

# 2004 GAME-BY-GAME REVIEW



**GAME**  
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**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2004**  
**PHILADELPHIA 31, NEW YORK 17**  
**LINCOLN FINANCIAL FIELD • 67,532**



The Eagles high-octane offense debuted with 454 yards of total offense in a 31-17 thumping of the Giants at Lincoln Financial Field. Donovan McNabb completed 72% of his passes for 330 yards and 4 TDs, Terrell Owens lit up the scoreboard in his Eagles debut with 3 touchdowns, and RB Brian Westbrook registered his first career 100-yard rushing game with 119 yards on 17 attempts. After the Giants took an early 7-0 lead on a 3-yard touchdown run by Ron Dayne, the Eagles tallied 24 unanswered points on four straight possessions. First, Owens hauled in a 20-yard scoring grab from McNabb in the first quarter to tie the game. That TD was set up by a 50-yard scamper by Westbrook. On the Eagles next possession, the Eagles drove 56 yards on 5 plays as McNabb scrambled away from pressure by Michael Strahan, near the Giants sideline, and threw a strike across his body to Owens for a 3-yard scoring play. McNabb's 14-yard TD completion in the back corner of the end zone to a diving L.J. Smith gave Philadelphia a commanding 21-7 lead in the 2nd quarter. The Eagles made it four scores in four straight possessions after David Akers booted a 45-yard field goal late in the first half. Armed with a two-touchdown lead heading into the 3rd quarter, McNabb connected with Owens for the third time (a 12-yard TD pass) to make the score 31-10 late in the 3rd quarter to seal the game.

**NOTES:** Owens' 3 touchdown receptions tied a career high and were the most by an Eagles wide receiver since Irving Fryar in 1997 ... McNabb's 4 touchdown passes moved him into 4th place on the Eagles all-time list past Tommy Thompson (90) ... The Eagles posted their first opening-day win since 2000 ... The Eagles posted a 300-yard passer and a 100-yard rusher for the first time since 2000 ... The Eagles offense converted 7 of 13 third-down opportunities (54%), were 4 of 4 in red zone appearances, and did not commit a turnover ... The Giants scored just 7 points in 4 red zone opportunities.



In his Eagles debut, Jevon Kearse scooped up a loose ball in a goal line stand by the Eagles defense.

|              | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Pts  |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| NY Giants    | 7   | 3   | 0   | 7   | - 17 |
| Philadelphia | 14  | 10  | 7   | 0   | - 31 |

**NYG** - R.Dayne, 3 run (Christie)  
**Phila** - T.Owens, 20 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Phila** - T.Owens, 3 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Phila** - L.Smith, 14 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 45 FG  
**NYG** - S.Christie, 53 FG  
**Phila** - T.Owens, 12 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**NYG** - T.Barber, 72 run (Christie)

| TEAM STATISTICS     | NYG     | PHILA   |
|---------------------|---------|---------|
| First Downs         | 19      | 21      |
| Net Yards Gained    | 413     | 454     |
| Rushes/Yards        | 23/170  | 27/141  |
| Net Yards Passing   | 243     | 313     |
| Att/Comp/INT        | 37/19/0 | 36/26/0 |
| Sacked/Yards Lost   | 5/26    | 2/17    |
| Punts/Average       | 5/42.6  | 4/34.3  |
| Fumbles/Lost        | 3/1     | 0/0     |
| Penalties/Yards     | 5/30    | 8/50    |
| Time of Possession  | 27:50   | 32:10   |
| 3rd Down Efficiency | 5/15    | 7/13    |

**RUSHING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 17-119, D.McNabb 4-12, R.Mahe 3-7, T.Tapeh 3-3 ... **GIANTS** - T.Barber 9-125-1TD, R.Dayne 13-45-1TD, K.Warner 1-0.

**RECEIVING: EAGLES** - T.Owens 8-68-3TDs, C.Lewis 6-58, T.Pinkston 3-76, L.Smith 3-50-1TD, B.Westbrook 3-42, J.Ritchie 2-14, F.Mitchell 1-22 ... **GIANTS** - T.Barber 5-75, T.Carter 4-51, A.Toomer 4-41, I.Hillard 3-59, J.Shockey 2-39, J.Finn 1-4.

**PASSING: EAGLES** - D.McNabb 36-26-330-0-4TDs ... **GIANTS** - K.Warner 28-16-203-0-0 (starter), E.Manning 9-3-66-0-0.

**INTs: EAGLES** - 0 ... **GIANTS** - 0.

**SACKS: EAGLES** - S.Brown 1.0, J.McDougle 1.0, H.Douglas 1.0, D.Burgess 0.5, D.Jones 0.5, C.Simon 0.5, M.Simoneau 0.5 ... **GIANTS** - K.Lewis 1.0, M.Strahan 1.0.

**EAGLES TURNOVER RATIO:** +1 (1 fumble, 0 INT/0 fumble, 0 INT)

**Weather:** Partly Cloudy, 78 degrees

**Wind:** S 8mph

**Playing surface:** Grass

**Time:** 3:14



**GAME  
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**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2004  
PHILADELPHIA 27, MINNESOTA 16  
LINCOLN FINANCIAL FIELD • 67,676**



The Eagles defense withstood 70 plays in just under 38 total minutes of clock time to hold the high-powered Vikings to 17 points in a hard-fought victory on Monday Night Football at Lincoln Financial Field. The Eagles pressured Daunte Culpepper all night long (4 sacks) and did not allow a completed pass of over 22 yards, but their effort was highlighted by two goal line stands, including a key forced fumble by Nate Wayne as Culpepper was nearing the goal line late in the 2nd quarter. Down 3-0 early in the first quarter, the Eagles used 44 yards on 6 touches by RB Brian Westbrook in a 72-yard drive which culminated in an 11-yard TD pass to TE L.J. Smith. The Vikings embarked on another long drive of their own and were set up with a 1st and goal situation at the PE2. But the Eagles stopped RB Onterio Smith twice for no gain before FS Brian Dawkins crashed into Culpepper at the one yard line to force a short field goal. The Eagles answered with a field goal of their own – a 37-yard shot by David Akers – to take a 10-6 lead midway through the 2nd stanza. After a fumble by Westbrook, the Vikings once again had a 1st and goal on the 2 yard-line, only to have Culpepper fumble the ball after a hit by LBs Nate Wayne and Mark Simoneau while scrambling toward the end zone. The Eagles opened the 2nd half with a 46-yard kickoff return by rookie J.R. Reed, which led to a 20-yard touchdown run by McNabb and a 17-6 lead. After a field goal by Vikings K Morten Andersen cut the lead to eight points late in the 3rd quarter, the Vikings drove deep into Eagles territory once again early in the 4th stanza. But four penalties left them with a 44-yard field goal attempt which Andersen fell short on. McNabb and Owens made the Vikings pay on the ensuing possession as they connected on a 45-yard TD strike giving Philadelphia a commanding 24-9 lead. Culpepper connected with Randy Moss on a 4-yard TD late, but Akers responded with a 47-yard field goal to seal the victory.



Sheldon Brown sacked Vikings QB Daunte Culpepper on Monday Night Football.

**Weather:** Clear, 61 degrees  
**Wind:** NW 1mph  
**Playing surface:** Grass  
**Time:** 3:06

|              | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Pts  |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Minnesota    | 3   | 3   | 3   | 7   | - 16 |
| Philadelphia | 7   | 3   | 7   | 10  | - 27 |

**Min** - M.Anderson, 42 FG  
**Phila** - L.Smith, 11 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Min** - M.Anderson, 19 FG  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 37 FG  
**Phila** - D.McNabb, 20 run (Akers)  
**Min** - M.Anderson, 39 FG  
**Phila** - T.Owens, 45 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Min** - R.Moss, 4 pass from Culpepper (Andersen)  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 47 FG

| TEAM STATISTICS     | MIN     | PHILA   |
|---------------------|---------|---------|
| First Downs         | 25      | 19      |
| Net Yards Gained    | 410     | 317     |
| Rushes/Yards        | 19/78   | 17/91   |
| Net Yards Passing   | 332     | 226     |
| Att/Comp/INT        | 47/37/1 | 28/19/0 |
| Sacked/Yards Lost   | 4/11    | 2/19    |
| Punts/Average       | 1/39.0  | 1/49.0  |
| Fumbles/Lost        | 3/1     | 1/1     |
| Penalties/Yards     | 10/70   | 3/25    |
| Time of Possession  | 37:53   | 22:07   |
| 3rd Down Efficiency | 7/14    | 3/6     |

**RUSHING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 12-69, D.McNabb 3-24-1TD, D.Levens 1-1, T.Owens 1-(-3) ... **VIKINGS** - D.Culpepper 8-41, O.Smith 10-28, N.Burleson 1-9.

**RECEIVING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 5-69, T.Owens 4-79-1TD, L.Smith 3-26-1TD, C.Lewis 2-24, J.Ritchie 2-22, G.Lewis 2-11, F.Mitchell 1-14 ... **VIKINGS** - R.Moss 8-69-1TD, J.Wiggins 8-65, O.Smith 8-56, N.Burleson 5-67, R.Owens 3-36, K.Campbell 2-30, M.Robinson 2-14, M.Moore 1-6.

**PASSING: EAGLES** - D.McNabb 28-19-245-0-2TDs ... **VIKINGS** - D.Culpepper 47-37-343-1-1TD.

**INTs: EAGLES** - I.Reese 1-15 ... **VIKINGS** - 0.

**SACKS: EAGLES** - S.Brown 1.0, N.Wayne 1.0, S.Rayburn 1.0, D.Walker 1.0 ... **VIKINGS** - E.Henderson 1.0, K.Udeze 1.0.

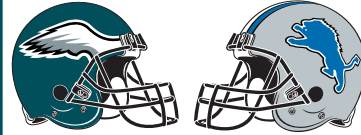
**EAGLES TURNOVER RATIO:** +1 (1 fumble, 1 INT/1 fumble, 0 INT)

**NOTES:** With his 58th win, Eagles coach Andy Reid moved past Dick Vermeil (57) and into 2nd place on the club's all-time overall victories list ... The Eagles started 2-0 for the first time since 1993 ... Eagles LB Ike Reese recorded his first career interception in his 98th career regular season game ... Both teams combined for just 2 punts (one for each team) ... The Vikings scored just one TD in five trips to the red zone ... The Vikings registered 70 offensive plays with 37:53 time of possession, while the Eagles managed just 47 plays in 22:07 of possession time.



**GAME**  
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**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2004**  
**PHILADELPHIA 30, DETROIT 13**  
**FORD FIELD • 62,472**



The Eagles stormed out to a 21-0 lead and did not look back in posting their first win in Detroit since 1971. Donovan McNabb completed 29 of 42 passes (69%) for 356 yards and accounted for 3 touchdowns (2 passing and 1 rushing), while Jevon Kearse posted the first 3 sacks of his Eagles tenure to lead an impressive defensive attack. Late in the first quarter, the Eagles posted 2 touchdowns in a span of just 43 seconds. First, McNabb capped off an impressive 7-play, 88-yard drive, in which he completed all five of his pass attempts for 88 yards (including a 48-yard strike to Freddie Mitchell), with a one-yard touchdown plunge to put Philadelphia on top. After an unforced fumble by Lions QB Joey Harrington on the next possession which was recovered by CB Roderick Hood, McNabb connected with Terrell Owens for a 29-yard TD. Owens snared 6 passes from McNabb in recording his first 100-yard receiving game (107) with the Eagles. McNabb then completed 8 of 9 pass attempts in directing a 12-play, 87-yard drive early in the 2nd quarter that resulted in a one-yard TD pass to 3rd-string TE and long snapping specialist Mike Bartrum. Harrington fired a 12-yard scoring pass to rookie WR Roy Williams in the final seconds of the first half to put the Lions on the scoreboard. Eagles K David Akers booted three field goals (26, 47, 39 yards, respectively) in the first four possessions of the 2nd half to put the game out of reach at 30-7.

**NOTES:** Both teams entered the game 2-0 as the Eagles made their first visit to Detroit since 1984 ... Eagles tight ends combined for 9 catches for 111 yards and 1 touchdown ... Kearse's 3 sacks were the most by an Eagle since N.D. Kalu posted three vs. St. Louis in 2002 ... Eagles LDE Jerome McDougle and his older brother, Stockar, a RT for the Lions, matched up against each other for the first time since high school ... Eagles DT Hollis Thomas played in his 100th career regular season game.



