

Game Recap | June 8, 2019

Jets Rout Warriors in Second Game of Series

Jets win the series against the Warriors and look to complete the sweep tomorrow

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SAN MARCOS -- The Jets blew out the Warriors, 14-1 at the CSUSM Baseball Field in San Marcos, CA on Sat, June 8. The game did not go the full nine innings as expected and ended in the seventh. This was due to the San Diego League's 10-run mercy rule after seven innings. It was the first game this season to end via the mercy rule.

The Warriors issued 15 walks in seven innings, the most in a game by a team this season.

Dylan Moran made his season debut for the Jets, while Ben Aguilera made his second start this season.

Moran pitched three innings and allowed one run on three hits, two walks and picked up two strikeouts. Aguilera went three and two-thirds innings and gave up five runs on two hits and four walks.

The Jets scored first in the second behind a controversial home run by Robert Najar. Najar hit a fly ball down the left field line that looked like it was going foul, but the home plate umpire ruled it a home run.

The Warriors answered back with in the bottom of the second as they tied the game after Andres Contreras walked with the bases loaded. This was the only run of the day for the Warriors, as their pitching struggled with command.

The Jets scored 13 unanswered runs in the next five innings and held the Warriors' stagnant offense to only five hits after the second.

Jets head coach Wayne Franklin and assistant coach Matt Bergandi both have confidence whenever their pitchers take the mound. "Wayne and I know that if we look at our board and put any guy into pitch, they'll go in there and get the job done," said Coach Bergandi. "

Will Chamberlain went 2-for-4, with two singles and had four runs batted in (RBIs) for the Jets. "We had good timely hitting that helped us get this [win] today," said Chamberlain. "Plate discipline was huge [for us]," said Chamberlain. "We're looking for our pitches and staying in our zone and that helped us succeed today."

The Jets' winning pitcher was Jonah Sebring and he allowed no runs, no hit in three innings pitched and struck out six. "My defense definitely helped me," said Sebring. "I was just trying to pound the zone, get strike and get ahead in the count."

With the win, the Jets are 3-2, while the Warriors fall to 0-5 to start the season.

The series finale will be tomorrow at CSUSM Baseball Field as the Jets look to complete the sweep, while the Warriors attempt to salvage the final game of the series and earn their first win of the season.



(18) Brett Spakeen (left) congratulates his teammate, (2) Robert Najar (right) after Najar hits his first home run of the season in the top of the second. (Kevin Mijares/San Diego League)