

Scoreboard

Heating Up: Fargo had the highest winning percentage in the league, at .778 (7-2)

Cooling Off: Little Rock, Arizona & Montreal tied for the lowest winning percentage in the league, at .000 (0-1,0-1,0-3)

Game Highlights

[Lance Alexander](#) (SS-Philadelphia) led the league with 4 Game Highlights this week

Transactions

Waivers

- [Sherry Withem](#) (SP-San Juan) was claimed away from Los Angeles
- [Steve Law](#) (SS-Monterrey) was placed on the Wire
- [Johnny Lynch](#) (RF-Monterrey) faces an uncertain future
- [Layne Hardy](#) (SS-Monterrey) could soon be on the move
- [Guillermo Figueiroa](#) (RP-Monterrey) might be wearing a different uniform next season
- [Spud O'Connor](#) (1B-Monterrey) isn't sure who will be signing his paychecks next year
- [John Walsh](#) (3B-Monterrey) faces the possibility of being one-and-done with the Sultanes

Free Agency

- [Paul Shinjo](#) (SP-Boston) signed a 3 year, \$20.4M contract extension to stay off the market in S36
- [Ernest Waters](#) (SP-Fargo) signed a 4 year, \$25M contract extension that will keep him in a Nearstops uniform until S39
- [Alton Buford](#) (RP-Kansas City) signed a 1 year, \$660k contract extension to avoid Free Agency
- [Stephen White](#) (RP-Kansas City) signed a 1 year, \$650k contract extension
- [Diory Redondo](#) (RP-Kansas City) signed a 1 year, \$2.5M contract extension
- [Trevor Ramsey](#) (C-Kansas City) signed a 2 year, \$920k contract extension
- [Hector Grant](#) (RF) is newly unemployed following his release from Monterrey

Trades

Promotions

International Free Agency

- [Alex Caminero](#) (P-New York) signed a minor league contract with a \$70k signing bonus
- [Rico Chavez](#) (C-New York) signed a minor league contract with a \$70k signing bonus
- [Albert Mercedes](#) (P-New York) signed a minor league contract with a \$50k signing bonus
- [Don Ryu](#) (2B-New York) signed a minor league contract with a \$70k signing bonus
- [Byung-Hyun Song](#) (P-New York) signed a minor league contract with a \$60k signing bonus
- [Asdrubal Carrasco](#) (3B-Monterrey) signed a minor league contract with a \$100k signing bonus
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DL Report

Placed on the DL this week:

- [Junior Benavente](#) (SP-Arizona): Elbow Inflammation, 15 day DL

Removed from the DL this week:

- [Denny Restovich](#) (RF-Pawtucket): Strained Groin, 15 day DL
- [Yorvit Jacquez](#) (C-Vancouver): Strained MCL, 15 day DL

Noteworthy Games

- None

Misc.

- Don't forget to submit your votes for Player Awards!
- The recruiting thread is up in the Classifieds, so please pitch in and keep us near the top!
- Other blog posts in production:
 - Voting Awards Snubs [started; unpublished]
 - [Explanation of Franchise Rankings](#)