#### A's News Links, Wednesday, May 9, 2012

#### OAKLAND TRIBUNE

## Brandon Inge's ninth-inning grand slam lifts Oakland A's by Toronto Blue Jays

By Carl Steward, Oakland Tribune

http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci\_20580194/brandon-inges-ninth-inning-grand-slam-lifts-oakland

# POSTGAME NOTES: A memorable night of baseball for local teams, local writers, Ken Korach and that Josh Hamilton quy

By Carl Steward, Oakland Tribune, 5/9/2012, 12:45am

http://www.ibabuzz.com/athletics/

# Inside the Oakland A's: McCarthy pushed back due to shoulder soreness, Cespedes scratched from lineup, welcome back Ken Korach

By Carl Steward, Oakland Tribune, 5/8/2012, 6:46pm

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#### SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE

## A's beat Jays on Inge's slam, but Céspedes is hurt

Steve Kroner, San Francisco Chronicle

http://www.sfgate.com/cgi-bin/article.cgi?f=/c/a/2012/05/08/SPS510F6CE.DTL

#### A's McCarthy being careful with shoulder

Steve Kroner, San Francisco Chronicle

http://www.sfgate.com/cgi-bin/article.cgi?f=/c/a/2012/05/08/SPOQ10F7KT.DTL

The Drumbeat: After a rather dramatic 9th inning

Steve Kroner following a grand finale at the Coliseum: 5/8/2012, 11:25pm <a href="http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2012/05/08/after-a-rather-dramatic-9th-inning/">http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2012/05/08/after-a-rather-dramatic-9th-inning/</a>

The Drumbeat: Yoenis Cespedes scratched — new A's lineup

Steve Kroner at the Coliseum: 5/8/2012, 6:16pm

http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2012/05/08/yoenis-cespedes-scratched-new-as-lineup/

The Drumbeat: McCarthy sidelined and A's lineup vs. Toronto

Steve Kroner subbing for Susan Slusser at the Coliseum: 5/8/2012, 4:51pm

http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2012/05/08/mccarthy-sidelined-and-as-lineup-vs-toronto/

#### Talking baseball - and jobs - in Oakland

Nate Miley, Jean Quan, San Francisco Chronicle

http://www.sfgate.com/cgi-bin/article.cgi?f=/c/a/2012/05/08/EDUE10F15Q.DTL

# **OAKLANDATHLETICS.COM**

## Inge's walk-off grand slam completes A's rally

Parker leaves with no-decision after seven solid innings

By Jane Lee / MLB.com

http://athletics.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2012\_05\_08\_tormlb\_oakmlb\_1&mode=recap&c\_i d=oak

#### McCarthy pushed back with shoulder issue

By Jane Lee / MLB.com

http://athletics.mlb.com/news/article.jsp?ymd=20120508&content\_id=30750364&notebook\_id=30753 770&vkey=notebook\_oak&c\_id=oak

Major Lee-ague: Shoulder soreness sidelines McCarthy (again)

Jane Lee, mlb.com, 5/8/2012, 8:35pm http://janelee.mlblogs.com/

## **ASSOCIATED PRESS**

## Athletics rally in 9th to beat Blue Jays 7-3

By JOSH DUBOW, AP Sports Writer

http://pressdemocrat.stats.com/mlb/recap.asp?g=320508111&final=true

#### **COMCAST SPORTSNET BAY AREA**

## Inge's walk-off shadows A's advancements

Ray Ratto, csnbayarea.com

http://www.csnbayarea.com/baseball-oakland-athletics/athletics-talk/Inges-walk-off-shadows-As-advancements?blockID=704704&feedID=8349

## Giants' defense trending down, A's improving

Ray Ratto, csnbayarea.com

http://www.csnbayarea.com/05/08/12/Giants-defense-trending-down-As-

improvin/landing.html?blockID=704216&feedID=8349

#### ESPN.COM

#### Yoenis Cespedes: Away from home

# It's a brand new life (and brand new pitchers) for Cuba's Yoenis Cespedes

By Hiram Martinez | ESPN Deportes

http://espn.go.com/mlb/story/\_/page/martinez-120808/cuban-outfielder-yoenis-cespedes-adjusts-life-pitching-us

## The challenge for Cuban defectors

## Playing baseball is just a small part of the adjustment for these ballplayers

By Hiram Martinez | ESPN Deportes

http://espn.go.com/mlb/story/\_/id/7898865/yoenis-cespedes-faces-many-obstacles-the-field-cuban-defector-mlb

# Ariel Prieto: Interpreter and mentor

# Ariel Prieto's past makes him the perfect interpreter for Yoenis Cespedes' present

By Jim Caple | ESPN.com

http://espn.go.com/mlb/story//page/caple-120808/ariel-prieto-makes-perfect-interpreter-yoenis-cespedes-present

#### REALCLEARSPORTS.COM

# For A's, There's No One There in Oakland

Art Spander, Real Clear Sports

http://www.realclearsports.com/articles/2012/05/09/resurgent as surrounded by empty seats 976 85.html

#### **EAST BAY EXPRESS**

## Lew Wolff and John Fisher Should Sell the A's

Robert Gammon, East Bay Express

http://www.eastbayexpress.com/92510/archives/2012/05/08/wolff-and-fisher-should-sell-the-as

#### **MINOR LEAGUE NEWS**

## Sacramento Rivercats

#### **DONALDSON DELIVERS 4-3 WIN IN WALK-OFF FASHION**

http://www.milb.com/news/article.jsp?ymd=20120509&content\_id=30784332&vkey=news\_t105&fext =.jsp&sid=t105

#### Midland Rockhounds

Frisco tops RockHounds in pitchers duel

Midland Reporter-Telegram

http://www.mywesttexas.com/rockhounds/

#### **Stockton Ports**

## Clutch Hits Elude Ports In 6-1 Loss

http://www.milb.com/news/article.jsp?ymd=20120509&content\_id=30784616&vkey=news\_t524&fext=.jsp&sid=t524

# **Burlington Bees**

## Bees Hit Back-to-Back Jacks in Win

The Bees offense gave Sean Murphy seven runs of support on the way to a 7-0 shut out win.

Daniel Trivinos, Burlington Bees

http://www.milb.com/news/article.jsp?ymd=20120508&content\_id=30731954&vkey=news\_t420&fext =.jsp&sid=t420