

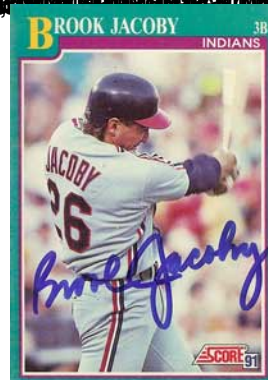
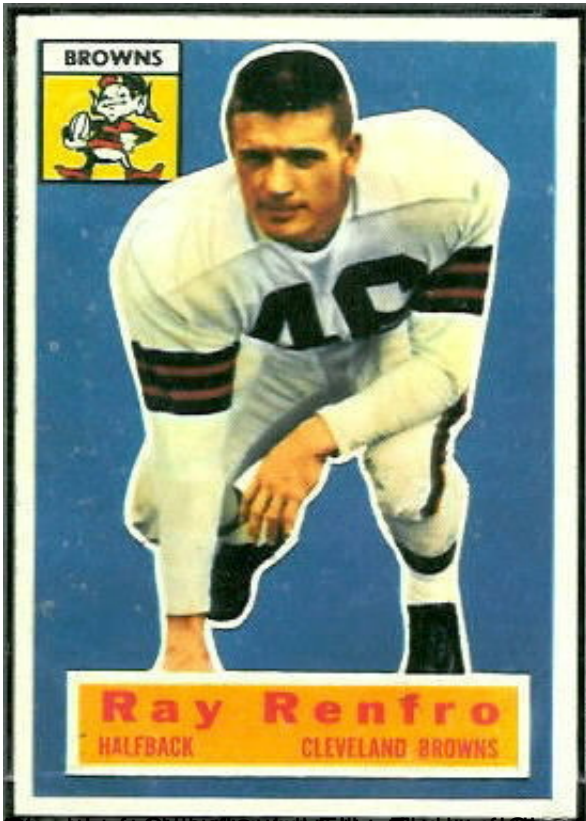
*This is one installment in a team effort by The Cleveland Fan, highlighting the top local sports figures by jersey number. Please weigh in with your thoughts, in the Boards. As David Letterman would say, "For entertainment purposes only; please, no wagering."*

In Cleveland in March, two songs from the recent holiday season can seem oddly appropriate. The significance of each is diametrically opposed to the other.

"It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas..." Yeah, we'll move on from that one.

