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# **Game Information**

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#### A's AT A GLANCE

Season High	9-2 (Apri	,
Season Low	0-2 (Ap	
April		9-3
May		0-0
June		0-0
July		0-0
August		0-0
September		0-0
Home Series		)-0-1
Road Series	2	2-0-0
Series Sweeps		2-0
First Game of Series		3-1
Last Game of Series		3-0
A's Score First		7-2
Opponent Scores Fir	st	2-1
Leading After 7"		8-0
Leading After 8 <sup>th</sup>		8-0
Tied After 7 <sup>th</sup>		1-0
Tied After 8 <sup>th</sup>		1-0
Trailing After 7 <sup>th</sup>		0-3
Trailing After 8 <sup>th</sup>		0-3
Commit No Errors		6-2
Commit 1 or More Er	rors	3-1
More HR Than Opp.		7-0
Fewer HR Than Opp		0-2
Same Total HR of O		2-1
Starter Pitches 7 or N		3-1
Starter Pitches Less	Than 7	6-2
When Scoring 4 or M	lore	9-0
When Scoring Less	Than 4	0-3
Last At Bat		1-0
Different Lineups		11

#### ATHLETICS BEST STARTS

12 Games	13 Games
11-1 (1981)	12-1 (1981)
9-3 (2013)	10-3 (1990)
9-3 (1992)	10-3 (1978)
9-3 (1990)	10-3 (1913)
9-3 (1980)	9-4 (12 times)
9-3 (1978)	
9-3 (1913)	

#### A's vs. TIGERS

The A's have split the first two meetings of 2013 after losing the season series to Detroit last year, 3-4...met again in the ALDS, which the A's lost in five games...the Tigers were one of two American League teams the A's had a losing record against (Kansas City, 4-5)...lost two of three in Detroit and split four games in Oakland...over the previous six years, the A's have won two season series, lost two and split two...are 28-25 against Detroit since 2007...since moving to Oakland in 1968, the A's are 240-233 against the Tigers...that includes 135-104 in Oakland, 103-127 in Detroit and 2-2 in Las Vegas...all-time, the A's are 908-986 against the Tigers

#### THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

In 1915 Herb Pennock comes within one out of pitching the first Opening Day no-hitter...a scratch single by Harry Hooper is the only hit in the A's 5-0 win over Boston...in 1925 two future Hall of Famers make their Major League debut in the same game as Lefty Grove starts against Boston and Mickey Cochrane has a pinch hit single in a game the A's would win 9-8 in 10 innings...in 1971 Reggie Jackson hits his 100th home run in an Oakland uniform to become the first Oakland Athletic to reach the century mark...in 1974 Jim Hunter strikes out Toby Harrah in the first inning of the A's 4-2 win against Texas...it is his 1000th strikeout as an Oakland Athletic, making him the first Oakland pitcher to reach that plateau...two years later, in 1976, Vida Blue strikeouts out four Texas Rangers to give him 1000 career strikeouts...the 10000th home run in Athletics history in a 9-8 loss to Texas

#### **OAKLAND ATHLETICS (9-3) VS. DETROIT TIGERS (6-5)**

SUNDAY, APRIL 14, 2013 – O.CO COLISEUM – 1:05 P.M. PDT RHP JARROD PARKER (0-1, 6.48) VS. RHP ANIBAL SANCHEZ (1-0, 1.50) CSNCA – A'S RADIO NETWORK (95.7 FM THE GAME) – EN ESPAÑOL (KIQI 1010 AM)

#### **ABOUT THE A's**

**ABOUT THE A'S:** Had their season-high nine-game winning streak snapped yesterday...are now 9-3, which is the best record in the American League, second best in the majors (Atlanta, 10-1) and **tied for the second best mark in Athletics history after 12 games** (see chart on left)...are in sole possession of first place in the American League West for the fourth consecutive day and have held at least a share of first place in each of the last seven days...spent just one day in first last year and that was the final day of the season...this is the A's 46<sup>th</sup> season in Oakland where they have won 15 American League West titles, one AL Wild Card, six AL pennants and four World Championships in Oakland...only the New York Yankees (18) and Atlanta Braves (16) have more division titles than the A's...since the A's moved to Oakland in 1968, only the Yankees (11) and Cardinals (7) have more league championships and only the Yankees have more world championships (7).

**WININNG STREAK SNAPPED:** The A's nine-game winning streak matched their longest winning streak from last year (August 24-September 2)...it was the 14<sup>th</sup> winning streak of nine or more games in Oakland history...it was the second longest in Oakland history among streaks that took place entirely in the month of April...the longest is 11 in 1981 (April 9-19)...outscored the opposition 69-27 during the streak...trailed at the end of an inning just nine times...batted .314 with 27 doubles, one triple and 18 home runs (.563 slugging percentage)...the pitching staff had a 2.46 ERA.

A's OFFENSE: The A's lead the majors in runs (73), doubles (31), walks (48), stolen bases (11) and extra base hits (51), rank second in hits (118), home runs (19), slugging (.486) and on-base percentage (.353) and fourth in batting (.276)...the 19 home runs are second most in Oakland history over the first 12 games of the season (21 in 1994)...the 51 extra base hits are the most by an Athletics team over the first 12 games since the 1929 club also had 51...the 73 runs scored are five more than their total for the entire month of April last year...they are the most by and A's team over the first 12 games of the season since 1996 (85)...the A's have struck out 30 times in the first two games of this series after fanning just 57 times over the first 10 games...were held to eight hits Friday night, ending the A's Oakland record tying streak of eight consecutive games with 10 or more hits (also August 22-23, 2002).

A's PITCHING: The A's rank third in the American League with a 3.16 ERA...A's starting pitchers are tied for the Major League lead in wins (7) and rank fourth in innings pitched (72.2)...the A's Opening Day starting rotation of Brett Anderson, Jarrod Parker, Tommy Milone, A.J. Griffin and Dan Straily had an average age of 25.03 years...according to Stats, Inc., that was the youngest in the majors by over a year and a half (Miami, 26.62)...however, Bartolo Colón replaced Dan Straily in the rotation a week ago today, increasing the average age of the rotation to over 28...Jarrod Parker had a no decision Tuesday night, ending the A's season-opening streak of seven consecutive games with a decision by the starting pitcher...that was the longest such streak by an A's team since the 1989 club had a decision in each of the first 12 games.

HOME AND AWAY: The A's are 1-1 on this six-game homestand against Detroit (1-1) and Houston (three games) after going 2-2 on the first homestand against Seattle...went 6-0 on the last road trip to Houston (3-0) and Los Angeles (3-0)...it was the third undefeated road trip of six or more games in Oakland history...had a 10-0 trip August 19-28, 2002 (Cleveland 4, Detroit 3, Kansas City 3) and an 8-0 trip April 9-16, 1981 (Minnesota 4, California 4)...this marks the first time the A's have won their first six road games since 1990 when they won their first eight...scored 51 runs on the trip, which was second most in Oakland history for a six-game road trip...scored 52 runs against Minnesota and Kansas City, July 18-23, 2001...the A's are batting .215 (42 for 195) with 22 runs scored in six games in Oakland compared to .326 (76 for 233) with 51 runs scored in six games on the road.

**WALK-OFFS:** The A's had their first walk-off win of the season Friday night after tallying a Major League leading 14 last year...also played their first one-run game and extra inning game of 2013...went 11-5 (.688) in extra inning games last year, which was the second best record in the AL...were 25-18 (.581) in one-run games, which was third best.

