



OAKLAND ATHLETICS

Game Information

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A's AT A GLANCE

Season High	83-60 (Sept. 8)
Season Low	0-2/20-22 (April 2/May 15)
April	16-12
May	16-12
June	16-11
July	15-10
August	14-13
September	6-2
Home Series	15-8-1
Road Series	11-9-2
Series Sweeps	10-3
First Game of Series	30-16
Last Game of Series	27-19
A's Score First	54-24
Opponent Scores First	29-36
Leading After 7 th	65-4
Leading After 8 th	69-2
Tied After 7 th	13-7
Tied After 8 th	9-5
Trailing After 7 th	4-49
Trailing After 8 th	3-53
Commit No Errors	51-28
Commit 1 or More Errors	32-32
More HR Than Opp.	54-6
Fewer HR Than Opp.	11-34
Same Total HR of Opp.	18-20
Starter Pitches 7 or More	37-16
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	46-44
When Scoring 4 or More	65-14
When Scoring Less Than 4	18-46
Last At Bat	17-10
Different Lineups	123

OAKLAND ATHLETICS (83-60) VS. MINNESOTA TWINS (62-80)

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2013 – TARGET FIELD – 7:10 P.M. CDT
RHP JARROD PARKER (11-6, 3.57) VS. RHP LIAM HENDRIKS (1-2, 5.28)
CSNCA – A'S RADIO NETWORK (95.7 FM THE GAME)

ABOUT THE A's

ABOUT THE A'S: Have won three straight, eight of the last 10 and 11 of the last 14 to improve to a season-high 23 games over .500 at 83-60...that is the second best record in the American League (Boston, 87-58) and is tied for fourth best in the majors....have a two-game lead in the AL West over Texas, which is the A's largest lead since August 5 when they also had a two-game lead (led by 2½ on August 4)...have clinched a winning record for the second consecutive season, marking the first time the A's have put together back-to-back winning seasons since 1999-2006 when they had eight straight...are 27-21 since the All-Star Break after going 56-39 before the break...have a six-game lead over the third place team in the Wild Card race...went 20-22 over the first 42 games this year and trailed Texas by 7½ games on May 16...then went a Major League best 43-21 from May 17 to July 29 to gain 13½ games in the standings and take a six-game lead in the AL West...compiled a 12-15 record from July 30 to August 29 to lose nine games in the standings and fall three back of Texas...are 8-2 since August 30 and have picked up five games on the Rangers...for the season, have spent 61 days in sole possession of first, 11 days tied for first, 78 days in second, four days tied for second, one day in third, two days tied for fourth and one day in fifth...are 224-180 (.554) since Bob Melvin took over as manager June 9, 2011, which is tied for the eighth best record in the majors over that span.

OFFENSE: The A's are batting .276 (279 for 1010) with 44 home runs over the last 30 games (since August 9)...lead the majors in home runs and slugging percentage (.479) over that span, rank second in extra base hits (110), fourth in runs (150), fifth in batting and doubles (59) and tied for sixth in triples (7)...rank third in the majors with 58 home runs since the All-Star Break...for the season, rank third in the American League in walks (506), tied for third in doubles (263) and fourth in triples (23) and extra base hits (442)...have the fifth lowest batting average (.249)...A's outfielders have combined for a .231 (383 for 1655) batting average, which is second lowest in the majors (Minnesota, .230)...the lowest mark by A's outfielders since at least 1916 is .228 in 1979...however, have 66 home runs, which is tied for the most in the majors, and 216 RBI, which ranks fourth.

PITCHING: The A's had a 2.30 ERA (23 er in 90.0 ip) on the last homestand after posting a 5.88 ERA on the previous road trip...now have a 3.59 ERA for the season, which ranks second in the American League...have the lowest opponents on-base percentage (.300) and second lowest batting average (.245) and slugging percentage (.383)...the last time the A's finished the season with an on-base percentage under .302 was in 1972 (.284)...walked one batter or fewer in four consecutive games September 4-7, which matched the second longest streak in Oakland history...have just 373 walks for the season, which is the fewest in the AL...have four 10-game winners for the first time since 2006 (Blanton, Haren, Loaiza, Zito)...the four 10-game winners are tied for second most in the majors (Detroit, 5)...Dan Straily won his ninth game Saturday and the Oakland record for 10-game winners in one season is five (1968, 1971, 2004, 2005).

STARTING PITCHING: A's starting pitchers are 13-5 with a 2.88 ERA (49 er in 153.0 ip) over the last 25 games (since August 14) after going 4-8 with a 4.88 ERA over the previous 12 contests...are 61-44 with a 3.77 ERA (364 er in 868.2 ip) for the season...lead the American League in complete game shutouts (4), rank second in wins, ERA and complete games (6) and fifth in innings pitched.

DEFENSIVE DOINGS: The A's rank last in the majors with 1229 assists and are on pace for 1392, which would break the Major League record for fewest assists in a non-strike season (1393, San Francisco in 2008)...have just 102 double plays, which is also the fewest in the majors...the Oakland record for fewest double plays in a non-strike season is 115 in 1980.

THE WEST AND THE REST: The A's are on a season-ending stretch where they will play 19 of their final 26 games against American League West competition (the exceptions are seven games with Minnesota)...started the season by going 13-3 against AL West teams compared to 5-15 against everyone else through May 9...are 24-24 against the West since May 10 while going 41-18 against the rest of baseball.

HOME AND AWAY: The A's begin a six-game road trip to Minnesota (three games) and Texas (three games) tonight...went 4-3 on the last road trip to Baltimore (1-2) and Detroit (3-1) and are 36-33 (.522) on the road...went 8-2 on the last homestand against Tampa Bay (3-0), Texas (2-1) and Houston (3-1)...the eight wins are the A's most on a homestand since going 8-1 against Texas, Tampa Bay and Seattle from August 7-16, 2006...have clinched a winning record at home for the fourth consecutive season...are 47-27 (.635) in Oakland, which is the second best home record in the American League (Boston, 47-25).

ROSTER NOTES: The A's have 33 players on the active roster...have used 44 players this year, marking the first time the A's have used fewer than 48 players in a season since 2006 (40)...have used 18 pitchers, which is the fewest since 2004 (17)...the 18 pitchers are tied for the fewest in the majors this year (Kansas City)...have used just seven starting pitchers, which is their fewest since employing six in 2004...in the majors, only Detroit has used fewer starters this year (6)...used the disabled list four times over a 33-day stretch from July 25-August 26 after a 77-day streak without placing a player on the DL...the 77-day streak is the second longest by an A's team since 1990 (94, May 28-Aug. 30, 2005)...have used the DL 13 times for the season, which is the fewest since 2005 (8).

