

Registration open for SAEE convention

Don't miss your chance to see the leading coin-op trade show in the Southeast this August

By Paul Tash
Georgia Amusement Journal

Registration for attendees and vendors is now open for the ever-expanding Southern Amusement & Entertainment Expo (SAEE), which is returning to the Gas South Convention Center Aug. 18-20 in Duluth, GA.

"The Expo continues to grow," said Christina Kaiser, executive director of the Georgia Amusement and Music

Operators Association (GAMOA), which is managing the show. "We're building on what already is the leading coin-op trade show in the Southeast."

Booth space for vendors already is tight.

"We still have some space left, but not much," Kaiser said, adding that the number of vendors and booths are on pace to surpass last year. "We're

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AXES.ai, a global leader in cloud-based casino and distributed gaming management systems, has partnered with Payline Network to bring to the Georgia COAM market the gaming industry's first fully integrated self-service AI intelligent kiosk platform.

The Payline kiosk platform combines fintech, cashless payments, player identity, loyalty, promotions, rewards, player club functionality, compliance tools, and AXES Intelligent Management System technology into one fully integrated, real-time self-service solution, the companies announced in a recent press release. The platform includes multiple cashless and card-based solutions, including smart cards, TITO gift card redemption, COAM

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Journal Opinion

AMOA delegates participate in D.C. ‘Fly-In’



By Lori Schneider
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AMOA and AAMA hosted an “Industry Fly-In to D.C.” last month in our nation’s capital to discuss several important industry issues with legislators. AMOA was pleased to have 17 members

participate in this year’s legislative advocacy experience. The Fly-In — coordinated by the association’s legislative counsel, DGA Group — began with a group dinner where attendees were provided an up-to-the-minute overview on the current atmosphere in both House and Senate offices. The next morning attendees gathered again to review the talking points and “asks” to be covered throughout the 35 meetings to be conducted over the two-day event.

Major talking points included:

Fair banking access: Banks routinely classify amusement operators as “high risk” and abruptly close bank accounts — despite operating lawful, family-friendly businesses in all 50 states. We asked Congress to pass the FIRM Act and the Fair Access to Banking Act and ensure



Seventeen AMOA members, including GAMOA Director Paul Patel (far left), attended the “Fly-In to DC” advocacy effort last month in Washington, D.C.. AMOA photo

amusement operators are explicitly recognized as lawful businesses entitled to fair banking access.

Tariffs and supply chains: Many industry manufacturers rely on important components subject to tariffs up to 25% which results in production uncertainty, deferred investment, and higher prices. We asked

Congress for a streamlined tariff exclusion process for components used in domestic manufacturing and tariff predictability so our factories can plan.

Rising healthcare costs: Small group premiums are projected to rise 11% or more in 2026. Small amusement businesses cannot spread risk like large corporations

and face impossible choices between cutting coverage and losing skilled workers. We asked Congress to expand access to association health plans, increase the small business health care tax credit, and support transparency measures that help small employers control costs.

In addition, AMOA leadership met with the Small Business Administration (SBA) advocacy group to discuss its ongoing debanking issue and met with three members of Congress to discuss the same.

Of course, our annual Fly-In wouldn’t be complete without some fun sprinkled in. The group attended the annual Congressional Ballgame at Nationals Park and

also invited congressional offices to attend our Arcade Game Showcase.

AMOA and AAMA attendees enjoyed working together on industry issues and had a great time sharing another productive legislative experience.

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Aug. 18–20:

Southern Amusement & Entertainment Expo, Gas South Convention Center, Duluth

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“AXES has always been proud of its agnostic culture toward third-party products,” said Earle Hall, president and CEO of AXES.ai. “However, the COAM market is changing rapidly, and our clients require much more intelligent and powerful FinTech tools and solutions. Payline is the first company in our ecosystem to build a truly intelligent, multifunctional, and fully integrated kiosk platform within the AXES Intelligent Management System.”



Earle Hall

Hall said the strategic alliance brings fintech, cashless solutions, loyalty, rewards, compliance, player engagement, and real-time operational control directly to the point of service.

Rich Winley, founder of Payline



Rich Winley

Network, is a former Georgia operator and a Georgia Amusement and Music Operators Association board member.

“I had a front-row seat to every gap in this market,” Winley said. “That vantage point let me step

back and build something the industry didn’t have, and it’s been my sole focus for the last two years, engineered specifically for this July 1 deadline.”

