

Villanova (20-19, 4-7 BIG EAST) -vs- Creighton (27-12, 8-3 BIG EAST)
4/26/2025 at Omaha, Neb. (Charles Schwab Field)

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Villanova	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	9	0
Creighton	2	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	X	6	11	0

Villanova 3

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
LEMON, Austin cf	5	1	2	1	0	2	1
FREITAG, John dh	3	0	1	0	1	2	1
SOLARI, Shane pr	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VALDEZ, Josue ph	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
WHOOLEY, Michael ss	5	1	2	0	0	1	0
NEFF, Jason c	1	0	0	0	2	1	0
LEONARD, Brayden 2b	4	0	1	2	0	1	1
QUINTANO, Collin 1b	4	0	0	0	0	1	5
MCELROY, Jake rf	4	1	1	0	0	0	0
SHAW, Tyler 3b	3	0	1	0	0	0	0
MONTGOMERY, Jojo lf	4	0	1	0	0	0	1
FRANCIS, Jake p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PODGORSKI, JP p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TURZAI, Stephen p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	3	9	3	3	9	9

SH: NEFF, Jason (1); SHAW, Tyler (1)

Creighton 6

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
Tate Gillen cf	3	0	1	0	2	1	1
Matt Scherrman 3b	5	1	1	0	0	2	2
Nolan Sailors lf	4	1	1	1	1	1	3
Ben North ss	5	0	1	0	0	2	0
Will MacLean 1b	4	1	2	1	1	0	2
Connor Capece c	4	1	1	0	0	0	1
Teddy Deters rf	3	1	2	2	1	0	0
Kyle Hess 2b	2	0	0	0	1	1	2
Nate McHugh dh	4	1	2	2	0	0	0
Jack Pineau p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Matthew Aukerman p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jimmy Burke p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	6	11	6	6	7	11

2B: Will MacLean (1); Connor Capece (1); Teddy Deters (1)
3B: Nolan Sailors (1); Teddy Deters (1)
HR: Nate McHugh (1)
CS: Kyle Hess (1)
HBP: Kyle Hess (1)

Villanova	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
FRANCIS, Jake (L, 5-2)	4.0	9	4	4	4	1	1	0	0	0	21	25	7	4	88
PODGORSKI, JP	2.2	2	2	2	2	3	0	0	1	0	9	12	0	4	49
TURZAI, Stephen	1.1	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	4	4	1	0	14
Totals		11	6	6	6	7	1	0	1	0	34	41	8	8	151

Creighton	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
Jack Pineau (W, 2-0)	6.0	8	3	3	2	6	0	0	0	0	24	28	3	9	84
Matthew Aukerman	1.0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	3	4	1	0	22
Jimmy Burke (S, 1)	2.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	7	7	4	1	26
Totals		9	3	3	3	9	1	0	0	0	34	39	8	10	132

Win: Jack Pineau (2-0)
Loss: FRANCIS, Jake (5-2)
Save: Jimmy Burke (1)
HBP: PODGORSKI, JP
PB: None

Umpires: Home Plate: Steven Craze First: Aaron Christians Third Base: Bill McGuire
Start: 6:04 pm Time: 2:51 Attendance: 2,788 Weather: 62-Clear-W:6 MPH SSE-H:60%

Game notes:
- FRANCIS, J faced 2 batters in the 5th.

Play By Play

Villanova - Top of 1st	VU	CU
No play.	0	0
LEMON, A singled up the middle (0-0).	0	0
FREITAG, J singled through the left side (0-0); LEMON, A advanced to second.	0	0
WHOOLEY, M struck out looking (1-2 KFBK).	0	0
NEFF, J walked (3-2 SFBBBB); FREITAG, J advanced to second; LEMON, A advanced to third.	0	0
LEONARD, B reached on a fielder's choice to second base, RBI (1-1 BF); NEFF, J out at second 2b to ss; FREITAG, J advanced to third; LEMON, A scored.	1	0
Initially called interference, the call on the field was overturned to FC.	1	0
QUINTANO, C grounded out to 3b (0-0).	1	0
Runs: 1 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2		

Creighton - Bottom of 1st	VU	CU
Gillen, T. singled to center field (1-0 B).	1	0
Scherrman, M reached on a fielder's choice to second base (0-2 KS); Gillen, T. out at second 2b to ss.	1	0
Sailors, N. tripled down the rf line, RBI (1-0 B); Scherrman, M scored.	1	1
North, B. struck out swinging (2-2 SKBBFS).	1	1
MacLean, W. doubled down the rf line, RBI (0-0); Sailors, N. scored.	1	2
Capece, C. grounded out to ss (2-2 BFKB); MacLean, W. advanced to third.	1	2
Runs: 2 Hits: 3 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Villanova - Top of 2nd	VU	CU
MCELROY, J grounded out to 1b unassisted (1-1 BK).	1	2
SHAW, T flied out to cf (0-1 K).	1	2
MONTGOMERY grounded out to ss (0-2 KK).	1	2
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0		

