



# BOSTON RED SOX GAME NOTES

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## BOSTON RED SOX (62-72) at OAKLAND ATHLETICS (75-57)

Sunday, September 2, 2012 • 4:05 p.m. ET • Oakland-Alameda County Coliseum, Oakland, CA

RHP Daisuke Matsuzaka (1-3, 5.10) vs. LHP Brett Anderson (2-0, 0.64)

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**WEST COAST WOES:** The Red Sox today continue a 9-day, 9-game West Coast road trip with the last of 3 tilts in Oakland...The Sox were swept in a 3-game series by the Angels in Anaheim to begin the trek and have dropped the 1st 2 games in Oakland...Following this weekend's series, the club concludes the trip with 3 contests in Seattle.

☛ Including last night's 7-1 loss, the Red Sox have been outscored 39-8 over the 1st 5 games of the trip, scoring 2 runs or less in each contest...It is the club's longest streak scoring 2 runs or less since 4/26-5/1/08, and the club has not gone 6 games without more than 2 runs since 7/25-30/78.

☛ Boston gave up a season-high 20 runs Friday night in a 20-2 loss, with the 18-run margin of defeat Boston's largest since a 22-1 loss to the Yankees on 6/19/00...In the last 2 contests, Sox starters have gone 3.0 innings or less in back-to-back games for the 1st time since 9/18-19/05.

**ROAD RUN:** Of Boston's remaining 28 games, 17 are on the road...The Sox are in the midst of a 26-game stretch from 8/9-9/5 during which they play 19 contests on the road, going 7-15 in that stretch thus far.

☛ The Sox have lost 6 straight road contests, their longest losing streak away from home this year and longest overall since a 7-gamer on the road from 9/7-25/11...They are 8th in the AL at 30-34 (.469) in away games this year...The club is 29-29 (.500) on the road since 4/23, 6th best in the AL in that time, despite losses in 18 of their last 27 road tilts.

**RECENT RESULTS:** The Sox have lost 5 straight tilts, matching their longest drought of the year for the 4th time, 1st since 7/2-7...Boston's last longer slide was 6 losses to begin the 2011 season, which also marked the last time the club was swept in back-to-back series of at least 3 games.

☛ Boston is 9-21 (.300) since 8/1, dropping 7 of 9 sets in that time...The Sox are 19-29 (.395) since the All-Star break.

**IN THE STANDINGS:** The Red Sox are a season-high 10 games under .500 and in 4th place in the AL East, 15.0 games behind the division-leading Yankees, which marks their largest deficit in the division this year...Boston trails the Orioles for 2nd place by 12.0 games and the club is 10.5 games behind the 3rd-place Rays...The Sox are 12.0 games out in the AL Wild Card race.

**VS. OAKLAND:** The Red Sox and A's conclude a 3-game series in Oakland tonight, their last match-up of 2012...The A's hold a 7-1 advantage in the season series thus far, the 1st time the Sox have dropped the season set to Oakland since 2009 (4-5)...Regardless of today's outcome, the Red Sox this year will have their fewest ever wins against the A's franchise.

☛ Boston has lost 7 straight to Oakland after winning their 1st match-up of the season on 4/30...It is the Sox longest losing stretch vs. the Athletics franchise since an 8-game spell against Philadelphia in 1932 (5/2-28).

☛ The Sox have lost all 5 games at the Coliseum this year and have won just 7 of their last 29 road games against the A's dating back to 7/26/06...Boston is in danger of being swept in Oakland for the 2nd time this year (also July)...Boston has not been swept in consecutive road series in Oakland since 1988 (5/27-29 and 8/29-31).

**DUSTIN'S DOZEN:** Dustin Pedroia drove in Boston's only run last night and has hit in each of the last 12 games, going 17-for-50 (.340) with 5 doubles, 2 home runs, 8 RBI and 8 runs...It matches David Ortiz (since 7/2) for the Majors' longest active hit streak...This is Pedroia's 3rd double-digit streak this year behind 14 and 13-game stretches.

☛ Pedroia has hit safely in all but 1 of 26 games since 8/5, batting .358 AVG (106 AB)...His 38 hits during that span are tied for 2nd in the Majors, trailing only Derek Jeter (39).

**APPROACHING 1,000:** Dustin Pedroia has 996 hits, 4 shy of becoming the 31st player in Sox history to reach 1,000 in his career...He would be just the club's 2nd primary 2nd baseman to reach the mark, joining Bobby Doerr (2,042).

☛ Pedroia's next game will be the 832nd of his career... Since 1918, only 5 players have reached 1,000 hits within their 1st 832 Major League games with the Red Sox: Nomar Garciaparra (746th game), Wade Boggs (747th), Johnny Pesky (774th), Ted Williams (814th) and Jim Rice (827th).

**LEFTY LEDGER:** The Sox face left-hander Brett Anderson today and are 25-17 (.595) when facing a lefty starter this season, 2nd-best in the AL and tied for 5th best in the Majors.

TEAM	WINS	LOSSES	WIN PCT.
Baltimore	21	14	.600
<b>Boston</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>.595</b>
Texas	23	16	.590

☛ Boston batters have posted an AL-high .458 SLG vs. LHP (3rd in ML) and rank 2nd in the AL with 54 homers and 201 RBI off lefties...Cody Ross leads the AL with a .714 SLG and a 1.119 OPS off southpaws.

**LEADER OF THE PACK:** Scott Podsednik is batting .344 (45-for-131) in 40 games with Boston, tops in the AL and 5th in the Majors among players with at least 50 PA this year.

PLAYER	AB	H	AVG
<b>Scott Podsednik, BOS</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>.344</b>
Mike Trout, LAA	450	151	.336
Andy Dirks, DET	219	73	.333

**AUGUST RUSH:** Red Sox batters led the Majors with 290 hits in August, 1 shy of the club's most in an August over the last 15 seasons since 1997 (291 in 2005)...Boston also topped the Majors with 70 doubles in August, led by Dustin Pedroia's ML-high 12, 2-baggers, which matched his single-month career-high (also 9/08)...Pedroia also ranked among AL August leaders in hits (2nd, 40) and XBH (T-3rd, 16).

**LEADER BOARD:** Boston batters have tallied a Major League-high 457 extra-bases hits, including an ML-best 297 doubles this year...The club is 2nd in the Majors with 650 runs, trailing only Texas (678)...They are 2nd in the AL in hits (1,254), 3rd in total bases (3rd in ML, 2,018) and 4th in AVG (.269).

**BACKSTOP BARRAGE:** Jarrod Saltalamacchia has homered in 2 of his last 4 and 3 of his last 9 contests...His 23 long balls in 2012 are tied for 2nd most by a catcher in the Majors this year, 1 shy of CWS' A.J. Pierzynski (24).

RK	PLAYER	YEAR	HR
1.	Carlton Fisk	1973	26
	Carlton Fisk	1977	26
3.	Jason Varitek	2003	25
4.	Rich Gedman	1984	24
	Mike Stanley	1996	24
6.	<b>Jarrod Saltalamacchia</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>23</b>

**27 PLAYERS, 34 STINTS:** With LHP Franklin Morales going on the 15-day disabled list Tuesday (left shoulder inflammation), the Red Sox have had 27 different players on the DL this season for 34 separate stints, both of which are the most by a Sox team since at least 1971 and, according to STATS, the most by any team since at least 1987...13 players who have been on the DL with the Sox this year are current or former All-Stars.

**ROSTER CROWD:** The Red Sox have had 53 players appear in a game this year, the most in the Majors this year and 4 more than their entire 2011 total (49)...The Red Sox have only used more than 53 players in a season once before, with 55 in 1996...The Red Sox also had 53 players appear in a game in 2010, 2006 and 1995.

☛ 29 different non-pitchers have appeared in a game for Boston this season, up from 23 a year ago.

**BOBBY V. AT THE HELM:** Bobby Valentine, in his 1st season as Red Sox manager, ranks 4th among active Major League skippers in games (2,323) and 5th in wins (1,179)... He is 41st on the all-time managerial wins list with Hughie Jennings next at 1,184.

**HONORING NO. 6:** The Red Sox family is mourning the loss of Johnny Pesky, who passed away on 8/13 at the age of 93...The team will wear a black patch with a white No. 6 on the left sleeve of their home white and alternate jerseys, and the right sleeve of their gray road uniforms will have a black armband for the remainder of the season in honor of Pesky.

RED SOX RECORD BREAKDOWN	
Overall	62-72
AL East Standing	4th, -15.0 GB
At Home	32-38
On Road	30-34
In day games	19-19
In night games	43-53
April	11-11
May	15-14
June	15-12
July	12-14
August	9-21
vs. AL East	20-28
vs. AL Central	24-16
vs. AL West	7-21
vs. National League	11-7
vs. RH starter	37-55
vs. LH starter	25-17
Leading after 6 innings	49-13
Tied after 6 innings	6-8
Trailing after 6 innings	7-51
Leading after 7 innings	53-7
Tied after 7 innings	3-9
Trailing after 7 innings	5-56
Leading after 8 innings	53-6
Tied after 8 innings	5-8
Trailing after 8 innings	3-58
Red Sox score 1st	37-19
Opponents score 1st	25-53
Shutouts	4-5
Scoring less than 3 runs	4-31
Scoring 3 or 4 runs	11-27
Scoring 5 or more runs	47-14
Red Sox hit HR	50-40
Red Sox hit 0 HR	12-32
1-run games	13-17
2-run games	13-18
Walk-offs	2-6
Extra innings (home)	0-6
Extra innings (road)	2-2
Extra innings (total)	2-8
Series openers	16-27
Series finales	20-22
Series W-L-T (home)	10-11-0
Series W-L-T (road)	9-10-3
Series W-L-T (total)	19-21-3
Series sweeps (home)	2-6
Series sweeps (road)	1-3
Series sweeps (total)	3-9
Come-from-behind wins	31, last 8/27
Innings batting around	15, last 8/12 (5th)
Games decided in last AB	10-17

VS. THE ATHLETICS	
All-Time Series (since 1901)	1,056-868-10
All-Time vs. OAK (since 1968)	275-226
In Boston	160-91
In Oakland	115-135*
*includes 2 games in Japan in 2008	
2012 vs. Oakland	1-7
In Boston	1-2
In Oakland	0-5

DATE	H/R	SCORE	WP	LP
4/30	H	W11-6	Buchholz	Milone
5/1	H	L3-5	Parker	Doubront
5/2	H	L2-4	McCarthy	Bard
7/2	R	L1-6	Parker	Matsuzaka
7/3	R	L2-3	Blevins	Aceves
7/4	R	L2-3	Balfour	Cook
8/31	R	L2-20	McCarthy	Cook
9/1	R	L1-7	Griffin	Doubront

UPCOMING MILESTONES	
Milestone	Player (current)
1,000 Hits	Pedroia (996)
Sox All-Time List	Player (current)
K by LHP, 1st (Hurst, 1,043)	Lester (1,035)

**THIS DATE IN FENWAY PARK HISTORY**  
**1960:** In his last year as a player, Ted Williams homered off Washington's Don Lee, the only run in a 5-1 loss...Williams had homered off Lee's father, Thornton Lee, on 9/17/39 during his 1st year in baseball.

### UPCOMING SCHEDULE AND PROBABLE PITCHING MATCHUPS

DATE	OPP.	BOS TIME	RED SOX STARTER	OPPOSING STARTER	TV
Mon., 9/3	at SEA	4:10 p.m.	RHP Clay Buchholz (11-4, 4.50)	LHP Jason Vargas (13-9, 3.90)	NESN
Tue., 9/4	at SEA	10:10 p.m.	LHP Jon Lester (8-11, 5.01)	RHP Blake Beavan (9-8, 4.95)	NESN
Wed., 9/5	at SEA	10:10 p.m.	RHP Aaron Cook (pitching tonight)	RHP Kevin Millwood (pitching tonight)	NESN

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## TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER

### 18-DAISUKE MATSUZAKA, RHP

**2012:** 1-3, 5.10 ERA (17 ER/30.0 IP) in 6 GS  
**CAREER:** 50-33, 4.29 ERA (311 ER/652.2 IP) in 112 G, 111 GS  
**CAREER on ROAD:** 24-15, 3.92 ERA (140 ER/321.1 IP) in 55 GS

**LAST START:** Earned the win on 8/27 vs. KC as the Red Sox were victorious 5-1...Tossed 7.0 innings, allowing 1 run (0 ER) on 5 hits and 2 walks in his 1st start since being placed on the 15-day DL on 7/3... Struck out 6 over 101 pitches...Gave up an unearned run in the 1st inning when Alex Gordon scored on a sac fly by Billy Butler...Exited with a 5-1 lead after Boston plated 5 unanswered runs.

🔴 Earned his 50th career win in his 112th Major League game, becoming the 5th-fastest Red Sox hurler to reach the 50-win mark since 1918 after Jon Lester, Tex Hughson, Dave Ferriss and Roger Clemens... Became the 4th Japanese-born pitcher to reach the 50-win plateau in the Major Leagues along with Hideo Nomo (123), Hiroki Kuroda (53) and Tomo Ohka (51).

🔴 Snapped his 6-start winless streak dating back to 5/16/11 vs. BAL...It was the 2nd-longest winless stretch of his career after a 7-gamer from 9/7/10-4/11/11...His 5 games without a win to start 2012 are his most ever to begin a season.

**JAPANESE-BORN LEADERS:** Has 594 Major League strikeouts, 3rd all-time among Japanese-born pitchers behind Hideo Nomo (1,918) and Hiroki Kuroda (658)...Is 5th among pitchers born in Japan with 111 starts and 6th with 652.2 innings.

**SHAKY SUPPORT:** His 2.70 runs of support per 9.0 innings (9 RS/30.0 IP) is the 3rd-lowest rate among Major League hurlers with at least 5 games started this season...The Red Sox have not scored a run of support in 3 of his 6 outings including a 14.0-inning drought over his 1st 3 starts from 6/9-21.

