



OAKLAND ATHLETICS

Game Information

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A's AT A GLANCE

Season High	53-44 (July 25)
Season Low	26-35 (June 10)
April	10-12
May	11-16
June	15-13
July	16-3
August	0-0
September	0-0
Home Series	8-5-4
Road Series	7-6-3
Series Sweeps	5-4
First Game of Series	16-17
Last Game of Series	20-13
A's Score First	35-14
Opponent Scores First	18-31
Leading After 7 th	38-5
Leading After 8 th	41-4
Tied After 7 th	9-4
Tied After 8 th	8-2
Trailing After 7 th	6-36
Trailing After 8 th	4-39
Commit No Errors	33-18
Commit 1 or More Errors	20-27
More HR Than Opp.	28-13
Fewer HR Than Opp.	7-21
Same Total HR of Opp.	18-11
Starter Pitches 7 or More	26-12
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	27-33
When Scoring 4 or More	39-10
When Scoring Less Than 4	14-35
Last At Bat	16-9
Different Lineups	89

A's vs. ORIOLES

The A's trail the season series 1-2...won the season series last year, 5-4...have won the season series in each of the previous four seasons and have not lost a season series to Baltimore since 1998...have won 23 of their last 33 games against the Orioles and are 78-37 (.678) against Baltimore since the start of the 1999 season...that is the **best winning percentage against the Orioles by an American League team over that span**...since moving to Oakland in 1968, the A's are 245-243 against the Orioles...that breaks down to 122-125 in Oakland and 123-118 in Baltimore, including 56-44 at Camden Yards...all-time, the A's are 981-923 against the Orioles/Browns/Brewers...of the other seven original AL franchises, the Orioles are the only team the A's have a winning record against.

BEST RECORDS SINCE JUNE 2

	W	L	PCT
Oakland	31	15	.674
New York (AL)	31	16	.660
Pittsburgh	30	17	.638
Washington	30	18	.625
Cincinnati	29	18	.617
Detroit	29	18	.617

TODAY'S TIDBITS

Yoenis Cespedes leads the AL in batting average (22 for 48, .458) and RBI (14) since the All-Star Break, is third in hits, tied for third in runs (12) and tied for fifth in home runs (4).

Evan Scribner has not allowed a run in 10 games and 10.1 innings with the A's this season.

THIS DATE IN A's HISTORY

In 2008 Brad Ziegler tosses 2.0 scoreless innings to extend his career opening scoreless streak to a Major League record 27.0 innings, breaking the previous mark of 25 set by George McQuillan of the 1907 Philadelphia Phillies...the streak would reach 39.0 innings before he allowed his first run.

OAKLAND ATHLETICS (53-45) VS. BALTIMORE ORIOLES (52-47)

FRIDAY, JULY 27, 2012 – CAMDEN YARDS – 7:05 P.M. EDT
RHP JARROD PARKER (7-4, 3.00) VS. LHP ZACH BRITTON (1-0, 3.80)
CSNCA – A'S RADIO NETWORK (95.7 FM THE GAME)

ABOUT THE A's

ABOUT THE A'S: Had their season-high seven-game winning streak snapped yesterday...however, have won 11 of the last 13 games and are eight games over .500, which is one game short of the season-high of nine (July 25, 53-44)...are 10-2 since the All-Star Break, which is the **best record in the American League** and second best in the majors (Cincinnati, 11-2)...are 16-3 in July, which is the **best record in the majors** ahead of Cincinnati and Detroit (both 15-6)...are 31-15 (.674) over the last 46 games (since June 2) after losing a season-high nine consecutive contests...the mark since June 2 is the **best in the majors** ahead of the Yankees (31-16, .660)...are 53-45 for the season, which is tied for the fourth best record in the AL...are now in third place in the AL West following yesterday's loss after spending the previous two days tied for second, the first time they had held at least a share of second place since they were alone in second May 25...prior to that, had spent each of the previous 38 days in third place...trail Texas by 5½ games in the AL West...lead the second Wild Card slot by a ½ game over Detroit and trail Los Angeles by a ½ game for the first Wild Card...in the West, have spent one day tied for first this year, 30 days in second, 10 days tied for second, 50 days in third, eight days tied for third and 11 days in fourth.

THE LONG BALL: The A's **lead the majors** in home runs since the All-Star Break (24) and are tied for third in home runs in July (31)...have hit 58 home runs in 37 games since June 12, which is third most in the majors behind the Pirates (62) and Yankees (60)...have 107 home runs in 98 games for the season...had just 53 home runs after 98 games last year (hit one home run in game 99)...A's right fielders have hit 22 home runs after combining for 20 over the previous two seasons...A's first baseman have hit 19 home runs after combining for 19 over the previous two seasons.

PITCHING: The A's have compiled a 2.71 ERA (96 er in 319.0 ip) and .217 (253 for 1167) opponents batting average over the last 35 games (since June 14) and have a 25-10 record over that span...have a 3.38 ERA for the season, which is the **lowest in the American League** and fourth lowest in the majors...have allowed the fewest home runs in the AL (81), have the lowest opponents slugging percentage (.371), have the second lowest batting average (.241) and on-base percentage (.306) and are second in shutouts (9)...have the second fewest strikeouts (656)...A's starting pitchers have allowed two earned runs or fewer in 26 of the last 35 games...are 15-7 with 13 no decisions, a 2.59 ERA (64 er in 222.1 ip) and .225 (184 for 818) opponents batting average over that span and have allowed just 16 home runs...have a 3.66 ERA (242 er in 595.1 ip) for the season, which is the **lowest in the AL**...also have the fewest home runs (58).

AGAINST THE EAST: The A's are 6-1 on this stretch of 17 consecutive games against American League East teams that began July 19...went 4-0 against New York at home, 2-1 in Toronto and are now in Baltimore (three games) before returning home to face Tampa Bay (three games) and Toronto (four games)...are 15-9 against the East this year, which is the second best record by any AL team (Texas, 14-7)...went 20-23 last year and have not finished with a winning record against the East since 2006 (29-15).

LEFT-HANDED STARTERS: The A's are 3-1 on this five-game stretch where they are scheduled to face only left-handed starters that began Sunday...six of the A's last eight losses and eight of the last 11 have come in games started by a left-hander...are 16-18 (.471) in games started by a lefty compared to 37-27 (.579) against right-handers.

HOME AND AWAY: The A's are 2-1 on this six-game road trip to Toronto (2-1) and Baltimore (three games)...went 5-1 on their last homestand against the two teams with the best records in the majors, Texas (1-1) and New York (4-0)...went 3-0 on the last road trip to Minnesota and are 24-24 on the road compared to 28-21 at home...the home record is fourth best in the American League...the pitching staff has a 2.86 ERA (149 er in 469.2 ip) at home compared to 3.98 (183 er in 413.2 ip) on the road...the home ERA is the lowest in the AL while the road ERA ranks sixth.

OFFENSE: The A's defeated the Blue Jays 16-0 Wednesday night...that matched the **largest margin of victory in Athletics history** in a shutout win (fifth time, last: June 26, 2005 vs. San Francisco)...are now batting .259 (110 for 424) with 70 runs scored and a .498 slugging percentage in 12 games since the All-Star Break...the runs and slugging percentage rank second in the AL and the batting average is sixth...however, are tied with Seattle for the lowest batting average in the majors (.229) for the season and have the third lowest on-base percentage (.304) and slugging percentage (.382) in the AL...have scored the fewest runs in the AL (389) and sixth fewest in the majors...have the second fewest grounded into double plays in the AL (62), are third in stolen bases (76) and fourth in walks (328)...have the fourth most strikeouts (791)...have been shut out 11 times, which is tied for the Major League lead...however, have not been blanked since June 3...lead the majors in pitches per plate appearance (3.98).

