



# Kansas City Royals

## OFFICIAL GAME NOTES

**Kansas City Royals (60-83) @ Oakland Athletics (64-78)**  
**O.co Coliseum - Wednesday, September 7, 2011 - 2:37 p.m. (CDT)**  
**Game #144 - Road Game #71**  
**KCSP Radio (610 Sports)**



### UPCOMING PITCHING PROBABLES

**Thursday, September 8 @ Seattle Mariners:** RHP Luke Hochevar (10-10, 4.76) vs. LHP Jason Vargas (7-13, 4.59), 9:10 p.m. (CDT), FSKC (HD) & 610 Sports  
**Friday, September 9 @ Seattle Mariners:** LHP Jeff Francis (5-15, 4.72) vs. RHP Blake Beavan (3-4, 4.11), 9:10 p.m. (CDT), FSKC (HD) & 610 Sports  
**Saturday, September 10 @ Seattle Mariners:** RHP Felipe Paulino (2-6, 4.20) vs. RHP Michael Pineda (9-9, 3.74), 9:10 p.m. (CDT), No TV & 610 Sports  
**Sunday, September 11 @ Seattle Mariners:** TBA vs. LHP Anthony Vasquez (1-2, 10.80), 3:10 p.m. (CDT), No TV & 610 Sports

**Monday, September 12:** Off day in Kansas City

Today's game can be heard in Kansas City on KCSP Radio (610 Sports) with Ryan Lefebvre, Bob Davis and Steve Stewart, while Don Free controls the dials as the producer/engineer...tomorrow's game from Seattle will be televised on FOX Sports Kansas City with Ryan Lefebvre and Royals Hall of Famer Frank White... the pre and postgame show on FSKC, Royals Live, is hosted by Joel Goldberg.

### Royals vs. A's

The Royals have taken the first 2 games of this visit and are now 4-4 in the season work, 3-2 in the Coliseum...a win this afternoon would give KC its first 3-game sweep of the A's in Oakland since July 28-30, 2008...the Royals trail the all-time series by a 243-295 margin, including a 108-162 deficit here.

Date	Site	Score	WP	LP	Att.
5/6	KC	L, 2-3	Gonzalez	O'Sullivan	30,690
5/7	KC	W, 4-3	Soria	McCarthy	25,828
5/8	KC	L, 2-5	Ross	Francis	22,435
6/14	@ Oak	W, 7-4	Duffy	Cahill	11,439
6/15	@ Oak	L, 1-2	Outman	Hochevar	16,392
6/16	@ Oak	L, 4-8	Gonzalez	Francis	11,775
9/5	@ Oak	W, 11-6	Holland	Bailey	14,577
9/6	@ Oak	W, 7-4	Duffy	Gonzalez	12,064
9/7	@ Oak				

**OFFENSE SUPPORTS DUFF'S SWAN SONG**--Danny Duffy pulled the curtain on his rookie season in the Majors with 6.1 strong innings and the Kansas City offense provided a pair of crooked-number innings for a 7-4 win...the triumph iced the series for the Royals and gave the club a 1 1/2-game space away from the A.L. Central cellar...the 22-year old Duffy was staked to a 4-0 lead in the second, but issued a pair of walks to open the third, each of whom scored...his biggest moment came when the A's had runners at second and third and still none out, but the rookie southpaw not only escaped that jam with no further damage, but went on a roll in which he retired 13 consecutive Athletics until a one-out walk in the seventh... KC got to 2011 nemesis Gio Gonzalez for back-to-back home runs by Eric Hosmer and Jeff Francoeur to open the second and plated two more runs in the frame...the Royals opened the 4-2 game to 7-2 with a 3-run fifth which was highlighted by a Salvador Perez double...Joakim Soria survived a bases loaded situation in the ninth to record his 26th save.

**HOSMER MAKING A CASE**--Eric Hosmer continues to make a strong bid for votes in the A.L. Rookie of the Year balloting, despite missing the first 31 games of the year...the 21-year old first sacker leads all

A.L. rookies in hits (127), multi-hit games (35) and walks (34), while ranking second among rookies in runs scored (55), total bases (204), doubles (23) and extra-base hits (42) and third in home runs (15) and RBI (66)...Hosmer is also fourth in on-base pct. (.338) and batting (.288), sixth in slugging (.463), tied for seventh in triples (3) and even tied for sixth in stolen bases (9).

**ROAD WORK MUCH IMPROVED**--The Kansas City offense ran its recent road mark to 7-5 over the last 12 tries with last night's win, yet another double-digit hit effort, the third in a row and eighth in the last 12 road games...dating back to the start of the last road trip, which was a 10-game journey through Toronto, Cleveland and Detroit, the Royals have batted .327 as a team (148-for-452) with 30 doubles and 17 home runs, with an on-base pct. of .368 and slugging pct. of .515 while averaging 5.9 runs per game.

**ROAD STREAKING**--The rookie duo of Eric Hosmer and Mike Moustakas have actually had a better run of things on the road recently than in the friendly confines of Kauffman Stadium...the 21-year old Hosmer has now hit safely in 15 consecutive road games at a .397 clip (25-for-63) with 6 home runs and 11 RBI...the elder Moustakas at 22 (he turns 23 on Sunday) who had last night off, has hit in his last 11 road tilts with a .391 average (18-for-46), a .417 on-base pct. and 7 multi-hit games.

**THE FINAL COUNTDOWN**--The Royals have 19 games left on the 2011 docket, 12 of which are slated for the road...Kansas City leave here later today and then travel up I-5 to Seattle for a 4-game set that starts tomorrow night...the Royals are in the midst of a 20-game stretch in which 17 games are on the road...the Royals have only one homestand remaining, a 7-gamer from September 13-21 that features Minnesota (2), Chicago (4) and Detroit (2).

**THE .300 CLUB**--Kansas City enters today with 3 players each hitting at or just above the .300 mark for the season with Billy Butler at .302 and Melky Cabrera and Alex Gordon each at .300...the only Major League club with more .300 hitters entering today is Boston with 4 (Adrian Gonzalez, David Ortiz, Jacoby Ellsbury and Dustin Pedroia), while Detroit also has 3.

### TODAY'S STARTING PITCHERS: LHP Bruce Chen (10-6, 4.11) vs. RHP Guillermo Moscoso (7-8, 3.63)

	2011	2010	Career		2011	2010	Career
Bruce Chen vs. Athletics	-	1-0	2-2	Major League Record	10-6 (4.11 ERA)	12-7	58-55
Guillermo Moscoso vs. Royals		1st career appearance		Major League Record	7-8 (3.63 ERA)	0-0	7-8

**BRUCE CHEN** is making his 21st start of the season, 14th since being reinstated from the D.L...this is his 313th career Major League appearance (165th start) and 11th career outing (seventh start) against the Athletics...the 34-year-old signed as a Major League free agent on January 19, 2011 after inking with the club as a minor league free agent prior to both 2009 and 2010.

**STREAK SNAPPED BY TRIBE**--Bruce faced the Indians for the second time in 5 days last Friday night and the Tribe made the necessary adjustments for a 5-4 decision that snapped Chen's career-best 5-game winning streak...the Indians struck early, scoring a pair of two-out runs in the first and then later adding a 2-run homer by Asdrubal Cabrera...Jason Donald's solo homer in the fifth proved to be the decision maker in the game...the 5 runs allowed were the most by Bruce since July 27 at Boston, when he was solved for 10 runs in just 4.0 innings...during Chen's winning streak he posted a 2.81 ERA (32.0 IP, 10 ER), while holding the opposition to a composite .193 average (22-for-114).

**AWESOME AUGUST**--On the strength of his 5-game winning streak, Chen went 5-1 with a 3.19 ERA in 6 starts last month to earn Royals Pitcher of the Month...the strong work continued a career-long trend for the lefty, who is now 19-9 with a 3.81 ERA in 62 career games in August (34 starts)...both the number of wins and the ERA are career bests...he is now 58-55 lifetime.

**14-6 IN LAST 20 DECISIONS**--Bruce has gone 14-6 over his last 27 starts since August 29, 2010, highlighted by a personal 7-game winning streak that was snapped in late-April and a 5-victory run which ended last Friday night...his .700 winning pct. is tied for eighth-best in MLB since the stretch began...over that span, he has a 3.72 ERA (68 earned runs in 164.2 innings)...over a longer stretch, since Chen joined the KC rotation on May 30, 2010, he is 21-13 in 43 starts with a 4.19 ERA (251.1 IP, 117 ER).

**FIRST EAST BAY START SINCE '05**--Chen returns to the mound here at the Coliseum in a start for the first time since a 4-3 win on August 16, 2005 as a member of the Orioles...he has been spectacular by the bay in his career, posting a 1-0 mark with a 1.45 ERA (18.2 IP, 11 H, 3 ER) in 4 appearances, including 2 starts...overall, Bruce is 2-2 with a 4.18 ERA (47.1 IP, 43 H, 22 ER) vs. Oakland in his career over 10 games, including 6 starts...today is his first outing against the 2011 A's after winning a start and taking a no decision last season and allowing 7 earned runs in 10.2 innings for a 5.91 ERA.

**ROAD WORK**--Despite seeing his overall 5-game winning streak snapped last Friday, Chen today will look to extend his road winning streak to 4...Bruce has earned wins at Chicago on August 12, at Toronto on August 23 and at Cleveland on August 28 to bring his overall road mark to 5-4 on the season...in 52.1 innings over 9 starts, he has allowed 25 earned runs for a 4.30 ERA...Chen is 29-34 in his career away from home with a 4.78 ERA.

