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HITS AND HIGHLIGHTS

2012

DIXIE BOYS DIVISION 13-14
DIXIE PRE-MAJORS DIVISION 15-16-17
DIXIE MAJORS DIVISION 15-19

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DIXIE BOYS BASEBALL

2012 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

STATE MEETING DATES

January	21	GA	First Baptist Church – Perry
January	21	TX	Angelina, J.C. – Lufkin
January	21	VA	Holiday Inn Express – Lynchburg
January	28	FL	Holiday Inn Express – Lake City
January	28	NC	Hampton Inn – Southern Pines
February	4	MS	Holiday Inn Express – Laurel
February	4	AL	Joe Wheeler State Park – Rogersville
February	11	SC	Irmo Middle School – Irmo
February	18	AR	Nashville Parks & Rec – Nashville
February	18	LA	Best Western – Alexandria
March	3	TN	Dickson High School – Dickson

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

January 6	League Materials to State Directors
April 1	Scholarship Applications Due
May 15	Franchise Renewals Due
May 25-26	Jr. Dixie Boys & Boys Invitational Tournament
June 1	Player Rosters Due
June 8-10	Dixie Future Stars Tournaments
June 8-10	Dixie Pre-Majors & Majors Invitational Tournament
June 15	Absolute Last Date for Renewals – Penalty
June 20-24	USA Baseball Tournament of Stars – Cary, NC
July 28-August 1	Dixie Pre-Majors WS – Guntersville, AL
July 28-August 1	Dixie Majors WS – Laurel, MS
August 4-August 8	Dixie Junior Boys WS – Christiansburg, VA
August 4-August 8	Dixie Boys World Series – Covington, GA

HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVE

1957	Program Founded: Alexandria, Louisiana
1960	Mississippi Joins Dixie Boys Baseball
1961	Alabama Joins Dixie Boys Baseball
1963	First Dixie Boys World Series Held
1973	Dixie Majors Established
1974	First Dixie Majors World Series Held
1976	Dixie Baseball Inc. established: Dixie Youth/ Dixie Boys/Dixie Majors
1978	18-Year-Old Age Group Added
1979	First Pre Majors World Series Held
1984	Dixie National Scholarship Program Created
1995	National Umpire Program Created
1996	First Junior Boys World Series Held
2000	Dixie National Team Won Tournament of Stars
2005	Age Control Date Changed to April 30th
2006	Dixie Baseball Celebrated 50th Anniversary at Program Birthplace – Alexandria, La.
2006	Dixie Boys Baseball Alumni Program Created
2007	Pitch Count Rule Implemented
2008	Dixie National Team Won Tournament of Stars - Gold Medal
2010	Dixie Boys Baseball Branded Catalog Created
2011	Hall of Fame Created

DIXIE BOYS BASEBALL POCKET SIZE SUMMARY OF: RULE CHANGES FOR: 2012-13

WHAT'S NEW!!

TEAMS

- By rule, a High School team is now allowed to play together in a Dixie Majors franchised program.

LEGAL PLAYERS

- 17-year-olds are eligible to compete in Pre- Majors tournament play.
- College age players are required to return to the home community of their parents to establish eligibility.

DIXIE BOYS

- With approval, a school based team can now franchise as a single (one team) Dixie Boys franchise.
- Dixie Boys league have the option in local league to play on a regulation size playing field.

EQUIPMENT

- Dixie Boys bats standards remain the same for 2012.
- BBCOR is approved bat standard for all Pre- Majors & Majors participants.
- Altered bats will subject a player to possible dismissal from the program.
- Point of Emphasis: The penalty for use of a non-conforming bat is found in the MLB Rules.
- Facemask is now optional for both Dixie Boys local league and tournament play.

THE BATTER

- One charged offensive conference per inning allowed.

TOURNAMENT PLAY

- The PENNANT – P300-DB is the “Official Dixie Tournament Baseball” for all tournament play.
- After pitching two consecutive days a pitcher must have one day of complete rest!
- Participants are allowed to play on non-Dixie teams as long as the Dixie team is not actively involved in a tournament.



Note: Information above is only an abbreviated version of some of the significant rule changes as approved by the Board of Directors. Please refer to the Official Rulebook for complete details related to all Dixie Boys Baseball rules.

COMMISSIONER'S WELCOME



J. SANDY JONES
Commissioner/CEO

Dixie Boys Baseball Inc. has grown from a humble beginning in 1957 to a thirty-five-thousand plus participant base of today. This publication is intended to provide highlights from the 2011 season as well as offer useful information for the 2012 season.

Dixie Boys Baseball was primarily developed as a program for boys (13-14). It was recognized that youth graduating from other baseball programs needed to be able to continue to participate in supervised programs and especially have the opportunity to compete with boys of their own age and skill level. To enhance the experience a medium size diamond was established for this age group and with only minor modifications this program still exist today.

The program has expanded to accommodate players ages 13-19. The Boys division is now comprised of 13-14 year old players with tournament play for Junior Boys (age 13) and Dixie Boys (ages 13-14). The Majors division includes: players ages 15-19 with an intermediate division for 15-16-17 year olds named Pre-Majors. Many additional opportunities now exist for participants.

A National Board of Directors meets biennially and provides constitutional governance. Dedicated volunteer service has been provided since the inception of the program. The organization's worthy mission is accomplished by a hard-working volunteer Board that shares a mutual goal.

The 2012 season will again embrace the strong tradition of the organization. Leagues form, organizational meetings are held and, most importantly, the sound of "Play Ball" is heard throughout an eleven state region. Local leadership and committed volunteers at the District, State and National level allows the program to thrive.

Dixie Boys World Series division events will be held in Christiansburg, Virginia and Covington (Newton County), Georgia. The Pre-Majors event will be held in Guntersville, Alabama, while Laurel-Jones County, Mississippi will serve as the host for the Dixie Majors World Series. Local league play is the primary focus of the program; however World Series participants enjoy the rewarding experience of competing at the highest level. This publication highlights the 2011 World Series Champions, former winners, as well as records that date back to the start of championship play in 1963.

We invite you to join us in providing a rewarding experience for our participants. Space limitations would not allow for all aspects of the program to be highlighted in this edition. The Dixie Boys website can be accessed for additional information at www.dixie.org/boys.



