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Voting Result

The idea presented by NL President Rob Bruno to change the player roster from the current limit of 30 to a maximum of 35 and at the same time be able to protect all 35 as well as be able to draft uncarded Major league or minor league player any manager chooses to in the draft, with a maximum of five(5). Failed by a vote of 7 to 10 with 3 managers not voting. Result: No Change.

Manager Resigns on eve of new season.

Thomas Angel (Florida) as informed me that he will not have the time to remain in the FBNBA because of poor health, extra job as well as other league commitments. The new manager of the Florida Franchise will be Richard V Nevarez, 44 Calvados Dr, Camarillo, CA 93010 PH (805) 388-5348. Richard is a 26 year old Engineering aide for the city of Camarillo. He has been playing S-O-M since 1972.

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New Address or Phone Numbers

✓ Glenn Kenan's Phone number is (513) 922-5118. ✓ Robert Rook's new address is P.O. Box 3013, Titusville, FL 32781 PH (305-783-9546). ✓ Phil Weiss Phone number is (201) 249-7842. ✓ Jeff Herkin's new address is 32-C Eastgate Ave, West Jefferson, OH 43162 PH: (614) 879-7345. ✓ Jim Ferguson's new address is 5125, Lierman Ave, Urbana, IL 61801 PH: (217) 367-5814.

Drafting order

The following is the drafting order for the odd numbered rounds 1, 3, 5, etc.

ODD : 1) Yorktown, 2) Florida (Richard Nevarez), 3) Lake Wobegon, 4) Salem (Richard Hamel), 5) Team Name? Robert T Rook, 6) New England (Bruce Fogg), 7) Cincinnati (Glenn Kenan), 8) California (David Icenogle), 9) Dragons, 10) Team Name? Lance Noble, 11) Connecticut (Dave Gineo), 12) Grand Fuzz (Becky Walters), 13) Duke (Phil Weiss), 14) Bruno's, 15) TEEM, 16) J & B (Jim Jalutkewicz), 17) Chicago, 18) East Meadow, 19) Jupiter, 20) Galactic.

The following is the drafting order for the even numbered rounds 2, 4, etc.

EVEN : 1) Yorktown, 2) Salem, 3) New England, 4) Cincinnati, 5) Dragons, 6) Lance Noble, 7) Connecticut, 8) Bruno's, 9) Chicago, 10) East Meadow, 11) Jupiter, 12) Galactic, 13) Grand Fuzz, 14) Duke, 15) J & B, 16) TEEM, 17) Robert Rook, 18) Florida, 19) California, 20) Lake Wobegon.

FBN-B-A Divisional Alignment for the 1987 season.

National League West

Duke Blue Devils (Phil Weiss)
Dragons (Debra Cope)
TEEM (Bruce Kutler)
Lake Wobegon Whippets (Jim Ferguson)
East Meadow (Rich Meyerson)

National League East

Salem Psychics(Richard Hamel)
Bruno's Red Skins(Rob Bruno)
Connecticut Blue Devils(Dave Gineo)
J & B Indians(Jim Jalutkewicz)&(Bill Nieman)
New England Lime Sox(Bruce Foog)

American League West

(Lance Noble)
Chicago Blue Chippers(Craig Haines)
California Quake(Dave Iconogie)
Cincinnati Suds(Glen Kenan)
Yorktown Admirals(Jeff Merklin)

American League East

Galactic Gladiators(Steve Walters)
Jupiter Hellbillies(Mike Kostek)
(Robert Rook)
Florida?(Richard Novarez)
Grand Fuzz Cardinals(Becky Walters)

Trades

Only one trade reported to date.

Salem(Richard Hamel) sent Mark Clear and Mariano Duncan to Galactic(Steve Walters) for Steve Jeltz, Harold Reynolds and Julio Solano.

Trading Deadline

The predraft trading period will end on March 1, 1987. There will be a postdraft period after the draft of two weeks, from Mar 22 to Apr 12.

Draft day change

The draft day has been changed from March 29 to March 22. This will allow an extra week of trades to help any manager who may not have reached his 1400 Team IP or 550 AB at each position. These requirements do not include the 10% addition rule.

Drafting Instructions

The following are your draft instructions for the Regular Draft plus information you need to know before draft:

- (1) Your team must have at least 2 players who can play each position.
- (2) By the beginning of the season each team must have 1400 team IP and 550 AB per position. These requirements do not include the 10% add on rule.
- * (3) All managers must send to the commissioner on March 16 a written draft instructions sheet Please mark Draft Enclosed and phone number if different from what I have on the outside of envelope so not to be opened until need be at draft) in case you are unable to take part in the phone draft.

(4) The phone draft will take place at my home (PH # (305)335-5812 on Sunday March 22, 1987. The draft will begin at 1:00 PM Eastern time, 12 noon Central and 10:00 AM Pacific time. The phone draft procedure will be as follows:

A. The first call will be by the Commissioner to you. This is to establish contact and to receive your first pick.

Each draft pick after that: (1) I will call and let the phone ring 2 times and hang up. (2) You will then have 1 minute to call me back at (305)335-5812. (3) I will then inform you of each player which has been drafted since we last spoke. (4) You will then have a maximum of 4 minutes to make your selection. This procedure will continue until the completion of the draft.

If you have any questions on draft instructions please don't hesitate to contact me.

Dues still due.

The following managers still need to send League Fees of \$20.00: Jim Ferguson, Craig Haines, Bruce Kutler and Robert Rook. I must receive League Fee before Draft or you will not be allowed to take part in draft or league.

Stadium Size

I need the Stadium size for the following managers teams: Lance Noble, Robert Rook, Glen Kenan, Phil Weiss and Rich Hamel.

Dates to mark on your Calendar.

Please take special notice of the following future dates:

- ✓ Mar 1 - Post Season (current) predraft trading period ends at midnight.
- ✓ Mar 2 - Managers send 25 man protected roster, list of player(s) dropped and draft picks controlled to Commissioner.
- ✓ Mar 9 - Commissioner sends list of all players available in draft to managers.
- Mar 16 - Managers send written draft instructions to Commissioner.
- Mar 22 - Draft day! Post draft trading period begins. Trades may be made during draft.
- Apr 12 - Post draft trade period ends.
- Apr 13 - Send instructions for first 4 series to individual manager. Send current roster to commissioner to be published in newsletter.