

# OAKLAND ATHLETICS

# **Game Information**

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#### A's AT A GLANCE

Season High	9-4 (April 17)
Season Low	34-40 (June 23)
April	12-12
May	16-12
June	10-17
July	14-10
August	5-7
September	0-0
Home Series	13-5-1
Road Series	6-13-0
Series Sweeps	4-6
First Game of Ser	ies 14-24
Last Game of Seri	es 24-13
A's Score First	42-18
Opponent Scores	First 15-40
Leading After 7 <sup>th</sup>	48-1
Leading After 8 <sup>th</sup>	49-0
Tied After 7 <sup>th</sup>	8-9
Tied After 8 <sup>th</sup>	6-11
Trailing After 7 <sup>th</sup>	1-48
Trailing After 8 <sup>th</sup>	2-47
Commit No Errors	37-25
Commit 1 or More	Errors 20-33
More HR Than Op	p. 19-7
Fewer HR Than O	
Same Total HR of	
Starter Pitches 7 of	
Starter Pitches Le	
When Scoring 4 o	
When Scoring Les	
Last At Bat	9-12
Different Lineups	92

#### A's vs. TWINS

The A's trail in the season series, 1-4, losing two of three in Oakland in June and dropping the first two in this series...this is their first trip to Target Field and return September 17-19...won the season series last year, 6-4...went 4-3 in Oakland and won two of three in their final appearance in the Metrodome...since moving to Oakland in 1968, the A's are 267-279 against Minnesota...that includes 150-122 in Oakland and 117-157 in Minnesota...finished with a 71-86 record in the Metrodome...are 324-348 all-time against the Twins and have a 971-984 record against the Twins/Senators.

## TODAY'S TIDBITS

Coco Crisp is batting .400 (14 for 35) over his last nine games ...has 11 stolen bases since the All-Star Break, which is tied for second most in the majors (Pierre, CWS, 13).

Rajai Davis ranks third in the AL and fourth in the majors with 36 stolen bases...he is batting .310 (26 for 84) since the All-Star Bread and now has a .303 (191 for 630) career average after the break compared to .250 before the

Mark Ellis tied an Oakland record with three doubles on Wednesday and is 7 for 18 (.389) on the road trip...is batting .317 (45 for 142) with both of his home runs and 22 of his 30 RBI on the road compared to .210 in Oakland.

**Cliff Pennington** is hitting .333 (54 for 162) with 30 runs, 10 doubles and six triples over his last 51 games.

## THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

In 1907, Chief Bender wins his 11<sup>th</sup> consecutive decision in the A's 4-2 win over Cleveland.... in 1980, Rick Langford pitches a sixhitter as the A's defeat Seattle, 11-3... it is his club record ninth consecutive complete game victory... the win comes in the midst of a club record 22 consecutive complete games.

#### **OAKLAND ATHLETICS (57-58) VS. MINNESOTA TWINS (67-50)**

SUNDAY, AUGUST 15, 2010 – TARGET FIELD – 1:10 P.M. CDT RHP VIN MAZZARO (6-4, 3.86) VS. RHP KEVIN SLOWEY (10-5, 4.45) CSNCA – A'S RADIO NETWORK (XTRA SPORTS 860 AM) – ESPAÑOL (LOSATLETICOS.COM)

#### **ABOUT THE A's**

**ABOUT THE A'S:** Have lost four of their last five games and nine of 15, but are 23-18 (.561) since June 25, which is tied for fifth best record in the American League over that span...are 14-24 in the first game of a series, 17-21 in the second game and 23-11 in the third game...have slipped below the .500 mark for the first time since July 19 (46-47)...have sat exactly at .500 nine times since the All-Star Break and 20 times this year...the 20 times equal the most ever in Oakland history, matching the 1968 A's in their first season in the Bay Area ...have spent each of the last five days in third place in the AL West after spending 13 of the previous 15 days with at least a share of second...have 25 days alone in first this year, eight days tied for first, 35 days in second, five days tied for second, 55 days in third and one day in fourth.

**NIGHT AND DAY:** The A's have won 11 of their last 12 day games and are 28-11 (.718) during the day for the season, which is the best record in the majors...are 29-47 (.382) at night, which is second worst in the American League (BAL, 30-55) and third worst in the majors (PIT, 28-55)...have a 2.77 ERA (107 er in 347.2 ip) during the day and a 4.04 ERA (301 er in 671.1 ip) at night...have the lowest day ERA in the majors.

**HOME AND AWAY:** The A's are 1-4 on this six-game road trip to Seattle (1-2) and Minnesota (0-2, three games)...are 23-34 (.404) on the road compared to 34-24 (.569) at home...have a 4.41 ERA (240 er in 490.0 ip) on the road compared to 2.86 (168 er in 529.0 ip) at home...have the lowest home ERA in the American League...have allowed 67 home runs on the road, which is third most in the AL, and 39 at home, which is second fewest...starting pitchers are 17-23 with a 4.17 ERA (158 er in 341.0 ip) on the road compared to 26-17 with a 2.86 ERA (116 er in 365.0 ip) at home...return home following today's series finale for a seven-game homestand against Toronto (three games) and Tampa Bay (four)...have won 10 of the last 14 home games.

**AGAINST THE BEST:** Today's game marks the 15th time in the last 21 games the A's have played a team that was in first place at the time of the game...are 6-8 in the previous 14 encounters against first place clubs (3-3 vs. Chicago, 3-3 vs. Texas, 0-2 vs. Minnesota)...for the season, the A's have a 30-39 record against opponents that were at or above .500 when the A's played them and 27-19 against teams that were below .500.

THE DISABLED LIST: The A's placed Adam Rosales on the disabled list Friday, the 22nd time Oakland has used the disabled list this year...that is tied for second most in Oakland history, three short of the record of 25 set in 2008...the A's have now used the DL 86 times since the start of the 2007 season (17 in 2009, an Oakland record 25 in 2008 and 22 in 2007)...the only team that has used the DL more over that span is Texas (91)...the 22 players have combined to miss 953 games (43.3 games per stint)...the Oakland record for games missed while on the DL is 1259 in 2007...the A's currently have a season-high tying 11 players on the DL (Bailey, Chavez, Devine, Duchscherer, Jackson, Meloan, Outman, Rosales, Sheets, Sweeney, Watson).

STARTING PITCHING: Dallas Braden tossed the A's fourth complete game in the last 12 games on Wednesday and their sixth of the season, which is tied for fourth in the American League...Gio Gonzalez allowed four runs (two earned) and three hits in 6.0 innings Friday night, thus snapping a streak of A's starters tossing seven or more innings in five consecutive games, which was the longest such streak by an Oakland pitching staff since June 22-29, 2005 when they had a seven-game streak...starters have a 1.41 ERA (8 er in 51.0 ip) and .191 (33 for 173) opponents batting average over the last seven games but are just 3-4 over that stretch...are 20-13 with a 2.83 ERA (86 er in 273.2 ip) over the last 41 games (since June 25) after going 23-27 with a 3.92 ERA over the first 74 games...have a 3.49 ERA (274 er in 706.0 ip) for the season, which is the lowest mark in the AL and second lowest in the majors (St. Louis, 3.28)...have the lowest opponents batting average in the AL and second lowest in the majors (.241)...all five pitchers currently in the A's starting rotation have an ERA under 4.00, with Vin Mazzaro being the highest at 3.86.

**PITCHING:** The A's pitching staff has allowed three runs or fewer in nine of the last 11 games for a 1.99 ERA (21 er in 95.0 ip) and .198 (64 for 324) opponents batting average...however, the A's have won just five of those 11 games...Oakland now has a 2.63 ERA (72 er in 246.1 ip) over the last 28 games (since July 10) and **leads the American League with a 3.60 ERA for the season**...also leads the AL in fewest extra base hits (295), is tied for the lead in shutouts (10), and ranks second in pickoffs (19) and opponents batting average (.244).

**THE LONG BALL:** The A's have gone six consecutive games without a home run, the second longest streak of the season (7, May 18-25)...have hit just 70 home runs for the season, which is tied for fewest in the majors (Seattle)...are on pace to hit 99 home runs...the three lowest single season home run totals in Oakland history in a non-strike season are 94 in 1968, 100 in 1978 and 108 in 1979.

**ON THE BASES:** The A's rank fourth in the American League with 100 stolen bases, marking just the second time in the last 12 seasons the A's have stolen 100 or more bases (had 133 last year)...have been successful in 100 of 125 (80.0%) stolen base attempts, which is the best percentage in the AL and second best in the majors (PHI, 82.1%)...the Oakland record is 80.7% set in 2008...the A's have a record of 41-19 when stealing a base and are 16-39 with no stolen bases...have three players with at least 16 stolen bases (Davis 36, Pennington 18, Crisp 16) for the first time since 1992 (Henderson 48, Wilson 28, Blankenship 21).

