

# **THE AMERICAN LEGION DEPARTMENT OF WISCONSIN**



**2011 State Handbook  
86<sup>th</sup> Season**



# WISCONSIN AMERICAN LEGION BASEBALL



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# IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Team Registration	On or before June 1
Team Insurance	In effect <b><i>no later</i></b> than June 1
National form #1 completed via the website-www.legion.org/baseball	<b><i>no later</i></b> than June 28
<b>NOTE: FORM 2 MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE REGIONAL DIRECTOR <u>PRIOR TO</u> THE TEAM'S FIRST GAME. ANY TEAM THAT FAILS TO COMPLY WILL NOT BE ABLE TO PARTICIPATE IN TOURNAMENT PLAY</b>	
All-Star nomination forms due to Regional Director	June 28, 2011
<b>REGIONAL TOURNAMENTS</b>	
16 & under	July 15-20
17 & under	July 15-20
Varsity Class A teams	July 20-25
Varsity Class AA teams	July 22-27
Varsity Class AAA teams	July 20-25
<b>STATE TOURNAMENTS</b>	
16 & under at Mayville	July 20-24
17 & under at Wisconsin Rapids	July 22-26
Varsity Class A teams at Richland Center	July 27-31
Varsity Class AA teams at Tomah	July 29-August 2
Varsity Class AAA teams at Beloit	July 27-31
<b>NORTHWEST REGIONAL</b>	
At Midland, MI	August 4-9
<b>NATIONAL REGIONAL Division 2</b>	
At Viroqua, WI	August 4-7
<b>WORLD SERIES</b>	
At Shelby, NC	August 11-16
<b>WISCONSIN ALL-STAR GAME</b>	
At Miller Park, Milwaukee, WI	August 14
<b>NOTE: New date for JV teams. 17 &amp; under teams - January 1, 1994; 16 &amp; under teams - August 1, 1994</b>	

## *Ticket Orders:*

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# 40th ANNUAL AMERICAN LEGION ALL-STAR DAY INFORMATION MILWAUKEE BREWERS BASEBALL AT MILLER PARK SUNDAY, AUGUST 14, 2011

Pre-game ceremonies and introductions will begin approximately 12:45 p.m. with the Milwaukee Brewers – Pittsburgh Pirates game following at 1:05 pm. The Legion All-Star game will begin approximately 6:00 p.m. Each Legion All-Star team will have 27 players, with no more than one player from each team.

The nine-inning Legion All-Star game will begin after the Brewers game. If the score is tied after nine innings, the game remains tied.

**Player Selection:** Nominations of players are completed by coaches.

- 1) One (1) player may be nominated from each team.
- 2) Only players who have graduated from high school may be nominated.
- 3) Since only 54 players will be selected, we must have complete statistical information about players nominated to make fair selections. Include pitching records, batting averages, alternate positions played and a picture (***if there is no picture, they will not be picked***). Final selections will be made by the Regional Directors. All-Star coaches and All-Star players selected will be notified.

**BE SURE NOMINATIONS ARE SUBMITTED BY: June 28, 2011**

Nominations should be sent to your Regional Director

**Transportation:** Transportation to and from Milwaukee will be the responsibility of the participating players. Players will be notified of the time they are to arrive in Milwaukee. A Saturday night banquet honoring All-Star players and All-Star Coaches will be held. Sport coat, shirt and tie will be worn at the banquet. The banquet is complimentary for the All-Star players and All-Star coaches. Parents and guests may purchase banquet tickets. Overnight lodging will be provided for All-Star Players and All-Star coaches as well as transportation to Miller Park.

All other American Legion players are encouraged to attend as spectators. Teams and Posts are urged to arrange buses or caravans for extensive community attendance. **IT IS THE OBLIGATION OF ALL TEAMS TO REFRAIN FROM SCHEDULING ANY LEAGUE OR EXHIBITION GAME ON THAT DATE.**

**ALL-STAR PLAYERS** must bring their team uniform, bat, glove, helmet and catcher's equipment if applicable.

Each registered varsity manager/coach will be required to purchase/sell 10 or more tickets and JV ONLY teams are required to purchase/sell 6 tickets.



**SUN 8/14 1:10 PM**  
MILLER PARK • TICKETS \$32 OR \$42  
Includes Special Legion Pre-game Ceremony



vs.



*Followed by the*  
**WI AMERICAN LEGION  
ALL-STAR GAME**

Tickets only available for purchase through American Legion State Headquarters.  
**TO PURCHASE TICKETS, CONTACT THE AMERICAN LEGION AT (608) 745-1090.**

### *Message from the Baseball Commissioner*

*This is the 40<sup>th</sup> year that the Milwaukee Brewers franchise has supported the Wisconsin American Legion Baseball program and allowed the All-Star game to be played at Miller Park.*

*Fifty-four American Legion Baseball graduating seniors from across the state will be selected by the District Directors. They will be honored on Saturday evening, August 13, 2011 with a banquet and reception at the Radisson Hotel-Milwaukee West.*

*Following the Brewers-Pirates game on Sunday, August 14<sup>th</sup>, 2011, these seniors take to the field for the North vs. South All-Star game.*

*This program would not be possible without the sale of Brewers tickets purchased through The American Legion, Department of Wisconsin. Contact Kim at 608-745-1090 for tickets.*

