

NCAA POSTSEASON RESULTS

JU: 'Call Your Ma from Omaha'

By GREG LARSON
Times-Union Sports Writer

TALLAHASSEE — Slogans have always been a part of American society, and baseball teams, like political campaigns, have had more than their share.

With the Boston Red Sox, it was "Dream The Impossible Dream."

With the New York Mets, it was "You Gotta Believe."

With the Philadelphia Phillies, it was "Yes We Can."

With the Chicago White Sox, it was "Go Go Go."

Jacksonville University, rebounding into the NCAA Regional playoffs after two sub-500 seasons, has also come up with a slogan.

JU players are shaking their fists at each other and saying, "Call Your Ma From Omaha."

OMAHA, NEB., IS where the College World Series is held each year. The winners of the eight NCAA regional playoffs, including the South Regional which begins today at Florida State's Seminole Field, will comprise the field.

But calling their mothers from Omaha won't be as easy for the JU players as picking up the telephone and dialing

long distance. They'll have to beat Florida State, Southeastern Conference champion Auburn and Ohio Valley Conference champion Middle Tennessee to earn the trip to Omaha.

JU, 43-12, plays Florida State, 39-14, at 8 p.m. while Auburn, 33-13, and Middle Tennessee, 35-15, open the three-day double elimination tournament at 4 p.m.

Florida State, second-ranked nationally most of the season by Collegiate Baseball magazine, merits the favorite's role. The Seminoles won three of four regular season games from JU.

"SURE FSU IS THE favorite," said JU Coach Jack Lamabe. "They have the home field advantage and they have a real good ballclub. But we don't mind playing them in the first game. It's going to be a real interesting game."

Both FSU and JU will start four players with .300 or better batting averages and the Seminoles hit .307 as a team while the Dolphins compiled a .304 team average.

"Records, ranking and average don't mean much right now," said FSU Coach Woody Woodward. "The team that goes to the College World Series will be the team which

gets the job done this weekend."

IT WAS QUESTIONABLE early this week if the top hitters for JU and FSU would be available. FSU's Terry Kennedy (.375 with 19 home runs and 60 RBI) was suffering from strep throat and JU's Dave Chappell (.391) had a virus infection. Both players have recovered and will play tonight.

Auburn broke an also-ran habit and defeated Kentucky for the SEC title this year behind a strong three-man pitching rotation of Joe Beckwith (8-3), Robert Hudson (9-4) and Terry Leach (7-4). Middle Tennessee had its best season since being elevated to Division I status six years ago.

Today's losers will meet at noon Saturday with the loser of that game being eliminated. Today's winners will play in Saturday's 4 p.m. game and the loser of that contest plays the noon winner at 8 p.m. in a battle to stay alive.

The final is scheduled at 1:30 p.m. Sunday with a second game, if necessary, set for 30 minutes after completion of the first game. All games, with the exception of today's 4 p.m. contest, will be broadcast in Jacksonville on WMBR (600.)

1976 NCAA SOUTH REGIONAL

TALLAHASSEE, FLA. ♦ MAY 21-25

Florida State - 6, Jacksonville - 1

Terry Kennedy's three-run homer in the first inning set the tone as JU opened the Regional in front of a then-record crowd of 3,616. Ray Laval collected two of JU's three hits in the contest.

JU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	-	1	3	1
FSU	3	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	x	-	6	5	1

JU-Braithwaite, Pustay (7) and Simmons.
FSU-Jones, Carey (9) and McGlone.
WP: Jones (8-3). LP: Braithwaite (6-4).
HR: Kennedy (FS) 2. 2B: Rausch (JU).

Jacksonville - 8, Middle Tennessee State - 5

The Dolphins avoided elimination by scoring six times in the sixth inning to overcome a four-run deficit. JU began the comeback after a 90-minute rain delay brought a halt to MTSU's momentum. Danny Westmoreland earned the win with four shutout innings of relief.

MTSU	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	-	5	6	3
JU	0	0	0	1	0	6	1	0	x	-	8	13	0

MTSU-Ploucher, Neal(6), Smith(6) and Cheshire.
JU-Tanner, Westmoreland(6) and Laval.
WP: Westmoreland (6-0). LP: Neal.
HR: Peters (MTSU). 3B: Rausch (JU), Buscher (JU).
2B: Bowerman (JU), Laval (JU), Donovan (JU).

