

2010 Road to SB
(Home games in *italic*)

Date	Team	Time
27 W	Eagles	20
34 W	<i>Bills</i>	7
17	Duh bears	L 20
28 W	<i>Lyn's</i>	26
13	'Skins	L 16
20	'Phins	L 23
28 W	<i>Viqueen's</i>	24
9 W	<i>Jet's</i>	00
45 W	<i>Cryboy's</i>	7
11/14	Bye Week	
31W	Viqueen's II	3
17	Falcons	L 20
34W	49er's	16
3	Lyn's II	L 7
27	Patriots	L 31
45W	Gi Ants	17
10W	Duh bears II	3
1/9	Eagull's	4:30
1/15	Falcon's	8:00
1/23	NFC Champ	3:00
2/6	Superbowl	6:30

NFC North Standings

Chicago	11-5
Green Bay	10-6
Detroit	6-10
Minnesota	6-10

Packer Tidbits:

- W** • **ROSE BOWL**
UW 19 TCU 21 good game but not enough
- Bup, bup, ba, da, da bup...
DUH BEARS STILL SUCK
- **Sunday 4:30 game! We play the Eagull's this week in Philly**

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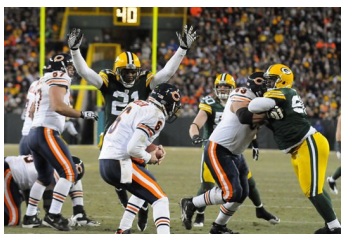
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"I'm very proud of our football team, just what we've accomplished...Nothing's come easy for us, and we wouldn't want it any other way." - McCarthy

The Packers gutted out an ugly must-win, reminiscent of and taking football back to the days of Curly Lam-

beau, to propel themselves into the playoffs by trapping duh Bears, 10-7.

There wasn't much to talk about as far as statistics, big plays, or the like. This game was in every way unremarkable as well as ugly. Only a fan of either team would've been glued to the television for this one.

Which we were! There were well over 100 Packer Backers at the jam-packed Corner Pocket, living and dying with each play. The Pack trailed at half, and needed a rally to take the lead in the fourth

quarter, then had to hold on for dear life to make it count in the end.



Rodgers (19/28, 229 yards, TD, INT) deserved a little better stat line, as there *(bears suck on page 2)*

Greenville Packer Backers in the Corner Pocket



120...Yes, 120 Packer fans at the Corner Pocket to see duh bears get whooped and the Pack make the playoffs. Once again, great times, great prizes and of course a great game.



The GPB Game was held at halftime. Eighteen members played Bago with Neil Peterson #120 winning the Limited Edition Packer Die-cast car. We had two trivia winners, Betsy Geil #181 on the Giant's question and Ric Geil #182 on duh bears question. Both won a \$10 gift card

from The Corner Pocket. The Biggest loser winner was Samantha Ware #233 with a 3% weight loss. For that she wins a Packer Jersey of her choice.

Over 30 regular door prizes were awarded, including GPB 2011 planners to Bob Thackett #197, Karn Bender #186, Phil Bender #156, Nancy Schmidt #129 & Tom Becker #108. Packer watches went to Betsey Geil #181 & Patricia Zumbach #263. Winner of the year end prize from the Corner Pocket, A Bud-Lite Helmet



grill went to Kimberley Plantz #240.

Winners on the \$1 pool were Tiffany Bailey #241, Neil Petersen #120 and

Jamie Ware #101 (twice). Winners on one 50 cent pool were Jerry Boerner #201, Tom Becker #108 & Christina Harrison #242 (twice). On the other 50 cent pool was Christine Harrison #242, Jamie Ware #101 & Bob thackett#197 (twice.)

Two new members to report:

#270 Sharon Wirnsburger
#271 Chad Valichka

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were a couple of big drops by guys that usually come



through. At least one touchdown was left on the field by a big drop. In the tight contest, every play like that one

takes on greater meaning. Bears QB Jay Cutler (21/39, 168 yards, 2 INT) played the whole game, along with the rest of the starters. This was a game Lovie and his players really wanted, despite being locked in to the #2 seed regardless of the outcome of this game. Driver told the media after the game that Bears players were talking during the game about how badly they wanted to knock the Pack out.

The topsy-turvy season came down to the fourth quarter in this one. When Rodgers hit Donald Lee for the lone and go-ahead touchdown, one may have thought duh Bears would fold and pack it in. No way. This thing came down to a nail-biter, and all the pent up emotions and frustrations with this season erupted when Nick Collins sealed the deal with his INT



to stop the final threat. What a great feeling and scene at Lambeau, The Pocket, and no doubt throughout Packer Nation!

