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Post Game Notes

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Kansas City Royals (51-82) at Oakland Athletics (59-74) Wednesday, September 2, 2009 Oakland-Alameda County Coliseum, Oakland, Calif.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E	LOB
Kansas City	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	9	0	6
Oakland	3	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	x	10	11	0	5

WP — Cahill (8-12).

LP — Bannister (7-12).

SV — None.

OAKLAND NOTES

- The Oakland A's are now 2-1 on this seven-game homestand against Kansas City (2-1) and Seattle (four games).
- Trevor Cahill** allowed his 20th home run at home this year in the third inning to Mike Jacobs, which passes Catfish Hunter (1973) for the most home runs allowed at home in a season in Oakland history...is 2-1 with a 2.81 ERA (10 er in 32.0 ip) and .233 (27 for 116) opponents batting average over his last five starts...had his career-high 10-inning scoreless streak snapped in the third inning...is 2-0 with a 4.09 ERA (5 er in 11.0 ip) in two starts against the Royals.
- Brad Kilby** made his Major League debut in the sixth inning.
- Landon Powell** (1 for 4) hit his first career grand slam in the second inning off Yasuhiko Yabuta...it is the third grand slam for the A's this season (also: Jack Cust on May 7 vs. Texas and Matt Holliday on July 20 vs. Minnesota)...the four RBI are also a career-high (previous high: three, twice, last: August 23 vs. Detroit)...now has 27 RBI over the first 36 games of his career which are the second most RBI by an Oakland Athletic over the first 36 games of their career (Ben Grieve, 30 RBI over his first 36 games).
- Rajai Davis** (2 for 3, sf, hbp) is 10 for 23 (.435) with seven RBI against Kansas City this year and is 11 for 31 (.355) with 10 RBI against the Royals in his career.

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Trevor Cahill (W, 8-12)	5.0	6	3	3	2	3	1	84/47
Brad Kilby	2.0	1	0	0	0	2	0	24/16
Jerry Blevins	1.0	0	0	0	0	2	0	21/14
Dana Eveland	1.0	2	1	1	0	1	0	11/9

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
Landon Powell (5)	2nd	3-1	4	CF	Yabuta

KANSAS CITY NOTES

- The Kansas City Royals are 1-4 over their last five games at the Coliseum...finished 3-4 on their seven-game road trip through Seattle (2-2) and Oakland (1-2).
- Brian Bannister** left the game in the second inning with right shoulder fatigue...is 0-5 with a 9.29 ERA (32 er in 31.0 ip) and .326 (42 for 129) opponents batting average over his last six starts...is 1-4 with a 5.02 ERA (24 er in 43.0 ip) and .282 (48 for 170) opponents average over eight career starts against Oakland, including 1-3 with a 4.50 ERA (16 er in 32.0 ip) over six career starts against the A's at the Coliseum.
- Yasuhiko Yabuta** allowed a career-high tying five runs earned (twice) and a career-high five hits...also allowed five runs earned on April 18, 2008 against Oakland at the Coliseum...has allowed 10 of his 25 earned runs (40.0 %) in his career at the Coliseum.
- Jose Guillen** (0 for 2) left the game with right hamstring tendon soreness.

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Brian Bannister (L, 7-12)	1.1	3	3	3	1	1	0	32/21
Yasuhiko Yabuta	0.2	5	5	5	1	0	1	30/16
Bruce Chen	4.0	3	2	2	3	2	0	70/41
Roman Colon	2.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	20/14

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
Mike Jacobs (17)	3rd	0-0	1	CF	Cahill

Time of Game	2:36	Overall Record	59-74	Home/Road	32-34/27-40
First Pitch	12:37 pm	Streak	Won 1	Day/Night	20-23/38-51
Temperature	80 degrees	Homestand	2-1	April/May/June	8-11/11-18/13-15
Attendance	13,920	Last Five	3-2	July/Aug./Sept.	12-14/14-15/1-1
Total	1,189,485	Last 10	4-6	A's Starter goes 7 or more/Less than 7	14-12/45-62
Average (66 games)	18.023	Series Record	16-21-6	A's/Opponents score first	31-28/28-46
Win/Lose in Last At-Bat	10-15	Series First Game	19-23	Leading after 7 th inn/8 th inn	48-5/49-1
Extra Innings	3-9	vs. AL Central	19-15	Tied after 7 th inn/8 th inn	4-9/7-11
		vs. RHP/LHP	43-48/16-26	Trailing after 7 th inn/8 th inn	7-60/3-62