

2014 Oakland A's



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OAKLAND ATHLETICS (8-4) VS. LOS ANGELES ANGELS (6-6)

MONDAY, APRIL 14, 2014 – ANGEL STADIUM – 7:05 P.M. PDT
RHP JESSE CHAVEZ (0-0, 1.38) VS. LHP HECTOR SANTIAGO (0-2, 7.71)
ESPN – A'S RADIO NETWORK (95.7 FM THE GAME)

ABOUT THE A'S: Have won six of the last seven games and are now 8-4 for the season...that is the best record in the American League and is tied for third best in the majors...the 8-4 start matches the A's second best record after 12 games over the last 22 years (were 9-3 last year)...with a win tonight, the A's would match their best record after 13 games over the last 24 years...the A's are the only team in the majors that has not lost back-to-back games this year...are in sole possession of first place in the AL West for the second consecutive day and third time in the last four days...are a season-high 1½ games ahead of second place Seattle...have three days in sole possession of first place this year, one day tied for first, three days in second, three days tied for second, one day tied for third and three days in fourth.

MLB BEST RECORDS, LAST THREE YEARS			
	W	L	PCT
Oakland	198	138	.589
Atlanta	198	138	.589
St. Louis	192	144	.571
Washington	191	145	.568
Cincinnati	191	145	.568

STARTING PITCHING: Scott Kazmir tossed six shutout innings yesterday, the sixth time in the first 12 games A's starters have allowed one run or fewer...starters have allowed three earned runs or fewer in each of the first 12 contests, which is their longest such season-opening streak since 1981 when they had a 16-game streak (Norris, Langford, Keough, McCatty and Kingman)...now have a 1.95 ERA (16 er in 74.0 ip), which is the lowest mark in the American League and second lowest in the majors (Atlanta, 1.82)...also rank fourth in the AL in opponents batting (.221) and strikeouts (72)...have two 30-year olds (Scott Kazmir and Jesse Chavez) in the starting rotation at the same time for the first time since April of 2010 (Ben Sheets, Justin Duchschere).

PITCHING: The A's pitching staff struck out at least 11 batters in all three games of the Seattle series, which marks the third time in Oakland history the A's have fanned 11 or more in three consecutive games (July 22-25, 2012 and September 22-24, 2013)...had 34 strikeouts total while waking just two...the A's had their first shutout of the season yesterday and have now allowed three runs or fewer in nine of the first 12 games...have a 2.17 ERA, which is the lowest mark in the American League and second lowest in the majors (Milwaukee, 1.80)...have the lowest opponents on-base percentage (.271) and slugging percentage (.302) in the AL, the second lowest batting average (.209) and are tied for the second fewest home runs (8).

HOME AND AWAY: The A's are 5-1 on the first road trip of the season, a nine-game trip to Minnesota (3-0), Seattle (2-1) and Los Angeles-AL (three games)...have the best road record in the American League and third best in the majors...have won their first two road series for the second consecutive season...started the season 6-0 on the road last year before losing each of their next four games...return home following the game Wednesday for a six-game homestand with Houston (three games) and Texas (three games)...went 3-3 on the first homestand against Cleveland (1-2) and Seattle (2-1).

AGAINST LEFT-HANDERS: The A's are scheduled to face two left-handed starting pitchers in this three game series against the Angels...have faced just one left-handed starter over the first 12 games (Elias on April 3)...that is tied with Detroit for the fewest in the AL...are batting .156 (10 for 64) against left-handed pitchers compared to .249 (86 for 346) against right-handers...the mark against lefties is the lowest in the majors (St. Louis, .173).

NIGHT AND DAY: The A's are 6-1 in day games, which is the best record in the majors...are 2-3 in night games, which is tied for the second worst record in the American League...are batting .265 (65 for 245) during the day compared to .182 (30 for 165) at night...have the lowest night batting average in the majors (Houston, .190)...have hit 10 of their 12 home runs during the day.

OFFENSE: The A's rank third in the American League in walks (56) and tied for third in triples (4)...have grounded into the second fewest double plays (5)...are tied for the second fewest doubles (16).

THIS AND THAT: The A's are 2-1 during this stretch of 19 consecutive games against American League West competition (April 11-30)...have not used a rookie, marking their longest stretch without a rookie on the roster since 2006 when they had no rookies for the first 36 days of the season (April 3-May 8)...all four of the A's losses have been by two runs...are one of four teams in the majors that has not lost

a game by more than three runs (Cincinnati, Milwaukee, Seattle)...played their second extra inning game of the season last Wednesday at Minnesota, both in games started by Jesse Chavez and both wins...are one of two AL teams with two extra inning wins.

THE DISABLED LIST: The A's reinstated Craig Gentry from the disabled list Saturday and now have five players on the DL (Elmore, Griffin, O'Flaherty, Parker, Rodriguez)...O'Flaherty and Parker are both on the 60-day DL...Rodriguez is on a rehab assignment with Sacramento...had seven players on the DL for the first seven days of the season, which matches the most players the A's had on the DL at once last year (May 7-14 and August 26-27)...used the DL just 13 times all last year, which was the fewest since 2005 when they used it eight times...have not had fewer than two players on the DL since the end of the 2006 season when they had just one.

DURING THE SPRING: The A's went 15-13-5, which marked their third consecutive spring with a winning record...the five tie games were the most by an Oakland team since moving to Arizona for Spring Training in 1969...the previous high was three in 2010 and 2013...led the majors in walks (135) and ranked second in runs (193) and on-base percentage (.358)...the A's pitching staff ranked fifth in the majors with 247 strikeouts...those are the most strikeouts by an A's team during the spring since statistics are available beginning in 1991.

SCORING CHANGE: In the third inning of the A's game against Seattle on Saturday, Brandon Moss was originally credited with RBI single after passing the base runner on Ackley's dropped transfer of a fly ball...Moss is now credited with a sacrifice fly and a RBI...that erases his hitting streak, which had reached a career-high tying eight games yesterday...this change is reflected in today's notes but not the statistics.

A's vs. ANGELS: The A's won the season series last year 11-8...went 6-4 in Oakland and 5-4 in Los Angeles...it was the A's third consecutive season series win...are 32-25 against the Angels over the previous three seasons...including 26-2 when scoring four or more runs...have been shutout in seven of their last 17 losses to the Angels and have scored just one run in six of those games...since moving to Oakland in 1968, the A's are 397-321 against the Angels...that includes 205-153 in Oakland and 192-168 in Anaheim...all-time, the A's are 446-398 against the Angels.

TODAY'S TIDBITS

Coco Crisp stole his 144th base as an Athletic yesterday, which ties Reggie Jackson for fifth in Oakland history...has a 145-game errorless streak, which is fifth longest in Oakland history by an outfielder...**Luke Gregerson** made his seventh appearance of the season yesterday, which is tied for the American League lead...has pitched in 370 games since 2009, which is the most in the majors over that span...**John Jaso** has a .415 (27 for 65) career batting average at Angel Stadium, which is the best mark among player with 75 or more plate appearances...**Jed Lowrie** has reached base safely in each of the last 11 games, going 8 for 29 (.276) with 14 walks and a hit by pitch (1 sf, .511 on-base percentage)...leads the AL and ranks fifth in the majors in on-base percentage (.469)...**Dan Otero** has not allowed a home run in 57.1 career innings.

THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

In **1915** Herb Pennock comes within one out of pitching the first Opening Day no-hitter...a scratch single by Harry Hooper is the only hit in the A's 5-0 win over Boston...in **1925** two future Hall of Famers make their Major League debut in the same game as Lefty Grove starts against Boston and Mickey Cochrane has a pinch hit single in a game the A's would win 9-8 in 10 innings...in **1971** Reggie Jackson hits his 100th home run in an Oakland uniform to become the first Oakland Athletic to reach the century mark...he also hit his 101st in the A's 6-1 win at Minnesota...in **1974** Jim Hunter strikes out Toby Harrah in the first inning of the A's 4-2 win against Texas...it is his 1000th strikeout as an Oakland Athletic, making him the first Oakland pitcher to reach that plateau...two years later, in **1976**, Vida Blue strikeouts out four Texas Rangers to give him 1000 career strikeouts...he finished his A's career with 1315 career strikeouts, an Oakland record...in **2001** Miguel Tejada hits the 10000th home run in Athletics history in a 9-8 loss to Texas.

PITCHING PROBABLES

Tue., April 15 at Los Angeles RHP Dan Straily (1-1, 2.77) vs. RHP Garrett Richards (2-0, 0.75) 7:05 CSNCA/95.7 FM The Game
Wed., April 16 at Los Angeles LHP Tommy Milone (0-1, 5.40) vs. LHP Tyler Skaggs (1-0, 2.40) 7:05 CSNCA/95.7 FM The Game

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

TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Jesse Chavez (0-0, 1.38 ERA)

AS A STARTER: Has allowed one earned run in each of his first two starts and has a 1.38 ERA, which is tied for seventh in the American League...the A's have played extra innings in each of his two starts...prior to this year, had made just two career starts, both with Toronto in 2012...had a loss and a 10.38 ERA in those two outings...is now 0-1 with a 4.98 ERA (12 er in 21.2 ip) in four career starts...has 54 career starts as a minor leaguer...made 23 starts over the previous two seasons after starting just once from 2005-11.

FIRST START: He had a no decision in the A's 3-2, 12-inning win over Seattle April 3 in Oakland...was charged with an unearned run in the first inning when Almonte reached on a Callaspo error, went to second on a Punto error, third on a Miller fly out and scored on a Cano ground out...also allowed a RBI single to Almonte in the fifth to make the score 2-0...the A's scored single runs in the fifth and eighth to tie the game.

LAST START: He had a no decision in the A's 7-4, 11-inning win at Minnesota last Wednesday...struck out a career-high nine in a career-high 7.0 innings...the A's scored four times in the first inning and he allowed a solo home run to Kubel to lead off the second...that was the only run he would allow in his seven innings and he was relieved by Doolittle to start the eighth with a 4-1 lead...Doolittle allowed a run in the eighth and Johnson two in the ninth.

CHAVEZ' 2014 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 3	Seattle	3-2 (12)	--	1.50	6.0	5	2	1	2	4	0	91
April 9	at Minnesota	7-4 (11)	--	1.38	7.0	6	1	1	0	9	1	94

CHAVEZ vs. LOS ANGELES: Is 1-2 with a 7.56 ERA (8.1 ip, 11 h, 10 r, 7 er, 4 bb, 8 so, 1 hr) in eight career appearances, all in relief...is 1-1 with a 9.00 ERA (5 er in 5.0 ip) in four games in his home ballparks and 0-1 with a 5.40 ERA (2 er in 3.1 ip) in four games in Anaheim...was 1-1 with a 4.76 ERA (5.2 ip, 6 h, 4 r, 3 er, 2 bb, 6 so) in four relief appearances last year...last faced the Angels September 23 at Los Angeles...pitched 1.2 innings of relief and retired all five batters he faced, three by strikeout.

CAREER STARTS				CAREER MATCHUPS											
DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	AVG.	AB	H	R	BB	SO	
Has never started against the Angels															
										Aybar	.750	4	3	0	0
										Calhoun	---	0	0	0	1
										Conger	.500	2	1	0	0
										Freese	1.000	1	1	0	0
										Hamilton	.250	4	1	0	0
										Iannetta	.000	2	0	0	0
										Ibanez	.200	5	1	0	1
										Kendrick	.000	4	0	0	0
										Pujols	.750	4	3	0	1
										Shuck	.500	4	2	0	0
										Stewart	1.000	1	1	0	0
										Trout	.333	3	1	0	1

THIS SPRING: Went 5-1 with a save and a 2.22 ERA in seven games, five starts...the five wins were the most in the majors this spring and the most by an A's pitcher since spring win totals are available beginning in 1990...ranked second in the Cactus League in innings pitched (28.1), fourth in strikeouts (25) and eighth in ERA...allowed a .216 opponents batting average...did not allow a run in five of his seven games, including a spring-opening 13.2-inning scoreless streak.

CHAVEZ' 2014 SPRING TRAINING APPEARANCES

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR		
February 26	San Francisco	10-5	W	0.00	2.0	1	0	0	0	1	0		
March 2	at Los Angeles (AL)	3-2	W	0.00	2.2	1	0	0	1	2	0		
*March 7	Arizona	2-0	W	0.00	4.0	1	0	0	0	5	0		
*March 13	Colorado	10-5	S	0.00	4.0	5	0	0	1	4	0		
March 18	at Chicago (AL)	16-6	W	1.04	4.2	6	2	2	2	2	2		
March 23	Chicago (NL)	6-8	L	2.74	5.2	7	5	5	1	6	2		
March 28	at San Francisco	4-1	W	2.22	5.1	1	0	0	1	5	0		
Totals (7 games, 5 starts)					5-1	2.22	28.1	22	7	7	6	25	4

**indicates relief appearance*

2013 RECAP: Spent most of the season with the A's and was 2-4 with a save and a career-low 3.92 ERA in 35 games over two stints...the save was the first of his career and he also struck out a career-high 55 batters...also had career lows in opponents batting average (.230), on-base percentage (.302) and slugging percentage (.318)...matched his career highs in wild pitches (5) and hit batters (3)...surrendered just three home runs in 57.1 innings, an average of 0.47 per nine

innings...entered the season with 34 home runs in 177.1 career innings (1.73 per nine innings).

BEFORE AND AFTER THE BREAK: Had a 2.97 ERA and .210 opponents batting average in 18 games before the All-Star Break...then compiled a 5.25 ERA and .258 opponents average in 17 games after the break.

OPPONENTS BATTING: His opponents batting average included a .212 (21-for-99) mark against right-handed hitters compared to .246 (29-for-118) against left-handers...yielded all three of his home runs to right-handers but issued 14 of his 20 walks to lefties...allowed a .167 batting average with runners in scoring position and two outs...had a .269 batting average over his first 15 pitches in a game, .193 after that...opponents hit .333 with a .418 on-base percentage when leading off an inning.

IN RELIEF: First batters faced were 8-for-32 (.250) with two walks (.286 on-base percentage)...allowed 8-of-26 (30.8%) inherited runners to score.

