

Blue Jays sweep Yankees to grab tight hold of 2nd place

New York's Yankees traveled north of the border to try and take hold of second place in the league, but the Blue Jays held serve and swept the visitors right back to the Bronx 5-4, 6-0, 4-0. Toronto spotted Kevin Appier and 5-0 lead through 4 innings, only to have NY chip away scoring 4 runs of their own before Jeff Brantley closed the door for his 2nd save in Gm.1. Andres Galaraga delivered the big blow with a grand slam in the 3rd. Toronto jumped out again in game 2 scoring 6 ER off starter Paul Wilson in only 4 innings, but Allen Watson didn't need that much help. Watson allowed only 2 hits and 2 walks over 7.1 IP before John Wetteland retired the final 5 batters in order. Brady Anderson, Manny Ramirez, and Ken Griffey Jr. each knocked in 2 runs. In the final game Jack McDowell scattered 8 hits in a complete game shut-out with 12 strikeouts. Brady Anderson knocked in 2 more runs in game 3 and Dean Palmer (19 rbi) continued his great start. New York has scored only 7 runs in their last 6 games.

Oakland takes 2 of 3 in LA

LA won their fourth straight taking game 1 8-6 in a back and forth game that Jeff Shaw fought through the middle innings and Mike Fetters dominated in a 6 out save. Eric Davis (2-3 1r 3rbi) big day for the A's was not enough to earn the win. Jason Isringhausen (6.2 IP 1ER) started game 2 for Oakland in a pitchers duel against Ben McDonald until the 7th when Oakland score 5 runs behind an Eric Davis grand slam, but the Dodgers fought for the home fans scoring 5 of their own in the 9th falling 1 run short in an 8-7 A's victory. Paul Quantrill (5.2 IP 1 ER) and Gil Here dia (3.1 IP 2H 0ER) dominated game 3 to win the series with a 5-1 gm 3 win. Ramon Martinez gave up 5 ER in 2.2 IP against he powerful A's.

League Standings as of this Morning

	W	L	PCT	GB
Toronto BlueJays	16	8	.667	-
Chicago Cubs	14	7	.667	.5
Los Angeles Dodgers	9	6	.600	2.5
San Diego Padres	12	9	.571	2.5
St. Louis Cardinals	11	10	.524	3.5
New York Yankees	9	9	.500	4
Seattle Mariners	9	9	.500	4
Oakland A's	10	11	.476	4.5
Minnesota Twins	8	10	.444	5
Kansas City Royals	6	9	.400	5.5
New York Mets	8	16	.333	8
Atlanta Braves	5	13	.278	8

Twins sweep at hot Cubs

The Chicago Cubs have been the talk of baseball jumping out to a 12-3 start and welcomed the struggling Twins, who began 5-10, to the North Side for a 3 game set. The game, and possibly the series, turned in the first inning of game 1 when Barry Larkin got injured and forced to miss the entire series. Larkin's addition the Cubs last season helped them reach the series, and he was sorely missed. Curt Schilling took the hill for the Twins in game 1 and dominated the game throughout. Schilling's complete game victory was aided by Mark McGwire's 4-4 game to raise his average to .346. Barry Bonds scored 3 runs and Jim Eisenreich continued his amazing start to the season going 3-6 again (.372). Mark Portugal tried to get the Cubs back on their winning ways in game 2 battling the craft southpaw Sterling Hitchcock, but Barry Bonds was the story of this game. Bonds had 2 walks, and 4 singles in his six plate appearances, setting the table for Mark McGwire (HR 4rbi) scoring 3 more runs in a 9-5 victory for the Twins. Hitchcock got through 5.2 IP and Bob Wickman dealt the final 3.1 for the save. Mark McGwire was the difference in a game 3 7-6 win for Minnesota, slugging his 11th homer going 3-4 and knocking in 4 more runs, giving him 11 rbi in the 3 game series.

