



Bases Loaded

Headache for Fixtures Sec But Lions beat Sox to keep title race open

FOR the second time this season Tuesday's games were called off because of the weather. With heavy storms the previous two or three days, and more rain forecast, Parrswood groundsman Dave Letven took the decision to call the games off, in order to safeguard the pitches. As it happens, it didn't rain again that evening, though it could well have done so, as it was cold, cloudy and miserable. So Fixtures Secretary Adam Roberts is now faced with the tricky job of fitting in a further round of matches. The Division 3 games postponed a month ago were re-

scheduled for last week, and the Cup competition moved, while the postponed Division 4 games were moved to the "spare" week on Au-

Cup finals rescheduled for another date. Adam will consult generally, and a decision will be announced next week.

NO such worries for Divisions 1 and 2, as Wednesday saw bright sunshine, though a strong wind made pitching decidedly tricky.

Big winners of the day were the **Lions**, who handed the **Greensox** their first loss of the season, and opened the door to an end-of-season title fight just a crack. Trailing for the first four innings, the Lions shut out the Sox in

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gust 25th. So extending the season to the following Tuesday, September 1st, is a possibility, with the

Manchester women blitz Single Sex Nationals

IN an epic weekend for Manchester softball, not only did all four of the Manchester teams make their respective finals but three out of the four brought home the titles of Platinum, Silver and Bronze winners.

Minx are the National Champions

For nearly a decade this title has been held by teams outside Manchester. No longer. After a hard fought weekend the Minx finished with a 6-2 record and more importantly were crowned Platinum

Chloe Llewellyn reports

National Champions. The two defeats came against the teams that were eventually bettered in the semi final and final (Lady Heath and Cupcakes). The Sunday began with a superb batting performance as the Leeds Hooters were blown away 11-2. Next up were the Besoms, made up mainly of girls from the Scottish league. This was a competitive game from the off, with both teams cancelling each other out in the field and then working

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This week's games at a glance

Division 1

DOD @ THU (5, DD)
LIO @ MKT (4, TLF)
MAV @ GRX (9, BMcG)
MHM @ OUT (2, IW)

Division 2

MUT @ TIG (7, AG)
OU2 @ CAM (3, HS)
SPE @ BUL (6, MD)

Division 3

ENF @ CM2 (3, AK)
HUR @ SHA (7, CE)
PIR @ MM2 (6, LA)
STO @ BAT (4, BA)

Division 4

FRZ @ COL (2, MG)
WCT @ DRZ (8, TS)
MK2 @ PHX (1, JF)
BFL @ MV2 (5, AR)
FAL @ HAC (9, AG)

Late call on Tuesday causes concern

SOME concerns have been expressed about the way last Tuesday's cancellation of games was handled.

At 2.37 pm we received an e-mail from Dave Letven saying that, given the rain that had fallen and the forecast of more rain to fall between then and the evening, he was taking the decision to cancel all games. We then followed the same process we followed on Tuesday 2nd June when games on that evening were called off. The e-mail

to captains went out at 3.18, just over 3½ hours before the games were due to start. At the same time, an announcement was posted on the League's Facebook site.

The last time this process worked, so that is why we went with it again. Unfortunately the message did not get through to everyone, and we are looking at ways of improving that situation, for example by text messaging, and requiring an acknowledgement from all teams.

The groundstaff have been requested to let us know by 3pm, at the latest, if games are off so as to give captains as much time as possible get the message out to players.

As for the rainfall, heavy showers were still falling in south Manchester after 2pm, though it did clear up somewhat later. However, we are confident that the groundstaff at Parrswood have our best interests at heart, and would not cancel the games without good reason.

Manchester women blitz Single Sex Nationals (Continued from page 1)

hard to get their bats working first. By far the best and most emotionally draining game of the weekend was the semi final against Lady Heath, from the USAF base at Lakenheath. Finding themselves 7 runs down and with two outs the team batted superbly well to tie the game, forcing an extra inning, thanks to a grand slam by Areej Elmaazi and a home run by Lindsay O'Farrell. Another solid defensive display kept the win within sight and with the winning runner on second, Kathryn Mullin hit a monstrous line drive up the centre to take the Minx into the final against Cupcakes, 13-12. Looking around the team you could sense that something huge was about to happen and although bodies were tired the girls had something extra to give. As the final began the Cupcakes obviously had other ideas as they began to put on their usual base hitting master class to pile up the pressure back on the Minx bats. As demonstrated throughout the weekend the Minx were not about to roll over, and they hit back with yet another fine defensive display led by pitcher and MVP Elmaazi. The outfield put in a sterling effort covering so much ground to ensure the tricky field conditions did not punish the way it had done to so many other teams. Lauren Birch started the scoring with a solo home run in the third inning and a very timely 3-RBI homer by captain Jan Bradley kept the scoreboard ticking over. In the final inning Tanya Basu stepped up to the plate to fire the Minx into a 10-9 lead. The game as

