

WORLD SERIES OFFICE NUMBER (480) 858-7515

FRIDAY OCTOBER 19th, 2018

# **Today's Championship Schedule**

### 50+ National Division

Tri Valley vs Boston Wolfpack 9:00am Tempe Diablo Stadium

## 50+ Central Division

Raleigh Braves vs 3n2 Rangers 12:45pm Tempe Diablo Stadium

# 50+ Cactus Consolation Game

Utah Braves vs Austin Express 9:30am Fitch NW 3

# 50+ Cactus Semi-finals

LS Warriors vs Diamond Dream Mustangs 9:15am Fitch SE 1

Hawaii Islanders vs Las Vegas Rattlers 9:30am Fitch SE 2

### **50+ Cactus Division**

Game 9 winner vs game 10 winner 1:30pm Hohokam Štadium

# **Today's Playoff Game Schedule**

# 70+ National Semi-finals

San Diego Berry's vs St Paul Saints 9:30am Salt River Dbacks 3

Red Deer Legends vs USA Volkers 9:30am Salt River Dbacks 4

#### 70+ American Semi-finals

9:30am Salt River Dbacks 5

San Diego Mudcats vs SA Broncos 9:30am Salt River Dbacks 6

# 70+ Central Semi-finals

SA Texans vs Terre Haute Volkers 1:00pm Salt River Dbacks 5

Ohio Classics vs El Paso Sunkings 1:00pm Salt River Dbacks 6

# 35+ Mountain / Central Semi-finals San Antonio Bombers vs Tulsa Biscuits

9:30am Papago 1

Omaha Red Sox vs Tucson Rays 9:30am Papago 2

# 35+ Cactus Division Playoffs

Rose City Goats vs Chandler Bat 10:00am Riverview SE 3

Seattle Royals vs Puget Sound Reds 10:00am Riverview SE 4

MSBL/MABL WS Playoff game schedule continued on page 3

# 50+ Championship Games 70+/35+ Playoffs Begin



Tri Valley Antiques vs Sacramento Solon 35+ Mountain Omaha Red Sox base runner, Erron Boone, hustles past San Antonio Bombers catcher, Patrick Pulliam before the tag to score during their game at Tempe Diablo Stadium.

# Fewest Runs Allowed Tie-Breaker Applies When 3 or More Teams Tie

Team Managers Should Verify Game Scores On The Website After Each Day By Tom Prendergast

It's pretty routine for most wildcard playoffs berth's to be decided on the fewest runs allowed category. What's unusual is finishing with a 3-3 record and 18 runs allowed but not receiving a playoff berth, because 4 teams ahead of you finished with 4-2 records. However more often than not, teams advance to the next round by giving up fewer runs than other teams with similar records. In a couple divisions, three or more teams had the same record (3-3) but didn't play all of the other teams they were tied with. For example; team A beats team B, team B beats team C and team C beats team A. When this happens the head-to-head tie breaker does not apply, instead we use fewest runs allowed. If you notice a discrepancy with your scores, please call the WS office right away and let them know so we can get it corrected, Note: Regarding protests - generally speaking, umpire judgement calls are not protest able. Mis-applied rules that a manager can produce offer the best chance for a positive outcome.





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Vic Puglisi - Lifetime Achievement Award
By Steve Lamontia - Director of Communications
Vic Puglisi is that guy who is flying around
the Tempe Diablo Stadium concourse while
keeping the annual MSBL Trade Show and
Barbecue on schedule while simultaneously
keeping the MSBL Novelty and Souvenir Store
stocked and humming. Vic, who owns a screen
printing and embroidery business in California,
is technically titled the 'Head of Merchandis-
ing' for the annual World Series while wearing
as many hats as he sells. He has been doing this
in Tempe Diablo Stadium since 1989 and in
honor of his long-standing commitment to
MSBL and dedication to making sure every-
one's experience is one to remember, MSBL
Founder and President Steve Sigler has named
Vic the recipient of the 2018 MSBL Lifetime
Achievement Award. "In 1988 at the World
Series I was playing in a game at Tempe Diablo
and looked around and saw a lot of people
watching and thought 'wow, we might do well
selling some merchandise here," explained Pu-
glisi. "After the game I went up to Steve Sigler
and said I could go back home and whip up
some shirts and (continued on page 4)

