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OAKLAND ATHLETICS (4-4) VS. HOUSTON ASTROS (3-4)

TUESDAY, APRIL 14, 2015 – MINUTE MAID PARK – 5:10 P.M. PDT
RHP KENDALL GRAVEMAN (0-1, 18.90) VS. RHP BRAD PEACOCK (4-9, 4.72 IN 2014)
CSNCA – A'S RADIO NETWORK (95.7 FM THE GAME)

ABOUT THE A'S: The A's are looking to win consecutive games for the first time this season after taking the series opener from Houston last night, 8-1...win last night snapped a two-game losing streak...the A's **have out-scored the opposition 38-1 in their four wins and have been out-scored 26-13 in their four losses**...are in sole possession of the American League West by one-half game over Houston, Los Angeles, and Texas...have held at least a share of first five of the first eight days of the season...every team in the West has held at least a share of first this year...this is the A's 48th season in Oakland where they have won 16 AL West titles, two AL Wild Cards, six AL pennants and four World Championships...only the New York Yankees (18) and Atlanta Braves (17) have more division titles than the A's...since the A's moved to Oakland in 1968, only the Yankees (11) and Cardinals (8) have more league championships and only the Yankees have more world championships (7)...have appeared in the postseason in each of the last three years and eight of the last 15...only the Yankees (12), Cardinals (11) and Braves (9) have made more postseason appearances over that span...have a 3907-3576 (.522) record over the previous 47 seasons in Oakland...only four teams have won more games over that span (New York Yankees, Boston, Los Angeles Dodgers, St. Louis)...this is the Athletics franchise 115th season in the American League...since 1901, the A's have 16 AL West titles plus 15 AL pennants and nine World Championships...only the Yankees (27) and Cardinals (11) have won more World Championships.

MLB BEST RECORDS, LAST FOUR YEARS (2012-15)			
	W	L	PCT
Washington	282	211	.572
Oakland	282	212	.571
St. Louis	278	214	.565
Baltimore	277	216	.562
Detroit	277	216	.562
Los Angeles (NL)	276	217	.560
Atlanta	275	218	.558

WITH BEANE AS THE GENERAL MANAGER: The A's have compiled a 1488-1272 (.539) record since Billy Beane took over as General Manager following the 1997 season...that is the sixth best record in the majors over that span...the A's have reached the playoffs eight times in those 17 seasons, which is fifth most behind the Yankees (14), Braves (11), Cardinals (11) and Red Sox (9).

ROSTER NOTES: Of the 25 players on the A's Opening Day roster, only three played for Oakland prior to 2013...Eric Sogard is the longest tenured Athletic as he made his A's debut Sept. 14, 2010...two players made their Oakland debut in 2012 (Chavez, Scribner)...the A's made a total of nine trades this off-season involving 27 players...the average age on the A's Opening Day roster was 27.92 years...R.J. Alvarez was the youngest (23 years, 301 days) and Ben Zobrist was the oldest (33 years, 314 days) until Cody Ross joined the club on Wednesday (34 years, 103 days on Opening Day)...had five rookies on the Opening Day roster after having none last year...however, two of those players have been optioned (Burns, Laden-dorf), leaving the A's with three rookies currently (Alvarez, Canha, Grave-man)...used just two rookies the entire season last year.

CONTRACT STATUS: The A's have three players under contract beyond the 2015 season...Coco Crisp is signed through 2016 with a vesting option for 2017, Billy Butler is signed through 2017 and Sean Doolittle is signed through 2018 with club options for 2019 and 2020.

DURING THE SPRING: The A's went 22-11-2 (.657) during the spring, which was the second best record in the majors to Kansas City (20-10-1, .661)...the 22 wins tied the Oakland Spring Training record set in 2001...had the fourth best winning percentage...finished with a winning record for the fourth consecutive spring...went 14-1 in their first season at the newly renovated Hohokam Stadium and drew 110,059 fans...that was the A's second best Arizona total to the record of 110,543 in 2005...were also 8-7-2 on the road, 0-2 at Las Vegas and 0-1 in Oakland...the A's led the majors in runs (199), doubles (90) and sacrifice flies (18)...ranked second among Cactus League teams in slugging (.461), on-base percentage (.343) and walks (112), third in triples (14) and tied for third in home runs (33)...the 90 doubles were second most by an A's team during the spring since at least 1991 (first year spring stats are available)...the pitching staff ranked second in the CL in ERA (3.60) and strikeouts (262).

A's vs. ASTROS: Tonight marks the second of 19 meetings against Houston in 2015...A's went 11-8 against the Astros in 2014...went 6-3 in Oakland and 5-5 in Houston...averaged 5.7 runs per game against Houston last year and scored eight runs or more in six of the 19 games (6-0)...A's pitchers held the Astros to a .226 average in 2014...A's are 27-12 against Houston since the Astros joined the AL West in 2013...did not play the Astros at all until 2002, and started the all-time series by going 25-5 over the first 30 games (June 7, 2002 through April 25, 2014)...since then, Houston is 8-7 against the A's...all-time, the A's are 32-13 against Houston.

TODAY'S TIDBITS
Billy Butler is the only Athletic to hit safely in each of the first eight games and is the only American Leaguer with an eight-game hitting streak... Mark Canha has hit safely in each of the first six games of his career...has 11 hits in his first six games, which is second most in Oakland history to Mitchell Page (12)...his seven RBI through six games are tied for second most in Oakland history to Page (10)...all nine runs A's relievers have allowed this season have come via the home run.

THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY
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 10000 th home run in Athletics history in a 9-8 loss to Texas.

PITCHING PROBABLES			
Wed., April 15 at Houston	LHP Drew Pomeranz (1-0, 0.00) vs. RHP Collin McHugh (1-0, 1.50)	5:10	CSNCA/95.7 FM The Game
Thu., April 16	OFF DAY		
Fri., April 17 at Kansas City	RHP Sonny Gray (1-0, 0.59) vs. RHP Jeremy Guthrie (1-0, 5.14)	5:10	CSNCA/95.7 FM The Game
Sat., April 18 at Kansas City	RHP Jesse Hahn (0-1, 3.09) vs. RHP Yordano Ventura (2-0, 2.31)	4:10	CSNCA/95.7 FM The Game
Sun., April 19 at Kansas City	LHP Scott Kazmir (2-0, 0.69) vs. LHP Danny Duffy (1-0, 6.35)	11:10	CSNCA/95.7 FM The Game

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TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Kendall Graveman (0-1, 18.90 ERA)

FOR OPENERS: Is scheduled to make his second start of the season and his career...was acquired from Toronto Nov., 28, 2014 with pitcher Sean Nolin, infielder Brett Lawrie and minor league infielder Franklin Barreto for Josh Donaldson...made his Major League debut with the Blue Jays last year in just his second professional season and compiled a 3.86 ERA in five relief appearances.

LAST START: He was the losing pitcher in the A's 10-1 loss to Texas last Thursday in Oakland, his first Major League start...allowed three runs in the first, a two-run home run to Moreland in the third and a three-run home run to Choo in the fourth...the two home runs were the first of his career...surrendered just five home runs in 207.0 minor league innings...yielded eight runs in 3.1 innings to become the fourth pitcher in Oakland history to allow eight or more runs in his A's debut (last: Clayton Mortensen, 8 on Aug. 8, 2009 at Kansas City).

GRAVEMAN'S 2015 STARTS												
Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 9	Texas	1-10	L	18.90	3.1	7	8	7	1	1	2	57

GRAVEMAN vs. HOUSTON: Has never faced the Astros.

GRAVEMAN'S CAREER MATCHUPS VS. HOUSTON																
Player	Bat	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SH	SF	HBP	GDP	AVG	OBP	SLG
Has no matchups																

SPRING TRAINING RECAP: Went 3-1 with a 0.36 ERA in six spring training starts...had the lowest ERA in the majors and the lowest ERA by a Cactus League qualifier since at least 2006...allowed just one earned run all spring...tied for second in the Cactus League in wins and tied for fifth in innings pitched (25.1)...held the opposition to a .141 (12-for-85) batting average...surrendered just one home run in 25.1 innings...did not allow an earned run over his final 20.1 spring innings...it was his first Major League Spring Training.

