

DAILY NEWS



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WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 29th, 2025

Today's Playoff Game Schedule**55+ National Semi-finals**

FD21 Bombers vs Yonder Travelers
10:00am Fitch 1

55+ Mountain Semi-finals

3n2 Rangers vs Mustang Baseball Club
10:00am Fitch 2

Sacramento Rockets vs Nor Cal Cubs
10:00am Fitch 3

50+ Cactus Playoffs

NTX Oilers vs Milwaukee Rangers
10:00am Maryvale 4

Calzona Angels vs Rochester Redwings
10:00am Maryvale 5

Lehigh Valley vs Chicago MAXX Cubs
10:00am Maryvale 6

Salt Lake Bees vs Motor City Firebirds
10:00am Maryvale 7

55+ Cactus Semi-finals

4 seed vs 1seed
2:00pm Maryvale 6

3 seed vs 2 seed
2:00pm Maryvale 7

The Man Behind the Lens at the MSBL World Series - Jeff Lowery (APN Video)

Submitted by Steve LaMontia-Carlentini,
MSBL Director of Communications

Editor's note: Jeff Lowery and I have been working together for over a decade to promote his expertise behind the camera. I consider Jeff not only a shining star at our annual MSBL World Series in Arizona but a very good friend and a true professional. You probably don't know much about the guy behind the lens. We asked Jeff to put together a short bio so that you might know a little more about 'Mr. APN Video'. Jeff is the guy who will not only film your special game to help you create instant memories, but you'll also see him bouncing around the Valley of the Sun, shooting our 'Marucci Video of the Day' that appears in every edition of our World Series Daily News during the tournament.

In Jeff's own words, below is some insight into the man bringing you the highlights and memories from the MSBL World Series.

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55+ Playoff Teams Square Off Today

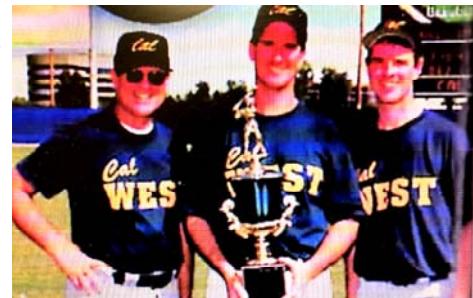


Sonoma County Diamondbacks shortstop, **Travis Menke** gets ready to catch this ball and tag out Long Island Twins base runner, **Sonny Hodges** during yesterdays afternoon game.

MSBL Father & Son World Series Includes 5 Separate Divisions

Our Father and Son Division Is Named After Adam M. Sigler, Steve's Oldest Son By Tom Prendergast

In 1998, we hosted our first Father and Son World Series. Val Lewis (who had a father who played ball and several sons), proposed the idea to Steve Sigler, the year before, in 1997. So Val had a year to talk this plan over with several league presidents and local team managers from Sacramento. He ended up recruiting 12 teams that first year and it became an instant hit. Here's what Val had to say about the F/S event: "It has grown every year to now include different divisions for varying skill levels. Not every dad wants to face a college kid that throws 90. The varying divisions allow you to play where you are most comfortable. The concept is to enjoy playing alongside your kids and grandkids first and foremost while creating lasting memories. I think we've accomplished that." Today our F/S division is the most popular and includes, brothers, daughters, grandkids along with nieces and nephews.



Val Lewis (left) with sons Craig and Brian after winning the first Father & Son World Series championship trophy in 1998.

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I remember my father taking me down to Riverfront Stadium and the grass was so green and everything was vibrant. I've never been so excited in my life than watching Pete Rose and the rest of that great team play. Of course, they won back-to-back titles in 75' and 76'. I truly believe that my team was going to win the world championship every year thereafter.

In 1996, I was hired by a local video production company to call MSBL World Series games in Arizona. I remember walking into old Packard Stadium on the campus of Arizona State. It was the first time professionally I called a baseball game from a professional venue. It was exciting. But the level of play back then wasn't as good as it is today. Unlike in the major leagues, I've noticed that many MSBL players collectively have improved the overall level of play. I truly have an admiration for so many of the players for the intestinal fortitude to persevere thru a grinding World Series schedule. For example, my good friend Kenny Forman throwing 67 innings on the mound in just a four-week span or Dick Fitzgerald pitching in a league with players 20 or 30 years younger and still getting people out. I think about many players not only playing all three weeks of the tournament, but playing for different teams in the higher age groups. This tournament is truly special. Steve Sigler's foresight back in the 90's has now become a baseball mecca for thousands of players. It has evolved in its 36 years from a novelty to being all about the memories and the camaraderie. I am proud that APN Video has been a huge part for many of the team's world series experience down thru the years. I really get into the games and pull for the teams who allow us to produce the video for them. There are so many wonderful moments, like another great friend Lou Gordon of the Chicago North Cubs winning his first title after 20+ years. Or watching the South Dakota Rushmores, with (continued on page 3)

