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FEBRUARY 7, 1997

FLORIDA STATE BASEBALL PULLS OUT A 5-2 WIN OVER ARIZONA STATE

TALLAHASSEE, FL -- Rightfielder Brian Cox led the No. 1 Florida State Seminoles (3-0) to a 5-2 win over No. 7 Arizona State (5-4) as he drove in J.D. Drew with a basehit to break a 2-2 tie in the sixth inning in front of 3,498 fans at Dick Howser Stadium.

FSU lefthander Randy Choate (2-0) gave up two runs on seven hits over eight innings. The Seminoles' starter struck out four and did not walk a batter.

Chris Chavez picked up his second save of the season as the last Sun Devil batter, Ryan Bradley, grounded out with the bases loaded. Earlier in the season, Bradley, the ASU closer, hit a grand slam to defeat Southern California, 7-3.

Arizona State's Richy Leon (1-1) took the loss in relief of starter Ryan Mills. Leon gave up two runs on two hits in one inning pitched.

Drew scored FSU's first three runs, the first on an ASU throwing error. Leftfielder Jeremy Morris drove Drew in with a sacrafice fly to centerfield in the fourth inning and he scored the game-winning run in the sixth after a single to leftfield by Cox.

Shortstop Willie Bloomquist and catcher Greg Halvorson's back-to-back doubles to start the fifth inning gave Arizona State its only runs. Halvorson knocked in Bloomquist with his double and then scored on designated hitter Damien Kolb's single to rightfield.

FSU first baseman Matt Woodward drove in a run in both the seventh and eighth innings to seal the victory for the Seminoles. Third baseman Geoff Sprague led off the seventh with his second double of the day, advanced to third on a wild pitch and scored on Woodward's sacrafice fly to leftfield. Woodward drove in Sprague in the next inning on a double to leftfield. Sprague went 3-for-4 with two runs scored on the day.

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E-Leon, McKinley, Moreno, Tommasini, Sprague. DP-FSU 1. LOB-ASU 7, FSU 7.

WP-Choate 1-0. LP-Leon 1-1. Save-Chavez, 2.

Mills, Leon (6), Bradley (7) and Halvorson. Choate, Chavez (9) and Salazar.

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# FLORIDA STATE VS. STARTING LINEUPS

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# ARIZONA STATE (5-3)

| 1.<br>2.<br>3.<br>4.<br>5.<br>6.<br>7.<br>8.<br>9. | #18<br>#26<br>#10<br>#28<br>#7<br>#45<br>#30<br>#16 | Mikel Moreno Damien Kolb Dan McKinley Andrew Beinbrink Jeff Cermak Kevin Tommasini Willie Bloomquist Greg Halvorson Richy Leon | LF<br>DH<br>CF<br>3B<br>RF<br>1B<br>SS<br>C<br>2B |
|--|---|--|---|
| LHP  | #21   | Ryan Mills (0-0, 2.57 ERA)   | )   |

# FLORIDA STATE (2-0)

| 1. | #7 Badeaux, Brooks  | SS |
|----|---------------------|----|
| 2. | #9 Zech, Scott      | 2B |
| 3. | #39 Drew, J.D.      | CF |
| 4. | #37 Morris, Jeremy  | LF |
| 5. | #27 Cox, Brian      | RF |
| 6. | #12 Salazar, Jeremy | C  |
| 7. | #2 Sprague, Geoff   | 3B |
| 8. | #15 Woodward, Matt  | 1B |
| 9. | #35 McCorkel, Shawn | DH |

LHP #21 Randy Choate (1-0, 3.00 ERA)

UMPIRES: HP-Joe Correia, 1B-Bruce Ravan, 3B-Al Davis.

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Arizona State 2 (5-4)

FLORIDA STATE 5 (3-0)

