



# **CAL RIPKEN 9U, 11U AND BABE RUTH 13U MONTANA STATE TOURNAMENT**

## **2024 TOURNAMENT PACKET**



**July 11-14, 2024**

**HOSTED BY:**





Dear Coaches, Players, and Parents,

It is our pleasure to welcome you to Belgrade and the 9U, 11U and 13U Montana Championships! We hope you have had a great season and enjoy celebrating your accomplishments as a team and playing hard this weekend!

Our 2024 Tournament Committee, Belgrade Youth Baseball Board, and volunteers have been hard at work putting this tournament together and would like to assist you with your stay in any way possible. Please let us know how we can make your visit more pleasurable.

If the Tournament Packet does not cover a question that you may have, please contact Tournament Director, John Acheson, by telephone at (406) 580-1882 or by email at [piasbzn@gmail.com](mailto:piasbzn@gmail.com).

On behalf of Belgrade Youth Baseball and our community, welcome to the Montana State Tournaments, and we look forward to seeing you here in Belgrade on July 11<sup>th</sup>!

Sincerely,

*Mike Bell*  
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### TOURNAMENT WEBSITES

[Belgrade Youth Baseball \(belgradebaseball.org\)](http://BelgradeYouthBaseball.belgradebaseball.org)  
[www.TourneyMachine.com](http://www.TourneyMachine.com)

## TOURNAMENT RULES

9U and 11U Follow Cal Ripken Rule Book.

13U Follows Babe Ruth Rule Book.

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Thursday, July 11

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### **Mandatory Coaches Meetings:**

- 9U and 11U at 9am at Lions Park Pavilion by Concession Stand
- 13U at 5:30pm at Miller Field at Lions Park

