

**Tusculum (5-11, 1-7 SAC) -vs- Wingate (13-4, 5-2 SAC)**  
**2/28/2026 at Wingate, N.C. (Ron Christopher)**

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Tusculum	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	2	6	14	0
Wingate	0	2	2	0	3	1	1	0	X	9	12	4

**Tusculum 6**

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
Landon Dockery cf	5	1	1	0	1	0	0
Ryan Ortega rf	4	1	2	0	1	1	3
Alejandro Ponte dh	6	1	1	0	0	2	0
Kolby Watson 1b	5	1	2	3	1	0	1
Evan Goins 3b	5	1	2	0	0	1	5
Caden Rector ss	5	0	3	1	1	0	0
Jack Gagen c	3	0	0	0	1	1	3
Jake Absher ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Jake Smith 2b	4	1	2	1	1	1	0
Nathan Hayworth lf	4	0	1	1	1	1	5
Walker Pedante p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cooper Emery p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Will Webb p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>19</b>

**SH:** Jack Gagen (1)  
**SB:** Jake Smith (1); Nathan Hayworth (1)  
**HBP:** Ryan Ortega (1); Evan Goins (1)  
**DP:** 1

**Wingate 9**

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
Gavin Groppuso rf	3	1	1	1	2	1	2
Bowen Powell 1b	4	1	1	0	1	0	0
Sean Sullivan dh	2	1	0	0	1	0	1
Tanner McCammon 3b	5	1	1	0	0	2	2
Ben Karpowicz lf	5	2	3	1	0	1	0
Jake Courville ss	4	2	3	2	1	0	0
Jalen Evans 2b	3	1	2	3	2	0	0
Luke St. John c	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Jordan Dixon ph	1	0	0	0	0	1	3
B. Hart c	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Reed Benamati cf	4	0	1	2	0	1	0
JD Little p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carson Starnes p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jett Thomas p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Parker Jensen p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>11</b>

**2B:** Bowen Powell (1); Jake Courville (1); Jalen Evans (1)  
**HR:** Gavin Groppuso (1); Ben Karpowicz (1)  
**SH:** Luke St. John (1)  
**SB:** Gavin Groppuso (3)  
**HBP:** Sean Sullivan (2)  
**E:** Bowen Powell (1); Tanner McCammon (1); Jalen Evans (1); Reed Benamati (1)

Tusculum	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
Walker Pedante (L, 1-2)	4.1	8	7	7	3	4	0	0	2	0	19	25	1	7	-
Cooper Emery	1.1	1	1	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	5	8	2	1	-
Will Webb	2.1	3	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	10	11	2	4	-
<b>Totals</b>		<b>12</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>12</b>	

Wingate	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
JD Little	3.2	5	3	2	4	3	0	0	1	0	17	22	4	4	-
Carson Starnes	0.1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	1	-
Jett Thomas (W, 1-0)	2.0	3	1	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	8	11	1	2	-
Parker Jensen (S, 2)	3.0	5	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	15	16	3	5	-
<b>Totals</b>		<b>14</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>12</b>	

**Win:** Jett Thomas (1-0)  
**Loss:** Walker Pedante (1-2)  
**Save:** Parker Jensen (2)  
**HBP:** Walker Pedante, JD Little, Parker Jensen  
**PB:** None

**Start:** 1 PM **Time:** 3:14 **Attendance:** 208 **Weather:** Overcast, 57 degrees

## Play By Play

<b>Tusculum - Top of 1st</b>	<b>TU</b>	<b>WU</b>
Landon Docke popped up to ss.	0	0
Ryan Ortega singled to third base.	0	0
Alejandro Po lined out to 3b; Ryan Ortega advanced to second on a throwing error by 3b.	0	0
Kolby Watson grounded out to ss.	0	0
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 1</b>		

<b>Wingate - Bottom of 1st</b>	<b>TU</b>	<b>WU</b>
G. Groppuso walked.	0	0
G. Groppuso stole second.	0	0
Bowen Powell lined out to rf.	0	0
G. Groppuso stole third.	0	0
S. Sullivan hit by pitch.	0	0
T. McCammon grounded into double play 2b to ss to 1b; S. Sullivan out on the play.	0	0
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b>		

