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Futures another bright spot for USA Softball at the KFC World Cup of Softball

OKLAHOMA CITY — When Jennie Finch (La Mirada, Calif.) announced she was retiring from the Women's National Team following the 2010 KFC World Cup of Softball, July 22-26, in Oklahoma City, many questioned the future for the USA Softball program. Friday afternoon at the Amateur Softball Association (ASA) Hall of Fame Stadium, a group of mostly inexperienced international athletes gave fans the answer. The future is in good hands.

The USA Softball Women's Futures National Team topped ISF World Bronze Medalists from Canada, 5-4, for their first win of the season, shortly before the USA Softball Women's National Team topped 2008 Olympic Champion Japan 5-0. In the nightcap, Japan topped Canada 1-0 in eight innings, the first extra inning game of the World Cup.

"Getting our first win felt great," said Futures starting pitcher Angela Tincher (Eagle Rock, Va.). "It's very exciting to just be here at the World Cup and a part of this team. We have great offense and great defense and it's fun to pitch in a situation like that. We are taking steps everyday to get better and that's our goal for the week."

The Futures have only played three other games together, falling twice to Team USA in exhibitions and once on the World Cup opening night to Japan. On Saturday, they play Team USA at 11 a.m., a game aired on a two-hour tape delay by ESPN, and also face Canada at 9 p.m.

Tincher earned the win, allowing eight hits while striking out six in six innings, with newcomer Jessica Purcell-Fitu (Walnut, Calif.) tying the game in the sixth with a two-RBI single. A throwing error in the sixth from two-time USA Softball Collegiate Player of the Year Danielle Lawrie, the third of four pitchers used for Canada, allowed the winning run to cross the plate for the Futures.

"I think it's a terrific win for the Futures and for USA Softball," said Head Coach Kate Drohan (Evanston, Ill.). "We made some key plays down the stretch. We started playing like we know how. We really understood how to grab the momentum and come away with a win."

There were four lead changes with Canada rotating through its pitching staff in an attempt to stop the Futures bats, responsible for nine hits. The defense was also there for Futures. In the fifth, Brittany Lastrapes (Laguna Niguel, Calif.), Molly Johnson (Tucson, Ariz.) and Valerie Arioto (Pleasanton, Calif.) turned a double play to end the inning.

"There were some key defensive plays for sure," she said. "As we got a rally going, we had people who extended the rally with a key walk, by putting the ball in play and putting pressure on with our speed. Then someone comes up with a big hit to score two."

Canada struck first in the second inning scoring one run off Tincher. Sheena Lawrick led off with a single, advancing to second off a sac bunt by Jen Salling. A double by Erin Cumpstone plated Lawrick giving Canada a 1-0 lead.

The United States took the lead back in the fourth inning, scoring two runs off Tina Andreana who entered in relief of starter Jenna Caira. With runners on second and third, off walks and a wild pitch, a single Johnson scored Arioto. Jenae Leles (Sacramento, Calif.), who was the second walk of the inning, scored the go ahead run off a single by Katelyn Boyd (Phoenix, Ariz.).

The defense of the Futures had two phenomenal back-to-back innings in the fourth and fifth to keep Canada from crossing home plate. In the fourth, Kaleigh Rafter singled to left field with Lawrick heading for home but a great throw from Lastrapes to catcher Fitu stopped the run from scoring. In the fifth Lastrapes was a part of another great defensive play when the team turned a double play. A diving catch by Lastrapes recorded the first out and she tossed the ball to shortstop Johnson to leave runners stranded.

Canada took back the lead in the top of the sixth off of an RBI single by Lawrick and two-run homerun by Salling but would not hold it for long as the United States scored three runs of their own in what would be the deciding 5-4 score.

With the 4-2 lead, Lawrie came in to pitch in the sixth inning. Fitu unleashed a ball down the middle for a double that scored Raven Chavanne (Thousand Oaks, Calif.) and Arioto. Chavanne had entered as a pinch runner for Leles, who singled with one out. Arioto was hit by a pitch to lead off the inning.

"She did a terrific job behind the plate. She only had three days to get to know how pitchers, learn our game plan and get comfortable. She looked very comfortable," Drohan said of Fitu, the last player added to the Futures roster. "Then for her to come up with a huge at bat, battle it out and get a huge hit with two strikes; that's a big time play for us."

Jordan Taylor (Valencia, Calif.) made her first appearance of the World Cup in the top of the seventh and would be credited with a save. Jillian Russell doubled to left field and with a passed ball was within 60 feet of the tying run. However a groundout and fly out left the runner stranded.