MONROE, LA - 2011 JUNIOR DIXIE BOYS WORLD SERIES CHAMPIONS

Front Row (L to R) Christopher Haynes, David Gardner, Oliver Campbell, Dixon Houston, Cole Tracey, John Mitchell McDuffie, Charlie Barefoot **Back Row** (L to R) Coach Andy Martin, Manager Ryan Flemister, Coach Al Hayward, John Kade Lawrence, Curphey Hardin, J.T. Jackson, Caleb Armstrong, Nolan Parker, Payne Cummings **Not Pictured:** Coach Perry Smith

2011 JUNIOR DIXIE BOYS WORLD SERIES CHAMPIONS MONROE, LA

TEAM	R	H	E	TEAM	R	H	E
GAME 1				GAME 12			
Southwest, AR	3	3	5	Monroe, LA	15	12	2
Pascagoula, MS	23	15	2	Seneca, SC (Host)	0	1	2
GAME 2				GAME 13			
Newton County, GA	8	15	2	Opelika, AL	2	3	2
Halifax County, VA	3	6	2	Newton County, GA	1	2	2
GAME 3				GAME 14			
Brunswick County, NC	8	12	3	Sumter, SC	7	10	1
Sumter, SC	6	6	1	Spring Hill, FL	16	20	4
GAME 4				GAME 15			
Opelika, AL	5	5	2	Seneca, SC (Host)	14	10	0
Center, TX	0	3	3	Southwest, AR	4	4	3
GAME 5				GAME 16			
Monroe, LA	13	9	1	Pascagoula, MS	10	12	3
Spring Hill, FL	10	7	4	Brunswick County, NC	16	11	1
GAME 6				GAME 17			
Madison County, TN	2	2	4	Spring Hill, FL	4	6	1
Seneca, SC (Host)	22	16	2	Opelika, AL	5	8	1
GAME 7				GAME 18			
Southwest, AR	16	11	3	Pascagoula, MS	12	14	1
Halifax County, VA	11	10	5	Seneca, SC (Host)	11	11	2
GAME 8				GAME 19			
Sumter, SC	9	11	3	Brunswick County, NC	0	2	1
Center, TX	3	5	2	Monroe, LA	14	10	1
GAME 9				GAME 20			
Spring Hill, FL	11	14	1	Opelika, AL	5	7	3
Madison County, TN	3	7	5	Brunswick County, NC	16	13	1
GAME 10				GAME 21			
Pascagoula, MS	15	14	1	Monroe, LA	13	8	0
Newton County, GA	5	7	2	Pascagoula, MS	3	5	5
GAME 11				GAME 22			
Brunswick County, NC	5	6	1	Monroe, LA	8	9	2
Opelika, AL	3	3	1	Brunswick County, NC	3	7	4



SPORTSMANSHIP WINNER
SENECA, SC
TALMADGE BOWEN SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD





WINNER: "W.E. BUBBA BRASHER" AWARD

BRUNSWICK COUNTY, NC - 2011 DIXIE BOYS WORLD SERIES CHAMPIONS

Front Row (L to R) Gray Cheers, Dylan Howard, Shakeem Graham, Christopher Graham, Hunter Price, Justin Wittkofsky, Kevon Perkins **Middle Row** (L to R) Coach Jeff Hollis, Blaine Hollis, Randy Mack Clark, Jerry Martin, Shelton Perkins, Garrett Scoggins, Dylan Darguzas **Back Row** (L to R) Coach Randy Fennell, Manager Bobby Scoggins

2011 DIXIE BOYS WORLD SERIES CHAMPIONS BRUNSWICK COUNTY, NC

TEAM	R	H	E	TEAM	R	H	E
GAME 1				GAME 12			
Bossier City, LA	10	12	1	Beaufort County, SC (Host)	2	5	5
Opelika, AL	4	5	1	Surfside Beach, SC	1	5	2
GAME 2				GAME 13			
Marion County, MS	3	8	0	Bossier City, LA	7	6	2
Texarkana, AR	1	2	4	Center, TX	2	4	3
GAME 3				GAME 14			
Center, TX	8	12	2	West Seminole, FL	13	10	3
West Seminole, FL	5	4	1	Troup County, GA	4	7	2
GAME 4				GAME 15			
Brunswick County, NC	18	16	1	Surfside Beach, SC	9	13	7
Ramer, TN	1	2	1	Opelika, AL	7	9	6
GAME 5				GAME 16			
Surfside Beach, SC	9	12	1	Brunswick County, NC	13	9	1
Troup County, GA	5	7	2	Marion County, MS	3	3	1
GAME 6				GAME 17			
Beaufort County, SC (Host)	21	4	1	Bossier City, LA	5	11	1
Halifax County, VA	1	2	4	West Seminole, FL	4	7	1
GAME 7				GAME 18			
Opelika, AL	9	8	0	Surfside Beach, SC	4	8	0
Texarkana, AR	3	4	2	Marion County, MS	3	6	2
GAME 8				GAME 19			
West Seminole, FL	11	13	1	Brunswick County, NC	19	14	2
Ramer, TN	1	4	1	Beaufort County, SC (Host)	10	10	3
GAME 9				GAME 20			
Troup County, GA	7	9	1	Bossier City, LA	11	12	0
Halifax County, VA	2	2	0	Beaufort County, SC (Host)	1	4	0
GAME 10				GAME 21			
Marion County, MS	6	8	3	Brunswick County, NC	4	8	2
Bossier City, LA	5	4	1	Surfside Beach, SC	1	4	0
GAME 11				GAME 22			
Brunswick County, NC	9	8	2	Brunswick County, NC	17	18	2
Center, TX	1	6	1	Bossier City, LA	7	10	1



SPORTSMANSHIP WINNER
MARION COUNTY, MS
JIM THORNTON SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD



JUNIOR DIXIE BOYS WORLD SERIES WINNERS

1996—Philadelphia, MS
1997—Gonzales, LA
1998—St. Charles Parish, LA
1999—Dothan, AL
2000—St. Charles Parish, LA
2001—Columbus County, NC
2002—Longview, TX
2003—Opelika, AL
2004—Troy, AL
2005—Texarkana, AR
2006—Southport, FL
2007—Sumter, SC
2008—Montgomery, AL (AUM)
2009—Troy, AL
2010—Surfside Beach, FL
2011—Monroe, LA

