



**1977
LIONS**

media guide

1977 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

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|---------------|--------------------|
| DETROIT | at Chicago |
| Baltimore | at Seattle |
| Cleveland | at Cincinnati |
| Dallas | at Minnesota |
| Green Bay | at New Orleans |
| Kansas City | at New England |
| Los Angeles | at Atlanta |
| Miami | at Buffalo |
| New York Jets | at Houston |
| St. Louis | at Denver |
| San Diego | at Oakland |
| Tampa Bay | at Philadelphia |
| Washington | at New York Giants |

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

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| San Francisco | at Pittsburgh |
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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

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| Minnesota | at Tampa Bay |
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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

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| New Orleans | at DETROIT |
| Atlanta | at Washington |
| Baltimore | at New York Jets |
| Buffalo | at Denver |
| Chicago | at St. Louis |
| Houston | at Green Bay |
| Miami | at San Francisco |
| New York Giants | at Dallas |
| Oakland | at Pittsburgh |
| Philadelphia | at Los Angeles |
| San Diego | at Kansas City |
| Seattle | at Cincinnati |

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

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| New England | at Cleveland |
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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2

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| Philadelphia | at DETROIT |
| Buffalo | at Baltimore |
| Cincinnati | at San Diego |
| Denver | at Seattle |
| Green Bay | at Minnesota |
| Houston | at Miami |
| New England | at New York Jets |
| New Orleans | at Chicago |
| New York Giants | at Atlanta |
| Pittsburgh | at Cleveland |
| St. Louis | at Washington |
| San Francisco | at Los Angeles |
| Tampa Bay | at Dallas |

MONDAY, OCTOBER 3

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| Oakland | at Kansas City |
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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9

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| DETROIT | at Minnesota |
| Atlanta | at San Francisco |
| Cincinnati | vs. Green Bay |
| | at Milw. |
| Dallas | at St. Louis |
| Kansas City | at Denver |
| Miami | at Baltimore |
| New York Jets | at Buffalo |
| Oakland | at Cleveland |
| Philadelphia | at New York Giants |
| Pittsburgh | at Houston |
| San Diego | at New Orleans |
| Seattle | at New England |
| Washington | at Tampa Bay |

MONDAY, OCTOBER 10

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| Los Angeles | at Chicago |
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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16

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| Green Bay | at DETROIT |
| Atlanta | at Buffalo |
| Baltimore | at Kansas City |
| Chicago | at Minnesota |
| Cleveland | at Houston |
| Denver | at Oakland |
| New England | at San Diego |
| New Orleans | at Los Angeles |
| New York Jets | at Miami |
| St. Louis | at Philadelphia |
| San Francisco | at New York Giants |
| Tampa Bay | at Seattle |
| Washington | at Dallas |

MONDAY, OCTOBER 17

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| Cincinnati | at Pittsburgh |
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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23

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|-----------------|------------------|
| DETROIT | at San Francisco |
| Atlanta | at Chicago |
| Baltimore | at New England |
| Cleveland | at Buffalo |
| Dallas | at Philadelphia |
| Denver | at Cincinnati |
| Green Bay | at Tampa Bay |
| Houston | at Pittsburgh |
| Kansas City | at San Diego |
| New Orleans | at St. Louis |
| New York Giants | at Washington |
| Oakland | at New York Jets |
| Seattle | at Miami |



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PONTIAC SILVERDOME

Home of the Lions

Seating Capacity — 80,638
 Playing Surface — AstroTurf
 Dome — Fiberglass

Stadium Cost — \$55.7 million
 Construction Time — 23 months
 Ground-breaking — Sept. 19, 1973
 Opening Game — Aug. 23, 1975

1977 LIONS' CLUB DIRECTORY

Pontiac Silverdome, 1200 Featherstone, Box 4200, Pontiac, MI 48057
 Lions' Office: (313) 335-4131 Tickets: 335-4151 Stadium: 857-7700

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

| | |
|---|-------------------|
| President | William Clay Ford |
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| Director of Public Relations | Don Kremer |
| Ticket Manager | Fred Otto |
| Consultant | Edwin J. Anderson |

COACHING, SCOUTING & TRAINING STAFFS

| | |
|--|---|
| Head Coach | Tommy Hudspeth |
| Asst. Coach, asst. special teams & offensive asst. | Bill Belichick |
| Asst. Coach, linebackers | Rollie Dotsch |
| Asst. Coach, offensive backfield | Wally English |
| Asst. Coach, quarterbacks & receivers; offensive coordinator | Ed Hughes |
| Asst. Coach, defensive backfield | Burnie Miller |
| Asst. Coach, offensive line | John Payne |
| Asst. Coach, strength & conditioning, special teams | Floyd Reese |
| Asst. Coach, defensive line; defensive coordinator | Fritz Shurmur |
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| Film Director | Quinn Palamides |
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| College Scout, eastern area | Joe Bushofsky |
| Head Trainer | Kent Falb |
| Assistant Trainer | Don Kaverman |
| Head Equipment Manager | Roy "Friday" Macklem |
| Asst. Equipment Manager | Dan Jaroshewich |
| Equipment Staff | Joe Inman |

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| | |
|--|-----------------------------|
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| Secretary, Mr. Thomas | Becky Price |
| Secretary, Mr. Lehew & Player Personnel | Marylee Jensen |
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| Ticket Office Assistant | John Geshel |
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|---------------------------------|--|
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| Press Box Chief | Dan Walton |
| Statistics Crew Chief | Jim Huddleston |
| Photographer | George Gellatly |
| Team Colors | Honolulu Blue & Silver |
| PRO! Advertising Representative | Al Wiebeck |



WILLIAM CLAY FORD
President

He was born and raised in the automotive industry, but professional football also is a vital part of his life. It was back in 1934 that William Clay Ford saw his very first Detroit Lions' game. The franchise had just moved to Detroit from Portsmouth, Ohio, and his father, the late Edsel Ford, took him to the University of Detroit stadium to watch this "new" team in action. Mr. Ford has been a Lions' fan ever since.

This will mark his 14th year as owner of the club, his 17th as president, and 21st as a top official with the Lions. As both fan and the chief executive, Mr. Ford's goal is to bring a championship to the Detroit Lions and their fans. And, he has demonstrated that he will spare no expense to reach that lofty goal.

In addition to his football duties and his activities in national and civic organizations, he also is deeply involved in the automotive industry as a director of the Ford Motor Company and Vice President — Product Design. After two years in the Naval Aviation Corps in World War II, Mr. Ford went to Yale University where he received a Bachelor of Science degree. He originally joined the Ford Motor Company's sales and advertising staff, and then started moving up through the different departments until becoming a company director with responsibility for corporate planning and design.

Among his numerous positions as a community leader, he is chairman of the board of Henry Ford Museum and Greenfield Village, secretary-treasurer of Henry Ford Hospital, president of the Edsel B. Ford Institute for Medical Research, trustee of the Eisenhower Medical Center, and a director of the National Tennis Hall of Fame and the United Foundation of Detroit.

An avid sports enthusiast, he played varsity tennis and soccer at Yale is a low handicap golfer, and possesses an unyielding determination to bring a pro football championship to the Detroit Lions.

Mr. Ford is married to the former Martha Firestone of Akron, Ohio. They have three daughters and a son.

RUSS THOMAS

Executive Vice President and General Manager



Russ is starting his 31st year with the Lions and his 11th as General Manager of the club. During his long career with the team, he has handled every conceivable job the pro game could offer. Thomas has been a player, scout, coach, broadcaster and has worked in player personnel. He was an assistant coach when the Lions won the NFL Championship in 1952. In addition to his coaching duties, he was in charge of scouting rival teams, evaluating college prospects and negotiating player salaries. All this experience has aided him greatly in the daily handling of the countless decisions and details involved in the running of a professional football organization.

Russ came out of West Virginia as one of the state's most sought after high school football and track stars. He held the national high school shot-put record before enrolling at Ohio State where he played on a national championship team under Paul Brown. Russ was drafted by the Lions in 1946 and played four seasons before surgery ended a promising playing career. Thomas was a 60-minute player with Detroit and gained All-Pro honors while serving as co-captain of the team.

Russ and his wife, Dorothy, live in Walled Lake. They are the parents of two married sons, John and Jim.

ROGERS LEHEW

Vice President and Assistant General Manager

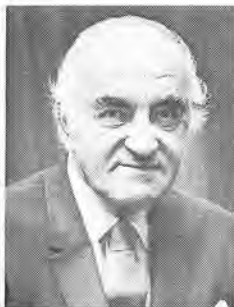


The personable Tulsa, Oklahoma native joined the Lions in 1974 after 15 seasons in the Canadian Football League. Rogers holds a masters' degree from the University of Tulsa and had his first taste of coaching at his alma mater in 1951. He went to the CFL in 1959 as assistant general manager to Jim Finks. Now with the Bears, when Finks moved to Minnesota in 1964, Rogers was elevated to the G.M.'s job. During his stay at Calgary, the Stampeders ranked among the elite of the CFL, winning three Conference titles and taking the coveted Grey Cup in 1971.

With the Lions, his chief duties revolve around the player personnel department. Rogers works closely on the draft and the evaluation of talent, both pro and college. He shares contract negotiations with Russ Thomas and serves as the team's liaison with the BLESTO scouting group.

Rogers and his wife, Joan, live in Birmingham with their twin sons, Larry and Garry, who attend the University of Windsor. A married daughter, Lora, lives in Calgary.

EDWIN J. ANDERSON Consultant



"Andy" has served the Lions in important executive capacities for nearly 30 years, a record shared by few in the National Football League. A key figure in organizing a group of local sports enthusiasts who purchased the Detroit franchise in 1948, Anderson was named club president in 1949 and held that post for 12 seasons. He served as general manager for nine of those years and later as executive vice president and senior vice president.

A graduate of Beloit, Andy was an outstanding collegiate athlete. He entered the advertising and sales fields and was president of a Detroit brewery from 1941 until 1958.

Now as a consultant for the Lions, Andy was instrumental in planning for the club's move to the Silverdome in Pontiac, and remains active in many civic and fraternal organizations.

Andy and his wife, Sunny, have residences in Bloomfield Hills and Palm Springs, California. They have a married daughter, Mernie, Mrs. Richard Williams.

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*Kent Falb
Head Trainer*



*Roy "Friday" Macklem
Equipment Manager*



*Jerry Neri
Western Area*



*Joe Bushofsky
Eastern Area*

TOMMY HUDSPETH Head Coach



"I think we can win with this team. We have the nucleus of a fine football team." Those were the words of Tommy Hudspeth when he signed a three year contract in February to coach the Detroit Lions. It was October, 1976 when Tom took over a dispirited Lions team that had won only one of their first four games. Hudspeth says, "I felt my main job was to unify the players and the coaching staff." The record shows that under Hudspeth's leadership the Lions finished with a respectable five and five record and showed flashes of brilliance, especially at the Silverdome.

The personable Hudspeth, a two-way player at the University of Tulsa in the 50's, is a coach who insists on positive thinking and optimism. With 20 years of coaching experience behind him, he joined the Lions in 1974 as a pro scout and was promoted to Coordinator of Personnel and Scouting the next year. Looking ahead to the 1977 season, Hudspeth says, "My goal is a winner. To get it, we must be a well-disciplined, well-drilled team. Pro football despite its fancy plays, still depends on the basic fundamentals." The Lions are optimistic that in 1977 Tom Hudspeth and his outstanding coaching staff will come up with the "Right Combination."

"TOM'S THOUGHTS"

—"My kind of football is an aggressive, wide-open offense . . . and a hard hitting defense . . . both fundamentally sound."

—"I am demanding a complete effort by every player at all times. If we don't get it there will be some players waiting for a plane out of town."

—"I've hired a good, strong, fundamental staff and we want to start winning with the very first exhibition game."

—"I will be calling all the plays from the bench. I feel this can be done in a way that will make our quarterback have even more confidence in himself."



LIONS COACHING STAFF, 1977



Tommy Hudspeth



Bill Belichick



Rollie Dotsch

TOMMY HUDSPETH, Head Coach — 1st full year (1976 interim coach, Oct. 5)

Born: September 14, 1931 (45), Cherryvale, Kansas

College: Tulsa, 1953

Position: Quarterback and defensive back

Coaching Career: Tulsa, 1957-60; Calgary (CFL), 1961-63; Brigham Young (head coach), 1964-71; Texas El Paso, 1972-73 (later head coach); Chicago (WFL), 1974; Lions, 1974-

Family: Wife, Ruth Ann; sons, Max and Phil, daughter, Melissa

BILL BELICHICK, Assistant Special Teams & Offensive Assistant — 2nd year

Born: April 16, 1952 (24), Nashville Tennessee

College: Wesleyan, 1973

Position: Center, tight end, defensive end

Coaching Career: Colts, 1975; Lions, 1975-

Family: Wife, Debby

Bill is the youngest member of Tommy Hudspeth's staff as he starts his second year with the Lions. The Belichick name was first associated with the Lions in the early 40's when Bill's dad, Steve, played fullback for the team in 1941.

ROLLIE DOTSCHE, Linebacker Coach — 1st year

Born: February 14, 1933 (44), Escanaba, Michigan

College: Michigan State University, 1955

Position: Offensive Lineman

Coaching Career: Northern Michigan, 1958-60 (assistant coach), 1966-70 (head coach and athletic director); Colorado, 1961; Missouri, 1962-65; Green Bay, 1971-74; New England, 1975-76; Lions, 1977-

Family: Wife, Carol; son, Michael, daughters, Helen and Molly

Rollie, who played at Michigan State, had an outstanding five year stint as head coach-athletic director at Northern Michigan. He coached the offensive line at Green Bay for four years before moving to New England where he directed the linebackers for two more seasons.



Wally English



Ed Hughes



Burnie Miller

WALLY ENGLISH, Offensive Backfield Coach — 3rd year (last with club in '74)

Born: June 28, 1938 (38), Louisville, Kentucky

College: University of Louisville, 1959

Position: Quarterback

Coaching Career: Bishop David High School, Louisville (head coach), 1962-63; Mt. Carmel High School, Houston (head coach), 1964; Kentucky, 1965-68; New Orleans Saints, 1969; Arkansas, 1970; Virginia Tech, 1971-72; Nebraska, 1973; Lions, 1974-75; 1977-

Family: Wife, Peggy; sons, Jon, Steve, Dan and Tom

Wally returns to the Lions after one year away from the pro game. He's an excellent fundamental coach and lists Kentucky, Arkansas, Virginia Tech and Nebraska among his coaching stops. English was an assistant at New Orleans before joining the Lions for a two year stint in 1974.

ED HUGHES, Offensive Coordinator; Quarterback & Receiver Coach — 1st year

Born: October 23, 1927 (49), Buffalo, New York

College: Tulsa, 1954

Position: Halfback

Pro Playing Career: Los Angeles Rams, 1954-55; N.Y. Giants, 1956-58

Coaching Career: Tulsa, 1959; Dallas (AFL), 1960-62; Denver (AFL), 1963; Washington, 1964-67; San Francisco, 1968-70; Houston (head coach), 1971; Dallas, 1972-76; Lions, 1977-

Family: Wife, Nancy; Son, Jim, daughters, Colleen, Madeline, Eileen and Maureen

Ed coached the offensive backfield of the Dallas Cowboys the past four seasons and helped move them into three NFL playoffs including a Super Bowl trip. Hughes was an outstanding defensive back for the Los Angeles Rams and New York Giants during the 1950's. Ed's coaching credentials are impressive. Head coach of the Houston Oilers and staff positions with the Dallas Texans, Denver Broncos, Washington Redskins, San Francisco 49'ers and St. Louis Cardinals.

BURNIE MILLER, Defensive Backfield Coach — 1st year

Born: April 28, 1928 (48), Portsmouth, Virginia

College: Wofford, 1952 (master's — Wyoming)

Position: Fullback

Coaching Career: Wyoming, 1955-56; Indiana, 1957; Iowa State, 1958-64; Purdue, 1965-69; San Francisco, 1970; Houston, 1971; New England, 1972; Houston, 1973; SMU, 1976; Lions, 1977-

Family: Wife, Dawn; son, Doran, daughter, Robin

Burnie can look back on a 25-year career as a coaching, including six seasons in the NFL. He played collegiate football at Wofford and Tennessee and served on the coaching staffs at Wyoming, Indiana, Iowa State, Purdue and SMU in addition to six years in the NFL with the 49'ers, New England Patriots and Houston Oilers.



John Payne



Floyd Reese



Fritz Shurmur

JOHN PAYNE, Offensive Line Coach — 1st year

Born: May 15, 1933 (43), Schoolton, Oklahoma

College: Oklahoma State, 1955

Position: Center

Coaching Career: Oklahoma Central, 1964-65; Brigham Young, 1966-67; Edmonton (CFL), 1968-69; Winnipeg, 1970; Saskatchewan, 1971-72, head coach; 1973-76; Lions, 1977-

Family: Wife, Dorothy; sons, Jeff and Robby; daughters Jenifer and Heather

John has 22 years of coaching experience including the last nine in the Canadian Football League. Payne was head coach of the Saskatchewan Roughriders the past four seasons and capped his Canadian career with a Western Conference championship last year before losing the Grey Cup by a single point. Payne was a coaching compatriot with Tommy Hudspeth at Tulsa and Brigham Young.

FLOYD REESE, Strength and Conditioning, Special Teams Coach — 3rd year

Born: August 8, 1948 (28), Springfield, Missouri

College: UCLA, 1970

Position: Defensive Tackle

Coaching Career: UCLA, 1970-73; Georgia Tech, 1974; Lions, 1975-

Family: Wife, Sally; son, Jeremy

This will be the third year as a Lion for the former All-American defensive tackle who graduated from UCLA in 1970. Floyd coached in UCLA four years, moved to Georgia Tech in 1974 and joined the Lions the following season. He will be in charge of the kickoff and field goal teams and the teams strength and conditioning program.

FRITZ SHURMUR, Defensive Coordinator; Defensive Line Coach — 3rd year

Born: July 15, 1932 (44), Riverview, Michigan


College: Albion, 1954

Position: Center, Linebacker

Coaching Career: Albion, 1954-61; Wyoming, 1962-70, head coach 1971-74; Lions, 1975-

Family: Wife, Peggy; son, Scott, daughters Sally and Susie

In his third season as boss of the Lions' defensive line, Fritz adds 23 years of experience to the staff. He spent eight years on the staff of Albion College after a standout playing career at the school. Shurmur moved to the University of Wyoming in 1962 and spent the last five years as head coach before returning to Detroit and the Lions three years ago.

A black and white photograph capturing a moment on a football field. In the center, a coach wearing a white cap and a striped shirt looks intently to the left. He is surrounded by several players in three-point stances. The players are wearing helmets with a logo that resembles a horse or a similar animal. One player's jersey number, '150', is visible on the back. The scene is set on a grass field with a white yard line in the foreground. The background is a blurred crowd of spectators.

**1977
VETERAN
PLAYER
PROFILES**



LEM BARNEY

Defensive Back — Jackson State — 11th Year
Ht. 6-0—Wt. 190—Drafted '67, 2nd round
Born Gulfport, Mississippi, September 8, 1945

Started all 14 games in '76 . . . Named to Pro Bowl game for 7th time . . . Ranks 2nd to Dick LeBeau in career interceptions with a total of 53 . . . Now Lions number one career leader in most punt returns (143); most yardage (1312); and interception yardage (1024) . . . Has scored 11 touchdowns with a 24-yard runback against Seattle in '76 . . . Has passed the 4000-yard mark in total yards during his career . . . Missed only 12 games in his 10-year career . . . Rookie of the year in 1967 . . . All Pro three times, 1968, '69 and '72 . . . Was a relative unknown when drafted but moved right into a starting role . . . Detroit resident with wife Martha, and children, Lem III, and Letrese.

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| YEAR | INTERCEPTIONS | | | | | KICKOFF RETURNS | | | | | PUNT RETURNS | | | | | |
|---------------|---------------|-----------|-------------|------------|----------|-----------------|-------------|-------------|------------|----------|--------------|-------------|------------|-----------|------------|----------|
| | GP | NO. | YDS | L | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | FC | L | TD |
| 1967 | 14 | 10 | 232 | 71t | 3 | 5 | 87 | 17.4 | 25 | 0 | 4 | 14 | 3.5 | 8 | 6 | 0 |
| 1968 | 14 | 7 | 82 | 62 | 0 | 25 | 670 | 26.8 | 98t | 1 | 13 | 79 | 6.1 | 14 | 18 | 0 |
| 1969 | 13 | 8 | 126 | 32 | 0 | 7 | 154 | 22.0 | 32 | 0 | 9 | 191 | 21.2 | 5 | 74t | 1 |
| 1970 | 13 | 7 | 168 | 49t | 2 | 2 | 96 | 48.0 | 74 | 0 | 25 | 259 | 10.4 | 3 | 65 | 1 |
| 1971 | 9 | 3 | 78 | 28t | 1 | 9 | 222 | 24.7 | 48 | 0 | 14 | 122 | 8.7 | 2 | 38 | 0 |
| 1972 | 14 | 3 | 88 | 64 | 0 | 1 | 17 | 17.0 | 17 | 0 | 15 | 108 | 7.2 | 8 | 26 | 0 |
| 1973 | 14 | 4 | 130 | 38 | 0 | 1 | 28 | 28.0 | 28 | 0 | 27 | 231 | 8.6 | 7 | 42 | 0 |
| 1974 | 13 | 4 | 61 | 39 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 37 | 7.4 | 1 | 11 | 0 |
| 1975 | 10 | 5 | 23 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 80 | 10.0 | 3 | 30 | 0 |
| 1976 | 14 | 2 | 62 | 26 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 191 | 8.3 | 22 | 30 | 0 |
| Totals | 128 | 53 | 1050 | 71t | 7 | 50 | 1274 | 25.5 | 98t | 1 | 143 | 1312 | 9.2 | 73 | 74t | 2 |

**Lions Most
Valuable Players
1976 —
Ray Jarvis and
Charlie Weaver**

1975— Dexter Bussey
and Paul Naumoff
1974— Bill Munson
and Levi Johnson
1973— Altie Taylor
and Herb Orvis
1972— Rockne Freitas
and Larry Hand
1971— Steve Owens
and Mike Lucci
1970— Charlie Sanders
and Mike Lucci
1969— Charlie Sanders
and Mike Lucci
1968— Mel Farr and
Wayne Walker

1967— Mel Farr and
Lem Barney
1966— Pat Studstill
1965— Bruce Maher
1964— Jim Gibbons
1963— Earl Morrall
1962— Gail Cogdill
1961— Joe Schmidt
1960— Nick Pietrosante
1959— Jim Martin
1958— Joe Schmidt
1957— Joe Schmidt
1956— Bobby Layne
1955— Joe Schmidt
1954— Bobby Layne
1953— Dick Stanfel
1952— Jim Doran

LYNN BODEN

Guard—South Dakota State—3rd Year
Ht. 6-5—Wt. 270—Drafted '75, 1st round
Born Osceola, Nebraska, June 5, 1953

Moved into starting role in third game of rookie season . . . Played in all 14 games for Lions in '76 . . . Outstanding size for a guard . . . Moves feet extremely well . . . Quick off the ball . . . Biggest adjustment has been pass blocking . . . Hometown of Osceola, Nebraska (910 residents) had a "Lynn Boden Day" in April of '76 . . . Co-captain of South Dakota State team in senior year . . . As a tackle was elected the most valuable lineman in the North Central Conference . . . Received degree in Phys Ed . . . Single.

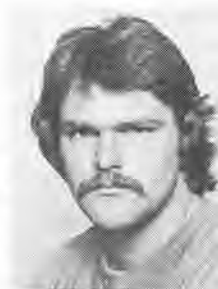


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RUSS BOLINGER

Guard—Long Beach State—2nd Year
Ht. 6-4—Wt. 250—Drafted '76, 3rd round
Born Wichita, Kansas, September 10, 1954

Named to second All-Rookie squad by Pro Football Writers . . . Has strength, speed and size . . . Extremely aggressive and a real hitter . . . Started seven games in '76 . . . Tried at tackle, center and tight end . . . Was tight end and offensive tackle at Long Beach State . . . Outstanding football and basketball player in high school . . . Native of Kansas . . . Lives in California during off-season . . . Single.



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ANDY BOLTON

Running Back—Fisk—2nd Year
Ht. 6-1—Wt. 210—Drafted '76, 4th round (Seattle)
Born Memphis, Tennessee, May 23, 1954

Free agent from Seattle . . . Played five games with Seahawks and seven with Lions . . . Used primarily on special teams . . . Carried the ball twice for 27 yards . . . First running back drafted by Seattle . . . Averaged 121 yards per game in senior year at Fisk . . . Set school rushing record with 272 yards against Morehouse . . . Named to second team Little All-American by AP . . . Single.



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DEXTER BUSSEY

Running Back—Texas Arlington—4th Year

Ht. 6-1—Wt. 210—Drafted '74, 3rd round

Born Dallas, Texas, March 11, 1952

Led the Lions in rushing for second straight season . . . Ranked 7th in NFC in '76 . . . Rolled up 858 yards on the ground . . . Caught 28 passes for 218 more yards . . . Top game came on Thanksgiving Day as he amassed 137 yards against Buffalo in 27 carries . . . Tough, durable back . . . Played in all 14 games in '76 . . . Although only a 3rd round draft pick, he has the talent and attitude to become one of the pro game's top backs . . . Came on strong after only carrying the ball nine times in his rookie season . . . Gained over 3000 yards in total offense in college . . . All Southland Conference choice in both junior and senior year . . . Lives in Pontiac with wife Kay, and children Cobey and Atiya.

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| YEAR | GP | RUSHING | | | | | RECEIVING | | | | |
|--------|----|---------|------|-----|-----|----|-----------|-----|------|-----|----|
| | | NO. | YDS | AVE | LG | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
| 1974 | 11 | 9 | 22 | 2.4 | 9 | 0 | 4 | 24 | 6.0 | 8 | 0 |
| 1975 | 13 | 157 | 696 | 4.4 | 32t | 2 | 14 | 175 | 12.5 | 65t | 2 |
| 1976 | 14 | 196 | 858 | 4.4 | 46 | 3 | 28 | 218 | 7.8 | 27 | 0 |
| Totals | 38 | 362 | 1576 | 4.4 | 46 | 5 | 46 | 417 | 9.1 | 65t | 2 |



DON CROFT

Defensive Tackle—Texas El Paso—6th Year (2nd with Lions)

Ht. 6-4—Wt. 260 Drafted '72, 5th round (Baltimore)

Born Temple, Texas, January 7, 1949

Acquired from the Bills last November after injuries to Orvis, English and Hand decimated the defensive tackle spot . . . Originally drafted by the Colts in '72 . . . Picked up on waivers by Buffalo and moved into starting role . . . Missed entire '73 campaign because of knee injury . . . Used in backup role in the next two seasons before signing with Lions . . . Lives in Texas during off-season.

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GARY DANIELSON

Quarterback—Purdue—2nd Year

Ht. 6-2—Wt. 200—Free Agent '76 (Detroit)

Born Detroit, Michigan, September 10, 1951

Played only one game in '76 . . . Used as holder . . . Has potential to become good quarterback . . . Played in World Football League for a season and a half with New York and Chicago . . . Captain of Michigan All-State high school team in 1968 after outstanding prep career at Divine Child . . . Among all-time Big-Ten passing percentage leaders . . . Biggest day in college ball — 300 yards passing against Washington in '71 . . . Captain of north team in annual Shrine game . . . BA degree from Purdue . . . Teaches school in off-season . . . Lives in suburban Detroit with wife, Kristie.

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DOUG ENGLISH

Defensive Tackle—Texas—3rd Year
Ht. 6-5—Wt. 255—Drafted '75, 2nd round
Born Dallas, Texas, August 25, 1953

Took over starting role in second game after injury to Herb Orvis and did a solid job . . . Went down with knee injury in Seattle game . . . Surgery on his right knee sidelined Doug for rest of the '76 season . . . Tough, aggressive and an intense competitor . . . Has excellent speed . . . Bench presses 475 lbs. . . Played on 3 SWC championship teams at Texas . . . Made All SWC, AP and UPI teams . . . Runs 4.9 40 . . . Has BA degree . . . Is one of teams' Players Association representatives . . . Single . . . Lives in Texas during off-season.



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ROCKNE FREITAS

Offensive Tackle—Oregon State—10th Year
Ht. 6-6—Wt. 275—Drafted '67, 3rd round (Pittsburgh)
Born Kaikua, Hawaii, September 7, 1945

Has started 113 straight games at right tackle . . . Rocky has been Mr. Consistency . . . Solid performer with tremendous strength . . . Joined Lions in 1967 after being cut by Pittsburgh . . . Voted Lions MVP on offense in 1972 . . . Named to Pro Bowl in '72 . . . Was center at Oregon State . . . Played in '65 Rose Bowl game against Michigan . . . Outstanding high school athlete in Hawaii . . . Named after Notre Dame's Knute Rockne . . . Middlename is Crowninburg . . . BS degree from college . . . Can bench press 465 lbs. . . A collector of classical art and antiques . . . An avid skin diver . . . Wife Leinaala (Ala) is the former Women's Paddle Ball Champion of Hawaii.



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LAWRENCE GAINES

Running Back—Wyoming—2nd Year
Ht. 6-1—Wt. 240—Drafted '76, 1st round
Born Vernon, Texas, December 15, 1953

Moved into starting role for last seven games of season . . . Improved with each game . . . Finished with 659 yards (2nd to Bussey) and four TDs . . . Joined 100-yard club with 116 yards against Vikings in second meeting . . . Caught 23 passes — fourth best on team . . . Extremely powerful and a good blocker . . . Selected second team All-Rookie by Pro Football Writers . . . Injured knee in final game and had cartilage removed in off-season . . . 4.7 in 40 . . . Second leading ground gainer in Wyoming history . . . Played two years under Fritz Shurmur, now Lions' assistnat . . . One of 13 children . . . Single.



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| YEAR | GP | RUSHING | | | | | RECEIVING | | | | |
|------|----|---------|-----|-----|-----|----|-----------|-----|-----|----|----|
| | | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
| 1976 | 14 | 155 | 659 | 4.3 | 26t | 4 | 23 | 130 | 5.7 | 24 | 1 |



LARRY HAND

Defensive Tackle — Appalachian State — 12th Year
Ht. 6-4 — Wt. 250 — Drafted '64, 10th round (as future)
Born Paterson, New Jersey, July 10, 1940

Started first 10 games then lost for season by knee surgery . . . Second knee operation during career . . . Missed 13 games in '68 after injury . . . Played in 150 games in 12 years with club . . . Only five others have played more; Joe Schmidt next on list at 154 . . . Intercepted five passes during career, returning three of those for touchdowns . . . Senior member in years of service to club . . . Voted Lions' Defensive MVP in 1972 . . . Has played both tackle and end . . . Small college All-American at Appalachian State in North Carolina . . . Outdoorsman who spends free time hunting and fishing . . . Lives in Detroit area with wife, Darlene, and daughter, Shakira Ann.

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INTERCEPTIONS

| YEAR | GP | NO. | YDS | L | TD |
|--------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|
| 1965 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1966 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1967 | 14 | 2 | 6 | 4t | 2 |
| 1968 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1969 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1970 | 14 | 1 | 62 | 62t | 1 |
| 1971 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1972 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1973 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1974 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1975 | 14 | 1 | 38 | 38 | 0 |
| 1976 | 10 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 0 |
| Totals | 150 | 5 | 110 | 62t | 3 |



CRAIG HERTWIG

Offensive Tackle—Georgia—3rd Year
Ht. 6-8—Wt. 285—Drafted '75, 4th round
Born Macon, Georgia, January 15, 1952

One of the tallest offensive linemen in pro ranks . . . Fast and agile . . . Called "Skyscraper" by his teammates . . . Started last nine games for the Lions and did a solid job . . . Named to Associated Press first All-American team at Georgia and NEA's second . . . Member All-Southeastern Conference team . . . Played in Senior Bowl . . . Lives in Macon, Georgia . . . Single.

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DAVID HILL

Tight End — Texas A&I — 2nd Year
Ht. 6-2 — Wt. 230 — Drafted '76, 2nd round
Born San Antonio, Texas, January 1, 1954

Named to Pro Football Writers' All Rookie team . . . Started five games for Lions . . . Finished year with 19 catches . . . Scored five TDs to match Sanders and Jarvis . . . Developed rapidly and became a solid performer . . . Aggressive player with a fine pair of hands . . . All-American at Texas A&I . . . Caught 21 TD passes during college career . . . Used as runner on reverses as well . . . Lives in Texas with wife, Marta.

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| YEAR | GP | RECEIVING | | | | |
|------|----|-----------|-----|------|-----|----|
| | | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
| 1976 | 14 | 19 | 249 | 13.1 | 27t | 5 |

J. D. HILL

Wide Receiver — Arizona State — 7th Year (2nd with Lions)
Ht. 6-1 — Wt. 190 — Drafted '71, 1st round (Buffalo)
Born Stockton, California, October 30, 1948

'76 season came to a premature end . . . Injured left knee early in the opening game against the Bears and subsequently underwent surgery . . . Obtained in exchange for '77 first round draft choice from Buffalo . . . Second time J. D. has injured his left knee . . . In '71 had surgery during rookie season . . . However, came back in '72 to catch 52 passes . . . Led Bills in touchdown passes for two straight years . . . In five years with Bills caught 160 for 2637 yards and 20 TDs . . . Has blazing speed . . . Top draft choice of Bills in '71 . . . Most valuable player on unbeaten Arizona State team in 1970 . . . Ran 100 and 220 in college with best times 9.3 and 20.3 . . . Lives in Pontiac area during off-season . . . Married in June to the former Caryl McGowan.

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| YEAR | TEAM | RECEIVING | | | | | | RUSHING | | | | | |
|---------------|------|-----------|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-----------|----------|-----------|------------|-----------|----------|--|
| | | GP | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD | |
| 1971 | Buff | 5 | 11 | 216 | 19.6 | 47t | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2.0 | 2 | 0 | |
| 1972 | Buff | 14 | 52 | 754 | 14.5 | 58t | 5 | 1 | 11 | 11.0 | 11 | 0 | |
| 1973 | Buff | 14 | 29 | 422 | 14.6 | 42 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | |
| 1974 | Buff | 14 | 32 | 572 | 17.9 | 55t | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | |
| 1975 | Buff | 14 | 36 | 667 | 18.5 | 77t | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | |
| 1976 | DET | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2.0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Totals | | 62 | 161 | 2633 | 16.3 | 77t | 20 | 3 | 14 | 4.7 | 11 | 0 | |



JAMES HUNTER

Defensive Back — Grambling — 2nd Year
Ht. 6-3 — Wt. 200 — Drafted '76, 1st round
Born Silsbee, Texas, March 8, 1954

Moved into starting role in Seattle game . . . Led Lions with seven interceptions . . . Had 76-yard return against the Patriots and 70-yard scoring return in first game as a starter . . . Returned 14 kickoffs for 375 yards — 2nd in NFC . . . 84 on one return vs. the Rams . . . 4.4 speed in 40 earned him nickname of "Hound Dog" . . . Named to 10 All-American teams . . . Pulled off 26 interceptions during his collegiate career . . . Single.

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| YEAR | GP | INTERCEPTIONS | | | | | KICKOFF RETURNS | | | | |
|------|----|---------------|-----|------|-----|----|-----------------|-----|------|----|----|
| | | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
| 1976 | 13 | 7 | 120 | 17.1 | 39† | 1 | 14 | 375 | 26.8 | 84 | 0 |



RAY JARVIS

Wide Receiver — Norfolk State — 7th Year (4th with Lions)
Ht. 6-0 — Wt. 190 — Drafted '71, 5th round (Atlanta)
Born Chesapeake, Virginia, February 2, 1949

Lions' offensive MVP in '76 . . . Topped club in minutes played (398) . . . Really found a home with Detroit . . . Led club in receptions and yardage in '76 . . . Five TDs, including one of 76 yards . . . Per catch average (26.1) best in NFC . . . Number of receptions (39) second highest in NFC and eighth best in Lion history . . . Six receptions for 163 yards vs. Green Bay in '76 best day of his career . . . His 822 yards best since Pat Studstill's team record of 1266 ten years ago . . . Came to Lions on waivers at end of '74 training camp . . . Has completed 6 years in NFL, but only two as starter . . . In '75, led club in all pass receiving departments as well . . . Works for U.S. Government in off-season placing disadvantaged youngsters in professional jobs . . . Lives in Detroit area with wife Bettie.

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| YEAR | TEAM | RECEIVING | | | | | KICKOFF RETURNS | | | | | PUNT RETURNS | | | | |
|--------|------|-----------|-----|------|------|----|-----------------|-----|------|----|----|--------------|-----|------|----|----|
| | | GP | NO. | YDS | AVE | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | FC | L |
| 1971 | Atl | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1972 | Atl | 4 | 1 | 18 | 18.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1973 | Buff | 12 | 1 | 12 | 12.0 | 0 | 5 | 84 | 16.8 | 25 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1974 | DET | 13 | 3 | 87 | 29.0 | 0 | 5 | 90 | 18.0 | 15 | 0 | 5 | 62 | 12.4 | 0 | 34 |
| 1975 | DET | 14 | 29 | 501 | 17.3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1976 | DET | 14 | 39 | 822 | 21.1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | | 59 | 73 | 1440 | 19.7 | 9 | 10 | 174 | 17.4 | 25 | 0 | 5 | 62 | 12.4 | 0 | 34 |

DICK JAURON

Defensive Back — Yale — 5th Year

Ht. 6-0 — Wt. 190 — Drafted '73, 4th round

Born Swampscott, Massachusetts, October 7, 1950

Started first six games but then suffered a broken bone in his left leg and missed the rest of the season . . . Drafted as running back and made team . . . Switched to defense when wave of injuries hit club . . . Made change easily and developed into a steady defensive player . . . Intercepted 11 passes in four years . . . Returned first one for 95-yard TD against Chicago . . . Voted to several All-Rookie teams in '73 . . . NFC punt return leader in '74 . . . Holds a host of records at Yale . . . Had 16 100-yard games in college . . . Spends off-season in Swampscott, Massachusetts . . . Single.



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| YEAR | GP | INTERCEPTIONS | | | | | PUNT RETURNS | | | | | KICKOFF RETURNS | | | | | |
|--------|----|---------------|-----|------|-----|----|--------------|-----|------|----|----|-----------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|
| | | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | FC | L | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
| 1973 | 14 | 4 | 208 | 52.0 | 95t | 1 | 6 | 49 | 8.2 | 4 | 16 | 0 | 17 | 405 | 23.8 | 33 | 0 |
| 1974 | 14 | 1 | 26 | 26.0 | 26 | 0 | 17 | 286 | 16.8 | 7 | 58 | 0 | 2 | 21 | 10.5 | 21 | 0 |
| 1975 | 10 | 4 | 39 | 9.8 | 38 | 0 | 6 | 29 | 4.8 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1976 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 44 | 11 | 273 | 24.8 | 95t | 1 | 29 | 364 | 12.6 | 12 | 58 | 0 | 19 | 426 | 22.4 | 33 | 0 |

LEVI JOHNSON

Defensive Back—Texas A&I—5th Year

Ht. 6-3—Wt. 200—Drafted '73, 3rd round

Born Corpus Christi, Texas, October 30, 1950

Started all 14 games in '76 . . . Intercepted six passes for 206 yards (tops in NFL) and one 70-yard TD . . . Also had one 76-yard return . . . Has not missed a game in career and has missed only two starts, both in '74 . . . Plays both corner and safety . . . Voted club's MVP on defense in '74 . . . Blocked five punts in career, including one in '76 in opening game against the Bears . . . On many All-Rookie teams in '73 . . . NAIA All-American as senior at Texas A&I . . . Intercepted 22 in college ranks . . . Played high school ball in Corpus Christi with Ernest Price . . . Lives in suburban Detroit area . . . Single.



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| YEAR | GP | INTERCEPTIONS | | | | KICKOFF RETURNS | | | | |
|--------|----|---------------|-----|-----|----|-----------------|-----|------|----|----|
| | | NO. | YDS | L | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
| 1973 | 14 | 5 | 82 | 38 | 0 | 3 | 51 | 17.0 | 21 | 0 |
| 1974 | 14 | 5 | 139 | 55t | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1975 | 14 | 3 | 71 | 45 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1976 | 14 | 6 | 206 | 76 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 56 | 19 | 498 | 76 | 3 | 4 | 51 | 12.8 | 21 | 0 |



HORACE KING

Running Back—Georgia—3rd Year

Ht. 5-10—Wt. 210—Drafted '75, 6th round

Born Athens, Georgia, March 5, 1953

Fine young running back who started first seven games . . . Missed last seven because of injured stomach muscle . . . Still gained 325 yards and caught 21 aerials for 163 more yards . . . Set club record by carrying ball 32 times in New England game in '76, picking up 100 yards . . . Obtained as '75 draft choice from New England in trade for Leon Crosswhite . . . Third in scoring in SEC at Georgia in senior year with 12 TDs . . . Top game 134 yards and 4 TDs against Ole Miss . . . Lives in Georgia in off-season.

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| YEAR | GP | RUSHING | | | | | RECEIVING | | | | | KICKOFF RETURNS | | | | |
|--------|----|---------|-----|-----|----|----|-----------|-----|-----|----|----|-----------------|-----|------|----|----|
| | | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
| 1975 | 14 | 61 | 260 | 4.3 | 26 | 2 | 13 | 81 | 6.2 | 22 | 0 | 6 | 117 | 19.5 | 29 | 0 |
| 1976 | 7 | 93 | 325 | 3.5 | 22 | 0 | 21 | 163 | 7.8 | 19 | 0 | 3 | 63 | 21.0 | 26 | 0 |
| Totals | 21 | 154 | 585 | 3.8 | 26 | 2 | 34 | 244 | 7.2 | 22 | 0 | 9 | 180 | 20.0 | 29 | 0 |

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Picard—Pi-CARD

Ten Napel—Ten Nay-pel



BOB KOWALKOWSKI

Guard—Virginia—12th Year

Ht. 6-3—Wt. 245—Drafted '65, 7th round (as future)

Born Drexel Hill, Pennsylvania, November 5, 1943

For fifth consecutive year started all 14 games at right guard . . . Has played in 138 games in 11 year NFL career . . . Missed 16 games in 1969-70 because of knee surgery . . . Started pro career at left guard and switched to right side in third year . . . Active in area civic projects and voted Lions' Man of the Year in '75 NFL contest . . . Outstanding college player at Virginia . . . Owns a hunting and fishing resort in Michigan . . . Lives in suburban Detroit with wife, Judy, and sons Scott and Robin.

