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**FOURTH GAME**

## GREEN BAY (0-3) at CAROLINA (1-2)

Monday, Oct. 3 • Bank of America Stadium • 8 p.m. CDT/9 p.m. EDT

### THIS WEEK'S NOTABLE STORYLINES:

- ▶ Stung from an 0-3 start and two close losses, the Packers bid for their first win in a rematch of their 2004 Monday night opener.
- ▶ An unofficial division opponent, Carolina plays Green Bay for the ninth time in 10 years. Over the past decade (1996-2005), the only year in which the clubs did not meet was 2003 — and they nearly met that season in the NFC Championship game. Including playoffs over the span, only one other pair has met more often: the Packers and 49ers (10).
- ▶ Former Packers guard Mike Wahle, who signed as a free agent with the Panthers in March, meets his old teammates for the first time.

**NATIONAL TELEVISION:** ABC's *Monday Night Football* will air the contest. Al Michaels, who has called more memorable events than any American sportscaster since joining ABC in 1976, teams up in the booth with analyst John Madden, a finalist for the Pro Football Hall of Fame's Class of 2006. Sam Ryan, a college sideline reporter since 2002, makes her third appearance on a *MANF* broadcast, pinch-hitting for Michele Tafoya, who is on maternity leave. Fred Gaudelli is the producer, Drew Esocoff directs and Elias Sports Bureau's Steve Hirdt heads up the statistics. A Packers game will air to the largest possible audience for the 19th time since 2004.

**NATIONAL RADIO:** CBS Radio Sports/Westwood One will air the game in English from Green Bay, with Marv Albert (play-by-play), Boomer Esiason (color), John Dockery (sideline) and Jim Gray (pregame/halftime). Plus, Alfredo Bejar (play-by-play) and David Crommett (color) will broadcast the game in Spanish from New York City.

**PACKERS RADIO:** Milwaukee's WTMJ (620 AM), airing Green Bay games since 1929, heads up the 62-station Packers Radio Network, with versatile Wayne Larrivee (play-by-play) and two-time Packers Pro Bowler Larry McCarren (color). Spanning five states, the network covers 50 markets in the upper Midwest. The broadcast also is available to NFL Field Pass subscribers on [packers.com](http://packers.com).

## SCHEDULE & RESULTS

Sun., Sept. 11	at Detroit Lions	L, 3-17 (61,877)
Sun., Sept. 18	CLEVELAND BROWNS	L, 24-26 (70,400)
Sun., Sept. 25	TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS	L, 16-17 (70,518)
Mon., Oct. 3	at Carolina Panthers	.8 p.m. ABC
Sun., Oct. 9	NEW ORLEANS SAINTS	.12 noon FOX
Sun., Oct. 16	Open Date	
Sun., Oct. 23	at Minnesota Vikings	.12 noon FOX
Sun., Oct. 30	at Cincinnati Bengals	.12 noon FOX
Sun., Nov. 6	PITTSBURGH STEELERS	.3:15 p.m. CBS
Sun., Nov. 13	at Atlanta Falcons	.3:15 p.m. FOX
Mon., Nov. 21	MINNESOTA VIKINGS (Gold Pkg.)	.8 p.m. ABC
Sun., Nov. 27	at Philadelphia Eagles	.3:15 p.m. FOX
Sun., Dec. 4	at Chicago Bears	.12 noon FOX
Sun., Dec. 11	DETROIT LIONS	.7:30 p.m. ESPN
Mon., Dec. 19	at Baltimore Ravens	.8 p.m. ABC
Sun., Dec. 25	CHICAGO BEARS	.4 p.m. FOX
Sun., Jan. 1	SEATTLE SEAHAWKS	.3:15 p.m. FOX

**FREQUENT FOES:** Carolina and Green Bay might as well be in the same division.

- ▶ The Panthers appear on the regular-season schedule for the eighth time in the last nine years.
- ▶ Counting the 1996 NFC Championship, they've met nine of the last 10 seasons.
- ▶ Since the Panthers launched in 1995, the Packers have seen them every year except '95 and 2003. Most non-divisional meetings, NFL, 1996-2005 (including playoffs):

- 10 Green Bay Packers — San Francisco 49ers
- 9 Carolina Panthers — Green Bay Packers
- New England Patriots — Pittsburgh Steelers
- New York Jets — Oakland Raiders
- 8 Atlanta Falcons — Philadelphia Eagles
- Denver Broncos — New England Patriots
- Minnesota Vikings — New York Giants
- 7 Carolina Panthers — Dallas Cowboys
- Chicago Bears — Washington Redskins
- Denver Broncos — Miami Dolphins
- Green Bay Packers — Philadelphia Eagles
- Miami Dolphins — Oakland Raiders



**ON MONDAY NIGHT:** Brett Favre and *Monday Night Football* were made for each other. The quarterback among all-time NFL leaders in touchdown passes on Monday night:

Dan Marino, 1983-1999	74
<b>Brett Favre, 1993-2004</b>	<b>48</b>
Steve Young, 1987-1999	42
Joe Montana, 1983-1994	36
Jim Kelly, 1988-1996	31

**FAVRE IN CHARLOTTE:** Brett Favre has won four games at Ericsson/Bank of America Stadium, more than all but three other venues — his two Packers home stadiums and the home of his chief division rival.

	W	L	Pct
Lambeau Field, Green Bay	76	20	.792
Soldier Field, Chicago	11	1	.917
Milwaukee County Stadium	7	2	.778
<b>Bank of America/Ericsson Stadium, Charlotte</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.800</b>
Houlihan's/Tampa Stadium	4	1	.800
HHH Metrodome, Minneapolis	4	9	.308

**CLOSE GAMES:** The Packers are one of only five NFL teams with multiple contests decided by three or fewer points. Green Bay is 0-2 in those games.

- ▶ Carolina (0-2), Dallas (1-1), San Francisco (1-1) and Washington (2-0) are the others.
- ▶ Over a longer stretch, five of the Packers' last seven games have been decided by three points or fewer. Green Bay is 2-3 in those contests.



**TURNOVERS TELL THE STORY:** During Mike Sherman's first five years, one of the most successful tenures in terms of winning percentage during the current era, the turnover margin has proven to be a significant factor. Among teams with the five best overall records from 2000-04 (Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Green Bay, New England and St. Louis), four appear on at least one of the following two lists:

► Best regular-season records, 2000-04, when committing one turnover or less:

<b>Green Bay</b> .....	<b>.37</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>.925</b>
St. Louis .....	.20	2	.909
Miami .....	.30	4	.882
Indianapolis .....	.34	6	.850
New England .....	.36	8	.818

► Best regular-season records, 2000-04, when winning the turnover ratio:

St. Louis .....	.21	0	1.000
<b>Green Bay</b> .....	<b>.35</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.972</b>
Baltimore .....	.39	2	.951
Pittsburgh .....	.35	3	.921
Miami .....	.34	5	.872

**ABOUT TIME TO GET IT OUT OF THEIR SYSTEM:** For a third consecutive season, the Packers have started slowly out of the gates. In each of those years, including 2005, they've been among league leaders in turnovers through the first part of the season.

► This year, the team is 0-3 and ranks last in the NFL with a minus-eight turnover margin. In 2004, the Packers started 1-4 with a minus-nine turnover margin. In 2003, Green Bay opened 3-4 with 16 giveaways in its first seven games.

► In each of the last two seasons, the Packers have found a way to improve their turnover margin, and wins followed. They finished 9-2 after a 1-4 start in 2004. They closed 7-2 after a 3-4 start in 2003.

**MARGIN OF ERROR:** Brett Favre and Ryan Longwell have said that in previous years, most notably their Super Bowl seasons in the mid-1990s, the Packers could overcome mistakes such as the turnovers that have hurt them in 2005. The difference this year is that the margin for error is much thinner.

► The unknown, however, is Green Bay's youth. The Packers have 11 rookies on their roster, several of whom could be budding NFL stars whose splashes to date have been mostly lost in the team's 0-3 start. On its opening day roster, Green Bay had 13 rookie/first-year players, tied for most in the NFC with Atlanta and Dallas (both 2-1).

► And, as reporters pointed out Monday, the team's veterans have committed many of the ominous plays that have combined to keep the Packers out of the win column.

