

# 2019 West Region Baseball and Softball Tournament

# UNPIRE MEDIA GUIDE





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# A message from the West Region Director



Congratulations Western Regional Baseball and Softball Umpires!

I am proud to welcome all of the volunteer umpires who have earned a spot in the 2019 Western Regional Baseball and Softball Tournaments.

I have witnessed your hard work and commitment to Little League firsthand. The volunteer hours you have put in at your local leagues have had an incredible impact on our players and families. The role of an umpire goes beyond balls and strikes. You are a mentor, role model and leader within your league and community. Your hours of endless dedication have earned you the opportunity to represent us at this elite level.

To become a Regional umpire, it takes continued dedication and learning. As you know, this does not happen overnight. To achieve such an honor, an umpire must demonstrate above-average skills, adhere to the true principles of Little League Baseball and Softball and provide their officiating services on a voluntary basis.

Many of this year's Regional umpires have worked many years for this opportunity. We hope your experience will yield lasting memories and you'll continue to be great leaders and mentors for new umpires.

My sincere thanks and best wishes go out to each of you for your dedication and commitment to Little League Baseball and Softball.

Kind Regards, April Meehleder West Region Director

# A message from the West Region Umpire In Chief



It is a great honor to introduce the 2019 Little League Western Region Regional and World Series Umpires for baseball and softball.

These men and women have reached the highest level for volunteer umpires. They have devoted countless hours of training both on and off the field, have worked countless games and have waited many years to reach the pinnacle of their

avocation. They have sacrificed time away from family and friends, missed special family events, holidays and family outings to help our young participants learn the life lessons we hope will make them all future leaders and positive role models in our society. The volunteer Little League Umpire is an essential part of the teaching process and is an important part of learning teamwork, sportsmanship, responsibility and rule enforcement. Each of these individuals covets the opportunity.

They are now members of a very special and close community; the fraternity, sorority, brotherhood and sisterhood of Regional and World Series Umpires. It is a select group and one all should be proud to have attained. Please congratulate them on their accomplishments.

As the Umpire in Chief of the Western Region my heart swells with pride knowing that they are members of the Western Region. Along with Doug Perret, the Assistant Umpire in Chief, we thank you for all you have done to make our program and our Region great. You are a credit to your local league, your District, Section, State and the Western Region. Those of you off to a World Series, work hard to continue to show the world why we believe the West is truly the best. To all umpires, enjoy the experience, relish the opportunity and make sure you share it with those closest to you and take a second to realize what you have accomplished.

Enjoy the ride, Mark Bernstein West Region Umpire-In-Chief

### A message from the WRLLUAA President



On behalf of my fellow members of the Western Region Little League Umpire Alumni Association, I want to congratulate all of you who have been selected to umpire at a Western Region baseball or softball tournament in 2019. You join a long and distinguished list of volunteer umpires who have had the honor and privilege of being selected from among their peers to work one of these prestigious

post-season tournaments.

Your selection is a great honor for you, your family, and for your District and one you have worked hard to attain. The volunteer umpire is an integral member of the Little League program. This assignment takes you away from your family, friends, and work to positively help shape the lives of our youth. For that commitment and sacrifice, you should be highly commended.

I, along with each member of our Umpire Alumni Association thank you for your time and dedication. You are part of the closest and best fraternity in the world. Be proud of your achievements, they are well earned. Enjoy the games, the atmosphere, the camaraderie and have a great Tournament!!!

Thru generous donations and memberships since its inception in 2005, the Umpire Alumni Association has invested over one hundred thousand dollars into equipment, scholarships and facilities benefitting Little League volunteer umpires throughout the Western Region. Since that beginning, we have grown to over 300 members, both men and women, from all walks of life. What we have in common is a true dedication to the Little League program and the belief in its principles; Character – Courage – Loyalty.

If you have not already done so, please consider joining the Umpire Alumni Association (a public charitable 501(c)(3) tax exempt organization) and assisting us in continuing our efforts.

Sincerely, Brian D. Rounds President West Region Little League Umpire Alumni Association

# 2019 WORLD SERIES UMPIRES CHOSEN FROM THE WEST REGION

Congratulations to the following umpires chosen to umpire at the following World Series Tournaments:

### **BASEBALL**

LITTLE LEAGUE

Anthony Estrada - CA21; Jaime Perez - HI3; Brian Rounds - ID01

INTERMEDIATE (50/70) LEAGUE

Greg Anderman - OR5; Ken Avery - CA4; Frank Williamson - CA59

JUNIOR LEAGUE

Edward Walters - CA52; Joe Zorio - CA11

SENIOR LEAGUE

Andrew Carlson - WA9; Terry Gerson - AZ13

### **SOFTBALL**

LITTLE LEAGUE

Max Cannon Jr. - MT2; Mike Falzone - OR7

JUNIOR LEAGUE

Kenneth Giordano - AZ12; Gary Graupmann - CA31

SENIOR LEAGUE

Dan Cowan - CA37; Cory Dolph - CA4

The West Region is proud of these Volunteer Umpires and honored to have them represent all the Volunteer Little League Umpires from the West Region and Little League Baseball and Softball Inc.























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# 2019 Little League Baseball Regional **Tournament Umpires**

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# **Aaron Shrier**

DISTRICT: California 40 YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 7 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: 4 years All Star Tournament service; 2 years Section service; 1 year Division service; 2 years Local League UIC.

PERSONAL: Married to Gabrielle for 20 years; Evan is 14 years old and played LL.

HOBBIES: Mountain Biking, camping.



