



# Baseball report

## April 24, 2018

### HHC standings

	Conf	GB	Over.
New Palestine	6-0	--	12-0
Greenfield-C.	4-2	2	5-3
New Castle	3-2	2.5	7-4
Mt. Vernon	3-2	2.5	5-3
Yorktown	4-4	3	7-5
Pendleton Hts.	1-4	4.5	3-7
Shelbyville	1-4	4.5	2-7
Delta	2-6	5	4-9

### Last week's results

#### Tuesday, April 17

Delta 11, Yorktown 9\*  
 Yorktown 15, Delta 2\*  
 Fishers 16, Mt. Vernon 14  
 Hamilton SE 6, Pendleton Heights 5 (8 innings)  
 Indian Creek 4, Shelbyville 2  
 Monroe Central 18, New Castle 8  
 New Palestine 4, Cathedral 3

#### Wednesday, April 18

New Castle 2, Pendleton Heights 1 (10 innings)\*  
 Elwood 4, Delta 2  
 Yorktown 4, Muncie Central 1

#### Thursday, April 19

New Castle 10, Knightstown 2  
 New Palestine 11, Whiteland 7

#### Friday, April 20

New Castle 4, Delta 1\*  
 Delta 6, New Castle 4\*  
 New Palestine 8, Mt. Vernon 5\*  
 New Palestine 4, Mt. Vernon 2\*  
 Shelbyville 3, Pendleton Heights 0\*  
 Pendleton Heights 8, Shelbyville 7 (8 innings)\*  
 Yorktown 5, Greenfield-Central 0\*  
 Greenfield-Central 6, Yorktown 3 (8 innings)\*

### This week's schedule

#### Tuesday, April 24

Delta at Wapahani, 5 p.m.

#### Wednesday, April 25

New Castle at Muncie Central, 5 p.m.  
 New Palestine at Knightstown, 5:30 p.m.

#### Thursday, April 26

Anderson at Mt. Vernon, 5:30 p.m.  
 Hamilton Heights at Pendleton Heights, 5:30 p.m.  
 Knightstown at Greenfield-Central, 5:30 p.m.

#### Friday, April 27

Delta at Shelbyville (2), 5:30 p.m.\*  
 Greenfield-Central at New Palestine (2), 5:30 p.m.\*  
 Mt. Vernon at Pendleton Heights (2), 5:30 p.m.\*  
 Richmond at New Castle, 5:30 p.m.

#### Saturday, April 28

Yorktown at New Castle (2), 10 a.m.\*

#### Monday, April 30

Hauser at Shelbyville, 5 p.m.  
 Yorktown at Alexandria, 5 p.m.  
 Greenfield-Central at Eastern Hancock, 5:30 p.m.  
 Guerin Catholic at Mt. Vernon, 5:30 p.m.  
 Warren Central at New Palestine, 5:30 p.m.

#### Tuesday, May 1

Muncie Burris at Yorktown, 5 p.m.  
 Greenfield-Central at Connorsville, 5:30 p.m.  
 Shenandoah at Mt. Vernon, 5:30 p.m.  
 Westfield at Pendleton Heights, 6 p.m.

### Conference news & notes

- Last week was a busy one of conference games, with a full slate of four twinbills on Friday, as well as two more midweek matchups. This week features another full slate. HHC leader New Palestine hosts second-place Greenfield-Central. Delta travels to Shelbyville and Mt. Vernon visits rival Pendleton Heights Friday. Saturday, New Castle hosts Yorktown.
- Last week, New Palestine took a two-game lead in the conference with a sweep of Mt. Vernon. The Dragons rallied from a four-run deficit to win the opener 8-5. Jacob Garrison pitched a complete game for his third win. Jake Stank had two hits for MV. In the second game, NP won 4-2 behind a 13-strikeout performance from Jack Walker. He and Nick Rusche had two hits and two RBI each. Mt. Vernon is in third place with a 3-2 HHC mark.
- Greenfield-Central moved into second place with a split with Yorktown. The Tigers won Game 1 5-0 behind Sully Swingley's two-hit, six-strikeout complete-game shutout and Justin Cox's two RBI. G-C won the nightcap 6-3 in eight innings. Blake Wilson had three RBI for the Cougars.
- New Castle went 2-1 on the week to improve to 3-2 in the league. The Trojans beat Pendleton Heights 2-1 in 10 innings Wednesday. Rylan Huntley and Logan Cline combined to allow three hits. Friday, NC split two games at Delta. NC won the first game 4-1 as Bryce Huntley allowed no earned runs in the complete game. Delta won Game 6 6-4 with a seventh-inning rally. Dalin Case drove in two runs and Chase Gardner got the win.
- Shelbyville and Pendleton Heights split Friday. Damon Lux threw a three-hit shutout in the Bears' 3-0 Game 1 win. Kamden Early's four RBI led the Arabians to an 8-7 extra-inning Game 2 victory.
- New Palestine is now No. 3 in the Class 4A poll after a perfect week which included a 4-3 win over No. 1 Cathedral.

