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NO. 6 FLORIDA STATE UPENDS MARYLAND, 10-4, IN COLLEGIATE BASEBALL

College Park, MD -- Florida State's Ty Mueller had three hits including his fifth home run of the season and pitcher Paul Wilson won his 10th game to lead Florida State past Maryland, 10-4, in college baseball at Shipley Field this afternoon.

Florida State improves to 36-11 overall and 12-6 in the Atlantic Coast Conference while Maryland falls to 20-24 and 4-16 in the ACC.

The visiting Seminoles broke open the game with six runs on only one hit in the top of the third. They were the recipients of four walks, two hit batters, a wild pitch and a three RBI double by center fielder Grady Jordan. Florida State sent 10 batters to the plate during the inning.

Mueller, the Seminole left fielder, reached base each of the five times he appeared at bat. He doubled in the second; was hit by a pitch in the third; singled in the fifth and ninth innings and hit a solo home run in the eighth. Wilson, the FSU starting pitcher, pitched 6 2/3 innings, and allowed one run on three hits while striking out seven to gain the win.

Maryland had seven hits on the day. Terp first baseman Dan Goucher had two hits while third baseman Matt Bailey and left fielder Jeff Wagner drove in two runs each. Starting pitcher Mike Cole was tagged with the loss. He was removed from the game in the top of the third after suffering a pulled muscle in his back.

Maryland and Florida State will play game two of the three game series Sunday with game time set for 2:00 p.m.

Florida State 016 000 120 10 8 0 (Record now 36-11, 12-6 ACC)
MARYLAND 000 001 003 4 7 0 (Record now 20-24, 4-16 ACC)
Paul Wilson, Charlie Cruz (7), Jeff Tam (9) and Mike Martin, Colby Weaver (8). Mike Cole, Matt Baumann (3) and Pat Colliere. Winning Pitcher - Wilson (10-3). Losing Pitcher - Cole (2-5).

DOUBLES: Ty Mueller (FSU)
Grady Jordan (FSU)
Mike Martin (FSU)
Chris Cannan (M)
TRIPLES: None
HOME RUNS: Ty Mueller (FSU) seventh inning, none on.