**OFFENSE:** The A's are averaging 2.0 runs in their last six games, but lead the American League in sacrifice hits (38) this season, are tied for second in sacrifice flies (39) and are tied for second in triples (25)...over the last 23 years, the only time the A's had more triples in a season was in 2002 when they had 28...have the second fewest extra base hits in the AL (294) and the second lowest slugging percentage (.377)...rank last in the majors with 12 intentional walks...last year, the A's were walked just 16 times intentionally, which was the fewest by a ML team since the 1961 Kansas City A's had 10.

**SINCE THE ALL-STAR BREAK:** The A's are 14-12 (.538) since the All-Star Break, which is the sixth best record in the American League...have won all four home series since the break but have lost four of five series on the road (including vs. MIN)...the pitching staff has a 2.76 ERA (70 er in 228.1 ip), which is the lowest mark in the majors...lead the AL in opponents batting average (.228)...the offense leads the majors with 35 stolen bases...however, are tied for the fewest home runs in the majors (13) and the fourth fewest extra base hits (63).

#### PITCHING PROBABLES

Mon., Aug. 16 vs. TOR RHP Shaun Marcum (10-6, 3.87) vs. LHP Brett Anderson (3-3, 2.88) 7:05 CSNCA Tue., Aug. 17 vs. TOR RHP Brandon Morrow (9-6, 4.45) vs. LHP Dallas Braden (7-8, 3.56) 7:05 CSNCA Wed., Aug. 18 vs. TOR LHP Marc Rzepczynski (1-1, 4.42) vs. LHP Gio Gonzalez (10-8, 3.49) 12:35

Expanded game notes with roster, supplemental bios and player features are available at http://pressbox.oaklandathletics.com

## SUNDAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Vin Mazzaro (6-4, 3.86 ERA)

MAZZA	RO	ВΥ	THE	NU	MBER	S
	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2010	6	4	3.86	16	88.2	38
2009	4	9	5.32	17	91.1	54
Career	10	12	4.63	31	173.0	89
Home	2	1	3.46	7	39.0	15
Road	4	3	4.17	9	49.2	23
Day	4	2	2.84	8	44.1	14
Night	2	2	4.87	8	44.1	24
Pre-ASB	4	2	3.81	11	56.2	24
Post-ASB	2	2	3.94	5	32.0	14
		Α	VG.	Α	В	Н
vs. LHH			279	14	17	41
vs. RHH			.254	18	39	49

RUN SUPP	ORT
Mazzaro (as s	starter)
Runs Scored	Times
0	1
1	2
2	1
3	5
4	1
5	1
6	1
7	0
8	0
9	1
10	0
Run Support Avg.	4.94

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#### MAZZARO'S CAREER HIGHS

Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	7.2, 7/18/10 at KC
Fewest IP, GS: 3.0 (	twice), last: 5/4/10 vs. TEX
H:	12, 7/29/10 at TEX
R:	8, 7/18/09 vs. LAA
<b>ER</b> : 7 (t	wice), last: 7/29/10 at TEX
BB:	6, 6/29/10 at BAL
SO:	8, 6/28/09 vs. COL
HR: 2 (five t	imes), last: 7/29/10 at TEX
Win Streak:	4, 6/29/10 to 7/24/10
Loss Streak:	8, 6/12/09 to 8/2/09
Scoreless Streak:	17.2, 6/2/09 to 6/12/09
Complete Games:	None
Shutouts:	None

**FOR STARTERS:** Is scheduled to make his 17<sup>th</sup> appearance and 14<sup>th</sup> start of the season...the A's are 6-7 (.462) in his starting assignments this year and 12-18 (.400) in his career...has tossed six or more innings in nine of his 13 starts, allowed two runs or fewer seven times and walked two batters or fewer eight times.

LAST EIGHT STARTS: Has allowed one earned run in four of his last eight starts and is 4-2 with a 3.27 ERA (19 er in 52.1 ip) and .240 (46 for 192) opponents batting average over that span...went 2-2 with a 4.71 ERA and .299 opponents batting average over his first eight games.

AGAINST THE CENTRAL: Is 3-0 with a 1.85 ERA (7 er in 34.0 ip) in six games, four starts, against American League Central teams and 3-4 with a 5.10 ERA in 10 games pine starts, against evenyone

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	ΙP	Н	R	ER	ВВ	SO.		#PIT
May 4	TEX	7-6		12.00	3.0	2	4	4	4	4	1	62
*May 20	DET	2-5		6.75	5.0	5	2	2	1	4	1	89
*May 30	at DET	2-10		5.40	2.0	4	5	0	3	1	1	41
May Tota	ıls (3 G, 1 G	S)	0-0	5.40	10.0	11	11	6	8	9	3	
*June 3	at BOS	9-8	W	6.08	3.1	9	3	3	1	1	1	82
June 8	LAA	10-1	W	4.91	5.0	5	1	1	0	3	0	86
June 13	at SF	2-6	L	4.81	6.0	6	4	3	1	1	2	81
June 18	at STL	4-6		5.22	5.0	6	4	4	3	5	1	92
June 23	CIN	0-3	L	4.71	7.0	6	2	2	1	3	0	99
June 29	at BAL	4-2	W	4.25	6.0	3	1	1	6	2	0	94
June Tot	als (6 G, 5 G	iS)	3-2	3.90	32.1	35	15	14	12	15	4	
July 4	at CLE	3-1	W	3.81	7.1	7	1	1	1	7	0	111
July 9	LAA	5-6 (10)		3.81	7.0	4	3	3	3	5	1	107
July 18	at KC	9-6	W	3.50	7.2	7	1	1	1	5	0	107
July 24	CWS	10-2	W	3.45	6.0	3	2	2	3	5	1	102
July 29	at TEX	4-7	L	4.04	5.1	12	7	7	1	3	2	99
July Tota	als (5 G, 5 G	S)	3-1	3.78	33.1	33	14	14	9	25	4	
Aug. 3	KC	2-3		3.86	6.0	5	2	1	2	5	1	104
Aug. 9	at SEA	1-3	L	3.86	7.0	5	3	3	2	5	0	113
*indicates	s relief appea	rance										

MAZZARO'S 2010 APPEARANCES WITH OAKLAND

10 games, nine starts, against everyone else...is now 5-1 with a 2.63 ERA (15 er in 51.1 ip) in nine career outings against the AL Central and 5-12 with a 5.39 ERA in 24 games against all other teams...will be making his first career start against the Twins today.

**OPPONENTS BATTING:** Has allowed a .310 (40 for 129) opponents batting average the first time through the lineup, .254 (30 for 118) the second time through and .213 (19 for 89) after that...has allowed a combined .400 (32 for 80) opponents batting average to the opponents two and three hitters and .223 (57 for 256) against everyone else...has allowed 12 home runs, nine of which have come with runners on base.

**STARTING AND RELIEVING:** Is 5-4 with a 3.79 ERA (33 er in 78.1 ip) and .243 (71 for 292) opponents batting average in 13 starts and 1-0 with a 4.35 ERA (5 er in 10.1 ip) and .409 (18 for 44) opponents average in three relief appearances.

**BRIEFLY:** Replaced the injured Brett Anderson in the starting rotation on June 8 and is 5-4 with a 3.46 ERA (29 er in 75.1 ip) and .246 (69 for 281) opponents batting average in 12 starts since then...began the season at Triple-A Sacramento and was 1-1 with a 2.59 ERA in five games, four starts, when the A's called for the first time on May 4...started that night against Texas, had a no decision in the A's 7-6 win and was optioned back to Sacramento the next day...went 2-0 with a 4.15 ERA in two more starts with the River Cats before returning to Oakland May 20...went 1-0 with a 4.35 ERA (5 er in 10.1 ip) in three relief appearances before moving into the starting rotation.

**WINNING STREAK SNAPPED:** Allowed seven runs on a career high 12 hits on July 29 at Texas to snap his winning streak at a career high four games...allowed eight runs (2.12 ERA) on 24 hits (.202 opponents batting average) during the winning streak, which spanned five starts from June 29 to July 24...has six wins for the season, which surpasses his total of four from his rookie season last year.

SIX INNINGS OR LESS: Tossed 7.0 innings June 23 against Cincinnati, snapping an Oakland record streak of 19 consecutive starts with 6.0 innings pitched or fewer...broke the previous mark of 14 held by five pitchers, most recently by Kirk Saarloos from July 19, 2004 to June 11, 2005...has now tossed seven or more innings in five of his last nine starts.

**IN RELIEF:** Tossed 5.0 innings of relief against Detroit May 20 in the first relief appearance of his career after 19 starts...it is the longest outing by an A's reliever this year...his second outing also came against Detroit on May 30 and he pitched the final two innings of the A's 10-2 loss...allowed five unearned runs in the eighth inning...tossed 3.1 innings of relief June 3 at Boston after Brett Anderson left the game following the second inning with an injury and was the winning pitcher in the A's 9-8 win...tossed at least 2.0 innings in each of his three relief appearances...struck out two of his first batters faced and walked the other.

