

DAILY NEWS



WORLD SERIES INFORMATION DESK (602) 438-7528

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 20th, 2004

28+ Continental Playoff Schedule

Thursday October 21st

4th place Div 2 vs 1st place Div 1

9:30a Peoria Padre # 3 (Game 1)

3rd place Div 2 vs 2nd place Div 1

9:30a Peoria Padre # 4 (Game 2)

2nd place Div 2 vs 3rd place Div 1

9:30a Peoria Padre # 5 (Game 3)

1st place Div 2 vs 4th place Div 1

9:30a Peoria Padre # 6 (Game 4)

Semi-Final Playoff Schedule

Thursday October 21st

Game 1 Winner vs Game 3 Winner

1:30p Peoria Padre # 3 (Game 5)

Game 2 Winner vs Game 4 Winner

1:30p Peoria Padre # 4 (Game 6)

Championship Game

Game 5 Winner vs Game 6 Winner

9:15a Tempe Diablo Stadium

Real Time Scores On MSBL Website

By Tom Prendergast

Once again this year the World Series staff is going to use the software developed by the folks at **Scorebook.com** to provide real time game results as soon as they are called in to the office.

Like last year, as soon as the WS office gets the score it will be entered into the WS Scorebook.com database. Current divisional standings will automatically be calculated based on these new results. Not only will these results be available at Tempe Diablo Stadium (located in the WS Information Office - in the Angels Team Shop) but they will be accessible to anyone online can log on to our website: www.msblnational.com.

So don't forget to call in your scores as soon as the game is over. In addition to the score, the WS office would really appreciate any outstanding individual highlights. Multiple HR games, batters going 4 for 4, driving in 4 or more rbi's. And pitching stats are just as important. The winning pitcher, how many strike outs, who got the save, etc.

Score reporting line (602) 438-0242

75 MABL Teams Ready To Go Continental Pool Play Ends



28+ Continental South Dakota Rushmore batter **Brett Elam** connects with this pitch and drives the ball into right-center field for a single in yesterday's game against the Giants.

Record Number Of MABL Teams Make Up Largest 18+ World Series Ever!

By Tom Prendergast

Starting today the number of teams participating in the 2004 MSBL/MABL World Series increases by 75 teams. Four separate MABL divisions, National, American, Federal and Central begin play this morning. Each MABL team will have 5 games in three days. The playoffs begin Friday afternoon and the championship games will be played on Saturday.

The 28+ Continental Division pool play concludes today and the final playoff spot in each division is still up for grabs. In division one, the Peoria Pirates and the VABL Dawgs each have 8 points. The Fresno Tribe, Columbus A's and Arizona Cardinals are all tied with 6 points. Only four teams from each division will advance to the playoffs. In division two the Orange County Cardinals have 8 points, while the SD Rushmores and the Tucson A's are tied with 7. The LA Grays have 6 points with one game to play. Mountain Side Fitness has 4 points and two games left to play today. If they defeat the Indianapolis Giants then they will be tied with the LA Grays, 3 wins - 2 losses. Their final game is against the LA Grays and the winner of that game will advance to the playoffs.



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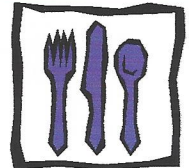
**Tempe Diablo Stadium Welcomes The MSBL / MABL World Series****Area Restaurants Putting Out The Red Carpet For The WS**
(Reprinted from Southwest Spirit Magazine)

Just a decade ago, few would have considered Phoenix a hotbed for trendy restaurants. Yet these days the desert is cooking with cool chefs determined to make dining out a

memorable experience. "There's been a broadening of influences in the valley, and therefore we have much more variety now," says Fernando Divina who's an executive chef at Lon's, the fine dining restaurant at Hermosa Inn.

Meanwhile this year 13 of these local restaurants have decided to offer deals and discounts to MSBL and MABL players during their stay. These restaurants include; McDuffy's Sports Bar, Monti's Restaurant, Hooter's (any location), The Hard Rock Café, Stockyards, John Henry's, Sugar Daddy's, Dos Gringos, Sammy's Woodfried Pizza, Margarita Rocks, Champies, Rustler's Rooste and Don & Charlie's.

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**MSBL / MABL WS Home Run Hitting Contest**

This year, two separate Home Run Derbys will be held on Friday night at Tempe Diablo Stadium. Players in the 18+ / 28+ divisions will get their opportunity to hit from 7:00p to 8:00p. The MABL HR Derby will start around 8:00p.

The entry fee will be \$25 (per player) and the first place prize will include a picture in HardBall magazine, an Easton aluminum bat, and a cash prize.

Home run contest rules are: Each player must provide his own bat and pitcher. During the first round, each player gets ten (10) swings. Only balls that clear the fence in fair territory will be counted. If players are tied after the first round, the players who have hit the most HRs will repeat the process in round two. The contest will continue until one player has hit more HRs than anyone else.

