

November 23, 2010

Return to SB XLVI

(Home games in *italic*)

Date	Team	Time
42 W	<i>Aints</i>	34
30 W	Panthers	23
27 W	<i>duh bears I</i>	17
49 W	<i>Bronco's</i>	23
25 W	Phalcons	14
24 W	<i>Rams</i>	3
33W	<i>Viqueens I</i>	27
10/30	<i>Bye Week</i>	
45 W	Chargers	38
45 W	<i>Viqueens II</i>	7
35 W	<i>Buc an ear</i>	26
11/24 T	Lyins I	12:30
12/4	Gi Ants	4:15
12/11	<b>Raiders</b>	1:00
12/18	Chefs	1:00
12/25	<i>duh bears II</i>	8:20
1/1	<i>Lyins II</i>	1:00

**NFC North Standings**

Green Bay	10-0
Detroit	7-3
Chicago	7-3
Minnesota	2-8

**Packer Tidbits:**

- It is still a Packer Perfect season!.
- **UW 28 ILL U 17** Next up on Sat. Penn State @ 3:30 in Madison. Here's hoping that Madison will be not Happy Valley for PSU! Then on to Mich. St?
- Coming soon! A chance to own the Packers.
- Picture day Dec 4th. Remember to wear something Packer

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*Everyone's grabbin', nobody's tackling. Grab, grab, grab." (Ghost of Lombardi.)*



Coaches teach players that winning is an attitude that has to be learned and relearned... so is losing. From the first Packer punt to the last Bucs interception, the difference was that the Packers have learned how to win while the Bucs.. maybe not. So what did we "Learn" about winning this week?



**Kimberly Planz  
#236**

Kimberly was born in Texas, grew up in Crystal Lake, IL and Lake Geneva and went to college at UW-Stout in Menominee. After college, she worked at Lands End and ShopKo in Green Bay and lived one mile from Lambeau

Field. First we learned that we can win when Air-ron is human, but even at his worst (112.8 QBR) he is still a better QB than anyone else in the league. Note too that some of that poor rating can be traced back to simple dropped passes form Jones and Finley.

Lesson two is that a good day from Jennings is not required for us to be successful. Nelson with 6 catches for 123 yards and 2 TD's had a Monster game. This will only make it harder for opposing teams to concentrate on Jennings alone. Add to that Donald Driver with 4 catches for 72 yards quietly made some noise too. More importantly, his were critical 3<sup>rd</sup> down catches.

We learned in lesson 3 that Tim Masthey can run for 6

yards at a time, but not without fumbling twice. Kidding



aside, that was a heads up play by Tim and is just another example of learning how to win. Without his quick decision, the game could have easily gone in a different direction.

Fourth on the lessons list is that Tramon Williams is back. Playing most of the day against Mike Williams, this Williams on Williams battle (*A Buc for your thoughts on page 3*)

**Focus on the Fans**

Field. She first Remembers being a Packers fan when her father dressed her up in a Cowboys' cheerleader outfit and she admitted she liked the Packers better. Her favorite players are Charles Woodson (yea!) and Clay Matthews. Her favorite historic player is Bart Starr. She thinks he was a real leader. Her most memorable moment was watching Brett Favre, Sterling Sharp and Donald Driver together in a game. She has been To 17 games at

Lambeau and went to the Carolina Panthers game. She once met Don Hudson during an August practice on the Big Sister Bike Ride.

Kim admits she doesn't have much to give, but she recently gave a huge donation to Locks of Love. She sports a stylish short haircut where there used to be 12 inches of long red hair. Her hair will be used for wigs for children with cancer!

**(Linda Wieloch)**

# Greenville Packer Backers in the



ley, #311 Jeff Campbell & #270 Sharon Wirnsberger are were winners.

