

Game: #8 (26465)  
Date: 17 June 2007  
Time: 1115 PM  
Rink: South  
Opponent: Brewins

Phase Matrix falls to the Brewins by a score of 5-3.

In a tight game, Phase Matrix battled hard but gave up the game winning goal with 2:50 remaining in the third period. The Brewins would add an empty net goal for the final tally. John Tran, John Macinnis scored for PM, the time keeper missed the third goal and it's not reflected. Whoever got it speak up so we can get it corrected.

Welcome back J-Mac! It been a while since John Macinnis took the ice for Phase Matrix but he proved he's an impact player scoring PM's second goal on a power play to put PM up 2-0.

Officiating should never determine the outcome of a game but unfortunately this was the case in this contest. Both teams came out to play hard as the game was for sole possession of first place. The play was tight and aggressive from the beginning and the lack of control by the officials ultimately led to much frustration on both sides that eventually boiled over and could potentially lead to 3 suspensions for Phase Matrix players.

On a side note the Brewins had a player on the ice and on their roster that is also on an "A" level team. This player accounted for two of the Brewins goals and a good deal of their offensive pressure. In nothing less than a stunning development LIAHL Adult Hockey Manager Tyler Shaffer sent this message to the captain of the Brewins following the game:

"...(player's name)...cannot play on the Brewins. He is listed as an A league player for the Americans. I have removed him from your roster. We are going through all teams in all levels. ..."

This appears to be a positive step by the LIAHL Management to ensure fair and competitive play that many players in the LIAHL have been waiting on for a number of seasons.

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