

FLORIDA STATE BASEBALL

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MARCH 2, 1996

TALLAHASSEE, FL -- The No. 15 Florida Gators (10-4) pulled out a 6-4 come-from-behind victory over the No. 5 Florida State Seminoles (8-3) in front of 4,659 fans at Dick Howser Stadium.

Florida catcher Eric Castaldo scored on a Matt Duncan RBI-double for the game-winning run in the fifth inning after evening the score at two a piece with a Sean Walsh home run in the fourth inning.

The Seminoles suffered their first loss on their home field, as the Gator pitching staff held FSU to just five hits, their lowest total of the season.

Florida State's junior right-hander Chuck Howell (3-1) lost his first game of the season as he gave up nine hits and five runs over six innings, while striking out six.

The Gator's right-handed starter Tommy Brewer gave up just two hits and three runs in five innings, while reliever Brad Wilkerson struck out six in 3.1 innings pitched. Paul Rigdon earned his fourth save as he closed for the Gators.

UF	000	212	010	6	10	2
FSU	002	002	000	4	5	1

2B-Castaldo (7), Hazzard (4), Faurot (3).

HR-Walsh (3).

Winner- Brewer 3-0. Loser-Howell 3-1. Save-Rigdon (4).

Batteries: Brewer, Wilkerson (6), Rigdon (9) and Castaldo.

Howell, Diaz (7) and Salazar.

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Florida 6 (8-3)

FLORIDA STATE 4 (10-4)

Name (Pos)	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A	Name (Pos)	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A
Eckstein, David 2b	5	0	2	1	0	0	2	4	Badeaux, Brooks ss	4	1	2	1	1	1	4	0
Tamargo, John ss	4	1	1	0	0	0	3	2	Faurot, Adam 3b	4	1	1	1	0	0	1	3
Walsh, Sean rf	4	2	2	2	0	0	1	0	Drew, J.B. cf	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Wilkerson, Brad lf/lb	3	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	Morris, Jeremy lf	4	0	1	1	0	1	0	1
Hazzard, Chuck dh/lb	2	1	1	0	2	0	4	0	Morgan, Scooby dh	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Andre, Travis lb	3	0	0	0	0	2	6	0	Brown, Billy dh	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Ogle, Brian lf	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	Zech, Scott 2b	3	0	0	0	0	2	4	1
Duncan, Matt 3b	4	1	1	1	0	2	0	3	Woodward, Matt lb	2	1	0	0	1	1	9	0
Castaldo, Eric c	4	1	2	1	0	1	8	2	Zabala, Jose ph	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Chism, Chris cf	4	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	Salazar, Jeremy c	2	1	0	0	2	1	7	4
Rigdon, Paul p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	Senior, Bryan pr	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brewer, Thomas p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	Nedeau, Steve rf	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
									Howell, Chuck p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
									Diaz, Zach p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Totals.....	34	6	10	6	3	9	27	14	Totals.....	29	4	5	3	6	8	27	10

Score by innings:

R H E

Florida	000	212	010	-	6	10	2
FLORIDA STATE	002	002	000	-	4	5	1

E - Castaldo(2), Tamargo(2), Badeaux(3).

DP - Gators 1. LOB - Gators 4, SEMINOLES 7.

2B - Castaldo(7), Hazzard(4), Faurot(3).

HR - Walsh(3).

SB - Hazzard(1), Walsh(1). CS - Eckstein, D., Wilkerson, Badeaux, Morgan.

SH - Nedeau(3). SF - Faurot(2).

Florida	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	FLORIDA STATE	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Brewer, Thomas	5.0	2	3	2	3	1	Howell, Chuck	6.0	9	5	5	2	6
Wilkerson, Brad	3.1	3	1	1	3	6	Diaz, Zach	3.0	1	1	0	1	3
Rigdon, Paul	0.2	0	0	0	0	1							

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WP - Wilkerson(1). PB - Castaldo.

Umpires - Magnusson, McComb, Ravan, A. Davis

Start: 7:00 Time: 3:16 Attendance: 4659

Game Notes:

Brewer faces one batter in 6th.

Pitch Counts: UF- Brewer 75, Wilkerson 67, Rigdon 10.

FSU- Howell 110, Diaz 34.