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METLIFE STADIUM

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## GIANTS VS. JETS

The New York Giants will host the New York Jets this Saturday for the 52nd meeting between the two teams in a preseason series that began in 1969. Last year, the NFL preseason was canceled due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The previous preseason meeting between the two teams was in 2019 and resulted in a 31-22 Giants victory.

From 1984-2020, both organizations were the only teams in the league to share a stadium at the same time. The intra-city rivalry is called the MetLife Bowl. The series is currently tied, 25-25-1. The lone tie occurred in 1972.

The Giants were 4-0 in their last preseason (2019). They were 6-10 in the 2020 regular season, the first under Head Coach Joe Judge.

## GIANTS PRESEASON BY THE NUMBERS

**Overall Record:** 156-163-6

**Undefeated Seasons:** 6 (2019, 2014, 2006, 1990, 1985, 1973)

**Last Preseason (2019, 4-0):**

Date	Giants	Opp.
8/8	Jets	31 22 (W)
8/16	Chicago	32 13 (W)
8/22	@Cincinnati	25 23 (W)
8/29	@New England	31 29 (W)

**MetLife Stadium Preseason Record:** 15-10

## BIG BLUE BREAKDOWN

**3,563**

Saquon Barkley enters 2021 with 3,563 yards from scrimmage, ranking second behind Odell Beckham Jr. (4,169) for the most yards from scrimmage by a Giants player in their first three seasons with the team.

**423**

Daniel Jones' 423 rushing yards in 2020 was second on the team and the record for a Giants quarterback in the Super Bowl era.

**32**

Graham Gano converted 32-of-33 field goals (96.9 percent) in 2020, including a streak of 30-consecutive field goals made from Weeks 2-17.

**18**

James Bradberry finished tied-for-second in the NFL with 18 passes defensed in 2020, en route to his first-career Pro Bowl selection.

**16.7**

From 2018-20, Kenny Golladay's 16.7 yards per reception average led all players in the NFL with at least 150 receptions.

**11.5**

Leonard Williams led the team in 2020 with 11.5 sacks, which was his single-season career high. His 11.5 sacks were the most by a Giants player since Jason Pierre-Paul's 14.5 in 2014.

## GIANTS-JETS REGULAR SEASON BREAKDOWN

**Series Meetings:** 14

**Giants' Overall Record:** 8-6

**Home:** 3-4

**Away:** 5-2

**First Game:** Giants 22 at Jets 10 (11/01/1970)

**Last Game:** Jets 34 vs. Giants 27 (11/10/2019)

**Giants Shutouts:** None

**Jets Shutouts:** None

**Giants Total Points:** 372

**Jets Total Points:** 273

**Most Points, Giants:** 41; Giants 41 vs. Jets 28 (12/05/1999)

**Most Points, Jets:** 34; Jets 34 vs. Giants 27 (11/10/2019)

**Most Points, Both Teams:** 69; Giants 41 vs. Jets 28 (12/05/1999)

**Fewest Points, Both Teams:** 16; Jets 10 at Giants 6 (10/31/1993)

## KEY CONNECTIONS



After being selected with the 6th overall pick by the Jets in the 2015 NFL Draft, Giants DL **Leonard Williams** went on to play in 71 games for the team from 2015-19. Williams was traded from the Jets to the Giants in 2019 and was just the second ever consummated trade between the two teams (Chris Foote in 1983).

Giants CB **Sam Beal** and Jets WR **Corey Davis** were teammates at Western Michigan from 2015-16. The duo helped lead the Broncos to their best season in program history in 2016 when they went 13-1, earning a Cotton Bowl appearance.



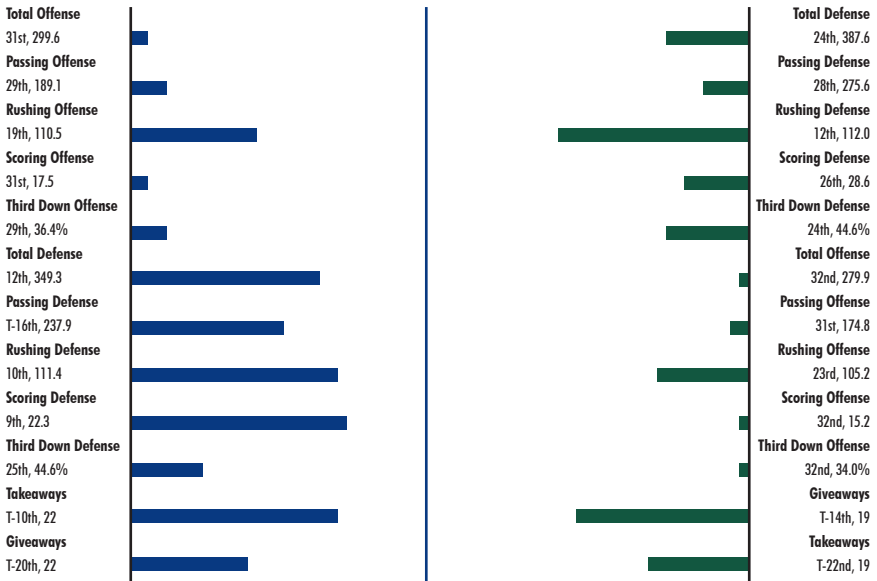
Giants Defensive Backs Coach **Jerome Henderson** played in 29 games for the Jets from 1997-98 and also coached with the team when he served as the director of player development (2006-07), assistant defensive backs coach (2007) and defensive backs coach (2008).

