

Minnesota American Legion Baseball Resources: 2013 List of Area Tournaments

(Information was provided by those teams requesting tournament posting.
If you have questions or need additional details, please contact the person noted below.)

2013 Marshall Mid-Summer Classic

Where: Marshall, MN (Legion Field and SMSU)
When: June 14-16, 2013
Contact: Chase Pollack, 507-401-1194,
chace.pollock@marshall.k12.mn.us
Details: \$350 entry fee (covers umpire fees, baseballs, and wood bats). Eight-team pool-play tourney -- 2 pools of 4 teams, with cross-over bracket for final games. Games played at both Legion Field and SMSU; 4-game guarantee, contingent upon weather. [Click here for entry flyer.](#)

2013 East Grand Forks Classic

Where: East Grand Forks, MN (Stauss Park)
When: June 28-30, 2013
Contact: Kevin Nunn, 218-207-8368 (c),
knhockey2003@yahoo.com
Details: \$200 entry fee. Sponsored by Post 157 / East Grand Forks Homerun Club; balls provided. Games played on 2 fields at same complex. 4 games guaranteed, contingent upon weather. Homerun Derby on Saturday night, with awards. Contact Kevin for more info/registration.

44th Annual Princeton Tournament

Where: Princeton, MN
When: July 19-21, 2013
Contact: Troy Kinney, 320-290-3338 (c),
tkinney53@yahoo.com
Details: Eight-team tournament with championship and consolation brackets. One game per day, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Held at beautiful Swede Solheim Veteran's Field in Princeton. Contact Troy for more info.

2013 St. Cloud Chutes Legion Tournament

Where: Dick Putz & Joe Faber Fields, St. Cloud
When: June 20-23, 2013
Contact: Dave Wenner, 320-980-0990,
dwenner3@gmail.com
Details: \$425 entry fee. 12-16 teams; pool play tournament, with championship rounds. All games at beautiful Putz and Faber fields, in west St. Cloud. Four-game guarantee, contingent upon weather. [Click here for entry flyer.](#)

41st Annual Fargo-Moorhead Invitational

Where: Moorhead, MN & Fargo, ND
When: June 28-30, 2013 (and other dates*)
Contact: Jeff Miller (Moorhead), 701-367-5915,
slickmiller23@yahoo.com
Details: \$450 entry fee, plus one dozen baseballs. Five game guarantee. Twelve-team, two-pool format, with games at the select Matson Field in Moorhead and Jack Williams Stadium in Fargo. Championship game at Matson Field. [Click here for tournament flyer.](#) Also, see [Fargo Post 2 web site](#) for additional info on this **and other*** 2013 tournaments.

2013 Red Haddox Wood Bat Invitational

Where: Bloomington, MN (Red Haddox Field)
When: June 14-16, 2013
Contact: Ron Nenovich, 952-297-6705 (c),
rnenovich@hotmail.com
Details: \$400 entry fee. Eight-team pool-play tourney; top 2 from each pool advance. Guarantee of 4 games, plus (weather-permitting). Wood bats provided, plus multiple awards. Red Haddox Field was renovated and re-dedicated in 2010, including newly constructed covered grandstand. [Click here for entry flyer.](#)

38th Annual Grand Rapids Invitational

Where: Grand Rapids, MN
When: June 21-23, 2013
Contact: Bill Kinnunen, 218-259-5711,
bkinnunen@isd318.org,
Details: \$325 entry fee, plus 2 balls per game. Ten-team pool-play format in beautiful northern Minnesota. Four-game guarantee, weather permitting. Two top teams from each pool advance to play two games on Sunday. Contact Bill for more info / to enter.

2013 Burnsville Snake Pit Classic

Where: Burnsville, MN (Alimagnet Park)
When: June 21-23, 2013
Contact: Greg Nesbitt, 612-718-7092,
nezzy601997@yahoo.com
Details: \$450 entry fee. Twelve-team pool-play tournament (4 three-team pools.) Four-game guarantee (weather-permitting), with possibility of 5. Played on two adjacent, lighted fields. Top competition, no gate fee for spectators, full concession stand/restrooms. Contact Greg for more info.

2013 New Ulm Upper Midwest Classic

Where: New Ulm, MN
When: July 4-7, 2013
Contact: Dave Buegler, 507-217-9968,
Buegler@comcast.net
Details: \$400 entry fee. Sixteen-team pool-play tournament, sponsored by Post 132. Beautiful Johnson Park in central New Ulm is the primary field. Contact Dave for more info/registration.

