

## **Roger Goodell Biography**

Roger Goodell is the eighth chief executive of the National Football League. He took office on September 1, 2006, 24 years after he joined the league where he held numerous football and business operations roles prior to being elected Commissioner.

Commissioner Goodell's priorities have focused on improving all aspects of the game for fans, players, and the clubs, while successfully growing the popularity of the NFL and its 32 teams around the world. Fan interest in the NFL has soared on all platforms, including the largest domestic audiences in television history, as well as enormous growth in digital and social media engagement.

Under Commissioner Goodell's leadership, the NFL has focused on improvements to player health and safety, benefits for retired players, the league's personal conduct policy, social responsibility programs, diversity in hiring practices, revenue sharing, stadium development, fan experience, media innovation, international development, officiating and rules changes. These enhancements have increased the quality, safety and enjoyment of the game.

Commissioner Goodell and his wife Jane are the proud parents of twin girls. He serves on the boards of Big Brothers and Big Sisters of New York City, National Football Foundation, GENYOUth Foundation, and The Paley Center for Media.