



FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY

SPORTS INFORMATION



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NO. 2 FSU COMES BACK TO DEFEAT WAKE FOREST, 15-8

TALLAHASSEE, FL -- Outfielders J.D. Drew and Jeremy Morris combined for four hits and seven RBI as No. 2 Florida State (18-5) came back from a five-run deficit to defeat Wake Forest (16-4), 15-8, in front of 2,232 fans at Dick Howser Stadium.

Randy Choate (6-0) gave up five runs on five hits in the first inning, including home runs to centerfielder Josh Itzoe and first baseman Kevin Troup. Choate settled down, scattering four hits and giving up two runs in the remainder of his seven-inning outing. He struck out six, but walked four in the appearance.

Florida State chipped away at the Demon Deacons' lead, scoring two runs in each of the first three innings. Leftfielder Jeremy Morris drove in second baseman Scott Zech and centerfielder J.D. Drew with a triple to rightfield for FSU's first two runs. The Seminoles tied the game in the third inning after first baseman Matt Woodward's RBI-double and catcher Jermei Salazar's RBI-basehit.

Florida State took a lead it would not relinquish as designated-hitter Brian Cox drove in Morris on a ground out to second in the fifth inning. The Seminoles scored eight runs in the next three innings, highlighted by Drew's two-run homer in the sixth inning and two-run double in the seventh. Morris belted his second triple of the game in the sixth inning, tying his own FSU single-game record. Reggie Griggs hit his third home run of the season in the eighth inning and finished 2-for-2 with two RBI.

Lefthander John Hendricks (3-1) gave up nine runs on eight hits in the loss for Wake Forest. Hendricks struck out five and walked four. Itzoe finished the game 4-for-6 with one RBI, while Troup was 2-for-5 with two RBI.

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DP-WFU 2. LOB-WFU 13, FSU 5.

Hendricks, Rikard (6), Schmitt (6), Ramseyer (7), Abdelwahab (7), Briggs (7) and Riepe. Choate, DiBlasi (8), Stanford (9) and Salazar.

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The Automated ScoreBook

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Wake Forest 8 (16-4)

FLORIDA STATE 15 (18-5)

Name (Pos)	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A	Name (Pos)	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A
Itzoe, Josh cf	6	1	4	1	0	1	3	0	Zech, Scott 2b	5	1	1	1	0	0	1	2
Lardieri, Dave dh	4	1	1	1	2	1	0	0	Drew, J.D. cf	3	3	2	4	1	0	3	0
Palmieri, Jon 2b	5	1	0	1	0	0	2	6	Morris, Jeremy lf	3	3	2	2	2	0	1	0
Troup, Kevin 1b	5	1	2	2	0	1	12	0	Sprague, Geoff 3b	3	0	1	0	1	1	1	2
Malloy, Pat lf/rf	3	1	1	0	2	2	0	0	Cox, Brian dh	2	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
Riepe, Andrew c	4	1	2	1	1	0	5	2	Griggs, Reggie ph/dh	2	1	2	2	0	0	0	0
Danosky, Ben rf	4	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	Woodward, Matt 1b	5	0	1	1	0	1	9	0
Mendez, Ricky ph/lf	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	Salazar, Jeremy c	4	2	1	1	1	0	9	0
Marino, Larry 3b	4	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	McCorkel, Shawn rf	4	2	2	0	0	2	2	0
Otten, Josh ss	3	0	1	2	0	0	1	3	Henderson, Terry ph/rf	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chiou, Sunny ph	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	Zabala, Jose ss	4	2	2	1	0	1	1	3
Hendricks, John p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Choate, Randy p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Rikard, Will p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	DiBlasi, Mike p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schmitt, Eric p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Stanford, Matt p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ramseyer, Mike p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0									
Abdelwahab, Osama p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0									
Briggs, Matt p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0									
Totals.....	40	8	13	8	5	9	24	12	Totals.....	36	15	14	13	6	5	27	9

Score by innings: R H E

Wake Forest	501	000	011	-	8	13	3
FLORIDA STATE	222	013	41	-	15	14	3

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DP - WFU 2, LOB - WFU 13, SEMINOLES 5.

2B - Lardieri, Malloy, Otten, Drew, Woodward. 3B - Morris 2(3).

