	112.9	W	31-17
11/14/04	H	35	19	233	.543	2	1	82.2	W	29-6
10/30/05	H	21	14	199	.667	1	0	113.9	W	21-16
12/11/05	A	38	29	329	.763	2	2	97.4	W	35-7
09/10/06	H	23	11	163	.478	2	1	82.3	W	19-17
10/22/06	A	27	18	195	.667	2	0	112.4	W	28-6
Career Totals		343	214	2536	.624	21	10	93.1		11-1

J.P. Losman vs. New England (0-3)

Date	H/A	A	C	Yd	%	TD	I	Rating	W/L	Score
11/14/04	A	2	1	5	.500	0	1	16.7	Did Not Start	
12/11/05	H	27	10	181	.370	1	3	33.6	L	7-35
09/10/06	A	23	15	164	.652	0	0	86.1	L	17-19
10/22/06	H	25	16	192	.640	0	1	70.8	L	6-28
Career Totals		77	42	542	.545	1	5	54.1		0-3

2006 SEASON GAME #1: PATRIOTS 19, BILLS 17

September 10, 2006 ★ Gillette Stadium (Att: 68,756)

	1	2	3	4	Final
Buffalo Bills	10	7	0	0	— 17
New England Patriots	7	0	7	5	— 19

The Patriots began the season with a tight two-point victory over a division rival, starting the 2006 campaign off on the right foot. New England's rushing attack paced the offensive side of the ball, totaling 183 yards on 41 carries, while Tom Brady threw two touchdown passes and completed 11-of-23 passes for 163 yards. But New England's defense was the main catalyst for the victory, pitching a second-half shutout and allowing Buffalo a total of just five net yards after coming up with a critical stop on fourth down at the Patriots' 7-yard line early in the third quarter as the Bills were bidding to extend their lead to 24-7. Trailing 17-14 entering the fourth quarter, the Patriots bore down and tied the game on a 32-yard field goal by Stephen Gostkowski with 9:33 left in the contest. On Buffalo's ensuing possession, Ty Warren sacked Buffalo's JP Losman in the end zone for a safety that provided the final margin of victory.

2006 SEASON GAME #2: PATRIOTS 28, BILLS 6

October 22, 2006 ★ Ralph Wilson Stadium (Att: 72,180)

	1	2	3	4	Final
New England Patriots	14	0	7	7	— 28
Buffalo Bills	3	0	0	3	— 6

The Patriots improved to 5-1 with a convincing 28-6 road divisional victory in Buffalo. New England got an efficient performance from Tom Brady, who delivered a 112.4 passer rating on a two-touchdown day, and a pair of touchdowns from running back Corey Dillon to provide the offensive firepower. On defense, New England recorded three takeaways, recovering a pair of Buffalo fumbles and notching an interception to stall the Bills' attempts to get into the end zone. Chad Jackson and Doug Gabriel each caught touchdown passes for the Patriots while Asante Samuel recorded an interception and Mike Vrabel had a strip-sack.

CONNECTIONS

- Bills head coach **Dick Jauron** is a native of Swampscott, Mass. and was a three-sport standout at Swampscott High, where he was named one of the top 10 Massachusetts prep athletes of the 20th Century by the *Boston Globe*.
- Patriots head coach **Bill Belichick** was the Detroit Lions' assistant special teams coach from 1976-77, while Bills head coach **Dick Jauron** played safety for Detroit.
- **Dick Jauron** was the head coach of the Chicago Bears when Patriots linebacker **Rosevelt Colvin** played for Chicago from 1999-2002.
- Bills offensive line coach **Jim McNally** was the offensive line coach at Boston College from 1975-77.
- Patriots secondary coach **Joel Collier's** father, **Joe Collier**, was the Bills' head coach from 1966-68.
- Patriots linebacker **Junior Seau** played at Southern California from 1988-89 while Bills assistant head coach/special teams **Bobby April** was the Trojans' secondary/kicking coach.
- Patriots assistant strength and conditioning coach **Don Davis** played for the St. Louis Rams from 2001-02 when Bills linebackers coach **Matt Sheldon** was the Rams' defensive assistant/quality control.
- Bills wide receiver **Josh Reed** and tight end **Robert Royal** were both four-year teammates of Patriots defensive end **Jarvis Green** at LSU.
- Patriots offensive lineman **Ryan O'Callaghan** blocked for Bills running back **Marshawn Lynch** at the University of California for two seasons from 2004-05.
- Bills running back **Anthony Thomas** was a teammate of Patriots quarterback **Tom Brady** at Michigan from 1997-99.
- Patriots tight end **David Thomas** was a teammate of Bills offensive lineman **Derrick Dockery** at the University of Texas in 2002.
- Patriots cornerback **Asante Samuel** and Bills tight end **Michael Gaines** were teammates at Central Florida from 2000-2002.
- Patriots defensive lineman **Vince Wilfork** played three seasons at the University of Miami (2001-2003) with Bills wide receiver **Roscoe Parrish**, including the Hurricanes' National Championship season in 2001.
- Patriots offensive lineman **Russ Hochstein** and Bills defensive end **Chris Kelsay** played together at the University of Nebraska from 1998-2000.
- Patriots wide receiver **Donte Stallworth**, wide receiver **Kelley Washington** and safety **Rashad Baker** were all teammates of Bills cornerback **Jabari Greer** at the University of Tennessee in 2001. Baker and Greer started in the same defensive backfield for the Volunteers for three seasons from 2001-03.
- Seven current Patriots and Bills played college football at Louisiana State University. They are Patriots running back **Kevin Faulk** (1995-1998), cornerback **Randall Gay** (2000-03), defensive lineman **Jarvis Green** (1998-2001) and linebacker **Eric Alexander** (2000-2003) and Bills tight end **Robert Royal** (1997-2001), wide receiver **Josh Reed** (1998-2001) and defensive tackle **Kyle Williams** (2002-2005).
- Patriots tight ends coach **Pete Mangurian** was an offensive assistant for the Atlanta Falcons in 1997, when Bills defensive line coach **Bill Kollar** was Atlanta's defensive line coach.
- Bills strength and conditioning coordinator **John Allaire** graduated from Springfield (Mass.) College.

