



2018 HOUSTON ASTROS MEDIA INFORMATION

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HOUSTON ASTROS (18-10) VS. OAKLAND ATHLETICS (14-13)

RHP GERRIT COLE (2-1, 1.29) VS. RHP TREVOR CAHILL (1-0, 2.25)

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GAME #29	HOME #15
ABOUT THE RECORD	
Overall Record:.....	18-10
Home Record:.....	8-6
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--with Roof Open/Closed:.....	0-0
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Current Streak:.....	Won 1
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Series Record (prior to current series):.....	5-3-0
Sweeps:.....	2-0
When Scoring 4 or More Runs:.....	14-3
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Outhit Opponent:.....	14-2
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Equal Hits:.....	2-1
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No Home Runs:.....	5-6
Walkoff Home Runs:.....	0-1
Come-from-Behind Wins:.....	5
Largest Comeback:.....	1
Losses After Leading:.....	5
Last At-Bat Wins:.....	2
Largest Blown Lead:.....	5
Extra-Inning Games:.....	1-2
Different Batting Orders:.....	25
After Six Innings:	
Lead: 15-2..... Tied: 3-0..... Trail: 0-8	
After Seven Innings:	
Lead: 16-1..... Tied: 2-0..... Trail: 0-9	
After Eight Innings:	
Lead: 17-0..... Tied: 1-2..... Trail: 0-8	
ASTROS VS. ATHLETICS (2018):	
Overall:.....	1-1
At Minute Maid Park:.....	1-1
At Oakland Coliseum:.....	0-0
ASTROS VS. ATHLETICS (ALL-TIME):	
Overall:.....	49-54
Record in Houston:.....	27-25
Record in Oakland:.....	22-29

TODAY'S MEDIA AVAILABILITY

The Astros clubhouse will be open from 10:10-11 a.m....manager AJ Hinch will be available at approx. 11 a.m.

THIS DATE IN ASTROS HISTORY - APRIL 29

2005 - Two milestones occur in the Astros 3-2 loss to the Cubs at Minute Maid Park. First, for the first time in 113 years, a NL game features 2 starting pitchers with over 300 wins in their careers. The Cub's Greg Maddux defeats Roger Clemens in the game. Secondly, Jeff Bagwell hits the 449th and final homer of his Hall of Fame career.

TODAY'S GAME: The defending World Series Champion Houston Astros host the Oakland A's this afternoon in the rubber match of this 3-game set at Minute Maid Park...**RHP Gerrit Cole (2-1)** will take on A's RHP Trevor Cahill (1-0)...this marks the 1st series of the season between the Astros and the A's.

KING COLE: RHP Gerrit Cole has had an outstanding start to his Astros career...he currently leads the AL in strikeouts with 49 while ranking 2nd in ERA with a 1.29 clip...his 49 K's are T-5th best all-time for a pitcher in his 1st 5 starts with a team...his 49 K's are tied for the most all-time in team history for a single April with **RHP Mike Scott** (1987).

OUT OF THE BLOCKS: At 18-10, the Astros own the 2nd-best record in the AL, behind BOS (19-7)...HOU's 18-10 mark is 1 win shy of the best 28-game start in club history, last reached by the 2017 club (19-9)...the 2017 club was 19-10 after 29 games.

LAST NIGHT'S RECAP: The Astros blanked the A's last night, 11-0...**RHP Lance McCullers, Jr.** (4-1) allowed just 2 hits and no walks in 7.0 scoreless frames to earn the victory...on offense, HOU tallied 13 hits, including a season-high 4 HR...**Jose Altuve** led the attack, going 4x5 with a HR and 2 RBI...**George Springer, Derek Fisher** and **Marwin Gonzalez** also homered.

SIR LANCE: With last night's win, **RHP Lance McCullers, Jr.** is 3-0 in his last 3 starts with a 1.35 ERA (3ER/20IP) with 3 BB and 21 K's...**One Mulligan:** McCullers has had one poor outing this season, allowing 8 ER on 4/11 at MIN...in his other 5 starts, he is 4-0 with a 1.78 ERA (6ER/30.1IP)...in 34.0 IP overall, he has tallied 44 K's.

PERFECT EARLY: Astros starting pitchers have carried perfect games into the 5th inning in each of the last 3 games...according to Elias, this marked the 1st time in franchise history that this has occurred...McCullers (5.0 perfect), Keuchel (4.1 perfect) and Verlander (4.2 perfect) each carried perfect games into the 5th inn.

FOUR-HIT CLUB: **Jose Altuve** had his 26th career 4-hit game last night, which matches **Jeff Bagwell** for 2nd all-time in franchise history...**Craig Biggio** has the club record with 34 4-hit games.

OLD FAITHFUL: **Jose Altuve**, who has won 3 of the last 4 AL batting titles, is 6x12 in his last 3 games, raising his avg. to .351 on the season...he now ranks 3rd in the AL in batting behind Manny Machado (.358) and Didi Gregorius (.356).

HOME COOKIN: Today is the 6th game of a 10-game homestand for the Astros (2-3 thus far)...they were 1-2 vs. LAA in what was the 1st series of this 'stand and are 1-1 vs. OAK thus far with 1 game to play...after today, HOU will host the Yankees for 4 gms, Mon.-Thu.

SMALL INHERITANCE: The Astros bullpen has combined to allow just one of 18 inherited runners to score in 2018...that is the best pct rate in the Majors (5.6%).

CARLOS CALIENTE: Since 4/16, **Carlos Correa** has hit safely in 12 straight games at a .419 clip (18x43) with 2 HR, 8 RBI and a 1.137 OPS...he has the longest active streak in the Majors currently and ranks 4th in the AL in batting in that span...**ROAD KILLER:** Correa also leads the Majors in road batting with a .462 clip (24x52) with 5 2B, 3 HR, 12 RBI and a 1.246 OPS...his teammate **Jose Altuve** is 3rd in road batting (.397).

