



# #1 SEED XAVIER VS. #2 SEED CREIGHTON

## BIG EAST CHAMPIONSHIP GAME 6 (CHAMPIONSHIP GAME)

5/29/2016  
Ripken Stadium (Aberdeen, Md.)

### FINAL STATS

**Xavier**

*(30-28)*

**8**

**Creighton**

*(38-17)*

**7**

**Win - SCHRAMM (3-0).**  
**Loss - HIGHBERGER (2-1).**  
**Save - SCHILLING (13).**

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Weather: .

**Official Box Score - Final**  
**Creighton at Xavier**  
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**Creighton 7 (38-17)**

Player	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	k	po	a	lob
WOODROW cf	6	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	3
LOPEZ ss	3	1	0	0	2	0	1	2	2
FOWLER 1b	4	2	1	0	1	0	13	1	3
GANDY dh	5	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
CRAWFORD 3b	4	0	3	3	0	0	1	2	0
MURRAY lf	4	1	1	1	1	0	2	0	1
FITZGERALD 2b	5	0	3	0	0	0	1	3	3
CONNOLLY rf	3	1	2	1	2	0	0	0	0
EMODI c	4	0	0	0	0	2	5	0	0
HAMMER ph	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>

**Xavier 8 (30-28)**

Player	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	k	po	a	lob
BANNON 3b	5	1	1	3	0	1	1	0	0
RIZZIE c	5	1	5	2	0	0	3	1	0
GELLENBECK 1b/lf	5	1	1	2	0	1	10	0	3
JERNIGAN ss	4	1	1	0	0	1	3	6	1
SORIA rf	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
SCHMIDT, E 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
GIVIN 2b	2	0	0	0	1	1	2	6	0
LARUE lf	3	1	1	1	0	0	4	0	1
ASTLE dh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MORTON ph/dh	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
HARING pr	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FALLON cf	3	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>7</b>

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E	LOB
Creighton	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	7	14	0	12
Xavier	0	0	4	1	1	0	0	2	X	8	12	0	7

DP - Creighton 0; Xavier 1.

RBI - GANDY (25) ; CRAWFORD 3 (26) ; MURRAY (22) ; CONNOLLY (20) ; HAMMER (8) ; BANNON 3 (24) ; RIZZIE 2 (34) ; GELLENBECK 2 (48) ; LARUE (20) ; 2B - WOODROW 2 (9) ; GANDY (10) ; RIZZIE (8) ; HR - CONNOLLY (2) ; BANNON (6) ; GELLENBECK (13) ; HBP - CRAWFORD (6) ; SORIA (6) ; SH - GIVIN (2) ; FALLON (7) ; SF - HAMMER (1) ; LARUE (4) ; CS - CRAWFORD (4) ; GDP - WOODROW ; LOB - Creighton 12; Xavier 7.

CU	ip	h	r	er	bb	k	bf	ab	np
LACY	2.0	5	4	4	1	1	12	11	36
HIGHBERGER	2.0	3	2	2	1	2	11	8	37
MILLER	2.0	1	0	0	0	0	7	5	22
DECASTER	1.2	3	2	2	0	2	8	8	33
OLTMAN	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	4

XU	ip	h	r	er	bb	k	bf	ab	np
KIRSCHNER	3.0	7	4	4	2	0	17	15	54
SCHRAMM	3.2	2	1	1	1	2	14	12	61
WILLIAMS	1.0	2	0	0	1	1	6	5	34
SCHILLING	1.1	3	2	2	2	0	9	6	25

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WP - HIGHBERGER (6) ; SCHILLING (1) ; HB - HIGHBERGER (3) ; SCHRAMM (5) ; SFA - MILLER ; SCHILLING ;

Inherited runners/scored - MILLER 2/1; OLTMAN 1/0; SCHRAMM 2/0; WILLIAMS 1/1; SCHILLING 1/0; Groundouts/Flyouts - LACY 4/1;

HIGHBERGER 2/2; MILLER 4/2; DECASTER 2/1; OLTMAN 0/1; KIRSCHNER 4/4; SCHRAMM 4/4; WILLIAMS 1/1; SCHILLING 3/1; Pitches/strikes - LACY 36/24; HIGHBERGER 37/22; MILLER 22/14; DECASTER 33/21; OLTMAN 4/2; KIRSCHNER 54/33; SCHRAMM 61/35; WILLIAMS 34/21; SCHILLING 25/15;