THIS AND THAT: The A's are 27-18 (.600) in one-run games...are tied for the American League lead in one run wins and have the fourth best record...A's pinch hitters are batting .138 (17 for 123), which is the lowest mark in the AL...the lowest mark in Oakland history is .141 in 1994...lead the AL in pinch strikeouts (37) and rank second in plate appearances (142), home runs (4) and walks (16)...the plate appearances are the most since 2000 (162)...the A's went 14-13 in August to extend their streak of consecutive months with a winning record to nine dating back to last June...that is the fourth longest such streak in Oakland history and the longest since a 10-month streak from June, 2002 to September, 2003...it matches the longest active streak in the majors (Atlanta).

A's vs. TWINS

The A's won the season series last year, 5-4...were 2-1 in Oakland and 3-3 in Minnesota...it was just their second season series win over the past seven years (also 2009) and the A's are 29-34 (.460) against Minnesota since 2006...since moving to Oakland in 1968, the A's are 278-289 against Minnesota...that includes 154-126 in Oakland and 124-163 in Minnesota...are 335-358 all-time against the Twins and have a 982-994 record against the Twins/Senators.

MLB BEST RECORDS, LAST TWO YEARS

	W	L	PCT
Atlanta	180	125	.590
Cincinnati	179	128	.583
Oakland	177	128	.580
Texas	174	131	.570
Washington	172	133	.564

TODAY'S TIDBITS

Yoenis Céspedes is 13 for 32 (.406) with two home runs, four RBI and six multiple hit games in eight games in September.

Josh Donaldson is batting .362 (17 for 47) with eight runs, eight doubles, one triple, two home runs, seven RBI and six multiple hit games over his last 13 games.

Brandon Moss is batting .339 (19 for 56) with 13 runs, eight home runs and 19 RBI over his last 20 games (since August 19)...the home runs are tied with Coco Crisp for the most in the majors over that span.

Dan Otero has yielded just two runs over his past 21 appearances (28.1 ip, 0.64 ERA) after allowing three runs in his first four games (3 er in 3.2 ip, 7.36 ERA).

THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

In 1976 Vida Blue strikes out Danny Thompson of Texas for his 1140th as an Athletic, breaking Catfish Hunter's Oakland record...he would go on to strike out 1315 batters in his A's career which is still an Oakland record.

PITCHING PROBABLES

Wed., Sept. 11 at MIN	RHP Sonny Gray (2-3, 2.51) vs. RHP Mike Pelfrey (5-11, 4.97)	5:10 CSNCA
Thu., Sept. 12 at MIN	RHP A.J. Griffin (13-9, 3.91) vs. LHP Scott Diamond (5-10, 5.52)	10:10 CSNCA
Fri., Sept. 13 at TEX	RHP Dan Straily (9-7, 4.15) vs. LHP Derek Holland (9-8, 3.17)	5:05 CSNCA
Sat., Sept. 14 at TEX	RHP Bartolo Colón (15-6, 2.85) vs. RHP Yu Darvish (12-8, 2.84)	10:05 FOX
Sun., Sept. 15 at TEX	RHP Jarrod Parker (pitching tonight) vs. LHP Martin Perez (tonight)	12:05 CSNCA

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AMERICAN LEAGUE CHAMPIONS...1902 • 1905 • 1910 • 1911 • 1913 • 1914 • 1929 • 1930 • 1931 • 1972 • 1973 • 1974 • 1988 • 1989 • 1990

ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

22-16, 3.21 ERA (414.1 ip, 377 h, 160 r, 148 er, 132 bb, 364 so, 35 hr)

Save/Save Opportunities: 44/61 (72.1%)

The A's bullpen has allowed just seven runs over its past 10 games (26.1 ip, 2.39 ERA) after yielding 28 runs in its previous 10 contests (33.2 ip, 6.95 ERA)...now has a 3.21 ERA for the season, which is tied for third in the American League...is tied for the fewest walks (132) in the AL and has the third fewest strikeouts (364)...has allowed the third fewest home runs (35)...ranks third in opponents on-base percentage (.300) and tied for fourth in slugging percentage (.361)...first batters faced are 78 for 353 (.221) with 23 walks and two hit by pitches (3 sf, .270 on-base percentage)...has issued the fewest first batter walks in the AL, has the second lowest on-base percentage and third lowest batting average and slugging percentage (.340).

49 LHP BRETT ANDERSON

Save/Opportunities: 3-3

Last Outing: 9/8 vs. Houston (S, 3.0 ip, 3 h, 1 r, 1 er, 2 bb, 3 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0

First Hitters: 2-5 (0 bb)

- Recorded his third three-inning save on Sunday...is the second Athletics pitcher since 1992 with three three-inning saves in one season (Doug Jones, 1999).
 - Was reinstated from the 60-day disabled list August 28 and has a 5.23 ERA in four relief appearances since his return (10.1 ip, 13 h, 6 r, 6 er, 3 bb, 10 so, 1 hr).
 - Is 3-2 with a 2.88 ERA in five games, all starts, in his career against the Twins (34.1 ip, 31 h, 11 r, 11 er, 2 bb, 25 so, 2 hr).
 - Was placed on the 15-day DL May 1 with a sprained right ankle...was diagnosed with a navicular stress fracture of his right foot May 17 and was transferred to the 60-day DL June 14.
 - Made three rehab starts with Double-A Midland (May 12), Triple-A Sacramento (August 17) and Single-A Stockton and was a combined 0-2 with a 12.54 ERA...the complete statistics from his rehab assignment:
- | | W | L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|------------------|---|---|-------|---|----|----|-----|----|-----|---|---|----|----|----|
| Midland (AA) | 0 | 1 | 14.73 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3.2 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 3 |
| Sacramento (AAA) | 0 | 0 | 7.71 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2.1 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| Stockton (A) | 0 | 1 | 13.50 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3.1 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 6 |
- Completed his rehab from "Tommy John" surgery in late August of last year and went 4-2 with a 2.57 ERA in six starts before his regular season ended when he strained his right oblique Sept. 19...returned to start and win Game 3 of the ALDS against Detroit in Oakland.

50 RHP GRANT BALFOUR

Save/Opportunities: 36-38

Last Outing: 9/6 vs. Houston (S, 1.0 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 1 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 6/5

First Hitters: 12-52 (6 bb)

- Has allowed at least one run in four of his last six outings (6 er in 5.2 ip, 9.53 ERA) but is 4 for 5 in save opportunities over that span.
- Ranks second in the American League in save percentage (94.9%) and is tied for fifth in saves (37)...his 37 saves are tied with Huston Street for the most by an A's pitcher since 2003 (Keith Foulke, 43).
- Has 63 career saves with the A's, which is seventh in Oakland history...is 12 away from tying Jason Isringhausen and Andrew Bailey (75) for fifth place.
- Has a 1.51 ERA (6 er in 35.2 ip) in 37 games at night compared to 4.50 (10 er in 20.0 ip) in 21 day games.
- Has a 1.98 ERA in 15 games in his career against Minnesota (13.2 ip, 9 h, 3 r, 3 er, 5 bb, 15 so).
- Had two stints as the A's closer in 2012 and saved a team-leading 24 games in a team-high 75 appearances while posting a 2.53 ERA...was charged with just two blown saves and his save percentage of 92.3 ranked fourth in the American League...was 10th in saves.

