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OAKLAND ATHLETICS (52-68) VS. TEXAS RANGERS (71-50)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17, 2016 — GLOBE LIFE PARK — 7:05 P.M. CDT
LHP SEAN MANAEA (4-7, 4.57) VS. RHP YU DARVISH (3-3, 2.77)
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ABOUT THE A'S: Have lost each of the last four games to fall to a season-high 16 games under .500 at 52-68 (.433)...that is the fourth worst record in the American League and tied for sixth worst in Oakland history after 120 games (were 51-69 last year and won game 121)...are now 5-13 dating back to July 29...are in fourth place in the AL West and trail first place Texas by a season-high 18½ games...have been in fourth or worse every day since June 3...have spent one day in sole possession of first place, five days tied for first, four days in second, four days tied for second, 15 days in third, eight days tied for third, 48 days in fourth, 16 days tied for fourth and 30 days in fifth.

THE DISABLED LIST: The A's placed Tyler Ladendorf on the 15-day disabled list today to set an Oakland record for using the DL...it marks the 26th time the A's have placed a player on the DL, breaking the Oakland record of 25 set in 2008...the 26 players have combined to miss 1237 games (47.6 games per stint) and the games missed will set an Oakland record...the current mark is 1397 in 2010...have a season-high 15 players on the DL (Alvarez, Bassitt, Canha, Doolittle, Doubront, Fuld, Gray, Hahn, Ladendorf, Lambo, Lowrie, Parker, Phegley, Rodriguez, Sogard), including 11 on the 60-day DL (all but Doolittle, Gray, Hahn and Ladendorf)...prior to this year, had not had more than 11 players on the DL at once...have had at least 11 players on the DL every day since July 4, at least nine every day since May 6 and at least six all year.

ROSTER NOTES: Chad Pinder will become the 46th player to appear in a game for the A's this year...he will be the 14th rookie and the 11th to make his Major League debut in 2016 (including Eibner, who debuted with the Royals)...the A's have made a total of 156 player moves in 136 days dating back to Opening Day, April 4 (42 recalls, 13 selections, 42 options, three designated for assignments, 20 placed on the 15-day disabled list, 11 transferred to the 60-day DL, 10 reinstated from the DL, one placed on the family medical leave list, one reinstated from the FMLL, four lost on waivers, one claimed on waivers and three trades involving eight players on the 40-man roster)...have employed 25 pitchers, 10 of which have been rookies...that is tied for the fourth most rookie pitchers in Oakland history...the Oakland record for most rookie pitchers is 12 (2009, 2012, 2015)...seven of those 10 have made their Major League debut this year.

CLOSE CALLS: The A's had their eighth walk-off loss of the season last night, their fifth in the state of Texas (Houston 3, Texas 2)...all eight losses have come against American League West teams...are tied with Houston and Texas for the AL lead in walk-off games (14) and are tied with Chicago for second in walk-off losses (Texas, 9)...fell to 5-4 in extra inning games and 13-12 in games decided in the last at bat...have won 10 of their last 16 one-run games and are 19-19 (.500) for the season...rank fourth in the American League in one-run games (38)...went 19-35 (.352) in one-run games last year, which was the second worst record in the majors.

STARTING PITCHING: A's starting pitchers are 4-10 with a 6.36 ERA (61 er in 86.1 ip) and .304 (106-for-349) opponents batting average over the last 17 games...have tossed fewer than 5.0 innings seven times over that span and have 36 such games for the season, which are the most in the majors and the most by an A's team since 1999 (37)...are 32-52 with a 5.12 ERA (369 er in 648.1 ip) for the season...are tied with Minnesota for the American League lead in losses, have the second highest ERA, the second fewest wins and the third fewest innings pitched...have not walked a batter in seven of the last 12 games (11 bb in 66.0 ip, 1.50 walks per nine innings)...used eight different starting pitchers over an eight-game stretch from Aug. 4-11, which was the longest such streak by an A's team since June 7-12, 1961, also an eight-game streak.

PITCHING: The A's have the second highest ERA (4.64) and second most wild pitches (58) in the American League, the third highest opponents batting average (.267) and the fourth highest slugging percentage (.429) and on-base percentage (.330)...have allowed two grand slams in the last six games and four for the season, which is tied with Boston and Toronto for the most in the AL.

OFFENSE: The A's walked eight times last night after drawing just two free passes over the previous four games...have 303 walks for the season, which is second fewest in the American League...are on pace for 409 walks, which would break the Athletics record for fewest walks in a 162-game season (421 in 1966)...are batting .229 (90-for-393) with 34 runs

scored over the last 12 games (2.8 runs per game)...for the season, rank last in the AL in on-base percentage (.304), second in fewest strikeouts (816), third in fewest runs scored (480) and fourth in lowest batting average (.250) and lowest slugging percentage (.400).

DEFENSIVE DOINGS: The A's have committed just two errors in their last 10 games...now have 19 errors in the last 47 games after making 53 over the first 73 contests...A's outfielders have 17 assists, which is tied for second fewest in the American League.

HOME AND AWAY: The A's are 0-2 on this six-game road trip to Texas (0-2) and Chicago-AL (three games) and have now lost seven of their last eight road games...went 3-6 on the last road trip to Texas (2-1), Cleveland (0-3) and Los Angeles-AL (1-2) and are 24-33 (.421) on the road...went 4-6 on the last homestand against Chicago-NL (0-3), Baltimore (3-1) and Seattle (1-2) and are 28-35 (.444) at home, which is the third worst home record in the American League...have a 5.32 ERA (291 er in 492.2 ip) on the road compared to 4.07 (259 er in 573.0 ip) at home...have the second highest road ERA in the majors (Cincinnati, 5.36)...are batting .259 (521-for-2010) on the road compared to .241 (500-for-2079) at home...have the fourth highest road batting average in the AL and the third lowest home average.

MARGIN OF VICTORY: Each of the A's last 17 wins have been by three runs or fewer (10 one-run, four two-run, three three-run)...have not won a game by more than three runs since a 7-1 win over San Francisco on June 29...are 39-38 (.506) in games decided by three runs or fewer compared to 13-30 (.302) in games decided by four runs or more...the record in games decided by four or more is second worst in the majors (Atlanta, 12-32)...have a run differential of -100, which is the worst in the American League and fifth worst in the majors.

THIS AND THAT: Today marks the 15th time in the last 22 games the A's opponent has been in first place in their division...are 5-9 over the previous 14 games...are 0-2 in this five-series stretch where the A's will play in five different cities (Texas, Chicago, Oakland vs. Cleveland, St. Louis and Houston)...A's pinch hitters are 2 for their last 19 (.105)...rank second in the American League in hits (19), RBI (13) and plate appearances (91)...A's designated hitters have the second fewest RBI in the AL (47), the third lowest batting average (.229) and the fourth fewest home runs.

A's vs. RANGERS: The season series is even at six games each...the A's are 2-3 in Texas and 4-3 in Oakland...have lost the first two games of this series and have not been swept in a three-game series in Texas since Sept. 7-9, 2007 (were swept in a four-game series July 7-10, 2011)...are in their third of five straight road trips to the state of Texas, and the second straight trip that includes a visit to Globe Life Park...the A's have won three of the previous four season series and are 46-42 against Texas over the last five years...are 338-349 all-time against the Texas Rangers...that breaks down to 177-167 in Oakland and 161-182 in Texas...are 94-94 at Globe Life Park...have an all-time record of 435-431 against the Rangers/Senators franchise.

