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OAKLAND ATHLETICS (5-7) VS. HOUSTON ASTROS (8-4)

SATURDAY, APRIL 15, 2017 — OAKLAND COLISEUM

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Houston	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	4	2	10	8	0
Oakland	0	3	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	6	10	2

Win: Will Harris (1-0) Loss: Santiago Casilla (0-1)

OAKLAND NOTES

- **Sean Manaea** became the first Athletics starting pitcher to allow no hits without pitching a complete game since Chris Codiroli was removed after 5.1 innings with a no-hitter on 6/27/86 (vs. Chicago-AL)...Dennis Eckersley threw 6.0 innings without allowing a hit as a reliever on 6/6/87 (vs. Cleveland).
- **Manaea** tallied six strikeouts and a career-high five walks...his previous high was four in his MLB debut versus Houston on 4/29/16.
- The Athletics have now lost nine-straight games against Houston dating back to 7/19/16, which extends their longest losing streak ever against the Astros franchise.
- The A's have committed at least one error in nine straight games, their longest streak since a 15-game streak from 5/3/15-5/18/15... have committed 15 errors during the current streak.
- **Trevor Plouffe** recorded his second home run of the year and extended his streak to four games in which he has hit safely (4-13, .308).
- **Khrist Davis** registered his sixth home run of the season and his second of this series...is now a .165 (13-79) career hitter against the Astros with three home runs and five RBI in 19 games.
- **Davis** recorded his fourth multi-hit game of the year, including one other three-hit game in the season opener (4/3/2017)...has reached base safely in 11 of his 12 games.
- **Jed Lowrie** has a 66-game errorless streak as a second baseman, which is the fourth longest such streak in Oakland history.
- In his first at bat of the season, **Jaff Decker** picked up his first hit and his first RBI...it was just the fifth RBI of his career, dating back to 6/20/2013...he recorded a career-high tying three hits (Sept. 29, 2016 at CWS), one RBI and one stolen base in his 2017 debut.
- With five stolen bases allowed today, it became the first time the Athletics have allowed more than four stolen bases since 5/27/07 (at Baltimore, 5).

HOME RUNS

Player	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
Trevor Plouffe (2)	5	0-0	1	LCF	McCullers
Khrist Davis (6)	5	1-0	1	RF	McCullers

HOUSTON NOTES

- Houston extended its winning streak against the A's to nine games, which is Houston's longest winning streak against the A's in club history and second-longest in franchise history against an AL opponent (LAA, 11 games in 2016).
- At 8-4, the Astros match their best 12-game start which came in 2006 (8-4).
- Houston improved its record to 6-0 when scoring four or more runs.
- Houston recorded a season-high five steals today, matching their season total of five on the season...last time they recorded five steals in a game was 5/8/16 versus Seattle.
- **Jose Altuve** snapped his streak of reaching base safely in 11 straight plate appearances as he struck out swinging in the first inning...Altuve has now reached safely in each of his last seven games (14-45, .311).
- **Brian McCann** has reached base safely in eight consecutive games.
- **Marwin Gonzalez** went 0-for-2, snapping a 20-game streak dating back to 9/19/16 in which he reached base safely.

HOME RUNS

Player	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
George Springer (6)	8	1-1	2	LCF	Doolittle

Time of Game.....	3:55	Streak.....	L3	April.....	5-7
First Pitch.....	1:07 pm	Homestand.....	0-2	vs. AL West.....	3-6
Temperature.....	63 degrees	Last 5.....	2-3	Leading after seven innings.....	5-2
		Last 10.....	4-6		
Today's Attendance.....	20,140	Home/Road.....	2-4/3-3		
Attendance Total.....	109,514	Day/Night.....	2-2/3-5		
Average (5 games).....	18,252	vs. RHS/LHS.....	4-4/1-3		