



Bases Loaded

Season off to a sunny start

BEAUTIFUL weather greeted the opening day fixtures, though the bright sun was a downer for fielders on certain fields at Parrswood—1B on pitch 2 and on the newly relocated pitch 7 for example. Bats were flashing and defenses crumbling on the opening Tuesday, when a total of 280 runs were scored with only **Drizzle** and **Freeze** among the losing sides failing to get into double figures, and all the winners scoring 20 or more. Newly promoted **Sefton Sharks** found that the first rung of the ladder is a steep step up, 0-11 down after the first inning against **Camels II**, though they did halve that deficit over the next few innings, but let in 6 in the 6th to give themselves an impossible task in the top of the 7th, needing 13 just to make the Camels bat again. **Barflies** had an up and down game with **Moorkats**, 7-1 down after 2,

they scored 13 in the 3rd to take a 4-run lead which they extended in the 4th and 5th, only to lose 9 runs in the bottom of the 5th. With the score at 20-19, they were unable to add any runs in the 6th, and bad light ruled out a 7th-inning come-back.

ON the Wednesday the big boys and girls came to town. In the closest game of the week, **Outlaws**, apparently galvanized by this publication's lead story last week, pipped **Thunder** 9-8. The weathermen,

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New guest rules—a clarification

HOPEFULLY everyone has enjoyed the start to

the season. It has certainly thrown up some excellent games.

I do have to make you aware of one thing in the Captain's Handbook that needs clarifying regarding the new guest rules. While infractions of these rules can be rectified on field if noticed by the opposition, should any incident of the rules *not* being followed be noticed after the game, then the Exec reserves the right to investigate and if required decide

upon a penalty for offences. This is in line with all other rule breaches.

For clarification, the essential parts of the new rules are as follows:

Three guests at any one time in the line-up.

Guests playing "up" are not subject to any fielding or batting restrictions.

Guests playing "down" (in the same or a lower division) may play as pitcher, catcher, 1st base, right field, or extra player. Furthermore, guests must bat as low as possible in the

batting order, subject to the rule regarding sex of batters.

David Dean, League Head

This week's games

Division 1

Dodgers at Lions (5, MD)
Meerkats at Mayhem (6, DD)
Outlaws at Mavericks (2)
Thunder at Greensox (9, IW)

Division 2

Bullfrogs at Outlaws II (PW7, TLF)
Lightning at Speeders (3, TS)
Tigers at Camels (4, AG)
Mutineers rest

Division 3

Bats at Sharks (8, TS)
Camels II at Pirates (7, MG)
Mayhem II at Hurricanes (9, RH)
Storm at Enforcers (6, JF)

Division 4

Moorkats at Freeze (3, PN)
Colt 45s at Drizzle (4, AG)
Hackers at Barflies (2, AK)
Wildcats at Mavs II (1, AR)
Phoenix rest

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needing 6 to win and having scored 4, had the bases loaded, but couldn't get over the line. Like the Sharks, the **Meerkats** found that last year's

73 consecutive games ... the Reyometer clicks on (see text)

form meant nothing, though to be fair they were up against the **Greensox**. They actually kept things tight for three innings, but then the Sox managed 28 runs in the next three. The **Dodgers** edged the **Mavs** in a close game featuring an umpiring call that had the bar-room blus debating a tricky rule (see opposite) while **Mayhem**, offered a second chance in Division 1 after the Mutineers declined promotion, put up a more than decent fight against the **Lions**, level pegging for 3 innings, and losing only 6-2. Captain Stephen Howard was called away to a funeral, so that his 59-game streak, as reported here last week, came to an end (commentator's curse?). But Anthony Garcia-Reyes's run is extended to 73. Keep it up lad!

DIVISION 2 saw the **Bullfrogs**' first win since 7th August 2013 and against the

same opposition, the **Tigers**. In the Outlaws derby, **Mutineers** slaughtered the **O2s** in a game marred by a bad injury to Outlaws rookie Stuart

Coppock, who slipped going for a fly ball in the outfield and took the ball on his head instead of in his glove. We wish him a speedy recovery. Meanwhile **Camels** were comfortable against **Lightning**, taking a 6-3 lead from the 1st inning which they built on steadily for 4 more innings, the flashers closing the gap too little too late in the final innings.

