

Meridian (19-12, 6-3 MACCC) -vs- # 10 Jones College (20-8, 6-3 MACCC)
3/26/2025 at Ellisville, Miss. (Community Bank Park)

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	R	H	E
Meridian	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	9	2
Jones College	0	1	0	0	0	1	3	8	13	15	1

Meridian 3

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
Brennon Wright 2b	4	1	2	0	0	0	1
Connor Gehr cf	4	2	2	1	0	0	1
Harlin Hovater c	3	0	1	0	0	1	0
Tyrus Williams dh	3	0	1	0	0	2	0
Nate Trochessett lf	2	0	0	1	1	0	1
Chris Fox rf	2	0	1	0	2	0	1
Hampton Ross 1b	4	0	1	0	0	0	4
Brayden Martin ss	4	0	0	0	0	3	0
Doby Bartling 3b	4	0	1	0	0	1	1
Cole Blackwell p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vaiden Ellis p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joel Smith p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wade Barr p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aiden Tuura p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	3	9	2	3	7	9

2B: Brennon Wright (1)
3B: Connor Gehr (1)
SH: Tyrus Williams (1)
SF: Nate Trochessett (1)
SB: Tyrus Williams (1)
HBP: Harlin Hovater (1)
E: Harlin Hovater (1); Doby Bartling (1)

Jones College 13

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
Talan Theriot 3b	6	1	1	0	0	1	5
TJ Dunsford dh	5	2	3	1	0	1	0
Chase Russell 1b	5	1	3	1	0	0	0
Cole Manuel c	4	2	1	0	0	2	1
Braden Smith lf	4	3	2	1	1	1	0
Evan Rogers ss	4	2	1	1	0	0	2
Brice Ainsworth 2b	4	1	2	3	1	0	0
Chesley Rhodes rf	2	0	0	0	0	2	0
Brody Martin rf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Preston Scott ph	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bryson Jones pr/rf	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gage Reeves cf	4	1	2	3	0	1	2
Josh Lee p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brycen Smith p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	39	13	15	10	2	8	10

2B: TJ Dunsford (1)
SB: Gage Reeves (1)
HBP: TJ Dunsford (1); Cole Manuel (1); Evan Rogers (1); Chesley Rhodes (1); Preston Scott (1); Gage Reeves (1)
E: Brice Ainsworth (1)
DP: 1

Meridian	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
Cole Blackwell	5.1	4	2	2	1	6	1	0	3	0	20	24	5	5	94
Vaiden Ellis (L, 1-2)	0.2	4	3	3	1	1	1	0	1	0	6	8	1	0	29
Joel Smith	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	4	0	2	17
Wade Barr	0.1	5	6	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	6	7	0	1	16
Aiden Tuura	0.1	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	4	1	0	12
Totals		15	13	10	2	8	4	0	6	0	39	47	7	8	168

Jones College	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
Josh Lee	6.1	8	3	3	3	5	0	0	1	0	24	30	9	4	102
Brycen Smith (W, 4-0)	1.2	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	6	6	3	0	23
Totals		9	3	3	3	7	0	0	1	0	30	36	12	4	125

Win: Brycen Smith (4-0)
Loss: Vaiden Ellis (1-2)
HBP: Cole Blackwell, Vaiden Ellis, Joel Smith, Wade Barr, Josh Lee
PB: None

Umpires: Home Plate: Joshua Smith First: Frankie Thompson Third Base: Bart Parker
Start: 3 p.m. **Time:** 2:39 **Weather:** partly cloudy, 82 deg.

Game notes:

- Vaiden Ellis faced 4 batters in the 7th.

Play By Play

Meridian - Top of 1st	MER	JON
Brennon Wrig singled to first base (2-2 KFFFBB).	0	0
Connor Gehr tripled to right center, RBI, scored on a throwing error by 2b (0-2 FF); Brennon Wrig scored.	2	0
Harlin Hovat flied out to cf (1-0 B).	2	0
Tyrus Willia singled through the left side (0-1 S).	2	0
Tyrus Willia stole second.	2	0
Nate Troches out at first 1b to p (3-2 KBBBF); Tyrus Willia advanced to third.	2	0
Chris Fox walked (3-2 BKBKFB).	2	0
Hampton Ross flied out to lf (0-1 K).	2	0
Runs: 2 Hits: 3 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 2		