► Now, if the Packers can rekindle the veteran leadership that pushed them into the playoffs each of the past four years, and mesh it with a group of younger players who learned a lot during an 0-3 start, the team may be able to climb out. But, that's obviously an unknown at this point.

**TEAM MAINTAINS CONFIDENCE:** No doubt, confidence has escaped the Packers at several junctures in each of their first three games, mostly because the majority of "fine-line" plays have gone the other way.

► "When they go your way," Sherman said, "you become a good team. Then, it happens more and more and you get the confidence that they're going to go your way. They accumulate a little bit more. I do think when they start going your way, you develop a little more confidence and things start changing a little bit."

► But despite the lack of bounces his way, Sherman says the team's mentality remains strong. "I thought we played with confidence in the game (Sunday)," he said. "I thought guys could see their teammates doing things that were good. Now certainly there were enough bad things to

*Two years after he co-founded the Packers with Curly Lambeau, George Calhoun began writing a piece called The Dope Sheet, which served as the official press release and game program from 1921-24.*

## THE DOPE ON THIS WEEK'S OPPONENT:



### Packers vs. Carolina Panthers:

All-time regular season: 5-2-0

All-time, postseason: 1-0

(1996 NFC Championship)

All-time, Charlotte: 4-1-0

Streaks: Packers have won three straight

Last meeting, regular season:

Sept. 13, 2004, Bank of America Stadium; Packers won, 24-14

### COACHES CAPSULES

Mike Sherman: 55-34-0, .618, sixth NFL season, sixth with Packers

John Fox: 29-26-0, .527, fourth NFL season, fourth with Panthers

Head to Head: Sherman 2-0 vs. Fox

vs. Opponent: Sherman 3-1 vs. Panthers; Fox 0-2 vs. Packers

**MIKE SHERMAN**...Is in his sixth year as the Packers' 13th head coach.

► Is no stranger to adversity, having overcome several hurdles each of the past three seasons to win a trio of NFC North titles. This season is no different, after losing leading receiver Javon Walker in Week 1.

► Since the 1993 collective bargaining agreement, teams have made 84 coaching changes and only Sherman's tenure has produced winning records in each of its first five seasons.

► Over their first five regular seasons as an NFL coach, since 1970 only Chuck Knox, George Seifert, Joe Gibbs and Mike Ditka produced better records than Sherman (53-27, .663).

► In 2004, his team became only the ninth in NFL history to reach the playoffs after a 1-4 start.

► Has led the Packers to three straight division titles and four consecutive playoff appearances.

► Is 6-0 against teams in the Super Bowl the previous season.

**JOHN FOX**...Became the third coach in Carolina history Jan. 25, 2002.

► In 2004, directed a Carolina team that overcame a 1-7 record to end the regular season 7-9. Of the 28 NFL teams that began season with 1-7 record since 1990, the Panthers became only the third team to finish the season with seven victories.

► In 2003, guided Panthers to Super Bowl XXXVIII two years after inheriting team that won one game in 2001. Joined Vince Lombardi and Bill Parcells as the only coaches in NFL history to inherit a one-win team and guide it to the playoffs in their second season.

► In 2002, engineered a six-game turn-around that ranks second for rookie head coaches since the NFL went to 16-game schedule in 1978. In 2002, the Panthers became the only team since the NFL merger to improve from 31st to second in total defense in one season.

**THE PANTHERS-PACKERS SERIES:** Green Bay holds a 5-2 advantage in the all-time series — 6-2 including postseason — although Carolina's two wins kept the Packers from the playoffs in both 1999 and 2000.

► Green Bay's win in its first meeting with Carolina, the 1996 NFC Championship, is regarded by Packers President Bob Harlan as the most memorable game in his three decades with the team, even more memorable than the ensuing Super Bowl victory.

► The Packers also posted regular-season wins over Carolina in 1997-98, 2001-02 and 2004, when the Packers registered an emotional prime-time win over the Panthers, then the defending NFC champion, in the season opener.

► Carolina's two wins carried strong implications. The Panthers registered a 33-31 win at Lambeau Field, Dec. 12, 1999. The Packers were 7-5 entering the game, which launched a three-game losing streak that dropped them out of postseason contention; they finished 8-8. Then, Nov. 27, 2000, Carolina's 31-14 Monday night win marked the Packers' last loss of the 2000 season, but their four-game winning streak wasn't enough to overcome the Panthers setback. Green Bay (9-7) missed the playoffs.

► For the second straight year, and third time in the Panthers' short history, the teams meet on a Monday night in Charlotte.

► Carolina is on Green Bay's regular-season schedule for the eighth time in





the last nine years. Counting the 1996 NFC Championship, they've met nine of the last 10 seasons. Since the Panthers launched in 1995, the Packers have seen them every year except '95 and 2003.

▶ Since 1997, the only non-divisional foe Green Bay has met as often is San Francisco. Including playoffs, the Packers and 49ers have squared off eight times over the last nine years.

**NOTABLE CONNECTIONS...** Panthers free agent guard **Mike Wahle**, who played a key role in that Packers' 2004 victory at Carolina, meets his former club... Packers defensive lineman **Cullen Jenkins** is the younger brother of Panthers All-Pro defensive tackle **Kris Jenkins**... Carolina linebackers coach **Ken Flajole** served on the Packers' 1998 staff... Panthers defensive coordinator Mike Trgovac served on the Packers' 1999 staff... While with the Seahawks in 2001, **Ted Thompson** drafted cornerback **Ken Lucas**; Lucas signed as an unrestricted free agent with Carolina before the 2005 season and Thompson is now Packers General Manager... Safety **Mike Minter** and defensive end **Mike Rucker** (Panthers), and halfback **Ahman Green** (Packers) were college teammates at Nebraska... Carolina's **Rod Smart** (formerly "He Hate Me") and Green Bay's **Paris Lenon** are in an exclusive group of current NFL players with experience in the defunct XFL; Smart played for the Las Vegas Outlaws and Lenon for the Memphis Maniax... Before Lenon entered the XFL, Carolina had signed him as a rookie free agent in 2000; waived before training camp, Lenon spent that season in working for the U.S. Postal Service... Green Bay has two of a select handful of NFL players from North Carolina A&T: guard/center **Junius Coston** and cornerback **Jason Horton**; and, Green Bay practice-squad receiver **Jamal Jones** also competed at A&T... Both Packers fullbacks are products of area colleges: **William Henderson** (North Carolina) and **Vonta Leach** (East Carolina)... Defensive tackle Donnell Washington is a former Clemson player... Coston (Raleigh), Horton (Ahoskie), Leach (Rowland) and Washington (Beaufort, S.C.) graduated from area high schools... Green Bay offensive line coach **Larry Beightol** played at Catawba College in Salisbury, N.C., and coached at N.C. State (1972-75)... Packers defensive ends coach Bob Sanders coached at East Carolina (1980-82) and at Duke (1985-89)... Receiver **Terrence Murphy** and defensive end **Michael Montgomery** (Packers), and center **Geoff Hangartner** (Carolina) were selected out of Texas A&M in the 2005 NFL Draft... Linebacker **Robert Thomas** (Packers) and cornerback **Ricky Manning Jr.** (Panthers) were college teammates at UCLA.

