

A's News Links, Wednesday, July 25, 2012

**OAKLAND TRIBUNE**

**A's finally lose one: Hanley Ramirez reportedly traded to Dodgers**

Bay Area News Group staff and wire

[http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci\\_21152753/finally-lose-one-hanley-ramirez-reportedly-traded-dodgers](http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci_21152753/finally-lose-one-hanley-ramirez-reportedly-traded-dodgers)

**Red hot Oakland A's blow past Toronto Blue Jays**

By Joe Stiglich, Oakland Tribune

[http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci\\_21150199/red-hot-oakland-blow-past-toronto-blue-jays](http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci_21150199/red-hot-oakland-blow-past-toronto-blue-jays)

**Source: A's talking with Marlins about acquiring Hanley Ramirez**

By Joe Stiglich, Oakland Tribune

[http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci\\_21146774/athletics-marlins-hanley-ramirez-trade-reports-billy-beane](http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci_21146774/athletics-marlins-hanley-ramirez-trade-reports-billy-beane)

**Inside the Oakland A's: If it ain't broke, A's don't want to fix it**

By Joe Stiglich, Oakland Tribune, 7/24/2012, 9:39pm

<http://www.ibabuzz.com/athletics/2012/07/24/if-it-aint-broke-as-dont-want-to-fix-it/>

**Inside the Oakland A's: A's talking trade for Hanley Ramirez**

By Joe Stiglich, Oakland Tribune, 7/24/2012, 6:32pm

<http://www.ibabuzz.com/athletics/2012/07/24/as-talking-trade-for-hanley-ramirez/>

**SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE**

**A's might be in Hanley Ramirez market**

**A's After 6th win in row, deal for 3-time All-Star Hanley could be in works**

Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/A-s-might-be-in-Hanley-Ramirez-market-3732288.php>

**A's have a laugh, for a change**

Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/A-s-have-a-laugh-for-a-change-3732469.php>

**A's success foils San Jose master plan**

Scott Ostler, Chronicle Columnist

<http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/ostler/article/A-s-success-foils-San-Jose-master-plan-3732475.php>

**The Drumbeat: A's beat Jays 7-2, extend winning streak to six**

From Chronicle Staff Writer Susan Slusser at Rogers Centre

<http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2012/07/24/as-beat-jays-7-2-extend-winning-streak-to-six/>

**The Drumbeat: Weeks hits 9th, injury updates and....Hanley Ramirez?**

From Chronicle Staff Writer Susan Slusser at Rogers Centre

<http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2012/07/24/weeks-hits-9th-injury-updates-and-hanley-ramirez/>

**OAKLANDATHLETICS.COM**

**Blackley solid as A's run winning streak to six**

Lefty fans eight as five-run seventh inning ices series opener

By Jane Lee / MLB.com

[http://athletics.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2012\\_07\\_24\\_oakmlb\\_tormlb\\_1&mode=recap&id=oak](http://athletics.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2012_07_24_oakmlb_tormlb_1&mode=recap&id=oak)

**A's, Blue Jays enjoying time on Centre stage**

By Ben Estes / MLB.com

[http://athletics.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2012\\_07\\_25\\_oakmlb\\_tormlb\\_1&mode=preview&vkey=preview\\_web\\_away&c\\_id=oak](http://athletics.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2012_07_25_oakmlb_tormlb_1&mode=preview&vkey=preview_web_away&c_id=oak)

## **Pennington status quo as A's consider options**

### **Shortstop's health could determine whether club seeks addition at Trade Deadline**

By Jane Lee / MLB.com

[http://oakland.athletics.mlb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120724&content\\_id=35483922&notebook\\_id=35493674&vkey=notebook\\_oak&c\\_id=oak](http://oakland.athletics.mlb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120724&content_id=35483922&notebook_id=35493674&vkey=notebook_oak&c_id=oak)

## **Gio trade benefited both Nationals, A's**

By Barry M. Bloom / MLB.com

[http://oakland.athletics.mlb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120724&content\\_id=35520464&vkey=news\\_oak&c\\_id=oak](http://oakland.athletics.mlb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120724&content_id=35520464&vkey=news_oak&c_id=oak)