*Thank you.*

*Stan Torstenson  
Wisconsin Baseball Commissioner*

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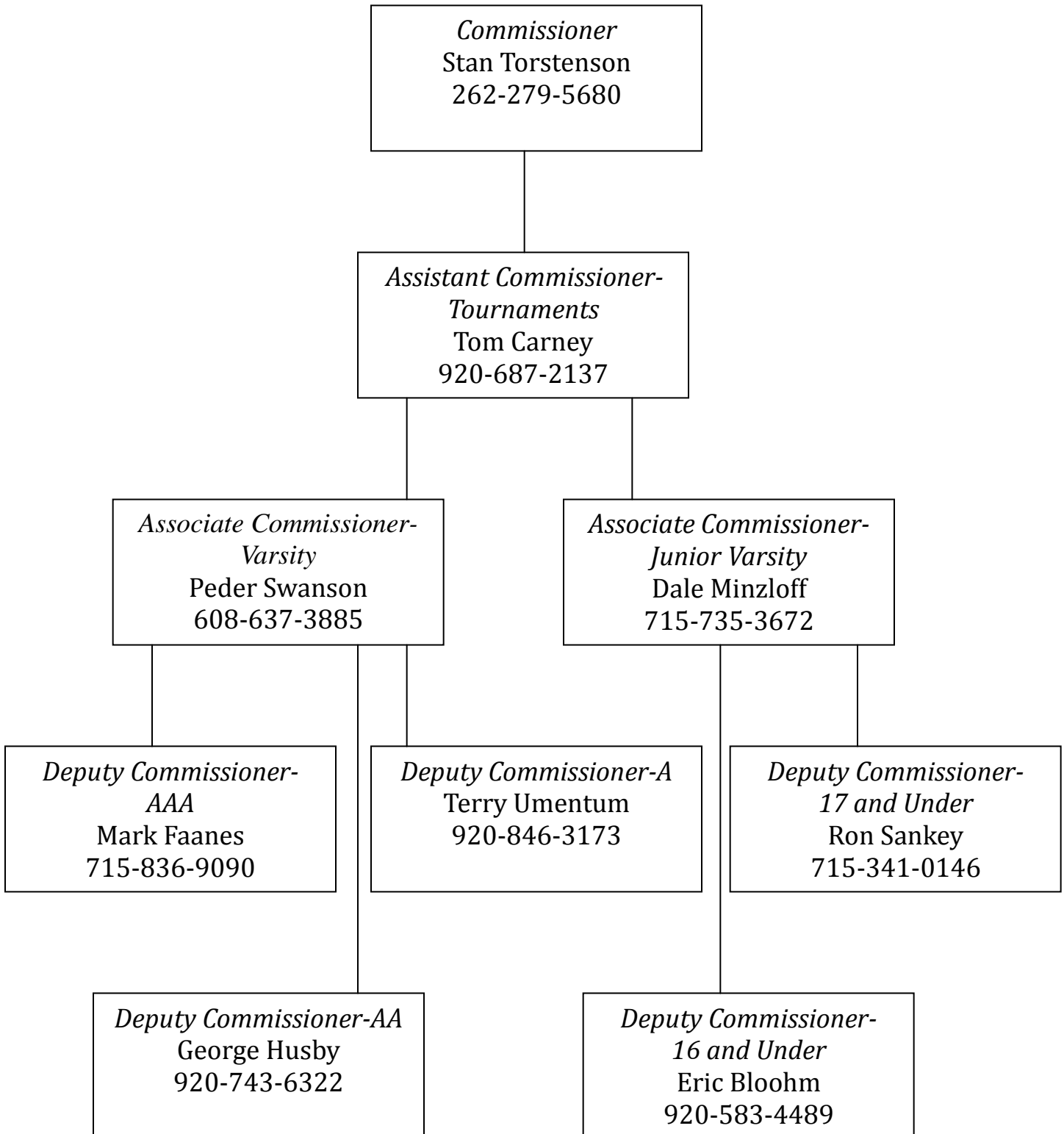
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*If issues or questions arise, please contact your Deputy Commissioner.*



# W.A.L.B.A. PLAYING RULES

## WISCONSIN AMERICAN LEGION BASEBALL 2011 PLAYING RULES

### RULE 1: PLAYING REGULATIONS

- A. All games shall be played under the OFFICIAL BASEBALL RULES as published by The Sporting News of St. Louis, Missouri (2011 edition) and as modified by the 2011 National American Legion Baseball Rule Book and the Wisconsin American Legion Baseball Handbook for 2011.
- B. In tournament competition, only registered players and not more than two **(2) adult coaches or managers, of the team, in uniform are allowed on the coaching line.** In all American Legion Baseball competition any manager, coach or player engaging in heckling or undue criticism of opposing players (i.e. trash talking) shall be ejected from the game following one warning. An **adult** must be in the dugout at all times. The use of any form of tobacco by a player, coach, manager or umpire while on the playing field, benches, in the bullpen or dugouts is prohibited. Any individual violating this rule will be ejected from the game. **The wearing of shorts is not permitted** in the coaching boxes. The rules concerning conduct on and off the field pertaining to State Tournament, apply to all Legion baseball games. Coaches and players must be in like uniforms to go on the field. **Coaches and players in the coach's box must wear a helmet.**
- C. **PITCHING RULE:** No player in Regional or State Tournament competition may pitch more than 12 innings or make more than 4 appearances as a pitcher in combining the total innings or appearances in any three (3) consecutive day period. Innings are derived at number of outs recorded. A double or triple play putting a player over the 12 inning limit does not constitute a violation of this rule. Pitching is recorded by 1/3 innings. Innings charged to pitchers shall be actual innings pitched.
- D. **BAT RULE:** Wood, metal, ceramic, or graphite bats may be used.
1. Wooden bats are permitted under Official Baseball Rules.
  2. The maximum length is 36 inches and the maximum diameter is 2 5/8 inches.
  3. The knob and end plug (if applicable) must be firmly attached.
  4. A bat may not weigh, numerically, more than three units less than the length of the bat (e.g., a 34-inch long bat cannot weigh less than 31 ounces).
  5. The American Legion is placing a moratorium on all composite bats for the 2011 season.
  6. Non-wood bat (aluminum) must have been approved, coded certification mark on the barrel of the bat signifying the bat is legal with either BESR or BBCOR bats are permitted in competition in 2011.
    - a) Effective with the 2012 season, non-wood bats with the BBCOR certification will be permitted.
  7. For all games and practice use, all non-wood bats must have leather, rubber or taped grips securely attached to the bat handle.
  8. Any bat that fails to meet these specifications or, in the umpire's judgment, has been altered to affect the distance factor or cause an unusual reaction on the baseball shall be removed from the game. The batter shall be declared out. Base runners shall not advance.
- E. All players are required to wear a protective helmet of the double ear flap type while batting and while on base. Catchers must wear protective helmets and throat protectors. Any player refusing to do so will not be permitted to continue to play. Bat boys and/or girls must wear protective helmets and shall be at least 12 years old.
- F. **RE-ENTRY RULE:** Effective with the 2002 season, re-entry will **NOT** be allowed at the regional and state tournament levels in Class AAA Tournaments.
- G. All teams including JUNIOR LEGION TEAMS must be covered by Group Accident & Liability Insurance for the entire season. Proof of insurance should be sent with the Form 1 to state headquarters. **Insurance** (liability and accident) **must be purchased through S.A. Van Dyk and must be effective on or before June 1, 2011 or teams without such insurance shall not be allowed to play.**
- H. **All teams must provide first aid kits at all games.** Medical permission and records shall be in the possession of teams at all times.

- I. **DESIGNATED HITTER RULE:** Effective with the 2003 season, all Class AAA Tournaments at the regional and state levels must use the American League Designated Hitter rule as published in The Sporting News Official Baseball Rules. A DH may only bat for the pitcher. Please consult the Official Baseball Rules for further clarification on the American League DH rule. All levels AAA, AA, A and JV must follow the National Rules.
- J. The Wisconsin American Legion Baseball Association, its Commissioner and members and officers of the Board of Directors of the Wisconsin American Legion Baseball Association are not responsible for bodily injury or property damage sustained by any player, coach or manager or other third party as a result of an accident or incident whether occurring on or off the field and whether during practice or a game or otherwise.
- K. The use of tobacco by anyone on the playing field is prohibited.
- L. **COLLISION RULE:** The American Legion National Baseball subcommittee is concerned about unnecessary and violent collisions with the catcher at home plate, and with infielders at all bases. The intent of this rule is to encourage base runners and defensive players to avoid collision whenever possible.

