



**2018 BOZEMAN BUCKS HEROES PARK INVITATIONAL
TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE
JUNE 28TH – JULY 1ST, 2018**

| THURSDAY 6/28 | | |
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| TIME | HOME | VISITOR |
| 4:30 PM | Columbia Basin (WA) | Fossil Ridge (CO) |
| 7:00 PM | Bozeman (MT) | Columbia Basin (WA) |
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| FRIDAY 6/29 | | |
| TIME | HOME | VISITOR |
| 9:00 AM | Fossil Ridge (CO) | Bitterroot (MT) |
| 11:30 AM | Medicine Hat (Canada) | Columbia Basin (WA) |
| 2:00 PM | Bitterroot (MT) | Yakima (WA) |
| 4:30 PM | Yakima (WA) | Medicine Hat (Canada) |
| 7:00 PM | Bozeman (MT) | Fossil Ridge (CO) |
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| SATURDAY 6/30 | | |
| TIME | HOME | VISITOR |
| 9:00 AM | Columbia Basin (WA) | Bitterroot (MT) |
| 11:30 AM | Yakima (WA) | Fossil Ridge (CO) |
| 2:00 PM | Medicine Hat (Canada) | Bitterroot (MT) |
| 4:30 PM | Bozeman (MT) | Medicine Hat (Canada) |
| 7:00 PM | Bozeman (MT) | Yakima (WA) |
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| SUNDAY 7/1 | | |
| TIME | HOME | VISITOR |
| 8:00 AM | Seed 5 | Seed 6 |
| 10:30 AM | Seed 3 | Seed 4 |
| 1:00 PM | Seed 1 | Seed 2 |

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Team Fee: \$500.00 plus one box Diamond D1 Baseballs

Payable to: Bozeman Legion Baseball--PO Box 6054--Bozeman, MT 59715.

Bozeman American Legion Baseball Tournament Rules:

- 1) Rules are governed by The American Legion Rule Book
- 2) Starting pitchers and/or his replacement will be allowed up to 8 initial warm-up pitches. Pitchers will then be given 5 pitches to warm-up between half innings. (UMPIRES: Enforcement of the 5 pitches between innings is mandatory). Legion pitch count and appearance rules will be enforced.
- 3) Can use DH for Pitcher only
- 4) **8 run rule** applies after 4 1/2 if the home team is leading, or 5 innings if the visiting team is leading. **15 run rule** applies after 3 innings. These are put into place to help keep tourney on schedule.
- 5) No new inning will start after **2 hours**. Only that portion of the inning necessary to determine a winner will be played. Time will officially start with the first pitch of the game. *In case of a tie after 2 hours, teams will go into tie-breaker scenario. Each team will start the next inning with a runner on 2nd base and no outs. The runner will be the last person out from the previous inning.* **Exceptions:** Sunday's games will be played with no time limit until a winner is determined.
- 6) Home team is pre-determined by looking at first team on bracket. Bozeman will automatically be the home team for all games and will have 3rd base dugout.
- 7) In an attempt to remain on schedule, and with games scheduled 2 1/2 hours apart. There will be no pre-game infield/outfield. **Teams will only be allowed infield/outfield before their first game of the tournament if time permits.**
- 8) Game times on the last day may be altered to allow teams a chance to get on the road. The final decision will be made by the tournament committee.
- 9) Ground rules will be explained during the pre-game coaches meeting.
 - **Coaches must wear their protective helmet.**
 - Players and equipment are to remain within the confines of the dugout.
 - Ball is dead when it "breaks the vertical plane" of the front of the dugout.
 - Gates are to remain closed to bullpen area and near dugout.
 - On deck batters should assist with passed-balls (with no runners on) and foul balls behind home plate. Each team should assist with foul balls down their base line. If Bat boys/player coaches are used, they **must** wear a helmet outside the dugout.
- 10) Tiebreaker criteria, ranked in order of precedence (all pool play opponents)
 1. Head-to-head record.
 2. Runs allowed
 3. Runs Scored
 4. Coin flip

2018 PITCH COUNT RULES

REQUIRED REST FOR # OF PITCHES THROWN PER DAY

| AGE | DAILY MAX (PITCHES IN GAME) | REQUIRED REST FOR # OF PITCHES THROWN PER DAY | | | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| | | 0 DAYS* | 1 DAY | 2 DAYS | 3 DAYS | 4 DAYS |
| 15-16 (Recommendation) | 95 | 1-30 | 31-45 | 46-60 | 61-80 | 81+ |
| ALB Class B & Junior Programs | 105 | 1-30 | 31-45 | 46-60 | 61-80 | 81+ |
| ALB Senior Program | 105** | 1-30 | 31-45 | 46-60 | 61-80 | 81+ |

* Per National Rule 1-R, No player may make more than two appearances as a pitcher during any consecutive three-day period. Players will be charged with two appearances if they leave the pitching position and return as a pitcher in the same game.

** Per National Rule 1-R, A pitcher will be allowed to finish a batter if he reaches or exceeds the maximum limit during an at-bat, but must exit the position after the hitter