13 LHP JERRY BLEVINS

Save/Opportunities: 0-4

Last Outing: 9/3 vs. Texas (ND, 0.2 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 34/13

First Hitters: 15-49 (7 bb, 2 sf, 1 hbp)

- Has allowed a run in four of his past six appearances (5 er in 7.1 ip, 6.14 ERA) after a nine-game, 8.1-inning streak in which he did not allow an earned run.
- Is tied for seventh among AL relievers in wins (5)...the five wins match his career high (also 2012).
- Has made 273 appearances in his career, which is tied with Vida Blue for eighth place in Oakland history...is eight appearances away from tying Gene Nelson and Billy Taylor for sixth place (281).
- His opponents have a .227 batting average...that includes .196 (21 for 107) against right-handers compared to .264 (23 for 87) against lefties.
- Has a 3.14 ERA (10 er in 28.2 ip) in 31 games on the road compared to 4.07 (11 er in 24.1 ip) in 28 games in Oakland.
- Has a 3.09 ERA in 12 career outings against the Twins (11.2 ip, 8 h, 4 r, 4 er, 4 bb, 11 so, 2 hr).
- Completed his sixth season in an Oakland uniform last year, but it was just his second full season (2010)...was 5-1 with a save, a 2.48 ERA and a .201 opponents batting average in 63 relief appearances...the ERA and opponents batting average were the lowest marks of his career.

60 RHP JESSE CHAVEZ

Save/Opportunities: 1-1

Last Outing: 9/3 vs. Texas (ND, 1.1 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 1 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 21/5

First Hitters: 7-27 (1 bb)

- Has appeared in just one of the A's past 16 games (since August 24).
- Has allowed 12 runs in his past nine appearances (16.1 ip, 6.61 ERA) after not yielding a run in his previous five games and 7.2 innings.
- Has tossed more than one inning in 18 of his 28 appearances, including 10 outings of two innings or more.
- Has a 2.59 ERA (7 er in 24.1 ip) in 15 games on the road compared to 5.54 (16 er in 26.0 ip) in 13 games in Oakland.
- His opponents have a .269 (18 for 67) batting average with runners in scoring position but are hitting .138 (4 for 29) with RISP and two outs.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento May 10 for his second stint with the A's and has a 3.91 ERA (20 er in 46.0 ip) in 25 games since then...had a 6.23 ERA in three relief appearances during his first stint from April 20-28.
- Has faced the Twins five times in his career (7.0 ip, 9 h, 5 r, 5 er, 3 bb, 5 so, 1 hr, 6.43 ERA).
- Compiled an 18.90 ERA and .474 opponents batting average in four September appearances with Oakland last year after logging an 8.44 ERA in nine games with Toronto...was 1-1 with a 9.85 ERA overall...also combined for a 8-5 record and a 3.77 ERA in 21 Triple-A appearances.

48 RHP RYAN COOK

Save/Opportunities: 2-7

Last Outing: 9/6 vs. Houston (ND, 0.2 ip, 2 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 25/11

First Hitters: 9-59 (3 bb)

- Has not allowed a run in his past six games and 5.0 innings...has not yielded an earned run in 26 of his past 29 appearances and has a 0.95 ERA (3 er in 28.1 ip) over that span.
- Is tied for second among American League relievers in wins (6).
- First batters faced are 9 for 59 (.153) with three walks (.194 on-base percentage) and two doubles (.186 slugging percentage)...is second in the AL in slugging percentage against first batters, third in on-base percentage and sixth in batting average.
- His opponents have a .226 batting average, including .178 (24 for 135) against right-handers and .290 (29 for 100) against left-handers.
- Has a loss in three games in his career against Minnesota (3.0 ip, 3 h, 2 r, 2 er, 2 bb, 5 so, 6.00 ERA).
- Was the A's lone representative to the American League All-Star team last year as a 25-year-old rookie...went 6-2 with 14 saves, a 2.09 ERA and .166 opponents batting average in 71 appearances...tied the Oakland rookie record for games pitched and had the third best save total.

62 LHP SEAN DOOLITTLE

Save/Opportunities: 1-4

Last Outing: 9/7 vs. Houston (S, 1.1 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 27/2

First Hitters: 10-58 (4 bb)

- Recorded his second career save Saturday afternoon (also: July 21, 2012 vs. New York-AL).
- Has not allowed a run in his past five games and 6.0 innings after allowing seven runs over his previous five outings (7 er in 3.1 ip, 18.90 ERA).
- Has allowed just 2 of his 27 (7.4%) inherited runners to scores, which is the lowest percentage in the American League.
- Is tied for seventh among AL relievers in losses (5).
- His opponents are batting .267 (12 for 45) with runners in scoring position but are hitting .154 (4 for 26) with RISP and two outs.
- Has not allowed a run in two career outings against the Twins (2.2 ip, 1 h, 1 bb, 4 so).
- Made his Major League debut with the A's last year after just 17 professional appearances as a pitcher...was 2-1 with a save and a 3.04 ERA in 44 appearances with Oakland...struck out 60 batters in just 47.1 innings, an average of 11.41 per nine innings.

65 LHP PEDRO FIGUEROA Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 9/3 vs. Texas (ND, 0.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 0 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 **First Hitters:** 1-1 (0 bb)

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento September 1 for his first stint with the A's this season.
 - Has not faced Minnesota in his career.
 - Spent the entire season at Sacramento before joining the A's in September...allowed a .252 opponents batting average, including .216 against left-handed hitters and .192 with runners in scoring position...his complete statistics with the River Cats:
- | | W | L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|------------------|---|---|------|----|----|----|-----|----|------|----|----|----|----|----|
| Sacramento (AAA) | 3 | 4 | 4.10 | 46 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 59.1 | 57 | 29 | 27 | 33 | 49 |
- Made his Major League debut with the A's last season...had five stints with the club in his first full professional season since June, 2010 "Tommy John" surgery...posted a 3.32 ERA in 19 relief appearances with Oakland and was 0-2 with a 2.62 ERA in 32 appearances with Sacramento.

57 LHP TOMMY MILONE Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 8/27 at Detroit (W, 5.0 ip, 3 h, 3 r, 2 er, 3 bb, 3 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 **First Hitters:** 0-0 (0 bb)

- Was recalled from Single-A Stockton a week ago today for his third stint with the A's this season.
 - Has made each of his 60 appearances in his career as a starter.
 - Is 2-0 with a 1.93 ERA in two starts in his career against the Twins (14.0 ip, 12 h, 3 r, 3 er, 2 bb, 9 so, 1 hr).
 - Was recalled from Sacramento August 18 for his second stint this year and went 1-0 with a 2.79 ERA in two starts before he was optioned to Stockton August 28...was on the Opening Day roster and went 9-9 with a 4.39 ERA in 22 starts before he was optioned August 3.
 - Allowed a .348 batting average in two starts with the River Cats, including .000 (0 for 5) against left-handers and .390 (16 for 41) against righties...his complete statistics with Sacramento:
- | | W | L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|------------------|---|---|------|---|----|----|-----|----|------|----|---|----|----|----|
| Sacramento (AAA) | 0 | 0 | 1.74 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10.1 | 16 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 15 |
- Was one of four players acquired from Washington in the Gio Gonzalez trade on Dec. 23, 2011 and went 13-10 with a 3.74 ERA in a team-leading 31 starts...also led the A's in innings pitched (190.0), had the only complete game and tied for the team lead in wins.

