

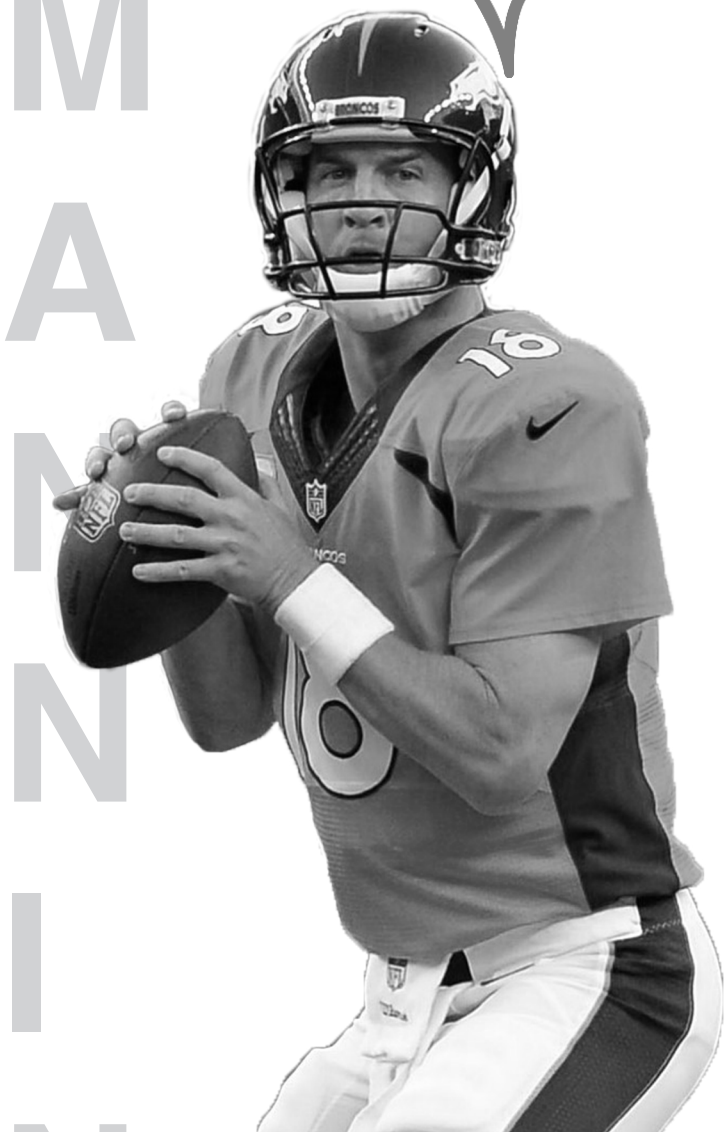
OLD TIMER

MANNING

VS

NEWCOMER

NEWTON



PEYTON MANNING FACTS

Born on March 24, 1976 and is 39 years old

Attended Isidore Newman High School in New Orleans Louisiana

Attended the University of Tennessee, where he is the all-time leading passer, with 11,201 yards and 89 touchdowns

Broke the SEC record for career wins with a 39-6 record as a starter

He was a first-team All-American, Maxwell Award winner, Davy O'Brein Award winner, Johnny Unitas Award winner, and Best College Player ESPY award winner

His number, 16, is retired at Tennessee

Was selected number 1 overall in the 1998 NFL draft by the Indianapolis Colts

Played 13 seasons with the Colts, until a neck injury that cost him the 2011 season

Indianapolis Colts all-time leader (career wins, passing touchdowns, pass attempts, pass completions, passing yards)

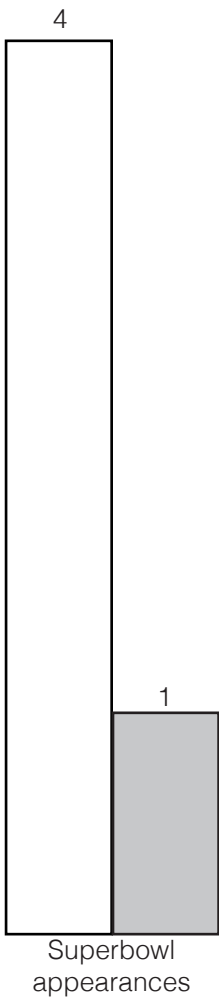
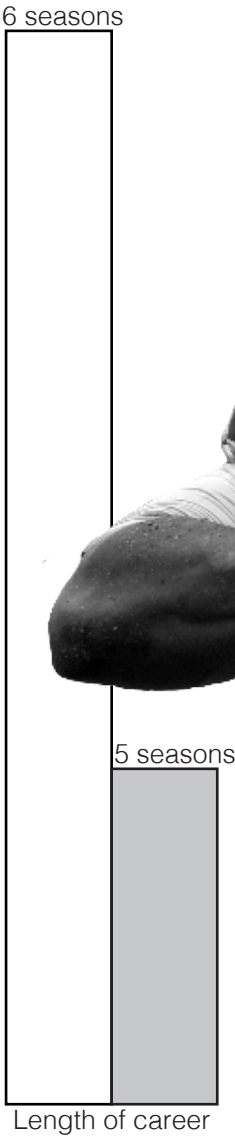
Joined the Denver Broncos in 2012

5 NFL MVP awards (2003, 2004, 2008, 2009, 2013)
Three Super Bowl appearances, fourth coming up (2006, 2009, 2013, 2016) (1-2 record)

Super Bowl XLI MVP

14-time Pro Bowl selection
NFL all-time leader in career touchdown passes and passing yards

Height:
6 foot 5 inches;
Weight:
230 lbs



CAM NEWTON FACTS

Born on May 11, 1989 and is 26 years old.