Creighton - Bottom of 2nd	VU	CU
Deters, T. flied out to rf (3-0 BBB).	1	2
Hess, K. walked (3-2 BKFBBB).	1	2
McHugh, N. flied out to rf (0-1 K).	1	2
Gillen, T. walked (3-0 BBBB); Hess, K. advanced to second.	1	2
Scherrman, M singled to third base (0-1 K); Gillen, T. advanced to second; Hess, K. advanced to third.	1	2
Sailors, N. grounded out to p (0-0).	1	2
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 3		

Villanova - Top of 3rd	VU	CU
LEMON, A struck out looking (3-2 BKFBBK).	1	2
FREITAG, J struck out looking (0-2 KKK).	1	2
WHOOLEY, M singled to right field (0-0).	1	2
NEFF, J walked (3-1 SBBBB); WHOOLEY, M advanced to second.	1	2
LEONARD, B singled to left field, RBI (0-0); NEFF, J advanced to second; WHOOLEY, M scored.	2	2
QUINTANO, C struck out swinging (2-2 KBBFS).	2	2
Runs: 1 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2		

Creighton - Bottom of 3rd	VU	CU
North, B. popped up to cf (1-1 KB).	2	2
MacLean, W. singled to right center (2-2 KBFB).	2	2
Capece, C. flied out to rf (0-2 KF).	2	2
MacLean, W. advanced to second on a wild pitch.	2	2
Deters, T. walked (3-2 KBBBKB).	2	2
Hess, K. flied out to rf (2-1 BSB).	2	2
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2		

Villanova - Top of 4th	VU	CU
MCELROY, J singled to center field (0-1 F).	2	2
SHAW, T grounded out to p, SAC, bunt (0-0); MCELROY, J advanced to second.	2	2
MONTGOMERY grounded out to 2b (1-1 FB); MCELROY, J advanced to third.	2	2

LEMON, A singled down the lf line, RBI (0-1 F); MCELROY, J scored.
FREITAG, J struck out looking (1-2 KKFBK).

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Runs: 1 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1

Creighton - Bottom of 4th

McHugh, N. homered to left center, RBI (0-2 KKF).
Gillen, T. popped up to lf down the lf line (1-1 BF).
Scherrman, M grounded out to ss (3-2 BBKBF).
Sailors, N. walked (3-2 FBFBFB).
North, B. singled up the middle (0-0); Sailors, N. advanced to third.
MacLean, W. fouled out to rf (0-0).

	VU	CU
McHugh, N. homered to left center, RBI (0-2 KKF).	3	3
Gillen, T. popped up to lf down the lf line (1-1 BF).	3	3
Scherrman, M grounded out to ss (3-2 BBKBF).	3	3
Sailors, N. walked (3-2 FBFBFB).	3	3
North, B. singled up the middle (0-0); Sailors, N. advanced to third.	3	3
MacLean, W. fouled out to rf (0-0).	3	3
Runs: 1 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2		

Villanova - Top of 5th

WHOOLEY, M singled to third base (1-2 BKF).
NEFF, J grounded out to p, SAC, bunt (0-0); WHOOLEY, M advanced to second.
LEONARD, B fouled out to c (0-0).
QUINTANO, C grounded out to ss (0-1 K).

	VU	CU
WHOOLEY, M singled to third base (1-2 BKF).	3	3
NEFF, J grounded out to p, SAC, bunt (0-0); WHOOLEY, M advanced to second.	3	3
LEONARD, B fouled out to c (0-0).	3	3
QUINTANO, C grounded out to ss (0-1 K).	3	3
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Creighton - Bottom of 5th

Capece, C. doubled to right center (2-1 BKB).
Deters, T. tripled down the rf line, RBI (0-2 FK); Capece, C. scored.
PODGORSKI, J to p for FRANCIS, J.
Hess, K. hit by pitch (0-1 K).
Hess, K. out at second c to ss, caught stealing.
McHugh, N. grounded out to p (2-2 KBBF).
Gillen, T. struck out looking (3-2 BBBKFK).

