

# CHATSWORTH

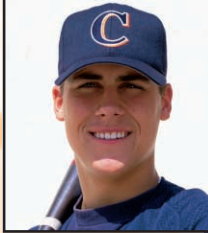
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Second Base - Senior



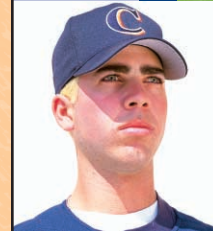
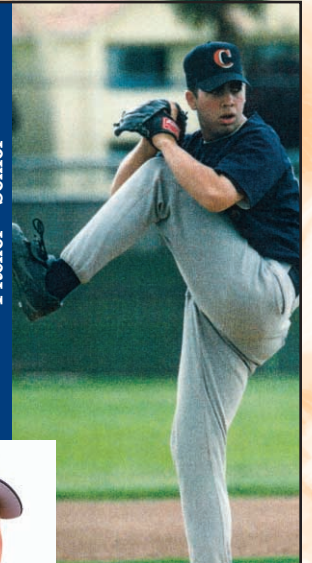
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Third Base - Senior



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Short Stop - Junior



# BASEBALL

1999

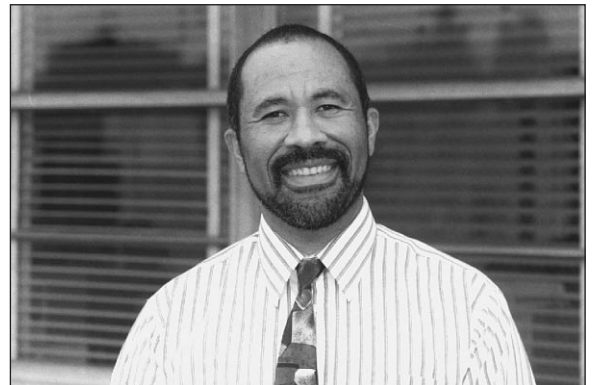
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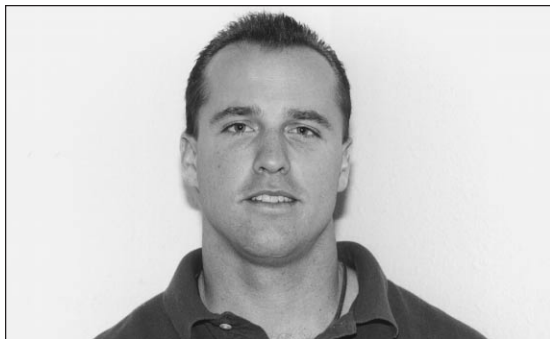
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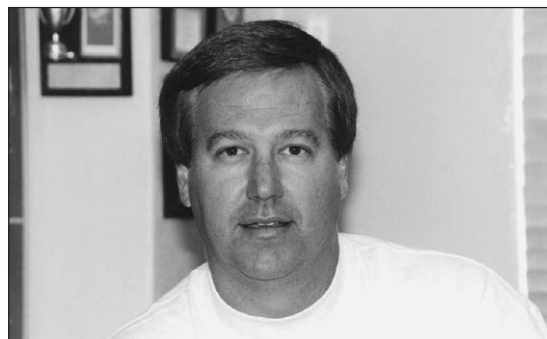
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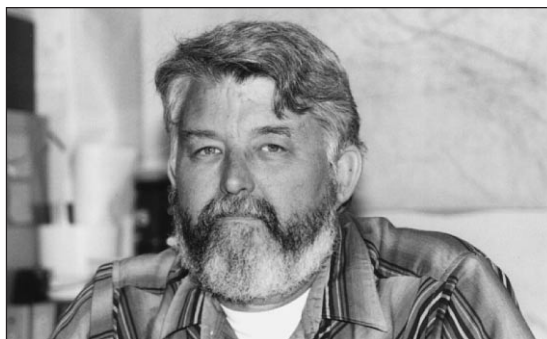
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# 1999 COACHES

## **Tom Meusborn**

### **HEAD VARSITY COACH**

Head Coach Tom Meusborn enters his tenth season as head of the Chatsworth baseball program. Coach Meusborn has guided the Chancellors to seven West Valley League Titles, four City Finals, and a 4A City Championship Title. A graduate of Cal State Long Beach, he and his wife Mary, son Shawn, and daughter Kellie reside in Granada Hills.



