



## POSTGAME NOTES

PORTLAND SEA DOGS (20-16) @ SOMERSET PATRIOTS (18-19)

SATURDAY MAY 18, 2024



|          | <u>R</u> | <u>H</u> | <u>E</u> | <u>LOB</u> | <u>SERIES</u> |
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| PORTLAND | 2        | 7        | 0        | 6          | 3             |
| SOMERSET | 1        | 4        | 1        | 6          | 2             |

**STARTING TIME:** 6:09 p.m.

**GAME-TIME TEMPERATURE:** 66 degrees

**WINNING PITCHER:** Zach Penrod (3-0)

**LOSING PITCHER:** Bailey Dees (2-3)

**SAVE:** Felix Cepeda (7)

**TIME OF GAME:** 2:23

**ATTENDANCE:** 6,581

**PITCH COUNTS (Total Pitches/Strikes):**

**Patriots:** Bailey Dees (92/63)

**Sea Dogs:** Zach Penrod (90/59)

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

#### PORTLAND

N/A

#### SOMERSET

N/A

### SOMERSET PATRIOTS NOTES

- The Somerset Patriots fell to the Portland Sea Dogs 2-1 on Saturday night in game five of a six-game series at TD Bank Ballpark before a season high attendance of 6,581.
  - Somerset's bullpen trio of Kevin Stevens (1.1 IP), Josh Maciejewski (1 IP), and Jack Neely (1 IP) combined to throw 3.1 shutout IP of relief with 2 H and 6 K.
  - Bailey Dees, Stevens, Maciejewski, and Neely combined to strike out 14 Sea Dogs, marking Somerset's third double-digit strikeout performance over the first five games of the series.
- RHP Bailey Dees** (5.2 IP, 1 ER, 2 R, 5 H, 2 BB, 8 K) took the loss, allowing only 1 ER in 5.2 IP in his eighth start of the season.
  - Over his last seven starts dating back to 4/13 @NH, Dees has pitched to a 2.31 ERA with 38 K in 35 IP.
  - In three starts during the month of May, Dees owns a 1.23 ERA, allowing only 10 H with 14 K in 14.2 IP.
  - Dees 41 K this season are T-6<sup>th</sup> most in the Eastern League.
- RHP Jack Neely** (1 IP, 0 R, 0 H, 0 BB, 3 K) struck out the side on 14 pitches in a perfect 9<sup>th</sup> inning of work.
  - The Yankees No. 24 prospect owns a 1.45 ERA this season over 13 G with 30 K/6 BB over 18.2 IP and a 0.96 WHIP.
  - His 1.45 ERA leads the Eastern League this season among pitchers with 10+ IP, while his 13 G are T-2<sup>nd</sup> in the Eastern League.
  - Neely's 14.46 K/9 lead the Eastern League this season among pitchers with 18+ IP.
- 1B Agustin Ramirez** (1-for-3, RBI) brought home the Patriots sole run of the day with a sacrifice fly in the 6<sup>th</sup> inning.
  - Ramirez's 8<sup>th</sup> inning single extended his hit-streak to seven games dating back to 5/11 @ALT, over which the Yankees No. 20 prospect is 12-for-25 (.480) with 2 HR, 7 RBI, and 5 R.
  - His 12 HR lead the Eastern League and are T-3<sup>rd</sup> in MiLB this season, while he paces the Patriots in RBI (29), SLG (.618), OPS (1.103), and R (27).