Chen vs. Athletics					
Player	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
Daric Barton	.333	6	2	0	0
Coco Crisp	.231	13	3	0	0
David DeJesus	.000	3	0	0	0
Hideki Matsui	.200	25	5	1	2
Cliff Pennington	.167	6	1	0	1
Adam Rosales	.667	3	2	0	1
Scott Sizemore	.500	2	1	0	0
Kurt Suzuki	.333	6	2	0	1
Ryan Sweeney	.000	32	0	0	0
Josh Willingham	.000	3	0	0	0

### Bruce's 2011 starts

DATE	OPPONENT	FINAL SCORE	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	TP-K	WHEN LEFT
4/3	Los Angeles	ND, 12-9 (13)	5.0	8	5	5	3	2	3	91-55	6-5
4/9	@ Detroit	W, 3-1	6.0	3	0	0	0	1	7	82-53	2-0
4/14	Seattle	W, 5-1 (8)	8.0	6	1	0	0	1	1	101-73	5-1
4/19	Cleveland	W, 5-4	7.0	6	2	2	0	3	5	102-65	5-2
4/24	@ Texas	L, 7-8	4.1	7	6	6	3	3	2	83-51	2-4
4/29	Minnesota	ND, 4-3	5.1	8	3	3	1	2	1	101-60	1-3
5/5	Baltimore	W, 9-1	7.0	5	1	1	0	2	5	104-66	8-1
6/24	Chicago-NL	ND, 4-6	6.0	8	4	4	0	2	4	83-52	4-3
6/29	@ San Diego	L, 1-4	6.0	8	4	0	0	1	6	110-77	1-4
7/6	@ Chicago	W, 4-1	6.0	4	1	1	0	3	4	104-66	4-1
7/14	@ Minnesota	L, 4-8	5.0	9	4	4	1	3	2	102-62	3-4
7/20	Chicago	ND, 2-1 (11)	8.0	4	1	1	1	1	4	83-54	1-1
7/27	@ Boston	L, 5-12	4.0	10	10	10	3	3	3	114-67	3-10
8/2	Baltimore	L, 2-8	4.2	7	3	3	0	4	2	115-74	1-3
8/7	Detroit	W, 4-3	5.0	5	3	3	0	0	5	84-57	4-2
8/12	@ Chicago	W, 5-1	6.0	1	0	0	0	3	4	110-69	2-0
8/17	New York	W, 5-4	6.0	7	3	3	2	3	3	97-58	5-3
8/23	@ Toronto	W, 6-4	7.2	4	3	3	1	1	9	92-67	6-3
8/28	@ Cleveland	W, 2-1	7.1	5	1	1	0	2	4	104-64	2-1
9/2	Cleveland	L, 4-5	6.0	8	5	5	2	1	3	115-73	2-5
2011 K.C. Totals		10-6, 4.11	120.1	123	60	55	17	41	77	1977-1263 (64%)	
2011 Minor Lg Rehab		0-1, 8.18	11.0	17	10	10	3	2	10	198-133 (67%)	

### Bruce's Last Win:

August 28 @ Cleveland (7.1 IP, 2-1 win over Justin Masterson)

### Bruce's Last Loss:

September 2 vs. Cleveland (5-4 to Justin Masterson)

### Bruce's Only Career Shutout:

October 1, 2010 vs. Tampa Bay (7-0 win over James Shields) - 1st shutout and 3rd career complete game

### Bruce's Last Complete Game (non-shutout):

April 14, 2011 vs. Seattle Mariners (5-1 win, 8.0 IP) - now has 4 career complete games

### Bruce's Strikeout High:

9, 3 times: last on August 23, 2011 @ Toronto (win)



Pitching Notes

Tomorrow's Starter - Luke Hochevar

- Luke will make his Safeco Field debut and 30th start of 2011 as the Royals open a set in Seattle...he is 10-10 with a 4.76 ERA (98 ER in 185.1 IP).
- Hoch had a dominant outing on Saturday vs. Cleveland...he was charged with an unearned run in the first that stemmed from his errant pickoff throw...while KC had 3 errors, Luke limited the Tribe to the unearned run on 3 hits and a walk while setting a season-high with 8 K's over 8.0 IP in a 5-1 win.
- He has posted a 5-2 mark and a 3.51 ERA since the All-Star Break...opponents are batting .223, compared to .271 in the first half.
- Luke has pitched well against the M's, going 2-0 with a 2.84 ERA over 19.0 IP (6 ER), with all 3 outings at Kauffman Stadium...the most recent start came this past April 15...Ichiro Suzuki's double to leadoff the game was the lone hit to go along with 2 walks in Hoch's 7.0 innings of work...Ichiro would come around to score Seattle's lone run vs. Hochevar...the Royals held on for a 6-5 win as the Mariners plated a run in the eighth and 3 in the ninth.

2011 Pitching Lines

	G	W-L	SV	SVO	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	OPPAVG
Starters	143	35-59	-	-	5.00	826.2	920	490	459	96	292	532	.284
Relievers	141	25-24	32	52	3.71	459.0	408	200	189	49	213	402	.241
Totals	143	60-83	32	52	4.54	1285.2	1328	690	648	145	505	934	.269
<b>Bullpen Totals:</b>	<b>1st Batter Efficiency:</b> 256/382 (67%)				<b>Saves/Save Opp:</b> 32/52 (62%)				<b>Inherited Runners/Runners Scored:</b> 215/52 (24%)				

Nate Adcock

- 1st Batter Efficiency:** 13/19 **Saves/Save Opp:** 0/0 (0%) **Last Save:** None career **Last Outing:** IP H R ER BB SO  
**Inherited Runners/Runners Scored:** 15/3 **2011 Strikeout High:** 4 (thrice, last on June 8) August 31 @ Detroit (start) 5.1 6 2 2 0 2
- Nate made a last-minute start last Wednesday at Detroit, filling in for Felipe Paulino...Adcock settled down after allowing a run in the first, limiting Detroit to 2 runs over 5.1 IP while tossing 55 pitches (39 strikes)...he left a 4-2 game and took a no decision as Detroit rallied for a 5-4 win.
  - A 2010 Rule 5 pick from Pittsburgh, Adcock was 11-7 in 27 appearances (26 starts) in 2010 for Bradenton in the Florida State League.

Jesse Chavez

- 1st Batter Efficiency:** 1/2 **Saves/Save Opp:** 0/0 (0%) **Last Save:** None career **Last Outing:** IP H R ER BB SO  
**Inherited Runners/Runners Scored:** 2/2 **2011 Strikeout High:** 1 (September 4 vs. Cle) September 4 vs. Cleveland 3.2 4 3 3 1 1
- Jesse allowed 2 home runs to Cleveland's Shelley Duncan on Sunday, accounting for a pair of inherited runs and 3 of his own in a 9-6 loss.
  - Chavez was recalled from Triple-A Omaha on Thursday...he was 2-4 with a 3.75 ERA and 16 saves in 45 appearances (57.2 IP) for the Storm Chasers.

Louis Coleman

- 1st Batter Efficiency:** 31/44 **Saves/Save Opp:** 1/2 (100%) **Last Save:** May 11 @ NYY (1st career) **Last Outing:** IP H R ER BB SO  
**Inherited Runners/Runners Scored:** 36/5 **2011 Strikeout High:** 4 (June 29 @ San Diego) September 1 @ Detroit 1.0 2 0 0 0 3
- Louis worked around a pair of singles with 3 strikeouts in the seventh last Thursday at Detroit, keeping KC's 10-8 lead intact.
  - Coleman was named Royals Pitcher of the Month for July after posting a 0.61 ERA, the lowest in the A.L. among pitchers with at least 14.2 IP.
  - He earned his first Major League win in a 14-inning marathon on July 25 at Boston, becoming the 260th player in club history with at least one win.

Tim Collins (L)

- 1st Batter Efficiency:** 37/61 **Saves/Save Opp:** 0/0 (0%) **Last Save:** None career **Last Outing:** IP H R ER BB SO  
**Inherited Runners/Runners Scored:** 36/9 **2011 Strikeout High:** 5 (April 3 vs. LAA) September 4 vs. Cleveland 0.1 0 2 2 2 1
- Tim began the sixth on Sunday with Cleveland up 4-1...he walked 2 and exited with 1 out...the runners scored on a 3-run homer off of Jesse Chavez.
  - Collins leads the staff and all A.L. rookies with 61 appearances...he was acquired in a trade from Atlanta on July 31, 2010.

Aaron Crow

- 1st Batter Efficiency:** 37/52 **Saves/Save Opp:** 0/6 (0%) **Last Save:** None career **Last Outing:** IP H R ER BB SO  
**Inherited Runners/Runners Scored:** 27/7 **2011 Strikeout High:** 3 (twice, last June 4) September 1 @ Detroit (W) 1.0 3 3 3 0 2
- Aaron entered Thursday's game with KC leading Detroit 6-5 in the sixth...he allowed 3 runs, including a 2-run blast to Austin Jackson that gave Detroit an 8-6 lead...KC rallied with 4 in the seventh en route to an 11-8 victory, lifting Aaron to his fourth win of the year.
  - Crow represented the Royals at the All-Star Game in Phoenix, though he did not pitch...he became the first player from the 2009 Draft class to earn All-Star status and the fourth rookie in franchise history, joining Ellie Rodriguez (1969), Kevin Seitzer (1987) and Mike MacDougal (2003).
  - The Mizzou product was KC's first-round pick (12th overall) in 2009...pitched at the High-A and AA levels in 2010, going 9-10 with a 5.73 ERA.

