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All change after double round of Div 2 games

Fears that the 91% solar eclipse on Wednesday might make it too dark to play proved to be totally unfounded. In fact it was barely noticeable. There's another one next year, even less exciting.

Division 2 saw seven games last week, with the usual four on Wednesday and a further three, rearranged because of the World Cup, on Thursday, and the results have stirred up the race for promotion big time.

The league leaders, **Camels II** were involved in two thrillers, both of which were won in the final inning, and both by Camels' opponents. On Wednesday, they faced 4th-placed **Stingers**: 5-1 down after two innings, Camels racked up 13 runs to establish a seven-run lead. Over the next few frames Stingers slowly eroded this to trail by just two going into the bottom of the

7th. The three runs needed were duly scored, and Camels were stung, 22-23. The story was similar on Thursday: leading **Tigers** 7-3 after 2½ innings, Camels allowed seven runs to score. That deficit was maintained through two tit-for-tat innings, but then in the 6th Camels regained the lead. But in the 7th once again the home team needed three for the victory and got them, Tigers winning 18-17. Meanwhile Stingers were absolutely thumping fellow challengers **Screwballs**, 30-3. With **Bats** losing twice, first to **Speeders**, then to **Mavericks II**, they dropped to 4th place, while the new leaders are the Stingers. Camels have only one more game, but it's against Bats, who also have to play Stingers. Screwballs' final game is against Tigers, who are also still in the mix, one game behind the leaders. So it's still anyone's game.

At the other end of the table, **Thunder III** and **Hackers** had just one game last week, indeed against each other. Hackers' 16-9 win confirmed Thunder's return to Division 3, but results elsewhere, and their head-to-head record against 7th-placed Speeders (one win apiece, but aggregate 31-20) also means that Hackers cannot escape the drop.

In Division 1, in contrast, there was little change. **Camels** maintained their lead with a 21-1 "mercy" win in their top-vs-bottom clash with **Thunder II**, while **Thunder** had

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an even easier time of it, beating **Sharks** by a walk-over, as their opponent swere for the second time unable to field a team. **Mavericks** beat **Titans**, but can't do better than 3rd place, while Titans' chances of staying up are now only mathematical. There was excitement in Div 1 however in the **Dodgers** vs **Mayhem** game, which featured three sets of siblings (pictured): Paul and Jordan Colton, and Amber Frost and Martine Timms on opposite sides, with team-mates Charlotte and Matty Green. The game was suitably close, with Mayhem taking and maintaining an early lead but seeing Dodgers come within one

run and half an inning) of matching their tally.

There were some high-scoring games on Tuesday, but absolutely no change to the standings. **Toras** scored 34, half of them in one inning, to beat **Fireballs** for their first win of the campaign. Fireballs scored 29 which on any other day would surely be a comfortable winning score. For **Tiggers**, Josh Normie and Emma Crawford turned a nice double play in their 14-11 win over **Freeze**. **Liver Birds** got back to winning ways against **Raiders**. Neil McIntyre reportedly forgot he was playing softball, not competing in a gymnastics event as he barrelled between 2nd and 3rd base with such exuberance that he tripped and did a forward roll be-

fore reaching the base safely. He later took a tumble in the outfield and suffered a season-ending injury. **Bandidos** managed to field a team of rookies, work-mates and the like but were no match for the champion **Sluggababes**.

This week's games

Tuesday 18th

Division 3

Bandidos 1L @ Freeze 3L 2 PJ
Fireballs 1L @ Barflies 3W 7 AH
OddSox 2L v Sluggababes 16W 1 SS
Raiders 1L @ Toras 1W 3 PF
Tiggers 1W @ Liver Birds 1W 6 MG

Wednesday 19th

Division 1

Camels 6W @ Dodgers 1L B NS
Mayhem 2W @ Mavericks 1W G MD
Thunder 2W @ Meerkats 2L D PJ
Titans 2L @ Sharks 1F C AB

Division 2

Hackers 1W @ Mavericks II 1W F
Screwballs 1L @ Tigers 3W H FF
Speeders 1W @ Thunder III 8L E LP
Stingers 4W @ Bats 2L A PF

