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3 days in Washington with 4 NFL players fighting for criminal justice reform
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Political football: NFL players spend three weeks working on Capitol Hill

Seattle Seahawks guard Will Pericak, left, works with Senator Cory Gardner (R-Colo.) during a hearing on Capitol Hill. (Melina Mara/The Washington Post)
NFL PLAYERS MALCOLM JENKINS AND ANQUAN BOLDIN RELEASE A VIDEO EXPLAINING THEIR PROTESTS SEPT. 6, 2017


**Boldin**

“One of the many things that make our country great is that it was founded on the idea of justice for all. And we feel that it’s our responsibility to take a stand against the injustices that we see happening in America right now.”

“We’re looking for police accountability so we can rebuild trust and work together to make our communities safer. This is about lifting up our communities and treating them with the dignity and support they deserve.”

**Jenkins**

“We’re fighting to pass Clean Slate legislation in the state of Pennsylvania that would automatically seal non-violent misdemeanor records after 10 years.”

“Whether you think it is a protest or a demonstration, really, it doesn’t matter. As long as we are keeping these conversations going long enough to redirect some of that attention to the work, to the actual call to action, it’s worth it.”

“Athletes have been doing this work for a long time. We just don’t hear about it, and it doesn’t get the same kind of hype. That’s where these demonstrations are useful, because regardless of how you feel about them, they keep that conversation going.”
MARCUS PETERS, JIMMY GRAHAM AND OTHER NFL PLAYERS WEAR “JUSTICE FOR ALL” CLEATS SEPT. 7 AND 10, 2017

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SEPT. 7, 2017

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SERENA WILLIAMS RESPONDS TO RACIST REMARKS ABOUT HER CHILD APRIL 24, 2017

It disappoints me to know we live in a society where people like Ili Nastase can make such racist comments towards myself and unborn child, and sexist comments against my peers.

I have said it once and I’ll say it again, this world has come so far but yet we have so much further to go. Yes, we have broken down so many barriers; however there are a plethora more to go. This or anything else will not stop me from pouring love, light and positivity into everything that I do. I will continue to take a lead and stand up for what’s right.

I am not afraid unlike you. You see, I am no coward. “Does my sassiness upset you? Why are you beset with gloom? You may shoot me with your words… you may try to kill me with your hatefulness, but still like air, I rise.

I humbly thank the ITF for any consideration given to all the facts in this case. They will have my full support.

Serena

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Aaron Rodgers

“I think he should be on a roster right now. I think because of his protests, he’s not.”

“I’m gonna stand because that’s the way I feel about the flag — but I’m also 100 percent supportive of my teammates or any fellow players who are choosing not to. They have a battle for racial equality. That’s what they’re trying to get a conversation started around.”

Tom Brady

“I’ve always watched him and admired him, the way that he’s played. He was a great young quarterback. He came to our stadium and beat us and took his team to the Super Bowl in 2012. He accomplished a lot in the pros as a player. And he’s certainly qualified, and I hope he gets a shot.”

Source: http://ftw.usatoday.com/2017/08/aaron-rodgers-colin-kaepernick-protests

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