TODAY'S TIDBITS

Billy Butler is hitting .408 (20-for-49) with two home runs, eight RBI and seven multiple hit games over his last 14 games...**Coco Crisp** is batting a Major League leading .450 with runners in scoring position...started the season 0-for-9 with RISP but is 27-for-51 (.529) since then...**Marcus Semien** has a consecutive games played streak of 122, which is the longest by an Athletic since 2005 (Chavez, 123) and the second longest active streak in the majors.

THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

In **1934** Ed Coleman hits three consecutive home runs in the first game of a doubleheader against Chicago, a 9-8, 10 inning A's win...in **1980** Brian Kingman tosses the A's Oakland record ninth consecutive complete game in the A's 4-3 loss at Seattle...in **1987** Reggie Jackson hits the 563rd and final home run of his career against his teammates from the previous season, the California Angels...he homers off Mike Witt, but the A's would go on to lose, 6-4...in **1990** Bob Welch wins his 20th game of the season en route to a club record 27 wins and the AL Cy Young...the 27 wins are the most by an American League pitcher since Denny McClain's 31 in 1968.

PITCHING PROBABLES

Fri., Aug. 19 at Chicago (AL)	RHP Kendall Graveman (8-8, 4.37) vs. RHP James Shields (5-14, 5.78)	5:10	CSNCA/95.7 FM The Game
Sat., Aug. 20 at Chicago (AL)	RHP Zach Neal (2-2, 5.19) vs. LHP Chris Sale (14-6, 3.30)	4:10	CSNCA/95.7 FM The Game
Sun., Aug. 21 at Chicago (AL)	LHP Ross Detwiler (1-1, 4.15) vs. LHP Jose Quintana (9-9, 2.85)	11:10	CSNCA/95.7 FM The Game

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TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Sean Manaea (4-7, 4.57 ERA)

FOR STARTERS: Is 2-3 with a 3.27 ERA (20 er in 55.0 ip) in nine games, including eight starts, since he was reinstated from the disabled list June 29...was 2-4 with a 6.02 ERA in nine starts when he was placed on the 15-day DL June 14 with a left pronator strain...was selected from Triple-A Nashville April 29 and is making his Major League debut.

ROOKIE LEADERS: Ranks second among American League rookies in strikeouts (87), innings pitched (104.1) and games started (17) and tied for eighth in wins (4).

RUN SUPPORT: Received six runs of support in his last start after tallying eight runs of support over his previous seven starts (9 rs in 43.1 ip, 1.87 RSA)...has received two runs of support or fewer in 12 of his 17 starts and five runs or more in the other five.

HOME AND AWAY: Is 0-4 with a 6.88 ERA (26 er in 34.0 ip) and .317 (45-for-142) opponents average in six starts on the road compared to 4-3 with a 3.45 ERA (27 er in 70.1 ip) and .240 (62-for-258) opponents batting average in 12 games at home...is the second pitcher in Oakland history to start his career with a losing streak of four or more games on the road...the other is Mike Morgan, who lost each of his first six road starts from June 17, 1978-July 24, 1979...has surrendered nine home runs in 34.0 innings on the road (2.38 per nine innings), eight in 70.1 innings in Oakland (1.02 per nine innings)...has a .924 OPS on the road, .701 at home.

LEFT AND RIGHT: Has held left-handed hitters to a .173 (14-for-81) batting average and five extra base hits (two doubles, three home runs)...right-handers are batting .292 (93-for-319) with 14 of his 17 home runs and 24 of his 28 walks...the batting average against lefties is second lowest in the American League among pitchers with 100 or more innings (Perez, TEX .170) and his .530 OPS ranks fourth...has an .843 OPS against righties.

INNING BY INNING: Has a 2.22 ERA (13 er in 52.2 ip) and .228 (43-for-189) opponents batting average over innings one through three and a 6.97 ERA (40 er in 51.2 ip) and .303 (64-for-211) opponents batting average from the fourth inning on...has allowed three runs in the first inning (17.0 ip, 1.59 ERA), all on May 10 at Boston...has allowed just two runs in innings one through three in nine games since returning from the DL June 29 (26.0 ip, 0.69 ERA) and just one run over the first four innings of his last five starts (20.0 ip, 0.45 ERA).

DAYS REST: Is scheduled to start on four days rest today...is 2-2 with a 3.16 ERA (18 er in 51.1 ip) in eight starts on four days rest, 2-5 with a 6.19 ERA (33 er in 48.0 ip) in nine starts on five days rest or more.

BASES ON BALLS: Has walked eight batters in his last three starts (17.2 ip, 4.08 per nine innings) after walking no batters over his previous four games (26.2 ip)...has walked 12 batters in 55.0 innings (1.96 per nine innings) since he was reinstated from the DL June 29 and is averaging 2.42 walks per nine innings for the season (26 bb in 104.1 ip)...walked Yunel Escobar with two outs in the fifth inning on Aug. 2 at Los Angeles (AL) to snap a streak of four games, 30.2 innings and 126 batters faced without a walk...the streak of 30.2 innings without a walk was the longest single season streak in Oakland history, topping the previous mark of 29.0 by Lary Sorensen (July 8-31, 1984)...it was fifth longest overall in Oakland history.

OPPONENTS BATTING: Opponents are batting .207 (17-for-82) with runners in scoring position, including .167 (6-for-36) with RISP and two outs...has a .222 (34-for-153) opponents batting average the first time through the lineup, .262 (38-for-145) the second time and .343 (35-for-102) after that...has allowed a .417 (20-for-48) batting average to the opponents number four hitter, which is the highest in the majors among pitchers with 100 or more innings...opponents are 30-for-66 (.455) with seven doubles, six home runs and 19 RBI when putting the first pitch in play...the batting average is fourth highest in the American League.

2016 HIGHLIGHTS: Made his Major League debut on **April 29** and had a no decision in a 7-4 A's win over Houston...had just 42 minor league appearances, all starts, in three professional seasons...became the 45th pitcher in Oakland history to start in his ML debut, the first since Dan Straily on Aug. 3, 2012 against Toronto...issued a career-high four walks...left with an 8-4 lead in his second start on **May 4** against Seattle but the bullpen allowed two runs in the sixth inning and three more in the seventh for the blown save (Axford)...yielded a career-high eight runs on 10 hits in a career-low 2.2 innings for the first decision of his career, a loss in a 13-5 decision at Boston **May 10**...became just the second pitcher in Oakland history to allow at least four runs in each of his first three Major League appearances...the other is Vida Blue (July 20-Aug. 3, 1969)...picked up his first Major League win in the A's 3-1 victory over Texas **May 16** in Oakland...had a no decision in the A's 14-5 win over Texas on **June 13** in Oakland...had a 10-2 lead when he left the game after 4.1 innings with

a left pronator muscle strain...went on the DL the next day...made one start on a rehab assignment with Single-A Stockton on **June 24** against San Jose and had a no decision (3.2 ip, 2 h, 2 r, 2 er, 2 bb, 3 so, 1 hr, 64 pitches)...tossed a career-high 106 pitches in 7.0 innings and did not allow a run or walk a batter on **July 10** at Houston...ended up with a no decision in the A's 2-1, 10-inning loss...made his first career relief appearance **July 17** against Toronto...entered the game to start the second inning in relief of Andrew Triggs, who left the game with a left shin contusion...Triggs relieved Rich Hill who left after five pitchers with a blister...Manaea had been scheduled to start two days later...tossed 5.0 innings, which is a season-high for an A's reliever...had a no decision in the A's 1-0, 13-inning win over Tampa Bay **July 22** in Oakland...tossed a career-high 8.0 scoreless innings and allowed just five hits and no walks, but Odorizzi did the same for the Rays...struck out a career-high nine batters but allowed a career-high 11 hits in 6.2 innings in a no decision at Texas **July 27**.