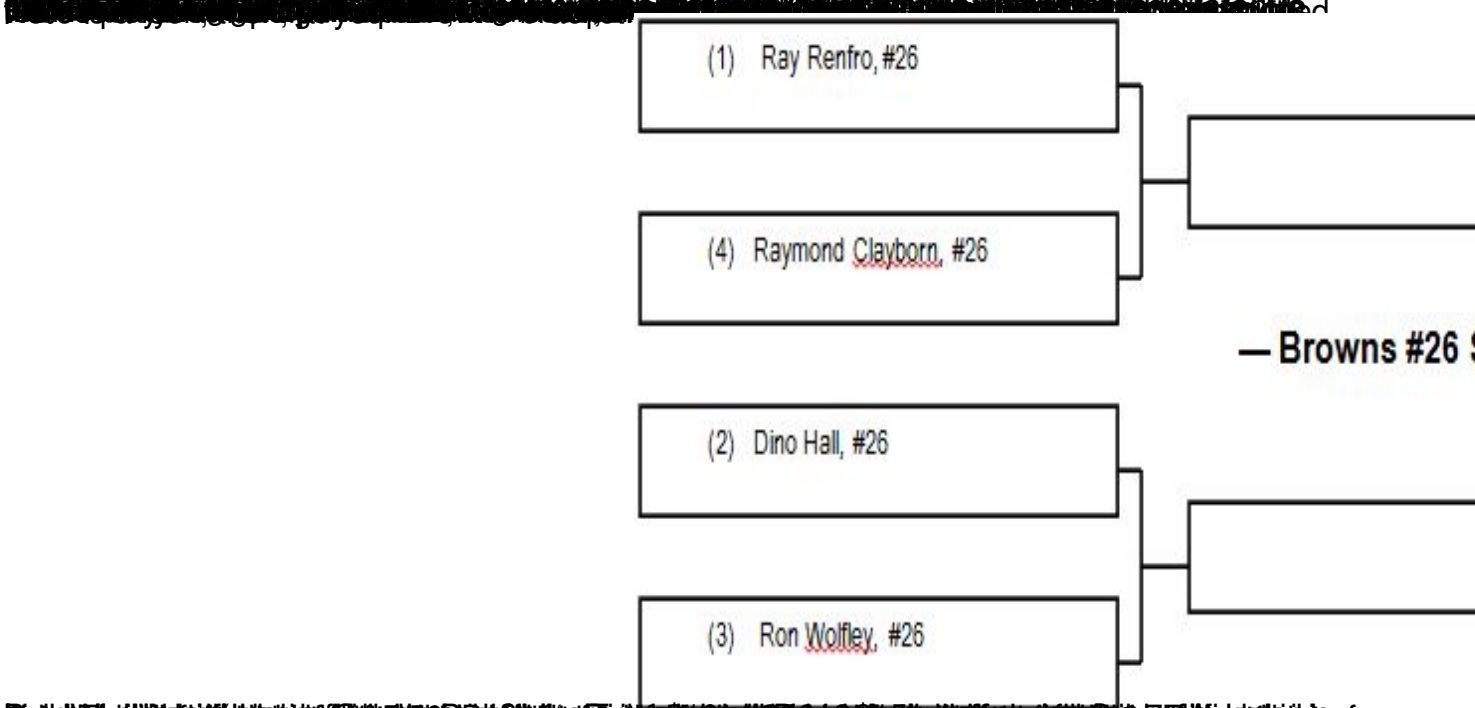
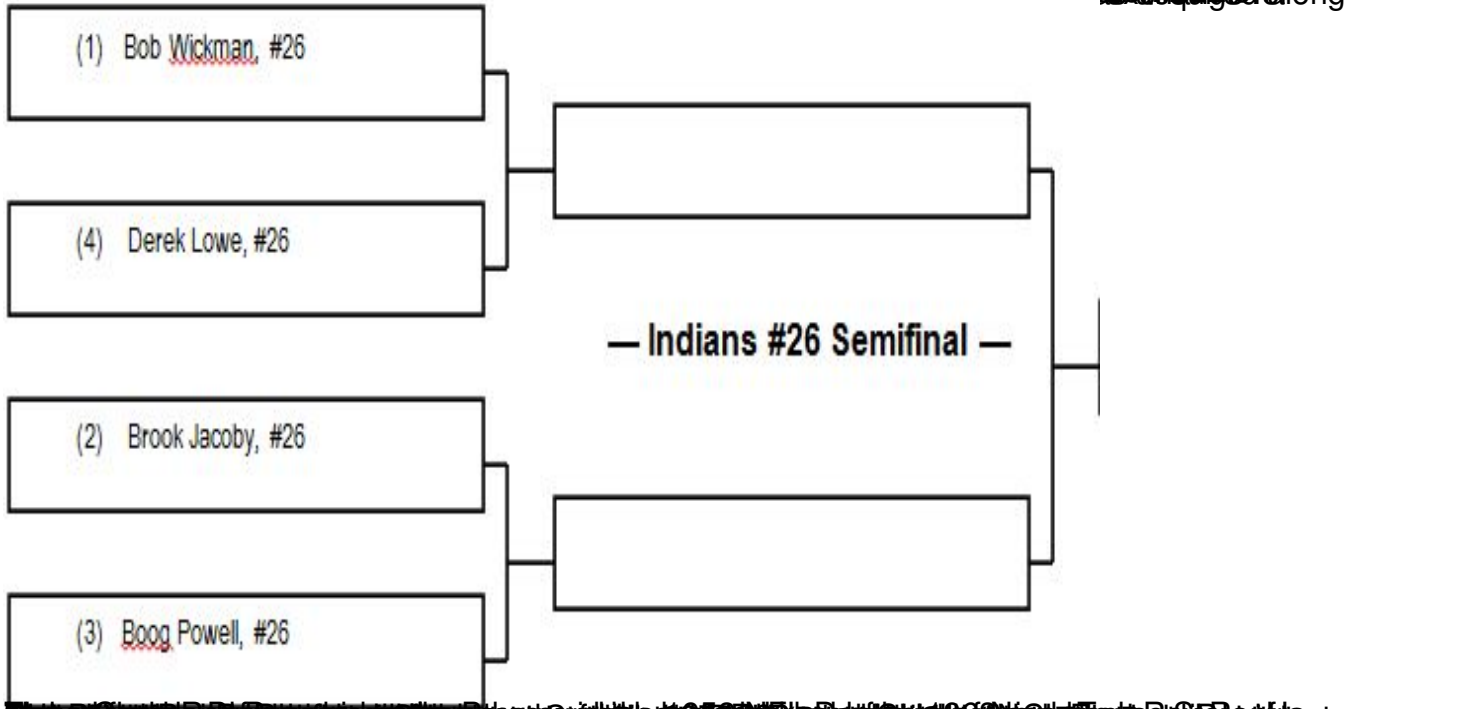
"It's the most, wonderful tiiiiime, of the yearrrr." There we go.

