NYCBL Standings

Eastern | W | L | Pct.
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Red Wings | 18 | 11 | .621
Oneonta | 17 | 12 | .586
Salt Cats | 17 | 14 | .548
Sherrill | 15 | 15 | .500
Cortland | 11 | 19 | .367
JR Chiefs | 10 | 21 | .323

Western | W | L | Pct.
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Hornell | 24 | 6 | .800
Twins | 18 | 10 | .643
Rochester | 16 | 13 | .552
Niagara | 16 | 14 | .533
Genesee | 13 | 18 | .419
Olean | 9 | 17 | .346
Wellsville | 7 | 21 | .250

All-Star Day Recap:

Western All-Stars 1, Eastern All-Stars 0

HOUGHTON, N.Y. — The Kerr-Pegula Athletics Complex was the site for the 58 best players in the New York Collegiate Baseball League on Tuesday. Once the game started after a day of festivities, excellent pitching silenced the bats as the Western Division All-Stars defeated the Eastern Division All-Stars 1-0 in the 2014 NYCBL All-Star Game.

The West pitchers brought a perfect game into the sixth inning, which was broken up by Tom Nagy (Salt Cats/Bentley) with a base hit to center off pitcher Jacob Chipka (Ridgemen/Hope).

David Anderson (Twins/Muhlenberg) started the game, throwing a nine-pitch first inning. Anderson, along with Jordon Accetta (Dodgers/Wofford), Seth Cornell (Dodgers/Houghton), and Zachary Krivda (Dodgers/Penn State Greater Allegheny) all struck out at least one East batter in their perfect 1-2-3 innings. Connor Hamilton (Ridgemen/Cedarville), who also was the winning pitcher, came away with the victory in a four-pitch inning and did not strike out a batter.

The Western pitchers, after allowing two baserunners in the second, retired the final 11 batters of the game, securing the victory.

Zach Verner (Power/John Carroll) earned the save of the game, throwing six straight strikes and recording a strikeout to close it out.

The highlight offensively was from the Western Division’s Brandon Sandoval (Dodgers/Vanguard) who went 2-for-3 with a walk. Those efforts earned Sandoval the Bob Belizzi Big Stick Award as the Offensive MVP.

The West team got their lone run in the bottom of the third. Andrew Bonnette (Rapids/Walsh) hit a rocket back off the pitcher Patrick Merryweather’s (Silversmiths/Onondaga CC) glove, and then off of second base and then into center field. It scored Fernando Garcia (Twins/Murray St) from second and that gave the West a lead for good.

Today in NYCBL History:

July 9, 2010—Ryan Avery went 3-5, including a walk off single in the bottom of the 12th as Cooperstown defeated Oneonta 4-3.

Written By Cameron Boon
NYCBL Game of the Day: Rochester @ Hornell 7:00 pm

The playoff race is beginning to heat up, and two teams right in the midst of it all will meet at Maple City Park tonight. The Ridgemen are currently in third looking to close the gap in the West on the second place Geneva Twins. To do so however, they have to face one of the team with the league’s best record: The Hornell Dodgers.

Straight out of the All-Star Game, Jordan Accetta (Wofford) will toe the mound for the Dodgers. Accetta is one of the strongest hurlers in the league this season, boasting a 6-0 record with a 2.47 ERA. He has struck out 28 opponents this season, not including the strikeout he had last night for the Western All-Stars.

Casey Whittle (Union) will throw for Rochester. He has only allowed one earned run in his last three appearances, and is 3-3 on the year with a 2.51 ERA. In one of his more recent games against the Olean Oilers, Whittle threw a one-run complete game.

Alumni Update:

Zach Hedges, P, Rochester ’12

Hedges was selected in the 26th round of the 2014 MLB Draft by the Chicago Cubs. Since then, the former Ridgemen has been playing in the Arizona League. He has come in relief for the Cubs this season, throwing two innings in two games. He has been effective so far, giving up one hit and striking out one. He won his first game of his professional career on July 4th.