# **Andrew Schoenlein**

DISTRICT: California 8 YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 10 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Ca District 8 UIC 2018-present, District 8 staff umpire 2016-2018, Sunset Little League Umpire 2008-2016.

PERSONAL: Wife-Maureen, stepson-Joseph, stepdaughter-Brooke, daughter-Nicole.

HOBBIES: Video games and golfing.



**Curtis Parker**AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 51
DISTRICT: California 64
YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 22 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Local Umpire in Chief, District Assistant Umpire in Chief, Western Region Umpire Instructor for both Jr. School and Adult School week long academies, numerous outreach clinics, etc., 2010 Big League Regional.

PERSONAL: Wife - Kiko Parker, Son 20 Eric Parker (Load Master in United States Air Force), Daughter Brandi Parker 16 (High School Cheer Leader and very much involved in Leadership).

HOBBIES: Umpiring all levels of Little League, Wood working.



David Wilson
AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 58
DISTRICT: California 54

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 14 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Started volunteering as scorekeeper for my son's team in 2004. Started umpiring in 2006 with the local league. Attended WR Umpire School in 2012. Section umpire in 2011, 2014, 2016 and 2017. Division umpire for 10/11s in 2011 and 12s in 2013. CA State tournament for 9/10s in 2012. Nevada state tournament in 2014. Instructor for WR Outreach clinics in 2014, 2016 and 2018. UIC for Folsom National 2012-2013. Joined District staff in 2014, District UIC 2016-2018, currently Safety Officer.

PERSONAL: Married to Anna Smith-Wilson, together we have 4 children (Matt, Mitch, Marissa and Cruz) ranging from 30 to 19 years old. Three of them are married (Larissa, Jaymie and Carter are our in-laws) and three of them are in college at this time. We have 2 granddaughters (3.5 years and 1 month old). HOBBIES: Besides being a baseball umpire, I enjoy hiking, water sports, and spending time with family.



# **David Lewis**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 58 DISTRICT: California 30

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 14 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: UIC for Tustin Eastern LL: 2008-2012; Staff umpire D30: 2010-present; Instructor Western Region: 2010-present; Umpire Intermediate Regional, Nogales AZ: 2014.

PERSONAL: Professional: Veterinarian; work for Veterinary Centers of America (Laboratory Division) since 1997. Family: Wife (Jill); Children (Cameron - 23; Wyatt - 21; Anika - 19).

HOBBIES: Sports officiating - baseball & soccer; Gardening; Golf



# Donny Anderson, Jr.

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 53 DISTRICT: Wyoming 1

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 16 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Started coaching 16 years ago when my son wanted to play. I coached TBall, Coach Pitch, Minors and Majors. I coached 2 sons and a daughter. During my time coaching I worked on the Local Little League Board as an Equipment Manager and Vice President. I also Umpired whenever there wasn't any available. In 2013 I started working as an assistant to the District Administrator during District and State Tournaments. In 2015 I was done coaching and my youngest boy quit playing baseball so him and I decided to start umpiring Little League as a team. In 2016 I was given the chance to go to the West Region Umpire School. Its funny how after that week all I want to do is Volunteer for Little League. I am currently an Assistant District Administrator for Wyoming District 1 with the possibility or become the District Administrator.

PERSONAL: I have been happily married to Candace. We have 3 children Zech, Hannah, Isaiah and 14 Foster kids. I have another child, Chad from a previous relationship.

HOBBIES: Bowling, Camping, Playing Guitar and Video Games.



Dwight Stephens

DISTRICT: California 70
YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 6 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Volunteer umpire for 6 years. Bonsal/Fallbrook UIC for 2 years. Created a Junior Umpire program with 10 Junior Umpires. Conducted day clinics every year before Spring season and Fall season during my tenure as UIC at BFLL. Worked the 2015 Arizona State tournament. Worked the Section 6 Championship game in 2018. Attended Western Region Week-long in 2018.

PERSONAL: Wife: Jessica Stephens; Son: Caiden Ramirez; Daughter: Lorelei Ramirez.

HOBBIES: Umpiring Little League Baseball, Fishing, Softball, Collecting Baseball Cards, Riding ATVs.



**Kate Hart** 

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 61 DISTRICT: California 39

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 18 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Tournament Umpire: Western Region Senior LL Baseball 2014, World Series Junior LL Softball 2011, Western Region, Big League Softball 2009

Instructor: LL Junior Academy 2008, 2010; Train the Trainer 2016; many local and outreach clinics

2016; Many local and outreach clinics

Student: LL Western Region Umpire Academy 2008 (Thornton

Award), 2016

Volunteer: UIC 2002-2004; trainer 2002-current; coach 1996-2001.

PERSONAL: Son Nick - LL player 1996-2009; umpire 2003-2009.

HOBBIES: Sports officiating, hiking, pets, golf, gardening.



# **Edmund Angel**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 47
DISTRICT: Washington 3
YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 10 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Umpire at Capitol Little league in WA District 3 since 2009, Assistant UIC for 2 years and just moved to UIC for Capitol Little League. Volunteer for the Right Call academy to train local umpires. 2016 WRLL Jr tournament.

PERSONAL: Married to Michelle Mewhinney-Angel since 1991. Have 2 children. Cedric and Xavier.

HOBBIES: Miniature painting and tabletop wargames specifically Warmachine and Monsterpocalypse.



