



BISMARCK GOVERNORS
2015 American Legion Baseball Schedule
As of July 19, 2015

All games: Central Standard Time unless noted



Monday June 1 – Tryouts/First Practice – TBA

Fri-Sat June 5-6 - @ Baymont Hotel Invitational Tournament @ Mandan, ND

- Fri June 5 vs. Winnipeg (MB) – 4:30 pm; vs. Mitchell (SD) – 6:45 pm
- Sat June 6 vs. Regina (SK) – 11:15 am; Carillon (MB) – 1:30 pm

TUESDAY JUNE 9 - MANDAN (9-Inning game) – *Minnesota Twins Night at the ballpark*

***THURSDAY JUNE 11 – WEST FARGO (2) – 5:30 PM**

Fri-Sun June 12-14 - @ North Dakota/South Dakota Border Battle @ Rapid City, SD

- Fri June 12 vs. Rapid City Post 320 – 8:30 pm
- Sat June 13 vs. Sioux Falls East – 1:30 pm; vs. Pierre, SD – 4:00 pm
- Sun June 14 TBA

Wed-Sun June 17-21 - @ Decker Sports College World Series Tournament @ Omaha, NE

- Wed June 17 vs. Gross Catholic HS (Omaha) – 2:00 pm
- Thu June 18 vs. Creighton Prep HS (Omaha) – 5:00 pm
- Fri June 19 vs. Edmond North (Edmond, OK) – 9:30 am; vs. McClendon's App (Benton, AR) – 12:00 pm
- Sat June 20 vs. HitStreak (Denver, CO) – 12:00 pm

***Tuesday June 23 - @ Dickinson (9-Inning game) – 6:30 pm**

Wednesday June 24 - @ Rapid City (SD) Post 22 (2) – 6:00 pm

Thursday June 25 - @ Rapid City (SD) Post 22 (9-Inning game) – 1:00 pm

***SUNDAY JUNE 28 – WILLISTON (2) – 5:30 PM**

***MONDAY JUNE 29 – JAMESTOWN (2) – 5:30 PM**

***TUESDAY JUNE 30 – MINOT (2) – 5:00 PM**

***Friday July 3 - @ Mandan (9-Inning Game) – 7:30 pm**

***Saturday July 4 - @ Mandan (9-Inning Game) – 4:30 pm**

***Friday July 10 - @ Fargo Post 400 (2) – 4:00 pm (Bennett Field)**

***SATURDAY JULY 11 – GRAND FORKS (2) – 4:30 pm**

TUESDAY JULY 14 – MANDAN (9-INNING GAME) – 7:30 PM *Minnesota Twins Night at the ballpark*

***Wednesday July 15 - @ Dickinson (9-Inning game) – 7:00 pm**

Thursday July 16 - @ Minot (2) – 5:30 pm

FRIDAY JULY 17 – FARGO POST 2 (9-Inning game) – 5:30 PM

SATURDAY JULY 18 – RAPID CITY (SD) POST 22 (2) – 5:00 PM

SUNDAY JULY 19 – RAPID CITY (SD) POST 22 (7-INNING GAME) – 1 PM

Monday July 20 - @ Williston (2) – 5:30 pm

Wednesday July 22 - @ West Fargo (9-Inning game) – 5:30 pm

***Thursday July 23 - @ Fargo Post 2 (2) – 5:00 pm**

**denotes games that count in statewide/conference standings*

Tuesday July 21 – Team Picnic (players, parents, coaches and families) – 5:30 PM

Tuesday-Sunday July 28-August 2 - ND State Class 'AA' Tournament @ Dickinson, ND

Wednesday-Sunday Aug 5-9 - Central Plains Regional Tournament @ Bismarck, ND

Thursday-Tuesday Aug 13-18 - American Legion World Series @ Shelby, NC

Schedule subject to change

Baymont Hotel Invitational Tournament
Dave Ressler Field at Mandan Veteran's Memorial Ballpark
June 5-7, 2015

Friday, June 5

- 12:00 Regina Rattlers (SK) vs. Mandan Chiefs (ND)**
2:15 Winnipeg South Chiefs (MB) vs. Carillon Sultans (MB)
4:30 Bismarck Governors (ND) vs. Winnipeg South Chiefs (MB)
6:45 Bismarck Governors (ND) vs. Mitchell Post 18 (SD)

Saturday, June 6

- 9:00 Carillon Sultans (MB) vs. Regina Rattlers (SK)**
11:15 Regina Rattlers (SK) vs. Bismarck Governors (ND)
1:30 Bismarck Governors (ND) vs. Carillon Sultans (MB)
3:45 Winnipeg South Chiefs (MB) vs. Mitchell Post 18 (SD)
6:00 Mitchell Post 18 (SD) vs. Mandan Chiefs (ND)
8:15 Home Run Derby/Skill Competition/Coaches Challenge (more info on page 3)

Sunday, June 7

- 10:00 Regina Rattlers (SK) vs. Mitchell Post 18 (SD)**
12:15 Mandan Chiefs (ND) vs. Winnipeg South Chiefs (MB)
2:30 Carillon Sultans (MB) vs. Mandan Chiefs (ND)

