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Two former NFL and Rutgers football players join Trinity Financial Advisory Board

Wall, NJ: Peter Grandich, founder of Trinity Financial Sports & Entertainment Management Company, Atlantic Avenue, announced today that former NFL quarterback Ray Lucas and former NFL defensive player and long snapper Ryan Neill have joined the company's corporate advisory board. Both Lucas and Neill also played for Rutgers University.

"Lucas and Neill are both former Scarlet Knight and NFL football players with strong ties to the community," says Grandich. "I am pleased to have them both join our board."

Grandich explains that the purpose of Trinity Financial Advisory Board is to provide guidance to the firm's unique niche clientele. Through their own life experiences, Christian advisory board members can help guide athletes and entertainers through many of the challenges that celebrity can often bring.

"I've had the privilege of knowing Ray for a few years now and I truly believe God is using him in a most powerful way," says Peter Grandich. "Ray's total willingness to open his entire life and battles to the public eye is a testament to his humility and desire to help others. I can't think of a better description of a Trinity board member."

"It is my honor and pleasure to join Trinity's board," says Lucas.

Of Neill, Grandich says, “Besides starring at Rutgers and playing in the NFL, Ryan has been a tremendous help with the Fellowship of Christian Athletes here in New Jersey. His presence at so many FCA events inspires the young men and women both involved with FCA and those considering it.”

“I am glad to join the board of Trinity, it is an honor to join a group of such integrity,” says Neill.

About Ray Lucas

Ray Lucas is a former NFL quarterback who from 1996 to 2002 was a member of the New England Patriots, New York Jets, Miami Dolphins and Baltimore Ravens. Known for his athleticism and versatility, Lucas not only played QB, but also WR and special teams. Lucas led the Jets to a 6-3 record as a starter after replacing the injured Vinny Testaverde at QB in 1997.

Lucas originally signed with New England as a free agent in 1996, after going un-drafted out of Rutgers University, where he played for three seasons, from 1992-95. After leaving the Jets in 2000, Lucas played in 17 games over two seasons for the Miami Dolphins before finishing up his career with Baltimore.

A New Jersey-native, Ray is currently a studio analyst on the SportsNet New York network, appearing on a number of SNY’s exclusive Jets shows, including “Jets Post Game Live!”, “Jets Extra Point,” “Jets Nation” and SNY’s Jets Draft show. Lucas also contributes to the network’s website, www.sny.tv, as well as SNY’s news shows, “Daily News Live” and “SportsNite.” He resides in Harrison, NJ with his wife and three children.

About Ryan Neill

Ryan Neill grew up in New Jersey and was a stand-out All-State player in high school. During his college career, he started in 35 of 41 games at Rutgers and is one of the top five in school history for quarterback sacks with 19.0.

Ryan went on to sign with the Buffalo Bills in 2006, and handled long-snapping duties from 2007-2008. He went on to play with both the St. Louis Rams and San Diego Chargers. He retired from pro football following the 2010 season.

Ryan Neill is the son of former New York Giants nose guard Bill Neill. He is currently working in the Orthopedic Sports Medicine industry. Ryan and his wife Tiffany have a daughter, Alyssa, and son, Brody. They reside in Morris Plains.

About Trinity Financial

Trinity Financial, Sports & Entertainment Management Company offers a variety of services for individuals and small to mid-sized businesses. Additionally, through the assistance of co-founder and company consultant Lee Rouson, former New York Giants running back and two-time Super Bowl Champion, Trinity Financial offers specialized services for professional athletes and entertainers. Peter Grandich is a member of the National Association of Christian Financial Consultants. His daily financial blog, *The Grandich Letter*, is read online by thousands of investors at www.grandich.com. The company is located at 2431 Atlantic Avenue, Manasquan, NJ. For information about Trinity Financial, go to www.TrinityFSEM.com.

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