"WALK-OFF" WINS AND OTHER CLOSE CALLS: Coco Crisp had the game-winning single in the bottom of the 12th inning Sunday afternoon...the A's have two "walk-off" wins in the last three home games, six in the last 11, eight in the last 16 and a **Major League leading** 11 for the season...10 different players have delivered a game-ending RBI...that includes five by home run, which is one short of the Oakland record of six (2004)...the A's combined for nine "walk-off" wins over the previous two seasons...are 20-10 in games decided in the seventh inning or later, including 16-9 in the last at bat...are 7-2 (.778) in extra inning games...have the second most extra inning wins in the AL and the second best record.

ONE-RUN GAMES: The A's defeated the Blue Jays 7-2 Tuesday night, which snapped a streak of five consecutive one-run victories...it was the first time in franchise history (since 1901) that the A's won five straight games, all by one run...have an eight-game winning streak in one-run games, which is their longest since they had an Oakland record 11-game streak in 2000 (May 31-July 17)...15 of the A's last 28 games have been decided by one run...had just 13 one-run decisions over the first 70 games...are 16-12 (.571) in one-run games for the season, which is the third best record in the American League...eight of the A's last 13 losses have been by one run.

ROOKIES: A's rookie pitchers have recorded 27 of the team's 53 wins...have used 10 rookie pitchers, which is tied for second most in Oakland history...the record is 12 in 2009...have employed 17 rookies total, which is the most in the majors and three more than the A's season total last year...currently have 10 rookies on the roster.

PITCHING PROBABLES

Sat., July 28 at BAL	RHP Bartolo Colon (6-8, 3.97) vs. RHP Tommy Hunter (4-5, 5.57)	4:05 CSNCA
Sun., July 29 at BAL	LHP Travis Blackley (3-2, 2.69) vs. LHP Wei-Yin Chen (8-6, 3.82)	10:35 CSNCA

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WORLD CHAMPIONS...1910 • 1911 • 1913 • 1929 • 1930 • 1972 • 1973 • 1974 • 1989

AMERICAN LEAGUE CHAMPIONS...1902 • 1905 • 1910 • 1911 • 1913 • 1914 • 1929 • 1930 • 1931 • 1972 • 1973 • 1974 • 1988 • 1989 • 1990

TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Jarrod Parker (7-4, 3.00 ERA)

PARKER BY THE NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2012	7	4	3.00	16	99.0	33
2011	0	0	0.00	1	5.2	0
Career	7	4	2.84	17	104.2	33
Home	3	2	2.28	9	59.1	15
Road	4	2	4.08	7	39.2	18
Day	3	1	2.08	6	39.0	9
Night	4	3	3.60	10	60.0	24
Pre-ASB	5	4	2.96	14	85.0	28
Post-ASB	2	0	3.21	2	14.0	5
	AVG.		AB	H		
vs. LHH	.217		198	43		
vs. RHH	.229		157	36		

RUN SUPPORT

Parker		Runs Scored	Times
0		0	
1		6	
2		4	
3		1	
4		0	
5		2	
6		1	
7		0	
8		0	
9		1	
10		0	
12		1	
Run Support Avg.		4.91	

PARKER vs. BALTIMORE

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2012	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
2011	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
Career	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
Parker's Starts vs. Baltimore						
DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER
Has never started a game against Baltimore						
Baltimore Career Batting vs. Parker						
	AVG.		AB	H	HR	BB
Has no match-ups						

PARKER'S CAREER HIGHS

Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	8.0 (twice), last: 7/21/12 vs. NYY
Fewest IP, GS:	2.0, 5/18/12 at SF
H:	9, 7/15/12 at MIN
R:	6 (three times), last: 7/7/12 vs. SEA
ER:	6 (three times), last: 7/9/12 vs. SEA
BB:	6 (twice), last: 6/9/12 at ARI
SO:	9, 6/27/12 at SEA
HR:	1 (four times), last: 7/7/12 vs. SEA
Win Streak:	3, 6/14/12 to 7/2/12
Loss Streak:	2, 5/13/12 to 5/18/12
Scoreless Streak:	18.0, 5/23/12 to 6/4/12
Complete Games:	None
Shutouts:	None

FOR STARTERS: Is scheduled to make his 17th start of the season, the 18th of his career...the A's are 9-7 (.563) in his starting assignments and his teams are 10-7 (.588) in his career...has tossed at least six innings in 12 of his 16 starts, allowed two runs or fewer 12 times and walked two batters or fewer eight times.

ROOKIE LEADERS: Ranks fifth among American League rookies in wins (7), starts (16), innings (99.0) and strikeouts (76)...his .223 opponents batting average and 3.00 ERA are the lowest among Major League rookies with 80 or more innings pitched.

MORE LEADERS: Ranks fourth among all American League pitchers in opponents slugging percentage (.315), fifth in opponents batting average (.223) and is seventh in ERA (3.00)...has allowed just four home runs in 99.0 innings and his average of 0.36 home runs per nine innings is the lowest in the American League and second lowest in the majors (Cueto, CIN 0.34).

RUNS ALLOWED: Allowed just one run in his last start and has allowed one run or fewer in 11 of his 17 career starts...he is the only starting pitcher to allow one run or fewer in 11 of his first 17 Major League games since at least 1918...has allowed two runs or fewer in 13 of his 17 starts...since 1918, that matches Steve Rogers (Montreal, July 18-September 29, 1973) for the most by a starting pitcher over the first 17 games of his career (Rogers allowed one run in his 18th start).

IN JULY: Is 3-1 with a 4.26 ERA (12 er in 25.1 ip) in four starts in July...is tied for third in the American League in July wins...has never won four games in a month...has walked six batters in 25.1 innings in July (2.13 per nine innings) after walking 36 in 73.2 innings over his first 12 starts (4.40 per nine innings).

DAYS REST: Is scheduled to start on five days rest today...is 4-0 with a 1.70 ERA (9 er in 47.2 ip) in seven starts on five days rest or more and 3-4 with a 4.21 ERA (24 er in 51.1 ip) in nine starts on four days rest or fewer.

OPPONENTS BATTING: Has held the opponents number four hitter to a .143 (6 for 42) batting average, which is the lowest mark in the American League and third lowest in the majors...opponents are 19 for 95 (.200) with eight walks (.262 on-base percentage) when leading off an inning...the batting average is second lowest in the American League and the on-base percentage is third lowest...has allowed a .186 (13 for 70) batting average with runners in scoring position...allowed a home run to Casper Wells July 7, his first career home run surrendered to a right-handed hitter...has issued 28 of his 42 walks to left-handed hitters.

HOME AND AWAY: Is 4-2 with a 4.08 ERA (18 er in 39.2 ip) in seven starts on the road compared to 3-2 with a 2.28 ERA (15 er in 59.1 ip) in nine starts at home...has the eighth lowest home ERA in the American League and the 10th lowest opponents batting average (.211).

NIGHT AND DAY: Is 4-3 with a 3.60 ERA (24 er in 60.0 ip) in 10 starts at night compared to 3-1 with a 2.08 ERA (9 er in 39.0 ip) in six starts during the day...has the ninth lowest day ERA in the American League.

WINNING STREAK SNAPPED: Allowed six runs July 7 against Seattle to snap his first career winning streak, a three-game streak from June 14 to July 2...allowed just four runs during the winning streak, which spanned four starts (3 er in 26.2 ip, 1.01 ERA).

IN JUNE: Was 3-1 with a 2.18 ERA and .174 opponents batting average in five starts in the month of June...the batting average was second lowest in the American League, the ERA ranked seventh and the wins tied for seventh.

