

NEWPORT GULLS BASEBALL

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"RAISING THE BAR IN SUMMER COLLEGIATE BASEBALL"

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Newport Finishes In Third In Summer League Rankings

Newport, RI-The Newport Gulls finished third in the final standings by Allan Simpson of PG Crosschecker who ranked the top 25 collegiate summer league teams.

The Gulls came in behind only the Forest City Owls of the Coastal Plain League and the Bourne Braves of the Cape Cod League. Including Newport, the top five teams all won their respective leagues.

The Gulls posted the best record in the NECBL as they went 31-10 en route to winning the 2009 NECBL Championship as they went 6-2 in the post season.

Newport also put up a 17-3 record at Cardines Field this season. They also ranked fourth in the NECBL with a .266 batting average, first with a .400 slugging percentage, and first with a .360 on-base percentage. The Gulls also belted 29 home runs which led the league.

Their 2.27 earned run average was best in the NECBL. Newport was tied for fourth in the league with 313 strike outs on the season. Newport also led the league with 14 saves.

The Gulls only committed 52 errors all season which ranked them second in the league with a .966 percent.

You can check out all the information on the Newport Gulls during the offseason at newportgulls.com and necbl.com.

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