Jevon Kearse tied a career high with three sacks of Lions QB Joey Harrington.

|              | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Pts  |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Philadelphia | 14  | 7   | 6   | 3   | - 30 |
| Detroit      | 0   | 7   | 0   | 6   | - 13 |

**Phila** - D.McNabb, 1 run (Akers)  
**Phila** - T.Owens, 29 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Phila** - M.Bartrum, 1 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Det** - R.Williams, 12 pass from Harrington (Hanson)  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 26 FG  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 47 FG  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 39 FG  
**Det** - R.Williams, 29 pass from Harrington (pass failed)

| TEAM STATISTICS     | PHILA   | DET     |
|---------------------|---------|---------|
| First Downs         | 19      | 15      |
| Net Yards Gained    | 402     | 256     |
| Rushes/Yards        | 19/59   | 18/77   |
| Net Yards Passing   | 343     | 179     |
| Att/Comp/INT        | 42/29/0 | 39/21/0 |
| Sacked/Yards Lost   | 2/13    | 5/20    |
| Punts/Average       | 4/51.5  | 7/48.7  |
| Fumbles/Lost        | 2/1     | 2/1     |
| Penalties/Yards     | 7/54    | 6/39    |
| Time of Possession  | 32:58   | 27:02   |
| 3rd Down Efficiency | 6/14    | 4/14    |

**RUSHING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 13-44, R.Mahe 1-17, D.McNabb 5-(-2)-1TD ... **LIONS** - S.Bryson 5-43, A.Pinner 6-16, J.Harrington 3-10, K.Jones 4-8.

**RECEIVING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 7-32, T.Owens 6-107-1TD, L.Smith 4-74, F.Mitchell 3-71, T.Pinkston 3-22, C.Lewis 3-19, M.Bartrum 2-18-1TD, G.Lewis 1-13 ... **LIONS** - R.Williams 9-135-2TDs, A.Pinner 4-14, T.Streets 3-23, S.Alexander 3-15, A.Hakim 1-13, S.Bryson 1-(-1).

**PASSING: EAGLES** - D.McNabb 42-29-356-0-2TDs ... **LIONS** - J.Harrington 38-21-199-0-2TDs, R.Williams 1-0-0-0.

**INTs: EAGLES** - 0 ... **LIONS** - 0.

**SACKS: EAGLES** - J.Kearse 3.0, B.Dawkins 1.0 ... **LIONS** - J.Davis 1.0, D.Wilkinson 1.0.

**EAGLES TURNOVER RATIO:** Even (1 fumble, 0 INT/1 fumble, 0 INT)

**Weather:** Indoor  
**Wind:** None  
**Playing surface:** Field Turf  
**Time:** 3:09





**GAME  
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**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2004  
PHILADELPHIA 19, CHICAGO 9  
SOLDIER FIELD • 61,894**



The Eagles used four field goals by David Akers, 178 total yards of offense from RB Brian Westbrook, and a stingy defensive performance in a 19-9 victory over the Bears at a windy Soldier Field. Akers' four field goals all came from 40+ yards or more, including a 51-yard boot to open the scoring late in the 1st quarter. The Bears, who started Jonathan Quinn at quarterback in place of an injured Rex Grossman, struggled to move the ball for most of the afternoon. In fact, three of their first four possessions ended after just 3 plays. Bears RB Thomas Jones, who entered the game leading the NFC in rushing, was held to just 32 yards on 13 carries (2.5 avg.). But the Eagles could not convert their defensive prowess into touchdowns as Akers 42-yard field goal early in the 2nd quarter upped their lead to just 6-0. Finally, after a costly turnover by Bears punt returner R.W. McQuarters (recovered by Dhani Jones) the Eagles reached the end zone. Donovan McNabb completed an 11-yard TD strike to WR Terrell Owens to increase the lead to 13-0. After another 3- and-out by the Bears, McNabb hit Owens on a 44-yard strike down the right sideline to set up Akers with another 42-yard FG. McNabb ended the first half completing 18 of 22 pass attempts for 185 yards and a TD as the Eagles took a 16-3 lead into the locker room. Philadelphia managed just 3 points in the 2nd half, but the defense held the Bears off the scoreboard until the waning moments of the 4th quarter when Quinn connected with FB Bryan Johnson on a 2-yard TD pass. The Bears failed to convert the two-point conversion and the ensuing on side kick as the Eagles held on for the win.

**NOTES:** It was the Eagles first visit to the refurbished Soldier Field ... Owens became the first Eagle with consecutive 100-yard receiving games since Irving Fryar in 1997 ... With Westbrook (115 yards rushing) and Owens (110 yards receiving), the Eagles featured a 100-yard rusher and receiver for the first time since October 1, 2000 (Brian Mitchell and Torrance Small vs. Atlanta) ... Eagles LB Ike Reese played in his 100th consecutive regular season game and CB Lito Sheppard posted his first career sack ... McNabb was intercepted early in the 3rd quarter after a batted pass bounced into the hands of Bears CB Nathan Vasher. It was first his INT in 163 regular season pass attempts going back to 2003 ... The Eagles defense registered six 3-and-outs in the Bears 11 possessions ... The Eagles registered their fourth consecutive double-digit point victory for the first time since 1953 ... The Eagles 37:21 time of possession was the most since 39:34 at Arizona (10/15/00) ... Akers earned NFC special teams player of the week honors for his efforts.



David Akers single-handedly outscored the Bears, with four field goals, all coming from 40 yards or more, on his way to earning NFC special teams player of the week honors.

|              | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Pts  |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Philadelphia | 3   | 13  | 3   | 0   | - 19 |
| Chicago      | 0   | 3   | 6   | 0   | - 9  |

**Phila** - D.Akers, 51 FG  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 42 FG  
**Phila** - T.Owens, 11 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 42 FG  
**Chi** - P.Edinger, 25 FG  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 40 FG  
**Chi** - B.Johnson, 2 pass from Quinn (run failed)

| <u>TEAM STATISTICS</u> | <u>PHILA</u> | <u>CHI</u> |
|------------------------|--------------|------------|
| First Downs            | 24           | 14         |
| Net Yards Gained       | 376          | 224        |
| Rushes/Yards           | 32/158       | 13/32      |
| Net Yards Passing      | 218          | 192        |
| Att/Comp/INT           | 38/24/1      | 43/26/0    |
| Sacked/Yards Lost      | 3/19         | 4/23       |
| Punts/Average          | 3/35.7       | 8/43.6     |
| Fumbles/Lost           | 0/0          | 1/1        |
| Penalties/Yards        | 10/73        | 4/36       |
| Time of Possession     | 37:21        | 22:39      |
| 3rd Down Efficiency    | 4/14         | 4/15       |

**RUSHING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 22-119, D.Levens 8-26, G.Lewis 1-11, D.McNabb 1-2 ... **BEARS** - T.Jones 13-32.

**RECEIVING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 9-63, T.Owens 8-110-1TD, T.Pinkston 2-25, F.Mitchell 2-21, C.Lewis 1-9, R.Mahe 1-6, D.Levens 1-3 ... **BEARS** - D.Terrell 9-116, T.Jones 6-40, B.Wade 4-36, B.Johnson 4-11-1TD, D.Clark 2-11, D.Lyman 1-1.

**PASSING: EAGLES** - D.McNabb 38-24-237-1-1TD ... **BEARS** - J.Quinn 43-26-215-0-1TD.

**INTs: EAGLES** - 0 ... **BEARS** - N.Vasher 1(-3).

**SACKS: EAGLES** - L.Sheppard 1.0, D.Burgess 1.0, H.Douglas 1.0, S.Rayburn 1.0 ... **BEARS** - A.Brown 1.0, Te.Johnson 1.0.

**EAGLES TURNOVER RATIO:** Even (0 fumble, 1 INT/1 fumble, 0 INT)

**Weather:** Sunny, 61 degrees  
**Wind:** SW 15 gusting to 25 mph  
**Playing surface:** Grass  
**Time:** 3:04



**GAME  
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**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2004  
PHILADELPHIA 30, CAROLINA 8  
LINCOLN FINANCIAL FIELD • 67,707**



Lito Sheppard led a stellar defensive effort with 2 interceptions, including a 64-yard return for a touchdown, to lead the Eagles to a 30-8 victory over the visiting Carolina Panthers. In all, the Eagles totaled 4 interceptions off of Jake Delhomme and did not allow the Panthers past the Eagles 39-yard line until the 4th quarter. They even came within 2 minutes and 48 seconds of their first shutout since 1996 before Delhomme tossed a 2-yr TD pass. Big plays set the tone for the Eagles all day, as they amassed five plays of 40-yards or more that resulted in five different scores (3 TDs and 2 FGs). Rookie returner J.R. Reed took the opening kickoff 66 yards to set up a 48-yard field goal by David Akers. On the Eagles next offensive series, Donovan McNabb connected with Terrell Owens on a 53-yard bomb that led to a one-yard TD run by Dorsey Levens and a 10-0 lead. Late in the 2nd quarter, McNabb and Owens struck for a 51-yard connection on a 3rd-n-10 play that set up the Eagles deep in Panther territory. But the Eagles settled for another Akers field goal and a 13-0 lead heading into halftime. The Eagles began the 2nd half with a surprise onside kick that was recovered by Jeremiah Trotter at the Panthers 48-yard line. The Eagles could not convert that opportunity into points, but did after an interception by Roderick Hood on the Panthers ensuing possession. Hood's 20-yard return to the Panthers 29-yard line set up another field goal by Akers to give the Eagles a 16-0 lead. On the Panthers next possession, Sheppard recorded the biggest of the big plays, intercepting Delhomme and returning it 64 yards down the sideline behind a great block by Corey Simon and into end zone for a commanding 23-0 lead. It was the first TD of Sheppard's career. After Carolina finally scored late in the 4th quarter, the Eagles sealed the win with a 42-yard TD scamper by Brian Westbrook and Sheppard's 2nd INT, halting the Panthers final drive.

**NOTES:** The four interceptions were the most by the Eagles since 2000 vs. St. Louis ... Sheppard's 2 INTs were a career high as he entered the game with just one INT during his first 32 regular season games. He earned NFC defensive player of the week honors ... Owens, with 4 catches for 123 yards, posted three consecutive 100-yard receiving games for the first time in his career.



Lito Sheppard earned NFC defensive player of the week honors with two interceptions, including this one that he returned 64 yards for a touchdown in the 3rd quarter.

|              | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Pts  |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Carolina     | 0   | 0   | 0   | 8   | - 8  |
| Philadelphia | 10  | 3   | 10  | 7   | - 30 |

**Phila** - D.Akers, 48 FG  
**Phila** - D.Levens, 1 run (Akers)  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 34 FG  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 43 FG  
**Phila** - L.Sheppard, 64 INT return (Akers)  
**Car** - M.Muhammad, 2 pass from Delhomme (K.Colbert pass from J.Delhomme)  
**Phila** - B.Westbrook, 42 run (Akers)

| <b>TEAM STATISTICS</b> | <b>CAR</b> | <b>PHILA</b> |
|------------------------|------------|--------------|
| First Downs            | 21         | 10           |
| Net Yards Gained       | 344        | 283          |
| Rushes/Yards           | 31/158     | 20/81        |
| Net Yards Passing      | 186        | 202          |
| Att/Comp/INT           | 42/24/4    | 26/14/1      |
| Sacked/Yards Lost      | 2/19       | 1/7          |
| Punts/Average          | 6/35.2     | 4/41.0       |
| Fumbles/Lost           | 0/0        | 0/0          |
| Penalties/Yards        | 8/45       | 4/38         |
| Time of Possession     | 38:30      | 21:30        |
| 3rd Down Efficiency    | 6/17       | 4/11         |

**RUSHING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 13-64-1TD, D.Levens 4-11-1TD, D.McNabb 3-6 ... **PANTHERS** - S.Davis 15-66, B.Hoover 11-63, N.Goings 4-27, J.Delhomme 1-2.

**RECEIVING: EAGLES** - T.Owens 4-123, B.Westbrook 4-26, T.Pinkston 3-22, R.Mahe 1-24, G.Lewis 1-9, C.Lewis 1-5 ... **PANTHERS** - M.Muhammad 6-48-1TD, N.Goings 5-40, K.Mangum 4-28, K.Colbert 2-39, R.Proehl 2-17, B.Hoover 2-7, M.Seidman 1-14, S.Davis 1-10, M.Gaines 1-2.