47 RHP PAT NESHEK Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 9/2 at Tacoma-AAA (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 24/7 **First Hitters:** 8-40 (0 bb, 1 sf)

- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento a week ago today for his second stint with the A's this season.
 - His opponents have a .265 batting average, including .232 (23 for 99) against right-handers and .327 (17 for 52) against left-handers.
 - His first batters faced are 8 for 40 (.200) with a sacrifice fly (.195 on-base percentage)...the on-base percentage against first batters is fourth lowest in the American League.
 - Has a 1.37 ERA (3 er in 19.2 ip) in 19 appearances at home compared to 6.00 (12 er in 18.0 ip) in 22 games on the road.
 - Made his only career appearance against Minnesota on June 17, 2011 (1.0 ip, 1 bb)...pitched in parts of four seasons for the Twins (2006-08; 2010) and was 11-6 with a 3.05 ERA in 132 relief appearances.
 - Was on the A's Opening Day roster and was 2-1 with a 3.58 ERA in 41 relief appearances when he was designated for assignment August 26...was outrighted to Sacramento August 28.
 - His opponents had a .250 batting average in two relief appearances with the River Cats...his complete statistics with Sacramento:
- | | W | L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|------------------|---|---|------|---|----|----|-----|----|-----|---|---|----|----|----|
| Sacramento (AAA) | 0 | 0 | 0.00 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2.0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
- Was acquired from the Baltimore Orioles last year on Aug. 3 for cash considerations after going 3-2 with 11 saves and a 2.66 ERA in 35 appearances at Triple-A Norfolk...then went 2-1 with a 1.37 ERA and .147 opponents batting average in 24 appearances with the A's.

61 RHP DAN OTERO Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 9/7 vs. Houston (ND, 0.2 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 15/6 **First Hitters:** 7-24 (0 bb)

- Had his 11-game, 12.2-inning scoreless streak snapped Saturday...has yielded just two runs over his past 21 appearances (28.1 ip, 0.64 ERA) after allowing three runs in his first four games (3 er in 3.2 ip, 7.36 ERA).
- Has a 0.80 ERA (1 er in 11.2 ip) in 11 games during the day and a 1.09 ERA (3 er in 24.2 ip) in 19 games in Oakland.
- Has not faced the Twins in his career.
- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento June 14 after going 1-0 with a 0.99 ERA in 23 appearances with the River Cats...converted each of his 15 save opportunities...did not allow a home run in 27.1 innings...opponents hit .147, which was the lowest among PCL relievers.
- Spent most of the 2012 season at Triple-A Fresno in the Giants organization, going 5-5 with three saves and a 2.90 ERA in 48 relief appearances...also made 12 appearances with San Francisco, logging a 5.84 ERA in his Major League debut.

58 RHP EVAN SCRIBNER Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 9/3 vs. Texas (ND, 2.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 2 bb, 1 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 9/3 **First Hitters:** 3-14 (0 bb)

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento on Tuesday for his fifth stint with the A's this season.
 - Has not allowed a run in two games in his career against the Twins (2.0 ip, 2 h, 1 bb).
 - Was on the Opening Day roster and compiled a 4.26 ERA in eight games before he was optioned to Sacramento April 20...returned April 30 for his second stint and posted a 7.50 ERA in four outings before he was optioned May 10...was recalled August 3, appeared in one game on August 4 and was optioned August 9...was recalled August 26 and did not appear in a game before being optioned August 29.
 - His opponents had a .192 batting average with the River Cats, including .164 (12 for 73) against left-handed hitters and .213 (20 for 94) against righties...allowed just two home runs in 44.2 innings...his complete statistics with Sacramento:
- | | W | L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|------------------|---|---|------|----|----|----|-----|----|------|----|----|----|----|----|
| Sacramento (AAA) | 3 | 1 | 2.22 | 31 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 44.2 | 32 | 12 | 11 | 9 | 58 |
- Split the 2012 season between Oakland and Triple-A Sacramento...was 2-0 with a save, a 2.55 ERA and .221 opponents batting average in 30 relief appearances over three stints with the A's...posted a 3-0 record, eight saves and a 3.03 ERA in 26 games with the River Cats.

ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

10 DARIC BARTON Career vs. Hendriks (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 2)
Houston Series: 2-7, r, rbi, 2 bb **Homestand:** 6-18, 3 r, hr, 4 rbi, 4 bb, 2 so

- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento August 26 for his second stint with the A's this year and has started nine of the A's 14 games at first base since then...is 10 for 32 (.313) with a home run and six RBI in 12 games overall since his return.
 - Is 5 for 11 (.455) with runners in scoring position.
 - Was originally selected May 8 and went 3 for 21 (.143) in eight games, including six starts at first base, before he was designated for assignment May 18 and outrighted to Sacramento May 21.
 - Led the Pacific Coast League in walks (87) and ranked second in on-base percentage (.423)...had a .434 average with runners in scoring position...was batting .360 in 20 games in August...appeared in 80 games at first base, 29 at third base (including each of his last 14), two at designated hitter and one at second base...his complete 2013 statistics with Sacramento:
- | | AVG | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB | CS | SLG | OBP |
|------------------|------|-----|-----|----|-----|----|----|----|-----|----|----|----|----|------|------|
| Sacramento (AAA) | .297 | 110 | 391 | 77 | 116 | 29 | 1 | 7 | 69 | 87 | 57 | 1 | 2 | .430 | .423 |
- Split the 2012 season between Oakland and Sacramento...was batting .198 in 37 games when he was optioned to Sacramento June 2...hit .255 with 8 HR and 35 RBI in 74 games with the River Cats...returned to Oakland in September and batted .204 in 46 games overall with the A's.

