

DAILY 2021 World Series MSBL NEWS

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THURSDAY OCTOBER 21st, 2021

Today's Playoff Game Schedule

50+ National Semi-finals

San Antonio Bombers vs OC Sox
9:00am Tempe 1

US Baseball vs Diamond Dream Mustangs
9:00am Tempe 2

50+ Central Playoffs

Sacramento Bombers vs LI Panthers
10:00am Kino Stadium

Dupage Angels vs Raleigh Braves
10:00am Kino 3

50+ Central Semi-finals

4 seed vs Chicago North TSP Fire
2:00pm Kino Stadium

3 seed vs Mezcal
2:00pm Kino 3

50+ Cactus Playoffs (round 1)

Dallas White Sox vs Rochester Redwing
10:00am Kino 6

Sacramento Marlins vs Arizona Cubs
10:00am Kino 7

Austin Express vs St Thomas Hurricane
10:00am Kino 8

Madison Blues vs Kansas City Knights
10:00a Kino 9

50+ Cactus Semi-finals

8 seed vs Diamond Dream Mustangs
2:00pm Kino 6

7 seed vs Sonoma County Cardinals
2:00pm Kino 7

6 seed vs Chicago Pinch Hitters
2:00pm Kino 8

5 seed vs Utah Braves
2:00pm Kino 9

50+ Cactus Consolation (non-ring)

Peoria Pirates vs Carolina Cobras
10:00am Kino 4

So Cal Indians vs Santa Barbara Waves
10:00am Kino 5

50+ Desert Semi-finals

Red Deer Legends vs NSEW Connection
2:00pm Kino 5

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Playoff Games Start Today As 40+ Divisions Wrap Up



50+ Central Long Island Panthers pitcher, **Jeff Hinman** delivers a pitch to the plate during his teams game against the Raleigh Braves at Tempe Diablo Stadium yesterday morning.

50+ Division Teams Heading To The Kino Sports Complex (in Tucson)

MSBL Playoff Games Set For One of the Top Rated Facilities in Arizona

By Tom Prendergast

The last time the MSBL played games in Tucson, President George Bush was in office. That was 1992. A lot has changed since then and an extraordinary set of circumstances this year has required us to get creative in coming up with enough fields for our tournament games.

For the most part, lingering issues (that are Covid related in one way or another) pushed back

the MLB minor league season, which were delayed a couple months in April and May. That in turn pushed back the instructional league and then the Arizona Fall League.

So that left the ground crews scrambling to complete their over seeding process in time for the start of the 2022 season, which will be back on a more normal schedule next year. We knew we had a problem when we

lost Tempe fields 4-5-6 this year. The good news is that the Kino Sports Complex was available and their fields are absolutely top notch. And not only are these fields in great shape but the entire staff have bent over backwards for our teams and players. They certainly put out the red carpet for the MSBL



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Major Road Construction Project Update for Greater Phoenix Metropolitan Area Highways

Once again local road construction projects (and there are many) are underway on several major freeways. Plan on leaving early to avoid delays.

70+ National / American	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 LA Athletics	4	0	0	8	18	1000
2 Minnesota Bandits	3	1	1	7	42	700
3 Sacramento 70's	3	1	1	7	35	700
4 Chicago North TSP Fire	3	1	0	6	27	750
5 Fresno Grizzlies	1	3	0	2	47	250
6 Colorado Cardinals	1	4	0	2	34	200
7 North County Mudcats	0	5	0	0	53	0

70+ Central Division 1	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 Dragons	4	0	0	8	13	1000
2 Kansas City A's	3	2	0	6	19	600
3 San Antonio Broncos	3	2	0	6	50	600
4 Portland Dirt	2	1	1	5	26	625
5 Lehigh Valley Moondogs	2	2	0	4	36	500
6 Oklahoma Sooners	1	3	1	3	53	300
7 Cal Vets (2)	0	5	0	0	89	0

70+ Central Division 2	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 MBI	4	0	0	8	28	1000
2 Tucson Toros	2	2	0	4	26	500
3 Red Deer Legends	2	2	0	4	29	500
4 Mudville 9	2	2	0	4	33	500
5 Cal Vets	2	2	0	4	47	500
6 Seattle Mariners	0	4	0	0	95	0

