

Ross, Clay must wait

OREGON — Daylight savings time could not save Ross and Oregon Clay Monday in a first round game of the Class AAA Sectional Baseball Tournament — but the dark gave Ross a bit of a boost.

Tim Belch slammed a two-run homer with two out in the top of the fifth to cap a three-run inning as the Little Giants tied Clay at 3-3. The game was halted at that point because of the dark and will be played from that spot today beginning at 4 p.m.

Belch's homer was to left and followed a walk to Scott Carmack and a triple by Jeff Eicher.

Tom Woleslagel was on the mound for Ross and had allowed five hits while striking out six.

The game, scheduled to start at 6:30 p.m., was delayed for an hour because of an extra inning game in the first tour-

nament contest of the day.

Ross was slated to play at Sandusky today but that game has been postponed.

In a junior varsity game, Ross raised its record to 3-1 with a 9-2 trouncing of Clyde. The Little Giants JVs scored three runs in the bottom of the first inning and coasted the rest of the way.

Joe Berger ripped two hits in three times up with two RBIs for the Little Giant reserves and Dave Walker was two for four with two RBIs.

Ross pitcher Steve Stotz limited Clyde to two hits, one of them a double by Bob Deck, the only extra base hit of the game.

Stotz walked four and struck out six in his two-hit performance.

SCORE BY INNINGS

					R	H	E
Clyde	101	000	0-2	2	2	6	
Ross	310	230	x-9	8	2		

BATTERIES: Mike Churchill, John Pridemore (3) and Bob Mock; Steve Stotz and Chuck Zucker

Ross ousted by Clay

OREGON — It didn't take long for the Class AAA sectional baseball tournament game between Ross and Oregon Clay to be decided Tuesday night.

The two teams resumed play from Monday with the score knotted 3-3 in the bottom of the fifth inning. Clay exploded for six runs off Ross pitchers Chuck Binkley and Tom O'Neill and went on to defeat the Little Giants 11-4. The game was called because of darkness Monday.

Gary Northrup, Gary Molnar and Tim Arthur all doubled for Clay in the big fifth inning. Molnar finished with three hits in four times up, including two doubles and two RBIs. Arthur was two for three with two doubles and Gary Thompson was three for four with RBI for the Eagles.

Tim Belch's two-run homer helped Ross tie the game Monday with a three-run uprising in the top of the fifth inning. Mike Pena and Steve McGilton both went two for four with a double and Pena drove in a run. Jeff Eicher was two for two, including a triple for Ross.

Ross, now 2-10 for the season, will host Toledo Whitmer tonight at Anderson Field.

SCORE BY INNINGS

	R	H	E
Ross	000	031	0— 4 8 2
Clay	111	062	x—11 9 1

BATTERIES: Tom Woleslagel, Chuck Binkley (5), Tom O'Neill (5) and Scott Carmack; Greg Anthony, Jim Belcik (6) and Gary Northrup

WP: Belcik; **LP:** Binkley

Season records: Ross 2-10