- 1. When there is a collision between a runner and a fielder who clearly is in possession of the ball, the umpire shall judge:
  - a. Whether the collision by the runner was avoidable (could the runner have reached the base without colliding) or unavoidable (the runner's path to the base was blocked) or;
  - b. Whether the runner actually was attempting to reach the base (plate) or attempting to dislodge the ball from the fielder.

**PENALTY:** If the runner, a) could have avoided the collision and reached the base, b) attempted to dislodge the ball, the runner shall be declared out even if the fielder loses possession of the ball. The ball is dead and all other base runners shall return to the last base touched at the time of the interference.

**Ruling 1:** If the fielder blocks the path of the base runner to the base (plate), the runner may make contact, slide into, or collide with a fielder as long as the runner is making a legitimate attempt to reach the base or the plate.

**Ruling 2:** If the collision by the runner was flagrant, the runner shall be declared out and ejected from the contest. The ball shall be declared dead.

- 2. If the defensive player blocks the base (plate) or base line without the ball, or is not in the immediate act of catching the ball, obstruction shall be called. The runner is safe and a delayed dead ball shall be called.

**Ruling:** If the runner collides flagrantly, he shall be declared safe on the obstruction, but will be ejected from the contest. The ball is dead.

**MALICIOUS CONTACT:** The National Baseball subcommittee is concerned that some coaches may not have explained to their players that malicious contact is illegal. The majority of intentional collisions occur at home plate where the catchers are blocking the plate. Runners should be instructed to slide directly to the plate, or away from the catcher, or to avoid making contact with the catcher especially when the defender is in possession of the ball. Any player who, in the judgment of the umpire, maliciously runs into another player is automatically ejected, and is declared out. Our tournament umpires have been instructed that if there is any intentional and excessive force, or if there is any intent to injure another player, the offending player shall be removed from the game. Malicious contact penalties will be enforced whether committed by an offensive or defensive player. Any player ejected by an umpire, is automatically removed from the national tournament, unless that player is reinstated by the national tournament director.

- M. **FORCE-PLAY SLIDE RULE:** The intent of the force-play rule is to ensure the safety of all players. ***This is a safety, as well as an interference rule.*** This rule pertains to a force-play situation regardless of the number of outs.
  - 1. On a force-play at any base, including home plate, the runner must slide on the ground and in a direct line between the two bases. This is a legal slide even if contact is made with the fielder.
    - a. On the ground can either be a head-first slide or a slide with one leg and buttock on the ground.
    - b. Directly into a base means the runner's entire body (feet, legs, trunk, and arms) must stay in a straight line between the bases. (A runner need not slide directly into a base as long as the runner slides or runs in a direction away from the fielder to avoid making contact or altering the play of the defensive player).

2. Contact is allowed if the runner:
  - a. Makes a legal slide directly to the base, or
  - b. Is on the ground at the time of contact and the fielder moves directly down the line between the two bases to attempt a play. Interference shall not be called.
3. It is illegal slide if:
  - a. The runner slides or runs out of the base line in the direction of the fielder.
  - b. The runner uses a rolling, cross-body or pop-up slide into a fielder. (A pop-up slide is a legal slide as long as the runner does not make contact with, or alter the play of the fielder.)
  - c. The runner's raised leg is higher than the fielder's knee when in a standing position.
  - d. The runner goes beyond the base and makes contact with or alters the play of the fielder. (Beyond the base refers to any part of the offensive player's body that makes contact with or alters the play of the fielder beyond the base.)
  - e. The runner slashes or kicks the fielder with either leg, or
  - f. The slide is flagrant. (If the runner's slide is flagrant, the runner shall be ejected from the game.)
4. The runner, on a force-play, makes an illegal slide at any base, including home plate, interference shall be called.

**PENALTY:**

1. With less than two (2) outs, the batter-runner, as well as the interfering runner, shall be declared out and no other runner(s) shall advance.
2. With two (2) outs, the interfering runner shall be declared out and no other runner(s) shall advance.

**RULE 2: PLAYER ELIGIBILITY**

- A. **Senior American Legion Baseball competition in 2011 is open only to players born on or after January 1, 1992.**
- B. Competition in the Wisconsin American Legion program is open only to amateurs. To be considered an amateur, a player must not have:
  1. Received money, favors or gratuities for playing baseball.
  2. Played baseball with or against anyone who received money, favors or gratuities for playing baseball.
  3. Accepted money or favors or reimbursement for time lost at work while playing baseball or for expenses incurred while playing baseball.
  4. Participated in any All-Star baseball games which are not American Legion approved.
  5. Accepted directly or indirectly or agreed to accept money or any favors offered by anyone for the player's baseball services, past, present or future. This applies to a player's parents, trustees, custodians or guardians.
  6. Tried out for any professional teams without the written permission of their American Legion Baseball manager, coach or post commander.
- C. **DUAL PARTICIPATION:** Players may participate on other baseball teams as long as that player obtains a letter from the coach. Copy of the permission letter should be forwarded to the Regional Director and State Commissioner. When Regional play begins, Legion baseball takes precedence over other activities (see National Rule for clarification).  
Clarification:
  1. **PENALTY:** Player is Not Eligible for Regional and/or State Tournament Competition. *For further interpretations of the Dual Participation rule, please refer to page 13-14 of the 2011 National American Legion Baseball Handbook.*
  2. **EXCEPTION:** Teams recruited from a total high school enrollment of less than one-half of the National enrollment limit (under 2,500, co-ed) will have the option of allowing their players to participate in qualified amateur league competition involving adult participants as long as it does not interfere with the players' commitment to their American Legion Baseball team or violate amateur rules. Coaches shall notify the State Baseball Commissioner in writing of any player in dual participation prior to tournament participation by that team or the player. Such players must be regular participants on their Legion team during the regular season. This rule shall be in effect on or after June 1st.
  3. American Legion Baseball teams may schedule games with other non-American Legion Baseball teams only with the prior approval of their Regional Director. The National American Legion office strongly recommends playing American Legion teams only.

4. An All-Star game must also have prior approval of the Regional Director and, if more than one region is involved, of the Regional Directors of all the regions involved.
- D. **BIRTH CERTIFICATES:** One certified copy of each player's birth certificate must be sent to the Regional Director who must have them along with Form #2 (Player Agreement) at registration. Notarized photocopies of birth certificates, hospital records, baptismal records, or school records are not acceptable. These must be certified Register of Deeds documents. This rule applies only to Class AAA teams. Teams participating at the A or AA levels shall submit duplicate photocopies of birth certificates or may submit copies of driver's licenses, baptismal certificates, school certificates, school records or hospital certificates to the Regional Director of State Headquarters at registration. All teams are required to file each player's National Form #2 (Player Agreement).

