

**Western Carolina (26-16) -vs- Samford (18-26)**  
**4/12/2026 at Birmingham, Ala. (Su Softball)**

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	R	H	E
Western Carolina	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Samford	3	0	0	0	0	0	X	3	7	2

**Western Carolina 0**

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
Lily Bell 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Taylor Waitley c	2	0	0	0	1	0	1
Sydney Dirks lf	3	0	0	0	0	2	2
Maya McPherson 3b	3	0	1	0	0	1	1
Tate Stewman 1b	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kayden Lyda ss	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Emma Kindle pr	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Becka Wonsick dh	3	0	0	0	0	1	1
Courtney Marks cf	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Tatum Martin ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Autumn Russell ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rylee Butler rf	2	0	0	0	1	2	1
AG Batson p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Briony Bunsic p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Amanda Fulton p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>

**SH:** Tate Stewman (1)  
**HBP:** Lily Bell (1)

**Samford 3**

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
Joi Hubbard cf	1	1	0	0	3	1	0
Olivia Shaw ss	2	1	1	2	2	0	3
Katie Campbell c	4	0	0	0	0	1	3
Brandy Phillips 3b	4	1	2	0	0	2	0
Ella Nelson 2b	4	0	2	0	0	0	3
Sydney Ferrant dh	1	0	0	1	2	0	1
Brooke Wildes 1b	2	0	0	0	1	1	0
Brantley Drake ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Addison Smith rf	2	0	1	0	0	0	2
Katie Hart lf	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Makinley Turner p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>13</b>

**HR:** Olivia Shaw (1)  
**SH:** Katie Hart (1)  
**SF:** Sydney Ferrant (1)  
**SB:** Joi Hubbard (1); Brandy Phillips (1)  
**HBP:** Addison Smith (1)  
**E:** Olivia Shaw (1); Ella Nelson (1)

Western Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
AG Batson (L, 8-4)	1.0	3	3	3	2	0	1	0	0	0	5	8	2	1	-
Briony Bunsic	3.2	4	0	0	5	3	0	0	1	0	14	21	7	1	-
Amanda Fulton	1.1	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	4	5	0	2	-
<b>Totals</b>		<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>4</b>	

Samford	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
Makinley Turner (W, 5-7)	7.0	1	0	0	2	8	0	0	1	0	23	27	4	9	-
<b>Totals</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>9</b>	

**Win:** Makinley Turner (5-7)  
**Loss:** AG Batson (8-4)  
**HBP:** Briony Bunsic, Makinley Turner  
**PB:** None

**Umpires:** Home Plate: Kassandra Besemer First: Kevin Besemer Third Base: Russell Young  
**Start:** 1 pm **Time:** 2:15 **Attendance:** 386 **Weather:** 84

## Play By Play

Western Carolina - Top of 1st	WCU	SAM
Bell grounded out to ss.	0	0
Waitley walked.	0	0
Dirks struck out swinging.	0	0
McPherson struck out swinging.	0	0
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b>		

Samford - Bottom of 1st	WCU	SAM
J. Hubbard walked.	0	0
O. Shaw homered to left field, 2 RBI; J. Hubbard scored.	0	2
K. Campbell grounded out to ss.	0	2
B. Phillips singled to right field.	0	2
B. Phillips stole second.	0	2
E. Nelson singled to third base; B. Phillips advanced to third.	0	2
S. Ferrant flied out to lf, SAC, RBI; B. Phillips scored.	0	3
E. Nelson advanced to second on a wild pitch.	0	3
B. Wildes walked.	0	3
A. Smith flied out to cf.	0	3
<b>Runs: 3 Hits: 3 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2</b>		

Western Carolina - Top of 2nd	WCU	SAM
Stewman grounded out to ss.	0	3
Lyda grounded out to 2b.	0	3
Wonsick flied out to rf.	0	3
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0</b>		

Samford - Bottom of 2nd	WCU	SAM
Bunsic to p for Batson.	0	3
K. Hart flied out to lf.	0	3
J. Hubbard walked.	0	3
J. Hubbard stole second.	0	3
O. Shaw walked.	0	3
K. Campbell popped up to ss.	0	3
B. Phillips singled to shortstop; O. Shaw advanced to second; J. Hubbard advanced to third.	0	3
E. Nelson lined out to 2b.	0	3
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 3</b>		

