

Illinois (12-8) -vs- Northwestern (9-11)  
3/21/2025 at Evanston, Ill. (Rocky Miller Park)

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Illinois	0	1	0	4	3	3	0	0	0	11	14	1
Northwestern	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	2	0	6	10	1

Illinois 11

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
LaChance, Greg dh	4	2	2	3	2	1	0
Groves, Nick cf	4	0	2	2	2	0	2
Ross, Grant 1b	4	0	1	0	2	0	4
Zebig, Jack ss	4	0	1	0	1	0	2
Schupmann, Kyle 3b	6	2	3	2	0	2	3
Jennings, Collin rf	5	2	1	0	1	1	1
Valincius, Vytas lf	4	2	2	2	1	0	0
Quagliano, Coltin 2b	5	2	2	2	0	0	0
Johannes, Will c	2	1	0	0	2	0	1
Plumley, Ben p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hutchings, Payton p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>13</b>

**2B:** LaChance, Greg (1); Quagliano, Coltin (1)  
**HR:** LaChance, Greg (1); Schupmann, Kyle (2); Valincius, Vytas (1); Quagliano, Coltin (1)  
**SB:** Jennings, Collin (1)  
**HBP:** Zebig, Jack (1); Johannes, Will (1)  
**E:** Plumley, Ben (1)  
**DP:** 1

Northwestern 6

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
KNOTT, PRESTON lf	4	0	0	0	1	1	2
MCELFATRICK, OWEN 3b	4	1	1	1	0	1	0
FREEMAN, JACKSON rf	4	0	1	0	0	1	0
KUCHERAK, RYAN ss	4	4	4	3	0	0	0
LIOLIOS, TRENT dh	4	1	2	2	0	1	0
COUNSELL, JACK 2b	3	0	0	0	1	0	1
LAUSCH, JACK cf	3	0	0	0	0	3	0
MILLS, GRIFFIN ph/cf	1	0	0	0	0	1	1
MARKINSON, BENNETT c	4	0	2	0	0	0	0
GANUS, TYLER 1b	4	0	0	0	0	1	0
KOUSER, MATTHEW p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRANT, ALEX p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FORNISS, CHRISTIAN p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BURDEN, LUKE p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DANZ, CARTER p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>4</b>

**2B:** FREEMAN, JACKSON (1); LIOLIOS, TRENT (1)  
**HR:** MCELFATRICK, OWEN (1); KUCHERAK, RYAN (3); LIOLIOS, TRENT (1)  
**E:** KUCHERAK, RYAN (1)  
**DP:** 3

Illinois	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
Plumley, Ben (W, 1-2)	5.2	6	4	4	1	6	0	0	0	0	22	23	5	5	88
Hutchings, Payton (S, 1)	3.1	4	2	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	13	14	3	3	46
<b>Totals</b>		<b>10</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>134</b>

Northwestern	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
KOUSER, MATTHEW (L, 2-2)	3.2	7	5	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	19	21	6	3	80
GRANT, ALEX	1.0	1	3	3	2	1	0	0	1	0	4	7	1	1	23
FORNISS, CHRISTIAN	1.0	3	3	3	1	0	1	0	1	0	5	7	1	1	29
BURDEN, LUKE	0.0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	9
DANZ, CARTER	3.1	3	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	10	14	2	4	55
<b>Totals</b>		<b>14</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>196</b>

**Win:** Plumley, Ben (1-2)  
**Loss:** KOUSER, MATTHEW (2-2)  
**Save:** Hutchings, Payton (1)  
**HBP:** GRANT, ALEX, FORNISS, CHRISTIAN  
**PB:** None

**Umpires:** Home Plate: Matt Schaufert First: Greg Stanzak Second Base: Thomas Burrell Third Base: John Coons  
**Start:** 2:42 pm **Time:** 3:07 **Attendance:** 267 **Weather:** 55 degrees, cloudy

