



POSTGAME NOTES

BINGHAMTON RUMBLE PONIES (68-33, 23-11) @ SOMERSET PATRIOTS (56-47, 21-13)
TUESDAY, AUGUST 5, 2025



	R	H	E	LOB	SERIES
BINGHAMTON	2	6	2	5	0
SOMERSET	3	6	0	7	1

STARTING TIME: 12:07 p.m.

GAME-TIME TEMPERATURE: 85 degrees

WINNING PITCHER: Elmer Rodriguez-Cruz (2-1)

LOSING PITCHER: Brian Metoyer (0-1)

SAVE: Danny Watson (5)

TIME OF GAME: 2:26

ATTENDANCE: 5,114

PITCH COUNTS (Total Pitches/Strikes):

Rumble Ponies: Jonah Tong (82/46)

Patriots: Elmer Rodriguez-Cruz (93/55)

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

RICHMOND

None

SOMERSET

None

SOMERSET PATRIOTS NOTES

- The Somerset Patriots defeated the Binghamton Rumble Ponies in game one of a six-game series at TD Bank Ballpark in Bridgewater, N.J. on Tuesday by a score of 3-2.
 - The Patriots won their first game of the season without recording an RBI.
 - In Somerset's 16 games since the All-Star break, 14 have been decided by three runs or fewer, while eight games have been decided by one run. In the second half, the Patriots are 13-8 in their 21 games that have been decided by three runs or fewer.
 - With an overall record of nine games above .500, and eight games above .500 in the second half, both records set a high watermark for Somerset this season.
- RHP Elmer Rodriguez-Cruz** (7.0 IP, 2 H, 0 R, 2 BB, 8 K) picked up the win, recording a Double-A-high eight strikeouts in his fourth Double-A start.
 - In four Double-A starts, Rodriguez-Cruz has thrown 26.0 IP over which he has allowed 17 H, 5 ER, 6 BB and tallied 23 K. Rodriguez-Cruz has a 1.73 ERA, a 0.88 WHIP and a .183 AVG.
 - Rodriguez-Cruz leads all active Yankee minor leaguers in IP (109.2), AVG (.176) and ERA (2.13). Rodriguez-Cruz also ranks second in K (122), WHIP (1.02) and tied for second in W (8).
- RHP Danny Watson** (1.0 IP, 2 H, 1 R, 0 BB, 1 K) earned his fifth save in his team-lead tying 32nd outing with Somerset this season.
- C Tomas Frick** (2-for-3, R, 2B) ripped his third consecutive multi-hit game, including a double in the fifth inning.
 - Over his last three games since 8/2 vs. RIC, Frick is 6-for-10 (.600/.636/.700) with 2 R, 1 2B, 2 RBI, 1 BB, 0 K and a 1.336 OPS.
- 1B Tyler Hardman** (2-for-4, R, 2 K) slashed his 15th multi-hit game with two singles in the seventh and eighth innings, scoring in the seventh

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- **1B Tyler Hardman** (2-for-4, R, RBI, 2B, 2 K) slashed an RBI double in the sixth inning.
- **C Tomas Frick** (2-for-3, 2 R, RBI, BB) recorded his second straight multi-hit game, including an RBI single in the seventh inning.