THERE was a welcome new stat after the first week when home runs were scored by women in all four divisions, with Michelle Fisher (pictured), now of the Phoenix, bagging a pair.



Last week's MVPs

- Barflies** Helen Smith, Chris Smith
- Bats** Beryl Lannin-Jones, Martin Williams
- Bullfrogs** Jenny Faloon, Adam Faloon
- Camels** Fliss Fagan, Tom Atkinson
- Camels II** Helen Rossiter, David Dean
- Colt 45s** Gwen Cripps, Phil Cosgrove
- Dodgers** Nic Duerden, Oscar Marenco
- Drizzle** Catalina Sanmiguel, Brad Hadwin
- Enforcers** Katie Flanagan, James Ridgway
- Freeze** Rebecca Ebo, Paul Wolstenholme
- Greensox** Vick 'O'Farrel, Andy Rawson
- Hackers** Ella Mills, Ian Mills
- Hurricanes** Joanne Moseley, Dave Griffiths
- Lightning** Becky Wadeson, Steve Bennett
- Lions** Jade Shaw, Chris Fulton
- Mavericks** Tanya Basu, Ellieser Dorronsoro
- Mavericks II** Jan Bradley, Andy Gardner
- Mayhem** Linne Mitchell, Anthony Garcia
- Mayhem II** James Bradwell-Spencer, Jocelyn Tong
- Meerkats** Rachel Campbell-Cook, Sam Steele
- Moorkats** Siobhan O'Shanassy, Aleck Aspinall
- Mutineers** Maz Yung, Ali Hallsworth
- Outlaws** Nancy Bennett, David Collins
- Outlaws II** Liz Lyon, Richard Goar
- Phoenix** Michelle Fisher, Simon Ronksley
- Pirates** Sue Obrian, Daniel Prichard
- Sharks** Lauren Bicknel, Stephen Shearer
- Storm** Kim Gallagher, Ross Birch
- Thunder** Sian Payne, Luis Arrebillagas
- Tigers** Tereza K, Dave Eaton

As usual, all names are reproduced exactly as they appear on the scoresheets

Correction

We stated last week in the article *In new colours* that Tanya Basu was Rookie of the Year in 2013. Thanks, Tanya, for pointing out that this was not the case. Apologies to her and, more importantly, to **Becky Jones-Moore** of Mayhem II, who was in fact ROTY in 2013.

Birthdays

- Monday** Miki Mqwagi (Camels II)
- Tuesday** Michael Humphries (Moorkats)
- Wednesday** Tom Munro (Lightning)
- Thursday** Becca Brannan (Barflies), Rob Fenlon (Mutineers)
- Friday** Angela Johnston (Colt 45s)
- Sunday** Becky Grooby (Drizzle)

Transfer

Tim Roberts, Storm to Drizzle, 25 April

Blu corner

NOT a trick question, but a pointer to a little-known rule, at least if discussion in Hough End on Wednesday evening is any guide:

A runner from first is obstructed rounding 2nd. The umpire gives the “delayed dead-ball” signal (the left arm is extended horizontally, with the fist closed), but then, when the runner reaches 3rd, drops his arm. The runner, goes for home and is tagged out. What is the call now?

- (a) Runner safe, run scores.
- (b) “Dead ball”, runner is sent back to 3rd, the base that, in the umpire’s opinion, he would have reached but for the obstruction.
- (c) Runner is out.

Some of the bar-room umpires believed that, once he has been obstructed, the runner cannot be out, and that (b) was the logical answer. No one thought the run should score, except those involved in the game who believed that he would have made it home but for the obstruction. However, here is the relevant rule:

When any obstruction occurs

1. A Delayed Dead Ball should be signalled, with the ball remaining alive until the end of the play.

2. The obstructed runner, and each other runner affected by the obstruction, will always be awarded the base or bases they would have reached, in the um-

pire’s judgment, had there been no obstruction.

3. If the obstructed runner is put out prior to reaching the base he would have reached had there not been obstruction, a dead ball is called. The obstructed runner and each other runner affected by the obstruction will be awarded the base, or bases, they would have reached, in the umpire’s judgment had obstruction not occurred.

