

# DAILY NEWS



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## 25+ St Louis Spikes manager, Jay Davis Killed In Car Crash In Goodyear, Arizona

Last Friday morning, 25+ St. Louis Spikes manager Jay Davis was killed in a single car crash on Estrella Parkway in Goodyear, AZ. He was 34 years old. Jay started the Spikes in 2002 and he's been a part of the St Louis MSBL since that time, according to league president, Mike Martin. "Jay was a great guy and a terrific father", Mike said. He leaves behind his wife, Jessica and two sons, Benjamin, 10 years old and Cooper, 3 years old. (continued on page 3)



## Pool Play Games At The Half Way Point of the Tournament



60+ Central Kansas City Cubs pitcher, **Jerry Weaver** delivers a pitch to the plate during his teams game against the Hollywood Stars yesterday on Tempe # 6. The Stars won 9-8.

## MSBL / MABL World Series Spotlight On Pat Thompson (60+ St Paul Saints)

Pat and Judy Thompson have shared 48 years of marriage. With two grown sons, Scott 46, and Brian 44, they have seen their share of baseball games. In fact, their second date was to a baseball game. Attending the same high school in El Paso, Texas 4 years apart, they didn't know each other until a blind date at a fraternity dance brought them together. They were married the same year. In 27 years of managing baseball, the only thing Judy ever questions are about pitching changes. Pat recalls his worst moment was making a change only to watch his relief guy get bombed. A six year veteran of the World Series, Pat has played in a number of tournaments throughout the country, and his team won the Minnesota Senior Men's Championship in 1987. He has accumulated 335 career victories for his efforts. Pat was honored to play golf with his baseball hero, Harmon Killebrew during his broadcaster years with the Twins. He enjoys the unpredictable nature of the game, and points out that something unusual, weird, or even stunning seems to happen in every game. He was managing a close game once during a hotly contested league race and looked out to right field and saw there was no one playing the position. Later, when he asked his player where he went, he said "I had a date!"



## Incredibly Close Division Races Increase The Chances Of 3-3 Records The Runs Allowed Category Will More Than Likely Determine Playoff Teams

By Tom Prendergast

Midway through the final week of the tournament, several teams have 2-1 records. It's very apparent that many divisions are extremely competitive and will more than likely stay that way through Thursday. The end result is this; teams with the same record (4-2) or (3-3) in divisions where all of the teams don't have the opportunity to play every other team will end up using the runs allowed category as the determining factor in final seeding. The managers packet spells out this scenario and is very specific in how the wildcards are determined. If your still unclear about how the playoffs work, please give the WS office a call and get the answers you need ahead of time.

### MSBL and the Worldwide Child Relief Foundation (WCRF)

Hal Young is looking for MSBL players to join his group on a humanitarian trip to Nicaragua that will combine the game of baseball and the opportunity to help the (continued on page 2)