**STRONG PERIPHERALS:** Has surrendered 2 walks or less in 5 of 6 starts in 2012, and is averaging 3.00 walks per 9.0 IP (10 BB/30.0 IP) compared to 5.54 in 2011 (23 BB/37.1 IP)...With 26 K's, is averaging 7.80 K's per 9.0 IP thus far in 2012, which would be his best mark since 2009 (8.19. 54 K's/59.1 IP).

**HARD TO HIT:** Has held left-handed batters to a .211 average (12-for-57) this season.

🔴 Has held opponents to a .242 batting average (597-for-2,463) in his Major League career, 7th among American League pitchers with a minimum of 600.0 innings pitched since 2007.

**THE K-MAN:** Averaging 8.19 strikeouts per 9.0 innings (594 K's/652.2 IP) in his Major League career, 11th among AL hurlers since 2007 (min. 600.0 IP).

🔴 Tallied 8.33 K's per 9.0 innings (542 K's/585.1 IP) from 2007-10, the 6th-best rate in American League history through a pitcher's 1st 4 seasons (min. 500.0 IP).

**IN THE SUN:** Is 14-12 with a 3.80 ERA (79 ER/187.1 IP) and 185 strikeouts in 31 starts during the day...Has fanned 8.89 batters per 9.0 innings in day games during his career, the highest rate among Red Sox starters since 2007 (min. 100.0 IP).

**ROAD WARRIOR:** Is 24-15 (.615) with a 3.92 ERA (140 ER/321.1 IP) in 55 career road starts compared to 26-18 (.591) with a 4.64 mark (171 ER/331.1 IP) in 57 home games (56 starts)...Has posted a lower ERA on the road than at home in all 5 of his previous Major League seasons from 2007-11.

**VS. THE ATHLETICS:** Lost his last outing against OAK on 7/2 after going unbeaten in his previous 6 starts against the club since 2008...Is averaging 9.90 strikeouts per 9.0 innings (44 K/40.0 IP) against the A's, his highest career mark against any American League club.

**ON REHAB:** Went 1-1 with a 2.78 ERA (7 ER/22.2 IP) and 21 strikeouts in 5 starts from 7/30-8/21, all with Triple-A Pawtucket, in his 3rd stint on rehab this season... Posted a 3.54 ERA (22 ER/59.2 IP) with 51 strikeouts in 13 combined rehab starts over his 3 rehab stints between High-A Salem (1 GS), Double-A Portland (1 GS) and Pawtucket (11 GS) in 2012.

🔴 Made 5 starts between Salem (1 GS), Portland (1 GS) and Pawtucket (3 GS) from 4/23-5/17 before he was removed from his 1st rehab stint on 5/19 due to a right trapezius strain...Began a 2nd rehab stint on 5/26 and allowed just 2 runs in 11.2 IP (1.54 ERA) with 6 hits, 3 walk and 8 K's in 3 starts with the PawSox.

**PREVIOUS ML START:** Took the loss on 7/2 at OAK, lasting just 1.0+ inning, allowing 5 runs on 4 hits and 2 walks...Did not record a strikeout while tossing 28 pitches...Gave up 1 run in the 1st inning on a solo shot by Josh Reddick...Surrendered 4 runs in the 2nd frame on a 3-run homer by Brandon Moss and a sac fly by Reddick that plated Brandon Inge...The sac fly came off Clayton Mortensen who came in for Matsuzaka with no outs, 2 runners on and the Sox trailing 4-1.

🔴 Did not record a strikeout in a start for just the 2nd time in his career (3rd overall), also 4/14/09 at OAK...The 28 pitches were his fewest ever in a start and his 2nd-lowest total all time in a game after tossing 20 in relief on 5/4/11 vs. LAA.

**MORE 2012 HIGHLIGHTS:** Allowed 1 run over 5.2 innings in a 5-1 Sox win over TOR at Fenway on 6/26 but did not earn a decision...Did not factor in the decision in a 6-5 Red Sox win vs. MIA on 6/21...Dropped his 2nd straight game at Chicago (NL) on 6/15...Fanned 8 batters, his most strikeouts since tallying 9 on 4/23/11 at LAA, but suffered the loss in his 2012 debut on 6/9 vs. WAS...Made his 2012 debut exactly 365 days after undergoing season-ending Tommy John Surgery on 6/10/11.

#### DAISUKE MATSUZAKA'S 2012 STARTS

DATE	SCORE	OPP	DEC	SCORE WHEN LEFT	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K	HR	PIT/STRIKES	NOTES
6/9	L2-4	WAS	L	0-4	5.0	5	4	4	1	8	1	80/52	Made his 1st start since Tommy John surgery on 6/10/11
6/15	L0-3	at CHC	L	0-3	6.0	4	3	3	3	3	0	93/62	Walked the bases loaded in the 1st inning, leading to 2 runs
6/21	W6-5	MIA	---	3-4	5.1	4	4	4	1	4	1	101/70	Retired 14 batters beginning with the 3rd out in the 1st inning
6/26	W5-1	TOR	---	0-1	5.2	6	1	1	1	5	0	100/60	Tossed 4.2 scoreless frames after giving up only run in the 1st
7/2	L1-6	at OAK	L	1-4	1.0	4	5	5	2	0	2	28/16	Gave up a solo homer in the 1st and 3-run shot in the 2nd
8/27	W5-1	KC	W	5-1	7.0	5	1	0	2	6	0	101/71	Earned his 1st victory since 5/8/11 vs. MIN

#### RECENT 2012 REHAB STARTS WITH TRIPLE-A PAWTUCKET

DATE	SCORE	OPP	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K	HR
7/30	L1-2	at SWB	---	2.1	4	0	0	1	3	0
8/5	W6-5	LHV	---	3.0	5	4	1	1	3	0
8/10	W9-3	at ROC	---	4.2	5	2	2	2	3	1
8/15	L1-5	at SWB	L	5.2	5	5	4	2	5	0
8/21	W3-0	ROC	W	7.0	1	0	0	4	7	0

#### BATTER-PITCHER MATCHUPS

ATHLETICS CAREER vs. MATSUZAKA						RED SOX CAREER vs. ANDERSON					
PLAYER	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	PLAYER	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
Carter	---	0	0	0	0	Aviles	.333	3	1	0	0
Cespedes	.000	1	0	0	0	Ciriaco	---	0	0	0	0
Crisp	.000	4	0	0	0	Ellsbury	.000	11	0	0	0
Donaldson	---	0	0	0	0	Gomez	---	0	0	0	0
Drew	.333	3	1	0	1	Iglesias	---	0	0	0	0
Gomes	.154	13	2	0	0	Kalish	.667	3	2	0	1
Kottaras	---	0	0	0	0	Lavarney	---	0	0	0	0
Moss	1.000	1	1	1	3	Loney	---	0	0	0	0
Norris	---	0	0	0	0	Pedroia	.167	12	2	0	0
Pennington	.200	5	1	0	0	Podsednik	.500	6	3	0	0
Reddick	1.000	1	1	1	1	Ross	.000	1	0	0	0
Rosales	.167	6	1	0	0	Saltalamacchia	.200	15	3	0	0
Smith	1.000	2	2	0	0						

#### STARTING PITCHERS' BREAKDOWN

STARTER	GS	QUALITY STARTS	RS/IP	RSA	SOX REC.
Lester	27	14	94/169.0	5.01	11-16
Beckett	21	10	67/127.1	4.74	7-14
Buchholz	23	11	103/152.0	6.10	14-9
Doubront	24	11	110/130.2	7.58	15-9
Bard	10	3	33/54.1	5.47	4-6
Cook	13	6	39/70.2	4.97	4-9
Matsuzaka	6	2	9/30.0	2.70	3-3
Morales	9	3	28/45.2	5.52	4-5
Stewart	1	0	2/8.2	2.08	0-1

## TOMORROW'S STARTING PITCHER

### 11-CLAY BUCHHOLZ, RHP

**2012:** 11-4, 4.50 ERA (76 ER/152.0 IP) in 23 GS  
**CAREER:** 46-28, 3.86 ERA (257 ER/599.0 IP) in 101 G, 99 GS  
**CAREER on ROAD:** 25-17, 4.08 ERA (142 ER/313.0 IP) in 54 G, 53 GS

**LAST START:** Did not factor in the decision on 8/28 at LAA as the Red Sox lost 6-5...Allowed 4 runs on 6 hits and 3 walks over 7.0 innings in his 2nd-consecutive start against the Angels...Struck out 5 while tossing 109 pitches...Gave up 2 runs in the 1st inning on a lead-off homer by Mike Trout and sac fly by Mark Trumbo... Retired 11 in a row from the last out of the 1st inning to the 1st out of the 6th...Surrendered an additional 2 runs in the 6th inning on a solo shot by Albert Pujols and RBI double by Howie Kendrick...Exited with a 5-4 lead but Alfredo Aceves allowed 2 runs in the 9th inning.

**VS. THE MARINERS:** Is making his 1st appearance against SEA since 9/15/10 (W, 7.0 IP, 4 H, 1 R)...His 2 career starts against the club have come at Safeco Field.

### 1-3, 5.10 ERA, 6 starts

**2012 vs. OAK:** 0-1, 45.00 ERA (5 ER/1.0 IP) in 1 GS  
**CAREER vs. OAK:** 4-2, 4.73 ERA (21 ER/40.0 IP) in 8 GS  
**CAREER at THE COLISEUM:** 2-2, 5.64 ERA (14 ER/22.1 IP) in 5 GS

#### INSIDE THE NUMBERS

**2012 AT FENWAY:** 1-1, 3.52 ERA, 4 starts  
**2012 ON THE ROAD:** 0-2, 10.29 ERA, 2 starts  
**2012 vs. OPP:** .241 (28-116), 4 HR  
**2012 vs. LHB:** .211 (12-57), 3 HR  
**2012 vs. RHB:** .271 (16-59), 1 HR  
**WHIP:** 1.27  
**SEASON HIGH K's:** 8, 6/9/12 vs. WAS  
**CAREER HIGH K's:** 10, 3 times, last 8/4/07 at SEA  
**LAST WIN (Has made 0 starts since)**  
 8/27/12 vs. KC (5-1 over Luke Hochevar)  
**LAST LOSS (Has made 1 start since)**  
 7/2/12 at OAK (1-6 to Jarrod Parker)  
**LAST COMPLETE GAME (Has made 103 starts since)**  
 5/14/07 vs. DET (1st career, 7-1 win over Nate Robertson)  
**LAST SHUTOUT (Has made 111 starts)**  
 Has not thrown a shutout in the Majors  
**SHORTEST CAREER START**  
 1.0 IP, 3 times, last 7/2/12 at OAK (L)

## BATTING NOTES

### 3-MIKE AVILES, SS .258 AVG 13 HR 59 RBI .286 OBP .400 SLG

**vs. RHP:** 81-328 (.247), 8 HR **YESTERDAY:** 0-3 **TRIP:** 5-14, RBI, SF, SB **CURRENT STREAK:** 0 G  
**vs. LHP:** 38-134 (.284), 5 HR **OAK SERIES:** 1-7 **SEASON-HIGH STREAK:** 9 G, 4/17-27 (14-39)

- ⚡ Made his 4th career start at DH Friday at OAK...Also Wed. night at LAA, 4/12/11 with KC at MIN and 7/3/10 with KC vs. LAA...Has career high 13 homers and 59 RBI (previously 10 HR and 51 RBI in 2008 with KC)...His 13 HR are most for a Sox SS since N. Garciaparra's 28 in 2003...2nd in the AL with 59 RBI at SS...3rd in AL at SS with 13 HR, T-2nd with 27 2B, and 4th with 40 XBH.
- ⚡ Has hit safely in 9 of his last 12 games at a .304 clip (14-for-46) with 2 doubles, 2 homers and 7 RBI.
- ⚡ Was 3-for-3 with a walk, a HBP and 3 runs 8/11 at CLE...Was the 1st Sox SS to reach in all of at least 5 PA and score 3 runs since Nomar Garciaparra, 6/24/03 vs. DET.
- ⚡ Has 12 stolen bases, 2 shy of his career high (14 in 2010 and 2011)...Is the 1st Red Sox SS with double-digit homers and steals since Garciaparra in 2003.
- ⚡ Started in the leadoff spot a career-high 36 times this year...T-8th in the AL in HR (8) batting in the 1-hole...Led off both 5/19 and 5/20 at PHI with homers, only the 2nd Red Sox with a leadoff HR in consecutive games (also Harry Hooper, both games of a DH on 5/30/1913 at WSH).
- ⚡ Tied career high with season-best 4 RBI on 4/30 vs. OAK (4th time)...Matched career highs with 4 hits (6th time), 3 XBH (2nd time) and 2 doubles on 4/24 at MIN.

### 77-PEDRO CIRIACO, INF .327 AVG 2 HR 16 RBI .340 OBP .447 SLG

**vs. RHP:** 36-111 (.324), 0 HR **YESTERDAY:** 0-3, R **TRIP:** 1-20, 2 R, SB **CURRENT STREAK:** 0 G  
**vs. LHP:** 16-48 (.333), 2 HR **OAK SERIES:** 1-7, 2 R **SEASON-HIGH STREAK:** 6 G, 2 times, last 8/21-26 (13-28)

- ⚡ Hits in 10 of his last 14 tilts at .345 (20-for-58) with 3 2B, 1 HR, 4 RBI and 11 runs, including a season/career-high 6 game hit streak, 8/21-26 (.464, 13-for-28, 2 2B, 1 HR, 4 RBI, 8 runs)...Hits in 22 of last 30 tilts with a PA, batting .330 (36-for-109) with 6 2B, 1 3B, 2 HR and 10 RBI in that stretch.
- ⚡ Drove in the tying and go-ahead runs in the 7th on 8/24 in the 4-3 win...Of 16 RBI this year, 4 have been game winning and 5 go ahead.
- ⚡ Tied career high with 4 hits 8/23 vs. LAA and scored a career-high 4 runs...All 3 career 4-hit games have come in 2012, T-6th most in AL...Previous 4-hit outings came vs. NYY (7/7 and 8/18), becoming the 1st Major Leaguer with a pair of 4-hit games vs. NYY since C. Figgins with LAA in 2008 and 1st Sox since W. Boggs' 3, 4-hit games vs. NYY in 1989.
- ⚡ Knocked a go-ahead, pinch-hit solo homer in the 8th on 8/4 vs. MIN, his 1st career HR...Became 8th player to hit 1st career HR in the pinch with BOS, 1st since Yamaico Navarro 7/2/11 at HOU...None of the 1st 7 tied the game or gave the Sox a lead.
- ⚡ Has played 48 games, 40 starts, since 7/6 selection from Pawtucket, with hits in 29 of those tilts...Has 9 starts at 2nd base, 11 at SS, 14 at 3rd base and 6 at DH...Also has 4 outfield appearances this year, none as a starter...Made 1st pro appearance in CF 8/11 at CLE, moving from 2nd base in the 8th inning.
- ⚡ Drove in BOS' game-winning run on 7/28-29 at NYY, with an RBI triple in 9th inn. 7/28 and a 10th-inning RBI single 7/29...According to Elias, became the 1st player with go-ahead RBI in the 9th inning or later in 2 straight games against NYY since CAL's Wally Joyner, 9/12-13/89 in Anaheim.
- ⚡ Has at least 3 hits 8 times and was the 1st Red Sox player with 3+ hits in 4 of his 1st 7 games for the team from 7/7-16...Has stolen 10 bases without being caught.
- ⚡ At time of selection, was 10th in International League in AVG (.301)...Named IL All-Star at SS...With PawSox played SS (37 G), 2nd base (23), 3rd base (3) and DH (1).