Greg Holland

- 1st Batter Efficiency:** 30/40 **Saves/Save Opp:** 2/4 (50%) **Last Save:** August 12 @ CWS (2nd career) **Last Outing:** IP H R ER BB SO  
**Inherited Runners/Runners Scored:** 29/1 **2011 Strikeout High:** 6 (twice, last July 23) September 5 @ Oak (W) 1.0 0 0 0 2 1
- Greg worked around a leadoff walk and an intentional pass with 2 outs to toss a scoreless eighth on Monday...recorded his fourth win in the 11-6 game.
  - He has allowed just 3.4% of his inherited runners on the year to score (1 of 29), best in the Majors among pitchers with 20 or more inherited runners.
  - Holland's ERA stands at 1.83 (11 ER in 54.0 IP), which is third among A.L. pitchers with at least 50.0 innings of work.
  - Holland has been dominant at home, posting a 3-0 record and a 0.35 ERA while limiting opponents to a .106 average (9-for-85) in 26.0 IP.
  - Greg earned his first Major League win in his 2011 debut on May 19 vs. Texas...was 2-0 with a 2.08 ERA and 2 saves in 13 games for Omaha.

Joakim Soria (Wah-KEEM SOAR-ee-a)

- 1st Batter Efficiency:** 41/58 **Saves/Save Opp:** 26/33 (79%) **Last Save:** Sept. 6 @ Oak (158th career) **Last Outing:** IP H R ER BB SO  
**Inherited Runners/Runners Scored:** 10/5 **2011 Strikeout High:** 3 (4 times, last Sept. 5) September 6 @ Oak (SV) 1.0 1 0 0 1 2
- Joakim inherited 2 runners with no outs in the ninth last night and KC up 7-3...after fanning Ryan Sweeney and Anthony Recker, he allowed an infield single and a bases-loaded walk, forcing in an inherited run...he retired Hideki Matsui to finish the 7-4 game and earn his 26th save.
  - Joakim continues to climb baseball's career list for saves...he is currently tied with former Royal Tom Gordon and Dan Plesac for 65th all-time.
  - He recorded a career-high 43 saves in 2010 while earning his second A.L. All-Star nod and his second Royals' Bruce Rice Pitcher of the Year award.

Everett Teaford (L)

- 1st Batter Efficiency:** 15/23 **Saves/Save Opp:** 1/1 (100%) **Last Save:** July 9 vs. Det (1st career) **Last Outing:** IP H R ER BB SO  
**Inherited Runners/Runners Scored:** 16/5 **2011 Strikeout High:** 3 (August 19 vs. Boston) September 5 @ Oakland 2.2 0 0 0 0 0
- Everett inherited a pair of runners in the fifth on Monday with KC trailing 5-4...he allowed an inherited run on a sac fly but did not allow a hit over 2.2 scoreless innings, helping the Royals stay in a game that they would ultimately win, 11-6.
  - Teaford is in his third stint with KC on the year...was 3-2 with a 3.34 ERA in 16 outings (3 starts) for the Storm Chasers.
  - Everett entered on July 9 with KC leading Detroit 13-6 in the seventh...he tossed 3.0 shutout frames to earn his first save in the Majors.

Blake Wood

- 1st Batter Efficiency:** 30/49 **Saves/Save Opp:** 1/3 (50%) **Last Save:** August 29 @ Det (1st career) **Last Outing:** IP H R ER BB SO  
**Inherited Runners/Runners Scored:** 28/9 **2011 Strikeout High:** 4 (July 3 @ Colorado) September 6 @ Oakland 1.2 2 1 1 1 2
- Blake entered a 7-2 game with 2 on and 1 out in the seventh last night...he allowed an inherited run on an infield single...after a perfect eighth, he began the ninth with a walk to Brandon Allen and a single to Michael Taylor...Blake exited at that point, with Allen scoring later in the frame.
  - Wood stranded 2 inherited runners in the eighth on August 29 at Detroit and went on to notch his first Major League save with 2.0 scoreless frames.

Royals vs. Athletics

Pitcher	2011							Career						
	W-L	S	ERA	G	IP	H	ER	W-L	S	ERA	G	IP	H	ER
Adcock	0-0	0	3.00	1	3.0	3	1	0-0	0	3.00	1	3.0	3	1
Chavez	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	0	0.00	2	3.0	1	0
Chen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2-2	0	4.18	10	47.1	43	22
Coleman	0-0	0	9.00	1	1.0	1	1	0-0	0	9.00	1	1.0	1	1
Collins	0-0	0	0.00	3	2.1	1	0	0-0	0	0.00	3	2.1	1	0
Crow	0-0	0	13.50	2	1.1	3	2	0-0	0	13.50	2	1.1	3	2
Duffy	2-0	0	3.65	2	12.1	8	5	2-0	0	3.65	2	12.1	8	5
Francis	0-2	0	7.45	2	9.2	17	8	0-2	0	7.45	2	9.2	17	8
Hochevar	0-1	0	1.93	2	14.0	9	3	0-6	0	6.39	7	38.0	40	27
Holland	1-0	0	3.38	2	2.2	3	1	1-0	0	2.45	3	3.2	5	1
Paulino	0-0	0	12.46	1	4.1	4	6	0-0	0	12.46	1	4.1	4	6
Soria	1-0	2	0.00	4	4.0	2	0	2-2	12	2.49	20	21.2	17	6
Teaford	0-0	0	0.00	2	4.1	0	0	0-0	0	0.00	2	4.1	0	0
Wood	0-0	0	6.00	2	3.0	4	2	0-0	0	4.76	5	5.2	7	3





**Hitting Notes**

**Billy Butler** *This Series: 4-for-8, 4 runs, 2 HR, 3 RBI, 2 BB* *Last Stand: 5-for-11, run, 3 2B, RBI, 2 BB* *Hit Streak: 7 g (11-28)*

- Billy was 1-for-4 last night with a walk...recorded his 6th career multi-homer game and second of 2011 (also July 29 at Cleveland) here on Monday night, driving in 3...has now hit in 7 straight (.393, 11-for-28)...has also hit in 21 of his last 25 games (.384, 38-for-99) with 22 RBI.
- He is tied for eighth in baseball with 38 doubles and 11th in the A.L. with 158 hits.
- He is fourth in the Majors to Yankees' Cano (48) and Granderson (46) and Rockies' Tulowitzki (46) with 45 RBI since the All-Star break.
- He homered in a career best 4 straight games July 26-29, hammering 5 in that span, coming up a game shy of Mike Sweeney's 2002 club record.
- He won co-AL Player of the Week honors from July 25-31, the third of his career, hitting 13-for-32 (.406) with 5 homers and a .938 slugging pct.
- Leads all Major Leaguers since the start of 2009 with 134 doubles (NYY's Robinson Cano is second with 129).

**Melky Cabrera** *This Series: 2-for-10, 2 runs, RBI* *Last Stand: 3-for-12, 4 runs, 2B, RBI, BB* *Hit Streak: 0 g (0-5)*

- Melky was 0-for-5 here last night...now tied for sixth in MLB with 39 doubles, 1 shy of joining teammates Jeff Francoeur (43) and Alex Gordon (41) as the first trio of outfielders from the same club with 40+ doubles in Major League history...Billy Butler is 2 doubles from 40.
- Notched two outfield assists August 18 vs. Boston, including Carl Crawford at home to end the fourth...has 12 outfield assists, tied for sixth in MLB.
- His .336 (83-for-247) mark since July 2 is the eighth-best mark in MLB...has 30 extra-base hits and 38 RBI over that 60-game span.
- Has set career highs in 2011 in hits (177), doubles (39), homers (17), RBI (81), runs scored (89) and steals (17).
- He has 55 multi-hit games, second in the Majors behind Boston's Adrian Gonzalez (59).
- He ranks third in the A.L. in hits with 177 and eighth with 275 total bases...he is fourth in road average (.325).

**Alcides Escobar** *This Series: 2-for-7, run, RBI, BB* *Last Stand: 2-for-2, RBI, Sac* *Hit Streak: 4 g (6-16)*

- Alcides was 1-for-3 last night with an RBI single in the second and a walk...his two steals on Monday extended his career high total to 22.
- He hit a solo home run on August 29 in Detroit, his first home run in 136 at bats.
- Is tied for first in the Majors with 17 sacrifice hits, tied for third-most all-time in Royals history and tied for eighth in American League with 6 triples.
- He leads all Major League shortstops in assists with 423; also leads in total chances (680), is second in putouts (243) and third in double plays (92).

**Jeff Francoeur** *This Series: 4-for-10, 2 runs, HR, 3 RBI, SB* *Last Stand: 3-for-8, 2 2B, 2 RBI* *Hit Streak: 6 g (11-27)*

- Francoeur was 3-for-5 last night with a solo home run, his 17th, in the second...also singled and scored in the fifth and singled and stole his 20th base in the ninth...he is the only player in the Majors with 40+ doubles and 20+ steals and the third Royal since 2000 (J. Damon-2000; C. Beltran-2002)
- His Major League-leading 44 doubles are tied with Jermaine Dye (1999) for the most all-time among Royals outfielders.
- Collected his 1,000th career hit last Thursday in Detroit on a 2-run homer in the second...he is tied for eighth in A.L. with 64 extra-base hits.
- He signed a 2-year extension thru 2013 on August 18...has set a career high with 20 steals and is tied for second in the Majors with 12 sac flies.
- Last Wednesday, he started a 9-4-2 out at the plate in the eighth for his 13th outfield assist, tied for fourth in baseball.
- Has hit in 26 of his last 32 (.338, 44-for-130)...over a longer stretch, is hitting .320 (73-for-228) with 26 doubles over his last 58 games since July 3.
- Is batting .270 with a .739 OPS vs. right handers in 2011 after entering the season with career marks of .256 and .699.
- Leads all of baseball with 94 outfield assists since the 2005 season...2007 N.L. Gold Glove winner.

