



FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY

SPORTS INFORMATION



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FEBRUARY ²⁷~~26~~, 1998

FSU SOFTBALL SPLITS SECOND DAY AT NFCA LEADOFF CLASSIC

COLUMBUS, GA -- The 10th ranked Florida State softball team defeated #26 University of Massachusetts 4-0, but lost to #24 Cal State-Northridge 4-3 in ten innings at second day of play at the NFCA Leadoff Classic in Columbus, Ga. With the split the Seminoles move their mark to 14-4 on the season and 2-2 in tournament play.

Against UMass, pitcher Jennifer White pitching a complete game shutout and giving up six hits and walks. White, who also contributed from the plate going 2-3 including a double. Offensively, the team was led by senior starters Misty Molin and Kristy Hull. Molin was 2-4 on the contest with a team high two RBIs, a double and scored a run. Hull was also 2-4 and scored two runs in leading the Noles to victory.

In the Seminoles longest game of the season, Cal-State Northridge upset the Noles when they socred a run in the bottom of the tenth. Florida State had scored in the top of the ninth but Cal-St. responded with a run to tie the game. Pitcher Stacey Venable started the game and pitched two scoreless innings, but was relieved by Jennifer White who pitched the rest of the game giving up two earned runs on seven hits. White's record now stands at 9-4 after today's games. Florida State, which only managed seven hits, was led by leftfielder Danielle Cox who went 2-3 on the game and scored a run.

Late on Friday, the Seminoles split the opening day of tournament play. They defeated Indiana 3-2 as Stacey Venable went the distance to move to 4-0 on the season and Kelly Miller hit the first Seminole home run of the season going 1-2 with an RBI. In the second game, the Seminoles suffered their worst loss of the season losing to #7 Arizona State 6-1. Jennifer White pitched the complete game giving up five earned runs on nine hits.

Florida State will continue with bracket play on Sunday at the final day of the tournament.

FRIDAY -- FSU 3 INDIANA 2

IU 001 010 0 280

FSU 201 000 350

2B - VALENCIA, AGEE (IU) HR - MILLER (FSU)

WP - VENABLE 4-0

FRIDAY -- FSU 1 ARIZONA STATE 6

ASU 002 040 0 692

FSU 000 100 0 151

2B - POST (FSU) WP - JENNIFER WHITE 8-3

SATURDAY -- FSU 4 UMASS 0

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FSU 220 000 0 480
UM 000 000 0 061
2B - MOLIN, WHITE (FSU) WP - JENNIFER WHITE 9-3

SATURDAY -- FSU 3 CAL ST-NORTHRIDGE 4
FSU 000 200 001 0 371
CSN 001 001 001 1 481
2B - SANCHES (CSN)

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The Automated ScoreBook

INDIANA vs FLORIDA STATE FEB 27, 1998 at SC #5

ANA 2

FLORIDA STATE 3

Name (Pos)	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A
GOOD cf.....	4	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
VALENCIA ss.....	4	0	2	0	0	1	0	5
ARMENDAREZ 3b.....	3	0	2	2	1	1	2	3
PULLON lf.....	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
GAYER c.....	3	0	1	0	0	0	2	1
BOYD 2b.....	2	0	0	0	0	1	6	1
DEL TORO ph.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MARTINEZ p.....	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	1
ZANASKY 1b.....	2	1	0	0	1	0	6	1
AGEE dh.....	3	1	2	0	0	1	0	0
MEER rf.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Totals.....	28	2	8	2	2	7	18	13

Score by innings: R H E

INDIANA	001 010 0	- 2 8 0
FLORIDA STATE	201 000	- 3 5 0

LOB - HOOSIERS 8, SEMINOLES 6.

2B - VALENCIA, AGEE.

HR - MILLER.

SB - AGEE.

SH - DEL TORO, POST.

INDIANA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	AB	BF
MARTINEZ.....	5.0	5	3	3	4	1	21	27

Winner - VENABLE. Loser - MARTINEZ. Save - None.

HBP - by MARTINEZ (BAILEY).

Umpires -

Start: 6:00PM Time: 2:20 Attendance:

Name (Pos)	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A
HULL, KRISTY c.....	3	0	1	0	0	0	8	0
MOLIN, MISTY rf.....	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
CERRECHES, CHRISTY 2b.....	2	2	1	0	1	0	3	2
MILLER, KELLY 1b.....	2	1	1	1	1	0	6	1
MCGREGOR, JESSE ss.....	3	0	1	1	0	0	1	2
WILLIAMS, CORRIE dh.....	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
COX, DANIELLE lf.....	3	0	1	0	0	0	2	0
POST, TAMI 3b.....	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EDENFIELD, TERESA ph.....	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
BAILEY, DANA cf.....	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VENABLE, STACY p.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Totals.....	21	3	5	2	4	1	21	6

FLORIDA STATE	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	AB	BF
VENABLE, STACY.....	7.0	8	2	2	2	7	28	31