

## FINAL SCORE

**VCU**

33-21

**5**

**Western Carolina**

7-44

**4**

**VCU at Western Carolina**

**May 18, 2018**

**McNair Field (Forest City, N.C.)**

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#	Player	Pos	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	k	po	a	lob
14	LAMB, H	cf	3	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
8	BROWN, H	lf	4	0	2	3	1	0	0	0	1
4	BEREZO, D	2b	4	0	1	1	1	1	1	3	1
2	WITT, P	3b	4	1	2	0	1	1	0	1	3
26	LACEY, M	dh	4	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0
1	CARPENTER, S	rf/1b	3	0	1	1	0	1	4	0	0
16	HIBBITS, L.	1b	3	0	0	0	0	6	1	1	1
3	WILLET, B	rf	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
13	CHING, Z	ss	4	1	2	0	0	0	1	2	1
37	SCHATZ, A	c	4	1	1	0	0	3	14	1	0
17	SIMON, J	c	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals			34	5	13	5	4	8	27	9	7

#	Player	Pos	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	k	po	a	lob
5	Prater	2b	4	2	2	0	1	1	3	5	0
8	Holcomb	c	5	1	3	0	0	1	10	0	0
7	Blaquiere	ss	2	0	0	2	0	1	0	4	0
18	Bigbie	rf	3	0	1	1	0	2	1	1	2
19	Sparks	1b	4	0	1	0	1	1	8	0	4
10	Koehler	lf/cf	4	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	2
15	C. Robinson	3b	4	1	1	1	0	2	3	1	0
17	A. Robinson	dh	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
34	Wilder	ph	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
22	Henthorne	ph/lf	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	Parks	cf	3	0	0	0	0	3	1	1	0
1	Fricks	ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Totals			34	4	9	4	2	14	27	15	10

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E	LOB
VCU	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	2	5	13	0	8
Western Carolina	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	9	1	10

E - Sparks ; DP - VCU 0; Western Carolina 2.

RBI - BROWN, H 3 (23) ; BEREZO, D (29) ; CARPENTER, S (21) ; Blaquiere 2 (20) ; Bigbie (46) ; C. Robinson (22) ; 2B - WITT, P (9) ; LACEY, M (11) ; SCHATZ, A (3) ; Holcomb (14) ; 3B - CHING, Z (2) ; HR - C. Robinson (9) ; KL - LAMB, H ; CARPENTER, S ; SCHATZ, A 2 ; Koehler ; Wilder ; Parks ; HBP - Blaquiere 2 (11) ; Bigbie (3) ; SH - LAMB, H (23) ; Blaquiere (6) ; SF - CARPENTER, S (3) ; Bigbie (3) ; LOB - VCU 8; Western Carolina 10.

VCU	ip	h	r	er	bb	k	bf	ab	np
20 THOMPSON, S	3.0	4	2	2	1	5	15	12	55
40 ALKIRE, J	1.2	1	0	0	0	4	7	6	37
32 BAFUS, C	2.1	0	0	0	1	3	9	7	39
9 MOORE, H	0.1	1	0	0	0	1	2	2	6
28 McCARTY, M	1.2	3	2	2	0	1	8	7	23

WCU	ip	h	r	er	bb	k	bf	ab	np
32 Walter	2.2	4	1	1	2	2	11	9	45
3 Baker	2.1	2	0	0	0	3	9	9	29
27 Purus	2.0	3	2	2	1	1	10	8	41
26 Niezen	2.0	4	2	2	1	2	10	8	31

Win - BAFUS, C (2-1). Loss - Purus (2-12). Save - McCARTY, M (16).

HB - THOMPSON, S (8) ; ALKIRE, J (8) ; BAFUS, C (4) ; SFA - McCARTY, M ; Purus ; PB - SCHATZ, A ;

Inherited runners/scored - BAFUS, C 2/0; McCARTY, M 1/0; Baker 1/1; Groundouts/Flyouts - THOMPSON, S 3/1; ALKIRE, J 1/0; BAFUS, C 3/1; MOORE, H 0/0; McCARTY, M 3/1; Walter 2/1; Baker 2/1; Purus 4/1; Niezen 2/1; Pitches/strikes - THOMPSON, S 55/38; ALKIRE, J 37/24; BAFUS, C 39/24; MOORE, H 6/5; McCARTY, M 23/15; Walter 45/27; Baker 29/22; Purus 41/29; Niezen 31/24;

Umpires - HP: ; 1B: ; 2B: ; 3B: .