<b>Tusculum - Top of 2nd</b>	<b>TU</b>	<b>WU</b>
Evan Goins singled to left field.	0	0
Caden Rector flied out to cf.	0	0
Jack Gagen walked; Evan Goins advanced to second.	0	0
Jake Smith reached on a fielder's choice; Jack Gagen out at second ss to 2b; Evan Goins advanced to third.	0	0
Jake Smith stole second.	0	0
Nathan Haywo singled to second base, RBI; Jake Smith advanced to third; Evan Goins scored.	1	0
Nathan Haywo stole second.	1	0
Landon Docke walked.	1	0
Ryan Ortega struck out swinging.	1	0
<b>Runs: 1 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 3</b>		

<b>Wingate - Bottom of 2nd</b>	<b>TU</b>	<b>WU</b>
B. Karpowicz homered to right field, RBI.	1	1
J. Courville singled up the middle.	1	1
Jalen Evans singled through the left side; J. Courville advanced to second.	1	1
L. St. John grounded out to 1b unassisted, bunt, SAC; Jalen Evans advanced to second; J. Courville advanced to third.	1	1
R. Benamati grounded out to ss, RBI; Jalen Evans advanced to third; J. Courville scored.	1	2
G. Groppuso struck out swinging.	1	2
<b>Runs: 2 Hits: 3 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b>		

<b>Tusculum - Top of 3rd</b>	<b>TU</b>	<b>WU</b>
Alejandro Po struck out swinging.	1	2
Kolby Watson reached on an error by 1b.	1	2
Evan Goins hit by pitch; Kolby Watson advanced to second.	1	2
Caden Rector singled up the middle; Evan Goins advanced to second; Kolby Watson advanced to third.	1	2
Jack Gagen struck out looking.	1	2
Jake Smith walked, RBI; Caden Rector advanced to second; Evan Goins advanced to third; Kolby Watson scored, unearned.	2	2
Nathan Haywo flied out to cf.	2	2
<b>Runs: 1 Hits: 1 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 3</b>		

<b>Wingate - Bottom of 3rd</b>	<b>TU</b>	<b>WU</b>
Bowen Powell grounded out to 2b.	2	2
S. Sullivan hit by pitch.	2	2
T. McCammon struck out swinging.	2	2
B. Karpowicz singled to shortstop; S. Sullivan advanced to third.	2	2
J. Courville doubled to left field, 2 RBI; B. Karpowicz scored; S. Sullivan scored.	2	4
Jalen Evans walked.	2	4
L. St. John reached on a fielder's choice; Jalen Evans advanced to second; J. Courville out at third 3b unassisted.	2	4

Runs: 2 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2

Tusculum - Top of 4th	TU	WU
Landon Docke grounded out to 3b.	2	4
Ryan Ortega walked.	2	4
Alejandro Po grounded out to 2b; Ryan Ortega advanced to second.	2	4
Kolby Watson singled up the middle, RBI; Ryan Ortega scored.	3	4
C. Starnes to p for JD Little.	3	4
Evan Goins singled to left field; Kolby Watson advanced to second.	3	4
Caden Rector walked; Evan Goins advanced to second; Kolby Watson advanced to third.	3	4
Jack Gagen reached on a fielder's choice; Caden Rector out at second ss to 2b.	3	4
<b>Runs: 1 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 3</b>		

Wingate - Bottom of 4th	TU	WU
R. Benamati struck out swinging.	3	4
G. Groppuso walked.	3	4
G. Groppuso stole second.	3	4
Bowen Powell grounded out to 1b unassisted; G. Groppuso advanced to third.	3	4
S. Sullivan grounded out to ss.	3	4
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b>		

Tusculum - Top of 5th	TU	WU
Jett Thomas to p for C. Starnes.	3	4
Jake Smith singled through the left side.	3	4
Nathan Haywo walked; Jake Smith advanced to second.	3	4
Landon Docke singled to pitcher, bunt; Nathan Haywo advanced to second; Jake Smith advanced to third.	3	4
Ryan Ortega popped up to 2b.	3	4
Alejandro Po struck out looking.	3	4
Kolby Watson walked, RBI; Landon Docke advanced to second; Nathan Haywo advanced to third; Jake Smith scored.	4	4
Evan Goins reached on a fielder's choice; Kolby Watson out at second 2b to ss.	4	4
<b>Runs: 1 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 3</b>		

Wingate - Bottom of 5th	TU	WU
T. McCammon singled up the middle.	4	4
B. Karpowicz struck out looking.	4	4
J. Courville singled to center field; T. McCammon advanced to second.	4	4
Jalen Evans doubled to left center, 2 RBI; J. Courville scored; T. McCammon scored.	4	6
Cooper Emery to p for Walker Pedan.	4	6
L. St. John popped up to 2b.	4	6
R. Benamati singled through the left side, advanced to second on the throw, RBI; Jalen Evans scored.	4	7
G. Groppuso lined out to cf.	4	7
<b>Runs: 3 Hits: 4 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b>		