Tournament Rules

- NO ENTRY FEE, NO REQUIREMENT TO BRING BASEBALLS
- Four game guarantee (Weather Permitting)
- Seven inning games
- Coin flip to determine home team
- Mandan will always be home team and be in 3rd Base Dugout
- Lineup cards should be in the press box 30 minutes prior to game
- Pre-game infield allowed for each teams' first game of the day
- All rules will be governed by the American Legion rulebook
 - o NO COURTESY RUNNERS ALLOWED
 - o DH only for the pitcher
 - o No Re-Entry for Any Player at Any Time
 - o 10 Run Rule after 5 innings
 - o Coaches must wear protective helmets per American Legion Rules
 - o Poor sportsmanship and swearing will result in disciplinary action by umpire/tournament staff
- Tournament Champion will be determined by overall record
 - Tie-Breaker System
 - 1) Head to Head
 - 2) Least Runs Allowed
 - 3) Most Runs Scored
 - 4) Coin flip
- Tournament Hotel & Contact Information
 - Baymont Inn & Suites
 - 2611 Old Red Trail NW
 - Mandan, ND 58554
 - Phone: (701) 663-7401
 - Fax: (701) 663-0025
 - Contact Person - Karen Summers - ksummers@ganglhospitality.com

Skills Competition (8:15 pm on Saturday)

Speed Kills

- one member from each team can participate
- everyone has one opportunity at each area
- total time is used = lowest time is the winner
- 3 Runs (Home to First, Second to Home, Home to Home)

Sniper

- two members from each team participate
- three throws from center field aiming at garbage can tipped over on home plate with a screen behind
- five points awarded for throws going into the garbage can, three points for hitting it, one point for hitting the screen

Coaches Challenge

- one coach per team
- pop flies into the "triangles" behind 1b, 2b, and 3b
- Closest to the Pin on the fly in centerfield
- Catcher pop up (based on air time and landing from home plate circle to backstop)

Home Run Derby

- two players per team
- ten outs per round
- HRs do not count against hitter (like the MLB Home Run Derby)
- Finals between top 2 HR hitters

Awards:

T-Shirts will be given to the winners of the Skills Competition

Check www.bgoys.org for all the latest news, announcements, schedules, and results.

2015 SOUTH DAKOTA / NORTH DAKOTA BORDER BATTLE

JUNE 12TH – 14TH

PETE LIEN FIELD – HOME OF THE POST 320 STARS

RAPID CITY, SOUTH DAKOTA

(Game times listed below are Mountain Time)

FRIDAY

12:00 - PIERRE VS DICKINSON

2:30 - PIERRE VS MANDAN

5:00 - SF EAST VS DICKINSON

7:30 - POST 320 VS BISMARCK

SATURDAY

10:00 – SF EAST VS MANDAN

12:30 – SF EAST VS BISMARCK

3:00 – PIERRE VS BISMARCK

5:30 – POST 320 VS MANDAN

8:00 – POST 320 VS DICKINSON

SUNDAY

10:00 - #3 SEED VS #3 SEED

12:30 #2 SEED VS #2 SEED

3:00 #1 SEED VS #1SEED

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SD/ND BORDER BATTLE TOURNAMENT RULES

1. 7 INNING GAMES. 8 RUN RULE AFTER 5 INNINGS AND 15 RUN RULE AFTER 3 INNINGS.
2. NO INNING WILL BEGIN AFTER TWO HOURS FIFTEEN MINUTES OF PLAY. GAMES TIED WHEN TIME LIMIT EXPIRES WILL GET ONE ADDITIONAL INNING. IF STILL TIED WINNER WILL BE DETERMINED BY MOST HITS, THEN RUNNERS TO THIRD, RUNNERS TO SECOND, THEN COIN FLIP.
3. ONLY COACHES AND UNIFORMED PLAYERS ARE ALLOWED INSIDE THE FENCE. BAT BOYS ARE PERMITTED (MUST HAVE A HELMET ON AT ALL TIMES)
4. AMERICAN LEGION RULES APPLY.
5. POST 320 WILL BE THE HOME TEAM IN GAMES THEY PLAY. OTHERWISE A COIN FLIP WILL DETERMINE HOME AND VISITORS.
6. COMPLETE LINEUPS NEED TO BE DELIVERED TO CROWS NEST AND OPPOSING TEAM 10 MINUTES PRIOR TO GAME TIME IF AT ALL POSSIBLE.
7. TEAMS MAY TAKE ONE 10 MINUTE PRE-GAME INFIELD PER DAY.
8. SEEDING CRITERIA FOR SUNDAY ARE BASED ON THE FOLLOWING:
 - WILL GO RECORDS FOR SEEDING..... IF THERE IS A TIE FOR TEAMS FROM THE SAME STATE WE WILL GO TO RUNS GIVEN UP AS 1ST TIE BREAKER AND THEN RUNS SCORED AS 2ND..... IF STILL TIED WE WILL GO TO COIN FLIP
 - IN THE EVENT THERE IS A TIE BETWEEN STATES ON OVERALL RECORD WE WILL USE THE SAME FORMAT AS ABOVE TO DETERMINE THE STATE THAT IS CROWNED THE CHAMPION
 - WE WILL ALSO HAVE A TROPHY/PLAQUE FOR THE INDIVIDUAL WINNER OF SUNDAYS 3:00 GAME