# **Larry Carver**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 60 DISTRICT: Arizona 9

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 17 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: I was a volunteer umpire at the 2018 Junior Western Region Little League Tournament. I have been a Volunteer Umpire for the two leagues in my town for 12 years and am the UIC for the Kingman Little League as well as the Arizona District 9 UIC. I have participated in several Arizona District 9 and Arizona State Tournaments for different age groups. As the UIC for the Local League and District I have held several clinics providing instructions for both Adult and Junior Umpires.

PERSONAL: I am married, 22 years, my wife's name is Michelle. We have one son, Brandon, and he attends Embry Riddle Aeronautical University.

HOBBIES: My Family enjoys golfing and most of our vacations are planned around golf. We also enjoy bowling.



**Nicholas Hudlow** 

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 24 DISTRICT: Oregon 1

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 12 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Starting my 12th season of umpiring Little League baseball and softball. Also entering my 10th season as an Umpire Consultant for Oregon District One. Umpire opportunities have presented themselves at the District and State levels for ten years. Privileged to be invited in 2016 to umpire at the Western Region Junior Softball Tournament. Fortunate that the Little League Softball World Series is held in Portland, Oregon, where I reside. Have served the last six years, and continue to serve, as the Head Announcer / Singing Talent Coordinator.

PERSONAL: Born and raised in Portland, Oregon. My parents, Bob and Paula, are my two biggest supporters. The rest of my awesome cheering section includes my brother, Alex (also a Little League Softball World Series volunteer), my grandparents (John and Carolyn) along with my friends and the Oregon District One staff.



**Randy Jensen** 

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 60
DISTRICT: California 45

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 45 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: I was selected for the Senior League Baseball Regional in 2013 and the Big League Regional in 2015. I have coached and umpired for several leagues over the years. I am the Asst. UIC for Ca District 66 and instruct local league and district umpire clinics. I also ho junior umpire clinics as needed.

PERSONAL: I am married to Sandra M Jensen and we have been married since July 1986. We have 2 wonderful kids, our son Derek is 29 and our daughter is 26.

HOBBIES: I like camping, fishing, watching NASCAR, College football and umpiring.



# **Skyler Criscuolo**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 27
DISTRICT: Montana 2

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 14 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Started umpiring at the age of 14, while I was still playing the game myself. At the time Keith Miller was vice principle (now Principle) was the President of Northwest LL, he now is the DA of District 2. I got sent to his office a few days and instead of detention he offered me to umpire some games for him. One of the best decisions I ever made. Mark Bernstein said I was volunTOLD at an early age! I did some coaching as well, 2011-2013 and once again 2015. In that time I have umpired many District and State tournaments and championships all age groups (minors, majors, juniors, and seniors). My first outreach clinic I attended was in Missoula, MT in 2017 as a student. I then attended the Adult Little League Umpire school in San Bernardino March of 2018. Than month after being back from the school, I attended another outreach and was able to help out as an instructor again in Missoula, MT in 2018.



# Willie Eichenberger

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 59 DISTRICT: California 25

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 22 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: I started as a volunteer umpire at Culver City LL in 2002 Have been a District 25 umpire since 2004. Served as District 25 UIC since 2010. Worked the 2009 Western Region LL Softball Tournament, 2014 LLSB World Series, 2016 Central Region Junior Softball Tournament. Instructor at 2019 Western Region Outreach Clinic hosted by District 25.

PERSONAL: Wife, Tiffany Wilson. Daughter: Lindsey Eichenberger, 29 Sons: Jacob Eichenberger, 27 and Liam Wilson, 6 Step son: Camden Wilson, 17. Grand daughter: Nicole Eichenberger, 2.

HOBBIES: Watching my youngest son play soccer and baseball Huge Dodgers, Clippers, Rams fan, fantasy sports enthusiast.

# 2019 Intermediate Baseball Regional Tournament Umpires

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Bud Traynor

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 48

DISTRICT: California 14

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 17 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Newark American Little League Board Member from 2004 - 2015, including positions as Vice-President, Player Agent and UIC. Bud also played 9 seasons at Newark American from 1979 - 1987. Managed teams from Tee Ball through the Senior Division from 2003 - 2018. District 14 Umpire since 2005. Instructed at the 2017 WR Outreach Clinic hosted by District 14. Umpired multiple Sectional and Divisional games over the past decade.



**Chris Hart** 

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 53 DISTRICT: California 55 YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 17 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Umpired Western Region Challengers Tournament 2009 & 2010. Have umpired state and divisional tournaments at all levels. Have held various roles from UIC at local league to Assitant UIC and Saftey Officer at District level. I've instructed at Western Region Outreach Clinics as well as numerous District and Local Clinics.

PERSONAL: All of this possible with the support of my Wife Kelly and my two fantastic kids Ben and Bailey!

HOBBIES: Fishing, Golfing, Woodworking and Little League!



**Don Wilcox** 

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 56
DISTRICT: Washington 2

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 27 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: 2011 and 2013 Adult school at San Bernardino. 2011 Big League Softball Western Regional, 2014 Big League Softball World Series, 2015 Big League Baseball Western Regional. Lifetime member of WRLLUAA and LLWSUAA.

PERSONAL: I have two grown children, Nicole and Zak, a step daughter Loretta, and two grandchildren, Emma and Ty. My fiancé Beatriz and I share our lovely home with my mother Linda.

HOBBIES: I am an avid fisherman and outdoorsman. The perfect spring weekend for me involves a double-header on Saturday, followed by fishing for salmon and halibut and crabbing for dungeness on an overnight adventure.



