



Walla Walla Sweets 2013 Game Notes



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WCL DIVISIONAL PLAYOFFS | GAME 2 | 14 AUGUST 2013 | 7:05 PM PT | BORLESKE STADIUM | WALLA WALLA, WA

WALLA WALLA SWEETS (0-1) VS. WENATCHEE APPLESOX (1-0)

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TONIGHT'S GAME

Tonight, another left-hander in Chris Lovejoy gets the call to start a crucial Game Two of Division Series play. Lovejoy, who tossed a one-hit, complete game shut out of Wenatchee on June 20 -- a game that he no-hit the Sox through 6.2 innings -- was shelled by the AppleSox on July 30 after giving up 5 earned runs over just 2.2 innings of work. In another no-hit bid that lasted 7.1 innings, he went on to win in dominant form against the Kelowna Falcons, allowing only 2 earned runs on five hits over 8.1 frames in his final start of the regular season on August 5.

In order for Walla Walla to stay alive in this season's playoffs, the Sweets need a win tonight to force a deciding Game Three, which would be played at Borleske Stadium if necessary. The AppleSox will send freshman right-hander C.J. Burdick to the mound to oppose the Sweets. At 3-3, Burdick has posted a 2.30 ERA, not allowing more than 3 runs over 5 starts, totaled 39 strikeouts in 39 complete innings of work. After losing back-to-back starts at the end of July, Burdick bounced back to take a 6-inning victory from the Victoria HarbourCats in last start August 6.

REWIND RECAP

The Wenatchee AppleSox proved tenacious last night in their 8-4 win over the Sweets in the opening game of the 2013 WCL North Divisional Playoffs. Starting pitcher Sean Silva -- who hadn't lost a regular season game all year -- lasted just 1.2 innings after getting the first two outs very quickly in the 1st and 2nd innings. Yet The Sox scored 4 runs in the 1st and 3 in the 2nd -- each time with two outs -- to put the game out of reach early. Catcher Renae Martinez breathed life into the offense with a two-run home run in the seventh inning before the Sweets rallied for a pair of runs in the ninth inning as well.

