

The South Zone Champions from Crowley, Louisiana knocked off Host Area Zone Champions Hoosier North 12-2 in Game 10 of the Colt World Series. Crowley's hitting carried over from their 17-0 drubbing of Aruba the previous day, and the Cajuns found consistent offense throughout the game.

Crowley got started early in the top of the first, as Jacob Bernard singled to left with two outs, Nicholas Zeman drew a walk, and Austyn Benoit doubled to left, scoring both runners to give Crowley a 2-0 lead after the first inning. Hoosier North responded in the bottom of the second, when Matthew Taylor reached on an error, then Conner Hayslip laid down a sacrifice bunt to advance Taylor to second. After Mason Douglas grounded out, Hoosier North drew three straight walks to score Taylor, cutting the lead to 2-1. Payton Hall grounded into a fielder's choice, and the inning was over.

Crowley added on to their lead in the top of the third, when Wyatt Verret drew a leadoff walk, and advanced to third on Jacob Bernard's single to right. Nicholas Zeman reached on an infield single to load the bases, and Hunter Wriborg brought home both Verret and Bernard when he grounded into a fielder's choice at short. After Wriborg advanced to second on a passed ball, Beau Louviere drew a walk. Wriborg and Louviere pulled off a double steal to put both runners in scoring position with 2 out. Kameron Aucoin singled to left and both runs scored on the play, making the score 6-1 at the end of the third.

The Cajuns were able to tack on another run in the top of the fourth to make the score 7-1, but their bats really exploded again in the top of the sixth. Kamran Richard led off the inning with a double to deep left, and Wyatt Verret followed with a single to center, putting runners at the corners. Jacob Bernard singled to right, bringing home Richard to stretch the lead to 8-1. Austyn Benoit followed with a sac fly to make the score 9-1 and Hunter Wriborg put down a bunt that allowed Bernard to come home and extend the Cajun lead to 10-1 after the top of the sixth.

Hoosier North was able to get one back in the bottom of the sixth, when Thomas Thurston singled, stole second, and came home on a passed ball, making the score 10-2 in favor of Crowley. Crowley responded immediately in the top of the seventh, as Christian Stafford reach on an error to start the inning and came home to score on Wyatt Verrett's triple to left, stretching the lead to 11-2. Verrett then scored on a passed ball and that gave Crowley the final run of the game at 12-2.

Crowley will next take the field tomorrow at 5:00 PM. Hoosier North is eliminated from the competition.