### **OAKLAND ATHLETICS NEWS LINKS, TUESDAY, MAY 5, 2015**

#### **OAKLAND TRIBUNE**

A's squander early lead, lose to Twins

By John Hickey

http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci\_28049119/squander-early-lead-lose-twins

A's DH Billy Butler says day off was big help

By John Hickey

http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci 28047599/dh-billy-butler-says-day-off-was-big

A's outfielder Josh Reddick is co-player of week

By John Hickey

http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/ci 28047245/outfielder-josh-reddick-is-co-player-week

Inside the A's: Butler ends his drought, but not his level of frustration

by John Hickey

http://www.ibabuzz.com/athletics/2015/05/04/butler-ends-his-drought-but-not-his-level-of-frustration/

Inside the A's: Butler back in A's lineup after enjoying a great day off

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Inside the A's: Co-Players of Week Reddick, Altuve like each other's games

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## **SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE**

A's bullpen falters again in loss to Twins

By Susan Slusser

http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/Bullpen-lets-Oakland-A-s-down-again-in-loss-to-6242161.php

Josh Reddick named co-AL Player of the Week

By Susan Slusser

http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/Josh-Reddick-named-co-AL-Player-of-the-Week-6242240.php

The Drumbeat: Torii Hunter kills the Oakland A's again

By Susan Slusser

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The Drumbeat: Billy Burns again atop A's lineup; O'Flaherty update

By Susan Slusser

http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2015/05/04/billy-burns-again-atop-as-lineup-oflaherty-update/

The Drumbeat: Oakland A's Josh Reddick named co-Player of Week

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## **ATHLETICS.COM**

Game of inches proves frustrating for A's

By Jane Lee

http://m.athletics.mlb.com/news/article/122406134/game-of-inches-proves-frustrating-for-as

A's homers not enough to stop Twins

By Rhett Bollinger and Jane Lee

http://m.athletics.mlb.com/news/article/122320208/twins-power-past-as-for-fifth-straight-win

### O'Flaherty's MRI shows no structural damage

Reliever shut down indefinitely with inflammation in left shoulder

By Jane Lee

http://m.athletics.mlb.com/news/article/122321390/as-reliever-eric-oflahertys-mri-shows-no-structural-damage

# Twins look to keep win streak rolling against A's

By Jane Lee

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#### Altuve, Reddick share AL Player of the Week honor

Astros second baseman hit .467; A's right fielder had three homers, 12 RBIs

By Spencer Fordin

http://m.athletics.mlb.com/news/article/122276484/jose-altuve-josh-reddick-al-co-players-of-week

#### **ASSOCIATED PRESS**

A's waste Vogt's grand slam in 8-7 loss to Twins

By Dave Campbell

http://www.pressdemocrat.com/sports/3890756-181/as-waste-vogts-grand-slam

#### **BLOOMBERG NEWS**

### Oakland's Unwanted Sports Arenas Leave \$179 Million Bond Burden

By Darrell Preston

http://www.bloomberg.com/news/articles/2015-05-05/oakland-s-unwanted-sports-arenas-leave-179-million-bond-burden

## MINOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

## **NASHVILLE SOUNDS**

### Sounds Drop Third Straight One-Run Contest

Nashville Sounds

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#### **MIDLAND ROCKHOUNDS**

## The Great Escape

By Bob Hards / Midland RockHounds

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# **STOCKTON PORTS**

# Ports Pound JetHawks 11-2 In Series Opener

Stockton Ports

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