

Game 16 BRONZE MEDAL- Canadian Sidearm Nation Vs Thurston County Senators

In the battle for bronze at the World Baseball Challenge, Thurston County was looking for their first win against Sidearm Nation in three attempts.

Justin Johnson opened up the scoring for Sidearm Nation in the bottom of the second as he singled and came around to score after he singled.

Sidearm drew two more home, allowing Billy Clapperton to score after singling, as well as Kevin Czarnecki after reaching on a walk.

A handful of singles brought home John McNeil, Dan Chappel, JP Wilner, and Billy Clapperton, bringing the lead to a decisive 7-0.

Thurston County would finally answer back in the top of the fifth inning. Tyler Wambold reached on a single, followed by a D'Andre Van Slyke walk, allowing both men to score on a Tanner Angel error induced double making it 7-2.

Sidearm Nation seemingly erased those runs after McNeil and Chappel both came around to score for the second time in the game in the bottom half of the fifth

Both team would add a run in the sixth, making it a 10-3 lead for Sidearm Nation.

Thurston County would chip away at the lead, adding two runs in the seventh, but Sidearm Nations last at bats would not be necessary. The Senators could only muster up one more run in the ninth as Canadian Sidearm Nation would win the Bronze Medal in the World Baseball Challenge by a final score of 10-6.