**2010 HIGHLIGHTS:** He had a no decision in the A's 7-6 win over Texas on *May 4* in Oakland...left with a 5-4 lead but tossed just 4.0 innings...the 3.0 innings pitched matched his fewest as a starter...had his two-game winning streak snapped in the A's 6-2 loss at San Francisco *June 13*...allowed a career high tying two home runs and they came back-to-back in the sixth inning by Huff and Uribe...was the winning pitcher in the A's 4-2 win at Baltimore *June 29*...issued a career high six walks in 6.0 innings but allowed just three hits and one run...extended his winning streak to two games in the A's 3-1 win at Cleveland *July 4*...had a 1-0 lead when he allowed his only run in the third inning on three consecutive singles by Santana, Hafner and Kearns...retired 13 of the next 14 hitters...had a no decision in the A's 6-5, 10-inning loss to Los Angeles on *July 9* in Oakland...left after seven innings with the score tied 3-3...extended his winning streak to three games in the A's 9-6 victory at Kansas City *July 18*...tossed a career high 7.2 innings...allowed a RBI single to Butler in the first inning, but that was the only run he allowed...blanked the Royals on five hits and a walk over his final 6.2 innings and left with a 6-1 lead...extended his winning streak to four games in the A's 10-2 win over Chicago *July 24* in Oakland...retired 14 of the last 16 hitters he faced... allowed a career high 12 hits and matched his career high by yielding seven earned runs in the A's 7-4 loss at Texas July 29.

**LAST START:** He was the losing pitcher in the A's 3-1 loss at Seattle on Monday...tossed a career high 113 pitches in seven innings...allowed back-to-back RBI singles to Lopez and Gutierrez in the first inning...allowed another run in the fifth inning on a Wilson sacrifice fly...Fister and the Seattle bullpen combined to limit the A's to a run on seven hits.

MAZZARO vs. MINNESOTA: Is making his first career appearance.

WITH SACRAMENTO: Was 3-1 with a 3.13 ERA (37.1 ip, 35 h, 16 r, 13 er, 17 bb, 38 so) in seven games, six starts, with the River Cats...allowed two home runs in 37.1 innings...opponents hit .245, including .204 (11 for 54) by left-handed hitters and .270 (24 for 89) by right-handers...yielded a .200 (8 for 40) mark with runners in scoring position...allowed six of his 16 runs in the first inning for a 9.00 ERA (6 er in 6.0 ip) and .360 (9 for 25) opponents batting average...had a 2.01 ERA (7 er in 31.1 ip) and .220 (26 for 118) opponents average from the second inning on.

#### TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER

LHP Brett Anderson (3-3, 2.88 ERA): Is scheduled to make his 10<sup>th</sup> start of the season, his fourth since being reinstated from the disabled list July 30... has not allowed a home run in 50.0 innings pitched, which are the most innings in the majors among pitchers with no home runs.....his nine consecutive starts without a home run is the longest such streak by an Athletic over the last three years... has two stints on the disabled list this year, both due to his left elbow... was 1-1 with a 2.35 ERA in four starts when he was placed on the 15-day DL the first time April 27 retroactive to April 25 with a left elbow inflammation and proximal medial forearm strain... is 11-7 with a 2.94 ERA (51 er in 156.1 ip), .239 (140 for 586) opponents batting average and seven home runs in his 26 starts since June 29, 2009... was the losing pitcher in the A's 2-0 loss at Seattle Tuesday in his last start (7.0 ip, 5 h, 1 r, 1 er, 2 bb, 7 so)...tomorrow night will be his first ever appearance vs. Toronto.

### ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

Save/Save Opportunities: 27/35 (77.1%)

14-18, 3.85 ERA (313.0 ip, 297 h, 147 r, 134 er, 134 bb, 276 so, 40 hr)

The A's bullpen has allowed one run or less in 33 of the past 39 games and has a 2.84 ERA (30 er in 95.0 ip) over that span...has a 3.37 ERA (6 er in 16.0 ip) in nine games in August after posting a 2.34 ERA in 22 games in July (16 er in 61.2 ip)...is tied for third in the American League in losses (18), tied for fourth in home runs allowed (40), is fifth in strikeouts (276), tied for seventh in wins (14) and is ninth in innings pitched (313.0)...has 35 save opportunities this season, which is the second fewest in the AL (Detroit, 31)...has a 2.85 ERA (52 er in 164.1 ip) at home compared to a 4.95 ERA (82 er in 149.0 ip) on the road.

**40 RHP ANDREW BAILEY** Save/Opportunities: 20-23 Last Outing: 7/20 vs. Boston (W, 2.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 1 so) First Hitters: 9-34 (2 bb, 2 sf) Inherited Runners/Scored: 15/5

- Was placed on the 15-day DL July 30 with a right intercostal strain, retroactive to July 21.
- Had not allowed a run in 13 of his past 15 appearances (1.10 ERA, 2 er in 16.1 ip).
- Was named to his second consecutive American League All-Star team and appeared in the game for the first time.
- Made the jump from Double-A to the majors in 2009 and was named American League Rookie of the Year by the BBWAA...set an Oakland rookie record with 26 saves, which tied for the sixth highest save total by a rookie in AL history...ranked third among AL relievers in ERA (1.84).

13 LHP JERRY BLEVINS Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 8/13 at Minnesota (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 0 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 25/8 First Hitters: 13-47 (3 bb)

- Threw a scoreless seventh inning Friday night but walked his first batter after 18 consecutive walk-free appearances...has not allowed a run in 17 of his last 19 outings and has a 1.32 ERA (13.2 ip, 14 h, 2 r, 2 er, 12 so) during that stretch
- Has a 2.12 ERA (4 er in 17.0 ip) in 19 outings on two days rest or more and a 4.71 ERA (11 er in 21.0 ip) in 31 appearances on one day of rest
- Has a 2.40 ERA (8 er in 30.0 ip) in 34 appearances during night games compared to a 7.88 ERA (7 er in 8.0 ip) in 16 day appearances.
- Has a 1.29 ERA in six career appearances against Minnesota (7.0 ip, 5 h, 1 r, 1 er, 3 bb, 5 so).
- Made the A's Opening Day roster for the first time last year and had three stints with Oakland, compiling a 4.84 ERA in 20 relief appearances...opponents hit .229...also went 5-3 with two saves and a 3.84 ERA in 45 relief appearances at Triple-A Sacramento.

**52 RHP BOOF BONSER** Last Outing: 8/6 vs. Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so) Save/Opportunities: 0-0 First Hitters: 1-2 (1 bb) Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0

- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento July 31 and made his A's debut August 6...had pitched in five games (all starts) for the River Cats and went 2-1 with a 4.56 ERA (12 er in 23.2 ip).
- Has never faced the Twins in his career.
- Was designated for assignment by the Red Sox June 18 and subsequently signed by the A's July 2.
- Was placed on the 15-day Disabled List by the Red Sox March 31 due to a right groin strain...was sent to Triple-A Pawtucket on a rehab assignment April 8 and went 0-2 with a 6.34 ERA before being activated by the Boston June 7...his 2010 minor league stats:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	sv	IP	Н	R	ER	BB	so
Pawtucket	0	2	6.34	9	8	0	0	0	32.2	37	23	23	14	25
Sacramento	2	1	4.56	5	5	0	0	0	23.2	20	14	12	11	17

Missed the entire 2009 season after undergoing arthroscopic surgery on February 25 to repair partial tears to the labrum and rotator cuff in his right shoulder.

**56 LHP CRAIG BRESLOW** Save/Opportunities: 1-2 Last Outing: 8/14 at Minnesota (ND, 1.0 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 1 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 25/6 First Hitters: 9-52 (3 bb)

- Has made 55 appearances this season, which is tied for second most among American League relievers...is tied for eighth in strikeouts (52) and ranks 13th in opponents batting average.
- Has a 2.92 ERA (4 er in 12.1 ip) in 12 appearances since the All-Star Break after posting a 3.32 ERA (15 er in 40.2 ip) in 43 games before the
- Has a 7.20 ERA (4 er in 5.0 ip) in four August appearances after logging a 2.84 ERA in 12 appearances in July...had a 3.60 ERA in 16 appearances in June and a 0.71 ERA in 12 games in May.
- Has a 4.91 ERA (6 er in 11.0 ip) in 13 outings on no days rest and a 2.79 ERA (13 er in 42.0 ip) in his other 42 games...his career numbers are 3.72 (19 er in 46.0 ip) on no days rest and 2.66 (45 er in 152.0 ip) with one day or more.
- Has a 3.18 ERA in seven career outings against the Twins (5.2 ip, 5 h, 2 r, 2 er, 3 bb, 5 so).
- Began the 2009 season with Minnesota and had a 6.28 ERA in 17 appearances when he was claimed off waivers by the A's May 20...went 7-5 with a 2.60 ERA in 60 games with Oakland and combined for an 8-7 record and a 3.36 ERA in a career high 77 appearances overall.

