



OAKLAND ATHLETICS

Post Game Notes

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Chicago White Sox (53-44) at Oakland Athletics (50-48) Sunday, July 25, 2010 Oakland-Alameda County Coliseum, Oakland, Calif.

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

WP — Braden (5-7). LP — Hudson (1-1). SV — Wuertz (3).

OAKLAND NOTES

- The Oakland Athletics have won four of their last five games, nine of the last 11 and 16 of the last 24...are 16-8 since June 25, which is the second-best record in the American League over that span (New York, 17-8)...move to two games over .500 for the first time since June 10 (32-30)...have now won a season-high four consecutive series, which is their longest series win streak since winning five straight from May 27-June 14, 2007...have won seven straight day games and are a Major League best 24-10 during the day this season...matched their season high with four stolen bases (June 29 at BAL)...went 4-2 on this six-game homestand against Boston (2-1) and Chicago (2-1)...begin a six-game road trip through Texas (three games) and Chicago (three games) on Tuesday.
- Dallas Braden** snapped a nine-start winless streak, which was the longest such streak following a no-hitter or perfect game in Major League history...also snapped a five-game losing streak, the longest by an A's pitcher this year...is now 1-5 with a 4.12 ERA (27 er in 59.0 ip) in 10 starts since his perfect game on May 9.
- Jerry Blevins** had his 13-game scoreless streak snapped and now has a 0.93 ERA (1 er in 9.2 ip) over his past 14 games.
- Daric Barton** (2 for 4) is batting .355 (11 for 31) with five multiple-hit games in eight games since the All-Star Break after going 2 for 26 (.077) over his final seven games before the break.
- Coco Crisp** (1 for 3) had his third two-steal game of the season and his second in his past seven games...it was his 14th career game with two or more steals...has scored or driven in a run in 21 of his 27 games this season (21 r, 17 rbi).
- Kevin Kouzmanoff** (1 for 4) has hit safely in each of his eight games since the All-Star Break and is batting .333 (11 for 33) during that stretch.
- Brett Anderson** pitched 5.1 scoreless innings (4 h, 1 bb, 9 so) with Sacramento in a rehab start at Tacoma...he threw 87 pitches (53 strikes).

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Dallas Braden (W, 5-7)	6.1	5	3	3	2	5	0	98/60
Brad Ziegler	0.1	0	0	0	0	1	0	5/3
Jerry Blevins	0.0	2	1	1	0	0	0	11/9
Craig Breslow	1.1	1	0	0	0	1	0	14/12
Michael Wuertz (S, 3)	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	11/8

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
None					

CHICAGO NOTES

- The Chicago White Sox have lost six of their past nine games since winning nine in a row...went 4-6 on this 10-game road trip through Minnesota (1-3), Seattle (2-1) and Oakland (1-2)...begin a seven-game homestand against Seattle (four games) and Oakland (three games) on Monday.
- Daniel Hudson** has allowed five runs in two of his three starts this season...is 0-1 with an 8.60 ERA (7 er in 7.1 ip) in two career appearances (one start) against the A's.
- J.J. Putz** has made 26 consecutive scoreless appearances (26.0 ip), the longest such streak in White Sox history...the 26.0-inning scoreless streak is a career-high and is also the longest such streak in the Major Leagues.
- Juan Pierre** (1 for 4) snapped his 0 for 15 streak with a RBI single in the seventh inning but is 5 for 37 (.135) over his last eight games.
- Alexei Ramirez** (2 for 4) snapped his 0 for 12 streak with a first-inning single...is batting .337 (34 for 101) over his last 28 games.
- Alex Rios** (2 for 4) is batting .373 (22 for 59) over his past 16 games.

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Daniel Hudson (L, 1-1)	5.0	6	5	5	4	4	0	108/67
Erick Threets	1.0	1	1	0	0	0	0	18/9
J.J. Putz	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	9/8
Bobby Jenks	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	15/10

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None					

Time of Game	2:46	Overall Record	50-48	Home/Road	30-22/20-26
First Pitch	1:07 pm	Streak	Won 2	Day/Night	24-10/26-38
Temperature	63 degrees	Homestand	4-2	April/May/June	12-12/16-12/10-17
		Last Five	4-1	July/Aug./Sept.	12-7/0-0/0-0
Attendance	17,148	Last 10	8-2		
Total	959,537			A's Starter goes 7 or more/Less than 7	16-10/34-38
Average (52 games)	18,453	Series Record	2-1	A's/Opponents score first	37-16/13-32
		Series First Game	13-19	Leading after 7 th inn/8 th inn	41-1/42-0
Win/Lose in Last At-Bat	9-10	vs. AL West	15-13	Tied after 7 th inn/8 th inn	8-7/6-9
Extra Innings	4-5	vs. RHP/LHP	37-35/13-13	Trailing after 7 th inn/8 th inn	1-40/2-39