

# Griffin's Sport Crushes Northville Adray, 9-0

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Livonia's Griffin Sport capitalized on Northville Redford's early season handicap to score an easy Adray baseball win, 9-0, The Northville entry is missing five players who are still in high school state tournament action with Northville High.

"It should be a different story the next time around," said Livonia Coach Ron Heller. "Northville will be

coming into its own once it gets all its players."

Griffin Sport now stands at 1-1 in league action with Northville slipping to an 0-2 mark.

Sunday's action pits Griffin Sport against Adray Dearborn at Henry Ford Field in Livonia at 4:30 p.m., and Northville against Northville High at 4:30 p.m. at Northville High at 4:30 p.m.

It was Tony Kaseta's day to shine against Northville. The

Franklin High graduate and U-D hurler set down Northville on four hits with five strikeouts and four walks in six innings.

BILL DUNKIN and Terry Mills worked for Northville with starter Dunkin absorbing the loss.

Griffin's Sports opened it scoring in the first stanza with two runs on two hits. Bill Durkin doubled, Roy Henrickson walked and Bob Menovick up on a sacrifice by Pat

Perlo. Michigan State's Howard Schryer delivered a double to score both and the Livonia team never looked back.

Griffin came up with four in the second to take a commanding 6-0 advantage.

STEVE CHILENKO started things off when safe on an error. Rob Hollandsworth walked and Bruce VanWagoner singled to score Chilenko. Durkin lined a

single to left and Hollandsworth scored.

Durkinning stole second and Henrickson followed with a "double" suicide squeeze, with VanWagoner and Durkinning both scoring.

Livonia added two in the third to jump in front, 8-0. Gar Frantz doubled, Hollandsworth, VanWagoner and Kasela singled and two more had crossed home plate.

A solo round tripper by Kasela climaxed the scoring

punch by Griffin in the sixth. REDFORD ADRAY and Farmington's Mario Sincola team battled to an eight inning 2-2 deadlock.

Redford's Dan O'Brien chalked up 19 strikeouts in the extra inning game and allowed six hits.

"He pitched too good a game for it to end up in a tie," said Redford Coach Pat Sheridan.

Denny Blazok hurled for Farmington and gave up

seven hits, struck out eight and walked four.

BILL FRASER gave Redford a one run lead in the first with his second round tripper in as many games.

Redford went up by two in the second on a single by Bill Herbert, a wild pitch and single by Gordie Eszes.

Farmington struck back in

the bottom of the fifth when Rich Pauline hit the lone ball off O'Brien to the outfield. It skipped between the outfielders and Pauline raced around the bases for a homerun.

Three singles in the sixth tied the score at two up and there it remained. Rick Ponke singled, Blazok bunted his way on and Pat Loras delivered a broken bat single over third base to score Ponke with the tying run.

STANDINGS

Redford Adray	1	0	2
Adray Dearborn	1	0	2
Westland Burger King	1	0	2
Livonia Griffin Sport	1	0	2
Mario Sincola	1	0	2
Birmingham Varsity	1	0	0
Northville Red	0	1	0
Plymouth Bidwell	0	1	0
Koebel Diamond	0	1	0
Garden City	0	1	0

SCORES

Griffin Sport 9, Northville 0
Mario Sincola 2, Redford Adray 2

SUNDAY'S GAMES

AT HENRY FORD FIELD  
Burger King vs Varsity Shop, 6 p.m.  
Griffin Sport vs Dearborn, 8:30 p.m.

AT PLYMOUTH  
Plymouth Bidwell vs Mario Sincola, 6 p.m.

AT THURSTON  
Plymouth Bidwell vs Redford, 1:30 p.m.

AT NORTHVILLE HIGH  
Koebel Diamond vs Northville, 1:30 p.m.

AT GARDEN CITY PARK  
Mario Sincola vs Garden City, 1:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY'S GAMES

AT GARDEN CITY PARK  
Plymouth Bidwell vs Griffin Sport, 6 p.m.

