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The fall has been a busy time for women's baseball with a variety of tournaments, a world series and the first World Cup event all being held in various places. Japan won the 4<sup>th</sup> World Series title by a score of 14-4. The United States won the Gold Medal in the World Cup. The New England BoSox beat out the Ocala Lightning this year to win the AAU National Championship by a score of 2-1. The North Shore Lady Spirit just returned from a exhibition tour in the Dominican Republic where they played four games and won them all. And these are just a few of the highlights. If you see articles on any of these games, team etc please send them to me. This is how we can record the history now, rather than later. Please send me any and all articles, programs, citations etc that you find. It will be better for me to receive the information four times than not at all. You can either mail the materials to me or attach them as e-mails or even fax an article to me at 330-494-6121. Thanks in advance for your continued help in preserving the history of women in baseball.

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**Encyclopedia Update:** Articles are being revised and the manuscript is slowly coming together. The project grows every day as I continue to hear from players and others, especially those involved today. We expect to have the manuscript to the publisher before the end of the year for a 2005 publication. There is still a short window of opportunity to get in touch with me if you are a ball player so your information

can be included. E-mail me at [Lheaphy@stark.kent.edu](mailto:Lheaphy@stark.kent.edu) ASAP.

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**Recent books, articles, websites and other projects. Thanks to the following people for sending material.**

Dick Clark, Jim Glennie, Larry Lester, Patsy Scott, Justine Siegel, Wayne Stivers,

(\*Denotes item available for a SASE, 1 stamp per 4 pages).

\*\*"Daisies, Blue Sox Ready for Exhibition Contest." 5/19/49 *Lima News*

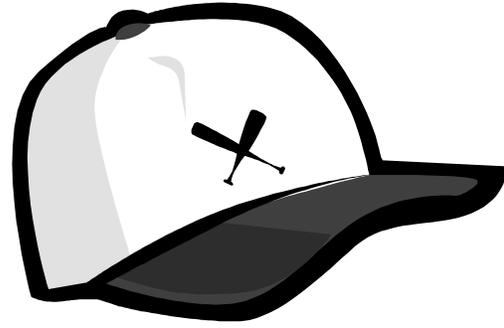
\*\* "Babe the Greatest" on Babe Didrikson

*All American Girls Professional Baseball League, 1943-54.* 1986, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

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this list. Send me your picks and I'll continue to add them in the next newsletter.



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Team USA winning Gold

I recently came across a video tape of the season opener for the San Jose Spitfires one year. Anyone aware of any other game videos like this that are available and should be acquired for preserving history?

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Please send correspondence, questions, suggestions, ideas to Leslie Heaphy for future newsletters. Our committee is only as active as you the members help to make it. Thanks for your help in keeping our list updated. Just a reminder that some of you have not paid your dues to SABR yet this year and should send that in if you also want to continue receiving other SABR publications.

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Thanks,  
Leslie and Claudia

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