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KIILSGAARD'S TWO-OUT, TWO-STRIKE, TWO-RUN SINGLE IN NINTH GIVES STANFORD 14-13 WIN

Kiilsgaard's heroics cap Stanford's four-run, ninth inning rally in stunning victory over Pacific

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Pacific (18-29)	0	2	2	1	3	0	3	2	0	13	17	2
Stanford (27-21)	2	1	3	1	3	0	0	0	4	14	14	1

WIN - Thompson (2-0). **LOSS** – Carnevale (2-6). **Save** - None.

Pacific: Holscher, Akins (3), Berolzheimer (6), Niley (8), McCain (8), Carnevale (9) and Wideman. **Stanford:** Snodgress, Walker (3), Pracher (5), Schwartz (7), Fearnow (8), Thompson (9) and Jones.

E - Wideman(4); Gorang(8); Walsh(4). **DP** - Stanford 1. **LOB** - Pacific 6; Stanford 9. **2B** - Wideman(22); Walker(11); Riley(1); Whitlow(2); Gaylord(9). **3B** - Christopher(1); August(1); Whitlow(1). **HR** - Wideman(5); Gorang(3). **SF** - Wideman(2); Gerhart(5); Schlander(4). **SB** - Longmire(6); Brown(2); Gerhart(6); Jones(18). **Reached on CI** - Gerhart. **WP** - Akins 2(5). **CI** – Wideman.

TIME: 3:33 **ATTN:** 1,191

STANFORD, Calif. – **Kellen Kiilsgaard's** dramatic two-run single on a 2-2 pitch with the bases loaded and two outs in the ninth inning gave host Stanford (27-21) a 14-13 victory over Pacific (18-29) in a non-conference game at Klein Field at Sunken Diamond. The Cardinal trailed 13-10 entering the ninth, but scored four runs for its third walk-off victory of the year.

Stanford has now won a season-best four straight games, seven of its last nine contests, 12 of its last 17 outings and is 23-11 since March 25. The Cardinal is a season-high six games over .500 at 27-21.

Kiilsgaard's heroics capped a thrilling comeback and a sensational at-bat. The Cardinal right fielder came to the plate with Stanford trailing 13-12 and the bases loaded. Kiilsgaard fell behind 1-2, worked the count even, and lined a sharp single into the left-center field gap to score pinch runners **David Giuliani** and **Wande Olabisi** with the tying and winning runs, respectively. Tonight's dramatic hit came less than 24 hours after Kiilsgaard delivered the game-winning, RBI-single in the 13th inning of a 6-5 victory Tuesday at San Jose State.

Stanford's winning rally featured a bevy of terrific plate appearances by Cardinal hitters against Pacific reliever Hunter Carnevale (2-6). **Jeff Whitlow** drew a leadoff walk to complete a night in which he also went 2-for-4 with three runs scored, a double, a triple and an RBI. **Zach Jones** – who tied his career high for hits during a 3-for-4, two-run, two-RBI effort – also drew a walk. After pinch-hitter **Jonathan Kaskow** flew out to left on a full-count pitch, **Ben Clowe** came off the bench to deliver a pinch-hit, RBI-single to bring Stanford within two at 13-11. **Colin Walsh** then loaded the bases by drawing a walk at the conclusion of an epic, 12-pitch at-bat that featured six consecutive foul balls after the count ran full. **Joey August** brought home the Cardinal's second run of the inning on an RBI-groundout, and **Toby Gerhart** walked to load the bases once more and bring Kiilsgaard to the plate.

Walsh ran his streak of reaching base safely to 31 consecutive games in grand style tonight, going 3-for-4 with two walks, two runs scored and an RBI. **Jake Schlander** also drove in a pair of runs on a sacrifice fly and an RBI-single, all coming during the first five innings as Stanford took a 10-8 lead. In fact, the Cardinal held leads of 2-0 after the first, 3-2 after two, 6-4 after three and 10-8 all the way into the seventh.

Pacific, which rallied for most of the early part of the night, scored five runs in the seventh and eighth to take its 13-10 lead. Kurt Wideman, who finished 4-for-4 with a double, home run, sacrifice fly and five RBI, got the Tigers'

three-run, seventh-inning rally going with a solo homer. Ben Gorang – who had earlier homered himself – put Pacific ahead with a two-out, RBI-single.

Not to be lost in the slugfest was winning pitcher **Kyle Thompson** (2-0). The junior right-hander pitched just one inning, but he retired Pacific in order in the top of the ninth to set the stage for Stanford's comeback.

Stanford will resume Pac-10 play this weekend, traveling to USC for a three-game series. Friday night's first pitch from Dedeaux Field is set for 6:30 p.m. PT.

