

Bats Blistered as New South Wales Defeats Victoria, 12-6 Both New South Wales and Victoria had their offences going on Saturday, but New South Wales eventually prevailed 12-6.

New South Wales secured the victory thanks to seven runs in the fourth inning. Luke Donaghey, Darcy Williams, and Liam Grant each had RBIs in the frame. New South Wales got on the board in the first inning when Williams tripled on a 1-1 count, scoring one run.

After Victoria scored one run in the top of the sixth, New South Wales answered with one of their own. Victoria scored when Jayden Kim grounded out, scoring one run. New South Wales then answered when Max Miotto singled on the first pitch of the at-bat, scoring one run.

New South Wales pulled away for good with two runs in the third inning. In the third Josh Nati homered on a 1-1 count, scoring two runs.

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Alasdair Ballantyne led New South Wales to victory on the mound. Ballantyne surrendered three runs on two hits over two and a third innings, striking out four. Matt Harris and Ben Karakasis entered the game out of the bullpen and helped to close out the game in relief.

Liam Bald took the loss for Victoria. The pitcher surrendered nine runs on eight hits over three innings, striking out one.

New South Wales tallied one home run on the day. Nati put one out in the third inning. New South Wales totalled 11 hits. Williams, Miotto, and Donaghey all collected multiple hits for New South Wales. Williams led New South Wales with three hits in four at-bats.

Jack Ratcliffe went 3-for-3 at the plate to lead Victoria in hits.