2012 HIGHLIGHTS: Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento April 25 and 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 career-opening scoreless streak to 11.2 innings...Balfour allowed a run in the ninth inning for the blown save...earned his first Major League win in the A's 5-3 victory at Boston **May 1**...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...had a no decision in the A's 3-2 loss at Minnesota **May 29**...tossed 6.0 scoreless innings but Fuentes allowed a three-run "walk-off" home run to Willingham for the blown save and loss...was the winning pitcher in the A's 12-1 win over Texas **June 4** in Oakland...tossed a career-high 8.0 shutout innings and yielded just one hit, a Young single to lead off the eighth inning...was the losing pitcher in the A's 8-3 loss at Arizona **June 9**...allowed a RBI single to Kubel in the first, snapping his career-high scoreless streak at 18.0 innings...had a no decision in the A's 5-4 loss to San Francisco **June 22** in Oakland...left with a 3-1 lead but Cook allowed four runs in the ninth inning for the blown save and loss...extended his winning streak to two games in the A's 2-1 win at Seattle **June 27**...struck out a career-high nine batters...extended his winning streak to three games in a 6-1 victory over Boston **July 2** in Oakland...was the winning pitcher in the A's 9-4 win at Minnesota **July 21**...allowed a career-high nine hits in 6.0 innings but did not walk a batter for the first time in his career.

LAST START: He won his second consecutive start in the A's 2-1 win over New York last Saturday in Oakland...matched his career-high by tossing 8.0 innings...allowed his only run in the fourth inning when Rodriguez reached on an infield single, went to third on back-to-back ground out and scored on an Ibanez single...retired 13 of the final 14 batters he faced after that, including each of the last nine.

PARKER vs. BALTIMORE: Is making his first career appearance.

WITH SACRAMENTO: Was 1-0 with a 2.18 ERA in four starts (20.2 ip, 22 h, 6 r, 5 er, 6 bb, 21 so, 2 hr)...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 runs to lefties...opponents were 4 for 29 (.138) with runners in scoring position.

PARKER'S 2012 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 25	CWS	5-4 (14)	--	1.42	6.1	7	1	1	1	5	0	99
April Totals (1 G, 1 GS)				0-0	1.42	6.1	7	1	1	5	0	99
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
May 23	LAA	1-3 (11)	--	3.38	7.0	5	1	1	1	8	0	95
May 29	at MIN	2-3	--	2.88	6.0	4	0	0	4	4	0	105
May Totals (6 G, 6 GS)				1-2	3.15	34.1	27	12	12	20	24	1
June 4	TEX	12-1	W	2.40	8.0	1	0	0	3	6	0	111
June 9	at ARI	3-8	L	3.19	5.0	8	6	6	5	4	1	102
June 14	at COL	8-2	W	2.82	7.0	3	0	0	1	6	0	89
June 22	SF	4-5	--	2.70	6.0	4	1	1	2	4	0	97
June 27	at SEA	2-1	W	2.57	7.0	3	1	1	1	4	9	104
June Totals (5 G, 5 GS)				3-1	2.18	33.0	19	8	8	15	29	2
July 2	BOS	6-1	W	2.46	6.2	6	1	1	3	3	0	103
July 7	SEA	1-7	L	2.96	4.2	6	6	6	2	6	1	94
July 15	at MIN	9-4	W	3.16	6.0	9	4	4	0	4	0	92
July 21	NYN	2-1	W	3.00	8.0	5	1	1	1	5	0	101

TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER

RHP Bartolo Colon (6-8, 3.97 ERA): Is scheduled to make his 20th start of the season...is 2-3 with a 3.22 ERA (18 er in 50.1 ip) and .260 (51 for 196) opponents batting average over his last eight starts since June 1...has walked one batter or fewer in 14 of his 19 starts and has issued just 19 free passes for the season...is averaging 1.45 walks per nine innings, which is second lowest in the American League (Lewis, TEX 1.20)...is 4-2 with a 3.12 ERA (18 er in 52.0 ip) in eight starts on the road compared to 2-6 with a 4.64 ERA (34 er in 66.0 ip) in 11 starts at home...is 11-8 with a 3.26 ERA (151.2 ip, 144 h, 57 r, 55 er, 59 bb, 107 so, 10 hr) in 24 career appearances, 23 starts, against the Orioles...that includes 4-7 with a 3.67 ERA (34 er in 83.1 ip) in 13 starts at Camden Yards...was 1-1 with a 1.52 ERA (4 er in 23.2 ip) in four games, three starts, last year.

ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

17-9, 2.81 ERA (288.0 ip, 210 h, 97 r, 90 er, 129 bb, 252 so, 23 hr)

Save/Save Opportunities: 25/36 (69.4%)

The A's bullpen is 7-0 with five saves, one blown save and a 1.96 ERA (12 er in 55.0 ip) in 19 games in the month of July...has allowed a .173 (34 for 196) opponents batting average over that span...for the season, has the lowest opponents batting average (.205) in the majors and the second lowest slugging percentage (.330)...leads the American League and ranks third in the majors with a 2.81 ERA...is second in the AL in wins (17) and has allowed the second fewest home runs (23) but has issued the second most walks (129)...has 135 strikeouts in 134.2 innings over its last 48 games since May 29 (9.0 per nine innings) after fanning 117 in 153.1 innings over the first 49 contests (6.9 per nine innings).

50 RHP GRANT BALFOUR

Save/Opportunities: 7-9

Last Outing: 7/22 vs. New York (ND, 1.0 ip, 2 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 17/7

First Hitters: 13-40 (6 bb)

- Has not allowed a run in eight games and 7.1 innings in July...now has a 1.73 ERA (5 er in 26.0 ip) and .146 (13 for 89) opponents batting average over his last 25 games (since May 20) after posting a 4.29 ERA and .234 opponents average over his first 21 contests.
- Is tied for sixth in the American League in games pitched (46) and is ninth among AL relievers in opponents batting average (.185).
- First batters faced are hitting .325 (13 for 40) with six walks (.413 on-base percentage)...the on-base percentage is fourth highest in the AL and the walks are tied for sixth most.
- Has a 0.71 ERA (2 er in 25.1 ip) in 24 appearances at home compared to a 5.66 ERA (13 er in 20.2 ip) in 22 outings on the road.
- Has a loss, save and blown save in two games against the Orioles this year (1.0 ip, 2 h, 3 r, 3 er, 2 bb, 2 so, 1 hr)...is 2-1 with three saves, two blown saves and a 3.38 ERA in 28 appearances in his career (29.1 ip, 16 h, 11 r, 11 er, 11 bb, 30 so, 1 hr).
- His last save was May 5 and it was the 17th of his career, 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 10th in opponents on-base percentage (.266).

13 LHP JERRY BLEVINS

Save/Opportunities: 0-0

Last Outing: 7/25 at Toronto (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 22/8

First Hitters: 10-34 (1 bb, 1 sf, 1 hbp)

- Earned his career-high third win of the season Sunday (previous: 2, 2010).
- Has not allowed a run in nine of his last 11 games (2 er in 10.1 ip, 1.74 ERA) after surrendering four runs over his previous five contests (5.2 ip, 6.35 ERA).
- Has allowed 8 of 22 (36.4%) inherited runners to score, which is the seventh highest percentage in the American League.
- Has not allowed a run in six of his seven career appearances against Baltimore (8.0 ip, 6 h, 1 r, 1 er, 10 so, 1.13 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

Save/Opportunities: 10-14

Last Outing: 7/20 vs. New York (BS; W, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 1 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 13/4

First Hitters: 5-36 (6 bb)

- Has allowed a run in each of his past two games (2 er in 2.0 ip, 9.00 ERA), the first time he has allowed runs in back-to-back games all season...the runs snapped an 8.2-inning scoreless streak over his previous nine appearances.
- Leads American League relievers in opponents batting average (.115), is fourth in slugging percentage (.223), fifth in on-base percentage (.244), tied for fifth in wins (5) and is ninth in ERA (1.70)...is tied for first in walks (22).
- Has converted 10 of 14 (71.4%) save opportunities...has the second lowest save percentage in the AL and the four blown saves are tied for second most.
- First batters faced are hitting .139 (5 for 36), which is the sixth lowest average in the AL...however, has allowed six first batter walks, which is tied for sixth most.
- Has allowed a home run in each of his past two games after allowing no home runs in his first 40 appearances.
- Has not allowed a run in 33 appearances with one or more days rest (35.0 ip)...has allowed eight runs in 7.1 innings (9.82 ERA) in nine games with no rest.
- Has faced Baltimore once this season, April 27 (1.0 ip, 4 so).
- Was the A's representative to the AL All-Star team and pitched a perfect seventh inning, striking out Harper and Wright...it was his first career All-Star selection...he is the seventh Oakland rookie to be named to the AL All-Star team, along with Wayne Gross (1977), Matt Keough (1978), Jose Canseco (1986), Mark McGwire (1987), Ben Grieve (1998) and Andrew Bailey (2009).
- 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.

