

1. Overview

The season is upon us once again.....

- You will play each team in the league twice.
- Your head-2-head match-up goes from Mon-Sun. You start your 'next game' next Monday.
- There are 24 head-2-head categories. It is your CUMULATIVE Weekly Scores, based upon your weekly performance in these categories that determine your standing in the league.
- The Top 6 finishers will compete in the "Championship Playoffs". The bottom six will be sent to the consolation playoffs.
- I keep team W/L records just for the purpose of determining who the Head-2-Head W/L champ is. This title does not have any impact in the overall standings.

2. Team Changes

Leaving: **BigV**, Wei Li

Joining: **Joe Mauer's Sideburns**, **Blake Moore** MI, Formerly co-manger of Ludville 9.

3. Setting Changes

a. None

4. Defending Champion: **Da Bums**

6. Draft Time

- The live online draft is set for **Sun Mar 29 8:00pm CDT**
- An **Enter Live Draft** link will appear on the Yahoo league page.
- Please arrive ten minutes early as your draft will start promptly at the assigned time.
- Pre-Ranking will help you get the players you desire.....

7. Draft Order

Draft Order / Draft Results

	Team	Manager	Round 1	Round 2	Round 3	Round 4	Round 5	Round 6
1.	Gladiators	R.Lubynsky	H.Ramirez	D.Pedroia	C.Quentin	J.Peavy	J.Ellsbury	A.Huff
2.	Raging Trout	L.Bruder	D.Wright	J.Mourneau	M.Ramirez	R.Halladay	M.Young	S.Kazmir
3.	Ludville 9	T.Moore	A.Pujols	I.Suzuki	C.Granderson	B.Webb	J.Pappelbon	M.DeRosa
4.	Sultan of Swat	G.Kassel	Jose Reyes	C.Beltran	A.Rodriguez	Alx.Ramirez	D.Haren	C.Davis
5.	Lethal Lobsters	L.Reed	G.Sizemore	L.Berkman	P.Fielder	Alex Rios	B.McCann	G.Atkins
6.	Da Bums	D.Grayson	M.Cabrera	J.Santana	B.Phillips	R.Martin	S.Victriano	V.Martinez
7.	Purple Pecans	I.Packer	J.Hamilton	C.Utley	Carlos Lee	C.Hamels	A.Gonzalez	J.Beckett
8.	Ruby's Raiders	R.Ruby	R.Braun	A.Soriano	C.Crawford	B.Roberts	J.Mauer	T.Tulotwizki
9.	Crimey	B.Hickman	R.Howard	E.Longoria	J.Bay	D.Ortiz	G.Soto	C.Hark
10.	JMS	B.Moore	J.Rollins	T.Lincecum	K.Youklis	Ar.Rameriz	M.Ordonez	H.Pence
11.	Corp Drones	P.Allen	I.Kinsler	BJ Upton	V.Guerrero	M.Kemp	N.McClouth	R.Furcal
12.	Grand Slammers	A.Tarbous	M.Teixeira	CC.Sabathia	M.Holliday	N.Markakis	M.Riveria	E.Volquez

8. League Overview

8.1 Games/Format

22 Regular Season games total.

You will play each team twice. 22 Games

8.2 Championship Playoffs

The top six teams will make the playoffs.

- #1 and #2 receive a first round bye
- Teams 3-6 begin playoffs in week 23.

8.3 Lineup 20 players per team.

Hitting Slots

1 - C
1 - 1B
1 - 2B
1 - SS
1 - 3B
3 - OF
1 - Util

Pitching Slots

2 - SP
1 - RP
2 - P

6 - Bench

8.4 Stat Categories

Offensive Cats

R Runs Scored
H Total Hits
1B Singles
2B Doubles
3B Triples
HR Home Runs
RBI Runs Batted In
SB Stolen Bases
BB Walks
*K Strike Outs
FPCT Fielding Percentage
AVG Batting Average

*The team with the 'least' strikeout wins this category.

Pitching Cats

IP Innings Pitched
W Wins
*L Losses
CG Complete Games
SHO Shutouts
SV Saves
*HBP Hit By Pitcher
K Strike Outs
GIDP Ground Into Double Plays
*ERA Earned Run Average
*WHIP (Walks + Hits) / IP
K/BB Strikeout to Walk Ratio

*The team with the 'lower' number wins these cats.

8.5 Tiebreakers

Ties will be broken with the following tiebreaker (Yahoo Playoff H2H tiebreak):

"In the event that a playoff game ends in a tie, the deadlock will be broken using the following system.":

1. **Team ERA**
2. **Team BA**

8.6 AI Gore Award Tiebreaker (Pure Won/Loss)

Should teams end the season with an identical record, the following tiebreaker will be applied.

1. **Best Head to Head Record**
2. **Team ERA**
3. **Team BA**

8.7 Trade Protest Procedure

- a. We play for free and we play for fun. (This stuff can get real ugly in money leagues).
- b. Protests, though rare, happen from time-to-time.
- c. Anyone can protest any trade.
- d. I always wait 'until the next afternoon' to process any trade...no "instant commish" approvals.
This is to allow managers a reasonable chance to review the trade and to lodge a protest.
- e. When a trade is protested.. I put it to a league vote.
- f. If there is no protest... the trade is approved.