



OAKLAND ATHLETICS

Post Game Notes

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Detroit Tigers (7-7) at Oakland Athletics (6-8) Friday, April 15, 2011 Oakland-Alameda County Coliseum, Oakland, Calif.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	H	E	LOB
Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	7	8	10	0	7
Oakland	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	4	12	3	6

WP — Villarreal (1-0).

LP — Fuentes (0-2).

SV — None.

OAKLAND NOTES

- The Oakland Athletics have lost three of four games since their season-high three-game winning streak...committed three errors and have now committed seven errors in their past four games...have committed 16 errors this season, which is the most in the Major Leagues...are 2-7 during night games and 4-1 in day games...are 2-3 in extra inning games this season and 2-4 in games decided in the last at-bat...are 0-2 on the six-game homestand against Detroit (0-2) and Boston (two games).
- Brandon McCarthy** allowed one walk and has now walked two batters in 22.0 innings this season...has walked one batter or fewer in 26 of his 59 career starts...recorded a season-high seven strikeouts, his most strikeouts in a game since also recording seven strikeouts May 13, 2009 against Seattle...is 1-3 with a 3.99 ERA (17 er in 38.1 ip) in 13 career games, six starts, against the Tigers...A's starting pitchers now have a 2.37 ERA (24 er in 91.0 ip) this season.
- Daric Barton** (2 for 5) is batting .292 (14 for 48) to start the season after hitting .299 in April last year.
- David DeJesus** (3 for 5) snapped his 0 for 10 streak with a first inning single...is a .311 (109 for 350) career hitter against Detroit.
- Mark Ellis** (0 for 4) is on an 0 for 11 streak and is now 6 for 35 (.171) since his season-opening four-game hitting streak (4 for 15, .267).

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Brandon McCarthy	6.2	6	0	0	1	7	0	114/71
Craig Breslow	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3/2
Grant Balfour	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	13/8
Brian Fuentes (L, 0-2)	1.1	2	6	3	3	1	1	37/16
Brad Ziegler	0.2	2	2	2	0	0	0	18/10

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
None					

DETROIT NOTES

- The Detroit Tigers have won four straight since losing three in a row...have not allowed a home run over the past eight games, their longest streak without allowing a home run since they also went eight games without allowing a home run from June 3 to 11, 1981...have doubled in 14 straight games to open the season, their most consecutive games with a double to open a season since also doubling in 14 straight games to start the 1970 season...2-0 on this seven-game road trip through Oakland (2-0) and Seattle (three games).
- Jim Leyland** earned the 1,500th win of his career, becoming the 19th manager in Major League history to reach the milestone.
- Al Albuquerque** made his Major League debut and pitched two shutout innings.
- Brayan Villarreal** earned his first Major League win.
- Brennan Boesch** (3 for 5) hit the go-ahead two-run double with one out in the 10th inning...singled in the first inning after going hitless in his first 14 career at-bats against the A's and is now 3 for 19 (.158) against the team.
- Miguel Cabrera** (1 for 4) is batting .344 (33 for 96) with 10 home runs in 26 career games against Oakland.

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Rick Porcello	6.0	7	1	1	1	4	0	103/66
Al Albuquerque	2.0	1	0	0	1	3	0	27/19
Daniel Schlereth	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3/3
Brayan Villarreal (W, 1-0)	0.2	3	3	3	0	0	0	15/11
Joaquin Benoit	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	11/7

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Miguel Cabrera (5)	9 th	1-1	1	RF	Fuentes

Time of Game	3:28	Overall Record	6-8	Home/Road	1-4/5-4
First Pitch	7:07 pm	Streak	Lost 2	Day/Night	4-1/2-7
Temperature	61 degrees	Homestand	0-2	April/May/June	6-8/0-0/0-0
Attendance	21,853	Last Five	2-3	July/Aug./Sept.	0-0/0-0/0-0
Total	106,429	Last 10	5-3	A's Starter goes 7 or more/Less than 7	3-3/3-5
Average (5 games)	21,286	Series Record	0-2	A's/Opponents score first	5-5/2-2
Win/Lose in Last At-Bat	2-4	Series First Game	1-4	Leading after 7 th inn/8 th inn	3-2/4-1
Extra Innings	2-3	vs. AL West	1-2	Tied after 7 th inn/8 th inn	0-2/0-3
		vs. RHP/LHP	3-5/3-3	Trailing after 7 th inn/8 th inn	3-4/2-4