Birthdays

Monday 17th

Oscar Marenco (Screwballs)

Wednesday 19th

Rory Casey-Wright (Stingers), Adam Hugill (Camels), Claire Simcox (Titans)

Saturday 22nd

Eleanor Hotchkiss (Stingers), Criostai Newhall (Fireballs), Thomas Thornhill (Titans)



Match reports

Toras halt losing streak

TORAS 0 3 17 6 0 0 8 **34**
FIREBALLS 8 3 1 2 4 4 7 **29**

Pitch 2, Umpire Simon Sharp

TORAS Dan Waterman (CR), Rachel Thorpe (LF), Jack Lalor (SS), Jemma Crosby (2B), Sebastian Parker (3B), Laura Watson (1B), Ben Lock (P), Jessica Waugh (RF), Arima Mathieson (CL), *Hannah Kay (BAT)* (C)

HRs Lock 3, Lalor 3, Waterman, Thorpe, Mathieson

FIREBALLS Mandy Knight (RF), Jack Baldwin (CL), Rebecca Stevens (C), Andrew Whatmore (SS), Ellie Sams (LF), Mitchell Gilbert (P), Lisa Williams (2B), Nicky Johnson (CR), Rhiannon Flame (3B), Samuel Webb (1B)

After coming out on the wrong side of a few close games, the Toras' overdue rise in form finally earned them their first win of the season. A full-strength line up boosted by the energy of guest Hannah Kay got off to a shaky start, going 11-3 down after two innings. However, a bat-around 3rd saw captain Rachel Thorpe and opener Dan Waterman hit their first homers of the season to contribute to 17 runs scored and an eight-run lead heading into the 4th. Another strong inning saw the lead grow to 12, before two shutout innings and some steady scoring by the Fireballs closed the gap to four going into the 7th. Blu Simon Sharp, desperate for Toras to earn their first win

without the asterisk of bad light, tested sight from the outfield before giving the all clear for play to continue. Another eight runs in the top of the 7th, including third homers of the night for Jack Lalor and Ben Lock, proved vital in holding off a seven-run effort from the Fireballs as the sun set on a record (Statto check?) 14-game losing streak. *Jack Lalor* MVPs Thorpe, Parker (TOR), Williams, Whatmore (PFB)

[Statto says: The record losing streak is 22 games, and there is currently a team with a somewhat worse streak than the Toras' 14!]

Mavs eclipsed by Screwballs

MAVERICKS II 1 3 0 0 1 0 2 **7**
SCREWBALLS 5 3 0 4 2 3 x **17**
 Pitch A, Umpire David Warren

MAVERICKS II Ali Marrs (RF), Chris Gresty (SS), Jane Curley (2B; Sub *Jo Griffin (TH3)*), Ian Williams (3B), Natalie Dunlop (LF), Mike Goff (CL), Diane Martin Baez (C), Steven Kellett (P), Helen Moore (1B), David Martin Baez (CR)

SCREWBALLS Olivia Thompson-Westmacott (CR), Oscar Marengo (SS), Hannah Tillyard (2B), Zak Morris (3B), Catherine Millan (1B), Dan Strayer (P), Hatti Greenhow (C), Christopher Marengo (RF), Eliza Thompson-Westmacott (LF), Maciek Jurewicz (CL)
 HRs O Marengo 2, Strayer, Jurewicz

The promotion-chasing Screwballs dimmed the light

of Mavs II in a comfortable victory Wednesday evening. This completes a Screwballs double over the Mavs following their previous encounter this season which ended 15-2.

The Screwballs, behind the pitching of Dan Strayer, were always in control of the game without completely dominating, limiting the Mavs' offence with a combination of smart pitches, slick relays, and sharp catches. The Screwball offence scored regularly and hit a number of home runs to gradually increase their lead over the course of the game.

The Mavs hitters, coming off a season-high total last week, were out of sorts and struggling to string together hits, perhaps affected by the celestial events that were taking place concurrently. They only managed to put together any kind of rally in two innings and had no extra bases beyond 2nd. In the end the Screwballs cruised to victory with a final score of 17-7.