4. An obstructed runner may never be called out between the two bases where he was obstructed.

EXCEPTION: [...]

(c) After passing the base he

would have reached had there not been obstruction, the obstructed runner may be called out and the ball remains alive.

SO the correct answer is (c). Base coaches should be looking out for the umpire signalling “delayed dead ball” in the case of possible obstruction, but should also be watching for that signal being taken off, indicating that the runner is no longer protected. In the case in point, the only argument that remains is whether the runner would have made it home but for the obstruction, and that of course is a matter of the umpire’s judgment, and therefore not open to discussion.

Match reports

Sharks get the hump



SHARKS 0 2 2 5 1 1 5 16

CAMELS II 11 5 1 0 0 6 x 23

Umpire: Adam Roberts; **Pitch 4 HRs** **SHA** Liam Harris; **CM2** David Dean 2, Alan Davies, Julian Jones

SHARKS Phil Longfield (2B), Kate Shearer (1B), Graeme Nickson (CF), Sarah Nickson (RF), Stephen Shearer (SS), Sharon Alger (EP), Rob Alger (EP), Kaff Longfield (LF), Stephen Woods (CF), Lauren Bicknell (C), Liam Harris (P), Michelle Ireland (3B)

CAMELS II David Dean (SS), Helen Rossiter (LF), Alan Davis (3B), Hayley Craig (2B), Daniel Jarman / Julian Jones (LC), Niki Mqwagi (C), Christopher Drayton (P), Lara Bragg (Camels) (RF), Adam Craig (RC), Angie Thompson (Camels) (1B)

SEFTON Sharks had a tough start to Division 3 with a loss

of 23-16 to Camels II on opening night. Finding themselves 0-11 down in the first inning was just too much of a deficit to chase down despite a gallant effort in the next five innings.

THERE were some excellent plays during their opening game, none more so than impressive Lauren Bicknell playing her preferred position as Catcher. After she reacted quickly to catch a foul ball to get the out, had two immense hits to deep centre field followed by extreme bravery to tag out a runner sliding in at home plate, she well deserved MVP on opening night.

A superb home run hit from the

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pitcher of the night, Liam Harris, was the highlight of the batting from the Sharks. There were some solid stats at plate for the majority of the team, not to mention Kaff Larkin's strike zone discipline for opening night was immense.

THERE is only one way to go now as the team start looking forward to next week's game in order to release #Jawsome power.

*Adapted from the Sharks' website
www.seftonsharkssoftball.co.uk*

MVPs: Lauren Bicknall, Stephen Shearer (Sharks), Helen Rossiter, David Dean (Camels II)

Wildcats at Firstball

WE started slowly at Firstball before embarking on a 7-game winning streak that won us glory in the shape of the Bronze Cup. Saturday morning defeats to both a strong Phoenix side and the Pinoy Eagles suggested it might be a long weekend, but we perked up in the afternoon with comfortable wins over the Moorkats and Fasst.

ON Sunday we started the day with two more comfortable wins against

Thunder and Leeds Lightning. As the weather deteriorated we then really hit our straps in turning over the then table-leading Dynamite team in the last group game. That win meant we topped the table after the round robin.

THE semi-final was a rematch against the Eagles and we eventually emerged 6-5 victors with Georgie Brennan driving in the winning run in classic style, bases loaded and 2 down in extra innings! After that (and an hour getting warm in the pub) the final, a rematch against Dynamite, was a more straightforward affair, though it did feature the play of the weekend,

a long hit to right field that Steph Hallows retrieved, throwing the ball to Mike Gaskell who relayed it from right field straight to the plate where Sam Taylor applied the tag to the surprised batter for the out.

HOME Run heroes were Mike Gaskell and Tony La Fave, with 2 apiece. On-base leaders were Sarah Newman, rookie Rachael Myers and Hayley Mctear for the women and Mike G, Dave Wareham and Tony for the men. Pitcher Tony struggled manfully against the awful wind for most of the weekend with Sam taking over on Sunday afternoon and stringing together 3 excellent games on the rubber that led us to the win.

