OAKLAND A'S NEWS LINKS, SATURDAY, AUGUST 24, 2013

OAKLAND TRIBUNE

Oakland A's lose battle of bullpens with Baltimore Orioles

By John Hickey, Oakland Tribune

http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci_23931342/oakland-lose-battle-bullpens-baltimore-orioles

In Kurt Suzuki, Oakland A's will get familiar face behind plate

By John Hickey, Oakland Tribune

http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci 23926246/oakland-needed-catching-kurt-suzuki-answernow

Inside the Oakland A's: <u>Game 127 wrapup: Two shots backfire for Moss, Sogard; Straily frets over pathetic' inning; Crisp has no reason to celebrate four hits</u>

By John Hickey, Oakland Tribune

http://www.ibabuzz.com/athletics/2013/08/23/game-127-wrapup-two-shots-backfire-for-moss-sogard-straily-frets-over-pathetic-inning-crisp-has-no-reason-to-celebrate-four-hits/

Martinez boy mauled by pit bulls receives surprise gift from Oakland A's

By Katie Nelson, Contra Costa Times

http://www.insidebayarea.com/breaking-news/ci_23922265/martinez-boy-mauled-by-pit-bulls-receives-surprise

SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE

A's defense undermines bats again in loss to O's

Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/A-s-defense-undermines-bats-again-in-loss-to-O-s-4757549.php

Teammates happy to see Suzuki back with the A's

Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/Teammates-happy-to-see-Suzuki-back-with-the-A-s-4757267.php

The Drumbeat: Another tough loss for A's, who can't hold two leads at Baltimore

From Chronicle Staff Writer Susan Slusser at Camden Yards

http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2013/08/23/another-tough-loss-for-as-who-cant-hold-two-leads-at-baltimore/

The Drumbeat: Cautious optimism with Reddick's wrist; the latest on Smith, Anderson

From Chronicle Staff Writer Susan Slusser at Camden Yards

http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2013/08/23/cautious-optimism-with-reddicks-wrist-the-latest-on-smith-anderson/

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A's outslugged by O's, Wild Card lead trimmed Baltimore within two games of Oakland after see-saw affair

By Todd Karpovich / Special to MLB.com

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A's, Suzuki mutually excited about reunion

- Smith returns to A's lineup after lasik surgery
- Reddick takes batting practice, nearing return
- A's begin two-week stretch vs. contenders

By Todd Karpovich / Special to MLB.com

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Veteran Suzuki returns to A's in trade Oakland addresses catching depth in deal with Washington

By AJ Cassavell / MLB.com

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ASSOCIATED PRESS

A's let one slip away in 9-7 loss to Baltimore

By David Ginsberg, Associated Press

http://www.pressdemocrat.com/article/20130823/wire/130829743?title=A's-let-one-slip-away-in-9-7-loss-to-Baltimore

MINOR LEAGUE TEAMS

SACRAMENTO RIVERCATS

Taylor Homers, River Cats Split Doubleheader

Sacramento River Cats

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MIDLAND ROCKHOUNDS

TEXAS LEAGUE: Hooks take advantage of wild RockHounds for 4-3 win

Staff reports, Midland Reporter Telegram

http://www.mywesttexas.com/sports/article 971590d8-0c7b-11e3-9e55-

001a4bcf887a.html?mode=print

STOCKTON PORTS

Marzilli's Homer Lifts Rawhide Over Ports 4-2

Stockton Ports

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BELOIT SNAPPERS

Four-Run Seventh Ends Skid

Kane County Cougars

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VERMONT LAKE MONSTERS

Brooklyn Takes Opener 10-2 Friday

By Paul Stanfield / Vermont Lake Monsters

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