	VU	CU
Capece, C. doubled to right center (2-1 BKB).	3	3
Deters, T. tripled down the rf line, RBI (0-2 FK); Capece, C. scored.	3	4
PODGORSKI, J to p for FRANCIS, J.	3	4
Hess, K. hit by pitch (0-1 K).	3	4
Hess, K. out at second c to ss, caught stealing.	3	4
McHugh, N. grounded out to p (2-2 KBBF).	3	4
Gillen, T. struck out looking (3-2 BBBKFK).	3	4
Runs: 1 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Villanova - Top of 6th

MCELROY, J flied out to cf (1-1 KB).
SHAW, T grounded out to ss (2-2 BKBFF).
MONTGOMERY singled up the middle (1-1 FB).
LEMON, A struck out looking (3-2 KBBBKF).

	VU	CU
MCELROY, J flied out to cf (1-1 KB).	3	4
SHAW, T grounded out to ss (2-2 BKBFF).	3	4
MONTGOMERY singled up the middle (1-1 FB).	3	4
LEMON, A struck out looking (3-2 KBBBKF).	3	4
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Creighton - Bottom of 6th

Scherrman, M struck out swinging (1-2 KBKS).
Sailors, N. grounded out to ss (0-1 K).
North, B. grounded out to ss (2-1 BBF).

	VU	CU
Scherrman, M struck out swinging (1-2 KBKS).	3	4
Sailors, N. grounded out to ss (0-1 K).	3	4
North, B. grounded out to ss (2-1 BBF).	3	4
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0		

Villanova - Top of 7th

Aukerman, M. to p for Pineau, J..
FREITAG, J walked (3-0 BBBB).
SOLARI, S pinch ran for FREITAG, J.
WHOOLEY, M flied out to rf (3-2 SSFFBBB).
NEFF, J struck out swinging (1-2 BSKS); SOLARI, S advanced to second on a wild pitch.
LEONARD, B struck out swinging (3-2 BSBSBS).

	VU	CU
Aukerman, M. to p for Pineau, J..	3	4
FREITAG, J walked (3-0 BBBB).	3	4
SOLARI, S pinch ran for FREITAG, J.	3	4
WHOOLEY, M flied out to rf (3-2 SSFFBBB).	3	4
NEFF, J struck out swinging (1-2 BSKS); SOLARI, S advanced to second on a wild pitch.	3	4
LEONARD, B struck out swinging (3-2 BSBSBS).	3	4
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Creighton - Bottom of 7th

MacLean, W. walked (3-2 KBFBBB).
Capece, C. grounded out to p (1-2 SBF); MacLean, W. advanced to second.
Deters, T. doubled down the lf line, RBI (3-1 BFBB); MacLean, W. scored.
Hess, K. struck out swinging (2-2 BKSBS).
McHugh, N. singled up the middle, RBI (0-1 K); Deters, T. scored.
Gillen, T. walked (3-0 BBBB); McHugh, N. advanced to second.
TURZAI, S to p for PODGORSKI, J.

	VU	CU
MacLean, W. walked (3-2 KBFBBB).	3	4
Capece, C. grounded out to p (1-2 SBF); MacLean, W. advanced to second.	3	4
Deters, T. doubled down the lf line, RBI (3-1 BFBB); MacLean, W. scored.	3	5
Hess, K. struck out swinging (2-2 BKSBS).	3	5
McHugh, N. singled up the middle, RBI (0-1 K); Deters, T. scored.	3	6
Gillen, T. walked (3-0 BBBB); McHugh, N. advanced to second.	3	6
TURZAI, S to p for PODGORSKI, J.	3	6

Scherrman, M struck out swinging (3-2 BBKBKS).

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Runs: 2 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2

Villanova - Top of 8th

	VU	CU
Burke, J. to p for Aukerman, M..	3	6
QUINTANO, C grounded out to ss (1-2 BFFF).	3	6
MCELROY, J flied out to cf (2-1 BBK).	3	6
SHAW, T singled to center field (1-1 KB).	3	6
MONTGOMERY lined out to 1b (0-0).	3	6
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Creighton - Bottom of 8th

	VU	CU
Sailors, N. struck out swinging (0-2 SKS).	3	6
North, B. struck out swinging (0-2 KKS).	3	6
MacLean, W. flied out to lf to left center (1-0 B).	3	6
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0		

Villanova - Top of 9th

	VU	CU
LEMON, A lined out to ss (3-2 BBBKFF).	3	6
VALDEZ, J pinch hit for SOLARI, S.	3	6
VALDEZ, J struck out swinging (1-2 KKBS).	3	6
WHOOLEY, M lined out to 3b (0-1 K).	3	6
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0		

Creighton - Bottom of 9th

VU CU
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0