DIXIE BOYS WORLD SERIES WINNERS

1963—Myrtle Grove, FL
1964—Myrtle Grove, FL
1965—Bossier City, LA
1966—Pascagoula, MS
1967—North Augusta, SC
1968—West Monroe, LA
1969—Hueytown, AL
1970—Meridian, MS
1971—Texarkana, TX
1972—Selma, AL
1973—Pascagoula, MS
1974—Hattiesburg, MS
1975—Fort Oglethorpe, GA
1976—St. Bernard Parish, LA
1977—Alexandria, LA
1978—Hoover, AL
1979—Hoover, AL
1980—Lufkin, TX
1981—Hartsville, SC
1982—Hattiesburg, MS
1983—Brent, FL
1984—Hattiesburg, MS
1985—Bossier City, LA
1986—Texarkana, AR
1987—Montgomery, AL (AUM)
1988—Alexandria, LA
1989—Texarkana, AR
1990—South Gwinnett, GA
1991—Troy, AL
1992—Columbia County, GA
1993—Bossier City, LA
1994—Texarkana American, TX
1995—Valdosta Boys Club, GA
1996—Valdosta Boys Club, GA
1997—Hartsville, SC
1998—Columbia County, GA
1999—Valdosta Boys Club, GA
2000—Henderson, TX
2001—Phenix City, AL
2002—Columbia County, GA
2003—Columbia County, GA
2004—Hartsville, SC
2005—St. Andrews, SC
2006—Sumter, SC
2007—Union, SC
2008—Sumter, SC
2009—Montgomery, AL (AUM)
2010—Laurel-Jones County, MS
2011—Brunswick County, NC

JUNIOR DIXIE BOYS WORLD SERIES RECORDS

SINGLE GAME RECORDS

MOST HITS: (5) David Rouse, Troy, AL, 2004; David Trexler, Southport, FL, 2004.
MOST HOME RUNS: (2) Marcus Maynor, Avon Park, FL, 1996; Beau Jones, St. Charles Parish, LA, 2000; Anthony Alford, Petal, MS, 2008.
MOST THREE-BASE HITS: (1, four different games) Carson Minton, Decatur, AL, 2004.
MOST GRAND SLAMS: (1) Chance Evans, LA, 1998; Kirkland Rivers, TX, 1999; Eddie Cassidy, FL, 2001; Chad Pearson, Southport, FL, 2004; Matthew Brooks, TN, 2006; Anthony Alford, Petal, MS, 2008.
MOST STRIKEOUTS BY PITCHER: (15) Evan Dorr, N. Augusta, SC, 2004 (6 innings).
MOST RUNS BY A TEAM: (26) Petal, MS, 2008.
MOST HOME RUNS BY A TEAM IN SINGLE GAME: (4) Poinciana, FL, 2008.
MOST RUNS BY TWO TEAMS: (34) Petal, MS, and Poinciana, FL, 2008.

SERIES RECORDS

MOST HOME RUNS: (4) Michael Clayton, Valdosta, GA, 2002.
MOST HOME RUNS BY A TEAM: (7) Valdosta Boys Club, GA, 2002.
TOTAL HOME RUNS ALL TEAMS: (22) Seneca, SC, 2011.
MOST GAMES WON BY PITCHER: (3) Franklin Patrick, Philadelphia, MS, 1996; Brent Brignae, LA, 2001; Chris Love, Dentsville, SC, Zane Hendon, Longview, TX, 2002.
MOST SERIES WON BY A LEAGUE: (2) St. Charles Parish, LA, 1998, 2000; Troy, AL, 2004, 2009.

DIXIE BOYS WORLD SERIES RECORDS

SINGLE GAME RECORDS

MOST HITS: (5) Brad Turberville, Columbus County, NC, 1994.
MOST TRIPLES IN A GAME: (2) Kris Strickland, Columbus County, NC, 1999.
MOST HOME RUNS: (3) Tarous Rice, Decatur, AL, 1981; Heath Umbach, Auburn, AL, 1986; Jake Wood, FL, 1995; Dan Tankersley, Dothan, AL, 1999; Sam Dieter, Lee County, GA, 2000.

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MOST TWO-BASE HITS: (All tied with 3 each) Rob Smith, West Monroe, LA, 1964; Jeff Avery, Hoover, AL, 1978; Lorin Johnston, Cleveland, TN, 1979; Ritchie Hall, Meridian, MS, 1986; Andrew Faulkner, Aiken, SC (Host), 2007.
MOST STRIKEOUTS BY PITCHER (nine innings): (21) Allan Lopez, Bossier City National, LA, 1985; Craig Sides, AUM League, Montgomery, AL, strikeouts in a 7-inning game, (20), 1987.

SERIES RECORDS

MOST HOME RUNS: (Tied with 6 each) Frank McClendon, Hattiesburg, MS, 1984; Shane Hopper, South Gwinnett, GA, 1990.

MOST GRAND SLAM HOME RUNS: (Tied with 1 each) Jim Mathews, Alex., LA, 1977; Gary Kelly, Hoover, AL, 1979; Gary Carver, Hammond, LA, 1979; Tarous Rice, AL, 1981; Luke, Columbia County, GA, 1984; Bozeman, Hattiesburg, MS, 1984; Cox, Hattiesburg, MS, 1984; LeFord, Texarkana, AR, 1984; Hodge, South Gwinnett, GA, 1984; Hardy, Lufkin, TX, 1984; McGlockton, Columbus, NC, 1984; Jason Satre, Bossier City National, LA, 1985; Terry Walls, Texarkana, AR, 1986; Sherroid Jones, Alexandria, LA, 1986; Brian Sloan, Hueytown, AL, 1988; Trey McClure, Baton Rouge, LA, 1990; Armond Wilson, Hattiesburg, MS, 1991; Devon Johnson, SC, 1993; Brett Kirsch, St. Bernard Parish, LA, 1994; Robert Sasso, Marianna, FL, 1994; Kent Harris, Panola Co., TX, 1996; Josh Lindsey, Cleveland, MS, 1996; Tommy Easterling, Hartsville, SC, 1997; Kirkland Rivers, Henderson, TX, 2000; Nick Horne, Bartow, FL, 2000; Brent Templet, Gonzalez, LA, 2000; Brady Dugas, Gonzalez, LA, 2000; Devin Gautreaux, Gonzalez, LA, 2000; Steven Nunn, Southport, FL, 2002; Joey Ford, Bossier City, LA, 2002; Spencer Robinson, Dallas, NC, 2003; Bevis Dillon, TN, 2006; Josh Chappell, TN, 2009.