18 ALBERTO CALLASPO Career vs. Hendriks (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 3
Houston Series: 2-11, r, rbi, 2 bb, gidp Homestand: 5-28, 4 r, 2b, rbi, 4 bb, 2 so, 3 gidp

- Is batting .303 (27 for 89) with 10 RBI over his last 29 games after hitting .085 with three RBI in his first 17 games after the All-Star Break.
- Went 5 for 28 (.179) on the homestand and is batting .185 (12 for 65) in Oakland since joining the A's...is hitting .429 (15 for 35) on the road over that span.
- Has struck out just 36 times and his average of 12.6 plate appearances per strikeout is the best mark in the American League.
- Had a RBI fielders choice as a pinch hitter Thursday night and is 0 for 7 with a RBI in the pinch.
- Has committed 13 errors as a third baseman, which is tied for second most in the AL (Moustakas, KC 14)...has 15 errors overall, which is tied for third most among all AL fielders.
- Was acquired from Los Angeles (AL) July 30 for minor league infielder Grant Green and has appeared in 34 of the A's 35 games since reporting to Oakland the next day...has made 28 starts (18 at second base, seven at designated hitter, three at third base).
- Batted .252 with five home runs and 36 RBI in 86 games with the Angels...started 83 games (82 at third base, one at designated hitter).
- Completed his second full season with the Angels last year, batting .252 with 10 home runs and 53 RBI...the 10 home runs were the second highest total of his career (11 in 2009)...agreed to a two-year contract through the 2014 season, January 17, 2013.

52 YOENIS CÉPEDES Career vs. Hendriks (.333, 1-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO) Current Streak: 4 games (7 for 17)
Houston Series: 7-17, 3 r, hr, 3 rbi, 4 so, sb Homestand: 12-35, 5 r, 2 hr, 4 rbi, bb, 8 so, sb

- Is 13 for 32 (.406) with two home runs, four RBI and six multiple hit games in eight games in September after hitting .216 in August, which was the lowest single month average of his career.
- Is tied for seventh among American League outfielders in assists (9) and errors (4).
- Is hitting .217 (61 for 281) at night, which is third lowest in the AL.
- Has 22 home runs after hitting 23 last year...is just the second player in Athletics history to hit 20 home runs in each of his first two seasons in the majors...Bob Johnson of the Philadelphia A's hit 21 home runs in 1933 and 34 in 1934.
- The A's are 74-45 (.622) with him in the starting lineup, 9-15 (.375) when he doesn't start...in his two seasons, the A's are 155-90 (.633) with him in the lineup, 21-37 (.362) without...the A's are 15-4 (.789) in games in which he homers this year and 30-11 (.738) in his career.
- Batted a team-leading .292 with 23 home runs and 82 RBI in 129 games in his first year in the United States last year as a 26-year-old rookie from Cuba...also led the A's in on-base percentage (.356) and slugging (.505)...the batting average was second best by an Oakland rookie.

35 MICHAEL CHOICE Career vs. Hendriks (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 3
Houston Series: 0-2 Homestand: 1-7, r, bb, 2 so

- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento September 1 and is 1 for 7 (.143) in three starts (two in right field, one at designated hitter).
 - Singled in the fifth inning off Martin Perez September 3 against Texas for his first Major League hit.
 - Made his ML debut September 2 in a start at designated hitter and went 0 for 2.
 - Was the A's first round pick (10th selection overall) in the 2010 First-Year Player Draft...is the second A's pick from that draft to reach the majors (A.J. Griffin)...has a .290 batting average, 61 home runs and 255 RBI in 371 games in four seasons as a professional.
 - Tied for second in the Pacific Coast League in RBI, ranked fourth in hits, tied for fourth in runs and tied for fifth in walks...appeared in 55 games in left field, 52 in center field and 10 in right field...his complete statistics with Sacramento this year:
- | | AVG | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB | CS | SLG | OBP |
|------------------|------|-----|-----|----|-----|----|----|----|-----|----|-----|----|----|------|------|
| Sacramento (AAA) | .302 | 132 | 510 | 90 | 154 | 29 | 1 | 14 | 89 | 69 | 115 | 1 | 2 | .445 | .390 |
- Spent the entire 2012 season at Double-A Midland, batting .287 with 10 HR and 58 RBI in 91 games in a season cut short due to a broken thumb...the batting average was the best of his career...was rated as the A's second best prospect by *Baseball America* following the season.

4 COCO CRISP Career vs. Hendriks (1.000, 2-2, 0 HR, 1 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 5
Houston Series: 2-12, 2 r, 2b, 3b, 2 bb, 3 so Homestand: 11-37, 9 r, 2 2b, 3b, 4 hr, 9 rbi, 2 bb, 7 so, sb, sf

- Had his streak of seven consecutive games with an extra base hit snapped Sunday, which was one short of the Oakland record (8, Ben Grieve, June 14-23, 2000).
- Also had his nine-game hitting streak snapped Sunday...was 12 for 37 (.324) during the streak.
- Is now batting .319 (22 for 69) with 19 runs, four doubles, one triple, eight home runs and 14 RBI over his last 17 games...has scored a run in 14 of those games, hit safely in 14 and collected an extra base hit in 12.
- His eight home runs since August 21 are the most in the majors.
- All 18 of his home runs have come when batting first, which is the most in the American League, second most in the majors (Choo, CIN 20) and tied for third most in Oakland history...15 have been solo shots, 12 have come on the road and 12 have given the A's the lead...the 12 go-ahead home runs are tied for seventh most in the majors...23 of his 45 home runs as an Athletic have put Oakland ahead
- Is batting .287 (31 for 108) in 28 games since the start of August...hit .301 over his first 50 games but then batted .175 over a 36-game stretch from June 16 to July 31.
- Has not committed an error in 93 games in the outfield and his 274 total chances are third most in the AL among outfielders with no errors...now has a 121-game errorless streak dating back to Aug. 23, 2012, which is tied for sixth longest in Oakland history by an outfielder...his career high is 153 with Boston (July 21, 2006-Aug. 7, 2007)...his last error came on Aug. 22, 2012 against Minnesota.
- In addition to his career high in home runs, he also has a career high in walks (52).
- Has led off the game with a home run five times this season, which is tied for the fourth highest single season total in Athletics history behind Rickey Henderson (7, 1993), Eddie Joost (6, 1948) and Bert Campaneris (6, 1970)...now has 11 in his career as an Athletic, which is second most in Oakland history (Henderson, 43) and fourth in Athletics history (Joost, 19; Campaneris, 13)...has 13 lead off home runs in his career.
- Has just four stolen bases in his last 68 games after stealing 13 bases in his first 46 contests...has been successful in 137 of 157 (87.3%) stolen base attempts in his four seasons with the A's, which is the best percentage in Athletics history...the 137 stolen bases are sixth most in Oakland history (Jackson is 5th, 144).
- Batted .259 with 11 home runs, 46 RBI and a team-leading 39 stolen bases in 120 games last year...it was his third career 30-steal season...ranked third in the American League in batting with RISP (.367), fourth in stolen bases and fifth in stolen base percentage (90.7%).

