

GAME 11

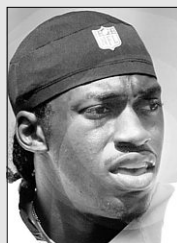
Who: Redskins (3-6) at Eagles (5-5)
When: Sunday, 1 p.m.
Where: Lincoln Financial Field
TV: Fox
Radio: WIP (94.1-FM, 610-AM)
Weather: Cloudy, high of 60, with 8-mph winds from the SSE
Injury report: Michael Vick (hamstring), Jason Peters (quadriceps), Mychal Kendricks (knee), Earl Wolff (knee), are all listed as day-to-day
Game line: Eagles -3½
Over/under: 52½

THREE KEYS FOR THE EAGLES

1. Limiting Washington's sophomores: In the first game of the season, the Eagles held Redskins running back Alfred Morris to 45 yards on 12 carries. Robert Griffin III passed for 329 yards with two touchdowns and two interceptions. It was a different story for Washington's top offensive weapons last Thursday against Minnesota, as Morris rushed for 139 yards and RGIII threw three touchdowns in the 34-27 loss. While it's nearly impossible to shut down the dynamic duo, the Eagles' defense must slow down the second-year players to earn the season sweep.

2. Balancing the pass and run: The Eagles did a good job of balancing their offense against Green Bay as LeSean McCoy rushed for 155 yards and Nick Foles passed for 228. Unfortunately for McCoy, he didn't score a rushing touchdown for the fifth consecutive week. Although the Eagles have had incredible success with quarterback Nick Foles passing the football in the past 2 weeks, McCoy's role will be very important against a defense he ran all over in week 1. In the 33-27 victory over Washington on Sept. 9, McCoy rushed for 184 yards and one touchdown, while Michael Vick threw for two and ran for another.

3. Pressuring Robert Griffin III: The Eagles' defense pressured RGIII in their first meeting, sacking him three times for losses of 21 yards. The pressure also forced two interceptions. Pressuring the young quarterback will force him to make throws he is uncomfortable making, causing a favorable matchup for an Eagles secondary that has come together in recent weeks.



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IN THE SPOTLIGHT RILEY COOPER



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Riley Cooper, after his second touchdown in Green Bay.

Position: Wide receiver
Age: 26
Birthdate: Sept. 9, 1987
Hometown: Oklahoma City
College: Florida
Acquired: Fifth round of the 2010 NFL draft (159th overall)
Career: In 50 games for the Eagles since 2010, Cooper has 1,234 receiving yards and 12 touchdowns. After scoring a touchdown in each of his first two seasons and three receiving touchdowns in 2012, Cooper is enjoying a career-best season in 2013, with seven touchdowns, 555 receiving yards and 28 receptions, all career highs. Against Oakland 2 weeks ago, Cooper set career highs with 139 receiving yards and three touchdowns, including a 63-yard reception from Nick Foles.
Sunday with Eagles: Against the Pack-

ers, Cooper kept his hot streak with Nick Foles going, with three receptions for 102 yards and two touchdowns. Cooper was targeted five times, with his longest reception coming on a 45-yard touchdown pass that gave the Eagles a two-touchdown lead early in the third quarter. Cooper's second touchdown was a 32-yard reception from Foles with 10 seconds left in the third quarter, putting the Eagles ahead 27-10 after the point-after.
Did you know?: Before joining the Eagles in April 2010, Cooper was drafted by the Phillies in the 15th round in 2006 and again by the Texas Rangers in the 25th round in 2009. As a two-sport athlete at Florida, Cooper batted .247 with 16 runs, eight walks, eight RBI and five doubles in 30 games as a sophomore outfielder for the Gators.

WHO'S HOT

Nick Foles/Riley Cooper

Whatever is going on between Foles and Cooper seems almost surreal. The video game-like numbers continued on Sunday against Green Bay as Foles found Cooper for a 45-yard touchdown, later to be followed by a 32-yard score. Out of Cooper's seven touchdowns, Foles has thrown six of them — five of which have come in the previous 2 weeks.