Tincher earned the win, working 6.0 innings with six strikeouts and allowing four earned runs. Lawrie took the loss for Team Canada allowing three earned runs.

"They faced me a lot last week in our Canada exhibition games," Tincher said. "I knew I had to come out sharp and work on my changeup. I tried to give them a different look and make sure I really delivered on my pitches since I know they have seen them recently."

The Women's National Team made it a perfect day for the USA Softball, shutting out Japan 5-0 for the third consecutive time in the team's third match up of the season. Team USA also topped Japan 4-0 in the semi-finals at the Women's World Championship before topping them 7-0 in the Gold Medal Game.

The game had more action than the scoreboard reflected. With bases loaded in the bottom of the seventh, Japan's Naoko Matsumoto hit one to right field. Kaitlin Cochran (Yorba Linda, Calif.) made the catch and launched it to catcher Lauren Lappin (Anaheim, Calif.), just in time to tag Satoko Mabuchi at the plate for a double play.

"I'm just glad I could get it to Lappin in time," Cochran said. "All of the Japanese players are quick, they have great speed, so I knew I just had to throw it home quickly if we wanted to keep them scoreless. It got there just in time for her to make that great tag at home."

It ended a great game not only for the nine-time Women's World Champions but also for Cochran, who homered to right center in the third, her second blast of the World Cup.

"Cochran came up huge with that throw," said winning pitcher Finch, who allowed only four hits in what could be her final seven innings in the circle for the Red, White and Blue. "Awesome way to end it."

Alissa Haber (Newark, Calif.) reached on a fielder's choice in the second, bringing in Cochran, who singled to right field. A fielding error by the catcher Maki Tanigawa also allowed Chelsea Bramlett (Cordova, Tenn.) to score. In the sixth, Natasha Watley (Irvine, Calif.) hit a two-RBI single, bringing in Finch and Andrea Duran (Selma, Calif.) to make it a 5-0 game.

In the night cap at the World Cup, the scoreboard read zeros through seven innings before a bottom of the eighth rally by Japan allowed them a 1-0 victory. Winning pitcher Mika Someya earned her first World Cup victory tossing five innings, allowing just two hits in the game.

Both teams connected offensively throughout the game, but failed to push a run across each leaving ten runners stranded. Canada loaded the bases in the top of the third inning but a Sheena Lawrick flyout ended their hopes of scoring.

Japan threatened in the bottom of the fourth after Satoko Mabuchi reached on a single and advanced to second on a passed ball. Mabuchi went to third on a sacrifice bunt but Japan came up empty handed once again after Kaoru Oyanagi struck out swinging.

With the international tie-breaker rule in effect, Canada advanced runner Caitlin Lever to third but Kaleigh Rafter grounded out to end the inning.

Japan led the eighth with Y. Karino on second base before Canadian pitcher Jenna Caira intentionally walked Eri Yamada. Haruna Sakamoto then made Caira pay with a single to right field that plated Karino for the game winning run.

Lever led all hitters with a 2-for-4 outing while four Japanese batters contributed one hit a piece.

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World Cup of Softball V
Team USA at Japan
Jul 23, 2010 at Oklahoma City, OK (ASA Hall of Fame)

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	R	H	E
Team USA	0	2	1	0	0	2	0	5	8	1
Japan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1

Team USA starters: 29/ss Watley; 26/cf Lowe; 2/lf Mendoza; 9/rf Cochran; 27/p Finch; 28/3b Duran; 36/dp Haber; 17/2b Charters; 4/1b Williams; 37/c Lappin;

Japan starters: 9/lf Kawano; 5/rf Karino, A.; 11/cf Yamada; 25/dp Mabuchi; 6/3b Sakamoto; 22/1b Oyanagi; 29/c Tanigawa; 15/ss Matsumoto; 24/2b Mizoe; 13/p Yamane;

Team USA 1st - Watley singled to pitcher (2-0). Lowe popped into double play ss to 1b (0-1); Watley out on the play. Mendoza grounded out to p (1-1). 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Japan 1st - Kawano grounded out to 1b unassisted (0-0). Karino, A. grounded out to 2b (2-2). Yamada grounded out to p (1-1). 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Team USA 2nd - Cochran singled to right field (2-2). Finch singled down the lf line (1-2); Cochran advanced to second. Bramlett pinch ran for Finch. Duran singled to right field (1-2); Bramlett advanced to second; Cochran advanced to third. Haber reached on a fielder's choice to shortstop, advanced to second on the throw, RBI (2-2); Duran advanced to third; Bramlett advanced to third, scored on a fielding error by c; Cochran scored. Lappin to c for Haber. Haber to dp for Lappin. Charters walked (3-1). Williams flied out to cf. Watley grounded out to 1b unassisted (0-0). Lowe flied out to lf (0-2). 2 runs, 3 hits, 1 error, 3 LOB.

