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2025 AUSL All-Star Cup: Game #17
Rosemont, Illinois (Parkway Bank Sports Complex)

Friday, August 29, 2025
8:30 p.m. ET/7:30 p.m. CT

SCORE BY INNING	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	R	H	E	LOB
Team Kowalik (1-0)	0	2	0	0	1	0	2	5	9	0	7
Team Ricketts (0-1)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	4

Winning Pitcher: Aleshia Ocasio (2-0) | Losing Pitcher: Odicci Alexander-Bennett (0-1) | Save: n/a | Time of Game: 1:36

Game MVPs:

- #1 - Baylee Klingler (Team Kowalik), +60 points
- #2 - Aleshia Ocasio (Team Kowalik), +40 points
- #3 - Paige Sinicki (Team Kowalik), +20 points
- Defensive MVP - Korbe Otis (Team Kowalik), +20 points

HOME RUNS	NO.	PITCHER	INN.	ROB	OUT	COUNT	LOCATION
None							

The Quick Story: Pitcher **Aleshia Ocasio** threw a two-hit shutout and corner infielder **Baylee Klingler** drove in two runs as Team Kowalik (1-0) collected a 5-0 victory over Team Ricketts (0-1) to complete Friday night's Athletes Unlimited Softball League All-Star Cup doubleheader at Parkway Bank Sports Complex.

Key Moment: Team Kowalik plated two runs in the top of the second inning on a double by corner infielder **Paige Sinicki**. The squad added a single run in the fifth inning before two more runs scored on a triple by outfielder **Korbe Otis** in the seventh inning. Ocasio, meanwhile, did not allow a hit after the third inning while notching two strikeouts in the victory.

Leaderboard Update: Catcher **Kayla Kowalik** extended her advantage on the leaderboard to 462 points over pitcher **Rachel Garcia** after her squad swept all 130 possible win points. Ocasio, the game's MVP 2 selection, moved into ninth place in the league standings after finishing with a season-high 254 leaderboard points, while Otis elevated into fifth place on the strength of a 200-point effort.

TEAM KOWALIK NOTES



- Team Kowalik collected all 130 possible win points, marking the seventh win points sweep in 15 All-Star Cup games played this season ... Teams captained by catcher **Kayla Kowalik** have accounted for four of the seven sweeps.
- Team Kowalik finished 9-for-19 in advancement opportunities, including a 5-for-16 mark with runners on base.
- Four of the nine hits by Team Kowalik went for extra bases ... In addition, six of the team's nine hitters registered at least one hit.
- Kowalik stands as the only player in the AUSL All-Star Cup field without a loss this season after upping her record to 8-0, including a perfect 6-0 mark as a captain ... Team Kowalik has scored at least five runs in five of the six outings with Kowalik at the helm.
- The 5-0 victory marks the third shutout of the AUSL All-Star Cup season, including the second instance by Team Kowalik.
- Outfielder **Sierra Sacco** posted her second multi-hit effort in the All-Star Cup after opening the game with a single before adding another single in the top of the fifth inning ... She also had two hits against Team Falby on August 20.
- Corner infielder **Baylee Klingler** has hit safely in five of her last six games after driving in a run with a single in the fifth inning ... She was named MVP 1 and ended the game with a season-high 220 leaderboard points.
- Corner infielder **Devyn Netz** extended her hitting streak to three games with a double to left field in the second inning.
- Kowalik has registered a hit in all eight games after singling up the middle in the top of the seventh inning.
- Pitcher **Aleshia Ocasio** is the second player to throw a complete game shutout in the AUSL All-Star Cup this season ... Pitcher **Rachel Garcia** allowed just one hit on August 2 in Team Lorenz's victory over Team Corrick at Ting Stadium.
- Ocasio also becomes the fourth pitcher to spin a complete game during this year's All-Star Cup, joining Garcia, **Lexi Kilfoyl** and **Georgina Corrick**.
- Outfielder **Korbe Otis** was recognized as the game's Defensive MVP, becoming the 14th different player to receive the award this season.

