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<u>Amsterdam</u>	4	3	C
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- Amsterdam and Cologne
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Through seven games this season, Boone – who won a World Bowl ring with the Thunder in 2004 – has caught a team-leading 26 passes for 363 yards and 3 touchdowns.

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honors. (city-press.net)

"Coach Lantz told me that with this being my second year, I needed to step up with wide receiver Michael Jennings down with an injury today," Boone said. "Fortunately, I was able to do that and we got on a little bit of a roll."

German defensive end Christian Mohr – who was allocated to NFL Europe by the Seattle Seahawks – was named National Player of Week 7 as he registered 5 tackles, 1 sack and 1 forced fumble while helping Berlin improve to a league-leading 5-2 record.

Mohr, who has recorded 16 tackles, a team-leading 3 sacks and 2 forced fumbles this season, said: "I was happy with my own performance but it was really the whole defense that came together. I am making progress but I know that I have to keep working hard.

"Once this season is over my goal is to go to training camp with Seattle and win a roster spot, but right now I am not thinking beyond our last three games of the year. I want a successful end to the season with the Thunder and to become a better player."

Defensive Player of the Week honors went to Hamburg Sea Devils safety Shawn Mayer (Atlanta Falcons) who tied the NFLEL single-game record with 3 interceptions for 36 yards during his team's 30-24 overtime defeat of the Amsterdam Admirals. His interception total matched a feat achieved on eight previous occasions in the NFL Europe League.

Mayer added 7 tackles during a game that saw quarterbacks from both teams combine to throw a league record 10 interceptions. The Falcons-allocated defensive back now leads NFL Europe with 5 interceptions for 48 yards and has added 31 tackles, 7 pass break-ups and a forced fumble.

"We had some very important and outstanding performances tonight," Sea Devils head coach Jack Bicknell said. "I thought Shawn Mayer played extremely well and was a big factor in us winning the game."

"Interception-wise, it was a great game for me personally," added Mayer. "I have some little things to improve on but it was a solid performance and we won – that's what it's all about."

Cologne kicker Jimmy Kibble was named Special Teams Player of the Week after his



Jimmy Kibble's overtime field goal won the game for Cologne. (waynepaulo.com)

After landing his game-winner in rainy, slippery conditions, Kibble said: "I just kept thinking, 'Don't slip.' Center Mike Mabry and holder Kevin Thompson, and the offensive line, are the ones who gave me the shot to kick it. For me it was just a case of doing what I do."

Kibble also converted a 43-yard field goal and 2 of 2 PATs. He has successfully kicked 13 of 15 field goals this season and ranks third in NFL Europe with 53 points.

NFL EUROPE LEAGUE PLAYER OF THE WEEK AWARDS - \			
OFFENSIVE	AARON BOONE		
DEFENSIVE	SHAWN MAYER		
SPECIAL TEAMS	JIMMY KIBBLE		
NATIONAL	CHRISTIAN MOHR		

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