Japan 2nd - Finch to p for Bramlett. Mabuchi grounded out to 2b (2-2). Sakamoto hit by pitch (2-1). Oyanagi struck out swinging (1-2). Tanigawa struck out looking (1-2). 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Team USA 3rd - Mendoza fouled out to 3b (2-2). Cochran homered to right center, RBI (1-0). Finch flied out to lf (3-2). Duran flied out to rf (0-0). 1 run, 1 hit, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Japan 3rd - Matsumoto flied out to lf (3-2). Mizoe grounded out to ss (0-0). Kawano struck out looking (0-2). 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Team USA 4th - Haber to dp for Lappin. Lappin to c for Haber. Haber walked (3-1). Galindo pinch ran for Haber. Charters reached on a fielder's choice to third base (2-2); Galindo out at second 3b to 2b. Williams popped up to 2b (3-1). Watley flied out to cf (1-1). 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Japan 4th - Karino, K. to rf for Karino, A.. Karino, K. struck out swinging (2-2). Yamada struck out swinging (2-2). Mabuchi grounded out to ss (0-1). 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Team USA 5th - Emoto to p for Yamane. Lowe grounded out to p (1-1). Mendoza grounded out to 1b unassisted (1-0). Cochran flied out to cf (0-0). 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Japan 5th - Sakamoto grounded out to 3b (2-1). Oyanagi struck out swinging (2-2). Tanigawa singled to third base (0-1). Matsumoto reached on a fielder's choice to shortstop (1-2); Tanigawa out at second ss to 2b. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Team USA 6th - Finch singled up the middle (3-2). Duran reached on a fielder's choice to pitcher, SAC, bunt (1-0); Finch advanced to

second. Galindo to dp. Galindo flied out to lf (1-2). Charters walked (3-2); Duran advanced to second; Finch advanced to third. Williams flied out to lf (2-2). Watley singled to left field, advanced to second on the throw, 2 RBI (2-1); Charters advanced to third; Duran scored; Finch scored. Lowe grounded out to ss (0-1). 2 runs, 2 hits, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

Japan 6th - Mizoe popped up to ss (1-1). Kawano reached on a fielding error by ss (0-0). Nagayoshi pinch hit for Karino, K.. Nagayoshi reached on a fielder's choice to third base (2-2); Kawano out at second 3b to 2b. Yamada flied out to cf (1-1). 0 runs, 0 hits, 1 error, 1 LOB.

Team USA 7th - Nagayoshi to rf. Mendoza doubled to left center (0-0). Cochran struck out swinging (0-2). Finch flied out to lf (0-2). Hansen pinch hit for Duran. Hansen grounded out to 2b (1-2). 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Japan 7th - Duran to 3b for Hansen. Mabuchi singled through the right side (0-0). Sakamoto singled to right field (1-2); Mabuchi advanced to second. Oyanagi singled to pitcher, bunt (0-0); Sakamoto advanced to second; Mabuchi advanced to third. Tanigawa struck out swinging (0-2). Matsumoto flied into double play cf to c (1-1); Oyanagi advanced to second; Sakamoto advanced to third; Mabuchi out on the play. 0 runs, 3 hits, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

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Team USA 5 (2-0)

Japan 0 (1-1)

Player	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	so	po	a	lob	Player	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	so	po	a	lob
Watley, Natasha ss	4	0	2	2	0	0	1	3	1	Kawano, Misato lf	3	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	0
Lowe, Caitlin cf	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	5	Karino, Ayumi rf	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Mendoza, Jessica lf	4	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	Karino, Kasumi rf	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Cochran, Kaitlin rf	4	2	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	Nagayoshi, Rie ph/rf	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Finch, Jennie p	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	Yamada, Eri cf	3	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	1
Bramlett, Chelsea pr	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Mabuchi, Satoko dp	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Duran, Andrea 3b	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	Sakamoto, Haruna 3b	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0
Hansen, Ashley ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	Oyanagi, Kaoru 1b	3	0	1	0	0	2	7	0	0
Haber, Alissa dp	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	Tanigawa, Maki c	3	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	1
Galindo, Vicky pr/dp	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Matsumoto, Naoko ss	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	3
Charters, Ashley 2b	1	0	0	0	2	0	2	2	0	Mizoe, Kasumi 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0
Williams, Tammy 1b	3	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	Yamane, Sayuri p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Lappin, Lauren c	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	Emoto, Naho p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	29	5	8	4	3	1	21	9	7	Totals	25	0	4	0	0	7	21	6	5

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Team USA	0	2	1	0	0	2	0	5	8	1
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E - Watley; Tanigawa. DP - Team USA 1; Japan 1. LOB - Team USA 7; Japan 5. 2B - Mendoza. HR - Cochran. HBP - Sakamoto. SH - Duran.

