



Welcome to the 2010 Dizzy Dean 7 Year Old World Series. Your tournament host will be the Catoosa County Recreation Department and it will be our goal to create an experience that the players, coaches, and families will remember for the rest of their lives. The tournament will be played in Ringgold, Georgia at the Jack Mattox Recreation Complex July 15th - July 22nd, 2010.

The exact format of the World Series will be established by Dizzy Dean Baseball, Inc.

Entry into this event is for Dizzy Dean sanctioned teams only. Entries must be submitted on a Dizzy Dean World Series Entry Form and signed/approved by the respective Dizzy Dean National Board Member of your state or a designee by the Commissioner of Dizzy Dean Baseball, Inc. Teams will be required to pay a refundable appearance fee of \$250 for this event. Failure to appear will result in forfeiture of the appearance fee. Your signed / approved entry form and refundable appearance fee, in the amount of \$250.00 should be made payable to: Dizzy Dean Baseball World Series and mailed / given to your Dizzy Dean State Director. Your Dizzy Dean State Director will then forward the completed entry with his/her signature to *(Catoosa County Recreation Dept., 749 Pine Grove Road Ringgold, GA 30736)*. All entries MUST BE RECEIVED BY 12:00 noon July 9, 2010 by the Catoosa County Recreation Department -- Tournament Operations at the address above to guarantee your spot in the Dizzy Dean Baseball World Series.

Bracket schedules WILL NOT be mailed out in advance. A blind draw will determine the brackets. This drawing will take place during the manager's meeting at The Catoosa County Senior Center located at the Benton Place Campus, 144 Catoosa Circle, Ringgold, GA 30736. All game schedules and brackets will be posted online after being finalized.

Tournament Headquarters- Jack Mattox Recreation Complex atop the main concession stand. This area will be open until the conclusion of the tournament. For more information call: *(706-891-4199)*

IMPORTANT HOTEL INFORMATION: The 2010 Host Hotel for the Dizzy Dean World Series will be the Hampton Inn – Ringgold / Fort Oglethorpe which is Catoosa County's newest hotel. The Hampton Inn is just minutes from the Jack Mattox Recreation Complex and is located just off of I-75 Exit 350. This hotel has a total of 78 rooms (25 King, 45 Queen / Double, & 8 Suites) that are blocked off just for Dizzy Dean World Series guests. The negotiated rate is \$79 per night for King, Queen, or Double Bed size rooms and \$99 per night for the suites. Some of the amenities that the Hampton Inn offer include an indoor swimming pool / jacuzzi, free hot breakfast, exercise room, and free wireless high-speed internet. Please reserve your room(s) before June 15th, 2010.

For Reservations, Contact:

Hampton Inn – Ringgold / Ft. Oglethorpe
Attn: Kylee Zulueta – Kylee.Zulueta@hilton.com
6875 Battlefield Parkway
Ringgold, GA 30736
(706) 935-4800
www.ringgoldftoglethorpe.hamptoninn.com

For all other lodging assistance, visit www.catoosarec.com/dizzydean/hotels.html for a complete listing of hotels in Catoosa County. Additional assistance, if needed, is available by calling or emailing: Adam Wilson @ *(706-891-4199)* or email Adam.Wilson@catoosa.com

ADMISSION during the World Series will be \$6.00 per person per day or \$24.00 for a tournament pass. For children (6-12) the charge will be \$4.00 or \$12.00 for a tournament pass. This charge will be administered to everyone except players and team coaches. A maximum of 4 coaches passes will be issued to each team.

PLAYER CREDENTIALS

All Teams must provide the following upon team check-in.

- 1) Proof of Birth
- 2) PROOF OF INSURANCE
- 3) Medical Release Form (Available thru Dizzy Dean National Directors)
- 4) Roster from State Tournament
- 5) Team Photo with all names written on the back of the photo
- 6) Scorebooks from the State Tournament
- 7) Your Yellow Team Roster
- 8) Your World Series Entry Form
- 9) State Flag or Team Banner for opening ceremonies "Parade of Teams"
(OPTIONAL)

NOTE: (Pre-Tournament Meetings)

Team credential check in will be at The Catoosa County Senior Citizen Center, 144 Catoosa Circle, Ringgold, GA 30736 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. Thursday July 15, 2010. Coaches may check in and complete their credentials check in at anytime between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. Team Rosters and player birth certificates will be verified at this time. Coaches Only. Coaches' tournament information packet with detailed information regarding the Opening Ceremonies, coaches' passes, etc. will be available and must be picked up prior to proceeding to your team credentials check in.

There will be a managers / coaches meeting at 2:00 PM on Thursday, July 15, 2010 at the Catoosa County Senior Citizen Center. Two representatives from each team will be permitted to attend this meeting. All teams will be required to have a representative in attendance. The official schedule for when teams play will be determined by a blind draw at this time. Coaches Only.

There will be a "Team Mom" meeting at 2:00 PM on Thursday, July 15, 2010 at the Catoosa County Senior Citizen Center. One representative from each team will be permitted to attend this meeting due to limited space. At this meeting, representatives from the Catoosa County Chamber of Commerce Tourism Committee will be in attendance as well as representatives from other area attractions to share information regarding "things to do" while your team is in our area.

A Team Meal will be served at 5:00 PM at the Catoosa County Colonnade at the Benton Place Campus located at 264 Catoosa Circle, Ringgold, GA 30736 followed by the opening ceremonies at 6:30 PM Thursday July 15, 2010 at the Northwest Georgia Bank Amphitheater (The free team meal will be served to Players and Coaches ONLY. Our concessions will be open for parents and supporters to purchase food). All teams are required to participate in the opening ceremonies and should be in full uniform. Tournament play will begin on the morning of July 16, 2010 at the Jack Mattox Recreation Complex in Ringgold, GA. See Rule 11:16 Dizzy Dean Rule Book regarding team participation in Opening Ceremonies.

