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# **BEES RAISE OVER \$2,000 IN AWAY SERIES** **VS. SKEETERS, DROP FINAL GAME**

**SUGAR LAND ENDS SERIES WITH 5-0 SHUTOUT OF NEW BRITAIN**

**In 140 Characters or Less:** New Britain raises over \$2K for Red Cross in away series vs. Sugar Land at New Britain Stadium, drop final game 5-0 #NewBritainVsEverybody

**The Game Changed When...** Sugar Land found 2 out lightning in the bottom of the 3<sup>rd</sup> inning after having their first two batters of the frame retired. Joe Benson got on base with a single, and Josh Prince brought him all the way around with a double for the game's first run. Anthony Giansanti would follow with a double of his own to bring Prince around, and that gave Sugar Land a 2-0 lead. That lead would stand until the final out.

**Pitchers of Record:** W: Jake Hale (10-5) | L: Nick Greenwood (3-5)

**Player(s) of the Game:** Jake Hale (Sugar Land) – 7 IP, 3 H, 0 R, 2 BB, 4 K

**Next Game:** Friday, September 1<sup>st</sup>, 6:35 P.M.

*Tale of the Tape* – New Britain Bees (22-30, 48-74) vs. Long Island Ducks (31-20, 67-54)

*Starting Pitchers* – New Britain: TBD | Long Island: TBD

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**UPCOMING PROMOTIONS:**

Tuesday, September 5<sup>th</sup> vs. Lancaster: Comcast Back to School Giveaway/Two-Fer Tuesday

Wednesday, September 6<sup>th</sup> vs. Lancaster: Faith Night/YMCA Fun "4" Everyone Day

Thursday, September 7<sup>th</sup> vs. Lancaster: Oktoberfest/TD Bank Night/Thirsty Thursday

Friday, September 8<sup>th</sup> vs. Sugar Land: Bike Night/Fat Tire Friday/Foul Pole Friday  
Saturday, September 9<sup>th</sup> vs. Sugar Land: Sting Bobblehead Giveaway/First Responder's Night/FIREWORKS  
Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup> vs. Sugar Land: Fan Appreciation Day/Key Bank Giveaway/Schaller Hardware City Family Fun-Day

**Broadcast:** The Bees' Official YouTube Channel ([youtube.com/NewBritainBees](https://youtube.com/NewBritainBees)) and Facebook Live ([facebook.com/newbritainbees](https://facebook.com/newbritainbees)), starting at 6:20 P.M.

**Bees Buzz:** The 10:06 A.M. first pitch time is the earliest start time to a game in Bees franchise history...Today's game was Nick Greenwood's 2<sup>nd</sup> complete game of his professional career. His first career complete game came in 2013 with the Springfield Cardinals, AA affiliate of the St. Louis Cardinals...The last time the Bees played a single 7 inning game was on July 4<sup>th</sup>, 2016 in Sugar Land. The game was shortened to 7 innings due to fireworks...The Skeeters have shut out the Bees 3 times this season, which is the most of any team in the league. New Britain has been shut out twice by both Long Island and Southern Maryland...James Skelton drew his league leading 83<sup>rd</sup> walk in today's game...Today's game is tied for the shortest 7 inning game played by the Bees this season (1:33 on May 27<sup>th</sup> against Southern Maryland)...Jovan Rosa extended his consecutive games played for the Bees streak to 262, and his overall consecutive games played streak to 285, including postseason.

### **About the New Britain Bees**

The New Britain Bees are in their second season of play as a member of the Atlantic League of Professional Baseball and play at New Britain Stadium. Tickets for the 2017 season are available by calling 860-826-BEES (2337), online at [NBBees.com](https://NBBees.com), or by visiting the New Britain Stadium Box Office.

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