Ball State (10-10, 5-2 MAC) -vs- Western Michigan (10-9, 6-1 MAC)
3/20/2026 at Allendale, Mich. (GVSU Baseball Field)

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Ball State	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	**1**	**6**	**0**
Western Michigan	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	X	**2**	**9**	**0**

Ball State 1

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
Gavin Balius cf/2b	5	0	1	0	0	0	0
Jacob Gillis 1b	3	0	1	0	1	1	0
Brett Griffiths ss	4	0	0	0	0	1	3
Ryan Muizelaar 3b	4	0	1	0	0	1	0
Brayden Huebner dh	4	0	1	0	0	0	2
Kenskey Thomas lf	4	1	1	0	0	2	0
Max Kalk c	2	0	0	0	1	2	1
Taber Stokes 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brady Davidson ph	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
Kendric Sorgius rf	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Tommy Landsnes ph	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
John Colligan rf/cf	3	0	0	0	0	1	3
DJ Scheumann ph	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Brendan Garza p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zander Bretza p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	**33**	**1**	**6**	**1**	**3**	**10**	**9**

Western Michigan 2

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB
MALLY, Tanner cf	4	1	3	0	0	0	0
HOWARD, Drew 2b	4	1	1	0	0	1	1
MALONEY, Michael ss	3	0	1	0	0	1	2
OSTRANDER, Connor rf	3	0	1	1	0	0	0
THIELMAN, Avery 1b	4	0	1	1	0	1	0
MENNECKE, Mark lf	4	0	1	0	0	0	2
POLUBINSKI, Josh dh	3	0	0	0	0	1	2
PILARSKI, Mason 3b	3	0	1	0	0	2	0
ZAJAC, Nolan c	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
VRIESENGA, Zach p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
THOMPSON, DJ p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DORAN, Turner p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	**31**	**2**	**9**	**2**	**0**	**7**	**7**

SH: MALONEY, Michael (1)
SF: OSTRANDER, Connor (1)

2B: Brayden Huebner (1); Kenskey Thomas (1)
HBP: Max Kalk (1)

Ball State	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
Brendan Garza (L, 2-2)	7.0	8	2	2	0	6	0	0	0	0	27	29	8	7	103
Zander Bretza	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	4	2	0	18
Totals		**9**	**2**	**2**	**0**	**7**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**31**	**33**	**10**	**7**	**121**

Western Michigan	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	BK	HBP	IBB	AB	BF	FO	GO	NP
VRIESENGA, Zach (W, 1-1)	6.0	5	1	1	3	5	0	0	1	0	23	27	7	6	91
THOMPSON, DJ	2.0	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	7	7	1	2	26
DORAN, Turner (S, 4)	1.0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	3	1	0	18
Totals		**6**	**1**	**1**	**3**	**10**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**33**	**37**	**9**	**8**	**135**

Win: VRIESENGA, Zach (1-1)
Loss: Brendan Garza (2-2)
Save: DORAN, Turner (4)
HBP: VRIESENGA, Zach
PB: None

Umpires: Home Plate: Cory Hinga First: Aaron Woodbury Third Base: Nate Thompson
Start: 3:02 pm **Time:** 2:35 **Attendance:** 127 **Weather:** 64, M Sunny, wind WNW 3 mph

Play By Play

Ball State - Top of 1st	BAL	WMU
Balius flied out to rf (1-1 KB).	0	0
Gillis popped up to 2b to right center (1-2 SKB).	0	0
Griffiths grounded out to 2b (2-1 BFB).	0	0

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

Western Michigan - Bottom of 1st	BAL	WMU
MALLY, T. singled to left field (0-0).	0	0
HOWARD, D. singled to center field (1-1 BK); MALLY, T. advanced to second.	0	0
MALONEY, Mi. out at first 3b to 2b, SAC, bunt (0-0); HOWARD, D. advanced to second; MALLY, T. advanced to third.	0	0
OSTRANDER, C flied out to rf, SF, RBI (1-2 KFB); HOWARD, D. advanced to third; MALLY, T. scored.	0	**1**
THIELMAN, A. singled through the left side, RBI (0-0); HOWARD, D. scored.	0	**2**
MENNECKE, M. grounded out to 1b unassisted (1-0 B).	0	2

Runs: 2 **Hits:** 3 **Errors:** 0 **Left On Base:** 1

Ball State - Top of 2nd	BAL	WMU
Muizelaar struck out looking (3-2 BBFFBFK).	0	2
Huebner grounded out to 3b (0-2 SK).	0	2
Thomas flied out to cf (1-0 B).	0	2

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

Western Michigan - Bottom of 2nd	BAL	WMU
POLUBINSKI struck out looking (0-2 FSK).	0	2
PILARSKI, M. struck out swinging (1-2 SKBS).	0	2
ZAJAC, N. flied out to rf down the rf line (2-2 FBSB).	0	2

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

Ball State - Top of 3rd	BAL	WMU
Kalk hit by pitch (2-2 SFBB).	0	2
Stokes flied out to cf (0-0).	0	2
Colligan struck out looking (2-2 BBKFK).	0	2
Balius singled through the right side (0-1 K); Kalk advanced to second.	0	2
Gillis walked (3-0 BBBB); Balius advanced to second; Kalk advanced to third.	0	2
Griffiths flied out to cf to left center (0-1 K).	0	2