Jacksonville - 9, Florida State - 7

JU scored five times in the final two innings for a come-from-behind victory that eliminated the Seminoles. Dave Chappell's two-run double tied the game in the eighth and Rocky Rausch scored the game-winning run on an errant throw in the top of the ninth.

JU	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	3	2	-	9	14	0
FSU	2	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	-	7	9	2

JU-Kuiper, Pustay (2) and Simmons.
FSU-Eaton, Smith (8) and McGlone.
WP: Pustay (6-1). LP: Smith (6-2).
HR: Bonilla (FS) 2, Hardy (FS). 2B: Rausch (J) 2, Buscher (J), Chappell (J), McArdle (FS), Hardy (FS).

Auburn - 7, Jacksonville - 5

Auburn scored all seven of its runs in the first two innings and held off a comeback attempt by the Dolphins to advance to the College World Series. JU loaded the bases in both the first and third innings, but only scored one run.

Auburn	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	7	10	3
JU	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	-	5	11	2

AU-Leach, Beckwith (6) and Morton.
JU-Peterson, Tanner (2), and Laval.
WP: Leach (8-4). LP: Peterson (6-5). Sv: Beckwith.
HR: Howard (A). 2B: M. Miller (JU) 2, Morton (A) 2, Howard (A), Cope (A).

JU's Keystone Combo Unlocked Playoff Door



By GREG LARSON
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Don Suriano and Rocky Rausch are Jacksonville University's keystone combination. They are also the Dolphins' "Old Couple."
Suriano stands 5-foot-9, is from Ferdinand, Ind. and pitched at the ball.
Rausch is 6-1, comes from upstate New York and takes a big swing at the ball.
But in the end, they achieved approximately the same results.
• Suriano hit .316 and Rausch hit .306.
• The Dolphins would up with a berth in the "next" which have

Probable Lineups

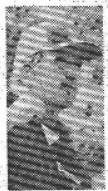
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Hick Stebbins (.217)	1B	Tom Simmons (.282)
Ben Curry (.203)	2B	Dave Chappell (.391)
Chip Bifano (.281)	3B	Don Suriano (.316)
Guillermo Ramirez (.342)	SS	Steve Donovan (.427)
Jeff Starley (.283)	LF	Rocky Rausch (.386)
Jim McArdle (.358)	CF	Dave Bowerman (.352)
Carlos Truiano (.266)	RF	Fee Wee Buscher (.283)
Terry Kennedy (.375)	DP	Rob Miller (.274)
Joe Ilicic (.408)	DH	Ray Laval (.291)
Larry Jones (.2-3, 2.86)	P	Tom Braithwaite (6-3, 2.29)

been wondering about ourselves," Suriano said. "But since we got that one victory, we know we can beat them."
"I've heard a lot of talk about us choking against FSU and being intimidated," Rausch said, "but I don't buy it. We've got a consistent club which can play with anybody."
Suriano and Rausch, who now share an apartment, both have a chance to be chosen in the June major league draft.
"Donald has guts and Jim has guts in there," Lamabe said. "A lot of scouts look at them and they didn't see baserunner

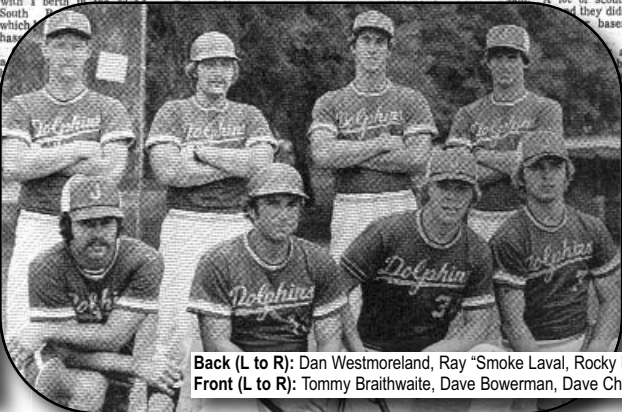


No. 5 Dolphins Win

Jacksonville University, ranked by the Collegiate Baseball newspaper as the No. 5 team in the nation, posted its 28th victory of the season Friday at Brest Field by outslugging visiting Wayne State, 11-9.



