

COMMISSIONER'S CORNER..... By Matt Farmer

1st & 10: As many of you know, I have been very busy with work. Because of that, the corner will be a little light this month.

2nd Down: On the game front, good to see as always that the games are being played timely. I am not aware of any issues so that is good too. Keep up the good work gentlemen!

3rd Down: From what I can tell in reviewing the box scores, injuries are more common in this version of the game. I am not sure yet if that is a good or bad thing. On top of that, I have no idea if it even correlates better to actual NFL injuries. In any event, I would be interested in reading comments anyone has on this.

Timeout: After a month of play, we again have a number of competitive teams fighting it out on the field. Predicting who will win it all is a tough one. Injuries and luck present unknown variables (injuries more so perhaps in this version of the game). There are, unfortunately however, a few teams pretty much already out of the hunt (my team included) but those teams still seem to be playing their hearts out for wins. Keep up that fight and do not be like the 2008 Detroit Lions.

4th Down: I am going to close the corner on the above note. I hope everyone continues to enjoy this season.

COACHES CORNER

Prairie's Jason Findlay is on vacation thru May 21st. He's arranged sub coaches already, with Karl stepping in Week 5, while Lance will handle Weeks 6 & 7.

NJ's John Buffolano needs sub coaches for upcoming weeks until his computer is up & running again. If you can step in on his behalf any week, please contact his opponent for that week directly.

When Reporting Game Results

Continue to send to OFLpost@yahogroups.com and Karl has requested you CC his email directly as well, karl@surewest.net, because too often the yahoo groups is not forwarding all the postings.

This will insure Karl is receiving completed games in a more timely manner.

And of course, double check that you've in fact attached the game file! ☺

MONEY MATTERS..... THIS MONTH
 Report errors in Money Matters ASAP to Mike Jaime

OFL FRANCHISE	1 st Article	2 nd Article	3 rd Art/ Photo	Traded Money	Claims	Cuts	Total XXVIII- 4
Antelope							
Baltimore	FEB						
Buffalo					- 50		- 50
California	JAN	JAN	FEB				
Durham					- 100		- 100
Florida	JAN	JAN	JAN				
Fresno	JAN	FEB	JAN				
Kutztown	MAR	MAR					
Las Vegas	JAN	FEB	MAR				
Malvern	FEB		FEB				
Medicine							
New Jersey	MAR				- 250		- 250
New York			MAR				
Pittsburgh	MAR						
Prairie	FEB						
Round Rock	MAR	+ 1000					+ 1000
Sacramento	FEB		JAN		- 50		- 50
San Francisco							
Scottsdale	FEB		MAR				
Winnipeg	JAN	FEB	FEB				

NOTES: Teams enjoy 8 more months to submit their 2009 articles/photos to earn \$1 million each, for up to maximum of \$3 million total for the franchise. Article/Photo credits are earned January thru December. Month 2009 credits earned are shown above.

Review Financial Structure in Constitution (pgs 14-18) for upcoming Bonus opportunities, season monetary awards and how Superstar salaries may be impacted (raised immediately) if dictated by player acquisitions. A player's Contract terms should always be weighed in valuing & determining trades.

OFL Team Treasury Reports – Thru March Newsletter

Prepared By- Bobby Elder

Please double-check your Team. Report all errors to Bobby at: OFLchief@aol.com
Last Team Treasury Report accounted for all Money Matters through XXVII-12

Antelope		Florida		Medicine Hat		Round Rock	
Last Report	13050	Last Report	15900	Last Report	18038	Last Report	53123
XXVIII-1	1500	XXVIII-1	4500	XXVIII-1	1500	XXVIII-1	2000
XXVIII-2	-100	XXVIII-2	-650	XXVIII-2	-450	XXVIII-2	0
XXVII-3	-9625	XXVII-3	-16300	XXVII-3	-15450	XXVII-3	-7650
Total	4825	Total	3450	Total	3638	Total	47473

