



FARGO-MOORHEAD REDHAWKS

GAME NOTES

Tuesday, August 31, 2021

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TODAY'S GAME

Fargo-Moorhead RedHawks (56-37) vs Sioux City Explorers (48-44)

Newman Outdoor Field - 7:02 PM

RHP Bret Helton (6-9, 5.29 ERA) vs. LHP Brett Adcock (3-8, 4.96 ERA)

UPCOMING GAMES	MATCHUP	TIME	PROBABLE PITCHERS
Wednesday, September 1, 2021	vs Sioux City	7:02 PM	LHP Matt Tomshaw (3-0, 1.77 ERA) vs. TBD
Thursday, September 2, 2021	vs Sioux City	7:02 PM	RHP Ryan Flores (9-2, 3.32 ERA) vs. TBD
Friday, September 3, 2021	at Winnipeg	7:00 PM	TBD vs. TBD

TODAY'S MATCHUP

The Fargo-Moorhead RedHawks will welcome the Sioux City Explorers to Newman Outdoor Field for the first time since July 11, 2019 as the two teams will begin a three-game series at 7:02 p.m. on Tuesday night. The RedHawks went 7-2 over their nine-game homestand which began two weeks ago. The Fargo-Moorhead bullpen allowed only three hits over 13 innings pitched and led the 'Hawks to a series win over the Chicago Dogs at Impact Field in Rosemont, Ill. RHP Bret Helton (6-9, 5.29 ERA) will start for the RedHawks on Tuesday night and will face LHP Brett Adcock (3-8, 4.96 ERA).

SEASON SERIES

Date	Location	Result/Time
8/6	@SC	5-3 W
8/7	@SC	7-3 W
8/8	@SC	6-2 W
8/31	@F-M	7:02 PM
9/1	@F-M	7:02 PM
9/2	@F-M	7:02 PM

At Home: 0-0 2020: N/A
On The Road: 3-0 All-Time: 126-87

FARGO-MOORHEAD CLINCHES PLAYOFF SPOT

After a series win against the North Division-leading Chicago Dogs and a five-game losing streak by the Winnipeg Goldeyes the Fargo-Moorhead RedHawks officially clinched a spot in the American Association playoffs. The RedHawks are currently 2.5 games back of the Dogs for first place in the division and a game ahead of the Milwaukee Milkmen for second place. Fargo-Moorhead has not won a league championship since 2010 and have never won a playoff series in their time in the American Association.

AA STANDINGS

NORTH	W-L	GB
Chicago	58-34	-
Fargo-Moorhead	56-37	2.5
Milwaukee	55-38	3.5
Winnipeg	47-44	10.5
Kane County	42-50	16
Gary SouthShore	37-56	21.5

SOUTH	W-L	GB
Kansas City	63-30	-
Cleburne	51-42	12
Lincoln	49-44	14
Sioux City	48-44	14.5
Sioux Falls	34-58	28.5
Houston	15-78	48

BROADCAST INFORMATION

All 100 Fargo-Moorhead RedHawks games will be streamed live on the web at aabaseball.tv. Fans can watch games from all around the American Association on any device for one monthly price. Tonight's game can be heard live on the air on 740 AM The Fan and 107.3 FM in the Fargo-Moorhead area, and online at 740thefan.com. For game updates, photos, highlights, and other content, follow the Fargo-Moorhead RedHawks on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, and YouTube.

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TODAY'S STARTER

RHP Bret Helton (6-9, 5.29 ERA)