**LAST MEETING (AP):** Sept. 13, 2004, Bank of America Stadium; Packers won, 24-14.

- ▶ Ahman Green ran for 119 yards and scored three touchdowns to lead Green Bay to a win over the defending NFC champion Panthers on *Monday Night Football*.
- ▶ Green scored on runs of 3 and 6 yards and rushed for 119 yards against a Carolina defense that gave up only four individual 100-yard rushing games in 2003. Although trainers gave him intravenous fluids postgame, he ran with ease and gave no indication this was the first time in 2004 Green Bay's entire offensive unit was on the field together.
- ▶ Carolina, who lost three of its 2003 starters on the offensive line, managed only 38 yards on the ground. Green Bay also capitalized on two Carolina turnovers, cashing them in for 14 points. Brad Hoover fumbled at the start of the second half, giving Green Bay the ball at the Carolina 31. Although Robert Ferguson's touchdown catch was negated by offensive pass interference, the Packers still converted the turnover into points when Green ran nearly untouched into the end zone for a 17-7 lead.
- ▶ The Panthers then put together their own drive, only to turn the ball over again just as they got into scoring position. Jake Delhomme threw a pass to Steve Smith, who bobbled it twice before it squirted up and into Nick Barnett's hands.
- ▶ Green Bay took possession and handed off to Green, who steadily pounded away at Carolina's defense. Running through holes late in the third quarter, he gained 43 yards in the period, then scored his third TD on a 3-yard catch to give the Packers a 24-7 lead.
- ▶ Grady Jackson dislocated his left kneecap and Najeh Davenport strained his hamstring... Brett Favre moved into third place all-time with his 126th career victory, passing Fran Tarkenton. Favre also passed Tarkenton for fourth in career passing attempts with 6,486.

change the outcome of the game, not in our favor, but I think that the guys saw possibilities in the game. Whether they transfer them into better plays next week, I can't tell you that. But we'll prepare and practice, and get ready. Our mission right now is to win the next ball game. That's all we're concerned with. I told them the other day, 'Let's just focus on one thing. We'll take one practice at a time, one game at a time.' Then, we'll go lay it out there in Carolina and hopefully we'll not make the mistakes that have killed us."

**NOT YOUR TYPICAL 0-3:** The Packers aren't a team wondering if they will ever experience success in 2005. Instead, Green Bay is a club patiently awaiting success it knows will come. Sherman added Monday that it's not time to panic.

- ▶ "We're not at that stage of the season," he said. "We've lost three ball games. Our division is still clouded, as are we to a degree. There were some encouraging things I saw in that ball game (Sunday) that I haven't seen in past ball games. I thought there was a lot of energy on the sideline. I thought the guys really, really had a will to win. With the exception of the glaring mistakes we made, which were very glaring, we had a chance to win that ball game. We lost by a point. And there were so many game breakers that could've gone our way but didn't."
- ▶ "You can't make decisions based totally on outcome of a game. We didn't help ourselves. I'll never say we played a good ball game, because we didn't; we made too many mistakes. But there were enough things that happened in that game to encourage me that there are going to be better ball games here in the near future. I've seen it before."

**OTHER QUARTERBACKS DURING STREAK:** Since Sept. 27, 1992, 13 years ago today when Brett Favre launched his starting streak, 185 other quarterbacks have started an NFL game. The Jets' Brooks Bollinger is expected to be 186 Sunday.

- ▶ During the 2005 season, two quarterbacks made their first NFL starts: Kyle Orton (Chicago) and J.P. Losman (Buffalo).
- ▶ Also, 20 NFL teams during the period have started at least 10 quarterbacks. During the '05 campaign, the following have made a starting debut with their respective teams: Trent Dilfer (Cleveland), Kyle Orton (Chicago), J.P. Losman (Buffalo), Gus Frerotte (Miami), Drew Bledsoe (Dallas) and Kurt Warner (Arizona). Orton became the 20th quarterback to start a Bears game, most in the NFL, during Favre's streak.

## IN THE LEAGUE RANKINGS —



GREEN BAY (Team)			CAROLINA (Team)		
Category	NFC	NFL	Category	NFC	NFL
Turnover Margin (-8)	.16	32	Turnover Margin (-2)	.8T	20T
Total Offense (309.3)	.12	23T	Total Offense (299.7)	.13	25
Rushing (79.0)	.13	25	Rushing (102.0)	.6	16
Passing (230.3)	.8	13	Passing (197.7)	.11	22
Total Defense (312.7)	.10	17	Total Defense (298.0)	.7	11
vs. Rush (106.0)	.7	16	vs. Rush (94.7)	.6	12
vs. Pass (206.7)	.9	13T	vs. Pass (203.3)	.8	12
Third-Down Offense (45.0%)	.5T	6T	Third-Down Offense (47.5%)	.3	3
Third-Down Defense (41.0%)	.9	20	Third-Down Defense (45.0%)	.13	25
Red-Zone Offense (42.9%)	.11	18	Red-Zone Offense (85.7%)	.1	2
Red-Zone Defense (62.5%)	.15	27	Red-Zone Defense (50.0%)	.10T	18T

  

GREEN BAY (Individual)			CAROLINA (Individual)		
Category	NFC	NFL	Category	NFC	NFL
Rushing: A.Green (170)	.13	24	Rushing: S.Davis (194)	.9	19
Passing: B.Favre (72.7)	.11	21	Passing: J.Delhomme (72.3)	.12	22
Receptions: A.Green (13)	.18T	34T	Receptions: S.Smith (23)	.1T	1T
Rec. Yds.: D.Driver (202)	.13	24	Rec. Yds.: S.Smith (342)	.2	3
Sacks: A.Kampman (2.0)			Sacks: two tied (1.0)		
Interceptions: A.Carroll (1)			Interceptions: two tied (1)		

**ON THE ROAD:** The Packers haven't lost consecutive games on the road, something they can avoid with a win Monday, since bookend games at the end of the 2002 season and the beginning of 2003 (at N.Y. Jets, Dec. 29, 2002, and at Arizona, Sept. 21, 2003).

► Since that loss to the Cardinals more than two years ago, the Packers are 11-5 away from home.

**FAVRE STILL RESILIENT, ACCURATE:** Favre may have seven interceptions, but don't accuse him of throwing in the towel after any of them. As he has done countless times before (most notably in the 2004 NFC North title game at Minnesota), Favre this year has rebounded after throwing interceptions. One manifestation of that fact is that he remains one of the league's most accurate passers, entering this weekend fourth in the NFL with a 65.2 completion percentage (73 of 112). And, he is throwing the ball often, too. Only four other quarterbacks have thrown more passes.

**ON THIRD DOWN:** The Packers seem to have picked up where they left off in 2004 as one of the league's top offenses on third down. Favre (96.6 rating) ranks as the NFL's fifth-most dangerous passer on third down. On the ground, the Packers are 4-for-5 in converting third downs. Najeh Davenport is 2-for-2 on third and 1. The NFL's most efficient third down offenses, through three weeks:

1) Tampa Bay	23	47	.489
2) Dallas	20	41	.488
<b>3) Carolina</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>.475</b>
4) Philadelphia	17	36	.472
5) San Diego	16	34	.471
<b>6) Green Bay</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>.450</b>
New Orleans	18	40	.450

**BARNETT TACKLING HISTORY:** Former first-round draft pick Nick Barnett established a career high with 18 tackles Sunday vs. Tampa Bay. The third-year linebacker is attempting to become the first Packers player ever recorded (since 1975) to lead the club in tackles over any three-year stretch.

**BROKEN UP BY AL HARRIS:** Cornerback Al Harris leads the team with five passes defended. He has broken up multiple passes in nine of his last 14 games. The veteran established a team record with 28 pass breakups in 2004.

**PACKERS' SITE ASSISTS HOTEL INDUSTRY:** According to the Packer Country Visitor & Convention Bureau, referrals from the team's newest Web site — [packerstrainingcamp.com](http://packerstrainingcamp.com) — were a major help in assisting training camp fans with their visit to Green Bay. During June and July, the site sent more than 4,500 people to [packercountry.com](http://packercountry.com), beating out referrals from Google, Yahoo and MSN search engines. Since the team launched the site, Packer Country has received more than 5,700 referrals. The local hotel/motel industry is a major beneficiary of referrals to the bureau.

**Favre's streaks at a glance**

**NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE**

**Active games streaks\***

211 Kendall Gammon, Pit-NO-KC  
**210 Brett Favre, GB**  
 197 Will Shields, KC

**Active starts streaks**

**208 Brett Favre, GB**  
 194 Will Shields, KC  
 174 Kevin Mawae, Sea-NYJ  
 147 Derrick Brooks, TB

*\*does not include kickers*

**Favre streak breakdown:**

Games played, regular season	.210
Games started, regular season	.208
Games played, including postseason	.230
Games started, including postseason	.228

**FAVRE'S HOME TOUCHDOWN STREAK:** Brett Favre has thrown for a TD in 23 consecutive Lambeau Field games (26 including playoffs). The last time a team held Favre without a TD in his home stadium was Oct. 20, 2002, when Washington's LaVar Arrington sacked the quarterback, spraining his lateral collateral knee ligament and forcing him from the game early in the second half.

