

Varsity Softball Roundup

Ten-run fifth keys Lamar rout; Lady Jays edge Columbus

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Lamar Consolidated pounded Terry pitching for 12 hits and a 10-run fifth that produced a 16-2 rout Tuesday at Lady Mustang Softball Field.

The Lady Mustangs led 6-2 before catching fire in the fifth. During that surge, six runs came across with two out.

Leading the Lamar attack were Marissa Thome (2-for-3), and Bel Ramos (2-for-4, 3 RBIs) with four runs scored apiece. Adding two hits were Annalise Romo (4 RBIs) and Megan Elledge (3 RBIs), while Morgan Hein doubled in two runs.

Winning pitcher Elyssa Alvarado allowed two hits, striking out four and walking two for Lamar, now 2-1 and in a

three-way tie for second in the District 24-4A race.

Needville 2, Columbus 0 (8)

COLUMBUS — Needville (6-1) struck for two runs in the eighth to break up a sterling pitcher's duel and gain the District 24-3A win over Columbus (4-3).

For seven innings, Needville's Cally Falls (16-2) and Columbus hurler Elise Huskey went toe to toe, each allowing just one hit. Falls fanned seven and wound up with a two-hitter.

In the eighth, Cierra Wieghat reached on an error and Jenny Stack singled her to third. Brandy Huskey came on to pitch and Courtney Cox's grounder to the left of second got Wieghat home.

A wild pitch plated Stack with the final run.

With two out in the bottom of the

eighth, Elise Huskey tripled down the right-field line, but was thrown out at the plate by shortstop Shelby Parham, who fielded a grounder on her knees and threw to Cox at home to tag out Huskey.

Austin 2, Dulles 0

SUGAR LAND — Austin scored twice in the first and pitcher Charly Dement tossed a two-hitter, leading the Lady Bulldogs past Dulles.

Austin had just five hits off losing pitcher Kayla Hafer, but took advantage of two errors to take the lead early.

Shaw reached on an error and an error on Dement's grounder to third put runners on the corners. Jessaca Spears' sacrifice fly got Shaw home and Morgan Hawkins doubled in Dement.

Brazos 15, Yes Prep 0

WALLIS — Brazos benefited from

nine Yes Prep errors and nine hits of its own to rout the visitors Tuesday.

The Cougarettes got four in the first, three in the second and eight in the third to end the game early.

Leading hitters were Victoria Morris (2-for-3) and Lauren Webber (2-for-3), while solo hits were added by Christina Fischer, Shelby Sulak, Jamie Horelica, Hannah Emmons, Brittany Fischer.

Morris struck out six and did not allow a hit over three innings.

Travis 15, Marshall 0

Travis used 16 walks and four hits to easily take out Marshall in a District 23-5A contest.

Kaitlyn Jones delivered two doubles for the Lady Tigers, while winning pitcher Maryssa Silva allowed two hits and struck out five.