GRAVEMAN'S 2015 SPRING TRAINING STARTS												
Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	
March 6	at Arizona	7-2	W	0.00	2.0	2	0	0	0	1	0	
March 11	Cleveland	3-2	W	1.80	3.0	2	1	1	1	1	0	
March 16	at Los Angeles (NL)	5-10	--	0.93	4.2	2	0	0	2	1	0	
March 22	at Cincinnati	3-4	--	0.60	5.1	1	0	0	1	5	0	
March 29	Milwaukee	7-0	W	0.42	6.1	3	0	0	0	3	0	
April 3	at San Francisco	0-4	L	0.36	4.0	2	3	0	3	6	1	
Totals (6 games, 6 starts)				3-1	0.36	25.1	12	4	1	7	17	1

2014 RECAP: Was named a *Baseball America* Minor League Baseball First Team All-Star after combining for a 14-6 record and a 1.83 ERA in 27 starts with Single-A Lansing, Single-A Dunedin, Double-A New Hampshire and Triple-A Buffalo...then made his Major League debut with Toronto in September in just his second professional season...was recalled from Triple-A Buffalo Sept. 2 and had no decisions and a 3.86 ERA in five relief appearances...allowed a .222 batting average and did not walk a batter in 4.2 innings...yielded a .200 (2-for-10) average against right-handed hitters, .250 (2-for-8) against lefthanders...stranded his only inherited runner but first batters faced were 2-for-5 (.400)...was named the A's sixth best prospect by *Baseball America* following the trade.

WITH TORONTO: Made his debut Sept. 5 at Boston and allowed a single to the only batter he faced, Yoenis Céspedes...he later scored...struck out Nelson Cruz to end the seventh inning in his second outing Sept. 16 at Baltimore for his first strikeout...did not allow a run over his final two appearances (3.0 ip).

MINORS: His 14 wins tied for third most in the all of the minor leagues and his 1.83 ERA ranked fourth among full season minor leaguers...ranked seventh in the minors in innings pitched (167.1)...led the Blue Jays farm system in ERA and wins and ranked fourth in strikeouts (115)...surrendered just two home runs, an average of 0.11 per nine innings...allowed a .232 opponents batting average, including .196 (66-for-335) against right-handed hitters compared to .272 (76-for-279) against left-handers...compiled a 1.41 ERA over the first five innings of a game, a 4.91 ERA in the sixth inning and a 0.79 ERA from the seventh inning on...did not allow an earned run in the second inning (27.0 ip)...his teams were 17-10 (.630) in his starting assignments...allowed four runs or fewer in all 27 of his starts, including two runs or fewer 23 times...walked two batters or fewer 25 times and tossed at least six innings in 21 of his starts.

LANSING: Began the season at Single-A Lansing where he went 2-0 with a 0.34 ERA in four starts...allowed a .126 batting average and opponents were hitless in 14 at bats with runners in scoring position...walked a season-high three batters in his first start April 6 at Lake County...then struck

out a season-high seven in each of his next three starts...including April 18 at Beloit when he tossed a season-high 8.1 shutout innings and allowed just one hit and one walk...was named Midwest League Pitcher of the Week for the week of April 14 to 20.

DUNEDIN: Was promoted to Single-A Dunedin of the Florida State League April 30 and logged an 8-4 record and a 2.23 ERA in 16 starts...the wins tied for second most in the FSL during his stint there, which ran through July 27, while his ERA ranked seventh...went 4-0 with a 2.27 ERA in five starts at home...allowed a season-high four runs in a season-low 4.0 innings in his first start April 30 at Tampa...picked up the win in five consecutive starts from May 12 to June 3...compiled a 3.14 ERA during the winning streak...surrendered his first home run of the season May 22 against Ft. Myers and matched his season high by allowing four runs...would not allow his second and final home run until Aug. 7 against Durham...had a 13-start, 87.0-inning, 347-batter homerless streak in between...matched his season high by allowing four runs in a June 8 loss at Lakeland...that ran his overall minor league record to 7-2 with a 2.44 ERA in 12 starts...went 7-4 with a 1.39 ERA over his final 15 starts...matched his season high with three walks June 16 at Brevard County...did not allow a run in consecutive starts July 1 at Clearwater and July 6 vs. Tampa...tossed 6.0 shutout innings in each start and had a 20.0-inning scoreless streak from June 26 to July 11...allowed a season-high nine hits July 17 against Jupiter but yielded just one run in 7.0 innings for the win.

NEW HAMPSHIRE: Was promoted to Double-A New Hampshire July 28 and made just one start for the Fisher Cats that day at Binghamton...picked up the win in a 5-1 decision (6.0 ip, 8 h, 1 r, 1 er, 2 bb, 4 so)...went 3-1 with a 0.93 ERA in six starts overall in July.

BUFFALO: Moved up to Triple-A Buffalo Aug. 1 and went 3-2 with a 1.88 ERA in six starts...ranked third in the International League in ERA in August...tossed 7.0 shutout innings in consecutive starts Aug. 12 against Norfolk and Aug. 17 at Lehigh Valley as part of a 17.0-inning scoreless streak from Aug. 12 to 23...allowed a season-high tying nine hits Aug. 23 against Pawtucket but surrendered just two runs in 7.0 innings for the win...matched his season high with seven strikeouts in his final minor league start Aug. 28 at Scranton/Wilkes-Barre.

CAREER: Made his Major League debut with Toronto in 2014 in just his second professional season...compiled a 3.86 ERA in five relief appearances...is 15-9 with a 2.30 ERA (53 er in 207.0 ip) in 37 games, all starts, in two minor league seasons...has allowed just five home runs in 207.0 innings (0.22 per nine innings).

GRAVEMAN BY THE NUMBERS						
	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2015	0	1	18.90	1	3.1	7
2014	0	0	3.86	5	4.2	2
Career	0	1	10.13	6	8.0	9
Home	0	1	18.90	1	3.1	7
Road	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
Day	0	1	18.90	1	3.1	7
Night	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
Pre-ASB	0	1	18.90	1	3.1	7
Post-ASB	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
	AVG.	AB	H			
vs. LHH	.500	10	5			
vs. RHH	.333	6	2			

GRAVEMAN'S CAREER HIGHS	
Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	3.1, 4/9/15 vs. TEX
Fewest IP, GS:	3.1, 4/9/15 vs. TEX
H:	7, 4/9/15 vs. TEX
R:	8, 4/9/15 vs. TEX
ER:	7, 4/9/15 vs. TEX
BB:	1, 4/9/15 vs. TEX
SO:	3, 9/25/14 vs. SEA
HR:	2, 4/9/15 vs. TEX
Pitches:	57, 4/9/15 vs. TEX
Win Streak:	None
Loss Streak:	1, 4/9/15 to present
Scoreless Streak:	3.0, 9/25/14-9/28/14
Complete Games:	None
Shutouts:	None

TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER
LHP Drew Pomeranz (1-0, 0.00 ERA): Is scheduled to make his second start of the season...tossed a career-high tying 7.0 shutout innings in his first start last Friday in Oakland, a 12-0 win over Seattle (2 h, 6 so)...now has a 15.0-inning scoreless streak dating back to Sept. 2, 2014...his career high is 18.0 innings from May 7 to 25, 2014...has not allowed an earned run in his last 20.1 innings dating back to Aug. 27, 2014...is 0-1 with a 5.79 ERA (9.1 ip, 14 h, 7 r, 6 er, 3 bb, 12 so) in three career appearances, including two starts, against Houston...went 2-3 with a 2.38 ERA in six Spring Training starts...tied for the Cactus League lead with 28 strikeouts and ranked seventh in ERA...spent most of the 2014 season with the A's and split his time between the bullpen and the starting rotation...was 1-1 with a 1.62 ERA in 10 relief appearances and 4-3 with a 2.58 ERA in 10 starts...combined for a 5-4 record and a 2.35 ERA in 20 games overall.

ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

TEAM

0-2, 2.91 ERA (7 er in 24.2 p)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-for-1 (0.0%)

- A's relievers allowed four earned runs in 4.1 innings Sunday, but have given up just three earned runs in their other seven games and 20.1 innings (1.33 ERA).
- All nine runs allowed this year have come via the home run (three solo homers, two three-run homers)...five home runs have come against five different relievers (Alvarez, Clippard, O'Flaherty, Otero, Scribner).
- Have not converted a save this season after converting 31-of-52 (59.6%) save opportunities in 2014...tied with Houston for the fewest saves in the AL and had the second lowest save percentage...tied for third in blown saves (21)...the 31 saves were the fewest by an A's team in a non-strike season since 1982 (22).
- Walked just 122 batters last season, which was the fewest in the majors...averaged 2.35 walks per nine innings, which was the lowest mark by an A's bullpen since at least 1914 (2.49 in 1944)...it was the third lowest mark by an AL bullpen since 1914 (2.11 by KC in 1984, 2.28 by CWS in 1915) and the lowest by a Major League bullpen since 1994 (Montreal, 2.29)
- Struck out 397 and had the best strikeout-to-walk ratio in the majors (3.25)...it was also the best mark by an A's bullpen since at least 1914.
- Had the lowest opponents on-base percentage in the AL (.279) and the second lowest slugging percentage (.330) and batting average (.223).

56 LHP FERNANDO ABAD

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

- Is on his fourth career Opening Day roster (2011-12 with Houston, 2014 with Oakland).
- Three of his first four outings this year have been scoreless.
- Was 1-0 with a 3.12 ERA in nine appearances during the spring...opponents hit .188.
- Has faced Houston nine times in his career...has not allowed a run in eight of nine games (8.2 ip, 4 h, 1 r, 1 er, 3 bb, 9 so, 1.04 ERA)...lone run allowed was a 12th-inning home run to L.J. Hoes on July 22.
- Did not allow a run in April last year (10.1 ip, 2 h, 2 bb, 11 so).
- Friday night was his 200th career appearance.

Last Year: *Posted a 1.57 ERA and allowed just 13.2% (5-of-38) of inherited runners to score in a career-high 69 appearances in his first full season in the majors...ranked third among AL relievers in pct. of inherited runners scored and fifth in ERA.*

37 RHP R.J. ALVAREZ

Last Outing: 4/12 vs. Seattle (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0
First Hitters: 1-4

- Is on his first career Opening Day roster.
- Compiled a 3.38 ERA in 10 spring outings...held the opposition to a .195 batting average...struck out 13 in 10.2 innings (10.97 per nine innings)...did not allow a home run.
- Has never faced the Astros in his career.
- Was acquired from San Diego with Jesse Hahn for Derek Norris, Seth Streich and international bonus slot 117, Dec. 18, 2014

Last Year: *Combined to go 0-1 with seven saves and a 1.25 ERA in 38 appearances with Arkansas and San Antonio...then had a 1.13 ERA and .115 opponents average in 10 relief appearances in his ML debut with San Diego in September.*

30 RHP JESSE CHAVEZ

Last Outing: 4/13 at Houston (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 1/0
First Hitters: 1-3

- Is the only A's reliever who has not allowed a run yet this season.
- Is on his fourth career Opening Day roster (2009 with Pittsburgh, 2010 with Atlanta, 2014 with Oakland).
- Went 3-0 with a 3.27 ERA in six games, five starts, this spring...tied for second in the Cactus League in wins...did not allow a home run in 22.0 innings...is now 8-1 with a 2.68 ERA (15 er in 50.1 ip) in 13 games, 10 starts, over the last two springs.
- Went 2-0 with a 1.89 ERA in six April starts last year...has a 2.59 (19 er in 66.0 ip) career ERA in April, which is his best for any month of the season.
- Is 2-1 with a 3.16 ERA in 20 career games (4 GS) against Houston all-time (42.2 ip, 40 h, 19 r, 15 er, 18 bb, 44 so)...are his most innings pitched against any opponent in his career.

Last Year: *Began the season in the starting rotation but was moved to the bullpen following the acquisition of Jon Lester at the trading deadline...combined for an 8-8 record and a 3.45 ERA in 32 games, 21 starts.*

36 RHP TYLER CLIPPARD

Last Outing: 4/12 vs. Seattle (L, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 0 so, 1 hr)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0
First Hitters: 0-3

- Allowed a 10th-inning solo home run to Nelson Cruz Sunday that broke a 7-7 tie...allowed just five home runs in 2014.
- Is on his sixth consecutive Opening Day roster (spent the previous five with Washington)...pitched in each of the last four openers for the Nationals (3.2 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 3 so).
- Was 1-1 with a 5.19 ERA in nine spring appearances...did not allow a run in seven of those outings.
- Is 4-0 with a save and a 3.95 ERA in 12 career games against the Astros (13.2 ip, 12 h, 6 r, 6 er, 9 bb, 19 so)...are his most wins against any American League team.
- Has pitched in 374 games since 2010, which are the most in the majors.
- Was acquired from the Washington Nationals Jan. 14, 2015 for infielder Yunel Escobar.

Last Year: *Was named to his second National League All-Star team...went 7-4 with a save and a 2.18 ERA in 75 relief appearances...it was his fifth consecutive season with 70 or more games pitched...tied for fourth in the NL in games pitched.*

62 LHP SEAN DOOLITTLE

Last Outing: 9/26/14 at Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0
First Hitters: 0-0

- Did not pitch during the spring and was placed on the 15-day disabled list April 4 with a strained left rotator cuff.

Last Year: *Took over as the A's closer in May in just his third professional season as a pitcher and saved a team-leading 22 games...set an Athletics record for saves by a left-hander...walked just eight batters in 62.2 innings and struck out 89.*

39 LHP ERIC O'FLAHERTY

Last Outing: 4/12 vs. Seattle (ND, 1.1 ip, 3 h, 3 r, 3 er, 0 bb, 2 so, 1 hr)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 3/0
First Hitters: 0-3

- Three runs allowed Sunday were his most since allowing three runs on May 2, 2012 vs. Philadelphia (with Atlanta).
- Is on his seventh Opening Day roster (2008 with Seattle, 2009-13 with Atlanta)...has allowed runs in back-to-back games (4 r, 3 er in 1.2 ip) after tossing a scoreless frame in his first outing on April 7.
- Was 1-0 with a 2.45 ERA in seven games this spring.
- Has a save in 15 career games against Houston (14.2 ip, 13 h, 2 r, 2 er, 7 bb, 14 so, 1.23 ERA).
- Has not allowed a home run to a left-handed hitter since Aug. 14, 2011 against Chicago-NL (Carlos Pena).

Last Year: *Was 1-0 with a save, a 2.25 ERA and .205 opponents batting average in 21 games with the A's in his comeback from May 21, 2013 Tommy John surgery...struck out 15 and walked just four for a strikeout-to-walk ratio of 3.75.*

61 RHP DAN OTERO

Last Outing: 4/13 at Houston (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-1
Inherited Runners/Scored: 2/2
First Hitters: 2-3

- Home run allowed to Nelson Cruz on Saturday was just the fifth of his career...has a career ratio of 0.32 hr/9 ip (5 hr in 140.1 ip), which is the fourth best among active relievers with a minimum of 100 ip.
- Is on his third career Opening Day roster (2012 with San Francisco, 2014 with Oakland).
- Compiled a 4.15 ERA in seven spring outings.
- Is 2-0 in 14 career games against the Astros (12.1 ip, 17 h, 4 r, 3 er, 5 bb, 10 so, 2 hr, 2.19 ERA)...are his most home runs allowed against any Major League team.
- Has walked the first batter he has faced in a game just twice in 120 career appearances.

Last Year: *Spent nearly the entire season with the A's and compiled an 8-2 record and a 2.28 ERA in 72 appearances...had a three-day stay with Sacramento but did not pitch...tied for the team lead and tied for 10th in the AL in games pitched.*

58 RHP EVAN SCRIBNER

Last Outing: 4/12 vs. Seattle (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0
First Hitters: 1-3

- Tossed a career-high 3.2 innings Thursday (previous: 3.0 ip, 5 times).
- Is on his third consecutive Opening Day roster (all with Oakland)...last Monday was his first career Opening Day appearance.
- Logged a 2.51 ERA in nine spring appearances...struck out 19 batters in 14.1 innings (11.93 per nine innings)...tossed more than one inning in five of his nine outings.
- Has a win in five career games against Houston (6.0 ip, 4 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 5 so, 1.50 ERA).

