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wild pitches allowed Swenson to advance to third and eventually score. With Noble at second, Heidecker hit a bloop single to right for the final run of the inning and made it 3-1.

Homan got out of the second with little trouble. A walk was sandwiched by two strikeouts and a ground out made for a stress free inning.

The advantage continued to grow in the bottom of the second. Grayson Ahrenholz drew a walk to start the inning and was bunted to second by Ethan Strommer. With two outs, Isaac Strommer hit an infield hit and Ahrenholz came around to score. In the next at bat, Homan hit a double to left to score Isaac Strommer and make it 5-1 after two innings.

Homan ran out of pitches in the top of the third and had to be replaced on the mound by Heidecker in the third with two outs and runners at first and second. He walked the first batter he faced to load the bases. The second batter he faced cleared the bases with a double to make it 5-4. With two outs and runners at the corners, New Ulm Cathedral baited MACCRAY to get in a hot box between first and second while the runner on third went home. Due to an interference call by the umpires, the runner was safe at second

and a run scored to make it 5-5.

The rest of the third and the fourth innings went by and both teams were still deadlocked. In the top of the fifth, New Ulm Cathedral scored off a single and an error to make it 7-5.

The Wolverines had runners at first and second with one out in the bottom of the fifth, but two straight strikeouts ended the threat. In the bottom of the sixth, singles from Husman and Isaac Strommer and an intentional walk from Homan loaded the bases. Asche was hit by a pitch and Husman came in to score. Noble hit a single to center and Isaac Strommer came around to score and tie the game 7-7. The Wolverines looked destined to take the lead, but two harmless fly outs ended the inning with the bases loaded.

In the final frame of the game, the two teams were still tied. Ethan Strommer drew a walk with one out to start a rally. With two outs, Isaac Strommer drew another walk and the Raiders decided to avoid pitching to Homan and intentionally walked him to load the bases. Asche stepped into the batter's box and hit a line-drive single to left field and Husman was able to score the winning run to seal fifth place for MACCRAY.

MACCRAY out hit New Ulm Cathedral 10-4 in the game, but 13



Coach Nate Hebrink, middle, has a mound visit to talk with Jace Dirksen in the first inning of the consolation final against New Ulm Cathedral on June 15 in St. Cloud.

walks from MACCRAY pitchers kept the Raiders in the game. Homan went 2 for 3 with two RBI. Isaac Strommer finished 2 for 3 with two runs scored and an RBI. Husman was 2 for 3 with three runs scored. Heidecker went 2 for 3 with an RBI. Asche finished 1

for 4 with two RBI. Noble went 1 for 3 with a run scored and an RBI.

Dirksen started on the mound for MACCRAY, but was unable to record an out. He allowed one earned run with four walks. Homan pitched two and two-thirds innings, allowing two

earned runs off one hit and struck out four. Heidecker pitched the final four and a third innings and allowed two earned runs off three hits and struck out two.



Dreyer Homan



Isaac Strommer

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