NYCBL Daily Recap

Syracuse Jr. Chiefs 6 Sherrill Silversmiths 0
SYRACUSE, N.Y. – Cory Poplawski (Salve Regina) allowed five hits and one walk over seven complete for his first win if the season. The right-hander hurled two-hit ball through six and worked out of a bases-loaded jam in the seventh with a pop-up and one of his ten punch outs. Shane Trevino (IPFW) led the Jr. Chiefs’ offense with two hits including an RBI single in the fifth. Trevino scored twice and added an RBI. Michael Elfreth (Widener) put the Jr. Chiefs on the board with a one-out double in the fourth to score two. Elfreth led with three RBI. Sherrill’s Micahel-Patrick Buckley (Seton Hill) retired the side in order in the eighth.

Niagara Power 8 Hornell Dodgers 5
HOUGHTON, N.Y. – Caleb Lang (Cairn) collected three hits and crossed the dish three times to pace an 11-hit attack as the Power took the lead in the second and never trailed en route to their third triumph in four games. Nate Robinson (Cedarville) allowed three runs on five hits over seven full to pick up his first win of the season. Jimmy Latona (Mercyhurst) and Tommy La Congo (St. Bonaventure) collected two hits apiece for Hornell.

DH 1: Rochester Ridgemen at Geneva Twins ppd
Game moved to June 18 at 2:00 as part of DH

DH 2: Rochester Ridgemen at Geneva Twins ppd
Game moved to July 9 at 4:00 as part of DH

Cortland Crush at Oneonta Outlaws ppd
Game moved to July 1 at 5:00 as part of DH

Wellsville Nitros at Olean Oilers ppd
Game moved to June 14 at 3:00

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This Date in NYCBL History:
2012 - Eventual NYCBL batting champion, Alex Sanchez Jr. doubled home a pair of runs and walked three times as the Syracuse Jr. Chiefs defeated Utica 7-3
Player of the Day
Shane Trevino – Syracuse Junior Chiefs
2-4 | 2 R, 1 RBI

Trevino (IPFW) led the Junior Chiefs with two hits and added an RBI in Monday’s victory over Sherrill. He plated a run in the fifth and singled and scored in a decisive three-run fourth. Trevino leads the team in doubles and is now batting .375 (9-for-24).

Pitcher of the Day
Cory Poplawski – Syracuse Junior Chiefs
W (1-1), 7 IP, | 0 R | 5H, BB, 10K

Poplawski (Salve Regina) delivered with seven scoreless stanzas and paced the Jr. Chiefs to their first shutout victory of the season. After allowing the first two to reach base, the right-hander retired 17 of the next 19 he faced. He fanned ten batters in the game, but none bigger than the strikeout that ended a bases-loaded threat in the seventh inning. Poplawski needed just 80 pitches (50 for strikes) to pick up his first victory of the season and propel the Jr. Chiefs to their third straight triumph.

2015 NYCBL OBP% Leaders

1. Jose Arebalo (Eastern Nazarene) Cortland - .571
2. Zachary Krider (South Carolina Upstate) Oneonta - .556
4. Greg Saenz (Grand Canyon) Oneonta - .480
5. Conner Combs (East Texas Baptist) Niagara - .478
6. JT Pittman (Le Moyne) Twins - .476
7. Alex Perry (Salve Regina) Jr. Chiefs - .474
8. Zack Blonder (Maryville) Oneonta - .471
9. David “Bubba” Hollins (St. Petersburg) Olean - .457
T-10. Jacob Bass (Newberry) Hornell - .450
T-10. Jimmy Latona (Mercyhurst) Hornell - .450
T-10. Harry Roberson (Amherst) Hornell - .450

NYCBL Alumni Update
Matt Hockenberry - Red Wings ’12
Hockenberry was drafted by the Phillies in the 9th round of the 2014 MLB Draft out of Temple University. He’s currently closing for the Lakewood BlueClaws, Single-A affiliate for the Phillies. In 18 IP he’s a perfect 6-0 in saves, owning just a 1.00 ERA and a 0.78 WHIP and collecting 15 strikeouts. In terms of saves, he’s a top-ten closer this year, but in terms of ERA and efficiency, he’s second in the league. When pitching for the Geneva Red Wings, he was undefeated at 4-0 with a 2.84 ERA in 38 IP. In his senior year at Temple, Hockenberry was a Big Five Pitcher of the Week and Under Armour May Athlete. He posted a 3.18 ERA and led his team with 5 wins, 93.1 innings, and 71 strikeouts.