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GREG LANDRY

Quarterback—Massachusetts—10th Year

Ht. 6-4—Wt. 210—Drafted '68, 1st round

Born Nashua, New Hampshire, December 18, 1946

Comeback of the Year Award by Pro Football Weekly ... After three successive years of injuries, had a tremendous season ... Took over as starter in third game ... Finished second in NFC and fifth in entire NFL in overall passing stats ... Completed 57.7 for 2191 yards and 17 TDs for Lions best passing figures since 1968 ... Now ranks second on Lions all-time list in three categories: career passing attempts, most completions and most yards gained ... Has thrown for 73 TDs in Detroit uniform, second only to Bobby Layne ... Set club record for completions in '76 with 27 vs New Orleans ... Has rushed for 19 TDs—fifth on club's all-time list ... Carried the ball 43 times in '76 scoring once ... Best rushing game was 1972 against the Bears when he ran for 87 yards and three TDs ... Best passing game was in '71 with 302 yards against the Pack and four TDs ... First quarterback in country to be drafted in '68 ... BS degree from Massachusetts ... Spent last off-season working toward graduate degree ... Married in July to the former Jeannine Burger of Beaver Falls, Pa.



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| YEAR | GP | PASSING | | | | | | RUSHING | | | | | |
|--------|----|---------|------|------|-------|----|----|---------|-----|------|------|----|----|
| | | ATT | COMP | AVE | YDS | L | TD | INT | ATT | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
| 1968 | 5 | 48 | 23 | 47.9 | 338 | 80 | 2 | 7 | 7 | 39 | 5.6 | 14 | 1 |
| 1969 | 10 | 160 | 80 | 50.0 | 853 | 43 | 4 | 10 | 33 | 243 | 7.4 | 26 | 1 |
| 1970 | 12 | 136 | 83 | 61.0 | 1072 | 58 | 9 | 5 | 35 | 350 | 10.0 | 76 | 1 |
| 1971 | 14 | 261 | 136 | 52.1 | 2237 | 76 | 16 | 13 | 76 | 530 | 7.0 | 52 | 3 |
| 1972 | 14 | 268 | 134 | 50.0 | 2066 | 82 | 18 | 17 | 81 | 524 | 6.5 | 38 | 9 |
| 1973 | 7 | 128 | 70 | 54.7 | 908 | 84 | 3 | 10 | 42 | 267 | 6.4 | 18 | 2 |
| 1974 | 5 | 82 | 49 | 59.8 | 572 | 45 | 3 | 3 | 22 | 95 | 4.3 | 19 | 1 |
| 1975 | 6 | 56 | 31 | 55.4 | 403 | 36 | 1 | 0 | 20 | 92 | 4.6 | 14 | 0 |
| 1976 | 14 | 291 | 168 | 57.7 | 2191 | 74 | 17 | 8 | 43 | 234 | 5.4 | 28 | 1 |
| Totals | 87 | 1430 | 774 | 54.1 | 10640 | 84 | 73 | 73 | 359 | 2374 | 6.6 | 76 | 19 |

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VINCE BANONIS: Player 1951-53; Elected 1975

LES BINGAMAN: Player 1948-54, Coach 1960-64; Elected 1971

DUTCH CLARK: Player 1934-38, Coach 1937-38; Elected 1959

GUS DORAIS: Coach, 1943-47; Elected 1958

RON KRAMER: Player, 1965-67; Elected 1971

BOBBY LAYNE: Player, 1950-58; Elected 1966

BUDDY PARKER: Player, 1935-36; Coach, 1950-56; Elected 1976

JOHN PINGEL: Player 1939; Elected 1973

GEORGE A. RICHARDS: Owner, 1934-39; Elected 1976

JOE SCHMIDT: Player, 1953-65; Coach, 1966-72; Elected 1970

DOAK WALKER: Player, 1950-55; Elected 1967

WHIZZER WHITE: Player, 1940-41; Elected 1962

**JIM LASLAVIC****Linebacker—Penn State—5th Year****Ht. 6-2—Wt. 235—Drafted '73, 3rd round****Born Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, October 24, 1951**

Started eleven games in '76 but did not play in two games due to injuries . . . After aggravating injury in Los Angeles game, underwent surgery following the season . . . Fourth year as a regular after taking over middle linebacking job from Mike Lucci . . . Picked off two more passes in '76, now has five for career . . . One of three third round draft picks in '73 . . . Played quarterback, fullback and tight end on Etna, Pa. high school team . . . Outstanding linebacker at Penn State . . . Of Croatia ancestry . . . Lives in Detroit suburb with wife Sue.

52**INTERCEPTIONS**

| YEAR | GP | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
|--------|----|-----|-----|------|----|----|
| 1973 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1974 | 14 | 1 | 14 | 14.0 | 14 | 0 |
| 1975 | 14 | 2 | 12 | 6.0 | 10 | 0 |
| 1976 | 12 | 2 | 13 | 6.5 | 13 | 0 |
| Totals | 54 | 5 | 39 | 7.8 | 14 | 0 |

65**KEN LONG****Guard—Purdue—2nd Year****Ht. 6-3—Wt. 265—Drafted '76, 2nd round****Born Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, July 24, 1953**

Member of Lions special teams . . . Played in all but one game . . . Highly regarded by club . . . Has fine speed for size . . . Adjusting to playing guard after starring at tackle for three years at Purdue . . . Boilermaker captain as senior . . . Played in both Blue-Gray and Senior Bowls games . . . Highly recruited high school player from Ravenna, Ohio . . . Lives in Ohio with wife, Nancy.

**MARK MARKOVICH****Center—Penn State—4th Year (2nd with Lions)****Ht. 6-5—Wt. 255—Drafted '74, 2nd round (San Diego)****Born Latrobe, Pennsylvania, November 7, 1952**

Played in every regular season game in '76 . . . Member of special teams and handled snaps on punts and placements . . . High draft choice of Chargers in '74 . . . Obtained by Lions in trade for rights to Guy Dennis . . . Played in Cotton, Sugar, Orange, American and Senior Bowl games . . . First team academic All-American . . . Holds degree in marketing from Penn State . . . Lives in California with wife, Mary.

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JIM MITCHELL

Defensive End—Virginia State—8th Year
Ht. 6-4—Wt. 250—Drafted '70, 3rd round
Born Danville, Virginia, September 15, 1948

Started all regular season games in '76 . . . Ranked fifth in tackles . . . Has played three of four spots on front line . . . Played 92 games in pro career with 60 starts . . . Hampered by injuries in '75, but came back strong last year . . . Rated the outstanding athlete in Virginia State history . . . First team All-American as senior in college division . . . Degree in Phys Ed . . . lives in suburban Detroit with wife, Linda.



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JON MORRIS

Center—Holy Cross—14th Year (3rd with Lions)
Ht. 6-4—Wt. 250—Drafted '64, 4th round (Boston)
Born Washington, D.C., April 5, 1942

Fulltime starter in '76 . . . Ranked second only to Jarvis in minutes played . . . Now has played full season 12 times in 13-year career . . . Joined Lions in summer of '75 in draft choice trade with New England . . . Turned in a solid job for Lions . . . After outstanding career at Holy Cross, drafted high in '64 by both Green Bay and New England of AFL . . . Cast lot with Patriots . . . Member of Holy Cross Hall of Fame . . . Father was Washington correspondent for New York Times . . . Co-owner of food brokerage firm in Boston . . . Lives in suburban Boston with wife, Gail, and children Jennifer and Jon, Jr.



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PAUL NAUMOFF

Linebacker—Tennessee—11th Year
Ht. 6-1—Wt. 215—Drafted '67, 3rd round
Born Columbus, Ohio, July 3, 1945

Has not missed a game in his ten year NFL career . . . Started 115 consecutive games after taking over for final three starts of rookie year . . . In '76 started 12 of 14 games . . . Ranked fourth in tackles for season . . . Ranks 7th in games played in Detroit history . . . Team's MVP on defense in '75 . . . All-American in 1966 at Tennessee . . . Has masters degree in Phys Ed from Eastern Michigan University . . . Lives in suburban Detroit area with wife, Melva, and children, Chris, Nicole and Celeste.



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INTERCEPTIONS

| YEAR | GP | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
|--------|-----|-----|-----|-----|---|----|
| 1967 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1968 | 14 | 1 | 3 | 3.0 | 3 | 0 |
| 1969 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1970 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1971 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1972 | 14 | 1 | 4 | 4.0 | 4 | 0 |
| 1973 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1974 | 14 | 1 | 8 | 8.0 | 8 | 0 |
| 1975 | 14 | 2 | 11 | 5.5 | 9 | 0 |
| 1976 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 140 | 5 | 26 | 5.2 | 9 | 0 |

**55****ED O'NEIL****Linebacker—Penn State—4th Year****Ht. 6-3—Wt. 235—Drafted '74, 1st round****Born Warren, Pennsylvania, September 8, 1952**

Probably the most improved player on team in '76 . . . A sure tackler, Ed saw action in all 14 games . . . Scored his second pro TD against Atlanta on fake field goal attempt . . . Took pass from Reed and went on to complete a 32-yard scoring play . . . Saw action as member of special teams during rookie year . . . Has come on strong over last year and a half . . . All-American at Penn State where he was a teammate of Jim Laslavic . . . Three sport star in high school . . . Holds BS degree from Penn State . . . Lions' Players Association representative . . . Lives in Detroit suburb with wife, Nancy, and son Kevin, born last December.

INTERCEPTIONS

| YEAR | GP | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
|--------|----|-----|-----|------|----|----|
| 1974 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1975 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1976 | 14 | 1 | 16 | 16.0 | 16 | 0 |
| Totals | 42 | 1 | 16 | 16.0 | 16 | 0 |

**80****HERB ORVIS****Defensive Tackle—Colorado—6th Year****Ht. 6-5—Wt. 255—Drafted '72, 1st round****Born Petoskey, Michigan, October 17, 1946**

Injured in second game of '76 season and subsequent knee surgery sidelined Herb for the remainder of the campaign . . . All Pro caliber player with a zeal and intensity seldom matched . . . Cat quick and a real inspirational force . . . Had not missed a game due to injury until last season . . . Started every game for three straight seasons at left defensive tackle . . . MVP on defense in '73, his first year as a regular . . . Born in Petoskey, Michigan . . . Played high school ball in Flint before two years of Army duty . . . All-American at Colorado . . . Was Lions' top draft pick in '72 . . . Herb, his wife Lacene, and son Gabriel live in Rochester, New York.

**44****BOB PICARD****Wide Receiver—Eastern Washington—5th Year (2nd with Lions)****Ht. 6-3—Wt. 205—Drafted '73, 6th round (Philadelphia)****Born Omak, Washington, November 29, 1949**

Signed as free agent in late October . . . Saw action on Lions special teams . . . Originally drafted by Eagles and then acquired by Seattle in expansion draft . . . Caught 107 passes in last two collegiate seasons including 15 in one game . . . Lives in Pennsylvania in off-season.

ERNEST PRICE

Defensive End—Texas A&I—5th Year

Ht. 6-4—Wt. 255—Drafted '73, 1st round

Born Corpus Christi, Texas, September 20, 1950

Saw action in 14 games last year as backup end and member of special teams . . . Started New England game . . . Lions first round draft pick after outstanding career in college . . . Was first team All-Conference three straight years . . . All-American college division senior year . . . All-Stater at Corpus Christi . . . MVP in All-Texas high school game . . . Detroit-area resident.



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JOE REED

Quarterback—Mississippi State—6th Year (4th with Lions)

Ht. 6-1—Wt. 195—Drafted '71, 11th round (San Francisco)

Born Newport, Rhode Island, January 8, 1948

Started first two games for Lions but then served in backup roll for remainder of year . . . First Detroit quarterback starter other than Landry or Munson since 1967 . . . Has had ten starts with Detroit with a 5-5 record . . . Led Lions to victory over Vikings in '74 . . . Fine runner . . . Came to Detroit in middle of '74 season for 5th round draft pick of 49ers . . . Played college ball at Baylor and Mississippi State . . . Earned 14 letters in high school in Texas . . . Fine singer who has made several recordings . . . Lives in Texas with wife, Stephanie, and sons "Chip" and "Chad".



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| YEAR | TEAM | GP | PASSING | | | | | RUSHING | | | | | | |
|--------|------|----|---------|-----|------|------|----|---------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|----|
| | | | ATT | COM | PAVE | YDS | TD | INT | L | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
| 1972 | SF | 9 | 0 | 0 | 00.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 22 | 5.5 | 22 | 0 |
| 1973 | SF | 6 | 114 | 51 | 44.7 | 589 | 2 | 6 | 38t | 15 | 85 | 5.7 | 20 | 0 |
| 1974 | SF | 6 | 74 | 29 | 39.2 | 316 | 2 | 7 | 58t | 16 | 107 | 6.7 | 27 | 0 |
| 1974 | DET | 0 | 0 | 0 | 00.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1975 | DET | 10 | 191 | 86 | 45.0 | 1181 | 9 | 10 | 65t | 34 | 193 | 5.7 | 22 | 1 |
| 1976 | DET | 13 | 62 | 32 | 51.6 | 425 | 3 | 3 | 57 | 11 | 63 | 5.7 | 14 | 1 |
| Totals | | 44 | 441 | 198 | 44.9 | 2511 | 16 | 26 | 65t | 80 | 470 | 5.9 | 27 | 2 |
| with | DET | 23 | 253 | 118 | 46.6 | 1606 | 12 | 13 | 65t | 45 | 256 | 5.7 | 22 | 2 |

BEFORE THEY WERE THE LIONS . . .

Detroit Heralds, 1920-21
(1920: no standings kept)
(1921: 1-7-1)
Detroit Panthers, 1925-26
(1925: 8-2-2)
1926: 4-6-2
Detroit Wolverines, 1928

(1928: 7-2-1)
Portsmouth Spartans, 1930-33
(1930: 5-6-3)
(1931: 11-3-0)
(1932: 6-2-4)
(1933: 6-5-0)
DETROIT LIONS, 1934-

**BENNY RICARDO**

Kicker—San Diego State—2nd Year
Ht. 5-10—Wt. 175—Free Agent '76 (San Diego)
Born Ascuncion, Paraguay, January 4, 1954

Released by club prior to start of '76 season, but then re-signed in mid-October . . . Took over kicking duties in seventh game (Seattle) . . . Led club in scoring with 49 points . . . Hit 10 to 14 field goal attempts . . . 44 yards his longest effort . . . Grew up in Paraguay . . . Family moved to California when he was twelve . . . Won four letters in football and two in soccer at San Diego State . . . Longest college field goal was 51 yards . . . Spent time with San Diego and Buffalo of NFL and Southern California Sun of WFL . . . Kicked three field goals against Buffalo on Thanksgiving Day . . . Single.

1**SCORING**

| YEAR | GP | TD | EPA | EP | FGA | FG | PTS |
|------|----|----|-----|----|-----|----|-----|
| 1976 | 8 | 0 | 21 | 19 | 14 | 10 | 49 |

CHARLIE SANDERS

Tight End—Minnesota—10th Year
Ht. 6-4—Wt. 230—Drafted '68, 3rd round
Born Greensboro, North Carolina, August 25, 1946

In nine seasons has given the Lions some of the best tight end play in football . . . Time and again has played over injuries during his career . . . Started 13 games last season, missing only one due to injury . . . His 322 receptions is only three behind all-time club leader Gail Cogdill . . . His 4647 yards gained through the air trails Cogdill by some 500 yards . . . Caught 35 passes in '76, good for 545 yards and five touchdowns . . . Is third on all-time career list with 30 TDs through the air . . . Trails only Terry Barr (35) and Cloyce Box (32) . . . Named to Pro Bowl for seventh time . . . Missed only eight games in nine years . . . All Pro in 1970,71 . . . Played basketball and football at Minnesota . . . Very involved in civic projects, March of Dimes, United Way, Fellowship of Christian Athletes and police recruiting . . . Voted Lions' Man-of-the-Year in national contest last season . . . General Motors dealer-trainee . . . Lives in Pontiac area with wife Georgianna, and family of four daughters, Mia, Charese, Mary Jo and Georgianna, and son, Charles, Jr.

**88****RECEIVING****RUSHING**

| YEAR | GP | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
|---------------|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|
| 1968 | 14 | 40 | 533 | 13.3 | 25 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1.5 | 2 | 0 |
| 1969 | 14 | 42 | 656 | 15.6 | 47 | 3 | 1 | -8 | — | — | 0 |
| 1970 | 14 | 40 | 544 | 13.6 | 34 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1971 | 13 | 31 | 502 | 16.2 | 49t | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1972 | 9 | 27 | 416 | 15.4 | 38 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1973 | 14 | 28 | 433 | 15.5 | 54 | 2 | 1 | -1 | — | — | 0 |
| 1974 | 14 | 42 | 532 | 12.7 | 47 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1975 | 13 | 37 | 486 | 13.1 | 32 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1976 | 13 | 35 | 545 | 15.6 | 36 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 118 | 322 | 4647 | 14.4 | 54 | 30 | 4 | -6 | — | 2 | 0 |

KEN SANDERS

Defensive End—Howard Payne—6th Year
Ht. 6-5—Wt. 250—Drafted '72, 3rd round
Born Clifton, Texas, August 22, 1950

A solid defense performer . . . In starting lineup for all regular season games . . . Third in tackles (102) . . . Extremely quick with a strong competitive spirit . . . Has started all games for the last four years . . . Came to Lions from Howard Payne in Texas . . . Four letter winner who led team to a 10-1-1 record and a post-season bowl appearance . . . College division All-American in '71 . . . Lives in Valley Mills, Texas with wife, Paula, and son, Bryan.



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GARTH TEN NAPEL

Linebacker—Texas A&M—2nd Year
Ht. 6-1—Wt. 210—Drafted '76, 7th round
Born Los Angeles, California, March 27, 1954

Won spot on roster in pre-season victory over Baltimore . . . Blocked a punt and returned it for a TD . . . Set up another score with an interception . . . Didn't get that much publicity at Texas A&M but won a place on Lions' roster with his hard nose play . . . Saw action in all 14 games primarily as member of special teams . . . Led A&M in defensive stats . . . Once made 22 tackles against L.S.U. . . . Honored as defensive player of week . . . Single . . . Lives in Texas.



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BOBBY THOMPSON

Running Back—Oklahoma—3rd Year
Ht. 5-11—Wt. 200—Free Agent, 1975 (Detroit)
Born Raleigh, North Carolina, January 16, 1947

Totalled 581 yards in rushing, receiving and returns . . . Detroit's leading kickoff returner (431 yards) . . . Signed with Detroit in '75 after spending six years in the CFL where he was a standout at Saskatchewan . . . Has played in all regular season games over two-year span . . . Played college ball at Oklahoma after outstanding J.C. career in Arizona . . . In '68 Oklahoma backfield with Steve Owens . . . Lives in Pontiac during off-season.



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| YEAR | RUSHING | | | | | RECEIVING | | | | | KICKOFF RETURNS | | | | | |
|--------|---------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----------|-----|-----|------|----|-----------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|
| | GP | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
| 1975 | 14 | 51 | 268 | 5.3 | 46† | 1 | 19 | 122 | 6.4 | 22 | 0 | 22 | 565 | 25.7 | 42 | 0 |
| 1976 | 14 | 13 | 42 | 3.2 | 9 | 0 | 10 | 108 | 10.8 | 38 | 0 | 22 | 431 | 19.6 | 59 | 0 |
| Totals | 28 | 64 | 310 | 4.8 | 46† | 1 | 29 | 230 | 7.9 | 38 | 0 | 44 | 996 | 22.6 | 59 | 0 |



LEONARD THOMPSON

Wide Receiver—Oklahoma State—3rd Year

Ht. 5-10—Wt. 190—Drafted '75, 8th round

Born Tucson, Arizona, July 28, 1952

Versatile player who had one start but saw action in all of the '76 games . . .

Has great instinct and quickness . . . Runs 4.5 40 . . . Was J.C. player at

Arizona Western before switching to Oklahoma State . . . Led team to Fiesta

Bowl game . . . Clocked a 6.1 60 in track . . . Resident of Oklahoma in

off-season . . . Single.

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| YEAR | GP | KICKOFF RETURNS | | | | | RUSHING | | | | |
|--------|----|-----------------|-----|------|----|----|---------|-----|-----|---|----|
| | | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
| 1975 | 14 | 12 | 271 | 22.6 | 33 | 0 | 1 | -12 | — | — | 0 |
| 1976 | 14 | 5 | 86 | 17.2 | 32 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 28 | 17 | 357 | 21.0 | 33 | 0 | 2 | -12 | — | 0 | 0 |



LARRY WALTON

Wide Receiver—Arizona State—9th Year

Ht. 6-0—Wt. 185—Drafted '69, 3rd round

Born Johnstown, Pennsylvania, February 8, 1947

On receiving end of 20 tosses in '76, three going for TDs . . . Started 11 and

played in all 14 games last season . . . Has been used during career as a ball

carrier and option passer . . . Has scored 26 touchdowns on passes — fifth

best mark in Lions history . . . Took quite a shot from goal post on TD pass

from Landry in second Chicago game, but still held onto the ball . . . Missed

entire '75 campaign because of a knee injury . . . Star high school athlete in

three sports in Johnstown, Pa. . . Used mainly as runner in college . . . Best

day in '67 against Utah — 125 yards and four TDs . . . Lives in Arizona with

wife, Donna, and children Brian and Jyokita.

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| YEAR | GP | RECEIVING | | | | | RUSHING | | | | |
|--------|----|-----------|------|------|-----|----|---------|-----|------|-----|----|
| | | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
| 1969 | 14 | 12 | 109 | 9.1 | 16 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 3.0 | 17 | 0 |
| 1970 | 13 | 30 | 532 | 17.7 | 56 | 5 | 2 | 20 | 10.0 | 16 | 0 |
| 1971 | 14 | 30 | 491 | 16.4 | 60t | 5 | 1 | -7 | — | — | 0 |
| 1972 | 14 | 24 | 485 | 20.3 | 48t | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1973 | 13 | 22 | 309 | 14.0 | 49t | 4 | 5 | 100 | 20.0 | 57t | 1 |
| 1974 | 13 | 31 | 404 | 13.0 | 48 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 1.5 | 10 | 0 |
| 1975 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1976 | 14 | 20 | 293 | 14.7 | 28t | 3 | 1 | 5 | 5.0 | 5 | 0 |
| Totals | 95 | 169 | 2623 | 15.5 | 60t | 26 | 13 | 127 | 9.8 | 57t | 1 |

CHARLIE WEAVER

Linebacker—Southern Cal—7th Year
 Ht. 6-2—Wt. 230—Drafted '71, 2nd round
 Born Richmond, California, July 12, 1949

Defensive MVP in '76 . . . Led team in tackles (114) and sacks (7) . . . Had 16 tackles in Chicago game; 15 against Giants . . . Loves to hit . . . Quick with great natural ability . . . Took over as starter in third season, replacing Wayne Walker at right linebacker . . . Led defense in tackles twice in four years as a starter . . . Starred at Southern Cal as member of "wild bunch" defensive line . . . Played in '70 Rose Bowl victory over Michigan . . . A resident of Pontiac area with wife, Loretta and daughter, Marquita.



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INTERCEPTIONS

| YEAR | GP | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
|--------|----|-----|-----|------|----|----|
| 1971 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1972 | 14 | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1973 | 13 | 2 | 32 | 16.0 | 27 | 0 |
| 1974 | 14 | 3 | 4 | 1.3 | 3 | 0 |
| 1975 | 12 | 1 | 31 | 31.0 | 31 | 0 |
| 1976 | 14 | 2 | 24 | 12.0 | 19 | 0 |
| Totals | 81 | 9 | 91 | 10.1 | 31 | 0 |

CHARLIE WEST

Defensive Back—Texas El Paso—10th Year (4th with Lions)
 Ht. 6-1—Wt. 195—Drafted '68, 2nd round (Minnesota)
 Born Big Spring, Texas, August 31, 1946

Named second team National Conference by UPI . . . Started all 14 games . . . Hard hitter who led defensive backs in tackles for second straight year and was second on team . . . Season high of 14 tackles in Seattle game . . . Acquired in '74 from Minnesota in trade for third round draft choice . . . Capable return man on both punts and kickoffs . . . Nine letter man at Texas El Paso . . . Lives in Minnesota with wife, Barbara, and children, Michael and Sandra.



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INTERCEPTIONS

KICKOFF RETURNS

PUNT RETURNS

| YEAR | TEAM | GP | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | L | TD | NO. | YDS | AVE | FC | L | TD |
|--------|------|-----|-----|-----|------|----|----|-----|------|------|----|----|-----|------|------|----|----|----|
| 1968 | Minn | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 22 | 576 | 26.2 | 82 | 0 | 20 | 201 | 10.1 | 8 | 98 | 1 |
| 1969 | Minn | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 240 | 26.7 | 78 | 0 | 39 | 245 | 6.3 | 19 | 55 | 0 |
| 1970 | Minn | 14 | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 319 | 29.0 | 66 | 0 | 29 | 169 | 5.8 | 9 | 53 | 0 |
| 1971 | Minn | 14 | 7 | 236 | 33.7 | 89 | 0 | 24 | 556 | 23.2 | 36 | 0 | 18 | 94 | 5.2 | 11 | 16 | 0 |
| 1972 | Minn | 14 | 3 | 7 | 2.3 | 8 | 0 | 9 | 196 | 21.8 | 31 | 0 | 16 | 111 | 6.9 | 6 | 23 | 0 |
| 1973 | Minn | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 104 | 34.7 | 42 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1974 | DET | 13 | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 71 | 17.8 | 25 | 0 | 6 | 32 | 5.3 | 0 | 9 | 0 | |
| 1975 | DET | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 41 | 20.5 | 25 | 0 | 22 | 219 | 10.0 | 8 | 43 | 0 |
| 1976 | DET | 14 | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 9 | 3.0 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Totals | | 116 | 13 | 243 | 18.7 | 89 | 0 | 84 | 2103 | 25.0 | 82 | 0 | 154 | 1080 | 7.0 | 63 | 98 | 1 |
| with | DET | 41 | 2 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 112 | 18.7 | 25 | 0 | 31 | 260 | 8.4 | 10 | 43 | 0 |



JOHN WOODCOCK
Defensive Tackle—Hawaii—2nd Year
Ht. 6-3—Wt. 240—Drafted '76, 3rd round
Born Eureka, California, March 19, 1954

Moved into starting role for final four games after injuries sidelined Orvis and English . . . Fine agility and great desire . . . Rugged player who also was tried at linebacker . . . Topped Hawaii in defensive stats last two years . . . Played in East-West Shrine game and Hula Bowl . . . Played at New Mexico before switching to the Islands . . . Lives in Hawaii with wife, Sharon.

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JIM YARBROUGH
Offensive Tackle—Florida—9th Year
Ht. 6-6—Wt. 275—Drafted '69, 2nd round
Born Charlotte, North Carolina, October 28, 1946

Started first five games in '76, but then a series of injuries cut down on his playing time . . . Became a regular in 1971 . . . Has played a total of 101 games for Detroit . . . Drafted on choice acquired from Rams in Roger Brown trade . . . Outstanding tight end at Florida . . . Caught 51 passes in college . . . Member of University of Florida Athletic Hall of Fame . . . Lives in Detroit suburbs with wife, Karen, and daughter, Erin April.

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LIONS' FIRST SIX DRAFT CHOICES, 1965-1976

1976

James Hunter, Lawrence Gaines, Ken Long, David Hill, Russ Boinger, John Woodcock

1975

Lynn Boden, Doug English, Craig Hertwig, Fred Cooper, Horace King, Dennis Franklin

1974

Ed O'Neil, Billy Howard, Dexter Bussey, Carl Capria, Willie Burden, Jimmie Davis.

1973

Ernie Price, Leon Crosswhite, John Brady, Jim Lastavic, Levi Johnson, Mike Hennigan.

1972

Herb Orvis, Ken Sanders, Charles Potts, Charles Stoudamire, Henry Stuckey, Bill McClintock.

1971

Bob Bell, Dave Thompson, Charlie Weaver, Al Clark, Larry Woods, Pete Newell.

1970

Steve Owens, Ray Parson, Jim Mitchell, Bob Parker, Tony Terry, Ken Geddes.

1969

Altie Taylor, Jim Yarbrough, Larry Walton, Jim Carr, Rocky Rasley, Bob Bergum.

1968

Greg Landry, Earl McCullouch, Jerry DePoyster, Charlie Sanders, Ed Mooney, Phil Odle.

1967

Mel Farr, Lem Barney, Paul Naumoff, Lew Kamanu, Tim Jones, John McCambridge.

1966

Nick Eddy, Bill Malinchak, Doug Van Horn, Willie Walker, Bill Cody, Wayne DeSutter.

1965

Tom Nowatzke, Jerry Rush, Fred Biletnikoff, Tom Myers, John Flynn, Tommy Vaughn, Ed Flanagan.

HOW THEY BECAME LIONS

DRAFT CHOICES (30):

- 1964 (1) Hand 10th round
 1965 (1) Kowalkowski, 7th
 1967 (2) Barney, 2nd; Naumoff, 3rd
 1968 (2) Landry, 1st; C. Sanders, 3rd
 1969 (2) Yarbrough, 2nd; Walton, 3rd
 1970 (1) Mitchell, 3rd;
 1971 (1) C. Weaver, 2nd
 1972 (2) Orvis, 1st; K. Sanders, 3rd
 1973 (4) Price, 1st; Laslavic, Johnson, 3rd; Jauron, 4th
 1974 (2) O'Neil, 1st; Bussey, 3rd
 1975 (5) Boden, 1st; English, 2nd; Hertwig, 4th; King, 6th,
 Leonard Thompson, 8th
 1976 (7) Hunter, 1st; Gaines, 1st; Long, 2nd;
 Hill, 2nd; Bolinger, 3rd; Woodcock, 3rd;
 Ten Napel, 7th

TRADES (6)

- 1967 Freitas (Pittsburgh)
 1974 Reed (San Francisco): West (Minnesota)
 1975 Morris (New England)
 1976 (2) Hill, J.D. (Buffalo); Markovich, (San Diego)

FREE AGENTS (6):

- 1975 B. Thompson
 1976 (5) Bolton, Croft, Danielson, Picard, Ricardo

WAIVERS (1):

- 1974 Jarvis (Buffalo)

LIONS LONGEVITY LOG

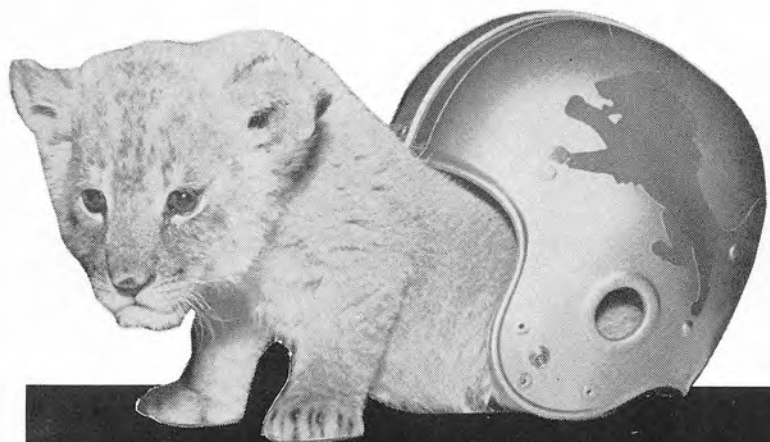
| Rank | Player | Years | Games |
|------|-----------------|-------|-------|
| 1 | Wayne Walker | 15 | 200 |
| 2 | Dick LeBeau | 14 | 185 |
| 3 | Darris McCord | 13 | 168 |
| 4 | Alex Karras | 12 | 161 |
| 5 | Jack Schmidt | 13 | 154 |
| 6 | LARRY HAND | 12 | 150 |
| 7 | Jim Gibbons | 11 | 140 |
| 8 | Ed Flanagan | 10 | 139 |
| 9 | John Gordy | 10 | 134 |
| 10 | Yale Lary | 11 | 133 |
| 11 | PAUL NAUMOFF | 10 | 140 |
| 12 | Jim Martin | 11 | 126 |
| 13 | BOB KOWALKOWSKI | 11 | 138 |
| 14 | Harley Sewell | 10 | 119 |
| 15 | Mike Lucci | 9 | 117 |
| 16 | Lou Creekmur | 10 | 116 |
| 17 | LEM BARNEY | 10 | 128 |
| 18 | Wayne Rasmussen | 9 | 112 |
| 19 | Bruce Maher | 8 | 108 |
| 20 | Mike Weger | 9 | 108 |
| 21 | CHARLIE SANDERS | 9 | 118 |
| 22 | ROCKNE FREITAS | 9 | 118 |
| 23 | Gail Cogdill | 9 | 103 |
| 24 | Terry Barr | 9 | 102 |

PAST LIONS' COACHES

- Hunk Anderson, 1939
- *Joe Bach, 1943-47
- Sammy Baugh, 1966
- Bruce Beatty, 1975-76
- Løeman Bennett, 1972
- Raymond Berry, 1973-75
- *Les Bingaman, 1960-64
- Carl Brettschneider, 1965-66
- Earl Brown, 1951
- Joe Bugel, 1975-76
- Jim Carr, 1975-76
- Pete Cawthon, 1945
- *Paul Christman, 1954-55
- Dutch Clark, HEAD COACH 1937-38
- *Potsy Clark, HEAD COACH 1934-36, 1940
- Red Cochran, 1956-58
- Jimmy David, 1967-72
- Ray Dempsey, 1975
- Don Doll, 1963-64
- *Gus Dorais, HEAD COACH 1943-47
- Bob Dove, 1958-59
- Bill Edwards, HEAD COACH 1941, 1942 (3 games)
- Wally English, 1974-75
- Aldo Forte, 1950-65
- Rick Forzano, assistant 1973, HEAD COACH, 1974-76
- Bob Gibson, 1976
- Harry Gilmer, HEAD COACH 1965-66
- Jerry Glanville, 1974-76
- Sonny Grandelius, 1964
- *Gus Henderson, HEAD COACH 1939
- Bob Hollway, 1973-74
- John Karcis, assistant 1942, HEAD COACH 1942 (8 games)
- Eddie Khayat, 1973-74
- Chuck Knox, 1967-72
- Jim Martin, 1967-72
- *Don McCafferty, HEAD COACH, 1973
- Leon McLaughlin, 1973-74
- Scooter McLean, 1959-63
- *Bo McMillan, HEAD COACH 1948-50
- Bill McPeak, 1967-72
- John Meyer, 1973-74
- Roy Miller, 1941-42
- John North, 1965-72
- Bob Nussbaumer, 1957-64
- Buddy Parker, assistant 1950, HEAD COACH 1951-56
- Buster Ramsey, 1952-59
- *Clare Randolph, 1940
- Ray Renfro, 1965
- Lou Rymkus, 1966
- Joe Schmidt, assistant 1966, HEAD COACH 1967-72
- Ken Shipp, 1976
- Don Shula, 1960-62
- Carl Taseff, 1965-66
- Tim Tamerario, 1948-49
- Russ Thomas, 1952-53
- Dick Voris, 1972
- George Wilson, assistant 1949-56, HEAD COACH 1957-64
- Bob Winslow, 1946-47
- Lou Zarza, 1948
- Art Zeleznik, 1976
- *deceased

LIONS' HEAD COACHES SUMMARY

| NAME | YEARS | TOTAL | GAMES | WON | LOST | TIED |
|---------------------|------------|-------|-------|-----|------|------|
| Potsy Clark | 1934-36,40 | 4 | 48 | 30 | 15 | 3 |
| Dutch Clark | 1937-38 | 2 | 22 | 14 | 8 | 0 |
| Gus Henderson | 1939 | 1 | 11 | 6 | 5 | 0 |
| Bill Edwards | 1941-42 | 1+ | 14 | 4 | 9 | 1 |
| John Karcis | 1942 | 1- | 8 | 0 | 8 | 0 |
| Gus Dorais | 1943-47 | 5 | 53 | 20 | 31 | 2 |
| Bo McMillan | 1948-50 | 3 | 36 | 12 | 24 | 0 |
| Buddy Parker | 1951-56 | 6 | 72 | 47 | 23 | 2 |
| George Wilson | 1957-64 | 8 | 104 | 53 | 45 | 6 |
| Harry Gilmer | 1965-66 | 2 | 28 | 10 | 16 | 2 |
| Joe Schmidt | 1967-1972 | 6 | 84 | 43 | 34 | 7 |
| Don McCafferty | 1973 | 1 | 14 | 6 | 7 | 1 |
| Rick Forzano | 1974-76 | 2+ | 32 | 15 | 17 | 0 |
| Tommy Hudspeth | 1976- | 1- | 10 | 5 | 5 | 0 |
| Totals: 14 Coaches— | | 43 | 536 | 264 | 247 | 24 |



**1977
ROOKIE
PROFILES**

1977 DRAFT CHOICE PROFILES

Round One:

(Traded to Buffalo in 1976 for J. D. Hill)



Round Two:

WALT WILLIAMS

Defensive Back — New Mexico State

Ht. 6-0 Wt. 185

Born Bedford Hills, New York, July 10, 1954

J.C. transfer . . . 9.5 speed in 100 . . . All-State and All-American in high school . . . Played two years with 109 unassisted tackles . . . 80 assists . . . Saw action on special teams . . . Seven pass breakups in '76 with three forced fumbles and one interception.



Round Three:

RICK KANE

Running Back — San Jose State

Ht. 5-11 Wt. 200

Born Pleasanton, California, November 12, 1954

Transfer from Oregon . . . All-State football and track in high school . . . Rushed for 1,144 yards in '75 — school's first 1,000-yard rusher . . . Scored seven TDs . . . In '76 rushed for 823 yards despite missing three games . . . Average 5.1 yards per carry — scored 6 TDs . . . Caught total of 27 passes in '75, '76 . . . Business Management major . . . Honorable mention All-American.



Round Four:

LUTHER BLUE

Wide Receiver — Iowa State

Ht. 5-11 Wt. 190

Born Valdosta, Georgia, October 21, 1954

In 1976 caught 33 passes for 644 yards . . . 19.2 average per carry . . . Scored five TDs . . . Excellent kickoff return man — average 24 yards . . . Second only to Anthony Davis of SC in kickoff returns in sophomore year . . . Returned one 95 yards for a TD vs Nebraska . . . First team All-American as selected by Football Writers . . . All-Conference.



Round Five:

RON CROSBY

Linebacker — Penn State

Ht. 6-3 Wt. 225

Born McKeesport, Pennsylvania, March 2, 1955

Defensive co-captain . . . Ranked third on team in tackles in '76 with 42 solos . . . All-State in high school . . . Fourth Penn Stater on Lions' squad, third linebacker joining Laslavic and O'Neil . . . Runs 4.9 40 . . . Two-year starter . . . Bench presses 325 lbs. . . . Named outstanding defensive player in Hula Bowl.

Round Six:

REGGIE PINKNEY

Defensive Back — East Carolina

Ht. 5-11 Wt. 190

Born St. Louis, Missouri, May 27, 1955

Holds career interception return yardage record at East Carolina . . . 16 interceptions during career . . . 4.6 40 speed . . . Played in North-South Shrine game at Silverdome last December . . . Good kickoff return man . . . Four-year starter . . . All-Conference in '76.



Round Seven:

TIM BLACK

Linebacker — Baylor

Ht. 6-2 Wt. 215

Born Midland, Texas, January 3, 1955

One of the premier linebackers in the Southwest Conference . . . In '76 had 55 unassisted tackles — second on team . . . Three fumble recoveries . . . All-State in high school.



Round Eight:

MARK GRIFFIN

Offensive Tackle — North Carolina

Ht. 6-5 Wt. 250

Born Cumberland, Maryland, June 5, 1955

One of the top players in the Atlantic Coast Conference . . . Very consistent and durable . . . Started every game for the last two years . . . All-State player in high school.



Round Nine:

STEVE MATHIESON

Quarterback — Florida State

Ht. 6-4 Wt. 215

Born Rockville, Maryland, February 11, 1954

Injured hampered play in '76 . . . Lost starting job when team switched to veer attack . . . good size and strength . . . excellent drop-back passer.



Round Ten:

GARY ANDERSON

Guard — Stanford

Ht. 6-3 Wt. 250

Born Auburn, California, September 22, 1955

One of the few freshmen starters in Stanford history . . . Played extremely well in North-South Shrine game at Silverdome . . . College wrestling champ . . . State high school wrestling champ.





Round Eleven:

TONY DAYKIN

Linebacker — Georgia Tech

Ht. 6-1 Wt. 215

Born Augusta, Georgia, May 13, 1955

Three letter winner at Georgia Tech . . . Made 172 tackles during career . . . Strongest man on team . . . Bench presses 425 lbs. . . . Made dean's list in Industrial Systems Engineering.



Round Twelve:

DAVE GREENWOOD

Guard/Center — Iowa State

Ht. 6-3 Wt. 240

Born Cedar Rapids, Iowa, March 30, 1954

Team co-captain . . . Played every position on offensive line . . . Lettered for three years . . . Former high school quarterback . . . Hobby is sky-diving.

