

The Blueball Breakdown

KC Blueballs Kickball



Fall Season Week 2 Recap

Week 2 KCBB Award Candidates

MVP

- Jacob F. – Tequila Mockingbirds
- Jeff B. – The Bolos

MVG

- Caitlin B – The Bolos
- Jennifer – New Kicks

Trash Talker

- Chris C. – Balls & Dolls
- Emily T – I'd Kick That
- Chris R - Tequila

Team Spirit

- Balls and Dolls
- Drinkers With a Kicking Problem

Best Captain

- Jack M. – Tequila Mockingbirds
- Jason D – Balls & Dolls

GAME OF THE WEEK RECAP – BOLOS BEAT BALLS DROPPIN'

The Bolos won the FIRST EVER Blueballs Game of the Week by a final score of 9-3 over Balls Droppin'. Led by dominant pitching by Chris B. The Bolos led the high scoring Bolos to just 3 points. The Bolos offensive firepower kicked in late when Jeff "Hammer" B. showed off his strong leg.

RSVP NOW to the Fall Post-Season Party!

Check out our Facebook – KC Blueballs Kickball – and RSVP to our end of season party. ALL kickballers will be welcome as we celebrate the end of the 2017 seasons and introduce our FIRST ever Ball of Fame class! The party will be at Johnny Kaw's in Westport.



NEW TIE-DYE TEAM

Balls Droppin' has taken on the privilege and responsibility of being the league's tie-dye team! Our last tie-dye team, Slow Children at Play, has recently retired from the league. We've left the tie-dye option open, but we were concerned with any team's ability to fill the void left behind. Balls Droppin' brings competitiveness, ability, and a casual drinking problem to our league. We couldn't be more excited for a team of their caliber to take over tie-dye. Hopefully they can expand their party to the field as Slow Children used to do with their tie-dye field party with a keg of craft beer!

KCBB Game of the Week

The Bolos (3-1) @ I'd Kick That(3-1)

Field 2 – 11:00am

This is a KICKBALL CLASSIC!

I'd Kick That looks to avenge an early season loss, their first in almost 90 games. The Bolos look to take game 2 and win the season series guaranteeing a playoff seeding tie breaker. Both teams are always championship contenders with multiple current and future Ball of Famers. This game will be a huge step towards kickball immortality whoever wins!

UPSET OF THE WEEK

Amazeballs sprang a huge upset as they beat the previously unbeaten Bolos (now 3-1) by a score of 4-2. Amazeballs captain, Eric T, was excited but humble, "We had a difficult first game losing 0-6 to a good Tequila team. We aren't an 11am team! We are usually to hungover at 11 to play well. Once noon hits we really can kick it into high gear!"

The Commish Speaks

Another week down. In this week's editorial I want to talk about Slap The Bag – a team that retired at the end of the 2013 season. During the Blueballs era they won 2 of the first 3 championships and finished as runner's up once. The season I have in mind is the Summer of '13. Only I'd Kick That finished with a winning record in the "death division" as I've come to calling it. The division featured 4 teams that had won the championship and the other 3 had all been runner-ups at some point. Slap the Bag finished 5-7 squeaking into the playoffs due to the tie-breaker criteria because of a forfeit. They went on to dominate every game until the championship which they came up against I'd Kick that – the team that had ended their pre-blueballs championship streak in the Spring. In a thrilling game Slap the Bag came out on top. They defended their title in the Fall of '13 before retiring to spend too much time with their kids and families. We miss them, but their legacy will never be forgotten. Thank you, Slap the Bag!!!

Kickball Hoodie Orders will Start on September 20th

For the first time, KC Blueballs Kickball will be taking orders for kickball hoodies! We are offering these hoodies for a low price(\$22 tentatively). The hoodies will have our logo on the front, a color of your choice, and your nickname/number if you choose! Huge shoutout to Mike and Printing Resolution for doing an awesome job on our shirts this year!

Introducing the First Ball of Fame Class - 2016

Guillermo Lopez – Menace 2 Sobriety

Guillermo's contributions to kickball are hard to beat. He was a long-time captain for the Menace team who always were a favorite for the Team Spirit Award.

Nilo Fanska – I'd Kick That

Under Nilo's guidance I'd Kick That won 87 straight games and 1- championships along with an MVP award to put on his mantle.

Eric Thomas – Amazeballs

Eric, long-time captain of Amazeballs, captains a competitive team that also is always in the hunt for the Team spirit award. They won their first division championship in the Spring of '16.

Shaun Bryant – Where My Pitches At?

Dedicated, orderly, and competitive. These words can all describe Shaun who captains a fun team that always brings the best out of everyone around.

Scott Strickler – Slap The Bag

Scott was a team captain and in the age before our MVP award would've been a candidate every season. The big leftie was always dangerous at the plate, but he also played a great third base. IN the Blueballs era they won the 2013 summer and fall championships before fading into the sunset.

Caitlin Ballard – The Bolos

The Bolos are two time champions and 2 time runner-ups in the Blueballs Era under her guidance as captain. She is always a candidate for the MVG and Trash talking award.