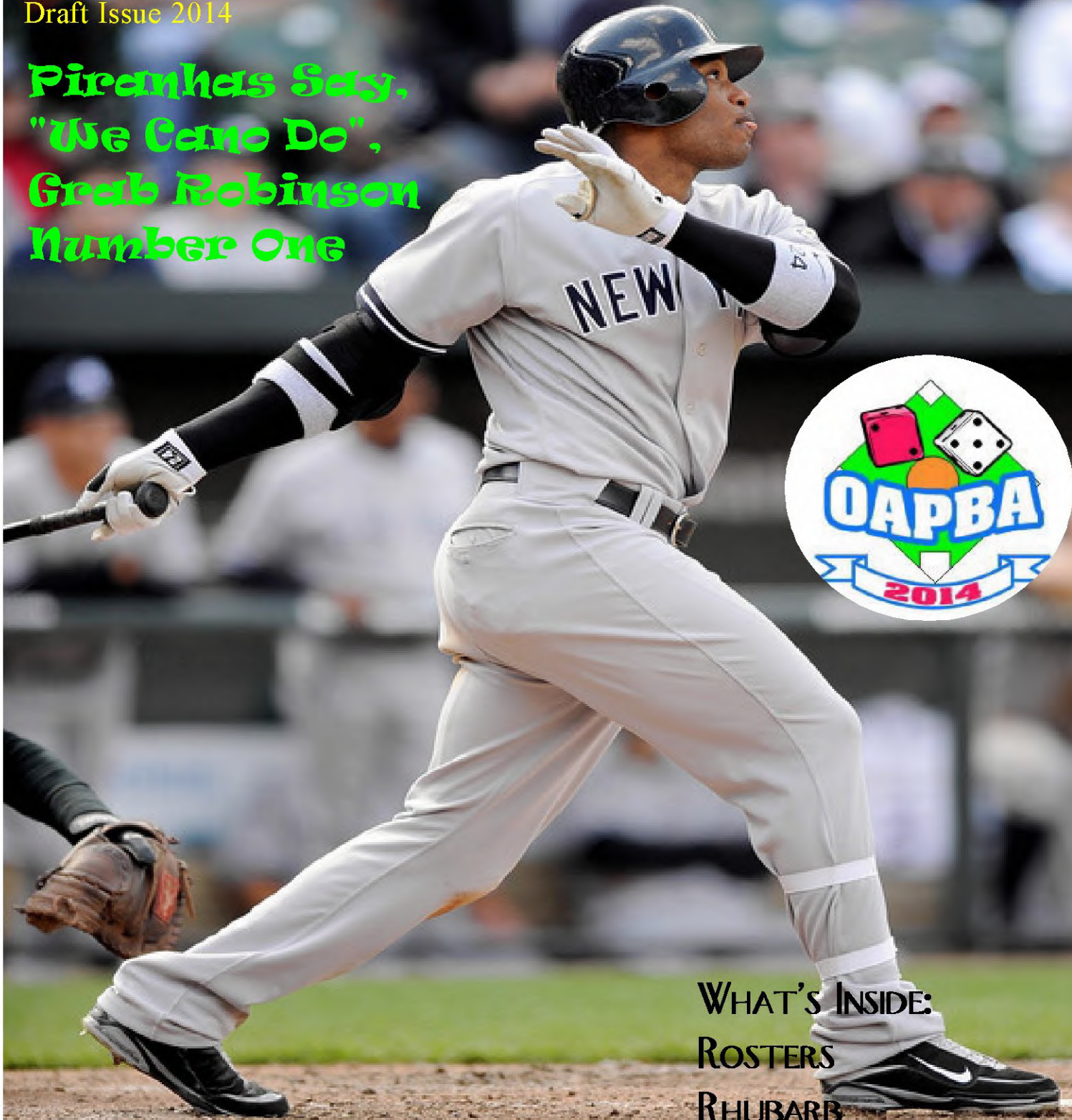


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2014 OAPBA Draft Recap

Piranhas

1. 2b Robinson Cano
9. SP Ervin Santana
17. SP Jose Quintana
25. SP Derek Holland
33. OF Nick Markakis
41. OF Nate McLouth
49. SS Alexi Ramirez
57. RP Joaquin Benoit
65. RP Tyler Clippard
73. 1B James Loney
81. RP Michael Dunn
89. RP LaTroy Hawkins
97. OF Denard Span
105. RP Matt Lindstrom
113. 2B Scooter Gennet
121 pass

Road Warriors

5. OF Wil Myers
13. SS Jose Iglesias
21 RP Nick Vincent
29. RP Drew Smyly
37. PR Jarrod Dyson
45. RP Aaron Louo
53. OF Rajai Davis
61. OF Chris Denorfia
69. 3B Nolan Arenado
77. SP Mike Leake
85. 1B Todd Helton
93. C Devon Mesaraco
101. SP Nate Eovaldi
109. C Travis d'Arnaud
117. SP Dillon Gee
125. (cut) Dillon Gee
(add) SP Kevin Gausman

Otters

2. SP Jose Fernandez
10. SS Jean Segura
18. LF Daniel Nava
26. 3B Chris Johnson
34. OF Jose Bautista
42. RP JP Howell
50. SP Gerrit Cole
58. RP Brandon Kinzler
66. 2B Omar Infante
74. RP Dane de la Rosa
82. SP Francisco Liriano
90. SS Brad Miller
98. RP Justin Wilson
106. OF Khris Davis
114. SP Danny Salazar
122. (cut) Janssen
(add) RP Santiago Casilla

Beefers

6. OF Carlos Gonzalez
8. OF Yusiell Puig
14. OF Michael Cuddyer
22. RP Tanner Scheppers
30. C Yan Gomes
38 RP Seth Maness
46. OF Ryan Raburn
54. RP Tony Watson
70. RP Bobby Parnell
78. SP Michael Wacha
86. SP Cole Hamels
94. 1B Matt Adams
102. SP Johnny Cueto
110. SP Zach McAlister
118. SP Jake Peavy
126. Pass

