



**Friday, May 10th and Saturday, May 11th, 2024**

**Glacier Bank Park**

*Home of the Glacier Range Riders*

**Kalispell, Montana**

***Friday, May 10th***

8:00 am Browning (L) vs. Ronan (D)

10:30 am Noxon/Thompson Falls (L) vs. Troy (D)

1:00 pm Stevensville (L) vs. Lincoln County (D)

3:30 pm Frenchtown (L) vs. Bigfork (D)

6:00 pm Whitefish (L) vs. Hamilton or Corvallis (D)

8:30 pm Columbia Falls (L) vs. Polson (D)

***Saturday, May 11th***

8:00 am Troy (L) vs. Stevensville (D)

10:30 am Hamilton or Corvallis (L) vs. Lincoln County

1:00 pm Noxon/Thompson Falls (L) vs. Browning (D)

3:30 pm Bigfork (L) vs. Ronan (D)

6:00 pm Frenchtown (L) vs. Columbia Falls (D)

8:30 pm Polson (L) vs. Whitefish (D)



Glacier Bank Park, Columbia Falls High School and Whitefish High School welcome you to the Sapa-Johnsrud High School Baseball Invitational. We are excited to have your team and fans experience two full days of Montana high school baseball in one of the finest baseball facilities in the state. Please read the information contained and let us know if you have any questions. Thank you again for your participation!

## **TOURNAMENT CONTACTS**

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## **TOURNAMENT RULES**

All MHSA and NFHS rules will apply, however no new inning will begin after 1:50 minutes. Hustle on and off the field and umpires will work hard to limit the between inning time to 1:00 minute. Teams are asked to respect the facility and follow good baseball etiquette. There will be no infield/outfield prior to any game of the tournament, including the first game. Warm-ups may occur in the outfield while the field is being prepared for the next game.

## **GLACIER BANK PARK RULES**

Please adhere to any and all rules, regulations and requests made by Glacier Bank Park Officials, Range Riders Officials or representatives.

### **Facility Use Rules and Regulations**

- Public Areas: **Only the inner concourse and seating bowl are available to the public.** All other areas of the stadium, including the second level, the playground, and the open and grassed areas at the end of the baselines are strictly prohibited due to construction pre-season preparation activities.
- Conduct: Disorderly conduct, or assault, will not be tolerated. Such actions include, but are not limited to, abusive, indecent, profane, or vulgar language that might cause a breach of peace, or threatening or causing physical contact with another individual.
- Damage: All accidents, breakage, or loss of property on the Premises must be reported to the Operator personnel immediately.
- Maintenance: All maintenance issues should be reported to Operator personnel immediately.



- Fan Bag Policy: No bags or purses larger than 8.5"x11". No Backpacks or suitcases
- Equipment: All necessary equipment required to play the games must be provided by the teams.
- Field of Play: Only players and coaches of the team currently playing are allowed onto the field. This includes the warning track. No parents, photographers, girlfriends, siblings etc. on the field of play at any time before, during or after any game.
- Dugouts: Only uniformed players and coaches are allowed in the dugouts. No parents or spectators.
- Cleats: Molded cleats only. **No metal cleats are allowed.**
- Food and Drink: No outside food or beverage will be permitted anywhere in the Event Space. **No food allowed in the dugouts (especially sunflower seeds or other shelled products). Water only in dugouts (operational drinking fountains available). No colored beverages allowed.**
- Dugout Cleanliness: Teams are responsible for cleaning their dugout after each game.
- Practice: No batting practice (soft toss) or hitting whiffle balls or weighted balls on the field. Ground balls and fly balls may be taken prior to the game in the outfield only. Fungo hitters must use a provided mat.



- Bullpen: Pitchers are not allowed to throw weighted balls against any wall. One bullpen mound per side will be available on a first-come, first-served basis. Only use the mound marked "Open."
  
- Batting Cages: Teams will have access to our batting cages located behind the Right Field wall. This one cage will be split for two teams to use simultaneously. There are also two mounds available for use in the cages.
  
- Clubhouse: The Visitor clubhouse will be set up to host Umpires (8 in total) as well as the teams. Teams will enter the playing field from the right field entrance.
  
- Playing Rules:
  - Games will have a strict schedule: 2 ½ hours total time per game (2 hours playing time, 30 minutes for switching teams).
  - Teams are expected to maintain a rapid pace of play. Always hustle on and off the field.
  - No new innings will start after 1 hour and 50 minutes. Games will end at exactly 2 hours.
  - No new games shall start after 8:30 p.m.
  - At the conclusion of a game, teams should immediately vacate the dugout and playing field to allow for the next teams to begin in a timely manner. All teams, officials and guests are expected to vacate the stadium within 20 minutes after the conclusion of the final scheduled game for the day.

Please pass this information on to Coaches, Players, and Fans! Thank you!



**TEAM ENTRANCE**

Teams will enter the facility through the right field. Buses may drop off teams near this entrance (which is also close to the batting cage).

**ENTRANCE FEE**

In order to help with costs of umpires and game balls each team will be charged a tournament entrance fee of **\$150 and 1 box of game balls.**

**TEAM WARM UP**

Team time in the batting cages will be set up as follows:

<b>Friday</b>		<b>Saturday</b>	
<b>Time</b>	<b>Team</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Team</b>
6:45-7:15	Browning	6:45-7:15	Stevensville
7:15-7:45	Ronan	7:15-7:45	Troy
9:15-9:45	Noxon/TF	9:15-9:45	Hamilton or Corvallis
9:45-10:15	Troy	9:45-10:15	Lincoln County
11:45-12:15	Stevensville	11:45-12:15	Noxon/TF
12:15-12:45	Lincoln County	12:15-12:45	Browning
2:15-2:45	Frenchtown	2:15-2:45	Bigfork
2:45-3:15	Bigfork	2:45-3:15	Ronan
4:45-5:15	Whitefish	4:45-5:15	Frenchtown
5:15-5:45	Hamilton or Corvallis	5:15-5:45	Columbia Falls
7:15-7:45	Columbia Falls	7:15-7:45	Polson
7:45-8:15	Polson	7:45-8:15	Whitefish

Please refer to the enclosed map to identify how to locate and access the batting cages.



## **CONCESSIONS**

Basic ballpark concessions and Chick-fil-A will be available on site. No alcohol can be purchased or consumed at the stadium during this event. Tailgating will not be permitted.

## **FAN TICKETS**

Admission fees for fans will be \$10 for an adult and \$8 for a student/senior per day. Entrance fees grant fans admission to all games on the day of purchase.

## **FAN PARKING**

Please refer to the map to identify where fans may park. Parking will be limited to gravel south parking lot on the premises.

## **BUS PARKING**

Please refer to the map to identify where your bus should park during games.

## **LOCKER ROOMS**

Locker rooms will not be provided on site for teams.

Once again we look forward to hosting you. Please contact us with any questions!