1977 LIONS ROOKIE ROSTER

| Name | Pos. | Ht. | Wt. | Birthdate | How Acq. | College |
|--------------------|-------|------|-----|-----------|----------|--------------------|
| Anderson, Gary | G | 6-3 | 250 | 9/22/55 | DC11 | Stanford |
| Anderson, Sonny | DB | 5-9 | 175 | 8/27/53 | FA | Middle Tenn. State |
| Black, Tim | LB | 6-2 | 215 | 1/3/55 | DC7 | Baylor |
| Blue, Luther | WR | 5-11 | 190 | 10/21/55 | DC4 | Iowa State |
| Cox, Roger | WR/DB | 5-11 | 175 | 3/1/53 | FA | Prairie View A&M |
| Crosby, Ron | LB | 6-3 | 255 | 3/2/55 | DC5 | Penn State |
| Daniels, Mel | DB | 5-11 | 180 | 1/30/52 | FA | Middle Tennessee |
| Daykin, Tony | LB | 6-1 | 215 | 5/13/55 | DC10 | Georgia Tech |
| Greenwood, Dave | G/C | 6-3 | 240 | 3/30/54 | DC12 | Iowa State |
| Griffin, Mark | T | 6-5 | 250 | 6/5/55 | DC8 | North Carolina |
| Harvey, Joe | DT/T | 6-4 | 275 | 3/27/53 | FA | Northern Michigan |
| Johns, Skip | FB | 5-10 | 235 | 2/21/52 | FA | Carson-Newman |
| Kane, Rick | RB | 5-11 | 200 | 11/12/54 | DC3 | San Jose State |
| Mathieson, Steve | QB | 6-4 | 215 | 2/11/54 | DC9 | Florida State |
| McClain, Kevin | DB | 6-0 | 190 | 3/19/55 | FA | Wyoming |
| Morris, Donnie Joe | WR | 5-11 | 185 | 2/16/50 | FA | Seton Hall |
| Nelson, Orlando | TE | 6-5 | 240 | 5/11/53 | FA | Utah State |
| Pinkney, Reggie | DB | 5-11 | 190 | 5/27/55 | DC | East Carolina |
| Ramsey, Chuck | P/K | 6-2 | 195 | 2/24/52 | FA | Wake Forest |
| Rich, Randy | DB | 5-10 | 175 | 12/28/53 | FA | New Mexico |
| Stufflebeem, John | P | 6-4 | 210 | 4/29/52 | FA | Navy |
| Williams, Walt | DB | 6-0 | 185 | 7/10/54 | DC2 | New Mexico State |
| Wood, Bob | K | 5-8 | 175 | 4/4/54 | FA | Michigan |

1977 LIONS' VETERAN ROSTER

| No. | Name | Pos. | Ht. | Wt. | Birthdate | NFL Year | College |
|-----|-------------------|------|------|-----|-----------|-------------|--------------------|
| 29 | Anderson, Tim | DB | 6-0 | 200 | 8-1-49 | 3 | Ohio State |
| 20 | Barney, Lem | CB | 6-0 | 190 | 9/8/45 | 11 | Jackson State |
| 62 | Boden, Lynn | G | 6-5 | 270 | 6/5/53 | 3 | South Dakota State |
| 73 | Bolinger, Russ | G | 6-5 | 250 | 9/10/53 | 2 | Long Beach State |
| 43 | Bolton, Andy | RB | 6-1 | 210 | 5/23/54 | 2 | Fisk |
| 24 | Bussey, Dexter | RB | 6-1 | 210 | 3/11/52 | 4 | Texas Arlington |
| 79 | Croft, Don | DT | 6-4 | 255 | 1/7/49 | 6 | Texas El Paso |
| 16 | Danielson, Gary | QB | 6-2 | 200 | 9/10/51 | 2 | Purdue |
| 78 | English, Doug | DT | 6-5 | 255 | 8/25/52 | 3 | Texas |
| 76 | Freitas, Rockne | T | 6-6 | 275 | 9/7/45 | 10 | Oregon State |
| 38 | Gaines, Lawrence | RB | 6-1 | 240 | 12/15/53 | 2 | Wyoming |
| 74 | Hand, Larry | DT | 6-4 | 250 | 7/10/40 | 13 | Appalachian State |
| 71 | Hertwig, Craig | T | 6-8 | 285 | 1/15/52 | 3 | Georgia |
| 81 | Hill, David | TE | 6-2 | 230 | 1/1/54 | 2 | Texas A&I |
| 86 | Hill, J.D. | WR | 6-1 | 185 | 10/30/48 | 7 | Arizona State |
| 28 | Hunter, James | S | 6-3 | 200 | 3/8/54 | 2 | Grambling |
| 45 | Jarvis, Ray | WR | 6-0 | 190 | 2/2/49 | 7 | Norfolk State |
| 26 | Jauron, Dick | S | 6-0 | 190 | 10/7/50 | 4 | Yale |
| 23 | Johnson, Levi | CB | 6-3 | 200 | 10/30/50 | 5 | Texas A&I |
| 25 | King, Horace | RB | 5-10 | 210 | 3/5/53 | 3 | Georgia |
| 66 | Kowalkowski, Bob | G | 6-3 | 245 | 11/5/43 | 12 | Virginia |
| 11 | Landry, Greg | QB | 6-4 | 210 | 12/18/46 | 10 | Massachusetts |
| 52 | Laslavic, Jim | LB | 6-2 | 235 | 10/24/51 | 5 | Penn State |
| 65 | Long, Ken | G | 6-3 | 265 | 7/24/53 | 2 | Purdue |
| 68 | Markovich, Mark | C | 6-5 | 255 | 11/7/52 | 4 | Penn State |
| 83 | Mitchell, Jim | DT | 6-3 | 250 | 9/15/48 | 8 | Virginia State |
| 63 | Morris, Jon | C | 6-4 | 250 | 4/5/42 | 14 | Holy Cross |
| 50 | Naumoff, Paul | LB | 6-1 | 215 | 7/3/45 | 11 | Tennessee |
| 55 | O'Neil, Ed | LB | 6-3 | 235 | 9/8/52 | 4 | Penn State |
| 80 | Orvis, Herb | DT | 6-5 | 255 | 10/17/46 | 6 | Colorado |
| 44 | Picard, Bob | WR | 6-3 | 205 | 11/29/49 | 5 | Eastern Washington |
| 72 | Price, Ernest | DE | 6-4 | 255 | 9/20/40 | 5 | Texas A&I |
| 14 | Reed, Joe | QB | 6-1 | 195 | 1/8/48 | 6 | Mississippi State |
| 1 | Ricardo, Benny | K | 5-10 | 175 | 1/4/54 | 2 | San Diego State |
| 88 | Sanders, Charlie | TE | 6-4 | 230 | 8/25/46 | 10 | Minnesota |
| 82 | Sanders, Ken | DE | 6-5 | 250 | 8/22/50 | 6 | Howard Payne |
| 57 | Ten Napel, Garth | LB | 6-1 | 210 | 3/27/54 | 2 | Texas A&M |
| 33 | Thompson, Bobby | RB | 5-11 | 200 | 1/16/47 | 3 | Oklahoma |
| 39 | Thompson, Leonard | WR | 5-10 | 190 | 7/28/52 | 3 | Oklahoma State |
| 49 | Walton, Larry | WR | 6-0 | 185 | 2/8/47 | 9 | Arizona State |
| 59 | Weaver, Charlie | LB | 6-2 | 230 | 7/12/49 | 7 | USC |
| 40 | West, Charlie | S | 6-1 | 195 | 8/31/46 | 10 | Texas El Paso |
| 77 | Woodcock, John | DT | 6-3 | 240 | 3/19/54 | 2 | Hawaii |
| 75 | Yarbrough, Jim | T | 6-5 | 275 | 10/28/46 | 9 | Florida |

1977 LIONS' TRAINING CAMP POSITIONAL ROSTER

(* Rookie)

OFFENSE

- WR** Larry Walton — David Hill — Donnie Joe Morris*
LT Jim Yarbrough — Craig Hertwig
LG Russ Bolinger — Gary Anderson* — Joe Harvey*
C Jon Morris — Mark Markovich
RG Lynn Boden — Bob Kowalkowski — Ken Long
TE Charlie Sanders — David Hill — Orlando Nelson*
WR Ray Jarvis — Leonard Thompson — Bob Picard — Luther Blue*
QB Greg Landry — Joe Reed — Gary Danielson — Steve Mathieson*
RB Dexter Bussey — Bobby Thompson — Rick Kane*
RB Lawrence Gaines — Horace King — Andy Bolton — Skip Johns*

DEFENSE

- LE** Ken Sanders — John Woodcock
LT Herb Orvis — Don Croft
RT Doug English — Larry Hand
RE Jim Mitchell — Ernest Price
LLB Paul Naumoff — Garth Ten Napel
MLB Jim Laslavic — Ed O'Neil — Ron Crosby* — Tony Daykin*
RLB Charlie Weaver — Tim Black*
LC James Hunter — Mel Daniels* — Sonny Anderson*
RC Levi Johnson — Walt Williams* — Roger Cox*
FS Dick Jauron — Lem Barney — Randy Rich* — Kevin McClain*
SS Charlie West — Reggie Pinkney*

SPECIALISTS

- Punter** John Stufflebeem*
Chuck Ramsey*
Kicker Benny Ricardo
Bob Wood*



**TEAM
STATISTICS
AND
RECORDS**

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1976 LIONS RESULTS

Pre-Season (3-4-0)

| | | | | | | | | | |
|-------|----|---|---|---|-------|----|----------------|----|---------|
| July | 24 | — | L | — | Lions | 7 | vs. Denver† | 10 | 17,639 |
| July | 31 | — | W | — | Lions | 20 | * Buffalo | 17 | 49,432* |
| Aug. | 8 | — | L | — | Lions | 21 | * Miami | 30 | 54,377* |
| Aug. | 14 | — | L | — | Lions | 14 | at Cincinnati | 26 | 53,712 |
| Aug. | 21 | — | L | — | Lions | 16 | vs. Dallas‡ | 36 | 30,340 |
| Aug. | 28 | — | W | — | Lions | 23 | at Kansas City | 21 | 27,410 |
| Sept. | 2 | — | W | — | Lions | 24 | * Baltimore | 9 | 54,217* |

* at Pontiac Silverdome † at Canton ‡ at Memphis

Regular Season (6-8-0)

| | | | | | | | | | |
|-------|----|---|---|---|-------|-----|----------------|-----|----------|
| Sept. | 12 | — | L | — | Lions | 3 | at Chicago | 10 | 54,125 |
| Sept. | 19 | — | W | — | Lions | 24 | * Atlanta | 10 | 50,840* |
| Sept. | 26 | — | L | — | Lions | 9 | * Minnesota | 10 | 77,292* |
| Oct. | 3 | — | L | — | Lions | 14 | at Green Bay | 24 | 55,041 |
| Oct. | 10 | — | W | — | Lions | 30 | * New England | 10 | 60,174* |
| Oct. | 17 | — | L | — | Lions | 7 | at Washington | 20 | 45,908 |
| Oct. | 24 | — | W | — | Lions | 41 | at Seattle | 14 | 61,280 |
| Oct. | 31 | — | W | — | Lions | 27 | * Green Bay | 6 | 74,992* |
| Nov. | 7 | — | L | — | Lions | 23 | at Minnesota | 31 | 46,735 |
| Nov. | 14 | — | L | — | Lions | 16 | at New Orleans | 17 | 42,048 |
| Nov. | 21 | — | W | — | Lions | 14 | * Chicago | 10 | 78,042* |
| Nov. | 25 | — | W | — | Lions | 27 | * Buffalo | 14 | 66,875* |
| Dec. | 5 | — | L | — | Lions | 10 | at NY Giants | 24 | 66,069 |
| Dec. | 11 | — | L | — | Lions | 17 | * Los Angeles | 20 | 73,470* |
| | | | | | | 262 | | 220 | 481,685* |

*at Pontiac Silverdome

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE, 1977

(58th Season)

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

Eastern Division

Dallas
New York Giants
Philadelphia
St. Louis
Washington

Central Division

Chicago
DETROIT
Green Bay
Minnesota
Tampa Bay

Western Division

Atlanta
Atlanta
New Orleans
San Francisco

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

Eastern Division

Baltimore
Buffalo
Miami
New England
New York Jets

Central Division

Cincinnati
Cleveland
Houston
Pittsburgh
Seattle

Western Division

Denver
Kansas City
Oakland
San Diego

1976 LIONS' STATISTICS

TEAM STATISTICS

| CATEGORY | LIONS | OPP |
|------------------------------|---------|---------|
| Yards Gained-Total | 4353 | 3587 |
| Yards Gained-Rushing | 2213 | 1901 |
| Yards Gained-Passing | 2140 | 1686 |
| First Downs-Total | 259 | 191 |
| First Downs-Rushing | 123 | 94 |
| First Downs-Passing | 120 | 76 |
| First Downs-Penalty | 16 | 21 |
| Passes Attempted | 356 | 313 |
| Passes Completed | 201 | 137 |
| Times QB Sacked | 67 | 28 |
| Yards Lost | 490 | 218 |
| Interceptions By | 12 | 24 |
| Punts/Average | 84/39.0 | 83/40.6 |
| Punt Returns/Average | 31/6.7 | 39/37.1 |
| Kickoff Returns/Average | 47/21.0 | 55/21.6 |
| Penalties/Yards | 97/819 | 88/700 |
| Fumbles/Lost | 36/21 | 27/15 |
| Touchdowns/Extra Points | 32/28 | 25/25 |
| TDs: Rush/Rec/Return | 9/20/3 | 13/11/1 |
| Total Offensive Plays | 939 | 837 |
| Average Gain Per Play | 4.6 | 4.2 |
| Total Rushing Plays | 516 | 496 |
| Average Gain Per Rush | 4.3 | 3.8 |
| Total Passing Plays | 423 | 341 |
| Average Gain Per Pass | 6.2 | 4.9 |
| Average Total Yards Per Game | 311 | 256 |
| Average Rush Yards Per Game | 158 | 136 |
| Average Pass Yards Per Game | 153 | 120 |

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

| RUSHING | ATT | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|----|----|
| Bussey | 196 | 858 | 4.4 | 46 | 3 |
| Gaines | 155 | 659 | 4.3 | 26 | 4 |
| King | 93 | 325 | 3.5 | 22 | 0 |
| Landry | 43 | 234 | 5.4 | 28 | 1 |
| Reed | 11 | 63 | 5.7 | 14 | 1 |
| Thompson, B. | 13 | 42 | 3.2 | 9 | 0 |

| RECEIVING | NO | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
|-----------|----|-----|------|----|----|
| Jarvis | 39 | 822 | 21.1 | 74 | 5 |
| Sanders | 35 | 545 | 15.6 | 34 | 5 |
| Bussey | 28 | 218 | 7.8 | 27 | 0 |
| Gaines | 23 | 130 | 5.7 | 24 | 1 |
| King | 21 | 163 | 7.8 | 19 | 0 |
| Watson | 20 | 293 | 14.7 | 28 | 3 |
| Hill, D. | 19 | 249 | 13.1 | 27 | 5 |

| PASSING | GP | GS | ATT | COMP | AVE | YDS | AVE GAIN | L | INT | TD | TT/YDS LOST |
|---------|----|----|-----|------|------|------|----------|----|-----|----|-------------|
| Landry | 14 | 12 | 291 | 168 | 57.7 | 2191 | 7.53 | 74 | 8 | 17 | 55/397 |
| Reed | 13 | 2 | 62 | 32 | 51.6 | 425 | 6.85 | 57 | 3 | 3 | 12/93 |

| INTER-CEPTIONS | NO | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
|----------------|----|-----|------|----|----|
| Hunter | 7 | 120 | 17.1 | 39 | 1 |
| Johnson | 6 | 206 | — | 76 | 1 |
| Barney | 2 | 62 | — | 26 | 1 |
| Weaver, C. | 2 | 24 | 12.0 | 19 | 0 |
| Laslavic | 2 | 13 | 6.5 | 13 | 0 |

| PUNT RETURNS | NO | YDS | AVE | L | FC | TD |
|--------------|----|-----|-----|----|----|----|
| Barney | 23 | 191 | 8.3 | 30 | 22 | 0 |
| West | 3 | 9 | 3.0 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Hunter | 4 | 7 | 2.3 | 5 | 0 | 0 |

| KICKOFF RETURNS | NO | YDS | AVE | L | TD |
|-----------------|----|-----|------|----|----|
| Hunter | 14 | 375 | 26.6 | 84 | 0 |
| Thompson, B. | 22 | 431 | 19.6 | 59 | 0 |
| Thompson, L. | 5 | 86 | 17.2 | 32 | 0 |
| King | 3 | 63 | 21.0 | 26 | 0 |

| PUNTING | NO | YDS | AVE | L | BLKD |
|---------|----|------|------|----|------|
| Weaver | 83 | 3280 | 39.5 | 69 | 1 |
| Ricardo | 1 | 16 | 16.0 | 16 | 0 |

| SCORING — KICKING | FG | L | BLKD | EPBLKD | PTS | |
|-------------------|-------|----|------|--------|-----|----|
| Ricardo | 10/14 | 44 | 1 | 19/21 | 1 | 49 |
| Mann | 4/10 | 49 | 1 | 9/10 | 0 | 21 |

| SCORING — TOUCHDOWNS | Rush | Receive | Return | Total | TD |
|----------------------|------|---------|--------|-------|----|
| Sanders | 0 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Jarvis | 0 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Hill, D. | 0 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Gaines | 4 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Bussey | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| Watson | 0 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 3 |

LIONS' RANKINGS IN NATIONAL CONFERENCE, 1976

| Offense | Lions Total & NFC Rank | | NFC Leader & Total | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|----|-------------------------------|-------|
| Yards Gained | 4553 | 5 | St. Louis | 5136 |
| By Rushing | 2213 | 5 | Los Angeles | 2528 |
| By Passing | 2140 | 6 | Minnesota | 2855 |
| Ave. Total Yards Per Game | 310 | 5 | St. Louis | 366 |
| Ave. Rushing Yards Per Game | 158 | 5 | Los Angeles | 180 |
| Ave. Passing Yards Per Game | 152 | 6 | Minnesota | 204 |
| First Downs | 259 | 5 | St. Louis | 307 |
| Rushes | 516 | 9 | Los Angeles | 613 |
| Ave. Gain Per Rush | 4.3 | 1 | DETROIT | 4.3 |
| Passes | 356 | 9 | Seattle | 480 |
| Completions | 201 | 5 | Minnesota | 270 |
| QB Sacked | 67 | 14 | St. Louis | 17 |
| Had Intercepted | 12 | 2 | Minnesota | 10 |
| Offensive Plays | 939 | 3 | Minnesota | 982 |
| Average Gain Per Play | 4.6 | 5 | St. Louis | 5.2 |
| Touchdowns | 32 | 4 | St. Louis-Minnesota | 36 |
| By Rushing | 9 | 13 | Los Angeles | 23 |
| By Passing | 20 | 1 | DETROIT-Washington | 20 |
| By Returns | 3 | 3 | New Orleans | 5 |
| Points Scored | 262 | 7 | Los Angeles | 351 |
| Defense | Lions Total & NFC Rank | | NFC Leader & Total | |
| Yards Allowed | 3587 | 2 | San Francisco | 3562 |
| By Rushing | 1901 | 4 | Los Angeles | 1564 |
| By Passing | 1686 | 2 | Minnesota | 1575 |
| Ave. Total Yards Per Game | 256 | 2 | San Francisco | 254 |
| Ave. Rushing Yards Per Game | 135 | 8 | Los Angeles | 111 |
| Ave. Passing Yards Per Game | 120.4 | 2 | Minnesota | 112.5 |
| First Downs Allowed | 191 | 1 | DETROIT | 191 |
| Opponents Rushes | 496 | 6 | Los Angeles | 429 |
| Average Gain Per Rush | 3.8 | 2 | San Francisco | 3.7 |
| Opponents Passes | 313 | 1 | DETROIT | 313 |
| Completions | 137 | 1 | DETROIT | 137 |
| Opponents QB Sacked | 28 | 12 | San Francisco | 61 |
| Intercepted By | 24 | 3 | Washington | 26 |
| Opponents Offensive Plays | 809 | 1 | DETROIT | 809 |
| Average Gain Per Play | 4.4 | 8 | San Francisco | 4.1 |
| Touchdowns Allowed | 25 | 4 | Minnesota | 22 |
| By Rushing | 13 | 6 | San Francisco | 10 |
| By Passing | 11 | 2 | Minnesota | 8 |
| By Returns | 1 | 2 | LA/Mn/Wa/Chi | 0 |
| Points Allowed | 220 | 7 | Minnesota | 176 |

LIONS' INDIVIDUAL LEADERS WITH NFC RANKINGS, 1976

| CATEGORY | LIONS' LEADER-TOTAL | NFC RANK |
|---------------|---------------------------|----------|
| Punting | Herman Weaver 39.5 | 4th |
| KOR | James Hunter 26.6 | 2nd |
| PR | Lem Barney 8.3 | 10th |
| Rushing | Dexter Bussey 858 | 7th |
| Scoring | Benny Ricardo 49 | 15th |
| Passing | Greg Landry 57.7 (17 TDs) | 2nd |
| Interceptions | James Hunter 7 | Tied 4th |
| Receiving | Ray Jarvis 39 | 14th |
| 20 | | |

1976 LIONS BOX SCORES

KEY:
ret—return
rec—recovery

bp—blocked punt
fr—fumble recovery
int—interception

pr—punt return
qb, ez—quarterback tackled end zone
bfga—blocked field goal attempt

SEPT. 12—CHICAGO 10 DETROIT 3 at Chicago, 54,125

| TEAM | QUARTER | SCORE | SCORER | YARDS | ELAPSED TIME | SCORE DET-Opp. |
|------|---------|-------|--------|-------|--------------|----------------|
| DET | 2nd | FG | Mann | 27 | 1:31 | 3-0 |
| Chi | 3rd | TD | Musso | 3 | 8:25 | 3-7 |
| Chi | 4th | FG | Thomas | 27 | 1:30 | 3-10 |

SEPT. 19—DETROIT 24, ATLANTA 10 at Pontiac, 50,840

| TEAM | QUARTER | SCORE | SCORER | YARDS | ELAPSED TIME | SCORE DET-Opp. |
|------|---------|-------|------------------|-------|--------------|----------------|
| All | 2nd | TD | Bean | 5 | 3:24 | 0-7 |
| All | 3rd | FG | Mike-Mayer | 41 | 4:12 | 0-10 |
| DET | 4th | TD | LANDRY | 5 | 0:07 | 7-10 |
| DET | 4th | FG | Mann | 32 | 6:25 | 10-10 |
| DET | 4th | TD | O'NEIL-REED | 32 | 11:03 | 17-10 |
| DET | 4th | TD | HUNTER (int rtn) | 39 | 11:54 | 24-10 |

SEPT. 26—MINNESOTA 10, DETROIT 9 at Pontiac, 77,292

| TEAM | QUARTER | SCORE | SCORER | YARDS | ELAPSED TIME | SCORE DET-Opp. |
|------|---------|-------|----------------|-------|--------------|----------------|
| Minn | 3rd | FG | Cox | 49 | 2:59 | 0-3 |
| DET | 3rd | FG | Mann | 49 | 11:23 | 3-3 |
| Minn | 4th | TD | Foreman | 5 | 0:04 | 3-10 |
| DET | 4th | TD | SANDERS-LANDRY | 1 | 12:59 | 9-10 |

(center snap fumbled on extra pt)

OCT. 3—GREEN BAY 24, DETROIT 14 at Green Bay, 55,041

| TEAM | QUARTER | SCORE | SCORER | YARDS | ELAPSED TIME | SCORE DET-Opp. |
|------|---------|-------|---------------|-------|--------------|----------------|
| GB | 1st | TD | Smith | 1 | .47 | 0-7 |
| GB | 1st | FG | Marcol | 35 | 11:15 | 0-10 |
| DET | 2nd | TD | BUSSEY | 7 | .48 | 7-10 |
| DET | 2nd | TD | JARVIS-LANDRY | 53 | 9:54 | 14-10 |
| GB | 4th | TD | Askson-Dickey | 2 | 2:57 | 14-17 |
| GB | 4th | TD | Odom-Harrell | 40 | 6:52 | 14-24 |

OCT. 10—DETROIT 30, NEW ENGLAND 10
at Pontiac, 60,174

| TEAM | QUARTER | SCORE | SCORER | YARDS | ELAPSED TIME | SCORE DET-Opp. |
|------|---------|-------|------------------------------|-------|--------------|----------------|
| DET | 1st | TD | BUSSEY (Mann kick missed) | 5 | 7:15 | 6-0 |
| DET | 1st | TD | D. HILL-LANDRY | 21 | 14:59 | 13-0 |
| DET | 2nd | TD | SANDERS-LANDRY | 5 | 4:24 | 20-0 |
| NE | 2nd | FG | Smith | 41 | 15:00 | 20-3 |
| NE | 3rd | TD | Vataha-Grogan | 35 | 3:17 | 20-10 |
| DET | 4th | TD | D. HILL-LANDRY | 3 | 6:41 | 27-10 |
| DET | 4th | FG | Mann | 36 | 9:13 | 30-10 |

OCT. 17—WASH. 20, DETROIT 7
at Washington, 45,908

| TEAM | QUARTER | SCORE | SCORER | YARDS | ELAPSED TIME | SCORE DET-Opp. |
|------|---------|-------|-----------------|-------|--------------|----------------|
| Wash | 3rd | FG | Moseley | 42 | 4:56 | 0-3 |
| Wash | 3rd | TD | Grant-Theismann | 8 | 12:18 | 0-10 |
| Wash | 4th | TD | Thomas | 3 | 0:04 | 0-17 |
| Wash | 4th | FG | Moseley | 45 | 4:14 | 0-20 |
| DET | 4th | TD | JARVIS-REED | 56 | 14:09 | 7-20 |

OCT. 24—DETROIT 41, SEATTLE 14
at Seattle, 61,280

| TEAM | QUARTER | SCORE | SCORER | YARDS | ELAPSED TIME | SCORE DET-Opp. |
|------|---------|-------|-------------------|-------|--------------|----------------|
| DET | 1st | FG | RICARDO | 25 | 5:20 | 3-0 |
| DET | 1st | FG | RICARDO | 44 | 13:05 | 6-0 |
| DET | 1st | TD | D. HILL-LANDRY | 20 | 14:45 | 13-0 |
| DET | 2nd | TD | JOHNSON (int rtn) | 70 | 1:43 | 20-0 |
| Sea | 2nd | TD | McKinnis | 2 | 4:33 | 20-7 |
| Sea | 2nd | TD | McKinnis | 9 | 7:03 | 20-14 |
| DET | 3rd | TD | C. SANDERS-LANDRY | 8 | 7:05 | 27-14 |
| DET | 3rd | TD | GAINES-LANDRY | 9 | 11:07 | 34-14 |
| DET | 4th | TD | BARNEY (int rtn) | 24 | 10:57 | 41-14 |

OCT. 31—DETROIT 27, GREEN BAY 6
at Pontiac, 74,992

| TEAM | QUARTER | SCORE | SCORER | YARDS | ELAPSED TIME | SCORE DET-Opp. |
|------|---------|-------|---------------|-------|--------------|----------------|
| DET | 1st | FG | RICARDO | 34 | 2:29 | 0-3 |
| DET | 1st | TD | JARVIS-LANDRY | 74 | 12:48 | 0-10 |
| GB | 2nd | FG | Marcol | 39 | 4:46 | 3-10 |
| DET | 2nd | TD | GAINES | 26 | 10:12 | 3-17 |
| DET | 2nd | TD | JARVIS-LANDRY | 13 | 11:13 | 3-24 |
| GB | 3rd | FG | Marcol | 37 | 11:16 | 6-24 |
| DET | 4th | FG | RICARDO | 39 | 5:19 | 6-27 |

NOV. 7—MINNESOTA 31, DETROIT 23
at Bloomington, 46,735

| TEAM | QUARTER | SCORE | SCORER | YARDS | ELAPSED TIME | SCORE DET-Opp. |
|------|---------|-------|-----------------------|-------|--------------|----------------|
| DET | 1st | FG | RICARDO | 22 | 3:29 | 3-0 |
| Minn | 1st | TD | S. White-Tarkenton | 24 | 11:14 | 3-7 |
| DET | 2nd | TD | GAINES (kick blocked) | 1 | 2:48 | 9-7 |
| Minn | 2nd | FG | Cox | 39 | 13:04 | 9-10 |
| Minn | 3rd | TD | Foreman | 2 | 5:00 | 9-17 |
| DET | 3rd | TD | GAINES | 1 | 11:06 | 16-17 |
| Minn | 4th | TD | Foreman | 1 | 0:08 | 16-24 |
| DET | 4th | TD | WALTON-LANDRY | 26 | 4:58 | 23-24 |
| Minn | 4th | TD | S. White-Tarkenton | 37 | 13:07 | 23-31 |

NOV. 14—NEW ORLEANS 17, DETROIT 16
at New Orleans, 42,048

| TEAM | QUARTER | SCORE | SCORER | YARDS | ELAPSED TIME | SCORE DET-Opp. |
|------|---------|-------|------------------------------------|-------|--------------|----------------|
| DET | 2nd | TD | C. SANDERS-LANDRY (kick failed) | 5 | 1:59 | 6-0 |
| N.O. | 2nd | FG | Szaro | 37 | 4:48 | 6-3 |
| N.O. | 3rd | TD | Burton-Douglass | 69 | 10:33 | 6-10 |
| DET | 4th | FG | RICARDO | 43 | 3:50 | 9-10 |
| N.O. | 4th | TD | Capone-fum rtn | 2 | 13:25 | 9-17 |
| DET | 4th | TD | WALTON-LANDRY | 16 | 14:35 | 16-17 |

NOV. 21—DETROIT 14, CHICAGO 10
at Pontiac, 78,042

| TEAM | QUARTER | SCORE | SCORER | YARDS | ELAPSED TIME | SCORE DET-Opp. |
|------|---------|-------|----------------|-------|--------------|----------------|
| Chi | 1st | TD | Scott-Avellini | 50 | 8:52 | 0-7 |
| DET | 2nd | TD | WALTON-LANDRY | 28 | 12:42 | 7-7 |
| DET | 2nd | TD | JARVIS-LANDRY | 6 | 14:12 | 14-7 |
| Chi | 4th | FG | Thomas | 46 | 5:19 | 14-10 |

NOV. 25—DETROIT 27, BUFFALO 14
at Pontiac, 66,875

| TEAM | QUARTER | SCORE | SCORER | YARDS | ELAPSED TIME | SCORE DET-Opp. |
|------|---------|-------|----------------|-------|--------------|----------------|
| DET | 1st | TD | D. HILL-LANDRY | 21 | 7:42 | 7-0 |
| DET | 2nd | FG | RICARDO | 22 | 12:25 | 10-0 |
| DET | 3rd | FG | RICARDO | 35 | 6:12 | 13-0 |
| DET | 3rd | TD | D. HILL-LANDRY | 24 | 10:34 | 20-0 |
| Buff | 3rd | TD | Simpson | 48 | 13:28 | 20-7 |
| DET | 4th | TD | BUSSEY | 4 | 1:24 | 27-7 |
| Buff | 4th | TD | Simpson | 12 | 11:30 | 27-14 |

DEC. 5—NEW YORK GIANTS 24, DETROIT 10
at New York, 66,069

| TEAM | QUARTER | SCORE | SCORER | YARDS | ELAPSED TIME | SCORE DET-Opp. |
|------|---------|-------|-----------------|-------|--------------|----------------|
| NY | 2nd | TD | Marshall-Morton | 11 | 1:42 | 0-7 |
| NY | 2nd | FG | Danelo | 35 | 4:26 | 0-10 |
| DET | 2nd | TD | GAINES | 1 | 6:51 | 7-10 |
| NY | 2nd | TD | Kotar | 3 | 14:04 | 7-17 |
| DET | 2nd | FG | RICARDO | 43 | 14:54 | 10-17 |
| NY | 3rd | TD | Marshall-Morton | 35 | 9:54 | 10-24 |

DEC. 11—LOS ANGELES 20, DETROIT 17
at Pontiac, 73,470

| TEAM | QUARTER | SCORE | SCORER | YARDS | ELAPSED TIME | SCORE DET-Opp. |
|------|---------|-------|-------------------|-------|--------------|----------------|
| DET | 1st | FG | RICARDO | 19 | 1:44 | 3-0 |
| LA | 1st | FG | Dempsey | 35 | 5:25 | 3-3 |
| DET | 1st | TD | REED | 4 | 14:30 | 10-3 |
| DET | 2nd | TD | SANDERS-REED | 9 | 13:56 | 17-3 |
| LA | 3rd | TD | H. Jackson-Harris | 27 | 6:33 | 17-10 |
| LA | 3rd | FG | Dempsey | 32 | 13:26 | 17-13 |
| LA | 3rd | TD | Bryant | 3 | 14:58 | 17-20 |

LIONS INDIVIDUAL RECORDS (1934-1976)

CAREER

SERVICE

MOST SEASONS:

| | |
|----|----------------------------------|
| 15 | Wayne Walker, 1958-72 |
| 14 | Dick LeBeau, 1959-72 |
| 13 | Joe Schmidt, 1953-65 |
| 13 | Darris McCord, 1955-67 |
| 12 | Alex Karras, 1958-62, 1964-70 |

MOST GAMES:

| | |
|-----|----------------------------------|
| 200 | Wayne Walker, 1958-72 |
| 185 | Dick LeBeau, 1959-72 |
| 168 | Darris McCord, 1955-67 |
| 161 | Alex Karras, 1958-62, 1964-70 |
| 154 | Joe Schmidt, 1953-65 |

RUSHING

MOST ATTEMPTS:

| | |
|------|---------------------------|
| 1165 | Allie Taylor, 1969-76 |
| 938 | Nick Pietrosante, 1959-65 |
| 739 | Mel Farr, 1967-73 |
| 693 | Ace Gutowsky, 1934-38 |
| 651 | Dan Lewis, 1958-64 |
| 635 | Steve Owens, 1970-76 |

MOST YARDS GAINED:

| | |
|------|---------------------------|
| 4297 | Allie Taylor, 1969-76 |
| 3933 | Nick Pietrosante, 1959-65 |
| 3072 | Mel Farr, 1967-73 |
| 2698 | Dan Lewis, 1958-64 |
| 2451 | Steve Owens, 1970-76 |
| 2444 | Ace Gutowsky, 1934-38 |

PASSING

MOST ATTEMPTS:

| | |
|------|-----------------------|
| 2193 | Bobby Layne, 1950-58 |
| 1315 | Milt Plum, 1962-67 |
| 1314 | Bill Munson, 1968-76 |
| 1430 | GREG LANDRY, 1968- |
| 885 | Earl Morrall, 1958-64 |

MOST COMPLETIONS:

| | |
|------|-----------------------|
| 1074 | Bobby Layne, 1950-58 |
| 774 | GREG LANDRY, 1968- |
| 716 | Bill Munson, 1968-76 |
| 671 | Milt Plum, 1962-67 |
| 447 | Earl Morrall, 1958-64 |

MOST YARDS GAINED:

| | |
|-------|-----------------------|
| 15710 | Bobby Layne, 1950-58 |
| 10640 | GREG LANDRY, 1968- |
| 8536 | Milt Plum, 1962-67 |
| 8461 | Bill Munson, 1968-76 |
| 6555 | Earl Morrall, 1958-64 |

MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES:

| | |
|-----|-----------------------|
| 118 | Bobby Layne, 1950-58 |
| 73 | GREG LANDRY, 1968- |
| 56 | Bill Munson, 1968-76 |
| 55 | Milt Plum, 1962-67 |
| 53 | Earl Morrall, 1958-64 |

MOST PASSES INTERCEPTED:

| | |
|-----|-------------------------|
| 142 | Bobby Layne, 1950-58 |
| 87 | Milt Plum, 1962-67 |
| 73 | GREG LANDRY, 1968- |
| 42 | Bill Munson, 1968-76 |
| 41 | Earl Morrall, 1958-64 |
| 40 | Frank Sinkwich, 1943-44 |

RECEIVING

MOST PASSES RECEIVED:

| | |
|-----|------------------------|
| 325 | Gail Cogdill, 1960-68 |
| 322 | CHARLIE SANDERS, 1968- |
| 287 | Jim Gibbons, 1958-68 |
| 227 | Terry Barr, 1957-65 |
| 174 | Leon Hart, 1950-57 |

MOST YARDS GAINED:

| | |
|------|------------------------|
| 5220 | Gail Cogdill, 1960-68 |
| 4647 | CHARLIE SANDERS, 1968- |
| 3810 | Terry Barr, 1957-65 |
| 3561 | Jim Gibbons, 1958-68 |
| 2965 | John Greene, 1944-50 |

INTERCEPTIONS

MOST PASSES INTERCEPTED:

| | |
|----|-----------------------------|
| 62 | Dick LeBeau, 1959-72 |
| 53 | LEM BARNEY, 1967- |
| 50 | Yale Lary, 1952-53, 1956-64 |
| 46 | Jack Christiansen, 1951-58 |
| 36 | Jim David, 1952-59 |

MOST YARDS GAINED:

| | |
|------|-----------------------------|
| 1024 | LEM BARNEY, 1967- |
| 787 | Yale Lary, 1952-53, 1956-64 |
| 762 | Dick LeBeau, 1959-72 |
| 719 | Bob Smith, 1949-53 |
| 717 | Jack Christiansen, 1951-58 |

SCORING

MOST POINTS:

| | |
|------|-----------------------|
| 1024 | Errol Mann, 1969-76 |
| 534 | Doak Walker, 1950-55 |
| 345 | Wayne Walker, 1958-72 |
| 259 | Jim Martin, 1951-61 |
| 254 | Dutch Clark, 1934-38 |

MOST TOUCHDOWNS (Total):

| | |
|----|---------------------------------|
| 38 | Terry Barr, 1957-65 |
| 36 | Mel Farr, 1967-73 |
| 34 | Doak Walker, 1950-55 |
| 32 | Cloyce Box, 1949-50, 1952-54 |
| 31 | Leon Hart, 1950-57 |
| 30 | Nick Pietrosante, 1959-65 |
| 30 | Gail Cogdill, 1960-68 |
| 30 | Allie Taylor, 1969-76 |

MOST TOUCHDOWNS (Rushing):

| | |
|----|-------------------------------|
| 28 | Nick Pietrosante, 1959-65 |
| 26 | Mel Farr, 1967-73 |
| 24 | Allie Taylor, 1969-76 |
| 20 | Steve Owens, 1970-76 |
| 19 | GREG LANDRY, 1968- |
| 15 | Bob Hoernschmeyer, 1950-55 |

MOST TOUCHDOWNS (Receiving):

| | |
|----|---------------------------------|
| 35 | Terry Barr, 1957-65 |
| 32 | Cloyce Box, 1949-50, 1952-54 |
| 30 | CHARLIE SANDERS, 1968- |
| 28 | Gail Cogdill, 1960-68 |
| 26 | LARRY WALTON, 1969 |
| 25 | Leon Hart, 1950-57 |
| 21 | Doak Walker, 1950-55 |

MOST TOUCHDOWNS (Returning):

| | |
|----|----------------------------|
| 11 | Jack Christiansen, 1951-58 |
| 10 | LEM BARNEY, 1967- |

MOST EXTRA POINTS:

| | |
|-----|-----------------------|
| 213 | Errol Mann, 1969-76 |
| 183 | Doak Walker, 1950-55 |
| 172 | Wayne Walker, 1958-72 |
| 91 | Jim Martin, 1951-61 |
| 61 | Bobby Layne, 1950-58 |

MOST FIELD GOALS:

| | |
|-----|-----------------------|
| 141 | Errol Mann, 1969-76 |
| 56 | Jim Martin, 1951-61 |
| 53 | Wayne Walker, 1958-72 |
| 49 | Doak Walker, 1950-55 |
| 18 | Bobby Layne, 1950-58 |

PUNTING**MOST PUNTS:**

| | |
|-----|--------------------------------|
| 503 | Yale Lary, 1952-53, 1956-64 |
| 436 | Herman Weaver, 1970- |
| 187 | Pat Studstill, 1965-67 |
| 182 | Bob Smith, 1949-54 |

BEST AVERAGE:

| | |
|------|---------------|
| 44.3 | Yale Lary |
| 42.7 | Bob Smith |
| 42.4 | Pat Studstill |

PUNT RETURNS**MOST RETURNS:**

| | |
|-----|--------------------------------|
| 143 | LEM BARNEY, 1967- |
| 126 | Yale Lary, 1952-53, 1956-64 |
| 94 | Tom Watkins, 1962-67 |
| 85 | Jack Christiansen, 1951-68 |

MOST YARDS RETURNED:

| | |
|------|-------------------|
| 1312 | LEM BARNEY, 1967- |
| 1084 | Jack Christiansen |
| 970 | Tom Watkins |
| 758 | Yale Lary |
| 716 | Pat Studstill |

KICKOFF RETURNS**MOST RETURNS:**

| | |
|----|------------------------|
| 91 | Tom Watkins, 1962-67 |
| 75 | Pat Studstill, 1961-65 |
| 62 | Tom Vaughn, 1965-71 |

MOST YARDS RETURNED:

| | |
|------|---------------|
| 2262 | Tom Watkins |
| 1924 | Pat Studstill |
| 1595 | Tom Vaughn |

SEASON**RUSHING****MOST ATTEMPTS:**

| | |
|-----|------------------------|
| 246 | Steve Owens, 1971 |
| 206 | Mel Farr, 1967 |
| 201 | Nick Pietrosante, 1961 |
| 198 | Allie Taylor, 1970 |
| 195 | Allie Taylor, 1975 |
| 191 | Ace Gutowsky, 1936 |

MOST YARDS GAINED:

| | |
|------|------------------------|
| 1035 | Steve Owens, 1971 |
| 872 | Nick Pietrosante, 1960 |
| 860 | Mel Farr, 1967 |
| 841 | Nick Pietrosante, 1961 |
| 827 | Ace Gutowsky, 1936 |

PASSING**MOST ATTEMPTS:**

| | |
|-----|--------------------|
| 336 | Bobby Layne, 1950 |
| 332 | Bobby Layne, 1951 |
| 329 | Bill Munson, 1968 |
| 328 | Earl Morrall, 1963 |
| 325 | Milt Plum, 1962 |

MOST COMPLETIONS:

| | |
|-----|--------------------|
| 181 | Bill Munson, 1968 |
| 179 | Milt Plum, 1962 |
| 174 | Earl Morrall, 1963 |
| 168 | GREG LANDRY, 1976 |
| 166 | Bill Munson, 1974 |

MOST YARDS GAINED:

| | |
|------|--------------------|
| 2621 | Earl Morrall, 1963 |
| 2403 | Bobby Layne, 1951 |
| 2378 | Milt Plum, 1962 |
| 2323 | Bobby Layne, 1950 |
| 2311 | Bill Munson, 1968 |

MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES:

| | |
|----|--------------------|
| 26 | Bobby Layne, 1951 |
| 24 | Earl Morrall, 1963 |
| 19 | Bobby Layne, 1952 |
| 18 | GREG LANDRY, 1972 |
| 18 | Milt Plum, 1964 |

MOST PASSES INTERCEPTED:

| | |
|----|-------------------------|
| 23 | Bobby Layne, 1951 |
| 21 | Bobby Layne, 1953 |
| 20 | Milt Plum, 1962 |
| 20 | Bobby Layne, 1952 |
| 20 | Clyde LeForce, 1947 |
| 20 | Frank Sinkwich, 1943-44 |

FEWEST PASSES INTERCEPTED:

| | |
|---|--|
| 3 | Dwight Sloan, 1939 (102 att.) |
| 4 | Harry Gilmer, 1955 (122 att.) |
| 5 | Fred Enke, 1949 (142 att.) |
| 7 | Bill Munson, 1974 (292) |
| 7 | Tom Dublinski, 1954 (138) |
| 8 | Clyde LeForce, 1948 (101) |
| 8 | Bill Munson, 1968 (329); 1973 (187) |
| 8 | GREG LANDRY, 1976 (291) |

RECEIVING**MOST PASSES RECEIVED:**

| | |
|----|---------------------|
| 67 | Pat Studstill, 1966 |
| 66 | Terry Barr, 1963 |
| 66 | Bob Mann, 1949 |
| 57 | Terry Barr, 1964 |
| 54 | Ron Jessie, 1974 |
| 54 | Tom Nowatzke, 1966 |

MOST YARDS GAINED:

| | |
|------|---------------------|
| 1266 | Pat Studstill, 1966 |
| 1086 | Terry Barr, 1963 |
| 1030 | Terry Barr, 1964 |
| 1014 | Bob Mann, 1949 |
| 1009 | Cloyce Box, 1950 |

INTERCEPTIONS**MOST PASSES INTERCEPTED:**

| | |
|----|-------------------------|
| 12 | Jack Christiansen, 1953 |
| 12 | Don Doll, 1950 |
| 11 | Don Doll, 1949 |
| 10 | Jack Christiansen, 1957 |
| 10 | LEM BARNEY, 1967 |

