

# Resurgent Paulsboro off to strong start

With no real expectations coming into the season, the Paulsboro baseball team is off to a fantastic start under first-year coach **Dave Glocker**.

The Red Raiders opened with four straight wins, including victories over defending South Jersey Group 1 champion Gateway and No. 17 Haddon Heights, which was undefeated at the time.

They won just six games overall last spring and will take a 4-1 record into today's Delaney Classic at Clayton.

"The kids have been working hard and the start has brought a real good attitude toward baseball," said Glocker, a 1980 Paulsboro graduate who also coached many of the same kids during their Little League days. "It's uncharted territory for them right now. They're very excited and everything is going great."

"After the Gateway game, they really started to realize that maybe we can keep playing good baseball and win some of these games. And after beating Heights, we're pretty good believers right now."

Paulsboro has been led by seniors **Casey Grimes** and **Tyler Burlingame**.

"They set the table for our offense," Glocker said. "Once they get it going, they all seem to follow."

Grimes is red hot, batting .684 (13-for-19) with three home runs, four dou-

Kevin Minnick



winter," Doppler said. "His work ethic has served its purpose."

## One Golden Eagle

A junior shortstop, **Ryan Williams** is off to a great start after playing second base last season for top-ranked Seneca.

Out of the leadoff spot in the order, Williams is batting .571 (12-for-21) with four doubles. He's also made several standout plays with the glove.

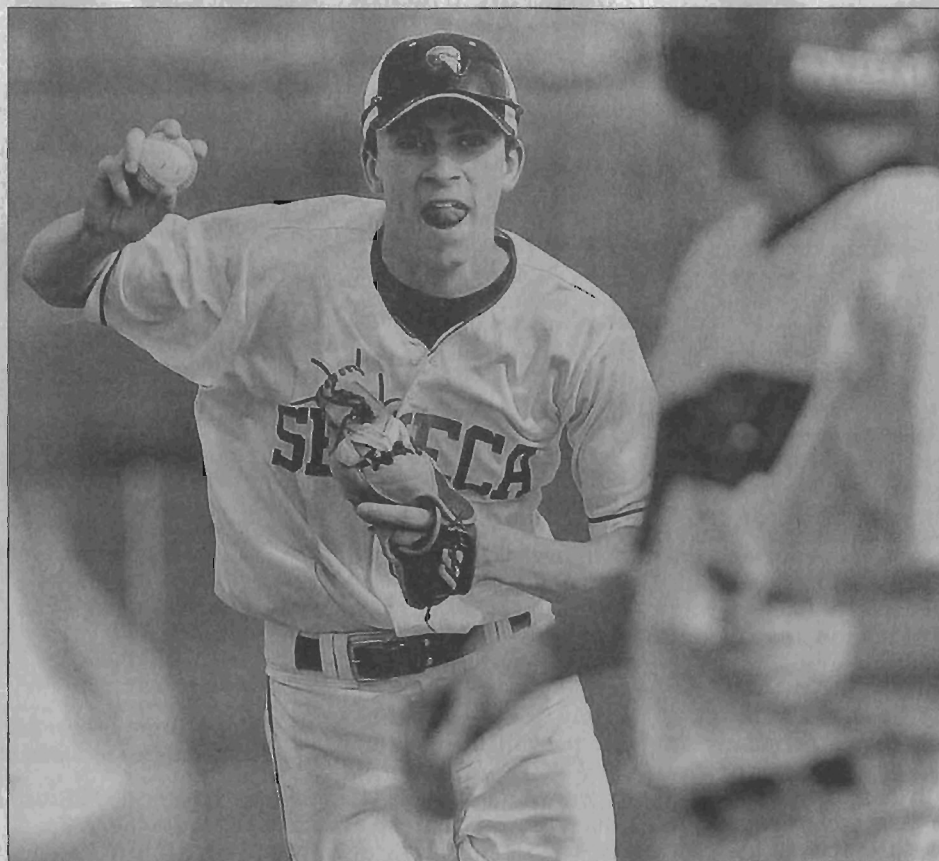
"He's doing all of the things we expected from him," coach **Sean Cassel** said. "His offseason work has translated into a real nice year so far. He's been absolutely fantastic."

## Terrific numbers

Entering Friday's Cape Atlantic game with Atlantic City, junior **Cory Dick** has been red hot at the plate for No. 5 St. Augustine. He was batting .619 (13-for-21) with a double, one homer, five runs scored and seven RBIs.

"He's seeing the ball really well," third-year coach **Mike Bylone** said. "It seems like every time up he's getting a hit."

In addition, **Steve Dom-browski** (.500), **Anthony**



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Seneca junior shortstop **Ryan Williams**, who runs Pennsauken's **Juan Martinez** back to first base, has been impressive with the bat for the Golden Eagles.

## STANDINGS

Friday's games not included

### COLONIAL CONFERENCE Liberty Division

	League			Overall		
	W	L	Pts	W	L	Pts
Haddonfield	5	1	10	5	1	
Haddon Heights	4	1	8	4	1	
West Deptford	2	2	4	4	3	
Collingswood	2	3	4	2	4	
Sterling	1	3	2	3	3	
Overbrook	0	3	0	0	6	

### COLONIAL CONFERENCE Patriot Division

	League			Overall		
	W	L	Pts	W	L	Pts
Haddon Twp.	4	1	8	5	2	
Paulsboro	4	1	8	4	1	
Audubon	2	1	4	4	3	
Gateway	2	2	4	2	4	
Lindenwold	1	4	2	1	4	
Woodbury	0	4	0	0	5	

### OLYMPIC CONFERENCE American Division

	League			Overall		
	W	L	Pts	W	L	Pts
Lenape	2	0	4	7	1	
Washington Twp.	1	0	2	6	2	
Cherokee	0	1	0	5	2	
Cherry Hill East	0	1	0	4	3	
Eastern	0	1	0	6	2	

### OLYMPIC CONFERENCE Patriot Division

	League			Overall		
	W	L	Pts	W	L	Pts
Shawnee	2	0	4	5	3	
Winslow Twp.	1	0	2	6	2	
Cherry Hill West	0	0	0	5	2	
Triton	0	1	0	1	3	
Pennsauken	0	2	0	1	7	

### OLYMPIC CONFERENCE National Division

	League			Overall		
	W	L	Pts	W	L	Pts
Bishop Eustace	3	0	6	5	3	
Paul VI	3	2	6	3	3	
Timber Creek	1	0	2	2	4	
Seneca	0	1	0	2	4	
Camden Co. Tech	0	2	0	1	4	
Camden Catholic	0	2	0	1	5	

### BURLINGTON COUNTY LEAGUE Liberty Division

	League			Overall		
	W	L	Pts	W	L	Pts
Moorestown	3	0	6	4	1	
Rancocas Valley	3	1	6	6	1	
No. Burlington	1	2	2	2	5	
Burlington Twp.	1	3	2	2	3	

# Varsity

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## LEADERS

Friday's games not included

### HOME RUNS

Barbieri, Cherokee	5
Moyer, Northern Burlington	5
Yezzo, Bishop Eustace	3
Semmel, Holy Cross	3
Powell, Cherokee	3
Brue, Gloucester Catholic	3
Smith, Hammononton	3
Semmel, Holy Cross	3
Grimes, Paulsboro	3
Morrow, Penns Grove	3
Floyds, Shawnee	3

### TRIPLES

Talbot, Lenape	3
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