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Baseball: Indians overpower Copper Basin; edge Tallulah Falls

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Towns County baseball picked up a pair of wins last week over Copper Basin, TN and Tallulah Falls.

At Basin, the Indians held leads of 8-1 and 11-2 before the Cougars scored one in the fifth and five in the sixth for a 12-8 final on Friday.

At Tallulah on Wednesday, the game was canceled after three innings but Towns held a 4-3 lead thanks to a run in the first and three in the second.

Indians 4, Tallulah Falls 3 - Trent Bradshaw pitched all three innings, allowing two earned runs on two hits and three walks while fanning five.

At the dish, Zach Davenport and Seth Fullerton each connected on back-to-back bombs while Brett Denton added an RBI triple in the first.

Tallulah took a 2-1 lead after an inning but it was short-lived as Fullerton blasted a two-run shot left.

Davenport followed that up by sending a 2-1



Towns County baseball in action at Young Harris College earlier in the season. Photo by Lowell Nicholson

pitch out of the yard for a 4-2 advantage.

Tallulah scored an unearned run in the third off an error.

Indians 12, Copper Basin 8 - Bradshaw got the start and tossed five solid innings, allowing three runs, one earned, on three hits

while striking out six and walking two.

Jacob Kinsey worked an inning, surrendering three hits, two walks, and five runs.

Aiden Berrong pitched a perfect seventh, fanning two during a 13-pitch inning. At the plate, he walked twice and

drove in one during a 1-for-2 performance.

Brett Denton turned in a 3-for-5 day at the plate, driving in three and scoring once.

Davenport and Andrew Griffin had two hits and two RBIs apiece. Trey Chastain and Dalton Key also finished

with two hits while scoring three times each.

Fullerton added an RBI double, Bradshaw drove in one and Kaden McClure scored a run.

In the first, Davenport walked and scored, then Denton singled and scored.

Leading 2-1 in the sec-

ond, Griffin drew a bases-loaded walk then Denton and Berrong recorded consecutive RBI singles.

The Indians added three more in the third beginning with back-to-back RBI doubles by Davenport and Fullerton.

Bradshaw made it an 8-1 game with an RBI ground-out - scoring Fullerton.

Basin got a run in the bottom half of the inning but Towns answered with another 3-spot in the fourth.

Three straight walks were followed by a Davenport RBI single. A double-play ball brought home another run before a Griffin RBI single capped off the scoring.

After Basin got one in the fifth, the Indians answered right back with single and a stolen base by Griffin, setting the table for Denton, who delivered a two-out, RBI single.

Leading 12-3, Towns allowed five runs before a double play ended the Cougar rally.

This week, the Indians will face Oglethorpe County on Tuesday and Lakeview on Friday.

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