2021 GAME LOG

GAME	DEC	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	HB	WP	P/K	FINAL	OPP.	LEFT
5/22 at KC	W	3.00	6.0	2	2	2	3	8	2	0	0	78-50	8-4 F-M	Baker	2-0 KC
5/27 vs CHI	L	3.00	6.0	4	2	2	2	5	2	0	0	95-60	5-1 CHI	Christman	2-1 CHI
6/2 at GARY	L	5.40	3.0	7	5	5	2	3	0	2	0	79-44	8-3 GARY	Griffen	5-0 GARY
6/8 vs MKE	-	5.40	5.0	5	3	3	2	3	0	0	0	92-53	5-4 MKE	Zimmerman	3-1 MKE
6/13 vs CLE	W	5.40	5.0	6	3	3	3	5	0	1	0	93-58	6-3 F-M	Alexander	4-3 F-M
6/19 vs SF	W	5.70	5.0	2	4	4	6	4	2	0	0	97-57	12-5 F-M	Garkow	8-4 F-M
6/25 at MKE	-	6.43	5.0	7	6	6	2	4	2	0	0	103-63	9-7 MKE	Boyer	6-4 MKE
6/30 vs WPG	L	7.20	5.0	8	7	7	3	2	0	1	0	97-57	9-5 WPG	Webb	7-5 WPG
7/6 at WPG	L	7.60	5.0	9	6	6	2	2	1	0	0	87-58	9-7 WPG	Gonzalez	6-0 WPG
7/10 at LIN	L	7.56	5.0	10	5	4	1	7	2	0	0	103-72	9-7 LIN	Borkovich	5-4 LIN
7/15 vs GARY	W	6.99	6.2	5	2	2	3	6	0	0	0	112-71	7-6 F-M	Sheaks	7-2 F-M

Bret Helton returns to Fargo for his seventh season of professional baseball and third as a RedHawk in 2021 after a solid performance in 2020 with Fargo-Moorhead in the COVID-19-shortened season. Primarily acting as a reliever out of the bullpen, Helton went 4-3 with a 3.46 ERA in 17 appearances (3 starts) for the 'Hawks last season. He struck out 32 batters and walked 19 while giving up 15 earned runs in 39.0 innings of work. Helton limited opponents to two hits or fewer in 13 of his 17 appearances last season. His best outing of 2020 came on Aug. 15 against the Chicago Dogs when he pitched 5.0 innings of two-hit ball, giving up one unearned run and striking out four, to help the RedHawks to a 2-1 win at Newman Outdoor Field.

Helton started 17 games for the RedHawks in 2019 with a record of 6-7 and a 4.40 ERA. He struck out 64 batters, walked 47, and gave up 44 earned runs in 90.0 innings pitched. Helton started Game 4 of the NDCS in St. Paul and pitched six scoreless innings in a no decision. The American Association named Helton the Pointstreak Pitcher of the Week for the week of June 23, 2019 after he pitched 12.2 innings of shutout baseball across two starts. After he was drafted by the Pittsburgh Pirates out of the University of Utah in the 2015 MLB Draft, Helton spent four seasons in organized baseball with the Pirates, reaching Double-A in 2018, before coming to Fargo-Moorhead. Helton also pitched for Gigantes de Carolina in the Puerto Rican Winter League in 2018-19.

He played three seasons for the University of Utah, compiling a 4-12 record with a 5.68 ERA in 39 appearances. In high school, Helton was a two-time all-state player and helped Cheyenne Mountain (Colorado Springs, Colo.) to Colorado Class 4A state baseball titles in 2009 as a freshman and 2011 as a junior. He went 6-3 on the mound with a 2.17 ERA and 62 strikeouts and hit .375 with seven home runs and 26 RBI. He played in the 2012 Colorado Rockies Futures Game and the senior all-star game. A three-sport athlete, Helton was an honorable mention all-state quarterback, throwing for 2,295 yards and 24 touchdowns as a senior, and honorable mention all-league and all-area in basketball, averaging 8.8 points and 7.8 rebounds per game.

