

Marco Island Senior Softball Results

As of February 14, 2025

ISLAND DIVISION

Tuesday, February 11, 2025

Dolphin Tiki 13

Salty Dog 4

Dolphin Tiki combined timely hitting and sound defense to tame the Salty Dog and even their season record at 6-6.

Holding a slim 2-1 lead, the Tiki scored four times in the fourth and fifth innings to give them a more comfortable 10-2 advantage. Run scoring singles by Sal Tidona, Craig Cunningham, and Mike Faria, along with a Nick Jacullo sacrifice fly provided the scoring in the fourth, and back-to-back sacrifice flies by Dan Harrar and Jon Thomas followed by RBI hits by Dave St. Angelo and Tidona plated the fifth inning runs.

Tidona, Cunningham, and St. Angelo all finished the game with three hits and two RBIs, and Jacullo had a pair of sacrifice flies for the Tiki.

Salty Dog's Terry Downs was the lone bright spot for their offense with a pair of booming triples, as they were limited to 11 hits for the game.

Speakeasy 17

Nacho Mama's 16

Nacho Mama's came out of the gates smokin' hot with a pair of five run innings to start the game, but Speakeasy kept cutting into the deficit before finally taking their first lead with a walk-off single by Wayne Bombaci in the bottom of the ninth inning.

After trading runs in the prior three innings, Speakeasy entered the bottom of the ninth trailing 16-15. Brian Ward began the rally with an infield hit, followed by singles by Karl Kann and Art Sinisi, with the latter driving in the tying run. Then after two outs were recorded, Bombaci drove in the game winner with a bloop single to right field, just out of the reach of Nacho's Jeff Kaczka who made a valiant effort.

Earlier in the game, Bombaci and Joe Rocco blasted home runs for Speakeasy. Bombaci and Tom Vander Aarde finished the game with three hits and three RBIs, Rocco and Mark Whealy each had three hits and two RBIs, and Sinisi and Ward also had three hits for the victors.

Paul Nussbaum had another big game for Nacho's lashing out five hits including a triple and drove in two runs. Matt Minik crushed a triple and a pair of doubles good for three RBIs, and Eric Jeanotte also knocked in three runs. John Gross contributed three hits for Nacho's in the loss.