**Chris Getz** *This Series: run* *Last Stand: 2-for-7* *Hit Streak: 4 g (4-9)*

- Chris pinch ran in the ninth Monday and scored what proved to be the winning run...started at shortstop for the second game in a row Sunday and was 1-for-4...he made his first Major League start and appearance at shortstop on August 26 in Cleveland.
- Has yet to homer as a Royal with the streak currently at 593 at bats, which is the longest to start a Royals career.
- He has swiped 20 bases in 27 attempts this season and is 61-for-73 in his career, an 83.6 percent success rate.

**Johnny Giavotella** *This Series: 1-for-9, run, RBI* *Last Stand: 3-for-12, run, HR, 3 RBI, BB* *Hit Streak: 1 g (1-5)*

- Johnny was 1-for-5 here last night with an RBI groundout and a run scored.
- He had a memorable first weekend in the bigs by blasting his first career homer, a solo shot off Max Scherzer, in the fifth on August 7...he had his contract selected from Omaha (AAA) prior to the August 5 vs. Detroit...his first hit came later that evening, a double to right off Rick Porcello.
- Was hitting .338 in 110 games for the Storm Chasers, recording a minor league-leading 153 hits with 34 doubles, nine home runs, 72 RBI and 67 runs...was a PCL All-Star starter, PCL Player of the Month for June and hit a combined .391 (90-for-130) with 31 extra-base hits in June and July.

**Alex Gordon** *This Series: 1-for-8, run, 2B, 3 RBI, 2 BB* *Last Stand: 3-for-12, 2 R, HR, 3 RBI, BB, 2 SB* *Hit Streak: 0 g (0-4)*

- Alex snapped his 10-game hitting streak (.405, 17-for-42) here last night, going 0-for-4...did drive in a pair of runs on a groundout in the second and a bases-loaded walk in the fifth.
- Gunned down Kosuke Fukudome at home plate to end the fifth on August 26, his 20th outfield assist on the season which is a single-season record for the Royals, breaking the mark of 17...leads all of baseball by 6...is one of 24 players in MLB since 1969 with 20+ assists.
- Gordo has hit .322 in his last 68 games (87-for-270) with 54 runs scored (2nd in Majors) since June 21.
- In addition to homers and doubles (41), also has career bests in runs (93), hits (167), RBI (78) and stolen bases (16).
- Overall, he ranks tied for third in the Majors in doubles (41), tied for fourth in A.L. extra-base hits (66), tied for fifth in hits (167), seventh in runs (93), seventh in total bases (277) and tied for eighth in multi-hit games (44)...also ninth in home batting average (.325, 92-for-283).

**Eric Hosmer** *This Series: 5-for-10, 4 runs, 2 2B, HR, 3 RBI, SB* *Last Stand: 3-for-11, 3 runs, 2B, 3 RBI, BB, SF* *Hit Streak: 4 g (8-18)*

- Eric was 2-for-5 last night with a solo home run in the second and a single and run scored in the fifth...also stole his ninth base.
- He has now hit in 15 straight road games (.397, 25-for-63) with 6 home runs, 11 RBI and 14 runs over that span (since August 11).
- Leads A.L. rookies in hits (127), multi-hit games (35) and walks (34)...second in doubles (23), RBI (66), total bases (204), runs (55) and extra-base hits (42).
- He batted .426 (20-for-47) during career-best 11-game streak from July 19-30, including 7 multi-hit games, 5 doubles, a HR and 8 RBI.
- Of his 15 career homers, 10 have either tied the game (4) or give the Royals a lead (6)...his 24 go-ahead RBI and 10 game-winning RBI lead the Royals.
- Had his contract purchased from Omaha (AAA) on May 6...named Royals Player of the Month for May (.283, 5 HR, 17 RBI).
- Hit home runs in consecutive games on May 11 and 12 in New York, the first blast, his first MLB home run off A.J. Burnett.

**Mitch Maier** *This Series: Has not played* *Last Stand: 1-for-3, run, BB* *Hit Streak: 4 g (4-12)*

- Mitch made his first start since August 25 on Sunday vs. Cleveland in right field and was 1-for-3 with a walk and a run scored.
- He pitched the eighth inning on July 26, the eighth different position player in franchise history to take the mound and first since Tony Pena, Jr., in 2008 (10th instance)...Maier retired Dustin Pedroia on a fly ball to the Green Monster, then worked around a David Ortiz double for a scoreless frame.
- Possesses 3 of Kansas City's 5 pinch hits this season (3-for-11).

**Mike Moustakas** *This Series: 2-for-5, 2 RBI* *Last Stand: 0-for-12, RBI, BB* *Hit Streak: 1 g (2-5)*

- Mike was 2-for-5 here Monday with a 2-run single in the ninth...snapped his career-high hitting streak at 15 games last Friday night...hit .421 (24-for-57) with 6 doubles and a .985 OPS during the streak, which tied the longest streak by a Royals rookie (DeJesus, twice in 2004).
- He had his contract selected from Omaha (AAA) on June 10 and singled off of Ervin Santana for his first hit that night...he became the 261st Royal to homer in team history with his blast in the fourth inning the following night (June 11) off Joel Pineiro.
- He was batting .287 (64-for-223) for the Storm Chasers with 15 doubles, 10 home runs and 44 RBI in 55 games.

**Yamaico (ya-MIKE-oh) Navarro** *This Series: 1-for-4* *Last Stand: Did not play* *Hit Streak: 3 g (4-11)*

- Yamaico made his first appearance since his recall last Friday and was 1-for-4 last night...hit .272 (25-for-92) with the Storm Chasers in 25 games with two homers, 9 RBI and 11 runs.
- Was acquired July 30 from the Boston Red Sox with minor league righthanded pitcher Kendal Volz in exchange for infielder Mike Aviles...was 3-for-7 in two starts for the Royals on August 3 and 4 with a double, 3 RBI, 2 walks and 2 runs scored.
- He homered in his first MLB at bat this season with Boston, a pinch hit blast in Houston off of J.A. Happ on July 2, his first big league home run.

**Salvador Perez** *This Series: 5-for-9, 2 runs, 2B, RBI* *Last Stand: 1-for-6, 3 runs, HBP* *Hit Streak: 2 g (5-9)*

- Salvador was 3-for-5 last night with a double, RBI and 2 runs scored...is hitting .380 (19-for-50) over his last 13 games
- He blasted his first Major League home run in Detroit on August 29 to deep left center off Max Scherzer in the fourth inning.
- Sal made his big league debut on August 10 at Tampa Bay, recording his first hit with a single off Wade Davis...he also added a RBI, run and picked runners off both first and third base, the first pickoffs by a Kansas City catcher this year...had his contract selected from Omaha (AAA) August 10.
- Perez, 21, hit .333 (16-for-48) with 5 doubles, 1 HR and 10 RBI in 12 games with Omaha after his promotion from NW Arkansas in late July...the Valencia, Venezuela resident batted .283 for the Naturals with 14 doubles, 9 homers and 43 RBI in 79 games.

**Brayan Pena** *This Series: def. replacement* *Last Stand: 1-for-5* *Hit Streak: 1 g (1-5)*

- Brayan caught the ninth here Monday...was 1-for-5 Sunday...attended the birth of his third son on August 10 in Miami.
- Batting .366 (15-for-41) in close and late situations...all 3 of his homers this season have been 3-run shots at Rangers Ballpark in Arlington.



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This & That

FRENCHY IN THE 40-20 CLUB--Outfielder Jeff Francoeur became just the third Royal in the 21st century to collect at least 40 doubles and swipe 20 bases in a season when he pilfered second base in the ninth inning last night...he joins Carlos Beltran in 2002 and Johnny Damon in 2000, as the only other Royals to reach such lofty numbers in those categories since the 2000 campaign...for Francoeur, he has crushed his previous big league theft best of 8 established last year with the Mets...he's even eclipsed his all-time professional best of 14 while playing for Rome in the Atlanta chain in 2003.

40-DOUBLE CLUB EXCLUSIVITY--Jeff Francoeur (44) and Alex Gordon (42) are currently the fifth pair of Royals teammates to have 40 or more doubles in the same season, joining Hal McRae (46) and Frank White (45) in 1982, Jermaine Dye (44) and Mike Sweeney (44) in 1999, Johnny Damon (42) and Dye (41) in 2000 and Billy Butler (51) and Alberto Callaspo (41) in 2009...Melky Cabrera needs one more to join the duo with 40 while Billy Butler is on their heels at 38...when Melky collects his 40th double, the Royals will possess the first outfield in Major League history in which all 3 recorded 40-double seasons (thank you runyontheroyals.com)...should both Cabrera and Butler attain the 40-double mark, which is likely to this point, Kansas City would be the fourth big league franchise in history to have 4 members of the 40-double club joining the 2006 Texas Rangers (Michael Young-52, Mark Teixeira-45, Gary Matthews Jr.-44 and Mark DeRosa-40), the 1932 Phillies (Chuck Klein-50, Dick Bartell-48, Hal Lee-42 and Don Hurst-41) and the 1929 Detroit Tigers (Charlie Gehringer-45, Roy Johnson-45, Dale Alexander-43 and Harry Heilmann-41).

PLAYOFFS START TONIGHT--The Royals have three teams beginning their minor league post-season work tonight as the second season begins...the Omaha Storm Chasers (AAA) will open its best-of-five series in Round Rock, the site of the first two games, followed by the remaining necessary contests slated for Werner Park starting Friday night...the defending Texas League Champion Northwest Arkansas Naturals will begin their title defense tonight at Arkansas, where the first two games of their best-of-five will be played...the Naturals will return to Springdale on Friday...the Kane County Cougars (A) will start a best-of-three at home tonight against Burlington and then travel for the final two contests (if necessary).

