

SAN DIEGO CHARGERS vs. OAKLAND RAIDERS

1:05 p.m. PST — Sunday, Nov. 1, 2009
Qualcomm Stadium — San Diego, California



2009 Schedule

REGULAR SEASON (3-3)

Mon.	Sept. 14	at Oakland	W	24-20
Sun.	Sept. 20	BALTIMORE	L	26-31
Sun.	Sept. 27	MIAMI	W	23-13
Sun.	Oct. 4	at Pittsburgh	L	28-38
Sun.	Oct. 11	Bye		
Mon.	Oct. 19	DENVER	L	23-34
Sun.	Oct. 25	at Kansas City	W	37-7
Sun.	Nov. 1	OAKLAND	1:05 p.m.	CBS
Sun.	Nov. 8	at New York Giants	1:15 p.m.	CBS
Sun.	Nov. 15	PHILADELPHIA	1:15 p.m.	FOX
Sun.	Nov. 22	at Denver*	1:15 p.m.	CBS
Sun.	Nov. 29	KANSAS CITY*	1:05 p.m.	CBS
Sun.	Dec. 6	at Cleveland*	1:05 p.m.	CBS
Sun.	Dec. 13	at Dallas*	1:15 p.m.	CBS
Sun.	Dec. 20	CINCINNATI*	1:05 p.m.	CBS
Fri.	Dec. 25	at Tennessee	4:30 p.m.	NFLN/KFMB
Sun.	Jan. 3	WASHINGTON*	1:15 p.m.	FOX

All times Pacific. Home games in **BOLD**.

Home games will be subject to local blackout rules and will be shown locally if they are sold out 72 hours prior to kickoff. Dates and times are subject to change.

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The San Diego Chargers host the Oakland Raiders in an AFC West showdown on Sunday, Nov. 1 at Qualcomm Stadium. Kickoff on CBS is 1:05 p.m. PST.

The Chargers improved to 3-3 this past Sunday with a 37-7 win over the Chiefs in Kansas City. The Chargers, just 1-2 at Qualcomm Stadium this season, would like to even that ledger with a win over the Raiders.

The Raiders are 2-5 on the season and have lost four of their last five. Their lone win in that stretch was a 13-9 win over the Philadelphia Eagles on Oct. 18.

Currently San Diego is riding a 12-game win streak over the Raiders. It is the longest by either team in the series and it's also tied as the longest active NFL win streak by one team over another. New England has also won its last 12 over Buffalo and Pittsburgh, its last 12 over Cleveland.



Championships begin in the division

The Chargers have been the recent rulers of the AFC West, winning four of the five last division crowns.

Since 2004, the Chargers are 25-8 (.758) in the division. The Chargers are 11-0 against Oakland, 6-5 against Denver and 8-3 against the Chiefs. The Chargers' 25 intra-division wins since '04 are tied with Indianapolis and New England for the most in the NFL during that span.

Pittsburgh is close behind with 24. Since the NFL realigned the divisions in 2002, the Chargers are the only AFC West team to win consecutive titles.



Series History

Oakland leads the series 55-43-2, but the Chargers have won 12 straight and the last six in San Diego, where the average margin of victory has been just under 18 points per game (17.8).



Chargers-Raiders Connections

For the Chargers, Owner **Alex Spanos** makes his home in the Northern California city of Stockton. Head Coach **Norv Turner** is a native of Martinez, Calif. and spent the 2004-05 seasons as the Raiders' head coach. Defensive Coordinator **Ron Rivera** was born in Fort Ord, Calif. and grew up in Marina. Rivera also was a collegiate linebacker at Cal-Berkeley. Assistant secondary coach **Cris Dishman** spent the last three seasons as an assistant coach at Menlo College in the Bay Area. Defensive line coach **Don Johnson** coached defensive tackles for the Raiders from 2007-08. Running Backs coach **Ollie Wilson** held the same post at Cal from 1983-90. Long snapper **David Binn** is from San Mateo, Calif. (San Mateo High and Cal-Berkeley). WR **Malcom Floyd** is from Sacramento (River City High). WR **Kassim Osgood** is from Salinas, Calif. (North Salinas High). QB **Billy Volek** is from Fresno (Clovis West High and Fresno State).

For the Raiders, Owner **Al Davis** was an original Chargers coach,

Television and Radio Coverage

CBS SPORTS

KFMB-TV (Ch. 8 San Diego) and KCBS-TV (Ch. 2 Los Angeles and Orange County)

Dick Enberg (play-by-play) and Dan Fouts (analyst)

Rock 105.3 FM, XTRA Sports 1360 (San Diego) and AM 570 KLAC (Los Angeles)

Josh Lewin (play-by-play), Hank Bauer (analyst) and Mike Costa (sidelines)

The Chargers Radio Network includes KGE0 1230 AM in Bakersfield; KNWH 1250 AM in the Yucca Valley; KNWQ 1140 AM in Palm Springs; KNWZ 970 AM in the Coachella Valley; KOSS 1380 AM in Palmdale and Lancaster, KSPA 1510 AM in Ontario, Rancho Cucamonga and the Inland Empire; KATY 101.3 FM in Temecula and the Inland Empire; KWDJ 1360 AM in Ridgecrest; ESPN Radio 1100 AM in Las Vegas; KXO 107.5 FM in the Imperial Valley and Yuma, Arizona; and SiriusSatellite Radio.

XHFG 107.3 (San Diego) and KWKW 1330 AM (Los Angeles) - Spanish

Jorge Villanueva (play-by-play) and Adrian Garcia (analyst)



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Chargers-Raiders Connections, cont.

working for the Bolts from 1960-62. Head Coach **Tom Cable** was a Grad Assistant at San Diego State in 1989. Linebackers coach **Mike Haluchak** was a Chargers assistant from 1986-91. Passing game coordinator **Ted Tollner** spent the 1989-91 seasons with the Chargers. San Diego State alums **Kirk Morrison** and **Chaz Schilens** play for the Raiders, as do Southern California natives **Todd Watkins** (Helix High in La Mesa), **Nnamdi Asomugha** (Los Angeles) and **Justin Fargas** (Sherman Oaks).



This Week's Practice and Media Schedule

Media wishing to access the Media Center, cover the open practice period or gather interviews post-practice should enter the facility via the walk-through gate nearest the Media Center.

- Wed. Oct. 28** — **Media Center open 12:00-9:00 pm**
10:00 am — Tom Cable Conference Call++
11:00 am — Richard Seymour Conference Call++
11:45 am — Vincent Jackson Conference Call
12:00 pm — Norv Turner Conference Call
 ++(1-218-862-7200; Conf. Code: 921315)++
 *1:30-3:00 pm practice; interviews after
- Thu. Oct. 29** — **Media Center open 12:00-9:00 pm**
 *1:30-3:00 pm practice; interviews after
- Fri. Oct. 30** — **Media Center open 9:00-6:00 pm**
 *11:15-12:30 pm practice; interviews after
- Sat. Oct. 31** — **Media Center Closed; No Availability**
 * Practice is open for first 20-30 minutes.

A reminder to all media: there is no live reporting of any kind from the field during the open practice period. That means no use of cell phones or other electronic devices for any reason, including calls, blogs, texts and tweets. In addition, once you leave the field during or after the open practice period, you may not return to the field until after practice.



Big Play Sproles

Darren Sproles is one of the NFL's most dangerous all-purpose threats, leading the league with 1,206 combined yards. Including last Sunday's 58-yard catch-and-run touchdown in Kansas City, Sproles has made six plays this season of 50-yards-or-longer. He has three long kickoff returns, including 66 and 59-yarders vs. Oakland in Week 1, a 77-yard punt return for a TD and an 81-yard catch-and-run TD.



Big Play VJ

Vincent Jackson had a day to remember last Sunday at Arrowhead Stadium, racking up 142 yards in the first half against the Chiefs, a team record for receiving yards in a half. It included a pair of 51-yard catches in the second quarter. Jackson became the first player since Buffalo's **Lee Evans** (Nov. 19, 2006 vs. Houston - first quarter) to have two 50+ yard catches in a quarter.



Jackson, who has a team-high 561 yards on the season, is tied for the NFL lead with three catches of 50+ yards for the season. His other long catch was a 55-yarder vs. Miami. Houston's **Andre Johnson**, Philadelphia's **DeSean Jackson**, Green Bay's **Greg Jennings**, the New York Giants' **Hakeem Nicks** and Dallas' **Miles Austin** are tied with Jackson.



Third-down dynamos

Darren Sproles and **Vincent Jackson** are one of the most-potent big-play duos on third down this season. Sproles' 177 receiving yards on third down are the NFL's fifth-most and Jackson's 176 are sixth.

Rivers goes for eight-straight



A win on Sunday would give **Philip Rivers** eight-straight wins over the Raiders to start his career. It would be the third-longest such streak in NFL history. Below is the league list of the most wins over an opponent at the start of their career.

Ben Roethlisberger*	10	vs. Cleveland
Daunte Culpepper*	9	vs. Detroit
Peyton Manning	9	vs. Houston
Philip Rivers*	7	vs. Oakland
Mark Brunell	7	vs. Baltimore
Brett Favre	7	vs. San Francisco
Kurt Warner	7	vs. San Francisco

*active streaks

Rivers comes into Sunday's game off a season-best 122.6 passer rating performance in Kansas City. He completed 18-of-30 (.600) for 268 yards with three touchdowns and no interceptions.

The Chargers' starting quarterback since '06, Rivers has led the team to three straight playoff seasons. His record as a starter is 39-21 (.650), including playoffs, and his record at Qualcomm Stadium is an even more impressive 23-7 (.767).

The team's career record-holder for passer rating (93.3), Rivers on Aug. 24 signed a six-year contract extension thru the 2015 season.



