

Week 7 Recaps by:  
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### Rolling Thunder vs. Entourage - Game 1

**Eatontown, NJ-** With Entourage already having clinched a playoff spot, Allie Marshall announces he is going against his team first attitude and going for stats. Says Allie...."I've been a team player my whole professional career, now I am going to think of myself for a change. I want to win the MVP, which I haven't done since I won it in Tidewater in '97. Rolling Thunder needed a win to qualify for the playoffs and Gindi says...."Lets go out there and have fun. There's no pressure... If you make an error, don't worry....You'll be watching the game from the bench.".....Top 3<sup>rd</sup>,,,,,Gazz Jemal leads off with a single, Moses singles, Norwood drives in a run with a single to make it 1-0. Marshall singles home a run to make it 2-0. Both pitchers were cruising in the scorching heat until the bottom of the 6<sup>th</sup>....Henry and Gindi lead off with singles, RayDay walks to load the bases, rookie Abie Cohen singles to left center t drive in 2 runs. Michael Fallas drives in a run with a ground out and Michael Edery drives in a run with a sac fly to make it 4-2. Top 7<sup>th</sup>.....Entourage goes down in order to give Rolling Thunder the victory and a berth in the playoffs. **Final Score: Rolling Thunder 4 - Entourage 2**

### Rolling Thunder vs. Entourage - Game 2

**Eatontown, NJ-** With both teams having clinched a playoff spot, this game was basically meaningless. Moses calls his team over and says...."Boys, Boys, I need a big favor from you guys. It is so hot out here. I know I always tell you about not drinking Gatorade, but I am salivating for one right now. Please do not rat me out to the Rabbi's.".....He looks over to Maurice Haber and says...."Especially you Maurice, because everybody knows you can't keep a secret.".....Says Maurice...."Sorry Moses, I can't help you out. If the Rabbi's ask me, I am going to tell them the truth, because as you know....My name is Maurice Haber, and I NEVER LIE!!!"....Nagar announces that if Rolling Thunder wins the championship, they are going to use his bus for the parade around Elberon....Bottom 1<sup>st</sup>....Sonny singles, Henry singles, David Gindi singles home a run, Rayday doubles home 2 more runs, and Abie Cohen singles to make it 4-0. Marty Gemal, making his first start since the 1979 World Series, when his Gemal Pals team beat Jaws, was rusty and says as he walks off the mound..."Wow, it's not as easy to come back after 27 years as I thought."...Bottom 4<sup>th</sup>....Fallas leads off with a single, Chuck singles, and Sonny drives in a run with a single to make it 5-0. 4<sup>th</sup> inning for Entourage....Mo Shamah singles,

Marshall walks, Maurice singles home a run and Albert Edery drives in 2 runs with a single to make it 5-3. Henry hits a solo shot to make it 6-3. Top 6<sup>th</sup>...Chucky singles and scores on a Sifu double to make it 7-3. Jack Abady singles in a run to make it 8-3. RayDay and Nagar single home runs in the 7<sup>th</sup> to make it a 10-3 game. Bottom 7<sup>th</sup>....Maurice singles, Edery walks, Sakkal singles to load the bases, Gazz walks in a run and Lenzo, signed earlier in the day to a 10 Minute contract drives in a run with a groundout to make it 10-5. **Final Score: Rolling Thunder 10 - Entourage 5**

