

POSTGAME NOTES ERIE SEAWOLVES (38-29) @ SOMERSET PATRIOTS (32-37) SUNDAY JUNE 23, 2024



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| ERIE | 10 | 17 | 0 | 11 | 4 |
| SOMERSET | 7 | 14 | 2 | 11 | 1 |

STARTING TIME: 7:07 p.m. 6/22, 12:05 PM 6/23

GAME-TIME TEMPERATURE: 90 degrees WINNING PITCHER: Carlos Pena (2-3) LOSING PITCHER: Trystan Vrieling (7-5)

SAVE: N/A

TIME OF GAME: 3:04 (0:39)

ATTENDANCE: 5,945

PITCH COUNTS (Total Pitches/Strikes):

Patriots: Bailey Dees (7/5), Trystan Vrieling (95/64)

SeaWolves: Trevin Michael (16/14), Carlos Pena (82/57)

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

Stephen Scott (#5 / 4^{th} / 0 on / 0 out / 0-0 / Vrieling / SOM 2 – ERI 2) Trei Cruz (#6 / 4^{th} / 2 on / 0 out / 2-0 / Vrieling / SOM 2 – ERI 5) Jesus Rodriguez (#1 / 1st / 0 on / 1 out / 2-2 / Michael / SOM 1 – ERI 0)

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| ERIE | 11 | 8 | 1 | 5 | 5 | |
| SOMERSET | 5 | 7 | 0 | 4 | 1 | |

STARTING TIME: 3:38 p.m.

GAME-TIME TEMPERATURE: 94 degrees

WINNING PITCHER: RJ Petit (3-5) LOSING PITCHER: Josh Grosz (0-1)

SAVE: N/A

TIME OF GAME: 2:22 (7 innings)

ATTENDANCE: 5,945

PITCH COUNTS (Total Pitches/Strikes):

Patriots: Josh Grosz (89/54)

SeaWolves: Michael Bienlien (54/38)

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Gage Workman (#7 / 4th / 2 on / 2 out / 2-0 / Grosz / SOM 4 – ERI 6)

Elijah Dunham (#5 / 3rd / 2 on / 2 out / 1-2 / Bienlien / SOM 4 - ERI 1)

- The Somerset Patriots were swept in a doubleheader by the Erie SeaWolves 10-7 and 11-5 on Sunday
 afternoon to round out a six-game series at TD Bank Ballpark and the first half of the 2024 Eastern League
 season.
 - o Game one was a continuation of a nine-inning affair which was suspended following one inning on 6/22, while game two was a seven-inning contest.
 - Somerset has dropped five straight games for the first time this season and second time in Double-A era history.
 - With a Harrisburg loss and pair of Erie wins, the SeaWolves clinch the Eastern League Southwest Division first-half championship and a playoff spot.
- RHP Trystan Vrieling (5 IP, 8 R, 7 ER, 6 H, 2 BB, 3 K) entered in the 2nd inning upon the resumption of game one in relief of Bailey Dees, who threw seven pitches in a perfect 1st inning on Saturday night.
- RHP Josh Grosz (4 IP, 6 R, 5 ER, 6 H, 3 BB, 5 K) took the loss in his Double-A debut in game two.
- **C Jesus Rodriguez** (1-for-4, HR, R, RBI, BB) launched a solo home run in the first inning of game one, his first homer as a member of the Patriots.
 - o The solo blast marked Rodriguez's sixth total homer of the year.
 - o Rodriguez has reached base in all four games to begin his Double-A career following a promotion to Somerset on Wednesday.
 - Rodriguez has reached base in 22 consecutive games dating back to 5/25 @BRK as a member of High-A Hudson Valley.
 - o Rodriguez is 4-for-15 with 2 RBI, 2 BB, 1 HBP, and 3 R over his first four games with Somerset.
- **RF/DH Elijah Dunham** (4-for-8, HR, 3 R, 2B, 3 RBI, SB) went 3-for-3 with 1 HR, 2 R, 2B and 3 RBI in game two.
 - Dunham rocketed a three-run homer in the 3rd inning of game two, giving Somerset a 4-1 lead.
 - o The three-run blast marked Dunham's fifth long ball of the season.
 - With hits in both ends of the doubleheader Dunham extended his hit streak to eight games, over which he's batting .400/.436/.733 with 2 HR, 7 RBI, 4 2B, 5 BB, and 8 R.
 - Game two on Sunday marked Dunham's ninth multi-hit performance of the season and third 3+ hit game.
 - Dunham's 3 H, 2 R, and 3 RBI all matched a season high.
- SS Alexander Vargas (4-for-8, 3 RBI) went 4-for-5 with 3 RBI in game one.
 - Vargas's 4 H marked a season-high and matched a career-high, while his 3 RBI set a new season-high.
 - Vargas registered his fifth multi-hit performance with Somerset and his third multi-hit showcase over a five-game span.
 - Over 11 games in June, Vargas is 11-for-35 (.314) with 1 HR, 6 RBI, and 5 R.
- **LF Aaron Palensky** (3-for-5, 3 RBI, R, 2B) recorded a three-hit day with 3 RBI in game one, highlighted by a two-out, two-run double in the 9th inning.
 - Palensky extended his season-long on-base streak to 12 games, and season-long hit streak to five games.
 - Palensky has hit safely in 7 of his last 8 games.
 - o Sunday marked Palensky's third multi-hit game and fourth multi-RBI game of the season.
 - Palensky's 3 H and 3 RBI both marked a new season high.