

Official Box Score - Final
Butler at Northern Iowa
2/7/2026 at UNI-Dome (Cedar Falls, Iowa)

SCORE BY INNINGS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	R	H	E	LOB
Butler	3	3	5	0	0	0	0	11	11	1	4
Northern Iowa	1	0	1	8	2	3	X	15	14	2	7
Win: M. Vertz (1-0)	Loss: R. Dyer (0-1)						Save: None.				

Butler 11 (1-3)

#	PLAYER	POS	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	K	PO	A	E	LOB
19	C. Lehner	CF	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	H. Conger	LF	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	M. Alexander	1B	4	2	3	4	0	0	5	0	0	0
1	K. Preiss	2B	4	1	1	1	0	2	4	1	0	1
9	A. Boydston	C	3	1	2	1	0	0	6	2	0	0
	25 R. Hunt (PR)		0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
29	O. Robards	SS	4	1	1	1	0	0	1	2	0	0
13	K. Ryan	DP	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
	2 E. Clark (PH)		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	4 P. Law (PR)		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
21	K. Graves	3B	3	1	0	0	1	2	1	1	0	1
22	O. Roberts	RF	4	2	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	1
15	K. Petran	P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	16 M. Berger (P)		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	14 R. Dyer (P)		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Totals			34	11	11	11	1	4	18	7	1	4

BATTING

2B: Conger (off Enke); Alexander 2 (off Enke) (off Vertz); Preiss (off Enke); Robards (off Enke).

HR: Alexander (2nd, 2 out, RBI off Enke)

TB: Conger 2; Alexander 8; Preiss 2; Robards 2. **2-Out RBI:** Alexander 3; Preiss; Boydston; Robards. **HBP:** Boydston. **KL:** Preiss.

Team RISP: 5-13.

BASERUNNING

SB: Robards (pVertz/c Hinrichs).

FIELDING

DP: 2 (Alexander, Preiss 2, Robards, Graves).

BUTLER	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K	BF	AB	NP	ST
15 K. Petran	3.0	4	4	4	5	6	17	12	78	42
16 M. Berger	0.2	4	6	6	3	0	9	5	49	27
14 R. Dyer (L)	2.1	6	5	2	4	0	14	9	57	29
Totals	6.0	14	15	12	12	6	40	26	184	98

WP: Petran. **SFA:** Berger.

GO-FO: Petran 2-0; Berger 0-2; Dyer 3-1.

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

First Pitch:8:00 PM. **Duration:**2:36.

Attendance:75

Northern Iowa 15 (2-1)

#	PLAYER	POS	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	K	PO	A	E	LOB
3	S. Benesh	2B	3	4	3	3	2	0	0	1	0	0
4	P. Johnson	LF	1	2	1	0	4	0	2	0	0	0
	22 A. Reynolds (PR)		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	K. Lappe	3B	2	2	2	3	3	0	1	2	0	0
19	D. Hinrichs (C)	DP	5	0	1	1	0	2	2	0	1	2
18	K. Callahan	RF	3	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
1	E. Smithson	1B	3	2	2	1	1	1	9	0	0	2
11	S. Smith	SS	4	2	3	2	0	1	3	2	0	0
	10 E. Morris (PR)		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	A. Enke	P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
	2 B. Acton (DP)		3	2	2	4	1	0	0	0	0	0
6	P. Peterson	CF	2	1	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	2
21	J. Thurm	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
	15 M. Vertz (P)		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals			26	15	14	15	12	6	21	7	2	7

BATTING

2B: Benesh (off Berger); Lappe (off Dyer); Smithson (off Dyer); Acton (off Berger).

HR: Benesh 2 (1st, 0 out, RBI off Petran) (3rd, 0 out, RBI off Petran); Acton (4th, 0 out, RBI off Petran)

TB: Benesh 10; Lappe 3; Smithson 3; Acton 6. **2-Out RBI:** Lappe 2; Smithson; Smith; Acton 2. **SF:** Callahan. **KL:** Callahan; Smith.

Team RISP: 7-18.

BASERUNNING

SB: Peterson (pBerger/c Boydston). **CS:** Benesh (pDyer/c Boydston) (pDyer/c Boydston); Morris (pDyer/c Boydston) (pDyer/c Boydston).

FIELDING

DP: 1 (Benesh, Smithson, Smith). **PB:** Hinrichs.

UNI	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K	BF	AB	NP	ST
24 A. Enke	2.0	7	6	6	0	2	13	13	55	42
15 M. Vertz (W)	5.0	4	5	0	1	2	23	21	88	55
Totals	7.0	11	11	6	1	4	36	34	143	97

HB: Vertz.