2013 Eagan Legion Invitational

Where: Eagan HS & Big Goat Park, Eagan, MN
When: June 14-16, 2013
Contact: Kevin Nagel, 612-702-2327,
knagel2117@yahoo.com
Details: \$455 entry fee. Twelve-team pool-play tournament, played on two beautiful fields; Eagan HS (home of the green monster) and Big Goat Park. Four-game guarantee, with possibility of 5, weather-permitting. Full concessions; no gate fee. Contact Kevin Nagel for more info.

2013 Luverne Post 123 Tournament

Where: Luverne, MN (Redbird Field and HS Field)
When: June 28-30, 2013
Contact: Barry Shelton, 507-290-0810,
barryshelton@gmail.com
Details: \$250 entry fee, plus 3 D1 Pro baseballs. Fee includes umpires, and admission fees for spectators. Sixteen-team pool-play tournament (expanded from 8 team in 2012). Contact Barry for more info/registration.

3rd Annual Rochester Firecracker 92

Where: Rochester, MN (multiple fields)
When: July 5-7, 2013
Contact: Ben Boldt, 507-280-4701,
bboldt@rochsports.com
Details: \$400 entry fee. Sixteen teams, 4 game guarantee in pool play, followed by single-elimination bracket. For more information, contact Ben or visit tournament web site for entry forms and many additional details: www.rochsports.org/legion

Alexandria 4th of July Tournament

Where: Alexandria, MN
When: July 5-7, 2013 (Friday-Sunday)
Contact: Kevin Engebretson, 320-491-7614,
k.engebretson.11@gmail.com
Details: \$300 entry fee. Straight eight-team bracket; three games, one per day, with championship on Sunday. Fan-friendly and festive holiday atmosphere in MN Lakes country; scenic views of Lake Winona from beautiful Knute Nelson Memorial Ballpark. Contact Kevin for more info. [Click here for entry flyer.](#)
Openings available yet.

7th Annual Mulvihill Invitational, 2013

Where: Mankato, MN
When: June 21-23, 2013
Contact: Paul Allan, 507-381-7503,
paul.allan@mnsu.edu
Details: Games played on immaculate fields at Franklin Rogers Park and Wolverton Field (Mankato East HS). Closed for 2013, unless cancellations. (Teams include Mktto Nat'l, Mktto American, Viroqua WI, Apple Valley, Bloom. Gold, Austin, Litchfield, New Ulm Blue.)

2013 Detroit Lakes Water Carnival Wood Bat Tournament

Where: Detroit Lakes, MN (Washington Ball Park)
When: July 19-21, 2013
Contact: Mitch McLeod, 218-280-7812 (c),
mmcleod@detlakes.k12.mn.us
Details: \$225 entry fee, plus one dozen baseballs. Each team scheduled for 5 games. The Detroit Lakes Water Carnival coincides with the tourney, providing many other great activities and things of interest. Washington Ball Park is one block from the lake, which has a mile-long beach. Detroit Lakes has many lodging options as well. Contact Mitch for entry / additional information.

2013 Delano Stars & Stripes Tournament

Where: Delano, MN
When: July 3-6, 2013
Contact: Adam Jaunich 612-414-8018,
adamjaunich@hotmail.com
Details: Wood bat, pool play (bats furnished). Tournament is fixture of Delano 4th of July celebration. Play at historic Municipal Stadium in Central Park, in front of hundred of spectators! First-class facility; recent \$200k capital improvement. Contact Adam; check [Delano 4th web site](#) for upcoming details on the tournament.

2013 Duluth Lakeview Classic

Where: Duluth, MN / Superior, WI
When: June 28-30, 2013
Contact: Tom Simonson, 218-391-4624,
tsimonso@hotmail.com
Details: \$325 entry fee, plus 2 game balls per game. 20-24 team tournament, at 4 sites (Duluth, Hermantown, Superior, Cloquet). Three games guaranteed, weather-permitting, with potential of up to 6 games. Contact Tom for further information and registration.

Wayzata Post 118 Summer Classic

Where: Plymouth, MN (Wayzata HS)
When: July 19-21, 2013
Contact: Adam Goethke, 612-419-9448,
adam.goethke@gmail.com
Details: \$325 entry fee. Eight team tournament, with championship and consolation brackets. One game per day, three-game guarantee (weather-permitting). Game balls provided. Contact Adam for more info / registration.

2013 Ely DQ Grill and Chill Legion Baseball Classic

Where: Veterans Memorial Field, Ely; Legion Field, Soudan
When: June 21-23, 2013
Contact: Tom Coombe, tcoombe@aol.com, (218) 235-1025 or (218) 365-3141
Details: \$250 entry fee, plus one ball per game; four games guaranteed (weather-permitting). Format depends on number of entrants.

