

Kansas City Royals OFFICIAL GAME NOTES

Kansas City Royals (20-19) @ Oakland A's (22-22) O.Co Coliseum - Sunday, May 19, 2013 - 3:07 p.m. (CDT) Game #40 - Road Game #22

FOX Sports Kansas City & KCSP Radio (610 Sports)

UPCOMING PITCHING PROBABLES

Monday, May 20 @ Houston Astros: RHP Jeremy Guthrie (5-1, 2.82) vs. LHP Dallas Keuchel (0-1, 4.82), 7:05 p.m., FSKC (HD) & 610 Sports Tuesday, May 21 @ Houston Astros: RHP Wade Davis (3-3, 5.98) vs. RHP Bud Norris (4-4, 4.32), 7:05 p.m., FSKC (HD) & 610 Sports Wednesday, May 22 @ Houston Astros: RHP James Shields (2-4, 2.45) vs. RHP Jordan Lyles (1-1, 6.63), 7:05 p.m., FSKC (HD) & 610 Sports
 Every game can be heard in Kansas City on KCSP Radio (610 Sports) with Steve Physioc and Steve Stewart mikeside today, while Don Free controls the dials as the producer/engineer...every game of this trip is being televised in High Definition by FOX Sports Kansas City with Ryan Lefebvre and Rex Hudler describing the action...the pre and postgame show on FSKC, Royals Live, is hosted by Joel Goldberg.

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5/19	@ Oak					
7/5	КC					
7/6	KC					
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EARLY LEADS NOT ENOUGH--The Royals have taken an early advantage in each of the first two games of this weekend set, but the outcome has been eerily similar when the final out has been recorded, with KC falling by consecutive 2-1 counts...last night, Kansas City plated a first inning run in what has become common practice, picking up a pair of 2-out hits to get on the board...unfortunately, the Royals had ample opportunities in the subsequent innings, but couldn't forge any more runs across and fell prey to another late Oakland rally...this time it occurred in the sixth after starter Ervin Santana had tossed 5.0 innings of 2-hit ball, as the A's rode a double, walk and triple to their lone runs of the night...for Santana, he allowed 2 runs on 4 hits with 3 walks and 5 K's on the evening, falling short for a third straight start in an attempt to corral career win #100...Billy Butler and Salvador Perez combined for four of KC's five hits, while Alex Gordon doubled for the other knock...the Royals enter today's series finale with a 2-3 mark through 5 games of this 9-game trip.

RUNS AT A PREMIUM AT THE COLISEUM--Dating back to the last game the Royals played here in 2001, Kansas City has been able to muster just 9 total runs in the last 6 games at the Coliseum, posting a 1-5 mark...KC was blanked in the first 2 games of this stretch, then plated 3 runs in the lone victory, before scoring 4 times in an extra-inning loss last year and then just 2 tallies in the first 2 games of this series.

STARTERS IMPRESSIVE DESPITE OUTCOMES--Kansas City's revamped starting rotation has held its own as we hit the quarter pole of the 2013 season, entering today's series finale with a 3.74 ERA, which is good for fifth among all starting staffs in the American League...it's a huge improvement over the 5.01 mark the 2012 rotation wrapped up with, the 11th ranked ERA in the A.L...last night's 7.0 inning performance by Ervin Santana was the 15th time a Kansas City starter worked at least 7.0 frames, a figure the 2012 staff didn't attain until August 1 in game #103...thanks to the work of James Shields, the starters have already recorded as many 8.0-inning outings as they accumulated all of last year, with Shields possessing 5 of those 8...the starters have also worked 6.0 innings in 29 of the first 39 games, a figure the 2012 staff didn't reach until June 26 in game #72.

STARTERS EFFORT EQUALS RESTED PEN--What a difference a year and a revamped starting rotation means to the work out of the bullpen...a season ago, the Royals had the second most used bullpen in baseball to Colorado, who had employed a pitch limit on its starters...this year, Kansas City has the least used pen with 97.2 frames...St. Louis is second in the Majors at 107.0 innings, while the second fewest innings by a pen in the American League is Tampa Bay with 114.1.

SUPPORT SHORT FOR A PAIR--A couple of Kansas City starters have had the unfortunate distinction of taking the hill when the opposing hurler has been equally as tough, with Ervin Santana the most recent victim by giving up two runs last night while the A's limited the Royals to just a single tally...Santana is now tied with Chicago's Chris Sale for the least run support average in the American League at 3.09, while Friday's losing pitcher in a 2-1 contest, James Shields, is in sixth in that department with just 3.55 runs per game...as for Santana, who made his third attempt at career win #100 last night, has seen the offense plate more than 3 runs in just one of his starts, a 4-2 win in Boston on April 21, while the club has scored only 5 runs in his 3 losses.

SELFISH WITH FREE PASSES.-The Minnesota Twins surrendered an uncharacteristic 8 walks in their loss to the Red Sox yesterday and coupled with the 3 allowed by the Royals, Kansas City has taken over the top spot in fewest walks issued in the Majors with 101, two fewer than the Twins...KC's total is way down over 39 games from the 146 allowed thru the same number of games a year ago...the Royals had a 4.19 walks to 9-inning ratio last year, while this season's stands at 2.63, good for second best in the American League...KC finished with the third most walks issued in the A.L. last year with 542 in 1,451.1 innings for a walks to 9-inning ratio of 3.36, also third highest.

TRIP ENDS IN HOUSTON--The final stop of this 3-city, 9-game journey will be in the newest American League city when KC travels to Houston for a 3-game set starting on Monday night...the Royals went 13-17 vs. the 'Stros when they were a member of the National League, including a 7-5 advantage in Minute Maid Park after a 1-2 visit to the Astrodome in the earlier editions of Interleague play.

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	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>Career</u>		<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>Career</u>
Luis Mendoza vs. Athletics	0-1	-	0-2	Major League Record	1-2 (6.00 ERA)	8-10	15-21
A.J. Griffin vs. Royals	1st ca	ireer appea	rance	Major League Record	4-3 (3.48 ERA)	7-1	11-4

LUIS MENDOZA makes his seventh appearance and sixth start of 2013...this is Luis' sixth appearance (third start) against the Athletics, his 75th Major League appearance (47th start)...he was acquired by Kansas City in a trade with Texas on April 2, 2010.

<u>INTO THE WIN COLUMN</u>--Mendoza opened this 9-game road trip with an 11-4 win on Monday night at Angel Stadium, his first victory since last September

21...he retired the first 6 Halos, 5 via the ground ball, and held them to a run through the first 5.0 innings...L.A. plated a pair in the sixth, though KC had built a 10-1 lead by that point...Mendy yielded the 3 runs on 6 hits, striking out 6 in his second career start of at least 6.0 innings with no walks allowed...Billy Butler's 5 hits and 5 RBI led the offense attack.

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<u>DATE</u>	OPPONENT	<u>SC0</u>	RE	<u>IP</u>	H	<u>R</u>	<u>ER</u>	<u>HR</u>	<u>BB</u>	<u>so</u>	<u>TP-K</u>	<u>LEFT</u>
4/6	at Philadelphia	ND,	3-4	6.0	2	1	1	0	3	7	92-57	3-1
4/12	Toronto	L,	4-8	5.2	7	8	7	0	3	2	89-51	4-6
*4/24	at Detroit	ND,	5-7	2.1	1	0	0	0	3	2	47-26	5-7
5/1	Tampa Bay	ND,	9-8	4.0	7	6	6	3	1	3	68-43	2-6
5/8	at Baltimore	L,	3-5	6.0	5	5	3	1	3	2	93-54	3-5
5/13	at Los Angeles	W,	11-4	6.0	6	3	3	0	0	6	101-62	11-3
2013 To	otals	1-2,	6.00	30.0	28	23	20	4	13	22	490-293	60%
2013 To	otals (Starter)	1-2,	7.06	27.2	27	23	20	4	10	20	443-267	60%
Career	Totals	15-21,	5.46	295.0	337	202	179	32	110	176	-	-
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SOLID IN 2012--Mendoza spent his first full season in the big leagues last year, setting career highs in every category...after a choppy start that saw him pitch both in the rotation and the bullpen, he was shifted into the rotation for good on June 12 and from that point on served as a solid starter...in his final 20 starts. Mendy was 6-

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<u>HUGE IN THE HOMELAND</u>--Luis turned himself into a very popular figure south of the border this offseason, leading his Obregon winter league team to the Caribbean World Series title and then pitching flawlessly in the WBC for his home country...Mendy combined to toss 13.1 shutout innings in the Caribbean Series over two starts, including taking a no-hitter into the eighth inning on February 6 vs. Puerto Rico...for his work, Mendoza was named the Series MVP.

<u>VS. OAKLAND</u>--Luis has faced the A's 5 times in his career (2 starts), going 0-2 with a 3.48 ERA (4 ER in 10.1 IP)...the first 4 appearances came with Texas, including his Major League debut on September 8, 2007 in Arlington, when he scattered 2 hits over 2.0 scoreless innings as a starter...the lone matchup as a Royal was here in his 2012 debut on April 9...Luis allowed 1 run in 5.2 innings on 5 hits, 4 walks and a pair of K's, but absorbed 1-0 loss...KC was held to 3 hits, all doubles, and did not record a hit after the third inning.

