

## **A'S NEWS LINKS, WEDNESDAY, JULY 5, 2017**

### **EAST BAY TIMES**

#### **Barreto's home run leads A's past White Sox, ends losing skid**

by Curtis Pashelka

<http://www.eastbaytimes.com/2017/07/04/barretos-home-run-leads-as-past-white-sox-ends-losing-skid/>

#### **A's notes: Melvin tweaks lineup hoping to spark dismal offense; Alonso moved to cleanup spot**

by Curtis Pashelka

<http://www.eastbaytimes.com/2017/07/04/as-notes-melvin-tweaks-lineup-hoping-to-spark-dismal-offense-alonso-moved-to-cleanup-spot/>

### **SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE**

#### **A's offense perks up, Barreto's blast beats White Sox**

By Susan Slusser

[HTTP://WWW.SFGATE.COM/ATHLETICS/ARTICLE/A-S-OFFENSE-PERKS-UP-ALONSO-HOMERS-TWICE-IN-11265932.PHP](http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/A-S-OFFENSE-PERKS-UP-ALONSO-HOMERS-TWICE-IN-11265932.PHP)

#### **A's reliever John Axford struggles to find good groove**

By Susan Slusser

[HTTP://WWW.SFGATE.COM/ATHLETICS/ARTICLE/A-S-RELIEVER-JOHN-AXFORD-STRUGGLES-TO-FIND-GOOD-11265828.PHP](http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/A-S-RELIEVER-JOHN-AXFORD-STRUGGLES-TO-FIND-GOOD-11265828.PHP)

#### **Ryon Healy potentially available off bench for A's**

By Susan Slusser

[HTTP://WWW.SFGATE.COM/ATHLETICS/ARTICLE/RYON-HEALY-POTENTIALLY-AVAILABLE-OFF-BENCH-FOR-11265653.PHP](http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/RYON-HEALY-POTENTIALLY-AVAILABLE-OFF-BENCH-FOR-11265653.PHP)

#### **In bullpens, staying loose precedes getting loose**

By Scott Ostler

[HTTP://WWW.SFCHRONICLE.COM/GIANTS/OSTLER/ARTICLE/IN-BULLPENS-STAYING-LOOSE-PRECEDES-GETTING-LOOSE-11264618.PHP&CMPID=TWITTER-PREMIUM](http://www.sfchronicle.com/giants/ostler/article/in-bullpens-staying-loose-precedes-getting-loose-11264618.php&cmpid=twitter-premium)

### **ATHLETICS.COM**

#### **Franklin declares victory with walk-off for A's**

BY JANE LEE AND ALEX SIMON

[HTTP://M.ATHLETICS.MLB.COM/NEWS/ARTICLE/240458880/FRANKLIN-BARRETO-HR-GIVES-AS-WALK-OFF-VS-SOX/](http://m.athletics.mlb.com/news/article/240458880/franklin-barreto-hr-gives-as-walk-off-vs-sox/)

#### **Alonso knocks slump out of park with 2 HRs**

BY JANE LEE

[HTTP://M.ATHLETICS.MLB.COM/NEWS/ARTICLE/240486514/YONDER-ALONSO-BUSTS-SLUMP-WITH-TWO-HOMERS/](http://m.athletics.mlb.com/news/article/240486514/yonder-alonso-busts-slump-with-two-homers/)

#### **This young A's fan selflessly gave the foul ball he caught to a younger fan**

By Jessica Kleinschmidt

[HTTP://M.MLB.COM/CUTFOUR/2017/07/04/240460188/WATCH-THIS-AS-FAN-GIVE-A-YOUNG-FAN-THE-FOUL-BALL-HE-CAUGHT](http://m.mlb.com/cutfour/2017/07/04/240460188/watch-this-as-fan-give-a-young-fan-the-foul-ball-he-caught)

#### **Gray looks to keep rolling against White Sox**

BY ALEX SIMON

[HTTP://M.ATHLETICS.MLB.COM/NEWS/ARTICLE/240437434/PELFREY-GRAY-LINE-UP-FOR-FINALE-IN-OAKLAND/?TOPICID=26688732](http://m.athletics.mlb.com/news/article/240437434/pelfrey-gray-line-up-for-finale-in-oakland/?topicid=26688732)

### **NBCSPORTSCALIFORNIA.COM**

#### **THINKING POSITIVE: A'S PLAYERS EMBRACE ZEN-LIKE PHILOSOPHY WHILE ON DL**

By Joe Stiglich

[HTTP://WWW.CSNBAYAREA.COM/ATHLETICS/THINKING-POSITIVE-PLAYERS-EMBRACE-ZEN-PHILOSOPHY-WHILE-DL](http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/thinking-positive-players-embrace-zen-philosophy-while-dl)

