



PRESS-REGISTER

PREP ROUNDUP: Daphne, Fairhope, Spanish Fort roll to wins in Alabama-Oklahoma Challenge

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Staff reports Daphne swept a pair of games in the Campus Closet Alabama-Oklahoma Challenge on Tuesday, edging Booker T. Washington 3-2 in the opener and Fort Gibson 6-5 in the nightcap.

Brandon Peterson (3-0) struck out six and scattered eight hits in Game 1. Eric Britian had two hits, including a double, and an RBI and Russ Mosley added a solo homer.

Mosley (3-0) took the mound in the second game and struck out nine in a complete-game seven-hitter. Mason Hutchins and Peterson each had two hits and two RBIs for the Trojans (15-4, 2-1 6A Area 4), who play Pryor at 6 p.m. today in Fairhope.

--FAIRHOPE CLAIMS PAIR: Fairhope banged out a pair of wins in the Campus Closet Alabama-Oklahoma Challenge, beating Claremore 6-2 and Booker T. Washington 14-4 in six innings.

In the opener, Daryl Norris (5-0) got the win in relief. He pitched 3 innings, allowing just two hits and a walk and striking out five. He also had three hits to pace the offense. Evan East had two doubles and two RBIs for the Pirates (15-4).

In the second game, East was the winning pitcher in relief. He didn't allow a hit in 2 innings of relief in improving to 2-0. Garret Pitts had a homer, double and three RBIs for Fairhope and Adam Williams had a three-run homer. The Pirates continue in the tournament at 3 p.m. today against Fort Gibson.

--SPANISH FORT WINS TWO: Spanish Fort came from behind twice to win two games in the Campus Closet Alabama-Oklahoma Challenge in Fairhope.

In the opener, the Toros scored on an error in the bottom of the seventh to defeat Fort Gibson 2-1. Jay Myrick got the win in relief of Wes Runnells, who went six innings and gave up three hits and struck out four. Runnells got out of a bases-loaded jam in the sixth, while Myrick got out of a bases-loaded jam in the seventh. Zac Fowler went 2-for-3.

In the second game, Spanish Fort beat Pryor 7-6. Runnells, who went 2-for-4, scored the winning run on Logan Rogers' single in the bottom of the seventh. Rogers extended his hitting streak to 15 games. Aaron Burdick (2-1) came on in the fifth to get the win in relief. Spanish Fort (10-6) continues action in the tournament against Claremore at 6 p.m. today.

--BAKER 8, MARY MONTGOMERY 4: Brooks Bobinger (1-0) struck out three and scattered seven hits over six innings, Phillip McDuffie had three RBIs, including a solo homer, and Alex Summers added two hits and two RBIs to lead Baker past visiting Mary Montgomery.

Paul Hattenstein contributed a two-run double and Jacob Knowles chipped in two hits for the Hornets (10-7), who host Daphne for a doubleheader beginning at 11 a.m. Saturday.

Dustin Evans had two hits, including a two-run double, to pace Mary Montgomery.

--T.R. MILLER 15, ESCAMBIA COUNTY 4: Visiting T.R. Miller got a five-RBI performance from Sam Sharpe, who also scored a run. Jarrett Robinson hit a three-run homer and scored three runs, and Grant DeFrancisco and Wes Dickey had two RBIs apiece. Rob Knowles allowed only one hit in two innings and did not surrender a run to pick up the win for T.R. Miller (4-5), which hosts a doubleheader against Cottage Hill Christian at 4:30 p.m. on Thursday.

--BRYANT 13, DAVIDSON 2 (5): Tyler Mills pitched 4 innings and allowed only three hits as visiting Bryant won a 6A Area 1 game. Austin Trehern went 3-for-4 with three RBIs, Logan Kirkland scored three runs and had two RBIs and Colton Stringfellow added another RBI for Bryant (12-3, 2-1). The Hurricanes host Satsuma in a doubleheader at 4 p.m. Thursday.