ROAD WORK--Mendoza is making his fourth road start of the year, recording "quality" performances in each of his previous 3...he left his season debut on April 6 at Philly with a 3-1 lead, working 6.0 solid innings but the Phils rallied for 3 in the ninth and walked-off with a 4-3 win...Luis has limited opponents to a .187 average (14-for-75) and a 3.10 ERA through 20.1 road innings (7 ER)...he is 7-10 in 37 career road appearances (22 starts), compiling a 4.68 ERA (77 ER in 148.0 IP)...Mendoza finished 2012 at 4-5 with a 3.95 ERA in 15 outings away from Kauffman Stadium.

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Player Yoenis Cespedes	AVG. .000		H	HR 0	RBI 0	May 13, 2013 at Los Angeles (11-4 over Joe Blanton)
Coco Crisp	.143	7	1	0	0	Luis' Last Major League Loss:
Josh Donaldson John Jaso	.500 .000	2	1	0	1	May 8, 2013 at Baltimore (5-3 to Chris Tillman) Luis' Strikeout High:
Jed Lowrie	.667	3	2	1	2	9, July 4, 2012 at Toronto (6.0 IP in a start, 4-1 loss)
Seth Smith	.500	2	1	0	0	
Chris Young	.333	3	1	0	2	



<u>Pitching Notes</u>

Tomorrow's Starter - Jeremy Guthrie Jeremy will start tomorrow's series opener in Houston...he is 5-1, with the 12th best ERA in the A.L. at 2.82 (17 ER in 54.1 IP). ۰

Guthrie had a shutout until the fourth on Tuesday at Angel Stadium, when Albert Pujols led off with the first of L.A.'s 4 solo homers...the Halos scored

in each inning through the seventh, with Jeremy allowing 5 runs on 11 hits and 3 walks in a 6-2 loss, his first defeat since August 3, 2012 vs. Texas.

 Guthrie's loss on Tuesday halted his club mark for consecutive starts without a defeat at 18...he collected 10 wins over the span, ending a victory short of another Royals record, held by Paul Splittorff (August 13, 1977-April 22, 1978) and Rich Gale (June 17-August 23, 1980).

Guthrie tossed his first Major League shutout in a 2-0 win on May 4 vs. Chicago, scattering 4 hits and a walk...the shutout came in his 189th career start. The Oregon native holds a 2-0 mark and a 3.68 ERA in 3 starts vs. Houston, winning twice last year while with Colorado...his lone outing at Minute Maid

2013 Pitching Lines													
	<u>G</u>	<u>W-L</u>	<u>SV</u>	<u>SV0</u>	<u>ERA</u>	<u>IP</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>ER</u>	<u>HR</u>	<u>BB</u>	<u>S0</u>	<u>OPP AVG</u>
Starters	39	14-14	-	-	3.74	248.0	245	115	103	34	70	191	.260
Relievers	36	6-5	11	15	3.04	97.2	85	38	33	10	31	103	.233
Totals	37	20-19	11	15	3.54	345.2	330	153	136	44	101	294	.252

Bruce Chen (L)

Last Save: April 26, 2010 vs. Sea (1st) 2013 Strikeout High: 4 on 4/28 vs. Cle (G2) Last Outing: 1st Batter Efficiency: 6/7 Saves/Save Opp: 0/0 (0%) IP H R ER BB SO Inherited Runners/Runners Scored: 3/2 May 10 vs. New York 1.2 4 3 3 0 • Bruce allowed 2 inherited runs and 3 of his own after entering a 5-5 game in the sixth last Friday vs. New York...the 3 runs were his first earned tallies of the

year as he entered with just 2 unearned runs allowed through 11.2 innings.

Chen was 11-14 over 34 starts last year, recording a career-high 140 strikeouts in 191.2 innings...he led KC in wins each season from 2010 to 2012.

Tim Collins (L) Last Save: None

1st Batter Efficiency: 11/13 Saves/Save Opp: 0/1 (0%)

Inherited Runners/Runners Scored: 8/0 2013 Strikeout High: 4 on 4/7 @ Philly

Tim became the first reliever to appear in this series, working the eighth inning last night, allowing a hit and fanning a man.

Collins is 1-1 on the road this year, holding opponents to a 1.00 ERA (2 ER in 9.0 IP) and a .103 batting average (3-for-29)...his career road ERA is 1.65 (15

ER in 82.0 IP), compared to 5.77 at home (44 ER in 68.2 IP).

<u>Aaron Crow</u>

1st Batter Efficiency: 9/13 Last Save: April 8, 2013 vs. Min (3rd) Saves/Save Opp: 1/1 (100%) Last Outing: IP H R ER BB SO 2013 Strikeout High: 2 on 5/9 @ Baltimore 0.1 0 0 Inherited Runners/Runners Scored: 9/3 May 15 @ Los Angeles - 0 1 0 • Aaron made a second straight appearance at Angel Stadium on Wednesday, inheriting a bases-loaded situation with 2 outs in the sixth and KC leading 8-3...

he walked Mike Trout on 4 pitches, forcing in a run, then closed the inning by retiring Albert Pujols.

 Aaron recorded his first Major League save here in Oakland on April 10, 2012, following Danny Duffy's 6.0 innings with a perfect seventh in a rain-shortened 3-0 win.

J.C. Gutierrez. Last Save: Oct. 1, 2010 @ LAD (24th)

1st Batter Efficiency: 5/7 Saves/Save Opp: 0/0 (0%)

2013 Strikeout High: 3 on 5/10 vs. NYY Inherited Runners/Runners Scored: 1/0 May 10 vs. New York 0 • J.C.'s lone outing of May to date came last Friday when he entered with 1 on, 2 away and New York leading 10-6 in the seventh...he pitched the final 2.1 innings, scattering 5 hits and allowing a run in the ninth.

The 2.1 innings last Friday set a career high for J.C. as a reliever (154th relief appearance)...he also made 3 starts with Houston in 2007. •

Gutierrez is coming off Tommy John surgery in September, 2011...he posted 9 saves with the Diamondbacks in 2009 and 15 in 2010.

Kelvin Herrera

1st Batter Efficiency: 10/17 Saves/Save Opp: 2/3 (67%)	Last Save: April 10, 2013 vs. Min (5th)	Last Outing:	IP H R ER BB SO
Inherited Runners/Runners Scored: 3/2	2013 Strikeout High: 3 (2x, last 4/21 @ Bos)	May 15 @ Los Angeles	2.0 2 1 1 2 1
• Kelvin began the seventh on Wednesday with KC hol	ding a 9-4 lead over the Angelshe worked arou	nd a double and a walk in	his first inning, then allowed

a solo homer to Mike Trout in the eighth. Herrera has fanned at least 1 batter in 14 of his 17 outings, with his 23 strikeouts tied for 10th among A.L. relievers

• The 23-year old was 4-3 with a 2.35 ERA in 2012...he set a Royals rookie record with 76 appearances.

<u>Luke Hochevar</u>

Last Save: May 13, 2013 @ LAA (1st) 2013 Strikeout High: 5 (2x, last 4/28 vs. Cle) 1st Batter Efficiency: 6/10 Saves/Save Opp: 1/1 (100%) Last Outing: IP H R ER BB SO 3.0 3 1 1 0 4 Inherited Runners/Runners Scored: 3/3 May 13 @ LAA (Save) Luke worked the final 3.0 innings of Monday's 11-4 win over Los Angeles, allowing a run in the seventh...he earned his first professional save, becoming the

139th player in franchise history with at least 1 rescue.

The run charged to Hochevar on Monday came after 8 scoreless outings (11.1 IP)...he has a 1.17 ERA on the year (2 ER in 15.1 IP).

• Luke made 32 starts last year, finishing 8-16 with a 5.73 ERA in 185.1 innings...he set a career high with 144 strikeouts

Greg Holland

Last Outing: 1st Batter Efficiency: 12/15 Saves/Save Opp: 7/9 (78%) Last Save: May 1, 2013 vs. TB (27th) IP H R ER BB SO 2013 Strikeout High: 3 (2x, last 4/21 @ Bos) 1.0 0 0 0 0 0 Inherited Runners/Runners Scored: 0/0 May 15 @ Los Angeles Greg completed the 9-5 win with a 1-2-3 ninth on Wednesday at Angel Stadium.

Holland is averaging 13.5 strikeouts per 9.0 innings, which ties him for third among A.L. pitchers with at least 14.0 innings of work (21 SO in 14.0 IP). •

Holland made his Major League debut here on August 2, 2010, pitching the eighth inning of a 6-0 Oakland win. •

Greg saved both games of a split doubleheader on April 21 at Boston, becoming the first KC pitcher to record two saves in a day since 2002.

He was named 2012 Royals Pitcher of the Year after going 7-4 with a 2.96 ERA and 16 saves in 67 outings...Holland converted his first 13 save chances after taking over the closer's role on July 31.