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Kansas City Cubs 11

Tucson Cool / Arrows 11

San Antonio Red Sox 8

Seattle Mariners 7

Chicago Grays 6

Fresno Phillies 1

Sacramento Patriots 12

Tri Valley Giants 3

St Paul Saints 27

Team America 3

Fresno Grizzlies 8

Long Island A's 3

Tucson Cool / Arrows 11

Arizona Scorpions 4

Hollywood Stars 9

Kansas City Cubs 8

**45+ WB Central Div 1**

Breckenpas Construction 8

Austin Rivals 5

Utah Pirates 19

Arizona A's 18

Long Island Panthers 12

DC Rangers 8

Sacramento Rockets 7

Tri Valley Cardinals 3

Breckenpas Construction 7

Long Island Panthers 0

Austin Rivals 17

DC Rangers 4

Sacramento Rockets 6

Utah Pirates 3

Arizona A's 15

Tri Valley Cardinals 10

**60+ National Division**

Berry's 8

California Tribe 5

Greenwood Ridge Dragons 7

California Tribe 6

**45+ American Division**

Team United Nasty Boys 9

All Star Baseball Academy 8

3n2 Rangers 7

Central Coast Tigers 4

REBL Phillies 7

Central Coast Phillies 3

San Diego Mariners 7

Houston Baseball Club 6

Team United Nasty Boys 19

San Diego Mariners 5

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**60+ Mountain Division**

LA Athletics 10

San Antonio Rangers 4

LeHigh Valley Moondogs 21

Windy City 3

El Paso Tejanos 16

Red Deer Legends 2

**45+ WB National**

Boston Wolfpack 10

Price Cutter Coors 6

Tri Valley 40's 14

Team Victory 6

Tri Valley 40's 18

Price Cutter Coors 6

**35+ Central Division**

Chicago North Cubs 8

Region Red Sox 7

Puget Sound Gators 22

Region Red Sox 5

Utah / AZ Rockies 15

St Thomas Storm 9

Seattle Brewers 18

Arizona Angels 6

Puget Sound Gators 13

Dallas Reds 4

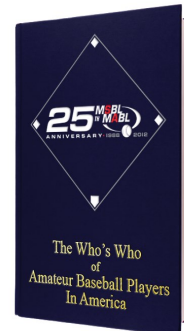
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Austin Rivals 17

DC Rangers 4

Sacramento Rockets 6

Utah Pirates 3

Arizona A's 15

Tri Valley Cardinals 10

**45+ WB Central 2**

Halo Baseball Club 16

Chitex 8

Rochester Redwings 4

Milwaukee Rangers 1

San Antonio Reds 3

St Thomas Hurricanes 1

Arizona Braves 15

Tulsa Liners 5

Rochester Redwings 5

Halo Baseball Club 2

Milwaukee Rangers 7

Chitex 1

San Antonio Reds 29

Tulsa Liners 14

St Thomas Hurricanes 12

Arizona Braves 8

**45+ WB Cactus Div 1**

Des Moines Bruins 6

Chicago North TSP's 3

Connecticut Navigators 11

Armstrong Slugging Co 5

Houston A's 7

Westchester Mets 2

Seattle Blues 15

Des Moines Bruins 10

Montebello Angels 22

Arizona Diamondbacks 6

**45+ WB Cactus Div 2**

Tri Valley A's 9

Arizona Bench Warmers 5

Columbus Dodgers 11

Dream Diamond Mustangs 0

Murieta Valley Nationals 15

Arizona Bench Warmers 2

Bay Area Giants 6

Dallas O's 5

So Cal Indians 12

Dream Diamond Mustangs 8

So Cal Indians 10

Houston Skeeters 4

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less fortunate. The total trip time would be 10 days and will include stops in Granada, Leon, Selva Negra, San Juan del Sur, Ometepe Islands and the Barcelo Resort. The cost of the trip is \$2,200 per person, (based on double occupancy). Accommodations will include breakfast, dinner and airfare.

This country has a very rich baseball history, with a very poor population.

Please give Hal Young a call (530) 903-5153 for more information.



| <b>60+ WB National Division</b> | <b>W</b> | <b>L</b> | <b>T</b> | <b>Pts</b> | <b>RS</b> | <b>RA</b> |
|---------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|------------|-----------|-----------|
| Greenwood Ridge Dragons         | 2        | 0        | 0        | 4          | 16        | 13        |
| Berry's Athletic Supply         | 2        | 1        | 0        | 4          | 27        | 15        |
| California Tribe                | 0        | 3        | 0        | 0          | 12        | 27        |

| <b>60+ WB Mountain Division</b> | <b>W</b> | <b>L</b> | <b>T</b> | <b>Pts</b> | <b>RS</b> | <b>RA</b> |
|---------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|------------|-----------|-----------|
| LA Athletics                    | 3        | 0        | 0        | 6          | 21        | 10        |
| LeHigh Valley Moondogs          | 2        | 1        | 0        | 4          | 32        | 12        |
| San Antonio Rangers             | 1        | 1        | 1        | 3          | 31        | 20        |
| El Paso Tejanos                 | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 24        | 16        |
| Red Deer Legends                | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 10        | 40        |
| Windy City                      | 0        | 2        | 1        | 1          | 12        | 32        |

