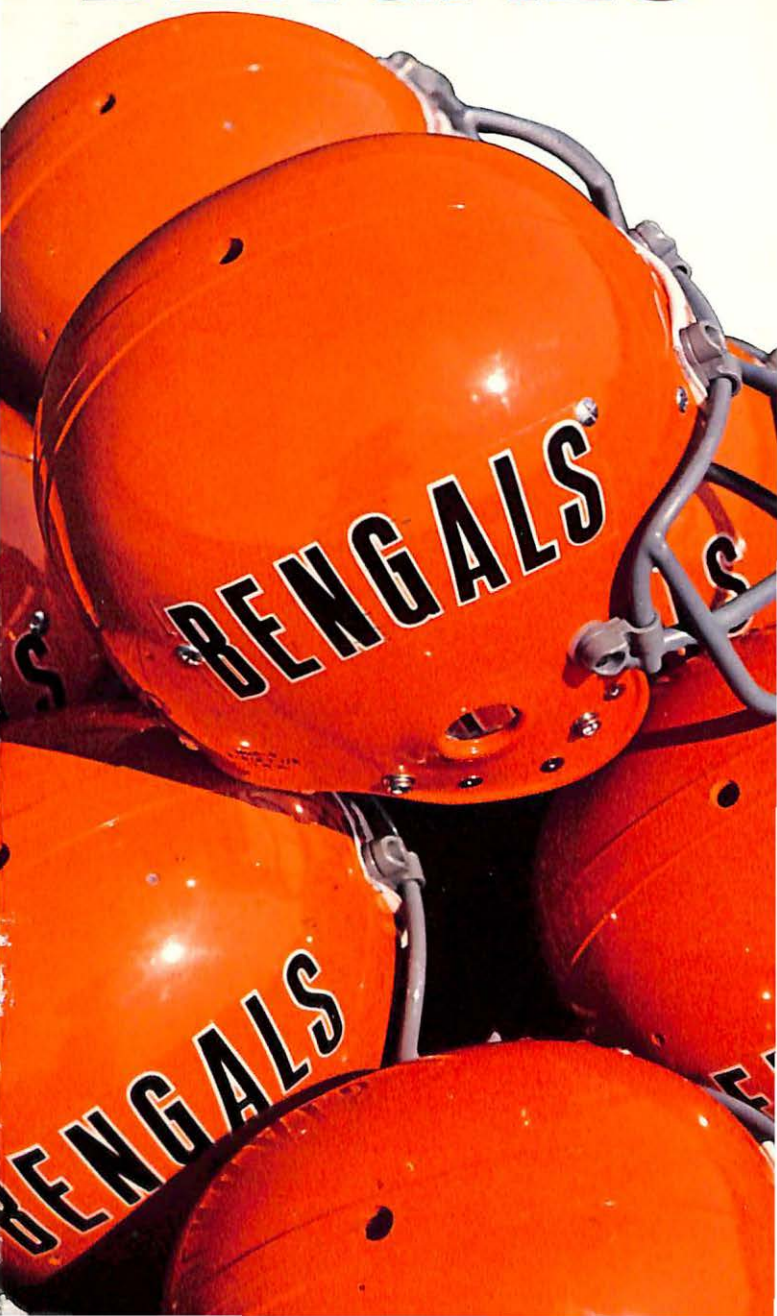


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CINCINNATI BENGALS 1979 SCHEDULE

PRE-SEASON

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT — SITE	TIME
Sat.	Aug. 4	Detroit at Detroit	8:00 P.M.
Sat.	Aug. 11	Green Bay at CINCINNATI	8:00 P.M.
Sat.	Aug. 18	Chicago at Chicago	7:00 P.M.
Sat.	Aug. 25	Tampa Bay at CINCINNATI	8:00 P.M.

REGULAR SEASON

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT — SITE	TIME
Sun.	Sept. 2	Denver at Denver	2:00 P.M.
Sun.	Sept. 9	Buffalo at Buffalo	1:00 P.M.
Sun.	Sept. 16	New England at CINCINNATI	1:00 P.M.
Sun.	Sept. 23	Houston at CINCINNATI	1:00 P.M.
Sun.	Sept. 30	Dallas at Dallas	3:00 P.M.
Sun.	Oct. 7	Kansas City at CINCINNATI	1:00 P.M.
Sun.	Oct. 14	Pittsburgh at CINCINNATI	1:00 P.M.
Sun.	Oct. 21	Cleveland at Cleveland	1:00 P.M.
Sun.	Oct. 28	Philadelphia at CINCINNATI	4:00 P.M.
Sun.	Nov. 4	Baltimore at Baltimore	2:00 P.M.
Sun.	Nov. 11	San Diego at CINCINNATI	1:00 P.M.
Sun.	Nov. 18	Houston at Houston	3:00 P.M.
Sun.	Nov. 25	St. Louis at CINCINNATI	1:00 P.M.
Sun.	Dec. 2	Pittsburgh at Pittsburgh	1:00 P.M.
Sun.	Dec. 9	Washington at Washington	1:00 P.M.
Sun.	Dec. 16	Cleveland at CINCINNATI	1:00 P.M.

HOME GAMES ARE IN CAPS

ALL TIMES LISTED ABOVE ARE HOME SITE TIMES.

RIVERFRONT STADIUM

The Bengals' home is Cincinnati's beautiful Riverfront Stadium, located on the banks of the Ohio River.

The stadium, situated on a 48-acre site bounded by Second Street to the Ohio River and from Elm Street to Broadway, has a seating capacity of 56,200 for football.

The four-level circular stadium has a diameter of 700 feet encompassing approximately eight and a half acres.

The Riverfront Stadium features a complete playing surface of AstroTurf.

Parking facilities on the immediate site will accommodate 4500 autos. Three parking decks plus the plaza level, all 12 acre areas, completely surround the stadium. A total of 75 buses and 100 taxi cabs can park on the plaza level. Two four-lane streets run underneath the stadium, adjacent to the parking area. Within a 12-block radius, there are 20,000 parking spaces.

A massive scoreboard, 20 feet high by 180 feet long, contains 24,000 lamps and is capable of displaying scores, messages and cartoons through a computer.



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PERTINENT DATES FOR 1979 NFL SEASON

Saturday, July 28	AFC-NFC Hall of Fame Game at Canton, Ohio (Oakland vs. Dallas)
Friday, August 3-5	First Preseason Weekend
Sunday, September 2	Regular season opens
Sunday, December 16	Regular season closes
Sunday, December 23	NFL Playoffs (First Round)
Saturday, December 29 & Sunday, December 30	Divisional Playoffs
Sunday, January 6	AFC-NFC Conference Championships
Sunday, January 20	Super Bowl
Sunday, January 27	AFC-NFC Pro Bowl at Honolulu, Hawaii



PAUL BROWN
**Vice President
and
General Manager**

Hall of Famer Paul E. Brown, one of the mightiest men in football history, is the leader of the Cincinnati Bengals, the team he founded in 1967.

Brown, the winningest coach in football history, is beginning his fourth season as fulltime general manager of the club. He served the dual role of head coach and general manager from 1967 until 1976 when he resigned from his coaching duties to move into the front office on a fulltime basis. He's also a part owner and vice president of the Bengals.

While in the coaching ranks, the legendary Brown had a record of 351 victories against only 134 defeats and 16 ties, the most distinguished record ever compiled and one that is very likely to go unchallenged for many, many years. His 41 years of coaching have taken him to Severn Prep, Massillon High School, Ohio State University, Great Lakes Naval Training Center, the Cleveland Browns and the Cincinnati Bengals.

The masterful Brown has built the Bengals into a solid organization both on and off the field. His outstanding leadership has played a major role in shaping the National Football League and charting its course.

Brown was one of the leaders and guiding forces in the movement which brought about the merger of the old American Football League and National Football League and made professional football what it is today.

He occupies a position on the prestigious NFL Competition Committee and is widely sought after for advice and counseling. He has had a role in recommending and having accepted rules changes which have added to the excitement of professional football.

Brown came out of retirement in 1967 to start the Cincinnati Bengals, a team that would open play a year later in the old AFL.

He built his Cincinnati team with a solid foundation and, just as he had promised Bengal fans, it was competitive within five years. The Bengals startled the football world by winning two American Football Conference Central Division championships — 1970 and 1973 — in their first six years. In 1975, his last season as a coach, the Bengals were back in the playoffs again with an 11-3 record, their best to date.

His early Cincinnati teams were judged by many as the "best expansion teams" ever produced in professional football, and they scored a number of notable upsets including a 24-19 victory over Kansas City in 1969. The Chiefs went on to win the Super Bowl that year.

The Pro Football Hall of Fame tapped PB for enshrinement in 1967. He has been called upon many times to be a presenter for former players and coaches at Hall of Fame induction ceremonies.

Pro football for Paul Brown started in Cleveland after World War II. Along with Art McBride, he helped form the Cleveland Browns in the old All-American Football Conference. The Browns won 52, lost only four and tied three in four cham-

pionship seasons before moving into the National Football League.

Many experts said Brown's Browns couldn't make it in the NFL and the schedule-maker called for an early showdown, matching Cleveland with the Philadelphia Eagles, the defending NFL champions.

Brown's team not only routed the Eagles, 35-10, in that game, but went on to win the world championship in Cleveland's first year in the NFL, beating the Los Angeles Rams, 30-28, in the title game.

Brown's 13-year record at Cleveland after joining with the NFL was a glittering 115-49-6, and only once during that stretch did the Browns ever have a losing year.

Even more noteworthy, perhaps, than Brown's glistening won-loss record and other achievements is the scientific approach he introduced to the game. Many of his innovations seem so standard now that it's difficult to believe there was a time when the game was played without them. Surely he was the classic example of a man far ahead of his time.

Brown is responsible for making professional football what it is today.

He made pro football a science, a fulltime business with a fulltime staff when he began building the Cleveland Browns in 1946. He hired fulltime assistants on a year-round basis and scouted college talent on a scale never before imagined by other professional teams.

His innovations include:

- First to employ a year-round coaching staff.
- First to use notebooks and classroom techniques extensively.
- First to set up complete film clip statistical study.
- First to grade players from individual film clips.
- First to keep players together at a downtown hotel the night before home games as well as on the road.
- First to call plays from sidelines by rotating guards as messengers.
- Developed detailed pass patterns which opened specific defense areas.
- Made major contributions to improve science of defensive play to counteract pattern passing by others who followed his lead.
- First to switch some fine running backs to defensive specialists and explained "they were so good, I didn't want to waste them on offense."
- Invented face bars on helmets.
- First to use intelligence tests as a clue to player's learning potential.

After graduating from Massillon High School, Brown enrolled at Ohio State and later transferred to Miami where he became a fine runner and passer.

Brown's coaching career began in 1930 at Maryland's Severn Prep, a Naval Academy preparatory school. In two years his teams rolled up a record of 16 wins, one loss and a tie. Planning on a law career, Brown attended law school for a year and a half while coaching at Severn.

However, in 1932, he returned to his home in Massillon as football and basketball coach.

When Brown arrived at Massillon, the school had a stadium with a capacity of 5000. During his tenure, the school built a new stadium seating 21,000. Eight home games in the 1940 season drew 161,000 people, more than any college team in the state with the exception of Ohio State.

The stadium was recently renamed "Paul Brown Tiger Stadium."

Brown coached the Massillon Tigers to one state championship after another and soon began receiving offers from small colleges throughout Ohio. But he was only interested in one job — head football coach at Ohio State University.

Paul reached his goal in 1941 and guided the Buckeyes to six wins, one loss and a tie. In 1942, he coached Ohio State to the national collegiate championship with a 9-1 record.

Then came the war and he went to Great Lakes as a naval officer and produced several outstanding teams.

He then moved into the pro ranks in Cleveland where he built football's greatest dynasty.

Brown was presented the prestigious Ohio Governor's Award from James A. Rhodes this year. The coveted award, Ohio's highest token of appreciation, honors Ohioans whose professional accomplishments have improved the quality of life the world over.

He recently was inducted into the NFL Alumni Association's Order of the Leather Helmet. PB was honored for his many truly significant contributions to the game of football.

Brown recently received the "Mr. Ohio Award" by the Ernie Godfrey Chapter of the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame. The award has only been given once before — to world-famous entertainer Bob Hope.

Paul and his wife, Mary, live in Indian Hill. His first wife, Katie, died in April, 1969. Two of his sons, Mike and Pete, are associated with the Bengal organization as assistant general manager and director of player personnel respectively. Another son, Robin, a former Bengal scout, died in July, 1978.



JOHN SAWYER **President**

John Sawyer has been president of the Cincinnati Bengals since the club's beginning in 1968.

The well-known business executive has been a key figure in the Bengal administration, combining with Paul and Mike Brown in bringing professional football to Cincinnati.

Sawyer and the Browns represented the Cincinnati group at the many meetings held prior to the awarding of the franchise. He also attends a number of NFL owners' meetings with the Browns and played a part in the realignment of professional football in 1970.

A member of a prominent Cincinnati family and now a resident of Cincinnati, he is a frequent visitor to the Bengals' training camp and attends every game, home and away.

John is president of J. Sawyer Co. which has farms and ranches in Ohio, Mississippi, Florida, Montana, Colorado and Wyoming. He is the son of the late Charles Sawyer, former Secretary of Commerce.

John and his wife, Ruth have four daughters, Anne, 24, Elizabeth, 22, Catherine, 19, and Mary, 15.



MIKE BROWN **Assistant General Manager — Legal Counsel**

Mike Brown is the Cincinnati Bengals' man on the go.

He has served as assistant general manager and legal counsel of the club since the franchise was formed in 1967.

The Bengals are in Cincinnati thanks to the tireless work of Mike and his father, Paul, an owner, vice president and general manager.

The Browns dedicated themselves to bringing professional football to Cincinnati in the mid-60's and saw their efforts

rewarded in 1967 when the city was awarded a franchise in the old American Football League which was due to merge with the National Football League in 1970.

Mike, who has been associated with football all of his life and has had the benefit of the best possible teacher, has caught the attention of NFL owners and executives and is a member of the very active NFL Management Council. This group deals with labor-management decisions within the NFL.

Professional football in Cincinnati was visualized by Mike long before it became a reality. Several years before the Cincinnati franchise materialized he conducted a detailed survey showing the potential of the area as a professional football market. His drive produced the franchise for the Queen City.

Paul and Mike Brown represent the Bengals at all league meetings and they played a major role in bringing about the merger which brought the American Football League and the National Football league together.

As assistant general manager, Mike handles player contract matters and negotiations with the City of Cincinnati concerning the Bengals and Riverfront Stadium. He also works closely with television and radio sponsors, handles all the club's legal matters, and is a member of the Bengals' board of directors.

Mike did his undergraduate work at Dartmouth and received his law degree from Harvard.

He worked in the Cleveland Browns' front office many years and also was associated with a Cleveland law firm.

Mike and his wife, Nancy, have a daughter, Katie, 13, and a son, Paul, 9½.



Paul Brown and son Mike Brown



HOMER RICE **Head Coach**

Homer Rice stepped in as head coach of the Cincinnati Bengals after the fifth game of the 1978 season and immediately began turning things around.

Rice turned despair into optimism for the future as his team wound up the season in a blaze of glory winning their final three games in a 4-12 campaign. Rice inherited five of the losses.

After Rice took over, the Bengals rapidly became one of the best defensive teams in the National Football League and the offense began exploding.

Homer Rice is right where he has always wanted to be — head coach of a professional football team and preferably one with a Paul Brown connection. He has been a Paul Brown disciple for many years.

"I wanted to be a football player, then a high school coach, then a college coach, then an athletic director and ultimately a professional football coach," says Rice who has followed his plan to the letter.

Homer came to the Bengals in 1978 from Rice University where he was head coach and athletic director for two years. His first assignment with the Bengals was quarterback coach.

Rice's football career started in Ft. Thomas, Ky., a community across the Ohio River from Cincinnati. He was an all-state quarterback for Highlands High School but college was delayed for Homer because of World War II. He went into the Navy and saw action in the Pacific.

After the war he went to Centre College in Kentucky and became a Little All-American, players from small colleges. He graduated from Centre and later added a master's degree from Eastern Kentucky University.

His first coaching job was at Central High School in Wartburg, Tenn. He was 10-0 his first season. He then moved to Spring City where his team went 20-1-1. During his first three years of coaching, Homer also found time to be a minor league catcher in the Brooklyn Dodgers' organization during the spring and summer.

He returned to Highlands in 1954 and began winning one Kentucky state championship after another while compiling an eight year 71-8-6 mark. At one juncture his teams won 50 consecutive games.

Rice's 11-year record in high school coaching was 101-9-7. He had seven undefeated seasons, nine championship years, seven coach-of-the-year awards and in 1961 won the National Scholastic Association trophy as the "Winningest Coach in America."

The next phase in Homer's coaching life took him to the University of Kentucky as offensive coordinator in 1962. He had a national passing leader there in quarterback Rick Norton and the Wildcats led the Southeastern Conference in total offense in 1965.

In 1966 he moved to Oklahoma as offensive coordinator under the late Jim MacKenzie. He developed Bobby Warmack who led the nation in pass completion percentage in 1966.

Rice went to the University of Cincinnati in 1967 and had

another national champion passing quarterback, this time in Greg Cook who later became a Bengal only to suffer an injury which ruined what would have been a brilliant professional career. His offensive-minded Bearcats were among the most exciting teams in the country.

He coached at UC in 1967 and 1968 and then moved on to the University of North Carolina as athletic director. But coaching was still very much in Homer's blood and he went to Rice University as athletic director and head coach in 1976.

Tommy Kramer, now with the Minnesota Vikings, was his quarterback and his "Owl Air Corps" compiled amazing passing statistics.

In between coaching and teaching, Rice has written several books and is a much-sought after speaker whose chief topic is "motivation." His books include "The Explosive Short T," "How To Organize Football Practice," and "Homer Rice On Triple Option Football," just to name a few.

An interesting sidelight on the "Triple Option" is that Rice was running it in the mid-50s while running up a remarkable number of victories at Highlands High School. He was ahead of Texas coach Darrell Royal who is famous for the Wishbone T which was actually adapted from the offense Rice used at Highlands. There's no secret about it; before Royal completed development of his "Wishbone," he called his new attack "Homer's Triple."

Homer Rice credits much of his success to a motivation program he has developed that he calls "The Attitude Technique." He has been working and building and polishing it for over 20 years and now is presenting it often in written form, as well as by lecturing at clinics and seminars — not only for coaches and athletes, but for professional and business organizations.

Rice, who leaves nothing to chance, says professional football is exactly what he expected it to be. His insight comes from the large amount of time he had spent throughout his career with Brown and Tom Landry, head coach of the Dallas Cowboys.

Homer, who was born Feb. 20, 1927, is the son of a Methodist minister. He and his wife, Phyllis, have three daughters, Nancy, Phyllis and Angela.



HOWARD BRINKER **Defensive Coordinator** **Linebackers**

Howard Brinker has been a coach in the National Football League for 28 years and is regarded as one of the top defensive strategists in football.

He coordinates the highly-regarded Bengal defense and also coaches the linebackers. He became the club's defensive coordinator in 1975.

Brinker rejoined Paul Brown following the 1973 season when he left the Cleveland Browns after 22 years to become the Bengals' linebacker coach.

He has been instrumental in the development of such fine Cincinnati linebackers as Jim LeClair, Reggie Williams, Glenn Cameron and Bo Harris.

Brinker is a graduate of Massillon High School where he played on Brown's first team there. He graduated from Miami (Ohio) University in 1939 and began his coaching career on the junior high school level in Massillon.

His first head coaching job was at Steubenville (Ohio) High School where he served in 1941 and 1942. After three years in the military service, Brinker returned to Steubenville for three more seasons. In 1949 he moved on to Ohio University as defensive line coach.

Brown brought Brinker to Cleveland as chief scout and assistant coach in 1952. He became defensive coordinator of the Browns in 1954.

Howard was born March 31, 1914 in Canal Fulton, Ohio, and holds a masters' degree in physical education from Ohio University. He and his wife, Mary, have two sons, David, 25, and William, 21.



BOYD DOWLER **Receivers**

Boyd Dowler, former Green Bay Packer All-Pro receiver, is beginning his third season as the Cincinnati Bengals' receiver coach.

Dowler joined the Bengals in 1976 after serving as pass coordinator for the Philadelphia Eagles since 1973.

Dowler has played a big part in the development of Cincinnati receivers Isaac Curtis, Billy Brooks, Pat McNally and young Don Bass.

Boyd's coaching background includes being an assistant coach with the Los Angeles Rams in 1970, and with the Washington Redskins in 1971 and 1972. He was a player-coach with the Redskins in 1971.

The lanky Dowler played on five championship Green Bay teams — three National Football League champions and two Super Bowl winners. He was coached at Green Bay by the late Vince Lombardi.

He was with the Packers from 1959 to 1969 and had 474 receptions and 40 touchdowns during his outstanding professional career. He was inducted into the Packer Hall of Fame in 1978.

Dowler was drafted in the third round by Green Bay in 1959 after completing a brilliant career at Colorado where he was a receiver and quarterback.

Boyd was born October 19, 1937. He and his wife, Patricia, have two children, Kristen, 16, and Brian, 9.



FRANK GANSZ **Special Teams**

Frank Gansz was named to the Cincinnati Bengals' coaching staff as special teams coach in January, 1979.

Gansz came to the Bengals from the San Francisco 49ers where he was in charge of special teams in 1978.

Prior to working with the 49ers he coached on the collegiate level with six different teams including the three service academies — Army, Navy and the Air Force.

He coached at the Air Force Academy (1964-66), Colgate (1968), the Naval Academy (1969-72), Oklahoma State (1973 and 1975), the U.S. Military Academy (1974) and UCLA (1976-77).

Gansz is a graduate of the Naval Academy where he played football from 1957 to 1959 and was a member of the 1958 Cotton Bowl team. He played center, guard and linebacker for the Midshipmen.

After graduating from Annapolis in 1960, Gansz served in the U.S. Air Force as a jet pilot from 1961 to 1966, coaching concurrently at the Air Force Academy the last three years. He was a commercial airline pilot in 1967 and 1968.

Gansz is 40-years-old and he and his wife, Barbara, have a son Frank Jr., 17, and a daughter, Jennifer, 16.



MIKE McCORMACK **Offensive Line**

The Cincinnati Bengals' offensive line is in the capable hands of Mike McCormack, former head coach of the Philadelphia Eagles and All-Pro performer with the Cleveland Browns.

McCormack is in his fourth season with the Bengals. He joined the Bengals on January 1, 1976, as offensive line coach.

Mike was head coach of the Eagles in 1973, 1974 and 1975 and prior to that was offensive line coach of the Washington Redskins from 1966 through 1972. His knowledge is respected throughout the NFL.

His association with Paul Brown goes back to his playing days with the Cleveland Browns where he achieved all-pro status as a guard. He also played linebacker on defense.

McCormack was with the Browns from 1954 until 1962 and also played for the New York Yankees and the Baltimore Colts. He was on the Pro Bowl team six times.

Mike was a first round draft choice of the New York Yankees in 1951 after an outstanding career at Kansas where he was an All-American. He played in the College All-Star game and was captain of the West squad in the East-West Shrine game in 1951.

He was born June 21, 1930, and he and his wife, Ann, have four children, Michael, 21; Timothy, 20; Molly, 18, and Colleen, 16.



DICK MODZELEWSKI **Defensive Line**

Dick "Mo" Modzelewski is starting his first season as defensive line coach of the Cincinnati Bengals.

