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Issue 3 - 1988

Offical League Meeting: The Commissioner and the two League Presidents reviewed League matters. I called Joe Hults on 11/15 and 11/22 (plus daily) to review the NL schedule. I talked to Bruce Kutler on 11/27 to review the AL schedule. The AL will play the same schedule as the NL in '88.

Many changes have been made to the Constitution. Examples: Length of time Commissioner & Presidents serve. Series length. Emergency Instructions and more. So please read the Constitution when you get it in '88.

LEAGUE UPDATE: Out with the new in with the old. No one liked the new schedule I had worked up so the FBN will use last years plan. Teams will play teams in the same league same division 18 games, same league other division 10 games.

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EMERGENCY INSTRUCTIONS: The old Emergency Instructions left alot to be desired. They made the games very uninteresting to play. So with the suggestions from Bruce Kutler and Jim Galukewicz we will have a new set of EI for '88.

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Wrong phone numbers! Please correct Dave Bineo's # to 628-7968
Al Lee's # to 743-7321
DONOT use the number I gave you for Phil Weiss. Use (HM) 1-201-992-4139.

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Commissioner gets sick of licking labels. I hope you like the new return address labels. (I do. We (the league) paid for them!!)

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Galactic and TEEM will meet in the 13th FBNBA World Series. The games will be played by Bruce Fogg. Good luck to both teams.

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TRADE: Munson's trade Harold Reynolds & MM # 5 draft pick to Connecticut for Jim Gantner, Howard Johnson, & Matt Young.

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Ball Park ratings will run the same term as a Commissioner. So your ball-park rating can change completely in 1988. In '89, the rating will be able to change (+ or -). I will be asking for your ballpark ratings when we send in our protected roster for the '88 draft.

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Joe Hults is in another PFM **league the ACTUAL**, his Dodgers are in first place! Do you get

the feeling that the FBN has some great managers? I do! Joe Hults in his first year in the FBN is the American League Manager of the year. (I wonder if two rookie managers ever won both manager of the year awards in the past?)

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Dave Bineo's summary of his playoff series vs TEEM is attached to this newsletter.

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J & B Indians will be changing the name of the team to the Pawcatuck Pequots for '88.

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Note from the Commissioner: I'm willing to pickup one order for each manager on Opening day at S-O-M. I'll mail them out that day! Every manager should have their cards within 4 days. The draft will be one month later.

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The re-entry draft started at 1PM and ended at 4:43 PM. 99 players went to the new teams. The other players will be put into the regular draft. The number one pick was Alan Trammell. The # 99 was Neil Allen.

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Post season trading will be allowed until Feb. 7th.

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That's it until the World Series. Merry Christmas to you and yours.
Rob

FBN Playoff

REPORT

N.H. East vs. N.H. West
 Blue Devils vs. TEEM
 QUARTER #

Rd # _____ at _____

Game #1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15		R	H	E
TEEM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0								1	7	0
Blue Devils	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	X								6	11	1

SP(a) Key (L), Others _____
 SP(h) Rhoden (w), Others _____
 GWH: Webster, Homeruns: NONE
 HIGHLIGHTS Reggie Williams 3 for 4 - 2 RBI's Tom Foley 3 for 4
Don Mattingly 0 for 4 1 DP

Game #2	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15		R	H	E
TEEM	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0			3	11	1
Blue Devils	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1			4	9	2

SP(a) Palmer, Others McCullers (L)
 SP(h) Fernandez, Others Zane Smith (w)
 GWH: Ho. Johnson, Homeruns: Bob Haner
 HIGHLIGHTS Sid Fernandez 13 R's in 9 innings TEEM Shortstops (Foley + Casperian) 5 for 7!!

Game #3	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15		R	H	E
Blue Devils	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0								0	3	0
TEEM	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	X								5	8	0

SP(a) Hershiser (L), Others _____
 SP(h) Rasmussen (w), Others _____
 GWH: Mattingly, Homeruns: NONE
 HIGHLIGHTS Rasmussen - 2 hit shutout
Mattingly - 3 for 4

Game #4	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15		R	H	E
Blue Devils	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0								2	9	2
TEEM	0	3	1	0	0	5	0	0	X								9	10	0

SP(a) Rhoden (L), Others _____
 SP(h) Key (w), Others _____
 GWH: Foley, Homeruns: Foley
 HIGHLIGHTS Tom Foley 2 for 4 3 hr HR
TEEM 6 hits (4 Doubles), 1 6th inn.