**63 RHP HENRY RODRIGUEZ** Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 8/13 at Minnesota (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 2/0 First Hitters: 4-10 (1 bb)

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento July 19 for his fourth stint with the A's this year...has made eight appearances since his recall and has a 3.86 ERA over that span (7.0 ip, 6 h, 3 r, 3 er, 3 bb, 7 so).
- Pitched once during his first stint from May 5 to 14 (13.50 ERA), twice during his second stay from May 16 to 19 (4.50 ERA) and once during his last stint from June 4 to 7 when he tossed 2.0 scoreless innings June 7 against Los Angeles (1 bb, 2 so).
- Has a 2.84 ERA (2 er in 6.1 ip) in five appearances at home compared to a 6.00 ERA (4 er in 6.0 ip) in six road outings.
- Friday night was his first career appearance vs. Minnesota, as he pitched a scoreless eighth inning (1 h, 1 bb).
- Had five saves in six appearances with Sacramento following his last option on June 8 and did not allow an earned run (6.1 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 0 er, 2 bb, 9 so)...was on Sacramento's disabled list from June 15 to July 9 with a strained right hamstring...has allowed a .133 opponents batting average with the River Cats, including .106 (5 for 47) against right-handed hitters and .179 (5 for 28) against left-handers...allowed just one home run in 21.1 innings...struck out 31 in 21.1 innings and now has 452 career strikeouts in 351.2 minor league innings (11.57 per nine innings)...his complete statistics with Sacramento this year:

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Made his Major League debut with Oakland last year and posted a 2.25 ERA and .235 opponents batting average in three games in September...combined for a 2-1 record and a 5.18 ERA in a career-high 40 relief appearances with Single-A Stockton and Triple-A Sacramento.

Last Outing: 7/29 at Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so) **50 RHP ROSS WOLF** Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Inherited Runners/Scored: 2/0 First Hitters: 0-3 (1 bb)

- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento July 7 and made his 2010 debut July 10...was his first big league appearance since September 29, 2007 at New York-NL (0.2 ip, 4 h, 3 r, 3 er, 1 bb, 1 hr).
- Made his Major League debut with Florida in 2007 and went 0-1 with an 11.68 ERA in 14 relief appearances.
- Has never faced the Twins in his career.
- Was acquired by the A's from Baltimore June 22 with cash considerations for Jake Fox.
- Began the season at Triple-A Norfolk and went 0-2 with a 2.11 ERA in 25 relief appearances...was assigned to Sacramento following the trade and had no decisions, three saves and a 1.29 ERA in seven relief appearances with the River Cats...was 0-2 with a 1.99 ERA in 32 appearances overall...allowed a .196 batting average, including .200 (14 for 70) against left-handed hitters and .194 (19 for 98) against right-handers...opponents were 8 for 46 (.174) with runners in scoring position and he allowed one home run in 45.1 innings.

Last Outing: 8/8 vs. Texas (S, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 2 bb, 1 so)
First Hitters: 5-28 (4 bb, 1 sh) **48 RHP MICHAEL WUERTZ** Save/Opportunities: 5-5 Inherited Runners/Scored: 21/3

- Has not allowed an earned run in 16 of his past 18 appearances (14.1 ip, 8 h, 4 r, 3 er, 7 bb, 17 so, 1.88 ERA) after allowing six runs in his previous seven outings (3.2 ip, 14.75 ERA)...has a 5.02 ERA (13 er in 23.1 ip) over his last 30 games.
- Earned his career-high fifth save of the season last Sunday, all five of which have come at home...has nine saves in two seasons with the A's after earning one save over his first five Major League seasons.
- Has a 0.93 ERA (1 er in 9.2 ip) in 13 appearances during the day and a 6.35 ERA (12 er in 17.0 ip) in 21 outings at night.
- Has a 6.43 ERA (10 er in 14.0 ip) in 17 outings with one day of rest or less and a 2.13 ERA (3 er in 12.2 ip) in 17 appearances with two days rest or more.
- Has a 1.59 ERA in seven career appearances against Minnesota (5.2 ip, 3 h, 1 r, 1 er, 2 bb, 11 so).
- Began the season on the 15-day disabled list with right shoulder tendinitis and was reinstated May 3.
- Went 6-1 with four saves and a 2.63 ERA in a team-leading 74 appearances for the A's last year...the games pitched tied for eighth most in Oakland history...led American League relievers and tied for second in the majors with a career-high 102 strikeouts.

31 RHP BRAD ZIEGLER Save/Opportunities: 0-3 Last Outing: 8/6 vs. Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 1 r, 1 er, 2 bb, 0 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 23/6 First Hitters: 7-44 (3 bb, 1 hbp)

- Has appeared in 10 of the past 36 games (8.2 ip, 8 h, 5 r, 5 er, 4 bb, 6 so, 5.19 ERA) after making 11 appearances over the previous 18 games (9.1 ip, 14 h, 4 r, 4 er, 2 bb, 6 so, 3.86 ERA).
- Has allowed one run in one inning in one appearance in August...had a 2.46 ERA in seven July appearances (7.1 ip, 7 h, 2 r, 2 er, 2 bb, 5 so) after allowing at least one run in seven of his 15 outings in June for a 6.40 ERA...posted a 2.53 ERA in April and 1.93 ERA in May.
- Has held right-handed hitters to a .226 (28 for 124) average while lefties are hitting .319 (15 for 47) with three of his four home runs and 13 of his 21 walks...has yielded six of his eight career home runs to left-handed hitters.
- Has allowed four home runs, which is a new career high...yielded two in each of the previous two seasons.
- Has a 1.48 ERA (4 er in 24.1 ip) at home compared to a 5.82 ERA (14 er in 21.2 ip) on the road.
- Has a 2.35 ERA (6 er in 23.0 ip) in 25 outings on one day rest or less and a 4.84 ERA (12 er in 22.1 ip) in his other 23 outings.
- Is 1-1 with a 3.68 ERA in six career outings against the Twins (7.1 ip, 7 h, 4 r, 4 er, 5 bb, 5 so).
- Was 2-4 with seven saves and a 3.07 ERA in 69 relief appearances last year...allowed two home runs in 73.1 innings for an average of 0.25 per nine innings, the third lowest mark among American League relievers...led AL relievers and ranked second in the majors in GIDP (14).

## ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

10 DARIC BARTON Career vs. Slowey (.000, 0-6, 0 HR, 0 BB, 3 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 6 Minnesota Series: 2-8, 3b, rbi, bb, so, gidp Road Trip: 4-16, 2b, 3b, rbi, 2 bb, 2 so, 3 gidp

- Is 12 for 53 (.226) with 11 walks over his last 15 games after going 11 for 31 (.355) over his first eight games after the All-Star Break
- Tied for the American League lead in walks (70), ranks ninth in on-base percentage (.380) and is tied for ninth in times on base (183).
- Is tied for second in the AL with 12 sacrifice hits, which are the most by an Athletic since A.J. Hinch had 13 in 1998...they are the most by a first baseman in Oakland history and are the most by any major league first baseman since Rod Carew had 16 for California in 1982.
- Has four stolen bases in his last 22 games after stealing three over the first 302 games of his career.
- Is tied with Cabrera (DET) for the lead among American League first basemen with 10 errors.
- Has career highs this year in hits (110), doubles (26), walks (70) and stolen bases (4).
- Split the 2009 season between Triple-A Sacramento and Oakland...hit .261 with nine home runs and 48 RBI in 70 games with the River Cats and .269 with three home runs and 24 RBI in 54 games with the A's...batted .302 in 37 games after returning from the DL August 21.

22 CHRIS CARTER Career vs. Slowey (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 16 Minnesota Series: 0-7, 2 so, gidp Road Trip: 0-16, bb, 7 so, gidp

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento Monday and made his Major League debut with a start in left field that night at Seattle (0 for 3, 2 so)...has started all five games in left field since his call-up and has gone hitless in 16 at-bats with a walk and seven strikeouts.
- Was acquired by the A's along with five other players from Arizona in the Dan Haren trade, December 14, 2007...was the A's organizational Player of the Year in 2008 and 2009 and was named the A's Top Prospect by Baseball America following the 2009 season.
- Has a .284 career average in six seasons in the minors with 145 home runs and 440 RBI in 661 games...has at least 25 home runs and 89 RBI in each of his last four seasons.
- Was tied for fifth in all of minor league baseball in home runs (27) and extra base hits (58) at the time of his promotion and was also tied for seventh in runs (84) while ranking eighth in RBI (89)...combined for a .233 batting average, 15 home runs and 54 RBI in 77 games over the first three months of the season but hit .321 with 12 home runs and 35 RBI in 36 games since the start of July...appeared in 94 games at first base, 15 in left field and five in right field but has made 11 of his last 12 appearances in left...his complete statistics with Sacramento:

AVG RBI AB R BB SO SB SLG **OBP** G Н 2B 3B HR CS .262 113 424 84 111 29 2 27 89 68 124 0 .368 Sacramento .531

Was named the A's Organizational Player of the Year for the second consecutive in 2009 after batting a combined .329 with 28 home runs and 115 RBI in 138 games with Double-A Midland and Triple-A Sacramento...led all of Minor League baseball with 179 hits.