**MOST SAVES,
OAKLAND ROOKIE**

26 Bailey, 2009
23 Street, 2005
12 Fingers, 1969
11 Ziegler, 2008
10 Cook, 2012

62 LHP SEAN DOOLITTLE

Save/Opportunities: 1-2

Last Outing: 7/26 at Toronto (ND, 0.2 ip, 3 h, 4 r, 4 er, 1 bb, 0 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 7/2

First Hitters: 5-16 (0 bb)

- Allowed a career-high four runs yesterday (previous: 2, twice; last: June 16 vs. San Diego) to snap his career-high scoreless streak at 13.1 innings...now has a 2.57 ERA (4 er in 14.0 ip) over his past 11 games after allowing four runs in 6.0 innings (6.00 ERA) in his first five games.
- Has struck out 29 in 20.0 innings, an average of 13.1 per nine innings...has walked just four for a strikeout-to-walk ratio of 7.3.
- Has allowed a .233 opponents batting average...right-handed hitters are batting .174 (8 for 46) and lefties are hitting .333 (9 for 27).
- Has not faced the Orioles in his career.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento June 4 after combining to post a 0.72 ERA in 16 relief appearances with Single-A Stockton, Double-A Midland and Triple-A Sacramento...allowed a .091 opponents batting average...did not allow a home run in 25.0 innings...struck out 48, an average of 17.3 per nine innings...began the year at Stockton, was promoted to Midland April 26 and Sacramento May 27.
- Missed nearly the entire 2011 season as he continued to recover from surgery on a torn left patella...while on the DL, he began to work out as a pitcher...made his professional debut as a pitcher for the A's affiliate in the Arizona Rookie League on Aug. 29 (1.0 ip, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 2 so).

53 RHP JIM MILLER

Save/Opportunities: 0-0

Last Outing: 7/25 at Toronto (ND, 2.0 ip, 2 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 2 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 10/5

First Hitters: 6-17 (5 bb)

- Has allowed four runs in 5.2 innings (6.35 ERA) over his past six appearances after posting a career-high 9.0-inning scoreless streak over his previous six games.
- Has allowed a .224 opponents batting average...left-handed hitters are batting .122 (6 for 49) and righties are hitting .310 (18 for 58).
- Has faced Baltimore once this year, April 28 (2.0 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 so, 1 hr)...made his Major League debut with the Orioles in 2008 and was 0-2 with a save, blown save and 1.17 ERA in eight appearances.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento May 20 for his second stint with the A's this year and has a 2.25 ERA (5 er in 20.0 ip) in 16 games since then...was selected from Sacramento April 25 for his first stint and had a 1.93 ERA in six appearances before he was optioned May 11.
- Was 0-2 with two saves and a 2.92 ERA in 10 relief appearances with the River Cats...allowed a .200 batting average, including .071 against right-handed hitters, and walked just two batters in 12.1 innings.
- Spent the entire 2011 season with Triple-A Colorado Springs before he was selected by Colorado Sept. 6...appeared in six games, compiling 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: 1-2

Last Outing: 7/22 vs. New York (ND, 2.1 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 3 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 21/4

First Hitters: 5-29 (1 bb)

- Was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list June 21 and has a 1.50 ERA in nine games since his return (2 er in 12.0 ip)...was placed on the DL June 4 retroactive to May 31 with a left shoulder strain.
- First batters faced are 5 for 29 (.172) with a walk (.200 on-base percentage)...the on-base percentage is tied for seventh lowest in the American League.
- Has a 2.08 ERA (5 er in 21.1 ip) in 19 appearances on two days rest or fewer and a 4.50 ERA (8 er in 16.0 ip) in his other 11 outings.
- Has not faced the Orioles in his career.
- 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.

58 RHP EVAN SCRIBNER	Save/Opportunities: 1-1	Last Outing: 7/26 at Toronto (ND, 0.1 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 2/1		First Hitters: 2-10 (0 bb)

- Has not allowed a run in 10 games and 10.1 innings with the A's this season...the scoreless streak is the longest of his career.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento June 24 for his second stint with the A's this season and has pitched eight times since then (6.0 ip, 7 h, 1 bb, 3 so)...was selected from Sacramento June 6 and appeared in two games before he was optioned June 16.
- Has not faced the Orioles in his career.
- Appeared in three games with Sacramento following his June 16 option and had two saves while tossing 3.0 scoreless innings...held the opposition to a .203 batting average, including .147 against right-handed hitters...his complete 2012 statistics:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Sacramento (AAA)	3	0	3.03	26	0	0	0	8	35.2	26	12	12	10	38

- Made his Major League debut with San Diego in 2011, posting a 7.07 ERA in 10 relief appearances over two stints with the Padres...spent the balance of the season with Triple-A Tucson and was 2-3 with 10 saves, one blown save and a 4.71 ERA in 28 relief appearances.

ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

22 CHRIS CARTER	Career vs. Britton (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 5
Toronto Series: 1-10, 2 r, 3 rbi, 3 bb, 4 so		Homestand: 2-11, 2 bb, so, 2 gidp

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento June 29 and has started 13 games at first base...10 of those starts have come in games in which the opponent started a left-hander.
- Is 5 for 26 (.192) against left-handed pitching and 7 for 21 (.333) with four of his six home runs and eight of his 12 RBI against right-handers.
- Has hit six home runs since joining the A's June 29, which is tied for fifth in the American League over that span.
- Was batting .386 with 11 runs, four doubles, two home runs and five RBI in his final 12 games with Sacramento...led the River Cats in RBI (53), was second in walks (38), runs (48) and strikeouts (74) and third in home runs (12) at the time of his promotion...his complete 2012 statistics:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento (AAA)	.279	72	276	48	77	19	1	12	53	38	74	5	1	.486	.367

- Batted .136 with no extra base hits and no RBI in 15 games in two stints with Oakland last year...spent the balance of the season with Sacramento, where he batted .274 with 18 home runs and 72 RBI in 75 games with the River Cats...finished second on the club in RBI.

52 YOENIS CÉSPEDES	Career vs. Britton (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 3 games (4 for 12)
Toronto Series: 4-12, 3 r, 2 2b, 5 rbi, 1bb, 4 so, sb		Homestand: 10-22, 4 r, 2b, 2 hr, 3 rbi, 2 bb, hbp, 4 so, sb

- Recorded a career-high tying three RBI Tuesday night (seventh time, last: July 15 at Minnesota)...leads the A's with 50 RBI for the season.
- Leads the American League in batting average (22 for 48, .458) and RBI (14) since the All-Star Break, is third in hits, tied for third in runs (12) and tied for fifth in home runs (4).
- Leads AL rookies in RBI (50), is second in home runs (13), extra base hits (29) and total bases (130), third in hits (74) and doubles (15) and tied for third in walks (19) and multiple hit games (21).
- Is batting .365 (27 for 74) during the day compared to .273 (47 for 172) at night.
- Is hitting .338 (24 for 71) with runners in scoring position.
- Is batting .341 (28 for 82) with six home runs and 22 RBI in the seventh inning or later...is tied for fourth in the AL in RBI in the seventh inning or later.
- Eight of his 13 home runs have come with runners on base (five two-run, three three-run).
- The A's are 41-25 (.621) with him in the lineup and 12-20 (.375) when he doesn't play.
- Has started seven of his past eight games in the outfield (six in left field, one in center field, one at designated hitter), his first starts in the outfield since spraining his left thumb July 8...has started 66 games at three different positions (34 in center field, 17 in left field, 15 at designated hitter)...is batting .367 (22 for 60) as the designated hitter and .280 (52 for 186) as an outfielder.
- Had his career-high nine-game hitting streak snapped Sunday...was 19 for 33 (.576) with two doubles, four home runs, 10 RBI, eight runs scored, six multiple hit games and a 1.000 slugging percentage during the streak, which matched the longest by an Athletic this season.
- Was named AL Player of the Week for the week ending July 15 after going 8 for 14 (.571) with five runs, a double, two home runs and six RBI in the three-game series at Minnesota.
- Was on the disabled list from May 7 to 31 with a strained muscle in his left hand...also missed nine of 10 games from June 8 to 19 with a strained left hamstring.
- 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.