**DURING THE SPRING:** The A's went 17-13-3 (.561) this spring, which was the third best record in the Cactus League and sixth best in the majors...went 15-7-2 last spring and posted a winning record in consecutive springs for the first time since 2007 (17-12-2) and 2008 (18-8)...A's pitchers walked just 84 batters, which was the fewest in the majors...the offense ranked second in the majors in on-base percentage (.367) and walks (134), fourth in runs (203) and seventh in batting (.287) and hit by pitches (15).

**ROSTER NOTES:** The A's had two rookies on the Opening Day Roster (Freiman, Straily) after having seven last year...three players had six or more years of service (Balfour, Crisp, Young)...that matched the A's fewest players with six or years more service since 1997 (1997, 2001, 2008)...now have four with the addition of Colón...of the 25 players on the A's Opening Day roster, only seven played for the A's prior to last season...only Jerry Blevins played for the A's prior to 2009 (2007)...the average age on the A's Opening Day roster was 28.03 years...according to Stats, Inc., that was the youngest roster in the American League and second youngest in the majors (Atlanta, 27.79).

**LOCKED UP:** The A's have two players under contract beyond the 2013 season...Hiroyuki Nakajima is signed through 2014 with a club option for 2015 and Yoenis Céspedes is signed through 2015...Brett Anderson has club options for 2014 and 2015 and Coco Crisp and Chris Young have club options for 2014.

**THE DISABLED LIST:** The A's have five players on the disabled list (Céspedes, Nakajima, Rodriguez, Rosales, Sizemore)...Rodriguez (sprained right elbow), Rosales (strained left intercostal) and Nakajima (strained left hamstring) began the season on the DL...Sizemore (torn left ACL) was added Wednesday and Céspedes (muscle strain in left hand) was added yesterday...Rodriguez and Sizemore will both miss the remainder of the season...the A's have not had fewer than two players on the DL since the end of the 2006 season when they had just one...used the DL 21 times last year, the fourth time in the last six years they used it at least 20 times.

#### PITCHING PROBABLES

 Mon., April 15 vs. HOU
 LHP Tommy Milone (2-0, 4.50) vs. LHP Erik Bedard (0-0, 0.00)
 7:05 CSNCA

 Tue., April 16 vs. HOU
 RHP A.J. Griffin (2-0, 1.93) vs. RHP Brad Peacock (1-1, 4.82)
 7:05 CSNCA

 Wed., April 17 vs. HOU
 RHP Bartolo Colón (1-0, 4.15) vs. RHP Bud Norris (2-1, 1.96)
 12:35

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# TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Jarrod Parker (0-1, 6.48 ERA)

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2013	0	1	6.48	2	8.1	6
2012	13	8	3.47	29	181.1	70
Career	13	9	3.50	32	195.1	76
Home	0	1	7.20	1	5.0	4
Road	0	0	5.40	1	3.1	2
Day	0	0		0	0.0	0
Night	0	1	6.48	2	8.1	6
Pre-ASB	0	1	6.48	2	8.1	6
Post-ASB	0	0		0	0.0	0
		Α	VG.	Α	В	Н
vs. LHH			389	1	18	7
vs. RHH			.412	1	17	7

Parker           Runs Scored         Times           0         0           1         1           2         0           3         0
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3 0
4 1
5 0
6 0
7 0
8 0
9 0
10 0
Run Support Avg. 5.40

PARKER vs. DETROIT

2012

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#### PARKER'S CAREER HIGHS

Low Hit CG:	None
<b>IP</b> : 8.0	(four times), last: 9/21/12 at NYY
Fewest IP, GS	2.0, 5/18/12 at SF
H: 9	(three times), last: 4/9/13 at LAA
R: 6	(four times), last:7/27/12 at BAL
ER: 6	(four times), last: 7/27/12 at BAL
BB:	6 (twice), last: 6/9/12 at ARI
SO:	9, 6/27/12 at SEA
HR:	2 (twice), last: 10/1/12 vs. TEX
Win Streak:	4, 9/10/12 to 10/1/12
Loss Streak:	3, 8/1/12 to 8/19/12
Scoreless Stre	eak: 18.0, 5/23/12 to 6/4/12
Complete Gan	nes: None
Shutouts:	None

FOR STARTERS: Is scheduled to make his third start of the season...the A's were 17-12 (.587) in his starting assignments last year and his teams are 19-13 (.594) in his career...tossed at least 6.0 innings in 22 of his 29 starts in 2012, allowed two runs or fewer 17 times and walked two batters or fewer 18 times.

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Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	ΙP	Н	R	ER	ВВ	SO	HR i	#PIT
April 2	SEA	1-7	L	7.20	5.0	5	4	4	3	1	1	95
April 9	at LAA	9-5		6.48	3.1	9	2	2	3	1	0	74

FIRST START: He was the losing pitcher in the A's 7-1 loss to Seattle April 2 in Oakland...Céspedes homered in the first inning to give the A's a 1-0 lead but he allowed a three-run home run to Morse in the third inning...also allowed a RBI single to Morales in the fifth.

LAST START: He had a no decision in the A's 9-5 win at Los Angeles on Tuesday...surrendered a careerhigh tying nine hits in just 3.1 innings...also walked three batters but yielded just two runs...had a 4-0 lead when he allowed RBI singles to Trumbo and Callaspo in the third...was relieved by Resop after loading the bases with one out in the fourth...Resop escaped the jam and the A's scored five times in the seventh for the win

PARKER vs. DETROIT: Was the losing pitcher in his only career regular season appearance, a 3-1 A's loss in Oakland last year on May 13...shutout the Tigers on three hits and two walks over the first four innings before allowing a RBI single to Cabrera in the fifth...the A's tied the game with a run in the bottom of the fifth but he allowed a two-out double Boesch and then walked the bases loaded in the sixth...was relieved by Balfour, who walked in the go-ahead run...also started and lost Games 1 and 5 of the 2012 ALDS against Verlander...dropped a 3-1 decision in Detroit October 6 (6.1 ip, 7 h, 3 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 5 so). A's scored a run in the first but he allowed a run in the bottom of the first when Jackson doubled and later scored when Cabrera grounded into a double play...allowed an unearned run in the third when Infante doubled and later scored on Parker's error...also surrendered a leadoff home run to Avila in the fifth...lost 6-0 in Oakland October 11 (6.1 ip, 7 h, 4 r, 4 er, 1 bb, 6 so)...allowed two runs in the third on a Jackson RBI double and a wild pitch...was also charged with two of the Tigers four runs in the seventh inning...was relieved by Cook with runners on first and third and one out and Cook allowed both runs to score...Verlander tossed a complete game four-hit shutout.

**THIS SPRING:** Was 0-2 with a 7.45 ERA (19.1 ip, 25 h, 18 r, 16 er, 5 bb, 13 so, 5 hr) in five games, all starts...also pitched in the A's minor league camp on the A's off day March 6...allowed a .309 (25 for 81) opponents batting average.

