



OAKLAND ATHLETICS

Post Game Notes

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Seattle Mariners (14-24) at Oakland Athletics (19-20) Monday, May 17, 2010 Oakland-Alameda County Coliseum, Oakland, Calif.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E	LOB
Seattle	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	4	6	1	4
Oakland	2	3	2	0	0	1	0	0	X	8	15	1	5

WP — Gonzalez (4-3). LP — Rowland-Smith (0-4). SV — None.

OAKLAND NOTES

- The Oakland Athletics snapped their season-high five-game losing streak...have won eight of their last 11 home games and are 14-7 at home...have won six of their last seven against the Mariners in Oakland but are 25-40 (.385) against Seattle since 2007...are 1-0 on this seven-game homestand against Seattle (1-0), Detroit (two games) and San Francisco (three games).
- Gio Gonzalez** tied a career-high by pitching seven innings and has thrown at least six innings in five of his eight starts this season...is 2-1 with a 3.93 ERA (16 er in 36.2 ip) in seven career appearances against Seattle (five starts)...is 2-0 with a 3.21 ERA (5 er in 14.0 ip) in two starts against the Mariners in Oakland...A's starting pitchers are 10-5 with a 2.83 REA (40 er in 127.0 ip) at home and 4-9 with a 5.77 ERA (62 er in 96.2 ip) on the road.
- Andrew Bailey** has not allowed a run in his last 15 appearances in Oakland (14.1 ip)...has not allowed a run in five outings against the Mariners this season (4.0 ip).
- Daric Barton** (3 for 3) hit a first-inning double to snap an 0-for-15 hitless streak, which was the second-longest hitless streak of his career (20, Sept. 8-16, 2008)...is now batting .368 (25 for 68) at home and .191 (13 for 68) on the road...is a .345 (40 for 116) career hitter against Seattle, his best average against any American League team.

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Gio Gonzalez (W, 4-3)	7.0	4	3	3	4	4	1	104/60
Jerry Blevins	0.0	2	1	1	0	0	0	7/6
Brad Ziegler	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	0	6/4
Craig Breslow	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4/3
Andrew Bailey	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	12/7

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
Kevin Kouzmanoff (3)	1 st	0-0	2	RCF	Rowland-Smith
Adam Rosales (3)	3 rd	1-0	2	LF	Rowland-Smith

SEATTLE NOTES

- The Seattle Mariners have lost three straight and 12 of their last 16...are 2-5 on this eight-game road trip through Baltimore (1-2), Tampa Bay (1-2) and Oakland (0-1).
- Ryan Rowland-Smith** allowed a career-high seven runs and tied a career-high by allowing 10 hits...has an 10.29 ERA (24 er in 21 ip) over his last five starts...is 2-3 with a 4.64 ERA (27 er in 52.1 ip) in 14 career appearances against Oakland (eight starts)...is 1-1 with a 5.76 ERA (16 er in 25 ip) in eight games at the Coliseum (four starts).
- Casey Kotchman** (0 for 4) is batting .085 (5 for 59) over his past 16 games.
- Ichiro Suzuki** (2 for 4) has hit safely in 10 of his last 11 road games with nine multiple-hit games over that span...is batting .458 (22 for 48) away from home since April 25 and .376 (32 for 85) on the road overall...is a career .366 hitter (417 for 1,140) in the month of May, which is the best May batting average in Major Leagues dating back to 1954 (minimum 300 PA).

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Ryan Rowland-Smith (L, 0-4)	2.2	10	7	7	0	3	2	50/36
Ian Snell	2.2	5	1	1	0	1	0	38/27
Jesus Colome	1.2	0	0	0	0	1	0	13/9
Sean White	1.0	0	0	0	0	2	0	9/7

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Matt Tuiasosopo (1)	4 th	2-1	1	CF	Gonzalez

Time of Game.....	2:22	Overall Record.....	19-20	Home/Road.....	14-7/5-13
First Pitch.....	7:08 pm	Streak.....	Won 1	Day/Night.....	10-5/9-15
Temperature.....	56 degrees	Homestand.....	1-0	April/May/June.....	12-12/7-8/0-0
		Last Five.....	1-4	July/Aug./Sept.....	0-0/0-0/0-0
		Last 10.....	4-6		
Attendance.....	10,051			A's Starter goes 7 or more/Less than 7.....	6-4/13-16
Total.....	338,353	Series Record.....	1-0	A's/Opponents score first.....	14-6/5-14
Average (21 games).....	16,112	Series First Game.....	6-7	Leading after 7 th inn/8 th inn.....	16-0/15-0
		vs. AL West.....	10-10	Tied after 7 th inn/8 th inn.....	3-4/2-3
Win/Lose in Last At-Bat.....	4-4	vs. RHP/LHP.....	13-13/6-7	Trailing after 7 th inn/8 th inn.....	0-16/2-17
Extra Innings.....	2-1				