

## **A'S NEWS LINKS, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2016**

### **SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE**

**Could downtrodden A's ink some mainstays?**

By Susan Slusser

<http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/Could-downtrodden-A-s-ink-some-mainstays-9211391.php>

**Giants' closer: a question with no answers**

By Bruce Jenkins

<http://www.sfchronicle.com/giants/jenkins/article/Giants-closer-a-question-with-no-answers-9211480.php?cmpid=gsa-sfgate-result>

### **ATHLETICS.COM**

**Smith enjoying every minute of comeback**

**A's 35-year-old reliever returned to college, went six years between MLB appearances**

by Jane Lee

<http://m.athletics.mlb.com/news/article/200264192/as-chris-smith-loving-every-day-of-mlb-return/>

**Iwakuma, Mariners hit road to face off with A's**

by Justin Wise

[http://m.mlb.com/news/article/20160907199967044/iwakuma-mariners-hit-road-to-face-off-with-as/?game\\_pk=448973](http://m.mlb.com/news/article/20160907199967044/iwakuma-mariners-hit-road-to-face-off-with-as/?game_pk=448973)

### **CSNBAYAREA.COM**

**A's won't send stud prospect Chapman to Arizona Fall League**

By Joe Stiglich

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/wont-send-stud-prospect-chapman-arizona-fall-league>

### **MINOR LEAGUE NEWS**

#### **NASHVILLE SOUNDS**

**Dodgers Even Series with Pair of Homers**

Nashville Sounds

[http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20160908&content\\_id=200311034&vkey=recap&fext=.jsp&sid=t556](http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20160908&content_id=200311034&vkey=recap&fext=.jsp&sid=t556)

#### **MIDLAND ROCKHOUNDS**

**The Calm Before the Storm Before the Storm**

By Bob Hards / Midland RockHounds

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