

# 2021 SOMERSET PATRIOTS GAME NOTES

Double-A Affiliate of the New York Yankees

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## Somerset Patriots (40-22) @ Richmond Flying Squirrels (34-29)

RHP Luis Medina (1-1, 5.21 ERA) vs. RHP Sean Hjelle (3-1, 3.00 ERA)

Friday, July 16, 2021 | Game #63 | Away Game #34

6:35 p.m. | The Diamond | Richmond, Va

Radio: 1450 WCTC | TV: MiLB.TV



**AFC Richmond:** The Somerset Patriots take on the Richmond Flying Squirrels in game four of six tonight. Somerset won the series opener 3-2 and split a pair of extra inning contests over the last two nights. Richmond feature a pair top-15 San Francisco Giants prospects: outfielder Heliot Ramos (No. 3, *Baseball America*) and RHP Sean Hjelle (No. 13).

**Bronx Zoo:** Prior to Friday night's game, the New York Yankees announced that four Patriots had been transferred to Triple-A Scranton/Wilkes-Barre: C Donny Sands, OF Thomas Milone, INF Cristian Perez, and UT Matt Pita. Additionally, INF Jesus Bastidas was transferred to Somerset from Low-A Tampa. The 22 year-old hit .218 over 38 games with four home runs, 18 RBI, 20 runs scored and five stolen bases this season for Tampa.

**Hoy! Hoy! Hoy!:** Former Patriot Hoy Park was called up to the New York Yankees today, becoming the first player to make his MLB debut after playing for Somerset since becoming a Double-A affiliate. He's the second player to get called up this season (Estevan Florial). Park hit .194 with one homer & three RBI over 10 games for Somerset earlier this year.

**Medina Magic:** RHP Luis Medina takes the mound for the Somerset Patriots. It is his first start since appearing in the All-Star Futures game last Sunday. Medina pitched a scoreless sixth frame, walking a man and giving up two hits while striking out a pair. The righty joined Jasson Dominguez to represent the Yankees at the game.

**Ozzy Ozzy Ozzy!:** Infielder Oswald Peraza, No. 6. Yankees prospect (*Baseball America*) is currently batting .345 in the month of July. In 33 games since joining the Patriots on June 8th, the 21-year old is batting .292 with four home runs, 13 RBI, six stolen bases and a .357 OBP.

**Hits and Misses:** The Patriots pitching staff has the lowest ERA (2.95) among all of Minor League Baseball (full season) and is the only team with a sub-three ERA. The staff also owns the lowest BAA (.202) and third-lowest WHIP (1.13) in all of Minor League Baseball. Additionally, Somerset has the most strikeouts (716) among all Double-A clubs.

**Long ball:** The Patriots have hit 85 home runs this year, 3rd in all of Double-A. Dermis Garcia (15), Oswaldo Cabrera (11) and Diego Castillo (11) lead the team, with five total Patriots with 10+ home runs. Cabrera, Castillo and Donny Sands have all set new career highs while Castillo and Sands have passed their career total entering the season.

**Extra! Extra!:** The Patriots have gone into extra innings ten times this season (6-4), including three games with Richmond. Somerset has played the most extra innings of any team in Double-A this season (15.0) and has scored 14 runs with a .231 average in extras.

### Patriots Breakdown

Overall.....	40-22
First Half.....	38-21
Second Half.....	2-1
Home.....	20-9
Road.....	20-13
Streak.....	W1
Day.....	5-4
Night.....	35-18
Vs. Northeast Division.....	19-10
Vs. Southwest Division.....	21-12
Vs. NL Affiliates.....	25-7
Vs. AL Affiliates.....	14-15
1-Run.....	9-4
2-Run.....	6-3
3-Run.....	4-5
4+Run.....	21-10
Extras.....	6-4
Shutout.....	10-3
W/ HR.....	32-16
No HR.....	8-6
0 Errors.....	18-10
1-2 Errors.....	21-10
3+ Errors.....	1-2
vs. LHP.....	9-6
vs. RHP.....	31-16
Somerset Score 1st.....	30-7
Opp Score 1st.....	10-15
Score 3-.....	9-17
Score 4+.....	31-5
Lead after 7th.....	27-1
Tied after 7th.....	2-4
Trail after 7th.....	4-13
Lead after 8th.....	25-0
Tied after 8th.....	4-4
Trail after 8th.....	2-12
May.....	16-7
June.....	15-10
July.....	9-5
August.....	0-0
September.....	0-0
Series Record.....	7-2
Sweeps (SOM-Opp).....	1-0
<b>Somerset vs. Richmond</b>	
2021 vs. Richmond.....	7-2
@ RIC.....	2-1
@ SOM.....	5-1
All-Time.....	7-2
@ RIC.....	2-1
@ SOM.....	5-1