**PASSING: EAGLES** - D.McNabb 26-14-209-1-0 ... **PANTHERS** - J.Delhomme 42-24-205-4-1TD.

**INTs: EAGLES** - L.Sheppard 2-64-1TD, R.Hood 1-20, D.Jones 1-0 ... **PANTHERS** - R.Manning 1-0.

**SACKS: EAGLES** - B.Dawkins 1.0, S.Rayburn 1.0 ... **PANTHERS** - B.Buckner 0.5, M.Rucker 0.5.

**EAGLES TURNOVER RATIO:** +3 (0 fumble, 1 INT/o fumble, 4 INT)

**Weather:** Partly Cloudy, 56 degrees

**Wind:** W 21mph

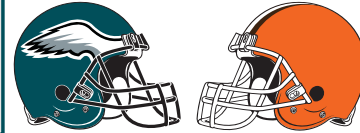
**Playing surface:** Grass

**Time:** 2:58



**GAME**  
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**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2004**  
**PHILADELPHIA 34, CLEVELAND 31 (OT)**  
**CLEVELAND BROWNS STADIUM • 73,394**



David Akers boomed a 50-yard field goal attempt with 5:02 remaining in overtime to lift the visiting Eagles to a 34-31 victory in front of a raucous crowd at Cleveland Browns Stadium. Donovan McNabb threw for 376 yards and 4 touchdowns, while completing passes to 10 different receivers in the shootout. Browns quarterback Jeff Garcia was effective as well, guiding Cleveland to 394 yards of offense, including a 4-yard TD run with 30 seconds left in the 4th quarter to send the contest into overtime. The Eagles stormed out to an early lead with 2 touchdowns during their first 6 offensive plays from scrimmage. McNabb and WR Todd Pinkston connected on a 65-yard pass on the first play before the Eagles signal caller found TE Chad Lewis all alone in the end zone from 10 yards out. After the Browns responded with an 11-yard TD run by William Green, McNabb and the Eagles drove 72 yards in four plays as he connected with Terrell Owens on a 39-yard scoring play. During the first quarter, McNabb was 8-8 passing for 163 yards and 2 TDs. After a Browns field goal early in the 2nd quarter shrunk the Eagles lead to four, McNabb and Owens combined on a 40-yard TD pass to give Philadelphia a 21-10 lead. That TD was set up by a clutch, 24-yard grab by Greg Lewis on 3rd and long. The Browns fought back, though, to take the lead after a touchdown run by Lee Suggs in the 2nd quarter and a 21-yard TD pass from Garcia to TE Steve Heiden midway through the 3rd period. The Browns ended the 3rd quarter with a 24-21 lead as the Eagles trailed for the first time after a quarter in 2004. That deficit did not last long, though, as McNabb shoveled a pass to TE L.J. Smith for a 2-yard scoring play early in the 4th stanza. The lead quickly increased to seven after a forced fumble by Keith Adams on the ensuing kickoff set up a 38-yard field goal by Akers. After holding Garcia and the Browns off the scoreboard for a long portion of the 4th quarter, the Eagles appeared to have sealed the win after an incomplete pass on 4th down with just over 2 minutes remaining. But Eagles S Brian Dawkins was whistled for a questionable roughing the passer call on Garcia, who promptly drove the final 17 yards for the tying touchdown. After both teams traded punts in overtime, Philadelphia used a 28-yard scramble by McNabb, 18 yards rushing by Dorsey Levens, who replaced an injured Brian Westbrook (chest contusion), and 18 receiving yards by Reno Mahe to drive to the Browns 32-yard line, setting up Akers' heroics.



David Akers celebrates with Hank Fraley after booting a game-winning 50-yard field goal in OT at Cleveland.

**Weather:** Sun and Clouds, 58 degrees, **Wind:** Northerly, 6-13 mph, **Playing surface:** Grass, **Time:** 3:44

|              | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | OT | Pts  |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|------|
| Philadelphia | 14  | 7   | 0   | 10  | 3  | - 34 |
| Cleveland    | 7   | 10  | 7   | 7   | 0  | - 31 |

**Phila** - C.Lewis, 10 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Cle** - W.Green, 11 run (Dawson)  
**Phila** - T.Owens, 39 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Cle** - P.Dawson, 38 FG  
**Phila** - T.Owens, 40 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Cle** - L.Suggs, 13 run (Dawson)  
**Cle** - S.Heiden, 21 pass from Garcia (Dawson)  
**Phila** - L.Smith, 2 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 38 FG  
**Cle** - J.Garcia, 4 run (Dawson)  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 50 FG

| <u>TEAM STATISTICS</u> | <u>PHILA</u> | <u>CLE</u> |
|------------------------|--------------|------------|
| First Downs            | 23           | 27         |
| Net Yards Gained       | 488          | 394        |
| Rushes/Yards           | 23/121       | 34/165     |
| Net Yards Passing      | 367          | 229        |
| Att/Comp/INT           | 43/28/1      | 32/21/1    |
| Sacked/Yards Lost      | 2/9          | 3/7        |
| Punts/Average          | 5/45.2       | 5/39.8     |
| Fumbles/Lost           | 0/0          | 3/2        |
| Penalties/Yards        | 11/101       | 10/80      |
| Time of Possession     | 34:33        | 35:25      |
| 3rd Down Efficiency    | 2/10         | 9/16       |

**RUSHING: EAGLES** - D.Levens 7-48, B.Westbrook 13-43, D.McNabb 2-28, G.Lewis 1-2 ... **BROWNS** - L.Suggs 15-78-1TD, W.Green 14-64-1TD, J.Garcia 4-21-1TD, T.Smith 1-2.

**RECEIVING: EAGLES** - T.Pinkston 6-100, C.Lewis 5-37-1TD, T.Owens 4-109-2TDs, B.Westbrook 3-17, F.Mitchell 2-31, J.Parry 2-22, R.Mahe 2-18, L.Smith 2-6-1TD, G.Lewis 1-24, D.Levens 1-12 ... **BROWNS** - A.Shea 6-45, D.Northcutt 4-70, F.Jackson 3-45, S.Heiden 3-42-1TD, A.Bryant 2-26, L.Suggs 2-5, W.Green 1-3.

**PASSING: EAGLES** - D.McNabb 43-28-376-1-4TDs ... **BROWNS** - J.Garcia 32-21-236-1-1TD.

**INTS: EAGLES** - L.Sheppard 1-0 ... **BROWNS** - A.Davis 1-3

**SACKS: EAGLES** - J.Kearse 1.0, B.Dawkins 1.0, D.Burgess 1.0 ... **BROWNS** - E.Ekuban 1.0, G.Warren 1.0.

**EAGLES TURNOVER RATIO:** +2 (0 fumble, 1 INT/2 fumble, 1 INT)

**NOTES:** Owens moved past Don Maynard (88) and into 6th place on the NFL's all-time TD reception list ... Owens and Pinkston became the first pair of Eagles receivers with 100 yards in a game since 1992 (Fred Barnett and Calvin Williams vs. Denver) ... McNabb's 4th TD pass to L.J. Smith was the 100th of his career ... The Eagles forced two fumbles on kickoff returns for the first time since John Harbaugh became special teams coordinator in 1998 ... With Mark Simoneau sidelined with a foot injury, Jeremiah Trotter started at middle linebacker for the Eagles for the first time since 2001.





**GAME  
7**

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2004  
PHILADELPHIA 15, BALTIMORE 10  
LINCOLN FINANCIAL FIELD • 67,715**



The Eagles won their seventh consecutive game to start the season for the first time in franchise history, as they overcame a hard-fought defensive struggle with the Ravens for a 15-10 win. "It felt like The Longest Yard out there," said Eagles LB Ike Reese of the hard-hitting contest. Terrell Owens broke open a 9-3 game early in the 4th quarter with an 11-yard TD catch from Donovan McNabb and the Eagles defense held on in the final minutes to preserve the win. With a 6-3 lead heading into the 4th quarter, the Eagles upped that to a six-point lead with a 43-yard field goal by David Akers. On the Ravens ensuing possession, Eagles S Brian Dawkins forced a fumble by Ravens RB Chester Taylor that was recovered by DT Hollis Thomas. The Eagles then marched 65 yards on 9 plays to Owens' TD. The Ravens rebounded with a touchdown pass from Kyle Boller to TE Dan Wilcox with just under 6 minutes remaining and threatened in the final minute, but Eagles CB Sheldon Brown deflected a 4th down pass attempt.

**NOTES:** Owens set a team record with his 5th consecutive 100-yard receiving game and became just the 4th NFL player since the AFL-NFL merger in 1970 to do so ... McNabb became the 4th fastest QB since 1970 to record 50 wins (71 games) ... The Eagles donned black jerseys for the first time in 2004 ... The Ravens began all 12 of their drives inside their own 30-yard line ... Dorsey Levens started for the first time since 2001 in place of Brian Westbrook (rib) at running back ... Besides 3 field goals, Akers boomed 3 kickoffs for touchbacks.



Sheldon Brown decks Ravens tight end Terry Jones in this hard-hitting defensive struggle

|              | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Pts  |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Baltimore    | 3   | 0   | 0   | 7   | - 10 |
| Philadelphia | 3   | 3   | 0   | 9   | - 15 |

**Phila** - D.Akers, 20 FG  
**Bal** - M.Stover, 44 FG  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 41 FG  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 43 FG  
**Phila** - T.Owens, 11 pass from McNabb (pass failed)  
**Bal** - D.Wilcox, 7 pass from Boller (Stover)

| <u>TEAM STATISTICS</u> | <u>BAL</u> | <u>PHILA</u> |
|------------------------|------------|--------------|
| First Downs            | 19         | 19           |
| Net Yards Gained       | 327        | 298          |
| Rushes/Yards           | 27/113     | 23/98        |
| Net Yards Passing      | 214        | 200          |
| Att/Comp/INT           | 38/24/1    | 34/18/0      |
| Sacked/Yards Lost      | 2/9        | 2/19         |
| Punts/Average          | 7/43.9     | 6/47.0       |
| Fumbles/Lost           | 2/1        | 2/1          |
| Penalties/Yards        | 6/91       | 8/72         |
| Time of Possession     | 33:50      | 26:10        |
| 3rd Down Efficiency    | 5/15       | 2/11         |

**RUSHING: EAGLES** - D.Levens 12-40, D.McNabb 6-36, R.Mahe 5-22 ... **RAVENS** - C.Taylor 18-78, M.Smith 5-25, K.Boller 1-7, B.Sams 1-2, A.Ricard 2-1.

**RECEIVING: EAGLES** - T.Owens 8-101-1TD, C.Lewis 3-34, L.Smith 2-28, D.Levens 2-10, J.Parry 1-22, T.Pinkston 1-16, R.Mahe 1-8 ... **RAVENS** - T.Taylor 6-80, D.Wilcox 5-26-1TD, C.Taylor 4-18, C.Moore 3-82, T.Jones 3-10, M.Smith 1-6, B.Sams 1-2, A.Ricard 1(-1).

**PASSING: EAGLES** - D.McNabb 33-18-219-0-1TD (starter), M.Bartrum 1-0-0-0-0 ... **RAVENS** - K.Boller 38-24-223-1-1TD.

**INTs: EAGLES** - M.Lewis 1-0 ... **RAVENS** - 0.

**SACKS: EAGLES** - J.Kearse 2.0 ... **RAVENS** - E.Reed 1.0, A.Weaver 1.0.

**EAGLES TURNOVER RATIO:** +1 (1 fumble, 0 INT/1 fumble, 1 INT)

**Weather:** Mostly Sunny, 73 degrees

**Wind:** W 22 mph

**Playing surface:** Grass

**Time:** 3:04



**GAME  
8**

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2004  
PITTSBURGH 27, PHILADELPHIA 3  
HEINZ FIELD • 64,975**



The Steelers scored touchdowns on their first 3 possessions en route to a 27-3 romp over the Eagles at Heinz Field in Pittsburgh. Jerome Bettis rushed for 149 yards as part of a 420-yard offensive attack and rookie QB Ben Roethlisberger tossed 2 touchdown passes in the Steelers victory. The Eagles fell behind 21-0 early in the 2nd quarter on a pair of touchdowns by WR Hines Ward (1 rushing and 1 receiving) and one by TE Jay Riemersma before they registered a first down. After a field goal by David Akers finally got them on the scoreboard midway through the 2nd quarter, the Eagles were primed for more points after an interception by Brian Dawkins gave them good field position. But the Eagles failed to convert a 3rd-2 opportunity and were forced to punt the ball away. Although the Steelers could not reach the end zone after their frenzied start for the rest of the day, they did tack on two field goals in the 2nd half and played stingy defense (4 sacks and 1 interception) to preserve the win.