RARE FEAT: 3-0

The Patriots will attempt to begin the season with three consecutive victories for the first time since 2004. New England has begun the season 3-0 just six times in the franchise's 47-year history, but has achieved the feat four times since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994. The Patriots have started with a 3-0 record in 2004, 2002, 1999, 1997, 1974 and 1964.



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LAST WEEK: PATRIOTS 38, CHARGERS 14

PATRIOTS 38, CHARGERS 14

September 16, 2006 ★ 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 Rosevelt 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 last week.

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.

ADALIUS THOMAS TOUCHDOWN

Adalius Thomas returned an interception 65 yards for a touchdown in the second quarter, giving the Patriots a 24-0 lead. 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 2004 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' 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.

COLVIN: TWO STRIP-SACKS

Rosevelt 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

Rosevelt 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.



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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' 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.

BIG BENJAMIN

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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TEAM NEWS & NOTES

DOMINATING DEFENSE

Since the beginning of the 2001 season, the Patriots have allowed an average of 17.67 points per game, a mark that ranks third 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	2001-07 TOTALS			R. Season 01-07			Playoffs 01-06		
	GP	Pts	PPG	GP	Pts	PPG	GP	Pts	PPG
TB	103	1790	17.38	98	1705	17.40	5	85	17.00
BAL	102	1773	17.38	98	1708	17.43	4	65	16.25
NE	112	1979	17.67	98	1719	17.54	14	260	18.57
PHI	110	1964	17.85	98	1748	17.84	12	216	18.00
PIT	108	1939	17.95	98	1718	17.53	10	221	22.10
CHI	103	1869	18.15	98	1740	17.76	5	129	25.80

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 83 wins in the Patriots' last 108 games, including the playoffs.

PATRIOTS SUCCESS STREAKS (Including Postseason)

- 10 wins in last 12 games, dating to Nov. 19, 2006 (10-2, .833)
- 16 wins in last 21 games, dating to Sept. 10, 2006 (16-5, .762)
- 23 wins in last 31 games, dating to Nov. 13, 2005 (23-8, .742)
- 38 wins in last 51 games, dating to Nov. 7, 2004 (38-13, .745)
- 59 wins in last 73 games, dating to Oct. 5, 2003 (59-14, .808)
- 67 wins in last 86 games, dating to Nov. 3, 2002 (67-19, .779)
- 79 wins in last 102 games, dating to Nov. 25, 2001 (79-23, .775)
- 83 wins in last 108 games, dating to Oct. 14, 2001 (83-25, .769)

TOUGH SCHEDULE

The Patriots' 2007 schedule is the third hardest 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 hardest schedule (138-118 opponents 2006 record).