### **RULE 3: PLAYER RECRUITMENT**

- A. Any player who was enrolled, prior to **March 31st** of this year, in any public, parochial, private, technical, vocational or preparatory high school or a combination of these schools provided that the combined total enrollment of the school does not exceed 5,000 students (or 2,500 if the school is restricted to all-male enrollments) is eligible to participate in American Legion Baseball.
- B. The school enrollment totals of the 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grades as of March 31<sup>st</sup> shall be used and certified by a responsible official of each school.
1. The schools recruited from must be located within the corporate limits of a municipality or from adjacent communities. Any community by-passed must have its school enrollment added to the total.
  2. Any player whose parents move and who establish a new permanent residence after March 31<sup>st</sup> may play with the team nearest his new residence of his previous team. He must submit a written request to join the team nearest his new residence, accompanied with an affidavit from his parents that the move is permanent, to the State Baseball Commissioner by July 2, 2011.
  3. Private school enrollment is counted as a total of 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grades.
  4. Players in elementary schools, middle schools and junior high schools and 9<sup>th</sup> grade freshman high school students, must play for the base school team nearest their parent's legal residence. Enrollment of the schools they attend shall not be counted.
  5. **All teams must have a base school.** This is the principal school from which a team is recruited and remains so from year to year.
  6. **No team may have two (2) base schools.**
  7. **If more than one team has the same base school, the area must be zoned. This may be done by the agreement of the teams involved or by the State Baseball Commissioner.**
  8. **WAIVERS:** American Legion Baseball exists for the purpose of benefiting the youth of the State of Wisconsin who meet the stated age requirements and desire an opportunity to play baseball. It is the declared policy of Wisconsin American Legion Baseball that waivers of the rules relating to residency and school district attendance should be granted by the posts when the circumstances warrant a waiver. However, there comes from time to time a request of waiver/transfer that does not relate to residency and school district attendance. In these cases, the American Legion Baseball organization believes that each individual case should be reviewed by the posts and teams involved to decide if a waiver should be granted based on the information presented by each party and with the best interest of American Legion Baseball, as well as the individual athlete, considered. These waivers/transfers shall be to the nearest team to the parent's domicile. These waivers do not include players that have tried out or been released from their original team. These become automatic. As stated in the National Handbook, "Junior Legion players are not eligible to be transferred", therefore all players eligible for transfer/waiver must be Varsity players and put on the Varsity form 1. **If there is difficulty** in settling the waiver, the coach needs to contact the Regional Director who will then contact the State Commissioner.

## **RULE 4: PROTESTS**

- A. All protests of player eligibility for regional and state tournaments must be in writing and must be specific with definite written proof. Protests of player eligibility must be made prior to the start of the protested player's first game in the tournament. **The State Baseball Commissioner shall have the power to suspend or disqualify anyone violating state or national regulations or rules.**
- B. Protests of rule interpretation during the actual game conditions must be filed with the umpire-in-chief before the next legally pitched ball is thrown from the pitching mound.
- C. Protest(s) during Regional Tournament competition shall be handled by the Regional Director and the Associate Director in whose region the tournament is played with the assigned Protest Committee. Protest(s) will not be accepted by the State Baseball Commissioner or the State Protest Board unless a written protest has been filed with the Regional Director; and he has had an opportunity to file his ruling with the State Baseball Commissioner. The teams involved may then appeal the Regional Director's decision. No fee is necessary when a protest is filed with the Wisconsin American Regional Director.
- D. An appeal of the Regional Director's ruling, if desired, must be made in writing within 48 hours of the Regional Director's ruling accompanied by a \$25.00 appeal fee to the State Baseball Commissioner for action by the State Protest Board. Such appeal may be made by telegram, fax, e-mail or mail-a-gram. The appeal fee will be returned only if the appeal is upheld by the State Protest Board.
- E. The State Protest Board for 2011 shall consist of the President of the Board of Directors, Ron Sankey and Mark Faanes. The President of the Board of Directors will serve as Protest Board Chairman and preside over the meeting. He shall not have a vote. The State Baseball Commissioner will replace any director whose team or region is involved in a protest and may appoint any Regional Director or any Associate Director from outside the region or regions involved to replace any member of the Protest Board who is unable to serve. A qualified umpire may be consulted by the Protest Board. The Protest Board's decision shall be final.

## **RULE 5: TEAM AND PLAYER CERTIFICATION AND DE-CERTIFICATION**

- A. **TEAM REGISTRATION:** Each team must register with The National American Legion online no later than June 1, 2011. Registration form(s) must be accompanied by the \$150.00 team registration (entry) fee on credit card or debit card. **National fee of \$50 must be paid when registering as well.** The liability and accident insurance must be purchased through S.A. Van Dyk. Varsity teams will have the premium payments of \$145.00 for liability insurance and \$160.00 (\$235.00 seasonal) for accident insurance plus \$10 administrative fee, (totaling \$315.00) must be paid by separate check; payable to S.A. Van Dyk **ON OR BEFORE June 1, 2011.** All fees and insurance must be paid by credit card to National at registration.
- B. **TEAM DE-CERTIFICATION:** Any team may be decertified and disqualified from further participation in American Legion Baseball by a majority of the directors of the Wisconsin American Legion Baseball Association because of an intentional violation of state or national American Legion Baseball regulations or rules by any team member, coach or manager. In such event, there will be no refund of the entry registration fee or any insurance premiums that may have been paid.
- C. **PLAYER CERTIFICATION:**
  - 1. American Legion Baseball teams must register with their department baseball committee via the national baseball website: [www.legion.org/baseball](http://www.legion.org/baseball).
  - 2. American Legion Baseball players must enroll on the Player Roster of Eligibility (National Form #1 via the website). This form must be completely filled out to include each player's full name and the address of their parents' permanent legal domicile. This is an online registration process, therefore it is no longer necessary to print and mail this form to the national office.
  - 3. Only in case of death may a player be replaced as specified in Rule 6, E1.
  - 4. A team may certify only 18 players for tournament competition.
  - 5. A team may have a sponsor other than a legion post provided all other rules and regulation of Wisconsin American Legion Baseball are followed.

6. Junior varsity teams must be registered no later than May 1, 2011. National forms #2 are due at registration. Junior varsity teams (entry fee \$100.00) ( National Fee of \$25) are required to have both liability and accident insurance policies separate from the varsity team; which must have both liability and accident policies. It is required that Junior Varsity teams purchase both liability and accident insurance. Junior Varsity teams will have the premium payments of \$140 for liability insurance and \$100 (year round coverage) for accident insurance plus a \$10 administrative fee, (totaling \$250.00) must be paid by credit or debit cards **ON OR BEFORE June 1, 2011.**
7. No player may be added to the roster **AFTER June 28, 2011** deadline for Form 1 except in the event of the death of a player or a player joining military service occurring on or after that player is certified pursuant to Rule 6,E2.

