

## Players of the Week 6/15-6/21

### Hitter of the Week

#### Tyler Brandel

- **.400 AVG (4-10)**
- **1 2B**
- **3 BB**

### Pitcher of the Week

#### Tyler Zweibohmer

- **6 IP**
- **0.00 ERA**
- **9 K**
- **0 BB**

## Three Game Homestand this Week

Following last week's three games at home, we'll continue the trend by hosting three more games at home this week:

**Wednesday, June 24<sup>th</sup> – vs. St. Paul Hops – 7:30pm**

**Friday, June 26<sup>th</sup> – vs. Kimball Express – 7:30pm**

**Sunday, June 28<sup>th</sup> – vs. Watertown Red Devils**

Reminder: You'll need to complete the MBA mandated self-checkform at the gate in order to attend. Concessions will be open, but limited, as will the beer shed.



## Did You Know?

The North Star League will look to kick off league play starting July 1<sup>st</sup>. Due to the shortened season, each team will play each other once, instead of the traditional two times a year. You can find the full league schedule for all teams at [www.northstarleague.org](http://www.northstarleague.org).

## Saints Get the 2020 Season Rolling vs Sartell

For the first time in over 300 days, the Saints took the field in an exhibition contest with a strong Sartell Muskie squad. Ben Lindquist took the mound to kick off the 2020 season.

After a rough 1<sup>st</sup> inning plagued by a few errors and two unearned runs, the Pinstripes rebounded to score one of their own in the bottom half of the opening inning. With the score 2-1 going in to the 5<sup>th</sup>, the Muskies strung some hits together and took advantage of some miscues to extend the lead to 5-1, and didn't look back.

The final ended up 9-4 in favor of the visiting Sartell, but there were some bright spots in the game. Newcomers Paul Jacobson and Jim Althoff both collected their first Saintshits in each of their first at-bats, and every new member of the roster was able to get in on the action.

## First Win of the Season over Anoka Bucs

Friday night, the Anoka Bucs came to town, opening up their season following a Class "B" state tournament appearance in 2019.

The defense sured up the loose ends from Wednesday night's game, and the pitching staff, led by starter Jordan Flick, were able to shut out the opposing Bucs.

Flick was able to blank Anoka for the first 6 innings, allowing just 5 baserunners while striking out 5.

The ball was then handed off to Michael Leffler, who was able to earn the hold pitching a clean 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> while striking out three. James Howell shut the door in the 9<sup>th</sup> with the assistance of a backpick at 1<sup>st</sup> base by catcher Dylan Weber to end it.

On offense, Noah Halonen had a great game, ripping a single up the middle to take the lead in the 2<sup>nd</sup>, and also drawing a bases loaded walk in the 5<sup>th</sup> to extend the lead. Collin Krick had two hits of his own, driving in the other run of the 3-0 win. Rookie 3<sup>rd</sup> baseman Jacob Niemela collected his first career hit in the 2<sup>nd</sup> inning with a laser to center.

## Late Innings cost Saints

Wrapping up the week, the Saints hosted the Cold Spring Rockies. Tyler Zweibohmer started on the hill, dominating over 6 innings, striking out 9 while giving up just one unearned run. Four 8<sup>th</sup> run innings by the Rockies, however, were enough to put the game away, putting the Saints down 7-3. Former Hutch Husky, Dylan Weber, was able to tally his first hit as a Saint.

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