"Mo" came to the Bengals in February from the New York Giants where he had been defensive coordinator. He served as defensive line coach of the Cleveland Browns from 1968 until 1976 and was the club's defensive coordinator in 1977. He was interim head coach of the Browns during part of the 1977 season.

"Mo" was an outstanding defensive tackle for the Giants and the Browns during his playing days. He was with the Giants from 1956 through 1963. He was traded to the Browns in 1964 and played three more seasons before retiring in 1966.

Drafted No. 2 by the Washington Redskins in 1953, he also played with the Pittsburgh Steelers in 1955 before being traded to the Giants where he became a vital part of the "Fearsome Foursome" along with Andy Robustelli, Jim Katcavage and Rosey Grier. An all-pro several seasons, "Mo" played on six conference champions and two National Football League championship teams — the Giants in 1956 and the Browns in 1964.

He was born February 16, 1931 in West Natrona, Pa., and was a star defensive player at Maryland. He and his wife, Dorothy have four children — Mark, Laurie, Terrie and Amie.



GEORGE SEFCIK
Offensive Backfield

Talented George Sefcik is starting his second season as offensive backfield coach of the Cincinnati Bengals.

Sefcik came to Cincinnati from Cleveland in 1978 and had the Bengals ground game in high gear during the latter half of the season, showing marked improvement with each game.

He coached the offensive backs at Cleveland for three seasons and played a big role in the development of outstanding running back Greg Pruitt.

His young Cincinnati backfield is talented and highly disciplined, reflecting his coaching.

Sefcik is a graduate of Notre Dame where he was a halfback on the 1959-60-61 teams. Following graduation, he became head coach at Niles (Ill.) High School. He returned to Notre Dame a year later as freshman coach.

The following year when Ara Parseghian became head coach of the Irish, Sefcik was named coach of the receivers. He stayed at Notre Dame until 1969 when he went to the University of Kentucky as offensive coordinator.

He was an offensive coach with the Baltimore Colts in 1973 and 1974 and joined the Browns in 1975. A native of Cleveland, Sefcik helped bring the state title to Benedictine in 1957 as a halfback.

George and his wife, Loretta, have three children.



CHARLEY WINNER
Defensive Backfield

Charley Winner, former head coach of the New York Jets and St. Louis Cardinals, is the Bengals' defensive backfield coach.

Since coming to Cincinnati in 1976, Winner has put together one of the top defensive backfield corps in the NFL. His 1976 defensive backs ranked first against the pass in the American Football Conference. Last season his talented group was second against the pass in the AFC.

Winner compiled a 35-30 record as head coach of the Cardinals from 1966 through 1970. He was assistant coach with the Washington Redskins and George Allen in 1971 and 1972 and joined the Jets in a similar capacity in 1973.

Charley was named head coach of the Jets in 1974 and lifted the club to a 7-7 record. He left the Jets midway through the 1975 season.

The highly-experienced Winner was an assistant coach with the Baltimore Colts for 12 years, working with Weeb Ewbank and Don Shula. Prior to that he was an aide at Washington University of St. Louis and at Case Institute of Technology in Cleveland.

Charley is a graduate of Washington University (St. Louis) and holds a masters degree from the same school. He and his wife, Nancy, have two daughters, Cinda, 26, and Lisa, 22.



KIM WOOD
Strength Coach

The Cincinnati Bengals strength coach is Kim Wood who is entering his fifth season with the club.

Wood, who is 34 years old, became the Bengals first fulltime strength coach

in 1975. He has put all Bengal players on a year-round training program.

Wood has been one of the leaders in the Nautilus training program since its inception. He is a dedicated and tireless worker and has set up programs for a number of NFL and college teams.

He was an outstanding running back at the University of Wisconsin. Kim and his wife, Connie, have a son, John, seven months.

Kim was born July 12, 1945, and his hometown is Barrington, Ill.



MARVIN POLLINS Trainer

The Bengals' chief trainer is Marvin Pollins who joined Paul Brown when the franchise was formed in 1968.

Pollins had been a trainer at Northwestern University for two years and Miami of Ohio for five years before joining the Bengals' staff.

Marvin and his wife, Merle, have two daughters, Karen, 12, and Tracy, 10.



TOM GRAY Equipment Manager

Tom Gray, who was associated with Paul Brown in Cleveland for many years is the Bengals' equipment manager.

Gray, a native of Ravenna, Ohio, aided in the team's initial purchase of equipment and operates the club's equipment room at Wilmington College and Spinney Field, the Bengals' practice facility in Cincinnati.

Gray came to the Bengals in 1968.

Tom and his wife, Bridget, have three children, Lori, 23, Allyson, 18, and Tom, 14.

BENGAL SCOUTS



EARL BIEDERMAN JOHN HOGAN FRANK SMOUSE



JACK THOMAS FRANK UIBLE MILT VON MANN

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF



PETE BROWN
Director of
Player Personnel

Pete Brown, an astute judge of football talent, is the Cincinnati Bengals director of player personnel.

Pete became director of the vital player personnel department in 1969 after serving one year as assistant director. He has been in charge of the club's scouting program since the franchise began 12 years ago.

His search for talent has sent him to virtually every college in the country and his drafts are considered among the very best in the National Football League.

A graduate of Denison University, Pete, an authority on physical fitness, has played a major role in implementing the Nautilus training program with the Bengals.



JOHN MURDOUGH
Business Manager



ALLAN HEIM
Public Relations Director



BILL HEDGECOCK
Ticket Manager



PAUL KELLY
Assistant Ticket Manager



JAY REIS
Accountant



SHIRLEY BIRD
Entertainment Director



NO. 54 RETIRED

Center Bob Johnson's jersey number 54 was officially retired following the Bengals' final game in 1978. Johnson, the first man drafted by the Bengals when the franchise began in 1968, retired following the 1978 season. He had been one of the club's offensive captains for 11 seasons. Johnson's '54' is the only Bengal number that has been retired. He is pictured here with his wife, Jane, and children, Anna, and Joshua, during his retirement ceremonies at Riverfront.

CINCINNATI BENGAL OWNERS

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A. E. Knowlton
Louis Nippert

John Sawyer
James R. Williams
William J. Williams

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ROSS SHOWS HIS WARES

Defensive end Ross Browner clutches the Burger-Bengal Most Valuable Player Trophy he won in 1978 by a vote of the Cincinnati fans.

1979 BENGALS



KEN ANDERSON
QB 30 6-3 208
Augustana (Ill.) 9

One of the top quarterbacks in the National Football League . . . Suffered a broken bone in his right hand in the final pre-season game and was unavailable to Bengals until the fifth game of the season . . . His injury was critical to club's chances . . . Came back from injury to complete 173 of 319 passes for 2219 yards (54.2%) and 10 touchdowns . . . Was very sharp in final games while leading Bengals to three consecutive victories . . . Starting ninth season after coming to the Bengals as a third round draft choice from tiny Augustana (Ill.) College in 1971 . . . Started several games as a rookie and established himself as Bengals' number one quarterback in 1972 . . . Holds all Bengals' passing records and is beginning to take command of passing category in the NFL record book . . . His 90.91 completion percentage (20 completions in 22 attempts) against Pittsburgh in 1974 ranks as an alltime professional football mark of excellence for a single game . . . Courageous performer . . . Top-rated passer in the NFL in 1975 and 1976 . . . Has career completion average of almost 57% . . . Has been named to the AFC Pro Bowl team three times . . . Winner of the Burger-Bengal Most Valuable Player award in 1974 and 1975 . . . Very active in community affairs in the Cincinnati area . . . Dodge-NFL Man-Of-The-Year in 1975 . . . Honorary chairman of the Easter Seal Campaign in Greater Cincinnati for five years . . . Leader in Special Olympics . . . Ken and his wife, Bonnie, have a son Matt, 4, and a daughter, Megan Elizabeth, six months . . . Lives in Northern Kentucky and is associated with a real estate firm there and also attends Chase College where he is studying for a law degree . . . Voted one of five top young men in Kentucky in 1977 . . . Operates football camp for youngsters . . . Born February 15, 1949 . . . Hometown is Batavia, Ill.

ANDERSON'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASSING						
		NO.	COMP.	PCT.	YDS.	TD	LG.	INT
1971	CINCINNATI	131	72	.550	777	5	44	4
1972	CINCINNATI	301	171	.568	1918	7	65	7
1973	CINCINNATI	329	179	.544	2428	18	78	12
1974	CINCINNATI	328	213	.649	2667	18	77	10
1975	CINCINNATI	377	228	.605	3169	21	55	11
1976	CINCINNATI	338	179	.530	2367	19	85	14
1977	CINCINNATI	323	166	.514	2145	11	94	11
1978	CINCINNATI	319	173	.542	2219	10	57	22
	TOTALS	2446	1381	.565	17690	109	94	91

YEAR	TEAM	RUSHING				
		ATT.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1971	CINCINNATI	22	125	5.2	1	16
1972	CINCINNATI	22	94	4.3	3	18
1973	CINCINNATI	26	97	3.7	0	17
1974	CINCINNATI	43	314	7.3	2	20
1975	CINCINNATI	49	188	3.8	2	29
1976	CINCINNATI	31	134	4.3	1	16
1977	CINCINNATI	25	127	5.1	2	13
1978	CINCINNATI	29	167	5.8	1	16
	TOTALS	247	1246	5.0	12	29

YEAR	TEAM	SCORING				PTS.
		TDs	TD-R	TD-P	0	
1971	CINCINNATI	1	1	0	0	6
1972	CINCINNATI	3	3	0	0	18
1973	CINCINNATI	0	0	0	0	0
1974	CINCINNATI	2	2	0	0	12
1975	CINCINNATI	2	2	0	0	12
1976	CINCINNATI	1	1	0	0	6
1977	CINCINNATI	2	2	0	0	12
1978	CINCINNATI	1	1	0	0	6
	TOTALS	12	12	0	0	72

K 26

CHRIS BAHR
5-10 172
Penn State 4



Outstanding young placekicker with good range and accuracy... Connected on 16 of 30 field goal attempts and led the Bengals in scoring with 74 points... His 42-yard field goal in the final minutes gave Bengals a 20-19 victory over the Los Angeles Rams... Kicked a 52-yard field goal against New England which was the longest in AFC in 1978... Entering his fourth season in the NFL, all with Cincinnati... Second round draft choice in 1976 after brilliant career at Penn State where he was named to All-American football and soccer teams... His brother, Matt, was one of the top placekickers in college football at Penn State last year... Nickname is "Little Foot"... Wife's name is Hartini... Born February 3, 1953... Lives in Cincinnati during the off-season... Hometown is State College, Pa.

BAHR'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	NO.	PUNTING					BLK
			YDS.	AVG.	TB	IN 20	LG	
1977	CINCINNATI	2	88	44.0	0	2	45	0
1978	CINCINNATI	4	108	27.0	1	2	30	0
	TOTALS	6	196	32.7	1	4	45	0

YEAR	TEAM	SCORING				
		XP	XPM	FG	FGA	PTS
1976	CINCINNATI	39	3	14	27	81
1977	CINCINNATI	25	1	19	27	82
1978	CINCINNATI	26	0	16	30	74
	TOTALS	90	4	49	84	237

TE 23

DON BASS
6-2 218
Houston 2



A Bengal bright spot in 1978... Had outstanding rookie year at tight end, catching 27 passes for 447 yards and four touchdowns including one 51 yards and another of 40... Ability to shake loose and turn the ball upfield gave him a 16.6 average per catch... Fast, good blocker... Kept getting better as season progressed... Excellent hands... Has ability to go deep... Third round draft choice in 1978 out of the University of Houston where he was a wide receiver... Ranks high among alltime Cougar receivers... Born March 11, 1956... Hometown is Ft. Worth, Texas.

BASS' STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASS RECEIVING					
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.	
1978	CINCINNATI	27	447	16.6	4	51	
YEAR	TEAM	PUNT RETURNS					
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.	
1978	CINCINNATI	3	8	2.7	0	7	
YEAR	TEAM	KICKOFF RETURNS					
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.	
1978	CINCINNATI	7	137	19.4	0	32	
YEAR	TEAM	SCORING					
		TD-R	TD-P	TD-RT	FG	PAT	TP
1978	CINCINNATI	0	3	1	0	0	24

LOUIS BREEDEN
CB 24 5-11 187
North Carolina Central 2



Young cornerback with a great future... Became a starter as a first-year man and showed constant improvement... Had three interceptions and performed well, showing rapid development at tough position... Works with youths in "Operation Athlete"... Seventh round draft choice in 1977 and spent season on Bengals' injured reserve list... All-Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference two years at North Carolina Central... Intelligence, speed, quickness, toughness... Hobbies include drawing... Louis and his wife, Denise, have a daughter, Jamila, 2... Born October 26, 1953... Hometown is Hamlet, N.C.

BREEDEN'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASS INTERCEPTIONS				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1978	CINCINNATI	3	25	8.3	0	18
YEAR	TEAM	PUNT RETURNS				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1978	CINCINNATI	6	-12	-2.0	0	1

BILLY BROOKS
WR 26 6-3 202
Oklahoma 4



Hampered by injuries in 1978 but still put together some good statistics — 30 receptions, 506 yards, 16.9 average, tops on club, and two touchdowns... Back full go for 1979 and looking for a big year... Entering his fourth NFL season, all with Cincinnati... Led team in receptions in 1977 with 39... Bengals' first round draft choice in 1976... Teams with Isaac Curtis to give Cincinnati two of the top NFL wide receivers... Fine speed, excellent hands... Stylish runner and receiver... Played on Oklahoma's 1975 national championship team... Wife's name is Alberta... Lives in Cincinnati during off-season... Born August 20, 1953... Hometown is Austin, Texas.

BROOKS' STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASS RECEIVING				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1976	CINCINNATI	16	191	12.0	0	25
1977	CINCINNATI	39	772	19.8	4	94
1978	CINCINNATI	30	506	16.9	2	45
	TOTALS	85	1469	17.3	6	94

YEAR	TEAM	RUSHING				
		ATT.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1976	CINCINNATI	1	-13	-13.0	0	-13
1977	CINCINNATI	2	-4	-2.0	0	-4
	TOTALS	3	-17	-5.4	0	-4

YEAR	TEAM	SCORING				
		TDS	TDR	TDP	TDRT	PTS.
1977	CINCINNATI	4	0	4	0	24
1978	CINCINNATI	2	0	2	0	12
	TOTALS	6	0	6	0	36

ROSS BROWNER
DE 24 6-3 262
Notre Dame 2



Bengals' first round draft choice in 1978... Former Notre Dame All-American who suffered a detached bicep in right arm during preseason game... Returned following surgery after missing the first seven regular season games... It was no coincidence that when the big, quick defensive end entered the lineup the club jelled and the defense finished the season as one of the best in the NFL... Led the team in quarterback sacks with eight and had 53 solo tackles... Voted Burger-Bengal most valuable player by the fans... Also selected Bengal Touchdown Club MVP... Named to numerous All-Rookie teams... Tri-captain and consensus All-American on Notre Dame's national championship team in 1977... Winner of the Outland and Lombardi Trophies... High school All-American at Warren (Ohio) Western Reserve... Majored in economics... One of eight children... Brother, Jim, played safety at Notre Dame and was drafted by the Bengals this year, and another brother, Willard, was a back with Tulane... Single... Born March 22, 1954... Hometown is Warren, Ohio, but he and his family now live in Atlanta.

GLENN BUJNOCH
G 25 6-6 255
Texas A & M 4



Big, tough, hard-working guard who should have lengthy and solid career in the NFL... Quick and aggressive... Good pass-blocker... Second round draft choice in 1976... Has been a starter since rookie season... One of only a few offensive linemen who can claim scoring a touchdown... "Booj" took a lateral and "raced" for a TD against Pittsburgh in 1977... "First time I've ever scored a touchdown and one of the few times I've ever touched the football"... All-American at Texas A & M... Lives in Cincinnati and works for Mercury Travel Agency during the off-season... Instructor

at football camp at Denison University . . . Born December 20, 1953 . . . Hometown is Houston.

BUJNOCH'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	TDs	TD-R	TD-P	O	PTS.
1977	CINCINNATI	1	1	0	0	1

GARY BURLEY
DE 26 6-3 269
Pittsburgh 4



Solid, enthusiastic performer whose spirit is contagious . . . One of the Bengals "front four" which should develop into one of the very best in the NFL . . . Had 63 solo tackles, 19 assists and four quarterback sacks in 1978 . . . Beginning his fourth season with the Bengals . . . Has been starting defensive end for three seasons . . . Very quick for a big man . . . Good pass rusher . . . Has never-say-die determination . . . Third round draft choice in 1975 out of Pitt where he was an All-American . . . Lives in Cincinnati during the off-season . . . Born December 8, 1952 . . . Hometown is Urbancrest, Ohio.

BLAIR BUSH
C 22 6-3 252
Washington 2



Won starting job at center in his rookie season . . . Drafted by the Bengals in the first round in 1978 . . . Played exceptionally well during his rookie year and was named to all NFL All-Rookie teams . . . Has potential to develop into top NFL center . . . Excellent blocker and fine snapper on punts and field goals . . . Co-captain of the 1977 Huskies who defeated Michigan in the Rose Bowl . . . Excellent speed and strength . . . Single . . . Born November 25, 1956 in Fort Hood, Texas . . . Hometown is Palos Verdes, Calif.

GLENN CAMERON
LB 26 6-1½ 230
Florida 5



Starting linebacker inside and outside in 1978 . . . Played inside when Bengals were in "34" defense and moved outside when club went back to four-man line . . . Had a fine year and played an important role in making Bengals' defense one of the NFL's best . . . Accounted for 63 unassisted tackles during 1978 . . . Top-flight linebacker . . . Entering his fifth season with the Bengals . . . First round draft choice in 1976 after being consensus All-American at Florida . . . Rugged tackler with good speed . . . Wife's name is Elizabeth . . . Hobbies are hunting, fishing and scuba diving . . . Born February 21, 1953 . . . Hometown is Miami, Fla.

BOOBIE CLARK
RB 28 6-2 242
Bethune-Cookman 7



Rugged, hard running back who has rushed for 2978 yards in his six seasons with Cincinnati . . . Gained 988 yards in his rookie year . . . Had a 4.7 average last season with 40 carries for 187 yards . . . Leading rusher in 1976 with 671 yards and in 1975 with 594 yards . . . Good pass receiver . . . Caught 45 passes in his rookie season . . . AFC rookie-of-the-year in 1973 . . . 12th round draft choice in 1973 . . . Played tight end and linebacker at Bethune-Cookman before being shifted to fullback . . . Burger-Bengal Most Valuable Player in 1973 . . . Single . . . Holds masters' degree in political science and sociology from Southeastern U., Greenville, S.C. . . . Born November 8, 1950 . . . Hometown is Jacksonville, Fla.

CLARK'S STATISTICS

RUSHING						
YEAR	TEAM	ATT.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1973	CINCINNATI	254	988	3.9	8	26
1974	CINCINNATI	99	312	3.2	5	20
1975	CINCINNATI	167	594	3.6	4	17
1976	CINCINNATI	151	671	4.4	7	24
1977	CINCINNATI	69	226	3.3	1	10
1978	CINCINNATI	40	187	4.7	0	20
	TOTALS	780	2978	3.8	25	26

PASS RECEIVING						
YEAR	TEAM	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1973	CINCINNATI	45	347	7.7	0	39
1974	CINCINNATI	23	194	8.7	1	23
1975	CINCINNATI	42	334	7.9	0	27
1976	CINCINNATI	23	158	6.9	1	19
1977	CINCINNATI	7	33	4.7	0	11
1978	CINCINNATI	11	73	6.6	0	26
	TOTALS	151	1139	7.5	2	39

SCORING						
YEAR	TEAM	TDS	TD-R	TD-P	0	PTS.
1973	CINCINNATI	8	8	0	0	48
1974	CINCINNATI	6	5	1	0	36
1975	CINCINNATI	4	4	0	0	24
1976	CINCINNATI	8	7	1	0	48
1977	CINCINNATI	1	1	0	0	6
	TOTALS	27	25	2	0	162

MARVIN COBB
S 26 6-0 188
Southern California 5



Steady, veteran performer at strong safety . . . Very smart, heady player who goes 100% at all times . . . Has also played free safety and cornerback . . . Selected in the 11th round by the Bengals in 1975 but would have been a much higher choice since most clubs thought he would pursue a career in professional baseball . . . Holder for field goal and extra point attempts . . . Starter on three outstanding Southern California teams . . . National Merit Scholar . . . Hobbies are

flying single engine planes, racquetball, electronic gadgets and playing the piano . . . Marvin and his wife, Susan, have a son Tremayne Quinton, two months . . . Born August 6, 1953 in Detroit, but grew up in Riverside, Calif.

COBB'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASS INTERCEPTIONS				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1975	CINCINNATI	4	116	29.0	1	52
1976	CINCINNATI	3	55	18.3	0	28
1977	CINCINNATI	2	37	18.5	1	37
1978	CINCINNATI	1	13	13.0	0	13
	TOTALS	10	221	22.1	2	52

YEAR	TEAM	PUNT RETURNS					
		NO.	FC	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1975	CINCINNATI	1	3	1	1.0	0	1
1976	CINCINNATI	3	0	14	4.7	0	7
1977	CINCINNATI	1	0	4	4.0	0	4
	TOTALS	5	3	19	3.8	0	7

YEAR	TEAM	KICKOFF RETURNS				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1975	CINCINNATI	1	0	0.0	0	0

YEAR	TEAM	PASSING						
		ATT.	COMP.	PCT.	YDS.	TD	LG.	INT.
1977	CINCINNATI	1	0	.000	0	0	0	0

YEAR	TEAM	SCORING				
		TDS	TD-R	TD-P	0	PTS.
1975	CINCINNATI	1	0	0	1	6

JIM CORBETT
 TE 24 6-3 217
 Pitt 3



Big, strong tight end who has started numerous games for Bengals in his two seasons with the club . . . Had 12 receptions for 187 yards, a 15.6 average, in 1978 . . . Good hands, hard-working, likeable performer . . . Seventh round draft in 1977 from national champion Pitt team of previous year . . . Received many honors while playing for Pitt where he was captain in his senior year . . . A determined battler who has sights set on starting tight end job . . . Works in real estate in Cincinnati in the off-season . . . Single . . . Born February 22, 1955, in Brockton, Mass. . . Hometown is Erie, Pa.

CORBETT'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASS RECEPTIONS				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1977	CINCINNATI	7	127	18.1	1	47
1978	CINCINNATI	12	187	15.6	0	51
	TOTALS	19	314	16.5	1	51

YEAR	TEAM	RUSHING				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1977	CINCINNATI	1	-1	-1.0	0	-1

YEAR	TEAM	SCORING				
		TDS	TD-R	TD-P	0	PTS.
1977	CINCINNATI	1	0	1	0	6

ISAAC CURTIS
WR 28 6-1 192
San Diego State 7



Ranked among the elite wide receivers in football... Has been named All-Pro several times... Had a career high of 47 receptions in 1978... His receptions netted 737 yards, 15.7 average, and three touchdowns... Bengals' alltime leader in TD passes caught with 37 and second in pass catches with 228 in six seasons with Cincinnati... Has played in the Pro Bowl four times... One of the fastest men in the NFL... Graceful, flowing strides... Possesses excellent hands and is a clutch receiver... A threat long or short... Premier wide receiver... First round draft choice in 1973... All-American at San Diego State... Collegiate track star... Isaac and his wife, Diana, have two children, Kesha, 7, and Isaac III, 5... Born October 20, 1950... Hometown is Santa Ana, Calif.