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**Play By Play (Full) - Final**  
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Xavier	0	0	4	1	1	0	0	2	X	8	12	0	7

Creighton starters: 2/cf/WOODROW; 3/ss/LOPEZ; 30/1b/FOWLER; 12/dh/GANDY; 11/3b/CRAWFORD; 7/lf/MURRAY; 22/2b/FITZGERALD; 19/rf/CONNOLLY; 40/c/EMODI; 17/p/LACY;

Xavier starters: 6/3b/BANNON; 3/c/RIZZIE; 19/1b/GELLENBECK; 9/ss/JERNIGAN; 5/rf/SORIA; 35/2b/GIVIN; 10/lf/LARUE; 33/dh/ASTLE; 24/cf/FALLON; 37/p/KIRSCHNER;

CU 1st - WOODROW singled to third base (0-1 K).; LOPEZ walked (3-1 BBBKB); WOODROW advanced to second.; FOWLER singled to pitcher, bunt (2-1 BBK); LOPEZ advanced to second; WOODROW advanced to third.; **GANDY grounded out to 2b, RBI (2-2 FKBB); FOWLER advanced to second; LOPEZ advanced to third; WOODROW scored.; CRAWFORD singled to right field, 2 RBI (1-0 B); FOWLER scored; LOPEZ scored.;** MURRAY flied out to lf (0-0).; FITZGERALD fouled out to 3b (0-0).; 3 R, 3 H, 0 E, 1 LOB.

XU 1st - BANNON struck out swinging (0-2 KFS).; RIZZIE singled to left field (0-0).; GELLENBECK grounded out to 1b unassisted (0-1 K); RIZZIE advanced to second.; JERNIGAN lined out to 3b (0-0).; 0 R, 1 H, 0 E, 1 LOB.

CU 2nd - **CONNOLLY homered to left field, RBI (1-1 BK).**; EMODI grounded out to ss (0-0).; WOODROW doubled to left field (1-0 B).; LOPEZ grounded out to ss (0-1 K).; FOWLER lined out to ss (0-0).; 1 R, 2 H, 0 E, 1 LOB.

XU 2nd - SORIA grounded out to ss (3-2 BKFFB).; GIVIN walked (3-1 BBBKB).; LARUE reached on a fielder's choice (1-0 B); GIVIN out at second 2b to ss.; MORTON pinch hit for ASTLE.; LARUE stole second.; MORTON out at first 1b to p (1-2 KBF).; 0 R, 0 H, 0 E, 1 LOB.

CU 3rd - GANDY grounded out to 1b unassisted (2-1 BFB).; CRAWFORD singled up the middle (0-0).; CRAWFORD out at first c to ss to 1b, caught stealing.; MURRAY flied out to cf (3-1 KBBB).; 0 R, 1 H, 0 E, 0 LOB.

XU 3rd - FALLON singled to center field (0-1 F).; **BANNON homered to left field, 2 RBI (0-0); FALLON scored.;** RIZZIE singled to left field (1-2 KFB).; **GELLENBECK homered to right field, 2 RBI (2-1 FBB); RIZZIE scored.;** HIGHBERGER to p for LACY.; JERNIGAN grounded out to 2b (1-2 KBF).; SORIA hit by pitch (0-0).; GIVIN struck out swinging (3-2 BKBBKS).; LARUE popped up to 1b (0-0).; 4 R, 4 H, 0 E, 1 LOB.

CU 4th - FITZGERALD singled through the left side (1-2 KKFBFF).; CONNOLLY walked (3-2 BBBKFB); FITZGERALD advanced to second.; SCHRAMM to p for KIRSCHNER.; EMODI popped up to ss (1-2 FFBFF).; WOODROW struck out swinging (0-2 FKS).; LOPEZ flied out to lf (2-2 FBBF).; 0 R, 1 H, 0 E, 2 LOB.

XU 4th - MORTON to dh.; MORTON singled to center field (2-1 FBB).; FALLON grounded out to p, SAC, bunt (1-0 B); MORTON advanced to second.; BANNON flied out to lf (2-0 BB).; **RIZZIE singled to right field, RBI (1-1 BK); MORTON scored.;** GELLENBECK struck out swinging (0-2 KSS).; 1 R, 2 H, 0 E, 1 LOB.