3 ERIC CHAVEZ Current Streak: 0 for 6

Was placed on the 15-day disabled list May 22 retroactive to May 21 with neck spasms...this is his seventh career stint on the DL, his fifth in the last four years...was transferred to the 60-day DL July 7.

Had season-ending surgery for the third consecutive season in 2009, appearing in just eight games before having microdiscectomy surgery on his back June 23...it was his fifth surgery since Sept. 5, 2007...hit .100 in eight games...appeared in 121 games from 2007 to 2009.

4 COCO CRISP Career vs. Slowey (.333, 1-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO) Current Streak: 7 games (12 for 28) Minnesota Series: 3-9, sb, so, 2 gidp Road Trip: 8-22, r, rbi, sb, 4 so, 2 gidp

- Is 14 for 35 (.400) with three extra base hits (two doubles, one home run) and five RBI over his last nine games after going 13 for 70 (.186) with three extra base hits and one RBI over his previous 17 contests.
- Has 11 stolen bases since the All-Star Break, which is tied for second in the majors (Pierre, CWS 13)...is 16 for 18 (88.9%) in stolen base attempts for the season, which is the second best percentage in the American League (Gutierrez, SEA, 89.5%)...has stolen at least 13 bases in each of the last eight seasons.
- Is tied for 11th in the AL in triples (4) despite missing 70 games while on the disabled list.

  Tied an Oakland record with two sacrifice flies last Sunday against Texas (25<sup>th</sup> time, first since Jack Cust, June 13, 2008 at San Francisco)...added a solo home run for three RBI...had driven in just one run over his previous 19 games.
- Has made 41 of his 42 starts in the leadoff spot.

32 JACK CUST

- Has two stints on the DL...was out from April 3-May 20 with a fractured left pinky and May 23-June 21 with a strained right intercostal muscle.
- Batted .228 with 29 walks and 13 stolen bases in 49 games in his first season with Kansas City last year in a season that ended in mid-June due to injuries...was placed on the 15-day disabled list June 14 with a right rotator cuff strain and ended up have surgeries on both of his shoulders.

Career vs. Slowey (.167, 1-6, 1 HR, 0 BB, 4 SO) Minnesota Series: 2-8, 2b, rbi, 3 so Road Trip: 4-15, r, 2b, rbi, 5 bb, hbp, 12 so, cs Is 10 for 49 (.204) with nine walks and 28 strikeouts over his last 16 games...his third-inning run-scoring double Friday night snapped a streak of

Current Streak: 0 for 5

- 14 games in which he had not driven in a run...prior to that 14-game stretch he had hit .364 with six home runs and 15 RBI over his previous 10
- Is tied for third in the American League in walks (16) since the All-Star Break and tied for second in strikeouts (34).
- Has all eight of his home runs and 28 of his 30 RBI against right-handed pitching...has 80 of his 98 career home runs off righties.
- Is batting .375 (6 for 16) in four games against Minnesota this year.
- Is batting .254 (35 for 138) at night compared to .338 (23 for 68) during the day.
- Was batting .273 with four home runs and 19 RBI in 33 games with the River Cats before the A's called May 15...was leading the PCL in walks (33) and ranked third in on-base percentage (.444) at the time of his promotion...appeared in 19 games at DH, seven in left and six in right.
- Led the A's in home runs (25), walks (93) and strikeouts (185) for the third consecutive season in 2009 and also topped the club in games (149), runs (88) and on-base percentage (.356)...led the American League in strikeouts and ranked fifth in walks but hit .240, which was fourth lowest.

OAKLAND A'S CAREER STOLEN BASE LEADERS

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Is batting .310 (26 for 84) since the All-Star Break after hitting .268 before the break...hit .325 after the break last year and is a .303 (191 for 630) career hitter after the All-Star Break compared to .250 before the break.

Is hitting .337 (31 for 92) with three home runs, 16 RBI and 10 stolen bases over his last 24 games.

- Ranks third in the American League and fourth in the majors in stolen bases (36)...is eighth in the AL in stolen base percentage (83.7%)...stole 41 bases last year and is the fifth player in Oakland history with two or more 30-steal seasons...Rickey Henderson (13 times), Bert Campaneris (8), Bill North (4) and Claudell Washington (2) are the other four...has 13 stolen bases over his last 48 games after swiping 23 bags over his first 50 contests.
- Has hit safely in all five games against Minnesota this year (6 for 21, .286) with two doubles and a home run...is a .321(25 for 78) career hitter against the Twins.
- Had his 15<sup>th</sup> career multi-steal game Aug. 7 against Texas, his fifth this year...now has 102 stolen bases as an Athletic and is the 10<sup>th</sup> player in Oakland history to reach the century mark.
- Has a career high five home runs...had seven home runs in 333 games entering this season...all five of his home runs have come at home and at night.
- Batted .305 in 125 games last year, including .324 from June 1 through the end of the season, which was the fourth best mark in the AL...ranked fifth in the AL with a career high 41 stolen bases...those were the most steals by an Athletic since Rickey Henderson had 66 in 1998.

**Current Streak:** 0 for 3 **Road Trip:** 7-18, r, 3 2b, 3 rbi, 5 so, sb 14 MARK ELLIS Career vs. Slowey (.333, 1-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Minnesota Series: 4-13, r. 3 2b, 3 rbi, 5 so, sb

- Is 7 for 18 (.389) with three RBI on the road trip and is now batting .317 (45 for 142) with both of his home runs and 22 of his 30 RBI on the road compared to .210 (26 for 124) in Oakland.
- Tied an Oakland record with a career high three doubles Wednesday at Seattle...it was second three-double game by an Athletic this year and the 24th in Oakland history...had just three extra base hits over his previous 36 games.
- Is 14 for 64 (.219) over his last 21 games.
- Is 19 for his last 51 (.373) with runners in scoring position after going 3 for his first 17 (.176)...is hitting .324 with RISP overall.
- Has committed just one error in 70 games at second base.
- Hit into a triple play in the fourth inning Monday at Seattle...it was the second time an Athletic has hit in a triple player this year (Suzuki, April 22 vs. NYY).
- Was on the disabled list from April 21 to May 21 with a strained left hamstring...it was his fifth career stint on the DL.
- Batted .263 with 10 HR and 61 RBI in 105 games in 2009...missed 55 games while on the DL but his RBI were the second best total of his career...enters the 2010 season with a .98938 career fielding pct., which is third best in ML history among second basemen (min. 750 games).

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 1) **18 GABE GROSS** Career vs. Slowey (.000, 0-2, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Seattle Series: 0-0 Last Homestand: 1-1, 2 r, 2 bb

- Is 3 for 28 (.107) since the All-Star Break and is batting .169 (15 for 89) over his last 39 games.
- Is batting .263 (40 for 152) against right-handed pitching and .129 (4 for 31) against left-handers...his career splits entering this season were .251 against righties and .152 against lefties.
- Is hitting .270 (30 for 111) at night and .194 (13 for 71) during the day.
- Is 3 for 10 (.300) with three RBI and a walk as a pinch hitter...went 2 for 27 (.074) in the pinch last year.
- Has started just one of the A's last 17 games (July 30 at Chicago, right field).
- Is 0 for 11 with five strikeouts against Minnesota this year and is 6 for 48 (.125) in his career.
- Batted .227 with six home runs and 36 RBI in 115 games with Tampa Bay last year...started 71 games (67 in right field, four at designated hitter)...the A's are his fourth team in seven major league seasons (Toronto, Milwaukee, Tampa Bay).

28 CONOR JACKSON Current Streak: 2 games (2 for 8)

- Went 0 for 5 with a run scored yesterday for Triple-A Sacramento vs. Omaha and is now 0 for 8 with a walk and a strikeout as the starting left fielder in two rehab games with the RiverCats... previously was 2 for 7 (.286) with a run, a double and two RBI in two games, both in left field, with Single-A Stockton...also went 0 for 7 with a RBI and two strikeouts in three games (two in left field, one at designated hitter) with the A's affiliate in the Arizona Rookie League from August 8-10.
- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list July 5 retroactive to July 1 with a strained right hamstring...this is his second stint on the DL this year as he was on the Arizona DL from April 19 to May 6 with a strained right hamstring...has four stints on the DL over the last three years
- Appeared in just 30 games with Arizona last year and hit .182 with a home run and 14 RBI...was placed on the DL May 12 with what was later diagnosed as Valley Fever...went 0 for 10 in three games with Single-A Visalia on rehab before he was shut down for the rest of the season.