NYCBL Game of the Day:
Niagara Power at Hornell Dodgers
The rain won’t stop these division rivals from competing as the Niagara Power hope to stay in first place while they square off against reigning champions Hornell Dodgers at Maple City Park at 7:00 Tuesday night. Both starting pitchers look to secure their first win. Niagara’s Dallas Deavers (North Georgia Col. & St. U.) is coming off a first start going 6.1 with one run. Hornell’s Conner Grey (St. Bonaventure) hurled seven shutout innings last time on the hill. A start in which he fanned seven.

Five NYCBL alums rank among Baseball America’s Top 500
The 2015 Major League Baseball Draft starts today, and Baseball America recently released its list of this year’s Top 500 prospects including former New York Collegiate Baseball League players Mike Bunal (Sherrill ’13), Ryan Clark (Syracuse Jr. Chiefs ’13), Dan de La Calle (Utica ’10), Tom Nagy (Syracuse Salt Cats ’14) and Ka’ai Tom (Sherrill ’13).
### MLB
- Rajai Davis (Hornell '00, Detroit Tigers)
- Michael Fiers (Saratoga/Oneonta '08, Mil. Brewers)
- Tim Hudson (Hornell '96, San Francisco Giants)
- J.D. Martinez (Saratoga/Oneonta '08, Detroit Tigers)
- Jason Motte (Rome '01, Chicago Cubs)
- Hunter Pence (Schenectady '02, San Francisco Giants)
- Rob Scahill ( Allegany County, Wellsville '06, Pittsburgh)
- Caleb Thielbar (Little Falls '07, Minnesota Twins)

### Triple-A
- Tim Crabbe (Geneva '08, Reno Aces)
- Logan Darnell (Amsterdam '08, Rochester Red Wings)
- Wade Gaynor (Elmira '07, Erie SeaWolves)
- Justin Greene (Hornell '05, Saraperos de Saltillo)
- Luke Maile (Amsterdam '09, Durham Bulls)
- Ryan O'Rourke (Brockport '08, Rochester Red Wings)
- Cord Phelps (Amsterdam '07, Lehigh Valley Iron Pigs)
- Mel Rojas Jr. (Amsterdam '09-10, Indianapolis Indians)
- Joe Sclafani (Amsterdam '09, Fresno Grizzlies)
- Shae Simmons (Watertown '10, Gwinnett Braves)
- Justin Souza (Hornell '04, Oklahoma City RedHawks)
- Patrick Urckfitz (Webster '08, New Orleans Zephyrs)
- Thad Weber (Alfred '04, Toledo Mud Hens)
- Ben Klimesh (Albany '09, Louisville Bats)
- Joe Sclafani (Amsterdam '09, Fresno Grizzlies)

### Single-A
- Andrew Brown (Glens Falls '09, Asheville Tourists)
- Scott DeJong (Wellsville '13, Great Lakes Loons)
- Zach Hedges (Rochester '12, South Bend Cubs)
- Grant Heyman (GRed Wings '12, Kane County Cougars)
- Matt Hockenberry (GRed Wings '12, Lakewood BlueClaws)
- Jon Leroux (GRed Wings '11-12, Savannah Sand Gnats)
- Tim Locastro (Syracuse Jr. Chiefs '12, Lansing Lugnuts)
- Carlos Lopez (Elmira '10, Hagerstown Suns)
- Rohn Pierce (Niagara '11, Clinton LumberKings)
- Jeremy Rhoades (Oneonta '12, Burlington Bees)
- Jordan Schwartz (Hornell '11/ Niagara '12, Vermont)

### Double-A
- Carlos Asuaje (Oneonta '11, Portland Sea Dogs)
- Conner Crumbliss (Hornell '06, Midland RockHounds)
- Dan Fiorito (Salt Cats '11-12, Trenton Thunder)
- Dan Gamache (Amsterdam '09, Altoona Curve)
- Greg Holle (Saratoga '08, Biloxi Shuckers)
- Sean Jamieson (Elmira '09, Mobile BayBears)
- Jeremy Kehrt (Geneva '07, Tulsa Drillers)
- Jon Kemmer (Olean '12, Corpus Christi Hooks)
- Mark Lamm (Saratoga '07, Mississippi Braves)
- Ollie Linton (Little Falls '06, Akron RubberDucks)
- Tom Murphy (Oneonta '10, New Britain Rock Cats)
- Dennis O'Grady (Saratoga '08, San Antonio Missions)
- Jonathan Schwind (Amsterdam '10, Altoona Curve)
- Matt Tomshaw (Saratoga/Oneonta '08, Jacksonville Suns)