LAST START: He snapped a career-high three-game losing streak in a 6-3 win over Seattle last Friday in Oakland...walked the leadoff batter in each of the first three innings but faced the minimum as he got a double play in each inning...did not allow a hit until Seager homered with two outs in the fifth...took a 3-1 lead in the sixth but allowed an O'Malley RBI triple and a Gutierrez sacrifice fly to tie the game...the A's scored three in the bottom of the sixth for the win.

MANAEA'S 2016 APPEARANCES WITH OAKLAND												
Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 29	Houston	7-4	-	7.20	5.0	4	4	4	4	3	1	87
April Totals (1 game, 1 start)				0-0	7.20	5.0	4	4	4	4	3	1
May 4	Seattle	8-9	-	7.20	5.0	7	4	4	1	6	1	75
May 10	at Boston	5-13	L	11.37	2.2	10	8	8	0	1	2	41
May 16	Texas	3-1	W	7.91	6.2	4	1	1	1	3	0	95
May 21	New York (AL)	1-5	L	7.62	6.2	6	5	5	2	4	0	95
May 27	Detroit	1-4	L	7.03	6.0	9	3	3	2	4	1	93
May Totals (5 games, 5 starts)				1-3	7.00	27.0	36	21	21	6	18	4
June 1	Minnesota	5-1	W	6.16	6.0	5	1	1	3	8	0	87
June 7	at Milwaukee	4-5	L	6.20	7.0	6	5	5	2	6	2	97
June 13	Texas	14-5	-	6.02	4.1	4	2	2	1	5	1	86
June 29	San Francisco	7-1	W	5.40	5.2	6	0	0	1	4	0	83
June Totals (4 games, 4 starts)				2-1	3.13	23.0	21	8	7	23	3	
July 5	at Minnesota	4-11	L	5.85	5.0	7	6	6	3	5	2	88
July 10	at Houston	1-2 (10)	-	5.24	7.0	5	0	0	0	6	0	106
*July 17	Toronto	3-5	-	5.13	5.0	3	2	2	0	4	1	69
July 22	Tampa Bay	1-0 (13)	-	4.61	8.0	5	0	0	0	7	0	103
July 27	at Texas	6-4	-	4.57	6.2	11	3	3	0	9	1	96
July Totals (5 games, 4 starts)				0-1	3.13	31.2	31	11	11	3	31	4
Aug. 2	at Los Angeles (AL)	4-5	L	4.68	5.2	6	5	4	3	4	2	93
Aug. 7	Chicago (NL)	1-3	L	4.58	6.0	6	2	2	2	4	2	105
Aug. 12	Seattle	6-3	W	4.57	6.0	3	3	3	3	4	1	75

*Indicates relief appearance

MANAEA vs. TEXAS: Is 1-0 with a 3.06 ERA (17.2 ip, 19 h, 6 r, 6 er, 2 bb, 17 so, 2 hr) in three career starts, all this year...picked up his first Major League win in the A's 3-1 victory on May 16 in Oakland...shutout the Rangers on two hits and a walk over

STARTS VS. TEXAS									
DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	
5/16/16	H	W	6.2	4	1	1	1	1	3
6/13/16	H	-	4.1	4	2	2	1	5	
7/27/16	A	-	6.2	11	3	3	0	9	

the first six innings before allowing a sacrifice fly to Stubbs in the seventh...then had a no decision in the A's 14-5 win on June 13 in Oakland...had a 10-2 lead when he left the game after 4.1 innings with a left pronator muscle strain...went on the DL the next day...had another no decision in the A's 6-4 win at Texas on July 27...struck out a career-high nine batters but allowed a career-high 11 in 6.2 innings...allowed a Beltre RBI single in the third and a two-run home run to Desmond in the fifth...left after 6.2 innings trailing 3-2 but the A's scored four times in the eighth for the win.

MANAEA'S CAREER MATCHUPS VS. TEXAS																
Player	Bat	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SH	SF	HBP	GDP	AVG	OBP	SLG
Hanser Alberto	R	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Elvis Andrus	R	8	4	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	.500	.500	.625
Carlos Beltran	S	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	.333	.333	.333
Adrian Beltre	R	6	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	.500	.500	.500
Shin-soo Choo	L	2	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	.500	.667	.000
Delino DeShields	R	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Ian Desmond	R	8	3	1	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	.375	.375	.875
Prince Fielder	L	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.500	.000
Jonathan Lucroy	R	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	.500	.667	.500
Nomar Mazara	L	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	.167	.167	.167
Mitch Moreland	L	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Rougned Odor	L	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Jurickson Profar	S	6	3	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	.500	.500	.667
Ryan Rua	R	8	4	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	.500	.500	.625
Drew Stubbs	R	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	.000	.333	.000

MANAEA BY THE NUMBERS						
	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2016	4	7	3.45	12	70.1	27
2015	0	0	-	0	0.0	0
Career	4	7	6.88	6	34.0	26
Home	4	3	3.45	12	70.1	27
Road	0	4	6.88	6	34.0	26
Day	1	2	3.53	6	35.2	14
Night	3	5	5.11	12	68.2	39
Pre-ASB	3	5	5.24	12	67.0	39
Post-ASB	1	2	3.38	3	18.2	7
			AVG.	AB	H	
vs. LHH			.173	81	14	
vs. RHH			.292	319	93	

MANAEA'S CAREER HIGHS	
Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	8.0, 7/22/16 vs. TB
Fewest IP, GS:	2.2, 5/10/16 at BOS
H:	11, 7/27/16 at TEX
R:	8, 5/10/16 at BOS
ER:	8, 5/10/16 at BOS
BB:	4, 4/29/16 vs. HOU
SO:	9, 7/27/16 at TEX
HR:	2 (five times), last: 8/7/16 vs. CHI
Pitches:	106, 7/10/16 at HOU
Win Streak: 1 (4 times), last: 8/12/16 to present	
Loss Streak:	3, 7/5/16 to 8/7/16
Scoreless Streak:	12.0, 7/17/16 to 7/27/16
Complete Games:	None
Shutouts:	None

FRIDAY'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER
RHP Kendall Graveman (8-8, 4.37 ERA): Is 7-2 with a 3.83 ERA over his last 14 starts after going 1-6 with a 5.36 ERA over his first nine starts...however, is 1-2 with a 5.40 ERA and .292 opponents batting average over his last four starts...is averaging 1.67 walks per nine innings over his last 13 starts after averaging 3.74 over his first 10...is 4-4 with a 3.03 ERA in 10 starts at home compared to 4-4 with a 5.64 ERA in 13 starts on the road...has the eighth lowest home ERA in the American League and the fifth highest road ERA...has a 1.57 ERA in the first inning, 4.95 after that...has the fourth lowest ERA in the first inning in the AL...was the losing pitcher in his last start, a 4-3 A's loss to Seattle last Saturday in Oakland (6.0 ip, 7 h, 4 r, 4 er, 1 bb, 2 so)...was the losing pitcher in his only career appearance against Chicago, a 6-1 A's loss in Oakland earlier this year on April 7 (5.1 ip, 3 h, 2 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 4 so).

ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

TEAM

20-16, 3.90 ERA (181 er in 417.1 ip)
Saves/Opportunities: 34-for-51 (66.7%)

- The A's bullpen has allowed 13 runs over its last six games (21.2 ip, 5.40 ERA) after allowing a total of eight earned runs over its previous 14 contests (1.49 ERA).
- Has tossed 417.1 innings, which is the most in the American League and second most in the majors (Cincinnati, 425.1).
- Has allowed 47-of-197 (23.9%) inherited runners to score, which is the best percentage in the AL (Tampa Bay, 26.0%) and third best in the majors.
- Is tied for third in the AL in opponents grounded into double plays (39), ranks fourth in strikeouts (393) and on-base percentage (.309), fifth in wins (20) and tied for fifth in fewest losses (15)...ranks second in most wild pitches (26) and third in walks (146) and blown saves (17).
- First batters faced are 80-for-348 (.230) with 28 walks (.286 on-base percentage)...ranks second in the AL in first batter slugging percentage (.328) and third in batting average and on-base percentage.

61 RHP JOHN AXFORD

Last Outing: 8/16 at Texas (BS/L, 0.1 ip, 1 h, 3 r, 3 er, 3 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 2-8
Inherited Runners/Scored: 14/7
First Hitters: 12-50, 3 bb

- Allowed a career-high tying three walks last night (eighth time, last: July 30, 2015 at St. Louis).
- Recorded the 500th strikeout of his career last night.
- Has a 7.25 ERA (18 er in 22.1 ip) over his last 27 games (since June 15) after logging a 2.70 ERA over his first 26 contests.
- Is tied for eighth among American League relievers in games pitched (53)...is tied for the second most blown saves in the majors (6).
- Has a .357 (15-for-42) opponents batting average with runners in scoring position, including .429 (9-for-21) with RISP and two outs.
- Has allowed nine of his 27 runs in sixth inning (2.2 ip, 30.38 ERA)...has a 3.30 ERA (17 er in 46.1 ip) from the seventh inning on.
- Is 0-2 with a 9.64 ERA (5 er in 4.2 ip) in six games against the Rangers.

Last Year: Was 4-5 with a 4.20 ERA and a team-leading 25 saves in 60 relief appearances with Colorado...had a 2.70 ERA and .216 opponents average on the road, a 5.59 ERA and .298 opponents average at Coors Field.

57 LHP DANIEL COULOMBE

Last Outing: 8/14 vs. Seattle (ND, 2.2 ip, 4 h, 3 r, 3 er, 1 bb, 3 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-1
Inherited Runners/Scored: 8/2
First Hitters: 2-18, bb

- Was recalled from Triple-A Nashville on July 19 for his fifth stint with the A's this year and has a 5.68 ERA (8 er in 12.2 ip) in seven games since then.
- Allowed a career-high four runs last Thursday (previous: 3, May 10, 2016 at Boston).
- Is 1-0 with a 7.36 ERA (3 er in 3.2 ip) in three games against Texas...the win came on June 13 in Oakland, his only career win.
- Was with Oakland for the first time for a one-day stint on May 10...pitched twice during his second stint from May 22-25...logged a 4.50 ERA in seven outings during his third stint from June 4-21...appeared in three games during his fourth stint from June 30-July 3.
- Had two scoreless outings with Nashville following his most recent option on July 4...has a .200 opponents batting average overall and has not allowed a home run...his complete 2016 minor league stats:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Nashville (AAA)	0	0	1.08	20	0	0	0	0	25.0	18	4	3	6	35

Last Year: Had no decisions and a 5.63 ERA in 14 relief appearances with the Dodgers and A's...spent the balance of the season at Triple-A Oklahoma City in the Dodgers farm system where he went 3-1 with a save and a 3.27 ERA in 38 games.

66 RHP RYAN DULL

Last Outing: 8/16 at Texas (BS, 1.1 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 2-4
Inherited Runners/Scored: 45/6
First Hitters: 6-52, 2 bb

- Has a 3.55 ERA (5 er in 12.2 ip) over his last 13 games (since July 18) after compiling a 0.38 ERA over his previous 23 games.
- Has allowed 6 of his last 9 (66.7%) inherited runners to score after stranding each of his first 36 inherited runners, which was the longest streak by any pitcher in the expansion era...has allowed 6-of-45 (13.3%) inherited runners to score for the season, which is tied for the second best percentage in the American League (Hendriks, 11.1%).
- Ranks second in the AL in opponents on-base percentage (.208), fourth in innings (59.2), fifth in batting average (.167) and tied for eighth in wins (5).
- Leads AL rookies and is tied for fourth among all AL pitchers in games pitched (55).
- First batters faced are 6-for-52 (.115) with two walks (.145 on-base percentage)...ranks third in the AL in first batter on-base percentage, sixth in batting average and eighth in slugging percentage (.173).
- Opponents are 4-for-58 (.069) with runners in scoring position, including 3-for-33 (.091) with RISP and two outs.
- Is 1-0 with a 1.42 ERA (1 er in 6.1 ip) in five games against Texas.

Last Year: Was named the A's Organizational Pitcher of the Year after going 3-2 with 12 saves and a 0.74 ERA in 47 games with Midland and Nashville...made his ML debut in September and went 1-2 with a save and a 4.24 ERA in 13 games.

31 RHP LIAM HENDRIKS

Last Outing: 8/15 at Texas (ND, 1.1 ip, 2 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 27/3
First Hitters: 9-35

- Has a 1.82 ERA (6 er in 29.2 ip) and .200 (22-for-110) opponents batting average in 24 games since he was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list on June 19...logged an 8.27 ERA and .394 opponents average in 11 games before he was placed on the DL.
- Has allowed 3-of-27 (11.1%) inherited runners to score, which is the best percentage in the American League.
- Has a 1.72 ERA (6 er in 31.1 ip) in 22 games at night, a 9.20 ERA (15 er in 14.2 ip) in 13 games during the day.
- Has not allowed a run in three games and 4.0 innings against Texas.
- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list May 10 retroactive to May 8 with a strained right triceps and missed 37 games.

Last Year: Pitched exclusively in relief for the first time in his career and was 5-0 with a 2.92 ERA in 58 games with Toronto...had career highs in games and strikeouts (71) and career lows in ERA and opponents batting average (.240).

44 RHP RYAN MADSON

Last Outing: 8/16 at Texas (ND, 2.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 3 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 25-31
Inherited Runners/Scored: 6/0
First Hitters: 10-46, 4 bb

- Has not allowed a run in five games and 6.2 innings in August and is a perfect 3-for-3 in save opportunities...his ERA increased in each of the first four months as he had a 1.42 ERA in April, 3.72 ERA in May, 4.22 ERA in June and 6.55 ERA in July.
- Compiled a 1.02 ERA and was a perfect 11-for-11 in save opportunities over his first 18 games but has a 4.64 ERA (17 er in 33.0 ip) and converted 14-of-20 (70.0%) save opportunities over his last 32 games (since May 17).
- Is tied for seventh among American League relievers in saves (25)...however, is tied for the second most blown saves in the majors (6).
- Has a 5.40 ERA (15 er in 25.0 ip) in 25 games against AL West teams, a 1.40 ERA (4 er in 25.2 ip) in 25 games against all other opponents.
- Is 1-1 with a 6.75 ERA (5 er in 6.2 ip) and has converted 2-of-4 save opportunities in six games against the Rangers.

Last Year: Returned to the majors for the first time since 2011 and was 1-2 with three saves and a career-low 2.13 ERA in 68 appearances with Kansas City...also had career lows in opponents batting (.205) and on-base percentage (.254).

35 LHP MARC RZEP CZYNSKI

Last Outing: 8/16 at Texas (ND, 0.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 1 1bb, 0 so, 1 hbp)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 53/18
First Hitters: 14-46, 8 bb

- Has not allowed a run in 12 of his last 13 games for a 1.13 ERA (1 er in 8.0 ip).
- His appearance last Thursday was the 400th of his career (now has 403).
- Has tossed less than one inning in 37 of his 54 appearances...the games pitched rank seventh in the American League.
- Leads the majors in inherited runners (53) and is tied for the most inherited runners scored (18).
- First batters faced are 14-for-46 (.304) with eight walks (.407 on-base percentage)...the first batter walks are second most in the AL.
- Has a 1.88 ERA (6 er in 28.2 ip) in 41 games with one day of rest or more, an 8.10 ERA (6 er in 6.2 ip) in 13 games with no days rest.
- Has not allowed a run in six games and 4.1 innings against Texas.

