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Summer 2016 FLakey Awards

Note: To be eligible for awards A, B, or C, a player has to have played at least 3 times (for himself, not as a sub). Despite this rule, results below include results while playing as a sub.

X↓ = not eligible

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

Urshan, Andrew	14.40
Sonnenschein, Canaan	14.18
X Olagbegi, Charles	14.06
Nolan, Tim	13.57
Compton, Greg	13.50
Fagala, Matt	13.46
Meyer, Ben	13.29
X Edsen, Jerry	12.44
Michelson, Jon	12.29
X Wieser, Mike	11.94

Congratulations once again to **Andrew** as the winner of the summer season's Urshan/Lerner Award.

Congratulations too to **Canaan** as the silver medal winner again! (aka the "Non-Urshan Award").

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. [FYI, if you're really curious about this, I do have ratings and results available that include "as-a-sub" results.]

A2. Highest Rated Player – Top Player in PAST SEASONS

All Time Top Ratings (since 2008.Summer)

Top		
Season	Rating	Player
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	13.66	Canaan Sonnenschein
2012.3	14.76	Joe Brumley
2013.1	14.36	Gary Lerner
2013.2	13.74	Gary Lerner
2013.3	14.75	Gary Lerner
2014.1	14.77	Gary Lerner and Kevin Ray
2013.2	13.96	Gary Lerner
2014.3	14.48	Canaan Sonnenschein
2015.1	14.88	Andrew Urshan
2015.2	14.33	Andrew Urshan
2015.3	15.16	Andrew Urshan
2016.1	15.06	Andrew Urshan
2016.2	14.40	Andrew Urshan

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

X Edsen, Jerry	+4.06
Brewer, Chip	2.70
Compton, Greg	2.48
Michelson, Jon	1.61
Anson, Don	0.97
Meyer, Ben	0.84
X Gregerson, Will	0.76
Michelson, Edie 'Blue'	0.59
Michelson, Randy	0.59
Weber, Doug	0.47

Great job guys.

Eighteen of the 29 players ended up with rankings higher than before (or than expected), the top ten of which are shown above. And 10 of our 29 players had rankings lower than before (or than expected).

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

Roddy, Mark	61.1%
Urshan, Andrew	57.4%
X Olagbegi, Charles	56.7%
Freed, Justin	56.7%
Sonnenschein, Canaan	54.7%
X Edsen, Jerry	54.2%
X Wieser, Mike	53.4%
X Hughes, Bill	53.3%
Michelson, Jon	53.0%
Levy, Bob	52.7%

Mark played only 3 times .
Nonetheless, the first >61% win
percentage since 2011 is
impressive.

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

All Time Top Win Percentages (since 2008.Summer)

Top		
Season	Win%	Player
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	58.8%	Alberto Romero
2011.1	61.4%	Eric Wonsidler
2011.2	56.0%	Gary Lerner, Mike Wieser
2011.3	56.7%	Steve Hawkins, Tom Strutz
2012.1	56.7%	Gary Lerner
2012.2	57.0%	Harish Sundaram
2012.3	55.8%	Dan Mullen
2013.1	58.9%	Gary Lerner
2013.2	57.2%	Canaan Sonnenschein
2013.3	60.7%	Gary Lerner
2014.1	60.6%	Kevin Ray
2014.2	58.9%	Gary Lerner
2014.3	55.0%	Mike Gregory
2015.1	58.3%	Jerry Edsen
2015.2	57.6%	Andrew Urshan
2015.3	57.5%	Andrew Urshan
2016.1	58.3%	Andrew Urshan
2016.2	61.1%	Mark Roddy

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 - 9 games (7:Urshan, Andrew 3:Nolan, Tim 12:Urshan, Andrew)
Court 6 - 10 games (3:Meyer, Ben 9:Meyer, Ben 6:Urshan, Andrew)
Court 7 - 10 games (12:Wieser, Mike)
Court 8 - 11 games (7:Roddy, Mark)
Court 9 - 11 games (4:Anson, Don 2:Michelson, Edie 'Blue')

Round 2

Court 5 - 14 games (6:Urshan, Andrew)
Court 6 - 13 games (13:Michelson, Jon)
Court 7 - 13 games (3:Fagala, Matt 2:Niemann, Billy 10:Freed, Justin)
Court 8 - 15 games (12:Michelson, Jon 3:Rees, Trevor)
Court 9 - 15 games (13:Levy, Bob)

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, Tim Nolan 2016.1)
Court 6 - 11 games (Wieser 2008.2, Michelson 2009.3, Mullen 2010.1, Fagala 2010.3,
Nopachai 2013.2)
Court 7 - 12 games (Dan Mullen 2008.3)
Court 8 - 11 games (Rehma 2008.3, Niemann 2009.1, Yudovich 2009.3 and 2011.1,
MRoddy 2016.2)
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,
Tim Nolan 2015.1, Andrew Urshan 2016.1)
Court 6 - 16 games (Canaan Sonnenschein 2013.2, Tim Nolan 2015.2)
Court 7 - 17 games (Fagala 2013.2)
Court 8 - 16 games (Paul Harris 2009.1, Todd Gaughan 2010.1)
Court 9 - 16 games (Jon Michelson 2011.1, Yudovich 2015.1)

E. Most Versatile ... or Most Nomadic

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

22.0% Leuther, Tim
20.0% Roddy, John
20.0% Brooks, Mark
20.0% Andreyuk, Steve
18.2% Michelson, Jon

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

10.9% Michelson, Jon
10.0% Leuther, Tim
4.0% Rees, Trevor
.0%
.0%

Spent at least this much of his time on 5 different courts

3.7% Michelson, Jon
.0%

F. Miscellaneous Awards [remember - nominations are welcome]

- o "Anson/Bufalo" award (Most Frequent Sub) – Brian Robinson (5 times)
- o **Most philanthropic** (most times got sub) – Chip Brewer (8 times – whoa). Special recognition to Jack Nicholl who had a sub for EVERY week scheduled (4 times). Also, a shout out to Jay Lyons who cleverly called this award the O-negative award (as in universal donor).
- o **Wicked serve** – Andrew Urshan
- o **Hardest serve** – Canaan Sonnenschein
- o **Crushing drop shot** – Jon Michelson
- o **Ridiculous Returners** – Matt Fagala and Jon Michelson
- o **Best volley** – Tim Nolan
- o **Nonchalant shot of the season** – Doug Weber
- o **Fast Feet** – Ben Meyer, Matt Fagala, Tim Nolan
- o **Most competent backup commissioner** – Randy Michelson

Thanks folks for the suggestions (which make up most of the content in "F").

Congratulations to all the FLakey winners.