

SCC Knight's Softball Home Weekend

April 4th and 5th 2009

The Surry Knights Softball Team hosted Pitt Community College and Patrick Henry Community College this past weekend in Region X Conference Doubleheaders. Pitt came into Dobson being ranked nationally at 36th with some pretty impressive player statistics. Patrick Henry and Surry faced off earlier in the season on March 8th in Martinsville as two first year programs joining the Region X Conference.

The Knight's came out pounding against the Bulldogs early but just could not find any gaps as they fell 5-0. Brooke Honeycutt led offensively in the first game going 3 for 3 with three singles. Dawn Sisk followed with two singles out of her three at bats. Stacy Eldridge added another single to the list in the fifth inning but six hits would be all that the Knights could manufacture and no runs to cross.

Brooke Honeycutt started the first game facing 34 Bulldog batters and allowing ten hits and five runs, only two of which were earned. Honeycutt still recorded nine strikeouts and had three walks.

In the second game, Dawn Sisk took the mound for five and a third innings. Sisk had 4 strikeouts and 2 walks, before Shawn Watson came in for the last two third's inning.

Mallorie Vogler, Brittany Draughn and Hannah Bullins each recorded hits in the second game, but the Knights fell 10-0. Coach Reid states, "Pitt was a well coached team that was aggressive both on the base paths and at the plate. Our offense was there in the first game we just could never get the runners on in the right times or just could not find the gaps. Pitt's centerfielder ate up the outfield."

On Sunday, the Knights were back in action as they played Patrick Henry Patriots. Shawn Watson tossed the first game facing 31 batters and striking out 10 Patriot batters. The one lone walk that Watson had would end up being the one unearned run of the game. As PHCC went on to win 2-0.

"Watson pitched well enough to win and our defense played well with only one error. We did not hit behind her and make adjustments early at the plate."

Honeycutt went 2 for 3 and Draughn, Megan Stanley and Brittney Palmer added one hit each.

The Knights bats looked to have come alive as they took the second game 8-0. Megan Stanley led the Knights going 3 for 4 with 2 RBIs a single, double and a triple. Draughn also went 3 for 4 and Honeycutt added two RBIs to the list.

Brooke Honeycutt pitched the second game shutout striking out 11 Bulldog batters and only allowing two hits in six innings.