# 2012 Oakland A's



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#### A's AT A GLANCE Season High +2 (3 times, last; May 14) 4-7 (April 16) 10-12 Season Low April 9-8 May 0-0 June Julv 0-0 August 0-0 September 0-0 Home Series 2-2-3 Road Series 3-3-2 Series Sweeps 0-1 First Game of Series 5-10 8-6 14-4 Last Game of Series A's Score First Opponent Scores First Leading After 7<sup>th</sup> 6-17 14-1 Leading After 8<sup>th</sup> Tied After 7<sup>th</sup> Tied After 8<sup>th</sup> 16-1 5-1 4-1 Trailing After 7<sup>th</sup> Trailing After 7<sup>th</sup> Commit No Errors Commit 1 or More Errors 1-19 0-19 10-11 10-10 More HR Than Opp. 8-6 Fewer HR Than Opp. Same Total HR of Opp. 3-10 9-5 Starter Pitches 7 or More Starter Pitches Less Than 7 9-6 11-15 When Scoring 4 or More 17-4 When Scoring Less Than 4 3-17 Last At Bat 6-2 **Different Lineups** 38

### A's vs. GIANTS

The A's have lost the first two meetings of 2012 after splitting the season series last year, 3-3...each team won all three games in its home ballpark for the second consecutive season...the A's now have an 11-game losing streak at AT&T Park, which is tied for the second longest losing streak at a road ballpark in Oakland history (see chart below)...it is one short of the record...have a six-game winning streak in the Coliseum...in the previous 15 season series, the A's have won four, the Giants two and the clubs have split the season series nine times...the A's 45-43 all-time against the nts during interleague are Giants during interleague play...that breaks down to 26-17 in Oakland and 19-26 in San Francisco...including 15-23 at AT&T Park

# OAKLAND A'S LONGEST ROAD LOSING STREAKS BY BALLPARK

County Stadium, 9/25/92-4/28/95

- 11 AT&T Park, 6/12/09-present 11
- Arlington Stadium, 9/29/82-6/11/84 Fenway Park, 5/21/82-7/15/83 10
- 10

Fenway Park, 6/17/80-8/29/81 Yankee Stadium, 5/6/77-8/27/78

BEST INTERLEAGUE WON-LOSS PERCENTAGE **PCT** .594 New York (AL) 158 108 Chicago (AL) Los Angeles (AL) 111 115 116 116 156 .584 153 .571 Boston 151 .566 Minnesota 150 .564 549 Seattle 147 121 Oakland 144 124 .537

#### THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

In **1977** Wayne Gross has five RBI and Earl Williams drives in four as the A's defeat Seattle 14-5...in **2005** Keith Ginter has one hit in one official at bat but drives in five runs on a three-run home run and two sacrifice flies in an 8-4 win at San Francisco...in **2011** Mark Ellis singles in the second inning off San Francisco's Ryan Vogelsong for his 1000<sup>th</sup> career hit to become the 12<sup>th</sup> player in Oakland history to collect 1000 hits.

## OAKLAND ATHLETICS (20-21) VS. SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS (21-19) SUNDAY, MAY 20, 2012 – AT&T PARK – 1:05 P.M. PDT RHP BARTOLO COLÓN (3-4, 4.13) VS. RHP TIM LINCECUM (2-3, 5.77)

CSNCA - A'S RADIO NETWORK (95.7 FM THE GAME)

#### **ABOUT THE A's**

ABOUT THE A'S: Have lost two straight, four of the last five and seven of the last 11 games to fall under .500 for the first time since May 4 (13-14)...have dropped the first two games of this series and have lost a series for the first time since losing two of three at Baltimore April 27-29...had gone 2-0-4 over the previous six series...have not been swept in a series of three or more games since August 12-14 of last year against Texas...are 16-14 over the last 30 games after starting the season 4-7...are 20-21 after 41 games, marking the third consecutive season they have been within one game of .500 after 41 games (21-20 last year, 20-21 in 2010)...remain in second place in the American League West for the 19<sup>th</sup> consecutive day and trail first place Texas by five games...have spent one day tied for first this year, 24 days in second, eight days tied for second, six days in third and seven days in fourth ... are 8-5 in games started by a left-handed pitcher, which is the second best record in the AL (Baltimore, 6-3)... are 12-16 against right-handers.

SHUTOUT: The A's were shutout for the second time in the last five games yesterday...have now been blanked six times for the season, which is second most in the majors to the Angels (8)...have scored just 144 runs for the season, which is the fewest in the American League and third fewest in the majors...the pitching staff has tossed five shutouts, which is tied with the Angels for the most in the majors.

**OFFENSE:** The A's were held to one hit yesterday for the second time this year (April 10 vs. Kansas City) and are now batting .184 (41 for 223) with 18 runs scored over the last seven games...rank last in the majors in batting (.215) and second to last in slugging (.343) and on-base percentage (.290)...are last in the American League in batting with runners in scoring position (.220)...have struck out exactly 11 times in five of the last eight games and have fanned 108 times over the last 11 games...rank second in the AL with 333 strikeouts for the season...have grounded into the fewest double plays in the AL (21).

INTERLEAGUE PLAY: The A's have lost the first two interleague game of 2012...resume play against the National League with a six-game road trip to Arizona (June 8-10) and Colorado (June 12-14) before returning home to face San Diego (June 15-17), Los Angeles (June 19-21) and San Francisco (June 22-24)...went 8-10 in interleague play last year, their third consecutive season with a losing record against the NL...it was just the fifth time in 15 interleague seasons the A's finished with a losing interleague record...are 21-35 (.375) over the last four years (since 2009), which is the second worst mark in the majors (Houston, 14-33), but are 144-124 (.537) all-time, which is the seventh best record.

PITCHERS HITTING: A's pitchers are 0 for 3 with two strikeouts this year are now 0 for their last 24 dating back to a Ben Sheets single June 19, 2010 at St. Louis...have a .085 (23 for 270) average with four doubles, seven RBI, eight walks and 119 strikeouts since interleague play began in 1997...the batting average is the lowest by an AL team over that span (Toronto, .093)...the last triple by an A's pitcher was by John Odom on August 22, 1971 against Boston...Odom also hit the last home run on September 4, 1972 against California.

ON THE BASES: The A's have gone a season-high four consecutive games without a stolen base...however, lead the American League and rank second in the majors with 38 stolen bases (Miami, 45)...have five double steals, which is two more than the season total from last year...10 of the A's steals have been of third base, which is the most in the majors...have a stolen base percentage of 82.6% (8 cs), which is second best in the majors (Philadelphia, 85.0%)...Jemile Weeks was caught stealing in the first inning Thursday at Texas, ending the A's streak of 20 consecutive successful stolen base attempts...that was the third longest streak in Oakland history and was two short of the record of 22 (Oct. 2, 1991-April 10, 1992 and July 19-Aug. 1, 1983)...A's opponents have been caught stealing 12 times, which is tied for second most in the AL (Kansas City, 18).

PITCHING: The A's have a 3.64 ERA, which ranks fourth in the American League...are tied for the second fewest home runs allowed (34) and have the second fewest strikeouts (238)...A's starting pitchers have a 5.66 ERA (70 er in 111.1 ip) and .297 (135 for 455) opponents batting average over the last 20 games after posting a 2.86 ERA and .242 average over the first 21 contests.

THE LONG BALL: The A's hit their 35<sup>th</sup> home run of the season Friday in game 40...last year, the A's did not hit their 35<sup>th</sup> home run until game 64 (number 36 came in game 67)...17 of the A's 35 home runs have come with runners on base (eight two-run, seven three-run, two grand slams)...18 have come with two outs...had just 35 two-out home runs all last year.

HOME AND AWAY: The A's are 2-4 on this seven-game road trip to Los Angeles (1-1), Texas (1-1) and San Francisco (0-2)...went 5-4 on the last road trip to Baltimore (1-2), Boston (2-1) and Tampa Bay (2-1) and are 11-11 on the road for the season...went 3-3 on the last homestand against Toronto (1-1) and Detroit (2-2) and are 9-10 at home for the season...begin a six-game homestand with Los Angeles (three games) and New York (three games) tomorrow.

CLOSE CALLS: The A's improved to 4-1 in extra inning games with the win Thursday...rank second in the American League in extra inning wins and third in extra inning games...had a 15-28 record in extra innings over the previous three years...are 5-2 in one-run games, which is the fourth best record in the AL...are 11-6 in games decided by two runs or fewer and 9-15 in all other games...are 7-3 in games decided in the seventh (Baltimore, 9)...have three "walk-off" wins this year, matching their season total from last year...all three of those wins came after the visiting team scored at least one run in the top of the final inning.

PLAYERS USED: Friday night, Travis Blackley became the 36<sup>th</sup> different player to appear in a game for the A's this year, which is second most in the AL to Boston (38)...he is the fourth Australian (Balfour, Hughes, Thompson)...the A's were already the first team in Major League history with three Australian born players...12 of the 36 are rookies, which is the most in the majors...used a total of 14 rookies all last year...currently have eight rookies on the roster (Cook, Cowgill, Donaldson, Figueroa, Miller, Milone, Parker, Recker).

THE DISABLED LIST: The A's have used the disabled list nine times and currently have eight players on the DL (Anderson, Braden, Céspedes, Crisp, Devine, Inge, McCarthy, Sizemore)...Devine ("Tommy John" surgery) and Sizemore (torn ACL) will miss the entire season...the A's used the DL 15 times last year, which was the fewest since 2006 when they also used it 15 times...used the DL a total of 87 times from 2007-10...have not had fewer than two players on the DL since the end of the 2006 season, when they had just one

#### PITCHING PROBABLES

Mon., May 21 vs. LAA	LHP Tommy Milone (5-3, 4.09) vs. RHP Jerome Williams (4-1, 3.86)	7:05 CSNCA
Tue., May 22 vs. LAA	TBA vs. LHP CJ Wilson (4-4, 3.35)	7:05 CSNCA
Wed., May 23 vs. LAA	RHP Jarrod Parker (1-2, 3.90) vs. RHP Jered Weaver (6-1, 2.80)	12:35 CSNCA

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## TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Bartolo Colón (3-4, 4.13 ERA)

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2012 2011 Career	W 3 8 164	L 4 10 117	<b>ERA</b> 4.13 4.00 <b>4.09</b>	G 9 29 <b>366</b>	IP 56.2 164.1 <b>2297.2</b>	ER 26 73 1044
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vs. LHH vs. RHH			AVG. .258 .294		<b>AB</b> 120 109	Н 31 32

#### RUN SUPPORT

Colón		
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Run Support Avg.	3.34	

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Pagan		.00	0	2	0		0	0	0					
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COLÓN'	S CAREER HIGHS
Low Hit CG:	1, 9/18/00 at NYY
IP:	9.1, 8/3/05 vs. OAK
Fewest IP, GS:	0.2 (twice), last: 7/14/11 at TOR
H:	13, 7/18/02 vs. NYM
R:	10, 4/26/05 at NYY
ER: 9 (th	ree times), last: 8/16/03 at TEX
BB: 7 (	twice), last: 6/28/03 vs. CHI-NL
SO:	14, 5/29/98 at TOR
HR: 4 (1	four times), last: 6/7/09 vs. CLE
Win Streak:	8, 7/21/05-9/10/05
Loss Streak:	6, 6/19/07-9/22/07
Scoreless Strea	
Complete Game	
Shutouts:	9, last: 5/30/11 at OAK

FOR STARTERS: Is scheduled to make his 10<sup>th</sup> start of the season...the A's are 4-5 (.444) in his starting assignments and his teams are 201-159 (.558) in his career...has tossed seven or more innings in five of his nine starts and allowed two runs or fewer five times.

THREE-GAME LOSING STREAK: Is 0-3 with a 5.52 ERA (18 er in 29.1 ip) and .341 (43 for 126) opponents batting average over his last five starts...went 3-1 with a 2.63 ERA and .194 opponents average over his first four starts.

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e d	Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	Н	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
	March 29	SEA	4-1	W	1.13	8.0	3	1	1	1	6	1	86
s	April 7	SEA	7-8	L	5.84	4.1	10	7	7	0	3	0	79
е	April 13	at SEA	4-0	W	3.72	7.0	3	0	0	1	5	0	106
d	April 18	at LAA	6-0	W	2.63	8.0	4	0	0	0	5	0	108
	April 23	CWS	0-4	L	2.62	7.0	7	2	2	3	2	2	89
	April 29	at BAL	2-5		2.53	8.1	7	2	2	1	5	0	106
3	April Tota	als (5 G, 5 G	iS)	2-2	2.86	34.2	31	11	11	5	20	2	
b	May 5	at TB	4-3 (12)		2.83	5.0	8	3	3	2	2	3	83
ŋ	May 10	DET	6-10	L	3.96	2.1	9	8	7	0	0	1	44
-	May 15	at LAA	0-4	L	4.13	6.2	12	4	4	0	3	1	89
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AMONG THE LEADERS: Ranks second in the American League in most hits allowed (63), tied for second in starts (9) and tied for seventh in losses (4)...is averaging 13.9 pitches per inning, which is second fewest (Alvarez, TOR 13.8)...has the fifth lowest run support average (3.34).

BASES ON BALLS: Has walked one batter or fewer in seven of his nine starts and has issued just eight free passes for the season...is averaging 1.27 walks per nine innings, which is second lowest in the American League...has issued all eight of his walks to left-handed hitters.

HOME AND AWAY: Is 2-1 with a 2.31 ERA (9 er in 35.0 ip) in five starts on the road compared to 1-3 with a 7.06 ERA (17 er in 21.2 ip) in four starts at home...his road ERA is seventh lowest in the American League and his home ERA is fourth highest...over the last two years, he is 6-6 with a 3.13 ERA (44 er in 126.1 ip) in 21 games on the road compared to 5-8 with a 5.23 ERA (55 er in 94.2 ip) in 17 games in his home ballparks.

THE LONG BALL: Has allowed eight home runs...however, all of his home runs have been solo shots as have 35 of his 42 over his last three seasons...six have been hit by left-handed hitters as have 31 of his 42 over his last three years...six have been hit by a batter leading off a inning.

OPPONENTS BATTING: Has held the opposition to a .192 (15 for 78) batting average the first time through the lineup...however, they are batting .364 (28 for 77) the second time through the lineup and .278 (20 for 72) after that...has allowed a .344 (11 for 32) average with runners in scoring position...has yielded a combined .176 (9 for 51) batting average to the opponents four and five hitters but the number three hitter is batting .500 (13 for 26), which is tied for the highest in the American League.

INTERLEAGUE PLAY: Is 16-12 with a 3.94 ERA (102 er in 233.0 ip) in 36 career interleague appearances, all starts...made one start against the National League last year with the Yankees, a win in a 5-2 victory at the Mets July 2 (6.0 ip, 5 h, 6 so).

WITH THE BAT: Is a .116 (10 for 86) career hitter with five RBI, no walks, 50 strikeouts and six sacrifice hits...struck out in his only at bat last year and is 0 for his last 7...his last hit was on June 10, 2005 at New York (NL) while pitching for the Angels.

**ACTIVE LEADERS:** Ranks sixth among active pitchers in complete games (32), tied for seventh in shutouts (9), tied for ninth in wins (164) and  $10^{th}$  in strikeouts (1773).

DOMINICAN LEADERS: His 164 wins are third most among Dominican-born pitchers behind Juan Marichal (243) and Pedro Martinez (219)...also ranks third among Dominicans in games started (360), innings pitched (2297.2) and strikeouts (1773).

38 YEARS OLD: His first start on March 29 against Seattle came at the age of 38 years, 310 days, making him the oldest pitcher to start a game for the A's since Tom Candiotti, who was 41 years, 275 days when he made his last start for Oakland on June 2, 1999...over the previous four seasons, the only Oakland pitcher 33 years or older to start a game was Brett Tomko, who made six starts in 2009 at the age of 36...Colón will turn 39 on May 24...only four pitchers in Oakland history have started a game at age 39 or older (Tommy John 42, Candiotti 41, Don Sutton 40, Jim Perry 39).

2012 START-BY-START: He was the winning pitcher in the A's 4-1 victory over Seattle in Tokyo March 29...retired each of the first 13 batters before Montero singled with one out in the fifth inning...shutout the Mariners on two hits and a walk over the first six innings before Smoak homered to lead off the seventh inning...was the losing pitcher in the A's 8-7 loss to Seattle April 7 in Oakland...yielded seven earned runs, which were his most since July 6, 2007 at New York (AL)...combined with Cook and Balfour on a three-hit shutout in the A's 4-0 win at Seattle April 13 ... tossed 7.0 innings and allowed all three hits while walking one...the start was his third consecutive start against Seattle...is the first pitcher in Oakland history to make three consecutive starts against one team in the same season without missing a turn in the rotation...combined with De Los Santos on a four-hit shutout in the A's 6-0 win at Los Angeles April 18...tossed eight innings and allowed all four of the hits...threw 38 consecutive strikes at one point, the longest such streak since pitch count data is first available in 1988...the previous best was 30 by Tim Wakefield in 1998...was the losing pitcher in the A's 4-0 loss to Chicago April 23 in Oakland...blanked the White Sox on three walks over the first three innings to extend his scoreless streak to 18.1 innings...had a no decision in the A's 5-2 loss at Baltimore **April 29**...shutout the Orioles on five hits and a walk over the first eight innings and took a 2-0 lead into the ninth...left with runners on second and third and one out but Balfour blew the save and took the loss...had his second consecutive no decision in the A's 4-3, 12-inning win at Tampa Bay May 5...had a 3-1 lead but allowed a leadoff home run to Zobrist in the fourth and a leadoff home run to Pena in the fifth...was the losing pitcher in the A's 10-6 loss to Detroit **May 10** in Oakland...allowed eight runs in 2.1 innings...did not strikeout a batter for just the seventh time in his 359 career starts

LAST START: He was the losing pitcher in the A's 4-0 loss at Los Angeles last Tuesday...allowed two runs in the third inning on a Callaspo RBI double and a Pujols RBI single...Pujols added a RBI single in the fifth and Trout homered to lead off the seventh inning...Santana, Downs and Frieri combined to shutout the A's on five hits and three walks.

COLÓN vs. SAN FRANCISCO: Is 1-1 with a 5.65 ERA (14.1 ip, 12 h, 9 r, 9 er, 5 bb, 11 so, 2 hr) in two career starts...the last came on June 12, 3003 at Chicago while pitching for the White Sox...was the losing pitcher in an 8-4 decision...allowed single runs in the third and fifth innings and took a 4-2 lead into the ninth...the Giants scored six runs, including a two-run home run by Bonds to tie the game...was relieved by Marte with the bases load and he yielded a pinch hit grand slam to Aurilia...the win came on August 24, 2002 in a 7-2 Montreal win at San Francisco...blanked the Giants on three walks and three hits over the first five innings...had a 4-0 lead when he allowed two runs in the sixth, including a RBI triple by Sanders.

#### TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER

LHP Tommy Milone (5-3, 4.09 ERA): Is scheduled to make his ninth start of the season... is tied for the lead among American League rookies in games started (8), ranks second in innings pitched (50.2), tied for second in wins (5) and fifth in strikeouts (29)...the wins are tied for sixth among all AL pitchers ...went 3-1 with a 2.00 ERA and .185 opponents batting average over his first four starts and yielded just one home run in 27.0 innings...is 2-2 with a 6.46 ERA and .284 opponents average over his last four starts and has allowed five home runs in 23.2 innings...was the losing pitcher in his last start, a 4-1 loss at Texas last Wednesday (7.0 ip, 9 h, 4 r, 4 er, 1 bb, 4 so)...was the winning pitcher in his only career start against the Angels, a 4-2 A's win at Los Angeles earlier this year on April 19 (5.0 ip, 7 h, 2 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 3 so).

## ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

## 6-2, 2.68 ERA (124.1 ip, 92 h, 41 r, 37 er, 58 bb, 95 so, 10 hr) The A's bullpen has a 2.04 FRA (12 or in 52.0 h)

Save/Save Opportunities: 11/14 (78.6%)

The A's bullpen has a 2.04 ERA (12 er in 53.0 ip) and .190 (34 for 179) opponents batting average over the last 15 games...ranks second in the American League in opponents batting average (.211) and fourth in ERA (2.68) and opponents slugging percentage (.346)...has allowed just two home runs in the last 17 games (both May 9 vs. Toronto) and has surrendered 10 for the season, which is third fewest in the AL...ranks first among AL bullpens in opponents grounded into double plays (16) and tied for fourth in saves (11)...has issued the third most walks (58) and is tied for the second fewest strikeouts (95).

## 50 RHP GRANT BALFOUR Save/Opportunities: 7-9 Last Outing: 5/19 at San Francisco (ND, 0.2 ip, 2 h, 2 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 1 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 9/5 First Hitters: 7-18 (3 bb)

- Is 1-1 with two saves, two blown saves and a 9.00 ERA (9 er in 9.0 ip) over his last 11 games after yielding just one run over his first 10 contests (0.82 ERA).
- Is tied for second in the American League in games pitched (21)...is also tied for ninth in saves (7) and tied for fourth in blown saves (2).
  Is 4-0 with a save and a 1.40 ERA (6 er in 38.2 ip) in 33 career interleague appearances...has 50 strikeouts in 38.2 innings (11.6 per nine)
- innings).
  Has allowed a .233 opponents batting average...that includes .190 (8 for 42) against left-handers and .290 (9 for 31) against right-handers.
- First batters faced are 7 for 18 (.389) with three walks (.476 on-base percentage).
- Has a 1.54 ERA (2 er in 11.2 ip) in 11 appearances at home and an 8.64 ERA (8 er in 8.1 ip) in 10 outings on the road.
- Has a 10.13 ERA (5.1 ip, 7 h, 6 r, 6 er, 2 bb, 7 so, 1 hr) in six career appearances against the Giants.
- Recorded the 17<sup>th</sup> save of his career May 5, tying Graeme Lloyd for the most in Major League history by an Australian-born pitcher.
- Was used mostly as a setup man with Oakland last year, posting a 5-2 record with two saves, a 2.47 ERA and .199 opponents average in 62 appearances...tied for eighth among AL relievers in grounded into double plays (8) and ranked 10<sup>th</sup> in opponents on-base percentage (.266).

54 LHP TRAVIS BLACKLEY	Save/Opportunities: 0-0	Last Outing: 5/19 at San Francisco (ND, 1.1 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 2/1		First Hitters: 0-5 (1 sh)

- Has not allowed a run in two games since he was claimed off waivers from San Francisco Tuesday (2.1 ip, 1 h, 1 so).
- Became the fourth Australian to play for the A's this year (Grant Balfour, Luke Hughes, Rich Thompson)...the A's are the first team in Major League history to have four Australian-born players appear in at least one game...no other team has had more than two Australian-born players.
  Posted a 9.00 ERA and .333 opponents batting average in four relief appearances with San Francisco before he was designated for assignment a wave four team to do a second the team to do a second team to be appeared by the Cienta May 1.
- a week ago today...began the season at Triple-A Fresno and was selected by the Giants May 1.
- Has faced San Francisco in each of the past two games, his first career appearances against the Giants (2.1 ip, 1 h, 1 so).
  Pitched in relief in his first appearance with Fresno but then started and won in each of his next three outings...allowed a .163 opponents batting

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 13 LHP JERRY BLEVINS
 Save/Opportunities: 0-0
 Last Outing: 5/18 at San Francisco (ND, 2.0 ip, 3 h, 2 r, 2 er, 2 bb, 3 so)

 Inherited Runners/Scored: 11/5
 First Hitters: 5-14 (0 bb, 1 sf)

- Allowed season-highs in earned runs (2) and hits (3) in his last appearance Friday night...however, has not allowed an earned run in 10 of his past 12 games (3 er in 15.0 ip, 1.80 ERA) after allowing two earned runs in his first three games (5.40 ERA).
- Allowed two of his three inherited runners to score Friday and has now allowed 5 of 11 (45.5%) to score for the season...has allowed 13 of 25 (52.0%) to score over the past two seasons.
- Has allowed three home runs in 15 games this year after yielding just two in 26 outings last year.
- His opponents have a .233 batting average...left-handed hitters are batting .226 (7 for 31) and right-handers are hitting .241 (7 for 29).
- Has not allowed a run in four of his five career appearances against San Francisco (4.2 ip, 4 h, 2 r, 2 er, 3 bb, 5 so, 3.86 ERA).
- Was on the A's Opening Day roster last year but had six stints with Oakland...had a 2.86 ERA and .235 opponents average in 26 games...the ERA was the lowest of his career but he allowed 8 of 14 (57.1%) inherited runners to score, which was the highest percentage of his career.

48 RHP RYAN COOK Inherited Runners/Scored: 6/0	Save/Opportunities: 0-0	Last Outing: 5/17 at Te	xas (W, 2.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 2 bb, 1 so) First Hitters: 1-14 (3 bb)
			<b>Tilst Tilters.</b> 1-14 (3.00)
innings to start a season by a player	ess innings Thursday (also May 5, 2012 isthat <b>sets an Oakland record</b> for c on the Opening Day rosterbroke the p 20.2-inning scoreless streak dating back	onsecutive scoreless previous mark of 18.1	ATHLETICS LONGEST SEASON OPENING SCORELESS STREAKS SINCE 1918 (players on Opening Day roster)
an on-going career-high.		21	I.0 Alex Kellner, April 14-24, 1953
· Picked up his first Major League win T	hursday at Texas.		9.2 Ryan Cook, March 28, 2012-present
• His 19.2 innings pitched are the most	among Major League relievers that ha	ve not allowed a run.	3.1 Jim Corsi, April 27-June 5, 1995
• Has allowed a .066 (4 for 61) oppo	nents batting average, which is the lo	owest among Major   17	7.1 Dennis Eckersley, April 10-May 25, 1990
League relieversalso has the lowe	st slugging percentage (.098) and the f	ourth lowest on-base 17	7.1 Santiago Casilla, March 26-May 6, 2008
percentage (.197)left-handed hitters not allowed a hit with a runner on base	are 1 for 28 (.036) and right-handers are (28 ab).	e 3 for 33 (.091)…has	

- Allowed his first hit to a first batter faced Monday night at Los Angeles and they are now batting .071 (1 for 14) for the season, which is tied for fifth lowest in the AL.
- Is tied for seventh among AL relievers in opponents grounded into double plays (3).
- Faced the Giants twice last year while pitching for Arizona (2.0 ip, 1 h, 1 so).
- Made his Major League debut with Arizona in 2011, posting a 7.04 ERA and .333 opponents batting average in 12 relief appearances over three stints...led the Diamondbacks farm system with 19 saves after being used exclusively as a starter over his first three professional seasons.

65 LHP PEDRO FIGUEROA	Save/Opportunities: 0-0	Last Outing: 5/18 at San Francisco (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 3 bb, 0 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 3/0		First Hitters: 2-7 (1 bb)
<ul> <li>Has allowed a run in two of his last four</li> </ul>	ur outings (4.1 ip, 4 h, 2 r, 2 er, 0	6 bb, 1 so, 4.15 ERA) after not allowing a run in his first four contests (4.2

- ip).Allowed a career-high three walks Friday night and has now walked one or more batters in seven of his eight appearances (9 walks total).
- Allowed a career-nigh three warks Friday night and has now warked one or more batters in seven or his eight ap
   Is tied for second among American League relievers in opponents grounded into double plays (5).
- His opponents have a .222 batting average...left-handed hitters are 1 for 12 (.083) but right-handers are 5 for 15 (.333).
- Faced San Francisco for the first time in his career Friday.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento April 21 tossed a scoreless inning in his Major League debut that night against Cleveland.

• Held the opposition to a .08	<ul> <li>Held the opposition to a .087 batting average at Sacramentohis complete 2012 statistics with the River Cats:</li> </ul>														
	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	н	R	ER	BB	SO	
Sacramento (AAA)	0	0	0.00	5	0	0	0	0	7.0	2	0	0	4	8	
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• Missed nearly the entire 2011 season as he continued his recovery from June 2010 "Tommy John" surgery on his left elbow...made two starts with the A's affiliate in the Arizona Rookie League in August, posting a 4.50 ERA...struck out six batters in 2.0 innings.

#### 40 LHP BRIAN FUENTES Save/Opportunities: 3-4 Last Outing: 5/17 at Texas (S, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 2/0 First Hitters: 2-15 (0 bb)

• Has pitched just twice in the A's last 12 games but has recorded the save in each outing.

Has a 0.96 ERA (1 er in 9.1 ip) in nine games on the road but has a 7.94 ERA (5 er in 5.2 ip) in six contests in Oakland.

Is tied for sixth among American League relievers with two wins.

Has allowed a .254 opponents batting average...that includes .250 (6 for 24) against left-handed hitters and .257 (9 for 35) against righties.

Had two losses and a save in four appearances against San Francisco last year (2.2 ip, 4 h, 2 r, 2 er, 3 bb, 4 so)...has 21 career saves against the Giants, which are his most against any team and the most by an active pitcher against San Francisco...has converted all 15 of his save opportunities at AT&T Park.

- Recorded the 200<sup>th</sup> save of his career May 2 at Boston (now has 202)...became the sixth left-handed reliever in Major League history to record 200 saves (Franco, Wagner, Myers, Righetti, Lyle).
- Was the A's closer the first two months last year due to Bailey's injury...was 1-8 with 12 saves, 3 blown saves and a 5.09 ERA in 38 games through July 1...then went 1-0 with no save opportunities and a 1.57 ERA over his final 29 appearances...had a 3.70 ERA in 67 games overall.

#### **53 RHP JIM MILLER** Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 5/18 at Albuquerque (AAA) (ND, 1.1 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 1 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 2/2 First Hitters: 1-5 (1 bb) Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento today for his second stint with the A's this season...was selected from Sacramento April 25 and had a

- 1.93 ERA in six appearances before he was optioned May 11. Tossed 3.0 innings in his last appearance with the A's May 10 vs. Detroit, which are the most innings pitched in a game by an A's reliever this
- season...has appeared in six games and has tossed 2.0 or more innings in three of them. Has allowed a .229 opponents batting average...left-handed hitters are 3 for 16 (.188) and righties are 5 for 19 (.263).
- Is 22-30 with 123 saves and a 3.49 ERA in 413 career appearances over nine seasons in the minors. Had a loss in two appearances (1 er in 3.1 ip, 2.70 ERA) in his most recent stint with the River Cats...held opponents to a .200 batting average in 10 games for the season, including .071 against right-handed hitters and .412 against lefties...his complete 2012 statistics:

	vv	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	50	IP	н	ĸ	ER	BB	50
OAKLAND	1	0	1.93	6	0	0	0	0	9.1	8	2	2	2	5
Sacramento (AAA)	0	2	2.92	10	0	0	0	2	12.1	9	4	4	2	12
Spent the entire 2011 sease	on with	Triple-A	Colorado	Springs	before	he was	selected by	Colorad	o Sept. 6	3appe	eared ir	n six gan	nes, com	piling a

2.57 ERA and .130 opponents batting average...went 8-5 with 24 saves and a 5.25 ERA in 65 relief appearances with Colorado Springs.

#### 77 LHP JORDAN NORBERTO Save/Opportunities: 1-1 Last Outing: 5/18 at San Francisco (ND, 2.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 12/2 First Hitters: 2-16 (0 bb)

- Has a 0.87 ERA (1 er in 10.1 ip) and .114 (4 for 35) opponents batting average in eight games in the month of May after posting a 5.23 ERA and .243 opponents average in eight appearances in April.
- Has not allowed a run in nine appearances on two days rest or fewer (11.0 ip) and has a 6.52 ERA (7 er in 9.2 ip) in his seven other outlings.

Has a 1.00 ERA (1 er in 9.0 ip) in seven games during the day compared to a 4.63 ERA (6 er in 11.2 ip) in nine games at night.

Stranded both of his inherited runners in his last appearance Friday night and has allowed just 2 of 12 (.167) to score for the season.

Has held opponents to a .181 batting average...right-handers are batting .170 (8 for 47) and left-handers are hitting .200 (5 for 25).

Has faced the Giants five times in his career (4.1 ip, 1 h, 2 r, 2 er, 2 bb, 5 so, 4.15 ERA).

Was acquired from Arizona at the trading deadline last year, posting an 8.10 ERA in six relief appearances over two stints with the A's...also combined for a 6-2 record and a 3.79 ERA in 47 minor league appearances with Reno and Sacramento...allowed two home runs in 57.0 innings.

## ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

**10 DARIC BARTON** Career vs. Lincecum (.091, 1-11, 0 HR, 2 BB, 4 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 3 San Francisco Series: 2-6, 2 r, bb, so Road Trip: <u>5-15, 2 r, 4 bb, 3 so</u> Is 5 for 15 (.333) on the road trip and is batting .277 (13 for 47) on the road compared to .140 (6 for 43) in Oakland.

- Is 5 for 13 (.385) over his last five games after going 1 for 20 over his previous six contests.
- Had a pinch hit single in the 10<sup>th</sup> inning Thursday and is 2 for 4 (.500) in the pinch this year...was 1 for 15 as a pinch hitter in his career entering this season.
- Began the season on the 15-day disabled list with a strained right shoulder and was reinstated April 9 after a four-game rehab with Sacramento. Batted .212 with no home runs and 21 RBI in 67 games with the A's last year before he was optioned to Sacramento June 22...hit .197 with no home runs and four RBI in 17 games with the River Cats before his season ended July 17...had right shoulder surgery August 12.

#### 52 YOENIS CÉSPEDES

Was placed on the 15-day disabled list May 12 retroactive to May 7 with a strained muscle in his left hand...is eligible to be reinstated Tuesday.

Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 5)

Current Streak: 0 for 5

- Was leading Major League rookies in RBI (21) and stolen bases (4) and was tied for the lead in home runs (5) when he was placed on the DL. Spent eight seasons in Cuba playing for Granma in Cuba's Serie Nacional...hit .333 with 33 home runs and 99 RBI in 90 games in his final
- season, 2010-11...the home runs tied for the league lead and set a league record...had 177 career home runs.

12 COLLIN COWGILL			Care	er vs.	Lince	cum (.3	33, 1-3	, 0 HR, 0	) BB, 0 S	SO)			Curr	ent Strea	<b>k:</b> 0 for 8
San Francisco Series: 0-3,	2 so										Road	Trip: 3	·17, 3 so	, 2 so, 2 s	sb, 2 gidp
<ul> <li>Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento May 11 for his second stint with the A's this yearhad started each of the A's eight games in center field since his return prior to last nightis 4 for 27 (.148) in nine game since his recall.</li> <li>Went 5 for 16 (.313) with two doubles and three RBI in four games against San Francisco last year with Arizona.</li> <li>Was on the A's Opening Day roster and went 0 for 4 with three walks in four games before he was optioned to Sacramento April 17started one game in left field and one in right field.</li> </ul>															
<ul> <li>Hit safely in 11 of his fina scoring positionappeare</li> </ul>	l 12 gam	es with												887 with r	unners in
	AVG	G	ĂВ	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	so	SB	CS	SLG	OBP

Sacramento (AAA) .282 19 78 15 22 0 2 16 14 0 .423 .349 5 Made his Major League debut with Arizona last year and hit .239 with a home run and nine RBI in 36 games...also batted .354 with 13 home runs and 70 RBI in 98 games with Triple-A Reno...was named to the PCL Postseason All-Star team and earned PCL Rookie of the Year honors.

#### 4 COCO CRISP

Was placed on the 15-day disabled list May 4, retroactive to May 3, with an inner ear infection...is eligible to be reinstated any time.

Has been successful in each of his last 27 stolen base attempts dating back to last year...that is the longest streak of his career (previous: 24, July 24-September 13, 2010) and it is one short of the Oakland record of 28 set by Stan Javier in 1995.

Appeared in 136 games with the A's last year after playing in just 124 games over the previous two seasons...batted .264 with eight home runs and 54 RBI...stole a career-high 49 bases, which tied for the American League lead (Gardner, NYY).

20 JOSH DONALDSON San Francisco Series: 3-7, r, 2 2	Career vs. Lincecum ( 2b, hr, 5 rbi, so, gidp		<b>Current Streak:</b> 0 for 4 <b>Trip:</b> 4-21, 2 r, 3 2b, hr, 6 rbi, 4 so, sf, gidp
• Was recalled from Triple-A Sa base (4 for 24 .167).	cramento May 12 for his second stint w	vith the A's this yearhas star	ted each of the last seven games at third
home runs and five RBI agains	a home run and five RBI Friday night. St San Francisco in the final spring trainin r his first 14 games prior to Friday night.		re all career highswent 4 for 5 with two
<ul> <li>Snapped a career-high tying 0</li> <li>Has made 16 starts, all at third</li> <li>Was on the A's Opening Day r</li> <li>Reached base safely in all 13 run in seven consecutive game</li> <li>Sacramento (AAA)</li> <li>With the exception of a two-dation</li> </ul>	for 17 streak with his eighth inning doubl basehis Major League experience prio oster and hit .094 with no RBI in nine gar of his games with Sacramentohomered s from April 28 to May 5appeared in n AVG G AB R H 2 .447 13 47 10 21	or to this season included sever nes before he was optioned to s d four times over a six-game str ine games at third base and five <b>B 3B HR RBI BB</b> 1 1 5 14 5 ntire 2011 season at Triple-A Sa	a games at catcher and two at first base. Sacramento April 23. etch from April 28 to May 4 and drove in a e at catcherhis complete 2012 stats: <b>SO SB CS SLG OBP</b> 5 4 0 2 .830 .509 acramentodid not appear in a game with
31 JONNY GOMES San Francisco Series: 0-6, bb, 4	Career vs. Lincecum (.00 4 so	00, 0-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 2 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 6 Road Trip: 3-16, 2 r, 2b, rbi, 3 bb, 7 so
		13) with eight walks and a hit by	y pitch (.404 on-base percentage) over his
Struck out as a pinch hitter We	hit came on August 29, 2010 against Ch	in the pinch this yearwent 0 f	or 28 as a pinch hitter last year and is now ) in the pinch in his career.
	Cincinnati and was batting .211 with 11 RBI in 43 games with the Nationals for a		when he was traded to Washington July nd 43 RBI in 120 games overall.
7 BRANDON INGE			Current Streak: 0 for 4
<ul> <li>year as he began the season of</li> <li>Is 7 for 23 (.304) with a double</li> <li>Was signed by the A's April 30</li> <li>Batted .197 with three home</li> </ul>	on Detroit's DL with a strained left groin, , four home runs and 16 RBI over his last after being released by Detroit April 26 runs and 23 RBI in 120 games with I	is eligible to be reinstated May t six games after hitting .122 ov .started each of the A's 11 gam	er his first 14 contests.
games)tinished strong with a	a .324 batting average in September. Career vs. Lincecum (	-, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 2
San Francisco Series: 0-2, gidp			<b>Road Trip:</b> 2-14, 2b, rbi, 7 so, gidp
<ul> <li>season.</li> <li>Is batting .216 (11 for 51) over</li> <li>Seven of his last 10 hits are fo</li> <li>Went 1 for 5 with three strikeou</li> <li>Was on the Royals Opening D</li> </ul>	his last 15 games after hitting .333 over r extra bases (six doubles, one home run uts Thursday at Texas, but the one hit wa	his first 12 contests. )has six doubles in May, whic is the game-winning RBI single wo home runs and six RBI in 2	3 games before he was optioned to Triple-
2 CLIFF PENNINGTON San Francisco Series: 1-7, r, rb		(5, 1-8, 0 HR, 0 BB, 3 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 4 Road Trip: 5-19, 3 r, 2 2b, rbi, 2 bb, 3 so
<ul> <li>Is tied for sixth in the AL in stol</li> <li>Hit .172 (11 for 64) in interleag</li> <li>Hit .264 with eight home runs</li> </ul>	e play and his 147 at bats are third most len bases (7)three of those steals have ue play last year after batting .396 (21 fo	been of third base, which ranks r 53) against the National Leagu mes last yearhad career hig	s third in the AL. ue in 2010. hs in hits (136), home runs and RBI and
99 MANNY RAMIREZ			Current Streak: 0 for 0
hitter batting third			h three strikeouts in a start at designated
for a four-game series with Re			Thursday and return to Sacramento Friday 40 <sup>th</sup> birthday.
26 ANTHONY RECKER Texas Series: 0-3, so	Career vs. Lincecum (	-, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 14 Road Trip: 0-3, so
<ul> <li>Is 1 for 17 (.059) in six games</li> <li>Has made nine starts (eight at</li> <li>Has thrown out 3 of 10 (30.0%</li> <li>Is 0 for 5 against left-handed p</li> <li>Was selected from Triple-A Sa</li> </ul>	itching compared to 4 for 23 (.174) again	2 for 23 (.087) in his starting as st right-handers. .eague debut with the A's…wer	signments. It 3 for 17 (.176) with a double and no RBI

16 JOSH REDDICK	Career vs. Lincecum (, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 8
San Francisco Series: 0-7, so	Road Trip: 3-21, 4	r, 2 hr, 3 rbi, 3 bb, ibb, 5 so, sf, gidp
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Is 3 for 21 (.143) on the road trip but two of the three hits are home runs.