Tusculum - Top of 6th	TU	WU
Caden Rector singled through the left side.	4	7
Jack Gagen grounded out to p, SAC, bunt; Caden Rector advanced to second.	4	7
Jake Smith struck out looking.	4	7
Nathan Haywo struck out swinging.	4	7
<b>Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1</b>		

Wingate - Bottom of 6th	TU	WU
Bowen Powell walked.	4	7
S. Sullivan walked; Bowen Powell advanced to second.	4	7
T. McCammon struck out swinging.	4	7
B. Karpowicz reached on a fielder's choice; S. Sullivan out at second 3b to 2b; Bowen Powell advanced to third.	4	7
J. Courville walked; B. Karpowicz advanced to second.	4	7
Will Webb to p for Cooper Emery.	4	7
Jalen Evans walked, RBI; J. Courville advanced to second; B. Karpowicz advanced to third; Bowen Powell scored.	4	8

Jordan Dixon pinch hit for L. St. John.	4	8		
Jordan Dixon struck out looking.	4	8		
	<b>Runs: 1</b>	<b>Hits: 0</b>	<b>Errors: 0</b>	<b>Left On Base: 3</b>

**Tusculum - Top of 7th**

	TU	WU		
B. Hart to c for Jordan Dixon.	4	8		
P. Jensen to p for Jett Thomas.	4	8		
Landon Docke flied out to cf.	4	8		
Ryan Ortega hit by pitch.	4	8		
Alejandro Po singled through the left side; Ryan Ortega advanced to second.	4	8		
Kolby Watson reached on a fielder's choice; Alejandro Po out at second ss unassisted; Ryan Ortega advanced to third.	4	8		
Evan Goins grounded out to p.	4	8		
	<b>Runs: 0</b>	<b>Hits: 1</b>	<b>Errors: 0</b>	<b>Left On Base: 2</b>

**Wingate - Bottom of 7th**

	TU	WU		
R. Benamati grounded out to c, bunt.	4	8		
G. Groppuso homered down the rf line, RBI.	4	9		
Bowen Powell doubled to left field.	4	9		
S. Sullivan flied out to lf.	4	9		
T. McCammon grounded out to ss.	4	9		
	<b>Runs: 1</b>	<b>Hits: 2</b>	<b>Errors: 0</b>	<b>Left On Base: 1</b>

**Tusculum - Top of 8th**

	TU	WU		
Caden Rector lined out to lf.	4	9		
Jack Gagen grounded out to ss.	4	9		
Jake Smith singled to pitcher.	4	9		
Nathan Haywo grounded out to ss.	4	9		
	<b>Runs: 0</b>	<b>Hits: 1</b>	<b>Errors: 0</b>	<b>Left On Base: 1</b>

**Wingate - Bottom of 8th**

	TU	WU		
B. Karpowicz singled up the middle.	4	9		
J. Courville reached on a fielder's choice; B. Karpowicz out at second 3b to 2b.	4	9		
Jalen Evans flied out to rf.	4	9		
B. Hart grounded out to 3b.	4	9		
	<b>Runs: 0</b>	<b>Hits: 1</b>	<b>Errors: 0</b>	<b>Left On Base: 1</b>

**Tusculum - Top of 9th**

	TU	WU		
Landon Docke reached on an error by 2b.	4	9		
Ryan Ortega singled to center field; Landon Docke advanced to second.	4	9		
Alejandro Po reached on a fielder's choice; Ryan Ortega out at second 3b to 2b; Landon Docke advanced to third.	4	9		
Kolby Watson singled through the right side, RBI; Alejandro Po advanced to second; Landon Docke scored, unearned.	5	9		
Evan Goins struck out swinging.	5	9		
Caden Rector singled to center field, advanced to second on an error by cf, RBI; Kolby Watson advanced to third; Alejandro Po scored, unearned.	6	9		
Jake Absher pinch hit for Jack Gagen.	6	9		
Jake Absher flied out to lf.	6	9		
	<b>Runs: 2</b>	<b>Hits: 3</b>	<b>Errors: 2</b>	<b>Left On Base: 2</b>

**Wingate - Bottom of 9th**

	TU	WU		
	<b>Runs: 0</b>	<b>Hits: 0</b>	<b>Errors: 0</b>	<b>Left On Base: 0</b>