2012 RE	CAP:	Was	one	of	three	players
acquired	from	Arizona	a in	the	Trevo	r Cahill

P	ARKER'S	S 2013	3 SP	PRING	TRA	MIM	NG	ST	٩RT	S	
Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	ΙP	Н	R	ER	ВВ	SO	HR
March 1	SF	9-13		0.00	2.0	1	0	0	0	2	0
March 11	at SD	0-10	L	7.50	4.0	6	5	5	0	2	2
March 16	at CWS	5-11	L	10.00	3.0	9	7	5	2	3	0
March 22	CWS	4-4		7.20	6.0	3	2	2	2	5	0
March 27	COL	6-5		7.45	4.1	6	4	4	1	1	3
Totals (5	games, 5 st	arts)	0-2	7.45	19.1	25	18	16	5	13	5

trade during the offseason and went 13-8 with a 3.47 ERA in 29 starts...tied with fellow rookie Tommy Milone for the team lead in wins as they both set an Oakland record for wins by a rookie...the previous mark of 12 was held by Chris Codiroli (1983) and Joe Blanton (2005)...had the most wins by an Athletics rookie since Harry Byrd won 15 games for the 1952 Philadelphia A's en route to Rookie of the Year honors...the A's became the first team since the 1952 Brooklyn Dodgers to have two rookies win 13 or more games (Joe Black 15, Billy Loes 13)...it was the second time in Oakland history the A's had two rookie 10-game winners...the other time was in 2009 (Anderson 11, Cahill 10)...with Milone making 31 starts, this was the third time in Oakland history the A's had two rookies with 20 or more starts (Keough and Johnson in 1978: Anderson and Cahill in 2009)...led the A's with 140 strikeouts, which was the third best mark by a rookie in Oakland history and the fourth best in Athletics history...his 29 starts were 10<sup>th</sup> most by an Oakland rookie.

ROOKIE LEADERS: Tied for second among American League rookies in wins, ranked fourth in strikeouts and innings pitched (181.1) and tied for fourth in starts...his ERA was the lowest among AL rookies with 130 or more innings, his .619 winning percentage was second best and his .248 opponents batting average was third best...received one third place vote in the BBWAA AL Rookie of the Year balloting and finished fifth

AMONG THE LEADERS: His winning percentage was 10th best among all AL pitchers...allowed just 11 home runs in 181.1 innings, an average of 0.55 per nine innings...that was the second lowest mark in the AL and third lowest in the majors...had a .358 opponents slugging percentage, which was sixth lowest in the AL...tied for first in the AL in sacrifice hits allowed (7), tied for third in sacrifice flies (8), ranked fifth in stolen bases against (21) and tied for sixth in wild pitches (10).

OPPONENTS BATTING: Allowed a .248 opponents batting average, including .247 (86-for-348) against left-handed hitters and .248 (80-for-322) against right-handers...opponents hit .215 with runners in scoring position, which ranked fourth lowest in the AL...yielded a .173 batting average to the number three hitter in the order, which was fourth lowest in the AL...eight of the 11 home runs he allowed were solo shots

BASES ON BALLS: Issued a team-leading 63 walks, which were the fewest by a team-leader in a nonstrike season in Oakland history...the previous low was 69 by Doug Johns in 1996...walked four batters or more in six of his first 12 starts (36 bb in 73.2 ip, 4.40 per nine innings)...then walked three batters or fewer in each of his final 17 starts (27 bb in 107.2 ip, 2.26 per nine innings).

THIS AND THAT: Went 5-3 with a 2.46 ERA and .209 opponents batting average over his first 13 starts, 2-4 with a 6.15 ERA and .309 opponents average over a seven-start stretch from July 7 to Aug. 14 and 6-1 with a 3.00 ERA and .252 opponents average over his final nine starts...had eight wins after the All-Star Break, which tied for third in the AL.

SPLITS: Was 6-5 at home compared to 7-3 on the road...however, had a 2.61 ERA at home compared to 4.54 on the road...had the fifth lowest home ERA in the AL...compiled a 5-2 record and 2.64 ERA in nine starts during the day compared to 8-6 with a 3.87 ERA in 20 starts at night...had the fourth lowest day ERA in the AL...posted a mark of 6-1 with a 3.03 ERA in 12 starts on five days rest or more...was 7-7 with a 3.81 ERA in 17 starts on four days rest or fewer...received one run of support or fewer in 11 of his 29 starts and was 0-8 with a 5.03 ERA in those starts...went 13-0 with a 2.65 ERA in 18 starts with support of two runs or more...allowed 20 of his 71 runs in the fifth inning for a 6.26 ERA...had a 2.98 ERA in all other innings.

SACRAMENTO: Went 1-0 with a 2.18 ERA in four starts with Sacramento...struck out 21 batters in 20.2 innings...allowed a .275 opponents batting average, including .271 (13-for-48) against right-handed hitters compared to .281 (9-for-32) against left-handers...surrendered both of his home runs to lefties...opponents were 4-for-29 (.138) with runners in scoring position.

### TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER

LHP Tommy Milone (2-0, 4.50 ERA): Is scheduled to make his third start of the season...won his second consecutive start in the A's 11-5 win at Los Angeles last Wednesday (5.0 ip, 7 h, 4 r, 4 er, 3 bb, 5 so)...won each of his final two starts in 2012 and the four-game winning streak marks the first time he was won more than two straight games in his career...had a no decision in his only career start against Houston, a 4-3 Washington win in 11 innings on September 9, 2011 (5.2 ip, 8 h, 3 r, 3 er, 3 so)...was 3-0 with a 4.63 ERA (23.1 ip, 28 h, 12 r, 12 er, 5 bb, 17 so, 3 hr) in six games, all starts, this spring...went 13-10 with a 3.74 ERA in a team-leading 31 starts last year...also led the A's in innings pitched (190.0), had the only complete game and tied for the team-lead in wins...fellow rookie Jarrod Parker also won 13 games, both setting an Oakland record for wins by a rookie

## ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

Save/Save Opportunities: 1/2 (50.0%)

2-0, 1.64 ERA (38.1 ip, 29 h, 9 r, 7 er, 11 bb, 33 so, 1 hr)

Save/Save Opportunities: 1/2 (50.0%)

The A's bullpen has allowed one earned run or fewer in 11 of the first 12 games...including each of the past 10 contests (4 er in 32.1 ip, 1.11 ERA)...has a 1.64 ERA, which is the lowest in the American League...has the second lowest opponents on-base percentage (.261) and fourth lowest batting average (.203) and slugging percentage (.322)...has yielded the fewest home runs (1)...compiled a 2.90 ERA last year, which was second lowest in the AL and ninth lowest in Oakland history...it was the lowest since the 1990 club had an Oakland record 2.35 ERA...also had the second lowest opponents batting average (.209), on-base percentage (.293) and slugging percentage (.334) in the AL

Last Outing: 4/12 vs. Detroit (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so) **50 RHP GRANT BALFOUR** Save/Opportunities: 1-1 Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 First Hitters: 2-4 (0 bb)

- Has converted each of his last 19 save opportunities dating back to last season, which is tied for the sixth longest streak in Oakland history...his last blown save came on April 29, 2012 at Baltimore.
- Is in his 10<sup>th</sup> season in the majors...is on his fifth consecutive Opening Day roster (2011-13 with Oakland, 2009-10 with Tampa Bay).
- Posted a 2.25 ERA in four spring training appearances...opponents were 2 for 14 (.143) with no walks in 4.0 innings...had arthroscopic surgery February 14 to perform a lateral meniscectomy of his right knee and did not pitch in a Cactus League game until March 21.
- Did not allow a run in two appearances against Detroit last year (1.2 ip, 1 h, 1 bb, 2 so)...is 3-2 with a 2.54 ERA in 28 outings in his career (28.1 ip, 20 h, 8 r, 8 er, 14 bb, 37 so, 3 hr).
- Had two stints as the A's closer in 2012 and saved a team-leading 24 games in a team-high 75 appearances while posting a 2.53 ERA...was charged with just two blown saves and his save percentage of 92.3 ranked fourth in the American League...was 10<sup>th</sup> in saves