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Chen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2-3	0	4.53	12	57.2	55	29
Collins	0-0	0	0.00	1	1.0	1	0	0-0	0	0.77	10	11.2	9	1
Crow	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0-0	1	3.86	6	4.2	8	2
Davis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2-1	0	5.85	6	20.0	23	13
Guthrie	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3-4	0	4.80	10	50.2	55	27
Gutierrez	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0-0	0	0.00	1	2.0	0	0
Herrera	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0-0	0	0.00	3	3.0	1	0
Hochevar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0-8	0	6.52	9	49.2	49	36
Holland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	1	1.86	8	9.2	7	2
Mendoza	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0-2	0	3.48	5	10.1	12	4
Santana	0-1	0	2.57	1	7.0	4	2	14-6	0	2.03	26	164.1	140	37
Shields	0-1	0	2.25	1	8.0	6	2	5-4	0	3.91	13	89.2	87	39

Last Outing: May 19 @ Oakland

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<u>Hitting Notes</u> This trip: 10-for-21 (.476), 3 2B, HR, 4 runs, 10 RBI Billy Butler This Series: 2-for-8, RBI Hit Streak: lg(2-4)Billy broke out of a mini 0-for-6 drought with a pair of hits last night, including the Royals lone RBI...he has hit .476 (10-for-21) thru 5 games of this trip ۰ He went 5-for-5 with 5 RBI Monday in Anaheim, his first 5-hit game since July 27, 2009 in Baltimore, the first 5-hit game by a Royal since Eric Hosmer vs. Detroit • on Sept. 20, 2011...it was the second 5-hit, 5-RBI game in franchise history, the other by Kevin Seitzer when he went 6-for-6 with 5 RBI on August 2, 1987. • His home run against the Yankees on May 11 was 500th career RBI, making him the 10th Royal to reach that total. He's had some clutch hits already this year, tying the May 5 game against the White Sox with a 2-out, 2-run double in the ninth inning, with KC winning in 10...he also drove in the tying run in the eighth inning of the nightcap on April 21 in Boston with a home run over the Green Monster, a game the Royals won, 5-4 in 10. He recorded a historic afternoon on April 7 in Philly, setting a career high and tying a club mark with 7 RBI, including his first career grand slam. Billy was a 2012 AL All-Star, the Silver Slugger (DH) and Edgar Martinez Award winner...among Royals players with at least 2,000 plate appearances, his .299 career average is second all-time to Hall of Famer George Brett (.305). • He led the club in all three Triple Crown categories in 2012 and is the first player in franchise history to lead or share the team lead for RBI in four consecutive seasons (2009-12)...among the Royals all-time top 10 in SLG, OBP, OPS, doubles, hits, at bats and RBI. This Series: 0-for-5, 2 BB This trip: 5-for-18 (.278), 4 runs, 2 2B, 5 RBI, 3 BB, 2 SB Lorenzo Cain Hit Streak: 0 g (0-6) Lorenzo was 0-for-4 last night and is looking to breakout here in O.Co, going 1-for-9 in his career here. • Cain is second in the league to Detroit's Miguel Cabrera with a .457 average with runners in scoring position (16-for-35). He recorded his third career 4-hit game on April 20 at Fenway, with a pair of doubles, his first homer of the year and 9 total bases, a team season high. • Cain missed a majority of the 2012 campaign due to left groin strain, torn hip flexor and right hamstring strain, playing just 61 games Alcides Escobar This Series: 0-for-8 This trip: 5-for-22 (.227), 4 runs, 2B, RBI Hit Streak: 0 g (0-11) Alcides has gone 0-for-4 on consecutive nights here and is in an 0-for-11 drought after picking up 5 hits in his first 11 at bats of this trip. • Esky is 8-for-8 in stolen bases, tying for fifth in thefts in the A.L...he's fourth-toughest to fan in the A.L. at 10.2 plate appearances per K (17 K's in 173 P.A.) He's in his third year with KC and comes off his finest offensive season batting .293 with a club-record 177 hits by a shortstop...was voted the Joe Burke Special Achievement Award winner by the KC chapter of the BBWAA...his .293 average in 2012 was second in baseball among all shortstops (D. Jeter, NYY, .303). • With a career high 30 doubles and 35 steals, became the first Royals to post a 30 double/30 steal season since Carlos Beltran (44 2B, 35 SB) in 2002. This trip: 0-for-7. BB <u>Jeff Francoeur</u> This Series: 0-for-3. BB Hit Streak: 0 g (0-8) Jeff was 0-for-3 with a walk last night, his second start thru five games of this trip...he is scuffling through a .108 month of May (4-for-37). Frenchy picked up his 119th career outfield assist May 6, the most in MLB since 2005...he is 32 clear of the Cubs' Alfonso Soriano, who is alone in second. ۰ • He had a tough offensive season in 2012, batting a career-low .235...led the entire Major Leagues with 19 outfield assists, tying his career high set in 2007... was 1 of 3 finalists for the Rawlings Gold Glove award in right field. This Series: Has not played This trip: 0-for-5 Chris Getz Hit Streak: 0 g (0-16) Getz has not played since an 0-for-5 on Monday in Anaheim and is 4-for-43 in his last 14 games...he hit .300 (12-for-40) over his first 12 games of the year. • His April 16 homer against the Braves was his first since July 19, 2009, as a member of the White Sox he took current Royals starter Jeremy Guthrie deep when he was pitching for Baltimore...it was the second longest active drought in the Majors at 954 at bats, 829 as a Royal. This Series: 2-for-7, run, 2B, BB This trip: 8-for-20 (.400), 4 runs, 2 2B, 2 BB *Hit Streak:* 6 g (10-24) Alex Gordon Alex was 1-for-3 with a double, walk and run scored last night...he extended his current streak to 6 games in which he's batted .417 (10-for-24)...he has batted .400 (14-for-35) since moving into the #3 spot in the order on May 9...he is the top two-out hitter in the Majors, batting .480 (24-for-50). He homered in all 3 games of the Baltimore series on May 7-9, the first time he's homered in 3-straight games, and first by a Royal since Billy Butler in 2011. • Gordon's 19 multi-hit games are tied with Miguel Cabrera, Dustin Pedroia and Jean Segura for first in the Majors...he is also fifth in the A.L. in hits (55) and has a .441 average with RISP (15-for-34), which is third in the league...he has hit safely in 32-of-39 games this year and reached base in 34 of 39. Alex hit his first career grand slam on April 25 in Detroit to give KC an 8-3 cushion in the 10th...his 4 RBI tied a career best, his fifth such contest. He had a 12-game hitting streak from April 3-16, which is tied for the third-longest in the A.L. this season, batting .396 (21-for-53) during the streak. • In 2012, led all of baseball with 51 doubles, tied with teammate Billy Butler (2009) for the second-most in Royals history...his 106 doubles since the start of 2011 are the most in the majors, one more than Robinson Cano...is ninth on the Royals all-time doubles list with 191, moving past David DeJesus (187). Eric Hosmer This Series: 1-for-7. BB This trip: 2-for-20 (.100), 2 runs, 2 BB *Hit Streak:* 0 g (0-6) Eric went 0-for-3 with a walk last night...he is batting .306 (15-for-49) with 3 doubles and 5 RBI in two-out situations. Hosmer broke a 144 at-bat homerless drought with a 2-run shot in Baltimore on May 9...it was his first roundtripper since Sept. 11, 2012. Despite his offensive struggles in 2012, he ended up 1 of 3 finalists for the Rawlings Gold Glove award at first base...he swiped 16 bases last year, which tied him with Jeff King for the most by a Royals first baseman. • He was the starting first baseman this spring for Team USA in the WBC, hitting .200 (5-for-25) with 5 RBI in 6 games. <u>Elliot Johnson</u> This Series: 0-for-6 This trip: 2-for-9 (.222), run, SB, BB Hit Streak: 0 g (0-7) Elliot has had consecutive 0-for-3's to open this series...despite the 0'fer, he is 11-for-32 (.344) with 5 runs scored in his last 10 starts. • • He hit his first Royals home run on May 1 against Tampa Bay...his first roundtripper since Sept. 11, 2012, when he was a member of the Rays. He joined KC as the player to be named on Feb. 12 in the 7-player trade with Tampa Bay that included James Shields and Wade Davis. George Kottaras This Series: Has not played This trip: 0-for-1 Hit Streak: 0 g (0-7)George went 0-for-1 Monday after entering the game in the eighth inning...he has 5 walks in 18 plate appearances for a .389 on-base percentage. • Kottaras hit his first home run as a Royal on April 21 at Fenway Park... in 12 at-bats he has a double and a home run for a .500 slugging percentage. He won the spring battle to serve as the Royals backup catcher...he is on his fifth-straight Opening Day roster after starting last season with Milwaukee. 29-year-old veteran backstop played for both the Brewers and A's in 2012...blasted 6 homers in 27 games for Oakland as the club went 17-8 in his 25 starts down the stretch and captured the A.L. West crown on the last day of the season. This Series: 2-for-4, 2B, RBI This trip: 2-for-4, 2B, RBI David Lough Hit Streak: 1 g (2-4) David was thrown into the fire on Friday night after being recalled earlier in the day, going 2-for-4 with a double and KC's lone RBI in the defeat...he also contributed an outfield assist, nabbing Brandon Moss trying to stretch a single into a double. He was hitting .340 (52-for-153) with 6 doubles, 3 triples, 3 homers, 29 runs scored and 5 stolen bases for the Storm Chasers, good for 11th in the PCL...he had a 16-game hitting streak from April 19 to May 8. Lough hit .237 with 2 doubles, a triple and 9 runs scored in 20 games for the Royals in 2012. Mike Moustakas This Series: 0-for-6, BB This trip: 1-for-20 (.050), 2B, BB *Hit Streak:* 0 g (0-10) Moose was 0-for-3 with a walk last night and is 1-for-20 with a double through 5 games of this trip. • He homered in 3-striaght games May 10-12, the first time he's accomplished that in his career. 2012 was his first full season in the majors, hitting 20 homers and becoming the first KC third baseman since Dean Palmer (26 as a 3B) in 1998 to record 20+. Mike, like Francoeur and Hosmer, was 1 of 3 finalists for the Rawlings Gold Glove award in 2012...finished second in the league in fielding pct. (.967), while leading A.L. third baseman in assists (312), total chances (454) and zone rating (.841)...also led all MLB third basemen with 41 double plays. Was the 2010 Sporting News Minor League Player of the Year as he tied for the minor league lead with 36 home runs and was second with 124 RBI. Salvador Perez. This Series: 3-for-7, run, 2 2B This trip: 9-for-18, 2 runs, 4 2B, 4 RBI Hit Streak: 9 g (14-35) Salvy had a pair of hits, including a double last night to extend his hitting streak to 9 games in which he's batted .389 (14-for-36)...he has also hit .377 during the month of May (20-for-53). Perez's 43 hits lead all American League catchers, trailing only Yadier Molina in the Majors (51)...Salvy's 7 runners caught stealing are second in the A.L. He extended his club record for pickoffs by a catcher with his first of the year and ninth career on April 20 at Boston, nabbing Daniel Nava at second base...

he led all MLB catchers last season with 5 pickoffs, 2 more than anyone else...5 pickoffs were a franchise single-season record.