Giants OL **Brett Heggie** will go against a familiar face in Jets DL **Jabari Zuniga** as the two were teammates at Florida from 2016-19.





# 2020 STATS MATCH-UP



## GIANTS PRESEASON RECORDS

### SINGLE-GAME RECORDS [SINCE 2000]

#### PASSING (GAME)

Player	Opp.	Date	Yards
1 Kerry Collins	at NYJ	8/18/00	275
2t Kyle Lauletta	at NE	8/29/19	247
2t Jesse Palmer	HOU	8/5/02	247
4 Ryan Nassib	JAX	8/22/15	217
5 Ryan Nassib	NE	9/1/16	210

#### RUSHING (GAME)

Player	Opp.	Date	Yards
1 Brandon Jacobs	NE	8/31/06	130
2 Ron Dayne	KC	8/13/04	118
3 Da'Rel Scott	at NE	9/1/11	114
4 Da'Rel Scott	CHI	8/22/11	97
4t Danny Ware	CLE	8/18/08	97

#### RECEIVING (GAME)

Player	Opp.	Date	Yards
1 Ike Hilliard	NYJ	8/23/03	150
2 Victor Cruz	at NYJ	8/16/10	145
3 Hakeem Nicks	NYJ	8/29/09	144
4 Jamaar Taylor	BAL	9/2/04	135
5 Jonathan Carter	BAL	9/29/02	128

### SINGLE-SEASON PRESEASON RECORDS [SINCE 2000]

#### PASSING YARDS (PRESEASON)

Player	Year	Yards
1 Jesse Palmer	2002	651
2 Ryan Nassib	2015	611
3 Ryan Nassib	2014	588
4 Rhett Bomar	2010	545
5 Kerry Collins	2000	531

#### RUSHING YARDS (PRESEASON)

Player	Year	Yards
1 Ron Dayne	2004	263
2 Brandon Jacobs	2006	217
3 Da'Rel Scott	2011	213
4 Rashad Jennings	2014	212
5 Ron Dayne	2000	211

#### RECEIVING YARDS (PRESEASON)

Player	Year	Yards
1 Victor Cruz	2010	297
2 Hakeem Nicks	2009	272
3 Jonathan Carter	2002	261
4 Amani Toomer	2000	214
5 James Jones	2015	187

#### TOUCHDOWNS (PRESEASON)

Player	Year	TDs
1 Brandon Jacobs	2006	5
2t Corey Washington	2014	4
2t Victor Cruz	2010	4
2t Ron Dayne	2004	4
5t Four players		3

#### LONGEST FIELD GOALS

Player	Opp.	Date	Yards
1 Aldrick Rosas	at DET	8/17/18	55
2t Mike Nugent	NYJ	8/26/17	54
2t Jay Feely	NYJ	8/26/05	54
4 Josh Brown	JAX	8/22/15	53
5 Aldrick Rosas	PIT	8/11/17	52

#### SACKS (PRESEASON)

Player	Year	Sacks
1t Damontre Moore	2014	4.0
1t Adewale Ojomo	2012	4.0
3t Damontre Moore	2015	3.5
3t Matt Broha	2012	3.5
3t Mathias Kiwanuka	2006	3.5

#### TOTAL TACKLES (PRESEASON)

Player	Year	Tackles
1 Nick Griesen	2002	25
2 Uani Unga	2015	24
3t Mark Herzlich	2013	21
3t Travonti Johnson	2009	21
3t Corey Webster	2005	21
3t Dhani Jones	2001	21

