

2021 SOMERSET PATRIOTS GAME NOTES

Double-A Affiliate of the New York Yankees

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Richmond Flying Squirrels (21-16) vs. Somerset Patriots (23-13)

RHP Caleb Kilian (2-0, 2.25) vs. RHP Luis Medina (0-0, 0.00)

Wednesday, June 16, 2021 | Game #37 | Home Game #1

7:05 p.m. | TD Bank Ballpark | Bridgewater, NJ

Radio: 1450 WCTC | TV: MiLB.TV



AFC Richmond: Somerset welcomes the Richmond Flying Squirrels to TD Bank Ballpark this week for the first meetings between the two sides. Richmond stands in fifth place in the Southwest Division despite sporting a 21-16 record. They feature two top-15 prospects in the San Francisco Giants organization: No. 3 Heliot Ramos and No. 11 Sean Hjelle.

LUUUUKE: New York Yankees first baseman Luke Voit began a rehab assignment with Somerset Tuesday night. It marked the second rehab assignment in franchise history (Zack Britton). He went 1-for-4 and played seven innings in the field at first base. Voit hit .277 with the Yanks in 2020, led all of Major League Baseball in home runs (22) and ranked second in the American League in RBI (52).

Ottomatic: RHP Glenn Otto tied a career-high with 14 strikeouts in Tuesday night's game against Richmond. It marked the second time Otto has struck out 14 batters in a game this season (5/20 @ HFD). Both performances are the most strikeouts in a game for any pitcher in all of Double-A baseball this season. Otto now leads the Northeast League and all Double-A pitchers with 69 strikeouts over 41.0 innings pitched. It's also the second-most strikeouts for any pitcher across any level of Minor League Baseball (71, Cade Cavalli).

Hits and Misses: The Patriots pitching staff owns the lowest ERA (3.03) in all of Minor League Baseball. The team has also struck out the most batters (442) - 34 more than any other team - leads in WHIP (1.13) and has the lowest batting average against (.200) amongst all Double-A teams.

Donny Baseball: Catcher Donny Sands broke out of an 0-16 stretch across his last four games with a 3-for-4 performance Tuesday night with two home runs, three runs, and three RBI. The home runs and RBI were all the first for Sands since he had his first multi-home run game of the year on 6/1 vs. Reading.

Digging the Long-Ball: Somerset hit three home runs Tuesday night. The team has 13 home runs over its last 10 games and now have 48 home runs collectively on the season, second-most in the Double-A Northeast League (50, Bowie) and the fifth-most in all of Double-A (56, Northwest Arkansas).

Birthday Boy: SS Oswald Peraza celebrated his 21st birthday Tuesday night with his first three-hit game as a Patriot. The No. 4 prospect in the Yankees system with 3-for-4 with his first Double-A triple and three runs scored.

Starting with a Bang: The Patriots have hit 15 home runs in the first inning this season: the most in all of Minor League Baseball and eight more than any other team in the Double-A Northeast League. Additionally, Somerset is collectively hitting .318 in the first inning - tops in the league - and is outscoring their opponents 39-14 in the first frame.

Patriots Breakdown

Overall.....	23-13
First Half.....	23-13
Second Half.....	0-0
Home.....	13-5
Road.....	10-8
Streak.....	W2
Day.....	3-2
Night.....	20-11
Vs. Northeast Division.....	15-8
Vs. Southwest Division.....	8-5
Vs. NL Affiliates.....	16-3
Vs. AL Affiliates.....	7-10
1-Run.....	5-2
2-Run.....	5-2
3-Run.....	1-2
4+Run.....	12-7
Extras.....	2-2
Shutout.....	4-2
W/ HR.....	19-10
No HR.....	4-3
0 Errors.....	10-5
1-2 Errors.....	12-7
3+ Errors.....	1-1
vs. LHP.....	7-2
vs. RHP.....	16-11
Somerset Score 1st.....	17-6
Opp Score 1st.....	6-7
Score 3.....	6-11
Score 4+.....	17-2
Lead after 7th.....	15-1
Tied after 7th.....	1-2
Trail after 7th.....	2-9
Lead after 8th.....	16-0
Tied after 8th.....	1-2
Trail after 8th.....	1-9
May.....	16-7
June.....	6-6
July.....	0-0
August.....	0-0
September.....	0-0
Series Record.....	4-2
Sweeps (SOM-Opp).....	1-0

Somerset vs. Richmond

2021 vs. Richmond.....	1-0
@ RIC.....	0-0
@ SOM.....	1-0
All-Time.....	1-0
@ RIC.....	0-0
@ SOM.....	1-0

UPCOMING PROBABLES

Thur., June 17, 7:05 p.m. vs. RIC	Waldichuk (L) vs. Hjelle (R)
Fri., June 18, 7:05 p.m. vs. RIC	Junk (R) vs. Toplikar (R)
Sat., June 19, 7:05 p.m. vs. RIC	Wesneski (R) vs. TBD
Sun, June 20, 1:05 p.m. vs. RIC	Otto (R) vs. Plassmeyer (L)

