

# OAKLAND ATHLETICS

# **Game Information**

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#### A's AT A GLANCE

9-8 (April 19) Season High Season Low 1-4, 2-5 (April 6, 8) April May 0-0 June July 0-0 0-0 August September 0-0 0-0 0-1-2 Home Series Road Series 2-2-1 Series Sweeps First Game of Series 0-0 2-6 6-1 7-6 Last Game of Series A's Score First Opponent Scores First 4-7 Leading After 7<sup>th</sup>
Leading After 8<sup>th</sup>
Tied After 8<sup>th</sup>
Tied After 8<sup>th</sup> 8-2 9-1 0-2 0-3 Trailing After 7<sup>th</sup> Trailing After 8<sup>th</sup> 3-9 2-9 Commit No Errors 5-5 Commit 1 or More Errors More HR Than Opp. 6-8 3-1 Fewer HR Than Opp. Same Total HR of Opp. 2-5 6-7 Starter Pitches 7 or More 6-4 5-9 8-2 Starter Pitches Less Than 7 When Scoring 4 or More When Scoring Less Than 4 3-11 2-4 17 Different Lineups

#### A's vs. ANGELS

The A's are 0-2 against the Angels this season following last night's loss...lost the season series to the Angels 8-11 last season...went 2-7 in Anaheim and 6-4 in Oakland...have now lost the season series in each of the past three seasons and in six of the previous seven...are 60-75 (.444) against the Angels over that span (starting in 2004)...since moving to Oakland in 1968, the A's are 365-298 against the Angels...that includes 190-140 in Oakland and 175-158 in Anaheim...all-time, the A's are 414-375 against the Angels

#### **TODAY'S TIDBITS**

David DeJesus has a 261-game errorless streak, which is the longest active streak among all Major League outfielders...his last error came on September 15, 2008...is a 327 (69 for 211) career hitter against the Angels, his highest average against any American League team.

Mark Ellis has recorded 200 career doubles and is one double away from tying Carney Lansford for eighth most in Oakland history.

Brian Fuentes has six saves this season, which is tied for fourth most in the Major Leagues.

**Hideki Matsui** has scored a combined 1,499 runs between the United States and Japan, leaving him one away from the 1,500<sup>th</sup> of his career

#### THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

In 1968 Jim "Catfish" Hunter records his first win in an Oakland uniform in the A's 6-3 victory at California...he would go on to win an Oakland record 131 games, which does not include 30 wins while pitching for the Kansas City A's...in 2002 the A's tie a franchise record by hitting four home runs in the third inning...Scott Hatteberg, Terrence Long, Carlos Pena and Frank Menechino connect for the home runs.

#### OAKLAND ATHLETICS (11-13) VS. LOS ANGELES ANGELS (14-10)

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 2011 – ANGEL STADIUM – 4:05 P.M. PDT RHP TYSON ROSS (1-2, 4.82) VS. RHP DAN HAREN (4-1, 1.46) CSNCA – A'S RADIO NETWORK (SPORTSRADIO 95.7 FM)

#### ABOUT THE A's

**ABOUT THE A'S:** The A's have lost five of their past seven games...however, have won five of their last 10 and nine of their last 16...have spent each of the last 15 days in third place and 19 days in third overall...have also spent one day in second place, one day tied for second, two days tied for third and four days in fourth place...this is the A's 44<sup>th</sup> season in Oakland where they have won 14 American League West titles, one AL Wild Card, six AL pennants and four World Championships...only Atlanta (16) and the Yankees (16) have more division titles...since the A's moved to Oakland in 1968, only the Yankees have more league (11) and world (7) titles...since 1901, the A's have 14 AL West titles plus 15 AL pennants and nine World Championships...only the Yankees (27) and Cardinals (10) have won more World Championships.

**STARTING PITCHING:** A's starting pitchers have combined for a 4.54 ERA (21 er in 42. ip) over their past seven games after posting a 0.27 ERA (1 er in 33.2 ip) in their previous five games...have a 2.69 ERA (46 er in 153.2 ip) this season overall, which **ranks first in the Major Leagues** among starting pitchers...are third in the majors in innings pitched (153.2) and sixth in strikeouts (122)...have allowed three earned runs or less in 18 of their 24 games this season, including five games in which they did not allow a run...have allowed eight home runs this season, which is tied for the fewest in the majors.

**PITCHING:** A's pitchers have compiled a 2.78 ERA (66 er in 213.2 ip), which is the **best in the majors**...also rank third in opponents slugging percentage (.337), sixth in on-base percentage (.300) and seventh in opponents batting average (.237)...have recorded 177 strikeouts, which ranks fourth in the American League, and have allowed 71 walks, sixth fewest in the AL.

**ON THE BASES:** A's pitchers lead the majors with eight pickoffs (Anderson 4, Breslow 3, McCarthy 1)...last year, the A's led the majors with 27 pickoffs...opponents have been successful in only 13 of 21 (61.9%) stolen base attempts this season, which is the lowest percentage in the majors...the offense has been successful in 19 of 25 (76.0%) stolen base attempts, which is the fifth best percentage in the American League...stole 156 bases last season, which ranked third in the AL and the majors.

**OFFENSE:** The A's have been shut out in three of their past six games and have now been shut out four times this season...were shut out in consecutive games Thursday and Friday in Seattle, which was their first time being shut out in consecutive games since May 13-14, 2008 at Cleveland...have scored a total of 83 runs, which are the fourth fewest in the American League...are 8-2 when scoring four runs or more and 3-11 when scoring less than four...are batting .239 (194 for 812) on the season, which is the fifth lowest average in the AL...their 11 home runs are the second fewest in the majors, but their 46 doubles are tied for sixth most in the majors...are hitting .215 (46 for 214) with runners in scoring position, the fourth lowest average in the majors.

**DEFENSIVE DOINGS:** The A's have committed at least one error in 10 of their last 14 games and have a total of 14 over that span...their 23 errors total are the second most in the majors...opened the season by committing an Oakland-record nine errors over their first four games...last season, the A's were charged with less than 100 errors (99) for the sixth time in the last seven years.