Dodgers sweep in Atlanta

To best pitching team from last season is starting to find it's footing here in 1996. LA took game 1 4-2 behind a complete game from Ben McDonald and timely hits from John Jaha and Cliff Floyd. Alex Fernandez through a complete game as the hard luck loser for Atlanta. Ramon Martinez pitched 7.1 innings in game 2 with just 1 hit, and Billy Wagner and Mike Fetters finished it off in a 4-0 Dodgers win. Tom Glavine pitched a complete game in another hard luck performance for the loss. Craig Grebeck led the LA offense going 2-4 with 3 rbi. Game 3 was a 14-6 offensive explosion as LA lit up Pedro Astacio for 9 ER in 4.2 IP. Bobby Bonilla was the hitting superstar going 4-4 and hitting for the cycle with 2 runs and 4 rbi, but he had help. Julio Franco (3-6 2r 2rbi), Juan Gonzalez (HR, 3rbi) and John Jaha (2-5 1r 2rbi) joined in on the fun.

Royals win 2 of 3 vs Braves

The Royal offense destroyed the Braves in this 3 game set. Game 1 was a 13-1 win for Kansas City lighting up Dave Burba and Tim Scott. Tom Pagnozzi was the game 1 star going 5-5 with 2 runs and 7 rbi. League leading hitter Ken Caminiti went 3-4 again in game 1. Kansas City score 5 more runs in game 2, but the Braves scored 7 behind Ricky Otero, Paul Molitor and Alex Rodriguez scoring 5 and driving in 6 in the 2-3-4 spots of the lineup. The Braves bullpen pitched 7 innings allowing just 2 runs to get the win 7-5 in game 2. Game 3 was a massacre in the fountains of Kansas City as Braves starter Alex Fernandez gave up 8 ER in 2.0 IP to begin the game, and it only got worse from there in a 22-1 Royals victory. Albert Belle set a league record, hitting 4 HR in the game and driving in 11 runs in his 5-6 day. Belle homered in the 1st, 2nd, 4th, and 8th, and added a double to round out his unforgettable day.

A's win 2 of 3 vs. Cardinals

The A's welcomed the Cardinals to the bay for a weekend series with Pat Hentgen taking on John Smoltz. Mike Matheny led off the bottom of the 9th with a homer to win game one 5-4 off Smoltz and give a well earned win to reliever Mike Maddux. Maddux 3.2 IP with just 1 hit was the difference. A tough 3rd inning did in Cardinals starter Roger Clemens in Oakland's 4-1 game 2 victory. Mike Matheny led off with a dinger. Edgar Renteria singled to center and Jason Giambi matched him. With runners on first and second, Jeff Bagwell drove a splitter 417 feet to left for a 4-0 lead that was never overcome. Steve Trachsel moved to 4-0 with the win and Jose Mesa earned his 4th save in the 4-1 game 2 victory. Pedro Martinez has been the Cardinals stopper this season, and game 3 was no exception. Pedro earned win number 4 in a Cardinals 11-3 win that was close until a 5 run 9th from St. Louis blew the game wide open and got a win for the Cards before they left the bay.

Oakland down south in S.D.

The Oakland A's took on the tough task of going on the road without two of their stars - Eric Davis and Chuck Knoblauch - and the Padres took advantage to with two of three. San Diego took game one 7-2 behind a strong outing from David Cone and Mark Wohlers 5th save. Bernie Williams was on base all 4 trips and homered, and Steve Finley drove in two in his 3-5 day. Chili Davis went 2-3 with a double for the visitors. Andy Ashby threw a 2 hitter over 6.1 IP to lead the Padres to a 5-0 win in game two. Paul Quantrill pitched great for the A's, allowing just 3 hits in 6.1 IP, but Dave Mlicki got roughed up leading to the final score. Pat Hentgen took the bump to try and stop the bleeding for the A's in game three, and did so with a complete game win. Hentgen scattered 8 hits and 3 ER while his teammates beat up Pat Rapp and Dennis Eckersley. Edgar Renteria led the offense at 4-5 to raise his average to .348 this year.