2007 STRENGTH OF SCHEDULE

Team	Opps. 2006 Win Pct.		Gms vs. Tms .500 or Better	Games v. Playoff Tms.
	And Record			
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

(Including 2006)

New England Patriots	4
Seattle Seahawks	2
Four Teams	1

TOUGH AT HOME

The Patriots own an overall record of 37-9 (.804) 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	37	9	0	.804	1076	723
Indianapolis	37	9	0	.804	1327	846
Kansas City	31	10	0	.756	1251	809
Seattle	33	12	0	.733	1139	841
Baltimore	31	12	0	.721	993	684
Denver	31	12	0	.721	1055	788
Pittsburgh	30	13	1	.693	1116	872
Philadelphia	33	15	0	.688	1096	849

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 15.72 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	46	723	15.72
Baltimore	M&T Bank Stadium	43	684	15.91
Jacksonville	Jacksonville Municipal Stad.	42	672	16.00
Tampa Bay	Raymond James Stadium	43	729	16.95
Chicago	Soldier Field/Memorial Stad.	44	768	17.45
Philadelphia	Lincoln Fin. Field/Vets Stad.	48	849	17.69
Miami	Dolphin Stadium	41	733	17.88

NOTE: Records include regular-season and playoff games

BEAST OF THE EAST

The New England Patriots own a 30-9 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.

AFC EAST DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	Div. Titles	Years
New England	30	9	0	.769	5	2001, 2003-06
New York Jets	19	20	0	.487	1	2002
Miami	16	22	0	.421	0	---
Buffalo	13	25	0	.342	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.

NFL'S TOP DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
New England Patriots	30	9	0	.769
Pittsburgh Steelers	29	12	0	.707
Indianapolis Colts	27	12	0	.692
Philadelphia Eagles	27	12	0	.692
Green Bay Packers	26	12	0	.684
Denver Broncos	24	15	0	.615
Seattle Seahawks	24	15	0	.615
St. Louis Rams	23	16	0	.590

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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A CHAMPIONSHIP ERA

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		Kraft Era
	1960-93	1989-93	1994-07
Overall Record	225-276-9	19-61	146-85
Winning Pct.	.450	.311	.632
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 140 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	146
Pittsburgh Steelers	143
Green Bay Packers	142
Denver Broncos	140
Indianapolis Colts	132
Philadelphia Eagles	125

OVERALL WINNING PERCENTAGE (Incl. Postseason)

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
New England Patriots	146	85	0	.632
Denver Broncos	140	83	0	.628
Pittsburgh Steelers	143	85	1	.627
Green Bay Packers	142	86	0	.623
Indianapolis Colts	132	95	0	.581
Kansas City Chiefs	120	95	0	.558
Philadelphia Eagles	125	101	1	.553

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: 126-84 (.600)
Regular Season: 113-81 (.582)
Postseason: 13-3 (.813)
With Patriots overall: 89-39 (.695)
Overall since 2001: 84-28 (.750)
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 (84-28). 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 89-39 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

Coach	Team	W	L	T	Pct.
Bill Belichick	NE	84	28	0	.750
Tony Dungy	TB/IND	78	32	0	.709
Bill Cowher	PIT	70	35	1	.665
Andy Reid	PHI	71	39	0	.645
Mike Martz	STL	46	29	0	.613
Mike Shanahan	DEN	62	40	0	.608
Lovie Smith	CHI	32	22	0	.593
Mike Sherman	GB	50	36	0	.581
Mike Holmgren	SEA	61	44	0	.581
John Fox	CAR	50	39	0	.562

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

Head Coach	Team	Titles	Seasons
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.

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.

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)

Head Coach	Championship Team(s)
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)

Head Coach	Team(s)	W	L	Pct.
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

Coach	Team(s)	Wins
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

TOPS IN TEAM HISTORY

Bill Belichick is the most successful head coach in Patriots history. He has recorded more wins (89) and a higher winning percentage (.695) than any of the franchise's 13 previous head coaches.

WINNINGEST HEAD COACHES IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

Coach	Years	Career Winning Pct.	Overall W-L-T	Playoff W-L
Bill Belichick	2000-07	.695	89-39-0	12-2
Raymond Berry	1984-89	.554	51-41-0	3-2
Pete Carroll	1997-99	.549	28-23-0	1-2



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QB TOM BRADY NEWS & NOTES

RECORDING SUCCESS

TOM BRADY has quarterbacked the Patriots to victories in 72 of his 96 career regular-season games, compiling a .750 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 84-26 (.764) as a starter.



ACTIVE QUARTERBACKS WINNING PERCENTAGE

Minimum 32 Starts, Regular Season Only

Quarterback, Team(s)	W	L	T	Pct.
Tom Brady, NE	72	24	0	.750
Ben Roethlisberger, PIT	31	11	0	.738
Donovan McNabb, PHI	66	34	0	.660
Peyton Manning, IND	94	52	0	.644
Brett Favre, GB	149	90	0	.623
Steve McNair, TEN/BAL	89	60	0	.597
Matt Hasselbeck, SEA	48	34	0	.585
Marc Bulger, STL	36	26	0	.581

TOM BRADY'S RECORD AS A STARTER

	Reg. Season	Playoffs	Total
Overall:	72-24	12-2	84-26
Home:	38-10	6-0	44-10
Road:	34-14	6-2*	40-16*

