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**COLTS QB PEYTON MANNING, BENGALS QB CARSON PALMER
& FALCONS QB MICHAEL VICK; SEAHAWKS RB SHAUN ALEXANDER,
CHIEFS RB LARRY JOHNSON & CHARGERS RB LA DAINIAN TOMLINSON
CANDIDATES FOR FEDEX AIR & GROUND
NFL PLAYERS OF THE WEEK HONORS**

Fans To Vote For Winners On NFL.com

Quarterbacks **PEYTON MANNING** of the Indianapolis Colts, **CARSON PALMER** of the Cincinnati Bengals and **MICHAEL VICK** of the Atlanta Falcons are the finalists for FedEx Express NFL Player of the Week honors for games played on November 6-7, while running backs **SHAUN ALEXANDER** of the Seattle Seahawks, **LARRY JOHNSON** of the Kansas City Chiefs and **LA DAINIAN TOMLINSON** of the San Diego Chargers are the finalists for FedEx Ground NFL Player of the Week honors, the NFL announced today.

Fans can vote for one player in each category on NFL.com from Tuesday morning through noon EST on Friday to determine the FedEx Air & Ground NFL Players of the Week. The winners will be announced Friday afternoon on NFL.com.

Fans will be voting for more than their favorite player. For the second season in a row, the weekly FedEx Air & Ground NFL Players of the Week Awards are a win for the local community. Along with the award, FedEx will donate \$5,000 every week to the local children's hospital in each winning market. The children's hospitals in the two season-long winner's markets, announced at this year's Super Bowl, will be awarded \$25,000 each. That means that FedEx will deliver nearly \$250,000 to local children's hospitals around the country in recognition of the FedEx Air & Ground NFL Players of the Week Award winners.

A closer look at the FedEx Express NFL Player of the Week finalists:

- Indianapolis' Peyton Manning completed 28 of 37 passes for 321 yards and three touchdowns in the Colts' 40-21 victory over the New England Patriots. Manning threw touchdown passes of one, 10 and 30 yards.
- Cincinnati's Carson Palmer threw for 248 yards and two touchdowns (three and eight yards) on 19 of 26 passing for a passer rating of 128.4 in the Bengals' 21-9 victory over the AFC North-rival Baltimore Ravens.
- Atlanta's Michael Vick completed 22 of 31 passes for 228 yards, one touchdown (11 yards) and a 102.6 passer rating in the Falcons' 17-10 victory over the Miami Dolphins. Vick added eight carries for 38 yards.

A closer look at the FedEx Ground NFL Player of the Week finalists:

- Seattle's Shaun Alexander ran for 173 yards and two touchdowns on 23 carries in the Seahawks' 33-19 victory over the NFC West-rival Arizona Cardinals. Alexander scored on runs of 14 and 88 yards.
- Kansas City's Larry Johnson carried 22 times for 107 yards and two touchdowns in the Chiefs' 27-23 victory over the AFC West-rival Oakland Raiders. Johnson scored the game-winning, last-second touchdown from one-yard out.
- San Diego's LaDainian Tomlinson ran for 107 yards and three touchdowns on 25 carries in the Chargers' 31-26 victory over the New York Jets. Tomlinson also scored on a 25-yard reception.

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