## The Fastpitch Chronicle Presents In and Around "The Circle"

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The Game Schedule on the official bracket does not follow in the order that the games are actually played today. So in these report Game Numbers are as they are posted in the Program. We start today's schedule of games with game #9 they move to game #12 as we played and reported on games #10 and #11 in yesterday's "Around and in the Circle" from Saturday night's action.

Game #9
Hallman Cubs 8 . Rice Lake Orangemen 1

The Cubs scored one in the second, three in the third while getting two in the fourth and fifth en route to the win. Huemel Mata was the winner on a 3-hitter with 7 Ks. The loser was Nicolas Siebenlist who allowed 8 hits. Leading hitters for the Cubs was Q. Bruce with two hits including a home run. Mata helped himself out with a dinger of his own.

Game #12
Kegel Black Knights 11, Rio Grande Senators 1

This game was tight through 5 innings as it was a 3-1 lead for Kegel but a four-run sixth boosted the Fargo, ND team into an insurmountable lead and on to the ten-run win. The winner was Justin Schofield who allowed 2 bits and struck out a dozen. The loser was Samuel Villalvazo who relinquished 11 hits and fanned a handful. The four-run outburst was highlighted a leadoff walk to Mike Lewis and when Jeff Lewis hit a ball that was booted at third Lewis sprinted home. Chris Heinline hit a ball to short that was

booted. An error in left allowed Derek Mayson to reach base and Tyron Bartorillo singled two in. Heinline belted a pair of automatic home runs and Mayson added another for the winners.

#13 Game Hill United Chiefs 16. Coburg Dirt Road 4 Hill United got things going in the bottom of the first inning with four runs. Brad Ezekiel walked a swiped second base and later scored on an rbi single by Nick Shailes. Another walk, this one to Bruno Motroni and Jason Hill hit a home run. They scored two more in the second on a tworun shot by Ezekiel. Leading 6-0 the Chiefs saw Dirt Road score four runs in the third inning off All World pitcher Adam Folkhard. That outburst really woke up the Chief's bats as they scored 10 runs in the bottom of the inning on long balls by James Todhunter, Mark Johnson sandwiched around some miscues and walks and a home run by Shane Boland. Hill United collected 16 hits in all while Folkard got the win in four innings, allowing five hits.

## Looking for 50 - ISC Hall of Famer has found a new love in life

Longtime ISC umpire and ISC Hall of Fame member Tom Boyd of New Tripoli, Pa is looking for his 50th win as a race car driver. He is now driving a car called a Micro Stock machine. He races around his hometown area but on Saturday he will be running his rig at Pocono. A Micro Stock is an elongated Go Kart with a sealed engine (mens nobody can modify them. Last year he finished 12 in a 20 car field.

Game #14

New York Gremlins 10 , Shakespeare Falcens 0 leading hitters for The Gremlins were Ladislao Andrew Kirkpatrick had things under control for the Gremlins in this game. He tossed a two-hitter with eight strikeouts. The loser was Kirk Santala who allowed 8 hits in his workday and fanned none. The Ma;arczuk with two hits and Ben Enoka with a pair of hits. Jerome Raemaki had a double as did Enoka who also had a homer.

Game #15
J & B Bombers 9. Waterdown Hammer 2

There was an issue with scoring this game. The computer shut down during play and the entire game had to be re-entered later.

Hallman Twins 13, Durham D'Backs 0
This game ended in the bottom of the 4th on the 12-run mercy rule. A big six-run rally was a crippler for Durham as was the long ball. Sean Cleary tossed a one-hitter with 9 strikeouts. Home runs were hit by starters and substitutes for Hallman. Pomeroy doubled for the winners while home runs were smashed by Jonathan Lynch, Teo Migliavacca, Cam Schiller, Zac Shaw,

**Game** #17
Ostrander Norsemen 6. WAH Banning 1

Pat Burns, Andy Skelton and Jeff Nowaczyk, five

in all and there was no doubt off the bat where

those missiles were headed.

Ostrander out of Minnesota got a one-hitter out of pitcher Kim Hansen. They rallied for six runs in the fifth to win the game. The winners got five hits while the losers got two. Hayden Matthews and Anthony Aresco each tripled for

Ostander.

Game #18
Elmira Expos . Ashland A's

The Ashland A's scored two in the bottom of the seventh in walk off fashion. Yusuke Merita trioled with the A's down by one and scored the tying run on a fielder's choice. They won it when Erik Urbaneja single and Joaquin Alegre also singled. With one first and second German Truffer singled in the winning run.

**Game** #19

Universidad National Matanza , Bear Bottom Lodge

This game featured a team from Brazil. I will let you look at the two team names above and figure out which one it is. Bear Bottom Lounge won this game in seven-inning and concluded a great day at Circle Tap. The final score was 8-3. They scored a pair in the first, and got two more in each of the fourth, fifth and sixth innings while the losers got one in the fifth and two in the sixth. The winner was Michal Holobradek (from Czech Republic) who worked into the fifth and got help from the Kiwi Josh Pettet. They combined to strike out 10. The game's lone home run was hit by Lentino while Caceers had 2 doubles for the losers. Riley Makea, son of Thomas Makea had two hits for the winners who collected seven his in all.

## **Game #20**

San Antonio Titans 7, 3 Cheers Pub 2

The Titans scored all but 1 of the first six innings en route to the win. The winner was Harrison Peters on a two-hitter with 16 Ks. The loser was Tidima Kikana. Freddy Carmona had a pair of hits for the winners

## Aurora's Mike Drew has been playing at this level for 44 years

I have known Mike Drew as a player for many years but last night at Circle Tap I learned more about him and his long playing career. He began playing fastpitch in the mid 70s. After a baseball career in college he sort of stumbled on to SA Field in Aurora, Illinois. He started playing in the local league the next and he is still playing at the highest level. He had some great stories of season's past and great games at the world tournament and ASA National Tournament level.