Defense answers the bell

The Chargers' defense broke out of a mini-slump last Sunday in Kansas City, allowing a season-low seven points, while holding the Chiefs to just 203 total net yards of offense. The Chargers had four sacks, including the first two of the season by **Shaun Phillips**, and three interceptions. It was the Bolts' first four-sack, three-INT game since a 12/2/07 contest at Arrowhead. The defense also pitched a first-half shutout, its first since a Dec. 24, 2007 game vs. Denver.



On Sunday, Chiefs quarterback **Matt Cassel** posted a season-low 25.3 passer rating after completing just 10-of-25 (.400) for 97 yards with one touchdown and the three interceptions.



Big-Play, Quick-Strike

Under **Norv Turner**, San Diego's offense shares many of the principles of the legendary "Air Coryell" offense, made famous by Coach **Don Coryell**. The offense relies on big plays and quick strikes, taking advantage of a quarterback with a strong arm and big-play wide receivers. The Chargers have exactly that in quarterback **Philip Rivers** and their twin tower receivers of **Vincent Jackson** and **Malcom Floyd** who both stand 6-5. The current Chargers also have one of the NFL's best tight ends in 6-4 **Antonio Gates**, whose career has mirrored that of Hall of Famer **Kellen Winslow**.

The Chargers have the NFL's second-most passing plays of 25+ yards (16). Jackson has six, Gates five, Floyd and Darren Sproles have two and **LaDainian Tomlinson** has one.



Don Coryell deserves Hall recognition

Don Coryell, who turned 85 on Oct. 17, is among the 131 nominees for the NFL Hall of Fame class of 2009 and many think he is more than deserving. Though the actual Hall of Fame voting is done by the Hall's Board of Selectors, fans can offer an opinion and cast their own vote on those whom they deem worthy of selection, including Coryell. That forum is available at www.jcp.com/fans.



Linebacker zen

Each position meeting room at Chargers Park has it's own personal touch, including the linebackers' room, where **Shaun Phillips** keeps a one-gallon mini-aquarium at his seat. The aquarium has been on his desk for the past couple of seasons and has been home to a number of different freshwater fish, primarily goldfish and tetras, but currently it features three blue guppies. The fish help Shaun keep his mind at ease during the linebackers' meetings and provide some much-needed zen for the meeting room.



Phillips hosts Dodgeball Torney

On Monday night, Nov. 2, **Shaun Phillips** will host his second annual Dodgeball Tournament at In Cahoots in San Diego's Mission Valley. Several Chargers and other celebrities are scheduled to appear. Phillips' tournament benefits the After-School All-Stars programs for underprivileged children around San Diego County.



More information is available at www.SPF95.com.



My time has come

One of the most interesting stories to follow this season involves that of starting DT **Ogemdi Nwagbuo** (oh-GEM-dee new-WAH-boe). His parents were born in Nigeria and even though "OG," as he's become known by teammates, was born in San Diego, he was given a Nigerian name, which translated to English means "my time will come." Nwagbuo is the family's surname.

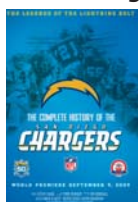


Nwagbuo got a very late start playing football. He did not play at a prep at Mt. Miguel High School in the San Diego suburb of Spring Valley. After graduating, Nwagbuo enrolled at Southwestern College in San Diego and got his first exposure to the game. A successful two-year stint led to a scholarship to Michigan State where he earned a degree in interdisciplinary studies. Nwagbuo was then signed and spent time with the New York Giants in 2008. Between the time of his release from the Giants and his signing with the Chargers to their practice squad late in the '08 season, Nwagbuo took a job in customer service for Enterprise Rent-a-Car in San Diego. He continued to work at Enterprise thru the team's 2009 offseason conditioning program, leaving the job just a couple weeks before training camp was set to begin in late July.



San Diego History available for DVD purchase

"San Diego Chargers: The Complete History" is on sale at the



Chargers Team Store at and at local retail outlets. The 85-minute film highlights the Chargers' first 49 years leading up to the team's 50th Anniversary Season in 2009. NFL Films chronicles the team's dominance through the early years in the AFL, the offensive powerhouse Air Coryell squads through today's division-winning teams. The film includes rare sideline sound from players and coaches wires and vintage radio accounts from such notable Chargers greats as **Lance Alworth, Sid Gillman, Dan Fouts, Junior Seau, Stan Humphries, LaDainian Tomlinson** and many more.

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Scifres special

Despite fighting a strained groin that has hampered him most of the season, **Mike Scifres** is coming off one of his best performances of the season. It was also his best-ever kicking day at Arrowhead Stadium. Scifres averaged 49.0 yards on four punts, forcing three fair catches and allowing just one return for a net performance of 44.8 yards per attempt.

Prior to Sunday, Scifres' season-best had been Week 1 against Oakland when he averaged a stellar 53.0 yards on five punts, including a season-long 65 yarder, and posted a net average of 45.8.



Hester does something SpECial

Apparently you can't spell special teams without the SEC. When the Chargers drafted LSU's **Jacob Hester** in the third round in 2008, they knew they were getting more than an explosive offensive player. In college, Hester earned a reputation as one of the Tigers' top special teams players and he has carried that tenacity to the Chargers. Hester's 14 special teams tackles as a rookie were fourth on the team. This year, he has three tackles, a forced fumble and a fumble recovery, and last week in Kansas City, he blocked his first ever punt and then recovered it in the end zone for a touchdown and the Bolts' first punt block TD since Sept. 26, 1999 vs. Indianapolis.

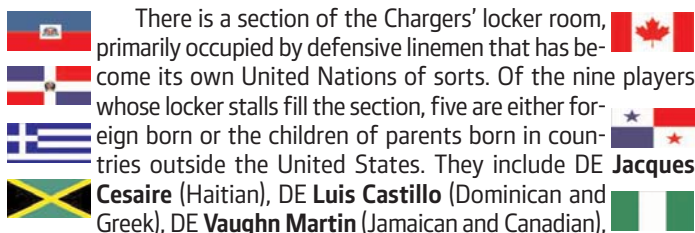


Two of Hester's former mates in the SEC have also made their mark on special teams. Linebacker and former Florida Gator **Brandon Siler** leads the team with 10 special teams tackles, while former Georgia Bulldog **Paul Oliver** ranks second with eight. Oliver, who's also seeing increased playing time on defense, recorded his first interception of the season last Sunday in Kansas City.



Nations United

There is a section of the Chargers' locker room, primarily occupied by defensive linemen that has become its own United Nations of sorts. Of the nine players whose locker stalls fill the section, five are either foreign born or the children of parents born in countries outside the United States. They include DE **Jacques Cesaire** (Haitian), DE **Luis Castillo** (Dominican and Greek), DE **Vaughn Martin** (Jamaican and Canadian), DE **Travis Johnson** (Panamanian) and DE **Ogemdi Nwagbuo** (Nigerian).



OL teams up with Marine Corps-Law Enforcement Foundation

The Chargers offensive line has teamed up with the Marine Corps-Law Enforcement Foundation to raise money for the children of Marines and law enforcement officers killed in the line of duty. For every rushing touchdown the Bolts score this year, each offensive lineman is contributing \$100 toward the fund. Chargers fans are welcome to join the OL and contribute as well. Information is available online at <http://www.mc-lef.org/>.



Highlights from Week 1 at Oakland



- The Chargers rallied from a 20-17 fourth-quarter deficit with 2:30 remaining to win the game, 24-20, on a five-yard touchdown run by **Darren Sproles** with 18 seconds left in the game.
- Sproles finished the night with 246 all-purpose yards, including kickoff returns of 66 and 59 yards.
- **Philip Rivers** engineered the game-winning drive, leading the Chargers 89 yards in nine plays after taking over with 2:30 remaining in the fourth quarter. He completed 6-of-7 for 79 yards on the game winning drive. It was Rivers 10th-career fourth-quarter come-from-behind victory.
- Rivers actually led two fourth-quarter drives against the Raiders, both resulting in touchdowns. He capped the first with a 15-yard touchdown pass to **Vincent Jackson**, during which he went 4-for-5 for 65 yards, including a 10-yarder to **Antonio Gates** on 3rd-and-3 and a 15-yarder to Sproles on 3rd-and-12. Rivers' fourth-quarter passer rating against the Raiders was an outstanding 144.4.
- **Quentin Jammer** had an interception on the game's opening series and later capped a second-quarter three-and-out with an open field pass defended on third down.
- **Stephen Cooper** set up the Chargers' first touchdown — a second-quarter one-yard run by **LT** — with a tackle, forced fumble and fumble recovery against **Darren McFadden** just one play after tackling him in the backfield for a two-yard loss.
- Gates also had a hand in the LT touchdown drive as his 24-yard catch to the one on a 3rd-and-12 set up the score.
- **Antoine Cason** sealed the win with an interception.



Highlights from Week 2 vs. Baltimore

- **Philip Rivers** passed for a career-high 436 yards in a 31-26 loss to the Ravens, tying **Dan Fouts**, for the fourth-most prolific passing game in team history. Fouts was in the broadcast booth at Qualcomm Stadium, working as an analyst for CBS.
- Included in Rivers' day was a career-long 81-yard touchdown pass to **Darren Sproles** in the first quarter that tied for the ninth-longest pass play in team history.
- Sproles finished the day with 278 all-purpose yards — 26 rushing, 124 receiving and 128 on kickoff returns. It was the ninth-best all-purpose yardage day in team history and it was his ninth-career 200-yard game.
- Sproles' 124 yards receiving were a career-high and the effort marked his first-ever 100-yard receiving game.
- **Vincent Jackson** had the second-best receiving day of his career with 141 yards, including a 35-yard touchdown catch late in the third quarter on a 3rd-and-18. Early in the game, Jackson's nine-yard catch from the Bolts' own three on a 3rd-and-8, kept the drive alive which ended with the 81-yard Rivers-to-Sproles TD.
- Besides Sproles and Jackson, **Malcom Floyd** (45 yards) and **Antonio Gates** (37) both had catches longer than 35 yards on Charger field goal drives. Jackson had a second long catch too, hauling in a 38-yarder on the Bolts' final drive of the game.
- Fullback **Mike Tolbert** delivered a crushing blow while covering a late third-quarter kickoff following Jackson's touchdown. That same drive would end a number of plays later when **Shawne Merriman** pressured the Ravens' **Joe Flacco**, whose pass was intercepted by **Antoine Cason** for his second pick in as many weeks.



