

SUPER BOWL XLVIII: SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2014

SEATTLE SEAHAWKS–NFC WEST (15-3) AT DENVER BRONCOS–AFC WEST (15-3)

SERIES

	SEAHAWKS	BRONCOS
LEADER (REG. SEASON)		34-18
STREAKS (REG. SEASON)		12 of past 15
COACHES VS. OPP. (REG. & POSTSEASON)	Carroll: 2-3	Fox: 1-3
COACHES PLAYOFF RECORD	5-4	8-5
VS. COMMON OPP. (REG. SEASON)	Sea.: 4-1 (Hou. 1-0; Ind. 0-1; Jax. 1-0; NYG 1-0; Ten. 1-0) Den.: 4-1 (Hou. 1-0; Ind. 0-1; Jax. 1-0; NYG 1-0; Ten. 1-0)	
PLAYOFF RECORD	11-12	20-17
LAST WEEK	W 23-17 vs. 49ers	W 26-16 vs. Patriots
LAST GAME (REG. SEASON)	9/19/10: Seahawks 14 at Broncos 31. Denver QB Kyle Orton passes for 307 yards & 2 TDs. Broncos WR Demaryius Thomas has 8 receptions for 97 yards & TD. Broncos RB Knowshon Moreno adds rushing TD.	
LAST GAME AT SITE (REG. SEASON)	---	
LAST PLAYOFF	12/24/83: Broncos 7 at Seahawks 31. Seattle QB Dave Krieg throws 3 TDs. Seahawks WR Steve Largent has 4 catches for 76 yards & TD. Seahawks defense has 2 INTs.	
BROADCAST	FOX (6:25 PM ET): Troy Aikman, Joe Buck, Erin Andrews & Pam Oliver (Field reporters). Westwood One: Kevin Harlan, Boomer Esiason, James Lofton & Mark Malone (Field reporters).	

REGULAR SEASON STAT LEADERS

PASSING	Wilson: 257-407-3,357-26-9-101.2	Manning: 450-659-5,477 (1L)-55 (1L)-10-115.1 (1C)
RUSHING	Lynch: 301-1,257-4.2-12 (T1L)	Moreno: 241-1,038-4.3-10 (2C)
RECEIVING	Tate: 64-898-14.0-5	D. Thomas: 92-1,430 (3C)-15.5-14 (1C)
OFFENSE	339.0	457.3 (1L)
TAKE/GIVE	+20 (1L)	0
DEFENSE	273.6 (1L)	356.0
SACKS	Bennett: 8.5	Phillips: 10
INTs	Sherman: 8 (1L)	3 tied: 3
PR	Tate: 11.5	Holliday: 8.5
KR	Kearse: 21.8	Holliday: 27.7 (3C)
PUNTING	Ryan: 42.7	Colquitt: 44.5
KICKING	Hauschka: 143 (1C) (44/44 PAT; 33/35 FG)	Prater: 150 (2L) (75/75 PAT; 25/26 FG)

SEAHAWKS: Advanced to 2nd Super Bowl in franchise history (2005). Seek 1st Super Bowl win. Earned NFC's No. 1 seed for 2nd time (2005) since current 12-team format started in 1990...Head coach **PETE CARROLL** is 4-2 in postseason with Seattle...Seahawks had 6 players selected to Pro Bowl: **S KAM CHANCELLOR** (2nd), **RB MARSHAWN LYNCH** (4th), **CB RICHARD SHERMAN** (1st), **S EARL THOMAS** (3rd), **C MAX UNGER** (2nd) & **QB RUSSELL WILSON** (2nd)...**QB Wilson** has 27 wins in 1st 2 seasons (incl. playoffs), tied for most (**BEN ROETHLISBERGER**) in Super Bowl era. Can become 4th QB to win Super Bowl in 1st 2 seasons, joining **KURT WARNER**, **TOM BRADY**, & Roethlisberger. Is 1 of 3 QBs in NFL history with 50+ pass TDs (52) in 1st 2 regular seasons. Had 101.2 passer rating & is only QB in NFL history to have 100+ rating in both rookie & 2nd season. In postseason career, has 3-1 record with 96.9 rating...**RB Lynch** rushed for 1,257 yards & 12 TDs, his 3rd consecutive season with 1,200+ yards & 10+ TDs. Is only NFL player to rush for 1,000+ yards & 10+ TDs in each of past 3 seasons. Is 2013 postseason leader with 249 rush yards & 2 100-yard rush games. In 6 career playoff games, has 6 rush TDs & 4 100-yard games. Has 5 rush TDs in past 4 playoff games & aims for 5th in row with TD. Has 560 rush yards in postseason career & needs 5 to pass **SHAUN ALEXANDER** (564) for