• After returning from the D.L. last June 22, he led all A.L. catchers (min. 70 games caught) in average (.301), hits (87), runs (38) and doubles (16).

This Series: Has not played This trip: 1-for-3 Miguel Tejada

Miguel went 1-for-3 Tuesday, his only appearance on this road trip...he is 6 for his last 14 (.429).

• Tejada had a pinch single in the 2-run fifth on April 5 in Philly, scoring the first of 13 KC runs...he made the Royals as a non-roster invitee to spring training... he signed with the Royals as a minor league free agent on December 31, 2012...this is the 6-time All-Star's 14th career Opening Day roster.

Had a sensational winter and spring, batting .316 (6-for-19) and serving as a team leader for the undefeated 2013 WBC champion Dominican Republic...also named a Caribbean World Series All-Star while playing for Aguilas.

Tejada did not appear in the Majors last season, instead playing 36 games for Norfolk (AAA) in the Baltimore system.

The 2002 A.L. MVP is a career .285 batter with 304 home runs and 1,282 RBI for the A's (1997-2003), Orioles (2004-07, 2010), Astros (2008-09), Padres (2010) and Giants (2011).

Hit Streak: 1 g (1-3)



This & That

<u>YET ANOTHER ONE-RUN CONTEST</u>--Consecutive 2-1 defeats have dropped the Royals to 7-9 in one-run decisions, the second most single tally contests in 2013...the White Sox have gone 8-9 in a league leading 17 one-run games...coupled with a 4-3 mark in two-run outcomes, the Royals have had 59% of their games in the early going decided by two runs or less, going 11-12.

GORDO NABS ANOTHER ONE--Two-time Rawlings Gold Glove winner, Alex Gordon, displayed once again his ability to nab runners when he threw out an aggressive Eric Sogard at second base in the third inning last night in an effort to turn a single into a double...for Gordon, it was his third outfield assist of the year and the 11th by the Kansas City outfield this year, good for a tie with Milwaukee for third most in the Majors...since the 2011 season, the KC outfield last amassed 113 assists, which are 35 more than any other big league club, which is Houston with 78...since making the full-time move to the outfield in 2011, Gordon has turned in a big league best 40 assists from leftfield, 17 more than any other leftfielder, and two more than any other outfielder, which is teammate Jeff Francoeur with 38.

ERRORLESS STREAK--The Royals played their fifth consecutive errorless game in the field last night, the longest streak the club has amassed since playing the first 7 games of the year without a miscue...all told, Kansas City has committed 27 errors on the year, tying for the third most in the A.L.

TIGHT ERA RACE IN A.L.--The Royals are among a tightly packed group at the top of the American League ERA race, with Kansas City's 3.54 mark currently third in the A.L., trailing only Texas in second at 3.38 and the Yankees at 3.53...KC's rotation has 24 "Quality Starts" under its belt this year, a figure the Royals didn't reach last year until game #65 on June 18 en route to 69 on the season...James Shields is tied for first in the league with 8 quality outings.

GORDO ON HIT PARADE--Alex Gordon is currently fifth in the American League with 55 hits, while tying for the big league lead with Miguel Cabrera, Dustin Pedroia and Jean Segura for the big league lead with 19 multi-hit games, including 7 in his last 12 contests...a year ago after 39 games, Gordon had 10 multi-hit games and finished the campaign with 60, good for a third place tie in the American League.

TWO OUT SUCCESS CONTINUES--Kansas City's lone tally in last night's game occurred with two out in the first inning as the Royals continue to lead the Majors in two-out hitting with a .289 mark (129-for-447) with 75 RBI, or 45% of the overall team run output...Detroit ranks second with a .279 team mark while Cleveland is third in the bigs at .277...Alex Gordon remains the best 2-out hitter in the game in 2013 with a .480 average (24-for-50) when batting with two outs, featuring 5 doubles, a triple, 4 home runs and 16 RBI.

BARK AT THE PARK RETURNING--Kansas City will host its fifth annual Bark at the Park a week from today, as the Royals take on the Los Angeles Angels at 1:10...fans can sit alongside their dog in a designated section of the ballpark (sections 107-109 and 206-209) during this special event...in addition, there will be vendors and activities in the Outfield Experience...gates open at 11:30 a.m...the Bark at the Park ticket package includes both a human and canine game ticket and a Royals dog leash...also, \$3 from each ticket package will be donated to Wayside Waifs, an organization that specializes in pet adoption and is committed to helping homeless animals find a permanent home...additional tickets can be purchased for \$15...note that fans with two or more dogs must have an additional adult accompany the canine...tickets to Bark at the Park must be purchased prior to the day of the event...fans can register their dog at www.royals.com/bark.

FAITH & FAMILY DAY ON NEXT STAY--The Royals will host the Los Angeles Angels in a special 1:10 p.m. matinee game next Saturday, that will feature the annual Faith & Family Day festivities presented by Hobby Lobby...fans are encouraged to arrive at Kauffman Stadium early, as the first 10,000 fans will receive the first installment of the Hot Dog Derby Bobblehead series – Ketchup – presented by Hy-Vee and Farmland...Faith & Family Day will feature postgame appearances and speeches by current Royals player Luke Hochevar and his teammates, Angels outfielder Josh Hamilton, who credits his Christian faith with helping to overcome his battles with substance abuse, first baseman Albert Pujols, and Scott Dawson from Safe at Home...top performing Christian rock and modern worship group Crowder will then take the stage for a 45-minute concert...all festivities will take place inside Kauffman Stadium following the game, and a game ticket is required for admittance...Faith & Family Day fans may purchase tickets starting at just \$10 by visiting www.royals.com/faith.

MAKE-UP OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED--The Detroit Tigers notified the Royals that the rainout of April 23 will be made up as part of a split doubleheader on Friday, August 16 in Comerica Park...game times will be 12:05 and 6:05 (CDT)...Kansas City has had five games fall prey to a variety of interruptions including three by rain, one by snow after 3 1/2 innings were completed and also one by a manhunt in Boston...the only make-up game still remaining to be determined is the snowout of May 2 that will require Tampa Bay to make another trip to Kansas City.

TV MAKE-UPS--The Royals and FOX Sports Kansas City have announced a pair of postponement make-ups on the television schedule...the May 2 game that was snowed out after 3 1/2 innings against Tampa Bay will be made up by FSKC at the end of this road trip in Houston next Wednesday with first pitch slated for 7:05... the April 26 rainout vs. Cleveland will be made up on Wednesday, June 19, when the Royals complete a 3-game series in Cleveland.

<u>NED AS A ROYAL</u>--The 16th full-time manager in franchise history, Ned Yost, was named to his post on May 13, 2010 and has recorded a 218-272 ledger since taking the reins...included was a 72-90 mark a year ago...this is his second stint as a big league manager after nearly six full campaigns at the helm for the Milwaukee Brewers (2003-2008)...he compiled a 457-502 record with the Brew Crew including a 166-146 mark in his last two seasons...Yost, a catcher during his playing days, began his coaching career in the Atlanta organization, including 12 straight seasons on Bobby Cox's big league staff (1991-2002).