The 2013 Tribe has injected life into its fan base with their offseason acquisitions. Kyrie and the Cavaliers are providing a glint of optimism for their future. The Browns have free agency and the NFL draft on their horizon. And with the NASCAR season beginning anew, the weekly rhythm of truck race, Nationwide race, and Cup race will provide nine more months of its own brand of competition, soap opera intrigue and family room nap opportunities. (Did I say that out loud?)





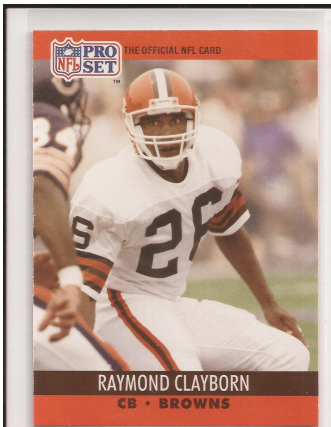
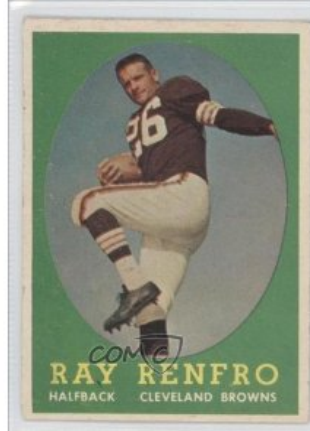
Boog Powell, Cleveland Indians, 1969. Photo by Steve's Baseball Photography Pages.

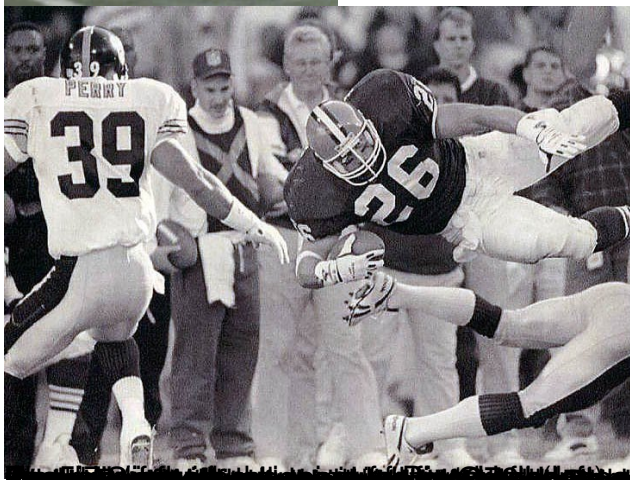


(1) Bob Wickman, #26

— Indians #26 Semifinal —

(2) Brook Jacoby, #26

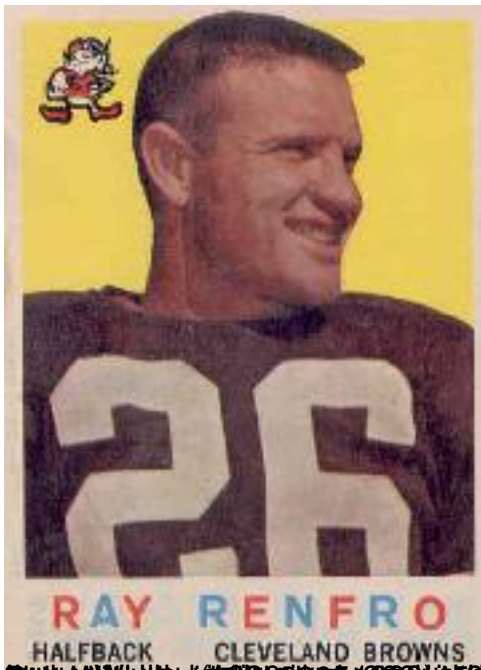




(1) Ray Renfro, #26

— Browns #26 Semifinal —

(2) Dino Hall, #26



(1) Bob Wickman, #26

**Top #26 of All Time**

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