MOST YARDS GAINED:

| | |
|-----|-------------------------|
| 301 | Don Doll, 1949 |
| 238 | Jack Christiansen, 1953 |
| 232 | LEM BARNEY, 1967 |
| 218 | Bob Smith, 1949 |
| 208 | DICK JAURON, 1973 |

SCORING**MOST POINTS:**

| | |
|-----|------------------------|
| 128 | Doak Walker, 1950 |
| 106 | Doak Walker, 1954 |
| 103 | Errol Mann, 1971 |
| 101 | Errol Mann, 1969, 1970 |
| 99 | Bobby Layne, 1956 |

MOST TOUCHDOWNS (Total):

| | |
|----|-------------------|
| 15 | Cloyce Box, 1952 |
| 13 | Terry Barr, 1963 |
| 12 | Leon Hart, 1951 |
| 11 | Cloyce Box, 1950 |
| 11 | Mel Farr, 1970 |
| 11 | Bill Dudley, 1947 |
| 11 | Doak Walker, 1950 |

MOST TOUCHDOWNS (Rushing):

| | |
|---|--------------------------|
| 9 | GREG LANDRY, 1972 |
| 9 | Mel Farr, 1970 |
| 8 | Nick Pietrosante, 1960 |
| 8 | Steve Owens, 1971 |
| 7 | Bob Hoernschemeyer, 1953 |
| 7 | Gene Gedman, 1956 |

MOST TOUCHDOWNS (Receiving):

| | |
|----|--------------------|
| 15 | Cloyce Box, 1952 |
| 13 | Terry Barr, 1963 |
| 12 | Leon Hart, 1951 |
| 11 | Cloyce Box, 1950 |
| 10 | Gail Cogdill, 1963 |

MOST TOUCHDOWNS (Returning):

| | |
|---|-------------------------|
| 4 | Jack Christiansen, 1951 |
| 3 | LEM BARNEY, 1967 |

MOST EXTRA POINTS:

| | |
|----|-------------------------|
| 43 | Doak Walker, 1951, 1954 |
| 41 | Errol Mann, 1970 |
| 38 | Errol Mann, 1972 |
| 38 | Doak Walker, 1950 |
| 37 | Wayne Walker, 1962 |
| 37 | Errol Mann, 1971 |

MOST FIELD GOALS:

| | |
|----|------------------------|
| 25 | Errol Mann, 1969 |
| 23 | Errol Mann, 1974 |
| 22 | Errol Mann, 1971 |
| 20 | Errol Mann, 1970, 1972 |
| 15 | Jim Martin, 1961 |
| 14 | Wayne Walker, 1964 |

PUNTING**MOST PUNTS:**

| | |
|----|-----------------------|
| 83 | Herman Weaver, 1976 |
| 80 | Herman Weaver, 1975 |
| 78 | Pat Studstill, 1965 |
| 72 | Herman Weaver, 1974 |
| 72 | Pat Studstill, 1966 |
| 71 | Jerry DePoyster, 1968 |
| 67 | Yale Lary, 1964 |

BEST AVERAGE:

| | |
|------|-----------------|
| 48.9 | Yale Lary, 1963 |
| 48.4 | Yale Lary, 1961 |
| 47.1 | Yale Lary, 1959 |

PUNT RETURNS**MOST RETURNS:**

| | |
|----|---------------------|
| 32 | Tom Watkins, 1963 |
| 29 | Pat Studstill, 1962 |
| 27 | Yale Lary, 1958 |
| 27 | LEM BARNEY, 1973 |

MOST YARDS RETURNED:

| | |
|-----|-------------------------|
| 457 | Pat Studstill, 1962 |
| 399 | Tom Watkins, 1963 |
| 343 | Jack Christiansen, 1951 |

KICKOFF RETURNS**MOST RETURNS:**

| | |
|----|----------------------|
| 38 | Jimmie Jones, 1974 |
| 29 | Pat Studstill, 1964 |
| 26 | Mickey Zofko, 1972 |
| 25 | LEM BARNEY, 1968 |
| 25 | Bobby Williams, 1970 |

MOST YARDS RETURNED:

| | |
|-----|---------------------|
| 927 | Jimmie Jones, 1974 |
| 708 | Pat Studstill, 1964 |
| 670 | LEM BARNEY, 1968 |
| 616 | Mickey Zofko, 1972 |
| 595 | Tom Vaughn, 1966 |

GAME**RUSHING****MOST ATTEMPTS:**

| | |
|----|---|
| 32 | HORACE KING, Oct. 10, 1976 vs. New England |
| 29 | Mel Farr, Oct. 20, 1968 vs. Green Bay |
| 27 | DEXTER BUSSEY, Nov. 25, 1976 vs. Buffalo |
| 27 | Steve Owens, Dec. 15, 1973 at Miami |
| 27 | Nick Pietrosante, Dec. 6, 1964 at Baltimore |
| 25 | Altie Taylor, Dec. 21, 1969 at Chicago |
| 25 | Amos Marsh, Dec. 5, 1965 at San Francisco |
| 25 | Frank Sinkwich, Oct. 22, 1944 vs. Chicago Bears |

MOST YARDS GAINED:

| | |
|-----|--|
| 198 | Bob Hoernschemeyer, Nov. 23, 1950 vs. New York Yanks |
| 197 | Mel Farr, Nov. 12, 1967 at Minnesota |
| 194 | Dutch Clark, Oct. 28, 1934 vs. Cincinnati |
| 160 | Altie Taylor, Oct. 28, 1973 vs. Green Bay |
| 153 | Ernie Caddel, Nov. 15, 1936 vs. New York |

PASSING

MOST ATTEMPTS:

- 49 Harry Gilmer, Dec. 11, 1955 vs. New York
- 46 Karl Sweetan, Dec. 4, 1966 at Los Angeles
- 45 Karl Sweetan, Oct. 30, 1966 vs. Green Bay
- 45 Jim Ninowski, Oct. 30, 1960 at Los Angeles
- 45 Bobby Layne, Nov. 5, 1950 vs. Chicago Bears
- 45 Bobby Layne, Oct. 9, 1955 vs. Los Angeles
- 45 Bobby Layne, Oct. 30, 1955 vs. San Francisco

MOST COMPLETIONS:

- 27 GREG LANDRY, Nov. 14, 1976 at New Orleans
- 26 Bill Munson, Nov. 10, 1968 vs. Baltimore
- 26 Bobby Layne, Oct. 9, 1955 vs. Los Angeles
- 24 Karl Sweetan, Nov. 13, 1966 at Minnesota
- 24 Earl Morrall, Nov. 3, 1963 vs. San Francisco
- 24 Harry Gilmer, Dec. 11, 1955 vs. New York
- 23 Karl Sweetan, Dec. 4, 1966 at Los Angeles
- 23 Bobby Layne, Nov. 5, 1950 vs. Chicago Bears

MOST YARDS GAINED:

- 374 Bobby Layne, Nov. 5, 1950 vs. Chicago Bears
- 364 Bobby Layne, Sept. 27, 1953 vs. Pittsburgh
- 347 Mill Plum, Nov. 1, 1964 vs. Los Angeles
- 341 Bobby Layne, Dec. 4, 1950 vs. Baltimore
- 330 Earl Morrall, Nov. 3, 1963 vs. San Francisco

MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES:

- 4 Bobby Layne (3); Nov. 11, 1951 vs. Chicago Bears
Nov. 22, 1951 vs. Green Bay; Dec. 7, 1952 vs. Chicago Bears
- 4 GREG LANDRY, Oct. 10, 1971 vs. Green Bay
- 4 Earl Morrall, Nov. 3, 1963 vs. San Francisco
- 4 Mill Plum, Sept. 23, 1962 vs. San Francisco
- 4 Tobin Rote, Nov. 3, 1957 vs. San Francisco
- 4 Frank Sinkwich, Nov. 19, 1944 vs. Chicago Bears

MOST PASSES HAD INTERCEPTED:

- 7 Frank Sinkwich, Oct. 24, 1943 vs. Green Bay
- 6 Bobby Layne, Dec. 26, 1954 at Cleveland (title game)
- 5 Jim Ninowski, Oct. 30, 1960 at Los Angeles

RECEIVING

MOST PASSES RECEIVED:

- 12 Cloyce Box, Dec. 3, 1950 at Baltimore
- 11 Mel Farr, Oct. 7, 1973 vs. Minnesota
- 10 Ron Jessie, Oct. 20, 1974 at Minnesota
- 10 Mel Farr, Sept. 21, 1969 at Pittsburgh
- 10 CHARLIE SANDERS, Dec. 15, 1968 at Washington
- 10 Terry Barr, Nov. 3, 1963 at San Francisco
- 10 Lew Carpenter, Dec. 11, 1955 vs. New York
- 10 Bill Swiacki, Sept. 30, 1951 vs. Washington

MOST YARDS GAINED:

- 302 Cloyce Box, Dec. 3, 1950 at Baltimore
- 202 Cloyce Box, Dec. 13, 1952 vs. Dallas
- 182 Bob Mann, Dec. 11, 1949 vs. Green Bay
- 172 Cloyce Box, Dec. 7, 1952 vs. Chicago Bears
- 165 Terry Barr (2), Nov. 22, 1964 vs. Minnesota and Sept. 30, 1962 at Baltimore
- 165 Gail Cogdill, Nov. 1, 1964 vs. Los Angeles

INTERCEPTIONS

MOST PASSES INTERCEPTED:

- 4 Don Doll, Oct. 23, 1949 at Chicago Cardinals
- 3 by 10 players: Doll 2 times, Lary 2, BARNEY 2, Lucci 2, David, Lowe, Schmid, Christiansen, Weger and JAURON

LONGEST RETURN:

- 102 Bob Smith, Nov. 24, 1949 vs. Chicago Bears
- 100 Vern Huffman, Oct. 17, 1937 vs. Brooklyn
- 95 DICK JAURON, Nov. 18, 1973 at Chicago
- 95 Don Doll, Oct. 8, 1949 at Pittsburgh
- 92 Jack Christiansen, Nov. 1, 1953 at Los Angeles
- 90 Bob Smith, Nov. 9, 1952 at Pittsburgh

SCORING

MOST POINTS:

- 24 Cloyce Box, Dec. 3, 1950 at Baltimore
- 21 Doak Walker, Sept. 26, 1954 vs. Chicago Bears
- 21 Doak Walker, Dec. 3, 1950 at Baltimore
- 21 Dutch Clark, Oct. 22, 1934 vs. Brooklyn
- 20 Garo Yepremian, Nov. 13, 1966 at Minnesota
- 19 Pat Harder, Dec. 21, 1952 vs. Los Angeles (playoff game)
- 19 Doak Walker, Oct. 8, 1951 vs. New York Yanks

MOST TOUCHDOWNS (Total):

- 4 Cloyce Box, Dec. 3, 1950 at Baltimore (all rec.)

MOST TOUCHDOWNS (Rushing):

- 3 GREG LANDRY, Oct. 1, 1972 at Chicago
- 3 Jim Ninowski, Oct. 30, 1960 at Los Angeles
- 3 Ernie Caddell, Sept. 20, 1935 vs. Philadelphia
- 3 Ernie Caddell, Nov. 4, 1934 vs. Pittsburgh
- 3 Dutch Clark, Oct. 22, 1934 vs. Brooklyn

MOST TOUCHDOWNS (Receiving):

- 4 Cloyce Box, Dec. 3, 1950 at Baltimore (from Layne 3, Enke 1)
- 3 Billy Gambrell, Dec. 8, 1968 at Atlanta (from Munson)
- 3 Terry Barr, Nov. 3, 1963 at San Francisco (from Morrall)
- 3 Howard Cassady, Oct. 11, 1959 vs. Baltimore (from Role)
- 3 Jim Doran, Nov. 3, 1957 at San Francisco (from Role)
- 3 Cloyce Box (3 times in 1952)

MOST TOUCHDOWNS (Returning):

- 2 Jack Christiansen (twice), Oct. 14, 1951 vs. Los Angeles, Nov. 22, 1951 vs. Green Bay (all punt returns)

MOST EXTRA POINTS:

- 8 Jim Martin, Dec. 29, 1957 vs. Cleveland (title game)
- 7 Doak Walker, Nov. 23, 1950 vs. New York Yanks
- 7 Doak Walker, Nov. 22, 1951 vs. Green Bay

MOST FIELD GOALS:

- 6 Garo Yepremian, Nov. 13, 1966 at Minnesota
- 4 Errol Mann, 4 times Nov. 2, 1969 at San Francisco, Dec. 14, 1969 vs. Los Angeles; Sept. 20, 1970 at Green Bay; Sept. 29, 1974 vs. Green Bay
- 4 Wayne Walker Sept. 13, 1964 at San Francisco
- 3 Errol Mann, 9 times
- 3 Wayne Walker, twice
- 3 Jim Martin, 6 times
- 3 BENNY RICARDO, once

PUNTING

MOST PUNTS:

- 10 LEM BARNEY, Nov. 27, 1969 vs. Minnesota
- 10 Jerry DePoyster, Nov. 3, 1968 at Los Angeles
- 10 George Grimes, Oct. 17, 1948 at Chicago (Bears)

PUNT RETURNS

MOST RETURNS:

- 6 LEM BARNEY, Oct. 27, 1968 vs. San Francisco
- 6 Yale Lary, Nov. 8, 1959 at Pittsburgh by 7 players 18 times (Lary 5, Watkins 4, Triplett 2, BARNEY 4, Christiansen 1, WALTON 1, and WEST 1)

MOST YARDS RETURNED:

- 184 Tom Watkins Oct. 6, 1963
- 175 Jack Christiansen, Nov. 22, 1951
- 119 Jack Christiansen, Oct. 14, 1951
- 113 Pat Studstill, Nov. 4, 1962
- 103 DICK JAURON, Nov. 24, 1974 vs. Chicago
- 101 Wally Triplett, Dec. 4, 1949

KICKOFF RETURNS

MOST RETURNS:

- 7 Joe Watt, Nov. 7, 1948 at Chicago (Cardinals)
- 6 LEM BARNEY, Dec. 5, 1971 vs. Philadelphia
- 5 by 5 players (Christiansen, Cassady, Steffan, Studstill, and Jones)

MOST YARDS RETURNED:

- 294 Wally Triplett, Oct. 29, 1950
- 177 Tom Watkins, Nov. 7, 1965
- 170 LEM BARNEY, Dec. 5, 1971 vs. Philadelphia
- 155 Bobby Williams, Nov. 15, 1970
- 138 Earl Girard, Nov. 1, 1953

LIONS' LONGEST

*League Record

RUSHING PLAY:

- 96 yards — Bob Hoernschmeyer, Nov. 23, 1950 vs. New York Yanks (TD)
- 85 yards — Bob Hoernschmeyer, Nov. 22, 1951 vs. Green Bay (TD)
- 80 yards — Wally Triplett, Oct. 30, 1949 at Green Bay (TD)
- 78 yards — Elmer Hackney, Nov. 8, 1942 vs. Pittsburgh
- 76 yards — GREG LANDRY, Sept. 20, 1970 at Green Bay
- 46 yards — DEXTER BUSSEY, Oct. 10, 1976 vs. New England

PASSING PLAY:

- 99 yards* — Karl Sweetan to Pat Studstill, Oct. 16, 1966 at Baltimore (TD)
- 97 yards — Bobby Layne to Cloyce Box, Nov. 26, 1953 vs. Green Bay (TD)
- 92 yards — Mill Plurn to Dan Lewis, Nov. 15, 1964 at Cleveland (TD)
- 88 yards — Dave Ryan to John Greene, Nov. 10, 1946 vs. Pittsburgh (TD)
- 86 yards — Bill Munson to Mel Farr, Sept. 22, 1968 vs. Chicago (TD)
- 74 yards — GREG LANDRY to RAY JARVIS, Oct. 31, 1976, vs. Green Bay (TD)

KICKOFF RETURN:

- 104 yards — Terry Barr (92) and Gene Gedman (12), Oct. 26, 1958 at Los Angeles (TD)
- 102 yards — Ron Jessie, Oct. 24, 1971 vs. Chicago (TD)
- 101 yards — Bill Jefferson, Nov. 23, 1941 vs. Chicago Bears (TD)
- 100 yards — Pat Studstill, Oct. 8, 1961 vs. Chicago Bears (TD)
- 100 yards — Bill Bowman, Sept. 26, 1954 vs. Chicago Bears (TD)
- 98 yards — Ned Mathews, Nov. 21, 1943 vs. Phila.-Pittsburgh (TD)
- 98 yards — LEM BARNEY, Nov. 3, 1968 at Los Angeles (TD)
- 84 yards — JAMES HUNTER, Dec. 11, 1976 vs. Los Angeles

PUNT RETURN:

- 90 yards — Tommy Watkins, Oct. 6, 1963 vs. San Francisco (TD)

- 89 yards — Jack Christiansen, Nov. 22, 1951 vs. Green Bay (TD)
- 84 yards — Bill Dudley, Oct. 19, 1947 at Chicago Bears (TD)
- 30 yards — LEM BARNEY, Nov. 25, 1976 vs. Buffalo

INTERCEPTION RETURN:

- 102 yards* — Bob Smith, Nov. 24, 1949 vs. Chicago Bears (TD)
- 100 yards — Vern Huffman, Oct. 17, 1937 vs. Brooklyn (TD)
- 95 yards — DICK JAURON, Nov. 18, 1973 at Chicago (TD)
- 95 yards — Don Doll, Oct. 8, 1949 at Pittsburgh (TD)
- 92 yards — Jack Christiansen, Nov. 1, 1953 at Los Angeles (TD)
- 90 yards — Bob Smith, Nov. 9, 1952 at Pittsburgh
- 88 yards — Rudy Redmond, Dec. 17, 1972 at Los Angeles (TD)
- 76 yards — LEVI JOHNSON, Oct. 10, 1976, vs. New England

PUNT:

- 81 yards — Bill de Correvont, Oct. 6, 1946 at Washington
- 78 yards — Pat Studstill, Oct. 8, 1967 vs. Green Bay
- 75 yards — Bob Smith, Oct. 8, 1951 vs. New York Yanks
- 74 yards — Yale Lary, Sept. 13, 1964 at San Francisco
- 69 yards — Herman Weaver, Sept. 12, 1976 at Chicago

FIELD GOAL:

- 54 yards — Glenn Presnell, Oct. 7, 1934 at Green Bay
- 52 yards — Errol Mann, Dec. 2, 1973 at St. Louis
- 52 yards — Jim Martin, Oct. 23, 1960 vs. Baltimore
- 51 yards — Errol Mann (2), Oct. 18, 1970 at Cleveland; Oct. 16, 1972 vs. Green Bay
- 51 yards — Jim Martin, Oct. 23, 1960 vs. Baltimore
- 50 yards — Errol Mann (3), Oct. 26, 1969 at Minnesota; Sept. 27, 1970 vs. Cincinnati; and Dec. 20, 1970 vs. Green Bay

LIONS BEST INDIVIDUAL GAME RUSHING EFFORTS

(100 Yards or More — Done by 22 Players 45 Times)

| Year | Player | Yards | Carries | Long Gain | Opponent | Date |
|-----------|--------------------|-------|---------|-----------|-----------------|----------|
| 1976 | Horace King | 100 | 32 | 13 | New England | Oct. 10 |
| | Lawrence Gaines | 116 | 22 | 17 | Minnesota | Nov. 7 |
| | Dexter Bussey | 137 | 27 | 23 | Buffalo | Nov. 25 |
| 1974-1975 | (none) | | | | | |
| 1973 | Altie Taylor | 160 | 23 | 29 | Green Bay | Oct. 28 |
| | Taylor | 105 | 18 | 34 | Chicago | Nov. 18 |
| | Steve Owens | 113 | 27 | 10 | Miami | Dec. 15 |
| 1972 | Steve Owens | 113 | 20 | 18 | New York Giants | Sept. 17 |
| | Altie Taylor | 123 | 15 | 38TD | New York Jets | Nov. 23 |
| 1971 | Steve Owens | 109 | 16 | 16 | Denver | Nov. 7 |
| | Altie Taylor | 101 | 19 | 17 | Los Angeles | Nov. 14 |
| 1970 | Mel Farr | 117 | 16 | 16 | San Francisco | Nov. 22 |
| | Farr | 104 | 20 | 18 | Oakland | Nov. 26 |
| 1969 | (none) | | | | | |
| 1968 | Mel Farr | 138 | 18 | 46 | Chicago | Oct. 13 |
| | Farr | 145 | 29* | 26 | Green Bay | Oct. 20 |
| 1967 | Tom Watkins | 115 | 24 | 28 | Cleveland | Sep. 24 |
| | Mel Farr | 197 | 24 | 57 | Minnesota | Nov. 12 |
| 1966 | (none) | | | | | |
| 1965 | Amos Marsh | 146 | 23 | 62TD | Baltimore | Nov. 25 |
| | Marsh | 109 | 25 | 20TD | San Francisco | Dec. 5 |
| 1964 | (none) | | | | | |
| 1963 | Tom Watkins | 102 | 17 | 27 | Minnesota | Oct. 27 |
| | Watkins | 107 | 21 | 25 | San Francisco | Nov. 3 |
| 1962 | (none) | | | | | |
| 1961 | Nick Pietrosante | 113 | 12 | 42 | Chicago | Oct. 8 |
| | Nick Pietrosante | 112 | 21 | 15 | Los Angeles | Oct. 29 |
| 1960 | Nick Pietrosante | 106 | 20 | 52 | Chicago | Nov. 20 |
| | Nick Pietrosante | 142 | 21 | 43TD | Dallas | Dec. 11 |
| | Nick Pietrosante | 104 | 15 | 31TD | Chicago | Dec. 18 |
| 1959 | Nick Pietrosante | 134 | 17 | 25 | Green Bay | Nov. 26 |
| 1958 | (none) | | | | | |
| 1957 | John Henry Johnson | 109 | 18 | 14 | Green Bay | Oct. 6 |
| | John Henry Johnson | 105 | 8 | 62TD | Green Bay | Nov. 28 |
| 1956 | Don McIlhenny | 104 | 13 | 30 | San Francisco | Oct. 21 |
| | Gene Gedman | 103 | 22 | 21 | Green Bay | Nov. 22 |
| 1955 | Lew Carpenter | 120 | 20 | 49TD | Green Bay | Nov. 24 |
| 1954 | Lew Carpenter | 119 | 14 | 60TD | Los Angeles | Oct. 10 |
| 1953 | (none) | | | | | |
| 1952 | Bob Hoernschemeyer | 107 | 20 | 32 | Pittsburgh | Nov. 9 |
| 1951 | Bob Hoernschemeyer | 118 | 14 | 54 | Philadelphia | Nov. 18 |
| 1950 | Bobby Layne | 118 | 15 | 30 | Pittsburgh | Sep. 24 |
| | Bob Hoernschemeyer | 198* | 17 | 96TD* | New York Yanks | Nov. 23 |
| 1949 | Wally Triplett | 109 | 9 | 80TD | Green Bay | Oct. 30 |
| 1948 | Camp Wilson | 125 | 19 | 38 | Chicago Cards | Nov. 25 |
| 1945-1947 | (none) | | | | | |
| 1944 | Frank Sinkwich | 135 | 16 | 72TD | Brooklyn | Oct. 8 |
| 1939-1943 | (none) | | | | | |
| 1938 | Bill Shepherd | 152 | — | — | Chicago Bears | Oct. 30 |
| 1937 | (none) | | | | | |
| 1936 | Ace Gutowsky | 137 | — | — | New York Giants | Nov. 1 |
| | Ernie Caddel | 153 | — | — | New York Giants | Nov. 15 |
| 1935 | (none) | | | | | |
| 1934 | Dutch Clark | 194 | — | — | Cincinnati | Oct. 28 |
| | Dutch Clark | 110 | — | — | Pittsburgh | Nov. 4 |
| | Ernie Caddel | 132 | — | — | Pittsburgh | Nov. 4 |

LIONS TEAM RECORDS (1934-1976)

SEASON

RUSHING

MOST ATTEMPTS:

| | |
|-----|------------|
| 532 | 1971, 1975 |
| 516 | 1976 |
| 514 | 1970 |
| 507 | 1956 |
| 496 | 1973 |
| 489 | 1962 |
| 474 | 1969 |
| 473 | 1972 |
| 473 | 1967 |
| 453 | 1965 |

MOST YARDS GAINED:

| | |
|------|------|
| 2885 | 1936 |
| 2763 | 1934 |
| 2376 | 1971 |
| 2213 | 1976 |
| 2147 | 1975 |
| 2133 | 1973 |
| 2127 | 1970 |
| 2074 | 1937 |
| 2021 | 1972 |
| 2011 | 1956 |

LEAST YARDS ALLOWED:

| | |
|------|------|
| 3084 | 1969 |
| 3217 | 1962 |
| 3245 | 1952 |
| 3365 | 1957 |
| 3397 | 1960 |

PASSING

MOST ATTEMPTS:

| | |
|-----|------|
| 456 | 1966 |
| 406 | 1963 |
| 403 | 1950 |
| 400 | 1955 |
| 398 | 1949 |

MOST COMPLETIONS:

| | |
|-----|------|
| 239 | 1966 |
| 216 | 1974 |
| 215 | 1954 |
| 211 | 1962 |
| 206 | 1964 |
| 205 | 1955 |

MOST YARDS GAINED:

| | |
|------|------|
| 2825 | 1954 |
| 2772 | 1950 |
| 2723 | 1963 |
| 2581 | 1962 |
| 2558 | 1964 |

PENALTIES

MOST TIMES PENALIZED:

| | |
|----|------|
| 97 | 1976 |
| 95 | 1975 |
| 86 | 1974 |
| 86 | 1950 |
| 82 | 1966 |
| 82 | 1946 |
| 80 | 1951 |

MOST YARDS PENALIZED:

| | |
|-----|------|
| 931 | 1966 |
| 838 | 1975 |
| 819 | 1976 |
| 810 | 1968 |
| 804 | 1950 |
| 799 | 1952 |
| 767 | 1965 |

INTERCEPTIONS

MOST PASSES INTERCEPTED:

| | |
|----|------|
| 38 | 1953 |
| 33 | 1952 |
| 32 | 1949 |
| 31 | 1950 |
| 30 | 1954 |

MOST YARDS GAINED:

| | |
|-----|------|
| 663 | 1953 |
| 656 | 1949 |
| 522 | 1973 |
| 477 | 1952 |
| 470 | 1963 |
| 462 | 1950 |

SCORING

MOST POINTS:

| | |
|-----|------|
| 347 | 1970 |
| 344 | 1952 |
| 341 | 1971 |
| 339 | 1972 |
| 337 | 1954 |
| 336 | 1951 |
| 326 | 1963 |
| 321 | 1950 |

MOST TOUCHDOWNS:

| | |
|----|------|
| 44 | 1951 |
| 43 | 1954 |
| 43 | 1952 |
| 43 | 1950 |
| 42 | 1963 |
| 41 | 1970 |
| 40 | 1972 |

LEAST POINTS ALLOWED:

| | |
|-----|------|
| 177 | 1962 |
| 188 | 1969 |
| 188 | 1956 |
| 189 | 1954 |
| 192 | 1952 |

TOTAL OFFENSE

MOST YARDS GAINED:

| | |
|------|------|
| 4577 | 1971 |
| 4503 | 1962 |
| 4433 | 1954 |
| 4412 | 1961 |
| 4398 | 1950 |
| 4353 | 1976 |

LIONS TEAM RECORDS

MOST OFFENSIVE PLAYS:

| | |
|-----|------|
| 939 | 1976 |
| 935 | 1975 |
| 885 | 1966 |
| 862 | 1971 |
| 855 | 1968 |
| 854 | 1963 |
| 853 | 1965 |

FIRST DOWNS:

| | |
|-----|------|
| 269 | 1971 |
| 259 | 1976 |
| 247 | 1956 |
| 243 | 1970 |
| 243 | 1962 |
| 241 | 1975 |
| 240 | 1972 |

GAME

RUSHING

MOST ATTEMPTS:

| | |
|----|----------------------------------|
| 59 | Nov. 9, 1952 at Pittsburgh |
| 57 | Oct. 3, 1971 vs. Atlanta |
| 56 | Oct. 28, 1973 vs. Green Bay |
| 56 | Oct. 6, 1957 at Green Bay |
| 53 | Sept. 24, 1950 vs. Pittsburgh |

MOST YARDS GAINED:

| | |
|-----|---------------------------------|
| 426 | Nov. 4, 1934 vs. Pittsburgh |
| 377 | Nov. 23, 1950 vs. N.Y. Yanks |
| 321 | Nov. 9, 1952 at Pittsburgh |
| 277 | Nov. 12, 1967 at Minnesota |
| 266 | Sept. 20, 1970 at Green Bay |

SCORING

MOST POINTS:

| | |
|----|-------------------------------------|
| 52 | Oct. 26, 1952 at Green Bay |
| 52 | Nov. 22, 1951 vs. Green Bay |
| 49 | Nov. 23, 1950 vs. N.Y. Yanks |
| 48 | Nov. 14, 1954 vs. San Francisco |
| 48 | Sept. 26, 1954 vs. Chicago Bears |
| 48 | Nov. 27, 1952 vs. Green Bay |

MOST TOUCHDOWNS

| | |
|---|---------------------------------------|
| 7 | 3 times; see above (first 3 games) |
| 6 | 3 times; see above (last 3 games) |

INTERCEPTIONS

MOST PASSES INTERCEPTED:

| | |
|---|---|
| 8 | Sept. 22, 1968 vs. Chicago at Los Angeles |
| 7 | Sept. 17, 1950 at Green Bay |
| 6 | 6 times—most recent: Nov. 4, 1973 vs. San Francisco |

MOST YARDS GAINED:

| | |
|-----|--|
| 192 | Nov. 18, 1973 at Chicago (5 int.) |
| 142 | Nov. 4, 1973 vs. San Francisco |
| 140 | Oct. 18, 1970 at Cleveland (5 int.) |
| 130 | Oct. 26, 1958 at Los Angeles |
| 128 | Oct. 23, 1949 at Chicago Cards |

TOTAL OFFENSE

MOST YARDS GAINED:

| | |
|-----|------------------------------------|
| 582 | Nov. 23, 1950 vs. N.Y. Yanks |
| 538 | Dec. 4, 1950 at Baltimore |
| 517 | Dec. 13, 1952 vs. Dallas |
| 515 | Nov. 17, 1957 vs. San Francisco |
| 509 | Nov. 3, 1963 at San Francisco |

MOST OFFENSIVE PLAYS:

| | |
|----|---|
| 91 | Nov. 22, 1953 at Chicago (47 rush, 44 pass) |
| 83 | Nov. 2, 1952 vs. Cleveland (38 rush, 45 pass) |
| 83 | Oct. 9, 1948, vs. Boston (38 rush, 45 pass) |
| 82 | Oct. 12, 1956 vs. Los Angeles (50 rush, 32 pass) |
| 82 | Nov. 20, 1949 at New York Giants (43 rush, 39 pass) |
| 80 | Nov. 14, 1976 at New Orleans (39 rush, 41 pass) |

LIONS YEAR-BY-YEAR RECORD

| YEAR | GP | WON | LOST | TIED | PF | PA | POSITION | HEAD COACH |
|--------|-----|-----|------|------|--------|-------|--|------------------------|
| 1934● | 13 | 10 | 3 | 0 | 238 | 59 | 2nd | Potsy Clark |
| 1935● | 12 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 191 | 111 | 1st | Potsy Clark |
| 1936● | 12 | 8 | 4 | 0 | 235 | 102 | 3rd | Potsy Clark |
| 1937● | 11 | 7 | 4 | 0 | 180 | 105 | 2nd (tied) | Dutch Clark |
| 1938 | 11 | 7 | 4 | 0 | 119 | 108 | 2nd | Dutch Clark |
| 1939 | 11 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 145 | 150 | 3rd | Gus Henderson |
| 1940● | 11 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 138 | 153 | 3rd | Potsy Clark |
| 1941 | 11 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 121 | 195 | 3rd | Bill Edwards |
| 1942 | 11 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 38 | 263 | 5th | Edwards-John Karcis |
| 1943 | 10 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 178 | 218 | 3rd | Gus Dorais |
| 1944 | 10 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 216 | 151 | 2nd (tied) | Gus Dorais |
| 1945 | 10 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 195 | 194 | 2nd | Gus Dorais |
| 1946 | 11 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 142 | 310 | 5th | Gus Dorais |
| 1947 | 12 | 3 | 9 | 0 | 231 | 305 | 5th | Gus Dorais |
| 1948 | 12 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 200 | 407 | 5th | Bo McMillin |
| 1949 | 12 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 237 | 259 | 4th | Bo McMillin |
| 1950 | 12 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 321 | 285 | 4th | Bo McMillin |
| 1951 | 12 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 336 | 259 | 2nd | Buddy Parker |
| 1952 | 12 | 9 | 3 | 0 | 344 | 192 | 1st | Buddy Parker |
| 1953 | 12 | 10 | 2* | 0 | 271 | 205 | 1st | Buddy Parker |
| 1954 | 12 | 9 | 2* | 1 | 337 | 189 | 1st | Buddy Parker |
| 1955 | 12 | 3 | 9 | 0 | 230 | 275 | 6th | Buddy Parker |
| 1956 | 12 | 9 | 3 | 0 | 300 | 188 | 2nd | Buddy Parker |
| 1957 | 12 | 8 | 4 | 0 | 251 | 231 | 1st | George Wilson |
| 1958 | 12 | 4 | 7 | 1 | 261 | 276 | 5th | George Wilson |
| 1959 | 12 | 3 | 8 | 1 | 203 | 275 | 5th | George Wilson |
| 1960 | 12 | 7 | 5 | 0 | 239 | 212 | 2nd | George Wilson |
| 1961 | 14 | 8 | 5 | 1 | 270 | 258 | 2nd (tied) | George Wilson |
| 1962 | 14 | 11* | 3 | 0 | 315 | 177* | 2nd | George Wilson |
| 1963 | 14 | 5 | 8 | 1 | 326 | 265 | 4th (tied) | George Wilson |
| 1964 | 14 | 7 | 5 | 2 | 280 | 260 | 4th | George Wilson |
| 1965 | 14 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 257 | 295 | 6th | Harry Gilmer |
| 1966 | 14 | 4 | 9 | 1 | 206 | 317 | 6th (tied) | Harry Gilmer |
| 1967 | 14 | 5 | 7 | 2 | 260 | 259 | 3rd | Joe Schmidt |
| 1968 | 14 | 4 | 8 | 2 | 207 | 241 | 4th | Joe Schmidt |
| 1969 | 14 | 9 | 4 | 1 | 259 | 188 | 2nd | Joe Schmidt |
| 1970 | 14 | 10 | 4 | 0 | 347* | 202 | 2nd | Joe Schmidt |
| 1971 | 14 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 341 | 286 | 2nd | Joe Schmidt |
| 1972 | 14 | 8 | 5 | 1 | 339 | 290 | 2nd | Joe Schmidt |
| 1973 | 14 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 271 | 247 | 2nd | Don McCafferty |
| 1974 | 14 | 7 | 7 | 0 | 256 | 270 | 2nd | Rick Forzano |
| 1975 | 14 | 7 | 7 | 0 | 245 | 262 | 2nd | Rick Forzano |
| 1976 | 14 | 6 | 8 | 0 | 262 | 220 | 3rd | Forzano-Tammy Hudspeth |
| Totals | 536 | 265 | 247 | 24 | 10,338 | 9,714 | 1st-5 2nd-17 3rd-7 4th-5 5th- 6 6th-3 | |

● home games played at UD Stadium

LIONS GAME-BY-GAME RECORD

*Home Game

1934 (10-3-0)

George "Potsy" Clark, Coach

| Date | Opponent | Crowd | W-L-T | Score |
|-------|----------------|---------|-------|-------|
| 9-23 | New York | 12,000* | W | 9- 0 |
| 9-30 | Cardinals | 18,000 | W | 6- 0 |
| 10- 7 | Green Bay | 7,500 | W | 3- 0 |
| 10-14 | Philadelphia | 9,860 | W | 10- 0 |
| 10-17 | Boston | 12,000* | W | 24- 0 |
| 10-21 | Brooklyn | 11,000* | W | 28- 0 |
| 10-28 | Cin.-St. Louis | 4,800 | W | 38- 0 |
| 11- 4 | Pittsburgh | 6,000* | W | 40- 7 |
| 11-11 | Cardinals | 11,000* | W | 17-13 |
| 11-18 | Cin.-St. Louis | 15,000* | W | 40- 7 |
| 11-25 | Green Bay | 12,000* | L | 0- 3 |
| 11-29 | Chicago | 26,000* | L | 16-19 |
| 12- 2 | Chicago | 34,412 | L | 7-10 |

1938 (7-4-0)

| Date | Opponent | Crowd | W-L-T | Score |
|-------|--------------|---------|-------|-------|
| 9- 9 | Pittsburgh | 17,000* | W | 16- 7 |
| 10- 2 | Cleveland | 8,012 | L | 17-21 |
| 10- 9 | Green Bay | 21,968 | W | 17- 7 |
| 10-16 | Washington | 42,855* | L | 5- 7 |
| 10-23 | Cardinals | 17,917* | W | 10- 0 |
| 10-30 | Chicago | 24,356 | W | 13- 7 |
| 11- 6 | Cleveland | 30,140* | W | 6- 0 |
| 11-13 | Green Bay | 45,139* | L | 7-28 |
| 11-20 | Cardinals | 8,279 | W | 7- 3 |
| 11-24 | Chicago | 26,200* | W | 14- 7 |
| 12- 4 | Philadelphia | 19,000* | L | 7-21 |

1939 (6-5-0)

Gus Henderson, Coach

| Date | Opponent | Crowd | W-L-T | Score |
|-------|--------------|---------|-------|-------|
| 9-20 | Philadelphia | 12,000* | W | 35- 0 |
| 9-29 | Cardinals | 8,200* | T | 10-10 |
| 10- 6 | Brooklyn | 12,000 | L | 10-12 |
| 10-13 | Boston | 18,737 | W | 17- 7 |
| 10-20 | Green Bay | 9,500 | L | 9-13 |
| 10-30 | Boston | 17,000* | W | 14- 0 |
| 11- 3 | Cardinals | 5,000 | W | 7- 6 |
| 11-10 | Green Bay | 1,200 | L | 7-31 |
| 11-17 | Green Bay | 12,000* | W | 20-10 |
| 11-24 | Chicago | 14,624 | T | 20-20 |
| 11-28 | Chicago | 18,000* | W | 14- 2 |
| 12- 1 | Brooklyn | 15,000* | W | 28- 0 |
| 9-10 | Cardinals | 15,075* | W | 21-13 |
| 9-24 | Brooklyn | 15,515* | W | 27- 7 |
| 10- 1 | Cardinals | 11,000 | W | 17- 3 |
| 10-15 | Cleveland | 30,096* | W | 15- 7 |
| 10-22 | Green Bay | 22,558 | L | 7-26 |
| 10-29 | Chicago | 30,903 | W | 10- 0 |
| 11- 5 | New York | 47,492* | W | 18-14 |
| 11-12 | Chicago | 42,684* | L | 13-23 |
| 11-19 | Cleveland | 28,142 | L | 3-14 |
| 11-26 | Washington | 36,183 | L | 7-31 |
| 12- 3 | Green Bay | 30,699* | L | 7-12 |

1936 (8-4-0)

| Date | Opponent | Crowd | W-L-T | Score |
|-------|--------------|---------|-------|-------|
| 9-27 | Cardinals | 15,000* | W | 39- 0 |
| 10-11 | Philadelphia | 15,000 | W | 23- 0 |
| 10-14 | Brooklyn | 8,000 | W | 14- 7 |
| 10-18 | Green Bay | 13,500 | L | 18-20 |
| 10-25 | Chicago | 27,424 | L | 10-12 |
| 11- 1 | New York | 25,000 | L | 7-14 |
| 11- 8 | Pittsburgh | 20,000* | W | 28- 3 |
| 11-15 | New York | 20,000* | W | 38- 0 |
| 11-22 | Cardinals | 7,579 | W | 14- 7 |
| 11-26 | Chicago | 22,000* | W | 13- 7 |
| 11-29 | Green Bay | 22,000* | L | 17-26 |
| 12- 6 | Brooklyn | 10,000* | W | 14- 6 |

1940 (5-5-1)

George "Potsy" Clark, Coach

| Date | Opponent | Crowd | W-L-T | Score |
|-------|--------------|---------|-------|-------|
| 9-15 | Cardinals | 18,048 | T | 0- 0 |
| 9-22 | Pittsburgh | 15,310* | L | 7-10 |
| 9-29 | Cleveland | 15,347* | W | 6- 0 |
| 10- 6 | Cardinals | 20,619* | W | 43-14 |
| 10-13 | Chicago | 34,217 | L | 0- 7 |
| 10-20 | Green Bay | 21,001 | W | 23-14 |
| 10-27 | Washington | 28,909* | L | 14-20 |
| 11- 3 | Cleveland | 18,881 | L | 0-24 |
| 11-10 | Chicago | 21,735* | W | 17-14 |
| 11-17 | Philadelphia | 8,327 | W | 21- 0 |
| 11-24 | Green Bay | 26,019* | L | 7-50 |

1937 (7-4-0)

Earl "Dutch" Clark, Coach

| Date | Opponent | Crowd | W-L-T | Score |
|-------|------------|---------|-------|-------|
| 9-19 | Cardinals | 17,000* | W | 16- 7 |
| 10- 3 | Green Bay | 17,553 | L | 6-26 |
| 10-10 | Pittsburgh | 16,000* | W | 7- 3 |
| 10-17 | Brooklyn | 18,000* | W | 30- 0 |
| 10-24 | Chicago | 34,530 | L | 20-28 |
| 10-31 | Green Bay | 23,000* | L | 13-14 |
| 11- 7 | Cleveland | 24,800 | W | 28- 0 |
| 11-14 | New York | 35,000 | W | 17- 0 |
| 11-21 | Cardinals | 8,576 | W | 16- 7 |
| 11-28 | Chicago | 24,173* | L | 0-13 |
| 12- 5 | Cleveland | 15,500* | W | 27- 7 |

1941 (4-6-1)

William "Bill" Edwards, Coach

| Date | Opponent | Crowd | W-L-T | Score |
|-------|--------------|---------|-------|-------|
| 9-14 | Green Bay | 16,734 | L | 0-23 |
| 9-21 | Brooklyn | 19,269 | L | 7-14 |
| 9-27 | Cardinals | 15,458 | T | 14-14 |
| 10-14 | Cleveland | 26,481* | W | 17- 7 |
| 10-19 | Chicago | 29,980 | L | 0-49 |
| 10-26 | Green Bay | 30,269* | L | 7-24 |
| 11- 2 | Cleveland | 10,554 | W | 14- 0 |
| 11- 9 | New York | 27,875 | L | 13-20 |
| 11-16 | Philadelphia | 16,306* | W | 21-17 |
| 11-23 | Chicago | 28,657* | L | 7-24 |
| 11-30 | Cardinals | 17,501* | W | 21- 3 |