Mets drop 2 of 3 in Toronto

The Blue Jays have had a great start to 1996 and are at the top of the standings, but New York meant business. The Mets fought to gain a 6-3 lead in game 1 behind Fred McGriff, Brian Jordan, and Jay Buhner. In the bottom of the 7th Bob Tewksbury relieved Jeff Juden in a 2-on no out jam, but the Jays batters were too much for Tewks. Manny Ramirez singled and Ken Griffey tripled to tie the game at 6, and after an out Fernando Vina got the game winning single in a 7-6 game 1 win. The Mets left no doubt in game 2, jumping out 5-2 in three innings and adding on throughout in an 8-3 Mets win. Omar Daal continued his good season with 8 IP to up his record to 3-0, and Devon White went 3-5 with 3 rbi as the cleanup DH hitter to hang a loss on Al Leiter. Toronto won the series on a late game 3 rally for a 5-3 win. Tied 3-3 in the 8th, Manny Ramirez and Ken Griffey Jr. went back to back for 857 feet of winning home runs.

Cubs take 2 of 3 vs Toronto

A top of the standings battle took place in Wrigley this week. Chad Ogea started against Al Leiter in game 1. Ogea pitched well for the Cubs but needed help from Terry Adams to get through the top of 5th. In the bottom of the inning, a John Mabry 2-run homer opened up a 4-1 lead for the home team that was never overcome in a 5-2 win for the Cubs in game 1 to tied the standings at 13-6. Game 2 was over early as Chicago scored 8 runs in the second. With 1-out and Larkin on second Joe Girardi singled, Tom Goodwin doubled, John Mabry singled for a 3-2 lead. After a Wade Boggs groundout for out #2, Roberto Alomar singled, Gary Sheffield walked, Dave Nilson singled, and Barry Larkin homered. Game-set -match! Chicago took the lead in Wartime with a game 2 13-5 victory. Toronto likes leading the league though, and showed up for game 3 determined. The Blue Jay 5-3 win in game 3 was led by Kevin Appier's complete game to push his record to 4-0 on the season with a 2.25 ERA.

Braves win 2 of 3 vs Padres

The Braves and Padres are close rivals, and when San Diego visited the last place Braves the home side was determined to send the defending champs home with a series loss. Mission Accomplished! Atlanta dominated Padre starter Pat Rapp in a 10-0 game 1 win. Ricky Otero had 4 hits and drove in 3 runs to lead a balanced Braves attack. Johnny Damon, Paul Molitor, Mariano Duncan, Willie McGee, and Mickey Morandini all had multiple hits. San Diego star pitcher Kevin Brown took the hill in game 2 and tossed a shutout as San Diego evened the series with a 2-0 victory. Pedro Astacio pitched valiantly for the Braves; scattering 7 hits over 9 innings, but Brown's dominance was more than the Braves bats could take on this day. The rubber match was a tight-hard fought battle between Alex Fernandez of Atlanta and Tim Belcher of San Diego. Tied at 4 in the 8th inning, Alex Rodrigueuz led off with a 414 foot bomb to left center and a 5-4 win that was closed out by Terry Mathews & Dan Naulty.

Cardinals beat Mets 2 of 3

The 9-9 Cardinals returned home to take on the 5-12 Mets. New York jumped out on StL Bobby Jones getting a 4-0 lead but St. Louis fought back to tie the game at 4 in the bottom of the 9th on a 2-out 2-run triple by Jason Kendall. B.J. Surhoff singled in Dante Bichette to win the game 5-4 in 10 innings for St. Louis. A 5-run 6th inning built around a 3-run dinger from Moises Alou gave the Cardinals a 5-1 lead in game 2, but New York fought back in the 8th inning on an RBI double from Lance Johnson that was followed by a Jay Buhner homer that ended John Smoltz day leading 5-4. St. Louis closer Trevor Hoffman entered the game and recorded the final 5 outs to earn his 6th save in a Cardinals 6-4 victory. Jaime Moyer came to the rescue for the Mets in game 3, tossing a complete game 4-hit shutout for the Mets to win 2-0. Moyer outdueled Roger Clemens, who also threw a complete game for his second win.