13 LHP JERRY BLEVINS Save/Opportunities: 0-1 Last Outing: 4/12 vs. Detroit (ND, 1.2 ip, 2 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 3/2 First Hitters: 2-5 (1 bb, 1 sf)

- Has appeared in seven of the A's 12 games and has not allowed a run (6.1 ip, 4 h, 1 bb, 9 so)...is tied for the Major League lead in appearances and tied for fourth among American League relievers in strikeouts.
- Is in his seventh Major League season, all with Oakland, and is on his fifth consecutive Opening Day roster.
- Compiled a 2.45 ERA and .250 opponents batting average in seven spring games...did not allow an earned run over his final six outings (6.2 ip).
- Had a 2.70 ERA in four games against Detroit last season (3.1 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 1 so, 1 hr)...has a 4.32 ERA in nine career appearances (8.1 ip, 10 h, 5 r, 4 er, 4 bb, 8 so, 1 hr).
- Completed his sixth season in an Oakland uniform last year, but it was just his second full season (2010)...was 5-1 with a save, a 2.48 ERA and a .201 opponents batting average in 63 relief appearances...the ERA and opponents batting average were the lowest marks of his career

Last Outing: 4/12 vs. Detroit (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so) **48 RHP RYAN COOK** Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Inherited Runners/Scored: 1/1 First Hitters: 0-5 (0 bb)

- Earned his first win of the season Tuesday night.
- Is tied for ninth among American League relievers in strikeouts (7).
- Has allowed one run in 14.1 innings (0.63 ERA) in 13 career games in the month of April...the ERA is his best for any month of the season.
- Was 1-1 with a 6.14 ERA in nine spring training appearances...did not allow a run over his final six outings (4.2 ip).
- Has not allowed a run in three career appearances against the Tigers (3.2 ip, 1 h, 1 bb, 3 so).
- Was the A's lone representative to the American League All-Star team last year as a 25-year-old rookie...went 6-2 with 14 saves, a 2.09 ERA and .166 opponents batting average in 71 appearances...tied the Oakland rookie record for games pitched and had the third best save total.

**62 LHP SEAN DOOLITTLE** Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 4/12 vs. Detroit (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 First Hitters: 0-5 (0 bb)

- Has not allowed a run in five appearances (5.0 ip, 2 h, 2 so) and has held opponents to a .118 (2 for 17) batting average.
- Is on his first career Opening Day roster.
- Was 2-0 with a 2.35 ERA and .222 opponents batting average in eight spring games...issued just one walk in 7.2 innings while striking out 10.
- Has faced Detroit twice in his career (2.0 ip, 2 so).
- Made his Major League debut with the A's last year after just 17 professional appearances as a pitcher...was 2-1 with a save and a 3.04 ERA in 44 appearances with Oakland...struck out 60 batters in just 47.1 innings, an average of 11.41 per nine innings.

47 RHP PAT NESHEK Last Outing: 4/13 vs. Detroit (ND, 2.1 ip, 2 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 0 so) Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Inherited Runners/Scored: 3/2

- Tossed 2.1 innings yesterday afternoon, the most by an A's reliever this season.
- Is tied for third among American League relievers in walks (5) and tied for fifth in appearances (6) and hits allowed (9).
- Is in his seventh season in the majors and is on his fifth Opening Day roster (2007-08 and 2010 with Minnesota, 2011 with San Diego).
- Did not allow a run in nine spring training appearances (8.1 ip) and has not allowed a run in 19 games (17.1 ip) over the last two springs...allowed a .233 opponents batting average this spring.
- Had a win in two outings against the Tigers last year (2.0 ip, 2 h, 2 so)...is 3-2 with a 3.86 ERA in 22 career games (23.1 ip, 23 h, 10 r, 10 er, 7 bb, 27 so, 3 hr).
- Was acquired from the Baltimore Orioles organization last year on Aug. 3 for cash considerations after going 3-2 with 11 saves and a 2.66 ERA in 35 appearances at Triple-A Norfolk...then went 2-1 with a 1.37 ERA and .147 opponents batting average in 24 appearances with the A's.

44 RHP CHRIS RESOP Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 4/12 vs. Detroit (W, 0.1 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 7/0 First Hitters: 0-6 (0 bb)

- Recorded his first win of the season Friday night.
- Has allowed 0 of 7 inherited runners to score, which is the second most in the American League without allowing a score.
- Has appeared in six of the A's 12 games and has not allowed a run (5.1 ip, 3 h, 5 so)...is tied for fifth among AL relievers in appearances.
- Is in his eighth Major League season and is on his fifth Opening Day roster (2006 with Florida, 2008 with Atlanta and 2011-12 with Pittsburgh).
- Was acquired from Pittsburgh on November 30, 2012 for minor league pitcher Zach Thornton.
- Did not allow a run or walk a batter in eight games this spring (9.0 ip)...opponents were 6 for 30 (.200).
- Has a win and a loss in five appearances in his career against Detroit (5.0 ip, 4 h, 3 r, 3 er, 3 bb, 4 so, 5.40 ERA).
- Spent the entire 2012 season with Pittsburgh, posting a 1-4 record, one save and a 3.91 ERA in 61 relief appearances...had career-highs in innings pitched (73.2), hits (81) and runs (35) and matched his high in saves and losses...tied for seventh among NL relievers in innings.

**58 RHP EVAN SCRIBNER** Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 4/13 vs. Detroit (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 3/0 First Hitters: 0-6 (0 bb)

- Is tied for fifth among American League relievers in appearances (6) and tied for sixth in innings pitched (7.1).
- Had a save and a 6.55 ERA in 10 games this spring...opponents hit .354, but he walked just two while striking out 12 in 11.0 innings.
- Has made three career appearances against the Tigers (3.0 ip, 3 h, 3 r, 3 er, 3 bb, 2 so, 1 so).
- Split the 2012 season between Oakland and Triple-A Sacramento...was 2-0 with a save, a 2.55 ERA and .221 opponents batting average in 30 relief appearances over three stints with the A's...posted a 3-0 record, eight saves and a 3.03 ERA in 26 games with the River Cats.

#### ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

**52 YOENIS CÉSPEDES** Current Streak: 0 for 3

- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list yesterday with a strained muscle in his left hand...this is his second career stint on the DL as he was out from May 7 to 31 last year with a muscle strain in his left hand...is eligible to be reinstated April 28.
- Batted a team-leading .292 with 23 home runs and 82 RBI in 129 games in his first year in the United States last year as a 26-year-old rookie from Cuba...also led the A's in on-base percentage (.356) and slugging (.505)...the batting average was second best by an Oakland rookie.

4 COCO CRISP Detroit Series: 2-4, rbi, so, 2 sb

- Did not play yesterday after leaving the game after nine innings Friday night with a strained left groin...had started each of the first 11 games.
- Has hit safely in each of his last nine games (16 for 41, .390).
- Is tied for the Major League lead in runs scored (14)...is tied for second in the American League in extra base hits (9) and total bases (33), ranks third in stolen bases (4), tied for third in doubles (5) and multiple hit games (6) and tied for fourth in home runs (4).
- Is a .322 (108 for 335) career hitter against Detroit, which is his best average against any AL team.
- Had his career-high tying streak of eight consecutive games with a run end Friday night.