| Name (Pos)               | λB    |    |   |   |   |   |   | PO |   | Name (Pos)         | ÀΒ |   |   | RBI |   |   | P0 |   |
|--------------------------|-------|----|---|---|---|---|---|----|---|--------------------|----|---|---|-----|---|---|----|---|
| Moreno, Mikel lf         |       | 0  |   |   |   |   |   |    | 0 | Badeaux, Brooks ss |    |   |   | 0   |   |   | 1  |   |
| Kolb, Damien dh          | 3     | 0  | 1 | 1 |   | 0 | 1 | 0  | 0 | Zech, Scott 2b     | 4  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0 | 1 | 2  | 1 |
| Collins, Michael ss      | 1     | 0  | 0 | 0 |   | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 | Drew, J.D. cf      | 1  | 3 | 1 | 0   | 3 | 0 | 5  | 0 |
| McKinley, Dan cf         | 4     | 0  | 0 | 0 |   | 0 | 0 | 2  | 0 | Morris, Jeremy lf  |    |   |   | 1   | 0 |   | 4  | - |
| Beinbrink, Andrew 3b     | 3     | 0  | 2 | 0 |   | 1 | 0 | 0  | 1 | Cox, Brian rf      | 4  | 0 | 1 | 1   | 0 | 3 | 2  | 1 |
| Cermak, Jeff rf          | 4     | 0  | 1 | 0 |   | 0 | 2 | 1  | 0 | Salazar, Jeremy c  | 4  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0 | 3 | 5  | 1 |
| Tommasini, Kevin 1b      | 3     | 0  | 0 | 0 |   | 0 | 0 | 9  | 0 | Sprague, Geoff 3b  | 4  | 2 | 3 | 0   | 0 | 0 | 1  | 0 |
| Grijalva, Mike ph        | 1     | 0  | 0 | 0 |   | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 | Chavez, Chris p    | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0 | 0 | 1  | 0 |
| Bloomquist, Willie ss/2b | 4     | 1  | 1 | 0 |   | 0 | 1 | 0  | 2 | Woodward, Matt 1b  | 3  | 0 | 1 | 2   | 0 | 1 | 6  | 1 |
| Halvorson, Greg c        | 3     | 1  | 1 | 1 |   | 1 | 1 | 9  | 0 | McCorkel, Shawn dh | 2  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 |
| Arguelles, Rudy pr       | 0     | 0  | 0 | 0 |   | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 | Griggs, Reggie ph  | 1  | 0 | 1 | 0   | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 |
| Leon, Richy 2b/p         | 2     | 0  | 1 | 0 |   | 0 | 0 | 1  | 2 | Zabala, Jose pr/3b | 1  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 |
| Bradley, Ryan p          | 1     | 0  | 0 | 0 |   | 0 | 0 | 0  | 1 | Choate, Randy p    | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0 | 0 | 0  | 2 |
| Mills, Ryan p            | 0     | 0  | 0 | 0 |   | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 |                    |    |   |   |     |   |   |    |   |
| Totals                   | 33    | 2  | 8 | 2 |   | 2 | 5 | 24 | 6 | Totals             | 30 | 5 | 7 | 4   | 4 | 9 | 27 | 9 |
| Score by innings:        |       |    |   |   | R | H | E |    |   |                    |    |   |   |     |   |   |    |   |
| Arizona State 00         | 0 020 |    |   | - | 2 | 8 | 4 |    |   |                    |    |   |   |     |   |   |    |   |
| FLORIDA STATE 10         | 0 101 | 11 |   | - | 5 | 7 | 1 |    |   |                    |    |   |   |     |   |   |    |   |

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SH - Leon. SF - Morris, Woodward.

| Arizona State | IP  |   |   |   |   |   | FLORIDA STATE | IP  |   |   |   |   |   |
|---------------|-----|---|---|---|---|---|---------------|-----|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mills, Ryan   | 5.0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | Choate, Randy | 8.0 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Leon, Richy   |     |   |   |   |   |   | Chavez, Chris | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Bradley, Ryan | 2.0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 |               |     |   |   |   |   |   |

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WP - Bradley, Leon. PB - Halvorson. BK - Mills.

Umpires - Correia, Ravan, A. Davis

Start: 3:32 Time: 2:46 Attendance: 3498

DP - SEMINOLES 1. LOB - ASU 7, SEMINOLES 7.
2B - Beinbrink, Bloomquist, Halvorson, Sprague 2, Woodward.
SB - Cox, Drew, Morris 2, Zabala. CS - Bloomquist.

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### Arizona State

| Moreno lf  Kolb dh Collins ss McKinley cf  Beinbrink 3b  Cermak rf  Tommasini 1b Grijalva ph Bloomquist 2b  Halvorson c Arguelles pr Leon 2b Bradley p | F8<br>KS<br>3U<br>& | 6-3<br>KS<br>F7 | 1B<br>1-3<br>8<br>  1-3<br>  KL<br>  1B | F8<br>1B<br>KL<br>6-3 | 2B | 2B∞ <sub>7</sub><br>F8<br>F9-6 | E5 %<br>F9 % | F7<br>F8<br>F7<br>© | BB   F8 |
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| Bradley p<br>Mills p   |                     |                 |   |                       | 1  |                                |              |                     | ,       |