BROADCAST INFORMATION

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WENATCHEE APPLESOX COACHES

Ed Knaggs Eric Lane AJ Proszek
Head Coach Assistant Coach Assistant Coach



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2013 SCHEDULE

DATE	TIME	OPPONENT	SCORE
6/5	7:05	Bend Elks	L 4-1
6/6	7:05	Bend Elks	W 4-2
6/7	7:05	Bend Elks	W 8-7
6/8	7:05	San Francisco Seals*	W 13-3
6/9	5:05	San Francisco Seals*	W 17-3
6/12	6:35	@ Klamath Falls Gems	L 13-7
6/13	6:35	@ Klamath Falls Gems	L 10-9
6/14	6:35	@ Klamath Falls Gems	L 6-1
6/15	6:35	@ Medford Rogues	W 6-4
6/16	5:05	@ Medford Rogues	W 6-5
6/17	6:35	@ Medford Rogues	W 6-4
6/18	7:05	Wenatchee AppleSox	W 2-0
6/20	3:05	Wenatchee AppleSox (DH)	L 2-1
6/20	7:05	Wenatchee AppleSox (DH)	W 2-0
6/21	7:05	Medford Rogues	W 4-3
6/22	7:05	Medford Rogues	W 9-5
6/23	5:05	Medford Rogues	L 5-2
6/25	6:35	@ Kelowna Falcons (DH)	L 12-1
6/25	6:35	@ Kelowna Falcons (DH)	W 6-1
6/26	6:35	@ Kelowna Falcons	L 9-2
6/27	7:05	@ Bellingham Bells	W 8-1
6/28	7:05	@ Bellingham Bells	L 9-3
6/29	7:05	@ Bellingham Bells	W 12-2
7/1	7:05	Portland Lobos*	W 11-4
7/2	7:05	Kitsap BlueJackets	W 3-1
7/3	7:05	Kitsap BlueJackets	L 5-1
7/4	3:05	Kitsap BlueJackets	W 5-4
7/5	7:05	Klamath Falls Gems	W 5-0
7/6	7:05	Klamath Falls Gems	W 5-1
7/7	5:05	Klamath Falls Gems	L 4-3
7/8	7:05	@ Victoria HarbourCats	W 6-1
7/9	7:05	@ Victoria HarbourCats	W 11-2
7/10	7:00	@ Victoria HarbourCats	W 16-5
7/11	6:40	@ Corvallis Knights	L 2-0
7/12	6:40	@ Corvallis Knights	L 9-6
7/13	6:40	@ Corvallis Knights	L 10-4
7/15	7:05	Portland Lobos*	W 9-3
7/16	7:05	Cowlitz Black Bears	L 4-1
7/17	7:05	Cowlitz Black Bears	L 5-2
7/18	7:05	Cowlitz Black Bears	W 10-2
7/19	7:05	Bellingham Bells	W 4-3
7/20	7:05	Bellingham Bells	L 2-1
7/21	5:05	Bellingham Bells	W 3-1
7/24	6:35	@ Cowlitz Black Bears	L 16-2
7/25	6:35	@ Cowlitz Black Bears	W 8-4
7/26	6:35	@ Cowlitz Black Bears	L 9-2
7/27	7:05	Central Oregon Bucks*	W 9-2
7/28	5:05	Central Oregon Bucks*	W 8-2
7/30	7:05	@ Wenatchee AppleSox	L 10-1
7/31	7:05	@ Wenatchee AppleSox	L 2-1
8/01	7:05	@ Wenatchee AppleSox	Cancelled - Rain
8/02	7:05	Victoria HarbourCats	L 3-1
8/03	7:05	Victoria HarbourCats	W 1-0
8/04	5:05	Victoria HarbourCats	W 4-3
8/05	7:05	Kelowna Falcons	W 3-2
8/06	7:05	Kelowna Falcons	W 6-0
8/07	7:05	Kelowna Falcons	W 5-2
8/09	6:35	@ Bend Elks	W 5-3
8/10	6:35	@ Bend Elks	W 6-3
8/11	5:05	@ Bend Elks	W 14-12

home games in bold
* = denotes non-league game

SWEETS AT A GLANCE (2013)

Final WCL Record: 31-22 Overall: 37-22
Current Streak: Lost 1 Record vs. North: 15-8
Home: 18-9 WCL (24-9 overall) Team BA: .229
Away: 13-13 Team ERA: 4.02
Next Game: August 15 vs. Wenatchee AppleSox
@ Borleske Stadium (if necessary)

MEET THE COACHES

J.C. Biagi #7

Head Coach/Assistant General Manager



A Walla Walla native and product of DeSales High School, J.C. played baseball at Walla Walla Community College before finishing his playing career at Cenetary College in Shreveport, LA. An infielder and pitcher, the highlight of his career was a complete game win against national powerhouse LSU before a sold out crowd.

While a nation-wide search took place for the person to lead the team in the dugout, it was the mix of hometown understanding and baseball smarts that made J.C. a logical choice for the Sweets. J.C. is an assistant coach at Walla Walla Community College.

Mark Michaud #57

Pitching Coach



Mark Michaud leads the Sweets' pitching staff. In 2011 he directed a Sweets staff that finished with the second-best ERA in the league at 2.62. Michaud began his coaching career at Division III powerhouse Eastern Connecticut, and helped the Warriors win National Championships in 1998 and 2002. After leaving ECSU '02, Michaud spent the next six years serving coaching, re-cruiting and camp duties at Wisconsin-Platteville, Rockford College, Siena College and the University of Maine before returning to the Warriors in 2009.

Rob Holtzinger #12

Assistant Coach



Rob shares his life with his wife Kristine and their five children Mary Ann, Bobby, Sandra Jean, Billy and Teresa Kay. From Yakima, he spent a year as Asst. Coach at Cle Elum HS before spending three at East Valley High. He moved to Walla Walla in '91 to coach one year at WWCC, followed by 18 at De Sales HS, where he was part of 16 state championship teams. Now in his third year at WWCC, he's in his third year managing his son's Cox-Jones Little League team.

