Next Meeting:

Our next Ken Keltner Badger State Chapter Meeting will be Saturday, November 16, 2019 at 11:00 AM. Different location (J&B’s Blue-Ribbon Sports Bar was booked) we’ll meet at:

McGinn’s Sports Bar
5901 W. Bluemond Rd.
(They have a parking lot!)

What’s on Tap?
Brewers Speaker, to be announced
Recap SABR 49
What are you reading?
Election of Chapter Officers
Discussion Chapter Direction for 2020-2021

- What is the Keltner Chapter?
- Baseball History Today
- Volunteer Opportunities
- SABR on the Air
- Book Club

Baseball History Today

Have you visited our Ken Keltner Badger State Facebook page for the daily Baseball History Today posts? Since August 11th (Except for the missing October 7th post, see below), Dennis has been sharing several baseball history facts every day plus daily births and deaths of Wisconsin baseball related individuals as well as Hall of Famers. Most days, there is a link(s) to a SABR BioProject or Games Project on an item for that day as well as videos and/or articles to add to the historical events.

We use the baseball-reference.com/bullpen page to capture historical moments and fact check the info catching errors in the process. It is interesting, fun and a great opportunity to learn new stuff. Who would like to join the Baseball History Today Team to help write and research the daily posts?

Let me now, bovine9@icloud.com and/or 262-339-9968, text or call. If you have suggestions or ideas for our Facebook page, please let me know as well.
**Missing October 7th Post:**

For unknown reasons, Facebook just didn’t like the October 7th posting rejecting it at least six times, so here it is for those who missed it or an opportunity to see what a daily post may look like.

**Baseball History Today - October 7**

On this date in 1904, Jack Chesbro of the Highlanders (Yankees) earns his 41st victory establishing the modern-day record for wins in a season as New York beats Boston, 3-2. Only two pitchers achieve 40 or more wins after 1900, with "Big" Ed Walsh winning 40 in 1908. During the 19th Century 35 pitchers won 40 or more with "Old Hoss" Radbourn winning the most, 60 in 1884 and two others winning 50 or more.

In 1969, outfielder Curt Flood is traded by the St. Louis Cardinals to the Philadelphia Phillies in a blockbuster deal but he refuses to report because he did not want to play in Philadelphia. He took Organized Baseball to court in 1970 disputing the reserve clause that binds a player perpetually to one team. Flood lost his cause with two appeals including the Supreme Court in June 1972.

In 2001, Rickey Henderson of the Padres, in front of a sell-out crowd at QualComm Park on Tony Gwynn’s last Major League game, doubles leading off the game becoming the 25th player to collect 3,000 hits. Rickey finishes with 3,055 base hits, 25th all-time.

In 2011, the Brewers win their NLDS vs. Arizona, 3 games to 2, with a 10th-inning, 3-2 win on a single and stolen base by Carlos Gomez with Nyjer Morgan driving him in for the win. Milwaukee advances to meet St. Louis in the NLCS.

In 2018, the Brewers sweep the Rockies in their NLDS shutting them out for the second consecutive game, 6-0 using six pitchers with Corbin Burnes earning the win. They move on to meet the LA Dodgers in the NLCS.

**Hall of Fame Births & Deaths:**


Died in 1925, Christy Mathewson, pitcher 373-188, 2.13 ERA, manager, Cincinnati 1916-18; (b. 1880)


For more interesting history visit: [baseball-reference.com/bullpen](http://baseball-reference.com/bullpen)

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**Wisconsin Sports Stream**

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(Note, this is a new venture by Derek Degenhardt to fill the hole created when Spectrum left the sports broadcasting business. A possible business partner to the Keltner chapter, too.)