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## North sweeps South. Jace Fry of Southridge named Oregon All-Star Series MVP

**Corvallis, Oregon, Sunday, June 19** – The North completed its sweep of the Reser's Oregon All-Star Series on Sunday with two wins over the South at Goss Stadium.

The series matched 6A/5A baseball stars from the Portland area/Eastern Oregon against their counterparts from elsewhere in the state. The North won 10-7 and 6-4 on Sunday after prevailing 4-0 in Saturday's opener.

Oregon State signee/Oakland Athletics draftee Jace Fry of Southridge was named the Most Valuable Player and the North's Most Outstanding Pitcher. Fry threw four shutout innings and was Saturday's winning pitcher and he had four hits.

His Southridge battery mate, catcher Jake Azevedo, was the North's Outstanding Player. Shortstop Austin Hamilton (North Salem) was the South's Outstanding Player and Parker Vernon (Redmond) was the South's Outstanding Pitcher.

In Sunday's opener, Azevedo had two doubles, a single and three RBIs to lead the North. The North rallied from a 6-3 deficit and scored four times in its final two at-bats to break a 6-6 deadlock.

Brock Pellow (Lake Oswego) added a two-run single; Wyatt Whitten (Pendleton) pitched two scoreless innings in relief and was the winning pitcher. Taylor Burner (West Albany) had two hits for the South.

In the second game, Cody Childs (Reynolds) hit a two-run single, Sam Johnson (Westview) singled twice and doubled and Fry doubled as the North again came from behind to prevail, this time from a 2-0 deficit.

Catcher Grant Newton (Bend) singled twice and had an RBI for the South.

### Game 1

North 10, South 7

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NORTH 000 321 13x – 10 16 2

Richmond, Miller (4), Thomas (7) and Nix; Johnson, Pellow (4), Whitten (6), Belding (8) and Azevedo. WP: Whitten.  
LP: Thomas. S: Belding. 2B: Azevedo 2 (N), Otness (N), Heim (N), Boehm (S). 3B: Silver (S).

Hits: South 9 (Burner 2, Hamilton, Mattes, Nix, Harpole, Garcia, Boehm, Silver), North 16 (Azevedo 3, Fry 2, Otness 2, Abate, Umscheid, Pellow, Van Pelt, Heim, Sherell, Whitten, Wilkerson, Bell).

RBIs: South 4 (Silver, Hamilton, Westerhuis, Boehm), North 8 (Azevedo 3, Pellow 2, Heim, Bell, Sherell).

## Game 2

North 6, South 4

SOUTH 110 011 000 – 4 8 2  
NORTH 022 010 01x- 6 10 2

Egli, Haddeland (4), Burner (7) and Newton; Wilkerson, Bjorklund (4), Spencer (7) and Farmer. WP: Wilkerson. LP: Egli.  
S: Spencer. 2B: Garcia (S), Spencer (N), Fry (N), Johnson (N), Hamilton (N).

Hits: South 8 (Newton 2, Garcia, Boehm, Burner, Etheridge, Hamilton, Mattes), North 10 (Johnson 3, Spencer, Childs, Fry, Sherell, Eberhardt, Farmer, Otness).

RBI: South 3 (Newton, Miller, Harpole), North 6 (Childs 2, Carow, Sherell, Van Pelt, Otness)