### Advanced-A
- Chris Bostick (Webster '11, Potomac Nationals)
- Tyler Brunneman (Rome '11, Lancaster JetHawks)
- Lance Durham (Glens Falls '09, Lakeland Flying Tigers)
- Joe Gunkel (Oneonta '11, Bowie Baysox)
- Michael Johnson (Utica '11, Birmingham Barons)
- Brian Loconsole (Elmira '09, Inland Empire 66ers)
- Mason McVay (Glens Falls '09, San Jose Giants)
- Michael Mosby (Alfred '09, Frederick Keys)
- Jasvir Rakkar (Webster '11, Myrtle Beach Pelicans)
- Brady Wager (Oneonta '11, Frederick Keys)

### Rookie-A
- Brennan Henry (Rochester '12, Lexington Legends)
- Christian Knott (Syracuse Jr. Chiefs '12)
- Christian Lichtenthaler (Rochester '12, AZL Giants)
- Jordan Sechler (Utica '12, Christian Knott)
ABOUT THE NYCBL: The New York Collegiate Baseball League, founded in 1978, is a summer wood bat development league for professional baseball. Major League Baseball funds a small portion of the league’s annual budget. The league gives college players who have not yet signed a professional contract the opportunity to develop their skills at a higher level of play, gain experience with wood bats, and be evaluated by scouts. The NYCBL is located in scenic Upstate New York.

Teams play a 46 game regular season schedule with games beginning on May 30th and ending in late July. All games are 9 innings, with most doubleheaders scheduled as a 9 inning game followed by a 7 inning game. The All-Star game will be played on July 16th in Oneonta, and the League Championship Series concludes in early August.

PAST SEASON AWARD WINNERS

Player of the Year
2014 Kevin Brice-Sherrill/Pomona-Pitzer
2013 Scott De Jong-Wellsville/Felician
2012 Jon Kemmer-Olean/Brewton-Parker
2011 Chris Bostick-Webster/Amherst Institute (HS)
2010 Tyler Fisher-Allegany County/Georgetown College
2009 Braden Kapteyn-Amsterdam/Kentucky*
2008 Mark Onorati-Amsterdam/Manhattan
2007 Shane Wolf-Elmira/Ithaca
2006 Nick Stewart-Genoa/Canisius
2005 James Barksdale-Allegany County/ North Alabama
2004 Terry Blunt-Glens Falls/Kansas St.

Pitcher of the Year
2014 Jordan Accetta-Hornell/Wofford
2013 Luke Crumley-Oneonta/ University of Georgia
2012 Steven Beckham-Niagara/Olivet Nazarene
2011 Jacob Petit-Machine/Albany
2010 Kyle Hunter-Amsterdam/Dartmouth
2009 Braden Kapteyn-Amsterdam/Kentucky*
2008 Shane Davis-Glens Falls/Canisius
2007 Mike Fiers-Saratoga/Cumberlands
2006 Louie Bernardini-Saratoga/Wheaton
2005 Mike Schellinger-Watertown/Oneonta St.
2004 Derrick Gordon-Amsterdam/Lamar

Manager of the Year
2014 Tom Kenney-Hornell
2013 Joe Hughes-Oneonta
2012 Casey Scott-Syracuse Jr. Chiefs
2011 Dave Brust-Webster
2010 Dan Schwam-Elmira
2009 Keith Griffin-Amsterdam
2008 Jake Tenhouse-Hornell
2007 John Mayotte-Glens Falls
2006 Jason Bunting-Watertown/Oneonta St.
2005 Todd Interdonato-Hornell

Reliever of the Year
2014 Zach Verner-Niagara/North Georgia
2013 Corey Kafka-Oneonta/Mercer

Defensive Player of the Year
2014 Anthony Massicci-Syracuse Salt Cats/Canisius
2013 Stanley Susana-Syracuse Jr. Chiefs/St. Thomas Aquinas