### 2-JACOBY ELLSBURY, OF .267 AVG 2 HR 16 RBI .309 OBP .371 SLG

**vs. RHP:** 34-137 (.248), 2 HR **YESTERDAY:** 1-4 **TRIP:** 4-20, 3 R, 2 SB **CURRENT STREAK:** 2 G (2-8)  
**vs. LHP:** 25-84 (.298), 0 HR **OAK SERIES:** 2-8 **SEASON-HIGH STREAK:** 8 G, 8/21-28 (15-37)

- ⚡ T-2nd in ML with 11 doubles in August...Wed. night snapped a season-long 8-game hit streak (.405, 15-for-37, 5 RBI and 9 runs) and a career-long 6-game multi-hit streak, the longest streak of its kind by a Red Sox batter this season...Has hit safely in 15 of his last 20 games (.299, 26-for-87, 7 2B, 8 RBI, 14 R) with 10 multi-hit tilts in that time...2nd HR of the season Mon. vs KC, snapping a 129-AB homerless drought...6th-inn. double Mon. was his 200th career XBH.
- ⚡ 41 starts this year have come in the leadoff spot, 6 in the 2 hole and 6 batting 3rd (1st career).
- ⚡ Reached twice and stole a team season-high 3 bases 8/9 at CLE, the most thefts by a Red Sox in a game since he tied the club record with 4 on 8/9/10 at NYY.
- ⚡ Hits in 23 of last 32 tilts with a PA, going 37-for-136 (.272) with 12 doubles, 12 RBI and 21 runs...Hits in 32 of 46 games with a PA since coming off DL on 7/13 at .277 (54-for-195) with 15 2B, 2 HR, 13 RBI, 30 runs and all 11 SB on the year.
- ⚡ On 8/16, snapped a 38-game hit streak against BAL dating back to 4/17/09...Batted .418 (71-for-170) with 14 doubles, a triple, 8 homers and 25 RBI in that span...It was the 2nd-longest streak by a player against any single team since 1900 after a 44-gamer by Vladimir Guerrero vs. TEX from 4/9/04-8/4/06 (Elias).
- ⚡ Started the Red Sox 1st 7 games before missing 79 contests on the DL beginning 4/14 due to a right shoulder subluxation suffered 4/13 vs. TB...Played in 8 rehab games between the Rookie GCL Sox, Double-A Portland and Triple-A Pawtucket from 6/29-7/8, going 5-for-27 with 2 doubles, a homer, 3 RBI, 5 runs and 4 walks.
- ⚡ Ranks 3rd on the Red Sox all-time steals list with 186 in his career, trailing only Harry Hooper (300) and Tris Speaker (267).

### 50-MAURO GOMEZ, 1B .321 AVG 1 HR 7 RBI .379 OBP .453 SLG

**vs. RHP:** 12-35 (.343), 1 HR **YESTERDAY:** DNP **TRIP:** 3-5, R, RBI **CURRENT STREAK:** 0 G  
**vs. LHP:** 5-18 (.278), 0 HR **OAK SERIES:** 0-1, RBI **SEASON-HIGH STREAK:** 4 G, 7/4-7 (8-17, 2 R, 3 2B, 3 RBI)

- ⚡ Was named the 2012 International League Most Valuable Player...Is the 7th PawSox in franchise history to receive the honor...Recalled 8/18, his 4th career ML stint, all with BOS in 2012...With Sox this year, has appeared in 7 games at 3rd base (5 starts), 7 at 1st base (5 GS) and 3 at DH (3 GS)...Has hit safely in 8 of his 16 games.
- ⚡ Collected 3 hits Wed. night at LAA, his 5th multi-hit tilt...On 8/25 had a career-high 4 hits and 3 RBI and hit his 1st ML homer, a solo shot in 2nd inning...Became the 1st Red Sox to have a game with at least 4 hits and 3 or more RBI in the 1st 12 games of a ML career since Jody Reed's 6th game on 9/27/87 at MIL (4 H, 3 RBI).
- ⚡ Went 8-for-17 (.471) with 3 doubles and 3 RBI over 4-game hit streak, 7/4-7 (GM 2)...Collected 1st ML RBI and multi-hit game, going 2-for-5 with an RBI single on 7/6 vs. NYY...Notched 1st Big League hit on 7/4 at OAK, a double in the 2nd.
- ⚡ Had 1st Big League stint with BOS from 5/13-20, appearing in 2 games (0-for-2)...Made ML debut as def. replacement at 1st base in the 8th on 5/13 vs. CLE.
- ⚡ Prior to most recent recall, led Triple-A International League with 59 XBH, .589 SLG and 16.13 AB/HR.
- ⚡ Signed by the Red Sox as a minor league free agent in February...Has also played in the Rangers (2004-09) and Braves (2010-11) systems.

### 58-JOSE IGLESIAS, SS .000 AVG 0 HR 0 RBI .077 OBP .000 SLG

**vs. RHP:** 0-8 (.000), 0 HR **YESTERDAY:** DNP **TRIP:** 0-11, HBP **CURRENT STREAK:** 0 G  
**vs. LHP:** 0-4 (.000), 0 HR **OAK SERIES:** 0-3, HBP **SEASON-HIGH STREAK:** 0 G

- ⚡ Has started at SS in 3 of BOS' last 5 games, his 1st starts of 2012...Recalled 8/25 for 2nd stint with BOS in 2012...Entered that game as a pinch-runner in the 9th inn.
- ⚡ Is 0-for-12 in 2012...Played in 10 tilts with the Big League club in 2011 and went 2-for-6 (.333) with 3 runs...Appeared in 8 G at SS (1 start) and 5 as a pinch-runner.
- ⚡ Was batting .329 (24-for-73) in 19 August games for Triple-A Pawtucket with 5 doubles, 9 walks and 14 runs...Has had at least 1 hit in 21 of his last 27 Triple-A tilts.
- ⚡ In 88 games overall for Pawtucket, was 94-for-353 (.266) with 9 doubles, 1 triple, a home run 23 RBI, 27 walks, 46 runs scored and 12 stolen bases.
- ⚡ Signed by BOS as an international free agent on 9/8/09...Owns a .264 AVG (258-for-979) with 31 doubles, 6 triples, 2 HR and 74 RBI in 261 career minor league tilts.
- ⚡ Elected to 2012 post-season International League All-Star team...Named by *Baseball America* as the best defensive infielder in the Red Sox farm system following each of the past 3 seasons and last year was tabbed by the publication as the best defensive shortstop in the International League.

### 55-RYAN KALISH, OF .202 AVG 0 HR 5 RBI .244 OBP .238 SLG

**vs. RHP:** 14-72 (.194), 0 HR **YESTERDAY:** DNP **TRIP:** 1-5 **CURRENT STREAK:** 0 G  
**vs. LHP:** 3-12 (.250), 0 HR **OAK SERIES:** DNP **SEASON-HIGH STREAK:** 5 G, 6/29-7/3 (5-17)

- ⚡ Recalled prior to Monday's game, his 3rd stint with BOS this season, when Ortiz was placed on 15-day DL...In 2nd stint with Sox this season (7/31-8/9), made 5 starts in RF and 1 in CF...Made 1st leadoff start of the season (4th career) on 8/4 vs. MIN.
- ⚡ Has hit in 10 of his last 16 tilts (10-for-53) with a PA for BOS, beginning with career-high-tying 5-game hit streak (.294, 5-for-17, 2B, R, RBI)...Stole a base in back-to-back contests, 8/5-6...Overall in 2012 has appeared in 20 G in CF (16 starts) and 6 in RF (6 GS).
- ⚡ In his 1st stint with BOS from 6/17-7/7 (G1), started 15 of club's 19 games, all in CF (18 G total)...Marked his 1st Major League action since 2010.
- ⚡ Doubled as a pinch-hitter in the top of the 10th inning on 7/1 at SEA and scored the winning run...Has doubled and scored in both of his pinch-hit PA this year, also in the 7th inning on 6/26 vs. TOR, when he came around with the deciding run in a 5-1 Red Sox win...Is 4-for-7 (.571) in his career as a PH.
- ⚡ Has hit .261 (29-for-111) with 5 doubles, 4 homers, 14 RBI, 18 runs and 7 steals in 27 tilts, including 3 on rehab, over 3 stints with Triple-A Pawtucket this season.
- ⚡ Began 2012 on 60-day DL after left shoulder surgery...Hit .345 (20-for-58) with 5 HR and 11 RBI in 9 rehab G with High-A Salem, Double-A Portland and PawSox.

### 60-RYAN LAVARNWAY, C .194 AVG 0 HR 2 RBI .261 OBP .242 SLG

**vs. RHP:** 9-38 (.237), 0 HR **YESTERDAY:** 1-3 **TRIP:** 3-12, R, 2B, RBI, 2 BB, SF **CURRENT STREAK:** 0 G  
**vs. LHP:** 3-24 (.125), 0 HR **OAK SERIES:** 1-3 **SEASON-HIGH STREAK:** 5 G, 8/24-29 (6-19)

- ⚡ Has reached base in each of his last 7 tilts (7-for-25, .280, 3 BB) with hits in 6...Career-long 5 game hit streak (.316, 6-for-19) from 8/24-29.
- ⚡ Is 12-for-62 with 6 walks in 19 games since 8/1 recall for 1st Big League stint of 2012...Has reached base safely in 14 of 17 starts, with 7 at DH and 10 at catcher.
- ⚡ Made season debut with Sox starting at catcher 8/2 vs. MIN...Started at DH 8/3 vs. MIN, notching his 1st hit of the season in the 9th (double).
- ⚡ Hit .295 (94-for-319) with 22 doubles, 8 homers, 43 RBI, 52 runs and 40 walks in 83 games for Triple-A Pawtucket in 2012...Was the starting catcher on the International League All-Star Team and was named to the 2012 post-season International League All-Star team
- ⚡ At time of recall led the International League with 80 games caught...Was named the IL's best defensive catcher in 2012 by *Baseball America*.
- ⚡ Made Major League debut with BOS in 2011 and batted .231 (9-for-39) with 2 doubles, 2 home runs, 8 RBI, 5 runs and 4 walks in 17 games over 2 stints.

**BATTING NOTES (CONTINUED)**

**22-JAMES LONEY, 1B** **.333 AVG** **1 HR** **4 RBI** **.360 OBP** **.358 SLG**  
**vs. RHP:** 7-20 (.350), 1 HR **YESTERDAY:** 0-3 **TRIP:** 6-15, 2 R, HR, 2 RBI, BB **CURRENT STREAK:** 0 G  
**vs. LHP:** 1-4 (.250), 0 HR **OAK SERIES:** 1-7 **SEASON-HIGH STREAK:** 7 G, 8/22-31 (9-24)

⚡ Last night at OAK snapped season-high 7-game hit streak, including hits in each of his 1st 6 games with BOS...Hit his 1st homer as a Red Sox Thurs. at LAA and collected a season-high 3 hits (3rd time)...Had an RBI and a hit in each of his 1st 4 starts with BOS, the 1st Red Sox to collect at least 1 RBI and 1 hit in each of his 1st 4 starts with the club since Matt Stairs in 1995.  
 ⚡ Acquired by the Red Sox on 8/25 as part of a 9-player trade with the Dodgers...On 8/26 vs. KC went 1-for-5 and drove in the tying run in the 5th in his Sox debut... Had played entire 7-year ML career with LAD...Left ranked 6th on the Dodgers all-time list with 860 career games at 1st base.  
 ⚡ Tied for the LAD club lead with 114 games played prior to the trade and ranked 2nd on the club with 18 doubles.  
 ⚡ Has hit .302 (29-for-96) in 26 starts since the All-Star break, including a .318 clip (14-for-44) with 3 home runs in his last 12 starts.  
 ⚡ From the start of his 1st full Major League season in 2008 until being acquired by BOS, led the NL with 752 games played, 6th most in the Majors in that time... Is 1 of just 4 players to appear in at least 158 contests in each of the last 4 years.