Year	Age	Tm	Lg	Lev	Aff	W	L	W-L%	ERA	RA9	G	GS	GF	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	IBB	SO	HBP	BK	WP	BF	WHIP	H9	HRS	BB9	SO9	SO/W
2015	21	West Virginia	NVPL	A-	PIT	2	6	.250	4.97	6.96	14	14	0	0	0	0	54.1	63	42	30	3	20	0	37	8	0	4	251	1.5	10.4	0.5	3.3	6.1	1.85
2016	22	West Virginia	SALL	A	PIT	8	9	.471	4.44	4.78	26	26	0	0	0	0	135.2	130	72	67	13	52	0	101	15	1	8	590	1.3	8.6	0.9	3.4	6.7	1.94
2017	23	Bradenton	FLOR	A+	PIT	8	3	.727	3.25	3.33	30	14	1	0	0	0	116.1	110	43	42	7	37	0	89	9	0	3	490	1.3	8.5	0.5	2.9	6.9	2.41
2018	24	Altoona	EL	AA	PIT	6	6	.500	6.12	6.86	35	1	8	0	0	0	60.1	62	46	41	8	38	0	45	5	1	4	277	1.7	9.2	1.2	5.7	6.7	1.18
18-19	24	Carolina	PRWL	FglW		0	0		10.50	12.00	6	0	2	0	0	0	6.0	10	8	7	0	7	0	1	1	0	0	35	2.8	15.0	0.0	10.5	1.5	0.14
2019	25	Fargo-Moorhead	AA	Ind		6	7	.462	4.40	5.20	17	17	0	1	1	0	90.0	92	52	44	6	47	0	64	4	2	8	401	1.5	9.2	0.6	4.7	6.4	1.36
2020	26	Fargo-Moorhead	AA	Ind		4	3	.571	3.46	4.85	17	3	5	0	0	1	39.0	33	21	15	7	19	1	32	3	1	0	171	1.3	7.6	1.6	4.4	7.4	1.68
TOTALS						34	34	.500	4.41	5.10	145	75	16	1	1	1	501.2	500	284	246	44	220	1	369	45	5	27	2215	1.4	9.0	0.8	3.9	6.6	1.68

TEAM BATTING HIGHS & LOWS

Runs, game	20	8/18 vs KANE
Runs, inning	10	5/26 vs CHI
Hits, game	26	8/18 vs KANE
Hits, inning	9	6/21 vs CHI
Fewest hits, game	3	6/15 at CHI
Doubles, game	6	5/30 vs HOU
Triples, game	2	5/29 vs HOU
Home runs, game	6	8/18 vs KANE
Home runs, both teams	8	8/18 vs KANE
Multi-HR innings	7	
Extra-base hits	12	8/18 vs KANE
Stolen bases	3	2 Times
Caught Stealing	2	8/1 at MKE
Walks	9	7/2 vs MKE
Strikeouts	15	8/6 at SC
Double Plays	4	6/30 vs WPG
Left on Base	13	5/21 at KC

INDIVIDUAL BATTING HIGHS & LOWS

Hits	5	Multiple	
Runs	5	Boscan	8/20 vs HOU
Home Runs	2	Multiple	
RBI's	6	Krause	8/20 vs HOU
Doubles	2	Multiple	
Triples	1	Multiple	
Extra-Base Hits	3	Prime/Krause	
Stolen Bases	2	Boscan/Boxwell	
Caught Stealing	1	Multiple	
Walks	3	George	5/21 at KC
Strikeouts	4	Prime x2	
Hitting Streak	27	Silviano	6/27-7/25

TEAM PITCHING HIGHS & LOWS

Strikeouts	15	2 Times
Walks	11	6/18 vs SF
Fewest Walks	0	4 Times
Runs allowed, game	13	6/18 vs SF
Runs allowed, inning	6	2 Times
Hits allowed, game	22	8/22 vs HOU
Hits allowed, inning	5	3 Times
Fewest Hits Allowed	1	6/10 vs MKE
Home Runs	3	6 Times
Multi-HR Innings	5	
Hit Batters	3	6/10 vs MKE
Opponent LOB	14	2 Times

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING HIGHS & LOWS

Innings (Starter)	9.0	McGovern x2/	
Fewest Innings (Starter)	1.0	Flores	
Innings (Reliever)	5.0	Tri/Ludwig	8/2 vs KC
Strikeouts (Starter)	15	Ver Steeg	8/12 vs KANE
Strikeouts (Reliever)	7	Flores	6/2 at GARY
Walks (Starter, Most)	7	DuBord	8/4 vs KC
Walks (Starter, Least)	0	Hinsz	
Walks (Reliever)	5	Multiple	
Runs Allowed	9	Nissen/DuBord	6/18 vs SF
Earned Runs Allowed	9	Nissen	6/18 vs SF
Hits Allowed	11	Nissen	
Home Runs Allowed	3	Jones/Hinsz	
Pitches	114	Hinsz/Nissen	