Our softballers go back to being mothers, partners and daughters today, but they have taken on another title — champions.
(With all due acknowledgment to the English Football Association)

expected went down to the final play and with two quick outs the final Cupcake batter hit the ball to shortstop Bradley who popped the ball to 2nd base Sian Payne for the final out. Final score 10-9 (8 inns).

Pitchslap win Silver

The Pitchslap girls started the weekend in match-winning form finishing the first day with a 5-0 record. After a chilled out evening in the spa and rehydrating with water and protein shakes the girls were firing on all cylinders Sunday morning. After more well deserved wins the girls made it into the Silver Final against the Nottingham Sheriffs whom they had narrowly beaten the previous day. Throughout the game there were immense performances by all players keeping the Sheriffs' score to a minimum. The final was punctuated by an MVP performance by Natasha Miotk for her outstanding outfield play, Maz Yung for a triple

Manchester Mound: Mancs prepare for the silverware handout



strike out and Sherry Kenyon for her play at short stop turning double plays for fun. With Kenyon and Kate Williamson leading off the batting and showing speed that Usain Bolt himself would be pleased with, the Sheriffs would need to be at the top of their game to get the outs. As in any final the last play is always the most exciting and nail biting and the Pitchslap girls did not disappoint. With the tying run at second and the ball hit to Williamson in the outfield the race to get the ball to home plate began. The ball was fielded cleanly and thrown to shortstop Kenyon, relayed quickly to Yung who turned with feline agility to throw the ball home. Putting her body on the line Laura Hutchinson took the catch and made the tag to get the final out making Pitchslap the champions. Not only did she prevent the tying run at home plate but she now has a suspected broken hand for her troubles. Nice work Laura it was totally worth it. Final score 5-4 (6½ inns).



Mega Minx bring home the Bronze

The Mega Minx made a slightly tentative start on Saturday with several single sex rookies including Ellie Buckley, Sarah Marks, Lara Bragg and Linni Mitchell, but had a super Sunday. As the team started to gel the results started to go their way and the confidence grew. In the final against the Panthers, another East Midlands team, the Minx started brightly with a defensive shut out and then delivered the sucker punch by scoring eight in their first at bat with back to back home runs from Becci Wadeson

and Marks. The Panthers rallied in the next inning and came back with a three-run homer to close the gap. Not wanting a repeat of the previous day's result (8-11 loss) the Minx forged even further ahead with another homer by Ali Marrs, who batted 1.000 for the day. As the bats were heating up the Minx pitcher Claire Wakefield wanted in on the action and delivered a pitching display worthy of the MVP award by striking out two Panther batters just when they thought a come back was on the cards. There were lots of highlights but special mentions to Charlie Cook who was a rock at short stop and a batting demon all weekend, and Buckley for her double play at first base showing quick reactions to take the catch from the batter and then beat the runner back to first. Jo Gardiner showed the quality we come to expect of her with a couple of home runs and Wakefield rolled back the years with one on Saturday. Final score 18-6.

Captains Minx: Jan Bradley, Chloe Llewellyn
 Pitchslap: Elizabeth Lyon, Beth Rowlands
 Mega Minx: Ali Marrs

The back story—20 years of women's softball

The Minx were started in the late 1990s by Claire Wakefield, who was the league's (and indeed the country's) first women's officer, and Jan Bradley. Warren Osbourne designed the logo. Jerry Seabridge among others did some coaching, but it was in 1996 when regular women's training sessions started, and a first single-sex game was played in Manchester. A team organised by Marie-Jo Proulx participated in a single-sex tournament in London in 1999, though there is unfortunately no record of how they did, or even what name they played under. But the following year, the Minx won the B Nationals (at the time the highest level of competition comp). Over the next five or six years, Minx were consistently winners or runners-up, and when Minx didn't win in 2004, More Minx were Plate runners-up. They also won a Grand Slam even at Barn Elms in 2002. All through the 2000s

Pete Nightingale and Simon 'Student' Hepburn helped run training sessions for the weeks prior to the Nationals. Claire, Jan, Andrea Dee and Ange Killian have all been captains.