--SATSUMA 5, THEODORE 4: At Wright Park, Chris Williams (1-0) got the win, allowing two runs on six hits. He struck out four. Jared Brannon had a triple with two RBIs and scored a run, while Bryant Howell and Jacob Noble went 2-for-3. Howell added an RBI for Satsuma (8-8), which plays at Bryant in a doubleheader at 4 p.m. on Thursday. Jeremy Coffee was the losing pitcher for Theodore, allowing two runs on six hits. D.J. Turo and Matt Jackson went 2-for-3.

-- COTTAGE HILL 9, CHOCTAW COUNTY 2: Michael Mason connected on a two-run homer and a double and finished with five RBIs in a road win. Trey Cockrell added two doubles, a triple and two RBIs. Andrew Johnson (2-1) threw four-hit ball over five innings, striking out six, for the win. Cottage Hill (7-12, 1-0 in 3A Area 1) plays a doubleheader at T.R. Miller at 4:30 p.m. on Thursday.

-- MURPHY 6, MCGILL-TOOLEN 2: Christian Harwood pitched 6 innings and also had a key hit as Murphy improved to 10-7 with a win at McGill. Harwood (4-1) allowed two runs on four hits and struck out three. Jarrod Reed got the final two batters on strikeouts with men on second and third. Josh McCarron took the loss for McGill. The Panthers used a five-run fourth inning to take control. Mark McLean had a two-run double in the inning and Harwood had a two-run single. McLean was 2-for-2 with two doubles. Murphy hosts UMS-Wright in a doubleheader at 1 p.m. Saturday.

-- NORTHVIEW 16, CENTRAL CHRISTIAN 4: Alex Abbott allowed two hits in 2 innings with two walks and one strikeout, and Dabney Langhorne had three hits to lead visiting Northview. Matt Harrison and Dale Bryant each had two hits for Central Christian (7-4), which travels to Gateway Academy at 4 p.m. Monday.

-- LEROY 14, MONROE COUNTY 1: Freshman Joseph Alday threw a two-hitter for the state's top-ranked 2A team against the 5A visitors. Alday (3-0) gave up one unearned run while striking out eight and walking two in the five-inning game. A.J. Snow highlighted the Bears' six-run first inning by slugging a grand slam. Phillip Ervin also homered, Clifton Covington collected a two-run triple and Clint Moseley had three hits for Leroy. The Bears (14-1) host Washington County at 4 p.m. Friday.

-- BAYSIDE 7, EXCEL 2: Cameron Reehl, Joby Allen, Max Dearing, Justin Raines and Will Sanders had two hits each to lead the Admirals at home. Cole Welch led Excel with an RBI double. Raines picked up the win for Bayside (12-4), which travels to Choctaw County for a doubleheader at 4 p.m. on Friday.

--BALDWIN COUNTY 2, TRINITY 1: Jansen Boeschen struck out 11 and allowed two hits over 6 innings and added an RBI to lead Baldwin County past Trinity in the Baldwin County High School Spring Classic in Bay Minette.

Lee Bush drove in the other run for Baldwin County with a sacrifice fly and also had a double for the Tigers (10-5, 3-0 6A Area 4), who play Talladega Central at 4 p.m. today and Friendship Christian at 7 p.m.

SOFTBALL

-- SATSUMA 2, DAPHNE 1: Courtney Singley's two-run single in the bottom of the sixth inning lifted the Gators to a 6A Area 4 victory. Singley also doubled in the game. Hannah Campbell (8-2) gave up an unearned run in the first inning before shutting out the Trojans in the final six innings. She struck out 12 without issuing a walk. Satsuma (17-4, 2-0) plays Gulf Shores at 7 p.m. Thursday in Orange Beach.

--FAIRHOPE 6, FOLEY 1: Farish Beard (9-3) struck out 12 in a complete-game two-hitter. Brook Lenniex went 3-for-3 with an RBI and Jaleesa Knight added two hits and an RBI for Fairhope. The Pirates (16-5-1) host Baldwin County at 7 p.m. Thursday.

