



# HOUSTON ASTROS MINOR LEAGUE REPORT - 8.13.13



## OKLAHOMA CITY REDHAWKS

Pacific Coast League (Triple A)

**LAST NIGHT** Tucson 7, Oklahoma City 5  
**WIN** LHP Robbie Erlin (7-3)  
**LOSS** RHP Paul Clemens (2-1)  
**SAVE** RHP Miles Mikolas (23)



## CORPUS CHRISTI HOOKS

Texas League (Double A)

**LAST NIGHT** Scheduled Off Day  
**WIN**  
**LOSS**  
**SAVE**



## LANCASTER JETHAWKS

California League (A Advanced)

**LAST NIGHT** Scheduled Off Day  
**WIN**  
**LOSS**  
**SAVE**



## QUAD CITIES RIVER BANDITS

Midwest League (A)

**LAST NIGHT** Wisconsin 9, Quad Cities 1  
**WIN** RHP Austin Ross (1-0)  
**LOSS** RHP Mark Appel (1-1)  
**SAVE** N/A



## TRI-CITY VALLEYCATS

New York-Penn League (A Short-Season)

**LAST NIGHT** All-Star Break  
**WIN**  
**LOSS**  
**SAVE**



## GREENEVILLE ASTROS

Appalachian League (Rookie)

**DOUBLEHEADER** Johnson City 7, Greeneville 5 / Greeneville 8, Johnson City 4  
**WIN** Kyle Grana (1-0) / Edison Frias (3-3)  
**LOSS** Raul Rivera (0-1) / Luis Perdomo (1-5)  
**SAVE** RHP Zach Loraine / N/A



## GCL ASTROS

Gulf Coast League (Rookie)

**YESTERDAY** GCL Astros 3, GCL Tigers 2  
**WIN** RHP Erick Gonzalez (2-3)  
**LOSS** RHP Micah Kellogg (1-2)  
**SAVE** N/A



## DSL ASTROS

Dominican Summer League (Rookie)

**YESTERDAY** DSL Astros 3, DSL Royals 0  
**WIN** RHP Harold Arauz (3-0)  
**LOSS** RHP Yohan Tavaréz (1-2)  
**SAVE** RHP Angel Heredia (9)



## OKLAHOMA CITY REDHAWKS

2013 RECORD

69-54

(1st Place)

LAST GAME

L 7-5

at Tucson

**MANAGER** Tony DeFrancesco

**WEB** okcredhawks.com

**PR CONTACT** Alex Freedman - afreedman@okcredhawks.com

**TONIGHT'S GAME:** Oklahoma City RedHawks at Tucson Padres 9:05 p.m. CT | **PROBABLE STARTER:** RHP Asher Wojciechowski (7-5, 3.18 ERA)

- Tucson Padres 7 (64-59), Oklahoma City RedHawks 5 (69-54)
- The RedHawks suffered their 3rd straight loss but are 7-4 in the month of August... down 7 runs after 3.0 innings, the RedHawks battled back to make it 7-5 but could not complete the comeback.
- **3B Brandon Laird** (3x5) hit a 2-run homer (15th of the year)...he ranks 3rd in the PCL with 32 doubles and ranks T-9th with 47 extra-base hits.
- **1B Jon Singleton** went 1x4 with a walk and 2 RBI...he is hitting .316 (12x38) with 4 doubles, 1 homer, 10 RBI and a .469 OBP in his last 12 games since 7/31.
- **CF George Springer** (1x4) walked and scored a run...he is the only player in professional baseball with more than 30 HR and 30 steals (31 HR, 38 SB)...is the first minor leaguer in Astros history to reach the 30/30 plateau and the first since Oakland's Grant Desme accomplished the feat in 2009.



## CORPUS CHRISTI HOOKS

2ND HALF RECORD

30-20

(2nd Place)

LAST GAME

L 7-4

vs. Arkansas (Sun.)

**MANAGER** Keith Bodie

**WEB** cchooks.com

**PR CONTACT** Michael Coffin - mcoffin@cchooks.com

**TODAY'S GAME:** Corpus Christi Hooks at Northwest Arkansas Naturals 7:00 p.m. CT | **PROBABLE STARTER:** RHP Mike Foltyniewicz (5-2, 2.71 ERA)

- The Hooks observed a scheduled off day yesterday in preparation for a 6-game road trip against the Northwest Arkansas Naturals (August 13-15) and the Arkansas Travelers (August 16-18).



## LANCASTER JETHAWKS

2ND HALF RECORD

31-19

(1st Place)

LAST GAME

W 9-8

vs. High Desert (Sun.)

**MANAGER** Rodney Linares

**WEB** jethawks.com

**PR CONTACT** Jason Schwartz - jason@jethawks.com

**TODAY'S GAME:** Lancaster JetHawks vs. Inland Empire 66ers 9:00 p.m. CT | **PROBABLE STARTER:** TBD

- The JetHawks observed a scheduled off day yesterday in preparation for a 6-game homestand against the Inland Empire 66ers (August 13-15) and the High Desert Mavericks (August 16-18).