Highest Road BA - MLB

1. C. Correa - .462
2. D. Robertson - .414
3. J. Altuve - .397

THROW THAT LEATHER: The Astros have played 9 consecutive games without an error and currently rank T-2nd in the Majors in fielding pct. with a .992 clip...the club's last error was on 4/18 at SEA (G. Cole)...**additionally, an Astros position player has not made an error in the last 18 games (last was 4/8/18 vs. SD, A. Bregman)...HOU has just 1 error in the last 18 games (source: Robert Ford).**

TOP FIELDING CLUBS - MLB

1. Boston - .993
2. Houston - .992
2. Arizona - .992

IN THE DAYTIME: The Astros have gone 8-2 in their 10 day games this season, giving them the best winning percentage in day games in the AL (.800).

Win Pct. - Day Games (AL)

1. Houston: 8-2 (.800)
2. New York: 7-3 (.700)
3. Boston: 6-3 (.667)

RECENT STROS: The Astros have won 8 of their last 11 games...they recently enjoyed a season-long 6-game win streak, 4/17-22...it was their longest streak since winning 6 straight from Sept. 14-20, 2017...also, the recent 6-game streak is the Astros longest **road** winning streak of 2018, and their longest since a 6-game streak from Sept. 14-29, 2017.

PITCHER OF THE MONTH?: RHP **Justin Verlander** is a solid candidate for the AL Pitcher of the Month for March/April...he currently is T-1st in the AL in wins (4), is 2nd strikeouts (48), opp. avg. (.151) and WHIP (0.73), 3rd in ERA (1.36).

PITCHING IN: The Astros have posted a Major League-best 2.54 ERA in 28 games (71ER/251.2IP)...their starters have combined to post a 2.44 ERA (47ER/173.2IP), which is also tops in the Majors.

TEAM ERA (MLB)

1. HOU: 2.54
2. ARI: 2.91
2. MIL: 3.17

STARTERS ERA (MLB)

1. HOU: 2.44
2. BOS: 3.03
3. CLE: 3.09

FOR STARTERS: Astros starting pitchers have 2 of the top 3 ERA's in the AL...additionally, **RHP Gerrit Cole** also leads the AL in strikeouts.

AL LEADERS, ERA

1. Sean Manaea - 1.03
2. Gerrit Cole - 1.29
3. Justin Verlander - 1.36

AL LEADERS, STRIKEOUTS

1. Gerrit Cole - 49
2. Justin Verlander - 48
3. Corey Kluber - 47

UPCOMING SCHEDULE AND PROBABLE PITCHING MATCHUPS (ALL TIMES CENTRAL)

DATE	TIME	OPPONENT	PITCHERS	TELEVISION
Monday, April 30	7:10	New York (AL)	RHP Charlie Morton (3-0, 1.86) vs. RHP Sonny Gray (1-1, 7.71)	AT&T Sportsnet SW
Tuesday, May 1	7:10	New York (AL)	RHP Justin Verlander (4-0, 1.36) vs. LHP Jordan Montgomery (2-0, 3.76)	AT&T Sportsnet SW
Wednesday, May 2	7:10	New York (AL)	LHP Dallas Keuchel (1-4, 4.00) vs. RHP Luis Severino (4-1, 2.61)	AT&T Sportsnet SW
Thursday, May 3	1:10	New York (AL)	RHP Lance McCullers, Jr. (4-1, 3.71) vs. RHP Masahiro Tanaka (4-2, 4.37)	AT&T Sportsnet SW

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WORLD SERIES CHAMPIONS 2017 | AL CHAMPIONS 2017 | NL CHAMPIONS 2005

AL WEST CHAMPIONS 2017 | AL WILD CARD 2015 | NL WILD CARD 2004, 2005 | NL CENTRAL CHAMPIONS 1997, 1998, 1999, 2001 | NL WEST CHAMPIONS 1980, 1986

TODAY'S ASTROS STARTER: RHP GERRIT COLE

	W-L	ERA	G	GS	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2018:	2-1	1.29	5	5	35.0	19	6	5	8	49
CAREER:	61-43	3.40	132	132	817.1	768	333	309	211	783
	W-L	ERA	G	GS	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2017:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAREER:	0-1	2.57	1	1	7.0	5	2	2	2	4

Career Complete Games: 1
 Career Shutouts: 0
CAREER MLB GAME-HIGHS:
 Strikeouts: 14, 4/13/18 vs. TEX
 Walks: 4 (6x), last, 9/17/17 at CIN
 Hits: 12 (2x), last, 8/19/16 vs. MIA
 Earned Runs: 7 (3x), last, 6/30/17 vs. SF
 Innings Pitched: 9.0, 7/27/16 vs. SEA
 Low-Hit CG: 3, 7/27/16 vs. SEA

CAREER MLB SPLITS:
 Home: 25-20, 3.46 ERA, 67G/GS, 161ER/418.1IP
 Away: 36-23, 3.34 ERA, 65G/GS, 148ER/399IP
 Minute Maid Park: 0-1, 1.71 ERA, 3G/GS, 4ER/21IP
 Day: 22-15, 3.52 ERA, 46G/GS, 112ER/286.2IP
 Night: 39-28, 3.34 ERA, 86G/GS, 197ER/530.2IP
 Longest Winning Streak: 8, 9/7/14-4/29/15
 Longest Losing Streak: 5, 8/7/16-4/3/17

2018 SPLITS:
 Home: 0-1, 1.71 ERA, 3G/GS, 4ER/21IP
 Away: 2-0, 0.64 ERA, 2G/GS, 1ER/14IP
 Day: 1-0, 1.29 ERA, 1G/GS, 1ER/7IP
 Night: 1-1, 1.29 ERA, 4G/GS, 4ER/28IP
 Longest Winning Streak: 2, 4/1-18
 Longest Losing Streak: 1, 4/23-current

LAST START - 4/23 VS. LAA: was handed his 1st loss of the season on Monday after allowing 2 runs on 4 hits in 7.0 innings in the Astros 2-0 loss to the Angels...retired the first 13 batters he faced, losing his perfect game bid with one out in the 5th inning...had gone 7.0 consecutive hitless innings dating back to his previous start.

