

DUNEDIN BLUE JAYS



Tuesday, April 15, 2025 LAKELAND FLYING TIGERS (5-5) at DUNEDIN BLUE JAYS (4-6)

LOB Win: R Н Ε Ricky Vanasco (1-0) **LAKELAND** 8 1 7 Colby Holcombe (0-1) 4 Loss: 2 Moises Rodriguez (1) DUNEDIN 4 1 4 Save:

First Pitch: 6:33 Game Time: 2:14 Attendance: 670 Temperature: 74°F

HOME RUNS (2025 TOTAL / INNING / RUNNERS ON BASE / OUTS / PITCHER / SCORE AFTER HR / MPH / FT)

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Garrett Pennington (#1 / 6th / 0 on / 1 out / 1-0 / Eshleman / DUN 2 – LAK 4 / 108.9 / N/A)

Brock Tibbitts (#1 / 2nd / 0 on / 0 out / 1-2 / Sales / DUN 1 - LAK 0 / 95 / 342)

BLUE JAYS NOTES

- The Dunedin Blue Jays fell to the Lakeland Flying Tigers 4-2 on Tuesday night at TD Ballpark in game one of a six-game series.
- RHP Colby Holcombe (5 IP, 3 R, 2 ER, 5 H, 3 BB, 7 K) took the loss, allowing two earned runs in five frames with seven strikeouts.
 - His five innings pitched and seven strikeouts both marked career highs.
 - Holcombe reached 95.9 MPH on his fastball and induced 13 whiffs on 37 swings in the outing for a 35% whiff rate.
 - Over eight career appearances (seven starts) with Dunedin dating back to last season, Holcombe has pitched to a 2.25 ERA with 23 strikeouts in 24 innings.
- **LHP Johan Simon** (3 IP, 0 R, 1 H, 0 BB, 2 K) fired three shutout innings in relief and fanned a pair while allowing only one hit.
 - o Over his last two games, Simon has allowed one run in five innings of work with seven strikeouts.
 - The left-hander topped out at 93.9 MPH with his fastball on the mound and induced two whiffs on two swings against his slider.
- **1B Brock Tibbitts** (1-for-3, HR, RBI, 2 R, BB) launched his first homer of the season, a solo blast in the 2nd inning to open the scoring.
 - Tibbitts has an RBI in six straight games and has reached base in eight straight games to begin his season
 - His nine RBI this season lead the team and are T-5th in the Florida State League.
 - Tibbitts homer left the bat at 95 MPH, and he's deposited seven balls off the bat at 95+ MPH this season with a maximum exit velocity of 110.4 MPH.