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JOHN HENRY JOHNSON, RUNNING BACK, 1952

Sun Devil John Henry Johnson was inducted into the NFL Hall of Fame in 1987 with such legends as Joe Greene, Gene Upshaw and Larry Csonka. He rushed for 6,577 yards and 48 touchdowns during a 13-year NFL career spent with the San Francisco 49ers, Pittsburgh Steelers and Houston Oilers. He rushed for more than 1,000 yards in both 1962 and 1964 with the Steelers, and was the leading rusher with the 1957 NFL champion Detroit Lions. He was an All-Pro pick four times.

Johnson, an ASU Hall of Fame inductee, had 106 yards on seven carries and scored three touchdowns the first game he played in as a Sun Devil in 1952 against Hardin Simmons and went on to earn All-Border Conference honors that year.

He began his NFL career as a 1953 second-round draft pick of the Steelers and went on to become the first Steeler ever to gain 1,000 rushing yards in a season.

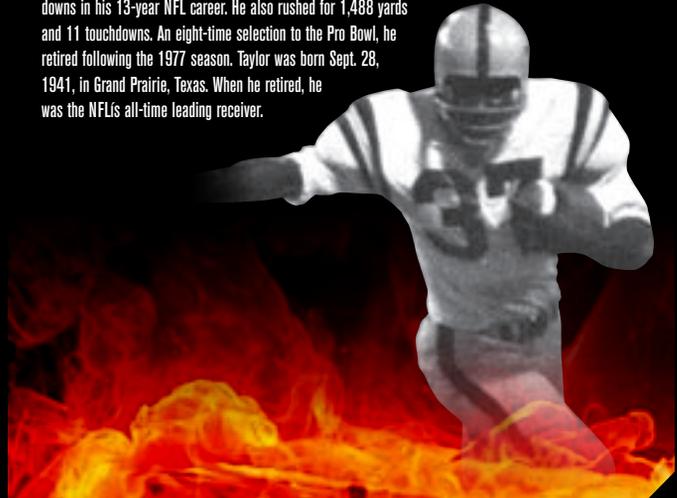


CHARLEY TAYLOR, WIDE RECEIVER, 1961-63

Charley Taylor was inducted into the NFL Hall of Fame in 1984 and also is a charter member of the ASU Hall of Fame with his induction in 1975. A 1964 first-round pick of the Washington Redskins (NFL) and a second-round pick of the Houston Oilers (AFL), Taylor earned All-Western Athletic Conference honors in 1963 (first-team) and 1962 (second-team).

He earned Coaches All-America honors in 1964 and was Most Valuable Player of the 1964 Chicago Tribune All-Star Game, which had collegiate all-stars taking on professionals. He also played in the East-West Shrine game and the Hula Bowl that year. Taylor led ASU in punt and kickoff returns in 1961 and 1963 and led the Sun Devils in scoring in 1962.

Taylor caught 649 passes for 9,140 yards and had 79 touchdowns in his 13-year NFL career. He also rushed for 1,488 yards and 11 touchdowns. An eight-time selection to the Pro Bowl, he retired following the 1977 season. Taylor was born Sept. 28, 1941, in Grand Prairie, Texas. When he retired, he was the NFL's all-time leading receiver.

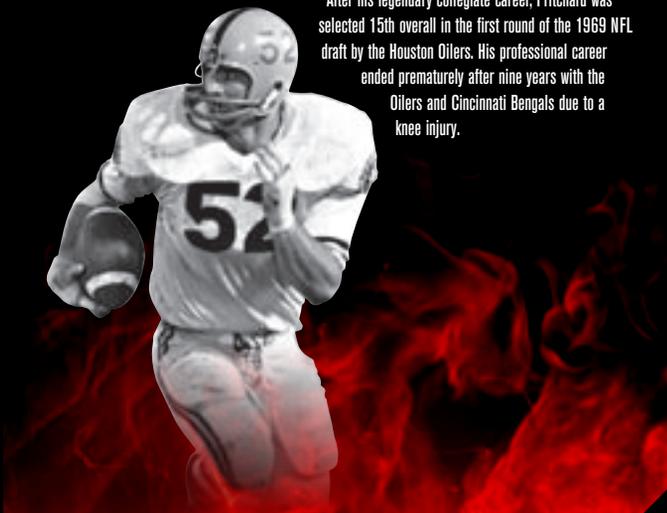


RON PRITCHARD, LINEBACKER, 1966-68

Arizona State's fourth inductee to the College Football Hall of Fame (2003), Ron Pritchard is arguably the greatest linebacker in the history of the ASU football program. Pritchard, Arizona State's first consensus All-American, led the Sun Devils to a pair of eight-win seasons.

