

Scrap Iron News

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SPA Western Nationals

The Softball Players Association has completed their first Western and Eastern Nationals. The winners will compete at the SPA World Tournament in National Championship games.

While the team registration for the Western Nationals was disappointing, our club has seven teams planning on playing in Dalton and we didn't have to leave town to play our qualifier. This alone saved our members significant dollars in travel expenses. In addition, five of our seven teams going to Dalton qualified for the National Championship game. Having another championship to compete for will make the World Tournament an even better experience.

Fourteen teams including eleven Scrap Iron teams competed for titles at the Western Nationals. Scrap Iron swept the five titles. Our winners were 50 Moore Plumbing, 55 Rocky Mountain Thunder, 60 Diamonds, 70 Force, and 70 Legacy.

Ridge Hooks, SPA Executive Director, said he is dedicated to making the Western Nationals a major event over the next few years. We have a start and over time having two strong tournaments in Aurora will benefit our membership greatly.

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