Georgia’s COAM master license holders are “facing the biggest operational and regulatory shift the market has ever seen,” Winley said, and “fragmented systems won’t survive it.”

Payline was built so master license holders and their location operators maintain compliance, while also receiving cashless, loyalty, and fintech benefits in one self-service footprint “that earns its place at the location,” he said.

The partnership with AXES, Winley added, provides a platform “backed by enterprise-grade intelligence built for the way this market actually runs.”

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The Expo will feature several new exhibitors this year, and attendees can expect to find some exhibitors debuting new products at the show. In addition, some will be offering special pricing during the show.

The event will also feature a live auction, a reception, the GAMOA Awards

Banquet, and a charity casino night on Wednesday at the Westin. The casino night, sponsored by Bally’s Intralot this year, will benefit a non-

profit organization, which hadn’t been identified as press time.

“We hope everyone stays after the banquet to play, have fun, and support a great cause,” Kaiser said.

Kaiser noted that those who want to attend the banquet only have to register by Aug. 7.

Extra education day

The agenda this year will again include an extra education day geared specifically toward Class A operators. Kaiser said organizers want to attract more family entertainment center and other amusement operators to the Expo. Several other seminars for Class B operators, suppliers and other interested people are planned for Tuesday afternoon. See details on the seminar on the next page.

In addition, a presentation by the Georgia Lottery Corp’s COAM Division takes place Thursday afternoon to close the Expo.

The Expo itself runs Wednesday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Thursday 10:30 to 2. The Expo allows attendees to see the latest in technology and offers operators and others a chance to compare products side-by-side, talk to manufacturers, and actually play the newest games available. The Expo footprint has grown again this year and will occupy both halls C and D in the Gas South Convention Center. The need to find additional space seems to be an annual occurrence, Kaiser said.

“The interest in the Expo is phenomenal,” she said. “This likely will be our largest show ever.”

Several awards on tap

The GAMOA Awards Banquet will feature presentations of several awards: the Coin Operator of the Year Award, the Lifetime Achievement Award, and the Cutting Edge Award, which honors

the developer of a top new product or service for the Georgia COAM market. In addition, Goldfinger will present the Marshall Hartmann Technician of the Year Award at the dinner. The application for this award can be found at www.sae-expo.com. Manufacturers interested in vying for the Cutting Edge Award can contact Kaiser.

Following dinner will be the traditional live auction featuring donations from GAMOA’s biggest sponsors and managed by spirited auctioneer and manufacturer Jonathon Culverhouse. Proceeds from the auction, always a highlight of the Expo, will benefit GAMOA and its mission to promote and

serve the state’s COAM industry.

Special pricing is available for lodging for those who act quickly. Rooms have been reserved at the new Westin Atlanta Gwinnett that adjoins the Gas South Convention Center for \$215 per night, plus taxes. The deadline to get a blocked room and preferred rate is July 28.

GAMOA is again hosting the event with the North Carolina Coin Operators Association.

Attendees and vendors throughout the Southeast can register online for the Expo at www.sae-expo.com. Prices increase at the door. For more information, contact Kaiser at (770) 284-6593 or christina@sae-expo.com.

com to register.

“All Expo information is on the website,” Kaiser said, including an interactive floor plan that allows users to hover their mouse over a booth number to see the vendor’s name and contact information.

Under the direction of Expo chairmen Paul Patel and Mark Brooks and their committee, the Southern Amusement & Entertainment Expo promises to be the don’t-miss event of the year.

“We invite everyone to join us and see why so many others have chosen the SAEE as their place to connect with the amusement and entertainment industry in the South,” Kaiser said.

