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NEWSLETTER FOR TX FREEDOM LEAGUE

A DIVISION OF WAKA

WEEK ONE

SPRING 2014



BEST PARTIES. BEST GAMES. BEST FRIENDS

FEB
26TH

First Theme Night
Crazy Hats and Socks Night!
Wear your most interesting assessories

UPDATE

With the season start set back a week,
the Mid-Season Party gets moved back
too. Free beer and a scavenger hunt at
RedRock Bar and Grill!

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Event](#)

MAR
21ST

APR
2nd

Second Theme Night
TBD

End of Season Party
TBA

DATES

SCORES

Wednesday, February 19th, 2014

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Game 1

 The RED Team	3	Final
 Pitches Be Crazy	2	
Ref: ReVamp		

 We'll Spot You Five	2	Final
 Kick in a Box	2	
Ref: Mixed Nuts		

 DRINKERS	0	Final
 Bojangles	4	
Ref: Pitches Be Crazy		










 THE BEASTIE BALLS	0	Final
 Mixed Nuts	5	
Ref: We'll Spot You Five		

 ReVamp	21	Final
 Kick Tease	0	
Ref: Kick In a Box		

RULE OF THE WEEK - STRIKE ZONE

1.02 The strike zone is a three-dimensional irregular pentagon based on the shape of home plate and is one (1) foot in height. The front of the zone aligns with the front of home plate. The sides of the zone extend one (1) foot to either side of the plate. The back edges of the zone are one (1) foot from the back sides of the plate (see Diagram 4). The strike zone may not be marked by cones or other raised objects.

STANDINGS

#		<u>GP</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>Pts</u>	<u>Pct</u>	<u>RA</u>	<u>RF</u>	<u>RD</u>	<u>RAA</u>	<u>RFA</u>	<u>GE</u>	<u>PF</u>
1	 Bojangles	1	1	0	0	1.00	1.00	0	4	+4	0.00	4.00	0	0
1	 Mixed Nuts	1	1	0	0	1.00	1.00	0	5	+5	0.00	5.00	0	0
1	 ReVamp	1	1	0	0	1.00	1.00	0	21	+21	0.00	21.00	0	0
4	 The RED Team	1	1	0	0	1.00	1.00	2	3	+1	2.00	3.00	0	0
5	 Kick in a Box	1	0	0	1	0.50	.500	2	2	0	2.00	2.00	0	0
5	 We'll Spot You Five	1	0	0	1	0.50	.500	2	2	0	2.00	2.00	0	0
7	 Pitches Be Crazy	1	0	1	0	0.00	.000	3	2	-1	3.00	2.00	0	0
8	 DRINKERS	1	0	1	0	0.00	.000	4	0	-4	4.00	0.00	0	0
9	 THE BEASTIE BALLS	1	0	1	0	0.00	.000	5	0	-5	5.00	0.00	0	0
10	 Kick Tease	1	0	1	0	0.00	.000	21	0	-21	21.00	0.00	0	0

BAR GAMES

Game: Flip Cup					
Team	Full Team	Participation	Total From	Total	Weekly
Name	10Pts	5 pts	Game	Points	Rank
Bojangles	10	5	50	65	1
DRINKERS	10	5	20	35	2
Kick in a Box	0	5	30	35	2
Kick Tease	0	5	0	5	7
Mixed Nuts	0	0	0	0	9
Pitches B C	10	5	0	15	4
ReVamp	0	5	0	5	7
The Beastie B	10	5	0	15	4
The RED Team	10	5	0	15	4
We'll Spot You 5	0	0	0	0	9

Red Rock

Bar



Grill

Featured food item of the week:

Quesadilla - your choice of beef, chicken or BBQ brisket that comes with sour cream and salsa. Pro Tip: throw some pico de gallo inside to spice it up! This item is featured on our WAKA Kickball specials for only \$5

Beverage pairing - I enjoyed this one with a side of Coors Light, Shiner Bock, and a Crown and Coke.



Cale Photo Caption Contest

Happy 30th birthday to our league president Cale Gillum! In honor of his birthday we are going to have a “caption this” contest on Facebook. Use the comment section to post your most creative captions! Winner will get a shot Wednesday at RedRocks!

