

POSTGAME NOTES

READING FIGHTIN PHILS (33-42) @ SOMERSET PATRIOTS (38-38)

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MONDAY JULY 1, 2024 E LOB SERIES

READING 6 7 2 8 0 7 **SOMERSET**

STARTING TIME: 7:08 p.m.

GAME-TIME TEMPERATURE: 77 degrees **WINNING PITCHER:** Luis Velasquez (2-2)

LOSING PITCHER: Carlos Francisco (3-2)

SAVE: N/A

TIME OF GAME: 2:56 **ATTENDANCE**: 4,453

PITCH COUNTS (Total Pitches/Strikes):

Patriots: Brock Selvidge (92/57) Reading: Lachlan Wells (80/58)

HOME RUNS (2024 TOTAL / INNING / RUNNERS ON BASE / OUTS / COUNT / PITCHER / SCORE AFTER HR)

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SOMERSET PATRIOTS NOTES

- The Somerset Patriots walked-off the Reading Fightin Phils in a 7-6 victory on Monday night in game one of a sixgame series at TD Bank Ballpark.
 - Somerset stole a season-high seven bases in the contest, which matches the single game Patriots Double-A era record.
 - The Patriots have won six of their first seven games to begin the second half of the season.
 - Over the first seven games of the second half, Somerset leads all of Double-A with a .291 BA, 52 R, 73 H, 32 XBH, and 124 TB as a team.
- LHP Brock Selvidge (5.1 IP, 5 R, 4 ER, 5 H, 3 BB, 8 K) did not factor into a decision, fanning eight Fightin Phils over 5.1 IP.
 - The Yankees No. 10 prospect struck out 8+ in a ballgame for the fourth time this season.
 - Selvidge ranks among the Eastern League leaders with 80 K (8th), and 79.2 IP (T-9th).
 - In two starts vs. REA this season, Selvidge has allowed 4 ER over 12.1 IP (2.92 ERA) with 19 K and 3 BB.
- RHP Luis Velasquez (2 IP, 1 R, 2 H, 1 BB, 3 K) picked up his second win of the season.
 - Over his last eight appearances with Somerset, Velasquez has pitched to a 1.80 ERA in 10 IP with 16 K.
 - Velasquez has struck out 3+ in two straight outings.
- RF Elijah Dunham (2-for-5, 3 RBI, 2B) got the scoring started with a two-run single in the 1st inning, before putting a cap in the contest with a walk-off RBI double in the 9th inning.
 - Dunham supplied the Patriots third walk-off hit of the season.
 - Dunham extended his season-long hit streak to nine games, and season-long on-base streak to 14 games.
 - Dunham has hit safely in 13 of his last 14 games, over which he's batting .333 with 3 HR, 10 XBH, 13 RBI, and 11 R.
- 2B Anthony Seigler (3-for-4, 2 R, 2 SB) recorded his 10th multi-hit performance of the second and second 3+ hit game.
 - Seigler has reached base in 10 straight games, over which he's batting .324/.439/.524 with 1 HR, 10 RBI, 10 R, and 4 SB.
 - Seigler has hit safely in five of his last six.
 - In 32 home games at TD Bank Ballpark this season, Seigler has posted a .813 OPS with 7 HR and 15 RBI, compared to a .589 OPS with 0 HR, 11 RBI on the road.
- C Rafael Flores (2-for-5, 2 R, SB) pieced together his second consecutive multi-hit performance.
 - Flores has hit safely in 5 of his first 6 Double-A games, including two multi-hit efforts with Somerset.
 - Monday marked Flores's 19th total multi-hit showcase in 63 overall games this season between Somerset and High-A Hudson Valley.
- LF Aaron Palensky (3-for-4, 2 RBI, SB) extended his season-long hit streak to ten games and season-long on-base streak to 16 games.
 - Palensky has hit safely in 13 of his last 14 games and has reached base in 27 of his last 28.
 - Over his ten-game hit streak, Palensky is 15-for-37 (.405) with 1 HR, 10 RBI, and 9 R.
 - Palensky has recorded multiple hits in two straight contests and five total times this season.
 - Palensky matched a season-high with 3 H on Monday.