CURTIS' STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASS RECEIVING				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1973	CINCINNATI	45	843	18.7	9	77
1974	CINCINNATI	30	633	21.1	10	77
1975	CINCINNATI	44	934	21.2	7	55
1976	CINCINNATI	42	771	18.7	6	85
1977	CINCINNATI	20	338	16.9	2	54
1978	CINCINNATI	47	737	15.7	3	57
	TOTALS	228	4256	18.7	37	85

YEAR	TEAM	RUSHING				
		ATT.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1973	CINCINNATI	2	-11	-5.5	0	1
1974	CINCINNATI	8	62	7.8	0	20
1975	CINCINNATI	6	-9	-1.5	0	14
1976	CINCINNATI	3	29	9.7	0	19
	TOTALS	19	71	3.8	0	20

YEAR	TEAM	SCORING				
		TDS	TD-R	TD-P	O	PTS.
1973	CINCINNATI	9	0	9	0	54
1974	CINCINNATI	10	0	10	0	60
1975	CINCINNATI	7	0	7	0	42
1976	CINCINNATI	6	0	6	0	36
1977	CINCINNATI	2	0	2	0	12
1978	CINCINNATI	3	0	3	0	18
	TOTALS	37	0	37	0	222

TOM DEPASO
LB 23 6-2 222
Penn State 2



Mid-season knee injury slowed progress... Expects to be back and ready to go 100% this season... Showed good potential prior to injury... 10th round draft choice in 1978... Another in a long line of good linebackers produced by Penn State... Works as a public accountant in the off-season... Single... Born February 22, 1956... Hometown is White Plains, N.Y.

LB 23 TOM DINKEL
6-3 247
Kansas 2



Very valuable addition to Bengals' squad... Good potential at linebacker and a solid special teams performer... Had outstanding career at Kansas and was a fifth round draft choice of Cincinnati in 1978... Ranks among the top 10 tacklers in Kansas' history... Running back in high school where he won all-state and All-American laurels... Continuing his education at Kansas during the off-season... Single... Born July 25, 1956... Hometown is Topeka, Kan.

DINKEL'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	RUSHING			AVG.	TD	LG.
		NO.	YDS.				
1978	CINCINNATI	1	20	20.0	0	20	
YEAR	TEAM	PASS INTERCEPTIONS			AVG.	TD	LG.
		NO.	YDS.				
1978	CINCINNATI	1	1	1.0	0	1	

G 23 MARK DONAHUE
6-3 251
Michigan 2



A big plus for the Bengals from the 1978 draft... Moved into lineup as a starting guard early in the season... Fine blocker, good speed... Smart player... Played very well and showed constant improvement... 11th round draft choice in 1978 after being consensus All-American at Michigan... Quiet, unassuming, but a leader... Wants to be a coach when NFL days are over... Wife's name is Cathy... Born January 29, 1956... Hometown is Oaklawn, Ill.

DT 25 EDDIE EDWARDS
6-4 256
Miami, Fla. 3



Young defensive lineman with All-Pro potential... Could develop into one of the NFL's best... Has extreme quickness... Superb speed... One of Cincinnati's young "front four"... Had 45 tackles, 12 assists and six quarterback sacks in 1978... Also had a pass interception... Starting his third season with Cincinnati... First round draft choice of Bengals in 1977... Was named to every all-rookie team selected in 1978... All-American in college with Miami, Fla... Likeable and very coachable... Edwards played at Arizona Western College a year before enrolling at Miami... Single... Born April 25, 1954 in Sumter, S.C... Hometown is Fort Pierce, Fla.

EDWARDS' STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASS INTERCEPTIONS			AVG.	TD	LG.
		NO.	YDS.				
1978	CINCINNATI	1	2	2.0	0	2	

LENVIL ELLIOTT
RB 28 6-0 210
 NE Missouri St. 7



Outstanding all-purpose back whose loss for nearly half of the season because of a broken collarbone in the final preseason game slowed the Bengals . . . Should be back at 100% go in 1979 and resume role as top-flight runner and pass receiver . . . Averaged over four yards per carry and more than eight yards per reception in 1977 when he caught 29 passes . . . Starting his seventh season, all with Cincinnati . . . Drafted in 10th round in 1973 . . . Graduate of Northeast Missouri State where he gained 1138 yards in his senior year . . . Lenvil and his wife, Linda, have a daughter, Melissa Renee . . . Resides in Fairfield, Ohio, during the off-season . . . Born September 2, 1951 . . . Hometown is Richmond, Mo.

ELLIOTT'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	RUSHING				
		ATT.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1973	CINCINNATI	22	122	5.5	1	15
1974	CINCINNATI	68	345	5.1	1	26
1975	CINCINNATI	71	308	4.3	1	27
1976	CINCINNATI	69	276	4.0	0	24
1977	CINCINNATI	66	271	4.1	0	32
1978	CINCINNATI	30	74	2.5	0	12
	TOTALS	326	1396	4.3	3	32

YEAR	TEAM	PASS RECEIVING				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1973	CINCINNATI	1	12	12.0	1	12
1974	CINCINNATI	18	187	10.3	1	28
1975	CINCINNATI	20	196	9.8	3	31
1976	CINCINNATI	22	188	8.5	3	29
1977	CINCINNATI	29	238	8.2	1	31
1978	CINCINNATI	12	100	11.1	0	15
	TOTALS	102	921	9.0	9	31

YEAR	TEAM	KICKOFF RETURNS				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1974	CINCINNATI	1	2	2.0	0	2
1975	CINCINNATI	13	272	20.9	0	46
1976	CINCINNATI	5	92	18.4	0	22
	TOTAL	19	366	19.3	0	46

YEAR	TEAM	PASSING						
		NO.	COMP.	PCT.	YDS.	TD	LG.	INT.
1974	CINCINNATI	1	2	1.000	17	0	17	0

YEAR	TEAM	SCORING				
		TDS	TD-R	TD-P	0	PTS.
1973	CINCINNATI	1	0	1	0	6
1974	CINCINNATI	2	1	1	0	12
1975	CINCINNATI	4	1	3	0	24
1976	CINCINNATI	3	0	3	0	18
1977	CINCINNATI	1	0	1	0	6
	TOTALS	11	2	9	0	66

ARCHIE GRIFFIN
RB 25 5-8 184
Ohio State 4



Exciting running back who is entering his fourth season with the Bengals . . . Only man to ever win two Heisman Trophies . . . Great Ohio State player . . . Has been a starter for Cincinnati for three years . . . Has rushed for 626, 549 and 484 yards respectively in last three seasons . . . Has developed into a top-notch pass receiver . . . He caught 35 passes in 1978 and three were for touchdowns . . . He and running back Pete Johnson give the Cincinnati backfield the "Ohio State Connection" . . . Archie's brother, Ray, is a defensive back and kick return specialist with the Bengals . . . Smart runner with good speed . . . Tough competitor . . . Learns quickly . . . First-round draft choice for Cincinnati in 1976 after brilliant career at Ohio State where he was an All-American three times . . . Holds numerous Ohio State records plus several NCAA marks . . . Leader in Fellowship of Christian Athletes . . . Associated with Shoe Corp. of America . . . Active in numerous charitable organizations including the Special Olympics . . . Archie and his wife, Loretta, have a son, Anthony Marcus, 1 . . . Born August 21, 1954 . . . Hometown is Columbus, Ohio.

A. GRIFFIN'S STATISTICS

		RUSHING				
YEAR	TEAM	ATT.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1976	CINCINNATI	138	625	4.5	3	77
1977	CINCINNATI	138	549	4.0	0	31
1978	CINCINNATI	132	484	3.7	0	30
	TOTALS	408	1658	4.0	3	77

		PASS RECEIVING				
YEAR	TEAM	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1976	CINCINNATI	16	138	8.6	0	23
1977	CINCINNATI	28	240	8.6	0	24
1978	CINCINNATI	35	284	8.1	3	27
	TOTALS	79	662	8.3	3	27

		KICKOFF RETURNS				
YEAR	TEAM	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1976	CINCINNATI	3	56	18.7	0	23
1977	CINCINNATI	9	185	20.6	0	26
1978	CINCINNATI	4	94	23.5	0	26
	TOTALS	16	335	20.9	0	26

		PASSING						
YEAR	TEAM	ATT.	COMP.	PCT.	YDS.	TD	LG	INT.
1977	CINCINNATI	1	1	1.000	18	1	18	0
1978	CINCINNATI	2	2	1.000	21	1	18	0
	TOTALS	3	3	1.000	39	2	18	0

		SCORING				
YEAR	TEAM	TDS	TD-R	TD-P	O	PTS.
1976	CINCINNATI	3	3	0	0	18
1978	CINCINNATI	2	0	2	0	12
	TOTALS	5	3	2	0	30

CB-KR 23

RAY GRIFFIN
5-10 183
Ohio State 2



Promising defensive back... Returned 37 kickoffs for 787 yards for a 21.3 average in 1978... Has excellent speed and should develop into good pro defensive back... Also is working at wide receiver... Second round draft choice in 1978... His brother, Archie, is a Bengals' running back... Co-captain of the 1977 Ohio State Buckeyes... Starter for the three seasons at OSU... Hobby is painting... Wife's name is Lynn... Born June 29, 1956... Hometown is Columbus, Ohio.

R. GRIFFIN'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	KICKOFF RETURNS			AVG.	TD	LG.
		NO.	YDS.				
1978	CINCINNATI	37	787		21.3	0	39

LB 26

BO HARRIS
6-3 226
LSU 5



Knee operation midway through the preseason slowed down this outstanding young, rugged linebacker... Returned to action late in season after missing eight games... Played well and should be ready to resume his 1977 performance when he was one of the club's top defensive players... Rarely misses assignments... Full-time starter at right outside linebacker for two seasons... Very aggressive and provides excellent pass coverage... Third round draft choice of Bengals in 1975... Works in real estate and residential construction in off-season... Hobbies are hunting, skiing and fishing... Single... Born January 16, 1953... Hometown is Shreveport, La.

HARRIS' STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASS INTERCEPTIONS			AVG.	TD	LG.
		NO.	YDS.				
1976	CINCINNATI	1	-3		-3.0	0	-3
1977	CINCINNATI	2	17		8.5	0	10
	TOTALS	3	14		4.7	0	10

QB 24

ROB HERTEL
6-2 195
USC 2



Young quarterback with good potential . . . Saw limited action in 1978 while playing behind Ken Anderson and John Reaves . . . Sound, accurate passer from Southern California . . . Threw 19 touchdown passes for the Trojans in 1977 while completing 132 of 245 passes for 2145 yards . . . Drafted by Bengals in fourth round in 1978 . . . His career totals at USC were 176 completions in 321 attempts for 2812 yards and 29 touchdowns . . . Wife's name is Dana . . . Hobbies include bicycle riding, jogging, skiing and swimming . . . Born February 21, 1955 . . . Hometown is Hacienda Heights, Calif.

HERTEL'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASSING			PCT.	TD	LG.	INT
		NO.	COMP.	YDS.				
1978	CINCINNATI	4	1	9	25.0	0	9	0

VERNON HOLLAND
T 31 6-5 267
Tennessee State 9



Steady, reliable offensive tackle who is in his ninth season with the Bengals . . . Definite All-Pro caliber . . . Leader in the Cincinnati offensive line . . . Tenacious blocker . . . A steady influence . . . A team leader in his own quiet way . . . Very likeable . . . Has great respect throughout the NFL . . . One of the best pulling tackles in the league . . . Exceptional desire to excel at what he's doing . . . First round draft choice by Bengals in 1971 after he was an All-American at Tennessee State . . . Instant starter with Bengals . . . Solid blocker, excellent on pass protection . . . Loves music and has excellent stereo and cassette recording equipment . . . Wants to become a disc jockey . . . Nickname is Suki . . . Single . . . Born June 28, 1948 . . . Hometown is Sherman, Texas.

RON HUNT
T 24 6-6 275
Oregon 4



Big, rugged offensive tackle who spent the latter part of the season on the injured reserve list due to a badly sprained ankle . . . Has outstanding potential and should be in the thick of the battle for a starting job in 1979 . . . Started last three games in 1977 . . . Came to the Bengals as an eighth round draft choice in 1976 . . . Very good blocker . . . Rapidly maturing into solid offensive tackle . . . Played college football at Oregon . . . Born January 27, 1955 . . . Hometown is Los Angeles.

HUNT'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	KICKOFF RETURNS			TD	LG.
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.		
1976	CINCINNATI	2	24	12.0	0	17

DICK JAURON
S 28 6-0 184
Yale 7



Came to the Bengals at the start of the regular season as a free agent . . . Had been a starter for the Detroit Lions for five seasons . . . Gave Bengal secondary added experience and stability . . . Frequent starter at safety spots . . . Led the club in interceptions with four . . . His interception in final minutes preserved 20-19 win over Los Angeles . . . Started his pro career as a running back . . . Drafted in fourth round by Lions in 1973 after outstanding career at Yale . . . Rushed for over 100 yards in 16 college games at Yale . . . Returned first pro interception 95 yards for a TD against Chicago . . . NFC punt return leader in 1974 with a 16.8 average . . . Assistant baseball coach at Yale . . . Single . . . Born October 7, 1950 in Swampscott, Mass.

JAURON'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASS INTERCEPTIONS			AVG.	TD	LG.
		NO.	YDS.				
1973	DETROIT	4	208		1	95	
1974	DETROIT	1	26		0	26	
1975	DETROIT	4	39		0	38	
1976	DETROIT	2	0		0	0	
1977	DETROIT	3	55		0	28	
1978	CINCINNATI	4	52		1	24	
	TOTALS	18	380		2	95	

YEAR	TEAM	PUNT RETURNS			AVG.	TD	LG.
		NO.	FC	YDS.			
1973	DETROIT	6	4	48	8.2	0	16
1974	DETROIT	17	7	286	16.8	0	58
1975	DETROIT	6	1	29	4.8	0	10
1977	DETROIT	11	8	41	3.7	0	12
1978	CINCINNATI	3	0	32	10.6	0	15
	TOTALS	43	20	436	13.2	0	58

YEAR	TEAM	KICKOFF RETURNS			AVG.	TD	LG.
		NO.	YDS.				
1973	DETROIT	17	405		0	33	
1974	DETROIT	2	21		0	21	
	TOTALS	19	426		0	33	

YEAR	TEAM	SCORING			0	PTS.
		TDS	TD-R	TD-P		
1973	DETROIT	1	0	0	1	6
1978	CINCINNATI	1	0	0	1	6
	TOTALS	2	0	0	2	12

PETE JOHNSON
RB 25 6-0 259
Ohio State 3



Powerful running back who gained 762 yards in 1978 to lead the Bengals in rushing for the second consecutive season . . . Averaged a healthy 4.2 yards per carry . . . Rushed for seven touchdowns . . . Gained 160 yards to set a Cincinnati rushing

record as Bengals swamped Browns, 48-16, in 1978 season finale at Riverfront . . . Gained 583 yards rushing to top team as a rookie in 1977 . . . Runs with reckless abandon, over, around and through tacklers . . . Has good speed for a big man . . . Teams with Archie Griffin, his former running mate at Ohio State, in Bengal backfield . . . Impressive blocker and good pass receiver . . . Caught 31 passes last season . . . Second round draft choice in 1977 . . . Has bright career ahead . . . Leading scorer in Ohio State and Big 10 history with 58 TDs . . . All-Big 10 and All-American at OSU . . . Avid boater . . . Wife's name is Sharon . . . Born March 2, 1954 in Peach County, Ga. . . Hometown is Long Beach, N.Y., but now lives in Columbus, Ohio.

P. JOHNSON'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	RUSHING				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1977	CINCINNATI	152	583	3.8	4	65
1978	CINCINNATI	180	762	4.2	7	50
	TOTALS	332	1345	4.0	11	65

YEAR	TEAM	PASS RECEPTIONS				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1977	CINCINNATI	5	49	9.8	0	21
1978	CINCINNATI	31	236	8.1	0	34
	TOTALS	36	285	7.9	0	34

YEAR	TEAM	KICKOFF RETURNS				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1977	CINCINNATI	1	11	11.0	0	11

YEAR	TEAM	SCORING				
		TDS	TD-R	TD-P	0	PTS
1977	CINCINNATI	4	4	0	0	24
1978	CINCINNATI	7	7	0	0	42
	TOTALS	11	11	0	0	66

DAVE LAPHAM
G 27 6-4 258
Syracuse 6



Solid, veteran guard who is starting his sixth season with the Bengals . . . Drafted by Cincinnati in the third round in 1974 . . . Has been a starter with the Bengals for the last three seasons . . . Rugged blocker, hard worker . . . Has also played center on occasion . . . Highly intelligent and likeable . . . Works with former Bengal center Bob Johnson in marketing development for Imperial Adhesives in Cincinnati during the off-season . . . Very active in charitable causes . . . Works with the Special Olympics, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Arthritis Foundation, Diabetes, Kidney Foundation, Thomas More College and local school systems . . . Recently teamed with Pete Johnson and other NFL players to provide a football clinic and program for the Dayton, Ohio, Job Corps students . . . Hobbies include tennis, racquetball, golf, basketball and reading . . . Dave and his wife, Lynne, have two children, David, 3, and Sarah, 1 . . . Born June 24, 1952 . . . Hometown is Wakefield, Mass.

WR-KR 24

DENNIS LAW
6-0 175
East Tenn. St.



Speedy wide receiver who also returned punts during 1978 season... Fourth round draft choice from East Tennessee State... Quick, good hands... Returned 25 punts for 106 yards and seven kickoffs for 137 yards... Holds numerous receiving and kick return records for East Tennessee State and Ohio Valley Conference... Born April 4, 1955... Hometown is Commerce, Ga.

LAW'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASS RECEIVING			AVG.	TD	LG.
		NO.	YDS.				
1978	CINCINNATI	5	81		16.2	0	20
YEAR	TEAM	PUNT RETURNS			AVG.	TD	LG.
		NO.	FC	YDS.			
1978	CINCINNATI	25	4	106	4.2	0	17
YEAR	TEAM	KICKOFF RETURNS			AVG.	TD	LG.
		NO.	YDS.				
1978	CINCINNATI	7	137		19.4	0	32

LB 28

JIM LECLAIR
6-3 234
North Dakota 8



Rugged middle linebacker led the Bengals in tackles with 91 in 1978... One of the most highly regarded MLBs in the NFL... Entering his eighth season, all with Bengals... Thrives on contact... Hard working, dedicated man... Named to 1977 AFC Pro Bowl team... Good quickness and mobility... Represented Bengals in work with the United Way in 1978 and appeared on numerous national television spots on behalf of the organization... Also active with many Cincinnati area charities... Hobbies include dairy farming, raising and showing Dobermans... He and his wife, Elizabeth, have three children, Kelli, 7; Jamie, 3, and Andrew, 10 months... Born October 30, 1950... Hometown is So. St. Paul, Minn.

LECLAIR'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASS INTERCEPTIONS			AVG.	TD	LG.
		NO.	YDS.				
1975	CINCINNATI	3	25		8.3	0	21
1976	CINCINNATI	1	9		9.0	0	9
1977	CINCINNATI	2	8		4.0	0	8
1978	CINCINNATI	1	11		11.0	0	11
	TOTALS	7	53		7.6	0	21

P-WR 25

PAT McINALLY
6-6 210
Harvard 4



Bombastic punter who led the NFL with a net average of 43.1 in 1978... His longest was 65 yards against Buffalo... Determined to keep punting crown... Consistent punter, excellent hang time... Very adept at punting in "coffin corner"... Placed 25 punts out-of-bounds inside the 20-yard line... Also plays wide receiver and started several games last season... Caught 15 passes for 189 yards... Tall and rangy... Entering his fourth NFL season, all with Cincinnati... Good hands and fine speed... All-American at Harvard in 1973 and 1974... Received NFL and Hall of Fame athlete awards in 1974... Fifth round draft choice in 1975... Single... Born May 7, 1953... Hometown is Villa Park, Calif.

McINALLY'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASS RECEIVING				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1977	CINCINNATI	17	259	15.2	3	43
1978	CINCINNATI	15	189	12.6	0	49
	TOTALS	32	448	14.0	3	49

YEAR	TEAM	PUNTING						
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TB	IN 20	LG.	BLK.
1976	CINCINNATI	76	2999	39.5	6	12	61	0
1977	CINCINNATI	67	2802	41.8	3	16	67	0
1978	CINCINNATI	91	3919	43.1	10	25	65	0
	TOTALS	234	9720	41.5	19	53	67	0

YEAR	TEAM	PASSING						
		ATT.	COMP.	PCT.	YDS.	TD	LG	INT.
1977	CINCINNATI	1	1	1.000	4	0	4	0

YEAR	TEAM	SCORING				
		TDS	TD-R	TD-P	0	PTS.
1977	CINCINNATI	0	0	3	0	18

MELVIN MORGAN
CB 26 6-0 181
 Mississippi Valley 4



Starting his fourth season with the Bengals... Returned pass interception 64 yards against the San Francisco 49ers last season... Hard playing young defensive back who is an exceptionally tough tackler... Gives good coverage and has fine speed and reactions... 11th round draft choice of the Bengals in 1976 after an excellent career at Mississippi Valley... Solid special teams performer... Hobbies include tennis and basketball... Melvin and his wife, Kathy, have a daughter, Amaurita, almost 2... Born March 31, 1953... Hometown is Gulfport, Miss.

MORGAN'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASS INTERCEPTIONS				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1977	CINCINNATI	1	0	0.0	0	0
1978	CINCINNATI	1	64	64.0	64	0
	TOTALS	2	64	32.0	64	0

YEAR	TEAM	KICKOFF RETURNS				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1976	CINCINNATI	1	14	14.0	0	14

YEAR	TEAM	SCORING				
		TDS	TD-R	TD-P	0	PTS.
1976	CINCINNATI	0	0	0	1	6



SCOTT PERRY
S 25 6-0 180
Williams 4

Won starting job at free safety in 1978 and performed very well . . . Scored three touchdowns, two on pass interceptions and one on a fumble recovery . . . Had three interceptions, 35 tackles and 14 assists . . . Exceptionally hard hitter . . . Very quick and intelligent . . . In his fourth season with Cincinnati after being drafted by the club in the fifth round in 1976 following a brilliant career at Williams . . . Traveled extensively in the off-season, visiting Europe and Africa . . . Single . . . Born March 11, 1954 . . . Hometown is Wilton, Conn.

PERRY'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASS INTERCEPTIONS			TD	LG.
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.		
1978	CINCINNATI	3	59	19.2	2	39
YEAR	TEAM	SCORING			0	PTS.
		TDS	TD-R	TD-P		
1978	CINCINNATI	3	0	0	3	18



JOHN REAVES
QB 29 6-3 200
Florida 8

Veteran quarterback John Reaves is beginning his eighth season in the NFL — five with Cincinnati and three with Philadelphia . . . Starter first four games of the season in 1978 . . . Has been fine performer for Cincinnati in his role as backup quarterback . . . Does an excellent job coming off the bench . . . Strong and accurate arm . . . Threw three touchdown passes in 1978 while completing 74 of 144 passes for 790 yards . . . Number one draft choice of the Philadelphia Eagles in 1972 . . . Came to Cincinnati in exchange for tackle Stan Walters and quarterback Wayne Clark in 1975 . . . All-American at Florida . . . John and his wife, Patti, have a daughter, Layla, 4, and a son, John David, eight months . . . Born March 2, 1950 . . . Hometown is Tampa, Fla.