**NOTES:** The Eagles entered the contest as the last undefeated team in the NFL ... Steve Sciuillo made his first start as an Eagle as he replaced an injured Jermaine Mayberry (calf) at right guard ... Dawkins moved past Joe Scarpati (402) and into 3rd place on the Eagles all-time interception return yards list ... Former Eagles RB Duce Staley was deactivated by the Steelers with a hamstring injury ... DT Sam Rayburn recorded a career-high 2 sacks after inking a 5-year contract extension one day earlier.



Sam Rayburn celebrates one of his career-high two sacks of Steelers QB Ben Roethlisberger.

|              | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Pts  |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Philadelphia | 0   | 3   | 0   | 0   | - 3  |
| Pittsburgh   | 14  | 7   | 3   | 3   | - 27 |

**Pit** - H.Ward, 16 run (Reed)  
**Pit** - H.Ward, 20 pass from Roethlisberger (Reed)  
**Pit** - J.Riemersma, 2 pass from Roethlisberger (Reed)  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 33 FG  
**Pit** - J.Reed, 42 FG  
**Pit** - J.Reed, 31 FG

| <u>TEAM STATISTICS</u> | <u>PHILA</u> | <u>PIT</u> |
|------------------------|--------------|------------|
| First Downs            | 7            | 25         |
| Net Yards Gained       | 113          | 420        |
| Rushes/Yards           | 9/23         | 56/252     |
| Net Yards Passing      | 90           | 168        |
| Att/Comp/INT           | 24/15/1      | 18/11/1    |
| Sacked/Yards Lost      | 4/19         | 2/15       |
| Punts/Average          | 6/41.8       | 0/0.0      |
| Fumbles/Lost           | 0/0          | 2/1        |
| Penalties/Yards        | 5/25         | 4/20       |
| Time of Possession     | 18:11        | 41:49      |
| 3rd Down Efficiency    | 0/8          | 8/15       |

**RUSHING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 6-17, D.Levens 2-4, R.Mahe 1-2 ... **STEELERS** - J.Bettis 33-149, V.Haynes 12-51, H.Ward 1-16-1TD, W.Parker 3-14, A.Randle El 1-12, B.Roethlisberger 6-10.

**RECEIVING: EAGLES** - T.Owens 7-53, C.Lewis 3-32, B.Westbrook 3-4, L.Smith 1-10, T.Pinkston 1-10 ... **STEELERS** - P.Burrress 3-70, V.Haynes 2-44, H.Ward 2-32-1TD, M.Cushing 1-17, D.Kreider 1-12, A.Randle El 1-6, J.Riemersma 1-2-1TD.

**PASSING: EAGLES** - D.McNabb 24-15-109-1-0 ... **STEELERS** - B.Roethlisberger 18-11-183-1-2TDs.

**INTs: EAGLES** - B.Dawkins 1-32 ... **STEELERS** - J.Farrior 1-41.

**SACKS: EAGLES** - S.Rayburn 2.0 ... **STEELERS** - J.Farrior 1.0, C.Haggans 1.0, W.Williams 1.0, L.Foote 1.0.

**EAGLES TURNOVER RATIO:** +1 (0 fumble, 1 INT/1 fumble, 1 INT)

**Weather:** Sunny, 63 degrees

**Wind:** SW 24 mph

**Playing surface:** Grass

**Time:** 2:50





**GAME**  
**9**

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2004**  
**PHILADELPHIA 49, DALLAS 21**  
**TEXAS STADIUM • 64,190**



The Eagles registered the most points ever by a visiting team at Texas Stadium as they routed the Cowboys, 49-21, on Monday Night football. The Eagles scored touchdowns on six of their first nine possessions, including a stretch of five straight as they amassed 485 yards of offense, highlighted by four plays of 40 yards or more by four different players. Donovan McNabb lit up the Cowboys secondary with 345 yards passing and 4 touchdowns, including a trio to Terrell Owens, who set a record with his seventh consecutive MNF game with a touchdown catch. Owens got the Eagles on the scoreboard in the 1st quarter as he grabbed a McNabb pass at midfield and raced past a slew of Cowboy defenders for a 59-yard score. The Eagles took advantage of three Dallas turnovers on the night, including a muffed punt by Lance Frazier deep in Cowboys territory that was recovered by Roderick Hood. Philadelphia responded with five consecutive touchdowns: a 4-yard run by Dorsey Levens after the fumble, a 27-yard reception by Owens, a 59-yard catch by Pinkston, a 1-yard plunge by Brian Westbrook, and a 16-yard grab by Owens that gave Philadelphia a 42-21 advantage midway through the 3rd quarter. Westbrook's touchdown was set up by a remarkable play by McNabb, who evaded the rush from sideline to sideline for 14 seconds and threw a perfect strike downfield to Freddie Mitchell for a 60-yard gain. Lito Sheppard put the final dagger in the Cowboys with a 101-yard interception return for a touchdown off of Vinny Testaverde in the 4th quarter.

**NOTES:** The Eagles tied franchise regular season records with 35 points in the first half (10/23/49 vs. Washington) and 28 points in the 2nd quarter (11/19/67 vs. New Orleans) ... Sheppard's INT return was the longest by a single player in Eagles history. James Willis and Troy Vincent combined on a 104-yard return at Texas Stadium on 11/3/96. Sheppard also became the 4th Eagle and the first since Eric Allen (4 in 1993) to return two interceptions for a touchdown in a single season ... Neither team attempted a field goal in an Eagles game for the first time since 11/4/01 at Arizona.



Donovan McNabb lit up the Cowboys for 345 yards and 4 TDs passing, including an 60-yard bomb set up by a 14-second, sideline-to-sideline scramble.

|              | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Pts  |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Philadelphia | 7   | 28  | 7   | 7   | - 49 |
| Dallas       | 0   | 14  | 7   | 0   | - 21 |

**Phila** - T.Owens, 59 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Phila** - D.Levens, 4 run (Akers)  
**Dal** - J.Witten, 29 pass from Testaverde (Cundiff)  
**Phila** - T.Owens, 27 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Phila** - T.Pinkston, 59 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Dal** - J.Witten, 24 pass from Testaverde (Cundiff)  
**Phila** - B.Westbrook, 1 run (Akers)  
**Dal** - E.George, 15 run (Cundiff)  
**Phila** - T.Owens, 16 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Phila** - L.Sheppard, 101 INT return (Akers)

| <u>TEAM STATISTICS</u> | <u>PHILA</u> | <u>DAL</u> |
|------------------------|--------------|------------|
| First Downs            | 20           | 14         |
| Net Yards Gained       | 485          | 317        |
| Rushes/Yards           | 33/149       | 24/71      |
| Net Yards Passing      | 336          | 246        |
| Att/Comp/INT           | 27/15/0      | 30/21/1    |
| Sacked/Yards Lost      | 1/9          | 1/8        |
| Punts/Average          | 6/41.2       | 7/44.1     |
| Fumbles/Lost           | 0/0          | 3/2        |
| Penalties/Yards        | 9/59         | 7/50       |
| Time of Possession     | 30:10        | 29:50      |
| 3rd Down Efficiency    | 6/12         | 3/12       |

**RUSHING: EAGLES** - D.Levens 12-73-1TD, B.Westbrook 15-56-1TD, D.McNabb 2-14, T.Owens 1-6, G.Lewis 1-2, J.Blake 2-(-2). **COWBOYS**- E.George 11-39-1TD, R.Anderson 6-28, R.Lee 2-4, V.Testaverde 3-1, K.Johnson 1-0, Q.Morgan 1-(-1).

**RECEIVING: EAGLES** - T.Owens 6-134-3TDs, B.Westbrook 4-62, F.Mitchell 1-60, T.Pinkston 1-59-1TD, G.Lewis 1-13, C.Lewis 1-12, J.Parry 1-5 ... **COWBOYS** - J.Witten 9-133-2TDs, K.Johnson 4-53, E.George 2-35, R.Anderson 2-6, P.Crayton 2-6, Q.Morgan 1-21, D.Barnes 1-0.

**PASSING: EAGLES** - D.McNabb 27-15-345-0-4TDs ... **COWBOYS** - V.Testaverde 30-21-254-1-2TDs.

**INTS: EAGLES** - L.Sheppard 1-101-1TD ... **COWBOYS** - 0.

**SACKS: EAGLES** - J.Trotter 1.0 ... **COWBOYS** - G.Ellis 0.5, L.Carson 0.5.

**EAGLES TURNOVER RATIO:** +3 (2 fumble, 1 INT/o fumble, 0 INT)

**Weather:** Cloudy, 62 degrees

**Wind:** E 6mph

**Playing surface:** Artificial Turf

**Time:** 3:10



**GAME  
10**

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2004  
PHILADELPHIA 28, WASHINGTON 6  
LINCOLN FINANCIAL FIELD • 67,720**



The Eagles outscored the Redskins 21-0 in the 2nd half and utilized a stingy defensive effort en route to a 28-6 victory at Lincoln Financial Field. Donovan McNabb tossed four touchdown passes and completed 69% of his pass attempts, while Todd Pinkston scorched the Redskins secondary with 5 catches for 106 yards. Meanwhile, RB Brian Westbrook registered 105 yards of offense and 2 touchdown receptions in the win. The defense muzzled the Redskins vaunted ground game all day long (51 yards) as star RB Clinton Portis finished with just 37 yards on 17 carries, his lowest total in 35 career starts. Washington did manage to take a 3-0 lead after an impressive opening drive that led to a 35-yard field goal by Ola Kimrin. But the Eagles answered with a 13-play, 67-yard drive that ended with a 2-yard TD catch by TE Chad Lewis. Philadelphia survived 7 first half penalties and two turnovers by McNabb (a fumble in the 2nd quarter and an INT in the 3rd) as they held a slim 7-6 advantage late in the 3rd quarter. But McNabb connected with Terrell Owens in the back of the end zone from 10 yards out to give Philadelphia a 14-6 lead. But Washington would not quit as they drove to the PE10 on the ensuing drive. But three penalties and 3 incomplete passes pushed the Redskins back to the 30-yard line, where Kimrin misfired on a 48-yard field goal attempt. The Eagles took control for good as a 30-yard pass interference penalty on CB Fred Smoot set up a 1-yard scoring pass to Westbrook. After stopping a QB sneak by Patrick Ramsey on 4th-n-1 on the Redskins ensuing drive, the Eagles scored on a 14-yard pass by McNabb to Westbrook to finish the scoring

**NOTES:** The Eagles converted 9 of 15 third down situations, including an 8-8 effort on their scoring drives ... Owens became the 2nd NFL player all-time (Jerry Rice) to post five-or-more 13 TD seasons ... Philadelphia did not allow a touchdown to a regular season opponent for the first time since December 21, 2002 at Dallas ... The Eagles defense played without 3 injured regular contributors: LBs Mark Simoneau and Nate Wayne and DE Jerome McDougle ... Philadelphia lost the turnover battle for the first time in 2004.



Brian Westbrook registered 105 yards of total offense and a pair of receiving TDs in the 4th quarter to lead the Eagles to a victory over Sean Taylor (right) and the visiting Redskins.

|              | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Pts  |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Washington   | 3   | 3   | 0   | 0   | - 6  |
| Philadelphia | 7   | 0   | 7   | 14  | - 28 |

**Was** - O.Kimrin, 35 FG  
**Phila** - C.Lewis, 2 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Was** - O.Kimrin, 24 FG  
**Phila** - T.Owens, 10 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Phila** - B.Westbrook, 1 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Phila** - B.Westbrook, 14 pass from McNabb (Akers)

| <u>TEAM STATISTICS</u> | <u>WAS</u> | <u>PHILA</u> |
|------------------------|------------|--------------|
| First Downs            | 15         | 20           |
| Net Yards Gained       | 213        | 333          |
| Rushes/Yards           | 23/51      | 30/125       |
| Net Yards Passing      | 162        | 208          |
| Att/Comp/INT           | 34/24/1    | 27/18/1      |
| Sacked/Yards Lost      | 1/0        | 4/14         |
| Punts/Average          | 5/53.8     | 3/44.0       |
| Fumbles/Lost           | 0/0        | 1/1          |
| Penalties/Yards        | 12/115     | 9/69         |
| Time of Possession     | 28:29      | 31:31        |
| 3rd Down Efficiency    | 3/12       | 9/15         |

**RUSHING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 12-63, D.McNabb 4-33, D.Levens 7-19, T.Tapeh 4-14, K.Detmer 3-(-4) ... **REDSKINS** - C.Portis 17-37, L.Betts 5-14, P.Ramsey 1-0.

