



JOHN JORDAN O'NEIL "BUCK"

MEMPHIS RED SOX, KANSAS CITY MONARCHS, CHICAGO CUBS,
KANSAS CITY ROYALS, KANSAS CITY T-BONES, 1937 - 2006.

PLAYED IN TWO NEGRO LEAGUE WORLD SERIES, PART OF 1942 NEGRO
LEAGUES CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM, HAD FOUR .300-PLUS SEASONS, GUIDED THE
KANSAS CITY MONARCHS TO FOUR LEAGUE TITLES AS PLAYER/MANAGER,

WON TWO NEGRO LEAGUES BATTING TITLES, BECAME FIRST
AFRICAN-AMERICAN MAJOR LEAGUE COACH IN 1962, LED THE EFFORT
TO ESTABLISH THE NEGRO LEAGUES BASEBALL MUSEUM, ONE OF
BASEBALL'S MOST BELOVED FIGURES.