

SENIOR SERIES:

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Hillmick started both games in the circle and pitched six total innings. She got the win in Game 2 and was named MVP of series by the coaches and tournament director. She allowed just one earned run and five hits total on the day. She struck out six batters.

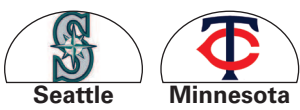
At the plate she was 2 for 4 and drove in two runs, scored once and stole three bases.

Peal caught eight innings behind the plate while also getting a double and single the plate. She went 2 for 5 and nearly had another big hit, but the ball was caught at the fence with a basket catch by the center fielder.

MLB

Twins set record, crush M's

By JON KRAWCZYNSKI
Associated Press



MINNEAPOLIS — Eddie Rosario hit three home runs and drove in five runs and the Minnesota Twins set a franchise record with 28 hits while batting around in two different innings of a 20-7 victory over the Seattle Mariners on Tuesday night.

Max Kepler and Brian Dozier also went deep, Eduardo Escobar had five hits and two RBIs and Jason Castro had four hits and four RBIs for the Twins, who are in first place in the AL Central despite an AL-worst 13-19 record at Target Field.

The 28 hits are the most in a game since the Rangers had 29 in a 30-3 win over the Orioles on Aug. 22, 2007.

Christian Bergman (3-4) gave up nine runs and 10 hits in 2 1-3 innings for the Mariners. Jarrod Dyson had a homer, a double and an RBI. Ben Gamel had two doubles and an RBI.

With slugger Miguel Sano getting a night off, the Twins batted around in a seven-run third inning and a seven-run seventh to snap a five-game home skid.

The Twins strung together eight straight hits in the third inning, including back-to-back homers by Rosario and Dozier, to bust the game wide open.

Rosario's second two-run shot of the game came off of the first pitch from reliever Casey Lawrence, and Dozier followed with a solo shot for an 11-3 lead.

Rosario's final blast of the night came in the eighth inning off backup catcher Carlos Ruiz.

Kyle Gibson (4-4) wobbled through six innings, giving up six runs and 12 hits and striking out four.

UP NEXT
Mariners: RHP Sam Gaviglio (2-1, 2.79) takes the mound on Wednesday for Game 3 of the four-game series.

Twins: RHP Ervin Santana (8-3, 2.20) will take the mound for the Twins, fresh off his majors-leading third shutout of the season, a 4-0 win over the Giants on June 9.

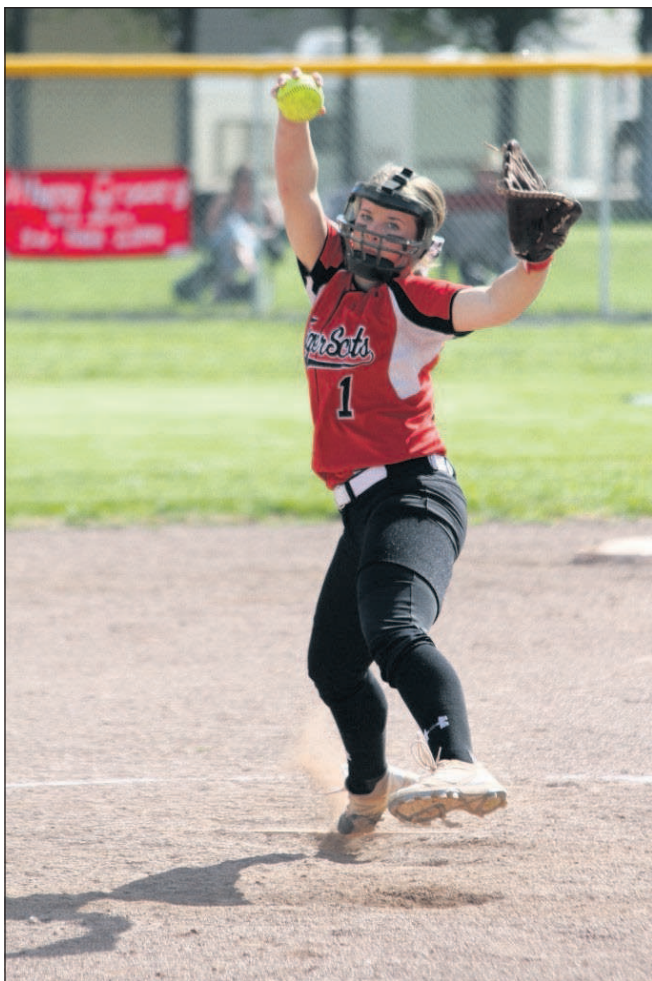
ALL-STATE: Hillmick, Thieme make first team

