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EnRico Heirman continues as 15 and Under CABA World Series Age Division National Director



Continental Amateur Baseball Association 2009 15 and Under CABA World Series
Held In Northern Illinois, July 24 - August 1, 2009
15 age Division CABA World Series Champions
East Cobb, Georgia Astros

Trey Benefield #4, Jack Berry #8, Justin Brown #15, Jacob Bruce #2, Blake Burkett #7, Jack Czeszewski #11, Mason Felt #16, Alex Gonzalez #44, Matt Gonzalez #14, Kendall Hawkins #3, Daniel Koger #32, Cole Miller #9, Austin Norell #25, Chase Scott #22, David Sosebee #10, Dansby Swanson #5, Jared Walsh #19, Hunter Webb #6,
Manager:Dennis Jordan,Coaches:JJ Thoma, John Miller

East Cobb wins 3rd consecutive 15U title

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WOODSTOCK – Before the Continental Amateur Baseball Association World Series started 10 days ago, East Cobb (G.A.) Astros coach Dennis Jordan issued a challenge to his team. The Astros emphatically answered Jordan’s challenge Sunday as East Cobb defeated LIDS Indiana Bulls, 19-0, at Emricson Park to win its third consecutive CABA 15U World Series championship and its fourth in five years.
“We came off the last few weeks in a very inconsistent mode and I told them before we left that they were not only representing this year’s team but the two previous years,” said Jordan, who was inducted into CABA’s Hall of Fame at this year’s opening ceremonies.
East Cobb put on a hitting showcase, scoring a tournament-high 19 runs on 19 hits. Astros hitters were aggressive early and jumped on Bulls starting pitcher Nicholas McCarty for three runs in the first inning. They batted around in the second, pushing five more runs across, and extended the lead to 15-0 after the fourth inning.
“That’s what has separated this team from a lot of the other team’s I’ve had, their quality at-bats,” Jordan said. “We talk about quality at-bats a lot and they don’t get themselves out very much.”
Astros starting pitcher Jared Walsh was dominant after a shaky start, striking out 12 and allowing only 2 hits in a complete-game shutout.
“It was just nerves in the first couple innings and then I just let it go,” said Walsh, who was named the Most Valuable Pitcher for the tournament. “Plus I had a nice lead so I didn’t have to worry about laying something over the plate and it getting hit hard.”
Sunday’s championship game was a far different story from Saturday’s Gold Bracket game between East Cobb and Indiana. The Astros, who trailed 3-1 early in Saturday’s contest, rallied for a 5-3 victory, and advanced to Sunday’s championship game.
Indiana beat NorCal Baseball Sunday morning to draw a rematch with East Cobb in the championship. “It’s not so much that we didn’t play well, [East Cobb] just came out and took it from us,” said Indiana Bulls manager Tony Cookerly. “In 60 games this year, we’ve never really been beaten, we’ve lost some

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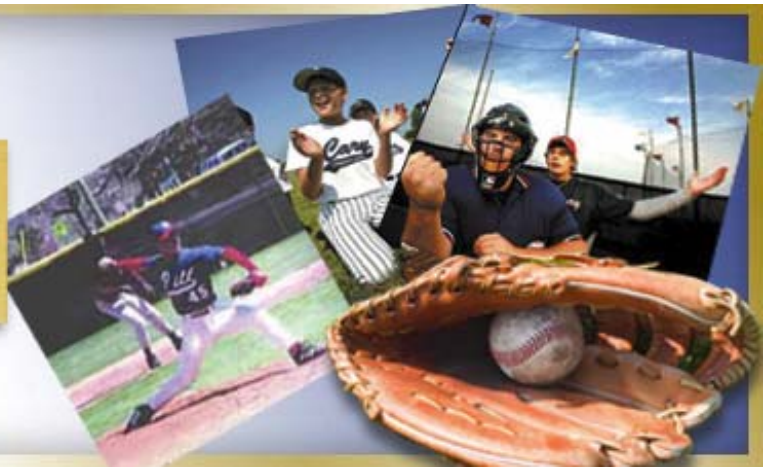
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Pool Play Standings

