



Northwest Indiana Oilmen 2016 Game Notes

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TUESDAY'S GAME:

Joliet Admirals (23-18)
at Northwest Indiana Oilmen (25-19)

July 26 - 5 p.m. (CT) - Whiting, Ind.
Radio: Online Only, NWIOilmen.com
Pregame Coverage: 4:40 p.m.

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For Starters

The Oilmen will play their first road game since July 9 on Tuesday. They hold a seven-game road winning streak and haven't lost an away game since June 3. The Oilmen, Admirals and Hounds have all locked up playoff berths, but those top three could finish in any order. The fourth through sixth place teams could also finish in any order. The Oilmen enter Tuesday 1/2 game ahead of Joliet for second and 1 1/2 games behind DuPage County for the league lead. The Hounds are idle on Tuesday, so the Oilmen can pull to within a game of DuPage and move to 1 1/2 ahead of Joliet with a win. As the Oilmen enter the final week of the regular season, they would love to rekindle some of their 2015 magic, when they rapped off five straight wins to close the regular season and secure home-field advantage in the first round of the playoffs.

Inside the Oilmen

Chase Dawson ripped his fourth triple of the season on Sunday to move into the league lead. He also matched the single-season Oilmen record that had stood since Craig Austgen had four triples in the inaugural season of 2012. Dawson is 12-for-19 (.631) with 10 RBIs in his last four games, all of them multi-hit performances. Jordan Flint had his ninth multi-hit game of the year on Sunday against Joliet. Tommy Szczasny also had two hits and is 5-for-7 in his last two games. Tyler Sroczyński recorded his 12th multi-hit game and has scored at least once in 26 of the 31 games he's played this summer. Bo Fletcher has at least one hit in seven of his last eight, upping his average from .184 to .227, his highest since June 19. Eight of the nine players in the Oilmen lineup notched at least one hit in Sunday's 6-3 win over Joliet. Jordan Petty improved to 3-0 in three starts with one earned run allowed over 19 innings as a starting pitcher. Tuesday's starting pitcher is Max Siedlecki, who is 2-1 with a 3.00 ERA in eight games (seven starts) spanning 39 innings. He has issued 17 walks and struck out 24. Siedlecki's last start was a no decision against the Lakers on July 20, when he allowed three runs on six hits in five innings. He has faced the Admirals once this season, a win on June 26 in which he yielded two runs on four hits in six innings.

Inside the Admirals

The Admirals have dropped three straight games after a seven-game winning streak. Joliet fell 9-5 to the Lakers on Monday night despite three hits including a home run from Brendan Krob. Krob is 10-for-22 (.455) over the last five games. The home run was just the third of the season for the Admirals, with the both others coming against the Oilmen on June 19. Cody Grosse went 4-for-4 against the Oilmen on Sunday, but was 0-for-8 in his previous two games and went 0-for-4 against the Lakers on Monday. Joliet starting pitcher Nick Newman will make his second start and fourth appearance of the year. He has allowed two runs in three innings against the Oilmen this season. Overall, he holds a 9.95 ERA in 6 1/3 innings.

About the Matchup

The Oilmen secured the season series with a 6-3 win over Joliet on Sunday. They are 6-3 against the Admirals this season and 27-8 all-time. After Tuesday, the two teams will meet once more on Sunday for the regular season finale at Wayne L. King Junior Field.

2016 Schedule

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
6/2	@ 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	W 12-1
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
6/23	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	W 13-4
6/29	MICHIGAN CITY LAKERS	W 9-3
6/30	MICHIGAN CITY LAKERS	L 5-1
7/1	DUPAGE COUNTY HOUNDS	L 3-2
7/2	SOUTHLAND VIKINGS	L 2-0
7/4	U.S. MILITARY ALL-STARs*	L 4-3
7/6	@ Michigan City Lakers (DH)	W 8-5
7/6	@ Michigan City Lakers (DH)	W 6-1
7/7	@ Bloomington Bobcats	W 7-3
7/8	@ DuPage County Hounds	W 7-1
7/9	@ Southland Vikings	W 16-0
7/14	SOUTHLAND VIKINGS	W 10-5
7/15	DUPAGE COUNTY HOUNDS	W 6-1
7/16	SOUTHLAND VIKINGS	L 11-5
7/17	JOLIET ADMIRALS	L 6-4
7/20	MICHIGAN CITY LAKERS (DH)	W 11-2
7/20	MICHIGAN CITY LAKERS (DH)	L 4-3
7/21	SOUTHLAND VIKINGS	W 6-2
7/22	DUPAGE COUNTY HOUNDS	L 5-3
7/24	JOLIET ADMIRALS	W 6-3
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	5:30 p.m.
7/30	@ Southland Vikings (DH)	1 p.m.
7/30	@ Southland Vikings (DH)	3:30 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

