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### Game Notes

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"Who turned on the heat?"

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### GLENS FALLS 7 AMSTERDAM 6

GLENS FALLS, N.Y. - Alberto Morales (Clarendon) scored on a two-out double by Chase Griffin (Ga. Southern) in the bottom of the ninth to give the Golden Eagles a walk-off win over the Mohawks. The wild game featured three ties and one lead change. Amsterdam's Josh Nethaway (UAlbany) forced a 5-5 deadlock in the seventh with a two-RBI single and then he gave the Mohawks a 6-5 lead in the ninth with an another RBI knock. Casey Rodrigue (LSU Eunice) doubled to start the home half of the ninth. Two batters and two outs later, Morales punched home Rodrigue with a game-tying single. Griffin followed with a belt into the left-field corner that plated Morales from first with the winning run. Griffin also launched a massive solo home run for the Eagles and Casey Rodrigue scored three times. Five Mohawks had two hits apiece. Zak Colby (Faulkner) went 2-for-2 with three walks and two runs scored. Chase Green (SIUE) and Ed Charlton (NJIT) each had two hits, one RBI and one run.

### ONEONTA 12 ALBANY 3

ONEONTA, N.Y. - Zach Lucas (Louisville) belted a grand slam and the Outlaws scored eight-unanswered runs to down the Dutchmen at Damaschke Field. Albany led 1-0 through four on an Adam Young (UC Davis) RBI double. Lucas swatted away Albany's edge with a two-out grand slam in the fifth. Zach Remillard (Coastal Carolina-2012-13) drew the Dutch back within one, 4-3, with a two-RBI double. The Outlaws responded with a six-score surge in the home half of the sixth that was keyed by five hits and two Albany errors. Zander Wiel (Vanderbilt) smashed the biggest hit of the rally with a two-run double. Wiel added another RBI single in the eighth. Oneonta's 12 runs were recorded on 12 hits. Eight Outlaws had at least one hit and four tallied multiple runs. Clay Holcomb (Troy) went 2-for-4 with two RBI and Shane Crain (Louisville) had two hits, scored twice and drove in one run. Starter Sheldon Lee (San Francisco) tossed a four-hitter for seven innings and struck out five to claim his fifth victory. Nolan Gaige (UAlbany) compiled two of Albany's three runs.

### NEWARK 4 ELMIRA 3

ELMIRA, N.Y. - Sean Osterman (St. John Fisher) socked a two out, two-RBI single in the eighth inning that propelled the Pilots on to a comeback victory over the Pioneers at Dunn Field. Spencer Brann (UC Davis) and Kendall Konopka (Ariz. Christian) each drove in a run as the Pioneers amassed an early 2-0 lead. The Elmira advantage held until the seventh when a Ben Bostick (St. John Fisher) RBI single and an error allowed the Pilots to draw level. With the score tied 2-2 in the eighth, Newark's Josh Perez (Miss. College) singled and he moved to third on a Joe Landi (URI) double. With two outs, Osterman punched a single that plated both runners to give the Pilots a 4-2 lead. Elmira rallied in the bottom of the eighth behind a Spencer Brann RBI single. However, Newark relievers Chris Rogers (Okla. Baptist) and Cullen Babin (Delta State) each forced Elmira to strand the potential tying run on base in each of the final two innings. Pilots' starter Phillip Flach (Samford) hurled a three-hitter for seven innings and fanned five. Elmira's Zac Bellinger (VCU) led both teams with three hits and teammate Clark Wise (Wofford) scored twice.

### WATERTOWN 18 COOPERSTOWN 1

WATERTOWN, N.Y. - Matt McClain (St. Mary's, Texas) pitched a four-hitter for seven innings and the Wizards erupted for 18 runs on 20 hits to hammer the Hawkeyes. McClain yielded a lone score in the second, walked three and struck out seven in his third win. Cooperstown's Kyle Liner (Binghamton) ripped an RBI double in the second to give the visitors a 1-0 lead. Watertown scored the next 18 runs, all of which came after a 35-minute rain delay in the middle of the second inning. The Wiz Kids plated four each in the second and third, two in the fourth, one in the fifth, three in the sixth and four more in the eighth. All nine Watertown starters had at least one hit and seven of nine posted multi-hit efforts. Donald Walter (CPP) went 4-for-5 with five RBI and three runs scored, A.J. Capone (Saint Rose) clubbed a two-run belt and was 2-for-4 with four tallies and three RBI and Cole Gleason (Wabash Valley) had three hits, two RBI and two runs scored. Derek Hagy (UTPA) and Dustin Exford (NE Okla. A&M) also had two RBI each for the Wizards.

### 2012 PGCBL Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Amsterdam	26	8	.788	-
Mohawk Valley	21	13	.618	5.0
Newark	20	16	.543	7.0
Glens Falls	18	17	.500	8.5
Oneonta	17	17	.500	9.0
Albany	16	17	.485	9.5
Elmira	14	21	.400	12.5
Watertown	14	21	.400	12.5
Cooperstown	9	25	.273	17.0

### LAST NIGHT'S SCORES

Oneonta 12 Albany 3  
Glens Falls 7 Amsterdam 6  
Watertown 18 Cooperstown 1  
Newark 4 Elmira 3

### TONIGHT, PITCHING PROBABLES

*Oneonta at Cooperstown, 5:00 PM*

ONE: Taylor Hicks 1-3, 4.42 ERA

COOP: Cody Cooper 1-5, 6.98 ERA

*Elmira at Watertown, 7:00 PM*

ELM: Matt Holling 1-1, 3.65 ERA

WAT: Rene Solis, 3-1, 1.32 ERA

*Mohawk Valley at Amsterdam, 7:05 PM*

MV: Cameron Sorgie 1-1, 4.18 ERA

AM: Rocky McCord 4-0, 1.31 ERA



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## PERFECT GAME SUMMER TOP 30 RANKINGS (July 16, 2012)