MVPs for the Mavs were Chris Gresty (3 for 4) and Nat Dunlop, both for their steady defence although the pick of the Mav bats were Ian Williams (4 for 4, 3 RBIs) and Ali Marrs (3 for 4, 2 RBIs). Di

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Match reports (Cont. from page 4)

Martin Baez also had a reasonable shout for MVP with two hits and an energetic rundown at home to deny another Screwball homer.

The Screwballs look a good bet for promotion with a good all-round performance. The Mavs will have to quickly go back to the drawing board to try and work out how to regain their early-season form with their next game a rearranged fixture against Bats, another team with Div 1 aspirations, taking place 24 hours later.

David Martin Baez

Another view

There was more great defensive work tonight from the entire Screwballs side as they made it three straight wins. Some excellent relays to 3rd base cut down some Mavs II rallies: kudos to the Marengo clan and Zak Morris for those efforts. Morris added some stellar stops at the hot corner to keep our side rolling. Hannah Tillyard had a brilliant all-around evening, turning double plays and snaring line drives at 2nd base. The centre outfielders (Liv Westmacott-Thompson and Maciek Juriewicz) also flashed the leather, and did a tremendous job offensively.

We never feel like Mavs II are ever out of it. They're always game, and they were again this evening. The defence

backed up pitcher Steve Kellett in an excellent fashion: sometimes, it's like trying to throw a lamb chop past a wolf to hit a ball through them.

Dan Strayer

MVPs Dunlop, Gresty (MV2), Tillyard-Smith, Morris (SCR)

Mavs batter Bats

BATS	0	3	0	0	1	4
MAVERICKS II	0	7	6	4	2	19

RAR, Pitch C, Umpire Simon Sharp

BATS Christian Frost (SS), Hannah Kay (3B), Bryn Davies (CR), Beryl Lannin-Jones (1B), Cris Newhall (2B), Grace Khwaja (C), Shawn Khwaja (CR), *Amber Frost (MKT)* (RF), Arthur Hung (P), *Rachel Thorpe (TOR)(LF)*
HR Davies

MAVERICKS II Natalie Dunlop(LF), Chris Gresty (SS), Jane Curley (1B), Thomas Myatt (P), Charleen Christofi (3B), Mike Goff (CL), *Maddie Gresty (CAM)(RF)*, Steven Kellett (2B), *Joanna Griffin TH3)(C)*, David Martin Baez (CR)
HR M Gresty

All bat species are legally protected in the UK although the Mavs paid this no notice as they displaced the Didsbury species in ruthless fashion on a quiet Thursday evening at WSG.

A scoreless 1st inning suggested that another low-scoring game may be on the cards after the teams' previous encounter in May ended 6-5 to the Mavs.

This was short-lived as the Mavs, reinforced by a couple of familiar and able guests in Maddy Gresty and Jo Griffin, began stringing together the rallies that had been missing

the previous night: seven and six runs scored in the next two innings and 17 runs on the scoresheet by the bottom of the 4th.

The Bats, missing some key players and unusually out of sorts offensively, struggled to find the gaps and hit the excellent pitching of Tom Myatt. When they did, on more than a couple of occasions, the Mavs' roving outfielder was on hand to make some timely outs.

With only four runs scored by the Bats in the middle of the 5th inning, the Mavs had a relatively straightforward task of scoring two to bring an early end to the contest, which they duly did: final score 19-4.

MVPs were Nat Dunlop 2 for 4, 3 RBIs), her second this week, and Mavs captain Dave Martin Baez 3 for 3). Jane Curley had 3 hits and 5 RBIs. Maddie showed her dad how it was done, hitting a no-doubt homer although Chris more than contributed with three more modest hits and 4 RBIs.

This win will give the Mavs a much needed confidence boost going into the final two games of the season, both against lower placed teams.

