

# ***RICHLAND COLLEGE THUNDERDUCKS***

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## ***THUNDERDUCKS BASEBALL***

The Thunderducks improved to 4-2 in Metro Athletic Conference action with an impressive three-game sweep over Cedar Valley College, including a game that lasted over two days after rained halted play on Friday afternoon at Richland College.

Just before the rains hit, Richland sophomore All-American Josh Walter had just belted a grand slam to give the Thunderducks a 7-4 lead. Play would be carried over to Sunday afternoon when Richland would continue the offensive onslaught scoring two runs in each of the final four innings, including a two-run homerun by sophomore Kyle Caywood, to finish off the Suns, 15-6.

Game two Sunday was just as productive for the Thunderducks, jumping out to a 9-1 lead after four innings, and then completed the ten-run-rule win over the Suns, 12-2, with three runs in the bottom of the sixth inning.

The Thunderducks took advantage of a two-out, three-run double from sophomore Ryan Gibson in the seventh inning of game three, part of a six-run seventh inning, which led to the 6-2 win over Cedar Valley, completing the sweep.

The Thunderducks (8-8, 4-2) finished with 33 runs on 43 hits in the three games. Richland will play host to Mountain View College Tuesday, February 28. First pitch of the double-header is scheduled for 1 p.m.

### Game 1

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Cedar Valley	0	0	1	3	0	0	2	0	0	6	7	1
<i>Richland</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>X</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>2</i>

### Game 2

	1	2	3	4	5	6	R	H	E
Cedar Valley	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	7	1
<i>Richland</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>2</i>

### Game 3

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Cedar Valley	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	6	1
<i>Richland</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>X</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>2</i>