

**Houston (18-24) -vs- UAB (22-19)**  
**5/1/2010 at Birmingham, Ala. (Young Memorial Field)**

| Score by Innings | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | R  | H  | E |
|------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|----|----|---|
| Houston          | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 16 | 15 | 3 |
| UAB              | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 11 | 9  | 2 |

**Houston 16**

| Player           | AB        | R         | H         | RBI       | BB        | SO       | LOB      |
|------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|
| Blake Kelso ss   | 4         | 1         | 1         | 0         | 2         | 0        | 0        |
| Zak Presley rf   | 5         | 3         | 2         | 3         | 1         | 0        | 2        |
| Caleb Ramsey lf  | 6         | 0         | 3         | 3         | 0         | 0        | 1        |
| Joel Ansley cf   | 2         | 3         | 1         | 1         | 4         | 1        | 1        |
| M.P. Cokinos dh  | 4         | 1         | 1         | 2         | 0         | 1        | 1        |
| Matt Murphy 1b   | 1         | 1         | 1         | 1         | 1         | 0        | 0        |
| Chris Wallace c  | 6         | 2         | 2         | 3         | 0         | 3        | 3        |
| Matt Creel 1b/p  | 5         | 1         | 1         | 2         | 0         | 1        | 0        |
| Austin Gracey 3b | 5         | 2         | 3         | 0         | 0         | 1        | 0        |
| Jake Runte 3b    | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0        | 0        |
| Ryan Still 2b    | 2         | 2         | 0         | 0         | 2         | 0        | 0        |
| William Kankel p | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0        | 0        |
| Barry Laird p    | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0        | 0        |
| Chase Dempsay p  | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0        | 0        |
| John Cannon p    | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0        | 0        |
| <b>Totals</b>    | <b>40</b> | <b>16</b> | <b>15</b> | <b>15</b> | <b>10</b> | <b>7</b> | <b>8</b> |

**2B:** Zak Presley (1); Caleb Ramsey (1)

**3B:** Caleb Ramsey (1)

**HR:** M.P. Cokinos (1); Matt Murphy (1); Chris Wallace (2); Matt Creel (1)

**SH:** Ryan Still (1)

**SB:** Zak Presley (1); Joel Ansley (4); Austin Gracey (2)

**CS:** Caleb Ramsey (2)

**E:** Blake Kelso (1); Ryan Still (2)

**DP:** 1

**UAB 11**

| Player              | AB        | R         | H        | RBI      | BB       | SO       | LOB      |
|---------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Jamal Austin cf     | 5         | 3         | 2        | 2        | 1        | 0        | 1        |
| Nick Crawford 2b    | 5         | 1         | 1        | 1        | 1        | 0        | 0        |
| Jonathan Merritt ss | 4         | 2         | 1        | 2        | 1        | 0        | 0        |
| John Frost dh       | 4         | 1         | 0        | 0        | 1        | 0        | 1        |
| Luke Stewart 1b     | 5         | 1         | 3        | 3        | 0        | 0        | 1        |
| Ryan Ussery rf      | 3         | 0         | 0        | 0        | 1        | 0        | 1        |
| Danny Volk ph       | 1         | 0         | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| Jacob German c      | 4         | 0         | 0        | 0        | 1        | 0        | 0        |
| Andrew Manning 3b   | 4         | 2         | 2        | 1        | 1        | 0        | 0        |
| Mikael Saway lf     | 2         | 0         | 0        | 0        | 1        | 0        | 2        |
| Bradley Hicks ph/lf | 1         | 1         | 0        | 0        | 1        | 0        | 3        |
| Beau Pender p       | 0         | 0         | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| Ben Bullard p       | 0         | 0         | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| Trey Vice p         | 0         | 0         | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| Trey Waltman p      | 0         | 0         | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| <b>Totals</b>       | <b>38</b> | <b>11</b> | <b>9</b> | <b>9</b> | <b>9</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>9</b> |

