

Knox (5-30) -vs- Illinois Col. (22-14)
4/25/2026 at Jacksonville, Ill. (Joe Brooks Field)

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	R	H	E
Knox	1	0	0	3	0	2	0	6	8	3
Illinois Col.	6	2	2	7	4	0	X	21	19	1

Knox 6

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
Luke Mathieu lf	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
Luke Simpson lf	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
Hayden Derlein ss	4	1	1	0	0	1	1
Nicholas Nitti dh	4	0	1	0	0	1	2
Clayton Rice 3b	3	0	1	0	1	2	0
Aidan McMurtrie 2b	3	0	0	1	0	0	0
Aiden Mersinger 2b	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Buckie Zamora 1b	0	1	0	0	2	0	0
Seth Baumann 1b	1	1	0	0	1	1	0
Tyler Thiem cf	2	2	1	0	1	1	3
Tyler Kemp rf	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
Caysen Bamford rf	2	0	1	1	0	0	2
Owen Shannon c	2	0	1	1	1	0	0
Jeff Ripka p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jake Baker p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brady Bertrand p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cesar Hernandez p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Miles Hoops p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lucas Fuji p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	27	6	8	4	6	8	8

SH: Luke Mathieu (1)
HBP: Tyler Thiem (1)
E: Clayton Rice (2); Aiden Mersinger (1)
DP: 1

Illinois Col. 21

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
Nathan Walker rf	5	4	3	3	1	0	1
Tyler Barker lf	3	3	1	2	2	0	0
Brayden Rhoads lf	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Ketch Mills 1b	4	4	3	6	1	0	0
Jacob Mishkin 1b	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Nicholas Muskopf ss	4	3	2	0	1	1	1
Nolan Decker 3b	2	1	1	1	1	0	1
Sam Hulvey 3b	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
Ethan Klunk dh	2	0	0	1	2	0	0
Adam Turner dh	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Logan Fleener cf	4	2	3	2	0	0	0
Nick Williams cf	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Alex Loman c	4	2	2	1	0	1	4
Sean Raffa c	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Dalton Strode 2b	4	2	2	1	1	0	3
Anthony Buonauro p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Parker Phillis p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	21	19	19	10	3	10

2B: Nathan Walker (1); Ketch Mills (1); Alex Loman (1)
HR: Tyler Barker (1); Ketch Mills (1)
SF: Nolan Decker (1)
SB: Ketch Mills (1); Nicholas Muskopf (1); Logan Fleener (1)
HBP: Nicholas Muskopf (1)
E: Anthony Buonauro (1)

Knox	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
Jeff Ripka (L, 1-3)	1.0	6	6	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	9	10	1	1	31
Jake Baker	0.1	0	2	2	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	5	0	1	20
Brady Bertrand	2.0	6	8	8	3	0	0	0	0	0	12	15	3	3	53
Cesar Hernandez	0.2	1	1	1	2	1	3	0	0	0	2	5	1	0	27
Miles Hoops	0.2	5	4	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	8	9	0	2	31
Lucas Fuji	1.1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5	5	1	1	15
Totals		19	21	20	10	3	4	0	1	0	37	49	6	8	177

Illinois Col.	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
Anthony Buonauro (W, 5-2)	5.0	5	4	4	3	6	0	0	0	0	19	23	0	9	98
Parker Phillis (S, 1)	2.0	3	2	2	3	2	2	0	1	0	8	12	2	1	56
Totals		8	6	6	6	8	2	0	1	0	27	35	2	10	154

Win: Anthony Buonauro (5-2)
Loss: Jeff Ripka (1-3)
Save: Parker Phillis (1)
HBP: Jake Baker, Parker Phillis
PB: Sean Raffa (1)

Umpires: Home Plate: Jebediah Odam First: Kyle Blumhorst
Start: 2:30 PM **Time:** 2:50 **Attendance:** 225 **Weather:** Sunny, 74
Game notes:

Play By Play

Knox - Top of 1st	KNO	ILL
Luke Mathieu grounded out to 3b (2-1 BKB).	0	0
Hayden Derlein singled up the middle (2-2 BBFF).	0	0
Nicholas Nitti singled through the right side (1-1 KB); Hayden Derlein advanced to second.	0	0
Clayton Rice walked (3-1 BBBKB); Nicholas Nitti advanced to second; Hayden Derlein advanced to third.	0	0
Aidan McMurtrie grounded out to 3b, RBI (0-0); Clayton Rice advanced to second; Nicholas Nitti advanced to third; Hayden Derlein scored.	1	0
Buckie Zamora walked (3-2 FFBBFFBB).	1	0
Tyler Thiem struck out swinging (1-2 BKKS).	1	0
Runs: 1 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 3		

