## DERO's Rankings Report

With half of the league at 2-3 and a commissioner pushing his anit-Matthew Stafford propaganda, I figured it was my time to offer a more mathematical approach to your league news. You will see three different rankings in this report. The first will be the manager efficiency rankings which look at who is getting the most out of their roster and making the right start-sit decisions. The second will be the league power rankings after week 5 which considers points scored, manager efficiency, and each team's strength of schedule. The final rankings you will see is the Wildcard Rankings of the Week. This week's edition will be the rivalry edition. We will look at the most prominent rivalries in the league so far.

## Manager Efficiency Rankings

- 1. Jaylen (90.59%)
- 2. Tony (89.54%)
- 3. Jeremy (88.71%)
- 4. Pat (88.65%)
- 5. Tino (88.22%)
- 6. Brandon (87.07%)
- 7. Isaac (86.66%)
- 8. Christian (86.42%)
- 9. Jordan (83.48%)
- 10. Casey (79.20%)

## Clubby League Week 5 Power Rankings

- 1. PGill (333.648 ranking pts; 3-2 record)
  - o Pat's got the number one scoring team in the league and eclipsed the 200 points mark last week. Next closest team is over 90 points behind them in season scoring. It's hard to imagine any team that is hotter and more complete.
- 2. Jeremy (313.025; 4-1)

<sup>\*\*</sup>Efficiency is determined by points scored versus possible points scored.

- Jeremy's team has been steady all season and is finding ways to win. 2nd in scoring and 3rd in Manager Efficiency puts him squarely at number two on this list.
- 3. Caseys Dad (309.115; 2-3)
  - O Jaylen has been the best manager so far getting over 90% of his team's possible points. Wins might be soon to come for him and his team.
- 4. Players To Be Named Later (300.763; 2-3)
  - Brandon's team has had the toughest hill to climb. Teams seem to bring their A game against them. It will be interesting to see if this trend continues and if his team can find some consistency in scoring.
- 5. The Human CentIpad (298.321; 2-3)
  - o Isaac's team might be the definition of average. They sit in between 5th and 7th in every measured metric in this power ranking. Look out to see if they can buck the trend.
- 6. My Ball Zach Ertz/Casey's My Bitch (290.238; 2-3)
  - Coming off of a big win, Christian's team has middled so far and the numbers reflect that. His team is below average in all tracked metrics used in this power ranking.
- 7. Mean Machine (289.480; 3-2)
  - O Tony's team sits a lot lower than their record would suggest. This comes from his team's lack of scoring and the weakest schedule in the league so far. If he can continue to find ways to win, his ranking should rise.
- 8. The Stache (289.185; 2-3)
  - The preseason perfect roster has not lived up to the hype. Whether it's mismanagement or the bar being set too high, Casey has struggled to find the right pieces to start. The next couple of weeks will be critical for his team to find their footing.

- 9. Can Only Go Up (288.968; 1-4)
  - Anything that could go wrong did go wrong for Tino. He can take solace in the fact that he has been one of the better managers in the league, and he has faced the second strongest schedule so far.
- 10. Markakis' Anaconda (287.256; 4-1)
  - O By record this ranking makes no sense, but when you look at a bottom 2 strength of schedule and manager efficiency. You could say he has been lucky so far and Jordan will have to continue to win to fight that narrative.

\*\*Ranking points are not points scored but is a mathematical formula using normalized points scored, points against, and coaching efficiency.

## League Rivalry Rankings

- 1. My Ball Zach Ertz vs The Stache
  - o There's no way this matchup doesn't check in at 1. I mean the animosity between these two is pretty well documented. The week 14 matchup could be an exciting one, especially if these two are playing for something at the end of the regular season.
- 2. PGill vs Players to be Named Later
  - o It's not often that teams give each other poster board material but Brandon posted the score to their last game above Pat's desk. That fact combined with a less than 3 game, managers who are highly competitive, and both having aspirations of winning the league makes this an interesting rivalry and possibly an intense matchup for Week 13.
- 3. Casey vs his bench
  - It's not often a manager can feud with his bench, but when you are far and away the least efficient manager in the league, you must have problems with your bench.
- 4. Tino vs Making Trades

- Trade away Derrick Henry and he goes off. Trade away Dameon Pierce and he goes off. I'm starting to see a trend here. Does he dare make another trade? Or will the fear of the past keep him away?
- 5. Jordan and Tony vs Making a Waiver Claim
  - One of the fundamental parts of playing fantasy football is making adjustments, yet these two have not added a new face to the roster since the draft. Whether it is for money or an odd strategy, this might be a storyline to watch for the rest of the season.