Last Year: *Spent most of the season with Triple-A Sacramento where he was 4-1 with 16 saves and a 3.06 ERA in 40 relief appearances...also went 1-0 with a 4.63 ERA in 13 games over four stints with Oakland.*

ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

16 BILLY BUTLER

Current Streak: 8 games (12 for 31)

Houston Series: 1-4, r, hr, 3 rbi

Last Homestand: 11-27, 4 r, 2 2b, 2 rbi, 3 bb, 5 so, 2 gidp

- Is the only Athletic to hit safely in each of the first eight games and is the only American Leaguer with an eight-game hitting streak...longest hitting streak last season was 10 games (June 10-20).
- Has started each of the A's first eight games at designated hitter...last year, the A's had just one streak where a DH made more than five consecutive starts (8, Alberto Callaspo from April 18-25).
- Is a .232 lifetime hitter against Houston (19 for 82), which is his worst batting average against any team (min. 50 ab).
- Went 1-for-4 in an Opening Day start at designated hitter last Monday against Texas...became the A's 10th different Opening Day designated hitter in the last 11 years...it was his eighth consecutive Opening Day start (seven at designated hitter, one at first base).
- Is on his eighth Opening Day roster, his first with the A's.
- Batted .271 with five home runs, 15 RBI and nine walks in 22 games this spring...tied for fifth in the Cactus League in RBI.
- Signed a three-year contract as a free agent, Nov. 19, 2014.

Last Year: Batted .271 with nine home runs and 66 RBI in 151 games in his eighth and final season with Kansas City...the batting average was a career-low as was his .323 on-base percentage and .379 slugging percentage.

20 MARK CANHA

Current Streak: 6 games (11 for 30)

Houston Series: 2-5, r, 2b, rbi, so

Last Homestand: 9-25, 6 r, 2 2b, hr, 6 rbi, 2 so

- Has hit safely in each of the first six games of his career...has 11 hits over his first six games, which is second most in Oakland history to Mitchell Page (12)...his seven RBI through six games are tied for second most in Oakland history to Page (10).
- Leads all AL rookies in average (.367), RBI, runs (7), hits, doubles (3) and total bases (17)...his three multi-hit games are also the most among AL rookies.
- Hit his first Major League home run Friday night in the second inning off Walker.
- Went 3-for-5 with two doubles and four RBI in his Major League debut Wednesday night against Texas...the RBI were second most by an Athletic in his debut since the RBI became an official stat in 1920 (5, Ben Grieve on Sept. 3, 1997 vs. San Francisco)...became the third Oakland Athletic with three hits in his debut (Grieve in 1997, Mike Rouse on June 9, 2006 vs New York-AL) and the third with two or more doubles (Grieve 3 in 1997, Carlos Gonzalez 2 on May 30, 2008 vs. Texas)
- Since the RBI became an official stat in 1920, he is one of three Major Leaguers with at least three hits, two doubles and four RBI in their debuts...joins Grieve and the Phillies Ted Kazanski, who did it on June 25, 1953 against the Cubs.
- Had a three-run double off Ross Detwiler in the third inning Wednesday night for his first hit.
- Batted .297 with six home runs and 13 RBI in 29 spring games...tied for third in the Cactus League in home runs and total bases (47) and tied for fifth in doubles (7)...went 16-for-40 (.400) with five doubles, four home runs and 11 RBI over his last 16 games after hitting .176 over his first 13 contests...appeared in 13 games in left field, eight at first base and eight in right field.
- Was acquired from Colorado for Austin House and cash after the Rockies selected him in the Rule 5 draft from Miami, Dec. 11, 2014.

Last Year: Spent the entire season at Triple-A New Orleans in the Miami farm system where he batted a career-high .303 with 20 home runs and 82 RBI in 127 games...added 57 walks for a career-high .384 on-base percentage.

4 COCO CRISP

Current Streak: 0 for 0

- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list April 4 after undergoing surgery on his right elbow April 3.

Last Year: Batted .246 in 126 games but added a career-high 66 walks for a .336 on-base percentage...stole 19 bases, his 12th consecutive season with 10 or more steals...is one of four in MLB with 10 or more steals in each of the previous 12 seasons.

17 IKE DAVIS

Current Streak: 4 games (6 for 13)

Houston Series: 1-3, rbi, bb

Last Homestand: 6-19, 4 r, 3 2b, 4 rbi, 4 bb, 5 so

- Had four RBI Friday night, his sixth career game of four or more RBI.
- Made his fifth consecutive Opening Day start at first base last Monday night against Texas and went 0-for-3 with two walks...is now 0-for-17 with a RBI, four walks and seven strikeouts in those contests.
- Is on his fifth Opening Day roster.
- Batted .362 with one home run and four RBI in 17 games during the spring.
- Was acquired from Pittsburgh with international bonus slot 86 for international bonus slot 27, Nov. 23, 2014.

Last Year: Batted a combined .233 with 11 home runs and 51 RBI in 143 games with New York (NL) and Pittsburgh... added 63 walks for a .344 on-base percentage...hit .247 against right-handed pitching, .094 against left-handers.

23 SAM FULD

Current Streak: 2 games (3 for 8)

Houston Series: 1-4, 2 r, bb, so

Last Homestand: 9-24, 5 r, 2 2b, 2 3b, 3 rbi, 2 bb, so, gidp

- Has four multiple hit games over his first seven games.
- Tripled in each of his first two games...is the only player in Oakland history to triple in each of his first two games in a season and he has done it twice...tied for the Cactus League lead with three triples during the spring.
- Made his second career Opening Day start last Monday night against Texas and went 2-for-4 with a triple...it was the sixth Opening Day triple in Oakland history, the second in the last 32 years (Scott Brosius, 1997).
- Is in his eighth Major League season and is on an Opening Day roster for the fourth time (2011 and 2013 with Tampa Bay, 2014 with Oakland).
- Batted .254 with 22 games during the spring.

Last Year: Began the season with the A's, was claimed off waivers by Minnesota in mid-April and then returned to Oakland at the trading deadline...combined to hit .239 with four home runs, 36 RBI and 21 stolen bases in 113 games overall.

3 CRAIG GENTRY

Current Streak: 0 for 14

Seattle Series: 0-3

Last Homestand: 0-14, r, 2 bb, hbp, 4 so

- Has started the season 0-for-14, which is the longest hitless streak of his career (previous: 13, twice, last: Aug. 26-Sept. 2, 2014).
- Matched his career-high with three strikeouts last Monday against Texas (sixth time) in his first career Opening Day start.
- Has not homered since Aug. 21, 2013 against Houston and has a career-high 117-game homerless streak...has an 84-game homerless streak as an outfielder with Oakland, which is the second longest homerless streak by an A's outfielder over the last 23 years (99, Ryan Sweeney, 2010-11).
- Is in his seventh season in the majors but is on an Opening Day roster for just the third time (Texas, 2012-13).
- Batted .233 in 22 spring games...stole four bases, which tied for eighth in the CL.

Last Year: Batted .254 with no home runs, 12 RBI and 20 stolen bases in 94 games in his first season with the A's...led the A's in steals despite missing 32 games over two stints on the DL plus the final 2½ weeks of the season following a concussion.

15 BRETT LAWRIE

Current Streak: 3 games (4 for 12)

Houston Series: 1-4, r, hr, rbi, so

Last Homestand: 8-28, 2 r, 2 2b, rbi, 2 bb, 8 so, sh

- Has reached base safely in seven of the first eight games.
- Hit his first home run as an Athletic last night at Houston, a solo shot off Feldman.
- Drove in his first run of the season Saturday...had six home runs and 20 RBI in 25 games last April...has 11 home runs and 40 RBI in his career in April, his best marks for any month of the season.
- Matched his career high with three hits Wednesday against Texas (18th time).
- Matched his career high with four strikeouts last Tuesday (2nd time, July 30, 2012 at Seattle).
- Made his third career Opening Day start at third base Monday night and hit safely for the first time...is now 1-for-14 on Opening Day.
- Is on his third Opening Day roster.
- Hit .245 with four home runs and 11 RBI in 19 games this spring...went 10-for-29 (.345) with four home runs and 11 RBI over his final 11 games.
- Was acquired from Toronto with Kendall Graveman, Sean Nolin and Franklin Barreto for Josh Donaldson, Nov. 28, 2014.

