



**17<sup>th</sup> Annual Laser Tag  
National Tournament  
July 25th - 28th**



# Storm Informer

The Quarterly Laser Storm Membership Newsletter

The action at Laser Storm is still sizzling hot! Listed below are the new members to join the group. The summer league has entered the playoffs, the regional scene is on break and the 17th National Competition will be at the end of July! Plus, the ultimate test of laser tag skill, the Armageddon tournament occurred just a few weeks ago.

Let the membership pay for itself! Remember to bring in the coupon below to receive your Storm Card. Enjoy all the free extra hours and the free game of laser tag! The most popular is the extra hour of Midnight Madness, which allows play from 9 to midnight for only \$14!

Need a break from the hot, sunny weather? Come down to play some laser tag! Want to take your game to the next level? Ask the working staff for tips and tricks.

## New members!

Welcome to Storm. Members can now get their individual player data from the website. Select your codename then bookmark the page.

<http://laserstorm.org/pitt/memdata.php>

Ferky	Little Caesar	Jackierchan
Agent Coulson	Autopilot	Wizard
Serotogus	The Squirrel	Qxc
Goma LymeKeine	Big Poppa	Mist
MacDevil09	Zextrah	Bigfoot
Spectre	Nacho Cheese	Rogue
Slithery Snake	Ph3n0m_x	Seering Death
Midnight Maverick	DANNY PHANTOM	Neko
Death Dragon	Fuzzamo	Pedro
Big Kat	Beanie	Jayem
The Laser Lord	T-Dog	PHEW PHEW MASTER
Ace of Spades	Hebrew Hammer	
Thunder Gun	Highway Man	
Night Slayer	Ghogis	
Laser Beast		

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CARD**

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Current membership status required



"The Ultimate Test  
of Laser Tag Skill"

The Armageddon tournament is a multi-system platform played over a short time frame. Teams consist of eight players from different laser tag systems and different countries. Over the 4 days, players played Laser Blast, Laser Force, Laser Tron, Zone, Laser Quest, Outdoor, Qzar and Laser Storm.

Every system plays differently from the way you hold the phaser to the teamwork required to win. Laser Storm definitely stands out from the rest due to having a headset to wear and no sensors on the vest itself. Half of the systems have some sort of energizers to get recharged or replenished with ammo.

Players from Sweden, Canada, England and Russia formed teams to compete. Every system had players participate with a large portion being from Storm. A total of 7 teams competed for the gold medal. Of the 56 players, Storm players consisted of 23. That is the largest participation from one system.

Congratulations to all the players who participated! Armageddon is the "ultimate test of laser tag skill."

## Participants from LSP

● Cloud	● Lanari	● Swamp Fox
● Clueless	● Llama	● TFM
● Dancer	● Red Dog	● The Phantom
● Hawk	● Rave	● Tjockis Tom
● Jabberwock	● Siren	● Vash The Stampede

● - First    ● - Third    ● - Fourth

## National Championship

After four years, the Laser Storm National Tournament comes back to Pittsburgh! Being close to home is convenient and means skipping thousands of miles of flying to compete.

The tournament will start with a Top Gun on Thursday, July 25th. Then, teams will play a double round robin for placement in the double elimination bracket, which determines the champions. At the end of the tournament on Sunday, July 28th, all the players will be treated to a banquet at Roma Restaurant where awards will be given.

If you plan to attend, starting to practice is recommended. Many players have already started forming teams and preparing for this chance to be crowned national champions!

## Regional Season UPDATE

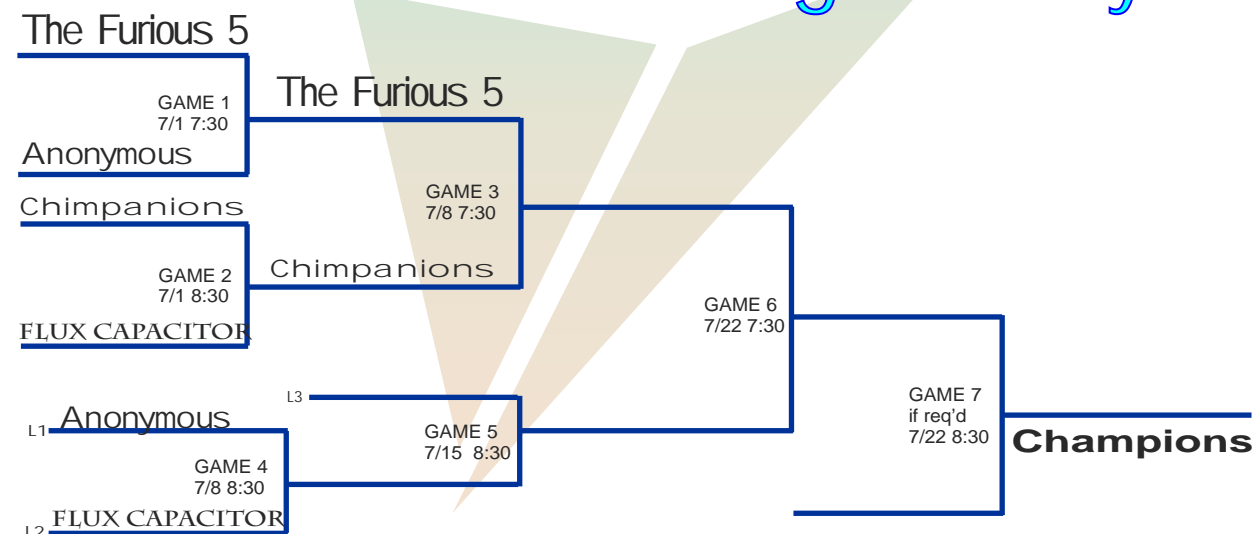
The regional season is taking a break for the National Championship. The season ended with Monolith taking first place. Congratulations Monolith! There has been talk about doing a different format for the regional scene for next year.

The regional final was very interesting and one of a kind in the Laser Storm tournament scene. The whole tournament was played without normal power. A generator ran the computer, all the equipment and the black lights for the arena. This was the first tournament played "off the grid."

## League information

The summer league has entered the playoffs. This season has been shortened due to hosting the 17th Annual National Tournament. Teams played a single round robin series. Now with the teamwork and strategies planned, the playoffs will put them to the test.

## 2013 Summer League Playoff



1st Place	2nd Place	3rd Place	4th Place
<u>Furious 5</u>	<u>Chimpanions</u>	<u>FLUX CAPACITOR</u>	<u>Anonymous</u>
Dancer	Red Dog	Zalgax	Cloud
Clueless	Skeletor	Llama	Rave
Money McSwag	TFM	Darkace	Freakshow
Drizzy Hendrix	Shay-D KT	Operator S.L.I.	Lanari
Titanmaster325	MacDevil09	Justlitz	Desparado