

Tuesday 2013.01.15

Fall 2012 FLakey Awards

A1. Highest Rated Players – THIS SEASON (top 10)

Brumley, Joe	14.76
Lerner, Gary	14.25
Mullen, Dan	14.04
Hawkins, Steve	13.99
Gregory, Mike	13.97
Fagala, Matt	13.76
Roddy, Dan	13.69
Hertlein, Jonathan	13.28
Freed, Justin	13.10
Ray, Kevin	12.93

Congratulations **Joe**.

Points are based on a system that tracks wins and losses giving higher credit for higher courts. The stats of subs don't count toward the points for each player. So whether you had a sub, or you served as a sub, those points don't affect your season points results (and aren't included in the #games above either).

A2. Highest Rated Player – Top Player in PAST SEASONS

All Time Top Ratings (since 2008.Summer)

	Top	
<u>Season</u>	<u>Rating</u>	<u>Player</u>
2008.2	14.77	Matt Fagala
2008.3	14.81	Chris Hahn
2009.1	14.43	Chris Hahn
2009.2	14.40	Tom Strutz
2009.3	14.41	Chris Hahn
2010.1	15.25	Chris Hahn
2010.2	14.51	Matt Fagala
2010.3	14.49	Kevin Ray
2011.1	14.17	Matt Fagala
2011.2	13.43	Gary Lerner
2011.3	14.69	Steve Hawkins
2012.1	14.82	Steve Hawkins
2012.2	14.18	Joe Brumley (played just twice)
	13.66	Canaan Sonnenschein
2012.3	14.76	Joe Brumley

A3. ARE YOU READING THIS ???

I've received relatively little feedback on the Flakeys in the past. So, to gauge interest level, I'm giving ONE American Dollar, that's \$1.00, to the FIFTH person that eMails me saying he saw this item in the Flakeys. Even if you're first reading this one month after posting, let me know. Maybe you'll get the \$1.

B. Most Improved (based on change from prior season's ratings or, if a new player, initial expectations)

Lerner, Gary	+1.22
Yudovich, Zev	1.00
Gregory, Mike	0.98
Fagala, Matt	0.70
Brumley, Joe	0.57

Great job guys.

Eight of the 35 players ended up with rankings higher than before (or than expected), the top five of which are shown above. And 27 of our 35 players had rankings lower than before (or than expected). Evidentially, my initial expectations (based mostly on prior season results) were too high, I guess.

C1. Highest Win Percentage (all courts) - THIS SEASON

Mullen, Dan	55.8%
Niemann, Billy	55.7%
Liscio, John	55.6%
Hawkins, Steve	55.0%
Brumley, Joe	54.7%
Gregory, Mike	54.4%
Lerner, Gary	53.6%
Roddy, Dan	53.3%
Anson, Don	53.3%
Romero, Alberto	53.1%

Not to detract from Dan's accomplishment here, but per the all-time list below, 55.8% is the lowest top win% ever. This speaks, I think, to the overall parity in the level of play.

C2. Top Win Percentage (all courts) - PAST SEASONS

All Time Top Win Percentages (since 2008.Summer)

	Top	
<u>Season</u>	<u>Win%</u>	<u>Player</u>
2008.2	60.0%	Ed Sher
2008.3	60.0%	Chris Hahn
2009.1	56.3%	Billy Niemann
2009.2	57.4%	Gary Lerner
2009.3	58.2%	Eric Wonsidler
2010.1	60.7%	Chris Hahn
2010.2	61.7%	Gary Lerner
2010.3	65.0%	Dan Meshoto (played only twice)
	58.8%	Alberto Romero
2011.1	61.4%	Eric Wonsidler
2011.2	56.0%	Gary Lerner
	56.0%	Michael Wieser
2011.3	56.7%	Tom Strutz
	56.7%	Steve Hawkins
2012.1	56.7%	Gary Lerner
2012.2	68.3%	Joe Brumley (played only twice)
	57.0%	Harish Sundaram
2012.3	55.8%	Dan Mullen

D1. Most Wins in a Given Round by Court (includes subs) - THIS SEASON

shown for each is the week number and player name as "(w#:player)"

Round 1

Court 5 - 10 games (6:Lerner, Gary)
Court 6 - 10 games (7:Lerner, Gary)
Court 7 - 10 games (2:Niemann, Billy 6:Mullen, Dan)
Court 8 - 10 games (9:Meyer, Ben)
Court 9 - 12 games (9:Niemann, Billy)

(First perfect score in 4 years.)

Round 2

Court 5 - 14 games (4:Lerner, Gary)
Court 6 - 13 games (15:Freed, Justin 10:Lerner, Gary 14:Gregory, Mike 5:Hawkins, Steve 6:Witkiewicz, Joe)
Court 7 - 15 games (11:Roddy, Dan)
Court 8 - 14 games (2:Strutz, Tom)
Court 9 - 15 games (12:Kaiser, Larry)

D2. Most Wins in a Given Round by Court (includes subs) - ALL TIME RECORD

[ALL TIME RECORD or at least since Summer 2008 (represented below by 2008.2)]

Round 1

Court 5 - 11 games (Nick Kruse 2008.2)
Court 6 - 11 games (Wieser 2008.2, Michelson 2009.3, Mullen 2010.1, Fagala 2010.3)
Court 7 - 12 games (Dan Mullen 2008.3)
Court 8 - 11 games (Rehma 2008.3, Niemann 2009.1, Yudovich 2009.3 and 2011.1)
Court 9 - 12 games (Billy Niemann 2012.3)

Round 2

Court 5 - 15 games (Chris Hahn 2010.1 and 2010.1, Fagala 2010.2, Danny Levy 2011.3)
Court 6 - 15 games (Dann Mullen 2009.2, Canaan Sonnenschein 2010.2)
Court 7 - 16 games (Niemann 2009.2, Wichlenski 2009.2, Sonnenschein 2010.1, Hahn 2011.3, Michelson 2012.1, BLevy 2012.2)
Court 8 - 16 games (Paul Harris 2009.1, Todd Gaughan 2010.1)
Court 9 - 16 games (Jon Michelson 2011.1)

E. Most Versatile ... or Most Nomadic

Spent at least this much of his time on 3 different courts

30.0% Witkiewicz, Joe
30.0% Bedell, Joey
25.0% Bommer, Terry
22.9% Ray, Kevin
22.9% Niemann, Billy

Spent at least this much of his time on 4 different courts

16.7% Roddy, Mark
16.0% Michelson, Jon
12.8% Sundaram, Harish
10.0% Weber, Doug
7.7% Ritter, Doug

F. Miscellaneous Awards [remember - nominations are welcome]

- o "Anson/Bufalo" award (Most Frequent Sub) –
Don Anson - NINE times. Second prize Larry Kaiser 5 times
- o Most philanthropic (most times got sub) – Rudi Husar (6 times out of 9 scheduled)
- o Easiest to know if he's playing that night: – Zev Yudovich
- o Do as I say, not as I do" award: Joe Brumley for saying: "Stop spinning that ball on your serves, You're not allowed to do that!"
- o Most recent new offspring award: – Matt Fagala ... (congratulations)
- o Best recruiter of 2012: – Mark Roddy
- o Most likely to be a hero (emergency sub or fill-in): – Mike Wieser ... (thanks!)

Thanks folks for the suggestions.

Congratulations to all the FLakey winners.