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- Thursday, January 22 - Offensive coordinator **Jon Gruden** was named head coach of the Oakland Raiders.
- Tuesday, January 27 - Named **Dana Bible** offensive coordinator ... Offensive line coach **Bill Callahan** was named offensive coordinator of the Oakland Raiders.
- Tuesday, February 10 - Offensive assistant **David Shaw** was named offensive assistant/quality control coach of the Oakland Raiders.
- Thursday, February 12 - Named DT **Rhett Hall** a transition free agent ... Tendered a one-year contract to the following restricted free agents: CB **Bobby Taylor**, WR **Chris T. Jones**, DE **Greg Jefferson**, and T **Barrett Brooks**.
- Wednesday, February 18 - Promoted tight ends coach **Juan Castillo** to offensive line coach ... Named **John Harbaugh** special teams coach and **Jim Bollman** tight ends coach.
- Thursday, February 19 - Signed T/G **George Hegamin** (Dallas Cowboys) to a series of five one-year contracts ... Re-signed G/T **Jerry Crafts** to a two-year contract ... LB **Darrin Smith** signed a contract with the Seattle Seahawks.
- Friday, February 20 - G/C **Joe Panos** signed a contract with the Buffalo Bills.
- Saturday, February 21 - Signed DT **Bill Johnson** (St. Louis Rams) to a two-year contract.
- Monday, February 23 - Re-signed RB **Charlie Garner** to a four-year contract ... LB **Jeff Herrod** signed a contract with the Indianapolis Colts.
- Saturday, February 28 - QB **Ty Detmer** signed a contract with the San Francisco 49ers.
- Monday, March 2 - Signed G **Keith Sims** (Washington Redskins) to a two-year contract ... Signed G **Pat Kesi**, DT **Matt Storm**, WR **Rico Cannon** and WR **Shedrick Wilson** ... Released CB **Fredric Ford** and TE **Andre President**.
- Wednesday, March 4 - Signed restricted free agent TE **Marcus Pollard** (Indianapolis Colts) to an offer sheet ... RB **Ricky Watters** signed a contract with the Seattle Seahawks.
- Thursday, March 5 - The Indianapolis Colts formally notified the Eagles that they have matched the Birds' offer sheet signed by TE **Marcus Pollard**. Thus, Pollard remains a Colt.
- Friday, March 13 - Acquired DE **Hugh Douglas** from the New York Jets for the Eagles' 2nd and 5th round selections in the 1998 NFL Draft.
- Monday, March 16 - Signed DE **Hugh Douglas**, whose contract would have expired at the end of the 1998 season, to a new six-year contract.
- Monday, April 6 - T **Troy Drake** signed a contract with the Washington Redskins.
- Thursday, April 9 - Agreed to terms on a two-year contract with LB **Mike Caldwell** (Arizona Cardinals) ... Signed FS **John Fisher** to a two-year contract ... Signed FB **Jeff Cothran** and WR **Karl Hankton** each to one-year contracts.
- Saturday, April 18 - Selected T **Tra Thomas** (Florida State) in the 1st round (the 11th selection overall) ... Traded a 3rd round pick (the 70th selection overall) to the New York Giants for the Giants' 3rd round pick (the 85th selection overall) and their 4th round pick (the 116th selection overall) ... Selected LB **Jeremiah Trotter** (Stephen F. Austin) in the 3rd round (the 72nd selection overall) ... Selected CB/KR **Allen Rossum** (Notre Dame) in the 3rd round (the 85th selection overall).
- Sunday, April 19 - Traded a 4th round pick (the 102nd selection overall) to Miami for the Dolphins' 4th round pick (the 112th selection overall) and their 5th round pick (the 142nd selection overall) ... Selected DT **Brandon Whiting** (California) in the 4th round (the 112th selection overall) ... Selected CB **Clarence Love** (Toledo) in the 4th round (the 116th selection overall) ... Selected LB **Ike Reese** (Michigan State) in the 5th round (the 142nd selection overall) ... Acquired WR **Jeff Graham** from the New York Jets for a 6th round pick (the 163rd selection overall) ... Traded a 7th round pick (the 200th selection overall) to Denver for the Broncos' 6th round pick in 1999 ... Selected DT **Chris Akins** (Texas) in the 7th round (the 220th selection overall) ... Selected G **Melvin Thomas** (Colorado) in the 7th round (the 240th selection overall).
