



ROY HOBBS INSIDE PITCH

WEDNESDAY
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MASTERS/VINTAGE
DIVISIONS

PLAYOFF MEETING IS WEDNESDAY

The Roy Hobbs Advisory Committee will meet at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at Roy Hobbs World Series headquarters to determine the set up and seeding for the AAAA and AAA playoffs.

Although 12 managers have been invited to participate on the committee, any interested managers are welcome to come and be involved too.

The Committee will determine the 8 teams that remain in AAAA, and then review all teams from the general pool that are 3-1 or 4-0 to determine the 4 teams from the Pool that will advance to the double-elimination AAA playoffs.

The seeding and scheduling announced late Wednesday

afternoon at the headquarters, posted there and on royhobbs.com as well as being put on the Roy Hobbs Schedule line: 239.533.7694.

The Friday pairings for the non-AAAA/AAA playoffs will be announced Thursday night at the Masters Division Pairings Party.

Following the party, approximately 8:30 p.m., the pairings will be uploaded to **royhobbs.com** and be available on the tournament phone system: **239.533.7694**.

Drink water

Things are getting warmer as the week goes on.

This is just a reminder that with the mid-80s heat and the humidity that everyone needs to stay hydrated. The heat is sneaky. Don't let it sneak up on you.

Everyone needs to keep drinking water before games and throughout games. Once you get into a heat problem, you cannot make up the lost fluid in a hurry, and it takes time to replace a body's fluids once they are depleted.

Raffle time ...

There are several raffles going on during the 2010 Roy Hobbs World Series.

❖ A chance to win the opportunity to participate in the 2011 Oakland A's / Seattle Mariners Fantasy Camp at Papago Spring Training Complex in Phoenix, January 14-20. Tickets are \$10 each. The prize is donated by Henderson Baseball Adventures, and the Roy Hobbs Foundation receives the proceeds of the raffle. The drawing will be held November 18, 2010, at the Legends Division pairings party.

❖ A chance to win an opportunity to attend the Wood Bat or Spring Training Cactus Classic events in Tucson next February. Tickets are \$5; proceeds benefit the Roy Hobbs Foundation. The drawing will be held weekly on Friday before the 2 p.m. playoff game at Lee County Stadium.

❖ A 50/50 raffle, also benefiting the Roy Hobbs Foundation, is on-going at Lee County Stadium ... you can get your tickets at the same time you pick up your T-shirt and visit the Pro Shop on the Concourse. Tickets are \$1 apiece or 6 for \$5.

The Roy Hobbs Foundation was established to raise monies for research on finding a cure for Leukemia and to assist our Challenged Athlete friends.

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Masters Pairings Party Update

The Masters Division Pairings Party will be held Thursday evening at MacDaddy's Grill and Pub on Daniels Parkway, 5 minutes from Lee County Stadium.

The festivities begin at 7 p.m. at MacDaddy's, located at 8951 Daniels Parkway, which is halfway between Six Mile Cypress and I-75, on the north side of Daniels Parkway.

Snack foods will be served at 7 p.m. and the pairings will be announced about 8 p.m. There will be a cash bar.

Vintage Pairings Party Update

The site for the Vintage Division Pairings Party will be announced to the teams at your games on Wednesday.

Only the Vintage Division will be playing games on Wednesday.



Photo by Greg Wagner

BOYD COUSINS ENJOY THE ROY HOBBS WORLD SERIES

"I love the game of baseball," former major league player, Dennis "Oil Can" Boyd, gives as his reason for attending the Roy Hobbs World Series this year. He is playing this week with the Rhode Island Warriors Masters team.

"Baseball was never really about the paycheck," added Oil Can, who played most of his career with the Boston Red Sox. Just playing the game and the camaraderie is what keeps this 51-year old pitcher coming back for more time and time again.

As for the Hobbs Series, Oil Can says he loves playing with the folks who join him on the field because they are truly devoted to the game. He also says the umpires and all those he comes in contact with are "first rate."