MVPs in the final were Mike G and Luisa Tolu,



who made some excellent plays at 3rd and went 3 for 3 at the plate. MVPs for the whole weekend were Hayley and Mike G, with Sam deserving a more than honourable mention for both his play at shortstop on Saturday and the pitching on Sunday afternoon. The weather on Sunday afternoon was awful but we rose above it to register a deserved tournament win. The one sour note was an injury to Ed Covington, guesting for the Lions on the Saturday morning. He could be out of action for a few weeks, get well soon Ed, we need you!

Dave Wareham

Bats and balls

Following announcements of new balls to be used in some tournaments this summer, the MSL Umpire-in-Chief clarifies our local rules concerning legal bats and balls.

Bats

For a bat to be legal it must have one of the three ASA marks, or the current ISF mark, shown here. However, if the bat appears on the non-approved list then it is not legal. These bats tend to be bats that improve in performance over time and no longer pass the approval process. The current approved and non-approved bat lists can be found at www.teamusa.org/USA-Softball/Play-ASA/Certified-ASA-Equipment.aspx. Both these lists are constantly changing.



Balls

A new specification for balls was introduced last year to reduce the risk of injury. The article below is an excerpt from the BSF website (www.britishsoftball.org/news/view/legal-bats-and-balls-for-the-2015-slowpitch-season)

What does COR and compression mean in simple terms? COR is the coefficient of restitution... simply put it means that if a softball is shot at a wall at a speed of 60 mph and comes off the wall at 30 mph, then speed has been reduced by 50%, i.e. 0.50 COR. If the ball comes off at 27 mph, the COR would be 0.47.

[Ed.'s note, for the mathematicians among you, that should be "reduced to", not "reduced by"]

Compression is measured by how many pounds of force are required to squeeze the ball by a quarter of an inch. So a ball with 375 compression means that 375 pounds of force had to be applied to squeeze the two sides of a softball by a total of a quarter inch.

A new ASA ball was introduced last year which is .52 COR and 300 compression. This means it has a harder middle bit and a softer outside, which makes it a bit safer without reducing performance. All balls are still legal for play if they meet ISF or ASA standards – i.e. .44/375, .47/375 or .52/300 – but the point to be aware of is that newer ASA bats could be prone to damage by 375 compression balls. The BSF will be selling .52/300 balls this year (2015) and the BSF recommends using or switching to these balls.

However, please do not mix balls during a game: either use new or old spec.

ESF will again use the .52/300 balls at the European Slowpitch Championships in 2015.

As mentioned in the article, it should be stressed that newer bats have been developed to work with the new compression balls. There is a risk of damaging these bats when using them with the old compression ball. Older bats will happily work with the newer ball, but possibly not perform as well.

Points to note

- Beware when using newer compression bats with older balls at practise.
- Confirm at tournaments which compression balls they will be using. Query if they appear to be using a mix.
- MSL is still using the 0.44/375 or 0.47/375 balls in both league games and tournaments.

Jeremy Fothergill

WEEK 1 is in the books and the Fantasy Softball League is under way ... and after setting up the league and then watching my Rays get thoroughly trounced by Scruffy's Blue Jays 55-18½ I'm having a paddy, throwing my toys out the pram and going home!

Head-to-head league

WEEK 1 saw **Scruffy's Blue Jays** take the lead after winning by the largest margin against the Rays. If points are tied the Fantasy League is decided by points difference rather than runs conceded as in the MSL. Six other teams have also gained 3 points and congrats to them for getting that first win under the belt. Full results and the table are below right.

AS a reminder, each Fantasy manager picks two EHs from the 12 players on their fantasy roster. The EHs each get ½ point for their appearance but do not get any defensive bonus points. In week 1, **Scruffy's Blue Jays**, **Watt's Up**, **Chris Newham** and **Rob Reckless** missed out on 2 extra fantasy points as both EHs on these teams helped their MSL teams concede 10 runs or less and qualify for the defensive bonus point. Those lost points would not have made a difference to final scores this week but may

DREAM TEAM AFTER WEEK 1

Paul Kidley (Greensox, Div 1)	11
Darren Corner (Hackers, Div 4)	11
Ian Mills (Hackers, Div 4)	11
Any 3 of D Jones, Hallsworth, Moors (Mutineers Div 2), Birch (Storm Div 3) or Johansson (Hackers, Div 4)	10
Vic O'Farrell (Greensox, Div 1)	10
Any 4 females from a choice of 17	9

well have an impact later on in the season.

