**NEW YORK COLLEGIATE BASEBALL LEAGUE GAMEDAY**

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**ALL STAR ROSTERS: YOU WANT 'EM, WE GOT 'EM TROTMAN’S BASERUNNING, HITTING POWER WALKOFF CHIPKA BESTS UHER IN FIERCE DUEL**

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**NYCBL Standings**

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**Today’s Schedule – July 4, 2014**

(DH) Red Wings at Sherrill, 1 pm
Meger (1-2, 3.37) vs. Wright (1-3, 2.20)

(DH) Red Wings at Sherrill, 4 pm
Whaley (2-1, 1.42) vs. Vennaro (3-1, 1.45)

(DH) Oneonta at Cortland, 3:30 pm
Wallace (1-1, 4.86) vs. Parkes (0-3, 3.42)

(DH) Cortland at Oneonta, 6 pm
Jasek (2-1, 0.58) vs. Roberts (1-2, 2.95)

Twins at Oilers, 12 pm
Coman (1-1, 5.30) vs. Lopez (1-3, 2.50)

Niagara at Junior Chiefs, 7:00 pm
TBD vs. TBD

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**The Daily Recap:**

**Niagara 4, Junior Chiefs 3**

NIAGARA, N.Y. – It was a wild one at Sal Maglie Stadium as each squad traded unanswered runs in a see-saw battle that saw the Power come away with the walk-off win. Niagara leftfielder Jack Trotman (University of Massachusetts Lowell) tied the game with a two-out single in the bottom of the ninth only to find himself crossing the plate moments later on a throwing error. The improbable walk-off helped Niagara stay half a game ahead of the Rochester Ridgemen in the West and put a halt to the Power’s two-game losing streak.

The scoring began in the bottom of the third, after Tyler Marcinko (Piedmont) scored on Hunter Bingham’s (William Jewell) sac fly. The Power would add another run in the bottom of the fifth, when Marcinko scored again off a Trotman single coupled with an error in centerfield. Syracuse would finally break their goose egg open in top of the sixth and tie the game on a two-run Vinny Mallaro (University of Buffalo) single. The Chiefs would take a short-lived lead in the top of the eighth when Gabe Levanti (Northeastern) singled in a run.

Both teams would dispatch a fair amount of their respective pitching staffs; the J-Chiefs used four, without any going more than three innings, while the Power sent five different pitchers out to the mound in the win.

Despite a start in which he tossed five scoreless innings, Niagara Power starter Stephen Martin (Clearwater Christian) was slapped with the no decision. All-Star reliever and NYCBL saves leader Zach Verner (John Carroll University) earned the win with a perfect top of the ninth in which he struck out two batters.

**Rochester 1, Geneseek 0**

ROCHESTER, N.Y. – Jacob Chipka (Hope College) showed his All-Star status Thursday evening, improving to 5-1 on the season with eight innings of scoreless ball, allowing just five hits, one walk while striking out two.

Rochester second baseman Will Bass (New Mexico Junior College) scored the game’s lone run in the bottom of the fifth after reaching on a single and stealing second base.

Geneseek first baseman Dalton Combs (Huntington University) was the only Rapid with multiple hits, and he found himself on base in all three of his at bats, collecting two singles and a walk.

Rapids’ starter Zach Uher (Baruch) was the tough-luck loser in this one as he tossed a sterling eight innings of 1-run (unearned) ball, striking out nine, on just six hits and two walks. The setback marks the third straight game in which the lefty from Freeport has lost, allowing an unearned run and no more than three earned runs in each start.

**Rainouts:** GRW@SHR res. for 7/4-1pm | SSC@COR res. for 7/13-5pm
OLE@HOR res. for 7/20-2 pm

For complete game articles go to [www.nycbl.com](http://www.nycbl.com).
NYCBL Game of the Day:
Red Wings at Sherrill 1 pm, 4 pm

Geneva will look to defend its Eastern division lead against the third place Silversmiths, who trail by just half a game.

The Red Wings took the first of the three-game series in an 8-7 thriller back on Wednesday, handing the Silversmiths their eighth loss in the last ten games.

Geneva has won their last two games played and last two against Sherrill to even the season series at two games.

Game two has all the makings of an epic pitchers’ duel as future Eastern All-Star teammates Billy Whaley (Norwich) of the Red Wings and Zachary Vennaro (Monroe CC) of the Silversmiths combined have only allowed nine earned runs in 56.1 innings.

Most Wins in a Single Season Since 2006:
1. Louie Bernardini, SP ‘06, 7
2. Jacob Petit, UIT ’11, 7
3. Sean O’Dowd, WW ’06, 6
4. Ben Mauseth, ONE ’14, 6

Single Season Saves Leaders Since 2006:
1. John Colella (Elmira ’13)
2. Kyle Bellamy (Gen. Red Wings ’07)
3. Josh Goodin (Hornell ’08)
4. Matt Vieira (Watertown ’06)
5. Abram Williams (Amsterdam ’10)

Most SB in a Single Season Since 2006:
1. Brenden Constantino, SHR ’11, 63
2. Justin Fahy, NIA ’11, 34
3. Mike Rosenbaum, SSC ’11, 30
4. Mike Perkins, ELM ’08, 27
5. Ben Mauseth Oneonta ’14

Hitter of the Day: Jack Trotman, LF, Niagara Power
2/4, 1 BB, 1 R, 1 RBI, .269 AVG, .347 OBP

Trotman (University of Massachusetts Lowell) had a hand in three of the Power’s four runs, Thursday night. His first hit of the game came in the fifth, and with the help of an error in playing the ball in the outfield, allowed Piedmont product Tyler Marcinko to score. His game-winning single in the ninth initially tied the game when John Mulhern (Regis University) came around to score, but using heady base running, Trotman capitalized on another Syracuse error, rounding the bases himself to secure the walk-off win.