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What came first, the kickball team or the chicken restaurant? Did the awesomeness of a kickball team inspire Jack Fulk and Richard Thomas to open a chain of quick service chicken restaurants in the southeast? If you ask the interwebs, the restaurant.



While this Bojangles team doesn't dish out 3 piece meals with fries and a biscuit to our opponents, we've been serving up defeats to them on a regular basis. The Bojangles name and kickball team dates back to the dawn of TX Freedom, but this current Bojangles incarnation was formed in the fall of 2012. Each season we've had the pleasure and great fortune to add new Jangles into the fold. Which we've done again. We are happy to welcome veteran kickballers Justin Girard, Beto Recio, Lindsay Anderson, and Chris Walker to our team. Longtime Bojangle Zane Reif makes his triumphant return to the fields after two seasons off.

Spring 2014 looks like it will be another successful season of tailgating, drinking, and getting after it on the fields. These 15 teammates and friends of mine have made each season more fun and more successful than the previous one. I look forward to many more seasons with these Jangles!

DID YOU KNOW?

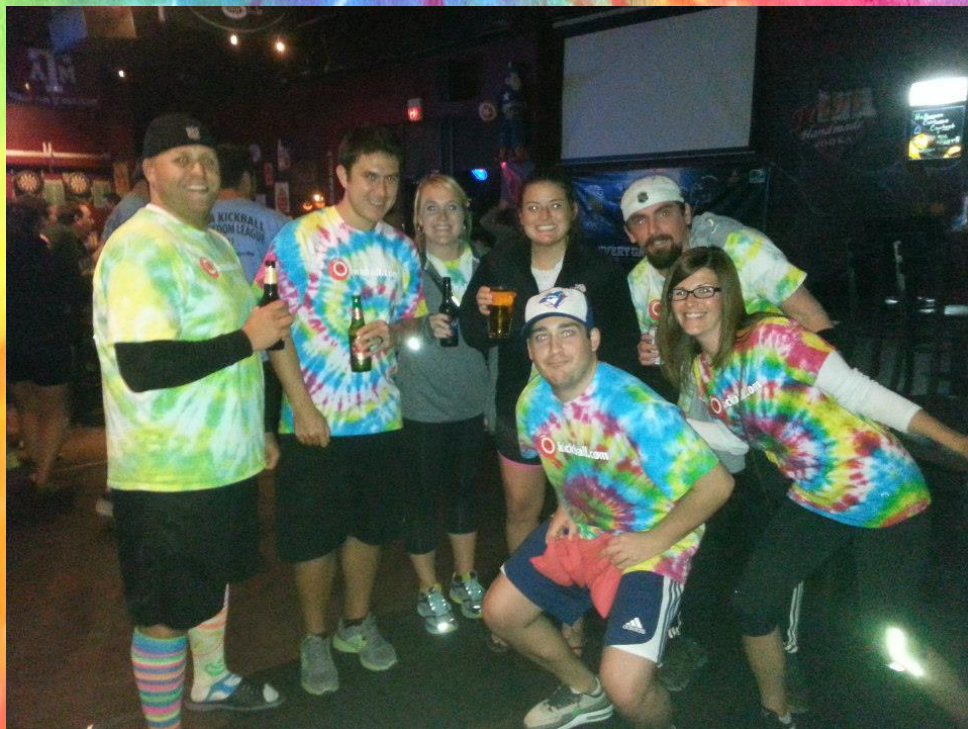
THE "I" IN DRINKERS IS ACTUALLY A LOWERCASE L BECAUSE WAKA THINKS "DRINKERS" IS AN INAPPROPRIATE TEAM NAME. C'MON, WE'RE JUST TRYING TO REMIND PEOPLE TO STAY HYDRATED!



a.k.a.

DRINKERS WITH A KICKING PROBLEM

THIS WILL BE THE DRINKERS' SECOND SEASON WITH TX FREEDOM. WE ARE A SEASONED TEAM THAT KNOWS HOW TO HAVE A GOOD TIME ON AND OFF THE FIELD. WE HAVE THE MOST ECLECTIC MUSIC AND COLORFUL SHIRTS IN THE LEAGUE!