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Cain	.000	5	0	0	0	.143	14	2	0	1	.269	268	72	5	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Escobar	.000	8	0	0	0	.282	71	20	0	4	.266	1003	267	8	85	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Francoeur	.000	3	0	0	0	.242	99	24	3	14	.257	2303	592	66	287	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Getz	-	-	-	-	-	.115	61	7	0	5	.236	648	153	2	51	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gordon	.286	7	2	0	0	.203	143	29	4	13	.261	1460	381	45	154	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hosmer	.143	7	1	0	0	.313	67	21	2	8	.252	630	159	23	80	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Johnson	.000	6	0	0	0	.120	25	3	1	1	.257	253	65	7	35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kottaras	-	-	-	-	-	.300	10	3	0	0	.211	322	68	14	44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Perez	.429	7	3	0	0	.333	30	10	0	1	.310	313	97	10	42	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tejada	-	-	-	-	-	.256	156	40	3	18	.283	4201	1189	133	601	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Cat	cher/Pitch	er Matchuj	ps
(Te	am Record	d w/Starters	5)
Pitcher	Perez	Kottaras	Totals
Davis	5-3	-	5-3
Guthrie	5-2	1-0	6-2
Mendoza	2-2	0-1	2-3
Santana	4-4	-	4-4
Shields	3-6	-	3-6
Smith	-	0-1	0-1
Total	19-17	1-2	20-19
	Perez	Kottaras	Totals
Starts	36	3	39
CS/ATT	7/22	1/6	8/28
Pct.	31.8	16.7	28.6
Catcher PO	1	-	1
ERA	3.53	3.66	3.54
ER/IP	123/313.2	13/32.0	136/345.2
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Pitcher Picko	offs:	1 on 5/6 vs.	Chicago
Pickoff & C	S:	1 on 4/20 @) Boston

	<u>Starting</u>	Pitcher	s Breakd	<u>own</u>	
Pitcher	<u>GS</u>	Total KC <u>Runs</u>	Avg. Runs <u>Per Start</u>	Team <u>Record</u>	Quality <u>Starts</u>
Wade Davis	8	43	5.4	5-3	2
Jeremy Guthrie	8	37	4.6	6-2	5
Luis Mendoza	5	30	6.0	2-3	3
Ervin Santana	8	21	2.6	4-4	6
James Shields	9	34	3.8	3-6	8
Will Smith	1	3	3.0	0-1	0
Totals	39	169	4.3	20-19	24



2013 Royals Home Run Breakdown																								
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<u>Players</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>LHP</u>	RHP	Home	<u>Road</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	Game	Lead	<u>LF</u>	<u>LC</u>	<u>CF</u>	<u>RC</u>	<u>RF</u>	Record	Date	<u>Opp</u> .	Pitcher	<u>Since</u>
Butler	5	3	2	2	3	4	-	-	1	1	1	3	1	3	1	1	2	1	-	3-2	5/14/13	@ LAA	J. Vargas	13
Cain	1	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	0-1		@ BOS	A. Bailey	78
Escobar	3	1	2	1	2	3	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	3-0	4/28/13			79
Francoeur	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1-0	4/10/13	MIN	J. Roenicke	91
Getz	1	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	0-1	4/16/13	@ ATL	K. Medlen	46
Gordon	6	3	3	1	5	2	3	-	1	1	1	4	3	1	1	-	1	2	2	4-2		@ BAL	F. Garcia	34
Hosmer	1	-	1	1.	1		1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1-0		@ BAL	F. Garcia	32
Johnson	1	-	1	1	-													28						
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Moustakas	4	1	3	2	2	2	2	-	-	2	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	4	2-2	5/10/13	NYY	P. Hughes	29
Perez	1	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1-0	4/27/13	CLE	S. Kazmir	65
Tejada	-	- 1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- 1	-	-		-	- 1	-	-	-	-		7/16/11	@ SD	C. Luebke	50
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2013 Single-Game Bests

	Multi-Hit Games					Multi-RBI Games					RBI				Hitti	ng Streak	(S	Hits				
<u>Players</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6+</u>	<u>Total</u>	2	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6+</u>	<u>Total</u>	Tying 1	Go-Ahead	<u>2-out</u>	<u>5-10</u>	<u>11-15</u>	<u>16+</u>	Current	Long (3+)	<u>Infield</u>	<u>Bunt</u>
Butler	4	2	-	1	-	7	3	-	-	1	1	5	6	6	12	1	-	-	1 g	5 gm (2x)	1	-
Cain	8	3	1	-	-	12	5	1	-	-	-	6	5	4	10	2	-	-	0 g (6 gm (4/30-5/7)	5	-
Escobar	10	2	-	-	-	12	2	-	-	-	-	2	1	3	3	2	-	-	0 g	9 g (4/17-28)	6	-
Francoeur	6	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	4	6	1	-	-	0 g	7 gm (4/4-10)	6	-
Getz	1	2	-	-	-	3	1	1	-	-	-	2	1	1	3	-	-	-	0 g	4 gm (4/10-16)	3	2
Gordon	15	4	-	-	-	19	5	1	1	-	-	7	7	5	16	3	1	-		12 gm (4/3-16)	6	-
Hosmer	5	1	1	-	-	7	2	-	1	-	-	3	1	-	5	-	-	-	1 g	4 gm (2x)	6	-
Johnson	4	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		4 gm (4/30-5/8)	4	1
Kottaras	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0 g	-	-	-
Lough	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1 g	-	-	-
Moustakas	2	2	-	-	-	4	1	1	-	-	-	2	1	2	4	-	-	-		5 gm (4/28-5/4)	-	-
Perez	10	2	-	-	-	12	4	-	-	-	-	4	-	5	8	3	-	-		9 gm (5/9-pres.)	-	-
Tejada	2	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	_	-	-	1 g	-	2	-

No-Hitter by the Royals: Bret Saberhagen, Aug. 26, 1991 vs. Chicago (Royals 7-0) No-Hitter vs. Royals: Jon Lester, May 19, 2008 @ Boston in Fenway Park (Red Sox 7-0) One-Hitter by the Royals (complete game): Zack Greinke, August 30, 2009 at Seattle (Royals 3-0) One-Hitter vs. Royals (complete game):

- (Royals 3-0)
 One-Hitter vs. Royals (complete game): Scott Baker, Minnesota, August 31, 2007 (Game 2) at Metrodome (Twins 5-0)
 Two-Hitter by the Royals (complete game): James Shields, April 13, 2013 vs. Toronto (Blue Jays 3.2)

- Two-Hitter by the Royals (complete game): James Shields, April 13, 2013 vs. Toronto (Blue Jays 3-2)
 Two-Hitter vs. Royals (complete game): JeffNiemann, Tampa Bay, June 3, 2009 at Tropicana Field (Rays, 9-0)
 Back-to-Back Complete Game Wins by the Royals: Brian Bannister and Zack Greinke, April 13-14, 2008 vs. Minnesota (5-1) and at Seattle (5-1)
 Back-to-Back Shutouts by the Royals: Sept 29-30, 1992 at California (2-0 and 4-0)
 Back-to-Back Shutouts vs. Royals: May 22-23, 2009 @ St Louis (5-0 and 5-0)
 Three Straight Shutouts vs. Royals: July 5-7, 2004 at Minnesota (9-0, 4-0, 12-0)
 10+ Innings Pitched by a Royals starter: Kevin Appier, July 23, 1992 at Cleveland (10.0)
 10+ Strikeouts by a Royals starter: Luke Hochevar, August 21, 2012 at Tampa Bay (10)
 Shutout by the Royals (Complete Game): Jeremy Guthrie, May 4, 2013 vs. Chicago White Sox (Royals 2-0)
 Shutout by the Royals (Combined): April 28, 2013 vs. Cleveland (G1) (9-0); Guthrie (6.2), Collins (0.1), Hochevar (2.0)

The Last Time...

- Triple Play by the Royals: June 11, 2006 vs. Tampa Bay (DeJesus-Elarton-Berroa-Teahen with Branyan batting, 2nd inning)
- Berroa-Teahen with Branyan batting, 2nd inning) **Triple Play vs. Royals:** April 20, 2012 vs. Toronto at Kauffman Stadium, (6-3, Hosmer batting, 3rd inning) **Royal hit for the cycle:** George Brett, July 25, 1990 @ Toronto **Opponent hit for the cycle:** Jeff DaVanon, Anaheim, August 25, 2004 at Angels Stadium **Royal Five-Hit Game:** Billy Butler May 13, 2013 @ Los Angeles Angels (5-

- Billy Butler, May 13, 2013 @ Los Angeles Angels (5-for-5) Royal Six-Hit Game:
- Joe Randa, Sept. 9, 2004 at Detroit-Game 1 (6-for-7)

- Royal Six-Hit Game: Joe Randa, Sept. 9, 2004 at Detroit-Game 1 (6-for-7)
 Royals Two Hits, One Inning: Eric Hosmer, August 20, 2011 vs. Boston (6th inning)
 Royals Five-RBI Game: Billy Butler, May 13, 2013 @ Los Angeles Angels
 Royals Six-RBI Game: (12 times) last: Billy Butler, April 7, 2013 @ PHI
 Royals Position Player Pitching: Mitch Maier, April 15, 2012 vs. Cleveland
 Opponent Position Player Pitching: A.L.: Bill Hall, Boston, May 28, 2010 at Fenway Park; N.L.: D'Angelo Jimenez, San Diego, June 30, 2002 at Kauffman Stadium
 Royals Pitcher Homered: Zack Greinke, June 10, 2005 @ Arizona
 Royals Pitcher With a Hit: Jeremy Guthrie, April 16, 2013 @ Atlanta
 Royals Pitcher With a RBI: Vin Mazzaro, June 9, 2012 @ Pittsburgh
 Royals Three or more Steals, One Game: Gregor Blanco, August 13, 2010 vs. New York Yankees (3)

