

**Northwestern (9-2) -vs- Valley City State (7-5)**  
**2/21/2026 at Sioux Center, Iowa**

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	R	H	E
Northwestern	3	0	0	2	0	0	3	8	10	1
Valley City State	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	6	3

**Northwestern 8**

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
R. Bomgaars cf	1	2	1	0	1	0	0
K. Kekerix 1b	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
A. Gross ss	5	2	3	2	0	1	2
A. Koontz p	4	0	2	0	0	0	0
A. Vortherms 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
F. Kacmaryns dp	3	1	1	1	1	0	1
P. Kingery 3b	4	0	0	0	0	0	2
T. Schmalbec 2b/p	2	0	0	0	2	0	0
C. Gors 1b/lf	4	0	1	0	0	1	3
B. Johannsen pr	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
S. Jacobs lf/cf	3	1	1	1	1	1	0
M. Murphy rf	3	1	1	0	0	1	0
J. Luevano c	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
<b>Totals</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>9</b>

**2B:** A. Gross (2); S. Jacobs (1)

**3B:** A. Gross (1)

**SB:** R. Bomgaars (1); A. Koontz (1); F. Kacmaryns (2); T. Schmalbec (1); S. Jacobs (1); M. Murphy (1)

**CS:** A. Koontz (1)

**HBP:** R. Bomgaars (1)

**E:** A. Vortherms (1)

**DP:** 2

**Valley City State 1**

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
P. Kihn dp	3	0	0	0	0	0	2
M. Bogenreif ss	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. Decker cf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
K. Stone 1b	3	0	1	0	0	0	0
A. Nicola 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0	1
A. Kowalyk ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
R. Mieras c	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
B. Leroux ph	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
O. Kalbus rf	3	1	2	1	0	0	0
A. Kuklinski lf	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
A. Schumache 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
H. Gerle ph	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
M. Hazelton p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Klaahsen p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>

**2B:** B. Leroux (1)

**HR:** O. Kalbus (1)

**E:** M. Bogenreif (1); O. Kalbus (1); A. Schumache (1)

Northwestern	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
A. Koontz (W, 7-1)	5.0	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	19	7	7	56
T. Schmalbec	2.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	6	2	2	19
<b>Totals</b>		<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>75</b>

Valley City State	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
M. Hazelton (L, 3-2)	4.0	6	5	4	4	2	2	0	1	0	18	23	2	7	104
C. Klaahsen	3.0	4	3	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	14	15	6	1	51
<b>Totals</b>		<b>10</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>155</b>

**Win:** A. Koontz (7-1)

**Loss:** M. Hazelton (3-2)

**HBP:** M. Hazelton

**PB:** None

**Start:** 12:30 PM **Time:** 2:00

**Game notes:**

## Play By Play

Northwestern - Top of 1st	NOR	VAL
R. Bomgaars singled to third base, bunt.	0	0
R. Bomgaars stole second.	0	0
A. Gross doubled to right field, RBI; R. Bomgaars scored.	1	0
A. Koontz singled to second base; A. Gross advanced to third.	1	0
A. Koontz out at second c to 2b, caught stealing.	1	0
F. Kacmaryns singled to center field, advanced to second on the throw, RBI; A. Gross scored.	2	0
P. Kingery grounded out to 2b; F. Kacmaryns advanced to third.	2	0
T. Schmalbec walked.	2	0
F. Kacmaryns stole home.	3	0
C. Gors grounded out to 2b.	3	0
<b>Runs: 3 Hits: 4 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b>		

Valley City State - Bottom of 1st	NOR	VAL
P. Kihn grounded out to 3b.	3	0
M. Bogenreif grounded out to 1b unassisted.	3	0
J. Decker grounded out to p.	3	0
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0</b>		

Northwestern - Top of 2nd	NOR	VAL
S. Jacobs struck out swinging.	3	0
M. Murphy struck out looking.	3	0
R. Bomgaars walked.	3	0
A. Gross grounded out to ss.	3	0
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b>		

Valley City State - Bottom of 2nd	NOR	VAL
K. Stone lined out to ss.	3	0
A. Nicola grounded out to 2b.	3	0
R. Mieras grounded out to p.	3	0
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0</b>		

Northwestern - Top of 3rd	NOR	VAL
A. Koontz singled to shortstop.	3	0
F. Kacmaryns popped up to 2b.	3	0
A. Koontz advanced to second on a wild pitch.	3	0
P. Kingery grounded out to ss.	3	0
A. Koontz advanced to third on a wild pitch.	3	0
T. Schmalbec walked.	3	0
T. Schmalbec stole second.	3	0
C. Gors grounded out to p.	3	0
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2</b>		