**2B:** Jonathan Merritt (1); Andrew Manning (1)

**3B:** Jamal Austin (1)

**SB:** Jamal Austin (1); Nick Crawford (1)

**E:** Nick Crawford (1); Beau Pender (1)

**DP:** 1

| Houston                 | IP  | H        | R         | ER       | BB       | SO       | WP       | BK       | HBP      | IBB      | AB        | BF        | FO        | GO        | NP |
|-------------------------|-----|----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----|
| William Kankel (W, 2-4) | 6.2 | 4        | 6         | 2        | 6        | 0        | 0        | 1        | 0        | 0        | 25        | 31        | 14        | 6         | -  |
| Barry Laird             | 0.0 | 2        | 1         | 0        | 1        | 0        | 1        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 3         | 4         | 0         | 0         | -  |
| Chase Dempsay           | 0.1 | 0        | 0         | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 1         | 1         | 1         | 0         | -  |
| John Cannon             | 0.0 | 1        | 1         | 1        | 1        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 2         | 3         | 0         | 0         | -  |
| Matt Creel (S, 6)       | 2.0 | 2        | 3         | 3        | 1        | 0        | 1        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 7         | 8         | 1         | 4         | -  |
| <b>Totals</b>           |     | <b>9</b> | <b>11</b> | <b>6</b> | <b>9</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>38</b> | <b>47</b> | <b>16</b> | <b>10</b> |    |

| UAB                  | IP  | H         | R         | ER        | BB        | SO       | WP       | BK       | HBP      | IBB      | AB        | BF        | FO        | GO       | NP |
|----------------------|-----|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----|
| Beau Pender (L, 5-3) | 5.0 | 5         | 7         | 6         | 5         | 5        | 2        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 19        | 24        | 4         | 5        | -  |
| Ben Bullard          | 2.2 | 3         | 3         | 3         | 2         | 1        | 0        | 1        | 0        | 0        | 10        | 13        | 4         | 1        | -  |
| Trey Vice            | 0.2 | 5         | 5         | 5         | 1         | 1        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 7         | 8         | 0         | 1        | -  |
| Trey Waltman         | 0.2 | 2         | 1         | 1         | 2         | 0        | 1        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 4         | 6         | 2         | 0        | -  |
| <b>Totals</b>        |     | <b>15</b> | <b>16</b> | <b>15</b> | <b>10</b> | <b>7</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>40</b> | <b>51</b> | <b>10</b> | <b>7</b> |    |

**Win:** William Kankel (2-4)

**Loss:** Beau Pender (5-3)

**Save:** Matt Creel (6)

**HBP:** None

**PB:** None

**Umpires:** Home Plate: Kelly Nutt First: Tim Henderson Third Base: Perry Costello

**Start:** 11:03am **Time:** 3:26 **Weather:** 75 degrees, cloudy skies

**Game notes:**

- Laird faced 4 batters in the 7th.
- Cannon faced 3 batters in the 8th.

