

OAKLAND A'S NEWS LINKS, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21, 2013

OAKLAND TRIBUNE

Sonny Gray is OK, but sloppy A's fall to Seattle Mariners

By Jimmy Durkin, Oakland Tribune

http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci_23905994/sonny-gray-is-ok-but-sloppy-oakland-fall

Blog: Slow day is good day at Coliseum

By Jimmy Durkin, Oakland Tribune

<http://www.ibabuzz.com/athletics/2013/08/20/slow-day-is-good-day-at-the-coliseum/>

Game 125 wrapup: Deflating night for A's could have long-term consequences

By Jimmy Durkin, Oakland Tribune

<http://www.ibabuzz.com/athletics/2013/08/20/game-124-wrapup-deflating-night-for-as-could-have-long-term-consequences/>

SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE

Bullpen lets down Gray in 7-4 loss to M's

By John Shea, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/she/article/Bullpen-lets-down-Gray-in-7-4-loss-to-M-s-4748227.php>

Anderson's return to A's is close

By John Shea, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/Anderson-s-return-to-A-s-is-close-4748256.php>

The Drumbeat: A's pregame: Sonny Gray, Brett Anderson and Travis Blackley

John Shea reporting from Oakland

<http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2013/08/20/as-pregame-sonny-gray-brett-anderson-and-travis-blackley/>

The Drumbeat: UPDATE: Fractured toe for Derek Norris; A's lose 7-4, bullpen wastes solid start by Gray

By John Shea, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2013/08/20/as-lose-7-4-bullpen-wastes-solid-start-by-sonny-gray/>

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A's bullpen falls apart after Gray stymies Mariners

By Jane Lee, MLB.com

http://mlb.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2013_08_20_seamlb_oakmlb_1&mode=recap_home&c_id=oak

A's Norris breaks toe in play at the plate

By Jane Lee, MLB.com

http://mlb.mlb.com/news/article.jsp?ymd=20130821&content_id=57731900&vkey=news_oak&c_id=oak

Anderson's impending return leaves A's with options; A's mixing Lowrie in at designated hitter; A's extend affiliation with Class-A Stockton

By Jane Lee, MLB.com

http://mlb.mlb.com/news/article.jsp?ymd=20130820&content_id=57653994¬ebook_id=57662694&vkey=notebook_oak&c_id=oak

Seattle looks to slug out series victory in Oakland

By Jacob Thorpe, MLB.com

http://mlb.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2013_08_21_seamlb_oakmlb_1&mode=preview&vkey=preview_web_home&c_id=oak

ASSOCIATED PRESS

Gray solid, but A's bullpen blows itt6

By Rick Eymer, Associated Press

<http://www.pressdemocrat.com/article/20130820/wire/130829950?title=Gray-solid,-but-A's-bullpen-blows-it>

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A's thin at catcher after Norris fractures toe

CSNBayArea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/thin-catcher-after-norris-fractures-toe>

SACRAMENTO BEE

Bullpen lapses in A's 7-4 loss to Mariners; Norris fractures toe

By Matt Kawahara, Sacramento Bee

<http://blogs.sacbee.com/bay-area-baseball/2013/08/bullpen-lapses-in-as-7-4-loss-to-mariners-norris-fractures-toe.html>

MINOR LEAGUE TEAMS

SACRAMENTO RIVER CATS

River Cats rally fall short, lose 7-6

Rivercats.com

http://www.milb.com/news/article.jsp?ymd=20130821&content_id=57727250&fext=.jsp&vkey=news_t105&sid=t105

MIDLAND ROCKHOUNDS

Hooks continue mastery of Hounds in extra innings

MyWestTexas.com

http://www.milb.com/news/article.jsp?ymd=20130821&content_id=57746634&fext=.jsp&vkey=recap&sid=t237

STOCKTON PORTS

Late Giants runs lead to lopsided loss

Stockton Ports

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BELOIT SNAPPERS

Snappers build early lead, hold on for win

Beloit Snappers

http://www.milb.com/news/article.jsp?ymd=20130820&content_id=57704886&fext=.jsp&vkey=recap&sid=t554

VERMONT LAKE MONSTERS

Vermont drops roadtrip finale 2-1

By Paul Stanfield

http://www.milb.com/news/article.jsp?ymd=20130820&content_id=57678228&fext=.jsp&vkey=recap&sid=t462