GO-FO: Enke 2-2; Vertz 7-5.

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Northern Iowa starters:
 3/2b/S. Benesh; 4/lf/P. Johnson; 20/3b/K. Lappe; 19/dp/D. Hinrichs; 18/rf/K. Callahan; 1/1b/E. Smithson; 11/ss/S. Smith; 24/p/A. Enke; 6/cf/P. Peterson; 21/c/J. Thurm;

1st Inning

Top of 1st - BUTLER batting

C. Lehner grounded out to p.

H. Conger grounded out to p.

M. Alexander doubled through the left side.

K. Preiss doubled down the lf line, RBI; M. Alexander scored.

A. Boydston singled up the middle, RBI; K. Preiss scored.

O. Robards doubled to center field, RBI; A. Boydston scored.

K. Ryan popped up to 3b.

Bottom of 1st - UNI batting

S. Benesh homered to center field, RBI.

P. Johnson walked.

K. Lappe walked; P. Johnson advanced to second.

D. Hinrichs struck out swinging.

K. Callahan reached on a fielder's choice; K. Lappe out on the play; P. Johnson out on double play 3b to 2b.

THIS INNING	R	H	E	L
BUTLER	3	4	0	1
UNI	1	1	0	1

2nd Inning

Top of 2nd - BUTLER batting

K. Graves struck out swinging.

O. Roberts singled down the lf line.

C. Lehner flied out to lf.

H. Conger doubled to right center, ground-rule; O. Roberts advanced to third.

M. Alexander homered to center field, 3 RBI; H. Conger scored; O. Roberts scored.

K. Preiss struck out swinging.

Bottom of 2nd - UNI batting

E. Smithson walked.

E. Smithson advanced to second on a wild pitch.

S. Smith struck out looking.

B. Acton pinch hit for A. Enke.

B. Acton grounded out to 1b unassisted; E. Smithson advanced to third.

P. Peterson struck out swinging.

THIS INNING	R	H	E	L
BUTLER	3	3	0	0
UNI	0	0	0	1

3rd Inning

Top of 3rd - BUTLER batting

D. Hinrichs to c.

B. Acton to dp.

M. Vertz to p for J. Thurm.

A. Boydston singled to shortstop.

R. Hunt pinch ran for A. Boydston.

R. Hunt advanced to second on a passed ball.

O. Robards reached first on a fielding error by c; R. Hunt advanced to third.

O. Robards stole second.

K. Ryan reached on a fielder's choice, RBI, advanced to second; O. Robards advanced to third; R. Hunt scored on a throwing error by p, unearned.

K. Graves walked.

O. Roberts singled to right center, advanced to second, 2 RBI; K. Graves advanced to third; K. Ryan scored, unearned; O. Robards scored, unearned.