- **Luis Castillo's** nine-yard sack late in the fourth quarter helped force a field goal that kept the Ravens within five and set up San Diego's offense with a chance to put together a game-winning touchdown drive.



Highlights from Week 3 vs. Miami

- The Chargers improved to 2-1 with a 23-13 win at Qualcomm Stadium.
- **Philip Rivers** passed for 303 yards, completing his two longest passes of the day to **Vincent Jackson** (55 yards) and **Malcom Floyd** (47). Jackson led the team with 120 yards receiving for his first-career consecutive 100-yard games.
- Linebacker **Shaun Phillips** made a key play early in the game. When Miami fumbled a snap at the one-yard line on their first series of the game, guard **Justin Smiley** had a chance to recover the ball in the end zone for a touchdown, but Phillips made a heads up play, shoving Smiley out of bounds before he could secure possession, resulting in a touchback for the Chargers instead of a touchdown for the Dolphins.
- Late in the first half after the Chargers only turnover of the game, **Luis Castillo** and **Ogemdi Nwagbuo** helped hold Miami to a game-tying field goal (3-3) instead of a go-ahead touchdown. On 1st-and-goal at the five, Castillo stopped Ronnie Brown for a three-yard TFL. And on 3rd-and-goal, Nwagbuo stopped Brown for a two-yard loss.
- Linebacker **Shawne Merriman** sat out the second half after re-aggravating a groin strain. **Larry English** filled in for Merriman and his third-down pass defended on the second play of the fourth quarter set up the field goal drive that allowed the Chargers to stretch their lead to seven points.
- **Eric Weddle** had his first-career interception return for a touchdown (31 yards). That score gave San Diego a 23-6 lead.
- Linebacker **Kevin Burnett** had a season-high 14 tackles to pace the Chargers' defense. Early in the third quarter, he ended Miami's first drive with a third-down pass defended and then had a six-yard sack, his first of the season, on Miami's next possession.



Highlights from Week 4 at Pittsburgh

- The Chargers rallied from a 28-0 deficit and nearly defeated the Steelers, falling by a 38-28 score.
- **Antonio Gates** had his first 100-yard effort of the season with 124 yards, while also scoring his first two touchdowns of 2009 with catches of three and 30 yards. Gates caught the first touchdown on a 3rd-and-goal, and during the drive had catches of 26 yards on a 3rd-and-8 and 16 yards on a 3rd-and-15. He went over the 100-yard mark on his second TD catch. Gates also set up the Chargers' third TD by drawing a 26-yard pass interference penalty.
- **Chris Chambers** caught the other touchdown pass, also his first score of '09, while **Philip Rivers** threw all three TD passes without tossing any interceptions.
- **Jacob Hester** brought the Chargers to within 28-14 by stripping Steelers' return man **Stefan Logan** and returning it 41 yards for a score.
- After Gates' second touchdown brought the Chargers to within 14 points again at 35-21, **Tim Dobbins** recovered an onside kick, setting up the Chambers TD that cut the deficit to seven.
- Dobbins also had a sack and a tackle for loss against the Steelers.



Highlights from Week 5 vs. Denver



• The Chargers led 20-17 at the half on the strength of **Vincent Jackson's** second touchdown catch of the season (three yards) and **Darren Sproles'** 77-yard punt return for a touchdown.



- Special teamers **Brandon Siler** and **Mike Tolbert** threw key blocks to spring Sproles loose on the punt return TD, including Tolbert's toppling of Broncos punter **Brett Kern**.
- Denver's **Eddie Royal** returned a punt and a kickoff for a touchdown. The team's three combined return TDs in a single game tied the NFL record for a game. The other teams to do so were Baltimore-Minnesota (1998), New Orleans-Los Angeles Rams (1994) and Philadelphia-Dallas (1966).
- **Nate Kaeding** added to the Chargers' advantage in the third quarter with a season-long 50-yard field goal.
- Four Chargers, including **Antonio Gates** (21 yards), **Malcom Floyd** (20), **LaDainian Tomlinson** (25) and Tolbert (22) had catches of 20-yards-or-longer in the game.
- **Larry English** had his second sack of the season and **Antonio Cromartie** led the defense with two passes defended.
- Denver won the game, 34-23.



Highlights from Week 6 at Kansas City

- The Chargers dominate in all three phases and soundly defeat the Chiefs, 37-7, on a rainy day in Kansas City.



• **Vincent Jackson** catches a 10-yard touchdown pass in the first quarter and finishes the first half with a franchise-record 142 yards. His 12-yard catch on a 3rd-and-6 play helps keep the touchdown drive alive. Jackson has two 51-yard catches in the second quarter to become the first NFL player with two 50-yard catches in a quarter since 2006. His first comes on a 3rd-and-8, and his second on a 3rd-and-9.

- **Philip Rivers** posts a season-high passer rating of 122.6, throwing for 268 yards and three touchdowns, the 86th-88th of his career, giving him sole possession of third place on the team's career touchdown passes list. Rivers throws a three-yarder to **Malcom Floyd** and a 58-yarder to **Darren Sproles**, both on third-down plays. Jackson's hard sell of a slant gets the Chiefs' defense to bite and leaves Sproles wide open on the touchdown pass.
- The Chargers hang 14 points on the scoreboard in the first quarter for the first time since Dec. 16, 2007 vs. Detroit.
- LaDainian Tomlinson had a season-long 36-yard run to ignite the



first touchdown drive of the afternoon.

- The offensive line has its finest performance of the season, blocking for a 135-yard rushing day and not allowing a sack in 30 passing plays.



- San Diego's defense recorded its first halftime shutout since Dec. 24, 2007 vs. Denver
- **Eric Weddle's** first sack of the season contributes to a K.C. drive in the first quarter ending on downs. Weddle then ends K.C.'s next drive with a pass defended deep down the right sideline on third down.
- **Steve Gregory's** first-career sack on 3rd-and-8 ends a second-quarter Chiefs drive. In the fourth quarter, Gregory's interception deep in Chiefs territory leads to a **Nate Kaeding** field goal and a 30-7 lead. Gregory's interception is one of three in the second half. Late in the third quarter, **Tim Dobbins** and **Paul Oliver** intercept passes on successive drives. It's both players' second-career interceptions. **Jacques Cesaire's** hit on Chiefs' QB **Matt Cassel** causes the Oliver INT.
- **Shaun Phillips** turns in a huge fourth quarter. He has a six-yard



sack on the first play of the quarter and two plays later, his hit on Cassel leads to the Gregory interception. Phillips added a one-yard sack on Kansas City's next possession.

- **Brandon Siler** has a huge day on special teams with a season-high four tackles.
- **Jacob Hester** lands the final blow, blocking a **Dustin Colquitt** punt and recovering it in the end zone for a score. It's the Chargers' first punt block for a touchdown in more than 10 years (Sept. 26, 1999 vs. Indianapolis).



Game Balls

Following each win this season, Head Coach **Norv Turner** and the Chargers' coaching staff will award game balls. Here is the list of players who received them following the Bolts' wins over Oakland (Week 1) and Miami (Week 3).



- **Oakland** — **Philip Rivers** (QB), **Legedu Naanee** (WR), **Scott Mrczkowski** (C-G), **Eric Weddle** (FS), **Stephen Cooper** (ILB), **Ogemdi Nwagbuo** (DE-DT), **Kassim Osgood** (Special Teams), **Mike Scifres** (P) and **Darren Sproles** (RB)
- **Miami** — **Philip Rivers** (QB), **Vincent Jackson** (WR), **Ogemdi Nwagbuo** (DT), **Eric Weddle** (FS), **Kris Wilson** (Special Teams) and **Mike Tolbert** (Special Teams).

Supplemental Bios - Players not in the 2009 Media Guide



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 Defensive End
 6-3, 305
 Mt. San Antonio
 9th NFL Season/1st with Chargers
 Free Agent - '09
 Hill HS
 Saginaw, Mich.

TRANSACTION HISTORY: Seventh-round pick by Detroit, April 16, 2000...signed with Lions, July 17...released Aug. 28 and re-signed to practice squad, Aug. 29...signed by Chicago from Detroit's practice squad, Nov. 21, 2000...re-signed with Bears, Aug. 19, 2002...signed with Kansas City, March 20, 2007...released by Chiefs Sept. 1, 2009...signed with Chargers, Sept. 22.

2008: Tallied lone sack of season in Sept. 7 opener at New England...INA for Miami game Dec. 21 (thigh). **2007:** Career-high seven tackles and sack at Houston Sept. 9...hit on Green Bay's Brett Favre resulted in interception Nov. 4...inactive for Tennessee game Dec. 16 while recovering from head injury. **2006:** Saw action in all three playoff games for Bears, including Super Bowl XLI vs. Indianapolis. **2005:** First-career FG block vs. Minnesota Oct. 16. **2004:** Missed Minnesota (Sept. 26), Philadelphia (Oct. 3), Washington (Oct. 17) and Tampa Bay (Oct. 24) games with knee injury...matched career-high with 1.5 sacks vs. Minnesota, Dec. 5. **2003:** Broke up pass that was intercepted by DE Alex Brown in Oakland game Oct. 5. **2002:** First-career start vs. New Orleans Sept. 22...set career-best with 1.5 sacks vs. Tampa Bay Dec. 29. **2001:** Played first-career game Oct. 21 at Cincinnati...first-career sack at Detroit Dec. 30. **2000:** Inactive for all five games.