## Play By Play

|                                                                                                    |  |                |                                          |
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| <b>Houston - Top of 1st</b>                                                                        |  | <b>HOU</b>     | <b>UAB</b>                               |
| Kelso walked.                                                                                      |  | 0              | 0                                        |
| Kelso advanced to second on an error by p, failed pickoff attempt, advanced to third.              |  | 0              | 0                                        |
| Presley grounded out to 2b, RBI; Kelso scored, unearned.                                           |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| Ramsey lined out to 1b.                                                                            |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| Ansley walked.                                                                                     |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| Ansley stole second.                                                                               |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| Cokinos grounded out to ss.                                                                        |  | 1              | 0                                        |
|                                                                                                    |  | <b>Runs: 1</b> | <b>Hits: 0 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 1</b> |
| <b>UAB - Bottom of 1st</b>                                                                         |  | <b>HOU</b>     | <b>UAB</b>                               |
| J. Austin singled to right field.                                                                  |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| N. Crawford grounded out to 2b; J. Austin advanced to second.                                      |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| J. Merritt flied out to rf.                                                                        |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| J. Frost grounded out to 3b.                                                                       |  | 1              | 0                                        |
|                                                                                                    |  | <b>Runs: 0</b> | <b>Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b> |
| <b>Houston - Top of 2nd</b>                                                                        |  | <b>HOU</b>     | <b>UAB</b>                               |
| Wallace struck out swinging.                                                                       |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| Creel fouled out to 1b.                                                                            |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| Gracey grounded out to ss.                                                                         |  | 1              | 0                                        |
|                                                                                                    |  | <b>Runs: 0</b> | <b>Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0</b> |
| <b>UAB - Bottom of 2nd</b>                                                                         |  | <b>HOU</b>     | <b>UAB</b>                               |
| L. Stewart singled to right field.                                                                 |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| R. Ussery flied out to cf.                                                                         |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| J. German walked; L. Stewart advanced to second.                                                   |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| J. German advanced to second; L. Stewart advanced to third on a balk.                              |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| A. Manning lined out to 1b.                                                                        |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| M. Saway popped up to ss.                                                                          |  | 1              | 0                                        |
|                                                                                                    |  | <b>Runs: 0</b> | <b>Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2</b> |
| <b>Houston - Top of 3rd</b>                                                                        |  | <b>HOU</b>     | <b>UAB</b>                               |
| Still flied out to lf.                                                                             |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| Kelso singled up the middle.                                                                       |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| Presley flied out to cf.                                                                           |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| Ramsey out at first 1b to 2b.                                                                      |  | 1              | 0                                        |
|                                                                                                    |  | <b>Runs: 0</b> | <b>Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b> |
| <b>UAB - Bottom of 3rd</b>                                                                         |  | <b>HOU</b>     | <b>UAB</b>                               |
| J. Austin flied out to cf.                                                                         |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| N. Crawford walked.                                                                                |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| N. Crawford stole second.                                                                          |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| J. Merritt walked.                                                                                 |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| J. Frost flied out to rf.                                                                          |  | 1              | 0                                        |
| L. Stewart singled, advanced to second on the throw, 2 RBI; J. Merritt scored; N. Crawford scored. |  | 1              | 2                                        |
| R. Ussery grounded out to ss.                                                                      |  | 1              | 2                                        |
|                                                                                                    |  | <b>Runs: 2</b> | <b>Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b> |
| <b>Houston - Top of 4th</b>                                                                        |  | <b>HOU</b>     | <b>UAB</b>                               |
| Ansley walked.                                                                                     |  | 1              | 2                                        |
| Cokinos struck out swinging.                                                                       |  | 1              | 2                                        |
| Ansley stole second.                                                                               |  | 1              | 2                                        |
| Wallace struck out swinging.                                                                       |  | 1              | 2                                        |
| Creel homered down the rf line, 2 RBI; Ansley scored.                                              |  | 3              | 2                                        |
| Gracey struck out looking.                                                                         |  | 3              | 2                                        |
|                                                                                                    |  | <b>Runs: 2</b> | <b>Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0</b> |

| <b>UAB - Bottom of 4th</b>                       | <b>HOU</b> | <b>UAB</b> |
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| J. German flied out to cf.                       | 3          | 2          |
| A. Manning fouled out to 1b.                     | 3          | 2          |
| M. Saway walked.                                 | 3          | 2          |
| J. Austin grounded out to 3b.                    | 3          | 2          |
| <b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b> |            |            |

| <b>Houston - Top of 5th</b>                           | <b>HOU</b> | <b>UAB</b> |
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| Still walked.                                         | 3          | 2          |
| Kelso grounded out to 3b; Still advanced to second.   | 3          | 2          |
| Still advanced to third on a wild pitch.              | 3          | 2          |
| Presley singled up the middle, RBI; Still scored.     | 4          | 2          |
| Presley stole second.                                 | 4          | 2          |
| Ramsey doubled to left center, RBI; Presley scored.   | 5          | 2          |
| Ramsey out at third c to 3b, caught stealing.         | 5          | 2          |
| Ansley walked.                                        | 5          | 2          |
| Ansley stole second.                                  | 5          | 2          |
| Ansley advanced to third on a wild pitch.             | 5          | 2          |
| Cokinos homered to right field, 2 RBI; Ansley scored. | 7          | 2          |
| Wallace struck out looking.                           | 7          | 2          |
| <b>Runs: 4 Hits: 3 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0</b>      |            |            |

