



# OAKLAND ATHLETICS

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### OAKLAND ATHLETICS (5-5) VS. HOUSTON ASTROS (6-4)

FRIDAY, APRIL 14, 2017 — OAKLAND COLISEUM — 7:05 P.M. PDT  
RHP KENDALL GRAVEMAN (2-0, 2.08) VS. LHP DALLAS KEUCHEL (1-0, 0.64)  
NBCSCA PLUS — A'S RADIO NETWORK (95.7 FM THE GAME) — EN ESPAÑOL (KIQI 1010 AM)

**ABOUT THE A'S:** Won two of three at Kansas City to start the week for their first series win of the season...have also lost one series and split one series...are now 5-5, which marks the fifth time this year the A's have been exactly .500...this is the A's 50th season in Oakland where they have won 16 American League 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 a 4044-3763 (.518) record over the previous 49 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 117th 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...the A's are 8759-9235 (.487) in their previous 116 seasons...that includes a 3886-4248 record from 1901-54 in Philadelphia and 829-1224 from 1955-67 in Kansas City.

**HOME AND AWAY:** The A's begin their longest homestand of the season tonight, a 10-game stand against Houston (three games), Texas (three games) and Seattle (four games)...went 2-2 on the first homestand against Los Angeles (AL)...went 3-3 on their first road trip to Texas (1-2) and Kansas City (2-1).

**DEFENSIVE DOINGS:** The A's have committed at least one error in each of the last seven games, which matches their longest such streak over the last two years (July 10-20, 2016)...the last longer streak was a 15-game streak from May 3-18, 2015...have committed 11 errors for the season, which is tied with Arizona for the most in the majors...made 97 errors last year, which tied for second most in the American League...five of the 11 errors this year have been committed by pitchers, which is three more than any other team...last year, A's pitchers committed nine errors the entire season.

**AGAINST THE WEST:** The A's will play each of their next 16 games against American League West competition...in fact, 23 of Oakland's first 26 games of the season (the month of April) are against divisional foes...the exception was the three-game series at Kansas City to start the week...the A's will host all four AL West teams this month and travel to each city except Seattle...are 3-4 against the West this year...last year, the A's went 29-47 (.382) against AL West competition, which was the third worst mark against divisional foes in Oakland history and the worst since 1997 (11-25, .306).

**THIS AND THAT:** The A's are 4-1 when scoring first compared to 1-4 when the opponent scores first...starting pitchers have all five of the A's wins...the five wins are tied for the most by starters in the majors...are batting .065 (2-for-31) with one run scored in the first inning...the batting average is the lowest in the majors and the runs scored are tied for second fewest (Boston, 0)...the pitching staff has allowed 40 runs, 14 of which have come in the second inning (14 er in 10.0 ip, 12.60 ERA).

**THE DISABLED LIST:** The A's have six players on the disabled list (Axford, Bassitt, Gray, Mengden, Smolinski, Wendle)...the A's used the DL an Oakland record 27 times last year and the players missed a combined 1810 games (67.0 games per stint), which also set an Oakland record...have had at least three players on the DL every day since July 30, 2011 and have not had fewer than two players on the DL since the end of the 2006 season when they had just one.

**ROSTER NOTES:** The A's opened the season with 13 pitchers and 12 position players...it marked the first time the A's have opened the season with more than 12 pitchers on a 25-man Opening Day roster since 1994 when they had 13 (had 14 on the 1995 Opening Day roster, which was expanded to 28 following the strike)...five players on the Opening Day roster were signed as free agents (Casilla, R. Davis, Joyce, Plouffe, Rosales), which marks just the third time in the last 22 years the A's had five free agents make their Opening Day roster (also 1996 and 2011)...seven had six or more years of service: Madson (11 years, 155 days), R. Davis (9 years, 167 days), Casilla (9 years, 148 days), Lowrie (8 years, 111 days), Joyce (7 years, 123 days), Axford (6 years, 170 days) and Rosales (6 years, 163 days)...those are the most players with six or more years of service on an A's Opening Day roster since the 2007 club also had seven...

the average age on the A's Opening Day roster was 29.24 years...that is Oakland's second oldest Opening Day roster over the last 13 years (29.28 last year)...Frankie Montas is the youngest player at the age of 24 years, 13 days...Santiago Casilla is the oldest at 36 years, 252 days.

**DURING THE SPRING:** The A's finished the spring with a six-game losing streak and went 16-18 (.471) overall, which was the fourth worst record in the Cactus League...went 12-17-3 (.422) last spring, which was fifth worst in the CL...this marks the first time Oakland has finished with a losing record in back-to-back springs since 2010-11...the A's compiled a 5.93 ERA, which was second highest in the majors to Cincinnati (6.13)...it was the second highest spring ERA by an Oakland team over the last 18 years (6.10 in 2016)...surrendered 37 home runs, which tied for fifth fewest in the CL...had the second fewest strikeouts (247) and tied for the fifth fewest walks (121)...the offense ranked fourth in the CL in walks (133), tied for fourth in triples (11) and fifth in on-base percentage (.351)...also tied for the fewest stolen bases (15), ranked third in fewest hit by pitches (10) and fourth in most strikeouts (300)...the strikeouts are the most by an A's team during the spring since at least 1990 (previous: 248 in 2009)...the defense committed 28 errors, which was fourth fewest in the CL...however, turned just 23 double plays, which was the fewest in the CL and tied for third fewest in the majors...went 9-7 at Hohokam, 0-1 in Oakland and 7-10 on the road.

**CONTRACT STATUS:** The A's have four players under contract beyond the 2017 season...Santiago Casilla, Sean Doolittle, Matt Joyce and Ryan Madson are signed through 2018 with the A's holding club options on Doolittle for 2019 and 2020...Jed Lowrie has a club option for 2018.

**RADIO AND TV:** Due to conflicts with the Warriors and/or Sharks, the following changes have been made to the radio and television schedules...the games of tonight against Houston and next Thursday, April 18 against Texas have been moved from NBCSCA to NBCSCA Plus...Sunday's game against Houston can be heard in the Bay Area on KFOX 98.5 FM...additional updates will be announced based on the Warriors and Sharks playoff schedules.

**A's vs. ASTROS:** The A's lost the season series for the second consecutive season last year as they went 6-13...were 6-6 over the first 12 games, but lost each of the final seven, which is the A's longest losing streak ever against the Astros...eight of the 19 games were decided in the last at bat and the A's were 2-6 in those games...had a 4-5 record in Oakland and posted a 2-8 mark in Houston...are 15-23 against Houston over the last two years...have won nine of the last 15 games in the Coliseum but have lost 10 of the last 12 at Minute Maid Park...lead the all-time series 46-36...19 of the 36 losses have been by one run...are 25-16 in Oakland and 21-20 in Houston.

#### TODAY'S TIDBITS

**Yonder Alonso** has reached base safely in each of his eight games...**Khristian Davis** hit 25 home runs against American League West competition last year, but just one of those came against Houston...batted .129 against the Astros last year...**Jed Lowrie** has a 65-game errorless streak as a second baseman, which is the fourth longest such streak in Oakland history.

#### THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

In **1915** Herb Pennoch comes within one out of pitching the first Opening Day no-hitter...a scratch single by Harry Hooper is the only hit in the A's 5-0 win over Boston...in **1925** two future Hall of Famers make their Major League debut in the same game as Lefty Grove starts against Boston and Mickey Cochrane has a pinch hit single in a game the A's would win 9-8 in 10 innings...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<sup>th</sup> home run in Athletics history in a 9-8 loss to Texas.

#### PITCHING PROBABLES

Sat., April 15 vs. Houston	LHP Sean Manaea (0-1, 7.15) vs. RHP Lance McCullers (1-0, 2.77)	1:05 NBCSCA/95.7 FM The Game
Sun., April 16 vs. Houston	RHP Jharel Cotton (1-1, 3.97) vs. RHP Charlie Morton (0-1, 4.09)	1:05 NBCSCA/KFOX 98.5 FM

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# TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Kendall Graveman (2-0, 2.08 ERA)

**FOR OPENERS:** Is scheduled to make his third start of the season...is one of five American League pitchers to win each of his first two starts...is in his fourth season in the majors and is on his third consecutive Opening Day roster.

