



## WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1, 2012 AT OAKLAND ATHLETICS

RH Alex Cobb (4-8, 4.93) vs. RH Jarrod Parker (7-4, 3.38)

First Pitch: 3:37 p.m. | Location: Oakland Coliseum, Oakland, Calif. | TV: Sun Sports | Radio: WDAE 620 AM

Game No.: 105 (54-50) | Road Game No.: 52 (26-25) | All-Time Game No.: 2,370 (1,067-1,302) | All-Time Road Game No.: 1,185 (470-714)

April: 15-8 | May: 14-14 | June: 12-15 | July: 13-13

**RAY MATTER**—Tampa Bay has won 3 of their last 4 games and are 5-3 on this 9-game, 3-city road trip (2-1 at BAL, 2-1 at LAA and 1-1 here) which ends today...last night's 8-0 win was the Rays 10th shutout, 3rd shutout of the trip, all coming in the last 4 games...Rays have pitched to a 1.78 ERA (75.2-IP, 48-H, 15-ER, 90-SO) and have been scored upon in only 8 innings of the trip...they have held the opposition to one run or less in all 5 wins...the Rays are batting .214 (60-for-281) on the trip...Rays are trying to win 3 consecutive series for the first time since winning 5 straight series, April 17-May 3.

- ✦ The Rays were a season-high 10.5 games out of first place on July 18, but have picked up 4.0 games since then while going 7-5 and are now 6.5 GB, the closest they have been to first place since July 4...the Rays have pitched to a 1.70 ERA (116.2-IP, 68-H, 22-ER, 140-SO) during the last 12 games.
- ✦ The Rays are 19-25 since they were last in first place on June 11 and 35-41 since they were a season-high 11 games over .500 (19-8) on May 4.
- ✦ The Rays are 19-14 on the road since May 13...they are 15-22 at home during that same span.

**MORE ON THE ROAD TRIP**—The Rays are trying to do something they have done only 3 times in their history: win 3 series on a road trip, and they have never done it vs. 3 teams above .500.

**Three Series Wins on a Road Trip. Rays History**

June 15-24, 2004 San Diego (3-0), Arizona (3-0), Toronto (2-1)  
 April 12-22, 2010 Baltimore (3-0), Boston (4-0), Chicago (2-1)  
 Aug 7-17, 2008 Seattle (3-1), Oakland (2-1), Texas (2-1)

**NO SLOUCHES HERE**—On this road trip the Rays have defeated 5 starters all with winning records who were a combined 37-22 (.627) before facing the Rays: Baltimore's **Wei-Yin Chen** (8-5) and **Miguel Gonzalez** (2-1); Los Angeles' **C.J. Wilson** (9-6) and **Zack Greinke** (9-3) and Oakland's **Tommy Milone** (9-7)...in the 5 wins, the Rays have allowed 2 runs, walked 4 and struck out 53...the Rays pitching lines from the 5 wins on the trip:

July 24 at BAL 9 IP, 3 H, 1 R, 1 ER, 2 BB, 10 SO  
 July 25 at BAL 9 IP, 7 H, 1 R, 1 ER, 0 BB, 13 SO  
 July 28 at LAA 9 IP, 5 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 2 BB, 11 SO  
 July 29 at LAA 9 IP, 4 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 0 BB, 8 SO  
 July 31 at OAK 9 IP, 3 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 0 BB, 11 SO

**JULY WRAP**—The Rays finished July 13-13 (despite hitting .225) and didn't win or lose more than 2 in a row the entire month...their 3.03 ERA (240.2-IP, 81-ER) was their lowest ERA of any month in club history, besting the 3.06 ERA in August 2011, and ranked 3rd in the majors.

- ✦ Rays pitchers finished July with a major-league-high 241 strikeouts in 240.2 innings...since 1921, only one team has more strikeouts in the month of July: the 1964 Indians who fanned 264 behind **Sam McDowell's** 44...**James Shields** (46 SO) and **David Price** (44) finished 2nd and 3rd in the majors in strikeouts in July behind **Francisco Liriano** (47), and marked the 2 highest July tallies in club history.
- ✦ The Rays were also one of two teams in the majors since 1921 with more strikeouts than innings pitched in the month of July...the other? The Brewers, also this July, with 238 SO in 234.1 IP.
- ✦ The Rays hit a major-league-low .225 in July...in club history, the Rays have had 3 months in which they batted under .230—and all 3 have come in the last 3 months: May (.227), June (.222) and July.

**PUNCHOUTS APLENTY**—The Rays have struck out 10 or more batters in 9 of the last 12 games and 12 of the last 17, for a total of 181 in 161.2 innings pitched...last night **James Shields'** 11-strikeout effort was the 10th time this season a Rays starter has struck out 10 or more, tops in MLB.

- ✦ The Rays have fanned 32 batters in the first 2 games of this series, setting the club record for most strikeouts in consecutive games.

**SHIELDS AND SHUTOUTS**—Last night **James Shields** extended his club record with his career 7th shutout, all coming in the last 5 years...it was the first he has had in which he didn't allow a runner past first base...it's only the 5th time a Ray has not allowed a runner

MOST SHUTOUTS, MLB	
LAST 5 YEARS (2008-12)	
Roy Halladay	11
Cliff Lee	11
<b>James Shields</b>	7
CC Sabathia	7

past first base in a complete game...last time was **Matt Garza's** no-hitter on July 26, 2010 vs. DET...finally, according to the Elias Sports Bureau, he became the first Ray to to throw complete game with 3 hits or less, 10 strikeouts or more and no walks.

**RAY NO. 1 SINCE THE BREAK**—Since the All-Star break, Rays pitchers lead the majors in team ERA (2.53), strikeouts (190) and lowest opponents batting average (.202) and are 9-9...in their last 37.1 innings the Rays bullpen has allowed only 2 runs and struck out 54...Rays relievers have worked 58.2 innings since the All-Star break and have been scored upon in only 5 of those innings...their 1.53 ERA (58.2-IP, 10-ER) since the break is tops in majors.

**HITS ARE SCARCE**—In the last 10 games (5-5), the Rays and their opponents have combined to hit .197 (133-for-674)...the Rays have batted .209 (72-for-344) and their opponents .184 (61-for-330)...overall, Rays opponents are batting just .238, lowest in the AL...Rays also led the AL in lowest opp avg. in 2010 and 2011...the last team to lead the AL in that category for three consecutive seasons was the 1983-85 Tigers.

**RAY DUBIOUS STREAK CONTINUES**—Last night was the Rays 25th game (19-6) of 10-plus hits, fewest in the majors...the Rays are batting .209 (72-for-344) over their last 10 and are batting .231 on the season, 29th in the majors...the Rays rank between Oakland (.230) and Seattle (.233) as the bottom 3 teams in the majors in batting...in the DH era (since 1973), there has never been a season when the AL had the three lowest-hitting teams in the majors, and the 1981 Blue Jays (.226) are the only AL team to finish with a lower average...the were 6-for-14 with RISP last night after batting .188 (26-for-138) in the previous 17 games...Rays have 18 steals in their last 13 games and are on top of the AL for the 5th straight season.

**BACK HOME**—The Rays open a 6-game homestand on Friday against AL East foes Baltimore and Toronto...at 23-18 the Rays have the best interdivisional record among the AL East teams...Tampa Bay is 11-6 at home vs. the AL East...the Rays are 15-24 in their last 39 home games after starting the season 13-1 at Tropicana Field.

**RAY vs. A's**—Rays are 2-3 this season...Oakland Coliseum is historically the Rays toughest AL port...the Rays are 20-47 (299) all-time here...they were 6-30 here prior to Manager **Joe Maddon's** arrival, but are 14-17 since...their overall mark vs. the A's of 50-84 (.373) is also the lowest winning pct. vs. an AL foe, but the 2 teams are 25-25 since the start of the 2007 season.

**RODNEY WHERE NO MAN HAS GONE BEFORE**—**Fernando Rodney** has 30 saves and a 0.76 ERA...since the save became an official statistic in 1969, no major league pitcher has ever finished the month of July with his current combination of saves and ERA...the closest to doing so were ATL **John Smoltz** (40, 0.81) in 2003 and **Dennis Eckersley** (32, 0.81) in 1990.

**LIFE WITHOUT LONGO**—3B **Evan Longoria** (partially torn left hamstring) did not play in Durham's game last night and the Bulls are off today...he is next scheduled to play Thursday when the Bulls host Gwinnett (Braves)...he has played in 4 games for Durham on his current rehab assignment—all as the DH—and is 2-for-12 with 4 walks and 2 RBI...the Rays are 39-42 since Longoria has been out...they were 15-8 at the time he went on the DL...**Ryan Roberts** is the 8th different Ray to play 3B in Longoria's absence and the 9th overall, most by an AL team since the 2007 Blue Jays.

WHERE RAYS STAND, AL & MLB RANKINGS				
<b>Pitching</b>	<b>AL</b>	<b>MLB</b>		
3.45 ERA	2nd	5th		
875 SO	1st	2nd		
.237 opp avg.	1st	2nd		
<b>Hitting</b>	<b>AL</b>	<b>MLB</b>		
.231 avg.	13th	29th		
381 BB	1st	1st		
45 HBP	1st	2nd		
849 SO	3rd	5th		
80 SB	1st	3rd		
<b>Fielding</b>	<b>AL</b>	<b>MLB</b>		
.980 field	13th	27th		
78 errors	2nd	4th		
<b>RAYS THRU 104 GAMES, 2008-12</b>				
<b>Year</b>	<b>W-L</b>	<b>Pct.</b>	<b>Pos</b>	<b>GB</b>
2012	54-50	.519	3rd	6.5
2011	54-50	.519	3rd	10.5
2010	65-39	.625	2nd	1.0
2009	57-47	.548	3rd	5.0
2008	61-43	.587	1st	1.0

AL WILD CARD STANDINGS			
Los Angeles	57-47	.548	--
Oakland	56-47	.544	0.5
Baltimore	55-49	.529	2.0
<b>Tampa Bay</b>	<b>54-50</b>	<b>.519</b>	<b>3.0</b>
Detroit	54-50	.519	3.0
Boston	53-51	.510	4.0
Toronto	51-52	.495	5.5
Cleveland	50-53	.485	6.5

Upcoming Games	Opp.	Time	TV	Rays Starting Pitcher	Opp. Starting Pitcher
Fri., Aug 3	BAL	7:10 p.m.	Sun Sports	LH Matt Moore (7-7, 4.01)	RH Tommy Hunter (4-6, 5.72)
Sat., Aug 4	BAL	7:10 p.m.	Sun Sports	RH Jeremy Hellickson (6-6, 3.23)	LH Wei-Yin Chen (9-6, 3.65)
Sat., Aug 5	BAL	7:10 p.m.	Sun Sports	LH David Price (14-4, 2.64)	RH Miguel Gonzalez (3-2, 4.46)

\*\*All games broadcast on WDAE 620 AM; Sat and Sun games will be broadcast in Spanish on WGES 680 AM. All times Eastern Standard Time (EST).\*\*





## TODAY'S STARTER—RH ALEX COBB (4-8, 4.93)

Year	Team	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Opp Avg.
2011	Durham	5-1	1.87	12	12	0	0	67.1	61	19	14	16	70	4	.251
	Tampa Bay	3-2	3.42	9	9	0	0	52.2	49	21	20	21	37	3	.244
2012	Durham	1-4	4.14	8	8	0	0	41.1	44	21	19	18	44	1	.267
	Tampa Bay	4-8	4.93	12	12	1	0	69.1	75	42	38	23	49	3	.283
Career Minors		35-28	3.07	114	107	0	0	582.2	541	238	199	169	516	41	.249
Career Majors		7-10	4.28	21	21	1	0	122.0	124	63	58	44	86	6	.266

### TODAY'S START & 2012 NOTES

- + 24-year-old makes his 13th start of the season, 22nd of his career...it will be his 6th start on the road this year.
- + **Last start:** On Fri at LAA, only allowed 3 runs in 7 innings but still took the loss opposite Dan Haren in a 3-1 defeat for the Rays...his line: 7 IP, 8 H, 3 R/ER, 0 BB, 3 SO, 93 pitches, 65 strikes...allowed all 3 runs in the 3rd inning, surrendering 4 straight 2-out hits...retired 13 of the final 15 batters he faced.
- + Since winning his first 2 starts, has gone 2-8 with a 5.49 ERA (57.1-IP, 35-ER) over his last 10 starts.
- + During his current 3-game losing streak, the Rays offense has scored only 1 run with him on the mound...in his 8 losses this year, the Rays have only scored 8 total runs of support (1 run or less in 6 of those starts).
- + On June 17 vs. MIA, struck out 10 in 7 scoreless innings...in 6 starts since then, has gone 1-5 with a 6.25 ERA (31.2-IP, 22-ER), 43 hits and 11 BB...has allowed 1st-inning runs in 4 of those 6 starts.
- + Throws his change-up 39.3 pct. of the time, the highest rate among all pitchers in the majors...James Shields currently leads all qualifying AL pitchers but even he only throws it 30.0 pct. of the time.
- + Opposing lineups are batting .329 (23-for-70) against him with runners in scoring position this year...has held opponents to a .238 (36-for-151) avg. with the bases empty compared to a .342 (39-for-114) avg. with runners on base.
- + Has a 3.05 groundball/flyball (GB/FB) ratio, which leads the majors since his debut on May 19...though 60.2 pct. of the balls hit off him are groundballs, opposing lineups still have a .327 average on balls put in play (BAPiP), which would rank 5th-highest in the AL if he qualified.
- + Has only allowed 6 HR in 21 career major league starts (122 IP)...has never allowed a home run to a right-handed batter (214 PA).
- + Has given up multiple runs in an inning (2 or more) in 10 of his 12 starts this year including his last 6.
- + Has held the top half of the order (batters 1-thru-5) to a .264 avg. (42-for-159) this season...however the bottom half of the order (batters 6-thru-9) is batting .311 (33-for-106) against him.
- + On July 21 vs. SEA, left the game after the 2nd inning with a lower right leg contusion...X-rays were negative...the Rays bullpen threw 7 scoreless innings but the Mariners still won, 2-1.
- + On May 25 at BOS beat Jon Lester, 7-4...it was the first career start at Fenway Park for Cobb, who was born in Boston.
- + Made his season debut on May 19 vs. ATL, earning the win opposite Randall Delgado.
- + Was recalled from Triple-A Durham on May 19 to take injured Jeff Niemann's place in the rotation.
- + Was 1-4 with a 4.14 ERA (41.1-IP, 19-ER) in 8 starts at Triple-A Durham this season...allowed 2 runs or less in 6 of his 8 starts but had two outings where he allowed 6 ER on April 24 (4-IP, 6-ER) and May 9 (1.2-IP, 7-R, 6-ER) that significantly raised his ERA.
- + Recalled on April 15 and flew to Boston to join the big league club as a member of the team's bullpen...James Shields pitched 8.1 innings on April 16 and Cobb was optioned back to the minors the next day.