Errorless Streaks													
<u>Player</u>	<u>Streak</u>	<u>Last Error</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Streak</u>	Last Error								
ROYALS	5	5/12/13 vs. NYY	Gordon	21	4/21/13 @ BOS (G2)								
Pitchers	10	5/7/13 @ BAL	Hosmer	16	4/28/13 vs. CLE (G2)								
Butler	6	10/2/12 vs. DET	Johnson	24	9/5/12 vs. NYY								
Cain	27	4/10/13 vs. MIN	Kottaras	1	5/8/13 @ BAL								
Dyson	6	4/14/13 vs. TOR	Lough	1	10/1/12 vs. DET								
Escobar	8	5/9/13 @ BAL	Moustakas	5	5/12/13 vs. NYY								
Francoeur	7	5/6/13 vs. CWS	Perez	5	5/12/13 vs. NYY								
Getz	6	4/28/13 vs. CLE (G2)	Tejada	3	4/27/13 vs. CLE								

- Opponent Three or more Steals, One Game: Ben Revere, Minnesota, September 14, 2011 at KC (3 SB)
 Royals Steal of Home: Jeff Francoeur, at Baltimore, August 11, 2012 (6th inning) on double steal
 Opponent Steal of Home: Brett Lawrie, Toronto, April 22, 2012 at Kauffman Stadium (8th inning) on double steal
 Royals Suspended Game: June 15-16, 2001 at Milwaukee, 4-2 (Power Outage).
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 Royals Home Run in first ML at bat: Jon Nunnally, April 29, 1995 vs. New York (Melido Perez pitching, 1st inning)
 Royals Home Run in 4 Consecutive Games: Billy Butler, July 26-29, 2011
 Royals 0-0 Game After 9 innings: September 9, 2012 at Chicago (KC won 2-1 in 10 innings)
 Royals Walk-Off Win: May 5 vs. Chicago (6-5 in 10) 2 times in 2013
 Royals Bat Around: May 15, 2013 @ Los Angeles Angels (3rd inning, 7 runs) 7 times in 2013 Three-game sweep by Royals at Kauffman Stadium: April 8-10, 2013 vs. Minnesota
 Three-game sweep by Royals on the road: July 5-7, 2010 @ Seattle
 Four-game sweep by Royals on the road: May 7-10, 1999 at Minnesota
 Three-game sweep by Royals on the road: May 10-12, 2013 vs. New York Yankees
 Three-game sweep by opposition at Kauffman Stadium: May 10-12, 2013 vs. New York Yankees
 Three-game sweep by opposition on the road: July 6-8, 2012 at Detroit
 Four-game sweep by opposition on the road: July 6-8, 2012 us theroit
 Four-game sweep by opposition at Kauffman Stadium: May 10-12, 2013 vs. New York Yankees

- Four-game sweep by opposition at Kauffman Stadium: April 20-23, 2012 vs. Toronto
- Four-game sweep by opposition on the road: September 24-27, 2012 at Detroit



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2013 Transactions

Date	Player	Transaction	Date	Player	Transaction
2/12	INF/OF-Elliot Johnson	Acquired as player to be named in December 9, 2012 trade	3/25	OF-David Lough	Optioned to Omaha
		with the Tampa Bay Rays		LHP-George Sherrill	Released from minor league contract
	RHP-Felipe Paulino	Placed on 60-Day D.L. (rehab from Tommy John surgery)		OF-Xavier Nady	Released from minor league contract
3/8	LHP-Noel Arguelles	Optioned to Northwest Arkansas	3/27	OF-Desmond Henry	Acquired as player to be named in November 8, 2012
	LHP-Ryan Verdugo	Assigned to minor league camp			trade with Texas
	RHP-Sugar Ray Marimor	Assigned to minor league camp		LHP-George Sherrill	Signed to minor league contract with invitation to spring
	C-Manuel Pina	Assigned to minor league camp			training
	C-Julio Rodriguez	Assigned to minor league camp		OF-Xavier Nady	Signed to minor league contract with invitation to spring
	OF-Luis Durango	Assigned to minor league camp			training
3/12	LHP-Chris Dwyer	Optioned to Omaha		LHP-Donnie Joseph	Optioned to Omaha
	LHP-Justin Marks	Optioned to Omaha		LHP-Francisley Bueno	Optioned to Omaha
	LHP-John Lamb	Optioned to Northwest Arkansas		INF-Irving Falu	Optioned to Omaha
3/13	RHP-Guillermo Moscoso	Requested Unconditional Release Waivers			Assigned to minor league camp
3/15	RHP-Guillermo Moscoso	Claimed on Waivers by Toronto	3/28	C-Max Ramirez	Assigned to minor league camp
3/18	LHP-Everett Teaford	Optioned to Omaha		RHP-Louis Coleman	Optioned to Omaha
	LHP-Will Smith	Optioned to Omaha		RHP-Dan Wheeler	Assigned to minor league camp
	RHP-Nate Adcock	Optioned to Omaha	3/29	C-Brett Hayes	Assigned outright to Omaha and accepted assignment
	RHP-Blaine Boyer	Assigned to minor league camp		LHP-George Sherrill	Assigned to minor league camp
	RHP-Michael Mariot	Assigned to minor league camp		OF-Xavier Nady	Assigned to minor league camp
	RHP-Brian Sanches	Assigned to minor league camp	3/31	LHP-Danny Duffy	Placed on 15-day D.L. (rehab from Tommy John surgery)
	RHP-Yordano Ventura	Assigned to minor league camp		INF-Miguel Tejada	Contract selected from Omaha
	C-Adam Moore	Assigned to minor league camp	4/21	LHP-Will Smith	Recalled from Omaha
	INF-Christian Colon	Assigned to minor league camp		LHP-Will Smith	Optioned to Omaha (postgame)
	INF-Anthony Seratelli	Assigned to minor league camp	4/28	LHP-Will Smith	Recalled from Omaha
	INF-Brandon Wood	Assigned to minor league camp		LHP-Will Smith	Optioned to Omaha (postgame)
	OF-Will Taveras	Assigned to minor league camp	5/9	3B-Brandon Wood	Traded to Baltimore Orioles
3/20	OF-Endy Chavez	Released from minor league contract	5/17	OF-Jarrod Dyson	Placed on 15-day D.L. (right ankle sprain-retro to May 16)
3/23	2B-Johnny Giavotella	Optioned to Omaha		OF-David Lough	Recalled from Omaha
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Royals Ejections

<u>Note</u>

<u>Date</u> Player/Coach

The Lineup Card

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Starts by Batting Order (team record)

- 1st: Cain (0-2), Dyson (2-1), Escobar (1-2), Gordon (17-13), Lough (0-1)
- **2nd:** Cain (1-2), Escobar (19-17)
- **3rd:** Butler (16-12), Gordon (3-6), Hosmer (1-1)
- 4th: Butler (3-6), Hosmer (9-7), Moustakas (4-2), Perez (4-4)
- **5th:** Cain (9-10), Francoeur (1-0), Hosmer (4-6), Moustakas (1-1), Perez (5-2)
- 6th: Cain (4-1), Francoeur (2-3), Hosmer (4-2), Moustakas (9-8), Perez (1-5)
- 7th: Cain (1-3), Francoeur (13-7), Johnson (1-1), Moustakas (4-6), Perez (1-1),
- Tejada (0-1) 8th: Cain (3-0), Dyson (3-1), Francoeur (1-6), Getz (3-1), Johnson (0-2),
- Kottaras (1-2), Perez (8-5), Tejada (1-2)
- 9th: Dyson (0-2), Getz (11-8), Johnson (5-6), Tejada (1-1), Pitchers (3-2)

Starts by Position (team record)
Davis (5-3), Guthrie (6-2), Mendoza (2-3), Santana (4-4), Shields (

(3-6),

- Smith (0-1)
- Kottaras (1-2), Perez (20-17) C:
- **1B:** Butler (2-2), Hosmer (18-16), Tejada (0-1)
- 2B: Getz (14-9), Johnson (5-9), Tejada (1-1)
 3B: Moustakas (18-17), Johnson (1-0), Tejada (1-2)
- **SS:** Escobar (20-19)
- LF: Gordon (20-19)
- **CF:** Cain (15-15), Dyson (5-4)
- **RF:** Cain (3-2), Francoeur (17-16), Lough (0-1)
- **DH:** Butler (17-16), Cain (0-1)

Daily Update																
Score by Innings																
<u>1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 Total</u>																
Royals	17	9	24	17	28	23	21	14	8	7	-	-	-	-	-	168
Opponents	23	19	20	14	19	19	13	14	11	-	1	-	-	-	-	153
						J	Victory	Margin								
	<u>1</u>	2	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	5	<u>6</u>	Z	8	<u>9</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>15</u> +	
Royals	7	4	2	2	1	1	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Opponents	9	3	2	2	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	

Lineup Pro	Lineup Production			By the Days		Multi-Run Innings for Royals						
Batting Order -	HR	RBI	Monday	2-3	# <u>of</u> runs		<u>#_times</u>	last_time_				
1st -	5	26	Tuesday	2-3	2 runs	-	19	May 13 at Los Angeles (3rd, 3 hits)				
2nd -	3	17	Wednesday	4-3	3 runs	-	12	May 13 at Los Angeles (6th, 4 hits)				
3rd -	4	27	Thursday	3-0	4 runs	-	5	May 9 at Baltimore (4th, 4 hits)				
4th -	2	18	Friday	1-3	5 runs	-	3	May 1 vs. Tampa Bay (6th, 5 hits)				
5th - 6th -	2	13 18	Saturday	2-5	6 runs	-	-	-				
7th -	4	16	Sunday	6-2	7 runs	-	1	May 15 @ Los Angeles (3rd, 5 hits)				
8th -	2	20										
9th -	2	9										

