

Game Summaries- March 12

Game 1

In a low scoring contest it was defense that took the spotlight with outstanding plays by Cooks Tour's shortstop Dan Braddock, leading the chefs to a 7-4 victory. Defense was augmented by several cooks hammering out 3 hits – Greg Brugato (double), Ricky Grulke and Dean Drake.

Holyoak suffered this game from the “hitting it right at em” syndrome, as they totaled only 12 hits. Bill Klein doubled and Doug Terpstra tripled.

Game 2

This was anything but a pitching duel as there were 57 hits and 35 runs scored resulting in Big O edging Collectibles 19-16. Pacing Big O with 4 hits were Rich Murray (3 rbis) and Derek Sobczyk (double, 3 rbis). Those with 3 hits included Gabe Medina, Helen Balabanis, Noland Hess, Ron Pasik, Eliut Gonzalez (double) and Larry Thorson.

The collectors were led by sub Bill Klein 4/4, double, triple, 4rbis and John Dykema 4/4. Donnie Lewis had 3 hits and 3 rbis. Larry Huber and manager Jim Sundberg doubled.

Game 3

Team Peterson scored early and often and survived a 4 run 7th inning by Daily Independent as they emerged with a 13-11 win. The realtors were led by manager Dennis Robins who was 3/3, double, 3 rbis. Also with 3/3 days were Dan Faretta (double), Gary Willis, and Ron McLean. Chuck Ryder doubled and Perry Tasky tripled.

Several reporters were 4/4 – Greg McCullough (triple, homerun), manager Steve Sanderson (double) and sub Helen Balabanis. Mark Merkley had 3 singles.