BILLY ON ELITE LIST--According to STATS, LLC, Royals designated hitter Billy Butler is 1 of 7 players in Major League Baseball since the beginning of 2009 to have more than 500 hits, 200 runs, 50 home runs and a greater than .300 batting average...after going 3-for-4 with two home runs and 3 RBI yesterday, Butler has 529 hits, 220 runs, 54 home runs and an average of .307 since 2009...the other six on the list joining Butler are the Tigers' Miguel Cabrera, the Yankees' Robinson Cano, the Brewers' Ryan Braun, the Rangers' Michael Young, the Cardinals' Albert Pujols and the Red Sox' Adrian Gonzalez.

ALEX SHATTERS TEAM ASSIST MARK--Alex Gordon has recorded 20 outfield assists this year, not only leading the Majors, but shattering the club record of 17 which was held by Jermaine Dye (1999) and Mark Teahen (2007)...with 20 assists, Gordo is just the 24th player since 1969 to have 20 or more in a season and the first since Alfonso Soriano had 22 in 2006 for the Nationals...of his 20, half have cut off a run at home...the 27-year old Gordon was a third baseman up until the middle of last year...one other note on Gordon's assist roll, according to Stats, Inc, he is one of only four players since 1969 to record at least 20 outfield assists and commit two or fewer errors as an outfielder (Joe Orsulak - 22 assists and one error with Baltimore in 1991; George Hendrick - 20 assists and two errors with St. Louis in 1979 and Andruw Jones - 20 assists and two errors with Atlanta in 1998).

BEST OUTFIELD ARMS IN BALL--The Kansas City outfield has 46 assists in the books this year, 11 more than the N.L. leading Giants and 13 up on second place Detroit in the A.L...of the 46 assists, 22 have been in the first games of a series...Alex Gordon leads the Majors with 20, while Jeff Francoeur is tied for fourth with 13 and Melky Cabrera is sixth with a dozen...Mitch Maier became the first outfielder other than the three starters to pick up an assist on Sunday, nailing Carlos Santana at the plate to end the first...the KC outfield has also been involved at nailing a big league leading 24 runners at the plate this year, the second most in MLB since 1974 (Montreal Expos, 30 in 1978), which is as far back as that information is available...this is the second time in club history that 3 outfielders have double-digits in assists, joining the 1969 club (Lou Piniella-13, Pat Kelly-12, Bob Oliver-11)...Frenchy has 94 outfield assists in his big league career, which ranks #1 over the 72 by Baltimore's Nick Markakis since 2005...current teammate Melky Cabrera is tied for fourth on that list with 58.

...AND THEY CAN HIT, TOO--Royals' outfielders have been the most productive overall group in baseball at the plate, leading all of baseball with a .294 collective batting average, 517 hits, 196 extra-base hits, 128 doubles and 835 total bases...KC is also among baseball's elite with 263 runs (4th in Majors, 2nd in the A.L.), 243 RBI (2nd in Majors and A.L.) and a .825 OPS (4th in Majors, 2nd in A.L.)...Jeff Francoeur is enjoying one of his best overall seasons at the plate, setting a personal best with 44 doubles, while currently ranking tied for third on the club with 17 home runs...Melky Cabrera has established career bests in home runs (17) and RBI (81) and is flirting with his first career .300 season, which at this point has shattered his previous career best of .280 with the Yankees in 2006...Alex Gordon is having a breakout season, already establishing a career bests in hits (167), doubles (42), runs (93), extra-base hits (66) and home runs (20)...Frenchy, Gordo and Melky are three of just seven players in MLB with 35+ doubles, 15+ homers and 15+ steals...the others are Arizona's Justin Upton, the Rays' Ben Zobrist, the Brewers' Ryan Braun and the Red Sox' Jacoby Ellsbury.

Table with 5 columns: vs. Athletics (2011), vs. Athletics (career), On Road (career), Moscoso (career), Vargas (career). Rows include Butler, Cabrera, Escobar, Francoeur, Getz, Giavotella, Gordon, Hosmer, Maier, Moustakas, Navarro, Pena, Perez.

Starting Pitchers Breakdown table with columns: Pitcher, GS, Total KC Runs, Avg. Runs Per Start, Team Record, Quality Starts.

Catcher/Pitcher Matchups (Team Record w/Starters) table with columns: Pitcher, Pena, Perez, Pina, Treanor, Totals.

Daily Update

Score by Innings table with columns: Innings 1-15, Total.

Victory Margin table with columns: Innings 1-15+.

Kansas City By the Days table with columns: Day, Range.

Multi-Run Innings for Royals table with columns: # of runs, # times, last time.





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2011 Royals Home Run Breakdown

Table with columns: Players, vs. Total, vs. LHP, vs. RHP, @ Home, @ Road, Runners On (0, 1, 2, 3), Outs (0, 1, 2), Tied Game, Gave Lead, Direction (LF, LC, CF, RC, RF), Team Record, Last Home Run (Date, Opp, Pitcher), AB's Since.

Pinch-Hit: Last: Wilson Betemit (7/2/11 @ Colorado, fourth inning) - First in 2011, Franchise total: 70
Grand Slam: Last: Melky Cabrera (7/29/11 @ Cleveland, third inning) - Franchise total: 108; 1st in 2011
Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: Last: Shane Mack (5/22/98 @ Texas, seventh inning)
2-Homer Game: Last: Billy Butler (9/5/11 @ Oakland) - solo, 2-run - 5th time for KC in 2011 (also Cabrera - 7/3/11 @ Colorado, Aviles, 4/24 @ Texas, Butler - 7/29 @ Cleveland & Hosmer - 8/31 @ Detroit)
3-Homer Game: Last: Danny Tartabull (7/6/91 vs. Oakland)
Back-to-Back: Last: Eric Hosmer and Jeff Francoeur (9/6/11 @ Oakland, 2nd inning) - 3rd time in 2011
Back-to-Back-to-Back: Last: Tony Graffanino, Angel Berroa, Doug Mientkiewicz (5/25/06 vs. Detroit, first inning)
Three Home Runs, One Inning: Last: Melky Cabrera, Eric Hosmer and Brayan Pena (5/27/11 @ Texas, 14th inning)
Four Home Runs, One Inning: Last: Mike Sweeney, Jermaine Dye, Raul Ibanez and Carlos Beltran (6/29/01 @ Cleveland, fourth inning)
Leadoff Game: Last: Alex Gordon (8/29/11 @ Detroit) - 3 times in 2011 (all Gordon), Franchise total: 76
Inside-the-Park: Last: David DeJesus (4/23/10 vs. Minnesota) - Franchise total: 94
Both Sides of the Plate in One Game: Last: Wilson Betemit (6/10/10 @ Minnesota) - Franchise total: 6
Home Run by Pitcher: Last: Zack Greinke (6/10/05 @ Arizona)
Walk-off Home Run: Last: Billy Butler (6/1/11 vs. LAA, 9th inning, Downs pitching) - Franchise total: 60; 3 times in 2011 (Ka'aihue, 4/1 vs. LAA; Treanor, 4/3 vs. LAA)
Opponent:
Pinch-Hit: Last: Andruw Jones, Chicago (9/12/10 @ U.S. Cellular Field, Blake Wood pitching, 6th inning)
Grand Slam: Last: David Ortiz, Boston (7/27/11 @ Fenway Park, Bruce Chen pitching, 4th inning)
Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: Last: Darryl Strawberry, New York Yankees (5/2/98 @ Kauffman Stadium, Scott Service pitching, 9th inning)
Back-to-Back: Last: Jacoby Ellsbury and Dustin Pedroia (7/27/11 @ Fenway Park, Bruce Chen pitching, 1st inning)
Leadoff Game: Last: Jacoby Ellsbury, Boston (7/27/11 @ Fenway Park, Bruce Chen pitching)
Inside-the-Park: Last: Derek Jeter @ New York (7/22/10 @ Yankee Stadium, Bruce Chen pitching, 3rd inning)
Walk-off Home Run: Last: Ramon Santiago @ Detroit (8/30/11 @ Comerica Park, Aaron Crow pitching, 10th inning)
Three Home Runs, One Inning: Last: Mitch Moreland, Mike Napoli, Endy Chavez (5/28/11 @ Texas, Sean O'Sullivan pitching, 6th inning)
Four Home Runs, One Inning: Last: Alex Rios, Carlos Quentin, Andruw Jones, Dayan Viciedo, Chicago (7/11/10 @ U.S. Cellular, Anthony Lerew pitching, 3rd inning)
Three Home Runs, One Player: Last: Shin-soo Choo, Cleveland (9/17/10 @ Kauffman Stadium, Kyle Davies-1; Bryan Bullington-1; Greg Holland-1)
Both Sides of the Plate in One Game: Last: Willy Aybar (8/3/09 @ Tropicana Field, Zack Greinke and Ron Mahay pitching)

2011 Single-Game Bests

Table with columns: Players, Multi-Hit Games (2, 3, 4, 5, 6+), Total, Multi-RBI Games (2, 3, 4, 5, 6+), Total, RBI (Typing, Go-Ahead, 2-out), Hitting Streaks (5-10, 11-15, 16+, Current, Long (5+)), Hits (Infield, Bunt).

The Last Time...

