

2012 Perfect Game Collegiate Baseball League Game Notes Tuesday, June 19, 2012 "Super Happy Terrific Tuesday" Volume 2, No. 13

### ELMIRA 3 COOPERSTOWN 1 (10) - Resumed from June 7

COOPERSTOWN, N.Y. - Aaron Nardone (Delaware State) and Stephen Clout (New Haven) clocked back-to-back RBI doubles in the 10th inning to pace the Pioneers to a resumed game extra-inning victory over the Hawkeyes on Monday afternoon at Doubleday Field. The contest began on June 7 and was suspended prior to the bottom of the third due to rain with the score tied at one. Elmira's Lee Gilliam (UNC Greensboro) and Cooperstown's Andrew Grann (New Paltz) traded scoreless frames nearly through the end of regulation. Elmira finally broke through in the 10th with two runs on three hits. Nardone plated Clark Wise (Wofford) with a two-out double and then Nardone raced home on a double by Stephen Clout. Craig Pearcy (Morehead State) pitched a scoreless ninth for the win and Jimmy Yacabonis (Saint Joseph's, Pa.) retired three of four batters faced in the 10th to seal a twin bill opening win.

#### **ELMIRA 5 COOPERSTOWN 3**

COOPERSTOWN, N.Y. - Spencer Brann (UC Davis) and Zac Bellinger (VCU) drove in four of Elmira's five runs as the Pioneers swept a non-traditional doubleheader from the Hawkeyes at Doubleday Field. Bellinger bashed a two-run double in the sixth to spot the visitors a 3-0 lead and then in the next inning, Brann launched a massive two-run home run to center field. Cooperstown scored the final three runs of the game; Chris Blanton (CSU Monterey Bay) doubled home two tallies in the ninth to bring the potential tying run to the plate with two outs. Elmira's Jimmy Yacabonis (Saint Joseph's, Pa.) ended the threat and the game with a strikeout. Spencer Brann and Graeme Zaparynzski (Slippery Rock) each recorded two hits for Elmira; Zaparynzski scored two runs. Aaron Nardone (Delaware State) added three bases on balls. Cooperstown starter Denis Buckley (Charleston Southern) struck out seven and yielded one run on three hits over five in a tough-luck loss.

#### AMSTERDAM 2 ALBANY 0

AMSTERDAM, N.Y. - Chandler Shepherd (Kentucky) and Chase Williamson (Auburn) pitched a combined two-hit shutout to lead the Mohawks to their second-straight shutout victory. Shepherd yielded just two singles in eight dominant frames, walked one and struck out six. Williamson spun a perfect ninth to record his first save. Amsterdam's Matt MacDowell (Dartmouth) broke a scoreless tie in the fifth with a one-out RBI single. Nathan Gomez (Marshall) added an insurance run in the seventh with a two-out base hit that scored Giuseppe Papaccio (Seton Hall). Papaccio and Chase Green (SIUE) each had three hits to lead seven different Mohawks with one hit apiece. Albany starter Matt Snyder (Va. Tech) pitched well in defeat. Snyder spread out nine hits over six frames and yielded just one run. Nick Chapman (UNC Greensboro) and Morgan Phillips (Charleston) each had a hit for Albany.

#### NEWARK 3 MOHAWK VALLEY 2

LITTLE FALLS, N.Y. - A bases-loaded walk to Sean Osterman (St. John Fisher) in the fifth inning proved to be the difference for the Pilots in a one-run victory over the DiamondDawgs at Vet's Park. Newark's Brent Langston (Delta State) clubbed a two-run double in the third inning, it would be just one of three hits for the Pilots. Mohawk Valley responded with two scores in the bottom of the inning on a Tyler Heck (Union, N.Y.) RBI sacrifice bunt and a Chris Cruz (Cornell) RBI single. Newark took advantage of four free passes in the fifth inning to score a run without the benefit of a hit. The bases-loaded walk to Osterman plated Josh Crowdus (Delta State) with the eventual winning run. Newark's Daniel Thorpe (Saint Joseph's, Pa.) and Chris Rogers (Okla. Baptist) combined to scatter seven hits and yield one earned run. Rogers tossed three scoreless frames from the bullpen to close out the win; he ended the game by picking a runner off of second in the bottom of the ninth. MV's Jack Morrow (Young Harris) led both teams with three hits.

