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## RICHMOND, NEW YORK IN PLAYOFFS

### Miami ousted after 4th consecutive loss Butler and Virginia clinch berths in consolation bracket

The Richmond Rattlin' Raptors and the New York Griffons each clinched playoff spots by winning their 10th games in the final week of the regular season.

Richmond RB Leroy Thompson's 81 yards and 2 TDs in the Monday night game sent the Raptors into their first playoff appearance. Richmond trailed Miami by 1 point going into the Monday night game.

Miami, after roaring out to a 6-0 start, lost their last 4 games and 7 of their last 9.

New York clinched the Wild Card spot with a 54-41 win over Pennington. With Miami's loss, the Griffons would have captured the Wild Card spot whether they had won or lost this week.

The Griffons will travel to Richmond to play the Raptors while the defending champion SC Bandits will travel to LA to play the Riot! The winners of these two games will meet Christmas weekend in Fantasy Bowl II. Home teams in the playoffs this weekend will enjoy a 3 1/2 point home field advantage.

The Butler Blowfish and the Big Virginia Bang both clinched berths in the consolation bracket with wins this weekend. VA (6-9) beat out Pennington and Pittsburgh for the final slot on a tiebreaker of total points. Miami will get a bye this week and face the winner of the BR vs. VA game for the consolation champion-

## 1993 FINAL STANDINGS

COASTAL	W	L	T	PF*	PA*	DIV	HME	STRK	NEXT GAME
☼ Los Angeles Riot	13	2	0	719(1)	506(10)	6-0	6-1	Won 3	vs. State College
☼☼ New York Griffons	10	5	0	506(7)	445(12)	4-2	6-1	Won 2	at Richmond
Pennington Penetrators	6	9	0	445(9)	620(2)	1-5	3-4	Lost 3	season done
New Jersey Kings	5	10	0	526(6)	597(3)	1-5	4-3	Lost 2	season done
CENTRAL	W	L	T	PF*	PA*	DIV	HME	STRK	NEXT GAME
☼ State College Bandits	10	5	0	606(4)	523(9)	3-3	6-1	Won 1	at Los Angeles
Butler Blowfish	7	8	0	536(5)	537(8)	2-4	3-4	Won 2	vs. Virginia
Pittsburgh Pachyderms	6	9	0	431(11)	467(11)	4-2	3-4	Lost 1	season done
Pennsylvania Wildcats	4	11	0	435(10)	658(1)	3-3	4-3	Lost 2	season done
SOUTHERN	W	L	T	PF*	PA*	DIV	HME	STRK	NEXT GAME
☼ Richmond Rattlin' Raptors	10	5	0	689(2)	554(6)	4-2	6-1	Won 2	vs. New York
Miami Muffdivers	8	7	0	610(3)	588(4)	3-3	4-3	Lost 4	BYE WEEK
Big Virginia Bang	6	9	0	455(8)	547(7)	3-3	5-2	Won 4	at Butler
Dallas Armadillos	5	10	0	399(12)	561(5)	1-5	2-5	Lost 2	season done

☼ CLINCHED DIVISION TITLE ☼☼ CLINCHED WILD CARD BERTH

\*Points For does NOT include home team bonus points. Points Against INCLUDES home team bonus points.

## STAT SHEET

### \*\*Cumulative Season Statistics

Quarterback:	<b>HIGH</b>	<b>LOW</b>
Running Backs:	(160) NJ Kings	(36) VA Big Bang
Receivers:	(316) MI Muffdivers	(55) DS Armadillos
Kicker:	(257) BR Blowfish	(80) PG Pachyderms
	(125) LA Riot!	(60) PA Wildcats

### \*\*Regular Season Records

*Team Score:	(97) NJ Kings - wk11	(0) PN Penetrators - wk4
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2 Running Backs:	(23) NJ Kings - wk12
3 Running Backs:	(54) RD Raptors - wk14
3 Receivers:	(45) LA Riot - wk1
4 Receivers:	(46) BR Blowfish - wk 8
Quarterback:	(32) Young/NJ-wk13
RB Individual:	(35) Moore/RD-wk14
WR Individual:	(35) Rice/NJ-wk11
Kicker:	(22) Carney/MI-wk1