most in franchise history. Since Nov. 2011 (incl. playoffs), leads NFL with 4,215 rush yards & 37 rush TDs...**WR-PR GOLDEN TATE** led team with career-high 64 catches & 898 yards. Was only player with 800+ rec. (898) & 500+ PR (585) yards. **WR DOUG BALDWIN** was 2nd on team with 778 rec. yards. Leads team in catches (8) & rec. yards (136) in postseason. In NFC Champ., had 6 catches for 106 yards & 69-yard KR. Is only player in Super Bowl era with 100+ rec. yards & 50+ yard KR in same playoff game. Tate, Baldwin & **TE ZACH MILLER** all tied for team lead with 5 rec. TDs. **WR JERMAINE KEARSE** had 35-yard TD catch in NFC Champ...Seahawks led NFL with 39 takeaways, 28 INTs & +20 turnover differential. Seattle was 1st in NFL in points allowed (231), total defense (273.6) & pass defense (172)...**CB Sherman** led NFL with 8 INTs, 1st Seahawk to lead NFL in INTs since 1993 (**EUGENE ROBINSON**). Has 4 INTs in past 5. Since entering NFL in 2011, Sherman leads NFL with 20 INTs. Tipped pass that was intercepted by **LB MALCOLM SMITH** for game-sealing INT in NFC Champ. **S Thomas** was 1 of 2 in NFL with 100+ tackles (100), 5+ INTs (5) & 2+ FFs (2). Thomas is only S in past decade to record 100+ tackles, 5+ INTs & 2+ FFs in single season. **S Chancellor** had 93 tackles, his 3rd consecutive seasons with 90+ tackles. Has 25 tackles in postseason, most on team & most in NFL by DB. Had 11 tackles & INT in NFC Champ. Has 4 PD, tied for most in NFL playoffs. **LB BOBBY WAGNER** led team with 119 tackles. Is 2nd on team with 24 postseason tackles. **DE MICHAEL BENNETT** has 2 FFs, 2 FRs & 1.5 sacks in 2013 postseason. **DE CLIFF AVRIL** has 2 FFs & 1.5 sacks in playoffs. Bennett & Avril each had sack & FF in NFC Champ. Bennett also had FR. Since 2011 (incl. playoffs), Avril is only player in NFL with 30+ sacks (30.5) & 15+ FF (15)...**K STEVEN HAUSCHKA** made 33 of 35 FGs in regular season & led NFC with franchise-record 143 points. Has converted all 6 attempts in postseason. Hauschka's 6 FGs & 22 kicking points are both 2nd most in playoffs.