### Denny Crane vs. Hustlers - Game 1

**Eatontown, NJ-** This was the match-up to determine the last playoff spot for the 2006 season. All Denny Crane had to do was win one game. Hustler's needed to sweep and beat Yedid 3 times in a row going back to last weeks game 2 victory. Bailey call the team over and says....."Guys, we own Yedid. The guy is bifledged of our team. With guys like me, Nathan, Braka, and Salomon, that's murderer's row.....Yedid was asked by YMSL beat writers about Bailey's speech and says...."First of all, my son Jakie could strike that guy out. A guy of my stature shouldn't have to answer that non sense. I've got bigger fish to fry."....Yedid calls his team over and says...."Guys, let's finish these clowns off in game one so we can have fun and dahak in game 2. They have guys in their team trash talking who I could strike out with a whiffle ball.".....Ira raises his hand and says...."Ike, I hate to keep asking you, but what the hell does dahak mean. Is that the meat pizza you keep telling me about?".....Bottom 1<sup>st</sup>.....Elliot Betesh and Nathan lead off with doubles to give the Hustler's a 1-0 lead. Zvi follows with an rbi single, Braka triples to mak3 it 3-0. Sabon follows with a sac fly rbi to make it 4-0. Eddie Hakim and David Rishty follow with singles, Eli Haddad follows with 2 run triple, ..Shomer walks, Elliot Betesh follows with his 2<sup>nd</sup> hit if the inning t make it 7-0. Nathan doubles in another run to make it 8-0 Hustler's. Sabon tells Oved on the way to the mound....."Can you hold a f\*\*\* 8 run lead?"....Oved responds...."I'll try, but I don't have the usual zip on my fastball today."...Elliot Betesh triples home 2 runs in the 3<sup>rd</sup> to give Hustler's a 10-0 lead. ..Oved kept Denny Crane off balance with his 2 pitches.....Slow,,,,,and Slower.....Top 4<sup>th</sup>...Sammy Tawil drives in a run on a sac fly to get Denny Crane on the board and make it 10-1. Jared adds a solo homer in the 6<sup>th</sup> to make it 10-2. Yedid takes himself out of the game in the scorching heat....Bailey tells his team...."You see oyzbays, we own the l-gay. I never hakee balash."....Bottom 6<sup>th</sup>...Nathan doubles, Zvi singles him home with a single, Matalon singles, Sabon doubles home a run, Eddie Hakim and David Rishty follow with RBI singles to close out the scoring and give the Hustler's a 14-2 victory. **Final Score: Hustlers 14 - Denny Crane 2**

### Denny Crane vs. Hustlers - Game 2

**Eatontown, NJ-** The whole season came down to one game. Winner advances to playoffs, loser goes home for the summer. Jo Jo asks Nathan if he can address the team before the big game...Nathan tells him....."Sure; go ahead, whats your name again?"....David Louie says he has a plan to beat the other team....Says Louie....."I am going to heckle the other pitcher. I learned this chant at my sons pee wee game....it goes..."We Want a Pitcher, Not a Belly

Itcher.'....or if that doesn't work....I am going to chant.....HIGH....LOW....HIGH...LOW....that always gets the pitcher rattled."....Top 1<sup>st</sup>....Elliot Betesh singles and scores on a ground out from Braka to give Hustler's a 1-0 lead. ..Bottom 1<sup>st</sup>...Eddie Rishty leads off with a single, Jared walks, Mishan singles to load the bases, Sammy Tawil drives in a run with a sac fly... Yedid singles home a run to make it 2-1. Albert Levy walks with the bases loaded to force in a run and Zvi Goder drives in a run on a sac fly to make it 4-1 Denny Crane. Top 3<sup>rd</sup>....Oved and Elliot Betesh lead off with singles, Nathan drives in a run with a single, but is thrown out trying to stretch it into a double, "Dude" Braka drives in a run with a sac fly to make it a 4-3 game. Bottom 3<sup>rd</sup>....Yedid singles and scores on a single by Albert Levy to make it 5-3. Both pitchers settled down and score remained the same until the 7<sup>th</sup>. Eli Haddad leads off with a triple to left center, Shomer doubles over Albert Levy's head to cut the Denny Crane lead to 5-4. Oved flies out, Elliot Betesh follows with a game tying RBI single to right field to tie the game. Nathan and Zvi follow with singles to load the bases for Braka...He works out a walk on a full count to put Hustler's ahead 6-5...Sabon singles home 2 runs to make it 8-5. Last chance for Denny Crane....Mishan leads off with a single, Sammy Tawil flies out and Yedid grounds into a double play to end the game and the season for Denny Crane as the Hustler's earn the final playoff spot by amazingly beating Yedid 3 straight time. **Final Score: Hustlers 8 - Denny Crane 5**