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2013 WALLA WALLA SWEETS ROSTER

No.	Name	Position	Height	Weight	Bat/Throw	Hometown/College
1	Connor Lawhead	RHP	5' 8"	160	R/R	Sammamish, WA (Walla Walla-CC)
2	Scott Silva	INF	5' 9"	165	R/R	Fresno, CA (Gonzaga)
3	Jonathan Harris	RHP	6' 4"	160	R/R	Florissant, MO (Missouri State)
4	Reggie Southall	INF	6' 0"	170	S/R	Gardena, CA (USC)
5	Spencer O'Neil	OF	6' 4"	205	L/R	Kennewick, WA (Central Arizona College)
6	Beau Bozett	OF	6' 0"	184	R/R	Spokane, WA (Gonzaga)
9	Bret Helton	RHP	6' 3"	190	R/R	Colorado Springs, CO (Utah)
10	Nick Vilter	INF	6' 3"	220	R/R	Seal Beach, CA (UC-Riverside)
11	John Skrbec	INF	6' 1"	185	R/R	Grand Rapids, MN (North Dakota State)
13	Cody Poteet	RHP	6' 1"	180	R/R	Bonita, CA (UCLA)
14	Luke Persico	OF	6' 2"	170	R/R	Santa Clarita, CA (UCLA commit)
15	Matt Mendenhall	1B	6' 2"	196	R/R	Kennewick, WA (Washington State)
16	Jake Wylie	C	6' 0"	205	R/R	Eagle, ID (Linfield College)
17	Chris Lovejoy	LHP	6' 6"	185	L/L	Concord, CA (Ball State)
20	Drew Christina	LHP	6' 2"	180	L/L	Walla Walla, WA (Walla Walla-CC)
21	Danny Zandona	RHP	6' 1"	175	R/R	Santa Barbara, CA (Cal Poly San Luis Obispo)
22	Matt Hall	LHP	6' 1"	190	L/L	Lee's Summit, MO (Missouri State)
23	Josh Wagner	LHP	6' 0"	190	L/R	Newhall, CA (Northern Colorado)
24	Kris Paulino	OF	6' 0"	180	L/R	Ladera Ranch, CA (UC-Irvine)
25	Josh Bornstein	RHP	6' 4"	205	R/R	Playa Del Rey, CA (UC-Irvine)
27	Taylor Jones	RHP	6' 7"	188	R/R	Covington, WA (Gonzaga)
28	J.D. Leckenby	RHP	6' 4"	204	R/R	Buhl, ID (Washington State)
30	Zach Reay	C	6' 2"	180	R/R	Blackfoot, ID (Treasure Valley-CC)
31	Joe Arlt	LHP	6' 3"	195	L/L	Spokane Valley, WA (Central Washington)
32	Jarod Gonzales	INF	5' 11"	225	L/R	Kennewick, WA (Walla Walla-CC)
35	Connor Dillman	RHP	6' 1"	175	R/R	Santa Monica, CA (Emory College)
37	Rena Martinez	C	6' 1"	185	R/R	San Pedro, CA (UC-Irvine)
39	Kramer Lindell	OF	6' 1"	185	R/R	Linn, OR (Linfield College)
40	Dominic Miroglio	C	6' 0"	195	R/R	Oakland, CA (UCLA commit)
41	Jono Herkins	OF	6' 0"	180	R/R	Cypress, CA (UC-Irvine)
44	Mike Paulson	OF	6' 0"	205	L/L	Sammamish, WA (New Mexico State)
46	Sean-Luke Brija	RHP	5'11"	190	R/R	Reno, NV (Gonzaga)
55	Sean Silva	LHP	5'10"	185	L/L	Fresno, CA (USC)

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

6	Bret Bozett - boh-ZET	25	Josh Bornstein - BORN-steen
11	John Skrbec - SKUR-beck	26	Jake Campeau - CAMP-oh
13	Cody Poteet - poh-TEET	28	J.D. Leckenby - LECK-en-bee
14	Luke Persico - PURR-sick-oh	39	Kramer Lindell - lynn-DELL
16	Jake Wylie - WHY-lee	40	Dominic Miroglio - muh-ROLL-ee-oh
21	Danny Zandona - zan-DOH-nuh	46	Sean-Luke Brija - BREE-uh