HOME AND AWAY: Had a 2.73 ERA and .181 opponents batting average in 20 games on the road compared to a 5.20 ERA and .277 opponents average in 15 games at home.

THIS AND THAT: Led AL relievers in sacrifice hits allowed (6) and averaged the seventh most pitches per game (27.1)...tied for fifth among all AL pitchers in sacrifice hits...tossed at least one inning in 30 of his 35 appearances, including 10 outings of two or more.

MORE 2013 WITH OAKLAND: Was recalled from Sacramento April 20 and appeared in just three games during his first stint...had a 6.23 ERA and .350 opponents batting average when he was optioned to Sacramento April 29...returned May 10 and spent the remainder of the season with Oakland...did not allow a run in six of his first seven outings following his return...had a 0.59 ERA and .132 opponents batting average over that stretch that ran from May 10 to June 13...it included a career-high 12.2-inning scoreless streak from May 15 to June 13...capped his scoreless streak by tossing 5.2 scoreless innings of relief June 13 against New York (AL) for his first win in the A's 3-2, 18-inning victory over the Yankees...allowed just one hit and walked a season-high two while striking out seven...it was the longest relief appearance of his career and the longest outing by an A's reliever since Lenny DiNardo tossed 6.0 innings Aug. 2, 2008 against Boston...was charged with his first loss in his next outing June 17 at Texas...allowed two runs to score plus an inherited runner...allowed 3-of-7 (42.9%) inherited runners to score through that game but then allowed just 2-of-14 (14.3%) to score over his next 17 contests...was charged with his second loss of the season when he allowed a season-high four runs in 1.1 innings in a 7-1 loss to St. Louis June 29...tossed 4.0 scoreless innings for his first career save in a 10-4 win at Kansas City July 7...it was the fourth four-inning save by an A's reliever since 1991, the first since Chad Gaudin May 4, 2006 against Cleveland...matched his season high by allowing four hits July 25 against Los Angeles (AL)...yielded three runs in that game and allowed three runs in three of six games from July 25 to Aug. 17 (10 er in 10.2 ip, 8.44 ERA)...matched his season high with two walks July 28 against Los Angeles (AL)...appeared in just six of the A's 38 games from Aug. 2 to Sept. 12 and allowed a run in the four of those contests (4.05 ERA)...struck out in his only at bat of the season Aug. 7 at Cincinnati and is 0 for 5 with five strikeouts in his career...walked a season-high two batters in back-to-back outings Aug. 20 against Seattle and Aug. 23 at Baltimore...did not allow an earned run over his final six outings beginning Sept. 15 (6.1 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 bb, 8 so)...was on the A's roster for the ALDS against Detroit but did not appear in a game.

2013 WITH SACRAMENTO: Was used exclusively as a starter with Sacramento and went 2-2 with a 2.70 ERA in five starts...allowed just one home run in 30.0 innings...walked five batters, an average of 1.50 per nine innings...struck out 26 for a strikeout to walk ratio of 5.20...yielded a .285 opponents batting average, including .240 (18-for-75) against right-handed hitters compared to .354 (17-for-48) against left-handers...went 1-1 with a 2.45 ERA in three starts before he was called up by Oakland the first time April 20...that included a season-high nine strikeout game for his first win, April 15 at Reno...logged a 1-1 record and a 3.09 ERA in two starts during his second stay with the River Cats from April 29 to May 9.

CHAVEZ BY THE NUMBERS						
	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2014	0	0	1.38	2	13.0	2
2013	2	4	3.92	35	57.1	25
Career	9	15	5.27	193	247.2	145
Home	0	0	1.50	1	6.0	1
Road	0	0	1.29	1	7.0	1
Day	0	0	1.29	1	7.0	1
Night	0	0	1.50	1	6.0	1
Pre-ASB	0	0	1.38	2	13.0	2
Post-ASB	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
	AVG.	AB	H			
vs. LHH	.250	32	8			
vs. RHH	.176	17	3			

CHAVEZ' CAREER HIGHS	
Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	7.0, 4/9/14 at MIN
Fewest IP, GS:	2.2, 6/29/2012
H:	7, 6/24/12 at MIA
R:	7, 8/23/10 at DET
ER:	7, 8/23/10 at DET
BB:	4, 6/19/12 at MIL
SO:	9, 4/9/14 at MIN
HR:	2 (five times), last: 7/14/12 vs. CLE
Pitches:	94, 4/9/14 at MIN
Win Streak:	2 (3 times), last: 8/4/12 to 6/13/13
Loss Streak:	5, 9/25/08 to 8/31/09
Scoreless Streak:	12.2, 5/15/13 to 6/13/13
Complete Games:	None
Shutouts:	None

TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER	
RHP Dan Straily (1-1, 2.77 ERA):	Was the winning pitcher in his last start, a 6-1 A's victory at Minnesota last Thursday (7.0 ip, 3 h, 1 r, 1 er, 2 bb, 5 so)...has allowed three runs or fewer in each of his last eight starts dating back to August 28 of last year and is 5-2 with a 2.20 ERA and .194 opponents batting average over that span...is 1-3 with a 5.82 ERA in six career starts against Los Angeles, including 0-3 with a 5.56 ERA in four starts last year...had no decisions and a 4.37 ERA in four starts this spring...issued 10 walks in 13.1 innings...had five stints with Oakland in 2013 and was 10-8 with a 3.96 ERA in 27 starts...led American League rookies in games started, innings pitched (152.1) and strikeouts (124) and tied for the lead in wins (Perez, TEX).

ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

TEAM

3-2, 2.61 ERA (11 er in 38.0 ip)
Saves/Opportunities: 3-for-6 (50.0%)

- The A's bullpen has allowed four runs in the last nine games (29.0 ip, 1.24 ERA) after surrendering seven runs over the first three contests (9.0 ip, 7.00 ERA).
- Ranks second in the American League in ERA (2.61) and opponents batting average (.184) and is tied for the third fewest home runs (2).
- Has allowed just 1 of 11 (0.9%) inherited runners to score, which is third lowest in the AL.
- First batters faced are hitting .161 (5 for 31), which is third lowest in the AL...have just one double for a .194 slugging percentage, which is the lowest mark in the majors.
- Was charged with its third blown save of the season last Wednesday at Minnesota, which is tied for second most in the AL.
- Ranked third in the AL with a 3.22 ERA in 2013...also ranked third in opponents on-base percentage (.300), fourth in slugging percentage (.357) and fifth in opponents batting average (.237).

56 LHP FERNANDO ABAD

Last Outing: 4/13 at Seattle (ND, 0.1 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 2/0
First Hitters: 0-4, bb

- Has not allowed a run or hit over his first five outings (5.0 ip) and has struck out seven of the 17 batters he has faced...his 5.0 innings are second most in the American League among pitchers that have not allowed a run or hit (Atchison, CLE 6.1 ip).
- Has never faced the Angels in his career.
- Is on his third career Opening Day roster (2011 and 2012 with Houston).
- Compiled a 3.27 ERA and allowed a .205 batting average in a team-leading 11 appearances this spring...did not issue a walk in 11.0 innings while striking out 12.
- Has a 13-game losing streak dating back to April 9, 2011, which is the longest active losing streak in the majors.
- Was acquired from Washington for minor league infielder John Wooten, November 25, 2013.

Last Year: Began the season at Triple-A Syracuse and was 1-0 with a 1.06 ERA in 17 relief appearances...was promoted to Washington May 21 and went 0-3 with a 3.35 ERA in a career-high 39 relief appearances.

48 RHP RYAN COOK

Last Outing: 4/10 at Minnesota (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0
First Hitters: 0-1, bb

- Was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list a week ago today and has pitched twice since then...was placed on the DL March 29 retroactive to March 21 with right shoulder tendinitis.
- Had a two-game rehab assignment with Single-A Stockton April 3-5 (1.2 ip, 2 h, 2 r, 2 er, 2 bb, 2 so, 1 hr, 10.80 ERA).
- Did not allow a run in seven appearances against the Angels last year (7.0 ip, 4 h, 10 so) and now has an 8.1-inning scoreless streak against Los Angeles...is 1-0 with two saves and a 2.35 ERA (4 er in 15.1 ip) in 16 career outings against the Angels...has not allowed a run in seven career appearances at Angel Stadium (6.2 ip, 4 h, 1 bb, 6 so).
- Has a 1.13 ERA (3 er in 24.0 ip) in 22 career appearances in April.
- Did not pitch in a Major League game during the spring.

Last Year: Was 6-4 with two saves and a 2.54 ERA in a team-leading 71 relief appearances...allowed just two home runs in 67.1 innings, an average of 0.27 per nine innings, which was fourth lowest among AL relievers.

62 LHP SEAN DOOLITTLE

Last Outing: 4/13 at Seattle (S, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 1-1
Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0
First Hitters: 1-7

- Recorded his first save of the season and the fourth of his career yesterday at Seattle.
- Has not allowed a run in six of his seven outings...is tied for the American League lead in games pitched (7)...ranks seventh among AL relievers in innings pitched (7.2)...the innings pitched are tied for the most among Major League relievers that have not issued a walk (Thornburg, MIL).
- Did not allow a run in eight games against Los Angeles last year (7.2 ip, 3 h, 5 so)...has a 2.38 ERA (3 er in 11.1 ip) in 12 career appearances against the Angels.
- Has a 1.50 ERA (3 er in 18.0 ip) in 18 career appearances in April.
- Finished the 2013 season by stranding each of his 19 inherited runners over his final 37 games.

Last Year: Went 5-5 with two saves and a 3.13 ERA in 70 games...allowed just 2-of-32 (6.3%) inherited runners to score, which was the lowest mark in the majors...issued 13 walks in 69.0 innings (1.70 per nine innings).

44 RHP LUKE GREGERSON

Last Outing: 4/13 at Seattle (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 1-2
Inherited Runners/Scored: 2/0
First Hitters: 2-7

- Made his seventh appearance of the season yesterday at Seattle, which is tied for the American League lead...has not allowed a run in six of those contests...now has 370 games pitched since 2009, which is the most in the majors over that span.
- Recorded his first save of the season Saturday night against the Mariners...it was the 17th of his career.
- Has a win in three career outings against the Angels, all with San Diego in 2012 (2.1 ip, 1 h, 1 bb, 2 so).
- Is in his sixth season in the majors and is on his sixth consecutive Opening Day roster...the first five came with San Diego (2009-13).
- Was acquired from San Diego for Seth Smith, December 3, 2013.

Last Year: Went 6-8 with four saves and a 2.71 ERA in a team-leading 73 games in his fifth and final season with San Diego...topped 70 games for the fourth time in the last five years.

45 RHP JIM JOHNSON

Last Outing: 4/11 at Seattle (ND, 2.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 4 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 1-2
Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0
First Hitters: 2-4, 2 bb

- Retired all six batters he faced Friday night at Seattle and his 2.0 innings was his longest outing since June 5, 2012 at Seattle (also 2.0 ip)...had allowed at least two runs in three of his first five appearances (7 er in 3.1 ip, 18.90 ERA).
- Is tied for the lead among American League relievers in losses (2), tied for second in runs (7), tied for third in walks (6), tied for sixth in hits (9) and tied for seventh in games (6) and strikeouts (8).
- Had three saves in four games against the Angels last year (4.0 ip, 3 h, 2 r, 2 er, 3 so, 4.50 ERA)...is a perfect 5 for 5 in save opportunities and has a 1.80 ERA (4 er in 20.0 ip) and .145 (9 for 62) opponents batting average in 17 career appearances against Los Angeles.
- Has a streak of 20 consecutive saves against AL West competition dating back to August 6, 2012...has a 0.77 ERA (2 er in 23.1 ip) in 23 games total over that span.
- Was acquired from Baltimore for Jemile Weeks and minor league catcher David Freitas, December 2, 2013.

Last Year: Led the AL and tied Atlanta's Craig Kimbrel for the ML lead with 50 saves...is one of three relievers with two 50-save seasons in his career (Gagne, Rivera)...was 3-8 with a 2.94 ERA in career-high 74 appearances.

61 RHP DAN OTERO

Last Outing: 4/13 at Seattle (W, 0.2 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-1
Inherited Runners/Scored: 4/1
First Hitters: 0-3, sf

- Has picked up the win in each of his last two outings and is now 4-0 in his career...is tied for the American League lead among relievers in wins (2).
- Has not allowed a run in his last three outings (4.1 ip) after allowing a run in 1.2 innings in his first appearance.
- Has not allowed a run in three career appearances against the Angels, all last year (6.0 ip, 3 h, 4 so).
- Has not allowed a home run in 57.1 career innings.
- Is on his second Opening Day roster (San Francisco, 2012).
- Was 1-0 with a 4.50 ERA and .255 opponents batting average in nine games this spring...did not walk a batter in 12.0 innings.

Last Year: Began the year at Triple-A Sacramento where he went 1-0 with 15 saves and a 0.99 ERA in 23 appearances...was promoted to Oakland June 14 and finished the season with the A's, going 2-0 with a 1.38 ERA in 33 games.

13 LHP DREW POMERANZ

Last Outing: 4/11 at Seattle (ND, 1.0 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 1/0
First Hitters: 0-3, bb

- Allowed a two run home run to Zunino Friday night at Seattle after not allowing a run over his first three appearances (3.0 ip).
- Has never faced the Angels in his career.
- Begins his fourth professional season and his fourth season in the majors but is on his first Opening Day roster.
- Was 1-1 with a 2.84 ERA and .250 opponents batting average in eight relief appearances this spring...struck out 20 batters in 12.2 innings, an average of 14.21 per nine innings.
- Was acquired from Colorado with Chris Jensen for Brett Anderson and cash, December 10, 2013.

Last Year: Was 0-4 with a 6.23 ERA in eight games, including four starts, over two stints with Colorado...also went 8-1 with a 4.20 ERA in 15 starts with Triple-A Colorado Springs.

33 RHP FERNANDO RODRIGUEZ

Last Outing: 10/3/12 at Chicago-NL (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)

- Was placed on the disabled list March 29 retroactive to March 21 as he continues his recovery from Tommy John surgery.
- Pitched against Salt Lake yesterday on his rehab assignment with Triple-A Sacramento (1.0 ip, 1 so)...has pitched four times since starting the assignment April 3 (4.0 ip, 4 h, 2 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 4 so, 2.25 ERA).

ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

10 DARIC BARTON

Current Streak: 0 for 6
Seattle Series: 0-4, 2 r, hbp, 2 so
Road Trip: 1-7, 3 r, rbi, 2 bb, hbp, 3 so
Career vs. Santiago: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is 1 for 18 with two walks and a hit by pitch over his last nine games.
- Is in his eighth season in the majors and is on his fourth career Opening Day roster (2008, 2010, 2011).
- Batted .273 in 17 games this spring...added 12 walks for a team-leading .478 on-base percentage...tied for the Major League lead in walks.

Last Year: Had two stints with the A's in 2013 and batted .269 with 3 HR and 16 RBI in 37 games...spent the balance of the season at Sacramento where he batted .297 with a .423 on-base percentage in 110 games.

18 ALBERTO CALLASPO

Current Streak: 0 for 6
Seattle Series: 2-11, 2 2b, bb, 2 so
Road Trip: 8-24, 2 r, 3 2b, 2 rbi, 2 bb, 4 so
Career vs. Santiago: 1-3 (.333), 0 hr, 0 bb, 1 so

- Is batting .345 (10 for 29) in April and is a .292 (132 for 452) career hitter in the month, his best average for any month of the season.
- Has four multiple hit games in his eight contests.
- Has made five starts at designated hitter, two at third base and one at first base...had never played first base in the majors or minors prior to this year.
- Is on his eighth consecutive Opening Day roster and begins his ninth season in the majors with his fourth team (Arizona, Kansas City, Los Angeles-AL).
- Batted .333 with no home runs and four RBI in 19 games this spring...went 7 for 14 (.500) over his final five games...appeared in 11 games at third base, five at first base, two at designated hitter and one as a pinch hitter.

Last Year: Was acquired by the A's from the Angels one day before the trading deadline and batted .270 with five home runs and 22 RBI in 50 games with Oakland...combined for a .258 batting average in 136 games overall.

52 YOENIS CÉSPEDES

Current Streak: 2 games (2 for 7)
Seattle Series: 2-11, r, hr, 3 rbi, bb, 2 so
Road Trip: 6-24, 2 r, 2 2b, hr, 5 rbi, bb, 4 so, sf
Career vs. Santiago: 3-4 (.750), 1 hr, 1 bb, 1 so

- Is 8 for 24 (.333) with runners on base compared to 3 for 23 (.130) with the bases empty.
- Is tied for eighth in the American League in RBI (9).
- Is 8 for 28 (.286) during the day, 3 for 19 (.158) at night.
- Is one of two Athletics to start all 12 games (Donaldson).
- Is on his third consecutive Opening Day roster.
- Hit .167 with one home run and nine RBI in 20 games this spring.

Last Year: Batted .240 with 26 home runs and 80 RBI in 135 games in his second season in the majors...the home runs were a career high but his batting average dropped 52 points from his .292 in 2012.

4 COCO CRISP

Current Streak: 2 games (3 for 7)
Seattle Series: 3-8, 2 r, bb, 3 so, sb
Road Trip: 3-8, 2 r, bb, 3 so, sb
Career vs. Santiago: 1-3 (.333), 1 hr, 1 bb, 1 so

- Has reached base safely via hit or walk in each of his seven starts, all in center field batting leadoff.
- Stole his third base of the season yesterday, which is tied for fifth in the American League...it was his 144th as an Athletic, which ties him with Reggie Jackson for fifth in Oakland history...is 30-for-34 (88.2%) in stolen bases against Los Angeles...the steals are his most against any team.
- Struck out as a pinch hitter in the ninth inning Friday night after missing the three-game series at Minnesota because of a wrist injury.
- Has a 145-game errorless streak dating back to Aug. 23, 2012, which is fifth longest in Oakland history by an outfielder.
- Begins his 13th Major League season, his fifth with the A's...is on his 10th career Opening Day Roster (2004-09, 11-14), his fourth straight with the A's.
- Hit .261 in 16 games this spring...added 12 walks for a .414 on-base percentage...tied for the Major League lead in walks.

Last Year: Hit a career-high 22 home runs and stole 21 bases to become the 10th player in Athletics history with 20 HR and 20 SB in a season...also had career highs in runs (93) and walks (61)...batted .261 in 131 games.

OAKLAND A'S CAREER STOLEN BASE LEADERS

867	Rickey Henderson
398	Bert Campaneris
232	Billy North
146	Carney Lansford
144	Coco Crisp
144	Reggie Jackson

HIGHEST BATTING AVERAGE, ANGEL STADIUM

.415	John Jaso
.380	Melky Cabrera
.377	Evan Longoria
.370	Ryan Sweeney
.360	Duane Kuiper
<i>(min. 75 plate appearances)</i>	

20 JOSH DONALDSON

Current Streak: 7 games (10 for 32)
Seattle Series: 3-13, 2 r, 2 hr, 3 rbi, 2 so
Road Trip: 9-28, 6 r, 3 2b, 3 hr, 7 rbi, 8 so
Career vs. Santiago: 0-2 (.000), 0 hr, 2 bb, 0 so

- Has homered in back-to-back games and three of the last four contests...is tied for sixth in the American League in home runs (3)...is also tied for seventh in strikeouts (15) and tied for eighth in runs (8).
- Has hit safely in each of his last seven games (10 for 32, .313) with three doubles, three home runs and eight RBI after going 2 for 22 (.091) with no extra base hits and no RBI over his first five contests.
- Is one of two Athletics to start all 12 games (Céspedes).
- Is on his third straight Opening Day roster.
- Batted .275 with three home runs and 12 RBI in 19 games this spring.

Last Year: Batted .301 with 24 home runs and 93 RBI in 158 games...ranked sixth in the American League in on-base percentage (.384), tied for seventh in walks (76), ninth in slugging percentage (.499) and 10th in RBI.

15 JAKE ELMORE

Current Streak: 0 games (0 for 0)

- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 28 with a strained left quad...is eligible to be reinstated anytime.

3 CRAIG GENTRY

Current Streak: 0 for 2
Seattle Series: 0-2
Road Trip: 0-2
Career vs. Santiago: 0-4 (.000), 0 hr, 0 bb, 1 so

- Was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list Saturday and is 0 for 2 in two games, both in center field...was placed on the DL March 29 retroactive to March 21 with a lower back strain.
- Hit .342 with nine stolen bases in 14 games against Los Angeles last year...is a .316 (25 for 79) career hitter against the Angels and is a perfect 14 for 14 in stolen base attempts...the 14 steals are more than twice as much as he has against any other team (6 vs. Houston and Tampa Bay).
- Went 4 for 8 (.500) with two runs, four RBI, a walk and strikeout in two games (one in center field, one in right field) with Triple-A Sacramento on a rehab assignment after going 2 for 4 with a double and strikeout in one game (left field) with Single-A Stockton.
- Did not play in a Major League game during the spring.
- Was acquired from the Texas Rangers with Josh Lindblom for Michael Choice and minor leaguer Chris Bostick, December 3, 2013.

Last Year: Batted .280 with two home runs and 22 RBI in 106 games with Texas...had career highs in runs (39), triples (4), home runs, walks (29), on-base percentage (.373), stolen bases (24) and extra base hits (18).

5 JOHN JASO

Current Streak: 3 games (4 for 8)
Seattle Series: 4-8, 2b, bb, 2 so
Road Trip: 4-11, 2b, bb, 3 so
Career vs. Santiago: 0-2 (.000), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is 4 for 11 (.364) on the road trip after going 3 for 14 (.214) on the first homestand.
- Is a .325 (38 for 117) career hitter against Los Angeles with five home runs and 23 RBI in 37 games...also has 20 walks for a .423 on-base percentage...the home runs and RBI are his most against any team...has a .415 (27 for 65) average with five home runs and 20 RBI in 19 games at Angel Stadium...the batting average is the best by any player in this ballpark with a minimum of 75 plate appearances...the only ballpark he has more than runs at is Safeco Field (6).
- Had a pinch hit double Friday night and is 1 for 1 with a walk in the pinch.
- Has made seven starts, all against right-handed pitching...has made each of his 62 starts in two seasons with the A's against righties.
- Is on his fourth consecutive Opening Day roster (Tampa Bay, 2011; Seattle, 2012; Oakland, 2013).
- Batted .292 with two home runs and 13 RBI in 19 games this spring...tied for 10th in the Cactus League in RBI...went 9 for 23 (.391) with eight RBI over his final eight games.

Last Year: Batted .271 with three home runs and 21 RBI in 70 games in a season that ended July 25 after suffering a concussion...added 38 walks for a .387 on-base percentage, which was fifth best in the AL (min. 200 PA).

8 JED LOWRIE

Current Streak: 0 for 3
Seattle Series: 1-5, r, rbi, 4 bb, so
Road Trip: 2-14, 4 r, rbi, 8 bb, hbp, 2 so
Career vs. Santiago: 0-5 (.000), 0 hr, 0 bb, 1 so

- Started each of the A's first 11 games prior to yesterday.
- Drew a pinch hit walk yesterday against the Mariners and has now reached base safely in each of the last 11 games...is 8 for 29 (.276) with 14 walks and a hit by pitch over that span (1 sf, .511 on-base percentage)...has a .469 on-base percentage overall, which **leads the American League** and ranks fifth in the majors.
- Has drawn a walk in a career-high seven consecutive games (10 walks total)...has 14 walks for the season, which is tied for second in the AL...is also tied for eighth in runs (8).
- Is a .311 (97 for 312) career hitter in the month of April, which is his best average for any month of the season.
- Is in his seventh season in the majors and is on his fourth Opening Day roster (2009, 2011, 2013).

Last Year: Batted .290 with 45 doubles, 15 home runs and 75 RBI in 154 games...set an Athletics record for doubles by a switch hitter and an Oakland record for hits by a switch-hitter (175)...ranked second in the AL in doubles.

37 BRANDON MOSS

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 3)
Seattle Series: 2-10, 2 rbi, 3 so, sf, gidp
Road Trip: 6-23, 3 r, 2b, 6 rbi, bb, 4 so, sf, gidp
Career vs. Santiago: 0-1 (.000), 0 hr, 1 bb, 0 so

- Is 6 for 23 (.261) on the road trip after hitting .333 on the homestand.
- Has nine RBI over his last seven games and is tied for fifth in the American League with 11 RBI for the season.
- Hit .362 with five home runs, 18 RBI and 10 walks (.456 on-base percentage) in 16 games against Los Angeles last year...is a .319 (30 for 94) career hitter against the Angels with eight home runs and 23 RBI...the RBI match his most against any team (Seattle) and the home runs are second only to his nine against the Mariners...has a .340 (17 for 50) average with five home runs and 15 RBI in 15 games at Angel Stadium.
- Has started at least two games at three different positions (five at first base, four at designated hitter, two in right field).
- Is in his eighth season in the majors and is on his fourth Opening Day roster (2008-09, 2013).
- Hit .364 with four home runs and 14 RBI in 16 games this spring...tied for seventh in the Cactus League in RBI and tied for 10th in home runs.

Last Year: Led the A's with 30 home runs and finished second with 87 RBI despite spending most of the season in a platoon...ranked sixth in the AL in slugging percentage (.522) and tied for eighth in home runs.

36 DEREK NORRIS

Current Streak: 0 for 8
Seattle Series: 0-4, 2 so
Road Trip: 3-14, 2 r, 2 hr, 4 rbi, bb, 5 so
Career vs. Santiago: 0-3 (.000), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Popped out as a pinch hitter last night and is 0 for 3 in the pinch for the season...is 3 for 22 (.136) in his career but all three hits are home runs.
- Is 3 for 14 (.214) with two home runs and four RBI on the road trip after going 3 for 8 (.375) with no RBI on the homestand.
- Is 0 for 6 against Seattle and is a .148 (9 for 61) career hitter against the Mariners.
- Homered in back-to-back games Monday and Tuesday at Minnesota...his home run Tuesday was the game-winning three-run shot in the 11th inning...eight of his 18 career home runs have put the A's ahead and seven have come in the eighth inning or later.
- Is on his second consecutive Opening Day roster with the A's.
- Batted .378 with three home runs and 12 RBI in 16 games this spring...led the A's in batting and slugging (.689) and tied for the lead in doubles (5)...has a .365 (31 for 85) average with eight home runs and 24 RBI in 35 games over the last two springs.

Last Year: Hit .246 in 98 games with the A's, which was a 45-point improvement over his rookie season average of .201 in 2012...added nine home runs and 30 RBI...walked 37 times for a .345 on-base percentage.

1 NICK PUNTO

Current Streak: 2 games (2 for 5)
Seattle Series: 1-3, bb, so
Road Trip: 2-7, 2 r, 4 bb, 2 so
Career vs. Santiago: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is 4 for 12 (.333) over his last five games after going 0 for 5 over his first two contests.
- Is in his 14th season in the majors with his sixth team (Phillies, Twins, Cardinals, Red Sox, Dodgers)...is on his 12th Opening Day roster (Philadelphia, 2002-03; Minnesota, 2004-10; Boston, 2012; Los Angeles-NL, 2013).
- Hit .356 in 17 games this spring...added six walks for a .431 on-base percentage...appeared in nine games at shortstop and nine at second base
- Signed with the A's as a free agent November 13, 2013.

Last Year: Spent the entire season with Los Angeles (NL) and hit .255 with two home runs and 21 RBI in 116 games...the games played were his most since 2009...batted .309 against left-handed pitching, .228 against right-handers.

16 JOSH REDDICK

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 3)
Seattle Series: 1-7, bb
Road Trip: 2-16, rbi, bb, 5 so, gidp
Career vs. Santiago: 3-4 (.750), 0 hr, 2 bb, 0 so

- Is 2 for 10 (.200) against left-handed pitching and 2 for 26 (.077) against right-handers
- Had his sixth career four-strikeout game last Wednesday at Minnesota.
- Begins his sixth Major League season and is on his third straight Opening Day roster...all three have been with the A's.
- Batted .333 with three home runs and a team-leading 15 RBI in 19 games this spring...ranked sixth in the Cactus League in RBI.

