

Father-Son Strat-O-Matic Story....Sort of...

I wanted to share my story, but there is a problem...I don't have any sons. I have two daughters, ages 10 and 13. Last year I was playing a game between the 2005 Rangers and 2005 Cubs when my girls came into the room. I asked if they wanted to play, expecting a "no thanks". Instead, they agreed, and each took one of the teams. Both have played softball and watched enough baseball to understand the basics of the game. So we rolled away for about an hour, with the Rangers' weak bullpen eventually succumbing to the Cubs' bats. A parent cherishes moments when the kids let you into "their world." This was a time I'll cherish when they agreed to come into "my world."

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