BRONCOS: Advanced to 7th SB, tied for 3rd-most in NFL history (DAL, 8; PIT, 8; NE, 7)...Seek 3rd SB victory...Den. has won past 2 SB appearances (XXXII, XXXIII)...Have 20-17 (.541) postseason record...Earned AFC's No. 1 seed for 2nd consecutive year & 7th time in franchise history...Won AFC West for 13th time & 1st time in 3 straight seasons...**JOHN FOX** is 6th head coach in NFL history to lead 2 different franchises to SB...Den. (606) scored most points in season in NFL history...**QB PEYTON MANNING** will start 3rd SB of career. Completed 56 of 83 passes (67.5 pct.) for 580 yards with 2 TDs vs. 2 INTs & 85.4 rating in previous 2 SB appearances. Manning (6,309) needs 116 pass yards to surpass **TOM BRADY** (6,424) for most postseason pass yards in NFL history. Has (36) 4th-most postseason TD passes all-time. In AFC Championship Game vs. NE, Manning joined **DREW BREES** (twice) & **KURT WARNER** as only QBs to pass for at least 400 yards with 2 TDs vs. 0 INTs in NFL postseason history. Manning is 4th QB in SB era to lead NFL in pass yards & TD passes & also advance to SB that season, joining HOFer **DAN MARINO** (1984), Warner (2001) & Brady (2007) as only QBs to accomplish feat. For career (reg. season only), Manning is 2-2 vs. Seahawks & has completed 83 of 122 passes (68 pct.) for 1,085 yards with 4 TDs vs. 2 INTs & 99.9 passer rating. Manning (5,477) set NFL's single-season passing yards record & registered 55 TD passes, most in season in NFL history. Manning is 1st player to set both single-season passing yardage & TD records in same season since Dan Marino in 1984. With Broncos, Manning is 7-1 vs. NFC & has completed 221 of 306 passes (72.2 pct.) for 2,491 yards with 22 TDs vs. 8 INTs & 109.3 passer rating...**RB KNOWSHON MORENO** (1,038) reached 1,000 rush yards for 1st time in career. Had career-best 13 TDs this season (10 rush, 3 receiving). Rookie **RB MONTEE BALL** has averaged 5.5 yards per carry in past 4 games (36 att., 199 yards)...**WR DEMARYIUS THOMAS** has 4 TDs in 5 career postseason games. Had 7 catches for 134 yards (19.1 avg.) with TD in AFC Championship. Thomas is 1st Bronco to have 2 1,400-yard seasons. Set franchise postseason record with 204 receiving yards on 1/8/12 vs. Pit. Had 8 receptions for 97 yards & 21-yard TD catch in only career game vs. Sea. (9/9/10). **WR WES WELKER** has 79 receptions for 762 yards with 5 TDs in 11 career postseason games. Welker (79) needs 7 catches to surpass **ANDRE REED** (85) for 5th-most catches in NFL playoff history. Has 18 receptions for 163 yards in 2 SBs. **WR ERIC DECKER** had career-high in receptions (87) & receiving yards (1,288) in 2013. Decker & D. Thomas joined HOF **CRIS CARTER** & **RANDY MOSS** (Min., 1998-99) in 2013 as only WR duos in NFL history with at least 1,000 yards & 10 TDs each in consecutive seasons...**TE JULIUS THOMAS** has 14 receptions for 161 yards in 2

career postseason games. Thomas (12) has most TD rec. by Broncos TE in season in franchise history. **TE JACOB TAMME** posted 1st career postseason TD last week. Den. became 1st team in NFL history to have 5 players score at least 10 TDs in same season (D. Thomas 14, Moreno 13, J. Thomas 12, Decker 11 & Welker 10)...**CB CHAMP BAILEY** has 2 career postseason INTs, incl. 100-yard INT-TD return on 1/14/06 vs. NE (tied for 2nd-longest return in postseason history). Baily has 3 INTs in 5 career reg. season games vs. Sea. **CB DOMINIQUE RODGERS-CROMARTIE** played in SB XLIII with Cardinals...**LB DANNY TREVATHAN** led team with career-high 125 tackles this season...**LB SHAUN PHILLIPS** posted 2 sacks in Divisional Playoff vs. SD, most in postseason game in career. Phillips (10) reached double-digits sacks for 3rd time in career...**DT TERRANCE KNIGHTON** had 4 tackles & sack in AFC Championship...Club had 5 players selected to 2014 Pro Bowl (QB Manning, **K MATT PRATER**, WR D. Thomas, TE J. Thomas, **G LOUIS VASQUEZ**).

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