2012 SPLITS	
vs. LH:	.280 (45-161), 3-HR
vs. RH:	.288 (30-104), 0-HR
Home:	2-5, 4.71 ERA (36.1-IP, 19-ER)
Road:	2-3, 5.18 ERA (33-IP, 19-ER)
2012 SEASON HIGHS	
Long Outing:	8.0, 6/25 at KC
Strikeouts:	10, 6/17 vs. MIA
Walks:	5, 7/16 vs. CLE
HR All'd:	2, 6/6 at NYY
Hits All'd:	13, 6/25 at KC
Runs All'd:	8, 6/25 at KC
Win Streak:	2G, 5/19-5/25
Loss Streak:	3G, 2x, last 7/17-current
CAREER HIGHS	
Long Outing:	8.0, 6/25/12 at KC
Strikeouts:	10, 6/25/12 vs. MIA
Walks:	5, 7/16/12 vs. CLE
HR All'd:	2, 6/6/12 at NYY
Hits All'd:	13, 6/25/12 at KC
Runs All'd:	6, 6/12/12 vs. NYM
Win Streak:	3G, 6/7-7/24/11
Loss Streak:	3G, 2x, last 7/17/12-current

### 2012 GAME LOG (AAA)

DATE	OPP	DEC	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	HB	WP	#P/K	RESULT	OPP.	WHEN LEFT
4/5	GWN	--	1.80	5.0	6	1	1	0	8	0	0	0	89/58	W, 4-3	-	-
4/10	CHA	L-1	2.25	7.0	4	2	2	1	2	0	0	1	85/58	L, 0-5	-	-
4/19	@CHA	--	2.00	6.0	2	2	1	5	6	0	0	0	90/48	L, 2-5	-	-
4/24	@NOR	L-2	4.09	4.0	8	6	6	4	6	0	0	0	88/51	L, 5-8	-	-
4/29	IND	L-3	3.81	6.1	8	2	2	0	5	1	0	0	95/65	L, 0-2	-	-
<b>APRIL</b>		<b>0-3</b>	<b>3.81</b>	<b>28.1</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>				
5/4	LOU	W-1	3.38	6.1	8	1	1	2	5	0	1	0	88/58	W, 7-1	-	-
5/9	@SYR	L-4	4.71	1.2	5	7	6	3	4	0	0	0	60/33	L, 8-15	-	-
5/14	SWB	--	4.14	5.0	3	0	0	3	8	0	1	1	99/60	W, 1-0	-	-
<b>MAY</b>		<b>1-1</b>	<b>4.85</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>				

### 2012 GAME LOG (MAJORS)

DATE	OPP	DEC	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	HB	WP	#P/K	RESULT	OPP.	WHEN LEFT
5/19	ATL	W-1	2.57	7.0	6	2	2	2	6	0	0	0	113/71	W, 5-2	Delgado	up 5-2
5/25	@BOS	W-2	2.25	5.0	3	2	1	4	2	0	0	1	96/51	W, 7-4	Lester	up 7-1
5/30	CWS	L-1	3.71	5.0	9	4	4	1	4	0	2	0	91/62	L, 3-4	Quintana	down 4-1
<b>MAY</b>		<b>2-1</b>	<b>3.71</b>	<b>17.0</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>				
6/6	@NYY	L-2	4.13	7.0	5	4	4	1	4	2	0	0	105/68	L, 1-4	Nova	down 4-1
6/12	NYM	L-3	4.70	6.2	7	6	5	3	6	0	0	1	109/70	L, 2-11	Young	down 4-2
6/17	MIA	W-3	3.82	7.0	2	0	0	1	10	0	1	0	100/69	W, 3-0	Johnson	up 3-0
6/25	@KC	L-4	4.73	8.0	13	8	8	0	1	1	0	0	113/74	L, 0-8	Hochevar	--
<b>JUNE</b>		<b>1-3</b>	<b>5.34</b>	<b>28.2</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>				
7/1	DET	L-5	4.94	5.1	8	5	4	2	3	0	1	0	100/64	L, 3-5	Smyly	down 4-3
7/6	@CLE	W-4	4.89	6.0	6	3	3	2	4	0	0	0	95/55	W, 10-3	Masterson	up 10-3
7/16	CLE	L-6	4.92	3.1	5	3	2	5	3	0	0	0	86/43	L, 2-3	McAllister	down 3-0
7/21	SEA	L-7	5.05	2.0	3	2	2	2	3	0	0	1	52/31	L, 1-2	Vargas	down 2-0
7/27	@LAA	L-8	4.93	7.0	8	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	93/65	L, 1-3	Haren	down 3-1
<b>JULY</b>		<b>1-4</b>	<b>5.32</b>	<b>23.2</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>				

### 2011 & CAREER NOTES

- + Broke into the majors in 2011 by making 9 starts for the Rays over three stints...was unbeaten (3-0) over his first 7 ML starts, the first AL pitcher to do so since MIN Kevin Slowey in 2007 (8 starts) and the only Ray to do it.
- + Made his final start on Aug 6 vs. OAK and was removed after 4.1 IP with discomfort in his right hand, later found to be thoracic outlet syndrome...underwent season-ending surgery Aug 18 to remove a blood clot and blockage in the area of his first right rib.
- + Was selected in the fourth round of the 2006 June Draft...the Vero Beach, Fla., native served as a Dodgers bat boy during spring training for three years in high school.

### COBB vs. ATHLETICS

- + In his only previous start against the A's, made his final start of the 2011 season on Aug 6 vs. OAK and was removed after 4.1 IP with discomfort in his right hand, later found to be thoracic outlet syndrome...allowed 5 R/ER in that start and saw his season ERA go from 2.79 to a season-ending 3.42...the Rays were shut out 8-0 as Brandon McCarthy threw 8 shutout innings...Cobb underwent season-ending surgery on Aug 18 to remove a blood clot and blockage in the area of his first right rib.

### OPPONENT MATCH-UPS

**A'S vs. COBB** (Career Avg.-AB-H-HR)—Crisp (.000-3-0-0)...Suzuki (.500-2-1-0)...Weeks (.333-3-1-0).

**RAYS vs. PARKER** (Career Avg.-AB-H-HR)—Never faced.



## #70 JOE MADDON, MANAGER

- + Ejected July 18 vs. CLE in the 7th inning by home plate umpire Dan Iassogna, his first of the season and 24th as a Ray, extending his club record.
- + Is the longest-tenured and winningest manager in Rays history at 549-527 (.510)...has a 422-330 (.561) record since the start of 2008...the Rays were 518-775 (.401) prior to his arrival...overall is 568-537 (.514) in his career, including a 19-10 interim stint with the Angels in 1999.
- + Two-time AL Manager of the Year (2008, 2011) is in his 7th season as Rays skipper...only three current major league managers have been at their posts longer: LAA Mike Scioscia (2000), MIN Ron Gardenhire (2002) and PHI Charlie Manuel (2005)...April 16 at BOS marked his 500th career win with the Rays...is 1 of 5 active managers with 500 wins with their current team...also Manuel, Scioscia, Gardenhire and DET Jim Leyland.
- + Managed his 1,000th game with the Rays on May 5...became the 5th manager in the modern era to manage at least 1,000 games for one team without ever playing in the majors, joining BAL Earl Weaver, NYY Joe McCarthy, PIT Jim Leyland and PHI Danny Ozark.
- + Earned 26 of 28 first-place votes from the BBWAA last fall in the Manager of the Year balloting...finished 3rd in 2010.