HR - Itzoe, Troup, Drew(9), Griggs(3).

CS - Drew.

SH - Otten, Sprague. SF - Palmieri.

Wake Forest	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	FLORIDA STATE	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Hendricks, John	5.2	8	9	7	4	5	Choate, Randy	7.0	9	7	7	4	6
Rikard, Will	0.0	1	1	1	1	0	DiBlasi, Mike	1.0	2	0	0	1	2
Schmitt, Eric	0.1	1	0	0	0	0	Stanford, Matt	1.0	2	1	1	0	1
Ramseyer, Mike	0.1	2	3	2	0	0							
Abdelwahab, Osama	0.0	1	1	1	0	0							
Briggs, Matt	1.2	1	1	1	1	0							

Winner - Choate 6-0. Loser - Hendricks 3-1. Save - None.

WP - Abdelwahab 2, Briggs. PB - Riepe.

HBP - by Choate (Marino), by Hendricks (Drew).

Umpires - Thompson, Manders, Couch

Start: 6:00 Time: 2:55 Attendance: 2232

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FLORIDA STATE	2	2	2	0	1	3

Wake Forest

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Itzoe cf	HR [] KS		1B []		6-3			1B []	1B []
Lardieri dh	2B []	BB []	BB []		F7			KS	4-3
Palmieri 2b	F8	F9	F8			E6		FC []	6-3
Troup lb	HR []	KL	FC			PF9		1B []	
Malloy rf	BB []	2B		KS		KS		BB	
Riepe c	1B []	1B		6-3		FC		1B	
Danosky rf	KL	KL		E6			4-3	KS	
Mendez lf	HP []		1B []	3U			5-3		KL
Marino 3b			1-3		1-3		F8		1B []
Otten ss	2B								
Chiou ph	:								
Hendricks p									
Briggs p									

FLORIDA STATE

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Zech 2b	1B []	4-3		6-3		F8	F8	
Drew cf	BB []	HP		3U		HR []	2B []	
Morris lf	3B []		E6 []		BB []	3B []	BB []	
Sprague 3b	KS		5-3		1B []	BB []	643	
Cox dh	PF3		BB []		4-3	1B		HR []
Griggs dh	KS		2B []		4-3	L6		F8
Woodward lb			1B		L3		E5 []	6-3
Salazar c		BB []	1B					4-3
McCorkel rf		1B []	K			KL	1B []	
Henderson rf		4-3		KS		1B []	1B []	
Zabala ss								
Choate p								
Stanford p								

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Wake Forest inning 1

Itzoe homered to left field, RBI. Lardieri doubled to left field. Palmieri flied out to cf; Lardieri advanced to third. Troup homered to left center, 2 RBI; Lardieri scored. Malloy walked. Riepe singled to left field; Malloy advanced to second. Danosky struck out looking. Marino hit by pitch; Riepe advanced to second; Malloy advanced to third. Otten doubled to right center, 2 RBI; Marino advanced to third; Riepe scored; Malloy scored. Itzoe struck out. 5 runs, 5 hits, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

FLORIDA STATE inning 1

Zech singled to left field. Drew walked; Zech advanced to second. Morris tripled to right field, 2 RBI; Drew scored; Zech scored. Sprague struck out. Cox fouled out to lb. Woodward struck out. 2 runs, 2 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Wake Forest inning 2

Lardieri walked. Palmieri flied out to rf. Troup struck out looking. Malloy doubled to right field; Lardieri advanced to third. Riepe intentionally walked. Danosky struck out looking. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 3 LOB.

FLORIDA STATE inning 2

Salazar walked. McCorkel singled, bunt, advanced to second on a throwing error by c; Salazar advanced to third. Zabala grounded out to 2b, RBI; McCorkel advanced to third; Salazar scored. Zech grounded out to 2b, RBI; McCorkel scored, unearned. Drew hit by pitch. Drew out at second c to 2b, caught stealing. 2 runs, 1 hit, 1 error, 0 LOB.

