

# Arkansas' Wood pitches third no-hitter in CWS history

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OMAHA, Neb. — Arkansas' Gage Wood pitched the third no-hitter in College World Series history and first in 65 years on Monday, striking out a record 19 and never letting Murray State come close to getting a hit in the Razorbacks' 3-0 victory.

Wood joined Jim Ehrler of Texas in 1950 and Jim Wixson of Oklahoma State in 1960 as the only pitchers to throw CWS no-hitters, and his defense was never really challenged as he dominated a Racers team that was making its first Omaha appearance.

The junior right-hander, who set the CWS record for strikeouts in a nine-inning game, was subdued in the aftermath.

"The only special thing was I didn't want to go home. That's it," he said. "We're not going home. We get to play tomorrow night. But it's pretty cool."

Arkansas (49-14) plays another elimination game Tuesday night against the loser of Monday night's game between LSU and UCLA.

Murray State (44-17), only the fourth No. 4 regional seed since 1999 to reach Omaha, went 0-2 in its first appearance.

Wood's bid for a perfect game ended in the eighth when his 2-2 breaking ball hit Dom Decker in his back foot.

"When I hit the guy in the foot, I knew I screwed up," said Wood, who got a foul out and consecutive strikeouts to end the inning, then looked skyward and gave a primal scream and did a couple of high steps as he headed to the dugout.

The Arkansas faithful behind the first-base dugout did a brief "Woo Pig Sooie!" chant as Wood warmed up for the ninth.

Wood (4-1) hit pinch-hitter Nico Bermeo in the back of his left elbow with a fastball to start the ninth. Bermeo initially was awarded first base, but Arkansas challenged the call, arguing Bermeo moved his elbow into the pitch. The call was overturned and Bermeo was out.

Wood struck out Connor Cunningham and Jonathan Hogart to finish the game.

"The dude was electric tonight," Hogart said.

Wood was mobbed by teammates, with the celebration moving from behind the mound to the area between second and third base.

"Gage was just executing pitch after pitch, getting ahead in the count and elevating his fastball in and out. What a great job," coach Dave Van Horn said. "The few plays we had to make behind him — maybe nine, eight? — just glad we made all those plays."

Wood, a projected first-round pick in next month's MLB amateur draft, went to three-ball counts just twice, and 83 of his 119 pitches were strikes.


"I think Gage Wood made himself some money today. Holy cow," Racers coach Dan Skirka said.

The closest Murray State came to breaking up Wood's no-hitter was Carson Garner's hot grounder that pulled first baseman



Chris Machian — Omaha World-Herald

Arkansas pitcher Gage Wood celebrates after striking out the final Murray State batter in the eighth inning of an NCAA College World Series baseball game Monday in Omaha, Neb.



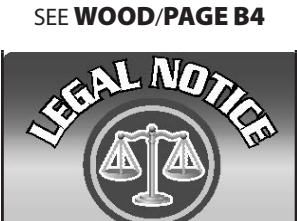
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/s/ Jeffrey H. Gregory, Mayor

Attest: Jessica J. Graham, City Clerk




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Unit D37 - Robert Cross  
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Unit F10 - Kayla Hardy  
Unit F21 and Unit F30 - Sherri Jaynes  
Unit F29 - Joshua Shelton  
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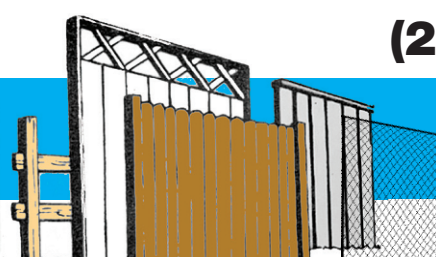
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**HARDIN COUNTY FISCAL COURT**  
**Fiscal Year 2025-2026**

**BUDGET SUMMARY**  
AN ORDINANCE Relating to the Annual Budget and Appropriations.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE FISCAL COURT OF HARDIN COUNTY, KENTUCKY:

SECTION ONE: The following budget is adopted for the Fiscal Year 2025-2026 and the amounts stated are appropriated for the purposes indicated.

General Fund		
5000	GENERAL GOVERNMENT	9,401,457.50
5100	PROTECTION TO PERSONS AND PROPERTY	10,363,139.50
5200	GENERAL HEALTH AND SANITATION	1,409,911.00
5300	SOCIAL SERVICES	128,967.00
5400	RECREATION AND CULTURE	1,532,143.00
6400	OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES/SVC	1,753,943.00
9100	GENERAL SERVICES	1,147,150.00
9200	CONTINGENT APPROPRIATIONS	100,000.00
9300	TRANSFERS TO OTHER FUNDS	0.00
9400	FRINGE BENEFITS- EMPLOYERS SHARE	93,173.00
9500	DISTRIBUTIONS TO OTHER GOVT AGENCIES	0.00
Total		<b>25,929,884.00</b>
Road Fund		
5000	GENERAL GOVERNMENT	8,625.00
6100	ROADS	4,767,548.00
9100	GENERAL SERVICES	185,450.00
9200	CONTINGENT APPROPRIATIONS	0.00
9400	FRINGE BENEFITS- EMPLOYERS SHARE	484,733.00
Total		<b>5,446,356.00</b>
Jail Fund		
5100	PROTECTION TO PERSONS AND PROPERTY	7,584,092.00
7100	GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS	0.00
9100	GENERAL SERVICES	941,860.00
9400	FRINGE BENEFITS- EMPLOYERS SHARE	2,429,872.00
Total		<b>10,955,824.00</b>
Local Government Economic Assistance Fund		
6100	ROADS	277,341.00
Total		<b>277,341.00</b>
State Grants Fund		
5300	SOCIAL SERVICES	66,850.00
Total		<b>66,850.00</b>
Federal Grants Fund		
8000	CAPITAL PROJECTS	5,528,795.00
9200	CONTINGENT APPROPRIATIONS	0.00
9300	TRANSFERS TO OTHER FUNDS	0.00
Total		<b>5,528,795.00</b>
Solid Waste Fund		
5200	GENERAL HEALTH AND SANITATION	6,602,991.00
9100	GENERAL SERVICES	283,704.00
Total		<b>6,886,695.00</b>
PERMANENT (TRUST) FUND		
9100	GENERAL SERVICES	0.00
9200	CONTINGENT APPROPRIATIONS	0.00
Total		<b>0.00</b>
OPIOID SETTLEMENT FUND		
5000	GENERAL GOVERNMENT	239,950.00
5300	SOCIAL SERVICES	90,000.00
9200	CONTINGENT APPROPRIATIONS	47,000.00
Total		<b>376,950.00</b>
ALCOHOL BEVERAGE CONTROL FUND		
5000	GENERAL GOVERNMENT	0.00
Total		<b>0.00</b>
CO CLERK STORAGE FEE (SB 135)		
5000	GENERAL GOVERNMENT	150,000.00
9200	CONTINGENT APPROPRIATIONS	37,310.00
Total		<b>187,310.00</b>
E-911 FUND		
5100	PROTECTION TO PERSONS AND PROPERTY	3,751,850.00
9100	GENERAL SERVICES	0.00
Total		<b>3,751,850.00</b>
INDUSTRIAL TAX FUND		
5000	GENERAL GOVERNMENT	406,800.00
9300	TRANSFERS TO OTHER FUNDS	0.00
Total		<b>406,800.00</b>
Total Budget Appropriations		<b>59,814,655.00</b>

Adopted this 10th day of June, 2025

/s/Keith L. Taul, Hardin County Judge/Executive

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