By Yardage Total

Less than 200:	19-11	3-0	22-11
200-299:	40-11	7-1	47-12
300 or more:	13-2	2-1	15-3

Other Records

On Artificial Turf	23-1	2-1	25-2
Thanksgiving or later	28-6	12-2	40-8
Leading at Halftime	56-2	9-1	64-3
Leading after 3 Qtrs:	60-1	8-1	68-2
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:	35-1	5-0	40-1

*-Includes three Super Bowls at neutral sites

COMEBACK KID

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

Date	Opp.	Time Remaining		Passing Statistics [^]					Final
		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

BIG OPENING DAY FOR BRADY

In the season opener against the New York Jets on Sept. 9, Tom Brady had one of the top games of his career, completing 22-of-28 passes (78.6 percent) for 297 yards and three touchdowns, good for a 146.6 passer rating. His passer rating of 146.6 was the third highest of his career, and his completion percentage of 78.6 was the fifth highest of his career.

BRADY'S TOP PASS RTGS

Rating	Date	Opp.
148.3	10/21/01	at IND
147.6	11/03/02	at BUF
146.6	9/9/07	at NYJ
143.9	11/25/01	vs. NO
140.4	10/09/05	at ATL

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
78.6	22-28	9/9/07	at NYJ

IRON MAN

Tom Brady has started 110 consecutive games at quarterback for the Patriots, including 96 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	259	239	20	09/27/98
Peyton Manning	IND	158	146	12	09/06/98
Tom Brady	NE	110	96	14	9/30/01
Eli Manning	NYG	43	41	2	11/21/04

CONSEC. QB STARTS STREAKS / PATRIOTS HISTORY

Player	Total	Reg.	Post.	Strk Began	Strk Ended*
Tom Brady	110	96	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
Drew Bledsoe	34	34	0	09/12/99	09/23/01

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

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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PATRIOTS NEWS & NOTES

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. Roosevelt Colvin is sixth with 50.5 career sacks. Mike Vrabel is sixth with 41.0 sacks, while Adalius Thomas ranks seventh with 38.5 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	185	82.0
Chad Brown	PIT/SEA/NE	15	188	79.0
Joey Porter	PIT/MIA	9	124	60.0
Greg Ellis	DAL	10	133	56.5
Junior Seau	SD/MIA/NE	18	243	53.0
Rosevelt Colvin	CHI/NE	9	108	48.5
Mike Vrabel	PIT/NE	11	146	42.0
Adalius Thomas	BAL/NE	8	98	38.5
Julian Peterson	SF/SEA	8	97	33.5
Brian Urlacher	CHI	8	107	33.5

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. The Patriots' Roosevelt Colvin ranks fifth on the list with 22.5 sacks, all coming with New England from 2004-present.

LINEBACKER SACK LEADERS: 2004-PRESENT

Player	Team(s)	Sacks	Yds
Shawne Merriman	SD	29.0	162
Adalius Thomas	BAL/NE	28.0	162
Joey Porter	PIT/MIA	24.5	166
Shaun Phillips	SD	23.5	145.5
Rosevelt Colvin	NE	22.5	160
Clark Haggans	PIT	22.0	87.5
Greg Ellis	DAL	21.5	125
Willie McGinest	NE/CLV	19.5	99.5
DeMarcus Ware	DAL	19.5	134
Mike Vrabel	NE	18.0	134.5

ABLE VRABEL

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 eight career receptions, all resulting in touchdowns. He scored four touchdowns for the Patriots last season – three on offense and one on defense. Vrabel recorded a career-high two touchdown catches against the N.Y. Jets on Dec. 26, 2005.

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

*-Super Bowl XXXVIII ^-Super Bowl XXXIX

CATCHIN' KEVIN

KEVIN FAULK is the Patriots' all-time leader in receptions by a running back, totaling 278 career receptions. His receiving total places eighth on the Patriots' overall receptions list.

RECEPTIONS BY PATRIOTS RUNNING BACKS

Player	Years	Rec.
1. Kevin Faulk	1999-07	278
2. Tony Collins	1981-87	261
3. Sam Cunningham	1973-79,81-82	210

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' 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

MOSS AMONG ALL-TIME LEADERS

Patriots wide receiver 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 104 touchdown passes and is one of just seven receivers in NFL history to break the 100-touchdown mark. Additionally, Moss has averaged 78.5 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	104
Tim Brown	1988-2004	LA(A)/OAK/TB	100
Steve Largent	1976-1989	SEA	100

NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS / RECEIVING YARDS PER GAME

