



POSTGAME NOTES
PORTLAND SEA DOGS (20-15) @ SOMERSET PATRIOTS (17-21)
SUNDAY, MAY 18, 2025



	<u>R</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>E</u>	<u>LOB</u>	<u>SERIES</u>
PORTLAND	4	9	0	5	2
SOMERSET	1	4	0	5	3

STARTING TIME: 1:07 p.m.

GAME-TIME TEMPERATURE: 70 degrees

WINNING PITCHER: Connelly Early (3-0)

LOSING PITCHER: Bailey Dees (1-3)

SAVE: -

TIME OF GAME: 2:17

ATTENDANCE: 6,105

PITCH COUNTS (Total Pitches/Strikes):

Sea Dogs: Connelly Early (76/49)

Patriots: Bailey Dees (79/55)

HOME RUNS (2025 TOTAL / INNING / RUNNERS ON BASE / OUTS / COUNT / PITCHER / SCORE AFTER HR)

PORTLAND

Blaze Jordan (3/ 8th / 1 on / 2 out / 0-0 / Ayers / POR 4 – SOM 0)

SOMERSET

Rafael Flores (9 / 9th / 0 on / 1 out / 1-0 / Brand / POR 4 – SOM 1)

SOMERSET PATRIOTS NOTES

- The Somerset Patriots were defeated by the Portland Sea Dogs in the finale of a five-game series at TD Bank Ballpark in Bridgewater, N.J. on Sunday by a score of 4-1.
- **RHP Bailey Dees** (6.0 IP, 6 H, 2 R, 0 BB, 4 K) was tabbed with the loss his longest start of the season.
- **C Rafael Flores** (1-for-3, R, RBI, HR, BB, 2 K) homered in three straight games for the first time this season and first time since 9/4-9/6/24 vs. BNG with a solo shot in the ninth.
 - His nine home runs tie him with Spencer Jones for the team lead and the second-most of any Double-A batter.
 - During the series, Flores went 7-for-17 (.412/.500/.941) with 6 RBI and 3 HR in five games.
- **SS George Lombard Jr.** (0-for-2, BB, HBP) reached base safely for the ninth time in his first 10 Double-A games.
 - Lombard Jr. drove his Yankee minor league-leading 33rd walk of the season.
 - Lombard Jr. leads all Yankee minor leaguers with a .462 on-base percentage and is tied for first with 29 runs.