#### FLORIDA STATE

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|---------------------------------------|------|-----------------|----------|-----|------------|------|----------|----------|
| Badeaux ss                            | F9 o |                 | 53       | •   | F8         |      | BB',     |          |
| Zech 2b                               | KS   |                 | 3U       | •   |            | 1-3  | F7       |          |
| Drew cf                               | 18 ⊓ |                 | . w      | ВВП |            | ВВ∏  | вв       |          |
| Morris lf                             | 6-3  |                 |          | E8  |            | KS_  | PF3      |          |
| Cox rf                                | "    | KS <sub>∞</sub> |          | KS  |            | 1B , | "        | KS o     |
| Salazar c                             |      | KL              |          | KL. |            | iu_  |          | KS       |
| Sprague 3b<br>Chavez p<br>Woodward 1b | ,    | 2B<br>KL        |          | 4-3 | 3 <b>U</b> | ω    | 2B<br>F7 | 1B<br>2B |
| McCorkel dh<br>Zabala 3b<br>Choate p  |      | 8               | 6-3<br>∞ |     | F8         |      | 1B       | 1-3      |
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# Arizona State inning 1

Moreno flied out to cf. Kolb struck out. McKinley grounded out to 1b unassisted. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

## FLORIDA STATE inning 1

Badeaux flied out to rf. Zech struck out. Drew singled to left field. Drew stole second, advanced to third on an error by 1b. Drew scored on an error by 1f, unearned. Morris grounded out to ss. 1 run, 1 hit, 2 errors, 0 LOB.

## Arizona State inning 2

Beinbrink grounded out to ss. Cermak struck out. Tommasini flied out to lf. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

#### FLORIDA STATE inning 2

Cox struck out. Salazar struck out looking. Sprague doubled to right field. Woodward struck out looking. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

#### Arizona State inning 3

Bloomquist grounded out to 2b. Halvorson struck out looking. Leon singled to left field. Moreno singled to left field; Leon advanced to second. Kolb grounded out to p. 0 runs, 2 hits, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

#### FLORIDA STATE inning 3

McCorkel grounded out to ss. Badeaux grounded out to 3b. Zech grounded out to 1b unassisted. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

#### Arizona State inning 4

McKinley flied out to cf. Beinbrink singled, bunt. Cermak struck out looking. Tommasini grounded out to ss. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

#### FLORIDA STATE inning 4

Drew walked. Drew advanced to second on a balk. Drew advanced to third on a passed ball. Morris reached on an error by cf, SF, RBI; Drew scored, unearned. Morris stole second. Cox struck out. Morris stole third.

Salazar struck out looking. Sprague grounded out to 2b. 1 run, 0 hits, 1 error, 1 LOB.

## Arizona State inning 5

Bloomquist doubled to left center. Halvorson doubled to left field, RBI; Bloomquist scored. Leon out at first p to 2b, SAC, bunt; Halvorson advanced to third. Moreno grounded out to ss. Kolb singled to right field, RBI; Halvorson scored. McKinley fouled out to 3b. 2 runs, 3 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

## FLORIDA STATE inning 5

Woodward grounded out to 1b unassisted. McCorkel flied out to cf. Badeaux flied out to cf. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

## Arizona State inning 6

Beinbrink doubled to right field. Cermak flied out to cf. Tommasini flied into double play rf to ss; Beinbrink out on the play. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

#### FLORIDA STATE inning 6

Collins to ss for Kolb. Bloomquist to 2b. Leon to p. / for Mills. Zech grounded out to p. Drew walked. Drew advanced to second on a throwing error by p, advanced to third. Morris struck out. Cox singled to right field, RBI; Drew scored, unearned. Cox stole second. Salazar grounded out to p unassisted. 1 run, 1 hit, 1 error, 1 LOB.

#### Arizona State inning 7

Bloomquist reached on an error by 3b. Halvorson flied out to rf. Leon flied out to lf. Bloomquist out at second c to 2b, caught stealing. 0 runs, 0 hits, 1 error, 0 LOB.

#### FLORIDA STATE inning 7

Sprague doubled to left center. Sprague advanced to third on a wild pitch. Bradley to p for Leon. Woodward flied out to lf, SF, RBI; Sprague scored. Griggs pinch hit for McCorkel. Griggs singled to left field. Zabala pinch ran for Griggs. Zabala stole second. Badeaux walked. Zabala advanced to third on a wild pitch. Zech flied out to lf. Drew walked; Badeaux advanced to second. Morris fouled out to lb. 1 run, 2 hits, 0 errors, 3 LOB.

# Arizona State inning 8

Moreno flied out to lf. Collins flied out to cf. McKinley flied out to lf. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

#### FLORIDA STATE inning 8

Cox struck out. Salazar struck out. Sprague singled to center field.

Woodward doubled to left field, RBI; Sprague scored. Zabala grounded out to p. 1 run, 2 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

# Arizona State inning 9

Chavez to p for Sprague. Zabala to 3b. / for Choate. Beinbrink walked. Cermak singled to left field; Beinbrink advanced to second. Grijalva pinch hit for Tommasini. Grijalva flied out to cf. Bloomquist struck out looking. Halvorson walked; Cermak advanced to second; Beinbrink advanced to third. Arguelles pinch ran for Halvorson. Bradley out at first 1b to p. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 3 LOB.