Last Year: Batted .226 with 12 home runs and 56 RBI in 114 games in a season interrupted by two stints on the disabled list with a sprained right wrist...the home runs were 20 fewer than his 32 from 2012.

28 ERIC SOGARD

Current Streak: 0 for 8
Seattle Series: 1-11, r, bb, so, sb
Road Trip: 2-17, r, 2 bb, so, sb
Career vs. Santiago: 0-2 (.000), 0 hr, 0 bb, 2 so

- Is 2 for 17 (.118) on the road trip after going 3 for 10 (.300) on the homestand.
- Hit .386 against Los Angeles last year and is a .333 (22 for 66) career hitter against the Angels...including .333 (12 for 36) at Angel Stadium.
- Is in his fifth season with the A's and is on the Opening Day roster for the third consecutive season.
- Hit .255 in 18 games this spring...finished the spring with a seven-game hitting streak (8 for 19, .421) after batting .138 over his first 11 contests.

Last Year: Batted .266 with two home runs and 35 RBI in 130 games in his first full Major League season...made 104 of his 110 starts against right-handed pitchers...hit .274 against right-handers, .230 against left-handers.

A's vs. LOS ANGELES

2014	CAREER									
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	PLAYER	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
#####	0	0	0	0	Barton	.234	244	57	5	24
#####	0	0	0	0	Callaspo	.250	76	19	0	6
#####	0	0	0	0	Céspedes	.252	107	27	5	22
#####	0	0	0	0	Crisp	.247	372	92	9	35
#####	0	0	0	0	Donaldson	.222	126	28	2	9
#####	0	0	0	0	Gentry	.316	79	25	0	8
#####	0	0	0	0	Jaso	.325	117	38	5	23
#####	0	0	0	0	Lowrie	.275	138	38	2	17
#####	0	0	0	0	Moss	.319	94	30	8	23
#####	0	0	0	0	Norris	.264	53	14	3	10
#####	0	0	0	0	Punto	.226	137	31	1	14
#####	0	0	0	0	Reddick	.224	125	28	2	6
#####	0	0	0	0	Sogard	.333	66	22	1	6
#####	0	0	0	0	TOTALS					

2014 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

DATE	G	OPP	W-L	SCORE	REC	POS	GA/ LEADER				ATT.	CUM. ATT.		
							GB	AND LEAD	WINNER	LOSER			SAVE	
3/31	1	CLE	L	0-2	0-1	13	-1	SEA	½	Allen	Johnson	Axford	36,067*	36,067
4/1	CLE	PPD, Rain				4	-1½	SEA	½					
4/2	2	CLE	W	6-1	1-1					Kazmir	Kluber		15,134	51,201
	3	CLE	L	4-6	1-2	4	-2	SEA	½	Allen	Johnson	Axford	12,198	63,399
4/3	4	SEA	W	3-2 (12)	2-2	4	-1	SEA	½	Pomeranz	Noesi		11,236	74,635
4/4	SEA	PPD, Wet Field				12	-1	SEA	1					
4/5	5	SEA	L	1-3	2-3	12	-2	SEA	2	Hernandez	Straily	Rodney	30,290	104,925
4/6	6	SEA	W	6-3	3-3	12	-1	SEA	1	Gray	Ramirez	Johnson	32,852	137,777
													(6 dates)	
4/7	7	at MIN	W	8-3	4-3	2	-½	SEA	½	Kazmir	Correia		35,837	35,837
4/8		OFF DAY				2	-1	SEA	1					
4/9	8	at MIN	W	7-4 (11)	5-3	11	--	OAK/SEA	--	Otero	Burton		22,973	58,810
4/10	9	at MIN	W	6-1	6-3	1	+½	OAK	½	Straily	Pelfrey		20,650	79,460
4/11	10	at SEA	L	4-6	6-4	2	-½	SEA	½	Hernandez	Milone	Rodney	38,968	118,428
4/12	11	at SEA	W	3-1	7-4	1	+½	OAK	½	Gray	Ramirez	Gregerson	22,061	140,489
4/13	12	at SEA	W	3-0	8-4	1	+1½	OAK	1½	Otero	Furbush	Doolittle	22,628	163,117

DATE	G	OPP	TIME	TV	PROMOTION
4/14	13	at LAA	7:05	ESPN	
4/15	14	at LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
4/16	15	at LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
4/17		OFF DAY			
4/18	16	HOU	7:05	CSNCA	
4/19	17	HOU	1:05	CSNCA	Josh Donaldson Bobblehead (20,000 fans)
4/20	18	HOU	1:05	CSNCA	
4/21	19	TEX	7:05	CSNCA	
4/22	20	TEX	7:05	CSNCA	
4/23	21	TEX	12:35	CSNCA	
4/24	22	at HOU	5:10	CSNCA	
4/25	23	at HOU	5:10	CSNCA	
4/26	24	at HOU	4:10	CSNCA	
4/27	25	at HOU	11:10	CSNCA	
4/28	26	at TEX	5:05	ESPN	
4/29	27	at TEX	5:05	CSNCA	
4/30	28	at TEX	5:05	CSNCA	
5/1		OFF DAY			
5/2	29	at BOS	4:10	CSNCA	
5/3	30	at BOS	10:35	CSNCA	
5/4	31	at BOS	10:35	CSNCA	
5/5	32	SEA	7:05	CSNCA	
5/6	33	SEA	7:05	CSNCA	
5/7	34	SEA	12:35		
5/8		OFF DAY			
5/9	36	WSH	7:05	CSNCA	
5/10	37	WSH	6:05	CSNCA	Music of Journey Fireworks Show
5/11	38	WSH	1:05	CSNCA	Pink Rally Towel (10,000 fans)/Breast Cancer Awareness Day
5/12	39	CWS	7:05	CSNCA	
5/13	40	CWS	7:05	CSNCA	
5/14	41	CWS	12:35		
5/15		OFF DAY			
5/16	42	at CLE	4:05	CSNCA	
5/17	43	at CLE	10:05	CSNCA	
5/18	44	at CLE	10:05	CSNCA	
5/19		OFF DAY			
5/20	45	at TB	4:10	CSNCA	
5/21	46	at TB	4:10	CSNCA	
5/22	47	at TB	1:10		
5/23	48	at TOR	4:07	CSNCA	
5/24	49	at TOR	10:07	CSNCA	
5/25	50	at TOR	10:07	CSNCA	
5/26	51	DET	1:05	CSNCA	Elephant BP Cap (10,000 fans)
5/27	52	DET	7:05	CSNCA	
5/28	53	DET	7:05	CSNCA	
5/29	54	DET	12:35		
5/30	55	LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
5/31	56	LAA	7:05	CSNCA	Catfish Hunter Bobble Head (15,000 fans)/1974 World Series Reunion
6/1	57	LAA	1:05	CSNCA	"Chip & Chili" Platter (10,000 fans)/Mathletics Day/Scout Day
6/2		OFF DAY			
6/3	58	at NYY	4:05	CSNCA	
6/4	59	at NYY	4:05	ESPN	
6/5	60	at NYY	10:05	CSNCA	
6/6	61	at BAL	4:05	CSNCA	
6/7	62	at BAL	3:15	FOX	
6/8	63	at BAL	10:35	CSNCA	
6/9	64	at LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
6/10	65	at LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
6/11	66	at LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
6/12		OFF DAY			
6/13	67	NYN	7:05	CSNCA	Super Mario Bros. Fireworks Show
6/14	68	NYN	7:05	CSNCA	
6/15	69	NYN	1:05	CSNCA	
6/16	70	TEX	7:05	CSNCA	
6/17	71	TEX	7:05	CSNCA	
6/18	72	TEX	12:35	CSNCA	
6/19	73	BOS	7:05	CSNCA	
6/20	74	BOS	7:05	CSNCA	
6/21	75	BOS	1:05	CSNCA	
6/22	76	BOS	1:05	CSNCA	Coco Crisp Gnome (20,000 fans)
6/23		OFF DAY			
6/24	77	at NYM	4:10	CSNCA	
6/25	78	at NYM	4:10	CSNCA	
6/26		OFF DAY			

6/27	79	at MIA	4:10	CSNCA	
6/28	80	at MIA	1:10	CSNCA	
6/29	81	at MIA	10:10	CSNCA	
6/30	82	at DET	4:08	CSNCA	
7/1	83	at DET	4:08	CSNCA	
7/2	84	at DET	10:08		
7/3	85	TOR	6:05	CSNCA	Patriotic Fireworks
7/4	86	TOR	1:05	CSNCA	
7/5	87	TOR	7:05	CSNCA	
7/6	88	TOR	1:05	CSNCA	
7/7	89	SF	7:05	CSNCA	
7/8	90	SF	7:05	CSNCA	
7/9	91	at SF	7:15	CSNCA	
7/10	92	at SF	12:45	CSNCA	
7/11	93	at SEA	7:10	CSNCA	
7/12	94	at SEA	7:10	CSNCA	
7/13	95	at SEA	1:10	CSNCA	
7/14		ALL			
7/15		STAR			
7/16		BREAK			
7/17		(at Minn.)			
7/18	96	BAL	7:05	CSNCA	
7/19	97	BAL	6:05	CSNCA	1989 Reunion T-Shirt (15,000 fans)/1989 World Series Reunion
7/20	98	BAL	1:05	CSNCA	
7/21		OFF DAY			
7/22	99	HOU	7:05	CSNCA	
7/23	100	HOU	7:05	CSNCA	
7/24	101	HOU	12:35		
7/25	102	at TEX	5:05	CSNCA	
7/26	103	at TEX	5:05	CSNCA	
7/27	104	at TEX	4:05	CSNCA	
7/28	105	at HOU	5:10	CSNCA	
7/29	106	at HOU	5:10	CSNCA	
7/30	107	at HOU	11:10		
7/31		OFF DAY			
8/1	108	KC	6:35	CSNCA	Super Heroes Fireworks Show/Italian Heritage Day
8/2	109	KC	1:05	CSNCA	Yoenis Céspedes "La Potencia" T-Shirt (10,000 fans)
8/3	110	KC	1:05	CSNCA	
8/4	111	TB	7:05	CSNCA	
8/5	112	TB	7:05	CSNCA	
8/6	113	TB	12:35		
8/7	114	MIN	7:05	CSNCA	
8/8	115	MIN	7:05	CSNCA	
8/9	116	MIN	6:05	CSNCA	Tony La Russa Hall of Fame Bobblehead (20,000 fans)
8/10	117	MIN	1:05	CSNCA	
8/11	118	at KC	5:10	CSNCA	
8/12	119	at KC	5:10	CSNCA	
8/13	120	at KC	5:10	CSNCA	
8/14	121	at KC	11:10		
8/15	122	at ATL	4:35	CSNCA	
8/16	123	at ATL	4:10	CSNCA	
8/17	124	at ATL	10:35	CSNCA	
8/18		OFF DAY			
8/19	125	NYM	7:05	CSNCA	Jewish Heritage Day
8/20	126	NYM	12:35	CSNCA	
8/21		OFF DAY			
8/22	127	LAA	7:05	CSNCA	Filipino Heritage Day
8/23	128	LAA	6:05	CSNCA	Disney/Pixar's "The Incredibles" Fireworks
8/24	129	LAA	1:05	CSNCA	
8/25	130	at HOU	5:10	CSNCA	
8/26	131	at HOU	5:10	CSNCA	
8/27	132	at HOU	5:10	CSNCA	
8/28	133	at LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
8/29	134	at LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
8/30	135	at LAA	6:05	CSNCA	
8/31	136	at LAA	12:35	CSNCA	
9/1	137	SEA	1:05	CSNCA	Coco Crisp Jersey (15,000 fans)
9/2	138	SEA	7:05	CSNCA	
9/3	139	SEA	12:35		
9/4		OFF DAY			
9/5	140	HOU	7:05	CSNCA	
9/6	141	HOU	1:05	CSNCA	Reusable Tote Bag (10,000 fans)/Faith & Family Day
9/7	142	HOU	1:05	CSNCA	
9/8	143	at CWS	5:10	CSNCA	
9/9	144	at CWS	5:10	CSNCA	
9/10	145	at CWS	5:10	CSNCA	
9/11	146	at CWS	11:10		
9/12	147	at SEA	7:10	CSNCA	
9/13	148	at SEA	6:10	CSNCA	
9/14	149	at SEA	1:10	CSNCA	
9/15		OFF DAY			
9/16	150	TEX	7:05	CSNCA	
9/17	151	TEX	7:05	ESPN	
9/18	152	TEX	12:35		
9/19	153	PHI	6:35	CSNCA	Star Wars Fireworks Show
9/20	154	PHI	1:05	CSNCA	Oktoberfest Stein (10,000 fans)
9/21	155	PHI	1:05	CSNCA	Team Photo (10,000 fans)/Fan Appreciation Day
9/22	156	LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
9/23	157	LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
9/24	158	LAA	12:35	CSNCA	
9/25	159	at TEX	5:05	CSNCA	
9/26	160	at TEX	5:05	CSNCA	
9/27	161	at TEX	5:05	CSNCA	
9/28	162	at TEX	12:05	CSNCA	