Players may enter the contest anytime until Friday night. The hitting order will be determined by when a player signs up. Each entry will receive a number when he turns in his entry fee and will bat in that order. For more information, stop by the WS Info Desk at Tempe Diablo Stadium or call 438-0242. This contest will be officiated by MSBL WS umpires and the tournament staff.

28+ National		W	L	T	Pts	RA
1	Atlanta Astros	3	1	0	6	10
2	Dallas Brewers	3	1	0	6	28
3	Scottsdale Mudcats	2	2	0	4	45
4	Sacramento Giants	1	2	0	2	24
5	Tri Valley Cubs	1	3	0	2	39

28+ American		W	L	T	Pts	RA
1	Chicago Reds	2	0	2	6	27
2	Scottsdale Finest	2	0	2	6	33
3	Oklahoma City Braves	1	1	1	3	26
4	Grand Rapids-Kosters & Devries	1	2	1	3	27
5	Wilson/DeMarini Giants	0	4	0	0	42

28+ Continental Div 1		W	L	T	Pts	RA
1	Peoria Pirates	4	1	0	8	21
2	VABL Dawgs	4	1	0	8	22
3	Fresno Tribe	3	2	0	6	20
4	Columbus A's	3	2	0	6	20
5	Arizona Cardinals	3	2	0	6	24
6	Millennium Properties Pirates	1	4	0	2	47
7	Skagit Humpies	1	4	0	2	55
8	Tri Valley Red Sox	1	4	0	2	67

28+ Continental Div 2		W	L	T	Pts	RA
1	Orange County Cardinals	4	1	0	8	17
2	South Dakota Rushmores	3	1	1	7	21
3	Tucson A's	3	1	1	7	35
4	LA Grays	3	2	0	6	28
5	Mountain Side Fitness	2	2	0	4	23
6	Indianapolis Giants	1	4	0	2	22
7	Los Socios	0	5	0	0	55

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28+ Continental Div 1			
10	Millennium Properties Pirates	0	
9	Columbus A's	8	
15	VABL Dawgs	16	
5	Skagit Humpies	7	
11	Tri Valley Red Sox	2	
11	Fresno Tribe	13	
2	Peoria Pirates	7	
11	Arizona Cardinals	1	
12	Fresno Tribe	6	
8	VABL Dawgs	1	
	Peoria Pirates	22	
	Millennium Properties Pirates	0	
	Columbus A's	12	
	Tri Valley Red Sox	6	
	Arizona Cardinals	14	
	Skagit Humpies	7	

28+ Continental Div 2			
	Indianapolis Giants	1	
	South Dakota Rushmores	2	
	Orange County Cardinals	6	
	LA Grays	4	
	Tucson A's	11	
	Los Socios	10	
	Orange County Cardinals	6	
	Indianapolis Giants	1	
	LA Grays	0	
	South Dakota Rushmores	10	
	Tucson A's	5	
	Mountain Side Fitness	1	

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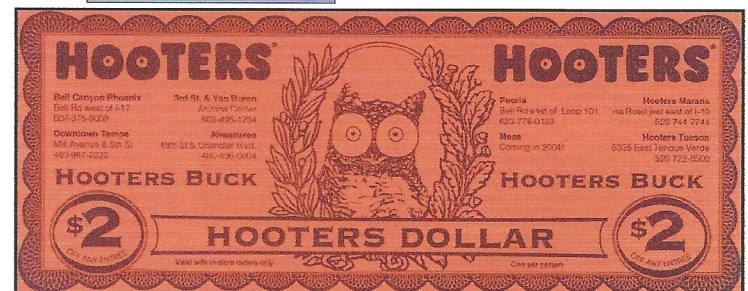
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2004 MSBL/MABL WS INFORMATION DESK

(Located on the mezzanine level at Tempe Diablo Stadium)

The WS Information Desk is open from 9:00a 'till 8:00p Sunday through Saturday and will serve as the nerve center for the tournament. Current standings, up-to-date game scores and schedule information are always available. Additional copies of the WS Daily News, WS souvenirs, and the tournament's Lost and Found department are also located there. Directions to fields as well as individual team schedules or additional Western Cookout tickets can be purchased.

For additional information, please call **480-438-7528**



Hooters Looking For A Few Hungry (& Thirsty) MSBL'ers

By Steve Rosenberg

From now til the end of the MSBL/MABL World Series Hooters Restaurants is offering some great deals on food and drink to all tournament participants. Identify your party as WS players.

