

# Florida State splits a pair with G-Tech

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ATLANTA, Ga. — Florida State's baseball team finally got to play baseball after three consecutive rainouts but the second-ranked Seminoles could do no better than a doubleheader split with Georgia Tech here Sunday.

The Tribe, now 37-10 on the season, pulled out the heavy bats to take the first game 18-6, but then allowed a seventh-inning Tech rally in the second game to spoil a perfect day and fell 4-3.

With regular starters Chip Bifano and Jeff Hardy on the bench during the doubleheader, Georgia Tech was able to move its record to 12-15. The FSU players, along with part-time catcher Rick McGlone and reserve outfielder David Cooper were benched by Coach Woody Woodward for what he termed "disciplinary reasons."

Their loss didn't seem to affect the Seminoles in the first game as they banged out 18 hits against a pair of Georgia Tech pitchers in an assault that included Terry Kennedy's 18th home run of the season.

That shot, that moved the sophomore to within two of the NCAA single-season record, was one of three Florida State homers and five in the game. Carlos Lescano and Mark Coulter also had homers for FSU. Lezcano's was a grand slam.

With the first game tied at 2-2, Florida State exploded for six runs in the fourth and seven in the fifth to put it away.

Larry Jones, a senior righthander from Seminole, picked up the victory for FSU, lasting five innings before Mike McLeod came on to finish up.

Jones raised his record to 7-2 with the victory while Tech's Bill Hudlow was tagged with the loss, his sixth of the year against five victories.

Things didn't turn out quite so well in the second game for Florida State, however, as the Seminoles let a 3-1 lead get away in the last inning.

Ben Curry's solo home run and runs batted in by Kennedy and Guillermo Bonilla accounted for the FSU runs and lefthander Bob Mayer, 6-0 on the year, held the Yellow Jackets in check until yielding in the sixth.

Working with the two-run lead, Carey ran into problems in the seventh when the Jackets pounded out six hits off he and Jackie Smith who was called on to put out the fire. All three runs, however, were charged to Carey and he was tagged with his third loss against four victories this season.

The Seminoles, now having finished up on the road, return to Seminole Field for the final two series of the season.

Miami will visit for three games on Wednesday and Thursday before Georgia Southern comes to town on Saturday and Sunday.

NCAA bids for this year's district playoffs are in the balance this week and could hinge on the outcome of those two crucial series for FSU.

## FSU 18 Ga. Tech 6

Florida State				Ga. Tech			
	ab	r	h		ab	r	h
Huff,rf	4	2	2	Davison,cf	3	1	0
McArdle,cf	4	1	1	Turner,ss	2	1	0
West,ph	2	1	0	Kizer,1b	3	2	1
Bonilla,2b	5	2	2	Jlullani,lf	3	0	1
Kennedy,c	5	2	3	D.Keener,3b	2	1	1
Hicks,1b	4	2	2	Langley,rf	4	0	1
Coulter,lf	4	2	3	Boyd,2b	3	0	0
Griffen,c	1	0	0	Jackson,c	2	0	0
Lezcano,3b	5	2	3	R.Keener,dh	3	1	1
Curry,dh	3	1	1	Hudlow,p	0	0	0
G.Jones,ss	3	3	1	Middour,p	0	0	0
L.Jones,p	0	0	0				
McLeod,p	0	0	0				

Total 40 18 18 Total 25 6 5

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E — Bonilla, Turner, LOB — FSU 8, GT 6. RBI — Kizer, D. Keener, Langley 2, Jackson, R. Keener, Huff, McArdle 3, Bonilla 3, Kennedy 3, Hicks, Coulter 2, Lezcano 4, G. Jones. 2B — McArdle, Bonilla, Kennedy, Lezcano, Jlullani. 3B — G. Jones. HR — Kennedy (18), Coulter (8), Lezcano (7), Kizer (2), R. Keener (1). SB — Huff, McArdle, Lezcano, Curry, G. Jones. SF — D. Keener, Jackson.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
L.Jones, W (7-2)	5	3	2	2	1	5
McLeod	2	2	4	3	5	2
Hudlow, L (5-6)	5	14	15	15	5	6
Middour	2	3	3	3	2	0

U — Rountree, Reynolds. T — 2:04.

## Ga. Tech 4 FSU 3

Fia. state				Ga. Tech			
	ab	r	h		ab	r	h
Huff,rf	1	0	0	Davison,cf	3	0	0
McArdle,cf	2	1	1	Turner,dh	3	1	0
Bonilla,2b	2	1	1	Kizer,1b	4	0	2
Kennedy,c	3	0	0	J'lilani,lf	4	0	1
Hicks,1b	4	0	1	D. Kenner,3b	4	0	1
Coulter,lf	3	0	1	Langley,rf	3	0	1
Lezcano,3b	3	0	0	Boyd,2b	2	0	0
Curry,dh	2	1	1	Ible,ss	3	2	2
G.Jones,ss	1	0	0	King,c	1	0	0
Mayer,p	0	0	0	Campbell,pr	0	1	0
Carey,p	0	0	0	Bass,p	0	0	0
Smith,p	0	0	0				

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Two outs when winning run scored.

E — G. Jones. LOB — FSU 8, GT 8. RBI — Bonilla, Kennedy, Curry, D. Keener 2, Kizer. 2B — Ible. 3B — Bonilla. HR — Curry (2). S — G. Jones. SF — Kennedy.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Mayer	5	1	1	1	3	3
Carey (L,4-3)	1 1/2	4	3	3	1	1
Smith	1/2	2	0	0	0	1
Bass (W,2-3)	7	5	3	3	6	8

HBP — By Carey (King). WP — Bass, Carey. U — Reynolds, Rountree. T — 1:47. A — 200.