**FIRST START:** He was the winning pitcher in the A's 4-2 win over Los Angeles (AL) on Opening Day April 8 in Oakland...became the A's 11th different Opening Day starting pitcher in the last 12 years (Zito, Haren, Blanton, Braden, Sheets, Cahill, McCarthy, Anderson, Gray twice, Hill)...is just the second of those pitchers to pick up the win (Gray, 2015)...had a 1-0 lead when he allowed a two-run home run to Trout in the third inning...those were the only runs he would allow in six innings of work.

**LAST START:** He won his second consecutive start in the A's 6-1 win at Texas last Saturday...no hit the Rangers over the first six innings, allowing just two base runners on an Odor walk and Lucroy reach on error in the second...then retired 15 straight before Napoli homered with two outs in the bottom of the seventh...that was the only run he allowed in seven innings of work

## GRAVEMAN'S 2017 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 3	Los Angeles (AL)	4-2	W	3.00	6.0	6	2	2	2	7	1	104
April 8	Texas	6-1	W	2.08	7.0	2	1	1	1	5	1	85

**GRAVEMAN vs. HOUSTON:** Is 3-2 with a 4.46 ERA (36.1 ip, 36 h, 19 r, 18 er, 8 bb, 14 so, 5 hr) in six career starts...that includes 2-1 with a 3.65 ERA (10 er in 24.2 ip) in four starts in Houston and 1-1 with a 6.17 ERA (8 er in 11.2 ip) in two starts in Oakland...went 2-1 with a 4.10 ERA (26.1 ip, 23 h, 13 r, 12 er, 3 bb, 10 so, 4 hr)

in four starts last year...the no decision came in a 6-5 A's loss at Houston in 12 innings on June 4...allowed three in the second on a two-run home run by Gattis and a Marisnick sacrifice fly...also allowed a Rasmus RBI double in the third and a Correa RBI single in the fifth and left after 4.1 innings trailing 5-3...the A's scored single runs in the sixth and ninth innings to get him off the hook...then picked up the win in a 3-2 A's win at Houston July 9...retired each of the first 14 batters before Reed singled with two outs in the fifth...shutout the Astros on three hits over the first eight innings and had a 3-0 lead when he allowed back-to-back singles to Marisnick and Gonzalez to start the ninth...was relieved by Dull who allowed both inherited runners to score...also won in a 7-4 A's victory in Oakland on July 18...allowed a Rasmus sacrifice fly in the second inning and an unearned run in the fourth when Correa doubled and later scored on a Healy error, but the A's scored five times in the bottom of the fourth to take a 5-2 lead...then took the loss in a 3-1 decision at Houston Aug. 30...allowed a solo home run to Rasmus in the second and a RBI single to Bregman in the third to give Houston a 2-0 lead...McHugh shutout the A's on four hits in 6.0 innings and Graveman allowed his final run in the seventh inning on a Gattis home run.

## STARTS VS. HOUSTON

DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
4/14/15	A	W	5.1	4	0	0	4	3
4/25/15	H	L	4.2	9	6	6	1	1
6/4/16	A	-	4.1	7	5	5	1	1
7/9/16	A	W	8.0	5	2	2	0	3
7/18/16	H	W	7.0	7	3	2	1	5
8/30/16	A	L	7.0	4	3	3	1	1

## GRAVEMAN'S CAREER MATCHUPS VS. HOUSTON

Player	Bat	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SH	SF	HBP	GDP	AVG	OBP	SLG	
Jose Altuve	R	18	4	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	.222	.222	.389
Norichika Aoki	L	14	7	3	0	0	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	.500	.563	.714
Carlos Beltran	S	15	2	2	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	.133	.133	.267
Alex Bregman	R	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.333	.333	.333
Carlos Correa	R	11	3	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	.273	.333	.364
Evan Gattis	R	11	3	0	0	2	3	0	1	0	0	0	2	.273	.273	.818	
Marwin Gonzalez	S	14	4	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.286	.333	.571
Jake Marisnick	R	8	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	.125	.111	.125
Brian McCann	L	7	3	0	0	1	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	.429	.556	.857
George Springer	R	14	2	1	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	.143	.250	.214

**SPRING TRAINING RECAP:** Went 2-1 with a 2.29 ERA in five starts this spring...held the opposition to a .188 (13-for-69) batting average and walked just three batters in 19.2 innings (1.37 walks per nine innings)...allowed one run or fewer in four of his five starts...also started the exhibition game against Italy's World Baseball Classic team on March 8 and picked up the win (3.0 ip, 1 h, 1 bb, 3 so)...pitched in a minor league game March 29.

## GRAVEMAN'S 2017 SPRING TRAINING STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	
Feb. 27	at San Francisco	5-4	-	0.00	1.0	1	0	0	1	1	0	
March 3	San Francisco	6-1	W	0.00	2.0	1	0	0	1	1	0	
*March 8	Italy (WBC)	7-0	W		3.0	1	0	0	1	3	0	
March 13	at Cincinnati	1-3	L	4.05	3.2	4	3	3	1	1	1	
March 18	San Diego	2-1	-	2.84	6.0	2	1	1	0	6	1	
March 24	Chicago (AL)	8-2	W	2.29	7.0	5	1	1	0	7	0	
<b>Totals (5 games, 5 starts)</b>				<b>2-1</b>	<b>2.29</b>	<b>19.2</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>2</b>

\*exhibition game (does not count in stats)

**2016 RECAP:** Compiled a 10-11 record and a 4.11 ERA in a team-leading 31 starts in his second season with the A's...went 1-6 with a 5.36 ERA over his first nine starts, 9-2 with a 3.33 ERA over his next 16 starts from May 30 to Aug. 24, and 0-3 with a 4.71 ERA over his final six starts...in addition to starts, he also led the A's in wins, losses (tied), innings pitched (186.0), hits (196), runs (87), earned runs (85), home runs (22) and walks (47)...all those marks are career highs as are his 108 strikeouts...the 47 walks were the fewest in Athletics history by an A's team-leader, besting the previous low of 59 by Sonny Gray in 2015.

**AMONG THE LEADERS:** Averaged 5.23 strikeouts per nine innings, which was the third lowest mark in the American League...tied for second in the AL in shutouts (1), tied for fifth in complete games (2), tied for sixth in opponents reaching on an error (8), ranked seventh in fewest pitches per game (91.4) and was ninth in hits (196).

**SUPPORT:** Averaged 4.16 runs of support per start, which was 10th lowest in the AL...received two runs of support or fewer in 12 of his 31 starts and was 0-8 in those games...went 10-3 in 19 starts with support of three or more...is now 1-17 in 25 career starts with two runs of support or fewer, 17-3 in 29 starts with three runs of support or more...left with a lead five times in 2016 only to have the bullpen blow the save.

**OPPONENTS BATTING:** Had a .271 opponents batting average, which broke down to .270 (90-for-333) against right-handed hitters compared to .272 (106-for-390) with 35 of his 47 walks against left-handers...his career splits are .268 (163-for-608) with a .736 OPS against right-handers, .270 (171-for-634) with 61 of his 88 walks and a .732 OPS against left-handers...yielded a .302 average with runners on base but 14 of the 22 home runs he allowed were solo shots...25 of his 39 career home runs have come with the bases empty.

**DEFENSIVE DOINGS:** Tied for third among AL pitchers in total chances (42), tied for seventh in assists (27) and ranked eighth in putouts (15)...did not commit an error and his 42 total chances were the most in the AL and tied for second most in the majors among pitchers with no errors.

**HOME AND AWAY:** Went 5-6 with a 3.39 ERA in 14 starts at home compared to 5-5 with a 4.80 ERA in 17 starts on the road...had the ninth lowest home ERA in the AL...surrendered seven home runs in 90.1 innings at home, 15 in 95.2 innings on the road.

