

## STITCH N' PITCH™ - *The Perfect Double Play!*

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**K**nitting and baseball?! Crocheting and a catcher's mitt? Yep! Thousands of fans are going to the ballpark to knit, crochet, embroider, cross-stitch and needlepoint, sit together with friends, family and colleagues.

The National NeedleArts Association (TNNA) is proud to announce a new program – STITCH N' PITCH! Building on the success at the Seattle Mariners event last year with more than 1,600 knitters in attendance, the STITCH N' PITCH event has been structured into a formal program. Partnering with indi-

vidual major league baseball clubs, TNNA is helping to bring two American traditions together – Baseball and the NeedleArts.

Currently, the needlearts industry is a billion dollar business. Since 2000, the industry has grown over 30 percent and has captured the attention of major celebrities, politicians, sport figures, fashion designers, musicians, and more. This industry is bigger than just a hobby or a trend. There are television shows, websites, and blogs dedicated to promoting the needlearts industry.

This season 12 Major League baseball teams will hold STITCH N'

PITCH™ events across the country.

Go to [www.StitchNPitch.com](http://www.StitchNPitch.com) for the latest schedule, information, and updates. □

### Stitch N' Pitch 2006 Schedule:

July 13 Minnesota Twins  
July 20 San Francisco Giants  
July 25 Seattle Mariners  
July 29 Colorado Rockies  
July 30 Texas Rangers  
August 10 Los Angeles Dodgers  
August 13 Pittsburgh Pirates  
September 9 Tampa Bay Devil Rays  
September 9 Arizona Diamondbacks  
September 13 Cleveland Indians  
September 17 Atlanta Braves