Last Year: Batted .247 with 12 home runs and 38 RBI in just 70 games in a season shortened by a broken finger and a strained oblique...the home runs were a career high but his batting average was a career low as was his .301 on-base percentage.

19 JOSH PHEGLEY

Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 3)

Seattle Series: 2-3, rbi

Last Homestand: 4-9, r, rbi, so

- Has two hits in each of his two starts (4-for-8, .500)...also popped out as a pinch hitter Thursday.
- Is on an Opening Day roster for the first time in his career.
- Hit .218 in 20 games this spring but nine of his 12 hits were for extra bases (seven doubles, two home runs)...tied for fifth in the Cactus League in doubles.
- Was acquired from the Chicago White Sox with Chris Bassitt, Rangel Ravelo and Marcus Semien for Jeff Samardzija and Michael Ynoa, Dec. 9, 2014.

Last Year: Spent the entire season at Triple-A Charlotte before being promoted to Chicago (AL) Sept. 2...hit .216 with 3 HR and 7 RBI in 11 games with the White Sox...batted .274 with 23 HR and 75 RBI in 107 games with Charlotte.

22 JOSH REDDICK

Current Streak: 0 for 3
Houston Series: 0-4
Last Homestand: 2-5, r, rbi, 2b

- Was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list Sunday...was placed on the DL April 4 retroactive to March 27 with a strained right oblique.
- Went 1-for-7 (.143) with a walk, RBI and two strikeouts in two games, both in right field, on a rehab assignment Single-A Stockton in Inland Empire on Thursday and Friday.
- Played in one Spring Training game before the injury and went 3-for-3 with two runs and two RBI March 4 at San Francisco.

Last Year: Batted .264 with 12 home runs and 54 RBI in 109 games in a season shortened due to two stints on the DL...the games were his fewest in his three seasons with Oakland but his average and .316 on-base percentage were his best.

7 CODY ROSS

Current Streak: 0 for 1
Seattle Series: 1-4, r, bb, 2 so
Last Homestand: 2-9, 2 r, 2 rbi, bb, 3 so

- Went 1-for-5 with two RBI in his A's debut Wednesday night against Texas after being signed as a free agent earlier in the day...was released by Arizona April 4.
- Struck out Sunday in his first plate appearance as a pinch hitter this season...was fourth in the Majors with a .348 batting average as a pinch hitter last season (10 for 28, 2 2b).
- Is in his 12th season with his eighth team (Detroit, 2003; Los Angeles-NL, 2005-06; Cincinnati, 2006; Florida, 2006-10; San Francisco, 2010-11; Boston, 2012; and Arizona, 2013-14).
- Batted .256 with six RBI in 16 games with Arizona this spring.

Last Year: Batted .252 with two home runs and 15 RBI in just 83 games with Arizona last year due to a pair of stints on the disabled list... ranked fourth in the majors with a .357 batting average as a pinch hitter and hit .337 over his final 47 games.

10 MARCUS SEMIEN

Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 1)
Houston Series: 2-4, r, hr, rbi
Last Homestand: 8-27, 3 r, 2 2b, 6 rbi, 2 bb, 5 so, 2 gidp

- Has hit safely and driven in a run in six of his first eight games.
- Has started all eight games at shortstop and has four multiple-hit games.
- Made his second straight Opening Day start last Monday against Texas and is now 1-for-8 with a RBI in two openers...started at shortstop last Monday night after starting at second base with the White Sox last year.
- Is on his second Opening Day roster.
- Batted .288 with three home runs and 11 RBI in 24 games this spring...tied for third in the Cactus League in runs (14).
- Was acquired from the Chicago White Sox with Chris Bassitt, Josh Phegley and Rangel Ravelo for Jeff Samardzija and Michael Ynoa, Dec. 9, 2014.

Last Year: Batted .234 with six home runs and 28 RBI in 64 games over two stints with Chicago (AL)...hit .271 against left-handed pitching, .212 against righties... also batted .267 with 15 home runs and 52 RBI in 83 games with Triple-A Charlotte.

28 ERIC SOGARD

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 1)
Seattle Series: 1-6, r, rbi, 2 so, sh
Last Homestand: 4-16, 3 r, 2 rbi, 2 bb, 3 so, sh, gidp

- Had a pinch-hit, game-tying single off Fernando Rodney Sunday with two outs in the ninth inning...was his first career pinch-hit RBI in 21 plate appearances.
- Has made each of his four starts this year and 237 of his 251 career starts against right-handed pitching.
- Made his fourth consecutive Opening Day start last Monday night against Texas and went 2-for-4...is now 2-for-11 (.182) with two walks in his four openers (one at third base, the last three at second base).
- Has a 127-game homerless streak as a second baseman, which is an Oakland record for a second baseman...it is the longest by an Athletics second baseman since John Donaldson had a 148-game streak from Aug. 26, 1966 to June 10, 1968.
- Is in his sixth season with the A's and is on the Opening Day roster for the fourth consecutive season.
- Hit .355 in 22 games this spring...tied for fifth in the Cactus League in doubles (7)...finished the spring with an 11-game hitting streak.

Last Year: Spent the entire year with the A's for the second consecutive season and batted .223 with a home run and 22 RBI in 117 games...made 88 of his 92 starts against right-handed pitching (80 at second base, 12 at shortstop).

21 STEPHEN VOGT

Current Streak: 6 games (8 for 23)
Houston Series: 1-4, 2 gidp
Last Homestand: 7-19, 3 r, 2b, 3b, hr, 5 rbi, 3 bb, 2 ibb, 4 so

- Hit his fourth career triple Sunday vs. Seattle.
- Was walked intentionally for the second consecutive game Saturday and is tied for second in the Majors in intentional walks.
- Has reached base safely in each of his first seven games and has hit safely in each of his six games with an official at bat
- Has made each of his six starts this year and 106 of his 113 career starts with the A's against right-handed pitchers.
- Went 2-for-4 with a double, homer and three RBI last Monday night against Texas in his first career Opening Day start.
- Is on an Opening Day roster for the second time in his career (Tampa Bay, 2012)
- Hit .250 with two home runs and five RBI in 15 games this spring...went 9-for-23 (.391) over his final eight games.

Last Year: Began the season at Triple-A Sacramento but was promoted to Oakland June 1 and spent the remainder of the season with the A's...batted .279 with nine home runs and 35 RBI in 84 games with Oakland.

18 BEN ZOBRIST

Current Streak: 1 game (3 for 5)
Houston Series: 3-5, 2 r, 2b, rbi, so
Last Homestand: 7-28, 5 r, 4 2b, hr, 4 rbi, 2 bb, ibb, so, gidp

- Tied for the team lead with four multiple hit games this season.
- Leads the American League with five doubles.
- Has an RBI in three of his last four games.
- Has made four starts in left field, two in right field, and two at second base.
- Homered in the first inning last Monday night against Texas to become the 13th player in Oakland history to homer in his first at bat with the A's (last: Adam Dunn, 2014)...it was his third career Opening Day homer.
- Is now 9-for-27 (.333) with six runs, two doubles, a triple, three home runs, six RBI and three walks in his seven Opening Day starts (four at second base, one in right field, one in left field, one at shortstop).
- Is on his eighth Opening Day roster (2007, 2009-14 with Tampa Bay).
- His Opening Day error snapped a 98-game errorless streak in the outfield dating back to Aug. 14, 2012.
- Batted .345 with 15 RBI in 21 games this spring...tied for fifth in the CL in RBI and doubles (7)...appeared in 10 games at second base, seven in right field, four in left field and one at shortstop.
- Was acquired from Tampa Bay with Yunel Escobar for John Jaso, Daniel Robertson, Boog Powell and cash, Jan. 10, 2015.

Last Year: Was named the Rays' MVP by the Tampa Bay Chapter of the BBWAA after batting .272 with 10 home runs and 52 RBI in 146 games...added 75 walks for a .354 on-base percentage...tied for seventh in the American League in walks.

