

## POSTGAME NOTES SOMERSET PATRIOTS (52-50)@ BOWIE BAYSOX (45-56) SUNDAY AUGUST 4, 2024



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SOMERSET	4	6	0	7	3	
BOWIE	1	6	1	5	2	

STARTING TIME: 6:38 p.m. 8/3, 5:05 p.m 8/4 GAME-TIME TEMPERATURE: 87 degrees WINNING PITCHER: Ben Shields (2-1) LOSING PITCHER: Dylan Heid (4-3) SAVE: Joey Gerber (1) TIME OF GAME: 2:32 (1:33) ATTENDANCE: 3,414 PITCH COUNTS (Total Pitches/Strikes): Patriots: Colby White (34/22) Baysox: Trace Bright (51/33)

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

Anthony Seigler (#9 /  $3^{rd}$  / 1 on / 0 out / 3-2 / Bright / SOM 1 – BOW 0)

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Samuel Basallo (#15 / 6th / 0 on / 0 out / 0-1 / Shields / SOM 1 – BOW 1)

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SOMERSET	6	9	0	6	4	
BOWIE	1	3	3	4	2	

STARTING TIME: 6:40 p.m. GAME-TIME TEMPERATURE: 81 degrees WINNING PITCHER: Trystan Vrieling (8-7) LOSING PITCHER: Ryan Long (0-5) SAVE: N/A TIME OF GAME: 2:11 (7 innings) ATTENDANCE: 4,541 PITCH COUNTS (Total Pitches/Strikes): Patriots: Trystan Vrieling (66/40) Baysox: Ryan Long (67/39)

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Spencer Jones (#13 / 6<sup>th</sup> / 1 on / 1 out / 0-0 / Brnovich / SOM 6 – BOW 0)

John Rhodes (#7 / 7<sup>th</sup> / 0 on / 0 out / 2-0 / Stevens / SOM 6 – BOW 1)

- The Somerset Patriots swept the Bowie Baysox 4-1 and 6-1 in a doubleheader on Sunday afternoon to clinch a series victory at Prince George's Stadium in Bowie, MD.
  - Game one was a continuation of Saturday night's contest, suspended in the 3<sup>rd</sup> inning due to rain.
  - Somerset has never lost a series to the Baysox, owning a 30-17 all-time record and 5-0-3 series record against Bowie.
  - The Patriots homered in both ends of the doubleheader and have homered in six straight contests, tied for their longest streak of games having gone deep the season.
  - Over the doubleheader, Patriots pitchers combined to allow 2 R (1.12 ERA) on 9 H with 19 K in 16 IP.
- **RHP Colby White** (2 IP, 0 R, 1 H, 0 BB, 2 K) made his eighth career start and first for Somerset in game one, serving as an opener.
  - White has failed to yield a run in seven of his last eight outings.
- Over his last nine appearances, White has posted a 2.31 ERA and 1.03 WHIP in 11.2 IP with 15 K.
- LHP Ben Shields (6 IP, 1 R, 5 H, 0 BB, 7 K) earned his second Double-A win, firing 6 IP of one-run ball.
  - Since the start of June, Shields has pitched to a 1.98 ERA in 10 games between Somerset and High-A Hudson Valley with 67 K in 54.1 IP.
  - Shields has struck out 7+ in three of his last four starts and seven times this season.
- RHP Trystan Vrieling (5 IP, 0 R, 1 H, 2 BB, 6 K) chucked 5 shutout, one-hit IP, earning the win in game two.
  - $\circ$  Vrieling picked up his first win since June 18th vs. ERI and team-leading 8th win of the season.
  - Sunday marked Vrieling's sixth outing this season having not allowed an earned run and third having allowed one hit or fewer.
- **CF Spencer Jones** (4-for-8, HR, 4 RBI, R, BB) went 3-for-4 with 4 RBI including a two-run blast in the night cap.
  - $\circ$   $\;$  Jones has hit safely in six of his last seven contests and reached base in eight of his last nine.
  - $\circ$   $\;$  Jones had an extra base hit in four of the six games during the series in Bowie.
  - o In 11 games vs. Bowie this season, Jones is batting .356 with 3 HR, 16 RBI, and a 1.175 OPS.
  - Over his last seven games, the Yankees No. 2 prospect is 10-for-26 (.385) with 2 HR, 4 2B, 9 RBI, and 5 R.
  - Jones's 13 HR this season are T-4<sup>th</sup> most among Yankees farmhands.
  - Game two marked the fifth time this season Jones has compiled 6+ total bases in a game.
  - Sunday marked Jones's 13<sup>th</sup> multi-RBI game and fourth 3+ RBI game of the season.
  - $\circ$  Jones's 21 multi-hit games this season are third most on the team.
  - Jones's season OPS now sits at .758, it's highest mark since 5/3/24.
- **2B Anthony Seigler** (1-for-6, HR, RBI, R, 2 BB) lifted a solo homer to open the scoring in the 3<sup>rd</sup> inning of game one.
  - $_{\odot}$   $\,$  In nine games this season vs. Bowie, Seigler has 5 HR, 6 RBI, and a 1.065 OPS.
  - Seigler's 9 HR are his single season career best.
  - Siegler homered twice in a four-game span after his solo shot in the series opener.
- **C/1B Rafael Flores** (2-for-7, 2 2B, RBI, R) had a hit in both ends of the doubleheader, rocketing an RBI double to open the scoring in the nightcap.
  - Flores's 23 2B this season are 3<sup>rd</sup> most among Yankees minor leaguers.
  - Flores has hit safely in five straight games and reached base in 10 of his last 11.