C. Lehner grounded out to 3b.

H. Conger grounded out to 1b unassisted, RBI; O. Roberts advanced to third; K. Graves scored, unearned.

M. Alexander doubled to right center, ground-rule, RBI; O. Roberts scored, unearned.

K. Preiss struck out looking.

Bottom of 3rd - UNI batting

A. Boydston to c for R. Hunt.

S. Benesh homered to center field, RBI.

P. Johnson walked.

K. Lappe walked; P. Johnson advanced to second.

D. Hinrichs struck out swinging.

K. Callahan struck out looking.

E. Smithson struck out swinging.

THIS INNING	R	H	E	L
BUTLER	5	3	2	1
UNI	1	1	0	2

4th Inning

Top of 4th - BUTLER batting

A. Boydston hit by pitch.

O. Robards grounded out to 1b unassisted; A. Boydston advanced to second.

E. Clark pinch hit for K. Ryan.

E. Clark reached on a fielder's choice; A. Boydston advanced to third.

K. Ryan to dp for E. Clark.

K. Graves grounded into double play 2b to ss to 1b; K. Ryan out on the play.

THIS INNING	R	H	E	L
BUTLER	0	0	0	1
UNI	8	6	0	1

Bottom of 4th - UNI batting

S. Smith singled up the middle.

B. Acton homered to center field, 2 RBI; S. Smith scored.

M. Berger to p for K. Petran.

P. Peterson walked.

P. Peterson stole second.

S. Benesh doubled to right center, RBI; P. Peterson scored.

P. Johnson walked.

K. Lappe walked; P. Johnson advanced to second; S. Benesh advanced to third.

D. Hinrichs fouled out to 1b.

K. Callahan flied out to rf, SAC, RBI; P. Johnson advanced to third; S. Benesh scored.

E. Smithson singled to right center, RBI; K. Lappe advanced to second; P. Johnson scored.

S. Smith singled to right center, advanced to second, RBI; E. Smithson advanced to third; K. Lappe scored.

B. Acton doubled to left center, 2 RBI; S. Smith scored; E. Smithson scored.

R. Dyer to p for M. Berger.

P. Peterson popped up to ss.

5th Inning

Top of 5th - BUTLER batting

O. Roberts grounded out to ss.

C. Lehner grounded out to 3b.

H. Conger lined out to cf.

THIS INNING	R	H	E	L
BUTLER	0	0	0	0
UNI	2	3	0	0

Bottom of 5th - UNI batting

S. Benesh walked.

S. Benesh out at second c to 2b, caught stealing.

P. Johnson singled up the middle.

K. Lappe doubled to right center, RBI; P. Johnson scored.

D. Hinrichs singled to center field, RBI; K. Lappe scored.

K. Callahan grounded into double play ss to 2b to 1b; D. Hinrichs out on the play.

6th Inning

Top of 6th - BUTLER batting

M. Alexander popped up to ss.

K. Preiss lined out to cf.

A. Boydston grounded out to 1b unassisted.

THIS INNING	R	H	E	L
BUTLER	0	0	0	0
UNI	3	3	1	2

Bottom of 6th - UNI batting

E. Smithson doubled to left center.

S. Smith singled, bunt, RBI; E. Smithson advanced to third, scored on a throwing error by p, unearned.

E. Morris pinch ran for S. Smith.

E. Morris out at second c to 2b, caught stealing.

B. Acton walked.

P. Peterson grounded out to p, SAC, bunt; B. Acton advanced to second.

S. Benesh was intentionally walked.

P. Johnson walked; S. Benesh advanced to second; B. Acton advanced to third.

K. Lappe singled through the left side, 2 RBI; P. Johnson advanced to second; S. Benesh scored, unearned; B. Acton scored, unearned.

A. Reynolds pinch ran for P. Johnson.

D. Hinrichs grounded out to ss.

7th Inning

Top of 7th - BUTLER batting

P. Johnson to lf for A. Reynolds.

S. Smith to ss for E. Morris.

O. Robards popped up to ss.

K. Ryan singled up the middle.

P. Law pinch ran for K. Ryan.

K. Graves struck out swinging.

O. Roberts flied out to lf.

THIS INNING	R	H	E	L
BUTLER	0	1	0	1

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Top of 1st - BUTLER batting

C. Lehner grounded out to p.

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M. Alexander doubled through the left side.

K. Preiss doubled down the lf line, RBI; M. Alexander scored.

A. Boydston singled up the middle, RBI; K. Preiss scored.

O. Robards doubled to center field, RBI; A. Boydston scored.

K. Ryan popped up to 3b.

3 R, 4 H, 0 E, 1 LOB.

Bottom of 1st - UNI batting

S. Benesh homered to center field, RBI.

P. Johnson walked.

K. Lappe walked; P. Johnson advanced to second.

D. Hinrichs struck out swinging.

K. Callahan reached on a fielder's choice; K. Lappe out on the play; P. Johnson out on double play 3b to 2b.

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

Top of 2nd - BUTLER batting

K. Graves struck out swinging.

O. Roberts singled down the lf line.

C. Lehner flied out to lf.

H. Conger doubled to right center, ground-rule; O. Roberts advanced to third.

M. Alexander homered to center field, 3 RBI; H. Conger scored; O. Roberts scored.

K. Preiss struck out swinging.

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

Top of 3rd - BUTLER batting

D. Hinrichs to c.

B. Acton to dp.

M. Vertz to p for J. Thurm.

A. Boydston singled to shortstop.

R. Hunt pinch ran for A. Boydston.

R. Hunt advanced to second on a passed ball.

O. Robards reached first on a fielding error by c; R. Hunt advanced to third.

O. Robards stole second.

K. Ryan reached on a fielder's choice, RBI, advanced to second; O. Robards advanced to third; R. Hunt scored on a throwing error by p, unearned.

K. Graves walked.

O. Roberts singled to right center, advanced to second, 2 RBI; K. Graves advanced to third; K. Ryan scored, unearned; O. Robards scored, unearned.