Turfbeaters

3. C Yadier Molina
11. SP Hyun-Jin Ryu
27. RP Luke Hochevar
35. RP Jean Machi
43. 3B Kyle Seager
48. SS Jhonny Peralta
51. 2B Ian Kinsler
59. RP Chad Qualls
67. 2B DJ LeMaheu
75. OF Christian Yelich
83. 3B Pedro Alvarez
91. OF Eric Young
99. 2B Kolton Wong
107. OF Jackie Bradley Jr.
115. SP Ivan Nova
123. Pass

Whatevers

7. SP Yu Darvish
15. OF Adam Jones
23. SP Mike Minor
31. RP Luis Avilan
39. RP Cody Allen
47. RP Mariano Rivera
55. RP Joe Smith
63 RP Paco Rodriguez
71. C Wilson Ramos
79. RP Sam LeCure
87. SS Jed Lawrie
95. 3B Chase Headly
103. SP Justin Masterson
111. OF Carlos Quinten
119. SP Patrick Corbin
127. (cut) Mike Napoli
(add) OF Craig Gentry

GasHouse Gang

4. SS Hanley Ramirez
12. SP Gio Gonzalez
20. SP Andrew Cashner
28. Calib Thielbar
36. C Jason Castro
44. RP Alex Torres
52. RP Rex Brothers
60. OF Charlie Blackmon
68. 1B Brandon Belt
76. SP Jorge de la Rosa
84. RP Aroldis Chapman
92. 3B Mike Moustakis
100. 2B Anthony Rendon
108. OF Alejandro de Aza
116. OF Yoenis Cespedes
124. pass

Tasmanian Devils

16. 3B Josh Donaldson
19. RP Mark Melanson
24. RP Kevin Siegrist
32. RP Neal Cotts
40. RP David Carpenter
56. OF Alex Rios
62. OF Will Venable
64. RP Dan Oterio
72. SP Sonny Gray
80. SP Chris Archer
88. 2B Jose Altuve
96. Utl Jeff Baker
104. OF Dexter Fowler
112. P Tyson Ross
120. SP Zach Wheeler
128. (cut) Andre Ethier
(add) OF Shane Robinson

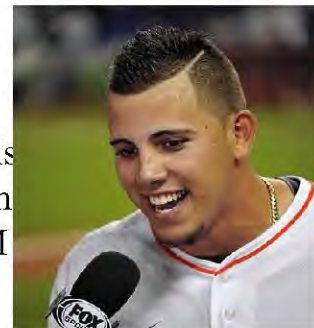
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1. Piranhas, 2B, Robinson Cano. The fighting fish hooked a big bat with the number one pick. Cano said that getting picked by the Piranhas was perfect as his underwear was monogrammed with the letter "P", in honor of his previous club. He also said the "P" was also for accidents he had with a past problem of bladder leakage.



2. Otters, SP, Jose Fernandez. The Oshkosh by Gosh club grabbed the top starter in the draft. The young righthander says he going to bring a lively, salsa spirit, to the the more classical Otters. He says there will be no more Bach and Mozart in the club. Things will loosen up with him on the mound. Team GM Jonathan Stillwell has already added some Cuban tunes to his repertoire



3. Turfbeatars, C, Yadier Molina. The Turfies went into the draft realizing that Casey Stengel was right when he said you'll have a lot of pass balls without a catcher. So they picked the catcher who anchored six straight league championships. Molina has already instructed the Turfie ground crew to heavily water down the base paths to give him a better chance of gunning down base stealers.



4. GasHouse Gang, SS, Hanley Ramirez. The Gang has watched young shortstop Starlin Castro look bewildered the last couple years. So they grabbed the resurgent Ramirez. Hanley looks to have the his game back, the one that saw him lead the league in homers once and make the all-star team. Hanley plans to be working and watching Castro closely.



5. Road Warriors, RF, Wil Myers. Myers was so shocked at being picked number five that he had quite woken up before the TV cameras showed up. Myers gives the Road Warriors a Dale Murphy type slugger. GM Marc Bostrom has already lined up Tony Campana to help Myers work on his base stealing.



6. Beefers, Carlos Gonzalez, LF. The Beefers entered the draft without a left fielder and quickly nabbed the best one available. CarGo is another player with championship rings from his days with the Platoon. He says he got his nickname "CarGo" from his minor league days when he would ask teammates for a ride in broken English.

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7. Whatever's, SP, Yu Darvish. Whatever's fans broke open the YuHoo bottles as the team selected the big righthander. Darvish, who speaks little English, will here a lot of "what?" as he converses with his teammates. Darvish has overcome a bit of wildness but says he happily go back to issuing walks if the team wants more "W's" again.



8. Beefers, RF, Yasiel Puig. The Beefers had their second first round pick and grabbed the energetic Puig. Puig was so proud of being drafted in the first round he signed baseballs with a big #1. And then promptly went racing through the streets of Winter Park at 100+ mph. The Beefers hope to have this wild horse of player calm down by hanging with the herd.

round two

9. Piranhas, SP, Ervin Santana. The Piranhas added some right hand power pitching with the pick of Santana. The young hurler is glad to be back in OAPBA after missing a year due to a severe constipation problem. He does say that his problem has allowed him to add a little extra effort to his pitches.



10. Otters, SS, Jean Segura. The weasely ones grabbed the speedy Segura to shore up their infield. Segura, never one for book learning, was pleased to be drafted number one overall. He says one with a zero is still number one and he expects to be paid like the number one draft pick. The Otters hope to avoid a hold out but have trouble with his math.

11. Turfbeatars, SP, Hyun-Jin Ryu. The Turfies have been the league leader in scouting the far east and have grabbed the Korean leftie on the recommendation of Dennis Rodman. Ryu has several pitches and says he gets opponents out "Gangham Style". He's been known to a little dance just before throwing his out pitch.



