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OAKLAND ATHLETICS (53-67) VS. KANSAS CITY ROYALS (60-59)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16, 2017 — OAKLAND COLISEUM — 12:35 P.M. PDT
RHP PAUL BLACKBURN (3-1, 3.02) VS. LHP DANNY DUFFY (7-8, 3.68)
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ABOUT THE A'S: Have won three of the last five games but have lost seven of the last 12...are 14 games under .500, which is one short of the season low of 15 (four times, last: 52-67 on Aug. 14)...are 53-67 (.442), which is the second worst record in the American League and tied for eighth worst in Oakland history after 120 games...however, it is one game better than last year and two games better than 2015...have been in sole possession of last place in the AL West every day dating back to May 30... have spent one day tied for first this year, seven days in second, six days tied for second, 13 days in third, four days tied for third, 14 days in fourth, four days tied for fourth and 82 days in fifth.

CLOSE CALLS: The A's overcame a four-run deficit to win last night...it marked the third time in the last 16 games they have come back from a deficit of four or more runs to win...over the last 24 games, the A's have come back from deficits of three or more runs to win four times (3,5,4,4) but have blown leads of three or more runs in a loss four times (5,3,4,4)... have 31 losses in games in which they have led, which is tied for fourth most in the American League...are tied for the Major League lead with nine wins when trailing after seven innings (KC) but are tied for fourth in losses when leading (7) after seven innings...are tied for the AL lead in losses when leading after eight innings (5) but are tied for third in wins when trailing after eight innings (4)...are tied with the Dodgers for the most walk-off wins in the majors (9) but have the fourth most walk-off losses in the AL (6)...have set an Athletics franchise record and lead the majors with seven walk-off home runs.

DEFENSIVE DOINGS: The A's have gone errorless in their last five games, which is one short of their longest errorless streak of the season (6, April 19-25)...however, have 96 errors for the season, which is the most in the majors and one short of the season total of 97 from last year...also lead the majors with 72 unearned runs, which are the most by an A's team since 2011 (82)...have allowed 88 stolen bases, which is second most in the American League (CWS, 89)...have 17 outfield assists, which is tied for third fewest in the AL.

OFFENSE: The A's are batting .271 (172-for-635) with 98 runs scored (5.4 per game) and 78 extra base hits (4.3 per game)...51 doubles, 2 triples, 25 home runs) over the last 18 games...are hitting .241 for the season, which is second lowest in the majors (SD, .235)...however, rank second in the American League in extra base hits (404) and third in doubles (227)... home runs have accounted for 254 of the A's 531 runs (47.8%)...the Oakland record for highest percentage of runs scoring on home runs is 46.3% in 1996...have won just four games when going homerless, which is tied for second fewest in the majors (NYY, 3).

STRIKEOUTS: The A's have struck out 1117 times, which is second most in the American League (TB, 1168) and third most in the majors (MIL, 1183)...it is the 14th time in Athletics history they have fanned 1100 or more times in a season...are on pace for 1508, which would break the franchise record of 1387 set in 2012...have 59 games with 10 or more strikeouts, which ties the Athletics record set in 2012.

STARTING PITCHING: A's starting pitchers have allowed four runs or more in 14 of the last 18 games and have tossed fewer than four innings six times over that stretch...are 4-7 with a 7.32 ERA (71 er in 87.1 ip) and .333 (124-for-372) opponents batting average over that span and 36-48 with a 4.79 ERA (351 er in 658.1 ip) for the season...have the second most losses in the American League (CWS, 54)...have allowed 11 home runs in the last eight games but just 90 for the season, which is second fewest in the AL (HOU, 89).

PITCHING: The A's have compiled a 5.90 ERA (82 er in 125.0 ip) in August, which is second highest in the majors (KC, 6.00)...now have a 4.75 ERA for the season, which is fourth highest in the American League...rank second in most extra base hits (400) and doubles (230)...have 64 wild pitches, which is the most in the majors and sixth most in Oakland history (72 in 1979, 71 in 1989, 70 in 2016, 68 in 1998, 67 in 1992)...have allowed five grand slams, which is tied with Baltimore for the most in the AL.

NIGHT AND DAY: The A's have a 23-22 (.511) record during day games compared to 30-45 (.400) at night...are batting .267 (417-for-1563) and are averaging 5.09 runs per game during the day (229 runs in 45 games), .224 (552-for-2466) and 4.03 runs per games at night (302 runs in 75 games)...

the night batting average is the lowest in the majors (PIT, .242) while the day batting average is fifth best.

HOME AND AWAY: The A's are 3-5 on this season-long tying nine-game homestand against Seattle (0-2), Baltimore (2-2) and Kansas City (1-1)... are 12-17 over the last 29 home games after going 22-13 over the first 35...are 34-30 (.531) at home compared to 19-37 (.339) on the road... have the second worst road record in the American League...have hit 97 home runs at home, which is second most in the AL (NYY, 101) and the most by an A's team since 2004 (100)...today's game concludes a 19-game stretch from July 28 to Aug. 16 where the A's play every game in California...leave tomorrow for a six-game road trip to Houston (three games) and Baltimore (three games)...that begins a stretch where the A's will play 12 of 15 games on the road...are 10-6-4 in home series compared to 3-13-2 in road series.

(DON'T) GO THE DISTANCE: The A's have gone an Athletics record 159 consecutive games since their last complete game on Aug. 19, 2016 at Chicago-AL (Graveman)...broke the previous mark of 151 from July 9, 2008 to July 5, 2009...the streak is the third longest active streak in the majors (TB, 249 and ATL, 209).

THIS AND THAT: The A's are 17-10 (.630) against American League Central teams, which is the best record by any AL team against the Central... have a run differential of -101, which is the lowest in the AL and fourth lowest in the majors...were outscored by 108 runs last year, which was the A's worst mark since 1997 (-182)...are averaging 3 hours, 8 minutes and 12 seconds per game...the Oakland record for longest average time of game is 3:08:28 in 2000...are 11-15 in replay challenges while opposing managers are 19-13...finished July with a 12-14 record, which marked their Oakland record ninth consecutive month with a losing record...broke the previous mark of eight from Aug. 1978-Sept. 1979.

THE DISABLED LIST: The A's have five players on the disabled list (Fowler, Phegley, Smolinski, Triggs, Wahl), which matches the season low (March 30-April 1 and May 20-23)...Smolinski is currently on a rehab assignment...the last time Oakland had fewer than five players on the DL was Aug. 31, 2015 when they had four...Oakland has used the disabled list a total of 22 times this year, which marks the third consecutive season and seventh time in the last 11 years the A's have used the DL at least 20 times...the Oakland record is 27 set last year...currently have three players on the 60-day DL (Smolinski, Triggs and Wahl).

A's vs. ROYALS: The A's lead the season series 3-2 entering the final meeting today...have split the first two games in Oakland after winning two of three at Kansas City in April...have won nine of the last 11 games...have won three season series and lost three season series over the previous six years and are 26-23 against the Royals over the last seven years...all-time, the A's are 317-262 against the Royals...that breaks down to 172-116 in Oakland and 145-146 in Kansas City.

TODAY'S TIDBITS

Matt Chapman leads American League rookies doubles (11), home runs (8), RBI (19) and extra base hits (20) since the All-Star Break...**Khris Davis** hit his 16th go-ahead home run of the season last night, which is tied for second in the majors and is the most by an Athletic since Frank Thomas had 19 in 2006...**Rajai Davis** is batting .329 (21-for-64) with 10 stolen bases in 25 games since the All-Star Break after hitting .210 with 15 steals in 70 games before the break...leads the AL and ranks second in the majors in stolen bases since the break...**Jed Lowrie** is batting .323 (20-for-62) with 10 doubles over his last 16 games...is tied for the Major League lead with 38 doubles for the season (Ramirez, CLE)..

THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

In **1930** Lefty Grove wins his 20th game of the season, defeating St. Louis in Philadelphia, 4-2...in **1983** Chris Codioli and Dave Beard combine on a 4-0 shutout against California, the A's third consecutive shutout...the shutout comes as part of an Oakland record 37 consecutive scoreless innings...in **1991** Dennis Eckersley strikes out Chili Davis at Minnesota for his 2000th career strikeout...in **1996** Geronimo Berroa hits two home runs in the first game of a doubleheader against Boston, the A's 199th and 200th of the season...that broke the A's franchise record of 199.

