

Storm Informer

The Quarterly Laser Storm Membership Newsletter

WHAT'S GOING ON?

Summer is over everyone, and that means cold weather is on it's way. There aren't too many things to do to keep you active in the winter, except of course, Laser Storm. The best part about fall and winter at Laser Storm is going outside after the game is over, to cool off and see all the steam rising off your head and shoulders. Then it's time to go right back in for another game!

Want to reserve a spot exclusively for your membership card in our ready room? Get one of the new custom name plates! Some people already have them, so check it out. The National Tournament in Austintown, OH was a lot of fun. Representing Pittsburgh were 4 teams! Wow! More info inside.

Our new league season has just begun, and so far it seems that our teams are dead even. You can view all stats and results online at www.laserstorm.org. If you missed your chance to sign up, the next league will be forming sometime at the end of November, beginning of December.

There is a MEMBERS ONLY exclusive event on October 20th! Limited number of tickets available! Get yours now before we sell out. \$25 per player, includes pizza, drink, tokens and 5 hours of laser tag!

new members!

Check it out! More new members! If your name is among these listed, then you are just receiving your first Storm Informer. Every quarter we list the newest members to join our ranks here at LSP. If you want to you can have a spot reserved for your membership card by purchasing a custom name plate. Check out the ones in the ready room that have already been put up. Then ask for details on how to get your own!

Stomp	Deathbreaker	Batman
Kilbert	Omerta	Alpha
Ronald	Wolfie	Alucard
Raygun	Blackhawk	Syvaris
Rainbow Brite	Junkman	Bond Girl
The End	Purgatory	Han Shot First

coupon

Get your



Packed Full Of Discounts
Present this Coupon to Receive your Storm Card
Current membership status required

Members event

EXCLUSIVE October 20th

12:30 to 5:30 am

\$25- Pizza, drink, tokens, Laser tag!
LIMITED NUMBER OF TICKETS AVAILABLE!

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Nationals 2007

Just a few months back, on July 25th, 3 teams and some extra players from Pittsburgh made the short 1 hour trip to Austintown, Ohio for the 11th annual Laser Storm National Championship! Here, at Skate Zone fun center, the attending teams voted on an arena design and set it up in about 6 hours. The next day we began the round robin portion of the tournament. The following 2 days were also consumed while every team played every other team twice. Representing Pittsburgh was "Dump Truck", "Conspiracy Theory", "Un-sponsored", and 3 other players joined with 2 Ohio players to form "OMG Llamas". Add to that 3 Ohio teams including former national champs "Oblivion" and a team from New Jersey. These 8 teams played for 3 days to arrive at their standing in the double elimination bracket on July 29th. The end result "Oblivion" defeating everyone and winning their second national title! "Dump Truck" would take 2nd, and "Conspiracy Theory" 3rd. These 3 teams all defeated one another during the round robin, so it was really anyone's tournament! Oh well! There's always next year. Miza from "Dump Truck" won most base hits overall and "Red Dog", also from "Dump Truck", received most hits given overall. Gear up everyone, the next National Tournament is in Holland, Michigan at The Lost City, and it's a 2 LEVEL ARENA with crazy ramps and balconies! We'll see you there!



Dump Truck



Conspiracy Theory



Un-sponsored

Summer League results

This past league season was a bit different than what we are used to. We let all inexperienced captains select the league teams, and we also had several people drop out and had to find replacements for them. There were 2 really strong teams, 2 average teams, and 2 really weak teams. This is reflected in the win/loss records, and it's so obvious that it's almost comical. Anyway, we finished on a good note: the lowest ranked teams actually won a few games near the end of the season! And our new league champs for the Summer '07 season are "Heroes for Hire".

2007 Summer League Champs

Heroes for hire

Left to right: Clueless, Shade, Coconutz, Rave, Dominator



Regular season standings

#3	#5	#1	#2	#6	#4
<u>War Machine</u>	<u>Push for Cheese</u>	<u>Heroes for Hire</u>	<u>5 Foot Fury</u>	<u>Beef Sticks</u>	<u>Team Poland</u>
Haze	Bio-Hazard	Rave	Cloud	Gohan	Pancakes
Red Dog	Zalgax	Dominator	Dancer	Miza	Kirby
Shadow Dancer	No Life	Shade	Silent Killer	Lil Jon	Llama
Cassiopeia	Apollyon	Coconutz	Dark Wolf	Sad Panda	Bloodmut
Swamp Fox	Vash the Stampede	Chief Pepsi	Clueless	Ronin Jin	The Wretched

New fall league '07

Every time the league signup sheet is placed on the front counter, it fills up in record time, and this time around was no exception. In less than a week all slots were taken. To avoid the extremely unbalanced teams of last season, we had 4 members of "Dump Truck" be the captains. All are very familiar with the players and their skill levels. They also know how to balance a team. So far we have seen that these teams are almost completely even.

<u>Wazzlefoon</u>	<u>Master Theory</u>	<u>Ultra Laser Squad</u>	<u>Taste of Explosion</u>
Miza	Dancer	Zalgax	Red Dog
Dominator	Rave	The Phantom	Spyder
Bio-Hazard	Lil Jon	Coconutz	Silent Killer
Apollyon	Clueless	Hoodie	Swamp Fox
The Wretched	Ronin Jin	Koga	Soldier of Nod
Tax Fraud Mike	Lanari	Naisen	Tag Hag