VICTORY for Scruffy's Blue Jays was secured with a significant number of points from the battalion (well three, as that's the maximum) of Greensox who contributed 27 fantasy points.

Manager of the week

Designated Drinkers managed by Mark Griffin got the best score in week 1 with 4 of their 12 players scoring double figures. At the other end of the table the Rays had 5 players who scored nil! Here's hoping for better things next week!

SOME Fantasy managers may now be casting an eye towards the free agent market with a view to picking up a hidden jewel. Managers can make trades, cut and free agent pickups before 23.59 on Sunday if they want those players on their team by for the following week.

Next week's matchups are as follows: Rays v Jawsome, Drinkers v Brady's, Marks v Giants, Newham v Watt's, Reckless v Podnahs, Shark's v Lord, Winner v Jays.

Accumulator league

Fantasy managers also started racking up the points for the AL so although **Joey's Giants** suffered a defeat at the hands of Designated Drinkers in the Head to Head they currently sit 3rd in the AL. As a reminder the AL involves just accumulating as many points as

you can throughout the season.

Designated Drinkers top the table with four high-scoring players including one of the three star players of the week, Pablo Kidley with 11 points (the other two were free agents last week!). It might be a worry for the rest of the Fantasy managers that the Drinkers top the table despite having one player score nil and another only ½ so there's plenty of room for them to rack up even more points in the coming weeks.

FOR anyone interested in joining the Fantasy League we'll still be accepting entries for the Accumulator league but not the Head to Head. Send an email to Manchesterfantasysoftball@gmail.com

THIS WEEK'S RESULTS

Rays 18½-55	Scruffy's Blue Jays
Jawsome 39-33	Captain Brody's Bunch
Designated Drinkers 66-44	Joey's Giants
Sarah Marks 40-42	Watt's Up
Chris Newham 23-37	Podnahs
Rob Reckless 18-34½	Dan Lord
Late Winner 33½-26½	Shark's All Stars

Team	W	L	Diff	Pts	AL (Pos)
Jays	1	0	+36½	3	55 (2)
Drinkers	1	0	+22	3	66 (1)
Lord	1	0	+16½	3	34½ (8)
Podnahs	1	0	+14	3	37 (7)
Winner	1	0	+7	3	33½ (9)
Jawsome	1	0	+6	3	39 (6)
Watt's	1	0	+2	3	42 (4)
Marks	0	1	-2	0	40 (5)
Brody's	0	1	-6	0	33 (10)
Shark's	0	1	-7	0	26½ (11)
Newham	0	1	-14	0	23 (12)
Reckless	0	1	-16½	0	18 (14)
Giants	0	1	-22	0	44 (3)
Rays	0	1	-36½	0	18½ (13)

Home run trophy

It's nice to see that home runs were scored by women in all four divisions on the opening day ... That has certainly never happened before.

Division 1 Female

1 - Andrea Dee (MAV), Vic O'Farrell (GRX)

Division 1 Male

2 - Paul Kidley (GRX)

1 - Elieser Dorransoro (MAV), Charles Everitt (LIO), Tyler Lappage (DOD), Gordon Milson (LIO)

Division 2 Female

1 - Liz Lyon (OU2)

Division 2 Male

2 - Adam Faloon (BUL)

1 - Tom Atkinson (CAM), Steve Bennett (LIG), Richard Goar (OU2), Ali Hallsworth (MUT), Duncan Jones (MUT), Steve Kellet (BUL), Gary moors (MUT)

Division 3 Male

3 - Ross Birch (STO) *pictured*
2 - David Dean (CM2)

1 - Alan Davis (CM2), Liam Harris (SHA), Julian Jones (CM2), Richard Sarver (STO), John Taylor

(STO), Gavin Whitaker (STO)

Division 4 Female

2 - Michelle Fisher (PHX)

1 - Jan Bradley (MV2), Natasha Hopkins (PHX), Martine Knight (FRZ)

Division 4 Male

2 - Darren Corner (HAC), Sam Gardiner (MV2), Ian Mills (HAC), Dan Strosnider (MK2)

1 - Aleck Aspinall (MK2), Andy Gardner (MV2), Chris Gresty (MV2), Mike Humphries (MK2), Daniel Johansson (HAC), Lee McCarthy (COL), Simon Ronksley (PHX)



Next week's games

Division 1

Mayhem at Thunder (MD) Last meeting 16 July 2014, Thunder won 11-3 to make it 2 out of 2.