**CLOSE CALLS:** The A's are 3-4 in one-run games this year...have had 10 of their 24 games this season decided by two runs or less and are 4-6 in those games...are 2-3 in extra-inning games.

**HOME AND AWAY:** The A's are 2-4 on this seven game road trip through Seattle (2-2) and Los Angeles (0-2)...went 3-3 on their last homestand against Detroit (2-2) and Boston (1-1)...are now 4-5 at home and 7-8 on the road...went 47-34 (.580) at home last season, their best home mark since going 49-32 in 2006, compared to 34-47 on the road.

**DAY AND NIGHT:** The A's are 6-2 in day games and 5-11 at night...the day record is tied for third best in the majors and the night record is third worst...have a 2.00 ERA (16 er in 72.0 ip) during the day, which is the second lowest majors, compared to a 3.18 ERA (50 er in 141.2 ip) at night, which is seventh best...last year, the A's posted a 35-21 (.625) record for day games and 46-60 (.434) record at night...the day record was the second best in the American League and the night record was fourth worst.

**STARTING LINEUPS:** The A's have used 17 different lineups through their first 24 games this season...the only lineup they have used more than one time this year is their Opening Day lineup (Crisp, Barton, DeJesus, Willingham, Matsui, Suzuki, Ellis, Kouzmanoff, Pennington), which they have used seven times.

**LOCKED UP:** Oakland has five players under contract beyond the 2011 season...Trevor Cahill is signed through 2015 with club options for 2016 and 2017 after agreeing to terms on a new contract April 11...Brett Anderson is signed through 2013 with club options for 2014 and 2015...Kurt Suzuki is also signed through 2013 with a club option for 2014...Grant Balfour and Brian Fuentes are both signed through 2012 with club options for 2013...Michael Wuertz has a club option for 2012.

ROSTER NOTES: The A's opened the season with 12 pitchers and 13 position players for the fifth time in the last six years...13 players return from last year's Opening Day roster (Anderson, Barton, Blevins, Braden, Breslow, Ellis, Gonzalez, Kouzmanoff, Pennington, Ross, Suzuki, Sweeney, Ziegler)...Mark Ellis was on his eighth Opening Day Roster in the last nine years...five other players on the current roster played for the A's at some point last year (Cahill, Cramer, Crisp, Jackson, Powell)...five signed with the A's as free agents (Balfour, Fuentes, LaRoche, Matsui, McCarthy)...the other two players were acquired in a trade (DeJesus, Willingham).

**THE DISABLED LIST:** The A's have used the disabled list five times this year and 92 times since the start of the 2007 season, which is second most in the majors to Texas (106)...used the DL 23 times last year, which was the second highest total in Oakland history to the record of 25 in 2008...began the year with three players on the DL and they now have four (Braden, Bailey, Harden, Rosales) after reinstating Wuertz on Monday...have not had fewer than three players on the DL since the end of the 2006 season, when they had one.

#### PITCHING PROBABLES

 Fri., April 29 vs. TEX
 RHP Trevor Cahill (3-0, 2.30) vs. LHP C.J. Wilson (3-0, 3.51)
 7:05 CSNCA

 Sat., April 30 vs. TEX
 LHP Brett Anderson (2-1, 1.56) vs. RHP Colby Lewis (1-3, 6.95)
 1:05 CSNCA

 Sun., May 1 vs. TEX
 LHP Gio Gonzalez (2-2, 2.70) vs. LHP Matt Harrison (3-2, 3.69)
 1:05 CSNCA

 Mon., May 2 vs. TEX
 RHP Brandon McCarthy (1-2, 3.57) vs. LHP Derek Holland (3-1, 4.29)
 12:35 CSNCA

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## TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Tyson Ross (1-2, 4.82 ERA)

ROSS BY THE NUMBERS														
	W	L	ERA	G	ΙP	ER								
2011	1	2	4.82	4	9.1	5								
2010	1	4	5.49	26	39.1	24								
Career	2	6	5.36	30	48.2	29								
Home	0	1	9.00	2	2.0	2								
Road	1	1	3.68	2	7.1	3								
Day	0	0	0.00	1	1.0	0								
Night	1	2	5.40	3	8.1	5								
Pre-ASB	1	2	4.82	4	9.1	5								
Post-ASB	0	0		0	0.0	0								
		Α	VG.	Α	В	Н								
vs. LHH			.214	1	4	3								
vs. RHH			.250	2	0	5								

RUN SUPPORT													
Ross (as starter)													
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Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	4.1, 4/22/11 at SEA
Fewest IP, GS:	3.2, last: 5/15/10 at LAA
H:	7, 5/20/10 vs. DET
R: 3 (fo	ur times), last: 4/22/11 at SEA
ER: 3 (three	ee times), last: 4/22/11 at SEA
BB:	4, 4/22/11 at SEA
SO:	4 (twice), last: 4/11/11 at CWS
HR: 1 (fou	ur times), last: 6/30/10 vs. BAL
Win Streak:	1 (twice), last: 4/11/11
Loss Streak:	4, 4/15/10 to 4/11/11
Scoreless Streak	c: 5.0 (twice), last: 6/16-22/10
Complete Games	s: None
Shutouts:	None

**ROSS' CAREER HIGHS** 

FOR STARTERS: Is scheduled to make his fifth appearance of the season, his second start...the A's are 0-1 in his starting assignments this year and 0-3 in his career...has tossed two or more innings in 13 of his 30 career appearances.

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econd	Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	ΙP	Н	R	ER	ВВ	SO	HR #	PIT	
arting	April 11	at CWS	2-1 (10)	W	0.00	3.0	1	0	0	1	4	0	41	
n his	April 14	DET	0-3	L	4.50	1.0	2	3	2	3	0	0	33	
ngs in	April 17	DET	5-1		3.60	1.0	1	0	0	0	2	0	20	
	*Åpril 22	at SEA	0-4	L	4.82	4.1	4	3	3	4	0	0	76	
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his first appearance of the season, a 2-1 A's win in Chicago April 11...entered the game in relief of Braden to start the seventh inning and then pitched three shutout innings, allowing only one hit and one walk while striking out four...the four strikeouts matched his career high...was replaced by Fuentes to start the 10<sup>th</sup> inning, who pitching a scoreless inning for the save.

