



SCORESHEET FOOTBALL 2017

All Fantasy Football Games are *NOT* the Same!

Welcome to *Scoresheet Football*, a fantasy game in which you own and operate your own team of NFL players. As a *Scoresheet* owner, you will draft your team, make real trades with other owners in your league, pick up free agents, and decide who plays and who sits each week. Each week you will play **head to head** games against the other teams in your league as you compete for the title.

Before the season begins you will draft individual players from throughout the NFL, putting together your own team. Then, each week of the NFL season, your team will play one game against another team in your league, scoring points based on your players' actual stats from that week's NFL action. As you watch one of your players complete a pass, rush for a big gain, record a sack, or force a fumble, you will know he is also scoring points for your *Scoresheet Football* team.

All fantasy games are not created equal!

At *Scoresheet*, we do not simply give points for touchdowns and yards gained. Instead, we offer a unique fantasy game which reflects virtually everything that happens on the field. You will draft and play **individual defensive players**, earning points for their sacks, interceptions, tackles and assists. To add to the realism, **we also take away points** for incomplete passes and interceptions. Our game also includes subbing for players who are injured or have byes. **We even sub for players who are injured during games!**

No other fantasy game plays at this level. And the best part is that our computer does all the extra stat work to achieve this realism—all you have to do is enjoy the game. It is no harder for you to play a more realistic game such as ours; it is just more fun!

Unlike some fantasy systems, in *Scoresheet* you will play in real leagues, with a real draft. **Scoresheet is not a 'pool' game or national 'contest', where every owner in your league can have Antonio Brown on their team.** At *Scoresheet*, you will be competing against, and talking trades with, real football fans like yourself, and not just dealing with a computer.

Our top priority is customer service. With over **30+ years of experience** in the fantasy sports field you can count on us to be there all season long. Every week of the season you'll receive complete reports that include: standings, scores, team and individual stats, trade reports and lists of top undrafted players.

We have developed a web based drafting system where you can adjust your draft list as often as you like—between every pick if you want. We schedule/post the draft results on the web in real time, so you know when your pick is up. Web drafting is as close to taking part in a real live NFL draft as you can get.

While playing *Scoresheet* you will follow the NFL like never before, since every NFL game could involve players on *your* team. You'll even appreciate your favorite team's strategies more, because you'll know all the opposing players better. We feel certain that **playing Scoresheet Football will make the upcoming 2017 NFL season your most enjoyable football season ever.**

Complete Scoring System

On offense, we award points for:

- passing yards, completions and touchdowns
- receiving yards, receptions and touchdowns
- rushing yards and touchdowns
- Your defensive players, and your special team, earn points for:
- tackles, sacks and interceptions
- field goals (depending on distance)
- extra points
- punts, kickoff and punt returns

We take away points for:

- incomplete passes and interceptions
- rushing attempts and fumbles

Our formulas are designed to reflect a player's real football value, and are derived from established mathematical models of football. In *Scoresheet Football*, a running back who gains 100 yards on just 20 carries will earn more points than one who gains 110 yards on 30 carries. And unlike other 'fantasy football' games, in *Scoresheet Football* individual defensive players are drafted and do score points!

With 30+ years of experience running fantasy leagues our scoring system and reliability are second to none.

Follow Your Players Each Week

Your team will play one game each week. Every Monday and Tuesday we will calculate offensive and defensive points for your players based on their actual stats from the NFL games that week (including the Monday night game). Results are both posted to the web and also sent directly to you by e-mail or postal mail (your choice).

Weekly reports include the points scored by every player in your game that week, their complete NFL statistics for the week, scores for all of the games in your league, league standings, cumulative stats for every team in your league, trade reports and free agent pickups, and weekly stat tables. We'll also list the top undrafted players available at each position, along with their season's points. In addition, we'll also publish the top scores in all of *Scoresheet Football* that week.

Personalized trophies are awarded to all league winners. The one full league winner with the highest overall total

throughout all of *Scoresheet Football* will also win free memberships in all 3 *Scoresheet* sports: football, baseball and hockey.

Each week of the 2017 season we will award a free team for 2018 to the one team with that week's highest point total from throughout all of *Scoresheet*.

But at *Scoresheet Football*, we do NOT offer the large cash prizes some 'contests' do. To offer big prizes we'd have to completely change our game. Large cash prizes do not work in a league type game, because owners would just collude (make unfair trades) to put together a super team. To us, the fun of playing fantasy sports is being in a real league, where a player can only be on one team in each league, where trading with other team owners is part of the fun, and where you compete directly with the other teams in your league. And let's face it, in those 'contests,' the vast majority of players win nothing.