Player	Years	Team(s)	Gms	Yds	Yd/G
Torry Holt	1999-2007	STL	128	10,822	84.5
Marvin Harrison	1996-2007	IND	172	13,867	80.6
Randy Moss	1998-2007	MIN/OAK/NE	140	10,988	78.5
Jerry Rice	1985-2004	SF/OAK/SEA	303	22,895	75.6
Lance Alworth	1962-1972	SD/DAL	136	10,226	75.5

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		
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



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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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MASSACHUSETTS

WAQY	Springfield	102.1 FM
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
WIKE	Newport	1490 AM
WEXP	Rutland	101.5 FM
WSTJ	St Johnsbury	1340 AM
WMMR	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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WON 2, LOST 0			* RUSHING									
Date	Score	Opponent	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD					
09/09	W 38-14	at New York Jets	77,900	Maroney	35	149	4.3	14	0			
09/16	W 38-14	San Diego	68,756	Morris	21	105	5.0	14	1			
09/23		Buffalo		Faulk	2	8	4.0	4	0			
10/01		at Cincinnati		Evans	4	7	1.8	4	1			
10/07		Cleveland		T. Brady	2	6	3.0	4	0			
10/14		at Dallas		Welker	1	6	6.0	6	0			
10/21		at Miami		Cassel	1	0	0.0	0	0			
10/28		Washington		Gutierrez	3	-3	-1.0	-1	0			
11/04		at Indianapolis		TEAM	69	278	4.0	14	2			
11/18		at Buffalo		OPPONENTS	39	112	2.9	12	0			
11/25		Philadelphia		* RECEIVING								
12/03		at Baltimore		No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD				
12/09		Pittsburgh		Moss	17	288	16.9	51t	3			
12/16		New York Jets		Welker	14	152	10.9	34	1			
12/23		Miami		Watson	7	58	8.3	14	2			
12/29		at New York Giants		Stallworth	3	38	12.7	19	0			
		N.E.	Opp.	Faulk	2	18	9.0	9	0			
				Gaffney	2	11	5.5	6	0			
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	53	31		Morris	2	11	5.5	6	0			
Rushing	21	7		TEAM	47	576	12.3	51t	6			
Passing	29	22		OPPONENTS	40	381	9.5	22	4			
Penalty	3	2		* INTERCEPTIONS								
3rd Down: Made/Att	9/17	8/22		No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD				
3rd Down Pct.	52.9	36.4		A. Thomas	1	65	65.0	65t	1			
4th Down: Made/Att	1/2	1/2		Colvin	1	4	4.0	4	0			
4th Down Pct.	50.0	50.0		TEAM	2	69	34.5	65t	1			
POSSESSION AVG.	34:28	25:33		OPPONENTS	1	20	20.0	20	0			
TOTAL NET YARDS	838	428		* PUNTING								
Avg. Per Game	419.0	214.0		No.	Yds	Avg	Net	TB	In	Lg	B	
Total Plays	130	108		Hanson	2	87	43.5	33.5	1	0	53	0
Avg. Per Play	6.4	4.0		TEAM	2	87	43.5	33.5	1	0	53	0
NET YARDS RUSHING	278	112		OPPONENTS	10	453	45.3	37.4	3	3	61	0
Avg. Per Game	139.0	56.0		* PUNT RETURNS								
Total Rushes	69	39		Ret	FC	Yds	Avg	Long	TD			
NET YARDS PASSING	560	316		Welker	4	0	19	4.8	13	0		
Avg. Per Game	280.0	158.0		Faulk	0	3	0	---	---	0		
Sacked/Yards Lost	2/16	8/65		TEAM	4	3	19	4.8	13	0		
Gross Yards	576	381		OPPONENTS	1	0	0	0.0	0	0		
Att./Completions	59/47	61/40		* KICKOFF RETURNS								
Completion Pct.	79.7	65.6		No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD				
Had Intercepted	1	2		Hobbs	6	222	37.0	108t	1			
PUNTS/AVERAGE	2/43.5	10/45.3		TEAM	6	222	37.0	108t	1			
NET PUNTING AVG.	2/33.5	10/37.4		OPPONENTS	11	258	23.5	32	0			
PENALTIES/YARDS	10/83	9/95		* FIELD GOALS								
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	4/1	4/1		1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+				
TOUCHDOWNS	10	4		Gostkowski	0/0	2/2	0/0	0/1	0/0			
Rushing	2	0		TEAM	0/0	2/2	0/0	0/1	0/0			
Passing	6	4		OPPONENTS	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0			
Returns	2	0		Gostkowski: (22G)(41N,24G)								

* SCORE BY PERIODS

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	OT	PTS
TEAM	21	17	21	17	0	76
OPPONENTS	0	7	14	7	0	28