**Ed Filangeri** 

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 52 DISTRICT: California 12

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 12 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Host umpire at 2017 Western Region Juniors tournament. Camp game coordinator at 2016 and 2017 CA Section 5 WR Outreach Clinic. Instructor at various local umpire clinics. Volunteer umpire since 2009. Volunteer coach/manager from 2006 to 2017. League board member from 2009 to 2014.

PERSONAL: My wife, Saho and I have been married since 1996. Our daughter, Gina is a Computer Science major at Cal Poly in San Luis Obisbo. Our son, Enzo is a high-school Senior and plans to major in Computer Science as well.

HOBBIES: Umpiring of course! I also enjoy officiating high-school football, hiking and playing golf. I'm also an avid home brewer.



Gary Wilder
AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 55

DISTRICT: Washington 8

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 31 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: 2014 West Region Little Little Baseball, 2018-19 WAD8 UiC/Trainer-Baseball, 2014-18 WAD10 Umpire Consultant/Trainer, 2012-14 WAD8 Umpire Consultant/Trainer, 2004-12 North Bothell Little League UiC/Trainer.

PERSONAL: Fiancee-Susan Millang; Sons-lan(24), Evan(20).

HOBBIES: Golf, Travel, Cycling.



# **Glenn Davis**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 61 DISTRICT: Washington 3

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 19 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Umpired since 2000. Capitol Little League UIC (8 yrs.), WA District 3 ADA (16 yrs.), District Umpire Consultant (6 yrs.), District UIC (12 yrs.). I have been honored to umpire numerous Western Region Tournaments, LL (2005), Juniors (2009), Seniors (2015), and 3 EMEA (Europe) Tournaments 2008-11-13). Attended WRLL Umpire School 2002-06 and instructed in 2007.



**Mark Beall** 

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 57 DISTRICT: California 33

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 34 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: My first Regional Tournament was the 2012 Western Region Little League Tournament in San Bernardino. I have been the Umpire Consultant for California District 33 since 2011. Previously I was part of La Mesa National Little League from 1986-2005. With my current role I have been fortunate to meet many great volunteers across the south west part of the Untied States.



# Michael Todd

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 44 DISTRICT: Arizona 2

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 1 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: I have worked the Arizona D2 Minor and Major District Tournament, The D3 district tournament, and state tournament. I have attended the UIC WR Clinic, will be attending the WR Outreach clinic in AZ (this weekend) and the The WR Weeklong in Feb 2019, and the WR Advanced in June.

PERSONAL: My daughter Bailey Todd who is 15. My Grandparents Keith and Sandy Gilbert, My Sister Lisa Kilpatrick, Mother Nancy Valetta, Father Tim Todd.

HOBBIES: Concert and Sports Photography, Flying Drones, Public Address Announcing for the National Barrel Horse Association Arizona Chapter, Mentoring and training umpires, Collecting KISS memorabilia. Listening to police Scanners.



# **Robert Frank**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 52 DISTRICT: Arizona 13

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 11 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: My Little League volunteering career began as a junior umpire on Long Island (NY) in 1983. More recently, I have worked regular season, as well as Fall ball and Winter ball, across three districts in Arizona. I have also umpired Little League All-Star tournaments at the District level for Arizona Districts 13, 7, and 6 (all divisions) and the Arizona State level (Majors and 8-10). In addition, I've been an instructor at Arizona District 13 Umpire Clinics and also at Chandler National Little League (AZ) Umpire Clinics.

PERSONAL: I've been married to my lovely (and extremely supportive) wife Shari since 2014, and I am the proud father of two (Ariana and Jeremy) and stepfather of two (Rachel and Rebecca).

HOBBIES: I am a Master Scuba Diver and underwater photographer, and I enjoy diving all over the world (warm and cold water diving).

# 2019 Junior League Baseball Regional Tournament Umpires

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# **Barry Nelson**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 42 DISTRICT: Oregon 7

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 5 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Coached Little League for four years prior to becoming an umpire in 2015. Oregon District 7 and State umpire. 2019 Western Region Outreach instructor.

PERSONAL: I'm a lifelong resident of Salem, Oregon, where I grew up playing Little League. Certified Financial Planner and Managing Partner of Capital Financial Planners, a wealth management firm. Aside from Little League, I volunteer for numerous community organizations, including the Rotary Club of Salem.



# **Ben Sprague**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 57
DISTRICT: Nevada 4

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 24 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: I have held various positions in two local leagues including being president of both. I am currently the District UIC and have umpired at every level of Little League including District, State and Regional (Little League 2015) tournaments.

PERSONAL: I've been married to my wife Beth for 31 years. We have two adult children, Logan and Amelia.

HOBBIES: Avid runner and have completed 28 marathons.



Brad Wong

DISTRICT: California 57

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 17 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Manager/Coach (through Senior level), Board Member (8 years), Umpire (11 years), Umpire In Chief (6 years) for Pleasanton American LL (now Pleasanton Little League).

PERSONAL: Joyce (wife) - Married 23 years, Bryce (21 yo - played LL (through Senior) and umpired for 7 years), Ethan (19 yo - Played LL (through Senior) and has umpired for 7 years).

HOBBIES: Travel, umpiring, photography, cars.



# **David Harison**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 40 DISTRICT: California 63

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 9 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: 2013 - 2019 Instructed at CA District 63 Rules and Mechanics Clinics; 2012 - 2017 Saticoy Little League UIC and various board positions in the league; 2016 Little League Baseball Western Region Umpire; 2018 - 2019 District 63 UIC

PERSONAL: I am happily married to my wife Sandy Harrison. We have 2 sons, Cameron age 9 and Orion age 13.

