

DeMouth homer powers WW-P North

BASEBALL

PLAINSBORO — Ryan DeMouth's solo home run in the sixth gave the West Windsor-Plainboro North High baseball team the lead as it hung on for a 5-3 win over Princeton yesterday.

Scott Kelly finished 3-for-4, including an RBI single in the sixth to drive in an insurance run for the Knights. John Sullivan contributed a two-run home run, and Kyle Reed scattered four hits, struck out 11 and walked five for the Knights. Eric Hoffman hit a two-run single in the fourth when Princeton scored three runs to tie the game at 3-3.

Princeton (3-10).....000 300 0-3 4 0
 WW-P North (9-2).....300 002 x-5 8 0

2B — (P) Gonzalez, (W) Voltmer, Kelly.
 HR — (W) (W) DeMouth, Sullivan.
 WP — Reed (5-0). LP — Haring (0-1).

Hunterdon Central 17, Phillipsburg 4

PHILLIPSBURG — Josh Akse was 2-for-3 with a solo home run and three runs scored, and Dillon

Tagle went 3-for-3 with three runs scored and three RBIs for Hunterdon Central. Nick Codis went 2-for-2 with a home run and two RBIs, and Tim Balsbaugh singled and scored for Phillipsburg.

Hunterdon Central (10-0) 347 30-17 14 0
 Phillipsburg (7-3).....110 11- 4 4 0

2B — (H) Tagle, Thompson, Ake, HR — (H) Howard, Ake, (P) N. Codis.
 WP — Hammer. LP — Brousseau (1-1).

Steinert 3, Cherokee 1

HAMILTON — Marc Moerri finished 3-for-3 and drove in a run to back winning pitcher Kyle Paul for Steinert. Paul allowed five hits, struck out three and walked one in 5½ innings for the Spartans.

Cherokee (6-3).....000 001 0-1
 Steinert (14-1).....020 001 x-3

Ewing 11, WW-P South 6

WEST WINDSOR — Nick Giffelli, Mark Metcalf and Carl Delmonico drove in two runs apiece to lead the way for Ewing. Cifelli finished 2-for-3 and scored three times to back starter Kevin Dearden, who allowed four hits, struck out seven and walked two for the

Blue Devils. Dan Block went 2-for-3 with an RBI for West Windsor-Plainboro South.

Ewing (8-3).....005 041 1-11 10 0
 WW-P South (6-5).....100 203 0- 6 7 0

2B — (E) Kondor 2, Keith Dearden, Cifelli, (W) O. Male.
 WP — Kevin Dearden (3-0). LP — E. Smith (1-2).

Bound Brook 12, S. Hunterdon 6

BOUND BROOK — Anthony Palmieri drove in three runs, and Matt Smith knocked in two for Bound Brook. Mike Schiferstein picked up the victory, striking out nine and walking six in five innings.

S. Hunterdon (0-5).....010 040 1- 6
 Bound Brook (10-5).....401 124 x-12

2B — (B) J. Schiferstein, Doerr.
 WP — M. Schiferstein (3-1).

Immaculata 12, Montgomery 2

MONTGOMERY — Starting pitcher Evan DeLuca belted two home runs, driving in three, and first baseman Mike Amabile connected for two solo homers in powering Immaculata. DeLuca pitched four innings to win it, striking out six and surrendering three hits in four innings. Second baseman

Henry Knabe was 4-for-5 with two RBIs for Immaculata. Mike Friel was 2-for-3 with an RBI and a run scored for Montgomery.

The two teams meet again Saturday in the quarterfinals of the Somerset County Tournament at HealthQuest Park.

Immaculata (6-1).....312 312-12 14 0
 Montgomery (8-6).....000 110- 2 5 0
 2B — (M) Friel 2, HR — (I) DeLuca 2, Amabile 2, Sforza
 WP — DeLuca. LP — Zazzu.

Robbinsville 13, Trenton 3

TRENTON — A.J. Auletta and Ryan Casey drove in three runs apiece to support winning pitcher Sam Burum for Robbinsville. Casey finished with two doubles and a triple, and Auletta went 2-for-3. Burum scattered eight hits, struck out four and walked one for the Ravens. Carlos DeJesus and Claudio Espinal each drove in a run for Trenton.

Robbinsville (6-7).....204 43-13 14 0
 Trenton (2-9).....201 00- 3 8 0

2B — (R) Casey 2, (T) J. Garcia. 3B — (R) Strano, Casey.
 WP — S. Burum (1-0). LP — J. Garcia (0-3).

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