Dave Martin Baez

MVPs Kay, S Khwaja (BAT), Dunlop Dave Martin Baez MV2)



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Home runs

Division 1 SBH

7 – Maddy Gresty (CAM)
 4 – Avery Chong (MKT)
 3 – Zoe Le Roux (THU)
 2 – Nicola Booth (CAM), Julie Eden (THU), Kim Hannessen (THU), Jessica Hastings (DOD), Alexa Martinez (DOD)
 1 – Melissa Byrne (DSH), Zoe Coombes (TTN), Leanne Cracknell (MAV), Lauren Crouse (MAV), Katie Flanagan (DOD), Charlotte Green (CAM), Izzie Keeley (CAM), Maya McGreggor (TTN), Linni Mitchell (MHM), Izzy Rendell (TTN), Rachel Shkurko (DSH), Kate Winfield (TTN)

Division 1 BBH

12 – Brian Slusarek (DOD)
 10 – Paul Colton* (DOD)
 9 – Sam Baker* (TTN)
 8 – Joe Grantham (THU), Pete Nightingale* (MAV), Tom Russell (THU)
 7 – Keith Altena (MKT), Rohan Johns (TTN)
 6 – Nathan Barratt* (MHM), Brad Hadwin (THU), Stephane Karayannis (DSH)
 5 – Carlos dos Ramos (MKT), Jake Roberts (DOD)
 4 – Luis Arrevillagas (THU), Max Fagan (CAM), Adam Huggill (CAM), Mike Lott (DSH), Jon Taylor* (TH2)
 3 – Tom Atkinson (CAM), Craig Brooks (MAV), Daniel Downes (DSH), Carl Emsley (TTN), Jeivo Gomez (TH2), Alex Ingham (MKT), Benkei Johnson (MHM), Mike MacDowell (CAM), Jack Scholes (MHM)
 2 – Luis Allan Arrevillagas (THU), Jai Bhagdev (TTN), Jordan Colton (MHM), David

MVPs

CAMELS Maddy Gresty (CL), Baljit Ahluwalia (P)
DODGERS Katie Flanagan (CR), Paul Colton (SS)
MAVERICKS sherry kenyon (RF), Chris Fulton (P)
MAYHEM Nathan Barratt (SS), Linni Mitchell (CL)
THUNDER II Bryony James (P), Benjamin Pearce (CR)
TITANS Maya McGregor (2B), Jamie Coombes (CR)
BATS (Wed) Carla Zuill (2B), Chris Newhall (CR)
BATS (Th) Hannah Kay (3B), Shawn Khwaja (CR)
CAMELS II (Wed) Elizabeth Michalenko (RF), Daniel Jarman (CR)
CAMELS II (Th) Isobel Wakefield (1B), Chris Drayton (P)
HACKERS Grace Mills (LF), Daniel Johansson (P)
MAVERICKS II (W) Natalie Dunlop (LF), Chris Gresty (SS)
MAVERICKS II (Th) Natalie Dunlop (LF), David John Martin Baez (CR)
SCREWBALLS (W) Hannah Tillyard-Smith (2B), Zak Morris (3B)
SCREWBALLS (Th) Eliza Thompson-Westmacott (LF) Maciek Jurewicz (CL)
SPEEDERS Sian McNeill (2B), Chris Lennon (P)
STINGERS (Wed) Natasha wickowski (CR), Jack Barnes (2B)
STINGERS (Th) Chloe Patient (P), Dilan Bastiampillai (CL)
THUNDER III Luna Sanchez (1B), James Wright (SS)
TIGERS Amber Castello (RF), David Warren (P)
BANDIDOS Donna Brierley (1B), Ingacio Sandez Sanchez (SS)
BARFLIES Mandy Ashton (C), Matthew Hartley (CR)
FIREBALLS Lisa Williams (2B), Andrew Whatmore (SS)
FREEZE Laurie Salfred-Ingham (CL), Mark Hayward (SS)
LIVER BIRDS Carmen Isobel Arrevillagas (CR), Joshua Walker (SS)
ODDSOX Katarzyna Fabianski (CR), Ben Agnew (LF)
RAIDERS Melanie Kittles (2B), Jake Collins (CR)
SLUGGABABES Eleanor Harri s (LF), Peter Booth (CR)
TIGGERS Holly Tillard-Smith (2B), Aiden Peakman (3B)
TORAS Rachel Thorpe (LF), Sebastian Parker (3B)