## RAYS HITTER NOTES

<b>#5 SAM FULD, OF</b>	<b>Tue:</b> 3-4, R	<b>Series:</b> 3-7, R	<b>Trip:</b> 9-23, 2-RBI, 2-2B, 3-R	<b>vs. LH:</b> .286 (2-7)
<b>2011:</b> .391/.417/.478, 0-HR, 2-RBI, 1-SB	<b>Current Hitting Streak:</b> 1G (.750, 3-4)		<b>RISP:</b> .750 (3-4)	<b>vs. RH:</b> .438 (7-16)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>+ Recorded 3 hits yesterday for the second time in 7 games this season after being activated from the disabled list July 24...overall has gone 9-for-23 with 2 doubles, 2 RBI, 3 runs scored and a stolen base in 7 games (5 starts)...missed 96 games while recovering from surgery to repair ligaments in his right wrist...underwent surgery on April 3 and was expected to be out 4-5 months but came back in less than 3.</li><li>+ Made 10 rehab appearances between Class-A Charlotte (5) and Triple-A Durham (5), hitting a combined .161 (5-for-31) with a double and 5 BB.</li><li>+ Appeared in 9 spring training games and hit .217 (5-for-23) with 5 R, 5 BB and 2 SB before being sidelined with a right wrist injury on March 23.</li><li>+ The 30-year-old spent his first full season in the majors in 2011, batting .240/.313/.360 (74-for-308) with 18 doubles, 5 triples and 20 stolen bases in 105 games...led the AL with 6 pinch-hits and led all AL pinch-hitters with 6 BB, 6 runs and a .571 OBP, all franchise records...his 21 plate appearances as a pinch-hitter were 2nd-most in the AL, behind only CWS/TOR Mark Teahen (27).</li><li>+ Was 1 of 3 finalists among AL left fielders for a Gold Glove in 2011 despite only making 76 outfield starts (68-LF, 4-CF, 4-RF).</li></ul>				
<b>#8 DESMOND JENNINGS, OF</b>	<b>Tue:</b> 1-5, RBI, 2-R	<b>Series:</b> 1-10, RBI, 2-R	<b>Trip:</b> 6-30, HR, 2B, 2-RBI, 3-R	<b>vs. LH:</b> .205 (15-73), HR
<b>2012:</b> .235/.301/.358, 7-HR, 29-RBI, 18-SB	<b>Current Hitting Streak:</b> 1G (.200, 1-5)		<b>RISP:</b> .217 (15-69)	<b>vs. RH:</b> .245 (56-229), 6-HR
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>+ Has just 5 hits in 29 at-bats (.172) in his last 7 starts since returning to the leadoff spot...despite the average, had a career-long 11-game on-base streak from July 18-29...of the 21 major league players with 200 or more at-bats out of the leadoff spot, ranks 18th in batting average (.228), 17th in OBP (.300) and 18th in SLG (.350)...was 10-for-30 in his previous 9 games (July 14-22) all from the 7-slot.</li><li>+ Hit his 3rd career lead-off home run and second this season July 24 at BAL...it was his 2nd on the first pitch of the game (also Aug 28, 2011 at TOR).</li><li>+ Tied for the team lead with 19 SB this season and ranks T-6th in the AL...his 95.0 SB pct. (18-for-19) is 2nd-highest in the AL...has been successful in his last 18 SB attempts, with his only CS coming on April 10 at DET...his steal of second in the 6th inning on July 17 vs. CLE was the first that Josh Tomlin had allowed since Sep 19, 2010 at KC and only 3rd he had allowed in his career...the stolen base snapped a streak of 267.1 IP without a stolen base for Tomlin, which was the longest active streak in the majors.</li><li>+ Hitting .217/.282/.333 (41-for-189) in 50 games since being activated from the DL on June 5...was batting .265 (30-for-113) through May 14 before being sidelined 21 games with a left knee sprain.</li><li>+ Has appeared in 81 games this season (61-LF, 20-CF) and has made 75 starts (57-LF, 18-CF)...hitting .235/.301/.358 (71-for-302) with 7 HR, 19 SB, 43 runs and 25 BB this season compared to .259/.356/.449 (64-for-247) with 10 HR, 20 SB, 44 runs and 31 BB in 63 games last year.</li></ul>				
<b>#9 ELLIOT JOHNSON, UTL</b>	<b>Tue:</b> 0-2 (PH in 7th)	<b>Series:</b> 0-3	<b>Trip:</b> 2-14, 2-RBI, 2-BB	<b>vs. LH:</b> .162 (12-74), 2-HR
<b>2012:</b> .252/.316/.352, 4-HR, 27-RBI, 16-SB	<b>Current Hitting Streak:</b> ---		<b>RISP:</b> .328 (20-61)	<b>vs. RH:</b> .290 (51-176), 2-HR
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>+ Has just 6 hits in 43 at-bats (.140), 2 for extra-bases, in 16 games during the second half...hit .324 (12-for-37) in his final 11 games of the first half.</li><li>+ Has already set career highs in games played (90) and virtually every offensive category...has already started 68 games (59-SS, 7-2B, 1-3B, 1-DH) after making only 45 starts last year...has appeared in 81 of the last 85 games (65 starts) after only playing in 9 of the first 19 (3 starts).</li><li>+ Is hitting .328 (20-for-61) with RISP this season, highest average on the Rays (min. 25 AB)...not including Johnson the Rays are hitting .230 (176-for-765) with RISP this season.</li><li>+ Is batting only .218/.273/.275 (31-for-142) in 47 games at Tropicana Field this year compared to .296/.372/.454 (32-for-108) with 3 HR and 18 RBI in 43 road games this season.</li><li>+ Is batting .271/.325/.380 (62-for-229) as a starter (68 games)...is 1-for-21 (.048/.231/.048) off the bench (22 games).</li><li>+ Ranks 3rd on the team with 16 stolen bases this season (14th in the AL)...had 6 career stolen bases entering the season.</li><li>+ Has committed 9 errors this season, all at SS...committed 5 E in 11 G from June 5-16, but has only committed 1 since July 1...prior to June 5, had made only 6 E in 125 career games.</li></ul>				
<b>#20 MATT JOYCE, OF</b>	<b>Tue:</b> 1-4, 2B, R	<b>Series:</b> 2-8, HR, RBI, 3-R	<b>Trip:</b> 6-29, HR, 2-2B, 4-BB	<b>vs. LH:</b> .229 (16-70), 2-HR
<b>2012:</b> .269/.371/.482, 12-HR, 37-RBI, 4-SB	<b>Current Hitting Streak:</b> 3G (.250, 3-12)		<b>RISP:</b> .242 (16-66)	<b>vs. RH:</b> .285 (51-179), 10-HR
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>+ Hit a solo home run in the 6th inning Monday at OAK, his first HR since June 10 at MIA (17 games)...nine of his 12 homers this year have been solo shots while 7 have come on the 5th pitch or later in the AB.</li><li>+ Has gone 3-for-19 since he snapped his 7-game hitting streak Friday, which was tied for his career long streak...is 11-for-48 with 1 HR, 3 RBI, 5 BB and 2 SB since being activated from the DL July 17 after missing 23 games with a left external oblique strain...Rays went 8-15 in his absence.</li><li>+ Hitting .229 (16-for-70) against LHP in 69 games this season...hit .217 (20-for-92) vs. LHP last year.</li><li>+ Ranked 8th in the AL with a .387 OBP and T-11th with a .899 OPS prior to being placed on the DL on June 22...hitting .269 (65-for-241) this season, the highest mark on the team among those with 200 or more at-bats.</li><li>+ Is batting .333 (55-for-165) against starting pitchers this year but only .143 (12-for-84) against relief pitching.</li><li>+ His 3rd-inning grand slam May 25 at BOS off Jon Lester was his 4th career slam and his 2nd in a span of 6 days (May 19 vs. ATL)...his 4 grand slams rank 3rd in club history, behind Carlos Peña and Ben Zobrist (5)...is a .370/.400/.889 (10-for-27) hitter with 6 XBH in his career with the bases loaded.</li></ul>				
<b>#7 JEFF KEPPIINGER, INF</b>	<b>Tue:</b> 1-3, RBI	<b>Series:</b> 2-9, RBI, 2-R	<b>Trip:</b> 8-30, HR, 2B, 3-RBI, SB	<b>vs. LH:</b> .433 (29-67), HR
<b>2012:</b> .316/.381/.430, 4-HR, 21-RBI, 1-SB	<b>Current Hitting Streak:</b> 3G (.231, 3-13)		<b>RISP:</b> .275 (14-51)	<b>vs. RH:</b> .254 (32-126), 3-HR
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>+ In 18 games since the All-Star break, is batting .328/.419/.469 (21-for-64) with 6 XBH, 6 RBI and 8 BB...since April 25, his .354 (52-for-147) batting average and .429 OBP lead the AL (min. 100 AB).</li><li>+ Is batting .433 (29-for-67) vs. LH this season, the best mark in the AL and the 3rd-best in the majors (min 50 AB)...owns a career .335 (224-for-668) avg. against LHP, the 5th-highest in the majors among active players (min 600 AB)...has 9 hits in his last 16 AB (.563) vs. southpaws.</li><li>+ Since coming off the DL on June 23, is batting .333 (35-for-105) with 13 RBI (32 G)...was batting .295 (26-for-88) with 8 RBI (29 G) before the DL stint</li><li>+ Is hitting .316 (61-for-193), making him the only active Ray with the exception of Sam Fuld (.391, 9-for-23) hitting above .300.</li><li>+ Is 5-for-7 in PH appearances this season and 17-for-49 (.347) for his career.</li><li>+ His 5 hits June 23 at PHI tied the club record and his career high (also May 10, 2008 at NYM in G2 of a doubleheader) in his first game back after being activated from the DL...became only the fifth player in Rays history to collect 5 hits in a game (most recently B.J. Upton, Oct 2, 2009 vs. NYY).</li><li>+ Has only 12 SO in 215 PA, making him the hardest to strike out in the AL this season with a 17.92 PA/SO rate (min. 100 PA)...has struck out swinging only five times this season.</li><li>+ Has appeared 61 games, 52 starts (14-2B, 22-3B, 12-DH, 4-1B)...was Opening Day cleanup hitter and DH (both career firsts) vs. CC Sabathia.</li></ul>				
<b>#21 JOSE LOBATON, C</b>	<b>Tue:</b> 1-3, BB, R	<b>Series:</b> 2-6, BB, R	<b>Trip:</b> 6-19, HR, 4-RBI, 2-BB	<b>vs. LH:</b> .341 (14-41)
<b>2012:</b> .239/.355/.325, 1-HR, 12-RBI, 0-SB	<b>Current Hitting Streak:</b> 3G (.333, 3-9)		<b>RISP:</b> .222 (6-27), HR	<b>vs. RH:</b> .184 (14-76), HR
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>+ Has 6 hits in 19 at-bats in 7 games (5 starts) on the current road trip after he totaled just 5 hits in 21 AB in 8 games (5 starts) on the last homestand.</li><li>+ Belted his first career home run July 25 at BAL, as well as setting single-game career-highs with 3 hits and 4 RBI...became the first Rays catcher since Dioner Navarro on June 9, 2008 to record at least 3 hits with at least 4 RBI in a single game.</li><li>+ Since July 20 is hitting a .346/.433/.500 (9-for-26) clip with 1 HR, 1 2B and 4 RBI in that 9-game span...is hitting .275/.383/.400 (11-for-40) in 15 games during the second half after he hit .221/.341/.286 in 27 games during the first half.</li><li>+ Has played a career-high 42 games, including 32 starts at catcher...missed 41 games with right shoulder soreness, but since being activated from the 15-day DL on May 28 has started 30 of the team's 55 games at catcher..</li><li>+ Hitting .305/.431/.424 (18-for-59) in 21 road games this season compared to .172/.273/.224 (10-for-58) in 21 games at home.</li></ul>				

**#28 JOSE MOLINA, C** Tue: DNP Series: 1-3 Trip: 1-9 vs. LH: .129 (4-31)  
**2012:** .189/.250/.302, 4-HR, 16-RBI, 1-SB Current Hitting Streak: 1G (.333, 1-3) RISP: .158 (6-38) vs. RH: .200 (26-128), 4-HR

- + Has already played in 62 games, including 51 starts at catcher, after playing in 55 games with 44 starts at catcher all of 2011 with Toronto...batting .189/.250/.302 (30-for-159) with 4 HR and 16 RBI this season after hitting .281/.342/.415 (48-for-171) with 3 HR and 15 RBI last season.
- + Thrown out 11 of 36 (30.5 pct) attempted base stealers this season, while his 69.4 stolen base percentage is the lowest among AL catchers and ranks 4th in the majors...entering 2012, had thrown out 37.3 pct. (153-of-410) of attempted basestealers.
- + Is on pace to play 97 games this year, after averaging only 55 games in his previous 3 seasons...career high is 100 games for the 2008 Yankees when he filled in for an injured Jorge Posada.
- + His steal of 2nd base July 19 vs. CLE was the 13th stolen base of his career (723 games) and his first since June 5, 2011 at BAL with Toronto.
- + Has started back-to-back games 7 times this year...did not start consecutive games at all last year with Toronto.
- + During his career, pitchers have combined for a 3.91 ERA when throwing to him, 6th-best among active catchers (min. 500 G).

**#23 CARLOS PEÑA, 1B** Tue: 0-3, RBI, Sac Fly Series: 2-9, 3-RBI, 2B Trip: 6-24, 2-2B, 4-RBI, 4-R vs. LH: .159 (20-126), 5-HR  
**2012:** .195/.320/.351, 14-HR, 44-RBI, 2-SB Current Hitting Streak: --- RISP: .151 (13-86), 3-HR vs. RH: .213 (52-244), 9-HR

- + Hitting .195/.320/.351 through 104 games this season...his batting avg. and SLG are the lowest they have ever been through 104 games in any season of his 12-year career, while his OBP is the 2nd-lowest of his career through this point of the season (.315 in 2002 with OAK/DET).
- + Is batting .151 (13-for-86) with RISP this season, the 4th-lowest mark in the American League...with his 2-run double in the 4th Mon at OAK, now has 4 RBI in his last 12 PA with RISP dating back July 19...did not plate any runs in his previous 18 PA with RISP from June 24 (G2) to July 18.
- + Is 11-for-63 (.175/.246/.270) with 1 HR in 17 games since the All-Star break...entered this season with a career line of .244/.362/.510 after the break.
- + The 34-year-old is 1 of 6 players in the AL to have appeared in every team game so far this season, joining DET Prince Fielder and Miguel Cabrera, BAL Adam Jones, NYY Robinson Cano and KC Alex Gordon...played in a career-high 153 games for the Cubs in 2011.
- + Ranks tied for 3rd in the AL with 61 BB...from the start of the season through June 25, reached base via walk once every 6.04 PA (52 BB/314 PA), the 2nd-best rate in the AL...in the 31 games since then, has walked just 9 times in 127 trips to the plate (14.1 PA/BB) compared to 44 SO.
- + Has just 13 hits in his last 114 AB (.114) vs LHP since April 18 after starting the season 7-for-12 vs. LHP.
- + His 135 SO rank 2nd in the majors to CWS Adam Dunn (150)...is on pace for 210 SO...his career high is 166 SO in 2008.
- + Is the Rays all-time home run leader with 158...averaged 36 HR, 102 RBI and 93 BB per year during his first stint with the Rays (2007-10).

**#19 RYAN ROBERTS, INF** Tue: DNP Series: 0-5, BB Trip: 1-19, HR, 2-RBI, 5-BB vs. LH: .258 (25-97), 3-HR  
**2012:** .236/.306/.347, 7-HR, 36-RBI, 6-SB Current Hitting Streak: --- RISP: .225 (18-80) vs. RH: .224 (39-174), 4-HR

- + Has gone hitless in 18 consecutive AB since hitting a HR in his 1st official AB with the Rays July 25 at BAL, but owns a share of the AL lead with 6 BB during that 6-game stretch...was the 2nd Rays player this season to hit a HR in his 1st AB with the team (also Brandon Allen on April 26 vs. LAA).
- + Has reached base safely in 12 of his 14 starts during the month of July...is hitting .235/.394/.294 (12-for-51) with 13 BB in 22 games (14 starts) in July, including a .229/.417/.314 (8-for-35) line in 15 games since the All-Star break, after he hit .236/.282/.359 (52-for-220) in 67 games through the end of June...overall has reached base safely in 17 of 22 games in July.
- + Has scored 10 runs in his last 12 games, including a 6-game streak that ended Fri at LAA...hit .364/.579/.636 (4-for-11) in that 6 game span.
- + The 31-year-old infielder was acquired Tuesday night from Arizona in exchange for minor league 2B Tyler Bortnick...was designated for assignment by the D-backs before being traded to the Rays.
- + Set career highs in several offensive categories in 2011, including doubles (25), home runs (19), RBI (65) and slugging percentage (.427).
- + Is a career .248/.331/.397 hitter with 36 HR, 136 RBI and 139 BB in 7 ML seasons and has made apps at 3B (196), 2B (103), OF (36) and SS (1).

**#1 SEAN RODRIGUEZ, INF** Tue: 1-3, RBI, BB Series: 1-5, RBI, 2-BB Trip: 1-12, RBI, 4-BB, R vs. LH: .217 (18-83)  
**2012:** .208/.271/.326, 6-HR, 28-RBI, 5-SB Current Hitting Streak: 1G (.333, 1-3) RISP: .237 (14-59) vs. RH: .204 (37-181), 6-HR

- + His RBI single in the 6th yesterday was his first hit since July 13, a span of 9 games and 19 AB... hit .313 (5-for-16) over his first 8 games in July.
- + Has not appeared in 7 of the Rays 18 games since the All-Star break...only missed 4 of the team's 86 games during the first half of the season...has made just 4 starts and 5 appearances on the current road trip.
- + Nine of his last 14 hits have driven in a run, while 5 of his last 11 hits have either tied the game or given the Rays the lead.
- + Has just 6 hits in his last 46 AB (.130) vs. LHP...is batting .217 (18-for-83) vs. lefties this year after hitting .273 (38-for-139) against them last year.
- + Hit .300/.329/.486 in his first 21 games in May after Evan Longoria's injury, but has hit .168/.241/.282 (22-for-131) over his last 51 games since May 23...overall, is batting .2124(43-for-201) with 5 HR, 11 2B and 23 RBI in 72 games (56 starts) since Longoria went on the disabled list...has made a team-high 40 apps and 21 starts at third base since Longoria's injury...only hit .190 (12-for-63) with 1 HR in April prior to the injury.
- + 26-year-old has played in 93 of 104 games this season, including 74 starts (39-SS, 15-2B, 21-3B)...was the Opening Day SS.

