

DUNEDIN BLUE JAYS



Friday, August 8, 2025 Palm Beach Cardinals (51-53) at DUNEDIN BLUE JAYS (49-52)

LOB Daniel Guerra (3-4) R Н Ε Win: **PALM BEACH** 2 4 Jacob Odle (0-2) 0 3 Loss: 8 DUNEDIN 13 0 9 Save: N/A

First Pitch: 5:01 Game Time: 2:17 (2:53) Attendance: 484 Temperature: 87°F

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

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N/A N/A

BLUE JAYS NOTES

- The Dunedin Blue Jays defeated the Palm Beach Cardinals 8-2 in seven innings on Friday night at TD Ballpark in game three of a six-game set.
 - Friday's second game has been postponed and will be made up as part of a doubleheader on Saturday, August 9th starting at 4 p.m. Public gates to TD Ballpark will open at 5:30 p.m.
- RHP Austin Cates (2 IP, 1 R, 1 H, 0 BB, 2 K) allowed a run on one hit in two innings before his start ended early due to a rain delay.
 - o Cates has allowed one run or less in 11 of his last 14 outings.
 - Over his last 14 appearances (12 starts) since May 11, Cates owns a 2.11 ERA with opponents' batting .193.
 - o Pitching at home this season, Cates has posted a 3.20 ERA in 11 games.
- RHP Daniel Guerra (2.2 IP, 0 R, 1 H, 2 BB, 3 K) fired 2.2 shutout frames in his Class-A debut.
 - o He induced 14 swings and misses and topped out at 96.6 MPH.
 - Over his last nine outings since the start of June, Guerra has pitched to a 2.45 ERA in 33 innings with 33 strikeouts
 - o In nine games as a reliever this season, he's posted a 2.03 ERA while fanning 38 in 31 frames.
- **RF Jake Casey** (3-for-4, 2 RBI, 2B, 2 R) smacked a two-run single to give the Blue Jays the lead in the 2nd inning as part of his first professional three-hit game.
 - Casey has eight RBI over the first eight games of his pro career.
 - Four of his first eight pro hits have gone for extra-bases.
 - He tallied his second multi-hit game as a pro and fourth multi-RBI game.
- **2B Maddox Latta** (3-for-4, 3 RBI, 2B, 3B, R) fell a homer shy of the cycle in a three-hit night highlighted by a bases-clearing triple in the 5th.
 - His three hits and three RBI both marked a career high.
 - He logged his second consecutive multi-hit game and the third multi-hit performance of his career.
 - Latta is 9-for-21 (.545) with six RBI over his first six professional games.
- **3B Kendry Chirinos** (2-for-3, 2 RBI, 2B) logged an RBI double in the 2nd, and an RBI single in the 3rd for his 19th multi-hit game of the season.
 - o He's batting .297 over his last 20 games with 13 RBI over that stretch.
 - Chirinos has reached base in 23 of his last 24 games.