"Our bats keep getting stronger, I just hope we can keep it up. We'll need all the hitting we can get next week."
— JU Coach Jack Lamabe



Back (L to R): Dan Westmoreland, Ray "Smoke" Laval, Rocky Rausch, Steve Donovan. Front (L to R): Tommy Braithwaite, Dave Bowerman, Dave Chappell



In 1989, JU won the Sun Belt Conference championship and advanced to the NCAA South Regional after a 42-22 season.

1989 NCAA SOUTH REGIONAL

STARKVILLE, MISS. ♦ MAY 25-27

Jacksonville - 3, Indiana State - 2

JU won its first NCAA Regional after a 12-year hiatus. A one-out double in the bottom of the ninth from Mike Holman drove in the winning run. Dolphin ace Kenny Kulina struck out eight to earn his 12th win of the year.

ISU	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	-	2	10	1
JU	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	3	8	1

ISU-Schaeffer and Cerqueria. JU-Kulina and McGee.
 WP: Kulina (12-3). LP: Schaeffer (9-4).
 2B: Hannahs (ISU), Russell (ISU), McDonald (ISU), Holman (JU).

North Carolina - 8, Jacksonville - 3

The Dolphins stranded 14 runners in dropping the decision to the No. 3 seed Tar Heels. Joel Shapiro struck out eight while throwing JU's second complete game in the Regional.

UNC	0	1	3	0	0	1	0	2	1	-	9	15	1
JU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	-	3	9	1

UNC- Maney, Lodgek (6), Fernandez (7), Woodall (9) and Levis. JU-Shapiro and McGee, Lovett.
 WP: Maney (7-1). LP: Shapiro (6-4).
 HR: Nevin (UNC), Gay (JU).
 2B: Levis (UNC) 2, Maurer (UNC) 2, Nichols (UNC), Arendas (UNC).

Indiana State - 9, Jacksonville - 4

The Sycamores held JU to just four hits on the afternoon. Rod Van Dyke allowed four runs in 7.2 innings before leaving with no decision. An eight-run eighth inning clinched the game for ISU.

JU	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	-	4	4	2
ISU	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	8	x	-	9	11	3

JU-Van Dyke, Brady (8), Kirk (8), Smedley (8) and McGee. ISU-Olson and Cerqueria.
 WP: Olson (12-3). LP: Brady (3-2).
 3B: Gay (JU), McGee (JU), Rodriguez (JU).
 2B: Tanner (ISU), Frye (ISU).



In 1991, the Dolphins earned the No. 3 seed in the NCAA East Regional after a 43-21-2 campaign.

1991 NCAA EAST REGIONAL

GAINESVILLE, FLA. ♦ MAY 23-24

Missouri - 5, Jacksonville - 4

The Tigers erased a four-run deficit including the game-winning run in the top of the ninth to defeat JU. With two outs in the bottom of the ninth and Howard Stein at bat, a four-hour, 40 minute rain delay hit before Stein struck out to end the contest.

UM	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	1	-	5	9	2
JU	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	-	4	8	3

UM-Dettmer, Munro (9) and Hay. JU-Wylie, Milite (9) and Basso.
 WP: Dettmer (9-4). LP: Wylie (11-5). Sv: Munro (4).
 2B: Boykin (JU), Baxter (JU), Mondrella (UM), Rodriguez (UM) 2, Hay (UM), Whitford (JU).

Florida - 3, Jacksonville - 0

The Gators shut out the Dolphins for the first time in the school's post-season history. Marc Marini reached base three times with two hits and a walk. JU had loaded the bases with one out in the fifth inning, but was unable to score.

JU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	0	4	2
UF	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	x	-	3	10	2

JU-Van Dyke, Milite (6), Kelley (7) and Basso. UF-Valdes and Linares.
 WP: Valdes (12-4). LP: Van Dyke (8-3).
 2B: Perry (UF).

1994 NCAA ATLANTIC II REGIONAL

TALLAHASSEE, FLA. ♦ MAY 26-28

Jacksonville - 7, Kansas - 2

The Dolphins scored four runs in the top of the third inning and cruised the rest of the way behind the pitching of All-American Mark Guerra. Chris Hayes led JU with three hits and two RBI.

