

Hope (10-22, 4-9 MIAA) -vs- Kalamazoo (27-4, 11-2 MIAA)  
4/17/2026 at Caledonia, MI (Davenport University)

| Score by Innings | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | R | H | E |
|------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hope             | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 9 | 2 |
| Kalamazoo        | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 1 |

Hope 5

| Player             | AB | R | H | RBI | BB | SO | LOB |
|--------------------|----|---|---|-----|----|----|-----|
| Corbin Bennetts lf | 5  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0  | 2  | 0   |
| Anthony Devito ss  | 4  | 0 | 1 | 0   | 0  | 3  | 1   |
| Charlie Saul dh    | 4  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0  | 3  | 0   |
| Cade Seabaugh 1b   | 4  | 1 | 1 | 0   | 0  | 2  | 1   |
| Colton Kinnie 2b   | 4  | 2 | 3 | 0   | 0  | 1  | 0   |
| Nick Verduzco 3b   | 4  | 1 | 1 | 1   | 0  | 2  | 1   |
| Brenden Collins rf | 4  | 1 | 1 | 3   | 0  | 1  | 0   |
| Thatcher Simon c   | 3  | 0 | 2 | 1   | 0  | 1  | 0   |
| Jace DeMann cf     | 3  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0  | 2  | 2   |
| Owen Weber p       | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| Avery McEwen p     | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| Totals             | 35 | 5 | 9 | 5   | 0  | 17 | 5   |

2B: Cade Seabaugh (1); Colton Kinnie (1); Brenden Collins (1); Thatcher Simon (1)  
3B: Nick Verduzco (1)  
SH: Jace DeMann (1)  
SF: Thatcher Simon (1)  
SB: Colton Kinnie (1)  
E: Anthony Devito (1); Nick Verduzco (1)

Kalamazoo 1

| Player            | AB | R | H | RBI | BB | SO | LOB |
|-------------------|----|---|---|-----|----|----|-----|
| Cade Preissing ss | 4  | 0 | 1 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 1   |
| Robert Newland rf | 4  | 1 | 0 | 0   | 0  | 1  | 1   |
| Ryar Rinehart 1b  | 4  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0  | 2  | 0   |
| Caleb Moore dh    | 4  | 0 | 1 | 0   | 0  | 1  | 0   |
| Alex Fenkell 2b   | 4  | 0 | 1 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| Clay Cook pr      | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| Jackson Isaacs lf | 3  | 0 | 1 | 0   | 0  | 1  | 1   |
| J.T. Hill lf      | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| Mikey DeLuca ph   | 1  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0  | 1  | 0   |
| Jack Friesen 3b   | 4  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0  | 2  | 3   |
| Austin Keur cf    | 1  | 0 | 1 | 0   | 2  | 0  | 0   |
| Liam Regan c      | 3  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| Robert Ahlgren p  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| Carson Merritt p  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| Totals            | 32 | 1 | 5 | 0   | 2  | 8  | 6   |

CS: Cade Preissing (1); Austin Keur (1)  
E: Ryar Rinehart (1)

| Hope                | IP  | H | R | ER | BB | SO | WP | BK | HBP | IBB | AB | BF | FO | GO | NP  |
|---------------------|-----|---|---|----|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| Owen Weber (W, 2-2) | 8.0 | 3 | 1 | 0  | 2  | 6  | 1  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 27 | 29 | 12 | 4  | 106 |
| Avery McEwen        | 1.0 | 2 | 0 | 0  | 0  | 2  | 1  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 5  | 5  | 1  | 0  | 21  |
| Totals              |     | 5 | 1 | 0  | 2  | 8  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 32 | 34 | 13 | 4  | 127 |

| Kalamazoo               | IP  | H | R | ER | BB | SO | WP | BK | HBP | IBB | AB | BF | FO | GO | NP  |
|-------------------------|-----|---|---|----|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| Robert Ahlgren (L, 4-1) | 7.0 | 8 | 4 | 4  | 0  | 15 | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 28 | 29 | 3  | 3  | 108 |
| Carson Merritt          | 2.0 | 1 | 1 | 0  | 0  | 2  | 1  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 7  | 8  | 4  | 0  | 26  |
| Totals                  |     | 9 | 5 | 4  | 0  | 17 | 1  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 35 | 37 | 7  | 3  | 134 |

Win: Owen Weber (2-2)  
Loss: Robert Ahlgren (4-1)  
HBP: None  
PB: None

Umpires: Home Plate: Kevin Buchberger First: Kirk VanderLaan Third Base: Chris Calkins  
Start: 7:59 PM Time: 2:18 Attendance: 165 Weather: 73, Cloudy, Windy  
Game notes:

## Play By Play

| Hope - Top of 1st                              | HOP | KZO |
|------------------------------------------------|-----|-----|
| Corbin Bennetts struck out looking (1-2 BKFK). | 0   | 0   |
| Anthony Devito struck out swinging (1-2 KSBS). | 0   | 0   |
| Charlie Saul struck out swinging (1-2 BSKS).   | 0   | 0   |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0      |     |     |

| Kalamazoo - Bottom of 1st                              | HOP | KZO |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-----|-----|
| Cade Preissing singled up the middle (0-2 FK).         | 0   | 0   |
| Robert Newland lined out to ss (3-1 BBKB).             | 0   | 0   |
| Cade Preissing out at second c to 2b, caught stealing. | 0   | 0   |
| Ryar Rinehart struck out swinging (1-2 KBKS).          | 0   | 0   |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0              |     |     |

| Hope - Top of 2nd                                                           | HOP | KZO |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|-----|
| Cade Seabaugh struck out swinging (1-2 FKBS).                               | 0   | 0   |
| Colton Kinnie singled through the left side (1-1 BK).                       | 0   | 0   |
| Colton Kinnie stole second.                                                 | 0   | 0   |
| Nick Verduzco tripled to left center, RBI (1-2 KKFB); Colton Kinnie scored. | 1   | 0   |
| Brenden Collins grounded out to 2b, RBI (0-0); Nick Verduzco scored.        | 2   | 0   |
| Thatcher Simon struck out looking (1-2 FSBK).                               | 2   | 0   |
| Runs: 2 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0                                   |     |     |

| Kalamazoo - Bottom of 2nd                    | HOP | KZO |
|----------------------------------------------|-----|-----|
| Caleb Moore struck out looking (3-2 FFBBBK). | 2   | 0   |
| Alex Fenkell grounded out to ss (0-0).       | 2   | 0   |
| Jackson Isaacs fouled out to 3b (1-0 B).     | 2   | 0   |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0    |     |     |

| Hope - Top of 3rd                                                   | HOP | KZO |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|-----|
| Jace DeMann flied out to cf (0-2 FK).                               | 2   | 0   |
| Corbin Bennetts struck out swinging (2-2 BKKBS).                    | 2   | 0   |
| Anthony Devito struck out swinging, out at first c to 1b (0-2 KSS). | 2   | 0   |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0                           |     |     |

| Kalamazoo - Bottom of 3rd                  | HOP | KZO |
|--------------------------------------------|-----|-----|
| Jack Friesen grounded out to ss (1-2 KBS). | 2   | 0   |
| Austin Keur singled up the middle (0-0).   | 2   | 0   |
| Liam Regan fouled out to 1b (1-2 KFBF).    | 2   | 0   |
| Cade Preissing popped up to 2b (1-1 FB).   | 2   | 0   |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1  |     |     |

| Hope - Top of 4th                                                                                       | HOP | KZO |
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| Charlie Saul struck out swinging (2-2 BKBKS).                                                           | 2   | 0   |
| Cade Seabaugh doubled to left center (0-0).                                                             | 2   | 0   |
| Colton Kinnie singled to third base (0-1 S).                                                            | 2   | 0   |
| Nick Verduzco struck out swinging (2-2 BKBSS).                                                          | 2   | 0   |
| Brenden Collins doubled to left center, 2 RBI (3-2 BKFBFB); Colton Kinnie scored; Cade Seabaugh scored. | 4   | 0   |
| Thatcher Simon singled through the right side (1-0 B); Brenden Collins advanced to third.               | 4   | 0   |
| Jace DeMann struck out swinging (2-2 BFBFS).                                                            | 4   | 0   |
| Runs: 2 Hits: 4 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2                                                               |     |     |

| Kalamazoo - Bottom of 4th                                                                      | HOP | KZO |
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| Robert Newland reached first on a fielding error by ss, advanced to second (2-2 KBBF).         | 4   | 0   |
| Robert Newland advanced to third on a wild pitch.                                              | 4   | 0   |
| Ryar Rinehart struck out swinging (1-2 SSFBS).                                                 | 4   | 0   |
| Caleb Moore popped up to 2b (0-0).                                                             | 4   | 0   |
| Alex Fenkell reached first on a throwing error by 3b (0-1 K); Robert Newland scored, unearned. | 4   | 1   |

Jackson Isaacs struck out swinging (0-2 KFS).

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Runs: 1 Hits: 0 Errors: 2 Left On Base: 1

#### Hope - Top of 5th

Corbin Bennetts grounded out to ss (1-2 BFF).

Anthony Devito singled to right center (2-2 BFFB).