Baltimore		Fresno		New Jersey		Sacramento	
Last Report	14924	Last Report	13683	Last Report	15560	Last Report	19696
XXVIII-1	1500	XXVIII-1	3500	XXVIII-1	1500	XXVIII-1	2500
XXVIII-2	750	XXVIII-2	1000	XXVIII-2	0	XXVIII-2	1050
XXVII-3	-16000	XXVII-3	-16250	XXVII-3	-15300	XXVII-3	-15950
Total	1174	Total	1933	Total	1760	Total	7296

Buffalo		Kutztown		New York		San Francisco	
Last Report	25393	Last Report	19570	Last Report	23959	Last Report	18414
XXVIII-1	1650	XXVIII-1	300	XXVIII-1	1450	XXVIII-1	1450
XXVIII-2	0	XXVIII-2	-100	XXVIII-2	0	XXVIII-2	-450
XXVII-3	-19676	XXVII-3	-15250	XXVII-3	-12200	XXVII-3	-17100
Total	7367	Total	4520	Total	13209	Total	2314

California		Las Vegas		Pittsburgh		Scottsdale	
Last Report	14450	Last Report	20200	Last Report	20464	Last Report	19275
XXVIII-1	3500	XXVIII-1	1900	XXVIII-1	2050	XXVIII-1	1500
XXVIII-2	1000	XXVIII-2	1450	XXVIII-2	0	XXVIII-2	-450
XXVII-3	-13725	XXVII-3	-18875	XXVII-3	-14751	XXVII-3	-16850
Total	5225	Total	4675	Total	7763	Total	3475

Durham		Malvern		Prairie		Winnipeg	
Last Report	21992	Last Report	21310	Last Report	21264	Last Report	17256
XXVIII-1	1500	XXVIII-1	1000	XXVIII-1	1500	XXVIII-1	2500
XXVIII-2	3250	XXVIII-2	2350	XXVIII-2	650	XXVIII-2	2500
XXVII-3	-14750	XXVII-3	-21575	XXVII-3	-12850	XXVII-3	-18800
Total	11992	Total	3085	Total	10564	Total	3456

\$TEAL\$ & DEAL\$.....

3rd Trade Period shall close June 8th at 7 PM PDT

No trades reported first month of season

2010 OFL DRAFT BOARD (Alphabetical Order) – Thru Trade #74

OFL FRANCHISE	# 1	# 2	# 3	# 4	# 5	# 6	# 7	# 8
Antelope Mud Fish	LV	LV	LV				LV	
Baltimore Slaughter								
Buffalo Bisons		WPG			MLV			
California Quakes								
Durham Thunder Lizards								
Florida Dragons						NY		
Fresno Fuel								
Kutztown Belchers								
Las Vegas RatPack	CAL					PWF	PWF	
Malvern Monarchs				BUF				
Medicine Mad Hatters	PWF	PWF	PWF	PWF				NY
New Jersey Patriots	DUR				SR			
New York Cobras			BUF	BUF				SF
Pittsburgh Assassins				FF				
Prairie Wildfire								
Round Rock Crusaders								
Sacramento Scorpions			NY				PWF	MLV
San Francisco Buccaneers	FF	WPG	RR	PWF	FF	FF	WPG	
Scottsdale Rancheros		LV						
Winnipeg Vigilantes	DUR	DUR	DUR	PWF			SR	

**Round Rock..... What's ahead for 2009
By- Calvin Opheim**

Under the leadership of Warren Buffett, the Crusaders have the strongest financial position in the OFL. There is enough money saved up to purchase three OFL franchises outright. Once again, Round Rock has the lowest payroll in the OFL. With all of these cost cutting measures, what is the outlook for the team which will take the field?

Quarterback – With the release of Trent Green, the quarterback position was an open battle in training camp. The starting QB this year is “In-Vince-able” Young. “We’re expecting Vince to build upon his rookie season”, coach Opheim stated. Waiting in the wings is Trent Edwards and JaMarcus Russell. The future looks bright with these three young signal callers on the roster.

Running Back – Last year’s squad had no running back of note which lead to opponents totally disregarding the Round Rock running game. This year Willis McGahee was acquired via trade and is slated to be the featured running back. McGahee is in his contract year and should be motivated to perform well in order to receive a big raise after the season. He is backed up by Ladell Betts, Jesse Chatman, and Kolby Smith.

