

Northwest Indiana Oilmen 2013 Game Notes

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2012 Midwest Collegiate League Champions

TONIGHT'S GAME:

Northwest Indiana Oilmen (7-3, 6-2) vs Michigan City Lakers (Exhibition)

June 15, 2013 • 7:10 p.m. (CT) • Whiting, IN

Radio: AM 1230 WJOB

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GAME

OILMEN NEWS AND NOTES

Steensen Sublime in NWI's Third Straight W

Akron right-hander Michael Steensen came into the game with an ERA of 1.38 in his first two starts, but topped that with ease against the Chicago Zephyrs on Friday night, giving the Oilmen a complete-game, five-hit shutout in an eventual 9-0 victory at Oil City Stadium.

Steensen's gem included no extra-base hits or walks, as he struck out seven batters while throwing just 95 pitches in the game to get his second win of the year.

The offense struck for two quick runs in the bottom of the first to give the Oilmen a lead they would never relinquish. NWI then scored seven runs in their final two turns at-bat to put the game away comfortably.

Every Oilmen batter had at least one hit in the game, including substitute Gerrad Rohan. Rashawn Tillman led the charge, going 3-for-5 with two runs scored. Nick Bartolone also continued his torrid start, going 2-for-4 with two RBI. Both players also had doubles in the win.

<u>Going Streaking</u>

The Oilmen have now won six of their last seven games overall. They have also tied their season-best winning streak with three in a row, out-scoring Rockford and Chicago by a combined score of 33-2 in that span. The winning streak has vaulted the Oilmen into a tie for first place in the current MCL standings with the Lexington Snipes.

They have also raised their team batting average in the last three games by 62 points to an even .300, the best mark in the MCL. Their team ERA has also fallen to 2.33, down almost a full run from where it was heading into Tuesday's contest, ranking second in the league.

2013 Schedule

	ZVIJ Jenedi	
May 29	@ Michigan City*	L, 2-1
May 31	@ Michigan City*	W, 8-3 (6)
June 5	LEXINGTON	L, 5-3
June 6	SOUTHLAND	W, 7-6
June 7	CHICAGO	W, 8-1
June 8	@ DuPage County	W, 5-4
June 9	@ DuPage County	L, 9-5
June 11	ROCKFORD	W, 12-0
June 13	ROCKFORD	W, 12-2
June 14	CHICAGO	W, 9-0
June 15	ROCKFORD	Postponed
June 16	MICHIGAN CITY*	7:10 p.m.
June 17	@ Southland (makeup of 6/1)	7:00 p.m.
June 18	SOUTHLAND	7:10 p.m.
June 19	LEXINGTON	7:10 p.m.
June 20	LEXINGTON	7:10 p.m.
June 21	@ DuPage County	7:00 p.m.
June 24	@ Michigan City*	5:30 p.m.
June 26	OAK FOREST*	7:10 p.m.
June 27	LEXINGTON	7:10 p.m.
June 28	ROCKFORD	7:10 p.m.
June 29	DUPAGE COUNTY	7:10 p.m.
June 30	DUPAGE COUNTY	7:10 p.m.
July 1	US MILITARY ALL-STARS*	7:10 p.m.
July 3	@ Michigan City*	5:30 p.m.
July 5	@ Chicago	5:00 p.m.
July 6	@ Southland	7:00 p.m.
July 7	MICHIGAN CITY*	4:00 p.m.
July 9	2013 MCL All-Star Game	7:30 p.m.
July 11	TBA*	7:10 p.m.
July 12	SOUTHLAND	7:10 p.m.
July 13	ROCKFORD	7:10 p.m.
July 14	@ Lexington	2:00 p.m.
	@ Lexington (make-up of 6/12)	TBD
July 15	@ Southland (makeup of 6/2)	7:00 p.m.
July 16	SOUTHLAND	7:10 p.m.
July 17	@ Chicago	5:00 p.m.
July 18	DUPAGE COUNTY	7:10 p.m.
July 19	@ Chicago	5:00 p.m.
July 21	@ Chicago	2:00 p.m.
July 22	LEXINGTON (makeup of 5/30)	7:10 p.m.
July 23	ROCKFORD	7:10 p.m.
July 24	MICHIGAN CITY*	7:10 p.m.
July 25	ROCKFORD	12:00 a.m.
July 26	@ Chicago	5:00 p.m.
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* - denotes exhibition game CAPS - denotes home game Italics - denotes US Military All-Star Game Bold - denotes MCL All-Star Game

6:00 p.m.

