

# 2021 SOMERSET PATRIOTS GAME NOTES

Double-A Affiliate of the New York Yankees

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## Richmond Flying Squirrels (22-19) vs. Somerset Patriots (26-14)

LHP Michael Plassmeyer (2-2, 4.98 ERA) vs. RHP Glenn Otto (3-2, 3.95 ERA)

Sunday, June 20, 2021 | Game #41 | Home Game #23

1:05 p.m. | TD Bank Ballpark | Bridgewater, NJ

Radio: 1450 WCTC | TV: MiLB.TV



### Patriots Breakdown

Overall.....	26-14
First Half.....	26-14
Second Half.....	0-0
Home.....	16-6
Road.....	10-8
Streak.....	L1
Day.....	3-2
Night.....	23-12
Vs. Northeast Division.....	15-8
Vs. Southwest Division.....	11-6
Vs. NL Affiliates.....	19-4
Vs. AL Affiliates.....	7-10
1-Run.....	5-2
2-Run.....	6-2
3-Run.....	1-2
4+Run.....	14-8
Extras.....	3-2
Shutouts.....	4-2
W/ HR.....	22-11
No HR.....	4-3
0 Errors.....	11-5
1-2 Errors.....	14-7
3+ Errors.....	1-2
vs. LHP.....	7-2
vs. RHP.....	19-12
Somerset Score 1st.....	19-6
Opp Score 1st.....	7-8
Score 3-.....	6-11
Score 4+.....	20-3
Lead after 7th.....	17-1
Tied after 7th.....	1-2
Trail after 7th.....	3-10
Lead after 8th.....	18-0
Tied after 8th.....	1-2
Trail after 8th.....	2-10
May.....	16-7
June.....	9-7
July.....	0-0
August.....	0-0
September.....	0-0
Series Record.....	5-2
Sweeps (SOM-Opp).....	1-0
Somerset vs. Richmond	
2021 vs. Richmond.....	4-1
@ RIC.....	0-0
@ SOM.....	4-1
All-Time.....	4-1
@ RIC.....	0-0
@ SOM.....	4-1

**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 22-19 record and ended a five-game losing skid with a 14-5 win last night.

**Short Memories:** The Patriots allowed a season-high 14 runs and a season-high 13 hits in last night's loss to Richmond. Additionally, the six runs the team allowed in the 7th inning were the most the team has yielded in a single inning this season.

**LUUUUKE:** New York Yankees first baseman Luke Voit began a rehab assignment with Somerset Tuesday night. Voit is 5-for-12 (.417) with two home runs, four runs, and four RBI over four games with the Patriots.

**Peraza Percolating:** Oswald Peraza went 3-for-4 with a walk and his first homer at home last night. The No. 4 Yankees prospect has two three-hit games and has reached base at least two times in every game this series. Peraza is now 9-for-19 (.474) with a team-best nine runs and a .565 OBP over the first five games of this series against Richmond.

**Donny Baseball:** Donny Sands went 3-for-4 with two home runs - his second multi-homer game of the year - and three RBI Tuesday night. He then hit a walk-off two-run shot Wednesday night and hit a three-run home run in his next at-bat Thursday night. Sands is 5-for-15 (.333) with four home runs, five runs and 10 RBI this series.

**¡Olé Oswaldo!** Oswaldo Cabrera saw his 10-game hit streak end last night. Over the streak, Cabrera hit .415 (17-for-41) with three home runs, eight RBI and eight runs. The Venezuelan infielder collected three hits on both 6/17 and 6/18, including his first multi-home run game as a Patriot Thursday night (second of career, 8/24/19 vs. Lakeland).

**Go Diego Go!** Infielder Diego Castillo has been red hot in the month of June. In 16 games, Castillo is hitting .375 (24-for-64) with five home runs, six doubles, 13 RBI, 13 runs, and a .412 OBP. Castillo ranks third in the league in batting (.337) and OPS (.972).

**Starting with a Bang:** The Patriots have hit 18 home runs in the first inning this season: the most in all of Minor League Baseball and 11 more than any other team in the Double-A Northeast League. Additionally, Somerset is collectively hitting .320 in the first inning - tops in all of Double-A - and is outscoring their opponents 46-18 in the first frame.