**#2 B.J. UPTON, CF** Tue: 2-5, 2-RBI, R, SB Series: 2-12, 2-RBI, R, SB Trip: 7-32, 2-RBI, 2B, 2-BB vs. LH: .214 (21-98), 3-HR  
**2012:** .244/.305/.372, 9-HR, 38-RBI, 19-SB Current Hitting Streak: 1G (.400, 2-5) RISP: .220 (18-82) vs. RH: .256 (63-246), 6-HR

- + Needs just 1 HR before his birthday (Aug 21) to become only the 8th player in major league history to reach 100 HR and 200 SB before age 28.
- + Put together 10 multi-hit performances during July, but hit only .245/.316/.396 (25-for-101) over the course of the month.
- + Went 0-for-7 Mon at OAK, becoming the first Rays player in franchise history to have 7 or more at-bats in a single game and be held hitless.
- + Hit .280/.345/.480 (7-for-25) in 6 games from July 17-22 batting leadoff, but has hit .219/.265/.250 (7-for-32) in his last 8 games, all from the 2-hole.
- + Was hitting .301 (37-for-123) going into play on May 28 but has seen his average drop 57 points over his last 55 games, hitting .211 (47-for-223) over that span...has 70 SO since May 28, the 4th most in the majors in during that span.
- + Batting .222 (45-for-203) with all 9 of his home runs with no one on base this year compared to a .277 (39-for-141) avg. with runners on base.
- + Tied with Desmond Jennings for the team lead and ranks T-6th in the American League with 19 SB.
- + Tied for the lead among ML CF with 7 OF assists, his most since he had 16 in 2008...has 49 OF assists since 2007, most among ML center fielders.
- + Struck out 4 times July 8 at CLE for the third time this season, tying the franchise record for most 4 SO games in a single season (Carlos Pena, 2007)...has struck out 3 or more times in a game 11 times this season, 2nd-most in the AL behind only CWS Adam Dunn (13)...he and Carlos Pena are the only pair of AL teammates to each have 100 SO this season.

**#18 BEN ZOBRIST, 2B/OF** Mon: 1-5, RBI, R Series: 3-11, RBI, R, BB Trip: 6-20, HR, 3-RBI, 2-R vs. LH: .263 (30-114), 3-HR  
**2012:** .248/.370/.445, 12-HR, 42-RBI, 12-SB Current Hitting Streak: 5G (.286, 6-21), HR RISP: .250 (16-64) vs. RH: .241 (58-241), 9-HR

- + Is hitting .242/.363/.409 (16-for-66) with 12 BB in 18 games to start the 2nd half...had a .351 avg. (33-for-94) in his final 27 games of the 1st half.
- + His home run Sat at LAA was his 3rd HR this season off a left-handed pitcher and his 2nd off C.J. Wilson...had not homered off a LH since May 13 when he went deep off BAL Troy Patton... since the start of June, is hitting .345 (20-for-58) vs. LHP.
- + Has recorded 8 XBH in 18 games during the 2nd half...totaled 8 doubles in July, his most of any month this season.
- + His walk-off, RBI triple in the 14th inning on July 20 vs. SEA was the 2nd walk-off hit of his career (also July 8, 2009 vs. TOR)...leads the team and ranks T-2nd in the AL in triples (5)...has 24 triples for his career, 3rd on the Rays all-time list.
- + Batting .290/.397/.492 (53-for-183) since the start of June after batting .203/.342/.395 (35-for-172) through the first two months of the season.
- + Since June 7, is batting .305 (50-for-164) with 22 XBH, 32 BB and 23 RBI in 65 games...has 14 multi-hit games and has raised his avg. 48 points during that span...meanwhile, the rest of the offense has only hit .225 (319-for-1,415) while the Rays are 21-25.
- + Ranks 2nd in the majors with 68 BB...has swung at 36.4 percent of pitches seen, the lowest rate in the AL.

## RAYS BULLPEN NOTES

**#31 BURKE BADENHOP, RH** Last App: 7/30 at OAK (2.0-IP, 1-H, 0-R, 0-BB, 1-SO) Saves-Opps: 0-0 vs. LH: .266 (17-64) 2-HR  
**2012:** 1-2-0, 3.35 ERA, 48 G Long Relief App: 2.0, 6x-last 7/30 at OAK IR-RS: 25-9 vs. RH: .270 (31-115), 4-HR

- + Owns a 1.88 ERA (24-IP, 5-ER) in 26 apps at home compared to a 4.98 ERA (21.2-IP, 12-ER) in 22 apps on the road.
- + Has pitched 2 or more innings in 6 apps this season after he had 13 such apps both 2010-11 and a career-high 20 outings of 2+ IP in 2009.
- + Has allowed 6 HR in 45.2 IP this season after only allowing 1 HR in his previous 71 IP coming into the year...according to FanGraphs, 15.0 pct. of the fly balls he has allowed have been home runs this year...last year only 2.4 pct. of the fly balls he allowed were home runs.
- + Has a 2.27 ERA (35.2-IP, 9-ER) since the start of May...had a 7.20 ERA (10-IP, 8-ER) in April...has made 48 apps this season, T-7th in the AL.
- + Had a career-long streak of 11 consecutive scoreless apps (10.2 IP) that spanned a month (May 20-June 20).
- + Has allowed 9 of his 25 inherited runners (36 percent) to score this year, the 9th highest percentage in the AL.
- + Eleven of his 13 apps in July have been scoreless...in 14 apps in May, posted a 1.42 ERA (12.2-IP, 2-ER), tied for the 7th-best mark in the AL.



## RAYS BULLPEN NOTES (continued)

**#40 WADE DAVIS, RH** Last App: 7/30 at OAK (1.0-IP, 1-H, 0-R, 2-BB, 3-SO) Saves-Opps: 0-0 vs. LH: .175 (14-80), 0-HR  
 2012: 1-0-0, 2.64 ERA, 34 G Long Relief App: 3.0, 4/13 at BOS IR-RS: 17-4 vs. RH: .240 (23-96), 5-HR

- + Has a 2.64 ERA (47.2-IP, 14-ER) so far in his first year out of the bullpen...had a 4.22 career ERA as a starter from 2009-11.
- + Has made 13 appearances on 1 day of rest or less this season, and has a 0.98 ERA in those games (18.1-IP, 2-ER)...has a 2.00 ERA (27-IP, 6-ER) when pitching on 2 days of rest or less...has a 3.48 ERA (20.2-IP, 8-ER) on 3 days or more of rest.
- + Allowed a run in 3 consecutive appearances from June 21-28 after he had previously had never allowed runs in back-to-back games as a reliever...pitched to a 4.97 ERA (12.2-IP, 7 ER) in 9 apps in June after he posted a 1.85 ERA (24.1-IP, 5-ER) in 17 combined apps in April and May.
- + According to FanGraphs, is averaging 93.0 mph on his fastball this year compared to 91.4 mph last year...is also throwing his curveball faster (80.7 mph in 2012 vs. 78.6 mph in 2011) and with more frequency (21.1 pct of his total pitches in 2012 vs. 16.3 pct in 2011).
- + 25 of his 34 apps have been scoreless...18 of his 34 apps have been longer than 1 IP...has allowed 5 HR this season, 4 at home.
- + Posted a 1.42 ERA (12.2-IP, 2-ER) in May, tied with Burke Badenhop for 7th best in the AL...earned his first career win as a reliever May 22 vs. TOR.

**#43 KYLE FARNSWORTH, RH** Last App: 7/30 at OAK (0.2-IP, 1-H, 1-R/ER, 2-BB, 0-SO) Saves-Opps: 0-0 vs. LH: .211 (4-19), 0-HR  
 2012: 0-3-0, 5.59 ERA, 11 G Long Relief App: 1.0, 8x-last 7/29 at LAA IR-RS: -- vs. RH: .188 (3-16), 0-HR

- + Holding the opposition to a .200 batting average (7-for-35) in his 11 apps this season, but has issued 8 walks compared to 13 strikeouts...only walked 12 batters compared to 51 strikeouts in 63 apps last season.
- + Has allowed runs in 3 of 11 outings this season and has suffered the loss in all 3 games...has a 32.40 ERA (1.2-IP, 6-ER) in his 3 losses this season.
- + Yesterday at OAK allowed a run in the bottom of the 15th and took the loss...was the first time he pitched in back-to-back games this season.
- + Entered the game July 16 vs. CLE to open the 6th inning, the earliest he's entered a game since Sep 21, 2010 when he entered in the 5th for ATL.
- + On July 4 vs. NYY suffered his first loss since June 13, 2011 at DET...walked 4 NYY hitters, his most as a reliever since Sep 29, 2000 (with CHC).
- + Made his first appearance of the season on June 30 vs. DET after he was activated from the 60-day DL (right elbow strain) before the game.
- + 13-year veteran spent his first season with the Rays in 2011 and earned a career-high 25 saves in 31 chances over 63 apps...posted a career-best 2.18 ERA, 2nd among AL closers...went 2 weeks between apps in September due to right elbow tenderness.
- + Has a career 2.44 ERA (59-IP, 16-ER) at Tropicana Field, the closest ballpark to his residence in Celebration (near Orlando)...NYY Mariano Rivera (1.07) and Joel Peralta (1.89) are the only relievers with a lower career ERA at the Trop (min. 50 IP).

**#39 J.P. HOWELL, LH** Last App: 7/30 at OAK (1.0-IP, 0-H, 0-R, 2-BB, 1-SO) Saves-Opps: 0-0 vs. LH: .188 (12-64), 1-HR  
 2012: 1-0-0 3.16 ERA, 38 G Long Relief App: 2.1, 5/5 vs. OAK IR-RS: 18-3 vs. RH: .222 (14-63), 3-HR

- + Has not surrendered a run over his last 15 outings starting June 14, lowering his ERA by 3.00 points during that span (6.16 to 3.16).
- + He and teammate Fernando Rodney each have current 18-inning scoreless streaks, longest active streaks by a ML reliever, and longest by a Rays reliever this season...is 3 IP shy of the team record 21 IP for a reliever, set by Joe Borowski in 2005...this stretch comes after he allowed 11 earned runs in 8 IP over a span of 12 apps from May 12-June 13.
- + Has allowed only 3 of his 18 (16.7 pct) inherited baserunners to score this season, tied for the 12th-lowest percentage in the AL (min. 35 IP).
- + Had a 1.64 ERA (11-IP, 2-ER) through May 5...has a 6.30 ERA (10-IP, 7-ER) with 8 hits allowed against AL East opponents (15 apps) this year but has not allowed a run (0.00 ERA) with only 10 hits allowed and 14 SO in 20.2 IP (16 apps) against all other AL opponents.
- + Has allowed 4 HR in 38 apps this season after he allowed 5 homers over 46 apps in 2011.
- + Had a 2.48 ERA over 2008-09, but since returning last May from a shoulder injury that forced him to miss all of 2010, has posted a 4.52 ERA (67.2-IP, 34-ER) with 56 hits and 34 BB allowed.

**#52 JOSH LUEKE, RH** Last App: 5/18 vs. ATL (1.0-IP, 0-H, 0-R/ER, 0-BB, 2-SO) Saves-Opps: 0-0 vs. LH: .667 (6-9), 0-HR  
 2012: 0-0-0, 18.90 ERA, 3 G Long Relief App: 1.1, 4/7 vs. NYY IR-RS: 2-2 vs. RH: .429 (3-7), 0-HR

- + 27-year-old was recalled from Triple-A Durham yesterday for his third stint in the majors this year...spent three days in the majors during his last stint...was recalled on May 15 after Jeff Niemann was placed on the DL and then optioned on May 18 to make room for Alex Cobb on the roster...also made the Opening Day roster (replacing Kyle Farnsworth) and was optioned on April 14 after giving up 7 runs over his first 2 apps.
- + Since being optioned to Durham on May 18, has pitched to a 3.60 ERA (40-IP, 16-ER) in 21 apps...in 32 apps overall at Durham this year, has a 1-3 record with 2 saves and a 4.73 ERA (53.1-IP, 28-ER)...has 55 SO and only 15 BB, but has allowed 59 hits.
- + Had a 0.55 ERA (16.1-IP, 1-ER) for Durham over 8 appearances in July and pitched multiple innings in 6 of those 8 appearances.
- + Made his Rays debut on April 7 vs. NYY and allowed 3 runs, 2 of which scored on a homer allowed by Joel Peralta after he left the game.

**#57 JAKE MCGEE, LH** Last App: 7/30 at OAK (1.0-IP, 1-H, 0-R, 2-BB, 2-SO) Saves-Opps: 0-2 vs. LH: .283 (17-60), 2-HR  
 2012: 3-2-0, 2.62 ERA, 46 G Long Relief App: 2.1, 5/3 vs. SEA IR-RS: 37-11 vs. RH: .132 (9-68), 1-HR

- + Six of the 7 outs recorded over his last 3 apps (2.1 IP) have come via the strikeout...allowed 5 runs over 5 apps (3.1-IP) from July 5-18, including season highs with 3 ER and 4 hits on July 18 vs. CLE...prior to those 5 apps (before July 5), had only allowed 5 runs all season (37 apps, 28 IP).
- + The lefty has limited RH hitters to a .132 (9-for-68) avg. ...coming into the year, righties were hitting .345 (20-for-58) against him for his career.
- + Has inherited 37 baserunners this season, tied for the highest total in the AL...has allowed 11 IR to score, the 6th most in the AL.
- + 39 of his 46 apps this season have been scoreless...had a 4.50 ERA (28-IP, 14-ER) last year.
- + Opponents have only collected 5 hits against him when he is ahead in the count this year (5-for-48, .104).
- + Did not allow a homer in his first 30 apps this year...since then (starting June 23), has allowed a homer in 3 of his last 16 apps.
- + 25-year-old has held lefties to a career .223 (29-for-130) avg. while righties have hit .230 (29-for-126).
- + Did not allow a run at home this year until his 20th appearance at Tropicana Field...the 19-game streak without being charged with a run at home was the most ever by a Rays reliever to start a season...opponents hit just .107 (6-for-56) with 22 SO against only 4 BB in those games.