* SCORING

	TD	Ru	Pa	Rt	K-PAT	FG	S	PTS
Moss	3	0	3	0				18
Gostkowski	0	0	0	0	10/10	2/3	0	16
Watson	2	0	2	0				12
Evans	1	1	0	0				6
Hobbs	1	0	0	1				6
Morris	1	1	0	0				6
A. Thomas	1	0	0	1				6
Welker	1	0	1	0				6
TEAM	10	2	6	2	10/10	2/3	0	76
OPPONENTS	4	0	4	0	4/4	0/0	0	28

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

SACKS: Vrabel 3.5, Colvin 2, Green 2, T. Warren 0.5, TEAM 8, OPPONENTS 2

FUM/LOST: T. Brady 1/0, 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	59	47	576	79.7	9.76	6	10.2	1	1.7	51t	2/16	134.2
TEAM	59	47	576	79.7	9.76	6	10.2	1	1.7	51t	2/16	134.2
OPPONENTS	61	40	381	65.6	6.25	4	6.6	2	3.3	22	8/65	90.9



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2007 DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

Tackle statistics based on coaches' film review

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS												SP. TEAMS					FUMBLES - LOST (4-1)			
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	13	8	5	0.5 4.5	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Eugene Wilson	12	10	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Mike Vrabel	11	8	3	3.5 26.5	5	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Adalius Thomas	11	5	6	-	-	-	1	65	3	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Junior Seau	10	9	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Tedy Bruschi	9	5	4	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
James Sanders	8	7	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	1	-	-					
Ellis Hobbs	8	6	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Jarvis Green	8	6	2	2.0 14.0	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Vince Wilfork	8	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-					
Asante Samuel	5	5	0	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Rosevelt Colvin	5	5	0	2.0 20.0	-	1	4	1	2	0	-	-	-	-	-					
Randall Gay	4	4	0	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	0	1	-	-					
Santonio Thomas	4	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Brandon Meriweather	2	2	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	0	4	-	-					
Kelley Washington	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	2	3	1	0					
Larry Izzo	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	0	4	-	-					
Eric Alexander	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	0	-	-					
Chad Brown	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	0	2	-	-					
Pierre Woods	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	0	2	-	-					
Corey Mays	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	1	-	-					
Sammy Morris	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	1	-	-					
Totals	118	88	30	8.0 65.0	12	2	69	8	3	1	24	5	19	1	0					

BLOCKED KICKS			
	XP	FG	P
Totals	0	0	0

MISC. OFFENSIVE STATS				
	Tkl	Ast	FF	FR
Wes Welker	1	0	0	0
Totals	1	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

JANUARY, 2007

1/23 Brian BarthelmesSigned from practice squad
 Danny BaugherSigned from practice squad
 Sean BubinSigned from practice squad
 Quadtrine HillSigned from practice squad
 Matt KranchickSigned from practice squad
 Tom MaloneSigned from practice squad
 Santonio Thomas.....Signed from practice squad

FEBRUARY, 2007

2/5 Jonathan Smith.....Signed
 2/19 Nick Caserio.....Hired as receivers coach
 2/21 Tebucky Jones.....Released
 2/27 Bill O'Brien.....Hired as coaching asst.

MARCH, 2007

3/2 Heath EvansRe-Signed
 Billy Yates.....Re-Signed
 Corey Dillon.....Released
 3/3 Kyle BradySigned
 Sammy MorrisSigned
 Adalius ThomasSigned
 3/5 Wes WelkerAcquired via trade (MIA)
 3/6 Larry IzzoRe-Signed
 3/13 Donte StallworthSigned
 Kelley WashingtonSigned
 3/19 Eddie JacksonSigned
 3/20 Bam ChildressRe-Signed
 3/21 Rashad BakerRe-Signed
 Corey MaysRe-Signed
 Gene MruczkowskiRe-Signed
 Mike WrightRe-Signed

APRIL, 2007

4/5 Wesley BrittRe-Signed
 4/17 Kelvin KightRe-Signed
 4/20 Sean BubinRetired
 4/24 Tory James.....Signed
 4/25 Tony CaseSigned
 4/28 Brandon MeriweatherDrafted
 4/29 Randy MossAcquired via trade (OAK)
 Kareem BrownDrafted
 Clint OldenburgDrafted
 Justin RogersDrafted
 Mike RichardsonDrafted
 Justise HairstonDrafted
 Corey HilliardDrafted
 Oscar LuaDrafted
 Mike ElginDrafted