TOTAL HOME RUNS BY ALL TEAMS: (62) 2000 at Cleveland, MS

MOST HOME RUNS BY ONE TEAM: (18) Mississippi, 1984.

NO HIT GAMES: Mac Meeks, AL, 1963; Yogie Ogletree, GA, 1964; Steve Burch, GA, 1970 (Perfect Game); Steve Anderson, MS, 1970; Kurt Crain, Hoover, AL, 1979; Kevin Dollar, Tim Freeman, Jade Cloward, combined, LaGrange, GA, 1986; Billy Stephens, Ringgold, GA, 1987; Will Callihan, NC, 1994; Chris Stacey, AL, 1994; Jake Wood, FL, 1995; Jonathan Stocks, NC, 1998; Dean Connor, SC, 2001; Truman VanVerkhoven, Monroe, LA, 2005.

MOST GAMES WON BY PITCHER: (Tied with 4 each) Michael Bigham, TX, 1971; Jim Bailey, St. Bernard Parish, LA, 1976.

MOST WORLD SERIES WON BY ONE LEAGUE: (4) Columbia County, GA, 1992, 1998, 2002, 2003.

MOST CONSECUTIVE HOME RUNS IN ONE GAME: (3) Tarous Rice, AL, 1981; Heath Umbach, Auburn, AL, 1986; Jake Wood, FL, 1995; Dan Tankersley, AL, 1999; Sam Dieter, GA, 2000.



A Look At Dixie Baseball...





WESTSIDE, AL - 2011 DIXIE PRE-MAJORS WORLD SERIES CHAMPIONS

Front Row (L to R) Conner Albano, Cody Miller, Mitchell Miller, Brandon Jordan, Chad Luse, Winston Mathis
Back Row (L to R) Manager Alan Carisle, Coach Rusty Luse, Mason McCullough, Mj Morrisette, Kelante Buskey, Casey Hughston, Blake Elmore, Brett Glover, Alex Carisle, Coach Phill Hughston

2011 DIXIE PRE-MAJORS WORLD SERIES CHAMPIONS WESTSIDE, AL

TEAM	R	H	E	TEAM	R	H	E
GAME 1				GAME 12			
N. Charleston, SC	6	5	2	Westside, AL	11	10	1
Sumter County, FL	3	5	2	Columbia County, GA	4	7	3
GAME 2				GAME 13			
Laurel-Jones County, MS	3	6	0	N. Charleston, SC	12	11	1
Hope Mills, NC	2	*0*	2	Christian Bros., Shelby, TN	7	4	1
GAME 3				GAME 14			
Christian Bros., Shelby, TN	6	6	1	Bossier City, LA	18	12	1
Halifax County, VA	3	7	2	Halifax County, VA	4	4	3
GAME 4				GAME 15			
Paris, TX	10	8	0	Columbia County, GA	16	16	0
Nashville, AR	4	2	0	Sumter County, FL	2	7	1
GAME 5				GAME 16			
Westside, AL	14	10	0	Laurel-Jones County, MS	8	4	0
Bossier City, LA	0	1	4	Paris, TX	3	5	1
GAME 6 (*9 innings)				GAME 17			
Columbia County, GA	12	12	1	Bossier City, LA	12	8	1
Independence, LA (Host)	10	8	4	N. Charleston, SC	3	11	3
GAME 7				GAME 18			
Sumter County, FL	10	6	3	Paris, TX	11	9	0
Hope Mills, NC	4	6	3	Columbia County, GA	6	6	1
GAME 8				GAME 19			
Halifax County, VA	7	6	0	Westside, AL	4	7	1
Nashville, AR	2	3	0	Laurel-Jones County, MS	0	1	1
GAME 9				GAME 20			
Bossier City, LA	12	13	0	Laurel-Jones County, MS	7	7	0
Independence, LA (Host)	0	3	2	Bossier City, LA	6	6	3
GAME 10				GAME 21			
Laurel-Jones County, MS	9	4	0	Westside, AL	10	8	1
N. Charleston, SC	6	3	0	Paris, TX	0	1	3
GAME 11				GAME 22			
Paris, TX	6	8	0	Westside, AL	6	8	3
Christian Bros., Shelby, TN	5	7	0	Laurel-Jones County, MS	2	4	1



SPORTSMANSHIP WINNER
HALIFAX COUNTY, VA
BILL MOORE SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD





PARIS, TX - 2011 DIXIE MAJORS WORLD SERIES CHAMPIONS

Front Row (L to R) Coach Tab Rose, Todd Fendley, Chevi Springer, Colby Rose, Ty Huie, Chase Harvey, Blake Dickey, Tanner Baker
Back Row (L to R) Coach Joe White, Colton Coe, Laytner Kennedy, Canyon Conley, Riley Chipman, Ryan White, Jeff King, Coach Heath Kennedy