"I like our chances. We feel good about our team. We've had some down moments this year, we've had a lot of injuries...and now we find ourselves with a chance" - Charles Woodson has said it all.

Go, Pack, GO...all the way! (KP)

Packer's Vs Eagull's

Last time these two teams met it was week one in Philadelphia and the Packers won 27-20. Once again they meet in Philly, but these are not the same teams that played each other back then. Vick has improved over week one and the Pack has replaced six defensive starters and

then there was no reason to; the game meant nothing as far as the playoffs were concerned. I'm sure they will both play; the question is, how hurt are they and how much will this affect their performance? If Vick is less mobile it will make our defenses job much easier to contain him. If Jackson foot is hurt, this minimizes not only their #1 receiving threat, but the kick return

in sacks, #1 in Int's, #1 in Pic 6's and #3 in passes defended.

Rodgers, in all reality, did not play his best game last week against duh bears nor did he have one against the Eagulls in week one. He will be leading his #5 offense against the #12 defense of the Eagulls, an easier task than Vick has. The first time they met, Aaron was not a running threat and although he might not run like Mike, this will be something that their defense will have to address.

watch out for is Asante Samuel. Not just because he is a good corner but because he has a history of tackling with his helmet; nearly knocking himself out on a flagged hit in the



three offensive starters from week one.

The big match up of the day will be the Eagull's #1 offense against the Packers #1 defense. Their #1 offense does have questions as to both Vick's (a quadriceps injury from the viqueens game) and DeSean Jackson's (foot) health. Neither played last week against Dalass, but

The queenies, with their #9 defense, had little problems with Vick or Jackson. I think the Pack can learn a lot from the Eagull/viqueen game film from a few weeks back. Here are some NFC stats on the Packer's D: #1 in fewest point allowed, #1



Will it show up, will MM use it? I for one hope it does show up; making us a three headed dragon (passing, rushing and Rodgers scrambling) should prove too much for the Eagulls. One player to



queenies game. Some say that if Vick played the entire game in week one, he would have beaten the Packers. I say nay, nay. Vick came into that game as a sub so the Packers didn't set up their game plan with him in mind. At the time there was not a lot of film on the "new and improved" Vick. Both these *(the eagull has landed on page 3)*

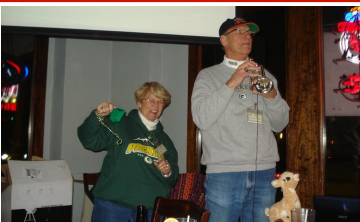
It's Membership drive time again

The GreenvillePackerBackers have maintained the same membership cost over our four year existence and we would love to continue but feel we must raise prices on the 2011 renewals to \$25 and 2011 new members to \$30. Both are a \$5 increase over current fees. This increase is necessary as we (Tim) continue to find the type and amount of prizes this club would like to see.

As a member, you will be able to win all the wonderful door prizes we give away each game, a chance each week to win the GPB Game and Trivia contest, a chance to win prizes from the Corner Pocket including the mid season and end of year prize, first shot at the pool numbers and most importantly, 12% off your bill for each and every game you show up.

To those procrastinators, there is still time. New renewal prices go into affect at the end of the Packers playoff season. Until then, we will honor this years renewal of \$20 for your 2011 memberships. New members cost are \$30 but this includes both membership for the remainder of the playoffs and 2011 too. So the office crew can enjoy the game along with you, we ask that you sign up before the game and at half time only. **Go Pack Go**

**Badgers are RED,
Hornfrogs are Blue,
Hornfrogs wear RED,
Now the Badgers are blue**



Green Bay: land of the walking wounded

Thank God the list is getting smaller. Here is my best guess of the injured players for the Eagull's game:

Injured Reserve (15 out for the season): *Marshall Newhouse, Antony Smith, Brandon Chillar, Spencer Havner, Mark Tauscher, Jeremichael Finley, Nick Barnett, Derrick Martin, Ryan Grant, Morgan Burnett, Justin Harrell, Josh Bell, Brad Jones, Mike Neal & Brady Poppinga.*

(4) Out or Doubtful: Cullen Jenkins, Atari Bigby, Kory Hall, Frank Zombo

(9) Probable: Erik Walden, Chad Clifton, Daryn Colledge, Clay Matthews, Ryan Pickett, Scott Wells, Sam Shields, Charles Woodson and Diyral Briggs.