1942 (0-11-0)

| Date | Opponent | Crowd | W-L-T | Score |
|-------|-----------|---------|-------|-------|
| 9-20 | Cardinals | 14,742 | L | 0-13 |
| 9-27 | Cleveland | 14,646* | L | 0-14 |
| 10- 4 | Brooklyn | 12,598* | L | 7-28 |

John Karcis, Coach

| | | | | |
|-------|------------|---------|---|------|
| 10-11 | Green Bay | 19,500 | L | 7-38 |
| 10-18 | Cardinals | 14,100* | L | 0- 7 |
| 10-25 | Green Bay | 19,097* | L | 7-28 |
| 11- 1 | Chicago | 12,205 | L | 0-16 |
| 11- 8 | Pittsburgh | 16,675* | L | 7-35 |
| 11-15 | Cleveland | 4,029 | L | 7-27 |
| 11-22 | Chicago | 17,348* | L | 0-42 |
| 11-29 | Washington | 6,044* | L | 3-15 |

1943 (3-6-1)

Charles "Gus" Dorais, Coach

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|-------|-------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-19 | Cardinals | 23,408* | W | 35-17 |
| 9-26 | Brooklyn | 23,768* | W | 27-20 |
| 10- 3 | Chicago | 48,118* | L | 21-27 |
| 10-10 | Green Bay | 21,396 | L | 14-35 |
| 10-17 | Cardinals | 15,072 | W | 7- 0 |
| 10-24 | Green Bay | 41,463* | L | 6-27 |
| 10-31 | Chicago | 25,187 | L | 14-35 |
| 11- 7 | New York | 16,992* | T | 0- 0 |
| 11-14 | Washington | 35,540 | L | 20-42 |
| 11-21 | Phil.-Pitt. | 23,338 | L | 34-35 |

1944 (6-3-1)

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|-------|-------------|---------|---|-------|
| 10- 1 | Green Bay | 18,556 | L | 6-27 |
| 10- 8 | Brooklyn | 15,702* | W | 19-14 |
| 10-15 | Cleveland | 21,115* | L | 17-20 |
| 10-22 | Chicago | 23,835 | T | 21-21 |
| 10-29 | Green Bay | 30,844* | L | 0-14 |
| 11- 5 | Card.-Pitt. | 17,743 | W | 27- 6 |
| 11-12 | Card.-Pitt. | 13,239* | W | 21- 7 |
| 11-19 | Chicago | 21,960* | W | 41-21 |
| 11-26 | Cleveland | 7,462 | W | 26-14 |
| 12- 3 | Boston | 15,027* | W | 38- 7 |

1945 (7-3-0)

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|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-23 | Cardinals | 5,461 | W | 10- 0 |
| 10- 7 | Green Bay | 20,463 | L | 21-57 |
| 10-14 | Philadelphia | 22,580* | W | 28-24 |
| 10-21 | Cardinals | 32,644 | W | 26- 0 |
| 10-28 | Chicago | 37,260* | W | 16-10 |
| 11- 4 | Boston | 17,631 | W | 10- 9 |
| 11-11 | Chicago | 24,798 | W | 35-28 |
| 11-18 | New York | 38,215 | L | 14-35 |
| 11-22 | Cleveland | 40,017* | L | 21-28 |
| 12- 2 | Green Bay | 23,468* | W | 14- 3 |

1946 (1-10-0)

| | | | | |
|-------|-------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-30 | Cardinals | 14,667 | L | 14-34 |
| 10- 6 | Washington | 33,559 | L | 16-17 |
| 10-13 | Cardinals | 21,939* | L | 14-36 |
| 10-20 | Los Angeles | 27,928 | L | 14-35 |
| 10-27 | Green Bay | 17,073 | L | 7-10 |
| 11- 3 | Los Angeles | 34,447* | L | 20-41 |
| 11-10 | Pittsburgh | 13,621* | W | 17- 7 |
| 11-17 | Green Bay | 21,055* | L | 0- 9 |
| 11-24 | Chicago | 24,270 | L | 6-42 |
| 11-28 | Boston | 13,010* | L | 10-34 |
| 12- 8 | Chicago | 19,579* | L | 24-45 |

1947 (3-9-0)

| Date | Opponent | Crowd | W-L-T | Score |
|-------|-------------|---------|-------|-------|
| 9-21 | Pittsburgh | 34,681 | L | 10-17 |
| 9-28 | Cardinals | 22,245 | L | 21-45 |
| 10- 5 | Boston | 16,097 | W | 21- 7 |
| 10-12 | Los Angeles | 42,955* | L | 13-27 |
| 10-19 | Chicago | 31,960 | L | 24-33 |
| 10-26 | Green Bay | 23,100 | L | 17-34 |
| 11- 2 | New York | 28,812* | W | 35- 7 |
| 11- 9 | Cardinals | 25,296* | L | 7-17 |
| 11-16 | Washington | 17,003* | W | 38-21 |
| 11-23 | Los Angeles | 17,693 | L | 17-28 |
| 11-27 | Chicago | 27,214* | L | 14-34 |
| 12- 7 | Green Bay | 14,055* | L | 14-35 |

1948 (2-10-0)

Alvin "Bo" McMillin, Coach

| | | | | |
|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-22 | Los Angeles | 12,941 | L | 7-44 |
| 10- 3 | Green Bay | 21,403 | L | 21-33 |
| 10- 9 | Boston | 18,747* | L | 14-17 |
| 10-17 | Chicago | 35,425 | L | 0-28 |
| 10-24 | Los Angeles | 17,444* | L | 27-34 |
| 10-31 | Green Bay | 15,045* | W | 24-20 |
| 11- 7 | Cardinals | 22,311 | L | 20-56 |
| 11-14 | Washington | 32,528 | L | 21-46 |
| 11-21 | Pittsburgh | 13,646* | W | 17-14 |
| 11-25 | Cardinals | 22,099* | L | 14-28 |
| 12- 5 | Chicago | 25,781* | L | 14-42 |
| 12-12 | Philadelphia | 15,322 | L | 21-45 |

1949 (4-8-0)

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|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-23 | Los Angeles | 17,878 | L | 24-27 |
| 10- 3 | Philadelphia | 20,163* | L | 14-22 |
| 10- 8 | Pittsburgh | 21,594 | L | 7-14 |
| 10-16 | Los Angeles | 19,839* | L | 10-21 |
| 10-23 | Cardinals | 19,480 | W | 24- 7 |
| 10-30 | Green Bay | 6,177 | L | 14-16 |
| 11- 6 | Cardinals | 19,465* | L | 19-42 |
| 11-13 | Chicago | 32,716 | L | 24-27 |
| 11-20 | New York | 14,661 | W | 45-21 |
| 11-24 | Chicago | 22,912* | L | 7-28 |
| 12- 4 | NY Bulldogs | 11,956* | W | 28-27 |
| 12-11 | Green Bay | 9,722* | W | 21- 7 |

1950 (6-6-0)

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|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-17 | Green Bay | 20,285 | W | 45- 7 |
| 9-24 | Pittsburgh | 19,600* | W | 10- 7 |
| 10- 2 | N.Y. Yanks | 11,096 | L | 21-44 |
| 10- 8 | S. Francisco | 26,000* | W | 24- 7 |
| 10-15 | Los Angeles | 28,000* | L | 28-30 |
| 10-22 | S. Francisco | 26,252 | L | 27-38 |
| 10-29 | Los Angeles | 21,700 | L | 24-65 |
| 11- 5 | Chicago | 32,000* | L | 21-35 |
| 11-19 | Green Bay | 18,000* | W | 24-21 |
| 11-23 | N.Y. Yanks | 28,000* | W | 49-14 |
| 12- 3 | Baltimore | 12,058 | W | 45-21 |
| 12-10 | Chicago | 34,604 | L | 3- 6 |

1951 (7-4-1)

Raymond "Buddy" Parker, Coach

| | | | | |
|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-30 | Washington | 27,831* | W | 35-17 |
| 10- 7 | N.Y. Yanks | 24,194* | W | 37-10 |
| 10-14 | Los Angeles | 50,567* | L | 21-27 |
| 10-21 | N.Y. Yanks | 21,807* | T | 24-24 |
| 10-28 | Chicago | 34,778* | L | 23-28 |
| 11- 4 | Green Bay | 18,165 | W | 24-17 |
| 11-11 | Chicago | 43,709 | W | 41-28 |
| 11-18 | Philadelphia | 25,098 | W | 28-10 |
| 11-22 | Green Bay | 32,247* | W | 52-35 |
| 12- 2 | S. Francisco | 45,757* | L | 10-20 |
| 12- 9 | Los Angeles | 52,937 | W | 24-22 |
| 12-16 | S. Francisco | 26,465 | L | 17-21 |

1952 (9-3-0)

| Date | Opponent | Crowd | W-L-T | Score |
|-------|--------------|---------|-------|-------|
| 9-28 | S. Francisco | 54,761 | L | 3-17 |
| 10- 3 | Los Angeles | 42,743 | W | 17-14 |
| 10-12 | S. Francisco | 56,822* | L | 0-28 |
| 10-19 | Los Angeles | 40,152* | W | 24-16 |
| 10-26 | Green Bay | 24,656 | W | 52-17 |
| 11- 2 | Cleveland | 56,029* | W | 17- 6 |
| 11- 9 | Pittsburgh | 26,170 | W | 31- 6 |
| 11-16 | Dallas, Tex. | 33,304* | W | 43-13 |
| 11-23 | Chicago | 37,508 | L | 23-24 |
| 11-27 | Green Bay | 39,101* | W | 48-24 |
| 12- 7 | Chicago | 50,410* | W | 45-21 |
| 12-13 | Dallas, Tex. | 12,252* | W | 41- 6 |

1953 (10-2-0)

| | | | | |
|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-27 | Pittsburgh | 44,587* | W | 38-21 |
| 10- 3 | Baltimore | 25,159 | W | 27-17 |
| 10-11 | S. Francisco | 58,079* | W | 24-21 |
| 10-18 | Los Angeles | 55,772* | L | 19-31 |
| 10-25 | S. Francisco | 54,862 | W | 14-10 |
| 11- 1 | Los Angeles | 93,751 | L | 24-37 |
| 11- 7 | Baltimore | 46,508* | W | 17- 7 |
| 11-15 | Green Bay | 20,834 | W | 14- 7 |
| 11-22 | Chicago | 36,165 | W | 20-16 |
| 11-26 | Green Bay | 52,547* | W | 34-15 |
| 12- 6 | Chicago | 58,056* | W | 13- 7 |
| 12-13 | New York | 28,390 | W | 27-16 |

1954 (9-2-1)

| | | | | |
|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-26 | Chicago | 52,343* | W | 48-23 |
| 10-10 | Los Angeles | 56,523* | W | 21- 3 |
| 10-16 | Baltimore | 48,272* | W | 35- 0 |
| 10-24 | S. Francisco | 60,500 | L | 31-37 |
| 10-31 | Los Angeles | 74,342 | W | 27-24 |
| 11- 6 | Baltimore | 25,287 | W | 27- 3 |
| 11-14 | S. Francisco | 58,431* | W | 48- 7 |
| 11-21 | Green Bay | 20,767 | W | 21-17 |
| 11-25 | Green Bay | 55,532* | W | 28-24 |
| 12- 5 | Philadelphia | 54,939* | T | 13-13 |
| 12-12 | Chicago | 37,240 | L | 24-28 |
| 12-19 | Cleveland | 34,168 | W | 14-10 |

1955 (3-9-0)

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|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-27 | Green Bay | 22,217 | L | 17-20 |
| 10- 1 | Baltimore | 40,030 | L | 13-28 |
| 10- 9 | Los Angeles | 54,836* | L | 10-17 |
| 10-16 | S. Francisco | 51,438* | L | 24-27 |
| 10-23 | Los Angeles | 68,690 | L | 13-24 |
| 10-30 | S. Francisco | 47,431 | L | 21-38 |
| 11- 5 | Baltimore | 53,874* | W | 24-14 |
| 11-13 | Pittsburgh | 34,441 | W | 31-28 |
| 11-20 | Chicago | 53,610* | L | 14-24 |
| 11-24 | Green Bay | 51,685* | W | 24-10 |
| 12- 4 | Chicago | 39,388 | L | 20-21 |
| 12-11 | New York | 45,929* | L | 19-24 |

1956 (9-3-0)

| Date | Opponent | Crowd | W-L-T | Score |
|-------|--------------|---------|-------|-------|
| 9-30 | Green Bay | 24,668 | W | 20-16 |
| 10- 6 | Baltimore | 42,622 | W | 31-14 |
| 10-14 | Los Angeles | 56,281* | W | 24-21 |
| 10-21 | S. Francisco | 55,662* | W | 20-17 |
| 10-28 | Los Angeles | 76,758 | W | 16- 7 |
| 11- 4 | S. Francisco | 46,708 | W | 17-13 |
| 11-11 | Washington | 28,003 | L | 17-18 |
| 11-18 | Baltimore | 55,788* | W | 27- 3 |
| 11-22 | Green Bay | 54,067* | L | 20-24 |
| 12- 2 | Chicago | 57,024* | W | 42-10 |
| 12- 9 | Pittsburgh | 52,124* | W | 45- 7 |
| 12-16 | Chicago | 49,086 | L | 21-38 |

1957 (8-4-0)

George W. Wilson, Coach

| | | | | |
|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-29 | Baltimore | 40,112 | L | 14-34 |
| 10- 6 | Green Bay | 32,132 | W | 24-14 |
| 10-13 | Los Angeles | 55,914* | W | 10- 7 |
| 10-20 | Baltimore | 55,764* | W | 31-27 |
| 10-27 | Los Angeles | 77,314 | L | 17-35 |
| 11- 3 | S. Francisco | 59,702 | L | 31-35 |
| 11-10 | Philadelphia | 29,302 | W | 27-16 |
| 11-17 | S. Francisco | 56,915* | W | 31-10 |
| 11-24 | Chicago | 55,769* | L | 7-27 |
| 11-28 | Green Bay | 54,301* | W | 18- 6 |
| 12- 8 | Cleveland | 55,814* | W | 20- 7 |
| 12-15 | Chicago | 41,088 | W | 21-13 |

1958 (4-7-1)

| | | | | |
|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-28 | Baltimore | 48,377 | L | 15-28 |
| 10- 5 | Green Bay | 32,035 | T | 13-13 |
| 10-12 | Los Angeles | 55,648* | L | 28-42 |
| 10-19 | Baltimore | 55,190* | L | 14-40 |
| 10-26 | Los Angeles | 81,703 | W | 41-24 |
| 11- 2 | S. Francisco | 59,213 | L | 21-24 |
| 11- 9 | Cleveland | 75,363 | W | 30-10 |
| 11-16 | S. Francisco | 54,523* | W | 35-21 |
| 11-23 | Chicago | 55,280* | L | 7-20 |
| 11-27 | Green Bay | 50,971* | W | 24-14 |
| 12- 7 | New York | 50,115* | L | 17-19 |
| 12-14 | Chicago | 38,346 | L | 16-21 |

1959 (3-8-1)

| | | | | |
|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-29 | Baltimore | 55,588 | L | 9-21 |
| 10- 4 | Green Bay | 32,150 | L | 10-28 |
| 10-11 | Baltimore | 54,197* | L | 24-31 |
| 10-18 | S. Francisco | 52,585* | L | 13-34 |
| 10-25 | Los Angeles | 74,288 | W | 17- 7 |
| 11- 1 | S. Francisco | 59,064 | L | 7-33 |
| 11- 8 | Pittsburgh | 24,614 | T | 10-10 |
| 11-15 | Los Angeles | 52,217* | W | 23-17 |
| 11-22 | Chicago | 54,059* | L | 14-24 |
| 11-26 | Green Bay | 49,221* | L | 17-24 |
| 12- 6 | Cardinals | 45,811* | W | 45-21 |
| 12-13 | Chicago | 40,890 | L | 14-25 |

1960 (7-5-0)

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|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 10- 2 | Green Bay | 32,150 | L | 9-28 |
| 10- 9 | S. Francisco | 49,825* | L | 10-14 |
| 10-16 | Philadelphia | 38,065 | L | 10-28 |
| 10-23 | Baltimore | 53,854* | W | 30-17 |
| 10-30 | Los Angeles | 53,295 | L | 35-48 |
| 11- 6 | S. Francisco | 48,447 | W | 24- 0 |
| 11-13 | Los Angeles | 54,019* | W | 12-10 |
| 11-20 | Chicago | 46,267 | L | 7-28 |
| 11-24 | Green Bay | 54,123* | W | 23-10 |
| 12- 4 | Baltimore | 57,808 | W | 20-15 |
| 12-11 | Dallas | 43,272* | W | 23-14 |
| 12-18 | Chicago | 51,017* | W | 36- 0 |

1961 (8-5-1)

| Date | Opponent | Crowd | W-L-T | Score |
|-------|--------------|---------|-------|-------|
| 9-17 | Green Bay | 44,307 | W | 17-13 |
| 9-24 | Baltimore | 54,259 | W | 16-15 |
| 10- 1 | S. Francisco | 53,155* | L | 0-49 |
| 10- 8 | Chicago | 50,521* | L | 17-31 |
| 10-15 | Los Angeles | 45,873* | W | 14-13 |
| 10-22 | Baltimore | 53,016* | L | 14-17 |
| 10-29 | Los Angeles | 49,123 | W | 28-10 |
| 11- 5 | S. Francisco | 56,878 | T | 20-20 |
| 11-12 | St. Louis | 20,320 | W | 45-14 |
| 11-19 | Minnesota | 32,296 | W | 37-10 |
| 11-23 | Green Bay | 55,662* | L | 9-17 |
| 12- 3 | Chicago | 47,394 | W | 16-15 |
| 12-10 | Minnesota | 42,655* | W | 13- 7 |
| 12-17 | Philadelphia | 44,231* | L | 24-27 |

1962 (11-3-0)

| | | | | |
|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-16 | Pittsburgh | 46,641* | W | 45- 7 |
| 9-23 | S. Francisco | 51,032* | W | 45-24 |
| 9-30 | Baltimore | 57,966 | W | 29-20 |
| 10- 7 | Green Bay | 38,669 | L | 7- 9 |
| 10-14 | Los Angeles | 53,714* | W | 13-10 |
| 10-21 | New York | 62,856 | L | 14-17 |
| 10-28 | Chicago | 53,342* | W | 11- 3 |
| 11- 4 | Los Angeles | 44,241 | W | 12- 3 |
| 11-11 | S. Francisco | 43,449 | W | 38-24 |
| 11-18 | Minnesota | 31,257 | W | 17- 6 |
| 11-22 | Green Bay | 57,598* | W | 26-14 |
| 12- 2 | Baltimore | 53,012* | W | 21-14 |
| 12- 9 | Minnesota | 42,256* | W | 37-23 |
| 12-16 | Chicago | 44,948 | L | 0- 3 |

1963 (5-8-1)

| | | | | |
|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-14 | Los Angeles | 49,342 | W | 23- 2 |
| 9-22 | Green Bay | 45,912 | L | 10-31 |
| 9-29 | Chicago | 55,400* | L | 21-37 |
| 10- 6 | S. Francisco | 44,088* | W | 26- 3 |
| 10-13 | Dallas | 27,264 | L | 14-17 |
| 10-20 | Baltimore | 51,901* | L | 21-25 |
| 10-27 | Minnesota | 44,509* | W | 28-10 |
| 11- 3 | S. Francisco | 33,511 | W | 45- 7 |
| 11-10 | Baltimore | 59,758 | L | 21-24 |
| 11-17 | Los Angeles | 44,951* | L | 21-28 |
| 11-24 | Minnesota | 28,763 | L | 31-34 |
| 11-28 | Green Bay | 54,016* | T | 13-13 |
| 12- 8 | Cleveland | 51,382* | W | 38-10 |
| 12-15 | Chicago | 45,317 | L | 14-24 |

1964 (7-5-2)

| | | | | |
|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-13 | S. Francisco | 33,204 | W | 26-17 |
| 9-19 | Los Angeles | 52,001 | T | 17-17 |
| 9-28 | Green Bay | 59,203* | L | 10-14 |
| 10- 4 | New York | 54,836* | W | 26- 3 |
| 10-11 | Minnesota | 40,840 | W | 24-20 |
| 10-18 | Chicago | 47,567 | W | 10- 0 |
| 10-25 | Baltimore | 57,814* | L | 0-34 |
| 11- 1 | Los Angeles | 52,064* | W | 37-17 |
| 11- 8 | Green Bay | 42,327 | L | 7-30 |
| 11-15 | Cleveland | 83,064 | L | 21-37 |
| 11-22 | Minnesota | 48,291* | T | 23-23 |
| 11-26 | Chicago | 52,231* | L | 24-27 |
| 12- 6 | Baltimore | 60,213 | W | 31-14 |
| 12-13 | S. Francisco | 41,854* | W | 24- 7 |

1965 (6-7-1)

Harry Gilmer, Coach

| Date | Opponent | Crowd | W-L-T | Score |
|-------|--------------|---------|-------|-------|
| 9-19 | Los Angeles | 46,941* | W | 20- 0 |
| 9-26 | Minnesota | 46,826 | W | 31-29 |
| 10- 3 | Washington | 52,627* | W | 14-10 |
| 10-10 | Baltimore | 60,238 | L | 7-31 |
| 10-17 | Green Bay | 56,712* | L | 21-31 |
| 10-24 | Chicago | 45,658 | L | 10-38 |
| 10-31 | Los Angeles | 35,137 | W | 31- 7 |
| 11- 7 | Green Bay | 50,852 | W | 12- 7 |
| 11-14 | S. Francisco | 54,534* | L | 21-27 |
| 11-21 | Chicago | 51,499* | L | 10-17 |
| 11-25 | Baltimore | 55,036* | T | 24-24 |
| 12- 5 | S. Francisco | 38,463 | L | 14-17 |
| 12-12 | Minnesota | 45,420* | L | 7-29 |
| 12-19 | Philadelphia | 56,718 | W | 35-28 |

1966 (4-9-1)

| | | | | |
|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-11 | Chicago | 52,225* | W | 14- 3 |
| 9-18 | Pittsburgh | 35,473 | L | 3-17 |
| 9-25 | Atlanta | 47,615* | W | 28-10 |
| 10- 2 | Green Bay | 50,861 | L | 14-23 |
| 10- 9 | Los Angeles | 52,793* | L | 7-14 |
| 10-16 | Baltimore | 60,238 | L | 14-45 |
| 10-23 | S. Francisco | 36,745 | L | 24-27 |
| 10-30 | Green Bay | 56,954* | L | 7-31 |
| 11- 6 | Chicago | 47,041 | T | 10-10 |
| 11-13 | Minnesota | 43,939 | W | 32-31 |
| 11-20 | Baltimore | 52,383* | W | 20-14 |
| 11-24 | S. Francisco | 53,189* | L | 14-41 |
| 12- 4 | Los Angeles | 40,039 | L | 3-23 |
| 12-11 | Minnesota | 43,022* | L | 16-28 |

1967 (5-7-2)

Joe Schmidt, Coach

| | | | | |
|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-17 | Green Bay | 50,861 | W | 24- 3 |
| 9-24 | Cleveland | 57,383* | L | 7-41 |
| 10- 1 | St. Louis | 43,821 | T | 10-10 |
| 10- 8 | Green Bay | 57,877* | W | 45- 7 |
| 10-15 | Chicago | 46,024 | T | 17-17 |
| 10-22 | Atlanta | 50,601* | W | 31-14 |
| 10-29 | S. Francisco | 37,990 | L | 28-38 |
| 11- 5 | Chicago | 55,606* | L | 17-27 |
| 11-12 | Minnesota | 40,032 | L | 3-14 |
| 11-19 | Baltimore | 60,238 | L | 14-24 |
| 11-23 | Los Angeles | 54,389* | W | 30- 7 |
| 12- 3 | Pittsburgh | 47,713* | L | 13-27 |
| 12-10 | New York | 63,011 | L | 7-31 |
| 12-17 | Minnesota | 44,874* | W | 14- 3 |

1968 (4-8-2)

| | | | | |
|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-15 | Dallas | 61,382 | L | 13-59 |
| 9-22 | Chicago | 50,688* | W | 42- 0 |
| 9-29 | Green Bay | 50,861 | W | 23-17 |
| 10- 6 | Minnesota | 44,289 | L | 10-24 |
| 10-13 | Chicago | 46,996 | W | 28-10 |
| 10-20 | Green Bay | 57,302* | T | 14-14 |
| 10-27 | S. Francisco | 53,555* | L | 7-14 |
| 11- 3 | Los Angeles | 77,982 | L | 7-10 |
| 11-10 | Baltimore | 55,170* | L | 10-27 |
| 11-17 | Minnesota | 48,654* | L | 6-18 |
| 11-24 | New Orleans | 46,152* | T | 20-20 |
| 11-28 | Philadelphia | 47,909* | L | 0-12 |
| 12- 8 | Atlanta | 49,437 | W | 24- 7 |
| 12-15 | Washington | 50,123 | L | 3-14 |

1969 (9-4-1)

| Date | Opponent | Crowd | W-L-T | Score |
|-------|--------------|---------|-------|-------|
| 9-21 | Pittsburgh | 51,360 | L | 13-16 |
| 9-28 | New York | 54,358* | W | 24-0 |
| 10- 5 | Cleveland | 82,933 | W | 28-21 |
| 10-12 | Green Bay | 58,384* | L | 17-28 |
| 10-19 | Chicago | 54,732* | W | 13-7 |
| 10-26 | Minnesota | 47,900 | L | 10-24 |
| 11- 2 | S. Francisco | 35,100 | W | 26-14 |
| 11- 9 | Atlanta | 53,242* | W | 27-21 |
| 11-16 | St. Louis | 51,749* | W | 20-0 |
| 11-23 | Green Bay | 50,861 | W | 16-10 |
| 11-27 | Minnesota | 57,906* | L | 0-27 |
| 12- 7 | Baltimore | 80,238 | T | 17-17 |
| 12-14 | Los Angeles | 53,256* | W | 28-0 |
| 12-21 | Chicago | 41,879 | W | 20-8 |

1970 (10-4-0)

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|-------|---------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-20 | Green Bay | 56,263 | W | 40-0 |
| 9-27 | Cincinnati | 58,202* | W | 38-3 |
| 10- 5 | Chicago | 58,210* | W | 28-14 |
| 10-11 | Washington | 50,414 | L | 10-31 |
| 10-18 | Cleveland | 83,577 | W | 41-24 |
| 10-25 | Chicago | 45,632 | W | 16-10 |
| 11- 1 | Minnesota | 58,210* | L | 17-30 |
| 11- 8 | New Orleans | 66,910 | L | 17-19 |
| 11-15 | Minnesota | 47,900 | L | 20-24 |
| 11-22 | San Francisco | 56,232* | W | 28-7 |
| 11-28 | Oakland | 56,597* | W | 28-14 |
| 12- 6 | St. Louis | 56,362* | W | 16-3 |
| 12-14 | Los Angeles | 79,441 | W | 28-23 |
| 12-20 | Green Bay | 57,387* | W | 20-0 |

1971 (7-6-1)

| | | | | |
|-------|---------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-20 | Minnesota | 54,418* | L | 13-16 |
| 9-26 | New England | 61,057 | W | 34-7 |
| 10- 3 | Atlanta | 54,418* | W | 41-38 |
| 10-10 | Green Bay | 54,418* | W | 31-28 |
| 10-17 | Houston | 45,885 | W | 31-7 |
| 10-24 | Chicago | 54,418* | L | 23-28 |
| 11- 1 | Green Bay (M) | 47,961 | T | 14-14 |
| 11- 7 | Denver | 51,200 | W | 24-20 |
| 11-14 | Los Angeles | 54,418* | L | 13-21 |
| 11-21 | Chicago | 55,049 | W | 28-3 |
| 11-25 | Kansas City | 54,418* | W | 32-21 |
| 12- 5 | Philadelphia | 54,418* | L | 20-23 |
| 12-11 | Minnesota | 49,784 | L | 10-29 |
| 12-19 | San Francisco | 45,580 | L | 27-31 |

1972 (8-5-1)

| | | | | |
|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-17 | N. Y. Giants | 54,418* | W | 30-16 |
| 9-24 | Minnesota | 54,418* | L | 10-34 |
| 10- 1 | Chicago | 55,701 | W | 38-24 |
| 10- 8 | Atlanta | 58,850 | W | 26-23 |
| 10-16 | Green Bay | 54,418* | L | 23-24 |
| 10-22 | San Diego | 54,371* | W | 34-20 |
| 10-30 | Dallas | 85,378 | L | 24-28 |
| 11- 5 | Chicago | 54,418* | W | 14-0 |
| 11-12 | Minnesota | 49,784 | L | 14-16 |
| 11-19 | New Orleans | 53,752* | W | 27-14 |
| 11-23 | N. Y. Jets | 54,418* | W | 37-20 |
| 12- 3 | Green Bay | 55,263 | L | 7-33 |
| 12-10 | Buffalo | 41,583 | T | 21-21 |
| 12-17 | Los Angeles | 71,761 | W | 34-17 |

1973 (6-7-1)

Don McCafferty, Coach

| Date | Opponent | Crowd | W-L-T | Score |
|-------|---------------|---------|-------|-------|
| 9-16 | Pittsburgh | 48,913 | L | 10-24 |
| 9-23 | Green Bay | 56,267 | T | 13-13 |
| 10- 1 | Atlanta | 54,418* | W | 31-6 |
| 10- 7 | Minnesota | 54,418* | L | 9-23 |
| 10-14 | New Orleans | 57,810 | L | 13-20 |
| 10-21 | Baltimore | 53,688* | L | 27-29 |
| 10-28 | Green Bay | 53,859* | W | 34-0 |
| 11- 4 | San Francisco | 54,348* | W | 30-20 |
| 11-11 | Minnesota | 48,503 | L | 7-28 |
| 11-18 | Chicago | 55,701 | W | 30-7 |
| 11-22 | Washington | 54,418* | L | 0-20 |
| 12- 2 | St. Louis | 47,712 | W | 20-16 |
| 12- 9 | Chicago | 52,641* | W | 40-7 |
| 12-15 | Miami | 80,047 | L | 7-34 |

1974 (7-7-0)

Rick Forzano, Coach

| | | | | |
|-------|---------------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-15 | Chicago | 55,202 | L | 9-17 |
| 9-22 | Minnesota | 49,703* | L | 6-7 |
| 9-29 | Green Bay | 47,292 | L | 19-21 |
| 10- 6 | Los Angeles | 64,987 | L | 13-16 |
| 10-14 | San Francisco | 49,756* | W | 17-13 |
| 10-20 | Minnesota | 48,501 | W | 20-16 |
| 10-27 | Green Bay | 54,418* | W | 19-17 |
| 11- 3 | New Orleans | 49,127* | W | 19-14 |
| 11-10 | Oakland | 54,020 | L | 13-35 |
| 11-17 | N. Y. Giants | 45,859* | W | 20-19 |
| 11-24 | Chicago | 47,376* | W | 34-17 |
| 11-28 | Denver | 53,314* | L | 27-31 |
| 12- 8 | Cincinnati | 59,575 | W | 23-19 |
| 12-15 | Philadelphia | 66,052 | L | 17-28 |

1975 (7-7-0)

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|-------|---------------|---------|----|-------|
| 9-21 | Green Bay (M) | 52,613 | W | 30-16 |
| 9-28 | Atlanta | 45,218 | W | 17-14 |
| 10- 6 | Dallas | 79,784* | L | 10-36 |
| 10-12 | Chicago | 74,032* | W | 27-7 |
| 10-19 | Minnesota | 47,872 | L | 19-25 |
| 10-26 | Houston | 46,904 | L | 8-24 |
| 11- 2 | San Francisco | 43,209 | W | 28-17 |
| 11- 9 | Cleveland | 75,283* | W | 21-10 |
| 11-16 | Green Bay | 76,946* | W | 13-10 |
| 11-23 | Kansas City | 55,161 | L† | 21-24 |
| 11-27 | Los Angeles | 69,552* | L | 0-20 |
| 12- 7 | Chicago | 37,772 | L | 21-25 |
| 12-14 | Minnesota | 73,130* | W | 17-10 |
| 12-21 | St. Louis | 64,656* | L | 13-24 |

1976 (6-8-0)

| | | | | |
|-------|-----------|---------|---|-------|
| 9-12 | Chicago | 54,125 | L | 3-10 |
| 9-19 | Atlanta | 50,840* | W | 24-10 |
| 9-26 | Minnesota | 77,292* | L | 9-10 |
| 10- 3 | Green Bay | 55,041 | L | 14-24 |

Tommy Hudspeth, Coach

| | | | | |
|-------|--------------|---------|---|-------|
| 10-10 | New England | 60,174* | W | 30-10 |
| 10-17 | Washington | 45,908 | L | 7-20 |
| 10-24 | Seattle | 61,280 | W | 41-14 |
| 10-31 | Green Bay | 74,992* | W | 27-6 |
| 11- 7 | Minnesota | 46,735 | L | 23-31 |
| 11-14 | New Orleans | 42,048 | L | 16-17 |
| 11-21 | Chicago | 78,042* | W | 14-10 |
| 11-25 | Buffalo | 86,875* | W | 27-14 |
| 12- 5 | N. Y. Giants | 66,069 | L | 10-24 |
| 12-11 | Los Angeles | 73,470* | L | 17-20 |

(M) Milwaukee † Overtime

LIONS VS. ALL-TIME LEAGUE OPPONENTS

LIONS VS. NFC TEAMS

(Regular Season Only)

| | GP | W | L | T |
|---------------|----|----|----|---|
| Atlanta | 9 | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Chicago | 86 | 35 | 48 | 3 |
| Dallas | 5 | 1 | 4 | 0 |
| Green Bay | 87 | 36 | 45 | 6 |
| Los Angeles | 51 | 23 | 27 | 1 |
| Minnesota | 32 | 11 | 19 | 2 |
| New Orleans | 6 | 2 | 3 | 1 |
| New York | 20 | 12 | 7 | 1 |
| Philadelphia | 18 | 9 | 8 | 1 |
| San Francisco | 42 | 21 | 20 | 1 |
| St. Louis | 6 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Washington | 15 | 3 | 12 | 0 |
| Seattle | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |

LIONS VS. AFC TEAMS

(Regular Season Only)

| | GP | W | L | T |
|-------------|----|----|----|---|
| Baltimore | 33 | 16 | 15 | 2 |
| Buffalo | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Cincinnati | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Cleveland | 10 | 9 | 1 | 0 |
| Denver | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Houston | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Kansas City | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Miami | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| New England | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| New York | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Oakland | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Pittsburgh | 21 | 12 | 8 | 1 |
| San Diego | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |

LIONS IN POST-SEASON GAMES

(See Page 91)

| | GP | W | L | T |
|-----------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Championships | 5 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Playoffs | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Runner-up Bowls | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 11 | 9 | 2 | 0 |

LIONS IN PRE-SEASON GAMES

(Since 1949)

| | GP | W | L | T |
|-------------------|----|----|---|---|
| Atlanta | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Baltimore | 11 | 5 | 5 | 1 |
| Buffalo | 7 | 4 | 3 | 0 |
| Chicago Cardinals | 7 | 4 | 3 | 0 |
| Chicago Bears | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Cincinnati | 7 | 1 | 6 | 0 |
| Cleveland | 26 | 17 | 8 | 1 |
| College All-Stars | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Dallas | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Denver | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Green Bay | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houston | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Kansas City | 6 | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| Los Angeles | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Miami | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Minnesota | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| New England | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| New Orleans | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| New York Bulldogs | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| New York Giants | 14 | 9 | 4 | 1 |
| New York Jets | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| New York Yanks | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Oakland | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Philadelphia | 19 | 11 | 7 | 1 |
| Pittsburgh | 11 | 8 | 3 | 0 |
| St. Louis | 7 | 6 | 1 | 0 |
| San Diego | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| San Francisco | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Washington | 17 | 10 | 7 | 0 |

LIONS VS. DEFUNCT TEAMS

(Regular Season Games)

| | GP | W | L | T |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|
| Boston Redskins | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Boston Yanks | 5 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Brooklyn Dodgers | 11 | 8 | 3 | 0 |
| Chicago Cardinals | 31 | 19 | 9 | 3 |
| Chicago-Pittsburgh | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Cincinnati-St. Louis | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Cleveland Rams | 15 | 8 | 7 | 0 |
| Dallas Texans | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| New York Bulldogs | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| New York Yanks | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Phila.-Pittsburgh | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Total | 77 | 50 | 23 | 4 |

SEVEN LIONS IN PRO FOOTBALL'S HALL OF FAME

(Located in Canton, Ohio)

JACK CHRISTIANSEN: Player 1951-58; Elected 1970

DUTCH CLARK: Player 1934-38; Elected 1963 (charter member)

BILL DUDLEY: Player 1947-49; Elected 1966

NIGHT TRAIN LANE: Player 1960-65; Elected 1974

BOBBY LAYNE: Player 1950-58; Elected 1967

JOE SCHMIDT: Player 1953-65; Elected 1973

ALEX WOJCIECHOWICZ: Player 1938-46; Elected 1968

DETROIT VS. ATLANTA

(9-0-0)

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 9-25-66* | W | 28-10 |
| 10-22-67* | W | 24- 3 |
| 12- 8-68 | W | 24- 7 |
| 11- 9-69* | W | 27-21 |
| 10- 3-71* | W | 41-38 |
| 10- 8-72 | W | 26-23 |
| 10- 1-73* | W | 31- 6 |
| 9-28-75 | W | 17-14 |
| 9-19-76* | W | 24-10 |

DETROIT VS. BALTIMORE

(16-15-2)

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 12- 3-50 | W | 45-21 |
| 10- 3-53 | W | 27-17 |
| 11- 7-53* | W | 17- 7 |
| 10-16-54* | W | 35- 0 |
| 11- 6-54 | W | 27- 3 |
| 10- 1-55 | L | 13-28 |
| 11- 5-55* | W | 24-14 |
| 10- 6-56 | W | 31-14 |
| 11-18-56* | W | 27- 3 |
| 9-29-57 | L | 14-34 |
| 10-20-57* | W | 31-27 |
| 9-28-58 | L | 15-28 |
| 10-19-58* | L | 14-40 |
| 9-29-59 | L | 9-21 |
| 10-11-59* | L | 24-31 |
| 10-23-60* | W | 30-17 |
| 12- 4-60 | W | 20-15 |
| 9-24-61 | W | 16-15 |
| 10-22-61* | L | 14-17 |
| 9-30-62 | W | 29-20 |
| 12- 2-62* | W | 21-14 |
| 10-20-63* | L | 21-25 |
| 11-10-63 | L | 21-24 |
| 10-25-64* | L | 0-34 |
| 12- 6-64 | W | 31-14 |
| 10-10-65 | L | 7-31 |
| 11-25-65* | T | 24-24 |
| 10-16-66 | L | 14-45 |
| 11-20-66* | W | 20-14 |
| 11-19-67 | L | 7-41 |
| 11-10-68* | L | 10-27 |
| 12- 7-69 | T | 17-17 |
| 10-21-73* | L | 27-29 |

DETROIT VS. BUFFALO

(1-0-1)

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 12-10-72 | T | 21-21 |
| 11-25-76* | W | 27-14 |

DETROIT VS. CHICAGO

(35-48-3)

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 1-29-34* | L | 16-19 |
| 12- 2-34 | L | 7-10 |
| 11-24-35 | T | 20-20 |
| 11-28-35* | W | 14- 2 |
| 10-25-36 | L | 10-12 |
| 11-26-36* | W | 13- 7 |
| 10-24-37 | L | 20-28 |
| 11-28-37* | L | 0-13 |
| 11-20-38 | W | 13- 7 |

| | | |
|-----------|---|-------|
| 11-24-38* | W | 14- 7 |
| 10-29-39 | W | 10- 0 |
| 11-12-39* | L | 13-23 |
| 10-13-40 | L | 0- 7 |
| 11-10-40* | W | 17-14 |
| 10-19-41 | L | 0-49 |
| 11-23-41* | L | 7-24 |
| 11- 1-42 | L | 0-16 |
| 11-22-42* | L | 0-42 |
| 10- 3-43* | L | 21-27 |
| 10-31-43 | L | 14-35 |
| 10-22-44 | T | 21-21 |
| 11-19-44* | W | 41-21 |
| 10-28-45* | W | 16-10 |
| 11-11-45 | W | 35-28 |
| 11-24-46 | L | 6-42 |
| 12- 8-46 | L | 24-45 |
| 10-19-47 | L | 24-33 |
| 11-27-47* | L | 14-34 |
| 10-17-48 | L | 0-28 |
| 12- 5-48* | L | 14-42 |
| 11-13-49 | L | 24-27 |
| 11-24-49* | L | 7-28 |
| 11- 5-50* | L | 21-35 |
| 12-10-50 | L | 3- 6 |
| 10-28-51* | L | 23-28 |
| 11-11-51 | W | 41-28 |
| 11-23-52 | W | 23-24 |
| 12- 7-52* | L | 45-21 |
| 11-22-53 | W | 20-16 |
| 12- 6-53* | W | 13- 7 |
| 9-26-54* | W | 48-23 |
| 12-12-54 | L | 24-28 |
| 11-20-55* | L | 14-24 |
| 12- 4-55 | L | 20-21 |
| 12- 2-56* | W | 42-10 |
| 12-16-56 | L | 21-38 |
| 11-24-57* | L | 7-27 |
| 12-15-57 | W | 21-13 |
| 11-23-58* | L | 7-20 |
| 12-14-58 | L | 16-21 |
| 11-22-59* | L | 14-24 |
| 12-13-59 | L | 14-25 |
| 11-20-60 | L | 7-28 |
| 12-18-60* | W | 36- 0 |
| 10- 8-61* | L | 17-31 |
| 12- 3-61 | W | 16-15 |
| 10-28-62* | W | 11- 3 |
| 12-16-62 | L | 0- 3 |
| 9-29-63* | L | 21-37 |
| 12-15-63 | L | 14-24 |
| 10-18-64 | W | 10- 0 |
| 11-26-64* | L | 24-27 |
| 10-24-65 | L | 10-38 |
| 11-21-65* | L | 10-17 |
| 9-11-66* | W | 14- 3 |
| 11- 6-66 | T | 10-10 |
| 10-15-67 | L | 3-14 |
| 11- 5-67* | L | 13-27 |
| 9-22-68* | W | 42- 0 |
| 10-13-68 | W | 28-10 |
| 10-19-69* | W | 13- 7 |
| 12-21-69 | W | 20- 3 |
| 10- 5-70* | W | 28-14 |
| 10-25-70 | W | 16-10 |
| 10-24-71* | L | 23-28 |
| 11-21-71 | W | 28- 3 |
| 10- 1-72 | W | 38-24 |
| 11- 5-72* | W | 14- 0 |
| 11-18-73 | W | 30- 7 |
| 12- 9-73* | W | 40- 7 |
| 9-15-74 | L | 9-17 |
| 11-24-74* | W | 34-17 |
| 10-12-75* | W | 27- 7 |
| 12- 7-75 | L | 21-25 |
| 9-12-76 | L | 3-10 |
| 11-21-76* | W | 14-10 |