Royals Record When:

Lead after six innings:	16-4	Tied after six innings:	1-1	Trail after six innings:	3-14
Lead after seven innings:	15-3	Tied after seven innings:	1-3	Trail after seven innings:	4-13
Lead after eight innings:	16-2	Tied after eight innings:	3-0	Trail after eight innings:	1-17
Starter works more than 6.0 IP:	10-8	Starter works 6.0 IP:	6-6	Starter works less than 6.0 IP:	4-5
Score first:	10-7	Opponents score first:	10-12	In the last turn at bat (KC/OPP):	5/5
Score more than three runs:	13-3	Score three runs or less:	7-16	Walkoff wins (KC/OPP):	2/1
Hit home run:	11-7	Do not homer:	9-12	Comeback wins (KC/OPP):	12/7
Series opener:	6-8	Series finale:	9-3	Errorless games by KC:	12-9
10 or more hits:	11-2	Opponents 10 or more hits:	5-4		

Disabled List (3)

			Disabica List (5)			
<u>Player</u>	D.L. Type	<u>Injury</u>	Dates on D.L.	Eligible for reinstatement	Games Missed	Team Record
LHP-Danny Duffy	15-day	Recovery from Tommy John surgery	March 31	April 15	39	20-19
RHP-Felipe Paulino	60-day	Recovery from Tommy John surgery	February 12	May 30	39	20-19
OF-Jarrod Dyson	15-day	Right ankle sprain	May 17 (retroactive to May 16)	May 31	2	0-2



<u>Team Batting</u> Most runs, game Most runs, extra-inning game Most hits, game Most hits, extra-inning game Fewest hits, game Most runs, inning Most hits, inning Most doubles, game Most doubles, extra-inning game Most triples, game Most triples, extra-inning game Most home runs, game Most home runs, extra-inning game Most home runs, inning Most extra-base hits, game Most extra-base hits, extra-inning game Most steals, game Most times caught stealing, game Most sacrifice flies, game Most sacrifices, game Most strikeouts, game Most strikeouts, extra-inning game Most walks, game Most walks, extra-inning game Most left on base, game Most left on base, extra-inning game Fewest left on base, game Fewest left on base, extra-inning game Most double plays turned Most errors, game Individual Batting: Most hits, game Most hits, extra-inning game Must runs, game Most doubles, game Most triples, game

Most home runs, game Most RBI, game Most RBI, extra-inning game Most total bases, game Most total bases, extra-inning game Most walks, game Most stolen bases, game Longest hitting streak (min. 5 games)

Individual Pitching: Most innings pitched, starter Most innings pitched, reliever Most strikeouts, starter Most strikeouts, reliever Most walks, starter Most walks, reliever Most runs allowed Most home runs allowed Consecutive scoreless innings, starter Consecutive scoreless innings, reliever Longest winning streak (2 or more) Team Miscellaneous:

- Longest winning streak, overall Longest winning streak, home Longest winning streak, road Longest losing streak, overall Longest losing streak, home Longest losing streak, road Longest game-inning, home Longest game-inning, road Longest game-time, home Longest game-time, road Longest game-time (extra-innings, home) Longest game-time (extra-innings, road) Shortest game-time home Shortest game-time road Shortest game-time (extra-innings, home) Shortest game-time (extra-innings, road) Largest crowd-home Smallest crowd-home Largest crowd-road Smallest crowd-road Largest winning margin Largest losing margin Largest deficit overcome to win Largest lead lost
- **Miscellaneous Statistics** <u>Royals</u> <u>Opponents</u> April 5 @ Philadelphia May 10 vs. New York Yankees 13 April 25 @ Detroit Twice, last: May 13 @ Los Angeles May 5 vs. Chicago May 10 vs. New York Yankees 8 5 16 April 25 @ Detroit April 29 vs. Cleveland May 5 vs. Chicago April 13 vs. Toronto 14 10 May 15 @ Los Angeles (3rd inning) April 29 vs. Cleveland (5th inning) 6 Twice, last: April 30 vs. Tampa Bay (6th inning) May 13 @ Los Angeles May 10 vs. New York Yankees (6th inning) Twice, last: May 10 vs. New York Yankees 5 April 25 @ Detroit Twice, last: May 4 vs. Chicago April 21 @ Boston (G2) April 28 vs. Cleveland (G2) 4 2 May 9 @ Baltimore April 16 @ Atlanta April 21 @ Boston (G2) Twice, last: May 9 @ Baltimore (4th inning) Twice, last: May 5 vs. Chicago April 16 @ Atlanta (8th inning) May 10 vs. New York Yankees April 5 @ Philadelphia 8 April 25 @ Detroit Twice, last: April 30 vs. Tampa Bay April 21 @Boston (G2) Five times, last: May 14 @ Los Angeles Angels Five times, last: May 17 @ Oakland Twice, last: April 30 vs. Tampa Bay Eight times, last: May 11 vs. New York Yankees April 28 vs. Cleveland (G2) 1 multiple times May 13 @ Los Angeles multiple times April 7 @ Philadelphia April 21 @ Boston (G2) April 7 @ Philadelphia May 5 vs. Chicago May 6 vs. Chicago 12 9 May 6 vs. Chicago April 24 @ Detroit April 21 @ Boston (G2) April 10 vs. Minnesota April 21 @ Boston (G2) 8 6 6 10 May 4 vs. Chicago 12 May 5 vs. Chicago 11 April 13 vs. Toronto April 25 @ Detroit Twice, last: May 10 vs. New York Yankees 5 May 6 vs. Chicago 3 April 20 @ Boston 3 May 7 @ Baltimore 3 Thrice, last: May 8 @ Baltimore Twice, last: April 16 @ Atlanta 5 Butler (May 13 @ Los Angeles) Gordon (April 21 @ Boston), Butler (April 25 @ Detroit), Cain (May 5 vs. Chicago) Gordon (April 7 @ Philadelphia, April 21 @ Boston), Cain (April 20 @ Boston) 3 3 Cain (April 20 @ Boston and May 15 @ Los Angeles), Butler (May 13 @ Los Angeles) multiple players 2 multiple players Butler (April 7 @ Philadelphia) - ties franchise record (12th time) Gordon (April 25 @ Detroit) 4 Cain (April 20 @ Boston) Gordon (April 21 @ Boston, G2) q Twice: Moustakas (April 28 vs. Cleveland-G1), Butler (April 13 vs. Toronto) multiple players 12 Gordon (April 3-16) Shields (April 13 vs. Toronto), Guthrie (May 4 vs. Chicago) Chen (April 10 vs. Minnesota, April 28 vs. Cleveland-G2), Hochevar (May 13 @ Los Angeles) Guthrie (April 4 at Chicago), Shields (May 6 vs. Chicago, May 17 @ Oakland) Hochevar (April 28 vs. Cleveland-G1, April 12 vs. Toronto) 9.0 3.0 9 5 Guthrie (April 21 at Boston, G2), Davis (April 24 at Detroit) Holland (April 6 at Philadelphia), Mendoza (April 24 at Detroit) 4 Mendoza (April 12 vs. Toronto), Davis (April 29 vs. Cleveland) Guthrie (May 14 @ Los Angeles Angels) 8 Guthrie (April 21-May 9) Hochevar (April 5-May 9) 17.211.1 5 Guthrie (April 4-May 9) April 7-10, April 30-May 5 April 30-May 5 4 4 April 4-5, April 21 May 6-8, May 10-12 May 6-current April 1-3, May 7-8, May 17-current 4 May 6 vs. Chicago April 21 @ Boston (G2) and April 25 @Detroit 11 10 3:16 May 1 vs. Tampa Bay 3:36 May 15 @ Los Angeles May 5 vs. Chicago 3:36 April 21 at Boston (G2) May 4 vs. Chicago 3:11 2:18 May 8 at Baltimore May 6 vs. Chicago 2:17 3:14 April 21 at Boston (G2) 3:11 40,073 April 8 vs. Minnesota April 10 vs. Minnesota 10,069
 - 45,307
 - April 5 at Philadelphia May 8 at Baltimore 12,344
 - April 28 vs. Cleveland (G1) (9-0), April 5 at Philadelphia (13-4) April 29 vs. Cleveland (9-0) May 1 vs. Tampa Bay (trailed 6-1 after 3.5 inn, won 9-8) April 24 at Detroit (led 4-1 in the third)

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Upcoming Milestones												
Billy Butler 8 hits to 1,000 1 HR to tie for 10th on KC all-time list (B. Jackson-109)	Alcides Escobar	17 stolen bases to 100	Alex Gordon	12 home runs for 100 7 doubles for 200								
25 doubles to 250	Jeff Francoeur	4 doubles to 250		7 doubles for 200								
6 RBI to tie for 8th on KC all-time list (C. Beltran-516) 108 games for 1,000		12 home runs to 150	Ervin Santana	1 win for 100								
5 games to tie for 9th on KC all-time list (J. Mayberry-897) 45 hits to tie for 8th on KC all-time list (Fred Patek-1,036)	Chris Getz	29 stolen bases to 100	James Shields	11 wins to 100								
			Miguel Tejada	36 doubles to 500								



