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COMMISSIONER'S CORNER:

News on the new manager hunt will be coming in the next newsletter. For the rest of this season I will be playing the Nashville games. Block 6 rotation and CM has already been sent out.

League Fee is due no later than July 31st. Franchises that have an outstanding fee are Burlington, Alpharetta, Baton Rouge, California, Lake Wobegon and the new franchise taking over for Nashville.

The Races:

In the American League Baton Rouge Silver Bullets were hot playing at a .688 clip, 11-5, this period to pull 11 games in front of Alpharetta. Alpharetta had a losing record of 5-7. But GM Handel went out and made some trades to booster the team. They acquired Jake Arrieta for block 6. Trade rumors have them picking up a number of players for block 7. Milford was 3-5 and are only percentage points in front of New Hampshire. NH was 12-8. For the final playoff spot there is a battle between Nashville and Lake Wobegon. Nashville went 15-11 while Lake Wobegon had a losing record of 5-7.

In the National League US Jarheads went 11-5 and remained in first place. Hazardville went 16-4! That's .800 ball. They managed to cut the Jarhead lead down to 5 games. Allyn Street despite going 7-1 fell 7 games back of Hazardville but improved its lead over Connecticut to 5 games. Connecticut went 9-11 and still holds onto 4th place. New England at 8-4 went from 6th to a percentage point in front of Klee's for 5th place. Klee's 9-11 is in 6th.

Basement Bertha and Louisville seem to have set the date, February 25th 2018, (Draft Day). Will Bertha bring the carrot to Louisville, the number one pick overall or will California still have a shot at her? Only time will tell.

AMERICAN LEAGUE								
Place	Team	W	L	pct	gb	home	away	last update
1	Baton Rouge Silver Bullets	71	28	.717	----	34-17	37-11	7/15
2	Alpharetta Aces	62	41	.602	11	30-25	32-16	7/15
3	Milford Dogfish	58	41	.586	13	36-15	22-26	7/15
4	New Hampshire Hogs	60	43	.583	13	36-19	24-24	7/15
5	Nashville Assassins	55	48	.534	18	35-20	20-28	7/15
6	Lake Wobegon Whippets	50	45	.526	19	24-23	26-22	7/15
7	Hotlanta Possums	50	53	.485	23	25-26	25-27	7/15
8	Arsenal Gunners	41	50	.451	26	21-26	20-24	7/15
9	Urpaigh Dragons	43	60	.417	30	22-29	21-31	7/15
10	Yorktown Admirals	35	64	.354	36	21-30	14-34	7/15
11	California Dreamers	35	68	.340	38	22-33	13-35	7/15
12	Louisville River Bandits	33	70	.320	40	16-35	17-35	7/15

NATIONAL LEAGUE								
Place	Team	W	L	pct	gb	home	away	last update
1	US Jarheads	74	29	.718	----	36-16	38-13	7/15
2	Hazardville Powderkegs	69	34	.670	5	32-20	37-14	7/15
3	Allyn Street 89ERS	58	37	.611	12	27-17	31-20	7/15
4	Connecticut Blue Devils	57	46	.553	17	25-23	32-23	7/15
5	New England Angels	52	47	.525	20	30-22	22-25	7/15
6	Klee's Klubbers	54	49	.524	20	27-21	27-28	7/15
7	Maine Yaks	50	53	.485	24	27-21	23-32	7/15
8	Norwich Navigators	48	55	.466	26	22-26	26-29	7/15
9	Illinois Prairie Dogs	39	56	.411	31	26-26	13-30	7/15
10	Burlington Buccaneers	31	52	.373	33	15-25	16-27	7/1
11	Wall Street Barons	38	61	.384	34	17-31	21-30	7/15
12	Taxachusetts Chiefs	34	61	.358	36	17-31	17-30	7/15

Transactions:

Effective series #30:

1. Hotlanta receives USJ #3DP & J. Weaver. USJ receives Hisashi Iwakuma.
2. Illinois trades Arrieta to Alpharetta for Franco and Moore.

2017 –CALENDAR of EVENTS.

July 1 - 1. Dues Month. League fee of \$20.00 is due by July 31st to keep active member active.

Aug 1 - 1. The date that 2018 Draft picks can be included in a trade.

Nov 1 - 1. Managers send in All-Star candidates from their team plus the position to be listed on the All-Star ballot.

Minus Bonus Points:

-BP's for this Report: none

YTD -BP's: BB 1 ½, AG 1, LW ½, AA ½.