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## 2012 PGCBL Standings

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Team	W	Ĺ	Pct.	GB	
Amsterdam	7	2	.778		
Oneonta	6	3	.667	1.0	
Newark	6	3	.667	1.0	
Albany	5	5	.500	2.5	
Watertown	5	5	.500	2.5	
Glens Falls	5	5	.500	2.5	
Cooperstown	3	6	.333	4.0	
Mohawk Valley	3	6	.333	4.0	
Elmira	3	8	.273	5.0	

#### LAST NIGHT'S SCORES

Elmira 3 Cooperstown 1 (10) - Resumed Elmira 5 Cooperstown 3 Oneonta 8 Glens Falls 4 Amsterdam 2 Albany 0 Newark 3 Mohawk Valley 2

TONIGHT, PITCHING PROBABLES Oneonta at Cooperstown, 5:00 PM ONE: Sheldon Lee 1-0, 1.50 ERA COOP: James Norwood 1-1, 3.00 ERA

Newark at Glens Falls, 7:00 PM NEW: Andrew Tidwell 2-0, 1.29 ERA GF: Ryan Peterson 0-1, 12.49 ERA

Elmira at Watertown, 7:00 PM ELM: Justin Bhatti 0-1, 10.34 ERA WAT: Matt McClain 1-0, 9.00 ERA

Amsterdam at Mohawk Valley, 7:05 PM AM: Rocky McCord 0-0, 2.61 ERA MV: Evan Wolf 0-0, 0.00 ERA



#### **ONEONTA 8 GLENS FALLS 4**

ONEONTA, N.Y. - The Outlaws scored four times in the sixth inning to gallop away from the Golden Eagles on Monday night at Damaschke Field. The two teams traded blows through the first five with the visiting Golden Eagles rallying from deficits of 1-0 and 3-1 to force a 3-3 tie at the end of the fifth. Zach Lucas (Louisville) un-leveled the score with a two-run single early in the sixth and he was brought home two batters later on a Shane Crain (Louisville) RBI double. Clay Holcomb (Troy) capped off the rally with a sacrifice fly. After the Eagles and Outlaws traded single scores in the seventh, Oneonta's Matt Schmitt (Illinois State) entered from the bullpen and tossed two shutout innings to secure the Outlaws sixth win of the season. Omar Garcia (State College of Florida), Logan Brown (Baylor), Zach Lucas and Heath Holder (Georgia) all had two hits for the Outlaws; Brown and Lucas each drove in two runs. Casey Rodrigue (LSU Eunice) tallied twice for the Eagles and Danny Brennan (Saint Louis) had two RBI.

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# TUESDAY TEAM LEADERBOARD

#### TEAM BATTING AVERAGE

.282

.268

.257

.228

.224

.221

.220

.220

.220

Amsterdam

**Glens Falls** 

Watertown

Mohawk Valley

Cooperstown

Newark

Elmira

Albany

Oneonta

#### Newark 7.55 Amsterdam 6.11 Watertown 5.40 Oneonta 5.22 Glens Falls 5.20

RUNS PER GAME SCORED

Oneonta	5.22
Glens Falls	5.20
Albany	4.30
Mohawk Valley	4.00
Elmira	3.63
Cooperstown	3.56

#### TEAM EARNED RUN AVERAGE

2.20
2.28
3.04
3.19
3.49
3.93
4.25
4.53
5.20

# RUNS PER GAME ALLOWED

Amsterdam	3.11
Oneonta	4.22
Cooperstown	4.22
Newark	4.56
Albany	5.00
Glens Falls	5.30
Mohawk Valley	5.56
Elmira	6.09
Watertown	6.20

ATTENDANCE REPORT							
	Avg.	Total	Last	High			
ALB	310	1239	322	335			
AM	1838	7350	1182	3251			
COOP	286	1145	235	450			
ELM	2526	12632	3246	4182			
GF	1100	5550	814	3051			
MV	772	4630	524	1237			
NEW	1063	4253	746	1853			
ONE	949	3795	711	1218			
WAT	511	3067	612	612			

#### 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.