Team USA	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	ab	bf	np	Japan	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	ab	bf	np
Finch, Jennie	7.0	4	0	0	0	7	25	26	95	Yamane, Sayuri	4.0	5	3	3	2	0	17	19	69
										Emoto, Naho	3.0	3	2	2	1	1	12	14	47

Win - Finch (1-0). Loss - Yamane (0-1). Save - None.

HBP - by Finch (Sakamoto). Pitches/strikes: Finch 95/68; Yamane 69/40; Emoto 47/31.

Umpires - HP: Bryan Smith 1B: John Orlowski 2B: Brenda Terpstra 3B: Christie Cornwell

Start: 7:07 pm Time: 1:51 Attendance: 4144

Weather: Partly Cloudy, 89, Winds:SSW

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Canada vs Japan
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<u>Score by Innings</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>E</u>
Canada	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	1
Japan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	4	1

Canada starters: 12/lf Matthews; 9/cf Lever; 22/2b Yee; 4/1b Lawrick;
 7/ss Salling; 55/dp Rafter; 18/c Cumpstone; 15/3b Russell; 5/rf
 Lye; 29/p Cairra;

Japan starters: 9/lf Kawano; 5/rf Karino, Y.; 11/cf Yamada; 25/dp
 Mabuchi; 6/3b Sakamoto; 2/c Mine; 22/1b Oyanagi; 15/ss Matsumoto;
 24/2b Mizoe; 19/p Fujiwara;

Canada 1st - Matthews struck out looking (1-2). Lever singled up the
 middle (3-2). Yee fouled into double play 3b to 1b (3-1); Lever out
 on the play. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Japan 1st - Kawano struck out swinging (1-2). Karino, Y. grounded out
 to 3b (1-0). Yamada reached on a fielding error by ss (3-2).
 Mabuchi grounded out to ss (0-0). 0 runs, 0 hits, 1 error, 1 LOB.

Canada 2nd - Lawrick singled up the middle (3-2). Hayward pinch ran
 for Lawrick. Salling flied out to rf (1-2). Rafter singled through
 the left side (2-1); Hayward advanced to second. Cumpstone grounded
 into double play ss to 2b to 1b (1-1); Rafter out on the play. 0
 runs, 2 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Japan 2nd - Hayward to dp. Rafter to 1b. Sakamoto walked (3-2). Mine
 reached on a fielder's choice to shortstop (3-2); Sakamoto out at
 second ss to 2b. Oyanagi reached on a fielder's choice to second
 base (2-2); Mine out at second 2b to ss. Matsumoto grounded out to
 2b (1-2). 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Canada 3rd - Russell lined out to 1b (0-0). Lye singled to left
 field, advanced to second on a fielding error by lf (3-1). Matthews
 walked (3-2). Lever reached on a fielder's choice to pitcher (1-2);
 Matthews advanced to second; Lye out at third p to 3b. Yee walked
 (3-1); Lever advanced to second; Matthews advanced to third.
 Lawrick to dp for Hayward. Lawrick flied out to cf (3-1). 0 runs, 1
 hit, 1 error, 3 LOB.

Japan 3rd - Mizoe struck out looking (2-2). Kawano grounded out to 2b
 (2-2). Karino, Y. singled to left field (1-2). Yamada reached on a
 fielder's choice to second base (1-0); Karino, Y. out at second 2b
 to ss. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Canada 4th - Someya to p for Fujiwara. Salling singled to third base,
 bunt (0-0). Rafter grounded out to ss (0-0); Salling advanced to
 second. Cumpstone struck out swinging (1-2). Russell struck out
 swinging (1-2). 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Japan 4th - Mabuchi singled up the middle (1-1). Mabuchi advanced to
 second on a passed ball. Sakamoto out at first p to 2b, SAC, bunt
 (1-0); Mabuchi advanced to third. Mine grounded out to p (2-2).
 Oyanagi struck out swinging (2-2). 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Canada 5th - Lye out at first 3b to 2b, bunt (1-1). Matthews grounded
 out to 2b (2-1). Lever singled to left field (2-2). Lever advanced
 to second on an illegal pitch. Yee walked (3-2). Lawrick popped up
 to ss (2-1). 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

Japan 5th - Matsumoto walked (3-2). Mizoe out at first p to 2b, SAC,
 bunt (0-1); Matsumoto advanced to second. Kawano grounded out to ss
 (0-0); Matsumoto advanced to third. Karino, Y. walked (3-1). Yamada
 struck out swinging, out at first c to 1b (1-2). 0 runs, 0 hits, 0
 errors, 2 LOB.