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Catchers
Samantha Thompson, jr., Eagle Point
Zoe Munn, jr., Hood River Valley
Infield
Tyler Creach, sr., Putnam
Kalan McGlothlin, jr., Pendleton
Montessah Frost, sr., Bend
Bailey Sundberg, jr., Churchill
Outfield
Lauren Decker, so., Hood River Valley
Makayla Christensen, sr., Thurston
Jori Kerr, sr., Central
Haley Williamson, sr., Ridgeview
Utility/Designated Player
Brooklyn Sheer, sr., St. Helens
Natalie Hill, so., Ridgeview

Third Team
Pitchers
Kayla Berg, jr., Mountain View
Alex Molloy, sr., Silverton
Catchers
Mercedes Massey, sr., St. Helens
Kate Lieberenz, sr., Ridgeview
Infield
Gillian Willis, jr., Eagle Point
Allie Dolbin, sr., Thurston
Kiriahna Edeline, so., La Salle
Olivia Nelson, sr., Dallas
Outfield
Kaia Fierstos, sr., Redmond
Kathryn Bradford, so., The Dalles
Mikayla Schweinsberg, jr., Rex Putnam
Zoe Richman, jr., Hillsboro
Utility/Designated Player
Aspen Garton, so., Pendleton

Honorable Mention
Pitchers
Payton Goodrich, jr., Hillsboro
Audrey Nelson, so., Bend
Catcher
Olivia Acker, jr., South Albany
Infield
Alexi Brehaut, jr., Pendleton
Katie Sinclair, so., Corvallis
Grace Voltin, jr., Silverton
Madison Leighton, sr., Mountain View
Katie Salka, sr., Ridgeview
Sydney Nash, jr., Central
Outfield
Kassidy Noon, so., Central
Emily McCollum, sr., Crater
Lauren Isak, sr., Wilsonville



Staff photo by Eric Singer

Weston-McEwen pitcher Bailey Hillmick readies to fire a pitch towards home plate during the 3A Special District 1 championship game against Irigon in Athena. Hillmick struck out eight batters in a complete game victory and was a first-team all-state selection for the TigerScots.

Bailey Hillmick, sr., Weston-McEwen/Helix
Haley Schimmel, sr., Rainier
Eric Skelton, sr., Pleasant Hill
Catchers
Kami Gray, sr., Rainier
Landree Miethe, sr., Warrenton
Brianna Zveygardt, jr., Grant Union
Infield
Jadyn Crape, sr., Rainier
Kylee Hill, sr., Dayton
Allison Michel, jr., Glide
Hannah Mizuta, sr., Vale
Aspen Norman, jr., Rainier
Ashton Phillips, jr., Scio
Malina Ray, jr., Dayton
Brooke Young, jr., Scio
Outfield
Rheanna McDaniel, jr., Scio
Kasidee Parazzo, so., Scio

Patty O'Leary, sr., Amity
McKenzie Thompson, sr., Harrisburg
Infield
Cassie Aguilar, jr., Jefferson
Nora Mikolas, sr., Scio
Sage Miller, sr., Clatskanie
Mariah Moulton, jr., Grant Union
Madison Plew, jr., Enterprise/Joseph/Wallawa
Kalina Rojas, jr., Dayton
Outfield
Shelby Marshall, sr., Colton
Lexi Mulvany, sr., Vale
Sarah Smith, sr., Rogue River
Utility
Tori Johnson, sr., Portland Adventist
Jordyn Lambert, so., Weston-McEwen/Helix
Shayla Pendergraft, sr., Amity

2A/1A BASEBALL

PILOT ROCK

Three Pilot Rock Rockets comprised the list of All-State selections for local 2A/1A baseball programs when the state's coaches announced their picks.

