

### Actual Contenders

ReSet Theory			
24	BertAndBort		
Pick	Player	TC	Pos
1	Ty	120	Both
2	aaron	50	Both
3	Xile	1	Both
4	DAD.	5	Both

Very good team. Aaron should've gone for 100+. Lot of position combinations and Ty can whip the wild man Xile back into shape. Kind of hinges on DAD who flip flops between GOAT and WAOT.

Snipe Hunt			
0	Spheroid.		
Pick	Player	TC	Pos
1	dodsfall	55	Both
2	BALLDON'TLIE	81	Both
3	yawn	64	D
4	Gman8181	0	Both

BDL is probably the easiest star player to abuse on either position (reflected in price). But his surrounding cast is all pretty good I think. Dodsfall underrated on either position, yawn was good on a really good team until he just disappeared. Gman I don't really have an opinion on his play but he's fairly active as an old head so he'll play "good Tagpro"™.

### Question Marks

Toronto Captors			
0	thenewguy.		
Pick	Player	TC	Pos
1	Agency	141	Both
2	no name	55	Both
3	titanblue	2	O
4	Zig!	2	D

Agency is worth the big spend. No name + titan offense will probably be pretty good, driven by an underrated titan that other GMs didn't want the headache of. If things are going well this team could be #1 and win it all, but if titan does that other thing, it's too many know-it-alls ready to jump down each other's throats and it'll collapse. Zig is also on the team.

The Pelicans			
0	AnthonyDavis		
Pick	Player	TC	Pos
1	jig	70	Both
2	Armbranch	40	Both
3	NameLEss	3	Both
4	ez	87	Both

This is a good draft, especially getting Armbranch for this cheap after a big season. Good ez is so good, I love good ez, but I've been in TPMs with him lately where he has to be lagging or something. I hope that isn't still the case or this team might just go the way of last season's promising Ghostboosters team. NameLEss and I have a long history and we are both old men with little kids so it pains me to say as I ponder my own mortality that he is almost always a step behind on any sort of "play". Good in base D but any transitional stuff and it gets very rough.

Los Ankeles Breakers			
11	Victor Messi		
Pick	Player	TC	Pos
1	sonder	31	Both
2	Ball-erina	76	Both
3	Cheetosrule	70	Both
4	Skwid	12	Both

This mostly rests on the fact that I don't think I saw Skwid's team play at all last season. I'm going to go out on a limb and say this offense is going to struggle. Ball-erina needs a jig or better level partner and probably could've gotten it if they went for a cheaper defense. If Skwid is secretly very good à la S23 titan then they just may have something here, but this team would probably be better picking up a defender and moving Cheetos to offense.

### Need Help

Holdin' Gate Warriors			
7	Poeticalto		
Pick	Player	TC	Pos
1	Curry	135	Both
2	Pro Boat	50	Both
3	ccga4	4	Both
4	d4nk	4	Both

I said it in S24, it was correct then, it's correct now. Ccga is a good guy and a player you want if you want to have a good time and ultimately come up short. He's embracing his legend killer role after last season but it's been right in front of us the whole time:

Bright's last 6: 4 Superballs (4 wins) and 2 with cc  
Hark's last 4: 3 Superballs (2 wins) and 1 with cc  
GOOBR's two worst seasons in the past million years

The rest of the team is so solid.

Miami Ballphins			
1	JARVISLANDRY		
Pick	Player	TC	Pos
1	Maru	199	Both
2	donuts42	0	D
3	InTheSomeday	0	Both
4	Butter	0	Both

Based and Jarvis-pilled okthen takes on the biggest challenge of his career here. Donuts seemed to play pretty well in the OTI until he saw a new map which is something that can be worked around with a long season. The other two picks are not good. It's starting to make me think Jarvis just drafts shittier teams purposefully to work on his public relations stuff for college. In reality, okthen could just cakewalk to the finals this season and win as a 199 player if they were taking it seriously.

### No Shot

Harlem Globebotters			
0 Prime			
Pick	Player	TC	Pos
1	Doris	131	Both
2	Mushroom Boy	0	Both
3	Messi	69	Both
4	Luv(sic)	0	Both

Doris is a great Tagpro player. No denying, no argument. But while he can carry a defense, he doesn't carry a game from defense like other greats can. Luv(sic) is a very good pick to make the defense even better. The offense is not going to be good enough. 2 longtime second option offenders that usually come up short (except THAT season) aren't going to magically turn each other into a pair that can consistently beat these top teams. Messi's already preparing his jokes about being most improved next season. This team goes into No Shot solely because there is no one to pick up that will make them any better.

Puparazzi			
0 BoldRoller			
Pick	Player	TC	Pos
1	Alphachurro	91	Both
2	q42	40	Both
3	d0pe	1	O
4	CoolCat	68	O

Not a roast statement, I actually love this player, but imagine someone tells you this before the draft: q42 is the best player on a team. Two OPH led teams passed on Alpha who was mediocre next to Hark, and in a defense heavy draft Bold got stuck going for reach offenders. CoolCat played well last season when he subbed in majors, but him and d0pe won't be good enough. Within 5 minutes d0pe will be crying about this ranking in his team's chat (with 🙄 and 💪) so to give some hopium if the other 3 players turn into top 10 players overnight, he can go for another Super.

Knights Who Say Re!			
40		smallyBIGS	
Pick	Player	TC	Pos
1	caprisun	70	Both
2	MadeYouLook	31	Both
3	yiss	29	D
4	Pnaoxt	30	O

*The Real World Dallas-3*, where Smally puts three 4th balls and a 3rd ball onto a Tagpro team and people stop being polite and start getting real. It's not even fair to evaluate the players when they are set up for failure by someone who doesn't understand their strengths and weaknesses but I guess since Smally hit the jackpot with DT drafting two cheap all stars in S24 he will be given the green light to do things like this.

But since we're here. Kool aid plays with the kind of non-stop reckless abandon that helps you rise up the leagues then get smacked in the face when you play majors. However his team was stacked last season and he got rewarded for it, so I don't think he will look to change and try to play as a well rounded offender. God love yiss, he can farm returns in base, but if there are more than 2 moving parts on the screen the other team has a decisive advantage. Pnaoxt's play in the Muper where sonder leaves regrab and kills the entire enemy team, then Pnaoxt instead of capping bombs himself to death still haunts ME. The lack of the small skills that help teams win games is why this team won't work, because Gryff can't do it all.