

2018 POSTGAME NOTES

NO. 21 MISSISSIPPI STATE 5, UTAH VALLEY 3 MARCH 11, 2018 DUDY NOBLE FIELD (STARKVILLE, MISS.)

TEAM NOTES

- Mississippi State closed out their first home weekend series with a 5-3 victory; taking the series 2-1 in the rubber game.
- The Bulldogs improved to 10-6 on the season, and 10-3 under Gary Henderson.
- State earned its fifth comeback win of the season.
- In all 10 of its wins, MSU has allowed less than four runs.
- The Diamond Dawg pitching staff threw 35 strikeouts this weekend against Utah Valley.
- Tanner Allen (7), Hunter Stovall (6) and Rowdey Jordan (3) all collected multi-hit performances.
- Attendance: 4,727

PLAYER NOTES

- **Jacob Billingsley** earned his second quality start and improved to 2-0 on the season with a 5.0-inning, four strikeout performace.
- **Tanner Allen** hit his third double of the series in the third, scoring Stovall and tying the game. Allen now leads the team with four two-baggers in 2018.
- **Rowdey Jordan** collected his third multi-RBI outing of the season with a three-run home run, his second home run of the season, in the bottom of the fourth.
- **Jake Mangum's** seventh inning diving catch in deep center field held the score at 5-3 as it ended the inning and avoided an extra-base hit with a man on.
- **Mangum** also stole a base for the seventh time this season.
- Luke Alexander extended his reached base streak to six games.