Junior Levi Thieme was named to the first team as an outfielder, senior Braydon Postma was named to the second team as a utility player, and junior Chris Weinke was an honorable mention in the outfield.

Four members of the Sherman/Arlington co-op were named to an All-State team, but all of them were

from the Sherman half of the roster.

Player of the Year was Dufur senior Kolbe Bales, and Don Heuberger of Regis was Coach of the Year.

2A/1A Baseball 2017 All-State Teams

Player of the Year — Kolbe Bales, sr., Dufur
Coach of the Year — Don Heuberger, Regis

First Team
Pitchers
Dale Takalo, jr., Knappa
Kolbe Bales, sr., Dufur
Wayde Doane, sr., Reedsport
Catchers
Jack Suing, sr., Kennedy
Mason Crowson, so., Monroe
First Base
Brycen Shumacher, sr., Regis
Infield
Javon Logan, sr., Regis
Joe Hixenbaugh, sr., Reedsport
Jason Miller, sr., Knappa
Bailey Keever, sr., Dufur
Outfield
Reuben Cruz, jr., Knappa
Levi Thieme, jr., Pilot Rock
Andrew Harrington, jr., Oakland
Justin Herberger, so., St. Paul
Utility
Justin Doyle, sr., Monroe
Designated Hitter
Brett Traeger, sr., Kennedy

Second Team
Pitchers
Dallas McGill, fr., Reedsport
Tyson Horning, sr., Monroe
Trevor Thissell, sr., Waldport
Sean Winn, jr., Oakland
Catchers
Kaleb Miller, jr., Knappa
Gavin Everett, jr., Vernonia
First Base
Cameron Benzel, jr., Oakland
Kyle Fields, sr., Sherman/Arlington
Infield
Mason Hoover, jr., Knappa
JP Redfield, jr., Oakland
Brandon Piette, jr., Regis
Jacob Luther, so., Umpqua Valley
Christian
Outfield
Nick Glover, so., Reedsport
Jacob Justesen, jr., Sherman/Arlington
Trent Warden, jr., Monroe
Eli Takalo, fr., Knappa
Utility
Braydon Postma, sr., Pilot Rock
Designated Hitter
Cole Strober, jr., Nestucca

Third Team
Pitchers
Aron Buechley, so., Umpqua Valley
Christian
Mike Goodman, sr., Knappa
Waylon Moore, sr., Lost River
Jayce Ellis, sr., North Douglas
Catchers
Griffin Lavigne, so., Reedsport
Charlie Ludegrave, jr., Oakridge
Hayden Staub, sr., Hosanna Christian
First Base
Brett Elliot, sr., Vernonia
Infield
Brandon Freitag, fr., Bandon
Kyto Anderson, sr., Oakland
Brandon Mulliken, jr., Vernonia
Outfield
Treve Martin, jr., Sherman/Arlington
Mav Winslow, sr., Sherman/Arlington
Gage Reeves, sr., Umpqua Valley
Christian
Utility
Bryce Piette, sr., Regis
Kyle Otis, sr., Toledo
Designated Hitter
Garrett Williams, sr., Monroe

Honorable Mention
Pitchers
None
Catchers
Colton Walsh, sr., Waldport
Bradley Moe, jr., Sherman/Arlington
First Base
CJ Gale, fr., Umpqua Valley Christian
Infield
None
Outfield
Caleb Parks, so., North Douglas
Campbell Smith, jr., St. Paul
Chris Weinke, jr., Pilot Rock
Matt Yachor, sr., St. Paul
Chatt Yachor, jr., Bandon
Colton Weirup, jr., Knappa
Brandon Seuser-Smith, so., Gold Beach
Utility
Mitchell Richwine, fr., Nestucca
Designated Hitter
Kolby Mahoney, so., Umpqua Valley
Christian

BEAVERS:

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season 33-0 and ended the regular season and Southwest Conference Tournament schedule 53-4. But those were in the days when teams regularly played lower-division outfits. Among Texas' opponents that season were Midwestern, Texas Lutheran, Lubbock Christian, Hardin-Simmons and Emporia State. The Longhorns lost twice at the College World Series and finished with a 59-6 record.