### Player of the Week

#### Nick Rusche, New Palestine

Rusche was 7-for-13 at the plate, drove in three runs and stole two bases as the Dragons went 4-0, with victories over then-No. 1 Cathedral, Whiteland and two against Mt. Vernon.

### Pitcher of the Week

#### Sully Swingley, Yorktown

Swingley pitched two complete-game victories over Delta and Greenfield-Central. He struck out 13 and allowed no earned runs.

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Pendleton Heights Arabians  
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Shelbyville Golden Bears  
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Yorktown Tigers  
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### HHC statistical leaders (as reported to MaxPreps, thru 4/20)

#### Batting average min 16 PA

	GP	H-A	Avg
Dino Tharp, MV	7	10-20	.500
Nick Rusche, NP	12	19-39	.487
Jaden Cappalletti, MV	8	13-29	.448
Myles Kost, NP	12	13-29	.448
Kamden Early, PH	10	12-29	.414
Sam McCarty, MV	8	11-27	.407
Janson Anderson, NC	11	13-33	.394
Jake Stank, MV	8	9-23	.391
Jackson Taylor, Y	12	14-36	.389
Jacob Garrison, NP	12	15-39	.385
Grant Hickman, NP	6	5-13	.385
Adam Hutchison, G-C	8	9-24	.375
Damon Lux, S	8	9-24	.375
Rylan Huntley, NC	11	14-38	.368
Jack Walker, NP	12	14-38	.368

#### Runs scored

	GP	R
Colby Jenkins, NP	12	21
Nick Rusche, NP	12	18
Graham Reedy, Y	12	14
Myles Kost, MV	12	13
Rylan Huntley, NC	11	12

#### Runs batted in

	GP	RBI
Jack Walker, NP	12	22
Jacob Garrison, NP	12	19
Jake Stank, MV	8	13
Kamden Early, PH	10	12
Colby Jenkins, NP	12	12
Myles Kost, NP	12	12
Nick Rusche, NP	12	12
Justin Cox, Y	12	11
Sam McCarty, MV	8	10
Dino Tharp, MV	7	9
Rylan Huntley, NC	11	9

#### Stolen bases

	GP	SB
Rylan Huntley, NC	11	13
Bryce Huntley, NC	11	8
Graham Reedy, Y	12	8
Colby Jenkins, NP	12	7
Several tied with		6

#### Home runs

	GP	HR
Jacob Garrison, NP	12	4
Colby Jenkins, NP	12	3
Walker, NP/Atwood, G-C/ Hutchison, G-C/Tharp, MV		2

#### Earned run average min 7 IP

	IP	R/ER	ERA
Cameron Espich, NP	9.1	2/1	0.75
Adam Hutchison, G-C	18.1	7/2	0.76
Luke Avila, Y	11.1	3/2	1.24
Damon Lux, S	11	6/2	1.27
Rylan Huntley, NC	11	3/3	1.40
Luke Hargrave, PH	8.2	4/2	1.62
Nic Besecker, NC	12.1	8/3	1.70
Jack Walker, NP	15.1	5/4	1.83
Walker Stull, PH	22.1	7/6	1.88
Jaden Jaques, NP	10.1	5/3	2.03
Sully Swingley, Y	20.2	8/6	2.03

#### Wins

	W-L
Jacob Garrison, NP	3-0
Jack Walker, NP	3-0
Sully Swingley, Y	3-1
Caleb Rush, MV	3-2
Several tied at	2-0

#### Strikeouts

	IP	K
Jack Walker, NP	15.1	30
Adam Hutchison, G-C	18.1	29
Caleb Rush, MV	17.2	26
Walker Stull, PH	22.1	26
Dominic Cantanzarite, Y	19.2	23