

# HOOKS NEWS LINES

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"Get Hooked On The Hooks"

## Hooks Slide by Redwings 8-6

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Tuesday night was a very cool evening. The Hooks started out strong, but faded in the late part of the game and almost let the Redwings get a win. Thanks to pure desire to win, the Hooks hung on to win 8-6.

The game started the way you want one to start. The first batter, Patton, got a leadoff single. Wilson hit a crushing ball to left field, and Patton ran hard to get thrown out at third base. Towne hit a long fly ball to the fence in left field, which put the first run on the board. Sewell singled and then Epkins drove Sewell in on a hard hit double. Kyle Hilyer hits a lopper over 3rd base and Epkins scored and the Hooks started off with 4 runs. The Redwings managed to score 1 run on a single Hooks error, and at the end of one inning, the Hooks were on top 4-1.

It was an uneventful second inning for both teams, with the



### Hooks Gear Up To Win

score remaining still 4-1.

The third inning, the Hooks score 2 runs. Wilson hits a triple and Towne drives him home on a double to left. Sewell hits one up the middle, scoring Towne, and was thrown out at 2nd base. The Redwings were held and the Hooks are up 6-1 in the 3rd.

No runs in the 4th, and then in

the 5th the Redwings score 4 runs on four throwing errors and three fielding errors, putting them close at 6-5

In the 6th inning, the Hooks were able to add 2 more runs on a leadoff double by Towne, with Sewell driving him in with a double to right field. Kyle Hilyer was able to score Sewell on a good hit to left field. This gave the Hooks 8 runs. It wasn't over—the Redwings scored 1 more run on one fielding error, making the final score 8-6

## Defense Struggles/Extra Innings

The defense did not look too good, but hung on to win. The coach made these remarks. "I hope we start playing better defense, because my heart will not take much more of the way we played. We gave them 5 of the 6 runs scored and never did put them out of the game with the bats. We only hit .593 and the Redwings hit .483. Neither team hitting like they can. It is

usually the team hitting over .700 that wins. I know we will do better. A win is a win, pretty or not, and we'll take it any way we can get it. We are 2-0 and proud of it. You can bet we will be working on defense. We'll get better."

There you have it, the coach said last time he was afraid of his defense and, as luck would have it, the Hooks got a break

with the Redwings only hitting .483. The Hooks play a determined Grasshopper team Saturday at noon. The Hooks are one of three undefeated teams and will be put to the test by a good Grasshopper team who has not lost since the loss to the Hooks in the opener. Get ready for a fight. GO HOOKS!

Article by *The Phantom*

### Hitting Statistics

Player	Game Hits	Yr. Avg.
Caleb Sewell	2-3	.833
Jamal Epkins	2-3	.833
Mason Towne	3-3	1.000
Cole Foshee	1-2	.500
Fredrick Patton	2-3	.667
Josh Wilson	3-3	1.000
Jaylon Knight	0-3	.000
Otto Burt	1-2	.500
Jeremy Little	0-2	.250
Koilin Hilyer	0-3	.400
Kyle Hilyer	2-3	.400

Game Stats 16/27 .648



### Burk Steady Player



### Sewell Attacks Ball