



DENVER BRONCOS POSTGAME NOTES

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Denver Broncos (4-0) at Tampa Bay Buccaneers (1-3)

Sunday, Oct. 2, 2016 • 4:05 p.m. EDT • Raymond James Stadium

FINAL SCORE: BRONCOS 27, BUCCANEERS 7 • ATTENDANCE: 60,375

BRONCOS IMPROVE TO 4-0 WITH WIN OVER BUCS

The **Denver Broncos (4-0)** became the first NFL team to reach four wins this season with a 27-7 win against the **Tampa Bay Buccaneers (1-3)**. Denver, which is one of three undefeated teams remaining in 2016, is 4-0 for the third time in the last four seasons and the ninth time overall in franchise history.

4-0 STARTS IN BRONCOS HISTORY

Year	Started	Finished	Postseason
1977	6-0	12-2	Super Bowl (2-1)
1986	6-0	11-5	Super Bowl (2-1)
1997	6-0	12-4	S.B. Champion (4-0)
1998	13-0	14-2	S.B. Champion (3-0)
2003	4-0	10-6	Playoffs (0-1)
2009	6-0	8-8	N/A
2013	6-0	13-3	Super Bowl (2-1)
2015	7-0	12-4	S.B. Champion (3-0)
2016	4-0	TBD	TBD

UNDEFEATED TEAMS IN NFL

Team	Record	Score Diff.	This Week
Denver	4-0	+47 (111-64)	W, 27-7 at T.B.
Philadelphia	3-0	+65 (92-27)	Bye
Minnesota	3-0	+24 (64-40)	vs. NYG (Mon.)

TALIB NOTCHES PAIR OF FIRST-HALF INTERCEPTIONS AGAINST FORMER TEAM

Broncos **CB Aqib Talib**, who played his first game in Tampa Bay since beginning his NFL career with the franchise from 2008-12, posted his fourth career multi-interception game and now has 33 career picks to lead all cornerbacks since 2008.

MOST INTs BY A CORNERBACK, NFL, 2008-PRES.

	Player	No.
1.	Aqib Talib	33
2.	Asante Samuel	29
3.	Tramon Williams	28
	Richard Sherman	28
5.	Brent Grimes	26

CB AQIB TALIB'S CAREER MULTI-INTERCEPTION GAMES

Opp. (Date)	INT	Yds.
at Was. (10/4/09)	3	61
at Ari/ (10/31/10)	2	45
vs. NYJ (9/12/13)	2	14
at T.B. (10/2/16)	2	40

BRONCOS ACCOMPLISH RARE WIN STREAK

The Broncos won their sixth consecutive regular-season games dating to last season to become the first team since the 1986 Chicago Bears to win six straight games using four different quarterbacks.

Rookie **QB Paxton Lynch** made his NFL debut to become the fourth quarterback to play during Denver's win streak. He completed 14-of-24 passes (58.3%) for 170 yards with one touchdown (94.1 rtg.)

LAST TWO NFL TEAMS TO WIN SIX CONSECUTIVE GAMES USING FOUR DIFFERENT QUARTERBACKS

Team	Season(s)	Quarterbacks
Chicago	1986	D. Flutie, S. Fuller, J. McMahon, M. Tomczak
Denver	2015-16	P. Manning, B. Osweiler, T. Siemian, P. Lynch

BRONCOS CONTINUE IMPRESSIVE RUN UNDER OWNER PAT BOWLEN

With the win against Tampa Bay, the Broncos passed the NBA's Los Angeles Lakers for the second-highest win percentage among American pro sports franchises during Owner **Pat Bowlen's** tenure (1984-pres.).

TOP WIN PERCENTAGES BY PROFESSIONAL SPORTS TEAMS (SINCE 1984)

	Team	League	W	L	T	Pct.
1.	San Antonio Spurs	NBA	1,631	945	-	.633
2.	Denver Broncos	NFL	316	197	1	.616
3.	Los Angeles Lakers	NBA	1,588	988	-	.616
4.	New England Patriots	NFL	311	203	0	.605
5.	San Francisco 49ers	NFL	309	203	2	.603

SIEMIAN IMPROVES TO 4-0 AS STARTER

Broncos **QB Trevor Siemian** earned his fourth consecutive win to start his career, becoming the first quarterback drafted by the club to win his first four NFL starts with Denver. Siemian completed 5-of-7 passes (71.4%) for 68 yards with one touchdown (141.7 rtg.) before leaving the game with an injury to his left (non-throwing) shoulder.

MOST CONSECUTIVE WINS BY A QUARTERBACK TO START HIS BRONCOS CAREER

	Player	Year(s)	No.
1.	Kyle Orton	2009	6
	Craig Morton	1977	6
3.	Trevor Siemian	2016	4*
	Jake Plummer	2003	4
	Bubby Brister	1998	4
		1976,	
6.	Craig Penrose	'78	3*
	Brock Osweiler	2015	3*

**first NFL starts*

WOLFE POSTS CAREER HIGH IN SACKS

Denver **DE Derek Wolfe** posted a career-high 2.5 sacks against Tampa Bay and now has at least a half sack in 11 of his last 14 games dating to last season.

DE DEREK WOLFE'S LAST 14 GAMES

Opp. (Date)	Sacks	Opp. (Date)	Sacks
at Chi. (11/22/15)	1.0	vs. N.E. (1/24/16)	1.0
vs. N.E. (11/29/15)	1.0	vs. Car. (2/7/16)	0.5
at S.D. (12/6/15)	-	vs. Car. (9/8/16)	-
vs. Oak. (12/13/15)	1.0	vs. Ind. (9/18/16)	1.5
at Pit. (12/20/15)	0.5	at Cin. (9/25/16)	-
vs. Cin. (12/28/15)	1.0	at T.B. (10/2/16)	2.5
vs. S.D. (1/3/16)	1.0	Total	12.0
vs. Pit. (1/17/16)	1.0		

MISCELLANEOUS GAME NOTES

* - Denver's game captains were **WR Emmanuel Sanders** (offense), **CB Chris Harris Jr.** (defense) and **ILB Zaire Anderson** (special teams).

* - The Broncos posted three takeaways (2 INTs, 1 FF) through two quarters to mark the first time posting three takeaways in the first half since Week 2 of last season (2 FUM, 1 INT at K.C., 9/17/15).

* - Broncos **RB C.J. Anderson** rushed for 49 yards and one touchdown on 19 carries to bring his career total to 1,859 yards and pass **RB Ronnie Hillman** into 13th place on the team's all-time rushing list.

* - Denver **WR Demaryius Thomas** (6-94, TD) now has 6,952 career receiving yards to pass **WR Lionel Taylor** into third place on the team's all-time receiving yardage list.

* - The Broncos held Tampa Bay to -4 yards of total offense in the third quarter.