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Pacific 13 (18-29)

Player	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	so	po	a	lob
Longmire, Nick lf	5	0	1	0	1	2	2	1	1
Simms, Josh cf	5	1	1	0	0	0	3	0	0
Brown, J.B. 2b	4	2	1	0	1	0	4	1	0
Centanni, Joey 1b	4	3	2	0	1	0	6	1	1
Wideman, Kurt c	4	3	4	5	0	0	7	0	0
Walker, Mike 3b	5	1	3	2	0	0	0	5	1
Riley, Allen dh	5	1	2	2	0	2	0	0	1
Christopher, Brett rf	5	1	1	1	0	1	3	0	0
Gorang, Ben ss	5	1	2	2	0	0	0	2	2
Holscher, Larry p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Akins, Cole p	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Berolzheimer, Thomas p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Niley, Jamie p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
McCain, Mark p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carnevale, Hunter p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	42	13	17	12	3	5	26	10	6

Stanford 14 (27-21)

Player	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	so	po	a	lob
Walsh, Colin 2b	4	2	3	1	2	0	1	7	1
Olabisi, Wande pr	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
August, Joey cf	6	1	2	2	0	2	3	0	0
Gerhart, Toby lf	2	1	0	2	2	1	2	0	0
Kiilsgaard, Kellen rf	4	1	1	2	2	1	0	0	0
Milleville, Brent 1b	5	0	0	0	0	3	13	0	4
Inman, Jeffrey dh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Whitlow, Jeff ph/dh	4	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
Jones, Zach c	4	2	3	2	1	0	6	0	0
Gaylord, Adam 3b	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	3	1
Kaskow, Jonathan ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schlender, Jake ss	3	1	1	2	0	0	2	2	1
Clowe, Ben ph	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Giuliani, David pr	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Snodgress, Scott p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walker, Brandt p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pracher, Alex p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Schwartz, Carey p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fearnow, Max p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Thompson, Kyle p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	14	14	14	8	7	27	14	9

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Pacific	0	2	2	1	3	0	3	2	0	13	17	2
Stanford	2	1	3	1	3	0	0	0	4	14	14	1

Note: 2 outs, 2 runners LOB when the game ended.

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Pacific	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	ab	bf
Holscher, Larry	2.2	5	6	2	1	2	12	16
Akins, Cole	2.1	6	4	4	1	2	12	13
Berolzheimer, Thomas	2.0	1	0	0	0	1	7	7
Niley, Jamie	0.2	0	0	0	2	2	2	4
McCain, Mark	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Carnevale, Hunter	0.2	2	4	4	4	0	4	8

Stanford	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	ab	bf
Snodgress, Scott	2.0	2	2	1	1	1	8	9
Walker, Brandt	2.1	6	6	6	2	3	13	15
Pracher, Alex	2.0	5	3	3	0	0	10	10
Schwartz, Carey	1.0	3	2	2	0	0	6	6
Fearnow, Max	0.2	1	0	0	0	0	2	3
Thompson, Kyle	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	3	3

Win - Thompson (2-0). Loss - Carnevale, H (2-6). Save - None.

WP - Akins, C. 2(5). CI - Wideman, K..

Umpires - HP: Mark Beller 1B: Greg Schmitz 3B: Billy Haze

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Pacific starters: 15/lf Longmire, N.; 4/cf Simms, J.; 7/2b Brown, J.B.; 23/1b Centanni, J.; 9/c Wideman, K.; 3/3b Walker, M.; 16/dh Riley, A.; 11/rf Christopher; 2/ss Gorang, B.; 19/p Holscher, L.;
Stanford starters: 13/2b Walsh; 7/cf August; 24/lf Gerhart; 21/rf Kiilsgaard; 25/1b Milleville; 20/dh Inman; 5/c Jones; 2/3b Gaylord; 6/ss Schlandler; 36/p Snodgrass;

Pacific 1st - Longmire, N. walked. Simms, J. flied out to cf. Longmire, N. stole second. Brown, J.B. grounded out to 2b; Longmire, N. advanced to third. Centanni, J. grounded out to 3b. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Stanford 1st - Walsh singled to right field. August tripled to right center, RBI; Walsh scored. Gerhart flied out to cf, SAC, RBI; August scored. Kiilsgaard grounded out to ss. Milleville struck out looking. 2 runs, 2 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Pacific 2nd - Wideman, K. singled to shortstop. Walker, M. grounded out to 2b; Wideman, K. advanced to second. Riley, A. struck out swinging. Christopher tripled to right center, scored on an error by 2b, RBI, unearned; Wideman, K. scored. Gorang, B. grounded out to 2b. 2 runs, 2 hits, 1 error, 0 LOB.

Stanford 2nd - Whitlow pinch hit for Inman. Whitlow tripled to center field. Jones reached on an error by ss. Gaylord popped up to 2b. Schlandler flied out to rf, SAC, RBI; Whitlow scored, unearned. Jones stole second. Walsh flied out to lf. 1 run, 1 hit, 1 error, 1 LOB.