**#62 JOEL PERALTA, RH** Last App: 7/30 at OAK (1.0-IP, 0-H, 0-R, 0-BB, 1-SO) Saves-Opps: 2-5 vs. LH: .169 (14-83), 4-HR  
 2012: 1-3-2, 3.86 ERA, 49 G Long Relief App: 1.2, 2x-last 5/2 vs. SEA IR-RS: 26-9 vs. RH: .194 (13-67), 3-HR

- + Since allowing 7 runs over his first 4 apps of the year (1.2-IP), has pitched to a 2.45 ERA (40.1-IP, 11-ER) with 49 SO and 5 BB over his last 46 apps.
- + Over his last 8 apps, has struck out 13 of the 24 batters he has faced while only allowing 1 BB and 1 hit (0 runs)...has 52 SO in 42 IP this year.
- + Ranks T-3rd in the AL in apps (49) and 2nd in holds (23).
- + Has allowed 7 HR in 42 IP this season, tied for 2nd-most among AL relievers...only allowed 7 in 67.2 IP last season.
- + Has made 13 apps, 11 scoreless, since his 8-game suspension...was ejected for the first time in his career on June 19 at WAS before throwing a pitch when umpires found a foreign substance on his glove.
- + Has been on the mound for 3 of the 6 Rays blown saves this season...has entered the game in the 8th inning in 38 of his 49 apps this year.
- + Has a 2.38 ERA (22.2-IP, 6-ER) in 27 apps at home this season compared to a 5.59 ERA (19.1-IP, 12-ER) in 22 apps on the road.
- + 9 of his 26 (34.6 percent) inherited runners have scored, the 11th highest percentage in the AL...his 9 IRSc are tied for the 12th-most in the AL.
- + Has recorded 2 saves: May 2 vs. SEA and May 11 vs. OAK.

**#56 FERNANDO RODNEY, RH** Last App: 7/30 at OAK (1.0-IP, 1-H, 0-R, 0-BB, 2-SO) Saves-Opps: 30-31 vs. LH: .165 (16-97), 1-HR  
 2012: 2-1-30, 0.76 ERA, 48 G Long Relief App: 2.0, 3x-last 7/20 vs. SEA IR-RS: 12-2 vs. RH: .200 (14-70), 0-HR

- + **Major League Ranks:** T-3rd in saves (30), 2nd in ERA as a reliever (0.76) and games finished (42)...T-7th in AL in apps (48).
- + Since saves became an official statistic in 1969, he is the only pitcher in major league history to have this combination of saves and ERA on this date.
- + The 30 saves are the 2nd-highest total of his career (37 in 2009 with Detroit)...opposing batters are only hitting .155 (15-for-97) against him in save situations...has only allowed 8 hits to his last 53 batters faced in save situations dating back to May 27 at BOS.
- + Has converted 96.8 pct. of his save opportunities (30-for-31), 2nd-best in the majors behind SD Huston Street...has converted 15 straight save opps.
- + Has only allowed 1 ER at Tropicana Field this season, posting a 0.33 ERA (27.1-IP, 2-R, 1-ER) in 27 apps at home.
- + Came into the season with a career 4.9 BB/9 IP rate and 1.69 SO/BB ratio...has a 1.32 BB/9 IP rate and 6.86 SO/BB (48-SO, 7-BB) ratio this year.
- + Even when he is behind in the count has held opponents to a .125 (5-for-40) avg., compared to the league avg. of .300.
- + Recorded his 100th career save May 19 vs. ATL...in his only blown save of the season, May 26 at BOS, allowed a 1-out, 2-run walk-off HR to Jarrod Saltalamacchia...snapped a streak of 15 consecutive saves to start the year, 1 shy of the Rays record...was his first HR allowed in 51 apps and 45 IP.
- + Has only allowed 2 home runs in his last 107 IP (450 batters faced) starting July 30, 2010 (also B.J. Upton on April 29, 2011 at TB).

## RAYS PITCHING BY THE NUMBERS

	W-L-S	G	ERA	IP	H	ER	BB	SO	HR
<b>Totals</b>	54-50-32	104	3.52	937.0	834	366	330	875	96
<b>Starters</b>	42-37-0	104	3.67	635.0	594	259	226	565	66
<b>Relievers</b>	12-13-32	101	3.19	302.0	240	107	104	310	30
<b>Home</b>	28-25-18	53	3.12	496.0	430	172	168	485	41
<b>Road</b>	26-25-14	51	3.96	441.0	404	194	162	390	55
<b>April</b>	15-8-7	23	4.03	203.0	197	91	80	168	21
<b>May</b>	14-14-11	28	3.14	252.1	217	88	83	244	31
<b>June</b>	12-15-6	27	3.96	241.0	224	106	83	222	27
<b>July</b>	13-13-8	26	3.03	240.2	196	81	84	241	17

## RAYS BY THE NUMBERS

<b>Current Streak:</b> W1	<b>When commit error:</b> 25-26	<b>Hit homer:</b> 42-23
<b>Current Record:</b> 54-50	<b>Ahead after 6-7-8:</b> 43-5/45-2/45-1	<b>Homer with men on:</b> 24-6
<b>Home/Road:</b> 28-25/26-25	<b>Behind after 6-7-8:</b> 8-4/17-44/6-46	<b>Hit multiple homers:</b> 17-6
<b>Day/Night:</b> 18-18/36-32	<b>Tied after 6-7-8:</b> 3-4/2-4/3-3	<b>Score first:</b> 35-18
<b>Grass/Turf:</b> 22-23/32-27	<b>1-run games:</b> 17-16	<b>Score 5 or more:</b> 31-5
<b>vs. East:</b> 23-18	<b>2-run games:</b> 9-11	<b>Score less than 5:</b> 23-45
<b>vs. Central:</b> 8-16	<b>Extra innings:</b> 3-3	<b>Outhit opponents:</b> 35-7
<b>vs. West:</b> 14-7	<b>Win in last at-bat:</b> 9	<b>Outhit by opponents:</b> 13-38
<b>vs. National League:</b> 9-9	<b>Come-from-behind wins:</b> 24	<b>Collect 10 or more hits:</b> 19-6
<b>vs. RH/LH starters:</b> 40-31/14-19	<b>Opp. come-from-behind wins:</b> 24	<b>Opp. 10 or more hits:</b> 9-22
<b>Series W-L-T (home):</b> 8-7-2	<b>Series W-L-T (road):</b> 8-7-1	<b>Wearing white/gray/navy/lt. blue:</b> 20-17/10-17/19-10/5-5

### LAST HR

### '12 MOST HITS GAME

### '12 MOST RBI GAME

<b>Fuld</b>	5/27/11 vs. CLE (J Tomlin)	3, 2x-last, 7/31 at OAK	2, 7/26 at BAL
<b>Jennings</b>	7/25/12 at BAL (M Gonzalez)	3, 3x-last, 7/18 vs. CLE	4, 6/15 vs. MIA
<b>Johnson</b>	6/10/12 at MIA (A Sanchez)	4, 6/9 at MIA	3, 6/9 at MIA
<b>Joyce</b>	7/30/12 at OAK (A Griffin)	3, 3x-last, 6/12 vs. NYM	4, 2x-last, 5/25 at BOS
<b>Keppinger</b>	7/27/12 at LAA (D Haren)	5, 6/23 at PHI	3, 6/23 at PHI
<b>Lobaton</b>	7/25/12 at BAL (M Lindstrom)	3, 7/25 at BAL	4, 7/25 at BAL
<b>Molina</b>	6/20/12 at WAS (S Strasburg)	2, 4x-last, 7/19 vs. CLE	3, 6/9 at MIA
<b>Peña</b>	7/17/12 vs. CLE (J Tomlin)	3, 4x-last, 5/22 vs. TOR	5, 4/6 vs. NYY
<b>Roberts</b>	7/25/12 at BAL (M Gonzalez)	3, 3x-last, 6/8 vs. OAK	3, 4x-last, 6/27 at ATL
<b>Rodriguez</b>	7/3/12 vs. NYY (I Nova)	3, 7/3 vs. NYY	2, 4x-last, 7/3 vs. NYY
<b>Upton</b>	7/20/12 vs. SEA (H Iwakuma)	3, 5x-last, 7/19 vs. CLE	3, 7/19 vs. CLE
<b>Zobrist</b>	7/28/12 at LAA (C Wilson)	3, 7x-last, 7/20 vs. SEA	4, 6/9 at MIA

## HOME RUNS (97)

<b>Solo (62):</b>	Joyce-9, Upton-9, Scott-8, Zobrist-8, Peña-7, Jennings-6, Keppinger-3, Molina-3, Rodriguez-3, Johnson-2, Conrad-1, Guyer-1, Longoria-1, Rhymes-1
<b>2-Run (25):</b>	Peña-4, Zobrist-4, Rodriguez-3, Johnson-2, Longoria-2, Matsui-2, Scott-2, Allen-1, Conrad-1, Jennings-1, Keppinger-1, Molina-1, Roberts-1
<b>3-Run (6):</b>	Peña-2, Joyce-1, Lobaton-1, Longoria-1, Scott-1
<b>Grand Slams (4):</b>	Joyce-2 (5/25 at BOS, J Lester; 5/19 vs. ATL, R Delgado), Scott-1 (4/18 at TOR, C Villanueva), Peña-1 (4/6 vs. NYY, C Sabathia)
<b>Back-to-Back (2):</b>	Johnson/Peña-1 (5/25 at BOS, J Lester), Johnson/Zobrist-1 (5/13 at BAL, T Patton)
<b>2-HR games (2):</b>	Jennings-1 (6/29 vs. DET, J Verlander), Zobrist-1 (6/9 at MIA, C Zambrano & C Gaudin)
<b>Pinch-hit (3):</b>	Allen-1 (4/26 vs. LAA, J Walden), Keppinger-1 (6/30 vs. DET, J Benoit) Scott-1 (4/27 at TEX, M Lowe)
<b>Walk-off (1):</b>	Allen-1 (4/26 vs. LAA, J Walden)
<b>Lead-off (3):</b>	Jennings-2 (4/24 vs. LAA, E Santana; 7/25 at BAL, M Gonzalez), Upton-1 (6/17 vs. MIA, J Johnson)

## RAYS SEASON HIGHS

### TEAM BATTING

Longest win streak.....	6, 2x-last, 4/29-5/4
Long loss streak.....	4, 2x-last, 6/25-28
Most runs game, TB.....	13, 6/9 at MIA
Most runs game, Opp.....	13, 4/14 at BOS
Most runs, inn, TB.....	6, 3x-last, (5th) 7/6 at CLE
Most runs, inn, Opp.....	8, (8th) 4/13 at BOS
Most hits, game, TB.....	16, 4/27 at TEX
Most hits, game, Opp.....	16, 4/13 at BOS
Most hits, inn, TB.....	5, 5x-last, (5th) 7/6 at CLE
Most hits, inn, Opp.....	8, (8th), 4/13 at BOS
Most doubles, game, TB.....	5, 6/7 at NYY
Most doubles, game, Opp.....	5, 5x-last, 7/16 vs. CLE
Most HR, game, TB.....	4, 2x-last, 4/24 vs. LAA
Most HR, game, Opp.....	5, 4/14 at BOS
Most x-base hits, game, TB.....	7, 5/22 vs. TOR
Most x-base hits, game, Opp.....	10, 4/14 at BOS
Most stolen bases, game, TB.....	5, 7/3 vs. NYY
Most stolen bases, game, Opp.....	3, 2x-last, 7/22 vs. SEA
Most walks, game, TB.....	10, 2x-last, 7/18 vs. CLE
Most walks, game, Opp.....	10, 7/30 at OAK
Most strikeouts, game, TB.....	16, 7/4 vs. NYY
Most strikeouts, game, Opp.....	21, 7/30 at OAK
Most LOB, game, TB.....	13, 7/20 vs. SEA
Most LOB, game, Opp.....	16, 2x-last, 7/30 at OAK
Most errors, game, TB.....	5, 5/12 at BAL
Most errors, game, Opp.....	4, 5/15 at TOR
Longest game, time.....	5:09, 7/30 at OAK (15 inn.)
Longest game, time (9 innings).....	3:49, 6/8 at MIA

### INDIVIDUAL BATTING

Most runs, game, TB.....	4, 2x-last, Peña, 6/15 vs. MIA
Most runs, game, Opp.....	3, 7x-last, Wright, 6/14 vs. NYM
Most hits, game, TB.....	5, Keppinger, 6/23 at PHI
Most hits, game, Opp.....	4, 5x-last, Cabrera, 6/28 vs. DET
Most 2B, game, TB.....	2, 15x-last, Upton, 7/19 vs. CLE
Most 2B, game, Opp.....	2, 13x-last, Kipnis, 7/16 vs. CLE
Most HR, game, TB.....	2, 2x-last, Jennings, 6/29 vs. DET
Most HR, game, Opp.....	2, 3x-last, Nieuwenhuis, 6/14 vs. NYM
Most RBI, game, TB.....	5, Peña, 4/6 vs. NYY
Most RBI, game, Opp.....	5, Ortiz, 4/14 at BOS
Most x-base hits, game, TB.....	3, Joyce, 4/18 at TOR
Most x-base hits, game, Opp.....	2, 29x-last, Davis, 7/26 at BAL
Most steals, game, TB.....	2, 8x-last, Upton, 7/28 at LAA
Most steals, game, Opp.....	2, 5x-last, Suzuki, 7/22 vs. SEA
Hitting Streak.....	11, Jennings, 4/18-29

### TEAM/INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

Most SO, TB Starter.....	12, Price, 5/4 vs. OAK
Most SO, Opp Starter.....	15, Sale, 5/28 vs. CWS
Most SO, TB Reliever.....	6, Ramos, 6/21 vs. SEA
Most IP, TB Reliever.....	4.0, Ramos, 7/21 vs. SEA
Most walks, game, TB.....	7, Hellickson, 6/8 at MIA
Most walks, game, Opp.....	7, 3x-last, Masterson, 7/18 vs. CLE
Most SO, Team, TB.....	21, 7/30 at OAK
Most walks, Team, TB.....	10, 7/30 at OAK
Low-Hit Game.....	1, Moore, Badenhop & Gomes, 6/15 vs. MIA
Consecutive Scoreless IP.....	19.1, Shields, 4/11-21
Shortest game, time.....	2:17, 6/25 at KC
Shortest game, time (9 innings).....	2:17, 6/25 at KC

