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Week 4 line

Bagdad	+7
at East Hartford	
Flint	+20
at Dutch Harbor	
Limerick	+3
at Dugway	
Alaska	
at Baltimore	+12
Tampa Bay	+1
at Lackawanna	
Narcoossee	
at Denver	+6
Arctic	
at Anchorage	+21
Willow	
at Marley	+1



Miami Dolphins

Arctic Gators owner Mark Dolan decided he was going to take some longtime suffering Gators with him on his current high streak, adding Rob Konrad, above, and Jacquez Green to his roster.

Mr. Zero returns to Gators

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Is Dolan loyal, or just losing it?

By Scoop Bias

Dugway Herald

Mark Dolan's Arctic Gators are on a pace to finish 14-0 with an astounding 966 points scored this season (the record is 721).

But, troubling signs have appeared which indicate the Gators may be on the path back to the gutters from which they usually inhabit. In the past two weeks, Dolan has started Jacquiez Green and Rob Konrad in his games.

Those two players have never played on another TFL team — no one else wants them. Combined, they have appeared in 34 games and scored 37 points. Dolan may be happy with 1.08 points per game from two players, but the rest of the league seems to have higher expectations.

Those two players can't take the full blame for Arctic's .340 lifetime winning percentage — lowest in TFL history — but they sure played a part.

So the year 2002 comes along and the Gators finally have a team. Is Dolan falling back into his losing ways by playing both Green and Konrad in the past two weeks? Or is he merely trying to allow long-suffering Gator players to share in a brief bit of glory?

Only time will tell.

KONRAD'S ZERO DAY: To the shock of no one other than Dolan, Konrad scored 0 points in his game Sunday. Konrad has now played in nine TFL games and has failed to score in all of them.

That is the record, giving him the title of Mr. Zero. The next closest is Brian Mitchell (now retired), who played in seven games without scoring.

UNDER THE RADAR SCREEN: With everyone talking about the Gators another team is slipping by unnoticed so far. The Dugway Experiments are the only other unbeaten team. The Tubes and Gators are not scheduled to play each other this year, meaning — in theory — this is the first year it is possible to have two unbeaten teams play for the Sweeney Bowl crown.



Konrad

All-time TFL dogs

The Arctic Gators love affair with bad players Rob Konrad and Jacquiez Green got us to thinking. Which players average the fewest points per game that have played at least 20 games? Konrad hasn't played in enough games to qualify — yet.

Here's are the TFL's worst producers:

Rk.	Player	Gms	Pts	Avg
1.	Frank Sanders	20	14	.70
2.	Eddie Kennison	23	27	1.17
3.	Jacquiez Green	25	37	1.48
4.	Brian Blades	24	42	1.75
5.	Curtis Enis	21	39	1.86
6.	Willie Davis	26	50	1.92
7.	O.J. McDuffie	22	45	2.05
8.	Albert Connell	20	41	2.05
9.	Mike Pritchard	20	43	2.15
10.	Johnnie Morton	41	96	2.34

I said in theory, quit laughing.

DIVISIONAL PLAY: The TFL teams enter the final week of the feeling-out process of their schedules before the real season begins.

Weeks 5, 6 and 7 will feature the first of two head-to-head divisional stretches. The teams will get another chance at their divisional foes in Weeks 12, 13 and 14.

This is the first time since 1993 that all divisional rivals play twice in the same season.

"Closing out the season with all three of your divisional rivals will give everyone a chance to make up ground and make the playoffs," TFL Commissioner Ken Sain said. "It should be fun."

CALVIN WILLIAMS? OK, so maybe the TFL database doesn't know everything. According to the database, the top player to have on your roster if you want to win is the former wide receiver (he's no longer in the league, expansion teams, so don't sign him).

Williams had a 15-6 record during his TFL stint. The top active player is kicker Gary Anderson, who was just signed by the Experiments last week.

Anderson earned another victory on Sunday, but didn't do much to contribute. He scored only two points and Sain will likely bench him in favor of Matt Bryant this week.