Start: 7:12 pm. Duration: 3:28. Attendance: 0

Weather: Cloudy w/threat of rain

**Play By Play (Full) - Final VCU at Western Carolina  
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<b>Score by Innings</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>LOB</b>
VCU	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	2	5	13	0	8
Western Carolina	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	9	1	10

**VCU starters:**

14/cf/LAMB, H; 8/lf/BROWN, H; 4/2b/BEREZO, D; 2/3b/WITT, P; 26/dh/LACEY, M; 1/rf/CARPENTER, S; 16/1b/HIBBITS, L.; 13/ss/CHING, Z; 37/c/SCHATZ, A; 20/p/THOMPSON, S;

**Western Carolina starters:**

5/2b/Prater; 8/c/Holcomb; 7/ss/Blaquiere; 18/rf/Bigbie; 19/1b/Sparks; 10/lf/Koehler; 15/3b/C. Robinson; 17/dh/A. Robinson; 6/cf/Parks; 32/p/Walter;

**1st Inning**

Top of 1st - VCU batting

LAMB, H struck out looking (2-2 KKBBK).

BROWN, H walked (3-2 BBFSBB).

BEREZO, D struck out swinging (2-2 KBBFFS).

WITT, P doubled down the lf line (0-1 K); BROWN, H advanced to third, out at home lf to 2b to c.

<b>This Inning</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>L</b>
VCU	0	1	0	1
WCU	0	1	0	2

Bottom of 1st - WCU batting

Prater grounded out to ss (0-0).

Holcomb struck out swinging (1-2 BSKFS).

Blaquiere hit by pitch (2-2 KBSFBF).

Bigbie singled up the middle (0-0); Blaquiere advanced to second.

Sparks struck out swinging (1-2 KBFS).

**2nd Inning**

Top of 2nd - VCU batting

LACEY, M doubled to center field, out at third cf to ss to 3b (1-2 KSB).

CARPENTER, S singled down the lf line (0-0).

HIBBITS, L. popped up to 3b (2-2 BKFB).

CHING, Z reached on a fielder's choice (1-1 KB); CARPENTER, S out at second 3b to 2b.

<b>This Inning</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>L</b>
VCU	0	2	0	1
WCU	1	1	0	0

Bottom of 2nd - WCU batting

Koehler flied out to rf (0-0).

**C. Robinson homered to left field, RBI (0-0).**

A. Robinson grounded out to 2b (1-0 B).

Parks struck out swinging, out at first c to 1b (0-2 KKS).

**3rd Inning**

Top of 3rd - VCU batting

SCHATZ, A doubled to left center (0-0).

LAMB, H walked (3-0 BBBB).

BROWN, H hit into double play 2b to 1b (2-2 FBKFBF); LAMB, H out on the play; SCHATZ, A advanced to third.

*Baker to p for Walter.*

**BEREZO, D singled through the right side, RBI (0-1 K); SCHATZ, A scored.**

WITT, P struck out swinging (1-2 KFBS).

<b>This Inning</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>L</b>
VCU	1	2	0	1
WCU	1	2	0	2

Bottom of 3rd - WCU batting

Prater singled up the middle (3-1 BBKB).

Holcomb singled through the right side (0-2 FF); Prater advanced to third.

**Blaquiere out at first 1b to 2b, bunt, SAC, RBI (1-1 BK); Holcomb advanced to second; Prater scored.**

Bigbie struck out swinging (3-2 BBSBFS).

Sparks walked (3-2 BFBFBFFB).

Koehler struck out looking (0-2 KFK).

**4th Inning**

Top of 4th - VCU batting

LACEY, M flied out to cf (1-2 KSB).

CARPENTER, S struck out looking (0-2 FFK).

HIBBITS, L. grounded out to 1b unassisted (1-0 B).

<b>This Inning</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>L</b>
VCU	0	0	0	0
WCU	0	0	0	0

Bottom of 4th - WCU batting

*ALKIRE, J to p for THOMPSON, S.*

C. Robinson struck out swinging (0-2 KFS).

A. Robinson grounded out to p (1-1 SB).

Parks struck out looking (2-2 KBBSK).

