

Privacy Policy — The Sports Judge

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This Privacy Policy describes how **The Sports Judge** ("the App," "we," "us," or "our") handles information when you use our iOS application. If you do not agree with this policy, please do not use the App.

Summary

Topic	What we do
Account	No account or login is required.
Picks & record	Weekly cards, grades, and Aggregator choices are stored on your device .
AI	The Judge card is written on your device using Apple's on-device Foundation Models when available. Otherwise a last-season formula runs on your device . We do not send picks, scores, or prompts to our servers or to a third-party AI service.
Live scores	The App loads public NFL schedule, score, spread, and standings feeds. That traffic does not include an account you create with us.
Purchases	Remove Ads and Judge Pro are processed by Apple through the App Store.
Free tier ads	We use Google Mobile Ads (AdMob) for non-personalized banner ads. Google may collect limited data for advertising and measurement as described below and in Google's policies.
Tracking	The App does not request App Tracking Transparency and does not use data for tracking as defined by Apple.

Who we are

The App is published by **Jean-Claude Moritz / DocApps.com, LLC** ("Developer").

- **App name:** The Sports Judge

- **Bundle identifier:** com.docapps.thesportsjudge
- **Privacy policy URL:** <https://jean-claude-moritz.com/privacy-policy>
- **Support / contact:** sales@docapps.com

This App is **entertainment opinion**. It is **not** a sportsbook, it does **not** take deposits or pay winnings, and it is **not** an official NFL product.

Information stored on your device

When you use the App, the following is stored **on your device** in the App's private storage:

- Cached NFL schedule, scores, spreads, and standings used to show the week
- The weekly Judge card (locks, grades, and whether Apple Intelligence or the formula wrote that week)
- Appearance preference (system, light, or dark)
- Purchase entitlements (whether ads are removed and whether Judge Pro is unlocked)
- Temporary Aggregator PDF files you create when you share a report

We do **not** operate a server that stores your picks, record, or Aggregator reports.

Network requests the App makes

The App may contact:

- **Public ESPN NFL feeds** for schedule, scores, spreads, and standings. These are public sports-data endpoints. We do not send your name, email, or an App account (the App has none). ESPN's handling of ordinary web/app traffic is governed by ESPN's own policies.
- **Apple** for App Store purchases and receipt validation (StoreKit).
- **Google** for advertising when you are on the free tier (AdMob), as described below.

The App does **not** upload weekly picks to jean-claude-moritz.com. Cards are written and frozen on the device.

On-device AI

On supported devices and iOS versions, the App uses Apple's **on-device Foundation Models** (Apple Intelligence) to help write the weekly card from the schedule and form already on the device.

- This processing happens **on your device**.
- We do **not** send card prompts, team names, spreads, or results to our servers or to a cloud AI API.

- If Apple Intelligence is not available, the App uses a last-season **formula** on the device instead.

Picks are **entertainment opinion**, not betting advice.

Permissions

The App does **not** request App Tracking Transparency or access the advertising identifier for cross-app tracking.

Free tier: advertising (Google Mobile Ads)

If you use the App **without** Remove Ads or Judge Pro, you may see **banner advertisements** served through Google's **Mobile Ads SDK (AdMob)**. Ads are configured for **non-personalized** delivery; the App does not present an ATT prompt and does not use collected data for Apple-defined tracking.

When ads are shown, **Google** (and its partners) may collect and use information such as device identifiers used for advertising and fraud prevention (not for cross-app tracking by this App), IP address and coarse location derived from IP, and ad interaction and performance data.

This collection is governed by Google's Privacy Policy:

- <https://policies.google.com/privacy>
- <https://support.google.com/admob/answer/6128543> (AdMob & privacy)

The App includes **SKAdNetwork** identifiers used for ad attribution on iOS. **Remove Ads** and **Judge Pro** hide in-app banner ads. Purchasing does not retroactively limit data Google may have collected before you upgraded. We do **not** sell your picks or record to advertisers.

In-app purchases

Remove Ads and **Judge Pro** are **one-time, non-consumable** in-app purchases processed by **Apple**. We do not receive your full payment card details. Apple may provide us with purchase-related information (such as transaction status and entitlement) through StoreKit so we can hide ads and unlock Judge Pro (a 10-pick card on new weeks). Apple's handling of payment and account data is described in Apple's Privacy Policy: <https://www.apple.com/legal/privacy/>

Sharing

When you share an Aggregator PDF, you send a file to a destination **you** choose (Mail, Files, AirDrop, third-party apps, etc.). We do not control how those services handle the file.

What we do not do

- We do **not** require you to create an account with us.
- We do **not** operate a cloud database of your picks.
- We do **not** take bets, deposits, or payouts.
- We do **not** provide a sportsbook, odds-boosts, or gambling account.
- We do **not** send your weekly card to a third-party AI service.

Data retention and deletion

- Cached scores, cards, and settings remain on your device until you **delete the App**.
- Uninstalling the App removes locally stored App data from that device, subject to iOS backup behavior if you use device backups.
- PDFs you saved or shared elsewhere are controlled by you and those services.

Security

We rely on Apple's iOS platform security (app sandboxing, encryption on supported devices, etc.) to protect data stored in the App's container. No method of storage is 100% secure; keep your device passcode/biometrics enabled.

Children's privacy

The App is not directed at children under 13 (or the minimum age in your jurisdiction). It is intended for adults. We do not knowingly collect personal information from children. If you believe a child has provided information through the App, contact us.

International users

The App may be available in various countries. If you use the App in the European Economic Area, United Kingdom, or other regions with privacy laws, you may have rights to access, correct, delete, or restrict certain processing of personal information. Because picks and settings in this version are stored on your device and not on our servers, many requests can be fulfilled by you directly (delete the App). For questions about advertising data held by Google, see Google's privacy tools and policies. For purchase data, see Apple's account settings.

California privacy notice (summary)

California residents may have additional rights under the CCPA/CPRA regarding personal information collected by third parties such as ad partners. We do not sell personal information

for money. Free-tier ads are non-personalized; see Google's disclosures and opt-out resources for any data Google processes.

Third-party services (summary)

Service	Role
Apple (iOS, on-device Foundation Models, App Store, StoreKit)	Platform, on-device Judge card, purchases
Google (AdMob)	Advertising on free tier
Public ESPN NFL feeds	Schedule, scores, spreads, and standings displayed in the App

Changes to this policy

We may update this Privacy Policy from time to time. We will post the updated version at <https://jean-claude-moritz.com/privacy-policy> and change the Last updated date. Continued use of the App after changes means you accept the updated policy.

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App Store privacy labels

Apple's App Privacy details for the App (data types collected by the App and linked third-party SDKs) are shown on the App Store product page. Those labels should be read together with this policy. If you use the free tier, data collection related to advertising is primarily associated with Google Mobile Ads, as declared in App Store Connect.

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