Game #5	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15		R	H	E
Blue Devils	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0								4	9	1
TEEM	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	1	X								5	10	0

SP(a) Palmer, Others Black (w) McCullers (S)
 SP(h) Matthews, Others Gebicza (L)
 GWH: Presley, Homeruns: Presley
 HIGHLIGHTS Arkstra 3 for 5 Mattingly 2 for 4
CT has yet to hit a homerun in 5 games!!!

Game #6	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15		R	H	E
TEEM	3	1	4	1	0	0	1	0	0								10	11	0
Blue Devils	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3								5	7	0

SP(a) Rasmussen (w), Others _____
 SP(h) Fernandez (L), Others _____
 GWH: Mattingly, Homeruns: Marshall Schafreid
 HIGHLIGHTS Jim Presley - 4 for 5
Rasmussen - another strong game (2/3 in) - 6 hits.

IF NOT ENOUGH INNINGS LISTED, ONLY LIST (Extra Innings) RUNS SCORED IN.
 USE REVERSE SIDE FOR INDIVIDUAL GAME WRITE-UPS, TO BE USED IN "HAPPENINGS!"

Series NOTE

CT hit only 1 HR in series when it didn't count

Game #1

Rick Rhoden stymied the bats of TEEM never allowing more than 2 hits in an inning till the 8th, Blue Devils broke up a close game with 5 runs on 6 hits in the 5th inning.

Game #2

Great, exciting game!! TEEM looked to have victory on a Bob Hener solo HR in 8th for 3-2 lead despite CT starter Sid Fernandez' 9 K's!! But w/ 2 outs in 9th, TEEM starter David Palmer walked Howard Johnson + Len Dykstra back-to-back. Pinch hitter Joel Yangblood then rapped a double scoring Johnson to tie 3-3 - Dykstra also tried to score (1-1³ chance) but was thrown out ("1³")!! Strong relief pitching by Dave Smith and Lance McWaters (TEEM) continued till 14th when Mitch Webster (CT) tripled and Howard Johnson singled him home for CT victory 4-2-0 series lead!!

Game #3

TEEM needed a victory badly in their home park and Dennis Rasmussen came through with an outstanding 3 hit shutout - Blue Devils were never in the game as TEEM jumped to early 3-0 lead off Hershiser and coasted to victory.

Game #4

"Shot through the heart" Tom Foley (of all people) blasted a 3 run HR in 2nd off Rick Rhoden for 3-1 TEEM lead and CT couldn't recover. The Home Run followed an error by Tim Wallach which would have ended the inning - who knows what would have happened if he made the play??? TEEM put game away in 6th with 6 straight hits!!

Game #5

CT manager Gineo tried to shake things up by naming rookie lefty Corey Matthews the starter for this pivotal game. Things seemed to backfire as TEEM took 4-0 lead again helped by a Tim Wallach error. But CT rallied to tie game 4-4 in 6th with 4 straight hits and two "walk-in" runs. Mark Czubiza relieved Matthews and was pitching well retiring 9 of 10 men faced when suddenly, Jim Dresley blasted a fastball over the plate 440ft. for a HR and eventual 5-4 victory.

Game #6

CT never recovered from their game 5 loss as TEEM totally crushed the Blue Devils. The final score was a lot closer than the game. CT was blown away early (9-2 lead after 4) Sid Fernandez who was consistently excellent all year, pitched his worst game of the year for Blue Devils and Dennis Rasmussen again dominated CT until a 3 run Dick Schofield home run in 9th!!

STARTED 1:00 ENDED 4:43

RE-ENTRY DRAFT 1988

ROUND 1

- 1. WASHINGTON - Trammell ^{SS}
- 2. BATON ROUGE - HRBEK ^{IB 477}
- 3. VERMONT - SAMUEL ^{2B3E18 65}
- 4. NEW JERSEY - Santiago C

ROUND 2

- 1. N.J. - Sanberg
- 2. VT - Seitzger ^{3B3E25 641}
- 3. BR - Barfield ^{RF}
- 4. WASH. - Clark, J. ^{1B4E18 419}

ROUND 3

- 1. WASH - Langston, M
- 2. BR - Franco ^{SS}
- 3. VT - Calderon ^{LF3-1E6 542}
- 4. N.J. - Bonilla, B. ^{3B3E37 LF3(0)E10 7E3}

ROUND 4

- 1. N.J. - Jones, T.
- 2. VT - Aldrete ^{IB 3E8}
- 3. BR - DARLING, R.
- 4. WASH - Reuschel

