

Southern Illinois (8-3) -vs- Mercer (8-3)
2/20/2026 at Birmingham, Ala. (Mary Bowers Field)

| Score by Innings | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | R | H | E |
|-------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Southern Illinois | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 8 | 9 | 1 |
| Mercer | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 2 |

Southern Illinois 8

| Player | AB | R | H | RBI | BB | SO | LOB |
|--------------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| Potter,Sydne c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Blomenkamp,M lf | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Williams,Emi dp | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Kurtz,Hayden dp | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Pritchett,Br pr/dp | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Grann,Sage 1b | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Coburn,Mikae rf | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Lee,Erin 2b | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Knutson,Aman ss | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Wilkerson,Ha 3b | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Pursley,Char cf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Gipson,Emma p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Delgado,Emil p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 30 | 8 | 9 | 4 | 7 | 1 | 10 |

2B: Pursley,Char (1)
SB: Lee,Erin (1); Knutson,Aman (1)
HBP: Grann,Sage (1); Wilkerson,Ha (1)
E: Knutson,Aman (1)

Mercer 3

| Player | AB | R | H | RBI | BB | SO | LOB |
|---------------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Olivia Lenzen c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Grace Jones 1b | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Avery Barton ss | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Jessie Taylor 3b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Rachel Sysum 2b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Cate Raines ph | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Daniella Monaco cf | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Megan Loughren dp | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Isabel Fernandez lf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Meredith Wayland rf | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Madison Starr p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Katheryn Rearley p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 23 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 1 |

2B: Grace Jones (1)
3B: Daniella Monaco (1)
HR: Avery Barton (1)
SH: Isabel Fernandez (1)
E: Rachel Sysum (1); Isabel Fernandez (1)
DP: 1

| Southern Illinois | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO | WP | BK | HBP | IBB | AB | BF | FO | GO | NP |
|-----------------------|-----|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| Gipson,Emma | 2.0 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 29 |
| Delgado,Emil (W, 1-0) | 5.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 16 | 4 | 2 | 52 |
| Totals | | 5 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 25 | 7 | 4 | 81 |

| Mercer | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO | WP | BK | HBP | IBB | AB | BF | FO | GO | NP |
|------------------------|-----|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Madison Starr (L, 1-1) | 5.1 | 9 | 8 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 25 | 32 | 8 | 6 | 112 |
| Katheryn Rearley | 1.2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 30 |
| Totals | | 9 | 8 | 5 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 30 | 39 | 11 | 8 | 142 |

Win: Delgado,Emil (1-0)
Loss: Madison Starr (1-1)
HBP: Madison Starr
PB: None

Umpires: Home Plate: Bryan Smith First: Sergio Villarreal Third Base: Mark Korras
Start: 9 A.M. **Time:** 1:57 **Attendance:** 32 **Weather:** 67 F Sunny

Play By Play

| Southern Illinois - Top of 1st | SIU | MER |
|--|-----|-----|
| Potter,Sydne walked (3-1 BKBBB). | 0 | 0 |
| Blomenkamp,M walked (3-2 FBBKFBB); Potter,Sydne advanced to second. | 0 | 0 |
| Williams,Emi grounded into double play ss to 2b to 1b (1-2 SKBFF); Blomenkamp,M out on the play; Potter,Sydne advanced to third. | 0 | 0 |
| Grann,Sage grounded out to p (1-1 BK). | 0 | 0 |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1 | | |

| Mercer - Bottom of 1st | SIU | MER |
|--|-----|-----|
| Olivia Lenze flied out to cf (0-0). | 0 | 0 |
| Grace Jones doubled to center field (0-1 K). | 0 | 0 |
| Avery Barton homered to center field, 2 RBI (2-2 FKBBF); Grace Jones scored. | 0 | 2 |
| Jessie Taylo flied out to cf (0-1 F). | 0 | 2 |
| Rachel Sysum grounded out to ss. | 0 | 2 |
| Runs: 2 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0 | | |

| Southern Illinois - Top of 2nd | SIU | MER |
|--|-----|-----|
| Coburn,Mikae grounded out to 2b (1-2 KBF). | 0 | 2 |
| Lee,Erin walked (3-0 BBBB). | 0 | 2 |
| Knutson,Aman singled to third base (0-0); Lee,Erin advanced to second. | 0 | 2 |
| Wilkerson,Ha flied out to rf (0-0); Lee,Erin advanced to third. | 0 | 2 |
| Knutson,Aman stole second; Lee,Erin stole home. | 1 | 2 |
| Pursley,Char doubled to left field (2-2 KBKB); Knutson,Aman advanced to third. | 1 | 2 |
| Potter,Sydne popped up to ss (2-2 BKFB). | 1 | 2 |
| Runs: 1 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2 | | |

| Mercer - Bottom of 2nd | SIU | MER |
|---|-----|-----|
| Daniella Mon singled, advanced to second on a throwing error by ss (1-2 KBK). | 1 | 2 |
| Megan Loughr popped up to c (1-2 KSB). | 1 | 2 |
| Isabel Ferna grounded out to p, SAC, bunt (1-1 KB); Daniella Mon advanced to third. | 1 | 2 |
| Meredith Way singled, out at second cf to ss, RBI (2-2 BKSBBFF); Daniella Mon scored, unearned. | 1 | 3 |
| Runs: 1 Hits: 2 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 0 | | |

| Southern Illinois - Top of 3rd | SIU | MER |
|--|-----|-----|
| Blomenkamp,M grounded out to 2b (3-2 FBKBB). | 1 | 3 |
| Williams,Emi grounded out to 3b (1-0 B). | 1 | 3 |
| Grann,Sage walked (3-1 BFBBB). | 1 | 3 |
| Coburn,Mikae singled through the left side (0-0); Grann,Sage advanced to second. | 1 | 3 |
| Lee,Erin flied out to lf (1-2 KBK). | 1 | 3 |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2 | | |