Jones College - Bottom of 1st	MER	JON
T. Theriot singled to left field (1-2 BKF).	2	0
TJ Dunsford struck out swinging (0-2 KKS).	2	0
C. Russell popped up to c (2-0 BB).	2	0
Cole Manuel struck out looking (1-2 KBFK).	2	0
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Meridian - Top of 2nd	MER	JON
Brayden Mart lined out to lf (0-1 F).	2	0
Doby Bartlin struck out looking (2-2 BKSBK).	2	0
Brennon Wrig doubled to right center (1-0 B).	2	0
Connor Gehr flied out to lf (0-0).	2	0
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Jones College - Bottom of 2nd	MER	JON
Braden Smith walked (3-2 BBKSBB).	2	0
Evan Rogers popped up to rf (2-2 BBKF); Braden Smith advanced to second.	2	0
B. Ainsworth singled to right field (0-1 F); Braden Smith advanced to third.	2	0
Ch. Rhodes hit by pitch (0-2 KK); B. Ainsworth advanced to second.	2	0
Gage Reeves reached on a fielder's choice to shortstop, RBI (0-2 KSF); Ch. Rhodes advanced to second; B. Ainsworth out at third ss to 3b; Braden Smith scored.	2	1
T. Theriot popped up to rf (2-0 BB).	2	1
Runs: 1 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2		

Meridian - Top of 3rd	MER	JON
Harlin Hovat struck out swinging (1-2 KKBS).	2	1
Tyrus Willia struck out looking (0-2 FKK).	2	1
Nate Troches walked (3-2 KBBBKFB).	2	1
Chris Fox lined out to 3b (0-1 K).	2	1
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Jones College - Bottom of 3rd	MER	JON
TJ Dunsford hit by pitch (0-0).	2	1
C. Russell singled through the right side (3-1 BBKB); TJ Dunsford advanced to third.	2	1
Cole Manuel struck out swinging (1-2 SBKS).	2	1
C. Russell advanced to second on a wild pitch.	2	1
Braden Smith struck out swinging (3-2 BBBKFS).	2	1
Evan Rogers flied out to rf (0-2 FS).	2	1
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2		

Meridian - Top of 4th	MER	JON
Hampton Ross singled through the left side (0-2 KS).	2	1
Brayden Mart struck out swinging (2-2 KBSBS).	2	1
Doby Bartlin singled to left center (0-2 KF); Hampton Ross advanced to second.	2	1
Brennon Wrig grounded into double play 2b to ss to 1b (0-0); Doby Bartlin out on the play.	2	1
Runs: 0 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Jones College - Bottom of 4th	MER	JON
B. Ainsworth grounded out to 3b (0-0).	2	1
Ch. Rhodes struck out looking (1-2 KKBK).	2	1
Gage Reeves hit by pitch (1-1 KB).	2	1
Gage Reeves stole second.	2	1
T. Theriot struck out swinging (1-2 FBKS).	2	1
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Meridian - Top of 5th	MER	JON
Connor Gehr singled to left center (0-0).	2	1
Harlin Hovat hit by pitch (1-2 BFKF); Connor Gehr advanced to second.	2	1
Tyrus Willia out at first 3b to 2b, SAC, bunt (1-0 B); Harlin Hovat advanced to second; Connor Gehr advanced to third.	2	1
Nate Troches flied out to cf, SF, RBI (0-0); Connor Gehr scored.	3	1
Chris Fox walked (3-2 SBBFBB).	3	1
Hampton Ross lined out to cf (0-1 F).	3	1
Runs: 1 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2		

Jones College - Bottom of 5th	MER	JON
TJ Dunsford grounded out to ss (3-2 KSBFBFB).	3	1
C. Russell grounded out to 3b (1-0 B).	3	1
Cole Manuel grounded out to p (3-2 BKBKB).	3	1
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0		

Meridian - Top of 6th	MER	JON
Brayden Mart struck out swinging (1-2 BFKS).	3	1
Doby Bartlin grounded out to 3b (3-1 BBBK).	3	1
Brennon Wrig lined out to ss (1-0 B).	3	1
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0		