There will be a gift exchange before the start of each team's FIRST GAME. Please be prepared with a small gift (i.e. pins, souvenirs, etc.) to exchange with each member of the opposing team.

NOTE: Pin Trading has become a tradition at World Series events. Players will have an opportunity to trade pins during the team social prior to the opening ceremony. Team pins are not mandatory, but certainly adds to the fun of this special event. We encourage each team to bring some small item to trade. Other examples other than team pins include contacting your local Chamber of Commerce for state/city pins.....contacting any Professional Sports team in your area for left over promotional items, etc.

SOUVENIR WORLD SERIES T-SHIRTS, GOLF TOWELS, TRADING PINS, PROGRAMS AND TOURNAMENT PASSES: You have the opportunity to pre-order these items. Visit www.catoosarec.com/dizzydean/souvenirs.html to avoid waiting in line. Your pre-ordered items will be available and waiting on you at the opening ceremonies on Thursday, July 15th, 2010. Orders must be received by Thursday, July 8th.

VERY IMPORTANT: WORLD SERIES SOUVENIR PROGRAM TEAM PHOTO / INFO FORM Must be received by Friday, July 2nd, 2010 to be included in the souvenir World Series program! Please email a team photo along with team names, numbers, and positions it at all possible to Adam.Wilson@catoosa.com

RELATED WEBSITE LINKS: www.catoosarec.com/dizzydean
www.catoosarec.com

Tournament Director:	Frank Seabolt	423-580-3067
Tournament Coordinators:	Adam Wilson	423-903-2123

A List of Local Hotels:

(Please Mention the Dizzy Dean World Series when reserving these Hotels)

2010 HOST HOTEL:

Hampton Inn – Ringgold / Fort Oglethorpe

Attn: Kylee Zulueta

6875 Battlefield Parkway

Ringgold, GA 30736

706-935-4800

King Bed, Queen Bed, Double Bed - \$79 / Per Night

Suites - \$99 / Per Night

www.RinggoldFtOglethorpe.HamptonInn.com

Super 8 Hotel

Attn: Dave Patel

2044 LaFayette Road

Fort Oglethorpe, GA 30742

706-861-1744

\$64.99 / Per Night

www.super8fortoglethorpe.com

Best Western

Attn: Danielle

2120 LaFayette Road

Fort Oglethorpe, GA 30742

706-866-0222

\$54.99 / Per Night

www.bestwestern.com

Holiday Inn Express

38 Vining Circle

Ringgold, GA 30736

706-965-6500

www.hiexpress.com

Hometown Inn

22 Gateway Business Park

Ringgold, GA 30736

706-937-7070

www.hometowninnringgold.com

Baymont Inn & Suites

177 Frontage Road

Ringgold, GA 30736

706-935-4000

www.baymontinns.com

Days Inn

5435 Alabama Hwy.

Ringgold, GA 30736

706-965-5730

www.daysinn.com

TEAM ORDER FORM:

* Teams may pre-order the items listed below until Thursday, July 8th. Orders will be picked up at Pre-Tournament check-in.

TEAM NAME:		
CONTACT PERSON:		
CONTACT EMAIL:		
CONTACT PHONE #:		

ORDER FORM:

ITEM	QTY.	PRICE	SUB-TOTAL
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TOURNAMENT SHIRTS

Dizzy Dean Child MED T-Shirt		@ \$15.00	
Dizzy Dean Child LARGE T-Shirt		@ \$15.00	
Dizzy Dean Adult SMALL T-Shirt		@ \$15.00	
Dizzy Dean Adult MED T-Shirt		@ \$15.00	
Dizzy Dean Adult LARGE T-Shirt		@ \$15.00	
Dizzy Dean Adult X LARGE T-Shirt		@ \$15.00	
Dizzy Dean 2X T-Shirt		@ \$15.00	

TOURNAMENT PASSES:

Dizzy Dean Adult Tournament Pass		@ \$24.00	
Dizzy Dean Child Tournament Pass (12-Under)		@ \$12.00	

SOUVENIR PINS and GOLF TOWELS:

Dizzy Dean Souvenir Pins		@ \$6.00	
Dizzy Dean Souvenir Golf Towels		@ \$8.00	

SOUVENIR PROGRAMS:

Dizzy Dean Souvenir Programs with Team Picture		@ \$5.00	
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Please make checks payable to: **Catoosa – 7 Year Old World Series**
 Mail completed form to: Catoosa County Recreation Dept. 749 Pine Grove Road - Ringgold, GA 30736
 Please contact Adam Wilson (706) 891-4199 or Adam.Wilson@catoosa.com if you have questions.

MAKE SURE YOUR TEAM IS INCLUDED IN THE OFFICIAL DIZZY
DEAN WORLD SERIES PROGRAM!!!

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION IS FRIDAY, JULY 2nd, 2010

SUBMIT YOUR TEAM PICTURE AS A JPEG ATTACHMENT TO:

ADAM.WILSON@CATOOSA.COM

PLEASE INCLUDE IN THE BODY OF THE EMAIL:

1. YOUR TEAM NAME
2. A CONTACT NAME and PHONE NUMBER
3. Player's names, numbers, & positions
4. Coach's names

NOTE: Names will be spelled as submitted so please proofread before you submit your picture. You may contact Adam Wilson with questions at 706-891-4199.