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"We do not stop playing because we grow old. We grow old because we stop playing."

I owned a bakery that caught on fire. My business is toast now.

Team	Won	Lost	Pct	GB	Runs	RA
Visionworks	30	3	.909	.0	501	315
M&N Sports	20	13	.606	10.0	511	463
IMEC	19	16	.543	12.0	461	442
Arts Painting	17	15	.531	12.5	392	415
Coleman Dental	17	15	.531	12.5	415	404
Family Realty	15	17	.469	14.5	419	460
Kittle Realty	15	18	.455	15.0	431	418
Joks Auto Repair	15	19	.441	15.5	439	442
Pine Street Diner	10	25	.286	21.0	421	530
Dr Dionne	9	26	.257	22.0	419	520

Date:08/18/2025	Time	e: 9:0		Weather: Sunny								
Teams	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	Н
Family	2	0	5	3	5	0	1	0	2		18	36
Dr Dionne	5	0	0	0	1	1	3	2	0		12	21

Headline: Family beats Dionne

Summary: Dionnes scored 5 runs in their 1st inning keyed by a Kevin Simoneau double. Family scored 5 runs in their 3rd keyed by a big Jeff Hendricks single. Family scored 3 runs in their 4th keyed by a Mike Smith double. Family scored 5 in their 5th keyed by doubles from Del Patton and Toke. Dionnes rallied for 3 runs in the 7th keyed by a Dave Sullivan double. 5+ Hits: Dave Ciampa(2B; 3R)

4 Hits: Kevin Simoneau(2B; 3R); Dave Tokanel(3 2B; 4R)

3 Hits: Paul Doherty(2B); Joe Martinoli; Paul Berard; Sandy Mooradian; Rich Rosen(2R); Del Patton(2B); Dan Jones; Jeff Hendrick; Bill Simmons

Home Runs:

Pitcher	W-L	R	Н	HR	BB	DP	5er
(A) Rich Rosen (3-2)	W	12	21	0	3	0	1
(H) Joe Martinoli (10-25)	L	18	36	0	2	0	2

Date:08/18/2025	Tim	e: 9:0	00		Weather: Sunny							
Teams	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	Н
Pine Street	1	4	0	1	1	1	0	0	0		8	25
IMEC	5	0	0	2	1	3	1	0			12	17

Headline: IMEC tops Pine Street

Summary: IMEC scored 5 runs in their 1st inning keyed by a Jack Gilhooly double. Pine Street tied the score at 5-5 in the 2nd inning scoring 4 runs keyed by a Dan McDonald. Now trailing 8-7 in the 6th, when Mike Hastings had a big single. Except for 1 inning, there were no innings with more than 4 hits

5+ Hits:

4 Hits: Butch Dunham(2R); Dan McDonald(3B; 2B)

3 Hits: Ken Bourque(2R); Austin Spinella; Bob Lavoie; Allen Czernicki

Home Runs:

Pitcher	W-L	R	Н	HR	BB	DP	5er
(A) Ken Bourque (2-6)	L	12	17	0	5	1	1
(H) Bob Lavoie (13-25)	W	8	25	0	0	0	0

Date:08/18/2025	Tim	Time: 10:30						Weather: Sunny							
Teams	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	Н			
Visionworks	3	1	0	5	4	0	0	2	1		16	28			
Joks	0	0	0	1	4	0	3	0	3		11	28			

Headline: Visionworks prevails

Summary: Visionworks scored 3 in their 1st at-bats keyed by doubles from Toke and Ken Bisson. In the 4th, Visionworks scored 5 runs keyed by Artie Brennan's oppo triple. In the 5th inning, Jim Muller lined oone over the rightfielder's head for a 3-run HR with 2 outs. Now trailing 13-1, Joks mounted their come back scoring 4 runs in the 5th inning keyed by a Mike Doolan double that sailed over the outfielder's head. Joks scored 3 in their 7th inning on 5 consecutive singles and big 2 out hit from Bob Royce. Joks rallied for 3 runs in the 9th keyed by a Don Kasper double, but too little, too late. Visionworks turned 3 doubleplays that killed off any chance for a big inning