4 COCO CRISP	Career vs. Britton (.333, 2-6, 0 HR, 1 BB, 1 SO)	Current Streak: 8 games (13 for 32)
Toronto Series: 5-13, 4 r, 2 2b, 2 hr, 3 rbi, bb, 3 so, sb		Homestand: 8-18, 2 r, 3b, rbi, 2 bb, 3 so, 3 sb, cs

- Is on a season-high eight-game hitting streak (13 for 32, .406), which is one away from matching the A's season-high of nine (Weeks, May 23 to June 2; Céspedes, July 8 to 21).
- Hit two home runs Wednesday, his third career two home run game (also Aug. 24, 2011 at New York-AL and June 18, 2007 at ATL).
- Recorded his 100th stolen base in his A's career Sunday, becoming the 11th player in Oakland history to steal 100 bases (now has 101)...needs two more to tie Stan Javier for 10th place in Oakland history.
- Is 20 for 23 (87.0%) in stolen base attempts...ranks fifth in the American League in stolen bases and stolen base percentage...has been successful in 101 of 116 (87.1%) attempts in three seasons with the A's, which is the best mark in franchise history (min. 50 SBA).
- Has batted leadoff in each of his last 30 starts (31 games total) and is 42 for 122 (.344) with 19 runs, 12 walks and 11 stolen bases over that span...hit .172 over his first 38 games.
- Is tied for fifth in the AL in sacrifice hits (6).
- Was reinstated from the disabled list May 21 and has made 45 of his 46 starts since then in center...prior to being placed on the 15-day DL May 3 with an inner ear infection, he made 15 of his 17 starts in left...had 203 career starts in left entering this season, but none since Oct. 2, 2005.
- 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).

31 JONNY GOMES	Career vs. Britton (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 3
Toronto Series: 3-10, 3 r, rbi, 4 bb, 4 so, sb		Homestand: 2-5, bb, so

- Is 10 for 23 (.435) since the All-Star Break and is batting .333 (22 for 66) with five home runs and 14 RBI over his last 24 games.
- Is 1 for 8 (.125) with a home run, three RBI and three walks as a pinch hitter this year...is tied for third in the American League in pinch walks...is 15 for 109 (.138) as a pinch hitter in his career.
- Has hit 10 home runs this season, the seventh time he has reached the 10-home run plateau in his career.
- Began the 2011 season with Cincinnati and was batting .211 with 11 HR and 31 RBI in 77 games when he was traded to Washington July 26...hit .204 with 3 HR and 12 RBI in 43 games with the Nationals for a .209 batting average, 14 HR and 43 RBI in 120 games overall.

18 BRANDON HICKS	Career vs. Britton (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 3
Toronto Series: 2-11, 2 r, 2 2b, 2 rbi, bb, 7 so		Homestand: 1-4, 2 r, hr, rbi, 3 so

- Is 5 for 39 (.128) over his last 14 games after hitting safely in each of his first three contests (3 for 10, .300).
- Six of his eight hits are for extra bases (five doubles, one home run).
- Hit his first Major League home run July 18 against Texas, a "walk-off" shot off Michael Kirkman in the bottom of the ninth inning...became the fourth player in Athletics history to hit a game-ending home run for his first ML home run, the second this year (Derek Norris, June 24)...the other two are Dee Miles (September 14, 1939) and George Hendrick (May 28, 1972).
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento June 23 and has started 13 games since then (11 at shortstop, one at second base, one at first base)...10 of those starts have come against left-handed pitchers.
- Was tied for the Pacific Coast League lead in hit by pitches (7) at the time of his promotion...also ranked fifth in extra base hits (37), eighth in home runs (13) and 10th in RBI (48)...appeared in 39 games at shortstop and 28 at second base...his complete 2012 stats with Sacramento:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento (AAA)	.272	65	239	49	65	21	3	13	48	32	76	5	4	.548	.374

- Had three stints with Atlanta last year and went 1 for 21 (.048) with a RBI in 17 games...spent the balance of the season at Triple-A Gwinnett where he batted .252 with 18 home runs and 50 RBI in 104 games.

7 BRANDON INGE	Career vs. Britton (.000, 0-1, 0 HR, 1 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 6 games (6 for 25)
Toronto Series: 3-13, 3 r, hr, 4 rbi, 4 so		Homestand: 5-24, 4 r, 2 2b, 3 hr, 5 rbi, 6 so, cs

- Hit a home run yesterday and has now homered four times in his past eight games after going homerless in 27 consecutive contests.
- Seven of his 11 home runs have come with runners on base (two two-run, three three-run, two grand slams)...the two grand slams are tied for the Major League lead.
- Five of his 11 home runs have put his team ahead (four with Oakland, one with Detroit)...one other has tied the game.
- Has 11 home runs and 48 RBI in 68 games this year after tallying three home runs and 23 RBI in 102 games last year...has now reached the 10-home run plateau eight times in his career.
- Is batting .315 (23 for 73) with runners in scoring position.
- Is 16 for 95 (.168) with one walk and 31 strikeouts over his last 24 games.
- Was reinstated from the disabled list May 28 and has started 48 of the A's 50 games at third base since his return.
- Began the season on Detroit's DL with a strained left groin and was reinstated April 14...hit .100 with a home run and two RBI in nine games with the Tigers before he was released April 26...signed with the A's April 30 before going on the DL retroactive to May 13 with a strained right groin.
- Batted .197 with three home runs and 23 RBI in 120 games with Detroit last year...those were his fewest games played since 2002 (95 games)...finished strong with a .324 batting average in September.

37 BRANDON MOSS	Career vs. Britton (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 1
Toronto Series: 1-2, rbi		Homestand: 4-19, r, 2 2b, rbi, bb, hbp, 5 so

- Is 14 for 48 (.292) with four home runs and nine RBI over his last 16 games after going 1 for 17 over his previous five contests.
- Has a career-high 11 home runs, topping his eight with Boston and Pittsburgh in 2008...is tied for eighth in the American League in home runs since June 6, the date he was added to the A's roster.
- Of his 28 hits this year, 17 are for extra bases (six doubles, 11 home runs).
- Is batting .279 (24 for 86) with nine of his 11 home runs and 18 of his 21 RBI against right-handed pitching compared to .160 (4 for 25) against left-handers.
- Ranks third among AL first basemen in errors (5).
- Had the game-ending single in the bottom of the ninth inning a week ago tonight, his third career walk-off hit (last: July 22, 2009 vs. Milwaukee).
- Hit his 11th home run in his 27th game with the A's (now has 35 games)...in Oakland history, Dave Kingman is the only player to hit 11 home runs in fewer than his first 27 games with the club (24 games)...the fewest games a player has needed to reach 12 home runs is 38 games by Jay Payton in 2005.
- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento June 6 and has started 30 of the A's 42 games since then (27 at first base, three in right field)...prior to that had not started at first base since June 24, 2008 and had just two career appearances at first.
- Hit .286 with 15 home runs and 33 RBI in 51 games with Triple-A Sacramento...was tied for second in the Pacific Coast League and tied for sixth in all of the minors in home runs at the time of his promotion...appeared in 14 games in left field, 14 at DH, 13 at first base and 10 in right field.
- Batted .275 with 23 home runs and 80 RBI in 124 games with Triple-A Lehigh Valley last year...ranked fourth in the International League in extra base hits (55), fifth in home runs and sixth in RBI...was selected by Philadelphia Sept. 17 and went 0 for 6 with two strikeouts in five games.

