

2012 Perfect Game Collegiate Baseball League Game Notes Sunday, July 22, 2012 "Showdown Sunday" Volume 2, No. 46 Written by John McGraw Director, PGCBL Media Relations Contact: PGCBLpr@gmail.com Web: http://www.pgcbl.com Twitter: @PGCBLbaseball

#### **GLENS FALLS 12 AMSTERDAM 4**

GLENS FALLS, N.Y. - Ross Kivett (Kansas State) went 5-for-5 with a home run, three RBI and four runs scored to lead the Golden Eagles to their fifth victory over the Mohawks. Kivett became just the fourth PGCBL player this season to record a five-hit effort. He doubled and scored in the first, bunted home a run in the second, singled and scored in the fourth, singled home another run in the fifth and then smashed a lead-off home run in the seventh. Overall, the Eagles posted 12 runs on 15 hits and 11 of the 12 runs were recorded in the first five innings. Eight of nine Golden Eagles had at least one hit. Alberto Morales (Clarendon) went 3-for-4 with three RBI, Casey Rodrigue (LSU Eunice) had two hits and drove in two runs and Danny Brennan (Saint Louis) scored three times. Golden Eagle starter Neil Fryer (Siena) held Amsterdam to two runs on seven hits through seven innings and struck out five. For the Mohawks, Jeff Boehm (Kentucky) drove in two runs, Demarcus Henderson (Miss. State) went 2-for-4 with one RBI and Giuseppe Papaccio (Seton Hall) scored twice.

### **NEWARK 7 MOHAWK VALLEY 2**

NEWARK, N.Y. - Austin Logan (UC Davis) and Brent Langston (Delta State) combined to drive in five runs and Cullen Babin (Delta State) allowed two scores through six as the Pilots flew away from the DiamondDawgs at Colburn Park. Logan cracked RBI singles in the third, fourth and eighth; his base hit in the third broke a scoreless tie. Langston drew a bases-loaded walk as part of a three-run fourth and then cranked an RBI single in the eighth to increase his overall RBI total to a league-leading 40. Cullen Babin gave up one earned run in six innings and struck out three. Relievers Austin McAuliffe (NJIT) and Mark Scott (San Joaquin Delta) did not allow a run in the final three frames; Scott pitched out of a bases-loaded jam in the ninth and struck out the side. Ben Bostick (St. John Fisher) scored three times for the Pilots. Eddie Sorondo (Delaware State) ripped three hits for the Dawgs and Jack Morrow (Young Harris) clubbed a solo home run, his sixth belt of the summer.

## **ALBANY 2 WATERTOWN 0**

WATERTOWN, N.Y. - Blake Smith (Morehead State) pitched a four-hit shutout for 7.1 innings and Trevor Lacosse (Bryant) struck out four in a five-out save as the Dutchmen blanked the Wizards at the Duffy Fairgrounds. Smith retired the first 10 batters he faced and scattered four singles. He struck out four and induced 14 ground outs. Smith pitched the entire game with the lead; Albany scored twice in the first on a Will Remillard (Coastal Carolina) sacrifice fly and a Ryan Gasporra (Centenary) RBI single. Trevor Lacosse struck out back-to-back batters with two men in scoring position in the eighth and then he earned a game-ending strikeout with men on second and third in the ninth. Smith and Lacosse combined to allow just six hits. Watertown's Ryann Dunn (CPP) held Albany scoreless for six of his seven innings but yielded two tallies in the first. Jared Martin (Cumberlands) and Adam Young (UC Davis) each had three Albany hits; Young scored one run.

#### **ELMIRA 4 ONEONTA 1**

ONEONTA, N.Y. - Justin Bhatti (Norfolk State) threw a five-hitter for seven innings and Zac Bellinger (VCU) went 2-for-4 with three RBI to lead the Pioneers past the Outlaws in front of 1,670 fans at Damaschke Field. Bhatti blanked the Outlaws through the first six innings and then let in a single run in the seventh. Peter Jay (New Haven) and James Yacabonis (Saint Joseph's, Pa.) each pitched one scoreless frame of relief. Zac Bellinger gave Elmira the lead for good with a two out, two-run single in the first inning and he added a second RBI hit in the third. Steven Patterson (San Joaquin Delta) scored two of Elmira's four runs and he had two hits. Spencer Brann (UC Davis) was 2-for-4 with one run scored and one runner thrown out attempting to steal. Zach Lucas (Louisville) doubled twice for the Outlaws, Omar Garcia (State College of Florida) had two singles and Cody Hough (UC Riverside) socked an RBI single in the seventh inning.