**SECOND APPEARANCE:** Took the loss in a 3-0 A's defeat April 14 against Detroit...relieved Gonzalez to start the seventh inning...allowed an RBI double to Raburn in the seventh and later walked Peralta and Boesch to start the eighth...was then replaced by Blevins who allowed both runs to score...the Boesch run, however, was unearned as he scored on a Willingham throwing error.

**THIRD APPEARANCE:** Had a no decision in the A's 5-1 win over Detroit April 17...entered the game in the ninth after Cahill allowed one run over eight innings...pitched one scoreless inning, allowing one hit and striking out two.

**LAST APPEARANCE:** Made his first start of the season and took the loss in the A's 4-0 defeat in Seattle Friday...pitched a career-high 4.1 innings, but also allowed a career-high four walks and three runs, which matched his career high...allowed one run in the second when Wilson delivered an RBI single and then was charged with two more runs in the fifth...allowed a single to Wilson and walked Figgins in the inning before being relieved by Blevins, who allowed both runners to score.

ROSS vs. LOS ANGELES: Is 0-1 with a 4.70 ERA (7.2 ip, 5 h, 4 r, 4 er, 1 bb, 6 so, 2 hr) in three appearances...is 0-1 with a 7.38 ERA (3 er in 3.2 ip) in one start and has no decisions and a 2.25 ERA (1 er in 4.0 ip) in two relief appearances...last faced the Angels on June 8 of last year and had a no decision in a 10-1 A's win...pitched a scoreless ninth inning and recorded one strikeout...started and took the loss in a 12-3 A's defeat May 15...pitched 3.2 innings before allowing a three-run home run to Morales...was then replaced by Blevins...earned the save in a 9-4 A's win April 11 by pitching the game's final three innings...allowed one run, a solo home run by Rivera in the ninth, on two hits while walking one and striking out two.

**THIS SPRING:** Was 1-0 with a 0.59 ERA (15.1 ip, 14 h, 1 r, 1 er, 4 bb, 10 so) in five appearances, two starts...allowed a .241 opponents batting average...surrendered his only run in his final appearance, where he earned the win after giving up four hits in 5.2 innings in a 15-7 victory over Arizona.

<b>2010 RECAP:</b> Made the Opening Day roster
as a non-roster invitee and spent half of the
season with Oaklandwent 1-4 with a save

	ROSS	2011	SPR	NG	KAII	NIIN	j G	AM	ES		
Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	ΙP	Н	R	ER	ВВ	SO	HR
Feb. 27	at CHC	15-7		0.00	1.2	1	0	0	0	1	0
Mar. 3	CLE	9-11		0.00	2.0	1	0	0	0	1	0
Mar. 6	MIL	5-4		0.00	3.0	4	0	0	0	4	0
*Mar. 11	at MIL	3-4		0.00	3.0	4	0	0	2	1	0
*Mar. 24	at ARI	15-7	W	0.59	5.2	4	1	1	2	3	0
Totals (6	games, 3 st	arts)	1-0	1.59	15.1	14	1	1	4	10	0
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and a 5.49 ERA in 26 games, including two starts, before he was optioned to Sacramento July 7...was 2-1 with a 3.55 ERA in six games, all starts, with the River Cats before he was shut down Aug. 10 with a strained right elbow...with the A's, he struck out 32 in 39.1 innings but also issued 20 walks (4.6 per nine innings)...had a 3.32 ERA over his first 11 appearances, a 7.52 ERA over his final 15 contests.

THIS AND THAT: Allowed a .271 opponents batting average last season, including .258 (17-for-66) against left-handed hitters and .282 (22-for-78) against right-handers...surrendered three of his four home runs and issued 14 of his 20 walks to right-handers...opponents batted .323 with runners in scoring position...compiled a 2.49 ERA and .221 opponents batting average in 13 appearances in Oakland compared to a 9.17 ERA and .328 opponents average in 13 games on the road...yielded three of his four home runs on the road...went 0-2 with a 7.04 ERA in his two starting assignments and 1-2 with a 5.12 ERA in 24 relief appearances...yielded a .368 batting average to the first four hitters in the batting order, a .207 mark against the bottom five...allowed 4-of-10 (40.0%) inherited runners to score...first batters faced were 8-for-21 (.381) with three walks (.458 on-base percentage)...tossed two or more innings in nine of his 24 relief appearances.

## FRIDAY'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER

RHP Trevor Cahill (3-0, 2.30 ERA): Is scheduled to make his sixth start of the season...has earned three wins this season, which is tied for sixth most in the American League and eighth most in the majors...earned the win in the A's 9-1 victory over Seattle on Saturday...allowed a run in the second inning when Wilson had an RBI single and then held the Mariners scoreless over the next four innings...earned the win in a 5-1 win over Detroit April 23 in Oakland...recorded a season-high nine strikeouts and did not walk a batter for the eighth time in his career...had a no decision in the A's 6-5 loss at Chicago April 12...surrendered all four of his runs in the second inning...earned his first win of the season in a 2-1 victory over Toronto April 7, allowing one run on three hits in eight innings...he had a no decision in the A's 6-2 loss to Seattle on Opening Day in Oakland...struck out eight batters in 4.2 innings to become the third pitcher in Oakland history to fan eight or more in fewer than five innings...is 6-2 with a 2.56 ERA (56.1 ip, 49 h, 19 r, 16 er, 15 bb, 33 so, 6 hr) in nine career starts against the Rangers...went 3-1 with a 2.64 ERA (9 er in 30.2 ip) in five starts last year.

### ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

Save/Save Opportunities: 6/9 (66.7%)

2-6, 3.00 ERA (60.0 ip, 42 h, 30 r, 20 er, 32 bb, 55 so, 6 hr)

Save/Save Opportunities: 6/9 (66.7%)

The A's bullpen has allowed one run or fewer in each of its past nine games and has a 1.54 ERA (4 er in 23.1 ip) over that span...ranks seventh in the American League with a 3.00 ERA (20 er in 60.0 ip) overall this season...has been charged with six of the team's 13 losses, which are tied for the most losses by relievers in the majors...have converted six of nine (66.7%) save opportunities, which is tied for the fourth lowest percentage in the AL...the three blown saves are tied for fourth most in the AL...rank first in the AL in opponents slugging percentage (.337), second in on-base percentage (.300) and third in opponents batting average (.237)... last year, compiled a 3.75 ERA last year, which ranked sixth in the verted 38 of 51 (74.5%) save opportunities in 2010, which was third best in the AL

Last Outing: 3/14 at Cleveland (ND, 0.1 ip, 1 h, 2 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so) **40 RHP ANDREW BAILEY** Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 First Hitters: 0-0 (0 bb)

- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list March 30 retroactive to March 22 with a strained right forearm...this is his second career stint on the DL.
- Appeared in just two games this spring, tossing a scoreless inning March 10 against Kansas City and allowing two unearned runs in 0.1 innings March 14 at Cleveland before leaving with his injury.
- Led the A's in saves (25) and was named to the American League All-Star team for the second consecutive season last year...was 1-3 with a 1.47 ERA in 47 relief appearances...ranked seventh among AL relievers in opponents on-base percentage (.251) and eighth in slugging (.292).

**50 RHP GRANT BALFOUR** Last Outing: 4/24 at Seattle (ND, 0.2 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 0 so) Save/Opportunities: 0-1 Inherited Runners/Scored: 1/0 First Hitters: 1-9 (0 bb)

- Has not allowed a run in seven of his nine appearances this season (3 er in 8.0 ip, 3.38 ERA).
- Has a 2.45 ERA (1 er in 3.2 ip) in three appearances at home and a 4.91 ERA (2 er in 3.2 ip) in five road appearances.
- Had a 2.25 ERA (1 er in 4.0 ip) in five games against the Angels last year...however, has a 6.46 ERA in 15 career appearances (15.1 ip, 15 h, 11 r, 11 er, 11 bb, 16 so).
- Is in his eighth season in the majors but was on an Opening Day roster for just the third time (2009, 2010).
- Signed with the A's as a free agent, January 18, 2011.
- Made 57 relief appearances for Tampa Bay last year, despite spending the month of August on the disabled list...compiled a 2.28 ERA, which ranked eighth among American League relievers...allowed a .216 batting average, including .174 against right-handed hitters.

**Last Outing:** 4/26 at Los Angeles (ND, 1.0 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 0 so) **First Hitters:** 1-7 (3 bb) **13 LHP JERRY BLEVINS** Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Inherited Runners/Scored: 8/6

- Has allowed a run in three of his past four appearances (3 er in 3.0 ip, 9.00 ERA) after allowing no runs in four of his first six appearances (2 er in 7.0 ip, 2.57 ERA).
- Has a 2.57 ERA (2 er in 7.0 ip) in six appearances with one day of rest or less and a 9.00 ERA (3 er in 3.0 ip) in four appearances with two days rest or more
- Has allowed six of eight (75.0%) inherited runners to score this season, which is the third highest percentage in the American League.
- Is holding opponents to a .188 (6 for 32) batting average this season.
- Had a 6.23 ERA (3 er in 4.1 ip) in five appearances against Los Angeles last year and has a 4.61 ERA in 15 career appearances against the team (13.2 ip, 14 h, 7 r, 7 er, 5 bb, 12 so).
- Is in his fifth Major League season, all with Oakland, and was on his third consecutive Opening Day roster.
- The 2010 season was his fourth in the majors but the first where he spent the entire year at the big league level...was 2-1 with a save and a 3.70 ERA in a career-high 63 appearances...allowed seven home runs in 48.2 innings after yielding five in 64.2 innings over his first three years.

56 LHP CRAIG BRESLOW Save/Opportunities: 0-1 Last Outing: 4/26 at Los Angeles (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so) First Hitters: 4-9 (1 bb) Inherited Runners/Scored: 6/1

- Has not allowed a run over his last seven appearances (6.0 ip) after allowing five runs, four earned runs, over his first three outings of the season (2.0 ip)...has a 4.50 ERA (4 er in 8.0 ip) this season overall.
- Has pitched in eight of the last 13 games (1 er in 7.0 ip, 1.29 ERA) after going eight consecutive games without making an appearance.
- His first hitters faced are 4 for 9 (.444) this season, which is the sixth highest average in the American League.
- Ranks second in the majors with three pickoffs.
- Was 0-1 with a 5.87 ERA (5 er in 7.2 ip) in eight games against Los Angeles last season but is 2-1 with a 3.31 ERA in 17 career outings (16.1 ip, 17 h, 9 r, 6 er, 7 bb, 19 so).
- Has played for five teams in his Major League career, which is now in his sixth season...this is the first time he has started consecutive seasons with the same team.
- Made a team-leading 75 appearances for the A's in 2010, registering a 4-4 mark with five saves and 3.01 ERA...the games pitched tied for the fifth highest single season total in Oakland history...also set an Oakland record for strikeouts by a left-handed reliever with 71.

**57 LHP BRIAN FUENTES** Save/Opportunities: 6-7 Last Outing: 4/24 at Seattle (SV, 1.1 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 3 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 7/1 First Hitters: 2-10 (0 bb)

- Has not allowed a run in eight of his 10 appearances this season...however, allowed a combined nine runs (five earned) in his two other appearances and has a 4.09 ERA (5 er in 11.0 ip).
- Has recorded six saves this season, which is tied for the fourth most in the Major Leagues...now has 189 saves since 2005, which are the most by a left-handed reliever in the majors over that span.
- Has a .162 (6 for 37) opponents batting average, which breaks down to .115 (3 for 26) against right-handed hitters and .273 (3 for 11) against left-handers.
- Has not allowed a run in six road outings (7.0 ip) but has a 11.25 ERA (5 er in 4.0 ip) in four appearances at home.
- Has not allowed a run or hit in two career appearances against the Angels (2.0 ip, 2 bb, 2 so).
- Signed with the A's as a free agent, January 19, 2011.
- Started the 2010 season as the closer with Los Angeles (AL) but finished it in a set-up role with Minnesota...combined for a 4-1 record, 24 saves and a 2.81 ERA in 48 relief appearances...allowed a .181 opponents batting average, which ranked fifth lowest among AL relievers.