36 DEREK NORRIS	Career vs. Britton (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 3 games (4 for 9)
Toronto Series: 3-8, 3 rbi, 3 r, hr, 2b, bb		Homestand: 0-10, bb, 4 so, sb

- Hit his third home run of the season Tuesday night...all three of his home runs have put the A's ahead.
- Singled and scored the game-winning run in the 12th inning Sunday to snap his 0 for 30 streak...it was the longest hitless streak by an Athletic this year.
- Is 4 for 38 (.105) over his last 11 games after hitting safely in a career-high seven consecutive games (10 for 27, .370).
- Opponents have been successful in 8 of 10 (80.0%) stolen base attempts against him...A's pitchers have a 2.31 ERA (41 er in 160.0 ip) with him behind the plate.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento June 21 and has started 17 of the A's 29 games at catcher since then...has also made one start at designated hitter.
- Batted .273 with eight home runs and 36 RBI in 55 games with Sacramento...hit .329 in April, .244 in May and was batting .214 in June...made all 55 of his appearances at with the River Cats at catcher and tossed out 17 of 63 (32.1%) attempted base stealers.
- Made his Double-A debut with Harrisburg of the Eastern League in 2011 and batted .210 with 20 HR and 46 RBI in 104 games...ranked third in the league in walks (77)...his home runs came in just 334 at bats, while his average of 16.70 at bats per home run was the best mark in the EL.

2 CLIFF PENNINGTON		Current Streak: 0 for 13
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- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list a week ago today with left elbow tendinitis...it is his first career stint on the DL...is eligible to be reinstated August 4.
- Had the lowest slugging percentage in the majors (.282) and the second lowest batting average (.197) and on-base percentage (.259) when he was added to the DL.
- Hit .264 with eight home runs and 58 RBI in a team-leading 148 games last year...had career highs in hits (136), home runs and RBI and matched his high in doubles (26)...ranked fifth in the American League with a .348 batting average with runners in scoring position.

16 JOSH REDDICK	Career vs. Britton (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 4 games (4 for 15)
Toronto Series: 3-11, 3 r, 2b, hr, 3 rbi, bb, gidp		Homestand: 7-22, r, 4 2b, hr, 3 rbi, 3 bb, 7 so

- Is batting .298 (14 for 47) with five doubles, two home runs and six RBI in 12 games since the All-Star Break...has a .310 (31 for 100) average with nine doubles, seven home runs and 16 RBI over his last 28 contests.
- Is tied for seventh in the American League in extra base hits (46) and tied for 10th in triples (4).
- Had his 10th assist of the season Tuesday night, which is third most among AL outfielders and is an on-going career high...each of his assists have come as a right fielder, which are the most by an A's right fielder since Matt Stairs had 13 in 1999.
- Is a .361 (26 for 72) career hitter against the Orioles with six doubles, six home runs and 13 RBI in 26 career games...the home runs and RBI are his most against any team...is 18 for 42 (.429) with four homers and seven RBI in 14 games at Camden Yards.
- Is batting .324 (47 for 145) with 13 home runs and 27 RBI with two outs...leads the majors in two-out home runs and is tied for second in hits and RBI.
- Is tied for sixth in the AL in intentional walks (6)...those are the most intentional walks by an Athletic over the last five years.
- Has a team-leading 22 home runs and is just the second Athletic over the last three years to hit 20 home runs in a season (Willingham, 29 in 2011)...19 have come as a right fielder, which is one fewer than the combined total by A's right fielders over the previous two seasons...his 19 home runs are the most by an A's right fielder since 2005 when Nick Swisher had 21.
- Nine of his home runs have come with two strikes, which is tied for sixth in the AL.
- 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.

15 SETH SMITH	Career vs. Britton (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 4
Toronto Series: 0-3, r		Homestand: 4-18, r, hr, 3 rbi, bb, 6 so

- Is 13 for 70 (.186) over his last 23 games after batting .432 over his previous 14 contests.
- Nine of his last 13 hits are for extra bases (four doubles, one triple, four home runs) as are 14 of his last 21 (seven doubles, one triple, six home runs).
- Is batting .294 (45 for 153) with all 11 of his home runs and 25 of his 33 RBI in 49 games as an outfielder compared to .178 (16 for 90) in 28 games at designated hitter.
- Has hit nine of his 11 home runs this year and 56 of 62 in his career off right-handed pitching.
- His 11 home runs this year give him four consecutive seasons with double figures in home runs.
- Has started games at every spot in the order except leadoff.
- Is 2 for 12 (.167) with a walk and two RBI as a pinch hitter...is a .322 (48 for 149) career hitter in the pinch with five home runs and 36 RBI...since 2007, he has the best batting average, on-base percentage (.416) and slugging percentage (.564) among pinch hitters with 90 or more plate appearances...is also tied for third in RBI.
- Spent the entire 2011 season as one of the Rockies regular outfielders (97 starts in right field, 22 in left)...had career-highs in games (147), runs (67), hits (135), doubles (32), triples (9), RBI (59), extra-base hits (56) and stolen bases (10)...his 15 HR and .284 average were second best.

HIGHS AND LOWS

TEAM BATTING

Most Runs, Game, A's	16, July 25 at Toronto
Most Runs, Game, Opponents	11, April 30 at Boston
Most Runs, Inning, A's	8, June 4 vs. Texas (2 nd) and July 25 at Toronto
Most Runs, Inning, Opponents	8, May 10 vs. Detroit (3 rd)
Most Hits, Game, A's	16, June 8 at Arizona
Most Hits, Game, Opponents	17, May 10 vs. Detroit
Most Hits, Inning, A's	8, June 4 vs. Texas (2 nd) and June 8 at Arizona (2 nd)
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents	8, May 10 vs. Detroit (3 rd)
Most Home Runs, Game, A's	4, June 12 at Colorado, July 14 at Minnesota and July 15 at Minnesota
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents	4, April 30 at Boston
Most Doubles, Game, A's	6, July 25 at Toronto
Most Doubles, Game, Opponents	6, April 25 vs. Chicago
Most Triples, Game, A's	2, June 2 at Kansas City and July 20 vs. New York
Most Triples, Game, Opponents	2, April 7 vs. Seattle
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's	4, April 22 vs. Cleveland and May 1 at Boston
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents	4, June 22 vs. San Francisco and June 28 at Texas

TEAM PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, A's	14, July 6 vs. Seattle
Most Strikeouts, Opponents	16, July 13 at Minnesota
Most Walks, A's	9, April 20 vs. Cleveland, May 18 at San Francisco and June 23 vs. San Francisco
Most Walks, Opponents	10, June 19 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's	2, June 19 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Fewest Hits Allowed, Opponents	1, April 10 vs. Kansas City, May 19 at San Francisco and May 22 vs. Los Angeles

TEAM MISCELLANEOUS

Longest Winning Streak	7, July 18 to July 25
Longest Losing Streak	9, May 22 to June 1
Longest Game, Innings	14, April 25 vs. Chicago
Longest Game, Time, Nine Innings	4:15, June 23 vs. San Francisco
Longest Game, Time, Extra Innings	4:14, May 5 at Tampa Bay (12)
Shortest Game, Time	2:04, June 6 vs. Texas
Largest Margin, Victory	16, July 25 at Toronto (16-0)
Largest Margin, Loss	9, April 28 at Baltimore (1-10)
Most Left on Base, Nine Inning Game	14, July 20 vs. New York
Most Left on Base, Extra Inning Game	14, May 5 at Tampa Bay (12)
Fewest Left on Base, Game	1, May 19 at San Francisco, June 25 at Seattle and June 27 at Seattle
Most Errors, Game	4, June 23 vs. San Francisco
Largest Comeback in Win	4, (four times), last: July 22 vs. New York
Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss	6, June 8 at Arizona