**THE WEST AND THE REST:** Was 3-5 with a 4.82 ERA in 15 starts against AL West competition compared to 7-6 with a 3.46 ERA in 16 starts against everyone else.

**THIS AND THAT:** Compiled a 1.74 ERA in the first inning, which tied Arrieta (CHC) for second lowest in the majors (Tanaka, NYY 1.16) among pitchers with 30 or more innings...using the same minimum, it was 10th lowest in Oakland history...logged a 4.59 ERA from the second inning on...his ground ball to fly ball ratio of 2.40 was fourth highest in the AL...the A's were 14-17 (.452) in his starting assignments...walked one batter or fewer in 18 of his 31 starts.

**MORE 2016:** Allowed four hits or fewer in each of his first three starts to become the third pitcher in Oakland history on an Opening Day roster to allow four hits or fewer while tossing five innings or more in each of their first three starts...picked up his first win of the season and struck out a career-high eight April 20 at New York (AL)...had a career-high six-game winning streak from May 30 to July 23...compiled a 3.25 ERA and .264 opponents batting average during the streak, which spanned 10 starts...tossed 8.0 innings July 9 at Houston, snapping a streak of 28 consecutive starts of seven innings or fewer dating back to June 18, 2015...that was the fifth longest such streak in Oakland history...fired his second career complete game in the A's 4-3 win over Tampa Bay on July 23 in Oakland...finished July 4-1 with a 2.68 ERA and .219 opponents batting average in five starts...the wins tied for third in the AL and were his most ever in a month...authored his third career complete game and his first shutout, a two-hitter in the A's 9-0 win at Chicago (AL) Aug. 19...tossed just 98 pitches, which were the fewest by an Athletic in a nine-inning complete game since Dana Eveland on May 21, 2008 against Tampa Bay (95).

## GRAVEMAN BY THE NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2017	2	0	2.08	2	13.0	3
2016	10	11	4.11	31	186.0	85
<b>Career</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>4.00</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>319.1</b>	<b>142</b>
Home	1	0	3.00	1	6.0	2
Road	1	0	1.29	1	7.0	1
Day	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
Night	2	0	2.08	2	13.0	3
Pre-ASB	2	0	2.08	2	13.0	3
Post-ASB	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
	<b>AVG.</b>	<b>AB</b>	<b>H</b>			
vs. LHH	.143	14	2			
vs. RHH	.194	31	6			

## GRAVEMAN'S CAREER HIGHS

Low Hit CG:	2, 8/19/16 at CWS
IP:	9.0 (twice), last: 8/19/16 at CWS
Fewest IP, GS:	1.1, 7/26/15 at SF
H:	12, 9/10/16 vs. SEA
R:	8 (twice), last: 9/10/16 vs. SEA
ER:	8, 9/10/16 vs. SEA
BB:	4 (twice), last: 7/4/16 at MIN
SO:	8, 4/20/16 at NYY
HR:	4, 5/8/16 at BAL
Pitches:	112 (twice), last: 9/4/16 vs. BOS
Win Streak:	6, 5/30/16 to 7/23/16
Loss Streak:	6, 7/10/15 to 4/7/16
Scoreless Streak:	19.0, 6/24/15 to 7/10/15
Complete Games:	3, last: 8/19/16 at CWS
Shutouts:	1, 8/19/16 at CWS

## TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER

**LHP Sean Manaea (0-1, 7.15 ERA):** Is scheduled to make his third start of the season...was the losing pitcher in his last start, an 8-1 A's loss at Texas last Sunday (5.1 ip, 3 h, 6 r, 5 er, 2 bb, 10 so)...the strikeouts were a career high...is 0-1 despite a 1.69 ERA (21.1 ip, 13 h, 6 r, 4 er, 8 bb, 20 so, 1 hr) in four career starts against Houston, all last year...went 1-1 with a 3.91 ERA in seven games, including six starts, this spring...surrendered just one home run in 23.0 innings...made his Major League debut with the A's last year following an April 29 promotion and went 7-9 with a 3.86 ERA in 25 games, including 24 starts...ranked second among American League rookies in strikeouts (124), innings pitched (144.2) and games started and tied for fifth in wins...the strikeouts tied for sixth most in Oakland history by a rookie...was 2-4 with a 6.02 ERA in nine starts before going on the DL June 14, 5-5 with a 2.74 ERA in 16 games, 15 starts, following his return.

# ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

## TEAM

0-1, 2.84 ERA (10 er in 31.2 ip)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 2-for-3 (66.7%)

- The A's bullpen ranks fifth in the American League in ERA and fourth in innings pitched...has issued nine walks, which is third fewest in the AL... sixth in opponents on base percentage (.295).
- Earned its second save of the season Monday after going five straight games without a save opportunity...last April, converted 10-of-11 saves... last season, converted 42-of-65 (64.6%) save opportunities...had the third most blown saves in the AL (23) and the fourth lowest save percentage...tied for 10th in saves...19 of the blown saves came against AL West competition...were successful in 17-of-36 (47.2%) save opportunities against the AL West, 25-of-29 (86.2%) against everyone else.
- Had 561.1 innings pitched, which was second most in the AL (Minnesota, 567.2), second most in Oakland history (586.2 in 1997) and third most in Athletics history (588.1 in 1964)...struck out 530 batters, which was fifth most in the AL but set the Athletics record for strikeouts by the bullpen...also set a franchise record for most wild pitches (33).
- Surrendered just six first batter home runs, which tied Chicago (AL) for the fewest in the majors...had the second lowest first batter slugging percentage in the AL (.329)
- Allowed 27.6% of inherited runners to score, which was the fourth lowest percentage in the AL and seventh lowest by an A's team since 1974... ranked third in the AL in inherited runners (243).

## 50 RHP RAUL ALCANTARA

**Last Outing:** 4/7 at Texas (GS, L, 2.0 ip, 4 h, 8 r, 8 er, 2 bb, 1 so, 2 hr)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 0/0  
**First Hitters:** 0-0

- Began the year as the A's fifth starter but was moved to the bullpen after his first start on April 7 at Texas.
- Is on his first Opening Day roster...made his Major League debut Sept. 5, 2016, a start vs. Los Angeles-AL...his first appearance out of the bullpen will be his first career Major League relief appearance.
- Has never faced the Astros.
- Went 1-1 with a 4.76 ERA in seven games (three starts) this spring (22.2 ip, 22 h, 12 r, 12 er, 8 bb, 11 so, 4.76 ERA)...his 22.2 innings pitched were the third most on the team (Triggs, Manaea).

**Last Year:** *Began the season in Double-A Midland, where he went 5-6 with a 4.80 ERA in 17 starts before being promoted to Nashville...went 4-0 with a 1.18 ERA in eight starts in Triple-A...went 1-3 with a 7.25 ERA in five major league starts.*

## 46 RHP SANTIAGO CASILLA

**Last Outing:** 4/10 at Kansas City (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 3 so)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 1-1  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 0/0  
**First Hitters:** 0-4

- Begins his 14th Major League season and is in his second stint with the A's...pitched in 152 games for Oakland from 2004-09 and 414 for San Francisco from 2010-16.
- Is on his ninth Opening Day roster (2008-09 with Oakland and 2011-16 with San Francisco).
- Earned a save in his first appearance this season on Opening Night but does not have a save opportunity since then.
- Has not allowed a hit in four games and 4.0 innings this season...the only baserunner he has allowed came on Opening Night (walk to Simmons).
- Had no decisions and a 13.50 ERA in seven games, including one start, this spring...allowed a .346 (9-for-26) opponents batting average and issued five walks in 6.0 innings.
- Has a win and is 5-for-6 in save chances in 13 career games against Houston (12.1 ip, 7 h, 2 r, 1 er, 4 bb, 11 so, 0.73 ERA)...is his best ERA against any AL team.
- Has a 1.52 ERA (14 er in 82.2 ip) in 83 career appearances in April, which is his lowest ERA for any month of the season.
- Signed as a free agent to a two-year contract on Jan. 20, 2017.

