



NORWICH (0-1) at LAKE MONSTERS (1-0)

Thursday -- May 25, 2023 -- Overall Game #2 -- Home Game #2

2021 & 2022 Futures Collegiate Baseball League Regular-Season Champs
2021 FCBL Playoff Champions --- 2023 FCBL All-Star Game Host (July 25th)



SCHEDULE AND RESULTS			
Date	Opponent	Score	Rec
5/24	BROCKTON	6-4	W 1-0
5/25	NORWICH	6:35	
5/26	NORWICH	6:35	
5/27	PITTSFIELD	6:05	
5/28	PITTSFIELD	5:05	
5/29	@Norwich	6:30	
5/30	@New Britain	6:30	
5/31	@New Britain	6:30	
6/1	@Brockton	6:30	
6/2	@Brockton	6:30	
6/3	WESTFIELD	6:05	WYCI
6/4	WESTFIELD	5:05	
6/5			
6/6	NASHUA	6:35	WYCI
6/7	BROCKTON	6:35	
6/8	BROCKTON	6:35	
6/9	@New Britain	6:30	
6/10	@New Britain	6:30	
6/11	@Worcester	4:00	
6/12			
6/13	PITTSFIELD	6:35	
6/14	NEW BRITAIN	6:35	
6/15	NEW BRITAIN	6:35	
6/16	@Pittsfield	6:35	
6/17	WESTFIELD	6:05	
6/18	WESTFIELD	5:05	
6/19			
6/20	@Pittsfield	6:35	
6/21	@Pittsfield	6:35	
6/22	@Nashua	6:00	
6/23	PITTSFIELD	6:35	
6/24	WORCESTER	6:05	
6/25	WORCESTER	5:05	
6/26			
6/27	NASHUA	6:35	WYCI
6/28	@Westfield	6:30	
6/29	NEW BRITAIN	6:35	
6/30	NEW BRITAIN	6:35	
7/1	@Norwich	6:30	
7/2	@Norwich	4:00	
7/3			
7/4	@Nashua	11:00	
7/5	WORCESTER	6:35	
7/6	WORCESTER	6:35	
7/7	@Nashua	6:00	
7/8	WESTFIELD	6:05	WYCI
7/9	WESTFIELD	5:05	
7/10			
7/11	@Nashua	6:00	
7/12	@Worcester	6:30	
7/13	@Worcester	6:30	
7/14	NASHUA	6:35	
7/15	NORWICH	6:05	WYCI
7/16	NORWICH	5:05	
7/17			
7/18	NEW BRITAIN	6:35	WYCI
7/19	NEW BRITAIN	6:35	
7/20	@Worcester	6:30	
7/21	@Worcester	6:30	
7/22	@New Britain	6:30	
7/23	@New Britain	1:35	
7/24	Home Run Derby	6:35	
7/25	All-Star Game	6:35	WYCI
7/26			
7/27	@Brockton	6:30	
7/28	@Brockton	6:30	
7/29	NASHUA	6:05	
7/30	NASHUA	5:05	
7/31			
8/1	NASHUA	6:35	
8/2	@Nashua	6:00	
8/3	WORCESTER	6:35	
8/4	WORCESTER	6:35	
8/5	@Worcester	6:30	
8/6	@Brockton	3:00	

FOR THE RECORD: (1-0 at Centennial, 0-0 road, 1-0 May)

- * Lake Monsters began 3rd Futures League season last night with a 6-4 victory over the Brockton Rox (1st season-opening win in 3rd FCBL season)
- * Vermont won 2021 Futures League Championship along with 2021 (42-24) & 2022 (44-19) FCBL regular-season titles (combined 86-43)
- * Since July 1, 2021 Vermont has 82-28 record in regular-season/playoffs
- * While in 3rd FCBL year, it's 29th season overall for Lake Monsters (1994-2019NY-Penn League affiliate Montreal, Washington and Oakland)
- * 991-1092 all-time in the regular-season (904-1050 NYPL, 87-43 FCBL)

LAST NIGHT: Lake Monsters 6-5-1, Brockton 4-4-2

- * Vermont scored 4 unearned runs in bottom of 1st inning and held on for the season opener win as Wyatt Cameron retired last 6 batters
- * With Lake Monsters leading 6-4, Brockton loaded bases with no outs in the top 8th when Cameron came on in relief to strikeout side and then 1 strikeout in 1-2-3 top 9th for save (27 pitches/21 strikes)
- * Colby Brouillette had a 2-run triple in the 4-run 1st and Cooper O'Brien added a 2-run single in the 6th inning to give Vermont a 6-3 advantage
- * Francis Ferguson allowed 3 runs on 2 hits over 4 innings, while Georgdon Jackson Murphy 1 hit in 2 scoreless innings to earn the win

LIDLIFTERS: Wednesday's win was Vermont's 1st season-opening victory in its 3rd Futures League season (lost at Westfield 2021 & 2022)

* Vermont is 10-19 in 29 season openers all-time (includes NYPL openers)

