

**Western Carolina (17-10) -vs- The Citadel (11-13)**  
**3/27/2026 at Charleston, S.C. (Joseph P. Riley, Jr.)**

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Western Carolina	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	6	2
The Citadel	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	4	10	0

**Western Carolina 3**

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
Jackson Lyda ss	4	0	1	0	0	1	0
Mason Holton 3b	3	0	0	0	1	0	1
Trent Turner 2b	3	0	1	0	1	1	0
Wyatt Stanley lf	4	0	1	0	0	1	1
Noah Quarless c	3	0	0	0	0	3	0
Jaylen Jones cf	3	1	1	1	1	2	0
Walker Fox rf	4	1	1	0	0	0	2
Brody Raleigh dh	4	1	1	2	0	2	1
Marshall McGowan 1b	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cole Jones ph/1b	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carter Burnette p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mason Snyder p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
James Fordham p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Owen Austin p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>5</b>

**HR:** Jaylen Jones (1); Brody Raleigh (1)  
**SH:** Noah Quarless (1)  
**CS:** Trent Turner (1)  
**E:** Jackson Lyda (1); Noah Quarless (1)

**The Citadel 4**

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
Jayden Williams rf	4	3	2	0	0	1	0
Christian Stratis dh	3	0	2	1	0	0	0
Miles Barbrey pr/dh	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
Phillips Daniels 3b	2	0	0	0	2	1	0
TJ Anderson lf	5	0	2	2	0	0	0
Michael Gibson 1b	3	0	0	0	1	0	1
Garrett Fulmer c	4	0	1	0	0	1	2
Matthew Lively cf	4	0	2	0	0	1	2
Aryan Patel 2b	2	0	0	0	1	1	0
Lane Tobin ss	2	0	0	0	1	1	1
Will Holmes p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Andrew Buffkin p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>

**2B:** Christian Stratis (1); TJ Anderson (1); Matthew Lively (1)  
**SH:** Christian Stratis (1); Phillips Daniels (1); Aryan Patel (1)  
**SB:** Matthew Lively (1)  
**CS:** Matthew Lively (1); Lane Tobin (1)  
**HBP:** Jayden Williams (1); Lane Tobin (1)  
**PO:** Matthew Lively (1); Lane Tobin (1)

Western Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
Carter Burnette	7.0	4	1	0	3	6	0	0	2	0	20	27	6	4	108
Mason Snyder	0.1	2	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	3	0	1	12
James Fordham (L, 2-2)	1.1	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	8	3	1	35
Owen Austin	0.0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	8
<b>Totals</b>		<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>163</b>

The Citadel	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
Will Holmes	5.0	6	3	3	2	5	0	0	0	0	20	22	6	3	97
Andrew Buffkin (W, 2-0)	4.0	0	0	0	1	5	0	0	0	0	11	13	4	3	49
<b>Totals</b>		<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>146</b>

**Win:** Andrew Buffkin (2-0)  
**Loss:** James Fordham (2-2)  
**HBP:** Carter Burnette  
**PB:** None

**Umpires:** Home Plate: Jason Johnson First: Michael Paden Third Base: Perry Ramicone  
**Start:** 6 p.m. **Time:** 3:05 **Attendance:** 623 **Weather:** Sunny, 77F, 13MPH SSW

**Game notes:**

- Holmes faced 2 batters in the 6th.
- Austin faced 2 batters in the 9th.

## Play By Play

Western Carolina - Top of 1st	WCU	CIT
Lyda flied out to cf (0-2).	0	0
Holton walked (3-2).	0	0
Turner reached on a fielder's choice (2-2); Holton out at second ss to 2b.	0	0
Turner out at second c to ss, caught stealing.	0	0
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0</b>		

The Citadel - Bottom of 1st	WCU	CIT
Williams hit by pitch (0-0).	0	0
Stratis grounded out to 3b, SAC, bunt (1-1); Williams advanced to second.	0	0
Daniels walked (3-2).	0	0
Anderson reached on an error by ss, RBI (3-2); Daniels advanced to second; Williams scored, unearned.	0	1
Gibson out on batter's interference (1-0).	0	1
Fulmer popped up to 1b (2-1).	0	1
<b>Runs: 1 Hits: 0 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 2</b>		

Western Carolina - Top of 2nd	WCU	CIT
Stanley flied out to cf (0-1).	0	1
Quarless struck out looking (3-2).	0	1
J. Jones struck out looking (3-2).	0	1
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0</b>		

The Citadel - Bottom of 2nd	WCU	CIT
Lively singled to left field (0-1).	0	1
Patel grounded out to p, SAC, bunt (0-0); Lively advanced to second.	0	1
Tobin walked (3-2); Lively stole third.	0	1
Williams flied out to rf (1-0).	0	1
Tobin out at first c to 2b to 1b, caught stealing.	0	1
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b>		

Western Carolina - Top of 3rd	WCU	CIT
Fox grounded out to 2b (1-2).	0	1
Raleigh struck out looking (1-2).	0	1
McGowan flied out to lf (0-1).	0	1
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0</b>		