Wake Forest inning 3

Marino singled to shortstop. Otten grounded out to p, SAC, bunt; Marino advanced to second. Itzoe singled to left field; Marino advanced to third. Lardieri walked; Itzoe advanced to second. Palmieri flied out to cf, SF, RBI; Marino scored. Troup reached on a fielder's choice; Lardieri advanced to second; Itzoe out at third 3b unassisted. 1 run, 2 hits, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

FLORIDA STATE inning 3

Morris reached on an error by ss. Sprague grounded out to 3b, SAC, bunt;

Morris advanced to second. Cox walked. Woodward doubled to left field, RBI; Cox advanced to third; Morris scored, unearned. Salazar singled to left field, RBI; Woodward advanced to third; Cox scored. McCorkel struck out; Woodward out at third c to 3b. 2 runs, 2 hits, 1 error, 1 LOB.

Wake Forest inning 4

Malloy struck out. Riepe grounded out to ss. Danosky reached on an error by ss. Marino grounded out to 1b unassisted. 0 runs, 0 hits, 1 error, 1 LOB.

FLORIDA STATE inning 4

Zabala struck out. Zech grounded out to ss. Drew grounded out to 1b unassisted. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Wake Forest inning 5

Otten grounded out to p, bunt. Itzoe grounded out to ss. Lardieri flied out to lf. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

FLORIDA STATE inning 5

Morris walked. Sprague singled to right field; Morris advanced to third. Cox grounded out to 2b, RBI; Sprague advanced to second; Morris scored. Woodward grounded out to 2b; Sprague advanced to third. Salazar lined out to 1b. 1 run, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Wake Forest inning 6

Palmieri reached on an error by ss. Troup fouled out to rf. Malloy struck out. Riepe reached on a fielder's choice; Palmieri out at second 3b to 2b. 0 runs, 0 hits, 1 error, 1 LOB.

FLORIDA STATE inning 6

McCorkel struck out looking. Zabala singled to second base. Zech flied out to cf. Drew homered to center field, 2 RBI; Zabala scored. Rikard to p for Hendricks. Morris tripled to right field. Sprague walked. Griggs pinch hit for Cox. Schmitt to p for Rikard. Griggs singled to center field, RBI; Sprague advanced to third; Morris scored. Woodward lined out to ss. 3 runs, 4 hits, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

Wake Forest inning 7

Danosky grounded out to 2b. Marino grounded out to 3b. Otten flied out to cf. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

FLORIDA STATE inning 7

Ramseyer to p for Schmitt. Salazar reached on an error by 3b. McCorkel singled to left field; Salazar advanced to second. Zabala singled to third

base; McCorkel advanced to second; Salazar advanced to third. Zech flied out to cf. Abdelwahab to p for Ramseyer. Salazar scored on a passed ball, unearned. Zabala advanced to second on a wild pitch; McCorkel advanced to third on a wild pitch. Drew doubled to right field, 2 RBI; Zabala scored; McCorkel scored. Drew advanced to third on a wild pitch. Briggs to p for Abdelwahab. Morris walked; Drew scored on a wild pitch. Sprague grounded into double play ss to 2b to 1b; Morris out on the play. 4 runs, 3 hits, 1 error, 0 LOB.

Wake Forest inning 8

Itzoe singled. DiBlasi to p for Choate. Lardieri struck out. Palmieri reached on a fielder's choice; Itzoe out at second ss unassisted. Troup singled to center field; Palmieri advanced to second. Malloy walked; Troup advanced to second; Palmieri advanced to third. Riepe singled to center field, RBI; Malloy advanced to second; Troup advanced to third; Palmieri scored. Mendez pinch hit for Danosky. Mendez struck out. 1 run, 3 hits, 0 errors, 3 LOB.

FLORIDA STATE inning 8

Malloy to rf. Mendez to lf. Griggs to dh. Griggs homered to left field, RBI. Woodward flied out to cf. Salazar grounded out to ss. Henderson pinch hit for McCorkel. Henderson grounded out to 2b. 1 run, 1 hit, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Wake Forest inning 9

Henderson to rf. Stanford to p for DiBlasi. Marino struck out looking. Chiou pinch hit for Otten. Chiou singled to right field. Itzoe singled, advanced to second on an error by rf; Chiou advanced to third. Lardieri grounded out to 2b, RBI; Itzoe advanced to third; Chiou scored. Palmieri grounded out to ss. 1 run, 2 hits, 1 error, 1 LOB.

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