**MOST CONSECUTIVE HOME GAMES WITH TD PASS, SINCE 1970**

39	Dan Marino	1983-88
26	Warren Moon	1987-91
24	Chris Chandler	1997-2000
24	Peyton Manning	2000-03
<b>23</b>	<b>Brett Favre</b>	<b>2002-present</b>
22	Steve Bartkowski	1980-83
	<b>Brett Favre</b>	<b>1993-96</b>
	Peyton Manning	1998-2000

**MOST CONSECUTIVE HOME GAMES WITH TD PASS, ACTIVE STREAKS**

<b>23</b>	<b>Brett Favre</b>	<b>2002-present</b>
11	Aaron Brooks	2003-present
8	David Carr	2004-present
6	Donovan McNabb	2004-present
5	Carson Palmer	2004-present

—Elias Sports Bureau

**CATCHES DURING THE STREAK:** Since Brett Favre launched his 207-game starting streak, an NFL record among quarterbacks, 72 players have caught at least one pass from him. The two latest additions, Vonta Leach and Terrence Murphy, joined the list Sept. 18. The streak turns 13 years old today.

**FRANKS' LAST GAME MISSED:** Tight end Bubba Franks suffered a knee bruise Sept. 18 vs. Cleveland but an MRI revealed no cartilage or ligament damage, even after four Browns defenders (nearly 1,000 pounds) forced him to the turf. The injury forced him to miss the first NFL game of his six-year career, Sunday vs. Tampa Bay (82 games, 88 including playoffs).

► The last time Franks missed a game was at Big Spring (Texas) High School and the sport was not football. Frustrated during a basketball practice, the eventual three-time Pro Bowler kicked a wall and injured his foot, sidelining him for the ensuing hoops contest.

► Franks also played in all 34 contests (36 including bowl games) at the University of Miami. He can't remember missing a football game at any level.

► The longest current games-played streaks in a Packers uniform, a list Franks left Sunday:

210	Brett Favre
131	Ryan Longwell
122	Rob Davis
51	Paris Lenon
47	Kabeer Gbaja-Biamila William Henderson

**FAVRE/LAMBEAU TOP LIST:** No other stadium has seen one quarterback throw for more touchdowns than Brett Favre at Lambeau Field. Favre's three TDs Sept. 18 vs. Cleveland made that official, breaking John Elway's single-stadium NFL record (180). Elway threw 180 at Mile High Stadium.

The all-time leaders at NFL stadiums:

Quarterback	Team	Stadium	TD Passes
<b>Brett Favre</b>	<b>Green Bay Packers</b>	<b>Lambeau Field</b>	<b>183</b>
John Elway	Denver Broncos	Mile High Stadium	180
Dan Marino	Miami Dolphins	Pro Player Stadium	155
Dan Fouts	San Diego Chargers	Jack Murphy Stadium	137
Jim Kelly	Buffalo Bills	Rich Stadium	127



**LONGWELL SETS TEAM RECORD:** Ryan Longwell Sunday broke his own franchise record for consecutive games with a field goal (14). He had previously set the mark during the 1997-98 seasons. The NFL record is 38 by the Ravens' Matt Stover from 1999-2001.

► Most games with a field goal, Packers history:

15	<b>Ryan Longwell, 2004-05 (current)</b>
14	Ryan Longwell, 1997-98
12	Jan Stenerud, 1980-81 Chris Jacke, 1991-92
11	Ryan Longwell, 2000

**BETWEEN THE HASH MARKS:** Postgame notes not necessarily in the boxscore from Green Bay's 17-16 loss to Tampa Bay Sunday:

- The Packers have now punted fewer times than their opponent in each of their three losses. Green Bay's offense is among league leaders in 10-play drives.
- Regardless of the missed extra point and field goal, the key "what if" was on Ahmad Carroll's fourth-quarter interception. After Carroll's one-arm INT, Grady Jackson's hustling block on Brian Griese ironically started a chain reaction that forced Carroll to stumble to the turf. After struggling to keep his balance for several yards, Carroll finally came to the ground at the Bucs' 32. Still, had Tampa Bay tackle Kenyatta Walker not quit and tagged Carroll down, the Packers' defender would've arguably been able to return to his feet and score among a convoy of blockers. Green Bay settled for a field goal, and trailed 17-16.
- Green Bay's defense held Cadillac Williams in check most of the game, until he broke off 24- and 26-yard runs in the fourth quarter.
- For the second straight week, an inadvertent whistle cost the Packers a fumble recovery in a painfully close loss. This time, on a Griese fumble that would've given the Packers possession and even a fumble-return for a TD, officials blew the play dead, ruling it an incompleteness. Plus, Kabeer Gbaja-Biamila, who recovered the ball and ran into the end zone, claims he didn't hear the whistle until after he was running with the ball.
- Donald Driver extended his current streak with a catch to 51 games, fourth-longest in team history, surpassing 50-game streaks by Don Hutson (1941-45) and Paul Coffman (1979-82).
- Longwell's PAT miss following the Packers' first touchdown was his first miss since the Browns blocked an attempt at Lambeau Field, Dec. 23, 2001. His 156 straight PAT conversions is a team record and was the fourth-longest active streak in the league.
- Najeh Davenport became the 38th player in team history to gain 1,000 yards rushing in a Packers uniform. Eventual Hall of Famer Clarke Hinkle was first to hit the milestone in 1934, blazing a trail that would include fellow Canton residents Tony Canadeo, Paul Hornung and Bart Starr. Davenport entered the game with 999 career rushing yards and now has 1,004.
- Robert Ferguson's first-quarter score was the first TD the Tampa Bay defense had allowed so far this season.
- Carroll's 38-yard interception was his longest career return and his second career pick.

**BAY OF YOUTH:** The Packers are one year older, but on paper they're almost one year younger than they were in 2004.

- The Packers are believed to be entering a season with as many as nine of their draft choices for the first time in modern history. The team's research (dating back to 1956) indicates that no Packers draft since that '56 season has produced nine draft picks on an opening day roster.
- Only four drafts in team annals have produced nine players who played for the Packers in their rookie season, but at least one of those picks re-joined the club after the season opener. The list:

<u>Picks that played as rookies</u>	<u>Year</u>
9	2000
9	1987
9	1984
9	1977

**HALFTIME LEAD IS HUGE:** The Packers in 2004 were 7-0 with a halftime lead, 3-0 at Lambeau Field and 4-0 on the road.

- Green Bay has won its last 12 when ahead at intermission.
- Under Mike Sherman, the Packers have finished off 39 of 43 halftime leads.

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR MONDAY —

### **BUBBA FRANKS:**

- Needs five receptions for 200 career.

### **AHMAN GREEN:**

- Needs two receptions for 300 career.
- Needs three rushing touchdowns to surpass No. 2 Paul Hornung (50) on the Packers' all-time list. Green enters Sunday with 48.
- Needs two overall touchdowns to surpass No. 4 Paul Hornung (62) and six to surpass No. 3 Sterling Sharpe (66) on the team's all-time list. Green enters Sunday with 61 in a Packers uniform.
- Needs 14 points to surpass No. 10 Clarke Hinkle (379) and 15 to surpass No. 9 Ted Fritsch (380) all-time in franchise history. Green enters Sunday with 366.
- Needs one rushing touchdown for 50 career.
- Needs one 100-yard rushing game for 30 career.



# SERIES WITH CAROLINA LAUNCHED WITH POSTSEASON SHOWDOWN

By Lee Rummel  
Team Historian

Competitively speaking, the Packers and the Carolina Panthers have been acquainted for less than a decade, the Carolinians having entered the National Football League as an expansion team in 1995. Yet their association has been marked by some significant events — one of them singular, to say the least.

Singular, that is, considering the great preponderance of NFL rivalries have begun in scheduled, regular-season play.

Not so with the Packers and Panthers, who will be squaring off in picturesque Charlotte, N.C., Monday night. They were not on each other's agenda during Carolina's first two years in the league (1995-96) and, consequently, their first-ever on-field meeting occurred in a most unlikely circumstance...the postseason.

In a National Conference Championship Game, no less — just one level removed from the Super Bowl — in Lambeau Field following the '96 season.