The Beavers played only Division I for this season. "It's a tribute to our guys, coming every day ready to play," OSU coach Pat Casey says. "That's very difficult to do. Scholarship limitations dictate parity. You don't play any non-Division I games anymore. It's truly impressive these guys can sustain focus and this level of play from Feb. 17 to June 10."

Oregon State goes to Omaha with a 54-4 record, best in the 116-year history of the program. The Beavers have gone 5-0 in the postseason, rolling over the opposition by an aggregate score of 43-9. It's been the most dominant OSU team ever in the postseason, by a lot.

Included in that were a pair of Super Regional victories over Vanderbilt, a storied program that won the national championship in 2014 and finished as runner-up in 2015.

"After playing (the Beavers) twice, I have a pretty good understanding of what they've done," Vanderbilt coach Tim Corbin says. "To go through a schedule like that and a regional and a Super Regional, they're very deserving of being in Omaha. When we won (in 2014), I wouldn't have said in the regional that we were a national championship team. Our energy came together and we played well."

"What they've done ... doesn't happen all the time. They're putting up number that are tough to come by. It's fascinating to watch."

Corbin sounds as if he thinks the Beavers are the team to beat in Omaha.

"They just keep coming," he says. "They're very motivated right now. The makeup of their team is very good. They have a lot of parts. They're tough to stop."

Some of the motivation comes from the slight of last season, when Oregon State was left out of the NCAA tournament despite a 35-19 record and a third-place finish in the Pac-12.

"Our guys have been on a mission," Casey says. "I told the guys before the season, 'You want to remember your Mom? Men on a Mission — that's what MOM stands for.' Our mission was to get to Omaha. It wasn't to show the NCAA anything. But the guys had a passion to work. They've showed it every day since the end of last season."

Casey credits co-captains Nick Madrigal and Drew Rasmussen as team leaders, and says it extends even beyond that. "The leadership within that locker room is phenomenal," the OSU coach says. "Some guys are quiet; some guys are more vocal. Drew took that pitching staff under his wing when he couldn't throw (through the early season) and said, 'We're going to do it right.' And they have."

Madrigal was the Pac-12 Player of the Year and Defensive Player of the Year. Luke Heimlich was Pac-12 Pitcher of the Year, owning the nation's best ERA. And there was help all around from the deepest group of position players Casey has employed in his 23 years at the helm.

"To have a freshman catcher like Adley Rutschman and a center fielder like Steven Kwan ... look at the jump Cadyn Grenier has made," Casey says. "It's a statement to what our guys believe in. You don't need to have a bunch of at-bats for me to put you in a game. Just be ready to go. I trust every one of you."

"There's no ego on this team. Nick could probably play shortstop on any team in the country. The only reason he's playing second base is because Cadyn has never played second. Nick is doing what is best for the team. So are all of our guys."

Casey has used nearly every position player on his active roster in the postseason.

"This team is selfless," he says. "They don't care who plays. They don't care where they hit in the order. I trust all the players. I don't know if we've ever had as many players capable of helping us. We used the same lineup every day with the '06 team."

The Beavers will go to Omaha without the services of Heimlich, removed from the team before the Super Regional after OregonLive's revelation last Thursday that he was convicted of sexual abuse of a minor when he was 15 years old.

"People may think now we don't need Luke, who is one of the best pitchers in the country," Casey says. "The Super Regional was two games. There are a tremendous amount of games to play back there in Omaha."

But Casey's projected starting rotation looks much better after the come-through performance of Bryce Fehmel in last Saturday's deciding win over Vanderbilt. Pitching coach Nate Yeskie will have junior Jake Thompson (14-0), Fehmel (5-2) and sophomore Rasmussen (3-0) at his disposal in Omaha.

Rasmussen, who came back after March 2016 Tommy John elbow surgery late this season, struggled in a regional game against Yale from a hematoma to his pitching arm after taking a line drive in a game against Abilene Christian. Rasmussen has now recovered.

"We were going to roll him out there if we needed him (during the Super Regional)," Yeskie says. "He's ready to go."

