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**No. 2 Florida State Improves to 30-5 with 7-2 Victory over No. 14 Wake Forest
FSU senior Matt Lynch now ranks fourth in ACC history with 36 career wins.**

April 5, 2003

Tallahassee, Fla. – Behind the pitching of left-hander Matt Lynch, No. 2 Florida State (30-5, 8-3 ACC) defeated No. 14 Wake Forest (20-9, 6-4 ACC) by a final of 7-2 as 3,438 fans looked on at Dick Howser Stadium Saturday night. Lynch (7-2) worked six innings and allowed two runs (one earned) on five hits. He is now 36-6 over his four years at Florida State and now ranks fourth in ACC history in career victories. With the win, the Seminoles took over sole possession of first place in the conference standings.

Wake Forest took the early lead with a pair of runs in the first inning. Ryan Hubbard singled to right and Jamie D'Antona drew a walk to put runners on first and second. Brad Scioletti's single to right center scored Hubbard and D'Antona was able to score the second run on a fielding error by FSU center fielder Matt Sauls.

In the second inning, Tony McQuade doubled to right center and moved to third on Blake Balkcom's groundout to short. Chris Hart came through with a two-out single to left to cut Wake's lead to 2-1.

FSU tied the game at two with an unearned run in the bottom of the fourth. Tony Richie singled, moved to second on a walk to McQuade, and then scored on an errant throw to first by Wake Forest shortstop Ben Ingold.

The Seminoles batted around in the sixth inning and took the lead for good at 7-2. McQuade led off with a home run and Sauls added a two-run homer to left. Hart had an RBI-triple to score Jerrod Brown, who had reached on a double to center. Derrick Smith plated the fifth run of the inning when he ripped a single to right to bring home Hart.

Hart (2-for-3, 2 RBI), McQuade (2-for-3, 2 runs) and Sauls (2-for-3, 2 RBI) led the Tribe offensively.

Hunter Jones followed Lynch with two scoreless innings and Matt DiBlasi finished things off with a scoreless ninth.

Tim Morley (2-2) took the loss for Wake Forest, giving up four runs (three earned) on six hits over five innings.

The Seminoles and Demon Deacons conclude the series on Sunday at 12:30 p.m. FSU LHP Daniel Davidson (4-0, 0.84 ERA) is scheduled to start on the mound for Florida State. Wake Forest's starter has yet to be determined.

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2003 Florida State Baseball
Wake Forest at Florida State
Apr 05, 2003 at Tallahassee, FL (Dick Howser)

Wake Forest 2 (20-9,6-4 ACC)

Florida State 7 (30-5,8-3 ACC)

AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A	LOB
Adam Bourassa cf.....	4	0	2	0	0	0	2	0
Ryan Hubbard lf.....	2	1	1	0	0	0	1	0
Doug Riepe ph/lf.....	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Jamie D'Antona 3b.....	1	1	0	0	3	0	1	3
Ryan Johnson rf.....	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Brad Scioletti dh.....	4	0	1	1	0	1	0	0
Jeff Ruziecki 1b.....	3	0	0	0	1	1	7	2
Ben Ingold ss.....	4	0	1	0	0	1	2	3
Chris Getz 2b.....	4	0	1	0	0	0	2	2
Steven Malinowski c.....	3	0	0	0	0	1	6	0
Tim Morley p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Daniel Davidson p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kirby Wedekind p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals.....	30	2	6	1	4	5	24	11

AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A	LOB
Stephen Drew ss.....	5	0	1	0	0	0	2	3
Eddy Martinez-Estev 3b..	4	0	0	0	1	3	1	1
Matt DiBlasi p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tony Richie c.....	4	1	1	0	0	0	5	0
Tony McQuade lf/cf.....	3	2	2	1	1	0	0	0
Jerrold Brown 1b.....	4	1	1	0	0	1	9	1
Blake Balkoon rf.....	3	0	0	0	1	0	2	0
Chris Hart 2b.....	3	1	2	2	1	0	3	3
Derrick Smith dh.....	3	0	1	1	0	1	0	0
Bryan Zech pr.....	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aaron Cheesman ph.....	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Brandon Manasa pr/3b....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Matt Sauls cf.....	3	1	2	2	0	0	5	0
Daniel Wardell ph/lf....	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Matt Lynch p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Hunter Jones p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.....	33	7	10	6	5	6	27	12

Score by Innings R H E

Wake Forest..... 200 000 000 - 2 6 1
Florida State..... 010 105 00X - 7 10 3

Ingold(9); Drew(7); Mart.-Estev(15); Matt Sauls(1). DP - Demon Deacon 1; Seminoles 3. LOB - Demon Deacon 6; Seminoles 7.
2B - McQuade(8); Brown(8). 3B - Hart(1). HR - McQuade(4); Matt Sauls(3). SH - Hubbard(7). SB - Drew(26); Zech(4); Matt
Sauls(8).

IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	AB	BF
Tim Morley.....	5.0	6	4	3	2	4	21
Daniel Davidson.....	0.1	4	3	3	1	0	5
Kirby Wedekind.....	2.2	0	0	0	2	2	7

IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	AB	BF
Matt Lynch.....	6.0	5	2	1	3	3	21
Hunter Jones.....	2.0	1	0	0	0	1	7
Matt DiBlasi.....	1.0	0	0	0	1	1	2

Win - M. Lynch (7-2). Loss - Morley (2-2). Save - None.

WP - Morley(2). BK - Davidson(3).

Umpires - HP: Frank Sylvester 1B: David Savage 3B: Scott Graham

Start: 7:07 Time: 2:43 Attendance: 3438

Game notes:

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Morley faced 2 batters in the 6th.

Game: WFU2