In the case of the Green and Gold, the team's presence at that lofty level was not a surprise. It was the Packers' second consecutive appearance in the NFC Championship game, having advanced to that eminence a year earlier by winning the NFC Central Division crown, then dispatching the Atlanta Falcons, 37-30, and the San Francisco 49ers, 27-17, in the Wild Card and Divisional playoffs before falling to the Dallas Cowboys, 38-27, in the Conference title contest.

The Panthers, in contrast, had literally come out of nowhere — in only their second year of NFL operation — to capture the NFC Western Division championship with an improbable 12-4 record, then qualified for the conference showdown in "Lambeau" by eliminating Eastern Division titlist Dallas, 26-17.

Primed to prove they were not the proverbial flash in the pan, the Panthers were sufficiently competitive to satisfy the Packers, particularly in the first half of what was the first title game to be played in Green Bay since the fabled "Ice Bowl" of 1967. The Green and Gold twice had to overcome early deficits in order to take a modest 17-10 lead into the intermission, en route to a 30-13 victory and a berth in their first Super Bowl in 29 years.

The difference-maker on a frosty Sunday afternoon (a "balmy" one, admittedly, at 3 degrees and minus-17 wind chill, compared to the "Ice Bowl") was running back Dorsey Levens, who personally amassed 205 yards of offense, snaring five passes for 117 yards and rushing for 88 yards on only 10 attempts.

After Carolina had taken an early 7-0 lead on quarterback Kerry Collins' 3-yard toss to Howad Griffith, it was Levens who squared matters on the first play of the second quarter, out-jumping Panthers cornerback Eric Davis at the right corner of the end zone for a 29-yard touchdown reception. Levens had set up the score on the previous play, rushing for 35 yards on third-and-1.

Carolina shortly regained the lead, converting a near-midfield fumble by Brett Favre into a field goal by John Kasay into a 10-7 advantage.

But not for long. The Packers stormed back with 10 points in the first minute of the first half, Favre connecting with Antonio Freeman for a touchdown on a 6-yard fade with 48 seconds remaining, climaxing a 15-play, 71-yard drive.

Then, when the Panthers attempted to move downfield following the kickoff, rookie cornerback Tyrone Williams made a diving interception at the Green Bay 38, which placekicker Chris Jacke turned into a 31-yard field goal 10 seconds before halftime.

Late in the third quarter, running back Edgar Bennett maneuvered through the middle untouched on a 4-yard touchdown, padding the Packers' lead to 27-13. Levens had set up the score on the previous play, racing 66 yards down the right sideline on an impeccably executed screen play.



The Super Bowl-bound Packers, adding a final, 28-yard field goal by Jacke in the fourth quarter, closed out the afternoon with the imposing total of 479 net yards, which remains a team playoff record. They rushed for 201 yards en route, including a team-leading 99 in 25 attempts by Bennett.

Going into the game, the continuing "story" throughout the week was the Lambeau Field turf, devastated in a divisional playoff against the San Francisco 49ers the previous week when game-long rainy conditions transformed it into a quagmire.

Acting with remarkable dispatch, the Packers fields staff installed an all-new surface days prior to the game, a major achievement considering the sod had to be trucked in from Maryland in more than two dozen semis.

From the regular season perspective, the Packers and Panthers will be meeting for only the eighth time to date, yet for the third time on "Monday Night Football," the game's premier showcase...all three of the latter in Carolina's Bank of America Stadium.

The first of these Monday nighters — on Nov. 27, 2000 — was not an overly pleasant evening for the Green and Gold, who found the upstart Panthers surprisingly inhospitable. Fullback Brad Hoover, an undrafted rookie from Western Carolina, amassed 117 yards rushing in 24 attempts while escorting Carolina to a 31-14 victory.

Their most recent Monday night matchup — in their mutual '04 season opener — proved to be a much more felicitous occasion for the Packers. They performed at a high level in all three phases — offense, defense and special teams, prompting Head Coach Mike Sherman to label it a high quality, total team effort — one he has referred to more than once in the interim as a prime example of a superior performance, paced by a 119-yard, three-touchdown rushing effort from Ahman Green against a Carolina defense that gave up only four 100-yard rushing games all season, the Packers controlled the clock throughout, maintaining possession for 38 minutes and 4 seconds to the Panthers' 21 minutes, 56 seconds, on the way to a 24-14 victory.

The Green Bay defense, meanwhile, held Carolina to a mere 38 yards rushing and also capitalized on two turnovers, cashing them for 14 points in the third quarter to essentially settle the issue, Green scoring on a 3-yard run and then on a 3-yard pass from quarterback Brett Favre, swelling the Packers' lead to 24-7.

In the process, Favre moved into third place all-time with his 126th victory, passing former Minnesota Vikings field general Fran Tarkenton (125).



# DEPTH CHART

unofficial, Sept. 27, 2005

## OFFENSE

WR:	89	Robert Ferguson	<u>85</u>	<u>Terrence Murphy</u>	
LT:	76	Chad Clifton			
LG:	70	Adrian Klemm	63	Scott Wells	<u>62</u> <u>Junius Coston</u>
C :	58	Mike Flanagan	<u>68</u>	<u>Chris White</u>	63 Scott Wells
RG:	<u>79</u>	<u>William Whitticker</u>	67	Grey Ruegamer	<u>62</u> <u>Junius Coston</u>
RT:	65	Mark Tauscher	71	Kevin Barry	
TE :	88	Bubba Franks	87	David Martin	86 Donald Lee
					82 Ben Steele
WR:	80	Donald Driver	83	Antonio Chatman	
QB:	4	Brett Favre	<u>12</u>	<u>Aaron Rodgers</u>	16 Craig Nall
RB:	30	Ahman Green	44	Najeh Davenport	40 Tony Fisher
FB:	33	William Henderson	48	Vonta Leach	

## DEFENSE

LE:	74	Aaron Kampman	98	Kenny Peterson	77 Cullen Jenkins
DT:	75	Grady Jackson	<u>90</u>	<u>Colin Cole</u>	95 Donnell Washington
DT:	77	Cullen Jenkins	99	Corey Williams	98 Kenny Peterson
RE:	94	Kabeer Gbaja-Biamila	<u>96</u>	<u>Michael Montgomery</u>	
SAM:	59	Na'il Diggs	53	Paris Lenon	<u>51</u> <u>Brady Poppinga</u>
MIKE:	56	Nick Barnett	53	Paris Lenon	<u>54</u> <u>Roy Manning</u>
WILL:	55	Robert Thomas	<u>54</u>	<u>Roy Manning</u>	53 Paris Lenon
LCB:	28	Ahmad Carroll	24	Joey Thomas	26 Jason Horton
RCB:	31	Al Harris	<u>37</u>	<u>Mike Hawkins</u>	
SS:	20	Mark Roman	21	Earl Little	<u>25</u> <u>Marviel Underwood</u>
FS:	<u>36</u>	<u>Nick Collins</u>	21	Earl Little	<u>25</u> <u>Marviel Underwood</u>

## SPECIAL TEAMS

K:	8	Ryan Longwell			
P:	11	B.J. Sander			
H:	11	B.J. Sander	<u>12</u>	<u>Aaron Rodgers</u>	16 Craig Nall
PR:	83	Antonio Chatman	89	Robert Ferguson	<u>85</u> <u>Terrence Murphy</u>
KR:	44	Najeh Davenport	<u>85</u>	<u>Terrence Murphy</u>	83 Antonio Chatman
			28	Ahmad Carroll	89 Robert Ferguson
PC:	60	Rob Davis	67	Grey Ruegamer	
KC:	60	Rob Davis	67	Grey Ruegamer	