*- 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 (1,500)
 Stadium Address.....1700 119th Street, Whiting, IN 46394
 Manager..... Adam Enright
 All-Time Team Record.....141-87, 125-83 in MCL Games
 Home Record..... 93-47
 Road Record.....49-39
 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: Vikings 10, Bobcats 5 Bobcats 14, Vikings 8 Hounds 9, Lakers 1 Hounds 5, Lakers 4 Oilmen 6, Admirals 3	MONDAY: Lakers 9, Admirals 5
TUESDAY: Oilmen at Admirals, 5 p.m. Vikings at Lakers, 7:20 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
x DC Hounds	27	18	.600	---	W4
x NWI Oilmen	25	19	.568	1.5	W1
x Joliet Admirals	23	18	.561	2	L3
Bloomington Bobcats	17	21	.447	6.5	W1
Southland Vikings	17	24	.415	8	L1
Lakers	16	25	.390	9	W1

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
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 / McKendree	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 Northwest	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.

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 Sroczyński	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 Szczyński	L/R	5-10	185	Northern Illinois	Tinsley Park, Ill.
15	Marshawn Taylor	L/R	5-10	150	Grambling State	Chicago, 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.

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 Illinois	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

Produced by: David Bork, Director of Statistics

HITTING STATS

NAME	AVG	AB	HITS	HR	RBI	R	SLG	OBP	2B
DJ Budde	1.000	2	2	0	2	0	1.000	1.000	0
Chase Dawson	.390	100	39	0	18	29	.540	.487	7
Stefano Belmonte	.380	108	41	1	23	25	.454	.459	5
Tommy Szczyzny	.374	107	40	2	28	23	.542	.462	8
Tyler Sroczyński	.350	120	42	7	26	48	.667	.452	11
Clay Keltner	.333	3	1	0	0	0	.333	.333	0
Chase Fieldhouse	.323	96	31	0	18	21	.375	.473	5
Chris Baker	.309	97	30	1	20	21	.392	.457	3
Jimmy Govern	.308	26	8	0	10	5	.385	.387	2
Zack Forney	.301	83	25	1	12	25	.410	.454	4
Brad Bohlen	.289	38	11	0	9	1	.368	.357	3
Jordan Flint	.284	109	31	0	15	24	.330	.383	5
Zack Jones	.273	11	3	0	6	3	.364	.385	1
Cory Krolkowski	.271	70	19	0	8	12	.314	.370	1
Sam Geraci	.250	4	1	0	1	0	.250	.250	0
Marshawn Taylor	.246	69	17	0	11	12	.304	.303	4
Josh Mutter	.240	50	12	0	8	8	.280	.345	2
Alex Nisle	.235	85	20	0	15	15	.282	.400	4
Bo Fletcher	.227	66	15	0	4	9	.242	.261	1
Blake Cleveland	.213	47	10	0	4	3	.213	.351	0
Josh Fewell	.203	59	12	1	9	7	.288	.338	2
Jake Perreira	.198	91	18	2	16	12	.319	.318	5
Jordan Petty	.000	1	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	0
Reggie Johnson	.000	3	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	0
TEAM STATS	.296	1445	428	15	263	303	.394	.407	73