40+ National Division	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 So Cal Snappers	4	1	0	8	11	800
2 Montebello Angels	4	1	0	8	21	800
3 Sacramento Red Sox	3	2	0	6	29	600
4 San Antonio Titans	2	2	0	4	12	500
5 Tucson Bulls	2	3	0	4	47	500
6 Arizona Angels	1	4	0	2	28	200
7 Cincy Braves	1	4	0	2	62	200

40+ Mountain Division	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 Clancy's Irish	4	1	0	8	21	800
2 San Jose Bees	4	1	0	8	21	800
3 Oakland Soldiers	4	1	0	8	35	800
4 Columbus Spiders	2	2	0	4	37	500
5 Baseball BBQ Forkballers	2	3	0	4	22	400
6 Houston Cyyclones	1	4	0	2	68	200
7 Bakersfield Heat	0	5	0	0	69	0

Max Reising - MSBL Co Man of the Year (from page 3)

and on weekday afternoons for the 65+ Giants. I get plenty of reps throughout the week." So, what does Max do when he's not playing baseball? "I sell sports equipment and apparel to organizations and have also volunteered as an assistant coach at Oakton CC the last 14

50+ National Division	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 OC Sox	5	1	0	10	49	833
2 Diamond Dream Mustangs	4	2	0	8	46	667
3 Aberdeen US Baseball	3	3	0	6	48	500
4 San Antonio Bombers	2	3	1	5	48	417
5 3n2 Rangers	2	4	0	4	50	333
6 So Cal Blue Jays	1	4	1	3	45	300

50+ Central Division	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 Chicago North TSP's	5	1	0	10	26	833
2 Mezcal	5	1	0	10	38	833
3 Long Island Panthers	4	2	0	8	36	667
4 Raleigh Braves	3	3	0	6	36	500
5 Dupage Angels	3	3	0	6	43	500
6 Sacramento Bombers	3	3	0	6	44	500
7 Caballeros	3	3	0	6	50	500
8 California Hogs	1	4	0	2	67	200
9 Cal TV Tribute	0	6	0	0	63	0

50+ Cactus Division 1	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 Diamond Dream Mustangs	6	0	0	12	20	1000
2 Arizona Cubs	4	2	0	8	45	667
3 Madsion Blues	3	3	0	6	61	500
4 Dallas White Sox	3	3	0	6	71	500
5 Santa Barbara Waves	2	4	0	4	62	333
6 Detroit Braves	0	6	0	0	75	0

50+ Cactus Division 2	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 Chicago Pinch Hitters	5	1	0	10	43	833
2 Rochester Redwings	4	2	0	8	29	667
3 St Thomas Hurricanes	4	2	0	8	31	667
4 Sacramento Marlins	3	3	0	6	33	500
5 So Cal Indians	1	5	0	2	64	167
6 Nationals	1	5	0	2	86	167

50+ Cactus Division 3	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 Sonoma County Cardinals	5	1	0	10	33	833
2 Utah Braves	5	1	0	10	32	833
3 Kansas City Knights	4	2	0	8	46	667
4 Austin Express	4	2	0	8	49	667
5 Carolina Cobras	2	4	0	4	48	333
6 Peoria Pirates	1	5	0	2	70	167
7 Seattle Steelheads	0	6	0	0	84	0

50+ Desert Division	W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1 Connecticut Navigators	5	1	0	10	42	833
2 NSEW Connection	4	2	0	8	44	667
3 Red Deer Legends	4	2	0	8	68	667
4 Colorado All Stars	1	5	0	2	99	167
5 Cal Vets	1	5	0	2	112	167