INDIVIDUAL BATTING

Most Runs, Game	4, Josh Reddick, May 11 vs. Detroit
Most Hits, Game	4 (four times), last: Yoenis Céspedes, July 20 vs. New York
Most Doubles, Game	2 (11 times), last: Yoenis Céspedes, July 25 at Toronto
Most Triples, Game	1 (18 times), last: Jemile Weeks, July 24 at Toronto
Most Home Runs, Game	2 (3 times), last: Coco Crisp, July 25 at Toronto
Most Runs Batted In, Game	5 (three times), last: Jonny Gomes, July 13 at Minnesota
Most Walks, Game	3 (six times), last: Chris Carter, July 15 at Minnesota
Most Strikeouts, Game	4 (three times), last: Brandon Hicks, July 13 at Minnesota
Most Stolen Bases, Game	3, Coco Crisp, June 19 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Longest Hitting Streak	9, Jemile Weeks, May 23 to June 2; Yoenis Céspedes, July 8 to 21

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, Game	10, Brandon McCarthy, May 12 vs. Detroit and Tommy Milone, July 20 vs. New York
Most Walks, Game	5 (four times), last: Jarrod Parker, June 9 at Arizona
Most Innings, Game, Starter	9.0, Tommy Milone, June 20 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Most Innings, Game, Reliever	3.2, Travis Blackley, May 22 vs. Los Angeles
Low Hit Complete Game	3, Tommy Milone, June 20 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Most Consecutive Scoreless Innings	23.0, Ryan Cook, March 28 to May 27
Most Consecutive Batters Retired	19, Brandon McCarthy, June 7 to 19

MULTIPLE HIT GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	TOT
Barton	3	1	0	0	4
Carter	2	0	0	0	2
Céspedes	12	5	2	0	19
Cowgill	4	2	0	0	6
Crisp	15	5	0	0	20
Donaldson	2	1	0	0	3
Gomes	6	3	0	0	9
Inge	7	2	0	0	9
Ka'aihue	7	1	0	0	8
Moss	3	2	0	0	5
Norris	5	0	0	0	5
Pennington	14	2	0	0	16
Recker	1	0	0	0	1
Reddick	20	6	1	0	27
Smith	10	2	1	0	13
Sogard	1	0	0	0	1
Suzuki	7	3	0	0	10
Taylor	1	0	0	0	1
Weeks	23	0	0	0	23

MULTIPLE RBI GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	6	TOT
Barton	1	0	0	0	0	1
Carter	0	3	0	0	0	3
Céspedes	8	7	0	0	0	15
Cowgill	3	0	0	0	0	3
Crisp	3	0	1	0	0	4
Donaldson	0	0	0	1	0	1
Gomes	4	1	0	1	0	6
Hicks	2	0	0	0	0	2
Inge	4	1	5	0	0	10
Ka'aihue	2	0	0	0	0	2
Moss	2	3	0	0	0	5
Norris	1	1	0	0	0	2
Pennington	2	0	0	0	0	2
Reddick	9	2	0	1	0	12
Rosales	1	0	0	0	0	1
Smith	8	0	0	0	0	8
Sogard	1	1	0	0	0	2
Suzuki	2	0	0	0	0	2
Weeks	2	0	0	0	0	2

GAME TYING/GO-AHEAD RBI

PLAYER	GT	GA	TOT
Barton	0	1	1
Carter	0	2	2
Céspedes	3	12	15
Cowgill	2	3	5
Crisp	2	4	6
Donaldson	0	1	1
Gomes	3	8	11
Hicks	0	1	1
Inge	2	9	11
Ka'aihue	2	3	5
Moss	2	4	6
Norris	2	3	5
Pennington	2	2	4
Reddick	8	14	22
Rosales	0	1	1
Smith	4	7	11
Sogard	1	1	2
Suzuki	3	4	7
Weeks	1	3	4

STARTS IN THE ORDER

PLAYER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Allen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Barton	-	1	-	-	-	3	20	6	1
Carter	-	-	-	-	7	5	1	-	-
Céspedes	-	-	3	60	1	1	1	-	-
Cowgill	1	10	-	-	-	2	1	5	7
Crisp	33	24	2	-	-	-	2	2	-
Donaldson	-	-	-	-	5	10	4	7	1
Gomes	-	5	-	20	11	7	2	-	-
Hicks	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	9	3
Hughes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1
Inge	-	1	-	-	17	22	8	10	1
Ka'aihue	-	-	-	2	11	5	10	4	1
Moss	-	-	-	-	3	15	11	1	-
Norris	-	-	-	-	-	3	10	4	1
Pennington	2	25	-	-	-	3	4	6	40
Recker	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	3
Reddick	-	-	90	-	1	1	1	-	-
Rosales	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	3
Smith	-	3	3	16	37	7	2	1	1
Sogard	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	5	13
Suzuki	-	-	-	-	5	14	20	22	7
Taylor	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Weeks	62	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	3

GAMES BY POSITION

PLAYER	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH	
	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS
Allen	-	-	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barton	-	-	35	31	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carter	-	-	14	13	-	-	-	-	-	-
Céspedes	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	17	34	34
Cowgill	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	10	13	11
Crisp	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	15	48	46
Donaldson	3	3	1	-	-	24	24	-	-	-
Gomes	-	-	-	-	-	-	29	19	-	-
Hicks	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	14	11	-
Hughes	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	-	-	-
Inge	-	-	-	-	-	59	59	-	-	-
Ka'aihue	-	-	22	21	-	-	-	-	-	12
Moss	-	-	27	27	-	-	-	-	5	3
Norris	18	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Pennington	-	-	-	-	-	82	80	-	-	-
Recker	12	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Reddick	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	7	81
Rosales	-	-	6	3	4	3	-	2	2	-
Smith	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42	36	-
Sogard	-	-	-	5	4	13	11	8	5	-
Suzuki	72	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Taylor	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Weeks	-	-	-	90	90	-	-	-	-	-

HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

REGULAR SEASON HOME RUNS

Player	Solo	2R	3R	GS	Tot.
Carter	4	0	2	0	6
Céspedes	5	5	3	0	13
Cowgill	0	1	0	0	1
Crisp	5	0	0	0	5
Gomes	6	3	0	1	10
Hicks	1	0	0	0	1
Inge	4	2	3	2	11
Moss	7	3	1	0	11
Norris	1	1	1	0	3
Pennington	3	0	0	0	3
Reddick	17	3	2	0	22
Smith	8	3	0	0	11
Sogard	0	1	1	0	2
Suzuki	1	0	0	0	1
Weeks	2	0	0	0	2
Team	68	23	13	3	107

LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN

Date	Opponent	Pitcher	GP	Since
July 25, 2012	at Toronto	Carpenter	1	
July 21, 2012	New York	Hughes	4	
June 5, 2012	Texas	Holland	9	
July 25, 2012	at Toronto	Carpenter	1	
July 15, 2012	at Minnesota	Duensing	5	
July 18, 2012	Texas	Kirkman	4	
July 26, 2012	at Toronto	Laffey	--	
July 14, 2012	at Minnesota	Swarzak	8	
July 24, 2012	at Toronto	Cecil	1	
June 28, 2012	at Texas	Feldman	10	
July 26, 2012	at Toronto	Laffey	--	
July 22, 2012	New York	Soriano	2	
April 27, 2012	at Baltimore	Arrieta	12	
July 22, 2012	New York	Sabathia	1	
April 13, 2012	at Seattle	Furbush	83	