2014 NYCBL CHAMPS: HORNELL DODGERS

2013 - Oneonta Outlaws
2012 - Syracuse Jr. Chiefs
2011 - Oneonta Outlaws
2010 - Amsterdam Mohawks
2009 - Amsterdam Mohawks
2008 - Brockport Riverbats
2007 - Elmira Pioneers
2006 - Saratoga Phillies
2005 - Hornell Dodgers
2004 - Amsterdam Mohawks
2003 - Amsterdam Mohawks
2002 - Hornell Dodgers
2001 - Rome Indians
2000 - Hornell Dodgers
1999 - Newark Raiders
1998 - Geneva Knights
1997 - Ithaca Lakers
1996 - Ithaca Lakers
1995 - Hornell Dodgers
1994 - Ithaca Lakers
1993 - Little Falls Diamonds
1992 - Little Falls Diamonds
1991 - Broome Rangers
1990 - Little Falls Diamonds
1989 - Cortland Apples*
1988 - Schenectady Mohawks
1987 - Cohocton Red Wings
1986 - Cohocton Red Wings
1985 - Broome Rangers
1984 - Broome Rangers
1983 - Broome Rangers
1982 - Cortland Apples
1981 - Broome Rangers
1980 - Broome Rangers
1979 - Syracuse Chiefs
1978 - Syracuse Chiefs
### Wins
1. Jordan Accetta HOR '14, 9  
2. David Anderson GT '14, 8  
t-3. Louie Bernardini, SP '06, 7  
t-3. Jacob Petit, UTI '11, 7  
**t-5. Seth Cornell HOR '14 6**  
t-5. Sean O'Dowd, WW '06, 6  
t-5. Ashton Mowdy, GR '07, 6  
t-5. Luis Castillo, WW '07, 6  
t-5. Rye Davis, EP '08, 6  
t-5. Ryan O'Rourke, BR '08, 6  
t-5. Ashton Mowdy, GR '07, 6  
t-5. Luis Castillo, WW '07, 6  
t-5. Rye Davis, EP '08, 6  
t-5. Ryan O'Rourke, BR '08, 6  
t-5. Jack Wagoner, HOR '11, 6  
**t-5. Seth Cornell HOR '14 6**  

### Saves
1. John Colella (Elmira '10) 13  
t-2. Kyle Bellamy (Gen. Red Wings '07) 11  
t-2. Josh Goodin (Hornell '08) 11  
t-2. Matt Vieira (Watertown '06) 11  
t-2. Abram Williams (Amsterdam '10) 11  
**t-2. Zach Verner (Niagara '14) 11**  
**t-2. Tommy Eng (SYR JC '14) 11**

### Stolen Bases
1. Brenden Constantino, SHR '11, 63  
2. Ben Mauseth Oneonta '14 36  
3. Justin Fahy, NIA '11, 34  
4. Mike Rosenbaum, SSC '11, 30  
t-5. Mike Perkins, ELM '08, 27  
t-5. Ryan Burnett, ROM '11, 27

### Doubles
**t-1. Ted Dilts, OLE '14, 16**  
t-1. Joe McIntyre, WY '07, 16  
t-1. Jesse Bosnik, BR '08, 16  
t-1. Chris Newcomb, ALG '11, 16  
t-1. Josh Davis, ROC '13, 16  
t-1. Vincent Mejia, GF 16  
**t-1. Ted Dilts, OLE '14, 16**

### Hits
**t-1. Jon Kemmer, OLE '12, 67**  
t-1. Alex Sanchez, SJR '12, 67  
t-2. Ryan Jablonski, RR '06, 65  
t-2. Joe McIntyre, WY '07, 65  
t-5. Chris Bostick, WEB '11, 64  
**t-1. Jon Kemmer, OLE '12, 67**

### Triples
**t-1. Anthony Massicci Syr Salt Cats '14 8**  
t-1. Darin Mastroianni, SP '06, 8  
t-3. Ben Bostick, WEB '11, 7  
t-3. Jake Levine, ONE '13, 7  
t-3. Chris Bostick, WEB '11, 6  
t-3. Leon Stimpson, GEN '11, 6  
t-3. Luis Diaz, WEB '11, 6  
**t-3. Jimmy Hand ONE '14 6**  
**t-3. Zach Goldstein GTW '14 6**

### Walks
1. Anthony Massicci Syr Salt Cats '14 46  
2. Jonathan Keppler, HD '09, 44  
3. Mike Consolmagno, GF '06, 43  
t-4. Bryan Rose, SP '07, 37  
t-4. Neiko Johnson, WW '09, 37  
t-6. Trey Bennett, HD '09, 36  
t-6. Vincent Mejia, GF '10, 36

### 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  
t-6. Frank Salerno (SJR '12) 12  
**t-6. Fernando Garcia (GTW '14) 12**  
**8. Sam Kim (GRW '14) 11**

### RBI
1. Jon Kemmer OLE '12 53  
2. Ryan Sonberg SJR '12 49  
t-3. Chase Presley HOR '11 47  
**t-3. Hank Morrison HOR '14 47**  
5. Scott DeJong WEL '13 46

### HR
1. Scott DeJong, WEL '13, 14  
t-2. Scott DeJong, WEL '13, 14  
t-2. Jon Kemmer, OLE '12, 9  
t-2. Eric Baker, ADK '12, 9  
t-2. Zach Lauricella, SJR '12, 9  
t-2. Cody Campbell, ADK '12, 9  
t-2. Byron Campbell, SHR '12, 9

### Batting Average
1. Alex Sanchez, SJR '12, .444  
2. Jon Kemmer, OLE '12, .441  
3. Luke Perry, GRW '08, .427  
4. Brenden Constantino, SHR '11, .417  
5. Chris Bostick, WEB '11, .413