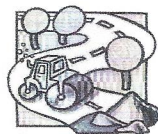
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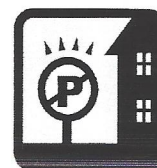
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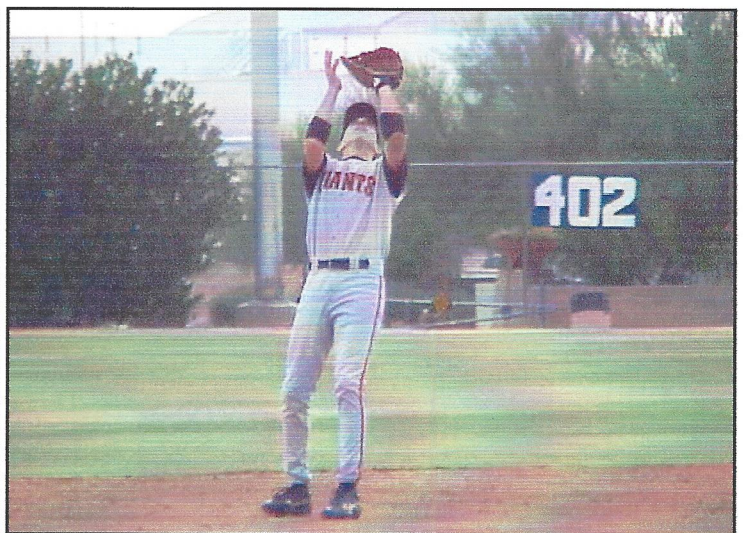
28+ Continental Skagit Humpies pitcher **Bob Johnson** gets ready to deliver a pitch to the plate yesterday at Tempe Diablo Stadium.



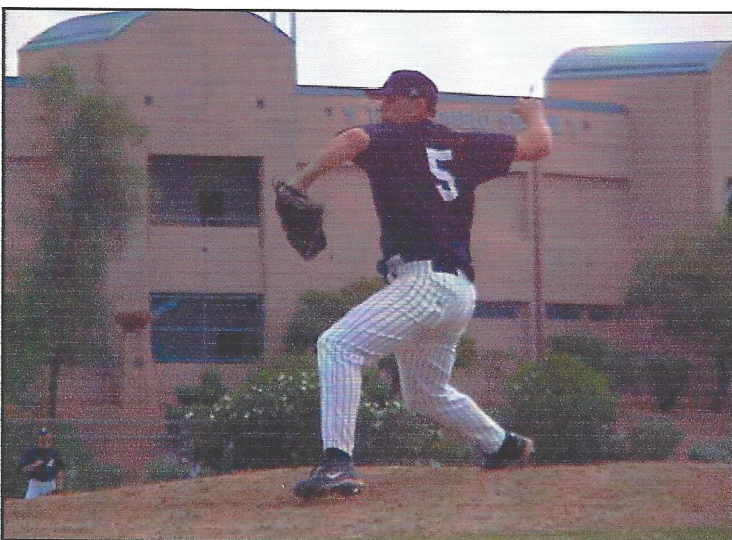
VABL Dawgs pitcher **Dave Barajas** works out of a jam in the 5th inning yesterday in the Dawgs 16-7 win over the Skagit Humpies.



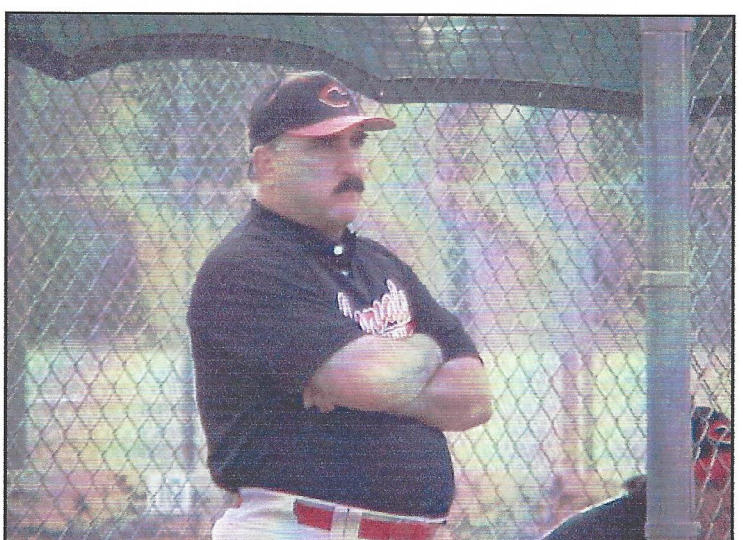
Longtime MSBL umpire **Red Thompson** gives his familiar strike call during the Indianapolis vs SD Rushmore game on Tempe 2.



Indianapolis Giants short stop **Jeff Baetzel** camps under this major league pop-fly during yesterday's game against South Dakota.



South Dakota Rushmores pitcher **Donny Godel** picked up the 2-1 complete game victory over the Indianapolis Giants on Tuesday.



Continental Orange County Cardinals manager **Dom Gaudioso** keeps a watchful eye on his starting pitcher during Tuesday's game.