Illinois Col. - Bottom of 1st	KNO	ILL
Nathan Walker singled to second base (2-0 BB).	1	0
Nathan Walker advanced to second, failed pickoff attempt.	1	0
Tyler Barker walked (3-1 KBBBB).	1	0
Ketch Mills homered to left center, 3 RBI (0-0); Tyler Barker scored; Nathan Walker scored.	1	3
Nicholas Muskopf struck out looking (1-2 KFBK).	1	3
Nolan Decker singled through the left side (0-0).	1	3
Ethan Klunk grounded out to 1b unassisted (0-2 FK); Nolan Decker advanced to second.	1	3
Logan Fleener singled through the left side, advanced to second, RBI (0-0); Nolan Decker scored.	1	4
Alex Loman doubled to left center, RBI (3-1 KBBB); Logan Fleener scored.	1	5
Dalton Strode singled to center field, RBI (0-2 KK); Alex Loman scored.	1	6
Nathan Walker lined out to rf (3-1 BKBB).	1	6
Runs: 6 Hits: 6 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Knox - Top of 2nd	KNO	ILL
Tyler Kemp grounded out to ss (2-1 BFB).	1	6
Owen Shannon grounded out to 2b (1-0 B).	1	6
Luke Mathieu struck out swinging (3-2 BBKBFS).	1	6
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0		

Illinois Col. - Bottom of 2nd	KNO	ILL
Jake Baker to p for Jeff Ripka.	1	6
Tyler Barker grounded out to 2b (2-1 KBB).	1	6
Ketch Mills walked (3-1 BBKBB).	1	6
Nicholas Muskopf hit by pitch (2-0 BH); Ketch Mills advanced to second.	1	6
Nolan Decker walked (3-0 BBBB); Nicholas Muskopf advanced to second; Ketch Mills advanced to third.	1	6
Ethan Klunk walked, RBI (3-1 BBKBB); Nolan Decker advanced to second; Nicholas Muskopf advanced to third; Ketch Mills scored.	1	7
Brady Bertrand to p for Jake Baker.	1	7
Logan Fleener reached on a fielder's choice, RBI (3-2 FBBFB); Ethan Klunk out at second 2b to ss; Nolan Decker advanced to third; Nicholas Muskopf scored.	1	8
Logan Fleener stole second.	1	8
Alex Loman popped up to 2b (2-1 BBK).	1	8
Runs: 2 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2		

Knox - Top of 3rd	KNO	ILL
Hayden Derlein grounded out to ss (2-2 BBKS).	1	8
Nicholas Nitti struck out swinging (1-2 FKBS).	1	8
Clayton Rice struck out swinging (1-2 KFBS).	1	8
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0		

Illinois Col. - Bottom of 3rd	KNO	ILL
Dalton Strode flied out to rf (2-1 KBB).	1	8
Nathan Walker walked (3-1 BFBBB).	1	8
Tyler Barker homered to right field, 2 RBI (3-2 BKBFFB); Nathan Walker scored.	1	10
Ketch Mills grounded out to ss (0-0).	1	10
Nicholas Muskopf singled up the middle (0-0).	1	10
Nolan Decker flied out to lf (1-1 KB).	1	10

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

Knox - Top of 4th

	KNO	ILL
Aidan McMurtrie grounded out to p (1-2 FFB).	1	10
Buckie Zamora walked (3-2 SSB BBB).	1	10
Tyler Thiem singled through the right side (0-0); Buckie Zamora advanced to second.	1	10
Tyler Kemp singled, bunt, advanced to second on an error by p, advanced to third (0-0); Tyler Thiem scored; Buckie Zamora scored.	3	10
Owen Shannon singled to left center, RBI (2-2 SBBKF); Tyler Kemp scored.	4	10
Luke Mathieu grounded out to c, SAC, bunt (0-0); Owen Shannon advanced to second.	4	10
Hayden Derlein struck out looking (3-2 BKFB BK).	4	10

Runs: 3 Hits: 3 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1

Illinois Col. - Bottom of 4th

	KNO	ILL
Ethan Klunk grounded out to 2b (0-1 K).	4	10
Logan Fleener singled, bunt (0-0).	4	10
Alex Loman singled through the left side (1-0 B); Logan Fleener advanced to second.	4	10
Dalton Strode walked (3-1 BBFB B); Alex Loman advanced to second; Logan Fleener advanced to third.	4	10
Nathan Walker singled to center field, 2 RBI (1-0 B); Dalton Strode advanced to second; Alex Loman scored; Logan Fleener scored.	4	12
Tyler Barker walked (3-2 BKKBBFB); Nathan Walker advanced to second; Dalton Strode advanced to third.	4	12
Ketch Mills doubled to right center, 2 RBI (1-0 B); Tyler Barker advanced to third; Nathan Walker scored; Dalton Strode scored.	4	14
Cesar Hernandez to p for Brady Bertrand.	4	14
Ketch Mills advanced to third on a wild pitch; Tyler Barker scored on a wild pitch.	4	15
Nicholas Muskopf walked (3-1 BFBB B).	4	15
Nicholas Muskopf stole second; Ketch Mills stole home.	4	16
Nicholas Muskopf advanced to third on a wild pitch.	4	16
Nolan Decker flied out to rf, SAC, RBI (3-2 KBFBB); Nicholas Muskopf scored.	4	17
Ethan Klunk walked (3-2 FKFB BB B).	4	17
Logan Fleener singled down the lf line (0-1 K); Ethan Klunk advanced to second.	4	17
Adam Turner pinch ran for Ethan Klunk.	4	17
Logan Fleener advanced to second on a wild pitch; Adam Turner advanced to third on a wild pitch.	4	17
Alex Loman struck out swinging, out at first c to 1b (3-2 BKSBB S).	4	17