PITCHING PROBABLES

Fri., Aug. 18 at Houston	LHP Sean Manaea (8-7, 4.59) vs. TBA	5:10	NBCSCA/95.7 FM The Game
Sat., Aug. 19 at Houston	RHP Kendall Graveman (3-3, 4.70) vs. TBA	4:10	NBCSCA/95.7 FM The Game
Sun., Aug. 20 at Houston	RHP Jharel Cotton (5-10, 5.92) vs. TBA	11:10	NBCSCA/95.7 FM The Game

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TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Paul Blackburn (3-1, 3.02 ERA)

FOR STARTERS: Was recalled from Triple-A Nashville July 1 and is scheduled to make his ninth start of the season and his career...has tossed more than five innings in each of his eight career starts...is the second pitcher in Oakland history to toss more than five innings in each of his first eight career games...joins Willie Adams, who did it in each of his first 10 games...has allowed one run or fewer in four of his eight starts and walked one batter or fewer five times.

DAYS REST: Is scheduled to start on four days rest today...is 3-0 with a 1.95 ERA (6 er in 27.2 ip) in four starts on four days rest compared to 0-1 with a 4.30 ERA (11 er in 23.0 ip) in four starts on five days rest or more.

THIS AND THAT: Opponents are 6-for-32 (.188) with runners in scoring position, including 1-for-13 (.077) with RISP and two outs...has held left-handed hitters to a .200 (18-for-90) batting average compared to .296 (29-for-98) by right-handers...however, has issued 9 of his 13 walks to lefties...has a 1.13 ERA (2 er in 16.0 ip) over the first two innings of a game, 3.89 (15 er in 34.2 ip) from the third inning on...allowed one run and walked one batter in each of his first two starts...is the only Athletics pitcher since at least 1913 to toss six or more innings, allow one run or fewer and walk one batter or fewer in each of his first two games...is the eighth Major Leaguer to do it.

2017 START-BY-START: He had a no decision in his Major League debut, a 4-3 A's loss to Atlanta **July 1** in Oakland...became the 51st pitcher in Oakland history to start in his ML debut...allowed just one unearned run in 6.0 innings of work and it came in the second inning...retired 14 of the final 16 batters he faced...earned his first Major League win in the A's 7-4 victory at Seattle on **July 6**...tossed 7.2 innings, which are the most by an A's pitcher in one of his first two games since Brad Rigby tossed 8.0 innings in his first start on June 28, 1997 against Texas...allowed his only run in the fifth inning on a two-out solo home run by Haniger...had a no decision in the A's 5-3 win over Cleveland **July 15** in Oakland...had a 1-0 lead when he allowed a two-run home run to Encarnacion in the fourth...was relieved by Hendriks to start the seventh inning with the A's trailing 3-2...was charged with the first loss of his career in the A's 7-5 loss at New York (NL) **July 21**...had a 3-2 lead when he allowed two of the Mets three runs in the sixth inning...had a no decision in the A's 3-2 loss at Toronto **July 26**...tossed seven scoreless innings and allowed just two hits to become the second pitcher in Oakland history to allow two hits or fewer while tossing seven or more scoreless innings in one of the first five games of his career (Doug Johns, Aug. 25, 1995)...left after seven innings with a 2-0 lead but Casilla allowed three runs in the ninth for the blown save and loss...was the winning pitcher in the A's 8-5 victory over San Francisco **July 31** in Oakland...allowed a RBI double to Posey in the first inning, two more runs in the fourth on RBI singles by Hwang and Moncrief, and two in the seventh inning when he left with runners on first and third and one out and the bullpen allowed both runs to score...combined with Dull, Casilla and Treinen on a six-hit shutout in the A's 5-0 win at Los Angeles (AL) **Aug. 5**...has won back-to-back games for the first time in his career...tossed 6.2 innings and yielded five of the hits...did not walk a batter for the first time in his career...allowed just one base runner to advance into scoring position.

LAST START: He had a no decision in the A's 5-4 win over Baltimore last Friday in Oakland...allowed a run in the second inning on a leadoff home run by Jones, and another in the fourth when Machado scored on a double play...Oakland scored three times in the bottom of the fourth but he allowed a two-run double to Schoop in the fifth and left after 5.2 innings trailing 4-3.

BLACKBURN'S 2017 STARTS												
Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
July 1	Atlanta	3-4	-	0.00	6.0	3	1	0	1	4	0	96
July 6	at Seattle	7-4	W	0.66	7.2	8	1	1	1	0	1	104
July 15	Cleveland	5-3	-	1.83	6.0	5	3	3	4	4	1	101
July 21	at New York (NL)	5-7	L	2.88	5.1	6	4	4	1	1	1	76
July 26	at Toronto	2-3	-	2.25	7.0	2	0	0	3	3	0	98
July 31	San Francisco	8-5	W	3.05	6.1	8	5	5	1	4	0	96
July Totals (6 games, 6 starts)		2-1	3.05	38.1	32	14	13	11	16	3		
Aug. 5	at Los Angeles (AL)	5-0	W	2.60	6.2	5	0	0	0	1	0	112
Aug. 11	Baltimore	5-4	-	3.02	5.2	10	4	4	2	3	1	96

BLACKBURN vs. KANSAS CITY: Is making his first career appearance.

BLACKBURN'S CAREER MATCHUPS VS. KANSAS CITY																
Player	Bat	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SH	SF	HBP	GDP	AVG	OBP	SLG
Has no match-ups																

2017 WITH NASHVILLE: Was 5-6 with a 3.05 ERA in 15 games, including 14 starts, with Triple-A Nashville...ranked second in the Pacific Coast League in ERA and fourth in opponents batting average (.231) at the time of his July 1 promotion to Oakland...was named to the Pacific Coast League

BLACKBURN BY THE NUMBERS							
	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER	
2017	3	1	3.02	8	50.2	17	
2016	0	0	-	0	0.0	0	
Career	3	1	3.02	8	50.2	17	
Home	1	0	4.50	4	24.0	12	
Road	2	1	1.69	4	26.2	5	
Day	0	0	0.00	1	6.0	0	
Night	3	1	3.43	7	44.2	17	
Pre-ASB	1	0	0.66	2	13.2	1	
Post-ASB	2	1	3.89	6	37.0	16	
	AVG.	AB	H				
vs. LHH	.200	90	18				
vs. RHH	.296	98	29				

BLACKBURN'S CAREER HIGHS	
Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	7.2, 7/6/17 at SEA
Fewest IP, GS:	5.1, 7/21/17 at NYM
H:	10, 8/11/17 vs. BAL
R:	5, 7/31/17 vs. SF
ER:	5, 7/31/17 vs. SF
BB:	4, 7/15/17 vs. CLE
SO:	4 (three times), last: 7/31/17 vs. SF
HR:	1 (four times), last: 8/11/17 vs. BAL
Pitches:	112, 8/5/17 at LAA
Win Streak:	2, 7/31/17 to present
Loss Streak:	1, 7/21/17
Scoreless Streak:	8.0, 7/11/17 to 7/6/17
Complete Games:	None
Shutouts:	None

Midseason All-Star team...went 4-2 with a 1.84 ERA (9 er in 44.0 ip) over his last eight starts after going 1-4 with a 4.54 ERA over his first seven games (six starts)...his opponents batting average included a .216 (33-for-153) mark against right-handed hitters compared to .247 (36-for-146) against left-handers...lefties had 24 of the 32 RBI against him...allowed a .321 batting average with runners in scoring position, including .400 with RISP and two outs...was 3-4 with a 3.80 ERA and .269 opponents batting average in nine games at home, 2-2 with a 2.08 ERA and .177 opponents average in six starts on the road...surrendered five of his six home runs at home...was 4-3 with a 2.54 ERA in 11 games at night, 1-3 with a 4.30 ERA in four starts during the day...compiled a 3.95 ERA over the first three innings of the game, a 2.09 ERA from the fourth inning on.

HIGHLIGHTS WITH NASHVILLE: Struck out a season-high eight batters in back-to-back starts on April 15 against Colorado Springs and April 21 at Oklahoma City...picked up his first win April 28 against New Orleans and went 1-2 despite a 1.64 ERA and .195 opponents batting average in four starts in April...made his only relief appearance on May 8 against El Paso in a game started by Daniel Mengden on a rehab assignment...allowed three runs on four hits and two walks in 4.0 innings...put together consecutive wins for the only time on May 19 at Sacramento and May 24 against Omaha...tossed 6.0 scoreless innings against the River Cats (2 h, 2 bb, 4 so) and 7.0 scoreless innings against the Storm Chasers (5 h, 2 bb, 6 so) as part of a 14.0-inning scoreless streak from May 19 to 29...had the scoreless streak snapped when he allowed a season-high tying six runs (also May 14 against Albuquerque) on a season-high 10 hits in 5.0 innings on May 29 against Colorado Springs...finished May 2-3 with a 5.12 ERA in six games...threw a season-high 100 pitches June 9 against Memphis...walked a season-high four batters June 15 against Iowa...started the second game of a June 20 doubleheader against New Orleans and pitched a season-low 2.0 innings...compiled a 2-1 record and a 1.75 ERA in five starts in June.