Casey thinks the Beavers are, too. He likes his team's chances at spacious TD Ameritrade Park.

"All eight teams have a chance to win it," he says. "We're one of the eight. I guarantee you one thing. There are a lot of people who think we should win it because of our record. But you have to play your hand right."

"You have to know what you're doing with your personnel. The things you have to do to win in that ballpark — defend, pitch well and minimize extra bases — we do pretty well."

There is one thing left for this Oregon State team to accomplish. What's already in the books, though, has made this a season for the ages.

RODEO: Ketscher wins at Sisters

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Pederson was the only other Timberwolf competing in Tuesday's performance.

The women's team was 14th in points (60) and the men were 43rd (20) after two full rounds.

The CNFR will continue with performances each night with the championship round on Saturday at Casper Events Center.

Sisters PRCA Rodeo

SISTERS — Jordan Ketscher of Squaw Valley, California took home the All-Around Cowboy buckle at the Sisters Rodeo on Sunday, June 11.

Ketscher was the only man to win money in two events, and took home \$1,213 in tie-down roping and team roping.

Jordan Wacey Spears of Redding, California left town with the largest boost to his season earnings with a check for \$4,755 after winning the bull riding with a score of 86 in the fourth performance to bump Jordan Hansen's 85.5 from the top spot.

Tie-down roper Westyn Hughes set a new arena record in the second performance with his time of 7.6 seconds, but didn't make the money in the aggregate. The old record was 7.8 set in 1997 by Blair Burk and tied last year by Matt Shiozawa.

Other winners were: Shane Hanchey of Sulphur, Louisiana in tie-down, 17.9 seconds on two, \$4,455; Justin Miller of Billings, Montana in bareback, 83.5 on one, \$4,300; Olin Hannum of Malad, Idaho and Trevor Knowles of Mount Vernon in steer wrestling, 9.2 on two, \$3,762 and \$3,980; Taos Muncy of Corona, New Mexico in saddle bronc, 82.5 on one, \$4,342; Brooks Dahozy of Window Rock, Arizona, and Jason Duby of Klamath Falls in team roping, 12.7 on two, \$2,963 each; Jane Melby of Burneyville, Oklahoma, 17.39 on one, \$4,088.

Trent Jacobson of Irwin, Idaho won the Xtreme Bulls competition with 158.5 on two. He was the only rider to top a bull in the finals, and scored 85.5 to go from outside the money to first. He took home a check for \$4,704.

Correction

In the article titled 'He's one of a kind' in Tuesday's edition, former Pendleton baseball head coach Greg Whitten's first name was incorrectly printed as 'Mark.' It has been fixed in the online edition of the story.

Baseball

MLB
AMERICAN LEAGUE
Tuesday's Games
Tampa Bay 5, Toronto 1
Arizona 7, Detroit 6
L.A. Dodgers 7, Cleveland 5
Miami 8, Oakland 1
Chicago White Sox 6, Baltimore 1
Minnesota 20, Seattle 7
Boston 4, Philadelphia 3, 12 innings
Texas 4, Houston 2
N.Y. Yankees at L.A. Angels, late finish
Kansas City at San Francisco, late finish
Wednesday's Games
Oakland (Gossett 0-0) at Miami (Volquez 3-7), 9:10 a.m.
Kansas City (Hammel 2-6) at San Francisco (Cuto 5-5), 12:45 p.m.
Boston (Johnson 2-0) at Philadelphia (Hellickson 5-4), 4:05 p.m.
Tampa Bay (Odorizzi 4-3) at Toronto (Liriano 3-2), 4:07 p.m.
Arizona (Walker 4-3) at Detroit (Fulmer 6-4), 4:10 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers (McCarthy 5-3) at Cleveland (Kluber 5-2), 4:10 p.m.
Baltimore (Bundy 6-5) at Chicago White Sox (Gonzalez 4-7), 5:10 p.m.
Seattle (Gaviglio 2-1) at Minnesota (Santana 8-3), 5:10 p.m.
Texas (Cashner 3-5) at Houston (Martes 0-0), 5:10 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees (Pineda 7-3) at L.A. Angels (Shoemaker 6-3), 7:07 p.m.
NATIONAL LEAGUE
Tuesday's Games
St. Louis 6, Milwaukee 0, 1st game
Washington 10, Atlanta 5

