

**2011 Northern JR Regional
Sheridan, WY
Thorne Rider Baseball Field**

Pool A

Rapid City Bullets
Wyoming State Runner-Up
Minnesota
Bozeman, MT

Pool B

Rapid City Expos
Sheridan, WY
Cherry Creek, CO
Gallatin Valley, MT

Thursday July 28

10:00 Wyoming vs. Rapid City Bullets
12:30 Cherry Creek, CO vs. RC Expos
3:00 Gallatin Valley vs. RC Expos
5:30 Bozeman, MT vs. Minnesota
8:00 Sheridan, WY vs. Cherry Creek, CO

Saturday July 30

8:00 Wyoming vs. Bozeman, MT
10:30 Sheridan, WY vs. Gallatin Valley
1:00 3A vs. 4B (Game 1)
3:30 3B vs. 4A (Game 2)
6:00 1B vs. 2A (Game 3)
8:30 1A vs. 2B (Game 4)

Friday July 29

9:30 Minnesota vs. Wyoming
12:00 Minnesota vs. Rapid City Bullets
2:30 Bozeman, MT vs. Rapid City Bullets
5:00 Gallatin Valley vs. Cherry Creek, CO
7:30 Rapid City Expos vs. Sheridan, WY

Sunday July 31

8:00 Loser 1 vs. Loser 2 (7th/8th Place)
10:30 Winner 1 vs. Winner 2 (5th/6th Place)
1:00 Loser 3 vs. Loser 4 (Consolation)
3:30 Winner 3 vs. Winner 4
(Championship)
6:00- *Awards Presentation*

- *Home team will be determined by coin flip*
- *First two days will be pool play format*
- *The next two days will be bracketed based upon seeding from pool play*

Tiebreaker system:

1. *Head to head competition*
2. *Least runs allowed*
3. *Most runs scored*

See Tournament rules below

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2011 Northern JR Regional 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) Pitchers can throw a maximum of 12 innings every 3 days or 4 appearances every 3 days.
3. Can use DH for Pitcher only. No courtesy runners will be allowed.
4. **Eight 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 and 30 minutes. 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 and 30 min, 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: The bracket games will be played with no time limit until a winner is determined.
6. Home team is determined by coin flip with the Tournament Director. Rapid City will always occupy the third 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.**
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 director and coaches.
10. Tiebreaker criteria/Seeding
 - Best head-to-head record.
 - Team that had the least runs allowed
 - Team that scored the most runs.
 - Coin flip