

# NEWPORT GULLS BASEBALL

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*"RAISING THE BAR IN SUMMER COLLEGIATE BASEBALL"*

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## Gulls Represented Well at NECBL All Star Festivities

**Newport, RI-** The New England Collegiate Baseball League (NECBL) announced the All Star rosters earlier this week with the Gulls represented by seven players. The game will be played on Saturday July 18 in Holyoke, Massachusetts at MacKenzie Field. First pitch is scheduled for 6:30. The skill competition, throwing competition and 60 yard dash, will start at 3:30. The Home Run Derby will follow that.

Joey Bergman will start at third base for the East Division. He has performed very well in just 14 games this year, putting up a .347 batting average while swiping two bases. Bergman has hit one homerun while knocking in five runs.

Second baseman Greg Garcia was also named to the team as he has played solid defense this year while starting 24 games this year which is tied for the team lead in games played. Garcia is also getting on base at a .360 clip. He will also participate in the infield throwing competition.

Derek Jones, who is leading the team in homeruns with 5, made the team as a reserve outfielder. Due to his power, Jones will also participate in the Home Run Derby. In addition, Jones will also participate in the outfield throwing competition.

Aaron Westlake, while splitting time at catcher and designated hitter this year, finds himself on the team as the reserve designated hitter. Westlake has hit .308 while hitting one home run and knocking in ten runs. He will join Jones as a participant in the Home Run Derby.

Catcher Ian Tomkins was named to the team and to the throwing competition for catchers but due to an injury, he will not participate in either aspect of the festivities.

Andrew Kittredge and Dean Wolosiansky will represent Newport's league leading 2.27 ERA pitching staff. Both pitchers have gone 2-0 so far this season. Wolosiansky carries a 2.29 ERA in three games started. He has also held batters to .186 opponent batting average against.

Kittredge is third on the team with 26 strikeouts in 22.1 innings pitched while only surrendering three walks. Kittredge is also the only pitcher on the Gulls to throw a nine inning complete game this year.

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