HARD 50+ Standings & Highlights

Aug 19, 2025

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.	GB	Games	Next
Outlaws	14.5	4.5	.763	0	19	Wolfpack
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Mudcats	10	9	.526	4.5	19	Warriors
Warriors	9	10	.474	5.5	19	Mudcats
Cardinals	5.5	13.5	.389	9	19	Raiders
Raiders	3	16	.158	11.5	19	Cardinals

Wolfpack 24 Raiders 16

Outlaws 23 Mudcats 19

Warriors 22 Cardinals 16

Managers Notes:

<u>Cardinals</u>- Cardinals played a scrappy game against a solid Warriors team. We played hard but came up short. Losing 22-16. We now are gearing up for a playoff run after next week's make-up game.

<u>Mudcat Red-</u> Mudcats 19 Outlaws 23. Mudcats high water mark occurred after one inning and a 3-2 lead. From there it was all Outlaws for a while as they took a 14-3 lead into the middle innings. Mudcats chipped away and came up with the respectable final score, but it felt like the Outlaws controlled this one. Leave it in the rear view mirror, focus on playing well in the playoffs!

The final score in this one was Outlaws 23, Mudcats 19. The Outlaws trailed 3-2 Outlawsafter one inning, but outscored the Mudcats 21-16 the rest of the way, holding the lead from the second inning until the end of the game. Tim Larsen (the nicest guy in Hayward Senior Softball) again pitched well and kept his Mudcats team in the game throughout. Tim did not walk a single Outlaw batter (AGAIN). On the opposite end of the "nice guy spectrum", the once upon a time manager of the year got pretty irate at the Outlaws manager for questioning a non-call in the game. The Outlaws manager asked the umpire a simple question, got his answer, and was ready to move on. But, apparently the once upon a time manager of the year had an issue with this, calling it petty and seemed to really want to beat that dead horse. BTW, speaking of horses. Malia's prized Tennesee Walker just pulled through a battle with Colic and is now doing fine. She thanks those in the league that were concerned. On Offense, the Outlaws were led by Brian Icke (AGAIN) who was 4 for 4 with 3 runs scored and an RBI. Kraig Whitney was 4 for 5 with a double, a homerun, 3 runs scored and 4 RBI. Tony Camillo was 3 for 4 with 2 doubles, 3 runs scored and 2 RBI. Bob Frey was 3 for 5 with 2 homeruns, 2 runs scored and 5 RBI. Chris Monge was 3 for 5 with a double, 3 runs scored and 4 RBI. La'i Falefine was 3 for 5 with a double, 2 runs scored and 2 RBI. Miloe McCall was 3 for 5 with a double, a run scored and a RBI. HEY, OUTLAWS! Don't worry about the horse being blind, just load the wagon!

<u>Raiders</u> – In another thriller, oh wait that was last week. This week, the Raiders went down quietly to the Wolfpack, 24-16. It wasn't that close as we flip flopped and scored four in our ninth to make it a little closer.

We are nearly ready for the playoffs. We've got the league right where we want them, thinking we are the poor last place team. We hope to continue that thought through our last game next week, and then surprise everyone!

Jay Sankey and Don Devencenzi were both 4-5 to lead the team. Right behind them were Dave Balfour (two doubles and three RBIs) and Ray Oducayen at 3-4, each with a walk. Cary Mitsuyoshi (one double), David Gerds (two doubles), Max Martin, and Jeff Kravin were 3-5. David Gratz had a booming triple.

Warriors - The Warriors busted out of a very long team hitting slump and erupted with 22 runs over 8 innings in a win over a very good Cardinals team. Dennis "Juliet and" Romero, Ellen "Say What" Seiji and David Yi "Haw" all had prefect days at the plate with Dennis contributing 3 doubles and a triple. Ellen also made several defensive gems in the field. Leo "Hot Wheels" Camper knocked in 6 runs with 3 big hits including a bases loaded triple and a run scored when he ran through the several stop signs to steal an improbable run in the 6th inning. Chris "Tofer" Constantino showed out for his mom (Hi Denny!) with 3 hits and several key plays including an unassisted double play. Johnny "Big" Mac muscled up with 2 triples and 3 RBIs. Reuben "Ruby Tuesday" Fielder showed that age ain't nothing but a number and had 3 hits in his last game as a 91 year old. We get to celebrate his 92nd birthday next week!

<u>Wolfpack</u> - Vince Jorgenson, Bob Burstedt, Jeff LeBoss and Garrett Sullivan all reached base 5 times in 5 plate appearances. Todd Evans and Terry Pryor each knocked in 4 as the Wolfpack defeated the Raiders 24-16. Mike Nichols also went 4 for 5 as did Mace McDonald.