

Irwin, Mustangs blank No. 19 Baker

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BALDWIN CITY, Kan. - Madelyn Irwin tossed a one-hit shutout Friday as the Mount Mercy softball team blanked 19th-ranked Baker, 8-



0, in the second game of their Heart of America Conference doubleheader.

Baker won the first game, 14-2, on a combined one-hitter by two of its pitchers.

Mount Mercy jumped to a 5-0 lead in the nightcap and Irwin did the rest in the five-inning contest. She allowed only one single with two strikeouts and one walk.

Tawny Menster and Jolona Shield belted home runs for the Mustangs in the 8-0 victory. Jess Heck was 2-for-3 with two RBIs. Shield and Emily Oler also had two hits. Menster drove in two runs.

Heck hit a solo home run for Mount Mercy in the first game for the Mustangs' only base hit.

The split left the Mustangs at 8-6 overall and 1-1 in the league. Baker is sitting at 17-5 overall and 6-2 in the conference.

GAME 1

Mount Mercy 001 10 - 2 1 2

Baker 000 302 9x - 14 14 2

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Witzany, Stenberg (4) and Miller. Brees, Bermudez-Kimmel (5) and Stromenger. W - Brees. L - Witzany. HR - Heick. SB - Bruner. SF - Bruner.

GAME 2

Mount Mercy 501 02 - 8 10 3

Baker 000 00 - 0 1 1

Irwin and Miller. Brewer, Bermudez-Kimmel (3) and Stromenger. W - Irwin. L - Brewer. 2B - Heick. HR - Menster, Shield. SB - Menster, Miller, Mack.