| <b>UAB - Bottom of 5th</b>                       | <b>HOU</b> | <b>UAB</b> |
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| N. Crawford grounded out to 3b.                  | 7          | 2          |
| J. Merritt flied out to rf.                      | 7          | 2          |
| J. Frost grounded out to 3b.                     | 7          | 2          |
| <b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0</b> |            |            |

| <b>Houston - Top of 6th</b>                      | <b>HOU</b> | <b>UAB</b> |
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| B. Bullard to p for B. Pender.                   | 7          | 2          |
| Creel struck out swinging.                       | 7          | 2          |
| Gracey singled to right field.                   | 7          | 2          |
| Gracey stole second.                             | 7          | 2          |
| Still lined out to 3b.                           | 7          | 2          |
| Gracey advanced to third on a balk.              | 7          | 2          |
| Kelso walked.                                    | 7          | 2          |
| Presley grounded out to ss.                      | 7          | 2          |
| <b>Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2</b> |            |            |

| <b>UAB - Bottom of 6th</b>                       | <b>HOU</b> | <b>UAB</b> |
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| L. Stewart flied out to lf.                      | 7          | 2          |
| R. Ussery flied out to rf.                       | 7          | 2          |
| J. German flied out to cf.                       | 7          | 2          |
| <b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0</b> |            |            |

| <b>Houston - Top of 7th</b>                                     | <b>HOU</b> | <b>UAB</b> |
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| Ramsey reached on a throwing error by 2b.                       | 7          | 2          |
| Ramsey out at second c to ss, caught stealing.                  | 7          | 2          |
| Ansley walked.                                                  | 7          | 2          |
| Ansley stole second.                                            | 7          | 2          |
| Cokinos flied out to cf; Ansley advanced to third on the throw. | 7          | 2          |
| Wallace homered to right field, 2 RBI; Ansley scored.           | 9          | 2          |
| Creel fouled out to rf.                                         | 9          | 2          |
| <b>Runs: 2 Hits: 1 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 0</b>                |            |            |

| <b>UAB - Bottom of 7th</b>                                                                | <b>HOU</b> | <b>UAB</b> |
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| A. Manning walked.                                                                        | 9          | 2          |
| M. Saway flied out to lf.                                                                 | 9          | 2          |
| J. Austin reached on a fielder's choice; A. Manning advanced to second on an error by 2b. | 9          | 2          |

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| N. Crawford popped up to 2b.                                                                                                           | 9 | 2 |
| J. Merritt doubled down the lf line, 2 RBI; J. Austin scored, unearned; A. Manning scored, unearned.                                   | 9 | 4 |
| J. Frost walked.                                                                                                                       | 9 | 4 |
| Laird to p for Kankel.                                                                                                                 | 9 | 4 |
| L. Stewart singled to right center, RBI; J. Frost advanced to third; J. Merritt scored, unearned.                                      | 9 | 5 |
| L. Stewart advanced to second; J. Frost scored on a wild pitch, unearned.                                                              | 9 | 6 |
| R. Ussery walked.                                                                                                                      | 9 | 6 |
| J. German reached on an error by ss; R. Ussery advanced to second; L. Stewart advanced to third.                                       | 9 | 6 |
| A. Manning singled through the left side, RBI; J. German advanced to second; R. Ussery advanced to third; L. Stewart scored, unearned. | 9 | 7 |
| B. Hicks pinch hit for M. Saway.                                                                                                       | 9 | 7 |
| Dempsey to p for Laird.                                                                                                                | 9 | 7 |
| B. Hicks flied out to rf.                                                                                                              | 9 | 7 |
| Runs: 5 Hits: 3 Errors: 2 Left On Base: 3                                                                                              |   |   |