#### INTERCEPTIONS (PRESEASON)

Player	Year	INTs
1t Donte Deayon	2018	2
1t Zackary Bowman	2014	2
1t Antrel Rolle	2010	2
1t Corey Webster	2010	2
1t Corey Webster	2005	2
1t Clarence LeBlanc	2002	2
1t Williams James	2002	2

#### PASSES DEFENSED (PRESEASON)

Player	Year	PDs
1t Ronald Zamort	2019	4
1t Donte Deayon	2018	4
1t Trevin Wade	2015	4
1t Corey Webster	2010	4
1t Shaun Williams	2005	4
1t Will Allen	2005	4

# STADIUM HAPPENINGS

## PRESENTING SPONSOR: METLIFE



Saturday's game is presented by MetLife, the official insurance company of the New York Giants.

MetLife will unveil the two winning art designs from MetLife's Workforce Mural contest prior to the game. The contest, which ran from September to December 2020, was created to honor and celebrate essential workers in the Tri-State area, from first-responders to grocery and delivery workers to small business owners and local restaurants, that continued to support their communities throughout the pandemic. The two art pieces will be featured as large-scale murals on display in the MetLife West Hall. Former Giants wide receiver **Victor Cruz** and Jets linebacker **Bart Scott** will be in attendance at the pregame unveiling.

## GAME DAY HAPPENINGS

### National Anthem

The National Anthem will be performed by **Layla Capers**, Broadway actress and singer.

### Color Guard

Saturday's color guard will feature the **New Jersey State Police**.

## PLAZA ACTIVITIES

### MetLife Gate

The MetLife Gate is a fun-filled fan destination on game day at MetLife Stadium. Fans can participate on the Punt, Pass and Kick Field. Come show us your skills!

### Giants Pregame Radio Show on WFAN

The Giants pregame radio show will air on WFAN 660 AM. The show begins at **6:30 p.m.** Hosts Lance Medow, John Schmeelk, Paul Dotrino and Jeff Feagles will get Giants fans ready for all the action with an in-depth preview of the game.

### Giants Flagship Store Presented by Visa

Stop by the Giants Flagship Store presented by VISA for all the latest fan gear. You'll be able to find gifts galore, apparel for the whole family and fun additions for your tailgate party.

### Giants Legacy Club Presented by Hackensack Meridian Health

Make sure you take time to visit the New York Giants Legacy Club Presented by Hackensack Meridian Health. This team museum is located on the 100 Level Concourse nearest Section 144, just above the MetLife Gate. The Legacy Club is open to all fans, beginning when the stadium gates open through halftime of each Giants home game. Fans can relive the most memorable moments and view artifacts from throughout the team's 95-year history. The busts of the Giants' most celebrated players and personalities are displayed, along with each of the team's Super Bowl trophies and rings.



## WEST MEZZANINE LEVEL CLUB FEATURES

### Sharp Showcase Lounge

Giants Legends **Charles Way\*** and **George Martin\*** will host a Chalk Talk and sign autographs in the Sharp Showcase Lounge from **6:15pm to 7:15pm**.

*\*Player appearances subject to change*



Giants Legend **George Martin** will co-host a Chalk Talk at the Sharp Showcase Lounge on Saturday.

## OUTSIDE THE GATES

### Bud Light Beer Garden

The Bud Light Beer Garden, located outside of the MetLife and Verizon gates, will feature \$5 Budweiser draft beers and great music from **2:30 p.m. to kickoff**.

## THE GIANTS FOUNDATION 50/50 RAFFLE



As the Giants welcome fans back to MetLife Stadium, the New York Giants are excited to announce the return of the 50/50 Raffle initiative to benefit The Giants Foundation, Inc.

At each game, one lucky fan took home half of the raffle jackpot, with the remainder benefiting The Giants Foundation. In total, the generous fans raised more than \$60,000 to benefit the Foundation in 2019.

50/50 Raffle tickets will be sold at all New York Giants home games during the 2021 NFL season. Fans at least 18 years of age or older will be able to purchase 50/50 Raffle tickets from credentialed 50/50 Raffle staff members, who are easily identified in their bright red shirts. 50/50 Raffle tickets will be available for purchase from approximately two (2) hours prior to kickoff until the end of the third quarter. 50/50 Raffle tickets can be purchased by credit card only; no cash or debit cards accepted.

The winning ticket number will be announced during the fourth quarter, and the winning ticketholder does not need to be present to claim the prize.

The 50/50 Raffle is sanctioned by the New Jersey Legalized Games of Chance Control Commission and is licensed by the Borough of East Rutherford. Full rules and regulations can be found at [www.giants.com/5050raffle](http://www.giants.com/5050raffle).