**5 KEVIN KOUZMANOFF** Career vs. Slowey (.000, 0-2, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 17 Minnesota Series: 0-8 Road Trip: 0-17, 2 bb, so, gidp

- Is 6 for 44 (.136) in August...combined for a .303 batting average in June and July after hitting .244 in April and May
- Is tied for third in the American League with 11 doubles since the All-Star Break.
- Is 5 for 19 (.263) with a home run and three RBI in five games against Minnesota this year and is 10 for 38 (also .263) in his career against the
- Grounded into his 17th double play of the season Tuesday, which is tied for fourth most in the AL
- Is batting .312 (43 for 138) with five of his 10 home runs in the seventh inning or later and .235 (70 for 298) over the first six innings of a game.
- Committed his 10<sup>th</sup> error of the season Monday after making just three in 139 games at third base with San Diego last year.
- Hit .255 with 18 doubles and 88 RBI in 141 games in his third and final season with San Diego last year...the RBI were a career high and he matched his best with 31 doubles...set the National League record for fielding percentage by a third baseman (.990), making just three errors.

Career vs. Slowey (.750, 3-4, 1 HR, 1 BB, 0 SO) 19 JEFF LARISH Current Streak: 0 for 6 Seattle Series: 0-3, so Road Trip: 0-3, so

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento Monday and made his Oakland debut that night at Seattle with a start at first base (0 for 3).
- Is 6 for 19 (.316) in nine career games against Minnesota and has hit two of his six career home runs against the Twins.
- Was claimed off waivers from the Tigers on August 3...began the season at Triple-A Toledo but was recalled by Detroit on July 25...went 2 for 10 (.200) with an RBI in three games with the Tigers before he was designated for assignment July 30.
- Was assigned to Sacramento following the waiver claim and had three home runs and 10 RBI in a doubleheader last Friday at Albuquerque, including two home runs and seven RBI in the second game...his complete statistics with Toledo and Sacramento in 2010:

	AVG	G	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	so	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Toledo	.275	84	298	43	82	21	0	15	55	45	84	1	0	.497	.373
Sacramento	.417	5	24	7	10	1	0	4	15	2	7	0	0	.958	.462
TOTALS	.286	89	322	50	92	22	0	19	70	47	91	1	0	.531	.379

• Batted .216 with four home runs and seven RBI in 32 games with Detroit last year and .265 with six home runs and 26 RBI in 61 games with Triple-A Toledo was the Tigers Minor League Player of the Year in 2007 after leading the Eastern League with 28 home runs and 101 RBI.

2 CLIFF PENNINGTON Career vs. Slowey (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 3) Minnesota Series: 1-3, 2b, bb, so, sb Road Trip: 3-11, 3 r, 2 2b, 2 bb, 2 so, sb, cs

- Is 13 for 63 (.206) over his last 21 games but is batting .333 (54 for 162) with 30 runs, 10 doubles and six triples over his last 52 games.
- Is tied for the American League lead with seven triples...that is also tied for the ninth best single season total in Oakland history...is just the second Athletic in the last 23 years with at least seven triples in a season (Eric Byrnes, 9 in 2003).
- Was caught stealing Tuesday in Seattle to snap a streak of 13 consecutive steals without a caught stealing...that was the longest streak by an Athletic since Rickey Henderson had 15 consecutive steals without a caught stealing from July 22 to August 19, 1998...has been successful in
- 18 of 21 (85.7%) stolen bases attempts for the season, which is tied for fourth best percentage in the American League
  Has a career long 87-game, 297-at bat homerless streak...his last home run came on April 27 at Tampa Bay...over the last 14 years, the only
  longer homerless streaks by an Athletic were by Jason Kendall (190 games, April 4-May 30, 2006; 157, June 1, 2006-June 12, 2007).
- Has committed 13 errors in his last 53 games after making five over his first 56...has 18 errors for the season, which is the most among AL shortstops and second most in the majors (Desmond, WAS 27).
- Began the 2009 season at Triple-A Sacramento but was promoted to Oakland July 31 following the Orlando Cabrera trade...started 60 of the A's final 61 games at shortstop and hit .279 with seven stolen bases in 60 games...hit .264 with 27 steals in 99 games with the River Cats.

**35 LANDON POWELL** Career vs. Slowey (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 3) Seattle Series: 1-3, rbi, bb Last Homestand: 0-0, sh

- Singled in the fourth inning Wednesday to snap a 0 for 12 streak...it was his first hit since July 18
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento June 11 for his fourth stint with the A's this year and is 6 for 33 (.182) in 13 games, including eight starts at catcher, since his return...started two of the first three games behind the plate following his return with Suzuki on the BL but has started just six of 50 games since then.
- Has tossed out 3 of 11 (27.3%) attempted base stealers this year and 12 of 31 (39.7%) in his career.
- Pinch ran for the injured Daric Barton last Sunday, his first career pinch running appearance...remained in the game at first base, his first appearance at first this year...appeared in six games at first base last year.
- Did not play during his first stint from April 21 to 22...hit .239 (9 for 39) with two doubles and three RBI in 13 games during his second stint from April 27 to May 20...went 3 for 7 (.429) with a home run and two RBI in two starts at catcher during his third stay from May 26 to June 3.
- Batted .200 (9 for 45) with one home run, two RBI and 10 walks in 14 games with Sacramento.
- Spent the entire 2009 season on the A's roster but appeared in just 46 games as the back-up to Kurt Suzuki...hit .229 with seven home runs and 30 RBI in his Major League debut...the RBI were second most in Oakland history by a player with 50 or fewer games played.

7 ADAM ROSALES Current Streak: 0 for 7

- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list Friday retroactive to August 12 with a stress fracture in his right ankle... is eligible to be reinstated August 27...it is his first career stint on the DL.
- Has started at least one game at six different positions (45 at second base, nine at shortstop, five at third base, three in left field, three at first base and one at designated hitter)...the last Athletic to start at least one games at six different positions was Scott Brosius in 1995 (first, second, third, left, center and right).

**8 KURT SUZUKI** Career vs. Slowey (.500, 3-6, 1HR, 0 BB, 1SO) Current Streak: 0 for 1 Minnesota Series: 2-6, 2 r, 2 bb, so Road Trip: 4-18, 3 r, 2 so, 2 bb

- Is 10 for 52 (.192) over his last 14 games after going 17 for 42 (.405) over his previous 11 contests.
- Ranks second among American League catchers in home runs (12) and third in RBI (48), despite missing 19 games while on the disabled list and three games while on the bereavement list.
- The A's pitching staff has a 3.18 ERA (257 er in 727.2 ip) with him behind the plate and he has the lowest catchers ERA in the AL by more than half a run (Cervelli, NYY 3.74)... A's pitchers have a 4.66 ERA (151 er in 291.1 ip) with all other catchers.
- Has committed four errors in his last 19 games behind the plate and has a career high eight for the season, which is second most among AL catchers...has tossed out 8 of 54 (14.8%) attempted base stealers, which is the second lowest percentage in the AL Ranks fourth in the AL in most plate appearances per strikeout (11.50) and is tied for eighth in hit by pitches (8).
- Has a team-leading 12 home runs, 11 of which have come against right-handed pitching...eight have come at home as have 25 of his 41 career home runs...three of his home runs have come on an 0-2 pitch, which is tied with Scott Hairston (SD) for the major league lead...now has six career 0-2 homers...since pitch counts were tracked beginning in 1988, only Mark McGwire and Miguel Tejada, with seven each, have more 0-2 homers as an Athletic.
- Caught the 424<sup>th</sup> game of his career Tuesday, moving him past Dave Duncan for sixth most in Oakland history.
- Has started 44 of the A's 50 games at catcher since missing three games from June 18-20 while on the Bereavement/Family Medical Emergency List...was on the 15-day disabled list from April 24 to May 15 with an intercostal strain...it was his first career stint on the DL.
- Agreed to terms on a four-year contract through the 2013 season with a club option for 2014 on July 23.
- Led AL catchers in games started for the second consecutive season last year (132) and had career-highs in runs (74), hits (156), doubles (37), home runs (15), RBI (88), steals (8) and slugging (.421)...became just the second catcher in Athletics history to lead the club in RBI.

21 RYAN SWEENEY Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 4)

- Was placed on the 15-day DL July 19 retroactive to July 12 with right patella tendinitis and was transferred to the 60-day DL July 30 when he underwent season-ending surgery...this is his fourth career stint on the DL...was leading the A's in batting (.294) when he was placed on the DL.
- Batted a team-leading .293 with 53 RBI in 134 games in his second full season last year...the batting average was fifth best in Oakland history by a player younger than 25 years of age...led the A's in batting and finished second in doubles (31) but had just six home runs.

30 STEVE TOLLESON Career vs. Slowey (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 3) Minnesota Series: 1-3 Road Trip: 1-3

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento Friday for his second stint with the A's this year...started at shortstop last night and singled in 3 atbats...went 1 for 4 (.250) in three games during his first stay from April 27 to May 3 in his Major League debut.
- Was claimed off waivers from Minnesota on February 1 of this year...was originally drafted by the Twins in the fifth round of the 2005 draft and hit .276 with 33 home runs, 183 RBI and 67 stolen bases in 500 minor league games over five seasons in the Minnesota farm system.
- Ranked fifth in the Pacific Coast League in batting (.332) at the time of his promotion...hit .386 against left-handed pitching and .338 with runners in scoring position...appeared in 54 games at shortstop, 13 at third base, six in left field and five at second base...his complete stats this year:

ОВР G ΑB Н 2B AVG R 3B HR RBI BB SO SB CS SLG Sacramento .332 80 292 52 97 17 3 9 43 37 50 8 2 .503 .412 .250 0 0 OAKLAND .250 1 0 0 0 0 .250 3 4 0 0 0

Combined to hit .266 with 27 doubles, eight home runs, 40 RBI, 78 runs scored and 13 stolen bases in 130 games with Double-A New Britain and Triple-A Rochester in his final season in the Twins organization last year.

