

Howard (26-17, 20-1 MEAC) -vs- Norfolk State (21-21, 14-7 MEAC)
4/27/2025 at Norfolk, Va. (NSU Softball Field)

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	R	H	E
Howard	2	0	1	6	8	17	16	0
Norfolk State	0	0	4	0	0	4	6	6

Howard 17

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
HIGA,Kenna 3b	4	3	2	0	0	0	1
JONES,Lauryn cf	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
FINLEY,Bria ph/cf	1	2	1	1	1	0	0
VASQUEZ,Alyssa 1b	3	2	3	3	1	0	0
COLBERT,Wisdom pr	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
CASTILLE,Cheyenne 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HART,Merci c/ph	3	2	2	3	1	0	0
DOSS,Zafirah c	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FLETCHER,Sidney ss	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
MARTINEZ,Bri 2b	3	3	2	2	1	0	1
RIGGINS,Angel rf	3	1	1	0	0	0	0
BALLENGER,Ameenah dh/p	3	1	1	1	0	0	1
QUINONEZ,Payton ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
RICKS, Lealani lf	2	1	2	1	1	0	0
GONZALES,Mia p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
THORTON,Morgan p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	17	16	11	5	0	3

2B: HIGA,Kenna (1); VASQUEZ,Alyssa (2); FLETCHER,Sidney (1); MARTINEZ,Bri (1)
3B: MARTINEZ,Bri (1)
HR: HART,Merci (1)
SH: JONES,Lauryn (1); RIGGINS,Angel (1)
SB: MARTINEZ,Bri (1); RIGGINS,Angel (2); RICKS, Lealani (1)
CS: VASQUEZ,Alyssa (1)

Norfolk State 4

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
Q.Edmonds ss	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
L.Sheehan cf	2	1	1	0	1	0	0
E.Sandoval dh	2	1	2	0	0	0	0
K.Bryant p/rf	3	1	1	1	0	0	1
E.Shorts 2b	2	1	0	0	0	1	2
K.Turner 3b	2	0	0	1	1	0	0
B.Riddick c	3	0	2	1	0	1	0
M.Jonhson 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S.Drozda ph/1b	1	0	0	1	2	0	1
V.Taylor lf	3	0	0	0	0	2	4
K.Refour rf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
E.Zieg p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A.McPerson p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.Henderson p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M.Morris p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	21	4	6	4	4	4	8

2B: E.Sandoval (1); K.Bryant (1); B.Riddick (1)
SB: L.Sheehan (1); S.Drozda (1)
HBP: E.Sandoval (1); E.Shorts (1)
E: Q.Edmonds (2); L.Sheehan (1); K.Turner (2); B.Riddick (1)
DP: 2

Howard	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
GONZALES,Mia	2.2	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	10	11	1	7	-
THORTON,Morgan	0.0	1	3	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	3	0	0	-
BALLENGER,Ameenah (W, 9-5)	2.1	3	0	0	3	4	0	0	0	0	10	13	1	2	-
Totals		6	4	4	4	4	0	0	2	0	21	27	2	9	

Norfolk State	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
K.Bryant	3.0	5	4	3	2	0	1	0	0	0	12	15	5	1	-
E.Zieg (L, 0-1)	0.2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	1	0	-
A.McPerson	0.0	2	3	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	-
J.Henderson	0.2	5	6	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	8	1	1	-
M.Morris	0.2	2	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	4	5	2	0	-
Totals		16	17	10	5	0	3	0	0	0	28	35	9	2	

Win: BALLENGER,Ameenah (9-5)
Loss: E.Zieg (0-1)
HBP: THORTON,Morgan
PB: None

Start: 12 PM **Time:** 2:10 **Attendance:** 97 **Weather:** 62 degrees, partly cloudy

Game notes:

- THORNTON,M. faced 3 batters in the 3rd.
- K.Bryant faced 1 batter in the 4th.
- A.McPerson faced 3 batters in the 4th.

Play By Play

Howard - Top of 1st	HOW	NSU
HIGA,K. reached on a fielding error by 3b.	0	0
JONES,L. singled to pitcher, SAC, bunt; HIGA,K. advanced to second.	0	0
JONES,L. advanced to second; HIGA,K. advanced to third on a wild pitch.	0	0
VASQUEZ,A. singled to shortstop, RBI; JONES,L. advanced to third; HIGA,K. scored, unearned.	1	0
VASQUEZ,A. out at second c to 2b, caught stealing; JONES,L. scored on the throw.	2	0
HART,M. popped up to ss.	2	0
FLETCHER,S. doubled, advanced to third on a fielding error by 3b.	2	0
MARTINEZ,B. flied out to cf.	2	0
Runs: 2 Hits: 3 Errors: 2 Left On Base: 1		

Norfolk State - Bottom of 1st	HOW	NSU
Q.Edmonds popped up to ss.	2	0
L.Sheehan grounded out to ss.	2	0
E.Sandoval singled to right field.	2	0
K.Bryant grounded out to p.	2	0
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Howard - Top of 2nd	HOW	NSU
RIGGINS,A. reached on a fielding error by ss.	2	0
BALLENGER,A. popped into double play p to 1b, bunt; RIGGINS,A. out on the play.	2	0
RICKS,L. walked.	2	0
RICKS,L. stole second.	2	0
HIGA,K. flied out to ss.	2	0
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 1		