2011 DIXIE MAJORS WORLD SERIES CHAMPIONS PARIS, TX

TEAM	R	H	E	TEAM	R	H	E
GAME 1				GAME 13			
Columbia County, GA	12	10	2	Polk County, FL	10	5	1
Burgaw, NC	8	3	6	Columbia County, GA	0	1	2
GAME 2				GAME 14			
N. Charleston, SC	12	13	0	Auburn, AL	6	8	1
Mt. Pleasant, TN	0	1	0	Goochland, VA	2	7	2
GAME 3				GAME 15			
Bossier City, LA	11	14	1	Laurel-Jones County, MS	7	9	1
Auburn, AL	4	8	1	Mt. Pleasant, TN	5	9	1
GAME 4				GAME 16			
Polk County, FL	3	4	0	Bossier City, LA	8	10	1
Texarkana, AR	1	6	0	N. Charleston, SC	6	8	3
GAME 5				GAME 17			
Paris, TX	10	10	1	Auburn, AL	9	10	1
Goochland, VA	3	6	2	Polk County, FL	7	6	2
GAME 6				GAME 18			
Laurel-Jones County, MS	9	11	2	N. Charleston, SC	14	8	0
Ozark, AL (Host)	6	6	4	Laurel-Jones County, MS	1	1	5
GAME 7				GAME 19			
Mt. Pleasant, TN	12	13	2	Paris, TX	6	7	1
Burgaw, NC	9	9	3	Bossier City, LA	1	4	1
GAME 8				GAME 20			
Auburn, AL	12	10	1	Bossier City, LA	9	14	3
Texarkana, AR	2	6	2	Auburn, AL	5	6	1
GAME 9				GAME 21			
Goochland, VA	12	13	1	N. Charleston, SC	1	5	0
Ozark, AL (Host)	4	6	3	Paris, TX	0	4	0
GAME 10				GAME 22			
N. Charleston, SC	14	17	0	Paris, TX	5	11	0
Columbia County, GA	3	6	2	Bossier City, LA	4	9	2
GAME 11				GAME 23			
Bossier City, LA	11	11	0	Paris, TX	14	18	1
Polk County, FL	5	6	1	N. Charleston, SC	9	9	4
GAME 12							
Paris, TX	12	7	3				
Laurel-Jones County, MS	2	5	3				



**SPORTSMANSHIP WINNER
NORTH CHARLESTON, SC
BRYANT WATSON SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD**



DIXIE PRE-MAJORS WORLD SERIES WINNERS

1979—Madison Heights, VA
1980—Nacogdoches, TX
1981—Alexandria, LA
1982—Lufkin, TX
1983—Lufkin, TX
1984—Phenix City, AL
1985—Hueytown, AL
1986—Hattiesburg, MS
1987—Phenix City, AL
1988—AUM, Montgomery, AL
1989—Baton Rouge, LA
1990—Angelina County, TX
1991—East Pensacola, FL
1992—Baton Rouge, LA
1993—Meridian, MS
1994—Columbia County, GA
1995—Daphne, AL

1996—AUM, Montgomery, AL
1997—Valdosta Boys Club, GA
1998—Marion County, FL
1999—Columbia County, GA
2000—Columbia County, GA
2001—Lakeland, FL
2002—Laurel Jones County, MS
2003—Monroe, LA
2004—Shelby/Tipton, TN
2005—North Augusta, SC
2006—AUM, Montgomery, AL
2007—Laurel-Jones County, MS
2008—Oak Grove, MS
2009—Terrebonne Parish, LA
2010—Auburn, AL
2011—Westside, AL

DIXIE MAJORS WORLD SERIES WINNERS

1974—Montgomery Belser, AL
1975—Montgomery Belser, AL
1976—Monroe, LA
1977—Lufkin, TX
1978—Wildwood, FL
1979—Montgomery Gray, AL
1980—Laurel-Jones County, MS
1981—Monroe, LA
1982—Phenix City, AL
1983—Hernando County, FL
1984—Lufkin, TX
1985—Lufkin, TX
1986—Laurel-Jones County, MS
1987—Avon Park, FL
1988—Alexandria, LA
1989—Phenix City, AL
1990—AUM, Montgomery, AL
1991—Columbia County, GA
1992—West Florence, SC

1993—Lufkin, TX
1994—Columbia County, GA
1995—Lake Charles, LA
1996—Columbia County, GA
1997—AUM, Montgomery, AL
1998—AUM, Montgomery, AL
1999—Prattville, AL
2000—Hernando County, FL
2001—Meridian, MS
2002—Monroe, LA (Host)
2003—Monroe, LA
2004—Polk County, FL
2005—North Charleston, SC
2006—North Charleston, SC
2007—Columbus County, NC
2008—Auburn, AL
2009—North Charleston, SC
2010—Polk County, FL
2011—Paris, TX

DIXIE PRE-MAJORS WORLD SERIES RECORDS

SINGLE GAME RECORDS

MOST HITS: (5) Patrick Williams, Nacogdoches, TX, 1994; Jonathan Youngblood, Texarkana, AR, 1996; Hunter Cross, Thomasville, AL, 2006.
MOST HOME RUNS: (2) Mike Coleman, TN, 1979; Brent Miller, Phenix City, AL, 1987; Chad Alexander, Angelina County, TX, 1990; Jamie Brown, Meridian, MS, 1993; Drew Carson, Monroe, LA, 2000; Jordan Belcher, Columbia County, GA, 2000; Aaron Cone, Lakeland, FL, 2000; Matt Barrickman, Steel Belt, TX, 2000; Nick Wade, West Monroe, LA, 2004.
MOST TWO-BASE HITS: (Tied with 3 each) Steve Lamberth, TN, 1979; Eddie Rodriguez, Nacogdoches, TX, 1980; Adam Brown, South Gwinnett, GA, 1982; Tim Edge, GA, 1984; Dennis Veronese, Montgomery Gray, AL, 1985; Mark Thornhill, Columbia Co., GA, 1995; Hunter Cross, Thomasville, AL, 2006.
MOST THREE-BASE HITS: (2) Lenny Springs, Columbia Co., GA, 1986; Tim Lanier, LA, 1989; Michael Weldy, Hattiesburg, MS, 1990; Frank Cedeno, Hattiesburg, MS, 1990.
MOST STRIKE OUTS BY PITCHER: (17) Roy Lee Dix, VA, 1979.
MOST RUNS BY A TEAM: (21) LA, 1989.
MOST RUNS BOTH TEAMS: (33) LA and FL, 1989.