2012 PGCBL Standings							
Team	W	<u> </u>	Pct.	GB			
Amsterdam x	29	9	.763				
Mohawk Valley	22	17	.564	7.5			
Glens Falls	21	17	.553	8.0			
Newark	21	19	.525	9.0			
Oneonta	19	20	.487	10.5			
Albany	18	19	.486	10.5			
Watertown	16	23	.410	13.5			
Elmira	16	23	.410	13.5			
Cooperstown	11	26	.297	17.5			

LAST NIGHT'S SCORES Elmira 4 Oneonta 1 Albany 2 Watertown 0 Glens Falls 12 Amsterdam 4 Newark 7 Mohawk Valley 2

**TONIGHT, PITCHING PROBABLES** *Cooperstown at Oneonta, 5:00 PM*COOP: James Norwood 2-5, 4.14 ERA
ONE: Sheldon Lee 5-1, 2.85 ERA

Newark at Watertown, 5:00 PM NEW: Phillip Flach 3-2, 3.23 ERA WAT: Brian Burns 0-1, 6.35 ERA

Albany at Glens Falls, 7:00 PM ALB: Andrew Furber 2-1, 4.50 ERA GF: Tayler Saucedo 2-3, 6.60 ERA

Mohawk Valley at Amsterdam, 7:05 PM MV: Eddie Fitzpatrick 2-3, 6.60 ERA AM: Taylor Martin 2-2, 4.58 ERA





## PGCBL ALUMNI IN THE PROS UPDATE

#### SINGLE-A

Ben Alsup (Amsterdam 2008) - Asheville Tourists Matt Colantonio (Amsterdam 2009-2010) - Fort Wayne Tin Caps Dave Filak (Amsterdam 2009) - Rome Braves Dan Gamache (Amsterdam 2009) - West Virginia Power Anthony Giansanti (Glens Falls 2008-2009) - Peoria Chiefs Carlos Gonzalez (Watertown 2011) - Dayton Dragons Sean Jamieson (Elmira 2009) - Burlington Bees Ryan Kemp (Mohawk Valley 2009) - Dayton Dragons Ty Kelley (Amsterdam 2010) - Cedar Rapids Kernals Chris Lashmet (Glens Falls 2009-2010) - West Virginia Power Taylor Lewis (Amsterdam 2010) - West Virginia Power Nick McCoy (Glens Falls 2008) - Charleston River Dogs Joe Melioris (Mohawk Valley 2010) - Cedar Rapids Kernals Dennis O'Grady (Saratoga\* 2008) - Fort Wayne Tin Caps John Pedrotty (Watertown 2009) - South Bend Silverhawks Chris Peters (Mohawk Valley 2009) - Lansing Lugnuts Chad Stang (Glens Falls 2008) - Wisconsin Timber Rattlers

## **SHORT-SEASON A**

Andrew Brown (Glens Falls 2009) - Tri-City Dust Devils Neiko Johnson (Watertown 2009) - Tri-City ValleyCats Rodarrick Jones (Glens Falls 2009) - State College Spikes Goose Kallunki (Cooperstown 2010) - Eugene Emeralds Braden Kapteyn (Amsterdam 2009) - Lowell Spinners Dan Klein (Glens Falls 2011) - Vancouver Canadians Carlos Lopez (Elmira 2010) - Auburn Doubledays Luke Maile (Amsterdam 2010-2011) - Hudson Valley Renegades Mason McVay (Amsterdam 2009) - Salem-Keizer Volacanoes Mike Mergenthaler (Elmira 2008) - Salem-Keizer Volcanoes Tom Murphy (Oneonta 2010) - Tri-City Dust Devils Eric Phillips (Glens Falls 2009) - Vancouver Canadians Joe Sclafani (Amsterdam 2009) - Tri-City ValleyCats Derrick Stultz (Oneonta 2010) - Yakima Bears David Valesente (Elmira 2007) - State College Spikes Andrew Wall (Elmira 2010) - Auburn Doubledays Jack Wagoner (Glens Falls 2007) - Mahoning Valley Scrappers Daniel Watts (Glens Falls 2009) - Yakima Bears

# PGCBL 2012 5-HIT GAMES

- 1 Jeff Boehm, Amsterdam (vs. Cooperstown, July 8)
- 1 Zak Colby, Amsterdam (vs. Cooperstown, July 8)
- 1 Joe Landi, Newark (vs. Watertown, July 9)
- 2 Zak Colby, Amsterdam (at Newark, July 11)
- 1 Ross Kivett (vs. Amsterdam, July 21)

ATTENDANCE REPORT							
	Avg.	Total	Last	High			
ALB	295	5308	329	436			
AM	1393	26460	1246	3251			
COOP	385	7323	513	739			
ELM	2918	58359	2943	4182			
GF	786	14932	630	3051			
MV	725	14495	719	2143			
NEW	979	18603	725	2018			
ONE	1394	27893	1670	4412			
WAT	506	9612	500	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.