\* Home team bonus pts. not included; \*\* Only FFL starters qualify

## TIES RECORD

(-4) Erickson/VA-wk6

(-2) Lowery/VA-wk2

Lohmiller/PA;Christie/PG-wk15

### \*\*ALL-TIME FANTASY LEAGUE RECORDS

*Team Score:	<b>HIGH</b>	<b>LOW</b>
	(97) NJ ('93)-wk11	(0) PN ('93)-wk4
2 Running Backs:		(-2) PG ('92)-wk17
3 Running Backs:	(32) RD ('92)-wk8	
3 Receivers:	(63) RD ('92)-wk3	
4 Receivers:	(45) LA ('93)-wk1	
Quarterback:	(54) NJ ('92)-wk7	
RB Individual:	(32) NJ/Young ('93)-wk13	(-4) VA/Erickson ('93)-wk6
WR Individual:	(35) T-RD/Moore ('93)-wk14; RD/Metcalf ('92)-wk3	
Kicker:	(35) T-NJ/Rice ('93)-wk11; NY/Irvin ('92)-wk3	
	(22) MI/Carney ('93)-wk	(-3) VA/Ruzek ('92)-wk8
		DS/Willis ('92)-wk10

# Week 15 Game Summaries

## RD Raptors 68, MI Muffdlvers 49

Leroy Thompson's 2 Monday night touchdowns propelled the Raptors to the Southern Division title. Richmond trailed Miami 49-48 going into the Monday night game. Richmond had Thompson and kicker Gary Anderson in the Mon. night tilt, while Miami sent TE Eric Green onto the field.

The Raptors finish the regular season with three of the four highest point producers this season: John Elway, Emmitt Smith and Jerry Rice (Steve Young is #1). The injury to Barry Sanders was a big reason why Miami lost their last 4 games of the season.

## LA Riot! 55, NJ Kings 42

The Riot! had another huge weekend from kicker Eddie Murray who had field goals of 46, 51 and 52 yards for the Cowboys. LA racked up the second-highest point total of the week despite starting Barry Foster, who was a last-minute no-go for the Steelers on Monday night.

The Kings, needing a win to make the consolation bracket, sent 4 Dolphins on the field Monday night but still came up short. One must wonder if Jerry Rice could have provided a key win during the last month that might have pushed NJ into the playoffs.

## SC Bandits 39, PA Wildcats 10

The Bandits defeat the Wildcats for the first time in franchise history, with Andre Rison providing the big push for the Bandits.

The Wildcats, needing a loss to ensure the #1 draft pick, sent out the practice squad. The Wildcats bench players this week (Aikman, Hampton, Brown, et. al.) would have scored 56 points. K Chip Lohmiller, in his last game in a Wildcat uniform, tied the season low for a kicker at -2.

## NY Griffons 54, PN Penetrators 41

New York came 5 yards short (Harold Green, 45 yards) of having all 8 starters score, which would have been a first for any team this year. The Griffons, behind recent wire acquisition RBs Derek Moore and Scotty Graham, scored the team's highest RB total of the year.

The Penetrators, who needed a win to ensure a consolation bracket spot, lost the tiebreaker for the final consolation playoff spot despite having beaten both of the other teams tied with the same 6-9 record.

## VA Big Bang 33, DS Armadillos 19

Virginia won their fourth consecutive game to clinch the final spot in the consolation bracket by virtue of their overall point total. TE Shannon Sharpe's three TDs provided over half of the scoring for the Big Bang. Rookie RB Terry Kirby continues to impress, chipping in a 100+ yard receiving night Monday for the Dolphins.

Dallas has, for all intents and purposes, nailed down the #2 draft pick. The Armadillos, 3 wins better than they were last year, will look to improve even more with 6 draft picks in the first 3 rounds.

## BR Blowfish 42, PG Pachyderms 12

Butler nails down a spot in the consolation bracket with an impressive win over the roller-coaster Pachyderms. The Blowfish had a solid across-the-board performance as rookie QB Rick Mirer threw for one TD and ran in another, RB Herschel Walker caught over 100 yards and K Morten Anderson added 8 points. The Pachyderms won games this year with 49, 51, and 76 points and followed those weeks, respectively, with losses where they scored 17, 10 and 12.

## TRANSACTIONS: week 15 etc.

● **I LIED:** There WAS a transaction last week that I failed to report:

● New York Griffons dropped RB Ronnie Harmon, da Bolts, and added RB Derek Moore, not the Nits, but Lions nonetheless.