JU	0	0	4	0	0	0	2	0	1	-	7	12	1
Kansas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	-	2	3	2

JU-Guerra, Ferguson (8) and Holin. UK-Corn, Schreiber (8) and Wilmot, Meadows.
 WP: Guerra (14-4). LP: Corn (9-2).
 HR: Marabell (JU). 3B: Hayes (JU). 2B: Holin (JU).

Florida State - 5, Jacksonville - 1

Dan Slater pitched 7.0 solid innings, allowing just one earned run, but it was not enough as JU committed four errors. Two errors in the fifth and eighth innings led to four unearned FSU runs.

FSU	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	-	5	7	1
JU	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	1	7	4

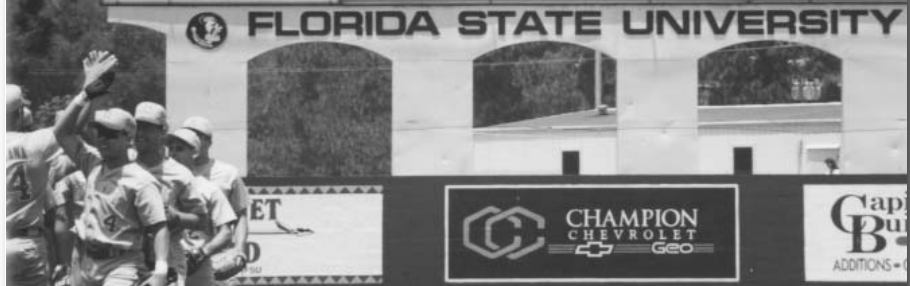
FSU-Wilson and Martin. JU-Slater, Knobloch (8), Scheer (9) and Holin.
 WP: Wilson (12-5). LP: Slater (5-5).
 3B: Hayes (JU). 2B: Weaver (FSU), Mathers (JU).

Jacksonville - 6, Ohio State - 5

JU returned after getting five hours sleep following the previous evening's loss to defeat the top-seeded Buckeyes. Brandt Mathers' suicide squeeze scored Luke Marabell with the game-winning run.

JU	0	0	2	0	1	0	2	0	1	-	6	10	0
OSU	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	2	0	-	5	8	1

JU-Johnson, Knobloch (6), Scheer (8), Ferguson (9) and Holin. OSU-Cannon, Hale (8) and Sweet.
 WP: Scheer (2-0). LP: Hale (3-2). Sv: Ferguson (2).
 HR: Diddell (JU). 2B: Diddell (JU), Chonko (OSU), Jones (OSU), Kaczmar, Mannino (OSU), Marsh (OSU).



The 1994 Dolphins celebrate a 6-5 win over Ohio State in the Atlantic II Regional.

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1995 NCAA EAST REGIONAL

CLEMSON, S.C. ♦ MAY 25-26

Richmond - 8, Jacksonville - 2

Richmond broke open a close contest with six unearned runs in the top of the eighth inning in the first game of the tournament. Tim McKenna picked up the loss in a solid outing, allowing two unearned runs in 6.2 innings. Henry Ogden shut down the Dolphins for 7.0 innings before finally allowing single runs in the final two frames.

RU	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	6	0	-	8	8	2
JU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	-	2	6	3

JR-Ogden and Cappetta. JU-McKenna, Scheer (7), Braun (8), Ferguson (8), DellaCrosse (8) and Roney.
 WP: Ogden (8-2). LP: McKenna (9-5).
 2B: Casey (UR), Dorman (UR).

Clemson - 11, Jacksonville - 5

After scoring four runs in the third inning, the Dolphins allowed eight runs in the middle frames and were eliminated by the host Tigers. Chad Roney knocked his 10th home run of the year and finished the Regional hitting .500. Four JU pitchers combined to allow a season-high 16 hits on the afternoon.