REAVES' STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASSING					TD	LG.	INT.
		NO.	COMP.	PCT.	YDS.				
1972	PHILADELPHIA	224	108	.482	1508	7	66	12	
1973	PHILADELPHIA	19	5	.263	17	0	9	1	
1974	PHILADELPHIA	20	5	.250	84	0	31	2	
1975	CINCINNATI	51	25	.492	297	2	51	3	
1976	CINCINNATI	22	8	.364	76	2	14	1	
1977	CINCINNATI	59	24	.407	383	0	40	5	
1978	CINCINNATI	144	74	.514	790	3	51	7	
	TOTALS	539	249	.462	3155	14	66	31	

YEAR	TEAM	RUSHING				
		ATT.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1972	PHILADELPHIA	18	109	6.3	1	22
1973	PHILADELPHIA	1	2	1.0	0	1
1974	PHILADELPHIA	2	8	4.0	0	8
1975	CINCINNATI	6	13	2.2	2	9
1977	CINCINNATI	5	-13	-2.6	0	6
1978	CINCINNATI	6	50	8.3	0	20
	TOTALS	38	169	4.4	3	22

YEAR	TEAM	SCORING				
		TDS	TD-R	TD-P	TD-RT	PTS.
1972	CINCINNATI	1	1	0	0	6
1975	CINCINNATI	2	2	0	0	12
	TOTALS	3	3	0	0	18

CB 31 KEN RILEY
6-0 183
Florida A&M 11



Ranking Bengal player . . . "Mr. Bengal" . . . A defensive captain . . . Has been a starter since he was drafted by Cincinnati 11 years ago . . . Bengals' alltime pass interception leader with 43 . . . Cohesive factor in Cincinnati's strong secondary . . . Has won numerous honors but has been overlooked too often . . . Named to many All-Pro and All-AFC teams during his distinguished pro career . . . Quiet, dedicated and willing to pass along his know-how to younger players . . . Among the very best cornerbacks in football . . . Had nine interceptions in 1976, his top yearly output . . . Leader in Cincinnati secondary . . . Played quarterback at Florida A & M . . . Drafted in sixth round in 1969 . . . Ken and his wife, Barbara have two children, Kimberly, 8, and Kenneth II, 6 . . . Born August 6, 1947 . . . Hometown is Bartow, Fla.

RILEY'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASS INTERCEPTIONS				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1969	CINCINNATI	4	66	16.5	0	66
1970	CINCINNATI	4	17	4.3	0	14
1971	CINCINNATI	5	22	4.4	0	21
1972	CINCINNATI	3	0	0.0	0	0
1973	CINCINNATI	2	-3	-1.5	0	0
1974	CINCINNATI	5	33	6.5	0	19
1975	CINCINNATI	6	76	12.7	1	30
1976	CINCINNATI	9	141	15.7	1	53
1977	CINCINNATI	2	14	7.0	0	14
1978	CINCINNATI	3	33	11.0	0	17
	TOTALS	43	399	9.3	2	66

YEAR	TEAM	KICKOFF RETURNS				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1969	CINCINNATI	14	334	23.9	0	40

YEAR	TEAM	SCORING				
		TDS	TD-R	TD-P	0	PTS.
1975	CINCINNATI	1	0	1	0	6
1976	CINCINNATI	1	0	0	1	6
	TOTALS	1	0	1	1	12

LB 26 TOM RUUD
6-3 226
Nebraska 5



Joined Bengals after regular season was underway . . . Made valuable contributions on special teams . . . Top draft choice of the Buffalo Bills in 1975 . . . Good tackler . . . Unanimous All-Big Eight selection at Nebraska in 1974 . . . Was All-Academic Big-Eight choice in both 1973 and 1974 and finished career with 209 tackles . . . Lists music, hunting, fishing and skiing as his hobbies . . . Has an ownership in racquetball company and works with a beer distributor in the off-season . . . Single . . . Born July 26, 1953 in Oliva, Minn. . . Hometown is Lincoln, Neb.

LB 23 6-1 234
Wichita State 2



Linebacker with good potential . . . Ninth round draft choice of Bengals in 1978 . . . Good special teams player . . . Fine mobility and strength . . . Returned an interception 48 yards . . . Dependable player . . . Outstanding performer at Wichita State . . . Single . . . Born December 11, 1955 . . . Hometown is Flint, Mich.

SHUMON'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASS INTERCEPTIONS			AVG.	TD	LG.
		NO.	YDS.				
1978	CINCINNATI	1	48		48.0	0	48

RB 23 5-11 210
San Diego State 2



Demonstrated outstanding potential during rookie season . . . Started several games . . . Gained 116 yards rushing against the San Diego Chargers . . . Averaged almost four yards per carry . . . Good outside quickness and sideline speed . . . Second round draft choice in 1978 . . . Rushed for 1252 yards in his senior season at San Diego State . . . Most prolific runner in junior college history at Bakersfield, Calif., where he gained 3026 yards rushing in two seasons . . . Born January 2, 1955 in Jackson, Miss. . . Single . . . Hometown is San Diego, Calif.

TURNER'S STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	RUSHING			AVG.	TD	LG.
		NO.	YDS.				
1978	CINCINNATI	84	333		3.9	0	65
YEAR	TEAM	PASS RECEIVING			AVG.	TD	LG.
		NO.	YDS.				
1978	CINCINNATI	11	50		4.5	0	8
YEAR	TEAM	KICKOFF RETURNS			AVG.	TD	LG.
		NO.	YDS.				
1978	CINCINNATI	1	24		24.0	0	24

DT 23 6-4 265
TED VINCENT
Wichita State 2



Big, rugged defensive lineman who aided Bengals greatly in 1978... Performed capably and saw extensive action... Started several games... Strong tackler... Can also play offensive tackle... Drafted by Cincinnati in third round in 1978... All-Missouri Valley Conference at Wichita State in 1976 and 1977... Single... Born August 10, 1956... Hometown is O'Fallon, Mo.

TE 24 6-4 235
RICK WALKER
UCLA 3



Big, strong tight end with fine speed and good hands... Has excellent potential... Drafted in the fourth round in 1977 but missed most of the season with a broken wrist... Very good blocker... Uses size to good advantage... Working toward entering the motion picture and television industry... All PAC-8 at UCLA where he majored in sociology... Works with youth programs and schools in the Los Angeles area during the off-season... Single... Born May 26, 1955... Hometown is Santa Ana, Calif.

YEAR	TEAM	PASS RECEIVING				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1977	CINCINNATI	1	13	13.0	0	13
1978	CINCINNATI	12	126	10.5	2	28
	TOTALS	13	139	10.7	2	28

YEAR	TEAM	SCORING				
		TDS	TD-R	TD-P	O	PTS.
1978	CINCINNATI	2	0	2	0	12

DT 24 6-3 264
WILSON WHITLEY
Houston 3



Young defensive tackle with superior talent... Vital member of the Bengal "WEBB"... Had 43 solo tackles, 15 assists and three sacks during the 1978 season... Beginning third season with Cincinnati... Has been a starter since joining the club... First round draft choice of Bengals in 1977... Won high praise from his coaches with all-out aggressive play... Winner of Lombardi Trophy, emblematic of top lineman in college football, in 1976 while playing for the University of Houston... Consensus All-American at Houston... Outstanding pass rusher and solid against the rush... Born April 28, 1955... Hometown is Brenham, Texas.

REGGIE WILLIAMS
LB 24 6-0 228
Dartmouth 4



A player you like to watch... Makes spectacular plays, bombastic tackles... Solid starting outside linebacker for three seasons... Had 69 unassisted tackles and 17 assists and four sacks during the 1978 campaign... Totaled a club record of 13 unassisted tackles against Denver in 1977... Third round draft choice of Bengals in 1976... Had a brilliant college career at Dartmouth where he was All-Ivy League three times and American Football Coaches All-American... Lives in Cincinnati during the off-season... Active working with the Arthritis Foundation and Citizen's Committee on Youth... Member of board of trustees of Boys' Club... Hobbies include charcoal drawings, pets, music and reading... Single... Born September 19, 1954... Hometown is Flint, Mich.

WILLIAMS' STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	PASS INTERCEPTIONS				
		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1976	CINCINNATI	1	17	17.0	0	17
1977	CINCINNATI	3	67	22.3	1	54
1978	CINCINNATI	1	11	11.0	0	11
	TOTALS	5	95	19.0	1	54

YEAR	TEAM	PUNT RETURNS				
		NO.	FC	YDS.	TD	LG.
1977	CINCINNATI	1	0	0	1	0

YEAR	TEAM	SCORING				
		TDS	TD-R	TD-P	0	PTS.
1977	CINCINNATI	2	0	0	2	12

MIKE WILSON
T 24 6-5 272
Georgia 2



Became a starter with the Bengals in the ninth game in 1978 after recovering from knee surgery... Had a big second half of the season and has the potential to become a top-flight NFL offensive tackle... Played one season in the Canadian Football League before coming to the Bengals who drafted him in the fourth round in 1977... Big, powerful blocker... Offers good pass protection... All-American at Georgia... Nickname is "Moon Pie"... Hobbies are fishing and hunting... Mike and his wife, Donna, have a son, Michael, three months... Born May 28, 1955... Hometown is Gainesville, Ga.



1978 CINCINNATI BENGALS 4-12-0

First Row, Left to Right: Equipment Manager Tom Gray, Chris Bahr, John Reaves, Ken Riley, Ken Anderson, Rob Hertel, Melvin Morgan, Deacon Turner, Marvin Cobb, Tony Davis, Dick Jauron, Scott Perry, Louis Breeden, Lenvil Elliott, Coach Charley Winner.

Second Row, Left to Right: Head Coach Homer Rice, Coach Chuck Studley, Coach Howard Brinker, Boobie Clark, Ray Griffin, Archie Griffin, Pete Johnson, Glenn Cameron, Tom Ruud, Tom Dinkel, Bo Harris, Bob Johnson, Jim LeClair, Tom DePaso, Trainer Marvin Pollins, Coach Mike McCormack, Coach George Sefcik.

Third Row, Left to Right: Reggie Williams, Blair Bush, Ron Shumon, Dave Lapham, Mark Donahue, Gary Burley, Rufus Mayes, Ron Hunt, Eddie Edwards, Glenn Bujnoch, Wilson Whitley, Strength Coach Kim Wood, Coach Boyd Dowler.

Fourth Row, Left to Right: Vernon Holland, Mike Wilson, Ted Vincent, Ross Browner, Jim Corbett, Billy Brooks, Dennis Law, Don Bass, Isaac Curtis, Pat McNally, Rick Walker.

CINCINNATI BENGALS 1979 VETERAN ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	AGE	YRS. PRO.	HOMETOWN	COLLEGE	GAMES IN '78
14	Anderson, Ken	QB	6-3	208	30	9	Batavia, Ill.	Augustana, Ill.	12
10	Bahr, Chris	K	5-10	172	26	4	State College, Pa.	Penn State	16
84	Bass, Don	TE	6-2	218	24	2	Fort Worth, Texas	Houston	16
34	Breeden, Louis	CB	5-11	187	25	2	Hamlet, N.C.	N.C. Central	16
82	Brooks, Billy	WR	6-3	202	26	4	Houston, Texas	Oklahoma	15
79	Browner, Ross	DE	6-3	261	25	2	Warren, Ohio	Notre Dame	11
74	Bujnoch, Glenn	G	6-6	255	25	4	Houston, Texas	Texas A & M	16
67	Burley, Gary	DE	6-3	269	26	4	Urbancrest, Ohio	Pittsburgh	16
58	Bush, Blair	C	6-3	252	22	2	Fort Hood, Texas	Washington	16
50	Cameron, Glenn	LB	6-2	230	26	5	Coral Gables, Fla.	Florida	15
42	Clark, Boobie	RB	6-2	242	28	7	Jacksonville, Fla.	Bethune-Cookman	14
24	Cobb, Marvin	S	6-0	188	26	5	Riverside, Calif.	USC	16
81	Corbett, Jim	TE	6-4	217	24	3	Brockton, Mass.	Pittsburgh	16
85	Curtis, Isaac	WR	6-1	192	28	7	Santa Ana, Calif.	San Diego State	16
56	Depaso, Tom	LB	6-2	223	23	2	White Plains, N.Y.	Penn State	12
52	Dinkel, Tom	LB	6-3	246	23	2	Topeka, Kansas	Kansas	16
66	Donahue, Mark	G	6-3	251	23	2	Oak Lawn, Ill.	Michigan	15
73	Edwards, Eddie	DT	6-5	256	25	3	Ft. Pierce, Fla.	Miami, Fla.	16
36	Elliott, Lenvil	RB	6-0	209	28	7	Richmond, Mo.	NE Missouri State	10
45	Griffin, Archie	RB	5-8	184	25	4	Columbus, Ohio	Ohio State	16
44	Griffin, Ray	CB	5-10	183	23	2	Columbus, Ohio	Ohio State	15

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	AGE	YRS. PRO.	HOMETOWN	COLLEGE	GAMES IN '78
53	Harris, Bo	LB	6-3	226	26	5	Shreveport, La.	LSU	8
16	Hertel, Rob	QB	6-3	195	24	2	Los Altos, Calif.	USC	3
76	Holland, Vernon	T	6-5	267	31	9	Sherman, Texas	Tennessee State	16
72	Hunt, Ron	T	6-6	275	24	4	Los Angeles, Calif.	Oregon	3
30	Jauron, Dick	S	6-0	184	29	7	Swampscott, Mass.	Yale	16
46	Johnson, Pete	RB	6-0	259	25	3	Long Beach, N.Y.	Ohio State	16
62	Lapham, Dave	G	6-4	258	27	6	Wakefield, Mass.	Syracuse	16
83	Law, Dennis	WR	6-0	175	24	2	Commerce, Ga.	East Tennessee State	14
55	LeClair, Jim	LB	6-3	234	29	8	St. Paul, Minn.	North Dakota	16
87	McInally, Pat	P-WR	6-6	209	26	4	Villa Park, Calif.	Harvard	16
33	Morgan, Melvin	CB	6-0	181	26	4	Gulfport, Miss.	Mississippi Valley	15
32	Perry, Scott	S	6-0	180	25	4	Wilton, Conn.	Williams	13
11	Reaves, John	QB	6-3	200	29	8	Tampa, Fla.	Florida	9
13	Riley, Ken	CB	6-0	183	31	11	Bartow, Fla.	Florida A & M	16
51	Ruud, Tom	LB	6-3	226	26	5	Bloomington, Minn.	Nebraska	7
59	Shumon, Ron	LB	6-1	234	23	2	Flint, Mich.	Wichita State	13
22	Turner, Deacon	RB	5-11	210	24	2	Jackson, Miss.	San Diego State	16
78	Vincent, Ted	DT	6-4	265	23	2	O'Fallon, Mo.	Wichita State	16
88	Walker, Rick	TE	6-4	235	24	3	Santa Ana, Calif.	UCLA	15
75	Whitley, Wilson	DT	6-3	265	24	3	Brenham, Texas	Houston	16
57	Williams, Reggie	LB	6-0	228	25	4	Flint, Mich.	Dartmouth	16
77	Wilson, Mike	T	6-5	272	24	2	Norfolk, Va.	Georgia	9

CINCINNATI BENGALS 1979 FIRST-YEAR ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	AGE	HOMETOWN	COLLEGE	HOW ACQ.
40	Alexander, Charles	RB	6-1	221	22	Galveston, Texas	LSU	D1a
21	Browner, Jim	S	6-1	209	23	Warren, Ohio	Notre Dame	D12
68	Bungarda, Ken	DE	6-6	276	22	Hartford, Conn.	Missouri	D11
28	Burk, Scott	S-QB	6-2	193	22	Englewood, Calif.	Oklahoma State	D9
70	Cotton, Barney	G	6-6	261	22	Omaha, Neb.	Nebraska	D3
37	Dunn, Michael	S	6-5	184	22	Hampton, Va.	Duke	FA
31	Houser, David	WR	6-1	185	23	Dallas, Texas	Rice	FA
80	Keys, Andre	WR	6-6	223	24	San Francisco	Cal-Poly-SLO	FA
86	Kreider, Steve	WR	6-3	192	21	Reading, Pa.	Lehigh	D6
61	Kurnick, Howie	LB	6-2	219	22	Cleveland, Ohio	Cincinnati	D8
15	Lowery, Nick	K	6-4	187	23	McLean, Va.	Dartmouth	FA
29	Lusby, Vaughn	CB	5-10	178	23	Ft. Polk, La.	Arkansas	D4a
20	McNeal, Gary	CB	5-10	179	22	Cincinnati, Ohio	VMI	FA
64	Merrill, Casey	DE	6-4	254	22	Oakland, Calif.	Cal-Davis	D5
65	Montoya, Max	T	6-5	278	23	Montebello, Calif.	UCLA	D7
35	Poole, Nathan	RB	5-8	210	23	Alexander City, La.	Louisville	D10
89	Ross, Dan	TE	6-4	238	22	Malden, Mass.	Northeastern	D2
12	Thompson, Jack	QB	6-3	217	23	Seattle, Wash.	Washington State	D1
38	Wilson, James	WR	6-0	185	22	Erlanger, Ky.	Hanover	FA
63	White, James	DT	6-5	266	22	Augusta, Ga.	Albany State	D4

CINCINNATI BENGALS 1979 DRAFT CHOICES



**JACK
THOMPSON**



**CHARLES
ALEXANDER**



**DAN
ROSS**

NAME	POS.	AGE	HT.	WT.	SCHOOL
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ROUND 1.

Jack Thompson	QB	23	6-3	217	Wash. State
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Most sought after college quarterback in the nation . . . Third man selected in the draft . . . Highest pick for quarterback in Bengals' history . . . Holds many, many NCAA, Washington State and PAC 10 passing records . . . His NCAA records include most career passing yardage (7818) and three seasons of passing for 2000 or more yards . . . Named to numerous All-American teams . . . All PAC 10 two years in a row . . . Completed 175 of 348 passes for 2333 yards and 17 touchdowns in his senior year . . . Thompson capped his college career as the leading passer in the '79 Challenge Bowl: 19 of 29 for 311 yds., 2 TDs . . . Senior season superlative: Passed for 271 yds., (16 of 34) and registered 6 TDs (3 pass, 3 rush) vs. Arizona State . . . Sensational junior year connecting for 364 yds. vs. Michigan State, 293 against Kansas and against Stanford completed 20 of 25 for 286 yds. . . . As a passer, ranked 6th nationally (Division 1-A) in '78, 2nd in '77 and '76 . . . Finished 9th in '78 Heisman Trophy balloting . . . Suffered knee injury during '74 fall practice and was red-shirted . . . Born in American Samoa, moving to the U.S. at the age of five . . . Earned 8 high school letters (football-3, baseball-3, basketball-2) . . . High school Back of the Year in '73 . . . A "Seattle Times" High School Scholar Athlete . . . Born May 18, 1956 . . . Hometown is Seattle, Wash.

ROUND 1a.

Charles Alexander	RB	22	6-1	221	LSU
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All-American at running back . . . Big and swift . . . Premier runner in LSU history who has rewritten the record book for the Bayou Bengals . . . Only runner in LSU history to rush for more than 4000 yards in a career . . . Alexander totaled 4035 yards . . . Holds 27 LSU records and nine SEC marks . . . surpassed Terry Robiskie (Raiders) to become school's top career rusher . . . Set the all-time LSU single-season rushing record, formerly held by Robiskie, in 8 games as a junior . . . His 17 TDs in '77 eclipsed Steve Van Buren's school mark of 13 established in 1943 . . . Registered fifteen 100 yd. plus efforts during career . . . Best day: 237 yds., 4 TDs vs. Oregon in '77 . . . 5th in '78 Heisman Trophy balloting, 3rd in '78 UPI Player of the Year voting, runner-up for '78 Back of the Year award . . . '78 rushing total ranks 20th in Division 1-A, 3rd in SEC . . . Closed LSU career by picking up 133 yds. on 24 carries (leading rusher) in '78 Liberty Bowl vs. Mississippi . . . Physically suited to play halfback or fullback . . . Particularly good receiver . . . Caught record-setting 11 passes against Kentucky last season . . . Leading candidate for Heisman Trophy in 1977 and 1978 . . . "Charles is as fine a runner as I have ever seen," says LSU coach Charley McClendon. "Has

strength to go along with amazing speed and learned to take advantage of that speed by making moves. He is enormously strong, quick and competitive and as coachable player as I have ever known." Born July 8, 1957 . . . Hometown is Galveston, Texas.

ROUND 2.

Dan Ross TE 22 6-4 238 Northeastern

Highly-coveted tight end . . . Excellent size, superb hands . . . Quick and fast and can get deep . . . Devastating blocker . . . Holds numerous Northeastern and NCAA Division II receiving records . . . AP first team College Division All-American . . . Little All-American . . . All-ECAC . . . First team All-East . . . New England University Division Player of the Year . . . Also received Harry Agganis Award and George Bulger Lowe Award, emblematic of the top football player in New England . . . Caught 68 passes for 988 yards and seven touchdowns in his record-breaking senior year . . . Had 153 career receptions for 2323 yards and 13 TDs . . . Averaged 15.2 yards per catch . . . Hockey player . . . Hometown is Everett, Mass.

ROUND 3.

Barney Cotton G 22 6-6 261 Nebraska

Standout offensive lineman for Nebraska in rugged Big 8 . . . Versatile player . . . Can play guard, tackle or center and started as a defensive tackle in 1977 . . . All-Big 8 . . . Played in East-West Shrine Game and Challenge Bowl . . . Extremely strong, Barney can bench press 350 pounds . . . All State performer at Omaha Burke High School . . . Nickname is Scooby . . . Majored in distributive education . . . Born September 30, 1956 . . . Hometown is Omaha, Neb.

ROUND 4.

James White DT 22 6-5 266 Albany State

Had 104 tackles in 1978 . . . 66 unassisted and 38 assists . . . Co-captain of Albany State . . . College Division All-American . . . Pittsburgh Courier Black All-American . . . Has returned four interceptions for touchdowns, a feat very unusual for a defensive lineman . . . Three-year starter and has had 100 or more total tackles each season . . . All-Southern Intercollegiate Conference two years . . . Extremely quick for his size . . . Hometown is Augusta, Ga.

ROUND 4a.

Vaughn Lusby CB 23 5-9½ 178 Arkansas

One of the top defensive backs in the 1979 draft . . . All-Southwest Conference first team two years in a row and honorable mention All-American by AP and UPI . . . Quick, agile three-year starter for rugged Razorbacks . . . In addition to being top-rated defensive back, Lusby also is a kick return specialist . . . Has registered more punt returns (86) than any Razorback in history . . . His 625 return yards rank third on school's alltime list . . . Good tackler . . . Excellent attitude . . . Born August 23, 1956 . . . Hometown is Lawton, Okla.

ROUND 5.

Casey Merrill DE 22 6-4 254 Cal-Davis

Big, strong defensive lineman . . . Quick feet . . . Loves to hit . . . Top tackle at Cal-Davis the last two seasons . . . Has played tight end and has been impressive . . . Good hands and speed . . . Very strong special teams player . . . Good reactions . . . Exceptional physical build . . . Team leader . . . Good collegiate wrestler . . . Born July 16, 1957 . . . Hometown is Danville, Calif.

ROUND 6.**Steve Kreider WR 21 6-2½ 192 Lehigh**

Uncanny receiver who holds all Lehigh pass receiving records . . . Rangy and elusive . . . Fine speed and excellent hands . . . College Division All-American two years in a row . . . Caught 53 passes for 1081 yards and 12 touchdowns in 1977 on Lehigh's national championship Division II team . . . Top kick-off and punt return man . . . Had a 94-yard TD kickoff return in 1978 . . . Went to Lehigh as quarterback but was shifted to wide receiver in his sophomore year . . . Top student who majored in electrical engineering . . . Born May 12, 1958 . . . Hometown is Reading, Pa.