BLACKBURN'S 2017 APPEARANCES WITH NASHVILLE												
Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 9	at Round Rock	1-7	L	1.50	6.0	5	2	1	2	1	0	85
April 15	Colorado Springs	1-6	L	2.25	6.0	5	2	2	2	8	1	93
April 21	at Oklahoma City	1-2	-	2.12	5.0	3	1	1	3	8	0	88
April 28	New Orleans	4-1	W	1.64	5.0	2	0	0	0	2	0	58
April Totals (4 games, 4 starts)		1-2	1.64	22.0	15	5	4	7	19	1		
May 3	at Round Rock	3-7	L	3.04	4.2	7	5	5	2	4	0	93
*May 8	El Paso	4-5	-	3.52	4.0	4	3	3	2	1	1	70
May 14	Albuquerque	0-6	L	4.54	5.0	7	6	6	0	4	2	85
May 19	at Sacramento	6-0	W	3.89	6.0	2	0	0	2	4	0	98
May 24	Omaha	4-0	W	3.33	7.0	5	0	0	2	6	0	96
May 29	Colorado Springs	0-6	L	3.69	5.0	10	6	4	0	3	0	79
May Totals (6 games, 5 starts)		2-3	5.12	31.2	35	20	18	8	22	3		
June 4	at Iowa	6-0	W	3.26	7.0	2	0	0	1	4	0	83
June 9	at Memphis	1-2 (10)	-	3.11	6.0	3	1	1	3	5	1	100
June 15	Iowa	2-4	L	2.86	5.2	3	3	0	4	3	0	96
June 20	New Orleans (G#2)	6-3 (7)	-	3.03	2.0	6	3	2	2	1	0	51
June 26	Round Rock	5-3	W	3.05	5.1	5	2	2	1	2	1	92
June Totals (5 games, 5 starts)		2-1	1.73	26.0	19	9	5	11	15	2		
NASHVILLE TOTALS (15 G, 14 GS)		5-6	3.05	79.2	69	34	27	26	56	6		

*indicates relief appearance

2016 RECAP: Began the season at Double-A Tennessee in the Chicago Cubs organization and was 6-4 with a 3.17 ERA in 18 starts when he was traded to the Seattle Mariners organization July 20...was assigned to Double-A Jackson and went 3-1 with a 3.54 ERA in eight games (seven starts) with the Generals...combined for a 9-5 record and a 3.28 ERA in 26 games (25 starts) overall...surrendered just eight home runs in 143.0 innings, an average of 0.50 per nine innings...ranked fourth in the Southern League in fewest walks per nine innings (2.12), tied for fourth in games started, sixth in ERA and innings pitched and tied for eighth in wins...was named to the SL Midseason All-Star Game.

FRIDAY'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER	
LHP Sean Manaea (8-7, 4.59 ERA):	Is 0-2 with a 9.31 ERA and .400 opponents batting average over his last five starts...went 1-3 with a 5.52 ERA over his first six starts this year and 7-2 with a 2.92 ERA over an 11-start span from May 20 to July 16 before his current stretch...has tossed fewer than four innings in each of his last three starts and has allowed 18 runs on 21 hits over that span...is 2-5 with a 5.26 ERA in 10 starts against American League West teams compared to 6-2 with a 4.08 ERA ip) in 12 starts against everyone else...was the losing pitcher in his last start, a 12-5 A's loss to Baltimore last Saturday (0.1 ip, 6 h, 6 r, 6 er, 1 bb)...is 1-2 with a 2.13 ERA (38.0 ip, 29 h, 12 r, 9 er, 18 bb, 37 so, 1 hr) and .207 (29-for-140) opponents batting average in seven career starts against Houston...including 1-1 with a 2.70 ERA (16.2 ip, 16 h, 6 r, 5 er, 10 bb, 17 so, 0 hr) in three starts this year.

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17-19, 4.67 ERA (209 er in 403.0 ip)
Saves/Opportunities: 23-for-43 (53.5%)

- The A's bullpen has eight blown saves in the last 28 games but has a 4.06 ERA (45 er in 99.2 ip) over that span...has issued 44 walks in 99.2 innings and surrendered 14 home runs.
- Has converted 23-of-43 (53.5%) save opportunities, which is the second lowest percentage in the American League...are tied for second in blown saves (20) and have the third fewest saves.
- Has the second highest ERA in the AL (DET, 5.19).
- Is tied for first in the AL in stolen bases allowed (42), ranks second in fewest inherited runners (151), tied for fourth in fewest wins (17), is tied for sixth in most losses (19) and third in most home runs allowed (59).
- Has allowed just 10 first batter home runs, which is tied for third fewest in the AL (NY, 8; KC, 5)...has the second lowest first batter slugging percentage (.362).

64 RHP MICHAEL BRADY

Last Outing: 8/12 vs. Baltimore (ND, 5.1 ip, 7 h, 3 r, 3 er, 5 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 4/2
First Hitters: 5-9

- Was recalled from Triple-A on Friday for his third stint with the A's.
- Tossed 5.1 innings on Saturday after pitching 6.0 innings of relief in his previous outing with the A's on Aug. 1...is the second Oakland reliever over the last 30 years with two outings greater than 5.0 innings in the same season (Brad Rigby, 1999).
- Posted a 3.18 ERA in seven games during his first stint from June 17 to July 18...pitched just once during his second stint from July 31 to Aug. 1 and it came in relief on Aug. 1 against San Francisco.
- Has never faced the Royals.
- Made one start with Nashville following his most recent option and had a no decision in a 6-3 Sounds win at Tacoma on Tuesday (5.0 ip, 5 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 4 so)...has a .220 opponents batting average overall, including .220 against right-handers and .224 against left-handers...his complete 2017 minor league stats:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Nashville (AAA)	3	1	3.21	17	8	0	0	0	53.1	45	22	19	6	51

Last Year: Spent most of the year at Double-A Harrisburg but also made one start with Triple-A Syracuse in August...combined to go 3-6 with a 2.89 ERA in 18 games (12 starts) overall...issued just 13 walks in 81.0 innings (1.44 per nine innings).

46 RHP SANTIAGO CASILLA

Last Outing: 8/15 vs. Kansas City (BS, 0.1 ip, 2 h, 3 r, 3 er, 1 bb, 1 hr)
Saves/Opportunities: 16-23
Inherited Runners/Scored: 4/2
First Hitters: 9-44, 4 bb

- Gave up three runs last night after not allowing a run over his last seven outings (7.1 ip, 4 h, 3 bb, 10 so)...allowed his first home run at home last night.
- Is tied for first among American League relievers in blown saves (7), ranks second in lowest save percentage (69.6%), tied for fifth in stolen bases allowed (8) and tied for 10th in saves (16).
- Opponents are 8-for-45 (.178) with runners in scoring position.
- Has a 5.50 ERA (11 er in 18.0 ip) and has surrendered five of his six home runs in 20 games on the road...has a 3.76 ERA (11 er in 26.1 ip) in 28 games in Oakland.
- Has faced the Royals twice this season (1.1 ip, 2 h, 3 r, 3 er, 1 bb, 3 so).

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.

67 RHP SIMON CASTRO

Last Outing: 8/14 vs. Kansas City (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 1 bb)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-1
Inherited Runners/Scored: 5/0
First Hitters: 1-11, hbp

- Was selected from Triple-A Nashville on July 16...has pitched at least an inning in 11 of his 12 appearances.
- Has a 0.93 ERA (1 er in 9.2 ip) in seven games at home compared to a 4.26 ERA (3 er in 6.1 ip) in five games on the road.
- Faced the Royals for the first time in his career on Monday.
- Did not allow an earned run over his final 10 games with Nashville and walked just one batter in 11.0 innings over that span...his complete 2017 minor league stats:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Nashville (AAA)	3	5	3.32	33	0	0	0	4	38.0	24	21	14	21	63

Last Year: Spent the entire season at Triple-A Albuquerque in the Colorado organization and was 0-5 with 10 saves and a 3.38 ERA in 50 appearances, all in relief...the saves were the first of his career.