50+ Cactus Division 2	w	L	Т	Pts	RA	<b>W</b> %
Long Island Panthers	5	0	1	11	32	917
Mobile Angels		2	0	8	38	667
Colorado Šprings Thunder	3	2	1	7	31	583
Kendall Metz	3	3	0	6	59	500
Austin Express	2	3	1	5	60	417
Houston Skeeters	2	4	0	4	77	333
Santa Rosa Cardinals		3	2	3	49	333
Connecticut Navigators		4	1	3	40	250

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USA Volkers MBI	4	1	0	8	38	800
Red Deer Legends		4	0	2	53	200
San Diego Berry's	1	4	0	2	59	200
70+ American Division	w	L	Т	Pts	RA	W%
Sacramento Solons	5	0	0	10	16	1000
San Antonio Broncos	4	1	0	8	22	800
San Diego Mudcats	2	3	0	4	38	400
Tri Valley Antiques	2	3	0	4	40	400
San Diego Padres		4	0	2	46	200
Portland Dirt	0	5	0	0	61	000
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El Paso Sunkings	4	1	0	8	18	800
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Terre Haute Volkers	5	0	0	10	30	1000
El Paso Sunkings	4	1	0	8	18	800
Ohio Classics	3	2	0	6	26	600
San Antonio Texans	3	2	0	6	39	600
Philadelphia Mustangs	3	2	0	6	49	600
New England Red Sox	1	4	0	2	74	200
Tri Valley Vets	1	4	0	2	77	200
Seattle Mariners	0	5	0	0	95	000
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Boston Wolfpack	6	0	0	12	17	1000
Team Victory	2	2	1	4	16	400
Tri Valley	2	2	1	4	29	400
So Cal Blue Jays	2	3	0	2	42	400
US Baseball	0	5	0	0	66	000

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50+ Central Division	W	L
3n2 Rangers	5	1
Raleigh Braves	5	1
All Star Baseball Academy		2
Rochester Redwings	3	3
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as Vegas Rattlers	5	1	0	10	33	883
ulsa Liners	4	2	0	8	47	667
S Warriors	3	3	0	6	32	500
awaii Islanders	3	3	0	6	18	500
tah Braves	2	4	0	4	69	250
ed Deer Legends	1	5	0	2	88	200
olorado Springs Raptors	0	6	0	0	71	000

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2018 MSBL / MABL WS Da	ily New	rs p	age	3		
35+ Mountain / Central	w	L	Т	Pts	RA	W%
Tulsa Biscuits	5	1	0	10	57	
Tucson Rays	3 3	3 3 3	0	6		
Omaha Red Sox	3	3	0	6	44	
San Antonio Bombers		3	0	4	56	500
Arizona Angels	11	5	0	2	68	167
35+ Cactus Division 1	w	L	Т	Pts	RA	W%
Puget Sound Reds	5	1	0	10	27	800
Easton Storm	4		Ō	8		667
Houston Marauders	4	2 2 2 3 5	0	8	37	667
Rose City Goats	4	2	0	8	50	667
Tucson Tigers	3	3	0	6	42	
Utah Braves	1		0	2	64	
Chicago Cyclones	0	6	0	0	78	000
50+ National Playoffs		35+	Ca	ctus C	ivisio	n 1
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**50+ Cactus Playoffs** 

Long Island Panthers

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Chicago Orioles

Hawaii Islanders

Kansas City Knights

LS Warriors

Tulsa Liners

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Mobile Angels

Omaha Red Sox

**Tulsa Biscuits** 

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Arizona Angels

**Austin Angels** 

Hawaii Islanders

Long Island Panthers

Las Vegas Rattlers

35+ Mountain / Central

San Antonio Bombers

35+ Cactus Division 2	W	L	Т	Pts	RA	<b>W</b> %
Chandler Bat Philadelphia	6	0	0	12	41	1000
Nor Cal Knights	4	2	0	8	36	800
Minnesota Lumberjacks	4	2	0	6	40	600
Seattle Royals	4	2	0	6	46	600
Utah Blues	3	3	0	4	44	400
Connecticut Navigators	2	4	0	4	61	400
Eugene Blue Jackets	1	5	0	2	77	167
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70+ National Division	
St Paul Saints	18
Red Deer Legends	3
USA Volkers	19
San Diego Berry's	16

70+ American Division

Sacramento Solons

Tri Valley Antiques

San Antonio Broncos

18+ Mountain Division

Orange County Aces

Santa Rosa Rosebuds

Santa Rosa Rosebuds

Orange County Aces

18+ Central Division

Antelope Valley Reds

Salt Lake Outsiders

Antelope Valley Reds

San Diego Mudcats

San Diego Padres

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**Seattle Mariners** 

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# Vic Puglisi - Lifetime Achievement Award

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come back and see how we do." Steve agreed so Vic made the five hour drive back home to Lake Arrowhead, California, assembled and printed up some product, and returned and sold out of t-shirts. That was the beginning of the current MSBL Souvenir Shop, as it started full tilt the following year in 1989.

