

# Premium Content Lady Oilers Start Playoffs With Win

Pearland scored five runs in the bottom of the first and seven more in the bottom of the 4th and shutout Channelview 12-0 in the first round of the softball playoffs Thursday night.



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s score in bunches

The Lady O's scored their first five runs on five hits and three Channelview errors, junior centerfielder Lindsey Stewart got things started with a leadoff walk and two steals later scored from third when she scrambled out of a pickle and beat the throw to the plate for the 1-0 lead.

Hot hitting Kaylee Hoppens double home Sydney McKay to add to the lead and the eventual 5 run advantage.



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dney McKay steps up to the plate

Starting pitcher Alyssa Denham cruised from there, striking out the side in the second and third innings. The junior recorded six strikeouts,

More run support came from Sydney Gutierrez who drove in two runs and later Denham herself with a two run double.



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Pearland moves on to the second round of the playoffs to face the winner of the Clear Creek and Fort Bend Clements best of three playoff series.