Western Carolina - Top of 3rd	WCU	SAM
Marks struck out swinging, out at first c to 1b.	0	3
Butler struck out looking.	0	3
Bell hit by pitch.	0	3
Waitley reached on an error by 2b; Bell advanced to second.	0	3
Dirks grounded out to 2b.	0	3
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 2</b>		

Samford - Bottom of 3rd	WCU	SAM
S. Ferrant walked.	0	3
B. Wildes struck out swinging.	0	3
A. Smith hit by pitch; S. Ferrant advanced to second.	0	3
K. Hart out at first 3b to 2b, SAC, bunt; A. Smith advanced to second; S. Ferrant advanced to third.	0	3
J. Hubbard walked.	0	3
O. Shaw fouled out to rf.	0	3
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 3</b>		

Western Carolina - Top of 4th	WCU	SAM
McPherson singled to left field.	0	3
Stewman out at first p to 2b, SAC, bunt; McPherson advanced to second.	0	3

Lyda struck out swinging.	0	3		
Wonsick grounded out to 3b.	0	3		
<b>Runs: 0</b>	<b>Hits: 1</b>	<b>Errors: 0</b>	<b>Left On Base: 1</b>	

**Samford - Bottom of 4th**

	WCU	SAM		
K. Campbell popped up to 3b.	0	3		
B. Phillips struck out swinging.	0	3		
E. Nelson singled to left field.	0	3		
S. Ferrant flied out to cf.	0	3		
<b>Runs: 0</b>	<b>Hits: 1</b>	<b>Errors: 0</b>	<b>Left On Base: 1</b>	

**Western Carolina - Top of 5th**

	WCU	SAM		
Martin pinch hit for Marks.	0	3		
Martin grounded out to 2b.	0	3		
Butler walked.	0	3		
Bell fouled out to lf.	0	3		
Waitley flied out to cf.	0	3		
<b>Runs: 0</b>	<b>Hits: 0</b>	<b>Errors: 0</b>	<b>Left On Base: 1</b>	

**Samford - Bottom of 5th**

	WCU	SAM		
Marks to cf for Martin.	0	3		
B. Wildes popped up to p.	0	3		
A. Smith singled to first base.	0	3		
K. Hart singled up the middle; A. Smith advanced to second.	0	3		
J. Hubbard struck out swinging.	0	3		
O. Shaw walked; K. Hart advanced to second; A. Smith advanced to third.	0	3		
A. Fulton to p for Bunsic.	0	3		
K. Campbell struck out swinging.	0	3		
<b>Runs: 0</b>	<b>Hits: 2</b>	<b>Errors: 0</b>	<b>Left On Base: 3</b>	

**Western Carolina - Top of 6th**

	WCU	SAM		
Dirks struck out swinging.	0	3		
McPherson grounded out to ss.	0	3		
Stewman fouled out to 2b.	0	3		
<b>Runs: 0</b>	<b>Hits: 0</b>	<b>Errors: 0</b>	<b>Left On Base: 0</b>	

**Samford - Bottom of 6th**

	WCU	SAM		
B. Phillips struck out swinging.	0	3		
E. Nelson grounded out to ss.	0	3		
S. Ferrant walked.	0	3		
B. Drake pinch hit for B. Wildes.	0	3		
B. Drake grounded out to 2b.	0	3		
<b>Runs: 0</b>	<b>Hits: 0</b>	<b>Errors: 0</b>	<b>Left On Base: 1</b>	

**Western Carolina - Top of 7th**

	WCU	SAM		
B. Wildes to 1b for B. Drake.	0	3		
Lyda reached on an error by ss.	0	3		
Kindle pinch ran for Lyda.	0	3		
Wonsick struck out looking.	0	3		
Russell pinch hit for Marks.	0	3		
Russell grounded out to ss; Kindle advanced to second.	0	3		
Butler struck out looking.	0	3		
<b>Runs: 0</b>	<b>Hits: 0</b>	<b>Errors: 1</b>	<b>Left On Base: 1</b>	

**Samford - Bottom of 7th**

	WCU	SAM		
<b>Runs: 0</b>	<b>Hits: 0</b>	<b>Errors: 0</b>	<b>Left On Base: 0</b>	