12. GasHouse Gang, SP, Gio Gonzalez. The frenzy of starters being drafted continued as the Gang grabbed Gonzalez. Gio, named for the car he was conceived in, is perfect for the Gang. Gio was all googly eyed when he heard his name gabbed. His agent George Goble grabbed Gang interim GM Guy Godard to start giddily grubbing for a contract.

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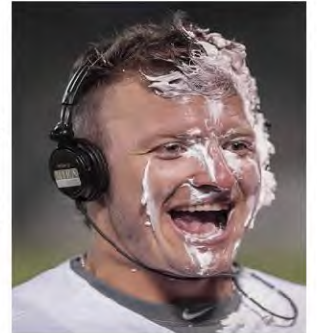
13. Road Warriors, SS-3B, Jose Iglesias. The Roadies started singing, "for all the infielders I've loved before, I've got a thirdbaseman who's more then a four" when they picked Iglesias. Jose however does not have the singing voice of the others in his family. He says his voice sounds like a glove bouncing around in the dryer. The Roadies however think his glove will be just fine.

14. Beefers, RF, Michael Cuddyer. Cuddy breathed a sigh of relief when he was grabbed in the second round. Cuddyer has the potential to a league batting champion and was worried he would get overlooked with all the young studs being drafted. The Beefers however like their players aged, like a good steak.



13. Whatever's, CF, Adam Jones. Jones has said many times that 13 is his lucky number and is happy to join the Whoville squad. Jones however doesn't want to locker near Dustin Pedroia for fear that the dusty one will get on his bubble gum. He says dirt is not a good flavor for gum. Pedoria was heard to say "what".

14. Devils, 3B, Josh Donaldson. The Devils went into the draft not looking for a thirdbaseman but couldn't pass up the sloppy Donaldson. The team going to work with him on how to properly use shaving cream but will not have to work with his bat. Donaldson does say shaving cream does help him break in new gloves.



round three



First row, L to R: 17. Jose Quintana, 18. Daniel Nava, 19. Mark Melancon, 20. Andrew Cashner. Bottom; 21. Nick Vincent, 22. Tanner Scheppers, 23. Mike Minor, 24. Kevin Seigrist.



Caborn Beefers (roster size 35)

PITCHERS - 18	T	Grade	Ctrl	PLAYERS - 17	Pos	D	B	Sp	Other Positions
SCHERZER, Max	R	16	XY	HANIGAN, Ryan	C	9	R	4	
IWAKUMA, Hisashi	R	15	YZ	WIETERS, Matt	C	9	B	6	
LATOS, Mat	R	13	Y	GOMES, Yan	C+	8	R	7	1B2
TILLMAN, Chris	R	12	Y	GONZALEZ, Adrian	1B	5	L	4	
BURNETT, A.J.	R	11	XY	DAVIS, Chris	1B	4	L	6	
WACHA, Michael	R	11	X	ADAMS, Matt	1B	3	L	5	
CUETO, Johnny	R	10	Y	KIPNIS, Jason	2B	7	L	16	
GRIFFIN, A.J.	R	8	YZ	BELTRE, Adrian	3B	4	R	9	
HAMELS, Cole	L	8	XZ	YOUNG, Michael	3B+	3	R	11	1B3, 2B6, SS6
McALLISTER, Zach	R	8		HARDY, J.J.	SS	9	R	9	
PEAVY, Jake	R	6	YZ	ANDRUS, Elvis	SS	8	R	17	
SCHEPPERS, Tanner	R	19*	Y	GONZALEZ, Carlos	OF	3	L	16	
PARNELL, Bobby	R	17*	XZ	McCUTCHEN, Andrew	OF	3	R	17	
LOPEZ, Javier	L	16*	XZ	CUDDYER, Michael	OF+	2	R	7	1B3
WATSON, Tony	L	16*	YZ	HAMILTON, Josh	OF	2	L	15	
ZIEGLER, Brad	R	16*	Z	PUIG, Yasiel	OF	2	R	15	
COOK, Ryan	R	15*	X	RABURN, Ryan	OF+	2	R	10	P1, 2B6
MANESS, Seth	R	15*	Z						

Tasmanian Devils (roster size 35)

PITCHERS - 16	T	Grade	Ctrl	PLAYERS - 19	Pos	D	B	Sp	Other Positions
KERSHAW, Clayton	L	19	XZ	ELLIS, A.J.	C	9	R	5	
MOORE, Matt	L	16	WY	McCANN, Brian	C	8	L	4	
COBB, Alex	R	14	X	POSEY, Buster	C+	8	R	6	1B2
GRAY, Sonny	R	13	X	GOLDSCHMIDT, Paul	1B	5	R	12	
ZIMMERMANN, Jordan	R	13	YZ	MOSS, Brandon	1B+	3	L	9	3B3, OF2
MEDLEN, Kris	R	12	YZ	ALTUVE, Jose	2B	8	R	17	
SALE, Chris	L	12	XZ	CARPENTER, Matt	2B+	7	L	15	1B3, 3B4, OF1
WHEELER, Zack	R	12	WY	UTLEY, Chase	2B	7	L	16	
ARCHER, Chris	R	11	Y	DONALDSON, Josh	3B+	4	R	9	1B3, SS6
ROSS, Tyson	R	9/12*	X	ZIMMERMAN, Ryan	3B	4	R	10	
SIEGRIST, Kevin	L	29*	WXY	DESMOND, Ian	SS	8	R	16	
COTTS, Neal	L	24*	XY	BRAUN, Ryan	OF	3	R	15	
MELANCON, Mark	R	22*	XZ	ROBINSON, Shane	OF	3	R	17	
CARPENTER, David	R	20*	XY	BAKER, Jeff	OF+	2	R	10	1B3, 2B6, 3B3
OTERO, Dan	R	19*	Z	CHOO, Shin-Soo	OF	2	L	17	
ROSENTHAL, Trevor	R	15*	XY	FOWLER, Dexter	OF	2	B	16	
				KEMP, Matt	OF	2	R	13	
				RIOS, Alex	OF	2	R	18	
				VENABLE, Will	OF	2	L	17	

