

# 2021 NL CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES

## #2 Wall Street Barons at #1 Allyn Street 89ERS

The series started on Thursday morning.

### **Game 1** - Lamet (20-8) vs. Bauer (19-12)

In the 3rd with 2 outs Turner doubled. Croneworth and Fowler worked BB's. Bases loaded. Voit lined out. Score 0-0 to the 6th inning.

Lamet 0R, 3H, 2BB and 5K.

Bauer 0R, 3H, 2BB and 9K

In the 6th Dubon played Fowler F9 into a 2 base error. Voit K, Hayes RBI double. Dubon could not get to Frazier's shot to right and it dropped in for RBI single. 2-0 Barons.

To the 8th. After one out Cano singled. Ramirez K'ed. Mountcastle singled. France grounder to Cronenworth and he misplayed it, E4. Bases Loaded Hand in to replace Lamet. Haggerty 3-R double and the 89ERS took the lead. The 89ERS scored 1 more to make it 4-2.

Williams saved the game by striking out the side in the 9th.

### **Game 2** - Nola (20-9) vs. Alzolay (7-3)

Back-to-back HR's in the second after 2 out by Adames and McCann gave the 89ERS a 2-0 lead.

The Barons struck back fast as they scored 2 in the 3rd. RBI single by Cronenworth and a RBI double by Voit.

The score stayed 2-2 to the 7th.

With one out McCann hit his 2nd HR of the game and it gave the 89ERS a 3-2 lead. The Barons got a 2 out double by Akiyama. A pass ball put the tying run on 3rd. Voit K'ed. Game over, 3-2 89ER win.

Series moved to the Stockyard with the 89ERS up 2-0

### **Game 3** - Urias (13-10) vs. Gausman (16-6)

The score was 0-0 to the 4th. After 2 out Hayes beat out an infield hit. Frazier singled. Gallagher PH for Moustakas and singled in a run. 1-0 Barons.

With one out in the 7th Bader singled. After the 2nd out Turner RBI double. Barons 2-0.

89ERS 9th McCann takes one for the team, HBP. Tying run at the plate but Valdez would have nothing to do with that as he retired the next 3 batters.

#### **Game 4 - Mahle (11-8) vs. Smyly (5-3)**

Wall Street gets things going fast as in the first Turner led off with a double and Akiyama RBI single.

With 2 out in the 5th France singled. Walsh singled. Runners on the corners. E5 by Mouskas and the bases became loaded. Adames 2-R double. 2-1 ASt.  
The 89ERS went on to win 7-1 to take a 3-1 lead in the series.

The teams took a break and finished the series on Monday morning.

#### **Game 5 - Bauer vs. Lamet**

0-0 to the 4th. With one out Voit doubled. RBI single by Hayes and the Barons had a 1-0 lead.

In the 6th a S, BB, BB made Bauer tired. Williams gave up a RBI single to Bader 2-0 Barons. After a K a big E6 by Adames and the Barons had a 3-0 lead.

Voit HR in the 7th gave the Barons a 4-0 lead.

The 89ERS could only mustard 2 hits off of Lamet and went down quietly in the 9th off Hahn.

The Series went back to the School Yard with the 89ERS up 3-2.

#### **Game 6 - Nola vs. Alzolay**

With one out Akiyama BB, Cronenworth infield single. Voit BB. Hayes RBI BB. 1-0 Barons.

In the 3rd McCann E2 on Voits dribbler. Hayes LODP. Frazier BB. Fowler D. Voit trying to score and Fowler trying for 3rd. It is cut off and Fowler is out at 3rd but the run scored. 2-0 Barons.

In the 4th after an out a S, HBP and F9 looked like Nola would get out of the inning. But, Turner booted Sierra's grounder in it was 2-1 Barons. Rookie Mountcastle singled in 2 and the 89ERS had a 3-2 lead.

Walsh lead off HR in the 6th made it 4-2. A BB, K, BB and a single had Haggerty racing home. Bader throw was not cut off and Haggerty was OUT AT HOME!

Barons get a runner on second with 2 out in the 7th but Voit grounded out.

In the 8th Mountcastle out with 1 out and 2 on and he sent one out of the School Yard to give the 89ERS a 7-2 lead.

89ERS held on and took the NLCS 4-2.

The series was well managed by both Earl Weaver and Casey Stengel. Some defensive mistakes hurt both teams.

As always Joe was a gentleman. We always enjoy playing against each other. It's always fun. Congrats Joe on a great season.

Series MVP - Ryan Mountcastle .292, 4R, HR, 5RBI

Allyn Street making its 4th trip to the World Series.