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**WALSH'S CLUTCH HIT, FEARNOW'S PITCHING LEAD STANFORD TO 12-4 WIN OVER SAN FRANCISCO**  
**Walsh delivers go-ahead, two-run double in the seventh; Fearnow tosses 3.0-hitless, scoreless innings**

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
<b>San Francisco (22-23)</b>	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	4	7	6
<b>Stanford (19-18)</b>	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	7	x	12	12	3

**WIN** - Fearnow (3-3). **LOSS** - Burns (0-2). **SAVE** - None.

**San Francisco:** Love, Luippold (3), Burns (6), Kalogrides (7), Abramson (8), Mott (8) and Lipkin and Morioka (8). **Stanford:** Sandbrink, Walker (2), Pracher (3), Marshall (4), Reed (5), Schwartz (5), Fearnow (6), Storen (9) and Jones.

**E** - Poppert 2(19); Abel 3(11); Braunecker (5); Jones(4); Gaylord(6); Fearnow(3). **DP** – San Francisco 2; Stanford 2. **LOB** – San Francisco 3; Stanford 6. **2B** - Walsh(8); Gaylord 2(5); Schlander(7). **3B** - Balog(1). **HR** - Abel(4). **SB** - Yarrow(2). **CS** - Ethel 2(3); Kiilsgaard(2). **WP** - Fearnow(4). **PB** - Jones(4).

**TIME:** 2:55 **ATTN:** 1,176

**STANFORD, Calif.** – Second baseman **Colin Walsh** gave Stanford a 5-4 lead with a two-out, two-run double in the seventh, and senior right-hander **Max Fearnow** pitched 3.0 innings of hitless, scoreless relief as the Cardinal (19-18) defeated visiting San Francisco (23-22) 12-4 tonight at Klein Field at Sunken Diamond. **Adam Gaylord** doubled twice and set his career high with four RBI as Stanford won its eighth consecutive non-conference game.

Although the Cardinal broke the contest open with seven runs in the eighth, the game-changing hit came from Walsh an inning earlier. With Stanford trailing 4-3 in the seventh with two outs and runners at first and second, Walsh worked the count to 2-0 before drilling an opposite field double to the left-center field gap to score both runners and give the Cardinal a 5-4 lead. **Ben Clowe** started the rally with a one-out single off San Francisco reliever Sean Burns (0-2), and **Jake Schlander** kept the inning alive by drawing a two-out walk. The Dons then turned to right-hander Alex Kalogrides, but Walsh greeted him with the go-ahead double.

Stanford turned what was a one-run game into a rout during a seven-run eighth inning that was fueled by four San Francisco errors and a bloop single that landed between a trio of Dons fielders. Five of the Cardinal runs were unearned in the frame, as the USF shortstop and second baseman each committed a pair of errors. Gaylord dealt the decisive blow with a three-run, bases clearing double down the left field line. **Toby Gerhart** had two singles in the inning, and **Kellen Kiilsgaard** scored a run when he somehow eluded the catcher's tag after a throw to the plate had him beat by four steps.

The Cardinal erased its first one-run deficit of the game in the second inning, after San Francisco scored in the top half for a 1-0 lead. In a harbinger of its seventh-inning rally, Stanford used some two-out magic. Clowe drew a walk to keep the inning going after the first two batters had been retired, then Gaylord and Schlander followed with consecutive, opposite field, RBI-doubles to put Stanford on top, 2-1.

San Francisco took its 4-3 lead in the fifth, when Robert Abel connected for a three-run home run that erased what had been a 3-1 Cardinal lead. The Dons held that one-run lead until the seventh, when Walsh and Stanford went to work.

Walsh's heroics would not have been possible, however, without the excellent relief work of Fearnow (3-3). The senior right-hander came on to begin the sixth inning and held the Dons hitless over 3.0-shutout innings. Fearnow walked one and struck out two, while he improved to 3-1 with a 2.28 ERA (6er, 23.2ip) in 11 appearances since moving to the Stanford bullpen.

Stanford will wrap up its season-long, seven-game homestand this Wednesday, April 29, when the Cardinal hosts Sacramento State. First pitch from Klein Field at Sunken Diamond is set for 5:00 p.m. PT.

