

# Rough Riders



## Lady Rough Riders

### Baseball team wins two

The Luna Community College baseball team broke a 9-game losing streak after beating University of the Southwest JV 9-7 and 16-12 over the weekend. The Rough Riders are 6-12 on the year.

JR Maldonado and Wellington Balsley each had two hits in game one. Jared Gonzalez added two RBI with Eric Alvarado hitting a double. James Ramos took the win with Manny Cachora taking the save.

In game two, Joseph Ramos and Maldonado had three hits each. Ramos had 5 RBI including a homerun and a double. Ricky Martinez added two hits with a double. Mike Avilucea added a triple. Arturo Archuleta was the winning pitcher.



Joseph Ramos



Arturo Archuleta

The Rough Riders open up conference play this weekend at Odessa College. "Our conference is one of the best in the nation," said Luna Coach TC Nusser. "It's going to be an uphill battle. Our kids are looking forward to the challenge. We're excited to get it going. Other teams are not expecting much from us; we're hoping to change that opinion."

**Notes:** The Luna softball game scheduled this past weekend with North Platte Community College in Nebraska was cancelled due to weather.