

## **OAKLAND A'S NEWS LINKS, MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2013**

### **OAKLAND TRIBUNE**

#### **Oakland A's face Texas Rangers in showdown series after completing sweep of Tampa Bay Rays**

By Steve Corkran, Oakland Tribune

[http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci\\_23995485/oakland-face-texas-rangers-showdown-series-after-completing](http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci_23995485/oakland-face-texas-rangers-showdown-series-after-completing)

#### **Oakland A's add Jemile Weeks, Michael Choice to roster**

By Steve Corkran, Oakland Tribune

[http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci\\_23994686/oakland-add-jemile-weeks-michael-choice-roster](http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci_23994686/oakland-add-jemile-weeks-michael-choice-roster)

#### **Inside the Oakland A's: A's 5, Rays 1 — game story and notes**

By Steve Corkran

<http://www.ibabuzz.com/athletics/2013/09/01/as-5-rays-1-game-story-and-notes/>

#### **Inside the Oakland A's: Choice, Weeks among minor-leaguers promoted**

By Steve Corkran, Oakland Tribune

<http://www.ibabuzz.com/athletics/2013/09/01/choice-weeks-among-minor-leaguers-promoted/>

#### **Purdy: Oakland A's poised for stretch run**

By Mark Purdy, San Jose Mercury News

[http://www.mercurynews.com/sports/ci\\_23996650/purdy-oakland-poised-stretch-run](http://www.mercurynews.com/sports/ci_23996650/purdy-oakland-poised-stretch-run)

### **SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE**

#### **A's complete sweep of Rays with 5-1 win**

Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/A-s-complete-sweep-of-Rays-with-5-1-win-4780086.php>

#### **Jemile Weeks calls return to A's 'refreshing'**

Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/Jemile-Weeks-calls-return-to-A-s-refreshing-4780256.php>

#### **The Drumbeat: A's sweep Rays, split season series; move a game behind Texas**

From Chronicle Staff Writer Susan Slusser at the Coliseum

<http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2013/09/01/as-sweep-tampa-bay-split-series-move-one-game-behind-texas/>

#### **The Drumbeat: A's callups Choice, Weeks, Parrino, Figueroa arrive**

From Chronicle Staff Writer Susan Slusser at the Coliseum

<http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2013/09/01/as-callups-choice-weeks-parrino-figueroa-arrive/>

### **OAKLANDATHLETICS.COM**

#### **A's sweep Rays behind Griffin's strong outing**

#### **Crisp, Vogt mash HRs; Oakland one game back in AL West**

By Jeff Kirshman / MLB.com

[http://mlb.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2013\\_09\\_01\\_tbamlb\\_oakmlb\\_1&mode=recap\\_home&c\\_id=oak](http://mlb.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2013_09_01_tbamlb_oakmlb_1&mode=recap_home&c_id=oak)

#### **Rangers visit A's with division lead on the line**

#### **Holland starts for first-place Texas against Oakland's Straily**

By Zack Meisel / MLB.com

[http://mlb.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2013\\_09\\_02\\_texmlb\\_oakmlb\\_1&mode=preview&vkey=preview\\_web\\_home&c\\_id=oak](http://mlb.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2013_09_02_texmlb_oakmlb_1&mode=preview&vkey=preview_web_home&c_id=oak)

#### **A's celebrate 15th Breast Cancer Awareness Day**

- Choice among A's callups as rosters expand
- Reddick feeling no soreness in injured wrist

By Jeff Kirshman / MLB.com

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### **SANTA ROSA PRESS DEMOCRAT**

#### **Lowell Cohn: Forget wild card, A's begin race to win AL West**

Lowell Cohn, Santa Rosa Press Democrat

<http://www.pressdemocrat.com/article/20130901/sports/130909966?title=Lowell-Cohn:-Forget-wild-card,-A's-begin-race-to-win-AL-West>

