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**“We do not stop playing because we grow old.
We grow old because we stop playing.”**

My mother had morning sickness after I was born. - Rodney Dangerfield

Extra! Playoff Edition! Read all about it!

Date:08/25/2025	Time: 9:00					Weather: Cloudy, Humid						
Teams	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	H
Dr Dionne	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	1	0		5	16
Kittle	2	4	0	2	4	0	1	3			16	29

Headline: Kittles rout Dionnes

Summary: This game turned one sided quickly. In the 2nd inning, Rick Delue lined a double to highlight a 4 run inning. In the 5th, John Brun and George Birmbas blasted triples to highlight a 4 run inning. In the 8th inning, Mike Albano defeated the shift by lining a triple to the gap in rightfield. 4 Dionnes batters went hitless and 16 of their hits were singles.

5+ Hits:

4 Hits: Ken Nagle; John Walter(2B; 3R)

3 Hits: Don Clark; Greg Gougian; Mike McDevitt(2B); Mike Perrone(3B; 2 2B; 3R); George Birmbas(3B; 2R); Mike Ford

Home Runs:

Pitcher	W-L	R	H	HR	BB	DP	5er
(A) Joe Martinoli (0-1)	L	16	29	0	0	2	0
(H) Mike Albano (1-0)	W	5	16	0	2	0	0

Date:08/25/2025	Time: 10:30					Weather: Cloudy, Humid						
Teams	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	H
Pine Street	0	4	1	2	4	2	0	0	0		13	25
Joks	5	3	0	2	0	5	0	5			20	31

Headline: Joks wins slugfest

Summary: Joks scored 5 runs in their 1st inning on 7 consecutive hits including a Dave Sullivan double. Pine Street rallied for 4 runs in their 2nd inning keyed by a Danny Birck double. Joks scored 3 runs in their 2nd inning after 2 were out keyed by a John Chase double. Pine Street took an 11-10 lead in the 5th keyed by a Jerome St. Germain triple that was fair along the first base line by inches. Joks scored 5 in their 6th to retake the lead keyed by a Bob Royce wounded duck liner to right field. Joks scored 5 insurance runs in the 8th on 8 consecutive hits and a Perry Delisle chinker triple that was fair by a foot and spun into foul territory. Pine Street only mustered 3 hits in their final 3 innings. Both teams had some trouble in the field. Dan McDonald made a fantastic diving catch. Perry Delisle playing in short right field robbed a batter of a sure hit snaring a hot liner.

5+ Hits:

4 Hits: Frank Willey(2R); Perry Delisle(3B; 3R); Bill Goudey(2R); Bob Royce

3 Hits: Butch Dunham; Jerome St. Germain(3B; 2R); Paul Archer(2B; 2R); John Chase(2B; 4R); Dave Sullivan(2B); Bob

Pelletier; Leo Melanson(4R); Steve Trubacz

Home Runs:

Pitcher	W-L	R	H	HR	BB	DP	5er
(A) Bob Lavoie (0-1)	L	20	31	0	6	1	5
(H) Bob Royce (1-0)	W	13	25	0	2	1	0

Peter Olson Trivia: What father and son have the team records for stolen bases in a season for their teams?

What's the call ump? This play recently happened. 2 outs, no one on. Batter Hits an easy one hopper to the pitcher and does an about face and marches towards the dugout. The pitcher underhands the ball to first and the 1st baseman misplays the ball and the batter who had opened the gate at the fence, but hasn't step off the field sprints to 1st base. Is this allowed?

According to Umpire Molloy, he can. One toe off the field, he is out.

Date:08/27/2025	Time: 9:00					Weather: Drizzle, Humid						
Teams	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	H
Joks	2	0	0	0	0	3	1	2	5	0	13	24
Pine Street	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	14

Headline: Joks sweeps series

Summary: Pine Street took a 3-2 in their 1st keyed by a Butch Dunham triple. Neither team was able to generate any offense until Joks scored 3 in their 6 keyed by a Dave Sullivan triple. Joks added the Coup de grace in the 9th, scoring 5 keyed by a Perry Delisle triple. 7 players went hitless including 5 members of Pine Street.

