

Statewide American Legion Coaches & Media Poll

Each week during the season, a panel of 15 respected coaches and analysts of amateur baseball from across the State of Minnesota individually choose their top ten Minnesota American Legion Baseball teams -- ranking the teams, from first through tenth place. Ten points are awarded to a team for a first place vote, nine for a second place vote, and so on, with a tenth place vote earning one point. The votes are tallied by a non-voting third party and forwarded to several Minnesota newspapers and baseball publications.

Results for 8/3/2008 - Final Pre-State Tournament Poll

Team:	Last Week's Poll Position	This Poll Position	Total Points	1st Place Votes
Eden Prairie*	1	1	137	13
Grand Rapids*	3	2	110	2
Richfield*	5	3	94	
Apple Valley*	8	4	73	
Rochester Patriots*	4	5	66	
North St. Paul*	7	6	58	
Burnsville**	6	7	45	
Maple Grove*	13	8	41	
Edina*	9	9	39	
Tri-City Red	2	10	37.5	
Rochester Redhawks	14	11	22	
Eastview*	19	12	21	
Cold Spring*		13	20	
Oakdale	16	14	15	
St. Paul Hamline Purple		15	12	
Coon Rapids	11	16	9	
Hopkins		17	8	
Centennial	10	18	6	
Moorhead Blues*		19	5	
Egan	12	20	2	
Thief River Falls	19	20	2	
New Ulm Gold*		20	2	
Excelsior	15	23	0.5	
St. Michael	17			
Alexandria	18			
Osseo	19			
Bloomington Blue				
Bloomington Gold				
Brainerd				
Cambridge				
Chaska				
Cloquet				
Duluth Lakeview				
Lakeville North				
Mahtomedi				
Mankato Post 11				
Minneapolis SW				
Perham				
Rochester A's				
Rosemount				
St. Cloud Chutes				
Stillwater				
Tri-City Blue				
Wayzata				
Woodbury Blue				
Total Points:			825	

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*Earned State Tournament Berth

**State Tournament Host

This Week's Voters (15):

Ron Adams, North St. Paul
 Jim Clancy, Mpls Post Office
 Mike Fogelson, Bemidji
 Charlie Godbout, 3rd District
 Russ Hinrichs, Alexandria
 Keith Kangas, Rochester A's
 Troy Kinney, Princeton
 Tink Larson, Waseca
 Ron Nenovich, Bloomington Gold
 Jim Peck, Excelsior
 Greg Schmidt, New Brighton
 John Sherman, Sun News
 Chris Vito, U of M-Crookston
 Tom Yelle, Coon Rapids/ARCC
 Bruce Young, Apple Valley

This Week's Absent Voters:

None