**15-DUSTIN PEDROIA, 2B** **.284 AVG** **12 HR** **55 RBI** **.340 OBP** **.439 SLG**  
**vs. RHP:** 92-330 (.279), 8 HR **YESTERDAY:** 1-4, RBI **TRIP:** 6-18, 2B, 2 RBI, 2 BB **CURRENT STREAK:** 12 G (17-50, 8 R, 5 2B, 2 HR, 8 RBI, 4 BB, HBP, 3 SB)  
**vs. LHP:** 42-142 (.296), 4 HR **OAK SERIES:** 3-8, RBI **SEASON-HIGH STREAK:** 14 G, 4/29-5/13 (21-60)

⚡ Is the 5th-hardest AL player to fan (9.5 PA/SO)...Is 3rd in AL in hits (134), XBH (46) and TB (207), and 4th in RBI (55) among 2nd basemen...Is 4 hits shy of 1,000.  
 ⚡ Is on an 12-game hit streak and has hits in 25 of his last 26 tilts...Season-high 4 hits and career high-tying 5 RBI 8/23 vs. LAA (5th time, last 9/13/11 vs. TOR)...Hit in 26 of 29 games in August at a .342 clip (40-for-117)...Among AL leaders in August in hits (T-2nd, 40), doubles (1st in ML, 12), extra-base hits (T-3rd, 16) and runs (T-4th, 22)...13-game hit streak from 8/5-18 over which he batted .404 (21-for-52) with 7 2B, 1 3B, 1 HR, 8 RBI, 11 runs and 5 BB...Had 7 multi-hit tilts in that stretch.  
 ⚡ Has at least 10 homers in each of his last 5 seasons (2008-12), joining NYY's R. Cano as only other AL 2nd basemen to do so...Is 1st Sox 2nd baseman to reach double digits in HR in 5 consecutive seasons since Bobby Doerr did it in 6 straight, 1946-51...Tied for team lead with 12 stolen bases and is the 3rd Red Sox with 10 or more stolen bases and at least 10 home runs in 4 seasons behind only Carl Yastrzemski (6) and Reggie Smith (5).  
 ⚡ Has 13 XBH in his last 19 games (9 2B, 1 3B, 3 HR)...Hits in 36 of 42 games since 7/19 activation from 15-day DL at 53-for-167 (.317) with 6 HR, 22 RBI and 29 runs... Landed on DL 7/6 (retro to 7/4) with a right thumb sprain.  
 ⚡ Reached in 48 of last 53 games, batting .314 (66-for-210, 14 2B, 2 3B, 7 HR, 29 RBI, 35 R, 16 BB, 3 HBP) in that time, and has reached in 84 of 96 games starting with a season-long 18-game on-base streak from 4/29-5/17...Also 17-game on-base streak 8/1-18...Had season-high 14-game hit streak, 4/29-5/13 (.350, 21-for-60).  
 ⚡ Went a career single-season high 65 errorless games, 4/21-7/22...Was the longest single-season streak by a Sox 2nd baseman since Doerr's 73 tilts in 1948 (STATS).

**26-SCOTT PODSEDNIK, OF** **.344 AVG** **1 HR** **10 RBI** **.362 OBP** **.405 SLG**  
**vs. RHP:** 34-109 (.312), 1 HR **YESTERDAY:** 0-4 **TRIP:** 3-19, R, RBI, SF **CURRENT STREAK:** 0 G  
**vs. LHP:** 11-22 (.500), 0 HR **OAK SERIES:** 1-7 **SEASON-HIGH STREAK:** 7 G, 8/21-27 (13-29)

⚡ Batted 3rd in the BOS lineup last night, his 1st career start in the 3-hole...2nd among all Major Leaguers (min. 100 PA) with a .354 AVG...Hits in 27 of 34 starts with BOS at 45-for-126 (.357)...Batting at a .313 clip (20-for-64) over last 16 games...Hit .448 (13-for-29) over season-high 7-game hit streak 8/21-27.  
 ⚡ Overall with the Sox, has 17 appearances in CF (12 GS), 20 in LF (18 GS) and 4 in RF (4 GS)...Has played in 21 games (17 starts) since re-signing with the Red Sox on 8/10...Had been traded from BOS to ARI with RHP Matt Albers for LHP Craig Breslow on 7/31.  
 ⚡ Led the AL with .387 AVG during 1st stint with BOS, 5/22-6/19 (min. 50 PA)...5/23 at BAL made 1st ML start since 9/9/10 with LAD and hit 1st HR since 9/6/10 at SD.  
 ⚡ Was acquired from PHI on 5/11 following 22 tilts at Triple-A Lehigh Valley to begin 2012...Hit .281 (25-for-89, 2 2B, 3B, HR, 11 RBI, 4 SB) in 25 games this year for Triple-A PawSox, including 4 tilts on rehab...Was on the Big League DL from 6/18-7/5 with a left groin strain.

**7-CODY ROSS, OF** **.275 AVG** **19 HR** **67 RBI** **.339 OBP** **.507 SLG**  
**vs. RHP:** 68-266 (.256), 8 HR **YESTERDAY:** 0-4 **TRIP:** 2-15, 2 BB **CURRENT STREAK:** 0 G (2-7, BB)  
**vs. LHP:** 34-105 (.324), 11 HR **OAK SERIES:** 1-7, BB **SEASON-HIGH STREAK:** 8 G, 8/3-10 (13-32)

⚡ Leads AL with a .714 SLG vs. LHP...10 of last 26 hits off lefties have been a HR...Ranks T-5th in the ML with 11 homers vs. southpaws.  
 ⚡ Has hit in 19 of his last 26 games at .308 (32-for-104) with 9 doubles, 3 HR and 16 RBI...Has reached in 26 of last 32 tilts with a PA (38-for-126, .302, 9 BB).  
 ⚡ His 19 homers are most since career-high 24 in 2009...Reached mark in 94 games, his fastest ever to 19 HR...Has double-digit homers for 7th straight season... Boston is 11-5 in games in which he homers.  
 ⚡ Had 3, 3-run homers over 2 games on 7/18-19, the 1st ML player to do that since CHC's Sammy Sosa hit 3 on 8/10/02 at COL (Elias)...Hit 3-run, game-winning homer in the 9th 7/19 vs. CWS, his 3rd career walk-off shot, 1st since 8/2/09 vs. CHC with FLA...Had 3-run homers 7/18 vs. CWS in the 3rd and 4th inns. for his 10th career multi-HR game and 3rd of 2012 (also 4/23 at MIN and 6/24 vs. ATL)...His 6 RBI were his most since 9/11/06 vs. NYM with FLA (7).  
 ⚡ On DL from 5/22 (retro to 5/19) until 6/19 with a fracture of the navicular bone in his left foot...Suffered the injury on 5/18 at PHI, fouling a ball of his left foot.  
 ⚡ Owns a career .288 clip (227-for-789) off left-handed pitching, while his .583 SLG vs. southpaws is the 4th-best mark in the Majors since 2003.

**39-JARROD SALTALAMACCHIA, C** **.231 AVG** **23 HR** **53 RBI** **.286 OBP** **.470 SLG**  
**vs. RHP:** 71-303 (.234), 22 HR **YESTERDAY:** 1-3 **TRIP:** 4-14, 2 R, 2 HR, 3 RBI, BB **CURRENT STREAK:** 2 G (2-7, R, HR, RBI)  
**vs. LHP:** 9-44 (.205), 1 HR **OAK SERIES:** 2-7, R, HR, RBI **SEASON-HIGH STREAK:** 5 G, 4/20-26 (10-21)

⚡ Extended career high with 23rd homer Fri. at OAK, 2nd-most in the Majors among catchers...Also T-4th among AL backstops in XBH (37) and 2nd in SLG (min. 250 PA)...Has 39 homers over last 2 years, all since 5/15/11...Since that date is 3rd among catchers in HR, trailing TEX's Mike Napoli (41) and ATL's Brian McCann (40).  
 ⚡ Hits in 12 of his last 17 (15-for-61) and 19 of his last 29 games (24-for-99) with 6 homers and 12 RBI in the latter span.  
 ⚡ 23 homers are the most by a Red Sox catcher since Jason Varitek hit 25 HR in 2003...Is 4th catcher to hit at least 16 HR in back-to-back seasons for the Red Sox, joining Carlton Fisk (1972-73, 1976-78), Rich Gedman (1984-86) and Jason Varitek (2003-05)...His 17 homers marked the 2nd most for a Sox catcher before the All-Star break behind Carlton Fisk's 18 in 1973 (since 1st ASG in 1933).  
 ⚡ Moved to 1st base in the 9th inning 8/12 at CLE, his 1st appearance at that position since 9/10/10 at OAK...Has 82 starts behind the plate and 91 games caught overall...Also has 7 starts at DH...Is 3-for-13 (.231) with a HR, 4 RBI and a walk as a pinch-hitter.  
 ⚡ Knocked 5 HR in each June and July...Hit 6 roundtrippers in May, a career high for any month (prev. 5 in August 2007)...Connected for 1st career walk-off homer and 1st career pinch-hit homer with a 2-run shot 5/26 vs. TB in the 9th...Was the 1st PH walk-off homer by a Red Sox since Wes Chamberlain on 5/9/95 vs. BAL.  
 ⚡ Hit 2 HR on 4/26 at CWS, 3rd career multi-HR tilt and 1st since 8/22/07 with TEX at BAL...Matched career high on 4/21 vs. NYY with 4 hits (2nd time, also 8/22/07).

LAST HOME RUN				MULTI-HIT GAMES					MULTI-RBI GAMES					
PLAYER	DATE, OPP.	PITCHER	AB SINCE	2H	3H	4H	5H	TOTAL	2RBI	3RBI	4RBI	5RBI	6+RBI	TOTAL
Aviles	8/25/12 vs. KC	Guthrie	26	25	5	1	0	31	10	4	1	0	0	15
Ciriaco	8/26/12 vs. KC	Smith	25	4	4	3	0	11	3	0	1	0	0	4
Ellsbury	8/27/12 vs. KC	Hochevar	23	16	4	0	0	20	1	1	0	0	0	2
Gomez	8/25/12 vs. KC	Guthrie	17	2	2	1	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	1
Iglesias	No Major League home runs		18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kalish	9/13/10 at SEA	Fister	136	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lavarney	9/27/11 at BAL	Phillips	64	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Loney	8/30/12 at LAA	Greinke	8	20	3	0	0	23	4	0	0	0	0	4
Pedroia	8/26/12 vs. LAA	Coleman	22	29	6	1	0	36	6	3	0	1	0	10
Podsednik	5/23/12 at BAL	O'Day	124	13	2	0	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ross	8/23/12 vs. LAA	Frieri	32	23	5	0	0	28	5	5	2	1	1	14
Saltalamacchia	8/31/12 at OAK	McCarthy	5	13	3	1	0	17	11	4	0	1	0	16

RED SOX 2012 AND CAREER BATTING VS. THE ATHLETICS										
2012					CAREER					
AVG	AB	H	HR	RBI	PLAYER	AVG	AB	H	HR	RBI
.194	31	6	1	6	Aviles	.347	98	34	4	15
.143	7	1	0	0	Ciriaco	.143	7	1	0	0
.250	8	2	0	0	Ellsbury	.258	120	31	0	14
.200	5	1	0	1	Gomez	.200	5	1	0	1
.000	3	0	0	0	Iglesias	.000	3	0	0	0
.167	12	2	0	0	Kalish	.238	21	5	0	3
.333	3	1	0	0	Lavarney	.333	3	1	0	0
.091	11	1	0	0	Loney	.143	21	3	0	1
.310	29	9	0	3	Pedroia	.266	188	50	4	16
.143	7	1	0	0	Podsednik	.270	115	31	1	9
.148	27	4	0	0	Ross	.230	61	14	2	3
.231	26	6	2	2	Saltalamacchia	.254	126	32	3	16

**BULLPEN NOTES**

PITCHER	LAST TIME OUT (Dec.)	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	1ST BATTERS			REG. SEASON RELIEF HIGHS	
								RETIRED/FACED	R/I/S	SAVES/OPP	INNINGS	STRIKEOUTS
91-Alfredo Aceves	9/1 at OAK	3.0	3	1	1	2	3	45/62	15/7	25/33	3.0 (9/1 at OAK)	6 (5/4 vs. BAL)
40-Andrew Bailey	9/1 at OAK	0.1	0	0	0	0	1	6/8	2/0	1/2	1.1 (8/24 vs. KC)	1 (5 times)
51-Daniel Bard	9/1 at OAK	1.0	2	1	1	0	2	2/3	1/0	0/0	1.0 (2 times)	2 (9/1 at OAK)
32-Craig Breslow	8/31 at OAK	0.1	3	5	4	1	0	10/13	13/6	0/1	1.1 (4 times)	2 (3 times)
53-Rich Hill	9/1 at OAK	0.2	0	0	0	1	2	13/18	10/3	0/0	2.0 (5/6 vs. BAL)	3 (5/1 vs. OAK)
37-Mark Melancon	8/31 at OAK	0.2	3	4	4	1	1	21/33	14/7	1/2	2.1 (8/14 at BAL)	3 (2 times)
30-Andrew Miller	8/29 at LAA	1.0	2	0	0	1	2	38/44	38/5	0/0	1.2 (3 times)	3 (5/6 vs. BAL)
44-Vicente Padilla	8/31 at OAK	1.0	3	2	2	0	0	31/47	30/3	1/4	4.0 (4/8 at DET)	4 (4/8 at DET)
63-Junichi Tazawa	8/31 at OAK	1.1	0	0	0	0	2	17/23	16/7	1/1	4.0 (7/17 vs. CWS)	5 (7/22 vs. TOR)
<b>2012 BULLPEN TOTALS</b>		<b>413.1</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>369</b>	<b>276/387 (71.3%)</b>	<b>243/72</b>	<b>30/49</b>		

**91-ALFREDO ACEVES, RHP** **2-9**      **25 SV**      **4.73 ERA**

**vs. ALL:** .237 (61-257), 9 HR      **vs. RHB:** .226 (28-124), 5 HR      **vs. LHB:** .248 (33-133), 4 HR      **WHIP:** 1.27

- Has 25 saves, 7th-most in the AL...T-2nd in the AL with 3 saves longer than 1.0 IP...Tied for ML lead with 54 games finished...2nd among AL relievers with 70.1 IP and T-2nd in AL with 62 appearances...Has worked a 2.42 ERA with 9 saves in 10 chances and a .177 opponent AVG in 18 appearances on no days rest this season.
- Went a season-high 3.0 IP last night, allowing 1 run...Runs allowed in 4 of last 5 games (10 R/ER, 8.2 IP) but in just 6 of his last 22 outings since 7/8 (16 ER/27.2 IP).
- Has blown 3 of his last 6 chances but has converted 23 of 29 saves since 4/23 with a 4.18 ERA (15 ER/32.1 IP) in those 29 opps...Blew the save and took the loss in 2 straight outings, Tue. night at LAA and 8/23 vs. LAA...Never before had back-to-back losses or BS...Suspended 3 games for conduct detrimental to the team, 8/25-27.
- Fri. night at OAK snapped 26-game road homerless streak from 4/9-8/29 (31.0 IP)...Has a 2.83 ERA (11 ER/35.0 IP, 17 SV/21 SVO) in 30 road outings compared to 6.62 (26 ER/35.1 IP, 8 SV/12 SVO) in 32 games at home.

