



Northwest Indiana Oilmen

2016 Game Notes

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TUESDAY'S GAME:

Joliet Admirals (15-10)
at NWI Oilmen (12-12)

June 28 - 1:20 p.m. (CT) - Whiting, Ind.
Radio: NWIOilmen.com (1 p.m. pregame)
Location: Oil City Stadium

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2016 Schedule

5/26	@ Bloomington Bobcats	ppd.
5/27	@ Bloomington Bobcats	L 3-0
5/28	@ DuPage County Hounds	L 9-3
5/29	@ Joliet Admirals (DH)	L 9-7
5/29	@ Joliet Admirals (DH)	W 7-5
6/1	@ Michigan City Lakers	ppd.
6/2	@ Bloomington Bobcats (DH)	L 3-2
6/2	@ Bloomington Bobcats (DH)	L 3-0
6/3	@ Bloomington Bobcats	L 6-4
6/4	@ Southland Vikings	susp.
6/5	@ Joliet Admirals	W 13-3
6/7	MICHIGAN CITY LAKERS	W 8-6
6/8	MICHIGAN CITY LAKERS	W 9-5
6/9	SOUTHLAND VIKINGS	W 15-4
6/10	DUPAGE COUNTY HOUNDS	L 6-5
6/11	SOUTHLAND VIKINGS	L 10-9
6/12	JOLIET ADMIRALS	W 6-2
6/15	MICHIGAN CITY LAKERS	W 4-3
6/16	BLOOMINGTON BOBCATS	W 17-1
6/17	DUPAGE COUNTY HOUNDS	W 13-2
6/18	SOUTHLAND VIKINGS	L 9-5
6/19	JOLIET ADMIRALS	L 14-6
6/22	MICHIGAN CITY LAKERS	ppd
6/23	SOUTHLAND VIKINGS	L 8-5
6/24	DUPAGE COUNTY HOUNDS	W 7-6
6/25	SOUTHLAND VIKINGS	W 10-0
6/26	JOLIET ADMIRALS	W 9-3
6/27	MICHIGAN CITY LAKERS	L 7-4
6/28	JOLIET ADMIRALS	1:20 p.m.
6/29	MICHIGAN CITY LAKERS	7:20 p.m.
6/30	MICHIGAN CITY LAKERS	7:20 p.m.
7/1	DUPAGE COUNTY HOUNDS	7:20 p.m.
7/2	SOUTHLAND VIKINGS	7:20 p.m.
7/4	U.S. MILITARY ALL-STARS*	3 p.m.
7/6	@ Michigan City Lakers (DH)	6:15 p.m.
7/7	@ Bloomington Bobcats	7:30 p.m.
7/8	@ DuPage County Hounds	5 p.m.
7/9	@ Southland Vikings	1 p.m.
7/12	MCL ALL-STAR GAME*	7:30 p.m.
7/13	MICHIGAN CITY LAKERS	7:20 p.m.
7/14	SOUTHLAND VIKINGS	7:20 p.m.
7/15	DUPAGE COUNTY HOUNDS	7:20 p.m.
7/16	SOUTHLAND VIKINGS	7:20 p.m.
7/17	JOLIET ADMIRALS	4 p.m.
7/20	MICHIGAN CITY LAKERS	7:20 p.m.
7/21	SOUTHLAND VIKINGS	7:20 p.m.
7/22	DUPAGE COUNTY HOUNDS	7:20 p.m.
7/23	SOUTHLAND VIKINGS	7:20 p.m.
7/24	JOLIET ADMIRALS	4 p.m.
7/26	@ Joliet Admirals	5 p.m.
7/27	MICHIGAN CITY LAKERS	7:20 p.m.
7/28	DUPAGE COUNTY HOUNDS	7:20 p.m.
7/29	@ Bloomington Bobcats	7:30 p.m.
7/30	@ Southland Vikings	1 p.m.
7/31	@ Joliet Admirals	1 p.m.
8/2-8/4	MCL Semifinal Series	TBD
8/5-8/7	MCL Championship Series	TBD

For Starters

The Oilmen face a quick turnaround as they play the second half of a night game followed by a day game. Sam Geraci will make his third start of the season on Tuesday. He went eight innings and allowed just two runs (one earned) on six hits to pick up the win over the Admirals on June 12. Statistics from his first start against Southland do not yet count because the game was suspended without completing the required five innings. The Oilmen will attempt to return to form on Tuesday after being limited to three hits and issuing a season-high 11 walks in Monday's 7-4 loss to the Lakers. The three hits were the fewest by the Oilmen since being one-hit in a 2-0 loss to the Bobcats on June 2. Tuesday's 1:20 game marks the first-ever weekday afternoon game at Oil City Stadium. It will be the second earliest start time in team history, eclipsed only by the 1:10 start on July 4 last season.