ROUND 7.**Max Montoya T 23 6-5 278 UCLA**

Gigantic offensive tackle . . . Exceptional strength . . . Has good speed for size . . . Excellent potential . . . One of the better offensive linemen in the PAC 10 . . . All-PAC 10 selection . . . Good pass blocker . . . Bench presses more than 350 pounds . . . Hometown is LaPuente, Calif.

ROUND 8.**Howie Kurnick LB 22 6-2 219 Cincinnati**

Main cog in Cincinnati defensive unit for two seasons . . . Three-year starter for Bearcats . . . Co-captain for three years . . . Loves to play football . . . Extremely quick, good strength, very aggressive . . . Led UC in tackles in 1977 and 1978 . . . A real hitter . . . Played middle guard at UC . . . Will be tried at outside linebacker and on special teams by Bengals . . . Born May 13, 1957 . . . Hometown is Willoughby, Ohio.

ROUND 9.**Scott Burk DB 22 6-2 193 Oklahoma St.**

Top prospect . . . Wishbone quarterback at Oklahoma State but will be tried as a defensive back by the Bengals . . . Great agility, very intelligent . . . Excellent baseball player . . . A shortstop, he was drafted by the Cincinnati Reds in 1974 and again in 1975 . . . In 1977 the Boston Red Sox drafted Burk . . . Born August 2, 1956 . . . Hometown is Englewood, Colo.

ROUND 10.**Nathan Poole RB 23 5-8 210 Louisville**

Strong running back with good speed and durability . . . Hard worker . . . Gained 1394 yards, 36 short of the Louisville record, for a 6.6 yard average and scored 15 touchdowns in 1978 . . . Starter for the Cardinals for three seasons in a row . . . Averaged more than five yards a carry during his career . . . Team captain in 1978 . . . Bench presses more than 400 pounds . . . Born December 17, 1956 . . . Hometown is Alexander City, La.

ROUND 11.**Ken Bungarda DE 22 6-6 276 Missouri**

Giant, defensive lineman with outstanding potential . . . Impressed Bengals with his strength and quickness . . . Great raw ability . . . Rugged tackler . . . Effective pass rusher . . . Played for Arizona Western junior college before going to Missouri . . . Majored in education at Missouri . . . Born January 25, 1957 . . . Hometown is Cardiff-by-the-Sea, Calif.

ROUND 12.**Jim Browner S 23 6-1 209 Notre Dame**

Starter for high-ranked Notre Dame three years in a row... Hard hitter who comes up and gives support... Had four interceptions in 1978... Began his career at ND as a fullback... Has knack of making key plays... Good tackler, very agile... Brother of Ross Browner, Bengal's defensive end... Karate black belt... All-Ohio performer at Warren Western Reserve... Born December 4, 1955... Hometown is Warren, Ohio.



Bengals' Pete Johnson on a tear.

BENGALS TOP DRAFT CHOICES

Year	Player	College, Position, Round
1968	Bob Johnson	Tennessee, C, 1
1969	Greg Cook	Cincinnati, QB, 1
1970	Mike Reid	Penn State, DT, 1
1971	Vernon Holland	Tenn. State, T, 1
1972	Sherman White	California, DE, 1
1973	Isaac Curtis	San Diego State, WR, 1
1974	Bill Kollar	Montana St., DT, 1
1975	Glenn Cameron	Florida, LB, 1
1976	Billy Brooks	Oklahoma, WR, 1
1977	Eddie Edwards	Miami, Fla., DT, 1
1978	Ross Browner	Notre Dame, DE, 1
1979	Jack Thompson	Washington State

BENGAL FREE AGENTS

DAVID HOUSER

WR 23 6-0 185 Rice

One of the top receivers in the Southwestern Conference the last three seasons . . . Played two years for Homer Rice, now the Bengals' head coach, and was quarterback Tommy Kramer's (now with Minnesota) primary receiver for two years . . . Made the All-Southwestern Conference team in 1977 and 1978 . . . Holds all Rice receiving records including 14 catches against Florida in 1976, the most in one game in the country that year . . . Highly regarded punt return specialist and led the SWC in that category in 1974 . . . Political science major . . . Wife's name is Ginger . . . Born September 2, 1955 . . . Hometown is Dallas, Texas.

MIKE DUNN

S 22 6-5 184 Duke

Versatile quarterback from Duke who is also being tried as a defensive back and wide receiver by the Bengals . . . Outstanding triple option quarterback for the Blue Devils . . . Was Duke's most valuable player in 1977 and 1978 and was given honorable mention on several All-American teams both seasons . . . Born January 11, 1957 . . . Hometown is Hampton, Va.

GARY MCNEAL

CB 22 5-10 180 VMI

Named to the All-Southern Conference first team in 1977 and 1978 . . . Starter for VMI for four seasons . . . One of the Keydets' leading tacklers in the secondary and also returned punts and kickoffs . . . Gained 93 yards on five punt returns for an 18.6 average and returned 10 kickoffs for 210 yards for a 21.0 average . . . All-city tailback at Cincinnati Moeller High School . . . Also a track star, running the 60-yard dash . . . Born December 12, 1956 . . . Hometown is Cincinnati, Oh.

ANDRE KEYS

WR 24 6-6 223 Cal Poly-SLO

Eighth round draft choice of the Pittsburgh Steelers in 1978 . . . Was on Steelers' injured reserve list with thigh injury . . . Played only three games of college football . . . Outstanding basketball player at Cal Poly . . . Has outstanding potential . . . Hometown is San Francisco.

NICK LOWERY

K 23 6-4 187 Dartmouth

Outstanding placekicker for Dartmouth where he was All-Ivy League and All-East in his junior and senior years . . . With New York Jets and Boston Patriots during the 1978 pre-season . . . Born in Munich, Germany, May 27, 1956 . . . Hometown is McLean, Va.



Cincy's Wilson Whitley tracks quarterback.



WIDE RECEIVER ISAAC CURTIS
... 47 pass receptions in 1978

CINCINNATI BENGALS 1979 OPPONENTS

DENVER BRONCOS

September 2 at Denver

BENGALS-BRONCOS SERIES

Year	Site	(5-5-0)	Score
1968	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 24, Denver 10
1968	Denver	.....	Denver 10, Cincinnati 7
1969	Cincinnati	.....	Denver 30, Cincinnati 23
1969	Denver	.....	Denver 27, Cincinnati 16
1971	Denver	.....	Cincinnati 24, Denver 10
1972	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 21, Denver 10
1973	Denver	.....	Denver 28, Cincinnati 10
1975	Denver	.....	Cincinnati 17, Denver 16
1976	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 17, Denver 7
1977	Cincinnati	.....	Denver 24, Cincinnati 13

BUFFALO BILLS

September 9 at Buffalo

BENGALS-BILLS SERIES

Year	Site	(4-2-0)	Score
1968	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 34, Buffalo 23
1969	Buffalo	.....	Buffalo 16, Cincinnati 13
1970	Buffalo	.....	Cincinnati 43, Buffalo 14
1973	Buffalo	.....	Cincinnati 16, Buffalo 13
1975	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 33, Buffalo 24
1978	Buffalo	.....	Buffalo 5, Cincinnati 0

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS

September 16 at Cincinnati

BENGALS-PATRIOTS SERIES

Year	Site	(3-3-0)	Score
1968	Boston	.....	Boston 23, Cincinnati 17
1969	Cincinnati	.....	Boston 25, Cincinnati 14
1970	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 45, Boston 7
1972	Foxboro, Mass.	....	Cincinnati 31, New England 7
1973	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 27, New England 10
1978	Cincinnati	.....	New England 10, Cincinnati 3

HOUSTON OILERS

September 23 at Cincinnati

November 18 at Houston

BENGALS-OILERS SERIES

Year	Site	(12-7-1)	Score
1968	Cincinnati	.....	Houston 27, Cincinnati 17
1969	Houston	.....	Cincinnati 31, Houston 31
1970	Cincinnati	.....	Houston 20, Cincinnati 13
1970	Houston	.....	Cincinnati 30, Houston 20
1971	Houston	.....	Houston 10, Cincinnati 6
1971	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 28, Houston 13
1972	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 30, Houston 7
1972	Houston	.....	Cincinnati 61, Houston 17
1973	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 24, Houston 10
1973	Houston	.....	Cincinnati 27, Houston 24
1974	Cincinnati	.....	Houston 34, Cincinnati 21
1974	Houston	.....	Houston 20, Cincinnati 3
1975	Houston	.....	Cincinnati 21, Houston 19
1975	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 23, Houston 19
1976	Houston	.....	Cincinnati 27, Houston 7
1976	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 31, Houston 27
1977	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 13, Houston 10
1977	Houston	.....	Houston 21, Cincinnati 16
1978	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 28, Houston 13
1978	Houston	.....	Houston 17, Cincinnati 10

DALLAS COWBOYS

September 30 at Dallas

BENGALS-COWBOYS SERIES

YEAR	Site	(0-1-0)	Score
1973	Dallas	.....	Dallas 38, Cincinnati 10

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS

October 7 at Cincinnati

BENGALS-CHIEFS SERIES

Year	Site	(6-5-0)	Score
1968	Cincinnati	.....	Kansas City 13, Cincinnati 3
1968	Kansas City	.....	Kansas City 16, Cincinnati 9
1969	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 24, Kansas City 19
1969	Kansas City	.....	Kansas City 42, Cincinnati 22
1970	Cincinnati	.....	Kansas City 27, Cincinnati 19
1972	Kansas City	.....	Cincinnati 23, Kansas City 16
1973	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 14, Kansas City 6
1974	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 33, Kansas City 6
1976	Kansas City	.....	Cincinnati 27, Kansas City 24
1977	Kansas City	.....	Cincinnati 27, Kansas City 7
1978	Cincinnati	.....	Kansas City 24, Cincinnati 23

PITTSBURGH STEELERS

October 14 at Cincinnati

December 2 at Pittsburgh

BENGALS-STEELERS SERIES

Year	Site	(5-13-0)	Score
1970	Pittsburgh	.....	Pittsburgh 21, Cincinnati 10
1970	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 34, Pittsburgh 10
1971	Pittsburgh	.....	Pittsburgh 21, Cincinnati 10
1971	Cincinnati	.....	Pittsburgh 21, Cincinnati 13
1972	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 15, Pittsburgh 10
1972	Pittsburgh	.....	Pittsburgh 40, Cincinnati 17
1973	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 19, Pittsburgh 7
1973	Pittsburgh	.....	Pittsburgh 20, Cincinnati 13
1974	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 17, Pittsburgh 10
1974	Pittsburgh	.....	Pittsburgh 27, Cincinnati 3
1975	Cincinnati	.....	Pittsburgh 30, Cincinnati 26
1975	Pittsburgh	.....	Pittsburgh 35, Cincinnati 14
1976	Pittsburgh	.....	Pittsburgh 23, Cincinnati 6
1976	Cincinnati	.....	Pittsburgh 7, Cincinnati 3
1977	Pittsburgh	.....	Pittsburgh 20, Cincinnati 14
1977	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 17, Pittsburgh 10
1978	Cincinnati	.....	Pittsburgh 28, Cincinnati 3
1978	Pittsburgh	.....	Pittsburgh 7, Cincinnati 6

CLEVELAND BROWNS

October 21 at Cleveland

December 16 at Cincinnati

BENGALS-BROWNS SERIES

Year	Site	(9-9-0)	Score
1970	Cleveland	.....	Cleveland 30, Cincinnati 27
1970	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 14, Cleveland 10
1971	Cincinnati	.....	Cleveland 27, Cincinnati 24
1971	Cleveland	.....	Cleveland 31, Cincinnati 27
1972	Cleveland	.....	Cleveland 27, Cincinnati 6
1972	Cincinnati	.....	Cleveland 27, Cincinnati 24
1973	Cleveland	.....	Cleveland 17, Cincinnati 10
1973	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 34, Cleveland 17
1974	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 33, Cleveland 7
1974	Cleveland	.....	Cincinnati 34, Cleveland 24
1975	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 24, Cleveland 17
1975	Cleveland	.....	Cleveland 35, Cincinnati 23
1976	Cleveland	.....	Cincinnati 45, Cleveland 24
1976	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 21, Cleveland 6
1977	Cincinnati	.....	Cleveland 13, Cincinnati 3
1977	Cleveland	.....	Cincinnati 10, Cleveland 7
1978	Cleveland	.....	Cleveland 13, Cincinnati 10*
1978	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 48, Cleveland 16

*Overtime

PHILADELPHIA EAGLES

October 28 at Cincinnati

BENGALS-EAGLES SERIES

Year	Site	(2-0-0)	Score
1971	Cincinnati	.....	Cincinnati 37, Philadelphia 14
1975	Philadelphia	.....	Cincinnati 31, Philadelphia 0

BALTIMORE COLTS

November 4 at Baltimore

BENGALS-COLTS SERIES

Year	Site	(1-2-0)	Score
1972	Cincinnati	Baltimore	20, Cincinnati 19
1974	Baltimore	Cincinnati	24, Baltimore 14
1976	Baltimore	Baltimore	28, Cincinnati 27

SAN DIEGO CHARGERS

November 11 at Cincinnati

BENGALS-CHARGERS SERIES

Year	Site	(5-6-0)	Score
1968	San Diego	San Diego	29, Cincinnati 13
1968	Cincinnati	San Diego	31, Cincinnati 10
1969	Cincinnati	Cincinnati	34, San Diego 20
1969	San Diego	San Diego	21, Cincinnati 14
1970	San Diego	Cincinnati	17, San Diego 14
1971	Cincinnati	Cincinnati	31, San Diego 0
1973	San Diego	Cincinnati	20, San Diego 13
1974	Cincinnati	San Diego	20, Cincinnati 17
1975	Cincinnati	Cincinnati	47, San Diego 17
1977	San Diego	San Diego	24, Cincinnati 3
1978	San Diego	San Diego	22, Cincinnati 13

ST. LOUIS CARDINALS

November 25 at Cincinnati

BENGALS-CARDS SERIES

Year	Site	(1-0-0)	Score
1973	Cincinnati	Cincinnati	42; St. Louis 24

WASHINGTON REDSKINS

December 9 at Washington

BENGALS-REDSKINS SERIES

Year	Site	(1-1-0)	Score
1970	Washington	Washington	20, Cincinnati 0
1974	Cincinnati	Cincinnati	28, Washington 17

1979

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE SCHEDULE

(All times local)

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1 (First Weekend)

1. Detroit at Tampa Bay 8:00

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

2. Atlanta at New Orleans 1:00
3. Baltimore at Kansas City 3:00
4. Cincinnati at Denver 2:00
5. Cleveland at New York Jets 4:00
6. Dallas at St. Louis 1:00
7. Green Bay at Chicago 1:00
8. Houston at Washington 1:00
9. Miami at Buffalo 1:00
10. New York Giants at Philadelphia 1:00
11. Oakland at Los Angeles 1:00
12. San Diego at Seattle 1:00
13. San Francisco at Minnesota 12:00

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

14. Pittsburgh at New England 9:00

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6 (Second Weekend)

15. Los Angeles at Denver 6:30

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

16. Cincinnati at Buffalo 1:00
 17. Cleveland at Kansas City 3:00
 18. Dallas at San Francisco 1:00
 19. Houston at Pittsburgh 1:00
 20. Minnesota at Chicago 12:00
 21. New Orleans vs. Green Bay at Milw. 12:00
 22. New York Jets at New England 4:00
 23. Oakland at San Diego 1:00
 24. St. Louis at New York Giants 1:00
 25. Seattle at Miami 4:00
 26. Tampa Bay at Baltimore 2:00
 27. Washington at Detroit 1:00

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

28. Atlanta at Philadelphia 9:00

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16 (Third Weekend)

29. Baltimore at Cleveland 1:00
 30. Buffalo at San Diego 1:00
 31. Chicago at Dallas 3:00
 32. Denver at Atlanta 1:00
 33. Detroit at New York Jets 1:00
 34. Kansas City at Houston 1:00
 35. Miami at Minnesota 1:00
 36. New England at Cincinnati 1:00
 37. Oakland at Seattle 1:00
 38. Philadelphia at New Orleans 12:00
 39. Pittsburgh at St. Louis 3:00
 40. San Francisco at Los Angeles 1:00
 41. Tampa Bay at Green Bay 1:00

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

42. New York Giants at Washington 9:00

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 23 (Fourth Weekend)

43. Atlanta at Detroit 1:00
 44. Baltimore at Pittsburgh 1:00
 45. Chicago at Miami 4:00
 46. Green Bay at Minnesota 12:00
 47. Houston at Cincinnati 1:00
 48. Los Angeles at Tampa Bay 4:00
 49. New Orleans at San Francisco 1:00
 50. New York Jets at Buffalo 1:00
 51. Oakland at Kansas City 1:00
 52. Philadelphia at New York Giants 4:00
 53. San Diego at New England 1:00
 54. Seattle at Denver 2:00
 55. Washington at St. Louis 1:00

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

56. Dallas at Cleveland 9:00

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30 (Fifth Weekend)

57. Buffalo at Baltimore 2:00
 58. Cincinnati at Dallas 3:00
 59. Cleveland at Houston 1:00
 60. Denver at Oakland 1:00
 61. Kansas City at Seattle 1:00
 62. Miami at New York Jets 1:00
 63. Minnesota at Detroit 1:00
 64. New York Giants at New Orleans 12:00
 65. Pittsburgh at Philadelphia 1:00
 66. St. Louis at Los Angeles 1:00
 67. San Francisco at San Diego 1:00
 68. Tampa Bay at Chicago 1:00
 69. Washington at Atlanta 1:00

MONDAY, OCTOBER 1

70. New England at Green Bay 8:00

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7 (Sixth Weekend)

71. Chicago at Buffalo 1:00
 72. Dallas at Minnesota 3:00
 73. Detroit at New England 1:00
 74. Green Bay at Atlanta 1:00
 75. Kansas City at Cincinnati 1:00
 76. Los Angeles at New Orleans 3:00
 77. New York Jets at Baltimore 4:00
 78. Philadelphia at Washington 1:00
 79. Pittsburgh at Cleveland 1:00
 80. St. Louis at Houston 1:00
 81. San Diego at Denver 2:00
 82. Seattle at San Francisco 1:00
 83. Tampa Bay at New York Giants 1:00

MONDAY, OCTOBER 8

84. Miami at Oakland 6:00

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14 (Seventh Weekend)

85. Atlanta at Oakland 1:00
 86. Buffalo at Miami 1:00
 87. Denver at Kansas City 1:00
 88. Detroit vs. Green Bay at Milw. 3:00
 89. Houston at Baltimore 2:00
 90. Los Angeles at Dallas 8:00
 91. New England at Chicago 1:00
 92. New Orleans at Tampa Bay 1:00
 93. Philadelphia at St. Louis 12:00
 94. Pittsburgh at Cincinnati 1:00
 95. San Francisco at New York Giants 1:00
 96. Seattle at San Diego 1:00
 97. Washington at Cleveland 1:00

MONDAY, OCTOBER 15

98. Minnesota at New York Jets 9:00

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21 (Eighth Weekend)

99. Atlanta at San Francisco 1:00
 100. Baltimore at Buffalo 1:00
 101. Chicago at Minnesota 1:00
 102. Cincinnati at Cleveland 1:00
 103. Detroit at New Orleans 1:00
 104. Green Bay at Tampa Bay 1:00
 105. Houston at Seattle 1:00
 106. Miami at New England 1:00
 107. New York Giants at Kansas City 3:00
 108. Oakland at New York Jets 1:00
 109. St. Louis at Dallas 1:00
 110. San Diego at Los Angeles 1:00
 111. Washington at Philadelphia 1:00

MONDAY, OCTOBER 22

112. Denver at Pittsburgh 9:00

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25 (Ninth Weekend)

113. San Diego at Oakland 6:00

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28

114. Buffalo at Detroit 1:00
 115. Chicago at San Francisco 1:00
 116. Cleveland at St. Louis 1:00
 117. Dallas at Pittsburgh 1:00
 118. Green Bay at Miami 4:00
 119. Kansas City at Denver 2:00
 120. New England at Baltimore 2:00
 121. New Orleans at Washington 1:00
 122. New York Giants at Los Angeles 1:00
 123. New York Jets at Houston 12:00
 124. Philadelphia at Cincinnati 4:00
 125. Tampa Bay at Minnesota 1:00

MONDAY, OCTOBER 29

126. Seattle at Atlanta 9:00

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 4 (Tenth Weekend)

127. Cincinnati at Baltimore 2:00
 128. Cleveland at Philadelphia 1:00
 129. Dallas at New York Giants 1:00
 130. Detroit at Chicago 3:00
 131. Los Angeles at Seattle 1:00
 132. Minnesota at St. Louis 1:00
 133. New England at Buffalo 1:00
 134. New Orleans at Denver 2:00
 135. New York Jets at Green Bay 3:00
 136. San Diego at Kansas City 1:00
 137. San Francisco at Oakland 1:00
 138. Tampa Bay at Atlanta 1:00
 139. Washington at Pittsburgh 1:00

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5

140. Houston at Miami 9:00

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11 (Eleventh Weekend)

141. Atlanta at New York Giants 4:00
 142. Baltimore at Miami 1:00
 143. Buffalo at New York Jets 1:00
 144. Los Angeles at Chicago 1:00
 145. Minnesota vs. Green Bay at Milw. 1:00
 146. New England at Denver 2:00
 147. Pittsburgh at Kansas City 12:00
 148. Oakland at Houston 12:00
 149. St. Louis at Washington 1:00
 150. San Diego at Cincinnati 1:00
 151. San Francisco at New Orleans 1:00
 152. Seattle at Cleveland 1:00
 153. Tampa Bay at Detroit 1:00

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12

154. Philadelphia at Dallas 8:00

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18 (Twelfth Weekend)

155. Baltimore at New England 1:00
 156. Cincinnati at Houston 3:00
 157. Dallas at Washington 1:00
 158. Denver at San Francisco 1:00
 159. Detroit at Minnesota 1:00
 160. Green Bay at Buffalo 1:00
 161. Kansas City at Oakland 1:00
 162. Miami at Cleveland 1:00
 163. New Orleans at Seattle 1:00
 164. New York Giants at Tampa Bay 4:00
 165. New York Jets at Chicago 12:00
 166. Pittsburgh at San Diego 1:00
 167. St. Louis at Philadelphia 1:00

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 19

168. Atlanta at Los Angeles 6:00

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 22 (Thirteenth Weekend)**(Thanksgiving Day)**

169. Chicago at Detroit 12:30
 170. Houston at Dallas 3:00

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 25

171. Buffalo at New England 1:00
 172. Cleveland at Pittsburgh 1:00
 173. Kansas City at San Diego 1:00
 174. Los Angeles at San Francisco 1:00
 175. Miami at Baltimore 4:00
 176. Minnesota at Tampa Bay 1:00
 177. New Orleans at Atlanta 1:00
 178. Oakland at Denver 2:00
 179. Philadelphia at Green Bay 1:00

180. St. Louis at Cincinnati 1:00
 181. Washington at New York Giants 1:00

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26

182. New York Jets at Seattle 6:00

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29 (Fourteenth Weekend)