Receivers – Round Rock has two of the top WR’s in the league in Brandon Marshall and Larry Fitzgerald. Add in Owen Daniels at Tight End and there are plenty of weapons through the air. The 3rd WR is Reggie Williams. Dwayne Jarrett, Chris Davis, and L.J. Smith provide depth.

Offensive Line – The slow rebuilding process is starting to bear some fruit on the offensive line. Top rookie pick Joe Thomas is expected to be the long-term anchor of the line at Left Tackle. David Diehl will play Right Tackle. Jake Scott has secured the starting Left Guard position with Dan Koppen starting at Center. The starting Right Guard is Chris Myers. Chris Chester, Max Jean-Gilles, Andy Alleman, Daryn Colledge, and Samson Satele provide depth.

Defensive Line – Jared Allen is the marquee player on the defensive line for Round Rock. He is expected to be a contender for the OFL defensive player of the year. Broderick Bunkley is a young improving player playing inside. Cory Redding is the other tackle. Cory has lots of potential but needs to work harder. Tommy Kelly is versatile in that he can play any position on the line. Jamaal Anderson, Turk McBride, Jarvis Moss, Marcus Thomas, and Ikaika Alama-Francis are very young backups.

Linebackers – Derrick Johnson is the leader of the linebacker corp. Kawika Mitchell mans weakside. Quincy Black, Amhad Brooks, Brandon Siler, and the timeless veteran Junior Seau will vie for time at the other outside position.

Defensive Backs – Kelly Jennings and Travis Fisher will be the starters this year at cornerback. Josh Wilson and Jason Allen are the top reserves. Donte Whitner will start at strong safety while Jarrad Page will start at free safety. Bernard Pollard and Marquand Manuel provide depth.

2009 Outlook – The OFL is the smallest league I play in and there is a definite chasm between the haves and have nots. The Tittle division is brutal. Maybe 6 wins is an obtainable goal. But we’re definitely the most solvent franchise in the league <g>.

Known 39 duplicate players on 2008 NFL Season Disk
As provided on the Action EZBoard Forum

If you want to model your league you’re best served to “erase” all the duplicate versions of these players from their respective NFL rosters as shown below FIRST. They should also appear as Free Agents- but those you retain, as they incorporate the combined stats, complete position & accurate durability ratings.

Investing the few minutes eliminating duplicates before you utilize the model league function, will save you immense time later on hunting them down & rooting them out.

Ari	Celestin, Oliver	Mia	Crocker, Chris
Ari	Graham, Ben	Mia	Lehan, Michael
Ari	Hobson, Victor	Mia	Mathis, Evan
Ari	Spach, Stephen	Mia	Ninkovich, Rob
Atl	Jennings, Adam	Mia	Ryan, Sean
Bal	Copper, Terrance	Mia	Smith, Derek
Buf	Barnes, Darian	Mia	Walden, Erik
Chi	Bradley, Mark	Min	Kennedy, Jimmy
Chi	Davis, Jason	NE	Spach, Stephen
Chi	Gardner, Gilbert	NO	Barnes, Darian
Chi	Hamilton, Marcus	NO	Copper, Terrance
Cin	Crocker, Chris	NO	Craft, Jason
Cin	Hobson, Victor	NO	Graham, Ben
Cin	Jones, Herana-Daze	NO	Lehan, Michael
Cin	Mathis, Evan	NO	Ninkovich, Rob
Cle	Abdullah, Hamza	NO	Roby, Courtney
Dal	Battle, Tra	NO	Ryan, Sean
Dal	Williams, Roy	NO	Torrence, Leigh
Den	Abdullah, Hamza	NO	Weatherford, Steve
Den	Colbert, Keary	NYJ	Graham, Ben
Den	Jones, Herana-Daze	NYJ	Miller, Justin
Den	Lowry, Calvin	NYJ	Montgomery, Will
Den	Putzier, Jeb	Oak	Davis, Jason
Det	Barnes, Darian	Oak	Hall, DeAngelo
Det	Colbert, Keary	Oak	Miller, Justin
Det	Gardner, Gilbert	Phi	White, Tracy
Det	Jennings, Adam	Pit	Davenport, Najeh
Det	Williams, Roy	SD	Battle, Tra
GB	White, Tracy	SD	Smith, Derek
Ind	Davenport, Najeh	Sea	Babin, Jason
Ind	Forsett, Justin	Sea	Colbert, Keary
Ind	Roby, Courtney	Sea	Forsett, Justin
Jax	Kennedy, Jimmy	Sea	Plackemeier, Ryan
Jax	Lowry, Calvin	Sea	Putzier, Jeb
Jax	Weatherford, Steve	SF	Ryan, Sean