### **RULE 6: TOURNAMENT ASSIGNMENT**

- A. The State Baseball Commissioner and the Board of Directors will assign each properly accredited team to a regional tournament.
- B. **CLASSIFICATION ASSIGNMENT:**  
In 2011 all teams with enrollment at 1,001 or above will be Class AAA: all teams with an enrollment between 501 and 1000 will be Class AA: and all teams with an enrollment at 500 and below will be Class A. Teams that would fall in a lower classification have the option of "playing up" in classification, and must declare this with its National Form 1 on June 28, 2011. There will be seven (7) regional tournaments in each class statewide.
- C. All questions, disputes and protests arising in any state tournament shall be decided by the State Protest Board in accordance with Rule 4 above. **The State Baseball Commissioner shall have the power to suspend or disqualify anyone violating state or national regulations or rules.**
- D. All Class AAA tournament games shall be nine (9) innings with a 10-run rule after seven (7) innings. All Class AA and Class A tournament games shall be seven (7) innings with a ten run rule after five (5) innings.
- E. All games in regional and state tournament competition shall be completed. In case of rain or interruption due to other unusual circumstances, any game so affected shall continue from point of interruption.
- F. All teams involving eligible players in Wisconsin, using the name of American Legion Baseball, whether competing in tournament competition or not, shall register under American Legion state and national rules. The American Legion Baseball insignia (patch) shall be worn only by certified American Legion teams and shall be displayed on the left sleeve or left chest of the uniform shirt. The emblems may be purchased at National Headquarters by calling 1-888-453-4466.
- G. It is the responsibility of the state tournament host to provide the State Baseball Commissioner and State Headquarters with the following: Class A & AA – one (1) 8x10 glossy photo of the state champion at completion of the state tournament. AAA– five (5) 8 x 10 glossy photographs of the state champion at completion of the state tournament.
- H. No state or national tournament host shall refuse to participate in a regional or state tournament.

## **RULE 7: RULES APPLICABLE TO REGIONAL AND STATE TOURNAMENTS**

- A. The Regional Director of each Region shall be in complete charge of all A, AA, or AAA tournaments held in his Region, with full responsibility for scheduling, umpire selection, etc. until a champion is crowned and certified to the State Baseball Commissioner. The Regional Director may appoint an Associate Regional Director as Tournament Director to represent him and report directly to him in event that he is unable to be present at any tournament in his Region.
- B. The host team of any tournament shall be given the opportunity to determine the placement (time) of its first-round game.
- C. Each tournament shall be a double-elimination competition. The Regional champions will be certified by the Regional Director to the Tournament Director with the seven (7) Regional champions competing in the State Tournaments along with the host team.
- D. The Regional champions will be certified by the Regional Directors to the State Tournament director. The Regional champions, and the host team, will compete in the State Tournaments. The Class AAA State champions will represent Wisconsin in National competition.
- E. The Director of the Regional Tournaments must certify his champion to the Commissioner and phone the state office with the champion.
- F. Class AAA tournament games shall be nine (9) innings with a 10-run rule after seven (7) innings. Class AA and A tournament games shall be seven (7) innings with a ten run rule after five (5) innings.
- G. No re-entry is allowed in tournament competition.
- H. National Pitching Rule 1N will apply in all tournaments. (State Rule 1C)
- I. No team will play more than two (2) tournament games in any day. A day shall constitute starting at 8 a.m. local time.
- J. Regional Director, Associate Director or a qualified Tournament Director representing Regional Director will be present and in charge of each Regional tournament game.
- K. All players are required to wear helmets while batting, running the bases, and on deck. Bat boys or girls must wear a helmet while on the field. Base coaches are required to wear a standard batting helmet. Baseball(s) used will be subject to prior approval by Regional Director(s).
- L. Protests – see Rule 4 and Rule 6, paragraph C. No protests on player eligibility will be allowed after the start of the protested player's first game in the tournament.
- M. All teams have to play at least 10 games against Legion Baseball teams to compete in regional play.
- N. The State Board of Directors or appointed designee will be in charge of all regional assignments and tournament pairings.
- O. All games in regional and state competition shall be completed. In case of rain or interruption due to other unusual circumstances, the game so affected shall be resumed from the point of interruption.
- P. **REGIONAL AND STATE TOURNAMENTS.** A coin flip shall determine the home team prior to each game. The loser of the coin flip shall have its choice of dugouts except that the host team shall always have its choice of retaining its regular dugout.
- Q. Teams eliminated from a tournament have the responsibility of reclaiming their team registration and player eligibility papers, including birth certificates from the Tournament Director.
- R. The state tournament host shall provide lodging for the commissioner or director that is assigned to supervise the tournament.

## **RULES APPLICABLE TO AMERICAN LEGION JUNIOR BASEBALL**

**NOTE:** All Wisconsin American Legion Junior Baseball teams and players will abide by the rules as set forth in the Wisconsin American Legion Baseball Handbook. The following rules are established for regional and state tournament play and are in addition to those set forth elsewhere in the Wisconsin American Legion Baseball Handbook.

- A. **PLAYER ELIGIBILITY:** Junior American Legion Baseball competition in 2011 is open only to players born on or after January 1, 1994. Junior Legion Baseball shall be limited to ages 17 and under. 17 year olds & under MAY BE listed on their varsity teams Form 1.

- **To be eligible for 17 and under competition, a team must have all players born on or after January 1, 1994.**
- **To be eligible for 16 and under competition, a team must have all players born on or after August 1, 1994.**

### **RULE 4:**

In accordance with the 2008 Midwinter meeting held in Wisconsin Rapids, WI there will be no Junior Varsity team attending the National Junior Tournaments. The board decided that because there was no interest by the advancing teams (in previous years) that Wisconsin will no longer participate in future National Junior Tournaments.

### **RULE 5:**

All games for JV will be 7 innings. Ten (10) run rule after five (5) innings for Regional Tournament play.

### **RULE 6:**

There is no National Rule. It is governed by the area states.

### **RULE 7:**

**JUNIOR LEGION PITCHING** - *page 6 of the Legion National handbook states:* No player may pitch more than a total of 10 innings during any consecutive three-day period. No player may make more than three (3) appearances as a pitcher during any consecutive three-day period. **PENALTY:** Game shall be forfeited if protest is filed with the umpire in chief before the last out of the game.

- a. Should a double or triple play cause a pitcher to exceed the permitted 10 innings in three consecutive days that action in and of itself shall not be construed as a violation of this rule.
- b. Any player may be removed from the pitching position and remain in the game at another position. However, a pitcher will be automatically removed when a coach makes two trips to the mound in the same inning and that player cannot return as a pitcher in that game. **PENALTY:** Forfeiture of the game if a protest is filed with the umpire-in-chief before the last out of the game.

### **RULE 8:**

There will be two (2) Junior State Tournaments, one for teams 17 & under and a second for teams 16 & under.

