



Northwest Indiana Oilmen

2014 Game Notes

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TONIGHT'S GAME:

Joliet Admirals (3-13)
Northwest Indiana Oilmen (11-6, 9-5)

June 26 - 7:10 (CT) - Whiting, Ind.

Radio: None

Internet: nwioilmen.com (UStream)

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Oilmen News & Notes

For Starters

The Oilmen are attempting to bounce back from an 11-2 loss to the Chicago Zephyrs on Wednesday night. The Oilmen committed five errors, three of which came in the second inning. Wednesday's game was the first time the Oilmen committed five errors in one game since June 9, 2013, a 9-5 loss to DuPage County. The highest error total ever in an Oilmen game is six, reached on June 1, 2012 in the first game in team history and again on June 27, 2012. The two hits were the fewest by the Oilmen in a regular season game in franchise history. The Oilmen were also limited to two hits in Game 2 of the 2013 Midwest Collegiate League Championship Series, a 4-1 loss to Southland.

Inside The Oilmen

The Oilmen have been held to three runs or fewer in nine of their 17 games this season. They have produced a total of seven runs over their last four games. Larry Crisler has doubled twice three his first three games with the Oilmen. He cracked a two-bagger in the fourth inning for the first Oilmen hit of the game against Chicago's Ben Krusen on Wednesday. The nine-run margin of victory of the Zephyrs' largest since a 21-9 win over Rockford on July 26, 2012. The Zephyrs 11-run scoring output was also their largest since that same game against the Foresters.

Inside the Admirals

The Joliet Admirals venture to Oil City Stadium on Thursday night having lost 11 consecutive games. Four of those 11 losses have come by exactly one run. The Admirals have scored only 36 runs in 15 games this season, an average of 2.4 runs per game. Joliet ranks sixth of six Midwest Collegiate League teams in batting average at .181. The Admirals pitching staff has kept them in games as it leads the league with seven complete games.

About the Matchup

This is the fourth time the Oilmen and Admirals have hooked up this season, with Northwest Indiana taking all three prior meetings. The Oilmen were victorious 13-2 in Joliet on May 30 before pulling out 2-1 and 1-0 victories at Oil City Stadium. The Oilmen are 13-1 all-time against the Rockford/Joliet franchise.

Around the MCL

The DuPage County Hounds now hold a 4.5-game lead over the Oilmen for first place in the MCL. The Hounds have won eight consecutive games, setting the record for the longest winning streak in franchise history. Their next game will be against the Oilmen on Friday night at Oil City Stadium.