## **Ron Martinez**

### **HEAD JUNIOR VARSITY COACH**

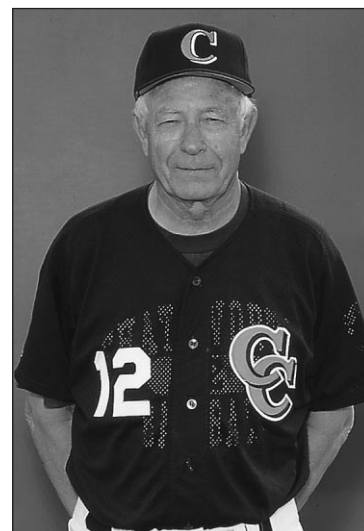
As our Head J.V. Coach, Ron Martinez inherits a team with outstanding young talent. Ron has been a full time instructor at Chatsworth for ten years. He resides in Chatsworth with his wife Rita and son Ryan.



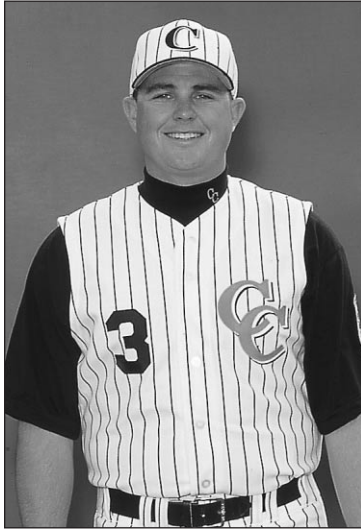
## **Chuck Hatfield**

### **HEAD FROSH / SOPH COACH**

This is Coach Chuck Hatfield's sixth season as Head Coach of the Frosh/Soph Team. For the past nine seasons he has helped run the American Legion program. Chuck brings a lot of knowledge and experience to the program. He resides in Sylmar.



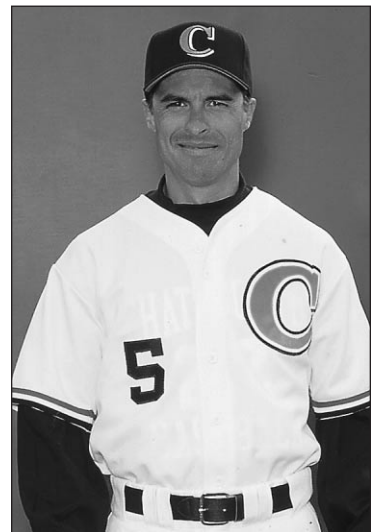
# 1999 COACHES



## **Matt LaCour**

### **ASSISTANT VARSITY COACH**

Matt is a 1992 Chatsworth High graduate and has coached 2 years at U.C. Santa Barbara. Working with our infielders and hitters, Matt brings enthusiasm and knowledge to the program. Matt played on the Chatsworth 1992 semi-final team. He went on to play at Pierce and Santa Barbara City College.



## **Mike Encinas**

### **ASSISTANT JUNIOR VARSITY COACH**

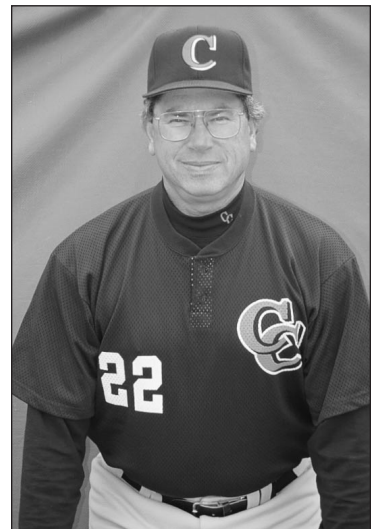
This is Mike's third year as Assistant J.V. Coach. Mike works with the infielders and provides hitting instruction. He teaches Physical Education and resides in Chatsworth.