### UPCOMING PROBABLES

Sat., 7/17, 6:05 p.m.	@ RIC	Wesneski (R) vs. TBD
Sun., 7/18, 5:05 p.m.	@ RIC	TBD vs. Toplikar (R)

### Double-A Northeast League Standings

Northeast Division					Southwest Division				
W	L	GB	L10	Stk	W	L	GB	L10	Stk
Somerset	40	22	-	6-4 W1	Akron	37	24	-	7-3 W5
Portland	37	23	2.0	10-0W10	Erie	36	26	1.5	4-6 L1
New Hampshire	26	33	12.5	4-6 L1	Bowie	34	26	2.5	4-6 W1
Reading	26	37	14.5	5-5 L4	Altoona	33	27	3.5	4-6 L1
Binghamton	23	37	16.0	5-5 W1	Richmond	34	29	4.0	6-4 L1
Hartford	19	43	21.0	2-8 W1	Harrisburg	22	40	15.5	2-8 L3

























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DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	REC	PLACE	GB	TIME	ATT.
5/4	vs. Harrisburg	W, 6-0	Marinaccio	Cate	-	1-0	1st	-	2:35	1,903
5/5	vs. Harrisburg	W, 3-1	Gomez	Sanchez	Curtis	2-0	1st	-	2:39	1,656
5/6	vs. Harrisburg	L, 5-2	Globosits	Gadea	Bartow	2-1	T-1st	-	2:39	1,806
5/7	vs. Harrisburg	W, 10-2	Ridings	Sharp	-	3-1	T-1st	-	3:32	1,721
5/8	vs. Harrisburg	W, 2-0	Otto	Reyes	Gomez	4-1	T-1st	-	2:42	1,833
5/9	vs. Harrisburg	W, 6-5	Valdez	McMahan	Curtis	5-1	T-1st	-	2:42	1,820
5/11	@ New Hampshire	L, 6-5	Taylor	Weissert	-	5-2	T-1st	-	3:17	2,127
5/12	@ New Hampshire	L, 7-2	McInvale	Espinal	-	5-3	2nd	1.0	3:03	1,005
5/13	@ New Hampshire	W, 6-1	Sears	Harris	-	6-3	2nd	1.0	3:14	1,406
5/14	@ New Hampshire	L, 7-3	Castillo	Otto	-	6-4	2nd	1.0	3:06	1,844
5/15	@ New Hampshire	W, 5-3	Gomez	Ellenbest	Weissert	7-4	T-1st	-	3:13	1,722
5/16	@ New Hampshire	L, 6-0	Woods-Richardson	Semple	-	7-5	T-1st	-	2:52	1,653
5/18	@ Hartford	W, 2-1	Curtis	Doyle	Weissert	8-5	T-1st	-	2:44	2,921
5/19	@ Hartford	W, 6-4 (10)	Ridings	Fernandez	-	9-5	T-1st	-	3:18	3,588
5/20	@ Hartford	W, 11-1	Otto	Dennis	-	10-5	1st	-	3:34	4,046
5/21	@ Hartford	W, 14-3	Valdez	Kauffmann	-	11-5	1st	-	3:03	5,389
5/22	@ Hartford	W, 7-2	Anderson	Schilling	-	12-5	1st	-	2:58	6,372
5/23	@ Hartford	W, 10-3	Espinal	Gaddis	-	13-5	1st	-	3:15	5,179
5/25	vs. New Hampshire	W, 2-1	Sears	Dykstra	Weissert	14-5	1st	-	2:47	1,907
5/27 G1	vs. New Hampshire	L, 10-8 (11)	Harris	Valdez	-	14-6	-	-	4:07	1,975
5/27 G2	vs. New Hampshire	W, 2-1 (7)	Gil	Rodning	Ridings	15-6	1st	-	1:56	1,975
5/29 G1	vs. New Hampshire	L, 6-1 (7)	Logue	Semple	-	15-7	1st	-	2:18	2,326
5/29 G2	vs. New Hampshire	W, 12-0 (7)	Gomez	Finfrock	-	16-7	1st	-	2:24	2,326
5/30	vs. New Hampshire	-	CANCELLED	DUE	TO		INCLEMENT	WEATHER		
