

OAKLAND A'S NEWS LINKS, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2013

OAKLAND TRIBUNE

Oakland A's rout Texas Rangers; A.L. West deadlocked again

By John Hickey, Oakland Tribune

http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci_24017012/oakland-rout-texas-rangers-l-west-deadlocked-again

Oakland A's catcher Derek Norris say he can play with broken toe

By John Hickey, Oakland Tribune

http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci_24015061/oakland-catcher-derek-norris-say-he-can-play

Inside the Oakland A's: Game 139 wrapup: Anderson closer to a start; Parker honored to join Catfish, Lefty; Moss says Crisp is the man who makes the A's go

By John Hickey

<http://www.ibabuzz.com/athletics/2013/09/04/game-139-wrapup-anderson-closer-to-a-start-parker-honored-to-join-catfish-lefty-moss-says-crisp-is-the-man-who-makes-the-as-go/>

SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE

A's club Rangers 11-4 to gain share of 1st Oakland win trumps another ace

John Shea, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/she/article/A-s-club-Rangers-11-4-to-gain-share-of-1st-4787564.php>

A's will have platoon within a platoon

John Shea, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/A-s-will-have-platoon-within-a-platoon-4788180.php>

The Drumbeat: A's beat Rangers 11-4, move into first-place tie with Rangers

By John Shea

<http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2013/09/04/as-beat-rangers-11-4-move-into-first-place-tie-with-rangers/>

The Drumbeat: Nice luxury for A's: three healthy catchers (Derek Norris to join Stephen Vogt, Kurt Suzuki)

John Shea reporting from Oakland . . .

<http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2013/09/04/nice-luxury-for-as-three-healthy-catchers-derek-norris-to-join-stephen-vogt-kurt-suzuki/>

Homer key to A's success? D'oh!

By Scott Ostler, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/ostler/article/Homer-key-to-A-s-success-D-oh-4788170.php>

OAKLANDATHLETICS.COM

A's beat Darvish again, rejoin Rangers atop AL West Parker unbeaten in last 18 starts; Oakland swats four home runs

By Jane Lee / MLB.com

http://mlb.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2013_09_04_texmlb_oakmlb_1&mode=recap_home&c_id=oak

No surprises: A's, O's right back in playoff hunt Clubs continue to make strides after amazing runs to 2012 postseason

By Doug Miller / MLB.com

http://oakland.athletics.mlb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20130905&content_id=59647768&vkey=news_oak&c_id=oak

With Norris' return, Melvin to juggle three catchers

- Choice relishes first hit, playing time in pennant race
- No timetable on Reddick until he's able to take BP

By Jane Lee and Jeff Kirshman / MLB.com

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A's seek sole possession of first in AL West

Oakland sends rookie Gray against Houston's Peacock in opener

By Evan Peaslee / MLB.com

http://mlb.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2013_09_05_houmlb_oakmlb_1&mode=preview&vkey=preview_web_home&c_id=oak

ASSOCIATED PRESS

Jarrod Parker, A's rout Rangers 11-4 to even up AL West

By Antonio Gonzalez, Associated Press

<http://www.pressdemocrat.com/article/20130904/wire/130909826?title=Parker,-A's-rout-Rangers-11-4-to-even-up-AL-West>

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Next seven games present A's huge opportunity

Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/next-seven-games-present-huge-opportunity>

A's offense finding stride against top-tier pitchers

Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/offense-finding-stride-against-top-tier-pitchers>

Instant Replay: A's light up Darvish in 11-4 win over Rangers

Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/instant-replay-light-darvish-11-4-win-over-rangers>

Which Bay Area baseball team charges more for beer?

Casey Pratt, csnbayarea.com

<http://fieldofteams.csnbayarea.com/2013/09/04/which-bay-area-baseball-team-charges-more-for-beer/>

A's notes: Logjam at catcher heading into stretch run, etc.

Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/notes-logjam-catcher-heading-stretch-run-etc>

Las Vegas: A's have eighth-best chance to win World Series

Csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/las-vegas-have-eighth-best-chance-win-world-series>

SACRAMENTO BEE

A's overpower Rangers, regain tie for first place

By Matt Kawahara, Sacramento Bee

<http://www.sacbee.com/2013/09/05/v-print/5708595/as-overpower-rangers-regain-tie.html>

Marcos Breton: Former top prospect Barton gets another chance with A's

Marcos Breton, Sacramento Bee

<http://www.sacbee.com/2013/09/05/v-print/5708596/marcos-breton-former-top-prospect.html>

OAKLAND POST

A's beat Rangers, tied again for first in AL West

By Malaika Bobino, Oakland Post

<http://postnewsgroup.com/blog/2013/09/04/beat-rangers-tied-first-al-west/>

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BELOIT SNAPPERS

Snappers Show LumberKings Who's Boss

Beloit Snappers

http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20130905&content_id=59647924&vkey=recap&fext=.jsp&sid=t554

VERMONT LAKE MONSTERS

Vermont Season Ends With 5-2 Loss

By Paul Stanfield / Vermont Lake Monsters

http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20130904&content_id=59598558&vkey=recap&fext=.jsp&sid=t462