JU	0	0	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	-	5	10	2
CU	0	0	0	3	2	3	0	3	x	-	11	16	3

JU-Sordo, McKinney (5), Scheer (8), Ferguson (8) and Roney.
 CU-Dawsey, Sauve (7) and LeCroy.
 WP: Dawsey (11-3). LP: Sordo (10-4). Sv: Sauve (1).
 HR: Roney (JU), Brizek (CU). 2B: Mathers (JU), Miller (CU), Monohan (CU).



In 1995, JU advanced to the NCAA East Regional after winning the Sun Belt Conference Championship.

1999 NCAA REGIONALS

TALLAHASSEE, FLA. ♦ MAY 28-30

Jacksonville - 7, Providence - 5

A two-run double by Kirk Asche highlighted a four-run fourth as Jacksonville rallied to beat Providence. Asche ended up with three hits and three RBI for the Dolphins, who got a superb relief effort from senior Joel Hegeman. Scott Porter collected his school record 11th save.

JU	0	0	2	0	0	4	0	1	0	-	7	12	1
PC	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	2	-	5	7	2

JU-Ray, Hegeman (8), Porter (9) and Rodgers; PC-DesRoches, Burnham (8) and Conway.
 WP: Hegeman (4-1) LP: DesRoches (14-2)
 2B: Asche (JU), Hurrell (JU), Hairston (PC).

Florida State - 9, Jacksonville - 2

FSU's Nick Stocks and Jacksonville's Nick Regilio hooked up in a classic pitcher's duel. Down 3-2 in the sixth, Josh Johnson's two-out double nearly tied the game, but Chad Oliva was cut down in a close play at the plate. The Seminoles added a single run in the eighth and five more in the ninth to seal the victory.

FSU	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	5	-	9	11	2
JU	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	-	2	3	2

FSU-Stocks, Chavez (7) and Klostermen; JU-Regilio, Porter (8), Shippee (9), Byrd (9) and Oliva.
 WP: Stocks (11-3) LP: Regilio (7-2)
 HR: McDougall (FSU)
 2B: Smith (FSU), Groves (FSU), Veleber (JU), Johnson (JU).

Providence - 9, Jacksonville - 8

JU jumped out to a 7-1 lead but momentum changed in the top of the seventh as Conyers was hit by a pitch for the second consecutive time in the game and both benches emptied onto the field. The Friars scored six runs in the fourth through eighth innings to tie the game at 7-7. After a scoreless Dolphin tenth, the Friars got a two-out, two-strike solo homer by Neal McCarthy to advance.

JU	4	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	-	8	12	1
PC	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	1	1	-	9	12	1

JU-Ebanks, Hegeman (8), Porter (8) and Oliva; PC-Corraro, Burnham (5) and Conway.
 WP: Burnham LP: Porter
 HR: Rodgers (JU), Conyers (JU), Hurrell (JU), McCarthy (PC)
 3B: Veleber (JU), Scott (PC). 2B: Veleber (JU), Conyers (JU).

2001 NCAA REGIONALS

TALLAHASSEE, FLA. ♦ MAY 25-26

Auburn - 8, Jacksonville - 7

The Dolphins took control early with a four-run second inning and carried a 7-6 lead into the bottom of the ninth until Gabe Gross hit a solo home run to send the game into extra innings. The Tigers used a pair of walks, an error and a sacrifice bunt to come up with the winning score in the 10th.

JU	0	4	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	-	7	9	3
Auburn	2	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	-	8	13	2

JU-Daws, Williams (6), Shumaker (8) and Oliva;
 AU-Speigner, Brandon (8) and Pratt.
 WP: Brandon (6-3) LP: Shumaker (7-6)
 HR: Nover (JU), Kickham (JU), Gross (AU).
 2B: Faulkner (AU), Pratt 2 (AU).

Jacksonville - 3, Bethune-Cookman - 0

Darren Truty pitched a complete-game shutout to eliminate Bethune-Cookman. Truty scattered six hits while striking out six batters and walking three. Chad Oliva went 2-for-4 and drove in all three runs for the Dolphins.