2026 Southern Amusement & Entertainment Expo agenda



Tuesday, Aug. 18 – Skill Gaming seminar agenda

1:00 pm – 2:00 pm	Hardening Your Location Against Lightning & EMP Devices Featuring James Beck	Magnolia BC
2:15 pm – 3:15 pm	A Practical Guide to Launching Unlicensed Amusement Games in Your State Featuring Tom Fricke	Magnolia BC
3:30 pm - 5:00 pm	Gaming Legislative Update Featuring Paul T. Jenson	Magnolia BC
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm	Sponsor/Exhibitor Appreciation Seminar Attendees Welcome Shuttle buses will run from 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Dave & Busters

Wednesday, Aug. 19 – FEC seminar agenda

10:00 am – 5:00 pm	Expo Open	GSD Hall CD
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm	Upgrading your Crane Machines & Arcade Games for Cashless Play Featuring David Kochan	Magnolia BC
2:15 pm – 3:15 pm	Hit the Mark: TouchTunes & Dartboard Tech Mastery Featuring TouchTunes & Bullshooter Experts	Magnolia BC
3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	Beyond Crane Machine Alternate Prize Games Featuring David Kochan	Magnolia BC
5:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Exhibitor/Sponsor Reception	Dave & Busters

Wednesday, Aug. 19 – General agenda

10:00 am – 5:00 pm	Expo Open	GSD Hall A&B
5:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Reception	Westin Jasper Foyer
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm	GAMOA Awards Banquet	Westin Jasper Ballroom
8:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Live Auction Everyone Welcome	Westin Jasper Ballroom
9:00 pm – 11:59 pm	Ginger Foshee Casino Night Everyone Welcome Silent Auction ends	Westin Jasper Ballroom

Thursday, Aug. 20 – General agenda

10:30 am – 2:00 pm	Expo Open	GSD Hall CD
2:00 pm – 3:30 pm	COAM Seminar GA Lottery COAM Division & Intralot	GSD Magnolia A&B

Expo seminars available on a variety of topics

Skill Gaming Markets

Tuesday, Aug. 18

Hardening Your Locations Against Lightning and EMP Devices: This session explains how to harden your locations against electromagnetic pulses (EMPs) and voltage spikes that often occur during summer thunderstorms. It also covers which setups are more susceptible to damage or manipulation by EMP-type devices and how to mitigate those effects.

Level Up: A Practical Guide to Launching Skill Gaming in Your State: Thinking about expanding skill gaming in your state? You're in the right place. Whether you're just exploring the idea or ready to take the next step, this session is designed to give you a clear, practical roadmap covering what you need to know, what you need to do, the objectives you should set, the compliance risks to watch for, and which states are leading the way. We'll also unpack the often-overlooked role of "local justice" and how it can shape your path forward. This presentation is not legal advice intended for reliance, but it is the practical, real-world guidance that will help you ask

the right questions, find the right experts, and make confident, informed decisions about launching unregulated prize-based skill games in your state.

Gaming Update for the Amusement Operator: The session will cover a comprehensive overview of gaming, including relevant statistics and current trends, the various forms of gaming, and its proliferation and evolution over time. We will also explore unregulated gaming, ongoing legislative discussions, and the growing iGaming landscape, along with a review of state statutes that currently exist or are being pursued. The session will conclude with a Q&A.

FEC & Amusement

Wednesday, Aug. 19

Hit the Mark: TouchTunes & Dartboard Tech Mastery Join TouchTunes Technician Joey Principe for a practical session designed to sharpen your technical knowledge and installation skills. Joey will share valuable troubleshooting techniques, sound optimization tips, installation best practices, and other technical insights to

help you quickly diagnose issues and get the best performance from your TouchTunes equipment. Also joining the session will be Patrick Mulligan, who will be available to answer your dartboard technical questions, providing expert guidance on installation, troubleshooting, and maintenance.

Upgrading Crane Machines and Arcade Games for Cashless Play: Get ready to level up your arcade profits and modernize your machines. In this session, you'll discover why adding cashless payment options to your crane machines and arcade games can boost revenue and improve player convenience. Explore the different cashless solutions available for Class A games and how to choose the right fit for your operation and receive step-by-step guidance on installing and setting up a credit card reader. You'll also learn best practices for tracking sales, managing reports, and handling commission payments across both cashless and cash/coin transactions. Whether you're upgrading a single machine or transforming your entire game room, this session will give you the tools and insights to stay ahead in today's cashless entertainment

industry, plus a live Q&A where you can bring your questions and get real-world answers.

Beyond Crane Machines – Alternate Prize Games: Unlock new revenue opportunities and create unforgettable player experiences. In this session, you'll discover:

1. The exciting benefits of adding alternative prize games to your route and how they can increase engagement and earnings.
2. The different types of prize games available today and which ones perform best in various locations.
3. How to identify the perfect time to introduce a prize game into a location for maximum success.
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How ‘skill games’ exploded across PA and sparked a mega-dollar political fight

Parx Casino and Pace-O-Matic spent millions battling over gambling policy in Pennsylvania. Now lawmakers must decide who wins.

