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FLORIDA STATE BASEBALL DEFEATS MARYLAND 16-2

TALLAHASSEE, FL -- All-American candidate J.D. Drew led No. 12 Florida State (18-4, 2-0 ACC) to a convincing 16-2 victory over Maryland (4-7, 0-2 ACC) in front of 1,564 fans at Dick Howser Stadium.

Drew completed a three-hit, six-RBI performance with his second grand slam home run of the season in the sixth inning. The grand slam tied a Florida State season record for most in a season by an individual and boosted the Seminoles' team mark to five grand slams on the year.

Junior right-hander Chuck Howell (6-1) earned the win, giving up one run on six hits and striking out a career-high eight batters. Tonight's victory extended FSU's winning streak to a season-high nine games.

Maryland starter Brian Cummings (0-2) gave up six runs on six hits and five walks for the loss. Four Maryland pitchers combined to give up 13 hits and 12 walks. Terrapin rightfielder Eric Milton blasted his first home run of the season in the sixth inning.

Leftfielder Jeremy Morris' 21-game hitting streak was snapped tonight with a 0-for-4 outing and one walk.

Florida State hosts Maryland tomorrow, March 17th at 1:00 p.m., for the conclusion of the three-game series.

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E-Bronowicz, Cummings, Howell. DP-UM 1. LOB-UM 7, FSU 8.

2B-Salazar (7), Sprague (5), Zech (9). 3B-Haverbusch (2). HR-Milton (1), Drew (7).

Winner-Howell 6-1. Loser-Cummings 0-2. Save-None. Cummings, Wood (6), Curtiss (6), McFarling (7) and Clemente. McFarling and Davidson (8). Howell, Proctor (8) and Salazar. Diaz (9) and Mayfield (9).

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Maryland 2 (18-4)

FLORIDA STATE 16 (4-7)

Smalle (Pos)	λB			RBI) A	Name (Pos)	λB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	РО	λ
Neuberger, Steve cf	4			0				0	Badeaux, Brooks ss	3	3	1	2	3	0	1	1
Bronowicz, Scott 1f	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	Faurot, Adam 3b	3	2	2	1	1	0	0	0
Hartman, Ron 3b	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	Woodward, Matt ph/1b	0	1	0	1	1	0	2	0
Milton, Eric rf	4	1	2	1	0	1	2	0	Drew, J.D. cf				6	.0	1	1	1
Clemente, Joe c	3	0	0	0	0	1	4	2	Senior, Bryan cf	2	0	1	2	Ö	0	1	0
Davidson, John c	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	Morris, Jeremy lf	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Marciano, John 1b	4	0	0	0	0	2	13	0	Zech, Scott 2b	4	0	1	1	1	0	2	3
Pergola, Jordan dh	3	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	Horgan, Scooby dh	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Haverbusch, Kevin ss	3	0	1	0	0	1	2	4	Brown, Billy ph/dh	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0
Trout, Casey ss	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	Sprague, Geoff 1b/3b	4	3	3	0	1	0	5	0
Blue, Chris 2b	3	0	0	0	1	2	1	5	Salazar, Jeremy c	5	2	2	1	0	1	10	0
Cummings, Brian p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	Mayfield, Henry c	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wood, David p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Zabala, Jose rf	2	1	0	0	0	1	4	0
Curtiss, Tom p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Nedeau, Steve rf	1	1	0	1	2	0	1	0
McFarling, Aaron p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Howell, Chuck p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.	1
									Proctor, Scott p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
									Diaz, Zach p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	2	8	2	3	10	24	16	Totals	35	16	13	15	12	4	27	6
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SB - Zech 2(7). CS - Zech.

SF - Woodward.

Maryland	IP						FLORIDA STATE	IP			-		
Cummings, Brian	5.2						Howell, Chuck	7.0					
Wood, David	0.0	0	2	2	2	0	Proctor, Scott	1.0	0	0	0	0	2
Curtiss, Ton	1.0	5	6	6	4	0	Diaz, Zach	1.0	2	1	1	1	0
McFarling, Aaron	1.1	2	2	2	1	1	•						

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WP - Cummings, Curtiss. BK - Diaz.

Umpires - Couch, Handers, Thompson Start: 6:00 Time: 3:11 Attendance: 1564

Game Notes:

Pitch Count: Howell 87, Cummings.

Zabala was injured in top of sixth inning, crashed into wall.