| Mercer - Bottom of 3rd | SIU | MER |
|--|-----|-----|
| Delgado,Emil to p for Gipson,Emma. | 1 | 3 |
| Olivia Lenze popped up to ss (0-0). | 1 | 3 |
| Grace Jones walked (3-1 KBBBB). | 1 | 3 |
| Avery Barton struck out looking (1-2 BKFFK). | 1 | 3 |
| Jessie Taylo lined out to rf. | 1 | 3 |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1 | | |

| Southern Illinois - Top of 4th | SIU | MER |
|---|-----|-----|
| Knutson,Aman singled, bunt (1-1 BK). | 1 | 3 |
| Wilkerson,Ha hit by pitch (3-2 FBBFBF); Knutson,Aman advanced to second. | 1 | 3 |
| Pursley,Char singled to shortstop (2-2 FKBB); Wilkerson,Ha advanced to second; Knutson,Aman advanced to third. | 1 | 3 |
| Potter,Sydne struck out swinging (2-2 BBKKS). | 1 | 3 |
| Blomenkamp,M singled to right field, RBI; Pursley,Char advanced to second; Wilkerson,Ha advanced to third; Knutson,Aman scored. | 2 | 3 |
| Williams,Emi fouled out to 1b (3-2 KFBBBF). | 2 | 3 |

Grann,Sage reached on an error by lf, advanced to second on the error; Blomenkamp,M scored on the error, unearned; Pursley,Char scored on the error, unearned; Wilkerson,Ha scored on the error, unearned.
Coburn,Mikae popped up to p (2-1 FBB).

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Runs: 4 Hits: 3 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 1

Mercer - Bottom of 4th

| | SIU | MER |
|---|-----|-----|
| Kurtz,Hayden to dp for Williams,Emi. | 5 | 3 |
| Rachel Sysum struck out swinging (3-2 BSFFBBS). | 5 | 3 |
| Daniella Mon tripled down the rf line, out at third rf to 2b to 3b (1-0 B). | 5 | 3 |
| Megan Loughr grounded out to 2b (1-0 B). | 5 | 3 |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0 | | |

Southern Illinois - Top of 5th

| | SIU | MER |
|---|-----|-----|
| Lee,Erin popped up to ss (1-0 B). | 5 | 3 |
| Knutson,Aman walked (3-1 BBFBB). | 5 | 3 |
| Wilkerson,Ha out at first 2b to ss to 1b (2-2 FBKB); Knutson,Aman advanced to second on an error by 2b. | 5 | 3 |
| Pursley,Char lined out to cf (1-0 B). | 5 | 3 |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 1 | | |

Mercer - Bottom of 5th

| | SIU | MER |
|--|-----|-----|
| Isabel Ferna grounded out to 3b. | 5 | 3 |
| Meredith Way struck out swinging (0-2 KFS). | 5 | 3 |
| Olivia Lenze struck out swinging (0-2 SSS). | 5 | 3 |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0 | | |

Southern Illinois - Top of 6th

| | SIU | MER |
|--|-----|-----|
| Potter,Sydne flied out to lf (1-0 B). | 5 | 3 |
| Blomenkamp,M singled to pitcher (1-0 B). | 5 | 3 |
| Kurtz,Hayden singled to pitcher (1-1 KB); Blomenkamp,M advanced to second. | 5 | 3 |
| Pritchett,Br pinch ran for Kurtz,Hayden. | 5 | 3 |
| Grann,Sage hit by pitch (0-0); Pritchett,Br advanced to second; Blomenkamp,M advanced to third. | 5 | 3 |
| Coburn,Mikae singled through the right side, 2 RBI; Grann,Sage advanced to second; Pritchett,Br scored; Blomenkamp,M scored. | 7 | 3 |
| Katheryn Rea to p for Madison Star. | 7 | 3 |
| Lee,Erin walked (3-2 KBKBBFB); Coburn,Mikae advanced to second; Grann,Sage advanced to third. | 7 | 3 |
| Knutson,Aman fouled out to lf. | 7 | 3 |
| Wilkerson,Ha walked, RBI (3-2 KBBSBFFB); Lee,Erin advanced to second; Coburn,Mikae advanced to third; Grann,Sage scored. | 8 | 3 |
| Pursley,Char flied out to lf (0-2 KSF). | 8 | 3 |
| Runs: 3 Hits: 3 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 3 | | |

Mercer - Bottom of 6th

| | SIU | MER |
|--|-----|-----|
| Grace Jones flied out to cf (0-0). | 8 | 3 |
| Avery Barton flied out to cf. | 8 | 3 |
| Jessie Taylo struck out swinging (3-2 BBKSBFBS). | 8 | 3 |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0 | | |

Southern Illinois - Top of 7th

| | SIU | MER |
|--|-----|-----|
| Potter,Sydne fouled out to 3b (3-0 BBB). | 8 | 3 |
| Blomenkamp,M grounded out to 2b (0-2 KF). | 8 | 3 |
| Pritchett,Br to dp. | 8 | 3 |
| Pritchett,Br grounded out to 2b (2-1 BBF). | 8 | 3 |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0 | | |

Mercer - Bottom of 7th

| | SIU | MER |
|--|-----|-----|
| Cate Raines pinch hit for Rachel Sysum. | 8 | 3 |
| Cate Raines struck out swinging (0-2 KSFS). | 8 | 3 |
| Daniella Mon struck out looking (3-2 BBBKSK). | 8 | 3 |
| Megan Loughr struck out looking (3-2 BBBKFK). | 8 | 3 |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0 | | |