## RUN SUPPORT FOR STARTING PITCHERS

PITCHER	STARTS	RUNS	RUNS/START	RUNS/9-IP	CLUB RECORD	QUALITY STARTS
Archer	2	4	2.00	3.08	0-2	1
Cobb	12	32	2.67	4.15	4-8	4
Hellickson	19	45	2.37	3.64	9-10	13
Moore	20	75	3.75	5.67	9-11	8
Niemann	7	13	1.86	3.37	4-3	1
Price	21	86	4.10	5.53	14-7	15
Ramos	1	3	3.00	10.13	1-0	0
Shields	22	82	3.73	5.04	13-9	11

### W-L BY POSITION (STARTS)

### BY BATTING ORDER (STARTS)

	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
Allen						2-1								1-0	1-0	0-1		
Brignac					2-3												0-1	2-2
Conrad			2-2	3-6									0-1		2-4	1-1	1-2	1-0
Fuld						2-1		1-1		0-1	1-0					1-1		1-0
Gimenez	14-7																9-5	5-2
Guyer					0-2									0-2				
Jennings						29-28	10-8			31-28	2-0	1-0				5-7	0-1	
Johnson			3-3	1-0	26-34				1-0	3-1					1-2	7-5	4-9	16-20
Joyce						16-12		23-16	1-1		1-1	15-7	11-11	3-2	5-5	3-1	1-1	1-1
Keppinger		2-2	8-6	10-12					5-7			1-2	6-10	9-6	4-7	5-2		
Lobaton	17-15								0-1					1-1	2-1	6-6	8-6	0-2
Longoria				15-8								8-6	7-2					
Matsui						4-3		2-4	1-9				4-7	0-5	2-3	1-1		
Molina	23-28															3-4	17-19	3-5
Peña		52-46							0-1	6-4	23-28	8-4	6-3	3-1	6-6	0-1		
Rhymes			13-9	8-5						2-2					3-2	9-5	5-0	2-5
Roberts				3-3										1-1	0-1	2-1		
Rodriguez			4-12	10-11	26-13					0-1	0-3			2-2	13-11	2-8	8-3	15-8
Scott		0-1							36-26			1-1	6-5	21-13	6-6	2-2		
Sutton		0-1	2-0	4-5									1-1		0-1	3-2	1-2	1-0
Thompson					1-3												0-1	1-2
Upton							44-42		1-1	5-5	16-16	8-16	6-5		6-0	4-1		
Vogt									1-1						1-0	0-1		
Zobrist			22-18					28-29	2-0	7-8	11-2	12-14	7-5	13-17	2-1			

## RAYS vs. ATHLETICS

BATTING	2012					CAREER				
	AVG	AB	H	HR	RBI	AVG	AB	H	HR	RBI
Fuld	.429	7	3	0	0	.250	12	3	0	0
Jennings	.250	20	5	0	1	.327	49	16	1	8
Johnson	.167	12	2	1	1	.125	16	2	1	1
Joyce	.316	19	6	1	4	.286	56	16	2	12
Keppinger	.308	13	4	0	2	.308	13	4	0	2
Lobaton	.333	6	2	0	0	.333	6	2	0	0
Molina	.200	10	2	1	2	.200	145	29	4	14
Peña	.200	20	4	1	4	.225	249	56	19	41
Roberts	.286	14	4	1	3	.207	29	6	1	3
Rodriguez	.286	14	4	0	2	.212	66	14	1	7
Upton	.250	24	6	1	5	.244	242	59	8	25
Zobrist	.211	19	4	1	2	.262	141	37	6	19

PITCHING	2012						CAREER					
	W-L-S	ERA	G	IP	H	ER	W-L-S	ERA	G	IP	H	ER
Badenhop	0-0-0	0.00	3	4.0	2	0	0-0-0	0.00	4	4.2	3	0
Cobb	-	-	-	-	-	-	0-1-0	10.38	1	4.1	8	5
Davis	0-0-0	3.00	2	3.0	4	1	2-1-0	6.16	5	19.0	23	13
Farnsworth	0-1-0	13.50	1	0.2	1	1	1-2-2	2.89	21	18.2	18	6
Hellickson	0-0-0	4.91	1	3.2	5	2	0-0-0	4.80	3	15.0	16	8
Howell	0-0-0	0.00	2	3.1	1	0	0-1-0	4.19	13	19.1	14	9
Lueke	-	-	-	-	-	-	0-0-0	14.14	5	7.0	11	11
McGee	0-0-0	0.00	2	2.0	1	0	0-1-0	5.40	5	5.0	4	3
Moore	0-1-0	15.43	1	4.2	7	8	0-1-0	15.43	1	4.2	7	8
Peralta	0-1-1	3.86	3	2.1	2	1	0-2-1	5.73	21	22.0	24	14
Price	1-0-0	2.40	2	15.0	8	4	2-1-0	3.66	6	39.1	31	16
Rodney	0-0-0	0.00	2	2.1	1	0	2-3-5	3.71	28	26.2	26	11
Shields	1-0-0	0.00	1	9.0	3	0	5-3-0	4.08	12	81.2	81	37

## RAYS HITTERS AT O.co COLISEUM

(Avg.-AB-H-HR-RBI)—Fuld (.250-12-3-0-0)...Jennings (.308-26-8-1-7)...Johnson (.000-6-0-0-0)...Joyce (.241-29-7-2-7)...Keppinger (.222-9-2-0-1)...Lobaton (.333-6-2-0-0)...Molina (.244-86-21-3-9)...Peña (.225-182-41-13-33)...Roberts (.100-20-2-0-0)...Rodriguez (.220-41-9-1-6)...Upton (.191-115-22-3-10)...Zobrist (.256-78-20-3-7)

## MISCELLANEOUS

**Game-Tying & Go-Ahead RBI:** Upton (15), Zobrist (15), Peña (13), Scott (13), Joyce (11), Rodriguez (10), Jennings (8), Johnson (8), Keppinger (8), Longoria (6), Lobaton (5), Conrad (4), Molina (3), Matsui (2), Rhymes (2), Sutton (2), Allen (1), Guyer (1)

**Catcher's Efficiency:** Lobaton .125 (3-24), Molina .306 (11-36), Gimenez .150 (3-20)

**Outfield Assists:** Upton (7), Zobrist (6), Jennings (4), Joyce (2), Fuld (1)

**Bunt Singles:** Johnson (5), Peña (3), Jennings (2), Scott (2), Fuld (1), Joyce (1), Upton (1), Zobrist (1)

**Batted Around:** 7/25 at BAL (1st inn, 9 batters), 7/6 at CLE (5th inn, 11 batters), 6/15 vs. MIA (2nd inn, 9 batters; 7th inn, 9 batters), 6/9 at MIA (2nd inn, 9 batters), 6/1 vs. BAL (1st inn, 10 batters), 5/14 at TOR (5th inn, 10 batters), 5/3 vs. SEA (2nd inn, 9 batters), 4/18 at TOR (9th inn, 9 batters), 4/11 at DET (9th inn, 10 batters)

**Ejections:** Maddon-1 (7/18 vs. CLE, 7th inn.), Peralta-1 (6/19 at WAS, 8th inn.)

## RUNS BY INNING

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	X	Total
Opp	45	43	58	34	57	45	47	54	22	4	409
TB	58	49	61	48	48	54	42	22	42	4	428



## INSTANT REPLAY

Date	Batter	Pitcher	Inning/Outs	Initial Call	Ruling After Replay	Delay
April 7 vs. NYY	E. Longoria	C. Rapada	7th / 0 out	Home run to RF	Ground rule double	3:32
April 15 at BOS	C. Peña	F. Doubront	5th / 1 out	Foul ball to RF	Ruling upheld	2:30
May 21 vs. TOR	B. Upton	K. Drabek	1st / 1 out	Double to CF	Home run off C-ring catwalk	4:57
June 19 at WAS	M. Morse	D. Price	6th / 2 out	Home run to RCF	Ruling upheld	1:50
July 16 vs. CLE	S. Choo	A. Cobb	1st / 0 out	Home run to RCF	Double	1:45

## FAIR BALLS OFF THE TROPICANA FIELD CATWALKS

1. April 22...**Evan Longoria** double off the B-ring catwalk in left field...off Francisco Liriano.
2. May 21...**B.J. Upton** home run off the C-ring catwalk in center field...off Kyle Drabek.

## TRANSACTIONS (since Opening Day)

### OPENING DAY ROSTER

<b>Pitchers (12)</b>	RH Burke Badenhop, RH Wade Davis, RH Jeremy Hellickson, LH J.P. Howell, RH Josh Lueke, LH Jake McGee, LH Matt Moore, RH Jeff Niemann, RH Joel Peralta, LH David Price, RH Fernando Rodney, RH James Shields
<b>Catchers (2)</b>	Jose Lobaton, Jose Molina
<b>Infielders (7)</b>	Reid Brignac, Elliot Johnson, Jeff Keppinger, Evan Longoria, Carlos Peña, Sean Rodriguez, Luke Scott
<b>Outfielders (4)</b>	Desmond Jennings, Matt Joyce, Stephen Vogt, Ben Zobrist
<b>DL (4)</b>	C Robinson Chirinos (15-day), RH Kyle Farnsworth (15-day), OF Sam Fuld (15-day), OF B.J. Upton (15-day)

<b>Apr 14</b>	Optioned RH <b>Josh Lueke</b> to Triple-A Durham; recalled RH <b>Dane De La Rosa</b> from Triple-A Durham.
<b>Apr 15</b>	Optioned RH <b>Dane De La Rosa</b> to Durham; placed C <b>Jose Lobaton</b> (right shoulder soreness) on the 15-day DL, retroactive to April 13; recalled RH <b>Alex Cobb</b> from Durham; selected C <b>Chris Gimenez</b> from Durham; transferred OF <b>Sam Fuld</b> (right wrist surgery) to the 60-day DL.
<b>Apr 17</b>	Optioned RH <b>Alex Cobb</b> to Durham; recalled RH <b>Brandon Gomes</b> from Durham.
<b>Apr 19</b>	Claimed 1B/OF <b>Brandon Allen</b> off of waivers from the Oakland Athletics; transferred C <b>Robinson Chirinos</b> from the 15-day to the 60-day DL.
<b>Apr 20</b>	Optioned C/OF <b>Stephen Vogt</b> to Durham; reinstated OF <b>B.J. Upton</b> (lower back soreness) from the 15-day DL.
<b>Apr 21</b>	Optioned SS <b>Reid Brignac</b> to Durham; activated 1B/OF <b>Brandon Allen</b> .
<b>Apr 30</b>	Signed OF/DH <b>Hideki Matsui</b> to a minor league contract.
<b>May 1</b>	Placed 3B <b>Evan Longoria</b> (left hamstring partial tear) on the 15-day DL; transferred <b>Kyle Farnsworth</b> to the 60-day DL; selected INF <b>Will Rhymes</b> from Durham.
<b>May 6</b>	Optioned RH <b>Brandon Gomes</b> to Durham; recalled LH <b>Cesar Ramos</b> from Durham.
<b>May 9</b>	Placed INF <b>Jeff Keppinger</b> on the restricted list; recalled OF <b>Brandon Guyer</b> from Durham.
<b>May 10</b>	Placed 1B/OF <b>Brandon Allen</b> (right quad strain) on the 15-day DL; reinstated INF <b>Jeff Keppinger</b> from the restricted list.
<b>May 14</b>	Placed OF <b>Desmond Jennings</b> (left knee sprain) on the 15-day DL, retroactive to May 12; recalled C/OF <b>Stephen Vogt</b> from Durham.
<b>May 15</b>	Placed RH <b>Jeff Niemann</b> (fractured right fibula) on the 15-day DL; recalled RH <b>Josh Lueke</b> from Durham.
<b>May 16</b>	Acquired OF <b>Rich Thompson</b> from the Philadelphia Phillies in exchange for OF <b>Kyle Hudson</b> ; placed OF <b>Brandon Guyer</b> (left shoulder strain) on the 15-day DL, retroactive to May 13; transferred RH <b>Jeff Niemann</b> (fractured right fibula) from the 15-day to the 60-day DL.
<b>May 19</b>	Optioned RH <b>Josh Lueke</b> to Durham; recalled RH <b>Alex Cobb</b> from Durham.
<b>May 21</b>	Acquired INF <b>Drew Sutton</b> from the Pittsburgh Pirates in exchange for a player to be named or cash considerations; placed INF <b>Jeff Keppinger</b> (broken big right toe) on the 15-day DL, retroactive to May 19; designated LH <b>John Gaub</b> for assignment.
<b>May 28</b>	Optioned C <b>Chris Gimenez</b> to Durham; reinstated C <b>Jose Lobaton</b> (right shoulder soreness) from the 15-day DL.
<b>May 29</b>	Optioned C/OF <b>Stephen Vogt</b> to Durham; selected OF/DH <b>Hideki Matsui</b> from Durham; transferred OF <b>Brandon Guyer</b> from the 15-day to the 60-day DL.
<b>June 5</b>	Optioned OF <b>Rich Thompson</b> to Durham; reinstated OF <b>Desmond Jennings</b> (left knee sprain) from the 15-day DL.
<b>June 6</b>	Reinstated 1B/OF <b>Brandon Allen</b> (right quad strain) from the 15-day DL and designated him for assignment.
<b>June 15</b>	Placed OF/DH <b>Luke Scott</b> (back stiffness) on the 15-day DL, retroactive to June 9; recalled RH <b>Brandon Gomes</b> from Durham.
<b>June 18</b>	Optioned RH <b>Brandon Gomes</b> to Durham.
<b>June 19</b>	Recalled OF <b>Rich Thompson</b> from Durham; added RH <b>Chris Archer</b> to the taxi squad.
<b>June 20</b>	Placed RH <b>Jeremy Hellickson</b> (right shoulder inflammation) on the 15-day DL, retroactive to June 15; recalled RH <b>Chris Archer</b> from Durham.
<b>June 22</b>	Placed OF <b>Matt Joyce</b> (left external oblique strain) on the 15-day DL, retroactive to June 20; optioned OF <b>Rich Thompson</b> to Durham; designated INF <b>Drew Sutton</b> for assignment; reinstated INF <b>Jeff Keppinger</b> (broken big right toe) from the 15-day DL; recalled RH <b>Brandon Gomes</b> from Durham; claimed INF <b>Brooks Conrad</b> off waivers from the Milwaukee Brewers; RH <b>Joel Peralta</b> began serving an 8-game suspension.
<b>June 24</b>	Added LH <b>Alex Torres</b> from Durham per MLB's 26th Man Rule.
<b>June 25</b>	Returned LH <b>Alex Torres</b> to Durham per MLB's 26th Man Rule.
<b>June 28</b>	Optioned RH <b>Chris Archer</b> to Durham; reinstated OF/DH <b>Luke Scott</b> (back stiffness) from the 15-day DL.
<b>June 30</b>	Optioned RH <b>Brandon Gomes</b> and LH <b>Cesar Ramos</b> to Durham; reinstated RH <b>Kyle Farnsworth</b> (right elbow strain) from the 60-day DL; reinstated RH <b>Jeremy Hellickson</b> (right shoulder inflammation) from the 15-day DL; RH <b>Joel Peralta</b> returned from his 8-game suspension.
<b>July 17</b>	Optioned INF <b>Will Rhymes</b> to Durham; reinstated OF <b>Matt Joyce</b> (left external oblique strain) from the 15-day DL.
<b>July 21</b>	Placed OF/DH <b>Luke Scott</b> (mild strain, right external oblique) on the 15-day DL; recalled LH <b>Cesar Ramos</b> from Durham.
<b>July 22</b>	Optioned LH <b>Cesar Ramos</b> to Durham; recalled RH <b>Brandon Gomes</b> from Durham.
<b>July 23</b>	Optioned RH <b>Brandon Gomes</b> to Durham.
<b>July 24</b>	Transferred 3B <b>Evan Longoria</b> (left hamstring partial tear) from the 15-day to the 60-day DL; reinstated OF <b>Sam Fuld</b> (right wrist surgery) from the 60-day DL; acquired INF <b>Ryan Roberts</b> from the Arizona Diamondbacks in exchange for INF <b>Tyler Bortnick</b> .
<b>July 25</b>	Designated OF/DH <b>Hideki Matsui</b> for assignment; added INF <b>Ryan Roberts</b> to the active roster.
<b>July 31</b>	Optioned INF <b>Brooks Conrad</b> to Durham; recalled RH <b>Josh Lueke</b> from Durham.