Back home, the Women's single-sex league is now in its second year, but was preceded by an end-of-season mini-tournament at Whalley Range Cricket Club as long ago as 2010.

Ali Marrs



Fantasy softball—Week 10 *by Charles Everitt*

ONCE again this week we saw Tuesday cancellations. When this happened before, we put in place a ruling that following means that in this situation Division 3 and 4 players have all scored zero this week. The Executive are, as of writing, yet to announce when the games will be replayed but unlike last time we will not be updating the fantasy scores when the games are eventually played. So the results here are complete!

Head-to-head League

GIVEN the circumstances described above **Podnahs** and **Scruffy's Blue Jays** battled out a high scoring 25–25 tie, the second tie of the season, both of which have involved the Jays. The tie sees the Blue Jays retain their lead at the top of the table with Podnahs moving into 2nd place, a solitary point behind as both **Watt's Up** and **Jawsome** suffered “shock” defeats to **The Rays** and **Isotopes** respectively, and slipped down the table. At the other extreme with nine of his fantasy players rostered to Division 3 or 4 teams and his remaining three not in action **Shark's All Stars** posted the first

doughnut of the season in losing to **Designated Drinkers** 16-0. Good news for **Chris Newham** who at last managed a win against Late Winner, with 25 points from his three club Thunder players, including two Lightning players both scoring

9points in their 25-0 win: veritably a late winner.

SO by my calculation the top eight have all qualified for the play-offs, and six fantasy teams are fighting it out for four remaining places in the last three weeks of the head-to-

head season.

NEXT week's fixtures (with current league positions in brackets):

- The Rays (7) v Joey's Giants (5)
- Scruffy's Blue Jays (1) v Watt's Up (4)
- Jawsome (3) v Podnahs (2)
- Designated Drinkers (6) v Isotopes (11)
- Sarah Marks (8) v Shark's All Stars (12)
- Chris Newham (14) v Rob Reckless (13)
- Capt Brody's Bunch (9) v Late Winner (10)

WEEK 10 SCORES			
The Rays	31–25	Watt's Up	
Scruffy's Blue Jays	25–25	Podnahs	
Jawsome	12–33	Isotopes	
Designated Drinkers	16–0	Shark's All Stars	
Sarah Marks	8–15	Rob Reckless	
Joey's Giants	21–19	Capt Brody's Bunch	
Chris Newham	30–15	Late Winner	

HEAD-TO-HEAD LEAGUE TABLE

Pos	Move	Team	P	W	T	L	F	A	Diff	Pts
1	–	Scruffy's Blue Jays	10	7	2	1	513	349½	+163½	23
2	↑ 2	Podnahs	10	7	1	2	321½	270	+51½	22
3	↓ 1	Jawsome	10	7	0	3	424	319	+105	21
4	↓ 1	Watt's Up	10	7	0	3	371	310½	+60½	21
5	–	Joey's Giants	10	7	0	3	367½	349½	+18	21
6	↑ 1	Designated Drinkers	10	6	0	4	513	367½	+145½	18
7	↑ 2	The Rays	10	6	0	4	399½	404½	–5	18
8	↓ 2	Sarah Marks	10	5	1	4	392½	368½	+24	16
9	↓ 1	Captain Brody's Bunch	10	5	0	5	335	333½	+1½	15
10	–	Late Winner	10	3	0	7	297	366½	–69½	9
11	↑ 1	Isotopes	10	3	0	7	241½	314½	–73	9
12	↓ 1	Shark's All Stars	10	2	0	8	265½	329	–63½	6
13	–	Rob Reckless	10	2	0	8	206	384	–178	6
14	–	Chris Newham	10	1	0	9	280	445½	–180½	3

TOP-of-the-table clashes dominate as 1st plays 4th and 2nd plays 3rd with the Jays against Watt's Up and Jawsome against Podnahs. With three weeks and 9 points still up for grabs no team has yet secured a bye in the first round of the play offs. At the foot of the table Chris gets an opportunity to build on his duck-breaking effort last week as he takes on 13th-placed Rob Reckless. Shark's All Stars and the Isotopes will be looking to strengthen their positions with wins, albeit against difficult opponents, Sarah Marks and Designated Drinkers. Late Winner takes on Captain Brody's Bunch where a win will secure a playoff place.