July 28 @DuPage County

NWI Oilmen Radio Network

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Midwest Collegiate League Scoreboard**

LAST NIGHT:

TOMORROW:

DuPage County Hounds 5, Lexington Snipes 3 Lexington Snipes 5, DuPage County Hounds 1 Rockford Foresters @ NWI Oilmen (POSTPONED) Chicago Zephyrs 5, Southland Vikings 3

NWI Oilmen @ Southland Vikings

TONIGHT: MONDAY:

Southland Vikings @ Chicago Zephyrs

Southland Vikings @ NWI Oilmen Chicago Zephyrs @ DuPage County Hounds Rockford Foresters @ Lexington Snipes

** = scoreboard for MCL games only

Midwest Collegiate League Standings

			N	1CL		SEASON							
Team	W	L	%	GB	STR	L10	W	L	%	GB	STR	L10	
Northwest Indiana Oilmen	6	2	0.750	ı	3W	6-2	7	3	0.700	ı	3W	7-3	
Lexington Snipes	6	2	0.750	ı	1W	6-2	6	2	0.750	ı	1W	6-2	
DuPage County Hounds	6	3	0.667	.5	1L	6-3	6	3	0.667	.5	1L	6-3	
Southland Vikings	4	5	0.444	2.5	1L	4-5	4	5	0.444	2.5	1L	4-5	
Rockford Foresters	1	6	0.143	4.5	2L	1-6	1	6	0.143	4.5	2L	1-6	
Chicago Zephyrs	1	6	0.143	4.5	1W	1-6	1	6	0.143	4.5	1W	1-6	

x = clinched playoff berth

y = clinched home field advantage

E = eliminated from playoff contention





2013 Northwest Indiana Oilmen Roster



Pitchers

#	Name	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	College	Class	Hometown		
26	Joe Cochran	R/R	6-5	190	University of Akron	Sophomore	Tallmadge,OH		
14	Mike Hanchar	L/L	6-4	220	Iowa Western CC	Sophomore	Highland, IN		
24	James Hinkleman	R/R	6-2	192	Triton College	Sophomore	Munster,IN		
36	Scott Jerge	R/R	6-0	185	Valparaiso University	Freshman	Munster,IN		
25	Jimmy McNamara	L/L	6-2	175	Central Michigan University	Michigan University Freshman			
21	Aveeno Nasiloski	R/R	6-3	205	Chicago State University	Sophomore	Hammond,IN		
41	Josh Negele	L/L	6-0	180	Indiana State University	Junior	Crown Point,IN		
19	Danny Pobereyko	R/R	6-5	200	Bishop Noll HS		Munster,IN		
42	Matt Pobereyko	R/R	6-1	239	Kentucky Wesleyan University	Junior	Munster,IN		
33	Brett Schneider	R/R	6-2	200	Dominican College	Freshman	Coral Springs,FL		
29	Michael Steensen	R/R	6-2	205	University of Akron	Freshman	Granville,OH		
18	Andy Wellwerts	R/R	5-11	175	Chicago State University	Sophomore	Cedar Lake,IN		

Catchers

#	Name	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	College	Class	Hometown
23	Tyler Baar	L/R	6-2	212	University of Toledo	Freshman	Jenison,MI
13	Ty Hogan	R/R	6-1	159	Western Kentucky University	Freshman	Naperville, IL
43	Chris Marras	R/R	6-0	200	Butler University	Freshman	Vernon Hills,IL