Garden City vs Dearborn, 8:30 p.m.

AT NORTHVILLE  
Burger King vs Northville Red, 6 p.m.

AT N. FARMINGTON  
Mario Sincola vs Koebel Diamond, 6 p.m.

AT THURSTON  
Varsity Shop vs Redford, 8 p.m.

ALL SPORT STANDINGS

REDFORD UNION	6:21
DEARBORN	6:05
EDSEL FORD	6:05
WILLOW	6:05
ALLEN PARK	4:27
THURSTON	4:16
BENTLEY	3:72
PLYMOUTH	3:16

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# Connie Mack Baseball Off To Sloooo Start

Connie Mack baseball is off to another bewildering start in Observerland.

The nine team American and nine team National league had a total of 16 games on tap this week with only two being played. A combination of graduation exercises, a little bit of rain and early season confusion led to 14 of the 16 games being postponed.

But Redford's Warholok Tires team jumped on its first two games to stand 2-0 in the American League. The defending Connie Mack champions, better known as the Redford Union squad, crushed North Farmington, 13-0, and tipped Farber's Supplies, 3-0.

Gary Fuiks and Tom Miller handled pitching chores against North Farmington, allowing only three hits, striking

out seven and walking three. Fuiks was the starter and winning hurler.

LOU DOOT suffered the loss for North Farmington.

Warholok Tires picked away at North Farmington with three runs in each of the first two innings, four in the sixth and three in the seventh.

Redford jumped on Doot in the opening stanza. Mark Durance drew a walk, Mark Yourcheck singled, Kurl Fritz singled in Durance and Steve Friedman doubled to score Yourcheck and Fritz.

Three more came across in the second. Mike Kall singled and was sacrificed to second by Fuiks. Lupe Bravo singled to score Kall and Durance was safe on an error with another scoring. Yourcheck singled to score Durance and Fuiks was 6-0.

He struck out six and walked two in scoring the win.

Tom Centers pitched a five-hitter in a losing cause, striking out four and walking two.

Redford scored one in the first with Durance leading off with a single. Yourcheck forced Durance at second and Fritz followed, reached first when hit by Centers. Friedman delivered a single to score Yourcheck with the first run.

A solo round tripper by Bravo in the fourth gave Warholok a two run lead. The shot cleared the 350 mark in left center at Livonia's Ford Field.

THE FINAL tally came in the fifth with Durance drawing a walk and scoring on a two-bagger by Yourcheck.

AT THURSTON  
Livonia Optimist vs National Pride, 10 a.m.  
Fancher vs Phillips, 2 p.m.  
AT PLYMOUTH  
W. Bloomfield vs Holman Observer, 2 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

AT FRANKLIN  
Redford Tool vs Crown, 10 a.m.  
Kines Park vs Lambert, 2 p.m.  
Kines Park vs Farmington Caesar, 5 p.m.

AT JOHN GLENN  
Farmington Caesar vs Glenn, 2 p.m.

AT THURSTON  
Crown vs Glenn, 5 p.m.

AT THURSTON  
Plymouth Eka vs Thurston, 5 p.m.

AT HAGERSTOWN FIELD  
Redford Tool vs Harrison, 6 p.m.

TUESDAY'S GAMES NATIONAL LEAGUE

AT THURSTON  
Lambert vs Thurston, 5 p.m.

AT FRANKLIN  
Redford Tool vs Kines Park, 6 p.m.

AT NORTHVILLE  
Plymouth Eka vs Farmington Caesar, 6 p.m.

AT N. FARMINGTON  
Crown vs Harrison, 6 p.m.

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# RU Captures First In Final All-Sports League Standings

Redford Union captured first in the final Suburban Eight All-Sport standings.

The final rankings are determined by totaling the points earned in each sport and then dividing by the number of sports in which the school participated.

