



# OAKLAND ATHLETICS

## Post Game Notes

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### Texas Rangers (25-14) at Oakland Athletics (20-21) Tuesday, May 14, 2013 O.co Coliseum

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	H	E	LOB
Texas	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	2	6	10	0	7
Oakland	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	5	11	2	11

W — Scheppers (3-0)    L — Resop (0-1)    S — Nathan (12)

#### OAKLAND NOTES

- The Oakland Athletics lost their first extra inning game of the season (3-1)...are now 8-17 (.320) over the last 25 games (since April 19) after starting the season 12-4 (.750)...are 4-9 in May after going 16-12 in April...have posted a losing record in May in four of the previous five seasons.
- The A's bullpen was charged with a loss for the first time this season.
- Bartolo Colon** has walked just two batters over his first eight starts and 47.1 innings...his streak of eight consecutive starts with one walk or fewer and two innings or more to start the season is the longest by an Athletics pitcher since at least 1916.
- Josh Donaldson** (4 for 5, r, 2 b) recorded a career-high tying four hits (third time, last: April 27, 2013 vs. Baltimore)...including a career-high tying two doubles (fourth time)...is batting .375 (30 for 80) with 11 doubles, three home runs, 17 RBI and 13 walks over his last 22 contests.
- Nate Freiman** (2 for 3, r, 2b, rbi) had two hits, his third career multiple-hit game...is 7 for 19 (.368) over his last six games after going 4 for 27 (.148) over his first 13 contests.
- Bob Melvin** was ejected by first base umpire D.J. Reyburn following the eighth inning.

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Bartolo Colon	6.0	4	3	3	1	0	1	77/48
Sean Doolittle	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	18/13
Ryan Cook	0.2	2	1	1	0	1	0	13/10
Jerry Blevins	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4/3
Grant Balfour	1.0	1	0	0	0	3	0	24/16
Chris Resop (L, 0-1)	1.0	2	2	2	0	1	2	20/13

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
None					

#### TEXAS NOTES

- The Texas Rangers are 1-1 in extra innings games...have won five of the past six games and eight of the past 11...are a season-high tying 11 games over the .500 mark at 25-14...lead the American League West by six games, the largest lead in any of the six ML divisions
- The Rangers are 15-6 (.714) against AL West competition, including 9-2 in the last 11 games.
- Derek Holland** tossed 5.2 innings, matching his shortest start of the season (also: April 22 at Los Angeles).
- The Rangers are a perfect 13 for 13 in save opportunities...it is the best start for any Major League team since 2002 when Pittsburgh started the season 15 for 15.
- Lance Berkman** (1 for 4, 3b, bb, so) hit the 30<sup>th</sup> triple of his career, his first since April 10, 2012 at Cincinnati.
- Mitch Moreland** (2 for 5, 2 r, 2 hr, 3 rbi) hit two home runs, his fifth career multiple home run game (last: May 17, 2012 vs. Oakland)...it is the first multiple home run game by a Ranger this year...has now hit a home run in back-to-back games (three total) for the second time this season (also: May 7-8) and the sixth time in his career is on a season-high seven-game hitting streak (11 for 28, .393).

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Derek Holland	5.2	8	4	4	1	5	0	98/62
Robbie Ross	0.2	1	0	0	1	0	0	15/8
Jason Frasor	0.2	1	0	0	0	1	0	16/11
Tanner Scheppers (W, 3-0)	2.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	27/19
Joe Nathan (S, 12)	1.0	1	1	1	3	1	0	31/14

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
Mitch Moreland (8)	4 <sup>th</sup>	3-1	2	RF	Colon
Adrian Beltre (9)	10 <sup>th</sup>	3-0	1	LF	Resop
Mitch Moreland (9)	10 <sup>th</sup>	1-2	1	CF	Resop

Time of Game .....	3:43	Overall Record .....	20-21	Home/Road .....	10-9/10-12
First Pitch .....	7:06 pm	Streak .....	Lost 1	Day/Night .....	5-9/15-12
Temperature .....	61 degrees	Homestand .....	1-1	April/May/June .....	16-12/4-9/0-0
Attendance .....	12,969	Last Five .....	2-3	July/Aug./Sept. ....	0-0/0-0/0-0
Total .....	347,593	Last 10 .....	3-7	A's Starter goes 7 or more/Less than 7 .....	6-4/14-17
Average (19 games) .....	18,294	Series Record .....	1-1	A's/Opponents score first .....	12-8/8-13
Win/Lose in Last At-Bat .....	4-1	Series First Game .....	7-6	Leading after 7 <sup>th</sup> inn/8 <sup>th</sup> inn .....	16-1/16-0
Extra Innings .....	3-1	vs. AL West .....	15-6	Tied after 7 <sup>th</sup> inn/8 <sup>th</sup> inn .....	3-0/1-1
		vs. RHP/LHP .....	14-14/6-7	Trailing after 7 <sup>th</sup> inn/8 <sup>th</sup> inn .....	1-20/2-20