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| <b>Houston - Top of 8th</b>                                                           | <b>HOU</b> | <b>UAB</b> |
| B. Hicks to lf.                                                                       | 9          | 7          |
| Gracey singled to left center.                                                        | 9          | 7          |
| Still reached on a fielder's choice to pitcher, SAC, bunt; Gracey advanced to second. | 9          | 7          |
| Kelso lined into double play 2b to 1b; Still out on the play.                         | 9          | 7          |
| T. Vice to p for B. Bullard.                                                          | 9          | 7          |
| Presley doubled down the lf line, RBI; Gracey scored.                                 | 10         | 7          |
| Ramsey tripled to center field, RBI; Presley scored.                                  | 11         | 7          |
| Ansley struck out swinging.                                                           | 11         | 7          |
| Runs: 2 Hits: 3 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1                                             |            |            |

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| <b>UAB - Bottom of 8th</b>                                                                  | <b>HOU</b> | <b>UAB</b> |
| Cannon to p for Dempsey.                                                                    | 11         | 7          |
| J. Austin walked.                                                                           | 11         | 7          |
| J. Austin stole second.                                                                     | 11         | 7          |
| N. Crawford singled to right field, RBI; J. Austin scored.                                  | 11         | 8          |
| J. Merritt reached on a fielder's choice; N. Crawford advanced to second on an error by 2b. | 11         | 8          |
| / for Cannon.                                                                               | 11         | 8          |
| Murphy, M. to 1b for Cokinos.                                                               | 11         | 8          |
| Creel to p.                                                                                 | 11         | 8          |
| J. Frost grounded into double play ss to 2b to 1b; J. Merritt out on the play.              | 11         | 8          |
| L. Stewart grounded out to p.                                                               | 11         | 8          |
| Runs: 1 Hits: 1 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 1                                                   |            |            |

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| <b>Houston - Top of 9th</b>                                                   | <b>HOU</b> | <b>UAB</b> |
| Murphy, M. homered to right field, RBI.                                       | 12         | 8          |
| Wallace homered to right field, RBI.                                          | 13         | 8          |
| Creel grounded out to p.                                                      | 13         | 8          |
| Gracey singled up the middle.                                                 | 13         | 8          |
| Gracey stole second.                                                          | 13         | 8          |
| Still walked.                                                                 | 13         | 8          |
| T. Waltman to p for T. Vice.                                                  | 13         | 8          |
| Kelso flied out to cf; Gracey advanced to third.                              | 13         | 8          |
| Presley walked; Still advanced to second; Gracey scored on a wild pitch.      | 14         | 8          |
| Ramsey singled to right field, RBI; Presley advanced to second; Still scored. | 15         | 8          |
| Ansley singled to right field, RBI; Ramsey advanced to third; Presley scored. | 16         | 8          |
| Murphy, M. walked; Ansley advanced to second.                                 | 16         | 8          |
| Wallace popped up to ss.                                                      | 16         | 8          |
| Runs: 5 Hits: 5 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 3                                     |            |            |

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| <b>UAB - Bottom of 9th</b>          | <b>HOU</b> | <b>UAB</b> |
| Runte to 3b for Gracey.             | 16         | 8          |
| D. Volk pinch hit for R. Ussery.    | 16         | 8          |
| D. Volk lined out to 3b.            | 16         | 8          |
| J. German grounded out to ss.       | 16         | 8          |
| A. Manning doubled to center field. | 16         | 8          |

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| B. Hicks walked.                                                              | 16 | 8  |
| J. Austin tripled to right center, 2 RBI; B. Hicks scored; A. Manning scored. | 16 | 10 |
| J. Austin scored on a wild pitch.                                             | 16 | 11 |
| N. Crawford grounded out to 2b.                                               | 16 | 11 |
| Runs: 3 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0                                     |    |    |