  Stole his second base of the season Wednesday night at Los Angeles...it was his 122<sup>nd</sup> with the A's, moving him past Mike Davis for seventh in Oakland history...now has 124 (Canseco is sixth, 135)...has been successful in 124 of 141 (87.9%) stolen base attempts with the A's, which is the best percentage in Athletics history.
- Homered in a career-high four consecutive games from last Friday through Tuesday...is the first leadoff hitter in Oakland history to homer in four straight games...the last Athletic to do it was Wally Moses (July 21-23, 1937).
- Homered and doubled in all three games at Houston last weekend to become the second player in Oakland history with both a double and a home run in three consecutive games (Matt Stairs, August 14-16, 1997).
- Batted .259 with 11 home runs, 46 RBI and a team-leading 39 stolen bases in 120 games last year...it was his third career 30-steal season...ranked third in the American League in batting with RISP (.367), fourth in stolen bases and fifth in stolen base percentage (90.7%).

20 JOSH DONALDSON Career vs. Sanchez (.667, 2-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO) Current Streak: 5 games (10 for 22) Detroit Series: 4-8, 2 r, 2b, hr, rbi, bb Last Road Trip: 8-26, 5 r, 2b, hr, 6 rbi, 2 bb, 3 so, 2 gidp

- Has five straight multiple hit games (10 for 22, .455), the first time he has put together more than two straight multiple hit games in his career...went 3 for 25 (.120) over his first seven games
- Is the only Athletic to start all 12 games this year...each of his starts have come at third base.
- Had his first career game-ending RBI Friday night, a home run in the bottom of the 12<sup>th</sup> inning...has now homered in back-to-back games.
- Grounded into his fifth double play of the season a week ago today, which is the most in the majors...had six GIDP in 75 games all last year.
- Was moved to third base following the injury to Scott Sizemore at the start of Spring Training last year and made the A's Opening Day roster...hit .241 in 75 games over three stints with the A's, including .290 with eight home runs and 26 RBI in 47 games during his final stint.

**7 NATE FREIMAN** Career vs. Sanchez (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 10 Detroit Series: 0-1, so Last Road Trip: 0-8, bb, 3 so

- Is one of two rookies on the A's roster (Taylor).
- Made his Major League debut with a start at first base April 3 against Seattle and had a RBI single off Joe Saunders in the second inning for his first ML hit...added another single in the fourth inning for his first multiple hit game...is 0 for 10 since then.
- Was claimed off waivers from Houston March 23...the Astros selected him in the Rule 5 draft from San Diego so he must remain on the A's
- roster all year or be exposed to waivers and offered back to the Padres.

  Hit .241 with a home run and nine RBI in 25 games this spring, including .167 with two RBI in six games with the A's.
- Batted .298 with 24 home runs and 105 RBI in 137 games with Double-A San Antonio last year...was a Texas League Postseason All-Star after leading the league in hits (154) and RBI while ranking second in extra base hits (56), third in home runs and fourth in doubles (31).

5 JOHN JASO Career vs. Sanchez (.200, 1-5, 0 HR, 2 BB, 1 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 7 Detroit Series: 1-9, bb, 3 so **Last Road Trip:** 7-16, 5 r, hr, 5 rbi, bb, 2 so, sh, 2 gidp

- Went 0 for 4 yesterday to snap his hitting streak at six games (9 for 24, .375)...that was one short of his career high (7, June 27-July 4, 2012).
- Is 10 for 34 (.294) to start the season and has a .286 (36 for 126) career batting average in April, his best for any month of the season.
- Hit his first career pinch hit home run Tuesday night at Los Angeles, a three-run shot off Jepsen in the seventh inning to give the A's a 7-5 lead...is 7 for 19 (.368) with a home run and seven RBI in the pinch over the last two years after going 3 for 30 (.100) with one RBI over his first
- Hit .238 with a team-leading three triples, no home runs and six RBI in 19 games this spring...tied for fourth in the Cactus League in triples.
- Batted .276 with 10 home runs and 50 RBI in 108 games in his lone season with Seattle last year...added 56 walks for a .394 on-base percentage...had career-highs in batting, on-base percentage, slugging percentage (.456), doubles (19), home runs and RBI.

**8 JED LOWRIE** Career vs. Sanchez (.000, 0-5, 0 HR, 1 BB, 1 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 3 Last Road Trip: 10-26, 7 r, 2b, 2 hr, 5 rbi, 4 bb, 2 so, gidp Detroit Series: 1-6, r, 2b, 2 so

- Struck out as a pinch hitter yesterday after reaching base safely via hit or walk in each of his first 11 games, all starts at shortstop
- Is tied for the Major League lead in doubles (6)...is tied for second in American League lead in extra base hits (9), ranks fourth in total bases (32) and tied for fourth in hits (17) and runs (11).
- Is batting .378 and now has a .319 (72 for 226) career batting average in April, his best average for any month of the season
- Had back-to-back three-hit games for the first time in his career last Saturday and Sunday in Houston...has three for the season, which is tied for the Major League lead.
- Was acquired from Houston February 4 with Fernando Rodriguez for Chris Carter, Brad Peacock and minor leaguer Max Stassi.
- Batted .244 with 16 home runs and 42 RBI in 97 games in his lone season with Houston last year...the home runs ranked third among National League shortstops...had career highs in games, at-bats (340), runs (43), hits (83), home runs and walks (43)...had two stints on the DL

**37 BRANDON MOSS** Career vs. Sanchez (.167, 1-6, 0 HR, 0 BB, 2 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 14 Last Road Trip: 10-19, 6 r, 3b, 2 hr, 10 rbi, 5 bb, 2 so Detroit Series: 0-10, 7 so

- Is 0 for 10 with seven strikeouts in the first two games of this series, including a career-high four strikeouts Friday night.
- Is now 1 for 21 with no RBI at home compared to 10 for 19 (.526) with two home runs and 10 RBI on the road.
- Matched his career high with five RBI on Wednesday at Los Angeles (also September 29, 2012 vs. Seattle) after driving in four runs the night
- Batted .291 with 21 home runs and 52 RBI in just 84 games with the A's last year after joining the club in June...the home runs were a careerhigh and tied for third most in American League history by a player with fewer than 90 games played...also had a career high in RBI.

3 HIRO NAKAJIMA Current Streak: 0 games (0 for 0)

- Begins the season on the disabled list as he was added to the 15-day DL March 30 retroactive to March 27 with a strained left hamstring.
- Batted .311 with 13 HR and 74 RBI in 136 games with Seibu in his final season in Japan last year...was honored with the Best Nine Award at shortstop for the second consecutive season and fourth time in his career...also won his second consecutive Gold Glove, his third overall.

**36 DEREK NORRIS** Career vs. Sanchez (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 3) Detroit Series: 2-4, r, 2b, rbi, bb, so **Last Road Trip:** 5-10, 3 r, 2b, 2 rbi, bb, so, hbp, sb

- Made his fifth start of the season yesterday, all at catcher, and has hit safely in all five games (8 for 16, .500).
- Has also pinch hit three times and is 0 for 3 in those games.
- Hit .350 with five home runs and 12 RBI in 19 spring games...tied for seventh in Cactus League in home runs...led the A's in runs (14).
- Split the 2012 season between Triple-A Sacramento and Oakland...batted .271 with nine home runs and 38 RBI in 58 games with the River Cats and .201 with seven home runs and 34 RBI in 60 games in his Major League debut with the A's.