JU	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	-	3	12	1
BCC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	0	6	0

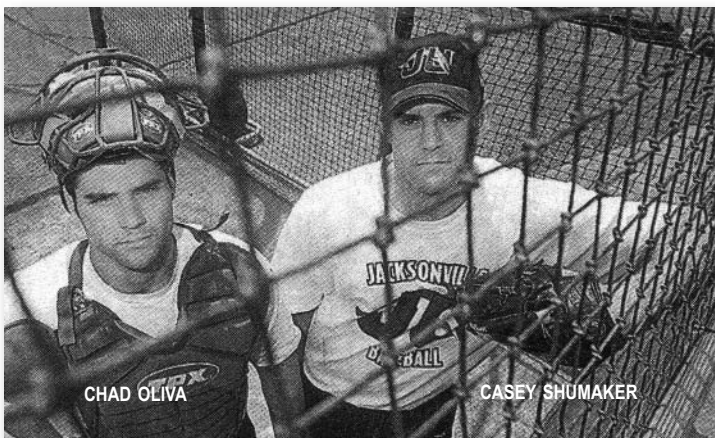
JU-Truty and Oliva;
 BCC-Jerue, Montes de Oca (8) and Ramos.
 WP: Truty (9-5). LP: Jerue (3-5).
 2B: Oliva (JU), Hoover (JU), Kickham (JU), Evans (BCC), Ramos (BCC).

Auburn - 3, Jacksonville - 2

JU took a 1-0 lead when Phil Nover knocked in Chad Hauseman in the bottom of the third inning; however, the Tigers responded with three runs in the top of the fourth, sparked by a leadoff homer by All-American Gabe Gross. The Dolphins tacked on a run in the seventh, but were unable to muster enough offense to tie the game. Jason Ryals and Casey Shumaker combined for 4.2 innings of no-hit ball and striking out six.

AU	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	-	3	8	0
JU	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	-	2	8	1

AU-Paxton, Brandon (7) and Pratt;
 JU-Williams, Ryals (5), Shumaker (9) and Oliva.
 WP: Paxton (5-4). LP: Williams (6-1).
 HR: Gross (AU).
 2B: Moran (AU), Oliva (JU).



CHAD OLIVA

CASEY SHUMAKER

Dolphins are in, will face Auburn

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Jacksonville University coach Terry Alexander was wrong when he predicted his team would win its conference tournament last week. But his hunch was right when he assembled his players

2003 NCAA REGIONALS

TALLAHASSEE, FLA. ♦ MAY 30-31

Florida State - 6, Jacksonville - 0

Matt Lynch tossed a three-hit complete game shutout and struck out eight for the Seminoles. FSU took a 3-0 lead into the fifth with a three-run two out rally. Jerrod Brown knocked Darren Truty out of the game with a two-run home run to put the Seminoles up 6-0.

JU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	0	3	1
FSU	1	1	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	X	-	6	10	1

JU- Bolton, Nagy, Kaercher and Truty.
 FSU- Lynch and Richie.
 WP: Lynch. LP: Truty.
 2B: Hauseman (JU), Diaz (JU), Richie (FSU), Balkcom (FSU), Wardell (FSU).
 HR: Brown (FSU).

Rutgers - 8, Jacksonville - 5

After JU took a 5-4 lead in the bottom of the sixth, Rutgers answered with a four-run rally in the top of the seventh to claim an 8-5 victory. The Scarlet Knights led 4-0 in the fifth before JU's bats woke up as Larry Best-Berfet drove in the team's first run and Chad Hauseman drew a bases-loaded walk to put up two runs for the Dolphins. In the sixth, the Dolphins rallied for three more runs to take a 5-4 lead.

JU	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	-	5	9	0
RU	3	0	0	0	1	0	4	0	0	-	8	8	1

JU- Truty and Oliva.
 RU- Jerue, Montes de Oca (8) and Ramos.
 WP: Atchison. LP: Deel.
 2B: Galui (JU), Frazier (RU), Vasquez (RU).
 3B: Cerulo (RU). HR: Esposito (RU).

**JACKSONVILLE 4,
 SACRED HEART 3**

**Murphy,
 Dolphins
 stay alive**

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A right leg more worthless than a maxed-out credit card couldn't keep Daniel Murphy out of Jacksonville's lineup.