35 LHP DANIEL COULOMBE

Last Outing: 8/15 vs. Kansas City (ND, 1.1 ip)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-1
Inherited Runners/Scored: 44/11
First Hitters: 13-48, 3 bb, hbp

- Matched a season-high with three runs allowed after failing to record an out on August 4 (3 er, 3 bb)...it was the first time in his career he walked three batters in an outing...had not allowed a run in his last 11 appearances (7.0 ip) prior to August 4.
- Is third in the American League in most inherited runners (44).

- Is 2-0 with a 2.45 ERA (7 er in 25.2 ip) in 30 games at home, 0-2 with a 5.28 ERA (9 er in 15.1 ip) in 22 games on the road.
- Has tossed fewer than one inning in 28 of his 52 games.
- Has faced the Royals twice this season (2.1 ip, 1 bb).

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.

66 RHP RYAN DULL

Last Outing: 8/15 vs. Kansas City (ND, 0.1 ip, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-1
Inherited Runners/Scored: 12/2
First Hitters: 3-25, sf, 2 bb

- Was reinstated from the 10-day DL July 27 after missing 59 games with a strained right knee...allowed his first run since returning from the DL on Sunday (home run to Manny Machado).
- First batters faced are 3-for-25 (.120) with a home run, a sacrifice fly, two walks (.179 on-base percentage) and 12 strikeouts.
- Has a 11.37 ERA (8 er in 6.1 ip) in seven outings on no days rest, a 2.25 ERA (4 er in 16.0 ip) in his other 20 appearances.
- Has allowed six unearned runs, which is tied for second most in the AL among relievers.
- Has faced the Royals twice this season (1.1 ip, 2 so).

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.

44 RHP CHRIS HATCHER

Last Outing (AAA): 8/9 at Salt Lake (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-1
Inherited Runners/Scored: 7/0
First Hitters: 5-26

- Was acquired from the Los Angeles Dodgers yesterday and added to the roster today...went 0-1 with a 4.66 ERA (19 er in 36.2 ip) 26 games with the Dodgers this season.
- Opponents are batting .074 (2-for-27) with runners in scoring position.
- Has never faced the Royals.
- Made five rehabilitation appearances while recovering from thoracic inflammation...his complete minor league statistics:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
OKC (AAA)	0	0	0.00	3	0	0	0	0	4.0	2	0	0	1	6
AZL (ROK)	0	0	4.50	2	2	0	0	0	2.0	2	1	1	0	3

Last Year: Appeared in 37 games with the Dodgers, going 5-4 with a 5.53 ERA (25 ER/ 40.2 IP), before being placed on the DL on July 20, where he remained for the duration of the season with a strained left oblique.

31 RHP LIAM HENDRIKS

Last Outing: 8/14 vs. Kansas City (ND, 1.0 ip)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-2
Inherited Runners/Scored: 25/7
First Hitters: 11-46, 6 bb

- Has allowed at least one run in five of his last 11 games (7 er in 9.2 ip, 6.52 ERA)...has a 7.94 ERA (20 er in 22.2 ip) over his last 29 games after posting a 3.04 ERA over his first 24 contests through June 7.
- Has a 5.29 ERA, which is fourth highest among American League relievers.
- Has a 11.74 ERA (20 er in 15.1 ip) and .370 (27-for-73) opponents average in 19 games on the road compared to a 2.38 ERA (9 er in 34.0 ip) and .189 (24-for-127) opponents batting average in 34 games at home.
- Has faced the Royals twice this season (2.0 ip, 3 h, 2 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 9.00 ERA).
- Made the 200th appearance of his career on August 8.

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.

39 RHP BLAKE TREINEN

Last Outing: 8/15 vs. Kansas City (W, 1.2 ip, 3 h, 2 r, 2 er, 3 so, 2 hr)
Saves/Opportunities: 6-11
Inherited Runners/Scored: 27/14
First Hitters: 17-49, 3 bb

- Was acquired from Washington on July 16 and has not allowed an earned run in 12 of his 15 appearances with Oakland (16.0 ip, 11 h, 5 r, 4 er, 6 bb, 18 so, 2.25 ERA).
- Recorded his third save as an Athletic on Friday...had three with Washington.
- Allowed two home runs in an outing for the first time in his career last night.
- Opponents have grounded into 11 double plays, which is second most in the majors (Shaw, CLE 14).
- Made his 200th career appearance last night.
- Has faced the Royals twice in his career (2.2 ip, 3 h, 2 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 5 so).
- Went 0-2 with three saves and a 5.73 ERA in 37 relief appearances with Washington.

Last Year: Appeared in a career-high 78 games with Washington and was 4-1 with a save and a 2.28 ERA...ranked eighth among National League relievers in ERA...led Major League relievers with 17 opponents grounded into double plays.

ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

26 MATT CHAPMAN

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 4)
Kansas City Series: 1-8, 2b, 3 so, cs
Homestand: 5-27, 2 r, 3 2b, hr, 4 rbi, bb, 15 so, cs, sf

- Leads American League rookies in doubles (11), home runs (8), RBI (19) and extra base hits (20) since the All-Star Break and is tied for the lead in runs scored (18).
- Is batting .277 (13-for-47) in August after hitting .193 in July.
- Is batting .197 (12-for-61) with runners on base but has a .273 (9-for-33) average with runners in scoring position...has hit just two of his eight home runs with runners on base.
- Has 32 hits, 22 of which are for extra bases (13 doubles, one triple, eight home runs).
- Snapped a streak of seven consecutive strikeouts with a fourth inning double Saturday against Baltimore.
- Was selected from Triple-A Nashville June 15 and has started each of the A's 42 games at third base while on the active roster...was on the 10-day disabled list from June 19 to July 2 with left knee cellulitis.
- Hit .257 with 16 home runs and 30 RBI in 49 games with Nashville... was tied for third in the Pacific Coast League and tied for fifth in all of the minor league in home runs at the time of his June 15 promotion

Last Year: Began the season at Double-A Midland and was moved up to Triple-A Nashville May 21...combined for a .285 batting average, 12 home runs and 87 RBI in 132 games overall...ranked second in the A's farm system in hits (155).

2 KHRIS DAVIS

Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 4)
Kansas City Series: 2-7, 2 r, hr, 3 rbi, 2 so, hbp
Homestand: 8-28, 8 r, 2b, 3b, 4 hr, 11 rbi, 5 bb, 6 so, hbp

- Homered for the fifth time in his last nine games last night and is batting .303 (10-for-33) with 13 RBI and five walks (1 hbp, .410 on-base percentage) over that span.
- Is tied for second in the American League in RBI (86) and extra base hits (56), ranks fourth in home runs (33), tied for eighth in games played (117), tied for ninth in total bases (228) and tied for 10th in runs (72).
- Has 154 strikeouts, which ranks third in the AL and 10th in Athletics history (9th is Canseco with 157 in 1987, 8th is Canseco with 158 in 1990).
- Has 499 career hits and needs two more for 500 career.
- Leads the AL and is tied for second in the majors in go-ahead home runs (16)...the go-ahead home runs are the most by an Athletic since Frank Thomas had 19 in 2006...is tied for second in the AL in go-ahead RBI (25).
- Is batting .209 (55-for-263) at night, which is third lowest in the AL.
- Has 33 home runs this year after hitting 42 last year...is the first A's player with back-to-back 30-homer seasons since Miguel Tejada (2000-02) and Eric Chavez (2001-02).
- Has a career-high 57 walks...his home runs (33), RBI (86), runs (72) and strikeouts (154) are the second highest of his career to last year (42 HR, 102 RBI, 72 R, 166 SO).

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: 0 for 2
Kansas City Series: 0-1, r, bb, ibb
Homestand: 3-12, 3 r, 2b, 2 bb, ibb, 3 so, 2 sb, gidp

- Is batting .328 (21-for-64) with 10 stolen bases in 25 games since the All-Star Break after hitting .210 with 15 steals in 70 games before the break...leads the American League and ranks second in the majors in stolen bases since the break (Hamilton, CIN 12).
- Is tied for third in the AL in stolen bases (25) and tied for fifth in caught stealing (6).
- Is tied for the Major League lead with six stolen bases in August (Cain, KC).
- Has 10 seasons with 20 or more stolen bases...among active players, only Ichiro has more (13)...now has 390 career steals, which ranks third among active players (Ichiro, Jose Reyes)...is one of five players in Oakland history with at least four 20-steal seasons (Henderson 14, Campaneris 9, Crisp 4, North 4).
- Is 4-for-11 (.364) against Kansas City.
- Had a pinch intentional walk last night and is 3-for-10 (.300) with three walks in the pinch...is tied for second among AL pinch hitters in walks and tied for fifth in hits.

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.