Runs: 6 Hits: 5 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2

Knox - Top of 5th

	KNO	ILL
Nicholas Nitti grounded out to 1b unassisted (3-2 BFFBB).	4	17
Clayton Rice struck out looking (3-2 SSB BBFFK).	4	17
Aidan McMurtrie grounded out to c (2-1 BKB).	4	17

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

Illinois Col. - Bottom of 5th

	KNO	ILL
Miles Hoops to p for Cesar Hernandez.	4	17
Dalton Strode singled (2-2 BFKB).	4	17
Nathan Walker doubled to left center, RBI (0-0); Dalton Strode scored.	4	18
Tyler Barker grounded out to 2b (2-1 BKB); Nathan Walker advanced to third.	4	18
Ketch Mills singled up the middle, RBI (1-1 BK); Nathan Walker scored.	4	19
Ketch Mills advanced to second on a wild pitch.	4	19
Nicholas Muskopf singled through the left side (3-1 BBBK); Ketch Mills advanced to third.	4	19
Sam Hulvey pinch hit for Nolan Decker.	4	19
Sam Hulvey singled through the left side, RBI (0-0); Nicholas Muskopf advanced to second; Ketch Mills scored.	4	20
Adam Turner grounded out to 2b (1-0 B); Sam Hulvey advanced to second; Nicholas Muskopf advanced to third.	4	20
Nick Williams pinch hit for Logan Fleener.	4	20
Nick Williams reached first on an error by 3b, RBI (1-2 KKB); Sam Hulvey advanced to third; Nicholas Muskopf scored, unearned.	4	21
Sean Raffa pinch hit for Alex Loman.	4	21
Sean Raffa walked (3-2 KBBFB B); Nick Williams advanced to second.	4	21
Lucas Fuji to p for Miles Hoops.	4	21
Dalton Strode popped up to ss (1-2 KKB).	4	21

Knox - Top of 6th

	KNO	ILL
Jacob Mishkin to 1b for Ketch Mills.	4	21
Sam Hulvey to 3b.	4	21
Adam Turner to dh.	4	21
Nick Williams to cf.	4	21
Sean Raffa to c.	4	21
Parker Phillis to p for Anthony Buonauro.	4	21
Seth Baumann pinch hit for Buckie Zamora.	4	21
Seth Baumann walked (3-0 BBBB).	4	21
Tyler Thiem walked (3-2 BKBKBB); Seth Baumann advanced to second.	4	21
Caysen Bamford pinch hit for Tyler Kemp.	4	21
Caysen Bamford singled through the left side, RBI (1-0 B); Tyler Thiem advanced to second; Seth Baumann scored.	5	21
Owen Shannon walked (3-0 BBBB); Caysen Bamford advanced to second; Tyler Thiem advanced to third.	5	21
Luke Simpson pinch hit for Luke Mathieu.	5	21
Luke Simpson singled to left field, RBI (3-2 BBKKB); Owen Shannon advanced to second; Caysen Bamford out at third lf to 3b; Tyler Thiem scored.	6	21
Luke Simpson advanced to second on a wild pitch; Owen Shannon advanced to third on a wild pitch.	6	21
Hayden Derlein lined out to rf (3-1 KBBB).	6	21
Nicholas Nitti flied out to lf (0-1 K).	6	21
Runs: 2 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2		

Illinois Col. - Bottom of 6th

	KNO	ILL
Luke Simpson to lf.	6	21
Aiden Mersinger to 2b for Aidan McMurtrie.	6	21
Seth Baumann to 1b.	6	21
Caysen Bamford to rf.	6	21
Nathan Walker reached first on an error by 3b (0-0).	6	21
Brayden Rhoads pinch hit for Tyler Barker.	6	21
Brayden Rhoads struck out swinging (2-2 KBFBS).	6	21
Jacob Mishkin singled to second base (1-1 KB); Nathan Walker advanced to second, advanced to third on an error by 2b.	6	21
Nicholas Muskopf grounded into double play ss to 2b to 1b (1-0 B); Jacob Mishkin out on the play.	6	21
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 1		

Knox - Top of 7th

	KNO	ILL
Brayden Rhoads to lf.	6	21
Clayton Rice singled up the middle (3-2 KKBBB).	6	21
Aiden Mersinger struck out swinging (2-2 BKBFS).	6	21
Clayton Rice advanced to second on a wild pitch.	6	21
Clayton Rice advanced to third on a passed ball.	6	21
Seth Baumann struck out looking (3-2 FBBSBFK).	6	21
Tyler Thiem hit by pitch (2-2 BFKH).	6	21
Caysen Bamford grounded out to c (1-2 KBFF).	6	21
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2		

Illinois Col. - Bottom of 7th

	KNO	ILL
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0		