Coaches:

7	J.C. Biagi - bee-AH-jee
57	Mark Michaud - mish-AWED



PROBABLE STARTER

Chris Lovejoy #17



• College: Ball State • Class (fall 2013): Senior • Height: 6' 6" • Weight: 185 • Hometown: Concord, CA
Ball State: Lovejoy played his junior campaign for the Ball State Cardinals in 2013 after transferring from Los Medanos College. He posted a 1-0 record in 6 appearances, allowing 10 runs in 16.1 innings pitched, striking out 11 and walking 6.
Los Medanos College: Last season for the Los Medanos College Mustangs, Lovejoy led the team in innings pitched (109.1), strikeouts (74), earned run average (2.39), and tied the team lead in wins (8). He was selected as the Mustangs pitcher of the year and was selected to All-Conference team for the Bay Valley Conference.
Prep: As a senior at Concord High School, Lovejoy was 5-1 with four complete games, and struck out 74 batters in 64 innings of work.
Sweets: Selected to 2013 All-Star Game in Victoria, B.C.

Season	Team	W	L	ERA	IP	G	GS	SV	SO	BB	SHO	H
All Star 2013	North All Stars	0	0	0	0.1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Summer 2013	Walla Walla Sweets	3	3	4.01	56	12	9	0	40	21	1	59
TOTAL		3	3	3.99	56.1	13	9	0	41	21	1	59

FINAL 2013 LEAGUE STANDINGS

NORTH DIVISION

W	L	PCT.	GB	
Walla Walla Sweets	31	22	.585	-
Wenatchee AppleSox	29	24	.547	2
Bellingham Bells	27	27	.500	4.5 (E)
Victoria HarbourCats	22	32	.407	9.5 (E)
Kelowna Falcons	19	35	.352	12.5

*E = Eliminated from playoffs

SOUTH DIVISION

W	L	PCT.	GB	
Corvallis Knights	37	17	.685	-
Bend Elks	30	24	.556	7
Medford Rogues	30	24	.556	7 (E)
Klamath Falls Gems	28	26	.519	9 (E)
Cowlitz Black Bears	25	29	.463	12 (E)
Kitsap BlueJackets	18	36	.333	19 (E)

*E = Eliminated from playoffs

WEATHER FORECAST

A warm 91 degrees at game-time with partly cloudy skies all evening. No chance of rain with a low of 81 degrees.

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

Arlt, Joe	31	P
Bozett, Beau	6	
Bornstein, Josh	25	RHP
Brija, Sean-Luke	46	RHP
Christina, Drew	22	LHP
Dillman, Connor	35	RHP
Gonzales, Jarod	32	INF
Harris, Jonathan	3	RHP
Helton, Bret	9	RHP
Hall, Matt	22	LHP
Miroglio, Dominic	40	C
Herkins, Jono	41	OF
Jones, Taylor	27	RHP
Lawhead, Connor	1	RHP
Leckenby, J.D.	28	RHP
Lindell, Kramer	39	OF

Lovejoy, Chris	17	LHP
Mendenhall, Matt	15	1B
Martinez, Renae	37	C
O'Neil, Spencer	5	OF
Persico, Luke	14	OF
Paulino, Kris	24	OF
Paulson, Mike	44	OF
Poteet, Cody	13	RHP
Reay, Zach	30	C
Silva, Scott	2	INF
Southall, Reggie	4	INF
Skrbec, John	11	INF
Silva, Sean	55	P
Vilter, Nick	10	INF
Wagner, Josh	23	LHP
Wylie, Jake	16	C
Zandona, Danny	21	RHP

BORLESKE STADIUM QUICK FACTS

- Built in 1926
- Serves as home field for Walla Walla High School football and Whitman College baseball field
- Former Major Leaguers Ozzie Smith, Tony Gwynn and John Kruk have played at Borleske Stadium; former NFL quarterback Drew Bledsoe also played on the field at Borleske
 - Actor Kurt Russell also played ball on the field at Borleske Stadium