COLE TRAIN: 27-year-old and **2015 NL All-Star** is making his 6th start of the season...has been dominant in his outings, combining to strike out 49 hitters thru his first 5 starts (35IP).

- was acquired from the Pirates on Jan. 13, 2018 in exchange for 4 young players: **RHP Michael Feliz**, **OF Jason Martin**, **IF Colin Moran** and **RHP Joe Musgrove**...former #1 overall selection by Pittsburgh in 2011, was the Pirates 2017 Opening Day starter.

DEALING SEVENS: has gone 7.0 innings and allowed 2-or-fewer earned runs in all 5 of his starts this season...is the only pitcher in club history to start his career with the Astros with 5 starts matching that criteria.

- is the 2nd pitcher in club history to throw at least 7.0 innings while allowing 2 runs or fewer in each of his first 5 starts of a season, joining **LHP Dallas Keuchel** who did so in his first 6 starts of the 2017 season...this also marks the first time in his career that Cole has had a 5-start streak of 7.0+ innings with 2 runs or fewer.

AMONG THE LEADERS: leads the AL in strikeouts (49), with 1 more than 2nd-place **Justin Verlander** (48)...also ranks 2nd in strikeouts per 9.0 innings (12.60), 2nd in ERA (1.29) and 3rd in opponent batting average (.160).

SELECT COMPANY: per the Elias Sports Bureau, Cole's 49 strikeouts on the year tie him for the 5th-most strikeouts ever recorded by a pitcher in his first 5 starts with a team...tied with **Nolan Ryan** (49 in 1989 for TEX) and **Bob Feller** (49 in 1936 for CLE), behind **Herb Score** (50 in 1955 for CLE), **Pedro Martinez** (51 in 1998 for BOS), **Chris Sale** (52 in 2017 for BOS) and **Randy Johnson** (55 in 1999 for ARI).

OUT OF THE GATE: in his 1st 3 starts of the season, struck out 11, 11 and 14... joined **RHP Nolan Ryan** as the only pitchers in MLB history (since 1908) to start a season by recording 11+ strikeouts in 3 consecutive games, Ryan doing so in his 1st 3 starts with the Angels in 1973.

- became the 4th pitcher in club history to string together 3 consecutive starts with 11+ strikeouts at any point in a season, joining **RHP J.R. Richard** (3x), **LHP Randy Johnson** (1998) and **RHP Mike Scott** (1986).

- set a franchise record for strikeouts by a pitcher over his first 3 games with the club...bested the previous record of 33 strikeouts set by **LHP Randy Johnson** over his first 3 starts of the 1998 season...per STATS, the 36 strikeouts were the 2nd-most by a pitcher in his first 3 games of a season in the live-ball era behind the 37 posted by **RHP Nolan Ryan** for the Angels in 1973.

- over parts of his 3 starts, posted a scoreless inning streak of 19.0 innings, which ranks as the longest scoreless streak in the Majors this season.

14 STRIKEOUT GEM: struck out a career-high 14 batters in a 7.0-inning, 2-run gem on April 13 vs. TEX...prior to this outing, no MLB pitcher since pitch count data started being tracked in 1947 had ever recorded 14 strikeouts in a game on 93 pitches or less...the previous best was 13 K's by **LHP Alex Wood** (93 pitches in 2016), **RHP Ricky Nolasco** (93 pitches in 2008) and **RHP Greg Maddux** (81 pitches in 2000).

- marked the most strikeouts by an Astro in a single game since **RHP Bud Norris** also struck out 14 on Aug. 14, 2010 vs. PIT...those 14 strikeouts are a Minute Maid Park record by an Astro.

COLE VS. ATHLETICS (CAREER)														
DATE	RESULT	W/L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR					
7/9/13	OAK	L 1-2	L 1	7.0	5	2	2	2	4					
		AVG	AB	H	HR	BB	SO		AVG	AB	H	HR	BB	SO
	Davis	.167	12	2	0	1	5	Lucroy	.368	19	7	0	1	2
	Lowrie	.333	3	1	0	0	0	Piscotty	.250	16	4	0	0	5

2018 SPRING TRAINING DAY BY DAYS												
DATE	OPP	RESULT	W/L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	TP	
2/25	at STL	W 7-3	W 1	2.0	0	0	0	0	2	0	30	
3/2	NYM	T 7-7	-	3.0	2	1	1	2	2	0	53	
3/7	MIA	L 6-7	-	3.2	4	0	0	1	4	0	69	
3/13	at NYM	W 6-1	W 2	4.0	4	1	1	2	7	1	77	
3/18	ATL	L 3-6	L 1	5.0	7	3	2	1	3	0	72	
3/23	at WSH	W 3-1	W 3	3.1	5	1	1	2	6	0	89	
SPRING TOTALS		2.14 ERA	3-1	21.0	22	6	5	8	24	1	390	

2018 DAY BY DAYS												
DATE	OPP	RESULT	W/L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	TP	
4/1	at TEX	W 8-2	W 1	7.0	2	1	1	3	11	1	102	
4/7	SD	W 1-0 (10)	-	7.0	5	0	0	0	11	0	102	
4/13	TEX	W 3-2	-	7.0	3	2	2	1	14	2	93	
4/18	at SEA	W 7-1	W 2	7.0	5	1	0	2	5	0	95	
4/23	LAA	L 0-2	L 1	7.0	4	2	2	2	8	0	109	

TOMORROW'S STARTER VS. NYY — RHP CHARLIE MORTON

	W-L	ERA	G	GS	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2018:	3-0	1.86	5	5	29.0	21	7	6	11	35
CAREER:	63-78	4.34	192	191	1068.2	1096	580	515	398	828
	W-L	ERA	G	GS	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
VS. NYY	1-0	6.35	1	1	5.2	4	4	4	4	10
CAREER:	1-1	5.68	2	2	12.2	10	8	8	5	16

LAST START - 4/24 VS. LAA: did not factor into the decision in his start on Tuesday against the Angels after allowing 4 runs on 5 hits in 4.0 innings...the Astros trailed 4-1 upon his exit, which ended as an 8-7 loss.