Last Year: Began the season with Cleveland and went 2-3 with a 4.43 ERA in 45 games before he was traded to San Diego July 31...was 0-1 with a 7.36 ERA in 27 games with the Padres and combined for a 5.66 ERA in 72 games overall.

56 RHP CHRIS SMITH

Last Outing: 8/14 vs. Baltimore (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: 0-1, bb

- Was selected from Triple-A Nashville on August 7 for his first stint with the A's this year and has a 3.60 ERA (2 er in 5.0 ip) in three games since then.
- This is his first stint in the majors since 2010 when he logged a 5.40 ERA in three relief appearances with Milwaukee.
- Pitched in the Mariners farm system in 2011, was out of baseball in 2012, and had stints with independent teams in Wichita (2013) and Sugar Land (2014) before signing a minor league deal with San Diego in 2014.
- Has a 13.50 ERA (5 er in 3.1 ip) in three games in his career against the Rangers.
- Was 1-5 with a 5.21 ERA over his first seven starts with Nashville through May 9, but is 5-3 with a 3.40 ERA in 15 starts since then...his complete 2016 minor league stats:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Nashville (AAA)	6	8	3.93	22	22	0	0	0	130.2	120	64	57	45	121

Last Year: Spent most of the year at Triple-A El Paso where he went 5-7 with a 3.60 ERA in 22 starts...also had no decisions and a 0.90 ERA in two starts for Double-A San Antonio...had minor league career highs in strikeouts (132) and walks (44).

ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

17 YONDER ALONSO

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

- Is batting .311 (14-for-45) with six doubles, a home run, nine RBI and five multiple hit games in 14 games in August...is a .297 (110-for-370) career hitter in August...does not have an average above .277 in any other month.
- Is batting .209 (36-for-172) at home compared to .303 (56-for-185) on the road...however, has 25 RBI at home compared to 15 on the road.
- Has four home runs and 22 RBI over his last 42 games after tallying one home run and 18 RBI over his first 74 contests.
- Each of his five home runs this year and 18 of his 37 career home runs have come with runners on base.
- Has made 94 starts at first base, which are already the most by an A's first baseman over the last six years.

Last Year: Batted .282 with five home runs and 31 RBI in 103 games in a season shortened by two stints on the disabled list...the batting average was his best in his four seasons with San Diego, as was his .361 on-base percentage and .742 OPS.

16 BILLY BUTLER

Current Streak: 0 for 6
Texas Series: 1-7, rbi, bb, 2 gidp
Last Homestand: 8-23, 3 r, 2 2b, 2 rbi, bb, 4 so, gidp

- Is batting .408 (20-for-49) with three doubles, two home runs, eight RBI and seven multiple hit games over his last 14 games...that has boosted his average from .250 to .287.
- Has improved his batting average each month this year as he hit .219 in April, .222 in May, .294 in June and .348 in July...is currently hitting .343 (12-for-35) in August.
- Has started each of the A's 32 games against a left-handed starting pitcher.
- Is batting .310 (9-for-29) with five RBI in nine games against the Rangers.
- Is batting .329 (24-for-73) in day games.
- Is 6-for-20 (.300) with five RBI as a pinch hitter...is tied for the American League lead in pinch hits (Lee, SEA), ranks second in RBI (Lee, SEA 7) and fourth in plate appearances (20)...his six pinch hits match the most by an Athletic over the last 13 years.

Last Year: Batted .251 with 15 home runs and 65 RBI in 151 games in his first season with the A's...the batting average was 20 points below his previous career low of .271 in 2014...his .323 on-base percentage matched his career low from 2014.

4 COCO CRISP

Current Streak: 3 games (5 for 14)
Texas Series: 1-5, bb, 2 so
Last Homestand: 5-28, 2b, rbi, 2 bb, 4 so, sb, gidp

- Is batting .199 (37-for-186) at home compared to .280 (49-for-175) with seven of his 10 home runs on the road...has the fourth lowest home batting average in the American League.
- Is batting a Major League leading .450 with runners in scoring position...started the season 0-for-9 with RISP but is 27-for-51 (.529) since then.
- Is batting .156 (10-for-64) when leading off a game, which is the lowest mark in the majors (min. 50 plate appearances).
- Has not been hit by a pitch since May 9, 2011 (C.J. Wilson) and his streak of 614 consecutive games without being hit is the longest active streak in the majors and the longest in Athletics history.

Last Year: Was limited to just 44 games due to two stints on the DL and batted a career-low .175...also had the lowest on-base percentage (.252) and slugging percentage (.222) of his career and his games played were his fewest since 2002 (32).

2 CHRIS DAVIS

Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 5)
Texas Series: 2-9, 2 2b, 3 so, gidp
Last Homestand: 9-31, 4 r, 2b, 3 hr, 6 rbi, bb, 7 so, sf, cs, gidp

- Has career highs in home runs (30) and RBI (75)...is the first Athletic to hit 30 home runs in a season since Brandon Moss in 2013 (30).
- Homered in three straight games Friday through Sunday for the first time this season and second time in his career (May 26-28, 2014).
- Is tied for fourth in the American League in home runs (30) and tied for seventh in sacrifice flies (5).
- Is batting .241 (32-for-133) over his last 35 games but 18 of the 32 hits are for extra bases (seven doubles, 11 home runs).
- Is batting .375 (15-for-40) with seven home runs and 19 RBI in 11 games against Texas...the rest of the A's have combined for 10 home runs against the Rangers.
- Is hitting .286 (78-for-273) with 24 of his 30 home runs at night compared to .193 (28-for-145) during the day...the 24 home runs are the most by an Athletic at night since Nick Swisher had 25 in 2006...leads the majors in night home runs and is tied for third in the AL in RBI (60).
- Has hit 17 of his 30 home runs at home, which are the most home runs in the Coliseum since Josh Reddick had 18 in 2012.
- Has hit 20 of his home runs as a left fielder, which are the most among AL left fielders and third most in the majors.
- Has 50 home runs and 116 RBI over his last 164 games dating back to Aug. 6, 2015.
- Had a pinch hit single Thursday and is 2-for-4 (.500) as a pinch hitter.

Last Year: Batted .247 with a career-high 27 HR and 66 RBI in 121 games with Milwaukee...also had career highs in walks (44) and stolen bases (6) and matched his best in triples (2)...led the Brewers and tied for 10th in the NL in home runs.

39 BRETT EIBNER

Current Streak: 0 for 4
Texas Series: 0-3, r, bb, so, gidp
Last Homestand: 2-13, 2 r, 2 hr, 2 rbi, bb, 4 so

- Was recalled from Triple-A Nashville August 5 and is 2-for-16 (.125) in 11 games.
- Has made four starts with the A's (all in right field) and 22 overall (13 in right field, nine in left field).
- Is batting .250 (11-for-44) against left-handed pitchers compared to .180 (9-for-50) against right-handers.
- Is 3-for-38 (.079) in 17 games since the All-Star Break after hitting .304 in 19 contests before the break.
- Walked as a pinch hitter Thursday...is 0-for-2 in the pinch with the A's and 0-for-6 with a walk and three strikeouts overall.
- Made his Major League debut with Kansas City earlier this year and hit .231 with three home runs and 10 RBI in 26 games over two stints...was traded to the A's on July 30 for Billy Burns but reported to Nashville.
- Combined to hit .289 with 12 home runs and 34 RBI in 54 games overall at Triple-A...appeared in 37 games in center field, 12 in right field and three in left field...his complete 2016 minor league statistics:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Omaha (AAA)	.288	50	184	37	53	7	1	11	32	30	48	5	1	.516	.385
Nashville (AAA)	.308	4	13	4	4	2	0	1	2	5	6	0	0	.692	.500

Last Year: Spent the entire season at Triple-A Omaha where he batted .303 with 19 home runs and 81 RBI in 103 games...ranked ninth in the Pacific Coast League in RBI, slugging percentage (.514) and OPS (.878)...hit .348 with RISP.

