

Pork Butt Weekly Write-Up

Intro

Week twelve of the NFL had some great close games. In Green Bay, the Packers rightfully managed an injured 49ers team. Over in Washington the Cowboys pieced together a win against the Commanders, even though they tried to lose it late, they held on. Up in Chicago the Vikings and Bears went to overtime to settle their game as the Vikings kicked a field goal and walked away with a close victory. Out on the West coast the Seahawks remained relevant with a home victory against the Cardinals. The Broncos visited Las Vegas to play the Raiders, and left with house money as the Raiders were not able to secure the victory. The G-men showed how bad they really are as they mustered six points against the Bucs and remained at the bottom of the NFL standings. No need to talk about the Jets other than they were on bye.

Game of the Week

Brandon v Dino

This matchup gave us two teams that are fighting for the playoffs, and a possible three seed. Dino needed the win to keep his slim playoff hopes alive, Brandon needed the win to move up the standings and get a higher seeding. I am not sure what happened to Brandon's team, he was projected to win, had the right guys in the lineup, but the team simply did not perform. Up and down the lineup was a bunch of lackluster scoring. Dino, not one to miss an opportunity, pounced on the flailing, and cruised to victory 123-71, keeping his playoff chances alive going into the final week of the season.

Matchups

Dave vs Andrew

Andrew was firmly seated as the spoiler in this game, and he accepted the role. He took off to a big lead, and never looked back. With Andrew winning this game he jeopardized Dave's playoff hopes as he continues to ride the losing streak, currently at four games. The final game is Andrew 142.5-98.5

Jake vs Jason

This matchup I thought Jason was going to remain hot and take the win and lock up the three seeds. However, Jake found some magic in the replacements, and finished with the win 145-123, keeping his playoff hopes alive.

Mike vs Sky

This matchup was close at the half, and Mike had a chance to mount a comeback, until the third quarter and Barkley got up and took the field. Mike was laying spoiler in this game, but he was not able to achieve that title, Sky takes the dub, 162.5-104.

Josh vs Rich

Implementing the tactic of tanking, by a team in this matchup, they missed their flight and were not able to post a lineup. Rich cruises to victory 122-0.

'Mish Picks

| AWAY | HOME | PICK | RESULT |
|---------|--------|---------|--------|
| Dave | Andrew | Dave | Andrew |
| Jake | Jason | Jason | Jake |
| Brandon | Dino | Brandon | Dino |
| Mike | Sky | Sky | Sky |
| Josh | Rich | Rich | Rich |

Record: 10-5

Man, if taking a beating was a thing, I certainly felt it as this week was a rough one as I took more losses than wins due to the upsets.

Playoffs

If the playoffs start today, here are the top six teams. They are listed in ranking order.

#1 Rich

#2 Sky

#3 Jake

#4 Dave

#5 Jason

#6 Dino

Path to the Playoffs

There are too many scenarios to list as we have five teams sitting at 6-6, and those teams are fighting for the last four playoff spots. This will be easier to talk about as we get closer to the end of the week.

The Sack

Nothing has changed for the race to the bottom, as Andrew leads the way to get fitted for The Sack.

- Josh
- Andrew

Toppers

| POS | NAME | POINTS |
|------|---------|--------|
| QB | Daniels | 32 |
| RB | Barkley | 45 |
| WR | Addison | 30 |
| TE | Kittle | 20 |
| FLEX | McBride | 25 |
| D/ST | Texans | 26 |
| K | Elliot | 13 |
| TEAM | Sky | 163 |

Bottoms

| POS | NAME | POINTS |
|------|----------------------------|--------|
| QB | Smith | 10 |
| RB | Stevenson & Robinson Jr | 3 |
| WR | Watson | 0 |
| TE | Njoku | 3 |
| FLEX | Johnston | 0 |
| D/ST | Rams | 4.5 |
| K | Moody, Boswell, and Aubrey | 4 |
| TEAM | Brandon | 71 |

Top Offenses

| RANK | TEAM | POINTS | WEEKLY AVG |
|------|---------|--------|------------|
| 1 | Rich | 1704 | 142 |
| 2 | Sky | 1624 | 135.33 |
| 3 | Jake | 1538 | 128.16 |
| 4 | Jason | 1519 | 126.5 |
| 5 | Dino | 1466 | 122.16 |
| 6 | Brandon | 1464 | 122 |
| 7 | Dave | 1412 | 117.66 |
| 8 | Andrew | 1374 | 114.5 |
| 9 | Mike | 1321 | 110 |
| 10 | Josh | 1228 | 102.33 |

Draft Order

1. Andrew
2. Josh
3. Mike
4. Brandon
5. Dino
6. Dino (via Jason)
7. Dave
8. Jake
9. Sky
10. Rich

Final Handy

The final week of The Stretch, which is also Rivalry week. Five teams battle for the last four spots as the playoffs start next week. Several teams are heating up while a couple are figuring out what being cold means to a playoff run. Let us head into the final week so we can move onto the next step, Round 1 of the playoffs! With that, may your beer be cold, Karma finds you today, and fuck your team....'mish out.