All names appear as submitted

Dyson (DOD), Matthew Green (MHM), David Grice (DOD), Kris Hadwin (THU), Stephen Howard (DOD), Matt Narain* (MKT), Wes Ng (CAM)
 1 – Andrew Bogie* (TH2), Charles Coffey (MAV), Jamie Coombes (TTN), Elieser Dorronsoro (DOD), Chris Fulton (MAV), Anthony Garcia Reyes (MHM), Amilcar Gomes (MHM), Danny Gunn (MAV), Simon Hepburn (DOD), Phil Kirby (TH2), Dave Leverton

(THU), Ben March (THU), Luke Martin (DSH), Laurence Pearmain (MAV)

Division 2 SBH

6 – Anissa Aghtarafi (TIG)
 3 – Chloe Patient (STG), Olivia Thompson-Westmacott (SCR)
 2 – Grace Mills (HAC), Toni Strowger (STG)
 1 – Nadia Aghtarafi (TIG), Carmen Arrevillagas (HAC),

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Home runs (Continued from page 7)

Emma Bennett (SPE), Nikki Bradshaw (STG), Charleen Christofi (MV2), Nat Dunlop (MV2), Ella Mills (HAC), Alia Paschali (CM2), Evie Sanders (HAC), Bailey Saunders (TIG), Isobel Wakefield (CM2), Carla Zuill (BAT)

Division 2 BBH

17 – James Wooderson* (CM2)
 12 – Oscar Marenco (SCR), James Wright (TH3)
 11 – Bryn Davies (BAT)
 10 – Jack Barnes* (STG)
 9 – Dilan Bastiampillai** (STG)
 7 – David Martin Baez* (MV2), Mike Mia* (TH3), Ethan Money-Muter* (SPE)
 6 – Adam Faloona* (SPE), Duncan Jones* (SPE), Shawn Khwaja* (BAT), Cameron Waddelow (BAT)
 5 – Ant Boffey (CM2), Ed Covington (TIG), Josh Kehoe* (TIG), Ross Maskell (SCR)
 4 – Donald Ching Hang Siu (BAT), Richard Goar (TIG), AJ Hoysted (TH3), Zak Morris (SCR), Oliver Sharpe (TIG), Nic Sims (STG)
 3 – Liam Deegan (CM2), Chris Drayton (CM2), Chris Gresty (MV2), Jack Hoban (HAC), Christopher Marenco* (SCR), Cris Newhall* (BAT), Jack Rains (STG), Dan Strayer (SCR), Rich Thompson (TIG), Ian Williams (MV2)
 2 – Alastair Hallsworth (SPE), Johnny Huck (TH3), Maciek Juriewicz (SCR), Joe Mills (HAC), Nick Money (SPE), Sean Rafter (HAC), Artem Rastrepayev (SCR), David Warren (TIG)
 1 – Ian Caird (TH3), Dean Cull (TH3), Joseph Dodson (TH3), Jonathan Foldi* (CM2), Mark Fox (STG), Chris Frost (BAT), Mike Goff (MV2), Mohamad Irfan Haziz (TIG), Daniel Johansson (HAC), Ryan Jones (SPE), Lewis Le Fevre (TH3), Chris Lennon (SPE), Ian Mills (HAC), Tom Myatt (MV2)

Division 3 SBH

7 – Jo McCullough (BFL)
 4 – Carmen Arrevillagas (LVB)
 3 – Eleanor Harris (SLG), Emma Hawke (TGG), Chloe Llewellyn (BND), Sophie Temple (LVB)
 2 – Grace Williams (LVB)
 1 – Abbie Arnold (TGG), Jessamine Belfield* (RAI), Kerry Brown (RAI), Jacqueline Choudhury Sinnot (FRZ), Alyssa Jones (LVB), Lisa Morrissey (RAI), Demi Rabbette (SLG), Laurie Salfred-Ingham (FRZ), Lorilei Salfred-Ingham (FRZ), Rebecca Stevens (PFB), Lynsey Taylor (TGG), Rachel Thorpe (TOR), Abbie Thwaite (SLG), Nat Wood (RAI)