12 DUSTIN GARNEAU

Current Streak: 0 for 1
Baltimore Series: 1-5, 2b, so, gidp
Homestand: 1-9, 2b, 4 so, gidp

- Was claimed off waivers from Colorado Aug. 4 and joined the A's the next day...is 2-for-13 (.154) with six strikeouts in five games with Oakland, including three starts at catcher.

- Was on the Rockies Opening Day roster and hit .206 with a home run and six RBI in 22 games before he was optioned to Triple-A Albuquerque May 16...threw out 2-of-8 (25.0%) attempted base stealers.
- Batted .389 (14-for-36) with four home runs and 12 RBI over his final 10 games with Albuquerque...tossed out 14-of-29 (48.3%) attempted base stealers overall...his complete 2017 minor league stats:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Albuquerque (AAA)	.281	36	128	24	36	9	2	10	26	13	22	0	1	.617	.347

Last Year: Batted 235 with six doubles, one home run and six RBI in 24 games over three stints with Colorado...also hit 292 with 15 home runs and 35 RBI in 52 games with Triple-A Albuquerque.

25 RYON HEALY

Current Streak: 4 games (7 for 15)
Kansas City Series: 3-7, r, 2b, 2 rbi, hbp
Homestand: 10-27, 5 r, 2 2b, hr, 4 rbi, bb, hbp, 5 so

- Is 12-for-32 (.375) with four doubles and five multiple hit games over his last eight games...however, is batting .218 (38-for-174) with four home runs over his last 46 games after hitting .288 with 17 home runs over his first 67 contests through June 17.
- Is 7-for-19 (.368) against Kansas City this year and has hit safely in each of his nine career games against the Royals...is 16-for-36 (.444) with seven runs, four doubles, two home runs and nine RBI.
- Is batting .359 (33-for-92) with seven home runs against left-handed pitchers compared to .234 (80-for-342) with 14 home runs against right-handers...ranks fifth in the American League in batting against left-handed pitchers.
- Is hitting .317 (53-for-167) with 11 home runs and 32 RBI in 41 day games compared to .225 (60-for-267) with 10 home runs and 34 RBI in 72 night games...is tied for fourth in the AL in day RBI, tied for fifth in home runs and ranks 10th in batting.
- Has 112 strikeouts and 16 walks for a strikeout-to-walk ratio of 7.00...since walks and strikeouts became official stats in 1913, the highest ratio in Oakland history is 6.05 by Tony Armas in 1981 (115 so, 19 bb).
- Has started games at three different positions (54 at designated hitter, 30 at third base, 26 at first base).

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: 4 games (6 for 16)
Kansas City Series: 3-9, 2 r, 2b, hr, 4 rbi, so
Homestand: 8-25, 7 r, 3 2b, 3 hr, 7 rbi, bb, 8 so, sb

- Led off the game with a home run last night for the fourth time this year and the eighth time in his career...his four leadoff home runs are tied for the seventh best single season total in Oakland history but they are tied for the fifth best career total...has hit 12 of his 17 home runs when batting first in the order.
- Added a three-run double in the eighth inning for his 14th career game of four or more RBI.
- The three-run double came off Minor and he now has five RBI off left-handed pitchers over his last three games after tallying no RBI off south-paws over his first 102 contests.
- Is batting .314 (11-for-35) in August...is now hitting .273 (48-for-176) over his last 51 games dating back to June 13 after batting .194 over his first 54 contests.
- Is batting .192 (42-for-219) at night, .307 (39-for-127) during the day.
- Is a .318 (50-for-157) career hitter against Kansas City, which is his best mark against any team (min. 20 PA).
- Homered off Bleier Sunday for his first home run off a lefty since June 4, 2016 against Los Angeles (AL), a three-run shot off Greg Mahle...that was also his last RBI against a lefty prior to Sunday.

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: 1 game (2 for 4)
Kansas City Series: 2-4, 2 r, 2b, bb, 2 so
Homestand: 7-24, 3 r, 6 2b, 4 rbi, 2 bb, 3 so, sf

- Struck out twice in four plate appearances last night after fanning twice in 70 plate appearances over his previous 16 games.
- Is batting .323 (20-for-62) with 10 doubles over his last 16 games.
- Has six doubles in his last six games and is tied for the Major League lead with 38 doubles for the season (Ramirez, CLE)...this is his second career 30-double season...his other also came with the A's (45 in 2013).
- Has nine of his 10 home runs and 37 of his 40 RBI off right-handed pitching...eight of his 10 home runs have come at home.
- Has committed four errors in 102 games as a second baseman and ranks third among AL second basemen in fielding percentage (.991).
- Is 2-for-3 (.667) with two walks, two RBI and a double as a pinch hitter...is 5-for-9 (.556) with six RBI and five walks in the pinch over the last three seasons.

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.

13 BRUCE MAXWELL

Current Streak: 0 for 8
Kansas City Series: 0-7, so
Homestand: 3-20, rbi, bb, 5 so, sf

- Is batting .129 (9-for-70) in 25 games since the All-Star Break after hitting .302 in 23 games before the break.
- Is 3-for-20 (.150) on the homestand and is now batting .173 (13-for-75) in Oakland compared to .259 (15-for-58) on the road.
- Has tossed out 10-of-36 (27.8%) attempted base stealers.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Nashville June 22 for his third stint with the A's this year and is batting .211 (24-for-114) in 39 games since his return...went 4-for-19 (.211) in nine games over his first two stints (April 17-19 and May 4-14).
- Was batting .286 in 25 games with Nashville...tossed out 6-of-16 (37.5%) attempted base stealers.

Last Year: Made his Triple-A and Major League debut...was batting .321 with a 10 HR and 41 RBI in 60 games with Nashville when he was promoted to Oakland July 23...went on to bat .283 with a home run and 14 RBI in 33 games with the A's.

28 MATT OLSON

Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 4)
Kansas City Series: 2-8, 2 r, hr, 2 rbi, 3 so
Homestand: 6-24, 4 r, 3 hr, 5 rbi, 10 so, gidp

- Homered for the fourth time in his last five games last night...homered in three straight games for the first time in his career on Friday, Saturday and Sunday.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Nashville Aug. 8 for his sixth stint with the A's this year and is 7-for-28 (.250) with four home runs and seven RBI in eight games since his return.
- Each of his six starts since his return have been at first base...for the season, has made 10 starts in right field and eight at first base.
- Is batting .238 (15-for-63) with seven of his eight home runs and 15 of his 16 RBI against right-handed pitchers...is 2-for-16 (.125) against lefties.
- Hit .196 with four home runs and nine RBI in 18 games over his first five stints (April 21-26, June 3-5, June 10-13, June 22-July 3 and July 21-23).
- Went 14-for-47 (.298) with four home runs and nine RBI in 11 games with Nashville following his July 24 option...was tied for fifth in the Pacific Coast League with 23 home runs overall at the time of his promotion and his ratio of 12.78 at bats per home run was leading the league...appeared in 73 games at first base, five at designated hitter and one at third base...his complete 2017 stats with Nashville:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Nashville (AAA)	.272	79	294	56	80	16	1	23	60	45	83	3	0	.568	.367

Last Year: Made his Major League debut with Oakland as a September call-up and went 2-for-21 (.095) in 11 games...also batted .235 with 17 home runs and 60 RBI in 131 games in his Triple-A debut with Nashville

18 CHAD PINDER

Current Streak: 0 for 10
Kansas City Series: 0-5, 2 so
Homestand: 3-22, rbi, 5 so, sf, gidp

- Struck out as a pinch hitter last night and is 0-for-7 with four strikeouts in the pinch.
- Was reinstated from the 10-day disabled list July 31 and is 12-for-40 (.300) in 12 games, including nine starts (six in right field, two at second base, one in left field), since his return.
- Is 3-for-22 (.136) on the homestand and is now batting .207 (23-for-111) in Oakland compared to .311 (23-for-74) on the road.
- Has hit nine of his 10 home runs off right-handed pitchers...six have come with runners on base.
- Has started 48 games at five different positions with the A's (17 at shortstop, 11 in right field, 11 at second base, seven at designated hitter, two in left field).
- Started the season with Nashville and was hitting .324 in nine games when he was recalled by Oakland April 16...was batting .234 with nine home runs and 25 RBI in 47 games with the A's when he was placed on the DL June 24 with a strained left hamstring...hit .185 during an eight-game rehab assignment with Triple-A Nashville from July 18 to 30.

Last Year: Made both his Triple-A and Major League debuts in 2016...hit .256 with 14 home runs and 51 RBI in 107 games with Nashville and .235 with a home run and four RBI in 22 games with Oakland.