Rookies and first-year players are underlined

# 2005 REGULAR-SEASON STATISTICS

Sun., Sept. 11	at Detroit Lions	.L, 3-17	(61,877)
Sun., Sept. 18	CLEVELAND BROWNS	.L, 24-26	(70,400)
Sun., Sept. 25	TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS	.L, 16-17	(70,518)
Mon., Oct. 3	at Carolina Panthers	.8 p.m.	ABC
Sun., Oct. 9	NEW ORLEANS SAINTS	.12 noon	FOX
Sun., Oct. 16	Open Date		
Sun., Oct. 23	at Minnesota Vikings	.12 noon	FOX
Sun., Oct. 30	at Cincinnati Bengals	.12 noon	FOX
Sun., Nov. 6	PITTSBURGH STEELERS	.3:15 p.m.	CBS
Sun., Nov. 13	at Atlanta Falcons	.3:15 p.m.	FOX
Mon., Nov. 21	MINNESOTA VIKINGS	.8 p.m.	ABC
Sun., Nov. 27	at Philadelphia Eagles	.3:15 p.m.	FOX
Sun., Dec. 4	at Chicago Bears	.12 noon	FOX
Sun., Dec. 11	DETROIT LIONS	.7:30 p.m.	ESPN
Mon., Dec. 19	at Baltimore Ravens	.8 p.m.	ABC
Sun., Dec. 25	CHICAGO BEARS	.4 p.m.	FOX
Sun., Jan. 1	SEATTLE SEAHAWKS	.3:15 p.m.	FOX

## RUSHING

	No	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Ahman Green	47	170	3.6	13	0
Najeh Davenport	14	41	2.9	6	0
Brett Favre	5	25	5.0	20	0
Antonio Chatman	2	18	9.0	10	0
Tony Fisher	2	-1	-5.0	0	0
William Henderson	1	-5	-5.0	-5	0
B.J. Sander	1	-11	-11.0	-11	0
<b>PACKERS</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>237</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>OPPONENTS</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>0</b>

## RECEIVING

	No	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Ahman Green	13	106	8.2	20	0
Donald Driver	12	202	16.8	42t	1
William Henderson	10	51	5.1	10	0
Robert Ferguson	9	119	13.2	37t	2
Antonio Chatman	7	119	17.0	22	1
Bubba Franks	7	42	6.0	10	0
Tony Fisher	5	28	5.6	8	1
Javon Walker	4	27	6.8	9	0
Terrence Murphy	3	23	7.7	12	0
David Martin	2	16	8.0	10	0
Vonta Leach	1	5	5.0	5	0
<b>PACKERS</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>738</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>42t</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>OPPONENTS</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>642</b>	<b>12.1</b>	<b>80t</b>	<b>7</b>

## INTERCEPTIONS

	No	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Ahmad Carroll	1	38	38.0	38	0
<b>PACKERS</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>38.0</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>OPPONENTS</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>0</b>

## PUNTING

	No	Yds	Avg	Net	TB	In 20	LG	Blk
B.J. Sander	11	449	40.8	38.6	0	2	50	0
<b>PACKERS</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>40.8</b>	<b>38.6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>OPPONENTS</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>755</b>	<b>44.4</b>	<b>40.2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>0</b>

## PUNT RETURNS

	Ret	FC	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Antonio Chatman	7	6	51	7.3	16	0
<b>PACKERS</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>OPPONENTS</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>

## KICKOFF RETURNS

	No	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Najeh Davenport	6	103	17.2	27	0
Ahmad Carroll	2	34	17.0	18	0
Robert Ferguson	2	44	22.0	22	0
Terrence Murphy	2	54	27.0	29	0
Antonio Chatman	1	22	22.0	22	0
<b>PACKERS</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>19.8</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>OPPONENTS</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>19.7</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>0</b>

## FIELD GOALS

	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+
Ryan Longwell	0/0	0/0	2/2	0/1	1/1
<b>PACKERS</b>	<b>0/0</b>	<b>0/0</b>	<b>2/2</b>	<b>0/1</b>	<b>1/1</b>
<b>OPPONENTS</b>	<b>0/0</b>	<b>2/2</b>	<b>1/1</b>	<b>1/1</b>	<b>0/0</b>

Longwell: (50G) (34G) (42N,32G)  
Opponents: (21G) (21G,39G) (42G)

	Packers	Opponent
<b>TOTAL FIRST DOWNS</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>56</b>
Rushing	14	14
Passing	37	31
Penalty	4	11
3rd Down: Made/Att	18/40	16/39
3rd Down Pct.	45.0	41.0
4th Down: Made/Att	2/4	0/1
4th Down Pct.	50.0	0.0
<b>POSSESSION AVG.</b>	<b>30:38</b>	<b>29:22</b>
<b>TOTAL NET YARDS</b>	<b>928</b>	<b>938</b>
Avg. Per Game	309.3	312.7
Total Plays	191	185
Avg. Per Play	4.9	5.1
<b>NET YARDS RUSHING</b>	<b>237</b>	<b>318</b>
Avg. Per Game	79.0	106.0
Total Rushes	72	95
<b>NET YARDS PASSING</b>	<b>691</b>	<b>620</b>
Avg. Per Game	230.3	206.7
Sacked/Yards Lost	7/47	4/22
Gross Yards	738	642
Att./Completions	112/73	86/53
Completion Pct.	65.2	61.6
Had Intercepted	7	1
<b>PUNTS/AVERAGE</b>	<b>11/40.8</b>	<b>17/44.4</b>
Net Punting Avg	11/38.6	17/40.2
<b>PENALTIES/YARDS</b>	<b>28/206</b>	<b>18/181</b>
<b>FUMBLES/BALL LOST</b>	<b>7/2</b>	<b>5/0</b>
<b>TOUCHDOWNS</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>7</b>
Rushing	0	0
Passing	5	7
Returns	0	0

## SCORE BY PERIODS

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	OT	PTS
PACKERS	13	10	0	20	0	43
OPPONENTS	21	16	9	14	0	60

## SCORING

	TD	Ru	Pa	Rt	K-PAT	FG	S	PTS
Ryan Longwell	0	0	0	0	4/5	3/4	0	13
Robert Ferguson	2	0	2	0			0	12
Antonio Chatman	1	0	1	0			0	6
Donald Driver	1	0	1	0			0	6
Tony Fisher	1	0	1	0			0	6
<b>PACKERS</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4/5</b>	<b>3/4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>43</b>
<b>OPPONENTS</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6/7</b>	<b>4/4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>60</b>

2-Point Conversions: **PACKERS 0-0, OPPONENTS 0-0**

**SACKS:** Aaron Kampman 2.0, Kabeer Gbaja-Biamila 0.5, Cullen Jenkins 0.5 **PACKERS 4.0,**  
Opponents 7.0

## PASSING

	Att	Cmp	Yds	Cmp%	Yds/Att	TD	TD%	Int	Int%	Long	Sack/Lost	Rating
Brett Favre	112	73	738	65.2	6.59	5	4.5	7	6.3	42t	7/47	72.7
<b>PACKERS</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>738</b>	<b>65.2</b>	<b>6.59</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>42t</b>	<b>7/47</b>	<b>72.7</b>
<b>OPPONENTS</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>642</b>	<b>61.6</b>	<b>7.47</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>80t</b>	<b>4/22</b>	<b>106.8</b>





## 2005 REGULAR-SEASON DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

official, through Sept. 25 (based on coaches film)

Player	Total			Sacks/ Yards	Int/ Yards	Fum Rec	For Fum	Pass Def
	Tackles	Solo	Asst					
Nick Barnett	37	23	14	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
Mark Roman	21	12	9	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	1
Robert Thomas	20	12	8	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
Aaron Kampman	19	10	9	2.0/7.0	0/0	0	0	0
Kabeer Gbaja-Biamila	18	9	9	0.5/4.0	0/0	0	0	0
Nick Collins	13	10	3	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
Cullen Jenkins	13	9	4	0.5/4.0	0/0	0	0	2
Paris Lenon	13	6	7	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
Ahmad Carroll	12	11	1	0.0/0.0	1/38	0	0	1
Al Harris	10	10	0	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	5
Corey Williams	10	7	3	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
Grady Jackson	10	4	6	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	1	1
Colin Cole	9	6	3	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
Joey Thomas	8	6	2	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	2
Kenny Peterson	6	4	2	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	1
Na'il Diggs	4	3	1	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
Roy Manning	4	2	2	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
Mike Montgomery	4	2	2	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
Mike Hawkins	1	1	0	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	1
Earl Little	1	0	1	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>3.0/15.0</b>	<b>1/38</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>14</b>

