



Fall Ball Season Final Week. 10.25

After a disappointing start with two game rained out on Saturday, the weekend brightened with some excellent games on Sunday.

Bud Lights 3 Abenake Indians 1. Doug Comes and Mark Bonfiglio combined for the Bud Lights to hold the Indians to a single run. Chris Coughlin pitched a complete game for the Indians and like the LA Angels, was undone by some sloppy defense in a heartbreaker at Legion Stadium.

Breaktime Yankees 4 Wilmington Red Sox 2. In a tightly contested game, Red Sox' Brian Maready and Yankees' Jon Brunson locked in a pitching duel. The Yankees rallied from a 2-2 tie with a clutch 2 RBI hit by Paul Patton after the bases were loaded on a bunt single by Derek Hill. This game featured great defense by both teams, especially Red Sox' CF Chet Nesley who made several excellent catches and Yankees' LF Josh Ward who made an outstanding, leaping catch to thwart a Red Sox rally. Yankees Nick Studebaker picked up the save with 3+ innings of scoreless relief.

Port City Mudcats 8 Catlin Engineers 2. The Mudcats finished the regular season strong with an 8-2 victory over the Engineers. WP Dillon Schupp and Ken Vafier combined on the mound to hold the potent Catlin Engineer offense that was limited to 2 runs scoring on a double high off the LF fence by Brandon DeVito. The Schupp twins and Daniel Watson powered the Mudcats offense with multi hit and RBI games.

Queensboro Riptides 8 Novus Seahawks 0. WP Chris Natale pitched a complete game shutout. The 'Tides offense broke from the gate with 5 first inning runs and never looked back. Terry Peters and Joe Seme had multi hit games.

Novus Seahawks 9 Queensboro Riptides 4. WP Alan Paull stifled the 'Tides for the complete game victory. John James and Tom Tarantino led the 'Hawks defense which turned several doubleplays. The offense was led by Phil Anderson and Duane Sumrall. 'Hawks C Ray Dixon and 'Tides Steve Elias are to be commended for handling the catching chores in exemplary fashion for both ends of the doubleheader.

Carolina Mens Baseball League Notes:

There will be a World Series Party @ Breaktime Grille, 7:30pm, Saturday, October 31st, FREE for all currently registered players, guests \$15.

ReminderThe CMBL is co-sponsoring Sports-tacular with the Wilmington Sharks and the Rock Solid Foundation all day @ Legion Stadium on Nov. 7th. This is a fund raising event for local teams. If your team would like to get a table to sell "stuff" (used sports equipment, etc.) to raise \$, the cost of a table is \$45. The League will have a table and will consider taking your "stuff" on consignment. Let Frank know if you are interested.