No-Hitter by the Royals: Bret Saberhagen, Aug. 26, 1991 vs. Chicago (Royals 7-0)
No-Hitter vs. Royals: Jon Lester, May 19, 2008 @ Boston in Fenway Park (Red Sox 7-0)
One-Hitter by the Royals (complete game): Zack Greinke, August 30, 2009 at Seattle (Royals 3-0)
One-Hitter vs. Royals (complete game): Scott Baker, Minnesota, August 31, 2007 (Game 2) at Metrodome (Twins 5-0)
Two-Hitter by the Royals (complete game): Bruce Chen, October 1, 2010 vs. Tampa Bay (Royals 7-0)
Two-Hitter vs. Royals (complete game): Jeff Niemann, Tampa Bay, June 3, 2009 at Tropicana Field (Rays, 9-0)
Back-to-Back Complete Game Wins by the Royals: Brian Bannister and Zack Greinke, April 13-14, 2008 vs. Minnesota (5-1) and at Seattle (5-1)
Back-to-Back Shutouts by the Royals: Sept. 29-30, 1992 at California (2-0 and 4-0)
Back-to-Back Shutouts vs. Royals: May 22-23, 2009 @ St. Louis (5-0 and 5-0)
Three Straight Shutouts vs. Royals: July 5-7, 2004 at Minnesota (9-0, 4-0, 12-0)
10+ Innings Pitched by a Royals starter: Kevin Appier, July 23, 1992 at Cleveland (10.0)
10+ Strikeouts by a Royals starter: Zack Greinke, June 13, 2010 at Cincinnati (12)
Shutout by the Royals (Complete Game): Bruce Chen, October 1, 2010 vs. Tampa Bay (Royals 7-0)
Shutout by the Royals (Combined): June 12, 2011 vs. Los Angeles Angels (9-0) Vin Mazzaro (7.0), Blake Wood (2.0)
Triple Play by the Royals: June 11, 2006 vs. Tampa Bay (DeJesus-Elarton-Berroa-Teahen with Brayan batting, 2nd inning)
Triple Play vs. Royals: June 19, 1979 at Oakland at Oakland Coliseum, (5-4-3, Cowens batting, 6th inning)
Royal hit for the cycle: George Brett, July 25, 1990 @ Toronto
Opponent hit for the cycle: Jeff DaVanon, Anaheim, Aug. 25, 2004 at Angels Stadium
Royal Five-Hit Game: Billy Butler, July 27, 2009 @ Baltimore (5-for-5)
Royal Six-Hit Game: Joe Randa, Sept. 9, 2004 at Detroit-Game 1 (6-for-7)
Royals Two Hits, One Inning: Eric Hosmer, August 20, 2011 vs. Boston (6th inning) - 2nd time for KC in 2011
Royals Five-RBI Game: Melky Cabrera, August 11, 2011 @ Tampa Bay
Royals Six-RBI Game: Alberto Callaspo, April 18, 2010 @ Minnesota
Royals Seven-RBI Game: (11 times) - last: Jose Guillen, June 7, 2008 @ NYY
Royals Position Player Pitching: Mitch Maier, July 26, 2011 @ Boston
Opponent Position Player Pitching: A.L.: Bill Hall, Boston, May 28, 2010 at Fenway Park; N.L.: D'Angelo Jimenez, San Diego, June 30, 2002 at Kauffman Stadium
Royals Pitcher Homered: Zack Greinke, June 10, 2005 at Arizona
Royals Three or more Steals, One Game: Jarrod Dyson, April 3, 2011 vs. Los Angeles Angels (3)
Opponent Three or more Steals, One Game: Scott Podsednik, Chicago, April 22, 2005 at Kauffman Stadium (3 SB)
Royals Steal of Home: Yuniesky Betancourt, vs. Cleveland, September 19, 2010 (2nd inning)
Opponent Steal of Home: Pablo Ozuna, Chicago, Sept. 8, 2005 at U.S. Cellular Field (5th inning)
Royals Suspended Game: June 15-16, 2001 at Milwaukee, 4-2 (Power Outage).
Royals Home Run in first ML at bat: Jon Nunnally, April 29, 1995 vs. New York (Melido Perez pitching, 1st inning)
Royals Home Run in 4 Consecutive Games: Billy Butler, July 26-29, 2011
Royals 0-0 Game After 9 Innings: April 26, 2007 at Minnesota (Minn won 1-0 in 11 innings)
Royals Walk-Off Win: July 23, 2011 vs. Tampa Bay (5-4 in 10) - 11th in 2011
Royals Bat Around: September 6 at Oakland (5th inning, 3 runs) -- 13th time in 2011 --
Three-game sweep by Royals at Kauffman Stadium: April 29-May 1, 2011 vs. Minnesota
Three-game sweep by Royals on the road: July 5-7, 2010 @ Seattle
Four-game sweep by Royals at Kauffman Stadium: September 15-18, 2008 vs. Seattle
Four-game sweep by Royals on the road: May 7-10, 1999 at Minnesota
Three-game sweep by opposition at Kauffman Stadium: June 21-23, 2011 vs. Arizona Diamondbacks
Three-game sweep by opposition on the road: June 27-29, 2011 at San Diego
Four-game sweep by opposition at Kauffman Stadium: June 2-5, 2011 vs. Minnesota
Four-game sweep by opposition on the road: August 8-11, 2011 at Tampa Bay

Lineup Production

Table with columns: Batting Order, HR, RBI. Rows 1st to 9th.

Errorless Streaks

Table with columns: Player, Streak, Last Error, Player, Streak, Last Error. Rows for ROYALS and individual players.

Disabled List (1)

Table with columns: Player, D.L. Type, Injury, Dates on D.L., Eligible for reinstatement, Games Missed, Team Record. Row for C-Jason Kendall.



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## 2011 Transactions

Date	Player	Transaction	Date	Player	Transaction
3/13	LHP-Robert Fish	Claimed on Outright Waivers from NYY	6/13	LHP-Bruce Chen	Transfer of rehab assignment to Omaha
3/27	RHP-Henry Barrera	Placed on 60-day D.L. (right elbow sprain)	6/15	RHP-Kyle Davies	Transfer of rehab assignment to Omaha
	LHP-Robert Fish	Returned to the LA Angels of Anaheim	6/18	RHP-Kevin Pucetas	Assigned outright to Omaha
	INF-Pedro Feliz	Released	6/18	RHP-Kyle Davies	Transfer of rehab assignment to NW Arkansas
3/28	C-Matt Treanor	Acquired from Texas Rangers for cash	6/19	RHP-Vin Mazzaro	Optioned to Omaha (postgame)
3/29	RHP-Vin Mazzaro	Optioned to Omaha	6/21	OF-Jarrold Dyson	Recalled from Omaha
3/30	LHP-Tim Collins	Contract selected from Omaha	6/22	RHP-Sean O'Sullivan	Assigned to Omaha on rehab assignment
	C-Jason Kendall	Placed on 15-day D.L. (retro to 3/22)	6/24	LHP-Bruce Chen	Returned from rehab assignment and reinstated from 15-day D.L.
	C-Lucas May	Designated for assignment		LHP-Everett Teaford	Optioned to Omaha
	OF-Gregor Blanco	Assigned outright to Omaha	7/1	OF-Jarrold Dyson	Optioned to Omaha (postgame)
4/5	C-Lucas May	Assigned outright to Omaha	7/2	RHP-Kyle Davies	Returned from rehab assignment and reinstated from 15-day D.L.
4/14	RHP-Robinson Tejeda	Placed on 15-day D.L. (retro to 4/13)	7/3	RHP-Sean O'Sullivan	Returned from rehab assignment, reinstated from 15-day D.L. and optioned to Omaha
	RHP-Blake Wood	Right shoulder inflammation	7/7	LHP-Danny Duffy	Optioned to Omaha (postgame)
4/21	RHP-Louis Coleman	Recalled from Omaha		LHP-Everett Teaford	Recalled from Omaha
	RHP-Kanekoa Texeira	Contract selected from Omaha		LHP-Everett Teaford	Optioned to Omaha (postgame)
		Optioned to Omaha	7/18	LHP-Danny Duffy	Recalled from Omaha
5/5	1B-Kila Ka'aihue	Optioned to Omaha (postgame)	7/19	LHP-Danny Duffy	Recalled from Omaha
5/6	RHP-Robinson Tejeda	Assigned to Omaha on rehab assignment	7/20	INF-Wilson Betemit	Traded to Detroit Tigers for LHP Antonio Cruz and C Julio Rodriguez
	1B-Eric Hosmer	Contract selected from Omaha		INF-Mike Aviles	Recalled from Omaha
	C-Jason Kendall	Transferred to 60-day D.L.	7/30	INF-Mike Aviles	Traded to Boston Red Sox for INF Yamaico Navarro and RHP Kendal Volz (report to Wilmington)
5/11	LHP-Bruce Chen	Placed on 15-day D.L. (retro to 5/6)		INF-Yamaico Navarro	Acquired from Boston Red Sox
		Left lat strain	7/31	C-Matt Treanor	Placed on 7-day concussion disabled list
	RHP-Vin Mazzaro	Recalled from Omaha		C-Manny Pina	Recalled from Northwest Arkansas
5/16	RHP-Vin Mazzaro	Optioned to Omaha (postgame)	8/1	RHP-Kyle Davies	Placed on 15-day D.L. (retro to 7/26)
5/17	LHP-Everett Teaford	Recalled from Omaha			Right shoulder impingement
5/18	LHP-Danny Duffy	Contract selected from Omaha	8/2	LHP-Everett Teaford	Recalled from Omaha
	RHP-Kyle Davies	Placed on 15-day D.L. (retro to 5/17)	8/5	INF-Johnny Giavotella	Contract selected from Omaha
		Right rotator cuff inflammation		INF-Yamaico Navarro	Optioned to Omaha
		Designated for assignment	8/10	C-Salvador Perez	Contract selected from Omaha
5/18	RHP-Kanekoa Texeira	Recalled from Omaha		C-Brayan Pena	Placed on Paternity Leave List
5/19	RHP-Greg Holland	Optioned to Omaha		RHP-Kyle Davies	Requested Unconditional Release Waivers
	OF-Jarrold Dyson	Returned from rehab assignment and reinstated from 15-day D.L.	8/11	C-Manny Pina	Optioned to Omaha
5/19	RHP-Robinson Tejeda	Optioned to Omaha	8/12	C-Brayan Pena	Returned from Paternity Leave List
	RHP-Jeremy Jeffress	Claimed on Outright Waivers by New York Yankees	8/14	C-Matt Treanor	Transferred to the 15-day D.L. (concussion)
5/25	RHP-Kanekoa Texeira	Acquired from Colorado Rockies in exchange for cash considerations	8/16	C-Matt Treanor	Assigned to NW Arkansas on rehab assignment
5/26	RHP-Felipe Paulino	Designated for assignment	8/18	OF-Jeff Francoeur	Signed to two-year contract extension through 2013
	RHP-Robinson Tejeda	Assigned outright to Omaha	8/31	C-Matt Treanor	Traded to Texas Rangers for cash considerations
6/2	RHP-Robinson Tejeda	Reinstated from 60-day D.L.,	9/1	RHP-Jesse Chavez	Recalled from Omaha
	RHP-Henry Barrera	Assigned outright to Wilmington	9/3	INF-Yamaico Navarro	Recalled from Omaha
6/3	RHP-Sean O'Sullivan	Placed on 15-day D.L.			
		Right biceps tendinitis			
	RHP-Jesse Chavez	Recalled from Omaha			
6/6	RHP-Jesse Chavez	Optioned to Omaha (postgame)			
6/7	RHP-Vin Mazzaro	Recalled from Omaha			
6/8	LHP-Bruce Chen	Assigned to NW Arkansas on rehab assignment			
	RHP-Kyle Davies	Assigned to NW Arkansas on rehab assignment			
6/9	INF-Mike Aviles	Optioned to Omaha (postgame)			
6/10	INF-Mike Moustakas	Contract selected from Omaha			
	RHP-Kevin Pucetas	Designated for assignment			