Inside The Oilmen

Despite a lackluster offensive performance on Monday, the Oilmen are still the only team in the league hitting above .300 (.301). Tommy Szczasny received MCL Batter of the Week recognition after hitting .500 last week, a stretch highlighted by a walk-off single against DuPage County and a go-ahead home run against the Admirals. Szczasny ranks second in the league in hitting at .426, behind only Michigan City's Colin Willis at .444. Chase Fieldhouse's OBP of .534 is second in the league, also behind Willis. Tyler Sroczyński has scored 25 runs this season, the most in the league. The entire top three in the MCL in runs scored will be in this game with Joliet's Brendan Brundage (24) and Cody Gross (23) ranking second and third. Sroczyński swiped his 20th straight base without being caught dating back to last season and extended his hitting streak to 13 by recording two of his team's three hits on Monday. The Oilmen are 3-0 all-time on June 28 and have outscored the opposition 27-2 in those three games.

Inside the Admirals

Starting pitcher Jackson Fischer has an ERA of 6.00 (8 R, 6 ER in nine innings) this season. He has issued 10 walks and struck out five. This will be Fischer's sixth appearance, but only his second start of the year. His first start was his most recent outing, when he went 2 1/3 scoreless innings on Saturday against DuPage and gave up two hits. Fischer, who does not have any decisions, has not pitched against the Oilmen yet this season. Joliet has dropped back-to-back games after going on a seven-game winning streak to work its way to the league's top spot. The most recent of those losses came 9-3 to the Oilmen on Sunday. The Admirals rank third in the league with a .285 team batting average. Brendan Brundage and Jordan Miller are tied for second in the MCL in RBIs with 20 apiece. The league leader is Tyler Tesmond, who has knocked in 22 for the Hounds. With their next victory, the Admirals will match their win total from all of last season.

About the Matchup

The Oilmen prevailed 9-3 on Sunday against Joliet. The Oilmen have been victorious in four of the six meetings between the two teams so far this season. The lead the all-time series 25-7.

*- denotes exhibition game
CAPS- denotes home game

NWI Oilmen Fast Facts

Founded/First Season.....2012
 Location.....Whiting, Ind.
 Owner.....Don Popravak (2012-present)
 Address.....1500 119th Street (2nd Floor) Whiting, IN 46394
 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..... Adam Enright
 All-Time Team Record.....129-79, 113-76 in MCL Games
 Home Record..... 86-40
 Road Record.....44-39
 Playoff Appearances.....2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
 Playoff Record.....7-6
 Playoff Home Record.....3-4
 Playoff Road Record.....4-2
 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 is back to handle play-by-play duties again this season. This year, he'll be joined in the booth by Nathan Dickinson. David Bork, Payton Ball and Drew Guth will also make contributions to the Oilmen radio broadcasts. To listen on the internet, click the "Listen Live" tab at the top of the NWIOilmen.com homepage.



Midwest Collegiate League Scoreboard

SUNDAY: Oilmen 9 Admirals 3	MONDAY: Lakers 7, Oilmen 4
TUESDAY: Admirals at Oilmen, 1:20 p.m.	WEDNESDAY: Bobcats at Hounds, 5 p.m. Vikings at Admirals, 5 p.m. Lakers at Oilmen, 7:20 p.m.