Charlie Saul struck out looking (2-2 BSKBK).

Cade Seabaugh struck out swinging (0-2 KFS).

|                                           | HOP | KZO |
|-------------------------------------------|-----|-----|
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1 |     |     |

#### Kalamazoo - Bottom of 5th

Jack Friesen struck out swinging (2-2 KBSBS).

Austin Keur walked (3-1 BBKBB).

Liam Regan flied out to cf (3-2 BBKBF).

Austin Keur out at second c to 2b, caught stealing.

|                                           | HOP | KZO |
|-------------------------------------------|-----|-----|
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1 |     |     |

#### Hope - Top of 6th

Colton Kinnie struck out looking (2-2 SFBBK).

Nick Verduzco popped up to ss (0-1 K).

Brenden Collins struck out looking (2-2 FBFBFK).

|                                           | HOP | KZO |
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|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0 |     |     |

#### Kalamazoo - Bottom of 6th

Cade Preissing popped up to 2b (0-1 K).

Robert Newland grounded out to 3b (0-0).

Ryar Rinehart popped up to 2b (1-0 B).

|                                           | HOP | KZO |
|-------------------------------------------|-----|-----|
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 0 |     |     |

#### Hope - Top of 7th

Thatcher Simon doubled to left center (1-1 BK).

Jace DeMann grounded out to 3b, SAC, bunt (0-0); Thatcher Simon advanced to third.

Corbin Bennetts flied out to lf (1-1 BF).

Anthony Devito struck out swinging, out at first c to 1b (1-2 KSBS).

|                                           | HOP | KZO |
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|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1 |     |     |

#### Kalamazoo - Bottom of 7th

Caleb Moore grounded out to ss (2-2 KBBF).

Alex Fenkell popped up to 1b (1-2 BKS).

Jackson Isaacs singled to shortstop (0-0).

J.T. Hill pinch ran for Jackson Isaacs.

Jack Friesen popped up to ss (0-1 K).

|                                           | HOP | KZO |
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|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1 |     |     |

#### Hope - Top of 8th

J.T. Hill to lf.

Carson Merritt to p for Robert Ahlgren.

Charlie Saul lined out to rf (2-2 BFSB).

Cade Seabaugh flied out to lf (0-0).

Colton Kinnie doubled to left center (0-1 F).

Nick Verduzco struck out swinging (1-2 BKFS).

|                                           | HOP | KZO |
|-------------------------------------------|-----|-----|
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 1 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1 |     |     |

#### Kalamazoo - Bottom of 8th

Austin Keur walked (3-2 BBKBKB).

Liam Regan flied out to rf (2-2 KBKFFB).

Cade Preissing flied out to cf (1-1 BK).

Robert Newland struck out swinging (3-2 KFFBBBS).

|                                           | HOP | KZO |
|-------------------------------------------|-----|-----|
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
|                                           | 4   | 1   |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 0 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 1 |     |     |

| Hope - Top of 9th                                                                             | HOP | KZO |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|-----|
| Brenden Collins reached first on a dropped fly by 1b, advanced to second (3-1 BBFB).          | 4   | 1   |
| Brenden Collins advanced to third on a wild pitch.                                            | 4   | 1   |
| Thatcher Simon lined out to rf, sacrifice fly, RBI (1-0 B); Brenden Collins scored, unearned. | 5   | 1   |
| Jace DeMann struck out swinging (0-2 KKS).                                                    | 5   | 1   |
| Corbin Bennetts flied out to cf (1-2 BKF).                                                    | 5   | 1   |
| Runs: 1 Hits: 0 Errors: 1 Left On Base: 0                                                     |     |     |

| Kalamazoo - Bottom of 9th                                                               | HOP | KZO |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|-----|
| Avery McEwen to p for Owen Weber.                                                       | 5   | 1   |
| Ryar Rinehart flied out to cf (2-1 KBB).                                                | 5   | 1   |
| Caleb Moore singled to right center (0-1 K).                                            | 5   | 1   |
| Alex Fenkell singled through the right side (3-1 BBBK); Caleb Moore advanced to second. | 5   | 1   |
| Clay Cook pinch ran for Alex Fenkell.                                                   | 5   | 1   |
| Mikey DeLuca pinch hit for J.T. Hill.                                                   | 5   | 1   |
| Mikey DeLuca struck out looking (1-2 KBSK).                                             | 5   | 1   |
| Caleb Moore advanced to third on a wild pitch.                                          | 5   | 1   |
| Jack Friesen struck out swinging (2-2 KBKBFS).                                          | 5   | 1   |
| Runs: 0 Hits: 2 Errors: 0 Left On Base: 2                                               |     |     |