TFL's best/worst

Here are the best, and worst, TFL players in terms of helping their teams to victory (minimum 20 games played):

BEST

Player	W	L	Pct.
Calvin Williams	15	6	.714
Gary Anderson	46	19	.708
Johnny Johnson	14	6	.700
James Stewart	39	17	.696
Brian Griese	19	9	.679
Rod Smith	42	20	.677
Haywood Jeffires	21	10	.677
Abdul-Karim al-Jabbar	27	13	.675
Duce Staley	22	11	.667
Priest Holmes	17	9	.654
Quinn Early	15	8	.652
Henry Ellard	15	8	.652
Buffalo Bills	41	22	.651
Fuad Reveiz	13	7	.650
Rodney Hampton	31	17	.646
Jason Elam	69	38	.645
Tiki Barber	18	10	.643
Derrick Alexander	18	10	.643
Daunte Culpepper	18	10	.643
Leonard Russell	25	14	.641
Garrison Hearst	37	21	.638
Barry Foster	15	9	.625
Donovan McNabb	13	8	.619
Stan Humphries	16	10	.615
Dan Marino	38	24	.613
Johnnie Morton	25	16	.610
Terrell Davis	39	25	.609

WORST

Player	W	L	Pct.
Jacquiez Green	5	20	.200
Eddie Kennison	5	18	.217
Wayne Chrebet	11	26	.297
Marion Butts	7	14	.333
Brian Blades	8	16	.333
Chip Lohmiller	9	18	.333
Doug Pelfrey	13	26	.333
Eric Metcalf	12	23	.343
Derrick Mason	8	15	.348
Wesley Walls	8	15	.348
Jim Everett	13	24	.351
Cary Blanchard	11	20	.355
Keith Jackson	13	23	.361
Torry Holt	12	21	.364
Anthony Miller	16	27	.372
New Orleans Saints	20	33	.377
San Francisco 49ers	33	54	.379
Ahman Green	10	16	.385
Tim Biakabatuka	10	16	.385
Indianapolis Colts	20	32	.385
Sebastian Janikowski	9	14	.391
Charlie Garner	21	31	.404
Carl Pickens	30	45	.400
Chris Jacke	14	21	.400
Eric Green	12	18	.400
Chris Warren	24	37	.393
Keenan McCardell	20	31	.392

WEEK 3 STANDINGS

SOURDOUGH CONFERENCE

FIREWEED DIVISION

Team	W	L	T	GB	PF	PA
Dugway.....	3	0	0	—	129	112
Alaska.....	2	1	0	1	134	125
Bagdad	2	1	0	1	124	109
Denver	2	1	0	1	117	103

MULDOON DIVISION

Team	W	L	T	GB	PF	PA
East Hartford.....	1	2	0	—	147	133
Limerick	1	2	0	—	118	131
Baltimore.....	1	2	0	—	100	126
Narcoossee.....	0	3	0	1	97	125

CHEECHAKO CONFERENCE

SPENARD DIVISION

Team	W	L	T	GB	PF	PA
Tampa Bay.....	2	1	0	—	114	95
Dutch Harbor	1	2	0	1	139	160
Anchorage	1	2	0	1	115	111
Willow	1	2	0	1	99	114

GAMBELL DIVISION

Team	W	L	T	GB	PF	PA
Arctic.....	3	0	0	—	207	145
Lackawanna.....	2	1	0	1	118	93
Marley.....	1	2	0	2	101	120
Flint.....	1	2	0	2	65	122

WEEK 3 BOX SCORES

63.....ArcticDutch Harbor 50

30.....D. McNabb	QB	J. Miller	.....	12
7.....E. George	RB	L. Tomlinson	.....	14
0.....R. Konrad	RB	C. Portis	.....	9
11.....E. Moulds	WR	T. Glenn	.....	1
0.....L. Coles	WR	R. Moss	.....	0
15.....R. Longwell	K	M. Andersen	.....	8
0.....Patriots	D	Bucs	.....	6

