



**DEAL SYNAGOGUE SOFTBALL LEAGUE  
SCHEDULE FOR SUNDAY, APRIL 18, 1982  
DOW AVENUE SCHOOL**

**FIELD A**

|                   |           |                   |                   |
|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|-------------------|
| <b>PACMEN</b>     | <b>vs</b> | <b>BUMS</b>       | <b>9:30 A.M.</b>  |
| <b>PACMEN</b>     | <b>vs</b> | <b>WOODSTOCK</b>  | <b>11:00 A.M.</b> |
| <b>WOODSTOCK</b>  | <b>vs</b> | <b>HOTSHOTS</b>   | <b>12:30 P.M.</b> |
| <b>HOTSHOTS</b>   | <b>vs</b> | <b>911</b>        | <b>2:00 P.M.</b>  |
| <b>911</b>        | <b>vs</b> | <b>POWER PLAY</b> | <b>3:30 P.M.</b>  |
| <b>POWER PLAY</b> | <b>vs</b> | <b>BUMS</b>       | <b>5:00 P.M.</b>  |

**FIELD B**

|                        |           |                   |                   |
|------------------------|-----------|-------------------|-------------------|
| <b>GEMALS PALS '82</b> | <b>vs</b> | <b>VENOM</b>      | <b>9:15 A.M.</b>  |
| <b>GEMALS PALS '82</b> | <b>vs</b> | <b>HURRICANE</b>  | <b>10:30 A.M.</b> |
| <b>HURRICANE</b>       | <b>vs</b> | <b>JAMES GANG</b> | <b>12:00 P.M.</b> |
| <b>JAMES GANG</b>      | <b>vs</b> | <b>ALAMO</b>      | <b>1:30 P.M.</b>  |
| <b>ALAMO</b>           | <b>vs</b> | <b>U.S.A.</b>     | <b>3:00 P.M.</b>  |
| <b>U.S.A.</b>          | <b>vs</b> | <b>VENOM</b>      | <b>4:15 P.M.</b>  |

**SPECIAL! SPECIAL! PHILLIPS AVE. FIELD 1:00 P.M.**

**PACMEN VS U.S.A.  
1-1 RESUMPTION OF SUSPENDED GAME TIED!!!  
PACMEN DUE UP IN TOP OF 10th**

LEAGUE STANDINGS

AMERICAN DIVISION

| <u>CAPT.</u> | <u>TEAM</u>     | <u>W</u> | <u>L</u> | <u>PCT.</u> | <u>G.B.</u> | <u>R.S.</u> | <u>R.A.</u> | <u>OWN DIVISION RECORD</u> |
|--------------|-----------------|----------|----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|----------------------------|
| R. Nesser    | U.S.A.          | 5        | 0        | 1.000       | -           | 15          | 4           | 3-0                        |
| E. Beyda     | Power Play      | 4        | 0        | 1.000       | ½           | 21          | 12          | 2-0                        |
| Mitch Gemal  | Pacmen          | 1        | 2        | .333        | 3           | 10          | 12          | 0-1                        |
| J. Picciotto | James Gang      | 2        | 4        | .333        | 3½          | 14          | 16          | 2-2                        |
| Marty Gemal  | Gemals Pals '82 | 1        | 3        | .250        | 3½          | 12          | 23          | 0-2                        |
| R. Gindi     | Hot Shots       | 0        | 4        | .000        | 4½          | 13          | 33          | 0-2                        |

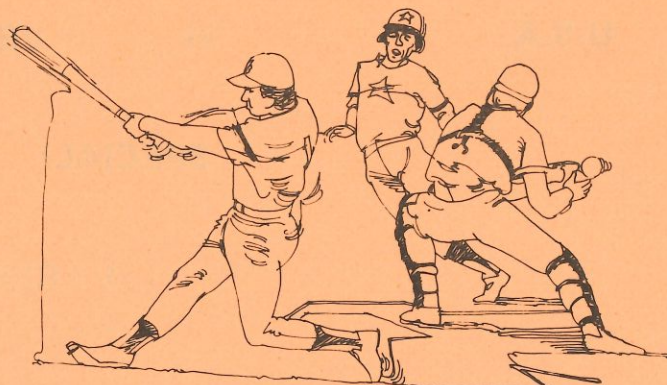
NATIONAL DIVISION

| <u>CAPT.</u> | <u>TEAM</u> | <u>W</u> | <u>L</u> | <u>PCT.</u> | <u>G.B.</u> | <u>R.S.</u> | <u>R.A.</u> | <u>OWN DIVISION RECORD</u> |
|--------------|-------------|----------|----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|----------------------------|
| C. Saka      | 911         | 3        | 1        | .750        | -           | 16          | 7           | 1-1                        |
| J. Rishty    | Bums        | 4        | 2        | .666        | -           | 29          | 19          | 3-1                        |
| B. Kassin    | Alamos      | 2        | 2        | .500        | 1           | 30          | 18          | 1-1                        |
| E. Mavorah   | Venom       | 3        | 3        | .500        | 1           | 35          | 39          | 2-2                        |
| E. Betesh    | Woodstock   | 1        | 3        | .250        | 2           | 15          | 23          | 1-1                        |
| J. Matalon   | Hurricanes  | 1        | 3        | .250        | 2           | 18          | 22          | 0-2                        |