## **Mitch Root**

### **ASSISTANT VARSITY COACH**

Mitch is a 1991 Chatsworth grad and played on the 1990 City Championship team. He was drafted by the Chicago Cubs in 1991. Mitch is working with outfielders and hitters.



## **Irwin Wexler**

### **ASSISTANT FROSH / SOPH COACH**

Entering his first year as an assistant coach, Irwin is working with the infielders and hitters. He resides in Chatsworth with his wife Sharon.

# VARSITY <sup>1999</sup> roster



NO.	NAME	POSITION	TH/BATS	HT/WT	GRADE
2	Scott Drake	C/P	R/R	5'6"/150	Sr.
4	Matt Fisher	SS	R/R	5'9"/160	Jr.
5	Nick Huston	OF	R/R	6'1"/155	Sr.
6	Jason Spector	2B	R/R	6'0"/160	Sr.
7	Gregg Wallis	2B	R/L	5'10"/150	So.
9	Jacob Ball	1B/P	L/L	6'1"/160	Jr.
10	Mike Kunes	OF/P	L/L	6'2"/190	Sr.
13	Scott Sellz	OF/P	R/R	5'11"/195	Sr.
14	Brett Munson	OF/C	R/R	6'2"/150	Jr.
17	Chad Redfern	OF	R/R	6'3"/165	Sr.
21	Steve Kracow	3B/OF	R/R	5'10"/170	Sr.
22	Matt Cassel	OF/P	R/R	6'4"/195	Jr.
25	Ryan Robbins	P	R/R	6'0"/185	Sr.
28	Jeff Spector	3B	R/L	6'0"/165	Sr.
35	Charles Kenny	1B	R/R	6'2"/220	Sr.

## COACHES

15	Tom Meusborn	Head Coach	Cal State University Long Beach
3	Matt LaCour	Asst. Coach	University of California Santa Barbara
12	Chuck Hatfield	Asst. Coach	University of Oklahoma
16	Mitch Root	Asst. Coach	