**40-ANDREW BAILEY, RHP** **0-0**      **1 SV**      **1.59 ERA**

**vs. ALL:** .190 (4-21), 0 HR      **vs. RHB:** .077 (1-13), 0 HR      **vs. LHB:** .375 (3-8), 0 HR      **WHIP:** 1.06

- Struck out only batter faced last night at OAK, his 4th straight hitless outing (3.2 IP)...8/24 vs. KC went 1.1 scoreless IP for 1st save since 9/28/11 at SEA with OAK and his 1st 4+ out save since 6/25/11 at PHI (1.1 IP)...Made season debut 8/14 at BAL, facing 2 batters (BB, K).
- Has made 8 appearances, including 7 scoreless outings, since being activated from 60-day DL 8/14...Missed the club's 1st 116 games this year after starting the season on the DL while recovering from right thumb surgery performed on 4/4...Had a 1.42 ERA (1 ER/6.1 IP) with 10 K's in 6 rehab outings from 8/1-12.
- His 2.05 career ERA (41 ER/179.2 IP) is the best among Major Leaguers with at least 150.0 IP in the live ball era (since 1920)...Acquired by BOS from OAK, 12/28/11.
- Converted 75 of 84 (89.3%) save opps. in his 1st 3 Major League seasons from 2009-11, the 3rd-highest save percentage in the AL in that time (min. 40 chances).

**51-DANIEL BARD, RHP** **5-6**      **0 SV**      **5.37 ERA**

**vs. ALL:** .265 (56-211), 8 HR      **vs. RHB:** .283 (26-92), 5 HR      **vs. LHB:** .252 (30-119), 3 HR      **WHIP:** 1.63

- Has given up 1 run over 1.0 inning in each of the last 2 games at OAK, his 1st ML appearances since 6/3...Both runs have come on solo homers, marking just the 2nd time in his career allowing long balls in consecutive relief appearances (also 8/1-6/11)...Recalled Thurs. for 2nd stint with Sox in 2012.
- Began year in BOS' rotation, making 10 starts...Also pitched in relief 4/23 at MIN, earning the win (0 R, 0.2 IP)...Optioned to Pawtucket 6/5 and made 30 of 31 outings with the PawSox in relief...Was 3-2 with .254 opp. AVG (31-for-122) and 7.03 ERA (25 ER/32.0 IP) in Triple-A, with 10 scoreless outings in his last 15 games.
- Prior to his 1st start in 2012, each of his 1st 192 ML appearances came out of the pen...Set club single-season records for holds in each of the last 2 seasons, leading the AL in both 2010 (32) and 2011 (tied, 34)...Topped the AL with 79 holds and ranked 4th with 213 relief K's over his 1st 3 campaigns, 2009-11.

**32-CRAIG BRESLOW, LHP** **0-0**      **0 SV**      **4.91 ERA**

**vs. ALL:** .250 (10-40), 0 HR      **vs. RHB:** .278 (5-18), 0 HR      **vs. LHB:** .227 (5-22), 0 HR      **WHIP:** 1.36

- Has appeared in 13 games (11.0 IP) since joining BOS on 7/31 and held opponents scoreless in 10 of those tilts...Has recorded 27 K's in 24.0 frames over his last 24 appearances overall...Has held opponents scoreless in 17 of 21 games since the start of July, with a 3.26 ERA (7 ER/19.1 IP) in that time.
- Gave up career highs with 5 runs and 4 ER over 0.1 innings Fri. night at OAK, his 1st multi-run outing since 6/8 with ARI vs. OAK.
- Acquired at the trade deadline from ARI...Went 2-0 with a 2.70 ERA (13 ER/43.1 IP) in 40 relief outings for the D-Backs in 2012 and fanned 42 batters, 8th most among left-handed NL relievers at the time of the trade...Also spent 2006-07 in Sox organization, making 13 appearances with BOS in 2006.
- Ranks 3rd among active left-handers with a career 3.08 ERA (min. 300.0 IP) and is 5th among active lefty hurlers with a .225 opponent AVG vs. RHB (min. 800 BF).

**53-RICH HILL, LHP** **1-0**      **0 SV**      **2.51 ERA**

**vs. ALL:** .231 (12-52), 0 HR      **vs. RHB:** .318 (7-22), 0 HR      **vs. LHB:** .167 (5-30), 0 HR      **WHIP:** 1.40

- Activated from 60-day DL prior to last night's game at OAK and made 1st appearance since 7/8, tossing 0.2 scoreless IP with 2 K's...Had been on DL since 6/9 with a left elbow strain...Posted a 2.45 ERA (2 ER/7.1 IP) over 8 rehab games, including 2 with the Rookie-level GCL Red Sox, 1 with Double-A Portland and 5 with Pawtucket.
- 15 of 18 ML appearances this year have been scoreless, 12 have been hitless and 7 have been perfect...Has 5 holds, a career single-season high (prev. 3 in 2011)...Was activated 4/27 after beginning the season on the DL recovering from Tommy John surgery.
- Has given up just 4 runs in 33 career tilts with BOS for a 1.37 ERA (26.1 IP) with the club...Tallied a team-record 15-game scoreless stretch to begin a Red Sox career (12.0 IP) from his 1st outing with the club on 9/14/10 until allowing a run in his 1st outing this year on 4/29 at CWS.
- Has held Major League left-handers to a .206 clip (71-for-345) in his career...Has 40 K's and a .203 opponent AVG (27-for-133) in 37.0 career ML relief innings.

**37-MARK MELANCON, RHP** **0-2**      **1 SV**      **7.71 ERA**

**vs. ALL:** .291 (41-141), 8 HR      **vs. RHB:** .263 (21-80), 3 HR      **vs. LHB:** .328 (20-61), 5 HR      **WHIP:** 1.49

- Has 12 K's in 13.0 IP in August...Runs allowed in 8 of 15 games (18 R/ER, 16.2 IP) since 7/20 following a 9-game scoreless streak, 6/24-7/18 (11.1 IP).
- Pitched a scoreless 9th on 8/26 vs. KC for his 1st save since 9/22/11 with HOU vs. COL and his 1st in the American League.
- On 8/14 at BAL tossed a season-high 2.1 IP and tied a season-high with 3 K's, allowing 1 run...11 of last 25 appearances have been longer than 1.0 inning.
- Has a 5.18 ERA (19 ER/33.0 IP) in 29 outings since 6/10 recall for 2nd stint with BOS in 2012, yielding runs in 9 of those tilts.
- Recorded 11 saves, an 0.83 ERA (2 ER/21.2 IP) and 27 K's in 21 relief outings with PawSox after allowing runs in each of his 1st 4 G with BOS to begin the season.

**30-ANDREW MILLER, LHP** **3-1**      **0 SV**      **3.67 ERA**

**vs. ALL:** .205 (25-122), 3 HR      **vs. RHB:** .298 (14-47), 2 HR      **vs. LHB:** .147 (11-75), 1 HR      **WHIP:** 1.14

- Has stranded 32 of 38 inherited runners, the AL's 3rd-best rate (86.8%)...Has held lefties to an AL-low .147 clip, 8th lowest in the Majors (min. 85 BF)...13 holds are a single-season career high (prev. 2, 2008), 7th most among AL lefties.
- Runs allowed just once in last 8 games (4 ER/6.2 IP)...No runs in 26 of 33 tilts since 5/30, limiting lefties to a .135 clip (7-for-52) with no XBH in that time.
- Gave up season-high 4 runs and a career relief-high 4 ER, in 0.2 innings on 8/25 vs. KC, including 2 runners that scored off Melancon after he left the game.
- Has 40 K's in 34.1 IP over 44 outings this year, all since being activated from DL on 5/6 (left hamstring strain)...35 of the 44 appearances have been scoreless and 20 have been perfect...Has recorded at least 1 strikeout in 29 games and multiple K's 10 times...Has issued a walk in just 11 of 44 outings overall in 2012.

**44-VICENTE PADILLA, RHP** **4-1**      **1 SV**      **4.47 ERA**

**vs. ALL:** .286 (50-175), 6 HR      **vs. RHB:** .312 (29-93), 2 HR      **vs. LHB:** .256 (21-82), 4 HR      **WHIP:** 1.42

- Leads the AL (T-4th in ML) stranding 90.0% of inherited runners overall (27 of 30)...Tops team with 22 holds, T-6th-most in the AL...Team-leading 4 relief wins, his most out of the pen since 2000 (also 4)...Averaging 1.36 strikeouts per inning since 7/3 (20 K's/14.2 IP) and has fanned 27 batters in 21.1 frames dating back to 6/12.
- Yielded 2-run homer (Kottaras) in 1.0 IP Fri. night at OAK, his 1st runs allowed in 6 games since coming off the DL 8/21...Has given up runs just 5 times in his last 29 games (10 ER/25.0 IP, 3.60 ERA), beginning with career-long 13-game scoreless streak from 5/27-7/3 (11.2 IP)...Has a 3.38 ERA (11 ER/34.2 IP) in 38 games since 5/6.
- Allowed runs in 3 of 4 outings before 8/8 DL stint (retro to 8/6)...Took the loss 8/3 vs. MIN, ending a 48-game undefeated stretch and a 7-game win streak in relief.

**63-JUNICHI TAZAWA, RHP** **0-1**      **1 SV**      **1.72 ERA**

**vs. ALL:** .276 (34-123), 1 HR      **vs. RHB:** .270 (20-74), 1 HR      **vs. LHB:** .286 (14-49), 0 HR      **WHIP:** 1.21

- Fanned 2 in 1.1 perfect IP Fri. night at OAK, his 3rd outing (1st scoreless) since 8/25 recall for a 3rd stint with BOS in 2012...Had been optioned on 8/24.
- Has allowed a run just 6 times in 23 Major League games this year (6 R, 31.1 IP)...Has held opponents to 1 run or less in all 26 G since 9/4/09 at CWS (5 R in 3.2 IP).
- Has 29 K's compared to 4 walks for a 7.25 strikeout-to-walk ratio, 2nd-best among AL hurlers with at least 30.0 IP.
- Has gone more than 1.0 IP 12 times, with at least 2.0 IP in 6 tilts...Had career relief-high 5 K's on 7/22 vs. TOR (3.0 scoreless IP) and 4.0 IP on 7/17 vs. CWS.
- In 25 games with Triple-A Pawtucket this year, was 3-2 with 4 saves, a 2.55 ERA (12 ER/42.1 IP) and 56 strikeouts.



## 2012 REGULAR SEASON DAY-BY-DAY

DATE	D/N	OPPONENT	SCORE	REC.	POS.	GA/GB	WINNING PITCHER	LOSING PITCHER	SAVE	DAILY ATT.	HOME NO.	ATT. TOTAL	ROAD NO	ATT. TOTAL
8/9	N	at Cleveland	L3-2	55-58	4th	-11.0	Jimenez (9-11)	DOUBRONT (10-6)	Perez (30)	19,639			50	1,605,890
8/10	N	at Cleveland	W3-2	56-58	4th	-11.0	BUCHHOLZ (10-3)	Seddon (0-1)		27,246			51	1,633,136
8/11	N	at Cleveland	L2-5	56-59	4th	-12.0	McAllister (5-4)	MORALES (3-3)	Perez (31)	27,894			52	1,661,030
8/12	D	at Cleveland	W14-1	57-59	4th	-11.0	LESTER (6-10)	Kluber (0-1)		27,488			53	1,688,518
8/13		OFF DAY		57-59	4th	-11.5								
8/14	N	at Baltimore	L1-7	57-60	4th	-12.5	Chen (11-7)	BECKETT (5-10)		26,204			54	1,714,722
8/15	N	at Baltimore	L3-5	57-61	4th	-13.5	Gonzalez (5-2)	COOK (3-6)	Johnson (35)	22,269			55	1,736,991
8/16	N	at Baltimore	W6-3	58-61	4th	-12.5	BUCHHOLZ (11-3)	Ayala (4-4)	ACEVES (24)	25,483			56	1,762,474
8/17	N	at NY Yankees	L4-6	58-62	4th	-13.5	Hughes (12-10)	MORALES (3-4)	Soriano (30)	49,422			57	1,811,896
8/18	D	at NY Yankees	W4-1	59-62	4th	-12.5	LESTER (7-10)	Phelps (3-4)	ACEVES (25)	49,466			58	1,861,362
8/19	N	at NY Yankees	L1-4	59-63	4th	-13.5	Kuroda (12-8)	BECKETT (5-11)	Soriano (31)	48,620			59	1,909,982
8/20		OFF DAY		59-63	4th	-13.0								
8/21	N	LA ANGELS	L3-5	59-64	4th	-13.0	Santana (7-10)	COOK (3-7)	Frieri (15)	37,794	64	2,407,583		
8/22	N	LA ANGELS	L3-7	59-65	4th	-13.0	Weaver (16-3)	BUCHHOLZ (11-4)		37,373	65	2,444,956		
8/23	N	LA ANGELS L13-14 (10)	59-66	4th	-13.5		FRIERI (2-0)	Aceves (2-8)		37,829	66	2,482,785		
8/24	N	KANSAS CITY	W4-3	60-66	4th	-13.5	LESTER (8-10)	Herrera (1-2)	BAILEY (1)	37,228	67	2,520,013		
8/25	N	KANSAS CITY	L9-10 (12)	60-67	4th	-13.5	Bueno (1-0)	TAZAWA (0-1)	Holland (7)	37,103	68	2,557,116		
8/26	D	KANSAS CITY	W8-6	61-67	4th	-13.5	BEATO (1-0)	Smith (4-6)	MELANCON (1)	37,188	69	2,594,304		
8/27	D	KANSAS CITY	W5-1	62-67	4th	-12.5	MATSUZAKA (1-3)	Hochevar (7-12)		37,506	70	2,631,810		
8/28	N	at LA Angels	L5-6	62-68	4th	-13.5	Jepsen (3-2)	ACEVES (2-9)		38,745			60	1,948,727
8/29	N	at LA Angels	L3-10	62-69	4th	-13.5	Wilson (10-9)	STEWART (1-3)		37,841			61	1,986,568
8/30	N	at LA Angels	L2-5	62-70	4th	-14.0	Greinke (3-2)	LESTER (8-11)	Frieri (16)	39,013			62	2,025,581
8/31	N	at Oakland	L2-20	62-71	4th	-14.0	McCarthy (8-5)	COOK (3-8)		20,121			63	2,045,702
9/1	N	at Oakland	L1-7	62-72	4th	-15.0	Griffin (4-0)	Doubront (10-7)		20,315			64	2,066,017
9/2	D	at Seattle												
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9/25	N	TAMPA BAY												
9/26	N	TAMPA BAY												
9/27		OFF DAY												
9/28	N	at Baltimore												
9/29	N	at Baltimore												
9/30	D	at Baltimore												
10/1	N	at NY Yankees												
10/2	N	at NY Yankees												
10/3	N	at NY Yankees												