--BAKER 9, DAVIDSON 2: Tabitha Harper (5-2) struck out seven and allowed six hits in six innings. The Honeybees got back-to-back two-run doubles from Ashley Middleton and Jessica Rogers in the third inning to sting visiting Davidson.

Joanna Calhoun had three hits, including two doubles, and Ariel Wharton added an RBI double for Baker (6-7, 2-1 6A, Area 1), which hosts UMS-Wright at 6 p.m. today.

Davidson was paced by Kristina Duhon with two hits, including a double, and Whitney McGuire with two hits. The Warriors (1-6) visit Cottage Hill Christian at 4 p.m. today.

--THEODORE 11, BRYANT 5: Kristian Mangham scattered eight hits and struck out three and added two hits and three RBIs to lead Theodore past visiting Bryant. Emily Jackson added three hits and four RBIs and Lauren Barnhill three hits and three RBIs for the Bobcats (12-6, 3-0 6A, Area 1), who host Baker at 6 p.m. Tuesday.

-- CITRONELLE 15, LEFLORE 0 (4): Mallory Lindy (1-0) pitched a four-inning no-hitter, striking out eight and walking five in the Wildcats' first 5A Area 2 victory of the season. Katlin Rutland had three hits and three RBIs, Jodie Conner counted a homer among her two hits and Miesha Austin and Kristy Turner also had two hits for Citronelle. The Wildcats (3-5, 1-1) host the Citronelle Spring Classic on Saturday, with McGill-Toolen and Davidson visiting. The tournament starts with Citronelle playing McGill-Toolen at 9 a.m.

-- BALDWIN COUNTY 7, MCGILL-TOOLEN 1: The Tigers opened their 6A Area 4 schedule with a victory behind Candace Guy's pitching. Guy (11-5) struck out nine, walked one and yielded six hits in pitching a complete game. Rachel Wood had two hits and two runs, and Jimeshiga Bennett and Britney Adams had two hits and an RBI apiece for Baldwin County. The Tigers (15-7) visit Fairhope at 7 p.m. Thursday.

-- CLARKE PREP 2, MONROE ACADEMY 0: Kiley Dunagan (6-3) struck out 18 en route to a one-hit shutout. Andrea Bagley and Whitney Gavin each had two hits for Clarke Prep (9-4), which plays Morgan Academy at 4 p.m. on Friday in Selma.

-- UMS-WRIGHT 9, JACKSON 1: Jessica Boykin (3-5) scattered three hits over seven innings with seven strikeouts, and Jordan Hastie had two hits to lead UMS-Wright (5-9, 2-0 4A Area 1), which visits Baker at 6 p.m. today.

-- MARENGO 15-11, ESCAMBIA 0-1: Michelle Pritchett and Jessica Brock both dominated on the mound as the Panthers cruised to a sweep. Pritchett struck out 11 and gave up one hit in the opener, while Brock struck out 10 and surrendered four hits. Destiny Huckabee had a three-run home run and Abbey Huckabee drove in two in the opener. In the second game, Chelsea Etheridge had a three-run home run and Pritchett was 4-for-4. Marengo (14-0) plays Meadowview in Linden on Friday.

--MOBILE CHRISTIAN 1, EXCEL 0: Tori Young scored on Stephani Lee's sacrifice fly in the sixth inning for the deciding run. Lee pitched a complete game, striking out five and allowing three hits in Mobile Christian's 2A Area 1 win. Mobile Christian (7-8, 2-0) hosts Mary G. Montgomery at 4 p.m. on Thursday.

SOCCER

-- FAIRHOPE 1, DAPHNE 0 (BOYS): Kyle Sherrin scored on a 30-yard direct kick that bounced off the hands of the goal keeper with 4:33 left in the first half as Fairhope took a 6A Section 2 win over visiting Daphne at W.C. Majors Field. The Pirates (12-1-2 overall, 5-0 section) visit Foley at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, while the Trojans (8-5-1, 4-1) host USJ, Tenn., at 7:30 p.m. on Friday.