Gas House Gang (roster size 35)

PITCHERS - 15	T	Grade	Ctrl	PLAYERS - 20	Pos	D	B	Sp	Other Positions
SANCHEZ, Anibal	R	16	XY	CASTRO, Jason	C	8	L	6	
de la ROSA, Jorge	L	13		RUIZ, Carlos	C	8	R	6	
GONZALEZ, Gio	L	13	WX	SANTANA, Carlos	C+	7	B	6	1B3
KELLY, Joe	R	13/14*		BELT, Brandon	1B	4	L	13	
CASHNER, Andrew	R	12	Y	CRAIG, Allen	1B+	4	R	8	OF2
STRASBURG, Stephen	R	12	XY	ZOBRIST, Ben	2B+	9	B	15	SS8, OF3
NIESE, Jonathon	L	9		PROFAR, Jurickson	2B+	7	B	16	3B3, SS7, OF1
CAIN, Matt	R	7	Y	RENDON, Anthony	2B+	7	R	12	3B3, SS6
LINCECUM, Tim	R	5	X	LONGORIA, Evan	3B	5	R	11	
KIMBREL, Craig	R	24*	XY	MOUSTAKAS, Mike	3B	4	L	10	
BROTHERS, Rex	L	22*	WXY	CABRERA, Everth	SS	9	B	19	
TORRES, Alex	L	21*	XY	CASTRO, Starlin	SS	8	R	16	
THIELBAR, Caleb	L	19*	XZ	RAMIREZ, Hanley	SS	8	R	15	
CHAPMAN, Aroldis	L	17*	WXY	BRUCE, Jay	OF	3	L	10	
STAMMEN, Craig	R	14*	X	GOMEZ, Carlos	OF	3	R	19	
				MARTE, Starling	OF	3	R	18	
				BLACKMON, Charlie	OF	2	L	15	
				CESPEDES, Yoenis	OF	2	R	16	
				DE AZA, Alejandro	OF	2	L	15	
				PENCE, Hunter	OF	2	R	16	

Mitchell Piranhas (roster size 35)

PITCHERS - 16	T	Grade	Ctrl	PLAYERS - 19	Pos	D	B	SpOther Positions
LEE, Cliff	L	14	XZ	LUCROY, Jonathan	C+	8	R	61B3
SHIELDS, James	R	13	Y	PIERZYNSKI, A.J.	C	8	L	5
HOLLAND, Derek	L	12	Y	LONEY, James	1B	5	L	8
QUINTANA, Jose	L	12	Y	MORNEAU, Justin	1B	5	L	6
SANTANA, Ervin	R	12	YZ	ORTIZ, David	1B	2	L	4
CHEN, Wei-Yin	L	5	YZ	CANO, Robinson	2B+	8	L	15SS6
CRAIN, Jesse	R	27*	XY	GENNETT, Scooter	2B	7	L	15
BENOIT, Joaquin	R	19*	XY	LOMBARDOZZI, Steve	2B+	7	B	163B3, OF1
CISHEK, Steve	R	16*	XYZ	MURPHY, Daniel	2B+	6	L	101B2
CLIPPARD, Tyler	R	16*	XY	WRIGHT, David	3B	5	R	16
DOWNS, Scott	L	15*	Y	PRADO, Martin	3B+	4	R	92B7, SS6, OF2
DUNN, Michael	L	14*	X	RAMIREZ, Alexei	SS	8	R	13
GREGERSON, Luke	R	13*	XZ	JACKSON, Austin	OF	3	R	17
HAWKINS, LaTroy	R	12*	YZ	MARKAKIS, Nick	OF	3	L	15
LINDSTROM, Matt	R	12*		McLOUTH, Nate	OF	3	L	17
BURTON, Jared	R	7*	YZ	REVERE, Ben	OF	3	L	18
				SPAN, Denard	OF	3	L	17
				HARPER, Bryce	OF	2	L	18
				HUNTER, Torii	OF	2	R	13

Oshkosh Otters (roster size 35)

PITCHERS - 17	T	Grade	Ctrl	PLAYERS - 18	Pos	D	B	SpOther Positions
FERNANDEZ, Jose	R	18	XY	MONTERO, Miguel	C	8	L	6
COLON, Bartolo	R	15	Z	PEREZ, Salvador	C+	8	R	51B2
LIRIANO, Francisco	L	14	WX	FREEMAN, Freddie	1B	4	L	6
BAILEY, Homer	R	11	X	HILL, Aaron	2B	8	R	15
KURODA, Hiroki	R	11	YZ	INFANTE, Omar	2B	7	R	9
FISTER, Doug	R	10	Z	MACHADO, Manny	3B	6	R	16
COLE, Gerrit	R	9	YZ	FRAZIER, Todd	3B+	4	R	9OF1
SALAZAR, Danny	R	9	XY	JOHNSON, Chris	3B+	3	R	81B3
ESTRADA, Marco	R	7	XZ	COZART, Zack	SS	9	R	10
STRAILY, Dan	R	7	Y	SEGURA, Jean	SS	9	R	17
NATHAN, Joe	R	23*	XY	MILLER, Brad	SS+	8	L	162B7, 3B3
BRESLOW, Craig	L	20*		HEYWARD, Jason	OF	3	L	16
CASILLA, Santiago	R	19*	WY	TROUT, Mike	OF	3	R	18
WILSON, Justin	L	19*	WY	BAUTISTA, Jose	OF+	2	R	151B2, 3B3
HOWELL, J.P.	L	18*	X	EATON, Adam	OF	2	L	15
DE LA ROSA, Dane	R	14*	X	NAVA, Daniel	OF+	2	B	121B2
KINTZLER, Brandon	R	14*	YZ	ROSS, Cody	OF	2	R	10
				DAVIS, Khris	OF	1	R	9

Road Warriors (roster size 34)