29 I HP DAVID PURCEY Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 4/25 at Los Angeles (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 1/0 First Hitters: 2-7 (1 bb)

- Has not allowed a run in three appearances (4.1 ip) for the A's since being acquired from Toronto in exchange for Danny Farquhar on April 18.
- Has not allowed a run in seven of his eight appearances this season overall but allowed three runs in 0.1 innings in his other outing and has a 4.05 ERA (3 er in 6.2 ip).
- Has not allowed a run or hit in four career appearances against Los Angeles (2.2 ip, 3 bb, 0 so).
- Was 1-1 with a 3.71 ERA in 33 appearances, all in relief, for Toronto last season...recorded 32 strikeouts in 34.0 innings and held opponents to a .210 batting average...stranded 16 of his 19 inherited runners.

**48 RHP MICHAEL WUERTZ** Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 4/25 at Los Angeles (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 First Hitters: 0-2 (0 bb)

- Has made one appearance since being reinstated from the disabled list on Monday and did not allow a run (1.0 ip).
- Has not allowed a run in 10 career appearances against the Angels (10.2 ip, 3 h, 0 bb, 22 so).
- Stranded each of his 17 inherited runners over his final 40 games in 2010.
- Was 2-3 with a career-high six saves and a 4.31 ERA in 48 relief appearances with the A's last year...spent the first month of the season on the disabled list with right shoulder tendinitis...tossed just 39.2 innings, which were his fewest since his rookie season of 2004 (29.0).

31 RHP BRAD ZIEGLER Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 4/26 at Los Angeles (ND, 0.2 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so) **First Hitters:** 2-8 (1 bb) Inherited Runners/Scored: 12/6

- Has not allowed an earned run in any of his nine appearances this season (8.0 ip)...however, has allowed six of his 12 (50.0%) inherited runners to score, which is the 12<sup>th</sup> highest percentage in the American League.
- Was 0-2 with a 2.57 ERA (2 er in 7.0 ip) in seven appearances against the Angels last year and is 3-3 with four saves (six opportunities) and a 3.58 ERA in 26 career appearances (28.1 ip, 25 h, 11 r, 11 er, 9 bb, 25 so)...the appearances are his most against any team.
- Is in his fourth season with the A's and is on his third consecutive Opening Day roster.
- Was 3-7 with a 3.26 ERA in 64 relief appearances last year...the losses tied for the most among American League relievers and his .300 winning percentage was second lowest...yielded four home runs in 60.2 innings after allowing just four in 133.0 innings over his first two seasons.

## ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

10 DARIC BARTON Career vs. Haren (.333, 2-6, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 6 Los Angeles Series: 0-6, so Road Trip: 1-19, r, 2 bb, 4 so

- Is 2 for 32 (.063) over his last 10 games after batting .292 (14 for 48) in his first 14 games.
- Is batting .200 (16 for 80) with 20 strikeouts to start the season after hitting .299 in April last year.
- Is tied for third in the American League and fifth in the majors with 17 walks.
- Batted .219 (16 for 73) against the Angels last season.
- Has committed five errors in 23 games this season, which is tied for the fifth most in the majors...last year, he had seven errors over his first 30 games but just three over his last 127 contests.
- Made his second consecutive Opening Day start at first base for the A's, his third in the last four years...in Oakland history, only Mark McGwire (9) and Jason Giambi (4) have made more Opening Day starts at first base.
- Batted .273 with 10 home runs, 57 RBI and an American League-leading 110 walks in 2010...the walks fueled a .393 on-base percentage, which was fifth best in the AL...also ranked second in pitches per plate appearance (4.39) and tied for second in times on bases (265).

4 COCO CRISP Los Angeles Series: 4-6, 2 cs Career vs. Haren (.357, 5-14, 0 HR, 0 BB, 3 SO) Current Streak: 4 games (10 for 16) Road Trip: 7-24, 4 r, 2b, 3b, 2 rbi, 2 so, sb, 2 cs

- Has hit safely in each of his past four games (10 for 16, .625) and has three multiple-hit games over that span...has now hit safely in 17 of 22 games this season and is batting .286 (26 for 91).
- Is batting .364 (24 for 66) against right-handed pitching this season and is 2 for 25 (.080) against lefties.
- Is batting .360 (9 for 25) with three of his eight RBI in the seventh inning or later and .258 (17 for 66) over the first six innings of the game.
- Is tied for second in the majors in triples (3) and is tied for fourth in stolen bases (8).
- Was 5 for 25 (.200) against Los Angeles last year.
- Is in his 10<sup>th</sup> Major League season, his second with the A's...was on his seventh Opening Day roster (also 2004-09), his first as an Athletic.
- Had his 2010 season interrupted by injury three times, but when healthy, he posted some of the best numbers on the A's...hit .279 with eight home runs and 38 RBI in 75 games and stole a career-high 32 bases...tied for ninth in the AL in steals despite missing over half the season.

12 DAVID DeJESUS

Career vs. Haren (.063, 1-16, 0 HR, 1 BB, 5 SO)

Current Streak: 0 for 4 **Road Trip:** 3-17, r, rbi, 2 bb, 2 so

Los Angeles Series: 1-7, r, rbi, bb, 2 so

- Is 10 for 36 (.278) over his last nine games after going 0 for 10 in his previous three games.
- Batted .393 (11 for 28) against the Angels last year and is a .327 (69 for 211) career hitter against the team, his highest average against any American League team.
- Did not commit an error in 88 games in the outfield last year and now has a 261-game errorless streak, which is the longest active streak among all Major League outfielders...last committed an error Sept. 15, 2008 against Seattle in center field.
- Made his seventh consecutive Opening Day start, his first for the A's in right field...the previous six came with Kansas City (four in center field, one in right field, one in left field)...was the A's fourth different Opening Day starter in right field in the last four years and the seventh in the last
- Was acquired from Kansas City for Vin Mazzaro and Justin Marks on November 10, 2010 after spending his first eight seasons with the Royals.
- Was batting .318 with 23 doubles, three triples, five home runs and 37 RBI in 91 games with Kansas City last year before thumb surgery ended his season in late July...the batting average was a career high as was his .384 on-base percentage.

