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Final Voting Results, Transactions, 2009 Draft order, the 2009 Calendar and Stonington beat Westerly in the oldest continuing Thanksgiving Day football game....It was a good week.

Owners Meeting held at Email USA - At the annual Owners Meetings from November 22 to November 26th the FBNBA Owners voted on the last two rule changes for 2009. Twenty-two out of twenty-four members attended the meetings and voted on the last two issues. The Owners overwhelmingly voted for 1(a) 16 to 6. **A starter must pitch 4 innings.....**

The second part of the issue was very close. **"We went back and forth on this issue before the final vote was decided, said GM and Owner for Life, Mr. Klee** (or was it his son, Willie. It is hard to tell the difference. What? Oh, you're right, thanks Glen. It was Willie. Willie has more hair ☺

It was decided by a 12-10 vote that 2(a) would be used. **unless he gives up 3 runs or he is tired or he is injured or in the 4th or 5th (whichever passes in item 1) he has given up 2 runs and the 3rd run is in scoring position.**

The rule for 2009 will be.....

A starter must pitch 4 innings unless he gives up 3 runs or he is tired or he is injured or in the 4th he has given up 2 runs and the 3rd run is in scoring position.

TRANSACTIONS: TRANSACTIONS: TRANSACTIONS: TRANSACTIONS

1. Salem gets: Orlando Cabrera (CWS) and conditionally NE #5 2010 (if Cabrera gets a "1" at SS, the pick goes back to NE). New England gets: Bobby Crosby (OAK) and SP #1 2010.

2009 TRADED DRAFT PICKS

Only new traded draft picks will be listed from today until draft cut down day.

Apex: #55 to CT.

Baton Rouge: #31 to IL.

CT: #100 to AA.

Illinois: #67 to MD. #68 to IL. #80 to MD.

Maine: #51 to IL.

Middlesex: #34 to UR.

Milford: #26 & #80 to UP. #105 to IL. #131 to YA.

2010 TRADED DRAFT PICKS

Burlington: #2 to HZ.

CT: #1 to AA. #2 & #5 to NN.

Illinois: #1, #2 & #3 to HS. Also, TX#1 to HS.

Klee's: #1 & #2 to HS. #3 to WS.

Middlesex: #1, #2, #3, #4 to HS. Also, SP#2 to NN.

Milford: #1 to UR. #3 to UR. #5 to UR.

Maine: #2 to IL. #5 to CD

New England: #2 to HS. NE #5 2010 (if Cabrera gets a "1" at SS, the pick goes back to NE).

Salem: #1 to NE. #2 to MC. #5 to NN.

Taxachussets: #1 to IL. #2 to UR. #3 to UR.

Urpaig: #1 to MD.

YA#1 to BR.

Last updated 11/20/2008

2009 DRAFT ORDER

	Round 1	Round 2	Round 3	Round 4	Round 5	Round 6
1	WS	26 UR	51 IL	76 UR	101 NN	126 AA
2	MD	27 MD	52 UR	77 UR	102 UR	127 NN
3	MD	28 NE	53 WS	78 NE	103 NE	128 UR
4	NE	29 CD	54 MY	79 MY	104 KK	129 NE
5	MY	30 WS	55 CT	80 UR	105 IL	130 MY
6	NN	31 IL	56 BR	81 BR	106 BR	131 YA
7	BR	32 MC	57 FS	82 FS	107 FS	132 BR
8	NE	33 HT	58 HT	83 AA	108 HT	133 FS
9	HT	34 UR	59 US	84 MC	109 IL	134 HT
10	IL	35 US	60 US	85 US	110 US	135 IL
11	US	36 YA	61 BR	86 YA	111 CT	136 US
12	YA	37 WS	62 WS	87 NE	112 WS	137 YA
13	WS	38 HZ	63 HZ	88 HZ	113 MC	138 MC
14	HZ	39 WS	64 NN	89 KK	114 HZ	139 HT
15	KK	40 LW	65 LW	90 LW	115 KK	140 HZ
16	LW	41 NE	66 CT	91 TX	116 LW	141 KK
17	NE	42 MC	67 MD	92 HS	117 IL	142 LW
18	KK	43 AS	68 NN	93 NE	118 UR	143 CT
19	AS	44 HT	69 LW	94 IL	119 US	144 HS
20	BR	45 FS	70 KK	95 FS	120 TX	145 AS
21	NE	46 BR	71 BB	96 BR	121 SP	146 AS
22	BB	47 UR	72 CD	97 CD	122 BB	147 SP
23	MY	48 AA	73 NN	98 AA	123 UR	148 BB
24	NN	49 NN	74 AA	99 NN	124 NN	149 CD
25	AA	50 NE	75 UR	100 AA	125 AA	

