

Join now! Support the NFLPA Former Players!



NFLPA FORMER PLAYERS MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

To become a member or renew your membership, complete both sides of the application and return to:

NFL Players Association
1133 20th St., NW
Washington, DC 20036

Full Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Street Address _____ City, State, Zip Code _____

Home Phone _____ Mobile Phone _____ Fax _____

Personal Email _____ Facebook URL _____

LinkedIn URL _____ Twitter Username _____

Spouse's Name _____ Spouse's Mobile Phone _____

How many years did you play in the NFL? _____

What NFL teams did you play for? Please list all and include team, position and year(s).

What NCAA football team did you play for? School _____ Start Year _____ Completion Year _____

What is your current employment status? Full-time Part-time Retired

Do you wish to be listed in the next Former Players Directory for publication? Yes No

Name of Company _____ Job Title _____

Company Website _____ Business Email _____

Street Address _____ City, State, Zip Code _____

Business Phone _____ Business Fax _____

Brief Business Description: _____

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The following information requested is vital to the NFLPA for communicating with members effectively.

1. How did you first hear about the NFLPA Former Players Organization?

- Member: _____ (name)
- Teammate/Friend
- Internet/Official Website
- Mail/Email Promotion
- NFLPA Conference/Event
- Chapter Officer
- Social Media
- Referral Program
- NFLPA Staff: _____ (name)
- Other: _____

2. Which services best meet your primary needs?

The NFLPA will send announcements pertaining to services that you check.
(Check all that apply)

- Social activities and events
- Mental health resources
- Career placement resources
- Life skills training resources
- Financial assistance resources
- Education resources
- Benefits and insurance Information
- Business networking
- Leadership opportunities
- Charitable activities
- Political activism

3. Which forms of communication would you prefer the NFLPA to use?

(Check all that apply)

- Phone
- Text Message
- Email
- Mail
- Twitter
- Facebook
- Fax
- Other: _____

4. Indicate highest level of education attained.

- High School
- Associate's Degree
- Some college — no degree
- Bachelor's Degree
- Master's Degree
- MBA
- JD
- Doctorate

5. Are you preparing for a second career?

- Yes
- No

If yes, what career fields are you most interested in?

6. Are you fluent in another language?

- No
- Yes _____ (Please specify language)

MEMBERSHIP OPTION

Please choose your payment option (check one box):

- 1 Year Membership \$100.00
- 5 Year Membership \$400.00

Voluntary Contribution to Gene Upshaw Players Assistance Trust Fund

Help assist the GU PAT Fund through a contribution. Your contribution may be tax deductible and is strictly voluntary.

\$

Total Check \$

METHOD OF PAYMENT (Note: all payments must be in U.S. dollars)

- Check/Money Order**
Please make checks payable to NFLPA

If you wish to pay by credit card, please complete the following:

- American Express
- Master Card
- Visa

Name on Card: _____

Card Number: _____

Expiration Date: _____

Billing address for credit card (if not same as home address):

I hereby apply for membership in the NFLPA Former Players. I will abide by its Bylaws. I have read and understand the membership eligibility. I agree that the decision of NFLPA on this application shall be final. All of the statements contained in this application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

NFLPA Former Players Membership Information



NFLPA Former Player Services Department

A Continued Voice in Your Organization

In 1984, the Retired Players Organization was formed to provide an active voice for all former professional football players. Goals were set, local chapters were formed and an agenda fitting the needs of former players of all ages was put into place. In 2009, the name was formally changed to the Former Players Organization.

Goals and objectives of the organization include:

- To meet former player needs with the right services;
- To continuously communicate and involve former players of all ages to create an exclusive fraternity;
- To work collaboratively with other NFLPA departments and former players to give outstanding value to members;
- To provide leadership, administration, coordination and implementation services to former players and chapters.

To Become a Member

Please complete the application form or call the NFLPA's Former Players Department at **1-800-372-2000**. By joining, you become a member of the national NFLPA Former Players Organization as well as your local chapter.

Membership Eligibility

Memberships are nontransferable and nonrefundable.

Annual dues payments cover one calendar year. Renewing members are eligible to renew within the current calendar year at a dues rate of \$100. A 5-year membership dues shall be renewed at regular 5-year intervals is also available.

The NFLPA shall retain 50% of the annual dues collected from members, and the member's local chapter will receive the other 50% in the form of dues rebates transferred from NFLPA. The NFLPA will keep 100% of dues if a member lives in an area where there is no chapter.

Chapters

Join a chapter to expand your circle of contacts, attend programs, step into leadership roles and learn about local business and job opportunities. Members are assigned to the local chapters corresponding to their geographic locations as indicated by their home mailing address. A list of all NFLPA chapters is available on nflplayers.com.

Upon NFLPA Former Player Services acceptance, applicant information is forwarded to the local chapter.

The NFLPA does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, sexual orientation or any other characteristic protected by law.

What does NFLPA Former Player Services provide?

The Gene Upshaw Player Assistance Trust Fund

The Gene Upshaw Players Assistance Trust Fund is designed to assist former players during their times of need. Since its inception in 1990 the GU PAT Fund has provided grant assistance to more than 1,600 former players in excess of \$11.1 million. For more information contact your Former Players Services Department at 1-800-372-2000 or via email at ProfessionalAthletesFoundation@nflplayers.com.

- PAF Charitable Organization Grants

Meeting Your Health Needs

- Medicare Supplement Benefit
- Prescription Drug Card
- Deborah Hospital: Heart and Lung Care
- University of Michigan Depression Center
- Mayo Clinic

Education Opportunities

- University of Phoenix Scholarship Program
- American Public University

Let Us Help Your Career

- SCORE.org

Through a partnership with the NFLPA, SCORE mentors deliver FREE, confidential, valuable advice for former player business needs all across the country. Whether you are a start-up, an existing business, franchisee or wanting to know what business to get into, SCORE mentors help former players reach customers and achieve their business goals.

- NFLPA Career Opportunity Expo at the Former Players Convention

Let's Get Together!

- NFLPA Former Players Convention
- NFLPA Former Players Golf Challenge
- NFLPA Former Players Exit Symposium
- NFLPA Collegiate Bowl
- NFLPA Super Bowl Players Party
- NFLPA Former Players Smocks & Jocks Art Event

Member Discounts

As an NFLPA value-added benefit, members will have access to thousands of dollars in discounts and savings opportunities offered by more than 36 companies, including car rentals, hotels, sports equipment, merchandise, etc. Many Union Plus deals with savings are designed to serve you and your family.

NFLPA Former Players Newsletter

Provides news related to benefits, member discounts, member programs, NFLPA events, health, technology and business information.