

Samford (25-12, 9-1 SoCon) -vs- Western Carolina (20-15, 5-5 SoCon)
4/19/2024 at Cullowhee, N.C. (Hennon Stadium)

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Samford	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	1	6	10	1
Western Carolina	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	4	7	1

Samford 6

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
Garrett Staton 3b	3	2	2	1	2	1	0
Garrett Howe ss	4	0	1	0	1	1	1
John Anderson 2b	4	0	0	1	0	1	2
Andrew Bennett rf	3	0	1	0	2	1	0
Hayden Perry dh	5	0	0	0	0	2	4
Aaron Walton cf	3	2	2	1	1	0	0
Lucas Steele c	4	1	1	2	0	0	1
Josh Rodriguez lf	4	1	2	0	0	1	0
Jackson Harris 1b	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
Michael Ross p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Evan Steckmesser p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carson Lore p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	6	10	5	6	7	8

2B: Aaron Walton (1); Josh Rodriguez (1)
HR: Garrett Staton (1); Aaron Walton (1); Lucas Steele (1)
SF: John Anderson (1)
SB: Garrett Staton (1); Garrett Howe (1); Andrew Bennett (1)
E: Garrett Staton (1)

Western Carolina 4

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
Kyle Riesselmann cf	5	0	0	0	0	2	2
Trent Turner ss	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nate Stocum lf	4	1	2	1	0	1	0
James Hinson 1b	2	0	0	0	1	2	1
Jack Spyke ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hayden Frieze rf	4	1	0	0	0	1	0
Drew Needham dh	2	0	1	0	0	1	1
Tafton Hensley ph	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
Zach Ketterman 2b	4	1	2	3	0	1	0
Mason Holton 3b	4	0	0	0	0	3	1
Kyle Harbison c	4	0	1	0	0	1	1
Gavin Mortenson p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cole Beverlin p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carson Lowder p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ryan White p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	4	7	4	1	12	6

2B: Nate Stocum (1); Drew Needham (1)
HR: Nate Stocum (1); Zach Ketterman (1)
SB: Zach Ketterman (1)
HBP: Drew Needham (1)
E: Kyle Harbison (1)
DP: 2

Samford	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
Michael Ross (W, 9-0)	7.0	4	1	1	1	9	0	0	1	0	25	27	9	3	114
Evan Steckmesser	1.1	2	3	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	7	7	1	2	29
Carson Lore (S, 5)	0.2	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	11
Totals		7	4	3	1	12	0	0	1	0	35	37	10	5	154

Western Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
Gavin Mortenson (L, 2-3)	6.0	7	3	3	2	5	0	0	0	0	23	25	5	6	91
Cole Beverlin	0.1	1	1	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	2	4	1	0	18
Carson Lowder	0.2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	1	0	11
Ryan White	2.0	2	2	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	8	9	2	3	40
Totals		10	6	5	6	7	2	0	0	0	34	41	9	9	160

Win: Michael Ross (9-0)
Loss: Gavin Mortenson (2-3)
Save: Carson Lore (5)
HBP: Michael Ross
PB: None

Umpires: Home Plate: Perry Ramicone First: Matthew Cerimele Third Base: David Epperson
Start: 5:05 pm Time: 2:47 Attendance: 602 Weather: Partly cloudy, warm - high 70s

Play By Play

Samford - Top of 1st		SAM	WCU
No play.		0	0
Staton homered to left field, RBI (0-1).		1	0
Howe singled to right field (2-2).		1	0
Anderson struck out swinging, hit into double play c to 2b (3-2); Howe out on the play.		1	0
Bennett struck out looking (3-2).		1	0
Runs: 1 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0			
Western Carolina - Bottom of 1st		SAM	WCU
Riesselmann fouled out to 1b (1-2).		1	0
Turner popped up to ss (3-2).		1	0
Stocum doubled to left center (2-2).		1	0
Hinson struck out swinging (1-2).		1	0
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1			
Samford - Top of 2nd		SAM	WCU
Perry flied out to cf (0-0).		1	0
Walton grounded out to 3b (2-0).		1	0
Steele grounded out to 1b unassisted (0-0).		1	0
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0			
Western Carolina - Bottom of 2nd		SAM	WCU
Friese flied out to rf (0-0).		1	0
Needham doubled to right field (1-1).		1	0
Ketterman flied out to cf (1-1); Needham advanced to third.		1	0
Holton struck out swinging (1-2).		1	0
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1			
Samford - Top of 3rd		SAM	WCU
Rodriguez doubled to left field (1-0).		1	0
Harris popped up to 2b (3-2).		1	0
Staton struck out swinging (2-2).		1	0
Howe grounded out to 2b (0-0).		1	0
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1			
Western Carolina - Bottom of 3rd		SAM	WCU
Harbison grounded out to ss (2-2).		1	0
Riesselmann struck out looking (3-2).		1	0
Turner popped up to 2b (0-0).		1	0
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0			
Samford - Top of 4th		SAM	WCU
Anderson lined out to 3b (0-0).		1	0
Bennett grounded out to 2b (0-0).		1	0
Perry struck out swinging (2-2).		1	0
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0			
Western Carolina - Bottom of 4th		SAM	WCU
Stocum flied out to cf (3-2).		1	0
Hinson walked (3-2).		1	0
Friese fouled out to 1b (2-1).		1	0
Needham struck out swinging (3-2).		1	0
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1			
Samford - Top of 5th		SAM	WCU
Walton doubled down the 3b line (1-2).		1	0
Steele homered to center field, 2 RBI (0-2); Walton scored.		3	0