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Pennsylvania lawmakers have just months to decide the fate of tens of thousands of skill game machines operating across the state after the Pennsylvania Supreme Court ruled the devices are illegal under current law but delayed enforcement until October. The decision has intensified a yearslong political and legal battle between the state’s casino industry and the company that built Pennsylvania’s booming skill game market, with hundreds of millions of dollars in tax revenue, business income, and political influence hanging in the balance.

The fight pits Bensalem-based Parx Casino, Pennsylvania’s largest casino by slot revenue, against Georgia-based Pace-O-Matic, the leading developer of Pennsylvania Skill games. Their dispute has spilled far beyond courtrooms, shaping legislation, campaign spending, lobbying, and public opinion as both sides compete to influence lawmakers before the October deadline.

The competing narratives were on display in Harrisburg shortly after the Supreme Court’s June ruling. Parx CEO Eric Hausler praised the decision, arguing unregulated skill games had fueled crime, money laundering, compulsive gambling, and underage gambling.

Days later, Pace-O-Matic supporters packed the Capitol with a different message. Small-business owners, veterans, and members of organizations such as the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars held signs declaring that skill games provide vital revenue for neighborhood businesses and community organizations. Some supporters arrived on buses paid for by Pace-O-Matic.

The demonstrations reflected a conflict that has evolved into one of the most expensive lobbying fights in Pennsylvania politics.

An Inquirer review of court records, campaign finance reports, lobbying disclosures, and interviews with key participants shows how both

sides have invested heavily in influencing legislators, regulators, prosecutors, and the courts.

The stakes are enormous. Pennsylvania legalized casino slot machines in 2004, launching what has become a multibillion-dollar gaming industry. Since then, lawmakers have expanded legal gambling to include table games, sports betting, and video gaming terminals at truck stops.

Skill games, however, emerged outside that regulatory structure.

Unlike casino slot machines, which are games of chance, Pace-O-Matic has long argued its machines require enough player skill to distinguish them from illegal gambling devices. That argument gained traction in 2014 when a Beaver County judge ruled that one of the company’s games did not qualify as an illegal gambling device because the outcome depended on more than pure chance.

The ruling opened the door to explosive growth

Today, the Pennsylvania Attorney General’s Office estimates roughly 70,000 skill game machines operate in convenience stores, bars, restaurants, social clubs, gas stations, and other businesses throughout the state. Unlike casino slot machines, they generally operate without the taxes, licensing requirements, or consumer protections imposed on Pennsylvania’s regulated gaming industry.

That growth has created a lucrative business

Court records indicate Pace-O-Matic’s machines generated roughly \$525 million in gross revenue during 2024. The company receives about 20% of those proceeds, with the remainder shared between machine operators and businesses that host the terminals.

Casinos argue those machines have diverted customers from heavily regulated gaming facilities that collectively generated \$6.8 billion in gaming revenue last year while paying billions in taxes that support property tax relief, local governments, and other state



Gov. Josh Shapiro

programs.

Gov. Josh Shapiro has proposed bringing skill games into the legal market by authorizing up to 40,000 machines and taxing them at 52% of gross revenue, roughly matching the tax rate imposed on casino slot machines. His administration projects the proposal could generate nearly \$800 million during its first year.

The industry favors a different approach

Legislation backed by Pace-O-Matic supporters would cap the number of machines at 50,000 and charge operators a \$500 monthly fee per machine, a proposal supporters estimate would generate about \$300 million annually while preserving an important source of income for small businesses.

Rep. Danilo Burgos, one of the bill’s sponsors, has described skill games as a financial lifeline for neighborhood businesses struggling with rising costs.

The Supreme Court’s ruling has dramatically increased pressure on lawmakers to reach a compromise before October. Without legislative action, machine owners and operators could face criminal enforcement.

Pace-O-Matic says it will comply with whatever lawmakers decide.

“We’ll always abide by the law,” company spokesman Mike Barley said, adding that the company would leave Pennsylvania if its machines ultimately are not legalized.

The legislative fight has been matched by an extraordinary campaign to influence public policy.

