

### **Gators route Plain Dealing 19-0**

**PLAIN DEALING, La.** - The Lakeview Gators routed the Plain Dealing Lions, 19-0, Friday night in non-district baseball action at PDHS.

The Gators (7-13) struck first in the second inning as they scored five runs. Triston Lee-Johnson walked and later scored on a dropped third strike by the catcher. Lynndon Erwin lined an RBI single to right field before Gavin Spears smacked an RBI double to center. Cruz Bandaries, then, singled to score Spears before Tyler Ritchie reached on an error to score Bandaries.

Lakeview's onslaught continued in the third inning scoring two more runs. Erwin doubled to left to score a run before Austin Cherry reached on an error allowing another run to plate making it 7-0.

The Gators put the game away in the fifth as they scored 12 runs sending 15 batters to the plate. Ritchie doubled home Bandaries while Corbin Litton singled home the ninth run as Lakeview ran away with the game.

Erwin led the way for the Gators going 3-for-3 with three runs scored and three RBIs. Bandaries also finished had three hits finishing 3-for-3 with three runs scored and two RBIs. Spears was 2-for-3 with two runs scored and two RBIs as the Gators finished with 11 hits

Ritchie pitched all four innings allowing just one hit and striking out 10. The Lions (3-13) had 10 errors which led to five unearned runs for the Gators.

Next up, the Gators will play a doubleheader against Jonesboro-Hodge on the road Monday beginning at 5 p.m.