A'S HITTING VS. HOUSTON

2015						CAREER					
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	PLAYER	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	
.250	4	1	1	3	Butler	.232	82	19	3	10	
.400	5	2	0	1	Canha	.400	5	2	0	1	
.333	3	1	0	1	Davis	.264	53	14	3	6	
.250	4	1	0	0	Fuld	.290	31	9	1	4	
--	0	0	0	0	Gentry	.267	86	23	1	6	
.250	4	1	1	1	Lawrie	.150	40	6	4	6	
--	0	0	0	0	Phegley	.167	12	2	0	1	
.000	4	0	0	0	Reddick	.288	104	30	4	16	
--	0	0	0	0	Ross	.257	105	27	1	15	
.500	4	2	1	1	Semiem	.400	5	2	1	1	
--	0	0	0	0	Sogard	.264	87	23	0	5	
.250	4	1	0	0	Vogt	.200	50	10	1	5	
.600	5	3	0	1	Zobrist	.309	81	25	1	9	
.324	37	12	3	8	TOTALS						

A'S CAREER HITTING VS. PEACOCK

PLAYER	BAT	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SH	SF	HBP	GDP	AVG	OBP	SLG
Billy Butler	R	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.000	1.000	1.000
Coco Crisp	S	16	5	2	1	1	2	5	1	0	0	0	0	.313	.476	.750
Nate Freiman	R	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Sam Fuld	L	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.333	.333	.667
Craig Gentry	R	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.500	.500	.500
Brett Lawrie	R	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.333	.333	.667
Josh Reddick	L	10	2	0	1	0	1	3	3	0	0	0	0	.200	.385	.400
Eric Sogard	L	14	6	1	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	.429	.467	.786
Stephen Vogt	L	8	1	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	.125	.125	.250
Ben Zobrist	S	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.500	.500	.500

2015 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

DATE	G	OPP	W-L	SCORE	REC	POS	GA/ LEADER				SAVE	ATT.	CUM. ATT.	
							GB	AND LEAD	WINNER	LOSER				
4/6	1	TEX	W	8-0	1-0	t1	-	OAK/HOUSE	-	Gray	Gallardo	36,067*	36,067	
4/7	2	TEX	L	1-3	1-1	t2	-½	HOU	½	Lewis	Hahn	Feliz	15,025	51,092
4/8	3	TEX	W	10-0	2-1	t1	-	OAK/LAA	-	Kazmir	Detwiler		19,479	70,571
4/9	4	TEX	L	1-10	2-2	t2	-½	LAA	½	Martinez	Graveman		16,045	86,616
4/10	5	SEA	W	12-0	3-2	1	+½	OAK	½	Pomeranz	Walker		30,114	116,730
4/11	6	SEA	L	4-5 (11)	3-3	t1	-	OAK/TEX	-	Olson	Abad	Rodney	24,355	141,085
4/12	7	SEA	L	7-8 (10)	3-4	t3	-½	HOU/SEA	½	Rodney	Clippard	Medina	32,282	173,367
4/13	8	at HOU	W	8-1	4-4	1	+½	OAK	½	Kazmir	Feldman		19,279	19,279

* indicates sellout. CAPS indicates complete game.

DATE	G	OPP	TIME	TV	PROMOTION
4/14	9	at HOU	5:10	CSNCA	
4/15	10	at HOU	5:10		
4/16		OFF DAY			
4/17	11	at KC	5:10	CSNCA	
4/18	12	at KC	4:10	CSNCA	
4/19	13	at KC	11:10	CSNCA	
4/20	14	at LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
4/21	15	at LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
4/22	16	at LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
4/23	17	at LAA	4:05	CSNCA	
4/24	18	HOU	7:05	CSNCA	
4/25	19	HOU	1:05	CSNCA	Grant Thornton LLP A-moji T-Shirt (20,000 fans)
4/26	20	HOU	1:05	CSNCA	
4/27		OFF DAY			
4/28	21	LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
4/29	22	LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
4/30	23	LAA	12:35	CSNCA	
5/1	24	at TEX	5:05	CSNCA	
5/2	25	at TEX	5:05	CSNCA	
5/3	26	at TEX	12:05	CSNCA	
5/4	27	at MIN	5:10	CSNCA	
5/5	28	at MIN	5:10	CSNCA	
5/6	29	at MIN	5:10	CSNCA	
5/7	30	at MIN	10:10		
5/8	31	at SEA	7:10	CSNCA	
5/9	32	at SEA	6:10	CSNCA	
5/10	33	at SEA	1:10	CSNCA	
5/11	34	BOS	7:05	CSNCA	
5/12	35	BOS	7:05	CSNCA	Kelly-Moore Paints Sean Doolittle Silhoutte Fleece Blanket (15,000 fans)
5/13	36	BOS	12:35	CSNCA	
5/14		OFF DAY			
5/15	37	CWS	7:05	CSNCA	
5/16	38	CWS	6:05	CSNCA	Xfinity Fireworks
5/17	39	CWS	1:05	CSNCA	Little League Day/Chevrolet Mustache Socks (15,000 fans)
5/18	40	at HOU	5:10	CSNCA	
5/19	41	at HOU	5:10	CSNCA	
5/20	42	at HOU	11:10		
5/21	43	at TB	4:10	CSNCA	
5/22	44	at TB	4:10	CSNCA	
5/23	45	at TB	1:10	CSNCA	
5/24	46	at TB	10:10	CSNCA	
5/25	47	DET	1:05	ESPN	Comerica Bank Memorial Day A's Road Cap (15,000 fans)
5/26	48	DET	7:05	CSNCA	
5/27	49	DET	12:35		
5/28	50	NYN	7:05	CSNCA	Chevrolet Stephen Vogt Referee Bobblehead with sound (15,000 fans)
5/29	51	NYN	7:05	CSNCA	
5/30	52	NYN	7:05	CSNCA	
5/31	53	NYN	1:05	CSNCA	
6/1		OFF DAY			
6/2	54	at DET	4:08	CSNCA	
6/3	55	at DET	4:08		
6/4	56	at DET	10:08		
6/5	57	at BOS	4:10	CSNCA	
6/6	58	at BOS	1:05	CSNCA	
6/7	59	at BOS	10:35	CSNCA	
6/8		OFF DAY			
6/9	60	TEX	7:05	CSNCA	
6/10	61	TEX	7:05	CSNCA	
6/11	62	TEX	12:35		
6/12	63	at LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
6/13	64	at LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
6/14	65	at LAA	12:35	CSNCA	
6/15	66	at SD	7:10	CSNCA	
6/16	67	at SD	12:40		
6/17	68	SD	7:05	CSNCA	
6/18	69	SD	12:35		
6/19	70	LAA	6:35	CSNCA	Fireworks
6/20	71	LAA	1:05	CSNCA	Sungevity Sonny Gray Solar Powered Gnome (15,000 fans)
6/21	72	LAA	1:05	CSNCA	
6/22		OFF DAY			
6/23	73	at TEX	5:05	CSNCA	
6/24	74	at TEX	5:05	CSNCA	
6/25	75	at TEX	11:05		
6/26	76	KC	7:05	CSNCA	
6/27	77	KC	1:05	CSNCA	1965 Turn-Back-The-Clock Day/Ross Charlie O. Throwback T-Shirt (20,000 fans)
6/28	78	KC	1:05	CSNCA	Billy Butler "Country Breakfast" Bowl (15,000 fans)
6/29	79	COL	7:05	CSNCA	
6/30	80	COL	7:05	CSNCA	
7/1	81	COL	12:35		
7/2	82	SEA	7:05	CSNCA	