We have put many years into making our fantasy sports games as fun as possible, and strongly feel that changing to a pool format just so that we could offer a small chance of winning a large cash prize is not nearly as desirable as providing a game where you play in real leagues, have head to head competition, a realistic scoring system, and automatic use of your bench players.



Make Player Moves

On your depth chart you'll list 15 starters, along with up to 15 backups. The starters include:

1 quarterback	2 defensive linemen
1 or 2 running backs	2 linebackers
2 or 3 wide receivers	2 defensive backs
1 or 2 tight ends	1 kicker & 1 punter
1 NFL kick return team.	

Your 6 offensive starters will include one QB, two WRs, one RB, one TE, and also a flex position where you can play a third WR, second RB or second TE (your choice, depending on how you want to use your personnel).

Your backups will play if your starter is hurt, or does not play for his NFL team that week.

**In *Scoresheet Football* you do NOT have to turn in a new depth chart each week—
injuries and byes are taken care of
automatically by your designated backups.**

On your depth chart you'll also include a short list of free agents you want. Each week we'll hold a free agent draft of available players. Every team will add a player to his roster in the weekly free agent draft, with the team that has the worst record choosing first, second worst drafting second, etc. You will be able to use free agents the same week as you acquire them.

Trading is another a great way to build a team. We'll supply you with the phone numbers and e-mail addresses of the other owners in your league. We're also happy to include your trade offers in our weekly mailings to your league. We monitor all trades for fairness, and no trades are allowed after the 11th week. This opportunity to make real trades with other owners can be one of the most fun aspects of *Scoresheet Football*. And the joy of trading is totally lost in other game systems where owners can simply pick up any players they want, even if those players are already on another team in their 'pool'.

Joining a League

Join alone and we will place you in a league with other individual owners, giving you a chance to compete against some of football's biggest fans. Or join with friends, and you can talk trades and assert bragging rights whenever you get together.

If you join alone or with just a couple of friends we will place you in a 12-team league with other individual team owners. 12 team leagues have 3 divisions, with 4 teams in each division. Teams will play 14 weeks of regular season games. The three division winners plus two wild-card teams qualify for the playoffs, played during weeks 14, 15, and 16 of the NFL season (week 14 is used both for the final regular season game and also for the wild card matchup).

If you join with a group of friends and want to play just among yourselves, you can form a complete league of any size, though we suggest having at least 6 and at most 16 teams. Owners who form their own complete league can either hold their own draft, or have us run their draft.

Take part in a real draft

As soon as we receive your team order we will send you complete drafting information, including both the drafting rules and also a list of the NFL's projected starters at every position (except offensive line). We will include each player's *Scoresheet Football* point rating from last season; both season totals and points per game played will be included, along with each player's age and position.

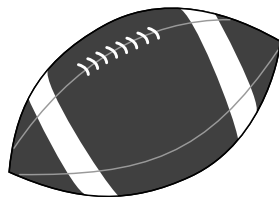
You will draft a team of 6 offensive starters, 6 defensive starters, a kicker, a punter, an NFL kick return team, and 15 backup players. If you join alone or with a small group that wants to be part of a larger league, we will place you in a league and run your league's draft. Unlike contests or pools this is a real draft—a **player can only be on one team in each league!**

The draft order will be determined randomly, and whoever picks first in round one will pick last in round two.

Along with a postal draft, **we also offer a web based draft system where you can change your draft list between every round of the draft,** giving you the same control over the draft as if you were doing a live in-person draft. A description of our web draft system can be found at: www.scoresheet.com/FB_WebDraft.php You can also get both the game and draft rules on our web site, at www.scoresheet.com.

The first web draft leagues will be formed and start drafting in late July, and we will continue forming new web draft leagues thru out August. But the earlier you join the sooner you can begin enjoying the fun of drafting a team. No matter when you join, your final picks in the web draft will be made at the very end of August, when NFL teams have finalized their rosters.

If you have a complete league you can choose to do your own live draft, holding it whenever you like. We will be forming web draft leagues throughout July and August, but the earlier you join the sooner you can begin enjoying the upcoming 2017 NFL season.



