

The WAKA Weekly

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Sex Panthers vs. First Cousins

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Hey party people! Welcome to Week 7 of kickball! Great job all around to the teams this past week. No complaints about tempers, calls, and bus sizes (at least, I didn't hear of any!). It also looks like teams, in general, played pretty well! I mean, if I heard correctly it sounds like First Cousins were even able to get on base a few times! Word! It also looks like Balls and Dolls didn't have quite the shut out thanks to Happy Hour's stellar defense. Awesome! All in all, it was a good week of kickball, which the editor missed out on thanks to a stupid school project or an internship assignment. Actually, it was probably traffic but *whatevs*. Of course, just because the games were cool doesn't mean there aren't any "issues" that need to be considered. Actually, that sounds bad. There's some stuff that we talked about at the Board of Directors (official!) meeting. Check 'em out!

- RULES: Ease up on the catcher crowding! Catchers must now be within a comfortable arm's distance away. Of course, any ruling is subject to the discretion of the ref., if needed. Basically, let's try to avoid getting too close for comfort, hmm?
- CONTROL YOUR FANS! 'Nuff said
- GOOD JOB to all the teams and players last year! We were able to raise more than \$350 in charity for the Amanda McPherson Foundation! Let's keep up the good work this year and shoot for even more – keep those beer cups flippin'!
- Congrats to Julian and Doug for winning the beer pong tourney on Tuesday. They scored some cool swag.
- RUMORS of a new park and bar? Keep on the lookout!
- END OF SEASON PARTY will be at the Arena at 9pm (date below). Be sure to purchase your raffle tickets, which will be available at Monday and Tuesday's games. Bring cash! There are a couple package options: 7 tix/\$5 or 14 tix/\$10. Also, if you buy \$10 worth of tickets at the party (10 tickets), you will get one free drink ticket! That means you're paying \$10 for a \$14 value! We are also looking for prizes for this raffle. So far, we've got salon and Arena & Cronies gift certificates, some nifty Founder's Cups tshirts, Peet's tea baskets and Starbucks coffee! Feel free to contact Arlyn (arlyn@kickball.com) or your team captain if you've got some goodies.
- We are spending Monday and Tuesday night at Cronies this week, so bring on the schooners!
- PLAYOFFS: Lastly, playoffs start November 21st. The 1st and 4th ranked teams will play at 10:30am, followed by the 2nd and 3rd ranked teams at 12:30pm. Meaning, lunch in between! HOORAY LUNCH!

Oh yeah, GO SEX PANTHERS!!! RAWWWWR...meow (Jeremy wrote this, not me. –Arlyn)

Important Dates!

- **Monday, Nov. 16th**: Make-Up Game – Same times at Rancho Simi Community Park
- **Tuesday, Nov. 17th**: Last regular season game
- **Saturday, Nov. 21st**: CA Mercury Playoffs – 10:30am (Bring water, sunscreen & shade protection)
- **Saturday, Nov. 21st**: CA Mercury End of Season Party & Charity Raffle – 9pm @ Arena

Here are the standings for the week. Good job, CA Mercury!

REGULAR SEASON SCHEDULE STANDINGS – Fall 2009 - Week 5									
Rank	Team	Wins	Losses	Ties	Forfeits	Points	RS	RA	Streak
4	First Cousins	0	6	0	0	0	7	63	L6
2	Sex Panthers	4	2	0	0	4	33	16	W2
1	Balls and Dolls	5	1	0	0	5	58	15	W3
3	Happy Hour	4	2	0	0	4	33	17	L2

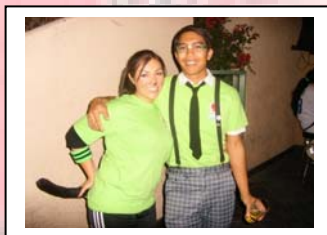
Here's a breakdown of what it all means:

RS = Runs Scored
RA = Runs Against

Win = 1 points
Tie = 0.5 point
Forfeit = -0.75 points

Rankings are based on wins, points, forfeits and runs against.

Halloween Costume Pictures. Very cool!



CA Mercury Fall 2009 Season Schedule								
1st Game Referees are Responsible for Setting up Equipment, 2nd Game Referees Clear Field								
7	Mon 11/16/2009	7:15 PM	First Cousins	Happy Hour	Field 3	Sex Panthers		
7	Mon 11/16/2009	8:10 PM	Balls and Dolls	Sex Panthers	Field 3	First Cousins	Balls and Dolls	
8	Tue 11/17/2009	7:15 PM	Balls and Dolls	First Cousins	Field 3	Happy Hour		
8	Tue 11/17/2009	8:10 PM	Sex Panthers	Happy Hour	Field 3	Balls and Dolls	Sex Panthers	
Playoff Schedule				(# of referees in parenthesis)				
1	Sat 11/21/2009	10:30 AM	Seed #1	Seed #4	Field 3	Seed #2 (2) & #3 (2)		
	Sat 11/21/2009	12:00PM	Lunch Break					
2	Sat 11/21/2009	12:30 PM	Seed #2	Seed #3	Field 3	Seed #1 (2) & #4 (2)		
3	Sat 11/21/2009	15 min after end of GM 2	Winner of GM 1 vs. Winner of GM 2		Field 3	Runner Ups of GM 1 & 2	Return to Rep	



Congrats to Julian and his partner Doug (Team FSU) for winning the Beer Pong tourney. They scored some cool swag! Tara and Amber were patrons who joined our tourney and donated money to our charity. Thanks for all of your support.

Toren of Balls and Dolls and Matt, Mike and Adam of Sex Panthers (not pictured) were all very serious in a relaxed way about the trivia machines.