NEW-LOOK WEST COAST LEAGUE

NORTH DIVISION

- Bellingham Bells
- Kelowna Falcons
- Victoria HarbourCats
- Wenatchee AppleSox
- Walla Walla Sweets

SOUTH DIVISION

- Medford Rogues
- Corvallis Knights
- Kitsap BlueJackets
- Klamath Falls Gems
- Bend Elks
- Cowlitz Black Bears





**2013 Walla Walla Sweets Baseball
Regular Season Statistics
(current as of August 14, 2013)**



**Sweets Overall West Coast League Offensive Stats (regular season)
(All Games Sorted by Batting Average)**

#	Player	AVG	G	H	AB	R	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SO	BB	HBP	SB	CS	DP	E
16	Jake Wylie	.294	15	10	34	4	0	0	1	4	10	5	0	1	0	1	0
41	Jono Herkins	.288	19	15	52	8	2	0	0	1	14	3	1	4	0	1	3
37	Renaé Martinez	.282	30	31	110	12	4	0	1	12	17	5	1	0	0	5	1
15	Matt Mendenhall	.280	45	46	164	27	4	1	4	17	21	13	6	1	0	4	4
40	Dominic Miroglio	.264	32	28	106	11	4	0	0	13	15	9	2	1	1	2	3
11	John Skrbec	.261	52	54	207	30	10	2	4	28	53	23	2	0	3	5	11
32	Jarod Gonzales	.243	46	34	140	24	4	2	3	20	26	28	7	2	1	3	4
5	Spencer O'Neil	.236	34	25	106	13	10	0	3	13	40	14	0	0	0	1	0
10	Nick Vilter	.220	42	29	132	24	5	1	1	18	42	22	12	2	1	2	13
24	Kris Paulino	.218	36	24	110	7	5	0	2	26	21	12	2	2	1	3	2
14	Luke Persico	.213	29	16	75	10	6	1	0	9	29	9	3	5	3	1	2
6	Beau Bozett	.204	29	11	54	11	2	0	0	5	15	5	0	6	0	2	1
44	Mike Paulson	.168	39	20	119	13	4	0	2	12	36	28	4	3	0	5	2
30	Zach Reay	.111	11	3	27	3	0	0	0	0	13	1	1	0	0	2	1
9	Bret Helton	.042	7	1	24	2	0	0	0	2	7	2	1	0	0	1	0
	Totals	.238	53	411	1730	245	71	8	24	213	433	220	52	34	19	44	59

**Overall West Coast League Pitching Stats (regular season)
(All Games Sorted by Earned Run Average)**

#	Player	ERA	W	L	SV	G	GS	CG	IP	H	R	ER	SO	BB	2B	3B
46	Sean-Luke Brija	1.09	3	1	13	22	0	0	24.2	21	5	3	27	8	5	0
35	Connor Dillman	1.42	2	0	1	13	1	0	25.1	18	4	4	17	10	2	0
19	Jesse Houser	1.58	0	0	0	5	0	0	5.2	6	2	1	4	0	0	1
9	Bret Helton	2.49	2	1	0	8	6	0	39.2	46	12	11	38	19	8	0
55	Sean Silva	2.63	4	0	0	12	7	0	44.1	47	14	13	29	22	8	0
13	Cody Poteet	3.78	3	2	0	6	6	0	38	31	17	16	27	13	3	1
17	Chris Lovejoy	4.01	3	3	0	12	9	1	56	59	30	25	40	21	10	0
1	Connor Lawhead	4.24	3	1	0	18	1	0	23.1	20	13	11	30	7	3	1
21	Danny Zandona	5.23	2	3	0	11	1	0	22.1	27	14	13	14	8	3	1
31	Joe Arlt	6.75	2	2	0	14	2	0	32	48	25	24	24	12	7	0
44	Mike Paulson	81.00	0	0	0	1	0	0	0.1	0	3	3	0	2	0	0
	Totals	4.08	31	22	14	175	53	1	461.2	487	234	209	367	195	76	5