| <b>35+ Central Division</b> | <b>W</b> | <b>L</b> | <b>T</b> | <b>Pts</b> | <b>RS</b> | <b>RA</b> |
|-----------------------------|----------|----------|----------|------------|-----------|-----------|
| Puget Sound Gators          | 3        | 0        | 0        | 6          | 44        | 14        |
| Seattle Brewers             | 2        | 1        | 0        | 4          | 37        | 17        |
| Chicago North Cubs          | 2        | 1        | 0        | 4          | 20        | 22        |
| UT / AZ Rockies             | 2        | 1        | 0        | 4          | 26        | 22        |
| Arizona Angels              | 2        | 1        | 0        | 4          | 22        | 30        |
| Dallas Reds                 | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 18        | 27        |
| St Thomas Storm             | 0        | 3        | 0        | 0          | 21        | 37        |
| Region Red Sox              | 0        | 3        | 0        | 0          | 19        | 38        |

| <b>45+ WB National Division</b> | <b>W</b> | <b>L</b> | <b>T</b> | <b>Pts</b> | <b>RS</b> | <b>RA</b> |
|---------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|------------|-----------|-----------|
| Boston Wolfpack                 | 3        | 0        | 0        | 6          | 24        | 8         |
| Team Victory                    | 2        | 1        | 0        | 4          | 18        | 19        |
| Tri Valley 40's                 | 2        | 2        | 0        | 4          | 34        | 26        |
| So Cal Blue Jays                | 0        | 2        | 0        | 0          | 6         | 12        |
| Price Cutter Coors              | 0        | 2        | 0        | 0          | 11        | 28        |

| <b>45+ Wood Bat American</b> | <b>W</b> | <b>L</b> | <b>T</b> | <b>Pts</b> | <b>RS</b> | <b>RA</b> |
|------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|------------|-----------|-----------|
| Team United Nasty Boys       | 3        | 0        | 0        | 6          | 36        | 20        |
| Houston Baseball Club        | 2        | 1        | 0        | 4          | 24        | 14        |
| San Diego Mariners           | 2        | 1        | 0        | 4          | 34        | 27        |
| 3n2 Rangers                  | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 17        | 16        |
| All Star Baseball Academy    | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 20        | 25        |
| Central Coast Tigers         | 1        | 3        | 0        | 2          | 25        | 28        |
| REBL Phillies                | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 11        | 37        |

| <b>45+ Wood Bat Central 1</b> | <b>W</b> | <b>L</b> | <b>T</b> | <b>Pts</b> | <b>RS</b> | <b>RA</b> |
|-------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|------------|-----------|-----------|
| Berkenpas Construction 45s    | 3        | 0        | 0        | 6          | 36        | 6         |
| Sacramento Rockets            | 3        | 0        | 0        | 6          | 20        | 8         |
| Austin Rivals                 | 2        | 1        | 0        | 4          | 34        | 21        |
| Long Island Panthers          | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 21        | 27        |
| Tri Valley Cardinals          | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 23        | 29        |
| Utah Pirates                  | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 29        | 34        |
| Arizona A's                   | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 35        | 36        |
| DC Rangers                    | 0        | 3        | 0        | 0          | 13        | 50        |

| <b>45+ Wood Bat Central 2</b> | <b>W</b> | <b>L</b> | <b>T</b> | <b>Pts</b> | <b>RS</b> | <b>RA</b> |
|-------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|------------|-----------|-----------|
| San Antonio Reds              | 3        | 0        | 0        | 6          | 50        | 21        |
| Milwaukee Rangers             | 2        | 1        | 0        | 4          | 11        | 6         |
| Rochester Redwings            | 2        | 1        | 0        | 4          | 11        | 8         |
| St Thomas Hurricanes          | 2        | 1        | 0        | 4          | 16        | 12        |
| Halo Baseball Club            | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 19        | 16        |
| Chitex                        | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 14        | 25        |
| Arizona Braves                | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 29        | 35        |
| Tulsa Liners                  | 0        | 3        | 0        | 0          | 20        | 47        |

| <b>60+ WB Central Division</b> | <b>W</b> | <b>L</b> | <b>T</b> | <b>Pts</b> | <b>RS</b> | <b>RA</b> |
|--------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|------------|-----------|-----------|
| Sacramento Patriots            | 3        | 0        | 0        | 6          | 39        | 7         |
| Tucson Cool / Arrows           | 2        | 0        | 1        | 5          | 32        | 20        |
| Chicago Grays                  | 2        | 1        | 0        | 4          | 20        | 13        |
| St Paul Saints                 | 2        | 1        | 0        | 4          | 46        | 13        |
| Tri Valley Giants              | 2        | 1        | 0        | 4          | 49        | 13        |
| Fresno Grizzlies               | 2        | 2        | 0        | 4          | 25        | 20        |
| Hollywood Stars                | 2        | 1        | 0        | 2          | 22        | 21        |
| San Antonio Red Sox            | 2        | 1        | 0        | 2          | 20        | 29        |
| Long Island A's                | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 11        | 21        |
| Arizona Scorpions              | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 13        | 26        |
| Kansas City Cubs               | 0        | 2        | 1        | 0          | 23        | 25        |
| Seattle Mariners               | 0        | 3        | 0        | 0          | 8         | 42        |
| Team America                   | 0        | 3        | 0        | 0          | 5         | 63        |

