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Post Game Notes

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Tampa Bay Rays (54-58) at Oakland Athletics (68-43)

Monday, August 4, 2014 • O.co Coliseum

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	H	E	LOB
Tampa Bay	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	6	1	7
Oakland	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	3	10	2	18

W — Cook (1-1)

L — Balfour (1-4)

S — None

OAKLAND NOTES

- **The Oakland Athletics** recorded their eighth walk-off win of the season...stranded a season-high 18 runners on base (previous: 14, April 19 vs. Houston)...are 2-2 on this 10-game homestand against Kansas City (1-2), Tampa Bay (1-0), and Minnesota (four games).
- **Jeff Samardzija** made his first career start against Tampa Bay...tossed 7.0 innings...has now tossed 7.0 innings or more in five of his six starts with Oakland.
- **Coco Crisp** (0 for 1, bb, so) pinch hit in the seventh inning and drew a walk...it was his first appearance in a game since July 26...missed the previous seven games with a strained neck.
- **Jed Lowrie** (3 for 4, 2b, rbi, bb) collected a season-high tying three hits (fifth time, last: July 24 vs. Houston) is batting .337 (31 for 92) with 13 runs scored, eight doubles, one triple, and 11 RBI over his last 24 games.
- **Brandon Moss** (0 for 5, bb, 3 so) is batting .170 (15 for 88) with four home runs and 10 RBI over his last 22 games...is batting .220 (54 for 246) at night compared to .309 (42 for 136) during the day.
- **Derek Norris** (1 for 6, rbi, so) collected his first walk-off RBI of the season...it was the second of his career (previous: June 24, 2012 vs. San Francisco).
- **Stephen Vogt** (0 for 3, so) extended his hitless streak to 0 for his last 20...has gone hitless in five straight games for the first time this year.

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Jeff Samardzija	7.0	5	2	2	1	3	1	110/68
Luke Gregerson	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7/6
Sean Doolittle	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	13/11
Ryan Cook (W, 1-1)	1.0	0	0	0	0	2	0	9/9

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
None					

TAMPA BAY NOTES

- **The Tampa Bay Rays** took their first loss on the road after having won eight consecutive road games, which matched their longest road winning streak in franchise history (three times, last: April 23-May 8, 2011).
- **Joe Maddon** was ejected from the game in the bottom of the tenth inning by first base umpire Quinn Wolcott
- **Alex Cobb** tossed 5.2 innings and issued a season-high tying four walks...has a 2.72 ERA (13 er in 43.0 ip) over his last seven starts.
- **Desmond Jennings** (2 for 5, rbi, 2 so, sb) is 4 for his last 10 (.400) after going 1 for his previous 18 (.055).
- **James Loney** (2 for 4) extended his on-base streak to 23 games...is batting .341 (31 for 91) over that span.
- **Evan Longoria** (1 for 4, r, hr, rbi) hit his team-leading 14th home run of the season...it was his 176th career home run, which is an ongoing franchise record.

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Alex Cobb	5.2	7	2	2	4	4	0	102/62
Joel Peralta	1.0	1	0	0	2	1	0	28/13
Brad Boxberger	1.1	0	0	0	0	3	0	16/12
Jake McGee	1.0	0	0	0	1	1	0	23/12
Grant Balfour (L, 1-4)	0.2	2	1	1	2	1	0	31/19

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
Evan Longoria (14)	2	2-0	1	LF	Samardzija

Time of Game.....	3:57	Overall Record.....	68-42	Home/Road.....	36-19 / 32-24
First Pitch.....	7:07 pm	Streak.....	Won 1	Day/Night.....	27-15 / 41-28
Temperature.....	66 degrees	Homestand.....	2-2	March/April/May/June.....	0-1 / 18-9 / 16-12 / 17-9
Today's Attendance.....	18,479	Last 5.....	2-3	July/Aug./Sept.....	15-10 / 2-2 / 0-0
Attendance Total.....	1,335,708	Last 10.....	5-5	A's Starter goes 7 or more/Less than 7 ...	27-8 / 41-35
Average (54 games).....	24,735	Series Record.....	1-0	A's/Opponents score first.....	44-11 / 24-32
Win/Lose in Last AB.....	18-11	Series First Game.....	20-17	Leading after 7th/8th inning.....	50-5 / 53-4
Extra Innings.....	11-6	vs. AL West.....	27-20	Tied After 7th/8th inning.....	7-6 / 9-4
		vs. RHP/LHP.....	49-31 / 19-12	Trailing After 7th/8th inning.....	11-32 / 6-35