3 BOOG POWELL

Current Streak: 2 games (2 for 5)
Kansas City Series: 2-5, r, 2b
Homestand: 3-12, 4 r, 2b, bb, 3 so

- Was recalled from Triple-A Nashville Friday and has started each of the last four games in center field (3-for-12, .250)...had his first career extra base hit last night, a double.
- Was acquired from the Seattle organization for Yonder Alonso Aug. 6
- Made his Major League debut earlier this year with Seattle and hit .194 with two RBI in 23 games over three stints with the Mariners (April 29-May 3, May 16-June 9, July 2 to 16).
- Has appeared in eight games (four starts) in left field, four in center field (all starts) and one in right field.
- Was originally drafted by the A's in the 20th round in 2012, traded to Tampa Bay in the Ben Zobrist deal prior to the 2015 season, and dealt to the Mariners following the 2015 season.
- Was assigned to Triple-A Nashville following the trade...the Sounds were at Tacoma at the time of the trade and he went 4-for-16 (.250) with a double and a walk in three games against his former teammates...hit .333 with six home runs, 33 RBI and 11 stolen bases in 61 games overall at Triple-A...appeared in 26 games in center field, 25 in right field and 10 in left field...his complete 2017 minor league statistics:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Tacoma (AAA)	.340	58	206	46	70	9	2	6	33	28	27	11	5	.490	.416
Nashville (AAA)	.250	3	16	1	4	1	0	0	0	1	5	0	0	.313	.294

Last Year: Spent the entire season at Triple-A Tacoma and hit .270 with three home runs and 27 RBI in 64 games...the home runs matched his career high...added 10 stolen bases.

10 MARCUS SEMIEN

Current Streak: 7 games (9 for 26)
Kansas City Series: 4-9, r, 3b, rbi, so
Homestand: 9-30, 5 r, 2b, 3b, 3 rbi, 4 bb, 7 so, sf

- Is batting .320 (33-for-103) with 16 runs scored and 13 RBI over his last 25 games.
- Six of his 18 RBI have put the A's ahead and three others have tied the game.
- Has started each of the A's 46 games at shortstop while on the active roster...has three errors in his last nine games and six for the season.
- Was batting .171 with one RBI in 11 games when he was placed on the 10-day DL April 16 retroactive to April 15 with a right wrist contusion...it was his first career stint on the DL...was diagnosed with a fractured scaphoid bone and had surgery to insert a screw into the bone April 18...was transferred to the 60-day DL April 20 and was reinstated July 6.

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.

A'S HITTING VS. KANSAS CITY

2017	AB	H	HR	RBI	CAREER	PLAYER	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
AVG.	.125	8	1	0	0	Chapman	.125	8	1	0	0
	.250	20	5	2	5	Davis, K	.268	41	11	4	14
	.364	11	4	1	3	Davis, R	.248	246	61	5	29
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	0	Gameau	#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0
	.368	19	7	0	2	Healy	.444	36	16	2	9
	.308	13	4	1	5	Joyce	.320	153	49	11	31
	.316	19	6	0	3	Lowrie	.255	94	24	1	15
	.000	7	0	0	0	Maxwell	.188	16	3	0	1
	.250	8	2	1	2	Olson	.214	14	3	1	2
	.000	5	0	0	0	Pinder	.111	9	1	0	0
	.222	9	2	0	0	Powell	.222	9	2	0	0
	.200	20	4	0	1	Semien	.191	115	22	4	16
	.235	34	8	0	2	others					
.254	169	43	5	23	TOTALS						

A'S CAREER HITTING VS. DUFFY

PLAYER	BAT	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SH	SF	HBP	GDP	AVG	OBP	SLG
Mark Canha	R	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	.500	.667	.500
Chris Carter	R	11	2	0	0	2	2	3	5	0	0	0	0	.182	.357	.727
Khris Davis	R	3	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	.333	.333	1.333
Rajai Davis	R	17	3	1	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	.176	.222	.235
Ryon Healy	R	3	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.667	.667	1.667
Ryan Lavarney	R	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.500	.500	.500
Jed Lowrie	S	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.333	.333	.333
Josh Phegley	R	3	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.333	.333	1.333
Chad Pinder	R	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Marcus Semien	R	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	.000	.286	.000
Jake Smolinski	R	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000

HIGHS AND LOWS

CLUB

Longest Winning Streak	5, April 18 to 22
Longest Winning Streak, Home	5, July 4 to 16
Longest Winning Streak, Road	5, April 18 to 22
Longest Losing Streak	4, June 23 to 27
Longest Losing Streak, Home	6, June 28 to July 3
Longest Losing Streak, Road	8, June 19 to July 3
Most Runs, Game, A's	11, August 6 at Los Angeles (AL)
Most Runs, Game, Opponents	13, June 9 at Tampa Bay
Most Runs, Inning, A's	13, June 2 vs. Washington
Most Runs, Inning, Opponents	6, August 15 vs. Kansas City (8th)
Largest Margin, Victory	6, June 22 vs. Houston (8th)
Largest Margin, Loss	6, June 4 vs. Washington (9th)
Most Hits, Game, A's	8, June 22 vs. Houston (2nd)
Most Hits, Game, Opponents	8, June 24 at Chicago (AL) (10-2)
Most Hits, Inning, A's	8, April 19 vs. Texas (9-1)
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents	10, June 2 vs. Washington (3-13)
Most Home Runs, Game, A's	10, April 23 vs. Seattle (1-11)
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents	18, August 6 at Los Angeles (AL)
Most Doubles, Game, A's	20, August 12 vs. Baltimore
Most Doubles, Game, Opponents	20, June 2 vs. Washington
Most Triples, Game, A's	6, August 15 vs. Kansas City (8th)
Most Triples, Game, Opponents	6, August 6 at Los Angeles-AL (8th)
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's	8, August 12 vs. Baltimore (1st)
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents	5, June 28 at Houston
Most Strikeouts, Opponents Pitchers	6, May 2 at Minnesota
Most Strikeouts, A's Pitchers	7, August 6 at Los Angeles (AL)
Most Strikeouts, Opponents Pitchers	7, June 22 vs. Houston
Most Strikeouts, A's Pitchers	8, August 12 vs. Baltimore
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's Pitchers	1 (11 times), last: August 14 vs. Kansas City
Fewest Hits Allowed, Opponents Pitchers	2, July 22 at New York (NL)
Most Left on Base, Nine Inning Game	2, June 9 at Tampa Bay
Most Left on Base, Extra Inning Game	2, May 5 vs. Detroit
Fewest Left on Base, Game	6, July 5 vs. Chicago (AL)
Most Errors, Game	5, April 15 vs. Houston
Largest Comeback in Win	15, July 30 vs. Minnesota
Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss	15, June 10 at Tampa Bay (G#1)
	19, May 30 at Cleveland
	8, July 30 vs. Minnesota
	8, July 3 vs. Chicago (AL)
	8, April 15 vs. Houston
	10, July 2 vs. Atlanta
	2, May 27 at New York (AL)
	2, April 8 at Texas
	2 (five times), last: July 24 at Toronto
	13, May 4 at Minnesota
	13, June 10 at Tampa Bay (G#1) (10)
	1, July 24 at Toronto
	3 (nine times), last: August 8 vs. Seattle
	5, August 6 at Los Angeles (AL)
	5, July 30 vs. Minnesota
	5, July 22 at New York (NL)
	5, April 15 vs. Houston