Valley City State - Bottom of 3rd	NOR	VAL
O. Kalbus homered, RBI.	3	1
A. Kuklinski flied out to lf.	3	1
A. Schumache grounded out to 3b.	3	1
P. Kihn flied out to rf.	3	1
<b>Runs: 1 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0</b>		

Northwestern - Top of 4th	NOR	VAL
S. Jacobs grounded out to 3b.	3	1
M. Murphy grounded out to 2b.	3	1
R. Bomgaars hit by pitch.	3	1
A. Gross tripled to right field, scored on a throwing error by 2b, unearned, RBI; R. Bomgaars scored.	5	1
A. Koontz reached first on an error by rf, advanced to second.	5	1
A. Koontz stole third.	5	1

F. Kacmaryns walked.	5	1
F. Kacmaryns stole second.	5	1
P. Kingery flied out to cf.	5	1
<b>Runs: 2 Hits: 1 Errors: 2 Left On Base: 2</b>		

**Valley City State - Bottom of 4th**

	NOR	VAL
M. Bogenreif flied out to lf.	5	1
J. Decker grounded out to ss.	5	1
K. Stone singled to left field.	5	1
A. Nicola lined out to rf.	5	1
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b>		

**Northwestern - Top of 5th**

	NOR	VAL
C. Klaahsen to p for M. Hazelton.	5	1
T. Schmalbec popped up to 1b.	5	1
C. Gors struck out swinging.	5	1
S. Jacobs walked.	5	1
M. Murphy to c for J. Luevano.	5	1
J. Luevano to rf for M. Murphy.	5	1
S. Jacobs stole second.	5	1
J. Luevano popped up to 2b.	5	1
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b>		

**Valley City State - Bottom of 5th**

	NOR	VAL
K. Kekerix to 1b for R. Bomgaars.	5	1
C. Gors to lf.	5	1
S. Jacobs to cf.	5	1
M. Murphy to rf for J. Luevano.	5	1
J. Luevano to c for M. Murphy.	5	1
R. Mieras singled, out at second cf to ss.	5	1
O. Kalbus singled to center field.	5	1
A. Kuklinski flied out to cf.	5	1
H. Gerle pinch hit for A. Schumache.	5	1
H. Gerle singled to center field; O. Kalbus advanced to second.	5	1
A. Schumache pinch ran for H. Gerle.	5	1
P. Kihn lined out to rf.	5	1
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 3 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2</b>		

**Northwestern - Top of 6th**

	NOR	VAL
A. Schumache to 2b.	5	1
K. Kekerix grounded out to ss.	5	1
A. Gross doubled to right center.	5	1
A. Koontz flied out to cf; A. Gross advanced to third.	5	1
F. Kacmaryns flied out to lf.	5	1
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b>		

**Valley City State - Bottom of 6th**

	NOR	VAL
A. Vortherms to 2b for A. Koontz.	5	1
T. Schmalbec to p.	5	1
M. Bogenreif reached first on an error by 2b.	5	1
J. Decker grounded into double play ss to 1b; M. Bogenreif out on the play.	5	1
K. Stone lined out to rf.	5	1
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 0</b>		

**Northwestern - Top of 7th**

	NOR	VAL
P. Kingery popped up to 2b.	5	1
T. Schmalbec flied out to lf.	5	1
C. Gors singled to center field.	5	1
B. Johannsen pinch ran for C. Gors.	5	1
S. Jacobs doubled to left center, RBI; B. Johannsen scored.	6	1

M. Murphy singled to first base, bunt; S. Jacobs advanced to third.	6	1
M. Murphy stole second.	6	1
K. Kekerix reached first on an error by ss; M. Murphy scored, unearned; S. Jacobs scored, unearned.	8	1
K. Kekerix advanced to second on a wild pitch.	8	1
A. Gross struck out swinging.	8	1
<b>Runs: 3 Hits: 3 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 1</b>		

**Valley City State - Bottom of 7th**

	NOR	VAL
C. Gors to lf for B. Johannsen.	8	1
A. Kowalyk pinch hit for A. Nicola.	8	1
A. Kowalyk grounded out to 2b.	8	1
B. Leroux pinch hit for R. Mieras.	8	1
B. Leroux doubled to left field.	8	1
O. Kalbus flied into double play rf; B. Leroux out on the play.	8	1
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0</b>		