**RECEIVING: EAGLES** - T.Pinkston 5-106, B.Westbrook 5-42-2TDs, L.Smith 3-20, T.Owens 2-24-1TD, C.Lewis 2-17-1TD, F.Mitchell 1-13 ... **REDSKINS** - L.Betts 6-39, R.Gardner 4-35, L.Coles 4-34, C.Cooley 2-22, J.Thrash 2-19, D.McCants 2-17, C.Portis 1-(-4).

**PASSING: EAGLES** - D.McNabb 26-18-222-1-4TDs (starter) K.Detmer 1-0-0-0-0 ... **REDSKINS** - P.Ramsey 34-21-162-1-0.

**INTs: EAGLES** - I.Reese 1-7 ... **REDSKINS** - S.Taylor 1-10.

**SACKS: EAGLES** - J.Kearse 1.0 ... **REDSKINS** - R.Wynn 1.0, B.Noble 1.0, J.Salave'a 1.0, J.Haley 1.0.

**EAGLES TURNOVER RATIO:** -1 (1 fumble, 1 INT/o fumble, 1 INT)

**Weather:** Mostly Cloudy, 55 degrees

**Wind:** NNW 2 mph

**Playing surface:** Grass

**Time:** 3:03



**GAME**  
**11**

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 2004**  
**PHILADELPHIA 27, NEW YORK 6**  
**GIANTS STADIUM • 78,830**



Donovan McNabb threw for one touchdown and ran for another as the Eagles clinched their fourth straight NFC East title and their fifth consecutive playoff berth, with a 27-6 win over the Giants at the Meadowlands. It was certainly a tale of two halves as New York outgained Philadelphia 225-155 in the first half. But it was all Eagles in the second half, as Philadelphia enjoyed a 235-47 advantage in the final 30 minutes. Brian Westbrook accounted for a pair of scores, David Akers added a pair of field goals and the defense overwhelmed rookie QB Eli Manning with two interceptions and five sacks. After both teams went scoreless on their first possessions, the Giants struck with a 22-yard field goal by Steve Christie. The Eagles then took over on their own 47-yard line, and seven plays later McNabb faked a handoff to RB Dorsey Levens, rolled to his right and pranced into the endzone, giving the Eagles a 7-3 advantage early in the second quarter. The Giants answered with a 31-yard field goal by Christie. The Eagles began the second half quickly with a 47-yard Akers field goal on their first possession. Moments after taking a 10-6 lead, FS Brian Dawkins intercepted Manning to set up another Akers field goal, this time from 42 yards out. As the Giants offense continued to struggle, the Eagles special teams chipped in as Jevon Kearse lined up on the punt block unit for the first time in his career and blocked a Jeff Feagles' punt, which was then recovered by Hugh Douglas. Seven plays later, Brian Westbrook reached paydirt from one yard out and the Eagles were in control with a 20-6 lead they would not relinquish. New York went three-and-out on its next possession as the Eagles defense continued to bring pressure. McNabb, who completed 12 of 16 passes for 160 yards in the second half, capped the scoring with a screen pass to Westbrook, who dodged several defenders and raced into the end zone for a 34-yard touchdown.

**Notes:** Jevon Kearse became the first Eagle to block a punt since Ike Reese (vs. NYJ 10/26/03), on his way to earning NFC special teams player of the week honors ... For the first time since 1990 (weeks 14-15), the Eagles held their opponent without a TD in consecutive games ... The Eagles held the Giants and Eli Manning to just 6 completions, the lowest total surrendered by the Eagles since 12/26/93 vs. New Orleans (6) ... S Quintin Mikell registered his first career INT, out-jumping Jeremy Shockey in the end zone.



Donovan McNabb scampers into the end zone to give the Eagles the lead for good in the 2nd quarter.

|              | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Pts  |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Philadelphia | 0   | 7   | 13  | 7   | - 27 |
| New York     | 3   | 3   | 0   | 0   | - 6  |

**NYG** - S.Christie, 22 FG  
**Phila** - D.McNabb, 4 run (Akers)  
**NYG** - S.Christie, 31 FG  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 47 FG  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 42 FG  
**Phila** - B.Westbrook, 1 run (Akers)  
**Phila** - B.Westbrook, 34 pass from McNabb (Akers)

| <u>TEAM STATISTICS</u> | <u>PHILA</u> | <u>NYG</u> |
|------------------------|--------------|------------|
| First Downs            | 22           | 12         |
| Net Yards Gained       | 390          | 272        |
| Rushes/Yards           | 38/152       | 26/161     |
| Net Yards Passing      | 238          | 111        |
| Att/Comp/INT           | 27/18/0      | 21/6/2     |
| Sacked/Yards Lost      | 2/6          | 5/37       |
| Punts/Average          | 5/39.4       | 6/36.8     |
| Fumbles/Lost           | 2/1          | 2/0        |
| Penalties/Yards        | 12/75        | 6/64       |
| Time of Possession     | 33:48        | 26:12      |
| 3rd Down Efficiency    | 7/15         | 3/12       |

**RUSHING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 18-74-1TD, D.Levens 9-38, D.McNabb 5-30-1TD, T.Tapeh 3-12, K.Detmer 3-(-2) ... **GIANTS** - T.Barber 19-110, R.Dayne 3-24, E.Manning 2-18, I.Hillard 1-17, J.Taylor 1-(-8).

**RECEIVING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 5-53-1TD, T.Owens 4-61, L.Smith 4-31, T.Pinkston 3-75, J.Parry 1-15, F.Mitchell 1-9 ... **GIANTS** - J.Taylor 2-102, J.Shockey 2-31, T.Barber 1-9, A.Toomer 1-6.

**PASSING: EAGLES** - D.McNabb 27-18-244-0-1TD ... **GIANTS** - E.Manning 21-6-148-2-0.

**INTs: EAGLES** - Q.Mikell 1-0, B.Dawkins 1-0 ... **GIANTS** - 0.

**SACKS: EAGLES** - C.Simon 2.0, M.Simoneau 1.0, D.Walker 0.5, J.Kearse 0.5 ... **GIANTS** - K.Allen 1.0, Team 1.0.

**EAGLES TURNOVER RATIO:** +1 (1 fumble, 0 INT/o fumble, 2 INTs)

**Weather:** Partly sunny, 61 degrees

**Wind:** SSW 3mph

**Playing surface:** FieldTurf

**Time:** 2:57





# GAME 12

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2004**  
**PHILADELPHIA 47, GREEN BAY 17**  
**LINCOLN FINANCIAL FIELD • 67,723**



Donovan McNabb had a record-setting performance as the Eagles piled up 47 points and 542 yards of total offense in a nationally televised tilt vs. the Packers at Lincoln Financial Field. McNabb broke Joe Montana's NFL record with 24 consecutive completions as he started the game with a franchise record 14 straight connections (he finished with 10 straight completions in the last game at NY). He also passed for a franchise-record 464 yards and set personal bests with 5 TD passes (all in the first half) and a 147.8 QB rating in the rout. Terrell Owens and Brian Westbrook were on the receiving end of a good deal of McNabb's completions as the duo became the first pair of Eagles to each post 150 yards receiving in a single game since 1962 (Tommy McDonald and Timmy Brown). Westbrook snagged a career-high 11 receptions for 156 yards and accounted for 3 of Philadelphia's five touchdowns in the first half, scoring from 9, 41, and 12 yards out. Owens, who finished with 8 grabs for 161 yards, opened the scoring with a 41-yard catch and run for a score after Brian Dawkins intercepted a pass from Brett Favre. Favre had one of his worst days as a pro, completing just 14 of 29 pass attempts for 131 yards, while being intercepted twice and sacked three times. The Packers had allowed just five sacks heading into the contest, but permitted five against a stingy Eagles defense. Another INT by Favre set up the Eagles second touchdown. Sheldon Brown leaped in front of Donald Driver at the Philadelphia 7-yard line to thwart a Packers scoring attempt. The Eagles promptly drove 93 yards on 9 plays, ending with a Westbrook touchdown. Philadelphia's high-powered offensive attack allowed them to mount a 35-0 lead until the Packers notched a field goal late in the 2nd quarter. Although Philadelphia could not reach the end zone in the final 30 minutes, David Akers finished their first four Eagle possessions with field goals, as the Eagles took a 47-3 lead early in the 4th quarter. The Packers, led by backup QB Craig Nall, fired two TD passes against the Eagles 2nd string defense late in the game.

**NOTES:** Andy Reid passed Greasy Neale (66) for most wins by a head coach in franchise history ... With their 11th win of the year, the Eagles string of five consecutive 11-plus win seasons is only the 4th such occurrence in NFL history (Dallas 1977-81 and 1991-95, San Francisco 1994-98) ... The Eagles broke Brett Favre's streak of 36 consecutive games with a TD pass and held him to his lowest QB rating (32.4) since a 26.8 rating vs. Seattle on 11/1/99 ... Owens set a franchise record with his 14th TD catch of the season. His 7th 100-yard receiving game of the season represents a career high and a franchise record ... McNabb's five-TD performance in a half was the 8th such occurrence in NFL history. He also moved past Norm Snead (111) and into 3rd place on the club's all-time list for TD passes. McNabb earned NFC offensive player of the week honors ... Westbrook's 156 receiving yards were the most by a NFL RB since Marshall Faulk had 204 on 12/26/99



McNabb scorched the Packers for a franchise-record 464 yards passing and a career-high 5 TD throws.

|              | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Pts  |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Green Bay    | 0   | 3   | 0   | 14  | - 17 |
| Philadelphia | 7   | 28  | 9   | 3   | - 47 |

**Phila** - T.Owens, 41 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Phila** - B.Westbrook, 9 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Phila** - B.Westbrook, 41 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Phila** - L.Smith, 6 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Phila** - B.Westbrook, 12 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**GB** - R.Longwell, 40 FG  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 22 FG  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 45 FG  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 47 FG  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 22 FG  
**GB** - W.Henderson, 1 pass from Nall (Longwell)  
**GB** - J.Walker, 17 pass from Nall (Longwell)

| TEAM STATISTICS     | GB      | PHILA   |
|---------------------|---------|---------|
| First Downs         | 20      | 29      |
| Net Yards Gained    | 249     | 542     |
| Rushes/Yards        | 18/50   | 21/93   |
| Net Yards Passing   | 199     | 449     |
| Att/Comp/INT        | 40/22/2 | 45/32/0 |
| Sacked/Yards Lost   | 5/27    | 4/15    |
| Punts/Average       | 8/45.1  | 3/41.7  |
| Fumbles/Lost        | 2/0     | 2/1     |
| Penalties/Yards     | 12/99   | 8/89    |
| Time of Possession  | 26:13   | 33:47   |
| 3rd Down Efficiency | 4/13    | 7/15    |

**RUSHING: EAGLES** - D.Levens 7-63, B.Westbrook 12-37, G.Lewis 1-1, T.Owens 1-(-8) ... **PACKERS** - A.Green 11-37, T.Fisher 2-10, N.Davenport 4-4, D.Driver 1-(-1).

**RECEIVING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 11-156-3TDs, T.Owens 8-161-1TD, L.Smith 4-42-1TD, T.Pinkston 3-32, G.Lewis 2-25, D.Levens 2-14, F.Mitchell 1-30, J.Parry 1-4 ... **PACKERS** - J.Walker 7-72-1TD, R.Ferguson 3-68, D.Driver 3-33, A.Green 3-17, W.Henderson 3-7-1TD, T.Fisher 2-10, A.Chatman 1-19.

**PASSING: EAGLES** - D.McNabb 43-32-464-0-5TDs (starter), K.Detmer 2-0-0-0-0 ... **PACKERS** - B.Favre 29-14-131-2-0 (starter), C.Nall 11-8-95-0-2TDs.

**INTs: EAGLES** - B.Dawkins 1-8, S.Brown 1-0 ... **PACKERS** - 0.

**SACKS: EAGLES** - C.Simon 2.0, D.Walker 2.0, D.Wynn 1.0 ... **PACKERS** - A.Kampman 1.0, A.Carroll 1.0, C.Jenkins 1.0, G.Jackson 1.0.

