

Ohlone Defeats # 3 Cuesta College

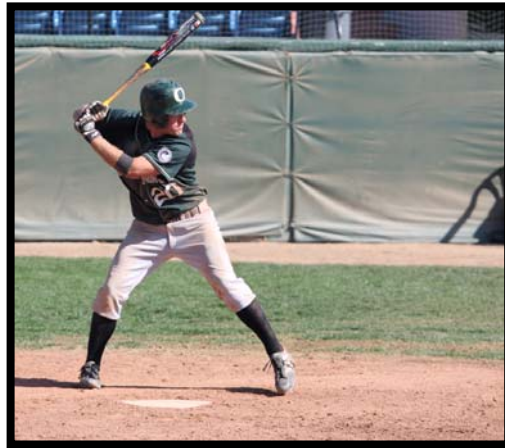
Ohlone scores 12 runs in Game 1 of the Hancock Invitational Tournament

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SAN LUIS OBISPO, CA- The Ohlone baseball team (7-3) defeated Cuesta College (5-6) this afternoon by the score of 12-6 in game 1 of the Hancock/Cuesta Invitational Tournament. Sophomore David Luna (2-0) picked up his 2nd win of the season. Cuesta entered the game ranked #3 in Southern California. Luna gave Ohlone a quality start going 5 innings, allowing just 5 hits and striking out 2 Cuesta batters.

“I really though David pitched well today”, commented Head baseball coach Jordon Twohig. “He had all three pitches going for him and kept them off balance early.”

The offense was sparked early by brothers Zack & Jeff Johnson. Zack was 3-4 with HR and 2 RBI, and Jeff was 2-4 with a 2-HR, and a 2-RBI 2B. Adding to the offense was freshman Steven Ramos who was 3-4 with a 3B, and an RBI.



-Jeff Johnson was 2-4 with a HR, 2B and 4 RBI

“As an offense we have been able to put the ball in play and create pressure defenses,” said Coach Twohig. “We were able to do that today against a good team in Cuesta College.”

Coming into relief for David Luna was Sophomore Ian Hoff. Hoff picked up right where Luna left off, keeping hitters off balance. Hoff went 4 innings, allowing just 3 hits, and striking out 2 batters to earn the save. Cuesta’s Nick Ousman is saddled with the loss going 1 inning in relief for starter Joey Parson’s.

Ohlone will be back in action tomorrow as they face Canyons College in game 2 of the tournament. Action will start at 10:00am in Santa Maria, CA at Hancock College. Pitcher Sean Martin will get the start for Ohlone.