7/3	83	SEA	6:05	CSNCA	Fireworks
7/4	84	SEA	1:05	CSNCA	
7/5	85	SEA	1:05	CSNCA	MLB Network Reusable Tote Bag (20,000 fans)
7/6		OFF DAY			
7/7	86	at NYY	4:05	CSNCA	
7/8	87	at NYY	4:05	CSNCA	
7/9	88	at NYY	10:05	CSNCA	
7/10	89	at CLE	4:10	CSNCA	
7/11	90	at CLE	3:35	CSNCA	
7/12	91	at CLE	10:10	CSNCA	
7/13		ALL-STAR			
7/14		STAR			
7/15		BREAK			
7/16		(at CIN)			
7/17	92	MIN	7:05	CSNCA	
7/18	93	MIN	6:05	CSNCA	Hello Kitty Bobblehead (15,000 fans)
7/19	94	MIN	1:05	CSNCA	
7/20		OFF DAY			
7/21	95	TOR	7:05	CSNCA	
7/22	96	TOR	7:05	CSNCA	Root Beer Float Day
7/23	97	TOR	12:35		
7/24	98	at SF	7:15	CSNCA	
7/25	99	at SF	1:05	CSNCA	
7/26	100	at SF	1:05	CSNCA	
7/27		OFF DAY			
7/28	101	at LAD	7:10	CSNCA	
7/29	102	at LAD	7:10	CSNCA	
7/30	103	CLE	7:05	CSNCA	
7/31	104	CLE	6:35	CSNCA	Fireworks
8/1	105	CLE	6:05	CSNCA	
8/2	106	CLE	1:05	CSNCA	Mike Gallego Windmill Wind-Up Toy (15,000 fans)
8/3	107	BAL	7:05	CSNCA	
8/4	108	BAL	7:05	CSNCA	
8/5	109	BAL	12:35		
8/6	110	HOU	7:05	CSNCA	
8/7	111	HOU	7:05	CSNCA	
8/8	112	HOU	1:05	CSNCA	
8/9	113	HOU	1:05	CSNCA	
8/10		OFF DAY			
8/11	114	at TOR	4:05	CSNCA	
8/12	115	at TOR	4:05	CSNCA	
8/13	116	at TOR	9:35		
8/14	117	at BAL	4:05	CSNCA	
8/15	118	at BAL	4:05	CSNCA	
8/16	119	at BAL	10:35	CSNCA	
8/17	120	at BAL	4:05	CSNCA	
8/18	121	LAD	7:05	CSNCA	Mark McGwire Bobblehead (20,000 fans)
8/19	122	LAD	12:35	CSNCA	
8/20		OFF DAY			
8/21	123	TB	7:05	CSNCA	
8/22	124	TB	6:05	CSNCA	Chevron Star Wars Fireworks
8/23	125	TB	1:05	CSNCA	
8/24	126	at SEA	7:10	CSNCA	
8/25	127	at SEA	7:10	CSNCA	
8/26	128	at SEA	12:40		
8/27		OFF DAY			
8/28	129	at ARZ	6:40	CSNCA	
8/29	130	at ARZ	5:10	CSNCA	
8/30	131	at ARZ	1:10	CSNCA	
8/31	132	LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
9/1	133	LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
9/2	134	LAA	12:35	CSNCA	
9/3		OFF DAY			
9/4	135	SEA	7:05	CSNCA	
9/5	136	SEA	6:05	CSNCA	Fireworks
9/6	137	SEA	1:05	CSNCA	Breast Cancer Awareness Day
9/7	138	HOU	1:05	CSNCA	
9/8	139	HOU	7:05	CSNCA	
9/9	140	HOU	7:05	CSNCA	
9/10		OFF DAY			
9/11	141	at TEX	5:05	CSNCA	
9/12	142	at TEX	5:05	CSNCA	
9/13	143	at TEX	12:05	CSNCA	
9/14	144	at CWS	5:10	CSNCA	
9/15	145	at CWS	5:10	CSNCA	
9/16	146	at CWS	5:10	CSNCA	
9/17	147	at CWS	11:10		
9/18	148	at HOU	5:10	CSNCA	
9/19	149	at HOU	4:10	CSNCA	
9/20	150	at HOU	11:10	CSNCA	
9/21		OFF DAY			
9/22	151	TEX	7:05	CSNCA	Team Photo (10,000 fans)
9/23	152	TEX	7:05	CSNCA	
9/24	153	TEX	12:35		
9/25	154	SF	7:05	CSNCA	
9/26	155	SF	1:05	CSNCA	
9/27	156	SF	1:05	CSNCA	
9/28	157	at LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
9/29	158	at LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
9/30	159	at LAA	4:05	CSNCA	
10/1					
10/2	160	at SEA	7:10	CSNCA	
10/3	161	at SEA	6:10	CSNCA	
10/4	162	at SEA	12:10	CSNCA	

HIGHS AND LOWS

CLUB	INDIVIDUAL
Longest Winning Streak1 (four times), last: April 13 to present	Grand Slams.....None
Longest Winning Streak, Home 1 (three times), last: April 10	Pinch Hit Home RunsNone
Longest Winning Streak, Road 1, April 13 to present	Lead Off Home RunsNone
Longest Losing Streak2, April 11 to 12	Inside-The-Park Home RunsNone
Longest Losing Streak, Home2, April 11 to 12	Game Ending Home Runs.....None
Longest Losing Streak, RoadNone	Back-to-Back Home RunsNone
Most Runs, Game, A's 12, April 10 vs. Seattle	Longest Hitting Streak 8, Billy Butler, April 6 to present
Most Runs, Game, Opponents 10, April 9 vs. Texas	Most Runs, Game 3, Mark Canha, April 10 vs. Seattle
Most Runs, Inning, A's 6, April 10 vs. Seattle (4th)	Most Hits, Game 3 (seven times), last: Ben Zobrist, April 13 at Houston
Most Runs, Inning, Opponents 4, April 12 vs. Seattle (6th)	Most Doubles, Game 2 (four times), last: Sam Fuld, April 12 vs. Seattle
Largest Margin, Victory 12, April 10 vs. Seattle (12-0)	Most Triples, Game 1 (four times), last: Stephen Vogt, April 12 vs. Seattle
Largest Margin, Loss9, April 9 vs. Texas (1-10)	Most Home Runs, Game 1 (six times)
Most Hits, Game, A's 16, April 10 vs. Seattle	Most Runs Batted In, Game 4, Mark Canha, April 8 vs. Texas
Most Hits, Game, Opponents 12, April 9 vs. Texas4, Ike Davis, April 10 vs. Seattle
Most Hits, Inning, A's 6, April 10 vs. Seattle	Most Walks, Game 2 (twice), last: Stephen Vogt, April 11 vs. Seattle
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents 3 (five times)	Most Strikeouts, Game 4, Brett Lawrie, April 7 vs. Texas
Most Home Runs, Game, A's 3, April 13 at Houston	Most Stolen Bases, Game None
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents 4, April 9 vs. Texas	Longest Winning Streak 1 (four times)
Most Doubles, Game, A's 5, April 10 vs. Seattle	Longest Losing Streak 1 (four times)
Most Doubles, Game, Opponents 1 (six times), last: April 13 at Houston	Most Strikeouts, Game 10, Scott Kazmir, April 8 vs. Texas
Most Triples, Game, A's 1 (four times), last: April 12 vs. Seattle	Most Walks, Game 3, Scott Kazmir, April 13 at Houston
Most Triples, Game, Opponents None	Most Innings, Game, Starter 8.0, Sonny Gray, April 6 vs. Texas
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's None	Most Innings, Game, Reliever 3.2, Evan Scribner, April 9 vs. Texas
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents 1, April 11 vs. Seattle	Low Hit Complete Game None
Most Strikeouts, A's Pitchers 13, April 8 vs. Texas	Most Consecutive Scoreless Innings 10.0 (two times), last: Scott Kazmir, April 8 to 13
Most Strikeouts, Opponents Pitchers 9, April 6 vs. Texas	Most Consecutive Batters Retired 13, Jesse Hahn, April 12
Most Walks, A's Pitchers 4, April 13 at Houston	GENERAL
Most Walks, Opponents Pitchers 4 (three times), last: April 12 vs. Seattle	Longest Game, Innings 11, April 11 vs. Seattle
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's Pitchers 1, April 6 vs. Texas	Longest Game, Time, Nine Innings 2:55, April 8 vs. Texas
Fewest Hits Allowed, Opponents Pitchers 5, April 7 vs. Texas	Longest Game, Time, Extra Innings 3:39, April 11 vs. Seattle (11)
Most Left on Base, Nine Inning Game 9 (twice), last: April 8 vs. Texas	Shortest Game, Time 2:30, April 7 vs. Texas
Most Left on Base, Extra Inning Game 10, April 11 vs. Seattle (11)	Largest Crowd, Home 36,067, April 6 vs. Texas
Fewest Left on Base, Game 4, April 12 at Houston	Smallest Crowd, Home 15,025, April 7 vs. Texas
Most Errors, Game 3, April 9 vs. Texas	Largest Crowd, Road 19,279, April 13 at Houston
Largest Comeback in Win None	Smallest Crowd, Road None
Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss 3, April 12 vs. Seattle	Postponement, Rain, Home None
	Postponement, Rain, Road None