Norfolk State - Bottom of 2nd	HOW	NSU
E.Shorts grounded out to 3b.	2	0
K.Turner grounded out to p.	2	0
B.Riddick doubled to right center.	2	0
S.Drozda pinch hit for M.Jonhson.	2	0
S.Drozda grounded out to 3b.	2	0
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Howard - Top of 3rd	HOW	NSU
S.Drozda to 1b.	2	0
JONES,L. grounded out to p, bunt.	2	0
VASQUEZ,A. doubled to left center.	2	0
COLBERT,W. pinch ran for VASQUEZ,A..	2	0
HART,M. singled through the right side, RBI; COLBERT,W. scored.	3	0
FLETCHER,S. lined into double play 2b to 1b; HART,M. out on the play.	3	0
Runs: 1 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0		

Norfolk State - Bottom of 3rd	HOW	NSU
VASQUEZ,A. to 1b for COLBERT,W..	3	0
V.Taylor grounded out to 3b.	3	0
Q.Edmonds grounded out to 1b unassisted.	3	0
L.Sheehan walked.	3	0
L.Sheehan stole second.	3	0
THORNTON,M. to p for GONZALES,M..	3	0
E.Sandoval hit by pitch.	3	0
K.Bryant doubled to left center, RBI; E.Sandoval advanced to third; L.Sheehan scored.	3	1
E.Shorts hit by pitch.	3	1
BALLENGER,A. to p.	3	1
/ for THORNTON,M..	3	1
K.Turner walked, RBI; E.Shorts advanced to second; K.Bryant advanced to third; E.Sandoval scored.	3	2
B.Riddick singled to left field, RBI; K.Turner advanced to second; E.Shorts advanced to third; K.Bryant scored.	3	3

S.Drozda walked, RBI; B.Riddick advanced to second; K.Turner advanced to third; E.Shorts scored.	3	4
V.Taylor struck out swinging.	3	4
Runs: 4 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 3		

Howard - Top of 4th	HOW	NSU
MARTINEZ,B. walked.	3	4
K.Bryant to rf.	3	4
E.Zieg to p for K.Refour.	3	4
MARTINEZ,B. stole second.	3	4
RIGGINS,A. reached on a fielding error by ss; MARTINEZ,B. scored.	4	4
QUINONEZ,P. pinch hit for BALLENGER,A..	4	4
RIGGINS,A. stole second.	4	4
QUINONEZ,P. popped up to ss.	4	4
RIGGINS,A. stole third.	4	4
RICKS,L. singled up the middle, RBI; RIGGINS,A. scored, unearned.	5	4
HIGA,K. doubled, advanced to third on the throw; RICKS,L. advanced to third, out at third lf to c to 3b.	5	4
A.McPerson to p for E.Zieg.	5	4
FINLEY,B. pinch hit for JONES,L..	5	4
FINLEY,B. walked.	5	4
FINLEY,B. advanced to second; HIGA,K. scored on a wild pitch, unearned.	6	4
VASQUEZ,A. doubled to center field, RBI; FINLEY,B. scored.	7	4
HART,M. homered to left field, 2 RBI; VASQUEZ,A. scored.	9	4
J.Henderson to p for A.McPerson.	9	4
FLETCHER,S. popped up to ss.	9	4
Runs: 6 Hits: 4 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 0		

Norfolk State - Bottom of 4th	HOW	NSU
FINLEY,B. to cf.	9	4
BALLENGER,A. to p for QUINONEZ,P..	9	4
Q.Edmonds grounded out to 1b unassisted.	9	4
DOSS,Z. to c for HART,M..	9	4
L.Sheehan singled to center field.	9	4
E.Sandoval doubled to right center; L.Sheehan advanced to third.	9	4
K.Bryant flied out to rf.	9	4
E.Shorts struck out looking.	9	4
Runs: 0 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2		

Howard - Top of 5th	HOW	NSU
MARTINEZ,B. doubled to left field.	9	4
RIGGINS,A. out at first p to 2b, SAC, bunt; MARTINEZ,B. advanced to third.	9	4
BALLENGER,A. singled to pitcher, RBI; MARTINEZ,B. scored.	10	4
RICKS,L. singled to pitcher, bunt; BALLENGER,A. advanced to second.	10	4
HIGA,K. singled to right field; RICKS,L. advanced to second; BALLENGER,A. advanced to third.	10	4
FINLEY,B. singled through the right side, RBI; HIGA,K. advanced to second; RICKS,L. advanced to third; BALLENGER,A. scored.	11	4
VASQUEZ,A. walked, RBI; FINLEY,B. advanced to second; HIGA,K. advanced to third; RICKS,L. scored.	12	4
M.Morris to p for J.Henderson.	12	4
HART,M. pinch hit for DOSS,Z..	12	4
VASQUEZ,A. advanced to second on the throw; FINLEY,B. advanced to third on the throw; HIGA,K. scored on a throwing error by c, unearned.	13	4
HART,M. walked.	13	4
FLETCHER,S. popped up to 1b.	13	4
HART,M. advanced to second; VASQUEZ,A. advanced to third; FINLEY,B. scored on a wild pitch, unearned.	14	4
MARTINEZ,B. tripled to right field, scored on a throwing error by cf, 2 RBI; HART,M. scored, unearned; VASQUEZ,A. scored, unearned.	17	4
RIGGINS,A. singled to right center.	17	4
BALLENGER,A. popped up to ss.	17	4
Runs: 8 Hits: 7 Errors: 2 Left On Base: 1		

Norfolk State - Bottom of 5th	HOW	NSU
HART,M. to c.	17	4
CASTILLE,C. to 1b for VASQUEZ,A..	17	4

K.Turner grounded out to ss.	17	4
B.Riddick struck out swinging.	17	4
S.Drozda walked.	17	4
V.Taylor struck out looking; S.Drozda stole second.	17	4
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		