## Donegal Area Church Softball League (DACSL) 2021 July tournament Saturday, July 10, 2021

<b>Pool A</b> (Armstrong 1)	A2. A3.	Hershey Free (DACSL) Jason Herr Middle Creek Church (Manheim CSL) Marcus Kline Spring Grove, (Cumberland league) Dwane Schildt CFC, New Holland (NHCSL) Mike Sauder	
<b>Pool B</b> (Armstrong 2)		Calvary Bible/Codorus (York Co. CSL) Brian Brenneman Metzler's/Erb's Menn. (Ephrata Area CSL) Alex Weaver New Holland Nazarene/Twin Valley Bible (New Holland CSL) Mitch Hertzler	
Pool C (Fuhrman, Maytown) Changed to Legion	C2. C3.	Good's Menn./all-DACSL (DACSL) Ryan Heistand Manheim BIC Orange/Salem UM (Manheim CSL) Ben Trissler Hammer Creek Mennonite (Ephrata Area CSL) Craig Rutt Freedom Comm. Church (York Co CSL) John Futrell	
<b>Pool D</b> (Governor Stable, Falmouth)	D3.	White Oak CoB, Red (Manheim CSL) Wendell Stoner Hope City, Lanc/Open Door, York (York Co CSL) Travis Ryan Faith Journey (Ephrata Area CSL) Ken Grube Bible Baptist of York (none) Brandon Bankert	

Most of you will play each of the other teams in your pool for your first three games. (The B pool has only three teams so we created some crossover games with the A pool to ensure each team has at least three pool games.) Each pool has its own field (as shown) for the morning on Saturday. We balanced the strength of the teams in each pool based on your W-L record this season and your results in our tournament in the past.

We want you to play teams you have not played recently. So for example, no other team from your league is in your pool. None of the teams from your pool last time (2019) are in your pool this year.

We also try to mix up the fields. Most teams have a pool field different from last time.

Winner of coin toss gets choice of home or away in pool games. Home team offers a prayer before the game.

The team in parentheses is responsible to supply a base umpire. The tournament supplies plate umpires for all games.

Saturday	8am	9am	10am	11am	12pm	1pm
Armstrong 1	A1, A2 (A4)	A1, A4 (A2)	A3, A4 (A1)	A2, A3 (A4)	A2, A4 (A3)	A3, B1 (A2)
	3 11	2 15	8 1	6 5	7 5	10 0
Armstrong 2		B1, B2 (B3)	B1, B3 (B2)	A1, B3 (B1)	A1, B2 (B3)	B2, B3 (A1)
-		9 2	6 13	2 12	2 11	14 3
Maytown	C1, C2 (C4)	C2, C4 (C1)	C1, C3 (C2)	C1, C4 (C3)	C2, C3 (C4)	C3, C4 (C2)
Legion	3 13	14 13	7 12	9 5	0 15	14 4
Gov. Stable	D1, D2 (D4)	D2, D4 (D1)	D1, D3 (D2)	D1, D4 (D3)	D2, D3 (D4)	D3, D4 (D2)
	11 1	18 3	20 5	15 1	0 5	16 1

At the end of pool play, determine your ranking within your pool using the seeding criteria in the Rules document. Winner of the last pool game, please text or phone me (717-799-9550) with the scores from your pool (umpires are recording scores, check the paperwork at your field).

All teams go to the single elimination playoff. Your place of entry into the playoff bracket is determined by your ranking within your pool. Use the seeding criteria from the Rules as follows: 1.Win-Loss record (use percentages when comparing teams that have played different numbers of games) 2. head-to-head, 3. run differential. Order the teams #1, #2, #3 and #4 within your pool. (Example: in the elimination bracket below, team A#2 refers to the second-ranked team from the A pool and is not necessarily the same as team A2)

The first round of the elimination matches up all of the third and fourth place teams. As soon as you know you are in third or fourth place in your pool, go to the correct field so you are ready to play at 2:30. Note that team A#3 will get a bye in the first round since there will be no team B#4, seeing as the B pool has only three teams.

In the second round of the playoff, the second-place pool teams play the winners from the first round as shown in the bracket. Second-place teams, consult the bracket below as soon as you know you are #2 in your pool to see which field you play on at 3:30. Send one of your players to that field for the 2:30 game to act as a base umpire.

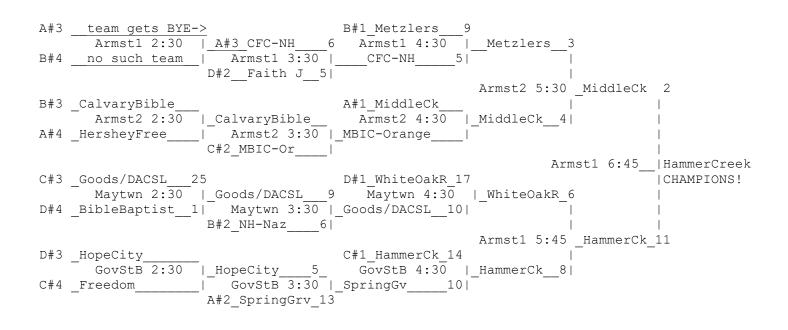
The first-place pool teams receive a double-bye to the third round of the playoff, against winners from the second round as shown in the bracket. First-place teams, consult the bracket below as soon as you know you are #1 in your pool to see which field you play on at 4:30. Send one of your players to that field for the 3:30 game to act as a base umpire.

The playoff bracket is designed so that two teams from the same pool are unlikely to face each other until the finals. (One possible exception for this year is the B#3 vs A#4 matchup.)

In all playoff games, the higher ranked team gets choice of home or away. When equally ranked teams play, use the coin toss.

**The general scheme for base umpires during the playoff is as follows:** For the 2:30 and 3:30 games, the team scheduled to play the next game on the field is responsible to supply a base umpire. (For example, team B#2 umpires the 2:30 game at Maytwn. Team C#1 umpires the 3:30 game at GovStb.) The tournament will supply two umpires for all games at 4:30 and later.

## Single elimination playoff



Any questions, contact the tournament director, John Grosh, at jgrosh@juno.com or 717-799-9550.