**THIS WEEK'S TRANSACTIONS** (these are the last transactions of the year):

● New York dropped RB Derrick Lassic, da Boys, and added RB Scotty Graham, Norsemen.

● Los Angeles dropped TE Keith McKeller, 3-time-chokers, and added TE Pete Metzelaars, 3-time-chokers.

### DEADBEAT REPORT:

Yes, there are still three teams that owe money to the league. There are:

● New Jersey Kings. Zilber owes a \$25 transaction deposit.

● Dallas Armadillos. Paul owes a \$25 transactions deposit.

● Pittsburgh Pachyderms. David and Trz owe a \$25 transaction deposit AND they still owe the additional \$10 league fee to cover the draft teleconference.

**PAY UP!**

### HOW ABOUT THOSE DEALS DOWN THE STRETCH:

Richmond's wheeler-dealer extraordinaire, Chris Lieberman, seems to be the slight favorite for Manager of the Year for his shrewd deals down the stretch on his way to winning the Southern Division. Richmond acquired RBs Leroy Thompson and Ron Moore and WR Jerry Rice. In the last 5 weeks of the season, these three players chipped in 43, 45 and 44 points, respectively. Miami's major deal down the stretch – the acquisition of WR Webster Slaughter – yielded only 13 points for the Muffdlvers.

**THE MEMORIAL BLOWFISH:** OK, here's a great idea that Trz came up with. He's got a rubber blowfish (similar to a rubber duck), and this will be the trophy awarded to the winner of each Pittsburgh vs. Butler game from now on. This is like the Little Brown Jug, and other such rivalry momentos, that are used notably by many Big Ten football teams. We're a fairly creative bunch, so let's see some more rivalry trophies! (I also believe the Blowfish is on display this weekend somewhere in the vicinity of the Fisher-Wackerbarth nuptials. See Trz, Doug or Cathy for a peak.)

**100 CLUB:** Only 6 players are in the 100 point club to date: Steve Young (148), Jerry Rice (141), John Elway (130), Emmitt Smith (128), Andre Rison (124) and Ricky Watters (111).

## Playoff Schedule

**Week 16:** State College Bandits at Los Angeles Riot!  
New York Griffons at Richmond Rattlin' Raptors  
Big Virginia Bang at Butler Blowfish

**Week 17:** Bandits/Riot! winner vs. Griffons/Raptors winner  
Miami vs. Butler/Virginia winner

**Reminder: Everyone has to turn in line-ups all 18 weeks of the NFL season!**

# 1993 Final Results

## COASTAL

### Los Angeles Riot

WK 1 **LA 73**, State College 43  
WK 2 New York 27, **LA 33**  
WK 3 **LA 57**, Butler 16  
WK 4 Richmond 35, **LA 69**  
WK 5 Pennsylvania 41, **LA 50**  
WK 6 **LA 51**, Pennington 18  
WK 7 Miami 57, **LA 58**  
WK 8 **LA 40**, Dallas 20  
WK 9 New Jersey 24, **LA 61**  
WK 10 **LA 47**, Pittsburgh 34  
WK 11 **State College 52**, LA 27  
WK 12 LA 18, **Virginia 28**  
WK 13 **LA 38**, New York 32  
WK 14 Pennington 37, **LA 63**  
WK 15 **LA 55**, New Jersey 42

### New York Griffons

WK 1 **NY 37**, Penna. 33  
WK 2 NY 27, **Los Angeles 33**  
WK 3 NY 26, **Miami 41**  
WK 4 Virginia 17, **NY 33**  
WK 5 Pittsburgh 17, **NY 27**  
WK 6 **NY 40**, New Jersey 36  
WK 7 Dallas 30, **NY 51**  
WK 8 NY 22, **State College 35**  
WK 9 Pennington 36, **NY 56**  
WK 10 **NY 48**, Pennsylvania 20  
WK 11 Butler 14, **NY 18**  
WK 12 NY 34, **Richmond 46**  
WK 13 **Los Angeles 38**, NY 32  
WK 14 New Jersey 8, **NY 17**  
WK 15 **NY 54**, Pennington 41

