

****C.G.L. NEWSLETTER 10-25-14****

Already one month of the 2014-15 CGL Season in the record books! Thanks to everyone for getting results in early so I could get this Newsletter out before heading out of town in a couple of days.

NO-HITTER! We already had our first No-Hitter of the season in October. Duluth's Hyun-Jin Ryu tossed his gem at home vs Italian in a 2-0 win. Ryu fanned 15 Stallions en route to his No-No and missed a perfect game by one batter (Daniel Nava HBP). Italian starter, and tough luck loser, Felix Hernandez carried a no-hitter into the 8th of the same game before Duluth plated two unearned runs for the win!

Brook Hollow, Elyria, Allouez and Waikiki Beach all got off to great starts to lead their Divisions after 38 games. Brook Hollow jumped to a fast 9 game lead in the East over Charlotte while the other three Divisions look much tighter as we head into another 38 game month in November.

We have three teams hitting over .260 (Dodge leads @ .262) and three teams with ERA's under 3.00 in the early going with Waikiki Beach posting a stellar 2.75 Team ERA to set the pace. Ipanema already has 8 shutouts with 6 of them coming at the expense of Mechanicsburg. Firetower is the only pitching staff that did not record a shutout in October in what looks to be a strong pitching year in CGL.

Allen Craig (BH) leads CGL with a .350 Batting Average while Chris Davis (ELY) paces the League in HR's (15) and RBI (36). Anibal Sanchez (CHA) leads the League in ERA at 1.48 while Jordan Zimmerman (BH) already had 7 victories under his belt. Jonathan Papelbon (FIR) and Tony Watson (NAP) are tied with 12 Saves each to lead CGL in the early going.

I sent out Year-To-Date Stats to all teams within the past 48 hours. If you have yet to receive yours please let me know ASAP so I can e mail another copy to you. If you have any trouble reading the attached files and you need paper copies let me know and I'll get them in the US Mail ASAP.

Thanks again for the great job done by all in October. With stats in hand feel free to send November Instructions out as soon as you can as we each have 19 Home games to play next month.

Rob