Expansion Rumors

There are rumors from sources that currently wish to remain unnamed that the WARTIME-40 Baseball League is looking to expand from 12 to 16 teams. When expansion occurs, there will be two divisions of 8 teams. The season will remain 132 games in length, but it will no longer be a balanced schedule. Teams will play their divisional counterparts twice as often as they will play teams from the other division. Many playoff setups are still being discussed, and rumor has it that an inability to decide on format is one reason expansion has not been announced or finalized.

1996 All Star Ballot Announced

The official All-Star Ballot nominees have been release for the 1996 season. In order to be eligible for the ballot, you have to have played the majority of the starts and innings for your team at the 8 field positions through 18 games or more of this season. The hitter with the most plate appearances who is not in those starting lineups became the nominee for designated hitter. The relief pitcher with the most saves on the team received their closer nominee, and the next two relievers with the most appearances and innings received the reliever slots for each team. Voting for All-Stars will be online, and the link will be provided in the future editions of the Sunday WAR-times.

All Star Ballot Rules

The final all star team will have 2 players from each field position, including 2 designated hitters. Those 18 field players will be joined by 6 starting pitchers and 6 relief pitchers. Two closers at a minimum must be on the All-Star Team, and a minimum of two non – closer relief pitchers must be on the All Star team as well. These 30 players who receive all star honors will be honored during the All-Star game weekend which occurs during our 3-day break in the regular season. An All-Star voting league will be posted.