STARTS BY BATTING ORDER

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
George	0	8	13	27	14	27	1	0	0
Boscan	18	65	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prime	41	0	14	36	1	0	0	0	0
Silviano	0	0	0	14	19	25	34	1	0
Pina	1	2	59	4	15	10	0	0	0
Kelly	0	0	0	0	12	24	25	10	4
Boxwell	1	0	0	0	0	4	6	33	22
Dexter	0	3	0	0	1	1	5	39	37
Krause	0	15	1	12	31	3	11	0	0
Zimmerman	19	0	0	0	0	0	9	2	6
Novak	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	14

STARTS BY POSITION

	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH
George	0	4	13	0	0	43	0	0	29
Boscan	15	7	57	4	0	0	0	0	6
Prime	0	82	0	1	0	4	1	0	4
Silviano	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	91	1
Pina	0	0	5	84	0	0	0	0	2
Kelly	60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
Boxwell	0	0	0	0	0	6	60	0	0
Dexter	0	0	0	0	86	0	0	0	0
Krause	18	0	0	0	0	24	0	1	30
Zimmerman	0	0	0	0	0	16	20	0	0
Novak	0	0	10	3	7	0	0	0	0

RUNS BY INNING

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10+
F-M	56	69	69	71	84	98	65	72	19	4
Opponent	64	51	43	47	64	44	47	54	24	4