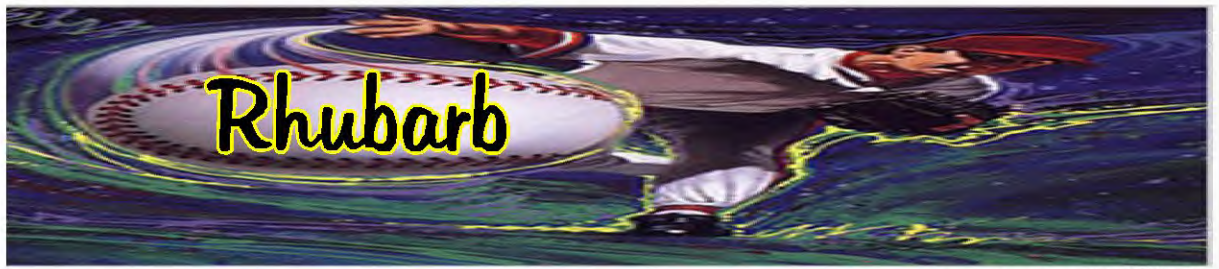
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BUMGARNER, Madison	L	14	X	MARTIN, Russell	C+	8	R	83B3, OF1
HERNANDEZ, Felix	R	13	XZ	MESORACO, Devin	C	8	R	7
MILLER, Shelby	R	13	X	d'ARNAUD, Travis	C	7	R	6
LEAKE, Mike	R	11	Z	HELTON, Todd	1B	5	L	5
OGANDO, Alexi	R	11		FIELDER, Prince	1B	3	L	6
PRICE, David	L	11	YZ	PHILLIPS, Brandon	2B	8	R	17
WEAVER, Jered	R	11	YZ	ARENADO, Nolan	3B	5	R	8
EOVALDI, Nate	R	9		IGLESIAS, Jose	SS+	9	R	152B7, 3B5
BEACHY, Brandon	R	4	YZ	TULOWITZKI, Troy	SS	9	R	11
GAUSMAN, Kevin	R	2/3*	XZ	GARDNER, Brett	OF	3	L	19
HOLLAND, Greg	R	24*	XY	GRANDERSON, Curtis	OF	3	L	17
JANSEN, Kenley	R	19*	XYZ	UPTON, Justin	OF	3	R	15
ROBERTSON, David	R	18*	XY	WERTH, Jayson	OF	3	R	17
VINCENT, Nick	R	17*	XYZ	CRUZ, Nelson	OF	2	R	11
SMYLY, Drew	L	16*	XYZ	DAVIS, Rajai	OF	2	R	19
LOUP, Aaron	L	15*	YZ	DENORFIA, Chris	OF	2	R	15
				DYSON, Jarrod	OF	2	L	17
				MYERS, Wil	OF	2	R	9

Turf Beaters (roster size 35)

PITCHERS - 13	T	Grade	Ctrl	PLAYERS - 22	Pos	D	B	SpOther Positions
BUCHHOLZ, Clay	R	18	X	MOLINA, Yadier	C+	9	R	41B3
JIMENEZ, Ubaldo	R	14	WX	ROSARIO, Wilin	C+	6	R	51B2
WILSON, C.J.	L	14	Y	HOSMER, Eric	1B+	5	L	12OF1
NOVA, Ivan	R	12	Y	RIZZO, Anthony	1B	4	L	9
RYU, Hyun-Jin	L	12	YZ	PUJOLS, Albert	1B	3	R	4
TEHERAN, Julio	R	12	XZ	LeMAHIEU, D.J.	2B+	9	R	101B2, 3B4, SS6
VERLANDER, Justin	R	12	X	KINSLER, Ian	2B	8	R	17
UEHARA, Koji	R	24*	XYZ	KENDRICK, Howie	2B+	7	R	16OF1
HOICHEVAR, Luke	R	19*	XYZ	WONG, Kolten	2B	7	L	14
PERKINS, Glen	L	17*	XYZ	SEAGER, Kyle	3B	4	L	10
MACHI, Jean	R	16*	XZ	ALVAREZ, Pedro	3B	3	L	7
O'DAY, Darren	R	16*	XZ	SANDOVAL, Pablo	3B	3	B	5
QUALLS, Chad	R	14*	YZ	PERALTA, Jhonny	SS+	8	R	8OF1
				REYES, Jose	SS	8	B	17
				CRISP, Coco	OF	3	B	17
				ELLSBURY, Jacoby	OF	3	L	18
				SUZUKI, Ichiro	OF	3	L	17
				BELTRAN, Carlos	OF	2	B	9
				BRADLEY, Jackie	OF	2	L	17
				YELICH, Christian	OF	2	L	17
				YOUNG, Eric	OF+	2	B	192B6
				HOLLIDAY, Matt	OF	1	R	7

Whoville Whateverers (roster size 35)

PITCHERS - 17	T	Grade	Ctrl	PLAYERS - 18	Pos	D	B	SpOther Positions
GREINKE, Zack	R	16	Y	MAUER, Joe	C+	9	L	81B4
HARVEY, Matt	R	15	XYZ	RAMOS, Wilson	C	7	R	5
DARVISH, Yu	R	14	XY	VOTTO, Joey	1B	4	L	10
MASTERSON, Justin	R	13	WX	ENCARNACION, Edwin	1B+	3	R	93B3
WAINWRIGHT, Adam	R	13	XZ	PEDROIA, Dustin	2B	9	R	13
CORBIN, Patrick	L	12	Y	HEADLEY, Chase	3B	4	B	11
MINOR, Mike	L	11	XZ	CABRERA, Miguel	3B	3	R	4
MILEY, Wade	L	10		SIMMONS, Andrelton	SS	10	R	16
PARKER, Jarrod	R	7		LOWRIE, Jed	SS+	7	B	132B7
GALLARDO, Yovani	R	6	Y	BRANTLEY, Michael	OF	3	L	16
AVILAN, Luis	L	22*		GENTRY, Craig	OF	3	R	17
ALLEN, Cody	R	16*	XY	GORDON, Alex	OF	3	L	13
LeCURE, Sam	R	16*	WXY	JENNINGS, Desmond	OF	3	R	18
RIVERA, Mariano	R	16*	YZ	JONES, Adam	OF	3	R	16
SMITH, Joe	R	16*	Y	VICTORINO, Shane	OF	3	B	18
RODRIGUEZ, Paco	L	15*	XY	AOKI, Norichika	OF	2	L	15
PAPELBON, Jonathan	R	13*	XZ	STANTON, Giancarlo	OF	2	R	15
				QUENTIN, Carlos	OF	1	R	6



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Orlando, FL. Piranha fan fest had fans taking part in a revision of a Halloween tradition, bobbing for apples. Piranha fans however bobbed for Piranhas. Team management said afterwards that it probably wasn't such a good idea as more fans than fish were caught.