--BAKER 3, THEODORE 0 (BOYS): Wes Bailey, West Dickens and Kalen Kenny each scored a goal while Blake Covington and Cliff Conrad combined for the Hornets' fifth shutout at Theodore. Baker (9-2-1) hosts Davidson at 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

--FOLEY 2, ROBERTSDALE 0 (BOYS): Trey Smith and Roberto Guerrero scored second-half goals and Keldon Simkins got the shutout in net for the Lions (13-1, 4-1 6A Section 2), who host Fairhope at 7:30 p.m. Thursday. Robertsdale (10-3, 3-3) hosts Satsuma at 7 p.m. Thursday.

--DAVIDSON 2, MURPHY 1 (BOYS): Davidson rallied from a 1-0 halftime deficit. Atem Kout scored for

Murphy in the first half, but Hung Vu responded with two goals for the Warriors in the second half. Matt Bowen assisted on the tying goal. Davidson (5-5) will play at Baker at 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

--ASMS 3, CITRONELLE 1 (BOYS): Will Durant clinched the win with a late penalty kick for Alabama School of Math and Science. Ryan Taylor and Will Lentjes also scored. ASMS (5-0) will play at Theodore at 7:30 p.m. next Tuesday.

--ST. PAUL'S 12, VIGOR 2 (BOYS): Eleven different players scored for host St. Paul's in 5A Section 1 play. Joe Goodwin scored two goals for the Saints (12-1-1, 5-0), who travel to play at Enterprise at 6:30 p.m. Friday. Sherman Fritz scored both goals for Vigor.

--MGM 2, BRYANT 1 (BOYS): John Hancock and Rane Blanco scored in MGM's win. The Vikings host Baldwin County on Thursday night.

--FAIRHOPE 1, DAPHNE 0 (GIRLS): Kendall Haywood scored off a rebound with 11:20 remaining in the opening half as Fairhope won a 6A Section 2 contest over visiting Daphne at W.C. Majors Field. On Friday, the Pirates (7-5 overall, 4-1 section) visit Foley at 5 p.m., while the Trojans (9-4-1, 4-1) host St. Paul's at 5:30 p.m.

--FOLEY 1, ROBERTSDALE (GIRLS): Stephanie Metz scored a second-half goal and Raven Davis recorded a shutout in net for the Lions (6-5, 3-2 6A Section 2), who host Fairhope at 5:30 p.m. Friday. Robertsdale (9-7, 3-3) hosts Satsuma at 5:30 p.m. Thursday.

--BAKER 11, THEODORE 1 (GIRLS): Mallory Kreis scored three goals as Baker improved to 11-1-1 overall. Kathleen Killibrew, Shelby Sullivan and Stephanie Weller all had two goals for the Hornets, who host Davidson at 5:30 p.m. Thursday. Michelle Brumfield scored Theodore's only goal.

--ASMS 3, CITRONELLE 1 (GIRLS): Kate Bradley scored two goals and Summer Carter had the other as Alabama School of Math and Science improved to 3-0-2. ASMS will play Bayside Academy at 5:30 p.m. Friday at Sage Park.

--MARY MONTGOMERY 5, BRYANT 0 (GIRLS): Rebecca Uzel scored three goals and Courtney Lavender added the other two as MGM defeated Baker. The Vikings (8-3-1, 6-0) host Baldwin County at 5:30 p.m. Thursday.

--St. PAUL'S 11, VIGOR 1 (GIRLS): Katherine Metzger had three goals to lead the Saints to a Class 5A Section 1 victory at home. Tori Ball and Lindsay Landry added two goals for St. Paul's (7-2, 4-0), which plays at Daphne at 5 p.m. on Friday.

--MCGILL-TOOLEN 5, SATSUMA 0 (GIRLS): Courtney Harlan scored three goals and Paloma Perez had two as McGill improved its record to 7-3-1, 5-1 in 6A Area 2 play. Kerri Gonzales recorded her eighth shutout in goal. The Yellow Jackets host UMS-Wright at 5 p.m. today.