ROUND 5

- 1. WASH - Berenguer, J.
- 2. BR - Eckerstey, D.
- 3. VT - McGaffigan, A.
- 4. NJ - Drabek

ROUND 6

- 1. NJ - McReynolds
- 2. VT - Shelby, John ^{LD CE}
- 3. BR - DeLeon, J. ⁽⁹⁻²²⁻⁸⁸⁾
- 4. WASH - ~~Lebrave, J.~~ ^{2B3E18 2E18}

ROUND 7

- 1. WASH - Valenzuela
- 2. BR - DAVIS, Mike
- 3. VT - Righetti ^{RF}
- 4. NJ - Aguilera

ROUND 8

- 1. NJ - Martinez, D.
- 2. VT - Scioscia ^{C 461}
- 3. BR - Howell, Jack
- 4. WASH - Pagliarulo

ROUND 9

- 1. WASH - Bay, John ^{2B3E11 472 544}
- 2. BR - Palmeiro, R.
- 3. VT - Tekulue ^{RF}
- 4. NJ - Snyder, C.

ROUND 10

- 1. NJ - Bream
- 2. VT - Antiveros, S. ^{RF}
- 3. BR - CARMAN, D.
- 4. WASH - Candace ^{2B3E11 449}

ROUND 11

- 1. WASH - Brenly ^{375 C (0)}
- 2. BR - Valle ^C
- 3. VT - Hudson, C. ^{SR}
- 4. NJ - Perry, Pat

ROUND 12

- 1. NJ - Stillwell, K.
- 2. VT - Gagne ^{SS}
- 3. BR - DURHAM, L. ^{1B 439}
- 4. WM - Martinez, C. ^{447 LF41E2}

ROUND 13

- 1. WM - Jackson, Bo. ^{LF3E3E13 396}
- 2. BR - Rice ^{LF 3B2E12}
- 3. VT - OBERKFELL ⁵⁰⁸
- 4. NJ - Dotson, R.

ROUND 14

- 1. NJ - PASQUA
- 2. VT - SMITH, Bryan ^(RF)
- 3. BR - King, E.
- 4. WM - HALL, M. ^{LF41E5 486}

ROUND 15

- 1. WM - Guidry ^{507 2B}
- 2. BR - Bernagard, T.
- 3. VT - FLANAGAN
- 4. NJ - BOSTON

ROUND 16

NJ Heath

VT CRUZ Jose

BR ~~McCluskill~~

★ WM Sheridan P. ⁴²¹ _{DET.} ^{LF 2005} _{OF}

ROUND 17

WM Howell, Ken

BR SLAUGHTER C

VT Gerhart

NJ PETRY

ROUND 18

NJ Phillips, T.

VT LAKE

BR AGUAYO ^{104 28} ₃₈₆ _{LF RP}

WM STUBBS ^{104 28} ₃₈₆ _{LF RP}

ROUND 19

★ WM WIMMINGHAM ^{CP2 1158} ₃₄₉

BR Huisman

VT Burtson ^{254 ER}

NJ Coles

ROUND 20

NJ Clements, P.

VT Balboni, ^{184 ER}

BR Nipper

WM Anderson, D.

ROUND 21

1. WM Smithson

2. BR Kertfeld

3. VT Garber, G.

4. NJ Mahler, R.

ROUND 22

1. NJ Belliard

2. VT Bryant

3. BR Walter

4. WM Tettleton

ROUND 23

1. WM Hairston ¹⁷⁶ _{LF 41112} _{104 ER}

2. BR Moore, D.

3. VT Pankwitz

4. NJ DAVIS, Joel

ROUND 24

1. NJ Daulton

2. ~~VT~~

3. BR BROWN, Mike ^(CWS)

4. ~~WM~~

ROUND 25

1. ~~VT~~

2. BR Thon

3. ~~VT~~

4. NJ Javier

ROUND 26

1. NJ Mulholland

2. ~~VT~~

3. BR ~~_____~~

4. ~~WM~~

ROUND 27

1. ~~WM~~

2. BR ~~_____~~

3. ~~VT~~

4. NJ Russell, John

ROUND 28

1. NJ Allen, N.

2. ~~VT~~

3. BR ~~_____~~

4. ~~WM~~

ROUND 29

1. ~~WM~~

2. BR

3. ~~VT~~

4. NJ

ROUND 30

1. NJ

2. ~~VT~~

3. BR

4. ~~VT~~