1. Newport Gulls (New England)
2. Keene Swamp Bats (New England)
3. **AMSTERDAM MOHAWKS (PGCBL)**
4. Harwich Mariners (Cape Cod)
5. Yarmouth-Dennis Red Sox (Cape Cod)
6. Mankato MoonDogs (Northwoods)
7. Santa Barbara Foresters (California Collegiate)
8. Edenton Steamers (Coastal Plain)
9. Cotuit Kettleers (Cape Cod)
10. Wenatchee Apple Sox (West Coast)
11. San Luis Obispo Blues (California Collegiate)
12. Winchester Royals (Valley)
13. LaCrosse Loggers (Northwoods)
14. Chatham Anglers (Cape Cod)
15. Baltimore Redbirds (Cal Ripken Sr.)
16. Orleans Firebirds (Cape Cod)
17. Fayetteville Swamp Dogs (Coastal Plain)
18. East Texas Pump Jacks (Texas)
19. West Virginia Miners (Prospect)
20. Cincinnati Steam (Great Lakes)
21. Nashua Silver Knights (Futures)
22. Bethesda Big Train (Cal Ripken Sr.)
23. Falmouth Commodores (Cape Cod)
24. Humboldt Crabs (Far West)
25. Liberal Beejays (Jayhawk)
26. Waynesboro Generals (Valley)
27. Butler Blue Sox (Prospect)
28. Leesburg Lightning (Florida)
29. Wilmar Stingers (Northwoods)
30. Palm Springs Power (Southern California Collegiate)

Other teams receiving consideration...

Anchorage Glacier Pilots (Alaska), Bellingham Bells (West Coast), Columbia Blowfish (Coastal Plain), Corvallis Knights (West Coast), Dodge City A's (Jayhawk), DuBois County Bombers (Prospect), Duluth Huskies (Northwoods), Forest City Owls (Coastal Plain), Green Bay Bullfrogs (Northwoods), Harrisonburg Turks (Valley), Hornell Dodgers (NYCBL), Kenai Peninsula Oilers (Alaska), Lima Locos (Great Lakes), **MOHAWK VALLEY DIAMONDDAWGS (PGCBL)**, New Bedford Bay Sox (New England), Regina Red Sox (WMBL), Rockville Express (Cal Ripken), St. Joseph Mustangs (MINK), San Diego Force (Western Baseball Assoc.), Southern Ohio Copperheads (Great Lakes), Syracuse Jr. Chiefs (NYCBL), Terre Haute Rex (Prospect), Trenton Generals (ACBL), Victoria Generals (Texas), Wilmington Sharks (Coastal Plain), Winter Park Diamond Dawgs (Florida), Wisconsin Woodchucks (Northwoods)

### PGCBL GRAND SLAM LOG (ALL-TIME)

- 1 - Steve Anderson, Albany (vs. Newark, 6/21/11)
- 2 - Erick Gaylord, Watertown (at Glens Falls, 6/30/11)
- 3 - Josh Nethaway, Amsterdam (at Cooperstown, 7/13/11)
- 4 - Ben Miller, Cooperstown (vs. Newark, 8/5/11), PGCBL Division Series, Game 1
- 5 - Quinn Pippin, Cooperstown (vs. Mohawk Valley, 7/2/12\*)
- 6 - Chase Williamson, Amsterdam (vs. Cooperstown, 7/3/12)
- 7 - Zach Lucas, Oneonta (vs. Albany, 7/16/12)

\*Hit actual grand slam on 7/15, the day the game was completed. However, game final score and stats are retroactive to July 2.

## ATTENDANCE REPORT

	Avg.	Total	Last	High
ALB	294	4705	436	436
AM	1425	24219	973	3251
COOP	378	6810	612	739
ELM	2916	55416	3329	4182
GF	801	13610	600	3051
MV	709	12763	651	2143
NEW	935	15903	742	2018
ONE	1372	23326	1202	4412
WAT	522	8345	323	1327

### 2012 PGCBL Quick Facts

**Founded:** 2010

**First Season:** 2011

**President:** Jeff Kunion

**Executive Committee:** Brian Spagnola, David Dittman, Darin Williams and Bob Ohmann

**Regular Season:** June 6 - August 1

**Regular Season Games:** 48

**All-Star Game:** July 24

**Location:** Shuttleworth Park; Amsterdam

**Division Format**

All nine teams play in one nine-team division. PGCBL teams in 2012 include the Albany Dutchmen, Amsterdam Mohawks, Cooperstown Hawkeyes, Elmira Pioneers, Glens Falls Golden Eagles, Mohawk Valley DiamondDawgs, Newark Pilots, Oneonta Outlaws and Watertown Wizards.

**Eligibility Requirements:** Player must have remaining collegiate eligibility to participate.

**Roster Limit:** 30 players

**Playoffs:** August 3 - August 9

**Playoff Teams:** Four, the top four teams in the standings at the end of the regular season qualify for the playoffs.

**Format:** Two rounds, each contested in a best-of-three series. The playoff semifinals will run from August 3 through August 5 and those will be followed by the PGCBL Championship Series which will take place from August 7 through August 9. In the divisional playoffs, the higher seed will host the first and third game (if necessary) of the series and the lower seed will host the second game. The same format will be used in the finals with the higher-seeded team hosting the first and third game (if necessary and the lower-seeded team hosting the second game.