--SPANISH FORT 2, BAYSIDE 1 (GIRLS): Alicia Linder and Elissa Vandewaa scored in Spanish Fort's win. Elisabeth Davis recorded Bayside's only goal. The Toros (6-3) play at Baldwin County at 5:30 p.m. Monday.

TENNIS

--THEODORE 7, DAVIDSON 2 (BOYS): Josh Lewis, Ryan Lewis, Nathan Griffin, Jacob Rainwater and Craig Ivey won in singles and Ryan Lewis-Griffin and Rainwater-William Tew won in doubles for the Bobcats. Jacob Bolin won in singles and teamed with Grant Ramsay to win in doubles for Davidson. Theodore (5-1) hosts Bryant at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday.

--BAYSIDE ACADEMY 7, MCGILL-TOOLEN 2 (BOYS): Singles winners for Bayside were Alexander Dyas, Camp Campbell, Greg Dahlke and Zach McCall. Jed Dyas and Jake Spaulding were singles winners for McGill. Doubles winners were Dyas-Campbell, Bryant Adams-Dahlke and McCall-Collin Wilkins for Bayside (4-1), which takes on St. Paul's at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Copeland-Cox Tennis Center.

--DAVIDSON 7, THEODORE 2 (GIRLS): Deanna Powell, Grace Bolin, Sophia Choi and Katrina Hedgeman

won in singles and Powell-Shala McShan, Bolin-Choi and Hedgeman-Suranjana Day swept doubles in the Warriors' road win. Singles victories by Rebecca Lathem and Ashley Dunnam accounted for the Bobcats' points. Theodore (2-5) hosts McGill-Toolen at 3:30 p.m. Thursday.

GOLF

--WASHINGTON CO. 174, CITRONELLE 190, MARY G. MONTGOMERY 191, JACKSON 221 (BOYS): Drew Taylor was the medalist for Washington County with a 40. Washington County plays Citronelle, Bryant and LeFlore at Gulf Pines Park at 3 p.m. Tuesday.

-- MCGILL-TOOLEN 156, GULF SHORES 165, DAPHNE 178 (BOYS): David Roveda, Luke Miller and Bernard Zieman all shot 38 to give the Yellow Jackets the win at TimberCreek. Daphne and Gulf Shores face Foley and Fairhope today at Peninsula at 3 p.m.

-- FAITH ACADEMY 154, THEODORE 165, MUPRHY 171, UMS-WRIGHT 176, DAVIDSON 192 (GIRLS): Faith's Elena Hall shot a 42 to take medalist honors at Gulf Pines. Faith, McGill-Toolen, Bryant, Murphy and Davidson play at Gulf Pines on Thursday.

-- FAIRHOPE 159, ROBERTSDALE 192 (GIRLS): The Pirates stayed undefeated by beating the Golden Bears at Soldiers Creek. Fairhope's Sarah Litteken was the medalist with a 46. Fairhope (9-0) plays Spanish Fort on Monday at TimberCreek.

-- SATSUMA 152, BAKER 163, DAVIDSON 191, BLOUNT 281 (BOYS): Chase Blan shot a 35 to lead the Gators to a win at Silver King. Satsuma (6-6) faces Theodore and Mary Montgomery on Monday at 3 p.m. at Mill Creek.

-- PREP STATS NEEDED

The Press-Register requests that all baseball, softball and soccer coaches submit statistics weekly.

Statistics — including individual leaders and a team record — can be submitted by fax to 251-219-5797 or via e-mail to jbean@press-register.com or sports@press-register.com. Please submit weekly stats by today at noon, which will allow a list of leaders in each category to be compiled for publication later this week.

A brief letter and stat sheet about the statistics request was faxed to each of our local high schools earlier this week. Coaches may use the stat sheet sent to each school or simply submit one compiled by the school.

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