

Scoresheet Baseball June 18th, 2007

Hi Again: Summer officially arrives this week
Maybe some long-slumping hitters (Delgado,
Sexson, etc.) will finally heat up?

LINEUP NOTE: Please remember that to play
either 2B, SS or 3B in Scoresheet a player must
qualify at one of those three positions. So while a 3B
can play SS, or a 2B can play 3B (all with fielding
penalties), a player who only qualifies at 1B or OF or
catcher or DH can not play 2B, SS or 3B in
Scoresheet. Also, only players who qualify at catcher
can play catcher in a Scoresheet game.

If you list a guy who does not qualify at one of
those positions as a starter at one of those 3 positions
on your lineup card he'll be moved to the bench. For
instance, Willie Harris only qualifies at OF so far this
year; he did not play in the infield in the majors in
2006, so he does **not** qualify at 2B or 3B in 2007. So
if you list him as a starter at 2B or 3B he can not play
those positions, so will be moved to the bench on
your lineup until he does qualify at an infield position
(by playing there 10 games this year in the majors.)

This week we've printed a short list of
'Scoresheet All-Stars' and 'Scoresheet All-Worsts'.
We took all of the players in the majors, and totaled
the won-loss records for all of the teams that they are
on in *Scoresheet*, then divided by the number of
teams they play on to come up with their 'average
Scoresheet won-loss record.' Most pennant races are
decided by just a couple of games, so if a single
player makes the difference in 3 or 4 games that is a
big deal.

This list is not just an order of the players who
are having the best (and worst) seasons, but more
shows players who are playing much better or worse
than what they 'cost' (how high the draft pick used to
get them, or what they cost in trade).

***Note** A guy like Matt Albers (who probably was
not even picked in many pre-season drafts) may
show on a league's 'Worst' list because he was not
picked until the mid-season supplemental draft in
many leagues. Those drafts go in the reverse order of
won-loss records, and since Buchholz was a top
supplemental pick in many leagues, Buchholz did
end up getting picked by a lot of teams that already
had a losing record when they got him.

Have a great week! - Jeff Barton

AL Bests

4468-3596,	35-28	Danny Haren
4347-3717,	34-29	John Lackey
4345-3718,	34-29	Alex Rodriguez
4340-3723,	34-29	Kelvim Escobar
4339-3724,	34-29	Carlos Guillen
4334-3730,	34-29	Grady Sizemore
4332-3730,	34-29	Victor Martinez
4312-3751,	34-29	J.J. Putz

4310-3753,	34-29	James Shields
4293-3769,	34-29	Johan Santana
4289-3775,	34-29	Pat Neshek
4287-3776,	33-30	Alexis Rios
4255-3746,	34-29	Magglio Ordonez
4190-3685,	34-29	Matt Guerrier
4266-3798,	33-30	Joe Nathan
4263-3800,	33-30	Justin Verlander
4230-3771,	33-30	Hideki Okajima
4252-3811,	33-30	C.C. Sabathia
3084-2649,	34-29	C.J. Wilson

AL Worsts

3687-4375,	29-34	Joe Crede
3798-4265,	30-33	Brandon McCarthy
3790-4211,	30-33	Jake Westbrook
3832-4231,	30-33	Jermaine Dye
3838-4226,	30-33	Vicente Padilla
3209-3595,	30-33	Doug Mientkiewicz
3842-4221,	30-33	Jorge Cantu
3593-3967,	30-33	Casey Fossum
3789-4147,	30-33	Sammy Sosa
3853-4210,	30-33	Chone Figgins
3821-4178,	30-33	Jason Kendall
3829-4171,	30-33	Mark Grudzielanek
3797-4139,	30-33	Mike Maroth
3861-4203,	30-33	Kevin Millwood
3737-4075,	30-33	Scott Podsednik
3867-4195,	30-33	Josh Barfield

NL Bests

5456-4622,	34-29	Jake Peavy
5403-4676,	34-29	Brad Penny
5374-4706,	34-29	John Smoltz
5372-4710,	34-29	Chase Utley
5299-4719,	33-30	Todd Helton
5312-4767,	33-30	Jose Reyes(NYN)
5281-4739,	33-30	Chris Young(SD)
5275-4744,	33-30	Derrek Lee
5253-4764,	33-30	Chipper Jones
5248-4769,	33-30	Edgar Renteria
5210-4742,	33-30	Tim Hudson
4722-4288,	33-30	Sergio Mitre
5191-4761,	33-30	John Maine
5247-4834,	33-30	Roy Oswalt
5245-4835,	33-30	David Wright
5212-4805,	33-30	Scott Linebrink
5239-4837,	33-30	Albert Pujols
5204-4812,	33-30	Matt Holliday
5225-4853,	33-30	Russell Martin
5190-4827,	33-30	Matt Morris
5217-4864,	33-30	Miguel Cabrera

NL Worsts

4781-5298,	30-33	Adam LaRoche
4862-5219,	30-33	Taylor Tankersley
4110-4458,	30-33	Jose Castillo
4867-5213,	30-33	Josh Johnson(Flo)
4808-5146,	30-33	Bronson Arroyo
4211-4546,	30-33	Matt Albers
4780-5111,	30-33	John Patterson
4816-5138,	30-33	Anthony Reyes
4849-5167,	30-32	Juan Pierre
4823-5132,	31-32	Clay Hensley
4634-4942,	30-33	Mark Mulder
4162-4469,	30-33	Jarrod Saltalamacchia
4866-5152,	31-32	Freddy Garcia
4867-5150,	31-32	Brian Giles
4841-5112,	31-32	Dan Wheeler