Accumulation League

WITH two Lightning players in their team, **Isotopes** posted the highest score of the week, so Dan Lord gets the Manager of the Day award. At the top of the table the league is very much a two-horse race with the Drinkers holding a slender one-point margin over the Jays. The Jays then have a lead of 82 so could comfortably take next week off and still be in 2nd place. Elsewhere The Rays switched position with Sarah Marks to move into 4th and are now 24 points behind Jawsome in the fight to be “Best of the Rest”. Ace of Jades continued their impressive form after their late season entry by moving up two more positions into 10th overall. Shark’s dropped two places thanks to their “nul points”, while Chris Newhams and Lily’s legends exchanged places.

Fantasy MVP and Dream Team

FANTASY Player of the Week is shared between Paul Finney (Lightning) and Laurence Pearmain (Mavericks) each with 10 points.

WITH Divisions 3 and 4 not playing, Danny Gunn extended his lead in the Fantasy MVP Player of the Season race despite the Sox’ first loss of the season. Jon Taylor 65, Ian Mills 64, Ross Birch 63 and Vicky Green 62 round out the top 5.

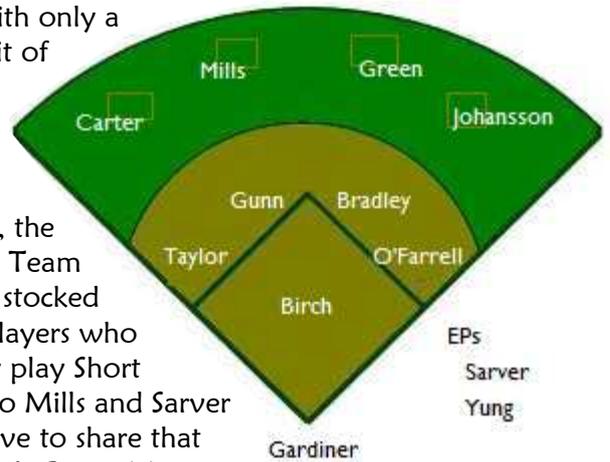
ACCUMULATION LEAGUE TABLE				
Pos	Chg	Team	This week	Tot Pts
1	–	Designated Drinkers	16	505
2	–	Scruffy’s Blue Jays	25	504
3	–	Jawsome	12	422
4	↑ 1	The Rays	31	398
5	↓ 1	Sarah Marks	8	388½
6	–	Watt’s Up	25	376
7	–	Joey’s Giants	21	362½
8	–	Captain Brody’s Bunch	19	332
9	–	Podnabs	25	322½
10	↑ 2	Ace of Jades	20	300
11	–	Late Winner	15	296
12	↓ 2	Shark’s All Stars	0	287½
13	↑ 1	Chris Newham	30	279
14	↓ 1	Lily’s Legends	9	260½
15	–	Isotopes	33	239½
16	–	Rob Reckless	15	205

DREAM TEAM AFTER WEEK 10

Danny Gunn (Greensox, Div 1)	Scruffy’s Blue Jays	71
Jon Taylor (Storm, Div 3)	Sarah Marks	65
Ian Mills (Hackers, Div 4)	Scruffy’s Blue Jays	64
Ross Birch (Storm, Div 3)	Designated Drinkers	63
Vicky Green (Greensox, Div 1)	Scruffy’s Blue Jays	62
Daniel Johansson (Hackers, Div 4)	The Rays	60
Richard Sarver (Storm, Div 3)	Lily’s Legends	60
Kay Carter (Hackers, Div 4)	Ace of Jades	58
Vic O’Farrell (Greensox)	Designated Drinkers	56
Jan Bradley (Mavs II, Div 4)	Designated Drinkers	53
Jo Gardiner (Mavs II, Div 4)	Watt’s Up	52
Maz Yung (Mutineers, Div 2)	Podnabs	44

IT occurred to us to wonder what the Dream Team would actually look like if it took the field. Based on the positions most often played this season by our twelve dream-teamers, we were able to come up with the set-up shown below with only a little bit of tweaking.

As you might expect, the Dream Team is well stocked with players who usually play Short Stop, so Mills and Sarver will have to share that role with Gunn. Meanwhile, Johansson and Yung can share pitching duties with Birch, and Gardiner can swop with O’Farrell to play in her preferred role at 1st base.