6/1	vs. Reading	W, 6-1	Sears	Glogoski	Junk	17-7	1st	-	2:40	2,412
6/2	vs. Reading	W, 5-4 (10)	Weissert	Warren	-	18-7	1st	-	3:20	2,093
6/4	vs. Reading	L, 8-3	Ross	Gil	Sullivan	18-8	1st	-	3:12	2,805
6/5 G1	vs. Reading	W, 7-2 (7)	Semple	Lindow	-	19-8	1st	-	2:16	4,752
6/5 G2	vs. Reading	W, 6-1 (7)	Krook	Morales	-	20-8	1st	-	2:02	4,752
6/6	vs. Reading	L, 5-2	Eastman	Junk	Marconi	20-9	1st	-	3:29	3,750
6/8	@ Erie	L, 8-2	Pinto	Otto	-	20-10	1st	-	2:25	1,625
6/9	@ Erie	L, 4-2	Moreno	Curtis	Martinez	20-11	1st	-	3:03	1,673
6/10	@ Erie	L, 3-2 (10)	Leiter Jr.	Weissert	-	20-12	1st	-	3:02	2,782
6/11	@ Erie	W, 5-2	Semple	Navilhon	Ridings	21-12	1st	-	2:55	2,795
6/12	@ Erie	L, 5-0	Payano	Krook	Coshow	21-13	1st	-	2:41	3,042
6/13	@ Erie	W, 2-0	Junk	Leiter	Weissert	22-13	1st	-	2:44	1,683
6/15	vs. Richmond	W, 10-1	Otto	Plassmeyer	-	23-13	1st	-	2:48	3,006
6/16	vs. Richmond	W, 7-5 (11)	Greene, Z	Rubio	-	24-13	1st	-	3:29	3,158
6/17	vs. Richmond	W, 9-3	Green, N	Williams	-	25-13	1st	-	3:07	5,025
6/18	vs. Richmond	W, 8-1	Junk	Toplikar	Sears	26-13	1st	-	2:25	7,011
6/19	vs. Richmond	L, 14-5	Morris	Wesneski	-	26-14	1st	-	3:11	5,517
6/20	vs. Richmond	W, 4-0	Otto	Plassmeyer	-	27-14	1st	-	2:52	6,839
6/23 G1	@ Portland	L, 5-3 (7)	Wickowski	Medina	Feltman	27-15	1st	-	2:16	4,105
6/23 G2	@ Portland	W, 11-3 (7)	Waldichuk	De Jesus	-	28-15	1st	-	2:49	4,105
6/24	@ Portland	W, 5-4 (10)	Ridings	Kelly	-	29-15	1st	-	4:01	3,016
6/25	@ Portland	W, 7-4	Junk	German	-	30-15	1st	-	2:51	5,080
6/26	@ Portland	W, 3-0	Wesneski	Crawford	Marinaccio	31-15	1st	-	2:36	5,171
6/27	@ Portland	L, 5-1	Kelly	Otto	-	31-16	1st	-	2:42	6,410
6/29	@ Harrisburg	L, 7-4	Reyes	Green	Bartow	31-17	1st	-	2:47	2,487
7/1	@ Harrisburg	W, 4-3 (9)	Ridings	Barrett	-	32-17	1st	-	3:05	1,872
7/2 G1	@ Harrisburg	W, 7-0 (7)	Junk	Sanchez	-	33-17	1st	-	2:06	4,897
7/2 G2	@ Harrisburg	L, 5-2 (7)	Romero	Wesneski	Bartow	33-18	1st	-	2:10	4,897
7/3	@ Harrisburg	W, 10-0	Otto	Lee	-	34-18	1st	-	2:45	5,399
7/4	@ Harrisburg	W, 3-0	Medina	Reyes	Marinaccio	35-18	1st	-	2:42	3,651
7/7 G1	vs. Erie	W, 6-1 (7)	Waldichuk	Kirby	-	36-18	1st	-	2:25	3,054
7/7 G2	vs. Erie	L, 4-3 (7)	Navilhon	Russ	Moreno	36-19	1st	-	2:17	3,054
7/9 G1	vs. Erie	W, 9-2 (7)	Peguero	Rodriguez, E	-	37-19	1st	-	2:10	5,118
7/9 G2	vs. Erie	L, 4-1 (^6)	Rodriguez, J	Wesneski	-	37-20	1st	- 1:56 (:30 delay)		5,118
7/10	vs. Erie	W, 5-0	Otto	Ladwig	-	38-20	1st	-	2:56	6,005
7/11	vs. Erie	L, 1-0 (10)	Bass	Greene, Z	-	38-21	1st	-	3:13	3,855