Players submitted from initial team play to be eligible for 1996 All Star Ballot

	Catcher	First Base	Second Base	Third Base	Shortstop	Starting Pitcher	Starting Pitcher	Starting Pitcher
ATL	Ausmus, Brad	ATL Molitor, Paul	ATL Morandini, Mickey	ATL Jones, Chipper	ATL Rodriguez, Alex	ATL Glavine, Tom	ATL Fernandez, Alex	ATL Astacio, Pedro
CUB	Girardi, Joe	CUB Morris, Hal	CUB Alomar, Roberto	CUB Boggs, Wade	CUB Larkin, Barry	CUB Clark, Mark	CUB Burkett, John	CUB Portugal, Mark
KC	Pagnozzi, Tom	KC Martinez, Tino	KC Young, Eric	KC Caminiti, Ken	KC Jeter, Derek	KC Reynolds, Shane	KC Mussina, Mike	KC Drabek, Doug
LA	Steinbach, Terry	LA Jaha, John	LA Offerman, Jose	LA Bonilla, Bobby	LA Guillen, Ozzie	LA McDonald, Ben	LA Maddux, Greg	LA Martinez, Ramon
MIN	Macfarlane, Mike	MIN McGwire, Mark	MIN Cordero, Wil	MIN Zeile, Todd	MIN Mearns, Pat	MIN Schilling, Curt	MIN Hill, Ken	MIN Nagy, Charles
NYM	Pena, Tony	NYM McGriff, Fred	NYM Lansing, Mike	NYM Brosius, Scott	NYM Bordick, Mike	NYM Guzman, Juan	NYM Moyer, Jamie	NYM Daal, Omar
NYN	Rodriguez, Ivan	NYN Jefferson, Reggie	NYN McLemore, Mark	NYN Cirillo, Jeff	NYN Frye, Jeff	NYN Nomo, Hideo	NYN Sanders, Scott	NYN Valdes, Ismael
OAK	Matheny, Mike	OAK Bagwell, Jeff	OAK Knoblauch, Chuck	OAK Gaetti, Gary	OAK Renteria, Edgar	OAK Trachsel, Steve	OAK Hentgen, Pat	OAK Benes, Andy
SD	Wilson, Dan	SD Clark, Will	SD Cora, Joey	SD Alfonzo, Edgardo	SD Vizquel, Omar	SD Brown, Kevin	SD Belcher, Tim	SD Cone, David
SEA	Piazza, Mike	SEA Snow, J.T.	SEA Biggio, Craig	SEA Blowers, Mike	SEA Smith, Ozzie	SEA Fassero, Jeff	SEA Johnson, Randy	SEA Osborne, Donovar
STL	Kendall, Jason	STL Surhoff, B.J.	STL Veras, Quilvio	STL Castilla, Vinny	STL Weiss, Walt	STL Smoltz, John	STL Martinez, Pedro	STL Clemens, Roger
TOR	Servais, Scott	TOR Galarraga, Andres	TOR Vina, Fernando	TOR Palmer, Dean	TOR Castro, Juan	TOR Leiter, Al	TOR Appier, Kevin	TOR Leiter, Mark
	Left Field	Center Field	Right Field	Designated Hitter		Closer	Relief Pitcher	Relief Pitcher
ATL	Otero, Ricky	ATL Damon, Johnny	ATL McGee, Willie	ATL Duncan, Mariano		ATL Naulty, Dan	ATL Haynes, Jimmy	ATL Mathews, Terry
CUB	Sheffield, Gary	CUB Goodwin, Tom	CUB Mabry, John	CUB Nilsson, Dave		CUB Nen, Robb	CUB Mathews, T.J.	CUB Rojas, Mel
KC	Greenwell, Mike	KC Burks, Ellis	KC Nieves, Melvin	KC Belle, Albert		KC Bottalico, Ricky	KC Springer, Russ	KC Hernandez, Xavier
LA	Gonzalez, Juan	LA Lofton, Kenny	LA Floyd, Cliff	LA Franco, Julio		LA Fetters, Mike	LA Shaw, Jeff	LA McMichael, Greg
MIN	Bonds, Barry	MIN Hamilton, Darryl	MIN Eisenreich, Jim	MIN Fielder, Cecil		MIN Cook, Dennis	MIN Wickman, Bob	MIN Ayala, Bobby
NYM	Jordan, Brian	NYM White, Devon	NYM Buhner, Jay	NYM Johnson, Lance		NYM Radinsky, Scott	NYM Juden, Jeff	NYM Blair, Willie
NYN	Greer, Rusty	NYN McRae, Brian	NYN Grissom, Marquis	NYN Anthony, Eric		NYN Rivera, Mariano	NYN Bochtler, Doug	NYN Magnante, Mike
OAK	Salmon, Tim	OAK Davis, Eric	OAK Dye, Jermaine	OAK Giambi, Jason		OAK Mesa, Jose	OAK Maddux, Mike	OAK Mlicki, Dave
SD	Gonzalez, Luis	SD Finley, Steve	SD Williams, Bernie	SD Gwynn, Tony		SD Wohlers, Mark	SD Charlton, Norm	SD Powell, Jay
SEA	Sanders, Reggie	SEA Edmonds, Jim	SEA Walker, Larry	SEA Thomas, Frank		SEA Percival, Troy	SEA Park, Chan Ho	SEA Perez, Yorkis
STL	Bichette, Dante	STL Lankford, Ray	STL Alou, Moises	STL Rodriguez, Henry		STL Hoffman, Trevor	STL Borland, Toby	STL Wendell, Turk
TOR	Anderson, Brady	TOR Griffey Jr, Ken	TOR Ramirez, Manny	TOR Baerga, Carlos		TOR Brantley, Jeff	TOR Wetteland, John	TOR Guardado, Eddie

League Leaders as of This Morning

Min 3.1 Plate Appearances per Team Game

Batting Average	Team	AVG
1. Ken Caminiti	KC	.447
2. Ellis Burks	KC	.404
3. Tony Gwynn	SD	.392
4. Dave Nilsson	ChC	.381
5. Mark McGwire	MIN	.377
6. Bernie Williams	SD	.384
7. Roberto Alomar	ChC	.366
8. Steve Finley	SD	.354
9. Edgar Renteria	Oak	.348
10. Andres Galarraga	Tor	.347

Min 3.1 Plate Appearances per Team Game

On Base Percentage	Team	OBP
1. Ken Caminiti	KC	.550
2. Ellis Burks	KC	.521
3. Mark McGwire	MIN	.500
4. Bernie Williams	SD	.475
5. Dave Nilsson	ChC	.459
6. Tony Gwynn	SD	.458
7. Barry Bonds	MIN	.452
8. Walt Weiss	SL	.426
9. Albert Belle	KC	.423
10. Roberto Alomar	ChC	.419

