

# Helton homer helps Rockies win

DENVER (AP) — Todd Helton homered and drove in two runs, and the Colorado Rockies capitalized on San Francisco's shoddy fielding to beat the Giants 6-4 Tuesday night.

The Giants committed one error and had two passed balls and one wild pitch, with two Colorado runs scoring on those miscues.

Rockies rookie Shawn Chacon (6-5) went five innings, allowing three runs on six hits and surviving five walks. Jose Jimenez pitched the ninth for his 13th save.

Rich Aurilia hit a two-run homer for the Giants. Pinch hitter Marvin Benard homered in the ninth.

Barry Bonds, who with 42 homers has fallen behind Mark McGwire's record 70-homer pace in 1998, went 1-for-3 with a double, two fly outs and a

walk. Bonds, who turned 37 on Tuesday, has failed to homer in six straight games.

The start of the game was delayed 52 minutes because of rain.

In the first, the Rockies had four straight hits, including two doubles, but managed to score only one run, on Helton's double. Helton was thrown out trying to stretch his hit into a triple on right fielder Armando Rios' throw to shortstop Aurilia and his relay to third baseman Ramon Martinez.

The Rockies stranded two runners in that inning, as they did in the second after two walks off Shawn Estes (7-5).

Colorado went up 4-0 in the third. Helton led off with a 424-foot homer, his 28th. Jeff Cirillo followed with a bunt single and Alex Ochoa with a run-

scoring double. Ochoa advanced to third on a groundout and scored on catcher Benito Santiago's passed ball.

The Giants squandered a scoring chance in the second. With one out, Rios walked and Santiago singled. Martinez also singled but right fielder Ochoa gunned down Rios at the plate.

In the fourth, Chacon singled and Juan Pierre doubled, with Chacon scoring on Estes' wild pitch.

Aurilia's two-run homer helped San Francisco cut the deficit to 5-3 in the fifth. Estes led off with a walk and Aurilia hit his 16th homer. Bonds then doubled and scored on Rios' single.

With two outs in the Rockies' half, Ben Petrick walked, went to second on a passed ball and scored on Brent Butler's single.

Notes: Several hours before the

game, the Giants acquired veteran first baseman Andres Galarraga from the Texas Rangers in exchange for three minor-leaguers: LHP Erasmo Ramirez, RHP Todd Ozias and IF Chris Magruder.

Rockies OF Larry Walker did not start for the third straight game because of a sore left hamstring. Walker was expected to return to the lineup in the series finale on Wednesday. Giants IB J.T. Snow was back with the club Tuesday night after being confined to his hotel room on Monday with flu-like symptoms. 3B Ramon Martinez left the game in the fifth with a similar ailment. The Giants changed starters for Wednesday's game, switching from Livan Hernandez to Larry Jensen. Hernandez now will pitch Thursday in Arizona.

# Royals' Kris Wilson outpitches Mariners' Freddy Garcia

SEATTLE (AP) — Seattle starter Freddy Garcia has beat just about everyone this season, except the Kansas City Royals and Kris Wilson.

Wilson outpitched Garcia, the winning pitcher in the All-Star game July 10 in Seattle, for the second time in five days as the Royals beat the Mariners 6-1 Tuesday night.

Garcia (11-3) didn't pitch as poorly as he did Thursday in Kansas City, but Wilson (5-1) pitched better in his seventh start since returning from Triple-A Omaha on May 29.

"Freddy threw the ball better than he did last time," Seattle manager Lou Piniella said. "He only gave up really four runs in eight innings. I thought he threw the ball good."

Garcia gave up four runs — three earned — and nine hits. In his last two starts against the Royals, he's allowed 10 runs on 18 hits in 12 innings.

He's dropped consecutive starts for the first time in his career.

"We tried to make some adjustments," catcher Dan Wilson said of Garcia. "I thought he made some pretty good adjustments and he kept us in the ballgame. We just couldn't get any-

thing going offensively. That was the difference."

