

## A's News Links, Sunday, June 24, 2012

### OAKLAND TRIBUNE

#### **Oakland A's can't overcome early errors in loss to San Francisco Giants**

By Joe Stiglich, Oakland Tribune

[http://www.insidebayarea.com/ci\\_20926922](http://www.insidebayarea.com/ci_20926922)

#### **San Francisco Giants hang on to beat Oakland A's**

By Daniel Brown, San Jose Mercury News

[http://www.insidebayarea.com/ci\\_20926761](http://www.insidebayarea.com/ci_20926761)

#### **Inside the Oakland A's: The A's are staring at two big holes in their rotation**

By Joe Stiglich, Oakland Tribune, 6/23/2012, 10:33pm

<http://www.ibabuzz.com/athletics/2012/06/23/the-as-are-staring-at-two-big-holes-in-their-rotation/>

#### **Inside the Oakland A's: Brandon Hicks called up, Collin Cowgill placed on disabled list**

By Joe Stiglich

Saturday, June 23rd, 2012 at 3:34 pm

<http://www.ibabuzz.com/athletics/2012/06/23/brandon-hicks-called-up-collin-cowgill-placed-on-disabled-list/>

#### **Inside the Oakland A's: Is Brandon McCarthy's start Sunday in jeopardy?**

By Joe Stiglich, Oakland Tribune, 6/23/2012, 3:14pm

<http://www.ibabuzz.com/athletics/2012/06/23/is-brandon-mccarthys-start-sunday-in-jeopardy/>

#### **Returning soldier gives daughter a birthday present for the ages at Oakland A's game**

By Gary Peterson Contra Costa Times Contra Costa Times

[http://www.insidebayarea.com/news/ci\\_20921506/returning-solider-gives-daughter-birthday-present-ages?IADID=Search-www.insidebayarea.com-www.insidebayarea.com](http://www.insidebayarea.com/news/ci_20921506/returning-solider-gives-daughter-birthday-present-ages?IADID=Search-www.insidebayarea.com-www.insidebayarea.com)

### SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE

#### **SF Giants survive A's 9th-inning rally, win 9-8**

#### **BAY BRIDGE SERIES / Giants 9, A's 8**

Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/SF-Giants-survive-A-s-9th-inning-rally-win-9-8-3658324.php>

#### **The Drumbeat: A's rally in ninth before losing 9-8; Griffin to start Sunday**

From Chronicle Staff writer Susan Slusser at the Coliseum

<http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/>

#### **The Drumbeat: Brandon Hicks called up, at shortstop; McCarthy looks iffy for next start**

From Chronicle Staff Writer Susan Slusser at the Coliseum

<http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2012/06/23/brandon-hicks-called-up-at-shortstop-mccarthy-looks-iffy-for-next-start/>

#### **Play It Again**

John Shea, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/shear/article/Play-It-Again-3658303.php>

#### **R.A. Dickey, Matt Cain vie for All-Star start**

John Shea, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://www.sfgate.com/giants/article/R-A-Dickey-Matt-Cain-vie-for-All-Star-start-3658302.php>

### OAKLANDATHLETICS.COM

#### **A's push Giants to limit before losing**

By Jane Lee / MLB.com

[http://athletics.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2012\\_06\\_23\\_sfnmlb\\_oakmlb\\_1&mode=recap\\_home&c\\_id=oak](http://athletics.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2012_06_23_sfnmlb_oakmlb_1&mode=recap_home&c_id=oak)

## **McCarthy frustrated by latest shoulder woes**

Right-hander scratched from start with recurring pain; DL likely

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By Ben Estes / MLB.com

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## **A's to replace McCarthy in start vs. Giants**

By Anthony Odoardi / MLB.com

[http://athletics.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2012\\_06\\_24\\_sfnmlb\\_oakmlb\\_1&mode=preview&vkey=preview\\_web\\_home&c\\_id=oak](http://athletics.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2012_06_24_sfnmlb_oakmlb_1&mode=preview&vkey=preview_web_home&c_id=oak)

**Cowgill goes on DL with sprained ankle**  
**Power-hitting infielder Hicks called up from Triple-A**  
**Anderson resumes mound work in rehab**  
**A's move Colon to DL, bring back Ross**  
**Crisp tossed for arguing called third strike**

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By Jane Lee and Ben Estes / MLB.com

[http://athletics.mlb.com/news/article.jsp?ymd=20120623&content\\_id=33777348&notebook\\_id=33809164&vkey=notebook\\_oak&c\\_id=oak](http://athletics.mlb.com/news/article.jsp?ymd=20120623&content_id=33777348&notebook_id=33809164&vkey=notebook_oak&c_id=oak)

