Ridgemen @ Oilers
**When:** 5:00 pm  **Where:** Olean High School, Olean, NY  
**Probables:** ROC-TBD OLE-TBD  
>The first matchup of the day is one that features the two bookends of the NYCBL standings. The last place Ridgemen continue to struggle stringing wins together as they have yet to have a winning streak this year. The Oilers are trying to hold off the Wellsville Nitros who are now just a half game back following Olean's loss to Niagara yesterday.

Nitros @ Power
**When:** 7:00 pm  **Where:** Sal Maglie Stadium, Niagara Falls, NY  
**Probables:** WEL-Herren (1-1, 6.75 ERA) NIA-Brasser (0-1, 3.85 ERA)  
>The Nitros will look to catch the first place Oilers with a win over the Power today. Niagara is coming off a big win against said Oilers and will look to start their first winning streak since June 12th.

Dodgers @ Red Wings
**When:** 7:00 pm  **Where:** McDonough Park, Geneva, NY  
**Probables:** HOR-Anderson (1-0, 3.21 ERA) GEN-Hanlon (0-0, 3.60 ERA)  
>Both teams entered yesterday's game at .500 and today the Dodgers will try to avoid losing a second straight game to Geneva, which would further lower their standing in the NYCBL. The Red Wings will look to further distance themselves from the middle of the pack with a second straight win.

JR Chiefs @ Outlaws
**When:** 7:00 pm  **Where:** Damaschke Field, Oneonta, NY  
**Probables:** SJR-Clark (2-1, 2.73 ERA) ONE-Milburn (1-1, 2.03 ERA)  
>Two of the better pitchers in the NYCBL will duel tonight as one team looks to end a streak while the other hopes to keep one going. Syracuse has lost four straight. Oneonta has stacked three straight victories. With a win the Chiefs would be a back at .500. With a little help, the Outlaws could be tied for first place.

Twins @ Salt Cats
**When:** 7:00 pm  **Where:** Falcon Park, Liverpool, NY  
**Probables:** GEN-TBD SSC-TBD  
>After being blanked by the Salt Cats at home, the Twins will look to bounce back on the road, as they desperately try to find some way out of 10th place. The Salt Cats will try and extend their two-game winning streak as they sit a game behind the first place Oilers.
**JUNE 28, 2013**

**THE RUNDOWN**

**Of Note:**

**Smitties’ Roller Coaster Pitching:**

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>Thursday’s loss was an anomaly when it comes to the 2013 Sherrill Silver-smiths. For the first time this season, the Silversmiths lost a game in which they allowed less than four runs. In their previous two losses, Sherrill’s staff has been more than respectable, owning an ERA of 3.18. If the lineup can pick up the slack, the Smitties could be back on the winning track.

**Olean Gains National Attention Again:**

> The Olean Oilers have once again been mentioned as “receiving consideration” in PerfectGame.com’s most recent national rankings of collegiate baseball.

Read more on the rankings at [http://www.perfectame.org](http://www.perfectame.org). The NYCBL has done well this year in exhibition matchups, with Niagara and Geneva recently beating teams from other collegiate leagues.

2013 NYCBL Season Information:

**Regular Season Format:**

Each team will play a 40 game regular season.

**Playoff Teams:**

Six – The top six teams in the league advance to the playoffs.

**Playoff Format:**

Three rounds beginning on July 23rd. The first round will feature the #3 teams vs. #6 team and the #4 team vs. #5 team in a one game winner take all. The winners of these two games will advance to play the #1 and #2 teams in a best-of-three series. The winners of those two series will play for the NYCBL Championship in a best of three series. The highest seeded team will be the home team in game one and game three if necessary.

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**Player of the Day:**

**Bobby Twitty, RF, Niagara Power**

**St. Leo College**

3-4 (1 3B), 1 R, 1 RBI, 0 BB, 0 K, .302 AVG., .343 OBP

Twitty returns to the Player of the Day section of our Game Day publication after a tremendous performance against the first-place Oilers. Scoring two of the Power’s five runs, Twitty helped earn Niagara a much-needed win. His three hits raised his batting average from .271 to .302.

**Sabermetric:**

Twitty ranks second on the Power with a Runs Created rating of 12.701, which is also good for 7th best in the NYCLB. Runs created is a measure of how many runs the player has supplied to his team.

**Pitcher of the Day:**

**Luke Crumley, Oneonta Outlaws**

**University of Georgia**

W (2-0), 6.1 IP, 1 R, 1 H, 3 BB, 9 K, 2.04 ERA, 1.00 WHIP

Crumley continued his impressive season, holding the Silversmiths to one run over 6.1 innings while allowing just one hit, three walks, and striking out nine. On the season, Crumley has yet to allow more than one earned run in three starts.

**Sabermetric:**

Crumley’s opponents are hitting just .191 on balls hit into play. This would be the best mark in the majors, as the current leader is Seattle’s Hisashi Iwakuma, who currently holds batters to a .223 average on balls hit into play. He also possesses a stellar WHIP of 1.00 on the season.

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**Tweet Of The Day:**

Geneva’s Red Wings and Twins will host the 2013 NYCLB All-Star Game on July ninth at McDonough Park with the opposing sides representing Roberto’s Kids and The Second Impact.

The event will feature the league’s annual All-Star luncheon, Major League Baseball scout day, league Home Run Derby and the main event. Click Here To Read More.

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