183. New England at Miami 8:30

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2

184. Atlanta at San Diego 1:00
 185. Baltimore at New York Jets 1:00
 186. Chicago at Tampa Bay 1:00
 187. Cincinnati at Pittsburgh 1:00
 188. Denver at Buffalo 1:00
 189. Detroit at Philadelphia 1:00
 190. Green Bay at Washington 1:00
 191. Houston at Cleveland 1:00
 192. Minnesota at Los Angeles 1:00
 193. New York Giants at Dallas 3:00
 194. San Francisco at St. Louis 1:00
 195. Seattle at Kansas City 1:00

MONDAY, DECEMBER 3

196. Oakland at New Orleans 8:00

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8 (Fifteenth Weekend)

197. Dallas at Philadelphia 12:30
 198. Denver at Seattle 1:00

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 9

199. Buffalo at Minnesota 1:00
 200. Chicago at Green Bay 12:00
 201. Cincinnati at Washington 1:00
 202. Cleveland at Oakland 1:00
 203. Kansas City at Baltimore 2:00
 204. Los Angeles at Atlanta 1:00
 205. Miami at Detroit 1:00
 206. New England at New York Jets 4:00
 207. New York Giants at St. Louis 12:00
 208. San Diego at New Orleans 3:00
 209. Tampa Bay at San Francisco 1:00

MONDAY, DECEMBER 10

210. Pittsburgh at Houston 8:00

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15 (Sixteenth Weekend)

211. Green Bay at Detroit 4:00
 212. New York Jets at Miami 12:30

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 16

213. Baltimore at New York Giants 1:00
 214. Buffalo at Pittsburgh 1:00
 215. Cleveland at Cincinnati 1:00
 216. Kansas City at Tampa Bay 1:00
 217. Minnesota at New England 1:00
 218. New Orleans at Los Angeles 1:00
 219. Philadelphia at Houston 3:00
 220. St. Louis at Chicago 1:00
 221. San Francisco at Atlanta 1:00
 222. Seattle at Oakland 1:00
 223. Washington at Dallas 3:00

MONDAY, DECEMBER 17

224. Denver at San Diego 6:00

BENGAL LEADERS BY YEARS

RUSHING

YEAR	NAME	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG
1968	Paul Robinson	238	1023	4.3	8	87
1969	Jess Phillips	118	578	4.9	3	83
1970	Jess Phillips	163	648	4.0	4	76
1971	Fred Willis	135	590	4.4	7	36
1972	Essex Johnson	232	825	3.6	4	19
1973	Essex Johnson	195	997	5.1	4	46
1974	Charlie Davis	72	375	5.2	0	29
1975	Boobie Clark	167	594	3.6	4	17
1976	Boobie Clark	151	671	4.4	7	24
1977	Pete Johnson	152	583	3.8	4	65
1978	Pete Johnson	180	762	4.2	7	50

PASSING

YEAR	NAME	ATT.	COMP.	YDS.	PCT.	TD	INT.
1968	John Stofa	177	85	896	48.0	5	5
1969	Greg Cook	197	106	1854	53.8	15	11
1970	Virgil Carter	278	143	1647	51.4	9	9
1971	Virgil Carter	222	138	1624	62.2	10	7
1972	Ken Anderson	301	171	1918	56.8	7	7
1973	Ken Anderson	329	179	2428	54.7	18	12
1974	Ken Anderson	328	213	2667	64.9	18	10
1975	Ken Anderson	377	228	3169	60.5	21	11
1976	Ken Anderson	338	179	2367	53.0	19	14
1977	Ken Anderson	323	166	2145	51.4	11	11
1978	Ken Anderson	319	173	2219	54.2	10	22

RECEIVING

YEAR	NAME	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1968	Bob Trumpy	37	639	17.3	3	80
1969	Eric Crabtree	40	855	21.4	7	73
1970	Chip Myers	32	542	16.9	1	56
1971	Bob Trumpy	40	531	13.3	4	44
1972	Chip Myers	57	792	13.9	3	42
1973	Isaac Curtis	45	843	18.7	9	77
	Boobie Clark	45	347	7.7	0	39
1974	Chip Myers	32	383	11.7	1	22
1975	Isaac Curtis	44	934	21.2	7	55
1976	Isaac Curtis	42	771	18.7	6	85
1977	Billy Brooks	39	772	19.8	4	94
1978	Isaac Curtis	47	737	15.7	3	57

PUNT RETURNS

YEAR	NAME	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1968	Essex Johnson	22	111	5.1	0	45
1969	Essex Johnson	17	85	5.0	0	17
1970	Lemar Parrish	23	194	8.4	1	79
1971	Lemar Parrish	12	93	7.8	0	47
1972	Tom Casanova	30	289	9.6	1	66
1973	Lemar Parrish	25	200	8.0	0	47
1974	Lemar Parrish	18	338	18.8	2	90
1975	Lyle Blackwood	23	123	5.3	0	31
1976	Willie Shelby	21	162	7.7	0	30
1977	Tony Davis	19	220	11.6	0	70
1978	Tony Davis	22	130	5.9	0	12

KICKOFF RETURNS

YEAR	NAME	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1968	Warren McVea	14	310	22.1	0	30
1969	Essex Johnson	16	362	22.6	0	51
1970	Lemar Parrish	16	482	30.1	1	95
1971	Paul Robinson	18	335	18.6	0	37
1972	Bernard Jackson	21	499	22.7	0	62
1973	Bernard Jackson	22	547	24.8	0	41
1974	Bernard Jackson	29	722	24.9	0	45
1975	Bernard Jackson	25	587	23.5	0	39
1976	Willie Shelby	30	761	25.4	1	97

1977	Willie Shelby	19	403	21.2	0	38
1978	Ray Griffin	37	787	21.3	0	39

PASS INTERCEPTIONS

YEAR	NAME	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG.
1968	Jess Phillips	3	26	8.7	0	23
1969	Fletcher Smith	4	67	16.7	0	29
	Ken Riley	4	66	16.5	0	66
1970	Lemar Parrish	5	28	5.6	1	19
1971	Lemar Parrish	7	105	15.0	1	65
1972	Tom Casanova	5	108	21.6	0	33
1973	Tom Casanova	4	33	8.1	0	16
1974	Ken Riley	5	33	6.6	0	19
1975	Ken Riley	6	76	12.7	1	30
1976	Ken Riley	9	141	15.7	1	53
1977	Lemar Parrish	3	95	31.6	1	47
	Reggie Williams	3	67	22.3	1	54
1978	Dick Jauron	4	52	13.0	1	24

PUNTING

YEAR	NAME	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	LG.
1968	Dale Livingston	70	3036	43.3	66
1969	Dale Livingston	70	2769	39.6	55
1970	Dave Lewis	79	3651	46.2	63
1971	Dave Lewis	72	3229	44.8	56
1972	Dave Lewis	65	2776	42.8	60
1973	Dave Lewis	68	2790	41.0	60
1974	Dave Green	66	2701	40.9	53
1975	Dave Green	68	2655	39.0	57
1976	Pat McNally	76	2999	39.5	61
1977	Pat McNally	67	2802	41.8	67
1978	Pat McNally	91	3919	43.1	65

SCORING

YEAR	NAME	TD	PAT	FG	TOTAL
1968	Dale Livingston	0	20	13	59
1969	Horst Muhlmann	0	32	16	80
1970	Horst Muhlmann	0	33	25	108
1971	Horst Muhlmann	0	31	20	91
1972	Horst Muhlmann	0	27	30	111
1973	Horst Muhlmann	0	21	31	94
1974	Horst Muhlmann	0	32	11	65
1975	Dave Green	0	40	10	70
1976	Chris Bahr	0	39	14	81
1977	Chris Bahr	0	25	19	82
1978	Chris Bahr	0	26	16	74

ALLTIME BENGAL LEADERS

RUSHING

MOST ATTEMPTS
780, Boobie Clark
MOST YARDS GAINED
3070, Essex Johnson
MOST GAMES
100 YARDS OR MORE
6, Paul Robinson

PASS RECEPTIONS

MOST RECEPTIONS
298, Bob Trumpy
MOST YARDS GAINED
4256, Isaac Curtis
MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES
37, Isaac Curtis

PASSING

MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED
2127, Ken Anderson
MOST PASSES COMPLETED
1208, Ken Anderson
MOST YARDS GAINED
1547, Ken Anderson
MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES
109, Ken Anderson

SCORING

MOST POINTS
549, Horst Muhlmann
MOST TOUCHDOWNS
37, Isaac Curtis
MOST POINTS AFTER TD
189, Horst Muhlmann
MOST FIELD GOALS MADE
120, Horst Muhlmann

PASS INTERCEPTIONS

MOST INTERCEPTIONS
43, Ken Riley

CINCINNATI BENGALS
REGULAR SEASON RESULTS
WON 77, LOST 78, TIED 1

1968 (3-11-0)

1969 (4-9-1)

Head Coach: Paul Brown

BENGALS	OPP.	BENGALS	OPP.
13 @ San Diego	.....29	27 Miami	.....21
24 Denver	.....10	34 San Diego	.....20
34 Buffalo	.....23	24 Kansas City	.....19
10 San Diego	.....31	14 @ San Diego	.....21
7 @ Denver	.....10	7 New York Jets	.....21
3 Kansas City	.....13	23 Denver	.....30
22 Miami	.....24	22 @ Kansas City	.....42
10 @ Oakland	.....31	31 Oakland	.....17
17 Houston	.....27	31 @ Houston	.....31
9 Kansas City	.....16	14 Boston	.....25
38 @ Miami	.....21	7 @ New York Jets	....40
0 Oakland	.....34	13 @ Buffalo	.....16
14 @ Boston	.....33	17 @ Oakland	.....37
14 @ New York Jets	....27	16 @ Denver	.....27

1970 (8-6-0)

Head Coach: Paul Brown

BENGALS	OPP.	BENGALS	OPP.
31 Oakland	.....21	14 Cleveland	.....10
3 @ Detroit	.....38	34 Pittsburgh	.....7
13 Houston	.....20	26 New Orleans	.....6
27 @ Cleveland	.....30	17 @ San Diego	.....14
19 Kansas City	.....27	30 @ Houston	.....20
0 @ Washington	.....20	45 Boston	.....7
10 @ Pittsburgh	.....21	0 @ Baltimore*	.....17
43 @ Buffalo	.....14	*AFC Playoff Game	

1971 (4-10-0)

Head Coach: Paul Brown

BENGALS	OPP.	BENGALS	OPP.
37 Philadelphia	.....14	6 Atlanta	.....9
10 @ Pittsburgh	.....21	24 @ Denver	.....10
17 @ Green Bay	.....20	28 Houston	.....13
13 Miami	.....23	31 San Diego	.....0
24 @ Cleveland	.....27	27 Cleveland	.....31
27 @ Oakland	.....31	13 Pittsburgh	.....21
6 @ Houston	.....10	21 @ New York Jets	....35

1972 (8-6-0)

Head Coach: Paul Brown

BENGALS	OPP.	BENGALS	OPP.
31 @ New England	.....7	17 @ Pittsburgh	.....40
15 Pittsburgh	.....10	14 Oakland	.....20
6 @ Cleveland	.....27	19 Baltimore	.....20
21 Denver	.....10	13 @ Chicago	.....3
23 @ Kansas City	.....16	13 New York Giants	..10
12 @ Los Angeles	.....15	24 Cleveland	.....27
30 Houston	.....7	61 @ Houston	.....17

1973 (10-4-0)

Head Coach: Paul Brown

BENGALS	OPP.	BENGALS	OPP.
10 @ Denver	.....28	10 @ Dallas	.....38
24 Houston	.....10	16 @ Buffalo	.....13
20 @ San Diego	.....13	20 New York Jets	....14
10 @ Cleveland	.....17	42 St. Louis	.....24
19 Pittsburgh	.....7	27 Minnesota	.....0
14 Kansas City	.....6	34 Cleveland	.....17
13 @ Pittsburgh	.....20	27 @ Houston	.....24
		16 @ Miami	.....34
		*AFC Playoff Game	

1974 (7-7-0)

Head Coach: Paul Brown

BENGALS	OPP.	BENGALS	OPP.
33 Cleveland	7	24 @ Baltimore	14
17 San Diego	20	17 Pittsburgh	10
21 @ San Francisco	3	3 @ Houston	20
28 Washington	17	33 Kansas City	6
34 @ Cleveland	24	3 @ Miami	24
27 @ Oakland	30	19 Detroit	23
21 Houston	34	3 @ Pittsburgh	27

1975 (11-3-0)

Head Coach: Paul Brown

BENGALS	OPP.	BENGALS	OPP.
24 Cleveland	17	33 Buffalo	24
21 @ New Orleans	0	23 @ Cleveland	35
21 @ Houston	19	23 Houston	19
27 New England	10	31 @ Philadelphia	0
14 Oakland	10	14 @ Pittsburgh	35
21 @ Atlanta	14	47 San Diego	17
24 Pittsburgh	30	17 @ Denver	16

1976 (10-4-0)

Head Coach: Bill Johnson

BENGALS	OPP.	BENGALS	OPP.
17 Denver	7	21 Cleveland	6
27 @ Baltimore	28	20 Los Angeles	12
28 Green Bay	7	31 Houston	27
45 @ Cleveland	24	27 @ Kansas City	24
21 Tampa Bay	0	3 Pittsburgh	7
6 @ Pittsburgh	23	20 @ Oakland	35
27 @ Houston	7	42 @ New York Jets	3

1977 (8-6-0)

Head Coach: Bill Johnson

BENGALS	OPP.	BENGALS	OPP.
3 Cleveland	13	10 @ Cleveland	7
42 Seattle	20	10 @ Minnesota	42
3 @ San Diego	24	23 Miami	17
17 @ Green Bay	7	30 N.Y. Giants	13
14 @ Pittsburgh	20	27 @ Kansas City	7
13 Denver	24	17 Pittsburgh	10
13 Houston	10	16 @ Houston	21

1978 (4-12-0)

Head Coach: Bill Johnson (0-5), Homer Rice (4-7)

BENGALS	OPP.	BENGALS	OPP.
23 Kansas City	24	28 Houston	13
10 @ Cleveland*	13	13 @ San Diego	22
3 Pittsburgh	28	21 Oakland	34
18 New Orleans	20	6 @ Pittsburgh	7
12 @ San Francisco	28	10 @ Houston	17
0 @ Miami	21	37 Atlanta	7
3 New England	10	20 @ Los Angeles	19
0 @ Buffalo	5	48 Cleveland	16

POST SEASON RESULTS**WON 0, LOST 3****1970**

AFC Divisional Playoff

0 @ Baltimore

17

1973

AFC Divisional Playoff

18 @ Miami

34

1975

AFC Divisional Playoff

28 @ Oakland

31

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BENGALS 1978 REVIEW

The Cincinnati Bengals reeled off three consecutive victories at the end of the 1978 season to lift hopes for the coming year.

The Bengals beat Los Angeles, Atlanta, both playoff teams, and Cleveland in their whirlwind finish and posted a 4-12 record for the season.

Preseason injuries to quarterback Ken Anderson, defensive end Ross Browner, running back Lenvil Elliott and linebacker Bo Harris got the Bengals off to a slow start and prevented them from being a contender.

Once Anderson and Browner, the team's 1978 first round draft choice, returned to action the Bengals again became a force to be reckoned with.

After losing eight games in a row, Cincinnati, under new head coach Homer Rice, who replaced Bill Johnson after the fifth game, stung the playoff-bound Houston Oilers, 28-13.

Rice's club broke even 4-4 in the final eight games and showed a superb defense and bursts of offensive excellence.

The Cincy defense finished fifth overall in the AFC, and was the best the latter part of the season. The Bengals finished second against the pass and 10th against the rush.

Offensively, Cincinnati wound up fifth passing by virtue of a big spurt after Anderson returned and 12th rushing. Overall the Bengals were seventh in offense in the AFC.

On defense the Bengals went from the '34' to a four man line when Browner came back from a bicep operation and the results were terrific.

Anderson, coming back after suffering broken bones in his throwing hand, was understandably off statistically. But, by season's end he was close to regaining his old sharpness.

On the season, Anderson completed 173 of 319 passes (54.2) for 2219 yards and 10 touchdowns. He was intercepted 22 times.

Isaac Curtis, as always, was Anderson's favorite target as the stats bear out. Curtis had his top receiving year, catching 47 passes for 737 yards and three touchdowns. It makes you wonder what Curtis' totals would have been had Anderson been healthy from the start.

Cincinnati's ground game sputtered and sputtered until the final six weeks of the season when big Pete Johnson took charge.

Johnson, a third year veteran from Ohio State, ran like a tank and thundered through the opposition in the final weeks.

The 6-2, 250-pound Johnson was the Bengals' top rusher for the second year in a row. He gained 762 yards on 180 carries for a glittering 4.2 average per attempt. He rushed for seven touchdowns, his longest a 50-yard hike in the season finale against the Browns he rushed 160 yards to lead Cincinnati to a crushing 48-16 victory over their arch-rivals from the north.

Pat McNally wrestled the NFL punting championship from Oakland's Ray Guy in 1978. McNally, who also played a lot of wide receiver for Cincinnati, punted for a lofty 43.1 average on 91 punts.

Rice's Bengals head into the 1979 campaign with an optimistic feeling tempered with the knowledge of what injuries to key players can do to a team.

The club's core of veterans, all still in their most productive years, are back and ready. Mixed with them are some of the brightest young prospects in the NFL — Browner, cornerback Louis Breeden and tight end Don Bass — plus an encouraging group of draft choices.

BENGALS HISTORY

- 1965** Dec. 14 — Ohio Gov. James Rhodes, Paul Brown discuss possible franchise before Cincinnati business and civic leaders.
- 1966** Dec. 15 — Cincinnati City Council approves Riverfront Stadium on strength of Bengal franchise.
- 1967** Sept. 27 — Paul Brown group granted American Football League franchise for Cincinnati.
Oct. 27 — Paul Brown names new Cincinnati team Bengals.
Dec. 26 — Bengals obtain their first player — quarterback John Stofa — from Miami.
- 1968** Jan. 8 — Bengals select Wilmington College (Ohio) as training site.
Jan. 15-16 — Bengals receive 40 players in American Football League allocation draft.
Jan. 30 — Tennessee center Bob Johnson is Bengals first round draft choice.
July 5 — Bengals open first training camp at Wilmington College.
Aug. 3 — Bengals lose to Kansas City in first pre-season game at Nippert Stadium before 21,862 fans.
Aug. 25 — Bengals score first victory by defeating the Pittsburgh Steelers, 19-3, in pre-season game at Morgantown, W. Va.
Sept. 15 — Bengals score first regular season victory by defeating Denver, 24-10, in home opener.
Dec. 9 — Paul Robinson wins AFL rushing title with 1023 yards and is voted rookie of the year.
- 1969** Jan. 28 — Greg Cook is top draft choice.
Sept. 14 — Paul Brown achieves 300th career victory as Bengals defeat the Miami Dolphins.
Sept. 28 — Bengals upset Kansas City Chiefs, the eventual World Champions, 24-19.
Dec. 12 — Paul Brown voted AFL Coach of the Year; Bill Bergy, defensive rookie of the year; Greg Cook wins AFL passing championship.
- 1970** Jan. 27 — Mike Reid is top draft choice.
Feb. 25 — Bengals season ticket sale tops 40,000.
Aug. 8 — Bengals open play in Cincinnati's new Riverfront Stadium and defeat the Washington Redskins, 27-12, in pre-season game before 52,299 fans.
Aug. 29 — Bengals upset Cleveland Browns, 31-24, in pre-season game before crowd of 57,112 fans in Riverfront Stadium.
Sept. 20 — Bengals defeat Oakland Raiders, 31-21, in regular season opener.
Nov. 15 — Biggest sports crowd in Cincinnati history — 60,007 — watches Bengals trim Browns, 14-10.
Dec. 20 — Cincinnati wallops Boston, 45-7, to win the championship of the Central Division of the American Football Conference. A crowd of 60,157, largest sports gathering in Cincinnati history, watches Bengals wrap up title.
Dec. 26 — Bengals lose to Baltimore, 17-0, in AFC playoff game.
Dec. 30 — Paul Brown named Coach of the Year.
- 1971** Jan. 28 — Vernon Holland is top draft choice.
June 15 — Bengals' season ticket sale reaches 54,000.
Sept. 11 — Bengals wind up pre-season undefeated with 5-0-1 record.
Sept. 19 — Cincinnati opens regular season play with crushing 37-14 victory over the Philadelphia Eagles in Riverfront Stadium.
Oct. 17 — Bengals lose thriller to Cleveland, 27-24, before 60,284 fans, biggest sports crowd in Cincinnati history.
Nov. 28 — Bengals notch first shutout in club's history by whipping San Diego 31-0.

- Dec. 30 — Mike Reid named to defensive tackle position on all-AFC team.
- 1972** Feb. 1 — Sherman White is number one draft choice for Cincinnati.
 June 15 — Bengals' season ticket sale reaches 54,000.
 Sept. 3 — Bengals defeat Browns, 27-21, before 84,816 fans at Ohio Stadium in Columbus in first professional football game ever played at Ohio State University.
 Dec. 17 — Bengals set club all-time scoring high by walloping Houston, 61-17, in season finale at Houston.
 Dec. 21 — Mike Reid voted all-pro defensive tackle.
- 1973** Jan. 30 — Isaac Curtis, wide receiver from San Diego State, is first round draft choice of Bengals.
 June 15 — Bengals' season ticket sale reaches 54,000.
 Sept. 23 — Bengals wallop Houston, 24-10, in home opener at Riverfront Stadium.
 Dec. 2 — Bengals shutout Minnesota Vikings, 27-0, in Riverfront. It's the first time Vikings have been blanked in 162 games.
 Dec. 16 — Bengals climax uphill fight to defeat Houston 27-24 in Astrodome and win American Football Conference's Central Division title for the second time in four years.
 Dec. 23 — Bengals lose to defending NFL champion Miami Dolphins, 34-18, in AFC Playoff Game played in the Orange Bowl.
- 1974** Jan. 10 — Boobie Clark named AFC rookie-of-the-year.
 Jan. 10 — Wide receiver Bob Trumpy and defensive tackle Mike Reid named to Pro Bowl squad.
 Jan. 29 — Defensive tackle Bill Kollar of Montana State is Bengals' number one draft choice in 1974.
 April 25 — Bengals' season ticket sale reaches 54,000.
 Sept. 15 — Bengals open regular season with 33-7 victory over Cleveland at Riverfront Stadium.
 Nov. 3 — Paul Brown achieves 200th pro coaching victory as Bengals trim Baltimore 24-14.
- 1975** Jan. 20 — Isaac Curtis, Tom Casanova and Lemar Parrish represent Cincinnati on AFC Pro Bowl team.
 Jan. 28 — Glenn Cameron, linebacker from University of Florida, is Bengals' first round draft choice.
 Aug. 2 — Bengals make first appearance in Pro Football Hall of Fame Game at Canton, Ohio, meeting the Washington Redskins.
 Sept. 21 — Bengals trim Cleveland, 24-17, in opener and embark on a six-game winning streak.
 Nov. 17 — Cincinnati defeats Buffalo, 33-24, in first regular season Monday Night television game at Riverfront.
 Dec. 21 — Cincinnati wallops San Diego, 47-14, to post 11-3 season, the club's best ever, and earn berth in the NFL Playoffs.
 Dec. 24 — Quarterback Ken Anderson named Dodge-NFL Man-of-the-Year.
 Dec. 28 — Oakland eliminates Bengals, 31-28, in hard-fought playoff game.
 Dec. 30 — Wide receiver Isaac Curtis, defensive back Lemar Parrish and quarterback Ken Anderson named to AFC Pro Bowl team.
- 1976** Jan. 1 — Paul Brown retires after 41 seasons in brilliant coaching career and names Bill Johnson, one of his assistants for eight years, head coach of the Bengals. Brown continues as general manager, vice president and an owner of the Bengals.
 April 8 — Oklahoma wide receiver Billy Brooks is Bengals' first choice in 1976 college draft. Running back Archie Griffin, two-time Heisman Trophy winner from Ohio State, is also selected in first round by Cincinnati.
 Sept. 12 — Bengals open 1976 regular season with 17-7 win over the Denver Broncos at Riverfront and

- give Bill Johnson his first victory as a head coach.
 Sept. 17 — Quarterback Ken Anderson goes over 2000 career passing attempts and becomes top alltime percentage passer.
 Dec. 21 — Wide receiver Isaac Curtis, cornerback Lemar Parrish, middle linebacker Jim LeClair, defensive end Coy Bacon and safety Tom Casanova named to AFC Pro Bowl team.
 Dec. 28 — Cornerback Ken Riley and Casanova named to Associated Press All-Pro team.
- 1977** Jan. 11 — Quarterback Ken Anderson selected to play for the AFC in the Pro Bowl game.
 May 3 — Eddie Edwards, defensive tackle from the University of Miami, Fla., is first-round draft choice of the Bengals. Cincinnati also takes defensive tackle Wilson Whitley, University of Houston, and tight end Mike Cobb, Michigan State, in first round.
 Dec. 13 — Cornerback Lemar Parrish, defensive end Coy Bacon and safety Tom Casanova voted to AFC Pro Bowl squad.
- 1978** May 2 — Ross Browner, defensive lineman from Notre Dame, is first round draft choice of the Bengals. Center Blair Bush, Washington, is second player selected by Cincinnati in the first round.
 Oct. 2 — Homer Rice replaces Bill Johnson as head coach of the Bengals.
 Oct. 29 — Bengals snap eight-game losing streak, longest in club's history, by belting Houston, 28-13.
 Dec. 17 — Cincinnati finishes season with three straight victories over Atlanta, Los Angeles and Cleveland.
 Dec. 19 — Homer Rice rehired as head coach.
- 1979** May 3 — Jack Thompson, Washington State quarterback, is Bengals' No. 1 draft choice. Charles Alexander, running back from LSU, is second player selected by Cincinnati in first round.