Min 3.1 Plate Appearances per Team Game

Slugging Percentage	Team	SLG
1. Ken Caminiti	KC	1.021
2. Mark McGwire	MIN	1.000
3. Dean Palmer	Tor	.725
4. Albert Belle	KC	.712
5. Reggie Sanders	SEA	.700
6. Andres Galarraga	Tor	.674
7. Ken Griffey Jr	Tor	.636
8. Ellis Burks	KC	.632
9. Barry Larkin	ChC	.629
10. Scott Brosius	NYM	.628

Min 1 IP per Team Game

Earned Run Average	Team	ERA
1. Andy Ashby	SD	1.85
2. Kevin Brown	SD	1.85
3. Kevin Appier	Tor	2.25
Darryl Kile	SEA	2.25
5. Steve Trachsel	Oak	2.32
6. David Cone	SD	2.51
7. Pedro Martinez	SL	2.63
8. Donovan Osborne	SEA	2.74
9. Paul Quantrill	Oak	2.78
10. Jamie Moyer	NYM	3.12

Wins	Team	W
1. Kevin Appier	Tor	4
Pedro Martinez	SL	4
Steve Trachsel	Oak	4
4. 9 Players Tied		3

Losses	Team	L
1. Roger Clemens	SL	4
Mark Portugal	ChC	4
Alex Fernandez	All	4
Juan Guzman	NYM	4
Pedro Astacio	All	4
6. 7 Players Tied		3

Min 3.1 Plate Appearances per Team Game

On Base + Slugging	Team	OPS
1. Ken Caminiti	KC	1.571
2. Mark McGwire	MIN	1.500
3. Ellis Burks	KC	1.163
4. Albert Belle	KC	1.134
5. Reggie Sanders	SEA	1.073
6. Bernie Williams	SD	1.066
Andres Galarraga	Tor	1.066
8. Dean Palmer	Tor	1.059
9. Ken Griffey Jr	Tor	1.035
10. Barry Bonds	MIN	1.022

Runs	Team	R
1. Ken Griffey Jr	Tor	23
2. Brady Anderson	Tor	20
Roberto Alomar	ChC	20
4. Manny Ramirez	Tor	19
5. Brian Jordan	NYM	18
6. Barry Bonds	MIN	17
Jay Buhner	NYM	17
Steve Finley	SD	17
9. 3 Players Tied		16

Hits	Team	H
1. Andres Galarraga	Tor	33
2. Roberto Alomar	ChC	32
3. Edgar Renteria	Oak	31
4. Lance Johnson	NYM	30
Manny Ramirez	Tor	30
6. Tony Gwynn	SD	29
7. Walt Weiss	SL	28
Steve Finley	SD	28
9. 3 Players Tied		26

Saves	Team	SV
1. Trevor Hoffman	SL	6
2. Mike Fetters	LAD	5
Mark Wohlers	SD	5
4. Jose Mesa	Oak	4
5. Robb Nen	ChC	3
Troy Percival	SEA	3
7. 5 Players Tied		2

Blown Saves	Team	BISV
1. Bob Patterson	NYM	3
2. Mike Bielecki	SEA	2
3. 12 Players Tied		1

Innings Pitched	Team	IP
1. John Smoltz	SL	42.0
Curt Schilling	MIN	42.0
3. Pedro Martinez	SL	37.2
4. Al Leiter	Tor	37.0
5. Roger Clemens	SL	36.2
6. Kevin Appier	Tor	36.0
7. Tom Glavine	All	35.1
8. Pat Hentgen	Oak	34.1
9. Ken Hill	MIN	33.2
10. Mark Leiter	Tor	32.2

Doubles	Team	D
1. Andres Galarraga	Tor	11
2. Roberto Alomar	ChC	10
Lance Johnson	NYM	8
Steve Finley	SD	8
Manny Ramirez	Tor	8
6. 14 Players Tied		6

Triples	Team	T
1. Paul Molitor	All	3
2. 13 Players Tied		2

Home Runs	Team	HR
1. Mark McGwire	MIN	11
2. Dean Palmer	Tor	10
Jay Buhner	NYM	9
Ken Griffey Jr	Tor	9
5. Scott Brosius	NYM	8
Reggie Sanders	SEA	8
7. Barry Larkin	ChC	7
Ken Caminiti	KC	7
Albert Belle	KC	7
10. 4 Players Tied		6