Runs: 0 **Hits:** 1 **Errors:** 0 **Left On Base:** 3

Western Michigan - Bottom of 3rd	BAL	WMU
MALLY, T. lined out to p (2-0 BB).	0	2
HOWARD, D. grounded out to 1b unassisted (1-2 SKBF).	0	2
MALONEY, Mi. struck out swinging (3-2 BBFBKFS).	0	2

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

Ball State - Top of 4th	BAL	WMU
Muizelaar grounded out to 3b (0-0).	0	2
Huebner flied out to rf (0-0).	0	2
Thomas doubled down the lf line (3-2 KKBBB).	0	2
Kalk walked (3-0 BBBB).	0	2
Davidson pinch hit for Stokes.	0	2
Davidson singled through the right side, RBI (0-0); Kalk advanced to third; Thomas scored.	**1**	2
Colligan grounded out to p, bunt (0-0).	1	2

Runs: 1 **Hits:** 2 **Errors:** 0 **Left On Base:** 2

Western Michigan - Bottom of 4th	BAL	WMU
Balius to 2b.	1	2
Sorgius to rf for Davidson.	1	2
Colligan to cf.	1	2

OSTRANDER, C flied out to rf (3-2 FBBBF).	1	2
THIELMAN, A. out at first p to ss to 1b (1-0 B).	1	2
MENNECKE, M. singled to right field (2-2 BBSK).	1	2
POLUBINSKI grounded out to ss (1-1 FB).	1	2

Runs: 0 **Hits:** 1 **Errors:** 0 **Left On Base:** 1

Ball State - Top of 5th	BAL	WMU
Balius grounded out to 2b (3-2 KBFBB).	1	2
Gillis singled to right center (1-2 FKB).	1	2
Griffiths struck out swinging (1-2 KBKS).	1	2
Muizelaar singled through the left side (0-0); Gillis advanced to second.	1	2
Huebner flied out to rf (1-0 B).	1	2

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

Western Michigan - Bottom of 5th	BAL	WMU
PILARSKI, M. singled to right field (3-2 KBFBB).	1	2
ZAJAC, N. struck out swinging (3-2 BBBKFS).	1	2
MALLY, T. singled to right field (1-1 FB); PILARSKI, M. advanced to second.	1	2
HOWARD, D. lined out to cf (0-0).	1	2
MALONEY, Mi. grounded out to 1b unassisted (0-2 FSF).	1	2

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

Ball State - Top of 6th	BAL	WMU
Thomas struck out swinging (3-2 BBBKKS).	1	2
Kalk struck out swinging (3-2 BBBKFS).	1	2
Sorgius walked (3-1 BBKBB).	1	2
Colligan grounded out to 1b unassisted (0-0).	1	2

Runs: 0 **Hits:** 0 **Errors:** 0 **Left On Base:** 1

Western Michigan - Bottom of 6th	BAL	WMU
OSTRANDER, C singled to third base, bunt (0-0).	1	2
THIELMAN, A. reached on a fielder's choice (2-0 BB); OSTRANDER, C out at second 2b to ss.	1	2
MENNECKE, M. fouled out to 1b (1-2 KFB).	1	2
POLUBINSKI popped up to 1b (0-0).	1	2

Runs: 0 **Hits:** 1 **Errors:** 0 **Left On Base:** 1

Ball State - Top of 7th	BAL	WMU
THOMPSON, D. to p for VRIESENGA, Z.	1	2
Balius grounded out to 3b (3-2 KBKBFBF).	1	2
Gillis struck out swinging, out at first c to 1b (1-2 KBKS).	1	2
Griffiths grounded out to 3b (0-1 F).	1	2

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

Western Michigan - Bottom of 7th	BAL	WMU
PILARSKI, M. struck out swinging (2-2 BBKSS).	1	2
ZAJAC, N. lined out to 2b (1-2 BKS).	1	2
MALLY, T. singled through the right side (2-2 BBFK).	1	2
HOWARD, D. struck out swinging (2-2 BFKBS).	1	2

Runs: 0 **Hits:** 1 **Errors:** 0 **Left On Base:** 1

Ball State - Top of 8th	BAL	WMU
Muizelaar flied out to cf (0-0).	1	2
Huebner doubled down the rf line (1-1 KB).	1	2
Thomas struck out swinging (0-2 KSS).	1	2
Kalk struck out looking (2-2 SBBFK).	1	2

Runs: 0 **Hits:** 1 **Errors:** 0 **Left On Base:** 1

Western Michigan - Bottom of 8th	BAL	WMU
Bretza to p for Garza.	1	2
MALONEY, Mi. singled to left field (2-2 BKBKF).	1	2

OSTRANDER, C flied out to lf (0-0).	1	2
THIELMAN, A. struck out swinging (3-2 BSFBFFBFS).	1	2
MENNECKE, M. lined out to ss (0-1 F).	1	2

Runs: 0 **Hits:** 1 **Errors:** 0 **Left On Base:** 1

Ball State - Top of 9th	BAL	WMU
DORAN, T. to p for THOMPSON, D..	1	2
Landsnes pinch hit for Sorgius.	1	2
Landsnes struck out swinging (1-2 FBKS).	1	2
Scheumann pinch hit for Colligan.	1	2
Scheumann struck out swinging (3-2 SBBBKFFS).	1	2
Balius flied out to cf to right center (3-2 BKBKB).	1	2

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

Western Michigan - Bottom of 9th	BAL	WMU

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