2014 Schedule

05/28	LEXINGTON SNIPES	W 2-1
05/30	@ Joliet Admirals	W 13-2
05/31	@ DuPage County Hounds	L 8-1
06/01	@ Lexington Snipes	L 17-5
06/03	@ Southland Vikings	W 2-0
06/05	DUPAGE COUNTY HOUNDS	L 6-3
06/06	MICHIGAN CITY LAKERS*	L 3-1
06/07	@ Michigan City Lakers*	W 5-4
06/12	SOUTHLAND VIKINGS	W 5-4
06/13	JOLIET ADMIRALS	W 2-1
06/14	CHICAGO ZEPHYRS	W 8-0
06/15	LEXINGTON SNIPES	W 6-3
06/17	MICHIGAN CITY LAKERS*	W 5-3
06/20	JOLIET ADMIRALS	W 1-0
06/22	@ DuPage County Hounds	L 2-1
06/23	SOUTHLAND VIKINGS	W 3-2
06/25	CHICAGO ZEPHYRS	L 11-2
06/26	JOLIET ADMIRALS	7:10 PM
06/27	DUPAGE COUNTY HOUNDS	7:10 PM
06/28	@ Chicago Zephyrs	12:00 PM
06/29	@ Joliet Admirals	12:00 PM
06/30	@ Southland Vikings	7:10 PM
07/01	VETERANS BENEFIT GAME	7:30 PM
07/03	@ Lexington Snipes	7:10 PM
07/04	SOUTHLAND VIKINGS	3:30 PM
07/05	SOUTHLAND VIKINGS	7:10 PM
07/06	@ Chicago Zephyrs	12:00 PM
07/08	@ Chicago Zephyrs	5:10 PM
07/09	MCL ALL-STAR GAME	7:30 PM
07/11	LEXINGTON SNIPES	7:10 PM
07/12	DUPAGE COUNTY HOUNDS	7:10 PM
07/13	@ DuPage County Hounds	6:00 PM
07/14	@ Southland Vikings	7:10 PM
07/15	ILLINOIS SPARKS*	7:10 PM
07/16	@ Chicago Zephyrs	5:00 PM
07/17	JOLIET ADMIRALS	7:10 PM
07/18	LEXINGTON SNIPES	7:10 PM
07/19	DUPAGE COUNTY HOUNDS	7:10 PM
07/20	CHICAGO ZEPHYRS	4:10 PM
07/20	CHICAGO ZEPHYRS	6:10 PM
07/22	@ DuPage County Hounds	7:10 PM
07/23	SOUTHLAND VIKINGS	7:10 PM
07/24	@ Joliet Admirals	5:00 PM
07/25	@ Joliet Admirals	5:00 PM
07/26	@ Lexington Snipes	1:00 PM
07/26	@ Lexington Snipes	3:00 PM
07/28	@ Chicago Zephyrs	7:00 PM
07/29	@ MCL Playoffs	7:00 PM
07/30	@ MCL Playoffs	7:00 PM
07/31	@ MCL Playoffs	7:00 PM
08/01	@ MCL Playoffs	7:00 PM
08/02	@ MCL Playoffs	7:00 PM
08/03	@ MCL Playoffs	7:00 PM

*- denotes nonleague game
CAPS- denotes home game

NWI Oilmen Fast Facts

Founded/First Season.....2012
 Location.....Whiting, Ind.
 Owners.....Don Popravak, Kim Payne, Ron Kittle
 Phone.....219-659-1000
 Website.....nwioilmen.com
 Colors.....Black and Gold
 Home Field (Capacity).....Oil City Stadium (1,300)
 Stadium Address.....1700 119th Street, Whiting, IN 46394
 Manager.....Justin Huisman (third season)
 All-Time Team Record.....70-38, 63-35 in MCL Games
 Home Record.....49-18 (45-17 in MCL)
 Road Record.....24-19
 Playoff Appearances.....2012, 2013
 Playoff Record.....6-2
 Playoff Home Record.....3-1
 Playoff Road Record.....3-1
 MCL Championship Appearances.....2012, 2013
 Midwest Collegiate League Titles.....2012

NWI Oilmen Radio Network

Can't make it out to the game? Catch all the action this season over the airwaves on 1230 AM WJOB and online via Ustream on NWIOilmen.com! Brandon Vickrey will handle play-by-play duties for every Oilmen game this season. Joey Gelman joins Brandon for all home games, while David Bork provides color commentary when the team is on the road. To listen on the internet, click the "Listen Live" tab at the top of the NWIOilmen.com homepage.



Midwest Collegiate League Scoreboard

TUESDAY: DuPage Hounds 5, Chicago Zephyrs 1 Southland Vikings @ City Lakers ppd.	WEDNESDAY: Chicago Zephyrs 11, NWI Oilmen 2 Lexington Snipes 11, Southland Vikings 2 DuPage County Hounds 1, Joliet Admirals 0
THURSDAY: Lexington Snipes @ Chicago Zephyrs Joliet Admirals @ NWI Oilmen	FRIDAY: Southland Vikings @ Lexington Snipes DuPage County Hounds @ NWI Oilmen

Midwest Collegiate League Standings

TEAM	W	L	%	GB	STR
DuPage County Hounds	16	3	0.842	---	W8
NWI Oilmen	9	5	0.643	4.5	L1
Lexington Snipes	9	7	0.533	5.5	W4
Southland Vikings	8	7	0.533	6	L2
Joliet Admirals	3	13	0.231	11.5	L10
Chicago Zephyrs	3	13	0.231	11.5	W1

