Carroll wins CR-B baseball tournament

COON RAPIDS - Carroll defeated Dallas Center-Grimes 4-2 in the championship game of the Coon Rapids-Bayard baseball tournament Saturday.

Kyle Christensen got the win for the Tigers and added a two-run home run in the fourth inning. Christensen threw two innings, allowing no hits with two walks and a strikeout. Steven Irlbeck pitched five innings, giving up two runs (0 earned) on seven hits with four walks and three strikeouts.

Michael Dirkx went 2 for 3 at the plate with an rbi single for CHS. Brian Gossett added an rbi single.

Carroll defeated CR-B 11-1 in five innings in the tournament opener.

Tyler Tuel got the win in five innings of work, allowing one run on one hit with four walks and two strikeouts.

Zach Halstead took the loss on the mound in four innings and was relieved by Andy Golay. The two scattered 10 hits, walked five and struck out four.

Kyle Semprini led the Tigers at the plate, going 3 for 4 with a double. Jake Landon was 2 for 2 with a double, a triple and two RBIs. Jesse Ayers was 2 for

Coon Rapids-Bayard gave up six runs in the first inning, but rallied back to defeat Battle Creek-Ida Grove 16-7 in the third place game.

The Crusaders pounded out 16 hits in the contest. Bryce Deeth led the CR-B attack with two triples, a double and four RBIs. Zach Halstead added three hits, a double and four RBIs. Andy Golay had a rbi single and a rbi double. Johnny Schwaller, Cole Corson and Austin McClellan each had two hits. Schwaller added two RBIs and Corson and McClellan one apiece.

Schwaller, McClellan and Golay shared pitching duties for CR-B. The three combined to give up eight hits, walk four and strikeout three.

Deeth and Halstead were named to the alltournament team for CR-B, now 5-2 overall. Dallas Center-Grimes beat BC-IG, 8-3 in the other game.