HOBBIES: I enjoy traveling, hunting, camping, and snow skiing with my family.



**Jason Scott** 

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 49 DISTRICT: Arizona 13

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 20 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: 1998-2001: Sunrise Little League (California District 40). Included post-season tournament work for region.

2005-2008: Conejo Valley Little League (California District 13). 2009-2011, 2013-present: Arizona District 13 (mostly Chandler American Little League), including multiple post-season assignments in District 13 and District 4.

PERSONAL: Professor and head of film production program at Arizona State University; veteran entertainment industry professional (public relations/marketing consultant).

HOBBIES: Baseball, music, films.



# Josué Alfaro

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 40
DISTRICT: California 35
YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 16 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: I started 16 yrs ago as a team parent. 2yrs later I helped coach my son's team figure I could be a manager n took a team at the peanut level, continue to farms and 3 years minors division. There were no umpires a for that level on my league (Westside LL) one day the UIC gave me chest protector leg guards and said "can you ump?" I was barely learning the game. I started jumping not knowing anything that was 2004. I went to an Distric 35 clinic after that and haven't stop since. I became the UIC for Westside LL in 06 on and off until about 2013. Started a junior umpire program that was super successful for 3 yrs. From the Distric Clinics I became familiar with Rod Lund who eventually invited me to become a district umpire. I have done All levels of little league baseball since including all star games.

PERSONAL: I have 2 kids 21yr Angel Alfaro my 10 daugther Abryanna Alfaro. My Brother Sergio Martinez and Hugo Alfaro who are all supporting me thru all my yrs.

HOBBIES: I love riding bikes. I have some very cool beach cruisers and spend time with family.



Kenny Hoff

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 46 DISTRICT: Washington 2

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 10 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Volunteer Umpire, Gig Harbor Little League 2012-present; Washington District 2 Staff Umpire 2017-present; Instructor, WA District 2 annual umpire clinic 2016-present; State Tournament Umpire, all divisions

PERSONAL: Wife Sonja, married 24 years (at time of tournament) Three sons: Adam, 21; Noah, 18; Isaac 16.

HOBBIES: Umpiring baseball is my hobby. I spend a great amount of time working on this craft!



# **Paul Green**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 50 DISTRICT: California 31

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 17 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: TAll-Stars: District, Section, Division, State; Poway American Little League - 14 years; District 31 Staff Umpire; Instructor at District 31 umpire clinics.

PERSONAL: Wife: Corinne (married 25 years); Sons: Tyler (22), Nathan (19).

HOBBIES: Umpire, basketball, softball, reading, gym, traveling, skiing.

# 2019 Senior League Baseball Regional Tournament Umpires

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# Charles Rigg AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 64

DISTRICT: California 14

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 26 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: I have been a Centerville American Little League volunteer for the past 26 years. Positions included UIC, Manager, Coach and Umpire. I have been a D14 Umpire for the past 10 years. I am an instructor for D14 and Centerville American Little League. I have officiated at District, Sectional and Divisional Tournaments.



# **Earl Smith**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 54 DISTRICT: Washington 7

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 16 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: I have volunteered in WA District 7 for 16 years. I served as the UIC for the West Seattle Little league from 2011 to 2017. I serve as the Junior and Senior UIC for WA District 7, 2011 to present. I served as a volunteer umpire in the 2016 Western Region's Junior Baseball Tournament in San Jose California. I have been selected as an instructor for Seattle's 2019 Western Outreach Clinic

PERSONAL: I am a father of two sons, Logan and Trenton Smith. They are growing up to be fine young men.

HOBBIES: I enjoy baseball and officiate at the Little League, High School, and Collegiate levels. I am an avid fisherman. I enjoy all dogs big and small. I enjoy the outdoors, good books, fun people, and travel.



# Fidel Luna

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 51 DISTRICT: California 66

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 25 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Local league board 14 years, District ADA 13 years, Little League regional 2012, 50/70 Intermediate regional 2017, Manager/Coach nearly 20 years.

PERSONAL: Married to wife of 17 years Judy, with daughters Bernadette, Coleen, Marissa, and Siara, and son David. Grand children Joshua, Michael, & Matthew.

HOBBIES: Fixing computers & being a Dj.



# **Jason Akiona**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 50 DISTRICT: Calfornia 30

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 16 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Western Region LLB - 2016 Umpiring in California Dist. 30 since 2003

District Safety Officer

UIC South Sunrise LL 2008 - 2010

PERSONAL: Born in Hilo, Hawaii, I am the youngest of 7

children. Married to my wife of 15 years Lianne

Daughter: Anelauiokalani.

HOBBIES: Umpiring, golf and traveling.



**Paul Remedios** 

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 52 DISTRICT: California 52

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 10 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: I've umpired for local leagues and D52 All Stars for 10 years. Some of my highlights are: 2018 and 2015 NorCal State 9/10 Tournament, 2018 D52 10/11 Championship- Plate, 2017 D52 Majors Championship- Plate, 2016 Section 3 10/11 Championship- Plate, 2009-13 UIC and Board Member for San Mateo LL American including classroom and field clinics, assigning, Umpire for 60+ games. HS Umpire 2015-Present umpiring over 100 games each of last 3 years, CCS Playoff Assignments 2016-17 Board Member- Peninsula Baseball Umpires Assn. (PBUA) Cooperstown Dreams Park 2016- Quarterfinal and Semifinal games

PERSONAL: Married to wife Cheryl for 19 years, 1 son Anthony (17)- also a local LL and D52 Umpire. Proud graduate of UCLA Class of 1989.