### **SACRAMENTO BEE**

#### **A's sweep Rays, set up showdown with Rangers**

Matt Kawahara, Sacramento Bee

<http://www.sacbee.com/2013/09/02/v-print/5700004/as-sweep-rays-set-up-showdown.html>

#### **As calendar flips to September, A's narrow West deficit to one**

Matt Kawahara, Sacramento Bee

<http://blogs.sacbee.com/bay-area-baseball/2013/09/as-calendar-flips-to-september-as-narrow-west-deficit-to-one.html>

#### **Choice, Weeks among A's call-ups as rosters expand**

Matt Kawahara, Sacramento Bee

<http://blogs.sacbee.com/bay-area-baseball/2013/09/choice-weeks-among-as-call-ups-as-rosters-expand.html>

#### **Gray thrives again at the Coliseum; Crisp, Vogt key 2-1 A's win**

Matt Kawahara, Sacramento Bee

<http://blogs.sacbee.com/bay-area-baseball/2013/08/gray-thrives-again-at-the-coliseum-crisp-vogt-key-2-1-as-win.html>

### **ASSOCIATED PRESS**

#### **A's complete three-game sweep of Rays with 5-1 win**

By Janie McCauley, Associated Press

<http://www.pressdemocrat.com/article/20130901/wire/130909978?title=A's-complete-three-game-sweep-of-Rays-with-5-1-win>

### **CSNBAYAREA.COM**

#### **Push towards playoffs begins with starters**

Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/push-towards-playoffs-begins-starters>

#### **Instant Replay: Griffin Ks seven, Crisp, Vogt homer in A's 5-1 win**

Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/instant-replay-griffin-ks-seven-crisp-vogt-homer-5-1-win>

#### **A's lineup: Smith sits, Callaspo takes over as DH**

Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/lineup-smith-sits-callaspo-takes-over-dh>

#### **Choice, Weeks among A's September call-ups**

Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/choice-weeks-among-september-call-ups>

#### **Rookie Gray stays poised as A's top Rays**

Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/rookie-gray-stays-poised-top-rays>

## **OAKLAND POST**

### **A's sweep Rays, closing in on AL West lead**

By Malaika Bobino, Oakland Post

<http://postnewsgroup.com/blog/2013/09/01/sweep-rays-closing-al-west-lead/>

### **Crisp sparks offense in A's victory**

By Malaika Bobino, Oakland Post

<http://postnewsgroup.com/blog/2013/08/31/crisp-sparked-offense-victory/>

## **CAMBRIDGE TIMES**

### **Dead-in-the-water A's revived in book from local author**

#### **Tells the story of one of the worst MLB teams**

by Bill Doucet, Cambridge Times

<http://www.cambridgetimes.ca/sports-story/4057247-dead-in-the-water-a-s-revived-in-book-from-local-author/>

## **MINOR LEAGUE TEAMS**

### **SACRAMENTO RIVERCATS**

#### **Norris' Big Day Not Enough as Cats Lose, 10-9**

Sacramento River Cats

[http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20130901&content\\_id=59274712&vkey=news\\_t105&fext=.jsp&sid=t105](http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20130901&content_id=59274712&vkey=news_t105&fext=.jsp&sid=t105)

### **MIDLAND ROCKHOUNDS**

#### **TEXAS LEAGUE: RoughRiders' bats light up RockHounds**

Staff reports, Midland Reporter Telegram

[http://www.mywesttexas.com/sports/article\\_279083d6-1387-11e3-a23d-001a4bcf887a.html?mode=print](http://www.mywesttexas.com/sports/article_279083d6-1387-11e3-a23d-001a4bcf887a.html?mode=print)

### **STOCKTON PORTS**

#### **Ports Offense Comes Up Big In 10-3 Win**

Stockton Ports

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### **BELOIT SNAPPERS**

#### **Vasquez's Two Homers Help Bandits Stop Snappers**

Beloit Snappers

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### **VERMONT LAKE MONSTERS**

#### **Tigers Beat Vermont 6-4 In Extras**

By Paul Stanfield / Vermont Lake Monsters

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