



**1.) What was the original name of the Pittsburgh Steelers?**

- B. The Pirates

The Pittsburgh football franchise was founded by Art Rooney on July 7, 1933. When he chose the name for his team, he followed the customary practice around the National Football League of naming the football team the same as the baseball team if there was already a baseball team established in the city. So the professional football team was originally called the Pittsburgh Pirates.

**2.) How many Pittsburgh Steelers have had their picture on a Wheaties Box?**

- C. 13

Since Wheaties boxes have started featuring professional athletes and other famous people, 13 Steelers have had their pictures on the box. These players are Kevin Greene, Greg Lloyd, Neil O'Donnell, Yancey Thigpen, Bam Morris, Franco Harris, Joe Greene, Terry Bradshaw, Barry Foster, Merrill Hoge, Carnell Lake, Bobby Layne, and Rod Woodson.

**3.) How did sportscaster Curt Gowdy refer to the Immaculate Reception, which happened two days before Christmas? Watch video [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GMuUBZ\\_DaEM](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GMuUBZ_DaEM)**

- A. The Miracle of All Miracles

“You talk about Christmas miracles. Here's the miracle of all miracles. Watch this one now. Bradshaw is lucky to even get rid of the ball! He shoots it out. Jack Tatum deflects it right into the hands of Harris. And he sets off. And the big 230-pound rookie slipped away from Warren and scored.”

—Sportscaster Curt Gowdy, describing an instant replay of the play on NBC

**4.) URA Acting Executive Director Robert Rubinstein holds what football record at Churchill Area High School?**

- B. Most fumble recoveries. Robert was #71. He was a defensive end and an offensive lineman.

**5.) How many AFC championship games were played and won at Three Rivers Stadium?**

- A. 4

Three Rivers played host to seven AFC Championship Games, four of which were won by the home club.

**6.) Roy Gerela was the kicker for the Steelers on how many Super Bowl winning Steeler teams?**

C. 3

Gerela kicked in Steelers Super Bowls of 1975, 1976 and 1979, but not the 1980 Super Bowl.

**7.) Who is considered to be the greatest Pittsburgh Steeler of all time?**

D. Mean Joe Greene (But it's okay if you disagree! ;)

Many consider Mean Joe Greene the greatest Pittsburgh Steeler of all time. He almost never missed a game. He played 91 consecutive games to start his career before getting injured in 1975. He played in 181 of a possible 190 games during his 13-year career. In addition to his 10 Pro Bowls, he was NFL defensive player of the year in 1972 and 1974 and was named first-team All-Pro five times. He was enshrined in the Pro Football Hall of Fame in 1987. His jersey was retired on Nov. 2, 2014.

Read more: <http://www.post-gazette.com/sports/steelers/2014/11/02/Jersey-retirement-brings-out-the-emotions-in-Mean-Joe-Greene/stories/201411020265>

Watch video: <http://www.nfl.com/videos/nfl-network-top-ten/09000d5d81d2bbb6/Top-Ten-Steelers-of-All-Time-Joe-Greene>