

## **OAKLAND ATHLETICS NEWS LINKS, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2013**

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By John Hickey, Oakland Tribune

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By Carl Steward, Oakland Tribune

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#### **ALDS Game 1 wrapup: Reddick earns his pay with bullet throw; A's looking at lineup change at first base; Moss says Scherzer the best club has seen**

By John Hickey, Oakland Tribune

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By John Hickey, Oakland Tribune

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By Daniel Brown, San Jose Mercury News

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By Tim Kawakami, San Jose Mercury News

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By Tim Kawakami, San Jose Mercury News

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By Monte Poole, Bay Area News Group

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**Céspedes' homer isn't enough amid 16 strikeouts, just 3 hits**

Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

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Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

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Henry Schulman, San Francisco Chronicle

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Bruce Jenkins, San Francisco Chronicle

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From Chronicle Staff Writer Susan Slusser at the Coliseum

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By Henry Schulman, San Francisco Chronicle

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Will Kane, San Francisco Chronicle

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Cespedes' late homer isn't enough to offset bats' struggles

By Jane Lee / MLB.com

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By Barry M. Bloom / MLB.com

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**A's ace struggles with fastball command against aggressive Tigers lineup**

By Jeff Kirshman / MLB.com

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**Impressive right-hander has big-game experience from Vanderbilt days**

By Barry M. Bloom / MLB.com

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Oakland rookie Gray opposes Detroit's Verlander in Game 2

By Lyle Spencer / MLB.com

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By Bobby Nightengale / MLB.com

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**Righty fans 11 over seven innings; three-run first inning key in win**

By Jason Beck / MLB.com

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**Righty dominates A's for nearly all of seven-inning, 11-K outing in win**

By Paul Hagen / MLB.com

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By Matt Kawahara, Sacramento Bee

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By Phil Barber, Santa Rosa Press Democrat

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