



OAKLAND ATHLETICS

Post Game Notes

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Tampa Bay Rays (74-47) at Oakland Athletics (60-60) Thursday, August 19, 2010 Oakland-Alameda County Coliseum, Oakland, Calif.

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

WP — Cahill (13-5)

LP — Wheeler (2-1)

SV — Blevins (1).

OAKLAND NOTES

- The Oakland Athletics have won three straight after losing three in a row...have been exactly .500 21 times this year, which is the most in Oakland history (previous: 20, 1968) and second most in franchise history (23, 1947 Philadelphia A's)...are 3-1 on this seven-game homestand against Toronto (2-1) and Tampa Bay (1-0).
- Trevor Cahill** had his streak of 20 consecutive starts with six hits or fewer and five innings pitched or more snapped, which matched the longest such streak in modern Major League history (since 1900)...Nolan Ryan also had a 20-game streak from July 27, 1972 to April 18, 1973...allowed two home runs, snapping his career-high five-start streak of not allowing a home run...is 4-1 with a 0.90 ERA (4 er in 40.0 ip) over his last five starts...is 8-2 with a 1.84 ERA (16 er in 78.1 ip) in 11 starts at home compared to 5-3 with a 3.33 ERA (26 er in 70.1 ip) in 11 starts on the road.
- Jerry Blevins** earned his first Major League save...has not allowed a run in seven career appearances against Tampa Bay (7.0 ip).
- Coco Crisp** (1 for 4) has hit safely in 11 of his last 12 games and is batting .435 (20 for 46) over that span...is hitting .371 (23 for 62) in August.
- Jack Cust** (1 for 3) snapped his 0 for 12 streak with a sixth-inning single but is 11 for 58 (.190) with 31 strikeouts over his last 19 games.
- Kevin Kouzmanoff** (0 for 3) is 2 for 31 (.065) over his last 10 games...is now batting .138 (8 for 58) in August after combining for a .303 batting average in June and July.
- Cliff Pennington** (1 for 3) has hit safely in all six of his games against Tampa Bay this year (.429, 9 for 21) and is a .333 (9 for 27) career hitter against the Rays...is 17 for 77 (.221) over his last 26 games after hitting .427 in his previous 28 games.

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Trevor Cahill (W, 13-5)	8.0	7	3	3	2	5	2	113/67
Jerry Blevins (S, 1)	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
None					

TAMPA BAY NOTES

- The Tampa Bay Rays had their five-game winning streak snapped...are 7-8 over their past 15 games...are 0-1 on this seven-game road trip through Oakland (0-1) and Los Angeles (three games).
- Reid Brignac** (0 for 3) is 3 for 35 (.086) over his last 13 games.
- Carl Crawford** (0 for 3) had his nine-game hitting streak snapped and is now batting .317 (13 for 41) over his last 10 games.
- John Jaso** (2 for 3) is batting .319 (15 for 47) since July 28.
- Evan Longoria** (2 for 4) is hitting .395 (17 for 43) over his last 11 games...homered along with Carlos Pena in the same game for the second time this season (April 28 vs. OAK).
- B.J. Upton** (1 for 3) extended his hitting streak to 10 games, which matches his career high (.351, 13 for 37)...is hitting .333 (22 for 66) in August after batting .220 in July.

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Andy Sonnanstine	5.1	5	3	3	3	3	0	91/56
Dan Wheeler (L, 2-1)	0.2	1	1	1	1	0	0	12/4
Lance Cormier	2.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	17/12

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
Carlos Pena (24)	4 th	1-1	2	RF	Cahill
Evan Longoria (17)	6 th	2-1	1	LCF	Cahill

Time of Game	2:27	Overall Record	60-60	Home/Road	37-25/23-35
First Pitch	7:07 pm	Streak	Won 3	Day/Night	29-12/31-48
Temperature	60 degrees	Homestand	3-1	April/May/June	12-12/16-12/10-17
		Last Five	3-2	July/Aug./Sept.	14-10/8-9/0-0
Attendance	10,118	Last 10	4-6		
Total	1,114,658			A's Starter goes 7 or more/Less than 7	26-14/34-46
Average (62 games)	17,978	Series Record	1-0	A's/Opponents score first	44-18/16-42
		Series First Game	15-25	Leading after 7 th inn/8 th inn	51-1/52-0
Win/Lose in Last At-Bat	10-12	vs. AL West	19-18	Tied after 7 th inn/8 th inn	8-9/6-11
Extra Innings	4-6	vs. RHP/LHP	44-43/16-17	Trailing after 7 th inn/8 th inn	1-50/2-49