Lead Off Home Runs (2)

Coco Crisp, June 27 at Seattle (Millwood)
Coco Crisp, July 3 vs. Boston (Lester)

Back-To-Back Home Runs (3)

Céspedes and Reddick, March 29 vs. Seattle
Norris and Pennington, June 28 at Texas
Céspedes and Carter, July 15 at Minnesota

Inside-The-Park Home Runs (0)

None

Walk-Off Wins (11)

April 11 vs. Kansas City (Gomes hit by pitch)
April 25 vs. Chicago (Ka'aihue single)
May 8 vs. Toronto (Inge grand slam)
June 21 vs. Los Angeles-NL (Céspedes home run)
June 24 vs. San Francisco (Norris home run)
July 3 vs. Boston (Crisp sacrifice fly)
July 6 vs. Seattle (Carter pinch hit home run)
July 8 vs. Seattle (Reddick double)
July 18 vs. Texas (Hicks home run)
July 20 vs. New York (Moss single)
July 22 vs. New York (Crisp single)

Grand Slams (3)

Brandon Inge, May 8 vs. Toronto (Cordero)
Brandon Inge, May 10 vs. Detroit (Balester)
Jonny Gomes, July 13 at Minnesota (Liriano)

Pinch Hit Home Runs (2)

Jonny Gomes, June 16 vs. San Diego (Gregerson)
Chris Carter, July 6 vs. Seattle (Delabar)

MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs	Player	Category	No.	Needs
Blevins	Games	188	12 for 200	McCarthy	Games Started	93	7 for 100
Braden	Games	94	6 for 100		Strikeouts	426	74 for 500
	Innings Pitched	491.1	8.2 for 500	Pennington	Games	482	18 for 500
Crisp	Steals (w/OAK)	101	2 for 103 (ties Javier for 10 th in Oakland history)		Doubles	81	19 for 100
Inge	Games	1467	33 for 1500	Smith	Hits	416	84 for 500
	At Bats	4843	157 for 5000		Doubles	91	9 for 100

DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Anderson	Left UCL surgery	March 13-present	98	Devine	Right UCL surgery	March 24-present	98
Barton	Right shoulder strain	March 24-April 8	4	Inge	Strained right groin	May 13-27	14
Braden	Left shoulder surgery recovery	March 24-present	98	McCarthy	Right shoulder strain	May 18-June 1	13
Carignan	Sprained right UCL	June 6-present	42	McCarthy	Right shoulder strain	June 20-present	30
Céspedes	Strained muscle, left hand	May 7-31	22	Norberto	Left shoulder strain	May 31-June 20	18
Colón	Strained right oblique	June 18-July 2	14	Pennington	Left elbow tendinitis	July 20-present (eligible August 4)	6
Cowgill	Sprained left ankle	June 23-July 16	18	Sizemore	Left ACL tear	March 3-present	98
Crisp	Inner ear infection	May 3-20	16				

The A's have used the disabled list 15 times this season...placed 15 players on the disabled list in 2011.

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

April 9	Daric Barton reinstated from the disabled list; Brandon Allen designated for assignment	June 1	Yoenis Céspedes reinstated from the disabled list
April 17	Tyson Ross and Neil Wagner recalled from Sacramento; Andrew Carignan and Collin Cowgill optioned to Sacramento	June 2	Brandon McCarthy reinstated from disabled list; Daric Barton optioned to Sacramento
April 19	Brandon Allen claimed off waivers by Tampa Bay	June 4	Jordan Norberto placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 31 (strained left shoulder); Sean Doolittle recalled from Sacramento
April 20	Rich Thompson claimed off waivers from Los Angeles (AL); Neil Wagner optioned to Sacramento	June 6	Brandon Moss and Evan Scribner selected from Sacramento; Andrew Carignan placed on the 15-day disabled list (sprained ulnar collateral ligament in right elbow); Kila Ka'aihue designated for assignment
April 21	Pedro Figueroa recalled from Sacramento; Graham Godfrey optioned to Sacramento	June 9	Danny Farquhar claimed off waivers from Toronto and optioned to Sacramento; Andrew Carignan transferred to the 60-day disabled list
April 22	Luke Hughes claimed off waivers from Minnesota; Dallas Braden transferred to the 60-day disabled list	June 16	Tyson Ross and Eric Sogard recalled from Sacramento; Adam Rosales and Evan Scribner optioned to Sacramento; Kila Ka'aihue outrighted to Sacramento
April 23	Josh Donaldson optioned to Sacramento	June 17	Pedro Figueroa recalled from Sacramento; Tyson Ross optioned to Sacramento
April 25	Jarrod Parker recalled from Sacramento; Jim Miller selected from Sacramento; Fautino De Los Santos optioned to Sacramento; Rich Thompson designated for assignment	June 19	Jordan Norberto sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment
April 27	Rich Thompson outrighted to Sacramento	June 21	Jordan Norberto reinstated from the disabled list; Derek Norris recalled from Sacramento; Pedro Figueroa and Josh Donaldson optioned to Sacramento
April 30	Brandon Inge agrees to terms on a one-year contract; Luke Hughes designated for assignment	June 23	Tyson Ross and Brandon Hicks recalled from Sacramento; Bartolo Colón placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to June 18 (strained right oblique); Collin Cowgill placed on the 15-day disabled list (sprained left ankle)
May 2	Luke Hughes outrighted to Sacramento	June 24	Evan Scribner recalled from Sacramento; A.J. Griffin selected from Sacramento; Brandon McCarthy placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to June 20 (strained right shoulder); Eric Sogard optioned to Sacramento; Danny Farquhar designated for assignment
May 4	Coco Crisp placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 3 (inner ear infection); Michael Taylor recalled from Sacramento	June 26	Danny Farquhar claimed off waivers by the New York Yankees
May 11	Andrew Carignan and Collin Cowgill recalled from Sacramento; Jim Miller and Michael Taylor optioned to Sacramento	June 29	Chris Carter recalled from Sacramento; Tyson Ross optioned to Sacramento
May 12	Yoenis Céspedes placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 7 (strained muscle in left hand); Josh Donaldson recalled from Sacramento	July 3	Bartolo Colón reinstated from the disabled list; Brian Fuentes designated for assignment
May 15	Travis Blackley claimed off waivers from San Francisco; Joey Devine transferred to the 60-day disabled list	July 9	Collin Cowgill sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment
May 16	Andrew Carignan optioned to Sacramento	July 11	Brian Fuentes released
May 17	Brandon Inge placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 13 (strained left groin); Adam Rosales recalled from Sacramento	July 12	Collin Cowgill transferred to Sacramento on rehab
May 20	Brandon McCarthy placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 18 (strained right shoulder); Jim Miller recalled from Sacramento	July 13	Pedro Figueroa recalled from Sacramento; Jim Miller placed on paternity list
May 21	Coco Crisp reinstated from the disabled list; Eric Sogard optioned to Sacramento	July 16	Jim Miller reinstated from the paternity list; Pedro Figueroa optioned to Sacramento
May 22	Graham Godfrey recalled from Sacramento; Pedro Figueroa optioned to Sacramento	July 17	Collin Cowgill reinstated from the disabled list and optioned to Sacramento
May 25	Brandon Inge sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment	July 20	Cliff Pennington placed on the 15-day disabled list (left elbow tendinitis); Eric Sogard recalled from Sacramento
May 27	Andrew Carignan recalled from Sacramento; Graham Godfrey optioned to Sacramento	July 21	Brett Anderson sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment
May 28	Brandon Inge reinstated from the disabled list; Anthony Recker optioned to Sacramento; Neil Wagner claimed off waivers by San Diego; Yoenis Céspedes sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment	July 26	Brett Anderson transferred to Sacramento on rehab
May 31	Tyson Ross optioned to Sacramento		