Team Kowalik's Next Game: Saturday, August 30 vs. Team Garcia | 6:30 p.m. ET/5:30 p.m. CT

TEAM RICKETTS NOTES



- Team Ricketts was limited to just two hits, which is the second-lowest total for a team this season .. Team Corrick was held to one hit against Team Lorenz on August 2 at Ting Stadium.
- Team Ricketts finished just 1-for-6 in advancement opportunities and were just 1-for-6 with runners on base ... They advanced just one runner into scoring position.
- Middle infielder **Sydney Romero** has authored a hit in all eight games this season after recording a single in the third inning ... She joins Kowalik as the only players in the AUSL All-Star Cup to have a hit in all eight possible games.
- Middle infielder **Aubrey Leach** has a hit in four of her last five appearances following her single in the second inning ... She finished 1-for-2 with a walk.
- Pitcher **Odicci Alexander-Bennett** (0-1) suffered the loss in the circle after giving up two runs on three hits over 1.1 innings with one strikeout.
- Pitcher and team captain **Keilani Ricketts** threw 4.2 innings of relief in Friday's nightcap, allowing one run on three hits with one strikeout ... She falls to 1-3 as a team captain this season.

Team Ricketts' Next Game: Saturday, August 30 vs. Team Coffel | 4 p.m. ET/3 p.m. CT



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Team Kowalik 5 (1-0)

Player	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	so	po	a	lob	avg
S Sacco cf	4	1	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	.238
K Kowalik c	2	1	1	0	1	0	2	1	2	.536
H Flippen ss	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	.167
B Klingler 1b	4	1	2	2	0	0	7	1	1	.333
K Otis lf	3	1	2	1	1	0	3	0	1	.261
D Netz dp	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	.368
P Sinicki 3b	2	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	.222
M Clark rf	3	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	.059
S Bates 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	1	.111
A Ocasio p	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	.467
Totals	27	5	9	5	2	3	21	11	7	

Team Ricketts 0 (0-1)

Player	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	so	po	a	lob	avg
B Dayton lf	2	0	0	0	1	1	3	1	0	.217
Sy Romero ss	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	.375
D Gibson Who dp	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	.318
B Nickles-Ca rf	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	.176
T Vidales 1b	3	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	.241
A Leach 2b	2	0	1	0	1	1	2	2	0	.278
Sh Palacios c	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	.263
A Newland ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.143
S Jaquish 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	.200
A Andrews cf	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	.235
O Alexander- p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	-
K Ricketts p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	-
S Willis p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	22	0	2	0	2	2	21	8	4	

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	R	H	E
Team Kowalik	0	2	0	0	1	0	2	5	9	0
Team Ricketts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0

DP - Kowalik 1; Ricketts 1. LOB - Kowalik 7; Ricketts 4. 2B - B Klingler(2); D Netz(4); P Sinicki(3). 3B - K Otis(1). HBP - P Sinicki; S Bates; Sy Romero. SH - K Kowalik(1); H Flippen(2).

Team Kowalik	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	ab	bf	np	era	Team Ricketts	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	ab	bf	np	era
A Ocasio	7.0	2	0	0	2	2	22	25	94	1.94	O Alexander-	1.1	3	2	2	2	1	5	8	25	4.20
											K Ricketts	4.2	3	1	1	0	1	16	19	73	1.42
											S Willis	1.0	3	2	2	0	1	6	6	20	4.20

Win - A Ocasio (2-0). Loss - O Alexander- (0-1). Save - None.

HBP - by K Ricketts (S Bates); by K Ricketts (P Sinicki); by A Ocasio (Sy Romero). Inherited runners/scored: K Ricketts 1/0. Pitches/strikes: A Ocasio 94/52; O Alexander- 25/12; K Ricketts 73/52; S Willis 20/12.

