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DCKickball Capital Conference

Week Three: May 9-10, 2007

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Last Week's Results

>1.4 Miles 7, Bad News Barristers 1
DC Detention 1, Freqs 0
Here for the Beer 10, Campesinos 7
Thick Femur 5, AA-Team 2
Your Mom's Team 22, APCO All Stars 0
Team Lush 2, YTBD 1
Sloppy Seconds 4, Red Rovers 1
Big Kids 5, Balls Optional 0

Weather Forecast

This week's weather is brought to you by Weather Girl Laura T., aka Polly Pants My Ass from the Big Kids.

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I am happy to report that the sun will be partly shining this week for kickball. The downside – the lack of rain means the pollen count is waaaaay up. From the sounds of it, Wednesday and Thursday could be a sneezefest on the Mall. Maybe even a few upsets? Doubtful. So pop the Claritan/Benadryl/Alavert. Long sleeves or a jacket might be a good idea as the temp drops in the evening. This will be a great week for kickball.

Wednesday

PARTLY CLOUDY

Hi: 76

Low: 61

Chance of Rain: 20% dropping to 10% in the evening

Humidity: 63%

UV Index: 8 – Very High

Sunset: 8:08 p.m. (three extra minutes of kickball time this week)

Winds will be 8-9 mph from the southeast

Chance of a hit by a howitzer: HIGH

Thursday

PARTLY CLOUDY

Hi: 80

Low: 62

Chance of Rain: 20%

Humidity: 63%

UV Index: 8 – Very High

Sunset: 8:09 p.m.

Winds will be 6-11 mph from the southeast

Chance of ending up in the drunk tank with Ty Pennington: Sadly, for this weather girl, very, very low.

This Week's Match-Ups

Once again, we include a wagering line and expert picks to the match-ups. JP (aka The Bookie) has drawn the lines. They are for entertainment purposes only – not real wagering. Pickers this week include Scott (aka ScottPockets) and Marc (aka Mountaineer Dude).

WEDNESDAY, MAY 9

>1.4 Miles vs. DC Detention (-3)

6:30 p.m.

Field A

Umps: BNB, Femur

DC Detention stands to lose its spot as the "second- or third-best Wednesday team" if the Higher-than-a-Milers keep coming on strong. The good news for DCD is that they always have their grainy-camera-phone-video-filmmaking career to fall back on.

MD: Milers

SP: Milers

Campeños vs. AA-Team (-3)

6:30 p.m.

Field B

Umps: Freqs, HftB

Campeños were a little big scary last week, no? Must be a little early Cinco de Mayo charm or something like that. Unfortunately, the big cultural event this week is the 65th birthday of former U.S. Attorney General John Ashcroft, so we're gonna have to go with AA-Team this time around.

MD: AA-Team

SP: 'Sinos

Bad News Barristers vs. Thick Femur (-5)

7:15 p.m.

Field A

Umps: 1.4, DCD

Returning champs Thick Femur blah blah blah. Bad News Barristers are looking to rebound after blah blah blah. We all know where this game is going. So let's make it interesting. A challenge! We will give Thick Femur's most notorious man-bunter one crisp American dollar if he can play the entire game without man-bunting. (And a side bet for the rest of the world: We bet you a dollar that we end up keeping that dollar.)

MD: TF

SP: TF

The Freqs vs. Here for the Beer (-2)

7:15 p.m.

Field B

Umps: 'Sinos, AAT

The Freqs – despite having a recruit from last year's championship Femur team – were shut out last week, while HftB scored the second-most points of any team. It sounds like a one-sided match-up, yes. But seriously, who cares? Kickball schmickball. "The Freqs vs. Here for the Beer" is something that belongs on a flip-cup marquee! The table is where the real fight will happen this week.

MD: Freqs

SP: HftB

THURSDAY, MAY 10

Sloppy Seconds vs. Big Kids (-2)

6:30 p.m.

Field A

Umps: BO, TL

After seeing the Sloppy Seconds trash-talk and rattle the ever-resourceful Rovers last week, we wondered if Big Kid leader JP was worried this week, so we picked up the phone and we called him on his Jitterbug. Here's what he had to say: "Hello? ... Hello? ... Hello?"

MD: SS

SP: BK

Your Moms Team (-6) vs. Red Rovers

6:30 p.m.

Field B

Umps: YTBD, APCO

What have we here? It's the annual ketchup-and-mustard match-up – in which the Rovers try to ketchup with Your Mom's Team on the field while YMT tries to mustard the courage to approach the flip-cup table. Ah! We relish the thought of it. (Why are you groaning? Lettuce have our pun.)

MD: YMT

SP: RR

Balls Optional vs. Team Lush (-4)

7:15 p.m.

Field A

Umps: SS, BK

What wears purple and has a Viking hat? ... No, it's not that Minnesota end-zone super-fan guy. It's Team Lush, and they are quickly turning around their record. What's pink and has been scored on 12 times in the past two weeks? ... Uh, no. We're talking about Balls Optional, dammit! They need a win. Could this be their week? If not, here's hoping they at least score something somehow ... somewhere.

MD: TL

SP: TL

YTBD (-4) vs. APCO All Stars

7:15 p.m.

Field B

Umps: YMT, RR

Last week, as we were listening to YTBD belt out Cranberries tunes in the basement of the 18th Amendment, we wondered, "What ever happened to the Cranberries?" And then we wondered "Are YTBD perhaps not as tough as we first imagined?" Sadly, this is not the week to determine YTBD's toughness. They are going up against the gentle APCO All Stars, who were held scoreless last week in a 22-0 trouncing by Your Mom's Team. The good news is that APCO worked up a thirst, which meant they were guaranteed to be at the bar last week. The bad news is that there were Cranberries tunes in the jukebox.

MD: YTBD

SP: YTBD

Kickball Classifieds

Roommate Wanted

Bethesda apartment with room to rent! Share, spacious 2bd/1ba apartment with fellow female kickballer in the heart of Bethesda. Large, sunlight common areas, 11'x12' bedroom, large closet. Location within 10 minute walk to Bethesda or Medical Center Metro stations; 495 and 270 are easily accessible. \$634 rent plus county parking permit (all utilities included). Room available June 1. Email mebeckley@gmail.com for more information.

Roommate Wanted

Clarendon townhouse with room to rent! Kickballer moving out of beautiful townhouse filled with great, responsible, clean, fun 20-30-something roommates. Large common areas, 9'x11' bedroom, guest room/office, 3.5 baths (room shares full bath with 1 male roommate who travels a lot). 6 blocks to Clarendon Metro, 8 to Courthouse. \$704 rent plus 1/4 utilities (we have a monthly cleaning person too). Room available June 1. Email hilary.gazzola@accenture.com for more information!

Job Opportunities

Sure, so the APCO All Stars may not be off to the greatest start this season, but you might be able to help change that! APCO Worldwide is a DC-based, global communication consultancy and we are hiring! If you're on the job market, then we should chat – and that means you could possibly be wearing lime green next year and be playing for the APCO All Stars. We have opportunities for communications professionals as well as corporate/operations positions with a special need for accounting and finance pros. APCO, recently named "2006 PR Agency of the Year" by PR Week and a "Great Place to Work" by Washingtonian Magazine, offers a collegial work environment, an award-winning training program, opportunities for international exchanges, and a competitive compensation and benefits package. Interested in learning more? Contact Jessica Lee at jlee@apcoworldwide.com or visit our website at www.apcoworldwide.com.

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