49.....AnchorageFlint19

13.....M. Vick	QB	K. Warner	.....	3
2.....G. Hearst	RB	T. Barber	.....	2
0.....R. Mealey	RB	T. Richardson	.....	0
6.....M. Harrison	WR	Q. Ismail	.....	6
24.....T. Brown	WR	J. Horn	.....	6
1.....B. Gramatica	K	J. Wilkins	.....	2
3.....Giants	D	Redskins	.....	0

47.....DugwayNarcoossee. 43

12.....B. Griese	QB	T. Brady	.....	31
24.....P. Holmes	RB	S. Alexander	.....	0
1.....T. Jones	RB	M. Anderson	.....	0
0.....J. Walker	WR	D. Boston	.....	1
8.....D. Driver	WR	J. Shockey	.....	0
2.....G. Anderson	K	M. Vanderjagt	.....	11
0.....Cowboys	D	Rams	.....	0

44.....AlaskaEast Hartford 41

18.....T. Green	QB	D. Brees	.....	0
6.....M. Faulk	RB	R. Williams	.....	14
0.....D. Staley	RB	W. Green	.....	0
1.....D. Jackson	WR	C. Conway	.....	2
6.....J. Reed	WR	M. Booker	.....	11
7.....P. Dawson	K	R. Lindell	.....	6
6.....Packers	D	Chargers	.....	8

43.....Tampa BayMarley. 24

23.....B. Favre	QB	R. Peete	.....	6
0.....J. Bettis	RB	W. Dunn	.....	6
0.....W. Henderson	RB	B. Westbrook	.....	6
0.....K. McCardell	WR	I. Bruce	.....	0
1.....W. Chrebet	WR	T. Gonzalez	.....	0
16.....D. Akers	K	M. Stover	.....	0
3.....Dolphins	D	Broncos	.....	6

38.....DenverLimerick 37

6.....D. Culpepper	QB	P. Manning	.....	13
6.....M. Alstott	RB	S. Davis	.....	1
3.....A. Thomas	RB	M. Williams	.....	1
1.....K. Johnson	WR	E. McCaffrey	.....	0
8.....J. Thrash	WR	T. Holt	.....	10
14.....O. Mare	K	A. Vinatieri	.....	9
0.....49ers	D	Colts	.....	3

38.....BaltimoreBagdad 25

26.....A. Brooks	QB	K. Collins	.....	2
1.....C. Dillon	RB	E. James	.....	2
1.....M. Pittman	RB	D. McAllister	.....	0
0.....D. Mason	WR	A. Freeman	.....	12
6.....D. Stallworth	WR	R. Gardner	.....	0
4.....J. Nedney	K	M. Gramatica	.....	9
0.....Bengals	D	Bears	.....	0

35.....WillowLackawanna 24

0.....J. Garcia	QB	V. Testaverde	.....	0
17.....L. Smith	RB	A. Smith	.....	11
6.....T. Henry	RB	O. Gary	.....	0
8.....R. Smith	WR	T. Owens	.....	6
0.....J. Morton	WR	P. Price	.....	2
4.....J. Carney	K	M. Hollis	.....	5
0.....Eagles	D	Cardinals	.....	0

WEEK 3 LEADERS

Quarterbacks

#	Player, team	Pts
1.	Brooks, BT	51
2.	McNabb, AR	48
3.	Culpepper, DV	44
4.	Manning, LI	39
5.	Favre, TB	37
6.	Griese, DU	36
6.	Vick, AN	33

Running backs

#	Player, team	Pts
1.	Holmes, DU	53
2.	Williams, EH	40
3.	Faulk, AK	34
4.	Henry, WI	28
5.	Garner, AR	25
6.	Tomlinson, DH	25
7.	George, AR	22

Wide receivers

#	Player, team	Pts
1.	Moulds, AR	28
1.	Price, LK	28
3.	Booker, EH	26
4.	Tr. Brown	24
5.	Thrash, NA	23
6.	Harrison, AN	22
7.	Moss, DV	19