MULTIPLE HIT GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	TOT
Butler	2	1	0	0	3
Canha	1	2	0	0	3
Davis	0	1	0	0	1
Fuld	3	1	0	0	4
Gentry	0	0	0	0	0
Ladendorf	0	0	0	0	0
Lawrie	1	1	0	0	2
Phegley	2	0	0	0	2
Reddick	1	0	0	0	1
Ross	0	0	0	0	0
Semien	4	0	0	0	4
Sogard	1	0	0	0	1
Vogt	2	0	0	0	2
Zobrist	3	1	0	0	4

MULTIPLE RBI GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	6	TOT
Butler	0	1	0	0	0	1
Canha	1	0	1	0	0	2
Davis	0	0	1	0	0	1
Fuld	1	0	0	0	0	1
Gentry	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ladendorf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Lawrie	0	0	0	0	0	0
Phegley	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reddick	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ross	1	0	0	0	0	1
Semien	1	0	0	0	0	1
Sogard	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vogt	0	1	0	0	0	1
Zobrist	1	0	0	0	0	1

GAME TYING/GO-AHEAD RBI

PLAYER	GT	GA	TOT
Butler	0	0	0
Canha	0	1	1
Davis	0	0	0
Fuld	0	0	0
Gentry	0	0	0
Ladendorf	0	1	1
Lawrie	1	0	1
Phegley	1	0	1
Reddick	0	0	0
Ross	0	0	0
Semien	0	1	1
Sogard	1	0	1
Vogt	0	0	0
Zobrist	0	2	2

STARTS IN THE BATTING ORDER

Player	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Butler	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-
Canha	-	4	-	-	1	-	1	-	-
Davis	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-
Fuld	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gentry	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Ladendorf	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Lawrie	-	-	-	-	6	2	-	-	-
Phegley	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Reddick	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
Ross	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Semien	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	3	-
Sogard	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	2	-
Vogt	-	1	-	-	-	2	3	-	-
Zobrist	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-

GAMES BY POSITION

Player	C		1B		2B		3B		SS		LF		CF		RF		DH		
	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	
Butler	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	8
Canha	-	-	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Davis	-	-	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fuld	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	6	-	-	-	-	-
Gentry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2	-	-	-
Ladendorf	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lawrie	-	-	-	-	-	8	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Phegley	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Reddick	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-
Ross	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-
Semien	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sogard	-	-	-	-	5	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vogt	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zobrist	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	5	4	-	-	2	2	-	-	-

HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

Player	2015 HOME RUNS				LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN				GP Since
	Solo	2R	3R	GS	Tot.	Date	Opponent	Pitcher	
Butler	0	0	1	0	1	April 13, 2015	at Houston	Feldman	0
Canha	0	1	0	0	1	April 10, 2015	Seattle	Walker	3
Crisp	0	0	0	0	0	Aug. 27, 2014	at Houston	Chapman	25
Davis	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 17, 2014	Boston	Wright	16
Fuld	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 14, 2014	at Seattle	Young	17
Gentry	0	0	0	0	0	Aug. 21, 2013	Houston	Bedard	117
Lawrie	1	0	0	0	1	April 13, 2015	at Houston	Feldman	0
Phegley	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 27, 2014	Kansas City	Collins	4
Reddick	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 26, 2014	at Texas	Tepesch	4
Ross	0	0	0	0	0	July 13, 2014	at San Francisco	Bumgarner	22
Semien	1	0	0	0	1	April 13, 2015	at Houston	Feldman	0
Sogard	0	0	0	0	0	Aug. 6, 2014	Tampa Bay	Hellickson	43
Vogt	0	0	1	0	1	April 6, 2015	Texas	Klein	5
Zobrist	0	1	0	0	1	April 6, 2015	Texas	Gallardo	7
Team	2	2	2	0	6				

A'S AT A GLANCE

Season High	1-0/2-1/3-2 (April 6/8/10)
Season Low	3-4 (April 12)
April	4-4
May	0-0
June	0-0
July	0-0
August	0-0
September	0-0
Home Series	0-1-1
Road Series	0-0-0
Series Sweeps	0-0
First Game of Series	3-0
Last Game of Series	0-2
A's Score First	4-1
Opponent Scores First	0-3
Leading After 7th	4-1
Leading After 8th	4-0
Tied After 7th	0-0
Tied After 8th	0-1
Trailing After 7th	0-3
Trailing After 8th	0-3
Commit No Errors	2-0
Commit 1 or More Errors	2-4
More HR Than Opp.	3-0
Fewer HR Than Opp.	0-3
Same Total HR of Opp.	1-1
Starter Pitches 7 or More	3-1
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	1-3
When Scoring 4 or More	4-2
When Scoring Less Than 4	0-2
Last At Bat	0-2
Replay Challenges	2-2
Different Lineups	7

MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs
Butler	Doubles	278	22 for 300
Chavez	Innings Pitched	383.1	116.2 for 500
Clippard	Innings Pitched	494.0	6 for 500
Crisp	Games	1420	80 for 1500
	Games as OF (w/OAK)	540	58 for 598 (ties Long for 10th in Oakland history)
	Hits	1447	53 for 1500
	Doubles	275	25 for 300
	Triples (w/OAK)	22	1 for 23 (ties Lansford, Jackson and North for 5th in Oakland history)
	Steals	297	3 for 300
	Steals (w/OAK)	160	12 for 172 (ties Baker for 9th in Athletics history)
Davis	Hits	451	49 for 500
	Home Runs	78	22 for 100
Doolittle	Games	175	25 for 200
	Saves	25	19 for 44 (ties Koch and Foulke for 9th in Athletics history)
Fuld	Games	486	14 for 500
Gentry	Games	422	78 for 500
	At Bats	915	85 for 1000
	Stolen Bases	76	24 for 100
Gray	Innings Pitched	298.1	201.2 for 500
Kazmir	Wins	93	7 for 100
	Innings Pitched	1383.1	116.2 for 1500
Lawrie	Games	353	147 for 500
	Hits	354	146 for 500
O'Flaherty	Games	397	3 for 400
Reddick	Hits	426	74 for 500
	Doubles	90	10 for 100
Ross	Hits	904	96 for 1000
Scribner	Games	74	26 for 100

WALK-OFF WINS (0)

None

DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Crisp	Right elbow surgery	April 4-present (eligible April 19)	8	Nolin	Bilateral core surgery	April 4-present (eligible April 19)	8
Doolittle	Strained left rotator cuff	April 4-present (eligible April 19)	8	Parker	Tommy John surgery	April 4-present (eligible April 19)	8
Freiman	Strained lumbar muscle	April 4-present (eligible April 19)	8	Reddick	Strained right oblique	March 27-April 11	6
Griffin	Tommy John surgery	Feb. 27-present (eligible May 26)	8	Thompson	Strained right shoulder	Feb. 26-present (eligible May 26)	8

The A's have used the disabled list eight times this season...used the DL 18 times in 2014

TRANSACTIONS

Feb. 26	Chad Smith claimed off waivers from Detroit; Taylor Thompson placed on the 60-day disabled list (right shoulder strain)	March 24	Nuñez optioned to Midland		Parker (Tommy John surgery recovery) placed on the 15-day disabled list
Feb. 27	Alex Hassan claimed off waivers from Baltimore; A.J. Griffin placed on the 60-day disabled list (Tommy John surgery recovery)	March 29	Ryan Cook optioned to Nashville	April 8	Free agent Cody Ross agrees to terms; Billy Burns optioned to Nashville; Alex Hassan designated for assignment
March 15	Eury De La Rosa, Arnold Leon and Chad Smith optioned to Nashville; Raul Alcantara optioned to Midland	April 4	Chris Bassitt and Alex Hassan optioned to Nashville	April 9	Alex Hassan claimed off waivers by Texas; Josh Reddick assigned to Stockton on a rehab assignment
March 16	Rangel Ravelo optioned to Nashville, Renato		Josh Reddick placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 27 (strained right oblique); Coco Crisp (right elbow surgery), Sean Doolittle (strained left rotator cuff), Nate Freiman (strained lumbar muscle), Sean Nolin (bilateral core surgery recovery) and Jarrod	April 12	Josh Reddick reinstated from the disabled list; Tyler Ladendorf optioned to Nashville