Division 3 BBH

14 – Chris Mannion (SLG), Joshua Walker (LVB)
 13 – Mark Crannage* (RAI)
 12 – Leon Arismendi* (TGG)
 11 – Luke Crannage (RAI), 10 – Ebrahim Hassan (BFL), Ray Walker (LVB)
 9 – Jack Lalor (TOR), Liam Morrison*** (BND)
 8 – Richard Valentine (RAI)
 7 – Ben Lock* (TOR), Owen Salfred-Ingham* (FRZ), 6 – Jack Heaton (ODX)
 5 – William Lazicki (LVB), Johan Lemmers (SLG), Neil McIntyre (LVB), Josh Normie* (TGG), Kieran O'Leary* (SLG), Mat Tanner (SLG)
 4 – John Pearson* (RAI), Chris Radford (BFL)
 3 – Jacob Arnison* (BND), Liam Harris (LVB), Nacho Sánchez (BND), Sam Webb (PFB)
 2 – Ben Acton (LVB), Nino Calo (FRZ), Jake Collins (RAI), David Dean (BFL), Nicky Johnson (PFB), Lee Kendrick-Walker (BFL), Conor O'Sullivan (TGG), Kelby Salfred-Ingham (FRZ), Chris Smith (BFL), Kris Stokwicz (RAI), James Tanner (SLG), Carlos Torres (TGG), Jono Wrigley* (FRZ)
 1 – Jamie Acton (LVB), Jack Baldwin (PFB), Peter Booth (SLG), Pete Boyne (BND), Mitch

Gilbert (PFB), Mark Hayward (FRZ), Ross Jubber (FRZ), Harry Marsh (PFB), Ian McCann (BND), Sebastian Parker (TOR), Dan Waterman (TOR), Andy Whatmore (PFB), Kuba Williams (BFL), Rocco Wrigley (FRZ)
 * grand slam

Guests

(Last week) Hayley Evans and Nicola Booth (both CAM) for Sharks v Meerkats
 Nicola Booth (CAM) for OddSox v Barflies
 Avery Chong (MKT) for Dodgers v Mayhem
 Amber Frost (MKT) for Mayhem (2nd time) v Dodgers and for Bats v Mavericks II
 Maddie Gresty (CAM) for Mavericks II v Bats
 Jo Griffin (TH3) for Bandidos (3rd) v Sluggababes and for Mavericks II v Bats
 Liam Harris (LVB) for Mayhem (2nd) v Dodgers
 Jack Heaton (ODX) for Stingers v Screwballs
 Hannah Kay (BAT) for Toras v Fireballs
 Jack Lalor (TOR) for Stingers (3rd) v Camels II
 Chloe Llewellyn (Bandidos) for Speeders v Bats
 Michael Mia (TH3) for Bandidos v Sluggababes
 Bailey Saunders (TIG) for OddSox (2nd) v Barflies
 Stephen Shearer (DSH) for Dodgers v Mayhem
 Dan Strayer (SCR) for Barflies (4th) v OddSox
 Rachel Thorpe (TOR) for Bats (2nd) v Mavericks II
 Charley Whalley (DSH) for Liver Birds (2nd) v Raiders

Next week's fixtures (August 25/26)

Next week' sees the final scheduled week of games, the return fixtures from Week 9, 23/24 June.

Division 1

Dodgers @ Thunder II (D)

Dodgers won 35-20, a third win in there meetings.

Mavericks @ Camels (C) Mavericks won 17-12, the Camels' only loss so far this season, and lead 24-5 in all meetings.

Meerkats @ Titans (B) Titans forfeited due to lack of players. Meerkats have won all three meetings.

Sharks @ Mayhem (G) Sharks won 15-13, reducing the all-time record to 10-8 to the Mossley crew.

Thunder rest

Division 2

Bats @ Camels II (H) Bats won convincingly, 23-9, only their 5th win in 18 meetings.