PITCHING STATS

NAME	W	L	S	IP	ERA	BB	K	WHIP	BAA
Hunter Clark	1	1	2	24.0	0.75	20	22	1.42	.163
Braden Niksich	0	1	2	18.1	0.98	13	14	1.31	.175
Jordan Petty	4	0	1	29.0	1.86	12	25	1.35	.239
Richard Yelnick	2	2	1	38.0	2.13	13	32	1.24	.234
Sam Geraci	5	0	0	30.1	2.37	5	17	1.06	.227
James Whiteman	0	1	2	12.2	2.84	8	17	1.82	.273
Luke Jaksich	4	0	0	34.1	2.88	24	34	1.49	.199
Christian Howell	4	1	0	43.2	2.89	25	34	1.30	.195
Max Siedecki	2	1	0	39.0	3.00	17	24	1.51	.264
Clay Keltner	3	3	0	42.2	3.80	14	32	1.45	.277
Jay Gutierrez	0	0	0	11.0	4.09	6	5	1.91	.306
Eric Frontzak	1	2	0	13.1	5.40	7	9	2.03	.313
Reggie Johnson	0	4	0	23.1	5.79	16	20	2.14	.346
Jamary McKinney	0	0	0	7.1	7.36	14	6	3.14	.300
Josh Mutter	0	1	0	2.0	31.50	6	1	4.50	.300
TEAM STATS	25	19	7	369.0	3.12	200	292	1.51	.243

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
Kenny King	.440	50	22	0	10	10	.600	.481	6
Cody Grosse	.413	109	45	0	15	34	.495	.496	5
Jermaine Terry	.385	13	5	0	0	4	.462	.500	1
Brendan Brundage	.356	135	47	0	29	31	.415	.424	6
Andrew Stone	.338	74	25	0	8	17	.351	.474	1
Seth Rosenberg	.333	6	2	0	0	0	.500	.500	1
Brendan Krob	.319	113	36	1	29	17	.478	.410	11
Jordan Miller	.313	131	41	0	27	25	.427	.408	13
Ryan Schefske	.296	98	29	0	10	20	.327	.440	1
Jackson Dvorak	.262	65	17	0	6	7	.292	.360	2
Jimmy Roche	.219	32	7	0	3	7	.313	.286	0
Kyle Khoury	.214	103	22	1	10	15	.272	.319	1
Jim Jeffries	.200	5	1	0	2	2	.400	.556	1
Jack Howard	.190	21	4	0	4	2	.190	.308	0
Satchel Daleo	.181	116	21	0	10	15	.198	.234	2
Matt Flummerfelt	.186	106	19	0	9	15	.208	.264	3
Rob Talarico	.158	19	3	0	3	2	.158	.273	0
Rich Bryza	.125	8	1	0	3	0	.250	.462	1
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
TEAM STATS	.289	1215	351	2	178	252	.356	.388	5

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
Jordan Miller	0	0	6	12.2	1.42	7	11	1.18	.182
Tyler Swiggart	3	2	1	24.0	1.88	3	25	0.75	.205
Griffin McGuire	0	0	0	3.0	3.00	1	3	1.00	.429
Jackson Fischer	0	1	0	19.0	3.32	14	13	1.53	.200
Seth Rosenberg	3	3	0	44.0	3.48	14	38	1.36	.236
Brandon Popp	2	4	0	35.1	3.57	16	7	1.64	.271
Rob Talarico	5	1	0	33.0	3.82	23	37	1.64	.261
Adam Zuk	2	1	0	18.0	4.50	8	17	1.44	.250
Tom Jeffries	3	1	0	38.2	4.88	23	23	1.91	.313
Matt Butler	0	1	0	10.2	6.75	9	8	2.16	.333
Jack Howard	0	1	0	12.1	8.76	14	10	2.76	.426
Joe Davi	1	0	1	16.0	9.56	7	12	2.19	.365
Dakota Farthing	0	0	0	12.2	9.95	21	12	2.92	.340
Nick Newman	0	0	0	6.1	9.95	2	4	1.26	.240
Rich Bryza	0	0	0	6.0	10.50	4	4	2.50	.407
Tom Cheshareck	0	1	0	8.1	14.04	25	9	3.72	.250
TEAM STATS	19	17	6	302.0	5.01	192	235	1.74	.275