MOST HOME RUNS BATTING FIRST, OAKLAND HISTORY		
28	Rickey Henderson	1990
22	Bert Campaneris	1970
18	Coco Crisp	2013
18	Rickey Henderson	1991
17	two players tied	

20 JOSH DONALDSON Career vs. Hendriks (.500, 1-2, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 5 games (10 for 22)
Houston Series: 6-13, 3 r, 2 2b, hr, 2 rbi, sb Homestand: 12-35, 4 r, 7 2b, 2 hr, 5 rbi, 3 bb, 3 so, sb, gidp

- Is batting .362 (17 for 47) with eight runs, eight doubles, one triple, two home runs, seven RBI and six multiple hit games over his last 13 games...batted second in the order in each of the first 12, his first starts in the two spot this year.
- Is tied for sixth in the American League in multiple hit games (49), tied for ninth in extra base hits (58) and tied for 10th in doubles (34).
- Ranks fourth in the AL with a .335 (52 for 155) average against left-handers, fifth with a .340 (55 for 162) batting average in the seventh inning or later, seventh with a .312 (78 for 250) average on the road and 10th with a .339 (41 for 121) average with runners in scoring position
- Is 6 for 9 (.667) with a double, home run and 14 RBI with the bases loaded this year and 10 for 19 (.526) in his career.
- Was moved to third base following the injury to Scott Sizemore at the start of Spring Training last year and made the A's Opening Day roster...hit .241 in 75 games over three stints with the A's, including .290 with eight home runs and 26 RBI in 47 games during his final stint.

7 NATE FREIMAN Career vs. Hendriks (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 4 games (5 for 12)
Houston Series: 4-9, rbi, 2 so, gidp Homestand: 5-17, rbi, bb, 4 so, gidp

- Is 11 for 29 (.379) over his last 14 games and is now batting .309 (47 for 152) since May 1 after hitting .148 in April.
- Has made 45 of his 47 starts against left-handed pitchers...is batting .317 (44 for 139) against lefties compared to .175 (7 for 40) against righties...has all 13 of his extra base hits, 22 of 24 RBI and 10 of his 13 walks against lefties.
- Is 12 for 29 (.414) with three doubles, three home runs and 11 RBI in 11 games against Houston...has five doubles, one home run and 13 RBI in 62 games against everyone else.
- Is batting .340 (35 for 103) in Oakland compared to .211 (16 for 76) on the road.
- Is batting .295 (13 for 44) with runners in scoring position.
- Has five walks in his last 13 games after a 33-game streak without a walk, which was the longest by an Athletic in 21 years.
- Batted .298 with 24 home runs and 105 RBI in 137 games with Double-A San Antonio last year...was a Texas League Postseason All-Star after leading the league in hits (154) and RBI while ranking second in extra base hits (56), third in home runs and fourth in doubles (31).

5 JOHN JASO **Current Streak:** 1 game (2 for 3)

- Was placed on the 7-day disabled list July 25 with a concussion...was transferred to the 15-day DL August 8.
- Is 9 for 40 (.225) over his last 16 games but has 13 walks over that span for a .415 on-base percentage.
- Batted .276 with 10 home runs and 50 RBI in 108 games in his lone season with Seattle last year...added 56 walks for a .394 on-base percentage...had career-highs in batting, on-base percentage, slugging percentage (.456), doubles (19), home runs and RBI.

8 JED LOWRIE **Career vs. Hendriks (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)** **Current Streak:** 0 for 4
Houston Series: 5-17, 2 r, 2b, hr, 3 rbi, 2 so **Homestand:** 8-38, 4 r, 3 2b, hr, 5 rbi, 2 bb, 5 so, sf, gidp

- Is 27 for 84 (.321) with 14 runs, 11 doubles, two triples, two home runs, 13 RBI and nine multiple hit games over his last 21 games.
- Leads the American League with 19 doubles since the All-Star Break and has 42 for the season, which ranks second in the AL and third in the majors...it is an Athletics record for a switch-hitter...is the fifth player (ninth time) in Oakland history with 40 doubles in a season.
- Has a .292 (118 for 404) batting average in his 105 games as a shortstop, which is the second best batting average among AL shortstops (Peralta, DET .305).
- Is tied for third in the AL in games of three or more hits (16) and tied for seventh in games of four or more hits (3)...the 16 three-hit games are tied for the fifth highest single season total in Oakland history.
- Has made five starts batting leadoff and is 10 for 21 (.476) with five runs, two doubles, a triple, home run and three walks in those games...is 15 for 34 (.441) with three doubles, a triple, home run, three RBI and three walks in eight career starts batting first.
- Has committed 15 errors as a shortstop, which is tied for second most among AL shortstops...also has two errors as a second baseman and his 17 errors overall are second most among all AL fielders (Ramirez, CWS 21).
- Has struck out in each of his three appearances as a pinch hitter this year.
- Has career highs in games, at bats, runs, hits, doubles, RBI, walks, extra base hits and strikeouts...is batting .288 and the best mark of his career is .287 in 2010.
- Batted .244 with 16 home runs and 42 RBI in 97 games in his lone season with Houston last year...the home runs ranked third among National League shortstops...led the Astros in walks (43)...had a career high in home runs...had two stints on the disabled list.

OAKLAND A's SINGLE SEASON DOUBLE LEADERS		
47	Jason Giambi	2001
43	Eric Chavez	2001
42	Jed Lowrie	2013
42	Miguel Tejada	2003
41	two players tied	

37 BRANDON MOSS **Career vs. Hendriks (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)** **Current Streak:** 1 game (3 for 4)
Houston Series: 3-10, r, 2b, 2 rbi, 2 bb, 5 so **Homestand:** 6-23, 3 r, 2b, hr, 5 rbi, 5 bb, 10 so

- Is batting .339 (19 for 56) with 13 runs, eight home runs and 19 RBI over his last 20 games (since August 19)...the home runs are tied with Coco Crisp for the most in the majors over that span and the RBI are tied for third.
- Ranks fourth in the American League in home runs with two outs (13), tied for sixth in home runs off right-handers (22), tied for seventh in home runs since the All-Star Break (10) and home runs with runners on base (12) and tied for 10th in home runs with two strikes (9)
- Of his last 23 hits, 14 are for extra bases (five doubles, nine home runs).
- Is batting .301 (40 for 133) with 33 strikeouts in 44 games since the All-Star Break after hitting .228 with 93 strikeouts in 87 games before the break.
- Has made 10 of his last 11 starts in right field after making each of his 59 previous starts at first base...has now started 18 games in right field for the season (made eight straight starts from May 8-17)...has made 70 of his last 73 starts against right-handed pitching.
- Is 1 for 14 (.071) with a double, two walks and six strikeouts as a pinch hitter...is tied for fifth in the AL in pinch strikeouts.
- Has career highs in at bats, runs, hits, home runs, RBI, walks, strikeouts, stolen bases and extra base hits.
- Batted .291 with 21 home runs and 52 RBI in just 84 games with the A's last year after joining the club in June...the home runs were a career-high and tied for third most in American League history by a player with fewer than 90 games played.