## RAYS ON THE DISABLED LIST (5)

Pos.	Player	DL	Injury	Date on	Retro	First Date Off	Gms Missed	Record
C	Robinson Chirinos	60-day	Concussion	April 2	March 26	June 5	104	54-50
OF	Brandon Guyer	60-day	Left shoulder surgery	May 16	May 13	July 13	70	34-36
3B	Evan Longoria	60-day	Partially torn left hamstring	May 1	--	June 30	81	39-42
RHP	Jeff Niemann	60-day	Right fibula fracture	May 15	--	July 14	68	32-36
DH	Luke Scott	15-day	Mild strain, right external oblique	July 21	--	August 5	10	5-5

**Others (Games Missed):** 1B/OF Brandon Allen (24, right quad strain, 11-13), RH Kyle Farnsworth (77, right elbow strain, 41-36), OF Sam Fuld (96, right wrist surgery, 49-47), RH Jeremy Hellickson (14, right shoulder inflammation, 6-8), OF Desmond Jennings (21, left knee sprain, 11-10), OF Matt Joyce (23, left external oblique strain, 8-15), INF Jeff Keppinger (29, broken big right toe, 14-15), C Jose Lobaton (41, right shoulder soreness, 24-17), DH Luke Scott (17, back stiffness, 7-10), OF B.J. Upton (13, lower back soreness, 7-6)



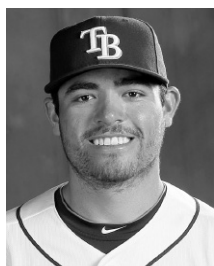
## RAYS 2012 DAY-BY-DAY

No.	Date	H/R D/N	W/L	Score/Opp	Winning Pitcher	Losing Pitcher	Rec.	GA/GB	Att.	Home Cum.	Road Cum.
1	4/6	H/D	W	7-6/NYY	<b>Rodney</b> (1-0)	Rivera (0-1)	1-0	T-1/+1.0	34,078	34,078	
2	4/7	H/N	W	8-6/NYY	<b>Price</b> (1-0)	Kuroda (0-1)	2-0	T-1/+2.0	34,078	68,156	
3	4/8	H/D	W	3-0/NYY	<b>Hellickson</b> (1-0)	Hughes (0-1)	3-0	T-1/+1.0	30,413	98,569	
	4/9				OFF (1)			1/+0.5			
4	4/10	R/D	L	2-5/DET	Coke (1-0)	<b>McGee</b> (0-1)	3-1	1/+0.5	22,574		22,574
5	4/11	R/D	W	4-2/DET	<b>Shields</b> (1-0)	Verlander (0-1)	4-1	1/+0.5	28,180		50,754
6	4/12	R/D	L	2-7/DET	Balester (1-0)	<b>Niemann</b> (0-1)	4-2	T-1/+1.0	30,288		81,042
7	4/13	R/D	L	2-12/BOS	Beckett (1-1)	<b>Price</b> (1-1)	4-3	T-1/+2.0	37,032		118,074
8	4/14	R/D	L	5-13/BOS	Buchholz (1-0)	<b>Badenhop</b> (0-1)	4-4	T-2/-1.0	38,024		156,098
9	4/15	R/D	L	4-6/BOS	Padilla (1-0)	<b>Moore</b> (0-1)	4-5	T-4/-1.0	38,024		194,122
10	4/16	R/D	W	1-0/BOS	<b>Shields</b> (2-0)	Bard (0-2)	5-5	T-3/-1.0	38,108		232,230
11	4/17	R/N	L	3-7/TOR	Romero (2-0)	<b>Niemann</b> (0-2)	5-6	3/-2.0	15,331		247,561
12	4/18	R/N	W	12-2/TOR	<b>Price</b> (2-1)	Morrow (0-1)	6-6	T-3/-1.0	15,828		263,389
13	4/19	R/N	W	9-4/TOR	<b>Hellickson</b> (2-0)	Alvarez (0-1)	7-6	T-2/-1.0	18,976		282,365
14	4/20	H/N	L	4-5/MIN	Maloney (1-0)	<b>Gomes</b> (0-1)	7-7	4/-1.0	18,763	117,332	
15	4/21	H/N	W	4-1/MIN	<b>Shields</b> (3-0)	Pavano (1-2)	8-7	T-3/-1.0	31,774	149,106	
16	4/22	H/D	W	6-2/MIN	<b>Niemann</b> (1-2)	Liriano (0-3)	9-7	T-3/-1.0	26,507	175,613	
	4/23				OFF (2)			T-3/-1.0			
17	4/24	H/N	W	5-0/LAA	<b>Price</b> (3-1)	Santana (0-4)	10-7	T-1/+3.5	14,933	190,546	
18	4/25	H/N	W	3-2/LAA	<b>Hellickson</b> (3-0)	Wilson (2-2)	11-7	T-1/+1.0	14,638	205,184	
19	4/26	H/D	W	4-3/LAA	<b>Gomes</b> (1-1)	Walden (0-1)	12-7	T-1/+1.5	15,417	220,601	
20	4/27	R/N	W	8-4/TEX	<b>Shields</b> (4-0)	Harrison (3-1)	13-7	1/+1.0	47,496		329,861
21	4/28	R/N	L	2-7/TEX	Lewis (3-0)	<b>Niemann</b> (1-3)	13-8	T-1/+1.5	49,197		379,058
22	4/29	R/N	W	5-2/TEX	<b>Price</b> (4-1)	Holland (2-2)	14-8	T-1/+1.5	43,475		422,533
23	4/30	H/N	W	3-2/SEA (12)	<b>Howell</b> (1-0)	League (0-2)	15-8	1/+1.0	9,458	230,059	
<b>APRIL 15-8 (9-1 Home, 6-7 Road)</b>											
24	5/1	H/N	W	3-1/SEA	<b>Moore</b> (1-1)	Noesi (1-3)	16-8	1/+1.0	9,972	240,031	
25	5/2	H/N	W	5-4/SEA	<b>Shields</b> (5-0)	Beavan (1-3)	17-8	1/+1.0	9,837	249,868	
26	5/3	H/D	W	4-3/SEA	<b>Niemann</b> (2-3)	Millwood (0-3)	18-8	1/+1.5	11,575	261,443	
27	5/4	H/N	W	7-2/OAK	<b>Price</b> (5-1)	Ross (1-2)	19-8	1/+1.5	18,799	280,242	
28	5/5	H/N	L	3-4/OAK (12)	Fuentes (2-0)	<b>Peralta</b> (0-1)	19-9	1/+0.5	23,890	304,132	
29	5/6	H/D	L	5-9/OAK	Milone (4-2)	<b>Moore</b> (1-2)	19-10	2/-0.5	23,873	328,005	
	5/7				OFF (3)			T-1/+3.0			
30	5/8	R/N	L	3-5/NYY	Nova (4-1)	<b>Shields</b> (5-1)	19-11	T-1/+2.5	37,086		459,619
31	5/9	R/N	W	4-1/NYY	<b>Rodney</b> (2-0)	Robertson (0-1)	20-11	1/+0.5	38,024		497,643
32	5/10	R/N	L	3-5/NYY	Sabathia (5-0)	<b>Price</b> (5-2)	20-12	T-1/+2.0	37,720		535,363
33	5/11	R/N	L	3-4/BAL	O'Day (3-0)	<b>Peralta</b> (0-2)	20-13	2/-1.0	26,669		562,032
34	5/12	R/N	L	3-5/BAL	Matusz (2-4)	<b>Moore</b> (1-3)	20-14	2/-2.0	32,862		594,894
35	5/13	R/D	W	9-8/BAL	<b>Shields</b> (6-1)	Arrieta (2-4)	21-14	2/-1.0	29,552		624,446
36	5/14	R/N	W	7-1/TOR	<b>Ramos</b> (1-0)	Morrow (4-2)	22-14	T-1/+1.5	15,289		639,735
37	5/15	R/N	W	4-3/TOR	<b>Price</b> (6-2)	Alvarez (3-3)	23-14	T-1/+2.5	15,612		655,347
38	5/16	H/N	W	2-1/BOS	<b>Hellickson</b> (4-0)	Buchholz (4-2)	24-14	T-1/+3.5	20,843	348,848	
39	5/17	H/N	L	3-5/BOS	Doubront (4-1)	<b>Moore</b> (1-4)	24-15	2/-1.0	19,842	368,690	
40	5/18	H/N	L	3-5/ATL	Hanson (5-3)	<b>Shields</b> (6-2)	24-16	2/-2.0	19,693	388,383	
41	5/19	H/D	W	5-2/ATL	<b>Cobb</b> (1-0)	Delgado (2-4)	25-16	2/-2.0	27,433	415,816	
42	5/20	H/D	L	0-2/ATL	Hudson (3-1)	<b>Price</b> (6-3)	25-17	2/-2.0	24,759	440,575	
43	5/21	H/N	L	2-6/TOR	Drabek (4-4)	<b>Hellickson</b> (4-1)	25-18	2/-2.0	10,844	451,419	
44	5/22	H/N	W	8-5/TOR	<b>Davis</b> (1-0)	Hutchison (3-2)	26-18	2/-2.0	12,307	463,726	
45	5/23	H/D	W	5-4/TOR (11)	<b>McGee</b> (1-1)	Oliver (0-2)	27-18	2/-1.0	11,471	475,197	
	5/24				OFF (4)			2/-1.0			
46	5/25	R/N	W	7-4/BOS	<b>Cobb</b> (2-0)	Lester (3-4)	28-18	2/-1.0	37,594		692,941
47	5/26	R/N	L	2-3/BOS	Hill (1-0)	<b>Rodney</b> (2-1)	28-19	2/-1.0	38,099		731,040
48	5/27	R/D	W	4-3/BOS	<b>McGee</b> (2-1)	Aceves (0-2)	29-19	T-1/+2.5	37,844		768,884
49	5/28	H/D	L	1-2/CWS	Sale (6-2)	<b>Moore</b> (1-5)	29-20	T-1/+2.5	22,227	497,424	
50	5/29	H/N	L	2-7/CWS	Humber (2-2)	<b>Shields</b> (6-3)	29-21	T-1/+2.5	13,735	511,159	
51	5/30	H/D	L	3-4/CWS	Jones (3-0)	<b>Cobb</b> (2-1)	29-22	T-1/+1.5	13,369	524,528	
	5/31				OFF (5)			T-1/+1.5			
<b>MAY 14-14 (8-9 Home, 6-5 Road)</b>											
52	6/1	H/N	W	5-0/BAL	<b>Price</b> (7-3)	Chen (4-2)	30-22	1/+1.0	17,224	541,752	
53	6/2	H/D	L	1-2/BAL	Matusz (5-5)	<b>Hellickson</b> (4-2)	30-23	T-1/+1.5	21,693	563,445	
54	6/3	H/D	W	8-4/BAL	<b>Moore</b> (2-5)	Arrieta (2-7)	31-23	1/+1.0	21,693	585,138	
	6/4				OFF (6)			1/+1.0			
55	6/5	R/N	L	0-7/NYY	Pettitte (3-2)	<b>Shields</b> (6-4)	31-24	T-1/+0.5	40,537		809,421
56	6/6	R/N	L	1-4/NYY	Nova (7-2)	<b>Cobb</b> (2-2)	31-25	3/-1.0	38,370		847,791
57	6/7	R/N	W	7-3/NYY	<b>Price</b> (8-3)	Sabathia (7-3)	32-25	T-1/+0.5	39,891		887,682
58	6/8	R/N	W	5-1/MIA	<b>Badenhop</b> (1-1)	Nolasco (6-4)	33-25	1/+0.5	29,628		917,310
59	6/9	R/N	W	13-4/MIA	<b>Moore</b> (3-5)	Zambrano (4-4)	34-25	1/+0.5	30,963		948,273
60	6/10	R/D	W	4-2/MIA	<b>Shields</b> (7-4)	Sanchez (3-5)	35-25	1/+0.5	31,111		979,384
	6/11				OFF (7)			T-1/+1.0			
61	6/12	H/N	L	2-11/NYM	Young (1-0)	<b>Cobb</b> (2-3)	35-26	T-2/-1.0	17,334	602,472	
62	6/13	H/N	L	1-9/NYM	Dickey (10-1)	<b>Price</b> (8-4)	35-27	3/-2.0	18,496	620,968	
63	6/14	H/D	L	6-9/NYM	Santana (4-3)	<b>Hellickson</b> (4-3)	35-28	3/-2.5	21,947	642,915	
64	6/15	H/N	W	11-0/MIA	<b>Moore</b> (4-5)	Zambrano (4-5)	36-28	3/-2.5	18,369	661,284	
65	6/16	H/N	L	3-4/MIA (15)	Webb (3-1)	<b>Gomes</b> (1-2)	36-29	3/-3.5	22,332	683,616	
66	6/17	H/D	W	3-0/MIA	<b>Cobb</b> (3-3)	Johnson (4-5)	37-29	3/-3.5	33,810	717,426	
	6/18				OFF (8)			3/-4.0			
67	6/19	R/N	W	5-4/WAS	<b>Price</b> (9-4)	Wang (2-3)	38-29	3/-3.0	27,835		1,007,219
68	6/20	R/N	L	2-3/WAS	Strasburg (9-1)	<b>Archer</b> (0-1)	38-30	3/-3.0	27,485		1,034,704
69	6/21	R/N	L	2-5/WAS	Gonzalez (9-3)	<b>Peralta</b> (0-3)	38-31	3/-3.5	29,551		1,064,255
	6/22	R/N		PHI	PPD - Rain (1)	Rescheduled for June 24		3/-3.0			
70	6/23	R/D	L	6-7/PHI	Papelbon (2-2)	<b>McGee</b> (2-2)	38-32	3/-4.0	44,878		1,109,133
71	6/24 (1)	R/D	W	3-2/PHI	<b>Price</b> (10-4)	Bastardo (2-2)	39-32		44,785		1,153,918
72	6/24 (2)	R/N	W	7-3/PHI	<b>Gomes</b> (2-2)	Lee (0-4)	40-32	3/-3.5	44,088		1,198,006
73	6/25	R/N	L	0-8/KC	Hochevar (5-7)	<b>Cobb</b> (3-4)	40-33	3/-4.5	20,200		1,218,206
74	6/26	R/N	L	2-8/KC	Chen (7-6)	<b>Archer</b> (0-2)	40-34	3/-5.5	25,982		1,244,188
75	6/27	R/D	L	4-5/KC	Crow (1-1)	<b>Badenhop</b> (1-2)	40-35	T-3/-6.5	19,228		1,263,416
76	6/28	H/N	L	2-5/DET	Scherzer (7-5)	<b>Shields</b> (7-5)	40-36	T-3/-6.5	20,532	737,958	
77	6/29	H/N	W	4-2/DET	<b>Price</b> (11-4)	Verlander (8-5)	41-36	T-3/-5.5	19,557	757,515	
78	6/30	H/N	L	2-6/DET	Porcello (6-5)	<b>Hellickson</b> (4-4)	41-37	T-3/-6.5	29,443	786,958	
<b>JUNE 12-15 (5-7 Home, 7-8 Road)</b>											
79	7/1	H/D	L	3-5/DET	Smyly (3-3)	<b>Cobb</b> (3-5)	41-38	T-4/-7.5	21,874	808,832	
80	7/2	H/N	W	4-3/NYY	<b>Moore</b> (5-5)	Robertson (0-3)	42-38	T-3/-6.5	21,742	830,574	
81	7/3	H/N	W	7-4/NYY	<b>Shields</b> (8-5)	Nova (9-3)	43-38	3/-5.5	26,453	857,027	
82	7/4	H/D	L	3-4/NYY	Logan (3-0)	<b>Farnsworth</b> (0-1)	43-39	3/-6.5	28,033	885,060	