**12 ANDY PARRINO** Career vs. Sanchez (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 9 Detroit Series: 0-5, 3 so Last Road Trip: 1-6, r, 2b, so

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento Wednesday and has appeared in each of the four games since then...including two starts (one at second base, one at shortstop).
- Hit .368 with one home run and nine RBI in 26 spring games...added six doubles for a .605 slugging percentage.
- Was acquired from San Diego Nov. 16, 2012 with Andrew Werner for Tyson Ross and A.J. Kirby-Jones...hit .200 in 79 games over the previous two seasons with the Padres...appeared in 30 games at shortstop, 18 at second base, 13 at third base, five in right field and one in left field.
- Appeared in six games with Sacramento, all at shortstop...his complete statistics with the River Cats this year:

**AVG** G ΑB R Н 2B 3B HR RBI BB ŚO OBP .174 6 23 4 0 0 5 0 1 0

Split the 2012 season between San Diego and Triple-A Tucson, batting .207 in 55 games with the Padres and .328 in 65 games with Tucson...added a home run and six RBI with San Diego in his second season in the majors.

 16 JOSH REDDICK
 Career vs. Sanchez (.000, 0-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)
 Current Streak: 0 for 6

 Detroit Series: 1-9, rbi, bb, 5 so
 Last Road Trip: 1-11, 2 r, 2 bb, 2 sb, gidp

- Is 1 for 9 over the first two games of this series after missing the three-game series at Los Angeles with a sprained right wrist.
- Is 16 for 50 (.320) with two home runs and nine RBI in 13 career games against Detroit.
- Is tied for fourth in the American League in stolen bases (3).
- Hit .294 with four home runs and 14 RBI in 20 games during Spring Training.
- Batted .242 with 32 home runs and 85 RBI in 156 games in his first season with the A's last year...tied for 10<sup>th</sup> in the American League in home runs...became the eighth Athletic to win a Rawlings Gold Glove Award, the fourth outfielder...ranked third among AL outfielders with 15 assists.

17 ADAM ROSALES Current Streak: 0 games (0 for 0)

- Begins the season on the disabled list as he was added to the 15-day DL March 26 with a strained left intercostal.
  Batted .222 with two home runs and eight RBI in 42 games over three stints with the A's last year...started 31 games at four different positions
- (18 at second, nine at short, three at first and one at third)...also batted .280 with eight home runs and 47 RBI in 76 games with Sacramento.

29 SCOTT SIZEMORE Current Streak: 0 for 5

- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list Wednesday with a sprained left knee...an MRI revealed a torn left ACL and he will miss the remainder of
  the season...this is his second career stint on the disabled list.
- Missed the entire 2012 season after tearing the anterior cruciate ligament in his left knee in the team's first full-squad workout Feb. 27 in Phoenix...had surgery March 21...batted a combined .245 with 11 home runs and 56 RBI in 110 games with the A's and Detroit in 2011.

15 SETH SMITH Career vs. Sanchez (.462, 6-13, 2 HR, 1 BB, 2 SO)
Detroit Series: 2-4, r, 2 bb, 2 so Last Road

- Had his fourth multiple hit game yesterday and is batting .500 (13 for 26) with five walks in eight games this year.
- Matched his career-high with four hits Thursday night at Los Angeles (third time, last: June 4, 2012 vs. Texas) after collecting three hits the night before.
- Had back-to-back two-double games Wednesday and Thursday and is tied for the Major League lead with six doubles for the season.
- Is 15 for 43 (.349) with 11 runs, three home runs, eight RBI and nine walks in 14 career games against Detroit.
- Has a .318 (50 for 157) career average as a pinch hitter with five home runs and 39 RBI...since 2007, he has the best batting average and slugging percentage (.554) among pinch hitters with 100 or more plate appearances and the second best on-base percentage (.409)...is also second in RBI.
- Batted .280 with one home run and 10 RBI in 20 spring training games...appeared in eight games at designated hitter, eight in left field and three
  in right field.
- Batted .240 with 14 home runs and 52 RBI in 125 games in his first season with the A's last year...the batting average was a career-low, but he
  walked a career-high 50 times for a .333 on-base percentage...made 92 of his 101 starts in games started by a right-handed pitcher.

 28 ERIC SOGARD
 Career vs. Sanchez (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)
 Current Streak: 0 for 4

 Detroit Series: 1-5, 2 r, 2b, bb, so, sb
 Last Road Trip: 5-18, 2 r, rbi, 2 so, 2 hbp, sb

- Is 4 for 12 (.333) over his last four games after going 3 for 19 (.158) over his first six contests.
- Is batting .154 (2 for 13) at home compared to .278 (5 for 18) on the road.
- Batted .444 with one home run and nine RBI in 26 games this spring...led the A's in hits and doubles (8) and tied for the team lead in games played...tied for the Cactus League lead in doubles...his eight doubles match the most by an Athletic over the last 12 years.
- Split the 2012 season between Oakland and Sacramento, batting .167 with 2 HR and seven RBI in 37 games with the A's and .331 with 5 HR and 22 RBI in 37 games with the River Cats...missed the final two months after he was placed on the disabled list with a strained back.

Detroit Series: 0-0

23 MICHAEL TAYLOR

Career vs. Sanchez (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)

Current Streak: 0 for 0

Homestand: 0-0

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento yesterday.
   Hit 217 with two doubles and five RRI in 10 games with the
- Hit .217 with two doubles and five RBI in 10 games with the A's this spring before he was optioned to Sacramento March 17.
  Was tied for the Pacific Coast League lead in doubles (5) at the time of his promotion...also ranked second in total bases (30), tied for second in
- hits (16) and extra base hits (8) and tied for third in home runs (3) and RBI (11)...his complete statistics with the River Cats this year: AVG G AΒ R Н 2B 3B HR ŘЫ ВВ so SB CS SLG OBP

Sacramento (AAA) .410 9 39 6 16 5 0 3 11 3 6 0 0 .769 452 Played in six games over two stints with Oakland last year, going 3-for-21 (.143) with one double and no RBI...spent the balance of the season

at Triple-A Sacramento where he hit .287 with 12 home runs and 67 RBI in 120 games...added 86 walks for a .405 on-base percentage.

25 CHRIS YOUNG

Career vs. Sanchez (.100, 1-10, 0 HR, 0 BB, 4 SO)

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 5)

Detroit Series: 1-8, 2b, 2 rbi, 3 so

Last Road Trip: 4-22, 3 r, 2b, hr, 5 rbi, 4 bb, 6 so, sb, gidp

Is 3 for 23 (.130) over his last five games after going 4 for 13 (.308) over his first four contests.

- Is 0 for 12 against left-handed pitching compared to .292 (7 for 24) against right-handers.
- Has started eight games at four different positions (three in right field, three in center field, one in left field, one at designated hitter).
- His sixth inning double Thursday night at Los Angeles was the 200<sup>th</sup> of his career.
- Hit his second home run of the season a week ago today and now has two home runs and eight RBI over his first nine games...hit .410 with five home runs and 13 RBI in 11 games in April last year...has 29 home runs and 96 RBI in his career in April, both his best totals for any month of the season.
- Hit .250 with two home runs and nine RBI in 22 games this spring...appeared in 14 games in center field, five in right field, four in left field and one at designated hitter
- Appeared in just 101 games due to an injury last year in his seventh season with Arizona...hit .231 with 24 doubles, 14 home runs and 41 RBI...his 101 games were the fewest since his rookie season in 2006 (30)...reached the 10-homer mark for the sixth straight season.