• Hit his 10<sup>th</sup> home run of the season Thursday at Texas, which is tied for sixth in the American League and an on-going career high...the last time the A's had a player hit 10 home runs before the end of May was in 2006 when three players did it (Swisher 16, Chavez 12, Thomas 11). Also ranks tied for seventh in the AL in total bases (83), tied for eighth in runs (27) and tied for ninth in extra base hits (19). Is tied for the AL lead in runs scored in May (15) and is tied for fifth in home runs (6).

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- Had his fifth assist of the season Tuesday at Los Angeles, which is tied for the most among American League outfielders (Francoeur, KC 5)...it matches his career-high established in 80 games in the outfield with Boston last year...the A's team leader last year had six (DeJesus). •
- Is batting .304 (21 for 69) with six home runs and 13 RBI with two outs...leads the majors in two-out home runs and is tied for fifth in the AL in • two-out RBI.
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- Is 0 for 7 over the first two games of this series but is a .313 (15 for 48) career hitter in interleague play. Appeared in 87 games over two stints with Boston last year and batted .280 with seven home runs and 28 RBI...ranked third among American League rookies in batting...spent the balance of the season at Pawtucket where he batted .230 with 14 home runs and 36 RBI in 52 games.

17 ADAM ROSALES Career vs. Lincecum (.000, 0-2, 0 HR, 1 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 1
San Francisco Series: 0-1	Road Trip: 1-2, 3 bb
• Is celebrating his 29 <sup>th</sup> birthday todayis 1 for 4 with a walk and a run scored in two career games on his birthday.	
• Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento Thursday for his second stint with the A's this yearstarted at first base and re	
four of his plate appearances that day against Texas (one hit, three walks) before lining out as a pinch hitter Friday night	
<ul> <li>Is a .143 (10 for 70) career hitter in interleague play.</li> </ul>	
• Was on the Opening Day roster and appeared in one game in Japan as a defensive replacement at first basewas	optioned to Sacramento
April 2 before the regular season resumed.	
• Hit .302 over his first 28 games with the River Cats but was 4 for 24 (.167) over his final eight contestswas batting .3	
pitchers compared to .190 against left-handersappeared in 32 games at shortstop and four at third basehis complete	
AVG G AB R H 2B 3B HR RBI BB SO SB	CS SLG OBP
Sacramento (AAA)         .277         36         130         19         36         13         1         2         19         8         30         2	1 .438 .314
• Began the 2011 season on the 60-day disabled list, recovering from a fractured right footwas reinstated June 6 but	
track offensivelyhit .098 (6 for 61) in 24 games over three stints with the A'sbatted .265 with 3 HR and 22 RBI in 40 g	games with Sacramento.
15 SETH SMITH Career vs. Lincecum (.286, 8-28, 3 HR, 1 BB, 9 SO) Current S	Streets 0 serves (0 fee 5)
	Streak: 2 games (2 for 5)
	: 4-18, r, 2 2b, 2 rbi, 6 so
• Is batting .300 (15 for 50) with eight walks and a hit by pitch (.407 on-base percentage) over his last 17 games after hit	ting .185 over his first 21
contests. $10.4$ for 40 ( 200) or the read trip and is betting 400 (44 for 57) or the read correspond to 200 (44 for 47) of borns	
• Is 4 for 18 (.222) on the road trip and is batting .193 (11 for 57) on the road compared to .298 (14 for 47) at home.	
• Lined into a double play as a pinch hitter Thursday and is 1 for 5 (.200) with a walk and a RBI as a pinch hitter this year	
142) career hitter in the pinch with five home runs and 35 RBIsince 2007, he has the best batting average, on-bas	
slugging percentage (.585) among pinch hitters with 90 or more plate appearancesalso ranks fourth in RBI and tied for	
• Spent the entire 2011 season as one of the Rockies regular outfielders (97 starts in right field, 22 in left)had career-hi	
(67), hits (135), doubles (32), triples (9), RBI (59), extra-base hits (56) and stolen bases (10)his 15 HR and .284 average	ge were second best.
28 ERIC SOGARD Career vs. Lincecum (, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	
	Current Streak: 0 for 6
Texas Series: 0-3, so	Current Streak: 0 for 6 Road Trip: 0-3, so
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**19 JEMILE WEEKS** Career vs. Lincecum (.333, 1-3, 0 HR, 0BB, 1 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 6 Road Trip: 4-23, 2 r, 2b, 3b, 3 bb, hbp, 4 so, sb, cs San Francisco Series: 1-9, r, 3b, 2 so

• Is 4 for 23 (.174) on the road trip and is now batting .149 (11 for 74) on the road compared to .253 (19 for 75) at home...has the second lowest

road batting average in the AL (Ryan, SEA .125).
Stole his American League leading 10<sup>th</sup> base of the season last Tuesday...is the fifth player in Oakland history to steal at least 10 bases in each of his first two season, the first since Jason McDonald in 1997...four of his steals have been of third base, which is tied for the most in the AL. Is 11 for 41 (.268) over his last 11 games after hitting .174 over his first 26 contests.

Has committed four errors, which are tied for third most among AL second basemen.

Batted .303 with 26 doubles, eight triples, two home runs, 36 RBI and 22 stolen bases in 97 games last year...his batting average led Major League rookies and was second best by a rookie in Oakland history...also hit .321 in 45 games at Sacramento.

### A's vs. SAN FRANCISCO

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.333	6	2	0	0	Barton	.231	65	15	0	6	0	0	0	1	27.00	0.7	2	Balfour	0	0	0	6	10.13	5.3	6
.000	3	0	0	0	Cowgill	.263	19	5	0	3	0	0	0	2	3.86	2.3	1	Blackley	0	0	0	2	3.86	2.3	1
.429	7	3	1	5	Donaldson	.429	7	3	1	5	0	0	0	1	9.00	2.0	2	Blevins	0	0	0	5	3.86	4.7	2
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.000	7	0	0	0	Reddick	.000	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	Miller	0	0	0	2	0.00	2.0	0
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.400	5	2	0	0	Smith	.252	115	29	4	16	0	0	0	1	0.00	2.0	0	Norberto	0	0	0	5	4.15	4.3	2
####	0	0	0	0	Sogard	####	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	27.00	2.0	6	Parker	0	1	0	1	27.00	2.0	6
.167	6	1	0	0	Suzuki	.239	71	17	2	4	0	1	0	1	3.00	6.0	2	Ross	0	1	0	2	5.14	7.0	4
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## 2012 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

	G OPP					GA/ LEADER S GB AND LEAI		WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	ATT.	CUM. ATT.	7/3 7/4	82 BOS 83 BOS	7:05 1:05		A's Fireworks Show A's Red, White and Blue Baseball Cap sponsored by Wells Fargo
3/28 3/29 4/6	1 SEA^ 2 SEA^ 3 SEA	W	1-3 (11) 4-1 3-7	0-1 1-1 1-2	4 t1 4	-1 SEA OAK/SEA -1 LAA/TEX		Wilhelmsen Colón Vargas	Carignan Kelley McCarthy	League Balfour	44,227 43,391 35,067*	44,227 87,618 (2 dates) 122,685	7/5 7/6 7/7	OFF DAY 84 SEA 85 SEA		CSNCA CSNCA	(10,000 fans) A's Beer Fest / BBQ Challenge
4/7 4/8 4/9	4 SEA OFF DAY 5 KC	L	7-8 1-0	1-3 2-3	4 4 4	-2 SEA -2 SEA	1 ½	Hernandez Milone	Colón Mendoza	League Balfour	16,612 10,054	139,297 149,351	7/8 7/9	86 SEA ALL-			1955 Oakland Oaks Hat sponsored by Cache Creek Casino Resort (10,000 fans) / "Turn Back the Clock" Game
4/10 4/11	6 KC 7 KC		0-3 (8) 5-4 (12)	2-4 3-4	4 3	-1½ TEX	1/2	Duffy Carignan	Godfrey Broxton	Crow	10,670 12,390	160,021 172,411 <b>(7 dates)</b>	7/10 7/11 7/12 7/13	STAR BREAK OFF DAY 87 at MIN	5.10	CSNCA	
4/12 4/13 4/14 4/15	OFF DAY 8 at SEA 9 at SEA 10 at SEA	W L L	4-0 0-4 3-5	4-4 4-5 4-6	3 2 3 3	-2 TEX -3 TEX	21⁄2	Colón Noesi Beavan	Hernandez Milone Godfrey	League	46,026 21,071 19,650	46,026 67,097 86,747	7/14 7/15 7/16	88 at MIN 89 at MIN 0FF DAY	4:10	CSNCA CSNCA CSNCA	
4/16 4/17 4/18	11 at LAA 12 at LAA 13 at LAA	L W W	0-6 5-3 6-0	4-7 5-7 6-7	4 3 3	-4½ TEX -4½ TEX	2½ 3½ 3½	Weaver Fuentes Colón	McCarthy Jepsen Santana	Balfour	27,338 41,016 27,217	114,085 155,101 182,318	7/17 7/18 7/19	90 TEX 91 TEX 92 NYY	12:35 7:05		A's Dog Day at the Park sponsored by AvoDerm/Central Garden & Pet
4/19 4/20 4/21	14 at LAA 15 CLE 16 CLE	W L L	4-2 3-4 1-5	7-7 7-8 7-9	t2 t2 t2	-5 TEX	5	Milone Jimenez Gomez	Wilson Godfrey McCarthy	Balfour Perez Perez	27,864 14,340 25,258	210,182 (7 dates) 186,751 212,009	7/20 7/21 7/22 7/23	93 NYY 94 NYY 95 NYY OFF DAY	7:05 6:05 1:05	CSNCA	Law Enforcement Day
4/22 4/23 4/24	17 CLE 18 CWS 19 CWS	WLW	5-1 0-4 2-0	8-9 8-10 9-10	2 2 2	-5½ TEX -5½ TEX	5½ 5½	Ross PEAVY Milone	Masterson Colón Floyd	Balfour	24,049 10,574 11,184	236,058 246,632 257,816	7/24 7/25 7/26	96 at TOR 97 at TOR 98 at TOR	4:07 9:37		
4/25 4/26	20 CWS OFF DAY				t2	-5½ TEX	5½	Miller	Santiago	Dolfour		270,848 (13 dates)	7/27 7/28 7/29 7/30	99 at BAL 100 at BAL 101 at BAL 102 TB	4:05 10:35	CSNCA CSNCA CSNCA CSNCA	
4/27 4/28 4/29 4/30	21 at BAL 22 at BAL 23 at BAL 24 at BOS	W L L L		11-10 11-11 11-12 11-13	t2 t2	-5½ TEX -5½ TEX	5½ 5½	McCarthy Chen Strop Buchholz	Arrieta Ross Balfour Milone	Balfour	18,297 26,926 31,793 37,359	228,479 255,405 287,198 324,557	7/31 8/1 8/2	102 TB 103 TB 104 TB 105 TOR	7:05 12:3	CSNCA	
5/1 5/2 5/3	25 at BOS 26 at BOS OFF DAY	W W	5-3 4-2	12-13 13-13	2 2 2	-5½ TEX -4½ TEX -4½ TEX	5½ 4½ 4½	Parker McCarthy	Doubront Bard	Norberto Fuentes	37,225 37,434	361,782 399,216	8/3 8/4 8/5	106 TOR 107 TOR 108 TOR	7:05 1:05 1:05	CSNCA	A's Fireworks Show sponsored by Chevron / Italian Heritage Night A's Jemile Weeks Drawstring Backpack sponsored by Washington
5/4 5/5 5/6	27 at TB 28 at TB 29 at TB	L W W	2-7 4-3 (12) 9-5	13-14 14-14 15-14	2	-4½ TEX	4½	Price Fuentes Milone	Ross Peralta Moore	Peralta Balfour	18,799 23,890 23,873	418,015 441,905 465,778 (16 dates)	8/6 8/7 8/8	109 LAA 110 LAA 111 LAA	7:05	CSNCA CSNCA 5 CSNCA	Hospital (7,500 kids) / Kids Appreciation Day
5/7 5/8 5/9	OFF DAY 30 TOR 31 TOR	W	7-3 2-5	16-14 16-15		-4 TEX		Balfour Morrow	Cordero Ross	Janssen	10,784 14,815	281,632 296,447	8/9 8/10 8/11	OFF DAY 112 at CWS 113 at CWS	5:10	CSNCA CSNCA	
5/10 5/11 5/12	32 DET 33 DET 34 DET	L W W	11-4 3-1	16-16 17-16 18-16	2 2	-5 TEX -4 TEX	5 4	Scherzer Milone McCarthy	Colón Porcello Fister		11,513 26,721 20,077	307,960 334,681 354,758	8/12 8/13 8/14	114 at CWS OFF DAY 115 at KC 116 at KC	5:10	CSNCA	
5/13 5/14 5/15	35 DET 36 at LAA 37 at LAA	L W L	1-3 5-0 0-4	18-17 19-17 19-18	2	-4 TEX	4	Verlander Ross Santana	Parker Haren Colón	Valverde		371,905 (19 dates) 498,629 530,391	8/15 8/16 8/17 8/18	117 at KC 118 CLE 119 CLE	5:10 7:05		Filipino Heritage Night Scott Hatteberg Bobblehead sponsored by Pepsi (15,000 fans)
5/16 5/17 5/18	38 at TEX 39 at TEX 40 at SF	L W L	1-4 5-4 (10) 6-8	19-19	2 2	-5 TEX -4 TEX	5 4	Darvish Cook Zito	Milone Adams Parker	Nathan Fuentes Casilla	46,370 47,182 41,477	576,761 623,943 665,420	8/19	120 CLE			10 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary of 20-Game Winning Streak Reunion 20 <sup>th</sup> Consecutive Win Streak T-Shirt sponsored by Cache Creek Casino Resort (10,000 fans)
5/19 DAT	41 at SF	L	0-4 TIME	20-21 TV		-5 TEX	5	Vogelsong	Ross		41,411	706,831	8/21 8/22	121 MIN 122 MIN 123 MIN 124 at TP	7:05 12:35		
5/20 5/21 5/22	42 at SF 43 LAA 44 LAA		1:05 7:05 7:05	CSNC CSNC	A								8/23 8/24 8/25 8/26	124 at TB 125 at TB 126 at TB OFF DAY	4:10	CSNCA CSNCA CSNCA	
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6/2 6/3 6/4	53 at KC 54 at KC 55 TEX		11:10 11:10 7:05	CSNC CSNC	A								9/5 9/6 9/7	136 LAA OFF DAY 137 at SEA	7:10	5 CSNCA	
6/5 6/6 6/7	56 TEX 57 TEX 58 TEX		7:05 7:05 12:35	CSNC	A									138 at SEA 139 at SEA 140 at LAA 141 at LAA	1:10 7:05	CSNCA CSNCA CSNCA CSNCA	
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### **HIGHS AND LOWS**

TEAM BATTING

TEAM BATTING	
	11, May 11 vs. Detroit
Most Runs, Game, Opponents	
Most Runs, Inning, A's5, April 30 at E	Boston (7th), May 6 at Tampa Bay (3rd) and May 8 vs. Toronto (9th)
Most Runs, Inning, Opponents	8, May 10 vs. Detroit (3 <sup>rd</sup> )
Most Hits, Game, A's	13, May 11 vs. Detroit
Most Hits, Game, Opponents	17, May 10 vs. Detroit
Most Hits, Inning, A's	5, April 25 vs. Chicago (14 <sup>th</sup> ) and May 18 at San Francisco (6 <sup>th</sup> )
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents	8, May 10 vs. Detroit (3 <sup>rd</sup> )
Most Home Runs, Game, A's	
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents	
Most Doubles, Game, A's	4, May 2 at Boston
Most Doubles, Game, Opponents	
Most Triples, Game, A's	1 (four times), last: May 18 at San Francisco
Most Triples, Game, Opponents	
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's	4, April 22 vs. Cleveland and May 1 at Boston
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents	

## TEAM PITCHING Mo Mo

Most Strikeouts, A's	
Most Strikeouts, Opponents	
Most Walks, A's	
Most Walks, Opponents	
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's	3, March 29 vs. Seattle, April 9 vs. Kansas City and April 13 at Seattle
Fewest Hits Allowed, Opponents	

#### TEAM MISCELLANEOUS

Longest Winning Streak	
Longest Losing Streak	
Longest Game, Innings	
Longest Game, Time, Nine Innings	3:31, May 1 at Boston
Longest Game, Time, Extra Innings	4:14, May 5 at Tampa Bay (12)
Shortest Game, Time	2:13, April 10 vs. Kansas City (8)
Shortest Game, Time, Nine Innings	
Largest Margin, Victory	7, May 11 vs. Detroit (11-4)
Largest Margin, Loss	
Most Left on Base, Nine Inning Game	
Most Left on Base, Extra Inning Game	
Fewest Left on Base, Game	1, May 19 at San Francisco
Most Errors, Game	
Largest Comeback in Win	4, May 6 at Tampa Bay
Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss	
INDIVIDUAL BATTING	
Most Runs, Game	4, Josh Reddick, May 11 vs. Detroit

Most Runs, Game	
Most Hits, Game	4, Josh Reddick, May 11 vs. Detroit
Most Doubles, Game	
Most Triples, Game	1 (four times), last: Jemile Weeks, May 18 at San Francisco
Most Home Runs, Game	2, Josh Reddick, May 11 vs. Detroit
Most Runs Batted In, Game5, Josh Reddick	k, May 11 vs. Detroit and Josh Donaldson, May 18 at San Francisco
Most Walks, Game3, Smith, April 18 at Los	Angeles; Gomes, May 8 vs. Toronto and Rosales, May 17 at Texas
Most Strikeouts, Game	
Most Stolen Bases, Game	2, Jemile Weeks, April 21 vs. Cleveland
Longest Hitting Streak	

### INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, Game	
Most Walks, Game	
Most Innings, Game, Starter	
Most Innings, Game, Reliever	
Low Hit Complete Game	
Most Consecutive Scoreless Innings	
Most Consecutive Batters Retired	

## STARTS IN THE ORDER

PLAYER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Allen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	
Barton	-	1	-	-	-	2	16	5	1	
Céspedes	-	-	1	24	1	1	1	-	-	
Cowgill	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	1	6	
Crisp	2	13	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Donaldson	-	-	-	-	1	6	3	5	1	
Gomes	-	-	-	12	7	4	-	-	-	
Hughes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	
Inge	-	1	-	-	1	5	1	2	1	
Ka'aihue	-	-	-	1	6	3	7	4	1	
Pennington	2	21	-	-	-	1	2	1	11	
Recker	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	2	
Reddick	-	-	37	-	1	1	1	-	-	
Rosales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	
Smith	-	-	1	4	19	6	-	-	-	
Sogard	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	3	12	
Suzuki	-	-	-	-	5	11	10	7	-	
Taylor	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	
Weeks	37	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

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## GAMES BY POSITION

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PLAYER	G	GS	G	GS		GS	G	GS		GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS
Allen	-	-	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barton	-	-	29	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Céspedes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	28	-	-	-	-
Cowgill	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	9	8	2	1	-	-
Crisp	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	15	1	1	-	-	1	1
Donaldson	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gomes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	11	-	-	-	-	12	12
Hughes	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inge	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ka'aihue	-	-	14	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	9
Pennington	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39	38	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Recker	11	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Reddick	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	4	34	34	2	2
Rosales	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Smith	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	13	-	-	5	3	14	14
Sogard	-	-	-	-	5	4	11	10	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Suzuki	35	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Taylor	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	3	3	-	-
Weeks	-	-	-	-	37	37	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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April 2 Adam Rosales optioned to Sacramento

April 3 Daric Barton placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 24

(strained right shoulder) Tyson Ross optioned to Sacramento Daric Barton reinstated from the disabled list; Brandon Allen designated for April 4 April 9 assignment

Tyson Ross and Neil Wagner recalled from Sacramento; Andrew Carignan and Collin Cowgill optioned to Sacramento Brandon Allen claimed off waivers by Tampa Bay Rich Thompson claimed off waivers from Los Angeles (AL); Neil Wagner April 17

April 19

April 20 optioned to Sacramento Pedro Figueroa recalled from Sacramento; Graham Godfrey optioned to

April 21 Sacramento

ear infection); Michael Taylor recalled from Sacramento Andrew Carignan and Collin Cowgill recalled from Sacramento; Jim Miller May 10 and Michael Taylor optioned to Sacramento

May 12

Voenis Céspedes placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 7 (strained muscle in left hand); Josh Donaldson recalled from Sacramento Travis Blackley claimed off waivers from San Francisco; Joey Devine May 15 transferred to the 60-day disabled list

May 16 May 17

Andrew Carignan optioned to Sacramento Brandon Inge placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 13 (strained left groin); Adam Rosales recalled from Sacramento Brandon McCarthy placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 18 (strained right shoulder); Jim Miller recalled from Sacramento May 20

**Note:** Items in red have not been updated since Milone made his last start. Please check the notes on the day he pitches for updated information.

## MONDAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Tommy Milone (5-3, 4.09 ERA)

MILO	NE B	Y 1	THE N	NUM	BERS	5
	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2012	5	3	4.09	8	50.2	23
2011	1	0	3.81	5	26.0	11
Career	6	3	3.99	13	76.2	34
Home	3	0	0.39	3	23.0	1
Road	2	3	7.16	5	27.2	22
Day	1	0	9.00	1	5.0	5
Night	4	3	3.55	7	45.2	18
Pre-ASB	5	3	4.09	8	50.2	23
Post-ASB	0	0		0	0.0	0
		A	VG.	A	В	Н
vs. LHH			.212	3	3	7
vs. RHH			.240	15	7	37

RUN SUPPORT Milone Times Runs Scored 0 3 4 1 0 0 6 0 9 0 10 0 11 Run Support Avg. 4.97

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Los An	igeles C Mi	areer	Ba	attin	g vs	•							
	AVG.	AB	Н	HR	BB	SO							
Aybar	.500	2	1	0	0	0							
Bourjos	.000	2	0	0	0	0							
Hunter	.500	2	1	0	1	0							
lannetta	.000	2	0	0	0	0							
Izturis	.000	3	0	0	0	2							
Kendrick	.333	3	1	0	0	1							
	.667	3	2	0	0	0							
Pujols	.007												
Pujols Trumbo	.500	2	1	0	0	0							

Low Hit CG: Non	е
IP: 8.0 (twice), last: 4/24/12 vs. CW	S
Fewest IP, GS: 4.1 (twice), last: 9/26/11 at FL	A
H: 9, 5/16/2012 at TE	Х
R: 8, 4/30/12 at BO	S
ER: 7, 4/30/12 at BO	S
BB: 4, 5/6/12 at T	В
SO: 6, 5/11/12 vs. DE	Т
HR: 3, 4/30/12 at BO	S
Win Streak: 2 (3 times), last: 5/6/12-5/11/1	
Loss Streak: 1 (3 times), last: 5/16/12-preserved	
Scoreless Streak: 10.0, 4/19/12 to 4/30/1	2
Complete Games: Non	е
Shutouts: Non	е

**FOR STARTERS:** Is scheduled to make his ninth start of the season...the A's are 5-3 (.625) in his starting assignments this year and his teams are 10-3 (.769) in his career...has tossed at least six innings in five of his eight starts, allowed two runs or fewer four times and walked two batters or fewer six times.

MILONE'S 2012 STARTS           Date         Opponent         Score         Dec         ERA         IP         H         R         ER         BB         SO         HR#PIT           April 9         KC         1-0         W         0.00         8.0         3         0         0         3         0         0         93           April 9         KC         1-0         W         0.00         8.0         3         0         0         3         0         0         93           April 14         at SEA         0-4         L         2.57         6.0         4         4         2         5         1         90           April 19         at LAA         4-2         W         2.84         5.0         7         2         2         1         3         0         94           April 24         CWS         2-0         W         2.00         8.0         3         0         0         5         5         98           April 24         CWS         2-0         W         2.00         8.0         3         0         0         5         3         98           April Totals (5 G, 5 GS)														
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	May 16	at TEX	1-4	L	4.09	7.0	9	4	4	1	4	1	100	

**FIRST FOUR, LAST FOUR:** Went 3-1 with a 2.00 ERA and .185 opponents batting average over his first four starts and uiclded just are home run in 27.0 included in the part of the starts and

yielded just one home run in 27.0 innings...is 2-2 with a 6.46 ERA (17 er in 23.2 ip) and .284 (27 for 95) opponents average over his last four starts and has allowed five home runs in 23.2 innings.

**HOME AND AWAY:** Is 3-0 with a 0.39 ERA (1 er in 23.0 ip) and .147 (11 for 75) opponents batting average at home compared to 2-3 with a 7.16 ERA (22 er in 27.2 ip) and .295 (33 for 112) opponents average in five starts on the road...has allowed all six of his home runs on the road...has the lowest home ERA in the Major Leagues and the second highest road ERA in the American League (Masterson, CLE 9.00).

**AMONG THE LEADERS:** Is tied for the lead among American League rookies in games started (8), ranks second in wins (5), third in innings pitched (50.2) and fifth in strikeouts (29)...the wins are tied for fifth among all AL pitchers.

**OPPONENTS BATTING:** Has allowed a .195 (24 for 123) batting average with the bases empty but opponents are hitting .313 (20 for 64) with runners on base, including .333 (12 for 36) with runners in scoring position...four of the six home runs he has allowed have been solo shots.

**FIRST START:** He combined with Grant Balfour on a three-hit, 1-0 shutout of Kansas City April 9 in Oakland in his A's debut...tossed a career-high 8.0 innings and allowed all three of the hits...all three hits were doubles but no one advanced past second base...became just the second pitcher in Oakland history to toss eight or more shutout innings in his Oakland debut (Mike Norris, complete game shutout, April 10, 1975 against Chicago)...did not strikeout a batter to become the third pitcher in Oakland history to toss at least 8.0 shutout innings and not strikeout a batter (Matt Keough, July 27, 1980 against Detroit; Catfish Hunter, May 25, 1973 against Detroit).

**SECOND START:** He was the losing pitcher in the A's 4-0 loss at Seattle April 14...faced just one batter over the minimum over the first five innings but that was a solo home run by Montero in the second inning...then allowed three runs in the sixth on a bases loaded walk by Smoak and a two-run double by Montero...Noesi and League combined to shutout the A's on five hits.

**THIRD START:** He was the winning pitcher in the A's 4-2 win at Los Angeles April 19...blanked the Angels on two hits over the first three innings before allowing his only two runs in the fourth...Pujols doubled and scored on a Wells double...Wells scored on a Trumbo single...left after five innings with a 4-2 lead.

**FOURTH START:** He combined with Grant Balfour on a four-hit, 2-0 shutout of Chicago April 24 in Oakland...tossed a career-high tying 8.0 innings and allowed three of the hits...did not allow a hit until Ramirez singled to lead off the fifth...did not allow a runner past first base and faced just two batters over the minimum as he was aided by two double plays and a caught stealing...according to the Elias Sports Bureau he is just the second Oakland rookie over the last 75 years to have two wins while pitching at least eight scoreless innings and allowing three or fewer hits in a season (Vida Blue, 1970).

**FIFTH START:** He was the losing pitcher in the A's 11-6 loss at Boston April 30...allowed a career-high eight runs on eight hits, including a career-high three home runs...allowed four runs in the second inning, including a lead-off home run to Ortiz and RBI singles by Byrd and Aviles...McDonald hit a two-run home run in the third and Ortiz added a solo shot in the fifth.

**SIXTH START:** He was the winning pitcher in the A's 9-5 win at Tampa Bay May 6...allowed five runs in five innings and walked a career-high four batters...allowed four runs in the first inning...walked the first three batters he faced...Keppinger followed with a sacrifice fly and after hitting Scott to reload the bases, he allowed a RBI single to Rodriguez and a two-run single to Joyce...the A's then scored five times in the third and three more times in the fifth to take an 8-4 lead...also allowed an Upton solo home run in the fifth.

**SEVENTH START:** He won his second consecutive start in the A's 11-4 win over Detroit May 11 in Oakland...struck out a career-high six batters in 7.0 innings...allowed a run to score in the first inning when Jackson led off with a double and later scored on a double play...the A's came back with two in the bottom of the inning before he allowed an unearned run in the third on a Cabrera RBI double...retired each of the final 10 batters he faced.

**LAST START:** He was the losing pitcher in the A's 4-1 loss at Texas last Wednesday...allowed four runs in 7.0 innings pitched and all four runs came in the fourth inning...allowed a two-run home run to Beltre, a RBI single to Gentry and a RBI single to Andrus...surrendered a career-high nine hits.

**MILONE vs. LOS ANGELES:** Was the winning pitcher in his only career start, a 4-2 A's win at Los Angeles earlier this year on April 19 (see third start above).

**THIS SPRING:** Was 2-1 with a 4.91 ERA in five appearances, four starts (14.2 ip, 13 h, 9 r, 8 er, 1 bb, 12 so)...that does not include two starts and wins in exhibition games...faced Yomiuri in Japan March 25 (5.0 ip, 2 h, 7 so) and tossed 6.0 perfect innings at Sacramento March 31 (6 so)...including the exhibition games, he walked just one batter in 25.2 innings...his only relief appearance came in his first outing March 2 against Seattle.

**2011 RECAP:** Spent the entire season at Triple-A Syracuse before being called up by Washington in September to make his Major League debut...went 1-0 with a 3.81 ERA in five starts for the Nationals...walked just four batters in 26.0 innings (1.38 per nine innings)...held the opposition to a .208 average with runners in scoring position...opponents hit .175 the first time through the lineup, .293 the second time through and .500 after that...was 12-6 with a 3.22 ERA in 24 starts in his Triple-A debut with Syracuse...was named to the *Baseball America* Triple-A All-Star team...ranked second in the International League in strikeouts (155), tied for third in wins and was sixth in ERA...averaged 0.97 walks per nine innings, which was the lowest among IL starters...also ranked second in strikeouts per nine innings (9.40) and fourth in opponents batting average (.241)...walked just 16 for a strikeout-to-walk ratio of 9.69....was traded to the A's December 23, 2011 with A.J. Cole, Derek Norris and Brad Peacock for Gio Gonzalez and Rob Gilliam.

**Note:** Items in red have not been updated since Parker made his last start. Please check the notes on the day he pitches for updated information.

## WEDNESDAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Jarrod Parker (1-2, 3.90 ERA)

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	w	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2012	1	2	3.90	5	27.2	12
2011	0	0	0.00	1	5.2	0
Career	1	2	3.24	6	33.1	12
Home	0	1	2.37	3	19.0	5
Road	1	1	7.27	2	8.2	7
Day	0	1	2.25	2	12.0	3
Night	1	1	5.17	3	15.2	9
Pre-ASB	1	2	3.90	5	27.2	12
Post-ASB	0	0		0	0.0	0
		A	VG.	А	В	Н
vs. LHH			.207	5	8	12
vs. RHH			.289	4	5	13

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IP:	7.0, 5/8/12 vs. TOR
Fewest IP, GS:	2.0, 5/18/12 at SF
H:	7, 4/25/12 vs. CWS
R:	6, 5/18/12 at SF
ER:	6, 5/18/12 at SF
BB:	5, 5/8/12 vs. TOR
SO:	5 (twice), last: 5/13/12 vs. DET
HR:	1, 5/8/2012 vs. TOR
Win Streak:	1, 5/1/12
Loss Streak:	2, 5/13/12 to present
Scoreless Strea	<b>ik:</b> 11.2, 9/27/11 to 4/25/12
Complete Game	es: None
Shutouts:	None

**FOR STARTERS:** Is scheduled to make his sixth start of the season, the seventh of his career...the A's are 3-2 (.600) in his starting assignments and his teams are 4-2 (.667) in his career...has tossed at least six innings in three of his five starts, allowed two runs or fewer four times and walked two batters or fewer twice.

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Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	Н	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 25	CWS	5-4 (14)		1.42	6.1	7	1	1	1	5	0	99
April Tot	als (1 G, 1 G	iS)	0-0	1.42	6.1	7	1	1	1	5	0	
May 1	at BOS	5-3	W	1.38	6.2	4	1	1	2	4	0	98
May 8	TOR	7-3		1.80	7.0	4	2	2	5	3	1	105
May 13	DET	1-3	L	2.10	5.2	6	2	2	4	5	0	112
May 18	at SF	6-8	L	3.90	2.0	4	6	6	4	0	0	58

RUNS ALLOWED: Allowed six runs in 2.0

innings in his last start after allowing six runs total over the first five starts of his career (31.1 ip, 1.72 ERA)...allowed one run or fewer in each of the first three starts of his career from September 27, 2011 to May 1, 2012...tossed at least 5.0 innings in each of those outings to become just the second pitcher since 1990 to begin his career with three consecutive outings of five or more innings and one run or fewer...the other is Rich Harden, who did it for the A's from July 21 to 31, 2003.

**BASES ON BALLS:** Has walked at least four batters in each of his last three starts (13 bb in 14.2 ip)...has now issued 17 walks while striking out 18 in 33.1 innings for the season (4.59 walks per nine innings).

**OPPONENTS BATTING:** Opponents are 5 for 28 (.179) with two walks (.233 on-base percentage) when leading off an inning...has allowed a .190 (4 for 21) batting average with runners in scoring position, including .125 (1 for 8) with RISP and two outs.

**BRIEFLY:** Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento April 25 after going 1-0 with a 2.18 ERA in four starts with the River Cats...replaced Graham Godfrey in the starting rotation.

**FIRST START:** He had a no decision in his A's debut, a 5-4, 14-inning win over Chicago April 25 in Oakland...shutout the White Sox on five hits and a walks over the first six innings to extend his careeropening scoreless streak to 11.2 innings...had a 2-0 lead when he allowed a RBI double to Fukudome in the seventh inning...Balfour allowed a run in the ninth inning for the blown save.

**SECOND START:** He earned his first Major League win in the A's 5-3 victory at Boston May 1...had a 5-0 lead when he allowed his only run in the fourth inning...Pedroia led off with single, went to second on wild pitch, third on a ground out and then scored on an Ortiz ground out...Norberto recorded the save, marking the first time A's pitchers recorded their first win and save in the same game since Joe Klink saved Steve Chitren's victory Sept. 30, 1990 at Texas.

**THIRD START:** He had a no decision in the A's 7-3 win over Toronto May 8 in Oakland...tossed a careerhigh seven innings but issued a career-high five walks...allowed his only runs on a two-run home run by Johnson in the third inning, the first home run he allowed in his career.

**FOURTH START:** He was charged with the first loss of his career in the A's 3-1 loss to Detroit May 13 in Oakland...shutout the Tigers on three hits and two walks over the first four innings before allowing a RBI single to Cabrera in the fifth...the A's tied the game with a run in the bottom of the fifth but he allowed a twoout double Boesch and then walked the bases loaded in the sixth...was relieved by Balfour, who walked in the go-ahead run.

LAST START: He was the losing pitcher in the A's 8-6 loss at San Francisco last Friday...allowed a careerhigh six runs in a career-low 2.0 innings...retired the side in order in the first inning but then allowed two runs in the second on a Belt RBI single and an Arias sacrifice fly...did not retire a batter in the third inning, allowing each of the first five batters to reached base...yielded a RBI double to Crawford and was relieved by Blevins after walking Belt with the bases loaded...Blevins allowed two inherited runners to score.

PARKER vs. LOS ANGELES: Is making his first career appearance.

WITH SACRAMENTO: Was 1-0 with a 2.18 ERA in four starts...struck out 21 batters in 20.2 innings...allowed a .275 opponents batting average, including .271 (13 for 48) against right-handed hitter and .281 (9 for 32) against left-handers...surrendered both of his home

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Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	Н	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 6	at Las Vegas	3-4 (10)		4.50	6.0	6	3	3	1	4	1	88
April 11	at Tucson	3-2		3.00	6.0	9	2	1	1	6	0	89
April 16	Reno	2-1	W	2.50	6.0	6	1	1	2	7	1	103
April 21	at Reno	6-0		2.18	2.2	1	0	0	2	4	0	48
SAC TOT	FALS (4 G, 4	GS)	1-0	2.18	20.2	22	6	5	6	21	2	

runs to lefties...opponents were 4 for 29 (.138) with runners in scoring position...tossed 6.0 innings in each of his first three starts before leaving his last start April 21 at Reno after just 2.2 innings in preparation for starting in Oakland April 25 on three days rest.

**THIS SPRING:** Was 2-1 with a 3.27 ERA in four appearances, three starts, before he was optioned to Sacramento March 19...held the opposition to a .162 batting average (6 for 37) but walked 13 batters and hit one in 11.0 innings...his only relief appearance came in his first outing March 3 against Seattle.

**TRADE:** Was acquired from the Arizona Diamondbacks with Ryan Cook and Collin Cowgill for Trevor Cahill, Craig Breslow and cash considerations, December 9, 2011.