### New Jersey Kings

WK 1 NJ 57, **Miami 69**  
WK 2 NJ 18, **Pennington 31**  
WK 3 Pittsburgh 7, **NJ 23**  
WK 4 NJ 17, **Miami 42**  
WK 5 NJ 24, **State College 60**  
WK 6 **New York 40**, NJ 36  
WK 7 NJ 17, **Richmond 42**  
WK 8 Virginia 41, **NJ 47**  
WK 9 NJ 24, **Los Angeles 61**  
WK 10 **Dallas 39**, NJ 12  
WK 11 **NJ 97**, Pennsylvania 41  
WK 12 Butler 33, **NJ 64**  
WK 13 Pennington 19, **NJ 61**  
WK 14 NJ 8, **New York 17**  
WK 15 **Los Angeles 55**, NJ 42

### Pennington Penetrators

WK 1 **PN 41**, Dallas 20  
WK 2 New Jersey 18, **PN 31**  
WK 3 **Richmond 61**, PN 41  
WK 4 PN 0, **Dallas 24**  
WK 5 PN 20, **Butler 65**  
WK 6 **Los Angeles 51**, PN 18  
WK 7 **PN 32**, Virginia 13  
WK 8 Pennsylvania 21, **PN 39**  
WK 9 PN 36, **New York 56**  
WK 10 **Miami 75**, PN 40  
WK 11 **PN 29**, Pittsburgh 14  
WK 12 State College 24, **PN 42**  
WK 13 PN 19, **New Jersey 61**  
WK 14 PN 37, **Los Angeles 63**  
WK 15 **New York 54**, PN 41

## CENTRAL

### Butler Blowfish

WK 1 **BR 52**, Virginia 36  
WK 2 **BR 29**, Virginia 25  
WK 3 **Los Angeles 57**, BR 16  
WK 4 BR 26, **State College 40**  
WK 5 Pennington 20, **BR 65**  
WK 6 BR 27, **Pennsylvania 36**  
WK 7 **Pittsburgh 56**, BR 24  
WK 8 **BR 57**, Miami 36  
WK 9 Dallas 30, **BR 65**  
WK 10 **Richmond 46**, BR 38  
WK 11 BR 14, **New York 18**  
WK 12 BR 33, **New Jersey 64**  
WK 13 **State College 34**, BR 24  
WK 14 Pennsylvania 27, **BR 45**  
WK 15 **BR 42**, Pittsburgh 12

### State College Bandits

WK 1 SC 43, **Los Angeles 73**  
WK 2 **SC 25**, Richmond 21  
WK 3 **SC 51**, Dallas 27  
WK 4 Butler 26, **SC 40**  
WK 5 New Jersey 24, **SC 60**  
WK 6 SC 15, **Pittsburgh 31**  
WK 7 SC 28, **Pennsylvania 33**  
WK 8 New York 22, **SC 35**  
WK 9 Miami 31, **SC 67**  
WK 10 Virginia 56, **SC 63**  
WK 11 **SC 52**, Los Angeles 27  
WK 12 SC 24, **Pennington 42**  
WK 13 **SC 34**, Butler 24  
WK 14 **Pittsburgh 76**, SC 51  
WK 15 Pennsylvania 10, **SC 39**

### Pennsylvania Wildcats

WK 1 PA 33, **New York 37**  
WK 2 **Miami 42**, PA 40  
WK 3 Virginia 43, **PA 48**  
WK 4 PA 33, **Pittsburgh 49**  
WK 5 PA 41, **Los Angeles 50**  
WK 6 Butler 27, **PA 36**  
WK 7 State College 28, **PA 33**  
WK 8 PA 21, **Pennington 39**  
WK 9 PA 19, **Richmond 60**  
WK 10 **New York 48**, PA 20  
WK 11 **New Jersey 97**, PA 41  
WK 12 PA 35, **Dallas 41**  
WK 13 Pittsburgh 13, **PA 19**  
WK 14 PA 27, **Butler 45**  
WK 15 PA 10, **State College 39**