**Last Year:** *Went 2-5 with 31 saves and a 3.57 ERA in 62 relief appearances with San Francisco...ranked sixth in the NL in saves but had a career-high nine blown saves, which tied for the most in the majors...struck out a career-high 65 batters.*

## 35 LHP DANIEL COULOMBE

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

- Begins his fourth season in the majors but is on his first Opening Day roster.
- Went 0-3 with a 5.79 ERA in nine spring training appearances...allowed nine runs over his first five games (12.71 ERA) but just one over his final four (1.08 ERA).
- Has no decisions and one blown save in seven career games against the Astros (6.1 ip, 3 h, 2 r, 2 er, 3 bb, 6 so, 1 hr, 2.84 ERA).

**Last Year:** *Was 3-1 with a 4.53 ERA and .216 opponents batting average in 35 games over five stints with the A's...had no decisions, a 1.08 ERA and .200 opponents batting average in 20 relief appearances for Triple-A Nashville.*

## 62 LHP SEAN DOOLITTLE

**Last Outing:** 4/10 at Kansas City (SV, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 3 so)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 1-1  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 0/0  
**First Hitters:** 0-3

- Begins his sixth season in the majors and is on his fourth Opening Day roster (2013-14, 16), all with the A's.
- Monday was his first save since June 23, 2016 at Los Angeles-AL.
- Had a loss and a 7.11 ERA in seven spring training appearances.
- Is 1-3 with four saves in 20 career games against Houston (19.0 ip, 14 h, 7 r, 7 er, 5 bb, 22 so, 1 hr, 3.32).
- Has a 196-game errorless streak dating back to Sept. 25, 2012...that is tied for the seventh longest in Oakland history by a pitcher (Cook).

**Last Year:** *Was 2-3 with four saves and a 3.23 ERA in 44 games in a season shortened by a two-month stint on the disabled list with a strained left shoulder...had a strikeout-to-walk ratio of 5.63, which tied for ninth among AL relievers.*

## 66 RHP RYAN DULL

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

- Is on his second consecutive Opening Day roster and is beginning his third season in the majors.
- Blew a save in his first save opportunity of the season April 4...gave up three or more runs in an outing for just the second time in his career...is now 4-for-9 in save chances in his career.
- Went 2-1 with a 3.68 ERA and .185 opponents batting average in eight games this spring...allowed two runs over his last two appearances (9.00 ERA) after surrendering just one over his first six (1.69 ERA).
- Has a loss and two of his four career saves in nine games against the Astros (11.1, 4 h, 2 r, 1 er, 2 bb, 12 so, 0.79 ERA).
- Logged a 1.93 ERA (3 er in 14.0 ip) in 12 games in April last year.

**Last Year:** *Compiled a 2.42 ERA and .186 opponents batting average in 70 relief appearances...led AL rookies and tied for ninth among all AL pitchers in games pitched...fell one short of the Oakland rookie record for games pitched.*

## 31 RHP LIAM HENDRIKS

**Last Outing:** 4/12 vs. at Kansas City (ND, 1.0 ip, 3 h, 2 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 0 so)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 2/0  
**First Hitters:** 0-2, bb

- Begins his seventh season in the majors and is on his fifth Opening Day roster (2012-13 with Minnesota, 2015 with Toronto, 2016 with Oakland).
- Had no decisions, an 8.22 ERA and .385 opponents batting average in eight appearances during the spring...did not allow an earned run over his first six outings (6.1 ip) but surrendered seven runs in his final two appearances (1.1 ip, 47.25 ERA).
- Is 1-2 in nine career games (one start) against Houston (16.0 ip, 18 h, 11 r, 8 er, 6 bb, 13 so, 2 hr, 4.50 ERA).

**Last Year:** *Compiled a 3.76 ERA and .270 opponents batting average in 53 relief appearances in his first season with the A's...had an 8.27 ERA in 11 games before going on the disabled list in early May, a 2.23 ERA in 42 games following his return.*

## 44 RHP RYAN MADSON

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

- Begins his 12th season in the majors and is on his 11th Opening Day roster (2004-11 with Philadelphia, 2015 with Kansas City, 2016 with Oakland).
- Posted a 6.00 ERA and .391 opponents batting average in nine spring training appearances...yielded four runs over his first two games (18.00 ERA) but just two over his final seven (2.57 ERA).
- Went 1-3 and 3-for-5 in save chances in eight games last year against Houston (7.0 ip, 12 h, 7 r, 7 er, 3 bb, 4 so, 1 hr).

**Last Year:** *Saved a team-leading 30 games in his first season with Oakland to become just the second A's pitcher over the last 10 years to save 30 or more games...ranked ninth in the AL in saves but tied for second with seven blown saves.*

## 47 RHP FRANKIE MONTAS

**Last Outing:** 4/12 at Kansas City (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 1 so, 1 hr)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 5/3  
**First Hitters:** 0-2, bb

- Is on his first career Opening Day roster...is in just his second season in the majors...pitched in seven games for Chicago (AL) in 2015.
- Went 1-0 with two saves and a 0.77 ERA in six appearances this spring...had a .214 opponents batting average, walked two and struck out 13 in 11.2 innings...tossed 2.0 innings in each of his first five appearances and 1.2 innings in his final outing.
- April 5 was his first appearance with the A's and his first Major League appearance since Oct. 4, 2015, a start and loss for Chicago (AL) against Detroit (4.0 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 3 bb, 7 so).
- Has never faced the Astros.

**Last Year:** *Missed nearly the entire season due to rib cage injuries...combined for a 0-0 record and a 2.25 ERA in seven games, four starts, with Tulsa (AA) and Oklahoma City (AAA)...started the year on the Dodgers DL, ended it on the Triple-A DL.*

# ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

## 17 YONDER ALONSO

**Current Streak:** 1 game (1 for 5)  
**Kansas City Series:** 1-8, rbi, bb, 3 so, gidp  
**Last Road Trip:** 5-15, 3 r, 2b, hr, 4 rbi, 2 bb, 4 so, gidp

- Has reached base safely in each of his eight games.
- Is 6-for-11 (.545) with runners in scoring position...the rest of the A's are a combined 8-for-62 (.129).
- Batted .311 against Houston last year and is a .297 (30-for-101) career hitter against the Astros.
- Clubbed his first career homer on his birthday last Saturday night at Texas...has hit safely in all five games he has played on his birthday, batting .421 (8-for-19) with two doubles, a homer and three RBI
- Hit .389 with four home runs and 12 RBI in 24 games this spring...tied for second in the Cactus League in on-base percentage (.500), ranked third in batting, tied for fourth in walks (12) and sixth in slugging (.648)...led the A's in batting, on-base percentage, runs (13) and hits (21)...is batting .365 (38-for-104) over the last two springs.
- Is in his eighth Major League season and is on his sixth career Opening Day roster (2012-15 with San Diego, 2016 with Oakland).

**Last Year:** Batted .253 with 34 doubles, seven home runs and 56 RBI in 156 games in his first season with Oakland...had career highs in games and runs scored (52)...ranked second among AL first baseman with a .997 fielding percentage.

## 20 MARK CANHA

**Current Streak:** 0 for 3  
**Kansas City Series:** 0-3, so  
**Last Road Trip:** 1-10, 2b, 4 so, hbp

- Doubled in the sixth inning last Sunday at Texas for his first hit since April 25, 2016 at Detroit...it snapped a career-high 0-for-25 streak (previous: 20, May 9-21, 2015).
- Four of his six hits over the last two seasons are for extra bases (one double, three home runs).
- Has a seven-game hitting streak against Houston and is 9-for-27 (.333) with two home runs and six RBI during the streak.
- Has never played center field in the majors or minors.
- Batted .186 with no home runs and three RBI in 22 games during the spring...went 0-for-17 over his final seven games...appeared in eight games in center field, seven in right field, four in left field and three at designated hitter...now has a .183 (19-for-104) average over the last two springs.
- Begins his third season in the majors and is on his third consecutive Opening Day roster.

