

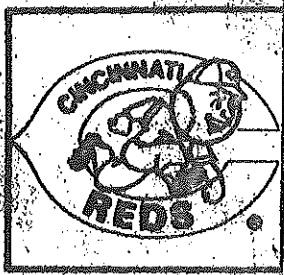
DEAL SYNAGOGUE SOFTBALL LEAGUE

SCORE BOARD

Golden Jets	8		G. Q.	6
Z Flyers	5	(1st Game)	Partiers	4 (1st Game)
Golden Jets	11		Partiers	15
Z Flyers	9	(2nd Game)	G. Q.	5 (2nd Game)
Crunch	11		S. Y. Angels	8
Delta Force	2	(1st Game)	Squeeze Play	3 (1st Game)
Delta Force	15		S. Y. Angels	15
Crunch	8	(2nd Game)	Squeeze Play	4 (2nd Game)

STANDINGS:

	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>Runs</u>	<u>Runs Against</u>
S. Y. Angels	2	0	27	7
Golden Jets	2	0	19	14
Crunch	1	1	19	17
Partiers	1	1	19	11
Delta Force	1	1	17	19
G.Q.	1	1	11	19
Gemals Pals	0	0	0	0
Z Flyers	0	2	14	19
Squeeze Play	0	2	7	23



GOLDEN JETS SHOOT DOWN Z FLYERS

The Jets came from behind in the 1st game to tie the game at 5 - 5 with key hits from Eli Haddad and Sammy Big. Then in top of the sixth Elliot Gindi drives in two as the Jets go on to win 8 - 5. The 2nd game saw the Flyers get out to an early lead only to see the Jets roar back again to tie it and send it to extra innings. Mitchell Gemal's hitting and pitching and Victor Zilberman's clutch fielding saved the day as the Z Flyers blew opportunities to ice the game in the 8th and 9th innings.

S. Y. ANGELS CUT DOWN SQUEEZE PLAY 8 - 3 and 15 - 4

The 1st game had both teams locked in scoreless tie with pitching and defense dominating as they went to the bottom of the sixth.

Gary Erani comes up with 2 on and launches a shot into left center for a 3-run homer giving Squeeze Play the lead and a chance to take the game in the top of the 7th, but Ikey Dweck singles to start the inning and a big rally as Ikey Franco follows with a bullet into the left centerfield gap for a 2-run home run. Now down by only one run a single-double and an intentional walk load the bases. Blimp hits one off the pitcher's glove to tie the game at 3. Then with the bases still loaded a misplay in short center on a ground ball scores another run. Bases still full. Elliot Betesh breaks it open with a bases-clearing triple and later scores on an error by the Capt. Final - 8 - 3.

Angels continue their hot hitting in second game with home runs by Ikey Dweck, Elliot Betesh and Zaki Mishan's awesome blast for a grand slam. Final score 15 - 4.

G. Q. AND PARTIERS SPLIT A PAIR

In 1st game G. Q. scores 2 in 1st inning as Stevie Kattan triples to drive in 1 and scores on a sac fly by Moses. The Partiers come back and take the lead at 4 - 2 on key hits by Harry Catton, Joey Braha and Elliot Braha. In the 4th inning G. Q. bounces back to tie the game on a single ground run double by Morris Shalom and a sac fly to right center which scores both runners on a bad throw home that got by the catcher. With the game tied at 4 Kattan and Swed team up on a throw home and a play at the plate to stop a run in the 5th. Partiers try to score again in the 6th with 1st and 2nd and no outs, but Bobby Dweck makes leaping catch on screaming line drive up the middle and

steps on second base for an unassisted double play. G. Q. takes lead in bottom of the 6th on an Eli Gindi double which scores 2 - then holds off Partiers attack in 7th with 2 on and 2 out. Morris Shalom grabs hot smash down the line and stops on 3rd to end game. Final G. Q. wins 6 - 4.