Vic began his MSBL association as a player/manager in 1988 and was able to combine playing and working in the shop at the World Series for about 19 years. He sponsored teams and has brought them to Arizona through 2007. "We made it to the final four once and in 2002 we made it to the finals. Brian Sigler was a part of that team but we came up a little short. The souvenir management and Trade Show coordination simply became too much so I had to discontinue playing and managing. I do miss being on the field but I love still being associated with the baseball industry."

Vic knows sports and remains his passion. He retired in 2013 from a long career as an NCAA women's fast pitch coach, and umpire, and has taken many teams to ASA championships. He was also a high school baseball player and played independent baseball while continuing to play fast pitch softball. As he got a little older the fast pitch involvement gave way to MSBL. "I was playing on an 18-over baseball team when I was 40. I was primarily a catcher but played a little first and third, too," said Puglisi.

Vic's talents also takes him to the annual MSBL Fall Classic in Florida in November where he sets up shop, something he has done since 1998, and also includes the food concession. He has additionally been seen doing his thing at the Kickoff Classic in March and the Las Vegas Open in May on occasion.

Vic's roots include being a Navy veteran serving as a Warfare Technician First Class and has received multiple awards for his service, including the Navy Achievement Medal which he was honored with in 1984. On a more local level he is proud to be the 2002 recipient of the San Bernadino County Juvenile Youth Justice Award for recognition of outstanding service to the youth of his community. I asked Vic about his most cherished memory from all of the World Series. He was quick to answer. "That's easy. It was the first World Series we attended in 1988. We were the West Coast Walloping Weasels. We won our division going 5-1 but in that first year the format was different. The overall division winner went 6-0 so they won the trophy. There were no playoffs then so that was it. But it didn't matter. We were hooked and couldn't wait to come back." To go with the warm, fuzzy memories there must have been some crazy things that happened along this journey. "In the early 90's a man and his kid climbed up to the crest of the Butte Mountain, the big hill outside the left field fence of Tempe Diablo," elaborated Puglisi. "Once they got up there they froze and couldn't get down and so the fire department came. They couldn't get them down so they had to bring in a helicopter. Fortunately it was in between games so it didn't disrupt anything but everyone milling around had to stop and watch the drama. It was quite a thing to witness." Coordinating the Trade Show and Barbecue is a monumental 'boots on the ground' three-week effort that includes many months of planning and of course assembling all of the product you see in the Souvenir Shop located on the Tempe Diablo concourse. It is a labor of love, but to Vic it is also special to be recognized. "This award is a blessing that I never imagined would occur in my life. My wife, Sandy, is the rock that stands beside me and showers me with her endless support and tolerance of my passion. Without those things in place you can't achieve a thing." Puglisi continued, "I have been able to establish so many long term relationships because of my MSBL association and I have been a part of the most awesome baseball journey ever created. I want to thank Steve Sigler and the entire member base for their support and faith in me throughout these years."

18+ National Division
Orange County Rays
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San Diego North Redbacks

18+ Mountain Division
Nassau Pirates
Santa Rosa Rosebuds
Arizona Angels
Arizona Thieves
Orange County Aces
Dutch Tigers

18+ Central Division
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Cen Cal Mets
Antelope Valley Reds
Salt Lake Outsiders

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3	0	0	6	6	1000
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1	2	0	2	26	000
1	3	0	2	47	000
0	3	0	0	35	000

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2	1	0	4	13	667
2	1	0	4	15	667
1	1	1	3	25	500
1	2	1	3	31	375
1	2	0	2	16	333



MSBL President Steve Sigler presents the Lifetime Achievement Award to, Vic Puglisi last night during the WS Welcome banquet.



70+ players **Steve Brye** (left) and **Fernando Gonzales** (right) are former MLB players and in 1978 they played together for the Pittsburg Pirates. During this tournament they are playing for the Volkers and Red Deer Legends. (photo submitted by Bob Bezzi)