

Recap: Bees offense explodes for second straight win



In seventh place and 3.5 games back of a playoff spot, there's no better time for the New Britain Bees to begin a winning streak. But that's exactly what the plucky squad has done in their past two games, winning both contests with a chance at a playoff spot waiting for them at the end of the season. Friday, August 6 the Bees delivered an unbelievable 14-11 win over the sixth place Norwich Sea Unicorns, delighting the home crowd to the first back-to-back wins in a long time.

Put simply, the Bees' offense (and the Sea Unicorns' to a degree) could not be stopped. The home team scored two or more runs in each of the first six innings, good for 14 runs. Meanwhile, the Bees pitching staff and defense surrendered 11 runs of their own. With the three-run lead in hand, the bullpen-duo of Luke Fox (1.1 innings, no hits, no runs) and Alex Rosario (1.2 innings, one hit, four strikeouts) combined to deliver the much-needed win for New Britain.

The Bees' offense was unbelievable, with a number of potent performances from up and down the lineup. Colin Kelly (two hits, three RBI's), Jack Scher (one hit, three RBI's), Davis Cop (two hits, two RBI's) and Zach Donahue (two hits, three RBI's) all brought in multiple runs. Meanwhile, Alec Ritch, Jake Hyde and Harrison Feinberg all had multiple hits as well. New Britain's offense was a well-oiled machine on Friday.

Now with a two-game winning streak in tow, the Bees will hit the road Saturday for a 6:05 road matchup with the same Norwich Sea Unicorns. Both teams are tied in the standings.