Midwest Collegiate League Standings

TEAM	W	L	%	GB	STR
Joliet Admirals	15	10	.600	---	L2
DC Hounds	13	10	.565	1	W1
NWI Oilmen	12	12	.500	2.5	L1
Southland Vikings	10	11	.476	3	L2
Bloomington Bobcats	10	12	.455	3.5	L6
Lakers	8	13	.381	5	W2

X= Clinched Playoff Berth

Y= Clinched Home Field Advantage in First Round

E= Eliminated from Playoff Contention

2016 Northwest Indiana Oilmen Roster

PITCHERS

#	NAME	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	COLLEGE	HOMETOWN
1	Reggie Johnson	R/R	6-2	175	Alcorn State	South Holland, Ill.
10	Richard Yelnick	L/L	6-2	190	Parkland / Trinity Christian	New Lenox, Ill.
11	Luke Jaksich	L/L	6-1	160	Saint Joseph's College	St. John, Ind.
13	Jay Gutierrez	R/R	6-1	200	Olney Central College	Oak Lawn, Ill.
16	Jamary McKinney	R/R	6-1	200	Chicago State	Chicago, Ill.
18	Sam Geraci	R/R	5-10	180	Parkland / Illinois Springfield	Steger, Ill.
25	Jordan Petty	R/R	6-2	175	Purdue Calumet	Highland, Ind.
26	Josh Mutter	L/L	6-3	150	Northern Illinois	Frankfort, Ill.
28	Max Siedlecki	R/R	6-4	210	New Mexico Highlands	Chicago, Ill.
29	Braden Niksich	R/R	6-3	190	Illinois State	Hobart, Ind.
31	Christian Howell	R/R	6-1	165	Minnesota State	Aurora, Ill.
33	Clay Keltner	R/R	6-1	205	Cornerstone	Highland, Ind.
42	Hunter Clark	L/L	6-1	190	Eastern Illinois	Granger, Ill.
43	James Whiteman	R/R	6-2	194	Triton College	Lakeville, Ind.

CATCHERS

#	NAME	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	COLLEGE	HOMETOWN
8	Blake Cleveland	R/R	5-11	197	Central Michigan	Nappanee, Ind.
19	Jake Perreira	R/R	5-9	200	University of Indianapolis	Grant Park, Ill.
27	Zack Forney	R/R	5-10	170	Eastern Illinois	Cary, Ill.
32	Zack Jones	R/R	5-11	190	Trinity Christian	Norridge, Ill.

OUTFIELDERS

#	NAME	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	COLLEGE	HOMETOWN
3	Cory Krolkowski	L/R	5-8	190	Minnesota Duluth	Bartlett, Ill.
14	Chase Fieldhouse	R/R	5-10	190	St. Joseph's College	St. John, Ind.
21	Tyler Sroczynski	R/R	6-2	205	Trinity Christian	Dyer, Ind.
23	Jordan Flint	R/R	6-4	190	Eastern Illinois	Bartlett, Ill.
24	Chris Baker	L/R	6-0	185	University Illinois-Chicago	South Holland, Ill.

INFIELDERS

#	NAME	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	COLLEGE	HOMETOWN
2	Chase Dawson	L/R	5-10	170	Valparaiso	Chesterton, Ind.
7	Bo Fletcher	R/R	6-0	180	Alcorn State	Chicago, Ill.
9	Tommy Szczasny	L/R	5-10	185	Northern Illinois	Tinsley Park, Ill.
17	Alex Nisle	R/R	6-0	185	Saint Joseph's College	Schererville, Ind.
20	Stefano Belmonte	R/R	6-2	205	Florida Gulf Coast	Munster, Ind.
30	Marshawn Taylor	L/R	5-10	150	Grambling State	Chicago, Ill.
45	Jimmy Govern	R/R	5-11	175	Eastern Illinois	Libertyville, Ill.