SCOREBOARD

Pittsburgh 5, Colorado 2
Arizona 7, Detroit 6
L.A. Dodgers 7, Cleveland 5
Miami 8, Oakland 1
Chicago Cubs 14, N.Y. Mets 3
Boston 4, Philadelphia 3, 12 innings
Milwaukee 8, St. Louis 5
Cincinnati at San Diego, late finish
Kansas City at San Francisco, late finish
Wednesday's Games
Oakland (Gossett 0-0) at Miami (Volquez 3-7), 12:10 p.m.
Cincinnati (Garrett 3-5) at San Diego (Chacin 5-5), 3:40 p.m.
Kansas City (Hammel 2-6) at San Francisco (Cuto 5-5), 3:45 p.m.
Atlanta (Teheran 5-4) at Washington (Roark 6-3), 4:05 p.m.
Boston (Johnson 2-0) at Philadelphia (Hellickson 5-4), 7:05 p.m.
Colorado (Marquez 4-3) at Pittsburgh (Kuhl 1-5), 7:05 p.m.
Arizona (Walker 4-3) at Detroit (Fulmer 6-4), 7:10 p.m.
Chicago Cubs (Montgomery 0-3) at N.Y. Mets (Harvey 4-3), 7:10 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers (McCarthy 5-3) at Cleveland (Kluber 5-2), 7:10 p.m.
Milwaukee (Garza 2-2) at St. Louis (Leake 5-5), 8:15 p.m.
MLB First-Year Player Draft
Seattle Mariners Day 2 Selections
(Pick number in parenthesis)
Rd. 3 (93) — Wyatt Mills, RHP, Gonzaga
Rd. 4 (123) — Seth Elledge, RHP, Dallas Baptist
Rd. 5 (152) — David Banuelos, C, Long Beach St.
Rd. 6 (183) — Oliver Jaskie, LHP, Michigan
Rd. 7 (213) — Max Roberts, LHP, Wabash Valley College
Rd. 8 (243) — Billy Cooke, CF, Coastal Carolina
Rd. 9 (273) — Jorge Benitez, LHP, Leadership Christian Academy (HS)
Rd. 10 (303) — Randy Bell, RHP, University of South Alabama
Regional Draft Picks
Rd. 3 (84) — KJ Harrison, 1B/C, Oregon State (Milwaukee Brewers)
Rd. 3 (95) — Joey Morgan, C, Washington/Sisters HS (Detroit Tigers)
Rd. 4 (131) — Jake Thompson, RHP, Oregon State (Boston Red Sox)
Rd. 8 (232) — Tim Susnara, C, Oregon (Arizona Diamondbacks)
Rd. 10 (293) — Connor Brodgon, RHP, Lewis-Clark State (Philadelphia Phillies)
Basketball
WNBA
EASTERN CONFERENCE
Washington 7 3 .700 —
New York 6 3 .667 ½
Atlanta 5 4 .556 1½
Connecticut 3 5 .375 3
Indiana 4 6 .400 3
Chicago 2 7 .222 4½
WESTERN CONFERENCE
Minnesota 9 0 1.000 —
Los Angeles 6 3 .667 3
Phoenix 5 4 .556 4
Seattle 5 5 .500 4½
Dallas 4 7 .364 6
San Antonio 0 9 .000 9
Tuesday's Games
Atlanta 91, Seattle 86, OT
Los Angeles 97, Dallas 87
Wednesday's Games
New York at Connecticut, 4 p.m.
Golf
PGA Tour
Upcoming Glance
U.S. OPEN
Site: Erin, Wis.
Course: Erin Hills, Yardsage: 7,241, Par: 72.
Purse: \$12 million (First prize: \$2,160,000).
Television: Thursday-Friday, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. (FS1), 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. (FOX); Saturday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. (FOX); Sunday, 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. (FOX).
Defending champion: Dustin Johnson.
Last week: Daniel Berger won the FedEx St. Jude Classic for the second straight year.