

Warriors Better Real-Life Marks

Don Boes of Louisville, KY, recently put the basketball dice in storage for the summer months. But before the newest Strat-O-Matic creation was tucked into summer hibernation, Don spent a lot of time with the game, playing through the entire 82-game schedule for the Golden State Warriors.

The Warriors showed a six-game improvement under Don's tutelage as they improved the won-and-lost record from a 47-35 real-life slate to 53-29.

Don was pleasantly surprised at how amazingly close the statistics came out in comparison to real-life marks. Even though major revisions are planned in the S-O-M Basketball game and some fans have grumbled about too many fouls and the amount of time needed to play the game, Don's statistics, listed below, ring a bell for authenticity.

Rick Barry had the personal one-game high in scoring for the Warriors, 52 points, while during one ten-game stretch he averaged 39.7. Nate Thurmond had 45 rebounds in a single game while Jeff Mullins once handed out 20 assists in a single contest--all one game highs.

Here are the complete Golden State Warrior stats: [] - indicates real-life

	<u>FG-FGA</u>	<u>FG%</u>	<u>FT%</u>	<u>REB</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>PTS</u>
Mullins	808-1613	50.0[49.3]	80.3 [83.3]	390[363]	312[337]	23.7[17.8]
Barry	730-1682	43.4[45.2]	91.2[90.2]	724[728]	372[399]	23.0[22.3]
Lee	163-368	44.2[46.6]	53.0[56.5]	549[598]	24[34]	6.6[6.3]
Russell	607-1271	47.7[45.8]	83.7[86.4]	249[350]	232[187]	18.0[15.7]
Barnett	342-729	46.9[46.7]	83.3[84.3]	234[255]	308[301]	10.9[11.8]
Thurmond	459-1105	41.5[44.6]	72.5[71.8]	1359[1349]	200[280]	15.2[17.1]
C. Johnson	195-457	42.6[42.8]	75.5[71.7]	219[132]	144[118]	6.6[5.4]
Williams	176-447	39.3[44.0]	91.9[90.4]	27[81]	80[114]	5.9[6.0]
G. Johnson	93-206	45.1[41.0]	45.8[41.2]	295[138]	36[8]	4.8[1.6]
Ellis	129-348	37.0[40.9]	77.5[74.2]	222[282]	72[88]	5.2[6.3]