

ATHLETICS NEWS LINKS, TUESDAY, AUGUST 5, 2014

OAKLAND TRIBUNE

A's beat Rays 3-2 in 10 innings

By Jimmy Durkin, Oakland Tribune

http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci_26277163/beat-rays-3-2-10-innings

A's Sonny Gray named A.L. pitcher of the month

By Jimmy Durkin, Oakland Tribune

http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci_26274913/sonny-gray-named-l-pitcher-month

SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE

A's defeat Rays 3-2 in 10 innings

Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/A-s-defeat-Rays-3-2-in-10-innings-5668402.php>

A's Jarrod Parker begins playing catch

Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/A-s-Jarrod-Parker-begins-playing-catch-5668376.php>

The Drumbeat: Derek Norris single off Grant Balfour gives A's a weird win in 10

By Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2014/08/04/derek-norris-single-off-grant-balfour-gives-as-a-weird-win-in-10/>

The Drumbeat: Coco Crisp takes batting practice, might be available tonight

By Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2014/08/04/coco-crisp-takes-batting-practice-might-be-available-tonight/>

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Rally possum? Critter sparks A's in 10th

Norris turns away Balfour; Oakland stays out front in race

By Jane Lee / MLB.com

http://mlb.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2014_08_04_tbamlb_oakmlb_1&mode=recap_home&c_id=oak

Sonny in July: Gray named AL Pitcher of Month

- **Crisp returns to action from neck injury**

By Jane Lee / MLB.com

http://oakland.athletics.mlb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20140804&content_id=87971144¬ebook_id=87972466&vkey=notebook_oak&c_id=oak

Balfour grateful for raging time in Oakland

By Aaron Leibowitz / MLB.com

http://oakland.athletics.mlb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20140804&content_id=87986642&vkey=news_oak&c_id=oak

Hammel seeks pre-trade form in matchup with Smyly

A's stay patient with right-hander; lefty joined Rays in Price deal

By Ryan Hood / MLB.com

http://mlb.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2014_08_05_tbamlb_oakmlb_1&mode=preview&vkey=preview_web_home&c_id=oak

Overtaken call credits Forsythe with stolen base

By Aaron Leibowitz / MLB.com

http://oakland.athletics.mlb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20140804&content_id=88003608&vkey=news_oak&c_id=oak

CSNBAYAREA.COM

Rewind: A's pull out victory on a zany night at Coliseum

By Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/rewind-pull-out-victory-zany-night-coliseum>

Instant Replay: A's walk off 3-2 win over Rays in 10 innings

By Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/instant-replay-walk-3-2-win-over-rays-10-innings>

Crisp nearing return to lineup

By Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/crisp-nearing-return-lineup>

Rehabbing Parker trying to keep positive attitude

By Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/rehabbing-parker-trying-keep-positive-attitude>

A's Gray named AL Pitcher of the Month

By Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/gray-named-al-pitcher-month>

You're better than Rally Possum, so stop before you start

By Ray Ratto, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/article/youre-better-rally-possum-so-stop-you-start>

SACRAMENTO BEE

Norris' bases-loaded single gives A's their eighth walk-off win

By Matt Kawahara, Sacramento Bee

<http://www.sacbee.com/2014/08/05/6605450/norris-bases-loaded-single-gives.html>

Gray not getting lost in A's big-name rotation

By Matt Kawahara, Sacramento Bee

<http://www.sacbee.com/2014/08/04/6605366/gray-not-getting-lost-in-as-big.html>

Pregame notes: Crisp may be available as A's begin series against Rays

By Matt Kawahara, Sacramento Bee

<http://www.sacbee.com/2014/08/04/6605058/crisp-may-be-available-as-as-begin.html>

A's, offense go quietly in loss to Royals

BY Matt Kawahara, Sacramento Bee

<http://www.sacbee.com/2014/08/03/6602543/as-offense-go-quietly-in-loss.html>

A's Reddick after 4-2 loss: 'We're a better lineup than what we've shown'

By Matt Kawahara, Sacramento Bee

<http://www.sacbee.com/2014/08/03/6602462/as-reddick-after-4-2-loss-were.html>

A's place Punto (hamstring) on DL, recall Freiman

By Matt Kawahara, Sacramento Bee

<http://www.sacbee.com/2014/08/03/6601957/as-place-punto-hamstring-on-dl.html>

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Derek Norris singles in 10th as A's beat Rays 3-2

By JANIE McCAULEY (AP Baseball Writer)

<http://sports.yahoo.com/news/derek-norris-singles-10th-beat-061444847--mlb.html>

NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

MLB Power Rankings: A's and Tigers make flashy deadline deals, but don't overlook those Angels

Oakland remains in the driver's seat, but the Halos are right on their heels. The Yankees and Mets, meanwhile, have a lot of ground to make up.

By Anthony McCarron, New York Daily News

<http://www.nydailynews.com/sports/baseball/mlb-power-rankings-tigers-star-deadline-angels-awesome-article-1.1891347>

SFBAYMEDIA.COM

Derek Norris helps A's maintain division lead

By Jason Leskiw, SF Bay Media

<http://sfbay.ca/2014/08/05/derek-norris-helps-as-maintain-division-lead/>

MINOR LEAGUE TEAMS

SACRAMENTO RIVER CATS

51s DEAL RIVER CATS 4-2 LOSS

By Sacramento River Cats / MILB.com

http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20140805&content_id=88030546&vkey=pr_t105&fext=.jsp&sid=t105

MIDLAND ROCKHOUNDS

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STOCKTON PORTS

Home Runs Help Ports Thump Rawhide 8-2

Stockton Ports

http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20140804&content_id=88031366&vkey=recap&fext=.jsp&sid=t524

BELOIT SNAPPERS

No game story – please see Minor League Report

VERMONT LAKE MONSTERS

Vermont Falls 4-1 To Scrappers On Monday

By Paul Stanfield / Vermont Lake Monsters

http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20140804&content_id=88000958&vkey=recap&fext=.jsp&sid=t462