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DATE	ACTION	DATE	ACTION
5/2	Break Camp Roster Announced (1/1)	7/1	Keegan Curtis traded to Arizona Diamondbacks (1/47)
5/4	Chase Illig added to Developmental List (2/2)	7/6	Stephen Ridings transferred Somerset to Scranton (2/48)
5/13	Zack Zehner transferred Somerset to Scranton (3/3)	7/6	Elvis Peguero transferred Hudson Valley to Somerset (3/49)
5/13	Chase Illig reinstated from Development List Transferred Somerset to Hudson Valley (4/4)	7/8	Max Burt activated off 7-day Injured List (4/50)
5/14	Estevan Florial transferred Somerset to Scranton (5/5)	7/13	Glenn Otto transferred Somerset to Scranton (5/51)
5/14	Max McDowell transferred Scranton to Somerset (6/6)	7/13	Brandon Lockridge transferred Hudson Valley to Somerset (6/51)
5/15	Max Burt transferred Tampa to Somerset (7/7)	7/16	Donny Sands transferred Somerset to Scranton (7/52)
5/18	Thomas Milone transferred Somerset to Scranton (8/8)	7/16	Thomas Milone transferred Somerset to Scranton (8/53)
5/18	Hoy Park transferred Somerset to Scranton (9/9)	7/16	Cristian Perez transferred Somerset to Scranton (9/54)
5/18	Brandon Wagner transferred Somerset to Scranton (10/10)	7/16	Matt Pita transferred Somerset to Scranton (10/55)
5/18	Aaron Palensky transferred Complex League to Somerset (11/11)	7/16	Jesus Bastidas transferred Tampa to Somerset (11/56)
5/18	Evan Alexander transferred Tampa to Somerset (12/12)		
5/18	Oliver Dunn transferred Hudson Valley to Somerset (13/13)		
5/23	Chase Illig transferred Hudson Valley to Somerset (14/14)		
5/25	Max McDowell transferred Somerset to Scranton (15/15)		
5/29	Zack Britton begins Major League rehab assignment (16/16)		
5/29	Kevin Gadea placed on Temporary Inactive List (Olympic Qualifier - Nicaragua) (17/17)		
5/29	Oswaldo Cabrera placed on Temporary Inactive List (Olympic Qualifier - Venezuela) (18/18)		
6/5	Zack Zehner transferred Scranton to Somerset (1/19)		
6/5	Cristian Perez transferred Scranton to Somerset (2/20)		
6/5	Chase Illig transferred Somerset to Scranton (3/21)		
6/5	Kevin Gadea reinstated from Temporary Inactive List (4/22)		
6/8	Oswald Peraza transferred Hudson Valley to Somerset (5/23)		
6/8	Oswaldo Cabrera reinstated from Temporarily Inactive List (Olympic Qualifier - Venezuela) (6/24)		
6/8	Zack Britton transferred Major League rehab assignment Som- ersert to Scranton (7/25)		
6/9	Chase Illig transferred Scranton to Somerset (8/26)		
6/9	Zack Zehner released from contract (9/27)		
6/15	Luis Gil transferred Somerset to Scranton (10/28)		
6/15	Matt Krook transferred Somerset to Scranton (11/29)		
6/15	Greg Weissert transferred Somerset to (12/30)		
6/15	Shawn Semple transferred Somerset to Hudson Valley (13/31)		
6/15	Reid Anderson transferred Somerset to Hudson Valley (14/32)		
6/15	Carlos Espinal transferred Somerset to Hudson Valley (15/33)		
6/15	Oliver Dunn transferred Somerset to Hudson Valley (16/34)		
6/15	Addison Russ transferred Scranton to Somerset (17/35)		
6/15	Nick Green transferred Scranton to Somerset (18/36)		
6/15	Luis Medina transferred Hudson Valley to Somerset (19/37)		
6/15	Ken Waldichuk transferred Hudson Valley to Somerset (20/38)		
6/15	Hayden Wesneski transferred Hudson Valley to Somerset (21/39)		
6/15	Zach Greene transferred Hudson Valley to Somerset (22/40)		
6/18	Thomas Milone transferred Scranton to Somerset (23/41)		
6/18	Jeffry Valdez transferred Somerset to Hudson Valley (24/42)		
6/20	Cristian Perez placed on Temporarily Inactive List (Olympic Qualifier - Venezuela) (25/43)		
6/22	Luke Voit transferred Major League rehab assignment Som- ersert to New York (26/44)		
6/26	Max Burt placed on 7-day Injured List (27/45)		
6/29	Cristian Perez reinstated from Temporarily Inactive List (Olympic Qualifier - Venezuela) (28/46)		

## INJURED LIST

PLAYER	INJURY	PLACED (RETRO)	REINSTATED	PLAYER	INJURY	PLACED (RETRO)	REINSTATED
Jason Lopez	7-Day	5/17 (5/16)	5/27				
Diego Castillo	7-Day	5/17 (5/16)	5/27				
Matt Pita	7-Day	6/5 (6/4)	6/15				
Max Burt	7-Day	6/26	7/8				