



# LAKE MONSTERS (0-0) at WESTFIELD (0-0)

Thursday --- May 27, 2021 --- Overall Game #1 --- Away Game #1

Gamenotes for the Vermont Lake Monsters / Futures Collegiate Baseball League



| SCHEDULE AND RESULTS |                              |              |
|----------------------|------------------------------|--------------|
| Date                 | Opponent                     | Score Record |
| 5/26                 |                              |              |
| 5/27                 | @Westfield                   | 6:30         |
| 5/28                 | @Pittsfield                  | 6:35         |
| 5/29                 | NORWICH                      | 6:05         |
| 5/30                 | NORWICH                      | 5:05         |
| 5/31                 |                              |              |
| 6/1                  | BROCKTON                     | 7:05         |
| 6/2                  | BROCKTON                     | 7:05         |
| 6/3                  | WORCESTER                    | 7:05         |
| 6/4                  | WORCESTER                    | 7:05         |
| 6/5                  | @Westfield                   | 6:30         |
| 6/6                  | @Westfield                   | 3:00         |
| 6/7                  |                              |              |
| 6/8                  | NEW BRITIAN                  | 7:05         |
| 6/9                  | NEW BRITIAN                  | 7:05         |
| 6/10                 | @Brockton                    | 6:00         |
| 6/11                 | @Brockton                    | 6:00         |
| 6/12                 | WESTFIELD                    | 6:05         |
| 6/13                 | @Westfield                   | 3:00         |
| 6/14                 |                              |              |
| 6/15                 | @Nashua                      | 6:00         |
| 6/16                 | @Worcester                   | 6:30         |
| 6/17                 | @Worcester                   | 6:30         |
| 6/18                 | @Nashua                      | 6:00         |
| 6/19                 | WESTFIELD                    | 6:05         |
| 6/20                 | WESTFIELD                    | 5:05         |
| 6/21                 |                              |              |
| 6/22                 | @Nashua                      | 6:00         |
| 6/23                 | @Nashua                      | 6:00         |
| 6/24                 | BROCKTON                     | 7:05         |
| 6/25                 | BROCKTON                     | 7:05         |
| 6/26                 | @Norwich                     | 6:00         |
| 6/27                 | @Pittsfield                  | 4:35         |
| 6/28                 |                              |              |
| 6/29                 | @Norwich                     | 7:00         |
| 6/30                 | @Norwich                     | 7:00         |
| 7/1                  | BROCKTON                     | 7:05         |
| 7/2                  | BROCKTON                     | 7:05         |
| 7/3                  | @Norwich                     | 6:00         |
| 7/4                  | @Brockton                    | 3:00         |
| 7/5                  | NASHUA                       | 7:05         |
| 7/6                  | NASHUA                       | 7:05         |
| 7/7                  | @Nashua                      | 6:00         |
| 7/8                  | NORWICH                      | 7:05         |
| 7/9                  | NORWICH                      | 7:05         |
| 7/10                 | NEW BRITIAN                  | 6:05         |
| 7/11                 | NEW BRITIAN                  | 5:05         |
| 7/12                 |                              |              |
| 7/13                 | All-Star Game at New Britian |              |
| 7/14                 | WESTFIELD                    | 7:05         |
| 7/15                 | PITTSFIELD                   | 7:05         |
| 7/16                 | PITTSFIELD                   | 7:05         |
| 7/17                 | WORCESTER                    | 6:05         |
| 7/18                 | WORCESTER                    | 5:05         |
| 7/19                 |                              |              |
| 7/20                 | BROCKTON                     | 7:05         |
| 7/21                 | BROCKTON                     | 7:05         |
| 7/22                 | @Brockton                    | 6:00         |
| 7/23                 | @Pittsfield                  | 6:35         |
| 7/24                 | @New Britian (NESN)          | 12:05        |
|                      | @New Britian                 | 6:35         |
| 7/25                 |                              |              |
| 7/26                 |                              |              |
| 7/27                 | NASHUA                       | 7:05         |
| 7/28                 | NASHUA                       | 7:05         |
| 7/29                 | NEW BRITIAN                  | 7:05         |
| 7/30                 | NEW BRITIAN                  | 7:05         |
| 7/31                 | @Worcester                   | 6:30         |
| 8/1                  | @Worcester                   | 4:00         |
| 8/2                  |                              |              |
| 8/3                  | @Westfield                   | 6:30         |
| 8/4                  | @Westfield                   | 6:30         |
| 8/5                  | @Pittsfield                  | 6:35         |
| 8/6                  | @Nashua                      | 6:00         |
| 8/7                  | NASHUA                       | 6:05         |
| 8/8                  | NASHUA                       | 5:05         |
| 8/9                  |                              |              |
| 8/10                 | WESTFIELD                    | 7:05         |
| 8/11                 | WESTFIELD                    | 7:05         |
| 8/12                 | PITTSFIELD                   | 7:05         |

