

# Hines Park beats heat, Caesars

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Little Caesars' left-hander Dave Susalla played first base and outfield during a Livonia Collegiate Baseball League double-header Sunday against Decision Consultants Inc.

Hines Park Lincoln Mercury pitcher Craig Benedict, meanwhile, enjoyed the afternoon off as his team had a bye in the schedule.

Guests who were able to last longer in the 95 degree heat Monday night at Ford Field?

A well-rested Benedict (Plymouth Canton/Madonna University) pitched a complete game five hitter, leading Hines Park to a 7-2 victory over Caesars.

Susalla (Redford Catholic Central/University of Detroit) had a 2-1 lead through four innings, but tired in the fifth when Hines Park rallied for six runs to go ahead for good.

The win improved second-place Hines Park to 6-3 overall. Caesars fell to 3-8.

"It wasn't hard staying loose, but towards the end I got a bit more tired," said Benedict, who had a no-hitter through 3 1/2 inn-

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Benedict scattered six hits, struck out three and didn't walk a batter. Four of the six hits went for extra bases, including a solo home run by Kevin Foley. The other Caesars' run came on a single by Dennis Madden to score J.R. Taylor, who had doubled.

"That's why I tell them to run early in the season, because these 95 degree temperatures will knock you out," Hines Park coach Dave Carroll said. "The first four innings, Craig was in control. He battled."

"They were up 1-0, we give up two, and then come back and take the game right out of their hands. That's a killer, that's what you're supposed to do if you're going to win ball games."

Hines Park took a 1-0 lead in the third after leading the bases with one out on a walk to Brian Kalczynski (Birmingham Brother Rice/Henry Ford College), a Texas League single by Jeff Lance (Redford Thurston/

Henry Ford) and a walk to Danny Wise. Kalczynski scored on a ground ball that was booted by Caesars' first baseman J.R. Taylor.

Caesars regained the lead, 2-1, before trouble started for Susalla with one out in the fifth. Susalla issued consecutive walks to Dan Wise and Derek Besco (Westland John Glenn/University of Michigan) and the next batter, Brian Besco (John Glenn/U-M), was safe on a catcher's interference to load the bases. Dino Rovinelli followed with a sacrifice fly to tie the score, 2-2, and Ed Howell sent Susalla to the bench with a two-run single to put Hines Park ahead 4-2.

Caesars reliever Jason Carter (Livonia Churchill/Madonna) allowed a walk and RBI singles by Kalczynski and Lance before striking out Wise to end the inning.

"I played two games yesterday and got burned up," said Susalla, who allowed four hits and walked five with one strikeout in 4 1/2 innings. "I got tired and walked five, that's why I lost. They didn't really hit me hard,

until the last hit."

With two pitchers recently quitting and three starters absent for a variety of reasons, Caesars' coach John Moralla didn't have much left on the bench.

The recent acquisition of Scott Kapla, who asked for a release from Hines Park, couldn't have come at a better time. Kapla (Redford Catholic Central/Eastern Michigan) can pitch and on Monday played shortstop. He went 1-for-3 at the plate.

"If you want to play, show up," said Moralla. "We held down some good hitters today. I don't get mad (about the absence), what are you going to do? They've got a powerhouse."

Lance and ninth hitter Dave Kapla (Redford CC/Michigan State) led Hines Park with two hits each. Kalczynski was 1-3 and scored twice.

Several of Benedict's teammates at Madonna play for DCI.

"I think we've got a good chance, we're confident we can play with those guys," Benedict said.

## Consultants strengthen lead in LCBL

Decision Consultants Inc. fanned its Livonia Collegiate Baseball League record with three victories over Livonia Little Caesars last weekend.

DCI defeated Caesars, 3-2, on Friday at Ford Field and came back Sunday with a 10-5, 11-3 sweep over coach John Moralla's club at Madonna University Park.

DCI, which lost to Michigan Honig's, 9-2, on Monday at Ford Field, leads the LCBL with an 8-2 record.

In Friday's victory against Caesars, DCI scored three runs in the sixth inning to erase a 2-0 deficit.

Jeff McGavin drove in the first run with a single. Aaron Jones followed with a single and both players scored when a ball was thrown into center field on a delayed steal attempt of second base by Jones.

Tim Holland (Madonna Uni-

versity) and Eric Butler shared the pitching duties.

Holland scattered six hits, walked three and struck out three in five innings.

Butler allowed no hits with two strikeouts in two innings.

Chris Champanolis and Dennis Madden (Livonia Franklin) had RBI singles for Caesars.