# 1999 ..... VARSITY players



**#9**  
**Jacob Ball**

**BIRTH DATE:** 11-5-81  
**HOBBIES:** Fishing, Ping Pong  
**FAV TEAM:** Indians  
**FAV PLAYER:** Will Clark



**#22**  
**Matt Cassel**

**BIRTH DATE:** 5-17-82  
**HOBBIES:** Fishing,  
Breaking Pinātas  
**FAV TEAM:** Dodgers  
**FAV PLAYER:** Mike Piazza



**#1**  
**Bull Dog**

**BIRTH DATE:** 3-24-99  
**HOBBIES:** Getting Dirty  
**FAV TEAM:** Chancellors  
**FAV PLAYER:** Kirk Gibson



**#2**  
**Scott Drake**

**BIRTH DATE:** 9-29-81  
**HOBBIES:** Diving  
**FAV TEAM:** Dodgers  
**FAV PLAYER:** Kevin Brown



**#4**

**Matt Fisher**

**BIRTH DATE:** 9-3-81

**HOBBIES:** Snowboarding,  
Putting Puzzles Together

**FAV TEAM:** Seattle

**FAV PLAYER:** Alex Rodriguez



**#5**

**Nick Huston**

**BIRTH DATE:** 8-28-81

**HOBBIES:** Skydiving, Golf

**FAV TEAM:** Anaheim

**FAV PLAYER:** Darin Erstad



**#21**

**Steve Kracow**

**BIRTH DATE:** 1-14-81

**HOBBIES:** Baseball

**FAV TEAM:** Yankees

**FAV PLAYER:** Don Mattingly

# 1999 ..... VARSITY players



**#35**

**Charles Kenny**

**BIRTH DATE:** 2-5-81

**HOBBIES:** Playing Pool

**FAV TEAM:** Angels

**FAV PLAYER:** Mark McGwire



# 1999 ..... VARSITY players



**#10**  
**Mike Kunes**

**BIRTH DATE:** 9-16-81  
**HOBBIES:** Snowboarding,  
Pool  
**FAV TEAM:** Seattle  
**FAV PLAYER:** Chipper Jones



**#14**  
**Brett Munson**

**BIRTH DATE:** 6-9-81  
**HOBBIES:** Eating  
**FAV TEAM:** Expos  
**FAV PLAYER:** Jeff Bagwell



**#17**  
**Chad Redfern**

**BIRTH DATE:** 12-27-80  
**HOBBIES:** Cruisin'  
**FAV TEAM:** Dodgers  
**FAV PLAYER:** Raul Mondesi



**#25**  
**Ryan Robbins**

**BIRTH DATE:** 12-11-80  
**HOBBIES:** Snowboarding,  
Pool, Bowling  
**FAV TEAM:** Dodgers  
**FAV PLAYER:** Roger Clemens



**#13**  
**Scott Sellz**

**BIRTH DATE:** 5-21-81  
**HOBBIES:** Wiffleball,  
 Fingerpainting  
**FAV TEAM:** Brewers  
**FAV PLAYER:** Ken Griffey, Jr.



**#6**  
**Jason Spector**

**BIRTH DATE:** 7-15-81  
**HOBBIES:** Waterskiing  
**FAV TEAM:** Dodgers  
**FAV PLAYER:** Chipper Jones



**#7**  
**Gregg Wallis**

**BIRTH DATE:** 12-18-82  
**HOBBIES:** Pool  
**FAV TEAM:** Dodgers  
**FAV PLAYER:** Mike Piazza

# 1999 ..... VARSITY players



**#28**  
**Jeff Spector**

**BIRTH DATE:** 7-15-81  
**HOBBIES:** Waterskiing  
**FAV TEAM:** Dodgers  
**FAV PLAYER:** Geoff Jenkins

# 1999 ..... VARSITY team

## PITCHERS

*(Left to Right)*

Matt Cassel  
Mike Kunes  
Jacob Ball  
Scott Drake  
Scott Sellz  
Ryan Robbins  
Charles Kenny



## CATCHERS

*(Left to Right)*

Scott Sellz  
Scott Drake





# 1999 ..... VARSITY team

## INFIELDERS

*(Left to Right)*

### STANDING

Steve Kracow  
Jeff Spector  
Charles Kenny  
Jason Spector  
Scott Sellz  
Jacob Ball

### FRONT ROW

Matt Fisher  
Gregg Wallis



## OUTFIELDERS

*(Left to Right)*

Scott Drake  
Steve Kracow  
Nick Huston  
Brett Munson  
Chad Redfern  
Matt Cassel  
Mike Kunes



# JUNIOR VARSITY <sup>1999</sup> roster



NO.	NAME	POSITION	TH/BATS	HT/WT	GRADE
3	Micke Mata	SS/OF	R/R	5'7"/135	So.
6	Ryan Barba	SS	R/R	5'6"/125	Fr.
9	Oscar Marin	P	R/R	5'9"/168	Jr.
10	Danny Dominguez	C	R/R	5'7"/140	So.
12	Brian Lee	INF	R/L	5'9"/136	Fr.
13	Brent Paet	C/OF	R/R	5'9"/170	So.
15	Jonathan Selman	OF	R/R	5'10"/145	So.
16	Jared Halpert	OF/P	L/L	6'1"/170	Fr.
18	Joe Guntz	P/1B	L/L	5'11"/170	Fr.
19	George Spadier	3B	R/R	6'3"/180	So.
21	Justin Hanchett	INF/OF	R/R	5'7"/170	Jr.
23	Rick Hellreigel	OF	R/R	5'11"/175	Jr.
24	Ian Kramer	P	R/R	5'11"/170	So.
25	Sean Richards	P	L/L	6'0"/190	Fr.
26	Tyler Lord	3B/1B	R/R	6'0"/190	Fr.
27	Andy Orsini	P/1B	L/L	6'2"/180	Jr.