**Hits and Misses:** The Patriots pitching staff owns a 3.09 ERA, lowest among all Double-A teams and second-lowest in all of Minor League Baseball. The team has also struck out the most batters (494), 28 more than the next-closest Double-A team (Corpus Christi), leads in WHIP (1.13) and has the lowest batting average against (.200) in Double-A.

### UPCOMING PROBABLES

### Double-A Northeast League Standings

Northeast Division					Southwest Division				
W	L	GB	L10	Stk	W	L	GB	L10	Stk
Somerset	26	14	-	6-4 L1	Bowie	27	12	-	5-5 L2
Portland	24	16	2.0	6-4 W4	Altoona	25	15	2.5	6-4 W1
New Hampshire	16	24	10.0	6-4 W2	Erie	25	15	2.5	5-5 L1
Reading	14	27	12.5	7-3 L1	Akron	23	16	4.0	5-5 W2
Hartford	13	28	13.5	4-6 L2	Richmond	22	19	6.0	4-6 W1
Binghamton	11	28	14.5	2-8 L6	Harrisburg	14	26	13.5	4-6 W1

































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DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	REC	PLACE	GB	TIME	ATT.
7/13	@ Richmond	6:35 pm								
7/14	@ Richmond	6:35 pm								
7/15	@ Richmond	6:35 pm								
7/16	@ Richmond	6:35 pm								
7/17	@ Richmond	6:05 pm								
7/18	@ Richmond	5:05 pm								
7/20	vs. Altoona	7:05 pm								
7/21	vs. Altoona	7:05 pm								
7/22	vs. Altoona	7:05 pm								
7/23	vs. Altoona	7:05 pm								
7/24	vs. Altoona	7:05 pm								
7/25	vs. Altoona	5:05 pm								
7/27	@ Reading	TBD								
7/28	@ Reading	TBD								
7/29	@ Reading	TBD								
7/30	@ Reading	TBD								
7/31	@ Reading	TBD								
8/1	@ Reading	TBD								
8/3	vs. Bowie	7:05 pm								
8/4	vs. Bowie	7:05 pm								
8/5	vs. Bowie	7:05 pm								
8/6	vs. Bowie	7:05 pm								
8/7	vs. Bowie	7:05 pm								
8/8	vs. Bowie	5:05 pm								
8/10	vs. Portland	7:05 pm								
8/11	vs. Portland	7:05 pm								
8/12	vs. Portland	7:05 pm								
8/13	vs. Portland	7:05 pm								
8/14	vs. Portland	7:05 pm								
8/15	vs. Portland	5:05 pm								
8/17	@ Altoona	6:30 pm								
8/18	@ Altoona	6:30 pm								
8/19	@ Altoona	6:30 pm								
8/20	@ Altoona	7:00 pm								
8/21	@ Altoona	6:00 pm								
8/22	@ Altoona	6:00 pm								
8/24	vs. Akron	7:05 pm								
8/25	vs. Akron	7:05 pm								
8/26	vs. Akron	7:05 pm								
8/27	vs. Akron	7:05 pm								
8/28	vs. Akron	7:05 pm								
8/29	vs. Akron	5:05 pm								
8/31	@ Bowie	6:35 pm								
9/1	@ Bowie	6:35 pm								
9/2	@ Bowie	6:35 pm								
9/3	@ Bowie	7:05 pm								
9/4	@ Bowie	6:35 pm								
9/5	@ Bowie	1:35 pm								
9/7	vs. Hartford	7:05 pm								
9/8	vs. Hartford	7:05 pm								
9/9	vs. Hartford	7:05 pm								
9/10	vs. Hartford	7:05 pm								
9/11	vs. Hartford	7:05 pm								
9/12	vs. Hartford	1:05 pm								
9/14	@ Akron	11:05 am								
9/15	@ Akron	6:35 pm								
9/16	@ Akron	6:35 pm								
9/17	@ Akron	7:05 pm								
9/18	@ Akron	7:05 pm								
9/19	@ Akron	2:05 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)	6/15	Zach Greene transferred Hudson Valley to Somerset (22/39)
5/13	Zack Zehner transferred Somerset to Scranton (3/3)	6/18	Thomas Milone transferred Scranton to Somerset (23/40)
5/13	Chase Illig reinstated from Development List	6/18	Jefry Valdez transferred Somerset to Hudson Valley (24/41)
	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	Oswaldo 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 transferred 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				