The Citadel - Bottom of 3rd	WCU	CIT
Stratis singled to left field (1-1).	0	1
Daniels struck out swinging (1-2).	0	1
Anderson doubled to right field (0-0); Stratis advanced to third.	0	1
Gibson flied out to cf (3-1); Stratis out at home cf to c.	0	1
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b>		

Western Carolina - Top of 4th	WCU	CIT
Lyda struck out looking (3-2).	0	1
Holton popped up to 1b (2-2).	0	1
Turner singled to right field (1-2).	0	1
Stanley grounded out to 2b (1-0).	0	1
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b>		

The Citadel - Bottom of 4th	WCU	CIT
Fulmer struck out swinging (2-2).	0	1
Lively doubled to left field (1-2).	0	1
Lively out at third p to 3b, picked off, caught stealing.	0	1
Patel struck out swinging (1-2).	0	1
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0</b>		

<b>Western Carolina - Top of 5th</b>	<b>WCU</b>	<b>CIT</b>
Quarless struck out swinging (2-2).	0	1
J. Jones homered to left field, RBI (2-0).	1	1
Fox singled to shortstop (3-2).	1	1
Raleigh homered to left center, 2 RBI (1-1); Fox scored.	3	1
McGowan flied out to cf (2-2).	3	1
Lyda singled to left field (0-0).	3	1
Holton lined out to ss (0-2).	3	1
<b>Runs: 3 Hits: 4 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b>		

<b>The Citadel - Bottom of 5th</b>	<b>WCU</b>	<b>CIT</b>
Tobin hit by pitch (0-0).	3	1
Tobin out at first p to 1b, picked off.	3	1
Williams struck out swinging (3-2).	3	1
Stratis flied out to cf (0-0).	3	1
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0</b>		

<b>Western Carolina - Top of 6th</b>	<b>WCU</b>	<b>CIT</b>
Turner walked (3-2).	3	1
Stanley singled to right field (0-2); Turner advanced to second.	3	1
Buffkin to p for Holmes.	3	1
Quarless grounded out to p, SAC, bunt (0-1); Stanley advanced to second; Turner advanced to third.	3	1
J. Jones struck out looking (2-2).	3	1
Fox flied out to rf (1-0).	3	1
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2</b>		

<b>The Citadel - Bottom of 6th</b>	<b>WCU</b>	<b>CIT</b>
Daniels flied out to 2b (0-2).	3	1
Anderson grounded out to 3b (3-1).	3	1
Gibson flied out to lf (2-2).	3	1
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0</b>		

<b>Western Carolina - Top of 7th</b>	<b>WCU</b>	<b>CIT</b>
Raleigh flied out to rf (3-1).	3	1
Jones pinch hit for McGowan.	3	1
Jones popped up to 2b (0-0).	3	1
Lyda flied out to rf (0-2).	3	1
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0</b>		

<b>The Citadel - Bottom of 7th</b>	<b>WCU</b>	<b>CIT</b>
Jones to 1b.	3	1
Fulmer grounded out to ss (0-0).	3	1
Lively struck out swinging (2-2).	3	1
Patel walked (3-2).	3	1
Tobin struck out swinging (3-2).	3	1
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b>		

<b>Western Carolina - Top of 8th</b>	<b>WCU</b>	<b>CIT</b>
Holton grounded out to 2b (2-1).	3	1
Turner struck out swinging (1-2).	3	1
Stanley struck out swinging (1-2).	3	1
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0</b>		

<b>The Citadel - Bottom of 8th</b>	<b>WCU</b>	<b>CIT</b>
Snyder to p for Burnette.	3	1
Williams singled to right field (1-2).	3	1
Williams advanced to second on a wild pitch.	3	1
Stratis doubled to right field, RBI (3-2); Williams scored.	3	2
Barbrey pinch ran for Stratis.	3	2

Daniels grounded out to c, SAC, bunt (0-0); Barbrey advanced to third.	3	2
Fordham to p for Snyder.	3	2
Barbrey interference.	3	2
Barbrey scored on an error by c, scored, unearned.	3	3
Anderson flied out to cf (3-1).	3	3
Gibson walked (3-1).	3	3
Fulmer singled to right field (2-2); Gibson advanced to third.	3	3
Lively flied out to cf (1-0).	3	3
<b>Runs: 2 Hits: 3 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 2</b>		

**Western Carolina - Top of 9th**

	WCU	CIT
Quarless struck out looking (3-2).	3	3
J. Jones walked (3-2).	3	3
Fox grounded out to ss (0-2); J. Jones advanced to second.	3	3
Raleigh struck out swinging (0-2).	3	3
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b>		

**The Citadel - Bottom of 9th**

	WCU	CIT
Patel grounded out to c, bunt (2-1).	3	3
Tobin fouled out to 1b (3-2).	3	3
Williams singled to shortstop (2-1).	3	3
Barbrey to dh.	3	3
Barbrey singled to right field (1-0); Williams advanced to second.	3	3
Austin to p for Fordham.	3	3
Daniels walked (3-2); Barbrey advanced to second; Williams advanced to third.	3	3
Anderson singled to right field, RBI (1-0); Daniels advanced to second; Barbrey advanced to third; Williams scored.	3	4
<b>Runs: 1 Hits: 3 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 3</b>		