Scoring System

Offensive Players

0.04	Passing Yard
0.20	Completion
1.00	Passing TD
-0.24	Passing Attempt
-1.20	Interception
0.07	Rushing Yard
1.75	Rushing TD
-0.15	Rushing Attempt
0.04	Receiving Yard
0.20	WR/TE/QB Reception
0.10	RB Reception
1.00	Receiving TD
-1.50	Fumble Lost
0.20	Pass 2-pt. Conv.
0.35	Rush 2-pt. Conv.
0.20	Rec. 2-pt. Conv

Defensive Players

0.44	LB/DB Tackle
0.22	LB/DB Assist
0.60	DL Tackle
0.30	DL Assist
1.00	Sack
0.50	Stuff
1.50	Interception
0.06	Int Ret. Yard
1.00	Int Ret TD
1.50	Forced Fumble
0.75	Fumble Recovery
0.03	Fumble Ret Yard
0.50	Fumble Ret TD
-1.00	Pass Intf Pen.

Punters

-1.56	Attempt
0.04	Yard
0.60	Inside 20

Kickers

3.00	Field Goal
-0.30	50+ Attempt
-1.00	40-49 Attempt
-1.70	30-39 Attempt
-2.40	17-29 Attempt
1.00	Extra Point
-0.90	EP Attempt

Kick Return Teams

0.06	Yard
1.00	Touchdown
-1.00	KO Ret Attempt
-0.30	P Ret Attempt
2.00	P or FG Block



PLAY THE BEST — PLAY SCORESHEET

Get in on the Fun and Play the Most Realistic Fantasy Game Available!



As some of our customers have told us, “Scoresheet is a great entertainment value,” “it just gets better every year,” “Scoresheet is far superior to pools and contests.” We are sure that if you enjoy following the NFL, you’ll love Scoresheet Football!

Web Pages & Email

Each league has its own web page. Pre-season draft results, and complete weekly reports during the season, including player stats, lists of top undrafted players in your league, team rosters, etc., will all be shown. Weekly results are also e-mailed to all owners, and you can also choose to get results by postal mail. Draft lists can be sent from the web by simply clicking on player’s names. You can also choose to play in a league where the draft is done on the web.

If you are looking to join, or form, a league that drafts live (either by phone, in-person or on-line), check out our football bulletin board, at: www.scoresheet.com/msg where anyone can post notes about forming new leagues, or announce openings in existing leagues.

With *Scoresheet Football* you’ll play a game with the most complete scoring system you’ll find anywhere. And no one else offers as many customer friendly services, such as automatic subbing for players with a bye or who are injured, as *Scoresheet* does.

With over 30 years of experience in the fantasy sports industry we squarely beat our competition when it comes to reliability and promptness. At *Scoresheet*, we operate a full-time business servicing over 8,000 customers a year across the U.S. and Canada, and you can be assured that results are always on time. *Scoresheet* helped pioneer fantasy sports. We’ve been featured nationally in such publications as *USA Today* and *Fantasy Football* magazine, and on several sports talk shows and in many daily newspapers. **Considering how many hours you spend following football each year, you owe it to yourself to play the very best game you can.** At *Scoresheet*, we have worked very hard so that you can do just that! Our success over the years has been due to repeat business and word-of-mouth advertising from satisfied owners.

For realism, fun and an opportunity to enjoy football like never before here are some of the reasons why *Scoresheet Football* is the **best choice** for fantasy fans:

- realistic point formulas, which include deductions for rushes and passes attempted
- the use of both individual offensive and defensive players
- a web page for every league
- reports by e-mail or postal mail
- automatic subbing for players who are injured or have byes. **We even sub for players who are injured during games!**

Finally, we offer a drafting system for individuals which year after year has proven to be the best in the industry. Please give us a call if you have any questions. **Unlike many internet-only companies, if you call us you will be able to talk to a real person!**

Owning a *Scoresheet Football* franchise costs just \$54. If you join in a group of 4 or more, the price is only \$49 per team. As long as you use our web site’s lineup card feature to make changes **there is no charge for turning in new lineups, making trades or picking up free agents.** This means your franchise fee pays for the entire season as long as you submit your weekly moves thru the web.

Join the Fun! Get started by sending in your order form now.

We will send you complete drafting information as soon as we receive your team order. If you have enough people to form a complete league, give us a call and we’ll help you set up an in-person draft.

We hope you’ll join the thousands of *Scoresheet Sports* owners who feel we offer the absolute best in fantasy games.