**STANDINGS - EASTERN DIVISION W L PCT GB HOME AWAY MONTH**

1. Rivertown Otters (Rick Christianson) 97 40 .708 -- 49-19 48-21 18- 7
2. Buffalo Bison (John Duke) 86 51 .628 11 40-29 46-22 18- 7
3. San Antonio Spartans (Larry Bond) 81 56 .591 16 42-27 39-29 11-14
4. Saginaw Aces (John Dashner) 70 67 .511 27 37-32 33-35 15-10
5. Studio City Jazz (Jeff Bond) 67 70 .489 30 36-32 31-38 8-17
6. Indiana Inferno (John Hamel) 45 92 .328 52 25-43 20-48 11-14

**STANDINGS - CENTRAL DIVISION W L PCT GB HOME AWAY MONTH**

1. Boomtown Rats (Chris Stinson) 77 60 .562 -- 42-26 35-34 14-11
2. West Penn Bats (Brian Lebeck) 69 68 .504 8 34-34 35-34 16- 9
3. Bedrock Bombers (Ron Swinkin) 67 70 .489 10 35-34 32-36 14-11
4. Danbury Dirt Dobbers (Steve Davis) 66 71 .482 11 32-37 34-34 16- 9
5. Midtown Muddogs (Bryan Rizzo) 66 71 .482 11 40-28 25-43 11-14
6. Wyandotte Falcons (Dave Brim) 62 75 .453 15 30-38 32-37 10-15

**STANDINGS - WESTERN DIVISION W L PCT GB HOME AWAY MONTH**

1. Can-Am Drifters (Mike Dorn) 87 50 .635 -- 46-23 41-27 17- 8
2. Livonia Lynx (Tom Kusch) 81 56 .591 6 40-28 41-28 16- 9
3. Woodland Warlocks (Rob Milinkovich) 68 69 .496 19 37-31 31-38 11-14
4. MetroMess Dawgs (Andy White) 53 84 .387 34 22-47 31-37 11-14
5. Harrison Greybacks (Steve Ryan) 52 85 .380 35 24-44 28-41 3-22
6. Terryville Intercity Toads (Devlin Toth) 39 98 .285 48 19-50 20-48 5-20

**LEAGUE NEWS**

 We added another great month on to the 2017 NABC season, as all results came in accurately and almost all on time and only one carryover injury was not observed correctly. So, GREAT JOB and let’s all keep our eye on the ball as we finish the regular season in September. As always, if you are forced to be late for any reason, communication to the other manager and to me is of utmost importance.

 Rivertown has a solid 11 game lead in the East over Bufalo and is 10 games clear for the #1 playoff seed and a first round BYE. Can-Am has a 6 game lead in the West over Livonia and is in good position for the other BYE, provided they can hold off the Lynx. Boomtown has an 8 game lead over West Penn in the Central, but is unlikely to get a playoff BYE. Buffalo leads both San Antonio and Livonia by 5 games for the first Wild Card, with Saginaw emerging as the closest challenger, although 11 games behind both the Spartans and Lynx. Terryville is in the driver’s seat for the first draft pick, with Indiana, Harrison and MetroMess still in the mix.

 So as “down the stretch they come”, Good Luck and Thanks for another great year to all NABC managers!

**TO-DO'S FOR ALL**

 **Tuesday, September 5th: September road instructions E-Mailed to home managers.**

 **Tuesday, September 26th: All home F-File results E-Mailed to visiting manager and to Commissioner (include all league members, please).**

**INJURY REPORT (for September games)**

We have a total of 29 carryover injuries to 26 different players this month. Harrison, Rivertown, Saginaw, San Antonio, Studio City and West Penn were all able to avoid any carryovers. Please always be careful to observe these injuries for your team and opponents.

(n) after games is the series number when the injury occurred

Please note: The final entry for each injury identifies the games the player will miss in August. If it represents all games of a series, then the player should be removed from the Active roster and can be replaced by a Farm team player. If the number is fewer than the number of games in the series, then the player may or may not remain on the Active roster, but he MUST miss the FIRST so many games (such as 2 of 4) in the series.

Bedrock Marcus Stroman 4 games (5) (@Riv-4)

Boomtown Giancarlo Stanton 9 games (4) (@Mid-4, @Buf-4, Dan-1)

 Derek Dietrich 3 games (4) (@Mid-3)

 Matt Carpenter 3 games (4) (@Mid-3)

Buffalo Jefry Marte 8 games (3) (Stu-4, Ter-4)

 Jayson Werth 2 games (2) (@Mid-2)

Can-Am Ervin Santana 11 games (1) (@Dan-4, Har-4, Wes-3)

 Dexter Fowler 6 games (2) (Har-4, Wes-2)

Danbury Aledmys Diaz 18 games (3) (Sag-4, @Har-4, Wes-4, @San-4, @Boo-2)

Ian Kinsler 1 game (2) (Sag-1)

Harrison NONE

Indiana Brandon Moss 5 games (5) (Wes-4, @Met-1)

Livonia C.J. Cron 6 games (1) (@Bed-4, @Ter-2)

 Billy Hamilton 5 games (1) (@Bed-4, @Ter-1)

 Derek Law 4 games (6) (Sag-4)

 Zach Britton 3 games (5) (Met-3)

MetroMess Russell Martin 5 games (5) (@Liv-5)

Midtown Adonis Garcia 5 + 2 = 7 games (3,4) (@Ter-4, Boo-3)

Brandon Drury 4 games (6) (@Wya-4)

Rivertown NONE

Saginaw NONE

San Antonio NONE

**INJURY REPORT (for September games) (cont.)**

Studio City NONE

Terryville Ender Inciarte 3 games (2) (Liv-3)

West Penn NONE

Woodland Kris Bryant 4 + 1 = 5 games (1,4) (@Wes-4, @Met-1)

J.D. Martinez 2 games (4) (@Ind-2)

Wyandotte Drew Smyly 18 games (2) (Ind-4, @Woo-4, @Bed-4, @Sag-4, Mid-2)

 Jharel Cotton 16 games (5) (@Woo-4, @Bed-4, @Sag-4, Mid-4)

Jett Bandy 9 + 7 = 16 games (1,4) (Har-4, Ind-4, @Woo-4, @Bed-4)

Javier Baez 4 games (5) (@Sag-4)

Andrew McCutchen 1 game (6) (Mid-1)

Please highlight all injuries to your players as well as all injuries to players from other clubs who must miss games against you. As a road manager, if a player must miss an entire series, you must remove him from your roster for that series. As a home manager, you are responsible for holding out the correct players for both teams. Please check the instructions you get from road managers against this list, before playing the series. If there are discrepancies, please request revised instructions from the road manager. This should be easy to do with just a little care! Thanks.