In game 2 the Partiers get off to a fast start and never look back - as David Ashkenazie's triple starts a big inning in which 12 men come to the plate. Elliot Braha has big game going 5 for 5 including a home run - Joey Braha goes 4 for 5 and Fred Nesser chips in with 2 key hits for 3 RBI's. Their defense shined in the 4th as Ashkenazie makes diving stop on bullet down the 3rd base line and throws to Jack Shriqui who makes a long-stretch and comes up with the ball. Final score 15-5.

CRUNCH AND DELTA FORCE SPLIT

After seeing the Red Crunch winning the 1st game we definitely have to change our prediction on this team. Picciotto looks like he never loses a step with numerous hits and a 400-foot triple to the deepest part of right center. I. Betesh with 2 HR's and Eddie Grazi provide a lot of punch in lineup. Even Jackie Ashkenazi chipped in with a HR (I mean HOMERUN) to right center. But the one who really makes the difference is the shortstop. The ex-1982 Chevrolet is now a full-fledged 1986 gold-plated Rolls Royce with all the equipment. An average day for him is a super day for anybody else. . . . 2 HR's, 6 RBI's, 4 hits and flawless play at short - Eddie Mishan can play with anybody in any league.

However, in the second game Red faltered badly walking too many people. Danny Erani clobbered Red for 5 hits including a HR. Mark Beda, a triple and a HR, Eddie Zonana and Jason Cohen (who looked very good) also homered as Delta Force blasted the Crunch 15 - 8 in the second game. The outstanding catch of the day was made by Jimmy Haber.

However, it didn't surprise us as we saw his father make that same play routinely years ago. Haber looks like a tremendous all-around player and is a valuable acquisition for Delta Force.

HOMERUNS FOR THE WEEK

E. Mishan	- Crunch	2	Gary Erani	- Squeeze	1	1
I. Betesh	- Crunch	2	I. Dweck	- S.Y. Angels	1	1
J. Ashkenazi	- Crunch	1	I. Franco	- S.Y. Angels	1	1
R. Dweck	- Crunch	1	E. Betesh	- S.Y. Angels	1	1
D. Erani	- D. Force	1	Z. Mishaan	- S.Y. Angels	1	1
J. Cohen	- D. Force	1	E. Braha	- Partiers	1	1
E. Zonana	- D. Force	1				
M. Beda	- D. Force	1				

A Few Observations

Note to S. Y. Angels. When I played in Brooklyn, when the bases are loaded and a ground ball is hit the runner on 3rd takes off for the plate. He does not stay on 3rd to see if the ball goes through the infield. I mean I never saw that even in the Pee-Wee League. The only reason that blunder didn't hurt you was because Ronnie Gindi seemed to have made up his mind to hand you the game on a silver platter.

Golden Jets look a lot better with Mitchell Gemal on their team. Mitchell is a veteran and can help them at the plate and on the mound. Now if Yogi blows up the Jets don't have to suffer through 4 or 5 walks in a row.

Gemal's Pals will make their debut this week in the 1:00 game with the whole league watching since all other games finish at 1:00.

Aside from Haddad Bros. and a few young players most of these aging veterans are still trying to oil up their aching and rusty bones from the long, cold winter. It's almost a crime that the schedule makers chose to put the Pals in the glare of the spotlight the 1st time out of the gate. Let's hope they show up. (Marty says they will).

The answer to last week's mystery man is. . .

MORRIS S. ASHEAR

This week's mystery man is what is known in baseball as a "Ballplayers Ballplayer". One of the best all-around players this league has ever seen. He can run, hit, field and throw. He dominated opposing teams for years and instilled such fear in his enemies that he was simply called "The Dominater".
The answe next week . . .

SCHEDULE -APRIL 20th

Field

Dow "A"	Z-Flyers	vs	G. Q.	10:00
Dow "B"	Golden Jets	vs	Crunch	10:00
Dow "C"	Partiers	vs	Squeeze Play	10:00
Dow "A"	Delta Force	vs	Gemal's Pals	1:00

S. Y. Angels - week off

NOTE: All 1:00 games from now on will be on Dow Avenue