## A's vs. DETROIT

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# 2013 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

GA/ LEADER CUM.	6/27 OFF DAY
DATE         G OPP         W-L SCORE         REC POS         GB AND LEAD         WINNER         LOSER         SAVE         ATT.         ATT.           3/31         OFF DAY         12         -½ HOU         ½           4/1         1 SEA         L         0-2         0-1         t4         -1 HOU/LAA/SEA         1 Hernandez         Anderson         Wilhelmsen         36,067*         36,067*	6/28 81 STL 7:05 CSNCA Dog Day sponsored by AvoDerm, Nylabone and Bio Spot 6/29 82 STL 1:05 CSNCA Coco "Lean" Bobblehead sponsored by NetSuite (15,000 fans) 1:05 CSNCA
4/2       2 SEA       L       1-7       0-2       5       -2 SEA       ½ lwakuma       Parker       15,315       51,382         4/3       3 SEA       W       6-2       1-2       t4       -1 SEA/TEX       ½ Milone       Saunders       15,162       66,544         4/4       4 SEA       W       8-2       2-2       12       -½ TEX       ½ Griffin       Maurer       12,134       78,678	7/1 OFF DAY 7/2 84 CHC 7:05 CSNCA 7/3 85 CHC 7:05 CSNCA Patriotic Themed Fireworks Night
(4 dates)       4/5     5 at HOU     W     8-3     3-2     12     -½     TEX     ½     Straily     Peacock     18,197     18,197     18,197       4/6     6 at HOU     W     6-3     4-2     1     +½     OAK     ½     Colón     Norris     Balfour     18,685     36,882	7/4 86 CHI 1:05 CSNCA Picnic Blanket (10,000 fans)  7/5 87 at KC 5:10 CSNCA  7/6 88 at KC 11:10 CSNCA
4/7 7 at HOU W 9-3 5-2 1 +½ OAK ½ Anderson Harrell 16,914 53,796 4/8 OFF DAY t1 OAK/TEX	7/7 89 at KC 11:10 CSNCA 7/8 90 at PIT 4:05 CSNCA 7/9 91 at PIT 4:05 CSNCA
4/9     8 at LAA     W     9.5     6-2     t1     - OAK/TEX     Cook     Jepsen     44,014     97,810       4/10     9 at LAA     W     11.5     7-2     1     +1     OAK     1     Milone     Blanton     36,011     133,821       4/11     10 at LAA     W     8-1     8-2     1     +1     OAK     1     Griffin     Vargas     43,533     177,354	7/10 92 at PIT 4:05 CSNCA 7/11 OFF DAY
4/12     11     DET     W     4-3 (12)     9-2     1     +2     OAK     2     Resop     Villarreal     21,377     100,055       4/13     12     DET     L     3-7     9-3     1     +1     OAK     1     Verlander     Anderson     35,067*     135,122	7/12 93 BOS 7:05 CSNCA 7/13 94 BOS 7:05 CSNCA Josh Reddick Replica Jersey sponsored by Cache Creek Casino Resort (10,000 fans)
DATE G OPP TIME TV PROMOTION 4/14 13 DET 1:05 CSNCA Pet Calendar / Pet Adoption Day sponsored by Central Garden and Pet	7/14 95 BOS 1:05 CSNCA 7/15 ALL- 7/16 STAR
(10,000 fans) 4/15 14 HOU 7:05 CSNCA 4/16 15 HOU 7:05 CSNCA	7/17 BREAK 7/18 (CitiField) 7/19 96 at LAA 7:05 CSNCA
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4/25         23         BAL         7:05         CSNCA           4/26         24         BAL         7:05         CSNCA           4/27         25         BAL         1:05         CSNCA 1973 World Series Champions Reunion / Reggie Jackson Bobblehead	(10,000 fans) 7/28 105 LAA 1:05 CSNCA 7/29 106 TOR 7:05 CSNCA
sponsored by Pepsi (10,000 fans) 4/28 26 BAL 1:05 CSNCA Little League Day # 1 / Kids Wristbands sponsored by Chevrolet (7,500 kids)	7/30 107 TOR 7:05 CSNCA Jewish Heritage Night 7/31 108 TOR 12:35 8/1 OFF DAY
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5/29 54 at SF 7:15 CSNCA 5/30 55 at SF 12:45 CSNCA 5/31 56 CWS 7:05 CSNCA	9/2 137 TEX 1:05 CSNCA 9/3 138 TEX 7:05 CSNCA 9/4 139 TEX 12:35 CSNCA
6/1 57 CWS 1:05 CSNCA Yoenis Céspedes Replica Jersey sponsored by Pepsi (10,000 fans) 6/2 58 CWS 1:05 CSNCA Little League Day #2 / Coco Crisp Kids Cereal Bowl sponsored by Chevrolet (5,000 kids)	9/5 140 HOU 7:05 CSNCA 9/6 141 HOU 7:05 CSNCA 9/7 142 HOU 1:05 CSNCA
6/3 59 at MIL 5:10 CSNCA 6/4 60 at MIL 5:10 CSNCA	9/8 143 HOU 1:05 CSNCA Fiesta Day and Giveaway sponsored by Chevrolet (10,000 fans) 9/9 OFF DAY 9/10 144 at MIN 5:10 CSNCA
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	11, April 10 at Los Angeles	PLAYER	2	3	4	5	TOT
	7, April 10 at 203 Angeles	Céspedes	2	0	0	0	2
lost Runs, Game, Opponents	7. April E at Hauston (Eth)	Crisp	5	1	0	0	6
		Donaldson	5	0	0	0	5
lost Runs, Inning, Opponents	4, April 13 vs. Detroit (4th)	Freiman	1	0	0	0	1
	16, April 10 at Los Angeles and April 11 at Los Angeles	Jaso	3	0	0	0	3
lost Hits, Game, Opponents	14, April 10 at Los Angeles				-		
lost Hits, Inning, A's	4 (six times), last: April 11 at Los Angeles (6th)	Lowrie	2	3	0	0	5
lost Hits, Inning, Opponents		Moss	1	2	0	0	3
lost Home Runs, Game, A's		Norris	3	0	0	0	3
Inst Home Runs Game Onnonents		Reddick	1	0	0	0	1
		Sizemore	0	0	0	0	0
		Smith	2	1	1	0	4
		Sogard	1	0	0	0	1
	2, April 9 at Los Angeles	Young	0	0	0	0	0
	3, April 12 vs. Detroit						
lost Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents	2, April 2 vs. Seattle	MULTIPL	E DRI	CVI	/ES		
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		Donaldson	2	0 (	0 0	0	2
		Freiman	0	0 (		0	(
ewest Hits Allowed, Opponents	3 (twice), last: April 2 vs. Seattle	Jaso	0	-	0	0	1
EAM MISCELLANEOUS		Lowrie	1		0	0	2
ongest Winning Streak		Moss	0	0 1		0	2
		Norris	0	0 (	0 0	0	(
		Reddick	0	0 1	1 0	0	1
		Sizemore	0	0 (	0 0	0	(
	3:51, April 5 at Houston	Smith	2	0 (	-	0	2
	4:04, April 12 vs. Detroit					-	
		Sogard	0		0 0	0	(
argest Margin, Victory	7, April 11 at Los Angeles (8-1)	Young	2	1 (	0 0	0	3
argest Margin, Loss	6, April 2 vs. Seattle (1-7)						
lost Left on Base. Nine Inning Game							
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		DI AVED			TOT		
	2, April 7 at Houston and April 9 at Los Angeles	PLAYER	GT	GA			
0		Céspedes	1	1	2		
argest Lead Surrendered in Loss		Crisp	1	2	3		
		Donaldson	1	2	3		
IDIVIDUAL BATTING		Freiman	0	0	0		
lost Runs, Game			1	2	3		
	4, Seth Smith, April 11 at Los Angeles	Jaso					
lost Doubles Game		Lowrie	0	3	3		
		Moss	0	0	0		
		Norris	0	3	3		
		Reddick	0	1	1		
	5, Brandon Moss, April 10 at Los Angeles	Sizemore	0	0	0		
			-	-	-		
lost Strikeouts, Game	4, Brandon Moss, April 12 vs. Detroit	Smith	0	1	1		
lost Stolen Bases, Game	2, Coco Crisp, April 12 vs. Detroit	Sogard	0	0	0		
		Young	0	0	0		
NDIVIDUAL PITCHING	<b></b>						
	11, Dan Straily, April 5 at Houston						
	4, Brett Anderson, April 1 vs. Seattle						
	2.1, Pat Neshek, April 13 vs. Detroit						
iosi Consecutive Batters Retired11, 101	mmy Milone, April 3 to 10, and Sean Doolittle, April 4 to present						
TARTS IN THE ORDER	<b>GAMES BY POSITION</b>						