years. They were the 2018 D3 National Champions, something we're very proud of." These are just some of the activities that keep Max busy throughout the year. The MSBL World Series in Arizona would not be the same without Max roaming around the desert coaching and playing, most times with tremendous success. "I have been to Arizona every year since 1990 and have played and/or managed in the 25s, 35s, 45s, 50s, 55s, 60s and Father and Son. I have been able to secure Championship rings from four teams and have been runner-up five times. We are regularly in the playoffs but I can't put my finger on exactly how many times. My current teams are the TSP Lookouts in the 45+ Mountain division and the TSP Lookouts from the 50+ Central." Max summarized, "I am greatly humbled to receive this award. When I was inducted into the MSBL National Hall of Fame in 2007 I thought that it couldn't get any better. Then in 2013 I was awarded the Lifetime Achievement Award and I really was surprised. Now this award, I am at a loss for words. I am very proud of what MSBL and the Chicago North MSBL organizations stand for and also what we've accomplished in Chicago over my 18 years as League President. But I need to thank my father, first and foremost, for providing me with the ability to keep pushing."

50+ National Division		70+ National / American		25+ National Division	
San Antonio Bombers	12	North County Mudcats	9	Sonoma County Cardinals	4
Aberdeen US Baseball	3	Sacramento 70's	11	Omaha Red Sox (MNT)	3
OC Sox	8	Colorado Cardinals	1	Chicago Rippers	7
Diamond Dream Mustangs	10	Fresno Grizzlies	2	LBC Sunrocks	3
So Cal Blue Jays	7	North County Mudcats	2	San Jose Giants	0
3n2 Rangers	9	Chicago North TSP Fire	11	So Cal Terror	5
50+ Central Division		Minnesota Bandits	3	Sonoma County Cardinals	13
Long Island Panthers	2	LA Athletics	7	So Cal Titans	4
Raleigh Braves	3	70+ Central Division 1		25+ Mountain Division	
Raleigh Braves	4	Dragons	14	Sonoma County Cards (NA)	4
Caballeros	9	Oklahoma Sooners	2	Omaha Red Sox	3
Cal TV Tribute	1	San Antonio Broncos	11	Omaha Red Sox	1
Sacramento Bombers	7	Lehigh Valley Moondogs	22	Columbus Pirates	3
Dupage Angels	5	Kansas City A's	2	San Diego North	4
Chicago North TSP's	11	Portland Dirt	5	Capital City Angels	5
Mezcal	10	Cal Vets (team 2)	2	Kansas City Royals	3
California Hogs	7	Kansas City A's	13	San Diego Knights	0
50+ Cactus Division 1		70+ Central Division 2		Columbus Pirates	2
Dallas White Sox	0	Seattle Mariners	2	Yanese Bandits	9
Madison Blues	12	Red Deer Legends	16	25+ Central Division 1	
SB Waves	6	Cal Vets	8	Bay Area Generals	1
Detroit Braves	3	Mudville 9	22	Charros BC	8
Diamond Dream Mustangs	15	MBI	12	Tucson Wildcats	6
Arizona Cubs	0	Tucson Toros	9	Denver Kokopelli's	11
50+ Cactus Division 2		40+ National Division		Seattle Ravens	18
Nationals	6	So Cal Snappers	13	Bay Area Generals	8
Chicago Pinch Hitters	14	Tucson Bulls	0	25+ Central Division 2	
St Thomas Hurricanes	14	Sacramento Red Sox	5	Twin City Cardinals	8
So Cal Indians	3	Montebello Angels	6	New Mexico Sky Sox	0
Rochester Redwings	11	Tucson Bulls	16	LA Legends	3
Sacramento Marlins	10	Cincy Braves	6	Twin City Cardinals	8
50+ Cactus Division 3		Sacramento Red Sox	8	New Mexico Sky Sox	7
Kansas City Knights	3	So Cal Snappers	5	Northern VA Twins	7
Sonoma County Cardinals	11	San Antonio Titans	5	Albuquerque Sox	3
Utah Braves	12	Arizona Angels	1	Tucson Angels	8
Austin Express	4	Cincy Braves	9	25+ Cactus Division 1	
Seattle Steelheads	5	Arizona Angels	13	Antelope Valley Phillies	6
Utah Braves	13	40+ Mountain Division		Cen Cal Nuts (division 2)	5
Carolina Cobras	8	Bakersfield Heat	4	Chicago Devils	2
Peoria Pirates	6	Clancy's Irish	10	Antelope Valley Phillies	9
50+ Desert Division		San Jose Beez	26	Salt Lake Outsiders	3
Connecticut Navigators	7	Houston Cyclones	2	Washington Rangers	6
NSEW Connection	4	Columbus Spiders	6	Fresno Grizzlies	2
Colorado All Stars	21	Oakland Soldiers	7	Roseland Warriors	4
Cal Vets	5	Clancy's Irish	9	Sacramento Generals	9
Red Deer Legends	21	Baseball BBQ Forkballers	3	Chicago Devils	10
Colorado All Stars	12	Bakersfield Heat	1	25+ Cactus Division 2	
		San Jose Beez	17	Inland NW Bandits	2
		Houston Cyclones	6	Tucson Indians	5
		Oakland Soldiers	7	Team Alaska	4
				Sacramento Wildthings	3
				Cen Cal Nuts	4
				Nor Cal Tigers	9
				Tucson Indians	1
				Team Alaska	8
				Sacramento Wildthings	7
				Puget Sound Scorpions	4