AND finally, a correction and apology to Charles: The box showing the Dream Team and the accompanying paragraph last week, provided by your editor, was calculated without taking into account the previous week’s scores and so was fairly, though not wildly, inaccurate.

Lions beat Sox to keep title race open (Continued from page 1)

the top of the 5th, then scored 4 to take a lead. Two more donuts and a final run just to make sure sealed the victory for the big cats. Elsewhere, the **Outlaws** came from behind to push the **Dodgers** down from 3rd into 6th place, a 7-run blast in the top of the 6th doing the damage. Meerkats lead Mavericks for half the game, but the steers turned the screw in the bottom of the 6th to secure the win. **Thunder** were altogether more comfortable against **Mayhem**, and their win puts them into the fourth play-off slot, ahead of the **Dodgers** and **Outlaws** on head-to-heads.

IN Division 2, there was a table-top clash between the **Bullfrogs** and **Mutineers**, in which the reptiles got off to a fine start, scoring 7, but then ... nothing at all: the Mutineers were defensively perfect while they slowly but surely chipped away at the lead, finally overhauling the froggy total in the bottom of the 7th. Mutineers go top, which is at least a relief to the statisticians, who for the time being at least no longer need to reckon on thirds of games behind. **Speeders** remain third after their 14-7 win over the **Tigers**, but could leapfrog into second place (see what I did there?) with a win this week. **Lightning** shut out the troubled **Outlaws II** in 4 innings, but are in a battle with the **Tigers** for 6th place, no

doubt happy that this year there is only one team going down. The O2s are going to have to pull out some big results to make a fight of it and avoid the drop.

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Match report

Speeders beat rusty Tigers

TIGERS	2 0 1 3 0 0 1	7
SPEEDERS	4 0 2 3 5 0 x	14

Ump: Alan Green; Pitch 5

TIGERS Sam Taylor (2B), Hayley McTear (1B), Claudio Santos (RC), Sarah Cassin (WCT)(LF), Michael Miah (WCT)(LC), Tereza Kokocinska (3B), Dave Eaton (SS), Kirsty Fell (RF), Dave Wareham (P), Helen Cook (WCT)(C)

SPEEDERS Stuart Collier (LC), Kate Barlow (2B), Chris Lennon (SS), Ellie Sams (BAT)(LF), Zac rayson (RC), Catthornton (1B), Nick Money (3B), Emma Goswell (C), Matt O'Casey (P), Vicky Barlow (RF)

WE haven't played together much as a team over the last few weeks and the effects were visible in what was a disjointed performance against an efficient Speeders team. Heroine of the evening was Helen Cook, who

played despite having an injured shoulder that prevented her from catching the ball or taking a proper swing. She even got an important base hit in the 4th that helped set up our 3-run rally. The night's batting leaders were Michael Miah (4 for 4) and Dave Eaton (3 for 3) who each batted 1.000. Best of the women was Sarah Cassin who went 2 for 4 and she and Hayley McTear could both count themselves a bit unlucky not to get more reward for their efforts. In the field Dave Wareham pitched well, Hayley made some good plays at 1st and Sam Taylor did some good work at 2nd. *Tigers website*

MVPs Cook, Eaton; Thornton, Collier

Birthdays

Monday Gwen Davies (MUT), Sarah Newman (WCT)

Tuesday Kim Gallaher (STO), Lucy Shattock (MHM)

Wednesday Dee Devine (STO), Natalie Leyland (GRX), Simon Ronksley (PHX)

Thursday Kate Barlow (SPE), Simon Hepburn (DOD), Benkei Johnson (THU)

Friday Paul Fagan (GRX), Cat Thornton (SPE), Mel Wright (MUT)

Saturday Vic O'Farrell (GRX)

Preview: This week's games

Games in all four Divisions are the reverse fixtures from Week 4, 12th/13th May.