ABOUT MORTON: 11-year Major League veteran is in his 2nd season of a 2-year deal he signed with the Astros prior to the 2017 season...has posted 2 of his most productive Major League seasons in Houston, posting a 17-7 record and a 3.33 ERA (65ER/175.2IP) in 30 starts as an Astro.

- has won each of his last 6 decisions dating back to a start on 9/15/17... in 8 starts in that timespan, has posted a 1.90 ERA (10ER/47.1IP)...this ties as the longest winning streak of his career, also 9/16/14-6/16/15 while with the Pirates.

WHERE HE STANDS: ranks 5th in the American League in ERA (1.86), 9th in strikeouts per 9.0 innings (10.86) and T-10th in wins.

POSTSEASON HERO: became an Astros legend in the 2017 postseason, as he was the winning pitcher in Game 7 of the ALCS vs. NYY and Game 7 of the World Series at LAD...became the 1st pitcher in MLB history to win two Game 7's in a single postseason.

2018 HOUSTON ASTROS STARTING PITCHERS												
PITCHER	LAST START	RESULT	STREAK	GS	RUN SUPP	TEAM RECORD	GS AFTER L	TM. W-L	QS	TM. W-L	DURING QS	
Verlander	4/25 vs. LAA (7,4,2,2,0,9)	W 5-2	W 4	6	5.22 99	1/1 5-1	2	1-1	5	4-1		
Keuchel	4/27 vs. OAK (7,7,6,6,0,3)	L 1-8	L 1	6	3.75 99	0/0 2-4	1	0-1	3	1-2		
McCullers Jr.	4/28 vs. OAK (7,2,0,0,0,7)	W 11-0	W 3	6	7.41 96	0/1 4-2	4	3-1	3	3-0		
Cole	4/23 vs. LAA (7,4,2,2,2,8)	L 0-2	L 1	5	4.11 100	4/0 4-1	2	2-0	5	4-1		
Morton	4/24 vs. LAA (4,5,4,4,5,2)	L 7-8	W 3	5	6.52 92	2/0 3-2	1	0-1	4	3-1		

**ASTROS:
OPPONENTS:**

OAK SERIES (4/27-29): .273 (18x66)
OAK SERIES (4/27-29): .203 (13x64)

HOMESTAND (4/23-5/3): .268 (44x164)
HOMESTAND (4/23-5/3): .184 (29x158)

27 IF JOSE ALTUVE

.351, 2 HR, 13 RBI

Last Gm: 4x5, HR, 2RBI **OAK Series:** .556, 5x9, HR, 2RBI **Homestand:** .381, 8x21, 2HR, 3RBI
Current Stk.: 3, .500, 6x12, 4/25 **Long Streak:** 8, .438, 14x32, 3/30-4/7

- saw his batting average jump 21 points with a 4x5 night last night...tied his single-game career high for hits (26th 4-hit game) and fell a triple shy of the cycle, knocking 2 singles, an RBI-double and a solo homer...his 26 games with at least 4 hits ranks T-2nd in club history with **Jeff Bagwell**, behind **Craig Biggio** (34).
- leaptfrogged **Jed Lowrie** (38) for the Major League lead in hits, as he now has 39...ranks 3rd in the AL in batting average (.351)...leads the AL in batting with runners in scoring position (.526, 10x19).
- has 33 hits in April, which ranks T-9th all-time in club history for a single April...his career-high for April is 36 hits (2015)...**Derek Bell** (41, 1998) owns club record.
- has played in 501 career games at Minute Maid Park, which ranks T-3rd in the history of the venue with **Brad Ausmus**, behind **Lance Berkman** (779) and **Craig Biggio** (590).
- has homered in 2 of his last 3 games after going his first 35 games without a home run...was his longest homerless streak since going 47 games from May 23-July 19, 2014...his HR went 441 feet, marking the longest HR at Minute Maid Park this season and the 2nd-longest by an Astro regardless of the venue (**Springer**, 455-foot HR on April 16 at SEA).
- has 1,289 career hits and is 2 hits shy of tying **Jimmy Wynn** for 8th place on the club's all-time hits list (1,291).
- recorded 1,272 career hits within his first 1,000 games, the 2nd-most by a foreign-born player in MLB history behind only **Ichiro Suzuki** and his 1,414 hits...only 25 players in Major League history recorded more hits within their first 1,000 games than Altuve, and 18 of the 25 are Hall of Famers...recorded more hits within his first 1,000 games than **Hank Aaron** (1,264), **Ted Williams** (1,251), **Tris Speaker** (1,247), **Pete Rose** (1,231), **Rod Carew** (1,226) and **Babe Ruth** (1,114) did in their first 1,000 games, among others.
- 2017 AL MVP signed the longest contract in franchise history on March 19, a 7-year deal that will keep him in Houston through the 2024 season.

2 IF ALEX BREGMAN

.267, 1 HR, 12 RBI

Last Gm: 2x3, 2RBI **OAK Series:** .333, 2x6, 2RBI **Homestand:** .278, 5x18, 6RBI
Current Stk.: 1, .667, 2x3, 4/28 **Long Streak:** 5, .381, 8x21, 4/17-22

- reached base 4 times last night, hitting an RBI-double, a single and 2 walks (one with the bases loaded)...has recorded 6 multi-hit games in his last 9 contests, batting .371 (13x35) with 5 doubles and 8 RBI...has recorded multiple RBI in 2 of his last 3 games...marks his first multi-RBI games since Sept. 29, 2017 at BOS.
- leads the club with 17 walks (T-6th in the AL) against 14 strikeouts.
- batting .458 (11x24) with runners in scoring position, which ranks 4th in the AL.
- has started 27 of the Astros 28 games at third base.