**Last Year:** Missed nearly the entire season after undergoing surgery on his left hip on May 24...appeared in just 16 games and batted .122 with six RBI...collected five hits but three of those were home runs.

## 2 KHRIS DAVIS

**Current Streak:** 0 for 6  
**Kansas City Series:** 3-13, 2 r, hr, 2 rbi, 3 so, gidp  
**Last Road Trip:** 7-26, 5 r, 2b, 2 hr, 3 rbi, 8 so, gidp

- Went 0-for-4 last night at Kansas City, the first time this year he has not reached base...it snapped a career-high 18-game reaching base streak dating back to Sept. 23, 2016 (previous: 15, Sept. 1-16, 2015)...it also snapped a seven-game hitting streak and a six-game run scored streak.
- Hit .269 (7-for-26) on the road trip after batting .417 (5-for-12) on the first homestand.
- Hit his fourth home run of the season Monday, which is tied for second in the American League...last year, he did not hit his fourth home run until his 25th game on May 2 (team game 27)...also hit home run number five in that game.
- Hit 25 home runs against AL West competition last year, but just one of those came against Houston...batted .129 against the Astros last year.
- Is tied for third in the AL in total bases (26), ranks fourth in slugging (.684) and tied for fourth in hits (12).
- Batted .244 with no home runs and five RBI in 15 games this spring.
- Begins his fifth Major League season and is on his fifth consecutive Opening Day roster (2013-15 with Milwaukee, 2016 with Oakland).

**Last Year:** Batted .247 with 42 HR and 102 RBI in 150 games in his first season with the A's...became the fifth player in Oakland history and seventh in Athletics history to hit 40 home runs...tied for third in the American League in home runs.

## 11 RAJAI DAVIS

**Current Streak:** 3 games (4 for 10)  
**Kansas City Series:** 4-10, 2 r, 2b, hr, 3 rbi, bb, so, sb  
**Last Road Trip:** 6-20, 3 r, 3 2b, hr, 4 rbi, 3 bb, 3 so, sb, sf

- Went 6-for-20 (.300) in six games on the road trip after going 2-for-17 (.118) in four games on the first homestand.
- Had the go-ahead RBI double in the third inning Wednesday night and three of his six RBI have either tied the game or put the A's ahead.
- Is a .136 (12-for-88) career hitter against Houston, which is his worst mark against any team.
- Amassed his 200th career double in the top of the fifth inning last Saturday night at Texas.
- Stole a team-leading six bases during the spring, which tied for second in the Cactus League.
- Begins his 12th season in the majors and is in his second stint with the A's (2008-10)...was signed by the A's as a free agent Jan. 3, 2017...has also played for Pittsburgh (2006-07), San Francisco (2007-08), Toronto (2011-13), Detroit (2014-15) and Cleveland (2016)...is on his 10th consecutive Opening Day roster.

**Last Year:** Played for the American League Champion Cleveland Indians and hit .249 with 12 HR and 48 RBI in 134 games...had career highs in runs (74), home runs and walks (33)...led the AL and ranked fourth in the majors with 43 steals.

## 25 RYON HEALY

**Current Streak:** 3 games (4 for 12)  
**Kansas City Series:** 4-12, 2 r, 2b, bb, 3 so  
**Last Road Trip:** 5-26, 2 r, 2 2b, bb, 5 so, gidp

- Hit safely in all three games at Kansas City (4-for-12, .333) after going 4-for-28 (.143) over his first seven contests.
- Has started each of the A's first 10 games at three different positions (five at designated hitter, three at first base, two at third base).
- Batted .246 with five home runs and 16 RBI in 23 games this spring...tied for fifth in the Cactus League in RBI and tied for ninth in home runs...led the A's in home runs, RBI and total bases (36)...appeared in nine games at first base, eight at third base and six at designated hitter.
- Is in his second Major League season but is on his first Opening Day roster.

**Last Year:** Was called up by Oakland July 15 and started 72 of the A's 73 games after the All-Star Break at third base in his ML debut...led ML rookies in doubles after the break (20) and topped AL rookies in hits (82) and extra base hits (33).

## 23 MATT JOYCE

**Current Streak:** 2 games (2 for 8)  
**Kansas City Series:** 2-8, rbi, bb  
**Last Road Trip:** 4-18, 2 r, hr, 4 rbi, 2 bb, 3 so

- Is 5-for-27 (.185) to start the season after batting .379 in April last year.
- The Astros are one of two American League teams he has never homered against (Tampa Bay).
- Flew out in his first pinch hitting appearance last Sunday at Texas...last season, he set a Major League record with 21 pinch-hit walks.
- Batted .196 with two home runs and eight RBI in 20 games this spring...however, had a .377 on-base percentage as he walked 14 times...the walks tied for the Cactus League lead (DeShields, TEX) and were the most by an Athletic during the spring since Daric Barton had 22 in 2010.
- Begins his 10th season in the majors with his fifth team (Detroit, 2008; Tampa Bay, 2009-14; Los Angeles-AL, 2015; Pittsburgh, 2016)...is on his eighth Opening Day roster (2009, 2011-present).
- Was signed by the A's to a two-year contract, Nov. 30, 2016.

**Last Year:** Spent the entire season with Pittsburgh and batted .242 with 13 home runs and 42 RBI in 140 games...added 59 walks for a career-high .403 on-base percentage...set a Major League record with 21 pinch-walks.

## 8 JED LOWRIE

**Current Streak:** 2 games (3 for 7)  
**Kansas City Series:** 3-11, 2 2b, 3 rbi, bb, so, sf, gidp  
**Last Road Trip:** 5-20, r, 2 2b, 3 rbi, 4 bb, 2 so, sf, gidp

- Went 5-for-20 (.250) in six games on the road trip after going 5-for-15 (.333) in four games on the last homestand.
- Is batting .286 after hitting .314 in April last year...is a .309 (172-for-556) career hitter in April, which is his best mark for any month...has a .245 average from May 1 through the end of the season.
- Has a 65-game errorless streak as a second baseman dating back to his last error on May 4, 2016...that is the fourth longest errorless streak by a second baseman in Oakland history.
- Is a .306 (56-for-183) career hitter against Houston.
- Had his first three RBI game Wednesday night since Sept. 14, 2015 at Los Angeles (AL).
- Begins his 10th Major League season and is on his seventh Opening Day roster (2009, 2011, 2013-16).

**Last Year:** Returned to the A's and batted .263 with two home runs and 27 RBI in 87 games in a season shortened due to two stints on the disabled list...has missed 152 games during three stints on the DL over the previous two seasons.

### OAKLAND A'S LONGEST ERRORLESS STREAKS, SECOND BASEMAN

104	Mark Ellis, May 14-Sept. 10, 2007
84	Adam Rosales, April 9, 2010-June 23, 2013
70	Rafael Bournigal, Aug. 6, 1996-Sept. 25, 1998
65	Jed Lowrie, May 7, 2016-present
62	Eric Sogard, Sept. 28, 2013-July 12, 2014

**19 JOSH PHEGLEY**

**Current Streak:** 1 game (2 for 4)  
**Kansas City Series:** DNP  
**Last Road Trip:** 2-4, so

- Has appeared in two games this year, both starts at catcher (April 6 vs. Los Angeles-AL and Sunday at Texas).
- Is 2-for-7 (.286) after batting .360 in April last year...is a .309 (17-for-55) career hitter in the month, which is his best mark for any month of the season...has a .224 average from May 1 through the end of the season.
- Opponents have been successful in their only stolen base attempt off him.
- Hit .256 with two doubles and four RBI in 17 games this spring...did not draw a walk and struck out 17 times...went 8-for-24 (.333) over his final eight games after going 3-for-19 (.158) over his first nine contests.
- Begin his fifth season in the majors and is on his third consecutive Opening Day roster.

