

# Play WIFFLE Ball!

*Regional tournament  
played in Morenci*



**SPECIAL DELIVERY**—National Wiffle League Association commissioner Chris Gallaway arrived by helicopter Friday after flying from Washington D.C., to Detroit.



**SETTING UP**—National Wiffle League Association field commander Alex Filides (kneeling) measures to determine placement of the strike board, held by league commissioner Chris Gallaway. Tournament administrator Craig Fifer (red hat) unwinds an electrical cord.



**NICE SWING**—Brad Pike takes a swing during a game Friday night. The strike board, rimmed in yellow, takes the place of a catcher. If the ball hits the board, a strike is called.



**FIELDERS**—Daiton Lemmon prepares to catch a fly ball while teammate Hunter Borton watches. Wiffleball rules call for only four fielders, including the pitcher.



**DON'T LOSE IT**—Jodi Kruse tries to catch a pop fly for an out in a game played Friday at Wakefield Park.

Photos by David Green



**GOOD GAME**—Members of two local teams shake hands at the end of the contest. The Friday night games were slow-pitch wiffleball.



**THE MAIN EVENT**—After local teams gave wiffleball a try Friday night, the regional tournament got underway Saturday morning.



**VIP**—Morenci mayor Jeff Bell was on hand Saturday to toss the ceremonial opening pitch at the start of the tournament.

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