## COACHES

8	Ron Martinez	Head Coach	Long Beach State
5	Mike Encinas	Assistant Coach	Fresno State

# 1999 JUNIOR VARSITY players



**#16** Jared Halpert



**#12** Brian Lee



**#18** Joe Guntz



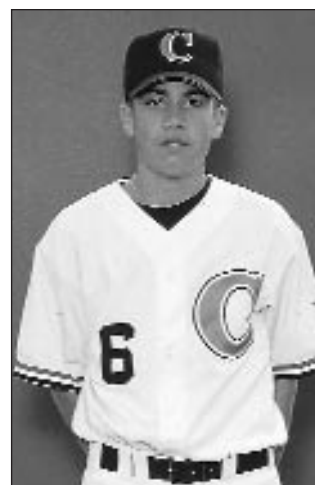
**#24** Ian Kramer



**#10** Danny Dominguez



**#23** Rick Hellreigel



**#6** Ryan Barba



**#21** Justin Hanchett





**#26** Tyler Lord



**#9** Oscar Marin



**#13** Brent Paet



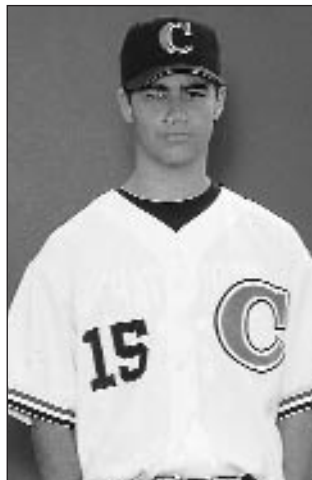
**#25** Sean Richards



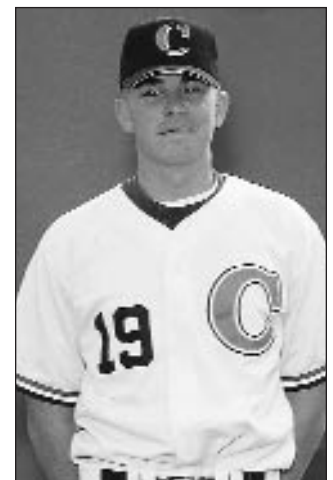
**#3** Micke Mata



**#27** Andy Orsini



**#15** Jonathan Selman



**#19** George Spadier

# 1999 ..... JUNIOR VARSITY players

# FROSH/SOPH <sup>1999</sup> roster

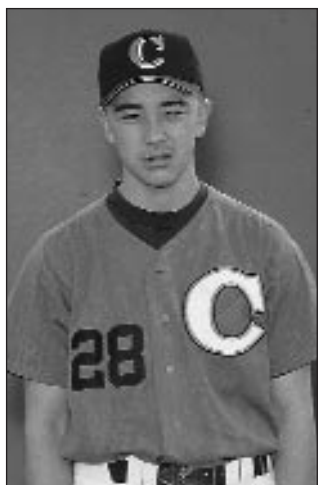


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15	Joudan Leiro	INF	R/R	5'8"/130	Fr.
17	Paul George	INF/OF	L/L	6'0"/160	Fr.
19	Ethan Berger	INF	R/R	5'6"/160	Fr.
20	Robert Alamillo	P	R/R	5'11"/170	Fr.
21	Aaron Baslow	OF	R/R	5'6"/110	Fr.
22	Jaren Ly	C/INF	R/R	5'6"/110	Fr.
25	Ryan Kent	1B	R/R	5'10"/151	Fr.
26	Matt Swartz	P	R/R	5'11"/156	Fr.
28	Paul Baumstark	INF	R/R	5'8"/145	So.
29	Anthony Mercedes	INF	R/R	6'0"/180	So.