INDIVIDUAL

Grand Slams	Marcus Semien, July 31 vs. San Francisco (George Kontos)
Pinch Hit Home Runs	Ryon Healy, June 27 at Houston (James Hoyt)
Lead Off Home Runs	Matt Joyce, June 4 vs. Washington (Shawn Kelley)
Inside-The-Park Home Runs	Josh Phegley, April 25 at Los Angeles-AL (Jose Alvarez)
Game Ending Home Runs	Matt Joyce, August 9 vs. Seattle (Yovani Gallardo)
None	Matt Joyce, July 22 at New York-NL (Zach Wheeler)
Yonder Alonso, July 30 vs. Minnesota (Tyler Duffey)	Adam Rosales, April 22 vs. Seattle (Ariel Miranda)
Rajai Davis, July 29 vs. Minnesota (Taylor Rogers)	Khrist Davis, July 15 vs. Cleveland (Bryan Shaw)
Franklin Barreto, July 4 vs. Chicago-AL (Tommy Kahnle)	Mark Canha, May 19 vs. Boston (Heath Hembree)
Jed Lowrie, May 8 vs. Los Angeles-AL (Deolis Guerra)	Ryon Healy, May 7 vs. Detroit (Francisco Rodriguez)
Adam Rosales and Matt Joyce, June 25 at Chicago (AL)	Yonder Alonso and Ryon Healy, June 3 vs. Washington
Yonder Alonso and Ryon Healy, May 29 at Cleveland	Jed Lowrie and Khrist Davis, May 18 vs. Boston
11, Ryon Healy, May 13 to 24	4, Rajai Davis, June 7 vs. Toronto
4 (seven times), last: Chad Pinder, August 6 at Los Angeles (AL)	2 (20 times), last: Matt Chapman, August 12 vs. Baltimore
2 (20 times), last: Matt Chapman, August 12 vs. Baltimore	1 (11 times), last: Marcus Semien, August 14 vs. Kansas City
2 (13 times), last: Matt Chapman, July 15 vs. Cleveland	5, Ryon Healy, June 5 vs. Toronto
3 (four times), last: Yonder Alonso, July 31 vs. San Francisco	4 (six times), last: Khrist Davis, June 17 vs. New York (AL)
4, Rajai Davis, July 5 vs. Chicago (AL)	5, Sean Manaea, May 20 to June 10
4, Jharel Cotton, May 9 to June 13	11, Sonny Gray, May 24 vs. Miami
4, Andrew Triggs, May 21 to present	5, Jharel Cotton, July 30 vs. Minnesota
5, Sean Manaea, May 15 at Seattle	5, Sean Manaea, April 15 vs. Houston
8.0, Sonny Gray, June 30 vs. Atlanta	8.0, Jesse Hahn, April 25 at Los Angeles (AL)
6.0, Michael Brady, August 1 vs. San Francisco	6.0, Jesse Hahn, April 7 at Texas
None	13.2, Andrew Triggs, April 6 to 18
21, Sonny Gray, June 30 to July 5	

GENERAL

Longest Game, Innings	12, July 30 vs. Minnesota
Longest Game, Time, Nine Innings	4:12, August 6 at Los Angeles (AL)
Longest Game, Time, Extra Innings	4:29, June 15 vs. New York-AL (10)
Shortest Game, Time	2:28, August 3 at San Francisco
Largest Crowd, Home	40,019, July 3 at Chicago (AL)
Smallest Crowd, Home	9,736, July 17 vs. Tampa Bay
Largest Crowd, Road	47,484, July 27 at Toronto
Smallest Crowd, Road	13,153, June 9 at Tampa Bay
Postponement, Rain, Home	April 16 vs. Houston
Postponement, Rain, Road	None

MULTIPLE HIT GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	TOT
Alonso	19	3	1	0	23
Barreto	3	0	0	0	3
Brugman	9	1	0	0	10
Canha	2	2	0	0	4
Chapman	7	1	0	0	8
Davis, K	25	5	0	0	30
Davis, R	12	1	2	0	15
Decker	1	1	0	0	2
Healy	26	6	1	0	33
Joyce	15	3	0	0	18
Lowrie	25	9	1	0	35
Maxwell	3	3	0	0	6
Olson	3	0	0	0	3
Phegley	5	0	0	0	5
Pinder	8	2	1	0	11
Plouffe	4	1	0	0	5
Rosales	7	0	0	0	7
Semien	7	1	1	0	9
Vogt	8	0	0	0	8

MULTIPLE RBI GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	6	TOT
Alonso	8	4	0	0	0	12
Barreto	2	0	0	0	0	2
Brugman	2	0	0	0	0	2
Canha	1	2	0	0	0	3
Chapman	3	3	0	0	0	6
Davis, K	20	1	3	0	0	24
Davis, R	4	0	0	0	0	4
Gameau	1	0	0	0	0	1
Healy	11	3	1	1	0	16
Joyce	10	2	2	0	0	14
Lavarway	1	0	0	0	0	1
Lowrie	7	1	1	0	0	9
Maxwell	3	0	0	0	0	3
Olson	4	0	1	0	0	5
Phegley	1	0	0	0	0	1
Plouffe	0	1	0	0	0	1
Pinder	7	1	0	0	0	8
Rosales	6	0	0	0	0	6
Semien	3	0	1	0	0	4
Vogt	3	1	0	0	0	4

GAME TYING/GO-AHEAD RBI

PLAYER	GT	GA	TOT
Alonso	4	11	15
Barreto	0	1	1
Brugman	0	1	1
Canha	2	3	5
Chapman	3	6	9
Davis, K	7	25	32
Davis, R	4	5	9
Healy	7	16	23
Joyce	6	10	16
Lowrie	5	7	12
Maxwell	2	2	4
Olson	2	2	4
Phegley	0	2	2
Pinder	4	6	10
Plouffe	2	2	4
Rosales	7	5	12
Semien	3	6	9
Vogt	0	5	5

STARTS IN THE BATTING ORDER

Player	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Alonso	-	2	15	9	46	6	6	3	-
Barreto	-	2	-	-	-	1	2	3	2
Brugman	5	-	-	-	-	-	5	14	16
Canha	1	6	-	-	-	2	6	10	1
Chapman	-	1	-	-	1	5	25	10	-
Davis, K	-	-	9	107	-	-	-	-	-
Davis, R	46	3	-	-	-	-	1	3	17
Decker	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	4
Gameau	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
Healy	-	3	27	4	29	46	1	-	-
Joyce	51	18	-	-	-	3	7	14	3
LaMarre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Lavarway	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	-
Lowrie	-	17	67	-	20	5	-	-	-
Maxwell	-	-	-	-	2	7	12	18	1
Olson	-	8	-	-	1	6	2	-	1
Phegley	-	-	-	-	1	5	4	18	9
Pinder	-	16	-	-	3	9	11	8	1
Plouffe	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Powell	2	4	-	-	-	1	2	5	45
Rosales	6	35	-	-	-	-	-	1	4
Semien	-	1	1	-	13	8	19	1	-
Vogt	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

GAMES BY POSITION

Player	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH	
	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS
Alonso	-	-	96	86	-	-	-	-	1	1
Barreto	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	8	7	-
Brugman	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	3	41	37
Canha	-	-	2	-	-	-	12	8	7	6
Chapman	-	-	-	-	-	-	42	42	-	-
Davis, K	-	-	-	-	-	-	90	89	-	-
Davis, R	-	-	-	-	-	16	8	74	59	3
Decker	-	-	-	-	-	1	13	12	4	3
Gameau	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Healy	-	-	27	26	-	-	33	30	-	-
Joyce	-	-	-	-	-	10	8	-	93	84
LaMarre	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	-	-
Lavarway	5	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lowrie	-	-	-	102	99	-	-	-	-	10
Maxwell	46	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Olson	-	-	13	8	-	-	-	-	10	10
Phegley	46	37	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pinder	-	-	-	13	11	-	20	17	2	2
Plouffe	-	-	-	-	52	47	-	-	-	-
Powell	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	-	-
Rosales	-	-	-	8	7	4	1	55	50	1
Semien	-	-	-	-	46	46	-	-	-	-
Vogt	43	36	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	8

HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

Player	2017 HOME RUNS				Tot.	LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN				GP Since
	Solo	2R	3R	GS		Date	Opponent	Pitcher		
Chapman	6	0	2	0	8	August 13, 2017	Baltimore	Hellickson	2	
Davis, K	15	14	4	0	33	August 15, 2017	Kansas City	Hammel	—	
Davis, R	3	2	0	0	5	August 3, 2017	at San Francisco	Blach	5	
Garneau	0	0	0	0	0	April 4, 2017	Los Angeles (NL)	Ryu	23	
Healy	10	7	3	1	21	August 8, 2017	Seattle	Miranda	6	
Joyce	7	8	1	1	17	August 15, 2017	Kansas City	Hammel	—	
Lowrie	8	2	0	0	10	July 16, 2017	Cleveland	Otero	27	
Maxwell	1	0	0	0	1	July 6, 2017	at Seattle	Gaviglio	27	
Olson	5	3	0	0	8	August 15, 2017	Kansas City	Hammel	—	
Phegley	3	0	0	0	3	June 10, 2017	at Tampa Bay G#2	Hu	16	
Pinder	4	6	0	0	10	August 6, 2017	at Los Angeles (AL)	Petit	6	
Powell	0	0	0	0	0	—	—	—	22	
Semien	2	1	1	0	4	July 31, 2017	San Francisco	Kontos	14	
others	34	13	3	0	50					
Team	96	54	13	3	166					