Oshkosh, FL. Otter season ticket holders got a surprise after renewing their tickets for the 2014 season. They received a complimentary box of Otters for each ticket purchased. Some PETA activists were upset before they realized the Otters were alive.

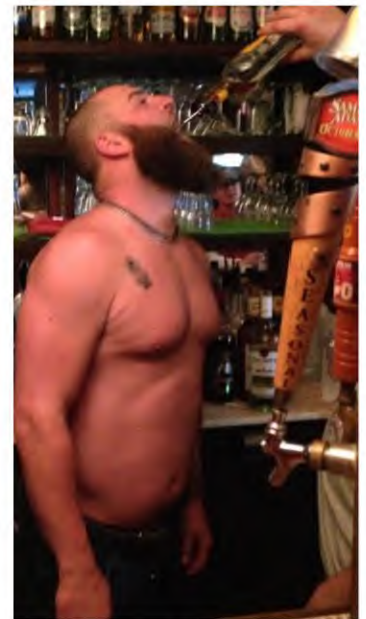


Apopka, FL. The Devils kicked off their "Back To The Future" themed season with Dr. Emmitt Brown in attendance. He gave an impromptu concert, singing such Huey Lewis and the News classic songs, like: *I Want A New Bullpen* and *The Power of Power*.

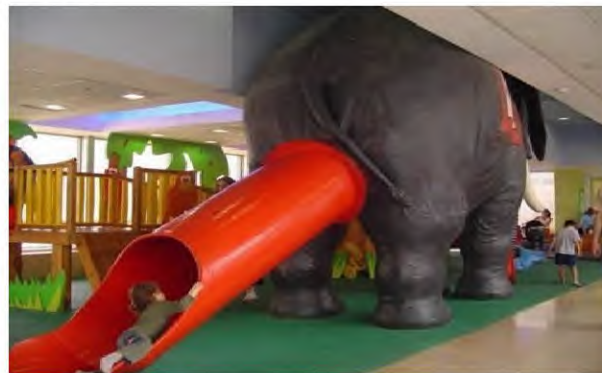


Orlando, FL. OPABA fans of teams other than the Platoon, gave the former team a 21 gun firing squad. Sorry, they actually called it a 21 gun salute.

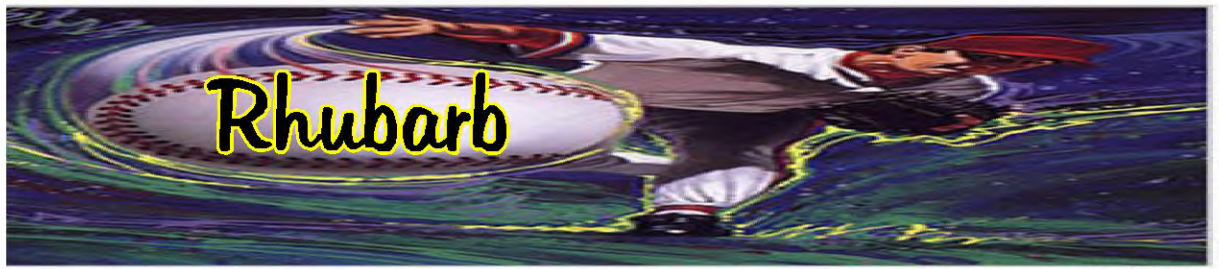
Whoville, FL. The Whatevers recently resigned first sacker Mike Napoli for another year. Napoli celebrated by joining the Whoville Pub Crawl. Napoli was said to have bought rounds and a dozen different establishments and was down to just a jock strap at the end of the evening.



Moss Park, FL. The Road Warriors have a new children's playground at the park this year. There are eight new slides for the kids. Each slide is educational and is designed to show children how the digestive tracks of different animals work. GM Marc Bostrom says there are plenty of wipes for parents after each trip through the colon.



Winter Park, FL. The Beefers are going retro this year. They will broadcast games in black and white only. Here you see the lone camera man high above home plate at a spring training game working on shot angles.



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Whoville, FL. Whatever fans have made a tribute to the team's Mascats, Fiona and Abbey. Their likeness' have been trimmed into the hedges at the ballpark.

Osceola, FL. The Turfbeater Fan Fest brought a lot of energy to the team's new ballpark. Fans by the thousands were flying high at the chance to see the 2014 squad and the new digs. The Park is



Oshkosh, FL. Otters are ready for the new season and already popular with the youngsters is the new Otter hat.

Winter Park, FL. The new quad-burger, being offered at the Beefer Bowl, will be delivered by registered nurses. Defibulators are readily available at the ballpark also.



Orlando, FL. GasHouse Gang scouts are still prowling OAPBA as the team takes a year off. The scouts have been known to quietly prowl through team offices.