36 DEREK NORRIS **Career vs. Hendriks (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)** **Current Streak:** 0 for 5
Houston Series: 1-6, 4 so **Homestand:** 1-6, 4 so

- Was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list Friday and is 1 for 6 (.167) with four strikeouts in two starts since his return (one at catcher, one at designated hitter)...the start at DH was his first at a position other than catcher this year.
- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list August 23 retroactive to August 21 with a fractured left big toe...it was his first career stint on the DL...went 6 for 14 (.429) with three runs, two home runs and four RBI on a three-game rehab assignment with Triple-A Sacramento from August 31 to September 2...started two games at catcher and one at designated hitter
- Is hitting .328 (20 for 61) with five of his eight home runs since July 1...hit .283 in April and combined for a .163 average in May and June.
- Is batting .305 (39 for 128) with all eight of his home runs against left-handed pitching compared to .137 (14 for 102) against right-handers...is slugging .563 against lefties compared to .167 against righties...last year, he hit five of his seven home runs off righties.
- Has hit six of his eight home runs at home...four have given the A's the lead, as have seven of the 15 in his career.
- Has thrown out 7 of 40 (17.5%) attempted base stealers.
- Split the 2012 season between Triple-A Sacramento and Oakland...batted .271 with nine home runs and 38 RBI in 58 games with the River Cats and .201 with seven home runs and 34 RBI in 60 games in his Major League debut with the A's.

12 ANDY PARRINO **Career vs. Hendriks (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)** **Current Streak:** 2 games (2 for 6)
Houston Series: DNP **Homestand:** 0-1

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento September 1 for his second stint with the A's this year and flew out as a pinch hitter in his first game Wednesday...remained in the game at shortstop.
- Went 3 for 24 (.125) with a double in nine games during his first stint from April 10 to 24...made six starts (four at second base, one at shortstop, one at third base).
- Hit a career-low .210 in 108 games with Sacramento...appeared in 85 games at shortstop, 18 at third base and five at second base...batted .119 (7 for 59) over his final 19 games...his complete statistics with Sacramento this year:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento (AAA)	.210	108	367	43	77	16	3	4	36	43	102	3	1	.302	.300

- Split the 2012 season between San Diego and Triple-A Tucson, batting .207 in 55 games with the Padres and .328 in 65 games with Tucson...added a home run and six RBI with San Diego in his second season in the majors.

16 JOSH REDDICK **Career vs. Hendriks (.500, 1-2, 0 HR, 1 BB, 0 SO)** **Current Streak:** 0 for 7
Houston Series: DNP **Homestand:** DNP

- Was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list today...was placed on the 15-day disabled list August 26 with a sprained right wrist...it was his second career stint on the disabled list as he was out earlier this year from May 7 to 30 with a sprained right wrist.
- Is 14 for 53 (.264) with 11 runs scored, five home runs and nine RBI over his last 15 games...had just five home runs over his first 82 games.
- Is hitting .214 (70 for 327) as an outfielder, which is the second lowest mark in the majors (Upton, ATL .195)...the lowest batting average in Oakland history by an outfielder is .228 by Matt Stairs in 2000.
- Has been successful in each of his nine stolen base attempts and is 20 for 21 (95.2%) in two seasons with the A's.
- Batted .242 with 32 home runs and 85 RBI in 156 games in his first season with the A's last year...tied for 10th in the American League in home runs...became the eighth Athletic to win a Rawlings Gold Glove Award, the fourth outfielder...ranked third among AL outfielders with 15 assists.

15 SETH SMITH **Career vs. Hendriks (.000, 0-2, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)** **Current Streak:** 1 game (1 for 2)
Houston Series: 1-8, r, hr, 3 rbi, 3 so **Homestand:** 3-11, r, hr, 3 rbi, bb, hbp, 4 so

- Is batting .145 (11 for 76) with five RBI in 31 games since the All-Star Break after hitting .267 with 32 RBI in 77 games before the break.
- Has made 92 starts at three different positions (43 at designated hitter, 40 in left field, eight in right field)...has hit seven of his eight home runs as the DH.
- Is 2 for 9 (.222) with three walks, a hit by pitch and a home run as a pinch hitter...is tied for sixth in the American League in pinch walks...now has a .313 (52 for 166) career average as a pinch hitter with six home runs and 40 RBI...since 2007, he has the second best batting average and slugging percentage (.554) and third best on-base percentage (.412) among major league pinch hitters with 100 or more plate appearances...has the most triples (5), is second in RBI, tied for fourth in doubles (12), fifth in walks (29) and tied for eighth in home runs.
- Batted .240 with 14 home runs and 52 RBI in 125 games in his first season with the A's last year...the batting average was a career-low, but he walked a career-high 50 times for a .333 on-base percentage...made 92 of his 101 starts in games started by a right-handed pitcher.

HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

REGULAR SEASON HOME RUNS					LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN					Lead Off Home Runs (7)
Player	Solo	2R	3R	GS	Tot.	Date	Opponent	Pitcher	GP	Since
Barton	1	1	0	0	2	Sept. 4, 2013	Texas	Darvish	3	Coco Crisp, April 5 at Houston (Brad Peacock)
Callaspo	3	2	1	0	6	Aug. 18, 2013	Cleveland	Kazmir	18	Adam Rosales, May 3 at New York (CC Sabathia)
Céspedes	13	9	0	0	22	Sept. 7, 2013	Houston	Oberholtzer	1	Coco Crisp, June 3 at Milwaukee (Marco Estrada)
Choice	0	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	3	Coco Crisp, June 11 vs. New York (CC Sabathia)
Crisp	15	3	0	0	18	Sept. 4, 2013	Texas	Burns	3	Chris Young, Aug. 12 at Toronto (J.A. Happ)
Donaldson	10	8	2	1	21	Sept. 6, 2013	Houston	Humber	1	Coco Crisp, Aug. 21 vs. Seattle (Hisashi Iwakuma)
Freiman	2	1	1	0	4	Aug. 20, 2013	Seattle	Saunders	10	Coco Crisp, Sept. 1 vs. Tampa Bay (Jamey Wright)
Jaso	2	0	1	0	3	July 24, 2013	at Houston	Norris	--	Back-To-Back Home Runs (5)
Lowrie	7	3	1	0	11	Sept. 7, 2013	Houston	Zeid	12	Lowrie and Young, April 3 vs. Seattle
Moss	14	10	2	0	26	Sept. 4, 2013	Texas	Darvish	4	Céspedes and Moss, May 13 vs. Texas
Norris	4	2	2	0	8	Aug. 6, 2013	at Cincinnati	Chapman	8	Donaldson and Moss, May 25 at Houston
Parrino	0	0	0	0	0	April 8, 2012	Los Angeles (NL)	Harang	59	Donaldson and Smith, June 16 vs. Seattle
Reddick	5	4	1	0	10	Aug. 10, 2013	at Toronto	Janssen	13	Lowrie and Céspedes, August 9 at Toronto
Smith	5	2	1	0	8	Sept. 8, 2013	Houston	Harrell	--	Inside-The-Park Home Runs (0)
Sogard	0	2	0	0	2	July 21, 2013	at Los Angeles	Williams	34	None
Suzuki	1	1	2	0	4	Aug. 30, 2013	Tampa Bay	Price	3	Walk-Off Wins (7)
Vogt	2	1	0	0	3	Sept. 1, 2013	Tampa Bay	McGee	4	Josh Donaldson, April 12 vs. Detroit (home run)
Weeks	0	0	0	0	0	April 13, 2012	at Seattle	Furbush	110	Coco Crisp, April 28 vs. Baltimore (sacrifice/error 5)
Young	7	0	4	0	11	Aug. 18, 2013	Cleveland	Kazmir	10	Brandon Moss, April 29 vs. Los Angeles (home run)
others	6	0	0	0	6					Josh Reddick, June 1 vs. Chicago (walk)
Team	93	46	16	1	156					Nate Freiman, June 13 vs. New York (single)
										Josh Donaldson, July 14 vs. Boston (single)
										Brandon Moss, August 19 vs. Seattle (home run)