MAY, 2007

5/8 Larry AnamSigned as rookie free agent
 Kyle BissingerSigned as rookie free agent
 Matt GutierrezSigned as rookie free agent
 Jake NordinSigned as rookie free agent
 Quinton SmithSigned as rookie free agent
 Justin WarrenSigned as rookie free agent
 Zach WestSigned as rookie free agent
 5/11 Gemara Williams.....Re-Signed
 5/14 Chris Dunlap.....Signed
 Denny PolandSigned
 5/15 Justin WarrenReleased
 5/20 Denny PolandReleased
 5/21 Junior SeauRe-Signed
 5/29 Eric Alexander.....Re-Signed
 Randall GayRe-Signed

JUNE, 2007

6/1 Antwain SpannRe-Signed
 6/7 C.J. Jones.....Signed
 6/8 Rashad Moore.....Signed
 Kenny SmithSigned
 Tony CaseReleased

JULY, 2007

7/14 Corey HilliardSigned (Draft Choice)
 Oscar LuaSigned (Draft Choice)
 Mike RichardsonSigned (Draft Choice)
 7/17 Troy Brown.....Re-Signed
 Justin RogersSigned (Draft Choice)
 Justise Hairston.....Signed (Draft Choice)
 7/18 Clint OldenburgSigned (Draft Choice)
 7/19 Chad BrownSigned
 Jake Nordin.....Released
 Jonathan SmithReleased
 Antwain SpannReleased
 7/23 Kareem BrownSigned (Draft Choice)
 Mike ElginSigned (Draft Choice)
 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 StallworthRemoved from PUP list
 Quadtrine Hill.....Released
 8/7 Dante Wesley.....Acquired via trade (CHI)
 8/8 Marcellus RiversSigned
 8/12 Brian JonesSigned
 Matt KranchickReleased
 8/16 Chris PatrickClaimed off of Waivers
 Brian Barthelmes.....Released
 Josh MillerReleased
 8/18 Vinny Testaverde.....Signed
 Artrell Hawkins.....Released
 Gemara WilliamsReleased
 Kyle Bissinger.....Released
 8/22 Tom Malone.....Released
 Kenny SmithReleased
 8/28 Asante SamuelSigned
 Troy BrownPlaced on Reserve/PUP
 Chad JacksonPlaced on Reserve/PUP
 Eddie JacksonPlaced on Reserve/PUP
 Mike RichardsonPlaced on Reserve/Injured
 Chris Patrick.....Released
 8/30 Chris Hanson.....Signed
 Danny BaugherReleased
 9/1 David Thomas.....Removed from PUP list
 Richard Seymour.....Placed on Reserve/PUP
 Oscar LuaPlaced 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 WestReleased
 9/3 Marcellus RiversRe-Signed
 David HerronClaimed off of Waivers
 Bam Childress, Kyle Eckel, C.J. Jones,
 Corey Mays, Clint Oldenburg, Jason Rader
 and Santonio ThomasSigned to Practice Squad
 Reche CaldwellReleased
 9/8 Corey Mays.....Signed to active roster
 Santonio ThomasSigned to active roster
 Tory JamesReleased
 Marcellus RiversReleased
 9/12 Chad BrownSigned
 David HerronReleased
 Gemara WilliamsSigned to Practice Squad
 Dan ConnollySigned to Practice Squad



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HOW THE PATRIOTS WERE BUILT

AS OF SEPTEMBER 18, 2007

YEAR	DRAFTEES (24)	VETERAN FREE AGENTS (16)	WAIVERS (1) / TRADES (2)	ROOKIE AND FIRST-YEAR FREE AGENTS (11)
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)	Corey Mays (fa) 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)	Matt Gutierrez (fa)

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

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 (4)

Justise Hairston (D6c-07)
Mike Richardson (D6b-07)
Chad Scott (1)(PIT)(FA-05)
Oscar Lua (D7a-07)



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2007 UNOFFICIAL DEPTH CHART

Unofficial depth chart compiled by Patriots Media Relations, September 18, 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	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		

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	46 Corey Mays
OLB:	59 Rosevelt Colvin	98 Chad Brown	
LCB:	21 Randall Gay	22 Asante Samuel	
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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INSIDE THE NUMBERS

MILESTONES APPROACHING

1

The number of games Junior Seau needs to play in to pass Bill Romanowski (243 games) and move into second place on the NFL's list of most games played by a linebacker.

4

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.

7

The number of receptions Randy Moss needs to reach 700 receptions for his career. He would become the 27th player in NFL history to reach the milestone.

12

The number of receiving yards Moss needs to reach 11,000 receiving yards for his career. He would become the 19th player in NFL history to break the 11,000-yard mark.

14

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).

64

The number of yards rushing Kevin Faulk needs to move ahead of Mosi Tatupu (2,415), Leonard Russell (2,437) and Craig James (2,469) into 10th place on the Patriots all-time rushing list.

6

The number of receptions Faulk needs to pass Jim Colclough and move into seventh place on the Patriots' all-time receptions list. Faulk currently ranks eighth with 277 career catches and is the franchise's all-time leader in receptions by a running back.