NYCBL ALL-STAR AWARD WINNERS

-HOME RUN DERBY- TOM NAGY, SYRACUSE SALT CATS

-TOM KENNEY GOLD GLOVE (DEFENSIVE)- BEN MAUSETH, ONEONTA OUTLAWS

-BOB BELIZZI BIG STICK (OFFENSIVE)- BRANDON SANDOVAL, HORNELL DODGERS

-2014 NYCBL ALL-STAR GAME MVP- ANDREW BONNETTE, GENESEE RAPIDS
Single Season Wins Leaders Since 2006:
1. Louie Bernardini, SP ’06, 7
2. Jacob Petit, UTI ‘11, 7
3. Jordan Accetta HOR ‘14, 6
4. David Anderson GT ‘14, 6
5. Sean O'Dowd, WW ‘06, 6
6. Ashton Mowdy, GR ‘07, 6
7. Luis Castillo, WW ‘07, 6
8. Rye Davis, EP ‘08, 6
9. Ryan O'Rourke, BR ‘08, 6
10. Jack Wagoner, GF ‘08, 6
11. Jordan Backes, HD ‘09, 6
12. Ethan Striz, SJR ‘12, 6
13. Nick Boyd, HOR ‘12, 6
14. Chris Jansen, HON ‘13, 6

Single Season Saves Leaders Since 2006
1. John Colella (Elmira) ‘10 13
3. Josh Goodin (Hornell) ‘08 11
4. Matt Vieira (Watertown) ‘06 11
5. Abram Williams (Amsterdam) ‘10 11
7. Alex Adami (Brockport) ‘09 8
8. Matt Branham (Brockport) ‘08 8
9. Marc Damon (Glens Falls) ‘08 8
10. Tommy Eng (Syracuse Jr. Chiefs) 8

Single Season Stolen Base Leaders Since 2006:
1. Brenden Constantino, SHR ’11, 63
2. Justin Fahy, NIA ‘11, 34
3. Mike Rosenbaum, SSC ‘11, 30
4. Ben Mauseth Oneonta ’14 28
5. Mike Perkins, ELM ‘08, 27
6. Ryan Burnett, ROM ‘11, 27

Longest Hitting Streaks since 2011:
1. Chris Bostick (WEB ‘11) 18
2. Alex Sanchez, Jr. (SJR ‘12) 17
3. Nick Flemister (WEB ‘11) 15
4. Tre Edwards (GTW ’14) 14
5. Alex Sanchez, Jr. (SJR’12) 13
6. Frank Salerno (SJR ’12) 12
7. Sam Kim (GRW ’14) 10

Single Season Doubles Leaders Since 2006
1. Joe McIntyre, WY ‘07, 16
2. Jesse Bosnik, BR ‘08, 16
3. Chris Newcomb, ALG ‘11, 16
4. Josh Davis, ROC ‘13, 16
5. Kenny Wright, EP ‘06, 15
6. Dan DeGeorge, GF ’07, 15
8. Anthony Renz, HOR ’13, 15

Sam Kim Geneva Red Wings ’14 14

Single Season Triples Leaders Since 2006
1. Darin Mastroianni, SP ‘06, 8
2. Ben Bostick, WEB ‘11, 7
3. Jake Levine, ONE ‘13, 7
4. Chris Bostick, WEB ‘11, 6
5. Leon Stimpson, GEN ‘11, 6

Anthony Massicci Syr Salt Cats ’14 5

Single Season Walks Leaders Since 2006
1. Jonathan Keppler, HD ‘09, 44
2. Mike Consolmagno, GF ‘06, 43
3. Bryan Rose, SP ‘07, 37
4. Neiko Johnson, WW ‘09, 37
5. Trey Bennett, GD ‘09, 36
6. Vincent Mejia, GF ’10, 36

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Single Season HBP Leaders Since 2006
1. Daniel Hall, NP ’10, 17
2. Justin Bunkis, SP ‘06, 16
3. Stefen Romero, GF ‘08, 16
4. Frank Polino, NIA ‘11, 16
5. Leon Stimpson, GEN ‘11, 16

Michael Kerr Genese ‘14 13

Single Season Batting Ave. Leaders Since 2006
1. Alex Sanchez, SJR ’12, .444
2. Jon Kemmer, OLE ’12, .441
3. Matt Perry, GRW ’08, .427
4. Daniel Hall, NP ’10, .427
5. Chris Bostick, WEB ’11, .413

Sam Kim Geneva Red Wings ’14 .427
Kevin Brice Sherrill ’14 .418

Brenden Constantino, SHR ‘11, .417