48 RYON HEALY

Current Streak: 4 games (6 for 14)
Texas Series: 4-8, 2 r, hr, 2 rbi, 2 so
Last Homestand: 6-31, 3 r, 2 hr, 3 rbi, 2 bb, 5 so

- Was selected from Triple-A Nashville July 15 (first day after the All-Star Break) and has started 30 of the A's 31 games since then at third base.
- Is batting .260 (13-for-50) with four home runs and eight RBI in 15 games in August after hitting .241 with two home runs and seven RBI in 15 games in July.
- Six of his 15 RBI have either tied the game or put the A's ahead.
- Has made both his Major League and Triple-A debut this year...began the season at Double-A Midland and was promoted to Nashville May 17...was leading A's full-season minor leaguers in batting (.326), ranked second in RBI (64) and tied for third in home runs (14) at the time of his promotion...was tied for fifth in all of minor league baseball in extra base hits (46)...his complete 2016 minor league stats:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Midland (AA)	.338	36	145	27	49	12	3	8	34	18	35	1	0	.628	.409
Nashville (AAA)	.318	49	192	33	61	16	1	6	30	13	40	0	1	.505	.362
TOTALS	.326	85	337	60	110	28	4	14	64	31	75	1	1	.558	.382

Last Year: Spent the entire season at Midland in his Double-A debut and was named to the Texas League Postseason All-Star Team after hitting .302 with 10 home runs and 62 RBI in 124 games.

63 BRUCE MAXWELL

Current Streak: 0 for 7
Seattle Series: 0-3, 2 so
Last Homestand: 1-9, r, 2b, 4 so

- Was selected from Triple-A Nashville on July 23 and has appeared in eight games since then, including six starts at catcher...is 2-for-20 (.100).
- Hit safely in each of his final eight games with the Sounds, going 18-for-28 (.643) with 11 runs, five home runs and 16 RBI.
- Had not played above Double-A prior to this year...his 10 home runs with Nashville are a career-high...made all 60 of his appearances at catcher and tossed out 30-of-77 (39.0%) attempted base stealers...his complete 2016 stats with Nashville:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Nashville (AAA)	.321	60	193	27	62	12	0	10	41	24	38	1	0	.539	.393

Last Year: Spent the entire season at Double-A Midland where he batted .243 with two home runs and 48 RBI in 96 games...led Texas League catchers with a .997 fielding percentage and tossed out 19-of-86 (22.1%) attempted base stealers.

12 MAX MUNCY

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 3)
Texas Series: 1-4, bb, 2 so
Last Homestand: 3-22, r, hr, rbi, bb, 3 so

- Has made each of his last nine starts at second base and is 4-for-27 (.148) with two home runs and two RBI in those starting assignments.
- Has made 11 starts in right field, 10 at second base and one at third base...had never played right or second in the majors prior to this year.
- Has not batted against a left-handed pitcher...has just two plate appearances against lefties in his career (0-for-1, 1 walk).
- Was recalled from Triple-A Nashville July 25 for his third stint with the A's this year and is 7-for-38 (.184) in 15 games, including 11 starts (10 at second base, one in right field), since his return.
- Appeared in 28 games in left field, 13 at third base, eight in right field, three at first base and three at second base with the Sounds...his complete 2016 statistics with Nashville follow:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Nashville (AAA)	.251	64	223	34	56	7	2	8	26	35	54	5	0	.408	.360

Last Year: Made both his Triple-A and Major League debut in his fourth professional season...batted .206 with 3 HR and 9 RBI in 45 games over four stints with Oakland and .274 with 4 HR and 35 RBI in 60 games with Nashville.

18 CHAD PINDER

Current Streak: N/A
Texas Series: N/A
Last Homestand: N/A

- Was selected from Triple-A Nashville today and his first appearance with the A's will be his Major League debut.
- Has spent the entire season at Nashville, where he's played 98 games at shortstop, five at designated hitter, and four at second base...for his career, has played 257 games at shortstop, 80 at second base, and five at third base.
- This season in Nashville, has hit .273 (30-for-110) against left-handers and .253 (80-for-316) against right-handers...10 of his 14 home runs have come against righties.
- Has had a 10- and 12-game hitting streak this season with Nashville...his 10-game streak was snapped Monday in his last game with the Sounds prior to being selected...his complete 2016 statistics with Nashville follow:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Nashville (AAA)	.258	107	426	72	110	23	3	14	51	25	108	5	1	.425	.310

Last Year: Was named Texas League Player of the Year and A's Organizational Player of the Year...spent the entire season at Double-A Midland, hitting .317 with 15 home runs and 86 RBI in 117 games.

10 MARCUS SEMIEN

Current Streak: 0 for 6
Texas Series: 1-8, r, 2b, bb, 2 so
Last Homestand: 13-39, 5 r, 2 2b, hr, 2 rbi, 10 so, gidp

- Is batting .276 (16-for-58) in August and is a .290 (42-for-145) career hitter in the month, which is his best mark for any month of the season.
- Has career highs in home runs (23) and RBI (54).
- Is the only Athletic to play in all 120 games and leads the Majors in games played...has a consecutive games played streak of 122 dating back to last year, which is the longest by an Athletic since Eric Chavez played in 123 consecutive games to start the 2005 season...it is the second longest active streak in the majors (Escobar, 128)...has played all but 11 innings at shortstop.
- Ranks second among ML shortstops with 23 home runs (Story, COL 27) and tied for fifth among American League shortstops in RBI (54)...is tied for second in the AL with 10 home runs against left-handed pitching (Cruz, SEA 14)...leads the majors with nine home runs batting ninth, which ties the Athletics franchise record (Hernandez, 2000)...ranks fifth in the AL in home runs in the seven inning or later (10).
- Is batting .287 (49-for-171) with runners on base compared to .207 (52-for-251) with 17 of his 23 home runs with the bases empty.
- Is tied for third in the AL in reaching base on an error (7).
- Has committed eight errors in his last 32 games after making eight in his first 88 contests...has 16 errors for the season, which is the most among AL shortstops and tied for second most in the majors (Villar, MIL 17).
- Has hit in every spot in the order this year except third and fourth.

MOST HOME RUNS, ATHLETICS SHORTSTOP

34	Miguel Tejada, 2002
31	Miguel Tejada, 2001
30	Miguel Tejada, 2000
27	Miguel Tejada, 2003
23	Marcus Semien, 2016
23	Eddie Joost, 1949

Last Year: Batted .257 with 15 home runs and 45 RBI in a team-leading 155 games in his first full season in the majors...committed a Major League leading and Oakland record 35 errors...tied for second among AL shortstops in home runs.