We did not take the group picture on Sunday because of the road construction. I hope they will be done with that by the Gi-ants game on Dec 4th. Let's have a huge turnout for this game to show the world who is the biggest and best Packer club in the South. This picture will be on our facebook page and maybe a few other places to help promote the club and the great times we have during the game. **GO! PACK! GO!** (JW)

Plenty of people and plenty of prizes at TCP. 120 people, including Dan & Nancy Quast from Wauwatosa, WI, Karn Bender's brother John (now a member) from somewhere out in the mid-west and Barbara Gambrell's mother from Milwaukee.

Some of the 12 or so prizes to be handed out included a Packer watch to #224 Ron

Schiefelbein & #310 Gary Koehn a money clip to #108, Tom Becker, a car magnet to #261, Colleen Beavers (sorry Sharon) and a Packer toothbrush to #113, Russ Larson (we think it's his second). The Trivia contest was won by #240 J.P. Planz, who received a \$10 gift card from The Corner Pocket.

Winners on the dollar pool's were #185 Ken Hill, #248 Jason Spence, #325 Frank Erb, #197 Bob Tackett, #106 John Wieloch, #117 Nick Papala, a visitor who's Initials are KP & #113 Russ Larson. On the 50 cent boards, #108 Tom Becker, #242 Christina Harrison, #167 Mike Konruff, #171 Tom Manske, #102 Tim Ware, #241 Tiffany Bai-

## Packer's



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## Lyon's I

### Lions Set to Stun Again... NOT!!!



Not sure when this is coming out, but Tim is opening up his house for Thanksgiving so if anyone wants they can come on over, I'd call him first though if I were you.

49 years ago, the Green Bay Packers were having a magical season. They were 10 and 0 and on the march! Bart Starr was on his way to being the league leader in Passing Yards (2438), Jim Taylor was going to win the league rushing title(1474 yards), Willie Wood was going to lead the league in interceptions(9), and Ray Nitschke was going to be named MVP of the 1962 NFL Championship game. They had reason to be confident when they went into Detroit on Thanksgiving Day. The

1962 Detroit Lions never trailed a team by more than 7 points. They were only the 3<sup>rd</sup> team to do that since 1940 to do that and the feat would not be repeated until 2010 when it was done by the 2010 World Champion Green Bay Packers!

You're probably thinking, "Gee, thanks Ken for this slightly disturbing NFL history lesson, but what does it have to do with Thursday's game?" We're 10 and 0, the '62 Packers were 10 and 0. They went to Detroit, we're going to Detroit. They lost. Bart Starr was sacked 3 times, once for a safety and another for a fumble and a touchdown! We... hold on now.

We did not play up to our standard of football, and that suits Mike McCarthy just fine. He stated that adversity leads to a lot of good teaching situations. He will be teaching on Tuesday. One of the

things he will be teaching on Tuesday is tackling! LeGarrette Blount ran 54 yards for a touchdown against the Packers this past Sunday. This should not have happened and would not have happened if Defensive Captain AJ Hawk had wrapped him up instead of trying to chip him or if Tramon Williams had tackled him instead of trying to strip the ball out. These kind of fundamentals breakdowns drive McCarthy (and me) nuts! I'm sure Dom Capers isn't thrilled either!

Aaron Rodgers wasn't happy either, he wasn't happy with the way he threw the ball either. I suspect that will be addressed Tuesday as well. As well as crowd noise. Ford Field will be rocking, due to it being an early game, no Turkey to put the fans to sleep yet, and the fact that the Lions are 7-3

and coming off of a win over the Carolina Panthers. Matthew Stafford is playing well and the Lions D is much improved. Aaron and the Packers want to win this game, but are still trying to keep it in perspective and stay loose. When asked if this game was going to decide the conference. Aarons stated flatly, "No, there's 6 games left in the season."

Unfortunately for the Lions, the focus on this week for the Packers is going to be the Defense and the Passing game, hmmm. Mike Neal (*"Feast on Lyon's on page 3"*)



**If you think  
Detroit's gonna  
win...  
You're  
Lyon**

(A Buc for your thoughts from page 1)

was won by Tramon. Mike did have 7 catches for 83 yards and 1 TD, but, along with his 7 tackles, Tramon won the day with 2 knocked down passes and 2 interceptions, including the dagger, right PJ?