5+ Hits: Artie Brennan(3B; 2R)

4 Hits: Bill Goudey(3R); Bob Royce; Ken Bisson(2 2B; 2R); Roland Provencher

3 Hits: Dave Sullivan(2R); Don Kasper(2B); Peter Zocco; Mike Doolan(2 2B); Max Macias(2B); Dave Tokanel(2B; 3R)

Home Runs: Jim Muller(5)

Pitcher	W-L	R	Н	HR	BB	DP	5er
(A) Charlie Howe (30-4)	W	11	28	0	2	3	0
(H) Bob Royce (8-8)	L	16	28	1	0	0	1

Peter Olson Trivia: What Hall of Fame pitcher has the Red Sox record 25 losses in a season?

Date:08/18/2025	Time	Time: 10:30					Weather: Sunny							
Teams	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	Н		
Arts	1	0	0	2	0	0	5	2	5		15	26		
Coleman	1	1	1	5	0	0	2	5	1			32		

Headline: Coleman squeaks out win in 9th

Summary: Coleman scored 5 runs in their 4th inning keyed by Mark Tremblay's double. Arts rallied for 5 runs in their 7th keyed by Thom Riley's double. Coleman scored a huge 5 runs in their 8th keyed by a Jack Gilholly triple. Arts rallied for 5 runs in their 9th keyed by a Lee hess double. Coleman pulled out the win when Buddy Wood doubled and Ed Longo scored all the way from 1st base and nearly collapsing.

5+ Hits: Mike Morgan(3B; 2R)

4 Hits: Mark Cockroft(2 2B; 3R); Thom Riley(2B); Mike Bahia(2R)

3 Hits: Gerry Vye; Lee Hess(2B; 2R); Jack Gilhooly(3B; 2B); Gary Atkinson(2B; 2R); Dave Couture; George Abood(2B; 2R);

Buddy Wood; Mark Margulis(2R)

Home Runs:

Pitcher	W-L	R	Н	HR	BB	DP	5er
(A) Thom Riley (13-11)	L	16	32	0	1	0	1
(H) Ed Longo (15-14)	W	15	26	0	1	1	2

What's the call, Ump? This play recently happened The situation is runners on 1st and 3rd with two outs. Hank lines one to center that Willie misplays and the ball is rolling to the fence. Hank smells HR and turns 2nd and runs to 3rd without actually touching 2nd. And with the bad throw, Hank races all the way home. Both the 2Bman and SS are calling for the ball and both are saying Hank missed 2nd. Appeal play, and Hank is ruled out. 3 outs. Now the question becomes does runner that was on 1st base run count?

This is a timing play, and since the runner had already scored before the appeal, he is safe. Had it been a force out anywhere, no runs would have been counted.

8/20/25 - Rain



Date:08/22/2025	Time: 9:00						Weather: Sunny							
Teams	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	Н		
Kittle	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	3		7	20		
IMEC	1	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	1		8	22		

Headline: IMEC edges Kittles in 9th

Summary: A game no one wanted to win. IMEC scored 3 runs in their 4th to take a 7-2 lead when Jonny Peterman's double was the big hit. John Brun's triple in the 9th was the catalyst for 3-run inning to tie the score at 7-7. But in the bottom of the 9th, IMEC loaded the bases and Tom Boland singled to end the game. 5+ Hits:

4 Hits: Barry Bertwell(3 2B; 2R)

3 Hits: Joe Martinoli; Mike Ford; Tom Boland; Austin Spinella; Jim Muller(2B)

Home Runs:

Pitcher	W-L	R	Н	HR	BB	DP	5er
(A) Joe Martinoli (10-26)	L	8	22	0	0	1	0
(H) Ken Bourque (3-6)	W	7	20	0	3	1	0