A'S AT A GLANCE

Season High	10-8 (April 22)
Season Low	—15 (four times, last: 52-67 on 8/15)
April	11-14
May	12-15
June	12-16
July	12-14
August	6-8
September	0-0
Home Series	10-6-4
Road Series	3-13-2
Series Sweeps	3-8
First Game of Series	14-25
Last Game of Series	15-23
A's Score First	29-24
Opponent Scores First	24-43
Leading After 7th	39-7
Leading After 8th	44-5
Tied After 7th	5-5
Tied After 8th	5-6
Trailing After 7th	9-55
Trailing After 8th	4-56
Commit No Errors	28-30
Commit 1 or More Errors	25-37
More HR Than Opp.	36-15
Fewer HR Than Opp.	5-30
Same Total HR of Opp.	12-22
Starter Pitches 7 or More	14-10
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	39-57
When Scoring 4 or More	44-29
When Scoring Less Than 4	9-38
Last At Bat	14-12
Replay Challenges	11-15
Different Lineups	108

MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs
Davis, K	Hits	499	1 for 500
Davis, R	Stolen Bases	390	10 for 400
	Stolen Bases with Oak	141	3 for 144 (ties Jackson for 6th in Oakland history)
Hatcher	Games	193	7 for 200
Semien	Doubles	72	28 for 100

WALK-OFF WINS (9)

Adam Rosales, May 6 vs. Detroit (single)
 Ryon Healy, May 7 vs. Detroit (home run)
 Jed Lowrie, May 8 vs. Los Angeles-AL (home run)
 Mark Canha, May 19 vs. Boston (home run)
 Khris Davis, June 15 vs. New York-AL (single)
 Franklin Barreto, July 4 vs. Chicago-AL (home run)
 Khris Davis, July 15 vs. Cleveland (home run)
 Rajai Davis, July 29 vs. Minnesota (home run)
 Yonder Alonso, July 30 vs. Minnesota (home run)

DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Axford	Strained right shoulder	April 2-May 19	43	Hahn	Strained right triceps	May 24-June 5	12
Bassitt	Right UCL surgery	March 30-July 24	99	Manaea	Strained left shoulder	April 27-May 14	16
Chapman	Left knee cellulitis	June 19-July 2	13	Mengden	Right foot surgery	March 30-May 19	42
Cotton	Right thumb blister	July 4-29	21	Phegley	Concussion	May 4-11	7
Davis, R.	Strained left hamstring	April 22-May 1	8	Phegley	Strained left oblique	July 25-present	21
Doolittle	Strained left shoulder	April 30-June 9	36	Pinder	Strained left hamstring	June 24-July 30	31
Dull	Strained right knee	May 20-July 26	59	Semien	Fractured scaphoid bone	April 15-July 5	74
Fowler	Ruptured right patellar tendon	July 31-present	15	Smolinski	Right shoulder surgery	March 30-present	120
Graveman	Strained right shoulder	April 15-26	10	Triggs	Strained left hip	June 10-present	60
Graveman	Strained right shoulder	May 26-August 2	62	Wahl	Strained right shoulder	May 24-present	75
Gray	Strained right shoulder	March 30-April 30	25	Wendle	Strained right shoulder	March 30-April 28	23

The A's have used the disabled list 22 times this season...used the DL an Oakland record 27 times last year

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

May 24	Bobby Wahl placed on the 10-day DL (strained right shoulder); Zach Neal selected from Nashville; Chris Bassitt returned from rehab	June 24	Franklin Barreto recalled from Nashville; Chad Pinder placed on the 10-day disabled list (strained left hamstring)	July 25	Chris Bassitt reinstated from the disabled list and optioned to Nashville; Bobby Wahl transferred to 60-day disabled list and transferred to Nashville on rehab
May 27	Jesse Hahn placed on the 10-day DL retroactive to May 24 (strained right triceps); Jharel Cotton recalled from Nashville	June 25	Stephen Vogt claimed off waivers by Milwaukee	July 27	Ryan Dull reinstated from disabled list; Ryan Lavarney selected from Nashville; Josh Phegley placed on 10-day disabled list retroactive to July 25 (strained left oblique); John Axford designated for assignment
May 29	Kendall Graveman placed on the 10-day DL retroactive to May 26 (strained right shoulder); Daniel Mengden recalled from Nashville	June 28	Chris Bassitt sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment	July 30	Jharel Cotton reinstated from the disabled list; Frankie Montas optioned to Nashville; John Axford released
May 31	Jesse Hahn sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment	July 1	Paul Blackburn recalled from Nashville; Josh Smith optioned to Nashville; Matt Chapman sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment; Marcus Semien transferred to Nashville on rehab	July 31	Sonny Gray traded to the New York Yankees with \$1.5 million international bonus slot cash in exchange for Dustin Fowler, Jorge Mateo and minor leaguer James Kaprielian; Dustin Fowler placed on the 60-day DL (ruptured right patellar tendon); Adam Rosales traded to Arizona for minor leaguer Jefferson Mejia; Chad Pinder reinstated from the disabled list; Michael Brady recalled from Nashville
June 2	Sean Doolittle sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment	July 2	Zach Neal recalled from Nashville; Jesse Hahn optioned to Nashville	Aug. 2	Mark Canha recalled from Nashville; Michael Brady optioned to Nashville
June 3	Matt Olson recalled from Nashville; Daniel Mengden optioned to Nashville	July 3	Matt Chapman reinstated from the disabled list; Matt Olson optioned to Nashville	Aug. 3	Kendall Graveman reinstated from the disabled list; Daniel Gossett optioned to Nashville
June 5	Jesse Hahn reinstated from the disabled list; Matt Olson optioned to Nashville	July 5	Josh Phegley placed on the paternity list; Ryan Lavarney selected from Nashville	Aug. 4	Dustin Garneau claimed off waivers
June 7	Sean Doolittle transferred to Nashville on rehab	July 6	Marcus Semien reinstated from the disabled list; Jharel Cotton placed on the 10-day disabled list retroactive to July 4 (right thumb blister); Andrew Triggs transferred to the 60-day disabled list	Aug. 5	Ryan Lavarney designated for assignment; Matt Joyce placed on suspended list
June 9	Jacob Brugman recalled from Nashville; Mark Canha optioned to Nashville	July 8	Chris Smith selected from Nashville; Josh Phegley reinstated from the paternity list; Franklin Barreto optioned to Nashville; Ryan Lavarney designated for assignment	Aug. 6	Yonder Alonso traded to Seattle for Boog Powell; Bobby Wahl returned from rehab assignment
June 10	Sean Doolittle reinstated from the disabled list; Andrew Triggs placed on the 10-day disabled list (strained left hip); Matt Olson recalled from Nashville	July 14	Ryan Lavarney outrighted to Nashville	Aug. 7	Matt Joyce reinstated from suspended list
June 11	Frankie Montas optioned to Nashville	July 16	Sean Doolittle and Ryan Madson traded to Washington for Blake Treinen and minor leaguers Sheldon Neuse and Jesus Luzardo; Simon Castro selected from Nashville	Aug. 8	Matt Olson recalled from Nashville; Ryan Lavarney outrighted to Nashville
June 14	Daniel Gossett selected from Nashville; Matt Olson optioned to Nashville	July 18	Chad Pinder sent to Nashville on a rehab assignment	Aug. 11	Michael Brady and Boog Powell recalled from Nashville; Jacob Brugman and Mark Canha optioned to Nashville
June 15	Matt Chapman selected from Nashville; Trevor Plouffe designated for assignment	July 19	Zach Neal and Michael Brady optioned to Nashville; Jharel Cotton and Kendall Graveman sent to Nashville on a rehab assignment; Ryan Dull sent to Arizona on a rehab assignment	Aug. 12	Jake Smolinski sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment
June 17	Michael Brady selected from Nashville; Zach Neal optioned to Nashville; Ryan LaMarre designated for assignment; Trevor Plouffe traded to Tampa Bay with cash for a player to be named later or cash	July 20	Bobby Wahl sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment	Aug. 15	Chris Hatcher acquired from the Los Angeles Dodgers for \$500,000 international slot money
June 21	Ryan LaMarre released	July 21	Frankie Montas and Matt Olson recalled from Nashville; Ryan Dull transferred to Nashville on rehab	Aug. 16	Josh Smith optioned to Nashville; Sam Moll acquired from Colorado for a player to be named later or cash and optioned to Nashville
June 22	Bruce Maxwell and Matt Olson recalled from Nashville; Stephen Vogt designated for assignment; Matt Chapman placed on the 10-day disabled list retroactive to June 19 (left knee cellulitis)	July 24	Josh Smith recalled from Nashville; Matt Olson optioned to Nashville		
June 23	Marcus Semien sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment				