**2011 RECAP:** Spent the entire season at Double-A Mobile, earning a promotion to Arizona after the BayBears won the Southern League Championship...was 11-8 with a 3.79 ERA in 26 starts for Mobile...tied for second in the Southern League in wins, ranked third in opponents batting average (.236) and fifth in ERA...was third in the Diamondbacks farm system in wins, fifth in strikeouts (112) and 10<sup>th</sup> in ERA...had career highs in starts and innings pitched (130.2)...was 1-0 with a 1.50 ERA (12.0 ip, 9 h, 2 r, 2 er, 3 bb, 12 so, 1 hr) in two postseason starts...was selected by the Diamondbacks Sept. 19 and made one regular season start in his Major League debut...faced Los Angeles (NL) Sept. 27 and had a no decision in Arizona's 7-6, 10-inning win...tossed 5.2 shutout innings, yielded just four hits, walked a batter and struck out one...retired the first seven batters he faced, including a strikeout of Jerry Sands with one out in the first inning, his first big league strikeout...left the game with no score...the Dodgers scored five times in the 10th but Arizona came back with six in the bottom of the inning for the win...also made one postseason appearance in the NLDS against Milwaukee, a relief outing in Game 4...entered the game in the sixth inning with the Diamondbacks leading 7-3 and allowed a run on two hits and a walk in 0.1 innings.

**MINOR LEAGUE CAREER:** Is 29-19 with a 3.41 ERA (139 er in 366.1 ip) in 74 starts over four seasons in the minors...has yielded just 19 home runs, an average of 0.47 per nine innings...was rated as the Diamondbacks' top prospect by *Baseball America* in three consecutive seasons from 2009-11 prior to being listed as number four entering the 2012 season...is listed as the A's top prospect by the magazine for 2012...missed the entire 2010 season following Tommy John surgery Oct. 28, 2009...pitched in the All-Star Futures Game in 2009.



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NO PITCHERS (12)	В	Т	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE	NUMERICAL ROSTER
50 Grant Balfour	R	R	6-2	200	12-30-77	Sydney, Australia	Clearwater, FL	2 Cliff Pennington, IF
54 Travis Blackley	L	L	6-3	205	11-4-82	Melbourne, Austrailia	Victoria, Australia	3 Mike Gallego, Coach
13 Jerry Blevins	L	L	6-6	175	9-6-83	Johnson City, TN	Swanton, OH	5 Chip Hale, Coach
21 Bartolo Colón	R	R	5-11	267	5-24-73	Alta Mira, D.R.	Puerto Plata, D.R.	6 Bob Melvin, Manager
48 Ryan Cook	R	R	6-2	217	6-30-87	Clovis, CA	Clovis, CA	8 Kurt Suzuki, C
65 Pedro Figueroa	L	L	6-0	214	11-23-85	Santo Domingo, D.R.	Santo Domingo, D.R.	10 Daric Barton, 1B
40 Brian Fuentes	L	L	6-4	230	8-9-75	Merced, CA	Merced, CA	11 Jarrod Parker, RHP
53 Jim Miller	R	R	6-1	200	4-28-82	Randolph, NJ	Virginia Beach, VA	12 Collin Cowgill, OF
57 Tommy Milone	L	L	6-0	205	2-16-87	Saugus, CA	Agua Dulce, CA	13 Jerry Blevins, LHP
77 Jordan Norberto	L	L	6-0	195	12-8-86	Nagua, D.R.	Nagua, D.R.	15 Seth Smith, OF
11 Jarrod Parker	R	R	6-1	195	11-24-88	Fort Wayne, IN	Bluffton, IN	16 Josh Reddick, OF
66 Tyson Ross	R	R	6-6	230	4-22-87	Berkeley, CA	Oakland, CA	17 Adam Rosales, IF/OF
NO CATCHERS (2)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE	19 Jemile Weeks, IF
26 Anthony Recker	R	R	6-2	242	8-29-83	Allentown, PA	Catasauqua, PA	20 Josh Donaldson, IF
8 Kurt Suzuki	R	R		196 WT	10-4-83	Wailuku, HI	Torrance, CA	21 Bartolo Colón, RHP
NO INFIELDERS (7)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE	25 Kila Ka'aihue, 1B
10 Daric Barton	L	R	6-0	204	8-16-85	Springfield, VT	Corona, CA	26 Anthony Recker, C
20 Josh Donaldson	R	R	6-0	221	12-8-85	Pensacola, FL	Daphene, AL	28 Eric Sogard, IF
25 Kila Ka'aihue	L	R	6-4	235	3-29-84	Kailua, HI	Honolulu, HI	30 Chili Davis, Coach
2 Cliff Pennington	S		5-10	193	6-15-84	Corpus Christi, TX	Missouri City, TX	31 Jonny Gomes, OF
17 Adam Rosales	R	R	6-1	195	5-20-83	Chicago, IL	Phoenix, AZ	40 Brian Fuentes, LHP
28 Eric Sogard	L		5-10	188	5-22-86	Phoenix, AZ	Phoenix, AZ	41 Curt Young, Coach
19 Jemile Weeks	S	R	5-9	161	1-26-87	Orlando, FL	Altamonte Springs, FL	44 Rick Rodriguez, Coach
NO OUTFIELDERS (4)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE	46 Tye Waller, Coach
12 Collin Cowgill	R	L	5-9	184	5-22-86	Lexington, KY	Lexington, KY	48 Ryan Cook, RHP
31 Jonny Gomes	R	R	6-1	223	11-22-80	Petaluma, CA	Scottsdale, AZ	50 Grant Balfour, RHP
16 Josh Reddick	L	R	6-2	180	2-19-87	Savannah, GA	Guyton, GA	53 Jim Miller, RHP
15 Seth Smith	L	L	6-3	210	9-30-82	Jackson, MS	Brandon, MS	54 Travis Blackley, LHP
NO DISABLED LIST (8)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE	57 Tommy Milone, LHP
49 *Brett Anderson	L	L	6-4	233	2-1-88	Midland, TX	Stillwater, OK	65 Pedro Figueroa, LHP
51 *Dallas Braden	L	L	6-1	185	8-13-83	Phoenix, AZ	Stockton, CA	66 Tyson Ross, RHP
52 Yoenis Céspedes	R		5-10	210	10-18-85	Granma, Cuba	Santiago, D.R.	77 Jordan Norberto, LHP
4 Coco Crisp	S	R	5-10	185	11-1-79	Los Angeles, CA	Rancho Mirage, CA	99 Casey Chavez, Bullpen
33 *Joey Devine	R	R	6-0	235	9-19-83	Junction City, KS	Roswell, GA	
7 Brandon Inge	R		5-11	188	5-19-77	Lynchburg, VA	Saline, MI	ALPHABETICAL ROSTER
32 Brandon McCarthy	R	R	6-7	200	7-7-83	Glendale, CA	Dallas, TX	50 Grant Balfour, RHP
29 *Scott Sizemore	R	R	6-0	185	1-4-85	Virginia Beach, VA	Chesapeake, VA	10 Daric Barton, 1B
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38 Andrew Carignan		-	<b>5-</b> 11		7-23-86	New London, CT	Norwich, CT	21 Bartolo Colón, RHP
22 Chris Carter	R	R	6-4		12-18-86	Redwood City, CA	Las Vegas, NV	48 Ryan Cook, RHP
60 Fautino De Los Santos	R	R	6-2	244	2-15-86	Samana, D.R.	Samana, D.R.	12 Collin Cowgill, OF
67 Sean Doolittle	L	L	6-3	212	9-26-86	Rapid City, SD	Tabernacle, NJ	30 Chili Davis, Coach
45 Graham Godfrey	R	R	6-3	204	8-9-84	Tampa, FL	Birmingham, AL	20 Josh Donaldson, IF
18 Brandon Hicks	R	R	6-2	204	9-14-85	Houston, TX	Pasadena, CA	65 Pedro Figueroa, LHP
64 Jermaine Mitchell	L	L	6-0	216	11-2-84	Naples, TX	Daingerfield, TX	40 Brian Fuentes, LHP
72 Derek Norris	R	R	6-0	210	2-14-89	Goddard, KS	Goddard, KS	3 Mike Gallego, Coach
47 Brad Peacock	R	R	6-1	175	2-14-89	Palm Beach, FL	West Palm Beach, FL	31 Jonny Gomes, OF
23 Michael Taylor	R	R	6-5		12-19-85	Cheverly, MD	Apopka, FL	5 Chip Hale, Coach
62 Neil Wagner		R		195	1-1-84	Minneapolis, MN	Eden Prairie, MN	25 Kila Ka'aihue, 1B
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MASSAGE THERAPIST: C								16 Josh Reddick, OF
EQUIPMENT MANAGER:		-		۱.				44 Rick Rodriguez, Coach
TRAVELING SECRETARY								17 Adam Rosales, IF/OF
VIDEO COORDINATOR: A								66 Tyson Ross, RHP
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## TRAVIS BLACKLEY

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#### **LEFT-HANDED PITCHER**

Height/Weight: 6-3 / 200Bats/Throws: Left / LeftBirthdate: November 4, 1982Opening Day Age: 29Birthplace/Resides: Melbourne, Australia / Melbourne, AustraliaMajor League Service: 1 year, 42 daysObtained: Claimed off waivers from San Francisco, May 15, 2012Contract Status: First year of a one-year contract through 2012.

#### **CAREER HIGHLIGHTS**

The 29-year-old southpaw returns to the United States after pitching in South Korea during the 2011 season...last played in the San Francisco organization in 2007, making 28 starts for Fresno...also played in parts of two seasons with Tacoma in 2004 and 2006...has represented Australia in the World Baseball Classic in 2007 and pitched in the Australian Baseball League this past offseason...pitched for the World team in the MLB Futures Game at U.S. Cellular Field in 2003, the same year he was named the Texas League Pitcher of the Year in 2003 after leading the league with 17 wins.

#### 2011 HIGHLIGHTS

Pitched for the KIA Tigers of the Korean Baseball Organization...appeared in 25 games with the Tigers, inlcuding 22 starts, and posting a 7-5 record with a 3.48 ERA.

#### CAREER

**2010**—Pitched in four different leagues...including 15 appearances, four starts, for the Sacramento River Cats.

**2009**—Pitched for the Reno Aces in their inaugural season...recorded 101 strikeouts in 111.1 innings... went 4-7 with a 4.85 ERA over 38 games, 12 starts.

**2008**—Made his first 21 appearances of the season as a starter for Triple-A Lehigh Valley, going 5-9 with a 5.47 ERA...was 0-1 with a 5.02 ERA in seven relief appearances...struck out a season-high nine batters April 7 at Pawtucket, suffering the loss by allowing four runs on four hits with a walk over 5.0 innings...earned his first win of the season June 3 at Indianapolis, allowing one run on six hits over 6.0 innings with a walk and five strikeouts...tossed a season-high 8.0 innings June 19 at Charlotte to earn the victory, allowing two runs off five hits with four walks and six strikeouts...went 2-3 with a 4.24 ERA in 12 games, 10 starts, for Aguilas in the Mexican Winter League...struck out 55 and walked 19.

**2007**—Had a 3.67 ERA in 24 of his 28 starts for Triple-A Fresno...had a 16.34 ERA in the other four... pitched at least 6.0 innings in 19 of his 28 starts...was recalled by San Francisco Sept. 21 and made two starts for the Giants...collected his first big league hit Sept. 29 at Los Angeles (NL) off Chad Billingsley.

**2006**—Pitched at least 6.0 innings in 13 of his 25 starts and allowed two earned runs or less in 14 of the 25 for Double-A San Antonio...promoted to Triple-A Tacoma Aug. 19 and made two starts...finished the year by allowing one hit over 6.0 innings Aug. 31 vs. Salt Lake.

**2005**—Had surgery Feb. 8 to repair two small tears in the labrum of his left shoulder (Dr. Lewis Yocum)...spent the entire season on the disabled list.

**2004**—Led Triple-A Tacoma in wins and strikeouts...named Pacific Coast League Pitcher of the Week for the week of May 21-27...recalled by Seattle July 1 and won his Major League debut that night against Texas...allowed four runs on six hits in 5.2 innings...optioned to Tacoma Aug. 1...ended the season on the DL (left shoulder tendinitis).

**2003**—Named the Texas League Pitcher of the Year after leading the league in wins...also ranked second in ERA and fourth in strikeouts and innings....his 17 wins were the most by a Texas League pitcher since 1978, when Jeff Reardon of the Jackson Mets won 17...had a season-high 11 strikeouts June 2 vs. Arkansas...participated in the Texas League All-Star Game and was named to the postseason All-Star Team...pitched for the World squad in the 2003 MLB Futures Game on July 15 at U.S. Cellular Field... named Seattle's Minor League Pitcher of the Year and received the 2003 John Ellis Award for his community involvement.

**2002**—Finished second among Seattle minor leaguers in strikeouts for Single-A San Bernardino…had a career-high 14 strikeouts July 19 against San Jose in 8.0 innings pitched.

**2001**—Began his professional career with Rookie League Everett and held opponents to a .211 batting average...had a season-high 13 strikeouts July 23 at Tri-Cities in 7.0 innings pitched.

#### PERSONAL/MISCELLANEOUS

Travis Jarrod Blackley...graduated from Cheltenham High School (Cheltenham, Australia).

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Year	Club	w	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	sv	IP	н	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	so	WP	BK
2001	Everett	6	1	3.52	14	14	0	0	0	78.2	60	34	29	7	1	29	0	90	3	C
2002	San Bernardino	5	9	3.49	21	20	1	0	0	121.1	102	52	47	11	7	44	0	152	11	2
2003	San Antonio 2	17	3	2.61	27	27	0	0	0	162.1	125	55	47	11	6	62	0	144	9	2
2004	Tacoma	8	6	3.83	19	18	2	2	0	110.1	100	49	47	14	3	47	0	80	9	3
	SEATTLE	1	3	10.04	6	6	0	0	0	26.0	35	31	29	9	1	22	0	16	3	1
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2006	San Antonio	8	11	4.06	25	25	0	0	Ó	144.0	139	77	65	18	15	45	2	100	11	1
	Tacoma	1	1	4.09	2	2	0	0	0	11.0	10	5	5	2	0	5	0	5	0	0
2007	Fresno	10	8	4.66	28	28	0	0	0	162.1	156	87	84	21	7	68	0	121	14	1
	SAN FRANCISCO	0	0	7.27	2	2	0	0	0	8.2	10	7	7	2	0	5	0	5	0	1
2008	Lehigh Valley	5	10	5.41	28	21	0	0	0	123.0	132	75	74	15	6	59	1	87	11	0
2009	Reno	4	7	4.85	38	12	0	0	0	111.1	133	65	60	11	7	38	1	101	7	1
2010	Buffalo	0	0	8.53	4	0	0	0	0	6.1	6	6	6	2	0	7	0	4	2	0
	Chihuahua (Mex)	0	1	15.88	2	1	0	0	0	5.2	10	10	10	0	0	5	0	4	4	0
	Sacramento	2	1	2.52	15	4	0	0	0	35.2	31	10	10	2	2	22	1	35	1	1
	Stockton	0	0	1.80	2	2	0	0	0	5.0	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	2	0
2011	Kia (Korea)	7	5	3.48	25	22	1	1	0	126.2	120	59	49	13	3	62	0	115	12	3
AL To	tals	1	3	10.04	6	6	0	0	0	26.0	35	31	29	9	1	22	0	16	3	1
NL To	tals	0	0	7.27	2	2	0	0	0	8.2	10	7	7	2	0	5	0	5	0	1
ML To	tals	1	3	9.35	8	8	0	0	0	34.2	45	38	36	11	1	27	0	21	3	2

#### CAREER TRANSACTIONS

**2000** — Signed by the Seattle Mariners organization as a non-drafted free agent, October 29. **2005** — On the disabled list, March 3 to October 30. **2007** — Traded to the San Francisco Giants for outfielder Jason Ellison, April 1. Selected by the Philadelphia Philles in the Rule 5 draft, December 6. **2008** — Elected free agentcy, October 14; signed by the Arizona Diamonbacks, December 19. **2009** — Elected free agency, October 5. **2010** — Signed by the New York Mets to a minor league contract, March 6. Released, May 1; signed by the Oakland Athletic to a minor league contract, May 14. Released, December 20. **2012** — Signed by the San Francisco Giants to a minor league contract, February 19. Claimed off waivers by the Oakland Athletics, May 15.

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Year	Club	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	sv	IP	н	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	so	WP	BK
2009	Australia	0	0	1.59	1	1	0	0	0	5.2	5	1	1	0	0	2	0	4	0	1

## YOENIS CÉSPEDES

#### OUTFIELDER

Height/Weight: 5-10 / 210Bats/Throws: Right / RightBirthdate: October 18, 1985Opening Day Age: 26

Birthplace/Resides: Granma, Cuba / Santiago, Dominican Republic

Major League Service: None

**Obtained**: Signed as a non-drafted free agent, March 3, 2012

Contract Status: First year of a four-year contract through 2015.

#### **CAREER HIGHLIGHTS**

Played for Granma in Cuba's Serie Nacional for eight seasons before defecting to the Dominican Republic following the 2010-11 season...batted .323 (668-for-2069) with 145 home runs and 464 RBI in 528 games over his final six seasons...added 119 doubles and 14 triples for a .604 slugging percentage...has a .565 career slugging percentage, which ranks ninth all-time in Cuba...had 177 career home runs...led the league in runs (89) and RBI (99) and tied for the league lead in home runs (33), while batting .333 in 90 games during his final season in 2010-11...played for Cuba in the 2009 World Baseball Classic and hit .458 with two home runs and five RBI in six games...led Cuba's Series Nacional in runs scored in 2006-07 (79) and 2005-06 (89).

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#### **2011 HIGHLIGHTS**

Played for Aguilas Cibaenas during the Dominican Winter League playoffs and batted .143 with one double, one home run and two RBI in nine games... did not walk and struck out 10 times.

#### CAREER

**2010-11**—Led Cuba's Serie Nacional in runs (89) and RBI (99), tied for the lead in home runs (33), ranked fifth in slugging (.667) and tied for 10th in hits (118)...the 33 home runs are a league record...named to the All-Star Game but did not appear in the game...hit .368 against left-handed pitching compared to .325 against right-handers...22 of his 33 home runs came with runners on base...including three grand slams...hit three home runs Dec. 15 against Guantanamo...also had three two-homer games...tallied 10 outfield assists... batted .222 with two home runs and eight RBI in 13 postseason games.

2009-10-Played for Cuba in the 2009 World Baseball Classic and hit .458

with two home runs and five RBI in six games...added a double and three triples and scored five runs... was also a member of Cuba's World Cup team and hit .214 with a home run and three RBI in 10 games... in Cuba, ranked third in the league in runs (87), eighth in home runs (22), ninth in slugging (.617) and 10th in hits (118)...batted .316 with eight home runs in 79 at bats against left-handed pitching compared to .354 with 14 home runs in 263 at bats against right-handers...had a pair of two-homer games...connected for a grand slam Nov. 29 against Cienfuegos...had 10 assists as an outfielder...also appeared in two games at shortstop.

**2008-09**—Tied for third in Cuba's Serie Nacional in home runs (24), tied for fourth in runs (83), ranked ninth in RBI (76) and 10th in slugging (.601)...hit .358 against left-handed pitching compared to .314 against right-handers...hit three home runs Feb. 5 against Guantanamo...also had two two-homer games...collected 11 assists as an outfielder.

**2007-08**—Ranked second in Cuba's Serie Nacional in home runs (26), tied for third in RBI (78) and tied for fourth in runs (82)...went 0 for 3 in the All-Star Game...hit .306 against left-handed pitching compared to .279 against right-handers...16 of his 26 home runs came with runners on base...including two grand slams...had four two-homer games...tallied 14 outfield assists.

