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# East Longmeadow @ Northampton - Softball

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East Longmeadow (14-5-0) **3**

5/24/2011 6 p.m.

Northampton (7-11-0) **2**

### East Longmeadow caps sweep of Northampton, wins Valley Wheel title

Russ Held, The Republican, May 24, 2011 10:27 p.m.

It took the East Longmeadow High School softball team one afternoon to win as many games – two – as it did all of last season.

And with it, the Spartans won the Valley Wheel title with a doubleheader sweep of host Northampton (7-9, 5-2).

East Longmeadow (14-5, 7-0) won the nightcap 3-2 when Gianna Gonyea's two-run triple played the tying and go-ahead runs in the top of the seventh.

Gonyea also added a run-scoring single in the sixth.

Sophomore Madison Grande won both games, spinning a one-hitter during a 1-0 win in Game 1 and a four-hitter in Game 2.

The Spartans, who last won a league title in 2005, have won 10 of 11 after going 5-33 during the two previous seasons combined.

"We have changed the culture of East Longmeadow softball," said coach Tony Bergeron, whose team has two seniors. "To win both games, at their place, it's crazy."

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05/26 at 7 p.m. Boys Volleyball 1st

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##### Hits

**Quianna Diaz-Patterson**

Amherst

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##### Home Runs

**Quianna Diaz-Patterson**

Amherst

**5**

##### Runs Batted In

**Stephanie Godding**

Renaissance School

**28**

West Springfield's Annie Pitkin



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