

# LEAGUE NEWS

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## Dan runs twice for 12, Ballbusters reels in a big one with 14-11 victory over Spartans!

It's always happens when you least expect it – a team ranked well below their opponent pulls a rabbit out of its hat, takes the match win, and depending on the long term outcome of the win, can be awarded either the Biggest Win of the Season or the Giant Killers Award. Ballbusters definitely posted a qualifier with last week's fight to the finish 14-11 match win over Spartans. Dan caught the biggest fish reeling in 4 from Vishal including 2 runouts which puts his runouts record at 12 while Bob, Dan and Don posted 3-point assists. The Bonecrusher ran the offense for Spartans picking up 4 points; Phoenix, Jateen and Khan doubled, and Viper added one, his 7th runout. Ballbusters will be looking to back-to-back Ws together with a win against Far Cues Tonight while Spartans matches up against the league's top team, Hot Shots.

## Twice perfect Jim leads One Bad Ass Team into 2nd place with 15-10 victory over Shaft!

With more win points in the standings than even the top ranked teams, all One Bad Ass Team has needed to do for several weeks is beat one of the top 3 teams on a night when another top ranked team lost and that's exactly what happened last week as they gave Shaft their 3rd loss of the season. They opened with a 4-1 advantage but Shaft quickly answered with 3 in the 2nd to close the gap to 6-4 at the top of the 3rd. One Bad Ass Team posted another 4-1 inning, added another 3 in the 4th for an early match win, and topped it off with 2 in the 5th for 15. You couldn't miss Jim who drove their offense with 4 points including 2 runouts while 3-point assists were put up Mike, Tom and Eddie, and Doug added 2. Rich led for Shaft with 3 points; Marty, Jim and Justin doubled, and Denis added one. Finding themselves ranked 2nd tonight, One Bad Ass Team isn't looking to give it up to 5th place TCB as Shaft, sans The Undertaker, shoots for a W against Lucky Shot.

## Brian sizzles for Hot Shots with 1st 5-pointer, 17-8 victory keeps them on top of the league!

The Aimless Bunch jumped out to an early 3-2 lead before Hot Shots cut their momentum short and scored 15 of the next 20 points and their 10th match win along the way. Brian came out strong picking up his 1st 5-game win to run the offense for Hot Shots followed by Walter and Mike with 3 each and Joe with 2, one of which was his 4th runout. Eugene, ranked 6th last week, had a terrific night edging out 5th place Joe, 3-2, which was paled only by an 8-ball break and scratch. Tonto and Sam, tanned and well rested from his recent trip to Florida, picked up 2 apiece, and Tim added one. Watch for an old-fashioned shoot out tonight between Hot Shots and Spartans, who's coming off a tough loss last week, while The Aimless Bunch looks to get some momentum going with a victory against Cues Gone Wild.

## Red Hot Double G pops 2 runouts but Lucky Shot rallies to score 14-11 match win!

Scoring 2 or more runouts in a match is newsworthy even if your team doesn't win. For that matter, scoring even 1 runout would be notable for most of us and even though Far Cues suffered a disappointing final round loss to Lucky Shot last week, Double G Gregg gets the nod for posting 2 runouts. Lucky Shot dominated the early rounds picking up a 7-3 lead but Far Cues rallied with 7 of the next 10 to tie it up 10-10 on the hill. Zaldy sparked a 4-point final round

drive for Lucky Shot that smoked out their 14-11 victory. Fitzy put Lucky Shot over the top with 4 points, Zaldy and Jim scored 2 each, and Mario and Tim split 4. Along with Gregg, Sin picked up 3 to lead for Far Cues while Ken and Bob doubled, and Cuz tapped in 1. As Lucky Shot readies for battle against Shaft tonight who's coming off a disappointing loss last week, Far Cues will set their sights on a W against Ballbusters.

## Chuck tags 5, Rack N Roll continues preparing for 1st big victory despite 21-4 L to TCB!

There's always something to be said to recognize a team who, despite not having won a match yet, remains upbeat and diligent in their desire to win. Rack N Roll is that team this season and we applaud them for their spirit and competitiveness. They love the game, play their best, improve their skills in the process, and help round out the league, and for that we appreciate them. Last week, by the time TCB swept the 3rd round against Rack N Roll, they'd racked up 12 points and were in need of just 1 point for the match win. Another perfect 4th round put them up 17-3 and another 4 in the 5th wrapped it up at 21-4. Chuck scored his 3rd 5-game win including his 5th runout to lead TCB's offense while Jim, Keith, and Ed added 4 each. Adrienne, Brian and Paul split 3 to keep them in the match. Two super offenses face off tonight as TCB matches up with One Bad Ass Team while Rack N Roll looks for their 1st win against Over The Hill.

## Jim gets best of Fred but Over The Hill shifts into high gear mid-match to win 14-11 thriller!

Offense was the name of the game in Cues Gone Wild vs Over The Hill last week and early on it looked questionable for Over The Hill who trailed Cues Gone Wild 4-6 after 2 rounds. That's when Over The Hill's offense went to work, sweeping the round to go up 9-6 and shifting the momentum to their side. After Cues Gone Wild scored 3 in the 4th round, Over The Hill bounced back with 3 in the 5th to take their 4th match win. Denis led for OTH with 4, Rich and Denis Jr. tripled with 1 runout each, Rich's 3rd and Denis' 1st, and Fred and Ron split 4. Jim and Tim led for Cues Gone Wild with 3 apiece including runouts for each of them, Jim's 6th and Tim's 2nd; the Daves tapped in 2 each, and Andy added one. Over The Hill gets ready to rumble with Rack N Roll tonight who's due for their 1st big win and Cues Gone Wild racks up opposite The Aimless Bunch which pits Eugene against fellow top ten shooter Jim.

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