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## TENNESSEE TITANS QB VINCE YOUNG VOTED WEEK 13 DIET PEPSI NFL ROOKIE OF THE WEEK

## Winner Selected By Fan Vote on NFL.com and Via Sprint Wireless Service

Voters on NFL.com and via Sprint wireless service have made their choice. Quarterback **VINCE YOUNG** of the Tennessee Titans is the **<u>DIET PEPSI NFL ROOKIE OF THE WEEK</u>** for games played on November 30 and December 3-4, the NFL announced today.

Young completed 15 of 25 passes for 163 yards and two touchdowns in the Titans' 20-17 victory over the Indianapolis Colts. Young, who also ran for 78 yards on 9 carries, threw touchdown passes of nine and 20 yards and led the Titans on a last-minute drive resulting in a 60-yard game-winning field goal.

More than 39,780 fans voted this week on NFL.com and via Sprint wireless service. Young was selected from among five finalists. The other finalists were running back **REGGIE BUSH** of the New Orleans Saints, quarterback **MATT LEINART** of the Arizona Cardinals, running back **JERIOUS NORWOOD** of the Atlanta Falcons and linebacker **DE MECO RYANS** of the Houston Texans.

After the regular season, five players will be nominated for Diet Pepsi NFL Rookie of the Year honors. Fans can vote for the winner on NFL.com and via Sprint wireless service throughout the month of January. The winner will be announced at a press conference at Super Bowl XLI in South Florida.

This is Pepsi's fifth year as the official soft drink sponsor of the NFL and the second year that Diet Pepsi will present the NFL Rookie of the Week and NFL Rookie of the Year awards.

## 2006 DIET PEPSI NFL ROOKIE OF THE WEEK

- Wk 1RB Reggie Bush (Southern California)
- Wk 2 LB Manny Lawson (North Carolina State)
- Wk 3 WR Greg Jennings (Western Michigan)
- Wk 4 RB Laurence Maroney (Minnesota)
- Wk 5 WR Hank Baskett (New Mexico)
- Wk 6 WR Santonio Holmes (Ohio St.)
- Wk 7 LB A.J. Hawk (Ohio State)
- Wk 8 WR Marques Colston (Hofstra)
- Wk 9 WR Marques Colston (Hofstra)
- Wk 10 LB A.J. Hawk (Ohio State)
- Wk 11 WR Santonio Holmes (Ohio St.)
- Wk 12 QB Vince Young (Texas)
- Wk 13 QB Vince Young (Texas)

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