**Game notes:**  
- BURDEN faced 2 batters in the 6th.

## Play By Play

Illinois - Top of 1st	ILL	NU
LaChance, G. struck out looking (0-2).	0	0
Groves, N. singled to shortstop (2-2).	0	0
Ross, G. fouled out to 1b (0-0).	0	0
Zebig, J. reached on a fielder's choice to second base (1-1); Groves, N. out at second 2b to ss.	0	0
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Northwestern - Bottom of 1st	ILL	NU
KNOTT walked (3-2).	0	0
MCELFATRICK struck out swinging (0-2).	0	0
FREEMAN grounded into double play p to ss to 1b (1-2); KNOTT out on the play.	0	0
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0		

Illinois - Top of 2nd	ILL	NU
Schupmann, K homered to left field, RBI (2-2).	1	0
Jennings, C. flied out to rf (1-2).	1	0
Valincius, V grounded out to 1b unassisted (0-0).	1	0
Quagliano doubled to left field (1-2).	1	0
Johannes, W. popped up to 2b (1-2).	1	0
Runs: 1 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Northwestern - Bottom of 2nd	ILL	NU
KUCHERAK homered to left field, RBI (2-0).	1	1
LIOLIOS flied out to cf (1-1).	1	1
COUNSELL popped up to ss (2-2).	1	1
LAUSCH struck out swinging (2-2).	1	1
Runs: 1 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0		

Illinois - Top of 3rd	ILL	NU
LaChance, G. flied out to rf (3-2).	1	1
Groves, N. flied out to cf (1-2).	1	1
Ross, G. walked (3-1).	1	1
Zebig, J. grounded out to 2b (0-2).	1	1
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Northwestern - Bottom of 3rd	ILL	NU
MARKINSON grounded out to 3b (0-1).	1	1
GANUS popped up to ss (1-1).	1	1
KNOTT struck out swinging (2-2).	1	1
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0		

Illinois - Top of 4th	ILL	NU
Schupmann, K homered to left field, RBI (0-0).	2	1
Jennings, C. struck out swinging (0-2).	2	1
Valincius, V homered to left field, RBI (2-1).	3	1
Quagliano reached on an error by ss (1-0).	3	1
Johannes, W. flied out to cf (3-2).	3	1
LaChance, G. doubled down the lf line (0-1); Quagliano advanced to third.	3	1
Groves, N. singled to left center, 2 RBI (3-2); LaChance, G. scored, unearned; Quagliano scored, unearned.	5	1
Ross, G. walked (3-0); Groves, N. advanced to second.	5	1
GRANT to p for KOUSER.	5	1
Zebig, J. walked (3-1); Ross, G. advanced to second; Groves, N. advanced to third.	5	1
Schupmann, K struck out swinging (0-2).	5	1
Runs: 4 Hits: 4 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 3		

Northwestern - Bottom of 4th	ILL	NU
MCELFATRICK homered down the lf line, RBI (0-0).	5	2

FREEMAN lined out to 2b (0-0).	5	2
KUCHERAK homered to left field, RBI (2-0).	5	3
LIOLIOS struck out looking (3-2).	5	3
COUNSELL popped up to ss (1-0).	5	3
Runs: 2 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0		

<b>Illinois - Top of 5th</b>	<b>ILL</b>	<b>NU</b>
Jennings, C. walked (3-2).	5	3
Valincius, V grounded out to 3b (0-0); Jennings, C. advanced to second.	5	3
Quagliano lined out to ss (1-0).	5	3
Johannes, W. hit by pitch (1-2).	5	3
LaChance, G. homered to left field, 3 RBI; Johannes, W. scored; Jennings, C. scored.	8	3
FORNISS to p for GRANT.	8	3
Groves, N. walked (3-1).	8	3
Ross, G. flied out to cf (2-1).	8	3
Runs: 3 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

<b>Northwestern - Bottom of 5th</b>	<b>ILL</b>	<b>NU</b>
LAUSCH struck out swinging (1-2).	8	3
MARKINSON singled to shortstop (3-2).	8	3
GANUS reached on a fielder's choice to shortstop; MARKINSON out at second ss to 2b.	8	3
GANUS advanced to second on a throwing error by p, failed pickoff attempt.	8	3
KNOTT grounded out to 3b (0-0).	8	3
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 1		

