

POSTGAME NOTES SOMERSET PATRIOTS (34-22) @ HARTFORD YARD GOATS (24-32) SUNDAY, JUNE 11, 2023



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SOMERSET	10	14	0	6	5
HARTFORD	2	6	2	9	1

STARTING TIME: 1:13 p.m. GAME-TIME TEMPERATURE: 80 degrees WINNING PITCHER: Clayton Beeter (5-2) LOSING PITCHER: Nick Garcia (0-6) SAVE: -

TIME OF GAME: 2:42 ATTENDANCE: 7,254 PITCH COUNTS (Total Pitches/Strikes): Patriots: Clayton Beeter (88/57) Yard Goats: Nick Garcia (82/59)

Drew Romo (#4 / 7th / 1 on / 1 out / 1-1 / Houston / SOM 9 – HFD 2)

HOME RUNS (2023 TOTAL / INNING / RUNNERS ON BASE / OUTS / COUNT / PITCHER / SCORE AFTER HR)

SOMERSET

 $\begin{array}{l} Jeisson \ Rosario \left(\#8 \ / \ 3^{rd} \ / \ 0 \ on \ / \ 0 \ out \ / \ 1-1 \ / \ Garcia \ / \ SOM \ 1-HFD \ 0 \right) \\ Aaron \ Palensky \left(\#2 \ / \ 5^{th} \ / \ 0 \ on \ / \ 0 \ out \ / \ 1-1 \ / \ Garcia \ / \ SOM \ 2-HFD \ 0 \right) \\ T.J. \ Rumfield \left(\#10 \ / \ 5^{th} \ / \ 1 \ on \ / \ 2 \ out \ / \ 3-2 \ / \ Garcia \ / \ SOM \ 4-HFD \ 0 \right) \\ Caleb \ Durbin \left(\#2 \ / \ 7^{th} \ / \ 1 \ on \ / \ 1 \ out \ / \ 0-0 \ / \ Goldsberry \ / \ SOM \ 9-HFD \ 0 \right) \\ \end{array}$

SOMERSET PATRIOTS NOTES

- The Somerset Patriots defeated the Hartford Yard Goats by a score of 10-2 on Sunday afternoon at Dunkin' Park in Hartford, Connecticut.
 - The win moves Somerset to a season-best 12 games over .500 with a record of 34-22. Coming out of their final road trip of the first half, the Patriots are a half-game behind first place Portland with 12 games left to be played in the first half.

HARTFORD

- o The win secured Somerset's second five-win series of the season (May 2-7 vs. Binghamton).
- o Somerset hit 13 home runs in the series--their most in a single series since becoming the Yankees' Double-A affiliate.
- In Sunday's game, the Patriots tied season-highs in home runs (4) and hits (14), last having accomplished both on May 16 vs. Reading.
- Over the course of the six-game series, the Patriots' pitching staff struck out double-digit batters in all six games, totaling 73 strikeouts in the six games.
- **RHP Clayton Beeter** (5.0 IP, 0 R, 4 H, 1 BB, 3 HBP, 6 K) earned his third consecutive win, starting the game with five scoreless innings.
 - Beeter was the winning pitcher in both the first and last games of the series, pitching a collective 11.0 scoreless innings vs. the Yard Goats with 17 strikeouts.
 - His five scoreless innings on Sunday lowered Beeter's Eastern League best ERA to 2.13 on the season. His five wins now lead the Patriots.
- **RF Aaron Palensky** (4-for-4, 2 RBI, 2 R, HR, 2B, SB) finished the game a triple shy of the cycle.
 - Palensky becomes the first Patriot to collect four hits in a game this season. The performance marks Palensky's third total four-hit game of the season and his first at Double-A.
 - He entered the game 3-for-25 in his first ten games since being called up to the Patriots. The four hits raised his batting average from .120 to .241.
 - o Both of Palensky's home runs during the series came off of RHP Nick Garcia.
- **2B Caleb Durbin** (3-for-4, 3 RBI, R, HR, SB) swatted his second Double-A home run as part of his third three-hit game of the season (second at Double-A).
- LF Jeisson Rosario (1-for-2, RBI, R, K) opened up the scoring with his second home run of the series.
 - Rosario hit safely in all six games of the series, going 7-for-19 with 5 RBI, 5 R, 4 BB, 2 HR and 2 SB.
- **1B T.J. Rumfield** (1-for-4, 2 RBI, 2 R, HR, BB, K) crushed his fourth home run of the series as part of a four-run fifth inning, for his 10th home run of the season.
 - o All four of Rumfield's hits in the series were home runs.