

Season 26 W2 Open Power Rankings

1. Mr_popo
 - a. Roster: Vand, Mikey, John_Milter, Zilly, Grimm, mr_popo;
 - b. Popo & pals. Invite players. Undefeated. No one is surprised.
2. KRIT eSports
 - a. Scouts: Ghostac & catface, Pocket: fabulous, Roamer froot, Demo Moy, Med Tino;
 - b. KRIT retain their number 2 spot after rolling 4 teams, including OMNI5, in less than 25 mins each. Tougher teams in the horizon, but it is unlikely that they will lose maps to anyone other than the top 4.
3. TwistedSin eSports
 - a. Scouts: ed & Keith, Pocket: mu, Roamer Digi, Demo: yuice, Med: delete;
 - b. TwistedSin also retain their number 3 spot after picking up Keith on scout. Keith is a very solid scout pickup, however he will most likely not turn the tide against KRIT. The match of the season will most likely be the TwistedSin vs KRIT. The team currently has a 4-0 record after beating some of the lower level teams, and their undefeated streak will most likely continue into product week.
4. Velocity Black
 - a. Scouts: alder & Rikachu, Pocket: Dyl4N, Roamer: Maelstrahm, Demo: Morsca, Med: Turkeylips;
 - b. This team remains in the 4th place position, after comfortably beating A6 and some mid-low open level teams. Their next matchups are against SS and Blanc on granary. While they should have an easy time against these teams, beating them convincingly will solidify themselves as a top 4 team.
5. Alien Fighter People
 - a. Scouts: saam & andrew, Pocket: Tojo, Roamer: Vipa, Demo: Max, Med: Brulee;
 - b. This team remains in the 5th position, after beating some lower level teams. Their next two matches are against OMNI5 and KRIT. The results of these matches will reveal this team's true skill level. Also, andrew sniper on product.
6. OMNI5 eSports
 - a. Roster: Scouts: coughy & n3, Pocket: Daffodil, Roamer: unskilled, Demo: fygg, Med: Wolsne;
 - b. This team swapped lavableman for n3, and should be a solid addition to this lineup. They had a rough loss against KRIT, and received a forfeit win against BBBB. The loss against KRIT shows they have something to learn before they can hang with the top 4. They have a match against AFP on granary, and this will be one of the biggest matches of the season for this team.
7. DRAGONWARRIOR12
 - a. Roster: Scouts: tatuwah & dragonwarrior12, Pocket: Dippidy, Roamer: dogman, Demo: newspeak, Med: Cats4lyfe;

- b. Dragonwarrior12 has had a steady start to the season, only losing one match so far to mr_popo. The players offclassing seem to have grown into their roles. It will be interesting to see how this team fares against other top 8 teams.
8. The Asian 6
 - a. Roster: Scouts: playmo & Vosic0, Pocket: j4v, Roamer: goku, Demo: Shylo, Med: Amulet;
 - b. After some fairly convincing wins against EVIL and Faint Blue, this team has shown they deserve to be in the top 8 or very close to it. Their next matches are against some lower level teams, and should be easy wins.
9. MAD LUXURIOUS
 - a. Roster: Scouts Jaay & Apt, Pocket: Hellbent, Roamer: GMK, Demo: aniph, Med: charis;
 - b. After a very close win against EVIL, MLX is looking a little shaky. However, the experience on this roster should be able to pull up from this and start doing much better later in the season. Their next matches are against popo and IWHBYD. While the popo match will (barring a miracle) be a loss, the IWHBYD match will be interesting to watch, as if it is close then MLX may not be able to contend with the top 8.
10. BLANC Esports
 - a. Roster: Scouts: Meus & Umbra, Pocket: Brian, Roamer: SpaceCadet`HX, Demo: HedgehogHero, Med: Tery;
 - b. This team has had a shaky start despite going 4-0 so far. They had two matches that were won by a one round difference, although their other 2 matches were 5-0s. Due to the two close matches, BLANC will have a hard time getting into the top 8, and any match against a top 8 team will be one to watch.
11. Every Villain Is Lemons
 - a. Roster: Scouts: Link_1012 & vari, Pocket: faust, Roamer: Reflecto, Demo: sail, Med: Phantom;
 - b. Since week 1, EVIL has made some roster changes. Swapping Kia for Phantom and crab_f for vari. While they have not done well in their past few matches, this team has enough talent to be able to comfortably make playoffs. Going farther will be the big challenge for them.
12. The Salty Seamen
 - a. Roster: Scouts: Mak & daily, Pocket: Glop, Roamer: Alexandros, Demo: JaguarFiend, Med: Panacea;
 - b. After an easy start to the season and Jag activating to 5-0 BBBB, the Salty Seaman will have a tough granary week against Velocity black and IWHBYD. These two matches will be a good indicator of this team's potential for the rest of the season.
13. Bicken Back Bein Bool
 - a. Roster: Scouts: dot & Spades, Pocket: Drake, Roamer: odb, Demo: kaz, Med: phobia;

- b. After a surprising loss to Salty Seamen, BBBB has had some instability thus far. It will remain unknown of this team's true skill level until later in the season, after more matches have been played against playoff contenders.

14. IWHBYD

- a. Roster: Scouts: legit & nazara, Pocket: s1ke , Roamer: ???, Demo: Dagger, Med: starka;
- b. IWHBYD has had some roster issues so far, playing with 2 different roamers in their 4 matches. This has not impacted their performance, however they have not faced any team in the top 8 thus far. Their next matches are against salty seaman and MLX. These matches will be crucial in determining the true skill level of this team.

15. Kronge Realm

- a. Roster: Scouts: Nomi & Nukey, Pocket: Zacice , Roamer: Skele_Knight, Demo: Akemi, Med: Burko;
- b. After starting the season with a 1-3 record, they have finalized their starting roster. Picking up akemi on demo, and zacice on pocket, this team should start to seeing improvement. They will be playing some easier teams in the upcoming weeks, which will balance out their early losses.

16. Slicerogue is a Trashcan

- a. Roster: Scouts: MonkeyJedi & paulyy, Pocket JT, Roamer: ???, Demo: MONSTA, Med: msh
- b. An honorable mention on the last power rankings, due to Faint Blue's roster issues and a 4-0 start to the season they are getting bumped up into the top 16. They had some easy games to start the season, and until they get results against other playoff level teams their skill level will remain unknown.

Honourable Mention:

1. Faint Gaming Blue

- a. Roster: Only stock knows
- b. After losing 5-0 to A6, this team had some major issues, because of this it is unclear what the future of this team will hold. If stock is able to get good pickups, this team could regain its playoff position, but we will have to wait and see what happens.

Player transfers

1. TwistedSin picks up Keith on Scout
2. OMNI5 swaps lavableman for n3 on scout
3. EVIL swaps Kia for Phantom on medic, and Crab_f for Vari on scout
4. Kronge Realm swaps Ambroon for Akemi on demo

Matches to watch: in no particular order

1. OMNI5 vs Alien Fighter People
 - a. Match of the week
2. KRIT eSports vs Alien Fighter People
3. Velocity Black vs Salty Seamen
4. Velocity Black vs BLANC Esports
5. Salty Seamen vs IWHBYD
6. MAD LUXURIOUS vs IWHBYD
7. BLANC Esports vs Slicerogue is a Trashcan