Umpires - HP: Don Brown 1B: Alex Leap 3B: Scott Mair

Start: 8:02 pm Time: 1:38 Attendance:

Weather: Cloudy, 65 degrees



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Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	R	H	E
Team Kowalik	0	2	0	0	1	0	2	5	9	0
Team Ricketts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0

Team Kowalik starters: 28/cf S Sacco; 99/c K Kowalik; 19/ss H Flippen; 38/1b B Klingler; 31/lf K Otis; 35/dp D Netz; 36/3b P Sinicki; 86/rf M Clark; 22/2b S Bates; 8/p A Ocasio;
Team Ricketts starters: 6/lf B Dayton; 2/ss Sy Romero; 5/dp D Gibson Who; 48/rf B Nickles-Ca; 29/1b T Vidales; 75/2b A Leach; 13/c Sh Palacios; 27/3b S Jaquish; 11/cf A Andrews; 3/p O Alexander-;

Team Kowalik 6th - D Netz grounded out to ss (3-1 BBBK). P Sinicki hit by pitch (0-2 FKFF). M Clark reached on a fielder's choice (2-2 SFFBB); P Sinicki out at second ss unassisted. S Bates grounded out to 1b unassisted (0-1 K). 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Team Kowalik 1st - S Sacco singled through the left side (1-1 KB). K Kowalik walked (3-1 BKBBB); S Sacco advanced to second. H Flippen out at first p to 2b, SAC, bunt (0-0); K Kowalik advanced to second; S Sacco advanced to third. B Klingler flied into double play lf to c (0-0); S Sacco out on the play. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Team Ricketts 6th - B Dayton out at first c to 2b, bunt (2-1 BBK). Sy Romero hit by pitch (2-0 BB). D Gibson Who reached on a fielder's choice (0-2 FK); Sy Romero out at second 3b to 2b. B Nickles-Ca lined out to rf (2-0 BB). 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Team Ricketts 1st - B Dayton struck out swinging (3-2 BBBKFS). Sy Romero grounded out to ss (0-1 K). D Gibson Who flied out to lf (3-2 BKBBKF). 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Team Kowalik 7th - S Willis to p for K Ricketts. S Sacco struck out looking (0-2 SFK). K Kowalik singled up the middle (2-1 BFB). H Flippen flied out to cf (0-0). B Klingler doubled to right center, RBI (1-2 FBK); K Kowalik scored. K Otis tripled down the rf line, RBI (3-0 BBB); B Klingler scored. D Netz grounded out to 1b unassisted (2-1 BBK). 2 runs, 3 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Team Kowalik 2nd - K Otis walked (3-0 BBBB). D Netz doubled to left field (2-0 BB); K Otis advanced to third. P Sinicki doubled up the middle, 2 RBI (0-2 KK); D Netz scored; K Otis scored. M Clark struck out swinging (2-2 FBBFS). K Ricketts to p for O Alexander-. S Bates hit by pitch (2-2 BBFF). S Sacco struck out swinging (1-2 KSBS). K Kowalik grounded out to 1b unassisted (0-1 K). 2 runs, 2 hits, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

Team Ricketts 7th - T Vidales fouled out to lf (3-2 KBBKB). A Leach walked (3-2 BFBBFB). A Newland pinch hit for Sh Palacios. A Newland grounded into double play ss to 2b to 1b (2-1 KBB); A Leach out on the play. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Team Ricketts 2nd - B Nickles-Ca lined out to p (1-0 B). T Vidales grounded out to ss (1-0 B). A Leach singled to center field (0-0). Sh Palacios grounded out to p (0-0). 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Team Kowalik 3rd - H Flippen flied out to cf (2-2 BFKB). B Klingler grounded out to 3b (1-2 FBKF). K Otis singled to first base (2-0 BB). D Netz grounded out to ss (1-2 BKF). 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Team Ricketts 3rd - S Jaquish fouled out to lf (0-1 K). A Andrews out at first 1b to 2b (1-1 BK). B Dayton walked (3-1 BKBBB). Sy Romero singled through the left side (3-2 FFBBB); B Dayton advanced to second. D Gibson Who grounded out to p (2-2 BKBF). 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