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Max Reising - MSBL Co Man of the Year

By Steve LaMontia, Director
of Communications

MSBL / MABL Founder and President Steve Sigler has recognized Chicago North MSBL League President Max Reising with the 2021 Co-Man of the Year Award. 72 year 'young' Max Reising is a man of many MSBL accomplishments yet very few words. Max has a long ledger full of things he has achieved throughout his 18 years at the helm of the Chicago North MSBL but is reluctant to aim the spotlight his way. Max joined the MSBL in San Francisco in 1988 and when he moved to Chicago in 1990, he started the Chicago North Cubbies, beginning in 1991. He managed that squad until 2005. Though his plate is full from running his 45-team Chicago North league, offering play in divisions ranging from 24+ through 65+, he still finds time to take the field.

"I'm the Manager/Player of the 34+ Blue Jays, where I've been a player since 1994 and manager since 1999," said Max. "I've also been a Manager/Player on the 44+ Blue Jays since its inception 2005 and continue to play on the 52+ Rockies (continued on page 2)



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Robert Oskin (Montebello Angels)

By Steve LaMontia,
Director of Communications

Editor's note: It seems like I have been printing stories about the Montebello Angels forever and I am not far wrong. Robert Oskin is the architect of the team that nobody wants to see piling into the other dugout. Robert was kind enough to share his MSBL baseball history with us. We decided to leave Robert's story in his own words, as they were so descriptive and passionate. Meet Robert Oskin of the Montebello Angels, our newest member of MSBL World Series Hall of Fame.

Photo left - MSBL President and Founder, Steve Sigler with Robert Oskin before the game at Fitch Park.

My name is Robert Oskin and I am currently 55 years old. I reside in Montebello, California and am the manager of the Montebello Angels. Just like everything in life after a lot of hard work, I'm fortunate to own my own Real Estate Company called Excellence Real Estate in the city of Whittier, California. I've been very lucky to have gotten into it because it allows me to take the time off to travel all the different locations when the MSBL tournaments come around. About 20 years ago I was playing weekend baseball and we heard of some guys taking time off to go play in a tournament in Las Vegas. After doing some investigating, some friends and I decided to go play. Little did we know how big the MSBL was!

Everyone is always excited for those tournaments to come around. I myself pitch and play first base. But when I do throw for the Angels, we usually have such a great defense that they make all the pitchers look good. As a team we just won our 30th MSBL Tournament Championship with the new Beat the Heat tourney in Irvine.

One thing that I'm proud of is that we have always played in the top divisions of the MSBL and another thing is our team doesn't have a sponsor. Most of our players have to pay their own fees for the league and so on. I would have to say the best experience for me in all the years is probably winning our first World Series ring; but the most fun or best game we ever had actually came in a loss last year in the 40 division of the World Series in the championship game to the So Cal Snappers. They ended up defeating us in 18 innings, 5-3 but it was such a great game to be in.

