



Northwest Indiana Oilmen StatPack

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OWNER OF THE NORTHWEST INDIANA OILMEN



DON POPRAVAK
OWNER/PRESIDENT

Don was born in Chicago and was raised on the city's industrial Southeast side a mile from Downtown Whiting. His working class family taught him the values of hard work and commitment to the community. His grandfather worked for U.S. Steel for 45 years, and his father was a Chicago police officer for 23 years while his mother was involved with their grade school parent organization. He attended St. George grammar school and St. Francis de Sales high school, graduating in 1977.

As a two sport athlete he won varsity letters for both baseball and football and was a member of his high school's 1976 State of Illinois summer champion baseball team. In the fall of 1977, Don enrolled at DePauw University in Greencastle, Indiana. While at DePauw, he majored in Communications. He obtained his Bachelor of Arts degree in 1981, thus becoming the first member of his family to graduate from college.

Don also participated in all aspects of campus life while attending DePauw University: he was a member of the baseball and football teams for four years and won varsity letters in both sports three times. After his graduation, he began a 30-year career in advertising sales and marketing that took him from Leo Burnett Advertising Agency to the NBC Network News Division. Intertwined with Don's business career is his passion for volunteering. In addition to working with and mentoring youth since 1977, he has spent many hours serving his alma mater and other worthwhile organizations.

NWI Oilmen | Owner/President | 2012-Present

Year	Overall Record	Postseason/Honors
2012	32-16	MCL Champions
2013	29-17	MCL Runner-Up
2014	26-19	MCL Semifinals
2015	29-19	MCL Semifinals
2016	30-23	MCL Champions
2017	35-17	MCL Semifinals
OVERALL	178-111	



ADAM ENRIGHT

,MANAGER | FOURTH SEASON AT NORTHWEST INDIANA OILMEN

Adam Enright is back for his fourth season as Oilmen manager in 2018.

Enright, who has served as an assistant coach from 2012-2014, was promoted to the managerial position prior to the 2015 season. Enright replaced Justin Huisman, who stepped down to spend more time with his family.

After graduating from Munster High School, Enright continued his playing career at South Suburban College and the University of Southern Indiana. He helped the Screaming Eagles to the NCAA Division-II national championship in 2010.

Munster coach Bob Shinkan has fond memories of coaching Enright, a member of one of the Mustangs' most recent final four teams.

"He just loves the game of baseball," Shinkan said. "When he won the national championship with his college team, he called me from the field. I thought that was one of the greatest compliments of my career that a player, in their time of glory, remembered me and called me right after it happened. I'll never forget that."

Enright will never forget the national championship season either, although there may be parts of the experience that are now a blur in his mind.

"It hits you so fast and things move so quickly; we had so many things fall into place right away," Enright said. "I still talk with many guys from that team. Those are relationships that I'll hold close to my heart forever, just because of the journey we went through together."

Among the people from the University of Southern Indiana that hold a special place in Enright's heart is head coach Tracy Archuleta.

"He was a guy who you felt bad for if you let him down," Enright said. "You knew he had a lot invested in you and he cared a lot about you. Having a coach like him and playing at USI was eye-opening for me as far as college baseball is concerned."

After hiring Enright, Oilmen President Don Popravak expressed his delight at having a candidate of Enright's caliber ready to step in.

"We have seen tremendous growth in Adam's ability to work with and help develop the young college players on our club," Popravak said. "Having acquired three years of coaching experience under the guidance of our former manager Justin Huisman will serve him well as the Oilmen pursue the Midwest Collegiate League Championship."

Enright, who is also an assistant coach at Trinity Christian College, is the lone player or coach still with the organization that was a part of the team's inaugural season of 2012.

"I'm thankful to Don for having the faith of putting a new guy in charge and knowing that it's going to work out well," Enright said. "I'm also extremely thankful to Justin for speaking up for me for this job."

HOMETOWN: Munster, Ind.
HIGH SCHOOL: Munster
ALMA MATER: Southern Indiana

NWI Oilmen | Head Coach | 2015-Present

2015	29-19	MCL Semifinals
2016	30-23	MCL Champions
2017	34-17	MCL Semifinals
OVERALL	93-59	

NWI Oilmen | Assistant Coach | 2012-2014

Year	Overall Record	Postseason/Honors
2012	32-16	MCL Champions
2013	29-17	MCL Runner-Up
2014	26-19	MCL Semifinals
OVERALL	77-52	

Trinity Christian | Assistant Coach | 2014-Present

Year	Overall Record	Postseason/Honors
2014	26-24	NCCAA National Championships
2015	28-29	NCCAA World Series
2016	37-24-1	NCCAA World Series
2017	22-27	NONE
2018	35-23	NAIA Tournament
OVERALL	148-127	

OIL CITY STADIUM



Oil City Stadium at Standard Diamonds Park

Standard Diamonds Park was a part of the first phase of the City of Whiting's \$50 million Lake Front Development Project. It was Designed by American Structurepoint Inc. and Context, LLC, and built by Powers & Sons Construction Company, Inc.