Joks moves on and Pine Street is eliminated.

5+ Hits:

4 Hits: Bill Goudey(2R); Mike Doolan; Dan McDonald(3B; 2 2B)

3 Hits: Bob Royce(2 2B; 2R); Bob Pelletier(2B); Butch Dunham(3B; 2R)

Home Runs:

Pitcher	W-L	R	H	HR	BB	DP	5er
(A) Bob Royce (2-0)	W	4	14	0	0	0	0
(H) Bob Lavoie (0-2)	L	13	24	0	4	0	1

Date:08/27/2025	Time: 10:30					Weather: Drizzle, Humid						
Teams	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	H
Kittle	3	0	0	0	0	2	1	4	0	0	10	22
Dr Dionne	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	7

Headline: Kittle sweeps Series

Summary: Kittles scored all the runs they would need in the 1st inning keyed by a Mike McDevitt double. Dionnes only managed to get 1 hit in their 1st 6 innings. In the 8th, Kittles scored 4 runs keyed by doubles from John Brun and George Birmbas. 5 members of Dionnes went hitless.

Kittles moves on and Dionnes is eliminated.

5+ Hits:

4 Hits:

3 Hits: Mike McDevitt(2 2B; 2R); Bill Papa(2B)

Home Runs:

Pitcher	W-L	R	H	HR	BB	DP	5er
(A) Mike Albano (2-0)	W	1	7	0	1	0	0
(H) Joe Martinoli (0-2)	L	10	22	0	0	0	0



Bye-Bye Pine Street and Dr Dionne

Head to Head

Team	Pct	Total	Arts	Coleman	Dr Dionne	Family	IMEC	Joks	Kittle	M&N	Pine Street	Visionworks
Joks	1.000	2~0									2~0	
Kittle	1.000	2~0			2~0							
Arts	.000											
Coleman	.000											
Family	.000											
IMEC	.000											
M&N	.000											
Visionworks	.000											
Dr Dionne	.000	0~2							0~2			
Pine Street	.000	0~2						0~2				

Runs, Hits, HR

Team	Won	Lost	Pct	GB	Runs	Hits	HRS	RA	Opp Hits	Opp HRs	Dif Runs	Dif Hits	Dif HRS
Joks	2	0	1.000	0.0	33	55	0	17	39	0	16	16	0
Kittle	2	0	1.000	0.0	26	51	0	6	23	0	20	28	0
Arts	0	0	.000	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coleman	0	0	.000	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Family	0	0	.000	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
IMEC	0	0	.000	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M&N	0	0	.000	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Visionworks	0	0	.000	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dr Dionne	0	2	.000	2.0	6	23	0	26	51	0	-20	-28	0
Pine Street	0	2	.000	2.0	17	39	0	33	55	0	-16	-16	0

3 -hit games

Player	3Hits	4Hits	5Hits	Total
Bob Pelletier	2	0	0	2
Bob Royce	1	1	0	2
Butch Dunham	2	0	0	2
Mike McDevitt	2	0	0	2
Bill Goudey	0	2	0	2
Dan McDonald	0	1	0	1
Dave Sullivan	1	0	0	1
Don Clark	1	0	0	1
Frank Willey	0	1	0	1
George Birmbas	1	0	0	1
Greg Gougian	1	0	0	1
Jerome St. Germain	1	0	0	1
John Chase	1	0	0	1
John Walter	0	1	0	1
Ken Nagle	0	1	0	1
Leo Melanson	1	0	0	1
Mike Doolan	0	1	0	1
Mike Ford	1	0	0	1
Mike Perrone	1	0	0	1
Paul Archer	1	0	0	1
Perry Delisle	0	1	0	1
Steve Trubacz	1	0	0	1
Bill Papa	1	0	0	1

Trivia Answer



So much goes into stealing a base, and the first thing is eliminating the fear of failing. When you do that, there's a good chance you will make it – Maury Wills



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