(1) New face: Evan Dietrich-Smith

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things will change this time around. The other thing that the Pack have in their favor is that Dom Capers is use to seeing Vick when he was coach at Carolina. Will we stop Vick, no, just like Philly will not stop Rodgers. Will we contain Vick, yes.

A few other facts, the Pack is 0-2 against the Eagulls in playoff games, Vick is 1-0 in playoff games against the Pack (ATL in '02), Aaron is looking for his first playoff win. Not that this will have any affect on the outcome of the game, it's just a couple of monkeys the Pack will need to get off their backs. The playoff game on January 11, 2004 with the famous 4th and 26 should be inspiration enough. Right now, the Packers are on a winning streak, the Eagulls are not and they are only 4-4 at home this year. Everyone has a 0-0 record going into the playoffs, but I still feel that the Pack has the big Mo coming into this game; a Mo that should make them 4-0 this playoff season. Go Pack Go!

(JW)

Trivia Contest

Here is the answer from the Giant's game (12/26):

The second coldest weather game in Green Bay was a play off game against the New York Giants. When was it? What was the temperature and wind chill at game time?

1/20/08 -1 Temp & -23 Wind chill

Here is the answer to last Sunday's duh bears game (1/2):

The Packers 800th regular season game was against duh bears on 10/21/85 at Soldier Field.

Who were the two head coaches? Who were the two starting quarterbacks?

**Forrest Gregg & Mike Ditka
Lynn Dickey & Jim McMahon**

Here is the question for this Sunday's Eagull's game (1/9):

The Packers and Eagles first played each other in 1933. They met twice that year. What were the dates, stadium names and locations and the score of both game?

Prize will be a \$10 gift card from The Corner Pocket.

The rules:

- 1) The question will appear one week ahead in the newsletter to give our readers extra time to research the answer. The question will also be posted at the sign-in desk on game day.
- 2) The only place you can submit your answer is at The Corner Pocket on game day of that week.
- 3) Only one entry per person per week.
- 4) A winner will be drawn in the third quarter from all the correct entries.
- 5) You may not win two weeks in a row.
- 6) You must be a member to enter and present to win.





January 1, 2001 is a date that the Big 10 would love to forget. Five big 10 schools had a chance to shine

Monte Ball ran great, so did John Clay, but Clay wasn't utilized until the Badgers last drive.



and in the end, five disappointments; none bigger than the Badgers loss in the Rose Bowl. True the other four games were no contest from the start (Northwestern losses by 7, Penn State by 13, Michigan by 38 and Michigan State 42). What makes the Badger loss the worst was it was theirs to win and they didn't.

The stats from the game were impressive: Scott Tolzien 12-21-159, 0 TD, 0 Ints, 120.7



QBR; Monte Ball 22 for 126 with a 40 yard run and John Clay 11 for 76 with a 30 yard run and time of passion

36:35 to 23:25. Part of the problem was that Andy Dalton was equally impressive (15-23-219, 1 TD, 0 Ints, 159.5 QBR). The bigger part of the problem was the missed opportunities the offense had. Their failure to score a TD on the opening drive and a missed field goal in the second quarter proved to be costly. Mismanagement of the clock at the end of half and settling for a field goal was also a major contributor to the outcome of the game. Amazingly, in the second quarter, the Badgers had the ball for 14:06, yet came away with only 3 points. To me, the biggest problem of the day was the play calling and personnel selection. UW seemed to be able to run at will up the middle, but had negative yardage almost every time they tried to run around the ends.

In the end, they still had a chance to tie the game and then came the biggest play calling blunder of the game. From a team that is THE best rushing team in the country and just proved that on their last drive, decided to try the 2 point conversion with a pass from the shotgun position. In my opinion, Clay or Ball off tackle and the game is tied. Even lining up with the illusion that they were running would have drawn Tank Carter into the line and opened up the pass to the tight end.

In the end it was an opportunity lost for the Badgers to show to the country that UW is an elite team in the Big 10, instead, being co-champions and an 11-2 record holds no special meaning. Next year brings a new era in the Big 10 with the addition of Nebraska, the creation of the two divisions and the addition of a conference championship game. In the words of all Clemson fans, "There is always next year". Go Badgers Go!

(JW)



GPB Game of the week

We had a great turnout last week, the best we ever had, however, due to the office help being shorthanded for this game, we will not have the GPB Game this week. We would like the games to continue next year but we need your help. The "girls" can not do it all. They would like to have someone(s) that will set up and run the game each time. If you'd like to be part of that, let us know at the game this week. Thanks



And upon Further review...

DUH BEARS STILL SUCK!