Lobbying records show Pace-O-Matic spent \$8.4 million lobbying state government during the last five years, more than any other gaming company operating in Pennsylvania. The company assembled a roster of

well-connected lobbyists that includes former lawmakers, senior legislative aides, and a former chief of staff to Gov. Tom Wolf.

Its affiliated political committees have spent millions more supporting candidates and attempting to defeat lawmakers viewed as hostile to the industry’s interests.

Parx and other casino interests have also mounted an aggressive campaign, though on a smaller financial scale. Parx spent nearly \$1.3 million on lobbying during the same period, more than any other Pennsylvania casino, while its affiliated political action committee reported roughly \$1 million in expenditures since 2021.

The rivalry has produced multiple lawsuits.

Pace-O-Matic has accused Parx lobbyists and attorneys of improperly interfering with its business relationships and orchestrating legal attacks designed to cripple the industry. Parx has countered by arguing skill games amount to illegal slot machines operating outside Pennsylvania’s gaming laws.

One lawsuit revealed internal emails from 2019 in which attorneys representing Parx discussed coordinating litigation against businesses hosting skill games. According to court filings, one attorney proposed filing numerous lawsuits simultaneously to force Pace-O-Matic onto the defensive while drawing political attention to the machines’ legality.

The litigation also uncovered communications showing cooperation between Parx representatives and then-state Sen. Tommy Tomlinson on legislation that would have banned skill games.

Tomlinson later became a lobbyist for Parx after leaving the Senate.

The legal fight expanded further in 2020 when Pace-O-Matic sued the law firm Eckert Seamans, alleging conflicts of interest after the firm represented the company in Virginia while attorneys in Pennsylvania worked against the legality of its games. The litigation remains ongoing.

Casinos also pressed law enforcement officials to crack down on the machines.

Emails reviewed by The Inquirer show Parx representatives prepared presentations for

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officials in then-Attorney General Josh Shapiro’s office arguing that skill games undercut the Pennsylvania Lottery, lacked consumer safeguards, and presented money-laundering risks.

Other communications showed casino representatives discussing whether county prosecutors should be encouraged to pursue enforcement actions against businesses operating the machines.

Pace-O-Matic maintains that prosecutors shifted toward more aggressive enforcement after those efforts but says the company repeatedly succeeded in court challenges seeking the return of seized machines.

Battle generates calls of conflicts of interest

Parx executives have criticized Sen. Gene Yaw, a Republican who supports legislation favored by the skill game industry, because the law firm employing him also represents Pace-O-Matic. Yaw has said he does not participate in the firm’s work involving the company. Campaign finance records show political committees associated with Pace-O-Matic have contributed tens of thousands of

dollars to Yaw’s campaigns, as well as to numerous lawmakers in both political parties.

Pace-O-Matic has defended its political activity by noting it supports candidates across the political spectrum.

The company has also invested heavily in outside political organizations.

This year, affiliated groups spent millions attempting to defeat three incumbent Republican state senators who supported proposals to tax skill games at rates closer to casino slot machines. Television advertising, direct mail, and other campaign activity targeted GOP Sens. Lisa Baker, Camera Bartolotta, and Chris Gebhard.

All three ultimately survived their primary elections despite the spending.

Bartolotta said she never opposed allowing veterans organizations and small businesses to benefit from skill games but believed the industry should operate under meaningful regulation.

She argued Pace-O-Matic wanted to preserve an environment with minimal oversight rather than accept taxes comparable to those paid by casinos.

Supporters of skill games reject

that characterization.

Several lawmakers backing industry legislation argue the machines have become an important source of supplemental income for volunteer fire companies, veterans organizations, taverns, grocery stores, and other small businesses.

Sen. Anthony H. Williams, a Philadelphia Democrat who supports the industry’s preferred legislation, said lawmakers should protect those businesses while establishing reasonable regulations. Williams acknowledged receiving campaign contributions from both Pace-O-Matic interests and casino interests, saying donations did not determine his policy positions.

Parx executives say they sympathize with businesses that have come to rely on the machines but argue fairness requires skill games to operate under the same rules governing casinos.

Hausler noted that Pennsylvania’s casino industry employs approximately 15,000 workers and contributes more than \$2 billion annually in gaming taxes.

He has criticized the industry’s preferred legislation as providing an unfair advantage by imposing significantly lower tax burdens than casinos face.

