

Women grab wins from St. Andrews College and Shaw University

Fightin' Christian softball team improves its record

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Staff Reporter

The Elon College softball team improved its record to 7-9 with a sweep of St. Andrews College on March 11 and by splitting a two-game series with Shaw University on March 13.

Against St. Andrews, Elon pitcher Teresa Schifano struck out 11 batters to help lead the Fightin' Christians to a 6-2 win.

Game two went much the same way as the first game. St. Andrews played tough defensively but was unable to match the pitching and hitting of Elon. The Fightin' Christians won with a score of 5-1.

Hope Rehman provided the offense with a spark all day. In two games she went 7 for 8 at the plate and scored three runs, with one RBI.

Shaw walked away with the 3-1 win in the first game of the series between Elon and Shaw.

Elon rebounded well in the

second game. Led by the strong pitching of Schifano and a solid defensive effort behind her, the Christians defeated Shaw 12-0.

Head coach Sue Leonard is

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Sue Leonard

encouraged by the level of play as she prepares her team for its first regular season conference match-up against Gardner Webb.

"We keep improving every single time we play," said Leonard. "We've got a lot of talent, it's just a matter of how fast we progress."

The Fightin' Christians play their next game today against University of Mass.-Lowell at 2:30 p.m. They play this weekend against Gardner-Webb at 1 p.m. on Saturday and again on Monday against University of Maryland-Baltimore at 2:30 p.m. All three are home games.



Joshua Steadman/The Pendulum

Freshman Heather Dennis gets ready to smack the ball against St. Andrews College

Elon Scoreboard

Women's Tennis (record is 5-3)	Men's Tennis (record is 3-5)
Barry University 7, Elon 0	Elon 5, Columbus 2
Elon 4, Wofford 3	Valdosta State 6, Elon 1
Georgia College 4, Elon 3	Erskin College 4, Elon 3
	Elon 4, Norfolk State 3



This Week

- March 17 Women's Tennis vs. Presbyterian College (HOME) 1 p.m.
- March 18 Women's Tennis vs. UNC-Charlotte (HOME) 2 p.m.
Softball vs. Gardner-Webb University (HOME) 1 p.m.
Baseball vs. Wingate College (away) noon
- March 19 Baseball vs. Wingate College (away) 2 p.m.
Men's Tennis vs. Lenoir-Rhyne College (HOME) 1 p.m.
Women's Tennis vs. Lenoir-Rhyne College (HOME) 1 p.m.
- March 20 Golf Mid Pines Collegiate Invitational, Mid Pines Golf Club, Southern Pines, N.C.
Softball vs. University of Maryland (HOME) 2:30 p.m.
- March 22 Women's Tennis vs. Winthrop University (away) 2:30 p.m.
Softball vs. Wingate College (away) 2:30 p.m.
Baseball vs. High Point University (HOME) 3 p.m.
- March 23 Baseball vs. Pembroke State University (away) 2:30 p.m.

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