



The

Salmon Spectator

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Salmon Finish 2021 Season in Milwaukee

The Salmon closed out their 2021 season with a spirited match against the Milwaukee Grays at the scenic Estabrook Beer Garden in Milwaukee, WI. Things got off to a lively start with both clubs introducing themselves to Beer Garden patrons with the accompaniment of a polka band, on site for Estabrook's Oktoberfest celebration. The polka music continued to waft into the neighboring field and lent a jovial atmosphere to most of the match.

The Salmon tallied one ace in the first inning and managed to keep the Grays from scoring thanks to solid defense, including an exciting diving catch by Sketch in left field in the second, and Barber snagging a foul tip as catcher. The Grays managed to come back in the third, though, thanks to several deep hits that nearly went out of play.

The Salmon managed to hold the Grays in the fourth, but solid hitting had them take an even bigger lead in the fifth, and continue to tally aces for the rest of the match. The Grays certainly had a knack for hitting the ball exactly where the Salmon weren't, and unfortunately the Salmon had a knack for just the opposite. Flapjack made the last Grays out as catcher by snagging a foul tip in the eighth. The Salmon took to their bats for the ninth, but were not able to catch their opponents. All remained in good spirits, though, and after the match both clubs met as friends for sandwiches and socialization, and of course some conciliatory beverages from the Beer Garden.



Salmon	2	Final
Grays	13	

Up To Bat... 2022!



The 2021 Salmon season has now concluded. The Salmon would like to thank all of their excellent opponents, spectators, friends, and families for a corker of a season. Stay tuned in the off season to chicagosalmon.org, Facebook, and Instagram for Salmon news and events, and keep an eye on your email. You might even notice a few special editions of the *Spectator*! The Salmon look forward to meeting many of our former opponents, and maybe some new ones, on the field, and of course off the field for feasting and revelry in 2022. Hip, Hip, Hurrah!



Meet Your Salmon!

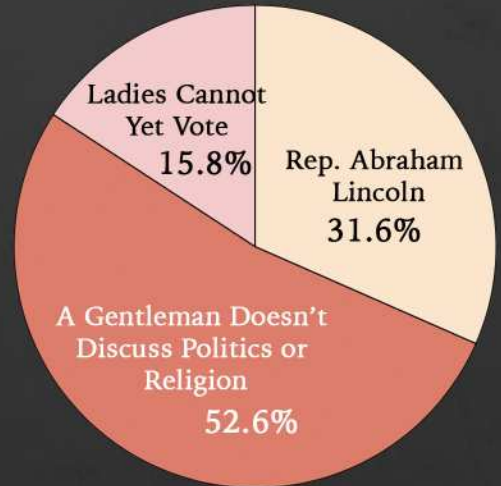
Four Eyes



One of the longest serving Salmon, Ted “Four Eyes” Kuhn joined the club as a teenager back in 2003. His favorite position to play is catcher, though you’ll often spot him standing on first, given his uncanny ability to get on base every time he swings a bat! His nickname was bestowed upon him by fellow ballist, Doc for fairly obvious reasons. Always the realist, in 1858 he would’ve been a farmer, as he puts it: “the majority of people were farmers back then.”

Salmon Survey

Who do you plan to vote for in the upcoming Senate election?



Sen. Stephen A. Douglas 0%

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