Canada 6th - Salling flied out to cf (2-0). Rafter struck out
 swinging (1-2). Cumpstone walked (3-0). Russell struck out swinging
 (0-2). 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Japan 6th - Mabuchi walked (3-2). Sakamoto out at first c to 2b, SAC,
 bunt (1-0); Mabuchi advanced to second. Mine struck out looking
 (3-2). Nagayoshi pinch hit for Oyanagi. Nagayoshi grounded out to
 2b (1-2). 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Canada 7th - Oyanagi to 1b for Nagayoshi. Lye lined out to 2b (2-2).
 Matthews struck out looking (2-2). Lever struck out swinging (2-2).
 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Japan 7th - Matsumoto grounded out to ss (1-2). Mizoe singled to
 pitcher (2-1). Kawano grounded out to ss (1-1); Mizoe advanced to
 second. Karino, Y. struck out swinging (2-2). 0 runs, 1 hit, 0
 errors, 1 LOB.

Canada 8th - Lever placed on second. Yee lined out to cf (1-1).
 Lawrick flied out to rf (3-2); Lever advanced to third. Salling
 walked (3-0). Rafter grounded out to 3b (2-2). 0 runs, 0 hits, 0
 errors, 2 LOB.

Japan 8th - Karino, Y. placed on second. Yamada intentionally walked
 (3-0). Mabuchi struck out swinging (2-2). Sakamoto singled to right
 field, RBI (0-0); Yamada advanced to third; Karino, Y. scored. 1
 run, 1 hit, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

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Canada 0 (0-3)

Japan 1 (2-1)

Player	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	so	po	a	lob
Matthews, Melanie lf	3	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0
Lever, Caitlin cf	4	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0
Yee, Jennifer 2b	2	0	0	0	2	0	4	5	0
Lawrick, Sheena 1b/dp	4	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	5
Hayward, Victoria pr/dp	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salling, Jennifer ss	3	0	1	0	1	0	2	5	0
Rafter, Kaleigh dp/1b	4	0	1	0	0	1	8	0	2
Cumpstone, Erin c	2	0	0	0	1	1	6	2	1
Russell, Jillian 3b	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	2
Lye, Joey rf	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Caira, Jenna p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	28	0	6	0	5	7	22	16	10

Player	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	so	po	a	lob
Kawano, Misato lf	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Karino, Y. rf	3	1	1	0	1	1	2	0	1
Yamada, Eri cf	3	0	0	0	1	1	3	0	3
Mabuchi, Satoko dp	3	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	1
Sakamoto, Haruna 3b	1	0	1	1	1	0	2	3	0
Mine, Yukiyo c	3	0	0	0	0	1	7	0	0
Oyanagi, Kaoru 1b	2	0	0	0	0	1	6	0	1
Nagayoshi, Rie ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Matsumoto, Naoko ss	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	1
Mizoe, Kasumi 2b	2	0	1	0	0	1	3	2	0
Fujiwara, Makiko p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Someya, Mika p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	24	1	4	1	5	7	24	8	10

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	R	H	E
Canada	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	1
Japan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	4	1

Note: 1 out, 2 runners LOB when the game ended.

E - Salling; Kawano. DP - Japan 2. LOB - Canada 10; Japan 10. SH - Sakamoto 2; Mizoe.

Canada	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	ab	bf	np	Japan	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	ab	bf	np
Caira, Jenna	7.1	4	1	0	5	7	24	32	133	Fujiwara, Makiko	3.0	4	0	0	2	1	11	13	59
										Someya, Mika	5.0	2	0	0	3	6	17	20	89

Win - Someya (1-0). Loss - Caira (0-1). Save - None.

BK - Someya. PB - Cumpstone. Pitches/strikes: Caira 133/76; Fujiwara 59/30; Someya 89/53.

Umpires - HP: Bobbie Shelton 1B: Tanya Rilbalkin 2B: Katrina Kershaw 3B: Harutoshi Kitayama

Start: 9:30 pm Time: 2:12 Attendance: 4144

Weather: Fair, 85, Winds:S10