X= Clinched Playoff Berth

Y= Clinched Home Field Advantage

E= Eliminated from Playoff Contention

2014 Northwest Indiana Oilmen Roster

PITCHERS

#	NAME	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	COLLEGE	HOMETOWN
10	Andrew Jackson	L/L	6-5	210	Wabash College	Wheatfield, Ind
16	Cameron Linck	R/R	6-2	175	Hill College	Kingwood, Texas
21	Nick Nauracy	R/R	6-1	185	Ohio University	Crown Point, Ind
25	Jimmy McNamara	L/L	6-2	175	Central Michigan	Dyer, Ind.
26	Danny Pobereyko	R/R	6-5	200	Butler University	Munster, Ind.
27	Andrew Lowe	R/R	6-2	220	UW-Whitewater	Whiting, Ind.
28	Keith Mahler	R/R	6-6	185	Heartland Community College	Highland, Ind.
29	Anthony Gomez	L/L	6-0	200	Ball State	Munster, Ind.
30	Aaron Glatt	R/R	6-2	190	University of Dayton	Schererville, Ind.
35	Garrett Sherrell	R/R	6-4	185	Arkansas Little Rock	New Albany, Ind.
36	Scott Jerge	R/R	6-0	185	Valparaiso	Munster, Ind.
42	Matt Pobereyko	R/R	6-1	239	Kentucky Wesleyan	Munster, Ind.

CATCHERS

#	NAME	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	COLLEGE	HOMETOWN
19	Zack Jones	R/R	5-11	190	Trinity Christian College	Park Forest, Ill.
23	Andrew Ray	R/R	6-1	195	Northern Illinois University	Michigan City, Ind.
33	Alec Ornelas	R/R	6-1	197	Central Michigan University	Mokena, Ill.

INFIELDERS

#	NAME	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	COLLEGE	HOMETOWN
2	Ryan Burvan	R/R	5-11	165	Purdue University	Dyer, Ind.
3	Kevin DeFilippis	R/R	6-0	170	University of Notre Dame	Homer Glen, Ill.
13	Nick Vogelmeier	R/R	5-11	165	Western Michigan University	Lake Orion, Mich.
14	James Meeker	R/L	6-4	180	Akron University	Wexford, Penn.
15	Anthony Colosimo	L/L	6-0	185	Purdue Calumet	Lake Forest, Ill.
22	Nate Schneider	R/R	6-2	210	Western Michigan University	Portage, Mich.
24	Brodie Meyer	R/R	6-0	180	Butler University	Palos Heights, Ill.

OUTFIELDERS

#	NAME	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	COLLEGE	HOMETOWN
1	Craig Dedelow	L/R	6-4	190	Indiana University	Munster, Ind.
7	Larry Crisler	R/R	6-4	190	Indiana University	Gary, Ind.
9	Rob Blissitt, Jr.	R/R	6-3	165	University of Cincinnati	Markham, Ill.
17	Jason Gasser	L/R	6-0	195	Northern Illinois University	Dyer, Ind.

Manager - Justin Huisman | Assistant Coaches - Adam Enright, Mike Coles

2014 Joliet Admirals Roster

PITCHERS

#	NAME	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	COLLEGE	HOMETOWN
1	Tomas Aguilar	L/L	5-9	165	College of DuPage	Plainfield, Ill.
7	Quinn Ahern					
8	Brock Borgeson	L/R	5-11	165	Simpson College	Naperville, Ill.
12	Brian Donley					
15	Brenden Miller	R/R	6-4	180	Southern Illinois University	Plainfield, Ill.
16	Kwynn Rury	R/R	5-11	170	Roane State Junior College	Murfreesboro, Tenn.
17	Steve Waldrop	R/R	6-0	205	Morehead State	Bolingbrook, Ill.
19	Ryan Van Volkenburg	L/L	5-11	165	Maryville University	Lisle, Ill.
12	Brian Donley	R/R	5-11	165	University of Dallas	Chicago, Ill.
18	Eric Littler	R/R	6-2	175	Trinity University	Naperville, Ill.
20	Jason Adams				College of DuPage	
29	David Kordik	R/R	5-11	150	Hope College	West Chicago, Ill.