1 IF CARLOS CORREA

.333, 4 HR, 20 RBI

Last Gm: 1x3 **OAK Series:** .286, 2x7, RBI **Homestand:** .278, 5x18, RBI
Current Stk.: 12, .419, 18x43, 4/16 **Long Streak:** 12, .419, 18x43, 4/16-current

- walked, scored and singled last night, extending his hitting streak to 12 games...it's the longest streak by an Astros player this season and is the longest active streak in the Majors...has hit .419 with 3 doubles, 2 HR, 8 RBI and 10 walks (.509 OBP) during his streak...marks his 3rd career hitting streak of at least 12 games...also a career-high 15-game hitting streak (June 20-July 7, 2017) and a 13-game streak (Aug. 24-Sept. 11, 2016).
- in the AL, ranks T-7th in doubles (8), T-6th in batting average (.333), T-7th in hits (32), T-8th in RBI (20), T-9th in runs (20) and 10th in OPS (.942).
- recorded his first multi-HR game of the season on April 20 at CWS, hitting a 2-run HR, a solo HR and a single in a 3-hit game...was the 7th multi-HR game of his career (last, Sept. 27, 2017 at TEX)...became the 2nd shortstop in MLB history to have 7 multi-HR games prior to turning 24 years old (also **Alex Rodriguez**, 10)...is the only player in Astros history with 7 multi-HR games prior to turning 24, regardless of position (previous record was 4 by **Cesar Cedeño**).
- leads the Majors in road batting average (.440, 24x52), road OBP (.516) and road OPS (1.246)...has hit 5 doubles and 3 HR with 12 RBI in 14 road games.

21 OF DEREK FISHER

.184, 2 HR, 7 RBI

Last Gm: 1x4, HR, 2RBI **OAK Series:** .250, 1x4, HR, 2RBI **Homestand:** .400, 4x10, 2HR, 4RBI
Current Stk.: 3, .400, 4x10, 4/24 **Long Streak:** 3, .400, 4x10, 4/24-current

- hit a 2-run homer and scored twice last night...was his 2nd HR of the homestand, as he hit a 2-run homer off **RHP Shohei Ohtani** on Tuesday...at 425 feet, is the longest HR hit off Ohtani this year...has hit safely in 3 straight games (.400, 4x10), 1 game shy of his career-long streak (lasty, July 28-31, 2017).
- has made 13 starts in LF, 2 in CF and 1 in RF in 2018.
- the Astros are 8-1 when he scores this season...has entered as a pinch-runner in 3 games this year, and has scored all 3 times...became the 2nd player in club history to score 3 times as a pinch-runner within the club's first 18 games of a season, joining **Glen Barker** (2001).
- joined **Justin Maxwell** (2013) as the only players in club history to record 2 triples within the Astros first 5 games of a season.

11 C EVAN GATTIS

.208, 1 HR, 8 RBI

Last Gm: 0x1 as DR **OAK Series:** .250, 1x4 **Homestand:** .125, 1x8
Current Stk.: 0x1 **Long Streak:** 4, .375, 6x16, 3/30-4/3

- caught the final 3.0 innings last night, his 2nd game of the season at catcher...caught the final 2.0 innings of Houston's game on April 20 at CWS...caught 49 games last year (47 starts) but has made all of his starts at DH this season (19).
- hit his 1st HR of the season on Sun. at CWS, a 2-run shot off **LHP Héctor Santiago**...was his 1st regular season HR since Sept. 24, 2017, a span of 25 games (longest homerless streak off his career, previously 19 games in 2013)...did hit a monumental HR off **LHP CC Sabathia** in the 2017 postseason in Game 7 of the ALCS vs. NYY...the 19-game homerless streak to start the year was also his longest (previously 12 games to start the 2016 season).

9 IF MARWIN GONZALEZ

.227, 2 HR, 15 RBI

Last Gm: 1x3, HR, 2RBI **OAK Series:** .333, 1x3, HR, 2RBI **Homestand:** .385, 5x13, HR, 4RBI
Current Stk.: 1, .333, 1x3, 4/28 **Long Streak:** 4, .438, 7x16, 4/21-24

- walked, hit an RBI sac-fly and a solo homer last night...has recorded multiple RBI in 5 of his last 9 games (10 RBI)...batting .333 (11x33) with an .895 OPS in that span...led the club with 90 RBI last year.
- in 2018, has started 13 games at 1B, 9 in LF, 1 at 2B, 1 at SS and 1 at 3B...in his MLB career (all with HOU), has made appearances at SS (256g), 3B (92g), 1B (179g), 2B (81), LF (94g), CF (1g) and RF (1g).

10 IF YULI GURRIEL

.220, 1 HR, 6 RBI

Last Gm: 0x4, RBI **OAK Series:** 0x8, RBI **Homestand:** .118, 2x17
Current Stk.: 0x12 **Long Streak:** 6, .320, 8x25, 4/17-24

- hit an RBI sac-fly last night...has gone hitless in 3 straight games after posting a 6-game hitting streak...ties his career-long hitless streak (last, July 26-29, 2017).
- has played 13 games since his activation from the DL on April 13 (left hand surgery), posting 4 doubles, a HR and 6 RBI.
- began the season on the Restricted List and was placed on the DL on April 3...had a 5-game rehab stint at Double A Corpus Christi in which he hit .429 (9x21) with 4 doubles and 3 RBI...had 4 multi-hit games.
- the 2017 season was his 1st-full Major League season...batted .299 with 43 doubles, 18 homers, 75 RBI and an .817 OPS...posted the 5th-lowest strikeout rate in MLB (11%), as he struck out in just 62 of 564 plate appearances.
- played in just one Spring Training game this year (Feb. 24 vs. ATL)...went 1x2 with a solo homer...underwent successful hand surgery on Feb. 28.

6 OF JAKE MARISNICK

.133, 3 HR, 6 RBI

Last Gm: 0x0 as DR **OAK Series:** 0x3 **Homestand:** .167, 1x6, HR, RBI
Current Stk.: 0x3 **Long Streak:** 2 (2x), .250, 2x8, 4/9-10

- entered last night's game in the 7th in CF...walked and scored in his only PA...entered Wednesday's game in the 7th inning in CF and homered in his only at-bat...was his 3rd HR of the season but his 1st in April...homered in consecutive games to start the season, both on the road (3/29 & 3/31 at TEX)...included a HR off **LHP Cole Hamels** on Opening Day (2nd career OD start).
- has 13 starts this season, all in CF.