Debate beyond gaming policy for lawmakers

Pennsylvania faces continuing budget pressures, making any new revenue source attractive. The differences between competing proposals amount to hundreds of millions of dollars annually.

As the October deadline approaches, lawmakers must decide whether to legalize skill games, determine how many machines should remain in operation, establish tax rates, and create regulatory safeguards addressing issues such as age restrictions, licensing, and enforcement.

The outcome will determine whether an industry that expanded rapidly during the past decade becomes part of Pennsylvania’s regulated gaming system or disappears altogether.

Despite years of bruising litigation, expensive lobbying campaigns, and bitter political fights, both sides agree on one point: the legislature must act.

Until it does, one of the most consequential gambling disputes in Pennsylvania history remains unresolved, with casinos, small businesses, veterans organizations, lawmakers, and the skill game industry all waiting to see who prevails.



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... and more!

Keep COAMs connected to ensure financial reporting

To ensure accurate reporting of financial data to the Central Accounting System, the Georgia Lottery Corporation (GLC) says it is imperative the Location License Holders (LLHs) ensure all equipment remains connected to the site controller and powered up at all times. The GLC maintains a record of those LLHs that are repeat offenders of failing to ensure the continuous connectivity and operation of Class B COAMs. Failure to comply with these procedures may result in fines up to \$50,000, suspension and/or revocation of the license.

Proper procedure for the decommission of COAMs

The proper procedure to decommission coin-operated amusement machines (COAMs) can be found on the COAM Division website, www.gacoam.com. The COAM decommission procedure should be followed when there is:

- A change of master, change of ownership, or cancellation letter received by GLC;
 - A COAM game board swapped out with a different game;
 - A COAM malfunction.
- To proceed with the decommissioning:
1. Call Intralot before disconnecting the COAMs from a location and removing those COAMs. The Master License Holder (MLH) needs to contact the Intralot Hotline at 877-261-6242 to properly decommission COAMs. The COAMs must be connected to the site controller at this time.
 2. Intralot will let you know when the COAMs are decommissioned. The Intralot representative will perform steps on the Intralot system that prepares the COAMs for the decommission. Once the steps are complete, Intralot will notify the MLH the machines have been decommissioned.
 3. Disconnect decommissioned COAMs from the site controller.



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28-Jun-26	04-Jul-26	08-Jul-26	14-Jul-26
05-Jul-26	11-Jul-26	15-Jul-26	21-Jul-26
12-Jul-26	18-Jul-26	22-Jul-26	28-Jul-26
19-Jul-26	25-Jul-26	29-Jul-26	04-Aug-26
26-Jul-26	01-Aug-26	05-Aug-26	11-Aug-26
02-Aug-26	08-Aug-26	12-Aug-26	18-Aug-26
09-Aug-26	15-Aug-26	19-Aug-26	25-Aug-26
16-Aug-26	22-Aug-26	26-Aug-26	01-Sep-26
23-Aug-26	29-Aug-26	02-Sep-26	09-Sep-26*
30-Aug-26	05-Sep-26	09-Sep-26	15-Sep-26
06-Sep-26	12-Sep-26	16-Sep-26	22-Sep-26
13-Sep-26	19-Sep-26	23-Sep-26	29-Sep-26
20-Sep-26	26-Sep-26	30-Sep-26	06-Oct-26
27-Sep-26	03-Oct-26	07-Oct-26	14-Oct-26*
04-Oct-26	10-Oct-26	14-Oct-26	20-Oct-26
11-Oct-26	17-Oct-26	21-Oct-26	27-Oct-26
18-Oct-26	24-Oct-26	28-Oct-26	03-Nov-26
25-Oct-26	31-Oct-26	04-Nov-26	10-Nov-26
01-Nov-26	07-Nov-26	12-Nov-26*	18-Nov-26*
08-Nov-26	14-Nov-26	18-Nov-26	24-Nov-26
15-Nov-26	21-Nov-26	25-Nov-26	02-Dec-26
22-Nov-26	28-Nov-26	02-Dec-26	08-Dec-26
29-Nov-26	05-Dec-26	09-Dec-26	15-Dec-26
06-Dec-26	12-Dec-26	16-Dec-26	22-Dec-26
13-Dec-26	19-Dec-26	23-Dec-26	30-Dec-26*
20-Dec-26	26-Dec-26	30-Dec-26	07-Jan-27*

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