**EAGLES TURNOVER RATIO:** +1 (1 fumble, 0 INT/o fumble, 2 INT)

**Weather:** Partly Cloudy, 55 degrees

**Wind:** W 14mph

**Playing surface:** Grass

**Time:** 3:24



# GAME 13

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2004**  
**PHILADELPHIA 17, WASHINGTON 14**  
**FEDEx FIELD • 90,089**



The Eagles survived a 2nd half scare from the Redskins in a nationally televised Sunday night contest as they gutted out a 17-14 win in front of 90,089 fans at FedEx Field. Trailing by 3 points with just under four minutes remaining in the 4th quarter, the Redskins drove to the Eagles 27-yard line poised to tie or take the lead. But Brian Dawkins made a leaping interception in the back of the end zone in front of Redskins receiver Chris Cooley to stop the rally. The Eagles, however, could not run out the clock on their ensuing possession as they were forced to punt from their own 24-yard line. Punter Dirk Johnson boomed a 51-yard kick that had to be fair caught by Redskins returner James Thrash at their 25-yard line. From there, Washington threw three incomplete passes and was sacked once to end the game. The Redskins started the game with a 70-yard kickoff return by Ladell Betts and took a quick 7-0 lead after a 5-yard TD run by Clinton Portis. The Eagles quickly responded with a 2-yard TD pass from Donovan McNabb to TE L.J. Smith that was set up by a 47-yard pass interference penalty by Shawn Springs on Terrell Owens. Owens and the Eagles missed out on an opportunity to take the lead early in the 2nd quarter as he fumbled after a tackle by Redskins LB Antonio Pierce at the 'Skins 6-yard line. Both kickers each misfired on a field goal attempt in the 2nd quarter (David Akers from 48 yards and John Hall from 43 yards) as the teams ended the first half even at 7-7. But Akers rebounded to give the Eagles the lead for good, nailing a 38-yard attempt to cap off the opening drive of the 3rd quarter. Later in that quarter, McNabb connected with WR Greg Lewis on a 25-yard catch down to the Redskins 1-yard line. From there, Dorsey Levens plunged in for a touchdown and a 17-7 lead. Nursing that 10-point lead with possession of the ball early in the 4th quarter, the Eagles handed the Redskins a big opportunity after McNabb was intercepted by Springs near midfield. Portis then cut the Eagles lead to 17-14 after his 2nd touchdown run (2 yards) of the night. But the Eagles defense, decimated along the defensive line with early game injuries to DTs Corey Simon and Hollis Thomas, did not permit points on the Redskins final four possessions sealing the victory.

**NOTES:** McNabb's 80-yard completion to Pinkston in the first quarter was a career long for each player ... Dawkins tied a career high with his 4th interception of the season ... Eagles punt returner Dexter Wynn returned 5 punts for 81 yards (16.2 avg.), including a 30-yard return ... Redskins RB Clinton Portis was held to 17 rushing yards in the 2nd half (9 carries) after exploding for 63 yards on 14 attempts in the first half ... Eagles LB and key special teamer Jason Short was lost for the season after breaking his leg ... The Redskins committed 12 penalties for 137 yards, compared to the Eagles 5 infractions (41 yards).



FS Brian Dawkins sealed the win late in the 4th quarter with this leaping interception in the back of the end zone.

|              | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Pts  |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Philadelphia | 7   | 0   | 10  | 0   | - 17 |
| Washington   | 7   | 0   | 0   | 7   | - 14 |

**Was** - C.Portis, 5 run (Hall)  
**Phila** - L.Smith, 2 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 38 FG  
**Phila** - D.Levens, 1 run (Akers)  
**Was** - C.Portis, 2 run (Hall)

| TEAM STATISTICS     | PHILA   | WAS     |
|---------------------|---------|---------|
| First Downs         | 15      | 19      |
| Net Yards Gained    | 312     | 312     |
| Rushes/Yards        | 17/67   | 25/88   |
| Net Yards Passing   | 245     | 224     |
| Att/Comp/INT        | 38/21/1 | 46/29/1 |
| Sacked/Yards Lost   | 2/15    | 3/27    |
| Punts/Average       | 7/43.1  | 9/40.9  |
| Fumbles/Lost        | 2/1     | 1/0     |
| Penalties/Yards     | 5/41    | 12/137  |
| Time of Possession  | 26:03   | 33:57   |
| 3rd Down Efficiency | 3/13    | 5/16    |

**RUSHING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 12-59, D.McNabb 2-8, D.Levens 3-0-1TD ... **REDSKINS** - C.Portis 23-80-2TDs, L.Betts 2-8.

**RECEIVING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 6-59, T.Owens 6-46, T.Pinkston 3-99, G.Lewis 2-29, L.Smith 2-12-1TD, D.Levens 1-13, F.Mitchell 1-2 ... **REDSKINS** - L.Coles 12-100, C.Cooley 5-75, R.Gardner 4-25, C.Portis 4-22, J.Thrash 2-22, L.Betts 1-6, R.Royal 1-1.

**PASSING: EAGLES** - D.McNabb 38-21-260-1-1TD ... **REDSKINS** - P.Ramsey 45-29-251-1-0, C.Portis 1-0-0-0-0.

**INTS: EAGLES** - B.Dawkins 1-0 ... **REDSKINS** - S.Springs 1-10.

**SACKS: EAGLES** - S.Rayburn 1.0, H.Douglas 1.0, D.Walker 1.0 ... **REDSKINS** - C.Clemons 1.0, R.Warner 1.0.

**EAGLES TURNOVER RATIO:** -1 (1 fumble, 1 INT/o fumble, 1 INT)

**Weather:** Cloudy, 47 degrees  
**Wind:** SW 13mph  
**Playing surface:** Grass  
**Time:** 3:30



**GAME  
14**

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 19, 2004  
PHILADELPHIA 12, DALLAS 7  
LINCOLN FINANCIAL FIELD • 67,723**



The Eagles clinched home field advantage throughout the NFC playoffs with a hard-fought, come-from-behind win vs. the Dallas Cowboys. In the process, the Eagles posted their first-ever 13th regular season win and swept all games in the NFC East (6-0) for the first time in franchise history. Down 7-6 with just over 6 minutes remaining in the 4th quarter, the Eagles took possession at their own 36-yard line after a missed 46-yard field goal attempt by Cowboys K Billy Cundiff. From there, Donovan McNabb led the Eagles on a game-winning 9-play, 64-yard TD drive that was fueled by back-to-back scrambles by the Philadelphia signal caller that netted 31 yards. Dorsey Levens plunged into the end zone on a 2-yard run to cap the comeback. McNabb's pass attempt on the ensuing two-point conversion failed, but Lito Sheppard intercepted Vinny Testaverde in the waning seconds to seal the win. The Eagles took a 6-0 lead early in the 2nd quarter after McNabb connected with TE Chad Lewis on a 2-yard scoring pass. The extra point was blocked by Cowboys DE Greg Ellis, ending David Akers streak of 153 consecutive PAT conversions. Later in the 2nd quarter, McNabb was sacked by Ellis, forcing a fumble which was recovered by the Cowboys at the PE23. Five plays later, Testaverde connected with Keyshawn Johnson on a 7-yard TD pass to give Dallas a 7-6 halftime lead. McNabb survived two interceptions and an ankle injury to star WR Terrell Owens in the 3rd quarter to keep the Eagles in the game. CB Sheldon Brown chipped in as well with a sack and a crucial interception late in the 3rd quarter to set the stage for Eagles 4th quarter comeback.

**NOTES:** Eagles LB Ike Reese became the 16th player to record at least a partial sack this season, most in franchise history (not including the strike season of 1987) ... Brown and Sheppard, the two starting cornerbacks, recorded an INT in the same game for the first time. Brown earned NFC defensive player of the week honors ... Eagles P Dirk Johnson pinned 3 of his 5 punts inside the Cowboys 10-yard line.



RB Dorsey Levens' two-yard TD plunge capped the comeback win vs. the Cowboys at Lincoln Financial Field.

|              | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Pts  |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Dallas       | 0   | 7   | 0   | 0   | - 7  |
| Philadelphia | 0   | 6   | 0   | 6   | - 12 |

**Phila** - C.Lewis, 2 pass from McNabb (kick blocked)  
**Dal** - K.Johnson, 7 pass from Testaverde (Cundiff)  
**Phila** - D.Levens, 2 run (pass failed)

| <u>TEAM STATISTICS</u> | <u>DAL</u> | <u>PHILA</u> |
|------------------------|------------|--------------|
| First Downs            | 14         | 24           |
| Net Yards Gained       | 237        | 328          |
| Rushes/Yards           | 26/80      | 28/120       |
| Net Yards Passing      | 157        | 208          |
| Att/Comp/INT           | 28/16/2    | 35/20/2      |
| Sacked/Yards Lost      | 3/19       | 2/15         |
| Punts/Average          | 6/39.0     | 5/39.4       |
| Fumbles/Lost           | 1/0        | 1/1          |
| Penalties/Yards        | 6/35       | 5/36         |
| Time of Possession     | 29:28      | 30:32        |
| 3rd Down Efficiency    | 4/13       | 2/10         |

**RUSHING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 12-48, D.Levens 12-43-1TD, D.McNabb 4-29 ... **COWBOYS** - J.Jones 25-80, D.Barnes 1-0.

**RECEIVING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 8-78, L.Smith 4-41, T.Pinkston 2-34, T.Owens 2-24, C.Lewis 2-20-1TD, D.Levens 1-17, J.Parry 1-9 ... **COWBOYS** - J.Witten 6-66, K.Johnson 5-61, J.Jones 2-21, Q.Morgan 2-19, R.Anderson 1-9.

**PASSING: EAGLES** - D.McNabb 35-20-223-2-1TD ... **COWBOYS** - V.Testaverde 28-16-176-2-1TD.

**INTS: EAGLES** - S.Brown 1-33, L.Sheppard 1-7 ... **COWBOYS** - Ro.Williams 1-33, T.Newman 1-0.

**SACKS: EAGLES** - S.Brown 1.0, I.Reese 1.0, C.Simon 1.0 ... **COWBOYS** - D.Nguyen 1.0, G.Ellis 1.0.

**EAGLES TURNOVER RATIO:** -1 (1 fumble, 2 INT/o fumble, 2 INT)

**Weather:** Mostly Cloudy, 37 degrees

**Wind:** W 4mph

**Playing surface:** Grass

**Time:** 2:56





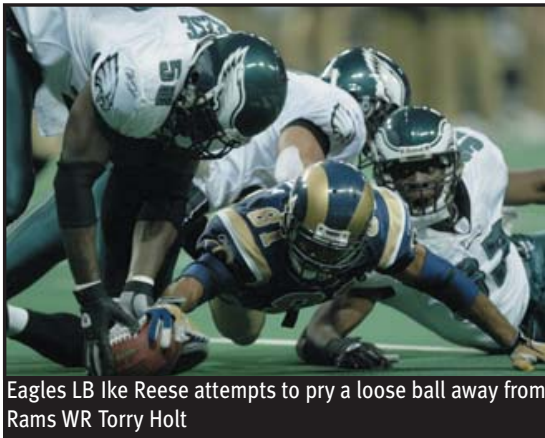
# GAME 15

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 27, 2004**  
**ST. LOUIS 20, PHILADELPHIA 7**  
**EDWARD JONES DOME • 66,129**



With homefield advantage already secured for the NFC playoffs, the Eagles rested many of their starters as they fell to the host St. Louis Rams, 20-7, on Monday Night Football. Donovan McNabb played just one series – a 12-play, 63-yard drive that was capped by a 7-yard TD pass to WR Freddie Mitchell tying the score at 7-7 in the first quarter. On that drive Eagles RB Dorsey Levens, starting in place of an inactive Brian Westbrook, registered 49 yards of offense. The Eagles answered the Rams, who ran the ball 10 straight times after the opening kickoff, concluding with a 5-yard TD run by Steven Jackson. The rookie running back finished the night with 148 yards on 24 carries, while QB Marc Bulger, who returned to the Rams lineup after missing two games with a shoulder injury, completed 20 of 27 passes for 225 yards. His 7-yard TD pass to Isaac Bruce in the 3rd quarter broke open a tight, 10-7 contest. Rams K Jeff Wilkins connected on a pair of short field goals after misfiring on a 44-yard attempt in the 2nd quarter. Koy Detmer and Jeff Blake shared the quarterbacking duties for the Eagles after McNabb departed and combined for just 46 yards passing during the final three quarters.