**2006-07**—Ranked first in Cuba's Serie Nacional in runs (79), tied for third in home runs (17), tied for fourth in stolen bases (15) and RBI (66), fifth in doubles (24), tied for fifth in hit by pitches (14) and sixth in slugging (.541)...went 3 for 4 with a RBI in the All-Star Game to help Orientales to a 2-0 win over Occidentales...hit .359 with five home runs in 78 at bats against left-handed pitching compared to .286 with 12 home runs in 262 at bats against right-handers...had 13 assists in 78 games as an outfielder... also appeared in one game at shortstop.

**2005-06**—Ranked first in Cuba's Serie Nacional in runs (89), second in home runs (23), fourth in slugging (.649), fifth in RBI (78), tied for sixth in hits (119), tied for seventh in doubles (24)...went 0 for 2 in the All-Star Game...hit .417 against left-handed pitching compared to .333 against right-handers... connected for two two-homer games...belted a grand slam April 22 against Holguin...had eight outfield assists...hit .167 with a home run and four RBI in nine postseason games.

#### PERSONAL/MISCELLANEOUS

Yoenis Céspedes Milanés...his mother, Estela, pitched for Cuba in the 2000 Summer Olympics.

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Year	Club	AVG.	G	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HP	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP	Е
2003	Granma (Cuba)							(	Statis	tics no	ot avai	lable)								
2004	Granma (Cuba)							(	Statis	tics no	ot avai	lable)								
2005	Granma (Cuba)	.351	88	339	89	119	24	4	23	78	0	2	13	44	53	8	3	.649	.442	10
2006	Granma (Cuba)	.303	89	340	79	103	24	3	17	66	1	3	14	42	53	15	10	.541	.409	4
2007	Granma (Cuba)	.284	89	366	82	104	16	2	26	78	0	3	2	32	50	4	4	.552	.342	9
2008	Granma (Cuba)	.323	85	328	83	106	19	0	24	76	0	6	10	43	40	15	0	.601	.411	6
2009	Granma (Cuba)	.345	87	342	87	118	19	4	22	67	0	1	7	42	45	5	3	.617	.426	4
2010	Granma (Cuba)	.333	90	354	89	118	17	1	33	99	0	3	7	49	40	11	3	.667	.424	5

## CAREER TRANSACTIONS 2012 — Signed by the Oakland Athletics organization as a non-drafted free agent, March 3.

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Year	Club	AVG.	G	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HP	BB	SO	SB	cs	SLG	OBP	Е
2009	Cuba	.458	6	24	5	11	1	3	2	5	0	0	1	1	4	0	1	.412	.316	1

PLAYERS Bert Campaneris Jose Canseco Ozzie Canseco Tito Fuentes Orlando Gonzalez George Lauzerique Marty Martinez Ariel Prieto Diego Segui Jose Tartabull

**OAKLAND A'S** 

**CUBAN-BORN** 

## **BRANDON INGE**

#### INFIELDER

Height/Weight: 5-11 / 188Bats/Throws: Right / RightBirthdate: May 19, 1977Opening Day Age: 34Birthplace/Resides: Lynchburg, Virginia / Saline, MichiganMajor League Service: 10 years, 95 daysObtained: Signed as a free agent, April 30, 2012Contract Status: Second year of a two-year contract through 2012.

#### **CAREER HIGHLIGHTS**

Began his 12th seasons at Major League with Detroit in 2012 before he was released...was in the final year of a two-year contract, plus a club option for 2013...agreed to terms Oct. 21, 2010...selected to the American League's All-Star squad with the Tigers in 2009...won the All-Star Game Final Vote, establishing an AL record with 11.8 million votes...played five different positions during his career with the Tigers: catcher (376 games), third base (997 games), left field (10 games), center field (33 games) and right field (two games)...is third all-time in Tigers history with 997 games played at third base... holds the Tigers single-season record for third basemen with 42 double plays in 2005 and 398 assists in 2006...leads American League third basemen with 1,892 assists since the start of the 2005 season, while he is second with 2,725 total chances and 731 putouts...selected to participate in the Futures Game held prior to Major League Baseball's All-Star Game in 2000.

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#### **2011 HIGHLIGHTS**

Completed his 11th season with Detroit in 2011...saw action in 102 games, marking the fewest games he has played with the club since appearing in 95 games during the 2002 season...saw action in 99 games at third base during the season, passing Tom Brookens (979) to move into third place in Tigers history with 997 games played at third base...was sidelined from June 2-22 with mononucleosis... joined Triple-A Toledo for an injury rehabilitation assignment on June 16...hit .250 with two home runs in seven games with the Mud Hens...was designated for assignment by the Tigers July 21 and had his contract outrighted to Toledo July 26...hit .361 with four doubles, four home runs and 16 RBI over a 16-game stretch with Toledo July 26-Aug. 12...returned to Detroit for the remainder of the season after his contract was selected from Toledo Aug. 20...collected a season-high three hits Sept. 4 against the Chicago White Sox...equaled the high with three hits Sept. 12 at Chicago's U.S. Cellular Field...batted .324 in 21 games during September...hit .245 against left-handed pitchers...batted .170 with righties on the mound...hit .242 in 35 games following the All-Star Break...batted .184 in 67 games prior to the All-Star Break.

#### CAREER

**2010**—Completed his 10th season at the major league level with the Tigers, belting 10-or-more home runs for the seventh consecutive season...led American League third basemen with a .977 fielding percentage...ranked ninth in the AL with 134 strikeouts...tabbed the third-best defensive third baseman in the AL by *Baseball America*...saw action in 144 games at third base during the season...equaled a career high with two home runs April 26 at Texas...compiled a season-high 10-game hitting streak June 3-15, batting .350 (14-for-40)...was sidelined July 20-August 3 with a non-displaced fracture of the fifth metacarpal in his left hand...saw action in one game with Single-A West Michigan Aug. 3 as part of an injury rehabilitation assignment...batted .326 with five doubles, two triples and 10 RBI in 13 games during July...collected the 1,000th hit of his major league career Aug. 24 against Kansas City, a single in the fourth inning off Kyle Davies...became the 29th player in Tigers history to collect 1,000 hits...hit ...288 in 72 games at home...batted .206 in 72 games on the road.

**2009**—Returned to third base for the Tigers and was selected to the American League's all-star squad for the first time in his career...established a career-high with 84 RBI and matched a career-high with 27 home runs...won the All-Star Game Final Vote, establishing an AL record with 11.8 million votes...tied for the AL lead in games (161), ranked second in strikeouts (170) and tied for second in hit by pitches (17)...the hit by pitches tied for fifth most in Tigers' history...topped AL third basemen with 444 total

chances and 143 putouts...rated as possessing the best infield arm in the AL by Baseball America... homered in each of the Tigers first three games of the season April 6-8...according to the Elias Sports Bureau, he became the first Tigers player to ever do so...reached base safely in each of his first 24 games of the season April 6-May 3...that marked the longest such streak by a Tigers player to begin a season since Ron LeFlore reached base in 30 straight games to open the 1976 season...connected for his 100th career home run April 12 against Texas, a solo shot in the eighth inning off C.J. Wilson...played in his 1,000th career game April 13 against the Chicago White Sox...tabbed the Tigers Player of the Month for April after hitting .319 with 17 runs scored, three doubles, seven home runs and 18 RBI in 21 games... tied for fourth in the AL in home runs, finished fifth with a .447 on-base percentage and .667 slugging percentage...belted his fourth career grand slam May 15 against Oakland and equaled a career-high with five RBI...belted a game-winning, two-run home run with two outs in the ninth inning June 28 at Houston to lead the Tigers to a 4-3 win...selected the Tigers Player of the Month for June after batting .287 with three doubles, a triple, six home runs and 19 RBI in 28 games...tied for ninth in the AL in RBI during the month...equaled a career high with two home runs July 12 against Cleveland...connected for his fourth career walk-off home run Aug. 14 against Kansas City to lead the Tigers to a 1-0 win... belted his fifth career grand slam Sept. 6 at Tampa Bay...the slam led the Tigers back from a 3-1 deficit to a 5-3 win in the ninth inning...hit .500 (9-for-18) with 24 RBI when batting with the bases loaded... batted .268 with 21 home runs in 86 games prior to the All-Star Break...according to the Elias Sports Bureau, he joined Dean Palmer (22 home runs in 1999) as the only two third basemen in club history to hit 20-or-more home runs prior to the all-star break...hit .186 with six home runs in 75 games following the break...underwent surgery to address the chronic patellar tendinitis in both of his knees that plagued him throughout the season, Nov. 3... the procedure was performed by Dr. Stephen Lemos at the Detroit Medical Center and involved the debridement and repair of the patellar tendon in both his left and right knees.

**2008**—Completed his eighth season with the Tigers, showing his versatility as he saw action at four positions: catcher (60 games), third base (51 games), left field (two games) and center field (13 games)... played in 113 games for the Tigers, marking his fewest with the club since he played in 104 games in 2003...did not commit an error in his first 110 games of the season March 31 to Sept. 26...sidelined June 23-July 9 with a pulled oblique...saw action in three games with Toledo during an injury rehab assignment July 7-9, batting .300 with a home run and four RBI...became the Tigers primary catcher following the trade of Ivan Rodriguez to the New York Yankees July 30 as he started behind the plate in 33 of the club's next 42 games before returning to third base...batted .238 with eight home runs in 60 games at Comerica Park...hit .169 with three home runs in 53 games on the road...ranked second among American League catchers with 11 passed balls.

**2007**—Completed his third full season as Detroit's primary third baseman...led American League third basemen with 434 total chances and 325 assists, while he tied for the lead with 18 errors...was hit by a pitch 11 times, which tied for ninth most in the league...rank fourth with 150 strikeouts...rated as possessing the second-best infield arm in the AL by *Baseball America*...swiped a career-high two bases April 14 at Toronto...batted .373 over a 15-game stretch May 6-22, collecting four doubles, four home runs and nine RBI...sustained a small chip fracture of his left great toe after being hit by a pitch May 29 at Tampa Bay...missed five games before returning to action June 5 at Texas...collected a career-high five RBI June 10 against the New York Mets...hit .343 with 15 runs scored, six doubles, three home runs and 19 RBI in 21 games during June...ranked 10th in the AL during the month with a .440 on-base percentage...established a career high with three doubles Aug. 27 versus the New York Yankees...hit safely in a season-high seven straight games Sept. 4-10, batting .435 (10-for-23) with a double, two home run since July 21 against Kansas City, snapping a stretch of 135 at-bats without a home run...hit .333 against left-handed pitchers...ranked 10th in the AL with 4.23 pitches per plate appearance.

**2006**—Established career highs with 83 runs scored and 27 home runs...the home runs were the most by a Tigers third baseman since Dean Palmer hit 38 home runs in 1999...rated as possessing the second-best infield arm and named the third-best defensive third baseman in the American League by *Baseball America*...belted a lead-off home run April 6 at Texas, his fifth career lead-off home run...equaled a career high with two home runs April 14 against Cleveland and June 18 at Chicago's Wrigley Field... tied for ninth in the AL with seven home runs during May and batted .220 with 19 RBI in 28 games

during the month...hit safely in 11-of-12 games July 13-25, batting .439 with four doubles, three home runs and 13 RBI...belted his third career grand slam Sept. 15 against Baltimore, connecting against Sendy Rleal...managed a .221 batting average in 85 games prior to the All-Star Break...batted .290 in 74 games following the break...led AL third basemen with 555 total chances and 398 assists, while he was second with 22 errors and third with 135 putouts...established a franchise record for assists by a third baseman...collected three hits in Game One of the American League Championship Series Oct. 10 at Oakland, matching the club record for hits in a LCS game.

**2005**—Established career highs in at bats (616), hits (161), total bases (258), doubles (31) and triples (9)...ranked fifth in the American League with nine triples and tied for eighth with 160 games played... was second in the league with 140 strikeouts...his 160 games played at third base were the most by a Tigers third baseman since Aurelio Rodriguez played in 160 games during the 1973 season...equaled a career best with a 13-game hitting streak from April 13-28, batting .365 (19-for-52) with 12 runs scored...in 22 games during April. he hit .333 with 17 runs scored and ranked ninth in the AL with a .419 on-base percentage during the month...led off the game May 8 at Angel Stadium of Anaheim with a home run off Jarrod Washburn, his first career lead-off home run...led off the game with a home run three more times during the season: May 31 against Texas (Kenny Rogers), June 18 against San Francisco (Kirk Rueter) and July 18 at Chicago-AL (Orlando Hernandez)...tied for eighth in the AL with 32 hits and 15 walks during May...cleared the center field fence at Comerica Park with a home run June 14 against San Diego...cleared the fence two more times during the season (June 18 against San Francisco and Sept. 26 against the Chicago White Sox) to become the first player to homer three times to center field at Comerica Park...did not play July 26 at Seattle, snapping his 141 consecutive games played streak dating back to Aug. 20, 2004...belted two home runs Sept. 26 against Chicago (AL) to match a career high...matched a career best with four hits against the White Sox Sept. 29...hit .282 in 80 games at Comerica Park...in 80 games on the road, he batted .240...batted .285 with a .371 on-base percentage when hitting in the lead-off spot...the on-base percentage ranked fourth in the AL...led all AL third basemen with 530 total chances, 378 assists and 23 errors, while he was second with 129 putouts...his 530 total chances at third base were the most by a Tigers player since Aurelio Rodriguez posted 536 total chances in 1975...they were the most by a Major League third baseman since Robin Ventura accepted 536 total chances for the Chicago White Sox in 1992...his 378 assists at third base were the most by a Tigers player since Aurelio Rodriguez established the club record with 389 in 1974...participated in 42 double plays at third base, the most in Tigers history.

**2004**—Displayed versatility by seeing action as the catcher (39), at third base (73), in left field (seven), center field (19) and right field (two)...tied for seventh in the American League with seven triples... posted a 10-game hitting streak from April 15 to 24, batting .455 (15-for-33) with eight runs scored and 10 RBI...belted his first career grand slam April 23 against Cleveland's Jason Anderson...added a second grand slam April 27 against Anaheim's Scot Shields...tied for fourth in the league with two grand slams...became the first major leaguer since Kansas City's Roger Maris Aug. 3, 1958 against Washington to triple and hit a grand slam in the same inning after pulling off the feat in the sixth inning in the game against the Indians...collected three outfield assists April 27 versus Anaheim, two from left field and one from center field, to become the first ML outfielder with three assists in a single game since Florida's Mark Kotsay on July 16, 2000 at Baltimore...in 18 games during April, he hit .333 with 15 RBI...did not commit an error in 38 consecutive games from May 1 to June 23, a stretch of 151 total chances at catcher, third base, in left field, center field and right field...hit .372 in June, which ranked fourth in the AL...was scratched from the lineup June 26 against Arizona due to a right hand injury resulting from being hit during a sacrifice bunt attempt June 25 against the Diamondbacks...X-rays revealed a non-displaced fracture of his right index finger and he was placed on the disabled list retroactive to June 26...after being reinstated from the disabled list July 15, he played in 72 of the club's final 75 games...collected a career-best four hits July 26 at Cleveland, a figure he matched at Anaheim Aug. 13...batted .306 in 27 games in August...recorded a career-high 13-game hitting streak Sept. 3-17, batting .365 (19-for-52)...hit .286 in September...batted .327 with lefties on the mound, compared to .258 against right-handed pitchers...hit .284 with runners in scoring position...batted .455 with 18 RBI when hitting with the bases loaded...hit .319 when playing third base, compared to .238 when catching and .257 when playing in the outfield...tied for eighth among AL third basemen with 12 errors.

**2003**—Ranked second among American League catchers with a .996 fielding percentage in his third season with the Tigers...did not commit an error in his first 57 games behind the plate from March 31 to

June 15...established a career-high with two home runs May 7 at Baltimore...optioned to Toledo June 17...hit safely in 15 of his 16 games with the Mud Hens from July 2 to 21, batting .339 with five doubles, three home runs and seven RBI...recalled from Toledo Aug. 6 and hit safely in his first 12 games back with the Tigers from Aug. 7-19...batted .404 (19-for-47) with six doubles, a home run and eight RBI during the streak...hit .325 with six doubles, a triple, three home runs and 14 RBI in 22 games during August...ranked fourth among AL catchers by throwing out 30.0 percent of base runners attempting to steal (30-of-100)...topped all AL catchers with 11 double plays.

**2002**—Began the season with Toledo before becoming the Tigers regular catcher following his recall April 22...started 94 games behind the plate for the Tigers...named the best defensive catcher in the International League by *Baseball America*...belted his first major league home run April 28 against Minnesota, a solo shot off Brad Radke in the fourth inning...was on the disabled list from May 12-26 with a dislocated left shoulder...hit .308 with two doubles, two triples, a home run and nine RBI in eight games during an injury rehab assignment with Toledo, May 17-25...ranked second among American League catchers with a .998 fielding percentage and tied for third with 10 passed balls...underwent arthroscopic surgery to repair his left shoulder Oct. 9, a procedure performed by Dr. Kyle Anderson in Detroit.

**2001**—Made the Tigers Opening Day roster out of Spring Training, seeing his first major league action...made his ML debut April 3 against Minnesota, starting behind the plate for the Tigers...was the first rookie to start behind the plate for the Tigers on Opening Day since John Sullivan on April 12, 1965 at Kansas City...doubled in the third inning off Jim Parque April 6 at Chicago (AL) for his first ML hit...dislocated his left shoulder sliding head-first into home plate June 24 against Minnesota...was on the disabled list from June 25 to Aug. 6 with the dislocated left shoulder...was assigned to the Gulf Coast League Tigers as part of an injury rehab assignment July 25...saw action in three games before his injury rehab assignment was transferred to West Michigan July 29...transferred to Toledo Aug. 2 and was reinstated from the DL and optioned to Toledo Aug. 6...compiled a 12-game hitting streak from Aug. 5-17 with the Mud Hens, batting .405 (17-for-42) with seven doubles, two home runs and 10 RBI...recalled by the Tigers Sept. 1...threw out 42.3 percent of base runners attempting to steal (22-of-52) with the Tigers...rank fourth among American League catchers with 10 passed balls...played for Escogido in the Dominican Winter League following the season...batted .259 with two doubles, a triple and three RBI in 17 games.

**2000**—Opened the season with Double A Jacksonville before being promoted to Toledo in July...appeared in 133 games between the two levels...selected to the Southern League's Midseason and Postseason All-Star squads...participated in the Futures Game at Turner Field in Atlanta prior to the Major League Baseball All-Star Game...named the best defensive catcher in the Southern League by *Baseball America*...led league catchers with a .990 fielding percentage...posted a season-high eight-game hitting streak from April 15 to 24, batting .500 (16-for-32) with five runs, five doubles, a triple, two home runs and 16 RBI...collected an RBI in 10 consecutive games from April 15-26, totaling 19 RBI...drove in a season-high five runs, belting a grand slam, against Birmingham April 21...earned Southern League Player of the Week honors for April 21-27...named the Tigers Minor League Player of the Month for April, hitting .353 (with 14 runs, 11 doubles, a triple, two home runs and 24 RBI in 22 games...finished with a season-high four hits and matched a season high with five RBI against Carolina May 5...named the top prospect and best defensive catcher in the Tigers organization following the season by *Baseball America*...hit .293 with 15 runs, four doubles, three home runs, 10 RBI and three stolen bases for the Scottsdale Scorpions in the Arizona Fall League following the season...named to the Arizona Fall League's All-Prospect team.