C. Lehner grounded out to 3b.

H. Conger grounded out to 1b unassisted, RBI; O. Roberts advanced to third; K. Graves scored, unearned.

M. Alexander doubled to right center, ground-rule, RBI; O. Roberts scored, unearned.

K. Preiss struck out looking.

5 R, 3 H, 2 E, 1 LOB.

Bottom of 3rd - UNI batting

A. Boydston to c for R. Hunt.

S. Benesh homered to center field, RBI.

P. Johnson walked.

K. Lappe walked; P. Johnson advanced to second.

D. Hinrichs struck out swinging.

K. Callahan struck out looking.

E. Smithson struck out swinging.

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

Bottom of 4th - UNI batting

S. Smith singled up the middle.

B. Acton homered to center field, 2 RBI; S. Smith scored.

M. Berger to p for K. Petran.

P. Peterson walked.

P. Peterson stole second.

S. Benesh doubled to right center, RBI; P. Peterson scored.

P. Johnson walked.

K. Lappe walked; P. Johnson advanced to second; S. Benesh advanced to third.

D. Hinrichs fouled out to 1b.

K. Callahan flied out to rf, SAC, RBI; P. Johnson advanced to third; S. Benesh scored.

E. Smithson singled to right center, RBI; K. Lappe advanced to second; P. Johnson scored.

S. Smith singled to right center, advanced to second, RBI; E. Smithson advanced to third; K. Lappe scored.

B. Acton doubled to left center, 2 RBI; S. Smith scored; E. Smithson scored.

R. Dyer to p for M. Berger.

P. Peterson popped up to ss.

8 R, 6 H, 0 E, 1 LOB.

Bottom of 5th - UNI batting

S. Benesh walked.

S. Benesh out at second c to 2b, caught stealing.

P. Johnson singled up the middle.

K. Lappe doubled to right center, RBI; P. Johnson scored.

D. Hinrichs singled to center field, RBI; K. Lappe scored.

K. Callahan grounded into double play ss to 2b to 1b; D. Hinrichs out on the play.

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

Bottom of 6th - UNI batting

E. Smithson doubled to left center.

S. Smith singled, bunt, RBI; E. Smithson advanced to third, scored on a throwing error by p, unearned.

E. Morris pinch ran for S. Smith.

E. Morris out at second c to 2b, caught stealing.

B. Acton walked.

P. Peterson grounded out to p, SAC, bunt; B. Acton advanced to second.

S. Benesh was intentionally walked.

P. Johnson walked; S. Benesh advanced to second; B. Acton advanced to third.

K. Lappe singled through the left side, 2 RBI; P. Johnson advanced to second; S. Benesh scored, unearned; B. Acton scored, unearned.

A. Reynolds pinch ran for P. Johnson.

D. Hinrichs grounded out to ss.

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BUTLER SCORECARD

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3	#17 M. Alexander	1b	 2B LS	 HR 8 3RBI	 2B 9 1RBI			* P6		4	2	3	4	
4	#1 K. Preiss	2b	 2B LL 1RBI	* K	* KL			* L8		4	1	1	1	
5	#9 A. Boydston #25 R. Hunt	c	 1B MI 1RBI		 1B 6	 HBP		* G3U		3 0	1 1	2 0	1 0	
6	#29 O. Robards	ss	 2B 8 1RBI		 E2 SB2 E	* G3U			* P6	4	1	1	1	
7	#13 K. Ryan #2 E. Clark #4 P. Law	pr	* P5		 FC1 1RBI	 FC			 1B MI	3 1 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	
8	#21 K. Graves	3b		* K	 BB	* DP4-6-3			* K	3	1	0	0	
9	#22 O. Roberts	rf		 1B LL	 1B 9 2RBI		* G6		* F7	4	2	2	2	
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NORTHERN IOWA SCORECARD

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1	#3 S. Benesh	2b	HR 8 1 RBI		HR 8 1 RBI	2B 9 1 RBI	* BB OUT	BB		3	4	3	3
2	#4 P. Johnson #22 A. Reynolds	lf	BB		BB	BB	1B MI	BB		1 0	2 0	1 0	0 0
3	#20 K. Lappe	3b	* BB DP		BB	BB	2B 9 1 RBI	1B LS 2 RBI		2	2	2	3
4	#19 D. Hinrichs	c	* K		* K	* FF3	* 1B 8 1 RBI DP	* G6		5	0	1	1
5	#18 K. Callahan	rf	FC5-4		* KL	* F9 SH 1 RBI	* DP6-4-3			3	0	0	1
6	#1 E. Smithson	1b		BB WP	* K	1B 9 1 RBI		2B 7 E		3	2	2	1
7	#11 S. Smith #10 E. Morris	ss		* KL		1B MI 1B 9 1 RBI		1B 1 1 RBI		4 0	2 0	3 0	2 0
8	#24 A. Enke #2 B. Acton	dp		* G3U		HR 8 2 RBI 2B 7 2 RBI		BB		0 3	0 2	0 2	0 4
9	#6 P. Peterson	cf		* K		BB SB2 P6		* G1 SH		2	1	0	0
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Hits			1	0	1	6	3	3				14	
Errors			0	0	0	0	0	1				1	
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