DETROIT VS. CINCINNATI**(2-0-0)**

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|----------|-------|-------|
| 9-27-70* | W | 38- 3 |
| 12- 8-74 | W | 23-19 |

DETROIT VS. CLEVELAND**(9-1-0)**

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 11- 2-52* | W | 17- 6 |
| 12-19-54 | W | 14-10 |
| 12- 8-57* | W | 20- 7 |
| 11- 9-58 | W | 30-10 |
| 12- 8-63* | W | 38-10 |
| 11-15-64 | L | 21-37 |
| 9-24-67* | W | 31-14 |
| 10- 5-69 | W | 28-21 |
| 10-18-70 | W | 41-24 |
| 11- 9-75* | W | 21-10 |

DETROIT VS. DALLAS**(1-4-0)**

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 12-11-60* | W | 23-14 |
| 10-13-63 | L | 14-17 |
| 9-15-68 | L | 13-59 |
| 10-30-72 | L | 24-28 |
| 10- 6-75* | L | 10-36 |

DETROIT VS. DENVER**(1-1-0)**

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 11- 7-71 | W | 24-20 |
| 11-28-74* | L | 27-31 |

DETROIT VS. GREEN BAY**(36-45-6)**

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 10- 7-34 | W | 3- 0 |
| 11-25-34* | L | 0- 3 |
| 10-20-35m | L | 9-13 |
| 11-10-35 | L | 7-31 |
| 11-17-35* | W | 20-10 |
| 10-18-36 | L | 18-20 |
| 11-29-36* | L | 17-26 |
| 10- 3-37 | L | 6-26 |
| 10-31-37* | L | 13-14 |
| 10- 9-38 | W | 17- 7 |
| 11-13-38* | L | 7-28 |
| 10-22-39 | L | 7-26 |
| 12- 3-39* | L | 7-12 |
| 10-20-40 | W | 23-14 |
| 11-24-40* | L | 7-50 |
| 9-14-41* | L | 0-23 |
| 10-26-41* | L | 7-24 |
| 10-11-42m | L | 7-38 |
| 10-25-42* | L | 7-28 |
| 10-10-43 | L | 14-35 |
| 10-24-43* | L | 6-27 |
| 10- 1-44m | L | 6-27 |
| 10-29-44* | L | 0-14 |
| 10- 7-45m | L | 21-57 |
| 12- 2-45* | W | 14- 3 |
| 10-27-46m | L | 7-10 |
| 11-17-46* | L | 0- 9 |
| 10-26-47 | L | 17-34 |
| 12- 7-47* | L | 14-35 |
| 10- 3-48 | L | 21-33 |
| 10-31-48* | W | 24-20 |
| 10-30-49m | L | 14-16 |
| 12-11-49* | W | 21- 7 |
| 9-17-50 | W | 45- 7 |
| 11-19-50* | W | 24-21 |

| | | |
|-----------|---|-------|
| 11- 4-51 | W | 24-17 |
| 11-22-51* | W | 52-35 |
| 10-26-52 | W | 52-17 |
| 11-27-52* | W | 48-24 |
| 11-15-53 | W | 14- 7 |
| 11-26-53* | W | 34-15 |
| 11-21-54 | W | 21-17 |
| 11-25-54* | W | 28-24 |
| 9-27-55 | L | 17-20 |
| 11-24-55* | W | 24-10 |
| 9-30-56 | W | 20-16 |
| 11-22-56* | L | 20-24 |
| 10- 6-57 | W | 24-14 |
| 11-28-57* | W | 18- 6 |
| 10- 5-58 | T | 13-13 |
| 11-27-58* | W | 24-14 |
| 10- 4-59 | L | 10-28 |
| 11-26-59* | L | 17-24 |
| 10- 2-60 | L | 9-28 |
| 11-24-60* | W | 23-10 |
| 9-17-61m | W | 17-13 |
| 11-23-61* | L | 9-17 |
| 10- 7-62 | L | 7- 9 |
| 11-22-62* | W | 26-14 |
| 9-22-63m | L | 10-31 |
| 11-26-63* | T | 13-13 |
| 9-28-64* | L | 10-14 |
| 11- 8-64 | L | 7-30 |
| 10-17-65* | L | 21-31 |
| 11- 7-65 | W | 12- 7 |
| 10- 2-66 | L | 14-23 |
| 10-30-66* | L | 7-31 |
| 9-17-67 | T | 17-17 |
| 10- 8-67* | L | 17-27 |
| 9-29-68 | W | 23-17 |
| 10-20-68* | T | 14-14 |
| 10-12-69* | L | 17-28 |
| 11-23-69 | W | 16-10 |
| 9-20-70 | W | 40- 0 |
| 12-20-70* | W | 20- 0 |
| 10-10-71* | W | 31-28 |
| 11- 1-71m | T | 14-14 |
| 10-16-72* | L | 23-24 |
| 12- 3-72 | L | 7-33 |
| 9-23-73 | T | 13-13 |
| 10-28-73* | W | 34- 0 |
| 9-29-74m | L | 19-21 |
| 10-27-74* | W | 19-17 |
| 9-21-75m | W | 30-16 |
| 11-16-75* | W | 13-10 |
| 10- 3-76 | L | 14-24 |
| 10-31-76* | W | 27- 6 |

DETROIT VS. HOUSTON**(1-1-0)**

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|----------|-------|-------|
| 10-17-71 | W | 31- 7 |
| 10-26-75 | L | 8-24 |

DETROIT VS. KANSAS CITY**(1-1-0)**

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 11-25-71* | W | 32-21 |
| 11-23-75 | L | 21-24 |

DETROIT VS. LOS ANGELES

(23-27-1)

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 10-20-46 | L | 14-35 |
| 11- 3-46* | L | 20-41 |
| 10-12-47* | L | 13-27 |
| 11-23-47 | L | 17-28 |
| 9-22-48 | L | 7-44 |
| 10-24-48* | L | 27-34 |
| 9-23-49 | L | 24-27 |
| 10-16-49* | L | 10-21 |
| 10-15-50* | L | 28-30 |
| 10-29-50 | L | 24-65 |
| 10-14-51* | L | 21-27 |
| 12- 9-51 | W | 24-22 |
| 10- 3-52 | W | 17-14 |
| 10-19-52* | W | 24-16 |
| 10-18-53* | L | 19-31 |
| 11- 1-58 | L | 24-37 |
| 10-10-54* | W | 21- 3 |
| 10-31-54 | W | 27-24 |
| 10- 9-55* | L | 10-17 |
| 10-23-55 | L | 13-24 |
| 10-14-56* | W | 24-21 |
| 10-28-56 | W | 16- 7 |
| 10-13-57* | W | 10- 7 |
| 10-27-57 | L | 17-35 |
| 10-12-58* | L | 28-42 |
| 10-26-58 | W | 41-24 |
| 10-25-59 | W | 17- 7 |
| 11-15-59* | W | 23-17 |
| 10-30-60 | L | 35-48 |
| 11-13-60* | W | 12-10 |
| 10-15-61* | W | 14-13 |
| 10-29-61 | W | 28-10 |
| 10-14-62* | W | 13-10 |
| 11- 4-62 | W | 12- 3 |
| 9-14-63 | W | 23- 2 |
| 11-17-63* | L | 21-28 |
| 9-18-64 | T | 17-17 |
| 11- 1-64* | W | 37-17 |
| 9-19-65* | W | 20- 0 |
| 10-31-65 | W | 21- 7 |
| 10- 9-66* | L | 7-14 |
| 12- 4-66 | L | 3-23 |
| 11-23-67* | L | 7-31 |
| 11- 3-68 | L | 7-10 |
| 12-14-69* | W | 28- 0 |
| 12-14-70 | W | 29-23 |
| 11-14-71* | L | 13-21 |
| 12-17-72 | W | 34-17 |
| 10- 6-74 | L | 13-16 |
| 11-27-75* | L | 0-20 |
| 12-11-76* | L | 17-20 |

DETROIT VS. MIAMI

(0-1-0)

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|----------|-------|-------|
| 12-15-73 | L | 7-34 |

DETROIT VS. MINNESOTA

(11-19-2)

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 11-19-61 | W | 37-10 |
| 12-10-61* | W | 13- 7 |
| 11-18-62 | W | 17- 6 |
| 12- 9-62* | W | 37-23 |
| 10-27-63* | W | 28-10 |
| 11-24-63 | L | 31-34 |
| 10-11-64 | W | 24-20 |
| 11-22-64* | T | 23-23 |

| | | |
|-----------|---|-------|
| 9-26-65 | W | 31-29 |
| 12-12-65* | L | 7-29 |
| 11-13-66 | W | 32-31 |
| 12-11-66* | L | 16-28 |
| 11-12-67 | T | 10-10 |
| 12-17-67* | W | 14- 3 |
| 10- 6-68 | L | 10-24 |
| 11-17-68* | L | 6-13 |
| 10-26-69 | L | 10-24 |
| 11-27-69* | L | 0-27 |
| 11- 1-70* | L | 17-30 |
| 11-15-70 | L | 20-24 |
| 9-20-71* | L | 13-16 |
| 12-11-71 | L | 10-29 |
| 9-24-72* | L | 10-34 |
| 11-12-72 | L | 14-16 |
| 10- 7-73* | L | 9-23 |
| 11-11-73 | L | 7-28 |
| 9-22-74* | L | 5- 7 |
| 10-20-74 | W | 20-16 |
| 10-19-75 | L | 19-25 |
| 12-14-75* | W | 17-10 |
| 9-26-76* | L | 9-10 |
| 11- 7-76 | L | 23-31 |

DETROIT VS. NEW ENGLAND

(2-0-0)

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 9-26-71 | W | 34- 7 |
| 10-10-76* | W | 30-10 |

DETROIT VS. NEW ORLEANS

(2-3-1)

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 11-24-68* | T | 20-20 |
| 11- 8-70 | L | 17-19 |
| 11-19-72* | W | 27-14 |
| 10-14-73 | L | 13-20 |
| 11- 3-74* | W | 19-14 |
| 11-14-76 | L | 16-17 |

DETROIT VS. NEW YORK GIANTS

(12-7-1)

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 9-23-34* | W | 9- 0 |
| 11- 1-35 | L | 7-14 |
| 11-15-36* | W | 38- 0 |
| 11-14-37 | W | 17- 0 |
| 11- 5-39* | W | 18-14 |
| 11- 9-41 | L | 13-20 |
| 11- 7-43* | T | 0- 0 |
| 11-18-45 | L | 14-35 |
| 11- 2-47* | W | 35- 7 |
| 11-20-49 | W | 45-21 |
| 12-13-53 | W | 27-16 |
| 12-11-55* | L | 19-24 |
| 12- 7-58* | L | 17-19 |
| 10-21-62 | L | 14-17 |
| 10- 4-64* | W | 26- 3 |
| 12-10-67 | W | 30- 7 |
| 9-28-69* | W | 24- 0 |
| 9-17-72* | W | 30-16 |
| 11-17-74* | W | 20-19 |
| 12- 5-76 | L | 10-24 |

DETROIT VS. NEW YORK JETS

(1-0-0)

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 11-23-72* | W | 37-20 |

DETROIT VS. OAKLAND**(1-1-0)**

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 11-26-70* | W | 28-14 |
| 11-10-74 | L | 13-35 |

DETROIT VS. PHILADELPHIA**(9-8-1)**

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 10-14-34 | W | 10- 0 |
| 9-20-35* | W | 35- 0 |
| 10-11-36 | W | 23- 0 |
| 12- 4-38* | L | 7-21 |
| 11-17-40 | W | 21- 0 |
| 11-16-41* | W | 21-17 |
| 10-14-45* | W | 28-24 |
| 12-12-48 | L | 21-45 |
| 10- 3-49* | L | 14-22 |
| 11-18-51 | W | 28-10 |
| 12- 5-54* | T | 13-13 |
| 11-10-57 | W | 27-16 |
| 10-16-60 | L | 10-28 |
| 12-17-61* | L | 24-27 |
| 12-19-65 | W | 35-28 |
| 11-28-68* | L | 0-12 |
| 12- 5-71* | L | 20-23 |
| 12-15-74 | L | 17-28 |

DETROIT VS. PITTSBURGH**(12-8-1)**

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 11- 4-34* | W | 40- 7 |
| 11- 8-36* | W | 28- 3 |
| 10-10-37* | W | 7- 3 |
| 9- 9-38* | W | 16- 7 |
| 9-22-40* | L | 7-10 |
| 11- 8-42* | L | 7-35 |
| 11-10-46* | W | 17- 7 |
| 9-21-47 | L | 10-17 |
| 11-21-48* | W | 17-14 |
| 10- 8-49 | L | 7-14 |
| 9-24-50* | W | 10- 7 |
| 11- 9-52 | W | 31- 6 |
| 9-27-53* | W | 38-21 |
| 11-13-55 | W | 31-28 |
| 12- 9-56* | W | 45- 7 |
| 11- 8-59 | T | 10-10 |
| 9-16-62* | W | 45- 7 |
| 10-18-65 | L | 3-17 |
| 12- 3-67* | L | 14-24 |
| 9-21-69 | L | 13-15 |
| 9-16-73 | L | 10-24 |

DETROIT VS. ST. LOUIS**(4-2-0)**

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 11-12-61 | W | 45-14 |
| 10- 1-67 | L | 28-38 |
| 11-16-69* | W | 20- 0 |
| 12- 6-70* | W | 15- 3 |
| 12- 2-73 | W | 20-16 |
| 12-21-75* | L | 13-24 |

DETROIT VS. SAN DIEGO**(1-0-0)**

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 11-22-72* | W | 34-20 |

DETROIT VS. SAN FRANCISCO**(21-20-1)**

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 10- 8-50* | W | 24- 7 |
| 10-22-50 | L | 27-28 |
| 12- 2-51* | L | 10-20 |
| 12-16-51 | L | 17-21 |
| 9-28-52 | L | 3-17 |
| 10-12-52* | L | 0-28 |
| 10-11-53* | W | 24-21 |
| 10-25-53 | W | 14-10 |
| 10-24-54 | L | 31-37 |
| 11-14-54* | W | 48- 7 |
| 10-16-55* | L | 24-27 |
| 10-30-55 | L | 21-38 |
| 10-21-56* | W | 20-17 |
| 11- 4-56 | W | 17-13 |
| 11- 3-57 | L | 31-35 |
| 11-17-57* | W | 31-10 |
| 11- 2-58 | L | 21-24 |
| 11-16-58* | W | 35-21 |
| 10-18-59* | L | 13-34 |
| 11- 1-59 | L | 7-33 |
| 10- 9-60* | L | 10-14 |
| 11- 6-60 | W | 24- 0 |
| 10- 1-61* | L | 0-49 |
| 11- 5-61 | T | 20-20 |
| 9-23-62* | W | 45-24 |
| 11-11-62 | W | 38-24 |
| 10- 6-63* | W | 26- 3 |
| 11- 3-63 | W | 45- 7 |
| 9-13-64 | W | 26-17 |
| 12-13-64* | W | 24- 7 |
| 11-14-65* | L | 21-27 |
| 12- 5-65 | L | 14-17 |
| 10-23-66 | L | 24-27 |
| 11-24-66* | L | 14-41 |
| 10-29-67 | W | 45- 3 |
| 10-27-68* | L | 7-14 |
| 11- 2-69 | W | 26-14 |
| 11-22-70* | W | 28-14 |
| 12-19-71 | L | 27-31 |
| 11- 4-73* | W | 30-20 |
| 10-14-74* | W | 17-13 |
| 11- 2-75 | W | 28-17 |

DETROIT VS. SEATTLE**(1-0-0)**

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|----------|-------|-------|
| 10-24-76 | W | 41-14 |

DETROIT VS. WASHINGTON**(3-12-0)**

| DATE | W-L-T | SCORE |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| 10-16-38* | L | 5- 7 |
| 11-26-39 | L | 7-31 |
| 10-27-40* | L | 14-20 |
| 11-29-42* | L | 3-15 |
| 11-14-43 | L | 20-42 |
| 10- 6-46 | L | 16-17 |
| 11-16-47* | W | 38-21 |
| 11-14-48 | L | 21-46 |
| 9-30-51* | W | 35-17 |
| 11-11-56 | L | 17-18 |
| 10- 3-65* | W | 14-10 |
| 12-15-68 | L | 3-14 |
| 10-11-70 | L | 10-31 |
| 11-22-73* | L | 0-20 |
| 10-17-76 | L | 7-20 |

LIONS PRE-SEASON GAMES RESULTS, 1949-1976

1949 (3-2-0)

NY Bulldogs at Hershey W 21-10
Pittsburgh at Roanoke W 41-21
Philadelphia at New Orleans L 14-45
Washington at Denver L 31-7
NY Giants at Minneapolis W 21-6

1950 (2-3-0)

at Pittsburgh L 17-14
Cleveland at Akron L 35-14
Washington at Dallas L 28-24
Philadelphia at Little Rock W 49-24
Chicago Cards at Birmingham W 24-16

1951 (4-1-1)

NY Giants at Dallas W 31-21
Philadelphia at Shreveport T 17-17
Washington at Amarillo L 10-7
Cleveland at DETROIT W 21-20
Chicago Cards at San Antonio W 21-7
NY Yanks at Houston W 28-14

1952 (6-0-0)

Chicago Cards at Amarillo W 28-13
Philadelphia at Little Rock W 7-3
NY Giants at DETROIT W 33-17
Cleveland at Syracuse W 28-21
at Dallas W 21-14
Washington at Norman W 45-7

1953 (4-1-1)

All-Stars at Chicago W 24-10
Pittsburgh at Syracuse W 16-13
NY Giants at Dallas W 38-7
Cleveland at DETROIT T 24-24
Washington at Buffalo W 31-17
at Philadelphia L 28-17

1954 (6-0-0)

All-Stars at Chicago W 31-6
at Philadelphia W 17-14
Washington at DETROIT W 37-7
NY Giants at Norman W 28-13
Cleveland at Dallas W 56-31
Pittsburgh at Buffalo W 42-14

1955 (4-2-0)

Philadelphia at Dallas L 14-8
Washington at Mobile W 17-14
Chicago Cards at St. Louis L 17-16
Pittsburgh at Miami W 24-0
at Cleveland W 19-3
NY Giants at DETROIT W 27-17

1956 (4-2-0)

Pittsburgh at Toledo W 20-15
Chicago Cards at Mobile L 20-17
Philadelphia at Miami W 31-14
Cleveland at DETROIT W 17-0
Cleveland at Akron W 30-14
Washington at Buffalo L 19-17

1957 (3-3-0)

Cleveland at DETROIT W 20-10
Philadelphia at Toledo W 34-27
Washington at Birmingham W 31-14
Pittsburgh at Buffalo L 20-14
at Cleveland L 23-7
NY Giants at DETROIT L 17-0

1958 (2-4-0)

All-Stars at Chicago L 35-19
Cleveland at DETROIT W 17-7
NY Giants at DETROIT W 26-7
Chicago Bears at Dallas L 24-17
Philadelphia at Norman L 31-24
at Cleveland L 41-7

1959 (4-2-1)

Los Angeles at Boulder T 20-20
Chicago Cards at Norman L 21-19
Cleveland at Akron W 9-3
NY Giants at DETROIT L 38-0
Philadelphia at Toledo W 35-24
Cleveland at DETROIT W 31-28
Washington at DETROIT W 31-14

1960 (2-3-1)

Cleveland at DETROIT L 28-14
St. Louis at Toledo W 24-21
Pittsburgh at DETROIT W 13-7
Philadelphia at Norman L 40-10
NY Giants at New Haven T 16-16
at Cleveland L 14-10

1961 (4-1-0)

Cleveland at DETROIT W 35-7
at Pittsburgh W 17-14
Philadelphia at DETROIT L 23-14
St. Louis at DETROIT W 20-7
at Cleveland W 35-17

1962 (4-1-0)

Cleveland at DETROIT L 17-14
Dallas at Cleveland W 35-24
Pittsburgh at DETROIT W 26-20
St. Louis at Omaha W 19-14
at St. Louis W 14-0

1963 (2-3-0)

Cleveland at DETROIT W 24-10
New York at Cleveland L 24-21
St. Louis at Omaha W 22-17
Pittsburgh at DETROIT L 22-7
Dallas at New Orleans L 27-17

1964 (3-1-1)

Washington at Charlotte W 28-27
Baltimore at DETROIT T 28-28
at Philadelphia W 17-13
Cleveland at DETROIT L 35-14
New York at Cleveland W 24-10

1966 (0-4-1)
 Minnesota at New Orleans T 6-6
 St. Louis at DETROIT L 28-14
 New York at New Haven L 17-7
 Dallas at Tulsa L 20-10
 Baltimore at DETROIT L 20-0

1967 (3-2-0)
 at Denver L 13-7
 Buffalo at DETROIT W 19-17
 at San Diego W 38-17
 Baltimore at DETROIT L 14-5
 at St. Louis W 21-7

1968 (2-3-0)
 at Buffalo L 13-9
 at Philadelphia W 20-3
 Baltimore at DETROIT W 14-7
 at Washington L 16-10
 New York Jets at Cleveland L 9-6

1969 (5-1-0)
 at Kansas City L 38-13
 Buffalo at DETROIT W 24-12
 Boston at Montreal W 22-9
 Washington at Tampa W 21-20
 Philadelphia at Raleigh W 23-21
 New Orleans at DETROIT W 42-7

1970 (4-2-0)
 Kansas City at DETROIT L 30-17
 at Buffalo W 22-6
 at New Orleans W 31-17
 Philadelphia at DETROIT W 31-7
 Baltimore at Raleigh L 20-14
 at Cincinnati W 31-14

1971 (3-3-0)
 New York Jets at Tampa W 28-24
 Cincinnati at DETROIT L 31-24
 Baltimore at Ann Arbor W 23-20
 at Miami L 28-24
 Buffalo at DETROIT L 31-17
 at Philadelphia W 49-10

1965 (1-4-0)
 at Philadelphia L 20-17
 Baltimore at DETROIT L 23-3
 Cleveland at DETROIT L 28-14
 New York at Cleveland W 25-21
 Washington at Canton L 20-3

1972 (4-2-0)
 Miami at DETROIT W 31-23
 at Cincinnati L 28-30
 Cleveland at Ann Arbor W 34-7
 Washington at DETROIT W 23-10
 Baltimore at Tampa W 24-17
 at New England L 34-30

1973 (4-2-0)
 at Washington W 17-14
 at Kansas City W 17-16
 Baltimore at Memphis L 32-28
 Cincinnati at DETROIT L 17-10
 at Cleveland W 16-13
 New England at DETROIT W 34-21

1974 (2-4-0)
 at Kansas City L 20-12
 at Baltimore W 6-3
 Oakland at DETROIT L 41-10
 at Cincinnati L 27-14
 at Buffalo L 28-7
 Cleveland at DETROIT W 21-7

1975 (2-4-0)
 Oakland at Berkeley L 34-0
 at Miami L 20-14
 Kansas City at PONTIAC W 27-24
 at Washington L 34-13
 Cincinnati at PONTIAC L 22-14
 at Cleveland W 27-24

1976 (3-4-0)
 Denver at Canton L 10-7
 Buffalo at PONTIAC W 20-17
 Miami at PONTIAC L 30-21
 at Cincinnati L 26-14
 Dallas at Memphis L 36-16
 at Kansas City W 23-21
 Baltimore at PONTIAC W 24-9

LIONS THANKSGIVING GAME SERIES

| YEAR | OPPONENT | W-L-T | SCORE | YEAR | OPPONENT | W-L-T | SCORE |
|------|-----------|-------|-------|------|---------------|-------|-------|
| 1934 | Bears | L | 16-19 | 1958 | Green Bay | W | 24-14 |
| 1935 | Bears | W | 14-2 | 1959 | Green Bay | L | 17-24 |
| 1936 | Bears | W | 13-7 | 1960 | Green Bay | W | 23-10 |
| 1937 | Bears | L | 0-13 | 1961 | Green Bay | L | 9-17 |
| 1938 | Bears | W | 14-7 | 1962 | Green Bay | W | 26-14 |
| 1945 | Cleveland | L | 21-28 | 1963 | Green Bay | T | 13-13 |
| 1946 | Boston | L | 10-34 | 1964 | Chicago | L | 24-27 |
| 1947 | Bears | L | 14-34 | 1965 | Baltimore | T | 24-24 |
| 1948 | Cardinals | L | 14-28 | 1966 | San Francisco | L | 14-41 |
| 1949 | Bears | L | 7-28 | 1967 | Los Angeles | L | 7-31 |
| 1950 | Yanks | W | 49-14 | 1968 | Philadelphia | L | 0-12 |
| 1951 | Green Bay | W | 52-35 | 1969 | Minnesota | L | 0-27 |
| 1952 | Green Bay | W | 48-24 | 1970 | Oakland | W | 28-14 |
| 1953 | Green Bay | W | 34-15 | 1971 | Kansas City | W | 32-21 |
| 1954 | Green Bay | W | 28-24 | 1972 | New York Jets | W | 37-20 |
| 1955 | Green Bay | W | 24-10 | 1973 | Washington | L | 0-20 |
| 1956 | Green Bay | L | 20-24 | 1974 | Denver | L | 27-31 |
| 1957 | Green Bay | W | 18-6 | 1975 | Los Angeles | L | 0-20 |
| | | | | 1976 | Buffalo | W | 27-14 |

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LIONS VS. ALL-TIME PRE-SEASON OPPONENTS

BALTIMORE 10 (5-5-1)

| | | | |
|-----|-----------|---|-------|
| '64 | Detroit | T | 28-28 |
| '65 | Detroit | L | 23- 3 |
| '66 | Detroit | L | 20- 0 |
| '67 | Detroit | L | 14- 5 |
| '68 | Detroit | W | 14- 7 |
| '70 | Raleigh | L | 20-14 |
| '71 | Ann Arbor | W | 23-20 |
| '72 | Tampa | W | 24-17 |
| '73 | Memphis | L | 32-28 |
| '74 | Baltimore | W | 6- 3 |
| '76 | Pontiac | W | 24- 9 |

BUFFALO (4-3)

| | | | |
|-----|---------|---|-------|
| '67 | Detroit | W | 19-17 |
| '68 | Buffalo | L | 13- 9 |
| '69 | Detroit | W | 24-12 |
| '70 | Buffalo | W | 22- 6 |
| '71 | Detroit | L | 31-17 |
| '74 | Buffalo | L | 28- 7 |
| '76 | Pontiac | W | 20-17 |

CHICAGO (0-1)

| | | | |
|-----|--------|---|-------|
| '58 | Dallas | L | 24-17 |
|-----|--------|---|-------|

CINCINNATI (1-6)

| | | | |
|-----|------------|---|-------|
| '70 | Cincinnati | W | 31-14 |
| '71 | Detroit | L | 31-24 |
| '72 | Cincinnati | L | 28-20 |
| '73 | Detroit | L | 17-10 |
| '74 | Cincinnati | L | 27-14 |
| '75 | Pontiac | L | 22-14 |
| '76 | Cincinnati | L | 26-14 |

CLEVELAND (17-8-1)

| | | | |
|-----|-----------|---|-------|
| '50 | Akron | L | 35-14 |
| '51 | Detroit | W | 21-20 |
| '52 | Syracuse | W | 28-21 |
| '53 | Detroit | T | 24-24 |
| '54 | Dallas | W | 56-31 |
| '55 | Cleveland | W | 19- 3 |
| '56 | Detroit | W | 17- 0 |
| '56 | Akron | W | 30-14 |
| '57 | Detroit | W | 20-10 |
| '57 | Cleveland | L | 23- 7 |
| '58 | Detroit | W | 17- 7 |
| '58 | Cleveland | L | 41- 7 |
| '59 | Akron | W | 9- 3 |
| '59 | Detroit | W | 31-28 |
| '60 | Detroit | L | 28-14 |
| '60 | Cleveland | L | 14-10 |
| '61 | Detroit | W | 35- 7 |
| '61 | Cleveland | W | 35-17 |
| '62 | Detroit | L | 17-14 |
| '63 | Detroit | W | 24-10 |
| '64 | Detroit | L | 35-14 |
| '65 | Detroit | L | 28-14 |
| '72 | Ann Arbor | W | 34- 7 |
| '73 | Cleveland | W | 16-13 |
| '74 | Detroit | W | 17- 7 |
| '75 | Cleveland | W | 27-24 |

DALLAS (1-3)

| | | | |
|-----|-------------|---|-------|
| '62 | Cleveland | W | 35-24 |
| '63 | New Orleans | L | 27-17 |
| '66 | Tulsa | L | 20-10 |
| '76 | Memphis | L | 36-16 |

DENVER (0-2)

| | | | |
|-----|--------|---|-------|
| '67 | Denver | L | 13- 7 |
| '76 | Canton | L | 10- 7 |

KANSAS CITY (3-3)

| | | | |
|-----|-------------|---|-------|
| '69 | Kansas City | L | 38-13 |
| '70 | Detroit | L | 30-17 |
| '73 | Kansas City | W | 17-16 |
| '74 | Kansas City | L | 20-12 |
| '75 | Pontiac | W | 27-24 |
| '76 | Kansas City | W | 23-21 |

LOS ANGELES (0-0-1)

| | | | |
|-----|---------|---|-------|
| '59 | Boulder | T | 20-20 |
|-----|---------|---|-------|

MIAMI (1-3)

| | | | |
|-----|---------|---|-------|
| '71 | Miami | L | 28-24 |
| '72 | Detroit | W | 31-23 |
| '75 | Miami | L | 20-14 |
| '76 | Pontiac | L | 30-21 |

MINNESOTA (0-0-1)

| | | | |
|-----|-------------|---|------|
| '66 | New Orleans | T | 6- 6 |
|-----|-------------|---|------|

NEW ENGLAND (2-1)

| | | | |
|-----|-------------|---|-------|
| '69 | Montreal | W | 22- 9 |
| '72 | New England | L | 34-30 |
| '73 | Detroit | W | 34-21 |

NEW ORLEANS (2-0)

| | | | |
|-----|-------------|---|-------|
| '69 | Detroit | W | 42- 7 |
| '70 | New Orleans | W | 31-17 |

NEW YORK GIANTS (9-4-1)

| | | | |
|-----|-------------|---|-------|
| '49 | Minneapolis | W | 21- 6 |
| '51 | Dallas | W | 31-21 |
| '52 | Detroit | W | 33-17 |
| '53 | Dallas | W | 38- 7 |
| '54 | Norman | W | 28-13 |
| '55 | Detroit | W | 27-17 |
| '57 | Detroit | L | 17- 0 |
| '58 | Detroit | W | 26- 7 |
| '59 | Detroit | L | 38- 0 |
| '60 | New Haven | T | 16-16 |
| '63 | Cleveland | L | 24-14 |
| '64 | Cleveland | W | 24-10 |
| '65 | Cleveland | W | 25-21 |
| '66 | New Haven | L | 17- 7 |

NEW YORK JETS (1-1)

| | | | |
|-----|-----------|---|-------|
| '68 | Cleveland | L | 9- 6 |
| '71 | Tampa | W | 28-24 |

OAKLAND (0-2)

| | | | |
|-----|----------|---|-------|
| '74 | Detroit | L | 41-10 |
| '75 | Berkeley | L | 34- 0 |

PHILADELPHIA (11-7-1)

| | | | |
|-----|--------------|---|-------|
| '49 | New Orleans | L | 45-14 |
| '50 | Little Rock | W | 49-24 |
| '51 | Shreveport | T | 17-17 |
| '52 | Little Rock | W | 7- 3 |
| '53 | Philadelphia | L | 28-17 |
| '54 | Philadelphia | W | 17-14 |
| '55 | Dallas | L | 14- 8 |
| '56 | Miami | W | 31-14 |
| '57 | Toledo | W | 34-27 |
| '58 | Norman | L | 31-24 |
| '59 | Toledo | W | 35-24 |
| '60 | Norman | L | 40-10 |
| '61 | Detroit | L | 23-14 |
| '64 | Philadelphia | W | 17-13 |

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|-----|--------------|---|-------|
| '65 | Philadelphia | L | 20-17 |
| '68 | Philadelphia | W | 20- 3 |
| '69 | Raleigh | W | 23-21 |
| '70 | Detroit | W | 31- 7 |
| '71 | Philadelphia | W | 49-10 |

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|-----|-----------|---|-------|
| '62 | Omaha | W | 19-14 |
| '62 | St. Louis | W | 14- 0 |
| '63 | Omaha | W | 22-17 |
| '66 | Detroit | L | 28-14 |
| '67 | St. Louis | W | 21- 7 |

PITTSBURGH (8-3)

| | | | |
|-----|------------|---|-------|
| '49 | Roanoke | W | 41-21 |
| '50 | Pittsburgh | L | 17-14 |
| '53 | Syracuse | W | 16-13 |
| '54 | Buffalo | W | 42-14 |
| '55 | Miami | W | 24- 0 |
| '56 | Toledo | W | 20-15 |
| '57 | Buffalo | L | 20-14 |
| '60 | Detroit | W | 13- 7 |
| '61 | Pittsburgh | W | 17-14 |
| '62 | Detroit | W | 26-20 |
| '63 | Detroit | L | 22- 7 |

SAN DIEGO (1-0)

| | | | |
|-----|-----------|---|-------|
| '67 | San Diego | W | 38-17 |
|-----|-----------|---|-------|

ST. LOUIS (6-1)

| | | | |
|-----|---------|---|-------|
| '60 | Toledo | W | 24-21 |
| '61 | Detroit | W | 20- 7 |

WASHINGTON (10-7)

| | | | |
|-----|------------|---|-------|
| '49 | Denver | L | 31- 7 |
| '50 | Dallas | L | 28-24 |
| '51 | Amarillo | L | 10- 7 |
| '52 | Norman | W | 45- 7 |
| '53 | Buffalo | W | 31-17 |
| '54 | Detroit | W | 37- 7 |
| '55 | Mobile | W | 17-14 |
| '56 | Buffalo | L | 19-17 |
| '57 | Birmingham | W | 31-14 |
| '59 | Detroit | W | 31-14 |
| '64 | Charlotte | W | 28-27 |
| '65 | Canton | L | 20- 3 |
| '68 | Washington | L | 16-10 |
| '69 | Tampa | W | 21-20 |
| '72 | Detroit | W | 23-10 |
| '73 | Washington | W | 17-14 |
| '75 | Washington | L | 34-13 |

LIONS PRO BOWL PLAYERS

ENDS

YEARS

| | |
|----------------------|----------------------|
| Barr, Terry (2) | 1964-65 |
| Box, Cloyce (2) | 1951-52 |
| Cogdill, Gail (3) | 1961, 63-64 |
| Gibbons, Jim (3) | 1961-62, 65 |
| Sanders, Charlie (6) | 1969-70-71-72, 75-77 |
| Studstill, Pat (2) | 1966-67 |

TACKLES

| | |
|--------------------|------------------|
| Ane, Charlie (2) | 1957, 59 |
| Brown, Roger (5) | 1963-64-65-66-67 |
| Creekmur, Lou (8) | 1951-58 |
| Freitas, Rocky (1) | 1973 |
| Karras, Alex (4) | 1961-62-63, 66 |
| McCord, Darris (1) | 1958 |

GUARDS

| | |
|---------------------|----------------|
| Gordy, John (3) | 1964-65-66 |
| Martin, Jim (1) | 1962 |
| McGraw, Thurman (1) | 1951 |
| Sewell, Harley (4) | 1958-59-60, 63 |
| Stanfel, Dick (1) | 1954 |

QUARTERBACKS

| | |
|------------------|-------------|
| Layne, Bobby (3) | 1953-54, 57 |
| Landry, Greg (1) | 1972 |

CENTERS

YEARS

| | |
|----------------------|----------------|
| Bingaman, Les (2) | 1952, 54 |
| Flanagan, Ed (4) | 1970-71-72, 74 |
| Torgeson, LaVern (1) | 1955 |

LINEBACKERS

| | |
|-------------------|------------|
| Lucci, Mike (1) | 1972 |
| Naumoff, Paul (1) | 1971 |
| Schmidt, Joe (10) | 1955-64 |
| Walker, Wayne (3) | 1964-65-66 |

DEFENSIVE BACKS

| | |
|------------------------|---------------------------|
| Barney, Lem (5) | 1968-69-70, 73-74, 76, 77 |
| Christiansen, Jack (5) | 1954-58 |
| David, Jim (6) | 1955-60 |
| Doll, Don (3) | 1951-52-53 |
| Jauron, Dick (1) | 1975 |
| Lane, Dick (3) | 1961-62-63 |
| Lary, Yale (9) | 1954, 1957-63, 1965 |
| LeBeau, Dick (3) | 1965-66-67 |
| Smith, Bob (1) | 1953 |
| Stits, Bill (1) | 1955 |

OFFENSIVE BACKS

| | |
|-----------------------|------------------|
| Farr, Mel (2) | 1968, 1971 |
| Harder, Pat (1) | 1953 |
| Hoenschmeyer, Bob (2) | 1952-53 |
| Owens, Steve (1) | 1972 |
| Pietrosante, Nick (2) | 1961-62 |
| Walker, Doak (5) | 1951-52, 1954-56 |

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE STANDINGS

(Since 1934 When Lions Entered League)

| Western Division | | | | 1934 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|-------------------|----|----|---|-------|------------------|---|----|---|------|
| Chicago Bears | 13 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | New York | 8 | 5 | 0 | .615 |
| DETROIT | 10 | 3 | 0 | .769 | Boston | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 |
| Green Bay | 7 | 6 | 0 | .538 | Brooklyn | 4 | 7 | 0 | .363 |
| Chicago Cardinals | 5 | 6 | 0 | .454 | Philadelphia | 4 | 7 | 0 | .363 |
| St. Louis | 1 | 10 | 0 | .090 | Pittsburgh | 2 | 10 | 0 | .166 |

New York defeated Bears, 30-13, for World's Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1935 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|-------------------|---|---|---|------|------------------|---|---|---|------|
| DETROIT | 7 | 3 | 2 | .700 | New York | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 |
| Green Bay | 8 | 4 | 0 | .666 | Brooklyn | 5 | 6 | 1 | .454 |
| Chicago Cardinals | 6 | 4 | 2 | .600 | Pittsburgh | 4 | 8 | 0 | .333 |
| Chicago Bears | 6 | 4 | 2 | .600 | Boston * | 2 | 8 | 1 | .200 |
| | | | | | Philadelphia * | 2 | 9 | 0 | .181 |

DETROIT defeated New York, 26-7, for World's Championship.