Our Angels have played in the 25's, 35's, and currently we're in the 40's in the World Series but our team is getting older so next year we'll probably be in the 35's and 45's throughout the year. Hopefully, we'll be in the 40 division for a couple more years 'till the rest can all come up. We've pretty much had the same team throughout the years. It's actually our weekend baseball team and we just add some players that are our friends in the same league or who have played with us in the past. The individuals I would like to thank is Junior Esparza, who now comes with us off and on. We've been together from the beginning. We went to high school together. He's several years younger than me but we've mostly been playing on the same teams ever since. He sometimes brings out a team called the Paramount Pirates. Also, Mike Alcalá who is also in the MSBL Hall of Fame. We've been friends for a long time. We both played on the team called Matanzas with the great coach Mario Diaz who was from Cuba. After his passing, both Mike and I ran the team for a while. My personal thoughts are because of the MSBL, there has been given an opportunity for me to have a friendship with our players and families. I love the fact that when we go to Vegas or Palm Springs that most all the guys bring

25+ National Division		W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1	Sonoma County Cardinals	2	0	0	4	7	1000
2	So Cal Terror	1	0	0	2	0	1000
3	Chicago Rippers	1	0	0	2	3	1000
4	San Jose Giants	0	1	0	0	5	0
5	So Cal Titans	0	1	0	0	13	0
6	LBC Sunrocks	0	2	0	0	11	0

25+ Mountain Division		W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1	Kansas City Royals	1	0	0	2	0	1000
2	Venice Gaze	1	0	0	2	2	1000
3	Yanese Bandits	1	0	0	2	2	1000
4	Capital City Angels	1	0	0	2	4	1000
5	Columbus Pirates	1	1	0	2	10	500
6	San Diego Knights	0	1	0	0	3	0
7	San Diego North	0	1	0	0	5	0
8	Omaha Red Sox	0	2	0	0	9	0

25+ Central Division 1		W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1	Charros BC	1	0	0	8	1	1000
2	Denver Kokopelli's	1	0	0	7	6	1000
3	Seattle Ravens	1	0	0	6	8	1000
4	Tucson Wildcats	0	1	0	5	11	0
5	Bay Area Generals	0	2	0	0	26	0

25+ Central Division 2		W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1	Twin City Cardinals	2	0	0	4	3	1000
2	Tucson Angels	1	0	0	2	3	1000
3	Northern VA Twins	0	0	1	1	7	500
4	New Mexico Skysox	0	1	1	1	15	250
5	Albuquerque Sox	0	1	0	0	8	0
6	LA Legends	0	1	0	0	8	0

25+ Cactus Division 1		W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1	Antelope Valley Phillies	2	0	0	4	7	1000
2	Roseland Warriors	1	0	0	2	2	1000
3	Washington Rangers	1	0	0	2	3	1000
4	Chicago Devils	1	1	0	2	18	500
5	Fresno Grizzlies	0	1	0	0	4	0
6	Salt Lake Outsiders	0	1	0	0	6	0
7	Sacramento Generals	0	1	0	0	10	0

25+ Cactus Division 2		W	L	T	Pts	RA	Win %
1	Team Alaska	2	0	0	4	4	1000
2	Nor Cal Tigers	1	0	0	2	4	1000
3	Sacramento Wild Things	1	1	0	2	8	500
4	Tucson Indians	1	1	0	2	10	500
5	Inland NW Bandits	0	1	0	0	5	0
6	Puget Sound Scorpions	0	1	0	0	7	0
7	Cen Cal Nuts	0	2	0	0	15	0

their wives or girlfriends and family. We have been playing together so long that I've seen their kids grow up. I can't tell you enough how much I love the guys on our team. Like I try to always remember and say, it's not my team, it's our team. Those are the guys out there playing and making it happen so I believe that we win so much because of them and their talent. Chemistry does go a long way. When Steve Sigler called me saying I was getting inducted into the MSBL World Series Hall of Fame, it came as a shock. I wasn't expecting that at all. With all those teams out there and running such a huge organization, I was really honored to receive the award. I feel Steve runs such a great organization. I cannot imagine all the work, time, and effort it takes to put on all that he does. I always feel good taking our team to tournaments because I know it's going to be organized and in order. I appreciate that after every Championship game, win or lose, Steve always finds time to call me to ask how it went and to Thank us for always participating. It really shows me a lot and goes a long way.