## DISABLED LIST

PLAYER	INJURY	PLACED ON DL	REINSTATED	GAMES MISSED
Bobby Jenks, RHP	Recovery from back surgery (60-day)	February 21	Released July 3	80 (42-38)
<b>John Lackey, RHP</b>	<b>Recovery from right elbow surgery (60-day)</b>	<b>February 21</b>	---	<b>134 (62-72)</b>
Rich Hill, LHP	Recovery from left elbow surgery	April 4 (March 26)	April 27	18 (8-10)
Daisuke Matsuzaka, RHP	Recovery from right elbow surgery (60-day)	April 4 (March 26)	June 9	58 (29-29)
Andrew Miller, LHP	Left hamstring strain	April 4 (March 26)	May 6	26 (11-15)
Carl Crawford, OF	Recovery from left wrist surgery (60-day)	April 4 (March 26)	July 16	89 (45-44)
Andrew Bailey, RHP	Recovery from right thumb surgery (60-day)	April 4	August 14	116 (57-59)
Chris Carpenter, RHP	Recovery from right elbow surgery (60-day)	April 4	July 31	103 (52-51)
Ryan Kalish, OF	Recovery from left shoulder surgery (60-day)	April 4	June 9	58 (29-29)
Jacoby Ellsbury, OF	Right shoulder subluxation (60-day)	April 14	July 13	79 (41-38)
Jason Repko, OF	Left shoulder sprain (60-day)	April 23 (April 21)	June 22	55 (31-24)
Kevin Youkilis, 3B	Low back strain	May 2 (April 29)	May 22	22 (11-11)
Aaron Cook, RHP	Left knee laceration	May 6	June 24	45 (26-19)
Darnell McDonald, OF	Right oblique strain	May 13 (May 12)	June 5	22 (15-7)
Cody Ross, OF	Left foot navicular bone fracture	May 22 (May 19)	---	27 (15-12)
Ryan Sweeney, OF	Concussion (7-day)	May 21	May 28	6 (3-3)
Rich Hill, LHP	Left elbow strain (60-day)	June 10 (June 9)	Septemeber 1	75 (33-42)
Josh Beckett, RHP	Right shoulder inflammation	June 16 (June 12)	June 30	16 (12-4)
Ryan Sweeney, OF	Left big toe inflammation	June 17	July 7 (gm. 2)	18 (10-8)
Scott Podsednik, OF	Left groin strain	June 19 (June 18)	July 6	15 (9-6)
Clay Buchholz, RHP	Stomach illness	June 24 (June 20)	July 14	18 (9-9)
Daisuke Matsuzaka, RHP	Right upper trapezius strain	July 3	August 27	48 (19-29)
Dustin Pedroia, 2B	Right thumb strain	July 6 (July 4)	July 19	11 (5-6)
<b>Scott Atchison, RHP</b>	<b>Right forearm tightness (60-day)</b>	<b>July 15 (July 14)</b>	---	<b>47 (18-29)</b>
David Ortiz, DH	Right Achilles strain	July 18 (July 17)	August 24	35 (13-22)
<b>Ryan Sweeney, OF</b>	<b>Fractured bone in left hand (60-day)</b>	<b>July 31</b>	---	<b>31 (10-21)</b>
Daniel Nava, OF	Left wrist sprain	August 1 (July 29)	August 21	21 (9-12)
Vicente Padilla, RHP	Right arm tightness	August 8 (August 6)	August 21	13 (5-8)
<b>Will Middlebrooks, 3B</b>	<b>Right wrist fracture</b>	<b>August 11</b>	---	<b>20 (6-14)</b>
Felix Doubront, RHP	Right knee contusion	August 18 (August 10)	August 25	6 (2-4)
Carl Crawford, OF	Sprained ulnar collateral ligament	August 21 (August 20)	Traded August 25	4 (1-3)
<b>Daniel Nava, OF</b>	<b>Left wrist sprain</b>	<b>August 25</b>	---	<b>8 (2-6)</b>
<b>David Ortiz, DH</b>	<b>Right Achilles strain</b>	<b>August 27 (August 25)</b>	---	<b>8 (2-6)</b>
<b>Franklin Morales, LHP</b>	<b>Left shoulder inflammation</b>	<b>August 29 (August 24)</b>	---	<b>9 (3-6)</b>
<b>2012 Totals</b>	<b>27 Players</b>	<b>34 DL stints</b>		<b>1341 Games Missed</b>

### RED SOX 2012 AND CAREER PITCHING VS. THE ATHLETICS

2012						CAREER						
W-L-SV	ERA	G/GS	IP	H	ER	PLAYER	W-L-SV	ERA	G/GS	IP	H	ER
0-1-0	6.35	4/0	5.2	8	4	<b>Aceves</b>	3-1-0	5.17	9/0	15.2	19	9
0-0-0	0.00	1/0	0.1	0	0	<b>Bailey</b>	0-0-0	0.00	1/0	0.1	0	0
0-1-0	7.36	3/1	7.1	12	6	<b>Bard</b>	0-1-1	2.95	17/1	21.1	20	7
0-0-0	40.50	2/0	1.1	6	6	<b>Breslow</b>	0-1-1	5.56	9/0	11.1	10	7
1-0-0	8.10	1/1	6.2	7	6	<b>Buchholz</b>	2-2-0	7.90	6/6	27.1	41	24
0-2-0	9.35	2/2	8.2	16	9	<b>Cook</b>	1-2-0	4.01	4/4	24.2	29	11
0-2-0	12.86	2/2	7.0	12	10	<b>Doubront</b>	0-2-0	12.86	2/2	7.0	12	10
0-0-0	0.00	2/0	2.1	1	0	<b>Hill</b>	0-1-0	9.00	3/1	3.0	2	3
0-0-0	1.35	1/1	6.2	4	1	<b>Lester</b>	3-3-0	4.15	10/10	56.1	58	26
0-1-0	45.00	1/1	1.0	4	5	<b>Matsuzaka</b>	4-2-0	4.73	8/8	40.0	36	21
0-0-0	13.50	2/0	2.2	3	4	<b>Melancon</b>	0-0-0	13.50	2/0	2.2	3	4
0-0-0	0.00	1/0	0.1	1	0	<b>Miller</b>	0-1-0	8.31	2/1	4.1	8	4
0-0-0	6.75	3/0	2.2	5	2	<b>Padilla</b>	5-3-0	5.04	17/12	69.2	79	39
0-0-0	0.00	2/0	1.1	1	0	<b>Tazawa</b>	0-0-0	0.00	2/0	1.1	1	0

## SEASON HIGHS AND LOWS

### TEAM BATTING

Most runs, game ..... 15, 6/20 vs. MIA  
 Most runs, inning ..... 8, 2 times, last 8/12 at CLE (5th)  
 Most hits, game (9 innings) ..... 18, 4/24 at MIN  
 Most hits, game (extra innings) ..... 20, 8/25 vs. KC  
 Most hits, inning ..... 8, 4/13 vs. TB (8th)  
 Consecutive hits, inning ..... 6, 4/13 vs. TB (8th)  
 Fewest hits, game ..... 2, 2 times, last 8/2 vs. MIN  
 Most doubles, game ..... 8, 2 times, last 8/6 vs. TEX  
 Most triples, game ..... 2, 7/30 vs. DET  
 Most home runs, game ..... 5, 4/14 vs. TB  
 Most home runs, inning ..... 3, 6/29 at SEA (5th)  
 Most stolen bases, game ..... 4, 6/15 vs. CWC  
 Most walks, game (9 innings) ..... 8, 2 times, last 7/8 vs. NYY  
 Most walks, game (extra innings) ..... 5, 2 times, last 6/5 vs. BAL  
 Most strikeouts, game (9 innings) ..... 15, 7/8 vs. NYY  
 Most strikeouts, game (extra innings) ..... 18, 5/6 vs. BAL  
 Most hit by pitch, game ..... 3, 2 times, last 5/13 vs. CLE  
 Most left on base (9 innings) ..... 13, 5/11 vs. CLE  
 Most left on base (extra innings) ..... 13, 4/8 at DET

### INDIVIDUAL BATTING

Most hits ..... 4, 12 times, last Gomez, 8/25 vs. KC  
 Most runs ..... 4, 2 times, last Ciriaco, 8/23 vs. LAA  
 Most doubles ..... 3, 4 times, last Crawford, 8/12 at CLE  
 Most triples ..... 1, 13 times, last Pedroia, 8/14 at BAL  
 Most home runs ..... 2, 7 times, last Ross, 7/18 vs. CWS  
 Most extra-base hits ..... 3, 8 times, last Crawford, 8/12 at CLE  
 Most total bases ..... 10, 2 times, last, Ross, 7/18 vs. CWS  
 Most RBI ..... 6, Ross, 7/18 vs. CWS  
 Most stolen bases ..... 3, Ellsbury, 8/9 at CLE  
 Most walks ..... 3, 5 times, last Ortiz, 7/7 vs. NYY (gm. 1)  
 Most strikeouts ..... 5, Ross, 5/6 vs. BAL (17 innings)  
 Longest hitting streak ..... 18, Gonzalez 6/20-7/7 (gm. 2)

### TEAM PITCHING

Most strikeouts (9 innings) ..... 14, 3 times, last 9/1 at OAK  
 Most strikeouts (extra innings) ..... 15, 5/6 vs. BAL  
 Most walks (9 innings) ..... 8, 2 times, last 4/21 vs. NYY  
 Most walks, (extra innings) ..... 10, 5/6 vs. BAL  
 Fewest walks ..... 0, 7 times, last 8/10 at CLE  
 Most runs allowed, game ..... 20, 8/31 at OAK  
 Most runs allowed, inning ..... 9, 8/31 at OAK (7th)  
 Most hits allowed, game (9 innings) ..... 21, 4/17 vs. TEX  
 Most hits allowed, game (extra innings) ..... 20, 8/23 vs. LAA  
 Fewest hits allowed, game ..... 2, 2 times, last 8/10 at CLE  
 Most hits allowed, inning ..... 7, 2 times, last 5/5 vs. BAL (3rd)  
 Most home runs allowed, game ..... 6, 4/17 vs. TEX  
 Most consecutive scoreless inn. .... 14.0, 3 times, last 6/29 (1st)-6/30 (5th)

### INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

Most innings pitched, starter ..... 9.0, 4 times, last Buchholz, 8/10 at CLE  
 Fewest innings pitched, starter ..... 1.0, Matsuzaka, 7/2 at OAK  
 Most innings pitched, reliever ..... 5.2, Germano, 7/7 vs. NYY (gm. 1)  
 Most strikeouts, starter ..... 12, Lester, 8/12 at CLE  
 Most strikeouts, reliever ..... 6, 2 times, last Aceves, 5/4 vs. BAL  
 Most walks allowed ..... 7, Bard, 4/16 vs. TB  
 Longest winning streak ..... 4, 2 times, last Padilla, 4/15-7/24  
 Longest losing streak ..... 6, Aceves, 4/21-7/3  
 Most consecutive scoreless inn. starter.. 16.0, Buchholz 6/1(8th)-5/12 (6th)  
 Most consecutive scoreless inn. reliever ..... 19.2, Atchison, 4/29-6/3  
 Most runs allowed ..... 11, Lester, 7/22 vs. TOR  
 Most earned runs allowed ..... 11, Lester, 7/22 vs. TOR  
 Most hits allowed ..... 12, Buchholz 8/22 vs. LAA  
 Fewest hits allowed, CG ..... 2, 2 times, last Buchholz, 8/10 at CLE  
 Most home runs allowed ..... 5, 2 times, last Buchholz, 4/20 vs. NYY  
 Most pitches thrown ..... 126, Beckett, 4/29 at CWS

### MISCELLANEOUS TEAM

Longest winning streak ..... 6, 4/23-4/28  
 Longest losing streak ..... 5, 4 times, last 8/28-pres.  
 Longest game, innings ..... 17, 5/6 vs. BAL  
 Longest game, time (9 innings) ..... 4:02, 7/8 vs. NYY  
 Longest game, time (extra innings) ..... 6:07, 5/6 vs. BAL  
 Shortest game, time ..... 2:13, 4/11 at TOR  
 Largest crowd, Fenway Park ..... 38,416, 8/7 vs. TEX  
 Smallest crowd, Fenway Park ..... 36,770, 4/20 vs. NYY  
 Largest crowd, road ..... 49,573, 7/28 at NYY  
 Smallest crowd, road ..... 16,392, 5/21 at BAL  
 Largest winning margin ..... 13, 8/12 at CLE  
 Largest losing margin ..... 18, 8/31 at OAK  
 Largest deficit overcome to win ..... 4, 4/14 vs. TB  
 Largest lead relinquished to lose ..... 9, 4/21 vs. NYY  
 Most double plays turned ..... 6, 5/6 vs. BAL (17 inn.)  
 Most errors ..... 3, 2 times, last 8/4 vs. MIN  
 Most errors by an opponent ..... 4, 7/7 vs. NYY (gm.2)  
 Most stolen bases by an opponent ..... 4, 3 times, last 9/1 at OAK