### 5th Inning

#### Top of 5th - VCU batting

CHING, Z tripled to right center (2-1 FBB).  
 SCHATZ, A struck out looking (1-2 FKBFK).  
 LAMB, H reached on a fielder's choice (1-1 FB); CHING, Z out at third p to 3b.  
 BROWN, H reached on a fielding error by 1b, advanced to second (0-1 K); LAMB, H advanced to third, out at home rf to ss to c.

This Inning	R	H	E	L
VCU	0	1	1	1
WCU	0	1	0	2

#### Bottom of 5th - WCU batting

Prater struck out swinging (3-2 FFFBFBFFFS).  
 Holcomb singled to left field (2-2 BFBK).  
 Blaquiere struck out swinging (2-2 SKBBS).  
 Holcomb advanced to second on a passed ball.  
 Bigbie hit by pitch (2-2 BSBK).  
 BAFUS, C to p for ALKIRE, J.  
 Sparks reached on a fielder's choice (0-1 K); Bigbie out at second 2b to ss.

### 6th Inning

#### Top of 6th - VCU batting

*Purus to p for Baker.*  
 BEREZO, D grounded out to ss (0-2 KK).  
 WITT, P walked (3-0 BBBB).  
 LACEY, M singled down the lf line (3-2 BKBBF); WITT, P advanced to third.  
**CARPENTER, S flied out to lf, SAC, RBI (1-2 FKBFFF); WITT, P scored.**  
 HIBBITS, L. grounded out to 2b (0-0).

This Inning	R	H	E	L
VCU	1	1	0	1
WCU	0	0	0	0

#### Bottom of 6th - WCU batting

Koehler flied out to rf (3-1 FBBB).  
 C. Robinson grounded out to 3b (0-2 SF).  
*Wilder to dh for A. Robinson.*  
*Wilder pinch hit.*  
 Wilder struck out looking (1-2 FKBFK).

### 7th Inning

#### Top of 7th - VCU batting

CHING, Z grounded out to ss (1-2 FBS).  
 SCHATZ, A struck out looking (1-2 BSSF).  
 LAMB, H singled to center field (0-1 K).  
 LAMB, H stole second.  
**BROWN, H singled through the left side, RBI (1-2 SKB); LAMB, H scored.**  
 BEREZO, D grounded out to 2b (1-2 KFBB).

This Inning	R	H	E	L
VCU	1	2	0	1
WCU	0	0	0	2

#### Bottom of 7th - WCU batting

Parks struck out swinging (1-2 BFKS).  
 Prater walked (3-1 BBKBB).  
 Holcomb grounded out to ss (2-2 KBBF); Prater advanced to second.  
 Blaquiere hit by pitch (2-2 FFBB).  
 Bigbie struck out swinging (1-2 KFBS).

### 8th Inning

#### Top of 8th - VCU batting

*Niezen to p for Purus.*  
 WITT, P singled through the right side (0-1 K).  
 LACEY, M struck out swinging (1-2 BKKFFS).  
 CARPENTER, S hit into double play 2b to 1b (1-1 KB); WITT, P out on the play.

This Inning	R	H	E	L
VCU	0	1	0	0
WCU	0	2	0	2

#### Bottom of 8th - WCU batting

*MOORE, H to p for BAFUS, C.*  
 CARPENTER, S to 1b.  
 WILLETT, B to rf for HIBBITS, L..  
 Sparks singled to third base (0-1 K).  
 Koehler struck out swinging (1-2 BFKS).  
 McCARTY, M to p for MOORE, H.  
 C. Robinson struck out swinging (1-2 FFBS).  
*Wilder to dh.*  
*Henthorne pinch hit for Wilder.*  
 Henthorne singled through the right side (2-1 FBB); Sparks advanced to second.  
*Fricks pinch hit for Parks.*  
 Fricks grounded out to c unassisted (1-1 FB).

## 9th Inning

### Top of 9th - VCU batting

*Koehler to cf.*

*Henthorne to lf.*

*Niezen to p for Fricks.*

*/ for Niezen.*

WILLETT, B singled to center field (0-1 K).

CHING, Z singled up the middle (0-1 K); WILLETT, B advanced to second.

SCHATZ, A struck out swinging (0-2 KKS).

LAMB, H grounded out to p, bunt, SAC (1-0 B); CHING, Z advanced to second; WILLETT, B advanced to third.

