Subject: Johnny Deamon

Posted by Manualblock on Wed, 21 Dec 2005 16:29:40 GMT

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52 million and he is how old? Why don't the Yankees just buy up the whole Boston Team? At least it wasn't Nomar.

Subject: Re: Johnny Damon

Posted by elektratig on Thu, 22 Dec 2005 12:27:55 GMT

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MB, I take it you're not a Yankees fan. Are you a Red Sox fan? If so, it figures. We couldn't possibly be on the same side of any issue. Although I'm a Yankees fan, I came by my perversion honestly. During my formative years (mid-60's), the Yankees stunk, except for my idol, Mel Stottlemyre.

Subject: Re: Johnny Damon

Posted by Manualblock on Thu, 22 Dec 2005 12:31:56 GMT

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Au Contrair'; I must insist I am a diyed in the wool Yankee fan going way back. I hate the Sox; precipitating my post. I just wish Steinbrenner would keep a few prospects around to mature into a team. Whats the average age of the team?

Subject: Re: Johnny Damon

Posted by elektratig on Thu, 22 Dec 2005 18:10:46 GMT

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Johnny Damon was born in November 1973, so he turned 32 last month. Hey, he probably REDUCED the average age of the team!Correction: I just did a search -- you can find anything these days --and discovered that the average age of the Yankees roster (sans Bernie and Damon) is 30.4 years, so he did increase the average age marginally.The typical 2005 starting lineup was about 32 years of age, the average reduced significantly by the presence of Cano (23 yrs.). No one else in the typical starting lineup was under 30.I get your point though. They're going to have bring Randy Johnson out in a wheelchair next year. And even Mariano is -- gulp -- 36!

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Subject: Re: Johnny Damon

Posted by Manualblock on Thu, 22 Dec 2005 21:39:44 GMT

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RJ is so old he starts to warm up sometime around Sept 30th! I like they gave Bernie the one year 1.5 mil. He's a true Yankee. The sad thing is the slowing down of Jeter this year. I mean I know Damon will be a positive addition; better than Melky Cabrerra, but it's crazy how Steinbrenner tries to buy a team from Boston. You think they will move Arod sometime to SS?