35+ Cactus 1

Minnoka Grays

55+ National / Mountain

FD 21 Bombers (National)

Yonder Travelers (National)

Mustangs Baseball Club (American)

Nor Cal Cubs (American)

3n2 Rangers (American)

Tri Valley Tribute (American)

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Chicago North TSP's (American)

FD 21 Bombers (National)

Boston Wolfpack (National)

65+ National

LA Athletics

Tri Valley Tribute (Cactus)

Paladin (Cactus)

Puget Sound Mariners

Arizona Stallions (Cactus)

Sacramento Royals

65+ Cactus 1

Chicago MAXX Cubs (Div 1)

NDY Cardinals (Div 1)

Chicago Central Northstars (Div 1)

Long Island Yankees (Div 1)

Dragons (Div 1)

Team Black Ops (Div 1)

65+ Cactus 2

Motor City Firebirds (Div 2)

So Cal Dodgers (Div 2)

65+ Vets (Div 2)

OKC Classics (Div 2)

Team Mexico (Div 2)

Houston Tigers (Div 2)

65+ Desert

Racine Blues

Seattle Mariners

Aussie Aces

Storm Chasers

66 Vets

Monarchs

73+ National / American

So Cal Dodgers (American)

73 Vets (American)

Lehigh Valley Moondogs (American)

Virgin Island Reds (American)

PSSBL Aqua Sox (American)

Red Deer Legends (American)

TSP Fire (American)

Rhode Island Salty Dogs (American)

MBI (National)

LA Athletics (National)

Fresno Grizzlies (American)

Tucson Old Timers (American)



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John Larsen at the helm going from the 60+ division to now the 80's, and still making plays. What an honor it has been for me to call their games. I will also never forget filming the Roger Clemens game at the stadium in 2015 as well as covering the Wounded Warriors events, from softball exhibitions early on to their recent baseball competition as entrants in the World Series as the Louisville Slugger Warriors. I recall the number of requests to film team's re-scheduled games after midnight back in 2000, due to a week of constant rainfall, or the excitement of filming international diamond dreamers from Holland, the Netherlands, the Caribbean and of course Australia. APN started because I possess a passion for calling the game of baseball. For me, it's all about the people, the friendships, the memories and the greatest game on Earth!

55+ National Division	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 Boston Wolfpack (National)	5	1	0	10	32	833
2 Yonder Travelers (National)	4	2	0	8	57	750
3 FD 21 Bombers (National)	3	3	0	6	80	500

55+ Mountain Division	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 Mustangs Baseball Club	4	1	1	10	57	750
2 Nor Cal Cubs	4	2	0	9	47	667
3 Sacramento Rockets	3	3	0	7	54	500
4 3n2 Rangers	1	4	1	4	84	250
5 Tri Valley Tribute	1	5	0	3	71	167
6 Chicago North TSP's	1	5	0	3	85	167

55+ Cactus Division 1	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 Milwaukee Rangers	6	0	0	12	33	1000
2 Chicago MAXX Cubs	5	1	0	10	41	833
3 Salt Lake Bees	4	2	0	8	58	667
4 Calzona Angels	4	2	0	8	40	667
5 Houston Old Stars	3	3	0	6	57	600
6 Sacramento Nationals	1	5	0	2	87	167
7 Saskatchewan Sportsmen	1	5	0	2	105	167
8 REBL Phillies	0	6	0	0	93	0

55+ Cactus Division 2	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 Rochester Redwings	5	1	0	10	58	833
2 Motor City Firebirds	4	1	1	9	52	750
3 Lehigh Valley Hurricanes	4	2	0	8	66	667
4 NTX Oilers	3	2	1	7	54	583
5 Puget Sound Dirtbags	3	3	0	6	54	500
6 HCB	3	3	0	6	53	500
7 Alamo City Armadillos	1	5	0	2	81	167
8 Connecticut Navigators	0	6	0	0	104	0

35+ Cactus Division 1	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 Minnoka Grays	4	0	0	8	21	1000
2 Seattle Ravens	3	0	0	6	9	1000
3 Oakland Oaks	3	1	0	6	19	750
4 Utah Blues	2	1	0	4	15	667
5 Chicago Cyclones	2	2	0	4	22	500
6 Liga Del Oeste	2	2	0	4	33	500
7 Arizona Rebels	0	3	0	0	31	0
8 San Antonio River Burns	0	4	0	0	46	0
9 Sonoma County Rebels	0	3	0	0	28	0

35+ Cactus Division 2	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 USA Biscuits	4	0	0	8	25	1000
2 Houston Gamblers	3	0	0	6	2	1000
3 Long Island Twins	3	1	0	6	19	750
4 Nuevo Mexico Conquistadores	2	2	0	4	41	500
5 Tucson White Sox	1	2	0	2	14	333
6 San Diego Brewers	1	2	0	2	17	333
7 Arizona Heat	1	2	0	2	25	333
8 Sonoma County Diamondbacks	0	3	0	0	30	0
9 Connecticut Navigators	0	3	0	0	33	0

