

Lions take state Group title since

Squeeze in 10th inning w

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CLINTON TWP. – The North Hunterdon High School softball team literally squeezed out a win Sunday night.

Senior Jess Nolan's one-out squeeze bunt scored sophomore Cate Sand in the top of the 10th inning to lift North Hunterdon, No. 11 in the latest NJ.com Top 20 rankings, to a dramatic 6-5 victory over No. 9 Vineland in the NJSIAA Group 4 Final at Kean University's Cougar Field in Union Sunday.

North Hunterdon (25-5), which has won four straight, seven of its last eight games and won the Group 4 title for the first time since 2014, advanced to the Tournament of Champions (TOC).

The Lions are seeded third in the TOC and were scheduled to face sixth-seeded and Non-Public B champion Lodi Immaculate at Ivy Hill Park in Newark on Tuesday.

Lodi Immaculate (20-7) has won three straight and nine of its last 10 games.

The winner will advance to Wednesday's semifinals and will face second-seeded Robbinsville, the Group 2 champ, also at Ivy Hill with first pitch scheduled for 5 p.m.

"Jess (Nolan) is our cleanup hitter, but she didn't hesitate when we gave her the sign to bunt," said North Hunterdon head coach Anthony Rotondo. "She's one of the

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Vikings end suc baseball season

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LEBANON TWP. – The highly successful season of the Voorhees High School baseball team came to an end last as the Vikings were ousted from the state tournament and then bowed in its regular-season finale.

Voorhees, which was seeded third, surrendered two

top of the third inning.

Voorhees battled with eight unanswered but could not get any er. The Vikings dealt aware Valley its only sional loss – a 12-10 set on May 5.

In his fifth season a helm, head coach Cory guided Voorhees to a 16 cord – its most succe since it went 18-4 in 201



Above: Voorhees High School on Wednesday, May 23, hosted an invitational track meet for New Jersey Unified Sports teams. **Below:** The event also included a long jump competition.



Voorhees hosts Unified Sports invitational meet

LEBANON TWP. – For the first time since the inception of Unified Sports at the school, on Wednesday, May 23, Voorhees High School hosted an Invitational track meet for Unified Sports teams in New Jersey.

Unified Sports brings together students with and without disabilities to compete in various sports, such as basketball, soccer and track and field. During the Wednesday, May 23 In-

vitational Track Meet, athletes participated in various track and field events including, long jump, 100 meters, 400 meters, 200 meters, 4x100 relay, and shot put.

Six teams competed – Voorhees High School, Delaware Valley High School, Franklin High School, Hillsborough High School, Hopewell Valley Central High School and Moorestown High School.

Prior to the track meet,

Voorhees High School Unified Club hosted a picnic for Unified Club members and Unified Sports athletes that included food, lawn games and an election of officers for the United Club for 2018-2019.

The Voorhees team finished third behind Hopewell Valley and Moorestown High Schools respectively. This was the third track meet for the Voorhees Unified team this season.