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<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>D/N</u>	<u>W-L</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>Record</u>	Pos.	<u>GB</u>	Winning <u>Pitcher</u>	Losing <u>Pitcher</u>	Save	<u>Att.</u>	Home <u>No.</u>	Home <u>Total</u>	Road <u>No.</u>	Road <u>Total</u>
April ((14-10)														
4/1	at CWS	D	L	0-1	0-1	T4	-1.0	Sale	Shields (0-1)	Reed	39,012			1	39,012
4/3	at CWS	D	L	2-5	0-2	5	-2.0	Peavy	Santana (0-1)	Reed	14,213			2	53,225
4/4	at CWS	D	W	3-1	1-2	T4	-1.0	Guthrie (1-0)	Floyd	Holland (1)	15,036			3	68,261
4/5	at Phi	D	W	13-4	2-2	T1	-	Chen (R, 1-0)	Kendrick		45,307			4	113,568
4/6	at Phi	Ν	L	3-4	2-3	T4	-1.0	Bastardo	Holland (R, 0-1)		39,475			5	153,043
4/7	at Phi	D	W	9-8	3-3	Т3	-1.0	Shields (1-1)	Hamels	Herrera (1)	39,451			6	192,494
4/8	Min	D	W	3-1	4-3	T2	-0.5	Santana (1-1)	Correia	Crow (1)	40,073	1	40,073		
4/9	Min	Ν	W	7-4	5-3	1	+0.5	Guthrie (2-0)	Pelfrey	Holland (2)	11,697	2	51,770		
4/10	Min	Ν	W	3-0	6-3	1	+1.5	Davis (1-0)	Hendriks	Herrera (2)	10,069	3	61,839		
4/12	Tor	Ν	L	4-8	6-4	1	+1.0	Нарр	Mendoza (0-1)	Loup	13,049	4	74,888		
4/13	Tor	Ν	L	2-3	6-5	T1	-	Dickey	Shields (C, 1-2)	Janssen	21,960	5	96,848		
4/14	Tor	D	W	3-2	7-5	T1	-	Herrera (R, 1-0)	Oliver		29,057	6	125,905		
4/16	at Atl	Ν	L	3-6	7-6	2	-1.0	O'Flaherty	Herrera (R, 1-1)		26,400			7	218,894
4/17	at Atl	D	W	1-0	8-6	2	-1.0	Davis (2-0)	Minor	Holland (3)	23,018			8	241,912
4/19	at Bos	Ν		Postpo	oned due	to Bos	ton poli	ce situation Made u	p April 21 as part of d	lay/night doubleh	neader				
4/20	at Bos	D	L	3-4	8-7	T1	-	Buchholz	Herrera (R, 1-2)	Bailey	35,152			9	277,064
4/21	at Bos (1)	D	W	4-2	9-7	-	-	Santana (2-1)	Dempster	Holland (4)	31,483			10	308,547
	at Bos (2)	Ν	W	5-4 (10)		1	+1.0	Herrera (R, 2-2)	Miller	Holland (5)	33,270			11	341,817
4/23	at Det	Ν		-				e up scheduled as par		0		and 6:	05 CDT)		
4/24	at Det	Ν	L	5-7	10-8	1	+0.5	Scherzer	Davis (2-1)	Valverde	30,347			12	372,164
4/25	at Det	D	W	8-3 (10)		1	+1.5	Collins (R, 1-0)	Coke		30,321			13	402,485
4/26	Cle	Ν						e up scheduled for Su							
4/27	Cle	Ν	W	3-2	12-8	1	+1	Santana (3-1)	Kazmir	Holland (6)	19,224	7	145,129		
4/28	Cle (1)	D	W	9-0	13-8	-	-	Guthrie (3-0)	Masterson		22,001	8	167,130		
	Cle (2)	N	L	3-10	13-9	1	+0.5	Kluber	Smith (0-1)		19,831	9	186,961		
4/29	Cle	N	L	0-9	13-10	2	-0.5	Jimenez	Davis (2-2)		14,255	10	201,216		
4/30	TB	Ν	W	8-2	14-10	2	-0.5	Shields (2-2)	Cobb		12,738	11	213,954		
May (6-9)														
5/1	TB	Ν	W	9-8	15-10	1	+0.5	Chen (R, 2-0)	McGee	Holland (7)	11,514	12	225,468		
5/2	TB	D						makeup date announc			,		,		
5/3	CWS	N						eup scheduled for Mo		.m.					
5/4	CWS	Ν	W	2-0	16-10	2	-0.5	Guthrie (C,4-0)	Axelrod		19,957	13	245,425		
5/5	CWS	D	W	6-5 (10)	17-10	2	-0.5	Holland (R, 1-1)	Omogrosso		16,462	14	261,887		
5/6	CWS	D	L	1-2 (11)		2	-1.0	Crain	Herrera (R, 2-3)	Reed	15,576	15	277,463		
5/7	at Bal	Ν	L	3-4	17-12	2	-1.5	Hunter	Collins (R, 1-1)	Johnson	12,921			14	415,406
5/8	at Bal	Ν	L	3-5	17-13	2	-1.5	Tillman	Mendoza (0-2)	Johnson	12,344			15	427,750
5/9	at Bal	Ν	W	6-2	18-13	2	-0.5	Guthrie (5-0)	Garcia		23,282			16	451,032
5/10	NYY	Ν	L	6-11	18-14	2	-1.5	Hughes	Davis (2-3)		24,521	16	301,984		
5/11	NYY	Ν	L	2-3	18-15	3	-1.5	Pettitte	Shields (2-3)	Rivera	30,910	17	332,894		
5/12	NYY	D	L	2-4	18-16	3	-1.5	Kuroda	Santana (3-2)	Rivera	29,515	18	362,409		
5/13	at LAA	Ν	W	11-4	19-16	3	-1.5	Mendoza (1-2)	Blanton	Hochevar (1)	32,203			17	483,235
5/14	at LAA	Ν	L	2-6	19-17	3	-2.5	Vargas	Guthrie (5-1)		33,028			18	516,263
5/15	at LAA	Ν	W	9-5	20-17	3	-1.5	Davis (3-3)	Enright		31,917			19	548,180
5/17	at Oak	Ν	L	1-2	20-18	3	-2.0	Doolittle	Shields (C, 2-4)	Balfour	14,602			20	562,782
5/18	at Oak	Ν	L	1-2	20-19	3	-3.0	Milone	Santana (3-3)	Balfour	35,067			21	597,849
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5/21	at Hou	Ν													
5/22	at Hou	Ν													
5/23	LAA	Ν													

NW Arkansas Naturals (AA) **Omaha Storm Chasers (AAA)** Wilmington Blue Rocks (A-Advanced) Pacific Coast League Texas League Carolina League American Conference, Northern Division North Division Northern Division (20-20) (14-26) (19-23) $\frac{R}{4} \frac{H}{5} \frac{E}{1} \frac{LOB}{5}$ 11 11 0 7 $\frac{R}{9} \frac{H}{10} \frac{E}{0} \\
 4 \ 6 \ 2$ LOB Tulsa (Rockies) Myrtle Beach (Rangers) Las Vegas (Mets) 6 5 NW Arkansas Wilmington **O**maha WP: Brooks Pounders (1-1) LP: Chris Dwver (3-2) WP: Cody Fassold (4-3) HR: Johnny Giavotella (#5), Xavier Nady (#6) Orlando Calixte (#1), Matt Fields (#10), SV: Malcom Culver (1) HR: Brett Eibner (#3) HR: Kenny Swab (#2) The Storm Chasers dropped a second straight game as Las Vegas posted multiple runs in four separate frames. Chris Dwyer allowed a season-high seven runs (four earned) on Northwest Arkansas snapped a six-game slide as the Kenny Swab's two-run homer in the sixth lifted series moved from Tulsa to Springdale. The Naturals received two-run homers from Orlando Calixte, Matt Fields and Brett Wilmington to a 5-4 win. Swab also tripled home a pair in the second. Starter Kyle Smith held Myrtle Beach scoreless through the third, finishing with three runs allowed over 4.2 seven hits and two walks over 6.0 innings. Buddy Baumann Eibner. Calixte's blast started the scoring and was his first in Double-A. Brooks Pounders scattered three hits and two made his Triple-A debut, holding the 51s scoreless over 2.0 innings. Smith, KC's fourth-round pick in 2011, fanned seven and has 45 in 42.0 innings. Cody Fassold (3.1 IP, 2 H, innings. Johnny Giavotella hit a two-run homer in the third and Xavier Nady added a solo shot in the sixth. walks over 5.0 scoreless innings, earning his first Double-A win. Tulsa's runs came on a grand slam in the eighth. 1 ER) notched his fourth win, tops on the team. Lexington Legends (A) Idaho Falls Chukars (R) Burlington Royals (R) Surprise Royals (R) South Atlantic League Pioneer League Appalachian League Arizona League Southern Division South Division East Division West Division (21-21) Begin play June 20 vs. AZL Rangers Begin play June 20 vs. Orem (Angels) Begin play June 20 vs Pulaski (Mariners) Game One (7 innings) \underline{R} \underline{H} \underline{E} <u>LOB</u> Lexington $\begin{array}{cccc}1&2&2\\5&1&1\end{array}$ West Virginia (Pirates) 3 LP: Daniel Stumpf (3-1) HR: Fred Ford (#4) Game Two (7 innings) <u>R</u> <u>H</u> <u>E</u> <u>LOB</u> Lexington 6 West Virginia (Pirates) 4 1 1 10 6 WP: Aroni Nina (1-2) HR: None

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