LeSean McCoy

Before Sunday's 27-13 victory over Green Bay, McCoy was averaging 49 yards on 15 carries in three games against Dallas, the New York Giants and Oakland. The running back returned to form against the Packers with 155 rushing yards on 25 carries. Against Washington in Week 1, the 25-year-old running back rushed for 184 yards on 31 carries, with a touchdown.

WHO'S NOT

Alex Henery

Henery has made 17 of 21 field-goal attempts this season, but the ones he has not made have really stood out. Looking to extend a lead to 10-0 over the Packers, Chip Kelly called on Henery for a 39-yard attempt in the second quarter, but the kick went wide right. Henery responded by making his next two kicks, from 25 and 41 yards, but the Eagles will need more consistency out of the most accurate kicker in NCAA history.

Jason Peters

Left tackle Jason Peters has not been himself recently thanks to multiple injuries. Peters played Sunday after suffering a pectoral injury against the Raiders in the previous week, but was removed twice — first with a head injury, then a quadriceps issue that sent him back to the locker room. Allen Barbre replaced Peters after he suffered the leg injury and played well.

OBSCURE FACT

In five games since 2001 at home before the bye week, the Eagles are just 1-4. In addition to not winning a home game since Sept. 30 2012, the Eagles are just 2-4 at home against the Redskins since 2007; they are 4-2 against their NFC East rival in Washington during that time period.

EAGLES INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

PASSING

	Att.	Cmp.	Pct.	Yds.	TD	Int.	Pct.	Lg.	Rat.
Foles	136	86	63.2	1256	9.24	16	11.8	0	132.5
Vick	141	77	54.6	1215	8.62	5	3.5	3	86.5
Barkley	49	30	61.2	300	6.12	0	0.0	4	44.6
Team	228	193	59.2	2771	8.50	21	6.4	7	99.4
Opp.	449	279	62.1	3208	7.14	15	3.3	12	83.6

RUSHING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD
L. McCoy	193	932	4.8	t41	3
Vick	34	308	9.1	61	2
B. Brown	49	163	3.3	32	0
Foles	20	80	4.0	16	1
Polk	5	36	7.2	28	1
Barkley	2	-2	-1.0	-1	0
Team	303	1535	5.1	61	7
Opp.	278	1105	4.0	35	7

RECEIVING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD
De. Jackson	54	903	16.7	t61	7
L. McCoy	30	326	10.9	70	1
R. Cooper	28	555	19.8	t63	7
Avant	27	311	11.5	31	1
Ertz	19	243	12.8	38	1
B. Celek	18	248	13.8	t28	3
B. Brown	6	56	9.3	35	0
Maehl	4	67	16.8	37	1
Ja. Casey	3	31	10.3	12	0
Dam. Johnson	2	14	7.0	8	0
Polk	2	19	9.5	13	0
Team	193	2771	14.4	70	21
Opp.	279	3208	11.5	66	15

INTERCEPTIONS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD
B. Boykin	3	76	25.3	76	0
B. Fletcher	2	30	15.0	25	0
Ryans	2	46	23.0	36	0
Ca. Williams	2	1	0.5	1	0
Team	12	169	14.1	76	0
Opp.	7	68	9.7	t38	1

SACKS

Curry 4, Barwin 3, F. Cox 3, Logan 2, Ryans 2, N. Allen 1, T. Cole 1, B. Graham 1, M. Kendricks 1, C. Thornton 1, Ca. Williams 1.

PUNT RETURNS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD
Dam. Johnson	11	95	8.6	21	0
De. Jackson	3	39	13.0	32	0
Team	14	134	9.6	32	0
Opp.	19	118	6.2	40	0

KICKOFF RETURNS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD
Dam. Johnson	17	441	25.9	33	0
B. Boykin	2	50	25.0	41	0
B. Graham	2	14	7.0	14	0
Team	24	525	21.9	41	0
Opp.	26	646	24.8	t105	1