HIGHS AND LOWS

CLUB

Longest Winning Streak.....	4, April 6 to 10
Longest Winning Streak, Home.....	1 (three times), last: April 6 to present
Longest Winning Streak, Road.....	3, April 7 to 10
Longest Losing Streak.....	1 (four times), last: April 11
Longest Losing Streak, Home.....	1 (three times), last: April 5
Longest Losing Streak, Road.....	1, April 11
Most Runs, Game, A's.....	8, April 7 at Minnesota
Most Runs, Game, Opponents.....	6, April 2 vs. Cleveland (Night)
.....	6, April 11 at Seattle
Most Runs, Inning, A's.....	4, April 9 at Minnesota (1 st)
.....	4, April 11 at Seattle (8 th)
Most Runs, Inning, Opponents.....	3 (three times), last: April 11 at Seattle (6 th)
Largest Margin, Victory.....	5, April 2 vs. Cleveland (Day) (6-1)
.....	5, April 7 at Minnesota (8-3)
.....	5, April 10 at Minnesota (6-1)
Largest Margin, Loss.....	2 (four times), last: April 11 at Seattle (4-6)
Most Hits, Game, A's.....	13, April 10 at Minnesota
Most Hits, Game, Opponents.....	13, April 9 at Minnesota
Most Hits, Inning, A's.....	4, April 9 at Minnesota (1 st)
.....	4, April 10 at Minnesota (6 th)
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents.....	4, April 5 vs. Seattle (5 th)
.....	4, April 11 at Seattle (6 th)
Most Home Runs, Game, A's.....	2, April 6 vs. Seattle
.....	2, April 10 at Minnesota
.....	April 13 at Seattle
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents.....	2 (three times), last: April 11 at Seattle
Most Doubles, Game, A's.....	3, April 7 at Minnesota
.....	3, April 9 at Minnesota
Most Doubles, Game, Opponents.....	2 (six times), last: April 11 at Seattle
Most Triples, Game, A's.....	2, April 3 vs. Seattle
Most Triples, Game, Opponents.....	None
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's.....	2, April 3 vs. Seattle
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents.....	3, April 2 vs. Cleveland (Night)
Most Strikeouts, A's Pitchers.....	12, March 31 vs. Cleveland
.....	12, April 11 at Seattle
Most Strikeouts, Opponents Pitchers.....	14, April 11 at Seattle
Most Walks, A's Pitchers.....	7, April 2 vs. Cleveland (Night)
.....	7, April 7 at Minnesota
Most Walks, Opponents Pitchers.....	10, April 3 vs. Seattle
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's Pitchers.....	3, April 10 at Minnesota
.....	3, April 13 at Seattle
Fewest Hits Allowed, Opponents Pitchers.....	5, March 31 vs. Cleveland
Most Left on Base, Nine Inning Game.....	12, April 2 vs. Cleveland (Day)
Most Left on Base, Extra Inning Game.....	10, April 3 vs. Seattle
Fewest Left on Base, Game.....	5 (three times), last: April 8 at Minnesota
Most Errors, Game.....	2, April 3 vs. Seattle
.....	April 11 at Seattle
Largest Comeback in Win.....	3, April 6 vs. Seattle
Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss.....	2, April 2 vs. Cleveland (Night)

INDIVIDUAL

Grand Slams.....	None
Pinch Hit Home Runs.....	None
Lead Off Home Runs.....	None
Inside-The-Park Home Runs.....	None
Game Ending Home Runs.....	Coco Crisp, April 3 vs. Seattle (Hector Noes)
Back-to-Back Home Runs.....	None
Longest Hitting Streak.....	7, Josh Donaldson, April 6 to present
Most Runs, Game.....	2 (six times), last: Coco Crisp, April 12 at Seattle
Most Hits, Game.....	3 (twice), last: Eric Sogard, April 6 vs. Seattle
Most Doubles, Game.....	2, Josh Donaldson, April 9 at Minnesota
Most Triples, Game.....	1 (four times), last: Coco Crisp, April 5 vs. Seattle
Most Home Runs, Game.....	1 (12 times)
Most Runs Batted In, Game.....	3, Brandon Moss, April 6 vs. Seattle
.....	3, Derek Norris, April 9 at Minnesota
.....	3, Josh Donaldson, April 10 at Minnesota
Most Walks, Game.....	3, Coco Crisp, April 3 vs. Seattle
Most Strikeouts, Game.....	4, Josh Reddick, April 9 at Minnesota
Most Stolen Bases, Game.....	1 (seven times)
Longest Winning Streak.....	2, Scott Kazmir, April 2 to present
.....	2, Sonny Gray, April 6 to present
.....	2, Dan Otero, April 9 to present
Longest Losing Streak.....	2, Jim Johnson, March 31 to present
Most Strikeouts, Game.....	9, Jesse Chavez, April 9 at Minnesota
.....	9, Sonny Gray, April 12 at Seattle
.....	9, Scott Kazmir, April 13 at Seattle
Most Walks, Game.....	4, Scott Kazmir, April 7 at Minnesota
Most Innings, Game, Starter.....	7.1, Scott Kazmir, April 2 vs. Cleveland (Day)
Most Innings, Game, Reliever.....	2.2, Dan Otero, April 9 at Minnesota
Low Hit Complete Game.....	None
Most Consecutive Scoreless Innings.....	9.0, Scott Kazmir, April 7 to present
Most Consecutive Batters Retired.....	11, Sonny Gray, April 12
.....	11, Scott Kazmir, April 7 to 13

GENERAL

Longest Game, Innings.....	12, April 3 vs. Seattle
Longest Game, Time, Nine Innings.....	3:33, April 2 vs. Cleveland (Night)
Longest Game, Time, Extra Innings.....	4:02, April 3 vs. Seattle (12)
Shortest Game, Time.....	2:22, April 5 vs. Seattle
Largest Crowd, Home.....	36,067, March 31 vs. Cleveland
Smallest Crowd, Home.....	11,236, April 3 vs. Seattle
Largest Crowd, Road.....	38,968, April 11 at Seattle
Smallest Crowd, Road.....	20,650, April 10 at Minnesota
Postponement, Rain, Home.....	April 1 vs. Cleveland
.....	April 4 vs. Seattle
Postponement, Rain, Road.....	None

MULTIPLE HIT GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	Tot
Barton	0	0	0	0	0
Callaspo	4	0	0	0	4
Céspedes	2	0	0	0	2
Crisp	1	0	0	0	1
Donaldson	4	0	0	0	4
Fuld	2	0	0	0	2
Jaso	1	0	0	0	1
Lowrie	2	0	0	0	2
Moss	4	0	0	0	4
Norris	1	1	0	0	2
Punto	1	0	0	0	1
Reddick	0	0	0	0	0
Sogard	0	1	0	0	1

MULTIPLE RBI GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	6	Tot
Barton	0	0	0	0	0	0
Callaspo	1	0	0	0	0	1
Céspedes	2	0	0	0	0	2
Crisp	0	0	0	0	0	0
Donaldson	1	1	0	0	0	2
Fuld	1	0	0	0	0	1
Jaso	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lowrie	0	0	0	0	0	0
Moss	2	1	0	0	0	3
Norris	0	1	0	0	0	1
Punto	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reddick	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sogard	0	0	0	0	0	0

GAME TYING/GO-AHEAD RBI

PLAYER	GT	GA	Tot
Barton	1	0	1
Callaspo	0	0	0
Céspedes	1	3	4
Crisp	0	1	1
Donaldson	0	4	4
Fuld	0	1	1
Jaso	0	0	0
Lowrie	0	1	1
Moss	1	1	2
Norris	0	1	1
Punto	0	0	0
Reddick	0	0	0
Sogard	0	0	0

STARTS IN THE BATTING ORDER

PLAYER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Barton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	1
Callaspo	-	-	-	-	-	7	1	-	-
Céspedes	-	-	-	1	11	-	-	-	-
Crisp	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Donaldson	-	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fuld	5	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
Gentry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jaso	-	1	-	-	-	4	2	-	-
Lowrie	-	5	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moss	-	-	-	11	-	-	-	-	-
Norris	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-
Punto	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	-
Reddick	-	-	-	-	-	1	6	2	-
Sogard	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-

GAMES BY POSITION

PLAYER	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH	GS
Barton	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS
Barton	-	-	10	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Callaspo	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	2	-	-
Céspedes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	11
Céspedes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	7
Crisp	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Donaldson	-	-	-	-	10	10	-	-	-	-
Donaldson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Fuld	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	5	1
Fuld	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Gentry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jaso	8	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jaso	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lowrie	-	-	-	-	-	11	11	-	-	-
Lowrie	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moss	-	-	6	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moss	9	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Norris	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Punto	-	-	-	5	3	-	2	1	-	-
Punto	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Reddick	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	9	-
Reddick	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sogard	-	-	-	9	9	-	-	-	-	-

HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

Player	2014 HOME RUNS				Tot.	LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN			
	Solo	2R	3R	GS		Date	Opponent	Pitcher	GP Since
Barton	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 22, 2013	Minnesota	Martis	13
Callaspo	0	1	0	0	1	April 2, 2014	Cleveland	Kluber	7
Céspedes	1	1	0	0	2	April 13, 2014	at Seattle	Furbush	--
Crisp	1	0	0	0	1	April 3, 2014	Seattle	Noesi	5
Donaldson	1	2	0	0	3	April 13, 2014	at Seattle	Luetge	--
Gentry	0	0	0	0	0	Aug. 21, 2013	Houston	Bedard	31
Jaso	0	0	0	0	0	July 24, 2013	at Houston	Norris	9
Lowrie	1	0	0	0	1	April 5, 2014	Seattle	Hernandez	6
Moss	0	0	1	0	1	April 6, 2014	Seattle	Ramirez	6
Norris	1	0	1	0	2	April 9, 2014	at Minnesota	Burton	3
Punto	0	0	0	0	0	Aug. 12, 2013	New York (NL)	Torres	28
Reddick	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 15, 2013	at Texas	Soria	22
Sogard	0	0	0	0	0	July 21, 2013	at Los Angeles	Williams	55
others	0	1	0	0	1				
Team	5	5	2	0	12				

MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs
Barton	Games as 1B	514	25 for 539 (ties Hauser for 8 th in Athletics history)
	At Bats	1708	292 for 2000
	Hits	424	76 for 500
	Doubles	93	7 for 100
Callaspo	Games	877	123 for 1000
	At Bats	2951	49 for 3000
Chavez	Games	193	7 for 200
Cook	Games	156	44 for 200
Crisp	At Bats	4918	82 for 5000
	Triples (w/OAK)	20	1 for 21 (ties Monday and Page for 10 th in Oakland history)
	Steals	281	19 for 300
	Steals (w/OAK)	144	1 for 145 (passes Jackson for 5 th in Oakland history)
Gregerson	Games	370	30 for 400
Jaso	Games	390	110 for 500
Johnson	Games	366	34 for 400
Lowrie	Hits	472	28 for 500
Milone	Games	65	35 for 100
	Innings Pitched	377.1	122.2 for 500
Moss	Games	490	10 for 500
	Hits	364	136 for 500
	Doubles	82	18 for 100
	Home Runs	67	33 for 100
O'Flaherty	Games	373	27 for 400
Otero	Games	49	51 for 100
Reddick	Games	422	78 for 500
	Doubles	73	27 for 100

A's AT A GLANCE

Season High	8-4 (April 10/April 13)
Season Low	0-1/1-2/2-3 (March 31/April 2/April 5)
April	8-3
May	0-0
June	0-0
July	0-0
August	0-0
September	0-0
Home Series	1-1-0
Road Series	2-0-0
Series Sweeps	1-0
First Game of Series	2-2
Last Game of Series	3-1
A's Score First	5-1
Opponent Scores First	3-3
Leading After 7 th	6-1
Leading After 8 th	7-1
Tied After 7 th	1-1
Tied After 8 th	1-1
Trailing After 7 th	1-2
Trailing After 8 th	0-2
Commit No Errors	3-2
Commit 1 or More Errors	5-2
More HR Than Opp.	7-0
Fewer HR Than Opp.	1-3
Same Total HR of Opp.	0-1
Starter Pitches 7 or More	4-0
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	4-4
When Scoring 4 or More	5-2
When Scoring Less Than 4	2-2
Last At Bat	2-2
Replay Challenges	0-3
Different Lineups	11

WALK-OFF WINS (1)

Coco Crisp, April 3 vs. Seattle (home run)

DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Cook	Right shoulder tendinitis	March 21-April 6	6	O'Flaherty	Tommy John surgery	Feb. 17-present (eligible May 29)	12
Elmore	Strained left quad	March 28-present (eligible April 12)	12	Parker	Tommy John surgery	March 20-present	12
Gentry	Lower back strain	March 21-April 11	10	Rodriguez	Tommy John surgery	March 21-present (eligible April 5)	12
Griffin	Flexor muscle strain	March 21-present (eligible April 5)	12				

The A's have used the disabled list seven times this season...used the disabled list 13 times in 2013.

TRANSACTIONS

Feb. 17	Joe Savery claimed off waivers from Philadelphia; Eric O'Flaherty placed on the 60-day disabled list (Tommy John surgery)	March 29	Jake Elmore, Joe Savery and Stephen Vogt optioned to Sacramento; Michael Taylor designated for assignment; Sam Fuld and Hiro Nakajima selected from Sacramento; Nakajima optioned to Sacramento; Ryan Cook placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 21 (right shoulder tendinitis); Craig Gentry placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 21 (lower back strain); A.J. Griffin placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 21 (flexor muscle strain); Fernando Rodriguez placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 21 (Tommy John surgery)	April 3	Jake Elmore's March 29 option voided; Elmore placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 28 (strained left quad); Michael Taylor and Hiro Nakajima outrighted to Sacramento; Ryan Cook sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment; Fernando Rodriguez sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment
Feb. 27	Jake Elmore acquired from Chicago (AL) for cash; Andy Parrino designated for assignment			April 5	Craig Gentry sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment
March 3	Andy Parrino claimed off waivers by Texas			April 7	Ryan Cook reinstated from the disabled list; Evan Scribner optioned to Sacramento; Craig Gentry transferred to Sacramento on rehab
March 10	Shane Peterson optioned to Sacramento; Raul Alcantara optioned to Midland, Michael Ynoa optioned to Stockton			April 12	Craig Gentry reinstated from the disabled list; Sam Fuld designated for assignment
March 20	Kent Matthes claimed off waivers from Colorado; Jarrod Parker placed on the 60-day disabled list (Tommy John surgery)				
March 23	Nate Freiman, Arnold Leon and Josh Lindblom optioned to Sacramento	April 2	Josh Lindblom recalled from Sacramento (26 th man for second game); Josh Lindblom optioned to Sacramento (after night game)		
March 28	Chris Gimenez claimed off waivers by Texas				

TUESDAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Dan Straily (1-1, 2.77 ERA)

LAST EIGHT STARTS: Has allowed three runs or fewer in each of his first two starts this year and now has a streak of eight consecutive starts with three runs or fewer dating back to August 28 of last year...is 5-2 with a 2.20 ERA (12 er in 49.0 ip) and .194 (34 for 175) opponents batting average over that span.