**1999**—Spent his second year in professional baseball with West Michigan, making 95 starts behind the plate after being converted from a shortstop to catcher in 1998...collected a season-high four hits May 23 at Clinton...compiled a 12-game hitting streak from June 10-26, tying for the team's longest streak in 1999...batted .350 (14-for-40) during that stretch with eight doubles, two home runs and 12 RBI...drilled a grand slam July 14 against South Bend, collecting a season-high four RBI...led Midwest League catchers with 114 assists...posted a .990 fielding percentage, committing eight errors... named Most Valuable Player of the California Fall League after batting .407 with 35 runs scored, seven doubles, four triples, eight home runs and 28 RBI for Lancaster following the season...led the league with a .407 batting average, while he tied for the league lead with four triples.

**1998**—Made his professional debut with Single-A Jamestown as he was converted from a shortstop to catcher...led the Jammers in doubles (10), home runs (8) and RBI (29)...finished third on the team with 44 hits.

#### PERSONAL/MISCELLANEOUS

Charles Brandon Inge was originally signed by Tigers scout Rob Guzik...he and his wife Shani have two sons: Tyler Mason (10/6/04) and Samuel Chase (8/9/07)...attended Virginia Commonwealth University...was a three-time All-Colonial Athletic Conference selection, earning honors as a shortstop as a sophomore and a relief pitcher in all three seasons...was a Second-Team All-America selection by *Baseball America* in 1998...batted .335 with 28 home runs and 144 RBI over his three-year career at VCU...inducted into the Virginia Commonwealth University Athletics Hall of Fame on December 11, 2004...had his high school jersey uniform number seven retired by Brookville High School in Lynchburg, VA in 2006...with Detroit, he participated in Tigers Dreams Come True and the Detroit Tigers Autographed Memorabilia Donation Program, Autographs for a Cause (donated funds to C.S. Mott Children's Hospital), served as a judge for the Comerica Bank Grand Slam Grant program providing a \$10,000 grant to support a Michigan high school and baseball/softball program and participated in the Tigers Winter Caravan.

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Year	Club	AVG.	G	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HP	BB	SO	SB	cs	SLG	OBP	Е
1998	Jamestown	.230	51	191	24	44	10	1	8	29	0	1	6	17	53	8	8	.419	.312	6
1999	West Michigan	.244	100	352	54	86	25	2	9	46	2	6	3	39	87	15	3	.403	.320	8
2000	Jacksonville	.258	78	298	39	77	25	1	6	53	1	5	0	26	73	10	3	.409	.313	5
	Toledo	.221	55	190	24	42	9	3	5	20	1	1	1	15	51	2	1	.379	.280	3
2001	GCL Tigers	.100	3	10	1	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	.400	.250	0
	West Michigan	.188	4	16	3	3	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	2	5	0	0	.350	.316	0
	Toledo	.289	27	90	11	26	11	1	2	15	1	3	1	7	24	1	0	.500	.337	2
	DETROIT	.180	79	189	13	34	11	0	0	15	2	2	0	9	41	1	4	.238	.215	4
2002	Toledo	.262	21	65	10	17	2	4	3	13	2	1	2	11	16	1	3	.554	.380	4
	DETROIT	.202	95	321	27	65	15	3	7	24	1	1	4	24	101	1	3	.333	.266	1
2003	Toledo	.275	39	142	15	39	9	0	5	15	1	0	0	11	23	3	1	.444	.327	0
	DETROIT	.203	104	330	32	67	15	3	8	30	4	3	5	24	79	4	4	.339	.265	2
2004	DETROIT	.287	131	408	43	117	15	7	13	64	8	6	4	32	72	5	4	.453	.340	16
2005	DETROIT	.261	160	616	75	161	31	9	16	72	6	6	3	63	140	7	6	.419	.330	23
2006	DETROIT	.253	159	542	83	137	29	2	27	83	4	5	7	43	128	7	4	.463	.313	22
2007	DETROIT	.236	151	508	64	120	25	2	14	71	7	4	11	47	150	9	2	.376	.312	18
2008	Toledo	.300	3	10	2	3	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	.600	.417	0
	DETROIT	.205	113	347	41	71	16	4	11	51	5	4	8	43	94	4	3	.369	.303	1
2009	DETROIT	.230	161	562	71	129	16	1	27	84	1	3	17	54	170	2	5	.406	.314	20
2010	West Michigan	.400	1	5	0	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	.800	.400	0
	DETROIT	.247	144	514	47	127	28	5	13	70	0	7	5	54	134	4	3	.397	.321	9
2011	Toledo	.287	29	108	18	31	4	0	7	19	0	0	1	17	30	0	0	.519	.389	1
	DETROIT	.197	102	269	29	53	10	2	3	23	5	3	2	24	74	1	1	.283	.265	9
ML To	otals	.235	1399	4606	525	1081	211	38	139	587	43	44	66	417	1183	45	39	.388	.305	125

#### **CAREER TRANSACTIONS**

**1998** — Selected by the Detroit Tigers organization in the 2nd round of the June Draft. **2001** — On disabled list, June 25 to August 5; included rehabilitation assignments to GCL Tigers, July 25 to 28, West Michigan, July 29 to August 1, and Toledo, August 2 to 5. **2002** — On disabled list, May 12 to 26; included rehabilitation assignment to Toledo, May 17 to 26. **2004** — On disabled list, June 26 to July 14. **2008** — On disabled list, June 23 to July 9; included rehabilitation assignment to Toledo, July 7 to 9. **2010** — On disabled list, July 20 to August 3; included rehabilitation assignment to West Michigan, August 3. **2011** — On disabled list, June 2 to 22; included rehabilitation assignment to Toledo, June 16 to 22. **2012** — On disabled list, March 30 to April 13; included rehabilitation assignment to Toledo, April 10 to 12. Released, April 26; signed by the Oakland Athletics, April 30.

				D	IVIS	ION	SE	RIE	S RI	ECO	RD								
Year Club/Opp.	AVG.	G	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HP	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP	Е
2006 DET vs. NYY	.133	4	15	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	.133	.133	0
2011 DET vs. NYY	.429	4	7	3	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.571	.500	0
Totals	.227	8	22	4	5	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	6	0	0	.273	.261	0

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Year	Club/Opp.	AVG	G	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HB	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP	Е
2006	DET vs. OAK	.333	4	12	3	4	1	0	1	3	0	1	0	3	3	0	0	.667	.438	0
2011	DET vs. TEX	.267	6	15	3	4	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	3	3	0	0	.467	.389	0
Totals	5	.296	10	27	6	8	1	0	2	4	1	1	0	6	6	0	0	.556	.412	0

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Year Club/Opp.	AVG	G	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HB	BB	SO	SB	cs	SLG	OBP	Е
2006 DET vs. STL	.353	5	17	0	6	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	6	0	0	.471	.389	3
Totals	.353	5	17	0	6	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	6	0	0	.471	.389	3

				Α	LL-	STA	R G	AM	E RE	ECO	RD								
Year Club/Site	AVG	G	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HB	BB	SO	SB	cs	SLG	OBP	Е
2009 AL/STL	.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	0
Totals	.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	0

#### **VS. THE AMERICAN LEAGUE** 2011 CAREER AVG. AB H HR RBI vs. TEAM AVG. AB H HR RBI .167 12 2 0 0 Baltimore .241 228 55 9 35 .214 14 3 0 0 Boston .216 218 47 4 26 .379 29 11 0 3 Chicago .236 534 126 14 53 .255 518 132 20 77 .190 21 4 1 2 Cleveland 0 0 0 0 Detroit - 0 0 0 0 \_ .063 32 2 0 0 Kansas City .239 536 128 15 65 .000 7 .245 273 67 9 38 0 0 0 Los Angeles 27 8 1 3 Minnesota .209 521 109 12 49 .296 .227 22 5 0 2 New York .213 197 42 2 15 .053 19 1 0 2 Oakland .208 236 49 5 28 .235 17 4 0 2 Seattle .244 225 55 6 39 .125 8 1 0 0 Tampa Bay .209 191 40 3 23 .222 9 2 1 2 Texas .281 249 70 11 41 .286 14 4 0 2 Toronto .222 194 43 8 29

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2011					CAREER					
AVG.	AB	H	HRF	RBI	vs. TEAM	AVG.	AB	Н	HR	RBI
.167	12	2	0	2	Arizona	.217	60	13	1	6
_	0	0	0	0	Atlanta	.226	31	7	1	4
_	0	0	0	0	Chicago	.273	22	6	3	4
_	0	0	0	0	Cincinnati	.000	10	0	0	0
_	0	0	0	0	Colorado	.214	28	6	1	4
_	0	0	0	0	Florida	.231	13	3	1	2
_	0	0	0	0	Houston	.429	21	9	1	4
_	0	0	0	0	Los Angeles	.108	37	4	1	1
_	0	0	0	0	Milwaukee	.257	35	9	2	7
.000	8	0	0	0	New York	.273	33	9	1	6
_	0	0	0	0	Philadelphia	.273	22	6	1	1
.250	8	2	0	0	Pittsburgh	.259	54	14	2	6
_	0	0	0	0	San Diego	.167	24	4	1	3
.200	10	2	0	3	San Francisco	.290	31	9	2	8
_	0	0	0	0	St. Louis	.333	33	11	3	7
-	0			Washington	.250	32	8	0	6	

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2011					CAREER					
AVG.	AB	Н	HR F	RBI	by MONTH	AVG.	AB	Н	HR	RBI
.500	4	2	0	1	March	.400	10	4	0	1
.198	81	16	1	7	April	.250	720	180	28	108
.219	73	16	0	4	May	.228	829	189	28	97
.087	23	2	0	2	June	.264	689	182	26	98
.059	34	2	0	3	July	.224	625	140	15	79
.200	20	4	1	2	August	.231	814	188	17	96
.324	34	11	1	4	September	.218	852	186	21	101
—	0	0	0	0	October	.179	67	12	4	7

			B	ATT	ING BREAK	DO/	NN			
2011					CAREER					
AVG.	AB	Н	HR	RBI	by CATEGORY	AVG.	AB	Н	HR	RBI
.201	139	28	3	17	Home	.248	2286	566	76	332
.192	130	25	0	6	Road	.222	2320	515	63	255
.227	110	25	2	13	Day	.229	1609	368	53	199
.176	159	28	1	10	Night	.238	2997	713	86	388
.184	207	38	1	17	Pre-ASG	.242	2467	597	86	330
.242	62	15	2	6	Post-ASG	.226	2139	484	53	257
.245	98	24	3	6	vs. LHP	.265	1240	329	50	168
.170	171	29	0	17	vs. RHP	.223	3366	752	89	419
.137	73	10	0	17	RISP	.237	1153	273	27	415
.250	8	2	0	4	Bases Loaded	.325	117	38	5	109
.500	2	1	0	1	Pinch Hitter	.400	10	4	0	2
-	0	0	0	0	Designated Hitte	r .600	5	3	0	1

BALLPAR	K BR	EAKI	DOW	/N	
	AVG.	AB	н	HR	RBI
Angel Stadium	.265	155	41	4	20
AT&T Park	.250	8	2	1	2
Busch Stadium	.417	12	5	1	2
Camden Yards	.212	118	25	6	16
Chase Field	.208	24	5	1	3
Citi Field	.375	8	3	0	1
Citizens Bank Park	.267	15	4	1	1
Comerica Park	.248	2286	566	76	332
Coors Field	.273	11	3	0	1
Dodger Stadium	.136	22	3	0	0
Fenway Park	.214	98	21	3	11
Kauffman Stadium	.232	272	63	6	27
Metrodome	.222	203	45	6	18
Miller Park	.083	12	1	0	0
Minute Maid Park	.364	11	4	1	2
O.co Coliseum	.144	125	18	2	10
Original Yankee Stadiu	um .227	66	15	0	2
PETCO Park	.000	4	0	0	0
PNC Park	.133	30	4	1	1
Progressive Field	.241	278	67	6	36
Qualcomm Stadium	.000	8	0	0	0
Rangers Ballpark	.273	128	35	4	20
RFK Stadium	.273	11	3	0	5
Rogers Centre	.184	103	19	7	19
Safeco Field	.198	106	21	1	10
Shea Stadium	.286	7	2	0	0
Sun Life Stadium	.200	10	2	1	1
Target Field	.167	48	8	0	3
Tropicana Field	.216	88	19	1	11
Turner Field	.200	25	5	0	1
U.S. Cellular Field	.222	270	60	7	27
Wrigley Field	.364	11	4	2	2
Yankee Stadium	.242	33	8	1	3

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#### Catcher

YEAR	PCT.	G	PO	Α	Е	тс	DP	PB
2001	.989	79	330	40	4	374	3	10
2002	.998	94	484	46	1	531	3	10
2003	.996	104	500	67	2	569	11	5
2004	.988	39	209	30	3	242	1	4
2008	1.000	60	370	33	0	403	4	11
Totals	.995	376	1893	216	10	2119	22	40

#### Third Base

YEAR	PCT.	G	PO	Α	Е	тс	DP
2004	.935	73	42	131	12	185	12
2005	.957	160	129	378	23	530	42
2006	.960	159	135	398	22	555	34
2007	.959	150	91	325	18	434	25
2008	.992	51	38	80	1	119	14
2009	.955	161	143	281	20	444	41
2010	.977	144	119	267	9	395	24
2011	.964	99	76	163	9	248	12
Totals	.961	997	773	2023	114	2910	204

#### Outfield PCT. G PO A E TC DP

YEAR	PCT.	G	PO	Α	Е	TC	DP
2004	.980	26	43	5	1	49	1
2005	1.000	2	2	0	0	2	0
2008	1.000	13	26	2	0	28	0
Totals	.987	41	71	7	1	79	1

INGE'S CAREER BESTS
Hits: 4 (three times), last: September 29, 2005 vs. Chicago (AL)
Home Runs: 2 (six times), April 26, 2010 at Texas; July 12, 2009 vs. Cleveland; June 18, 2006 at Chicago (NL); April 14, 2006 vs.
Cleveland; September 26, 2005 vs. Chicago (AL); May 7, 2003 at Baltimore
Runs Batted In: 5 (twice), May 15, 2009 vs. Oakland; June 10, 2007 vs. New York (NL)
Stolen Bases: 2, April 14, 2007 at Toronto
Hitting Streak: 13 (twice), last: April 13 to 28, 2005
Hitless Streak (At Bats): 25, August 30 to September 17, 2002
Grand Slams: 5, September 6, 2009 at Tampa Bay (Russ Springer); May 15, 2009 vs. Oakland (Dan Giese); September 15, 2006
vs. Baltimore (Sendy Rleal); April 27, 2004 vs. Anaheim (Scot Shields); April 23, 2004 vs. Cleveland (Jason Anderson)
Pinch-Hit Home Runs: None

#### Inside-The-Park Home Runs: None.

Game Ending Home Runs: 6, September 10, 2011 vs. Minnesota (Glen Perkins); April 13, 2011 vs. Texas (Darren Oliver); August 14, 2009 vs. Kansas City (Roman Colon); July 21, 2007 vs. Kansas City (Joakim Soria); April 29, 2007 vs. Minnesota (Jesse Crain); August 24, 2003 vs. Anaheim (Troy Percival)

Lead Off Home Runs: 5, April 6, 2006 at Texas (R.A. Dickey); July 18, 2005 at Chicago-AL (Orlando Hernandez); June 18, 2005 vs. San Francisco (Kirk Rueter); May 31, 2005 vs. Texas (Kenny Rogers); May 8, 2005 at Los Angeles-AL (Jarrod Washburn).

## 2012 PLAYER HIGHLIGHTS

#### **BRANDON ALLEN**

• Was the A's Opening Day starter at first base March 28 but went for 7 with five strikeouts in three games before he was designated for assignment April 9...was claimed off waivers by the Tampa Bay Rays April 19.

#### **BRETT ANDERSON**

• Was placed on the 60-day disabled list March 13 as he continues his recovery from July 14, 2011 "Tommy John" surgery.

#### DARIC BARTON

• Homered in the fifth inning April 17 at Los Angeles to snap a career-high 76-game homerless streak...it was his first home run since Oct. 1, 2010 against Seattle...the home run also snapped a 72-game homerless streak as a first baseman, which was second longest in Oakland history...the record is 75 by Mike Hegan from July 6, 1971 to Aug. 16, 1973.

#### JERRY BLEVINS

 Had his career-high 10.1-inning scoreless streak dating back to last season snapped April 7 against Seattle when Saunders homered in the sixth inning.

#### DALLAS BRADEN

- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list March 28 as he continues his recovery from left shoulder surgery.
- Was transferred to the 60-day disabled list April 22.

#### YOENIS CÉSPEDES

- Made his Major League debut March 28 against Seattle in Tokyo with a start in center field... doubled off Felix Hernandez to lead off the bottom of the seventh inning for his first ML hit.
- Hit his first ML home run in the seventh inning March 29 against Seattle in Tokyo, a two-run shot off Shawn Kelley.
- Homered in three consecutive games from March 29 to April 7...became the third player since 1918 to homer in three of his first four Major League games (Trent Oeltjen, ARI 2009 and Mike Jacobs, NYM 2005)...is the ninth player with at least three home runs in his first four games (Jacobs had 4)...the previous fastest an Oakland Athletic reached three career home runs was seven games by Kurt Abbott in 1993 and Mitchell Page in 1977.
- Had multiple RBI games in each of those contests...since 1918, he is the first Athletic and ninth Major Leaguer with three multiple RBI games over his first four career games (last: Wladimir Balentien, 2006-07).
- Struck out at least once in each of his first eight games, which is an Oakland record to start a career... the previous mark was six (Chris Carter, 2010; Brooks Conrad, 2008; Travis Buck, 2007)...matched the longest streak by an Athletic since 1918 (Troy Herriage, 1956; Norm Bass, 1961).
- Hit his fourth home run April 18 at Los Angeles in his 12th game...since 1918, that is the fastest a player has reached four career home runs in Athletics history...the previous best was by Brian Lesher, who did it in 14 games in 1996.
- Did not have a putout a April 25 against Chicago, becoming the first A's outfielder without a putout in a game of 14 or more innings since Stan Javier on May 30, 1988 against New York.

#### **BARTOLO COLÓN**

- Was on his 13th career Opening Day roster and is in his 15th season in the majors.
- Made each of his first three starts against Seattle to become the first pitcher in Oakland history to make three consecutive starts against one team in the same season without missing a turn in the rotation.

#### RYAN COOK

• Became the third pitcher in Athletics franchise history to record four strikeouts in an inning April 27 at Baltimore (Blake Stein, 1998; Erik Hiljus, 2001).

#### COCO CRISP

- Was the A's 13th different Opening Day starter in left field in the last 13 years...had 203 career starts in left entering the season, but none since October 2, 2005.
- Committed his first error since April 25, 2011 on April 7 against Seattle, snapping a 116-game errorless streak...that streak was seventh longest by an outfielder in Oakland history.

#### FAUTINO DE LOS SANTOS

- Was on the A's Opening Day roster and compiled a 3.00 ERA in six relief appearances before he was
  optioned to Sacramento, April 25.
- Did not retire a batter over his final three outings before his option (5 h, 2 r, 1 er, 2 bb).

#### JOEY DEVINE

Was placed on the 15-day disabled list March 28 retroactive to March 24...underwent "Tommy John" surgery on his right elbow April 10... Dr. James Andrews performed the surgery in Pensacola, Fla., which included an ulnar collateral ligament reconstruction, an ulnar nerve transposition and a debridement of the flexor tendon...also had "Tommy John" surgery on the same elbow April 21, 2009.