| Standings   | W | L | Pct  | GB   | vs VT |
|-------------|---|---|------|------|-------|
| New Britian | 1 | 0 | 1000 | ---- | 0-0   |
| Pittsfield  | 1 | 0 | 1000 | ---- | 0-0   |
| Vermont     | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0.5  | xxx   |
| Nashua      | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0.5  | 0-0   |
| Westfield   | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0.5  | 0-0   |
| Worcester   | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0.5  | 0-0   |
| Brockton    | 0 | 1 | .000 | 1.0  | 0-0   |
| Norwich     | 0 | 1 | .000 | 1.0  | 0-0   |

**YESTERDAY'S GAMES**  
**Vermont did not play**  
 Pittsfield 14, Brockton 6  
 New Britian 11, Norwich 6  
 Westfield-Worcester susp/rain

**TODAY'S GAMES**  
**Vermont at Westfield, 6:35**  
 Worcester at Nashua, 6:00  
 Norwich at Brockton, 6:30  
 New Britian at Pittsfield, 6:35

**LIDLIFTERS:** During its time in NY-Penn League, Vermont was just 9-17 in season openers (won its 2019 opener 4-0 vs. Tri-City) \* Lake Monsters also 12-14 in home lidlifters (won 2018 & 2019)

**LOCAL FLAVOR:** Lake Monsters 1st Futures League team has 5 native Vermonters signed to play for the team this season \* On roster to start season are Chase Carey (Colchester) and Ben Tate (South Burlington), who played against each other in 2018 D1 title game, won by SBHS 5-3 on Tate go ahead 2-run single in 5th off Tom Vesosky (scheduled to join Vermont soon) along with pitchers Leif Bigelow (Guilford) & Owen Kellington (Plainsfield) \* Wyatt Cameron (Salisbury) is scheduled to join team Saturday.

**LOCAL SCHOOL:** Vermont will also open season with 3 players from local colleges: Evan Stewart and Mitch Schroeder (Middlebury College) & Julien Giroux-Harvey (Saint Michael's).

**IVY OPENERS:** With the cancellation of Ivy League sports this spring, 5 Ivy League players will be making their 2021 debuts: Chris Clark, Porter Jordheim and Spencer Williams from Harvard, Noah Granet (Princeton) and Tyler Fagler (Dartmouth)

**D3 NCAA'S:** 3 Lake Monsters are currently playing in D3 NCAA Tournant: Cam Seymour and Tom Vesosky (Southern Maine) and Billy Oldham (Eastern Connecticut) ... In Little East Conference final, Oldham allowed 0 hits first 6 innings, but ECSU lost 7-6 to Southern Maine on a 2-run walkoff homer from Seymour.

**FIELD STAFF:** Vermont's 1st Futures League skipper is former Georgetown University coach Pete Wilk, who will be assisted by former USC Upstate coach Matt Fincher and Joey Gamache \* Wilk coached Hoyas 21 years (1999-2020), where among his players were former Lake Monsters Nick Collins and Jack Cushing \* Fincher spent 22 seasons at USC Upstate and coached 9 years in Cape Cod League (# retired by Chatham) where coached former Vermont players Jason Bay, Matt Cepicky and Danny Espinosa

**RECORD:** Vermont plays 1st-ever Futures League game tonight \* Lake Monsters were MLB affiliate in NY-Penn League 26 years (Montreal 1994-2004, Washington 2005-2010, Oakland 2011-2019) \* Team was Vermont Expos 1994-2005 (were only Expos team for 1 year after Montreal moved to Washington) then Lake Monsters \* Lake Monsters were 904-1050 during the regular-season over its 26 years as a short-season single-A affiliate in NY-Penn League \* Vermont won 1996 NY-Penn title and lost 1995 & 2017 finals