Mavericks II @ Speeders (A) Speeders won 23-8, having led off with a 13-run blast. Speeders lead 8-5 in all meetings.

Thunder III @ Stingers (F) Stingers won 24-3 to take a 4-3 lead in all meetings.

Tigers @ Hackers (A) Tigers won 16-12, and have won all three of their meetings.

Screwballs rest

Division 3

Barflies @ Raiders (2) Barflies won 32-17 to take a 5-4 lead in all meetings.

Freeze @ Sluggababes (7)

Sluggababes won 19-3, tying up the all-time series at 2-2.

Liver Birds @ Bandidos (3)

Bandidos won this first ever meeting 12-11 in a thrilling 8-inning game.

OddSox v Fireballs (1) First ever meeting.

Toras @ Tiggers (6) Tiggers comfortably won this feline derby 24-2, and have won all four meetings.

Rearranged games, 2 September. Originally scheduled for 15 July, they are the return fixtures from 13 May

Division 1

Dodgers @ Sharks (B) Dodgers won 20-19 in 8 innings, only their 2nd win in seven meetings.

Mayhem @ Titans (D) Mayhem won this first ever meeting 16-11.

Thunder II @ Meerkats (G) Meerkats won 31-10 in 4 innings, a 9th win in ten meetings.

Correction

In the Division 1 standings over the last few weeks, Mayhem should have been above Dodger Sharks. Despite their head-to-head result, Sharks have a forfeit among their losses, a criterion that takes precedent over head-to-head.

Results (Continued from page 10)

Division 2 (Thursday)

BATS 0 3 0 0 1 4
MAVERICKS II 0 7 6 4 2 19
 RAR, Pitch C, Umpire Simon Sharp
 HRs **BAT** Bryn Davies; **MV2** Maddie Gresty (CAM)

CAMELS II 1 5 1 3 1 3 3 17
TIGERS 3 0 7 3 1 1 3 18
 Pitch E, Umpire Peter Nightingale
 HR **TIG** Liam Deegan

STINGERS 7 5 15 3 30
SCREWBALLS 2 0 0 1 3
 RAR, Pitch F, Umpire Mike Davies
 HRs **TGR** Dilan Bastiampillai, **Jack Barnes** 3 (1GS), Nic Sims 2, **Jack Heaton** (ODX), Nikki Bradshaw, Chloe Patient

Division 3

BARFLIES 8 7 0 1 3 3 8 30
ODDSOX 1 6 0 2 2 1 1 13
 Pitch 1, Umpire Dilan Bastiampillai
 Hrs **BFL** Ebrahim Hassan, **Dan Strayer** (SCR)(GS), Jo McCullough;
ODX Jack Heaton 2, **Nicola Booth** (CAM)

FREEZE 0 0 3 2 2 2 2 11
TIGGERS 6 1 1 3 2 1 x 14
 Pitch 3, Umpire Mike Goff
 HRs **FRZ** Mark Hayward; **TGG** Josh Normie

LIVER BIRDS 9 5 1 7 6 3 31
RAIDERS 2 1 10 8 4 2 27
 Bad light, Pitch 6, Umpire Mike Davies
 HRs **LVB** Joshua Walker 3, Carmen Arrevillagas 2, Liam Harris 2; **RAI** Richard Valentine, Luke Crannage, Mark Crannage, Kerry Brown

SLUGGABABES 11 5 9 3 28
BANDIDOS 0 2 1 2 5
 RAR, Pitch 7, Umpire Arthur Hung
 HRs **SLG** Mat Tanner, El Harris 2, James Tanner, Pete Booth; **BND** Nacho Sánchez

TORAS 0 3 17 6 0 0 8 34
FIREBALLS 8 3 1 2 4 4 7 29
 Pitch 2, Umpire Simon Sharp
 HRs **TOR** Ben Lock 3, Jack Lalor 3, Dan Waterman, Rachel Thorpe, Arima Mathieson

Results 11/12/13 August

Division 1

DODGERS 2 6 2 2 5 2 **21**
MAYHEM 2 12 2 1 0 5 x **22**
 Pitch C, Umpire Nacho Sánchez
 HRs **DOD** David Grice; **MHM** Nathan Barratt 2