14 MARK ELLIS

Career vs. Haren (.167, 1-6, 0 HR, 0 BB, 3 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 16

Los Angeles Series: 0-8, 2 so Road Trip: 2-25, r, 6 so, sb Is on an 0 for 16 streak, which is two at-bats away from the longest hitless streak of his career (0 for 18, March 25-April 5, 2008).

- Is tied for seventh in the American League with seven doubles.
- Is batting .286 (8 for 28) during day games compared to .155 (9 for 58) at night.
- Hit .317 (19 for 60) against the Angels last season...however, is a .238 (114 for 478) career hitter against the team.
- Has 200 career doubles and is one away from tying Carney Lansford for eighth most in Oakland history...also as 22 career triples and needs one more to tie Lansford, Reggie Jackson and Billy North for fifth place in Oakland history.
- Made his seventh consecutive Opening Day start at second base, which set an Athletics record for consecutive Opening Day starts at second base...the previous mark of six was held by Danny Murphy (1903-08), Eddie Collins (1909-14), Max Bishop (1928-33) and Dick Green (1969-74)...it was his eighth overall, which is an on-going Oakland record for a second baseman...in Athletics history, only Dick Green (10) and Max Bishop (9) have more...the eight Opening Day starts are tied for eighth most by any player in Oakland history.
- Led the A's in batting for the second time in the last six seasons last year, hitting .291 in 124 games...the average was the second-best mark of his career but he hit just five home runs, which were the fewest of his career...ranked second among AL second basemen in fielding (.995).

28 CONOR JACKSON Los Angeles Series: 1-3, r, hr, 2 rbi, bb Career vs. Haren (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)

Current Streak: 3 games (4 for 10) Road Trip: 4-15, 2 r, hr, 4 rbi, bb, 2 so

- Has made nine starts for the A's this season at three different positions (six in right field, two at first base, one in left field).
- Is 1 for 4 (.250) as a pinch hitter this year and is 8 for 53 (.151) with 12 walks and 12 RBI in the pinch in his career.
- Is batting .364 (8 for 22) against left-handed pitching compared to .200 (4 for 20) against right-handers...is 9 for 25 (.36) over the first six innings of the game and 3 for 17 (.176) in the seventh inning or later.
- Is 7 for 14 (.500) in his career against the Angels.
- Is in his seventh Major League season and was on his sixth consecutive Opening Day roster...had started each of the previous five openers for Arizona (three at first base, the last two in left field)
- Combined to hit .236 with two home runs and 16 RBI in 60 games with Arizona and Oakland last year in a season that was interrupted by three stints on the disabled list...had season-ending surgery for a sports hernia Sept. 1...has four stints on the DL over the previous two years.

**5 KEVIN KOUZMANOFF** 

Career vs. Haren (.320, 8-25, 3 HR, 1 BB, 4 SO)

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 3)

Los Angeles Series: 1-6, r, 2b, bb, 2 so **Road Trip:** 5-18, 3 r, 2b, hr, 4 rbi, 2 bb, 6 so, sb Has hit safely in seven of his past nine games and is 8 for 27 (.296) with five RBI over that span after going 7 for 41 (.171) over his first 13

- Recorded a career-high-tying four RBI on Saturday (six times, last: June 8, 2009 vs. ARI).
- Is batting .267 (12 for 45) over the first six innings of the game and is 3 for 23 (.130) in the seventh inning or later.
- Is a .225 (97 for 431) career hitter in April with seven home runs and 42 RBI...all three figures are his lowest for any month.
- Has committed five errors this season, which is tied for fifth most in the majors.
- Made his fifth consecutive Opening Day start at third base, his second with the A's.
- Led the A's in home runs (16) and extra base hits (49) last year and tied for the team lead in RBI (71)...however, all three figures were the lowest totals over his four full seasons, as were his .247 batting average, .283 on-base percentage and .396 slugging percentage.

**21 ANDY LaROCHE Career vs. Haren (.250, 2-8, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO) Current Streak:** 1 game (1 for 1) **Boston Series:** 1-1 **Homestand:** 1-11, 2 bb, 2 so

- Has started 10 games this season at four different positions (four at third base, three at shortstop, two at second base, one at first base)...however, has not started any of the past eight games.
- Is batting .368 (7 for 19) on the road and .091 (1 for 11) at home...is 5 for 13 (.385) against left-handed pitching and is batting .176 (3 for 17) against righties.
- Batted .333 in April last year and .168 from May 1 through the end of the season...is a .287 (43 for 150) career hitter in April, his best mark for any month of the season.
- Is in his fifth season in the majors and was on his third Opening Day roster (2009-10 with Pittsburgh).
- Was signed by the A's as a free agent to a minor league contract Jan. 24 and was the only non-roster invitee to make the A's Opening Day roster.
- Batted .206 with four home runs and 16 RBI in 102 games with Pittsburgh last year...hit .256 against left-handed pitching compared to .180 with three of his four home runs against right-handers...hit .229 before the All-Star Break, .109 after the break.

**55 HIDEKI MATSUI Los Angeles Series:** 3-8, 2b, so

Career vs. Haren (.250, 3-12, 1 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO)

**Current Streak:** 3 games (4 for 11) **Road Trip:** 5-18, r, 2b, rbi, 4 bb, 6 so

- Is 17 for 58 (.293) with nine RBI over his past 15 games after going 4 for 25 (.160) with three RBI over his first seven games.
- Is a .269 (191 for 711) career hitter in April with 22 home runs and 110 RBI...the average is his lowest for any month of the season, while the home runs are tied for his lowest of any month (September).
- Is batting .333 (10 for 30) during day games compared to .208 (11 for 53) at night.
- This is his 19<sup>th</sup> professional season, which includes 10 years in Japan and nine in the Major Leagues...has recorded 2,520 hits in his career between the United States and Japan...is also closing in on a combined 1,500 runs scored (has 1,499) and 500 home runs (has 495)...as a point of reference, 25 players in Major League history have hit 500 home runs, 69 have scored 1,500 runs and 93 have collected 2,500 hits.
- Is a .246 (51 for 207) career hitter against the Angels.
- Made his ninth consecutive Opening Day start as a Major Leaguer...was the A's seventh different Opening Day designated hitter in the last seven years (Chavez, Giambi, Cust, Piazza, Thomas, Durazo).
- Batted .274 with 21 home runs and 84 RBI in 145 games last year with Los Angeles...topped 20 home runs for the fifth time in his last seven seasons and it was the sixth time in eight Major League seasons he drove in 80 or more runs...the games played were his most since 2005.

