

Tommy Vitolo swings away during a recent game while catcher Jesse Washington and umpire Larry Wolfe look on.

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FARMERS INSURANCE OFF TO 8-0 START By Larry Wolfe

At press time the Farmers Insurance team, managed by Gary Hillabolt and sponsored by the Frank Margiotta Agency, were off to an 8-0 start in our Fall League. That was good enough for a three-game lead over the Real Estate Rustlers, managed and sponsored by Jim Leckner. Roger Wisslead and John Whitman were the early batting leaders, both slugging at over an .800 clip. Check out our website (www.sunlakessoftball.com) for up-to-date standings and other information.

Our Lady Sluggers team will begin practice soon. League play begins in January. They play other area teams in the Valley of the Sun League. See the Ladies Page on our website for more information.

We've had six banner advertising renewals in the past month. Special thanks go out to long-time sponsor Sun Devil Auto, which has been a loyal supporter of our program since 2000. Also, many thanks to Debbie Wiltse's State Farm Insurance Agency (a sponsor since 2007), Fleming's Steakhouse, Bob & Sandy Thompson Revelation Real Estate and the Buckeye Boys (all three sponsors since 2010) and DC Steakhouse in Downtown Chandler (a sponsor since 2013). See the Sponsors Page on our website for links to the websites of all of our supporters and to see how you can advertise your business or organization at the Field of Dreams. Remember to SOS...Support Our Sponsors!