KC	Babin,Jason	StL	Craft,Jason
KC	Bradley,Mark	StL	Davis,Anthony
KC	Celestin,Oliver	TB	Davis,Anthony
KC	Walden,Erik	TB	Hamilton,Marcus
KC	Weatherford,Steve	Was	Hall,DeAngelo
		Was	Montgomery,Will
		Was	Plackemeier,Ryan
		Was	Torrence,Leigh

OFL PASSING LEADERS THRU WEEK 5

			Att	Cmp	C%	Yards	In	I%	Lg	TD	TD%	Rate
1	Warner ,K	MLV	64	48	75.0	675	1	1.6	45	8	12.5	141.6
2	McNabb	BLT	111	77	69.4	956	1	0.9	41	11	9.9	125.1
3	Delhomme	BUF	91	61	67.0	786	1	1.1	40	8	8.8	118.7
4	Garrard	BUF	69	48	69.6	597	0	0.0	37	4	5.8	115.4
5	Brady ,T	SF	152	97	63.8	1372	4	2.6	64	14	9.2	112.6
6	Hasselbeck	WIN	114	71	62.3	879	3	2.6	74	12	10.5	110.2
7	Garcia ,J	SAC	68	41	60.3	441	0	0.0	22	6	8.8	108.8
8	Roethlisbe	NJP	141	98	69.5	1172	4	2.8	63	10	7.1	106.5
9	Rosenfels	NYC	143	93	65.0	1036	2	1.4	43	8	5.6	99.3
10	Brees	MMH	161	109	67.7	1188	5	3.1	55	11	6.8	99.1
11	Romo	ANT	157	96	61.1	1424	8	5.1	74	13	8.3	97.2
12	Anderson ,D	LVR	106	59	55.7	852	3	2.8	68	8	7.5	95.3
13	Rivers ,P	DTL	131	80	61.1	1005	3	2.3	53	5	3.8	88.1
14	Schaub	PIT	138	86	62.3	1020	7	5.1	56	9	6.5	85.4
15	Manning ,P	FD	205	125	61.0	1399	6	2.9	73	7	3.4	80.5
16	Favre	SR	165	102	61.8	1194	9	5.5	37	9	5.5	79.2
17	Kitna	KTZ	173	113	65.3	1128	7	4.0	38	4	2.3	74.5
18	Huard	CAL	149	94	63.1	914	8	5.4	54	5	3.4	69.0
19	Palmer ,C	PWF	124	74	59.7	671	7	5.6	32	3	2.4	58.9
20	Young ,V	RRC	86	45	52.3	447	4	4.7	23	2	2.3	55.7

OFL RUSHING LEADERS THRU WEEK 5

			Att	Yds	Ave	Lg	TD				Att	Yds	Ave	Lg	TD
1	Taylor ,F	WIN	98	539	5.5	33	1	11	Jones-Drew	MLV	47	284	6.0	28	5
2	Westbrook	LVR	81	468	5.8	36	3	12	Watson ,K	MMH	53	277	5.2	24	2
3	Tomlinson	SAC	92	462	5.0	17	2	13	James ,E	FD	78	274	3.5	20	3
4	Gore	LVR	89	438	4.9	30	0	14	Peterson ,A	WIN	38	266	7.0	44	2
5	McGahee	RRC	72	367	5.1	43	1	15	Fargas	BLT	56	259	4.6	27	1
6	Barber ,M	NYC	78	356	4.6	24	1	16	Johnson ,L	KTZ	84	257	3.1	29	1
7	Portis	PIT	86	354	4.1	32	1	17	Henry ,T	DTL	80	256	3.2	14	1
8	Lewis ,J	SF	86	353	4.1	16	1	18	Lynch ,M	SAC	46	248	5.4	60	1
9	Jackson ,F	BLT	50	343	6.9	27	1	19	Graham ,E	SR	59	246	4.2	14	3
10	Grant ,R	MLV	53	303	5.7	30	0	20	White ,L	BUF	54	206	3.8	14	3

