



**USABL Spring 2019 Playoff information, dates, and format for the following divisions:**

- **9U – 14U (AMERICAN divisions only)**
- Every team makes the playoffs. This is a single elimination event.
- Seeding will be posted the TUESDAY (5/28) morning before Round 1.
  - When teams finish with the same number of points we will use the tie breaking formula as outlined in the USABL rules (rule #24) to determine proper seeding.
- **You will have until the MONDAY (5/27) prior to Round 1 to play any makeup games in order for them to count toward your playoff seeding.**
- All players must have 5 games or 21 innings played to be eligible for the playoffs. No guest players will be allowed in the playoffs.
- If we are notified with enough notice that a team is not participating in playoffs, we will adjust the seeding accordingly.
- **All Saturday Playoff games MUST schedule a 2pm start or earlier. NO EXCEPTIONS.**
- Do not book a tournament on your playoff dates. There is no wiggle room to reschedule. **We cannot postpone playoff games for any reason other than weather.**
  - Please be prepared to play on Saturday (6/1) and Sunday (6/2).
  - If you cannot play on the scheduled playoff dates, we will respectfully have to move forward without your team.

**USABL World Series: All teams in American divisions 9U-14U are competing for a bid to play in the USABL World Series which takes place 6/21 & 6/22. By winning your division playoff championship, your team will earn a FREE bid to the WS.**

- **See here and below for formats:**
  - 6/7 Team Divisions: 6/2 (Sun), 6/8 (Sat), 6/9 (Sun)
  - 5/8 Team Divisions: 6/1 (Sat), 6/2 (Sun), 6/9 (Sun)
  - 9/10 Team divisions: 6/1 (Sat), 6/2 (Sun), 6/8 (Sat), 6/9 (Sun)

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## 9U – 14U AMERICAN Divisions

10 team playoff format:	9 team playoff format:	8 team playoff format:
<b>Round 1 (6/1):</b>	<b>Round 1 (6/1):</b>	<b>Round 1 (6/1):</b>
10 Seed @ 7 Seed (wildcard)	9 Seed @ 8 Seed (wildcard)	8 seed @ 1 seed
9 Seed @ 8 Seed (wildcard)	-	7 seed @ 2 seed
<b>Round 2 (6/2):</b>	<b>Round 2 (6/2):</b>	<b>Round 2 (6/2):</b>
Lowest @ 1 seed	Winner of 8 vs. 9 @ 1 seed	6 seed @ 3 seed
2nd Lowest @ 2 seed	5 seed @ 4 seed	5 seed @ 4 seed
6 seed @ 3 seed	6 seed @ 3 seed	<b>Round 2 (6/2):</b>
5 seed @ 4 seed	7 seed @ 2 seed	Lowest @ Highest Seed
<b>Round 3 (6/8):</b>	<b>Round 3 (6/8):</b>	<b>Championship (6/9):</b>
Lowest @ Highest Seed	Lowest @ Highest Seed	Lowest Seed @ Highest Seed
2nd Lowest @ 2nd Highest Seed	2nd Lowest @ 2nd Highest Seed	-
<b>Championship (6/9):</b>	<b>Championship (6/9):</b>	-
Lowest Seed @ Highest Seed	Lowest Seed @ Highest Seed	-

7 team playoff format:	6 team playoff format:	5 team playoff format:
<b>Round 1 (6/2):</b>	<b>Round 1 (6/2):</b>	<b>Round 1 (6/1):</b>
1 seed – BYE	1 seed – BYE	1 seed – BYE
7 seed @ 2 seed	2 seed – BYE	5 seed @ 4 seed (wildcard)
6 seed @ 3 seed	6 seed @ 3 seed	-
5 seed @ 4 seed	5 seed @ 4 seed	-
<b>Round 2 (6/8):</b>	<b>Round 2 (6/8):</b>	<b>Round 2 (6/2):</b>
Lowest Seed @ 1 Seed	Lowest seed @ 1 seed	Winner of 4 vs. 5 @ 1 seed
2nd Lowest seed @ 2nd Highest Seed	2nd Lowest seed @ 2 seed	3 seed @ 2 seed
<b>Championship (6/9):</b>	<b>Championship (6/9):</b>	<b>Championship (6/9):</b>
Lowest Seed @ Highest Seed	Lowest Seed @ Highest Seed	Lowest Seed @ Highest Seed