SERIES RECORDS

MOST HOME RUNS: (5) Matt Barrickman, Steel Belt, TX, 2000.
MOST GRAND SLAM HOME RUNS: (1) Ronnie Bearden, AR, 1988; Therrance Chretien, LA, 1995; Scott Sabo, TX, 1995; Jimmy Grace, MS, 1995; Jason Jackson, AR, 1999; Clete Stewart, GA, 1999; Drew Carson, Monroe, LA, 2000; Jordan Belcher, Columbia County, GA, 2000; Matt Barrickman, Steel Belt, TX, 2000; Adam Dalby, Steel Belt, TX, 2000; Randy Thomas, AUM, AL, 2003; Nick Wade, West Monroe, LA, 2004; Zack Kruebbe, Carthage, TX, 2004.
MOST HOME RUNS BY A TEAM: (12) Steel Belt, TX, 2000.
TOTAL HOME RUNS ALL TEAMS: (47) Guntersville, AL, 2000.
NO HIT GAMES: Chris Nolley, GA, 1981; Ronald Rantz, Alexandria, LA, 1987; Lee Wood, Troup Co., GA, 1991; Matt Cavender, TX, 1999; Justin Shane Berard, TN, 2010; Sam Walley & Taylor Keys (combined), Laurel-Jones County, MS, 2011.
MOST GAMES WON BY PITCHER: (3) Mike Barnhill, SC, 1982; Frank McLendon, Hattiesburg, MS, 1986; Jeffrey Edmonds, Phenix City, AL, 1987; Rod Trimble, TX, 1988; David Clifton, Ocala, FL, 1997.
MOST WORLD SERIES WON BY A LEAGUE: (3) Lufkin, TX, 1982, 1983, 1990; Columbia County, GA, 1994, 1999, 2000; AUM, Montgomery, AL, 1988, 1996, 2006.

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MOST HITS: (5) Robert Pearson, Prattville, AL, 1999; Nick Orvin, SC, 2009.

MOST HOME RUNS: (3) Fred Cooley, Laurel-Jones County, MS, 1985; Brad Huff, So. Gwinnett, GA, 1987; Daniel Raymond, Monroe, LA, 2000; Perry Bowers, North Charleston, SC, 2005.

MOST TWO-BASE HITS: (4) Eddie Matthews, Lufkin, TX, 1983; Leon Stevens, Franklin, TN, 1983.

MOST STRIKEOUTS BY A PITCHER: (16) Mitch Thomas, Monroe, LA, 1981; Chris Cauley, TX, 1984; Adam Williams, (AUM) Montgomery, AL, 1997.

SERIES RECORDS

MOST HOME RUNS: (4) Fred Cooley, Laurel-Jones County, MS, 1985; Brad Huff, So. Gwinnett, GA, 1987; Davey Thomas, (AUM) Montgomery, AL, 1998; Alex Presley, Monroe, LA, 2003; Perry Bowers, North Charleston, SC, 2005.

MOST GRAND SLAM HOME RUNS: (1) Bubba Brister, Monroe, LA, 1980; Bryan Hinds, AL, 1984; Darryl Smith, Alexandria, LA, 1985; Fred Cooley, Laurel-Jones County, MS, 1985; Thomas Wheelis, Laurel-Jones Co., MS, 1986; Matt Raxdale, Alexandria, LA, 1987; Greg Ballard, Phenix City, AL, 1991; Mark Hamlin, Columbia Co., GA, 1992; Dino Dakuras, GA, 1994; Shane Pangle, GA, 1994; Todd Culpepper, AUM, AL, 1998; Collin Holder, AUM, AL, 1998; Aubrey Blackwell, AUM, AL, 1999; Scott McLaughlin, AR, 1999; Jack Westbrook, Hernado County, FL, 2000; Blake Thompson, GA, 2001; Brett Holmes, Chester County, TN, 2003; Drew Tanner, Chester County, TN, 2003; Tyler Franklin, Chester County, TN, 2003; Alex Presley, Monroe, LA, 2003; Keith Carpenter, Polk County, FL, 2003; Brett Hoeflich, Petal, MS, 2003; Erik Morian, North Charleston, SC, 2005; Perry Bowers, North Charleston, SC, 2005.

MOST HOME RUNS BY ONE TEAM: (13) (AUM) Montgomery, AL, 1998.

TOTAL HOME RUNS BY ALL TEAMS: (45) Euless, TX, 2000.

MOST GRAND SLAM HOME RUNS: (6) ALL TEAMS; 2003.

PERFECT GAME: (1) Logan Carroll, Monroe (Host) 2004.

NO HIT GAMES: Jay Reeves, MS, 1978; Steve Breland, MS, 1978 (back-to-back); Gregory Mizelle, Bartow, FL, 1986; Ronnie McGill, Lynn Haven, FL, 1990; Bryce Hines, N. Charleston, SC, 2010.

MOST GAMES WON BY A PITCHER: (4) Brandon Mims, AL, 1999.

MOST WORLD SERIES WON BY A LEAGUE: (4) Lufkin, TX, 1977, 1984, 1985, 1993; Monroe, LA, 1976, 1981, 2002, 2003.

THE BIRTH AND ORGANIZATIONAL HISTORY OF DIXIE BOYS BASEBALL

Dixie Boys Baseball, Inc. was founded in 1957 at Alexandria, Louisiana. The Alexandria Youth Baseball Association was the charter member of an organization formed to attract the thirteen (13) year old player. All other programs in existence in 1957 required that participants age 13-15 be grouped together. The Incorporators recognized that grouping thirteen (13) year olds with youth age fifteen (15) and playing on a regulation size diamond was a hardship for most of the younger players. Furthermore, the creation of the program provided an opportunity for players to continue participation after completion of the younger age (12 & under) program.

The Incorporators established the Constitution and Bylaws as well as the Dixie Boys Rule Book. The original Constitution called for the election of officers. Further discussion directed the formation of additional programs within other southern states. The Constitution & Bylaws established by the founding fathers is very much intact today. The program's mission of providing a recreational outlet for as many young people as possible continues to be the emphasis and charge to the Board of Directors of Dixie Boys Baseball.

Dixie Boys Baseball's charter members all resided in Alexandria, Louisiana. Twenty-three (23) charter members along with the Executive Officers conducted the business of the corporation at its inception. The program had a humble beginning with seven (7) leagues formed in the first year; all from Louisiana. For the first three years of the organization,

Dixie Boys Baseball only existed in Louisiana. In 1960, Mississippi joined with Louisiana. In 1961, Alabama franchised and other states soon followed. From the early years to now, Dixie Boys Baseball has experienced much success. Today, Dixie Boys Baseball operates in eleven (11) southern states with 1315 teams and 450 Boys leagues. Over 24,000 players participated in the 13-14 yr. old program in 2011.