FIRST START: He was the losing pitcher in the A's 3-1 loss to Seattle April 5 in Oakland...blanked the Mariners on two hits over the first four innings before allowing three runs in the fifth inning on a two-run home run by Ackley and a solo home run by Almonte...Hernandez shut out the A's on four hits over the first eight innings before Lowrie homered in the ninth.

LAST START: He was the winning pitcher in the A's 6-1 win at Minnesota last Thursday...allowed a solo home run to the second batter he faced, Dozier, but that was the only run he would allow in seven innings...did not allow a hit over his final five innings and retired 16 of the final 18 batters he faced

STRAILY'S 2014 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 5	Seattle	1-3	L	4.50	6.0	6	3	3	1	7	2	91
April 10	at Minnesota	6-1	W	2.77	7.0	3	1	1	2	5	1	100

STRAILY vs. LOS ANGELES: Is 1-3 with a 5.82 ERA (34.0 ip, 44 h, 24 r, 22 er, 7 bb, 33 so, 9 hr) in six career starts...is 0-1 with a 10.54 ERA (16 er in 13.2 ip) in three starts in Oakland and 1-2 with a 2.66 ERA (6 er in 20.1 ip) in three starts in Anaheim...went 0-3 with a 5.56 ERA (22.2 ip, 29 h, 16 r, 14 er, 5 bb, 20 so, 3 hr) in four starts last year...had a no decision in a 10-8 A's win in 19 innings on April 29 in Oakland...allowed a career-high six runs in 4.2 innings...allowed solo home runs to Pujols in the first and Trumbo in the second...was trailing 2-1 when he allowed four more runs in the fifth on a Pujols RBI single, a Hamilton sacrifice fly and a Trumbo two-run double...left trailing 6-1 but the A's eventually tied the game before winning in the 19th in a 6 hour and 32 minute game, the longest by time in Oakland history...then took the loss in a 2-0 decision at Los Angeles July 20...allowed a sacrifice fly to Hamilton in the first inning but then blanked the Angels on five hits over the next five innings...Callaspo homered to lead off the sixth...the A's were shutout on three hits by Wilson (8.1 ip) and Frieri (0.2 ip)...also lost in an 8-3 decision in Oakland July 25...allowed a RBI single to Pujols in the third inning but the A's scored twice in the fourth to take a 2-1 lead...he then allowed four runs in the fifth inning on a Trout sacrifice fly, a Hamilton RBI single and a Trumbo two-run double...left after 4.1 innings trailing 5-2...his final loss came in a 3-1 decision at Los Angeles (AL) September 25...blanked the Angels on three hits over the first three innings before Aybar singled and later scored on a fielders choice in the fourth...also allowed RBI singles to Aybar and Hamilton in the sixth...left after 6.2 innings with the A's trailing 3-1...Weaver limited the A's to a run on five hits in seven innings.

CAREER STARTS

DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	AVG.	AB	H	HR	BB	SO	
8/8/12	H	--	4.2	8	5	5	4	5	Aybar	.500	12	6	0	1	0
9/11/12	A	W	6.2	7	3	3	1	8	Calhoun	.000	2	0	0	1	0
4/29/13	H	--	4.2	7	6	6	1	6	Conger	.000	5	0	0	0	2
7/20/13	A	L	7.0	8	2	2	0	4	Cowgill	.500	2	1	0	0	0
7/25/13	H	L	4.1	7	5	5	2	5	Hamilton	.231	13	3	1	0	5
9/25/13	A	L	6.2	7	3	1	2	5	Iannetta	.125	8	1	1	1	4
									Ibanez	.400	5	2	1	0	1
									Kendrick	.250	12	3	0	0	4
									Pujols	.429	14	6	1	0	1
									Shuck	.273	11	3	0	0	1
									Trout	.400	15	6	0	0	3

CAREER MATCHUPS

DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	AVG.	AB	H	HR	BB	SO	
8/8/12	H	--	4.2	8	5	5	4	5	Aybar	.500	12	6	0	1	0
9/11/12	A	W	6.2	7	3	3	1	8	Calhoun	.000	2	0	0	1	0
4/29/13	H	--	4.2	7	6	6	1	6	Conger	.000	5	0	0	0	2
7/20/13	A	L	7.0	8	2	2	0	4	Cowgill	.500	2	1	0	0	0
7/25/13	H	L	4.1	7	5	5	2	5	Hamilton	.231	13	3	1	0	5
9/25/13	A	L	6.2	7	3	1	2	5	Iannetta	.125	8	1	1	1	4
									Ibanez	.400	5	2	1	0	1
									Kendrick	.250	12	3	0	0	4
									Pujols	.429	14	6	1	0	1
									Shuck	.273	11	3	0	0	1
									Trout	.400	15	6	0	0	3

THIS SPRING: Had no decisions and a 4.37 ERA in four starts this spring...opponents hit .275...walked two or more batters in all four starts and issued 10 walks in 13.1 innings overall (6.75 walks per nine innings)...had his final start on March 29 against San Francisco rained out...pitched in a minor league game March 24 (5.2 ip, 10 h, 7 r, 7 er, 2 bb, 2 so, 2 hr).

STRAILY'S 2014 SPRING TRAINING STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	
March 4	Milwaukee	6-4	--	13.50	2.0	4	3	3	2	1	0	
March 9	Chicago (AL)	2-2	--	5.06	3.1	2	0	0	3	2	0	
March 14	at Kansas City	9-9	--	3.86	4.0	3	1	1	2	2	1	
March 19	at Cleveland	13-3	--	4.73	4.0	5	3	3	3	3	0	
Totals (4 games, 4 starts)					0-0	4.73	13.1	14	7	7	10	8

2013 RECAP: Had five stints with Oakland in 2013 and was 10-8 with a 3.96 ERA in 27 starts...led American League rookies in games started, innings pitched (152.1) and strikeouts (124) and tied for the lead in wins (Perez, TEX)...is the 11th rookie in Oakland history to win 10 or more games, the fifth in the last five years (Anderson, Cahill, Milone, Parker)...had the sixth most strikeouts by an Oakland rookie...went 1-2 with a 7.27 ERA and .257 opponents batting average over his first five starts, 5-0 with a 2.83 ERA and .196 opponents average over his next nine starts from May 21 to July 9, 0-5 with a 5.20 ERA and .299 opponents over his next seven starts from July 20 to Aug. 23 and 4-1 with a 2.00 ERA and .195 opponents average over his final six starts

OPPONENTS BATTING: Allowed a .233 opponents batting average...did not have enough innings pitched to qualify for the league leaders, but his opponents average was ninth lowest among AL pitchers with 150 or more innings pitched...his .358 slugging percentage was eighth best...surrendered 16 home runs in 152.1 innings (0.95 per nine innings) after allowing 11 in 39.1 innings in 2012 (2.52 per nine innings)...11 of the 16 home runs he allowed were solo shots as are 21 of the 30 in his career...his opponents batting average included a .221 (60-for-272) mark against right-handed hitters compared to .244 (72-for-295) against left-handers...allowed a .201 batting average the first time through the lineup, which was third lowest among AL pitchers with 150 or more innings pitched...now has a .206 (60-for-291) opponents average the first time through the lineup in his career...allowed a .225 batting average to batters leading off an inning...however, issued 19 walks to start an inning, which tied for second most in the AL...opponents hit .300 with runners in scoring position and two outs...they were 4-for-7 (.571) with a grand slam with the bases loaded.

BEFORE AND AFTER THE BREAK: Was 6-2 with a 4.28 ERA and .217 opponents batting average in 14 starts before the All-Star Break...then went 4-6 with a 3.61 ERA and .250 opponents average in 13 starts after the break.

NIGHT AND DAY: Was 4-2 with a 2.14 ERA and .195 opponents batting average in nine starts during the day compared to 6-6 with a 4.98 ERA and .252 opponents average in 18 starts at night...his day ERA was the lowest in the AL and fourth lowest in the majors among pitchers with 50 or more innings in day games...surrendered just one of his 16 home runs during the day...in 2012, allowed eight of his 11 home runs in day games.

DAYS REST: Was 6-3 with a 3.25 ERA in 14 starts on five days rest or more compared to 4-5 with a 4.80 ERA in 13 starts on four days rest...is now 8-4 with a 2.98 ERA (38 er in 114.2 ip) in 19 career starts on five days rest or more compared to 5-6 with a 5.00 ERA (50 er in 90.0 ip) in 17 starts on four days rest.

RUN SUPPORT: Received two runs of support or fewer in 17 of his 27 starts and was 5-8 in those games...was 5-0 in 10 starts with three runs of support or more...is now 6-10 in 21 career starts with two runs of support or fewer, 7-0 in 15 starts with support of three or more

THIS AND THAT: Was 3-1 with a 1.54 ERA and .167 opponents batting average in four interleague starts...tied for third in the majors in interleague wins, ranked fourth in opponents batting average and ninth in ERA...tied for the team-lead with seven hit batters...the A's were 16-11 (.593) in his starting assignments and are 22-14 (.611) in his career.

MORE 2013 WITH OAKLAND: Was on the A's Opening Day roster and struck out a career-high and Oakland rookie record tying 11 batters in his first start at Houston April 5...was optioned to Sacramento the next day...returned to Oakland April 29 and started that night...was optioned to Sacramento April 30 and returned May 1 when Anderson was placed on the DL...went 3-2 with a 4.72 ERA and .232 opponents batting average in 10 starts during his third stint through June 22...had a career-high five-game winning streak from May 21 to July 9 (2.83 ERA, .196 opponents batting average)...was optioned to Sacramento June 23...returned to Oakland July 4 and went 2-0 with a 0.68 ERA in two starts before he was sent back to Sacramento July 10...was recalled for the final time July 20 and went 4-6 with a 3.61 ERA over his final 13 starts.

2013 WITH SACRAMENTO: Was 3-1 with a 1.14 ERA and .202 opponents batting average in five starts with Sacramento...allowed just one home run in 31.2 innings...struck out 33, an average of 9.38 per nine innings...his opponents batting average included a .174 (8-for-46) mark against left-handed hitters compared to .219 (16-for-73) against right-handers...yielded a .161 average to batters leading off an inning and issued just one walk...the River Cats were 4-1 in his starting assignments.

WEDNESDAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Tommy Milone (0-1, 5.40 ERA)

BRIEFLY: Was on the A's Opening Day roster but did not make his first appearance of the season until starting last Friday at Seattle...was scheduled to start April 5 against the Mariners...however, his turn in the rotation was skipped after the game of April 4 was postponed due to a wet field

LAST START: He was the losing pitcher in the A's 6-4 loss at Seattle last Friday...yielded a career-high tying 10 hits in 5.0 innings...allowed a RBI single to Cano in the first and two unearned runs in the second on errors by Donaldson and Lowrie...surrendered a two-run home run to Zunino in the sixth and left trailing 5-0...Hernandez shutout the A's three hits over the seven innings.

MILONE'S 2014 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 11	at Seattle	4-6	L	5.40	5.0	10	5	3	0	7	1	93

MILONE vs. LOS ANGELES: Is 5-2 with a 4.35 ERA (39.1 ip, 45 h, 22 r, 19 er, 10 bb, 36 so, 7 hr) in seven career starts...is 2-2 with a 4.13 ERA (11 er in 24.0 ip) in four starts in Oakland and 3-0 with a 4.70 ERA (8 er in 15.1 ip) in three starts in Anaheim...went 3-1 with a 4.07 ERA (24.1 ip, 23 h, 14 r, 11 er, 8 bb, 29 so, 5 hr) in four starts last year...the first win came in an 11-5 A's victory at Los Angeles April 10...the A's scored a run in the first but he allowed a Hamilton sacrifice fly in the bottom of the first...the A's added three more in the third before he allowed another run in the third...had a 5-2 lead when he allowed a two-run single to Callaspo in the fifth...then took the loss in a 5-4 decision at Oakland May 1...did not walk a batter and matched his career-high with 10 strikeouts...retired 12 of the first 13 batters he faced, with the lone exception being a two-out solo home run by Kendrick in the second...had a 2-1 lead when he allowed a RBI single to Shuck in the fifth and a pair of solo home runs to Trout and Trumbo in the sixth...won for a second time July 27 in a 3-1 win in Oakland...walked a career-high tying four batters...allowed his only run in the second inning when Hamilton homered with two outs...blanked the Angels on one hit and three walks over his final five innings...also picked up the victory in a 10-5 win at Los Angeles September 23...the A's scored twice in the second but he allowed a leadoff home run to Kendrick in the bottom of the second...the A's added three more in the third to take a 5-1 lead but he allowed three in the bottom of the inning on a three-run double by Kendrick.

CAREER STARTS										CAREER MATCHUPS									
DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO		AVG.	AB	H	HR	BB	SO				
4/19/12	A	W	5.0	7	2	2	1	3	Aybar	.353	17	6	0	0	2				
5/21/12	H	W	7.0	5	1	1	1	3	Calhoun	.000	2	0	0	1	1				
9/3/12	H	L	3.0	10	5	5	0	1	Conger	.000	3	0	0	0	1				
4/10/13	A	W	5.0	7	4	4	3	5	Cowgill	.200	5	1	0	0	1				
5/1/13	H	L	7.0	7	4	4	0	10	Freese	.333	3	1	0	0	0				
7/27/13	H	W	7.0	4	1	1	4	6	Hamilton	.450	20	9	2	0	6				
9/23/13	A	W	5.1	5	5	2	1	8	Iannetta	.167	6	1	0	4	2				
									Ibanez	.333	3	1	0	0	0				
									Kendrick	.450	20	9	2	0	3				
									Pujols	.500	14	7	0	0	0				
									Shuck	.143	7	1	0	0	1				
									Trout	.188	16	3	1	1	6				

THIS SPRING: Went 2-1 with a 4.26 ERA in five games, four starts, this spring...allowed a .240 opponents batting average...logged a 1.93 ERA over his final three games after posting a 10.80 ERA in his first two starts...also pitched in a minor league game March 20 (6.0 ip, 7 h, 2 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 4 so)...was scheduled to pitch in relief in the spring finale March 29 against San Francisco but that game was rained out.

