

## District 5 Mid-Season Major Classic

District 5 will be running a mid-season interleague classic this year for the Major Baseball and Softball division. Each league can enter only regular season rostered teams, no all-star teams. Classic to run from April 23 to May 4, with May 5 for the championship game.

- Pool Play Baseball format and Double Elimination format for Softball
- Will use tournament rules as outlined in the 2018 Little League rule book, in the tournament section.
- Host fields to provide 2 umpires per game. **Host field to pay both umpires.**
- District 5 will provide umpires for the Semi final and Championship games.
- District 5 to provide all baseballs for the tournament.
- Host leagues to provide official score keepers, pitch count recorders and announcers.
- Time limit will be no new inning after 1 hr 45 min and drop dead time of 2 hrs 15 min, except for the championship game.
- There will be a coin toss 30 minutes prior to every game to decide home and visitor. The home team will occupy the 3<sup>rd</sup> base dugout and the visitors will be in the first base dugout. Both teams will prepare the field and put it up.
- There will be no use of local league rules at any time.
- All scores to be emailed to D5 BB ADA @ [azd5adabaseball@gmail.com](mailto:azd5adabaseball@gmail.com) or texted 520-256-3447 nightly. Results will be posted on the District facebook page nightly.
- Schedules and standings can be found on <https://www.facebook.com/azdistrict5>

Each participant will receive a t-shirt. The winning team will get a banner.

**Questions about the tournament to be directed to Kris Lawhorn, D5 BB ADA @ [azd5adabaseball@gmail.com](mailto:azd5adabaseball@gmail.com)**

