

# COMETS

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## ***UTD Baseball sweeps Austin College for three wins***

Richardson, TX--The UT-Dallas Baseball team gave up just seven runs in three games to the visiting Austin College Kangaroos this past weekend. UTD scored a total of 36 runs to get back above .500 and take a strong hold in the ASC at 7-2.

The Comets relied on strong pitching and clutch hitting to score two shutout victories on Saturday in Richardson. In game one, pitcher Jared Franke recorded a complete game shutout, allowing only four hits in seven innings, while striking out eight. Leftfielder Fielding Lewis led the offensive strike for the Comets, collecting two hits in three at-bats, while scoring one of the seven runs.

In game two of the double dip, first baseman Richard Bragg went 2-for-3 and leading the Comet scoring drive on the way to a 1-0 win. In the fourth inning, shortstop Scott Forte was walked and advanced all the way to third on an error by Austin College pitcher McKnight. Catcher Scott Rohmer proved that one sacrifice fly would be the answer, scoring Bragg from third. The Comets held on to win with the help of a stellar pitching performance by Joseph Wollscheid who also pitched a complete game shutout. Wollscheid gave up just walk and five hits, while striking out seven. AC's McKnight only allowed four UTD hits and struck out seven on the day.

UTD now sits at 9-8 overall and 7-2 in the American Southwest Conference East Division. The Comets play host to Mid America Bible this Wednesday at 2:00 pm.

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