Manager - Adam Enright | Assistant Coaches - Aaron Furman, Steven Brewer

2016 Admirals

#	NAME	Position	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	COLLEGE	HOMETOWN
1	Brendon Krob	C/OF	R/R	5-10	180	Evansville	Joliet, Ill.
2	Matt Flummerfelt	RHP/SS	R/R	5-11	160	Northern Illinois	Ames, Iowa
3	Cody Grosse	INF	R/L	5-7	140	Chicago State	Joliet, Ill.
4	Owen Pulver	RHP	R/R	6-7	190	Millikin	Dwight, Ill.
5	Joe Davi	RHP	R/R	6-0	165	Millikin	New Lenox, Ill.
6	Andrew Stone	INF	L/R	6-0	160	Western Michigan	Portage, Mich.
7	Adam Zuk	RHP	R/R	6-0	175	Millikin	Plainfield, Ill.
8	Jackson Fischer	RHP	R/R	6-2	160	Carthage	Westmont, Ill.
9	Kyle Khoury	C/OF	R/R	6-0	180	Morehead State	St. Charles, Ill.
10	Kenny King	C/OF	R/R	6-3	210	Southern Illinios	Orland Park, Ill.
11	Jackson Dvorak	1B/OF	R/R	6-2	209	South Suburban	New Lenox, Ill.
12	Brenden Brundage	OF/RHP	R/R	6-1	165	USC Upstate	Coconut Creek, Fla.
13	Tom Cheshareck	RHP	L/R	6-2	190	Illinois State	Morris, Ill.
14	Satchel Daleo	OF/INF	R/R	6-2	185	Wooster	Davis Junction, Ill.
15	Tom Jeffries	RHP	R/R	6-5	220	Joliet JC / St. Francis	Mokena, Ill.
16	Rob Talarico	LHP	L/L	6-0	165	Lewis University	Joliet, Ill.
17	Ryan Schefske	INF	R/R	5-11	155	Lewis University	Lombard, Ill.
18	Dakota Farthing	LHP	L/L	5-11	160	Rend Lake College	McLeansboro, Ill.
19	Brandon Popp	LHP	L/L	5-11	170	Oakton CC	Roselle, Ill.
20	Matt Butler	RHP	R/R	6-0	180	St. Cloud St.	Naperville, Ill.
21	Jimmy Roche	INF	R/R	5-10	175	Western Michigan	Orland Park, Ill.
22	Tyler Swiggart	RHP	R/R	6-5	195	George Washington	Wall, N.J.
23	Jordan Miller	C/OF/1B	R/R	6-1	205	USC Upstate	Winter Springs, Fla.
24	Seth Rosenberg	RHP	L/R	6-1	200	Northern Kentucky	Niles, Ill.
25	Jack Howard	LHP	L/L	6-1	220	Carthage	Joliet, Ill.

Manager - Tom Barry

2016 Northwest Indiana Oilmen Stats

HITTING STATS

NAME	AVG	AB	HITS	HR	RBI	R	SLG	OBP	2B
Tommy Szczasny	.426	47	20	1	15	12	.617	.474	4
Stefano Belmonte	.386	57	22	1	17	7	.474	.429	2
Marshawn Taylor	.385	13	5	0	3	3	.462	.467	1
Chase Dawson	.373	59	22	0	8	15	.475	.471	6
Tyler Sroczynski	.356	59	21	2	9	25	.559	.458	2
Chase Fieldhouse	.353	51	18	0	9	15	.392	.534	2
Cory Krolikowski	.341	44	15	0	7	7	.409	.420	1
Zack Forney	.327	49	16	0	11	17	.408	.498	2
Jordan Flint	.317	60	19	0	10	15	.350	.408	2
Jimmy Govern	.292	24	7	0	8	4	.389	.478	2
Chris Baker	.291	55	16	1	10	11	.382	.412	2
Alex Nisle	.250	52	13	0	9	13	.288	.429	2
Brad Bohlen	.250	36	9	0	6	1	.278	.325	1
Jake Perreira	.236	54	13	0	7	7	.327	.348	5
Blake Cleveland	.200	25	5	0	2	1	.200	.355	0
Bo Fletcher	.200	35	7	0	4	7	.229	.222	1
Josh Mutter	.200	20	4	0	2	2	.250	.304	1
Josh Fewell	.179	56	10	0	6	6	.179	.313	2
Reggie Johnson	.000	3	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	0
Zack Jones	.000	4	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	0
TEAM STATS	.301	804	242	5	145	168	.379	.411	40

