



OAKLAND ATHLETICS

Post Game Notes

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Baltimore Orioles (24-25) at Oakland Athletics (25-27) Friday, May 27, 2011 Overstock.com Coliseum, Oakland, Calif.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E	LOB
Baltimore	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	6	2	6
Oakland	1	1	0	0	0	3	0	1	X	6	12	1	15

WP — Ziegler (1-0)

LP — Simon (1-1)

SV — None

OAKLAND NOTES

- The Oakland Athletics have won three of their last four games after losing a season-high six consecutive games...left 15 runners on base, which matches their season high (also April 20 vs. BOS)...turned a season-high-tying four double plays (also May 15 vs. CWS)...are 18-4 when scoring four runs or more and 7-23 when scoring less than four...have won 18 of their last 22 games against the Orioles, including 10 of the last 11 in Oakland...are 73-31 (.702) against the Orioles since the start of the 1999 season, which is the best winning percentage against Baltimore by an American League team over that span...are 1-0 on this six-game homestand against Baltimore (1-0) and New York (three games).
- Gio Gonzalez** finishes May with a 1.67 ERA (6 er in 32.1 ip) in five starts, which is the lowest single-month ERA of his career (previous: 1.98, August 2010)...remains on a three-game winning streak, which is one short of his career high of four (twice, last: Aug. 24-Sept. 8, 2010)...is 1-0 with a 2.08 ERA (4 er in 17.1 ip) in three career starts against Baltimore.
- Joey Devine** has not allowed an earned run in his last 30 games and 30.1 innings dating back to 2008...also has a 65-game, 64.0-inning, 255-batter homerless streak dating back to 2006.
- David DeJesus** (1 for 3) is on a six-game hitting streak (10 for 20, .500) and is now batting .370 (17 for 46) over his last 14 games.
- Ryan Sweeney** (2 for 5) is batting .375 (18 for 48) in 18 games in May after batting .222 in 16 games in April.
- Bob Geren** was ejected by home plate umpire Angel Campos in the sixth inning...it was his first ejection of the year and 10th of his career as a manager.
- Andrew Bailey** made a rehab appearance with Triple-A Sacramento and did not allow a run in one inning (2 h, 0 bb, 1 so)...has not allowed a run in his four rehab appearances with the River Cats (4.0 ip, 3 h, 1 bb, 3 so).

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Gio Gonzalez	5.0	5	2	1	5	7	0	99/53
Brad Ziegler (W, 1-0)	2.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	19/15
Joey Devine	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10/6
Michael Wuertz	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	12/8

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
Josh Willingham (8)	8 th	0-1	1	LF	Gonzalez

BALTIMORE NOTES

- The Baltimore Orioles had their season-high five-game winning streak snapped...it was their longest winning streak since they also won five straight from June 17 to 21, 2009...hit into a season-high-tying four double plays (also May 12 vs. SEA)...are 7-11 in the first game of a series...are 4-20 when scoring fewer than four runs and 20-5 when scoring four or more...are 15-18 at night compared to 9-7 during the day...are 0-1 on this on this six-game road trip through Oakland (0-1) and Seattle (three games).
- Chris Tillman** did not allow a home run and has now gone seven consecutive starts without allowing a home run...the last Orioles starter to go seven or more starts without allowing a home run was Daniel Cabrera, who did not allow a home run in eight straight from September 12, 2006 to April 20, 2007...is 1-2 with a 5.61 ERA (16 er in 25.2 ip) in six starts on the road compared to 1-1 with a 3.63 ERA (9 er in 22.1 ip) four starts at home.
- Vladimir Guerrero** (1 for 3) is on a 12-game hitting streak (20 for 53, .377), which matches the longest hitting streak by an Oriole this season.
- Nick Markakis** (1 for 3) is on a 12-game hitting streak (18 for 50, .360), which matches the longest hitting streak by an Oriole this season (Brian Roberts, April 13-26)...has now recorded a base hit in 157 consecutive series, which is the longest such streak in the majors since Ichiro Suzuki hit in 160 straight series from June 2000 to June 2004.

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Chris Tillman	4.1	6	2	1	3	2	0	102/60
Alfredo Simon (L, 1-1)	2.0	4	3	3	2	4	0	55/31
Michael Gonzalez	1.2	2	1	1	2	1	1	41/22

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None					

Time of Game	3:09	Overall Record	25-27	Home/Road	12-12/13-15
First Pitch	7:10 pm	Streak	Won 2	Day/Night	12-8/13-19
Temperature	60 degrees	Homestand	1-0	April/May/June	13-14/12-13/0-0
Attendance	12,110	Last Five	3-2	July/Aug./Sept.	0-0/0-0/0-0
Total	422,706	Last 10	3-7	A's Starter goes 7 or more/Less than 7	14-10/11-17
Average (24 games)	17,613	Series Record	1-0	A's/Opponents score first	19-9/6-18
Win/Lose in Last At-Bat	5-11	Series First Game	7-11	Leading after 7 th inn/8 th inn	20-3/21-1
Extra Innings	5-7	vs. AL West	12-10	Tied after 7 th inn/8 th inn	0-6/1-9
		vs. RHP/LHP	16-22/9-5	Trailing after 7 th inn/8 th inn	5-18/3-17