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SEMINOLES WIN SECOND STRAIGHT OVER YELLOW JACKETS, 14-9
No. 8 FSU scored 11 runs in the final three innings to defeat No. 5 Georgia Tech

TALLAHASSEE, FLA. – All nine Seminole starters had at least one hit as No. 8 Florida State (37-12, 5-6 ACC) won its second straight game over No. 5 Georgia Tech (32-7, 8-5 ACC) by a score of 14-9 at Dick Howser Stadium Saturday afternoon. The Seminoles scored 11 runs in their last three innings and improved their record to 9-4 against Top 10 teams. Nick Rogers went 2-for-5 with four RBI to lead FSU offensively.

Just as they did Friday night, the Yellow Jackets took an early 2-0 lead with single runs in the first and second innings. The first run came on an RBI-single by Jason Perry and Victor Menocal's sacrifice fly to center scored Clifton Remole in the second to make it 2-0.

After FSU took the lead with three runs in the fourth, Tech tied the game at four on a solo home run by Jeremy Slayden.

The Seminoles broke the tie with three runs in the bottom of the sixth. With Jerrod Brown on first after a single, Nick Rogers ripped a triple down the third base line. Mike Futrell followed with his fifth home run of the year to make it 6-3.

The Yellow Jackets answered with three runs in the seventh to tie the game once more. Wes Rynders knocked in two with a two-out double and Mike Nickeas added an RBI-single to left.

FSU broke the 6-6 tie with four runs in the bottom half of the seventh. Tony McQuade and Ryan Barthelmy singled to put runners on the corners and McQuade then scored on a double steal. Blair McCaleb knocked in Barthelmy with a single to right. After Jerrod Brown singled and Mike Futrell was beamed to load the bases, Tony Richie came through with a two-run double to left to put the Tribe up 10-6.

Tech battled back again with three more runs in the eighth to trim the lead to 10-9. Tyler Parker hit a two-run homer to right and Matthew Boggs had an RBI-single.

The Seminoles sealed the victory with four more in the bottom of the eighth. Brown was hit by a pitch with the bases loaded, Rogers had a two-run single to left, and Richie made it 14-9 with a sacrifice fly.

Robby Read (6-1) got the win in relief despite giving up three runs on four hits in one inning of work. Kevin Lynch got the final out in the eighth and pitched a scoreless ninth with two strikeouts to earn his first career save.

McQuade (2-for-4), Barthelmy (2-for-4), McCaleb (2-for-4), Brown (2-for-4), Rogers (2-for-5) and Futrell (2-for-3) had multi-hit games for Florida State.

The two teams will close out the series on Sunday at 1:00 p.m. at Dick Howser Stadium. Sophomore right-hander Marc LaMacchia (6-1) is scheduled to start on the mound for the Seminoles.

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The Automated ScoreBook
Georgia Tech at Florida State
Apr 20, 2002 at Tallahassee, FL (Dick Howser)

Georgia Tech 9 (32-7,8-5 ACC)

Florida State 14 (37-12,5-6 ACC)

Pl	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A	LOB
Eric Patterson 2b.....	6	0	2	0	0	2	1	1	1
Victor Menocal ss.....	4	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	1
Jeremy Slayden rf.....	6	3	3	1	0	2	1	0	4
Tyler Parker dh.....	3	1	2	2	1	0	0	0	0
Jason Perry lf/lb.....	4	1	3	1	0	0	2	2	0
Brandon Boggs cf/lf.....	4	2	3	0	0	0	2	0	2
Matthew Boggs 3b.....	5	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	1
Clifton Remole 1b.....	1	1	0	0	1	0	7	0	0
Wes Rynders ph/cf.....	3	1	1	2	0	0	4	0	3
Mike Nickemas c.....	4	0	1	1	1	1	6	0	0
Jeff Watchko p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brian Burks p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Drew Taylor p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Philip Perry p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Jeff Kindel p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nick Wagner p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.....	40	9	17	9	3	6	24	7	12

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A	LOB
Stephen Drew ss.....	5	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	1
Tony McQuade lf.....	4	3	2	0	1	0	3	0	0
Ryan Barthelemy 3b.....	4	3	2	0	1	0	0	2	2
Blair McCaleb dh.....	4	3	2	2	1	1	0	0	0
Jerrod Brown 1b.....	4	3	2	1	0	0	7	2	0
Nick Rogers cf.....	5	1	2	4	0	1	4	0	0
Mike Futrell rf.....	3	1	2	2	0	0	2	0	0
Richie Smith rf.....	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Tony Richie c.....	4	0	1	3	0	1	8	2	0
Scott Toole 2b.....	5	0	1	0	0	1	1	3	4
Blair Varnes p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Daniel Davidson p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Robby Read p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Kevin Lynch p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.....	38	14	15	12	4	5	27	14	7

Score by Innings	R	H	E
Georgia Tech.....	110	010	330
Florida State.....	000	303	44X

Eric Perry, J. (2). DP - Seminoles 1. LOB - Jackets 12; Seminoles 7. 2B - Patterson, E (7); Rynders, W. (5); McQuade (14); McCaleb (9); Richie (9). 3B - Rogers (2). HR - Slayden, J. (13); Parker, T. (8); Futrell (5). HBP - Menocal, V.; Parker, T.; Perry, J.; Boggs, B.; Brown; Futrell. SF - Menocal, V. (3); Richie (5). SB - McQuade (4); Barthelemy (5). CS - Parker, T. (2); Perry, J. (1).

Georgia Tech	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	AB	BF
Jeff Watchko.....	5.1	8	6	6	1	4	24	25
Brian Burks.....	1.0	3	3	3	0	1	6	6
Drew Taylor.....	0.1	1	1	1	0	0	2	3
Philip Perry.....	0.2	2	3	3	2	0	4	6
Jeff Kindel.....	0.0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1
Nick Wagner.....	0.2	1	0	0	1	0	2	4

Florida State	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	AB	BF
Blair Varnes.....	4.1	8	3	3	2	2	19	24
Daniel Davidson.....	2.1	5	3	3	1	1	11	12
Robby Read.....	1.0	4	3	3	0	1	6	7
Kevin Lynch.....	1.1	0	0	0	0	2	4	5

Win - Read (6-1). Loss - Burks, B. (6-3). Save - K. Lynch (1).
 HB - Taylor, D.; Kindel, J.; Varnes 2; Read; K. Lynch.
 Umpires - Home: A.J. Lostaglio 1st: Jack Cox 3rd: Scott Graham
 Start: 1:08 Time: 3:38 Attendance: 2610
 Game: GT2
 Game notes:
 All nine Seminole starters had at least one hit.
 Kindel, J. faced 1 batter in the 8th.