Date:08/22/2025	Tim	Time: 9:00					Weather: Sunny								
Teams	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	Н			
Joks	0	1	0	1	1	3	0	0	3		9	21			
Visionworks	1	1	5	0	1	2	0	4	0		14	29			

Headline: Visionworks tops Joks

Summary: Visionworks took a commanding 7-1 lead in the 3rd inning, scoring 5 runs on 6 singles and big hits from Dave Couture and Luis Arzeno. Joks scored 3 runs in their 6th inning with clutch singles from Steve Trubacz and Peter Zocco. Visionworks scored 4 runs in their 8th keyed by a Roland Provencher triple. Joks scored 3 runs in the 9th with a big 2 out single from Bob Wogan. Visionworks converted 4 double plays and that will dampen anyone's rally.

5+ Hits: Dave Tokanel(3 2B; 4R)

4 Hits: Dave Ciampa; Gary Cook(3R); Bob Royce

3 Hits: Roland Provencher(3B; 2R); Bruce Botelho; Charlie Howe; Dave Couture; Bill Goudey; Steve Trubacz; Peter Zocco(2R)

Home Runs:

Pitcher	W-L	R	Н	HR	BB	DP	5er
(A) Bob Royce (8-9)	L	14	29	0	5	0	1
(H) Charlie Howe (31-4)	W	9	21	0	1	4	0

Date:08/22/2025	Tim	Time: 10:30			We	Weather: Sunny						
Teams	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	Н
M&N	2	0	2	3	2	3	5	0		0	17	28
Pine Street	4	0	1	0	0	1	1	2	6	0	15	28

Headline: M&N wins slugfest

Summary: Pine Street took a 4-2 lead in the 1st inning keyed by a Dan McDonald double. M&N took a 7-5 lead in the 4th inning keyed by Joe Lamy's triple. M&N scored 3 runs in the 6th keyed by a Bill Moccia single. M&N took a commanding 17-6 lead in the 7th inning, scoring 5 runs keyed by big singles from Joe Lamy and Cam Boyd. Pine Street didn't die quietly, scoring 6 runs in the 9th on 7 singles and big singles from Butch Dunham, Dan McDonald and Jerome St. Germain. But the game ended with a double play with the tying runners on base. M&N elected not to bat in their 9th. 5+ Hits: Dan McDonald(2B; 3R)

4 Hits: Bob Royce(2R); Allen Czernicki(2B)

3 Hits: Bob Wogan(3R); Larry Kittle(2B; 2R); Mike Bahia(3R); Bill Moccia; Jerome St. Germain; Frank Willey(3R); Danny Birck(2B); Joe Lamy(3B; 2R); Cam Boyd

Home Runs:

Pitcher	W-L	R	I	HR	BB	DP	5er
(A) Bob Royce (9-9)	W	15	28	0	0	1	1
(H) Bob Lavoie (13-26)	L		28	0	0	0	1

Date:08/22/2025	Tim	Time: 10:30			We	Weather: Sunny						
Teams	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	Н
IMEC	0	0	0	1	0	4	3				8	18
Arts	4	0	1	0	1	2	1		0		9	18

Headline: Arts wins in 7th

Summary: A rare doubleheader with 2 different teams on 2 different fields. Arts scored 4 runs in the 1st inning keyed by Gerry Vye's triple. After only able to muster 5 hits in the 1st 5 innings, IMEC exploded for 7 hits in the 6th, scoring 4 runs keyed by back-to-back doubles from Jack Gilhooly and Barry Bertwell. IMEC scored 3 in the 7th to tie the score at 8-8 keys by a big single from Ken Bourque. In the bottom of the 7th, Rusty was the hero with a game winning triple. 5+ Hits:

4 Hits:

3 Hits: Jack Gilhooly(3B; 2B; 3R); Barry Bertwell(2 2B); Jim Muller; Gerry Vye(3B; 2R); Owen Smith(2B) Home Runs:

Pitcher	W-L	R	Н	HR	ВВ	DP	5er
(A) Ken Bourque (3-7)	L	9	18	0	2	0	0
(H) Thom Riley (14-11)	W	8	18	0	1	0	0

Records head to head

Team	Pct	Total	Arts	Coleman	Dr Dionne	Family	IMEC	Joks	Kittle	M&N	Pine Street	Visionworks
Visionworks	.909	30~3	4~0	4~0	4~0	4~0	1~2	3~1	3~0	3~0	4~0	
M&N	.606	20~13	1~2	2~2	4~0	2~1	3~1	2~2	2~2		4~0	0~3
IMEC	.543	19~16	2~2	2~2	4~0	1~3		1~3	3~1	1~3	3~1	2~1
Arts	.531	17~15		0~2	2~2	2~1	2~2	2~2	3~1	2~1	4~0	0~4
Coleman	.531	17~15	2~0		3~1	2~2	2~2	2~1	2~1	2~2	2~2	0~4
Family	.469	15~17	1~2	2~2	2~1		3~1	3~1	2~1	1~2	1~3	0~4
Kittle	.455	15~18	1~3	1~2	2~2	1~2	1~3	3~1		2~2	4~0	0~3
Joks	.441	15~19	2~2	1~2	3~1	1~3	3~1		1~3	2~2	1~2	1~3
Pine Street	.286	10~25	0~4	2~2	2~2	3~1	1~3	2~1	0~4	0~4		0~4
Dr Dionne	.257	9~26	2~2	1~3		1~2	0~4	1~3	2~2	0~4	2~2	0~4

6/4/2025 M&N vs. Family ended in a tie.
7/16/2025 Coleman vs. Kittle ended in a tie.
7/30/2025 Coleman vs. Arts ended in a tie.
8/13/2025 IMEC vs. Visionworks ended in a tie.
8/1/2025 Family vs. Dr Dionne was rained out with no make-up.
8/1/2025 Arts vs. M&N was rained out with no make-up.
8/1/2025 Coleman vs. Joks was rained out with no make-up.
8/1/2025 Visionworks vs. Kittle was rained out with no make-up.
8/20/2025 Coleman vs. Arts was rained out with no make-up.
8/20/2025 Joks vs. Pine Street was rained out with no make-up.
8/20/2025 Kittle vs. Family was rained out with no make-up.
8/20/2025 M&N vs. Visionworks was rained out with no make-up.

Runs, Hits, HRs

Team	Won	Lost	Pct	GB	Runs	Hits	HRS	RA	Opp Hits	Opp HRs	Dif Runs	Dif Hits	Dif HRS
Visionworks	30	3	.909	0.0	489	838	15	303	633	5	186	205	10
M&N	20	13	.606	10.0	496	860	3	448	834	12	48	26	-9
IMEC	19	16	.543	12.0	449	798	8	430	839	2	19	-41	6
Arts	17	15	.531	12.5	384	745	7	407	759	9	-23	-14	-2
Coleman	17	15	.531	12.5	396	790	6	385	762	5	11	28	1
Family	15	17	.469	14.5	404	773	2	445	800	10	-41	-27	-8
Kittle	15	18	.455	15.0	420	776	7	407	815	8	13	-39	-1
Joks	15	19	.441	15.5	439	839	7	442	800	4	-3	39	3
Pine Street	10	25	.286	21.0	421	820	8	530	891	6	-109	-71	2
Dr Dionne	9	26	.257	22.0	419	836	8	520	942	10	-101	- 106	-2