OFL RECEIVING LEADERS THRU WEEK 5

		No	Yds	Ave	Lg	TD			No	Yds	Ave	Lg	TD		
1	Owens, T	BUF	39	705	18.1	40	5	11	Holmes, S	ANT	27	443	16.4	74	4
2	Moss, R	ANT	38	717	18.9	63	9	12	Witten	BLT	26	334	12.8	33	5
3	Ward, H	BUF	36	390	10.8	21	4	13	Bowe	CAL	26	348	13.4	54	3
4	Welker	SAC	30	382	12.7	37	7	14	Mason, D	MMH	26	312	12.0	55	2
5	Burruss	SF	29	427	14.7	32	6	15	Gonzalez, T	MMH	26	265	10.2	18	4
6	Hilliard, I	FD	29	381	13.1	41	1	16	Cotchery	NJP	24	263	11.0	23	2
7	Johnson, C	MLV	29	507	17.5	45	6	17	Driver	SR	24	336	14.0	32	4
8	Wayne, R	PIT	28	350	12.5	56	2	18	Houshmandz	WIN	24	272	11.3	22	3
9	Boldin	KTZ	28	340	12.1	38	0	19	Booker, M	SAC	22	271	12.3	23	2
10	Engram	MLV	27	335	12.4	22	3	20	Brown, R	PWF	22	205	9.3	25	0

OFL TEAM OFFENSE THRU WEEK 5

Offense	Run	Yards	Ave	TD	Pass	Comp	Comp%	Yards	Ave	Int	Int%	TD	TD%	Rate	Run/G	Pass/G	Tot/G	Play
Buffalo	157	593	3.8	5	172	115	66.9	1425	8.3	1	0.6	12	7.0	114.0	118.6	285.0	403.6	6.0
Baltimore	180	973	5.4	4	116	81	69.8	919	7.9	1	0.9	13	11.2	130.3	194.6	183.8	378.4	6.1
Medicine	130	677	5.2	5	161	109	67.7	1125	7.0	5	3.1	11	6.8	99.1	135.4	225.0	360.4	6.0
Malvern	180	881	4.9	5	96	67	69.8	907	9.4	3	3.1	10	10.4	122.8	176.2	181.4	357.6	6.4
San Francisco	123	465	3.8	1	152	97	63.8	1322	8.7	4	2.6	14	9.2	112.6	93.0	264.4	357.4	6.3
Las Vegas	190	946	5.0	3	106	59	55.7	827	7.8	3	2.8	8	7.5	95.3	189.2	165.4	354.6	5.9
Pittsburgh	175	720	4.1	6	138	86	62.3	974	7.1	7	5.1	9	6.5	85.4	144.0	194.8	338.8	5.3
Sacramento	147	757	5.1	3	148	88	59.5	929	6.3	0	0.0	11	7.4	104.2	151.4	185.8	337.2	5.5
Antelope	84	341	4.1	0	157	96	61.1	1344	8.6	8	5.1	13	8.3	97.2	68.2	268.8	337.0	6.7
Winnipeg	172	839	4.9	3	114	71	62.3	844	7.4	3	2.6	12	10.5	110.2	167.8	168.8	336.6	5.8
New Jersey	132	484	3.7	3	145	99	68.3	1149	7.9	4	2.8	10	6.9	104.3	96.8	229.8	326.6	5.8
Florida	99	338	3.4	3	205	125	61.0	1284	6.3	6	2.9	7	3.4	80.5	67.6	256.8	324.4	5.0
Scottsdale	103	414	4.0	4	165	102	61.8	1164	7.1	9	5.5	9	5.5	79.2	82.8	232.8	315.6	5.8
New York	126	563	4.5	3	147	95	64.6	985	6.7	2	1.4	8	5.4	98.1	112.6	197.0	309.6	5.5
Durham	157	521	3.3	2	131	80	61.1	917	7.0	3	2.3	5	3.8	88.1	104.2	183.4	287.6	4.8
Kutztown	121	336	2.8	3	173	113	65.3	1089	6.3	7	4.0	4	2.3	74.5	67.2	217.8	285.0	4.7
Round Rock	161	761	4.7	2	127	68	53.5	625	4.9	4	3.1	3	2.4	63.9	152.2	125.0	277.2	4.7
California	96	371	3.9	2	155	97	62.6	836	5.4	8	5.2	5	3.2	68.6	74.2	167.2	241.4	4.5
Fresno	94	270	2.9	1	186	106	57.0	841	4.5	11	5.9	4	2.2	53.5	54.0	168.2	222.2	3.7
Prairie	128	367	2.9	2	124	74	59.7	581	4.7	7	5.6	3	2.4	58.9	73.4	116.2	189.6	3.6

