

NEWPORT GULLS BASEBALL

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Gulls Back on Track With 6-1 Victory Over The Blue Sox

Newport,RI-The Newport Gulls (7-4) rebounded well, defeating the Holyoke Bay Sox (7-6) 6-1, after their road loss to Keene on Tuesday night.

Andrew Kittredge got the nod in his first appearance of the season. He was dominant for the Gulls, going six innings while allowing only one run on five hits, all singles. Kittredge also struck out six batters while walking none.

The only run that Kittredge gave up was in the top of the second. He allowed back to back singles to Mike Nemeth and Jake Rosenbeck to start off the inning. After a pass ball, allowing Nemeth to go to third, Kittredge got Rob Lawler to ground into a double play as Nemeth scored.

The Gulls came back to tie the game up in the bottom of the third. Mike Kaminski led off the inning with a single which was followed up by a walk to Joey Manning. After Kaminski was caught stealing, Greg Garcia came through with a single to score Manning.

In the fourth, the bats exploded for the Newport Gulls as Joey Bergman started things off with a wall ball double. Derek Jones followed that up with a single and Aaron Westlake then drew a walk to load the bases for Troy Scott.

Scott smacked a 0-2 pitch to left to knock in Bergman and Jones. After Kaminski laid down a sacrifice, Manning busted a double to score two more, giving the Gulls a 5-1 lead.

After getting David Bentrrott to pop out to the first baseman, Blue Sox starter Doug Jennings was removed from the game.

The Gulls added another run in the sixth when Bentrrott knocked in Kaminski from second.

After Kittredge pitched, Brad Mincey and Geoff Nichols combined to throw three shutout innings, securing the Gulls victory.

The Newport Gulls will play their next game on Thursday June 25 against the Holyoke Blue Sox at 6:30 at MacKenzie Stadium. The Gulls will then return home to play the Lowell All Americans on Friday June 26 at 6:35 at Cardines Field.

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