

# RITE NOW @ ROP



## Summer Ball Park Experience

In a heartwarming close to the summer season, Les Peters Academy treated a group of juvenile girls to an unforgettable evening at the ballpark. The girls, enjoyed America's favorite pastime as they watched the Lakeland Flying Tigers take on the Tampa Tarpons at Steinbrenner Stadium.

As part of a positive reinforcement initiative and community integration effort, the girls walked together from the facility to the stadium under staff supervision. Spirits were high as the group arrived just in time for the first pitch, with many donning team colors and trading predictions on the game's outcome. For many of the girls, this was their first time attending a live baseball game. The atmosphere was electric not just from the crack of the bat or cheers from the stands, but from the joy of a new experience.

The girls and staff enjoyed hotdogs, sodas, and snacks, giving the girls a chance to simply enjoy a carefree summer evening. This outing was about giving these young women a memory that reminds them of normalcy, community, and hope. They've worked hard all summer, and they deserved to have fun.

The Lakeland Flying Tigers and the Tampa Tarpons delivered an exciting matchup, but for these young fans, the highlight of the evening was being part of the crowd, laughing with peers, and savoring the last night of summer vacation. As the sun set and the lights lit up the field, smiles and laughter echoed through the stands a testament to how even small moments of joy can leave a lasting impact.