OFL TEAM DEFENSE THRU WEEK 5

Defense	Run	Yards	Ave	TD	Pass	Comp	Comp%	Yards	Ave	Int	Int%	TD	TD%	Rate	Run/G	Pass/G	Tot/G	Play
Winnipeg	128	574	4.5	0	138	80	58.0	546	4.0	4	2.9	3	2.2	64.9	114.8	109.2	224.0	4.0
Durham	138	506	3.7	1	152	78	51.3	667	4.4	7	4.6	2	1.3	50.5	101.2	133.4	234.6	3.9
Malvern	141	599	4.2	2	108	67	62.0	581	5.4	5	4.6	3	2.8	68.9	119.8	116.2	236.0	4.6
Pittsburgh	114	344	3.0	1	126	84	66.7	872	6.9	2	1.6	10	7.9	109.1	68.8	174.4	243.2	4.8
Baltimore	120	496	4.1	5	150	85	56.7	851	5.7	5	3.3	8	5.3	78.1	99.2	170.2	269.4	4.9
San Francisco	152	581	3.8	4	143	88	61.5	774	5.4	7	4.9	4	2.8	67.8	116.2	154.8	271.0	4.3
Buffalo	107	442	4.1	1	148	86	58.1	978	6.6	6	4.1	7	4.7	78.3	88.4	195.6	284.0	5.4
Las Vegas	104	274	2.6	1	149	102	68.5	1203	8.1	6	4.0	8	5.4	95.8	54.8	240.6	295.4	5.6
Medicine	143	696	4.9	2	141	84	59.6	781	5.5	5	3.5	4	2.8	71.7	139.2	156.2	295.4	5.0
Kutztown	121	458	3.8	5	161	92	57.1	1085	6.7	9	5.6	8	5.0	72.4	91.6	217.0	308.6	5.3
Sacramento	126	535	4.2	1	135	86	63.7	1108	8.2	7	5.2	10	7.4	94.8	107.0	221.6	328.6	6.0
Fresno	142	573	4.0	4	144	98	68.1	1112	7.7	6	4.2	10	6.9	98.3	114.6	222.4	337.0	5.8
Round Rock	143	683	4.8	2	133	90	67.7	1079	8.1	5	3.8	13	9.8	110.6	136.6	215.8	352.4	6.2
New Jersey	148	641	4.3	7	144	95	66.0	1143	7.9	1	0.7	10	6.9	111.9	128.2	228.6	356.8	6.0
California	154	656	4.3	5	175	107	61.1	1197	6.8	3	1.7	12	6.9	99.0	131.2	239.4	370.6	5.4
Prairie	166	722	4.3	2	126	88	69.8	1144	9.1	2	1.6	15	11.9	131.3	144.4	228.8	373.2	6.4
New York	161	799	5.0	6	140	94	67.1	1075	7.7	7	5.0	8	5.7	90.3	159.8	215.0	374.8	6.0
Scottsdale	143	648	4.5	5	186	117	62.9	1240	6.7	4	2.2	9	4.8	90.9	129.6	248.0	377.6	5.6
Florida	134	591	4.4	1	161	100	62.1	1376	8.5	4	2.5	13	8.1	106.8	118.2	275.2	393.4	6.6
Antelope	170	799	4.7	5	158	107	67.7	1275	8.1	1	0.6	14	8.9	120.4	159.8	255.0	414.8	6.2