Double-A Northeast League Standings

Northeast Division					Southwest Division				
W	L	GB	L10	Stk	W	L	GB	L10	Stk
Somerset	23	13	-	5-5 W2	Bowie	25	10	-	5-5 L1
Portland	21	16	2.5	4-6 W1	Erie	24	12	1.5	6-4 W1
New Hampshire	14	21	8.5	5-5 W4	Altoona	22	14	3.5	5-5 L1
Reading	12	25	11.5	7-3 W4	Akron	21	14	4.0	5-5 W1
Binghamton	11	25	12.0	4-6 L3	Richmond	21	16	5.0	6-4 L2
Hartford	10	26	13.0	3-7 L3	Harrisburg	12	24	13.5	4-6 L1

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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	Semple	Lindow	-	19-8	1st	-	2:16	4,752
6/5 G2	vs. Reading	W, 6-1	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	7:05 pm								
6/17	vs. Richmond	7:05 pm								
6/18	vs. Richmond	7:05 pm								
6/19	vs. Richmond	7:05 pm								
6/20	vs. Richmond	1:05 pm								
6/22	@ Portland	6:00 pm								
6/23	@ Portland	6:00 pm								
6/24	@ Portland	6:00 pm								
6/25	@ Portland	6:00 pm								
6/26	@ Portland	6:00 pm								
6/27	@ Portland	1:00 pm								
6/29	@ Harrisburg	6:30 pm								
6/30	@ Harrisburg	6:30 pm								
7/1	@ Harrisburg	6:30 pm								
7/2	@ Harrisburg	7:00 pm								
7/3	@ Harrisburg	7:00 pm								
7/4	@ Harrisburg	1:00 pm								
7/6	vs. Erie	7:05 pm								
7/7	vs. Erie	7:05 pm								
7/8	vs. Erie	7:05 pm								
7/9	vs. Erie	7:05 pm								
7/10	vs. Erie	7:05 pm								
7/11	vs. Erie	5:05 pm								

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DATE	ACTION	DATE	ACTION
5/2	Break Camp Roster Announced (1/1)	6/15	Hayden Wesneski transferred Hudson Valley to Somerset (21/38)
5/4	Chase Illig added to Developmental List (2/2)		
5/13	Zack Zehner transferred Somerset to Scranton (3/3)	6/15	Zach Greene transferred Hudson Valley to Somerset (22/39)
5/13	Chase Illig reinstated from Developmental List Transferred Somerset to Hudson Valley (4/4)		
5/14	Max McDowell transferred Scranton to Somerset (5/5)		
5/15	Max Burt transferred Tampa to Somerset (6/6)		
5/18	Thomas Milone transferred Somerset to Scranton (7/7)		
5/18	Hoy Park transferred Somerset to Scranton (8/8)		
5/18	Brandon Wagner transferred Somerset to Scranton (9/9)		
5/18	Aaron Palensky transferred Complex League to Somerset (10/10)		
5/18	Evan Alexander transferred Tampa to Somerset (11/11)		
5/18	Oliver Dunn transferred Hudson Valley to Somerset (12/12)		
5/23	Chase Illig transferred Hudson Valley to Somerset (13/13)		
5/25	Max McDowell transferred Somerset to Scranton (14/14)		
5/29	Zack Britton begins Major League rehab assignment (15/15)		
5/29	Kevin Gadea placed on Temporary Inactive List (Olympic Qualifier - Nicaragua) (16/16)		
5/29	Oswaldo Cabrera placed on Temporary Inactive List (Olympic Qualifier - Venezuela) (17/17)		
6/5	Zack Zehner transferred Scranton to Somerset (1/18)		
6/5	Cristian Perez transferred Scranton to Somerset (2/19)		
6/5	Chase Illig transferred Somerset to Scranton (3/20)		
6/5	Kevin Gadea reinstated from Temporary Inactive List (4/21)		
6/8	Oswald Peraza transferred Hudson Valley to Somerset (5/22)		
6/8	Oswaldo Cabrera reinstated from Temporarily Inactive List (Olympic Qualifier - Venezuela) (6/23)		
6/8	Zack Britton trasferred Major League rehab assignment Somerset to Scranton (7/24)		
6/9	Chase Illig transferred Scranton to Somerset (8/25)		
6/9	Zack Zehner released from contract (9/26)		
6/15	Luis Gil transferred Somerset to Scranton/Wilkes-Barre (10/27)		
6/15	Matt Krook transferred Somerset to Scranton/Wilkes-Barre (11/28)		
6/15	Greg Weissert transferred Somerset to Scranton/Wilkes-Barre (12/29)		
6/15	Shawn Semple transferred Somerset to Hudson Valley (13/30)		
6/15	Reid Anderson transferred Somerset to Hudson Valley (14/31)		
6/15	Carlos Espinal transferred Somerset to Hudson Valley (15/32)		
6/15	Oliver Dunn transferred Somerset to Hudson Valley (16/33)		
6/15	Addison Russ transferred Scranton/Wilkes-Barre to Somerset (17/34)		
6/15	Nick Green transferred Scranton/Wilkes-Barre to Somerset (18/35)		
6/15	Luis Medina transferred Hudson Valley to Somerset (19/36)		
6/15	Ken Waldichuk transferred Hudson Valley to Somerset (20/37)		

EJECTIONS			
PLAYER/COACH	DATE	UMPIRE	REASON

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				