2 CLIFF PENNINGTON

Career vs. Haren (.000, 0-2, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO)

**Current Streak:** 1 game (1 for 4) **Road Trip:** 6-19, 2 r, hr, 2 rbi, 2 bb, so, 2 sb

- Los Angeles Series: 1-7, so
- His home run Saturday snapped a 22-game homerless streak dating back to September 30, 2010.
  Is batting .279 (12 for 43) over the last 13 games compared to hitting .160 (4 for 25) over the first 10 games of the season.
- Is 6 for 13 (.462) against left-handed pitching and is batting .182 (10 for 55) against right-handers...is batting .275 (11 for 40) on the road and .179 (5 for 28) at home.
- Hit .250 with six home runs and 46 RBI in 156 games in his first full season at the Major League level last year...ranked fourth in the American League with eight triples, tied for fourth with 12 sacrifice hits and fifth with a stolen base percentage of 85.3 (29 of 34).

11 LANDON POWELL

Career vs. Haren (.000, 0-2, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)

Current Streak: 0 for 5 Road Trip: 0-5, 2 so

Seattle Series: 0-5, 2 so

- Has hit safely in four of his five games this season (5 for 16, .313).
- Is 5 for 14 (.357) with all three of his walks against righties and 0 for 2 against left-handers.
- Is 10 for 31 (.323) in his career against Los Angeles.
- Was on the A's Opening Day roster for the second time in the last three years (also 2009).
- Had four stints with Oakland last year and batted .214 with 2 HR and 11 RBI in 41 games...spent all but five weeks of the season with the A's, seeing limited action as the back-up to Kurt Suzuki...made a total of 29 starts at catcher, including just 14 over the A's final 97 games.

7 ADAM ROSALES Current Streak: 0 for 0

- Was placed on the 60-day disabled list March 30 retroactive to March 22 with a fractured right foot...this is his second career stint on the DL as he finished the 2010 season on the DL with a stress fracture in his right ankle.
- Batted .271 with 7 HR and 31 RBI in 80 games with Oakland last year before going on the DL in mid-August...became the first Athletic to start at least one game at six different positions (45 at second, 10 at short, five at third, three at first, three in left and one at DH) since Brosius in 1995.

8 KURT SUZUKI

Career vs. Haren (.429, 3-7, 0 HR, 0 BB, 2 SO)

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 3) Road Trip: 4-16, 2 r, 5 bb, sb

Los Angeles Series: 1-6, 2 bb

- Is 8 for 23 (.348) at home compared to .191 (9 for 47) on the road.
- Is a .217 (53 for 244) career hitter against the Angels, his second lowest average against American League teams (Toronto, .189).
- A's pitchers have a 2.87 ERA with him behind the plate, which is the fourth best catcher's ERA in the majors.
- Has tossed out 7 of 19 (36.8%) attempted base stealers this year, which is the seventh best percentage in the majors.
- Has started 19 of the A's 23 games at catcher this season and has now started 408 games at catcher since 2008, which is the most in the majors during that span.
- Made his fourth straight Opening Day start at catcher...the four starts are tied for second most by a catcher in Oakland history (Steinbach, 9).
- Tied for the team lead in RBI (71) last year and tied for second in home runs (13)...tied for second among AL catchers in starts (121), despite missing 19 games while on the DL and three while on the BL...had career lows in batting (.242), on-base (.303) and slugging (.366).

15 RYAN SWEENEY

Career vs. Haren (.167, 1-6, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)

Current Streak: 0 for 3 Road Trip: 1-9, 2 bb, so, gidp

- Los Angeles Series: 1-5, bb, gidp
- Has made five starts this season (four in left field, one in right field) and is 2 for 15 (.133) in those games.
  Is 2 for 5 (.400) as a pinch hitter this year but is 4 for 21 (.190) with eight strikeouts in his career in the pinch.
- Batted .326 (15 for 46) against Los Angeles last year and is a .340 (51 for 150) career hitter against the team.
- Did not commit an error in 81 games last year and now has a 123-game errorless streak dating back to his last error on August 15, 2009, which matches his career-high streak that opened his career...it is the fifth longest errorless streak by an outfielder in Oakland history.
- Was on his fourth consecutive Opening Day roster with the A's...had started each of the previous three A's openers (two in center, one in right).
- Was bitting a team-leading .294 with one home run and 36 RBI in 82 games in 2010 before undergoing season-ending surgery July 30...his batting average has improved each of his three seasons with Oakland as he hit .286 in 2008 and .293 in 2009.

16 JOSH WILLINGHAM

Career vs. Haren (.200, 1-5, 1 HR, 1 BB, 1 SO)

Current Streak: 0 for 2 Road Trip: 6-17, 2b, 3 rbi, bb, 6 so

Los Angeles Series: 0-2, 2 so

- Is 9 for 25 (.360) with 11 RBI with runners in scoring position, including 5 for 12 (.417) with runners in scoring position and two outs...however, is batting .234 (18 for 77) this season overall.
- Is batting .391 (9 for 23) in the seventh inning or later and .167 (9 for 54) over the first six innings of the game...is hitting .277 (13 for 47) on the road compared to .167 (5 for 30) at home.
- Has struck out 29 times this season, which are the third most in the maiors.
- Has a .282 (124 for 440) career average in April, his best for any month of the season.
- Made his fifth career Opening Day and all have come in left field (also 2006-08, 2010)...was the A's 12<sup>th</sup> different Opening Day starter in left field in the last 12 years (Buck, Holliday, Brown, Stewart, Payton, Byrnes, Kielty, Long, Jeremy Giambi, Damon, Grieve).
- Was acquired by the A's December 16, 2010 from the Washington Nationals for Henry Rodriguez and Corey Brown.
- Batted .268 with 16 home runs and 56 RBI in 114 games with Washington last year in a season that ended early following knee surgery in late August... had career highs in walks (67) and on-base percentage (.389) and matched his best in steals (8).