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San Francisco 4 (22-23)

Stanford 12 (19-18)

Player	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	so	po	a	lob
KIM, Zach lf	4	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	1
ETHEL, Bobby cf	3	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
POPPERT, Derek ss	4	0	1	0	0	1	3	5	0
YARROW, Stephen 1b	3	1	1	0	1	1	8	2	0
LIPKIN, Ryan c	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
MORIOKA, Mason c	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
JOHNSON, Drew rf	3	1	1	0	0	0	3	0	1
HIGGS, Travis ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BALOG, Nik dh	3	1	2	1	0	1	0	0	0
BERNATZ, Connor ph	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
ABEL, Robert 2b	3	1	1	3	0	0	2	4	1
BRAUNECKER, Dane 3b	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
LOVE, Cameron p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LUIPPOLD, Garrett p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
BURNS, Sean p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
KALOGRIDES, Alex p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ABRAMSON, Jonathan p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MOTT, Bob p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>3</b>

Player	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	so	po	a	lob
Walsh, Colin 2b	5	0	3	2	0	0	2	3	1
August, Joey cf	5	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1
Gerhart, Toby lf	5	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	0
Kiilsgaard, Kellen rf	4	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	1
Milleville, Brent 1b	5	2	1	0	0	1	12	0	0
Jones, Zach c	5	1	0	1	0	0	6	2	3
Inman, Jeffrey dh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clowe, Ben ph/dh	3	3	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Gaylord, Adam 3b	4	2	2	4	0	1	0	2	0
Schlender, Jake ss	3	1	1	1	1	1	3	5	0
Sandbrink, Danny 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	0	0
Marshall, Michael p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Reed, Chris p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schwartz, Carey p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fearnow, Max p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Storen, Drew p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>6</b>

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
San Francisco	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	4	7	6
Stanford	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	7	X	12	12	3

E - POPPERT 2(19); ABEL 3(11); BRAUNECKER(5); Jones(4); Gaylord(6); Fearnow(3). DP - USF 2; Stanford 2. LOB - USF 3; Stanford 6. 2B - Walsh(8); Gaylord 2(5); Schlender(7). 3B - BALOG(1). HR - ABEL(4). SB - YARROW(2). CS - ETHEL 2(3); Kiilsgaard(2).

San Francisco	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	ab	bf
LOVE, Cameron	2.1	3	2	2	1	0	11	12
LUIPPOLD, Garrett	3.1	2	1	0	0	0	10	10
BURNS, Sean	1.0	1	2	2	1	2	4	5
KALOGRIDES, Alex	0.1	1	0	0	0	0	2	2
ABRAMSON, Jonathan	0.0	3	6	2	0	0	6	6
MOTT, Bob	1.0	2	1	0	1	1	6	7

Stanford	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	ab	bf
Sandbrink, Danny	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	3	3
Walker, Brandt	1.0	2	1	1	0	0	5	5
Pracher, Alex	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
Marshall, Michael	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	3	3
Reed, Chris	0.0	2	2	2	0	0	2	2
Schwartz, Carey	1.0	1	1	1	1	1	3	4
Fearnow, Max	3.0	0	0	0	1	2	10	11
Storen, Drew	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	3	3

Win - Fearnow (3-3). Loss - BURNS (0-2). Save - None.  
WP - Fearnow(4). PB - Jones(4).

Umpires - HP: Ted Kovach 1B: Sid Aguilar 3B: John Kinard  
Start: 5:04pm Time: 2:55 Attendance: 1176  
Reed faced 2 batters in the 5th.  
ABRAMSON faced 6 batters in the 8th.

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San Francisco starters: 2/lf KIM; 7/cf ETHEL; 9/ss POPPERT; 12/1b YARROW; 4/c LIPKIN; 25/rf JOHNSON; 45/dh BALOG; 6/2b ABEL; 26/3b BRAUNECKER; 11/p LOVE;

Stanford starters: 13/2b Walsh; 7/cf August; 24/lf Gerhart; 21/rf Kiilsgaard; 25/1b Milleville; 5/c Jones; 20/dh Inman; 2/3b Gaylord; 6/ss Schlander; 28/p Sandbrink;

San Francisco 1st - KIM flied out to lf. ETHEL singled to second base. ETHEL out at second c to ss, caught stealing. POPPERT struck out swinging. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Stanford 1st - Walsh flied out to lf. August singled to shortstop. Gerhart flied out to rf. Kiilsgaard grounded out to 1b unassisted. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

San Francisco 2nd - Walker to p for Sandbrink. YARROW singled to second base. LIPKIN popped up to 2b. YARROW stole second, advanced to third on an error by c. JOHNSON grounded out to ss. BALOG tripled to right center, RBI; YARROW scored. ABEL flied out to rf. 1 run, 2 hits, 1 error, 1 LOB.

