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SJCC rips St. Paul in DH; Ross splits a split twin-bill

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FREMONT -- St. Joseph Central Catholic claimed a doubleheader from Norwalk St. Paul 16-6 and 17-9 on Saturday at the SJCC Sports Complex.

The Crimson Streaks' offense pounded out 33 runs and 25 hits, while Travis Walker and Jeff Mapus earned relief pitching victories as SJCC improved to 8-2 overall.

"Jeff Mapus has really stepped on the mound and at the plate," SJCC coach Kevin Yeckley said. "This was a doubleheader during which we got contributions from nearly everyone."

Garrett Walker had four hits (two in each game).

Austin Hilty went 3-for-3 with three RBI in Game 1, while Mapus, Nate Long, Travis Walker and Aaron Swint collected two hits apiece. Zach Gabel added two RBI.

In Game 2, Adam Snider was 3-for-3 with four RBI for SJCC, which recieved two hits and two RBI from Gabel and a three-run home run from Alex Macielewicz.

Crimson Streaks' right fielder Mark Kwiatkowski will miss the rest of the season after suffering a broken collarbone while fielding a fly ball during the first inning of Game 1. He had been batting .467 and leading SJCC in every offensive category.

"It's a huge loss for us not only because Mark is a talented baseball player, but also because he's a great kid," Yeckley said. "He has been off to a great start at the plate and we were counting on him to do some pitching."

DEFIANCE 5, FREMONT ROSS 4 FREMONT ROSS 14, TIFFIN COLUMBIAN 2

FREMONT -- A split doubleheader for Fremont Ross produced a split decision for the Little Giants at Alumni Fields on Saturday.

Defiance led 4-1 after two innings and 5-2 after four frames before Ross's two-run fifth-inning rally fell short.

Brad Woleslagel hit a home run and drove in two runs for the Little Giants, who received two hits from Derek Aldrich. Cameron Hord suffered the ptching loss after allowing five runs on five hits in four innings.

The Little Giants, who improved to 4-5 overall after drubbing Tiffin Columbian, led 10-1 after three innings.

Allen Lewis earned the pitching win by working five innings, allowing two runs on two hits with seven strikeouts.

Derek Waggoner and Josh Mendoza led Ross's 16-hit attack with three hits each. Aldrich, T.J. Harkness and Jake Hiestand chipped in two hits apiece. Wolesslagel knocked in three runs and hit a double.

OAK HARBOR 7-6, DANBURY 3-7

Alex Bores allowed one earned run while striking out one and walking two in seven innings as Oak Harbor's baseball team beat Danbury 7-3 in Game 1 of a doubleheader.

The Rockets' Phil O'Shea and Anthony Lattimore scored two runs apiece while D.J. Everett doubled and drove in two. Dillon Stiger doubled and drove in a run while Lattimore homered.

Danbury's Troy Hammersmith was 2-for-3 while Jake Burns doubled and drove in a run.

The Lakers scored two runs in the bottom of the fourth to cap the scoring in a 7-6 victory in Game 2. Justin Chapman allowed no runs in two innings to take the victory while Michael Hamann earned a save on the mound.

Hamann was 4-for-4 with three doubles and an RBI, Hammersmith had two hits, including a double and drove in one, and Burns added three RBI. Chris Doski doubled.

Greg Diefenthaler scored two runs while Ryan Grof and Stiger each drove in two for Oak Harbor. O'Shea, Grof and Alex Pavlica each had two hits.

EDISON 13, CLYDE 3

CLYDE -- Drew Frazier, Ben Danhoff and Zach Stanley had one hit each as Clyde dropped an Sandusky Bay Conference makeup game against Edison.

The Chargers built a 6-0 lead against Fliers' starting pitcher Frazier, who took the loss.

GIBSONBURG 9-13, VANLUE 5-3

GIBSONBURG -- Pat Cantrell went 3-for-4 as Gibsonburg won the first game of a twin-bill against Vanlue.

In Game 2, Nick Baker was 3-for-5 with a pair of home runs and five RBI as the Golden Bears swept the Wildcats.

HOPEWELL-LOUDON 4-12, LAKOTA 0-2

BASCOM -- Hopewell-Loudon took a doubleheader from Lakota with a shutout win and a 10-run rule victory.

In Game 1, Jake Stoudinger had the Raiders only hit as Lakota committed three errors in the loss.

In Game 2, Josh Dennis went 1-for-3 and hit a solo home run for the Raiders, who received one hit each from Josh Miles and Brent Racheter.

