



**2008 Phillips 66 Big 12 Baseball
Championship
No. 2 Oklahoma State vs. No. 3 Nebraska
Notes**



No. 2 Oklahoma State 11, No. 3 Nebraska 5

May 24, 2008

AT&T Bricktown Ballpark

Nebraska Head Coach Mike Anderson

On the game:

"I thought that Oklahoma State did a great job and they are a good hitting team. I liked what our kids did and we tried to stay in it as best we could. The third and seventh innings were the keys to the game. They did a great job in the third, scoring four runs, some good swings and great hitters. They do a darn good job offensively."

On NCAA tournament:

"We expect to see teams in the Big 12 not in our region, that would be a good thing. We beat each other quite a bit and I don't think anybody went unscathed the entire year. It was nice to talk with other coaches who had the same sentiments and had nice conversations with those guys. I think we all felt that way. It's a great league and I think there is a lot of preparation that takes place. We will see. I think that teams that come out of this conference will be battle ready."

Nebraska pitcher Thad Weber

On pitching in the game and throwing error:

"I felt good early on. I was in a rhythm. With Jordy Mercer, I made a good pitch, strike three and unfortunately we had a little miscommunication on who was going to cover the bag and then after that it is my job to come back and execute pitches and I was not able to do that and momentum swung their way. You have got to give them credit, they are very aggressive and a very good hitting ball club. They did a good job."

Nebraska Infielder Andy Cotton

On throwing error:

"We had it so that 'Opi' (Jake Opitz) would cover the bag and then we tried to switch it at the end. There was a lack of communication. I didn't hear him say to switch it in the end and that is on us, we should know up the middle who is covering the bag and we didn't."