

OLB**44****DEON
LACEY****6'3"****235****1ST YEAR**

JULY 18, 1990 (AGE 27)

HUEYTOWN,
ALABAMAHUEYTOWN
HIGH SCHOOL

UNIVERSITY OF WEST ALABAMA

ACQUIRED**2017**WAS CLAIMED OFF OF WAIVERS FROM
MIAMI ON SEPTEMBER 3, 2017.

IF YOU HAVEN'T 'HERD'

FOOTBALL CHAMP

Though he didn't join the NFL immediately after college, Lacey suited up for the Edmonton Eskimos of the Canadian Football League for three seasons, producing a total of 114 defensive tackles, 68 special-team tackles and seven sacks.

Lacey helped lead the team to a 14-4 record and the 2015 Grey Cup Championship in his second CFL season. Lacey finished out that season with 41 total tackles and four forced fumbles.

In 2016, Lacey finished with 78 tackles, 3 picks (one returned for a TD), one sack and 16 special teams tackles.

CRUCIAL MOMENT



Lacey recorded a tackle in a crucial fourth down situation. In game three, Denver faked a punt and failed to convert as Lacey read the play and made the stop.



FIRST-AND-10

DEON LACEY WAS SIGNED BY THE BUFFALO BILLS IN 2017 after spending training camp with the Miami Dolphins.

Lacey spent the previous three years in the Canadian Football League for the Edmonton Eskimos and played four seasons for West Alabama prior to joining the CFL.

SWEET HOME ALABAMA

Lacey only lettered for two seasons at Hueytown High School in Alabama, but he certainly left his mark in those two seasons. In his senior season, he was named All-State, Super All-Metro, Old Spice Player of the Year and Defensive Player of the Year while playing for the Golden Gophers. The team did well on the offensive side of the ball as well, with current Tampa Bay Buccaneers QB Jameis Winston under center.

Lacey also ran track and set the school record in the 400-meter dash with a time of 52.57. He went on to commit to West Alabama, a small-town D-II team in Livingston, AL (pop. 3,500) that competes in the Gulf South Conference. As a junior in 2011, Lacey was named Gulf South Conference Defensive Player of the Year after finishing with 97 tackles, nine tackles for loss, four sacks, two interceptions, and a fumble recovery. The team finished 2011 with an 8-4 record that featured a 31-26 upset of No. 5 North Alabama.

PERSONAL

Born on July 18, 1990 in Indianapolis, IN, Deon is the son of Tonya Lacey and David Fuller. Deon has three brothers and majored in Physical Education while at West Alabama. Deon's favorite TV show is Family Guy and his favorite movie is Shottas.

