

Bulldog Baseball



Gameday

March 31st, 2023
vs Chief Sealth



"Fair Play Necessitates that all Competitors have the same Chance for Success"

About Today's Game - News & Notes

Garfield Bulldogs vs. Chief Sealth Seahawks

Welcome to Bulldogs Playground!

Coming in to today's game both teams are tied in divisional Metro league play at 4-1, something has to give!

Expecting both teams to have finalized their lineups from their prior games knowing their strengths and weaknesses and possibly their opponents. Opportunities abound, as this game could be one of the determinate outcomes for their remaining 2023 seasonal games?

Recapping Garfield's win over Beach, we saw Saul Johnson (Jr) get the start on the bump, went 3 complete innings allowing 0 runs 0 hits and 7 K's (W/P) and Max Gelpi (Sr) coming in for relief somewhat shakily, then establishing his control and feel, rebounding well, as you would expect from a senior.

Offensively, Henry Smidt (C) (Sr) went 2 for 3, knocking in 3 runs and scoring a run.

Seahawks are coming in to today's game having had their wings clipped by the EC Crusaders losing 7-0, but they have some big early wins verse O'Dea and Ballard, so we shall see if they have rebounded from this defeat and learned from that outcome? Coach Policarpio brings an experienced senior led team that is anchored on offense by Jake Daily (Sr) with an OPS of 1.321 and Luke Sketchly (Sr) OPS 1.255. Pitching looks like maybe L. Sketchly will get the start. We most likely will not see their ace of the staff Wyatt Trujillo (Sr).

Our Bulldogs Coach Moe will possibly have Smidt get the start today, but he has plenty of arms to call upon if need be. Looking to see if our offense begins to find their rhythm, it has been somewhat off and on, watching to see if "play" is the feeling at the plate, sometimes too much specializing (mechanical) and not enough using all your faculties causes this to occur.

Enjoy cheering for your team!

2023 Schedule

Date	Opponent	Field	Time/ Result
3/14	@ Issaquah	Issaquah HS	3 - 5 L
3/15	@ Newport - Bellevue	Newport HS	2 - 3 L
3/17	@ Shorecrest	Shorecrest HS	7 - 2 W
3/20	@ Nathan Hale *	Meadowbrook	2 - 0 W
3/22	@ Ingraham *	NWAC	5 - 3 W
3/24	@ Lincoln *	Lower Woodland	0 - 8 L
3/27	vs Cleveland *	Garfield HS	10 - 2 W
3/29	vs Rainier Beach *	Garfield HS	16 - 2 W
3/31	vs Chief Sealth *	Garfield HS	4:00 pm
4/3	vs Bishop Blanchet *	Garfield HS	4:00 pm
4/5	vs O'Dea *	Garfield HS	4:00 pm
4/8	@ Auburn Riverside	T-Mobile Park	11:00 am
4/10	@ Eastside Catholic *	Eastside Catholic HS	4:00 pm
4/12	@ Franklin *	Franklin HS	3:30 pm
4/14	vs Ballard *	Garfield HS	7:00 pm
4/17	vs Lakeside *	Garfield HS	4:00 pm
4/19	@ West Seattle	West Seattle HS	7:00 pm
4/21	@ Roosevelt *	Roosevelt HS	4:00 pm
4/24	vs Seattle Prep *	Garfield HS	4:00 pm
4/28	vs Mercer Island	Garfield HS	4:00 pm
4/29	@ Bellevue	Bellevue HS	1:00 pm

* District Game

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2023 Metro 3A Current Standings

Team	League	Win %	Overall	Win %
Mountain Division				
Bishop Blanchet	4-0	1.000	8-0	1.000
Eastside Catholic	3-1	.750	4-4	.500
Seattle Prep	2-2	.500	6-2	.750
O'Dea	1-3	.250	2-5	.286
Lakeside	1-3	.250	3-4	.429
Sound Division				
West Seattle	4-0	1.000	9-0	1.000
Garfield	4-1	.800	5-3	.625
Chief Sealth	4-1	.800	8-2	.800
Lincoln (Seattle)	3-1	.750	6-2	.750
Roosevelt	2-2	.500	6-3	.667
Ballard	2-3	.400	3-6	.333
Nathan Hale	2-3	.400	4-4	.500
Ingraham	1-3	.250	4-6	.400
Franklin	1-3	.250	2-4	.333
Cleveland	1-4	.200	1-4	.200
Rainier Beach	0-5	.000	0-5	.000