## COACH

12	Chuck Hatfield	Head Coach	University of Oklahoma
22	Irwin Wexler	Asst. Coach	Cal State Northridge

# 1999 ..... FROSH/ SOPH players



**#28** Paul Baumstark



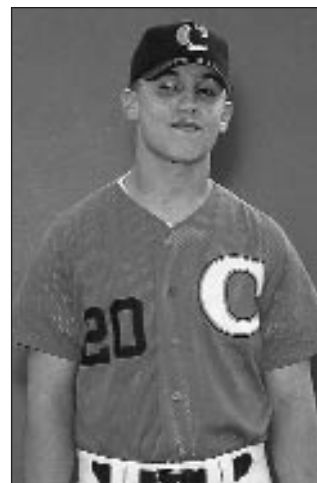
**#25** Ryan Kent



**#21** Aaron Baslow



**#17** Paul George



**#20** Robert Alamillo



**#19** Ethan Berger





**#15** Joudan Leiro



**#29** Anthony Mercedes

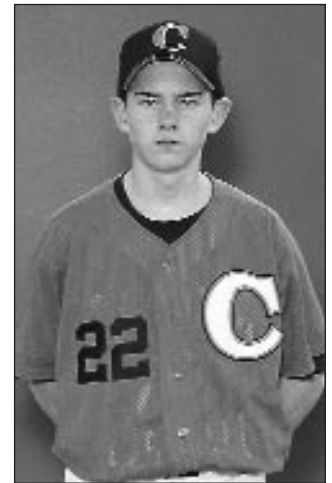


**#8** Walter Lemus

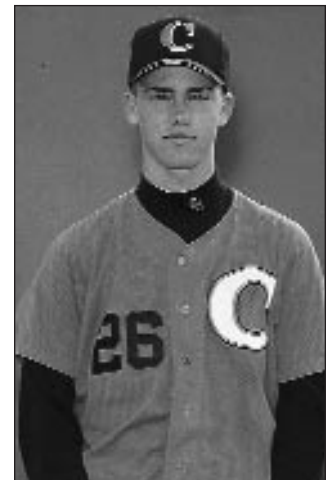


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# 1999 ..... FROSH/ SOPH players



**#22** Jaren Ly



**#26** Matt Swartz

## 1995



L TO R

**Front:** Micah Berger, Frank Dipoma, Matt Evanson, Dan Moreno, Andrew Silver

**Middle:** Greg Wold, Mike Wexler, Randy Whitson, Pat Rizzotti, Ray Daryabigi, Tony Ardito, Rod Daryabigi, Kirby Faciane

**Back:** Assistant Coach Ron Martinez, Assistant Coach Eric Perez, Jon Tucker, Danny Phillips, Harry Kenoi, Fred Farzaneh, Oscar Bocanegra, Joe Tillmon, Head Coach Tom Meusborn

### WEST VALLEY LEAGUE

#### Chatsworth

**VITAL STATS:** 1994 record: 28-5. League finish: first. Playoffs: finals. Key returnees: OF Ray Daryabigi, 2B Rod Daryabigi, P Harry Kenoi, P Oscar Bocanegra, OF Tony Ardito, OF Dan Phillips.

**OUTLOOK:** The championship losses the past two seasons have been bitter, but there will not be a powerful El Camino Real team to deal with, so a return to the title game might not be as difficult.

Pitching will be the strength of this team. Coach Tom Meusborn has five players who he can start. Bocanegra (5-2) had a solid junior season as a replacement and senior hard-thrower Harry Kenoi returns after sitting out last season because of a shoulder injury. Daryabigi, Andrew Silver and Greg Wold could also

#### FORECAST

1. Chatsworth
2. Taft
3. El Camino Real
4. Birmingham

#### Prep Baseball Camarillo Error Lifts Chatsworth

**No. 4 Chatsworth 8, No. 10 Camarillo 7:** With the bases loaded and one out in the bottom of the seventh, Scorpions (2-1) third baseman Nathan Kaup bobbled a Matt Evanson ground ball that scored the winning run for the Chancellors (1-1) in a Westside tournament game.