**Robinaire Ruiz** 

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 38 DISTRICT: California 33

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 18 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: District 33 Staff Umpire, Instructing District and Youth Mechanics Clinics.

PERSONAL: I am a Supervisor for San Diego Transit, where I lead a team of smart and helpful people!

HOBBIES: I love math, science, geography, and grilling steak!



**Rich Wordes** 

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 69 DISTRICT: California 68

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 32 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Little League Western Region Umpire 2001, Little League Junior Western Regional 1998, Umpire in District, Divisional, Sectional tournaments for Little League, Junior League, Senior League and Big League, Manager for Little League teams from T-Ball - Senior League for San Juan Capistrano Little League, Board of Directors for San Juan Capistrano Little League, Umpire in Chief for San Juan Capistrano Little League, District 68 Umpire Instructor, co founder and coach in Challenger program in District 55.

PERSONAL: Married to Amy Hitchcock, Sons Zachary and Jacob Wordes, Grandson Wyatt Wordes.

HOBBIES: Musician, songwriter, actor, motorcycle rider, basketball and baseball official.



# Tyler Davis

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 21 DISTRICT: Arizona 7

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 3 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Assistant UIC for District, Instructor at 2019 AZ Outreach Clinic, Instructor and Evaluator for Local District.

PERSONAL: Family, May (Mom), Paul (Dad), Triston (Brother).

HOBBIES: Umpiring Baseball, Learning Golf, Marketing, Photorgraphy.























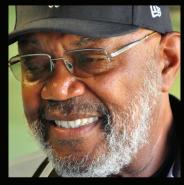






# 2019 SOFTBALL MEDIA GUIDE







# 2019 Little League Softball Regional Tournament Umpires

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# **Brandon Borst**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 35
DISTRICT: Oregon 7
YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 17 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Western Region Junior League Baseball Umpire (2014), Western Region Senior League Softball Umpire (2017); LL umpire since 2002; League UIC for several District 7 leagues since 2011; District Umpire Staff since 2016; District rules and mechanics instructor; Vancouver Umpire Outreach instructor since 2016.



# **Chris Blake**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 63
DISTRICT: California 43
YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 21 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Over the past 21 years as a Little League volunteer, I have hald a variety of positions - field maintenance, coach, player agent, umpire league president, district staff, district administrator and regional umpire. I can honestly say the regardless of the position, my focus was to create positive memories for the players and encourage other volunteers to do the same.

HOBBIES: I love the outdoors, hiking, fishing and golf. For the last 6 years I have also been involved with Tijuana Mission Project, building homes for the working poor.



George Rodriguez

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 46
DISTRICT: California 70

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 12 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: 12 years Little League Umpire Volunteer 2013 Little League Baseball Europe Africa Regional, Tournament 2015 Little League Baseball Western Regional Tournament, Western Region Instructor. Little League Baseball Tournament Umpire Uncle.

PERSONAL: United States Marine Corps Veteran. I have been a teacher for the past 18 years and currently teach in Eastvale, CA at Harada Elementary for the past 15 years. I am married to Lisa who retired from the Navy after 20 years of service. I have 2 sons: George(21) and Alex(19).

HOBBIES: I enjoy a round of golf with my friends. I enjoy traveling to various districts throughout CA, AZ, and NV to work games during the season and during postseason.



George Traylor

DISTRICT: Arizona 7
YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 18 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Involved with the Little League program since 2001. Former local league and district UIC. Attended the Western Region week long school in 2012, 2013, and 2015. Instructed the UIC and Weekend Mechanics clinics. Honored to be chosen to umpire the 2014 Little League baseball tournament and the 2017 Junior League baseball tournament.

PERSONAL: Married to Kelly for 30 years. Proud dad to Amanda and Alex.

HOBBIES: Love to travel and deep sea fish.



# **Gregory Wren**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 62 DISTRICT: Washington 7

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 25 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: I have been a volunteer Little League umpire for 25 years. I have held various positions at the local league level (Umpire in Chief, Safety Officer, Vice President) and at the District level (Assistant District Administrator, Umpire Consultant). I attended the Western Region Umpire Outreach clinic in Seattle in 2011, 2018, and 2019. I attended the Western Region Week Long Adult Umpire School in 2012 and 2014. I have umpired games at most levels of baseball and softball at the district and state levels over the last 12 years. I have been selected as umpire for the Western Region Softball tournament at the Junior level (2014) and the Senior level (2017). In 2018 I had the honor of being selected to umpire in the Junior Softball Little League World Series.

HOBBIES: When not heading to the field for his next game Greg enjoys hiking and photography in the scenic Pacific Northwest.



# **Jason Blacker**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 46 DISTRICT: Washington 6

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 10 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Since 2009, have served on Glenwood Little Leagues board of directors in the following capacities. President, Vice President of Baseball, Vice President of Soft Ball, Softball Player Agent, Field maintenance. I am currently on staff for Washington District 6 as ADA for Softball. I have served in this capacity since 2015. I started umpiring as a parent/coach for Glenwood LL in 2008. In 2014, I decided to make umpiring LL a hobby. I have coached or managed both baseball and softball teams at every level, including senior baseball.

PERSONAL: My wife Adrienne and I have been married since 2016. Together we have nine children, five girls and 4 boys. Olivia, Crystal, Joseph, Erin, Issac, William, Camden, Rebecca and Katherine.



**Robert Bennett** 

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 58
DISTRICT: California 51
YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 10 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Certified District 51Umpire, California

City Little League UIC.

PERSONAL: Married, Total of 8 Children Between the 2 of us.