**NOTES:** The Eagles snapped Rams RB Marshall Faulk's streak of 158 straight games with at least one reception (it had been the longest such current streak in the NFL) ... Eagles reserve defensive ends Jerome McDougle and Jamaal Green each recorded a sack. For Green, it was the first of his career ... Besides Westbrook, the Eagles deactivated LT Tra Thomas (excused for personal reasons) and six injured regulars: WR Terrell Owens, RG Jermaine Mayberry, RDE Derrick Burgess, DT Hollis Thomas, LB Nate Wayne, and S Quintin Mikell. LDE Jevon Kearse dressed but did not play ... Before the game, Eagles owner Jeffrey Lurie retired the #92 of All-Pro DE Reggie White, who died suddenly at the age of 43 one day earlier. A moment of silence was held for White just prior to kickoff.



Eagles LB Ike Reese attempts to pry a loose ball away from Rams WR Torry Holt

|              | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Pts  |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Philadelphia | 7   | 0   | 0   | 0   | - 7  |
| St. Louis    | 7   | 3   | 7   | 3   | - 20 |

**StL** - S.Jackson, 5 run (Wilkins)  
**Phila** - F.Mitchell, 7 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**StL** - J.Wilkins, 28 FG  
**StL** - I.Bruce, 7 pass from Bulger (Wilkins)  
**StL** - J.Wilkins, 29 FG

| TEAM STATISTICS     | PHILA  | STL     |
|---------------------|--------|---------|
| First Downs         | 11     | 24      |
| Net Yards Gained    | 155    | 419     |
| Rushes/Yards        | 23/81  | 44/209  |
| Net Yards Passing   | 74     | 210     |
| Att/Comp/INT        | 23/8/0 | 28/20/0 |
| Sacked/Yards Lost   | 1/8    | 2/15    |
| Punts/Average       | 6/42.0 | 2/36.0  |
| Fumbles/Lost        | 1/1    | 3/1     |
| Penalties/Yards     | 13/95  | 7/55    |
| Time of Possession  | 18:16  | 41:44   |
| 3rd Down Efficiency | 4/11   | 7/15    |

**RUSHING: EAGLES** - D.Levens 10-44, R.Mahe 6-17, T.Tapeh 2-13, J.Blake 1-8, K.Detmer 4-(-1) ... **RAMS** - S.Jackson 24-148-1TD, M.Faulk 17-54, M.Bulger 3-7.

**RECEIVING: EAGLES** - F.Mitchell 2-28-1TD, T.Tapeh 2-15, D.Levens 1-23, G.Lewis 1-6, B.McMullen 1-5, R.Mahe 1-5 ... **RAMS** - I.Bruce 8-98-1TD, T.Holt 7-75, K.Curtis 2-35, S.McDonald 1-9, J.Goodspeed 1-4, B.Manumaleuna 1-4.

**PASSING: EAGLES** - D.McNabb 3-3-36-0-1TD (starter), K.Detmer 6-1-5-0-0, J.Blake 14-4-41-0-0 ... **RAMS** - M.Bulger 27-20-225-0-1TD, J.Wilkins 1-0-0-0-0.

**INTS: EAGLES** - 0 ... **RAMS** - 0.

**SACKS: EAGLES** - J.McDougle 1.0, J.Green 1.0 ... **RAMS** - B.Fisher 1.0.

**EAGLES TURNOVER RATIO:** Even (1 fumble, 0 INT/1 fumble, 0 INT)

**Weather:** Indoor  
**Wind:** None  
**Playing surface:** Artificial  
**Time:** 3:12



**GAME  
16**

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 2, 2005  
CINCINNATI 38, PHILADELPHIA 10  
LINCOLN FINANCIAL FIELD • 67,074**



With homefield advantage already secured for the NFC playoffs, the Eagles rested many of their starters for the 2nd straight week as they lost, 38-10, to the visiting Cincinnati Bengals. The Eagles outgained the Bengals, 342-308, in total yardage, but lost the turnover battle decisively (5-0). Cincinnati scored 17 points directly off those turnovers in the game to build a 38-3 lead. Rudi Johnson scored three rushing touchdowns and gained 99 yards on 28 carries to lead the Bengals attack. Koy Detmer started in place of Donovan McNabb and threw for 202 yards as he played into the 3rd quarter. Jeff Blake led the Eagles to their only TD of the game, a 3-yard scoring pass to Freddie Mitchell.

**NOTES:** David Akers set an NFL record with his 17th field goal of 40-or-more yards during the season. Cary Blanchard (1996) and Ryan Longwell (2000) each had 16 ... Eagles RB Eric McCoo made his NFL debut with 54 yards on 9 carries ... Freddie Mitchell set career highs with 6 catches for 76 yards ... The Eagles deactivated the following key players: Terrell Owens, Brian Dawkins, Chad Lewis, Lito Sheppard, Jermaine Mayberry, Hollis Thomas, Derrick Burgess, and Quintin Mikell. Dressing, but not playing were: McNabb, Brian Westbrook, Jevon Kearse, and Nate Wayne ... The Eagles wore #92 stickers on their helmets in honor of Reggie White.



WR Greg Lewis posted a career-high 6 catches for 53 yards in the regular season finale vs. the Bengals.

|              | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Pts  |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Cincinnati   | 0   | 17  | 14  | 7   | - 38 |
| Philadelphia | 0   | 3   | 0   | 7   | - 10 |

**Cin** - R.Johnson, 5 run (Graham)  
**Cin** - T.Houshmandzadeh, 20 pass from Kitna (Graham)  
**Cin** - S.Graham, 50 FG  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 46 FG  
**Cin** - R.Geathers, 36 INT return (Graham)  
**Cin** - R.Johnson, 6 run (Graham)  
**Cin** - R.Johnson, 3 run (Graham)  
**Phila** - F.Mitchell, 3 pass from Blake (Akers)

| TEAM STATISTICS     | CIN     | PHILA   |
|---------------------|---------|---------|
| First Downs         | 16      | 18      |
| Net Yards Gained    | 308     | 342     |
| Rushes/Yards        | 35/148  | 16/80   |
| Net Yards Passing   | 160     | 262     |
| Att/Comp/INT        | 27/16/0 | 54/31/3 |
| Sacked/Yards Lost   | 0/0     | 3/25    |
| Punts/Average       | 7/41.7  | 5/39.0  |
| Fumbles/Lost        | 1/0     | 3/2     |
| Penalties/Yards     | 4/35    | 7/50    |
| Time of Possession  | 29:32   | 30:28   |
| 3rd Down Efficiency | 5/15    | 6/17    |

**RUSHING: EAGLES** - E.McCoo 9-54, R.Mahe 7-26 ...  
**BENGALS** - R.Johnson 28-99-3TDs, K.Watson 3-20, C.Johnson 1-18, J.Kitna 3-11.

**RECEIVING: EAGLES** - R.Mahe 8-62, F.Mitchell 6-76-1TD, G.Lewis 6-53, M.Bartrum 3-27, L.Smith 2-37, B.McMullen 2-19, E.McCoo 2-15, J.Parry 2-(-2) ...  
**BENGALS** - T.Houshmandzadeh 6-71-1TD, C.Johnson 5-67, K.Watson 1-9, J.Johnson 1-4, M.Schobel 1-4, K.Washington 1-3, T.Stewart 1-2.

**PASSING: EAGLES** - K.Detmer 31-17-202-2-0 (starter), J.Blake 23-14-85-1-1TD ...  
**BENGALS** - J.Kitna 27-16-160-0-1TD.

**INTS: EAGLES** - 0 ...  
**BENGALS** - R.Geathers 1-36-1TD, T.James 1-10, D.O'Neal 1-0.

**SACKS: EAGLES** - 0 ...  
**BENGALS** - J.Thornton 1.0, J.Smith 1.0, K.Hardy 1.0.

**EAGLES TURNOVER RATIO:** -5 (2 fumbles, 3 INT/o fumble, 0 INT)

**Weather:** Cloudy, 43 degrees  
**Wind:** ESE 8mph  
**Playing surface:** Grass  
**Time:** 3:16



## NFC DIVISIONAL PLAYOFF GAME

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 16, 2005**  
**PHILADELPHIA 27, MINNESOTA 14**  
**LINCOLN FINANCIAL FIELD • 67,722**



In their fifth straight appearance in the NFC Divisional playoff round, the Eagles scored touchdowns on three of their first four drives and held Minnesota's potent offense to just 7 points through the first 57 minutes of the game, as they defeated the Vikings, 27-14, at Lincoln Financial Field. Donovan McNabb completed 21 of 33 passes for 286 yards and 2 scores, Brian Westbrook registered 117 total yards from scrimmage, and Freddie Mitchell hauled in 5 passes for 65 yards and posted two scores (one receiving, one fumble recovery) to lead an impressive offensive attack. On the Eagles 2nd possession of the game, McNabb's 2-yard touchdown pass to Mitchell opened the scoring early in the first quarter. On the final play of the quarter, McNabb connected with WR Greg Lewis on a 52-yard completion on a 3rd-and-5 play. That set up a 7-yard TD pass from McNabb to Westbrook. The Vikings cut the Eagles lead to 14-7 after Daunte Culpepper scored on a 7-yard run, but Philadelphia bounced right back with a bizarre scoring play on their next drive. TE L.J. Smith caught a pass from McNabb deep inside Vikings territory, but was forced to fumble by Minnesota CB Antoine Winfield. The ball popped up in the air and into the end zone, where Mitchell grabbed it for another touchdown. Late in the 2nd quarter, Minnesota blew a scoring chance after being set up with a first and goal opportunity at the Eagles 8-yard line. On 4th down, the Vikings faked a field goal as holder Gus Frerotte threw an incomplete pass. The Eagles marched right back down the field on their ensuing possession, but ran out of time after a completion to Dorsey Levens at the 4-yard line. The Eagles defense preserved the 21-7 halftime lead in the 3rd quarter as linebackers Ike Reese and Jeremiah Trotter each intercepted Culpepper. After Trotter's INT, the Eagles appeared to score on the next play as Mitchell took a pass from McNabb and raced 31 yards, but fumbled as he stretched for the end zone. An official review of the play confirmed the ball went out of the end zone for a touchback. Culpepper and the Vikings were thwarted on their next possession, however, as FS Brian Dawkins sacked Culpepper to take Minnesota out of field goal range and forced them to throw out of the end zone on 4th-and-22. The Eagles added two short field goals by David Akers (21 and 23 yards) in the 4th quarter to take a 27-7 lead.

**NOTES:** Under Andy Reid, the Eagles have a 9-0 record (3-0 in the playoffs) in games following a bye week and have compiled a 4-1 record in the Divisional playoff round ... The victory represented the 70th overall of Reid's career ... Reese's interception snapped a string of 131 pass attempts by Culpepper without an INT ... Mitchell's 2nd TD was the first fumble recovery for a score in Eagles postseason history. McNabb earned NFL offensive player of the week honors for his efforts ... McNabb's Eagles are 3-0 (including playoffs) vs. Culpepper's Vikings since both were selected in the first round of the 1999 draft.



LB Jeremiah Trotter's interception was one of two critical take-aways during the 3rd quarter vs. the Vikings.

|              | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Pts  |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Minnesota    | 0   | 7   | 0   | 7   | - 14 |
| Philadelphia | 7   | 14  | 0   | 6   | - 27 |

**Phila** - F.Mitchell, 2 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Phila** - B.Westbrook, 7 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Min** - D.Culpepper, 7 run (Anderson)  
**Phila** - F.Mitchell, fumble recovery in end zone (Akers)  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 21 FG  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 23 FG  
**Min** - M.Robinson, 32 pass from Culpepper (Anderson)

| TEAM STATISTICS     | MIN     | PHILA   |
|---------------------|---------|---------|
| First Downs         | 21      | 23      |
| Net Yards Gained    | 385     | 395     |
| Rushes/Yards        | 21/97   | 25/109  |
| Net Yards Passing   | 288     | 286     |
| Att/Comp/INT        | 47/24/2 | 33/21/0 |
| Sacked/Yards Lost   | 3/28    | 1/0     |
| Punts/Average       | 4/34.8  | 3/37.3  |
| Fumbles/Lost        | 1/0     | 3/1     |
| Penalties/Yards     | 7/108   | 4/20    |
| Time of Possession  | 32:25   | 27:35   |
| 3rd Down Efficiency | 7/17    | 5/11    |

**RUSHING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 12-70, D.Levens 10-36, D.McNabb 3-3 ... **VIKINGS** - M.Bennett 8-37, O.Smith 7-35, D.Culpepper 5-25-1TD, M.Moore 1-0.