~ Get to know the Players ~

#25 J.T. Wayne

OF, SS, 2B

Jr

- 1) *Who introduced you to baseball? Any details from your first game experience or season?* I was introduced to baseball at a young age by my dad and was introduced to all the sports at a young age. And played all sports through the years.
- 2) *What hobbies/interests do you have outside of baseball?* More baseball and some basketball casually sometimes.
- 3) *What would you like to see changed in MLB Baseball & Why?* Remove the pitch clock because the game is to rushed.
- 4) *What is your favorite book and why did you enjoy it?* The great Gatsby. I enjoyed it because of the story of the uprising of nick and Gatsby.
- 5) *Who are your favorite baseball players and teams from the past & why?* Barry bonds cause he was good at everything and the Seattle mariners when they had Griffey ichiro Edgar and randy Johnson.

#20 Jordan Hurd

1B, LHP, OF

Jr

- 1) *Who introduced you to baseball? Any details from your first game experience or season?* My dad Introduced me to the sport of baseball at the age of 5 and thats been the sport I've been true to all my life.
- 2) *What hobbies/interests do you have outside of baseball?* I play the Baritone Sax for Garfield Jazz Band and I play chess.
- 3) *What would you like to see changed in MLB Baseball & Why?* Nothing Right now i think everything Is perfect right now.
- 4) *What is your favorite book and why did you enjoy it?* When I was younger I Would read all of the Diary of a Wimpy Kid books I would read them at home School or in the Stores.
- 5) *Who are your favorite baseball players and teams from the past & why?* Definitely Vladdy. Jr, I like the way he hits lots of power behind his swing and he's a Firstbaseman and his charisma and energy is something that makes a great player.

Gameday Rosters

Garfield Bulldogs

#	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Yr
2	Saul Johnson	RHP, OF, 3B	6-0	175	Jr
3	Jeremy Cogswell	OF	6-0	170	Sr
4	Eli Herst	3B, RHP, C	6-3	170	Fr
5	Oliver Hogan (C)	3B, SS	6-2	195	Sr
6	Max Gelpi	LHP, OF	6-2	165	Sr
7	Eli Knopf	C, 3B, RHP	6-2	190	Jr
8	Noah Lippman	2B, OF, RHP	5-10	180	Sr
9	Wyatt Bare	LHP, OF	6-0	170	So
9	Liam Mahoney	C	5-10	170	So
10	Noah Eisenberg	OF, 2B, RHP	5-9	155	Jr
11	Henry Smidt (C)	SS, RHP	6-2	170	Sr
13	Prince Davis	OF, 2B, RHP	5-9	160	So
14	Gavin Niccoli	2B, C, RHP	5-9	150	Jr
15	Max Hudson	C, 2B	5-10	140	So
16	Luc Robbins	1B, RHP	6-4	190	Jr
17	Barty Hall	3B, OF	6-0	165	Jr
18	Ben Bennett (C)	LHP, 1B, OF	6-1	195	Sr
19	Juan Cano	C, 3B	6-1	230	Sr
20	Jordan Hurd	1B, LHP, OF	6-3	195	Jr
21	Aaron Bossett	OF, 3B, RHP	5-9	205	Sr
22	Sarah Lessig	RHP, 2B, SS	6-0	140	So
23	Taylor Woods	SS, 3B, RHP	6-3	170	So
24	DJ Parker	OF, RHP	6-0	165	Jr
25	J.T. Wayne	OF, SS, 2B	5-9	165	Jr

Head Coach: Chris Moedritzer

(C) = Captain

Chief Sealth Seahawks

#	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Yr
00	Ford Rains	UTIL	6-3	185	So
1	Seth Clark	INF, P	5-11	145	So
2	Joel Clark	OF	6-0	160	Sr
3	Brady Murphy	UTIL	6-1	150	So
4	Isaac Martinez	INF, P	6-3	170	Jr
7	Micah Policarpio	OF	5-8	165	So
8	Teo Perala	UTIL	6-2	180	So
9	Salim Kaba	OF	6-0	180	Sr
10	Jakori Buchanan	OF	5-7	145	Sr
11	Jake Daily	C	6-0	195	Sr
12	Wyatt Trujillo	P	5-6	135	Sr
13	Ryan Moore	INF, P	5-10	175	Sr
16	Kai Perela	OF	5-10	150	Sr
17	Gavin Brown	P	5-7	145	Jr
20	Luke Sketchly	1B	6-4	230	Sr
21	Peter Sketchley	P	6-2	260	So

Head Coach: Ernest Policarpio

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