5 JAKE SMOLINSKI

Current Streak: 0 for 9
Texas Series: 0-4
Last Homestand: 5-29, r, rbi, 3 bb, hbp, 5 so, gidp

- Committed an error Monday to snap a career-opening streak of 143 games as an outfielder without an error (including 91 with Oakland).
- Is 9-for-60 (.150) over his last 18 games.
- Is hitting .338 (23-for-68) with five of his six home runs against left-handed pitchers compared to .223 (23-for-103) against right-handers...has hit 11 of his 15 career home runs off lefties.
- Is batting .320 (32-for-100) at home, .197 (14-for-71) on the road.
- Has started 26 of the A's 31 games since the All-Star Break (24 in center field, two in right field) and is batting .239 (21-for-88).
- Is 4-for-11 (.364) with a home run and three RBI as a pinch hitter...is tied for third in the AL in pinch hits and tied for sixth in pinch RBI.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Nashville May 20 for his first stint with the A's this year...hit .248 with 3 HR and 15 RBI in 39 games with the Sounds.

Last Year: Split the season between Triple-A and the majors for both Texas and Oakland...combined to hit .374 with nine home runs and 31 RBI in 37 games between Round Rock and Nashville...appeared in 76 combined Major League games.

26 DANNY VALENCIA

Current Streak: 3 games (6 for 12)
Texas Series: 4-8, 2 rbi, 2 bb, 2 so
Last Homestand: 6-33, 2 r, 2b, 2 rbi, bb, 7 so

- Is 6-for-12 with two RBI over his last three games after going 4-for-29 (.138) with two RBI over his previous nine contests.
- Is batting .235 (32-for-136) with three home runs and 13 RBI over his last 38 games after hitting .335 with 11 home runs and 41 RBI over his first 56 contests.
- Is batting .340 (33-for-97) against left-handed pitching, .333 (48-for-143) on the road, .316 (24-for-76) with runners in scoring position and .313 (40-for-128) during the day.
- Has started games at four different positions since the All-Star Break (10 in right field, nine at first base, three at designated hitter, one at third base) and is batting .272 (25-for-92)...made all 66 of his starts on defense before the break at third base and hit .304 in 67 games overall.
- Had his first career assist as an outfielder in the first inning last Wednesday night against Baltimore...his second came in the fifth inning of the same game.
- Has hit 11 of his 14 home runs on the road.

Last Year: Began the season with Toronto and was claimed off waivers by Oakland Aug. 3...hit .284 with 11 HR and 37 RBI in 47 games with the A's...combined for a .290 average, a career-high 18 HR and 66 RBI in 105 games overall.

21 STEPHEN VOGT

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 5)
Texas Series: 1-8, bb, 2 so
Last Homestand: 8-24, 5 r, 2b, hr, 3 rbi, 5 bb, 4 so

- Is 9-for-29 (.310) over his last nine games after going 4-for-38 (.105) over his previous 10 contests.
- Collected his 22nd double of the season last Friday night, which is a new career high (previous: 21 in 2015).
- All nine of his home runs have been solo shots off right-handed pitchers.
- Is a .296 (32-for-108) career hitter against Texas but is 4-for-25 (.160) against the Rangers this year.
- Has six errors, which is an on-going career high and tied for second most among American League catchers (Navarro, CWS 8).
- Has tossed out 3 of the last 5 attempted base stealers and 9-of-46 (19.6%) for the season.
- Was named to his second consecutive AL All-Star team but did not play in the game.

Last Year: Was named to his first AL All-Star team...hit .261 with 18 HR and 71 RBI...hit .308 with 13 HR and 53 RBI over his first 70 games, .214 with 5 HR and 18 RBI over his final 66 contests...led the A's in walks (56) and on-base pct. (.341).

A'S HITTING VS. TEXAS

2016	CAREER					PLAYER	CAREER				
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	PLAYER	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	
.179	28	5	0	5	Alonso	.182	55	10	0	7	
.310	29	9	0	5	Butler	.270	304	82	6	33	
.303	33	10	2	6	Crisp	.268	426	114	10	56	
.375	40	15	7	19	Davis	.364	44	16	8	20	
.100	10	1	0	0	Eibner	.100	10	1	0	0	
.316	19	6	1	2	Healy	.316	19	6	1	2	
.154	13	2	0	1	Ladendorf	.167	18	3	0	3	
---	0	0	0	0	Maxwell	---	0	0	0	0	
.286	7	2	0	0	Muncy	.300	20	6	0	0	
.283	46	13	2	5	Semien	.282	124	35	2	14	
.222	27	6	1	4	Smolinski	.200	35	7	1	6	
.357	42	15	2	11	Valencia	.290	131	38	4	21	
.160	25	4	0	0	Vogt	.296	108	32	3	16	
.263	99	26	2	10	others						
.275	411	113	17	68	TOTALS						

A'S CAREER HITTING VS. DARVISH

PLAYER	BAT	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SH	SF	HBP	GDP	AVG	OBP	SLG
Yonder Alonso	L	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Billy Butler	R	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	.000	.333	.000
Coco Crisp	S	24	8	0	2	1	8	3	6	0	2	0	0	.333	.379	.625
Khris Davis	R	3	2	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	.667	.667	2.000
Sam Fuld	L	10	3	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	.300	.300	.300
Ryon Healy	R	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Jed Lowrie	S	17	3	0	0	0	2	7	5	0	1	2	0	.176	.444	.176
Marcus Semien	R	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Jake Smolinski	R	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Eric Sogard	L	14	4	1	0	0	1	5	2	0	0	0	1	.286	.474	.357
Danny Valencia	R	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.667	.667	.667
Stephen Vogt	L	10	4	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	.400	.400	.400

HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

Player	2016 HOME RUNS				Tot.	LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN			
	Solo	2R	3R	GS		Date	Opponent	Pitcher	GP Since
Alonso	0	4	1	0	5	August 2, 2016	at Los Angeles (AL)	Shoemaker	14
Butler	3	1	0	0	4	July 30, 2016	at Cleveland	Tomlin	10
Crisp	7	2	0	1	10	August 2, 2016	at Los Angeles (AL)	Shoemaker	10
Davis	20	5	4	1	30	August 14, 2016	Seattle	LeBlanc	2
Eibner	5	0	0	0	5	August 14, 2016	Seattle	Storen	2
Healy	4	1	1	0	6	August 15, 2016	at Texas	Perez	1
Ladendorf	0	0	0	0	0	—	—	—	32
Lowrie	1	1	0	0	2	June 29, 2016	San Francisco	Peavy	26
Maxwell	0	0	0	0	0	—	—	—	7
Muncy	2	0	0	0	2	August 11, 2016	Baltimore	Ondrusek	5
Phegley	0	0	1	0	1	June 13, 2016	Texas	Wilhelmsen	8
Semien	17	4	2	0	23	August 7, 2016	Chicago (NL)	Hendricks	9
Smolinski	1	3	2	0	6	July 23, 2016	Tampa Bay	Colome	19
Valencia	8	5	1	0	14	August 4, 2016	at Los Angeles (AL)	Nolasco	12
Vogt	9	0	0	0	9	August 8, 2016	Baltimore	Gausman	7
others	11	3	2	0	16				
Team	85	29	14	2	130				

A'S AT A GLANCE

Season High	10-7 (April 22)
Season Low	52-68 (August 16)
April	13-12
May	11-17
June	11-15
July	12-14
August	5-10
September	0-0
Home Series	9-9-2
Road Series	6-12-1
Series Sweeps	5-9
First Game of Series	21-18
Last Game of Series	12-26
A's Score First	35-35
Opponent Scores First	17-33
Leading After 7th	40-5
Leading After 8th	43-4
Tied After 7th	5-2
Tied After 8th	6-4
Trailing After 7th	7-61
Trailing After 8th	3-60
Commit No Errors	31-40
Commit 1 or More Errors	21-28
More HR Than Opp.	30-10
Fewer HR Than Opp.	6-39
Same Total HR of Opp.	16-19
Starter Pitches 7 or More	16-4
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	36-64
When Scoring 4 or More	35-22
When Scoring Less Than 4	17-46
Last At Bat	13-12
Replay Challenges	16-9
Different Lineups	107

MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs
Alvarez, H	Games	92	8 for 100
	Games Started	92	8 for 100
Butler	Hits	1468	32 for 1500
	Walks	495	5 for 500
Crisp	Games as OF (w/OAK)	659	20 for 679 (ties Armas for 7th in Oakland history)
	Steals (w/OAK)	169	3 for 172 (ties Baker for 9th in Athletics history)
Davis	Doubles	80	20 for 100
	Home Runs	90	10 for 100
Doolittle	Saves	33	11 for 44 (ties Koch and Foulke for 9th in Athletics history)
Gray	Wins	38	12 for 50
	Games	96	4 for 100
Lowrie	Games Started	94	6 for 100
	Doubles	173	27 for 200

WALK-OFF WINS (6)

Yonder Alonso, April 29 vs. Houston (home run)
 Khris Davis, May 17 vs. Texas (grand slam)
 Billy Burns, June 17 vs. Los Angeles-AL (single)
 Josh Reddick, July 19 vs. Houston (single)
 Coco Crisp, July 22 vs. Tampa Bay (single)
 Ryon Healy, July 23 vs. Tampa Bay (home run)

DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Alvarez, H.	Right shoulder surgery	March 25-present (eligible May 27)	120	Ladendorf	Left wrist sprain	Aug. 17-present	0
Alvarez, R.J.	Right elbow surgery	March 25-June 11	61	Lambo	Testicular cancer surgery	July 4-present	38
Bassitt	Strained right elbow	April 29-present	97	Lowrie	Right shin contusion	May 10-May 24	14
Canha	Back strain	May 9-present	88	Lowrie	Bunion on his left foot	August 4-present	13
Doolittle	Strained left shoulder	June 26-present (eligible July 11)	46	Manaea	Left pronator strain	June 14-28	14
Doubront	Sprained left elbow	April 4-present	120	Parker	Fractured right medial epicondyle	March 13-present	120
Fuld	Strained left shoulder	March 25-present	120	Phegley	Strained right knee	May 10-May 26	15
Gray	Strained right trapezius	May 21-June 4	13	Phegley	Strained right knee	July 2-present (eligible August 31)	40
Gray	Strained right forearm	August 7-present (eligible August 22)	10	Reddick	Fractured left thumb	May 20-June 27	34
Hahn	Strained right shoulder	August 5-present (eligible August 20)	12	Rodriguez	Strained right shoulder	July 4-present (eligible September 3)	38
Hendriks	Right triceps strain	May 8-June 18	37	Sogard	Cervical strain	March 28-present (eligible May 27)	120
Hill	Left groin strain	May 30-July 1	29	Triggs	Left shin contusion	July 18-August 1	13
Hill	Left middle finger blister	July 20-31	11	Valencia	Strained left hamstring	April 21-May 5	14

The A's have used the disabled list an Oakland record 26 times this season...used the DL 23 times in 2015

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

June 13	Henderson Alvarez sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment	July 2	Rich Hill reinstated from the disabled list; Andrew Triggs optioned to Nashville	July 30	Dillon Overton recalled from Nashville; Rich Hill placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to July 20 (left middle finger blister); Billy Burns traded to the Kansas City Royals for Brett Eibner
June 14	Eric Surkamp recalled from Nashville; Sean Manaea placed on the 15-day disabled list (left pronator strain)	July 3	Josh Phegley placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to July 2 (strained right knee); Matt McBride recalled from Nashville	Aug. 1	Rich Hill and Josh Reddick traded to the Los Angeles Dodgers for Jharel Cotton, Frankie Montas and minor leaguer Grant Holmes
June 18	Andrew Triggs recalled from Nashville; Tyler Ladendorf optioned to Nashville; Henderson Alvarez transferred to Nashville on rehab	July 4	Andrew Triggs recalled from Nashville; Patrick Schuster selected from Nashville; Daniel Coulombe optioned to Nashville; Fernando Rodriguez placed on the 15-day disabled list (right shoulder strain); Andrew Lambo recalled from Nashville and placed on the 60-day disabled list (cancer surgery)	Aug. 2	Tyler Ladendorf recalled from Nashville; Andrew Triggs reinstated from the disabled list; J.B. Wendelken optioned to Nashville
June 19	Liam Hendriks reinstated from the disabled list; Andrew Triggs optioned to Nashville	July 15	Ryon Healy selected from Nashville; Billy Burns optioned to Nashville; Nick Tepesch designated for assignment	Aug. 4	Jesse Hahn recalled from Nashville; Andrew Triggs optioned to Nashville
June 20	Henderson Alvarez returned from rehab; Josh Reddick sent to Nashville on a rehab assignment	July 18	Nick Tepesch claimed off waivers by Kansas City	Aug. 5	Brett Eibner and Andrew Triggs recalled from Nashville; Jed Lowrie placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to August 4 (bunion on his left foot); Jesse Hahn placed on the 15-day disabled list (strained right shoulder)
June 21	Arismendy Alcantara recalled from Nashville; Daniel Coulombe optioned to Nashville	July 19	Daniel Coulombe and Dillon Overton recalled from Nashville; Tyler Ladendorf optioned to Nashville; Andrew Triggs placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to July 18 (left shin contusion)	Aug. 6	Patrick Schuster recalled from Nashville; Dillon Overton optioned to Nashville
June 24	Sean Manaea sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment	July 20	Arismendy Alcantara recalled from Nashville; Dillon Overton optioned to Nashville	Aug. 7	Chris Smith selected from Nashville; Sonny Gray placed on the 15-day disabled list (strained right forearm); Josh Phegley transferred to the 60-day DL
June 25	Dillon Overton selected from Nashville; Eric Surkamp optioned to Nashville; Henderson Alvarez transferred to the 60-day disabled list	July 21	Zach Neal recalled from Nashville; Patrick Schuster optioned to Nashville	Aug. 10	Ross Detwiler selected from Nashville; Patrick Schuster designated for assignment
June 27	Nick Tepesch claimed off waivers from the Los Angeles Dodgers; Eric Surkamp designated for assignment; Rich Hill sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment	July 23	Bruce Maxwell selected from Nashville; Stephen Vogt placed on family medical leave list; Fernando Rodriguez transferred to the 60-day disabled list	Aug. 12	Patrick Schuster claimed off waivers by Philadelphia
June 28	Josh Reddick reinstated from the disabled list; Max Muncy optioned to Nashville	July 24	Jesse Hahn recalled from Nashville; Arismendy Alcantara optioned to Nashville	Aug. 17	Chad Pinder selected from Nashville; Tyler Ladendorf placed on the 15-day disabled list (sprained left wrist); Jed Lowrie transferred to 60-day disabled list
June 29	Eric Surkamp claimed off waivers by Texas; Sean Manaea reinstated from the disabled list; Arismendy Alcantara and Nick Tepesch optioned to Nashville	July 25	Max Muncy recalled from Nashville; Jesse Hahn optioned to Nashville		
June 30	Daniel Coulombe and Andrew Triggs recalled from Nashville; Sean Doolittle placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to June 26 (strained left shoulder; Zach Neal optioned to Nashville)	July 26	Stephen Vogt reinstated from the family medical leave list; J.B. Wendelken recalled from Nash-		
July 1	Tyler Ladendorf recalled from Nashville; Dillon Overton optioned to Nashville				