**BARRETO PUTS ALONSO'S ADVICE TO GOOD USE ON WALK-OFF HOMER VS WHITE SOX**

By Joe Stiglich

[HTTP://WWW.CSNBAYAREA.COM/ATHLETICS/BARRETO-PUTS-ALONSOS-ADVICE-GOOD-USE-WALK-HOMER-VS-WHITE-SOX](http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/barreto-puts-alonsos-advice-good-use-walk-homer-vs-white-sox)

**INSTANT ANALYSIS: FIVE TAKEAWAYS AFTER BARRETO'S WALK-OFF SNAPS A'S SKID**

By Joe Stiglich

[HTTP://WWW.CSNBAYAREA.COM/ATHLETICS/INSTANT-ANALYSIS-FIVE-TAKEAWAYS-AFTER-BARRETOS-WALK-SNAPS-SKID](http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/instant-analysis-five-takeaways-after-barretos-walk-snaps-skid)

**SF BAY MEDIA**

**Barreto ninth-inning bomb snaps A's losing streak**

BY KALAMA HINES

[HTTPS://SFBAY.CA/2017/07/04/BARRETO-NINTH-INNING-BOMB-SNAPS-AS-LOSING-STREAK/](https://sfbay.ca/2017/07/04/barreto-ninth-inning-bomb-snaps-as-losing-streak/)

**Inside Pitch: Trade season arrives in Oakland**

BY KALAMA HINES

[HTTPS://SFBAY.CA/2017/07/04/INSIDE-PITCH-TRADE-SEASON-ARRIVES-IN-OAKLAND/](https://sfbay.ca/2017/07/04/inside-pitch-trade-season-arrives-in-oakland/)

**SAN FRANCISCO EXAMINER**

**Franklin Barreto's walk-off home run gives A's 7-6 win**

By Dan Bernstein

[HTTP://WWW.SFEXAMINER.COM/FRANKLIN-BARRETOS-WALK-OFF-HOME-RUN-GIVES-7-6-WIN/](http://www.sfexaminer.com/franklin-barretos-walk-off-home-run-gives-7-6-win/)

**SANTA ROSA PRESS DEMOCRAT**

**Barber: All-Star Alonso leads A's to 7-6 win against White Sox**

BY PHIL BARBER

[HTTP://WWW.PRESSDEMOCRAT.COM/SPORTS/7167557-181/BARBER-ALL-STAR-ALONSO-LEADS-AS?ARTSLIDE=1](http://www.pressdemocrat.com/sports/7167557-181/barber-all-star-alonso-leads-as?ARTSLIDE=1)

**ASSOCIATED PRESS**

**A's rookie hits walk-off homer in 7-6 win against White Sox**

BY JOSH DUBOW

[HTTP://WWW.PRESSDEMOCRAT.COM/SPORTS/7167510-181/AS-ROOKIE-HITS-WALK-OFF-HOMER?ARTSLIDE=0](http://www.pressdemocrat.com/sports/7167510-181/as-rookie-hits-walk-off-homer?ARTSLIDE=0)

**MINOR LEAGUE TEAMS**

**NASHVILLE SOUNDS**

**Sounds Upended by Sky Sox 9-8 in Back-and-Forth Battle  
Late Inning Error Costs Sounds for Second Straight Night**

By Nashville Sounds

[HTTPS://WWW.MILB.COM/SOUNDS/NEWS/SOUNDS-UPENDED-BY-SKY-SOX-9-8-IN-BACK-AND-FORTH-BATTLE/C-240537604/T-196093378](https://www.milb.com/sounds/news/sounds-upended-by-sky-sox-9-8-in-back-and-forth-battle/c-240537604/t-196093378)

**MIDLAND ROCKHOUNDS**

Game story available

## **STOCKTON PORTS**

### **Ports Fall 7-1 To Open Road Trip**

BY STOCKTON PORTS

[HTTPS://WWW.MILB.COM/PORTS/NEWS/PORTS-FALL-7-1-TO-OPEN-ROAD-TRIP/C-240551822/T-196093340](https://www.milb.com/ports/news/ports-fall-7-1-to-open-road-trip/c-240551822/t-196093340)

## **BELOIT SNAPPERS**

### **Snappers Beaten 5-1 on Fourth of July**

by Garrett Mansfield

<https://www.milb.com/snappers/news/snappers-beaten-5-1-on-fourth-of-july/c-240498840/t-196097310>

## **VERMONT LAKE MONSTERS**

### **Lake Monsters Edge Tigers 5-4 On Tuesday**

**Kevin Merrell went 3-for-4 with two runs, a double and an RBI**

by Paul Stanfield

<https://www.milb.com/lake-monsters/news/lake-monsters-edge-tigers-5-4-on-tuesday/c-240510492/t-196096826>