### Miscellaneous Tackles (8):

Whitticker 3, Driver 2, Ferguson 2, Favre 1

### SPECIAL TEAMS

Player	TT	FR	FF
Rob Davis	4	0	0
Nick Collins	3	0	0
Robert Ferguson	3	0	0
Jason Horton	3	0	0
Roy Manning	3	0	0
Brady Poppinga	3	0	0
Mike Hawkins	2	0	0
Vonta Leach	2	0	0
Paris Lenon	2	0	0
Earl Little	2	0	0
Robert Thomas	2	0	0
Marviel Underwood	2	0	0
Tony Fisher	1	0	0
William Henderson	1	0	0
Michael Montgomery	1	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

## 2005 Pronunciation Guide

### PLAYERS

Ahmad Carroll . . . . .ah-MAHD  
 Junius Coston . . . . .JOON-ee-us KAHST-en  
 Najeh Davenport . . . . .NAH-jay  
 Na'il Diggs . . . . .NIE-uhl  
 Brett Favre . . . . .FARVE  
 Kabeer Gbaja-Biamila  
 . . . . .kah-BEER BAH-jah BEE-ah-MILL-lah  
 Ahman Green . . . . .ah-MAHN  
 Cullen Jenkins . . . . .KULL-en  
 Aaron Kampman . . . . .CAMP-man  
 Vonta Leach . . . . .VON-tay

Paris Lenon . . . . .PAIR-is  
 Nick Luchey . . . . .LOO-chee  
 Craig Nall . . . . .NAHL  
 Brady Poppinga . . . . .puh-PING-ah  
 Grey Ruegamer . . . . .ROOG-ah-mer  
 Mark Tauscher . . . . .TAU-scher  
 Marviel Underwood . . . . .mar-vee-ELL  
 Javon Walker . . . . .juh-VONN  
 Donnell Washington . . . . .DAH-ell  
 Jerron Wishom . . . . .JARE-in

### COACHES

Larry Beightol . . . . .BECK-tull  
 Darrell Bevell . . . . .BEVV-uhl  
 John Bonamego . . . . .bonn-ah-MAY-go  
 James Campen . . . . .KAMP-en  
 Tom Rossley . . . . .ROSS-lee



NFL

No	ALPHABETICAL ROSTER	Pos	Ht	Wt	Birthdate	Exp	College	High School Hometown
56	Barnett, Nick	.LB	6-2	232	5/27/81	3	Oregon State	Fontana, Calif.
71	Barry, Kevin	.T	6-4	332	7/20/79	4	Arizona	Racine, Wis.
28	Carroll, Ahmad	.CB	5-10	190	8/4/83	2	Arkansas	Atlanta, Ga.
83	Chatman, Antonio	.WR/KR	5-9	183	2/12/79	3	Cincinnati	Los Angeles, Calif.
76	Clifton, Chad	.T	6-5	330	6/26/76	6	Tennessee	Martin, Tenn.
90	Cole, Colin	.DT	6-2	325	6/24/80	1	Iowa	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
36	Collins, Nick	.S	5-11	200	8/16/83	R	Bethune-Cookman	Cross City, Fla.
62	Coston, Junius	.G/C	6-3	317	11/5/83	R	North Carolina A&T	Raleigh, N.C.
44	Davenport, Najeh	.RB	6-1	247	2/8/79	4	Miami (Fla.)	Miami, Fla.
60	Davis, Rob	.LS	6-3	284	12/10/68	10	Shippensburg	Greenbelt, Md.
59	Diggs, Na'il	.LB	6-4	240	7/8/78	6	Ohio State	Los Angeles, Calif.
80	Driver, Donald	.WR	6-0	190	2/2/75	7	Alcorn State	Houston, Texas
4	Favre, Brett	.QB	6-2	222	10/10/69	15	Southern Mississippi	Kiln, Miss.
89	Ferguson, Robert	.WR	6-1	210	12/17/79	5	Texas A&M	Houston, Texas
40	Fisher, Tony	.RB	6-1	222	10/12/79	4	Notre Dame	Euclid, Ohio
58	Flanagan, Mike	.C	6-5	301	11/10/73	10	UCLA	Sacramento, Calif.
88	Franks, Bubba	.TE	6-6	265	1/6/78	6	Miami (Fla.)	Big Spring, Texas
94	Gbaja-Biamila, Kabeer	.DE	6-4	250	9/24/77	6	San Diego State	Los Angeles, Calif.
30	Green, Ahman	.RB	6-0	218	2/16/77	8	Nebraska	Omaha, Neb.
31	Harris, Al	.CB	6-1	185	12/7/74	8	Texas A&M-Kingsville	Pompano Beach, Fla.
37	Hawkins, Mike	.CB	6-1	180	7/15/83	R	Oklahoma	Carrollton, Texas
33	Henderson, William	.FB	6-1	252	2/19/71	11	North Carolina	Chester, Va.
26	Horton, Jason	.CB	6-0	190	2/16/80	2	North Carolina A&T	Ahoskie, N.C.
75	Jackson, Grady	.DT	6-2	345	1/21/73	9	Knoxville	Greensboro, Ala.
77	Jenkins, Cullen	.DT/DE	6-3	290	1/20/81	2	Central Michigan	Belleville, Mich.
74	Kampman, Aaron	.DE	6-4	278	11/30/79	4	Iowa	Parkersburg, Iowa
70	Klemm, Adrian	.G	6-4	318	5/21/77	6	Hawaii	Santa Monica, Calif.
48	Leach, Vonta	.FB	6-0	250	11/6/81	2	East Carolina	Rowland, N.C.
86	Lee, Donald	.TE	6-4	248	8/31/80	3	Mississippi State	Maben, Miss.
53	Lenon, Paris	.LB	6-2	240	11/26/77	4	Richmond	Lynchburg, Va.
21	Little, Earl	.S	6-0	202	3/10/73	8	Miami (Fla.)	Miami, Fla.
8	Longwell, Ryan	.K	6-0	200	8/16/74	9	California	Bend, Ore.
54	Manning, Roy	.LB	6-2	245	12/4/81	R	Michigan	Saginaw, Mich.
87	Martin, David	.TE	6-4	265	3/13/79	5	Tennessee	Norfolk, Va.
96	Montgomery, Michael	.DE	6-5	275	8/18/83	R	Texas A&M	Center, Texas
85	Murphy, Terrence	.WR	6-1	196	12/15/82	R	Texas A&M	Tyler, Texas
16	Nall, Craig	.QB	6-3	230	4/21/79	4	Northwestern (La.) St.	Alexandria, La.
98	Peterson, Kenny	.DE/DT	6-3	285	11/21/78	3	Ohio State	Canton, Ohio
51	Poppinga, Brady	.LB	6-3	245	9/21/79	R	Brigham Young	Evanston, Wyo.
12	Rodgers, Aaron	.QB	6-2	223	12/2/83	R	California	Chico, Calif.
20	Roman, Mark	.S	5-11	201	3/26/77	6	Louisiana State	New Iberia, La.
67	Ruegamer, Grey	.G/C	6-4	305	6/11/76	7	Arizona State	Las Vegas, Nev.
11	Sander, B.J.	.P	6-4	218	7/29/80	2	Ohio State	Cincinnati, Ohio
82	Steele, Ben	.TE	6-5	260	5/27/78	2	Mesa State	Palisade, Colo.
65	Tauscher, Mark	.T	6-4	315	6/17/77	6	Wisconsin	Auburndale, Wis.
24	Thomas, Joey	.CB	6-1	190	8/29/80	2	Montana State	Seattle, Wash.
55	Thomas, Robert	.LB	6-0	233	7/17/80	4	UCLA	Imperial, Calif.
25	Underwood, Marviel	.S	5-10	197	2/17/82	R	San Diego State	San Leandro, Calif.
95	Washington, Donnell	.DT	6-6	328	2/6/81	2	Clemson	Beaufort, S.C.
63	Wells, Scott	.C/G	6-2	304	1/17/81	2	Tennessee	Brentwood, Tenn.
68	White, Chris	.C	6-2	285	2/28/83	R	Southern Mississippi	Winona, Miss.
79	Whitticker, William	.G	6-5	338	8/2/82	R	Michigan State	Marion, Ind.
99	Williams, Corey	.DT/DE	6-4	313	8/17/80	2	Arkansas State	Camden, Ark.