## THE LAST TIME THE SOX...

### INDIVIDUAL BATTING

5 hits in a game ..... Dustin Pedroia, 6/24/10 at COL  
 6 hits in a game ..... Nomar Garciaparra, 6/21/03 at PHI (13 innings)  
 6 RBI in a game ..... Cody Ross, 7/18/12 vs. CWS  
 7 or more RBI in a game ..... J.D. Drew (7), 6/8/07 at ARI  
 10 RBI in a game (ties club record) ..... Nomar Garciaparra, 5/10/99 vs. SEA  
 3 home runs in a game ..... Dustin Pedroia, 6/24/10 at COL  
 Game-ending home run ..... J. Saltalamacchia, 5/26/12 vs. TB (9th inning)  
 Pinch-hit grand slam ..... Kevin Millar, 6/7/03 at MIL  
 2 grand slams in a game ..... Bill Mueller, 7/29/03 at TEX  
 HR in 1st ML game ..... Daniel Nava, 6/12/10 vs. PHI (grand slam)  
 HR in 1st Red Sox PA ..... Daniel Nava, 6/12/10 vs. PHI (grand slam)  
 Grand Slam in 1st Red Sox PA ..... Daniel Nava, 6/12/10 vs. PHI  
 Inside-the-park home run ..... Jacoby Ellsbury, 9/19 /11 vs. BAL (Game 2)  
 Homered from both sides of the plate ..... Victor Martinez, 5/17/10 at NYY  
 Pitcher collected a base hit.. Franklin Morales, 6/17/12 at CHC off Maholm  
 Pitcher hit a home run ..... Josh Beckett, 6/14/09 at PHI off J.A. Happ  
 Hit for the cycle ..... John Valentin, 6/6/96 vs. CWS  
 Hit streak of at least 30 G ..... Nomar Garciaparra (30), 7/26-8/29/97  
 Single-seas. hit streak of at least 20 G ..... Dustin Pedroia (25), 6-29-7/28/11  
 Straight steal of home ..... Jacoby Ellsbury, 4/26/09 vs. NYY  
 Steal of home on double steal ..... Ryan Kalish, 10/3/10 vs. NYY  
 4 steals in a game (ties club record) ..... Jacoby Ellsbury, 8/9/10 at NYY

### INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

No-hitter ..... Jon Lester, 5/19/08 vs. KC (W, 7-0)  
 One-hitter ..... Josh Beckett, 6/15/11 at TB (W, 3-0)  
 15 or more strikeouts in a game ..... Pedro Martinez (16), 4/8/01 vs. TB  
 Position player pitched ..... Darnell McDonald, 5/6/12 vs. BAL  
 Pitcher played another position ..... Javier Lopez (right field), 4/30/09 at TB

### TEAM

Walk-off win ..... 7/19/12 vs. CWS (3-1 in 9 innings)  
 Scored 20 runs in a game ..... 6/27/03 vs. FLA (25)  
 Had 20 hits in a game ..... 8/25/2012 (12 innings)  
 Scored 10 runs in an inning ..... 6/20/11 vs. SD (10 runs in 7th inning)  
 Hit 7 home runs in a game ..... 7/4/03 at NYY  
 Hit 8 home runs in a game ..... 7/4/77 vs. TOR (club record)  
 Hit 4 consec. HR (club and MLB record) ..... 4/22/07 vs. NYY (3rd inning):  
 Manny Ramirez, J.D. Drew, Mike Lowell and Jason Varitek  
 Hit game-ending HR in back-to-back games ..... 5/10/05 vs. OAK  
 (9th inn., Kevin Millar off O. Dotel), 5/11/05 vs. OAK (9th, Jason Varitek off Dotel)  
 Turned a triple play ..... 8/16/11 vs. TB (4th inning, Game 2):  
 3B Jed Lowrie to 2B Dustin Pedroia to 1B Adrian Gonzalez  
 Hit into a triple play ..... 8/6/01 vs. TEX (4th inning, Scott Hatteberg)  
 Back-to-back 1-0 wins ..... 7/18-19/06 vs. KC



## 2012 TRANSACTIONS

- Feb. 21 RHP Chris Carpenter and a player to be named later (RHP Aaron Kurcz on 3/15) acquired from the Chicago Cubs in exchange for a player to be named later (1B Jair Bogaerts, 3/29)... With the trade the compensation for Theo Epstein joining the Cubs as President of Baseball Operations was completed...LHP Rich Hill selected to 40-man Major League roster... RHPs Bobby Jenks and John Lackey placed on 60-day DL.
- March 16 OF Che-Hsuan Lin and 3B Will Middlebrooks optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket...LHP Drake Britton and 2B Oscar Tejada optioned to Double-A Portland... RHPs Tony Pena Jr., Chorye Spoono and Alex Wilson and OF Juan Carlos Linares reassigned to minor league camp.
- March 17 RHP Carlos Silva released.
- March 18 RHP Stolmy Pimentel optioned to Double-A Portland.
- March 19 RHP Will Inman reassigned to minor league camp.
- March 23 RHPs Clayton Mortensen and Junichi Tazawa and C Luis Exposito optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket...RHP Brandon Duckworth, LHP Jesse Carlson, C Max St. Pierre and OF Alex Hassan reassigned to minor league camp.
- March 27 1B Lars Anderson and SS Jose Iglesias optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket...RHPs Justin Germano and Doug Mathis, and OF Josh Kroeger reassigned to minor league camp.
- April 2 RHPs Aaron Cook and Ross Ohlendorf reassigned to minor league camp.
- April 4 LHP Rich Hill, RHPs Daisuke Matsuzaka and Andrew Miller, and OF Carl Crawford placed on 15-day DL (retro to 3/26)...RHPs Andrew Bailey and Chris Carpenter, and OF Ryan Kalish placed on 60-day DL...RHPs Scott Atchison and Vicente Padilla, and LHP Justin Thomas selected to active Major League roster...INFs Pedro Ciriaco and Nate Spears, and OF Jason Repko assigned to Triple-A Pawtucket...C Daniel Butler assigned to Double-A Portland.
- April 7 LHPs Rich Hill and Andrew Miller sent to Single-A Greenville on rehab assignment.
- April 14 OF Jacoby Ellsbury placed on 15-day DL...OF Che-Hsuan Lin recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket.
- April 15 OF Jason Repko and INF/OF Nate Spears selected to active Major League roster...OF Che-Hsuan Lin optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket after the April 14 game...RHP Michael Bowden and C Luis Exposito designated for assignment.
- April 18 RHP Junichi Tazawa recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket...RHP Mark Melancon optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket.
- April 21 OF Marlon Byrd and cash considerations acquired from the Chicago Cubs in exchange for RHP Michal Bowden and a player to be named later (LHP Hunter Cervenka on 5/15)...INF/OF Nate Spears designated for assignment.
- April 23 OF Jason Repko placed on 15-day DL (retro to (4/21))...1B/OF Lars Anderson recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket.
- April 26 INF/OF Nate Spears outrighted to Triple-A Pawtucket.
- April 27 LHP Rich Hill activated from 15-day DL...LHP Justin Thomas optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket.
- May 1 SS Jose Iglesias recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket...RHP Junichi Tazawa and 1B/OF Lars Anderson optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket.
- May 2 RHP Clayton Mortensen and 3B Will Middlebrooks recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket...3B Kevin Youkilis placed on 15-day DL (retro to 4/29).
- May 3 RHP Aaron Cook selected to active Major League roster from Triple-A Pawtucket...SS Jose Iglesias optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket...OF Carl Crawford transferred to 60-day DL.
- May 6 RHP Aaron Cook placed on 15-day DL...LHP Andrew Miller activated from 15-day DL.
- May 10 OF Daniel Nava selected to active Major League roster...RHP Clayton Mortensen optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket...LHP Justin Thomas designated for assignment.
- May 11 OF Darnell McDonald placed on 15-day DL (retro to 5/13)...1B Mauro Gomez selected to active Major League roster...OF Jacoby Ellsbury transferred to 60-day DL.
- May 20 OF Che-Hsuan Lin recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket...1B Mauro Gomez optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket.
- May 22 OF Cody Ross placed on 15-day DL (retro to 5/19)...OF Ryan Sweeney placed on 7-day concussion DL effective 5/21...3B Kevin Youkilis activated from 15-day DL...OF Scott Podsednik selected to active Major League roster from Triple-A Pawtucket...RHP Daisuke Matsuzaka transferred to 60-day DL.
- May 28 OF Ryan Sweeney activated from 7-day disabled list...OF Che-Hsuan Lin optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket.
- June 5 OF Darnell McDonald activated from 15-day DL...RHP Daniel Bard optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket.
- June 9 RHP Daisuke Matsuzaka activated from 60-day DL...OF Marlon Byrd designated for assignment...OF Ryan Kalish activated from 60-day DL and optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket...OF Jason Repko transferred to 60-day DL.
- June 10 LHP Rich Hill placed on 15-day DL...RHP Mark Melancon recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket.
- June 16 RHP Josh Beckett placed on 15-day DL...RHP Clayton Mortensen recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket.
- June 17 OF Ryan Sweeney placed on 15-day DL...OF Ryan Kalish recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket.
- June 19 OF Cody Ross activated from 15-day DL...OF Scott Podsednik placed on 15-day DL.
- June 22 OF Jason Repko activated from 15-day DL and outrighted to Triple-A Pawtucket.
- June 24 RHP Clay Buchholz placed on 15-day DL...RHP Aaron Cook activated from 15-day DL...INF/OF Brent Lillibridge and RHP Zach Stewart from the Chicago White Sox in exchange 3B Kevin Youkilis and cash considerations...LF Oscar Tejada designated for assignment.
- June 30 RHP Josh Beckett activated from 15-day DL...OF Darnell McDonald designated for assignment.
- July 3 RHP Bobby Jenks placed on unconditional release waivers...RHP Daisuke Matsuzaka placed on 15-day DL...1B Mauro Gomez recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket.
- July 4 RHP Justin Germano selected to active Major League roster from Triple-A Pawtucket...RHP Clayton Mortensen optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket.
- July 6 2B Dustin Pedroia placed on 15-day DL...INF Pedro Ciriaco selected to active Major League roster...LHP Rich Hill transferred to 60-day DL...OF Scott Podsednik activated from 15-day DL and optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket.
- July 7 RHP Clayton Mortensen recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket as 26th man on active roster for day-night doubleheader and returned to Triple-A Pawtucket following game 2...OF Ryan Sweeney activated from 15-day DL prior to game 2...OF Ryan Kalish optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket prior to game 2.
- July 13 OF Jacoby Ellsbury activated from 60-day DL...RHP Justin Germano designated for assignment.
- July 14 RHP Clay Buchholz activated from 15-day DL...1B Mauro Gomez optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket.
- July 15 RHP Scott Atchison placed on 15-day DL...RHP Junichi Tazawa recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket.
- July 16 OF Carl Crawford activated from 60-day DL...INF/OF Brent Lillibridge designated for assignment.
- July 18 DH David Ortiz placed on 15-day DL...1B Mauro Gomez recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket...Gomez optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket following the game.
- July 19 2B Dustin Pedroia activated from 15-day DL...RHP Justin Germano (DFA'd, 7/13) traded to Chicago Cubs in exchange for cash considerations.
- July 24 INF/OF Brent Lillibridge traded to Cleveland Indians in exchange for minor league RHP Jose De La Torre...De La Torre assigned to Triple-A Pawtucket.
- July 31 LHP Craig Breslow acquired from Arizona in exchange for RHP Matt Albers and OF Scott Podsednik...RHP Steven Wright acquired from Cleveland in exchange for 1B/OF Lars Anderson...OF Ryan Sweeney placed on 15-day DL...OF Ryan Kalish and RHP Clayton Mortensen recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket...RHP Chris Carpenter activated from 60-day DL and optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket.
- August 1 LHP Craig Breslow added to the active Major League roster...C Ryan Lavarney recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket...OF Daniel Nava on the 15-day DL...RHP Clayton Mortensen optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket.
- August 5 Acquired 3B Danny Valencia from Minnesota in exchange for OF Jeremias Pineda...Valencia optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket.
- August 8 RHP Vicente Padilla placed on 15-day DL...RHP Clayton Mortensen recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket.
- August 9 OF Ryan Kalish optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket following the game.
- August 10 OF Scott Podsednik signed...OF Ryan Sweeney transferred to 60-day DL.
- August 11 3B Will Middlebrooks placed on 15-day DL...3B Danny Valencia recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket.
- August 14 C Kelly Shoppach traded to the New York Mets in exchange for PTBNL (RHP Pedro Beato, 8/16)...RHP Andrew Bailey activated from 60-day DL.
- August 16 RHP Scott Atchison transferred to 60-day DL.
- August 18 LHP Felix Doubront placed on 15-day DL...1B Mauro Gomez recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket.
- August 20 Bob McClure relieved of duties as pitching coach...Randy Niemann to assume role for the remainder of the season.
- August 21 OF Carl Crawford placed on 15-day DL...3B Danny Valencia optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket...OF Daniel Nava and RHP Vicente Padilla activated from 15-day DL.
- August 24 DH David Ortiz activated from 15-day DL...RHP Junichi Tazawa optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket.
- August 25 RHP Josh Beckett, LF Carl Crawford, 1B Adrian Gonzalez, and INF Nick Punto traded to Los Angeles Dodgers along with cash considerations in exchange for 1B James Loney, INF Ivan DeJesus, Jr., RHP Allen Webster, and 2 PTBNL...LHP Felix Doubront activated from 15-day DL...OF Daniel Nava placed on 15-day DL...SS Jose Iglesias, OF Che-Hsuan Lin and RHP Junichi Tazawa recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket...RHP Alfredo Aceves suspended for 3 games for conduct detrimental to the team.
- August 26 1B James Loney added to active Major League roster...OF Che-Hsuan Lin optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket...RHP Pedro Beato recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket.
- August 27 RHP Daisuke Matsuzaka activated from 15-day DL...DH David Ortiz placed on 15-day DL...OF Ryan Kalish recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket...RHP Pedro Beato optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket.
- August 28 LHP Franklin Morales placed on 15-day DL...RHP Alfredo Aceves reinstated to active roster.
- August 29 RHP Zach Stewart recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket...RHP Clayton Mortensen optioned to Double-A Portland.
- August 30 RHP Daniel Bard recalled from Triple-A Pawtucket...RHP Sach Stewart optioned to Triple-A Pawtucket.
- September 1 LHP Rich Hill activated from 60-day DL.