Stanford 2nd - Milleville flied out to rf. Jones grounded out to ss. Clowe pinch hit for Inman. Clowe walked. Gaylord doubled to right center, RBI; Clowe scored. Schlander doubled to right center, RBI; Gaylord scored. Walsh grounded out to 1b unassisted. 2 runs, 2 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

San Francisco 3rd - Pracher to p for Walker. BRAUNECKER grounded out to 3b. KIM grounded out to ss. ETHEL grounded out to 2b. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Stanford 3rd - August popped up to 3b. Gerhart reached on an error by 3b. LUIPPOLD to p for LOVE. Kiilsgaard reached on a fielder's choice; Gerhart out at second 1b to ss. Kiilsgaard out at second p to 1b to ss, caught stealing. 0 runs, 0 hits, 1 error, 0 LOB.

San Francisco 4th - Marshall to p for Pracher. POPPERT singled up the middle. YARROW struck out swinging. LIPKIN grounded into double play p to ss to 1b; POPPERT out on the play. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Stanford 4th - Milleville singled through the left side. Jones reached on an error by 2b; Milleville advanced to third. Clowe to dh. Clowe grounded into double play ss to 2b to 1b; Jones out on the play; Milleville scored, unearned. Gaylord flied out to lf. 1 run, 1 hit, 1 error, 0 LOB.

San Francisco 5th - Reed to p for Marshall. JOHNSON singled to center field. BALOG singled to center field; JOHNSON advanced to second. Schwartz, C. to p for Reed. ABEL homered down the lf line, 3 RBI; BALOG scored; JOHNSON scored. BRAUNECKER grounded out to 3b. KIM struck out swinging. ETHEL walked. ETHEL out at second c to 2b, caught stealing. 3 runs, 3 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Stanford 5th - Schlander grounded out to ss. Walsh singled to second base. August grounded into double play 2b to ss to 1b; Walsh out on the play. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

San Francisco 6th - Fearnow to p for Schwartz, C.. POPPERT grounded out to p. YARROW walked. YARROW advanced to second on a passed

ball. LIPKIN flied out to rf. YARROW advanced to third on a wild pitch. JOHNSON fouled out to 1b. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Stanford 6th - Gerhart flied out to rf. Kiilsgaard grounded out to 2b. BURNS to p for LUIPPOLD. Milleville struck out looking. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

San Francisco 7th - BALOG struck out swinging. ABEL grounded out to ss. BRAUNECKER reached on an error by p. KIM struck out swinging. 0 runs, 0 hits, 1 error, 1 LOB.

Stanford 7th - Jones flied out to lf. Clowe singled up the middle. Gaylord struck out swinging. Schlander walked; Clowe advanced to second. KALOGRIDES to p for BURNS. Walsh doubled to left center, 2 RBI; Schlander scored; Clowe scored. August grounded out to 2b. 2 runs, 2 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

San Francisco 8th - ETHEL grounded out to 2b. POPPERT flied out to lf. YARROW grounded out to 2b. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Stanford 8th - ABRAMSON to p for KALOGRIDES. Gerhart singled, advanced to second on an error by 2b. Kiilsgaard reached on an error by 2b; Gerhart scored, unearned. Milleville reached on an error by ss; Kiilsgaard advanced to third. Jones reached on a fielder's choice, RBI; Milleville advanced to second; Kiilsgaard scored, unearned. Clowe singled to center field; Jones advanced to second; Milleville advanced to third. Gaylord doubled down the lf line, 3 RBI; Clowe scored; Jones scored; Milleville scored, unearned. MOTT to p for ABRAMSON. Schlander struck out looking. MORIOKA to c for LIPKIN. Walsh singled to right field; Gaylord advanced to third. August reached on a fielder's choice, RBI; Walsh out at second ss to 2b; Gaylord scored, unearned. Gerhart singled through the left side; August advanced to second. Kiilsgaard walked; Gerhart advanced to second; August advanced to third. Milleville reached on an error by ss; Kiilsgaard advanced to second; Gerhart advanced to third; August scored, unearned. Jones fouled out to c. 7 runs, 5 hits, 4 errors, 3 LOB.

San Francisco 9th - Storen to p for Fearnow. MORIOKA reached on an error by 3b. HIGGS pinch hit for JOHNSON. HIGGS grounded into double play p to ss to 1b; MORIOKA out on the play. BERNATZ pinch hit for BALOG. BERNATZ struck out swinging. 0 runs, 0 hits, 1 error, 0 LOB.