16 C BRIAN MCCANN

.291, 2 HR, 7 RBI

Last Gm: 1x2 **OAK Series:** .167, 1x6 **Homestand:** .182, 2x11, HR, 2RBI
Current Stk.: 1, .500, 1x2, 4/28 **Long Streak:** 3 (2x), last, .571, 4x7, 4/17-20

- singled and walked last night...hit a go-ahead 2-run HR off **LHP Jose Alvarez** Tues. night vs. LAA...was his 1st XBH against a lefty this season, and his 1st HR against a lefty since June 16, 2017 vs. BOS (**Drew Pomeranz**)...is hitting .350 (7x20) vs. LHP's this season.
- leads AL catchers in (.426) and ranks 2nd in batting and OPS (.863).
- ranks 10th in Major League Baseball history in putouts by a catcher with 11,022...surpassed **Mike Piazza** (10,870) on Opening Day and now immediately trails 9th-place **Tony Pena** (11,212).

22 OF JOSH REDDICK

.250, 6 HR, 16 RBI

Last Gm: 1x4, RBI **OAK Series:** .286, 2x7, RBI **Homestand:** .250, 4x16, RBI
Current Stk.: 2, .286, 2x7, 4/27 **Long Streak:** 4, .538, 7x13, 4/2-6

- singled, scored and hit an RBI sac fly last night...has reached in all 12 of his home starts, batting .357 (15x43) with 3 HR, 8 RBI and a .429 OBP...led the AL in home batting average in 2017 with a .344 mark.
- had a monster game last Sat. at CWS, hitting his 2nd grand slam of the season and also a solo homer...became the 1st player in franchise history to hit 2 slams in the month of April (other was April 3 vs. BAL)...also became the 1st Astros player to hit 2 slams in a single calendar month since **Jeff Bagwell** hit 2 in May of 2001...now has 7 career grand slams.
- his multi-HR night was his 2nd of the season (other: April 3 vs. BAL) and 8th of his career...became the 1st AL player to record multiple games with at least 2HR and 5RBI thru the first 22 games of a season since **Manny Ramirez** and **Alex Rodriguez** did so in 2005.
- hit .388 (19x49) with 8 extra-base hits and 11 RBI in 16 games vs. OAK in 2017.

4 OF GEORGE SPRINGER

.257, 5 HR, 17 RBI

Last Gm: 2x4, HR, RBI **OAK Series:** .375, 3x8, HR, RBI **Homestand:** .333, 7x21, HR, RBI
Current Stk.: 2, .375, 3x8, 4/27 **Long Streak:** 7, .367, 11x30, 4/18-24

- went 2x4 with a solo homer and a single last night.
- ranks T-7th in the AL in doubles (8) and 6th in runs (20).
- hit an RBI sac-fly on April 17 at SEA in what was his 500th career game...his 103 career HR marked the 2nd-most in franchise history through a player's first 500 games, behind **Lance Berkman** (107).
- 3 leadoff HR are tied for the MLB lead with **Mookie Betts**, while his 20 leadoff homers since the start of the 2016 season are tops in the game...ranks 2nd in club history in leadoff HR with 21, behind **Craig Biggio** (53), and ranks T-20th all-time in American League history with **Ray Durham**...his 9 leadoff HR in 2017 were a single-season club record (T-4th in AL history).

12 C MAX STASSI

.270, 2 HR, 7 RBI

Last Gm: DNP **OAK Series:** --- **Homestand:** 0x4
Current Stk.: 0x4 **Long Streak:** 4, .455, 5x11, 3/30-4/4

- started on Wed. vs. LAA and caught **RHP Justin Verlander** (2ER/7IP) for the first time.
- has reached base safely in 8 of his 10 starts...became the first Astros catcher to reach safely in each of his first 6 starts of a season since **J.R. Towles** did so in his first 11 starts of the 2011 season.

ASTROS VS. UPCOMING STARTERS

ASTROS VS. CAHILL							
	AVG	AB	H	HR	RBI	BB	K
Altuve	.000	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bregman	.000	1	0	0	0	0	1
Gattis	.500	2	1	1	1	0	0
Gonzalez	.250	4	1	0	1	0	0
Gurriel	1.000	1	1	1	1	0	0
Marisnick	1.000	1	1	0	0	0	0
McCann	.375	8	3	2	3	1	0
Reddick	.286	7	2	0	0	0	1
Springer	.000	1	0	0	0	0	0

ASTROS HITTERS VS. ATHLETICS

ASTROS VS. A'S (2017):					
	AVG	AB	H	HR	RBI
Altuve	.371	70	26	4	9
Bregman	.358	53	19	2	9
Correa	.274	62	17	3	12
Fisher	.071	14	1	1	1
Gattis	.324	37	12	0	8
Gonzalez	.226	53	12	3	10
Gurriel	.302	53	16	2	6
Marisnick	.306	36	11	2	7
McCann	.333	39	13	0	9
Reddick	.388	49	19	2	11
Springer	.261	69	18	5	11
Stassi	.200	5	1	0	0

ASTROS VS. A'S (2018):					
	AVG	AB	H	HR	RBI
Altuve	.556	9	5	1	2
Bregman	.333	6	2	0	2
Correa	.250	8	2	0	1
Fisher	.250	4	1	1	2
Gattis	.250	4	1	0	0
Gonzalez	.333	3	1	1	2
Gurriel	.000	8	0	0	1
Marisnick	.000	3	0	0	0
McCann	.167	6	1	0	0
Reddick	.286	7	2	0	1
Springer	.375	8	3	1	1