In the 10-5 opening game win Sunday, Dan Pydyn (Madonna) improved his record to 2-1 with an eight-hit complete game outing. Pydyn struck out four and walked two.

Jones was 3-for-4, including a double, and two RBIs.

Craig Petersen had a two-run homer for DCI, which broke the game open with five runs in the fifth.

Jones had a three-run homer and a grand slam to finish with seven RBIs in the 11-3 second-game victory.

McGavin was 2-for-3 with an RBI and Joel Hillebrand earned his third win against no defeats. Hillebrand allowed nine hits, struck out five and walked one.

Eric Marcotte (Plymouth Canton) went 3-for-3 with two RBIs and Doug Gaughan had two hits.

**HONIG'S 9-7, ADRAY 8-1:** Honig's of Ann Arbor split a double-header Sunday against Dearborn Adray, coached by Livonia Franklin assistant Tim Napier.

In the opening game, Honig's scored three runs in the top of the seventh inning off Matt Fournier (Franklin/Wayne State University) to erase an 8-6 deficit.

Derek Gaffery had a three-run home run for Adray in the fourth inning.

Adray scored its only run in the nightcap on an RBI single in

the sixth inning by Gaffery. Steve Guibord suffered the loss, striking out six and walking four in five innings of work.

Adray on Friday night lost to Hines Park Lincoln Mercury, 11-1.

Craig Benedict was the winning pitcher, going three innings for Hines Park. He struck out five and walked none.

Dave Larner suffered the loss for Adray.

Jeff Lance (Redford Thurston/Henry Ford) and Dan Wise had two hits each. They hit back-to-back home runs in the first inning.

Hines Park had four straight hits in a six-run third inning. Adray third baseman Mike LaPointe had to leave the game with a broken nose in the inning when he was hit in the face by a hard grounder hit by Dave Knight (Plymouth Salem).

## Summer leagues rolling



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Summer leagues are alive and well all throughout the area.

The usual format is the Trio League, where only three bowlers on a team compete in a 12- to 13-week season.

It's time for an update on these summer bowlers as the season is well under way. Don't be too surprised at some of the high scores because there's a lot of good bowling going on.

### BOWLING HONOR ROLL

Cleveland (Livonia): Just Us Trio — Thomas Shaw, 256; Rick Fisher, 253. Tuesday Trio — Mike Kozlowski, 259/750; Steve Riera, 242/618. Friday Foursomes — Dennis Pepper, 249/630. Thursday Summer Trio — Christian Bonet, 254/741; Diana Laird, 256/593; Amy McElroy, 234. IRS Mixed — Michael Deckers, 252; Zena Arrington, 245. Wednesday Wonders — Eric Schmitt, 238/671; Lailayia Ellis, 207. Backsliders — Phil White, 253; Hershel White, 246; Keith Harris, 244/645; Cheryl Boyer, 245/691. Woodland Lanes: Summer Mixed Trio Classic — Gary Owen, 300/877 (four games total); Jeff Adkins, 290/824; Ed Duda, 278; Ed Grace, Jr., 225; Ed Malnowski, 242; Nurzio Marino, 963. Woodland Lanes: Summer Trio — Karl (Doc) Jeffers, 300/981; Greg Bancroft, 288; Bob Varga, 269. Dan Loon 285; and Erik Osterstrom, 269 game.

Summer Seniors — Paul Brown, 236; Metta Bole, 214; Olga Krasnik, 205; Jack Henshaw, 212; Mac Clark 215; and Karlo Salomon 214.

Country Lane (Farmington Hills): Monday Night Trio — Nurzio Marino, 277; Craig Morza, 265; Lee Snow 257; John Gossino, 257 and Carlen Uppertsky, 256.

Wednesday Night Youth Doubles — Kevin Keranen, 249; Chris Dugman, 257; Laura Lense, 247; Terry Zolek, 246; Shannon Rowe, 246.

Parent/Youth League — Rick Long, 254; Paul Koenig, 224; Ed Harty, 219; Adam Jaskowski 197; Jerry Long 154. Battle of the Sexes — Jim Johnson, 230; K. Steiner, 218.

Wednesday Seniors — Ralph Pearce, 206; Art Parquette, 203; Chuck Barstow, 202; Mary Goga, 1191; Dorothy Reurne, 190.