Division 1

Dodgers @ Thunder (5, DD) Thunder won 12-6, an 8th win in 13 meetings. *A loss in this game will badly dent that team's play-off hopes.*

Lions @ Meerkats (4, TLF) Lions won 15-7 in their first ever meeting. *The Kats got off to a great start with 6 runs, and were 7-3 up after 2 innings. But then ... nothing after nothing as the felines got 8 in the 3rd, and a further 4 in the 6th.*

Mavericks @ Greensox (9, BMcG) Greensox won the 51st running of this, the league's most played fixture, 20-18, making it the joint 3rd highest scoring meeting of the two teams (equal 1st in games not going to extra innings). Mavs still lead 28½-22½. *After last week's defeat to the Lions, a further Sox loss would really open up the title race.*

Mayhem @ Outlaws (2, IW) Outlaws won 21-4 in 5 innings, venging their previous defeat, and taking a 4-1 series lead.

Division 2

Mutineers @ Tigers (7, AG) Mutineers won 11-5 to make it 5 out of 5.

Outlaws II @ Camels (3, HS) Outlaws won 25-10 in 5½ innings. To even it up at 2 wins apiece.

Speeders @ Bullfrogs (6, MD) Bullfrogs won 33-23, their 3rd win in 3. *The Frogs scored 10 in the first inning and just kept bringing them home all game in this game which remains the highest aggregate score this season. A revenge win would put Speeders into a promotion spot.*

Division 3

Enforcers @ Camels II (3, AK) Camels won 14-13 and edge into a 5-4 lead overall thanks to a 7-run 5th

inning which gave them the narrowest of leads which they held on to.

Hurricanes @ Sharks (7, CE) Sharks prevailed 17-8 and lead 3-1 overall.

Pirates @ Mayhem II (6, LA) Pirates squeaked past their opponents 19-18 in a to-and-fro game. They have 4 wins in meetings.

Storm @ Bats (4, BA) Storm won 17-7 but Bats still lead 4-2 overall.

Division 4

Freeze @ Colt 45s (2, MG) Freeze managed 4 in the first inning, but then froze as the Colts won 24-4 in 7 innings to take a 3-1 series lead.

Wildcats @ Drizzle (8, TS) The teams shared 50 runs, with Wildcats prevailing 27-23 in their first ever meeting.

Moorkats @ Phoenix (1, JF) Moorkats won 13-7, but Phoenix lead 5-2 overall.

Barflies @ Mavericks II (5, AR)

Mavs won 25-19 in this first ever meeting. *The Barflies' tally is the most the Mavs have conceded, and the 6-run winning margin is, joint with that against the Hackers, the Mavs' "narrowest" all season.*

Falcons @ Hackers (9, AG) First ever meeting.

Last week's MVPs

Bullfrogs	Clair Heathcote, Jeremy Fothergill
Dodgers	Nancy Bennett, Dave Collins
Greensox	Natalie Leyland, Mark Sanders
Lightning	Becki Wadeson, Tom Munro
Lions	Lindsay O Farrell, Adam Roberts
Mavericks	Paula Watson, Laurence Pearmain
Mayhem	<i>Martine Knight (FRZ)</i> , Andi Marshall
Meerkats	Sonya Hine, Mike Lott
Mutineers	Kate Williamson, Ali Halls-worth
Outlaws	Claire Wakefield, Jez Dennett
Outlaws II	Jen Simmons, Ian McCann
Speeders	Cat Thornton, Stuart Collier
Thunder	Sian Payne, Benkai Johnson
Tigers	<i>Helen Cook (WCT)</i> , Dave Eaton

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Results and standings Week 12 - 7/8 July

Division 1

GREENSOX 3 0 1 2 0 0 0 6
LIONS 0 2 1 0 4 1 x 8
 Ump: Brendan MacGabhann; Pitch 3

MEERKATS 3 0 1 0 3 1 0 8
MAVERICKS 1 1 1 2 2 6 x 13
 Ump: Mike Davies; Pitch 6
 HRs **MAV Layrence Pearmain** 3 (1GS),
David Kirby (MV2)

OUTLAWS 1 1 1 0 4 7 0 14
DODGERS 4 1 0 0 2 0 3 10
 Ump: Harry Somers; Pitch 7
 HRs **OUT** Stuart Roscoe; **DOD** Tyler Lap-
 page, David Dyson, Simon Hepburn

THUNDER 3 2 1 1 7 1 3 18
MAYHEM 1 0 2 0 1 0 0 4
 Ump: Tony La Fave; Pitch 9
 HRs **THU** Andy Grose 2, Mark Griffin

Division 2

BULLFROGS 7 0 0 0 0 0 0 7
MUTINEERS 2 1 1 0 1 2 1 8
 Pitch 2
 HR **MUT** Jo Grantham