THE ROAD TO OMAHA
 Dolphins, 'Noles and Gators set to begin quest to reach College World Series

Jacksonville University pitchers go through drills yesterday during practice at Brest Field. JU enters the regionals having won 21 of its last 31 games. —Will Dickey/Staff

Wild ride for Dolphins

2006 NCAA REGIONALS

ATHENS, GA. ♦ JUNE 2-4

Florida State - 18, Jacksonville - 0

The Dolphins lost their first contest with Matt Dobbins on the mound as the game was delayed a total of two hours and 16 minutes due to inclement weather and lightning before being postponed in the eighth inning. The game was continued the next morning.

JU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	0	3	2
FSU	6	0	1	3	6	1	1	0	0	-	18	18	1

JU-Dobbins, Young (1), DeVries (3), Parvey (6), Murdock (6), Dunlap (7), Brickle (9) and Simmons, Potucek (8). FSU-Hyde, Burge (6) and Diaz, Maxie (8).
 WP:Hyde LP:Dobbins
 HR:Robinson (FSU), Spivey (FSU), Thomas (FSU)
 2B: Posey (FSU), Anderson (FSU), Strauss (FSU), Thomas (FSU).

Jacksonville - 4, Sacred Heart - 3

Daniel Murphy went 3-for-4 with two doubles and an RBI in his first start in seven games and junior D.J. Ackley hurled six-plus innings to lead JU. Davis was able to wiggle his way out of the jam with just one out and the tying run on first in the bottom of the eighth. Josh Enos hit a line drive back to Davis that he snagged and flipped over to Gronkowski at first to snuff out the rally.

JU	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	-	4	12	0
SHU	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	-	3	9	2

SHU-Aldrich, Howard (7) and Morales, Enos (9). JU-Ackley, Davis (6) and Vickers.
 WP: Ackley LP: Aldrich SV: Davis
 HR: Young (JU), Garcia (SHU).
 2B: Murphy (2) (JU), James (JU), Hanson (SHU), Maiella (SHU).

Georgia - 15, Jacksonville - 8

Matt Dobbins suffered his second loss of the regional after allowing a season-high eight runs on nine hits with two walks in three innings of work. Nathan Moreau earned the win after allowing eight runs on 12 hits with a walk and four strikeouts. Joey Side finished 3-for-6 with a triple, a home run and six RBI to lead the Bulldogs as Georgia belted four homers in the contest.

UGA	0	5	0	4	0	2	4	0	0	-	15	18	0
JU	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	3	0	-	8	12	0

UGA-Moreau, McDaniel (9) and Jacobs. JU-Dobbins, Wedner (4), Davis (4), Brown (6), Parvey (6) and Vickers, Simmons (9).
 WP: Moreau LP: Dobbins
 HR: Wyatt (UGA), Side (UGA), Morris (UGA), Jacobs (UGA), Gronkowski (JU), Vickers (JU).
 3B: Side (UGA), Morris (UGA).
 2B: Beckham (UGA), Jacobs (UGA), Keen (UGA), LePage (JU)

In 2006, Daniel Murphy bounced back from a knee injury to go 3-for-4 with two doubles to lead the Dolphins to a 4-3 win over Sacred Heart in Athens, Ga.

NCAA POSTSEASON RESULTS

2007 NCAA REGIONALS

CHAPEL HILL, N.C. ♦ JUNE 1-2

North Carolina - 6, Jacksonville - 0

The Dolphins couldn't find the big hit when they needed it and the Tar Heels pounded out six doubles. JU left 11 runners on base, including six runners in scoring position, as the Dolphins were shutout for the first time during the season. The contest featured childhood friends facing each other for the first time (UNC's Robert Woodard and Logan James).

JU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	0	8	1
UNC	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	2	x		-	6	10	1

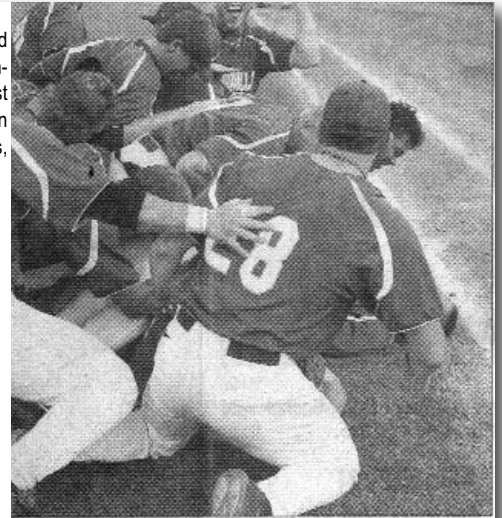
JU- Davis, Young (7), Brown (8) and Vickers. UNC- Woodard, Wooten (9) and Ferderowicz.
 WP: Woodard LP: Davis
 2B: LePage (JU), Federowicz (2) (UNC), Horton (UNC), Flack (UNC), Seager (UNC), Williams (UNC).