Infielders

#	Name	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	College	Class	Hometown		
20	Craig Austgen	R/R	6-1	160	St. Josephs College	Junior	Lowell,IN		
15	Leiff Clarkson	R/R	5-11	177	Western Kentucky University	Freshman	Union,KY		
22	Cody Dykema	R/R	6-3	192	Heartland CC	Sophomore	Dyer,IN		
3	Joe Houlihan	R/R	6-1	184	Central Michigan University	Sophomore	New Lenox,IL		
10	Kenny Mahala	L/R	6-2	210	Heartland CC	Sophomore	Highland,IN		
27	Gerrad Rohan	R/R	6-3	195	University of Akron	Sophomore	Canfield,OH		
17	Nick Saldutti	L/R	6-2	185	Butler University	Freshman	Noblesville,IN		

Outfielders

#	Name	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	College	Class	Hometown
2	Nick Bartolone	L/L	6-2	200	Butler University	Freshman	Lafayette,IN
30	Anthony Bova	R/R	6-0	175	University of Akron	Freshman	Brunswick,OH
16	Jack Czeszewski	L/L	5-11	170	Illinois State University	Freshman	Elk Grove,IL
4	Rashawn Tillman	L/R	6-0	170	Arkansas-Pine Bluff	Sophomore	El Soberante,CA

Coaches

Justin Huisman (Manager, 2nd Season), Mike Coles (Assistant Coach)

2013 Northwest Indiana Oilmen Statistics



<u>Batting</u>

Player	P	AVG	G	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	HBP	SO	SF	SH	SB	CS	DP	E
Bartolone, N	OF	.500	3	10	3	5	1	1	0	7	1	1	2	3	0	1	0	0	0
Tillman, R	OF	.417	8	24	10	10	2	0	0	3	8	2	5	0	1	4	1	0	1
Czeszewski, J	OF	.400	9	35	5	14	3	0	0	9	9	0	3	0	0	3	2	0	0
Saldutti, N	IF	.400	6	20	3	8	0	1	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Rohan, G	IF	.350	10	40	8	14	3	0	0	5	2	1	3	0	0	1	1	0	2
Dykema, C	IF	.333	2	6	1	2	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Houlihan, J	IF	.300	9	30	5	9	1	0	0	4	4	0	9	0	2	1	0	0	4
Clarkson, L	IF	.267	10	45	14	12	2	1	0	8	4	0	3	0	0	3	2	1	3
Bova, A	OF	.265	10	34	7	9	1	0	0	4	6	2	10	0	1	1	1	0	0
Hogan, T	C	.261	8	23	7	6	0	0	0	1	4	1	6	0	0	3	0	0	1
Mahala, K	IF	.250	3	8	1	2	0	0	0	1	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Baar, T	C	.222	10	36	2	8	1	0	0	7	4	0	4	0	0	1	0	1	0
Marras, C	U	.167	7	24	4	4	1	0	0	5	2	0	6	0	0	0	1	0	1
Nasiloski, A	Р	.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Austgen, C	IF	.000	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals		.300	10	343	70	103	15	3	0	58	52	7	59	3	4	18	8	3	13

<u>Pitching</u>

Player	G	GS	CG	IP	Н	R	ER	BB	SO	W	L	SV	2B	3B	ERA
Nasiloski, A	3	0	0	3.0	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
Wellwerts, A	1	1	0	6.0	2	0	0	1	5	1	0	0	1	0	0.00
Pobereyko, D	2	0	0	2.0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
McNamara, J	2	2	0	12.2	10	5	1	3	11	1	0	0	0	0	0.71
Steensen, M	3	3	1	22.0	18	2	2	3	16	2	0	0	5	0	0.81
Hinkleman, J	3	0	0	5.0	4	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1.80
Pobereyko, M	4	0	0	3.1	6	1	1	2	4	0	0	1	0	0	2.70
Hanchar, M	3	0	0	5.0	6	2	2	1	6	0	0	0	1	0	3.60
Cochran, J	4	1	0	9.2	10	4	4	2	8	1	0	0	1	0	3.72
Jerge, S	3	0	0	4.2	4	4	3	5	2	1	0	0	0	0	5.78
Schneider, B	2	2	0	7.2	14	9	5	2	3	1	1	0	1	0	5.87
Negele, J	1	1	0	4.0	7	4	3	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	6.75
Totals	31	10	1	85	83	32	22	23	56	7	3	1	9	0	2.33