Kickers

#	Player, team	Pts
1.	Longwell, AR	36
1.	Vinatieri, LI	36
3.	Akers, TB	30
	Gramatica, BG	30
5.	Mare, DV	24
6.	Vanderjagt, NA	22
7.	Nedney, BT	21

Defenses

#	Player, team	Pts
1.	Bucs, DH	20
2.	Chargers, EH	17
3.	Patriots, AR	15
4.	Giants, AN	9
	Colts, LI	9
	Dolphins, TB	9
7.	2 tied	6

DEALS

Sept. 24

Narcoossee waives WR Derrious Thompson, adds WR Donte Stallworth.

East Hartford waives RB Richard Huntley, adds RB Jonathon Wells.

Limerick waives QB Gus Frerotte, adds QB Joey Harrington.

Flint waives RB Tony Richardson, adds RB Najeh Davenport.

Baltimore waives RB LaMont Jordan, adds RB Lamar Gordon.

Baltimore waives WR Antwaan Randel El, adds WR Brian Finneran.

Dugway waives WR Javon Walker, adds WR Deion Branch.

Sept. 21

Arctic waives RB Ladell Betts, adds RB Rob Konrad.

Sept. 20

Alaska reactivates QB Tim Couch, waives QB Kelly Holcomb.

East Hartford waives K Neil Rackers, adds K Billy Cundiff.

East Hartford waives RB Jonathon Wells, adds RB Richard Huntley.

Bagdad waives WR Santana Moss, adds WR Antonio Freeman.

Sept. 18

Anchorage places RB Ahman Green on IR, adds RB Rondell Mealey.

Dugway waives K Billy Cundiff, adds K Gary Anderson.

Dugway waives WR Kevin Dyson, adds WR Javon Walker.

Sept. 17

Alaska waives WR Peter Warrick, adds WR Josh Reed.

Limerick waives WR Marcus Robinson, adds WR Muhsin Muhammad.

Limerick waives RB Dorsey Levens, adds RB Moe Williams.

Baltimore plays WR Jerry Rice on bye reserve, adds WR Donte Stallworth.

Sept. 13

Alaska places QB Tim Couch on IR, adds QB Kelly Holcomb.

CURRENT ROSTERS**Alaska**

QB Tim Couch
 QB Trent Green
 RB Trung Canidate
 RB Duce Staley
 RB Marshall Faulk
 WR Josh Reed
 WR Hines Ward
 WR Darrell Jackson
 K James Tuthill
 K Phil Dawson
 D Carolina Panthers
 D Green Bay Packers
 IR Brett Conway, K

Baltimore

QB Aaron Brooks
 QB Trent Dilfer
 RB Michael Pittman
 RB Corey Dillon
 RB Lamar Gordon
 WR Jerry Rice
 WR Brian Finneran
 WR Derrick Mason
 K Paul Edinger
 K Joe Nedney
 D Oakland Raiders
 D Cincinnati Bengals

Anchorage

QB Jay Fiedler
 QB Michael Vick
 RB Rondell Mealey
 RB James Stewart
 RB Garrison Hearst
 WR Marvin Harrison
 WR Troy Brown
 WR Amani Toomer
 K Bill Gramatica
 K Todd Peterson
 D Kansas City Chiefs
 D New York Giants
 IR Ahman Green, RB

Arctic

QB Donovan McNabb
 QB Drew Bledsoe
 RB Rob Konrad
 RB Charlie Garner
 RB Eddie George
 WR Eric Moulds
 WR Laveranues Coles
 WR Jacquez Green
 K John Holt
 K Ryan Longwell
 D New England Patriots
 D New York Jets

Bagdad

QB Mark Brunell
 QB Kerry Collins
 RB Edgerrin James
 RB Deuce McAllister
 RB James Allen
 WR Antonio Freeman
 WR Rod Gardner
 WR Jimmy Smith
 K John Kasay
 K Martin Gramatica
 D Tennessee Titans
 D Chicago Bears