ASTROS VS. A'S (CAREER):					
	AVG	AB	H	HR	RBI
Altuve	.338	394	133	11	38
Bregman	.329	70	23	2	14
Correa	.269	175	47	6	37
Fisher	.111	18	2	2	3
Gattis	.287	174	50	13	40
Gonzalez	.245	208	51	8	26
Gurriel	.229	83	19	2	8
Marisnick	.250	136	34	4	18
McCann	.285	123	35	4	19
Reddick	.348	66	23	2	13
Springer	.234	235	55	9	26
Stassi	.385	13	5	1	1

ASTROS HITTERS VS. LHP (2018)

PLAYER	AVG	AB	H
Altuve	.250	28	7
Bregman	.219	32	7
Correa	.357	28	10
Fisher	.429	7	3
Gattis	.219	32	7
Gonzalez	.233	30	7
Gurriel	.200	20	4
Marisnick	.129	31	4
McCann	.350	20	7
Reddick	.200	25	5
Springer	.273	33	9
Stassi	.429	14	6

ASTROS HITTERS VS. RHP (2018)

PLAYER	AVG	AB	H
Altuve	.386	83	32
Bregman	.288	73	21
Correa	.324	68	22
Fisher	.143	42	6
Gattis	.200	45	9
Gonzalez	.224	58	13
Gurriel	.233	30	7
Marisnick	.138	29	4
McCann	.257	35	9
Reddick	.273	55	15
Springer	.250	80	20
Stassi	.174	23	4

ASTROS HITTERS VS. LHP (CAREER)

PLAYER	AVG	AB	H
Altuve	.343	1057	363
Bregman	.296	230	68
Correa	.293	392	115
Fisher	.278	36	10
Gattis	.264	639	169
Gonzalez	.253	586	148
Gurriel	.240	208	50
Marisnick	.230	457	105
McCann	.258	1634	421
Reddick	.228	846	193
Springer	.275	541	149
Stassi	.279	43	12

ASTROS HITTERS VS. RHP (CAREER)

PLAYER	AVG	AB	H
Altuve	.308	3005	926
Bregman	.271	632	171
Correa	.290	1090	316
Fisher	.189	159	30
Gattis	.244	1474	360
Gonzalez	.271	1479	401
Gurriel	.305	501	153
Marisnick	.221	789	174
McCann	.268	4022	1076
Reddick	.277	2369	656
Springer	.261	1447	378
Stassi	.247	73	18

CATCHING STATS

PLAYER	INDIVIDUAL STATS			TEAM STATS		
	CS/ATT	%	PO	PB	RECORD	ERA
Gattis	0/0	-	-	-	0.00 (0ER/5IP)	
McCann	1/9	.111	1	12-5	2.34 (40ER/154IP)	
Stassi	0/2	.000	1	6-4	3.01 (31ER/92.2IP)	
Pitchers	1/1	-	2	-	-	-
TOTAL	2/12	.167	2	2	18-9	2.54 (71ER/251.2IP)

RUNS BY INNING

TEAM	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	X	TOTAL
ASTROS	14	13	6	21	19	21	28	8	8	1	139
OPPONENTS	8	4	5	13	6	9	14	11	4	3	77

RECORD BY DAY

MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.	FRI.	SAT.	SUN.
2-2	2-2	3-1	2-0	2-3	4-1	3-1

RECORD BY MONTH

MAR./APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPT/OCT.
18-10	-	-	-	-	-

DISABLED LIST

PLAYER	INJURY	DATE ON	DATE OFF	GAMES
Hoyt	left oblique strain	3/26	4/7	8 (6-2)
Gurriel	left hand surgery	4/3	4/13	8 (5-3)
Sipp	right oblique strain	4/8	4/18	9 (4-5)
Gustave	right elbow surgery	3/26		28 (18-10)
Rodgers	right elbow surgery	3/26		28 (18-10)

STARTS BY LINEUP/POSITION

BY BATTING ORDER:

- Springer (18-10)
- Bregman (10-6), Altuve (8-3), Reddick (0-1)
- Altuve (10-7), Correa (8-3)
- Correa (9-7), Reddick (6-1), Gurriel (2-2), Gattis (1-0)
- Reddick (5-4), Gurriel (5-3), Bregman (3-3), Gonzalez (5-0)
- Gonzalez (7-4), Bregman (4-1), Gattis (3-2), Reddick (2-1), McCann (1-1), Stassi (1-0), Gurriel (0-1)
- Gattis (7-4), Gonzalez (3-3), McCann (3-2), Davis (2-0), Marisnick (2-0), Reddick (1-0), Stassi (0-1)
- McCann (7-3), Stassi (5-1), Davis (1-2), Gonzalez (2-1), Marisnick (2-0), Gattis (1-1), Fisher (0-1), Reddick (0-1)
- Fisher (11-4), Marisnick (5-4), Stassi (0-2), McCann (1-0), Gattis (1-0)

BY DEFENSIVE POSITION:

- McCann (12-6), Stassi (6-4)
- 1B: Gonzalez (10-3), Gurriel (5-5), Davis (3-2)
- 2B: Altuve (18-10)
- SS: Correa (17-10), Gonzalez (1-0)
- 3B: Bregman (17-10), Gonzalez (1-0)
- LF: Fisher (9-4), Gonzalez (5-4), Reddick (4-2)
- CF: Marisnick (9-4), Springer (8-5), Fisher (1-1)
- RF: Reddick (10-7), Springer (7-3), Fisher (1-0)
- DH: Gattis (13-7), Springer (3-1), Gurriel (2-1), Altuve (0-1)