ALGIE GREEN

Life Member

*Founder of
Mississippi Program*

Former President

In 1973, the National Board of Directors of Dixie Boys approved a resolution that established an older program for boys fifteen (15) through seventeen (17) years of age. The program was named Dixie Majors Baseball and it existed under the direction of the corporate officers. Each State elected representatives to govern the Majors program. In the years to follow, some minor modifications were made to encourage growth of the Majors program. From its beginning in 1973 to today, the program has served the needs of our older youth participants. The 2011 numbers reflect 488 teams comprising 180 leagues or roughly 10,000 participants.

In 1975 a committee began work to establish an agreement with Dixie Youth Baseball (ages 12 & under). The agreement provided for a service center for Dixie Boys & Dixie Majors headquartered at the site of the Dixie Youth office. The National Board of Directors of Youth and Boys Baseball approved the agreement in 1976 with the umbrella organization being called Dixie Inc.

In 1978, by mail in vote, the Dixie Majors Board of Directors approved a resolution adding eighteen (18) year olds to the program. Local leagues were given the option of creating a Pre-Majors program (15-16 year olds) or continuing to operate as a Majors program to include the eighteen (18) year olds. The Pre-Majors program sparked even greater interest in the older ages Dixie program. Participation opportunities were available with separate tournament play offered, a Pre-Majors World Series.

The Dixie Boys Baseball, Inc. Scholarship program began in 1984 with a single \$500.00 award. The program has grown to eleven (11) \$1,250 awards. Each of the participating Dixie states has a scholarship recipient each year. A state committee representative reviews the applications and makes the tough decision as to the awarding of scholarships. Bernie Varnadore of South Carolina ably served as the Scholarship Committee Chair until his death following the 2006 season. In 2007, the Board of Directors unanimously approved naming the scholarship program: the Dixie Boys Baseball "Bernie Varnadore Scholarship program."

In 1995, the opportunity for youth age thirteen to participate in tournament play as a 13 year old division of Dixie Boys was discussed. Regional tournaments were held as a pilot program and in 1996 the first 13 year old World Series was held. The 13 year old age group in later years was named Junior Dixie Boys. Also, a 1995 meeting resulted in the creation of the Dixie National Umpire program. In 2011, over 1,100 umpires registered with the program.

The year 2000 led to the development of a Dixie Boys Director's training course. A training manual was developed and the first training session was held in 2001. On the baseball diamond, the Dixie National team was crowned as the 2000 Tournament of Stars Champions in an event held in Cooperstown, New York. The working relationship with Major League Baseball, USA Baseball, and other youth organizations was greatly enhanced. The Commissioner was later selected to serve on the USA Baseball Medical/Safety Committee and later elected as a member of the USA Baseball Executive Board of Directors.

The 2005 Biennial meeting resulted in a number of policy changes. The biggest challenge for the 2006 season was the universal change to an April 30th age control date. Dixie Boys also added a rule change that allowed 19 years olds to participate in Dixie Majors Baseball. The Rulebook was designed for a two year printing and the Media Guide became a valuable tool for promoting the program.

2006 was a very special year for the Dixie Boys organization. Fifty years of program history was celebrated throughout the season. The

opportunity to visit the birthplace of Dixie Boys Baseball was provided by a local organizing committee. A Dixie Boys 50th Anniversary Celebration was held September 9th, 2006 in Alexandria. Of special significance, the program founder and three charter members were in attendance at the celebration along with many Dixie officials.

Policy and rule changes were approved as part of the 2007 Board meeting. Out of concern for the safety and welfare of the participant, Dixie Boys Baseball implemented a rule change that established a "pitch count" to determine pitcher eligibility as opposed to the long standing "innings pitched" rules. The Dixie Future Stars event, the creation of the Alumni program, and expanded program partnerships all proved to be significant accomplishments.

The 2008 year was a banner year for Dixie Boys Baseball. The Dixie National team captured the Gold Medal at the USA Baseball Tournament of Stars Event held in Cary, NC. The Dixie Future Stars Event was expanded. Contributions to the Alumni program more than tripled from the inaugural 2007 year.

The Board of Directors attended a biennial meeting in 2009. Much discussion was held in regard to how best to market the program in an ever-changing youth market. Task Force committees were organized to review player age groupings, program expansion, and minimum bid requirements for Host. The findings of the committees were shared with the Board and appropriate actions were implemented.

The 2010 season was an exceptional year! A Dixie Boys-branded catalog agreement with JP Sports, now called Pennant, was developed. Franchise numbers showed increases in Dixie Majors Baseball participation. The Dixie website was vastly enhanced. The program had an excellent fiscal year.

2011 was a very challenging but successful year for the organization. Dixie Future Stars events were held for all four age groups. The biennial meeting resulted in many significant changes for the organization. A Hall of Fame was created to honor those with outstanding contributions to the program. The Class of 2011 included only one member, program founder Bubba Brasher.

Rewarding experiences are available for youth 13 and older through the game of baseball. Dixie Boys Baseball has a rich tradition that spans fifty-plus years. The longevity of the program is due to the continued dedicated service of program volunteers. The Board of Directors of Dixie Boys Baseball Inc. eagerly looks forward to providing another highly successful program in 2012.



**W.E. "BUBBA"
BRASHER**

*Life Member
W.E. "Bubba Brasher"
Championship Award
Dixie Boys Baseball
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President, Commissioner
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DIXIE BOYS BASEBALL

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Louisiana – Bubba Brasher
(*Founder*)
Georgia – Jimmy Brown
(*Former Commissioner*)

The 2012-13 Board of Directors greatly appreciates the contributions of all Dixie Boys, Inc. Life Members

The Directors of Dixie Boys Baseball, Inc. are elected by the leagues to govern the program. The various states and leagues that comprise the Dixie organization are represented by the Board of Directors, as well as the Executive Officers. In a September 2011 meeting, the Board made policy revisions and approved rules changes. For complete contact information for the Board of Directors, visit the Dixie Boys website at www.dixie.org/boys. Online, you will be able to access the most current listings for all Board members, as well as the Dixie Boys Baseball Commissioner/CEO.

