

2021 CA District 44 Junior Division Tournament of Champions Game Summaries

Monday, June 7th

Junior TOC Game 1

The Mountain View A's and Cupertino faced off in a Juniors TOC game hosted at Purissima Park at 5:30pm on June 7. By virtue of a coin flip, Cupertino was the home team. The A's capitalized on 3 hits and 2 walks to jump up to a 2-0 lead after the first inning. Cupertino's pitching and defense tightened and didn't give up another run after the first inning. Down 2-1 going into the bottom of the 4th inning, Cupertino struck big with 5 runs as a result of 4 hits and 1 walk. Cupertino tacked on another run in the 5th inning and 4 more in the 6th inning to make the score 11-2 entering the 7th inning. Cupertino closed out the game in the 7th inning on some strong pitching and defense. The final score was 11-2.

Individual highlights: Jacob Lee went 5.0 innings and 85 pitches as the starting pitcher for the A's. Kyle Pang paced the A's with 2 hits. Eli Blebleh went 6.0 innings and 75 pitches for Cupertino and helped his cause with the bat by going 3 for 4 with 2 singles, a triple and a walk. Reyn Yamamoto went 3 for 3 with 3 singles and a walk for Cupertino. Jett Hattori, Shoto Kazu and Akira Gok each had 2 hits for Cupertino.

Cupertino advanced to face the Los Altos Red Sox at Moreland's Miller Field on Wednesday, June 9 at 5:30pm, while Mountain View returned to Purissima Park on Friday, June 11 at 5:30pm for an elimination game against the Moreland Marlins.