Grasshopper Lanes: S.A.S.F. Summer Classic Trio — Scott Woodward, 298; Joe Niemczyk, 286; Mark Rogers, 278; Jeff Shoglin, 279; Ryan Lash, 278; Dory Seif, 279; Lisa McCarty, 267; Shannon Rowe, 267; Cyndi Black, 258; Dana Munoz, 248; Michelle Ewald, 247; Lisa Rogers, 236.

Just For Fun Spring Mixed — Jeff Bleker, 278/762; Barry Butcher, 254/672; Mike Nachman, 249/630; Rose Francis, 205; Sally Prins, 203. Summer Seniors Ralph Pearce, 212; Tony Caramitro, 209; Lucile Boyle, 204.

Pin It How Lane (Southfield): Tuesday Ladies — Yolanda White, 250/626; Ce'An Manuel, 244; Yolanda Whitaker, 243/636. Thursday Mixers — Gary Payne, 287/730; Sony Morton, 287/724; Craig McCain/278/748; Debbie Dellan, 249/637; Cecil Bowden, 238.

Bowl One Lane (Troy): Thursday Summer League — Doug DeSantis, 288; Lanny Paczkowski, 273; Carol George, 262.

Sylvan Lanes (Sylvan Lakes): Men's Wednesday Trio — John Keesling, 249/738/624; Kevin Frederick, 234/600.

## GOLF

### WOMEN'S METROPOLITAN GOLF ASSOCIATION SCORES

(June 14 at Dearborn Hills, Hartland)

Championships right: low gross: Nancy Coyne, Farmington Hills, 41-39-80; second low: Jeong Soek-Yoo, Bloomfield Hills, 39-42-61; low net: Carolyn Schmalzried, Rochester Hills, 83-13-70.

First right: low gross: Keith Drenthmeyer, New Baltimore, 43-45-68; Jo Pashek, Madison Heights, 44-44-68; second low: Kim Hanover, Grosse Pointe Woods, 45-44-69; Dora Rudd, Canton Township, 45-44-69; low net: Jerry Foster, Sterling Heights, 91-119-72.

Second right: low gross: Cathie Heinen, Bloomfield Hills, 43-48-91; second low: Louise Balsano, Warren, 41-52-63; low net: Elaine Taylor, Farmington Hills, 94-242-70.

Third right: low gross: Mary Kranch, Ham-ton Township, 48-53-101; Sally Lockard, Mac-combe, 49-52-101; second low: Pauline Coody, Detroit, 48-58-104; low net: Agnes Larson, Farmington Hills, 108-343-74.

(June 7 at Wolverine, Mount Clemens)

Championships right: low gross: Debra Robert, Detroit, 38-38-70; second low: Jenna Jacobs, St. Clair Shores, 39-38-77; low net: Carol Lass, Rochester Hills, 80-9-71; Marlene Mage, Algonac, 85-14-71.

First right: low gross: Shari Moninger, Royal Oak, 41-42-83; second low: Sara Orndy, Royal Oak, 43-43-86; low net: Katie Bremer, New Baltimore, 88-17-71.

Second right: low gross: Louise Balsano,

Warren, 47-48-95; second low: Sally Smith, Chesterfield Township, 50-45-96; Vicki Van-Becarene, Canton Township, 50-46-96; Dolly Vetrine, Plymouth, 45-51-96; low net: Cathie Heinen, Bloomfield Hills, 100-203-77.

Third right: low gross: Mary Kranch, Ham-ton Township, 50-46-96; second low: Pauline Coody, Detroit, 48-53-101; low net: Dorothy Coody, Farmington Hills, 103-433-73.

(May 31 at Fox Hills, Plymouth)

Championships right: low gross: Jenna Jacobs, St. Clair Shores, 40-43-83; second low: Kathy Armstrong, Oxford, 43-45-88; low net: Jeong Soek-Yoo, Bloomfield Hills, 90-179-78.

First right: low gross: Rose Ady, Canton Township, 48-47-95; second low: Sandy O'Malley, Troy, 50-48-98; low net: Sara Orndy, Canton Township, 85-11-75.

Second right: low gross: Dolly Vetrine, Plymouth, 50-51-101; second low: Debra Robert, Detroit, 48-53-101; low net: Mary Kranch, Ham-ton Township, 113-255-88.

(May 12 at Oak Pointe, Brighton)

Championships right: low gross: Jani Bow-man, Southfield, 41-39-80; second low: Jenna Jacobs, St. Clair Shores, 41-42-83; low net: Kathy Armstrong, Oxford, 85-10-75; Marlene Mage, Algonac, 88-13-75; Debra Robert, Detroit, 85-11-75.

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