**26 MATT WATSON** Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 3)

- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list Monday retroactive to August 8 with kidney stones...is eligible to be reinstated August 23
- Began the year with the Lancaster Barnstormers of the independent Atlantic League, was signed by the A's as a free agent to a minor league contract on May 28 and assigned to Sacramento, and was promoted to Oakland on July 5.
- Appeared in 10 games in the New York Mets farm system last year...signed a minor league deal May 29 and was on the DL from June 19 to 26 before he was released...combined for a .267 (8 for 30) batting average and two RBI.

## A's vs. <u>MINNESOTA</u>

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AVG.	AB	Н	HR	RBI	PLAYER	AVG.	AB	Н	HR	RBI	W	L	SV	G	ERA	ΙP	ER	PITCHER	W	L	SV	G	ERA	ΙP	ER	
.250	16	4	0	1	Barton	.160	75	12	2	9	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	Anderson	1	1	0	2	4.97	12.7	7	
.000	7	0	0	0	Carter	.000	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0.00	3.0	0	Blevins	0	0	0	7	1.29	7.0	1	
.333	9	3	0	0	Crisp	.279	308	86	7	25	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	Bonser	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	
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.286	21	6	1	1	Davis	.321	78	25	1	8	0	0	0	3	5.45	3.3	2	Breslow	1	0	0	7	3.20	5.6	2	
.300	20	6	0	1	Ellis	.253	194	49	6	15	0	1	0	2	2.77	13.0	4	Cahill	1	1	0	4	2.67	27.0	8	
.000	11	0	0	0	Gross	.125	48	6	0	3	1	1	0	2	2.77	13.0	4	Gonzalez	1	2	0	4	10.61	18.7	22	
.263	19	5	1	3	Kouzmanoff	.282	39	11	2	6	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	Mazzaro	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	
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.300	10	3	0	1	Pennington	.300	30	9	1	4	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	Wolf	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	
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.316	19	6	0	1	Suzuki	.275	91	25	2	18	0	1	0	1	13.50	0.7	1	Ziegler	1	1	1	6	3.68	7.3	3	
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# 2010 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

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HIGHS AND LOWS		MULTI	PLE HIT GAMES
TEAM BATTING		PLAYER	2 3 4 5 TOT
	15, July 10 vs. Los Ango	eles Barton	17 10 0 0 27
Most Runs, Game, Opponents	12, May 15 at Los Angu	eles Buck	2 0 0 0 2
	8, July 10 vs. Los Angeles6, April 28 at Tampa Bay	/Eth)	1 0 0 0 1
		oloc CHAVCZ	7 0 0 0 7
			12 2 0 0 14 14 3 0 0 17
		(3rd) Davis	17 5 2 0 24
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents		(6 <sup>th</sup> ) Donaldson	
Most Home Runs, Game, A's	4, June 3 at Bos 5, May 12 at Texas and June 30 at Baltin	ston <sub>Ellic</sub>	14 6 0 0 20
Most Doubles Game A's		nore FUX	2 2 0 0 4
		ston GIUSS	7 3 0 0 10
	2, April 25 vs. Cleveland, May 29 at Detroit and June 25 vs. Pittsbu		3 0 0 0 3 ff 23 6 1 0 30
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	4, June 29 at Baltimore and July 25 vs. Chicago (	AL) Donningtor	
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TEAM PITCHING		Rosales	10 4 1 0 15
Most Strikeouts, A's	14, June 21 vs. Cincin		17 4 1 0 22
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	14, July 10 vs. Los Angeles (1		2 0 0 0 0 2
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	2, April 22 vs. New York and May 19 vs. De		ff 10 3 0 0 0 13 0 1 0 0 0 1
Most Errors, Game	4, April 5 vs. Sea	attle Penningtor	
		ston Powell	1 0 0 0 0 1
Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss	4, June 1 at Bos	ston Rosales	5 1 2 0 0 8
INDIVIDUAL BATTING		Suzuki	7 4 1 0 0 12
	3 (12 times), last: Kevin Kouzmanoff, July 31 at Chicago (	(AL) Sweeney	2 1 0 1 0 4
Most Hits, Game		eles	
	3, Daric Barton, June 26 vs. Pittsburgh and Mark Ellis, August 11 at Sea	attle GAME	TYING/GO-AHEAD RBI
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	2, Kurt Suzuki, June 3 at Boston and Jack Cust, July 24 vs. Chicago ( 5, Ryan Sweeney, May 4 vs. Texas and Rajai Davis, July 10 vs. Los Ango		GT GA TOT
			3 11 14
		sota Carson	1 0 1
Most Stolen Bases, Game	3, Rajai Davis, May 26 at Baltim	nore Chavez	1 2 3
Longest Hitting Streak	15, Kevin Kouzmanoff, May 31 to June	e 15 Crisp Cust	2 6 8 3 7 10
INDIVIDUAL DITCHING		Davis	4 3 7
INDIVIDUAL PITCHING  Most Strikeouts, Game	11, Gio Gonzalez, August 1 at Chicago (	5	
			1 7 8
Most Innings, Game, Starter		attle Fox	1 3 4
Most Innings, Game, Reliever	5.0, Vin Mazzaro, May 20 vs. De	troit Gross	1 2 3
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	23.0, Trevor Cahill, July 23 to Augu 29, Dallas Braden, May 9 to	0.0	0 2 2
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		Powell	2 2 4
		Rosales	3 4 7
		Suzuki	6 14 20
		Sweeney	1 10 11
		Watson	2 0 2
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PLAYER 1 2 3 4	5 6 7 8 9 C 1B	2B 3B	SS LF CF RF DH
Barton - 105 5 -		G GS G GS	G GS G GS G GS G GS
Buck	10 - Barton 112 111		
Carson	2 7 3 Buck		10 10
Carter	1 4 - Carson		4 1 1 1 10 10 -
Chavez 4 Crisp 42	12 10 3 Carter Chavez 1 1		5 5
Cust 1 18	1 Chavez 1 - 24 11 6 1 - Crisp		29 29
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Barton	-	105	5	-	-	1	-	-	-	PLAYER	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS
Buck	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	Barton	-	-	112	111	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carson	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	7	3	Buck	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	10	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carter	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	-	Carson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	1	1	10	10	-	-
Chavez	-	-	-	4	12	10	3	-	-	Carter	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Donaldson	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	5	-	Davis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	18	65	59	13	12	-	-
Ellis	2	3	1	-	5	24	21	17	1	Donaldson	7	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
Fox	-	-	-	-	4	12	7	-	1	Ellis	-	-	-	-	70	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5
Gross	-	-	-	-	2	6	28	10	-	Fox	8	7	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	9	6	-	-	-	-	11	11
Jackson	1	1	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	Gross	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	20	9	9	34	15	2	2
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Rosales	-	3	-	-	15	18	15	12	4	Powell	25	21	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Suzuki	-	-	33	40	13	-	-	-	-	Rosales	-	-	7	3	47	45	5	5	14	10	5	3	-	-	-	-	1	1
Sweeney	-	-	59	-	14	3	1	-	-	Suzuki	85	82	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4
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## **HOME RUN BREAKDOWN**

REGULAR SEASON HOME RUNS					LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN				Grand Slams (1)	
Player	Solo	2R	3R	GS	Tot.	Date	Opponent	Pitcher	GP Since	Rajai Davis, July 10 vs. Los Angeles (Kazmir)
Barton	3	2	0	0	5	July 10, 2010	Los Angeles	Kazmir	24	Pinch Hit Home Runs (3)
Carter	0	0	0	0	0				5	Eric Patterson, May 12 at Texas (Mathis)
Chavez	0	1	0	0	1	May 11, 2010	at Texas	Lewis	6	Kevin Kouzmanoff, June 2 at Boston (Papelbon)
Crisp	1	1	2	0	4	August 7, 2010	Texas	Harden	6	Adam Rosales, June 12 at San Francisco (Zito)
Cust	4	3	1	0	8	July 24, 2010	Chicago	Linebrink	16	Lead Off Home Runs (0)
Davis	3	1	0	1	5	Aug. 2, 2010	Kansas City	Bannister	10	None
Ellis	2	0	0	0	2	June 17, 2010	at Chicago (NL)	Wells	45	Back-To-Back Home Runs (3)
Gross	0	1	0	0	1	May 27, 2010	at Baltimore	Bergesen	38	Cust and Kouzmanoff, June 3 at Boston (Delcarmen)
Jackson	0	1	0	0	1	June 6, 2010	Colorado	Jimenez	21	Crisp and Barton, July 10 vs. Los Angeles (Kazmir)
Kouzmanoff	7	3	0	0	10	July 31, 2010	at Chicago	Danks	12	Suzuki and Cust, July 24 vs. Chicago (Pena)
Larish	0	0	0	0	0	May 13, 2009	at Minnesota	Guerrier	20	Inside-The-Park Home Runs (0)
Pennington	1	0	2	0	3	April 27, 2010	at Tampa Bay	Davis	87	None
Powell	1	0	0	0	1	May 28, 2010	at Detroit	Willis	12	Walk-Off Wins (5)
Rosales	4	2	1	0	7	July 18, 2010	at Kansas City	Bannister	10	April 6 vs. Seattle (Ellis single)
Suzuki	6	4	2	0	12	July 28, 2010	at Texas	Lewis	14	April 7 vs. Seattle (Suzuki double)
Sweeney	0	1	0	0	1	May 4, 2010	Texas	Feldman	54	April 17 vs. Baltimore (Sweeney single)
Tolleson	0	0	0	0	0				4	May 18 vs. Seattle (Suzuki single)
Watson	1	0	0	0	1	July 21, 2010	Boston	Buchholz	9	July 20 vs. Boston (Kouzmanoff single)
Team	39	22	8	1	70					-