TV IN '23: Along with all 64 Lake Monster home and road games streaming live (and on demand) at fcblnetwork.com for 3rd straight year, 8 home games (plus All-Star Game) will be simulcast live on WYCI-TV

* Dates for remaining 8 TV games can be found on schedule to the left

RETURNEES: As of opening day, 10 players are scheduled to return to the Lake Monsters for either their 2nd or 3rd season in Vermont

- * To start season Colby Brouillette, Wyatt Cameron, Francis Ferguson and Silas Reed return for 3rd seasons (Tyler Favretto expected in early June)
- * Back for a 2nd season are Tommy Martin, Oliver Pudvar and Tanner Wolpert with William Gumbrell and Logan Keller are expected soon

LOCAL TIES: With 6 players on the opening day roster and 5 more scheduled to join team over next month, 11 players from the state of Vermont signed to play for Monsters this summer (see list above right)

LOOKING BACK: After starting 2022 season with 3 straight losses, Vermont had a 13-game winning streak and won 23 of 25 for 23-5 record

* Lake Monsters went 21-14 over their final 35 regular-season games to finish with FCBL record 44 wins (44-19) after record 42 wins in 2021

STARS AT CENTENNIAL: The Vermont Lake Monsters will be hosting the 2023 Futures League All-Star Game at historic Centennial Field on Tuesday, July 25th with first pitch scheduled for 6:35 pm

- * Centennial Field will also host the 2023 FCBL Home Run Derby (and post-derby concert) Monday, July 24th also scheduled for 6:35 pm
- * Tickets are on now sale for both nights at vermontlakemonsters.com

Standings	W	L	Pct	GB	VTvs
Vermont	1	0	1.000	----	xxx
New Britain	1	0	1.000	----	0-0
Pittsfield	1	0	1.000	----	0-0
Worcester	1	0	1.000	----	0-0
Brockton	0	1	.000	1.0	0-1
Norwich	0	1	.000	1.0	0-0
Nashua	0	1	.000	1.0	0-0
Westfield	0	1	.000	1.0	0-0

YESTERDAY'S GAMES

Vermont 6, Brockton 4
Worcester 14, Norwich 11
New Britain 5, Westfield 3
Pittsfield 13, Nashua 3 (7)

TODAY'S GAMES

Norwich at Vermont, 6:35pm
Worcester at Westfield, 10:30am
Pittsfield at New Britain, 10:35am
Nashua at Brockton, 6:30pm

VERMONTERS ON MONSTERS

Player	High School
Colby Brouillette	BFA-St. Albans'
Wyatt Cameron	Middlebury
William Gumbrell	Burlington
Oliver Pudvar	CVU
Tanner Wolpert	Rice
Brayden Howrigan	Enosburg
Ben Alekson	Peoples/Stowe
Ryan Eaton	CVU
Braedon Jones	CVU
Cooper O'Brien	Vergennes
Tyler Wells	St. Johnsbury

vs. NORWICH

Total: 10-4	2022: 6-1	2021: 4-3
Home: 6-1	Home: 3-0	Home: 3-1
Away: 4-3	Away: 3-1	Away: 1-2
Current Win/Loss Streak: 1 loss		
Long Win Streak: 8 (7/8/21-8/2/22)		
Long Losing Streak: 2 (6/29-30/21)		
Largest Vermont Win: 10 (11-1) 6/17/22		
Large Norwich Win: 4 (6-2,5/30/21&9-5/6/30/21)		
Most Vermont Runs: 11, 6/17/22 & 8/2/22		
Most Norwich Runs: 9, 6/30/21		

	2023 Overall		2022 Series	
	VT	NOR	VT	NOR
Avg	.167	.265	.296	.267
OBP	.324	.435	.430	.317
R	6	11	56	29
H	5	9	67	62
HR	0	0	5	1
BB	7	10	41	16
SO	9	12	57	57
SB	1	4	11	5
ERA	3.00	15.75	3.79	8.02
R	4	14	29	56
H	4	12	62	67
HR	1	2	1	5
BB	8	5	16	41
SO	9	12	57	57
E	1	1	12	11

FORMER LAKE MONSTERS OF THE NIGHT --- FUTURE FORWARD

FUTURE LEAGUE LAKE MONSTERS

M.J. Metz '21-22 (Duke) hitting .274 (46x168) with 44 R, 7 2B, 13 HR, 40 RBI including game-tying 2-run homer in bottom of 9th inning in ACC Tournament game on Tuesday night vs. N.C. State (Blue Devils lost 8-7 in 11 innings)

Ethan Anderson '21 (Virginia) hitting .374 (85x227), 60 R, 23 2B, 10 HR, 55 RBI, 36 BB, 29 so including 2-for-4 with 3 runs and solo homer in Virginia's 15-1 victory on Wednesday in the ACC Tournament, while Anthony Stephan '21 (.331, 33 r, 12 2b, 2 hr, 26 rbi) 2-for-4 with 1 r, 3b, 2 rbi and Harrison Didawick '22 1-for-1 as a pinch hitter

Owen Kellington '21 is 0-1, 4.39 ERA (26.2 IP, 12 BB, 36 SO) for Bradenton Pirates (Florida State League)