## **COMCAST SPORTS NET BAY AREA**

### **Pratt's Instant Replay: A's 7, Blue Jays 2**

Casey Pratt, csnbayarea.com

[http://www.csnbayarea.com/pages/print\\_landing?blockID=745743](http://www.csnbayarea.com/pages/print_landing?blockID=745743)

### **A's lineup: Weeks dropped to nine-hole**

Casey Pratt, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/baseball-oakland-athletics/athletics-talk/As-lineup-Weeks-dropped-to-nine-hole?blockID=745525&feedID=2797>

### **Report: A's join trade talks for Hanley Ramirez**

Nate Stuhlbarg, csnbayarea.com

[http://www.csnbayarea.com/pages/print\\_landing?blockID=745515](http://www.csnbayarea.com/pages/print_landing?blockID=745515)

## **ASSOCIATED PRESS**

### **Cespedes hits 3-run single, A's win 6th straight**

Associated Press

<http://pressdemocrat.stats.com/mlb/recap.asp?g=320724114&final=true>

## **SPORTS ILLUSTRATED**

### **A's GM Beane looking to seize unexpected opportunity**

Tom Verducci, Sports Illustrated

[http://sportsillustrated.cnn.com/2012/writers/tom\\_verducci/07/24/billy-beane-oakland-athletics/index.html](http://sportsillustrated.cnn.com/2012/writers/tom_verducci/07/24/billy-beane-oakland-athletics/index.html)

## **USA TODAY**

### **Officials: Oakland A's, others in on Hanley Ramirez**

Bob Nightengale, USA Today

<http://content.usatoday.com/communities/dailypitch/post/2012/07/oakland-as-hanley-ramirez-trade/1>

## **NEW YORK TIMES**

### **Recalling When David Was Goliath**

By BENJAMIN HOFFMAN, New York Times

<http://www.nytimes.com/2012/07/24/sports/baseball/athletics-sweep-yankees-as-when-david-was-goliath.html?pagewanted=print>

## **NEWHAN ON BASEBALL BLOG**

### **Beane Is Doing This Without Brad Pitt**

Ross Newhan

<http://newhanonbaseball.blogspot.com/2012/07/beane-is-doing-this-without-brad-pitt.html>

## **MINOR LEAGUE NEWS**

### **SACRAMENTO RIVERCATS**

#### **Big Inning Dooms Cats In 17-7 Loss To Bees**

[http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120725&content\\_id=35526588&vkey=news\\_t105&fext=.jsp&sid=t105](http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120725&content_id=35526588&vkey=news_t105&fext=.jsp&sid=t105)

### **MIDLAND ROCKHOUNDS**

#### **Big 6th inning lifts RockHounds past RoughRiders**

Jordan Mason, Midland Reporter Telegram

[http://www.mywesttexas.com/sports/article\\_acf10c92-f440-5ee8-a138-ed2461cd312c.html?mode=print](http://www.mywesttexas.com/sports/article_acf10c92-f440-5ee8-a138-ed2461cd312c.html?mode=print)

#### **A's prospect Choice out for season**

By John Parker / MLB.com

[http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120724&content\\_id=35481570&vkey=news\\_milb&fext=.jsp](http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120724&content_id=35481570&vkey=news_milb&fext=.jsp)

### **STOCKTON PORTS**

#### **Mistakes Hurt Ports In 10-5 Loss To Rawhide**

[http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120725&content\\_id=35528546&vkey=news\\_t524&fext=.jsp&sid=t524](http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120725&content_id=35528546&vkey=news_t524&fext=.jsp&sid=t524)

### **BURLINGTON BEES**

#### **Bees Watch Whitecaps Walk Off**

By Daniel Trivinos / Burlington Bees

[http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120723&content\\_id=35442990&vkey=news\\_t420&fext=.jsp&sid=t420](http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120723&content_id=35442990&vkey=news_t420&fext=.jsp&sid=t420)

### **VERMONT LAKE MONSTERS**

#### **Vermont and Lowell Split Doubleheader**

By Paul Stanfield / Vermont Lake Monsters

[http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120724&content\\_id=35482192&vkey=news\\_t462&fext=.jsp&sid=t462](http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120724&content_id=35482192&vkey=news_t462&fext=.jsp&sid=t462)