Pitcher of the Day: Jacob Chipka, Rochester Ridgemen
W (5-1), 8.0 IP, 1 R, 0 ER, 1 BB, 5 H, 2 K, 2.50 ERA, 1.19 WHIP
.261 OAVG, .305 OBP

Another pitcher, another case of remarkable consistency; Chipka has won all five starts he’s made in the 2014 NYCBL season. Having pitched in eight games, Thursday’s outing marked his finest yet, serving as both his longest (needed just 93 pitches to go eight frames) and most dominant (on first where he’s held the opponent scoreless). To cap it all, Chipka was able to keep Genesee slugger and All-Star Jason Euler off the base paths entirely, as the mighty Mesa CC product went 0-4 with two strikeouts.

HITTERS ALL STARS:

CATCHERS:
#34 Matt Emge, ROC
#24 Christ Conley, WEL

INFIDERS:
#11 Jason Euler, GEN
#24 Sam Kim, GRW

OUTFIELDERS:
#10 John Cruz, GRW
#3 Andrew Utterback, GRW
#5 Taylor Jones, ONE
#18 Kevin Brice, SHR

PITCHERS:

#14 Greg Jasek, COR
#20 Drew Doring, GRW
#12 Billy Whaley, GRW
#24 Taylor Hicks, ONE

INFIDERS:
#21 Brandon Agar, ONE
#21 Zach Vennaro, SHR

#11 Tommy Eng, SJR

OUTFIELDERS:
#21 Vinny Mallaro, SJR
#22 Tom Nagy, SSC

CATCHERS:

#3 Matt McCann, SJR
#7 Anthony Massicci, SSC

WESTERN ALL STARS:

PITCHERS:
#99 Lance Hanzel, GEN
#20 Dave Anderson, GTW
#55 Rob Winemiller, GTW
#15 Seth Cornell, HOR

INFIDERS:
#11Trey Edwards, GTW

#39 Mike Farhman, OLE
#10 Zach Goldstein, GTW
#25 Hank Morrison, HOR
#19 Spencer Scorza, HOR

OUTFIELDERS:
#15 Andrew Bonnette, GEN
#28 Fernando Garcia, GTW
#9 Brandon Sandoval, HOR

PITCHERS:

#4 Ryan Wagley, NIA
#11Austin Johnson, OLE

INFIDERS:
#34 Matt Emge, ROC

CATCHERS:

#8 Jacob Chipka, ROC
#8 Jimmy Latona, HOR

#3 Mike Annone, GTW

Outfielders:
#15 Andrew Bonnette, GEN
#28 Fernando Garcia, GTW
#9 Brandon Sandoval, HOR
#4 Rayshelon Carolina, HOR

#11 Austin Johnson, OLE
#11 Shane Soria, ROC
NEW YORK COLLEGIATE BASEBALL LEAGUE
ALL-STAR GAME ITINERARY
Kerr-Pegula Athletic Complex
Houghton, New York

Tuesday, July 8, 2014

10:45am    All-Star Player arrive at:
            Houghton College, Campus Center
            1 Willard Ave., Houghton, NY 14744

11:00-12:30pm  Luncheon- (NYCBL Personnel, All-Star Players/Coaches, Media)
                Guest Speaker, Ed Kilgore, former Sports Director, Channel 2, Buffalo, NY

12:35pm - 1:00pm  Player’s Warm-up

1:00pm-5:00pm  Skills Competition- Coordinated by Jake Dennstedt and MLB Scouts
                Outfielder/Catchers throw for accuracy
                Pop time and 60 yard dash

5:00pm-6:00pm  Concert, Kelsey Ballerini- Blackriver Entertainment, Nashville, TN
                All-Star Photos/Team Warm-Ups

6:00pm-6:30pm  NYCBL HR Derby

6:30pm-6:50pm  All-Star Team Introductions

6:50pm-6:55pm  Introduction of NYCBL Officials
                Stan Lehman-- Commissioner/President
                Jake Dennstedt-- Baseball Operations
                Cal Kern-- Vice President, NYCBL
                Dan Russo-- Treasurer, NYCBL
                Paul Welker-- Secretary, NYCBL
                Game Sponsor NEW ERA Introduction

6:57pm  National Anthem

7:00pm  First Pitch- NEW Era Caps Representative

After, game awards:
   MVP - Bats for these awards donated by D Bats Inc.
   Outstanding Defensive Player
   Outstanding Offensive Player

Fireworks Display - Young Explosives