## **MILESTONES**

Player	Category	No.	Needs	Player	Category	No.	Needs
Bailey	Saves	46	15 for 61 (ties Howell for 6th in Athletics history)	Crisp	Runs	492	8 for 500
Bonser	Games	99	1 for 100	Cust	Home Runs	97	3 for 100
Chavez	Games	1320	9 for 1329 (ties McGwire for 3rd in Oakland history)	Davis	Steals (with Oak)	102	1 for 103 (ties Javier for 9th in Oakland history)
	Runs	730	12 for 743 (ties Jackson for 3rd in Oakland history)	Ellis	Runs	495	5 for 500
	Hits	1276	3 for 1279 (ties Bando for 4th in Oakland history)		Doubles	182	9 for 191 (ties Tejada for 10th in Oakland history)
	Doubles	282	7 for 289 (ties Henderson for 1st in Oakland history		Triples	21	1 for 22 (ties Bando for 8th in Oakland history)
			and 6th in Athletics history)	Suzuki	Games as C	426	12 for 438 (ties Newman for 5th in Oakland
	Triples	20	1 for 21 (ties Ellis, Monday and Page for 9th in				history)
			Oakland history)		Hits	443	57 for 500
	Runs Batted In	787	2 for 789 (ties Bando for 3rd in Oakland history)		Doubles	86	14 for 100
	Strikeouts	922	11 for 933 (ties Campaneris for 4th in Athletics history)				

## **DISABLED LIST**

Player Anderson Anderson Bailey Braden	Injury Left elbow inflam./forearm strain Left elbow inflammation Right intercostal strain Left elbow stiffness	Dates April 25-May 28 June 4-July 29 July 21-present June 23-July 19	Games Missed 30 46 21 20	Player Duchscherer Ellis Jackson Meloan	Injury Left hip inflammation Strained left hamstring Strained right hamstring Right elbow surgery	Dates May 15-present April 21-May 21 July 1-present March 29-present	Games Missed 79 28 36 115
Buck	Strained right oblique	April 21-July 29	86	Outman	Left elbow surgery recovery	March 26-present	115
Cahill	Stress reaction, left scapula	April 4-19	14	Rosales	Stress fracture, right ankle	August 12-present	2
Chavez	Neck spasms	May 21-present	73	Sheets	Strained right elbow	July 20-present	22
Crisp	Fractured left pinky	April 3-May 20	42	Suzuki	Intercostal strain	April 24-May 15	19
Crisp	Strained right intercostal	May 23-June 21	28	Sweeney	Right patella tendinitis	July 12-present	26
Devine	Right elbow surgery recovery	March 26-present	115	Watson	Kidney stones	August 8-present	6
Duchscherer	Left hip inflammation	April 30-May 14	13	Wuertz	Right shoulder tendinitis	March 26-May 2	26

The A's have placed 22 players on the disabled list this season...placed 17 players on the disabled list in 2009, an Oakland record 25 in 2008 and 22 in 2007.

## **RECENT TRANSACTIONS**

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May 11 May 15	Kurt Suzuki sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment Justin Duchscherer reinstated from the disabled list; Jack Cust selected from Sacramento; Henry Rodriquez optioned to Sacramento; Edwar	June 22	Coco Crisp reinstated from the disabled list; Eric Patterson designated for assignment; Jake Fox traded to the Baltimore Orioles for minor league pitcher Ross Wolf and cash considerations					
May 16	Ramirez designated for assignment  Kurt Suzuki reinstated from the disabled list; Henry Rodriguez recalled	June 26	Eric Patterson traded to the Boston Red Sox for minor league pitcher Fabian Williamson					
	from Sacramento; Cedrick Bowers selected from Sacramento; Justin Duchscherer placed on the 15-day disabled list (left hip inflammation);	July 2 July 3	Jeff Lyman claimed off waivers from Atlanta and optioned to Midland Dallas Braden placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to June 23					
	Josh Donaldson optioned to Sacramento; Chad Gaudin designated for assignment	July 5	(left elbow stiffness); Clayton Mortensen recalled from Sacramento Conor Jackson placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to July 1					
May 18 May 19	Coco Crisp and Mark Ellis sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment Edwar Ramirez outrighted to Sacramento	,.	(strained right hamstring); Clayton Mortensen optioned to Sacramento; Matt Carson recalled from Sacramento; Matt Watson selected from					
May 20	Vin Mazzaro recalled from Sacramento; Henry Rodriguez optioned to Sacramento	July 7	Sacramento; Travis Buck transferred to the 60-day DL Ross Wolf selected from Sacramento; Tyson Ross optioned to					
May 21	Coco Crisp reinstated from the disabled list; Landon Powell optioned to	,	Sacramento; Eric Chavez transferred to the 60-day DL					
	Sacramento; Chad Gaudin released; Mark Ellis transferred to Sacramento on rehab	July 9 July 11	Brett Anderson sent to Arizona A's on rehab assignment Travis Buck sent to Arizona A's on rehab assignment					
May 22	Mark Ellis reinstated from the disabled list; Eric Chavez placed on the 15-	July 15	Dallas Braden sent to Stockton on rehab assignment					
,	day disabled list retroactive to May 21 (neck spasms)	July 19	Ryan Sweeney placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to July 12					
May 24 May 26	Brett Anderson sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment Coco Crisp placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 23		(right patella tendinitis); Henry Rodriguez recalled from Sacramento; Travis Buck transferred to Sacramento on rehab					
Way 20	(strained right intercostal muscle); Landon Powell recalled from	July 20	Dallas Braden reinstated from the disabled list; Cedrick Bowers optioned					
	Sacramento		to Sacramento; Brett Anderson transferred to Sacramento on rehab					
May 29	Brett Anderson reinstated from the disabled list; Cedrick Bowers optioned to Sacramento	July 24	Ben Sheets placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to July 20 (strained right elbow); Cedrick Bowers recalled from Sacramento					
June 3	Adam Heether claimed off waivers from Milwaukee and optioned to Sacramento; Justin Duchscherer transferred to the 60-day disabled list	July 30	Brett Anderson reinstated from the disabled list; Andrew Bailey placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to July 21 (right intercostal strain);					
June 4	Brett Anderson placed on the 15-day disabled list (left elbow inflammation); Landon Powell optioned to Sacramento; Cedrick Bowers		Travis Buck reinstated from the 60-day disabled list and optioned to Sacramento; Ryan Sweeney transferred to the 60-day disabled list					
June 8	and Henry Rodriguez recalled from Sacramento Matt Carson recalled from Sacramento; Henry Rodriguez optioned to	July 31	Boof Bonser selected from Sacramento; Cedrick Bowers optioned to Sacramento; Ben Sheets transferred to the 60-day disabled list					
Suite 0	Sacramento	August 3	Jeff Larish claimed off waivers from Detroit; Adam Heether designated for					
June 11	Kurt Suzuki placed on the bereavement list; Landon Powell recalled from Sacramento	August 8	assignment Conor Jackson sent to Arizona A's on rehab assignment					
June 13	Jake Fox designated for assignment	August 9	Chris Carter and Jeff Larish recalled from Sacramento; Matt Carson					
June 15	Conor Jackson acquired from the Arizona Diamondbacks for minor league	-	optioned to Sacramento; Matt Watson placed on the 15-day disabled list					
	pitcher Sam Demel; Kurt Suzuki reinstated from the bereavement list; Matt Carson optioned to Sacramento; Coco Crisp sent to Sacramento on a	August 11	retroactive to August 8 (kidney stones) Conor Jackson transferred to Stockton on rehab					
	rehab assignment	August 13	Adam Rosales placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to August 12 (stress fracture, right ankle); Steve Tolleson recalled from Sacramento					
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