PITCHING STATS

NAME	W	L	S	IP	ERA	BB	K	WHIP	BAA
Hunter Clark	1	0	1	11.0	0.00	10	7	1.36	.128
James Whiteman	0	1	1	9.2	0.93	6	14	1.76	.262
Sam Geraci	1	0	0	8.0	1.13	1	5	0.88	.194
Clay Keltner	3	1	0	26.2	1.35	9	16	1.24	.240
Richard Yelnick	2	0	0	18.0	1.50	5	19	1.11	.217
Max Siedecki	1	1	0	27.0	2.00	13	18	1.50	.236
Braden Niksich	0	0	1	8.0	2.25	6	9	1.50	.214
Christian Howell	2	1	0	22.1	4.43	11	16	1.39	.179
Jay Gutierrez	0	0	0	6.0	4.50	5	4	2.00	.280
Jordan Petty	0	0	1	6.0	4.50	2	4	1.67	.308
Luke Jaksich	0	0	0	14.1	5.02	11	14	1.95	.266
Eric Frontzak	1	2	0	13.1	5.40	7	9	2.03	.313
Reggie Johnson	0	5	0	23.1	5.79	16	20	2.10	.330
Jamary McKinney	0	0	0	6.1	6.14	13	6	2.59	.214
Josh Mutter	0	1	0	2.0	31.50	6	1	4.50	.300
TEAM STATS	12	12	4	203.0	3.41	126	164	1.61	.246

JOLIET ADMIRALS STATS

HITTING STATS

NAME	AVG	AB	HITS	HR	RBI	R	SLG	OBP	2B
Adam Zuk	1.000	1	1	0	0	0	1.000	1.000	0
Matt Butler	.500	2	1	0	0	1	.500	.750	0
Cody Grosse	.400	65	26	0	9	23	.492	.506	4
Brendan Brundage	.379	95	36	0	20	24	.442	.449	4
Andrew Stone	.371	35	13	0	3	9	.400	.500	1
Kenny King	.357	14	5	0	2	3	.500	.400	2
Seth Rosenberg	.333	6	2	0	0	0	.500	.500	1
Jackson Dvorak	.325	40	13	0	5	6	.343	.415	1
Brendan Krob	.313	67	21	1	17	12	.463	.390	5
Jordan Miller	.313	80	25	0	20	13	.412	.406	6
Ryan Schefske	.271	59	16	0	6	11	.322	.403	1
Kyle Khoury	.247	73	18	1	8	13	.329	.337	1
Jimmy Roche	.219	32	7	0	3	7	.313	.286	0
Rich Bryza	.200	5	1	0	3	0	.400	.556	1
Matt Flummerfelt	.191	68	13	0	7	11	.221	.309	2
Satchel Daleo	.181	83	15	0	9	12	.205	.244	2
Jack Howard	.158	19	3	0	4	2	.158	.227	0
Rob Talarico	.158	19	3	0	3	2	.158	.273	0
Brandon Popp	.000	3	0	0	0	0	.000	.250	0
Dakota Farthing	.000	2	0	0	0	0	.000	.333	0
Tom Cheshareck	.000	2	0	0	0	0	.333	.333	0
Tyler Swiggart	.000	0	0	0	0	0	.000	1.000	0
TEAM STATS	.285	771	220	2	119	152	.353	.384	32

PITCHING STATS

NAME	W	L	S	IP	ERA	BB	K	WHIP	BAA
Brendan Brundage	0	0	0	1.0	0.00	0	1	0.00	.000
Matt Flummerfelt	0	0	0	1.0	0.00	1	1	1.00	.000
Tyler Swiggart	1	0	0	10.2	1.69	1	10	0.66	.250
Seth Rosenberg	2	1	0	26.0	2.42	9	27	1.03	.159
Jordan Miller	0	0	4	7.1	2.46	5	6	1.23	.160
Tom Jeffries	3	1	0	26.0	3.46	15	14	1.89	.325
Rob Talarico	4	0	0	24.2	3.65	18	27	1.66	.261
Brandon Popp	1	3	0	21.1	4.64	8	4	1.59	.239
Jackson Fischer	0	0	0	9.0	6.00	10	5	1.89	.194
Adam Zuk	1	1	0	10.0	6.30	7	10	2.00	.310
Matt Butler	0	1	0	10.2	6.75	9	8	2.16	.333
Joe Davi	0	0	1	12.0	8.25	5	9	2.00	.339
Nick Newman	0	0	0	1.0	9.00	2	0	2.00	.000
Dakota Farthing	0	0	0	11.2	10.80	19	12	3.00	.432
Tom Cheshareck	0	1	0	5.0	10.80	15	5	3.80	.364
Jack Howard	0	1	0	7.2	11.74	8	6	3.13	.552
Rich Bryza	0	0	0	4.0	15.75	4	3	3.25	.474
TEAM STATS	13	10	5	190.0	5.31	137	149	1.83	.280