

## OAKLAND ATHLETICS NEWS LINKS, MONDAY, MAY 11, 2014

### OAKLAND TRIBUNE

#### **Oakland A's beat Washington Nationals to complete sweep**

By Jimmy Durkin, Oakland Tribune

[http://www.insidebayarea.com/my-town/ci\\_25742542/oakland-beat-washington-nationals-complete-sweep](http://www.insidebayarea.com/my-town/ci_25742542/oakland-beat-washington-nationals-complete-sweep)

#### **Inside the Oakland A's: 3-0, D-No powers A's over Gio**

by Jimmy Durkin, Oakland Tribune

<http://www.ibabuzz.com/athletics/2014/05/11/3-0-d-no-powers-as-over-gio/>

### SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE

#### **Derek Norris hits 2 3-run HRs in A's rout of Nationals**

John Shea, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/shear/article/Derek-Norris-hits-2-3-run-HRs-in-A-s-rout-of-5469986.php>

#### **A's catching platoon becomes an army**

John Shea, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/A-s-catching-platoon-becomes-an-army-5470273.php>

#### **The Drumbeat: Derek Norris homers twice off Gio Gonzalez — A's beat Nationals 9-1**

By John Shea, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2014/05/11/derek-norris-homers-twice-off-gio-gonzalez-as-beat-nationals-9-1/>

#### **The Drumbeat: A's vs. old friend Gio Gonzalez**

By John Shea, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2014/05/11/as-vs-old-friend-gio-gonzalez/>

#### **Oakland drops the ball on Little League showcase, A's say**

Phillip Matier And Andrew Ross, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://www.sfgate.com/default/article/Oakland-drops-the-ball-on-Little-League-showcase-5470087.php>

### ATHLETICS.COM

#### **Norris hits pair of three-run homers in rout**

#### **Kazmir holds Nationals to four hits over seven scoreless innings**

By Rick Eymer / Special to MLB.com

[http://mlb.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2014\\_05\\_11\\_wasmlb\\_oakmlb\\_1&mode=recap\\_home&c\\_id=oak](http://mlb.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2014_05_11_wasmlb_oakmlb_1&mode=recap_home&c_id=oak)

#### **Mother's Day will always be perfect to Barton**

\* **Crisp tests sore neck, but remains sidelined**

\* **A's celebrate Goldthorpe as honorary bat girl**

By Rick Eymer / Special to MLB.com

[http://oakland.athletics.mlb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20140511&content\\_id=75123850&notebook\\_id=75124056&vkey=notebook\\_oak&c\\_id=oak](http://oakland.athletics.mlb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20140511&content_id=75123850&notebook_id=75124056&vkey=notebook_oak&c_id=oak)

#### **White Sox look for more success in Oakland**

#### **Danks takes on Chavez in opener of three-game set at O.co Coliseum**

By Joe Popely / MLB.com

[http://mlb.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2014\\_05\\_12\\_chamlb\\_oakmlb\\_1&mode=preview&vkey=preview\\_web\\_home&c\\_id=oak](http://mlb.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2014_05_12_chamlb_oakmlb_1&mode=preview&vkey=preview_web_home&c_id=oak)

### CSNBAYAREA.COM

#### **Rewind: Norris' huge game spoils Gio's return**

By Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/rewind-norris-huge-game-spoils-gios-return>

**Instant Replay: A's roll Nats 9-1, complete the sweep**

By Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/instant-replay-roll-nats-9-1-complete-sweep>

**With Crisp out, Melvin's lineup options limited**

By Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/crisp-out-melvins-lineup-options-limited>

**Kazmir's stellar start helps A's complete rebound**

By Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/kazmirs-stellar-start-helps-complete-rebound>

**A's raise \$70k on Breast Cancer Awareness Day**

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/a%E2%80%99s-raise-70k-breast-cancer-awareness-day>

**SACRAMENTO BEE**

**A's Norris burns Nationals twice**

By Matt Kawahara, Sacramento Bee

<http://www.sacbee.com/2014/05/12/6396885/as-norris-burns-nationals-twice.html>

**A's postgame notes: Norris has 'one of them special days' in A's 9-1 win over Nationals**

By Matt Kawahara, Sacramento Bee

<http://www.sacbee.com/2014/05/11/6396638/norris-has-one-of-them-special.html>

**A's pregame notes: A's oppose familiar face in Nationals' left-hander Gio Gonzalez**

By Matt Kawahara, Sacramento Bee

<http://www.sacbee.com/2014/05/11/6396184/as-oppose-familiar-face-in-nationals.html>

**ASSOCIATED PRESS**

**Norris homers twice to back Kazmir; A's knock off Nationals again**

By Michael Wagaman, Associated Press

<http://www.pressdemocrat.com/article/20140511/wire/140519946>

**EXAMINER.COM**

**Kazmir, Norris secure sweep for A's over Nationals at O.co today**

By Sam McPherson, examiner.com

[http://www.examiner.com/article/kazmir-norris-secure-sweep-for-a-s-over-nationals-at-o-co-today?CID=examiner\\_alerts\\_article](http://www.examiner.com/article/kazmir-norris-secure-sweep-for-a-s-over-nationals-at-o-co-today?CID=examiner_alerts_article)

**OAKLAND POST**

**SAN FRANCISCO EXAMINER**

**A's need to keep an eye on the back end of rotation**

BY Mychael Urban, San Francisco Examiner

<http://www.sfexaminer.com/sanfrancisco/as-need-to-keep-an-eye-on-the-back-end-of-rotation/Content?oid=2794026>

**MINOR LEAGUE NEWS**

## **SACRAMENTO RIVER CATS**

### **ORTIZ DELIVERS MOTHER'S DAY GIFT**

By Sacramento River Cats / MILB.com

[http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20140511&content\\_id=75180670&vkey=pr\\_t105&fext=.jsp&sid=t105](http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20140511&content_id=75180670&vkey=pr_t105&fext=.jsp&sid=t105)

## **MIDLAND ROCKHOUNDS**

### **TEXAS LEAGUE BASEBALL: Missions take series finale from RockHounds**

By Odessa American

[http://www.oaoa.com/sports/local/article\\_d16dc82e-d979-11e3-8a1d-0017a43b2370.html](http://www.oaoa.com/sports/local/article_d16dc82e-d979-11e3-8a1d-0017a43b2370.html)

## **STOCKTON PORTS**

### **Big Offense Carries Ports To 12-8 Win, Series Sweep**

Stockton Ports

[http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20140511&content\\_id=75181310&vkey=recap&fext=.jsp&sid=t524](http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20140511&content_id=75181310&vkey=recap&fext=.jsp&sid=t524)

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