

REVIEW

and outfielder Ruben Sierra.

SEPTEMBER

5- Dan O'Brien sets a world decathlete record of 8,891 points at a meet in Talence, France.

7- Baseball commissioner Fay Vincent resigns.

15- Former NBA All-Star center Ralph Sampson begins work as a \$16,000-a-year part-time assistant basketball coach at James Madison.

29- Magic Johnson announce that he will return to limited duty with the L.A. Lakers.

OCTOBER

11- In one of the greatest comebacks in League Championship Series history, the Toronto Blue Jays rally against the Oakland A's, trailing 6-1 after seven innings. The Blue Jays, eventually winning in the eleventh, took a 3-1 series advantage.

12- Washington Redskins' receiver Art Monk, catches his 820th reception, to break Steve Largent's NFL all-time reception record as the 'Skins throttle the Denver Broncos 34-3.

24- Dave Winfield's two-out, two-run double in the 11th inning gives the Toronto Blue Jays a 4-3 lead, and ultimately the victory, over the Atlanta Braves in the sixth and final game of the World Series.

31- UNLV holds its first-ever Midnight Madness for the 1992-93 Runnin' Rebel basketball squad.

NOVEMBER

2- Having reconsidered his decision to return to the NBA amid concerns voiced by fellow players, Magic Johnson re-retires.

3- L.A. Dodger first baseman Eric Karros, who hit .257 with 20 homers and 88 RBI's is named National League Rookie of the Year.

11- Former Valley High School pitcher, now with the Atlanta Braves, Greg Maddux, is named the National League Cy Young Award winner. Maddux had a 20-11 record with a 2.18 ERA for the Chicago Cubs.



Dave Winfield



Riddick Bowe

13- Riddick Bowe ends the Holyfield Era by winning a unanimous decision and becomes the undisputed heavyweight champion.

14- Pittsburgh Pirate outfielder Barry Bonds is named the National League's MVP for the second time in three years.

15- Jerry Rice breaks the NFL record for career TD receptions.

29- N.Y. Jets defensive end



Barry Bonds

Dennis Byrd suffers a neck injury that results in paralysis of his legs and partial paralysis of his upper body.

DECEMBER

2- NBA rookie sensation Shaquille O'Neal appears on the Arsenio Hall Show for a quick interview while on a west coast road trip. O'Neal ends the show by rapping with his favorite group



Jerry Rice

Fu-Schnuckens. At the end of O'Neal's verse, he looks into the crowd and rhymes "...SuperCal-lifragilisticEspiShaq-a-docious."

5- Two-time defending NCAA champion Duke defeats Michigan 79-68 in a rematch of the NCAA title game the season previous.

8- The San Francisco Giants announce the signing of NL MVP Barry Bonds, who will earn \$43.7 million over the next six years - the largest contract in major league history.

14- Riddick Bowe dumps his WBC belt in a garbage can after the Council threatened to strip him of his belt for refusing to defend the title against Lennox Lewis. Subsequently, Lewis is named the WBC Heavyweight Champion.

18- After only 20 regular season games as coach of the San Antonio Spurs, 9-11, Jerry Tarkanian is fired. Tarkanian lost more games in his NBA career, than he had in the past 3-1/2 seasons (119 games), at UNLV.

28- The Spurs get their first loss, to Golden State, in five games under new head coach John Lucas.



Shaquille O'Neal

Las Vegas Sentinel Voice SCOREBOARD

CURRENT STANDINGS

SUNRISE DIVISION		SUNSET DIVISION	
ELDORADO	1-0, 7-8	CHEY.	1-0, 14-2
RANCHO	1-0, 5-9	GORMAN	1-0, 12-3
GREEN VALLEY	1-0, 5-7	BONANZA	1-0, 9-8
BASIC	0-1, 2-9	WESTERN	0-1, 10-5
VALLEY	0-1, 1-13	CLARK	0-1, 9-6
VO-TECH	0-1, 0-9	LAS VEGAS	0-1, 4-11
CHAPARRAL	0-0, 3-10	CIMARRON	0-0, 11-4

TUESDAY'S RESULTS

CHEYENNE	68	CLARK	66
BONANZA	78	WESTERN	75
RANCHO	66	VALLEY	58
GORMAN	43	LAS VEGAS	29
ELDORADO	79	BASIC	70
GREEN VALLEY	70	VO-TECH	36
CIMARRON	49	CHAPARRAL	43

Willie Will's BEST BETS

NFL PLAYOFFS

Saturday January 6, 1993

STEELERS	-3', (37)	Buffalo
S.F. 49ers	-9', (40)	Washington

Sunday January 7, 1993

MIAMI	-2', (36')	San Diego
DALLAS	-6', (38)	Philadelphia

2-1-1 last week

This weekend, take Buffalo, Washington, San Diego and Philadelphia.

This week I love every road dog!!! With no regard to the Bills' heroics last week, I just don't think Pittsburgh is ready for the defending AFC champs. Once again, take the Chargers. When Miami and San Diego met in the playoffs, in 1982, it was a great matchup and wild game. Although Miami prevailed back then - the '90's are among us and the Chargers are for real. They have also covered 13 straight point spreads. As for the NFC, you just can't give the defending Super Bowl champions 9-1/2 points. This will be a dynamite game with Rypien, Young and Montana. Even if 'Frisco wins, they won't cover 9-1/2 points. The Eagles and Cowboys played big games during the regular season, each capturing a game a piece at their home site. This spread is to big for this rivalry, it should have been installed at 3.

***Just a little something extra for my faithful readers - If you like to bet Pro Basketball, 3 or 3-1/2-point home dogs were 12-0 before Tuesday's contests.

Good luck and don't let the "dogs" bite you.

LVSV TOP 10

(Following Tues., Jan. 5)

TW	Team	LW	
1.	DUKE	(9-0)	2
2.	KENTUCKY	(9-0)	4
3.	MICHIGAN	(10-1)	5
4.	KANSAS	(9-1)	1
5.	NO. CAROLINA	(10-1)	7
6.	INDIANA	(11-2)	3
7.	SETON HALL	(12-1)	6
8.	IOWA	(11-0)	11
9.	GEORGETOWN	(7-1)	8
10.	FLORIDA ST.	(8-4)	9

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ODDS TO WIN THE SUPER BOWL

S.F. 49ers	EVEN
Dallas	5-2
Pitt. Steelers	8-1
Miami	8-1
Buffalo Bills	10-1
Chargers	12-1
Phil. Eagles	15-1
Redskins	15-1

FOR YOU IN 1993

Hopefully, you've enjoyed our Sports Page in the past and will remain a "faithful reader" in '93.

From Willie Will's Best Bets to our coverage of UNLV athletics. Our prep coverage to the Sports Commentary. Our action-packed photos to our design-filled scoreboards.

Our commitment is to enhance your eyes. Build your interest so that every Thursday, the Sports Page will be anticipated.

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