

# 2 OUT BOTTOM OF THE 12th

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Atlanta started the week with a good series win at home against the Phillies, a home sweep against San Diego set them up for a big week which they delivered in style with a sweep in Cincinnati for an excellent 8-1 record. Washington started with an emphatic sweep at home to the Mets, they followed up with another home sweep against Cincy and ended with a road win in Colorado to mirror the Braves excellent 8-1 week. Philadelphia recovered from their opening loss to defeat Pittsburgh and victory in their final series on the road in San Francisco left them with a solid 5-4 return for the week. New York rallied after their opening sweep to defeat the Dodgers at home and the Pirates on the road for a below par 4-5 week.

Chicago were beaten on the road in Pittsburgh in their opening series but a sweep of the Giants at home and victory in Los Angeles left them with a good 6-3 record for the week. Pittsburgh didn't build on their good start as they were beaten in Philadelphia in their 2nd series and by New York in their 3rd for a below par 4-5 record for the week. Houston were beaten at home by Cincinnati in their opening series, they were swept at home by Colorado in their 2nd and ended the week with defeat in San Diego for a very poor 2-7 return. Cincinnati didn't build on their good start as they were swept in Washington in their 2nd series and at home by the Braves in their 3rd for a very poor 2-7 record for the week.

Colorado started with a good series win on the road in Los Angeles, a sweep in Houston set them up for a very big week but they lost at home to Washington in their final series giving them only a good 6-3 return for the week. San Diego were beaten in San Francisco in their opening series and swept in Atlanta in their 2nd but a good win at home against the Astros rescued a poor 3-6 week for the Padres. San Francisco didn't build on their good start as they were swept in Chicago in their 2nd series and beaten at home by the Phillies in their 3rd for a poor 3-6 week. The Dodgers were beaten in New York in their 2nd series and at home by the Cubs in their 3rd for a poor 3-6 record for the week.

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## RANGERS ASSERT

Texas were quickly out of the blocks with an emphatic sweep at home to the Angels, they followed that up with a good win in Boston before ending the week in style with a sweep over the Twins for an excellent 8-1 record for the week. Oakland opened with a good win in Seattle, they were beaten in Tampa in their 2nd series and at home by Milwaukee in their 3rd for a below par 4-5 record for the week. Seattle recovered well from their opening loss to win on the road in Minnesota but a sweep at home at the hands of the Blue Jays in their final series left them with a poor 3-6 record for the week. Los Angeles were beaten in Milwaukee in their 2nd series and at home by the Yankees in their 3rd for a very poor 2-7 week.

Tampa Bay opened their week with a great sweep at home against Toronto, they followed that up with a home win over the A's before ending with a good road win in Chicago to cap a very good 7-2 record for the week. Boston started with a fantastic sweep in New York, they were beaten at home by Texas in their 2nd series and on the road in Detroit in their 3rd for a poor end to a solid 5-4 return. Toronto were beaten at home by Detroit in their 2nd series but an emphatic sweep on the road in Seattle in their final series rescued something from an otherwise below par 4-5 week. New York were beaten at home by Chicago in their 2nd series but a victory in Los Angeles gave them a crumb of comfort in an otherwise poor 3-6 week.

Milwaukee opened their week with a hard fought victory over Chicago, they followed with another home win over Los Angeles and ended well with another victory in Oakland for a great end to a very consistent 6-3 week. Chicago recovered from their opening loss to beat the Yankees on the road but defeat in their final series at home to Tampa left them with a below par 4-5 record for the week. Minnesota started the week in fine form as they swept the Tigers at home but that was as good as it got as defeat at home by the Mariners and a sweep on the road in Texas left them with a below par 4-5 record for the week. Detroit recovered well from their opening sweep to defeat Toronto on the road and victory at home in their final series against Boston left them with a below par 4-5 week but that is a great return considering their poor start to the week.

Still no date for my move, contributions still welcome for the next newsletter.

**Deadline for Contributions: Saturday 3rd February 2007**