

FLORIDA STATE SOFTBALL POST GAME STORY

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10TH-RANKED SOFTBALL SEMINOLES EXTEND WIN STREAK TO 16

TALLAHASSEE- The 10th-ranked Florida State softball team improved its record to 53-11 and its win streak to 16 games as the Lady Seminoles defeated West Florida, 9-3 and 3-0, in the last regular-season home series of the 1995 season. With the losses, West Florida falls to 40-19 on the year.

Junior Renee Espinoza went the distance in game one for the Lady Seminoles, allowing three runs off three hits while striking out nine Lady Argonauts. Espinoza, who improved her record to 23-7, had a one-hitter going into the West Florida sixth as Florida State held a 3-0 lead, but UWF put an end to that. The Lady Argonauts produced two quick singles to open up the inning and then with one out, Marcy Herrera ripped a home run over the left field fence, tying the ball game at 3-3. But Florida State came storming back in the bottom of the inning, scoring six runs off seven hits. Leadoff hitter Shamalene Wilson led the way for FSU, going 3-for-4, scoring two runs and driving in four others. Kristy Hull and Cindy Lawton also went 3-for-4 at the plate, helping the Lady Seminoles to 16 hits for the ball game.

Florida State pitching held the Lady Argonauts to just one hit in game two as Kristy Fuentes and Niki Zenger combined efforts to record 10 strikeouts. Fuentes earned the victory, improving her record to 18-4 on the season. The Lady Seminoles recorded four of their eight hits in the fourth inning, as they scored all three runs. Cindy Lawton led off the inning with a double to left field and advanced to third on a Wendy Braye single to right. A double steal allowed Lawton to score as pinch-runner Kelly Schnute advanced to second and was then sacrificed to third by Laurie Shepard. Heather Feltmann, Myssi Calkins each recorded singles in the inning as well.

The Lady Seminoles will face South Florida, South Carolina and UMass at the UMass Diamond Classic, May 13-14.

1995 FLORIDA STATE SOFTBALL

West Florida vs Florida State May 03, 1995 at Lady Seminole Field

West Florida 3 (40-18)

Florida State 9 (52-11)

Name	Pos	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A
T. Clary	ss	3	0	0	0	1	1	2	0
J. Penderghe	2b	4	0	0	0	0	2	3	2
L. Roberts	dh	2	1	1	0	1	1	0	0
L. Goodhart	c	2	1	1	0	1	0	1	1
J. Foye	cf	2	0	1	0	1	0	1	0
M. Herrera	3b	3	1	1	3	0	0	1	2
C. Cook	lf	3	0	0	0	0	2	2	0
D. Sapp	lb	3	0	0	0	0	2	7	0
E. Smith	rf	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
M. Clary	p	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4

Name	Pos	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A
Wilson, S	cf	4	2	3	4	0	0	1	0
Butler, J	cf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Weltz, W	2b	3	1	2	1	0	0	0	0
Hull, K	rf	4	1	3	1	0	0	0	0
Pearson, A	rf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lawton, C	3b	4	1	3	1	0	0	0	2
Braye, W	c	3	0	1	0	1	0	9	0
Schnute, K	pr	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shepard, L	ss	4	0	1	1	0	1	5	1
Feltmann, H	lb	4	1	1	0	0	0	6	1
Molin, M	dh	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ferlita, S	ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Calkins, M	lf	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Espinoza, R	p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

Totals..... 25 3 4 3 4 9 18 9

Totals..... 32 9 16 8 1 1 21 5

Score by innings: R H E

West Florida	000	003	0	-	3	4	3
Florida State	100	206	-	9	16	1	

E - L. Goodhart 2, T. Clary, Shepard, L.

DP - West Florida 1. LOB - West Florida 5, FSU 8.

3B - Wilson, S.

HR - M. Herrera.

SB - T. Clary, Calkins, M, Molin, M, Wilson, S.

SH - Calkins, M, Weltz, W.

West Florida IP H R ER BB SO

M. Clary 6.0 16 9 7 1 1

Florida State

IP H R ER BB SO

Espinoza, R 7.0 4 3 3 4 9

Winner - Espinoza, R 23-7. Loser - M. Clary 15-8. Save - None.

Umpires - Ken Hayes, Gary Smith

Start: 4:15 PM Time: 1:51 Attendance: 124