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Coaches Named for 2022 Oregon All-Star Series

Corvallis, Ore., Monday, June 6 – The Richardson Oregon All-Star Series announced its North and South coaches for this year’s two-game showcase set for June 18-19 at OSU’s Goss Stadium.

Leading the North will be head coaches Joe Monahan of West Linn and JJ Stolsig of Canby.

The South will be managed by skippers Scot McDonald of Crescent Valley and Jeff Stolsig of Lebanon.

This past Saturday, Crescent Valley topped its Mid-Willamette Conference rival Lebanon in the 5A state championship game.

The Richardson Oregon All-Star Series features the top senior baseball players in the 6A and 5A classifications in a two-game series at Goss Stadium in Corvallis. The longtime series is set for Saturday, June 18 and Sunday, June 19 with Saturday’s first pitch scheduled for 3 pm and Sunday’s at 11 am. Both games are 9-inning contests.

It will be a family affair at this year’s Oregon All-Star Series, as father and son Jeff Stolsig and JJ Stolsig will be pitted against each other. It’s a first for the series, a father and son coaching, since the event was moved to Corvallis in 2011. Dad will be representing the South and son, the North.

This will be Jeff’s third appearance as a coach in the Oregon All-Star Series. A graduate of Oregon State University, Jeff Stolsig led his Lebanon Warriors (23-5) to their first Mid-Willamette Conference title this spring, and the program’s first 5A state championship appearance. He has been the head coach at Lebanon for 32 years.

JJ Stolsig has been the head coach at Canby High School for 11 seasons. His Cougars went 11-7 in the ultra-competitive Three Rivers League and 19-12 overall. This is his first appearance in the 6A state title game and first time coaching in the Oregon All-Star Series. JJ played his college baseball at Linfield University and was the starting catcher for the 2004 NBC World Series champion Aloha Knights.

Joe Monahan of West Linn (24-7) will be coaching in his third Oregon All-Star Series, as he coached in 2015 and also coached in the 2013 Oregon All-Star Series representing Southridge. He’s been the Lions skipper since 2014 after spending one season as the head coach of Southridge High School and has led West Linn to three state title games (2015, 2017 and 2022).

Teaming up with Jeff Stolsig of Lebanon to coach the South is 5A state champion skipper Scot McDonald of Crescent Valley after a year of co-coaching with Ryan Starwalt in 2019. He led CV to its first state championship this past Saturday. McDonald, who played college baseball at Portland and Linfield, is also the 5A coordinator of the Oregon All-Star Series.

The 2022 Richardson Oregon All-Star Series North and South team rosters will be announced on Wednesday, June 8.

For more information, please visit: www.oregonallstarseries.com

ABOUT THE OREGON ALL-STAR SERIES

Oregon High School Baseball All-Star Series showcases the top senior players from the state's 5A and 6A classifications over a set of games held each third or fourth weekend in June. The All-Star Series thrived in The Dalles for decades (1971-2007) as the State-Metro Series and celebrated its 50th anniversary in its last year at Quinton Street Ball Park in The Dalles. Bend hosted the 5A Series in 2008 and 2009 while the 6A Series was held in McMinnville those same years before the two classifications combined to play a 5A/6A All-Star Series in McMinnville in 2010. The Oregon High School Baseball Coaches Association moved the series to Corvallis in 2011. Reser's Fine Foods was the title sponsor from 2011-2016; Daimler in 2017 and Freightliner Trucks from 2018-2019. For more info, visit: oregonallstarseries.com

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ABOUT GOSS STADIUM

Goss Stadium at Coleman Field is home to the three-time national champion Oregon State Beavers and seven-time West Coast League champion Corvallis Knights. Goss Stadium opened in 1999 and expanded in 2009 and 2015. The oldest continuous ballpark in the nation, the site of Oregon State University's first varsity team in 1907, features a state-of-the-art videoboard, FieldTurf, the Omaha Club Room, Casey Corner and the TnT Builders Party Deck at Banners. For more info on Goss Stadium, visit: osubeavers.com/facilities/goss-stadium-at-coleman-field/5

ABOUT THE CORVALLIS KNIGHTS

The Corvallis Knights are a member of the sixteen-team, wood-bat, summer collegiate West Coast League. The club is dedicated to accelerating prospect development, bettering its communities and delivering affordable family entertainment. The team plays June-August at Goss Stadium on the campus of Oregon State University. Established in 1990, the club relocated to Corvallis in 2007. The team features top collegiate players and a full slate of entertaining promotions. For more info on the Knights, visit: corvallisknights.com

ABOUT THE WEST COAST LEAGUE

The West Coast League, established in 2005, is the premier summer collegiate wood-bat league in western North America. Member clubs include the Bellingham Bells, Bend Elks, Corvallis Knights, Cowlitz Black Bears, Edmonton Riverhawks, Kamloops NorthPaws, Kelowna Falcons, Nanaimo NightOwls, Port Angeles Lefties, Portland Pickles, Ridgefield Raptors, Springfield Drifters, Victoria HarbourCats, Walla Walla Sweets, Wenatchee AppleSox and Yakima Valley Pippins. Teams feature top players from schools from major conferences like the Pac-10, Big West and WCC. For more info on the West Coast League, visit: westcoastleague.com

ABOUT CORVALLIS

Corvallis, Oregon, population 58,028, is in the heart of the Willamette Valley. Home to Oregon State University, it is the quintessential college town. Wide streets, sheltered by ancient trees, red brick or white masonry buildings and its location along the Willamette River make Corvallis a handsome city. Corvallis is close to the Coast Range and wildlife areas. The city is within 90 minutes of the beach, the Siuslaw National Forest and Portland. For more info on Corvallis, visit: visitcorvallis.com