2013 Sir G's Ely Midsummer Legion Baseball Classic

Where: Veterans Memorial Field, Ely; Legion Field, Soudan
When: July 12-14, 2013
Contact: Tom Coombe, tcoombe@aol.com, (218) 235-1025 or (218) 365-3141
Details: \$250 entry fee, plus one ball per game; four games guaranteed (weather-permitting). Format depends on number of entrants.

2013 Post 307 Invitational - SIOUX FALLS

Where: Sioux Falls, SD
When: June 14-16, 2013
Contact: Josh Merrigan, 605-366-7627, administration@post307baseball.org
Details: \$500 entry fee, plus box of baseballs. 8-10 teams; games played at Sioux Falls Stadium (home of Sioux Falls Pheasants) and Renner Ball Park. Guarantee of 5 games over 3 days (weather-permitting). [Click here for entry flyer.](#)

2013 Viroqua WI Tournament

Where: Viroqua, WI (near LaCrosse)
When: June 28-30, 2013
Contact: Pete Swanson, 608-778-0863, swans1@mchsi.com
Details: \$300 entry fee. Eight-team tournament, with 4 games guaranteed, weather permitting. All-tournament team selected. Viroqua is in the LaCrosse area. Contact Pete Swanson to enter and/or for further information.

11th Annual BOLD Legion/Mudhen Tournament

Where: Bird Island, MN
When: June 14-16, 2013
Contact: Joe Dollerschell, 320-523-2016 (h), 320-894-8181 (c), jdollerschell@mchsi.com, www.ballcharts.com/boldmudhens
Details: \$200 entry fee. Eight teams, with consolation bracket. Three games guaranteed. Concessions available. Contact Joe for further information and to register.

2013 Winona Legion Tournament

Where: Winona, MN (WSU and SMU)
When: June 28-30, 2013
Contact: Gary Hoeppner, 507-450-4222, Garyhep@hbci.com
Details: \$275 entry fee. Eight teams, with with games played at WSU and SMU. Four games guaranteed, weather permitting. Contact Gary for further information / registration. **One opening left as of 2/21.**

2013 West St. Paul Moose Country Challenge

Where: West St. Paul, MN (Henry Sibley HS & St. Thomas Acad. HS)
When: June 21-23, 2013
Contact: Mark Tessmer, 612-910-1018, mtessmer1467@comcast.net
Details: \$400 entry fee. Eight-team pool-play format. Four games guaranteed, weather-permitting, with 5th game possible. Trophies awarded. Contact Mark for info. [Click here for entry flyer](#).
One opening left as of 2/21.

1st Annual Rueben Nathe Legion Tourney, Litchfield

Where: Litchfield, MN
When: June 14-15, 2013
Contact: Eddie Estrada, 320-434-0922 (c), eestrada@stanthony.k12.mn.us
Details: Four to eight team tournament, depending upon interest received. Please contact Eddie as soon as possible if you have interest, so tournament details can be firmed up.

2013 DGF / Moorhead Golds DII Tourney

Where: Dilworth and Moorhead, MN
When: June 21-23, 2013
Contact: Jeff Miller (Moorhead), 701-367-5915, slickmiller23@yahoo.com
Details: \$150 entry fee, plus one dozen baseballs. Jointly hosted by DGF DII and Moorhead Golds Junior team. Six-team DIVISION II round-robin tournament. Held at Marshall Field in Dilworth and Matson Field in Moorhead. Five game guarantee, weather-permitting.
[Click here for entry flyer](#).

2013 Big Lake Wood Bat Legion Tourney

Where: Big Lake, MN
When: July 13, 2013 (single day)
Contact: Robert Hoekstra, 763-300-3337, biglakebaseball@yahoo.com
Details: \$240 entry fee. Wood bats provided (leave at field, when done.) Two games (10 am and 12:30); 4 teams. Winners of 10 am game play at 12:30; losers of 10 am game also play at 12:30. Contact Robert for entry or more information.
www.biglakebaseball.com/tourneys

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2013 Melde's Meltdown

Where: Minnetonka, MN (Veterans' Field at HS)
When: June 14-16, 2013
Contact: Jim Peck, 952-474-5071, Jimepeck@aol.com
Details: \$400 entry fee. Ten-team pool-play tournament, with cross-over games on Five-game guarantee, weather permitting. Two fields have turf infields; one field is entirely turf. Contact Jim Peck for additional info/entry.

2013 Waconia Jr. Legion Tournament

Where: Waconia, MN (Lions Field)
When: June 21-23, 2013
Contact: Rich Gove, 612-581-9475, govey1@me.com
Details: \$400 entry fee. Eight-team tournament for Jr. Legion teams. Three-game guarantee, weather permitting. Two umpires for each game, no gate fee, full concessions available. Contact Rich, Waconia Legion GM, for additional info/entry.