



FLY-BY-NIGHT BASEBALL ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

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Clarification on the timing requirement for roster cuts following a trade that exceeds the 40-man limit.

1. Immediate Cut: The player is cut as part of the initial trade announcement.
2. Deferred Cut: The cut is made at any point before the trade becomes effective in the upcoming block.

Since trades do not take effect until the players actually move, they function similarly to "player to be named later" transactions. Therefore, a cut is only required before the roster officially exceeds 40 players. However, if a cut or a secondary trade is not finalized before the trade deadline, the original trade will become null and void.

lace	Team	W - L	pct	gb	home	home pct	away	away pct	last update
AMERICAN LEAGUE - North Division									
1	Bissel Cove Bluefish	44 - 24	.647	----	21 - 14	.600	23 - 10	.697	6/1
2	Blue Grass Blues	33 - 29	.532	8	17 - 16	.515	16 - 13	.552	6/1
3	Yorktown Admirals	32 - 30	.516	9	16 - 13	.552	16 - 17	.485	6/1
4	Lake Wobegon Whippets	32 - 33	.492	10 1/2	16 - 17	.485	16 - 16	.500	6/1
5	Urpaign Dragons	33 - 35	.485	11	18 - 17	.514	15 - 18	.455	6/1
6	Nashua Fighting Koi	15 - 47	.242	26	8 - 25	.242	7 - 22	.241	6/1

AMERICAN LEAGUE - South Division									
1	Arsenal Gunners	36 - 26	.581	----	19 - 14	.576	17 - 12	.586	6/1
2	Zanti Misfits	36 - 26	.581	----	20 - 13	.606	16 - 13	.552	6/1
3	California Dreamers	37 - 28	.569	1/2	19 - 10	.655	18 - 18	.500	6/1
4	Hotlanta Possums	39 - 35	.527	3	16 - 16	.500	23 - 19	.548	6/1
5	Atlanta Senators	32 - 30	.516	4	17 - 12	.586	15 - 18	.455	6/1
6	Grayson Grits	28 - 34	.452	8	13 - 20	.394	15 - 14	.517	6/1

TRANSACTIONS:

1. Atlanta and Grayson announced the following trade (effective Block 4):
 AT receives: Aaron Judge, Kyle Schwarber, Trevor Story, Bo Naylor & Luke Jackson.
 GG receives: Fernando Tatis Jr., Wyatt Langford, Elly De La Cruz, Henry Davis & Chris Flexen.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE - East Division									
1	Norwich Navigators	38 - 33	.535	----	19 - 16	.543	19 - 17	.528	6/1
2	Allyn Street 89ERS	36 - 32	.529	1/2	15 - 17	.469	21 - 15	.583	6/1
3	Louisville River Bandits	34 - 40	.459	5 1/2	19 - 20	.487	15 - 20	.429	6/1
4	US Jarheads	27 - 44	.380	11	17 - 18	.486	10 - 26	.278	6/1
5	Illinois Prairie Dogs	22 - 40	.355	11 1/2	15 - 18	.455	7 - 22	.241	6/1
6	Burlington Buccaneers	25 - 46	.352	13	15 - 21	.417	10 - 25	.286	6/1

NATIONAL LEAGUE - West Division									
1	Taxachusetts Chiefs	47 - 24	.662	----	24 - 8	.750	23 - 16	.590	6/1
2	Manatee County Marauders	45 - 32	.584	5	27 - 12	.692	18 - 20	.474	6/1
3	Southboro Psychics	35 - 27	.565	7 1/2	22 - 11	.667	13 - 16	.448	6/1
4	Hazardville Powderkegs	40 - 37	.519	10	19 - 19	.500	21 - 18	.538	6/1
5	Klee's Klubbers	32 - 33	.492	12	22 - 10	.688	10 - 23	.303	6/1
6	Connecticut Blue Devils	32 - 36	.471	13 1/2	19 - 17	.528	13 - 19	.406	6/1

If Block 2 was a Roller Coaster then Block 3 was the Ring of Fire!

Block 3 began with an unexpected sweep of Lake Wobegon. We looked great during that stretch, scoring 41 runs on 54 hits. However, as the saying goes, you're never as good as you look when things are going well.

In the next series against HAL's Ring of Fire ride began, the momentum shifted. Urpaign came to Allyn Street and took two out of three games. We were held to just one run and six hits across the series—a quick reality check. Our struggles continued at the School Yard against Arsenal, who swept us in three decisive games.

We then went on the road to Blue Grass, where we managed to snap our four-game losing streak with an 11-inning win. Unfortunately for us, Blue Grass took the final two games of the series. We moved on to Bissel Cove, hoping the Rhode Island air would break our slump, but they also took two out of three. At that point, we were 3-9 over our last four series.

Returning home where home cooking had not been great as the team had an 11-15 home record we had to face an Atlanta team just two games out of first place, prospects looked grim. However, in a surprising turn, we swept all three games to finish the block at 9-9.

During the series with Atlanta, a rumor was circulating in the Atlanta dugout regarding a major trade, which reportedly upset several players. Whether that distraction contributed to our sweep is unclear, but the rumor was confirmed as fact the following day as five key members of the Senators were traded to Grayson. Casey Stengel was just happy to get the wins, "We've had such a bad streak of games, boy, it's great to get the monkey off our back."