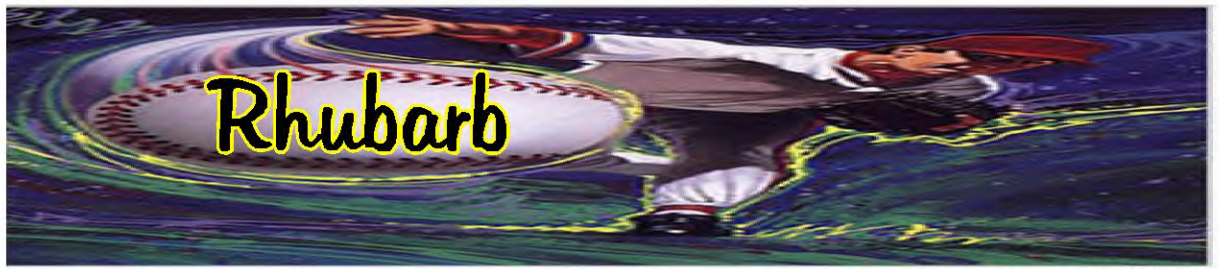


Moss Park, FL. Young Road Warriors fans showed up the team's Fan Fest dressed as their favorite players. One of the most popular players was Prince Fielder, who gave this youngster first prize in the Fielder look-a-like contest.



Orlando, FL. The Piranhas have a new, meaner look to the bullpen this year. The team says they will take no prisoners once the pen is called into action. To show the new spirit, the team has a new bullpen vehicle to escort the pitchers into the game.





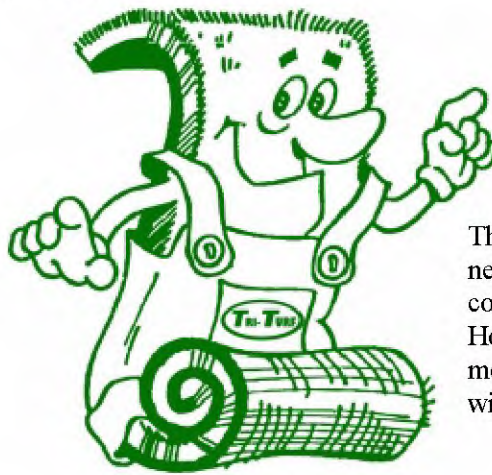
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Orlando, FL. The focus group was called in give their opinions on possible new new team mascots for 2014. The focus group was made up of men, women, and children. Their comments are listed with the potential mascots.



Children loved the TwinkyWhat mascot and women thought it was cute. Men however found it to be too alien looking and wanted zap it with a taser.

The Road Warriress was popular with men and male children. Women however said they wouldn't attend the games as they felt she was a danger to her family.



Beefier Betsy got comments that she was "too cute" and not "grade A". Fans however loved the babyburger best but felt Betsy would be able to get around the park easier.

The Turfbeaters hadn't had time to create the new costume as they were overcoming construction delays on the new ballpark. However, the potential mascot won approval men, women, and children. It rated highest with potheads and stoners.



Piranhas universally loved the dogfish. Piranha management was planning on having the dog bring ball out to the umpire between innings but the pooch got into the act too much as was eating the balls. They are looking for a dog with false teeth so they prevent that from happening in the future.



Devils fans felt the costume wasn't done properly as it was ill fitting. They felt that a larger size portrayer would make the costume work.



	player	thr	grade	letters	extra letters	OAPBA games	OAPBA innings	classification	J-factor	team
1	Tanner Scheppers	r	19*	y	g +3	32	2.1	long	0	Beefers
2	Bobby Parnell	r	17*	xz	h	24	1.1	closer	3	Beefers
3	Tony Watson	l	16*	yz		33	2.1	long	1	Beefers
4	Javier Lopez	l	16*	xz	h +1	34	1	long/short	1	Beefers
5	Brad Ziegler	r	16*	z	g	39	2	middle	0	Beefers
6	Ryan Cook	r	15*	x	h	25	2.1	long	0	Beefers
7	Seth Maness	r	15*	z		33	2.1	long	1	Beefers
8	Kevin Siegrist	l	29*	xyw	g +1	22	2.1	long	3	Devils
9	Neal Cotts	l	24*	xy	h	29	2.1	long	2	Devils
10	Mark Melancon	r	22*	xz	h	36	2	middle	0	Devils
11	David Carpenter	r	20*	xy	mf +1	28	2.2	long	2	Devils
12	Dan Oterio	r	19*	z	h +1	16	2.2	long	3	Devils
13	Trevor Rosenthal	r	15*	xy	g +3	37	2.1	long	0	Devils
14	Craig Kimbrell	r	24*	xy	g	34	1.1	closer	1	Gang
15	Rex Brothers	l	22*	xyw	mf +2	36	2	middle	0	Gang
16	Alex Torres	l	21*	xy	h	20	2.2	long	3	Gang
17	Caleb Thielbar	l	19*	xz	mf +1	24	2.1	long	3	Gang
18	Aroldis Chapman	l	17*	xyw	mf +2	34	1.1	closer	1	Gang
19	Craig Stammen	r	14*	x	g	27	3	long	2	Gang
20	Joe Nathan	r	23*	xy	h	33	1.1	closer	1	Otters
21	Craig Breslow	l	20*		g +3	30	2.1	long	2	Otters
22	Justin Wilson	l	19*	yw	g +1	29	2.2	long	2	Otters
23	JP Howell	l	18*	x	g +1	33	2.1	long	1	Otters
24	Santiago Casilla	r	19*	yw	g	28	2.1	long	2	Otters
25	Brandon Kintzler	r	14*	yz	h	35	2.1	long	0	Otters
26	Dane dela Rosa	r	14*	x	h +1	37	2.1	long	0	Otters
27	Jesse Crain	r	27*	xy	h	19	2.1	long	3	Piranhas
28	Joaquin Benot	r	19*	xy	g	33	1.1	closer	1	Piranhas
29	Steve Cishak	r	16*	xyz	g +1	34	1.1	closer	1	Piranhas
30	Tyler Clipard	r	16*	xy	l	36	2.1	long	0	Piranhas
31	Scott Downs	l	15*	y	h	34	1	long/short	1	Piranhas
32	Michael Dunn	l	14*	x	mf +1	37	2.1	long	0	Piranhas
33	Luke Gregorson	r	13*	xz	g	36	2	middle	0	Piranhas
34	LaTroy Hawkins	r	12*	yz	mf+1	36	2	middle	0	Piranhas
35	Matt Lindstrom	r	12*		h	38	2	long	0	Piranhas
36	Greg Holland	r	24*	xy	g	34	1.1	closer	1	Roadies
37	Kenley Jansen	r	19*	xz		37	1.1	closer	0	Roadies