BENGALS VS. NFL TEAMS

REGULAR SEASON

OPPONENT	WON	LOST	TIED
Atlanta Falcons	2	1	0
Baltimore Colts	1	2	0
Buffalo Bills	4	2	0
Chicago Bears	1	0	0
Cleveland Browns	9	9	0
Dallas Cowboys	0	1	0
Denver Broncos	5	5	0
Detroit Lions	0	2	0
Green Bay Packers	2	1	0
Houston Oilers	12	7	1
Kansas City Chiefs	6	5	0
Los Angeles Rams	2	1	0
Miami Dolphins	3	4	0
Minnesota Vikings	1	1	0
New England Patriots	3	3	0
New Orleans Saints	2	1	0
New York Giants	2	0	0
New York Jets	2	4	0
Oakland Raiders	3	8	0
Philadelphia Eagles	2	0	0
Pittsburgh Steelers	5	13	0
St. Louis Cardinals	1	0	0
San Diego Chargers	5	6	0
San Francisco 49ers	1	1	0
Seattle	1	0	0
Tampa Bay	1	0	0
Washington Redskins	1	1	0
TOTALS	77	78	1

1978 CINCINNATI BENGALS

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RESULTS AND ATTENDANCE

L	CINCINNATI ..23		KANSAS CITY ...24	41,810
L	CINCINNATI ..10	@	CLEVELAND13	72,691
L	CINCINNATI .. 3		PITTSBURGH ...28	50,260
L	CINCINNATI ..18		NEW ORLEANS ..20	40,455
L	CINCINNATI ..12	@	SAN FRANCISCO.28	41,107
L	CINCINNATI .. 0	@	MIAMI .....21	54,729
L	CINCINNATI .. 3		NEW ENGLAND ..10	48,699
L	CINCINNATI .. 0	@	BUFFALO .....5	47,754
W	CINCINNATI ..28		HOUSTON .....13	50,532
L	CINCINNATI ..13	@	SAN DIEGO .....22	45,461
L	CINCINNATI ..21		OAKLAND .....34	51,374
L	CINCINNATI .. 6	@	PITTSBURGH ....7	47,578
L	CINCINNATI ..10	@	HOUSTON .....17	43,245
W	CINCINNATI ..37		ATLANTA .....7	25,336
W	CINCINNATI ..20	@	LOS ANGELES ..19	47,471
W	CINCINNATI ..48		CLEVELAND ....16	46,985

TEAM STATISTICS

	BENGALS	OPPONENT					
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	271	269					
Rushing	105	121					
Passing	141	118					
Penalty	25	30					
Third Down Made/Att.	75/226	85/227					
Third Down Efficiency	33.2	37.4					
TOTAL NET YARDS	4872	4623					
Avg. Per Game	304.5	288.9					
Total Plays	1034	1037					
Avg. Per Play	4.7	4.5					
NET YARDS RUSHING	2131	2396					
Avg. Per Game	133.2	149.8					
Total Rushes	526	606					
NET YARDS PASSING	2741	2227					
Avg. Per Game	171.3	139.2					
Tackled/Yards Lost	38/298	34/293					
Gross Yards	3039	2521					
Attempts/Completions	470/250	396/193					
Pct. of Completions	53.2	49.7					
Had Intercepted	20	29					
PUNTS/AVERAGE	95/42.4	107/42.0					
NET PUNTING AVERAGE	38.3	39.5					
PENALTIES/YARDS	110/956	120/1065					
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	36/19	36/17					
TOUCHDOWNS	29	34					
Rushing	10	16					
Passing	14	14					
Returns	5	4					
TOTAL POINTS	252	284					
SCORE BY PERIODS	1	2	3	4	OT	Total	
Bengals	30	79	46	97	0	252	
Opponents	66	106	53	54	3	284	
SCORING	TDR	TDP	TDRT	PAT	FG	SAF	TP
Bahr	0	0	0	26	16	0	74
P. Johnson	7	0	0	0	0	0	42
Bass	0	4	1	0	0	0	30
Curtis	0	3	0	0	0	0	18
Perry	0	0	3	0	0	0	18
Davis	2	0	0	0	0	0	12
A. Griffin	0	2	0	0	0	0	12
Brooks	0	2	0	0	0	0	12
Walker	0	2	0	0	0	0	12
Jauron	0	0	1	0	0	0	6

Anderson	1	0	0	0	0	0	6
Burley	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Team	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
BENGALS TOTAL ..	10	14	5	26	16	2	252
Opp. Total	16	14	4	30	16	1	284

RUSHING	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
P. Johnson	180	762	4.2	50	7
A. Griffin	132	484	3.7	30	0
Turner	84	333	3.9	65	0
Clark	40	187	4.7	20	0
Anderson	29	167	5.8	16	1
Elliott	30	74	2.5	12	0
Davis	20	58	2.9	15	2
Reaves	6	50	8.3	20	0
Dinkel	1	20	20.0	20	0
Others	4	-4	-1.0	1	0
Bengals Total	526	2131	4.1	65	10
Opp. Total	606	2396	3.9	70	16

RECEIVING	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Curtis	47	737	15.7	57	3
A. Griffin	35	284	8.1	27	3
Brooks	30	506	16.9	45	2
P. Johnson	31	236	7.6	34	0
Bass	27	447	16.6	51	4
McInally	15	189	12.6	49	0
Corbett	12	187	15.6	51	0
Elliott	12	100	11.1	15	0
Walker	12	126	10.5	28	2
Clark	11	73	6.6	26	0
Turner	11	50	4.5	8	0
Others	4	59	14.7	19	0
Bengals Total	250	3039	12.2	57	14
Opp. Total	193	2521	13.1	53	14

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Jauron	4	52	13.0	24	1
Perry	3	59	19.2	39	2
Riley	3	33	11.0	17	0
Breeden	3	25	8.3	18	0
Cobb	1	13	13.0	13	0
LeClair	1	11	11.0	11	0
Williams	1	11	11.0	11	0
Dinkel	1	1	1.0	1	0
Shumon	1	48	48.0	48	0
Morgan	1	64	64.0	64	0
Edwards	1	2	2.0	2	0
Bengals Total	20	319	15.9	64	3
Opp. Total	29	211	7.0	40	2

PUNTING	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TB	In20	LG	Blk.
McInally	91	3919	43.1	10	25	65	0
Bahr	4	108	27.0	1	2	30	0
Bengals Total	95	4207	42.4	11	27	65	0
Opp. Total ..	107	4496	42.0	11	37	65	0

PUNT RETURNS	No.	FC	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Davis	22	8	130	5.9	12	0
Law	25	4	106	4.2	17	0
Breeden	6	1	-12	-2.0	1	0
Bass	3	0	8	2.7	7	0
Jauron	3	0	32	10.6	15	0
Bengals Total	59	13	264	4.5	17	0
Opp. Total	58	4	564	9.7	52	0

KICKOFF RETURNS	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
R. Griffin	37	787	21.3	39	0
Bass	7	137	19.4	32	0
A. Griffin	4	94	23.5	26	0
Law	2	30	15.0	17	0
Davis	2	39	19.0	21	0
Turner	1	24	24.0	24	0

Others	4	30	7.5	15	0	
Bengals Total	58	1141	19.7	39	0	
Opp. Total	49	1100	22.4	48	0	
FIELD GOALS	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Total
Bahr	0-0	5-7	4-8	6-11	1-2	16-30
Opp. Total ...	4-4	6-6	6-10	0-3	0-0	16-23
PASSING	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	Avg./Att.	TD
Anderson	319	173	2219	54.2	6.96	10
Reaves	144	74	790	51.4	5.48	3
Hertel	4	1	9	25.0	2.20	0
Griffin	2	2	21	100.0	10.5	1
Bengals Total ...	470	250	3039	53.2	6.47	14
Opp. Total	396	193	2521	49.7	6.76	14
PASSING	Pct. TD	Int.	Pct. Int.	LG	Lost/Att.	Rating
Anderson	3.1	22	6.9	57	30/244	57.8
Reaves	2.1	7	4.8	51	8/61	54.7
Hertel	0.0	0	0.0	9	0/0	—
Griffin	5.0	0	0.0	18	0/0	—
Bengals Total ...	2.9	29	6.1	57	38/298	57.6
Opp. Total	3.8	20	5.4	53	34/293	61.8

LONGEST BENGAL PLAYS OF 1978

TOUCHDOWN RUN FROM SCRIMMAGE — 50 yards by Pete Johnson vs. Cleveland at Cincinnati, Dec. 17.

RUN FROM SCRIMMAGE — 65 yards by Deacon Turner vs. San Diego at San Diego, Nov. 5.

FORWARD PASS — 57 yards from Ken Anderson to Isaac Curtis vs. Houston at Cincinnati, Oct. 29.

KICKOFF RETURNS — 39 yards by Ray Griffin vs. Atlanta at Cincinnati, Dec. 3.

PUNT RETURN — 17 yards by Dennis Law vs. Kansas City at Cincinnati, Sept. 3.

INTERCEPTION RETURN — 64 yards by Melvin Morgan vs. San Francisco at San Francisco, Oct. 1.

LONGEST PUNT — 65 yards by Pat McNally vs. Buffalo at Buffalo, Oct. 22.

LONGEST FIELD GOAL — 52 yards by Chris Bahr vs. New England at Cincinnati, Oct. 15.



BENGAL DEFENDERS EYE PREY

... Cornerback Ken Riley (13) and Linebacker Reggie Williams (57) and Glenn Cameron (50).



Bengals' Quarterback Ken Anderson.

BENGAL NETWORK

The Bengal radio network, which originates with WLW in Cincinnati, is one of the largest in the National Football League. Phil Samp, play-by-play, and Jimmy Crum, color, are beginning their 12th season on the Bengal Network.

WILMINGTON COLLEGE TRAINING CAMP

The Cincinnati Bengals "summer home" is Wilmington College in Wilmington, Ohio, where they are holding their training camp for the 12th consecutive year.

The heart of the training camp is housed in Hermann Court — a modern and well-equipped fieldhouse located on the south edge of the campus. The fieldhouse includes an Olympic swimming pool, a Nautilus-equipped training room, handball courts, and two basketball courts. The twice-daily workouts are held on two practice fields and a regulation football field adjacent to the fieldhouse.

The team is housed in Clarence E. Pickett Hall, a four-story dormitory; dining room facilities are located in nearby Pyle Center. As a fan, you are cordially invited to both tour the campus and watch the Bengals in action.

NFL ATTENDANCE

National Football League paid attendance, bolstered by the expansion of the regular season schedule from 14 to 16 weeks, exceeded 12 million for the first time during 1978 when the per-game average reached 57,017, the third highest in league history and the best since 1973. Also, attendance at all games — including preseason, regular season and postseason — surpassed 16 million for the first time.

FINAL 1978 NFL STANDINGS AMERICAN FOOTBALL CONFERENCE

Central Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
* Pittsburgh	14	2	0	.875	356	195
# Houston	10	6	0	.625	283	298
Cleveland	8	8	0	.500	334	356
Cincinnati	4	12	0	.250	252	284

Eastern Division

* New England.....	11	5	0	.688	358	286
# Miami	11	5	0	.688	372	254
N. Y. Jets	8	8	0	.500	359	364
Buffalo	5	11	0	.313	302	354
Baltimore	5	11	0	.313	239	421

Western Division

* Denver	10	6	0	.625	282	198
Oakland	9	7	0	.563	311	283
Seattle	9	7	0	.563	345	358
San Diego	9	7	0	.563	355	309
Kansas City	4	12	0	.250	243	327

NATIONAL FOOTBALL CONFERENCE

Eastern Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
* Dallas	12	4	0	.750	384	208
# Philadelphia	9	7	0	.563	270	250
Washington	8	8	0	.500	273	283
St. Louis	6	10	0	.375	248	296
N. Y. Giants	6	10	0	.375	264	298

Central Division

* Minnesota	8	7	1	.531	294	306
Green Bay	8	7	1	.531	249	269
Detroit	7	9	0	.438	290	300
Chicago	7	9	0	.438	253	274
Tampa Bay	5	11	0	.313	241	259

Western Division

* Los Angeles	12	4	0	.750	316	245
# Atlanta	9	7	0	.563	240	290
New Orleans	7	9	0	.438	281	298
San Francisco	2	14	0	.125	219	350

* Division Champion

Wild Card for Playoffs

POST SEASON RESULTS

(Announced attendance in parentheses, home team in capitals)

Sunday, December 24

AFC First Round:

Houston 17, MIAMI 9 (70,036)

NFC First Round:

ATLANTA 14, Philadelphia 13 (49,447)

Saturday, December 30

AFC Divisional Playoff:

PITTSBURGH 33, Denver 10 (48,921)

NFC Divisional Playoff:

DALLAS 27, Atlanta 20 (60,338)

Sunday, December 31

AFC Divisional Playoff:

Houston 31, NEW ENGLAND 14 (60,881)

NFC Divisional Playoff:

LOS ANGELES 34, Minnesota 10 (69,631)

Sunday, January 7

AFC Championship Game:

PITTSBURGH 34, Houston 5 (49,417)

NFC Championship Game:

Dallas 28, LOS ANGELES 0 (67,470)

Sunday, January 21

Super Bowl XIII:

Pittsburgh 35, DALLAS 31 (78,656) at Orange Bowl, Miami

Monday, January 29

Pro Bowl:

NFC 13, AFC 7 (38,333) at Memorial Coliseum, Los Angeles

CINCINNATI BENGALS ALLTIME ROSTER

NAME	POSITION	YEAR	SCHOOL
Adams, Doug	LB	1971-74	Ohio State
Amsler, Martin	DE	1970	Evansville
Anderson, Ken	QB	1971-78	Augustana, Ill.
Anderson, Jerry	S	1977	Oklahoma
Archer, Dan	T	1968	Oregon
Avery, Ken	LB	1969-74	So. Mississippi
Baccaglio, Martin	DT-DE	1968-70	San Jose State
Bacon, Coy	DE	1976-78	Jackson State
Bahr, Chris	PK	1976-78	Penn State
Banks, Estes	RB	1968	Colorado
Bass, Don	TE	1978	Houston
Beauchamp, Al	LB	1969-75	Southern U.
Bergey, Bill	LB	1969-73	Arkansas State
Berry, Royce	DE	1969-75	Houston
Blackwood, Lyle	S	1973-75	TCU
Brabham, Dan	LB	1968	Hawaii
Breeden, Louis	CB	1978	No. Carolina Cen.
Brooks, Billy	WR	1976-78	Oklahoma
Brown, Bob	DT	1975-76	Arkansas AM & N
Browner, Ross	DE	1978	Notre Dame
Buchanan, Tim	LB	1968	Hawaii
Buie, Drew	WR	1972	Catawba
Bujnoch, Glenn	G	1976-78	Texas A & M
Buncom, Frank	LB	1968	USC
Burley, Gary	DE	1976-78	Pittsburgh
Bush, Blair	C	1978	Washington
Cameron, Glenn	LB	1975-78	Florida
Canale, Justin	G	1969	Mississippi State
Carpenter, Ron	DE	1969-76	No. Carolina State
Carter, Virg	QB	1970-73	Brigham Young
Casanova, Tom	S	1972-77	LSU
Chandler, Al	TE	1973-74	Oklahoma
Chomyszak, Steve	DT	1968-73	Syracuse
Clark, Boobie	RB	1973-78	Bethune-Cookman
Clark, Wayne	QB	1974	U.S. International
Cobb, Marvin	CB-S	1975-78	USC
Cobb, Mike	TE	1977	Michigan State
Coleman, Al	S	1969-71	Tennessee State
Conley, Steve	RB	1972	Kansas
Cook, Greg	QB	1969-74	Cincinnati
Corbett, Jim	TE	1977-78	Pittsburgh
Cornish, Frank	DT	1970	Grambling
Coslet, Bruce	TE	1969-76	U. of Pacific
Cousino, Brad	LB	1975	Miami-Ohio
Crabtree, Eric	WR	1969-71	Pittsburgh
Craig, Neal	S	1971-73	Fisk
Curtis, Isaac	WR	1973-78	San Diego State
Davis, Charles	RB	1974-75	Colorado
Davis, Ricky	S	1975	Alabama
Davis, Tony	RB	1976-78	Nebraska
Deleone, Tom	G-C	1972-73	Ohio State
Dennis, Guy	G	1969-72	Florida
Depaso, Tom	LB	1978	Penn State
Devlin, Chris	LB	1975-78	Penn State
Dinkel, Tom	LB	1978	Kansas
Donahue, Mark	G	1978	Michigan
Dressler, Doug	RB	1970-74	Chico State
Dunn, Paul	RB-WR	1970	U.S. International
Durko, Sandy	S	1970-71	USC
Dyer, Ken	S	1969-71	Arizona State
Edwards, Eddie	DE	1978	Miami, Fla.
Elliott, Lenvil	RB	1973-78	NE Missouri State
Ely, Larry	LB	1970-71	Iowa
Elzey, Paul	LB	1968	Toledo
Erickson, Bernard	LB	1968	Abilene Christian
Ernst, Mike	QB	1973-74	Cal-Fullerton
Fest, Howard	G-T	1968-75	Texas
Fairchild, Greg	G	1976-77	Tulsa

NAME	POSITION	YEAR	SCHOOL
Frazier, Curt	CB	1968	Fresno State
Fritts, Stan	RB	1975-76	No. Carolina State
Gehrke, Jack	WR	1969-70	Utah
George, Tim	WR	1973	Carson-Newman
Graham, Ken	S	1970	Washington State
Graves, White	S	1968	LSU
Green, Dave	P-PK	1974-75	Ohio U.
Griffin, Archie	RB	1976-78	Ohio State
Griffin, Jim	DE	1968-69	Grambling
Griffin, Ray	CB-KR	1978	Ohio State
Guillory, John	S	1969-70	Stanford
Gunner, Harry	DE	1968-69	Oregon
Haffner, Mike	WR	1971	UCLA
Harmon, Ed	LB	1969	Louisville
Harris, Bo	LB	1975-78	LSU
Headrick, Sherrill	LB	1968	TCU
Henson, Champ	RB	1975	Ohio State
Herock, Ken	TE	1968	West Virginia
Hertel, Rob	QB	1978	USC
Hibler, Mike	LB	1968	Stanford
Holden, Steve	WR	1977	Arizona State
Holland, Vernon	T	1971-78	Tennessee State
Hunt, Bobby	S	1968-69	Auburn
Hunt, Ron	T	1976-78	Oregon
Jackson, Bernard	S-CB	1972-76	Washington State
Jauron, Dick	S	1978	Yale
Johnson, Bob	C	1968-78	Tennessee
Johnson, Essex	RB	1968-75	Grambling
Johnson, Jim	CB	1968-69	So. Carolina St.
Johnson, Ken	DT	1971-77	Indiana
Johnson, Pete	RB	1977-78	Ohio State
Johnson, Walter	DT	1977	Los Angeles State
Joiner, Charlie	WR	1972-75	Grambling
Jolitz, Evan	LB	1974	Cincinnati
Jones, Bob	S	1973	Virginia Union
Jones, Willie Lee	DT-DE	1968-71	Kansas
Kearney, Tim	LB	1972-74	No. Michigan
Keeling, Rex	P	1968	Samford
Kellerman, Ernie	S	1973	Miami-Ohio
Kelly, Bob	T	1968	New Mexico St.
Kelly, Mike	TE	1970-72	Davidson
Kindricks, Bill	DT	1968	Alabama A & M
King, Charley	S	1968-69	Purdue
Koegel, Vic	LB	1974	Ohio State
Kollar, Bill	DT	1974-76	Montana State
Krevis, Al	T	1975	Boston College
Lamb, Ron	RB	1968-70	So. Carolina
Lapham, Dave	G	1974-78	Syracuse
Law, Dennis	KR-WR	1978	East Tennessee St.
Lawson, Steve	G	1971-72	Kansas
LeClair, Jim	LB	1972-78	North Dakota
Lewis, Dave	P-QB	1970-73	Stanford
Livingston, Dale	P-PK	1968-69	Western Michigan
Maddox, Bob	DE	1974	Frostburg State
Marshall, Ed	WR	1971	Cameron
Matlock, John	C	1968	Miami (Fla.)
Matson, Pat	G	1968-74	Oregon
Mayes, Rufus	T-G	1970-78	Ohio State
McClure, Wayne	LB	1968-69	Mississippi
McDaniel, John	WR	1974-77	Lincoln
McNally, Pat	P-WR	1976-78	Harvard
McVea, Warren	WR	1968	Houston
Middendorf, Dave	G	1968-69	Washington St.
Muhlmann, Horst	PK	1969-74	None
Moore, Maulty	DT	1975	Bethune-Cookman
Morgan, Melvin	CB	1976-78	Miss. Valley
Morrison, Reece	RB	1972-73	S.W. Texas St.
Myers, Chip	WR	1969-76	N.W. Oklahoma
Neidert, John	LB	1968	Louisville

NAME	POSITION	YEAR	SCHOOL
Novak, Jack	TE	1975	Wisconsin
Park, Ernie	T	1969	McMurray
Parrish, Lemar	CB	1970-78	Lincoln
Perreault, Pete	G	1968	Boston U.
Perry, Scott	CB	1976-78	Williams
Peterson, Bill	LB	1968-72	San Jose State
Phillips, Jess	RB	1968-72	Michigan St.
Phillips, Ray	LB	1977-78	Nebraska
Powers, Warren	S	1968	Nebraska
Pritchard, Ron	LB	1972-78	Arizona State
Pureifory, Dave	DT	1978	Eastern Michigan
Randall, Dennis	DE	1968	Oklahoma State
Randolph, Al	CB	1972	Iowa
Reaves, John	QB	1975-78	Florida
Reid, Mike	DT	1970-74	Penn State
Rice, Andy	DT	1968-69	Texas Southern
Riley, Ken	CB	1969-78	Florida A & M
Robinson, Paul	RB	1968-72	Arizona
Roman, Nick	DE	1970-72	Ohio State
Saffold, St.	WR	1968	San Jose State
Sawyer, Ken	S	1974	Syracuse
Scott, Bill	CB	1968	Idaho
Shelby, Willie	KR-RB	1976-77	Alabama
Sherman, Rod	WR	1968	USC
Shinners, John	G	1972-77	Xavier
Smiley, Tom	RB	1968	Lamar Tech.
Smith, Fletcher	CB-S	1968-71	Tennessee St.
Smith, Tommie	WR	1969	San Jose State
Spiller, Phil	S	1968	Los Angeles State
Staley, Bill	DT	1968-69	Utah
Stofa, John	QB	1968-69	Buffalo
Swanson, Terry	P	1968	Massachusetts
Thomas, Lee	DE	1973	Jackson State
Thomas, Speedy	WR	1969-72	Utah
Trumpy, Bob	TE	1968-77	Utah
Turner, Clem	RB	1969	Cincinnati
Turner, Dave	RB	1978	San Diego St.
Vincent, Ted	DT	1978	Syracuse
Walker, Rick	TE	1977-78	UCLA
Walters, Stan	T	1972-74	Syracuse
Warren, Dewey	QB	1968	Tennessee
Washington, Ted	RB	1968	San Diego State
Watson, Pete	RB-TE	1972	Tufts
Wells, Mike	QB	1977	Illinois
White, Andre	TE	1968	Florida A & M
White, Sherman	DE	1972-75	California
Whitley, Wilson	DT	1977-78	Houston
Willis, Fred	RB	1971-72	Boston College
Williams, Monk	WR	1968	Arkansas AM & N
Williams, Jim	CB	1968	Alcorn A & M
Williams, Reggie	LB	1976-78	Dartmouth
Wilson, Joe	RB	1973	Holy Cross
Wilson, Mike	G-T	1969-70	Dayton
Wright, Ernie	T	1968-71	Ohio State
Wyche, Sam	QB	1968-70	Furman

BAHR FG TOPS

The Bengals' Chris Bahr kicked the longest AFC field goal during the 1978 season, a 52-yarder against New England on October 15. It was the AFC's only successful field goal from 50-yards-or-more in 1978.