2 Grand Children.

HOBBIES: Umpiring, and riding horses.



# **Russell Smith**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 61
DISTRICT: Arizona 2
YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 28 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: This is my 28th year in Little League. My first 4 years were spent managing T-Ball with my two sons. That hooked me on Little League. I started to Umpire when the eldest hit majors. I spent 4 years as UIC for 3 of our leagues and 9 years as UIC for the district. We have built a large volunteer program of which I am very proud of. My first experience in softball was 2009 when I became the evaluator for Junior Regional Softball in Tucson. I have been there every years except one since then. This is what started my passion for softball in our district. Since 2011 we have always hosted a State Softball Tournament. This year we have two. In 2010 I was lucky enough to be selected for the Baseball Western Region Little League Tournament. I am still good friends with all the Umpires from that year. I am also an instructor at Western Region and still take a class when I can. I am very lucky to get a 2nd regional this year. The girls always have much more fun out there.

PERSONAL: I am a father of two boys Jared and Corey. Both are over 30 now. They have not given us any Little Leaguers, be we are hopeful. I have been married to a lovely lady, Wendy for 37 years. I still do not know how I got so lucky to find her. She is always supportive of this addiction to Little League that continued long after my sons left.



# **Vincent Punturere**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 67 DISTRICT: California 25

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 18 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: 13 years Umpire, 5 years UIC, Coaching and Players Agent CCLL.

PERSONAL: Son 23 Years Kristian, Chiropractor.

HOBBIES: Bowling, Reading Movies.



# Will Rasanen

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 43
DISTRICT: Washington 4

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 9 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: 9 years volunteer umpire D-4 Washington, 2016 ILBB western regional, 2018 SLSB western regional, numerous LL state tournaments all levels.

PERSONAL: Wife of 22 years Iris, 20 year old son Colton and

18 year old daughter Madison.

HOBBIES: Hunting, fishing, shooting, anything outdoors.

# 2019 Junior League Softball Regional Tournament Umpires

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# **Darryl Nobles**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 54 DISTRICT: Oregon 3

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 13 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: In 2017 I Umpired at the SB regional in San Bernadino, I've Umpired since 2010, I've been to the week long clinic back in 2012, I've also participated in some local clinics over the years, as a student and an instructor, I've helped with the electrical work on the snack shacks and the field over the years!.

PERSONAL: I'm a electrician, Married 20 years, with four kids, two in college, two still at home, I work as a electrician at Eastern Oregon University!

HOBBIES: Umpiring, fishing, coaching, farming and hunting.



# **Jason Becker**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 46 DISTRICT: Washington 1

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 14 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Manager for Mukilteo Little League 2005–2018. Board member for MLL 2009–2018 including Umpire in Chief 2015–2018. Various State umpiring opportunities these past several years and now full of gratitude and excitement for my first Regional assignment!

PERSONAL: I'm married to wife Maureen, a stellar high school math teacher who chooses to spend her workdays with teenagers for all the right reasons. We have three kids, Aubrey (19), Aidan (17) and Maya (15), who make us proud and who over the years have given us a lot of games and concerts to go watch. I'm proud to be following in the umpiring footsteps of my father-in-law Bob Benoit, a 42-year Little League volunteer umpire.



# Joey Coney AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 48

DISTRICT: Oregon 1

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 5 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Beaumont Softball Little League UIC (2015-19), Majors Softball State Tournament (2015), Majors Baseball State Tournament (2017), Minors & Majors Baseball District 1 Tournament (2018).

PERSONAL: Wife Jen Coney. Daughter Maddie Coney who played five seasons of Little League softball for Beaumont LL and currently plays for Grant High School in NE Portland.

HOBBIES: Racing mountain bikes, playing Old Man Baseball.



**Kent Romney** 

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 61 DISTRICT: Arizona 2

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 15 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: District 2 umpire for All Star and State Baseball Tournaments continuously since 2005; Softball umpire for the past year including junior level and below; Sidewinder LL Board Member and Coach from 2009-2015; Instructor at local clinics for past 6 years; Multi District Instructor 2018.

PERSONAL: Happily married 19 years to my wife Debbie; We have a blended family of 7; The youngest 2 are in high school, they play baseball and fast-pitch softball respectively; Hold local church leadership position; Actively involved in local greyhound adoption group; Currently fostering two additional greys.

HOBBIES: Greyhounds, baseball, softball, classic cars, music.



**Leroy Archer** 

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 50
DISTRICT: Oregon 5
YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 30 Years

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VOLUNTEER CAREER: Manager for 27 years and on the board.

PERSONAL: 2 Daughters.

HOBBIES: Golf, Hunting, Fishing and any outdoor activity

pretty much.



# **Peter Hernandez**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 59 DISTRICT: California 6

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 15 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: I have umpire All Stars, the Divisions, Section and State all-star tournaments, I've been to Western Regional Empire Training I done Outreach Umpire Clinics I also instructed umpire clinics for our district and different districts I also volunteer for the senior Western Regional Tournaments.

PERSONAL: I love giving back, I love umpiring for the kids seeing there faces when they get there first hit there first catch, that priceless, seeing kids when they started out playing going to high school and College, become young adult, love spending time with family and friends, me and my daughter Renee Hernandez is a part of a group called 916 Feeding the Hungry, we feed 100 to 150 homeless 2 times a month and I donate blood 2 times a month, what bless to help and give back, I have a big big family, no grandkids yet, lots of pieces and nephews great great nephews great great nieces, love them all, I'm so Thank to be selected for the tournament Lexus I want to thank Joey Tigner Wayne Del Nero Sean and Shawn Miller and everyone in our District for their support

HOBBIES: Spending time with family and friends, going to fle market, feeding the homeless and giving Blood and most of all umpiring softball and baseball.