## RAY'S 2012 DAY-BY-DAY (continued)

No.	Date	H/R	D/N	W/L	Score/Opp	Winning Pitcher	Losing Pitcher	Rec.	GA/GB	Att.	Home Cum.	Road Cum.
83	7/5	R/N	L	L	1-3/CLE	Tomlin (5-5)	Hellickson (4-5)	43-40	3/-7.0	26,577		1,289,993
84	7/6	R/N	W	W	10-3/CLE	Cobb (4-5)	Masterson (5-8)	44-40	3/-7.0	28,734		1,318,727
85	7/7	R/N	L	L	3-7/CLE	Jimenez (8-7)	Moore (5-6)	44-41	3/-7.5	20,658		1,339,385
86	7/8	R/D	W	W	7-6/CLE	Peralta (1-3)	Perez (0-2)	45-41	3/-7.5	19,163		1,358,548
87	7/13	H/N	L	L	1-3/BOS	Morales (2-2)	Hellickson (4-6)	45-42	3/-8.5	29,089	914,149	
88	7/14	H/N	W	W	5-3/BOS	Price (12-4)	Buchholz (8-3)	46-42	3/-8.5	27,311	941,460	
89	7/15	H/D	L	L	3-7/BOS	Beckett (5-7)	Shields (8-6)	46-43	3/-8.5	26,131	967,591	
90	7/16	H/N	L	L	2-3/CLE	McAllister (4-1)	Cobb (4-6)	46-44	T-3/-9.5	14,337	981,928	
91	7/17	H/N	W	W	4-2/CLE	Moore (6-6)	Tomlin (5-6)	47-44	2/-9.5	15,712	997,640	
92	7/18	H/N	L	L	6-10/CLE	Rogers (1-2)	Farnsworth (0-2)	47-45	T-3/-10.5	15,143	1,012,783	
93	7/19	H/D	W	W	6-0/CLE	Price (13-4)	Jimenez (8-9)	48-45	T-3/-9.5	27,856	1,040,639	
94	7/20	H/N	W	W	4-3/SEA (14)	McGee (3-2)	Wilhelmsen (3-2)	49-45	3/-8.5	14,143	1,054,782	
95	7/21	H/N	L	L	1-2/SEA	Vargas (10-7)	Cobb (4-7)	49-46	3/-8.5	18,800	1,073,582	
96	7/22	H/D	L	L	1-2/SEA	Beavan (5-6)	Moore (6-7)	49-47	3/-8.5	20,908	1,094,490	
	7/23					OFF (9)			3/-9.0			
97	7/24	R/N	W	W	3-1/BAL	Hellickson (5-6)	Chen (8-6)	50-47	3/-8.0	17,592		1,376,140
98	7/25	R/N	W	W	10-1/BAL	Price (14-4)	Gonzalez (2-2)	51-47	T-2/-8.0	19,582		1,395,722
99	7/26	R/D	L	L	2-6/BAL	Tillman (3-1)	Shields (8-7)	51-48	3/-8.5	21,301		1,417,023
100	7/27	R/N	L	L	1-3/LAA	Haren (8-8)	Cobb (4-8)	51-49	3/-9.5	40,136		1,457,159
101	7/28	R/N	W	W	3-0/LAA	Moore (7-7)	Wilson (9-7)	52-49	T-2/-8.5	41,232		1,498,391
102	7/29	R/D	W	W	2-0/LAA	Hellickson (6-6)	Greinke (9-4)	53-49	T-2/-7.5	35,477		1,533,868
103	7/30	R/N	L	L	3-4/OAK (15)	Norberto (3-1)	Farnsworth (0-3)	53-50	3/-7.5	12,564		1,546,432
104	7/31	R/N	W	W	8-0/OAK	Shields (9-7)	Milone (9-8)	54-50	3/-6.5	15,836		1,562,268

JULY 13-13 (6-8 Home, 7-5 Road)



### FRIDAY'S STARTER—LH MATT MOORE (7-7, 4.01)

Year	Team	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Opp Avg.
2011	Montgomery (AA)	8-3	2.20	18	18	1	1	102.1	68	31	25	28	131	8	.187
	Durham (AAA)	4-0	1.37	9	9	0	0	52.2	33	8	8	18	79	3	.179
	<b>Tampa Bay</b>	<b>1-0</b>	<b>2.89</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.243</b>
2012	<b>Tampa Bay</b>	<b>7-7</b>	<b>4.01</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>119.0</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>.240</b>
Career Minors		28-21	2.64	99	94	1	1	497.1	338	180	146	212	700	25	.190
<b>Career Majors</b>		<b>8-7</b>	<b>3.93</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>128.1</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>.240</b>

### FRIDAY'S START & 2012 NOTES

- + Turned 23 on June 18...will be making 21st start this season, 13th at home.
- + Since June 3, has gone 6-2 with a 3.32 ERA (62.1-IP, 23-ER) in 10 starts...was 1-5 with a 4.76 ERA (56.2-IP, 30-ER) in 10 starts prior to that, and had lost 4 straight decisions entering June.
- + **Last start:** On Sat at LAA, combined with Jake McGee, Joel Peralta and Fernando Rodney to shut out the Angels, 3-0...The Rays scored a run in each of the first 3 innings off C.J. Wilson and Moore threw 6.1 scoreless innings...his final line: 6.1 IP, 4 H, 0 R, 2 BB, 6 SO, 1 HBP, 103 pitches, 72 strikes...held Mike Trout and Albert Pujols hitless in 5 AB.
- + His 112 SO are 2nd among major league rookies behind TEX Yu Darvish (138)...only 6 other left-handers have ever finished their rookie season with a SO/9 IP ratio of 8.4 or higher: CLE Herb Score in 1955 (9.70), NYY Al Downing in 1963 (8.76), LAD Fernando Valenzuela in 1981 (8.42), STL Rick Ankiel in 2000 (9.98), CLE CC Sabathia in 2001 (8.53) and TB Scott Kazmir in 2005 (8.42).
- + When he throws at least 65 pct. of his pitches for strikes, he is 4-2 while the Rays are 5-3...when he throws less than 65 pct. of his pitches for strikes, he is 3-6 while the Rays are 4-8.
- + Is averaging 4.3 BB/9 IP, 5th-highest rate in the AL...has averaged 17.1 pitches per inning this year, 6th most in the AL.
- + Has allowed 24 of his 57 walks this year with 2 outs, tied for 2nd-most two-out walks allowed in the AL behind only CLE Ubaldo Jimenez (29) and 1 ahead of teammate Jeremy Hellickson (23)...has walked every batter that has gotten to a 3-0 count against him this year (14 PA).
- + Opponents are hitting only .188 (29-for-154) with 0 outs in an inning but .268 (38-for-142) with 2 outs.
- + Since May 12, has held left-handed batters to a .172 avg. (11-for-64), 3rd-lowest among AL lefties in that span behind only BAL Brian Matusz (.169) and teammate David Price (.170)...prior to May 12, lefties were batting .429 (15-for-35) against him, highest in the majors among lefties.
- + According to FanGraphs.com, has averaged 94.6 mph on his fastball this season, 2nd highest among AL starters and 2nd among ML lefties behind teammate David Price (95.6 mph)...this ranks 4th among all ML starters behind WAS Stephen Strasburg (95.8), Price and CHC Jeff Samardzija (95.0)...has thrown fastballs 66.8 pct. of the time, 5th-highest mark in the AL.
- + Opponents swing and miss at 11.5 pct. of his total pitches, 3rd-highest mark in the AL behind only MIN/CWS Francisco Liriano (13.4) and DET Max Scherzer (11.8) and ahead of DET Justin Verlander (11.2) and NYY CC Sabathia (11.1).
- + **Last home start:** On July 22 vs. SEA, took the loss despite only allowing 2 runs in 8 IP opposite Blake Beavan in a 2-1 loss...tossed a career-high 8 innings...after Jesus Montero's single with 1 out in the 3rd inning, retired 17 batters in a row to finish his outing...it his first career start without a walk...his final line: 8.0 IP, 5 H, 2 R/ER, 0 BB, 7 SO, 104 pitches, 72 strikes...recorded 7 SO, 3 with his change-up and 3 with his curveball.

### MOORE vs. ORIOLES

- + Will make his 3rd career start vs. BAL (4th app)...is 1-1 with a 3.09 ERA (11.2-IP, 8-R, 4-ER).
- + Made his major league debut at Camden Yards last Sep 14, pitching 1.1 innings of relief and giving up 2 runs on 3 hits with 2 strikeouts.
- + On May 12 at BAL, took the loss after pitching a career-low 4.1 innings in a 5-3 defeat opposite Brian Matusz at Camden Yards...his line: 4.1 IP, 4 H, 4 R, 1 ER, 4 BB, 6 SO, 101 pitches, 56 strikes...the Rays defense committed 5 errors behind him.
- + **Last start:** On June 3 vs. BAL, defeated Jake Arrieta, 8-4, for his first win since May 1...had gone 0-4 in his previous 5 starts...totaled 6 IP, 7 H, 2 R, 1 ER, 3 BB, 4 SO, 1 HR, 93 pitches, 62 strikes...fell behind 1-0 when Matt Wieters led off the 2nd with a homer...an unearned run scored in the 5th on Mark Reynolds' RBI single, scoring Endy Chavez who reached on an error by Elliot Johnson...exited with an 8-2 lead.