- Tuesday, April 21 - Re-signed T **Barrett Brooks** to a one-year contract ... Agreed to terms with the following rookie free agents: LB **Troy Asbell** (Texas A&M-Kingsville), DT **Keith Council** (Hampton), G **Tarren Crawford** (Central State (OH)), K **Jaret Holmes** (Auburn), FB **A.J. Jelks** (Oregon), CB **Tevell Jones** (Ohio), LB **Keith Kerrin** (Temple), RB **Brian McKenzie** (Brigham Young), WR **Harvey Middleton** (Georgia Tech), FB **Mike Reed** (Washington), and TE **Kaseem Sinceno** (Syracuse) ... Agreed to terms with the following first-year players: WR **Jason Dulick** and QB **Mike McCoy**.
- Friday, April 24 - Signed CB **Alundis Brice** to a one-year contract.
- Wednesday, April 29 - Signed TE **Kevin Hickman** to a one-year contract ... Signed the following rookie free agents: WR **Josh Dolbin** (Villanova) and CB **Excel Lucas** (Temple).
- Thursday, April 30 - CB **Willie Clark** signed a contract with the St. Louis Rams.
- Monday, May 11 - Claimed G **Wendell Gaines** off waivers from the St. Louis Rams.
- Friday, May 15 - Named **Tom Modrak** Director of Football Operations.
- Tuesday, May 26 - Named **John Goeller** Director of College Scouting.
- Wednesday, June 3 - Named **Mike McCartney** Pro Personnel Coordinator ... Re-signed DE **Greg Jefferson**, C/G **Bubba Miller**, and C **Morris Unutoa** each to one-year contracts.
- Monday, June 8 - Re-signed DT **Rhett Hall** to a one-year contract.
- Tuesday, June 10 - CB **Charles Dimry** signed a contract with the San Diego Chargers.

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- Thursday, June 11 - Re-signed CB **Bobby Taylor** to a one-year contract ... Signed DT **Chris Akins** (1998 7th round pick) to a two-year contract ... Released G **Pat Kesi**, CB **Excel Lucas**, and G **Matt Storm**.
- Monday, June 15 - Re-signed WR **Chris T. Jones** to a one-year contract ... Signed G **Melvin Thomas** (1998 7th round pick) to a three-year contract.
- Friday, June 19 - Signed T **Tra Thomas** (1998 1st round pick) to a five-year contract ... Signed DE **Uhuru Hamiter** to a two-year contract.
- Tuesday, June 30 - Re-signed TE **Chad Lewis** to a one-year contract.
- Monday, July 13 - Re-signed WR **Freddie Solomon** to a one-year contract ... Released S **Charles Emanuel** and CB **Tevell Jones**.
- Tuesday, July 14 - Signed LB **Jeremiah Trotter** (1998 3rd round pick) to a four-year contract ... Signed CB/KR **Allen Rossum** (1998 3rd round draft pick), DT **Brandon Whiting** (1998 4th round draft pick), CB **Clarence Love** (1998 4th round draft pick) and LB **Ike Reese** (1998 5th round draft pick) each to three-year contracts.
- Wednesday, July 15 - Released LB **Troy Asbell**.
- Tuesday, July 21 - Signed WR **Jack Jackson** to a two-year contract ... Released WR **Jason Dulick**.
- Wednesday, July 22 - Claimed RB **Aaron Hayden** off waivers from the Green Bay Packers ... Released RB **Brian McKenzie** ... Announced that G **Wendell Gaines** left the team.
- Wednesday, July 29 - Signed FB **Leroy White** to a two-year contract.
- Monday, August 17 - Signed FS **Dana Hall** and SS **Anthony Marshall** each to one-year contracts ... Released P/K **Jaret Holmes**, QB **Mike McCoy**, TE **Kevin Hickman**, and FB **A.J. Jelks**.
- Tuesday, August 18 - Placed LB/DE **Mike Mamula** on the Injured Reserve list.
- Wednesday, August 19 - Released WR **Chris T. Jones**.
- Saturday, August 22 - Released FB **Jeff Cothran**.
- Tuesday, August 25 - Released WR **Jack Jackson**, WR **Josh Dolbin**, WR **Rico Cannon**, T **Tarren Crawford**, G **Sean Love**, LB/DE **Ndukwe Kalu**, FB **Leroy White**, DT **Keith Council**, CB **Alundis Brice**, SS **Randy Kinder**, LB **Keith Kerrin**, LB **DeShawn Fogle**, FS **Dana Hall**, and WR **Harvey Middleton** ... Placed WR **Shedrick Wilson** on the Injured Reserve list ... Placed DT **Chris Akins** and G **Melvin Thomas** on the Reserve/Non-Football Injury list.