<b>Illinois - Top of 6th</b>	<b>ILL</b>	<b>NU</b>
Zebig, J. hit by pitch (2-2).	8	3
Schupmann, K grounded into double play 3b to 2b to 1b (0-1); Zebig, J. out on the play.	8	3
Jennings, C. singled up the middle (2-1).	8	3
Jennings, C. stole second.	8	3
Valincius, V singled to center field, RBI (2-2); Jennings, C. scored.	9	3
Valincius, V advanced to second on a wild pitch.	9	3
Quagliano homered to left center, 2 RBI (1-1); Valincius, V scored.	11	3
BURDEN to p for FORNISS.	11	3
Johannes, W. walked (3-0).	11	3
LaChance, G. walked (3-1); Johannes, W. advanced to second.	11	3
DANZ to p for BURDEN.	11	3
Groves, N. walked (3-1); LaChance, G. advanced to second; Johannes, W. advanced to third.	11	3
Ross, G. grounded out to 3b (1-1).	11	3
Runs: 3 Hits: 3 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 3		

<b>Northwestern - Bottom of 6th</b>	<b>ILL</b>	<b>NU</b>
MCELFATRICK grounded out to 3b (2-2).	11	3
FREEMAN struck out looking (2-2).	11	3
KUCHERAK homered to left field, RBI (2-2).	11	4
LIOLIOS doubled down the rf line (2-1).	11	4
Hutchings to p for Plumley, B..	11	4
COUNSELL flied out to rf (1-1).	11	4
Runs: 1 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

<b>Illinois - Top of 7th</b>	<b>ILL</b>	<b>NU</b>
Zebig, J. singled up the middle (2-0).	11	4
Schupmann, K struck out swinging (3-2); Zebig, J. out at second c unassisted.	11	4
Jennings, C. flied out to rf (1-2).	11	4
Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0		

<b>Northwestern - Bottom of 7th</b>	<b>ILL</b>	<b>NU</b>
LAUSCH struck out swinging (3-2).	11	4
MARKINSON singled to right field (1-0).	11	4
GANUS struck out looking (2-2).	11	4

KNOTT flied out to lf (1-2).

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

Illinois - Top of 8th

	ILL	NU
Valincius, V walked (3-2).	11	4
Quagliano grounded into double play 3b to 2b to 1b (0-2); Valincius, V out on the play.	11	4
Johannes, W. walked (3-0).	11	4
LaChance, G. walked (3-1); Johannes, W. advanced to second.	11	4
Groves, N. flied out to lf (2-1).	11	4
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2		

Northwestern - Bottom of 8th

	ILL	NU
MCELFATRICK grounded out to 2b (0-1).	11	4
FREEMAN doubled to right center (0-0).	11	4
KUCHERAK singled to first base (1-0); FREEMAN out at second p to 2b.	11	4
LIOLIOS homered to left field, 2 RBI (0-0); KUCHERAK scored.	11	6
COUNSELL walked (3-2).	11	6
MILLS pinch hit for LAUSCH.	11	6
MILLS struck out swinging (1-2).	11	6
Runs: 2 Hits: 3 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Illinois - Top of 9th

	ILL	NU
MILLS to cf.	11	6
Ross, G. singled through the left side (1-1).	11	6
Zebig, J. grounded into double play ss to 2b to 1b (1-1); Ross, G. out on the play.	11	6
Schupmann, K singled through the left side (1-0).	11	6
Jennings, C. grounded out to 1b unassisted (1-0).	11	6
Runs: 0 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1		

Northwestern - Bottom of 9th

	ILL	NU
MARKINSON grounded out to 3b (0-2).	11	6
GANUS flied out to rf (0-1).	11	6
KNOTT grounded out to 2b (0-0).	11	6
Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0		