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Commissioners note:

I hope all had a nice holiday and a happy and safe new year's eve. With that said the holidays did not slow down the FBN GM's as a number of trades have been completed, one almost at the new year! Can't stop the FBN GM's! I'm sure a number of other trades are still on the front burner just waiting to boil over.

The last trade period known as the Winter Meetings will come to a close at 6 PM on January 31st. All trades by that date are effective at the time of the trade. All trades after 6 PM on the 31st become effective during draft day and are announced at the draft. Speaking of the draft, Bob Figella has the draft order on the website based on the present Minus Bonus Points. The last report before the draft that a team could receive –BP's to effective its 2020 draft is the January 31st protected roster due date. Please be on time.

TRANSACTIONS:

1. New Hampshire trades AT #4, TX 2021 #2 and US 2021 #3 to Baton Rouge for Yuli Gurriel and Trevor May. Hogs cut Guyer and Tulowitzki to remain at 40 man roster.
2. Baton Rouge trades 2020 #9 overall to New Hampshire for 2020 #11 overall and TX 2020 #4 pick.
3. Burlington Receives: A. Benintendi, HT #1, LV #3 from Milford. Milford Receives: BB #1, USJ #1.
4. Illinois trades IL#2 in2020, Quinn and Toussaint to Atlanta for Fowler, Liriano, AT#3 in 2020 and AT#3 in 2021.
5. Louisville trades J.Alfaro, K.Gausman, M.Wacha, LV#4 2020 and LV2 2021 to Allyn Street for T Rogers, J.Guerra, Moronta (SF) and AG#5 2020.
6. LW Sends LW 2020 1st(14) and Andrew Heaney to NE for Kyle Hendricks and NE 2021 #5.

Minus Bonus Points: none

Year to Date: AA 6 ½, AT 3 ½, YA 4, KK 3, BB 2 ½, WS 2, AG 1 ½, LV ½, UR ½, MY ½, CD ½, BR ½, AS ½.

2020 –FBN CALENDAR of EVENTS

Jan. 31- 1. Winter Meetings close at 6pm EST. All trades from this point are valid on draft day.

2. GM's e-mail protected rosters & draft picks owned to the commissioner by 8pm EST and cc to all members. Include the ML team that is on the player's card. List batters and pitchers separately and each in alphabetical order.

Feb 14 - Estimated Opening Day at SOM.

Feb 18 - 1. Protected rosters and final draft order will be on the website and emailed to the GM's.

2. GM's mail 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 cannot reach you. An email stating "Use Lamanna's" is the only email accepted. You must send in instructions even if you plan on being at the draft.

Feb 21 – 1. Commissioner emails seasonal package to be put on the website. GM's will find the Manager's Directory, Team Schedules, and Constitution on the website.

- Feb 23 - 1. Draft Day 2020. At the Quality Inn at 48 Whitehall Ave., Mystic, Ct. 06355. (860) 980-3257 if you want to rent a room.
We are listed under Robert Bruno Navigator Room Fantasy Baseball.
The draft will start at 10am EST. We will be on line but if we are not we will use the old buddy system. You will get updated phone calls to give the players taken in front of you. When you get the call for your draft pick you will have one minute to make your selection. Emergency phone number 1-860-271-5117
2. Preseason Trading Period begins.
3. After the draft non-drafted players become available in the Waiver Wire. For each player selected a player must be cut. Newly cut players carded or non-carded are available for selection.
- Feb 26 - 1. Draft results to be on the website for the GM's.
- Feb 27 - 1. WW ends Wednesday at 6pm EST. Commissioner emails player cut and picked up to the GM's.
- Mar 1 - 1. GM's email their ballpark ratings to the commissioner by 6pm EST.
- Mar 3 - 1. Commissioner emails ballpark ratings to entire league.
- Mar 5 - 1. League officials will post/update rosters on the website.
- Mar 6 - 1. Preseason Trading Period ends at 6pm EST. All trades not reported by 6pm will become effective with the first game of series #7.
- Mar 7 - 1. GM's email in their 550AB's and 1325IP to their league president by 6pm EST. List batters by Position, ML team on the card, carded AB's, and FBN max. AB's for each batter for the FBN season. Next, list pitchers, ML team on the card, carded IP and the FBN max IP for the FBN season.
2. GM's email confirmation or corrections to their rosters as listed on the website to the commissioner and League Presidents by 6pm.
- Mar 8 - GM's email opening day active rosters and pitching rotation for block one to the Commissioner and Cc all your first block opponents. Emailing pitching rotations is required for the entire season.
- Mar 16 - OPENING DAY for the 47th Season of The FBNBA.
- July 1 - Dues Month. League fee of \$20.00 is due by July 31st to keep member active.
- Aug 1 - The date that 2022 Draft picks can be included in a trade.
- Oct. 15 - Playoffs start.
- Nov 1 - 1. Send in voting items for review by 8pm on November 15th.
2. Managers can send in All-Star candidates from their team plus the position to be listed on the All-Star ballot. Managers can also send in Rookie of Year candidates from their team.
- Nov 15-20 1. Voting on the issues to be completed by 8pm on November 25th. For 2020 it will be for League items plus League Presidents and League Commissioner.
- Nov 30th - 1. GM's report their winter rosters to Bob Figella by 8pm.
- December - Time to just relax and enjoy the Holidays with family and friends!