## A's vs. LOS ANGELES

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# 2011 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

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## **HOME RUN BREAKDOWN**

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Player	Solo	2R	3R	GS	Tot.	Date	Opponent	Pitcher	GP Since	None
Barton	0	0	0	0	0	Oct. 1, 2010	at Seattle	French	15	Pinch Hit Home Runs (0)
Crisp	1	0	0	0	1	April 20, 2011	Boston	Buchholz	6	None
DeJesus	0	0	0	0	0	June 13, 2010	at Cincinnati	Masset	50	Lead Off Home Runs (0)
Ellis	0	0	0	0	0	Oct. 2, 2010	at Seattle	Pauley	24	None
Jackson	0	1	0	0	1	April 26, 2011	at Los Angeles	Chatwood	0	Back-To-Back Home Runs (0)
Kouzmanoff	0	1	1	0	2	April 23, 2011	at Seattle	Lueke	3	None
LaRoche	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 24, 2010	Houston	Myers	14	Inside-The-Park Home Runs (0)
Matsui	2	0	0	0	2	April 13, 2011	at Chicago	Danks	11	None
Pennington	0	2	0	0	1	April 23, 2011	at Seattle	Vargas	3	Walk-Off Wins (0)
Powell	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 18, 2010	at Minnesota	Slowey	9	None
Rosales	0	0	0	0	0	July 18, 2010	at Kansas City	Bannister	10	
Suzuki	1	0	0	0	1	April 11, 2011	at Chicago	Crain	11	
Sweeney	0	0	0	0	0	May 4, 2010	Texas	Feldman	66	
Willingham	2	1	0	0	3	April10, 2011	at Minnesota	Baker	14	
Team	6	3	1	0	11					

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Player	Category	No.	Needs	Player	Category	No.	Needs
Bailey	Saves	51	10 for 61 (ties Howell for 6th in Oakland history)	Ellis (cont.)	Triples	22	1 for 23 (ties Lansford, Jackson and North for 5th
Balfour	Games	269	31 for 300				in Oakland history)
Barton	Games	395	105 for 500		Home Runs	85	15 for 100
	Games at 1B	382	3 for 385 (ties Tenace for 5th in Oakland history)		RBI	423	77 for 500
	Hits	337	163 for 500		Extra Base Hits	307	44 for 351 (ties Steinbach for 10th in Oakland
	Doubles	77	23 for 100				history)
Braden	Games	94	6 for 100	Fuentes	Games	561	39 for 600
	Games Started	79	21 for 100		Saves	193	7 for 200
	Innings	491.1	8.2 for 500	Gonzalez	Innings	363.1	136.2 for 500
Breslow	Games	238	62 for 300		Strikeouts	342	158 for 500
Cahill	Innings	406.2	93.1 for 500	Kouzmanof	f Home Runs	80	20 for 100
Crisp	Games	929	71 for 1000	LaRoche	Games	376	124 for 500
	Hits	967	33 for 1000	Matsui	Runs (Total)	1499	1 for 1500 (Japan plus MLB)
	Doubles	183	17 for 200		Doubles (Total)	471	29 for 500 (Japan plus MLB)
	Stolen Bases	176	24 for 200		Home Runs (Tot	al) 495	5 for 500 (Japan plus MLB)
DeJesus	Games	897	103 for 1000		Walks (MLB)	490	10 for 500
	Hits	989	11 for 1000	Suzuki	Games at C	485	52 for 537 (ties Heath for 3rd in Oakland history)
	Doubles	189	11 for 200		Hits	494	6 for 500
Ellis	Games	1018	70 for 1088 (ties Rudi for 10th in Oakland history)		Doubles	96	4 for 100
	Games at 2B	986	10 for 996 (ties Collins for 3rd in Athletics history)	Sweeney	Games	378	122 for 500
	At Bats	3697	273 for 3970 (ties Canseco for 10th in Oakland		Hits	363	137 for 500
			history)		Doubles	74	26 for 100
	Hits	985	15 for 1000	Wuertz	Games	389	11 for 400
	Doubles	200	1 for 201 (ties Lansford for 8th in Oakland history)		Strikeouts	416	84 for 500
			· .	Ziegler	Games	189	11 for 200
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## DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Bailey	Strained right forearm	March 22-present	24	Rosales	Fractured right foot	March 22-presen	it (eligible May 21) 24
Braden	Stiff left shoulder	April 17-present (eligible	May 2) 9	Wuertz	Strained left hamstring	April 2-25	18
Harden	Strained right shoulder	March 22-present (eligible	le May 21) 24		_		

The A's have placed five players on the disabled list this season...placed 23 players on the disabled list in 2010,17 in 2009, an Oakland record 25 in 2008 and 22 in 2007.

## **TRANSACTIONS**

March 13 March 20 March 25 March 27 March 30	Adrian Cardenas, Fautino De Los Santos and Sean Doolittle optioned to Sacramento; Pedro Figueroa optioned to Midland Trystan Magnuson, Guillermo Moscoso, Josh Outman and Michael Taylor optioned to Sacramento Chris Carter optioned to Sacramento Joey Devine optioned to Sacramento Josh Donaldson, Tyson Ross and Eric Sogard optioned to Sacramento; Andy LaRoche selected from Sacramento; Adam Rosales placed on the 60-day disabled list retroactive to March 22 (fractured right foot); Andrew Bailey placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 22 (strained right forearm); Rich Harden placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive	April 6 April 11 April 18 April 25	Michael Wuertz placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to April 2 (strained left hamstring); Tyson Ross recalled from Sacramento.  Trevor Cahill signed a contract extension through 2015 with club options for 2016 and 2017.  Dallas Braden placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to April 17 (stiff left shoulder); David Purcey acquired from Toronto for Danny Farquhar; Rich Harden transferred from the 15-day disabled list to the 60-day disabled list.  Michael Wuertz reinstated from the 15-day disabled list; Bobby Cramer optioned to Sacramento.
	to March 22 (strained right shoulder).		