Rodriguez struck out swinging (3-2).	3	0
Harris singled through the right side (0-0).	3	0
Staton walked (3-2); Harris advanced to second.	3	0
Howe flied out to rf (3-2); Staton advanced to second; Harris advanced to third.	3	0
Anderson grounded out to ss (1-1).	3	0
Runs: 2 Hits: 3 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2		

Western Carolina - Bottom of 5th	SAM	WCU
Ketterman singled through the right side (2-2).	3	0
Holton popped up to 2b (1-1).	3	0
Harbison struck out looking (0-2).	3	0
Ketterman stole second.	3	0
Riesselmann grounded out to p (1-0).	3	0
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Samford - Top of 6th	SAM	WCU
Bennett singled to left center (1-0).	3	0
Perry grounded into double play 3b to 2b to 1b (0-2); Bennett out on the play.	3	0
Walton walked (3-2).	3	0
Steele flied out to lf (1-2).	3	0
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Western Carolina - Bottom of 6th	SAM	WCU
Turner flied out to cf (0-0).	3	0
Stocum homered to right center, RBI (2-1).	3	1
Hinson struck out swinging (1-2).	3	1
Friese struck out swinging (1-2).	3	1
Runs: 1 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0		

Samford - Top of 7th	SAM	WCU
Beverlin to p for Mortenson.	3	1
Rodriguez singled to shortstop (0-2).	3	1
Harris flied out to lf (0-2).	3	1
Staton walked (3-1); Rodriguez advanced to second.	3	1
Staton advanced to second on a wild pitch; Rodriguez advanced to third on a wild pitch.	3	1
Howe walked (3-0).	3	1
Lowder to p for Beverlin.	3	1
Anderson flied out to rf, SAC, RBI (0-0); Staton advanced to third; Rodriguez scored.	4	1
Howe stole second.	4	1
Bennett walked (3-2).	4	1
Perry struck out swinging (0-2).	4	1
Runs: 1 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 3		

Western Carolina - Bottom of 7th	SAM	WCU
Needham hit by pitch (0-0).	4	1
Ketterman struck out swinging (3-2).	4	1
Holton struck out swinging (1-2).	4	1
Harbison grounded out to 2b (3-1).	4	1
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Samford - Top of 8th	SAM	WCU
White to p for Lowder.	4	1
Walton homered to right center, RBI (2-2).	5	1
Steele grounded out to 3b (3-1).	5	1
Rodriguez grounded out to ss (1-1).	5	1
Harris grounded out to 1b unassisted (0-2).	5	1
Runs: 1 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0		

Western Carolina - Bottom of 8th	SAM	WCU
Steckmesser to p for Ross.	5	1

Riesselmann flied out to cf to left center (3-1).	5	1
Turner grounded out to ss (1-1).	5	1
Stocum struck out swinging (3-2).	5	1
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0		

Samford - Top of 9th	SAM	WCU
Staton singled to third base (3-2).	5	1
Howe struck out swinging (1-2).	5	1
Anderson flied out to lf (0-0).	5	1
Staton advanced to second on a wild pitch.	5	1
Bennett walked (3-2).	5	1
Bennett stole second, advanced to third; Staton stole third, scored on a throwing error by c, unearned.	6	1
Perry popped up to 2b (2-2).	6	1
Runs: 1 Hits: 1 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 1		

Western Carolina - Bottom of 9th	SAM	WCU
Spyke pinch hit for Hinson.	6	1
Spyke reached on a fielding error by 3b (3-2).	6	1
Friese reached on a fielder's choice (0-1); Spyke out at second ss to 2b.	6	1
Hensley pinch hit for Needham.	6	1
Hensley singled up the middle (2-1); Friese advanced to second.	6	1
Ketterman homered down the rf line, 3 RBI (1-1); Hensley scored; Friese scored, unearned.	6	4
Lore to p for Steckmesser.	6	4
Holton struck out swinging (3-2).	6	4
Harbison singled up the middle (1-0).	6	4
Riesselmann struck out swinging (0-2).	6	4
Runs: 3 Hits: 3 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 1		