**Opening Ceremonies** all ages: 6:30 pm Fowler Field. All teams and coaches please be in uniform.

**Dinner:** Food will be provided for the teams.

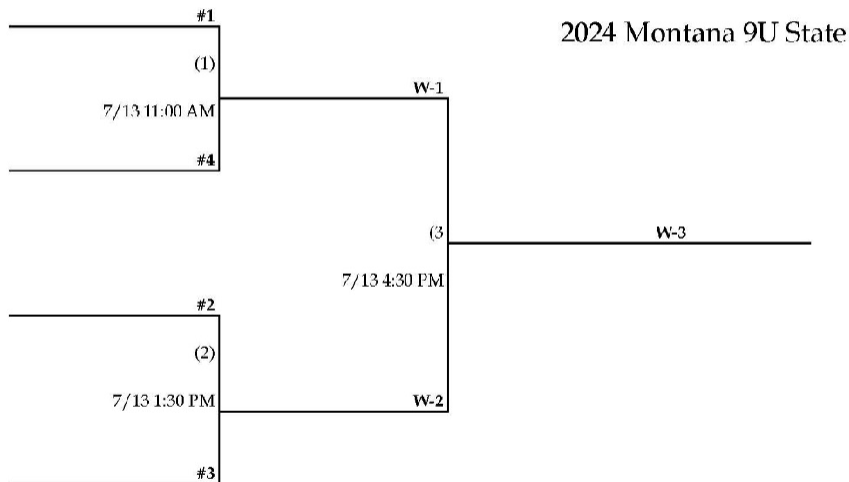


## Seeding was Selected by the District 3 Commissioner

### 9U SCHEDULE

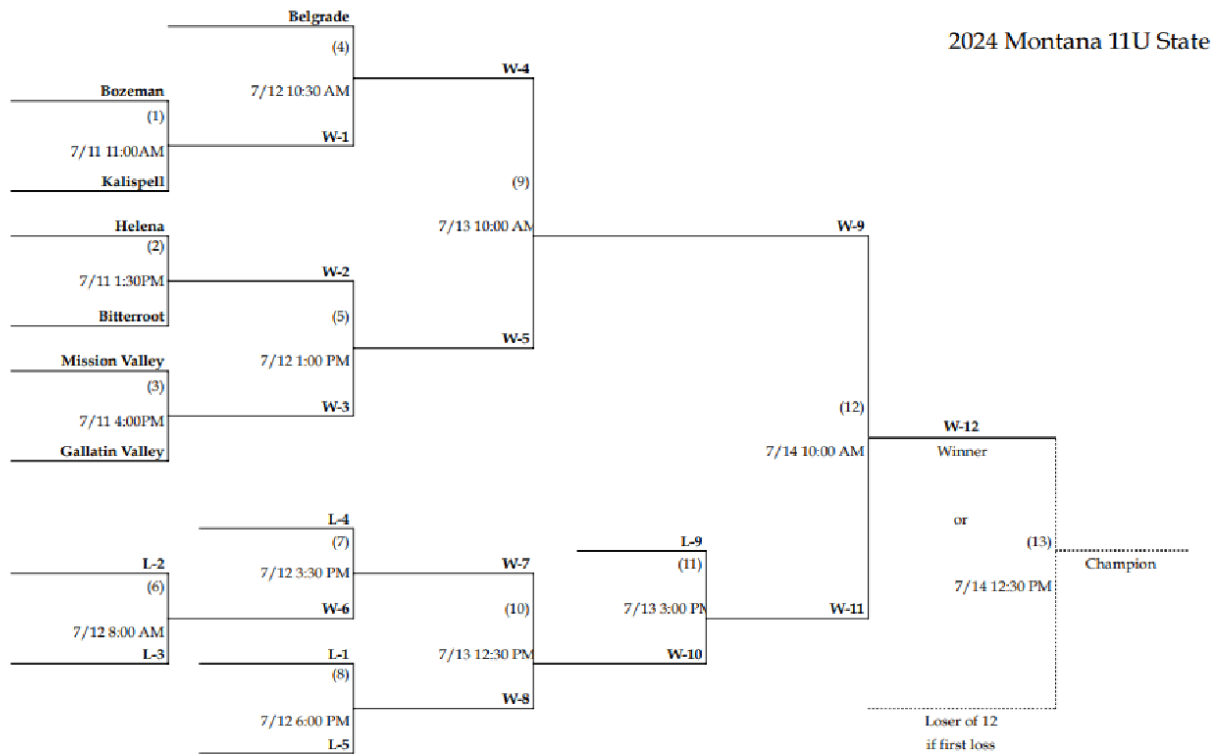
#### POOL PLAY

|               |           |    |           |             |
|---------------|-----------|----|-----------|-------------|
| 7/11 1:30 PM  | Bozeman   | vs | Belgrade  | 1 Helena    |
| 7/11 4:00 PM  | Helena    | vs | Kalispell | 2 Kalispell |
| 7/12 9:00 AM  | Helena    | vs | Bozeman   | 3 Bozeman   |
| 7/12 11:30 AM | Kalispell | vs | Belgrade  | 4 Belgrade  |
| 7/12 2:00 PM  | Helena    | vs | Belgrade  |             |
| 7/12 4:30 PM  | Kalispell | vs | Bozeman   |             |





## 11U SCHEDULE



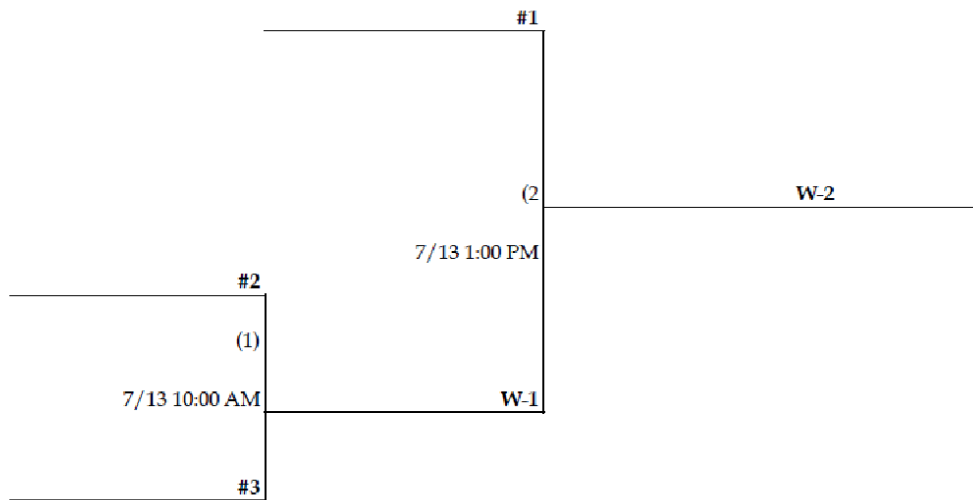


## 13U SCHEDULE

### POOL PLAY

|               |         |    |          |            |
|---------------|---------|----|----------|------------|
| 7/12 10:00 AM | Bozeman | vs | Belgrade | 1 Bozeman  |
| 7/12 1:00 PM  | Bozeman | vs | Helena   | 2 Helena   |
| 7/12 4:00 PM  | Helena  | vs | Belgrade | 3 Belgrade |

