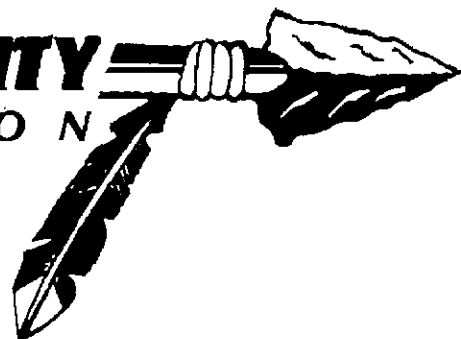


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FLORIDA STATE BASEBALL COMES BACK TO DEFEAT MARYLAND 8-6

March 15, 1996

TALLAHASSEE, FL -- All-American candidate J.D. Drew propelled No. 12 Florida State (17-4) to an 8-6 come-from-behind victory over Maryland (4-6) with a two-run triple in the seventh inning in the Seminoles' opening night of ACC play.

A Dick Howser Stadium crowd of 1,412 looked on as shortstop Brooks Badeaux started the Seminoles' seventh inning rally with a walk and third baseman Adam Faurot reached base on an error by Terrapin shortstop Kevin Haverbusch. Drew cleared the bases with his second triple of the evening, driving in the game-winning run. Drew then scored on a second error by Haverbusch on Scott Zech's ground ball. Drew tied a school record for most triples in a game with two and finished the night with three hits.

Sophomore right-hander Randy Niles (1-0) picked up his first win of the season after relieving starter Randy Choate in the top of the seventh inning. Niles shut down the Terrapins, allowing one hit while striking out three batters. Choate gave up six runs on eight hits, but struck out eight Maryland batters.

Maryland left-hander Eric Milton (0-2) pitched a complete game, giving up eight runs on 11 hits while striking out eight.

The Terrapins took a 6-5 lead in the top of the seventh inning with a four-run, three-hit campaign, but could not hold on for the win.

Badeaux snapped his 22-game hitting streak with an 0-for-3 performance with one walk, but scored the game-winning run. Leftfielder Jeremy Morris kept his 21-game streak alive with a 2-for-4 outing.

Florida State and Maryland continue their series tomorrow, March 16th at 6:00 p.m.

UM	002	000	400	6	9	2
FSU	121	001	30x	8	11	1

E-Haverbusch 2, Badeaux.

DP-UM 1, FSU 2. LOB-UM 8, FSU 4.

2B-Morris (15). 3B-Drew 2 (4).

HR-Salazar (4).

Winner-Niles 1-0. Loser-Milton 0-2. Save-None.

Milton and Clemente. Choate, Niles (7) and Salazar.

1996 FLORIDA STATE BASEBALL

Maryland at FLORIDA STATE Mar 15, 1996 at Tallahassee, FL

Maryland 6 (4-6)

FLORIDA STATE 8 (17-4)

Name (Pos)	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A	Name (Pos)	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A
Neuberger, Steve cf	4	1	2	1	1	1	3	0	Badeaux, Brooks ss	3	1	0	0	1	1	1	3
Cummings, Brian rf	5	1	3	2	0	1	1	0	Faurot, Adam 3b	4	2	1	0	0	0	0	4
Hartman, Ron 3b	5	0	2	1	0	1	0	5	Drew, J.D. cf	4	2	3	2	0	1	0	0
O'Brien, Chad dh	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	Morris, Jeremy lf	4	1	2	1	0	2	0	0
Pergola, Jordan ph	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	Zech, Scott 2b	3	0	2	0	0	0	5	4
Clemente, Joe c	4	0	0	0	0	0	8	1	Woodward, Matt 1b	3	0	0	1	0	2	10	0
Mogor, Scott lf	3	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	Nedeau, Steve rf	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	1
Marciano, John 1b	2	2	0	0	2	2	8	1	Salazar, Jeremy c	4	1	1	2	0	1	11	0
Haverbusch, Kevin ss	2	1	0	0	0	1	1	2	Brown, Billy dh	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Blue, Chris 2b	3	1	1	0	0	2	2	2	Zabala, Jose ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Milton, Eric p	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	Choate, Randy p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
									Niles, Randy p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.....	32	6	9	5	5	11	24	11	Totals.....	33	8	11	6	1	8	27	14

Score by innings: R H E

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FLORIDA STATE	121	001	30	-	8	11	1

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2B - Morris(15). 3B - Drew 2(4).

HR - Salazar(4).

SB - Mogor, ~~Faurot(6)~~, Morris(11), Nedeau(3), Zech(5). CS - Drew.

SH - Blue, Woodward, Zech.

Maryland	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	FLORIDA STATE	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Milton, Eric	8.0	11	8	6	1	8	Choate, Randy	6.1	8	6	5	4	8
							Niles, Randy	2.2	1	0	0	1	3

Winner - Niles 1-0. Loser - Milton 0-2. Save - None.

BEP - by Choate (Haverbusch), by Niles (Clemente), by Niles (Haverbusch).

Umpires - Thompson, Couch, Manders

Start: 6:00 Time: 2:33 Attendance: 1412

Game Notes:

Pitch Count: Choate 116, Niles 51, Milton 129.

ACC Records: FSU 1-0, Maryland 0-1.