Standings - AMERICAN vs NATIONAL TEAMS:

|          | <u>W</u> | <u>L</u> |
|----------|----------|----------|
| American | 6        | 6        |
| National | 6        | 6        |

WELCOME TO LEAGUE: Mitchell Hadad  
 Alan Hadad  
 Abe Ashkenazi



SCORES OF GAMES APRIL 4, 1982

Power Play            5  
Alamo                    4    8 innings (resumption of suspended game 3/28)

|       |    |            |   |
|-------|----|------------|---|
| Bums  | 10 | U.S.A.     | 2 |
| Venom | 5  | James Gang | 0 |

|       |   |            |   |
|-------|---|------------|---|
| Bums  | 8 | U.S.A.     | 3 |
| Venom | 4 | James Gang | 0 |

Woodstock vs 911 (Double Header) PPD - Blizzard!

Hurricanes vs Alamos (Double Header) PPD - Gale Winds!

Pacmen vs Power Play (Double Header) PPD - Frozen Grounds!

Hot Shots vs Gemals Pals (Double Header) PPD - Zero Visibility!

\*\*\*\*\*

SCORES OF GAMES APRIL 11, 1982

|            |   |           |   |
|------------|---|-----------|---|
| Power Play | 3 | Woodstock | 6 |
| Hot Shots  | 1 | Alamos    | 4 |

|            |   |      |   |
|------------|---|------|---|
| Power Play | 5 | Bums | 5 |
| Hot Shots  | 2 | 911  | 4 |

|                |   |      |   |
|----------------|---|------|---|
| James Gang     | 9 | 911  | 3 |
| Gemals Pals'82 | 7 | Bums | 2 |

|                |   |            |   |
|----------------|---|------------|---|
| James Gang     | 4 | Venom      | 3 |
| Gemals Pals'82 | 0 | Hurricanes | 2 |

|            |   |        |   |
|------------|---|--------|---|
| Venom      | 8 | U.S.A. | 3 |
| Hurricanes | 5 | Pacmen | 1 |

|           |   |
|-----------|---|
| Alamos    | 9 |
| Woodstock | 5 |



# U.S.A. SWEEPS JAMES GANG BEHIND RICHIE MENAHEM TWIN SHUTOUTS

2-0, 3-0



It was the unfinished chapter to an illustrious career, left dangling and unclassified, yet told it was finished before its true, just and deserving end ever came close to being. A veteran hurler who excelled at his position, yet now had to go out there and prove himself all over again while the skeptics looked on in disbelief. Had he failed to make it, opportunity was more than there to shuffle the blame on a setting and conditions that were brutal at best. Winds raging, snow showering down uncontrollably, frigid

bone tingling cold that made the feat accomplished seem even more remarkable. The only warm hand in the house belonged to him and it was on fire. In a League whose emphasis has radically shifted in the past few seasons, accenting the youth with all its talent and well deserving acclaim and accomplishments, he reminded us all that there are still a few in his class of over thirty's (would you believe over forty's) ---- would you believe past 42??? that could still match-up with the best of them. Good Luck, Richie, it's great to have you back. -----

U.S.A. offense in Game One provided by Moshe, Mark Matut, Jack Sabin and Freddie Harary who all singled, with the Later's 2 out poke producing 2 runs ---- Game 2 heroics included a Red Nesser triple over left field and a grounder by Jack Saka to score him for first run. Second tally compliments of back to back Wayne Kassin and Robert Red singles (both men advancing to 2nd & 3rd respectively on throw) and a "Biggy" sac. Another Saka grounder produced his second ribby and 3rd run for U.S.A. to close it out ----- superior defensive effort by entire U.S.A. squad highlighted by Sabin "double playing" at 3rd and Wayne flagging them down in O.F. ----- only 5 hits surrendered by Menahem all day long ---- Alphonse Missry a very capable batterymate for Richie this time around making him even more effective.