LIGHTNING 4 3 6 12 25
OUTLAWS II 0 0 0 0 0
 Ump: Ian Williams; Pitch 4; RAR
 HR **LIG** Paul Finnrey

TIGERS 2 0 1 3 0 0 1 7
SPEEDERS 4 0 2 3 5 0 x 14
 Ump: Alan Green; Pitch 5

	P	W	T	L	F	RS	RC	Pct	GB
Division 1									
► Greensox	10	9	0	1	0	193	76	.900	-
► Lions	10	7	0	3	0	115	77	.700	2
▲ Mavericks	10	6	0	4	0	125	112	.600	3
▲ Thunder	10	5	0	5	0	138	103	.500	4
▲ Outlaws	10	5	0	5	0	114	112	.500	4
▼ Dodgers	10	5	0	5	0	102	104	.500	4
► Mayhem	10	2	0	8	0	92	161	.200	7
► Meerkats	10	1	0	9	0	67	201	.100	8
THU, OUT and DOD ordered on head-to-heads									
Division 2									
▲ Mutineers	8	6	0	2	0	115	68	.750	-
▼ Bullfrogs	9	6	0	2	1	135	108	.667	5/6
► Speeders	8	5	0	3	0	130	123	.625	1
▲ Camels	8	4	0	4	0	98	109	.500	2
▼ Tigers	9	4	0	5	0	111	117	.444	2½
► Lightning	9	4	0	5	0	101	97	.444	2½
► Outlaws II	9	1	0	8	0	105	173	.111	5½
Tigers above Lightning on head-to-head									

Divisions 3 & 4 All games postponed due to heavy rain.

Home runs

Division 1 Female

5 - Kath Mullins (GRX)
 3 - Nancy Bennett (OUT)
 2 - Ellie Buckley (OUT), Areej El-
 maazi (THU, 1GS)
 1 - Andrea Dee (MAV), Natalie Ley-
 land (GRX), Linni Mitchell (MHM,
 GS), Vic O'Farrell (GRX), Sian Payne
 (THU), Jade Shaw (LIO)

Division 1 Male

9 - Danny Gunn (GRX)
 4 - Andy Grose (THU), Tyler Lap-
 page (DOD)
 3 - Nathan Gulam (GRX), Benkei
 Johnson (THU), Paul Kidley (GRX),
 Laurence Pearmain (MAV, 1GS),
 Andy Rawson (GRX)
 2 - Luis Arrevillagas (THU), Elieser
 Dorronsoro (MAV), Charles Everitt
 (LIO), Mark Griffin (THU), Pete

Nightingale (MAV), Shane Stark
 (GRX), Ed Watkinson (LIO)
 1 - Melvin Beltre (DOD), Pete
 Buckley (OUT), Dave Collins
 (OUT), David Dyson (DOD), An-
 thony Garcia-Reyes (MHM), Kris
 Hadwin (LIO), Simon Hepburn
 (DOD), Wendell Jones (MAV),
 Dave Leverton (THU), Andi Mar-
 shall (MHM), Gordon Milson
 (LIO), Stuart Roscoe (OUT), Mark
 Sanders (GRX)

Division 2 Female

2 - Claire Higgs (CAM), Liz Lyon
 (OU2)
 1 - Kate Barlow (SPE), Jacquelyn
 Choudhury (OU2), Christine
 Hunter (BUL), Becci Wadeson
 (LIG)

Division 2 Male

7 - Tom Atkinson (CAM, 1GS), Jo
 Grantham (MUT)
 6 - Adam Faloon (BUL)
 5 - Mike Gaskell (TIG), Chris Thomp-
 son (OU2)
 4 - Chris Lennon (SPE, 1GS), Gary
 Moors (MUT)
 3 - Zac Rayson (SPE)
 2 - Anthony Boffey (CAM), Paul Fin-
 ney (LIG), Jeremy Fothergill (BUL,
 1GS), Richard Goar (OU2), Ali Hall-
 worth (MUT), Rolf Herbert (OU2),
 Duncan Jones (MUT), Steve Kellett
 (BUL), Nick Money (SPE), Jonny
 Reuben (BUL), James Wooderson
 (CAM)
 1 - Steve Bennett (LIG), Stuart Collier
 (SPE), Ed Covington (TIG), Suchit
 Desai (MUT), Mark Humphreys
 (CAM), Tom Munro (LIG)