CU 5th - FOWLER grounded out to 2b (2-1 BBF).; GANDY flied out to lf (3-2 BBBKKF).; CRAWFORD hit by pitch (3-1 BBBK).; MURRAY flied out to cf (1-1 BK).; 0 R, 0 H, 0 E, 1 LOB.

XU 5th - JERNIGAN singled to center field (0-2 FK).; JERNIGAN advanced to second on a wild pitch.; SORIA walked (3-2 BKBBKFB).; MILLER to p for HIGHBERGER.; GIVIN grounded out to p, SAC, bunt (0-0); SORIA advanced to second; JERNIGAN advanced to third.; **LARUE flied out to lf, SF,**

**RBI (0-0); JERNIGAN scored.;** MORTON grounded out to ss (3-2 BBBK);  
1 R, 1 H, 0 E, 1 LOB.

CU 6th - FITZGERALD singled to center field (3-1 BBKB); CONNOLLY singled to right field (0-0); FITZGERALD advanced to second.; EMODI struck out swinging (1-2 BFKS); WOODROW grounded into double play ss to 2b to 1b (1-0 B); CONNOLLY out on the play.;  
0 R, 2 H, 0 E, 1 LOB.

XU 6th - FALLON fouled out to 1b (2-2 KBFB); BANNON grounded out to 3b (3-2 BBFFB); RIZZIE singled to left field (0-0); GELLENBECK grounded out to 3b (0-0);  
0 R, 1 H, 0 E, 1 LOB.

CU 7th - LOPEZ grounded out to 2b (2-2 KBBFF); FOWLER walked (3-1 FBBBB); GANDY out at first p to 2b to 1b (2-2 KBFB); FOWLER advanced to second.; WILLIAMS to p for SCHRAMM.; **CRAWFORD singled to left field, advanced to second on the throw, RBI (0-1 K); FOWLER scored.;** MURRAY walked (3-0 BBBB); FITZGERALD grounded out to 1b unassisted (2-2 FFBB);  
1 R, 1 H, 0 E, 2 LOB.

XU 7th - DECASTER to p for MILLER.; JERNIGAN struck out swinging (1-2 BKSFS); SORIA struck out swinging (3-2 KBKFFBFS); GIVIN grounded out to p (0-0);  
0 R, 0 H, 0 E, 0 LOB.

CU 8th - GELLENBECK to rf.; SCHMIDT, E to 1b for SORIA.; CONNOLLY popped up to ss (2-2 BBFK); EMODI struck out swinging (2-2 KKBFFFBS); WOODROW doubled down the lf line (3-2 FBBBKFFFF); SCHILLING to p for WILLIAMS.; LOPEZ walked (3-1 BBKBB); FOWLER reached on a fielder's choice (0-0); LOPEZ out at second ss to 2b.;  
0 R, 1 H, 0 E, 2 LOB.

XU 8th - LARUE singled through the right side (1-0 B); LARUE stole second.; MORTON singled to third base, bunt (3-1 BBBK); LARUE advanced to third.; HARING pinch ran for MORTON.; FALLON popped up to 1b (1-0 B); **BANNON grounded out to 2b, RBI (2-2 KKBFFB); HARING advanced to second; LARUE scored.; RIZZIE doubled to left field, RBI (1-0 B); HARING scored.;** OLTMAN to p for DECASTER.; GELLENBECK popped up to 2b (2-1 KBB);  
2 R, 3 H, 0 E, 1 LOB.

CU 9th - GANDY doubled to left center (0-1 K); CRAWFORD grounded out to 2b (0-1 K); **MURRAY singled to left field, RBI (1-1 KB); GANDY scored.;** FITZGERALD singled through the right side (0-0); MURRAY advanced to second.; FITZGERALD advanced to second; MURRAY advanced to third on a wild pitch.; CONNOLLY walked (3-0 BBBB); HAMMER pinch hit for EMODI.; **HAMMER flied out to lf, SF, RBI (0-0); CONNOLLY advanced to second; FITZGERALD advanced to third; MURRAY scored.;** WOODROW grounded out to ss (1-2 BFKF);  
2 R, 3 H, 0 E, 2 LOB.