| <b>45+ Wood Bat Cactus 1</b> | <b>W</b> | <b>L</b> | <b>T</b> | <b>Pts</b> | <b>RS</b> | <b>RA</b> |
|------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|------------|-----------|-----------|
| Seattle Blues                | 3        | 0        | 0        | 4          | 40        | 24        |
| Connecticut Navigators       | 2        | 1        | 0        | 4          | 27        | 15        |
| Montebello Angels            | 2        | 1        | 0        | 4          | 37        | 17        |
| Des Moines Bruins            | 2        | 2        | 0        | 4          | 35        | 29        |
| Armstrong Slugging Co        | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 14        | 19        |
| Chicago North TSP's          | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 16        | 19        |
| Houston A's                  | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 10        | 26        |
| Westchester Mets             | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 23        | 30        |
| Arizona Diamondbacks         | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 18        | 41        |

| <b>45+ Wood Bat Cactus 2</b> | <b>W</b> | <b>L</b> | <b>T</b> | <b>Pts</b> | <b>RS</b> | <b>RA</b> |
|------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|------------|-----------|-----------|
| Murrieta Valley Nationals    | 3        | 0        | 0        | 6          | 30        | 4         |
| Bay Area Giants              | 3        | 0        | 0        | 6          | 25        | 7         |
| Tri Valley A's               | 3        | 0        | 0        | 6          | 27        | 16        |
| Dallas O's                   | 2        | 1        | 0        | 4          | 22        | 11        |
| Columbus Dodgers             | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 16        | 9         |
| Houston Skeeters             | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 21        | 23        |
| So Cal Indians               | 1        | 2        | 0        | 2          | 20        | 27        |
| Arizona Bench Warmers        | 0        | 3        | 0        | 0          | 9         | 42        |
| Diamond Dream Mustangs       | 0        | 4        | 0        | 0          | 17        | 48        |

### 25+ St Louis Spikes manager Jay Davis Killed In Car Crash (continued from page 1)

He was a huge supporter of his son's baseball team, The Prospects and an avid St Louis Cardinals fan. The following message was posted on the St. Louis MSBL website yesterday:

**James B. "Jay" Davis**

(2/21/1978 - 10/26/2012)

Beloved Jay,

Because you were taken from us so suddenly, we are all devastated, deeply saddened and hurting tremendously with your passing. You have touched the lives of so many in the St. Louis baseball community. Known simply as, Mr. Baseball to many, you were a great husband, father, manager, player and above all, a friend to all that knew you. We will never forget your passion or compassion for the game you so dearly loved. Our only comfort is knowing you are in a better place, looking down on us. You will forever be in our hearts, thoughts and prayers anytime the game is mentioned or we take the field, rain or shine. Our deepest sympathy and condolences are with your family now and forever.

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45+ WB American 3n2 Rangers batter, **Kimo Flores** gets good wood on this ball as he doubles to right center in yesterdays game.



45+ WB American 3n2 Rangers manager, **Laura Doherty** chats with umpires **Jeff "Sarge" Sharp** (center) and **Michael Bell** (left).



45+ WB American REBL Phillies pitcher, **Dan Graham** delivers a pitch during his teams 7-3 win over the Central Coast Tigers.



45+ WB American 3n2 Rangers batter, **Tom Doherty** singles up the middle during yesterdays game against the Central Coast Tigers.



45+ WB American Central Coast Tigers batter, **Donnie Schooler** pulls this ball foul down the line at Tempe Diablo Stadium yesterday.



60+ Central division Hollywood Stars pitcher, **Dale St John** picked up the victory over the Kansas City Cubs Tuesday at Tempe # 6.