- **To be eligible to play for the 2011 National 17 & under Junior Tournament players must be born after January 1<sup>st</sup> 1994.**
- **To be eligible to play for the 2011 National 16 & under Junior Tournament players must be born after August 1<sup>st</sup> 1994.**

# TOURNAMENT SCHEDULES

## Official Double Elimination Tournament Schedules

### 4-Team Schedule:

Game	No. 1	Team A vs. Team B
	No. 2	Team C vs. Team D (host)
	No. 3	Loser Game 1 vs. Loser Game 2
	No. 4	Winner Game 1 vs. Winner Game 2
	No. 5	Loser Game 4 vs. Winner Game 3
	No. 6	Winner Game 4 vs. Winner Game 5
	No. 7	Loser Game 6 vs. Winner Game 6, if necessary

### 5-Team Schedule:

Game	No. 1	Team A vs. Team B
	No. 2	Team C vs. Team D
	No. 3	Winner Game 1 vs. Team Bye
	No. 4	Loser Game 1 vs. Loser Game 2
	No. 5	Winner Game 2 vs. Winner Game 3
	No. 6	Winner Game 4 vs. Loser Game 3
	No. 7	Winner Game 6 vs. Loser Game 5
	No. 8	Winner Game 5 vs. Winner Game 7 (if necessary)
	No. 9	Loser of Game 8 if first loss vs. Winner Game 8

### 6-Team Schedule:

Game	No. 1	Team A vs. Team B
	No. 2	Team C vs. Team D
	No. 3	Team E vs. Team F (host)
	No. 4	Loser Game 1 vs. Loser Game 2
	*No. 5	Winner Game 1 vs. Loser Game 3
	No. 6	Winner Game 2 vs. Winner Game 3
	No. 7	Winner Game 4 vs. Loser Game 6
	No. 8	Winner Game 5 vs. Winner Game 6 (Winner Game 8 draws bye)
	No. 9	Winner Game 7 vs. Loser Game 8
	No. 10	Winner Game 8 vs. Winner Game 9 or Loser Game 10 has suffered first loss
	No. 11	Winner Game 10 vs. Loser Game 10
	*Note: If loser Game 3 wins Game 5, the following schedule will be followed beginning with Game 7.	
	No. 7	Winner Game 4 vs. Winner Game 5
	No. 8	Loser Game 5 vs. Loser Game 6
	No. 9	Winner Game 6 vs. Winner Game 7
	No. 10	The Team with the 3-1 record has the Bye into the Championship Game.
	No. 11	Repeat No 10 if necessary

### 7-Team Schedule:

Game	No. 1	Team A vs. Team B
	No. 2	Team C vs. Team D
	No. 3	Team E vs. Team F (host)
	No. 4	Winner Game 2 vs. Team with Bye
	No. 5	Loser Game 1 vs. Loser Game 3
	No. 6	Winner Game 1 vs. Winner Game 3
	No. 7	Loser Game 2 vs. Winner Game 5
	No. 8	Loser Game 4 vs. Loser Game 6
	No. 9	Winner Game 4 vs. Winner Game 6
	*No. 10	Winner Game 7 vs. Loser Game 9
	No. 11	Winner Game 8 vs. Winner Game 9
	**No. 12	Winner Gm. 10 vs. Winner Gm. 11
	No. 13	Winner Gm. 12 vs. Loser Gm. 12 (if necessary)

\*Note: Thirteen games will be needed if Winner Game 9 loses, Game 11 or Winner Game 10 wins Game 12.

\*\*Note: If 3 teams remain after Game 11, the last team to lose will receive bye.

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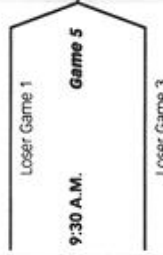
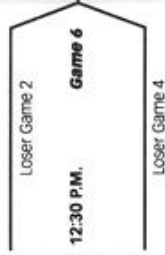
For all tournaments, games should be played evenly giving no team an advantage in days off. For example, in an eight-team tournament the first four games should be played in one day, as well as the first three games in a six- or seven-team tournament. The first two games should be played in one day in a four- and five-team tournament.

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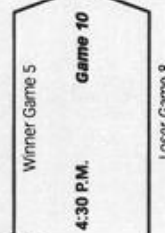
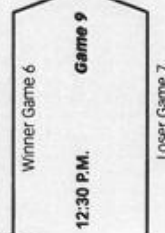
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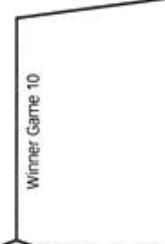
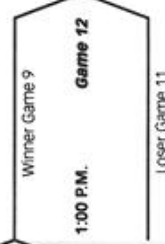
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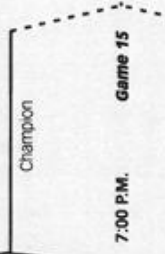
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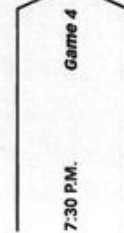
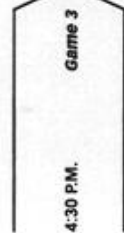
**Day 4**



**Day 5**



**Winners' Bracket**



**NOTE: All start times listed are suggested start times only.**

- Game 12** – Winner Game 9 vs. Loser Game 11 (see NOTE 1 to right)
- Game 13** – Winner Game 10 vs. Winner Game 11 (see NOTE 1 to right)
- Game 14** – Winner Game 12 vs. Winner Game 13 (see NOTE 2 to right)
- Game 15** – (if necessary) fifteen games will be needed if Winner Game 11 loses Game 13 or Winner Game 12 wins Game 14

**NOTE 1:** Pairing for Game 12 and 13 will not match previous opponents against each other unless absolutely necessary. (National Representative has further instructions – see Explanation on back of this page.)

**NOTE 2:** If three teams remain after Game 13, the winner of Game 11 automatically draws the bye in Game 14.



# REGIONAL AND STATE TOURNAMENT RULES

## HOST RULES:

1. Fees (State tournament only) - AAA (\$2,000), AA (\$2,000), A (\$2,000), Junior Legion (\$750). A \$500 fee is paid the day the bid is awarded, with the balance of the fee to be paid no later than 90 days after the completion of the tournament.
2. Lodging accommodations shall be made available for all teams and parents that must stay overnight.
3. Regional host (cities) may require a fee maximum \$60 per game to help defray cost of hosting a regional tournament for Varsity and JV.
4. Umpires-Senior Legion Regional play has two (2) umpires, and three (3) during the State tournament until the final day when four (4) umpires will be used. The crew must be approved by the state board with fees to be set by the tournament host. Lodging shall be provided for umpires who don't drive to each game.  
Umpires (JV) - Each game must have two (2) umpires. The crew must be approved by the state board with fees to be set by the tournament host. Motel rooms shall provided for umpires who don't drive to each game.
5. An official scorekeeper(s) must be named. The scorekeeper must keep official statistics and head the selection of the All-Star team, sportsmanship award, most valuable player and batting award.
6. A hotel room must be provided for the state commissioner or appointed tournament director if it is needed.
7. The commissioner or assigned tournament director must check all National form 1's before any team plays its first game.
8. ***The host is to have a photographer at the first day*** of the tournament and provide the tournament director with five (5) copies of each team by the third (3<sup>rd</sup>) day of the tournament.
9. Tournament forfeits: Teams must notify the regional host team at least one week prior to the start of the tournament if unable to field a team. Once regional play begins teams that fail to field at least nine players at the start of scheduled game date and time, will be fined \$250 and be disqualified from the rest of the tournament. Fine must be paid to the host team prior to the start of the next season. Failure to do so will result in forfeited team being suspended from regional play for one year.
10. Selling of souvenirs at tournaments: Selling of souvenirs is not permitted EXCEPT by the host team.

