NZ White Sox on the Road... 17/08/14

In their second game of section play the White Sox went down to a feisty Cuban team 1-0 in a tough battle in Haarlem today. The Cubans scored in the 3rd innings. The Sox had 2 outs when leader off hitter Acosta got on base with a safe slap but advanced to 2nd on an error. Acosta then crossed the plate to score a soft run off the White Sox.

Offensively the Sox had their chances, especially in the 4th innings when Danica Ferriso hit safely to left field, Lara Andrews doubled to move them both to 2nd and 3rd base and Katrina Nukunuku walked to load the bases with none down. Cuba made two pitcher changes within the same innings that paid dividends for them with the White Sox threatening, but unable to score a run to equalise. The Sox had 4 runners left on base for 3 hits. Tomorrow the White Sox face the fancied Canadian Team who beat the Czech Republic Team by 8 runs to 1 today.

Regards Naomi