Attended Westlake High School in Atlanta, Georgia.

Attended the University of Florida and played football from 2007-2008. After being accused of stealing a laptop from another student, he transferred to Blinn College in Texas.

After a successful year at Blinn, he transferred to Auburn University in 2011.

Led Auburn to a victory in the 2011 BCS National Championship over Oregon.

Won the Heisman Trophy and AP College Football Player of the Year Award in 2010.

Was selected first in the 2011 NFL Draft to the Carolina Panthers.

Only modern football player to win the Heisman Trophy, win a college national championship, and become the number 1 overall pick in the NFL draft in a one-year period.

Threw for 400 yards in his first NFL game, shattering Peyton Manning's first game record by 120 yards.

Won NFL Rookie of the Year for 2011

Has been rated 40th, 46th, 24th, and 73rd on the NFL's Top 100 players list

Was selected to the Pro Bowl in 2011, 2013, and 2015

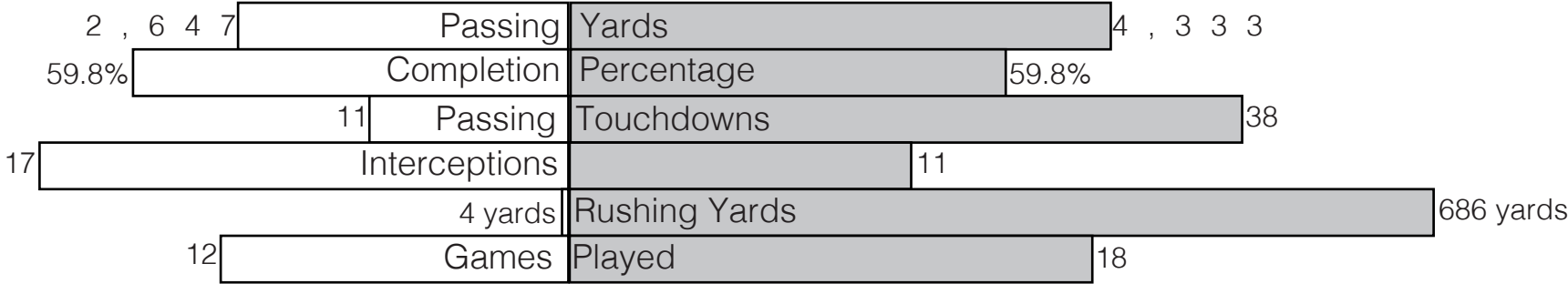
2015 NFL MVP

Height: 6 foot 5 inches; Weight: 245 lbs

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2015 Season Stats



Celebrating 50 years of Super Bowl festivities, the school will be receiving two gold plated footballs from Gober Goodell, Commisioner of the NFL. "I'm really honored that our school is going to be receiving the golden balls," junior Cade Gilbreath said. "I think the award will be a great testimony to the school's tradition of a great football program."

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Golden Balls Galore

White Oak receives golden balls in honor of graduates who played in Super Bowl

Wyatt Smith
Staff Writer

On February 8th, a champion of the NFL will be crowned after a matchup between the Denver Broncos and the Carolina Panthers. The Super Bowl, which pits the champion of the American Football Conference against the champion of the National Football Conference, has been one of the most

anticipated Sundays of the year since 1966.

However, this Super Bowl may hold even more weight in the public mind, because this year marks the 50th anniversary of the game. As a part of the NFL's "On the 50," campaign to celebrate the milestone, a golden ball featuring the name of a player who participated in a Super Bowl has been sent to the high school the player attended. One of the over 3,000 balls sent arrived in White Oak, bearing the name of local legend Byron Hunt.

Hunt played backup linebacker for the historic "Big

Blue Wrecking Crew" New York Giant defense in their 39-20 victory over the Broncos.

Perhaps a more infamous player can be found in that of Max McGee. McGee, the White Oak graduate was drafted by the Packers. He had the opportunity to play for Vince Lombardi in the first ever Super Bowl. Yet, as he only had four receptions on the year, McGee got infamously wasted. He ended up the sleeping in the room of two flight attendants he met at the bar. Despite being barely able to stand for the kickoff, an injury to a starter brought McGee into the game. In turn, he scored the first ever superbowl touchdown.