Oil Can says he like having fun and he will keep playing as long as his body will let him. "I never grew up," he says.

Also here this week is his cousin, Willie Boyd. Playing for the Border City Brewers, who is in the AAAA division, Willie and Oil Can will



probably not play each other. Willie, 51, has been coming to the World Series for many years and hopes to continue to come for many more.

They come from a big family and have a lot of relatives in Michigan. Willie is from Detroit, where he has been a mailman for 26 years. Of course, he has been playing ball since childhood. He has a son who plays in high school and has more than a couple of college prospects.

Oil Can keeps busy. Between the personal appearance circuit, playing ball and doing charity events, he does not have time for much else.

The cousins have no special plans to get together in Fort Myers. However they are looking forward to gathering at their annual family reunion in Mississippi.

Oil Can added, "It's a great life."

Willie Boyd agrees...

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Player ID cards

Just a reminder that all players must have their player I.D. cards with them at games.

No card, no play, and Roy Hobbs reserves the right to do card checks at games. Players without their ID cards will not be allowed to continue to play and will be required to bring his ID card to the Tournament Director or Site Manager before being allowed to return to the playing field.

Replacement cards are available at the Roy Hobbs Headquarters. Bring a photo ID to verify identity, and the fee is \$5.

So, please don't lose the card and please keep it with you.

Picking up T-shirts ...

The tournament T-shirt is available for all registered players outside the main concession stand near the Roy Hobbs Store on the Concourse at Lee County Stadium.

Hours to pick up the Tournament T-shirt are from Noon to 6 p.m. With the shirt, each player will get their tournament patch. **Exception is Wednesday when concessions are closed.**

Players will need their RHWS ID card to get their shirts – No drivers licenses needed.

Vendor Sales

Roy Hobbs is creating a vendors area on the concrete pad next to the Lee County Stadium batting cages.

Currently, bat vendors are setting up there, along with the Massage therapists.

The site was chosen to accommodate hard goods vendors, especially so that bat buyers would have a place to swing and get the feel of the merchandise.

It should be noted that Vendors are prohibited from selling bats or other merchandise from trunks of cars, in parking lots or at the playing fields, either in the stands or in the dugouts.

10-, 15- & 20-year recognition

Have you been at the Roy Hobbs World Series 10 or more years?

If so, Roy Hobbs has a recognition pin for players with 10 or 15 or 20 years at the Tournament. See Todd, Tony, or Tom at RHWS headquarters to get your pin.

Results corrections

Please check the posted results and standings each day.

Managers should contact Rob or Adam at Tournament Headquarters (239.533.7694) with corrections to scores.

That's the best way to make sure that seedings and pairings are accurate.

SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Vintage Division

MONDAY

Chicago Spirit 5, Midwest Saints 4
 Detroit 65s 10, Boston Braves 7
 Georgia Classics 8, American National Wildcats 7
 South Dakota Pheasants 12, New England Red Sox 1
 Washington Nationals 13 Silver Foxes of Rhode Island 7
 Western Silver Foxes 4, Ohio Bucks 2

TUESDAY

Chicago Spirit 10, South Dakota Pheasants 0
 Detroit 65s 13, American National Wildcats 2
 Midwest Saints 13, Washington Nationals 7
 Ohio Bucks 10, Boston Braves 3
 Silver Foxes of Rhode Island 16, New England Red Sox 6
 Western Silver Foxes 9, Georgia Classics 6

WEDNESDAY

10:00 PM
 Ohio Bucks @ American National Wildcats @ LCS
 Detroit 65s @ Georgia Classics @ CPS 1:45 PM
 Midwest Saints @ New England Red Sox @ LCS
 Silver Foxes of R.I. @ South Dakota Pheasants @ CPS 6:00 PM
 Chicago Spirit @ Washington Nationals @ LCS
 Western Silver Foxes @ Boston Braves @ CPS

