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RAVENS RB JUSTIN FORSETT, JETS S JAIQUAWN JARRETT & CHIEFS FB ANTHONY SHERMAN NAMED AFC PLAYERS OF WEEK 10

Running back **JUSTIN FORSETT** of the Baltimore Ravens, safety **JAIQUAWN JARRETT** of the New York Jets and fullback **ANTHONY SHERMAN** of the Kansas City Chiefs are the AFC Offensive, Defensive and Special Teams Players of the Week for games played in the 10th week of the 2014 season (November 6, 9-10), the NFL announced today.

OFFENSE: RB JUSTIN FORSETT, BALTIMORE RAVENS

- Forsett rushed for 112 yards on 20 carries (5.6 average) and two touchdowns in the Ravens' 21-7 win against Tennessee.
- His two rushing touchdowns, which tied a career-high, provided the Ravens' with their first two scores of the day. With Baltimore trailing 7-0 in the second quarter, Forsett scored on a nine-yard run. Midway through the third quarter, he added an 11-yard touchdown run to provide the Ravens with their first lead of the day.
- Ninety-two of Forsett's season-high 112 rushing yards came in the second half, as he helped Baltimore control the clock. The Ravens maintained a time-of-possession edge of 20:11 to the Titans' 9:49 in the second half.
- Forsett, who had the most rushing yards of any AFC player in Week 10, leads NFL running backs with a 5.4 rushing average this season (721 yards, 133 carries).
- In his seventh season from California, this is Forsett's first career Player of the Week Award.
- Forsett is the second Ravens player to win an Offensive Player of the Week Award this season, joining **JOE FLACCO** (Week 6).

DEFENSE: S JAIQUAWN JARRETT, NEW YORK JETS

- Jarrett posted two interceptions, a fumble recovery, 10 tackles and one sack in the Jets' 20-13 win against Pittsburgh.
- His fumble recovery occurred deep inside Steelers' territory and provided the Jets with possession at the 20-yard line in the first quarter. Five plays later, quarterback **MICHAEL VICK** threw a touchdown pass to rookie tight end **JACE AMARO** to give New York a 17-0 lead.
- Jarrett's two interceptions were the first of his NFL career. He was part of a unit that helped limit Pittsburgh, which averaged 41.3 points per game in the three preceding contests, to 13 points.
- Jarrett is the first NFL player with two interceptions, a sack and a fumble recovery in the same game since **CHARLES WOODSON** on November 26, 2009 against Detroit.
- In his fourth season from Temple, this is Jarrett's first career Player of the Week Award. He is the first Jet to win a Player of the Week Award this season.
- He is the first Jets safety to be named Defensive Player of the Week since 2006 (**KERRY RHODES**, Week 3).

SPECIAL TEAMS: FB ANTHONY SHERMAN, KANSAS CITY CHIEFS

- Sherman forced and recovered a fumble on a punt play while posting three special-teams tackles in the Chiefs' 17-13 win at Buffalo.
- With the Chiefs trailing 13-10 in the fourth quarter, Sherman forced punt returner **LEODIS MC KELVIN** to fumble and recovered it himself at the Bills' 26-yard line. Two plays later, quarterback **ALEX SMITH** scored on an eight-yard touchdown run to complete Kansas City's comeback.
- He contributed two other special-teams tackles, both of which pinned the Bills' inside their own 25-yard line.
- Sherman also started at fullback and helped clear the way for **JAMAAL CHARLES'** 98 rushing yards, which included a 39-yard touchdown in the fourth quarter.
- In his fourth season from Connecticut, this is Sherman's first career Player of the Week Award.
- He is the second Chief to be named Special Teams Player of the Week this season, joining running back-kick returner **KNILE DAVIS** (Week 8).

2014 AFC PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

	<u>Offense</u>	<u>Defense</u>	<u>Special Teams</u>
Wk 1	TE Julius Thomas, Denver	DE Cameron Wake, Miami	K Dan Carpenter, Buffalo
Wk 2	TE Antonio Gates, San Diego	DE Chandler Jones, New England	RB-KR C.J. Spiller, Buffalo
Wk 3	QB Andrew Luck, Indianapolis	DE Corey Liuget, San Diego	K Justin Tucker, Baltimore
Wk 4	RB Jamaal Charles, Kansas City	DE J.J. Watt, Houston	K Nick Novak, San Diego
Wk 5	WR Demaryius Thomas, Denver	DT Marcell Dareus, Buffalo	LB Tank Carder, Cleveland
Wk 6	QB Joe Flacco, Baltimore	DT Jurrell Casey, Tennessee	P Pat McAfee, Indianapolis
Wk 7	QB Peyton Manning, Denver	LB Telvin Smith, Jacksonville	DT Chris Jones, New England
Wk 8	QB Ben Roethlisberger, Pittsburgh	S Louis Delmas, Miami	RB-KR Knile Davis, Kansas City
Wk 9	QB Ben Roethlisberger, Pittsburgh	CB Brent Grimes, Miami	PR-WR Julian Edelman, New England
Wk 10	RB Justin Forsett, Baltimore	S Jaiquawn Jarrett, N.Y. Jets	FB Anthony Sherman, Kansas City

Other nominees for AFC Offensive Player of Week 10 as submitted by AFC clubs:

- Denver quarterback **PEYTON MANNING**, who completed 31 of 44 passes (70.5 percent) for 340 yards with five touchdowns for a 111.9 passer rating in the Broncos' 41-17 win at Oakland.
- New York quarterback **MICHAEL VICK**, who passed for 132 yards and two touchdowns for a 116.0 passer rating and added 39 rushing yards.

Other nominees for AFC Defensive Player of Week 10 as submitted by AFC clubs:

- Buffalo defensive tackle **MARCELL DAREUS**, who had seven tackles and three sacks in the Bills' 17-13 loss against Kansas City.
- Baltimore linebacker **ELVIS DUMERVIL**, who had five tackles and 2.5 sacks.
- Denver linebacker **BRANDON MARSHALL**, who had 13 tackles.
- Kansas City cornerback **RON PARKER**, who had eight tackles and forced a fumble.
- Cleveland cornerback **BUSTER SKRINE**, who had three tackles and two interceptions in the Browns' 24-3 win at Cincinnati.
- Miami defensive end **CAMERON WAKE**, who had two sacks in the Dolphins' 20-16 loss at Detroit.

Other nominee for AFC Special Teams Player of Week 10 as submitted by AFC clubs:

- Baltimore punter **SAM KOCH**, who punted seven times for 317 yards (45.3 average) and placed four inside the 20-yard line.