2009 –CALENDAR

Dec. 21 1. Order the cards for SOM.

Jan 23 or Feb 6 1. Opening Day at SOM

Feb 6 1. Winter Meetings close Friday at 6PM EST. All trades from this point are not valid until draft day.
2.. GM's e-mail protected rosters & draft picks owned to the commissioner and cc to all members. Include the ML team that is on the players card. List batters and pitchers separately and in alphabetical order.

Feb. 11. 1. Commissioner emails out protected rosters and final draft order to the General Managers.
2. GM's **mail or email** draft instructions and the phone number that they will be at on draft day to the commissioner. Mark on the outside of the envelope "DRAFT INSTRUCTIONS". This envelope will only be opened at the draft if for some reason we can not reach you. Mail in written instructions even if you plan on being at the draft in person.

Feb. 22 1. DRAFT DAY. The draft will start at 11:00AM EST. We be on line. If we are not on line I will call you and let the phone ring twice then I hang up. PLEASE DO NOT PICK UP THE PHONE. You have two minutes to call back at 1-860-889-3811 ext. 52639. Backup: 1-860-889-3811 ext.52640 and 52646.
I will read off the players taken in front of you and you will have one minute to make your selection.
2. Preseason Trading period begins.
3. Commissioner **hands out seasonal package** including Manager's Directory, Team Schedule and Constitution to the members at the draft.

Feb. 23 1. Non drafted Player Selection. AKA: "Waiver Wire". Players not drafted become available. For each player selected a player must be cut. Newly cut players carded or non-card are available for selection.

Feb. 24 1. Commissioner emails out the draft results to the GM's (if needed).
2. Commissioner mails out seasonal package to the members who were not at the draft.

Feb. 25 1. Waiver Wire ends Wednesday at 6:00PM EST. Call or email the commissioner to verify your player selection.

Feb. 28 1. Preseason Trading Period ends Saturday at 6:00PM EST. All trades not reported by 6PM will become effective with the first game of series #6.

Mar. 1 1. GM's email in their 500AB's and 1325IP to their league president by 6PM. List batters by position with the ML team on the card. List the max. AB's for each batter for the FBN season. Next, list pitchers the ML team on the card and the max IP for the FBN.
2. GM's email complete rosters to the commissioner by 6PM. List the batters first in alphabetical order with the ML team on the card. Next list pitchers just like the batters.
3 GM's email in their ballpark ratings to the commissioner by 6PM.

Mar. 6 1. The Commissioner emails out the league rosters.

Mar. 9 1. GM's email opening day rosters(active & inactive)and their planned pitching rotation for block one to the Commissioner. **This must be none by all members for the first two blocks.**

Mar. 16 The 36th Anniversary of The FBNBA.

July 01 1. Dues Month. League fee of \$20.00 is due by July 31st to keep active member active.

July 15 1. Send in All-Star ballot.

Oct. 01 1. Send in voting items for review.
2. Send in Rookie of Year candidates from your team.

Oct. 15 1. Playoffs start.

Nov. 01 1. Voting Month. League items plus Commissioner and Presidents.

Nov. 12 1. World Series Ends.