RECORD BY MONTH

May	June	July	August	September
10-4	12-14	16-12	18-7	0-0

DAY-BY-DAY LOG

Game	Date	Opp	W/L	Score	Record	Position	GB/A	Winning Pitcher	Losing Pitcher	Save	Attd
1	5/18	@Clebune	L	4-3	0-1	T-4	-1.0	Chavez	Jones (0-1)	Wilson	1814
2	5/19	@Clebune	W	4-1	1-1	T-2	-1.0	Herget (1-0)	Alexander	Rogers (1)	791
3	5/20	@Clebune	W	4-0	2-1	T-1	-	McGovern (1-0)	Gunn		870
4	5/21	@Kansas City	L	9-4	2-2	T-2	-1.0	Glowicki	Hinsz (0-1)		1852
5	5/22	@Kansas City	W	8-4	3-2	T-2	-1.0	Helton (1-0)	McGrane		1563
6	5/23	@Kansas City	L	2-1	3-3	T-4	-1.0	Diaz	Hope (0-1)		1641
OFF	5/24										
7	5/25	Chicago	W	6-1	4-3	T-2	-1.5	McGovern (2-0)	Dahlberg		2263
8	5/26	Chicago	W	17-5	5-3	T-2	-0.5	Hope (1-1)	Kipper		1677
9	5/27	Chicago	L	5-1	5-4	T-3	-1	Christman	Helton (1-1)		1593
10	5/28	Houston	W	5-4	6-4	T-2	-0.5	Nissen (1-0)	Richardson		2751
11	5/29	Houston	W	4-1	7-4	T-1	-	Hope (2-1)	Aris	Rogers (2)	2243
12	5/30	Houston	W	11-3	8-4	1	+1.0	McGovern (3-0)	Cronin		2741
13	5/31	@Gary (G1)	W	7-2	9-4	1	+1.0	Hinsz (1-1)	Strobel		
14	5/31	@Gary (G2)	W	3-1	10-4	1	+1.5	Flores (1-0)	Lubking	Rogers (3)	2890
OFF	6/1										
15	6/2	@Gary	L	8-3	10-5	T-1	-	Griffin	Helton (1-2)	Clenney	2152
OFF	6/3										
16	6/4	@Kane County	W	5-3	11-5	1	+1.5	Hope (3-1)	Seyler	Rogers (4)	2495
17	6/5	@Kane County	W	5-1	12-5	1	+2.0	McGovern (4-0)	Bishop		2877
18	6/6	@Kane County	L	10-5	12-6	1	+1.5	DeLeon	Hinsz (1-2)		1849
19	6/7	Milwaukee	L	4-1	12-7	1	+5	Smith	Nissen (1-1)		1915
20	6/8	Milwaukee	L	5-4	12-8	3	-5	Hartman	Ver Steeg (0-1)		2311
21	6/9	Milwaukee	L	5-0	12-9	3	-1.5	Boyer	Jones (0-2)		1717
22	6/10	Milwaukee	W	9-0	13-9	3	-5	Flores (2-0)	Holmberg		2447
23	6/11	Clebune	W	15-1	14-9	2	-5	Hinsz (2-2)	Norwood		2872
24	6/12	Clebune	W	2-1	15-9	1	+5	DuBord (1-0)	Saucedo		2725
25	6/13	Clebune	W	6-3	16-9	1	+5	Helton (2-2)	Alexander	Rogers (5)	2193
OFF	6/14										
26	6/15	@Chicago	L	2-1	16-10	2	-5	Grey	Jones (0-3)	Kinley	1542
27	6/16	@Chicago	L	7-3	16-11	3	-1.5	Kipper	Herron (0-1)		2014
28	6/17	@Chicago	W	8-4	17-11	3	-5	DuBord (2-0)	Christman	Flores (1)	2227
29	6/18	Sioux Falls	L	13-7	17-12	3	-1.5	Hasty	Nissen (1-2)		3755
30	6/19	Sioux Falls	W	12-5	18-12	3	-1.5	Helton (3-2)	Garkow		3556
31	6/20	Sioux Falls	L	7-2	18-13	3	-2	Ventura	Herron (0-2)		2852
32	6/21	Chicago	W	11-0	19-13	3	-1.5	Jones (1-3)	Jones		2417
33	6/22	Chicago	W	17-5	20-13	2	-5	Hinsz (3-2)	Kipper		2698
34	6/23	Chicago	L	11-7	20-14	3	-1	Smith	Nissen (1-3)		3632
OFF	6/24										
35	6/25	@Milwaukee	L	9-7	20-15	3	-2	Siverio	Ver Steeg (0-2)	Hadley	1202
36	6/26	@Milwaukee	L	11-10	20-16	3	-3	Holmberg	Herron (0-3)	Dietz	1902
37	6/27	@Milwaukee	L	7-2	20-17	3	-4	Solter	Jones (1-4)		1002
38	6/28	Winnipeg	W	12-9	21-17	3	-3.5	Hope (4-1)	Frosch	Flores (2)	2317
39	6/29	Winnipeg	W	11-3	22-17	T-2	-3.5	Nissen (2-3)	Gonzalez		2174
40	6/30	Winnipeg	L	9-5	22-18	3	-3.5	Thomas	Helton (3-3)		2435
41	7/1	Winnipeg	W	10-9	23-18	3	-3	Murray (1-0)	James	Flores (3)	2305
42	7/2	Milwaukee	W	14-4	24-18	3	-2	Jones (2-4)	Holmberg		3831
43	7/3	Milwaukee	W	4-3	25-18	3	-1	Hope (5-1)	Solter	Flores (4)	2984
44	7/4	Milwaukee	W	13-3	26-18	T-2	-1	Nissen (3-3)	Smith		2354
OFF	7/5										
45	7/6	@Winnipeg	L	9-5	26-19	T-2	-1	Gonzalez	Helton (3-4)		412
46	7/7	@Winnipeg	L	6-4	26-20	T-2	-2	Seabrooke	Flores (2-1)	Jose	449
47	7/8	@Winnipeg	L	9-7	26-21	3	-2.5	Frosch	Flores (2-2)		1037
48	7/9	@Lincoln	W	6-5	27-21	3	-2.5	Hope (6-1)	Lance	DuBord (1)	3416
49	7/10	@Lincoln	L	9-7	27-22	3	-3.5	Norwood	Helton (3-5)	Pugliese	2673
50	7/11	@Lincoln	L	2-1	27-23	3	-4.5	Pugliese	Lind (0-1)		2064