DIXIE NATIONAL UMPIRE PROGRAM

The National Umpire certification program created in 1995 has greatly improved the overall quality of umpiring. Major League Baseball playing rules are used in most instances with a few exceptions as found in the Dixie Boys/Majors Rule Book. Umpires are tested on knowledge of the game and based on experience and the recommendation of Dixie officials, a good number that start with local programs advance to various levels of tournament play. The primary emphasis of any umpire program should be to provide quality umpiring at the local level. Umpires also have the unique opportunity to showcase skills at district, state and World Series tournaments.

Becoming an umpire in a Dixie Boys/Majors program is really simple. Contact should be made with an umpire association or the league in the local area. Each local league has complete autonomy in choosing officials that will work their program. Dixie Baseball supports the local program by providing a District & State Umpire in Chief. The Umpire in Chief conducts clinics, provides certification materials and administers the state program. Successful completion of the certification programs allows an umpire to become registered with Dixie Boys Baseball.



UMPIRE INSURANCE PROGRAM ADDED AS A SERVICE TO OUR UMPIRES



Beginning with the 2012 season, Dixie Boys Baseball will provide an insurance program for umpires. All umpires registered through the Dixie Boys organization will have a policy of \$100,000 excess accident and \$2,000,000 general liability coverage. The coverage applies while umpiring Dixie Boys Baseball games as well as other youth baseball games. For questions or to report a claim, call Sadler Sports Insurance at 800-622-7370.

Anyone interested in further information regarding the umpire program can contact a State Umpire in Chief. A current listing of representatives from each state are found at the Dixie Boys website at www.dixie.org/boys.

The National Umpire in Chief can be contacted for more details:

Ron Luke, National Umpire in Chief

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The volunteer scholarship committee carefully reviews all of the applications within a given state. The committee has the difficult task each year of selecting a winner. The scholarship winner is often recognized at a school honors or awards ceremony. Winners are presented plaques and Dixie Boys Baseball submits the \$1,250 scholarship proceeds to the winner's school of choice.

Qualifying for a scholarship is very simple. Any player that has ever participated on a Dixie Boys or Majors franchised team is eligible. There is absolutely no relationship between athletic ability and the scholarship. The following credentials are required on the application: substantial financial need, scholastic ability and evidence of strong school and community citizenship. The scholarship policy gives everyone equal opportunity of selection.

The Dixie Boys, Inc. "Bernie Varnadore" Scholarship program is of great priority to the Board of Directors. The opportunity to award deserving High School Seniors financial assistance is one of the most rewarding aspects of the program. Applications are available from Dixie Boys league officials and online at the Dixie Boys website. April 1st is the deadline for an applicant to submit his or her request to the Commissioner for scholarship consideration.

Dixie Boys Baseball, a non-profit organization, has awarded 210 scholarships, valued at over \$350,000. Various states have additional scholarship opportunities available within their particular state. Funding for scholarships is sought from corporate partnerships, fund-raising ventures, and the Dixie Boys/Majors Alumni Association. If you are willing to assist with this worthwhile effort, contact the Dixie Boys Commissioner's Office. Additional information is available at www.dixie.org/boys information.

2011 SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

AL – Benjamin (Ben) Adam Siegel	FL – (Austin) Kyle Barnett
GA – (Jeremiah) James Schaeffer	LA – Corey (Seth) Sharp
MS – (Joel) Clint Hillman	NC – James (Tyler) Haney
SC – (Ryan) Bradley Marcengill	TN – (Mark) Andrew Hembree
TX – (Justin) Ty Williamson	VA – (John) William Ambrose

In Memory of



**BERNIE
VARNADORE**

*Long-time Dixie Boys
Scholarship Chairman*

"BERNIE VARNADORE SCHOLARSHIP"

2011 NATIONAL WINNERS DIXIE BOYS BASEBALL, INC.

THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS HAVE BEEN AWARDED SCHOLARSHIPS TO THEIR SCHOOL OF CHOICE. DIXIE BOYS BASEBALL, INC. CONGRATULATES THE WINNERS ON VERY OUTSTANDING ACCOMPLISHMENTS DURING HIGH SCHOOL.



Benjamin (Ben) Adam Siegel
FLORENCE, AL



(Austin) Kyle Barnett
LAKELAND, FL



(Jeremiah) James Schaeffer
GROVETOWN, GA



Corey (Seth) Sharp
BENTON, LA



(Joel) Clint Hillman
BEAUMONT, MS



James (Tyler) Haney
WARSAW, NC



(Ryan) Bradley Marcengill
WESTMINSTER, SC



(Mark) Andrew Hembree
CEDAR HILL, TN



(Justin) Ty Williamson
RENO, TX



(John) William Ambrose
AMELIA, VA



DIXIE BOYS BASEBALL, INC. ALUMNI PROGRAM

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

- To identify and recognize Board of Directors (Corporate Officers, State Director, or Assistant State Directors whom have contributed substantial time and resources to benefit Dixie Boys Baseball, Inc.
- To support through financial resources the continuation of a very successful Dixie Boys/Majors National Scholarship program.
- To produce a database that will allow the program to maintain contact with former: players, coaches, Dixie Boys/Majors officials, parents, league officials, umpires, volunteers, and anyone else previously involved with the program.
- To assist Dixie Boys Baseball, Inc. in tracking the careers of former players. The graduates' accomplishments (sport of baseball or other noteworthy achievements) are followed and recognized through media.
- To assist Dixie Boys Baseball, Inc. in the display of collectible items at major events of the organization.
- To provide an additional support structure and voice for Dixie Boys Baseball.
- To contribute articles for Dixie Boys Baseball publications and program website.
- To recognize program participant efforts that provided substantial benefit to the organization. Appropriate publicity and awards are presented.

The Dixie Boys Alumni Program is open to anyone that has a desire to further the mission of the organization. Former players, coaches, league officials, parents, sponsors and other program supporters are encouraged to become involved in this worthwhile effort. The \$25.00 membership fee is tax-deductible as part of the organization's 501c-3 status. Additional contributions are also accepted to help fund the Dixie National Scholarship program. Membership applications can be obtained by contacting any member of the Dixie Boys Inc. Board of Directors or visiting the website at www.dixie.org/boys.

Completed applications, fees and other contributions should be mailed to:

Commissioner's Office, PO Box 8263; Dothan, Alabama 36304.