COLLEGE: Began collegiate career at Central State, NAIA school in Wilberforce, Ohio in 1995...school dropped program after frosh season...enrolled at Mt. San Antonio Junior College in 1998 and played two seasons...Mission Conference Defensive Player of Year as junior...first-team JUCO All-America and all-conference honors as sophomore. **PERSONAL:** Born in Saginaw, Michigan and prepped at city's Arthur Hill High School.

Regular Season		Pass			Fumbles			Spec. Tms.				
Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Sacks-Yds.	Int.-Yds.	Long	TD	Def.	For.-Rec.	TFL	Tackles
2001	Chi.	11-0	9-2	11	2-17	0-0	0	0	0	0-1	0	0
2002	Chi.	16-5	22-6	28	1.5-5	0-0	0	0	1	1-1	5	0
2003	Chi.	16-6	30-9	39	1-8	0-0	0	0	3	0-0	3	0
2004	Chi.	12-2	11-7	18	2.5-13.5	0-0	0	0	1	0-0	5	0
2005	Chi.	16-1	11-11	22	1.5-10	0-0	0	0	3	0-0	4	0
2006	Chi.	12-4	24-11	35	2-13	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	5	0
2007	K.C.	15-15	27-4	31	1-11	0-0	0	0	3	0-1	2	0
2008	K.C.	15-4	12-2	14	1-8	0-0	0	0	1	0-0	2	0
Totals		113-37	146-52	198	12.5-84.5	0-0	0	0	12	1-3	26	0



26 SIMEON CASTILLE
 Cornerback
 6-0, 195
 Alabama
 2nd NFL Season/1st with Chargers
 Free Agent - '09
 Briarwood Christian HS
 Birmingham, Ala.

TRANSACTION HISTORY: Signed with Cincinnati, May 2, 2008...waived Oct. 3...re-signed to Bengals' practice squad, Oct. 7...signed to active roster, Nov. 21...waived July 21, 2009...signed with Chargers, Aug. 5, 2009...waived Sept. 5 and re-signed to Chargers' practice squad Sept. 7...signed to Chargers' active roster, Oct. 24.

2008: Season-high three tackles Sept. 7 at Baltimore and Sept. 21 at NY Giants.

COLLEGE: Two-time first-team All-SEC in 2006 and '07...finished career with 176 TT, 12 INTs, 14.5 TFLs, 6.5 sacks, three FFs and three FRs...played at Alabama from 2004-07...communications major. **PERSONAL:** Born in Columbus, Georgia...USA Today All-America at Briarwood Christian High in Birmingham, Alabama...father, Jeremiah, played six years in NFL (1983-88) for Denver and Tampa Bay...brother, Tim, played for NFC Champion Arizona Cardinals in 2008.

Regular Season		Pass			Fumbles			Spec. Tms.				
Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Sacks-Yds.	Int.-Yds.	Long	TD	Def.	For.-Rec.	TFL	Tackles
2008	Cin.	8-0	6-3	9	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0-0	0	0



24 DANTE HUGHES
 Cornerback
 5-10, 190
 California
 3rd NFL Season/1st with Chargers
 Free Agent - '09
 Crenshaw HS
 Los Angeles, Calif.

TRANSACTION HISTORY: Third-round draft pick by Indianapolis (95th overall), April 28, 2007...signed with Colts, July 30, 2007...waived Sept. 5, 2009...signed with Chargers, Oct. 20, 2009.

2008: Recorded first-career interception vs. Cincinnati, Dec. 7. **2007:** Played in 10 games before being placed on "Reserve-Injured" Nov. 29 with shoulder injury.

COLLEGE: Eight interceptions as senior, including two touchdown returns, to finish third in nation and one shy of school single-season record...only player in school history with two returns of 100+ yards...left school ranked second all-time in interceptions (15), return yards (344) and touchdowns (four)...AP and consensus first-team All-America as senior, while also earning Pat Tillman Pac-10 Defensive Player of Year honors...recipient of Ronnie Lott IMPACT Trophy for top defensive player in nation who exhibits leadership and integrity on and off field...first-team All-Pac-10 in 2005 and '06...three-year starter finished career at Cal with 190 TT and 30 PBU...art practice major.

PERSONAL: Born in Los Angeles...Coliseum League co-Player of Year and runner up for Southern California Prep Player of Year as senior WR and CB at Crenshaw HS in Los Angeles...all-city and all-conference as junior...lettered in basketball, track and tennis.

Regular Season		Pass			Fumbles			Spec. Tms.				
Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Sacks-Yds.	Int.-Yds.	Long	TD	Def.	For.-Rec.	TFL	Tackles
2007	Ind.	10-0	7-3	10	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0-0	0	10
2008	Ind.	14-0	5-4	9	0-0	1-16	16	0	1	0-0	0	14
Totals		24-0	12-7	19	0-0	1-16	16	0	2	0-0	0	24

Postseason		Pass			Fumbles			Spec. Tms.				
Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Sacks-Yds.	Int.-Yds.	Long	TD	Def.	For.-Rec.	TFL	Tackles
2008	Ind.	1-0	0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0



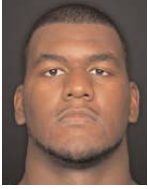
96 TRAVIS JOHNSON
 Defensive End-Defensive Tackle
 6-3, 311
 Florida State
 5th NFL Season/1st with Chargers
 Trade (Hou.) - '09
 Notre Dame HS
 Sherman Oaks, Calif.

TRANSACTION HISTORY: First-round pick (16th overall) by Houston in 2005 NFL Draft, April 23, 2005...signed with Texans, Aug. 1, 2005...traded to Chargers, Aug. 31, 2009 for undisclosed draft choice in 2010.

2008: Missed Tennessee game Sept. 21 (knee)...lone sack of season Oct. 26 vs. Cincinnati. **2007:** First-career INT Sept. 9 vs. KC. **2006:** Matched career-best with eight stops Sept. 17 at Indianapolis...injured calf Nov. 12 at Jacksonville and placed on IR Nov. 14. **2005:** First-career sack Nov. 6 at Jaguars...season-high eight tackles vs. SF Jan. 1, 2006.

COLLEGE: First-team All-ACC in 2004...finished career with 175 TT, 43.5 TFLs and 10 sacks...social science major. **PERSONAL:** Born in Sherman Oaks, Calif....All-America DL and school record-holder for sacks, TFLs, FFs and blocked punts at Notre Dame HS in Sherman Oaks...plays saxophone in spare time.

Regular Season		Pass			Fumbles			Spec. Tms.				
Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Sacks-Yds.	Int.-Yds.	Long	TD	Def.	For.-Rec.	TFL	Tackles
2005	Hou.	14-3	20-24	44	1-4	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	n/a	0
2006	Hou.	9-8	8-3	11	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0-0	n/a	0
2007	Hou.	15-13	27-14	41	0-0	1-0	0	0	6	0-0	n/a	0
2008	Hou.	15-14	22-6	28	1-3	0-0	0	0	2	1-0	n/a	0
Totals		52-38	77-47	124	2-7	1-0	0	0	9	1-0	n/a	0

**64 DENNIS NORMAN**

Center-Guard
6-5, 313
Princeton
9th NFL Season/1st with Chargers
Free Agent - '09
Cherokee HS
Marlton, N.J.

TRANSACTION HISTORY: Seventh-round draft choice by Seattle (222), April 22, 2001...signed with Seahawks, July 10...re-signed with Seahawks, April 5, 2004...waived Oct. 16...signed with Jacksonville, Dec. 7, 2004...re-signed with Jaguars, Feb. 2, 2006...waived Sept. 8, 2009...signed with Chargers, Sept. 16, 2009.

2008: Started career-high 14 games, Weeks 1-6 at center and 9-16 at right guard...also saw time at LT in Indianapolis game Sept. 21. **2007:** Starting C Weeks 1-4 & 16...INA with shoulder injury Nov. 11 at Tennessee...played special teams in Wild Card and Divisional Playoffs **2006:** Lone start came at LT Nov. 12 vs. Houston for injured Khalif Barnes. **2005:** Started at C Weeks 13-16 and Wild Card game. **2004:** Split season between Seattle and Jacksonville, but did not play for either team. **2003:** Made NFL debut Oct. 5 at Lambeau

Field...only other game played was Jan. 4 Wild Card against Packers. **2002:** Did not see game action. **2001:** Inactive Weeks 1-16.

COLLEGE: Three-time first-team All-Ivy League 1998-00...started 29 games over final three seasons after missing frosh year with broken leg...graduated with degree in computer science engineering. **PERSONAL:** Born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania...lettered in football and track at Cherokee HS in Marlton, N.J....discus champion as senior in HS and sophomore in college...member National Honor Society and National Merit Scholar...participated in NFL Business Management and Entrepreneurial program at University of Pennsylvania's Wharton School of Business in 2005 and '08...very active in Jaguars' community relations outreach.

Games Played-Started: **2001** (0-0, Seattle); **2002** (0-0, Seattle); **2003** (1-0, Seattle); **2004** (0-0, Seattle, Jacksonville); **2005** (16-4, Jacksonville); **2006** (16-1, Jacksonville); **2007** (15-5, Jacksonville); **2008** (16-14, Jacksonville); **Total** (64-24).

Postseason Games Played-Started: **2003** (1-0, Seattle); **2005** (1-1, Jacksonville); **2007** (2-0, Jacksonville); **Total** (4-1).