#### JOSH DONALDSON

- Was on the A's Opening Day roster but hit just .094 in nine games before he was optioned to Triple-A Sacramento April 23.
- Made nine starts, all at third base...his Major League experience prior to this season included seven games at catcher and two at first base.

#### **BRIAN FUENTES**

• Recorded his 200th career save May 2 at Boston to become the sixth left-handed reliever in Major League history to reach the 200 plateau (Franco, Wagner, Myers, Righetti, Lyle).

#### **GRAHAM GODFREY**

Godfrey was on the A's Opening Day roster and went 0-3 with a 5.06 ERA in three starts before he
was optioned to Sacramento April 21.

#### JONNY GOMES

- Was hit by a Jonathan Braxton pitch with the bases loaded in the bottom of the 12th inning April 11 against Kansas City to force in the winning run in the A's 5-4 victory...it was his second career walk-off hit by pitch (August 21, 2011 vs. Philadelphia)...it was his fifth career walk-off RBI (two home runs, one walk)...it was the third walk-off hit by pitch in Oakland history (Mike Bordick, August 4, 1993 vs. Seattle and Olmedo Saenz, July 20, 2002 vs. Texas).
- Singled in the eighth inning April 19 at Los Angeles after homering for each of his first three hits for the season...is the first player in Oakland history whose first three hits in a season were all home runs.

#### LUKE HUGHES

• Was claimed off waivers from Minnesota April 22 and went 1 for 13 (.077) in four games with the A's before he was designated for assignment April 30...cleared waivers and was outrighted to Sacramento May 2.

#### **BRANDON INGE**

Agreed to terms with the A's on a one-year contract April 30 after he was released by Detroit April 26.

- Had four four-RBI game over a five-game span from May 6 to 11...according to the Elias Sports Bureau, he is the second player in Major League history with four games of four or more RBI over a five-game stretch...the other is Lou Gehrig in 1931...now has 14 career games with four or more RBI...drove in 16 runs over that five-game stretch...since 1970, the only other Athletic to drive in 16 runs over a five-game span is Damian Miller (June 6-11, 2004).
- Had the game-ending grand slam in the bottom of the ninth inning May 8 against Toronto...it was
  his seventh career "walk-off" home run and his 10th "walk-off plate appearance (two singles, one
  sacrifice fly)...it was the sixth "walk-off" grand slam in Oakland history (Tenace, 1973; Armas,
  1980; McGwire, 1990 and 1995; Ellis, 2008).
- Added another grand slam May 10 against Detroit...is just the second player in Athletics history to hit two grand slams over a three-game span...the other is Jimmie Foxx (September 22 and 24, 1932)...now has seven career grand slams.
- Had 17 RBI in his first 10 games with the A's...those are the most in Oakland history by a player in his first 10 games with the A's...the previous best was 15 by Mitchell Page (1977) and Jack Cust (2007).

#### KILA KA'AIHUE

- Matched his career high with three hits April 15 at Seattle (third time, last: Sept. 28, 2010 vs. Minnesota).
- Had the game-winning RBI single in the 14th inning April 25 against Chicago, his second career walk-off hit (home run, April 1, 2011 vs. Los Angeles-AL).

#### **BRANDON MCCARTHY**

- Made his first career Opening Day start March 28 against Seattle and had a no decision in the A's 3-1, 11-inning loss...allowed just one run on six hits and no walks in 7.0 innings.
- Also started the third game of the season, April 6 against Seattle, to become the second pitcher in Oakland history to start two of the A's first three games...the other is Joe Blanton who did it in 2008, the other time the A's opened the season in Japan...also started three of the first seven games, joining Blaton as the only Oakland pitchers to do that since 1977.

#### JIM MILLER

 Picked up his first Major League win April 25 against Chicago...allowed two inherited runners to score in the top of the 14th inning but the A's came back with three in the bottom of the inning.

#### TOMMY MILONE

 Combined with Grant Balfour on a three-hit, 1-0 shutout of Kansas City April 9 in Oakland in his A's debut...tossed 8.0 innings and allowed all three of the hits...became just the second pitcher in Oakland history to toss eight or more shutout innings in his Oakland debut (Mike Norris, complete game shutout, April 10, 1975 against Chicago)...did not strikeout a batter to become the third pitcher in Oakland history to toss at least 8.0 shutout innings and not strikeout a batter (Matt Keough, July 27, 1980 against Detroit; Catfish Hunter, May 25, 1973 against Detroit).

#### JORDAN NORBERTO

• Retired the final two batters May 1 at Boston for his first Major League save...he saved Jarrod Parker's first ML win, marking the first time A's pitchers recorded their first win and save in the same game since Joe Klink saved Steve Chitren's victory Sept. 30, 1990 at Texas.

#### JOSH REDDICK

- Was the A's fifth different Opening Day starter in right field in the last five years.
- Had career highs May 11 against Detroit with four runs, four hits (tied), two home runs and five RBI...is the eighth player in Oakland history with at least four runs, four hits, two home runs and five RBI in a game...the last was Matt Holliday (July 20, 2009 vs. Minnesota).

#### ADAM ROSALES

Was on the A's Opening Day roster and appeared in one game against Seattle in Japan before he was
optioned to Sacramento April 2.

#### SCOTT SIZEMORE

 Was placed on the 60-day disabled list March 3 after tearing the anterior cruciate ligament in his left knee in the team's first full-squad workout Feb. 27 in Phoenix...underwent successful reconstructive surgery March 21...the surgery was performed by Dr. Douglas Freedberg of the Arizona Sports Medicine Center of Scottsdale...will miss the entire 2012 season.

#### SETH SMITH

- Was the A's eight different Opening Day starter at designated hitter in the last eight years.
- Hit his first home run of the season April 22 against Cleveland, a two-run shot off Masterson in the fourth inning, to snap a career-high 45-game homerless streak...his previous high was 35 (June 22-July 31, 2011)...it was his first home run since Aug. 23, 2011 against Houston.
- Went 0 for 4 with four strikeouts April 30 at Boston, the first four-strikeout game of his career.

#### ERIC SOGARD

· Had a career-high three RBI, April 15 at Seattle.

#### KURT SUZUKI

- Made his fifth consecutive Opening Day start at catcher...the five starts are second most by a catcher in Oakland history...only Terry Steinbach, with nine, has more.
- Made his 598th career appearance at catcher April 7 against Seattle, which moves him past Ossee Schreckengost for fifth most in Athletics history.
- Had five assists April 25 against Chicago, the third time in Oakland history a catcher had five or more assists in a game (6, Jim Essian vs. Texas on Sept. 19, 1979; 5, Jeff Newman vs. Toronto on Aug. 13, 1979).

#### **RICH THOMPSON**

- Was claimed off waivers from the Los Angeles Angels April 20 and appeared in one game for the A's before he was designated for assignment April 25...faced Chicago on April 23 (0.2 ip, 1 h).
- Cleared waivers and was outrighted to Sacramento April 27.

#### NEIL WAGNER

• Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento April 17 but did not appear in a game before he was optioned back to Sacramento April 20.

#### JEMILE WEEKS

 Played in the 100th game of his career April 6 against Seattle and collected 126 hits over that span... since 1918, the only player in Athletics history with more hits over the first 100 games of his career is Wally Moses, who had 134 hits in his first 100 games with the Philadelphia A's in 1935-36...the previous Oakland record was 122 by Ben Grieve.

## FINAL SPRING TRAINING STATISTICS

#### BATTING

NAME	BA		OBP	G	AB	R	Н	ΤВ	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF H	IBP	BB	IBB	SO	SB	cs	GDP	Е
Allen	.314	.571	.366	14	35	7	11	20	3	0	2	14	0	2	2	2	0	5	0	0	0	1
Barfield	_	—	_	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Barton	.176	.235	.364	7	17	4	3	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	4	0	0	2	0
Cabrera	1.000	4.000	1.000	1	1	1	1	4	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carter	.217	.304	.321	12	23	4	5	7	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	4	0	10	0	0	0	0
Cespedes	.229	.429	.308	11	35	3	8	15	4	0	1	2	0	0	0	4	0	12	0	0	1	0
Choice	.286	.286	.286	5	7	0	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0
Coleman	.000	.000	.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Cowgill	.396	.563	.455	20	48	7	19	27	4	2	0	9	0	1	1	5	0	9	4	2	0	0
Crisp	.263	.368	.333	13	38	4	10	14	0	2	0	4	0	0	0	4	0	6	0	0	1	0
Crumbliss	1.000	1.000	1.000	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Donaldson	.270	.413	.319	20	63	6	17	26	3	0	2	10	0	1	0	5	0	16	2	0	2	4
Fiorentino	.333	.444	.571	12	9	5	3	4	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	0
Gomes	.250	.625	.467	17	32	11	8	20	3	0	3	4	0	0	2	11	0	8	1	0	0	0
Green	.250	.625	.222	9	8	1	2	5	0	0	1	3	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0
Horton	.308	.462	.357	11	13	2	4	6	2	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	1
Hunter, C.	.429	.857	.500	8	7	3	3	6	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0
Ka'aihue	.250	.575	.311	17	40	8	10	23	4	0	3	6	0	1	0	4	0	9	0	0	1	1
Ladendorf	.250	.250	.250	4	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Moss	.500	.773	.522	13	22	4	11	17	3	0	1	7	0	0	0	1	0	6	0	0	0	0
Norris	.250	.500	.250	10	16	1	4	8	1	0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
Ortiz	1.000	2.000	1.000	3	1	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Parker, S.	.000	.000	.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pennington	.385	.487	.467	14	39	7	15	19	4	0	0	3	0	0	0	6	0	3	1	0	0	5
Powell	.333	.500	.333	3	6	0	2	3	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Pridie	.143	.286	.333	4	7	2	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Ramirez	.167	.556	.250	7	18	4	3	10	1	0	2	3	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	2	0
Recker	.265	.412	.297	14	34	4	9	14	2	0	1	4	0	1	0	2	0	10	0	0	1	0
Reddick	.304	.587	.333	15	46	10	14	27	2	1	3	12	0	0	0	2	0	12	1	1	2	0
Rosales	.167	.222	.261	12	18	3	3	4	1	0	0	2	1	2	0	3	0	4	0	2	0	1
Smith	.244	.366	.326	16	41	4	10	15	3	1	0	5	0	0	0	5	0	8	0	0	5	0
Sogard	.296	.519	.361	21	54	14	16	28	3	0	3	9	0	1	0	6	0	6	2	1	1	2
Spina	.000	.000	.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stassi	.000	.000	.000	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Suzuki	.243	.378	.349	15	37	7	9	14	2	0	1	3	0	0	0	6	0	5	0	0	0	1
Taylor	.200	.200	.292	12	20	3	4	4	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	0	6	0	1	0	1
Timmons	.270	.297	.364	20	37	6	10	11	1	0	0	5	0	1	1	5	0	4	1	0	2	1
Weeks	.339	.554	.345	16	56	8	19	31	3	0	3	10	0	1	0	1	0	9	2	1	0	3
TEAM	.284	.468	.356	24	842	145		394	56	6		134	1	14	8	94	0	176	16	8	21	23
OPPONENT	5 .250	.387	.323	24	811	117	203	314	34	4	23	111	3	7	5	86	0	161	27	11	20	25

#### PITCHING

NAME	w	L	ERA	G	GS	CGS	но	sv	INN	Н	R	ER	HR	SH	SFH	IBP	BB	IBB	so	WP	BK	BA
Balfour	0	0	6.75	7	0	0	0	0	6.2	9	5	5	3	0	0	0	4	0	6	0	0	.346
Banwart	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	1	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.333
Barham	0	0	0.00	2	0	0	0	0	1.1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	.200
Blevins	1	0	3.86	8	0	0	0	0	7.0	4	3	3	2	0	0	0	1	0	6	0	0	.167
Bowman	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.000
Carignan	0	0	2.16	7	0	0	0	0	8.1	8	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	.258
Castro	1	0	3.00	2	0	0	0	0	3.0	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	.333
Colon	1	0	5.40	2	2	0	0	0	6.2	7	4	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	.250
Cook	0	0	3.38	7	0	0	0	0	8.0	2	3	3	1	0	0	0	3	0	6	1	0	.077
De Los Santos	0	1	4.32	9	0	0	0	1	8.1	6	6	4	1	1	0	1	5	0	5	5	0	.194
Devine	0	0	13.50	3	0	0	0	0	2.2	2	4	4	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	1	0	.200
Doolittle	0	0	0.00	2	0	0	0	0	1.1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	.200
Figueroa	1	0	0.00	7	0	0	0	0	7.0	4	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	5	0	0	.167
Fuentes	0	0	6.43	7	0	0	0	0	7.0	6	5	5	2	0	0	0	4	0	5	0	0	.231
Godfrey	1	2	5.09	6	4	0	0	0	17.2	19	10	10	2	0	0	0	6	0	13	1	0	.268
Gonzalez	0	0	15.00	2	0	0	0	0	3.0	6	5	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	.429
Gray	0	0	5.40	2	0	0	0	0	3.1	3	3	2	0	0	1	0	4	0	1	0	0	.273
Hernandez	0	0	27.00	1	0	0	0	0	0.1	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.667
Hunter, B.	0	0	0.00	2	0	0	0	0	2.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.143
McCarthy	0	0	4.63	3	3	0	0	0	11.2	13	9	6	0	1	2	0	4	0	6	0	0	.283
Miller	0	0	4.91	4	0	0	0	0	3.2	3	3	2	0	0	0	0	5	0	5	1	0	.200
Milone	2	1	4.91	5	4	0	0	0	14.2	13	9	8	3	0	1	0	1	0	12	0	0	.232
Norberto	1	0	3.38	10	0	0	0	0	10.2	11	5	4	1	0	1	0	4	0	12	1	0	.256
Parker, J.	2	1	3.27	4	3	0	0	0	11.0	6	4	4	0	0	0	1	13	0	9	1	-	.162
Peacock	0	1	12.86	3	2	0	0	0	7.0	12	11	10	0	0	1	0	4	0	4	2	0	.375
Ross	2	1	1.80	5	5	0	0	0	15.0	15	4	3	0	0	0	0	7	0	10	0	0	.263
Schlichting	2	0	5.40	6	1	0	0	1	11.2	12	7	7	1	0	0	0	3	0	7	0	0	.261
Scribner	1	0	1.38	8	0	0	0	1	13.0	10	2	2	0	0	0	2	3	0	10	0	0	.213
Souza	0	0	4.50	3	0	0	0	1	2.0	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	.375
Thornton	0	0	0.00	2	0	0	0	0	2.0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	.250
Threets	0	0	1.17	7	0	0	0	1	7.2	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	8	2	0	.231
Treinen	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.000
Wagner	0	0	13.50	5	0	0	0	1	5.1	11	8	8	2	0	1	0	2	0	4	0		.458
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TEAM	15	7	4.44	24	24	0	1		213.0	203	117	105	23	3	7	5	86	0	161	16		.250
OPPONENTS	7	15	4.99	24	24	0	0	3	211.0	239	145	117	29	1	14	8	94	0	176	15	4	.284

## **APRIL STATISTICS**

																			GI			
PLAYER	AVG	G	AB	R	н	тв	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HP	BB	IBB	so	SB	cs	DP	Е	SLG	OBP
Allen,B	.000	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	.000	.000
Barton,D	.184	18	49	3	9	16	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	7	0	11	0	0	1	0	.327	.286
+Cespedes,Y	.250	23	84	8	21	40	4	0	5	19	0	1	3	8	0	24	4	2	3		.476	.333
+Cowgill,C	.000	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	1	0	0	.000	.429
Crisp,C	.206	17	63	5	13	14	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	6	0	9	4	0	1	1	.222	.275
+Donaldson,	.094	9	32	0	3	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	13	1	0	0	3	.094	.094
Gomes,J	.216	13	37	6	8	20	0	0	4	7	0	0	1	7	0	16	1	0	0		.541	.356
Hughes,L	.130	8	23	0	3	3	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	10	1	0	0		.130	.125
OAK	.077	4	13	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0		.077	.077
Inge,B	.130	10	23	2	3	7	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	6	0	0	0	0	.304	.167
OAK	.333	1	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.333	.500
Kaaihue,K	.289 .200	15 23	45 85	4 6	13 17	15 22	2 5	0	0	2 3	0 0	0 0	1	2 4	0 0	4 12	0 3	0 1	1 0	0 2	.333 .259	.333
Pennington	.200	23	85 11	о 2	3	4	5 1	0 0	0 0	3 0	0	0	1	4	0	12	3 0	0	0	2	.259	.244 .429
+Recker,A Reddick,J	.273	23	94	12	26	4 45	7	0	4	9	0	0	1	2	0	3 14	2	0	3	0	.304	.429
Rosales,A	.000	23	94 0	0	20	45	0	0	4	9	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	.479	.299
Smith,S	.000	23	61	8	12	18	0	0	2	5	0	1	2	13	1	15	1	1	0	-	.000	.351
Sogard,E	.157	13	46	5	7	14	1	0	2	6	1	0	0	4	0	8	1	0	0	2	.295	.220
Suzuki,K	.132	22	79	4	18	24	6	0	0	8	0	1	0	1	0	13	0	0	1	1	.304	.235
Weeks,J	.181	23	94	10	17	29	4	1	2	3	0	0	0	10	0	14	4	2	1	4	.309	.260
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Balfour,G	.000	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000
Blevins,J	.000	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000
+Carignan,A	.000	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000
Colon,B	.000	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	.000	.000
+Cook,R	.000	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000
De Los Santos		6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		.000	.000
+Figueroa,P	.000	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000
Fuentes,B	.000	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000
+Godfrey,G	.000	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000
McCarthy,B	.000	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		.000	.000
+Miller,J	.000	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		.000	.000
+Milone,T	.000	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000
Norberto,J	.000	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	.000	.000
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OPPONENT	.245	24	815	92	200	316	50	3	20	88	5	6	4	69	6	135	9	11	22	13	.388	.305
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Balfour,G	0	1	3.46	13	0	0	10	0		13		7	5	5	3	0	4	1	10	0	0	.156
Blevins,J	0	0	1.93	8	0	0	2	0	0	9	.1	9	4	2	2	0	3	1	6	0	0	.290
+Carignan,	1	1	6.23	5	0	0	3	0	0	4	.1	4	3	3	0	0	5	0	3	1	0	.267
Colon,B	3	2	2.53	6	6	0	0	0	0	42	.2	34	12	12	3	0	6	0	26	0	0	.214
+Cook,R	0	0	0.00	9	0	0	0	0		10	.0	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	8	2	0	.034
De Los Santos	0	0	3.00	6	0	0	2	0	0	3	.0	7	2	1	0	0	3	0	3	1	0	.412
+Figueroa,	0	0	0.00	3	0	0	1	0			.0	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	.222
Fuentes,B	1	0	4.15	9	0	0	1	0			.2	9	4	4	1	0	1	0	8	1	0	.250
+Godfrey,G	0	3	5.06	3	3	0	0	0		16		15	11	9	2	2	7	0	7	0	0	.250
McCarthy,	1	3	3.23	6	6	0	0	0		39		45	17	14	3	1	10	1	22	0	0	.292
+Miller,J	1	0	2.08	3	0	0	3	0			.1	3	1	1	1	0	2	1	3	0	0	.200
+Milone,T	3	2	3.69	5	5	0	0	0		31		25	14	13	4	1	7	0	18	0	0	.216
Norberto,	0	0	5.23	8	0	0	1	0		10		9	6	6	1	0	6	2	7	0	0	.243
+Parker,J	0	0	1.42	1	1	0	0	0			.1	7	1	1	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	.304
Ross,T	1	1	6.48	3	3	0	0	0	0	16	.2	22	12	12	0	0	6	0	8	1	0	.333

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