CATCHERS

#	NAME	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	COLLEGE	HOMETOWN
23	Javier Martinez				College of DuPage	
11	Michael DiViesti	R/R	6-3	196	Butler University	Arlington Heights, Ill.
14	Justin Kovalsky	R/R	5-9	195	Benedictine University	Bolingbrook, Ill.
21	Joey Elmore	R/R	6-1	155	Monmouth	Plainfield, Ill.

INFELDERS

#	NAME	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	COLLEGE	HOMETOWN
9	Chip Bouchard	L/R	6-1	195	Butler University	Reno, Nev.
26	Hunter Linton	R/R	5-10	180	Robert Morris	Plainfield, Ill.
28	Stephen Yant	R/R	6-4		Presentation College	Perrysburg, Ohio
4	Michael Kendrick	R/R	5-9	180	Kankakee Community College	Flossmoor, Ill.
3	Alec Barnhart	L/R	6-0	195	St. Xavier University	Hometown, Ill.
10	Bill Chandler	R/R	5-10	170	Triton Community College	Buffalo Grove, Ill.
6	Logan Fleener	R/R	6-3	165	Roane State Junior College	Murfreesboro, Tenn.
2	Joey Anderson	R/R	5-10	165	Concordia University	Plainfield, Ill.
22	Brian Czynl					

OUTFIELDERS

#	NAME	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	COLLEGE	HOMETOWN
27	Ryan Kent	R-R	5-11	180	Morehead State	Winfield, Ill.
24	James Roberts	L-L	6-0	205	McKendree University	Plainfield, Ill.
25	Jeff Evak	R/R	6-1	190	Purdue University	Naperville, Ill.
5	Jermaine Terry	R/L			Lakeland Community College	Plainfield, Ill.

Manager - Jorge Garza

2014 Northwest Indiana Oilmen Stats

Batting												
Player	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	HBP	SB
Gasser	.349	12	43	4	15	4	1	0	8	6	0	1
Burvan	.302	14	53	8	16	3	0	0	3	7	0	1
Dedelow	.286	7	28	3	8	4	0	0	5	2	0	1
Crisler	.286	3	7	2	2	2	0	0	0	3	1	1
Meeker	.267	12	45	5	12	1	0	1	5	6	0	1
Schneider	.265	15	49	3	13	5	0	0	8	7	2	3
Blissitt	.234	14	47	5	11	1	0	0	2	5	1	2
DeFilippis	.192	14	52	10	10	3	0	0	2	6	2	5
Ornelas	.189	12	37	3	7	1	0	0	3	4	4	0
Vogelmeier	.182	15	45	9	8	2	0	0	1	10	1	2
Ray	.171	11	35	2	6	0	0	1	3	5	1	0
Jones	.158	12	38	5	6	2	1	0	4	11	0	2
Colosimo	.156	11	32	3	5	0	0	0	3	9	0	0

Pitching									
Pitchers	IP	R	ER	BB	K	W	L	SV	ERA
Jerge	9.2	1	0	4	3	0	0	0	0.00
Jackson	4.2	0	0	3	6	1	0	0	0.00
Pobereyko, M	9.2	1	1	3	15	0	0	8	0.93
Mahler	22	6	4	4	16	1	3	0	1.63
Linck	22	5	2	1	7	3	0	0	2.04
Pobereyko, D	16.1	5	5	3	17	2	1	0	2.75
McNamara, J	21.1	12	9	1	21	2	1	0	3.79
Lowe	5	5	4	2	9	0	0	0	5.14
Nauracy	14.1	11	9	4	21	1	1	0	5.65
Gomez	8.2	6	6	6	7	1	0	1	6.23
Sherrell	9.2	8	7	7	8	0	0	0	6.51
Glatt	4.2	7	6	3	4	0	0	0	11.57