SAN DIEGO CHARGERS / WEEK 7 / THROUGH SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2009

WON 3, LOST 3				* RUSHING		No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD		
09/14	W 24-20	at Oakland	61,940	Tomlinson	61	211	3.5	36	1			
09/20	L 26-31	Baltimore	66,882	Sproles	43	131	3.0	21	1			
09/27	W 23-13	Miami	67,230	Bennett	12	37	3.1	9	0			
10/04	L 28-38	at Pittsburgh	64,045	Rivers	10	34	3.4	11	1			
10/19	L 23-34	Denver	68,615	Hester	6	13	2.2	7	0			
10/25	W 37- 7	at Kansas City	69,337	Tolbert	1	5	5.0	5	0			
11/01		Oakland		Volek	3	-3	-1.0	-1	0			
11/08		at New York Giants		Naanee	1	-5	-5.0	-5	0			
11/15		Philadelphia		TEAM	137	423	3.1	36	3			
11/22		at Denver		OPPONENTS	195	826	4.2	32	6			
11/29		Kansas City		* RECEIVING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD			
12/06		at Cleveland		Gates	34	474	13.9	37	2			
12/13		at Dallas		V. Jackson	29	561	19.3	55	4			
12/20		Cincinnati		Sproles	19	259	13.6	81t	2			
12/25		at Tennessee		Naanee	12	117	9.8	23	0			
01/03		Washington		Floyd	9	187	20.8	47	1			
		S.D.	Opp.	Chambers	8	102	12.8	17	1			
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	112		121	Tomlinson	7	32	4.6	25	0			
Rushing	22		50	Tolbert	3	42	14.0	22	0			
Passing	81		61	Manumaleuna	2	5	2.5	7	0			
Penalty	9		10	Bennett	2	3	1.5	2	0			
3rd Down: Made/Att	32/79		36/80	Hester	1	5	5.0	5	0			
3rd Down Pct.	40.5		45.0	TEAM	126	1787	14.2	81t	10			
4th Down: Made/Att	1/5		4/6	OPPONENTS	108	1229	11.4	57t	9			
4th Down Pct.	20.0		66.7	* INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD			
POSSESSION AVG.	28:10		31:50	Cason	2	22	11.0	22	0			
TOTAL NET YARDS	2111		1994	Oliver	1	34	34.0	34	0			
Avg. Per Game	351.8		332.3	Weddle	1	31	31.0	31t	1			
Total Plays	365		385	Jammer	1	21	21.0	21	0			
Avg. Per Play	5.8		5.2	Dobbins	1	13	13.0	13	0			
NET YARDS RUSHING	423		826	Gregory	1	13	13.0	13	0			
Avg. Per Game	70.5		137.7	TEAM	7	134	19.1	34	1			
Total Rushes	137		195	OPPONENTS	3	19	6.3	8	0			
NET YARDS PASSING	1688		1168	* PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Net	TB	In	Lg	B
Avg. Per Game	281.3		194.7	Scifres	22	1063	48.3	40.7	0	9	65	0
Sacked/Yards Lost	15/99		11/61	TEAM	22	1063	48.3	40.7	0	9	65	0
Gross Yards	1787		1229	OPPONENTS	24	1043	43.5	35.1	4	11	55	1
Att./Completions	213/126		179/108	* PUNT RETURNS	Ret	FC	Yds	Avg	Long	TD		
Completion Pct.	59.2		60.3	Sproles	8	6	120	15.0	77t	1		
Had Intercepted	3		7	TEAM	8	6	120	15.0	77t	1		
PUNTS/AVERAGE	22/48.3		24/43.5	OPPONENTS	12	5	167	13.9	71t	1		
NET PUNTING AVG.	22/40.7		24/35.1	* KICKOFF RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD			
PENALTIES/YARDS	40/288		34/259	Sproles	27	696	25.8	66	0			
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	9/4		8/3	Cromartie	2	31	15.5	22	0			
TOUCHDOWNS	17		17	TEAM	29	727	25.1	66	0			
Rushing	3		6	OPPONENTS	33	741	22.5	93t	1			
Passing	10		9	* FIELD GOALS	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+			
Returns	4		2	Kaeding	1/ 1	9/ 9	1/ 1	2/ 4	1/2			
* SCORE BY PERIODS	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	OT	PTS	TEAM	1/ 1	9/ 9	1/ 1	2/ 4	1/2
TEAM	34	35	31	61	0	161	OPPONENTS	0/ 0	3/ 3	4/ 4	1/ 2	0/1
OPPONENTS	35	37	31	40	0	143	Kaeding: (47G) (29G,22G,23G,25G) (25G,41N,23G,					
* SCORING	TD-Ru-Pa-Rt	K-PAT	FG	S	PTS	PTS	26G) () (20G,44G,50G,55N) (20G,43N,39G,19G)					
Kaeding	0 0 0 0	17/17	14/17	0	59	OPPONENTS: (37G,35G) (33G) (24G,23G) (46G) (34G,						
V. Jackson	4 0 4 0			0	24	54N,29G) (43N)						
Sproles	4 1 2 1			0	24							
Gates	2 0 2 0			0	12							
Hester	2 0 0 2			0	12							
Chambers	1 0 1 0			0	6							
Floyd	1 0 1 0			0	6							
Rivers	1 1 0 0			0	6							
Tomlinson	1 1 0 0			0	6							
Weddle	1 0 0 1			0	6							
TEAM	17 3 10 4	17/17	14/17	0	161							
OPPONENTS	17 6 9 2	17/17	8/10	0	143							
2-Pt. Conversions:	TEAM 0-0, OPPONENTS 0-0											
SACKS:	English 2, Phillips 2, Boone 1, Burnett 1, Castillo 1, Dobbins 1, Gregory 1, Nwagbuo 1, Weddle 1, TEAM 11, OPPONENTS 15											
FUM/LOST:	Rivers 5/3, Gates 1/0, Sproles 1/0, Tolbert 1/0, Tomlinson 1/1											
* PASSING	Att	Cmp	Yds	Cmp%	Yds/Att	TD	TD%	Int	Int%	Long	Sack/Lost	Rating
Rivers	213	126	1787	59.2	8.39	10	4.7	3	1.4	81t	15/ 99	96.1
TEAM	213	126	1787	59.2	8.39	10	4.7	3	1.4	81t	15/ 99	96.1
OPPONENTS	179	108	1229	60.3	6.87	9	5.0	7	3.9	57t	11/ 61	81.4

San Diego Chargers 2009 Defensive Statistics - (provided by team's coaching staff)

	<u>TOTAL PLAYS</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>TT</u>	<u>TFL</u>	<u>SK</u>	<u>PR</u>	<u>QBH</u>	<u>BB</u>	<u>INT</u>	<u>FF</u>	<u>FR</u>	<u>PD</u>
Defensive Line													
Boone	117	6	3	9	1	1-6	2		1				
Castillo	294	16	6	22	4	4-9	8	5			1		
Cesaire	201	8	9	17			2	1					
Coleman	21	1	0	1	1								
Johnson	60	2	4	6									
Martin	30	1	2	3									
Nwagbuo	186	14	5	19	4	1-7	2	1	1				
Scott	35	2	2	4	1		1						
Williams	43	3	1	4	1								
Linebackers													
Burnett	272	29	18	47	2	1-6	1	2					1
Cooper	373	36	16	52	2		5				1	1	
Dobbins	142	18	11	29	4	1-7				1-13			
English	214	9	3	12	3	2-8	3	2			1		
Merriman	231	15	9	24	1		9	3					
Phillips	333	27	6	33	2	2-7	7	7			1		
Siler	15	5	0	5	1								1
Tucker	33	2	0	2									
Secondary													
Cason	168	9	2	11						2-22			
Cromartie	350	13	1	14									2
Ellison	60	6	3	9	1								
Gregory	225	17	3	20	1	1-5				1-13			2
Hart	151	9	4	13									
Jammer	390	18	3	21						1-21			5
Oliver	40	2	0	2						1-34			1
Weddle	400	36	6	42	3	1-6				1-31			2

San Diego Chargers 2009 Special Teams Statistics - (provided by game play-by-plays)

	<u>T</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>TT</u>	<u>FF</u>	<u>FR</u>	<u>BLK</u>
Siler	7	3	10			
Oliver	6	2	8			
Tolbert	5	2	7	1		
Cason	5	0	5			
Binn	4	0	4			
Osgood	3	1	4			
Dobbins	2	2	4		1	
Hester	3	0	3	1	1	1
Tucker	2	0	2			
Floyd	1	0	1			
Hart	1	0	1			
Kaeding	1	0	1			
Wilson	1	0	1			
Burnett	0	1	1			
Sproles	0	0	0		1	