RU finished with a 6.21 with Dearborn in second at 5.83 and Edsel Ford in third with 5.05.

The Panthers won league crowns in basketball, wrestling and baseball; took second in football; third in cross country; fourth in track and seventh in swimming.

RU did not sport a golf or tennis team.

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# Junior Golf Days Open Next Tuesday

Junior golfers will have their day on the Whispering Willows course, Livonia's municipal links, starting Tuesday morning.

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**NORTH FARMINGTON** just couldn't put it together and fell to a 10 run deficit in the sixth. Fuiks was hit by a pitch and Rob Campbell was safe on an error. Yourcheck singled to score two, and Bill Campbell singled to score Yourcheck but was thrown out at second.

Friedman tripled and Glenn Richmond singled and Redford had 10 runs.

The top of the seventh saw Redford conclude its scoring with three hits. Kall and Tom Miller walked. Bob Fitzraks singled in Kall and Jim Moody singled in Miller. Rob Campbell lined a hit to right to bring in Fitzraks with the final run.

Warholok continued with a shutout victory over Francher's Supplies, better known as the Stevenson High varsity, 3-0.

TOM NIPPA went the route for Redford with a two-hitter.

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AT HENRY FORD  
W. Bloomfield vs Phillips, 6 p.m.  
Livonia Optimist vs Fancher's, 8:30 p.m.

AT N. FARMINGTON  
National Pride vs N. Farmington, 5 p.m.

# Southfield Grad Earns Lacrosse Starting Berth

Jim Walters, a graduate of Southfield High, has earned a starting berth on Michigan State's 1972 lacrosse squad.

Walters, a senior, begins his second year as a Spartan stickman. He was the fourth leading scorer on last year's squad as he rocked the opposition's goal five times. This year has been even more productive for the Spartan midfielder as he slipped 14 shots past the opposing goalie.

Coach Ted Swoboda calls Walters the best defensive player on the team, but because of his scoring potential and knowledge of the game, he would be even stronger at midfield.

Walters was an outstanding prepster in football and played freshman ball at Eastern Michigan before transferring to MSU.

He is a business major. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walters, reside at 25706 Stonycroft in Southfield.



**MARVIN GANS**, director of physical education and athletics at Schoolcraft College, completed his work on his doctorate at the University of Utah.

Gans, who lives with his wife and three children in Northville, majored in health, physical education and recreation with a minor in educational administration. He completed his undergraduate work at Hunter College in New York and received his masters from the University of Michigan. Gans is a member of the American Assn. of Health, Physical Education and Recreation.

# Sorrows Grad Wrestles Way To S. Illinois

Barry Walsh, a wrestler who went from a 0-14-0 record his freshman year in high school in Michigan to second in the nation as a sophomore junior college, has signed a letter of intent to enroll at Southern Illinois University at Carbondale this fall.

Walsh, a heavyweight at 245 pounds, is a native of Livonia, and graduate of defunct Our Lady of Sorrows High School, started his college career at Central Michigan University. His freshman record was 13-9-1. As a sophomore, after transferring to Schoolcraft College, Walsh compiled a 25-2-0 record, with one of the losses being in this spring's finals of the national junior college tournament.

In his senior year in high school he won the Michigan state prep championship while racking up 32 victories, no defeats and no ties.

**WSU Opener**

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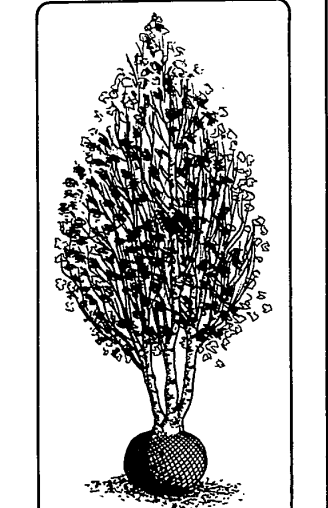
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