

And that is a wrap on the 2023 Port Arthur Nationals Major season. This year the season included 8 teams playing 12 regular season games, followed by a quick playoff tournament.

By the end of the season the Young's Insurance Padres finished the regular season with a record of 9-1-2 to claim the regular season crown.

In the playoffs the A-side finals was a close game between the Young's Insurance Padres and the Fanti Pirates. During the game the Pirates jumped out to a quick 5-1 lead after the first inning. However, the Padres were able to chip away at the lead and after two innings were ahead 6-5. It was a lead they wouldn't relinquish. Thanks to some key hits and some great pitching the Padres were able to hold on for a 12-7 final and claim the 2023 Championship.



2023 Fantis Pirates and Youngs Insurance Padres

This year's team (pictured left) consisted of:

Zander Davis, Carter Lane, Imran Muhammed, Camden Cassie, Aidan Lane, Mason Mill, Ryder Lariviere-Armstrong, Nathaniel Anderson, Emerson Todish, Cash Comeau, and Christopher Broughton. Missing are Owen Janhunnen and Rylan Kine-Hymers.

For the first time, the Port Arthur Nationals included a B-side playoff as well. In a game between The Boys & Girls Club and Daniar's Dingers it came down to a walk off hit to give the hard fought win to the Boys & Girls Club. Congratulations to both teams.

Boys & Girls Club pictured below are

Back row - Coaches: Darryl Robertson, Jon Moore, Dave Olenik

Middle row - Kolton Wakefield, Liam Figliomeni, Rowan Moran, Jack Palmer, Elliot Olenik

Front row - Austin Erickson, Malcolm Wilson, Kaiden Koscielniak, Rylan Moore, Cameron Olsen

Missing: Ethan McKay, Thomas and James Graham



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