Meanwhile, Kris Wilson, a 6-3 winner over the Mariners on Thursday in 90-degree weather in Kansas City, allowed one run and seven hits in eight innings. He walked none and struck out six.

"I don't want to face them a third time," Wilson said. "I had a little bit different game plan tonight. I tried to throw them a lot more offspeed pitches because I think they were locked in on my fastball."

Wilson became the third pitcher to twice beat the AL West runaway-leading Mariners this season. The others were Oakland's Barry Zito and Mark Guthrie.

The Royals snapped a 1-1 tie with three runs in the sixth. Rey Sanchez and Mike Sweeney doubled to lead off the inning for the first run.

Raul Ibanez had a one-out triple, and Gregg Zaun's line-drive single off shortstop Carlos Guillen's glove scored the third run of the inning.

Mark Quinn hit a two-run homer off Seattle reliever Ryan Franklin in the ninth.

The Mariners scored their run in the fifth on Carlos Guillen's single and Dan Wilson's double.

Sanchez, the Royals' shortstop, made a diving stop of Wilson's grounder with two on in the seventh and then started an outstanding inning-ending double play.

After the game, Kansas City's Jermaine Dye said he was sick of all the trade talk involving his name during the past month. The talk heated up as next week's trading deadline approaches.

"First of all, I'm not going to talk about any trades," said Dye, who went 0-for-4 as the Royals' cleanup hitter. "Whatever happens outside of the lines shouldn't affect how I play inside the lines. I'm still here so I haven't been traded yet."

Kansas City manager Tony Muser said he felt sorry for his outfielder.

"I'm sure he's getting tired of talking and thinking about it," Muser said. "It's been going around for a long, long time."

Notes: In his last two starts, Wilson has allowed two earned runs in 15 innings for a 1.20 ERA. CF Mike

# Saturday Shrine Bowl features area students

By Sharon Corcoran  
The Goodland Daily News

Two high school students from Goodland will play in the Masonic Lodge Kansas All-Star Marching Band at the Shrine Bowl in Manhattan Saturday.

Michael Mangus, a junior, and Amanda Hoffman, a senior, left for Manhattan Tuesday morning and will be there through Saturday. Mangus plays the baritone and Hoffman plays the saxophone.

They will perform with the band at a banquet at 6 p.m. Friday on the Kansas State University Campus and in a parade at 10 a.m. Saturday in downtown Manhattan.

The 218 member band will also perform during the pre-game at about 6 p.m. and at half-time at the Shrine Bowl Saturday. Kickoff

for the game will be at 7 p.m.

Two area football players were chosen for the 66 member team, Zach Brown of Colby and Logan Prideaux of Atwood. Tim Lambert from St. Francis was selected as a coach for the team.

This year's game has been dubbed the "Shrine Super Bowl of Hope." Shrine Bowl Volunteer Art Nelson of Goodland said proceeds from the annual event benefit a total of 22 Shriner's Hospitals.

The Shriner's Hospitals were originally founded to help children with burns and orthopedic problems, said Nelson, but now the hospitals also work with the Multiple Sclerosis Foundation and perform operations to correct spina bifida.

Tickets for the game can be purchased at the gate.

# baseball scoreboard

By Associated Press

| American League    |           |           |             |           |
|--------------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|
| East Division      |           |           |             |           |
|                    | W         | L         | Pct         | GB        |
| New York           | 59        | 41        | .590        | —         |
| Boston             | 57        | 42        | .576        | 1 1/2     |
| Toronto            | 47        | 54        | .465        | 12 1/2    |
| Baltimore          | 42        | 57        | .424        | 16 1/2    |
| Tampa Bay          | 32        | 68        | .320        | 27        |
| Central Division   |           |           |             |           |
|                    | W         | L         | Pct         | GB        |
| Cleveland          | 57        | 41        | .582        | —         |
| Minnesota          | 58        | 42        | .580        | —         |
| Chicago            | 49        | 49        | .500        | 8         |
| Detroit            | 43        | 54        | .443        | 13 1/2    |
| <b>Kansas City</b> | <b>39</b> | <b>61</b> | <b>.390</b> | <b>19</b> |

