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Post Game Notes

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Tampa Bay Rays (62-61) at Oakland Athletics (53-71)

Saturday, August 22, 2015 ♦ O.co Coliseum

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

W — Colome (6-4)

L — Venditte (0-2)

S — None

OAKLAND NOTES

- **The Oakland Athletics** have lost nine of their last 11 games...are now 9-23 (.281) against the AL East competition...are 12-21 (.364) since the All-Star Break...are 95-61 (.609) all-time against Tampa Bay...are 2-2 on this five-game homestand against Los Angeles-NL (2-0) and Tampa Bay (0-2).
- **A's pitchers** allowed a home run for the 16th consecutive game (26 home runs total), which is the longest streak in Oakland history (previous: 15, August 6-21, 1987)...the only longer streak by an A's team since 1914 is a 17-game streak by the 1964 Kansas City A's from July 26-Aug. 14.
- **Sonny Gray** allowed three home runs in a game for the first time in his career...has allowed five home runs over his last three starts...is 2-1 with a 1.40 ERA (6 er in 38.2 ip) in his last five starts...is 4-3 with a 2.58 ERA (25 er in 87.1 ip) in 12 starts at home...is 7-4 with a 2.63 ERA (35 er in 119.2 ip) in 17 starts at night...is 2-1 with a 2.81 ERA (10 er in 32.0 ip) in five career starts against Tampa Bay.
- **Mark Canha** (2-for-4, r, 2b, hr, rbi) is 11-for-20 (.550) over his last four games and 18-for-42 (.429) with four doubles, two home runs and seven RBI over his last 11 games after going 6-for-44 (.136) with two RBI over his previous 17 contests.
- **Brett Lawrie** (3-for-4, 2 2b, 2 r) had his 32nd multiple hit game of the year and seventh three-hit game of the season.
- **Josh Phegley** (2-for-4, r, 2b, hr, 3 rbi) had his 14th multiple-hit game of the year...has six home runs and 21 RBI over his last 35 games.

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Sonny Gray	8.0	5	3	3	2	4	3	108/69
Pat Venditte (L, 0-2)	0.1	1	2	2	1	1	0	18/9
Drew Pomeranz	0.2	1	0	0	0	1	0	6/6

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
Mark Canha (10)	6th	0-2	1	CF	Ramirez
Josh Phegley (7)	6th	0-0	2	LF	Ramirez

TAMPA BAY NOTES

- **The Tampa Bay Rays** are now 11-8 in August...are 16-16 (.500) since the All-Star Break...are 31-30 (.508) on the road this season but are 10-19 (.345) over their last 29 road games...are 14-6 (.700) in games started by Erasmo Ramirez...are 61-95 (.391) all-time against the A's... are 24-52 (.316) all-time at the O.co Coliseum...are 4-5 on 10-game road trip to Texas (0-3), Houston (2-2) and Oakland (2-0).
- **Rays starting pitchers** had their streak of 21.0 scoreless innings pitched snapped by a Josh Phegley double in the second inning.
- **Erasmo Ramirez** is 2-0 with a 3.41 ERA (12 er in 31.2 ip) in his last five starts...is 5-1 with a 3.97 ERA (26 er in 59.0 ip) in 11 starts on the road...is 0-6 with a 5.24 ERA (26 er in 44.2 ip) in nine career appearances (eight starts) against Oakland.
- **Asdrubal Cabrera** (2-for-4, r, 2b, hr, 3 rbi) is batting .412 (35-for-85) in 22 games since returning from the disabled list on July 28.
- **John Jaso** (1-for-4, r, hr, rbi, k) snapped an 0-for-14 hitless streak with a home run in the third inning.
- **Logan Forsythe** (2-for-4, 2 r, 2b, hr, rbi) is batting .310 (36-for-116) in his last 31 road games since June 18.
- **Desmond Jennings** (1-for-4, 2b) is 11-for-32 (.344) in eight games since being reinstated from the 60-day disabled list on August 14.
- **Evan Longoria** (0-for-4, k) is batting .180 (16-for-89) in 25 games at O.co Coliseum...is hitless in his last eight at-bats.

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Erasmo Ramirez	7.0	8	4	4	2	4	2	95/67
Alex Colome (W, 6-4)	2.0	0	0	0	0	2	0	20/14

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
Logan Forsythe (14)	2nd	1-2	1	LF	Gray
John Jaso (2)	3rd	0-0	1	RF	Gray
Asdrubal Cabrera (9)	7th	1-2	1	LF	Gray

Time of Game.....	2:37	Streak.....	L2	April/May/June.....	9-14 / 11-19 / 15-12
First Pitch.....	6:07 p.m.	Homestand.....	2-2	July/Aug./Sept.....	10-14 / 8-12 / 0-0
Temperature.....	65 degrees	Last 5.....	2-3		
		Last 10.....	2-8	A's Starter goes 7 or more/Less than 7... 32-14 / 21-57	
Today's Attendance.....	35,067	Series Record.....	0-2	A's/Opponents score first.....	43-24 / 10-47
Attendance Total.....	1,443,236	Series First Game.....	18-22	Leading after 7th/8th inning.....	46-7 / 48-2
Average (65 games).....	22,204	vs. AL West.....	24-25	Tied After 7th/8th inning.....	5-8 / 5-8
Win/Lose in Last AB.....	8-17	vs. RHP/LHP.....	42-48 / 11-23	Trailing After 7th/8th inning.....	2-56 / 0-61
Extra Innings.....	5-9	Home/Road.....	29-36 / 24-35		
Overall Record.....	53-71	Day/Night.....	20-27 / 33-44		