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Hillsboro hits and had five strikeouts and two walks.

The final Volcano run was a leadoff homer to left by Freed in the top of the sixth off Sam Lewis.

Bryan Menendez pitched the next two innings for Hillsboro, and Eduardo Herrera pitched the ninth, getting his fourth save. Israel Cruz pitched the final inning for the Volcanoes, striking out three.

Canario had four of the Volcanoes' hits, matching the total number for the Hops. Freed also added three hits in the loss.

The attendance was 3,565.

Wednesday, July 31: Volcanoes 10, Tri-City 0

Alexander Canario and Kervin Castro led the way to this rout of the visitors from Pasco.

Canario had three hits, including a solo home run in the fourth inning, as well as two RBIs and two runs scored. Castro, the starting pitcher, went six innings, striking out four and allowing two hits and no walks for his fourth win against two losses.

The Volcanoes scored four of their runs in the first inning. Tyler Fitzgerald singled Canario home, Ricardo Labour and a double by Jeff Houghtby scored Fitzgerald

Angel Acevedo, the Dust Devils' starter, took the loss for a 1-4 record.

Thursday, Aug. 1: Tri-City 15, Volcanoes 4

The Dust Devils must have been fed up with losing, because they made sure this last game of the series would deny the Volcanoes a sweep.

Tri-City jumped out to a 9-0 lead before the Volcanoes could push one across the Dust Devils finished with 18 hits on the night and also took advantage of four Salem-Keizer errors.

The Volcanoes got all of their runs in the fourth inning. Harrison Freed hit a solo home run, Logan Wyatt drove in Tyler Fitzgerald with a single. Then, a single by Jeff Houghtby scored Wyatt and Armani Smith.

The Dust Devils also had a homer, a solo shot by Tre Carter in the fourth.

Dominic DiSabatino was the winning pitcher in relief with a 2-0 record. The losing pitcher was starter Trevor Horn, whose record went to 2-3 after giving up seven earned runs in three innings.

Aug. Friday, Hillsboro 7, Volcanoes 2

The Hops got five runs in the bottom of the first and never looked back in their series-opening win against the Volcanoes.

Tristin English led the Genoves singled to drive in Hillsboro attack with three RBIs. He had two hits, as did David Garza and Dan-

iel Wasinger. Salem-Keizer scored in the second inning when Kwan Adkins singled Jeff Houghtby home and in the sixth when Beicker Mendoza scored Houghby with a double.

Volcano starter Jesus Ozoria lasted only 1.2 innings and took the loss with his record going to 4-3. Wilfry Cruz was the winning pitcher in relief for a 3-2 record.

Aug, Sunday, Hillsboro 7, Volcanoes 2

Seven turned out to be the Hops' lucky number in this sweep of Salem-Keizer. It was Hillsboro's score for each of the three games.

The Hops took charge in the first inning with three runs. Ricky Martinez scored as Jesus Marriaga hit into a force out. Andy Yerzy doubled to score David Garza and Marriaga. In the second, Nick Grande scored as Garza grounded out.

The first Volcano run came in the sixth. Hunter Bishop scored on an RBI-groundout by Armani Smith. Hillsboro answered with two runs in the bottom of the sixth. Grande grounded out, scoring Daniel Wasinger. Kevin Lachance scored on an error.

In the Volcano eighth, Logan Wyatt singled Sean Roby home.

Deyni Olivero was the winning pitcher in relief with a 7-1 record. Travis Perry started and lost for the Volcanoes; his record went





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TOP ROW (From L to R): Tyson Smith, Kaidon Miller, Logan Hendrickson, JJ Dunn, Pierce Walker. BOTTOM ROW: Carson Pletcher, Carson Smith, J.P. Herring, Zeke Wellard. NOT PICTURED: Grayson Maskal

Kaidon Miller, Pierce Walker, Logan Hendrickson, Tyson Smith, JJ Dunn, Carson Smith, Grayson Maskal, Zeke Wellard, Carson Pletcher and J.P Herring were recognized as this year's sportsmanship award winners for McNary Youth Baseball.

Each winner was selected for having a pos-

itive attitude, a great work ethic and setting an example for their teammates. They have also proven to be coachable and are committed to growing their talent as a player.

The winners were also honored at the Salem- Keizer Volcanoes baseball game on Monday, July 29.

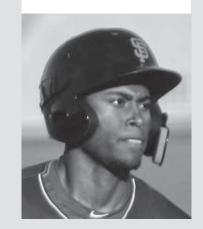


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ALEXANDER CANARIO **OF, Salem-Keizer Volcanoes**

Canario went 4-for-5 with a homer and three RBIs in the Volcanoes 7-6 loss to the Hillsboro Hops on Sunday, Aug. 4.

Before being promoted to Salem-Keizer, he played 10 games in the Arizona Instructional League, batting ,395 and hitting seven home

With the Volcanoes, Canario is hitting .291 with five homers and 26 RBIs.