The stadium combines a unique history, with a progressive way of thinking, to create the premiere amateur stadium in the Midwest. The name Oil City Stadium celebrates Whiting's history as a refinery town tucked away in the Northwest corner of Indiana for over 120 years. The BP Refinery, located just beyond they outfield fence is a constant reminder of the blue collar attitude Whiting was built on.

Oil City Stadium at Standard Diamonds Park is called home to Whiting High School, the Calumet College of St. Joseph Men's Baseball Program, and your 2012, 2016 Midwest Collegiate League Champions - Northwest Indiana Oilmen.

STANDARD DIAMONDS PARK





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CRESTWOOD PANTHERS VS NORTHWEST INDIANA OILMEN SERIES HISTORY

OILMEN LEAD 8-2

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Result</u>	<u>Series Record</u>
06/04/2017	@Crestwood Panthers	W, 16-0	Oilmen lead 1-0
06/07/2017	@Crestwood Panthers	L, 9-6	Tied 1-1
06/18/2017	@Crestwood Panthers	L, 6-0	Panthers lead 2-1
06/18/2017	@Crestwood Panthers	W, 6-0	Tied 2-2
06/27/2017	@Crestwood Panthers	W, 8-0	Oilmen lead 3-2
07/02/2017	Crestwood Panthers	W, 13-6	Oilmen lead 4-2
07/12/2017	@Crestwood Panthers	W, 5-4	Oilmen lead 5-2
07/22/2017	Crestwood Panthers	W, 6-1	Oilmen lead 6-2
07/23/2017	Crestwood Panthers	W, 17-4	Oilmen lead 7-2
07/26/2017	Crestwood Panthers	W, 12-0	Oilmen lead 8-2

* **MCL Playoffs Matchup**



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2018 NORTHWEST INDIANA OILMEN STATS

Sawyer ALLEN #

P | FR. | 6-0 | L/L

Fair Oaks, Ind. | Hillsdale College

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	HBP
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	HBP
2017-18 at HILLSDALE COLLEGE	19.1	0	1	13	9	8.84	-	2	1	3	2

Brenden BUTLER #

SS/2B | FR. | 6-0 | R/R

Oak Lawn, Ill. | Upper Iowa University

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2017-18 at UPPER IOWA	.113	18	16	53	2	6	5	3	0	5	9	.175	.868

Jackson DVORAK #

1B | SO. | 6-1 | R/R

New Lenox, Ill. | South Suburban CC

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2017-18 at South Suburban	.354	58	58	209	48	74	18	3	7	54	119	.441	.887

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2017 with NWI	.182	7	7	22	3	4	0	0	0	2	4	.515	.971

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2016 with Joliet	.284	24	24	81	11	23	5	0	0	9	28	.396	.971

Chris BAKER #

OF | JR. | 6-0 | R/R

South Holland, Ill. | Trinity Christian College

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2017-18 at TCC	.355	51	51	197	58	70	15	4	7	44	114	.441	.960

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2017 with NWI	.202	42	42	129	29	26	3	2	1	27	36	.381	.990

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2016 with NWI	.324	31	31	105	24	34	3	2	1	23	44	.471	.983

CJ DESHAZER #

SS/2B | FR. | 5-10 | S/R

Schaumburg, Ill. | Heartland CC

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2017-18 at Heartland CC	.250	24	24	48	23	12	3	0	1	13	18	.422	.818

Tommy FARRELL #

OF | SO. | 6-3 | R/R

Chicago, Ill. | Illinois-Chicago

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year
2017-18
UIC
DID NOT PLAY

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2017 with NWI	.375	10	10	40	5	15	5	1	0	10	22	.432	.944



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Nick FIGUS

OF | JR | 5-11 | R/R

Frankfort, Ill. | Illinois Wesleyan

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2017-18	.411	39	39	168	38	69	8	2	3	32	90	.471	.983

at
IWU

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2017	.288	32	32	111	30	32	8	4	0	16	48	.396	.922

at
Bloomington

Max FRANKLIN

P | SO. | 6-4 | R/R

Chicago Heights, Ill. | Heartland CC

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	SV
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	SV
2017-18	14	3	1	8	18	3.86	1.47	13	0	1	1

at
Heartland CC

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	SV
2017	32.2	3	1	25	39	3.03	1.47	8	6	2	-

with NWI

Andrew HANCOCK

P | IN-FR. | 6-6 | R/R

New Lenox, Ill. | Evansville

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	HBP
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Patrick HAYES

SS/2B | IN-FR. | 6-0 | R/R

Chicago, Ill. | Illinois State

Year	BA	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Christian HOWELL

P | JR. | 5-11 | R/R

Chicago, Ill. | Trinity Christian

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	SV
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Brandon HICKEY

P | JR. | 5-10 | L/L

Monee, Ill. | Robert Morris (Ill.)