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.

4

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.

EARLY LEADERS

17

The number of receptions Randy Moss has totaled through two games, tying him with Denver's Javon Walker and Cincinnati's T.J. Houshmandzadeh for the NFL lead.

288

The number of receiving yards Randy Moss has compiled through two games, a mark that ranks second in the NFL behind only Cincinnati's Chad Johnson (304 yards).

3

The number of touchdowns Randy Moss has scored through two games, tying him for the AFC lead and tying him for third in the NFL.

14

The number of receptions Wes Welker has totaled through two games, tying him for ninth in the NFL.

134.2

Tom Brady's passer rating through two games, a mark that leads the NFL.

79.7

Tom Brady's completion percentage through two games, a mark that leads the NFL.

91.7

Tom Brady's completion percentage in the fourth quarter this season. He has connected on 11-of-12 passes in the final quarter.

THE KRAFT ERA

146

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.

.632

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 146-85 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.

81-33

The Patriots' record at home since 1994, including regular season and postseason games, a winning percentage of .710.

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.

141

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.

286

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

THE HEAD COACH

89-39

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.

84-28

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.

.750

Coach Belichick's winning percentage in regular-season and playoff games since 2001 (84-28).



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PATRIOTS ROSTER AS OF 9/18/2007

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.
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.
46	Mays, Corey	LB	6-1	245	11/27/83	2	Notre Dame	Chicago, Ill.
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
39	Laurence Maroney	RB
44	Heath Evans	RB
46	Corey Mays	LB
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.
38	Eckel, Kyle	FB	5-11	237	12/30/81	1	Navy	Haverford, Pa.
19	Jones, C.J.	WR	5-11	195	09/20/80	2	Iowa	Boynton Beach, Fla.
76	Oldenburg, Clint	T	6-5	300	09/09/83	R	Colorado State	Gillette, Wyo.
85	Rader, Jason	TE	6-4	260	04/12/81	2	Marshall	St. Albans, W. Va.
42	Williams, Gemara	CB	5-8	195	04/30/83	2	Buffalo	Oak Park, Mich.

PRACTICE SQUAD

#	NAME	POS
13	Bam Childress	WR
19	C.J. Jones	WR
38	Kyle Eckel	FB
42	Gemara Williams	CB
63	Dan Connolly	G
76	Clint Oldenburg	T
85	Jason Rader	TE

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
43	Hairston, Justise	RB	6-1	220	06/27/83	R	Central Connecticut	New Britain, Conn.
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
43	Justise Hairston	RB
49	Oscar Lua	LB

HEAD COACH: BILL BELICHICK

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2007 POSITIONAL ROSTER

September 18, 2007

DEFENSE (27)								
#	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 (10)								
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, Rosevelt	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
46	Mays, Corey	LB	6-1	245	11/27/83	2	Notre Dame	Chicago, Ill.
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 (24)								
#	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	Catheys 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 (4)								
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 (4)								
#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
43	Hairston, Justise	RB	6-1	220	06/27/83	R	Central Connecticut	New Britain, Conn.
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 Cafes already in operation in the Boston area. Additionally, this program will benefit numerous Kids Café programs and food banks throughout the New England region.

LIGHT SHINES IN THE COMMUNITY



Matt Light takes aim at a sporting clay during his 2007 Matt Light Foundation Celebrity Shoot-Out.

New England Patriots offensive lineman Matt Light hosted his third annual Celebrity Shoot-Out, a clay-shooting event to benefit the Matt Light Foundation on August 31 at Addieville East Farm in Mapleville, R.I.

The Celebrity Shoot-Out featured over 100 contestants, including Patriots players, competing in a clay shooting competition. The entry fee, \$1,000 per person or \$3,000 per team, went directly to the Light Foundation, the non-profit charitable organization established by Light in 2001. The Light Foundation strives to ensure that all youth have an opportunity to grow physically, spiritually and mentally by providing positive opportunities for them to learn and grow in to healthy and productive adults. Recent activities sponsored by the Light Foundation include the building of the Light Foundation Baseball Field in Ohio, the creation of the Light Foundation Scholarship Fund for students in Ohio and Massachusetts and an Easter project that supplied funding to provide for Easter baskets and gifts to underserved youth in the community of Greenville, Ohio. In 2005, Light donated \$25,000 to Children's Hospital Boston to support research in the area of prenatal diagnosis of heart conditions using echocardiography after the technology was used to diagnose his son's heart condition.

Other Patriots players on hand at the Light Celebrity Shoot-Out included Rosevelt Colvin, Dan Koppen, Laurence Maroney, Mike Vabel and Vince Wilfork, among many others.