

## BROWNIE BITS: Week 14

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Useless nuggets of information from Sunday's Browns game that you can certainly live without...

**HOME AWAY FROM HOME:** Sunday's loss was only the third time the Browns had ever been defeated in 12 trips to the city of Buffalo. Going in, they held a record of 8-2-1 in Buffalo against the modern-day Bills and the Bills/Bisons of the All-American Conference from 1946-1949. The only losses prior to Sunday came in 1981 and 2004. The Browns still lead the all-time series 11-6.

**BRINGING OUT THE WORST IN OUR QUARTERBACKS:** The Browns have had a different quarterback start in each of the last seven games they've played in Buffalo. And in six of those contests, the Browns' starting quarterback has been utterly miserable. Taking away **Bernie Kosar's**

solid performance in a gritty win in the rain in December of 1986, consider the stats in the other six contests:

1981: **Brian Sipe** - 14 of 37 (37.8%) for 199 yards, 1 TD 3 INT (31.3 quarterback rating)

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*1984: **Paul McDonald** - 7 of 18 (38.9%) for 86 yards, 0 TD 1 INT (31.3 quarterback rating)*

*2004: **Luke McCown** - 8 of 20 (40%) for 62 yards, 1 TD 2 INT (25.4 quarterback rating)*

*2008: **Brady Quinn** - 14 of 36 (38.9%) for 185 yards, 0 TD 0 INT (55.9 quarterback rating)*

*2009: **Derek Anderson** - 2 of 17 (11.8%) for 23 yards, 0 TD 1 INT (15.1 quarterback rating)*

*2010: **Jake Delhomme** - 12 of 20 (60%) for 86 yards, 0 TD 1 INT (49.2 quarterback rating)*

Put all six games together and you get a very high-school-quarterback-with-the-flu total of:

57 of 148 (38.5%) for 641 yards, 2 TD 8 INT (34.2 quarterback rating). Adding insult to injury, four of those Buffalo teams finished with losing records and only one (1981) made the playoffs.

Yet perhaps the most amazing statistic of all: the Browns actually won three of these six games.