San Diego Chargers 2009 Numerical – (as of Oct. 26, 2009)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Exp.	College	How Acq.	GP-GS-DNP-INA ('09)
5	Mike Scifres	P	6-2	221	29	7	Western Illinois	D5-'03	6-0-0-0
6	Charlie Whitehurst	QB	6-4	220	27	4	Clemson	D3-'06	0-0-0-6
7	Billy Volek	QB	6-2	214	33	10	Fresno State	T (TEN)-'06	1-0-5-0
10	Nate Kaeding	K	6-0	187	27	6	Iowa	D3A-'04	6-0-0-0
11	Legedu Naanee	WR	6-2	220	26	3	Boise State	D5-'07	6-0-0-0
17	Philip Rivers	QB	6-5	228	27	6	North Carolina State	T (NYG)-'04	6-6-0-0
20	Antoine Cason	CB	6-0	190	23	2	Arizona	D1-'08	6-1-0-0
21	LaDainian Tomlinson	RB	5-10	221	30	9	Texas Christian	D1-'01	4-4-0-2
22	Jacob Hester	FB	5-11	235	24	2	Louisiana State	D3-'08	6-5-0-0
23	Quentin Jammer	CB	6-0	204	30	8	Texas	D1-'02	6-6-0-0
25	Kevin Ellison	SS	6-1	221	22	R	Southern California	D6-'09	3-2-1-2
26	Simeon Castille	CB	6-0	195	24	2	Alabama	FA-'09	1-0-0-0
27	Paul Oliver	FS	5-10	210	25	3	Georgia	D4 (Supp)-'07	6-0-0-0
28	Steve Gregory	SS	5-11	195	26	4	Syracuse	FA-'06	6-1-0-0
29	Michael Bennett	RB	5-9	207	31	9	Wisconsin	W (TB)-'08	2-0-1-3
31	Antonio Cromartie	CB	6-2	203	25	4	Florida State	D1-'06	6-6-0-0
32	Eric Weddle	FS	5-11	200	24	3	Utah	D2-'07	6-6-0-0
35	Mike Tolbert	FB	5-9	243	23	2	Coastal Carolina	FA-'08	6-1-0-0
41	C.J. Spillman	FS	6-0	196	23	R	Marshall	FA-'09	0-0-0-6
43	Darren Sproles	RB-KR	5-6	185	26	5	Kansas State	D4-'05	6-2-0-0
50	David Binn	LS	6-3	228	37	16	California	FA-'94	6-0-0-0
51	Tim Dobbins	ILB	6-1	246	26	4	Iowa State	D5-'06	6-1-0-0
52	Larry English	OLB	6-2	255	23	R	Northern Illinois	D1-'09	6-0-0-0
54	Stephen Cooper	ILB	6-1	235	30	7	Maine	FA-'03	6-6-0-0
56	Shawne Merriman	OLB	6-4	265	25	5	Maryland	D1A-'05	6-6-0-0
59	Brandon Siler	ILB	6-2	239	23	3	Florida	D7-'07	6-0-0-0
61	Nick Hardwick	C	6-4	295	28	6	Purdue	D3B-'04	1-1-0-5
62	Brandyn Dombrowski	G-T	6-5	323	24	1	San Diego State	FA-'08	6-2-0-0
63	Scott Mruzzkowski	C-G	6-5	325	27	5	Bowling Green	D7-'05	6-5-0-0
64	Dennis Norman	C-G	6-5	313	29	9	Princeton	FA-'09	2-0-3-0
65	Louis Vasquez	G	6-5	325	22	R	Texas Tech	D3-'09	4-4-0-2
66	Jeromey Clary	T	6-6	320	25	3	Kansas State	D6A-'06	6-6-0-0
68	Kris Dielman	G	6-4	320	28	7	Indiana	FA-'03	6-6-0-0
69	Tyronne Green	G	6-2	308	23	R	Auburn	D4B-'09	0-0-2-4
70	Alfonso Boone	DE	6-3	305	33	9	Mt. San Antonio	FA-'09	4-0-0-0
73	Marcus McNeill	T	6-7	336	25	4	Auburn	D2-'06	6-6-0-0
74	Jacques Cesaire	DE	6-2	295	29	7	So. Connecticut State	FA-'03	5-5-0-1
80	Malcom Floyd	WR	6-5	225	28	4	Wyoming	FA-'04	6-0-0-0
81	Kassim Osgood	WR	6-5	220	29	7	San Diego State	FA-'03	6-0-0-0
83	Vincent Jackson	WR	6-5	230	26	5	Northern Colorado	D2-'05	6-6-0-0
84	Buster Davis	WR	6-1	210	24	3	Louisiana State	D1-'07	0-0-0-6
85	Antonio Gates	TE	6-4	260	29	7	Kent State	FA-'03	6-6-0-0
86	Brandon Manumaleuna	FB-TE	6-2	295	29	9	Arizona	T (STL)-'06	6-1-0-0
88	Kris Wilson	TE	6-2	245	28	6	Pittsburgh	FA-'08	6-0-0-0
89	Chris Chambers	WR	5-11	210	31	9	Wisconsin	T (MIA)-'07	6-5-0-0
91	Ogemdi Nwagbuo	DE-DT	6-4	303	23	1	Michigan State	FA-'08	6-5-0-0
92	Vaughn Martin	DE-DT	6-4	320	23	R	Western Ontario	D4A-'09	4-0-0-2
93	Luis Castillo	DE	6-3	290	26	5	Northwestern	D1B-'05	6-6-0-0
94	Jyles Tucker	OLB	6-3	258	26	3	Wake Forest	FA-'07	5-0-0-1
95	Shaun Phillips	OLB	6-3	262	28	6	Purdue	D4-'04	6-6-0-0
96	Travis Johnson	DE-DT	6-3	311	27	5	Florida State	T (HOU)-'09	3-0-0-3
98	Ian Scott	DT	6-3	315	27	7	Florida	FA-'09	2-0-0-0
99	Kevin Burnett	ILB	6-3	240	26	5	Tennessee	UFA (DAL)-'09	5-5-0-1
Reserve-Injured									
36	Brandon Hughes	CB	5-11	181	23	R	Oregon State	D5-'09	0-0-0-0
76	Jamal Williams	DT	6-3	348	33	12	Oklahoma State	D2 (Supp)-'98	1-1-0-0
82	Demetrius Byrd	WR	6-0	200	23	R	Louisiana State	D7-'09	0-0-0-0
90	Antwan Applewhite	OLB	6-3	246	23	2	San Diego State	FA-'07	1-0-0-3
97	Ryon Bingham	DE-DT	6-3	303	28	5	Nebraska	D7A-'04	0-0-0-0

San Diego Chargers 2009 Alpha Roster – (as of Oct. 26, 2009)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Exp.	College	High School	Hometown
29	Bennett, Michael	RB	5-9	207	31	9	Wisconsin	Tech	Milwaukee, Wis.
50	Binn, David	LS	6-3	228	37	16	California	San Mateo	San Mateo, Calif.
70	Boone, Alfonso	DE	6-3	305	33	9	Mt. San Antonio	Hill	Saginaw, Mich.
99	Burnett, Kevin	ILB	6-3	240	26	5	Tennessee	Dominguez	Compton, Calif.
20	Cason, Antoine	CB	6-0	190	23	2	Arizona	Los Alamitos	Long Beach, Calif.
26	Castille, Simeon	CB	6-0	190	24	2	Alabama	Briarwood Christian	Birmingham, Ala.
93	Castillo, Luis	DE	6-3	290	26	5	Northwestern	Garfield	Garfield, N.J.
74	Cesaire, Jacques	DE	6-2	295	29	7	So. Connecticut St.	Gardner	Gardner, Mass.
89	Chambers, Chris	WR	5-11	210	31	9	Wisconsin	Bedford	Bedford, Ohio
66	Clary, Jeromey	T	6-6	320	25	3	Kansas State	Mansfield	Mansfield, Tex.
54	Cooper, Stephen	ILB	6-1	235	30	7	Maine	Wareham	Wareham, Mass.
31	Cromartie, Antonio	CB	6-2	203	25	4	Florida State	Lincoln	Tallahassee, Fla.
84	Davis, Buster	WR	6-1	210	24	3	Louisiana State	Walker	New Orleans, La.
68	Dielman, Kris	G	6-4	320	28	7	Indiana	Troy	Troy, Ohio
51	Dobbins, Tim	ILB	6-1	246	26	4	Iowa State	Glenciff	Nashville, Tenn.
62	Dombrowski, Brandy	G-T	6-5	323	24	1	San Diego State	Green Valley	Henderson, Nev.
25	Ellison, Kevin	SS	6-1	221	22	R	Southern California	Redondo Union	Redondo Beach, Calif.
52	English, Larry	OLB	6-2	255	23	R	Northern Illinois	Marmion Military Academy	Aurora, Ill.
80	Floyd, Malcom	WR	6-5	225	28	4	Wyoming	River City	Sacramento, Calif.
85	Gates, Antonio	TE	6-4	260	29	7	Kent State	Central	Detroit, Mich.
28	Gregory, Steve	SS	5-11	195	26	4	Syracuse	Curtis	Staten Island, N.Y.
69	Green, Tyronne	G	6-2	308	23	R	Auburn	Woodham	Pensacola, Fla.
61	Hardwick, Nick	C	6-4	295	28	6	Purdue	Lawrence North	Indianapolis, Ind.
22	Hester, Jacob	FB	5-11	235	24	2	Louisiana State	Evangel Christian	Shreveport, La.
83	Jackson, Vincent	WR	6-5	230	26	5	Northern Colorado	Widefield	Colorado Springs, Colo.
23	Jammer, Quentin	CB	6-0	204	30	8	Texas	Angleton	Angleton, Tex.
96	Johnson, Travis	DE-DT	6-3	311	27	5	Florida State	Notre Dame	Sherman Oaks, Calif.
10	Kaeding, Nate	K	6-0	187	27	6	Iowa	West	Iowa City, Iowa
86	Manumaleuna, Brandon	FB-TE	6-2	295	29	9	Arizona	Narbonne	Torrance, Calif.
92	Martin, Vaughn	DE-DT	6-4	320	23	R	Western Ontario	South Secondary	London, Ontario
73	McNeill, Marcus	T	6-7	336	25	4	Auburn	Cedar Grove	Ellenwood, Ga.
56	Merriman, Shawne	OLB	6-4	265	25	5	Maryland	Frederick Douglass	Upper Marlboro, Md.
63	Mruczkowski, Scott	C-G	6-5	325	27	5	Bowling Green	Benedictine	Garfield Heights, Ohio
11	Naanee, Legedu	WR	6-2	220	26	3	Boise State	Franklin	Portland, Ore.
64	Norman, Dennis	C-G	6-5	313	29	9	Princeton	Cherokee	Marlton, N.J.
91	Nwagbuo, Ogemdi	DE-DT	6-4	303	23	1	Michigan State	Mt. Miguel	Spring Valley, Calif.
27	Oliver, Paul	FS	5-10	210	25	3	Georgia	Harrison	Kennesaw, Ga.
81	Osgood, Kassim	WR	6-5	220	29	7	San Diego State	North Salinas	Salinas, Calif.
95	Phillips, Shaun	OLB	6-3	262	28	6	Purdue	Willingboro	Willingboro, N.J.
17	Rivers, Philip	QB	6-5	228	27	6	North Carolina State	Athens	Athens, Ala.
5	Scifres, Mike	P	6-2	221	29	7	Western Illinois	Destrehan	Destrehan, La.
98	Scott, Ian	DT	6-3	315	27	7	Florida	Gainesville	Gainesville, Fla.
59	Siler, Brandon	ILB	6-2	239	23	3	Florida	Evans	Orlando, Fla.
41	Spillman, C.J.	FS	6-0	196	23	R	Marshall	Central	Louisville, Ky.
43	Sproles, Darren	RB-KR	5-6	185	26	5	Kansas State	Olathe North	Olathe, Kan.
35	Tolbert, Mike	FB	5-9	243	23	2	Coastal Carolina	Douglas County	Douglasville, Ga.
21	Tomlinson, LaDainian	RB	5-10	221	30	9	Texas Christian	University	Waco, Tex.
94	Tucker, Jyles	OLB	6-3	258	26	3	Wake Forest	Morristown Beard	Dover, N.J.
65	Vasquez, Louis	G	6-5	325	22	R	Texas Tech	Corsicana	Corsicana, Tex.
7	Volek, Billy	QB	6-2	214	33	10	Fresno State	Clovis West	Fresno, Calif.
32	Weddle, Eric	FS	5-11	200	24	3	Utah	Alta Loma	Alta Loma, Calif.
6	Whitehurst, Charlie	QB	6-4	220	27	4	Clemson	Chattahoochee	Alpharetta, Ga.
88	Wilson, Kris	TE	6-2	245	28	6	Pittsburgh	J.P. McCaskey	Lancaster, Pa.
Reserve-Injured									
90	Applewhite, Antwan	OLB	6-3	246	23	2	San Diego State	Narbonne	Los Angeles, Calif.
97	Bingham, Ryon	DE-DT	6-3	303	28	5	Nebraska	Alta	Sandy, Utah
82	Byrd, Demetrius	WR	6-0	200	23	R	Louisiana State	Central	Miami, Fla.
36	Hughes, Brandon	CB	5-11	181	23	R	Oregon State	Bloomington	Bloomington, Ill.
76	Williams, Jamal	DT	6-3	348	33	12	Oklahoma State	Archbishop Carroll	Washington, D.C.