Team Name	From	Win	Lose	RAAvg	RSAvg
East Cobb Astros	Marietta, Georgia	5	0	0.60	14.39
Sparks National	Orland Park, Illinois	5	0	1.20	10.00
Connecticut Bombers	Hamden, Connecticut	5	0	1.60	6.40
Stars Baseball	North Royalton, Ohio	5	0	2.00	9.60
Easton Stealth	Orland Park, Illinois	4	1	2.79	5.40
NorCal Baseball	Manteca, California	4	1	4.00	9.00
Lids Indiana Bulls	Indianapolis, Indiana	4	1	4.59	9.60
NW Titans	Redmond, Washington	4	1	4.59	5.00
New England Ruffnecks	Boston, MA	4	1	6.00	7.19
Baden Baseball	Seattle, Washington	3	2	3.00	6.19
Naperville Renegades	Naperville, Illinois	3	2	3.59	4.80
McHenry County Hurricanes	Crystal Lake, Illinois	3	2	4.19	4.19
Gold Bracket Fox Valley Royals National	Yorkville, IL	3	2	4.59	7.19
Illinois Sparks	Orland Park, Illinois	3	2	5.00	4.80
Minnesota IceCats	Eagan, Minnesota	3	2	5.59	6.19
Puerto Rico Angels	Carolina, Puerto Rico	3	2	5.80	7.19
Indiana Mustangs	Westfield, Indiana	3	2	5.80	5.19
Seattle Select	Seattle, WA	3	2	6.19	8.19
Schaumburg Seminoles	Schaumburg, Illinois	2	3	4.80	4.40
New Trier Thunder	Winnetka, IL	2	3	6.00	3.59
CAUSE Baseball	Cincinnati (SWOL), Ohio	2	3	6.40	4.59
Summit City Sluggers	Ft Wayne, Indiana	2	3	6.59	3.00
Puerto Rico Bandits	San Juan, Puerto Rico	2	3	7.00	4.00
Huntley Red Raiders	Huntley, IL	2	3	8.39	4.80
Illinois Barons	Burr Ridge, IL	2	3	9.39	7.00
Fox Valley Royals American	Yorkville, IL	2	3	10.39	4.40
Indiana Playmakers	Schererville, Indiana	1	3	6.75	2.75
Seattle Stars	Mukilteo, WA	1	4	6.40	4.59
Elgin Rippers	Elgin, IL	1	4	6.80	4.80
Rockford Big Dogs	Rockford, IL	1	4	7.19	4.00
Great Lakes Bears	Chicago Heights, Illinois	1	4	7.40	5.19
Woodstock Lightning	Woodstock, Illinois	1	4	7.59	5.40
Silver Bracket Sparks American	Orland Park, Illinois	1	4	8.00	5.80
McHenry Cobras	McHenry, IL	1	4	10.39	3.00
Chicago White Sox ACE	Chicago, Illinois	1	4	11.19	8.00
Illinois Indians	Des Plaines, IL	0	5	8.19	3.59
Team Massachusetts	Framingham, MA	0	5	9.39	5.19

games, but that's the first time a team has come out and taken it to us like that."

Walsh retired 12 straight batters before David Olinger singled in the seventh inning. The Bulls loaded the bases with two outs, but Walsh induced a comebacker to the mound to complete the shutout. Drew Small had the only other hit from Indiana, a leadoff single in the first inning.

Matt Gonzalez and Cole Miller each hit solo home runs for the Astros.

Nine players from Sunday's championship were named to the CABA All-tournament team. Olinger, Small, McCarty and Drake Duncan were selected from Indiana while Jacob Bruce, Gonzalez, Chase Scott, Walsh and Miller represented East Cobb.

Miller was also named the tournament's Most Valuable Hitter, Most Valuable Player and was given the Sportsmanship award.

The CABA World Series marked the conclusion of each team's season and East Cobb finished the year with a record of 52-10.

"There are a lot of [NCAA Division 1] players here and a couple guys who have the opportunity to get drafted," Jordan said. "They are dedicated to what they want to do and I would pretty much say that most of these guys are going to be playing for a while."

Continental Amateur Baseball Association 15 and Under Age Division CABA World Series History

Year	Location	Champion	Runnerup
1984	Marion, Ohio	Fresno, California All Stars	Marion, Ohio All Stars
1985	Marion, Ohio	Cincinnati, Ohio Nuckols and Associates	La Mirada, California Rebels
1986	Fresno, California	Nevada, Ohio All Americans	St. Louis, Missouri Flames
1987	Fresno, California	St. Louis, Missouri Flames	Fresno, California All Stars
1988	Cedar Rapids, Iowa	Cincinnati, Ohio Morgenroth Insurance Agency	Caguas, Puerto Rico Senators
1989	Cedar Rapids, Iowa	Caguas, Puerto Rico Criollos Baseball Club	Honolulu, Hawaii Kamehameha Warriors
1990	Cedar Rapids, Iowa	Sacramento, California Solons	Baltimore, Maryland Yankee Rebels
1991	Cedar Rapids, Iowa	Monterey Park, California Angels	Brooklyn, New York Saint Francis Cabrini
1992	Dyersville, Iowa	St. Louis, Missouri Royales	Puerto Rico Tigers
1993	Crystal Lake, Illinois	Knoxville, Tennessee Smokies	Columbus, Ohio Cobras
1994	Crystal Lake, Illinois	Bellflower, California, Southern California Dodgers	Knoxville, Tennessee Stars
1995	Crystal Lake, Illinois	Cucamonga, California Dodgers	Brunswick, Ohio Main Street Muffins
1996	Crystal Lake, Illinois	Honolulu, Hawaii All Stars	Chrystal Lake, Illinois Travelers
1997	Crystal Lake, Illinois	Baltimore, Maryland Orioles	Pensacola, Florida Yankees
1998	Crystal Lake, Illinois	Bayamon, Puerto Rico	Honolulu, Hawaii
1999	Crystal Lake, Illinois	Issaquah, Washington Tigers	West Covina, California Red Sox
2000	Crystal Lake, Illinois	Orange County, California Dawgs	Denver, Colorado Game Face
2001	Crystal Lake, Illinois	Bayamon #1, Puerto Rico	Akron, Ohio
2002	Crystal Lake, Illinois	Dallas, Texas Tigers	Woodbury, Minnesota Panthers
2003	Crystal Lake, Illinois	Seattle, Washington Star	East Cobb, Georgia Hurricanes
2004	Crystal Lake, Illinois	Seattle, Washington Stars	Japan
2005	Crystal Lake, Illinois	East Cobb, Georgia Astros	Hamlin Park Astros
2006	Crystal Lake, Illinois	Team Indiana	DuPage Diamondbacks
2007	Crystal Lake, Illinois	East Cobb, Georgia Astros	JPRD East, LA
2008	Northern Illinois	East Cobb, Georgia Astros	Schaumburg, IL Seminoles
2009	Northern Illinois	East Cobb, Georgia Astros	Lids Indians Bulls
2010	Northern Illinois		