**Last Year:** Hit .256 with a home run and 10 RBI in 26 games in a season shortened due to two stints on the disabled list with a strained right knee (May 10-26 and July 2-end of season)...his batting average was the best of his four ML seasons.

**3 TREVOR PLOUFFE**

**Current Streak:** 2 games (2 for 6)  
**Kansas City Series:** 2-9, 2 r, rbi, bb, 2 so, sf, 2 gidp  
**Last Road Trip:** 3-17, 2 r, rbi, bb, 6 so, sf, 3 gidp

- Grounded into his fourth double play of the season last night, which is tied for the American League lead.
- Is 3-for-11 (.273) against left-handed pitching, 3-for-21 (.143) against right-handers.
- Batted .380 with three doubles, two triples, two home runs and 11 RBI in 17 games this spring and slugged .652...tied for the team-lead and tied for fourth in the Cactus League in triples...is batting .378 (37-for-98) with six home runs and 25 RBI in 35 games over the last two springs.
- Was signed by the A's as a free agent Jan. 18, 2017 and is starting his eighth season in the majors...the first seven were with Minnesota...is on his sixth consecutive Opening Day roster

**Last Year:** Batted a career-high .260 with 12 home runs and 47 RBI in 84 games with Minnesota in a season interrupted by three stints on the DL...missed a total of 65 games while on the DL and his 84 games played were his fewest since 2011.

**16 ADAM ROSALES**

**Current Streak:** 3 games (3 for 7)  
**Kansas City Series:** 1-3, 2b  
**Last Road Trip:** 2-4, 2b, bb

- Has hit safely in each of his three games, all starts against left-handed pitchers...is 3-for-6 (.500) against lefties, 0-for-1 against righties.
- Hit .191 with a home run and five RBI in 20 games during the spring...struck out a team-leading 21 times...appeared in 13 games at shortstop and seven at second base.
- Begins his 10th season in the majors and returns for his second stint with the A's (2010-13) after signing as a free agent Jan. 25, 2017...is on his fifth Opening Day roster (2010, 2012, 2015-16).

**Last Year:** Batted .229 with 13 home runs and 35 RBI in 105 games with San Diego...posted career highs in games, runs (37), doubles (12), triples (3), home runs, RBI, walks (29), slugging percentage, OPS (.814) and extra base hits (28).

**10 MARCUS SEMIEN**

**Current Streak:** 0 for 14  
**Kansas City Series:** 0-11, 2 r, 2 bb, 4 so, sb  
**Last Road Trip:** 2-22, 3 r, rbi, 4 bb, 7 so, hbp, 3 sb, gidp

- Is 0 for his last 14, which is three short of the longest hitless streak of his career (17, Sept. 29, 2013 to April 3, 2014).
- Went 2-for-22 (.091) in six games on the road trip after going 3-for-11 (.273) in four games on the first homestand.
- Stole his fourth base of the season Wednesday night, which is tied for second in the American League...matched his career high with two stolen bases last Saturday at Texas (third time, last: July 19, 2016 vs. Houston).
- Is tied for fourth in the AL in walks (8).
- Tied for ninth in the Cactus League with 15 RBI this spring.
- Begins his fifth Major League season and is on his fourth Opening Day roster, including each of the last three with the A's.

**Last Year:** Played in all but three games and batted .238 with 27 HR and 75 RBI in 159 games...is the fifth shortstop in Athletics history to hit 20 home runs...the home runs tied for first in the majors and tied for fourth in Athletics history by a shortstop.

**21 STEPHEN VOGT**

**Current Streak:** 0 for 3  
**Kansas City Series:** 4-11, r, 2 2b, bb, so  
**Last Road Trip:** 5-19, 2 r, 2 2b, rbi, bb, 2 so

- Went 4-for-11 (.364) in the Kansas City series after going 4-for-20 (.200) over his first five games.
- Has made seven of his eight starts (all at catcher) in games started by a right-handed pitcher...is 8-for-23 (.348) against right-handers, 0-for-8 against lefties.
- Opponents have been successful in each of their three stolen base attempts off him.
- Hit .265 with six doubles, no home runs and eight RBI in 19 games this spring...tied for the A's team-lead in doubles
- Is in his sixth season in the majors and is on his fourth Opening Day roster...it is his third straight with the A's.

**Last Year:** Played in a career-high 137 games and hit .251 with 14 home runs and 56 RBI...also had career bests in hits (123), doubles (30) and extra base hits (46)...was named to his second consecutive American League All-Star team.

**A'S HITTING VS. HOUSTON**

2017	CAREER					2017				
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	PLAYER	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	Alonso	.297	101	30	3	21
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	Canha	.240	50	12	2	7
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	Davis, K	.129	70	9	1	3
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	Davis, R	.136	88	12	0	4
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	Healy	.182	33	6	1	5
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	Joyce	.205	73	15	0	7
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	Lowrie	.306	183	56	6	23
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	Phegley	.243	37	9	1	5
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	Plouffe	.215	79	17	2	5
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	Rosales	.216	74	16	0	7
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	Semien	.281	135	38	6	14
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	Vogt	.252	151	38	3	12
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	<b>TOTALS</b>					

**A'S CAREER HITTING VS. KEUCHEL**

PLAYER	BAT	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SH	SF	HBP	GDP	AVG	OBP	SLG
Yonder Alonso	L	5	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	.200	.333	.200
Mark Canha	R	9	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	.111	.200	.111
Khris Davis	R	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Rajai Davis	R	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Ryon Healy	R	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.500	.500	.500
Jed Lowrie	S	29	10	3	0	0	3	0	5	0	0	0	2	.345	.345	.448
Josh Phegley	R	10	3	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.300	.300	.400
Trevor Plouffe	R	6	1	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	.167	.286	.333
Adam Rosales	R	13	2	0	0	0	1	3	2	0	0	0	1	.154	.313	.154
Marcus Semien	R	18	6	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	.333	.333	.333
Jake Smolinski	R	13	5	1	0	0	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	.385	.467	.462



## HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

Player	2016 HOME RUNS				Tot.	LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN			GP Since
	Solo	2R	3R	GS		Date	Opponent	Pitcher	
Alonso	0	1	0	0	1	April 8, 2017	at Texas	Alvarez	2
Canha	0	0	0	0	0	April 23, 2016	at Toronto	Happ	13
Davis, K	3	1	0	0	4	April 10, 2017	at Kansas City	Kennedy	2
Davis, R	1	0	0	0	1	April 13, 2017	at Kansas City	Herrera	-
Healy	1	1	0	0	2	April 6, 2017	Los Angeles (AL)	Skaggs	6
Joyce	0	0	1	0	1	April 7, 2017	at Texas	Griffin	4
Lowrie	1	0	0	0	1	April 4, 2017	Los Angeles (AL)	Shoemaker	8
Phegley	0	0	0	0	0	June 13, 2016	Texas	Wilhelmsen	10
Plouffe	0	0	0	0	0	September 6, 2016	Kansas City	Gee	9
Rosales	0	0	0	0	0	September 25, 2016	San Francisco	Blach	6
Semien	0	0	0	0	0	September 28, 2016	at Los Angeles (AL)	Oberholtzer	14
Vogt	1	0	0	0	1	April 3, 2017	Los Angeles (AL)	Nolasco	7
<b>Team</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11</b>				

## A'S AT A GLANCE

Season High	1-0/5-4 (April 3/12)
Season Low	1-2/2-3/3-4 (April 5/7/9)
April	5-5
May	0-0
June	0-0
July	0-0
August	0-0
September	0-0
Home Series	0-0-1
Road Series	1-1-0
Series Sweeps	0-0
First Game of Series	2-1
Last Game of Series	1-2
A's Score First	4-1
Opponent Scores First	1-4
Leading After 7th	5-1
Leading After 8th	5-1
Tied After 7th	0-0
Tied After 8th	0-0
Trailing After 7th	0-4
Trailing After 8th	0-4
Commit No Errors	1-2
Commit 1 or More Errors	4-3
More HR Than Opp	3-2
Fewer HR Than Opp	1-1
Same Total HR of Opp	1-2
Starter Pitches 7 or More	2-0
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	3-5
When Scoring 4 or More	4-2
When Scoring Less Than 4	1-3
Last At Bat	0-1
Replay Challenges	0-1
Different Lineups	8

## MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs
Axford	Games	471	29 for 500
	Innings Pitched	449.2	50.1 for 500
Casilla	Games	570	30 for 600
Coulombe	Games	57	43 for 100
	Games	481	19 for 500
Davis, K	Hits	406	94 for 500
	Doubles	89	11 for 100
Davis, R	Hits	991	9 for 1000
	Stolen Bases	366	34 for 400
Doolittle	Stolen Bases with Oak	117	4 for 121 (ties M.Davis for 8th in Oakland history)
	Games	234	32 for 266 (ties Hunter for 10th in Oakland history)
Dull	Saves	34	10 for 44 (ties Koch and Foulke for 9th in Athletics history)
	Games	86	14 for 100
Graveman	Innings Pitched	319.1	180.2 for 500
	Wins	38	12 for 50
Gray	Games	98	2 for 100
	Games Started	96	4 for 100
Hendriks	Strikeouts	513	145 for 658 (ties Eckersley for 10th in Oakland history)
	Games	153	47 for 200
Joyce	Games	965	34 for 1000
Lowrie	Doubles	176	24 for 200
Madson	Saves	85	15 for 100
	Saves with Oakland	30	14 for 44 (ties Koch and Foulke for 9th in Athletics history)
Melvin	Wins	960	40 for 1000
	Wins with Oakland	467	33 for 500
Plouffe	Home Runs	96	4 for 100
	Games	409	91 for 500
Semien	Hits	355	145 for 500
	Doubles	65	35 for 100
Vogt	Games	430	70 for 500
	Hits	356	144 for 500
	Doubles	70	30 for 100

## WALK-OFF WINS (0)

None

## DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Axford	Strained right shoulder	April 2-present (eligible April 12)	10	Mengden	Right foot surgery	March 30-present	10
Bassitt	Right UCL surgery	March 30-present	10	Smolinski	Right shoulder surgery	March 30-present	10
Gray	Strained right shoulder	March 30-present	10	Wendle	Strained right shoulder	March 30-present	10

The A's have used the disabled list six times this season...used the DL an Oakland record 27 times last year

## TRANSACTIONS

Mar. 12	Renato Nuñez optioned to Nashville	Mar. 26	Jesse Hahn and Bruce Maxwell optioned to Nashville		(strained right shoulder) placed on the 10-day disabled list retroactive to March 30
Mar. 13	Paul Blackburn, Jaycob Brugman, Yairo Muñoz and Bobby Wahl optioned to Nashville	April 1	Chris Bassitt (right UCL reconstruction surgery), Sonny Gray (strained right shoulder), Daniel Mengden (right foot surgery), Jake Smolinski (right shoulder surgery) and Joey Wendle	April 5	John Axford placed on the 10-day disabled list retroactive to April 2 (strained right shoulder); Jesse Hahn recalled from Nashville
Mar. 17	Franklin Barreto, Matt Olson and Chad Pinder optioned to Nashville				

# 2017 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

DATE	G	OPP	W-L	SCORE	REC	POS	GA/ LEADER				SAVE	ATT.	CUM. ATT.	
							GB	AND LEAD	WINNER	LOSER				
4/3	1	LAA	W	4-2	1-0	t1	-	OAK/HOU	-	Graveman	Nolasco	Casilla	36,067*	36,067
4/4	2	LAA	L	6-7	1-1	t2	-1	HOU	1	Bailey	Dull	Bedrosian	11,225	47,292
4/5	3	LAA	L	0-5	1-2	3	-2	HOU	1	Ramirez	Cotton		13,405	60,697
4/6	4	LAA	W	5-1	2-2	t2	-1	HOU	1	Triggs	Skaggs		13,292	73,989
<b>(4 dates)</b>														
4/7	5	at TEX	L	5-10	2-3	3	-1	HOU/LAA	1	Claudio	Alcantara		34,235	34,235
4/8	6	at TEX	W	6-1	3-3	t2	-1	LAA	1	Graveman	Darvish		44,410	78,645
4/9	7	at TEX	L	1-8	3-4	3	-2	LAA	1	Perez	Manaea		36,905	115,550
4/10	8	at KC	W	2-0	4-4	t2	-1½	LAA	1½	Cotton	Kennedy	Doolittle	40,019	155,569
4/11		OFF DAY				3	-2	LAA	1½					
4/12	9	at KC	W	8-3	5-4	3	-1	LAA	½	Triggs	Hammel		24,380	179,949
4/13	10	at KC	L	1-3	5-5	3	-1	HOU/LAA	-	Vargas	Hahn	Herrera	22,160	202,109
<b>(6 dates)</b>														

\* indicates sellout. CAPS indicates complete game.

DATE	G	OPP	TIME	TV	PROMOTION
4/14	11	HOU	7:05	NBCSCA+	
4/15	12	HOU	1:05	NBCSCA	
4/16	13	HOU	1:05	NBCSCA	
4/17	14	TEX	7:05	NBCSCA	
4/18	15	TEX	7:05	NBCSCA+	Korean Heritage Night sponsored by Cache Creek Casino Resorts
4/19	16	TEX	12:35	MLBN	
4/20	17	SEA	7:05	NBCSCA	
4/21	18	SEA	7:05	NBCSCA	Pet Calendar sponsored by Central Garden & Pet (10,000 fans)
4/22	19	SEA	1:05	NBCSCA	Warriors/As T-Shirt sponsored by Cache Creek Casino Resort (10,000 fans)
4/23	20	SEA	1:05	NBCSCA	Khri Davis Striped Socks sponsored by Black Bear Diner (15,000 fans)
Little League Day #1 sponsored by Black Bear Diner					
4/24		OFF DAY			
4/25	21	at LAA	7:05	NBCSCA	
4/26	22	at LAA	7:05	NBCSCA	
4/27	23	at LAA	7:05	NBCSCA	
4/28	24	at HOU	5:10	NBCSCA	
4/29	25	at HOU	4:10	NBCSCA	
4/30	26	at HOU	11:10	NBCSCA	
5/1		OFF DAY			
5/2	27	at MIN	5:10	NBCSCA	
5/3	28	at MIN	5:10	NBCSCA	
5/4	29	at MIN	10:10	MLBN	
5/5	30	DET	7:05	NBCSCA	
5/6	31	DET	6:05	NBCSCA	Bob Melvin Bobblehead Day sponsored by Comerica Bank (15,000 fans)
5/7	32	DET	1:05	NBCSCA	Sean Manaea LED Watch sponsored by Black Bear Diner (15,000 fans)
Little League Day #2 sponsored by Black Bear Diner					
5/8	33	LAA	7:05	NBCSCA	
5/9	34	LAA	7:05	NBCSCA	
5/10	35	LAA	12:35	NBCSCA	
5/11		OFF DAY			
5/12	36	at TEX	5:05	NBCSCA	
5/13	37	at TEX	5:05	NBCSCA	
5/14	38	at TEX	12:05	NBCSCA	
5/15	39	at SEA	7:10	NBCSCA	
5/16	40	at SEA	7:10	NBCSCA	
5/17	41	at SEA	7:10	NBCSCA	
5/18	42	BOS	7:05	NBCSCA	
5/19	43	BOS	3:35	NBCSCA	Bay Area Hip Hop Fireworks sponsored by Lagunitas
5/20	44	BOS	1:05	NBCSCA	
5/21	45	BOS	1:05	NBCSCA	Scout Day
5/22		OFF DAY			
5/23	46	MIA	7:05	NBCSCA	
5/24	47	MIA	12:35	MLBN	
5/25		OFF DAY			
5/26	48	at NYY	4:05	NBCSCA	
5/27	49	at NYY	10:05	NBCSCA	
5/28	50	at NYY	10:05	NBCSCA	
5/29	51	at CLE	1:10	NBCSCA	
5/30	52	at CLE	3:10	NBCSCA	
5/31	53	at CLE	3:10	NBCSCA	
6/1	54	at CLE	9:10	MLBN	
6/2	55	WSH	7:05	NBCSCA	
6/3	56	WSH	1:05	NBCSCA	Khri Davis Bobblehead sponsored by Xfinity (15,000 fans)
Autism Awareness Day					
6/4	57	WSH	1:05	NBCSCA	Play Ball Weekend Bat and Ball Set sponsored by MLB/Chevrolet (15,000 fans)
6/5	58	TOR	7:05	NBCSCA	
6/6	59	TOR	7:05	NBCSCA	Pride Night
6/7	60	TOR	12:35	MLBN	
6/8		OFF DAY			
6/9	61	at TB	4:10	NBCSCA	
6/10	62	at TB (1)	11:10	NBCSCA	
	63	at TB (2)			
6/11	64	at TB	10:10	NBCSCA	
6/12		OFF DAY			
6/13	65	at MIA	4:10	NBCSCA	
6/14	66	at MIA	9:10	MLBN	
6/15	67	NYN	7:05	NBCSCA	
6/16	68	NYN	6:35	NBCSCA	Fireworks sponsored by Ray Morgan Company
6/17	69	NYN	1:05	NBCSCA	
6/18	70	NYN	1:05	NBCSCA	Marcus Semien Starting Lineup Action Figurine sponsored by Ashby Lumber/Humboldt Redwood Company (15,000 fans)
6/19	71	HOU	7:05	NBCSCA	
6/20	72	HOU	7:05	NBCSCA	Swim Team Night
6/21	73	HOU	7:05	NBCSCA	
6/22	74	HOU	12:35	NBCSCA	
6/23	75	at CWS	5:10	NBCSCA	
6/24	76	at CWS	11:10	NBCSCA	
6/25	77	at CWS	11:10	NBCSCA	
6/26		OFF DAY			
6/27	78	at HOU	5:10	NBCSCA	
6/28	79	at HOU	5:10	NBCSCA	
6/29	80	at HOU	11:10	MLBN	