* One game canceled.

| Western Division | | | | 1936 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|-------------------|----|---|---|------|------------------|---|----|---|------|
| Green Bay | 10 | 1 | 1 | .909 | Boston | 7 | 5 | 0 | .714 |
| Chicago Bears | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 | Pittsburgh | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 |
| DETROIT | 8 | 4 | 0 | .666 | New York | 3 | 8 | 1 | .272 |
| Chicago Cardinals | 3 | 8 | 1 | .272 | Philadelphia | 1 | 11 | 0 | .084 |

Green Bay defeated Boston, 21-6, for World's Champion

| Western Division | | | | 1937 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|-------------------|---|----|---|------|------------------|---|---|---|------|
| Chicago Bears | 9 | 1 | 1 | .900 | Washington | 8 | 3 | 0 | .727 |
| Green Bay | 7 | 4 | 0 | .636 | New York | 6 | 3 | 2 | .667 |
| DETROIT | 7 | 4 | 0 | .636 | Pittsburgh | 4 | 7 | 0 | .364 |
| Chicago Cardinals | 5 | 5 | 1 | .500 | Brooklyn | 3 | 7 | 1 | .300 |
| Cleveland | 1 | 10 | 0 | .091 | Philadelphia | 2 | 8 | 1 | .200 |

Washington defeated Bears, 28-21, for World's Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1938 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|-------------------|---|---|---|------|------------------|---|---|---|------|
| Green Bay | 8 | 3 | 0 | .727 | New York | 8 | 2 | 1 | .800 |
| DETROIT | 7 | 4 | 0 | .636 | Washington | 6 | 3 | 2 | .666 |
| Chicago Bears | 6 | 5 | 0 | .545 | Brooklyn | 4 | 4 | 3 | .500 |
| Cleveland | 4 | 7 | 0 | .364 | Philadelphia | 5 | 6 | 0 | .455 |
| Chicago Cardinals | 2 | 9 | 0 | .182 | Pittsburgh | 2 | 9 | 0 | .182 |

New York defeated Green Bay, 23-17, for World's Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1939 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|-------------------|---|----|---|------|------------------|---|---|---|------|
| Green Bay | 9 | 2 | 0 | .818 | New York | 9 | 1 | 1 | .900 |
| Chicago Bears | 8 | 3 | 0 | .727 | Washington | 8 | 2 | 1 | .800 |
| DETROIT | 6 | 5 | 0 | .545 | Brooklyn | 4 | 6 | 1 | .400 |
| Cleveland | 5 | 5 | 1 | .500 | Philadelphia | 1 | 9 | 1 | .100 |
| Chicago Cardinals | 1 | 10 | 0 | .091 | Pittsburgh | 1 | 9 | 1 | .100 |

Green Bay defeated New York, 27-0, for World's Championship

| Western Division | | | | 1940 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|-------------------|---|---|---|------|------------------|---|----|---|------|
| Chicago Bears | 8 | 3 | 0 | .727 | Washington | 9 | 2 | 0 | .818 |
| Green Bay | 6 | 4 | 1 | .600 | Brooklyn | 8 | 3 | 0 | .727 |
| DETROIT | 5 | 5 | 1 | .500 | New York | 6 | 4 | 1 | .600 |
| Cleveland | 4 | 6 | 1 | .400 | Pittsburgh | 2 | 7 | 2 | .222 |
| Chicago Cardinals | 2 | 7 | 2 | .222 | Philadelphia | 1 | 10 | 0 | .100 |

Bears defeated Washington, 73-0, for World's Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1941 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|-------------------|----|---|---|------|------------------|---|---|---|------|
| Chicago Bears * | 10 | 1 | 0 | .909 | New York | 8 | 3 | 0 | .727 |
| Green Bay | 10 | 1 | 0 | .909 | Brooklyn | 7 | 4 | 0 | .636 |
| DETROIT | 4 | 6 | 1 | .400 | Washington | 6 | 5 | 0 | .545 |
| Chicago Cardinals | 3 | 7 | 1 | .300 | Philadelphia | 2 | 8 | 1 | .200 |
| Cleveland | 2 | 9 | 0 | .182 | Pittsburgh | 1 | 9 | 1 | .100 |

*Bears defeated Green Bay, 33-14, in divisional playoff.
Bears defeated New York, 37-9, for World's Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1942 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|-------------------|----|----|---|-------|------------------|----|---|---|------|
| Chicago Bears | 11 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | Washington | 10 | 1 | 0 | .909 |
| Green Bay | 8 | 2 | 1 | .800 | Pittsburgh | 7 | 4 | 0 | .636 |
| Cleveland | 5 | 6 | 0 | .455 | New York | 5 | 5 | 1 | .500 |
| Chicago Cardinals | 3 | 8 | 0 | .273 | Brooklyn | 3 | 8 | 0 | .273 |
| DETROIT | 0 | 11 | 0 | .000 | Philadelphia | 2 | 9 | 0 | .182 |

Washington defeated Bears, 14-6, for World's Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1943 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|-------------------|---|----|---|------|------------------|---|---|---|------|
| Chicago Bears | 8 | 1 | 1 | .889 | Washington * | 6 | 3 | 1 | .667 |
| Green Bay | 7 | 2 | 1 | .778 | New York | 6 | 3 | 1 | .667 |
| DETROIT | 3 | 6 | 1 | .333 | Phil.-Pitt. | 5 | 4 | 1 | .555 |
| Chicago Cardinals | 0 | 10 | 0 | .000 | Brooklyn | 2 | 8 | 0 | .200 |

*Washington defeated New York, 28-0, in divisional playoff
Bears defeated Washington, 41-21, for World's Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1944 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|------------------|---|----|---|------|------------------|---|----|---|------|
| Green Bay | 8 | 2 | 0 | .800 | New York | 8 | 1 | 1 | .889 |
| Chicago Bears | 6 | 3 | 1 | .667 | Philadelphia | 7 | 1 | 2 | .875 |
| DETROIT | 6 | 3 | 1 | .667 | Washington | 6 | 3 | 1 | .667 |
| Cleveland | 4 | 6 | 1 | .400 | Boston | 2 | 8 | 0 | .200 |
| Card.-Pitt. | 0 | 10 | 0 | .000 | Brooklyn | 0 | 10 | 0 | .000 |

Green Bay defeated New York, 14-7, for World's Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1945 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|-------------------|---|---|---|------|------------------|---|---|---|------|
| Cleveland | 9 | 1 | 0 | .900 | Washington | 8 | 2 | 0 | .800 |
| DETROIT | 7 | 3 | 0 | .700 | Philadelphia | 7 | 3 | 0 | .700 |
| Green Bay | 6 | 4 | 0 | .600 | New York | 3 | 6 | 1 | .333 |
| Chicago Bears | 3 | 7 | 0 | .300 | Yanks | 3 | 6 | 1 | .333 |
| Chicago Cardinals | 1 | 9 | 0 | .100 | Pittsburgh | 2 | 8 | 0 | .200 |

Cleveland defeated Washington, 15-14, for World's Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1946 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|-------------------|---|----|---|------|------------------|---|---|---|------|
| Chicago Bears | 8 | 2 | 1 | .800 | New York | 7 | 3 | 1 | .700 |
| Los Angeles | 6 | 4 | 1 | .600 | Philadelphia | 6 | 5 | 0 | .545 |
| Green Bay | 6 | 5 | 0 | .545 | Washington | 5 | 5 | 1 | .500 |
| Chicago Cardinals | 6 | 5 | 0 | .545 | Pittsburgh | 5 | 5 | 1 | .500 |
| DETROIT | 1 | 10 | 0 | .091 | Boston | 2 | 8 | 1 | .200 |

Chicago Bears defeated New York, 24-14, for World's Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1947 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|-------------------|---|---|---|------|------------------|---|---|---|------|
| Chicago Cardinals | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 | Philadelphia * | 8 | 4 | 0 | .667 |
| Chicago Bears | 8 | 4 | 0 | .667 | Pittsburgh | 8 | 4 | 0 | .667 |
| Green Bay | 6 | 5 | 1 | .545 | Boston | 4 | 7 | 1 | .364 |
| Los Angeles | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 | Washington | 4 | 8 | 0 | .333 |
| DETROIT | 3 | 8 | 0 | .250 | New York | 2 | 8 | 2 | .200 |

*Philadelphia defeated Pittsburgh, 21-0, in divisional playoff.
Chicago Cardinals defeated Philadelphia, 28-21, for World's Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1948 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|-------------------|----|----|---|------|------------------|---|---|---|------|
| Chicago Cardinals | 11 | 1 | 0 | .917 | Philadelphia | 9 | 2 | 1 | .818 |
| Chicago Bears | 10 | 2 | 0 | .833 | Washington | 7 | 5 | 0 | .583 |
| Los Angeles | 6 | 5 | 1 | .545 | New York | 4 | 8 | 0 | .333 |
| Green Bay | 3 | 9 | 0 | .250 | Pittsburgh | 4 | 8 | 0 | .333 |
| DETROIT | 2 | 10 | 0 | .167 | Boston | 3 | 9 | 0 | .250 |

Philadelphia defeated Cardinals, 7-0, for World's Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1949 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|-------------------|---|----|---|------|-------------------|----|----|---|------|
| Los Angeles | 8 | 2 | 2 | .800 | Philadelphia | 11 | 1 | 0 | .917 |
| Chicago Bears | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 | Pittsburgh | 6 | 5 | 1 | .545 |
| Chicago Cardinals | 6 | 5 | 1 | .545 | New York Giants | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 |
| DETROIT | 4 | 8 | 0 | .333 | Washington | 4 | 7 | 1 | .364 |
| Green Bay | 2 | 10 | 0 | .167 | New York Bulldogs | 1 | 10 | 1 | .091 |

Philadelphia defeated Los Angeles, 14-0, for World's Championship.

| National Conference | | | | 1950 | American Conference | | | | |
|---------------------|---|----|---|------|---------------------|----|---|---|------|
| Los Angeles | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 | Cleveland | 10 | 2 | 0 | .833 |
| Chicago Bears | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 | New York Giants | 10 | 2 | 0 | .833 |
| New York Yanks | 7 | 5 | 0 | .583 | Philadelphia | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 |
| DETROIT | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 | Pittsburgh | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 |
| Green Bay | 3 | 9 | 0 | .250 | Chicago Cardinals | 5 | 7 | 0 | .417 |
| San Francisco | 3 | 9 | 0 | .250 | Washington | 3 | 9 | 0 | .250 |
| Baltimore | 1 | 11 | 0 | .083 | | | | | |

Cleveland defeated Los Angeles, 30-28, for World's Championship.

| National Conference | | | | 1951 | American Conference | | | | |
|---------------------|---|---|---|------|---------------------|----|---|---|------|
| Los Angeles | 8 | 4 | 0 | .667 | Cleveland | 11 | 1 | 0 | .917 |
| DETROIT | 7 | 4 | 1 | .636 | New York Giants | 9 | 2 | 1 | .818 |
| San Francisco | 7 | 4 | 1 | .636 | Washington | 5 | 7 | 0 | .417 |
| Chicago Bears | 7 | 5 | 0 | .583 | Pittsburgh | 4 | 7 | 1 | .364 |
| Green Bay | 3 | 9 | 0 | .250 | Philadelphia | 4 | 8 | 0 | .333 |
| New York Yanks | 1 | 9 | 2 | .100 | Chicago Cardinals | 3 | 9 | 0 | .250 |

Los Angeles defeated Cleveland, 24-17, for World's Championship.

| National Conference | | | | 1952 | American Conference | | | | |
|---------------------|---|----|---|------|---------------------|---|---|---|------|
| DETROIT | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 | Cleveland | 8 | 4 | 0 | .667 |
| Los Angeles | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 | Philadelphia | 7 | 5 | 0 | .583 |
| San Francisco | 7 | 5 | 0 | .583 | New York | 7 | 5 | 0 | .583 |
| Green Bay | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 | Pittsburgh | 5 | 7 | 0 | .417 |
| Chicago Bears | 5 | 7 | 0 | .417 | Chicago Cardinals | 4 | 8 | 0 | .333 |
| Dallas | 1 | 11 | 0 | .083 | Washington | 4 | 8 | 0 | .333 |

DETROIT defeated Cleveland, 17-7, for World's Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1953 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|---|---|------|-------------------|----|----|---|------|
| DETROIT | 10 | 2 | 0 | .833 | Cleveland | 11 | 1 | 0 | .917 |
| San Francisco | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 | Philadelphia | 7 | 4 | 1 | .636 |
| Los Angeles | 8 | 3 | 1 | .727 | Washington | 6 | 5 | 1 | .545 |
| Chicago Bears | 3 | 8 | 1 | .273 | Pittsburgh | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 |
| Baltimore | 3 | 9 | 0 | .250 | New York | 3 | 9 | 0 | .250 |
| Green Bay | 2 | 9 | 1 | .182 | Chicago Cardinals | 1 | 10 | 1 | .091 |

DETROIT defeated Cleveland, 17-16, for World's Championship.

Western Division

1954

Eastern Division

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------|---|---|---|------|-------------------|---|----|---|------|
| DETROIT | 9 | 2 | 1 | .818 | Cleveland | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 |
| Chicago Bears | 8 | 4 | 0 | .667 | Philadelphia | 7 | 4 | 1 | .636 |
| San Francisco | 7 | 4 | 1 | .636 | New York | 7 | 5 | 0 | .583 |
| Los Angeles | 6 | 5 | 1 | .545 | Pittsburgh | 5 | 7 | 0 | .417 |
| Green Bay | 4 | 8 | 0 | .333 | Washington | 3 | 9 | 0 | .250 |
| Baltimore | 3 | 9 | 0 | .250 | Chicago Cardinals | 2 | 10 | 0 | .167 |

Cleveland defeated DETROIT, 56-10, for World's Championship.

Western Division

1955

Eastern Division

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------|---|---|---|------|-------------------|---|---|---|------|
| Los Angeles | 8 | 3 | 1 | .727 | Cleveland | 9 | 2 | 1 | .818 |
| Chicago Bears | 8 | 4 | 0 | .667 | Washington | 8 | 4 | 0 | .667 |
| Green Bay | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 | New York | 6 | 5 | 1 | .545 |
| Baltimore | 5 | 6 | 1 | .455 | Philadelphia | 4 | 7 | 1 | .364 |
| San Francisco | 4 | 8 | 0 | .333 | Chicago Cardinals | 4 | 7 | 1 | .364 |
| DETROIT | 3 | 9 | 0 | .250 | Pittsburgh | 4 | 8 | 0 | .333 |

Cleveland defeated Los Angeles, 38-14, for World's Championship.

Western Division

1956

Eastern Division

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------|---|---|---|------|-------------------|---|---|---|------|
| Chicago Bears | 9 | 2 | 1 | .818 | New York | 8 | 3 | 1 | .727 |
| DETROIT | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 | Chicago Cardinals | 7 | 5 | 0 | .583 |
| San Francisco | 5 | 6 | 1 | .455 | Washington | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 |
| Baltimore | 5 | 7 | 0 | .417 | Cleveland | 5 | 7 | 0 | .417 |
| Green Bay | 4 | 8 | 0 | .333 | Pittsburgh | 5 | 7 | 0 | .417 |
| Los Angeles | 4 | 8 | 0 | .333 | Philadelphia | 3 | 8 | 1 | .273 |

New York Giants defeated Chicago Bears, 47-7, for World's Championship.

Western Division

1957

Eastern Division

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------|---|---|---|------|-------------------|---|---|---|------|
| DETROIT * | 8 | 4 | 0 | .667 | Cleveland | 9 | 2 | 1 | .818 |
| San Francisco | 8 | 4 | 0 | .667 | New York | 7 | 5 | 0 | .583 |
| Baltimore | 7 | 5 | 0 | .583 | Pittsburgh | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 |
| Los Angeles | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 | Washington | 5 | 6 | 1 | .455 |
| Chicago Bears | 5 | 7 | 0 | .417 | Philadelphia | 4 | 8 | 0 | .333 |
| Green Bay | 3 | 9 | 0 | .250 | Chicago Cardinals | 3 | 9 | 0 | .250 |

*DETROIT defeated San Francisco, 31-27, in divisional playoff.
DETROIT defeated Cleveland, 59-14, for World's Championship.

Western Division

1958

Eastern Division

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------|---|----|---|------|-------------------|---|---|---|------|
| Baltimore | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 | Cleveland * | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 |
| Chicago Bears | 8 | 4 | 0 | .667 | New York | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 |
| Los Angeles | 8 | 4 | 0 | .667 | Pittsburgh | 7 | 4 | 1 | .636 |
| San Francisco | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 | Washington | 4 | 7 | 1 | .364 |
| DETROIT | 4 | 7 | 1 | .364 | Chicago Cardinals | 2 | 9 | 1 | .182 |
| Green Bay | 1 | 10 | 1 | .091 | Philadelphia | 2 | 9 | 1 | .182 |

*New York Giants defeated Cleveland, 10-0, in divisional playoff.
Baltimore defeated New York, 23-17, for World's Championship. (Sudden Death 8:15)

Western Division

1959

Eastern Division

| | W | L | T | Pct. | | | | | |
|---------------|---|----|---|------|-------------------|----|----|---|------|
| Baltimore | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 | New York | 10 | 2 | 0 | .833 |
| Chicago Bears | 8 | 4 | 0 | .667 | Cleveland | 7 | 5 | 0 | .583 |
| Green Bay | 7 | 5 | 0 | .583 | Philadelphia | 7 | 5 | 0 | .583 |
| San Francisco | 7 | 5 | 0 | .583 | Pittsburgh | 6 | 5 | 1 | .545 |
| DETROIT | 3 | 8 | 1 | .213 | Washington | 3 | 9 | 0 | .250 |
| Los Angeles | 2 | 10 | 0 | .167 | Chicago Cardinals | 2 | 10 | 0 | .167 |

Baltimore defeated New York, 31-16, for World's Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1960 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|------------------|---|----|---|------|------------------|----|---|---|------|
| Green Bay | 8 | 4 | 0 | .667 | Philadelphia | 10 | 2 | 0 | .833 |
| DETROIT | 7 | 5 | 0 | .583 | Cleveland | 8 | 3 | 1 | .727 |
| San Francisco | 7 | 5 | 0 | .583 | New York | 6 | 4 | 2 | .600 |
| Baltimore | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 | St. Louis | 6 | 5 | 1 | .545 |
| Chicago | 5 | 6 | 1 | .454 | Pittsburgh | 5 | 6 | 1 | .454 |
| Los Angeles | 4 | 7 | 1 | .363 | Washington | 1 | 9 | 2 | .100 |
| Dallas | 0 | 11 | 1 | .000 | | | | | |

Philadelphia defeated Green Bay, 17-13, for World's Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1961 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|---|------|------------------|----|----|---|------|
| Green Bay | 11 | 3 | 0 | .786 | New York | 10 | 3 | 1 | .769 |
| DETROIT | 8 | 5 | 1 | .615 | Philadelphia | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| Baltimore | 8 | 6 | 0 | .571 | Cleveland | 8 | 5 | 1 | .615 |
| Chicago | 8 | 6 | 0 | .571 | St. Louis | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 |
| San Francisco | 7 | 6 | 1 | .538 | Pittsburgh | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 |
| Los Angeles | 4 | 10 | 0 | .286 | Dallas | 4 | 9 | 1 | .308 |
| Minnesota | 3 | 11 | 0 | .214 | Washington | 1 | 12 | 1 | .077 |

Green Bay defeated New York, 37-0, for World's Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1962 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|---|------|------------------|----|----|---|------|
| Green Bay | 13 | 1 | 0 | .929 | New York | 12 | 2 | 0 | .857 |
| DETROIT | 11 | 3 | 0 | .786 | Pittsburgh | 9 | 5 | 0 | .643 |
| Chicago | 9 | 5 | 0 | .643 | Cleveland | 7 | 6 | 1 | .538 |
| Baltimore | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 | Washington | 5 | 7 | 2 | .417 |
| San Francisco | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 | Dallas | 5 | 8 | 1 | .385 |
| Minnesota | 2 | 11 | 1 | .154 | St. Louis | 4 | 9 | 1 | .308 |
| Los Angeles | 1 | 12 | 1 | .077 | Philadelphia | 3 | 10 | 1 | .231 |

Green Bay defeated New York, 16-7, for World's Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1963 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|---|------|------------------|----|----|---|------|
| Chicago | 11 | 1 | 2 | .917 | New York | 11 | 3 | 0 | .786 |
| Green Bay | 11 | 2 | 1 | .846 | Cleveland | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| Baltimore | 8 | 6 | 0 | .571 | St. Louis | 9 | 5 | 0 | .643 |
| DETROIT | 5 | 8 | 1 | .385 | Pittsburgh | 7 | 4 | 3 | .636 |
| Minnesota | 5 | 8 | 1 | .385 | Dallas | 4 | 10 | 0 | .286 |
| Los Angeles | 5 | 9 | 0 | .357 | Washington | 3 | 11 | 0 | .214 |
| San Francisco | 2 | 12 | 0 | .143 | Philadelphia | 2 | 10 | 2 | .167 |

Chicago defeated New York, 14-10, for World's Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1964 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|---|------|------------------|----|----|---|------|
| Baltimore | 12 | 2 | 0 | .857 | Cleveland | 10 | 3 | 1 | .769 |
| Green Bay | 8 | 5 | 1 | .615 | St. Louis | 9 | 3 | 2 | .750 |
| Minnesota | 8 | 5 | 1 | .615 | Philadelphia | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 |
| DETROIT | 7 | 5 | 2 | .583 | Washington | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 |
| Los Angeles | 5 | 7 | 2 | .417 | Dallas | 5 | 8 | 1 | .385 |
| Chicago | 5 | 9 | 0 | .357 | Pittsburgh | 5 | 9 | 0 | .357 |
| San Francisco | 4 | 10 | 0 | .286 | New York | 2 | 10 | 2 | .166 |

Cleveland defeated Baltimore, 27-0, for World's Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1965 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|---|------|------------------|----|----|---|------|
| Green Bay * | 10 | 3 | 1 | .769 | Cleveland | 11 | 3 | 0 | .786 |
| Baltimore | 10 | 3 | 1 | .769 | Dallas | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 |
| Chicago | 9 | 5 | 0 | .643 | New York | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 |
| San Francisco | 7 | 6 | 1 | .538 | Washington | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 |
| Minnesota | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 | Philadelphia | 5 | 9 | 0 | .357 |
| DETROIT | 6 | 7 | 1 | .462 | St. Louis | 5 | 9 | 0 | .367 |
| Los Angeles | 4 | 10 | 1 | .286 | Pittsburgh | 2 | 12 | 0 | .143 |

*Green Bay defeated Baltimore, 13-10, in playoff (overtime).
Green Bay defeated Cleveland, 23-12, for Championship.

| Western Division | | | | 1966 | Eastern Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|---|---|------|------------------|----|----|---|------|
| Green Bay | 12 | 2 | 0 | .857 | Dallas | 10 | 3 | 1 | .769 |
| Baltimore | 9 | 5 | 0 | .643 | Cleveland | 9 | 5 | 0 | .643 |
| Los Angeles | 8 | 6 | 0 | .571 | Philadelphia | 9 | 5 | 0 | .643 |
| San Francisco | 6 | 6 | 2 | .500 | St. Louis | 8 | 5 | 1 | .615 |
| Chicago | 5 | 7 | 2 | .417 | Washington | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 |
| DETROIT | 4 | 9 | 1 | .308 | Pittsburgh | 5 | 8 | 1 | .385 |
| Minnesota | 4 | 9 | 1 | .308 | Atlanta | 3 | 11 | 0 | .214 |
| | | | | | New York | 1 | 12 | 1 | .017 |

Green Bay defeated Dallas, 34-27, for NFL Championship.
Green Bay defeated Kansas City (AFL), 35-10, in Super Bowl I.

| WESTERN CONFERENCE | | | | 1967 | EASTERN CONFERENCE | | | | |
|--------------------|----|----|---|------|--------------------|---|----|---|------|
| Central Division | | | | | Capitol Division | | | | |
| Green Bay | 9 | 4 | 1 | .692 | Dallas | 9 | 5 | 0 | .643 |
| Chicago | 7 | 6 | 1 | .538 | Philadelphia | 6 | 7 | 1 | .462 |
| DETROIT | 5 | 7 | 2 | .417 | Washington | 5 | 6 | 3 | .455 |
| Minnesota | 3 | 8 | 3 | .273 | New Orleans | 3 | 11 | 0 | .214 |
| Coastal Division | | | | | Century Division | | | | |
| Los Angeles | 11 | 1 | 2 | .917 | Cleveland | 9 | 5 | 0 | .643 |
| Baltimore | 11 | 1 | 2 | .917 | New York | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 |
| San Francisco | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 | St. Louis | 6 | 7 | 1 | .462 |
| Atlanta | 1 | 12 | 1 | .077 | Pittsburgh | 4 | 9 | 1 | .308 |

Green Bay defeated Los Angeles, 28-7, for Western title. Dallas defeated Cleveland, 52-14, for Eastern title.
Green Bay defeated Dallas, 21-17, for NFL Championship.
Green Bay defeated Oakland (AFL), 33-14, in Super Bowl II.

| WESTERN CONFERENCE | | | | 1968 | EASTERN CONFERENCE | | | | |
|--------------------|----|----|---|------|--------------------|----|----|---|------|
| Central Division | | | | | Capitol Division | | | | |
| Minnesota | 8 | 6 | 0 | .571 | Dallas | 12 | 2 | 0 | .857 |
| Chicago | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 | New York | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 |
| Green Bay | 6 | 7 | 1 | .462 | Washington | 5 | 9 | 0 | .357 |
| DETROIT | 4 | 8 | 2 | .333 | Philadelphia | 2 | 12 | 0 | .143 |
| Coastal Division | | | | | Century Division | | | | |
| Baltimore | 13 | 1 | 0 | .929 | Cleveland | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| Los Angeles | 10 | 3 | 1 | .769 | St. Louis | 9 | 4 | 1 | .692 |
| San Francisco | 2 | 12 | 0 | .143 | New Orleans | 4 | 9 | 1 | .308 |
| Allanta | 2 | 12 | 0 | .143 | Pittsburgh | 2 | 11 | 1 | .154 |

Baltimore defeated Minnesota, 24-14, for Western title. Cleveland defeated Dallas, 31-20, for Eastern title.
Baltimore defeated Cleveland, 34-0, for NFL Championship.
New York (AFL) defeated Baltimore, 16-7, in Super Bowl III.

| WESTERN CONFERENCE | | | | 1969 | EASTERN CONFERENCE | | | | |
|--------------------|----|----|---|------|--------------------|----|----|---|------|
| Central Division | | | | | Capitol Division | | | | |
| Minnesota | 12 | 2 | 0 | .857 | Dallas | 11 | 2 | 1 | .846 |
| DETROIT | 9 | 4 | 1 | .692 | Washington | 7 | 5 | 2 | .583 |
| Green Bay | 8 | 6 | 0 | .571 | New Orleans | 5 | 9 | 0 | .357 |
| Chicago | 1 | 13 | 0 | .071 | Philadelphia | 4 | 9 | 1 | .308 |
| Coastal Division | | | | | Century Division | | | | |
| Los Angeles | 11 | 3 | 0 | .785 | Cleveland | 10 | 3 | 1 | .769 |
| Baltimore | 8 | 5 | 1 | .615 | New York | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 |
| Atlanta | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 | St. Louis | 4 | 9 | 1 | .308 |
| San Francisco | 4 | 8 | 2 | .333 | Pittsburgh | 1 | 13 | 0 | .071 |

Minnesota defeated Los Angeles, 23-20, for Western title. Cleveland defeated Dallas, 38-14, for Eastern title.
Minnesota defeated Cleveland, 27-7, for NFL Championship.
Kansas City (AFL) defeated Minnesota, 23-7, in Super Bowl IV.

1970

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

| Central Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|---|------|
| | W | L | T | Pct. |
| Minnesota | 12 | 2 | 0 | .857 |
| DETROIT | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| Chicago | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 |
| Green Bay | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 |
| Eastern Division | | | | |
| Dallas | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| New York | 9 | 5 | 0 | .643 |
| St. Louis | 8 | 5 | 1 | .515 |
| Washington | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 |
| Philadelphia | 3 | 10 | 1 | .231 |
| Western Division | | | | |
| San Francisco | 10 | 3 | 1 | .769 |
| Los Angeles | 9 | 4 | 1 | .692 |
| Atlanta | 4 | 8 | 2 | .333 |
| New Orleans | 2 | 11 | 1 | .154 |

Dallas defeated DETROIT, 5-0, and San Francisco defeated Minnesota, 17-14, in National Conference playoffs. Dallas defeated San Francisco, 17-10, for National Conference title.

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

| Central Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|---|------|
| | W | L | T | Pct. |
| Cincinnati | 8 | 6 | 0 | .571 |
| Cleveland | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 |
| Pittsburgh | 5 | 9 | 0 | .357 |
| Houston | 3 | 10 | 1 | .231 |
| Eastern Division | | | | |
| Baltimore | 11 | 2 | 1 | .846 |
| Miami | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| New York | 4 | 10 | 0 | .286 |
| Buffalo | 3 | 10 | 1 | .231 |
| Boston | 2 | 12 | 0 | .143 |
| Western Division | | | | |
| Oakland | 8 | 4 | 2 | .667 |
| Kansas City | 7 | 5 | 2 | .583 |
| San Diego | 5 | 6 | 3 | .455 |
| Denver | 5 | 8 | 1 | .357 |

Baltimore defeated Cincinnati, 17-0, and Oakland defeated Miami, 21-14, in American Conference playoffs. Baltimore defeated Oakland, 27-17, for American Conference title.

Baltimore defeated Dallas 16-13, for NFL title in Super Bowl VI.

1971

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

| Central Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|---|------|
| | W | L | T | Pct. |
| Minnesota | 11 | 3 | 0 | .786 |
| DETROIT | 7 | 6 | 1 | .538 |
| Chicago | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 |
| Green Bay | 4 | 8 | 2 | .333 |
| Eastern Division | | | | |
| Dallas | 11 | 3 | 0 | .786 |
| Washington | 9 | 4 | 1 | .692 |
| Philadelphia | 6 | 7 | 1 | .462 |
| St. Louis | 4 | 9 | 1 | .308 |
| New York Giants | 4 | 10 | 0 | .286 |
| Western Division | | | | |
| San Francisco | 9 | 5 | 0 | .643 |
| Los Angeles | 8 | 5 | 1 | .615 |
| Atlanta | 7 | 6 | 1 | .538 |
| New Orleans | 4 | 8 | 2 | .333 |

Dallas defeated Minnesota, 20-12, and San Francisco defeated Washington, 24-20, in National Conference playoffs. Dallas defeated San Francisco, 14-3, for National Conference title.

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

| Central Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|---|------|
| | W | L | T | Pct. |
| Cleveland | 9 | 5 | 0 | .643 |
| Pittsburgh | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 |
| Houston | 4 | 9 | 1 | .308 |
| Cincinnati | 4 | 10 | 0 | .286 |
| Eastern Division | | | | |
| Miami | 10 | 3 | 1 | .769 |
| Baltimore | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| New England | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 |
| New York Jets | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 |
| Buffalo | 1 | 13 | 0 | .071 |
| Western Division | | | | |
| Kansas City | 10 | 3 | 1 | .769 |
| Oakland | 8 | 4 | 2 | .667 |
| San Diego | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 |
| Denver | 4 | 9 | 1 | .308 |

Miami defeated Kansas City, 27-24, and Baltimore defeated Cleveland, 20-3, in American Conference playoffs. Miami defeated Baltimore, 21-0 for American Conference title.

Dallas defeated Miami, 24-3, for NFL title in Super Bowl VII.

1972

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

| Central Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|---|------|
| | W | L | T | Pct. |
| Green Bay | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| DETROIT | 8 | 5 | 1 | .607 |
| Minnesota | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 |
| Chicago | 4 | 9 | 1 | .321 |
| Eastern Division | | | | |
| Washington | 11 | 3 | 0 | .786 |
| Dallas | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| New York Giants | 8 | 6 | 0 | .571 |
| St. Louis | 4 | 9 | 1 | .321 |
| Philadelphia | 2 | 11 | 1 | .179 |
| Western Division | | | | |
| San Francisco | 8 | 5 | 1 | .607 |
| Atlanta | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 |
| Los Angeles | 6 | 7 | 1 | .464 |
| New Orleans | 2 | 11 | 1 | .179 |

Dallas defeated San Francisco, 30-28, and Washington defeated Green Bay, 16-3, in National Conference playoffs. Washington defeated Dallas, 26-3, for National Conference title.

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

| Central Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|---|-------|
| | W | L | T | Pct. |
| Pittsburgh | 11 | 3 | 0 | .786 |
| Cleveland | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| Cincinnati | 8 | 6 | 0 | .571 |
| Houston | 1 | 13 | 0 | .071 |
| Eastern Division | | | | |
| Miami | 14 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 |
| New York Jets | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 |
| Baltimore | 5 | 9 | 0 | .429 |
| Buffalo | 4 | 9 | 1 | .321 |
| New England | 3 | 11 | 0 | .214 |
| Western Division | | | | |
| Oakland | 10 | 3 | 1 | .750 |
| Kansas City | 8 | 6 | 0 | .571 |
| Denver | 5 | 9 | 0 | .429 |
| San Diego | 4 | 9 | 1 | .321 |

Miami defeated Cleveland, 20-14, and Pittsburgh defeated Oakland, 13-7, in American Conference playoffs. Miami defeated Pittsburgh, 21-17, for American Conference title.

Miami defeated Washington, 14-7, for NFL title in Super Bowl VII.

1973

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

| Central Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|---|------|
| | W | L | T | Pct. |
| Minnesota | 12 | 2 | 0 | .857 |
| DETROIT | 6 | 7 | 1 | .464 |
| Green Bay | 5 | 7 | 2 | .429 |
| Chicago | 3 | 11 | 0 | .214 |
| Eastern Division | | | | |
| Dallas | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| Washington | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| Philadelphia | 5 | 8 | 1 | .393 |
| St. Louis | 4 | 9 | 1 | .321 |
| New York Giants | 2 | 11 | 1 | .179 |
| Western Division | | | | |
| Los Angeles | 12 | 2 | 0 | .857 |
| Atlanta | 9 | 5 | 0 | .643 |
| New Orleans | 5 | 9 | 0 | .357 |
| San Francisco | 5 | 9 | 0 | .357 |

Minnesota defeated Washington, 27-20, and Dallas defeated Los Angeles, 27-16, in National Conference playoffs. Minnesota defeated Dallas, 27-10, for National Conference title.

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

| Central Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|---|------|
| | W | L | T | Pct. |
| Cincinnati | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| Pittsburgh | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| Cleveland | 7 | 5 | 2 | .571 |
| Houston | 1 | 13 | 0 | .071 |
| Eastern Division | | | | |
| Miami | 12 | 2 | 0 | .857 |
| Buffalo | 9 | 5 | 0 | .643 |
| New England | 5 | 9 | 0 | .357 |
| Baltimore | 4 | 10 | 0 | .286 |
| New York Jets | 4 | 10 | 0 | .286 |
| Western Division | | | | |
| Oakland | 9 | 4 | 1 | .679 |
| Denver | 7 | 5 | 2 | .571 |
| Kansas City | 7 | 5 | 2 | .571 |
| San Diego | 2 | 11 | 1 | .179 |

Miami defeated Cincinnati, 34-16, and Oakland defeated Pittsburgh, 33-14, in American Conference playoffs. Miami defeated Oakland, 27-10, for American Conference title.

Miami defeated Minnesota, 24-7, for NFL title in Super Bowl VIII.

1974

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

| Central Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|---|------|
| | W | L | T | Pct. |
| Minnesota | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| DETROIT | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 |
| Green Bay | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 |
| Chicago | 4 | 10 | 0 | .286 |
| Eastern Division | | | | |
| St. Louis | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| Washington | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| Dallas | 8 | 6 | 0 | .571 |
| Philadelphia | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 |
| New York Giants | 2 | 12 | 0 | .143 |
| Western Division | | | | |
| Los Angeles | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| San Francisco | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 |
| New Orleans | 5 | 9 | 0 | .357 |
| Atlanta | 3 | 11 | 0 | .214 |

Minnesota defeated St. Louis, 30-14, and Los Angeles defeated Washington, 19-10, in National Conference playoffs. Minnesota defeated Los Angeles, 14-10, for National Conference title.

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

| Central Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|---|------|
| | W | L | T | Pct. |
| Pittsburgh | 10 | 3 | 1 | .750 |
| Cincinnati | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 |
| Houston | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 |
| Cleveland | 4 | 10 | 0 | .286 |
| Eastern Division | | | | |
| Miami | 11 | 3 | 0 | .786 |
| Buffalo | 9 | 5 | 0 | .643 |
| New England | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 |
| New York Jets | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 |
| Baltimore | 2 | 12 | 0 | .143 |
| Western Division | | | | |
| Oakland | 12 | 2 | 0 | .857 |
| Denver | 7 | 6 | 1 | .536 |
| Kansas City | 5 | 9 | 0 | .357 |
| San Diego | 5 | 9 | 0 | .357 |

Pittsburgh defeated Buffalo, 32-14, and Oakland defeated Miami, 28-26, in American Conference playoffs. Pittsburgh defeated Oakland, 24-13, for American Conference title.

Pittsburgh defeated Minnesota, 16-6, for NFL title in Super Bowl IX.

1975

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

| Central Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|---|------|
| | W | L | T | Pct. |
| Minnesota | 12 | 2 | 0 | .857 |
| DETROIT | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 |
| Chicago | 4 | 10 | 0 | .286 |
| Green Bay | 4 | 10 | 0 | .286 |
| Eastern Division | | | | |
| St. Louis | 11 | 3 | 0 | .786 |
| Dallas | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| Washington | 8 | 6 | 0 | .571 |
| New York Giants | 5 | 9 | 0 | .357 |
| Philadelphia | 4 | 10 | 0 | .286 |
| Western Division | | | | |
| Los Angeles | 12 | 2 | 0 | .857 |
| San Francisco | 5 | 9 | 0 | .357 |
| Atlanta | 4 | 10 | 0 | .286 |
| New Orleans | 2 | 12 | 0 | .143 |

Dallas defeated Minnesota, 17-14, and Los Angeles defeated St. Louis, 35-23, in National Conference playoffs. Dallas defeated Los Angeles, 37-7, for National Conference title.

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

| Central Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|---|------|
| | W | L | T | Pct. |
| Pittsburgh | 12 | 2 | 0 | .857 |
| Cincinnati | 11 | 3 | 0 | .786 |
| Houston | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| Cleveland | 3 | 11 | 0 | .214 |
| Eastern Division | | | | |
| Baltimore | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| Miami | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| Buffalo | 8 | 6 | 0 | .571 |
| New England | 3 | 11 | 0 | .214 |
| New York Jets | 3 | 11 | 0 | .214 |
| Western Division | | | | |
| Oakland | 11 | 3 | 0 | .786 |
| Denver | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 |
| Kansas City | 5 | 9 | 0 | .357 |
| San Diego | 2 | 12 | 0 | .143 |

Pittsburgh defeated Baltimore, 28-10, and Oakland defeated Cincinnati, 31-28, in American Conference playoffs. Pittsburgh defeated Oakland, 16-10, for American Conference title.

Pittsburgh defeated Dallas, 21-17, for NFL title in Super Bowl X.

1976

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

| | Central Division | | | Pct. |
|------------------|------------------|----|---|------|
| | W | L | T | |
| Minnesota | 11 | 2 | 1 | .821 |
| Chicago | 7 | 7 | 0 | .500 |
| DETROIT | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 |
| Green Bay | 5 | 9 | 0 | .286 |
| Eastern Division | | | | |
| Dallas | 11 | 3 | 0 | .786 |
| Washington | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| St. Louis | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| Philadelphia | 4 | 10 | 0 | .286 |
| N.Y. Giants | 3 | 11 | 0 | .214 |
| Western Division | | | | |
| Los Angeles | 10 | 3 | 1 | .750 |
| San Francisco | 8 | 6 | 0 | .571 |
| Atlanta | 4 | 10 | 0 | .286 |
| New Orleans | 4 | 10 | 0 | .286 |
| Seattle | 2 | 12 | 0 | .143 |

Minnesota defeated Washington, 35-20, and Los Angeles defeated Dallas, 14-12, in National Conference playoffs. Minnesota defeated Los Angeles 24-13 for National Conference title.

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

| | Central Division | | | Pct. |
|------------------|------------------|----|---|------|
| | W | L | T | |
| Pittsburgh | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| Cincinnati | 10 | 4 | 0 | .714 |
| Cleveland | 9 | 5 | 0 | .643 |
| Houston | 5 | 9 | 0 | .357 |
| Eastern Division | | | | |
| Baltimore | 11 | 3 | 0 | .786 |
| New England | 11 | 3 | 0 | .786 |
| Miami | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 |
| N.Y. Jets | 3 | 11 | 0 | .214 |
| Buffalo | 2 | 12 | 0 | .143 |
| Western Division | | | | |
| Oakland | 13 | 1 | 0 | .929 |
| Denver | 9 | 5 | 0 | .643 |
| San Diego | 6 | 8 | 0 | .429 |
| Kansas City | 5 | 9 | 0 | .357 |
| Tampa Bay | 0 | 14 | 0 | .000 |

Oakland defeated New England 24-21, and Pittsburgh defeated Baltimore, 40-14, in American Conference playoffs. Oakland defeated Pittsburgh, 24-7 for American Conference title.

Oakland defeated Minnesota, 32-14, for NFL title in Super Bowl XI.

LIONS PRO BOWL SELECTIONS, BY YEARS

| | |
|--|--|
| 1951 (5) Box, Creekmur, Doll, McGraw, Walker | 1963 (7) Brown, Cogdill, Karras, Lane, Lary, Schmidt, Sewell |
| 1952 (6) Bingaman, Box, Creekmur, Doll, Hoernschemeyer, Walker | 1964 (6) Barr, Brown, Cogdill, Gordy, Schmidt, Walker |
| 1953 (6) Creekmur, Doll, Harder, Hoernschemeyer, Layne, Smith | 1965 (7) Barr, Brown, Gibbons, Gordy, Lary, LeBeau, Walker |
| 1954 (7) Bingaman, Christiansen, Creekmur, Lary, Layne, Stanfel, Walker | 1966 (6) Brown, Gordy, Karras, LeBeau, Studstill, Walker |
| 1955 (7) Christiansen, Creekmur, David, Schmidt, Slits, Torgeson, Walker | 1967 (3) Brown, LeBeau, Studstill |
| 1956 (5) Christiansen, Creekmur, David, Schmidt, Walker | 1968 (2) Barney, Farr |
| 1957 (7) Ane, Christiansen, Creekmur, David, Lary, Layne, Schmidt | 1969 (2) Barney, Sanders |
| 1958 (7) Christiansen, Creekmur, David, Lary, McCord, Schmidt, Sewell | 1970 (3) Barney, Flanagan, Sanders |
| 1959 (5) Ane, David, Lary, Schmidt, Sewell | 1971 (4) Farr, Flanagan, Naumoff, Sanders |
| 1960 (4) David, Lary, Schmidt, Sewell | 1972 (5) Flanagan, Landry, Lucci, Owens, Sanders |
| 1961 (7) Cogdill, Gibbons, Karras, Lane, Lary, Pietrosante, Schmidt | 1973 (2) Barney, Freilas |
| 1962 (7) Gibbons, Karras, Lane, Lary, Martin, Pietrosante, Schmidt | 1974 (2) Barney, Flanagan |
| | 1975 (2) Jauron, Sanders |
| | 1976 (2) Barney, Sanders |
| | 1977 (2) Barney, Sanders |



HISTORY OF THE DETROIT LIONS

The Detroit Lions have embarked on their 44th year in the NFC but they were not the areas' first pro football team.

In 1920 the Detroit Heralds were a charter member of the American Professional Football Association, which was the original name of the present National Football League. But, they folded after two years. Then, the Detroit Panthers appeared in 1925. They also folded after two years. In 1928, the Detroit Wolverines were formed, but they failed after only one season.

In 1930, the then ten-year-old National Football League took in a franchise from Portsmouth, Ohio called the Spartans. After four seasons, the team was purchased for less than \$8,000 by Detroit radio executive George A. Richards and was moved to the Motor City.

Playing in the University of Detroit Stadium before average crowds of 16,000 people, the new Detroit Lions won the NFL championship in their second year, 1935. Under the leadership of Coach "Potsy" Clark and stars such as Hall of Famer "Dutch" Clark, Ernie Caddel, George Christensen, "Ace" Gutowsky, Glenn Presnell and "Ox" Emerson, the early Lions established pro football in Detroit and for over 40 years it has been an integral part of the Michigan sports scene.

In 1940 Chicagoan Fred Mandel bought the club. Lion stars of that era were Hall of Famers Bill Dudley and Alex Wojciechowicz, John Greene, "Whizzer" White, Frank Sinkwich and "Camp" Wilson. Eight years later the club was sold to a group of local businessmen under the leadership of Edwin J. Anderson. The Detroit syndicate controlled the team until 1964 when William Clay Ford became sole owner for six million dollars. The club is now in its 13th year of the "Ford administration".

In the 1950's the Lions dominated the NFL with four division titles and three league championships. Under Head Coach Buddy Parker, the team was the back-to-back League champion in 1952 and 1953, defeating Cleveland in both title games. Stars of those glittering teams were such as Hall of Famers Bobby Layne and Jack Christiansen, Doak Walker, Les Bingaman, Cloyce Box and Bob Hoernschemeyer. The Lions' battles with the Browns in those days were classic confrontations between two giants of the blossoming NFL.

Since their last title year of 1957, under the coaching of George Wilson, the Lions have been looking in vain for the top spot. Such stars as Hall of Famers Joe Schmidt and "Night Train" Lane, and Wayne Walker, Nick Pietrosante, Alex Karras and Terry Barr have taken their places in the annals of pro football in Detroit.

In the 1960's the Lions had a couple of coaching changes with the longest term being that of former great player Joe Schmidt who coached for six seasons. His 1970 team made the post-season playoffs, but lost in the first round.

For the 1975 season, the Lions moved into a fantastic new home in Pontiac, Michigan, a town of 85,000 people located 30 miles north of Detroit. The Silverdome is a football-only sports building that seats over 80,000 spectators under a fibreglas roof. It is the largest air-supported domed structure in the world.

Now in the 1970's under the direction of Head Coach Tommy Hudspeth, and with current stars such as Charlie Sanders, Herb Orvis and Greg Landry, the Detroit Lions are a squad of enthusiastic, aggressive players whose aim is to return the team to a place at the top of the NFL.

SIGNIFICANT DATES IN DETROIT PRO FOOTBALL HISTORY

1920-21—First Detroit entry in pro football, the Heralds.

Aug. 1, 1925—Jimmy Conzelman granted NFL franchise for Detroit for \$50. team name, Panthers.