## TEAM RULES:

1. All team members and coaches must be in full baseball uniform. No shorts are allowed.
2. Each team must field nine (9) members or forfeit will be declared.
3. Each team will arrange for its own lodging provided by the host.
4. It is the responsibility of the coaches to supervise their own team.
5. The coaches are responsible for the conduct of their team on and off the field.
6. Curfew rules enforced by the teams are set by the State. Eleven (11 p.m. or one (1) hour after the completion of the last game of the day.
7. Any complaints by hotel/motel management or other authorities which can be substantiated will result in immediate suspension from the tournament for anyone involved and they shall return home by means of the first available transportation. The tournament director in charge of the tournament will investigate such complaints. If individual offenders cannot be identified, the entire team will be suspended from further participation in the tournament.
8. During a state tournament, any player, coach or manager ejected from a game by an umpire for unsportsmanlike conduct is suspended for the balance of the tournament unless reinstated by the state tournament director. The state tournament director's decision is final
9. Suspension of Athletes: If a player is ejected from a "regular season" game, that player will have a minimum one game suspension - to be served during the team's next scheduled game. Coaches must notify the regional director of ejections.

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1926		No Tournament					
1927		No Tournament					
1928		Milwaukee	1978	AA	LaCrosse		
1929		Milwaukee		A	Middleton		
1930		Neenah	1979	AA	Appleton	1999	AAA
1931		Milwaukee		A	Jefferson		DePere
1932		Appleton	1980	AA	LaCrosse		AA
1933		Waukesha		A	Jefferson	2000	AAA
1934		Milwaukee	1981	AA	LaCrosse		Beloit
1935		Ashland		A	Jefferson		AA
1936		Wisconsin Rapids	1982	AA	LaCrosse	2001	AAA
1937		Oconto Falls		A	Beaver Dam		LaCrosse
1938		Cudahy	1983	AA	Janesville		AA
1939		LaCrosse		A	Kimberly	2002	AAA
1940		Milwaukee	1984	AA	Racine		Appleton Rebels
1941		LaCrosse		A	Beaver Dam		AA
1942		LaCrosse	1985	AA	Oconomowoc		Shawano
1943		Milwaukee		A	Kimberly	2003	AAA
1944		Appleton	1986	AA	Eau Claire		DePere
1945		West Allis		A	Kimberly		AA
1946		South Milwaukee	1987	AA	LaCrosse	2004	AAA
1947		LaCrosse		A	Stoughton		Shawano
1948		Oshkosh	1988	AAA	Wisconsin Rapids		A
1949		Beloit		AA	Jefferson	2005	AAA
1950		Menasha		A	Clintonville		Watertown
1951		Menasha	1989	AAA	Janesville		AA
1952		West Allis		AA	Beaver Dam	2006	AAA
1953		Oshkosh		A	Ripon		Oshkosh
1954		Oshkosh	1990	AAA	Appleton		AA
1955		Oshkosh		AA	Kimberly	2007	AAA
1956		New London		A	Ripon		Plover
1957		Oshkosh	1991	AAA	Appleton		AA
1958		Fond du Lac		AA	Onalaska	2008	AAA
1959		West Allis		A	Viroqua		DePere
1960		Green Bay	1992	AAA	Stevens Point		AA
1961		Beloit		AA	Ashwaubenon	2009	AAA
1962		West Allis		A	DeForest		Clintonville
1963		Kenosha	1993	AAA	Appleton		AA
1964		Kenosha		AA	Menasha	2010	AAA
1965		Superior		A	Holmen		Wausau
1966		Beloit	1994	AAA	Appleton		AA
1967		Madison		AA	Tomah		Rhineland
1968		Janeville		A	Shawano		Clintonville
1969		Eau Claire	1995	AAA	Wisconsin Rapids		
1970		Eau Claire		AA	Menasha		
1971		Janeville		A	Ladysmith		
1972		Eau Claire	1996	AAA	Stevens Point		
1973		Beloit		AA	Chippewa Falls		
1974	AA	Janesville		A	Nekoosa		
	A	Oconto Falls	1997	AAA	G.B. Shockers		
1975	AA	Janesville		AA	Hortonville		
	A	Waupun		A	Prairie du Chien		
1976	AA	Janesville					
	A	Waupun					

# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

## AMERICAN LEGION BASEBALL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

A scholarship in the amount of \$500 will be awarded by the Wisconsin American Legion Baseball Association to an American Legion baseball player in accordance with the following criteria.

1. The recipient must be a player who is in his final season of American Legion Baseball eligibility.
2. The recipient must have plans for continued education whether it is a four (4) year college or university, technical school or two (2) year school.
3. The recipient must be a good citizen whose conduct on and off the baseball field reflects credit on himself, his family, his community and the American Legion Baseball program
4. In selecting the recipient for this award, consideration shall be given to the recipient's needs.
5. Nomination for the award shall be made by the appropriate regional director on a regular rotating basis subject to the approval of the Board of Directors. Region 6 will make the nomination in 2011.

### COMMUNICABLE DISEASE PROCEDURES

**There is a risk of blood borne infectious diseases being transmitted. Procedures for reducing the potential for transmission of infectious agents should include, but not limited to the following:**

1. Bleeding must be stopped, the open wound covered and if there is an excessive amount of blood on the uniform, it must be changed before that athlete may continue play.
2. Routine use of latex gloves or other precautions to prevent skin and mucous-membrane exposure when contact with blood or other body fluids is anticipated.
3. Wash hands and other skin if contaminated (in contact) with blood or other body fluids immediately.
4. Clean all blood contaminated surfaces and equipment with a solution made from a proper dilution of household bleach (Center of Disease Control recommends 1 – 100. One part bleach to 100 parts water.)
5. Proper disposal procedures are necessary of all contaminated material.
6. Disposal bags should be carried with emergency supplies and so marked. Most hospitals will accept these contamination bags for proper disposal.
7. Saliva has not been implicated in HIV transmission. To minimize the need for emergency mouth to mouth resuscitation, mouth pieces, resuscitation bags or other ventilation devices should be available for use.
8. Trainers/Coaches with bleeding or oozing skin conditions should refrain from all direct athletic care until the condition resolves.
9. Paper towels, spray bottles latex gloves, disposal bags, bleach and water should be part of your emergency supplies. Cloth towels should never be used in any clean up.
10. Disinfectant – Spray bottles mix must be changed daily. It loses its potency over a period of time.
11. When possible athletes should deal with their own bleeding. Example: stopping their bloody nose, strawberry burns, etc. Supervision of proper treatment is important.