- Sunday, August 30 - Acquired WR **Dietrich Jells** from the New England Patriots for a future conditional draft choice ... Released FS **John Fisher**, DE **Uhuru Hamiter**, DT **Edward Jasper**, FB **Mike Reed**, CB **Anthony Rice**, G **Keith Sims**, TE **Kaseem Sinceno**, and WR **Antwuan Wyatt**.
- Monday, August 31 - Claimed CB **Al Harris** off waivers from the Tampa Bay Buccaneers ... Released WR **Karl Hankton**.
- Tuesday, September 1 - Signed DT **Keith Council**, T/G **Tarren Crawford**, FB **Mike Reed**, and TE **Kaseem Sinceno** to the practice squad.
- Wednesday, September 2 - Signed WR **Karl Hankton** to the practice squad ... Released WR **Shedrick Wilson** from the Injured Reserve list.
- Wednesday, September 9 - Signed RB **Darnell Autry** to a two-year contract ... Placed RB **Aaron Hayden** on the Injured Reserve list.
- Friday, September 11 - Named **Bill Musgrave** offensive quality control coach.
- Tuesday, September 15 - Released TE **Chad Lewis**.
- Thursday, September 17 - Signed DT **Edward Jasper** to a two-year contract ... Signed TE **Kaseem Sinceno** from the practice squad ... Released LB **Ray Farmer** ... Signed DT **Henry Slay** to the practice squad.
- Friday, September 25 - Signed WR **Karl Hankton** from the practice squad ... Placed DT **Rhett Hall** on the Injured Reserve list.
- Sunday, September 27 - Agreed to terms with WR **Irving Fryar** on a three-year contract extension that will keep Fryar in Philadelphia through the year 2000.
- Wednesday, September 30 - Signed G **Lamont Burns** to the practice squad.
- Monday, October 5 - RB **Darnell Autry** announced his retirement ... Signed FB **Mike Reed** from the practice squad.
- Wednesday, October 7 - Signed RB **James Bostic** to the practice squad.
- Friday, October 23 - Claimed DT **Steve Martin** off waivers from the Indianapolis Colts ... Released DT **Edward Jasper**.
- Thursday, October 29 - Signed TE **Chris Fontenot** from the Kansas City Chiefs practice squad ... Released TE **Jimmie Johnson**.
- Monday, November 2 - Signed CB **Bobby Taylor** to a six-year contract extension that will keep Taylor in Philadelphia through 2004 ... Signed DE **Greg Jefferson** to a four-year contract extension that will keep Jefferson in Philadelphia through 2001.
- Wednesday, November 4 - Signed QB **Chuck Clements** to the practice squad ... Released T/G **Tarren Crawford** from the practice squad.
- Thursday, November 5 - Signed FS **Brian Dawkins** to a contract extension that will keep Dawkins in Philadelphia through 2003.
- Wednesday, November 11 - Signed S **Sean Woodson** to the practice squad ... Released DT **Henry Slay** from the practice squad.
- Wednesday, November 18 - Signed DT **Henry Slay** to the practice squad ... Released DT **Keith Council** from the practice squad.
- Friday, November 27 - Signed RB **James Bostic** from the practice squad ... Released FB **Mike Reed**.

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- Tuesday, December 1 - Signed WR **Kevin McKenzie** from the San Francisco 49ers practice squad and TE **Andrew Jordan** ... Placed TE **Jason Dunn** and TE **Kaseem Sinceno** on the Injured Reserve list ... Re-signed FB **Mike Reed** to the practice squad.
- Wednesday, December 2 - Signed DT **Henry Slay** from the practice squad ... Placed DT **Hollis Thomas** on the Injured Reserve list ... G **Lamont Burns** was signed from the practice squad by the Washington Redskins.
- Friday, December 4 - Claimed LB **Jon Haskins** off waivers from the San Diego Chargers ... Placed DT **Bill Johnson** on the Injured Reserve list ... Released WR **Russell Copeland**.
- Monday, December 7 - Signed S **Sean Woodson** from the practice squad ... Released FS **Matt Stevens** ... Signed FS **Marcus Wimberly**, G **Steve Zahursky**, LB **Ron Rogers** ... Released QB **Chuck Clements** from the practice squad.
- Wednesday, December 9 - Signed DT **Edward Jasper** to a one-year contract ... Signed WR **Harvey Middleton** to the practice squad.
- Thursday, December 10 - Placed RB **Charlie Garner** on the Injured Reserve list ... Signed FB **Mike Reed** from the practice squad.
- Monday, December 14 - Signed P **Nick Gallery** to the practice squad.
- Wednesday, December 23 - LB **Ron Rogers** was signed from the practice squad by the Indianapolis Colts.
- Monday, December 28 - Fired head coach **Ray Rhodes**.