THURSDAY

10:00 AM
 New England Red Sox @ Chicago Spirit @ CPP
 South Dakota Pheasants @ Midwest Saints @ PDC1 1:45 PM
 Washington Nationals @ Detroit 65s @ LC5
 American National Wildcats @ Western Silver Foxes @ LC3
 Georgia Classics @ Ohio Bucks @ PDC4
 Boston Braves @ Silver Foxes of R.I. @ PDC5

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STANDINGS

Masters Division

AAAA	W	L	Pct	RA
HPK Oilers	4	0	1.000	7
Pittsburgh 48s	3	1	0.750	19
Puerto Rico LBBA	3	1	0.750	34
Chicago Giants 48s	2	2	0.500	17
Border City Brewers	2	2	0.500	20
Americans Baseball Club	2	2	0.500	22
South Dakota Rushmores	2	2	0.500	31
Oakville Golden A's	2	2	0.500	32
Bergen Yankees	1	3	0.250	28
Tennessee Dirtbags	1	3	0.250	29
Massachusetts Chiefs	1	3	0.250	35
Jersey Shore Baseball	1	3	0.250	42

POOL TEAMS	W	L	Pct	RA
Apple Valley A's	4	0	1.000	10
Cuyahoga Indians	4	0	1.000	12
DC Capital Classics	4	0	1.000	13
New Jersey Rockies	4	0	1.000	17
Orlando Blazers	3	1	0.750	17
Atlanta Astro Falcons	3	1	0.750	17
Windy City Warriors	3	1	0.750	20
Dayton Cardinals	3	1	0.750	22
PSOF Rangers	3	1	0.750	24
Maine Indians	3	1	0.750	26
Ohio-Penn Silverhawks	3	1	0.750	27
Washington Nationals	3	1	0.750	28
Staten Island Bombers	3	1	0.750	28
Richmond Tides	3	1	0.750	28
Oak Lawn Rifles	2	2	0.500	25
Minnesota Bandits	2	2	0.500	26
South Dakota Jackalopes	2	2	0.500	27
Salem-Pitt Warlocks	2	2	0.500	28
Wolfdogs	2	2	0.500	29
Richmond River Dogs	2	2	0.500	31

DuPage Indians	2	2	0.500	32
Cuyahoga Chiefs	2	2	0.500	34
Tidewater Drillers	2	2	0.500	34
Philadelphia Phillies	2	2	0.500	35
Wilmington StingRays	2	2	0.500	37
Huntsville Stars	2	2	0.500	39
Livingston Dodgers	1	3	0.250	24
Midatlantic Redwings	1	3	0.250	28
Monroe Muskrats	1	3	0.250	30
Fort Myers Hooter's Blues	1	3	0.250	32
Rhode Island Warriors	1	3	0.250	33
South Side White Sox	1	3	0.250	41
Pensacola Privateers	1	3	0.250	44
Cincinnati Colts	1	3	0.250	44
Washington All-Stars	1	3	0.250	45
Kenmore Eastern Brewers	1	3	0.250	49
Kent Mudhens	1	3	0.250	50
South Chicago Yaquis	1	3	0.250	55
Texas A's	0	4	0.000	40
DHBA Athletics	0	4	0.000	41
Choctawhatchee Indians	0	4	0.000	53

Vintage

Team	Win	Loss	Pct.	RA
Chicago Spirit	2	0	1.000	4
Western Silver Foxes	2	0	1.000	8
Detroit 65s	2	0	1.000	9
Ohio Bucks	1	1	0.500	7
South Dakota Pheasants	1	1	0.500	11
Midwest Saints	1	1	0.500	12
Georgia Classics	1	1	0.500	16
Silver Foxes of Rhode Island	1	1	0.500	19
Washington Nationals	1	1	0.500	20
Boston Braves	0	2	0.000	20
American National Wildcats	0	2	0.000	21
New England Red Sox	0	2	0.000	28