## 1998 City Finalists



### L TO R

- Front:** Keith Renno, Loren Devries, Bryan Gant, Matt Fisher, Kenny Levinson, Jon Weigand, Eric Paschal, Cody Levinson
- Middle:** Assistant Coach John Dipoma, Brian Fox, Charles Kenny, Clint Schires, Scott Sellz, Ryan Robbins, Ismael Marin, Kevin O'Hara, Assistant Coach Ron Martinez
- Back:** Assistant Coach Mike Encinas, Assistant Coach Matt LaCour, Mike Kunes, Tom Morefield, Danny Eisenberg, Matt Cassel, Jason Renno, Chad Redfern, Assistant Coach Chuck Hatfield, Sara Gudis, Head Coach Tom Meusborn

### Chatsworth Overruns Cassel Reaches City Title Game, 5-

By MICHAEL LAZARUS  
TIMES STAFF WRITER

WOODLAND HILLS—There was no offensive explosion typical of Chatsworth High. Rather, the Chancellors were coldly efficient in their attack in advancing to the City Section 4-A Division baseball final for the first time since 1994.

Chatsworth scored in each of the first four innings, wearing down Kennedy starter Jack Cassel, and went on to a 5-2 victory before a standing-room-only crowd at Pierce College on Thursday.

The top-seeded Chancellors (29-3) will play Please see CHATSWORTH, C18

#### 4-A Final

■ Chatsworth vs  
El Camino Real

■ 7:30 p.m.,  
Thursday

■ Dodger Stadium

#### Inside

■ El Camino Real  
defeated Sylmar,

15-3, in the other

4-A semifinal. C16

### Kunes leads Chatsworth

By Chris Branam  
Daily News Staff Writer

They couldn't even get him with the congratulatory ice shower. That's how good Mike Kunes was, said Chatsworth High baseball coach Tom Meusborn after the junior left-hander shut out El Camino Real 8-0 on Thursday. "You can't ask any more."

Kunes couldn't have done much more to help the Chancellors, ranked No. 1 by the Daily News, beat the No. 7 Conquistadores for the second time this week. He allowed just two hits, struck out eight and also went 2 for 4 with three RBI and two

What made Kunes' day just as impressive is what he didn't do. He didn't walk a batter and he didn't give ECR, the defending City 4-A champion, many good swings at his curveball.

Kunes struck out the side in the first and didn't allow a hit until Matt Schwartz's single up the middle led off the fourth.

"Once we got through the first inning, I knew we were going to be right on," Chatsworth catcher (Kunes) was going to be right on. "It was just right there every Loren Devries wasted any pitches."

### Chancellors Best in West Valley After 14-4 Win

By ERIC SONDEHEIMER  
TIMES STAFF WRITER

CHATSWORTH—Balls were flying around Chatsworth High's baseball field Wednesday like a paper plane in a wind tunnel. "It was the thin air," O'Hara joked. "Chancellor second baseman Mike Kunes (9-1) of Chatsworth and Kurt (9-1) of El Camino Real didn't make it out of the second inning after our batters and giving up a grand slam to Matt Cassel."

Our team got so many runs and so

3, 13-2 in league play) finished each by O'Hara and Bryan Gant, 14-4, in a game halted by the 10-run rule.

ed a three-game sweep of El 4) and provided (Chatsworth) 4) and provided (Chatsworth)



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Outfield/Pitcher - Senior



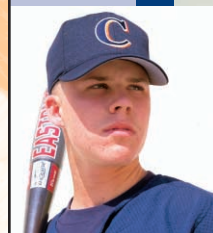
#10 Mike Kunes

Outfield/Pitcher - Senior



#17 Chad Redfern

Outfield - Senior



#35 Charles Kenny

First Base - Senior



# BASEBALL