Lions at Greensox (DD) Last meeting 20 August 2014, Greensox won 20-5 (6 inns) to clinch the title. Sox lead 18-6, so this will be their 25th meeting.

Mavericks at Meerkats (AG) 0-0

Dodgers at Outlaws (TLF) Last meeting 30 July 2014, Outlaws won 12-4, but trail 9-5 overall.

Division 2

Speeders at Tigers (IW) Last meeting 14 May 2014, Speeders won 16-15, to tie series 1-1.

Outlaws II at Lightning (BMcG) Last meeting 6 August 2014, Outlaws won 12-11 to cut their series deficit to 4-2.

Mutineers at Bullfrogs (HS) Last meeting 26 June 2013 (POD), Bullfrogs won 5-2, but trail 5-4 overall.

Division 3

Enforcers at Sharks (3, MG) 0-0

Hurricanes at Camels II (1, AG) Last meeting 2 August 2011, Camels won 15-9 to take a 3-2 lead; Hurricanes have had the longest wait for revenge!

Pirates at Bats (2, CE) 0-0

Storm at Mayhem II (4, AR) Last meeting 22 July 2014, Mayhem won 16-11, their first win in 3 meetings

Division 4

Barflies at Colt 45s (9, BA) Last meeting 22 July 2014, Colts won 16-9, their first win in 4 meetings.

Mavericks II at Drizzle (6, JF) 0-0

Freeze at Hackers (7, AK) 0-0

Phoenix at Wildcats (8, IC) Last meeting 20 August 2013, Wildcats won 20-5 (5 inns) and have won all 3 of their meetings.

Results (cont.)

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Division 4

BARFLIES 0 1 13 2 3 0 **19**
MOORKATS 5 2 3 1 9 3 **23**
Ump: Charlie Everitt; Pitch 6; bad light
HRs MK2 Dan Strosnider 2, Mike Humphries, Aleck Aspinall

DRIZZLE 1 1 2 3 1 **8**
HACKERS 4 2 3 13 1 **23**
Ump: Tony Stonard; Pitch 8; RAR
HRs HAC Daniel Johansson, Ian Mills 2, Darren Corner 2

FREEZE 3 0 2 0 0 1 **6**
PHOENIX 8 1 0 4 7 0 x **20**
Ump: Alan Green; Pitch 9
HRs FRZ Martine Knight; PHX Simon Ronksley, Michelle Fisher 2, Natasha Hopkins

MAVERICKS II 0 9 1 3 4 7 **24**
COLT 45S 2 2 0 0 6 0 **10**
Ump: Luis Arrebillagas; Pitch 7; bad light
HRs MV2 Sam Gardiner 2, Chris Gresty, Andy Gardner, Jan Bradley
COL Lee McCarthy

End-of-season Ball

Details of this year's end-of-season ball can already be announced!

Date: 31st October

Location: The Midland Hotel
Hallowe'en theme, Fancy Dress optional

Cost of Ticket: £40

£5 discount to anyone who confirms and pays before August 1st. Preferred method of payment is Bank Transfer. However cheques and cash will be accepted.

If you would like tickets please email jugsy44@googlemail.com giving your name, team, number of tickets, payment details and any dietary requirements

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Results and standings

Week 1 - 21/22 April

Division 1

GREENSOX 3 1 1 9 5 14 **33**
MEERKATS 0 1 3 3 0 0 **7**
 Ump: Tony La Fave; Pitch PW7; RAR
 HRs GRX Paul Kidley 2, Vic O'Farrell

LIONS 1 0 0 3 0 0 2 **6**
MAYHEM 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 **2**
 Pitch 2
 HRs LIO Gordon Milson, Charles Everitt