TITANS 4 1 0 1 0 2 3 **11**
MAVERICKS 1 2 7 3 3 2 x **18**
 Pitch G, Umpire Peter Jones; home team batted first
 HRs **TTN** Sam Baker, Maya McGreggor, Rohan Johns; **MAV** Craig Brooks

SHARKS **0**
THUNDER **20**
 Forfeit

THUNDER II 0 0 0 1 **1**
CAMELS 6 4 11 x **21**
 RAR Pitch D, Umpire Alan Green
 HRs **CAM** Nicola Booth

Division 2 (Wednesday)

BATS 0 2 6 6 3 8 **25**
SPEEDERS 2 6 5 6 4 11 **34**

Bad light; Pitch F, Umpire Luis Arrevillagas
 HR **BAT** Carla Zuill, Cris Newhall 2, Shawn Khwaja, **Bryn Davies** (GS);
SPE Ethan Money-Muter 2, *Chloe Llewellyn* (BND)

CAMELS II 0 1 13 4 3 1 0 **22**
STINGERS 4 1 3 5 7 0 3 **23**
 Pitch H, Umpire Mike Davies
 HRs **CM2** James Wooderson 3, Chris Drayton, Liam Deegan, Dan Jarman 2; **STG** *Jack Lalor* (TOR), **Dilan Bastiampillai** 2 (1GS)

MAVERICKS II 1 3 0 0 1 0 2 **7**
SCREWBALLS 5 3 0 4 2 3 x **17**
 Pitch A, Umpire David Warren
 HRs **SCR** Oscar Marencio 2, Dan Strayer, Maciek Juriewicz

THUNDER III 0 4 3 0 2 0 0 **9**
HACKERS 1 2 0 4 6 3 x **16**
 Pitch E, Umpire Bailey Saunders
 HRs **TH3** Joseph Dodson, James Wright

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Standings

Division 1

	P	W	T	L	RS	RC	Pct	GB
► Camels	14	13	0	1	290	10	.929	-
► Thunder	15	13	0	2	311	11	.867	½
► Mavericks	14	10	0	4	237	19	.714	3
► Mayhem*	13	7	0	6	177	18	.500	6
► Sharks*	13	6	0	7	156	21	.423	7
► Meerkats	13	5	0	8	179	18	.385	7½
▼ Dodgers	13	5	0	8	248	27	.385	7½

► Titans	13	2	0	11	164	25	.154	10
► Thunder II (R)	14	0	0	14	114	36	.000	13

* 1pt deducted

Division 2

► Stingers	14	10	0	4	259	19	.714	-
▼ Camels II	15	10	0	5	263	20	.667	½
▼ Screwballs	15	10	0	5	292	25	.667	½
▼ Bats	14	9	0	5	250	22	.643	1
► Tigers	14	9	0	5	295	21	.643	1
► Mavericks II	14	7	0	7	214	23	.500	3
► Speeders	14	5	0	9	262	28	.357	5
► Hackers (R)	14	3	0	1	174	23	.214	7
► Thunder III (R)	14	1	0	1	184	34	.071	9

Bats above Tigers on head-to-heads

Division 3

	P	W	T	L	RS	RC	Pct	GB
► Sluggababes (C)	15	15	0	0	270	12	1.00	-
► Barflies	15	10	0	5	305	24	.667	5
► Raiders	15	8	0	7	278	23	.533	7
► Bandidos*	15	9	0	6	212	22	.533	7
► Freeze	15	8	0	7	272	22	.533	7
► Liver Birds	15	8	0	7	314	22	.533	7
► Tiggers	15	7	0	8	218	22	.467	8
► Fireballs	15	4	0	11	233	31	.267	11
► OddSox	7	1	0	6	56	20	.067	14
► Toras	15	1	0	14	162	31	.067	14

*2pts deducted

Positions 3-6 determined on win-loss in head-to-heads; OddSox Pct and GB includes eight virtual "losses"; above Toras on head-to-head