## Royals Ejections

Date	Player/Coach	Note
4/24	Jeff Francoeur	Arguing balls and strikes (Knight)
5/22	Matt Treanor	Arguing (Campos)
	Ned Yost	Arguing ejection of Treanor (Campos)
7/8	Chris Getz	Arguing out call at first base (Hallion)
8/7	Alex Gordon	Tossing bat following strikeout (Drake)
	Ned Yost	Arguing ejection of Gordon (Drake)
8/16	Ned Yost (26th career)	Arguing balls and strikes (Danley)

## Upcoming Milestones

Jeff Francoeur

17 games for 1,000

Mitch Maier

14 RBI for 100

## Minor League Report

<p><b>Omaha Storm Chasers (AAA)</b> Pacific Coast League American Conference, Northern Division (79-63, Northern Division Champions)</p> <p>Omaha opens the American Conference Championship Series tonight at Round Rock (Rangers). RHP Luis Mendoza is scheduled to start for the Storm Chasers.</p> <p><b>Series Schedule</b> (^ = If Necessary) Wednesday at Round Rock Thursday at Round Rock Friday vs. Round Rock Saturday vs. Round Rock^ Sunday vs. Round Rock^</p>	<p><b>NW Arkansas Naturals (AA)</b> Texas League North Division (38-32 2nd half, 73-64 overall, 2nd half champs)</p> <p>The Naturals are at Arkansas (Angels) tonight for game one of a first-round series in the Texas League Playoffs. LHP Chris Dwyer is scheduled to start for the Naturals.</p> <p><b>Series Schedule</b> (^ = If Necessary) Wednesday at Arkansas Thursday at Arkansas Friday vs. Arkansas Saturday vs. Arkansas^ Sunday vs. Arkansas^</p>	<p><b>Wilmington Blue Rocks (A-Advanced)</b> Carolina League Northern Division (30-39 2nd half, 66-72 overall)</p> <p><b>Pitcher of the Year:</b> Jake Odorizzi <b>Player of the Year:</b> Rey Navarro</p> <p><b>Team Leaders</b> (* = Qualifying Players, ^ = Led League) AVG Carlo Testa .290* HR John Whittleman 20 RBI John Whittleman 68 Runs Whit Merrifield 74 SB Whit Merrifield 24 W Tim Melville 11 SO Justin Marks 140^ SV Kevin Chapman, 7 Bryan Paukovits</p>																
<p><b>Kane County Cougars (A)</b> Midwest League Western Division (37-33 2nd half, 65-74 overall) Clinched playoff spot</p> <p>Kane County begins its best-of-three playoff series tonight at home vs. Burlington (Athletics).</p> <p><b>Series Schedule</b> (^ = If Necessary) Wednesday vs. Burlington Thursday at Burlington Friday at Burlington^</p>	<p><b>Idaho Falls Chukars (R)</b> Pioneer League South Division (16-20 2nd half, 33-41 overall)</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>R</th> <th>H</th> <th>E</th> <th>LOB</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Idaho Falls</td> <td>5</td> <td>13</td> <td>1</td> <td>9</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Ogden (Dodgers)</td> <td>4</td> <td>8</td> <td>2</td> <td>5</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><b>WP:</b> Spencer Patton (3-1) <b>HR:</b> Henry Moreno (#11), Chris Elder (#9)</p> <p>Chris Elder's home run in the ninth lifted Idaho Falls to a 5-4 win and a 2-2 series split. Elder was 3-for-4, finishing a double shy of the cycle. Henry Moreno tied the game at 4-4 with a 2-run blast in the eighth. Brennon Martin limited Ogden to a run on 5 hits and a walk over 6.0 innings. Idaho Falls begins the season's final series tonight at Orem.</p>		R	H	E	LOB	Idaho Falls	5	13	1	9	Ogden (Dodgers)	4	8	2	5	<p><b>Burlington Royals (R)</b> Appalachian League East Division (24-44, Season Complete)</p> <p><b>Pitcher of the Year:</b> Nick Graffeo <b>Player of the Year:</b> Jorge Bonifacio</p> <p><b>Team Leaders</b> (* = Qualifying Players, ^ = Led League) AVG Jorge Bonifacio .284* HR Murray Watts 15 RBI Murray Watts 44 Runs Justin Trapp 45 SB Justin Trapp 31^ W Nick Graffeo 4 SO Matt Ridings 60 SV Nick Graffeo 4</p>	<p><b>Surprise Royals (R)</b> Arizona League (22-34, Season Complete)</p> <p><b>Pitcher of the Year:</b> Andrew Stueve <b>Player of the Year:</b> Nick DelGuidice</p> <p><b>Team Leaders</b> (* = Qualifying Players, ^ = Led League) AVG D'Andre Toney .340* HR D'Andre Toney 5 RBI D'Andre Toney 29 Runs Nick DelGuidice 32 SB Nick Cuckovich 24^ W Julio Morales, Christian Witt 3 SO Brian Edelen 45 SV Andrew Stueve 6</p>
	R	H	E	LOB														
Idaho Falls	5	13	1	9														
Ogden (Dodgers)	4	8	2	5														



Miscellaneous Statistics

Team Batting

Most runs, game
Most runs, extra-inning game
Most hits, game
Most hits, extra-inning game
Fewest hits, game
Most runs, inning
Most hits, inning
Most doubles, game
Most doubles, extra-inning game
Most triples, game
Most triples, extra-inning game
Most home runs, game
Most home runs, extra-inning game
Most home runs, inning
Most extra-base hits, game
Most extra-base hits, extra-inning game
Most steals, game
Most times caught stealing, game
Most sacrifice flies, game
Most sacrifices, game
Most strikeouts, game
Most strikeouts, extra-inning game
Most walks, game
Most walks, extra-inning game
Most left on base, game
Most left on base, extra-inning game
Fewest left on base, game
Fewest left on base, extra-inning game
Most double plays turned
Most errors, game

Individual Batting:

Most hits, game
Most hits, extra-inning game
Must runs, game
Most doubles, game
Most triples, game
Most home runs, game
Most RBI, game
Most RBI, extra-inning game
Most total bases, game
Most total bases, extra-inning game
Most walks, game
Most stolen bases, game
Longest hitting streak (min. 5 games)

Individual Pitching:

Most innings pitched, starter
Most innings pitched, reliever
Most strikeouts, starter
Most strikeouts, reliever
Most walks, starter
Most walks, reliever
Most runs allowed
Most home runs allowed
Consecutive scoreless innings, starter
Longest winning streak (2 or more)

Team Miscellaneous:

Longest winning streak, overall
Longest winning streak, home
Longest winning streak, road
Longest losing streak, overall
Longest losing streak, home
Longest losing streak, road
Longest game-inning, home (extra-innings)
Longest game-inning, road (extra-innings)
Longest game-time, home
Longest game-time, road
Longest game-time (extra-innings, home)
Longest game-time (extra-innings, road)
Shortest game-time home
Shortest game-time home (9 innings)
Shortest game-time road
Largest crowd-home
Smallest crowd-home
Largest crowd-road
Smallest crowd-road
Largest winning margin
Largest losing margin
Largest deficit overcome to win
Largest lead lost

Royals

16 July 3 @ Colorado
12 April 3 vs. Los Angeles (13) & May 27 @ Texas (14)
21 July 3 @ Colorado
16 May 27 @ Texas (14)
3 May 13 @ Detroit
8 April 30 vs. Minnesota (8th) & August 20 vs. Boston (6th)
8 April 13 @ Minnesota (4th) & August 4 vs. Baltimore (6th)
9 July 3 @ Colorado
5 April 3 vs. Los Angeles (13) & May 3 vs. Baltimore (10)
1 32 times, last on August 25 @ Toronto
1 June 6 vs. Toronto (11th)
4 July 29 @ Cleveland
4 May 27 @ Texas (14)
3 Cabrera, Hosmer, Pena on May 27 @ Texas (14th inn)
12 July 3 @ Colorado (ties franchise record)
8 April 3 vs. Los Angeles (13)
6 April 3 vs. Los Angeles (13)
3 Thrice, last on August 15 vs. New York
3 April 10 @ Detroit & August 10 @ Tampa Bay
3 June 14 @ Oakland & June 17 @ St. Louis
16 June 16 @ Oakland
12 May 11 @ New York (11), July 25 @ Boston (14)
9 June 14 @ Oakland
11 May 11 @ New York (11)
14 July 27 @ Boston
13 Thrice, last on July 20 vs. Chicago
2 August 16 vs. New York
4 August 5 vs. Detroit (10) & August 30 @ Detroit (10)
5 June 12 @ Los Angeles
3 March 31 vs. Los Angeles