### 2024 Montana 13U State





## GAME FIELD LOCATIONS

The map below shows field locations for all game and practice fields. All Games will be played on these fields:

- **Welch Field- 9U**
- **Fowler Field-11U**
- **Miller Field- 13U**

## PRACTICE FIELDS and BATTING CAGES

Practice fields are located at the Middle School, as shown on the map.

Batting cages are located 1) behind Fowler Field and 2) inside the fences on Smith Field.

### Other options:

1. Bring your own pop-up hitting nets to use in the field, on Hoffman (t-ball field) and grass areas around the complex.

## LIONS PARK YOUTH BASEBALL COMPLEX RULES

Lions Park is owned by the City of Belgrade, MT

1. Pets must be on a leash at all times. Pet waste stations are located throughout the park. Please clean up after your pet and dispose of waste.
2. NO overnight camping allowed.
3. NO alcohol allowed.





## FIELD MAP







## GAME TRACKING

### Tourney Machine

Tourney Machine is set up for all teams and will be used to track score, ranking, and scheduled throughout the tournament.

## VENDORS



Play It Again Sports will be providing T-Shirts, stickers, gear, and customized apparel at their trailer throughout the tournament.



Belgrade Youth Baseball volunteers operate has a fully stocked **Concession Stand** with a broad menu for your convenience. The Concession Stand is open before, during, and after all games. Cash and Credit are both accepted. The Concession stand is located between Welch and Fowler fields.



**The Milky Way** will be serving hand-dipped ice cream and treats out of their trailer throughout the tournament. It will be parked at the Lions Park Complex.

## Visitor Information

Belgrade Chamber of Commerce  
10 E. Main Street  
Belgrade, MT 59714  
406-388-1616  
[www.visitbelgrade.org](http://www.visitbelgrade.org)



## **Camping Information**

**NO CAMPING** at the Lions Baseball Complex.

**Camping is available at the Belgrade High School, Middle School, and Soccer Complex (shown on Field Map above).**

- No showers available.
- No restroom facilities available overnight.
- No RV hook-ups.
- Camping is at your own risk.
- Pack out all trash- a dump trailer will be parked in the Lions Complex parking lot.
- Be quiet and respectful, these are residential areas. The soccer fields have the most space.

### **Where to camp:**

- High School- Special Event Center Parking Lot
- Middle School- Parking lot on west end of school
- Soccer Complex- parking lot and grassy area opposite the soccer fields.

### **Camping Permit and Fee Required by the City of Belgrade:**

- See attachment in Tourney Machine to get a City of Belgrade Camping Permit.
- Camping Fee of \$50 is waived by the City of Belgrade

Additional Camping Opportunities in the vicinity, availability unknown:

- Bozeman Hot Springs
- Headwaters State Park
- Three Forks KOA
- Travelodge in Three Forks



## Restaurants & Entertainment:

### Restaurants in Belgrade

- Cosmic Pizza
- The Mint Café and Bar
- The Local American Saloon
- Bar 3 BBQ
- Dominos
- MacKenzie River Pizza
- Rosa's Pizza
- Rice Fine Thai
- The Wok
- Center Ice Café and Bakery
- Fiesta Mexicana
- Curry Express
- Bone Broth Noodles
- Pizza Hut
- Cugino's Pizzeria and Italian Restaurant
- La Cocina Mexican Kitchen
- Café Havana

### Fast Food in Belgrade

- Wendy's
- Burger King
- McDonald's
- Taco Bell
- Jersey Mikes
- Taco Time
- Dairy Queen

### Entertainment

- The Splash Park in Lewis and Clark Park- off Main St. Belgrade
- River Rock Subdivision Pond- nice swimming area with beaches, dog friendly.