## **SANTA ROSA PRESS DEMOCRAT**

### **Cohn: Belt best of the Brandons**

By LOWELL COHN, THE PRESS DEMOCRAT

<http://www.pressdemocrat.com/article/20120623/SPORTS/120629758/1011/SPORTS03?template=printart>

## **CSNBAYAREA.COM**

### **Giants, A's games captivate**

Ray Ratto, csnbayarea.com

[http://www.csnbayarea.com/pages/print\\_landing?blockID=729648](http://www.csnbayarea.com/pages/print_landing?blockID=729648)

### **A's rally falls short, lose 9-8 to Giants**

Casey Pratt, csnbayarea.com

[http://www.csnbayarea.com/pages/print\\_landing?blockID=729630](http://www.csnbayarea.com/pages/print_landing?blockID=729630)

### **Sources: McCarthy unlikely to start Sunday**

Casey Pratt, csnbayarea.com

[http://www.csnbayarea.com/pages/print\\_landing?blockID=729538](http://www.csnbayarea.com/pages/print_landing?blockID=729538)

### **Hicks not a threat to Pennington... yet**

Casey Pratt, csnbayarea.com

[http://www.csnbayarea.com/pages/print\\_landing?blockID=729502](http://www.csnbayarea.com/pages/print_landing?blockID=729502)

### **Brandon Hicks selected; Cowgill to DL**

Casey Pratt, csnbayarea.com

[http://www.csnbayarea.com/pages/print\\_landing?blockID=729402](http://www.csnbayarea.com/pages/print_landing?blockID=729402)

### **Anderson returns to the mound**

Casey Pratt, csnbayarea.com

[http://www.csnbayarea.com/pages/print\\_landing?blockID=729486&](http://www.csnbayarea.com/pages/print_landing?blockID=729486&)

### **McCarthy headed back to DL, Griffin on the way**

Casey Pratt, csnbayarea.com

[http://www.csnbayarea.com/pages/print\\_landing?blockID=729658](http://www.csnbayarea.com/pages/print_landing?blockID=729658)

## **ASSOCIATED PRESS**

### **Belt drives in three runs, leads Giants past A's**

Associated Press

[http://www.lompocrecord.com/sports/baseball/games/belt-drives-in-three-runs-leads-giants-past-a-s/article\\_29b016aa-9db4-5765-99e1-fb5057f799d5.html](http://www.lompocrecord.com/sports/baseball/games/belt-drives-in-three-runs-leads-giants-past-a-s/article_29b016aa-9db4-5765-99e1-fb5057f799d5.html)

### **VALLEY BAY NEWS**

#### **Oakland Athletics: Colon, Cowgill Placed on DL; Ross, Hicks Called Up**

Scott Semmler, Valley Bay News

<http://www.valleybaynews.com/2012/06/23/oakland-athletics-colon-cowgill-place-on-dl-ross-hicks-called-up/>

#### **Errors To Blame As Oakland A's Lose to San Francisco Giants 9-8**

Scott Semmler, Valley Bay News

<http://www.valleybaynews.com/2012/06/24/errors-to-blame-as-oakland-as-lose-to-san-francisco-giants-9-8/>

### **MINOR LEAGUE NEWS**

#### **SACRAMENTO RIVERCATS**

##### **Aces Fall Behind Early, Lose To 51s, 7-2**

[http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120624&content\\_id=33835398&vkey=news\\_t105&fext=.jsp&sid=t105](http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120624&content_id=33835398&vkey=news_t105&fext=.jsp&sid=t105)

#### **MIDLAND ROCKHOUNDS**

##### **RockHounds continue to flounder against Missions**

Jordan Mason, Midland Reporter Telegram

[http://www.mywesttexas.com/sports/article\\_a861ea0d-6923-529f-b1df-80a88da9f2d6.html?mode=print](http://www.mywesttexas.com/sports/article_a861ea0d-6923-529f-b1df-80a88da9f2d6.html?mode=print)

#### **STOCKTON PORTS**

##### **Nuts Outlast Ports 7-6 In 18 Innings**

[http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120624&content\\_id=33841134&vkey=news\\_t524&fext=.jsp&sid=t524](http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120624&content_id=33841134&vkey=news_t524&fext=.jsp&sid=t524)

#### **BURLINGTON BEES**

##### **Bees' Offense Delivers**

By Daniel Trivinos / Burlington Bees

[http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120623&content\\_id=33829678&vkey=news\\_t420&fext=.jsp&sid=t420](http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120623&content_id=33829678&vkey=news_t420&fext=.jsp&sid=t420)

#### **VERMONT LAKE MONSTERS**

##### **Vermont Beats Lowell 8-7 Saturday**

By Paul Stanfield / Vermont Lake Monsters

[http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120623&content\\_id=33825934&vkey=news\\_t462&fext=.jsp&sid=t462](http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120623&content_id=33825934&vkey=news_t462&fext=.jsp&sid=t462)