## **POWER PLAY NIPS ALAMOS 5-4 IN 8 INNINGS**

We left off this one knotted at 2 after 4. Alamo came back with 2 in bottom of fifth to pull ahead. But Power Play managed to send it into O'T with a run in the sixth and a Phumphy sac fly in 7th to tie it. They won it in eighth on a Moses grounder scoring Sammy Cohen who had led off inning with big double.-----

## **BUMS SHOCK VENOM TWICE 10-5, 8-4**

Venom jumps out 4-0 in opening frame behind a David Ashkenazi solo HR and big bases clearing double by Michael Mishaan. ---- Bums chip away

scoring 1 in bottom half on a Nathan Tawil double and 2 out Elliot Gindi single --- then explode for 4 big runs in bottom of 3rd to take lead 5-4. Timely 2 run singles by Eddie Kassin and Capt. Joel Rishty led the attack --- Now the finale ---- score 7-5 Bums in bottom of 6th still anyone's game single - Abie Esses, walk - Meno up steps Ralphie Zalta --- Boom!! Goodbye ball -- Goodbye ball game. A mamouth clout into the wind and on top of the roof - final 10-5 Bums.---- Game two after a brief 23 minute delay for a snow squall Ralphie Zalta picks it up again, this time with a solo blast over C.F. -- 1-0 Bums. --- Top third Eli Kairy belts one into the R.F. trees 2-0 Bums --- Venom not to be denied comes on in bottom of 4th with 4 big runs behind heavy hitting of "Power" Paskie and Douglas Jemal ---- might have been more if not for a sparkler of a D.P. turned over by Meno at second base. Top of sixth Venom very much in control at 4-2 until ----- with one out and man on first Eli Hadad low lines one up the middle stabbed by 2B whose light toss to first would have D.P.'d runner off and ended inning and very likely game. --- But --- toss bounces in front of 1B and is not handled giving Bums a life of sorts with 8-9-10 batters due up still no problem Right?---- Wrong --- Mal clean single to right putting men on 1st and 3rd --- Ralphie Setyon a big, big double on a line to L.F. scoring 1 at 4-3 and putting runners at 2 & 3rd Meno draws a walk --- setting table for that man again -- Ralphie Zalta Yep --- you guessed it -- game time -- going! going! gone! 7-4 Bums closed it out with a Nathan solo 8-4 as Abie Esses retires last 6 in order for the victory.----

## **POWER PLAY THWARTS HOT SHOTS 3-1, 5-2 - REMAIN UNDEFEATED**

It began with all the markings of a friendly family rivalry -- Eddie vs son-in-law Ronny --- Ricky vs counter-part brother-in-law Ronny -- even Moise vs Judah -- and when the dust had cleared and morning was over two

teams left with records intact ----- Power Play undefeated at 4-0 Hot Shots yet to secure 1st win at 0-4 ----- here's how it went ---- in Game One a triple by Robt. Braha and a Sammy Cohen HR "powered" Eddie's boys out in "Front" 2-0 but hit that might have put it out of reach was Ricky's solo blast over L.F. late in game to final it at 3-1 ---- Game 2 and the pressure very much on Hot Shots to at least split but it was not to be as a Robt. B.B. followed by single by Sammy Cohen and a ribby hit by Morris Gindi followed by another ribby hit by Moses and it was 3-0 Power Play. Hot Shots fought back gallantly to pull within one at 3-2 behind one of few bright spots on day for them. --- The hitting of Ronny Gindi --- but a Robt Braha big 2 run homer following a Capt. Eddie hit iced game and day for Power Play final 5-2 ----

## **JAMES GANG UP ON GEMALS PALS 9-7, 4-0**

Only fair to point out that Pal team was minus 5 players including Elliot Braha and Eli Gindi and that not being bad enough had the automatic 10th slot out each time around. Still on the other side of the field a strong showing from Peaches and the boys doing what they had to, to win executing perfectly including placing ball to the vacated up the middle position. Strong hitting all day by Eli Gemal with 4 for 6 -- Picciotto with 5 hits on day --- Alan Hadad with big home run among 3 hits --- David Haddad 4 for 6 but biggest hits of afternoon off the bat of Hostleman who in both contests got credit for "Gamer". --- Double victory improved James Gang record to 2-4 more importantly vaulting them out of cellar into 4th place in American Division --- bright spot on day for Pals was power hitting of Hy Gindi with big HR and 2 doubles and "the return of Zuti" with 2 hits ----

## **ALAMOS 9-5 WOODSTOCK 6-4 SPLIT**

Yogi Kassin's 2 run HR tied game one at 2 all --- Alamo's lead increases to 5-2 via a Morris Swed triple, M.K. single and Bobby Kassin 2 run triple --

4 big runs in top of 7th blew it open with a J. Braha 2 run triple leading the way --- good game for Irwin Azar with 2 hits --- final 9-5 Alamos --- Woodstock bounces back in game 2, however, behind Elliot Betesh 2 run HR -- big 2 run double by Stevie Tawil was the difference --- great fielding all day by the Woodstock "Million Dollar" infield of Ike Dweck at S.S. Zilberman at 3B and Bucky Doueck at 2B -----