Team Kowalik 4th - P Sinicki grounded out to 2b (0-2 KK). M Clark fouled out to lf (1-2 KSBF). S Bates flied out to rf (1-2 SBF). 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Team Ricketts 4th - B Nickles-Ca grounded out to ss (0-1 K). T Vidales popped up to ss (3-2 BBFFB). A Leach struck out swinging (2-2 BBKKS). 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Team Kowalik 5th - S Sacco singled to left field (1-0 B). K Kowalik out at first p to 2b, SAC, bunt (0-0); S Sacco advanced to second. H Flippen grounded out to 2b (0-2 FF); S Sacco advanced to third. B Klingler singled to left center, RBI (0-2 FSF); S Sacco scored. K Otis flied out to lf (2-2 BFFB). 1 run, 2 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Team Ricketts 5th - Sh Palacios flied out to rf (2-1 BBK). S Jaquish flied out to cf (1-2 KKB). A Andrews grounded out to ss (0-1 S). 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.



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Team Kowalik 5 (1-0)

Player	[plate appearances]									vs		rbi	with	adv	with	lead	bases	runnr	rnr	rnr	2out	gnd	fly
	tpa	ab	h	bb	hbp	sh	sf	ci	left	right	ops												
S Sacco cf	4	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	1-2	1-2	0-1	0-1	0-1	0-0	2-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
K Kowalik c	4	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0-1	1-1	0-1	0-1	2-3	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	2	0	2	0	0
H Flippen ss	4	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0-2	0-1	0-1	0-2	2-3	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	3	0	0	2	2	2
B Klingler 1b	4	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	1-2	1-2	1-2	2-3	2-3	2-2	0-0	0-0	0-1	0	1	2	1	1	1
K Otis lf	4	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	1-2	1-1	1-1	1-2	1-2	2-3	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	1	1
D Netz dp	4	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0-2	1-2	0-1	1-3	1-3	0-2	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	3	0	0
P Sinicki 3b	3	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0-1	1-1	1-1	1-1	1-1	0-0	0-1	0-0	1-1	0	0	0	1	0	0
M Clark rf	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-2	0-1	0-1	0-2	0-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	1	1
S Bates 2b	3	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0-2	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-1	0-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	1	1	1
A Ocasio p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	27	9	2	2	2	0	0	3-16	6-11	3-9	5-16	9-19	4-10	3-7	0-0	1-2	4	7	3	11	6	6

Team Ricketts 0 (0-1)

Player	[plate appearances]									vs		rbi	with	adv	with	lead	bases	runnr	rnr	rnr	2out	gnd	fly
	tpa	ab	h	bb	hbp	sh	sf	ci	left	right	ops												
B Dayton lf	3	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Sy Romero ss	3	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0-0	1-2	0-0	1-1	1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0
D Gibson Who dp	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-3	0-1	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	2	1	1
B Nickles-Ca rf	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-3	0-0	0-1	0-1	0-1	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	1	2	2
T Vidales 1b	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	2	2
A Leach 2b	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0-0	1-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sh Palacios c	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-2	0-0	0-1	0-1	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	1	1	1
A Newland ph	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0
S Jaquish 3b	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	2	2
A Andrews cf	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	2	0	0
O Alexander- p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
K Ricketts p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S Willis p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	25	22	2	2	1	0	0	0	0-0	2-22	0-1	1-6	1-6	2-8	0-7	0-0	0-0	0	4	0	10	8	8

Team Kowalik	[batters faced]															vs		vs		with	with	lead	gnd	fly
	ip	bf	ab	h	bb	hbp	sh	sf	ci	2b	3b	hr	wp	bk	kl	left	right	runrs	2outs					
A Ocasio W,2-0	7.0	25	22	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1-10	1-12	1-6	2-8	0-7	10	8	94	

Team Ricketts	[batters faced]															vs		vs		with	with	lead	gnd	fly
	ip	bf	ab	h	bb	hbp	sh	sf	ci	2b	3b	hr	wp	bk	kl	left	right	runrs	2outs					
O Alexander- L,0-1	1.1	8	5	3	2	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1-1	2-4	2-4	0-0	2-2	1	1	25	
K Ricketts	4.2	19	16	3	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1-5	2-11	1-8	2-7	1-4	9	4	73	
S Willis	1.0	6	6	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1-2	2-4	2-4	2-3	0-1	1	1	20	