| (Wise 1-2), 8:05 p.m.   |  |
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| <b>Kansas City (Byrd 1-5) at Seattle (Sele 12-1), 8:05 p.m.</b>       |  |
| Minnesota (Mays 11-7) at Oakland (Lidle 4-4), 8:05 p.m.               |  |
| Thursday's Games  |  |
| Detroit (Holt 7-7) at N.Y. Yankees (Keisler 1-2), 11:05 a.m.          |  |
| Minnesota (Johnson 0-1) at Oakland (Heredia 5-7), 1:35 p.m.           |  |
| Toronto (Halladay 0-1) at Boston (Nomo 10-4), 5:05 p.m.               |  |
| Chicago White Sox (Baldwin 7-5) at Cleveland (Nagy 4-3), 5:05 p.m.    |  |
| Baltimore (Roberts 7-7) at Texas (Oliver 7-6), 6:35 p.m.              |  |
| Tampa Bay (Lopez 5-12) at Anaheim (Ortiz 7-7), 8:05 p.m.              |  |
| <b>Kansas City (Reichert 8-8) at Seattle (Pineiro 0-0), 8:05 p.m.</b> |  |

|                 |           |           |             |           |
|-----------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|
| San Diego       | 49        | 52        | .485        | 9 1/2     |
| <b>Colorado</b> | <b>43</b> | <b>57</b> | <b>.430</b> | <b>15</b> |

**Tuesday's Games**

Florida 4, N.Y. Mets 3  
Philadelphia 10, Montreal 2  
Houston 2, St. Louis 1  
Chicago Cubs 10, Pittsburgh 2  
Cincinnati 11, Atlanta 3  
Los Angeles 7, Milwaukee 2  
**Colorado 6, San Francisco 4**  
Arizona 11, San Diego 0

**Today's Games**

Cincinnati (Acevedo 2-2) at Atlanta (Millwood 1-4), 11:05 a.m.  
Montreal (Thurman 5-6) at Philadelphia (Person 8-5), 11:05 a.m.  
Houston (Redding 3-0) at St. Louis (Hermanson 7-8), 11:40 a.m.  
Los Angeles (Prokopec 6-5) at Milwaukee (Sheets 10-7), 12:05 p.m.  
Pittsburgh (D.Williams 1-2) at Chicago Cubs (Lieber 12-5), 12:20 p.m.  
**San Francisco (Jensen 0-2) at Colorado (Bohanon 5-5), 1:05 p.m.**  
N.Y. Mets (Rusch 5-6) at Florida (Dempster 11-8), 5:05 p.m.  
San Diego (Hitchcock 2-0) at Arizona (Batista 5-6), 8:05 p.m.

**Thursday's Games**

St. Louis (Smith 2-0) at Chicago Cubs (Tapani 8-7), 12:20 p.m.  
Atlanta (Marquis 2-3) at Montreal (Munoz 0-0), 5:05 p.m.  
Houston (Mlicki 1-0) at Pittsburgh (Schmidt 6-5), 5:05 p.m.  
Philadelphia (Wolf 5-10) at N.Y. Mets (Trachsel 4-10), 5:10 p.m.  
San Francisco (Hernandez 8-11) at Arizona (Schilling 14-4), 8:05 p.m.  
**Colorado (Neagle 6-4) at Los Angeles (Gagne 3-4), 8:10 p.m.**

