

Under 16's AYC's 2022 Playoff – NSW Country v ACT

New South Wales Country Can't Catch Up To Australian Capital Territory

New South Wales Country fell behind early and couldn't come back in a 3-2 loss to Australian Capital Territory on Thursday. Australian Capital Territory scored on an error, a single by Oscar Shellshear, and a walk by Ashley Patton in the first inning.

The pitching was strong on both sides. Australian Capital Territory pitchers struck out four, while New South Wales Country sat down eight.

Australian Capital Territory got things started in the first inning when an error scored one run for Australian Capital Territory.

Samuel Orford got the win for Australian Capital Territory. The righty allowed seven hits and two runs over six innings, striking out three. Lincoln Gruppelaar threw one inning in relief out of the bullpen.

Damien Wilson took the loss for New South Wales Country. The pitcher went six innings, allowing three runs on five hits and striking out seven.

New South Wales Country tallied one home run on the day. Jonah Beath put one out in the first inning.

New South Wales Country saw the ball well today, racking up eight hits in the game. Riley Cooper and Lachlan Vella each had multiple hits for New South Wales Country. Vella and Cooper each collected two hits to lead New South Wales Country.

Gruppelaar went 2-for-4 at the plate to lead Australian Capital Territory in hits.