San Diego Chargers 2009 Roster by Position – (as of Oct. 26, 2009)

Quarterbacks – (3)		Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Exp.	College	How Acq.	GP-GS-DNP-INA ('08)
6	Charlie Whitehurst	QB	6-4	220	27	4	Clemson	D3-'06	0-0-0-6
7	Billy Volek	QB	6-2	214	33	10	Fresno State	T (TEN)-'06	1-0-5-0
17	Philip Rivers	QB	6-5	228	27	6	North Carolina State	T (NYG)-'04	6-6-0-0
Running Backs – (3)									
21	LaDainian Tomlinson	RB	5-10	221	30	9	Texas Christian	D1-'01	4-4-0-2
29	Michael Bennett	RB	5-9	207	31	9	Wisconsin	W (TB)-'08	2-0-1-3
43	Darren Sproles	RB-KR	5-6	185	26	5	Kansas State	D4-'05	6-2-0-0
Fullback – (2)									
22	Jacob Hester	FB	5-11	235	24	2	Louisiana State	D3-'08	6-5-0-0
35	Mike Tolbert	FB	5-9	243	23	2	Coastal Carolina	FA-'08	6-1-0-0
Wide Receivers – (6)									
11	Legedu Naanee	WR	6-2	220	26	3	Boise State	D5-'07	6-0-0-0
80	Malcom Floyd	WR	6-5	225	28	4	Wyoming	FA-'04	6-0-0-0
81	Kassim Osgood	WR	6-5	220	29	7	San Diego State	FA-'03	6-0-0-0
83	Vincent Jackson	WR	6-5	230	26	5	Northern Colorado	D2-'05	6-6-0-0
84	Buster Davis	WR	6-1	210	24	3	Louisiana State	D1-'07	0-0-0-6
89	Chris Chambers	WR	5-11	210	31	9	Wisconsin	T (MIA)-'07	6-5-0-0
Tight Ends – (3)									
85	Antonio Gates	TE	6-4	260	29	7	Kent State	FA-'03	6-6-0-0
86	Brandon Manumaleuna	FB-TE	6-2	295	29	9	Arizona	T (STL)-'06	6-1-0-0
88	Kris Wilson	TE	6-2	245	28	6	Pittsburgh	FA-'08	6-0-0-0
Offensive Linemen – (9)									
61	Nick Hardwick	C	6-4	295	28	6	Purdue	D3B-'04	1-1-0-4
62	Brandyn Dombrowski	G-T	6-5	323	24	1	San Diego State	FA-'08	6-2-0-0
63	Scott Mruzckowski	C-G	6-5	325	27	5	Bowling Green	D7-'05	6-5-0-0
64	Dennis Norman	C-G	6-5	313	29	9	Princeton	FA-'09	2-0-3-0
65	Louis Vasquez	G	6-5	325	22	R	Texas Tech	D3-'09	4-4-0-2
66	Jeromey Clary	T	6-6	320	25	3	Kansas State	D6A-'06	6-6-0-0
68	Kris Dielman	G	6-4	320	28	7	Indiana	FA-'03	6-6-0-0
69	Tyronne Green	G	6-2	308	23	R	Auburn	D4B-'09	0-0-2-4
73	Marcus McNeill	T	6-7	336	25	4	Auburn	D2-'06	6-6-0-0
Defensive Linemen – (7)									
70	Alfonso Boone	DE	6-3	305	33	9	Mt. San Antonio	FA-'09	4-0-0-0
74	Jacques Cesaire	DE	6-2	295	29	7	So. Connecticut State	FA-'03	5-5-0-1
91	Ogemdi Nwagbuo	DE-DT	6-4	303	23	1	Michigan State	FA-'08	6-5-0-0
92	Vaughn Martin	DE-DT	6-4	320	23	R	Western Ontario	D4A-'09	4-0-0-2
93	Luis Castillo	DE	6-3	290	26	5	Northwestern	D1B-'05	6-6-0-0
96	Travis Johnson	DE-DT	6-3	311	27	5	Florida State	T (HOU)-'09	3-0-0-3
98	Ian Scott	DT	6-3	315	27	7	Florida	FA-'09	2-0-0-0
Linebackers – (8)									
51	Tim Dobbins	ILB	6-1	246	26	4	Iowa State	D5-'06	6-1-0-0
52	Larry English	OLB	6-2	255	23	R	Northern Illinois	D1-'09	6-0-0-0
54	Stephen Cooper	ILB	6-1	235	30	7	Maine	FA-'03	6-6-0-0
56	Shawne Merriman	OLB	6-4	265	25	5	Maryland	D1A-'05	6-6-0-0
59	Brandon Siler	ILB	6-2	239	23	3	Florida	D7-'07	6-0-0-0
94	Jyles Tucker	OLB	6-3	258	26	3	Wake Forest	FA-'07	5-0-0-1
95	Shaun Phillips	OLB	6-3	262	28	6	Purdue	D4-'04	6-6-0-0
99	Kevin Burnett	ILB	6-3	240	26	5	Tennessee	UFA (DAL)-'09	5-5-0-1
Cornerbacks – (4)									
20	Antoine Cason	CB	6-0	190	23	2	Arizona	D1-'08	6-1-0-0
23	Quentin Jammer	CB	6-0	204	30	8	Texas	D1-'02	6-6-0-0
26	Simeon Castille	CB	6-0	195	24	2	Alabama	FA-'09	1-0-0-0
31	Antonio Cromartie	CB	6-2	203	25	4	Florida State	D1-'06	6-6-0-0
Safeties – (5)									
25	Kevin Ellison	SS	6-1	221	22	R	Southern California	D6-'09	3-2-1-2
27	Paul Oliver	FS	5-10	210	25	3	Georgia	D4 (Supp)-'07	6-0-0-0
28	Steve Gregory	SS	5-11	195	26	4	Syracuse	FA-'06	6-1-0-0
32	Eric Weddle	FS	5-11	200	24	3	Utah	D2-'07	6-6-0-0
41	C.J. Spillman	FS	6-0	196	23	R	Marshall	FA-'09	0-0-0-6
Specialists – (3)									
5	Mike Scifres	P	6-2	221	29	7	Western Illinois	D5-'03	6-0-0-0
10	Nate Kaeding	K	6-0	187	27	6	Iowa	D3A-'04	6-0-0-0
50	David Binn	LS	6-3	228	37	16	California	FA-'94	6-0-0-0

San Diego Chargers 2009 Coaching Staff

Head Coach	Norv Turner
Offensive Coordinator	Clarence Shelmon
Defensive Coordinator	Ron Rivera
Tight Ends & Assistant Head Coach.....	Rob Chudzinski
Special Teams	Steve Crosby
Assistant Secondary	Cris Dishman
Offensive Line.....	Hal Hunter
Defensive Line	Don Johnson
Wide Receivers	Charlie Joiner
Linebackers.....	John Pagano
Quarterbacks.....	John Ramsdell
Offensive Line.....	Mike Sullivan
Secondary	Steven Wilks
Assistant Linebackers.....	Greg Williams
Running Backs	Ollie Wilson
Strength and Conditioning.....	Jeff Hurd
Assistant Strength and Conditioning.....	Vernon Stephens
Coaches Assistant	Steve Gera

San Diego Chargers Pronunciation Guide

Antwan (Ann-TWON) Applewhite
Antoine (Ann-TWON) **Cason** (KAY-sun) – sounds like Jason
Simeon (sim-EE-in) **Castille** (kaz-STEEL)
Jacques **Cesaire** (see-ZAIR)
Kris **Dielman** (DEAL-min)
Tyrone (TIE-rone) Green
Quentin (KWEN-tin) Jammer
Nate **Kaeding** (KAY-ding)
Brandon **Manumaleuna** (mah-nu-mah-lee-oo-nuh)
Scott **Mruczkowski** (merch-COW-ski)
Legedu (LEG-a-doo) **Naanee** (Nah-NAY)
Ogemdi (oh-GEM-dee) **Nwagbuo** (new-WAH-boe) – hard “g” in first name
Kassim (Kuh-SIM) Osgood
Mike **Scifres** (SIGH-fres)
Brandon **Siler** (SIGH-ler)
Louis (LEW-iss) **Vasquez** (VAS-kez)