Grand Slams (1)

Josh Donaldson, June 7 at Chicago (Chris Sale)

Pinch Hit Home Runs (4)

John Jaso, April 9 at Los Angeles (Kevin Jepsen)
 Seth Smith, May 24 at Houston (Paul Clemens)
 Derek Norris, July 27 at Los Angeles (Scott Downs)
 Derek Norris, August 6 at Cincinnati (Aroldis Chapman)

MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs	Player	Category	No.	Needs
Balfour	Saves (w/OAK)	63	12 for 75 (ties Bailey and Isringhausen for 5 th in Athletics history)	Crisp	Triples (w/OAK)	19	2 for 21 (ties Monday and Page for 10 th in Oakland history)
Barton	Doubles	91	9 for 100		Steals (w/OAK)	137	7 for 144 (ties Jackson for 5 th in Oakland history)
Blevins	Games	273	1 for 274 (passes Blue for 8 th in Oakland history)	Lowrie	Games	490	10 for 500
Chavez	Games	184	16 for 200	Young	Runs	491	9 for 500

DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Anderson	Sprained right ankle	May 1-August 27	103	Reddick	Sprained right wrist	May 7-30	22
Céspedes	Strained muscle, left hand	April 13-27	14	Reddick	Sprained right wrist	August 26-Sept. 9	14
Colón	Strained left groin	August 14-28	14	Rodriguez	Sprained right elbow	March 23-present	143
Crisp	Strained left hamstring	April 30-May 14	14	Rosales	Strained left intercostal	March 26-April 24	22
Jaso	Concussion	July 25-present	42	Sizemore	Sprained left knee	April 10-present	135
Nakajima	Strained left hamstring	March 27-May 22	48	Young	Strained left quad	April 30-May 17	16
Norris	Fractured left big toe	August 21-Sept. 4	14				

The A's have used the disabled list 13 times this season...used the disabled list 21 times in 2012.

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

May 8	Josh Reddick placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 7 (sprained right wrist); Daric Barton selected from Sacramento; Jordan Norberto released	July 25	John Jaso placed on 7-day disabled list (concussion); Stephen Vogt recalled from Sacramento; Vinnie Catricala outrighted to Midland
May 10	Jesse Chavez recalled from Sacramento; Evan Scribner optioned to Sacramento; Brett Anderson sent to Midland on a rehab assignment	July 30	Alberto Callaspo acquired from the Los Angeles Angels for minor league infielder Grant Green
May 14	Michael Taylor optioned to Sacramento	July 31	Adam Rosales designated for assignment
May 15	Coco Crisp reinstated from the disabled list	August 2	Adam Rosales claimed off waivers by the Texas Rangers
May 16	Chris Young sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment	August 3	Evan Scribner recalled from Sacramento; Tommy Milone optioned to Sacramento
May 17	Hideki Okajima selected from Sacramento; Chris Resop designated for assignment	August 8	Adam Rosales claimed off waivers from the Texas Rangers; John Jaso transferred to 15-day DL
May 18	Chris Young reinstated from the disabled list; Daric Barton designated for assignment	August 9	Evan Scribner optioned to Sacramento
May 20	Chris Resop outrighted to Sacramento	August 10	Sonny Gray recalled from Sacramento; Adam Rosales designated for assignment
May 21	Daric Barton outrighted to Sacramento	August 12	Adam Rosales claimed off waivers by the Texas Rangers
May 23	Hiro Nakajima reinstated from the disabled list and optioned to Sacramento	August 16	Hiro Nakajima outrighted to Sacramento
May 27	Josh Reddick sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment	August 17	Brett Anderson sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment
May 28	Josh Reddick transferred to Sacramento on rehab	August 18	Bartolo Colón placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to August 14 (strained left groin); Tommy Milone recalled from Sacramento
May 31	Josh Reddick reinstated from the disabled list; Luke Montz optioned to Sacramento	August 22	Brett Anderson transferred to Stockton on rehab
June 9	Vinnie Catricala acquired from the Seattle Mariners for a PTBNL or cash and optioned to Midland	August 23	Kurt Suzuki and cash considerations acquired from the Washington Nationals for Dakota Bacus; Derek Norris placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to August 21 (fractured left big toe)
June 14	Dan Otero selected from Sacramento; Hideki Okajima optioned to Sacramento; Brett Anderson transferred to the 60-day DL	August 26	Josh Reddick placed on the 15-day disabled list (sprained right wrist); Pat Neshek designated for assignment; Evan Scribner recalled from Sacramento; Daric Barton selected from Sacramento
June 23	Dan Straily optioned to Sacramento	August 28	Brett Anderson reinstated from the disabled list; Tommy Milone optioned to Stockton; Pat Neshek outrighted to Sacramento
June 25	Stephen Vogt recalled from Sacramento	August 29	Bartolo Colón reinstated from the disabled list; Evan Scribner optioned to Sacramento
July 4	Dan Straily recalled from Sacramento; Stephen Vogt optioned to Sacramento	August 31	Derek Norris sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment
July 8	Grant Green recalled from Sacramento; Adam Rosales designated for assignment	Sept. 1	Pedro Figueroa, Andy Parrino and Jemile Weeks recalled from Sacramento; Michael Choice selected from Sacramento; Luke Montz designated for assignment
July 10	Sonny Gray selected from Sacramento; Dan Straily optioned to Sacramento	Sept. 3	Tommy Milone recalled from Stockton; Evan Scribner recalled from Sacramento; Pat Neshek selected from Sacramento; Hideki Okajima designated for assignment; Luke Montz released
July 12	Adam Rosales outrighted to Sacramento	Sept. 5	Derek Norris reinstated from the disabled list
July 19	Sonny Gray optioned to Sacramento	Sept. 7	Hideki Okajima outrighted to Sacramento
July 20	Dan Straily recalled from Sacramento	Sept. 10	Josh Reddick reinstated from the disabled list
July 23	Grant Green optioned to Sacramento		
July 24	Adam Rosales selected from Sacramento; Vinnie Catricala designated for assignment		

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