

CLEARWATER THRESHERS

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Clearwater Threshers (7-14, 42-44) VS. Bradenton Marauders (14-7, 43-43)

Friday, July 22, 2022

Game #87 | Home Game #40 | 6:30 PM

RHP Sam Coonrod (*MLB REHAB*) vs. RHP Valentin Linarez (2-6, 4.82 ERA)

LAST TIME OUT: The Clearwater Threshers knocked off the Fort Myers Mighty Mussels 5-4 in ten innings for a second straight win to conclude a 12-game road trip on Sunday afternoon at Hammond Stadium. Left-hander Jordan Fowler made his second start of the season on the mound for Clearwater, allowing only one run on three hits and striking out three in three innings of work. Trailing 1-0 in the fourth, the Threshers (7-14, 42-44) used a two out walk from Andrick Nava and an RBI triple by Micah Yonamine to tie the contest. After the Mighty Mussels (7-11, 48-34) scratched across runs in the fourth and fifth off relievers Carlos Betancourt and Matt Osterberg to build a 3-1 lead, the Threshers rallied for a three-run inning in the sixth. An RBI single by catcher Arturo De Freitas, an RBI groundout by Yonamine and an RBI single by Wilfredo Flores gave the Threshers a 4-3 lead. Following a second weather delay in the seventh, the Mighty Mussels evened the game 4-4 on an RBI sac-fly by Rubel Cespedes in the eighth off lefty Tristan Garnett. It was the first earned run Garnett allowed this season, but the southpaw bounced back to work a scoreless ninth and was eventually credited with his second win of the year. Tied 4-4 in the tenth, and with an automatic base runner placed on second, second baseman Kendall Simmons lined an RBI base hit into left with two outs to give the Threshers a 5-4 advantage. Right-hander Alex Garbrick became the seventh pitcher of the game for the Threshers in the bottom of the tenth, and despite loading the bases, worked a scoreless frame with two strikeouts to secure his third save of the season and a 5-4 victory.

FOR STARTERS: Right-hander Sam Coonrod is scheduled to make a rehab appearance on the mound for the Threshers in the series opener on Friday night. Spent his first season with the Phillies in 2021...Posted a 0.95 ERA (2 ER, 19.0 IP) through his first 17 appearances...Did not allow a run in his first 10 career games (12.0 IP) at Citizens Bank Park...Placed on 10-day IL with right forearm tendinitis, 6/24, and was transferred to 60-day IL on 8/12, remaining there until 8/23; included rehab assignments to Lehigh Valley (AAA), 7/18-21 and 8/17-23...Made two starts (9/5 at MIA as an opener, 9/10 vs COL), the only two of his career...Averaged 10.20 SO/9.0 IP (48 SO, 42.1 IP) and had at least one strikeout in 15 of his final 18 appearances.



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SHARK BITES: vs. Bradenton in 2022: 3-3, this marks the second and final meeting of the season between the Threshers and Marauders, Clearwater split a six-game series in Bradenton on June 7-12, the Threshers were no-hit by the Marauders on June 9....**NEW MONTH:** The Threshers finished the month of June at 14-12, but are off to a 5-10 start in July with two four-plus game losing streaks...**KNOW THE FOE:** The Marauders, the 2021 league champions (then known as Low-A Southeast) have surged back to an even .500 on the season at 43-43 and currently sit in first place in the second half standings at 14-7... **HELLO AGAIN:** Friday night will be the second time the Threshers face RHP Valentin Linarez, the righty tossed four innings of relief against Clearwater on June 7, allowing one run on three hits and striking out five ...**HOME SWEET HOME:** The Threshers are 20-19 at home and lead the Florida State League in attendance, welcoming in 101,673 fans through the BayCare Ballpark gates so far in 2022, including 8,017 for the July 3 contest....**NOT SO FUN FACT:** The Threshers have not won a series since May 10-15 vs. Daytona... **WHO'S HOT:** OF Marcus Lee Sang secured three more hits on Sunday, is now slashing .260 and is second on the squad in RBI with 35 ...**WELCOME BACK:** INF Hao Yu Lee played in his first game with the Threshers since May 31 in the series finale on Sunday in Fort Myers, Lee played third base and finished 0-for-4 in his return. Despite missing nearly two months, Lee still leads the team in RBI with 37**ON DECK:** Following this three-game weekend series with the Marauders, the Threshers will welcome the Dunedin Blue Jays to BayCare Ballpark for the final time in 2022. The six-game series will take place July 26-31

Inside the Numbers:

Current Streak: W2
Last 10: 5-5
VS. Bradenton: 3-3
At Home: 20-19
On Road: 22-25
In July: 5-10 (14-12 June)
On Friday: 7-8
Team hitting at home: .224
Team hitting on road: .226
Night games: 34-29
Day games: 8-15
Team hitting in July: .235
Team ERA in July: 4.61
Team hitting vs. LHP: .219
Team hitting vs. RHP: .227
Following a win: 24-16
Following a loss: 17-26
Starters ERA: 4.35
Bullpen ERA: 2.70



Diving Deeper - #33 RHP Sam Coonrod

Samuel Timothy Coonrod... Married, wife's name is Kara... 2011 graduate of Carrollton High School (IL), where he played baseball, football and basketball... Attended Southern Illinois University–Carbondale... Hobbies: Fishing, lifting weights and reading the Bible...Spent his first season with the Phillies in 2021...Posted a 0.95 ERA (2 ER, 19.0 IP) through his first 17 appearances...Did not allow a run in his first 10 career games (12.0 IP) at Citizens Bank Park...Placed on 10-day IL with right forearm tendinitis, 6/24, and was transferred to 60-day IL on 8/12, remaining there until 8/23; included rehab assignments to Lehigh Valley (AAA), 7/18-21 and 8/17-23...Made two starts (9/5 at MIA as an opener, 9/10 vs COL), the only two of his career...Averaged 10.20 SO/9.0 IP (48 SO, 42.1 IP) and had at least one strikeout in 15 of his final 18 appearances.



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16-Jun	RHP Malik Binns assigned to Florida Complex League from Clearwater Threshers
21-Jun	C Donny Sands on MiLB Rehab assigned to Clearwater Threshers
24-Jun	RHP Trevor Bettencourt on MiLB Rehab assigned to Clearwater Threshers
24-Jun	OF Simon Muzziotti on MiLB Rehab assigned to Clearwater Threshers
26-Jun	OF Jordan Viars reinstated from 7-Day Injured List, assigned to Florida Complex League
26-Jun	C Donny Sands on MiLB Rehab reinstated from 7-Day Injured List, activated by Lehigh Valley
28-Jun	RHP Sam Jacobsak reinstated from 60-Day Injured List, assigned to Clearwater Threshers
28-Jun	OF Simon Muzziotti on MiLB Rehab reinstated from 7-Day Injured List, activated by Reading
28-Jun	Philadelphia Phillies transferred LHP JoJo Romero on a rehab assignment from Clearwater Threshers to Reading
30-Jun	C Adony Mejia assigned to Clearwater Threshers from Florida Complex League
30-Jun	C Andrick Nava placed on 7-Day Injured List
1-Jul	INF Luis Garcia on MiLB Rehab assigned to Clearwater Threshers
2-Jul	RHP Starlyn Castillo reinstated from 60-Day Injured List, assigned to Clearwater Threshers
2-Jul	LHP Rafael Marcano assigned to Jersey Shore from Clearwater Threshers



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2-Jul	RHP Tommy McCollum placed on 7-Day Injured List (retroactive to 7/1)
6-Jul	INF Luis Garcia on MiLB Rehab reinstated from 7-Day Injured List, activated by Jersey Shore
7-Jul	C Andrick Nava reinstated to Clearwater Threshers active roster from 7-Day Injured List
7-Jul	C Adony Mejia assigned to Florida Complex League
7-Jul	INF Nick Maton on MLB Rehab assigned to Clearwater Threshers
8-Jul	LHP Taylor Lehman on MiLB Rehab assigned to Clearwater Threshers
9-Jul	RHP Gunner Mayer reinstated from 7-Day Injured List, activated by Clearwater Threshers
9-Jul	OF Justin Williams on MiLB Rehab assigned to Clearwater Threshers
12-Jul	RHP Brett Schulze on MiLB Rehab assigned to Clearwater Threshers
12-Jul	RHP Trevor Bettencourt on MiLB Rehab reinstated from 60-Day Injured List, activated by Reading
12-Jul	Philadelphia Phillies transferred INF Nick Maton on a rehab assignment from Clearwater Threshers to Lehigh Valley
12-Jul	LHP Taylor Lehman on MiLB Rehab transferred to Jersey Shore
12-Jul	OF Justin Williams on MiLB Rehab transferred to Jersey Shore
17-Jul	INF Hao Yu Lee reinstated from 7-Day Injured List, activated by Clearwater Threshers
17-Jul	OF Chris Burke placed on Development List (retroactive to 7/16)



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