Practice Squad:

17	Bragg, Craig	.WR/KR	6-1	195	3/15/82	R	UCLA	San Jose, Calif.
34	Dendy, Patrick	.CB	6-0	190	3/10/82	R	Rice	Austin, Texas
39	Fontenot, Therrian	.CB	5-11	187	6/20/82	R	Fresno State	Lawndale, Calif.
45	Harris, Antoineo	.RB	5-11	234	7/17/79	2	Illinois	Bolingbrook, Ill.
2	Jones, Jamal	.WR	6-0	214	4/24/81	1	North Carolina A&T	Hyattsville, Md.
10	Lucas, Chad	.WR	6-1	201	11/7/81	1	Alabama State	Tuskegee, Ala.
35	Wishom, Jerron	.CB	6-0	197	3/1/82	R	Louisiana Tech	Lutcher, La.
46	Woodfin, Zac	.LB	6-1	235	3/19/83	R	Alabama-Birmingham	Prattville, Ala.

Injured Reserve:

52	Campbell, Kurt	.LB	6-1	227	7/30/82	R	Albany	knee (Aug. 30)
84	Walker, Javon	.WR	6-3	215	10/14/78	4	Florida State	knee (Sept. 21)
42	Williams, Chaz	.RB	5-9	210	7/9/82	R	Georgia Southern	ankle (Aug. 9)

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No	NUMERICAL ROSTER	Pos	Ht	Wt	Age	NFL	College	Acquired	Reg. season
						Exp			
4	Brett Favre	QB	6-2	222	35	15	Southern Mississippi	T-92 (Atl)	3/3/0/0
8	Ryan Longwell	K	6-0	200	31	9	California	W-97 (SF)	3/0/0/0
11	B.J. Sander	P	6-4	218	25	2	Ohio State	D3c-04	3/0/0/0
12	Aaron Rodgers	QB	6-2	223	21	R	California	D1-05	0/0/3/0
16	Craig Nall	QB	6-3	230	26	4	Northwestern (La.) St.	D5b-02	0/0/0/3
20	Mark Roman	S	5-11	201	28	6	Louisiana State	UFA-04 (Cin)	3/3/0/0
21	Earl Little	S	6-0	202	32	8	Miami (Fla.)	FA-05	3/0/0/0
24	Joey Thomas	CB	6-1	190	25	2	Montana State	D3a-04	2/1/0/1
25	Marviel Underwood	S	5-10	197	23	R	San Diego State	D4a-05	3/0/0/0
26	Jason Horton	CB	6-0	190	25	2	North Carolina A&T	FA-04	2/0/0/1
28	Ahmad Carroll	CB	5-10	190	22	2	Arkansas	D1-04	3/3/0/0
30	Ahman Green	RB	6-0	218	28	8	Nebraska	T-00 (Sea)	3/3/0/0
31	Al Harris	CB	6-1	185	30	8	Texas A&M-Kingsville	T-03 (Phil)	3/3/0/0
33	William Henderson	FB	6-1	252	34	11	North Carolina	D3b-95	3/0/0/0
36	Nick Collins	S	5-11	200	22	R	Bethune-Cookman	D2a-05	3/3/0/0
37	Mike Hawkins	CB	6-1	180	22	R	Oklahoma	D5b-05	2/0/0/1
40	Tony Fisher	RB	6-1	222	25	4	Notre Dame	FA-02	3/0/0/0
44	Najeh Davenport	RB	6-1	247	26	4	Miami (Fla.)	D4-02	3/0/0/0
48	Vonta Leach	FB	6-0	250	23	2	East Carolina	FA-04	3/2/0/0
51	Brady Poppinga	LB	6-3	245	26	R	Brigham Young	D4b-05	2/0/0/1
53	Paris Lenon	LB	6-2	240	27	4	Richmond	FA-02	3/1/0/0
54	Roy Manning	LB	6-2	245	23	R	Michigan	FA-05	3/1/0/0
55	Robert Thomas	LB	6-0	233	25	4	UCLA	T-05 (StL)	3/2/0/0
56	Nick Barnett	LB	6-2	232	24	3	Oregon State	D1-03	3/3/0/0
58	Mike Flanagan	C	6-5	301	31	10	UCLA	D3a-96	3/3/0/0
59	Na'il Diggs	LB	6-4	240	27	6	Ohio State	D4a-00	1/1/0/2
60	Rob Davis	LS	6-3	284	36	10	Shippensburg	FA-97	3/0/0/0
62	Junius Coston	G/C	6-3	317	21	R	North Carolina A&T	D5a-05	0/0/0/3
63	Scott Wells	C/G	6-2	304	24	2	Tennessee	FA-04 (D7-04)	3/0/0/0
65	Mark Tauscher	T	6-4	315	28	6	Wisconsin	D7a-00	3/3/0/0
67	Grey Ruegamer	G/C	6-4	305	29	7	Arizona State	FA-05 (UFA-03)	0/0/1/2
68	Chris White	C	6-2	285	22	R	Southern Mississippi	FA-05	0/0/0/3
70	Adrian Klemm	G	6-4	318	28	6	Hawaii	UFA-05 (NE)	3/3/0/0
71	Kevin Barry	T	6-4	332	26	4	Arizona	FA-02	3/0/0/0
74	Aaron Kampman	DE	6-4	278	25	4	Iowa	D5a-02	3/3/0/0
75	Grady Jackson	DT	6-2	345	32	9	Knoxville	W-03 (NO)	3/3/0/0
76	Chad Clifton	T	6-5	330	29	6	Tennessee	D2-00	3/3/0/0
77	Cullen Jenkins	DT/DE	6-3	290	24	2	Central Michigan	FA-04	3/3/0/0
79	William Whitticker	G	6-5	338	23	R	Michigan State	D7b-05	3/3/0/0
80	Donald Driver	WR	6-0	190	30	7	Alcorn State	D7b-99	3/3/0/0
82	Ben Steele	TE	6-5	260	27	2	Mesa State	FA-05	1/0/0/0
83	Antonio Chatman	WR/KR	5-9	183	26	3	Cincinnati	FA-03	3/1/0/0
85	Terrence Murphy	WR	6-1	196	22	R	Texas A&M	D2b-05	2/0/0/1
86	Donald Lee	TE	6-4	248	25	3	Mississippi State	FA-05	2/1/0/1
87	David Martin	TE	6-4	265	26	5	Tennessee	D6-01	3/2/0/0
88	Bubba Franks	TE	6-6	265	27	6	Miami (Fla.)	D1-00	2/1/0/1
89	Robert Ferguson	WR	6-1	210	25	5	Texas A&M	D2-01	3/1/0/0
90	Colin Cole	DT	6-2	325	25	1	Iowa	FA-04	3/0/0/0
94	Kabeer Gbaja-Biamila	DE	6-4	250	28	6	San Diego State	FA-00 (D5a-00)	3/3/0/0
95	Donnell Washington	DT	6-6	328	24	2	Clemson	D3b-04	0/0/0/3
96	Michael Montgomery	DE	6-5	275	22	R	Texas A&M	D6a-05	3/0/0/0
98	Kenny Peterson	DE/DT	6-3	285	26	3	Ohio State	D3-03	3/0/0/0
99	Corey Williams	DT/DE	6-4	313	25	2	Arkansas State	D6-04	3/0/0/0

**Practice Squad:**

2	Jamal Jones	WR	6-0	214	24	1	North Carolina A&T	FA-05	0/0/0/0
10	Chad Lucas	WR	6-1	201	23	1	Alabama State	FA-05	0/0/0/0
17	Craig Bragg	WR/KR	6-1	195	23	R	UCLA	D6b-05	0/0/0/0
34	Patrick Dendy	CB	6-0	190	23	R	Rice	FA-05	0/0/0/0
35	Jerron Wishom	CB	6-0	197	23	R	Louisiana Tech	FA-05	0/0/0/0
39	Therrian Fontenot	CB	5-11	187	23	R	Fresno State	FA-05	0/0/0/0
45	Antoineo Harris	RB	5-11	234	26	2	Illinois	FA-05	0/0/0/0
46	Zac Woodfin	LB	6-1	235	21	R	Alabama-Birmingham	FA-05	0/0/0/0

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52	Kurt Campbell	LB	6-1	227	23	R	Albany	D7a-05	knee (Aug. 30)
84	Javon Walker	WR	6-3	215	26	4	Florida State	D1-02	knee (Sept. 21)

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