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	HBP
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	HBP
2017-18	57.2	7	2	43	63	2.50	-	11	11	3	5

at
RMU

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	SV
2017-18	14.0	2	0	5	11	0.75	-	2	2	0	0

at
Trinity
Christian

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	SV
2017	32.0	3	1	33	31	9.00	2.03	9	3	2	1

with NWI

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	SV
2016	64.2	6	2	27	45	3.11	1.35	11	10	8	0

with NWI
(Including Playoffs)

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	SV
2015	59.2	2	1	18	33	2.65	1.20	12	5	5	1

with NWI
(Including Playoffs)



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Brendan KELLY

P | JR. | 6-0 | R/R

Grandville, Mich. | Purdue Northwest

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	HBP
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	HBP
2017-18 at Purdue Northwest	24.1	1	1	9	11	4.81	-	12	2	2	2

Tom KELLEY

C/OF | SO. | 6-1 | R/R

Orland Park, Ill. | Miami-Ohio

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2017-18 at Miami Ohio	.182	16	2	11	0	2	1	0	0	0	3	.308	1.000

Cory KROLIKOWSKI

OF | JR. | 5-8 | L/R

Bartlett, Ill. | Minnesota-Duluth

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2017-18 at Minnesota Duluth	.231	10	2	13	2	3	0	1	0	0	5	.385	1.000

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2015 at NWI	.289	21	21	76	13	22	4	1	0	12	28	.386	1.000

Bobby NOWAK

P | IN-FR. | 6-3 | R/R

Cedar Lake, Ind. | Kankakee CC

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	HBP
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Tyler KENJIC

INF/OF | SO. | 6-1 | R/R

Hobart, Ind. | Purdue Northwest

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2017-18 at PNW	.263	14	12	38	3	10	0	1	0	10	12	.310	.947

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2017 at Southland Vikings	.303	38	38	132	27	40	5	0	0	20	45	.429	.972

Nate MONTGOMERY

C | JR. | 6-1 | R/R

Geneva, Ill. | Tusculum University

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2017-18 at COLLEGE	.315	50	50	184	37	58	11	1	1	38	74	.414	.982

Chad PATRICK

P | FR. | 6-1 | R/R

Hebron, Ind. | Purdue Northwest

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	HBP
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	HBP
2017-18 at Purdue Northwest	32.0	3	5	23	39	5.62	-	11	6	6	4



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Connor SPEAR

P | FR. | 5-10 | R/R

Highland, Ill. | Wisconsin-Whitewater

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	HBP
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	HBP
2017-18	DID NOT PLAY										

Wisconsin-Whitewater

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	HBP
2017	49	5	0	16	33	1.80	1.00	13	4	2	2

at Southland

Norman STANDISH

P | FR. | 5-11 | R/R

Highland, Ind. | South Suburban

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	HBP	PB	WP	CG
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	HBP
2017-18	50.2	2	3	20	46	5.86	-	10	10	5	0

at

South

Suburban

Hunter THORN

C/OF | SO. | 5-11 | R/R

Portage, Ind. | Purdue Northwest

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2017-18	.327	42	42	153	20	50	6	5	0	21	66	.380	.971

at

PNW

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2017	.250	42	42	160	18	40	12	1	0	25	54	.333	.985

at

NWI

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2016	.253	28	28	95	17	24	4	0	1	15	31	.357	.968

at

Southland

Alex VOSS

P | IN-FR. | 6-4 | R/R

South Bend, Ind. | Butler

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	HBP	PB	WP	CG
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Nick WOLF

P | FR. | 6-1 | R/R

Valparaiso, Ind. | McHenry County

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	HBP
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year	IP	W	L	BB	K	ERA	WHIP	APP	GS	WP	HBP
2017-18	DID NOT PLAY										

at

McHenry

County

Eric YACHINICH

2B/SS | JR. | 6-0 | R/R

Duluth, Minn. | Minnesota-Duluth

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Year	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	OB	FLD%
2017-18	.200	34	23	75	11	15	3	0	0	8	18	.299	.967

at

Minnesota

Duluth