Strikeouts	Team	K
1. John Smoltz	SL	54
2. Roger Clemens	SL	42
Pedro Martinez	SL	42
4. Curt Schilling	MIN	36
5. Hideo Nomo	NYM	35
6. Al Leiter	Tor	33
7. Randy Johnson	SEA	29
8. Jack McDowell	Tor	28
9. Jeff Fassero	SEA	27
Shane Reynolds	KC	27

Strikeouts Per 9 IP	Team	SP9
1. John Smoltz	SL	11.57
2. Hideo Nomo	NYM	10.62
3. Randy Johnson	SEA	10.58
4. Roger Clemens	SL	10.31
5. Pedro Martinez	SL	10.04
6. Jeff Fassero	SEA	9.59
7. Shane Reynolds	KC	9.35
8. Mike Mussina	KC	9.00
9. Omar Daal	NYM	8.44
10. Jack McDowell	Tor	8.13

Walks Per 9 IP	Team	BB9
1. Greg Maddux	LAD	0.67
2. John Smoltz	SL	1.29
Ismael Valdes	NYM	1.29
4. Jamie Moyer	NYM	1.38
Shane Reynolds	KC	1.38
6. John Burkett	ChC	1.52
7. Steve Avery	KC	1.69
8. Andy Ashby	SD	1.85
9. David Cone	SD	1.88
10. Roger Clemens	SL	1.96

Runs Batted In	Team	RBI
1. Mark McGwire	MIN	28
2. Albert Belle	KC	23
3. Ken Griffey Jr	Tor	22
4. Dean Palmer	Tor	21
5. Andres Galarraga	Tor	20
Jay Buhner	NYM	20
7. Fred McGriff	NYM	18
Eric Davis	Oak	18
9. 6 Players Tied		17

Stolen Bases	Team	SB
1. Dante Bichette	SL	10
Brian McRae	NYM	10
3. Kenny Lofton	LAD	9
4. Mark McLemore	NYM	8
Brian Jordan	NYM	8
Lance Johnson	NYM	7
7. Barry Bonds	MIN	6
Brady Anderson	Tor	6
Chuck Knoblauch	Oak	6
10. 4 Players Tied		5

Walks	Team	BB
1. Barry Bonds	MIN	19
Ken Griffey Jr	Tor	19
3. Jeff Bagwell	Oak	17
4. Mark McGwire	MIN	15
Barry Larkin	ChC	15
Walt Weiss	SL	15
Brady Anderson	Tor	15
Gary Sheffield	ChC	15
9. 3 Players Tied		14

Batting Average	Team	BA
1. Andy Ashby	SD	.157
2. Donovan Osborne	SEA	.175
3. Ramon Martinez	LAD	.179
4. Scott Sanders	NYM	.185
5. Steve Trachsel	Oak	.202
David Cone	SD	.202
7. Mark Clark	ChC	.205
8. Hideo Nomo	NYM	.215
9. Kevin Brown	SD	.217
10. Randy Johnson	SEA	.220

WHIP	Team	WHIP
1. Andy Ashby	SD	0.78
2. Donovan Osborne	SEA	0.91
3. David Cone	SD	0.98
4. Kevin Brown	SD	1.05
5. Steve Trachsel	Oak	1.06
6. Kevin Appier	Tor	1.11
7. John Burkett	ChC	1.14
8. Ismael Valdes	NYM	1.19
Shane Reynolds	KC	1.19
10. Tom Glavine	All	1.22

Home Runs Per 9 IP	Team	HR9
1. Greg Maddux	LAD	0.00
Andy Ashby	SD	0.00
3. Kevin Brown	SD	0.28
4. Jack McDowell	Tor	0.29
5. Jaime Navarro	ChC	0.36
6. Ramon Martinez	LAD	0.40
7. Doug Drabek	KC	0.47
8. Steve Avery	KC	0.56
9. Hideo Nomo	NYM	0.61
10. Curt Schilling	MIN	0.64