Kick in a Box

Hey! We're 'Kick in a Box'!! This is our 2nd season in the TX Freedom league and we're ready to go! Y'all might remember us from last year

when our team was named 'Oops, I Waka'd'. Like many teams, we thought a slightly more provocative team name would do us some good. We're also hoping that JT and Samberg will catch wind of the name and come down to Josey Athletic Complex to show a little support.

Last year we made it allllll the way to the semis of the end of the year tournament where we lost a hard fought match. Several of us have been playing on the winter circuits to tweak our games a little bit. When not travelling the world to play against kickball's best, we've been having film watching sessions of every team to analyze weaknesses. Needless to say, we'll be ready!!

We also finished second in bar games in a last second tiebreaker. But we plan to regain the throne that we so proudly hoisted two years ago when we won the bar games.

Jeff Jackson is our fearless captain. They say he once kicked a ball so hard, the ball quit the game before making it over the fence. One team saw Jeff score two runs in the same at bat. Jeff is the one who put the original Kick... into the Box! He doesn't always play kickball, but when he does he plays for 'Kick in a Box'.

No matter how we do out there on the field, we'll finish #1 in fun. We're a no muss, no fuss, fun loving team that'll support each other no matter how many errors we make.

We'll see you out on the fields!



The Beasts of P.B.C

Name - Brian Harrington

Alias - 'The Snake Whisperer'

Origin - Unknown

Talents - Scoring runs when no one else can.

Trivia - awesome dog, drives the best car make ever.



Name - Michael Cardenas

Alias - 'Thor'

Origin - somewhere in the galaxy I think.

Talents - fly in from the sky to rebound a catch attempt off another player for the out

Trivia - catches the ball in full sprint, no slowing down.



reVAMP was back on the fields Wednesday night since hoisting the trophy last November and produced a 21-0 offensive rout over Kick Tease. The team dominated on both sides of the ball as they get prepped and ready for travel tournament season.

Mike Pond was the game's MVP pitching a shutout game in 3 innings of work. "Just another day in the office," Pond said with a smile.

While every player scored the offensive MVP goes to Josh Hodsdon, recording his usual grand slam kick. This is the first time anyone has seen this man since the Broncos lost the super bowl in the first play of the game.

Next week - Pitches Be Crazy.....

BEASTIE

Now....

Here's a little story I'd like to tell about three bad brothers
you know so well.

It stated way back in history with T-money, M.C.Erika and
me, Brandon B.

I joined the Summer season, with Texas Tornado.
And always got beat cuz my team was quite lame-o.
Texas Freedom now my home, since Fall 'thirteen,
With a bunch of co-workers fillin' out my team.
We finished 4 and 6. Not bad for us rookies,
Having shit loads of fun, sippin' punch, and gett'n scraped
knees.

Now it's Spring fourteen and we are looking quick dope.
Got a handful of newbies. Mad skills? I hope!

Planning to meet you on field and at the bar,
From our pitch black shirts, you'll know who we are.
If we beat you in a game, or you don't like my calls,
We can settle it over beers. We're the Beastie Balls!

BALLS



09-25-2013

Meet the Red Team. You can find us on the field wearing blue. Not to be confused with the team wearing red. We are a team combined of oldies & newbies. This means some of us have been around the 'ol kickball fields a season or two... or three...or from the beginning of time. And some of us are going to be taking our very first kick this season. We may not have won the Kickball Season last year, but we did take home the Bar Games Trophy. So we may need to work on our home runs but certainly not how we flip a cup! We have a super hero as a coach, a commish for a pitcher and a bionic man that runs the field. Again, we are the Red Team... wearing blue. It's not confusing.



We'll Spot You Five is a team on a mission. We return many of our All Stars from last year's runner up team. In addition we have added a myriad of kickball phenoms, some coming to us from Fort Worth, and others from the soccer field.

Dennis and Megan will provide unrivaled, electric speed at the top of the lineup to cruise around the bases. Grant, both Scotts, Justin, Andrew, Daniel, Trent, Eric, and Rod will provide the thump in the middle of the lineup to drive in runs early. Brittany, Brook, Tara, Emily, and Glenda will provide a solid group of all star girls to help push us over the top. Finally, Dennis will be throwing gas from the mound that will leave other teams shaking their heads.

We are looking forward to some excellent competition and a great time to be had by all!

