

I would like to submit the following as a change to the GHPA bylaws.

Proposal:

To Eliminate Playoff Games and go to a Head to Head format.

REASON:

I think Playoff games are unfair to our older pitchers and the current format puts more emphasis on the Playoff Game than Round Robin Games.

Example:

A Class has a tie in Wins-Losses after the Round Robin games. Player A has beaten Player B in the round robin. In the Playoff game Player B defeats Player A and wins the Class even though they have both beaten each other one time, putting more weight on the Playoff Game. We had an instance last year where one of our more Elder pitchers on a hot day could not hold out to pitch a Playoff game and forfeited his chance at winning the Class to a younger player. This proposal would eliminate that happening.

Format:

Handicapped Class- Tie Breakers

1. Wins/Losses
2. Head to Head
3. Highest above or Closest to their Entering Ringer %
4. Total Points scored.

Scratch Classes

1. Wins/Losses
2. Head to Head
3. Highest Ringer %
4. Total Points scored.

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