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NFC Central Division Pre-Season											
Team	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
Green Bay	4	0	0	1.000	99	30	2-0-0	2-0-0	4-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
Minnesota	2	2	0	500	68	88	1-0-0	1-2-0	1-2-0	1-0-0	0-0-0
Chicago	2	2	0	500	73	78	1-0-0	1-2-0	1-2-0	1-0-0	0-0-0
Detroit	1	2	0	333	63	72	1-1-0	0-1-0	0-2-0	1-0-0	0-0-0
Tampa Bay	1	2	0	333	44	47	1-1-0	0-1-0	1-0-0	0-2-0	0-0-0

Saturday, July 26: Minnesota 28-Seattle 26; Green Bay 20-Miami 0; Pittsburgh 30-Chicago 17

Thursday, July 31: Green Bay 7-New England 3; Detroit 20-Atlanta 17; Chicago 20-Buffalo 17 (ot); Washington 20-Tampa Bay 8; Minnesota 24-St. Louis 6

Friday, August 8: Green Bay 37-Oakland 24; Cincinnati 27-Detroit 23; Atlanta 17-Tampa Bay 12; Buffalo 19-Minnesota 3; Miami 21-Chicago 14

Saturday, August 16: Green Bay 35-Buffalo 3; Cincinnati 37-Minnesota 13; Tampa Bay 24-Miami 10; Chicago 22-Arizona 10; Pittsburgh 28-Detroit 20

Friday, August 22: New York Jets vs Tampa Bay at the Citrus Bowl in Orlando 7:30p; New York Giants vs. Green Bay in Madison 8p; San Diego at Minnesota 8p; New Orleans at Chicago 8:30p

THE GILBERT COUNTY JAIL

Gilbert Brown, the 350 pound defensive tackle for the Green Bay Packers, was arrested after allegedly pushing his live-in girlfriend over a couch during an argument at their town of Hobart home. The woman called police so she could get her things and leave, but did not file charges. Brown was arrested after deputies discovered a bruise on her arm. The Packers tackle was taken into custody and spent about five minutes in the Brown County Jail before posting a \$150 bond. Just one more arrest and Brown will be eligible to become a member of the Dallas Cowboys.

A \$20,000 QUARTERBACK SACK

The NFL fined Carolina Panthers linebacker Lamar Lanthon \$20,000 for his helmet hit to the face mask of Kansas City quarterback Rick Gannon in last Thursday's exhibition game. The hit left Gannon woozy and spitting blood while trainers attended to his lacerated tongue and a chipped tooth. The same fine was levied against Denver Broncos linebacker Bill Romanowski following his hit to the mask of Panthers QB Kerry Collins earlier this month. That collision fractured Collins' jaw in two places.

Just three additional illegal hits and both Lanthon and Romanowski will be eligible to join up with the Cowboys.

REDSKINS VS. REDSKINS

Washington Redskins receiver Michael Westbrook will face a fine, suspension or both following a bloody attack on one of his own teammates last Tuesday. Apparently, Westbrook hit Redskins running back Stephen Davis in the face, and when he fell to the ground, Westbrook hit him several times in the back of the head. While Davis lay on the practice field face down and bleeding, Westbrook was ordered off the field immediately by coach Norv Turner who also told television crews to turn off their cameras. It was unclear what may of prompted the incident.

Just two more such assaults and guess what? Westbrook becomes eligible to become a Cowboy.

COWBOYS DO MORE THAN TALK TRASH

On the final night of training camp at St. Edward's University in near-by Austin, several members of the Dallas Cowboys took part in trashing the school's dormitory. Building officials found the recently installed surveillance cameras ripped down, water saturated the carpet, ceiling panels were punched out and in one area of the hall, there was an obvious stench of urine.

Just four more such incidents and those players who took part in the school vandalism will be eligible to become... Oops. They're already Cowboys. Never mind.

FAVRE GOES TO THE BAR

Like the Reggie White candy bar that was introduced in 1993, the Brett Favre bar was unveiled in Green Bay Wednesday. It will sell for a buck and be available through fund-raising groups as well as retail outlets in Wisconsin.

It's not sacked with peanuts like the Reggie bar, but Brett says his caramel and milk chocolate bar is hard to pass up.

A FEW IMPORTANT NOTES

---Just a reminder that come the regular season, CFGBPB members won't have to compete for bar space with One Eyed Jack's regular weekend evening crowd. It got to be a bit crowded because of the pre-season schedule which allowed Friday and Saturday night games. One Eyed Jack's will also have additional tables and chairs that will be set up to accommodate additional Packers fans. One Eyed Jack's will also be one of the few sports bars in the country to feature the play-by-play audio of Jim Irwin and Max McGee. ---If you have already signed up as a member of the **Central Florida Green Bay Packer Backers**, make sure to pick up your membership card during one of the next Packers games at One Eyed Jack's in downtown Orlando. The card will make you eligible for Packer-prizes to be given away throughout the season along with discounts at area businesses. An updated list will be available soon. ---Tampa tailgate and game tickets should be ready for pick-up in about a month.