Jones College - Bottom of 6th	MER	JON
Braden Smith lined out to cf (2-2 BKFB).	3	1
Evan Rogers singled up the middle (2-1 BBK).	3	1
Vaiden Ellis to p for Cole Blackwe.	3	1
Evan Rogers advanced to second on a wild pitch.	3	1
B. Ainsworth walked (3-1 BBKBB).	3	1
Ch. Rhodes struck out swinging (2-2 BKSBS).	3	1
Gage Reeves singled to right center, RBI (0-2 KF); B. Ainsworth advanced to third; Evan Rogers scored.	3	2
T. Theriot lined out to rf (2-2 BBKK).	3	2
Runs: 1 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2		

Meridian - Top of 7th	MER	JON
Brody Martin to rf for Ch. Rhodes.	3	2
Connor Gehr flied out to lf (0-2 FF).	3	2
Harlin Hovat singled to left center (1-2 FBF).	3	2
Brycen Smith to p for Josh Lee.	3	2
Tyrus Willia struck out looking (0-2 KSK).	3	2
Nate Troches lined out to 1b (2-1 SBB).	3	2
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Jones College - Bottom of 7th	MER	JON
TJ Dunsford singled to left field (0-2 FFF).	3	2
C. Russell singled through the right side (1-0 B); TJ Dunsford advanced to second.	3	2
Cole Manuel hit by pitch (2-0 BB); C. Russell advanced to second; TJ Dunsford advanced to third.	3	2
Braden Smith singled to left field, RBI (0-1 S); Cole Manuel advanced to second; C. Russell advanced to third; TJ Dunsford scored.	3	3
Joel Smith to p for Vaiden Ellis.	3	3
Evan Rogers reached on a fielder's choice to shortstop (1-2 BSKF); Braden Smith advanced to second; Cole Manuel advanced to third; C. Russell out at home ss to c.	3	3

Evan Rogers advanced to second on a wild pitch; Braden Smith advanced to third on a wild pitch; Cole Manuel scored on a wild pitch.	3	4
B. Ainsworth grounded out to ss, RBI (2-1 BKB); Evan Rogers advanced to third; Braden Smith scored.	3	5
P. Scott pinch hit for Brody Martin.	3	5
P. Scott hit by pitch (1-1 KB).	3	5
Bryson Jones pinch ran for P. Scott.	3	5
Gage Reeves struck out swinging (2-2 BBKFS).	3	5
Runs: 3 Hits: 3 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2		

Meridian - Top of 8th	MER	JON
Bryson Jones to rf.	3	5
Chris Fox singled to shortstop (1-1 KB).	3	5
Hampton Ross flied out to lf (3-2 BBBKS).	3	5
Brayden Mart struck out looking (1-2 BKkk).	3	5
Doby Bartlin lined out to lf (2-0 BB).	3	5
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Jones College - Bottom of 8th	MER	JON
Wade Barr to p for Joel Smith.	3	5
T. Theriot grounded out to ss (0-0).	3	5
TJ Dunsford doubled to left center (2-1 KBB).	3	5
C. Russell singled through the right side, RBI (0-1 S); TJ Dunsford scored.	3	6
Cole Manuel singled to right center (1-2 BKK); C. Russell advanced to second.	3	6
Braden Smith singled to center field (1-0 B); Cole Manuel advanced to second; C. Russell advanced to third.	3	6
Evan Rogers hit by pitch, RBI (0-0); Braden Smith advanced to second; Cole Manuel advanced to third; C. Russell scored.	3	7
B. Ainsworth singled to center field, 2 RBI (1-0 B); Evan Rogers advanced to second; Braden Smith scored; Cole Manuel scored.	3	9
Aiden Tuura to p for Wade Barr.	3	9
Bryson Jones infield fly to 3b (0-1 F).	3	9
Gage Reeves singled to third base, RBI (1-2 BKK); B. Ainsworth advanced to second; Evan Rogers scored.	3	10
Gage Reeves advanced to second on a wild pitch; B. Ainsworth advanced to third on a wild pitch.	3	10
T. Theriot reached on a throwing error by 3b, advanced to second on the error (1-1 BF); Gage Reeves scored on the error, unearned; B. Ainsworth scored on the error, unearned.	3	12
T. Theriot advanced to third on a throwing error by c, failed pickoff attempt.	3	12
TJ Dunsford singled through the left side, RBI (1-1 KB); T. Theriot scored, unearned.	3	13
Runs: 8 Hits: 7 Errors: 2 Left On Base: 1		