Lesson #5 is more of a reminder that our defense has trouble covering tight ends. This week it was Kellen Winslow turn, who ended up with 7 catches for 132 yards; most of the yardage coming after the catch. More than anything, this was the reason Tampa stayed in the game.

Lesson 6 got Vince turning over in his grave... the 54 yard run by Blount with at least 7 missed tackles. For all the good that the Packers do each Sunday, this play will have more air time and internet hits than any play involving a Packer. Don't be surprised when they show it during the game on Thursday and every game through the Superbowl. The Biggest surprise, no pun intended, is B.J. Raji is unstoppable as a running back or for at least 1 yard. As much as I loved that play, I would rather have kept that one under wraps until duh bears game. Payback for the Fridge, but who knows, by then he may be throwing the ball... take that Lovie!



Now that the lessons are over, it time to put that education to a good use... beat the Lyins in their own backyard. As good

as the Packers have been this year, this game is a must win. Green Bay seems to be a lock for home field throughout the playoffs but those pesky Lyin's (and bears too) are only 3 games back and could be two if they trip us up. I don't know about you, but I don't like that kind of drama in my life. Why? Because I **Bleed Green my Friends! (JW)**

## Injury Update

A couple of new injuries to report. Greg Jennings has a bruised shin and James Starks has a sprained ankle. Jennings should be OK for Thursday but Starks is still a maybe.

**Doubtful (3): James Starks**, Mike Neal, & Chad Clifton.

**Probable (5): Greg Jennings**, Josh Sitton, Marshall Newhouse, Clay Matthews & Frank Zombo

**IR (4): Alex Green**, Nick Collins, Lawrence Guy, Shaky Smithson.



(Feast on Lyin's from page 2)

FINALLY returned from injury and according to Clay Matthews, even though he didn't contribute significantly statistics-wise Sunday, his presence was felt. "I saw one of the snapshots from the game, and the pressure he was bringing from the opposite edge was fantastic." If the Claymaker likes it, I like it, too!

It should also be noted that the game 49 years ago was largely from the Packers shooting themselves in the foot. They lost 9 -7, I don't think it's possible for our offense to score just 7 points (shudder) and I don't think Aaron can be caught that easily. This is our last division road game. And as Mike said in his press conference Sunday, "Our first goal is and always has been win the division and go from there." He also said of the 10 and 0 record, "Ask me about it when we're 13 or 14 and 0." The last 2 games of the season are Duh Bears and the Lyins again. We may have to win them if we want to win the division. Even if we don't, I think 2 division home games at the end of the season will stoke the fires in the Terrors of the Tundra and like those 1962 Packers, lead us on to postseason glory. **(Ken Hill)**

# Trivia Contest

Here is the answer from the Sunday's \$1/ear's game (11/20):

**What Packer player was responsible for winning the 12/12/83 game against the Buck-n-ears & how did he accomplish it?** Jan Stenerud, 23 yrs field goal in OT

Here is the question for this Thursday's Lyin's game (11/24):

**What was the score of the last game that the Packers played the Lions in the Pontiac Silverdome?** (Read this question carefully)

Here is the question for the following Sunday's Gi-Aints game (12/4):

**How many times and what years have the Packers played the Giants in an NFL championship?** (Beware of this question)

**Since we will not be at The Corner Pocket this Thursday, the winner of the Lyin's trivia question will be drawn at the Gi-ants game on Dec 4th and will be a special prize. Now you have two good reasons to show up.**

**The prize will be a \$10 gift 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 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 member per week.
- 4) Incorrect answers will be removed from the bucket and a winner will then be drawn at the end of the 3rd quarter.
- 5) You may not win two weeks in a row.
- 6) You must be a member to enter and present to win.