# 2019 Senior League Softball Regional Tournament Umpires

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# **Charles Heitman**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 42
DISTRICT: Washington 10
YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 10 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: 2017 Little League Softball San Bernardino, Federal Way National Little League President, Washington D10 Softball umpire consultant.

PERSONAL: PERSONAL: Wife - Kim, Daughter - Alexis collage, Son - Owen jr. umpire, Daughter - Ava Juniors softball & ir. umpire, Arden - Son teeball..

HOBBIES: Anything involved with Little League.



# **Daniel Davis**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 24 DISTRICT: Montana 2

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 9 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: 9 years of experience volunteering with montana district 2 little league softball/ baseball. Local instructor for the western region outreach clinic in montana for 2 years(2017,2018).instructor for many various local and state wide clinics for softball and baseball umpires for the past 5 years 2014-current).

HOBBIES: Hunting, Fishing, camping, officiating youth/ Highschool football, Officiating youth / High School wrestling. Coaching youth wrestling.



# **Garth Sanders**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 54 DISTRICT: California 40

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 18 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Was member of Canyon Country Board of Directors for 11 years and was Umpire in Chief for 5 years. Currently District UIC for California District 40 where I help instruct at our local league clinics. Worked the Little League Softball Regional Tournament in 2012, and Little League Softball World Series in 2017.

PERSONAL: I am married to my wife of 23 years Cindy, and have 3 children, my son Casey (21) and my daughters Hayley (19) and Shelby (15). Also have 4 dogs and a cat!



# **Jacob Fenno**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 22 DISTRICT: Arizona 7 YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 11 Years

**VOLUNTEER CAREER:** 

Volunteer Umpire 11 Years,

San Diego, CA District 33 Rookie Umpire of the Year 2014, San Diego, CA District 33 Umpire of the Year 2015, Allied Gardens Little League D33 San Diego, CA UIC 2015-2017,

Arizona District 7 Assistant UIC 2018-Current, Instructor San Diego, CA D33 Outreach Clinic 2014-2017, Instructor Arizona D7 Outreach Clinic 2019.

PERSONAL: Jody Fenno (Mother), Jerry Fenno (Dad), Saige Omer (Girlfriend)

HOBBIES: Baseball, Football, Basketball, Golfing, Surfing, Hiking, Hunting, Fishing, ATV & MX Riding



Jayne Lee
AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 57
DISTRICT: Arizona 10
YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 20 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: 2008 Regional Junior Softball, 2013 World Series Junior Softball, 2015 Regional 50/70 Baseball, 2014, 2016, 2017 Europe Africa Regional Softball Seniors, Juniors and Little League. 2018 World Series Little League Softball. President, UIC, Safety Officer, and player agent for Verde Valley Little since 1999. UIC for District 10 Arizona since 2016. Instructing this year at outreach clinic in Mesa, AZ and at West Region for weekend mechanics clinic.

PERSONAL: I have 3 children and 3 granddaughters, with a new grandchild due this July.



Jeff Carpenter
AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 48
DISTRICT: Oregon 8
YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 17 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Have volunteered with Little League for 17 years, all in district 8 of Oregon. Was privileged to umpire the 2010 Major Boys Western Regional tournament in San Bernardino. Hope to someday make the trek to Williamsport. This is my first softball assignment above the State tournament level.

PERSONAL: Married for 28 years (Kim) with 3 sons (Jeffery Jr. - 25, Cole - 23, and Zachary - 20).



**Michael Boucher** 

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 55
DISTRICT: Arizona 13
YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 4 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: VP-Ahwatukee Little League (2015-2017), UIC-Ahwatukee Little League (2018-Current), 2017 AZ 8-9-10 State Championships, 2017 LL AZ State Championships, 2017 AZ District 13 Championships, 2018 AZ Junior State Championships, 2018 AZ District 13 Championships.



Ralph Serpa Jr.

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 61 DISTRICT: California 73

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 25 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: '17 Senior West Region baseball umpire. Nor Cal Senior baseball umpire. Section and District umpire for Senior, Junior, Intermediate, 12's, 11's 10 yr old baseball tournaments.

PERSONAL: Married for 39 years to Jane, an elementary school teacher and mother of our 4 children. We have 2 lovely daughters-in-law. Son Adam(34) a HS choir teacher is married to Krista. Son Benjamin(32) a college art professor is married to Caitlyn. Son Jordan(28) is an Executive Producer for iHeart Media. Daughter Ellen(26) recently graduated from college and is a manager for HDOS. We live in a rural area of Stanislaus county California from where I help manage our trucking company. We grow walnuts & almonds on the farm we live on. We also have 2 big dogs & 5 cats who keep our home mice-free. Looking forward to more travel around the US and grandchildren. (fingers crossed).



# **Wayne Chastain**

AGE AT TOURNAMENT: 44 DISTRICT: Oregon 3

YEARS LITTLE LEAGUE SERVICE: 12 Years

VOLUNTEER CAREER: Oregon District 3 baseball and softball tournaments since 2006, Oregon State Tournaments since 2008, attended the West Regional Week long umpire school in 2017.

PERSONAL: Married for 23 years with three children ranging from sophmore at BYU to age 9 / K9 handler for local police department.

HOBBIES: Hunting, fishing, flying airplanes, family.



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