65+ National Division	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 LA Athletics	3	0	1	7	17	875
2 Sacramento Royals	3	0	1	7	27	875
3 Puget Sound Mariners	2	2	0	4	33	500

65+ Cactus Division 1	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 TX Black Ops	3	1	0	6	28	750
2 Chicago Central Northstars	3	1	0	6	28	750
3 Arizona Stallions	2	2	0	5	27	500
4 Tri Valley Tribute	2	2	0	5	26	500

65+ Cactus Division 2	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 Team Mexico	3	1	0	7	29	750
2 Motor City Firebirds	3	1	0	7	29	750
3 Paladin	3	1	0	6	19	750
4 65+ Vets	2	2	0	4	25	500

65+ Desert Division	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 Seattle Mariners	4	0	0	8	28	1000
2 Storm Chasers	3	1	0	6	30	750
3 Racine Blues	2	2	0	4	32	500
4 65+ Vets	1	3	0	2	57	250

73+ National / American	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 Red Deer Legends	2	0	0	4	12	1000
2 Tucson Old Timers	2	0	0	4	20	1000
3 Rhode Island Salty Dogs	2	0	0	4	20	1000
4 LA Athletics (National)	1	1	0	2	10	500

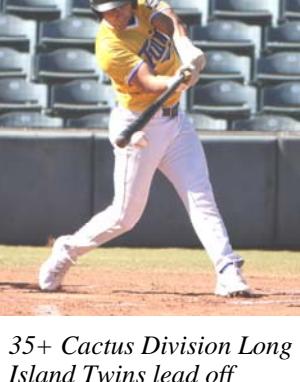
73+ National / American	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
5 PSSBL Aqua Sox	1	1	0	2	11	500
6 So Cal Dodgers	1	1	0	2	16	500
7 MBI (National)	1	1	0	2	22	500
8 TSP Fire	1	1	0	2	22	500

73+ National / American	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
9 Virgin Island Reds	1	1	0	2	29	500
10 Lehigh Valley Moondogs	0	2	0	1	34	0
11 Sacramento Solons (National)	0	2	0	0	25	0
12 Fresno Grizzlies	0	2	0	0	28	0

73+ National / American	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
13 73 Vets	0	2	0	0	30	0



35+ Cactus USA Biscuits of, **Matt Restivio** snags this can of corn pop up



35+ Cactus Division Long Island Twins lead off batter, **Luis Alavarado** drives in a couple of runs during his teams game against Sonoma County.



Sonoma County Diamondbacks pitcher, **Michael Miller** brought his A game to the park yesterday, holding the Long Island Twins to 3 hits and no earned runs.

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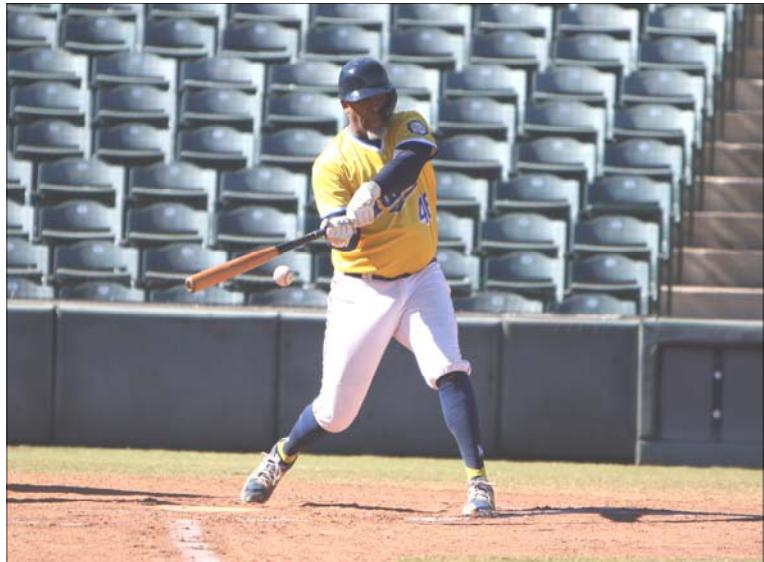



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35+ Cactus Long Island Twins batter, **Kirk Johnson** gets a good look at this ball in his teams 13-7 win over the Sonoma Co Diamondbacks



35+ Cactus Sonoma County Diamondbacks batter, **Derek Luque** gets around on this pitch and doubles down the right field line.



35+ Cactus Division USA Biscuits pitcher, **Luis Vega** came on in relief and picked up the save in his teams 9-8 win yesterday morning



35+ Cactus Division Houston Gamblers batter, **Roger Pena** drills this pitch up the middle during his teams game on Tempe 1 Tuesday



35+ Cactus Long Island Twins batter, **Yohanne Terran** goes the other way during this at bat for a hit to right field on Tuesday.



35+ Cactus Division Sonoma County Diamondbacks pitcher, **Jason Masciorni** delivers a pitch during his teams game on Tempe 2.