## QUAD CITIES RIVER BANDITS

2ND HALF RECORD  
**30-19**  
(2nd Place)

LAST GAME  
**L 9-1**  
vs. Wisconsin

MANAGER Omar Lopez  
WEB riverbandits.com  
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**TODAY'S GAME:** Quad Cities River Bandits at Clinton LumberKings 7:00 p.m. CT | **PROBABLE STARTER:** LHP Josh Hader (1-0, 0.00 ERA)

- Wisconsin Timber Rattlers 9 (51-64), Quad Cities River Bandits 1 (68-50)
- The River Bandits are 9-4 in the month of August despite falling, 9-1, last night.
- **RHP Mark Appel** (7 ER, 3.1 IP) received his first professional loss...marked the 1st outing all year he gave up more than 3 runs.
- **LF Danry Vasquez** (1x4) has hit safely in 12 of his 14 games at a .276 clip (16x58) since joining the Astros organization as part of the Jose Veras trade with Detroit.



## TRI-CITY VALLEYCATS

2013 RECORD  
**32-22**  
(1st Place)

LAST GAME  
**W 11-5**  
vs. Jamestown (Sun.)

MANAGER Ed Romero  
WEB tcvalleycats.com  
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**TODAY'S GAME:** New York-Penn League All-Star Game 6:35 p.m. CT | **PROBABLE STARTER:**

- The ValleyCats observed a scheduled off day yesterday in recognition of the New York-Penn League All-Star Break...the All-Star Game will take place tonight at 7:35 p.m. ET
- Representing Tri-City at the game will be **SS Chan Moon** (starting at DH), **LHP Chris Cotton**, **RHP Michael Feliz** and **RHP Andrew Walter**.
- **Moon** is hitting .284 this season...**Cotton** owns a 3-3 record with a 1.74 ERA (6ER/31IP) to go along with 21 strikeouts and just 2 walks in 8 outings this year... **Feliz** leads the NYPL in ERA (1.39) and ranks 5th in strikeouts (50)... **Walter** has a 2.49 ERA, 26 strikeouts and just 3 walks in 25.1 relief innings this year.



## GREENEVILLE ASTROS

2013 RECORD  
**33-18**  
(1st Place)

LAST GAME  
**W 8-4**  
at Johnson City

MANAGER Josh Bonifay  
WEB greenvilleastros.com  
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**TODAY'S GAME:** Greenville Astros at Johnson City Cardinals 6:00 p.m. CT | **PROBABLE STARTER:** RHP Frederick Tiburcio (3-0, 1.26 ERA)

- Game 1: Johnson City Cardinals 7 (26-24), Greenville Astros 5 (32-18)  
Game 2: Greenville Astros 8 (33-18), Johnson City Cardinals 4 (26-25)
- Greenville split 2 games with Johnson City yesterday...the two clubs completed their previously suspended game from July 22 before playing their regularly scheduled game.
- Up five runs after 2.0 innings, Greenville could not hold on and fell to Johnson City, 7-5, in the completion of the suspended game.
- **1B Chase McDonald** (1x3, HR, 2RBI) hit his 4th homer of the year while **RF Ariel Ovando** (1x2) doubled, scored and drew two walks.
- In the regularly scheduled game, the Greenville offense was led by **RF Wallace Gonzalez** (2x4, 2RBI) who hit 2 doubles...**CF Marc Wik** (2x2, RBI, 3R), **3B Darwin Rivera** (2x4, 2RBI) and **C Cristian Moronta** (2x4, 2RBI) also had multi-hit games.



## GULF COAST LEAGUE ASTROS

2013 RECORD  
**22-23**  
(3rd Place)

LAST GAME  
**W 3-2**  
vs. GCL Tigers

MANAGER Edgar Alfonso  
WEB MiLB.com

**TODAY'S GAME:** GCL Astros at GCL Tigers 6:00 p.m. CT

- GCL Astros 3 (22-23), GCL Tigers 2 (25-19)
- **RHP Luis Ordosgoitti** (0 ER, 5.0 IP) gave up just 1 unearned run on 3 hits with 2 walks and 6 strikeouts in his 5.0 innings.
- **3B Jose Solano** went 2x3 while **CF Jason Martin** (1x3) doubled.



## DOMINICAN SUMMER LEAGUE ASTROS

2013 RECORD  
**31-29**  
(T-3rd Place)

LAST GAME  
**W 3-0**  
vs. DSL Royals

MANAGER Johan Maya  
WEB MiLB.com

**TODAY'S GAME:** DSL Astros at DSL Royals 10:30 a.m.

- DSL Astros 3 (31-29), DSL Royals 0 (38-22)
- **RHP Harold Arauz** (0 ER, 6.0 IP), **LHP Cristopher Santamaria** (0 ER, 2.0 IP) and **RHP Angel Heredia** (0 ER, 1.0 IP) combined to shut out the DSL Royals yesterday...Arauz gave up just 1 hit and 1 walk with 4 strikeouts in his 6.0 innings.
- **RF Brauly Mejia** (3x4) had 3 hits, including his 4th double of the year...**3B Randy Cesar** (2x4, RBI) also hit a double.