July 27, 1927—NFL re-organized with withdrawal of 11 clubs, including Detroit.

Aug. 12, 1928—Detroit application for re-instatement approved, team name, Wolverines.

July 12, 1930—Detroit franchise declared inactive.

June 30, 1934—G. A. Richards purchases Portsmouth, Ohio, franchise and moves team to Detroit.

Sept. 23, 1934—Lions play first NFL game, beat New York Giants 9-0 at U of D Stadium before 12,000.

Nov. 25, 1934—Lions suffer first defeat, 3-0, to Green Bay, after winning ten straight including seven consecutive shut-outs.

Nov. 29, 1934—Lions play first of traditional Thanksgiving Day home games, losing to the Bears, 19-16, before 26,000.

Dec. 9, 1935—Lions defeat New York Giants, 26-7, for first Championship.

Sept. 9, 1936—Lions play first game in new home, Briggs Stadium.

Feb. 10, 1940—Fred Mandel, Jr., purchases Detroit franchise for \$225,000.

Jan. 9, 1943—Gus Dorais named head coach of Lions, after long and successful career at the University of Detroit.

Jan. 15, 1948—Syndicate headed by Edwin J. Anderson purchases Detroit franchise for \$165,000, and names "Bo" McMillin general manager and head coach.

Dec. 2, 1949—Anderson elected president of Lions.

Dec. 20, 1950—"Buddy" Parker succeeds McMillan as head coach.

Dec. 21, 1952—Lions defeat Los Angeles, 31-21, for NFL's National Conference title.

Dec. 28, 1952—Lions win first Championship since 1935 on 17-7 victory over the Browns in Cleveland before 50,934.

Dec. 27, 1953—Detroit wins second straight Championship on 17-16 decision over Cleveland in Detroit before 54,577.

Aug. 12, 1957—Parker resigns suddenly as head coach and assistant coach George Wilson succeeds him the next day.

Dec. 21, 1957—Detroit downs San Francisco, 31-27, in play-off after trailing 27-7 in third quarter.

Dec. 28, 1957—Detroit claims fourth Championship on 59-14 victory over Cleveland before 55,263 in Detroit.

Jan. 23, 1961—William Clay Ford elected president of Lions.

Jan. 10, 1964—Ford takes over as Lions' sole owner after purchasing franchise for six million dollars.

Jan. 7, 1965—Harry Gilmer appointed head coach, replacing George Wilson.

March 10, 1966—After 13 seasons, Joe Schmidt retires to become Lions' linebacker coach.

Jan. 11, 1967—Schmidt named Lions' head coach, succeeding Gilmer.

Dec. 26, 1970—Lions edged by Dallas, 5-0, in first playoff game since 1957.

Oct. 24, 1971—Chuck Hughes, wide receiver, dies on field during game.

Jan. 12, 1973—Schmidt resigns as head coach.

Jan. 26, 1973—Don McCafferty named Lions' head coach.

July 28, 1974—McCafferty dies of heart attack.

Aug. 3, 1974—Rick Forzano named head coach

Oct. 4, 1976—Forzano resigns as head coach.

Oct. 5, 1976—Tommy Hudspeth named interim head coach.

Feb. 9, 1977—Hudspeth signs three-year contract as head coach.

LIONS' ALL-TIME PLAYER ROSTER

643 players from 202 colleges

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Addams, Abraham, E. Indiana 1949
Aiello, Anthony, B. Youngstown 1944
Alderman, Grady, G. Detroit 1960
Alford, Mike, C. Auburn, 1966
Andersen, Stanley, E. Stanford 1941
Ane, Charles, T. USC 1953-59
Arena, Anthony, C. Mich. State 1942-46
Ashcom, Richard, T. Oregon 1943
Atkins, George, G. Auburn 1955
Alty, Alexander, G. West Virginia 1941
Austin, James, E. St. Mary's 1939

B

Bailey, Byron, B. Washington St. 1943-54
Baker, John, DE, N. Carolina College 1968
Ball, Larry, LB, Louisville 1975
Banas, Stephen, B. Notre Dame 1935
Banjavic, Emil, B. Arizona 1942
Banonis, Vincent, C. Detroit 1951-53
Barle, Louis, B. Duluth 1938
Barnes, Al, WR, New Mexico St. 1971-73
Barney, Lem, DB, Jackson St. 1967-
Barr, Terry, B. Michigan 1957-65
Barton, Greg, QB, Tulsa 1969
Bass, Mike, DB, Michigan 1967
Batinski, Stanley, G. Temple 1941-47
Batten, Pat, FB, Hardin-Simmons 1964
Baumgartner, Maxie, E. Texas 1948
*Behan, Charles, E. DeKalb 1942
Belichick, Stephen, B. Western Reserve 41
Bell, Bob, DT, Cincinnati 1971-73
*Bernard, Charles, C. Michigan 1934
Berrang, Edward, E. Villanova 1951
Berry, Connie Mack, E. N. Carolina St. '39
*Bingaman, Lester, G. Illinois 1948-54
Blair, T. C., TE, Tulsa, 1974
Blessing, Paul, E. Nebr. St. Tchrs 1944
Boden, Lynn, G. S. Dakota St. 1975-
*Bodenger, Maurice, G. Tulane 1934
Bolinger, Russ, Long Beach State 1976-
Bolton, Andy, Fisk 1976-
Booth, Richard, B. Western Res. 1941, 45
Bowman, William, B. Wm. & Mary '54, '56
Box, Cloyce, E. W. Texas St. 49-50, 52-54
Bradshaw, Charlie, T. Baylor 1967-68
Brettschneider, Carl, LB, Iowa St. 1960-63
Briggs, Paul, T. Colorado 1948
Brill, Harold, B. Wichita 1939
Briscoe, Marlin, WR, Neb.-Omaha, 1975-76
Britt, Maurice, E. Arkansas 1941
Brown, Charlie, WR, N. Arizona 1970
*Brown, Howard, G. Indiana 1948-50
Brown, Marvin, B. E. Texas St. 1957
Brown, Roger, T. Maryland State 1960-66
Brumley, Robert, B. Rice 1945
Bulger, Chester, T. Auburn 1950
Bundra, Mike, T. USC 1962-63
Busich, Samuel, E. Ohio State 1943
Bussey, Dexter, RB, Texas Arlington 1974-

C

Caddel, Ernie, B. Stanford 1934-38
Cain, James, E. Alabama 1950-55
Callahan, J. R., B. Texas 1946

Callihan, William, B. Nebraska 1940-45
Calvelli, Anthony, C. Stanford 1939-40
Campbell, Stanley, G. Iowa St. 1952, 55-58
Campbell, Mike, RB, Lenoir Rhyne 1968
Cappleman, Bill, QB, Florida St. 1973
Capria, Carl, DB, Purdue 1974
Cardwell, Lloyd, B. Nebraska 1937-43
Carpenter, Lewis, B. Arkansas 1953-55
Cassady, Howard, B. Ohio St. 1956-61, 63
Chantiles, Thomas, T. USC 1942
Chase, Benjamin, G. Navy 1947
*Christensen, George T. Oregon 1934-38
Christensen, Frank, B. Utah 1934-37
Christiansen, Jack, B. Colo. A&M 1951-58
Cifelli, August, T. Notre Dame 1951-53
Cifers, Robert, B. Tennessee 1944-46
Clark, Al, DB, Eastern Michigan 1971
Clark, Earl Dutch, B. Colorado 1934-38
Clark, Ernie, LB, Michigan State 1963-67
Clark, Wayne, E. Utah 1944-45
Clemons, Raymond, G. Gen. Okla. St. 1939
Cline, Ollie, B. Ohio St. 1950-53
Clowes, John, T. Wm. & Mary 1951
Cody, Bill, LB, Auburn 1966
Cogdill, Gail, E. Wash. State 1960-68
Colella, Thomas, B. Canisius 1941-43
Conlee, Gerald, C. St. Mary's 1943
Compton, Dick, B. McMurry 1962-64
Concannon, Jack, QB, Boston College 1975
Cook, Gene, E. Toledo 1959
Cook, Ted, E. Alabama 1947
*Cooper, Harold, G. Detroit 1937
Corgan, Michael, B. Notre Dame 1943
Cotton, Craig, TE, Youngstown 1969-72
Cottrell, Bill, T. Delaware Valley 1967-70
Crabtree, Clement, T. Wake Forest 1940-41
Creekmur, Louis, T. Wm. & Mary 1950-59
Cremer, Theodore, E. Auburn 1946-48
Croft, Don, Texas El Paso 1976-
Cronin, Gene, G. Coll. of Pacific 1956-59
Crosswhite, Leon, RB, Oklahoma 1973-74
Cunningham, Leon, C. S. Carolina 1955

D

D'Alonzo, Peter, B. Villanova 1951-52
Danielson, Gary, Purdue 1976-
David, James, B. Colo. A&M 1952-59
Davis, Ben, DB, Defiance 1974-76
Davis, Glenn, E. Ohio State 1960-61
Davis, Milt, HB, UCLA 1956
Dawley, Frederick, B. Michigan 1944
DeCorrevont, William, B. Northwestern '46
DeFruiter, Robert, B. Nebraska 1947
*DeMarco, Mario, G. Miami 1949
Dennis, Guy, G. Florida 1973-75
DePoyster, Jerry, K. Wyoming, 1968
DeShane, Charles, B. Alabama 1945-49
Dibble, Dorne, E. Mich. St. 1951, 1953-57
Diehl, David, E. Mich. St. 1939-40, 1944-45
Doll, Donald, B. S. Calif. 1949-52
Doran, James, E. Iowa St. 1951-59
*D'Orazio, Joseph, T. Ithaca 1944
Dove, Robert, E. G. Notre Dame 1953-54
Dublinski, Thomas, QB, Utah 1952-54
Dubzinski, Walter, G. Boston Coll. 1941
Dudish, Andrew, C. Georgia 1948

Dudley, William, B. Virginia 1947-49
Dugger, John, E. Ohio St. 1947-48
Duncan, James, E. Wake Forest 1950
Duncan, Rick, P. E. Montana St. 1969
Dunlap, Leonard, DB, N. Texas St. 1975

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Earon, Blaine, E. Duke 1952-53
Ebding, Harry, E. St. Mary's 1934-37
Eddy, Nick, RB, Notre Dame 1968-72
Eiden, Edmund, B. Scranton 1944
Ellis, Lawrence, B. Syracuse 1948
Emerick, Robert, T. Miami (O.) 1934
Emerson, 'Ox', G. Texas 1934-37
Engelbreton, Paul, T. Northwestern 1934
English, Doug, DT, Texas 1975
Enke, Fred, QB, Arizona 1948-51
Evans, Murray, B. Hardin-Simmons 1942-43
Evey, Dick, DT, Tennessee 1971

F

Farkas, Andrew, B. Detroit 1945
Farmer, George, WR, UCLA 1975
Farr, Mel, RB, UCLA 1967-73
Farr, Miller, DB, Wichita 1973
*Feldhaus, William, T. Cincinnati 1937-40
Felts, Bob, HB, Florida A&M 1965-67
Fena, Thomas, G. Colorado 1937
Fenenbock, Charles, B. UCLA 1943-45
Ferguson, Larry, HB, Iowa 1963
Fichman, Leon, T. Alabama 1946-47
Fisk, William, E. USC 1940-43
Flanagan, Ed, C. Purdue 1965-74
Flanagan, Richard, LB, Ohio St. 1950-52
Forte, Aldo, G. Montana 1946
Franklin, Dennis, WR, Michigan 1975-76
Freitas, Rockne, T. Oregon St. 1968-
French, Barry, G. Purdue 1951
Frohbose, Bill, DB, Miami (Fla.) 1974
Frutig, Edward, E. Michigan 1945-46
Fucci, Dominic, B. Kentucky 1955
Furst, Anthony, T. Dayton 1940-41, 44

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Gagnon, Roy, G. Oregon 1935
Gaines, Lawrence, Wyoming 1976
Gallagher, Frank, G. N. Carolina 1967-72
Gambrell, Bill, E. South Carolina 1968
Gandee, Sherwin, E. Ohio St. 1952-57
Galski, Frank, C. Marshall 1957
Gaubatz, Dennis, LB, LSU 1963-64
*Gedman, Gene, B. Indiana 1953, 56-58
George, Ray, T. USC 1939
Geremsky, Thad, E. Pitt 1951
Germany, Willie, DB, Morgan St. 1973
Gibbons, James, E. Iowa 1958-68
Gibbs, Sonny, QB, TCU 1964
Gill, Sloko, G. Youngstown 1942
Gillette, Jim, B. Virginia 1948
Gilmer, Harry, QB, Alabama 1955-56
Gipson, Paul, RB, Houston 1971
Girard, Earl, B. Wisconsin 1952-56
Glass, William, G. Baylor 1958-61
Gouch, Dan, DE, California 1969-70
Goldman, Samuel, E. Howard 1949
Gonzaga, John, T. No. College 1961-65
Goodman, Henry, T. W. Va. 1942
Goover, Ron, LB, MSU 1967
Gordon, John, DT, Hawaii 1972

Gordy, John, G. Tennessee 1957, 1959-67
Gore, Gordon, B. Okla. S.W. Tchrs., 1939
*Graham, Lester, G. Tulsa 1938
Greene, John, E. Michigan 1944-50
Greer, Albert, E. Jackson State 1963
Grefe, Theodore, E. Notre Dame 1945
Grignonis, Frank, B. Chattanooga 1942
Grimes, George, B. Virginia 1948
Groomes, Melvin, B. Indiana 1948-49
Grossman, Rex, B. Indiana 1950
Grottkau, Robert, G. Oregon 1959-60
*Gutowsky, Ace L., B. Okla. Cy. U. 1934-38

H

Hackenbruck, John, T. Oregon St. 1940
*Hackney, Elmer, B. Kansas St. 1942-46
Halen, Bernard, E. Utah 1949-50
Haggerty, Mike, T. Miami (Fla.) 1973
Hall, John, B. TCU 1942
Hall, Tom, E. Minnesota 1962-63
Hamilton, Raymond, E. Arkansas 1939
Hamlin, Gene, C. Western Michigan 1972
Hand, Larry, DE, Appalachian St. 1965-
Hanneman, Chuck, E. Mich. Normal 37-41
Hansen, Dale, T. Mich. St. 1944, 1948-49
Harder, Pat, B. Wisconsin 1951-53
Harding, Roger, C. Calif. 1948
Hardy, James, QB, USC 1952
Harrison, Granville, E. Miss. St. 1942
Hart, Leon, E. Notre Dame 1950-57
Haverdick, Dave, DE, Morehead St. 1970
Hekkers, George, T. Wisconsin 1947-49
Held, Paul, B. San Jose State 1955
Helms, John, E. Ga. Tech. 1946
Henderson, John, E. Michigan 1965-67
Hennigan, Mike, LB, Tennessee Tech 1973-75
Hertwig, Craig, T. Georgia 1975-
Heywood, Ralph, E. USC 1947
Hicks, R.W., C. Humboldt St. 1975
Hightower, John, E. Sam Houston 1943
Hilgenberg, Wally, LB, Iowa 1964-66
Hill, David, Texas A&I 1976-
Hill, J.D., Arizona State 1976-
Hill, Harlon, E. Florence St. 1962
Hill, James, B. Tennessee 1951-52
Hill, Jimmy, DB, Sam Houston 1965
*Hillman, Bill, B. Tennessee 1947
Hilton, John, TE, Richmond 1972-73
Hinchman, Hubert, B. Butler 1934
Hoernschermyer, Robert, B. Ind. 1950-55
Hogland, Doug, G. Oregon State 1958
Hollár, John, B. Appalachian St. 1949
Hooks, Jim, RB, Central State (Okla.) 1973-
Hopp, Harry, B. Nebraska 1940-43
Howard, Billy, DT, Alcorn A&M 1974-
Howard, William, B. USC 1939
Huffman, Vernon, B. Indiana 1937-38
*Hughes, Chuck, WR, Texas El Paso 1970-71
Hunter, James, Texas A&I 1976-
*Hupke, Thomas, G. Alabama 1934-37
Hutchison, Elvin, B. Whittier 1939

I

Isselhardt, Ralph, G. Franklin 1937
Ivory, Bob, G. Detroit 1947

Izo, George. QB, Notre Dame 1965

J

Jarvis, Ray, WR, Norfolk State 1974-
Jaszewski, Floyd, T, Minn. 1950-51
Jauron, Dick, DB, Yale 1973-
Jefferson, William, B, Miss. St. 1941
Jenkins, Leon, DB, West Virginia 1972
Jenkins, Walter, E, Wayne 1955
Jessie, Ron, WR, Kansas 1971-74
Jett, John, E, Wake Forest 1941
Johnson, John "Jack", T, Utah 1934-40
Johnson, John Henry, B, Ariz. St. 1957-59
Johnson, Levi, DB, Texas A&I 1973-
Jolley, Gordon, T, Utah 1972-75
Jones, Elmer, G, Wake Forest 1947-48
Jones, James, B, Union Tenn. 1946
Jones, Jimmie, RB, UCLA 1974
Jones, Ralph, E, Alabama 1946
Junker, Steve, E, Xavier 1957, 1959-61
Jurkiewicz, Walter, C, Indiana 1946

K

Kamanu, Lew, DE, Weber St. 1967-68
Kaporch, Albert, T, St. Bonaventure 43-45
*Karilivacz, Carl, B, Syracuse 1953-57
Karras, Alex, DT, Iowa 1958-62, 64-70
Karras, Ted, G, Indiana 1965
Karstens, George, C, Indiana 1949
Kaska, Anton, B, Ill. Wesleyan 1935
Kearney, Jim, DB, Prairie View 1965-66
Keene, Robert, B, Detroit 1943-45
Kennedy, William, E, Mich. St. 1942, 1944
Kent, Greg, DT, Utah 1968
Kercher, Richard, B, Tulsa 1954
*Ketzko, Alexander, T, Mich. St. 1943
King, Horace, RB, Georgia 1975-
Kipp, James, T, Montana St. 1942
*Kizzire, Lee, B, Wyoming 1937
Klewicky, Edward, E, Mich. St. 1935-38
Kmetovic, Peter, B, Stanford 1947
Knorr, Lawrence, C, Dayton, 1942, 45
Knox, Sam, G, New Hampshire 1934-36
Kopay, Dave, RB, Washington 1968
Kopcha, Joseph, G, Chattanooga 1936
Kostluk, Michael, T, Detroit 1945
Kowalkowski, Bob, G, Virginia 1966-
Krall, Gerald, B, Ohio St. 1950
Kramer, Ron, E, Michigan 1965-67
Kring, Frank, B, TCU 1945
Krol, Joseph, B, W. Ontario 1945
*Krouse, Raymond, T, Maryland 1956-57
Kuczinski, Bert, E, Penn. 1943

L

LaLonde, Roger, DT, Muskingum 1964
Landry, Greg, QB, Massachusetts 1968-
Lane, Dick, DB, Scottsbluff, JC 1960-65
LaRose, Dan, T, Missouri 1961-63
Lary, Yale, DB, Texas A&M 1952-53, 56-64
Laslavic, Jim, LB, Penn State 1973-
Lay, Russell, G, Mich. St. 1934
Layne, Robert, QB, Texas 1950-58
Lear, Leslie, G, Manitoba 1947
LeBeau, Dick, DB, Ohio State 1959-72
Lee, Ken, LB, Washington 1971
Lee, Monte, LB, Texas 1963-64
LeForce, Clyde, QB, Tulsa 1947-49

Lewis, Dan, HB, Wisconsin 1958-64
Lies, Elvin, G, Okla. A&M 1943-45
Lindon, Luther, T, Kentucky 1944-45
Lining, Jack, C, Ohio St. 1950-51
Lio, Augustino, G, Georgetown 1941-43
Lloyd, Dave, C, Georgia 1962
Lontakoski, John, T, W. Mich. 1962
Long, Ken, Purdue 1976-
Long, Robert, E, UCLA 1955-59
Loohey, Joe Don, HB, Oklahoma 1965-66
Lowe, Gary, B, Mich. State 1957-64
*Lowther, Jackie, B, Detroit 1944
Lucci, Mike, LB, Tennessee 1965-73
*Lumpkin, Roy, B, Ga. Tech. 1934
Lusk, Bob, C, Wm. & Mary 1956

M

Mackenroth, John, C, N. Dakota 1938
*Madarik, Elmer, B, Detroit 1945-47
Maggiolo, Chuck, B, Illinois 1949
Magnani, Dante, B, St. Mary's 1950
Maher, Bruce, DB, Detroit 1960-67
Mains, Gilbert, T, Murray S. 1954-61
Malinchak, Bill, E, Indiana 1966-69
Mann, Errol, K, North Dakota 1969-76
Mann, Robert, E, Michigan 1948-49
Manzo, Joseph, T, Boston Coll. 1945
Margucci, Joseph, B, USC 1947-48
Markovich, Mark, Penn State 1976-
Maronic, Stephen, T, N. Carolina 1939-40
Marsh, Amos, FB, Oregon St. 1965-67
Martin, James, G, Notre Dame 1951-61
Martinovich, Philip, G, C.O.P. 1939
Matheson, Jack, E, Western Mich. 1943-46
Matheson, Riley, G, Texas Mines 1943
Mathews, Ned, B, UCLA 1940-43
Mathewson, Morley, E, California 1941
*Matisi, Tony, T, Pittsburgh 1938-39
Matson, Ollie, FB, San Francisco 1963
Mattiford, John, G, Marshall 1941
Maves, Earl, B, Wisconsin 1948
Maxwell, Bruce, RB, Arkansas 1970
Mazza, Vincent, E, (No College) 1945-46
Mazzanti, Jerry, DE, Arkansas 1966
McCambridge, John, DE, NWU 1967
McClung, Willie, T, Florida A&M 1960-61
McCord, Darris, DE, Tennessee 1955-67
McCoy, Joel, B, Alabama 1946
McCullouch, Earl, E, USC 1968-73
McDermott, Lloyd, T, Kentucky 1950
McDonald, James, B, Ohio St. 1938-40
McElhenny Hugh, HB, Washington 1964
McGraw, Thurman, T, Colo. A&M 1950-54
McHenny, Donald, B, SMU 1956
McInnis, Hugh, E, Miss. Southern 1964
McKalip, William, E, Oregon St. 1934, 36
*McLenna, Bruce, HB, Hillsdale 1966
McMakin, John, TE, Clemson 1975
McWilliams, William, B, Jordan 1934
Melinkovich, Mike, DE, Gray Harbour JC 1967
Mello, James, B, Notre Dame 1949
Messner, Max, LB, Cincinnati 1960-63
Mesak, Richard, T, St. Mary's 1945
Middleton, David, E, Auburn 1955-60
Miketa, Andrew, C, N. Carolina 1954-55
Miklich, William, B, Idaho 1948
Milano, Arch, E, St. Francis 1945
Miller, Robert, T, Virginia 1952-58
Miller, Terry, LB, Illinois 1970
Mills, Dick, G, Pittsburgh 1961-62
*Mitchell, Granville, E, Davis-Elkins 1934

Mitchell, Jim, DE, Virginia St. 1970-
Mitrick, Frank, T. Oglethorpe 1945
Momsen, Robert, G. Ohio St. 1951
Monahan, Regis, G. Ohio St. 1935-38
Montgomery, James, T. Texas A&M 1946
Mooney, Ed, LB, Texas Tech 1968-71
Moore, Denis, T. USC 1967-69
*Moore, Paul, B. Presbyterian 1940-41
Moore, William, B. Loyola 1939
Morlock, John, B. Marshall 1940
Morrall, Earl, QB, Mich. State 1958-64
Morris, Glen, E. Colo. St. 1940
Morris, Jon, C. Holy Cross 1975-
Morse, Raymond, E. Oregon 1935-38, 40
Moscrip, James, E. Stanford 1938-39
Mote, Kelly, E. Duke 1947-49
Mugg, Garvin, T. N. Tex. St. 1945
Munson, Bill, QB, Utah State 1968-1976
Murakowski, Art, B. Northwestern 1951
Myers, Tom, QB, Northwestern 1965-66

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Nardi, Richard, B. Ohio St. 1938
Naumoff, Paul, LB, Tennessee 1957-
Nelson, Reed, C. Brigham Young 1947
Nelson, Robert, C. Baylor 1941, 45
Ninowski, Jim, QB, Mich. State 1960-61
Noppenberg, John, B. Miami 1941
Nori, Remo, B. No. Ill. State 1937
Nott, Douglas, B. Detroit 1935
Nowatzke, Tom, FB, Indiana 1965-69

O

Obee, Duncan, C. Dayton 1941
O'Brien, Jim, WR, Cincinnati 1973
O'Brien, William, B. No. College 1947
Odle, Phil, E. BYU 1968-70
Ogle, Rick, LB, Colorado 1972
Olenski, Mitchell, T. Alabama 1947
Oliszewski, John, FB, California 1961
O'Neil, Ed, LB, Penn State 1974-
O'Neil, Bill, HB, Detroit 1935
Opalewski, Edward, T. Mich. N. 1943-44
Orvis, Herb, DT, Colorado 1972-
Owens, Steve, RB, Oklahoma 1970-76

P

Panciera, Donald, B. San Francisco 1950
Paolucci, Ben, T. Wayne State 1959
Panelli, John, B. Notre Dame 1949-50
Parker, Raymond, B. Centenary 1935-36
Parson, Ray, T. Minnesota 1971
Parsons, Lloyd, B. Gustavus Adolphus 1941
*Patt, Maurice, E. Carnegie Tech 1938
Pavelec, Theodore, G. Detroit 1941-43
Pearson, Lindell, B. Okla. 1950
Perry, Gerald, T. Calif. 1954, 56-59
Peters, Floyd, T. San Francisco St. 1963
Peterson, Ken, B. Gonzaga 1936
Picard, Bob, Eastern Washington 1976-
Pickard, Bob, WR, Xavier, 1974
Piepul, Milton, B. Notre Dame 1941
Pierson, Reggie, Oklahoma State 1976
Pietrosante, Nick, B. Notre Dame 1959-65
Pifferini, Robert, C. San Jose St. 1949
Pingel, John, B. Mich. St. 1939
Plum, Milt, QB, Penn State 1962-67
*Polanski, John, B. Wake Forest 1942
Poole, Oliver, E. Miss. 1949
Potts, Charles, DB, Purdue 1972
Prchlik, John, T. Yale 1949-53
Pregulman, Mervin, G. Mich. 1947-48

Prescott, Harold, E. Hardin-Simmons 1949
Presnell, Glenn, B. Nebraska 1934-36
Price, Charles, B. Texas A&M 1940-41, 45
Price, Ernie, DT, Texas A&I 1973-
Pringle, Alan, K. Rice 1975

Q

Quintan, Bill, DE, Mich. State 1964

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Rabb, Warren, QB, L.S.U. 1960
*Rabold, Mike, G. Indiana 1959
Radovich, William, G. USC 1938-41, 1945
*Randolph, Clare, C. Indiana 1934-36
Randolph, Al, DB, Iowa 1972
Ranspot, Keith, E. SMU 1941
Rasley, Rocky, G. Oregon St. 1969-73
Rasmussen, W., DB, S. Dakota St. 1964-73
Reckmack, Raymond, B. Syracuse 1937
Redmond, Rudy, DB, Pacific 1972-73
*Reeberg, Lucien, T. Hampton Inst. 1963
Reed, Joe, QB, Mississippi St. 1975-
Reese, Lloyd, B. Tenn. 1947
Reichow, Garett, QB, Iowa 1956-59
Reynolds, Robt., T. Stanford 1937-38
Rexer, Freeman, E. Tulane 1944
Ricardo, Benny, San Diego State 1976-
Ricca, James, T. Georgetown 1955
Richards, Perry, E. Detroit 1958
Richards, Ray, G. Nebraska 1934
Richins, Aldo, B. Utah 1935
Rifenburg, Richard, E. Mich. 1950
Riley, Lee, B. Detroit 1955
Ritchhart, Delbert, C. Colo. 1936-37
Robb, Joe, DE, TCU 1968-71
Robertson, Lake, E. Miss. 1945
Robinson, John, DB, Tennessee State 1966-67
Rockenbach, Lyle, G. Mich. St. 1943
Rogas, Daniel, G. Tulane 1951
*Rogers, William, T. Villanova 1938-40
Roskie, Kenneth, B. S. Carolina 1948
Rosteck, Ernest, C. (No College) 1944
Rote, Tobin, QB, Rice 1957-59
Rothwell, Fred, C. Kansas St. 1974
Rouse, Stillman, E. Missouri 1940
Roussos, Michael, T. Pittsburgh 1949
Rowe, Robert, B. Colgate 1934
Rubino, Anthony, G. Wake Forest 1943, 46
Rush, Jerry, DT, Michigan St. 1965-71
Russas, Albert, T. Tenn. 1949
Russell, Kenneth, T. Bowling Green 1957-59
Ryan, David, B. Hardin-Simmons 1945-46
Ryan, Kent, B. Utah St. 1938-40
Rychlec, Tom, E. Am. Int'l 1958
Ryder, Nick, FB, Miami 1963-64

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Salsbury, James, G. UCLA 1955-56
Sanchez, John, T. San Francisco 1947
Sanders, Charlie, TE, Minnesota 1968-
Sanders, Daryl, T. Ohio State 1963-66
Sanders, Ken, DE, Howard Payne 1972-
Sandifer, Daniel, B. LSU 1950
Sanzotta, Dominic, B. West. Res. 1942, 46
Sarratt, Charles, B. Okla. 1948
Sarringhaus, Paul, B. Ohio St. 1948
Sarton, Lawrence, G. Fordham 1942, 45
Saul, Bill, LB, Penn St. 1970
Schibanoff, Alexander, T. Frank-Marsh. 42
Schiechl, John, C. Santa Clara 1942
Schmidt, Joseph, LB, Pittsburgh 1953-65

Schmiesing, Joe, DT, New Mexico St. 1972
Schneller, John, E, Wisconsin 1934-36
Scholtz, Bob, C, Notre Dame 1960-64
Schottal, Ivan, B, NW Mo. St. 1946, 48
Schroll, Charles, B, LSU 1950
Scott, Clyde, B, Arkansas 1952
Scott, Perry, E, Muhlenberg 1942
Self, Clarence, B, Wisconsin 1950-51
Seltzer, Harry, B, Morris-Harvey 1942
Sewell, Harley, G, Texas 1953-62
*Shepherd, William, B, Westn. Md. 1935-40
Shoals, Roger, T, Maryland 1955-70
Siegert, Wayne, T, Illinois 1951
Sieminski, Chuck, DT, Penn State 1968
Sigillo, Dominic, T, Xavier 1945
Simmons, John, C, Detroit 1949-50
Simon, Jim, G-T, Miami (Fla.) 1963-65
Sinkwich, Frank, B, Georgia 1943-44
Sirochman, George, G, Duquesne 1944
Slaby, Lou, LB, Pittsburgh 1966
Sloan, Dwight, B, Arkansas 1939-40
Small, John, DT, Citadel, 1973-74
Smith, Bobby, DB, UCLA 1965-66
Smith, Harry, T, USC 1940
Smith, J. D., T, Rice 1964, 66
Smith, J. Robert, Iowa 1949-54
Smith, Robert L., B, Texas A&M 1953-54
Sneddon, Robert, B, St. Mary's 1945
Soboleski, Joseph, T, Michigan 1950
Souders, Cecil, E, Ohio St. 1947-49
Speelman, Harry, T, Mich. State 1940
Spencer, Oliver, T, Kansas 1953, 56, 59-61
Spangler, Eugene, B, Tulsa 1946
Speth, George, T, Murray St. 1942
Stacco, Edward, T, Colgate 1947
Stacy, James, T, Okla. 1935-37
Staggers, Jon, WR, Missouri 1975
Stantel, Richard, G, San Francisco 1952-55
Steen, James, T, Syracuse 1935-36
Steffen, Jim, B, UCLA 1959-60
Stits, William, B, UCLA 1954-56
*Stokes, Lee, C, Centenary 1937-39
Stovall, Richard, C, Abilene Christ. 1947-48
Stringfellow, Joseph, E, Miss. So. 1942
Stuart, Roy, T, Tulsa 1943
Studstill, Pat, FL, Houston 1961-67
Susic, Stephen, B, Illinois 1947-48
Sugar, Leo, E, Purdue 1962
Summerall, George, E, Arkansas 1952
Sunter, Ian, No College 1976
Swain, Bill, LB, Oregon 1968-69
Sweetan, Karl, QB, Wake Forest 1966-67
Swiacki, William, E, Columbia 1951-52
Szakash, Paul, B, Montana 1938-42
Szymanski, Frank, C, Notre Dame 1945-47

T

Tassos, Damion, G, Texas A&M 1945-46
Talarek, Bob, DT, Miami, O. 1972
Taylor, Althe, RB, Utah St. 1969-76
Teal, Jim, LB, Purdue 1973
Ten Napel, Garth, Texas A&M 1976-
Thomas, Calvin, G, Tulsa 1939-40
Thomas, Russell, T, Ohio St. 1946-49
Thomason, James, B, Texas A&M 1945
Thompson, Bobby, RB, Oklahoma 1975-
Thompson, Bobby, DB, Arizona 1964-68
Thompson, Dave, C, Clemson 1971-73
Thompson, Leonard, WR, Okla. St. 1975-
Thrower, Jim, DB, East Texas St. 1973-75
Thuerk, Owen, E, St. Joseph (Ind.) 1941

Todd, Jim, HB, Ball State 1966
Tomasetti, Louis, B, Bucknell 1941
Tonelli, Anthony, C, USC 1939
Topor, Ted, LB, Michigan 1955
Torgason, LaVern, C, Wash. St. 1951-54
Tracy, Thomas, B, Tenn. 1956-57
Treadway, John, T, Hardin-Simmons 1949
Trebolich, Ivan, B, St. Mary's 1944-45
Tressa, Thomas, G, Davis-Elkins 1942
Triplett, Bill, RB, Miami, O., 1968-72
Triplett, Wallace, B, Penn. St. 1949-50
Tripson, John, T, Miss. St. 1941
Tripucka, Frank, QB, Notre Dame 1949
Trotsouvas, John, C, Stanford 1940
Tully, Darrell, B, E. Texas Tchrs. 1939
Turner, Harold, E, Tenn. St. 1954
Tyler, Maurice, Morgan State 1976

U

Uremovich, Emil, T, Ind. 1940-42, 1945-46

V

Van Horn, Doug, G, Ohio State 1966
Van Tone, Arthur, B, Miss. 1943-45
*Vanzo, Frederick, B, Northwestern 1938-41
Vargo, Larry, E, Detroit 1963
*Vaughn, Charles, B, Tenn. 1935
Vaughn, Tom, DB, Iowa State 1965-71
Vezmar, Walter, T, Mich. St. 1946-47

W

*Wagner, Sidney, G, Mich. St. 1936-38
Walker, E, Doak, B, SMU 1950-55
Walker, Wayne, LB, Idaho 1958-72
Walker, Willie, FL, Tennessee State 1966
Walton, Chuck, G, Iowa St. 1967-74
Walton, Larry, WR, Arizona St. 1969-
Ward, Elmer, C, Utah State 1935-36
Ward, Paul, T, Whitworth 1961-62
Ward, William, G, Washington St. 1947-49
Watkins, Larry, RB, Alcorn A&M 1969
Watkins, Tom, HB, Iowa State 1962-67
Watson, Joseph, C, Rice 1950
Watt, Joseph, B, Syracuse 1947-48
Weatherall, Jim, T, Oklahoma 1959-60
Weaver, Charlie, LB, USC 1971-
Weaver, Herman, P, Tennessee 1970-76
Webb, Ken, HB, Presbyterian 1958-62
Weber, Richard, B, St. Louis 1945
Weger, Mike, DB, Bowling Green 1967-75
Weiss, Howard, B, Wisconsin 1939-40
Welch, Jim, RB, SMU 1968
Wells, Warren, E, Texas Southern 1964
West, Charlie, DB, Texas El Paso 1974-
*Wetterlund, Chet, B, Ill. Wesleyan 1942
Westfall, Robert, B, Michigan 1944-47
White, Byron, B, Colo. 1940-41
White, Daryl, G, Nebraska 1974
White, Wilbur, HB, Colo. A&M 1936
Whitlow, Bob, G-C, Arizona 1961-65
Whitsell, Dave, DB, Indiana 1958-60
Wiatrak, John, C, Washington 1939
Wickett Lloyd, T, Oregon St. 1943, 46
*Wiese, Robert, B, Michigan 1947-48
Wiethe, John, G, Xavier 1939-42
Williams, Bobby, DB, Central St. 1969-71
Williams, Rex, C, Texas Tech. 1945
Williams, Sam, DE, Mich. State 1960-65
Wilson, Camp, B, Tulsa 1946-49
Winkler, Randy, T, Tarleton St. 1967

Winslow, Robert, E, USC 1940
 Wojciechowicz, Alex., C, Fordham 1938-46
 Voit, Richard, B, Ark. St. 1955
 Wornack, Bruce, G, W. Tex. St. 1951
 Woodcock, John, Hawaii 1976
 Woods, Larry, DT, Tennessee State 1971-72
 Wright, John, WR, Illinois 1969
 Wyatt, Doug, DB, Tulsa 1973-74
 Wyche, Sam, QB, Furman 1974

Y

Yarbrough, Jim, T, Florida 1969-

Yepremian, Garo, K, No College 1966-67
 Young, Adrian, LB, USC 1972
 Yowarski, Walter, E, Ky. 1955

Z

Zatkoff, Roger, G, Michigan 1957-58
 Zawadzkas, Jerry, E, Columbia 1967
 Zimmerman, Leroy, B, San Jose St. 1947
 Zofko, Mickey, RB, Auburn 1971-74
 Zuzzio, Anthony, G, Muhlenberg 1942

*deceased

1977 NFL SCHEDULE

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 24

Minnesota at Los Angeles

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30

DETROIT at **Dallas**

Buffalo at Seattle

Chicago at Green Bay

Houston at Cincinnati

Kansas City at Cleveland

Los Angeles at New Orleans

Minnesota at Atlanta

New York Jets at New England

Oakland at Denver

Philadelphia at Washington

Pittsburgh at Baltimore

San Diego at Miami

Tampa Bay at San Francisco

MONDAY, OCTOBER 31

New York Giants .. at St. Louis

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6

San Diego at **DETROIT**

Buffalo at New England

Chicago at Houston

Cincinnati at Cleveland

Dallas at New York Giants

Green Bay at Kansas City

Miami at New York Jets

New Orleans at Philadelphia

Pittsburgh at Denver

St. Louis at Minnesota

San Francisco at Atlanta

Seattle at Oakland

Tampa Bay at Los Angeles

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 7

Washington at Baltimore

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13

DETROIT at **Atlanta**

Baltimore at Buffalo

Cincinnati at Minnesota

Cleveland at Pittsburgh

Denver at San Diego

Houston at Oakland

Kansas City at Chicago

Los Angeles vs. Green Bay

..... at Milw.

New England at Miami

New York Giants at Tampa Bay

San Francisco at New Orleans

Seattle at New York Jets

Washington at Philadelphia

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14

St. Louis at Dallas

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20

Tampa Bay at **DETROIT**

Atlanta at New Orleans

Cleveland at New York Giants

Dallas at Pittsburgh

Denver at Kansas City

Houston at Seattle

Los Angeles at San Francisco

Miami at Cincinnati

Minnesota at Chicago

New England at Buffalo

New York Jets at Baltimore

Philadelphia at St. Louis

Oakland at San Diego

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21

Green Bay at Washington

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24**(Thanksgiving Day)**

Chicago at **DETROIT**
Miami at St. Louis

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27

Atlanta at Tampa Bay
Baltimore at Denver
Dallas at Washington
Kansas City at Houston
Los Angeles at Cleveland
Minnesota at Green Bay
New Orleans at San Francisco
New York Giants at Cincinnati
Philadelphia at New England
Pittsburgh at New York Jets
San Diego at Seattle

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 28

Buffalo at Oakland

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4

DETROIT at **Green Bay**
Chicago at Tampa Bay
Cincinnati at Kansas City
Cleveland at San Diego
Denver at Houston
New England at Atlanta
New York Jets at New Orleans
Philadelphia at Dallas
Oakland at Los Angeles
St. Louis at New York Giants
San Francisco at Minnesota
Seattle at Pittsburgh
Washington at Buffalo

MONDAY, DECEMBER 5

Baltimore at Miami

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10

Pittsburgh at Cincinnati
Washington at St. Louis

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11

DETROIT at **Baltimore**
Atlanta at Los Angeles
Buffalo at New York Jets
Green Bay at Chicago
Houston at Cleveland
Miami at New England
Minnesota at Oakland
New York Giants at Philadelphia
Seattle at Kansas City
San Diego at Denver
Tampa Bay at New Orleans

MONDAY, DECEMBER 12

Dallas at San Francisco

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17

Minnesota at **DETROIT**
Los Angeles at Washington
Buffalo at Miami

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18

Chicago at New York Giants
Cincinnati at Houston
Cleveland at Seattle
Denver at Dallas
Kansas City at Oakland
New England at Baltimore
New Orleans at Atlanta
New York Jets at Philadelphia
Pittsburgh at San Diego
St. Louis at Tampa Bay
San Francisco vs. Green Bay
 at Milw.

POST-SEASON GAMES**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24**

AFC Playoff: **Score**
 (Team)
 at
 (Team)

MONDAY, DECEMBER 26

NFC Playoff: **Score**
 (Team)
 at
 (Team)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 1

AFC Championship: **Score**
 (Team)
 at

(Team)
NFC Championship: **Score**
 (Team)
 at
 (Team)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 15

Super Bowl XII at Louisiana **Score**
 (Team)
 vs
 (Team)

MONDAY, JANUARY 23

AFC-NFC Pro Bowl at Tampa:
AFC
NFC

LIONS 1977 SCHEDULE

PRE-SEASON

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| August | 6 | DETROIT vs Kansas City |
| August | 13 | DETROIT at Buffalo |
| August | 21 | DETROIT vs Cincinnati |
| August | 27 | DETROIT at Seattle |
| September | 2 | DETROIT at Baltimore |
| September | 9 | DETROIT vs Cleveland |

REGULAR SEASON

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|------------------|----|--------------------------|
| September | 18 | DETROIT at Chicago |
| September | 25 | DETROIT vs New Orleans |
| October | 2 | DETROIT vs Philadelphia |
| October | 9 | DETROIT at Minnesota |
| October | 16 | DETROIT vs Green Bay |
| October | 23 | DETROIT at San Francisco |
| October | 30 | DETROIT at Dallas |
| November | 6 | DETROIT vs San Diego |
| November | 13 | DETROIT at Atlanta |
| November | 20 | DETROIT vs Tampa Bay |
| November | 24 | DETROIT vs Chicago |
| (Thanksgiving) | | |
| December | 4 | DETROIT at Green Bay |
| December | 11 | DETROIT at Baltimore |
| December | 17 | DETROIT vs Minnesota |
| (Saturday night) | | |