**AA HISTORY:** Vermont also had Double-A team 1984-88 \* Vermont Reds Eastern League affiliate of Cincinnati 1984-87, winning EL title in 1984, 1985 and 1986 before losing in 1986 finals \* Became Vermont Mariners in 1988 as Seattle affiliate, again losing in finals ... Over 5 seasons team went 375-321 regular-season \* Notable MLB players with Vermont 1984-88 included Barry Larkin, Joe Oliver, Paul O'Neill, Omar Visquel, Ken Griffey Jr.

|               |                  |     |           |
|---------------|------------------|-----|-----------|
| 0-0           | Centennial       | 0-0 | vs. LHP   |
| 0-0           | on the road      | 0-0 | vs. RHP   |
| 0-0           | May              | 0-0 | July      |
| 0-0           | June             | 0-0 | August    |
| 0-0           | 1-run games      | 0-0 | shutout   |
| 0-0           | 2-run games      | 0-0 | extras    |
| 0-0           | Tuesday          | 0-0 | Friday    |
| 0-0           | Wednesday        | 0-0 | Saturday  |
| 0-0           | Thursday         | 0-0 | Sunday    |
| 0-0           | VT scores first  | 0-0 | opp first |
| 0-0           | come-from-behind | 0-0 | win/loss  |
| 0-0           | VT outhit opp    | 0-0 | 0 errors  |
| 0-0           | hits even        | 0-0 | 1-2 Errs  |
| 0-0           | opp outhit VT    | 0-0 | 3+ Errs   |
| 0-0           | VT hits HR       | 0-0 | 2+ HR     |
| 0-0           | Opp hits HR      | 0-0 | 2+ HR     |
| 0-0           | 5+ VT runs       | 0-0 | 5+ opp    |
| 0-0           | 3-4 VT runs      | 0-0 | 3-4 opp   |
| 0-0           | 0-2 VT runs      | 0-0 | 0-2 opp   |
| <b>inning</b> |                  |     |           |
|               | 6                | 7   | 8         |
| leading       | 0-0              | 0-0 | 0-0       |
| tied after    | 0-0              | 0-0 | 0-0       |
| trailing      | 0-0              | 0-0 | 0-0       |

|                |   |            |  |
|----------------|---|------------|--|
| <b>OVERALL</b> |   |            |  |
| Win Streak     | 4 | 8/ 2-8/ 5  |  |
| Loss Streak    | 7 | 6/29-7/ 5  |  |
| <b>HOME</b>    |   |            |  |
| Win Streak     | 4 | 8/14-8/22  |  |
| Loss Streak    | 4 | 7/22-7/28  |  |
| <b>ROAD</b>    |   |            |  |
| Win Streak     | 5 | 8/ 2- 8/ 9 |  |
| Loss Streak    | 5 | 7/ 1- 7/ 5 |  |

## MAJOR LEAGUE MONSTERS

115 former Vermont Lake Monsters all-time have reached Major Leagues since team's first season back in 1994  
 21 of those 115 players have been on a Major League roster at some point during the 2021 MLB season

|                                   |                                  |                               |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Craig Stammen '05 (San Diego)     | Matt Olson '12 (Oakland)         | Skye Bolt '15 (San Francisco) |
| Jordan Zimmermann '07 (Milwaukee) | Daniel Robertson '12 (Milwaukee) | Seth Brown '15 (Oakland)      |
| Tommy Milone '08 (Toronto)        | Kyle Finnegan '13 (Washington)   | Luis Barrera '16 (Oakland)    |
| Sandy Leon '09 (Miami)            | Billy McKinney '13 (Milwaukee)   | Sean Murphy '16 (Oakland)     |
| Robbie Ray '10 (Toronto)          | Chad Pinder '13 (Oakland)        | A.J. Puk '16 (Oakland)        |
| A.J. Cole '10 (Toronto)           | Lou Trivino '13 (Oakland)        | Eli White '16 (Texas)         |
| Seth Frankoff '11 (Arizona)       | John Nogowski '14 (St. Louis)    | Jesus Luzardo '17 (Oakland)   |