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PLAYER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9		С		1B		2B		3B		SS		LF		CF		RF		DH	
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Crisp	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Céspedes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	9	1	-	-	-	1	1
Donaldson	-	-	-	-	1	1	6	4	-	Crisp	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	9	-	-	2	2
Freiman	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	Donaldson	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jaso	1	4	-	-	1	2	1	-	-	Freiman	-	-	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Lowrie	-	5	3	1	2	-	-	-	-	Jaso	8	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Moss	-	-	-	1	5	3	-	1	-	Lowrie	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Norris	-	-	-	-	1	2	_	2	-	Moss	-	-	11	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	_	-	-	-	-
Parrino	_	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	2	Norris	6	5	_	_	_	-	_	-	-	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-	-
Reddick	-	-	8	-	_	_	1	-	-	Parrino	-	_	_	_	2	1	_	-	2	1	_	_	-	-	_	_	_	-
Sizemore	_	_	-	-	_	_	_	-	1	Reddick	-	_	_	_	_	-	_	-	-	_	_	_	-	-	9	9	_	-
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# HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

REGU	LAR SEA	SON H	OME F	RUNS		LAST	REGULAR SEAS	SON HOME R	Grand Slams (0)	
Player	Solo	2R	3R	GS	Tot.	Date	Opponent	Pitcher	GP Since	None
Céspedes	2	1	0	0	3	April 11, 2013	at Los Angeles	Burnett	1	Pinch Hit Home Runs (1)
Crisp	4	0	0	0	4	April 9, 2013	at Los Angeles	Wilson	3	John Jaso, April 9 at Los Angeles (Kevin Jepsen)
Donaldson	1	1	0	0	2	April 12, 2013	Detroit	Villarreal	1	Lead Off Home Runs (1)
Freiman	0	0	0	0	0				4	Coco Crisp, April 5 at Houston (Brad Peacock)
Jaso	0	0	1	0	1	April 9, 2013	at Los Angeles	Jepsen	3	Back-To-Back Home Runs (1)
Lowrie	2	1	0	0	3	April 7, 2013	at Houston	Harrell	5	Jed Lowrie and Chris Young, April 3 vs. Seattle
Moss	1	1	0	0	2	April 10, 2013	at Los Angeles	Blanton	3	Inside-The-Park Home Runs (0)
Norris	0	0	0	0	0	Oct. 3, 2012	Texas	Ogando	8	None
Parrino	0	0	0	0	0	April 8, 2012	Los Angeles (NL)	Harang	53	Walk-Off Wins (1)
Reddick	0	1	0	0	1	April 4, 2013	Seattle	Maurer	5	Josh Donaldson, April 12 vs. Detroit (home run)
Smith	1	0	0	0	1	April 6, 2013	at Houston	Keuchel	5	•
Sogard	0	0	0	0	0	April 27, 2012	at Baltimore	Arrieta	31	
Taylor	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 20, 2011	Texas	Holland	10	
Young	1	0	1	0	2	April 7, 2013	at Houston	Harrell	5	
Team	12	5	2	0	19	•				

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Player	Category	No.	Needs	Player	Category	No.	Needs
Anderson	Games	71	29 for 100	Crisp	Triples (w/OAK)	16	5 for 21 (ties Monday and Page for 10th in
	Game Started	71	29 for 100	•			Oakland history)
	Innings Pitched	424.2	75.1 for 500		Home Runs	90	10 for 100
Balfour	Saves (w/OAK)	27	10 for 37 (ties Caudill for 10th in Athletics history)		RBI	472	28 for 500
	Strikeouts	444	56 for 500		Steals	261	39 for 300
Blevins	Games	221	41 for 262 (ties Mohler for 10th in Oakland history)		Steals (w/OAK)	124	11 for 135 (ties Canseco for 6th in Oakland
Colón	Games	383	17 for 400				history)
	Games Started	377	23 for 400	Lowrie	Games	365	135 for 500
	Innings Pitched	2406.1	93.2 for 2500		Doubles	79	21 for 100
				Neshek	Games	187	13 for 200
				Smith	Hits	459	41 for 500
				Young	Games	894	106 for 1000
					Runs	458	42 for 500
					RBI	416	84 for 500
				TEAM	Home Runs	6979	21 for 7000 in Oakland history
						11961	39 for 12000 in Athletics history

# DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Céspedes	Strained muscle, left hand	April 13-present (eligible	28) 1	Rosales	Strained left intercostal	March 26-present	12
Nakajima	Strained left hamstring	March 27-present	12	Sizemore	Sprained left knee	April 10-present	4
Rodriguez	Sprained right elbow	March 23-present	12				

The A's have used the disabled list four times this season...used the disabled list 21 times in 2012.

## TRANSACTIONS

	IRANSA	CHONS	
February 4	Jed Lowrie and Fernando Rodriguez acquired from the Houston Astros for Chris Carter, Brad Peacock and minor leaguer Max Stassi	April 3 April 4	Will Harris claimed off waivers from Colorado and optioned to Sacramento; Josh Stinson designated for assignment Josh Stinson claimed off waivers by Baltimore; Daric Barton outrighted to
March 10	Jesse Chavez and Andrew Werner optioned to Sacramento; Michael Ynoa optioned to Beloit		Sacramento; Travis Blackley traded to Houston for minor league outfielder Jake Goebbert
March 11 March 17 March 23	Arnold Leon optioned to Sacramento Grant Green and Michael Taylor optioned to Sacramento Nate Freiman claimed off waivers from the Houston Astros; Fernando	April 5	Stephen Vogt acquired from Tampa Bay for a player to be named later or cash considerations and optioned to Sacramento; Danny Otero designated for assignment
March 24	Rodriguez placed on the 60-day disabled list (sprained right elbow) Shane Peterson and Jemile Weeks optioned to Sacramento	April 6	Bartolo Colón reinstated from the suspended list; Dan Straily optioned to Sacramento; Will Harris claimed off waivers by Arizona
March 26 March 29	Adam Rosales placed on the 15-day disabled list (strained left intercostal)  Danny Otero claimed off waivers from New York (AL); Josh Stinson claimed off waivers from Milwaukee; Daric Barton and Travis Blackley	April 7 April 10	Danny Otero outrighted to Sacramento Scott Sizemore placed on the 15-day disabled list (sprained left knee); Andy Parrino recalled from Sacramento
March 30	designated for assignment; Jordan Norberto optioned to Sacramento Hiro Nakajima placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 27 (strained left hamstring); Pedro Figueroa and Andy Parrino optioned to Sacramento	April 13	Yoenis Céspedes placed on the 15-day disabled list (strained muscle in left hand); Michael Taylor recalled from Sacramento