A first-team All-American in 1968, Pritchard was elected team captain, voted Most Valuable Defensive Player by his peers and led the Sun Devils in tackles and interceptions that year. A three-time first-team All-Western Athletic Conference pick, Pritchard was selected to the 20-Year WAC All-Star Football Team. Following his senior season, he played in the East-West Shrine Game, the Coaches All-American Game, the Hula Bowl and the Senior Bowl.

After his legendary collegiate career, Pritchard was selected 15th overall in the first round of the 1969 NFL draft by the Houston Oilers. His professional career ended prematurely after nine years with the Oilers and Cincinnati Bengals due to a knee injury.



DANNY WHITE, QUARTERBACK, 1970-73

On January 30, 1997, former ASU quarterback Danny White became the first Arizona State University player to be elected into the College Football Hall of Fame.

White still ranks at or near the top of most career passing categories at ASU including touchdown passes, passing yards and attempts. Ironically, White was in the broadcast booth as a Fox commentator when Jake Plummer tied his touchdown record at Arizona in 1996.

White was a first-team All-America selection in 1973, a year in which he guided the Sun Devils to an 11-1 record and a win over Pittsburgh in the Fiesta Bowl. White finished ninth in the Heisman Trophy balloting that December. He was an all-Western Athletic Conference selection and ASU's Most Valuable Player that season as a senior.

In White's three seasons, the Sun Devils ran up a record of 32-4 with three Fiesta Bowl wins. ASU was 21-1 at Sun Devil Stadium. He led the team in total offense all three seasons. White played in the East-West Shrine Game, Hula Bowl and Senior Bowl, before the Dallas Cowboys selected him with their third-round pick in the 1974 NFL Draft. He played for Memphis of the World Football League for two seasons before joining the Cowboys in 1976. Dallas beat Denver in Super Bowl XII the following season. In all, White played 13 seasons for the Cowboys as a quarterback and punter.

White was chosen by Sports Illustrated magazine as the second-best quarterback in the history of football. His #11 jersey has been retired by Arizona State.



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MIKE HAYNES, CORNERBACK, 1972-75

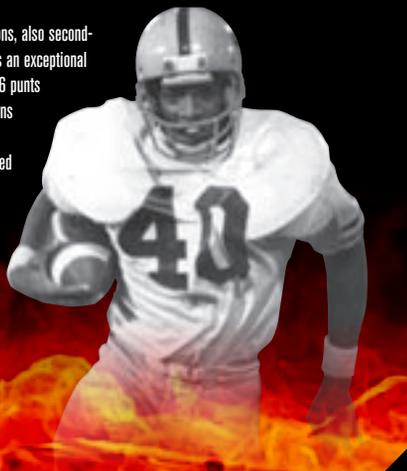
In 1997, former Sun Devil defensive back Mike Haynes became the third ASU player elected to the Pro Football Hall of Fame. He joined John Henry Johnson and Charley Taylor in the Hall. He became the second ASU player inducted into College Football's Hall of Fame December of 2001.

Haynes, the fifth overall selection by the New England Patriots in the 1976 NFL Draft, was selected to play in nine Pro Bowls, the second most by an ASU player. He was also a member of the Raiders Super Bowl XV and XVIII championship squads.

In his four seasons on the collegiate gridiron, Haynes was a two-time All-America and three-time All-Western Athletic Conference selection. He led the nation by picking off 11 passes his junior year, second-best all-time at ASU. In 1975, Haynes' senior season, ASU enjoyed its most successful season in school history, going 12-0 and finishing second in the wire service polls.

Haynes snared 17 career interceptions, also second-best all-time at ASU. In addition, he was an exceptional kick returner, fielding a school-record 46 punts in 1974 and scoring twice off punt returns in 1975.

In March of 2002, Haynes was named the National Football League's Vice President of Player and Employee Development.