DATE	G	OPP	TIME	TV	PROMOTION
6/30	81	ATL	7:05	NBCSCA	
7/1	82	ATL	1:05	NBCSCA	Miguel Tejada and Barry Zito Bobblehead/Early 2000s Turn Back the Clock Day (15,000 fans)
7/2	83	ATL	1:05	NBCSCA	Patriotic Tote Bag sponsored by MLB Network (20,000 fans)
5K Run					
7/3	84	CWS	6:05	NBCSCA	Independence Day Fireworks sponsored by PlayStation
7/4	85	CWS	1:05	NBCSCA	
7/5	86	CWS	12:35	NBCSCA	
7/6	87	at SEA	7:10	NBCSCA	
7/7	88	at SEA	7:10	NBCSCA	
7/8	89	at SEA	7:10	NBCSCA	
7/9	90	at SEA	1:10	NBCSCA	
7/10		ALL-			
7/11		STAR			
7/12		BREAK			
7/13		(Miami)			
7/14	91	CLE	7:05	NBCSCA	
7/15	92	CLE	6:05	NBCSCA	
7/16	93	CLE	1:05	NBCSCA	Backpack sponsored by Ross (10,000 fans)
Brunch at the Ballpark					
7/17	94	TB	7:05	NBCSCA	
7/18	95	TB	7:05	NBCSCA	Root Beer Float Day
7/19	96	TB	12:35	MLBN	
7/20		OFF DAY			
7/21	97	at NYM	4:10	NBCSCA	
7/22	98	at NYM	4:10	NBCSCA	
7/23	99	at NYM	10:10	NBCSCA	
7/24	100	at TOR	4:07	NBCSCA	
7/25	101	at TOR	4:07	NBCSCA	
7/26	102	at TOR	4:07	NBCSCA	
7/27	103	at TOR	9:37	MLBN	
7/28	104	MIN	7:05	NBCSCA	G-Eazy Bobblehead with Sound sponsored by Majestic (15,000 fans)
7/29	105	MIN	6:05	NBCSCA	Witches and Wizards Fireworks sponsored by Xfinity
7/30	106	MIN	1:05	NBCSCA	
7/31	107	SF	7:05	NBCSCA	
8/1	108	SF	7:05	NBCSCA	
8/2	109	at SF	7:15	NBCSCA	
8/3	110	at SF	7:15	NBCSCA	
8/4	111	at LAA	7:05	NBCSCA	
8/5	112	at LAA	6:05	NBCSCA	
8/6	113	at LAA	12:35	NBCSCA	
8/7		OFF DAY			
8/8	114	SEA	7:05	NBCSCA	
8/9	115	SEA	12:35	MLBN	
8/10	116	BAL	7:05	NBCSCA	
8/11	117	BAL	7:05	NBCSCA	Baseball Card Packs sponsored by Topps (15,000 fans)
8/12	118	BAL	6:05	NBCSCA	Sing-a-Long Fireworks sponsored by Chevron
8/13	119	BAL	1:05	NBCSCA	
8/14	120	KC	7:05	NBCSCA	
8/15	121	KC	7:05	NBCSCA	Jewish Heritage Night
8/16	122	KC	12:35	MLBN	
8/17		OFF DAY			
8/18	123	at HOU	5:10	NBCSCA	
8/19	124	at HOU	4:10	NBCSCA	
8/20	125	at HOU	11:10	NBCSCA	
8/21	126	at BAL	4:05	NBCSCA	
8/22	127	at BAL	4:05	NBCSCA	
8/23	128	at BAL	12:05	MLBN	
8/24		OFF DAY			
8/25	129	TEX	7:05	NBCSCA	Italian Heritage Night
8/26	130	TEX	1:05	NBCSCA	Dennis Eckersley Bobblehead (15,000 fans)
8/27	131	TEX	1:05	NBCSCA	
8/28	132	at LAA	7:05	NBCSCA	
8/29	133	at LAA	7:05	NBCSCA	
8/30	134	at LAA	7:05	NBCSCA	
8/31		OFF DAY			
9/1	135	at SEA	7:10	NBCSCA	
9/2	136	at SEA	6:10	NBCSCA	
9/3	137	at SEA	1:10	NBCSCA	
9/4	138	LAA	1:05	NBCSCA	
9/5	139	LAA	7:05	NBCSCA	Cal Night
9/6	140	LAA	12:35	NBCSCA	
9/7		OFF DAY			
9/8	141	HOU	7:05	NBCSCA	
9/9	142	HOU	1:05	NBCSCA	Faith and Family Day
9/10	143	HOU	1:05	NBCSCA	Pink Ribbon Socks sponsored by Sutter Health (10,000 fans)
Breast Cancer Awareness Day sponsored by Sutter Health					
9/11		OFF DAY			
9/12	144	at BOS	4:10	NBCSCA	
9/13	145	at BOS	4:10	NBCSCA	
9/14	146	at BOS	10:35	NBCSCA	
9/15	147	at PHI	4:05	NBCSCA	
9/16	148	at PHI	4:05	NBCSCA	
9/17	149	at PHI	10:35	NBCSCA	
9/18	150	at DET	4:10	NBCSCA	
9/19	151	at DET	4:10	NBCSCA	
9/20	152	at DET	10:10	MLBN	
9/21		OFF DAY			
9/22	153	TEX	7:05	NBCSCA	Filipino Heritage Night sponsored by Cache Creek Casino
9/23	154	TEX	6:05	NBCSCA	Star Wars Fireworks
9/24	155	TEX	1:05	NBCSCA	
9/25	156	SEA	7:05	NBCSCA	
9/26	157	SEA	7:05	NBCSCA	Portuguese Heritage Night
9/27	158	SEA	12:35	NBCSCA	
9/28	159	at TEX	5:05	NBCSCA	
9/29	160	at TEX	5:05	NBCSCA	
9/30	161	at TEX	5:05	NBCSCA	
10/1	162	at TEX	12:05	NBCSCA	