MILONE'S 2014 SPRING TRAINING APPEARANCES

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR
February 27	Milwaukee	3-11	L	13.50	2.0	4	3	3	2	1	2
March 4	at Chicago (NL)	4-6	--	10.80	3.0	5	3	3	0	1	1
*March 9	Chicago (AL)	2-2	--	6.00	4.0	1	2	0	0	2	0
March 15	at San Francisco	8-1	W	3.86	5.0	3	0	0	2	2	0
March 25	Cincinnati	8-4	W	4.26	5.0	5	4	3	1	2	1
Totals (5 games, 4 starts)			2-1	4.26	19.0	18	12	9	5	8	4

**indicates relief appearance*

2013 RECAP: Spent the first four months of the season in the starting rotation but split the final two months of the year between the bullpen, rotation and minor leagues...was 12-9 with a 4.14 ERA in 28 games, 26 starts...had a .258 opponents batting average and .301 on-base percentage, which were the lowest marks of his career...had career highs in ERA (4.14), walks (39) and home runs (25) and matched his high in extra base hits (59).

OPPONENTS BATTING: His opponents batting average included a .247 (121-for-489) mark against right-handed hitters compared to .298 (39-for-131) against left-handers...surrendered 21 of his 25 home runs to righties, which tied for fourth most in the American League...18 of the home runs were solo shots and 14 came in the first two innings of a game...allowed a .216 batting average with runners in scoring position, which ranked eighth in the AL...opponents batted .299 with a .541 slugging percentage when leading off an inning...has allowed a .318 batting average and .558 slugging percentage in that situation in his career.

STARTING AND RELIEVING: Was 12-9 with a 4.17 ERA and .261 opponents batting average in his 26 starts, 0-0 with a 3.00 ERA and .100 opponents average in his two relief appearances...did not inherit a runner in his two relief appearances and retired both of his first batters faced.

HOME AND AWAY: Was 5-4 with a 3.44 ERA in 12 games at home compared to 7-5 with a 4.69 ERA in 16 games on the road...in three seasons with the A's, he is 12-8 with a 3.02 ERA (56 er in 166.2 ip) in 27 games in Oakland compared to 13-12 with a 4.78 ERA (98 er in 184.2 ip) in 33 games on the road.

BEFORE AND AFTER THE BREAK: Went 8-8 with a 4.24 ERA before the All-Star Break, 4-1 with a 3.86 ERA after the break...is now 16-15 before the break compared to 10-5 after the break.

DIVISIONS AND INTERLEAGUE: Compiled a 3-1 record and a 1.98 ERA in eight games against AL Central teams...is now 9-2 with a 1.97 ERA (22 er in 100.2 ip) in 17 career appearances against the Central...was 3-1 despite a 5.68 ERA in five interleague starts...is now 4-1 with a 6.02 ERA (29 er in 43.1 ip) in eight interleague starts in his career.

DEFENSIVE DOINGS: Opponents reached base on an error 11 times with him pitching, which was the most in the AL and tied for second most in the majors...that led to 11 unearned runs, which tied for second most in the AL...opponents have now reached base via error 23 times over the last three years, which is tied for the most in the majors (Jordan Lyles, 23).

RUN SUPPORT: Received just 10 runs of support in his nine losses (1.78 RSA)...has received just 22 runs of support in his 20 losses in three seasons with the A's (114.0 ip, 1.74 RSA)...has received no support 10 times over the last three years as a starter and one run of support eight times...went 11-1 with three runs of support or more in 2013 and is 20-3 in his career.

THIS AND THAT: The A's were 16-10 (.615) in his 26 starting assignments and are 36-22 (.621) in his career...his teams are 41-22 (.651) in his 63 career starts.

MORE 2013 WITH OAKLAND: Won each of his first three starts to become the first pitcher on an A's Opening Day roster to win each of his first three starts since Dave Stewart had six wins in his first six starts in 1990...that extended his winning streak to five games dating back to 2012...had never won more than two consecutive games in his career...matched his career-high with 10 strikeouts and did not walk a batter May 1 against Los Angeles (AL)...has three career 10-strikeout games and has not walked a batter in any of those contests...is the third A's pitcher since 1916 with three career games of 10 or more strikeouts and no walks...went 2-for-4 with two runs and a RBI in a 10-2 win June 3 at Milwaukee...is one of two A's pitchers with two hits in a game since the start of interleague play...is also one of two A's pitchers to score two runs in an interleague game...is the first A's pitcher with at least two hits and a RBI since Blue Moon Odom went 2 for 2 with a RBI Aug. 22, 1972 at Detroit...tossed a career-high 118 pitches in a no decision in the A's 4-1 loss at Chicago (AL) June 8...that ran his record to 6-5 with a 3.69 ERA and .249 opponents batting average over his first 13 starts...was 9-9 with a 4.39 ERA in 22 starts when he was optioned to Triple-A Sacramento Aug. 3...made two starts with the River Cats and had no decisions, a 1.74 ERA and .348 opponents batting average before returning to Oakland Aug. 18...tossed a rain-shortened five-inning complete game in his second start Aug. 27 at Detroit, a 6-3 Oakland win that was called with the A's batting in the top of the sixth...it matched the shortest complete game in Oakland history...was 1-0 with a 2.79 ERA in two starts before he was optioned to Single-A Stockton Aug. 28...returned to Oakland Sept. 3 after Stockton's season ended and went 2-0 with a 2.70 ERA in four games, including two starts...finished the season with a three-game winning streak over his final six games beginning Aug. 18, logging a 2.74 ERA and .228 opponents batting average...began his career with 60 consecutive starts before making the first relief appearance of his career Sept. 11 at Minnesota (1.0 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 2 so)...made an emergency start Sept. 15 at Texas, replacing an ill Jarrod Parker, and allowed one run in 5.0 innings for the win...tossed 2.0 perfect innings of relief against Minnesota Sept. 20 and then started and won three days later at Los Angeles (AL)...both of his September starts came on three days rest or fewer...the last A's pitcher to make two such starts in a season was John Halama in 2003.

FRIDAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Sonny Gray (2-0, 0.95 ERA)

FOR STARTERS: Has allowed one earned run or fewer in each of his first three starts for a 0.95 ERA...ranks **sixth** in the American League in ERA...has won two of those starts to extend his winning streak to five games dating back to September 11 of last year, an on-going career high...is 5-0 with a 2.03 ERA (9 er in 40.0 ip) over that seven-start stretch.

INNING BY INNING: Has allowed all four of his runs this year over the first three innings of a game...last year, he yielded 20 of his 22 runs over the first three innings of a game...in his career, he has a 4.38 ERA (19 er in 39.0 ip), .278 (44 for 158) opponents batting average and four home runs allowed in innings one through three compared to a 0.41 ERA (2 er in 44.0 ip), .152 (23 for 151) opponents average and no home runs from the fourth inning on...has not allowed a run after the fifth inning (21.2 ip).

THE WEST AND THE REST: Defeated Seattle in each of his last two starts after a no decision against Cleveland in his first start...is now 4-1 with a 1.29 ERA (7 er in 49.0 ip) in eight career games against American League West competition compared to 3-2 with a 7.71 ERA (14 er in 34.0 ip) in seven games against everyone else.

THIS AND THAT: Has not allowed a home run over his first three starts and has yielded just four home runs in 83.0 career innings (0.43 per nine innings)...has issued six of his seven walks this year and 21 of his 27 in his career to left-handed hitters...the A's are 2-1 (.667) in his starting assignments this year and are 8-5 (.615) when he starts in his career...has tossed at least six innings in nine of his 13 starts, allowed two runs or fewer eight times and walked two batters or fewer nine times.

FIRST START: He had a no decision in the A's 2-0 loss to Cleveland on Opening Night March 31...tossed 6.0 shutout innings to become just the second starting pitcher in Oakland history to not allow a run on Opening Day (Tim Hudson, 2003)...allowed five hits while walking a career-high tying three...retired the side in order just once, the third inning...it was the first Opening Day start of his career...becomes the ninth different Opening Day starter for the A's in the last nine years (Anderson, McCarthy, Cahill, Sheets, Braden, Blanton, Haren, Zito)...became the fifth youngest Opening Day starting pitcher in Oakland history (Blue, Hunter, Cahill, Odom).

SECOND START: He was the winning pitcher in the A's 6-3 win over Seattle April 6 in Oakland...did not allow a run in the first inning to extend his scoreless streak to a career-high 14.0 innings (previous: 13.0, August 10-20, 2013)...was charged with two unearned runs in the second inning (Barton error) when he allowed RBI singles to Almonte and Miller...also allowed a RBI single to Smoak in the third to give the Mariners a 3-0 lead but the A's tied the game on a Moss three-run homer in the bottom of the third...retired 11 of the final 12 batters he faced, including each of the last seven, and the A's scored twice in the fifth to take the lead for good.

LAST START: He was the winning pitcher in the A's 3-1 win at Seattle last Saturday...struck out a career-high tying nine batters...allowed back-to-back singles to Almonte and Miller to start the game before retiring 11 straight...Almonte scored on a Cano ground out, but that would be the only run he would allow in seven innings...blanked the Mariners on three hits and two walks over his final six innings.

GRAY'S 2014 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
March 31	Cleveland	0-2	--	0.00	6.0	5	0	0	3	7	0	105
April 6	Seattle	6-3	W	0.75	6.0	6	3	1	2	3	0	98
April 12	at Seattle	3-1	W	0.95	7.0	5	1	1	2	9	0	102

GRAY vs. HOUSTON: Is 1-1 with a 1.13 ERA (16.0 ip, 11 h, 3 r, 2 er, 2 bb, 16 so, 0 hr) in two career starts, both last year in Oakland...combined with Otero on a five-hit shutout in the A's 5-0 win on August 15 for his first Major League win...tossed 8.0 innings and allowed four hits while striking out nine...allowed only two base runners as far as second base...Corporan singled to start the seventh and went to second on a wild pitch and Villar doubled with one out in the eighth...then took the loss in a 3-2 decision on September 5...matched his career-high by tossing 8.0 innings...allowed a RBI single to Carter in the first...surrendered two more runs in the second inning on a Altuve RBI single and an error...retired 19 of the final 20 batters he faced, including each of the last 10.

DATE	H/A	CAREER STARTS							CAREER MATCHUPS						
		DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	AVG.	AB	H	HR	BB	SO	
8/15/13	H	W	8.0	4	0	0	1	9	Altuve	.286	7	2	0	0	1
9/5/13	H	L	8.0	7	3	2	1	7	Carter	.200	5	1	0	1	1
									Corporan	.333	3	1	0	0	0
									Dominguez	.000	3	0	0	0	0
									Grossman	.500	4	2	0	0	2
									Hoes	.333	3	1	0	0	1
									Marc	.000	6	0	0	0	4
									Presley	.333	6	2	0	0	1
									Villar	.143	7	1	0	0	1

THIS SPRING: Went 0-1 with a 3.48 ERA in six starts...allowed a .228 (18 for 79) opponents batting average...yielded just one home run in 20.2 innings...allowed just one earned run in 10.2 innings over his final two starts (0.84 ERA) after posting a 6.30 ERA over his first four starts...surrendered one run or fewer in four of his six starts.

GRAY'S 2014 SPRING TRAINING STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	
March 1	Texas	2-2	--	0.00	2.0	2	0	0	2	2	0	
March 6	at Arizona	8-8	--	12.00	1.0	5	4	4	0	0	0	
March 11	at San Diego	5-6	--	5.14	4.0	1	0	0	0	2	0	
March 16	at Cincinnati	6-7	--	6.30	3.0	6	5	3	2	4	1	
March 21	at San Francisco	0-3	L	4.02	5.2	3	1	0	1	7	0	
March 26	Los Angeles (AL)	2-6	--	3.48	5.0	1	1	1	1	1	0	
Totals (6 games, 6 starts)				0-1	3.48	20.2	18	11	8	6	16	1

2013 RECAP: Spent most of the season at Triple-A Sacramento where he was 10-7 with a 3.42 ERA in 20 starts...also had two stints with the A's...after making two relief appearances in his Major League debut in July, he returned to Oakland Aug. 10 and finished the season in the starting rotation...was 5-3 with a 2.67 ERA in 12 games, 10 starts, with the A's...also went 0-1 with a 2.08 ERA in two ALDS starts against Detroit...based upon a minimum of 60 innings pitched, he had the lowest opponents on-base percentage among American League rookies (.272), ranked second in opponents batting average (.214) and slugging percentage (.298) and third in ERA...struck out 67 batters in 64.0 innings and his average of 9.42 strikeouts per nine innings was second best (Allen, CLE 11.26)...walked 20 for a strikeout to walk ratio of 3.35...went 4-1 with a 2.27 ERA and .230 opponents batting average over his final six starts...won each of his final three decisions beginning Sept. 11, the first time he put together consecutive wins in his career...had surgery for a fractured left thumb following the season...the surgery, an internal fixation with a screw to repair the thumb fracture, was performed by Dr. Thomas Graham at the Cleveland Clinic Hospital Oct. 18.

HOME AND AWAY: Was 3-1 with a 1.99 ERA in six starts in Oakland compared to 2-2 with a 3.86 ERA in six games, four starts, on the road.

OPPONENTS BATTING: His opponents batting average included a .198 (20-for-101) mark against right-handed hitters compared to .226 (31-for-137) against left-handers...allowed a .194 opponents batting average to hitters leading off an inning...surrendered one double (.210 slugging percentage) and issued just four walks (.242 on-base percentage).

STARTING AND RELIEVING: Compiled a 5-3 record and a 2.85 ERA in his nine starts...did not allow a run in his two relief appearances (4.0 ip)...did not inherit a runner and retired both of his first batters faced in relief.

NIGHT AND DAY: Was 2-1 with a 1.72 ERA in seven games at night compared to 3-2 with a 3.95 ERA in five starts during the day.

DAYS REST: Was 3-1 with a 1.57 ERA in five starts on five days rest or more, 2-2 with a 4.02 ERA in five starts on four days rest.

RUN SUPPORT: Averaged 7.50 runs of support in his 10 starts.