### HOME RUN NOTES

**HOMERS AT HOME:** 81  
**HOMERS ON THE ROAD:** 66

**SOLO HOMERS:** 80  
**2-RUN HOMERS:** 42

**3-RUN HOMERS:** 22  
**GRAND SLAMS:** 3

**2-HOME RUN GAMES BY RED SOX (7 in 2012)**

Cody Ross, 4/23/12 at MIN  
Jarrod Saltalamacchia, 4/26/12 at CWS  
David Ortiz, 4/30/12 vs. OAK  
Will Middlebrooks, 5/7/12 at KC  
Cody Ross, 6/24/12 vs. ATL  
David Ortiz, 6/25/12 vs. TOR  
Cody Ross, 7/18/12 vs. CWS

**3-HOME RUN GAMES BY RED SOX (0 in 2012)**

Last: Dustin Pedroia, 6/4/10 at COL

**PINCH-HIT HOME RUNS BY RED SOX (4 in 2012)**

Jarrold Saltalamacchia, 5/26/12 vs. TB off Fernando Rodney  
Kelly Shoppach, 7/17/2012 vs. CWS off Matt Thornton  
Pedro Ciriaco, 8/4/2012 vs. MIN off Glen Perkins  
Will Middlebrooks, 8/7/2012 vs. TEX off Ryan Dempster

**GRAND SLAMS BY RED SOX (3 in 2012)**

Kevin Youkilis, 4/26/12 at CWS off Philip Humber  
Will Middlebrooks, 5/6/2012 vs. BAL off Tommy Hunter  
David Ortiz, 6/20/2012 vs. MIA off Chris Hatcher

**FIRST-INNING LEADOFF HOME RUNS BY RED SOX (2 in 2012)**

Mike Aviles, 5/19/12 at PHI  
Mike Aviles, 5/20/12 at PHI

**WALK-OFF HOME RUNS (2 in 2012)**

Jarrold Saltalamacchia, 5/26/12 vs. TB off Fernando Rodney (9th)  
Cody Ross, 5/19/2012 vs. CWS off Addison Reed (9th)

**INSIDE-THE-PARK HOME RUNS BY RED SOX (0 in 2012)**

Last: Jacoby Ellsbury, 9/19/11 vs. BAL (G 2) off Jeremy Accardo

**INSIDE-THE-PARK HOME RUNS AT FENWAY PARK (0 in 2012)**

Last: Jacoby Ellsbury, 9/19/11 vs. BAL (G 2) off Jeremy Accardo

**BACK-TO-BACK HOME RUNS BY RED SOX (5 in 2012)**

Kevin Youkilis and Jarrod Saltalamacchia, 4/26/12 at CWS (3rd)  
Will Middlebrooks and Jarrod Saltalamacchia, 5/19/12 at PHI (4th)  
Cody Ross and Adrian Gonzalez, 6/24/12 vs. ATL (4th)  
Will Middlebrooks and Cody Ross, 6/29/12 at SEA (5th)  
Cody Ross and Adrian Gonzalez, 7/18/12 vs. CWS (4th)

**BACK-TO-BACK-TO-BACK HOME RUNS (0 in 2012)**

Last: David Ortiz, Josh Reddick and Jarrod Saltalamacchia, 7/7/11 vs. BAL (7th)

## BREAKDOWNS

RUNS BY INNINGS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10+	TOTAL
Red Sox	80	89	79	85	77	65	71	69	30	5	650
Opponents	110	55	94	69	55	75	80	57	42	15	652

### WINNING AND LOSING MARGINS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10+
RUNS WON BY	13	13	8	8	6	2	4	2	2	4
RUNS LOST BY	17	18	14	7	5	4	2	2	0	3

### PITCHING BREAKDOWN

	W-L-S	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR
STARTERS	45-54-0	5.04	782.2	814	473	438	272	588	108
RELIEVERS	17-18-30	3.64	413.1	379	179	167	142	369	45

### CATCHING BREAKDOWN

	CS	SBA	CS%	PB	PICKOFFS
Lavarney	1	10	10.0%	0	0
Saltalamacchia	14	84	16.7%	6	0
Shoppach	7	26	26.9%	4	1

### STARTS BY BATTING ORDER (Total, Red Sox W-L)

**1st:** Aviles (36, 19-17), Ciriaco (5, 2-3), Ellsbury (51, 18-23), Kalish (1, 0-1), Lillibridge (1, 1-0), Nava (25, 12-13), Podsednik (17, 6-11), Punto (2, 0-2), Sweeney (6, 4-2)

**2nd:** Aviles (3, 3-0), Ciriaco (7, 2-5), Crawford (26, 11-15), Ellsbury (5, 2-3), Kalish (4, 1-3), Middlebrooks (1, 0-1), Nava (6, 3-3), Pedroia (69, 33-36), Punto (1, 1-0), Sweeney (12, 6-6)

**3rd:** Ellsbury (6, 1-5), Gonzalez (33, 15-18), Middlebrooks (1, 1-0), Nava (1, 0-1), Ortiz (40, 22-18), Pedroia (46, 19-27), Podsednik (1, 0-1), Ross (2, 1-1), Youkilis (4, 3-1)

**4th:** Gomez (1, 1-0), Gonzalez (67, 30-37), Lavarney (1, 0-1), Loney (1, 0-1), Middlebrooks (1, 1-0), Ortiz (27, 12-15), Pedroia (1, 0-1), Ross (18, 8-10), Saltalamacchia (9, 4-5), Youkilis (8, 6-2)

**5th:** Aviles (2, 1-1), Gomez (2, 0-2), Gonzalez (19, 10-9), Lavarney (3, 0-3), Loney (5, 2-3), Middlebrooks (22, 15-7), Ortiz (21, 11-10), Ross (39, 16-23), Saltalamacchia (5, 2-3), Youkilis (16, 5-11)

**6th:** Aviles (1, 0-1), Gomez (3, 1-2), Gonzalez (3, 2-1), Kalish (1, 0-1), Lavarney (6, 3-3), McDonald (4, 2-2), Middlebrooks (26, 15-11), Nava (4, 3-1), Ross (14, 7-7), Saltalamacchia (51, 20-31), Shoppach (2, 2-0), Sweeney (7, 0-7), Youkilis (12, 7-5)

**7th:** Aviles (18, 7-11), Byrd (1, 1-0), Crawford (4, 1-3), Gomez (5, 3-2), Kalish (3, 0-3), Lavarney (6, 1-5), McDonald (5, 3-2), Middlebrooks (15, 7-8), Nava (10, 7-3), Podsednik (2, 1-1), Punto (3, 1-2), Ross (20, 9-11), Saltalamacchia (13, 5-8), Shoppach (7, 4-3), Sweeney (21, 11-10), Youkilis (1, 1-0)

**8th:** Anderson (1, 1-0), Aviles (34, 13-21), Byrd (15, 7-8), Ciriaco (4, 2-2), Gomez (2, 1-1), Iglesias (2, 0-2), Kalish (14, 7-7), Lavarney (1, 0-1), Lillibridge (1, 0-1), McDonald (9, 6-3), Middlebrooks (4, 2-2), Nava (7, 2-5), Podsednik (4, 2-2), Punto (2, 0-2), Ross (5, 3-2), Saltalamacchia (11, 5-6), Shoppach (14, 9-5), Sweeney (3, 1-2), Valencia (1, 1-0)

**9th:** Aviles (23, 11-12), Bard (1, 0-1), Beckett (2, 1-1), Buchholz (1, 1-0), Byrd (11, 6-5), Ciriaco (24, 10-14), Doubront (1, 1-0), Iglesias (1, 0-1), Lester (2, 2-0), Lillibridge (2, 1-1), Lin (1, 1-0), Matsuzaka (1, 0-1), McDonald (4, 1-3), Morales (1, 1-0), Nava (2, 1-1), Podsednik (10, 4-6), Punto (22, 9-13), Repko (4, 1-3), Shoppach (19, 11-8), Sweeney (1, 0-1), Valencia (1, 0-1)

### STARTS BY POSITION (Total, Red Sox W-L)

**C:** Lavarney (10, 3-7), Saltalamacchia (82, 33-49), Shoppach (42, 26-16)

**1B:** Gomez (5, 2-3), Gonzalez (103, 45-58), Lillibridge (1, 0-1), Loney (6, 2-4), Ortiz (7, 5-2), Youkilis (12, 8-4)

**2B:** Ciriaco (9, 4-5), Pedroia (115, 52-63), Punto (10, 6-4)

**SS:** Aviles (115, 54-61), Ciriaco (11, 6-5), Iglesias (3, 0-3), Punto (5, 2-3)

**3B:** Ciriaco (14, 3-11), Gomez (5, 1-4), Middlebrooks (69, 40-29), Punto (15, 3-12), Valencia (2, 1-1), Youkilis (29, 14-15)

**LF:** Anderson (1, 1-0), Crawford (30, 12-18), McDonald (16, 8-8), Nava (51, 28-23), Podsednik (18, 7-11), Ross (18, 6-12)

**CF:** Byrd (26, 14-12), Ellsbury (52, 20-32), Kalish (16, 6-10), Lillibridge (2, 2-0), McDonald (4, 3-1), Podsednik (12, 5-7), Repko (4, 1-3), Ross (3, 1-2), Sweeney (15, 10-5)

**RF:** Byrd (1, 0-1), Gonzalez (18, 12-6), Kalish (6, 2-4), Lillibridge (1, 0-1), Lin (1, 1-0), McDonald (2, 1-1), Nava (1, 0-1), Podsednik (4, 1-3), Ross (65, 33-32), Sweeney (35, 12-23)

**DH:** Aviles (2, 0-2), Ciriaco (6, 3-3), Ellsbury (1, 1-0), Gomez (3, 3-0), Gonzalez (1, 0-1), Lavarney (7, 1-6), Middlebrooks (1, 1-0), Nava (3, 0-3), Ortiz (81, 40-41), Pedroia (1, 0-1), Ross (12, 4-8), Saltalamacchia (7, 3-4)

### EJECTIONS (10)

Mike Aviles, 5/17/12 at TB, 7th inning by HP umpire Dan Bellino  
 Bobby Valentine, 5/18/12 at PHI, 9th inning by 1B umpire Gary Darling  
 Kevin Youkilis, 6/9/12 vs. WAS, 6th inning by HP umpire Doug Eddings  
 Bobby Valentine, 6/10/12 vs. WAS, 9th inning by HP umpire Alan Porter  
 Bobby Valentine, 7/29/12 at NYY, 10th inning by HP umpire Brian O’Nora  
 Josh Beckett, 7/29/12 at NYY, 10th inning by 3B umpire Tom Hallion  
 Dustin Pedroia, 8/7/12 vs. TEX, 9th inning by 1B umpire Paul Nauert  
 Adrian Gonzalez, 8/15/12 at BAL, 8th inning by HP umpire Mike Everitt  
 Bobby Valentine, 8/15/12 at BAL, 8th inning by HP umpire Mike Everitt  
 Bobby Valentine, 8/26/12 vs. KC, 5th inning by 1B umpire Dan Bellino

### WALK-OFF WINS (2)

5/26 vs. TB, 9th inning, Jarrod Saltalamacchia 2-run, pinch-hit home run  
 7/19 vs. CWS, 9th inning, Cody Ross 3-run home run

### MULTI-RUN INNINGS (173)

2 Runs.....	102
3 Runs.....	40
4 Runs.....	18
5 Runs.....	7
6 Runs.....	4
7 Runs.....	0
8 Runs.....	2
9 Runs.....	0
10 Runs.....	0

### GO-AHEAD RBI (115)

Gonzalez.....	22
Ortiz.....	12
Pedroia.....	12
Aviles.....	11
Ross.....	11
Middlebrooks.....	8
Ellsbury.....	6
Saltalamacchia.....	6
Ciriaco.....	5
Shoppach.....	4
Nava.....	3
Sweeney.....	3
Youkilis.....	3
Crawford.....	2
Podsednik.....	2
Byrd.....	1
Gomez.....	1
Kalish.....	1
McDonald.....	1
Punto.....	1

### 2-OUT RBI (235)

Gonzalez.....	31
Ross.....	27
Middlebrooks.....	26
Aviles.....	24
Pedroia.....	22
Saltalamacchia.....	20
Nava.....	16
Ortiz.....	13
Shoppach.....	13
Ellsbury.....	8
Crawford.....	6
Punto.....	5
Sweeney.....	5
McDonald.....	4
Podsednik.....	4
Youkilis.....	4
Byrd.....	2
Ciriaco.....	2
Gomez.....	1
Lavarney.....	1
Loney.....	1

### INFIELD BASE HITS (108)

Pedroia.....	17
Ciriaco.....	15
Aviles.....	12
Ellsbury.....	7
Ortiz.....	7
Podsednik.....	7
Crawford.....	6
Middlebrooks.....	6
Byrd.....	4
Punto.....	4
Saltalamacchia.....	3
Shoppach.....	3
Sweeney.....	3
Youkilis.....	3
Gomez.....	2
Gonzalez.....	2
McDonald.....	2
Ross.....	2
Kalish.....	1
Loney.....	1
Nava.....	1

### BUNT BASE HITS (8)

Ciriaco.....	3
Aviles.....	1
Ortiz.....	1
Podsednik.....	1
Punto.....	1
Saltalamacchia.....	1

### OUTFIELD ASSISTS (21)

Ross.....	7
Nava.....	5
Sweeney.....	3
McDonald.....	2
Podsednik.....	2
Byrd.....	1
Gonzalez.....	1