**National League**

| East Division    |    |    |      |        |
|------------------|----|----|------|--------|
|                  | W  | L  | Pct  | GB     |
| Atlanta          | 56 | 44 | .560 | —      |
| Philadelphia     | 55 | 45 | .550 | 1      |
| Florida          | 52 | 48 | .520 | 4      |
| New York         | 45 | 56 | .445 | 11 1/2 |
| Montreal         | 44 | 57 | .436 | 12 1/2 |
| Central Division |    |    |      |        |
|                  | W  | L  | Pct  | GB     |
| Chicago          | 58 | 41 | .586 | —      |
| Houston          | 55 | 44 | .556 | 3      |
| St. Louis        | 49 | 49 | .500 | 8 1/2  |
| Milwaukee        | 43 | 56 | .434 | 15     |
| Pittsburgh       | 38 | 60 | .388 | 19 1/2 |
| Cincinnati       | 38 | 62 | .380 | 20 1/2 |
| West Division    |    |    |      |        |
|                  | W  | L  | Pct  | GB     |
| Arizona          | 58 | 42 | .580 | —      |
| Los Angeles      | 58 | 43 | .574 | 1/2    |
| San Francisco    | 52 | 49 | .515 | 6 1/2  |

# recreation scoreboard

**July 9**

**Boys Major**

Hennick Lumber over D.A.V. 13-2  
Vignery & Mason over Miller Construction 8-5  
Unruh Family Chiropractic over Goodlandnet 11-1

**Boys Rookie**

Western State Bank over Flanders Gutting 13-11  
VFW over Wallace County Co-Op 14-7  
Western State Bank over Kiwanis 19-8

**Girls Major**

Crazy R's over Western State Bank 19-11  
KC's Video over Sunwest Investments 11-8  
Whitzel & Rhea over KKCI 17-10

**Topside Co-Ed**

Sigco Sun over First National Bank 21-14  
Short & Son over Kiwanis 21-8  
Short & Son over Sno-Shack 18-16

**July 10**

**Boys Minor**

Waddell & Reed over Marshall's Team 14-13  
Dairy Queen over Heartland Carriers 11-5  
Dan Brenner Ford over Peoples Natural Gas 11-5

**Boys Rookie**

Western State Bank over VFW 20-17

**Men's**

Century Feeders over Brew Crew/Bob's Meat Block 13-8  
Lonny's Quality Auto Body over Coors 24-14  
Tap-N-It over B & K Pumping 18-13  
Budweiser over Inmates 10-7  
Budweiser over Brew Crew/Bob's Meat Block 23-5  
Jackyls over Overhead Door 15-0

**Boys Major**

Unruh Family Chiropractic over Vignery & Mason 4-2

**Co-Ed**

Car Quest over Western State Bank 9-3  
Hitchcock over Mets 8-6

**July 12**

**Girls Major**

KC's Video over Witzel & Rhea 20-9

**Topside Co-Ed**

Sigco-Tournament champions over Short & Son 6-3

**July 16**

**Boys Major**

Hennick Lumber over Unruh Family Chiropractic 11-3

**Boys Minor**

Waddell & Reed over Dan Brenner Ford 10-7

**Co-Ed**

Bud Light over Bowladium Lanes 17-1  
Bowladium Lanes over 1 AB's 17-14  
Hitchcock over Car Quest 14-5

Western State Bank over Mets 20-3

**Girls Major**

KC's Video over Crazy R's 16-15

**July 17**

**Men's**

Coors over Brew Crew/Bob's Meat Block 23-6  
Lonny's Quality Auto Body & ADM over Overhead Door 16-6  
Jackyls over B & K Pumping 21-10  
Inmates over Century Feeders 20-8  
Tap-N-It and Herndon Insurance Agency over Budweiser 15-11  
Lonny's Quality Auto Body & ADM over Tap-N-It and Herndon Insurance Agency 16-6

**July 18**


**Co-Ed**

Car Quest over 1 AB's 15-5  
Hitchcock over Bowladium Lanes 16-6  
Bowladium Lanes over Mets 17-12  
Bud Light over Mets 15-3  
Western State Bank over 1 AB's 10-6  
Bud Light over Hitchcock 12-7

**July 19**

**Co-Ed**

Bud Light over 1 AB's 11-2  
Bud Light over Western State Bank 10-8  
Car Quest over Bowladium Lanes 19-14  
Western State Bank over Bowladium Lanes 25-13  
Car Quest over Mets 14-10  
Hitchcock over 1 AB's 16-1



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