

The St. Mary's Tigers' softball team lost a pitcher's duel to the Pine Prairie Panthers, 2-1, Saturday morning at the Alexandria Senior High Tournament at the Johnny Downs Softball Complex.

The Lady Tigers (5-4) got a terrific pitching performance from Grace Wren who threw a complete game allowing one earned run, two walks, four hits and striking out seven.

However, the Panthers (7-4) were led in the circle by Ava Kordish who pitched a complete game as well. She fanned 13 Lady Tigers and allowed just three hits and one unearned run.

St. Mary's finished with just three hits while the Panthers only had four. Pine Prarie, however, broke a 1-1 tie in the top of the fifth when Lainey Campbell drilled an RBI double for the game's deciding run.

The Lady Tigers will play the host team ASH (4-6) later on Saturday.