San Diego Chargers Team Captains

Offense: **Philip Rivers** and **LaDainian Tomlinson**
Defense: **Stephen Cooper**
Special Teams: **Kassim Osgood**

San Diego Chargers 2009 Depth Chart**(as of Oct. 26, 2009)****OFFENSE**

WR	89	CHRIS CHAMBERS	80	Malcom Floyd	81	Kassim Osgood
LT	73	MARCUS McNEILL	62	Brandyn Dombrowski		
LG	68	KRIS DIELMAN	62	Brandyn Dombrowski	69	Tyronne Green
C	63	SCOTT MRUCZKOWSKI	64	Dennis Norman	61	Nick Hardwick
RG	65	LOUIS VASQUEZ	62	Brandyn Dombrowski	69	Tyronne Green
RT	66	JEROMEY CLARY	62	Brandyn Dombrowski		
TE	85	ANTONIO GATES	86	Brandon Manumaleuna	88	Kris Wilson
WR	83	VINCENT JACKSON	11	Legedu Naanee	84	Buster Davis
QB	17	PHILIP RIVERS	7	Billy Volek	6	Charlie Whitehurst
FB	22	JACOB HESTER	35	Mike Tolbert		
FB	86	BRANDON MANUMALEUNA				
RB	21	LaDAIANIAN TOMLINSON	43	Darren Sproles	29	Michael Bennett

DEFENSE

DE	74	JACQUES CESAIRE	70	Alfonso Boone		
DT	91	OGEMDI NWAGBUO	98	Ian Scott	92	Vaughn Martin
DE	93	LUIS CASTILLO	96	Travis Johnson		
OLB	95	SHAUN PHILLIPS	94	Jyles Tucker		
ILB	54	STEPHEN COOPER	59	Brandon Siler		
ILB	99	KEVIN BURNETT	51	Tim Dobbins		
OLB	56	SHAWNE MERRIMAN	52	Larry English		
LCB	23	QUENTIN JAMMER	20	Antoine Cason		
RCB	31	ANTONIO CROMARTIE	26	Simeon Castille		
SS	28	STEVE GREGORY	25	Kevin Ellison		
FS	32	ERIC WEDDLE	27	Paul Oliver	41	C.J. Spillman

SPECIAL TEAMS

P	5	MIKE SCIFRES				
K	10	NATE KAEDING				
H	5	MIKE SCIFRES	32	Eric Weddle		
LS	50	DAVID BINN	59	Brandon Siler		
KR	43	DARREN SPROLES	84	Buster Davis	31	Antonio Cromartie
					22	Jacob Hester
PR	43	DARREN SPROLES	84	Buster Davis	31	Antonio Cromartie

San Diego Chargers 2009 Practice Squad – (as of Oct. 26, 2009)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Exp.	College	How Acq.	GP-GS-DNP-INA ('09)
12	Gary Banks	WR	6-0	193	27	1	Troy	FA-'08	0-0-0-0
34	Billy Latsko	FB	5-10	233	25	1	Florida	FA-'08	0-0-2-5
46	Darry Beckwith	ILB	6-0	234	22	R	Louisiana State	FA-'09	0-0-0-0
53	James Holt	OLB	6-2	223	22	R	Kansas	FA-'09	0-0-0-0
60	Ryan McDonald	C	6-4	293	24	R	Illinois	FA-'09	0-0-0-0
75	Corey Clark	T	6-2	325	25	2	Texas A&M	D7-'08	0-0-0-0
78	Andre Coleman	DE	6-3	287	25	1	Albany	FA-'07	2-0-0-0

SAN DIEGO CHARGERS 2009 TRANSACTIONS

1/7	Eric Bakhtiari (LB).....signed	Roderiquis Smith (WR).....signed
1/16	Gary Banks (WR).....signed	Kory Sperry (TE).....signed
	Eldra Buckley (RB).....signed	C.J. Spillman (S).....signed
	Andre Coleman (DE).....signed	Jeremiah Wurzbacher (TE).....signed
	Grant Mason (CB).....signed	5/11 Jeremiah Wurzbacher (TE).....waived
	Ogemdi Nwagbuo (DT).....signed	5/15 Malcom Floyd (WR).....signed
	DeJuan Tribble (CB).....signed	5/18 Tripp Chandler (TE).....signed
1/26	Brandyn Dombrowski (G).....signed	Truman Spencer (P).....signed
2/5	Drew Mormino (C).....signed	6/19 Brandon Hughes (CB).....signed
2/18	Darren Sproles (RB).....designated Franchise Player	6/24 Sam Allen (G).....waived
2/26	Eldra Buckley (RB).....waived	Ramarcus Brown (CB).....waived
	Mike Goff (G).....free agent - not offered contract	Jeremy Childs (WR).....waived
	Marques Harris (LB).....free agent - not offered contract	Anthony Felder (LB).....waived
	Jeremy Newberry (G).....free agent - not offered contract	7/23 Curtis Brinkley (RB).....waived
	Igor Olshansky (DE).....free agent - not offered contract	7/24 Curtis Brinkley (RB).....placed on "Reserve-Non-FB Injury"
	Anthony Waters (LB).....waived	Matt Wilhelm (LB).....released
3/12	Kevin Burnett (LB).....signed	7/25 Kestahn Moore (RB).....signed
3/16	Jeromey Clary (T).....signed	7/25 Tripp Chandler (TE).....waived
3/23	Drew Mormino (C).....waived	Anthony Felder (LB).....signed
4/14	Cletis Gordon (CB).....signed	Tyronne Green (C).....signed
4/25	Larry English (LB).....Drafted 1	Gartrell Johnson (RB).....signed
4/26	Louis Vasquez (G).....Drafted 3	Vaughn Martin (DT).....signed
	Vaughn Martin (DT).....Drafted 4	Louis Vasquez (G).....signed
	Tyronne Green (C).....Drafted 4	7/30 Kevin Ellison (S).....signed
	Gartrell Johnson (RB).....Drafted 4	8/2 Charles Davis (TE).....signed
	Brandon Hughes (CB).....Drafted 5	Larry English (LB).....signed
	Kevin Ellison (S).....Drafted 6	8/5 Simeon Castille (CB).....signed
	Demetrius Byrd (WR).....Drafted 7	Bill Rentmeester (FB).....waived
4/27	Scott Chandler (TE).....waived	8/6 Antonio Smith (CB).....signed
	DeJuan Tribble (CB).....waived	8/13 Ray Feinga (G).....signed
4/28	Grant Mason (CB).....waived	8/14 Ben Muth (G).....waived
	Darren Sproles (RB).....signed	8/22 Wopamo Osaisai (CB).....waived
5/1	Sam Allen (G).....signed	8/24 Philip Rivers (QB).....signed extension
	Darry Beckwith (LB).....signed	8/25 Cletis Gordon (CB).....waived
	Curtis Brinkley (RB).....signed	8/31 Demetrius Byrd (WR).....signed
	Ramarcus Brown (CB).....signed	Greg Carr (WR).....waived
	Greg Carr (WR).....signed	Dan Gay (T).....waived
	Jeremy Childs (WR).....signed	Travis Johnson (DT).....traded from Houston Texans
	Anthony Felder (LB).....signed	Roderiquis Smith (WR).....waived
	Dan Gay (T).....signed	9/1 Demetrius Byrd (WR).....placed on "Reserve-Injured"
	James Holt (LB).....signed	Anthony Felder (LB).....waived
	Rashaad Jackson (DT).....signed	Brandon Hughes (CB).....placed on "Reserve-Injured"
	Charly Martin (WR).....signed	9/5 Eric Bakhtiari (LB).....waived
	Ryan McDonald (C).....signed	Gary Banks (WR).....waived
	Ben Muth (G).....signed	Darry Beckwith (LB).....waived
	Wopamo Osaisai (CB).....signed	Ryon Bingham (DE-DT).....placed on "Reserve-Injured"
	Bill Rentmeester (FB).....signed	Simeon Castille (CB).....waived

Corey Clark (T)waived
 Andre Coleman (DE)waived
 Charles Davis (TE)waived
 Ray Feinga (G).....waived
 Kynan Forney (G)..... released
 Keith Grennan (DE).....waived
 James Holt (LB)waived
 Rashaad Jackson (DT)waived
 Billy Latsko (FB).....waived
 Charly Martin (WR).....waived
 Ryan McDonald (C)waived
 Kestahn Moore (RB)waived
 Ian Scott (DT)..... released
 L.J. Shelton (T) released
 Antonio Smith (CB).....waived
 Truman Spencer (P)waived
 Kory Sperry (TE).....waived
 9/7 Gary Banks (WR)signed to practice squad
 Darry Beckwith (LB).....signed to practice squad
 Simeon Castille (CB).....signed to practice squad
 Corey Clark (T)signed to practice squad
 Andre Coleman (DE)signed to practice squad
 James Holt (LB)signed to practice squad
 Billy Latsko (FB).....signed to practice squad
 9/14 Andre Coleman (DE)signed from practice squad
 Gartrell Johnson (RB)waived
 9/15 Andre Coleman (DE)waived
 9/16 Dennis Norman (C-G)signed
 9/17 Andre Coleman (DE) re-signed to practice squad
 9/19 Andre Coleman (DE) signed to active roster
 Jamal Williams (DT) placed on "Reserve-Injured"
 9/20 Alphonso Boone (DE)signed
 Andre Coleman (DE)waived
 9/24 Andre Coleman (DE) re-signed to practice squad
 10/14 Clinton Hart (SS) released
 Ian Scott (DT).....signed
 10/20 Antwan Applewhite (LB) placed on "Reserve-Injured"
 Dante Hughes (CB)signed
 10/24 Simeon Castille (CB).....signed from practice squad
 Dante Hughes (CB)waived