	player	thr	grade	letters	extra letters	OAPBA games	OAPBA innings	classification	J-factor	team
38	David Robertson	r	18*	xy	g	35	2.1	long	0	Roadies
39	Nick Vincent	r	17*	xyz	h +3	22	2.1	long	3	Roadies
40	Drew Smyly	l	16*	xyz	g	31	2.2	long	1	Roadies
41	Aaron Loup	l	15*	yz	g +3	32	2.1	long	1	Roadies
42	Koji Uehara	r	24*	xyz	g +1	36	2	middle	0	Turfies
43	Luke Hochevar	r	19*	xyz	mf +1	29	2.2	long	2	Turfies
44	Glen Perkins	l	17*	xyz	mf +3	30	1.1	closer	2	Turfies
45	Jean Machi	r	16*	xz	g	25	2.1	long	2	Turfies
46	Darren O'Day	r	16*	xz	mf +1	34	2.1	long	1	Turfies
47	Chad Qualls	r	14*	yz		33	2.1	long	1	Turfies
48	Luis Avilan	l	22*		h +3	37	2.1	long	0	Whatevers
49	Mariano Rivera	r	16*	yz		32	1.1	closer	1	Whatevers
50	Cody Allen	r	16*	xy		38	2.1	long	0	Whatevers
51	Sam LeCure	r	16*	xyw	g +2	31	2.1	long	1	Whatevers
52	Joe Smith	r	16*	y	g +3	35	2.1	long	0	Whatevers
53	Paco Rodriguez	l	15*	xy		38	2	long	0	Whatevers
54	Jonathan Papelbon	r	13*	xz		30	1.1	closer	2	Whatevers

2014 Tasmanian Devils Roster & Rotation

Pitching Staff

SP **Alex Cobb** (2) R 14 x WP3 MF0 Q4 (11 GMS)
 SP **Clayton Kershaw** (2) L 19 xz WP3 MF+3 G Q2 (16 gms)
 SP **Kris Medlen** (1) R 12 yz WP1 BK0 MF+1 Q3 (15 gms)
 SP **Matt Moore** (2) L 16 yw WP3 MF0 Q4 (13 gms)
 SP **Chris Sale** (2) L 12 xz WP3 MF0 Q2 (15 gms)
 SP **Jordan Zimmermann** (2) R 13 yz WP1 BK0 MF0 Q2 (16 gms)
 Long RP **Neal Cotts** (2) L 24* xy WP3 HB0 BK0 MF0 H Q3* (29 gms)
 Long RP **David Carpenter** (2) R 20* xy WP3 BK0 MF+1 Q3* (28 gms)
 Middle RP **Mark Melancon** (2) 22* xz WP3 BK0 MF0 H Q3* (36 gms)
 Long RP **Dan Otero** (2) 19* z WP0 HB0 BK0 MF+1 H Q3* (16 gms)
 Long RP **Trevor Rosenthal** (2) 15* ky WP3 MF+3 G Q3* (37 gms)
 Long RP **Kevin Siegrist** (1) 29* kw WP0 BK0 MF+1 G Q3* (22 gms)



Position Players

C(8) PB1 TH+2 1B(2) **Buster Posey** SA +2/-3 St-R26 Sp-S6 AR-33 (73 gms)
 C(9) PB2 TH+6 **AJ Ellis** SA 0/-2 St-D9 Sp-S5 AR-33 (57 gms)
 1b(5) **Paul Goldschmidt** SA 0/-2 St-E27 Sp-12 AR-31 (78 gms)
 1B(3) LF(2) RF(2-13) gms 3b(3) **Brandon Moss** SA-11/+1 St-f26 Sp-9 AR-34 (72 gms)
 2b(8) **Jose Altuve** SA+1/-2 St-C28 Sp-F17 AR-31 (75 gms)
 2B(7) 3B(4) LF(1) 1B(3) **Matt Carpenter** SA-4/0 St-F20 Sp-F15 AR-32 (78 gms)
 2B(7) **Chase Utley** SA-5/0 St-F28 Sp-F16 AR-32 (65 gms)
 SS(8) **Ian Desmond** SA-2/-1 St-D30 Sp-F16 AR-34 (78 gms)
 3B(4) SS(6) 1B(3) **Josh Donaldson** SA+6/-4 St-G28 Sp-9 AR-32 (78 gms)
 CF(2) **Shin-Soo Choo** SA -14/+4 St-E25 Sp-F17 AR-36 (76 gms)
 RF(2) **Alex Rios** SA +5/-3 St-C33 Sp-F18 AR-36 (77 gms)
 RF(2) CF(2-40 gms) **Will Venable** SA0/-2 St-D30 Sp-F17 AR-30 (75 gms)
 LF(3) CF(3-18 gms) RF3 (17-gms) **Shane Robinson** SA-4/+2 St-E32 Sp-F17 AR-31 (49 gms)

Rotation

vs Piranhas; Kershaw, Zimmerman, Moore, Medlen
 @ Roadies; Sale, Kershaw, Zimmerman, Moore
 vs Turfies; Medlen, Sale, Kershaw, Zimmerman
 @ Whatever's; Moore, Medlen, Kershaw, Cobb
 vs Otters; Sale, Zimmerman, Moore, Medlen
 @ Beefers; Kershaw, Zimmerman, Sale, Cobb
 vs Roadies; Moore, Zimmerman, Kershaw, Medlen, Cobb
 vs Whatever's; Sale, Moore, Zimmerman, Kershaw, Cobb
 @ Otters; Medlen, Sale, Moore, Zimmerman, Cobb



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