

East Gaston Here Tuesday Mountaineers Lose Three

Kings Mountain High's baseballers dropped three games during the past week, losing to North Gaston 5-4 in eight innings Wednesday, to Shelby 11-5 Thursday and to Crest 11-1 Tuesday.

The Mountaineers travel to South Point Friday night and return home Tuesday night to host East Gaston in the final game of the season.

The Mountaineers had two of their best hitting nights of the season against North Gaston and Shelby but errors and bad breaks led to their downfall.

Against the Wildcats Wednesday, the Mounties had a 4-2 lead in the fifth inning when KM's Maury Williams apparently scored to make it 5-2 but was called out for failing to tag third base. North Gaston came

back to tie the game at 4-all in the seventh and then won the game in extra innings.

The Mountaineers collected 12 hits, including two each by Jarvis Young, Williams, Charles Proctor and Paul Neisler. Dale Postell, Thomas Breakfield, Keifer Ballew and Ritchie Gold added one hit each.

Neisler started for the Mounties and was relieved in the sixth by Rusty Bumgardner, who was charged with the loss.

The Mountaineers committed their only error of the game in the bottom of the eighth. The Wildcats also took advantage of a walk and a fielder's choice to put runners on first and third and then Sanders knocked in the winning run with a single.

The Mountaineers left the bases loaded twice in Thursday's loss to Shelby. The Lions later blew the game open with four runs in the sixth inning.

Shelby grabbed a 5-0 lead in the top of the second and led 7-5 after five innings.

The Mountaineers collected 12 hits with Proctor, Young and Williams getting two each. Dock Boheler had a two-run double, Bumgardner added a double and one RBI and Postell had an RBI single. Gold and Breakfield also had singles for the Mounties.

Kings Mountain aided the Shelby cause by committing five errors. Bumgardner started on the mound and was charged with the loss. He was relieved in the sixth by Young.

Crest, leading the Western Division of the SWC, grabbed a 3-0 lead in the second inning and then scored four runs in the fifth and sixth to break open Tuesday's game at Crest.

The Mountaineers' bats were silenced by Derek Clary, who scattered four hits. Postell had two hits and Proctor and Roderick Boyce one each for the Mountaineers.

Kings Mountain's only run came in the top of the seventh when Gold reached base on an error.

WEDNESDAY GAME

By innings: R H E
KM 003 010 00 4 12 1
NG 110 010 11 5 10 1

Neisler, Bumgardner (6) and Stewart; Thornburg, Hall (6) and Earle.

THURSDAY GAME

By innings: R H E
S 051 104 0 11 13 1
KM 030 020 0 5 12 5

Holland and Hinson; Bumgardner, Young (6) and Boyce.

TUESDAY GAME

By innings: R H E
KM 000 000 1 1 4 1
C 030 044 x 11 13 1

Neisler, Young (5) and Stewart; Clary, Cooper (7) and Ruff.

Legion Team Meeting Set

The first meeting of the Kings Mountain American Legion baseball team will be held May 3 at 4 p.m. at the Kings Mountain High baseball field.

Players who will not be 19 years old before August 1 are eligible to compete. For information, call Bud Bumgardner at 739-3040 or Bob Mantooth at 435-5698.

Bessemer City area players who wish to play with the Kings Mountain team do not have to report until after the end of the Bessemer City High School season.

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Clevemont And Reeves Lead Industrial League

Clevemont and Reeves each posted two victories last week as the Kings Mountain Men's Industrial Softball season got underway at Deal Street Park.

Clevemont defeated Thermo-Welco 12-7 and Kinmont 15-3. Reeves whipped Combustion Engineering 24-9 and Park Yarn 12-2.

In other action last week,

Kinmont outscored Park Yarn 16-12 and Spectrum defeated Thermo-Welco 11-1.

Charles Sisk hurled both victories for Clevemont. In the win over Thermo-Welco, Buddie Rice led the winners with 3-for-4 and Terry Bullock led the losers with 3-for-4. Paul Houser had three hits for Clevemont in its win over Kinmont. Tyree Goode was 2-for-2 for Kinmont.

Blanton was 3-for-3 and also hurled the victory to lead Reeves over Combustion. Ronald Crawford was 2-for-3 for the losers. Blanton again hurled the win and J.D. Clark went 4-for-4 to lead Reeves over Park Yarn. Lamar Fletcher was 1-for-2 for Park Yarn.

Pearson was 4-for-5 to lead Kinmont over Park Yarn. McLemore was 3-for-4 for the losers.

Bolten hurled the win and also had two hits to lead Spectrum over Thermo-Welco. Walker was 1-for-2 for the losers.

Softballers Win Pair, Host Warriors Monday

Kings Mountain High's girls softball team won two games last week to run their record to 11-4 overall and 4-0 in the Eastern Division of the Southeastern 3-A Conference.

The Mountaineers close out regular season play during the next week. Today, they travel to South Point for a doubleheader and Monday they host East Gaston in a twinbill beginning at 3:30.

The top two teams from each division advance to the SWC playoffs.

Last Thursday, Coach Bruce Clark's ladies bombed Shelby 25-3. Leigh Anne Odell and Debbie Nance had four hits each and Yvette Moore added three.

Monday afternoon, the Mountainettes edged Crest 7-5. Odell, Edie Herndon and Regina Brown led the way with two hits each.

"We've started hitting the ball real well and are playing good defense," said Coach Clark. "We feel like things are going to go well for us."

KM Runners Winners In BC 10-K Event

John Foster, Jeff Cloninger and Debbie Smith of Kings Mountain finished first in their divisions in the 10-K run during Saturday's Recreation Day activities in Bessemer City.

Cloninger won the men's

19-29 year old division in 36.15. His time was also the best overall.

Foster won the 18-under age group in 39.33, and was third overall.

Smith won the women's division in 54.59.

Slowpitch Tourney Set

There will be a slowpitch softball tournament May 3-5 at Deal Street Park.

The event is open to all

Class D and church league teams.

Teams interested in competing may call George Adams at 739-9631.

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