WITH SACRAMENTO: Won a career-high 10 games with the River Cats...also finished with a career-high 118 strikeouts...the wins tied for fifth in the Pacific Coast League and the strikeouts tied for seventh...was also fourth in ERA (3.42) and tied for fifth in complete games (1)...led the league in strikeouts per nine innings (8.97)...ranked fourth in the A's farm system in ERA, tied for fifth in wins and sixth in strikeouts...was named the A's organization Minor League Pitcher of the year and was also a *Baseball America's* Triple-A All-Star...surrendered just five home runs in 118.1 innings, an average of 0.38 per nine innings...four of the home runs came on the road and three were solo shots...allowed a .259 opponents batting average, including .244 (53-for-217) against left-handed hitters compared to .274 (64-for-234) against right-handers...issued 26 of his 39 walks to lefties...yielded a .223 batting average and .281 on-base percentage to batters leading off an inning...had a 4.74 ERA over the first three innings of a game, 1.54 from innings four through six and 6.23 from the seventh inning on...the River Cats were 12-8 (.600) in his starting assignments...was rated as having the best breaking ball and best control in the Pacific Coast League by *Baseball America*.

2014 PLAYER HIGHLIGHTS

DARIC BARTON

- Made his fourth career Opening Day start at first base March 31 against Cleveland, which matches Jason Giambi for second most in Oakland history...only Mark McGwire, with nine, has more.

ALBERTO CALLASPO

- Was on his eighth consecutive Opening Day roster.
- Made his professional debut at first base April 3 against Seattle and went 0 for 1 with two walks and an error.

YOENIS CÉSPEDES

- Made his third consecutive Opening Day start March 31 against Cleveland (center field in 2012, left field in 2013-14)...is the first Athletic to start back-to-back openers in left field since Ben Grieve in 1999-2000.

RYAN COOK

- Began the season on the disabled list as he was placed on the 15-day DL March 29 retroactive to March 21 with right shoulder tendinitis...did not pitch in a Major League game during the spring.

COCO CRISP

- Was on his 10th Opening Day roster and made his ninth career Opening Day start, his fourth straight with the A's.
- Hit his first career game-ending home run April 3 against Seattle...it was his sixth regular season "walk-off" RBI.

SAM FULD

- Is the first Athletic to triple in each of his first two games with the A's since Bob Dillinger did it with the Philadelphia A's, April 18-19, 1950.

CRAIG GENTRY

- Began the season on the disabled list as he was placed on the 15-day DL March 29 retroactive to March 21 with a lower back sprain...did not play in a Major League game during the spring.

LUKE GREGERSON

- Was on his sixth consecutive Opening Day roster, his first with the A's.

A.J. GRIFFIN

- Began the season on the disabled list as he was placed on the 15-day DL March 29 retroactive to March 21 with a flexor muscle strain.

JOHN JASO

- Went 0 for 2 in his second game of the season to snap a streak where he reached base safely via hit, walk or hit by pitch in 28 consecutive starts behind the plate dating back to May 4 of last year...that matched the longest such streak by a catcher in Oakland history (Gene Tenace, June 12-Sept. 25, 1973).

JIM JOHNSON

- Was on his sixth consecutive Opening Day roster, his first with the A's.

JOSH LINDBLOM

- Was recalled from Sacramento April 2 to start the night game of the day/night doubleheader against Cleveland...allowed two runs on five hits in 4.2 innings for a no decision and was optioned back to Sacramento following the game.

BRANDON MOSS

- Became the A's ninth different Opening Day starter at designated hitter in the last 10 years March 31 against Cleveland.

ERIC O'FLAHERTY

- Was placed on the 60-day disabled list February 17 as he continues his recovery from Tommy John surgery.

JARROD PARKER

- Had no decisions and a 10.61 ERA in three spring training starts before it was announced he would undergo Tommy John surgery for the second time in his career.
- Was placed on the 60-day disabled list March 20 and had the surgery March 24...the surgery was performed by Dr. James Andrews in the Andrews Institute in Pensacola, Florida...also had Tommy John surgery October 28, 2009 while a member of the Arizona Diamondbacks organization.

NICK PUNTO

- Was on his 12th Opening Day roster.

JOSH REDDICK

- Made his third consecutive Opening Day start in right field and is the first Athletic to make three consecutive Opening Day starts in right field since Ruben Sierra (1993-95).

FERNANDO RODRIGUEZ

- Began the season on the disabled list as he continued his recovery from Tommy John surgery...was placed on the 15-day DL March 29 retroactive to March 21.

PLAYER TRANSACTIONS

Feb. 17	Joe Savery claimed off waivers from Philadelphia; Eric O'Flaherty placed on the 60-day disabled list (Tommy John surgery)	March 29	Jake Elmore, Joe Savery and Stephen Vogt optioned to Sacramento; Michael Taylor designated for assignment; Sam Fuld and Hiro Nakajima selected from Sacramento; Nakajima optioned to Sacramento; Ryan Cook placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 21 (right shoulder tendinitis); Craig Gentry placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 21 (lower back strain); A.J. Griffin placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 21 (flexor muscle strain); Fernando Rodriguez placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 21 (Tommy John surgery)
Feb. 27	Jake Elmore acquired from Chicago (AL) for cash; Andy Parrino designated for assignment		
March 3	Andy Parrino claimed off waivers by Texas		
March 10	Shane Peterson optioned to Sacramento; Raul Alcantara optioned to Midland, Michael Ynoa optioned to Stockton		
March 20	Kent Matthes claimed off waivers from Colorado; Jarrod Parker placed on the 60-day disabled list (Tommy John surgery)		
March 23	Nate Freiman, Arnold Leon and Josh Lindblom optioned to Sacramento		
March 28	Chris Gimenez claimed off waivers by Texas		**for transactions after March 29, please see the game notes.

FINAL SPRING TRAINING STATISTICS

BATTING

NAME	BA	SLG	OBP	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HBP	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	GDP	E
Aliotti	.167	.333	.167	6	6	0	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Barton	.273	.394	.478	17	33	6	9	13	4	0	0	5	0	0	1	12	0	2	0	0	0	0
Burns	.306	.347	.370	26	72	12	22	25	1	1	0	3	1	1	0	8	0	16	10	3	1	1
Callaspo	.333	.392	.393	19	51	9	17	20	3	0	0	4	0	0	0	5	0	3	0	0	0	1
Carithers	.364	.364	.333	12	11	2	4	4	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Céspedes	.167	.267	.215	20	60	10	10	16	3	0	1	9	0	1	1	3	0	14	0	0	3	1
Coleman	.143	.571	.333	6	7	1	1	4	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	5	0	0	1	0
Crisp	.261	.348	.414	16	46	11	12	16	4	0	0	5	0	0	0	12	0	11	1	0	0	0
Crocker	.000	.000	.000	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Crumbless	.200	.400	.333	7	5	0	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Donaldson	.275	.549	.377	19	51	10	14	28	3	1	3	12	0	1	1	8	0	12	0	0	1	3
Elmore	.314	.353	.397	24	51	9	16	18	2	0	0	4	1	0	0	7	0	8	0	2	1	2
Freiman	.238	.405	.327	23	42	4	10	17	2	1	1	11	0	1	1	5	0	11	0	0	2	0
Fuld	.271	.475	.348	22	59	14	16	28	1	4	1	7	0	0	0	7	0	5	1	0	1	0
Gimenez	.242	.333	.324	25	33	1	8	11	3	0	0	3	1	0	0	4	0	8	0	0	2	1
Goebbert	.111	.167	.238	19	18	2	2	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	9	0	0	1	0
Jaso	.292	.500	.364	19	48	8	14	24	4	0	2	13	0	1	2	4	0	13	0	0	3	1
Ladendorf	.267	.333	.267	11	15	2	4	5	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
Lipkin	---	---	---	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lowrie	.231	.481	.305	18	52	12	12	25	5	1	2	12	0	1	0	6	1	10	0	0	1	4
Martinez	.207	.207	.207	20	29	3	6	6	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Maxwell	.250	.500	.250	4	4	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
McKinney	.385	.462	.429	12	13	4	5	6	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	1
Montz	.292	.583	.357	13	24	2	7	14	1	0	2	5	0	1	0	3	0	6	0	0	0	0
Moss	.364	.682	.462	16	44	9	16	30	2	0	4	14	0	0	2	6	0	11	0	0	0	2
Muncy	1.000	1.000	1.000	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Myers	.000	.000	.000	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nakajima	.333	.333	.429	6	6	3	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Norris	.378	.689	.417	16	45	11	17	31	5	0	3	12	0	0	0	3	0	5	1	0	2	1
Nunez	.000	.000	.000	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Oberacker	.333	.333	.500	5	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Olson	---	---	---	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ortiz	.333	.333	.333	4	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1
Parrino	.000	.000	.500	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Perez	1.000	1.000	1.000	2	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Peterson	.167	.167	.375	10	12	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	6	0	0	1	0
Punto	.356	.422	.431	17	45	8	16	19	3	0	0	5	0	0	0	6	0	6	1	1	1	2
Reddick	.333	.574	.373	19	54	5	18	31	4	0	3	15	0	1	0	4	0	15	1	0	2	0
Robertson	.217	.217	.217	17	23	1	5	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	1
Russell	.280	.440	.280	12	25	3	7	11	2	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	2
Sogard	.255	.298	.340	18	47	8	12	14	2	0	0	4	1	0	0	6	0	8	2	0	3	3
B. Taylor	---	---	---	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M. Taylor	.274	.532	.348	27	62	11	17	33	5	1	3	10	0	0	1	6	0	17	1	0	3	1
Vogt	.364	.659	.429	20	44	9	16	29	2	1	3	12	0	0	0	5	0	5	1	0	0	1
Whitaker	.000	.000	.000	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TEAM	.280	.433	.358	33	1156	193	324	500	67	11	29	185	6	9	9	135	1	239	20	6	29	33
OPPONENTS	.261	.436	.324	33	1117	168	292	487	51	6	44	158	3	13	13	96	0	247	27	10	28	29

PITCHING

NAME	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	INN	H	R	ER	HR	SH	SF	HBP	BB	IBB	SO	WP	BK	BA
Abad	0	0	3.27	11	0	0	0	0	11.0	8	4	4	2	0	1	0	0	0	12	0	0	.205
Alcantara	0	0	0.00	2	0	0	0	0	4.0	3	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	.214
Barham	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.000
Buschmann	0	0	5.40	5	0	0	0	0	5.0	5	3	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	8	0	0	.238
Chavez	5	1	2.22	7	5	0	0	1	28.1	22	7	7	4	0	0	1	6	0	25	0	0	.216
R. Doolittle	0	0	40.50	1	0	0	0	0	0.2	2	3	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	.500
S. Doolittle	1	1	3.24	9	0	0	0	0	8.1	7	3	3	2	0	0	0	1	0	6	0	0	.226
Dull	0	0	27.00	3	0	0	0	0	1.2	6	6	5	2	0	1	1	1	0	2	0	0	.600
Flores	0	0	8.10	4	0	0	0	1	3.1	2	4	3	0	0	0	0	5	0	4	1	0	.167
Frankoff	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	.250
Gailey	0	0	9.00	2	0	0	0	0	2.0	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	.250
Gray	0	1	3.48	6	6	0	0	0	20.2	18	11	8	1	0	1	0	6	0	16	2	0	.228
Gregerson	0	0	4.91	8	0	0	0	0	7.1	9	4	4	0	0	0	0	3	0	9	1	0	.310
Griffin	0	0	10.38	3	3	0	0	0	8.2	19	10	10	2	0	1	1	0	0	6	0	0	.452
Hassebrock	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	.000
Hooker	1	2	12.79	7	0	0	0	0	6.1	8	9	9	3	1	1	0	4	0	4	0	0	.364
House	0	0	5.40	1	0	0	0	0	1.2	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	.333
Humber	0	1	15.00	7	0	0	0	0	6.0	11	11	10	1	0	0	3	6	0	5	1	0	.393
Johnson	0	0	5.00	9	0	0	0	0	9.0	11	5	5	1	0	1	0	3	0	5	1	0	.324
Kazmir	1	0	1.62	4	4	0	0	0	16.2	9	3	3	0	0	0	0	7	0	14	1	0	.155
Leon	0	0	2.13	5	1	0	0	1	12.2	6	3	3	0	0	0	1	4	0	11	1	0	.140
Lindblom	0	2	4.02	6	1	0	0	0	15.2	16	7	7	2	1	1	0	4	0	11	1	0	.271
McBryde	0	0	3.38	3	0	0	0	0	2.2	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.300
Milone	2	1	4.26	5	4	0	0	0	19.0	18	12	9	4	0	2	1	5	0	8	0	1	.240
Murphy	0	0	0.00	1	1	0	0	0	4.1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	.071
Neal	1	0	0.00	2	0	0	0	0	3.2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	.100
Nieve	0	0	6.35	6	0	0	0	1	5.2	11	4	4	2	0	0	0	2	0	5	0	0	.423
Otero	1	0	4.50	9	0	0	0	0	12.0	12	8	6	2	0	0	1	0	0	9	2	0	.255
Parker	0	0	10.61	3	3	0	0	0	9.1	11	11	11	3	0	0	1	4	0	8	0	0	.289
Pomeranz	1	1	2.84	8	0	0	0	0	12.2	13	7	4	2	0	0	1	3	0	20	2	0	.250
Sanburn	0	0	16.20	2	0	0	0	0	1.2	3	3	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.375
Savery	1	0	2.08	8	1	0	0	0	8.2	12	4	2	0	0	1	0	7	0	12	2	0	.333
Scribner	0	1	5.25	9	0	0	0	0	12.0	14	7	7	2	0	1	0	2	0	11	1	0	.286
Smyth	0	0	3.00	3	0	0	0	0	3.0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.091
Straily	0	0	4.73	4	4	0	0	0	13.1	14	7	7	1	0	1	1	10	0	8	0	0	.275
Urlaub	1	1	8.10	4	0	0	0	0	3.1	4	3	3	2	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	.333
Werner	0	0	0.00	7	0	0	0	0	5.2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	0	0	.105
Ynoa	0	1	9.00	2	0	0	0	0	3.0	5	3	3	1	0	0	1	3	0	3	0	0	.417
TEAM	15	13	4.68	33	33	0	2	4	290.2	292	168	151	44	3	13	13	96	0	247	17	1	.261
OPPONENTS	13	15	5.49	33	33	0	1	6	290.0	324	193	177	29	6	9	9	135	1	239	17	3	.280