Western Carolina - 4, Jacksonville - 0

JU was shutout for the second consecutive game and only the second time during the year after leaving eight runners on base. The Dolphins were held scoreless in their last 19 innings in NCAA Regional play. WCU advanced in regional play after pounding out seven runs on 13 hits, including three home runs.

WCU	2	1	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	-	7	13	2
JU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	0	8	3

WCU- Saberhagen, Johnson (9). JU- Gardner, Andrew (7), Dobbins (9), Ackley (9).
 WP: Saberhagen LP: Gardner
 HR: Smith (WCU), Greene (WCU), Ingram (WCU).
 2B: Stasbaugh (WCU), McCallister (JU).
 3B: Stasbaugh (WCU).



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Jacksonville University's baseball team celebrates its second win of the day over Belmont to claim the Atlantic Sun Conference Tournament on Saturday and clinch a bid to the NCAA Tournament.

ATLANTIC SUN CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT

JU heading to NCAAs

Trip to UNC is surprise for JU

By JASON SCHNEIDER
 The Times-Union

JU Dolphins earn NCAA bid by winning rain-plagued event

BY JEFF ELLIOTT | STORY UPDATED AT 7:35 AM ON MONDAY, MAY. 25, 2009

2009 NCAA REGIONALS

GAINESVILLE, FLA. ♦ MAY 29-31

#17 Miami - 9, Jacksonville - 4

Big hits were the difference in the game as Miami's 10 hits pounded out nine runs – hitting three home runs in the game. JU equaled the Hurricanes hit total, but left nine on base in the contest as all four runs came in the seventh inning.

JU	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	-	4	10	1
UM	1	1	0	0	4	0	2	1	X	-	9	10	2

JU-Andrew, Kriech (6), Schlee (7) and Gillan. UM-Miller, Gutierrez (5), Rudman (7), Guerra (7), Miranda (7), Bellamy (9) and Grandal.
 WP: Miller LP: Andrew
 HR: Hagerty (2) (UM), Herrmann.
 2B: Fleming (JU), Gillan (JU), Grandal (UM), DiNatale (2).

Jacksonville - 8, Bethune-Cookman - 7

Junior second baseman Chuck Opachich hit the go-ahead home run in the eighth while sophomore Chris Kaminski and junior Kyle Kriech teamed up to keep JU alive with an 8-7 rally win over Bethune-Cookman. JU tallied its first win in the postseason since a 4-3 victory over Sacred Heart on June 3, 2006.

JU	1	1	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	-	8	11	1
B-CU	2	2	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	-	7	10	0

B-CU-Simpson, Rodriguez (3), Machado (3), Gonzalez (6), Serra (8), Munoz (8) and Clark. JU-Loosen, Witkowski (6), Kaminski (6), Kriech (9) and Gillan.
 WP: Kaminski LP: Munoz SV: Kriech
 HR: Opachich (JU), Myers (JU), Martinez (JU), Lauriello (B-CU), Jimenez (B-CU), Clark (B-CU).
 2B: Opachich (JU), Gillan (JU), Lauriello (B-CU).
 3B: Jimenez (B-CU).

#17 Miami - 4, Jacksonville - 0

Defensive mistakes put the Dolphins in an early hole and the bats could not come to the rescue as JU was eliminated with a 4-0 loss to No. 17 Miami. Sophomore Sean Green was tagged with the loss despite allowing three unearned runs on two hits with two walks and six strikeouts in 4.1 innings.

UM	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	-	4	7	0
JU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	0	7	3

UM-Gutierrez and Grandal. JU-Green, Tomshaw (4), Schlee (4), Kriech (9) and Gillan.
 WP: Gutierrez LP: Green
 2B: DiNatale (UM), Martinez (UM).