Pitchers

Pitcher	Pct	W	L	G	R	Н	HRS	BB	GIDP	5er	RA
Charlie Howe	.886	31	4	36	358	750	3	60	36	20	9.94
Bob Waters	.634	26	15	42	532	1013	14	18	45	36	12.67
Ed Longo	.517	15	14	31	372	736	6	23	15	24	12.00
Thom Riley	.560	14	11	26	304	605	7	24	13	18	11.69
Bob Feldmann	.591	13	9	22	273	542	0	26	12	21	12.41
Bob Lavoie	.333	13	26	39	562	970	7	91	28	41	14.41
Joe Martinoli	.278	10	26	36	524	966	13	18	20	34	14.56
John Brun	.500	9	9	18	229	458	4	12	12	11	12.72
Bob Royce	.500	9	9	18	213	412	3	30	17	12	11.83
Dan Jones	.353	6	11	17	247	439	3	24	7	17	14.53
Mike Albano	.417	5	7	14	180	345	5	37	3	13	12.86
Max Macias	.357	5	9	14	207	341	2	37	11	17	14.79
Rich Rosen	.600	3	2	6	84	156	3	7	6	3	14.00
Jerry Ferullo	.375	3	5	8	142	210	5	39	2	16	17.75
Ken Bourque	.300	3	7	10	126	228	1	19	4	7	12.60
George Abood	.500	1	1	2	26	46	0	9	0	1	13.00
Bill Moccia	.000	0	1	1	23	34	0	0	0	0	23.00

Home Runs

Player	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Total
Dave Tokanel	3	5	4	1	0	13
Jack Gilhooly	0	2	5	0	0	7
Rusty Schwarzenberg	3	1	1	0	0	5
Bill Goudey	1	0	3	1	0	5
Dan McDonald	2	2	0	1	0	5
Steve Kelliher	0	1	4	0	0	5
Jim Muller	0	1	2	2	0	5
Barry Bertwell	2	0	1	1	0	4
Alan Barnard	0	0	4	0	0	4
Bob Lamontagne	1	0	2	0	0	3
Mike McDevitt	0	1	2	0	0	3
Bob Waters	0	0	3	0	0	3

5-hit Club leaders

Player	5Hits
Dave Tokanel	7
Rick Norton	6
Ed Patterson	4
Bob Wogan	4
Mike Perrone	4
Steve Kelliher	4
Butch Dunham	4

3-hit games leaders

3-hit games leaders				
Player	3Hits	4Hits	5Hits	Total
Dave Ciampa	18	12	3	33
Dave Tokanel	10	13	7	30
Bob Waters	12	16	1	29
Ed Patterson	17	7	4	28
Dave Sullivan	16	9	3	28
Bob Royce	13	12	2	27
Bob Wogan	12	9	4	25
Rick Norton	7	11	6	24
Mike Perrone	14	6	4	24
Steve Kelliher	11	8	4	23
Gerry Vye	14	8	1	23
Jack Gilhooly	11	8	3	22
Kevin Simoneau	10	9	3	22
Barry Bertwell	11	8	2	21
John Brun	13	6	2	21
Mike Morgan	12	7	2	21
Greg Gougian	13	5	2	20
Danny Birck	13	6	1	20
John Remillard	15	4	1	20
Butch Dunham	10	5	4	19
Gary Atkinson	13	4	2	19
Dan McDonald	13	5	1	19
Ken Bisson	14	4	1	19
Mark Cockroft	6	12	1	19
Paul Doherty	12	6	0	18
Bob Pelletier	11	3	3	17
Dave Roy	8	6	3	17
Bob Lamontagne	12	3	2	17
Don Clark	8	7	1	16
Ken Nagle	8	7	1	16
Mike Bahia	12	4	0	16
Mike Smith	12	4	0	16
Roland Provencher	12	4	0	16
Perry Delisle	10	3	2	15
Dave Couture	9	5	1	15
Jerry Lazaris	5	9	1	15
Jim Hall	6	8	1	15
Larry Kittle	8	6	1	15
Tom Boland	12	2	1	15

Trivia Answer:



Matrimony was probably the first union to defy management. -Red Ruffing



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