East Hartford

QB Drew Brees
 QB Rich Gannon
 RB William Green
 RB Ricky Williams
 RB Jonathon Wells
 WR Marty Booker
 WR Kevin Johnson
 WR Curtis Conway
 K Billy Cundiff
 K Ryan Lindell
 D San Diego Chargers
 D Baltimore Ravens

Dutch Harbor

QB Jim Miller
 QB Shane Matthews
 RB LaDainian Tomlinson
 RB Clinton Portis
 RB T.J. Duckett
 WR Chris Chambers
 WR Randy Moss
 WR Terry Glenn
 K Doug Brien
 K Morten Andersen
 D New Orleans Saints
 D Tampa Bay Buccaneers

Flint

QB Kurt Warner
 QB Jamie Martin
 RB Tyrone Wheatley
 RB Najeh Davenport
 RB Tiki Barber
 WR Qadry Ismail
 WR Joe Horn
 WR Tim Brown
 K Kris Brown
 K Jeff Wilkins
 D Washington Redskins
 D Minnesota Vikings

Denver

QB Daunte Culpepper
 QB Mike McMahon
 RB Mike Alstott
 RB Anthony Thomas
 RB Zack Crockett
 WR Ike Hilliard
 WR Keyshawn Johnson
 WR James Thrash
 K Olindo Mare
 K Steve Christie
 D San Francisco 49ers
 D Jacksonville Jaguars

Limerick

QB Joey Harrington
 QB Peyton Manning
 RB Moe Williams
 RB Stephen Davis
 RB Michael Bennett
 WR Muhsin Muhammad
 WR Ed McCaffrey
 WR Torry Holt
 K Jose Cortez
 K Adam Vinatieri
 D Indianapolis Colts
 D Buffalo Bills

Tampa Bay

QB Steve McNair
 QB Brett Favre
 RB Aaron Stecker
 RB Jerome Bettis
 RB William Henderson
 WR Frank Wycheck
 WR Keenan McCardell
 WR Wayne Chrebet
 K David Akers
 K Hayden Epstein
 D Detroit Lions
 D Miami Dolphins

Lackawanna

QB Vinny Testaverde
 QB Quincy Carter
 RB Antowain Smith
 RB Olandis Gary
 RB Fred Taylor
 WR Terrell Owens
 WR Peerless Price
 WR Willie Jackson
 K Jason Elam
 K Mike Hollis
 D Cleveland Browns
 D Arizona Cardinals

Dugway

QB Brian Griese
 QB Brad Johnson
 RB Priest Holmes
 RB Thomas Jones
 RB Kevan Barlow
 WR Deion Branch
 WR Plaxico Burress
 WR Donald Driver
 K Gary Anderson
 K Matt Bryant
 D Seattle Seahawks
 D Dallas Cowboys
 IR Owen Pochman, K

Narcoossee

QB Jake Plummer
 QB Tom Brady
 RB Shaun Alexander
 RB Mike Anderson
 RB Jamal Lewis
 WR Jeremy Shockey
 WR David Boston
 WR Donte Stallworth
 K Jason Hanson
 K Mike Vanderjagt
 D Houston Texans
 D St. Louis Rams
 IR DeShaun Foster, RB

Willow

QB Jeff Garcia
 QB David Carr
 RB Lamar Smith
 RB Emmitt Smith
 RB Travis Henry
 WR Johnnie Morton
 WR Rod Smith
 WR Quincy Morgan
 K Jay Feely
 K John Carney
 D Atlanta Falcons
 D Philadelphia Eagles

Marley

QB Rodney Peete
 QB Kordell Stewart
 RB Warrick Dunn
 RB Curtis Martin
 RB Brian Westbrook
 WR Isaac Bruce
 WR Bubba Franks
 WR Tony Gonzalez
 K Sebastian Janikowski
 K Matt Stover
 D Denver Broncos
 D Pittsburgh Steelers