MAVERICKS 4 0 0 0 0 4 0 **8**
DODGERS 2 6 0 0 0 4 x **12**
 Ump: Harry Somers; Pitch 4
 HRs MAV Andrea Dee, Elieser Dorrnsoro
 DOD Tyler Lappage

OUTLAWS 3 0 1 1 1 1 2 **9**
THUNDER 0 0 2 0 0 2 4 **8**
 Ump: Alan Green; Pitch 3

Division 2

BULLFROGS 3 4 0 6 0 3 6 **22**
TIGERS 1 2 0 0 0 2 0 **5**
 Pitch 6
 HRs BUL Adam Faloon 2, Steve Kellett

CAMELS 6 2 0 1 3 0 4 **16**
LIGHTNING 3 0 0 0 0 4 1 **8**
 Ump: Mike Davies; Pitch 9
 HRs CAM Tom Atkinson
 LIG Steve Bennett

OUTLAWS II 1 0 2 3 2 **8**
MUTINEERS 7 8 3 1 4 **23**
 Ump: Ian Williams; Pitch 5; RAR
 HRs OU2 Liz Lyons, Richard Goar; MUT Ali
 Hallsworth, Gary Moors, Duncan Jones

Division 3

ENFORCERS 3 4 3 5 6 **21**
PIRATES 2 8 1 0 2 **13**
 Ump: Ian Caird; Pitch 1; bad light
 HRs ENF Brad Flanagan, James Ridgway
 PIR Sue O'Brien, Ian Williams

HURRICANES 0 2 9 0 1 **12**
STORM 17 4 1 0 5 **27**
 Ump: Baljit Ahluwalia; Pitch 2; RAR
 HRs HUR Ross Birch 3, Gavin Whitaker,
 Richard Sarver, Jon Taylor

MAYHEM II 4 0 3 5 1 1 0 **14**
BATS 3 8 2 6 1 1 x **21**
 Ump: Pete Nightingale; Pitch 3

SHARKS 0 2 2 5 1 1 5 **16**
CAMELS II 11 5 1 0 0 6 x **23**
 Ump: Adam Roberts; Pitch 4
 HRs SHA Liam Harris; CM2 David Dean 2,
 Alan Davies, Julian Jones

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	P	W	T	L	F	RS	RC	Pct	GB
Division 1									
Lions	1	1	0	0	0	6	2	1.000	-
Greensox	1	1	0	0	0	33	7	1.000	-
Dodgers	1	1	0	0	0	12	8	1.000	-
Outlaws	1	1	0	0	0	9	8	1.000	-
Mayhem	1	0	0	1	0	2	6	.000	1
Thunder	1	0	0	1	0	8	9	.000	1
Mavericks	1	0	0	1	0	8	12	.000	1
Meerkats	1	0	0	1	0	7	33	.000	1
Division 2									
Bullfrogs	1	1	0	0	0	22	5	1.000	-
Mutineers	1	1	0	0	0	23	8	1.000	-
Camels	1	1	0	0	0	16	8	1.000	-
Speeders	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		½
Lightning	1	0	0	1	0	8	16	0.000	1
Tigers	1	0	0	1	0	5	22	0.000	1
Outlaws II	1	0	0	1	0	8	23	0.000	1
Division 3									
Storm	1	1	0	0	0	27	12	1.000	-
Enforcers	1	1	0	0	0	21	13	1.000	-
Bats	1	1	0	0	0	21	14	1.000	-
Camels II	1	1	0	0	0	23	16	1.000	-
Mayhem II	1	0	0	1	0	14	21	.000	1
Pirates	1	0	0	1	0	13	21	.000	1
Sharks	1	0	0	1	0	16	23	.000	1
Hurricanes	1	0	0	1	0	12	27	.000	1
Division 4									
Phoenix	1	1	0	0	0	20	6	1.000	-
Hackers	1	1	0	0	0	23	8	1.000	-
Mavericks II	1	1	0	0	0	24	10	1.000	-
Moorkats	1	1	0	0	0	23	19	1.000	-
Wildcats	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		½
Freeze	1	0	0	1	0	6	20	.000	1
Barflies	1	0	0	1	0	19	23	.000	1
Drizzle	1	0	0	1	0	8	23	.000	1
Colt 45s	1	0	0	1	0	10	24	.000	1