LOMBARDI WINNERS

The Cincinnati Bengals boast two Lombardi Trophy winners in Wilson Whitley, Houston, 1976, and Ross Browner, Notre Dame, 1977. The Lombardi Trophy is awarded annually to the top college lineman in the country.

BENGALS TEAM OFFENSIVE RECORDS

MOST POINTS SCORED IN A GAME:

61 against Houston at Houston in 1972

MOST POINTS SCORED IN A SEASON:

340 in 1975

MOST FIRST DOWNS IN A GAME:

34 against Buffalo at Cincinnati in 1975

34 against Philadelphia at Philadelphia in 1975

MOST FIRST DOWNS IN A SEASON:

295 in 1975

MOST YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE IN A GAME:

553 against Buffalo at Cincinnati in 1975

MOST YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE IN A SEASON:

5060 in 1975

MOST YARDS RUSHING IN A GAME:

269 against Kansas City at Kansas City, 1976

MOST YARDS RUSHING IN A SEASON:

2236 in 1973

MOST RUSHING PLAYS IN A GAME:

55 against Pittsburgh at Cincinnati in 1973

MOST RUSHING PLAYS IN A SEASON:

515 in 1973

MOST YARDS PASSING IN A GAME:

447 against Buffalo at Cincinnati in 1975

MOST YARDS PASSING IN A SEASON:

3497 in 1975 (Gross)

3241 in 1975 (Net)

MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED IN A GAME:

47 against Kansas City in 1970

MOST PASSES COMPLETED IN A GAME:

31 against Houston at Cincinnati in 1974

MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED IN A SEASON:

433 in 1975

MOST YARDS PASSING IN A SEASON:

3497 in 1975 (Gross)

3241 in 1975 (Net)

MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED IN A GAME:

47 against Kansas City in 1970

MOST PASSES COMPLETED IN A GAME:

31 against Houston at Cincinnati in 1974

MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED IN A SEASON:

470 in 1978

MOST PASSES COMPLETED IN A SEASON:

255 (of 433 for 3497 yards) in 1975

MOST FIELD GOALS IN A GAME:

5, Horst Muhlmann at Buffalo in 1970; Horst Muhlmann, Pittsburgh at Cincinnati in 1972

MOST FIELD GOALS IN A SEASON:

27, Horst Muhlmann in 1972

MOST CONSECUTIVE WINS IN A SEASON:

7 in 1970 (Buffalo, Cleveland, Pittsburgh, New Orleans, San Diego, Houston, Boston)

BENGALS TEAM DEFENSIVE RECORDS

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS ALLOWED:

Game: 6 against Pittsburgh at Cincinnati in 1973

Season: 207 in 1972

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS RUSHING ALLOWED:

Game: 0, Kansas City at Cincinnati in 1974

1, Philadelphia at Cincinnati in 1971

Season: 87 in 1970

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS PASSING ALLOWED:

Game: 2, Kansas City at Cincinnati in 1968

2, Pittsburgh at Cincinnati in 1973

2, Buffalo at Buffalo in 1973

Season: 92 in 1972

FEWEST YARDS RUSHING ALLOWED:

Game: 28, Houston at Houston, 1976

Season: 1543 in 1970

FEWEST YARDS PASSING ALLOWED:

Game: 35, Green Bay at Cincinnati, 1976

Season: 1709 in 1974
FEWEST POINTS ALLOWED:
Game: 0, San Diego at Cincinnati in 1971
0, Minnesota at Cincinnati in 1973
0, New Orleans at New Orleans in 1975
0, Philadelphia at Philadelphia in 1975
0, Tampa Bay at Cincinnati, 1976

Season: 210 in 1976
FEWEST YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE ALLOWED:
Game: 36, Green Bay at Cincinnati, 1976
Season: 3547 in 1972

FEWEST RETURN YARDS ALLOWED:
8, Cleveland in 1973

FEWEST TOUCHDOWNS ALLOWED:
Season: 24 in 1972
FEWEST RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS ALLOWED:
Season: 10 in 1970

FEWEST PASSING TOUCHDOWNS ALLOWED:
Season: 9 in 1973

MOST PASSES INTERCEPTED IN A GAME:
6 against San Diego at San Diego in 1971
6 against New York Jets at New York, 1976

MOST PASSES INTERCEPTED IN A SEASON:
27 in 1971

BENGALS INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

MOST POINTS SCORED IN A GAME:
19, Horst Muhlmann against Buffalo in Buffalo, 1970;
Muhlmann against Houston in Houston, 1972
MOST POINTS SCORED IN A SEASON:
111, Horst Muhlmann, 1972, MOST POINTS SCORED IN
CAREER: 549, Horst Muhlmann

MOST YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE IN A GAME:
447, Ken Anderson against Buffalo in Cincinnati, 1975

MOST YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE IN A SEASON:
3350, Ken Anderson, 1975

MOST YARDS RUSHING IN A GAME:
160, P. Johnson against Cleveland in Cincinnati, 1978

MOST YARDS RUSHING IN A SEASON:
1023, Paul Robinson, 1968

MOST RUSHING ATTEMPTS IN A GAME:
28, Boobie Clark, Pittsburgh at Cincinnati, 1973

MOST RUSHING ATTEMPTS IN A SEASON:
254, Boobie Clark, 1973

LONGEST RUN FROM SCRIMMAGE:
87, Paul Robinson, against Oakland at Oakland in 1968

BEST PASSING PERCENTAGE IN A SEASON:
64.9, Ken Anderson, 1974

BEST PASSING PERCENTAGE IN A GAME:
22 of 24 for 91.6%, Ken Anderson against Pittsburgh in
Cincinnati in 1974.

MOST YARDS PASSING IN A GAME:
447, Ken Anderson against Buffalo in Cincinnati in 1975

MOST YARDS PASSING IN A SEASON:
3169, Ken Anderson, 1975

MOST PASSES COMPLETED IN A GAME:
30, Ken Anderson against Houston in Cincinnati, 1974;
Ken Anderson against Oakland in Cincinnati, 1978

MOST PASSES COMPLETED IN A SEASON:
228 (of 377) Ken Anderson, 1975

MOST CONSECUTIVE COMPLETED PASSES:
16, Ken Anderson, 1974 (8 against Baltimore at Baltimore,
8 against Pittsburgh at Cincinnati)

MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED IN A GAME:
50, Ken Anderson against Oakland in Cincinnati, 1978

LONGEST PASS COMPLETION:
94, Ken Anderson to Billy Brooks at Minnesota, 1977

MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED IN A SEASON:
377, Ken Anderson, 1975

MOST YARDS PASS RECEPTIONS IN A GAME:
201, John McDaniel (9 receptions) against Oakland at
Oakland, 1976

- MOST YARDS PASS RECEPTIONS IN A SEASON:**
 934, Isaac Curtis, 1975
- MOST PASS RECEPTIONS IN A GAME:**
 10, Boobie Clark, Houston in Cincinnati, 1974;
 Pittsburgh at Pittsburgh, 1973
- MOST PASS RECEPTIONS IN A SEASON:**
 57, Chip Myers, 1972
- MOST INTERCEPTIONS IN A GAME:**
 3, Lemar Parrish, Houston at Houston, 1972
 3, Ken Riley against New York Jets in New York, 1976
- MOST QUARTERBACK SACKS IN A GAME:**
 5, Mike Reid against Kansas City at Kansas City, 1972
- MOST QUARTERBACK SACKS IN A SEASON:**
 26, Coy Bacon, 1976
- MOST INTERCEPTIONS IN A SEASON:**
 9, Ken Riley, 1976
- LONGEST RUSHING PLAY:**
 87, Paul Robinson against Oakland in Oakland, 1970
- LONGEST PUNT:**
 67, Pat McNally, Cleveland at Cincinnati, 1977
- LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN:**
 97, Willie Shelby, against Cleveland at Cincinnati, 1976
- LONGEST PUNT RETURN:**
 90, Lemar Parrish, Washington at Cincinnati, 1974
- LONGEST FIELD GOAL RETURN:**
 83, Lemar Parrish, Buffalo at Buffalo, 1970
- LONGEST INTERCEPTION RETURN:**
 70, Harry Gunner, against Kansas City at Kansas City, 1969
- LONGEST FIELD GOAL:**
 53, Horst Muhlmann at San Diego, 1970
- MOST TD PASSES THROWN IN A GAME:**
 4, Greg Cook, against Houston at Houston, 1969
 4, Ken Anderson, against Kansas City at Kansas City, 1974
 4, Ken Anderson, against Cleveland at Cleveland, 1976

BENGALS OPPONENTS RECORDS

- MOST POINTS SCORED IN A GAME:**
 42, Kansas City at Kansas City, 1969
 42, Minnesota at Minnesota, 1977
- MOST FIRST DOWNS IN A GAME:**
 33, Oakland at Cincinnati, 1968
- MOST YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE IN A GAME:**
 594, Oakland at Cincinnati, 1968
- MOST YARDS RUSHING IN A GAME:**
 313, Kansas City at Kansas City, 1969
- MOST RUSHING PLAYS IN A GAME:**
 55, Pittsburgh at Pittsburgh, 1976
- MOST YARDS PASSING IN A GAME:**
 369, Oakland at Cincinnati, 1968
- MOST PASSES IN A GAME:**
 54, Houston at Houston, 1970
- MOST PASSES COMPLETED IN A GAME:**
 27, Houston at Houston, 1970
- MOST PASSES INTERCEPTED IN A GAME:**
 4, Oakland at Cincinnati, 1975
- MOST FIELD GOALS IN A GAME:**
 4, New York Jets, at New York, 1969;
 4, Los Angeles, at Los Angeles, 1978
- MOST RETURN YARDS IN A GAME:**
 262, Miami at Cincinnati, 1969

TOP INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCES AGAINST BENGALS

- MOST YARDS RUSHING IN A GAME:**
 197, O. J. Simpson, Buffalo at Cincinnati, 1975
- LONGEST RUN FROM SCRIMMAGE:**
 80, Warren McVea, Kansas City at Kansas City, 1969
- MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED:**
 54, Jerry Rhome, Houston at Houston, 1970

MOST PASSES COMPLETED:

27, Jerry Rhome, Houston at Houston, 1970

MOST YARDS GAINED PASSING:

368, Daryle Lamonica, Oakland at Cincinnati, 1968

LONGEST COMPLETED PASS:

87, Jerry Rhome to Charlie Joiner, Houston at Houston, 1970

MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES:

4, Ken Stabler, Oakland at Oakland, 1976

MOST PASSES CAUGHT:

9, Rich Caster, N.Y. Jets at Cincinnati in 1973

MOST YARDS GAINED RECEIVING:

198, Roger Carr, Baltimore at Baltimore, 1976

MOST TOUCHDOWNS SCORED:

3, Brad Hubbert, San Deigo at San Deigo, 1969

3, Warren Wells, Oakland at Oakland, 1969

3, Bo Scott, Cleveland at Cincinnati, 1971;

3, Marv Hubbard, Oakland at Oakland, 1971;

3, Floyd Little, Denver at Denver, 1973

MOST FIELD GOALS:

4, Jim Turner, Jets at New York, 1969;

4, Frank Corral, Los Angeles, at Los Angeles, 1978

LONGEST FIELD GOAL:

52, Jan Stenerud, Kansas City at Kansas City, 1968

LONGEST PUNT:

70, Dalton Jackson, Buffalo, at Buffalo, 1978

LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN:

105, Mercury Morris, Miami at Cincinnati, 1969

LONGEST RETURN:

69, Jon Staggers, Pittsburgh at Pittsburgh, 1975

MOST PUNTS IN A GAME:

12, Denver at Denver, 1968

MOST FUMBLES LOST IN A GAME:

6, Cleveland at Cincinnati, 1975

6, New York Jets at New York, 1976

BENGALS PRESEASON RESULTS

Won 38, Lost 23, Tied 2

1968 (2-3-0)

BENGALS	OPP.
14 Kansas City	38
13 @ Denver	15
6 Buffalo	10
19 * Pittsburgh	3
13 ** New York Jets	9
* at Morgantown, W. Va.	
** at Memphis, Tenn.	

1969 (3-2-0)

BENGALS	OPP.
13 * Boston	21
7 ** Kansas City	23
28 Miami	21
23 @ Pittsburgh	13
13 Denver	10
* at Bowling Green, Ohio	
** at Jackson, Miss.	

1970 (2-3-1)

BENGALS	OPP.
27 Washington	12
10 @ Miami	20
20 @ St. Louis	41

BENGALS	OPP.
31 Cleveland	24
10 * Green Bay	10
14 Detroit	31
* at Milwaukee, Wis.	

1971 (5-0-1)

BENGALS	OPP.
27 @ Miami	10
31 @ Detroit	24
20 Pittsburgh	13

BENGALS	OPP.
22 St. Louis	21
27 Green Bay	24
17 @ Washington	17

1972 (3-3-0)

BENGALS	OPP.
14 @ Green Bay	24
28 Detroit	20
17 Miami	35

BENGALS	OPP.
34 @ Philadelphia	20
27 * Cleveland	21
14 Atlanta	44
* at Columbus, Ohio	

1973 (4-2-0)

BENGALS	OPP.	BENGALS	OPP.
13 @ Miami	14	17 @ Detroit	10
45 Philadelphia	21	31 Atlanta	20
6 * Cleveland	24	13 Green Bay	10

* at Columbus, Ohio

1974 (4-2-0)

BENGALS	OPP.	BENGALS	OPP.
19 Miami	13	27 Detroit	14
35 Philadelphia	21	17 * Cleveland	21
13 @ Atlanta***	7	24 ** Green Bay	26

*** Overtime

* at Columbus, Ohio

** at Milwaukee, Wis.

1975 (4-3-0)

BENGALS	OPP.	BENGALS	OPP.
9 * Washington	17	20 @ Philadelphia	30
3 @ Miami	7	22 @ Detroit	14
38 @ Buffalo	28	21 New Orleans	0
27 Green Bay	10		

* Hall of Fame Game at Canton, Ohio

1976 (4-2-0)

BENGALS	OPP.	BENGALS	OPP.
23 @ Green Bay	17	17 @ Minnesota	23
31 Buffalo	10	10 @ New Orleans	13
26 Detroit	14	24 @ Tampa Bay	13

1977 (5-1-0)

BENGALS	OPP.	BENGALS	OPP.
20 @ Green Bay	23	33 St. Louis	9
45 Tampa Bay	0	26 Minnesota	7
17 Detroit	13	24 Chicago	6

1978 (2-2-0)

BENGALS	OPP.	BENGALS	OPP.
0 @ Tampa Bay	17	27 Chicago	3
10 Detroit	14	17 * Green Bay	14

* At Milwaukee

BENGALS "100-YARD CLUB"

Cincinnati players who have gained 100 or more yards rushing in a game

Paul Robinson	159	10-27-68	Oakland
Paul Robinson	156	11- 3-68	Houston
Paul Robinson	115	11-10-68	Kansas City
Paul Robinson	134	11-17-68	Miami
Jess Phillips	103	10- 4-69	San Diego
Jess Phillips	120	11- 2-69	Oakland
Paul Robinson	117	11-30-69	Buffalo
Jess Phillips	130	9-29-70	Oakland
Virg Carter	110	11-15-70	Cleveland
Paul Robinson	117	11-22-70	Pittsburgh
Essex Johnson	113	9-19-71	Philadelphia
Essex Johnson	109	12- 5-71	Cleveland
Essex Johnson	103	10-29-72	Houston
Doug Dressler	110	10-29-72	Houston
Essex Johnson	131	9-23-73	Houston
Essex Johnson	121	9-30-73	San Diego
Boobie Clark	112	10-14-73	Pittsburgh
Boobie Clark	104	10-21-73	Kansas City
Boobie Clark	100	10-31-76	Cleveland
Archie Griffin	139	11-21-76	Kansas City
Pete Johnson	108	10-23-77	Denver
Deacon Turner	116	11- 5-78	San Diego
Pete Johnson	160	12-17-78	Cleveland

BENGALS ATTENDANCE DATA
YEAR-BY-YEAR
(Regular Season)

YEAR	HOME	AWAY
1968	180,362	269,780
1969	191,091	342,855
1970	407,757	350,091
1971	414,769	394,412
1972	397,488	433,549
1973	386,405	368,201
1974	368,368	369,816
1975	365,898	355,882
1976	362,908	349,557
1977	320,530	357,528
1978	355,451	400,036

LARGEST CROWD — REGULAR SEASON

Home	— 60,284 Bengals vs. Browns — October 17, 1971
Road	— 83,520 Bengals vs. Browns — October 11, 1970

Bengal-Burger
Most Valuable Player
Award Winners

(determined by vote of the fans)

1968	Paul Robinson	Running Back
1969	Greg Cook	Quarterback
1970	Bill Bergey	Linebacker
1971	Virgil Carter	Quarterback
1972	Tommy Casanova	Safety
1973	Boobie Clark	Running Back
1974	Ken Anderson	Quarterback
1975	Ken Anderson	Quarterback
1976	Coy Bacon	Defensive End
1977	Tony Davis	RB - Special Teams
1978	Ross Browner	Defensive End

BENGAL BITES

Pat McNally won his first NFL punting title with a 43.1 average in 1978. McNally led the NFL in net punting average in 1977 with a 36.4 average. Running back Pete Johnson's 160 yards on 27 carries in the 1978 victory over the Cleveland Browns was a new club mark. Johnson's 762 yards on 180 carries are the most for the Bengals since Essex Johnson had 997 in 1973. Wide receiver Isaac Curtis' team-high 47 catches for 737 yards are the most in one season for the six-year veteran.

MEDIA INFORMATION

Press Box Credentials: Cincinnati Riverfront Stadium press box space is reserved for members of the working news media. Requests for credentials should be made at least one week in advance and directed to Allan Heim, Public Relations Director, Cincinnati Bengals, 200 Riverfront Stadium, Cincinnati, Ohio 45202.

Television and Radio: Network television and visiting radio are assigned to marked booths in the press box. Spotters are available upon request.

Photographers: Only accredited working photographers are allowed on the sidelines. They must obtain and wear a "Field Photo" credential. The bench areas are off-limits.

Locker Rooms: Press box credentials are used to gain admittance into the locker rooms after the game.

Press Box Services: Complete statistical information is supplied during and after the game. Scores of other games are announced as received.

BENGALS TICKET OFFICE

The Cincinnati Bengals' ticket office is located at Gate 9, Plaza Level, Riverfront Stadium. Press Will Call tickets may be picked up at this location three hours prior to kickoff.

PLAYOFF OPPONENTS

The Bengals will play eight games in 1979 with teams which reached the playoffs in 1978. Cincinnati takes on Pittsburgh and Houston twice, and Dallas, Denver, Philadelphia and New England once.



PAT McINALLY TOP PUNTER IN NFL
in 1978 . . . Bengal booter averaged 43.1 yards

BENGALS OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

President	John Sawyer
Vice President, General Manager	Paul E. Brown
Assistant General Manager	Michael Brown
Director of Player Personnel	Pete Brown
Business Manager	John Murdough
Director of Public Relations	Allan Heim
Ticket Manager	Bill Hedgecock Paul Kelly
Accountant	Jay Reis
Team Physicians	Dr. George Ballou Dr. Walter Timperman Dr. Ralph Richter
Trainer	Marvin Pollins
Equipment Manager	Tom Gray
Entertainment Director	Shirley Bird
Scouts	Earl Biederman, John Hogan, Frank Smouse, Jack Thomas, Frank Uible, Milt Von Mann
Chief Statistician	Howard Lewis
Photographer	Denny Landwehr
Public Address Announcer	Tom Kinder
Secretaries	Sylvia Fryer, Sue Kuntz, JoAnn Meyer, Ingrid Moore, Jan Sutton, Jill Turner

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	Homer Rice
Offensive Line	Mike McCormack
Receivers	Boyd Dowler
Offensive Backfield	George Sefcik
Defensive Coordinator	Howard Brinker
Defensive Line	Chuck Studley
Defensive Backfield	Charley Winner
Special Teams	Frank Gansz
Strength	Kim Wood

CLUB INFORMATION

Home Stadium	Riverfront Stadium (56,200)
Office	200 Riverfront Stadium
Telephone	A/C 513 621-3550
Training Camp	Wilmington College, Wilmington, Ohio
Telephone	A/C 513 382-1431
Radio (Bengals Network)	WLW (NBC affiliate)
Team Colors	Orange, Black and White

NOTE: Public Relations Director Al Heim's home phone number is (513) 752-9116.

BENGALS ROAD HEADQUARTERS

Detroit	Troy Hilton Inn
Chicago	Continental Plaza
Denver	Denver Marriott
Buffalo	Sheraton Inn — Buffalo East
Dallas	Dallas Marriott — Market Center
Cleveland	Bond Court
Baltimore	Cross Keys Inn
Houston	Houston Marriott — West Loop
Pittsburgh	William Penn
Washington	Crystal City Marriott

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