



# OAKLAND ATHLETICS

## Post Game Notes

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### Houston Astros (5-14) at Oakland Athletics (13-5)

Sunday, April 20, 2014 ♦ O.co Coliseum

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E	LOB
Houston	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	9
Oakland	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	X	4	10	2	9

W — Chavez (1-0)

L — Peacock (0-2)

S — Gregerson (3)

#### OAKLAND NOTES

- **The Oakland Athletics** are 13-5, which is their best record after 18 games since 1990 (13-5)...now lead the all-time series against Houston 23-5, the best record by a Major League club against another club among teams that have played each other 20 or more times.
- **John Jaso** caught Jose Altuve stealing third base in the first inning...it was the first caught stealing recorded by the Athletics this season after a streak of 13 consecutive stolen bases for opponents.
- **Yoenis Cespedes** exited the game in the top of the seventh inning with a bruised right heel.
- **Jesse Chavez** became the first pitcher in Athletics history (since 1914) on the Opening Day roster to allow one earned run or less in each of his first four starts while tossing six or more innings.
- **Josh Donaldson (3 for 4, r, 2 2b, hr, 3 rbi)** recorded three extra base hits for the second time in his career (last: May 18, 2012 at San Francisco)...is batting .359 (28 for 78) in 21 career games against Houston.
- **Jed Lowrie (2 for 3, 2 r, bb)** is 9 for 23 (.391) with four doubles and a home run in his last four games after going 2 for 18 (.111) over his previous seven contests.

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Jesse Chavez (W, 1-0)	6.0	4	1	1	3	6	1	103/65
Jim Johnson	0.2	1	0	0	1	0	0	12/5
Sean Doolittle	1.1	0	0	0	0	2	0	26/16
Luke Gregerson (S, 3)	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	8/5

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
Josh Donaldson (4)	1st	3-1	2	LF	Peacock

#### HOUSTON NOTES

- **The Houston Astros** are on a seven-game losing streak, the longest of their season.
- **Brad Peacock** made his first start of the 2014 season after going 0-1 with a 7.45 ERA (8 er in 9.2 ip) in four relief appearances.
- **Marwin Gonzalez (2 for 4, r, hr, rbi)** has multiple hits in two straight games...recorded his first extra-base hit and RBI of the season with a solo home run in the fourth inning.
- **George Springer (1 for 4, so)** has collected hits in each of his first five career games.

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Brad Peacock (L, 0-2)	5.0	5	2	2	3	4	1	83/51
Jerome Williams	3.0	5	2	1	1	1	0	51/34

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
Marwin Gonzalez (1)	4th	1-2	1	RF	Chavez

Time of Game.....	2:54	Overall Record.....	13-5	Home/Road.....	6-3 / 7-2
First Pitch.....	1:07 pm	Streak.....	Won 3	Day/Night.....	8-1 / 5-4
Temperature.....	70 degrees	Homestand.....	3-0	April/May/June.....	13-5 / 0-0 / 0-0
Today's Attendance.....	16,382	Last 5.....	4-1	July/Aug./Sept.....	0-0 / 0-0 / 0-0
Attendance Total.....	205,559	Last 10.....	8-2	A's Starter goes 7 or more/Less than 7.....	6-0 / 7-5
Average (9 games).....	22,839	Series Record.....	3-0	A's/Opponents score first.....	7-1 / 6-4
Win/Lose in Last AB.....	5-3	Series First Game.....	4-2	Leading after 7th/8th inning.....	8-2 / 10-2
Extra Innings.....	3-1	vs. AL West.....	9-3	Tied After 7th/8th inning.....	1-1 / 1-1
		vs. RHP/LHP.....	10-4 / 3-1	Trailing After 7th/8th inning.....	4-2 / 2-2

**Tomorrow's Schedule:** Clubhouse opens at 3:05 pm ♦ Bob Melvin availability 4:10 pm ♦ Batting Practice at 4:30 p.m.