## VENOM "RATTLES" HURRICANE 8-5, 3-2



More important than hitting, fielding or any of those things its something we call "Chemistry" and as it relates to a softball team its the joining together of the right player or players in complete harmony to make up the unit and complete the puzzle successfully. Sometimes that "Puzzle" is missing but one piece and all the shuffling around in the world won't do the trick. Find the one missing piece and Bingo --- interlocked perfectly -- the puzzle is solved - the big machine sputters no more. For Venom, at least on this day that piece was found in the person of one Stanley "Luke" Cohen and it made all the difference in the world as Venom avenges last weeks double loss with a double win to pull even at 3-3. First game victory was in come from behind fashion as Hurricanes roar out to early 3 zip lead. But inning #2 and Venom began to "creep" back with 2 runs, compliments of an Elliot Salomon double. Jack Hakims 3rd inning double following M. Mishaan and David Ashkenazie singles pulled them even at 3. In that same inning they moved out to a 5-3 lead behind timely 2 out "Power" Paskie 2 ribby hit --- "Luke" himself put the icing on the cake in the 5th when with 2 out and 2 on he unloaded a blast of a triple to R.F. immediately paying dividends wrapping up game for Venom final 8-3 --- second affair was a 1-1 pitcher's duel thru first 5 with Luke locking horns with ex Capt. Matalon ---- with 1 out in 6th Elliot Salomon sent up to pinch hit delivers with single ----- now 2 out batter Gary Erani the pitch --- swung on a long drive to deep

right center field this one is going --- going --- long gone a tremendous clout to give Venom both ends of twin bill Final 3-2.

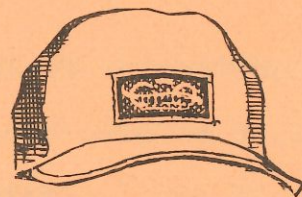
## BUMS COME FROM BEHIND 911 5-4 THEN 911 COMES FROM BEHIND BUMS 3-2

First game action 911 appeared to need no help at all as they jumped out to a commanding 4-0 lead in top of 1st --- here's how it went Michael Betesh -- single Marvin -- double Davie "Jaws" still another big hit this time a single to drive in 2 runs --- Ike Franco single and the "Mums" a double good for 2 more. Eli Kairy with his second HR in as many games put Bums in scoring column at 4-1 after 1 Ralphie Zalta doubled Nathan Tawil tripled and Kairy singled producing 2 more Bum runs in 3rd. The most devastating blow for Bums, however, came in bottom of the fifth, the pattern by now all too familiar Meno - walk, Ralphie Zalta -- what else is new-- one swing of the bat and Mr. March-April puts it away -- final Bums with a very satisfying come from behind win -----

Matinee saw the reverse as this time Bums get on scoreboard first with 1 in the 2nd on an Elliot Gindi home run and one in the third off a Jeff Menage triple and Ralph Setyon R.B.I. single --- help for 911 comes in their half of third as Stevie Fallas and Charles's singles create a first and third situation and Marvin drives one deep to Joel who makes a circus catch as S.F. comes scampering home with apparently 1st 911 run ---- but wait -- they appeal and ----- S.F. is ---- out at third as he left too soon. Lucky enough though the Jaws is up next to bail it out with a big 2 out R.B.I. single to bring them back at 2-1. Back to back doubles by the Brothers Saka in 6th inning got them even and Marvin scores gamer on a ground ball by who else but the incomparable Davie "Jaws" Dweck wrapping up a 3-2 win and split of twin bill. ----



## U.S.A. BUMP PACMEN 3-1



They won it by scoring 3 times in 4th inning --- big hits a Freddie Harari round-tripper Wayne double and Red triple followed by another "Big" sac fly (P.S. our hats off to Biggy Nasser, a true team man who drove back from Concord to make game) ----- Jack Saka enjoyed fine day at 3rd ----- ditto Wayne spectacular in O.F. --- and no it wasn't a fluke as lone run given up by Richie result of an error by his favorite brother-in-law --- League leading E.R.A. for Richie a stingy .040 --- just phenomenal for softball competition. --- Second game went into the ninth and into the darkness unable to break a 1-1 deadlock -- resume that one on Sunday in progress ---- big catch in that game by Biggy to hold Pacmen to 1 run ---- numerous great plays on both sides as well as several uncashed opportunities for both --- U.S.A. undefeated record of 5-0 - best in loop -----

### THE SYNAGOGUE OF DEAL

128 NORWOOD AVENUE  
DEAL, NEW JERSEY 07723



Non-Profit Org.  
U. S. POSTAGE  
PAID  
Deal, N. J.  
Permit No. 14

Mr. David Cohen  
9 Ocean Ave.  
Deal, N.J. 07723