

Pirates 18, Giants 11: The Pirates had outstanding hits from Kade Ornelas, Michael Gribben, and Cameron Angotti (all resulting in key RBI's). On the mound, Tanner Griffith and John Stangl combined to pitch four great innings and Zachary Sousa came in to close out the game in the sixth. The Pirates played great defense across the board, improving their record to 8-2 for the season.

Red Sox 7, A's 1: The A's came out strong getting several runners on base. Chase Bright hit an RBI double and Ryan McKinzie also had a strong offensive game. Carter Purl pitched a great game and Jake Beers did a nice job backing the play at second base. For the Red Sox, Corey Stimpson pitched a remarkable complete game only allowing one run. Christian Grenier showed his proficient skills as catcher and hit an RBI single. Michael West hit a notable lead off double in the 2nd inning. Giovany Fuentes stole home smartly in the 3rd and later hit an impressive RBI double. In the end the Red Sox rallied for the win.

Pirates 13, A's 3: The Pirates were able to secure their 10th win of the season thanks to strong performances on the mound from Dominic Gozzo, Kytler Green, and Zachary Sousa. Tanner Griffith had an outstanding game behind the plate and at the plate. He caught all 4 innings for the Pirates and threw out 3 runners attempting to steal 2nd and 3rd. Tanner had a powerful hit over the right fielder's head, leading to his first inside the park home run with 2 runners on base. Riley Scott and Kade Ornelas both contributed at the plate with solid hits during the game. The Pirates are really playing well as a team thanks to the leadership of their Coach and Manager, Steve Griffith. For the A's Carter Purl had an impressive hit down the first base line and Nico LaManna played great defense.

A Division: Nationals vs. Giants: The Nationals played a great game against the Giants. Dominic Hurtado hit a home run, crushing the ball down the line to the left field at the beginning of the third inning. Hayden Hobbs hit a triple in the first inning, bringing in two

runners. King collected 1 RBI each for the Pirates. Munoz, with the Rangers, got a really nice hit in the second inning. Shevlin, on the Rangers as well, got an amazing hit.

Yankees vs. Diamondbacks: Yankees' Jacob Bleivins had a great offensive game with 2 for 2 and 2 big hits. Defensively both Kaison Pastorius and Alec Hendrick had great game with 2 outs at 1st and 3rd each. The Dbacks came out and played a great game for the home team fans.

Fusion SC Fall Soccer

Registration is now open for the Livermore Fusion SC Recreation and Select (Rec Plus) fall soccer programs. While registration for the recreation program is open until May 31st, the Select program registration will close on May 15th. Space is limited for the Select program so interested players should register as soon as possible. Both programs kick off in July and run until November.

The Recreation program starts at the U5 age group and the Select program starts at the U9 age group.

To register a child for either of the fall soccer programs, or for more information, visit the Fusion SC website at www.fusionsc.org or call the office at 925-443-7570.

Hike for Hope

Hope Hospice's The Hike for Hope 2014 will be held on Saturday, May 10. Check-in time is from 8:30 to 10:00 a.m. The event ends at noon.

The Hike for Hope is a memorial hike and fundraiser held at scenic Del Valle Regional Park in Livermore. Proceeds from the event assist Hope Hospice in providing services to patients and families - regardless of their ability to pay.

Two trail options are available for The Hike for Hope participants. One is an easy 2.6 mile roundtrip route (which is easily shortened) traveling along the lake, turning around at the Hetch Hetchy Group Camp. The other route is a 4.4 mile hike with a moderate

(near the Hetchy) to the LPC campus, an approximate three-mile ride that takes about 20 minutes. On campus, Livermore Cyclery will be hosting an Energizer Station from 8 to 10 a.m. The station, located in front of the new Student Services Building (1600), will provide air for tires, safety checks and cycling information.

"We also offer some small rewards, or 'energizers,' for those who do ride," said Ansell. "For the first 60 bicyclists who arrive, we will have cloth bags stuffed with surprises. The bags and much of their contents are provided by Bike East Bay, formerly the East Bay Bicycle Coalition, a great group of people who advocate for bike riders and bike safety across the East Bay."

Bike to Work Day was originated by the League of American Bicyclists in 1956 as part of National Bike Month each May. The League was founded in 1880 when bicyclists (then known as "wheelmen") joined together to improve poor riding conditions stemming from rutted, gravelly roads and antagonism from horsemen and wagon drivers.

Bike Stations Set Up at Valley Sites

The San Francisco Bay Area's Annual Bike to Work Day will take place on Thursday, May 8, 2014. Join Hacienda Business Park, a Big Wheel Sponsor of Bike to Work Day in the East Bay, in this bicycling event taking place throughout Northern California with special events occurring in all nine Bay Area counties.

On May 8th, Energizer Stations will be set up all over the Bay Area to celebrate Bike-to-Work Day. Hacienda is again hosting an Energizer Station at the East Dublin/Pleasanton BART station in conjunction with the City of Pleasanton, the City of Dublin, Alameda County Public Works, Dublin Cyclery and BART. Cyclists who stop by the East Dublin/Pleasanton Energizer Station will receive free t-shirts, while sizes and quantities last; a free Cycling Commute Companion; a canvas tote bag filled with great cycling

gear and more. Participating cyclists can also receive a free bike safety check courtesy of Dublin Cyclery.

Cyclists filling out a Bike to Work Day registration card will be entered into a drawing for a chance to win one of the many raffle prizes donated by local merchants. The Energizer Station will be open between 6:30 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. in the plaza area just outside the turnstiles. The East Dublin/Pleasanton BART station sits in the middle of Interstate 580 and is easily accessed by Owens Drive from Pleasanton and by Dublin Boulevard from Dublin.

Local Energizer Stations:
East Dublin/Pleasanton BART Station: 6:30 - 9:00 a.m.

West Dublin/Pleasanton BART Station: 7:00 - 9:00 a.m.

Stanley Blvd at Shadow Cliffs: 7:00 - 9:00 a.m.

Alamo Canal Trail @ Johnson Drive/ClubSport Pleasanton: 7:00 - 9:00 a.m.
Foothill High School, 4375 Foothill Road: 7:00 - 8:30 a.m.

Pledge to ride a bike to work or wherever you need to go on Bike to Work Day, May 8th, and you can enter your name in a raffle to win a bike and other fun prizes. Register at www.youcanbiketohere.com/user/register.



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