**BROWN, H singled to center field, 2 RBI (0-1 K); CHING, Z scored; WILLETT, B scored.**

BEREZO, D walked (3-1 FBBBB); BROWN, H advanced to second.

WITT, P lined out to rf (0-2 KFF).

<u>This Inning</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>E</u>	<u>L</u>
VCU	2	3	0	2
WCU	2	2	0	0

### Bottom of 9th - WCU batting

*SIMON, J to c for SCHATZ, A.*

Prater singled up the middle (1-0 B).

Holcomb doubled to left field (2-2 FFBBF); Prater advanced to third.

**Blaquiere grounded out to 1b unassisted, RBI (0-0); Holcomb advanced to third; Prater scored.**

**Bigbie flied out to rf, SAC, RBI (0-0); Holcomb scored.**

Sparks grounded out to 2b (1-0 B).

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Bottom of 2nd - WCU batting

Koehler flied out to rf (0-0).

**C. Robinson homered to left field, RBI (0-0).**

A. Robinson grounded out to 2b (1-0 B).

Parks struck out swinging, out at first c to 1b (0-2 KKS).

1 R, 1 H, 0 E, 0 LOB.

Top of 3rd - VCU batting

SCHATZ, A doubled to left center (0-0).

LAMB, H walked (3-0 BBBB).

BROWN, H hit into double play 2b to 1b (2-2 FBKFBB); LAMB, H out on the play; SCHATZ, A advanced to third.

*Baker to p for Walter.*

**BEREZO, D singled through the right side, RBI (0-1 K); SCHATZ, A scored.**

WITT, P struck out swinging (1-2 KFBS).

1 R, 2 H, 0 E, 1 LOB.

Bottom of 3rd - WCU batting

Prater singled up the middle (3-1 BBKB).

Holcomb singled through the right side (0-2 FF); Prater advanced to third.

**Blaquiere out at first 1b to 2b, bunt, SAC, RBI (1-1 BK); Holcomb advanced to second; Prater scored.**

Bigbie struck out swinging (3-2 BBSBFS).

Sparks walked (3-2 BFBFFBFFB).

Koehler struck out looking (0-2 KFK).

1 R, 2 H, 0 E, 2 LOB.

Top of 6th - VCU batting

*Purus to p for Baker.*

BEREZO, D grounded out to ss (0-2 KK).

WITT, P walked (3-0 BBBB).

LACEY, M singled down the lf line (3-2 BKBBF); WITT, P advanced to third.

**CARPENTER, S flied out to lf, SAC, RBI (1-2 FKBBFF); WITT, P scored.**

HIBBITS, L. grounded out to 2b (0-0).

1 R, 1 H, 0 E, 1 LOB.

Top of 7th - VCU batting

CHING, Z grounded out to ss (1-2 FBS).

SCHATZ, A struck out looking (1-2 BSSFK).

LAMB, H singled to center field (0-1 K).

LAMB, H stole second.

**BROWN, H singled through the left side, RBI (1-2 SKB); LAMB, H scored.**

BEREZO, D grounded out to 2b (1-2 KFBB).

1 R, 2 H, 0 E, 1 LOB.

Top of 9th - VCU batting

*Koehler to cf.*

*Henthorne to lf.*

*Niezen to p for Fricks.*

*/ for Niezen.*

WILLETT, B singled to center field (0-1 K).

CHING, Z singled up the middle (0-1 K); WILLETT, B advanced to second.

SCHATZ, A struck out swinging (0-2 KKS).

LAMB, H grounded out to p, bunt, SAC (1-0 B); CHING, Z advanced to second; WILLETT, B advanced to third.

**BROWN, H singled to center field, 2 RBI (0-1 K); CHING, Z scored; WILLETT, B scored.**

BEREZO, D walked (3-1 FBBBB); BROWN, H advanced to second.

WITT, P lined out to rf (0-2 KFF).

2 R, 3 H, 0 E, 2 LOB.

Bottom of 9th - WCU batting

*SIMON, J to c for SCHATZ, A.*

Prater singled up the middle (1-0 B).

Holcomb doubled to left field (2-2 FFBBF); Prater advanced to third.

**Blaquiere grounded out to 1b unassisted, RBI (0-0); Holcomb advanced to third; Prater scored.**

**Bigbie flied out to rf, SAC, RBI (0-0); Holcomb scored.**

Sparks grounded out to 2b (1-0 B).

2 R, 2 H, 0 E, 0 LOB.

