

A'S NEWS LINKS, TUESDAY, MAY 8, 2018

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A's can't contain Astros in lopsided loss

by Jane Lee

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Baseball world mourns loss of Piscotty's mother

By Jane Lee

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Darvish, Lester donate in memory of Piscotty's mother

by Carrie Muskat

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Cards support Piscotty after mom's passing

by Joe Trezza

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Brett Anderson hit hard in A's loss; Astros' George Springer records six hits

by Susan Slusser

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Gretchen Piscotty, mother of A's outfielder, dies a year after ALS diagnosis

by Susan Slusser

<https://www.sfchronicle.com/athletics/article/Gretchen-Piscotty-mother-of-A-s-outfielder-12894255.php>

A's Matt Chapman breaks down his recent hitting woes

by Susan Slusser

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Astros leave no doubt in pounding A's in series opener

by Jerry McDonald

<https://www.mercurynews.com/2018/05/07/astros-leave-no-doubt-in-pounding-as-in-series-opener/>

A's outfielder Stephen Piscotty got to see his mother one last time

by Jerry McDonald

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Mother of A's Stephen Piscotty dies at 55 of Lou Gehrig's disease

by Martin Gallegos

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NBC SPORTS CALIFORNIA

Gretchen Piscotty, mother of A's OF Stephen Piscotty, passes away

by Staff

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ASSOCIATED PRESS

Springer goes 6 for 6, ties Astros mark in 16-2 rout of A's

by Michael Wagaman

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Piscotty loses mom, less than year after her ALS diagnosis

by Staff

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George Springer discusses parallels between Astros and A's before record-setting night at the plate

By Julian McWilliams

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by Melissa Lockard

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Oakland Athletics: Reunion goes awry as Anderson crumbles

by Ryan Gorcey

<http://www.sfexaminer.com/oakland-athletics-reunion-goes-awry-anderson-crumbles/>

Oakland Athletics: Stephen Piscotty absent after mother's death

by Ryan Gorcey

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Springer, Astros bury A's under 16-run barrage

by Kalama Hines

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MLB stock watch: Is your team a buyer or a seller?

by Bradford Doolittle

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Gretchen Piscotty, mother of Athletics' Stephen Piscotty, dies at 55

by Staff

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HOUSTON CHONICLE

Astros manager A.J. Hinch sends condolence to A's Stephen Piscotty

by Hunter Atkins

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Oakland Athletics outfielder loses mom to ALS

by Leslie Dyste

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USA TODAY

Yu Darvish, Jon Lester donate \$10,000 to ALS research in honor of Stephen Piscotty's mom

by Tom Schad

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by Gabe Lacques

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Taj Tashombe's plan to keep A's in Oakland for long haul is rooted in fan base's diversity

by Rhiannon Walker

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Stephen Piscotty's mother, Gretchen, dies one year after ALS diagnosis

by Ben Fredrickson

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Yu Darvish, Jon Lester Donate \$10,000 Each to ALS Research in Memory Of Stephen Piscotty's Mother

by Khadrice Rollins

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YAHOO SPORTS!

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by Liz Roscher

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Cardinal fans show support for Stephen Piscotty, after losing his mother to ALS

by Jeff Bernthal

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Mother of A's outfielder Stephen Piscotty passes away after battle with ALS

by Dayn Perry

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Yu Darvish donates \$10,000 to ALS research in honor of Stephen Piscotty's mother

by Satchel Price

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NBC BAY AREA

Cubs Pitcher Makes \$10,000 Donation in Memory of Gretchen Piscotty

by Staff

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A's OF Stephen Piscotty's mom Gretchen dies at 55, less than a year after ALS diagnosis; Yu Darvish donates \$10K in her memory

by Andrew Bucholtz

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Baseball's most heartbreaking story ends with mom's death

By Howie Kussoy

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Oakland Athletics' Outfielder Stephen Piscotty's Mother Dies at 55 After Battle with ALS

by Maria Pasquini

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50 colorful Stomper statues have taken over Oakland

by Sarah M

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