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Any permission given will be granted on a one-time basis for a given quantity. Additional orders will require new authority and the manufacturer must not produce more items than that being ordered. Permission will be given with the caveat that all material used will specifically identify the Post. If the merchandise requested is available through American Legion Emblem Sales, you will receive a quote for the merchandise or a one-time limited permission. If the merchandise is not available through American Legion Emblem Sales, you will receive a one-time limited permission or denial of permission. You may purchase directly from approved American Legion licensees, or their retail outlets. To view a list of current approved licensees of The American Legion, visit our website, <http://emblem.legion.org>.

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# WISCONSIN AMERICAN LEGION BASEBALL

## *Code of Sportsmanship*

### ***I WILL:***

***KEEP*** the rules

***KEEP*** faith with my teammates

***KEEP*** my temper

***KEEP*** myself fit

***KEEP*** a stout heart in defeat

***KEEP*** my pride under in victory

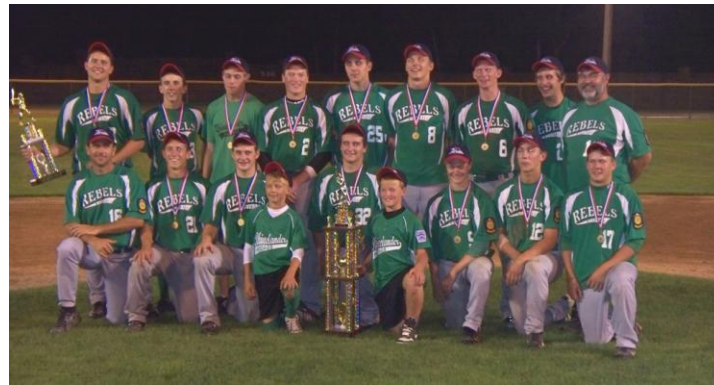
***KEEP*** a sound soul, a clean mind  
and healthy body.

# 2010 STATE CHAMPIONS



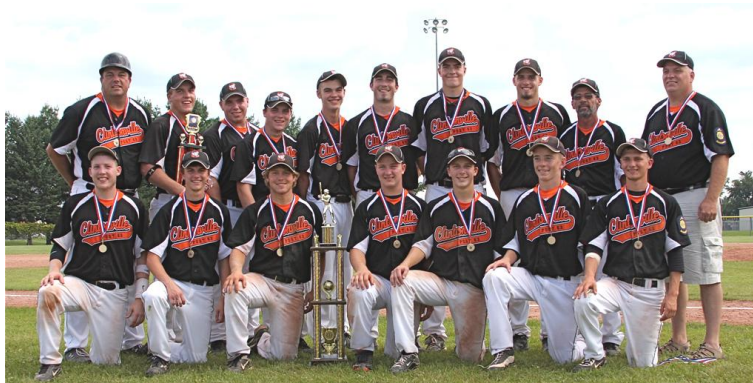
**Wausau — 2010 Class AAA State Champions**  
*In Alphabetical Order*

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Coaches-Louis Eisenman and Brock McMullen



**Rhineland— 2010 Class AA State Champions**  
*In Alphabetical Order*

Alex Baumgartner, Micah Baumgartner, Bradley Comer-Batboy, Kyle Comer, Nathan Crab, Jake Godin-Batboy, Alex Henkel, Chris Hirman, Sam Huebner, Dan Kellen, Ben Klosiewski, Bryan Kronberger, Lucas Michlig, Ryan Morris, Ben Prom, Nathan Schmidt, Tyler Thorsen, Shane White, Troy White, Joe Zuiker, Coaches: Tyler Henkel, John Huebner, Dan Huhnstock



**Clintonville — 2010 Class A State Champions**  
*In Alphabetical Order*

Cody Hanke, Bret Hogan, Jordan Jess, Rocky Larson, Curtis Morgan, Ryan Pedretti, Jake Perner, Levi Pintz, Tom Sawyer, Nate Simpson, Lucas Smillie, Riley Spetz, Justin Thebo, Pat Vandaalwyk, Chandler White, Dylan Willett, Manager: Pat Wiley, Assistant Coach: Bill Vandaalwyk

# 2010 STATE ALL- STARS



## 2010 NORTH ALL-STARS

*Alphabetical order:*

**Players:** Jordan Anderson-Seymour, Jeff Baltus-Wisconsin Rapids, Austin Barnes-Winnecomme, Grant Bub-Medford, Adam Diedrich-Kaukauna, Aaron Eichsteadt-Port Edwards, Matt Francois-Green Bay, Maxwell Frederick-New London, A.J. Gaura-Suamico, Adam Grambow-Menasha, Casey Gudis-Ladysmith, Tanner Gussert-Wrightstown, Marty Herum-River Falls, Josh Kuester-Appleton, Kyle Kuske-Green Bay, Leslie Dylan-New Richmond, Jake McIlguham, Nick Nalbach-Plover, Jake Peterson-Eau Claire, Ryan Popelka-White Lake, Will Randerson-Combined Locks, Tom Sawyer-Egg Harbor, Brad Sobek-Lena, Jared Tomany-Bryant, Zachary Wendorf-Merrill, Jeff Zorr-Luxemburg

**Coaches:** Eric Beard-Wrightstown, Tom Magnuson-Wausau, Bob Pigeon-Green Bay

**Also Pictured:** Milwaukee Brewers Bench Coach, Willie Randolph, Wisconsin American Legion Commander Robert S. Batty, WALBB Commissioner Stan Torstenson, WALBB President Pete Swanson.



## 2010 SOUTH ALL-STARS

*Alphabetical order:*

**Players:** Tyler Adams-Onalaska, Clinton Andreson-Genoa City, Mitch Aplin-Beaver Dam, Alexander Bernstein-Beloit, Ryan Boettcher-Bonduel, Adam Bunkowske-Beaver Dam, Trey Candahl-Holmen, Casey Cantwell-Watertown, Zachary Downing-Reedsburg, Nathan Drunasky-Middleton, Jon Dyberik-Madison, Sean Gerber-Stoughton, Brett Hogan-Prairie du Chien, Bobby Juan-LaCrosse, Matt Lagoda-Wisconsin Dells, Dustin Langsdorf-Mayville, Dustin Manthe-Mauston, Matthew Paulsrud-Stoddard, Cody Peterson-Burlington, Cody Riemer-Marion, Taylor Riese-Monroe, Tanner Wensmann-Oconomowoc, Zachary Whalen-Janesville, Jesse Wiley-Clintonville, Lucas Yogerst-Abrams, Ryan Zibrowski-LaCrosse

**Coaches:** Scott Huffman-Beloit, Kurt Andresen-Genoa City, Rick Boettcher-Bonduel

**Also Pictured:** Milwaukee Brewers Bench Coach, Willie Randolph, WALBB Commissioner Stan Torstenson, WALBB President Pete Swanson.