### Pittsburgh Pachyderms

WK 1 PG 31, **Richmond 32**  
WK 2 **Dallas 32**, PG 22  
WK 3 PG 7, **New Jersey 23**  
WK 4 Pennsylvania 33, **PG 49**  
WK 5 PG 17, **New York 27**  
WK 6 State College 15, **PG 31**  
WK 7 **PG 56**, Butler 24  
WK 8 Richmond 28, **PG 51**  
WK 9 PG 10, **Virginia 46**  
WK 10 **Los Angeles 47**, PG 34  
WK 11 **Pennington 29**, PG 14  
WK 12 **PG 29**, Miami 19  
WK 13 PG 13, **Pennsylvania 19**  
WK 14 **PG 76**, State College 51  
WK 15 **Butler 42**, PG 12

## SOUTHERN

### Big Virginia Bang

WK 1 VA 36, **Butler 52**  
WK 2 **Butler 29**, VA 25  
WK 3 VA 43, **Pennsylvania 48**  
WK 4 VA 17, **New York 33**  
WK 5 Dallas 20, **VA 30**  
WK 6 VA 5, **Miami 32**  
WK 7 **Pennington 32**, VA 13  
WK 8 VA 41, **New Jersey 47**  
WK 9 Pittsburgh 10, **VA 46**  
WK 10 VA 56, **State College 63**  
WK 11 VA 25, **Richmond 82**  
WK 12 Los Angeles 18, **VA 28**  
WK 13 Richmond 37, **VA 40**  
WK 14 Miami 25, **VA 38**  
WK 15 **VA 33**, Dallas 19

### Richmond Rattlin' Raptors

WK 1 **RD 32**, Pittsburgh 31  
WK 2 **State College 25**, RD 21  
WK 3 **RD 61**, Pennington 41  
WK 4 RD 35, **Los Angeles 69**  
WK 5 RD 37, **Miami 46**  
WK 6 **RD 52**, Dallas 35  
WK 7 New Jersey 17, **RD 42**  
WK 8 RD 28, **Pittsburgh 51**  
WK 9 Pennsylvania 19, **RD 60**  
WK 10 **RD 46**, Butler 38  
WK 11 Virginia 25, **RD 82**  
WK 12 New York 34, **RD 46**  
WK 13 RD 37, **Virginia 40**  
WK 14 Dallas 34, **RD 63**  
WK 15 Miami 49, **RD 68**

### Miami Muffdivers

WK 1 **MI 69**, New Jersey 57  
WK 2 **MI 42**, Pennsylvania 40  
WK 3 New York 26, **MI 41**  
WK 4 New Jersey 17, **MI 42**  
WK 5 Richmond 37, **MI 46**  
WK 6 Virginia 5, **MI 32**  
WK 7 MI 57, **Los Angeles 58**  
WK 8 **Butler 57**, MI 36  
WK 9 MI 31, **State College 67**  
WK 10 **MI 75**, Pennington 40  
WK 11 **MI 35**, Dallas 16  
WK 12 **Pittsburgh 29**, MI 19  
WK 13 **Dallas 33**, MI 31  
WK 14 MI 25, **Virginia 38**  
WK 15 MI 49, **Richmond 68**

### Dallas Armadillos

WK 1 DS 20, **Pennington 41**  
WK 2 **DS 32**, Pittsburgh 22  
WK 3 **State College 51**, DS 27  
WK 4 Pennington 0, **DS 24**  
WK 5 DS 20, **Virginia 30**  
WK 6 **Richmond 52** DS 35  
WK 7 DS 30, **New York 51**  
WK 8 **Los Angeles 40**, DS 20  
WK 9 DS 30, **Butler 65**  
WK 10 **DS 39**, New Jersey 12  
WK 11 **Miami 35**, DS 16  
WK 12 Pennsylvania 35, **DS 41**  
WK 13 **DS 33**, Miami 31  
WK 14 DS 34, **Richmond 63**  
WK 15 **Virginia 33**, DS 19

# Quotable

“

Ying, where did you get that quote? I don't recall saying that to anyone, except maybe my wife. And I doubt if she ratted on me.”

- Butler Blowfish co-owner Doug Weaver, after receiving some flap from Dallas owner Paul Gilgallon about last week's quote, when the Butler owner said he was embarrassed to have the same record as Dallas. The source of the quote, by the way, was the groom.

## Playoffs Preview



**Defending champ SC Bandits (10-5) and the LA Riot! (13-2) make return trips to the Fantasy Bowl playoffs. The teams split in their two previous meetings this season. NY Griffons (10-5) and RD Raptors (10-5) make their first playoff appearances this year. Richmond won the only meeting between these two teams during the regular season.**

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