



FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY

SPORTS INFORMATION



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MARCH 14, 1999

NO. 1 FLORIDA STATE SWEEPS VIRGINIA WITH 11-3 VICTORY

TALLAHASSEE, FL -- Right fielder Matt Diaz belted three home runs and recorded six RBI as No. 1 Florida State (19-3, 3-0 ACC) defeated Virginia, 11-3, to complete a three-game conference sweep in front 1,571 fans at Dick Howser Stadium.

Right-hander Blair Varnes (5-0) earned his fifth win of the year as he held the Cavaliers to one run on five hits. Varnes struck out five batters in six innings pitched.

Left fielder Kevin Cash ripped a career-high four hits, including a solo home run in the sixth inning. Diaz' home runs were each two-run shots in the first, third and fourth innings.

Catcher Jeremiah Klosterman joined FSU's power surge with a two-run homer in the fifth. Klosterman drove in three runs on two hits on the day.

Virginia right-hander Kevin Shrout (2-3) surrendered five runs on five hits and three walks in 2 1/3 innings pitched in the loss. Virginia falls to 8-12 and 0-3 in the ACC. Right fielder Julian Gonzalez ripped a two-run homer in the eighth inning for the Cavaliers.

Second baseman Marshall McDougall also extended his hitting streak to 13 games with three basehits in the game.

UVA	001	000	020	3	7	1
FSU	203	231	00x	11	16	2

E-Benick, Hart, Scott.

DP-FSU. LOB-UVA 8, FSU 12.

2B-Rueffert, Smith. 3B-Floyd.

HR-Gonzalez (3), Cash (6), Diaz 3 (9), Klosterman (2).

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1999 FLORIDA STATE BASEBALL

Virginia at Florida State Mar 14, 1999 at Tallahassee, FL

Virginia 3 (8-12)

Florida State 11 (19-3)

Name (Pos)	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A	Name (Pos)	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A
LaVigne, Tim ss/p	4	0	1	1	0	1	1	2	Groves, Brett ss	3	1	0	0	1	1	2	2
Stone, David dh	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Huguet, J.C. ph/c	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Baber, Billy ph	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	McDougall, Marshall 2b/3b	6	2	3	0	0	1	1	4
Marvin, Robbie 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Diaz, Matt rf	4	3	3	6	1	1	2	0
Benick, Jonathan lb	3	1	0	0	0	2	4	0	Halliday, John dh	5	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
Rueffert, Mark c	3	0	2	0	0	0	6	1	Scott, Sam 3b	3	1	0	0	1	0	1	1
Bowling, Josh c	1	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	Spano, Bobby 2b	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Gonzalez, Julian rf	4	1	2	2	0	2	1	0	Cash, Kevin lf/lb	5	2	4	1	0	1	1	0
Giraldo, Luis 3b	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	Barthelemy, Ryan lb	2	1	1	1	1	0	8	0
Street, Dan 3b	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	Futrell, Micheal ph/lf	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
Wyant, Hunter 2b/ss	3	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	Klosterman, Jeremiah c	2	1	2	3	1	0	5	0
Kalamaya, Ryan lf	3	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	Hart, Chris c/3b	1	0	0	0	0	1	5	0
Floyd, Mike cf	2	1	1	0	1	1	4	0	Smith, Chris cf	4	0	2	0	0	1	1	0
Shrout, Kevin p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	Jernigan, Karl cf	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Chapman, Denny p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Varnes, Blair p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Thomas, John p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Diaz, Zach p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hurrie, Mark p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Chavez, Chris p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
									Whidden, Chris p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.....	32	3	7	3	2	11	24	4	Totals.....	39	11	16	11	6	10	27	10

Score by innings:

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Virginia	001 000 020	- 3 7 1
Florida State	203 231 00	- 11 16 2

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CS - Groves.

SH - Floyd. SF - LaVigne, Klosterman.

Virginia	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	Florida State	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Shrout, Kevin	2.1	5	5	4	3	1	Varnes, Blair	6.0	5	1	1	0	5
Chapman, Denny	1.2	4	4	4	1	0	Diaz, Zach	1.0	1	0	0	1	2
Thomas, John	2.0	6	2	2	1	5	Chavez, Chris	1.0	1	2	1	1	3
Hurrie, Mark	1.0	0	0	0	1	3	Whidden, Chris	1.0	0	0	0	0	1
LaVigne, Tim	1.0	1	0	0	0	1							

Winner - Varnes 5-0. Loser - Shrout 2-3. Save - None.

WP - Chapman, Shrout.

HBP - by Varnes (Kalamaya), by Thomas (Groves).

Umpires - Couch, Manders, Thompson

Start: 2:08 Time: 2:47 Attendance: 1571

Game Notes:

Cash's four hits is a career-high.

ACC Records: FSU 3-0, UVA 0-3.