4 Betemit (April 10 @ Detroit), Butler (May 12 @ New York, August 25 @ Toronto), Gordon (July 2 @ Colorado, August 4 vs. Baltimore & August 29 @ Detroit), Cabrera (July 3 @ Colorado), Hosmer (July 3 @ Colorado) & Francoeur (August 23 @ Toronto)
4 Gordon (April 3 vs. Los Angeles-13), Hosmer (May 27 @ Texas-14), Cabrera (July 25 @ Boston)
4 Butler (September 5 @ Oakland), Cabrera (July 3 @ Colorado) & Gordon (April 3 vs. Los Angeles-13)
3 Gordon (July 27 @ Boston)
1 multiple players
2 Aviles (April 24 @ Tex), Cabrera (July 3 @ Colo), Butler (July 29 @ Clev & September 5 @ Oak) & Hosmer (August 31 @ Det)
5 Cabrera (July 3 @ Colorado & August 10 @ Tampa Bay)
4 Hosmer (May 27 @ Texas, 14 inn)
11 Cabrera (July 3 @ Colorado)
8 Gordon (April 5 vs. Chicago-12)
3 Betemit (April 3 vs. Los Angeles-13), Cabrera (May 11 @ New York) & Butler (July 5 @ Chicago)
3 Dyson (April 3 vs. Los Angeles-13)
19 Gordon (April 3-26)

8.2 Hochevar (May 19 vs. Texas)
4.1 Paulino (May 27 @ Texas)
9 Duffy (June 19 @ St. Louis) & Paulino (July 5 @ Chicago)
6 Holland (June 1 vs. Los Angeles & July 23 vs. Tampa Bay)
7 O'Sullivan (April 30 vs. Minnesota)
3 Jeffress (April 18 vs. Cleveland & May 18 vs. Texas), Crow (May 11 @ N.Y.), Mazzaro (May 16 vs. Cleveland), Holland (May 22 vs. St. Louis), Collins (May 27 @ Texas), Adcock (July 1 @ Colorado & July 26 @ Boston) & Wood (August 13 @ Chicago), Coleman (August 30 @ Detroit)
14 Mazzaro (May 16 vs. Cleveland) - Royals franchise record
5 O'Sullivan (May 28 @ Texas) - Royals franchise record
15.2 Francis (May 14-26)
5 Wood (April 29-August 4); Chen (August 7-28)

4 April 1-5; April 13-16; April 29-May 3; July 19-23
5 April 21-May 3
3 September 1-6 (current)
6 April 22-28
4 May 8-18, June 2-5, June 21-24
7 April 22-May 10 & June 18-July 2
13 April 3 vs. Los Angeles (12-9 win)
14 May 27 @ Texas (12-7 win), July 25 @ Boston (3-1 win)
3:30 September 4 vs. Cleveland
3:52 July 26 @ Boston
4:46 April 3 vs. Los Angeles (13 inn., 12-9 win)
4:36 May 27 @ Texas (14 inn, 12-7 win)
1:53 April 14 vs. Seattle (8 innings)
2:18 May 7 vs. Oakland
1:53 August 9 @ Tampa Bay
40,055 March 31 vs. Los Angeles
8,811 April 14 vs. Seattle
49,227 July 2 @ Colorado
9,076 April 28 @ Cleveland
12 July 29 @ Cleveland (12-0 win)
18 May 16 vs. Cleveland (19-1, tied for largest in franchise history)
4 April 5 vs. Chicago (trailed 4-0 in 1st, won 7-6 in 12)
5 April 6 vs. Chicago (up 5-0, lost 10-7 in 12 innings) & May 30 vs. Los Angeles (up 6-1, lost 10-8)

Opponents

19 May 16 vs. Cleveland
10 April 6 vs. Chicago (12)
20 May 16 vs. Cleveland
19 April 3 vs. Los Angeles (13)
3 Thrice, last on September 3 vs. Cleveland
10 May 16 vs. Cleveland (4th)
8 May 16 vs. Cleveland (4th)
7 May 16 vs. Cleveland & July 2 @ Colorado
5 April 18 vs. Cleveland (10)
2 May 1 vs. Minnesota & August 11 @ Tampa Bay
1 May 22 vs. St. Louis (10) & August 5 vs. Detroit (10)
5 April 22 & May 28 @ Texas and April 26 @ Clev.
5 April 3 vs. Los Angeles (13)
3 May 28 @ Texas (2)
9 Thrice, (Last on July 2 @ Colorado)
9 April 3 vs. Los Angeles (13)
5 May 18 vs. Texas (11)
3 July 25 @ Boston
2 July 2 @ Colorado
3 May 18 vs. Texas (11)
12 July 31 @ Cleveland
15 July 23 vs. Tampa Bay (10)
9 July 26 @ Boston
13 May 18 vs. Texas (11) & May 22 vs. St. Louis (10)
15 July 26 @ Boston
15 May 11 @ New York (11) & May 22 vs. St. Louis (10)
1 May 6 vs. Oakland & August 9 @ Tampa Bay
6 August 5 vs. Detroit (10)
2 Twice, last on April 6 vs. Chicago (12)
4 Twice, last on April 10 @ Detroit

The Lineup Card

Starts by Batting Order

Starts by Position

1st: Aviles (5-10), Cabrera (1-6), Dyson (4-3), Escobar (1-0), Getz (16-16), Giavotella (1-0), Gordon (31-45), Maier (1-3)
2nd: Aviles (1-1), Cabrera (54-74), Escobar (0-1), Getz (1-3), Giavotella (1-1), Hosmer (2-3), Maier (1-0)
3rd: Butler (25-31), Cabrera (0-1), Francoeur (0-1), Gordon (23-28), Hosmer (12-22)
4th: Butler (24-29), Francoeur (14-23), Gordon (2-7), Hosmer (20-24)
5th: Betemit (0-3), Butler (9-17), Francoeur (32-45), Giavotella (0-1), Hosmer (7-10), Ka'aihue (9-5), Maier (2-1), Moustakas (1-1)
6th: Aviles (4-5), Betemit (14-20), Cabrera (1-0), Francoeur (11-11), Giavotella (5-13), Hosmer (2-6), Ka'aihue (0-1), Maier (1-2), Moustakas (16-20), Navarro (2-0), Pena (1-3), Treanor (3-2)
7th: Aviles (7-11), Betemit (7-8), Escobar (3-3), Getz (5-5), Giavotella (4-5), Ka'aihue (4-4), Maier (1-1), Moustakas (7-11), Pena (9-15), Perez (6-7), Treanor (7-12)
8th: Escobar (9-14), Getz (14-15), Maier (1-2), Moustakas (4-12), Navarro (1-0), Pena (10-16), Perez (3-5), Treanor (18-20)
9th: Escobar (46-61), Getz (9-12), Pena (1-0), Pina (2-2), Pitchers (2-7)

P: Adcock (1-2), Chen (13-7), Davies (3-10), Duffy (6-14), Francis (9-20), Hochevar (16-13), Mazzaro (2-2), O'Sullivan (4-5), Paulino (6-10)
C: Pena (21-34), Perez (9-13), Pina (2-2), Treanor (28-34)
1B: Betemit (2-1), Butler (5-6), Gordon (0-2), Hosmer (43-65), Ka'aihue (10-9)
2B: Aviles (5-14), Getz (44-49), Giavotella (11-20)
3B: Aviles (12-10), Betemit (17-29), Moustakas (28-44), Navarro (3-0)
SS: Aviles (0-2), Escobar (59-79), Getz (1-2)
LF: Cabrera (1-2), Gordon (56-78), Maier (3-3)
CF: Cabrera (54-77), Dyson (4-3), Maier (2-3)
RF: Cabrera (1-0), Francoeur (57-80), Maier (2-3)
DH: Aviles (0-1), Betemit (2-1), Butler (53-71), Cabrera (0-2), Ka'aihue (3-1)





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2011 Day-By-Days

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\* home sellout

Royals Record When:

Leading after six innings: 39-13
Leading after seven innings: 41-11
Leading after eight innings: 44-4
Starter works more than 6.0 IP: 28-23
Score first: 36-27
Score more than three runs: 47-31
Hit home run: 34-38
Series opener: 17-29
10 or more hits: 36-24

Tied after six innings: 9-10
Tied after seven innings: 9-10
Tied after eight innings: 10-11
Starter works 6.0 IP: 13-19
Opponent scores first: 24-56
Score three runs or less: 13-52
Do not homer: 26-45
Series finale: 23-21
Opponents 10 or more hits: 20-46

Trailing after six innings: 12-60
Trailing after seven innings: 10-62
Trailing after eight innings: 6-68
Leading after nine innings: 49-0
Starter works less than 6.0 IP: 19-40
In the last turn at bat (KC/OPP): 19/21
Walk-off wins (KC/OPP): 11/10
Comeback wins (KC/OPP): 31/39
Extra innings (home/road): 10-8 (7-5/3-3)
Errorless games by KC: 33-46





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2011 Day-By-Days (Cont.)

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\* home sellout