**RECEIVING: EAGLES** - F.Mitchell 5-65-1TD, B.Westbrook 5-47-1TD, L.Smith 4-52, T.Pinkston 3-46, G.Lewis 2-64, J.Parry 1-7, D.Levens 1-5 ... **VIKINGS** - M.Robinson 5-119-1TD, N.Burleson 4-50, O.Smith 4-28, R.Moss 3-51, J.Wiggins 2-26, M.Moore 2-20, M.Bennett 2-(-1), S.Berton 1-16, K.Campbell 1-7.

**PASSING: EAGLES** - D.McNabb 33-21-286-0-2TDs ... **VIKINGS** - D.Culpepper 46-24-316-2-1TD (starter), G.Frerotte 1-0-0-0-0.

**INTS: EAGLES** - J.Trotter 1-35, I.Reese 1-3 ... **VIKINGS** - 0.

**SACKS: EAGLES** - B.Dawkins 1.0, J.Kearse 1.0, J.Trotter 0.5, N.Wayne 0.5 ... **VIKINGS** - A.Winfield 1.0.

**EAGLES TURNOVER RATIO:** +1 (1 fumble, 0 INT/0 fumble, 2 INT)

**Weather:** Cloudy, 31 degrees

**Wind:** NE 16mph

**Playing surface:** Grass

**Time:** 3:14





## NFC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 23, 2005**  
**PHILADELPHIA 27, ATLANTA 10**  
**LINCOLN FINANCIAL FIELD • 67,717**



The Eagles earned their first trip to the Super Bowl in 24 seasons as they upended the Atlanta Falcons, 27-10, at a frigid Lincoln Financial Field in Philadelphia. One day after more than a foot of snow pounded the Philadelphia area, the Eagles defense blanketed Falcons quarterback Michael Vick throughout the game, limiting him to just 162 yards (136 passing, 26 rushing), while sacking him four times in a wind chill that reached single digits. The Eagles took an early 7-0 lead as Dorsey Levens used an extra effort to score on a 4-yard TD run. The Falcons answered back with a 17-play, 64-yard drive that resulted in a 23-yard field goal by Jay Feely. On that drive, Atlanta was set up with a first and goal at the Eagles 2-yard line, but DT Hollis Thomas came up with a sack and a tackle for a loss to force the field goal attempt. Facing a 3rd-and-11 situation on Philadelphia's next possession, Donovan McNabb scrambled away from rushers and fired a 13-yard completion to Freddie Mitchell. One play later, McNabb connected with Greg Lewis on a 45-yard completion down to the Falcons 4-yard line, setting up a 3-yard TD pass from McNabb to TE Chad Lewis, who just barely kept both feet in bounds. But the Falcons responded again with a 10-yard TD run by Warrick Dunn to make the score 14-10 heading into halftime. The Eagles drove 60 yards on the opening drive of the 3rd quarter, leading to a 31-yard field goal by David Akers. RB Brian Westbrook accounted for 48 yards on that possession and totaled 135 yards from scrimmage on 21 touches in the game. After an interception by Brian Dawkins late in the 3rd quarter, Akers added another field goal (34 yards) to build a 20-10 advantage. The Eagles defense harassed Vick and the Falcons in the 2nd half, limiting them to no points, 86 total yards, and 3 first downs. Philadelphia sealed their trip to Super Bowl 39 with a 2-yard TD connection between McNabb and Chad Lewis.

|              | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Pts  |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Atlanta      | 0   | 10  | 0   | 0   | - 10 |
| Philadelphia | 7   | 7   | 6   | 7   | - 27 |

**Phila** - D.Levens, 4 run (Akers)  
**Atl** - J.Feely, 23 FG  
**Phila** - C.Lewis, 3 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**Atl** - W.Dunn, 10 run (Feely)  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 31 FG  
**Phila** - D.Akers, 34 FG  
**Phila** - C.Lewis, 2 pass from McNabb (Akers)

| TEAM STATISTICS     | ATL     | PHILA   |
|---------------------|---------|---------|
| First Downs         | 14      | 22      |
| Net Yards Gained    | 202     | 326     |
| Rushes/Yards        | 26/99   | 33/156  |
| Net Yards Passing   | 103     | 170     |
| Att/Comp/INT        | 24/11/1 | 27/18/0 |
| Sacked/Yards Lost   | 4/33    | 2/13    |
| Punts/Average       | 5/26.0  | 3/38.3  |
| Fumbles/Lost        | 1/0     | 2/0     |
| Penalties/Yards     | 5/24    | 6/59    |
| Time of Possession  | 26:45   | 33:15   |
| 3rd Down Efficiency | 2/11    | 7/14    |

**RUSHING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 16-96, D.McNabb 10-32, D.Levens 6-18-1TD, G.Lewis 1-10 ... **FALCONS** - W.Dunn 15-59-1TD, M.Vick 4-26, T.Duckett 7-14.

**RECEIVING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 5-39, C.Lewis 4-20-2TDs, G.Lewis 2-65, F.Mitchell 2-20, D.Levens 2-2, L.Smith 1-21, T.Pinkston 1-13, J.Parry 1-3 ... **FALCONS** - A.Crumpler 4-49, P.Price 2-37, B.Finneran 1-29, M.Jenkins 1-7, D.White 1-7, W.Dunn 1-4, F.McCrary 1-3.

**PASSING: EAGLES** - D.McNabb 26-17-180-0-2TDs (starter), K.Detmer 1-1-3-0-0 ... **FALCONS** - M.Vick 24-11-136-1-0.

**INTS: EAGLES** - B.Dawkins 1-19 ... **FALCONS** - 0.

**SACKS: EAGLES** - D.Burgess 2.0, H.Thomas 1.0, J.Kearse 1.0 ... **FALCONS** - B.Smith 1.0, P.Kearney 1.0.

**EAGLES TURNOVER RATIO:** +1 (0 fumble, 1 INT/0 fumble, 0 INT)

**NOTES:** Eagles DE Derrick Burgess' 2-sack performance was the 2nd ever by an Eagle in the playoffs (Hugh Douglas vs. TB in 2000). He earned NFL defensive player of the week honors ... Chad Lewis moved past Duce Staley (35) and into first place on the Eagles all-time reception list in the post-season. Lewis' 2-TD performance was the 6th such performance in the team's playoff history ... Former all-pro quarterback Randall Cunningham served as Philadelphia's honorary captain at the coin toss.



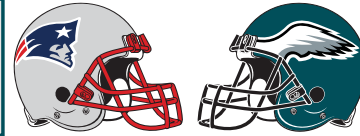
McNabb and the Eagles raised the NFC Championship trophy for the first time in 24 seasons by defeating the Falcons.

**Weather:** Partly Sunny, 17 degrees, **Wind:** NNW 26mph  
**Playing surface:** Grass, **Time:** 3:00



## SUPER BOWL 39

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2005**  
**NEW ENGLAND 24, PHILADELPHIA 21**  
**ALLTEL STADIUM • 78,125**



In their first Super Bowl appearance in 24 years, the Eagles were decimated by four turnovers, including three in their opponent's territory, as they fell to the defending champion Patriots, 24-21, at ALLTEL Stadium in Jacksonville. The victory by New England represented their 3rd world championship in a span of four years. The Eagles, who welcomed the return of Pro Bowl WR Terrell Owens to the lineup, outgained the Patriots, 369-331, but could not convert valuable scoring opportunities early in the game. Owens accounted for 122 of those yards on 9 catches, after courageously returning from a serious ankle surgery just six-and-a-half weeks prior. Philadelphia moved the ball well early in the first half as they marched to the Patriots 8-yard line late in the first quarter. But a 16-yard sack by LB Mike Vrabel and an interception by SS Rodney Harrison at the 3-yard line thwarted a valuable scoring attempt. Later in the first quarter, Eagles TE L.J. Smith fumbled at the Patriots 38-yard line to stop another potential scoring drive. The Eagles did recover to take a 7-0 lead early in the 2nd quarter as Donovan McNabb connected with Smith on a 6-yard strike. That play capped off an impressive 9-play, 81-yard drive that was highlighted by a 40-yard connection from McNabb to WR Todd Pinkston. On the ensuing possession, the Patriots drove to the PE4, before Tom Brady fumbled a hand off attempt. Eagles DT Darwin Walker recovered the loose ball. But New England regained possession late in the 2nd quarter and this time scored on a 4-yard completion from Brady to WR David Givens to tie the score at 7-7 heading into the locker room. New England took the lead on the first possession of the 3rd quarter as Brady converted two 3rd-and-long situations en route to a 2-yard TD toss to Vrabel. The Eagles bounced back later in the 3rd stanza as McNabb and the offense drove 74 yards on 10 plays, leading to a 10-yard TD catch by Brian Westbrook. Tied at 14 heading into the fourth quarter, the Patriots scored 10 points in a span of 5 minutes to take a 24-14 lead. McNabb was then intercepted by LB Tedy Bruschi at the Pats 24-yard line, hurting their comeback attempt. But WR Greg Lewis hauled in a 30-yard TD reception from McNabb with 1:55 remaining to give the Eagles life. An unsuccessful onside kick attempt and another interception by Harrison ended the Eagles season.

**NOTES:** Both teams were tied at the conclusion of the 3rd quarter for the first time in Super Bowl history ... McNabb's 357 passing yards were tied for the 3rd highest total in SB history. His 51 pass attempts were the 2nd-most ever (58 by Jim Kelly in SB26) and his 30 completions were the 3rd most ... Owens' 9 catches were tied for the 8th-most in SB history ... Eagles DE Derrick Burgess' sack of Brady was the 4th of his Eagles playoff career, tying him with Reggie White and Hugh Douglas for 1st on the club's all-time list ... Dawkins set a team playoff record for playing in his 13th career postseason game.



Brian Westbrook's 10-yard touchdown grab tied the score at 14-14 in the 3rd quarter.

|              | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Pts  |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| New England  | 0   | 7   | 7   | 10  | - 24 |
| Philadelphia | 0   | 7   | 7   | 7   | - 21 |

**Phila** - L.Smith, 6 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**NE** - D.Givens, 4 pass from Brady (Vinatieri)  
**NE** - M.Vrabel, 2 pass from Brady (Vinatieri)  
**Phila** - B.Westbrook, 10 pass from McNabb (Akers)  
**NE** - C.Dillon, 2 run (Vinatieri)  
**NE** - A.Vinatieri, 22 FG  
**Phila** - G.Lewis, 30 pass from McNabb (Akers)

| TEAM STATISTICS     | NE      | PHILA   |
|---------------------|---------|---------|
| First Downs         | 21      | 24      |
| Net Yards Gained    | 331     | 369     |
| Rushes/Yards        | 28/112  | 17/45   |
| Net Yards Passing   | 219     | 324     |
| Att/Comp/INT        | 33/23/0 | 51/30/3 |
| Sacked/Yards Lost   | 4/33    | 2/17    |
| Punts/Average       | 7/45.1  | 5/42.8  |
| Fumbles/Lost        | 1/1     | 2/1     |
| Penalties/Yards     | 7/47    | 3/35    |
| Time of Possession  | 31:37   | 28:23   |
| 3rd Down Efficiency | 4/12    | 9/16    |

**RUSHING: EAGLES** - B.Westbrook 15-44, D.Levens 1-1, D.McNabb 1-0 ... **PATRIOTS** - C.Dillon 18-75-1TD, K.Faulk 8-38, P.Pass 1-0, T.Brady 1-(-1).

**RECEIVING: EAGLES** - T.Owens 9-122, B.Westbrook 7-60-1TD, T.Pinkston 4-82, G.Lewis 4-53-1TD, L.Smith 4-27-1TD, F.Mitchell 1-11, J.Parry 1-2 ... **PATRIOTS** - D.Branch 11-133, C.Dillon 3-31, D.Givens 3-19-1TD, K.Faulk 2-27, T.Brown 2-17, D.Graham 1-7, M.Vrabel 1-2-1TD.

**PASSING: EAGLES** - D.McNabb 51-30-357-3-3TDs ... **PATRIOTS** - T.Brady 33-23-236-0-2TDs.

**INTS: EAGLES** - 0 ... **PATRIOTS** - R.Harrison 2-5, T.Bruschi 1-0.

**SACKS: EAGLES** - D.Burgess 1.0, Team 1.0 ... **PATRIOTS** - R.Harrison 1.0, T.Bruschi 1.0, R.Seymour 1.0, M.Vrabel 1.0.

**EAGLES TURNOVER RATIO:** -3 (1 fumble, 3 INTs/1 fumble, 0 INT)

**Weather:** Clear, 59 degrees  
**Wind:** N 12mph  
**Playing surface:** Grass  
**Time:** 3:38