Pacific 3rd - Walker to p for Snodgrass. Longmire, N. grounded out to 2b. Simms, J. grounded out to 2b. Brown, J.B. walked. Brown, J.B. stole second. Centanni, J. walked. Wideman, K. doubled down the rf line, 2 RBI; Centanni, J. scored; Brown, J.B. scored. Walker, M. grounded out to 1b unassisted. 2 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Stanford 3rd - August grounded out to 3b. Gerhart reached on catcher's interference. Kiilsgaard walked; Gerhart advanced to second. Milleville struck out swinging. Whitlow to dh. Whitlow doubled to left center, RBI; Kiilsgaard advanced to third; Gerhart scored, unearned. Jones singled up the middle, 2 RBI; Whitlow scored, unearned; Kiilsgaard scored, unearned. Akins, C. to p for Holscher, L.. Gaylord flied out to cf. 3 runs, 2 hits, 1 error, 1 LOB.

Pacific 4th - Riley, A. struck out swinging. Christopher struck out looking. Gorang, B. homered to left field, RBI. Longmire, N. struck out looking. 1 run, 1 hit, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Stanford 4th - Schlandler out at first 1b to p. Walsh singled to right center. August singled up the middle; Walsh advanced to second. Walsh advanced to third on a wild pitch. Gerhart reached on a fielder's choice, RBI; August out at second 3b to 2b; Walsh scored. Gerhart stole second. Kiilsgaard walked. Kiilsgaard advanced to second on a wild pitch; Gerhart advanced to third. Milleville struck out swinging. 1 run, 2 hits, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

Pacific 5th - Simms, J. singled through the left side. Brown, J.B. lined out to ss. Centanni, J. singled to center field; Simms, J. advanced to second. Wideman, K. singled through the left side, RBI; Centanni, J. advanced to second; Simms, J. scored. Walker, M.

singled through the right side, RBI; Wideman, K. advanced to second; Centanni, J. scored. Pracher to p for Walker. Riley, A. singled through the right side, RBI; Walker, M. advanced to third; Wideman, K. scored. Christopher reached on a fielder's choice, bunt; Riley, A. advanced to second; Walker, M. out at home p to c. Gorang, B. grounded out to p, bunt. 3 runs, 5 hits, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

Stanford 5th - Whitlow grounded out to 3b. Jones singled to right field. Gaylord doubled to left center, RBI; Jones scored. Schlandler singled to left center, advanced to second, RBI; Gaylord scored. Walsh singled through the left side, out at second lf to 3b to 2b, RBI; Schlandler scored. August struck out swinging. 3 runs, 4 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Pacific 6th - Longmire, N. singled to third base. Simms, J. flied out to cf. Brown, J.B. grounded into double play 3b to 2b to 1b; Longmire, N. out on the play. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Stanford 6th - Berolzheimer to p for Akins, C.. Gerhart struck out swinging. Kiilsgaard grounded out to 2b. Milleville grounded out to ss. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Pacific 7th - Centanni, J. flied out to lf. Wideman, K. homered to left field, RBI. Walker, M. singled to left field. Riley, A. doubled down the rf line, RBI; Walker, M. scored. Schwartz, C. to p for Pracher. Christopher grounded out to ss; Riley, A. advanced to third. Gorang, B. singled to right center, RBI; Riley, A. scored. Longmire, N. flied out to lf. 3 runs, 4 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Stanford 7th - Whitlow flied out to rf. Jones singled up the middle. Gaylord flied out to rf. Schlandler out at first 3b to 2b. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Pacific 8th - Simms, J. grounded out to ss. Brown, J.B. singled through the left side. Centanni, J. singled to left center; Brown, J.B. advanced to third. Fearnow to p for Schwartz, C.. Wideman, K. flied out to cf, SAC, RBI; Brown, J.B. scored. Walker, M. doubled to right center, RBI; Centanni, J. scored. Riley, A. popped up to ss. 2 runs, 3 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Stanford 8th - Niley, J. to p for Berolzheimer. Walsh walked. August struck out swinging. Gerhart walked; Walsh advanced to second. Kiilsgaard struck out looking. McCain, M. to p for Niley, J.. Milleville flied out to cf. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

Pacific 9th - Thompson to p for Fearnow. Christopher grounded out to 2b. Gorang, B. grounded out to 3b. Longmire, N. struck out swinging. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Stanford 9th - Carnevale, H to p for McCain, M.. Whitlow walked. Jones walked; Whitlow advanced to second. Kaskow pinch hit for Gaylord. Kaskow flied out to lf. Clowe pinch hit for Schlandler. Clowe singled through the left side, RBI; Jones advanced to second; Whitlow scored. Giuliani pinch ran for Clowe. Walsh walked; Giuliani advanced to second; Jones advanced to third. Olabisi pinch ran for Walsh. August grounded out to 1b unassisted, RBI; Olabisi advanced to second; Giuliani advanced to third; Jones scored. Gerhart walked. Kiilsgaard singled to left center, 2 RBI; Gerhart advanced to second; Olabisi scored; Giuliani scored. 4 runs, 2

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