JOHN JEFFERSON, WIDE RECEIVER, 1974-77

ASU's third inductee to the College Football Hall of Fame, John Jefferson still holds many school records after an illustrious career as the ASU's main receiving threat. He remains ASU's all-time career leader in receptions (188), yards (2,993), consecutive games with a reception (44) and freshman receiving yards (423).

A 1977 consensus All-American pick, Jefferson also earned honorable mention All-America honors in 1975 and was recognized as a two-time first-team All-WAC selection and a two-time WAC honorable mention selection in his four-year career. He was voted ASU's most valuable player in both 1975 and 1977, while following his senior year, he played in the Japan and Hula Bowls.

Jefferson is best known for "The Catch," widely regarded as the most memorable play in ASU football history. Against Arizona in 1975 with a Fiesta Bowl berth on the line, Jefferson made a fantastic diving grab for a touchdown just before halftime to close the game to within four points. The Sun Devils won that game and the Fiesta Bowl to finish the year undefeated and ranked No. 2 nationally, the best finish ever for ASU football.

In the 1978 NFL Draft, Jefferson was a first-round selection of the San Diego Chargers and subsequently played for the Green Bay Packers and the Cleveland Browns in his nine-year NFL career. He became the first player in NFL history to gain 1,000 yards receiving in each of his first three years in the league, a feat that has been repeated only once. Jefferson led the league in receiving yards in 1980 with 1,340 and also had a league-best 13 touchdown receptions. In the 1983 Pro Bowl, he was voted as co-MVP with Dan Fouts.



RANDALL MCDANIEL, OFFENSIVE LINEMAN, 1984-87

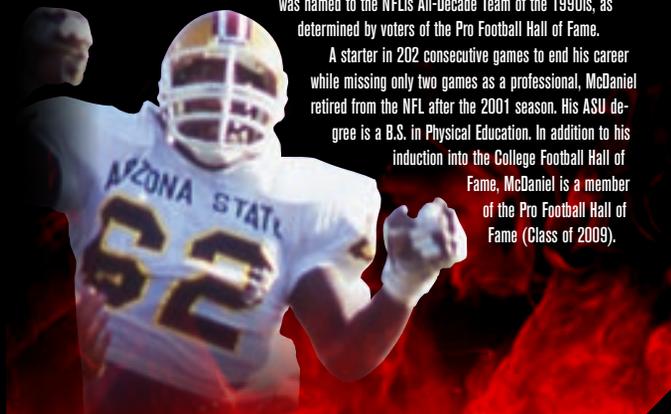
Widely considered one of the greatest offensive linemen to ever play for the Sun Devils, McDaniel lettered at ASU from 1984-87. During his career, the Phoenix native earned first-team All-Pacific-10 Conference honors at offensive guard in 1986 and 1987, and as a senior he became only the 10th player in school history to earn consensus All-America honors.

An integral component in ASU's 1986 Pac-10 Conference Champion squad, McDaniel also earned honorable mention All-America honors as a junior by the Associated Press and Kodak, helping lead the Sun Devils to ASU's first ever Rose Bowl victory, 22-15 over the University of Michigan.

In 1999, McDaniel was elected in Arizona State University's Athletics Hall of Fame.

McDaniel's football excellence continued after his collegiate career concluded, as he was selected 19th overall by the Minnesota Vikings in the 1988 NFL Draft. He would go on to enjoy a stellar 14-year career with both Minnesota and the Tampa Bay Buccaneers, earning an NFL record 12 Pro Bowl invitations (1989-2000), while also receiving NFL All-Pro recognition nine consecutive times (1990-98) and was named to the NFL's All-Decade Team of the 1990s, as determined by voters of the Pro Football Hall of Fame.

A starter in 202 consecutive games to end his career while missing only two games as a professional, McDaniel retired from the NFL after the 2001 season. His ASU degree is a B.S. in Physical Education. In addition to his induction into the College Football Hall of Fame, McDaniel is a member of the Pro Football Hall of Fame (Class of 2009).



SUN DEVILS IN THE COLLEGE FOOTBALL HALL OF FAME

Dan Devine - coach
Mike Haynes
John Jefferson
Frank Kush - coach
Ron Pritchard
Danny White
John Cooper - coach
Randall McDaniel
Pat Tillman



SUN DEVILS IN THE PRO FOOTBALL HALL OF FAME

Charley Taylor
John Henry Johnson
Mike Haynes
Randall McDaniel