### **Danger Zone vs. Cream & The Clear - Game 1**

**Eatontown, NJ-** This game was so meaningless, Lee Zekaria was allowed to make out the line-up. Freddie allows Hoss to address the team for the final games of the year.....Says Hoss..."I, I, I just want to say how proud I am to be on this team. I've never played with a better group of guys. Goat, before Freddie threw him out, was a great captain. Red was a great pitcher, even though I hate Happy Days. NRJ is a great hitter, even though he has no hits this year. I just want to say thanks for letting me be a part of this last place team."....Says Richie Braha...."And they say I'm burnt."..Top 1<sup>st</sup>....Ike Gemal singles and scores on a Buca double to make it 1-0. Bottom 1<sup>st</sup>....Michael Beyda singles, Jason Cohen singles, Jason Sultan triples home 2 runs, Zeke follows with a single to make it 3-1. Bottom 3<sup>rd</sup>.....Jason Cohen singles, Zeke and Michael Rishty follow with rbi doubles, Abie "Yacht Club" Saka follows with a 2 run homer to make it 7-1. Top 5<sup>th</sup>...Buca and Dash lead off with singles, Bash doubles home 2 runs to make it 7-3. Bottom 6<sup>th</sup>....Lee Zekaria, yes Lee Zekaria believe it or not, doubles home 2 runs to make it 9-5. Richie Braha and Buca drive in runs for Danger Zone to close out the scoring in this sleeper. **Final Score: Cream & The Clear 9 - Danger Zone 5**

## Danger Zone vs. Cream & The Clear - Game 2

**Eatontown, NJ-** The crowd for this game was overflowing with excitement. The umpires were anxious to see if they would be witnessing history.....The reason??.....Could Norman R, Jemal go a whole season with out getting a base hit?....Says NRJ...."I am so flattered that everybody came out to see me in this historic occasion. However, I really feel good, and I believe I am going to get a ball out of the infield this game. I haven't done that since Opening Day." Top 1<sup>st</sup>.....Michael Beyda singles, Jason Cohen triples him home, Jason Sultan drives in a run with a sac fly, Michael Rishty and Abie "Ocean 1" Saka double home runs to make it 4-0. Lil Zeke drives in a run with a sac fly to make it 5-0. Bottom 3<sup>rd</sup>.....Solly doubles, Red singles, and NRJ steps to the plate to a standing ovation. He tips his hat to the crowd and points to 2<sup>nd</sup> base. First pitch, he cracks over centerfielder Jason Cohen, who was playing alongside the 2<sup>nd</sup> baseman, for a 3 run homer to end his season long drought. Security surrounded the fan who caught the ball and brought him into the Danger Zone dugout for pictures with NRJ.....The fan, identified as Tyrone Williams, 10, of Eatontown wanted a autographed bat from NRJ...Asked why he wanted one of NRJ's bats, young Tyrone replied...."Because, they are brand new. They have no dents in them. I might be an abid, but I ain't no idiot."...The game resumed and Ike Gemal follows with a triple and then another YMSL record took place as Goat, R.B., Buca followed with back to back to back homers to make it 7-5 Danger Zone. Dash follows with a double, Bash singles, Hoss singles home a run to make it 8-5. Bottom 4<sup>th</sup>...Freddie and Goat lead off with singles, Richie triples home 2 runs, Buca drives in a run with a sac fly and Dash follows with a solo homer to make it 13-6. Jason Sultan triples home 2 runs, Zeke triples Jason Sultan home, Michael Rishty singles home a run to make it 13-12. Richie singles home a run in the 6<sup>th</sup> to make it 14-12. Bottom 7<sup>th</sup>...Matut and Mandil single with 1 out, but Red retires Lee and Sollie to mercifully end the game and the season for the Danger Zone organization. **Final Score: Danger Zone 14 - The Cream & The Clear 12**