2018 HOUSTON ASTROS BULLPEN REPORT

2018	W-L-S	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB-I	SO	WHEN BULLPEN ALLOWS RUNS: 6-8	
STARTERS	14-6-0	2.44	173.2	125	52	47	51-0	204	WHEN BULLPEN DOES NOT ALLOW RUNS: 12-1	
RELIEVERS	4-4-5	2.77	78.0	59	25	24	20-1	84	WHEN NO RELIEVERS ARE USED: 0-1	
PITCHER	LAST APP. (IP,H,R,ER,BB,K)					PITCHES	1B/RET.	RI/SC	SV/OPP	TEAM REC. (IN RELIEF APPS.)
47-Chris Devenski	4/25 vs. LAA (1,0,0,0,0,1)-H3					13	11/10	7/0	2/2	9-2
53-Ken Giles	4/25 vs. LAA (1,0,0,0,0,1)-SV2					7	10/8	1/0	2/2	7-3
36-Will Harris	4/24 vs. LAA (1,0,0,0,0,2)					14	11/9	1/0	0/0	8-3
31-Collin McHugh	4/27 vs. OAK (1,0,0,0,0,3)					13	8/7	3/0	0/0	4-4
41-Brad Peacock	4/24 vs. LAA (2,0,0,0,0,2)					30	10/9	2/0	1/2	7-3
30-Héctor Rondón	4/28 vs. OAK (1,1,0,0,1,0)					21	11/8	1/1	0/1	5-6
29-Tony Sipp	4/28 vs. OAK (1,0,0,0,0,1)					10	6/5	1/0	0/0	4-2
38-Joe Smith	4/27 vs. OAK (0,2,3,2,2,0,1)					19	10/8	2/0	0/1	5-5
2018 BULLPEN TOTALS						78/65	18/1	5/8	18-9	

47 RHP CHRIS DEVENSKI 0-0-2, 0.82 ERA, 11G

Last Win: 4/7 vs. SD **Save:** 4/17 at SEA **Loss:** none in '18 **Blown SV:** none in '18
OAK Series: --- **Homestand:** 0-0-0, 0.00 (0ER/1IP), 1G

- earned his 3rd hold of the season with a scoreless 8th inning in Wed. 5-2 win vs. LAA...**was his 9th cons. scoreless app. (9.0 IP).**
- recorded his 2nd save of the season 4/17 at SEA (scoreless 9th inning).
- has been used in all situations this season, recording a win, 2 saves and 3 holds in 10 appearances...**has stranded all 7 inherited runners this season.**
- has held right-handed hitters to an .071 average (1x14)...has held the opposition hitless with runners in scoring position (0x8) and with runners on (0x13).
- 27-year old is coming off his 1st-career All-Star season...led the Majors in opponent batting average vs. left-handed hitters with a .111 mark (16x144)...was the 2nd-lowest single-season mark by any Major League pitcher since the 1974 season (the year splits were 1st tracked)...only RHP Jonathan Papelbon in 2007 posted a better mark (.104, 12x115).

53 RHP KEN GILES 0-0-2, 2.00 ERA, 10G

Last Win: none in '18 **Save:** 4/27 vs. LAA **Loss:** none in '18 **Blown SV:** none in '18
OAK Series: --- **Homestand:** 0-0-1, 0.00 (0ER/2IP), 2G

- earned 2nd SV of the season with a scoreless 9th inn. in Wed.'s 5-2 win vs. LAA...**threw 7 pitches in the outing, all for strikes...marked his 2nd career save where he did not throw a ball (source: Todd Kalas)**...the other save was a 1-pitch, 1-out save on April 30, 2017 vs. OAK.
- has not allowed a hit, run or walk in his last 6 apps. (5.1 IP).**
- recorded his 50th save as an Astro on 4/9 at MIN, tying him with **Ken Forsch** for 8th place in club history...immediately trails **Doug Jones** (62) for 7th place.
- 27-year-old was one of the top closers in the game last year, as he ranked 2nd in the AL in save percentage (89.5%) by recording 34 saves in 38 opportunities...was just 0.2 percentage points behind **RHP Craig Kimbrel** (89.7%, 35-for-39) for the AL lead...ranked T-4th in the AL in saves.

36 RHP WILL HARRIS 0-1-0, 1.74 ERA, 11G

Last Win: none in '18 **Save:** none in '18 **Loss:** 4/14 vs. TEX **Blown SV:** none in '18
OAK Series: --- **Homestand:** 0-0-0, 0.00 (0ER/1IP), 1G

- hurled a scoreless frame on Tues. night vs. LAA...picked up his 2nd hold of the season 4/17 at SEA, tossing a scoreless 8th inning.
- has been scoreless in each of his last 19 regular season road games (18IP), dating back to May 17, 2017...** ranks as the 5th-longest road scoreless streak in club history, and the longest since **LHP Tim Lincecum's** 24-game run in 2010.
- 33-year-old and **2016 All-Star** had another strong season in 2017, posting his 3rd consecutive season with an ERA below 3.00...is 1 of 3 AL pitchers to maintain an ERA below 3.00 in each of the last 3 seasons (min. 45IP), along with **LHP Andrew Miller** and **RHP Cody Allen**.

31 RHP COLLIN MCHUGH 0-0-0, 0.84 ERA, 8G

Last Win: none in '18 **Save:** none in '18 **Loss:** none in '18 **Blown SV:** none in '18
OAK Series: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0ER/1IP), 1G **Homestand:** 0-0-0, 0.00 (0ER/2IP), 2G

- Fri. night, struck out all 3 batters he faced on 13 pitches...all 3 were caught looking...was his 6th consecutive scoreless appearance (8.1IP)...has tallied 16 strikeouts in those 6 outings.
- has been hitless in 4 straight games.
- transitioned to the bullpen this year and has been one of the top relievers in the American League...among AL relievers, ranks 4th in WHIP (0.66), 6th in opponent batting average (.135), 7th in strikeouts per 9.0 innings (17SO/10.2IP), T-9th in strikeouts (17) and 9th in ERA.
- has a 7-1 record in 12 career outings vs. OAK with a 2.97 ERA (22ER/66.2IP)...his 7 wins vs. OAK since 2014 are 2nd in the Majors in that span.**

41 RHP BRAD PEACOCK 1-1-1, 2.84 ERA, 10G

Last Win: none in '18 **Save:** none in '18 **Loss:** 4/11 at MIN **Blown SV:** 4/14 vs. TEX
OAK Series: --- **Homestand:** 0-0-0, 0.00 (0ER/2IP), 1G

- hurled 2.0 scoreless inn. Tues. night vs. LAA...was his 2nd app. of the season hurling multiple innings...has 16 strikeouts this season and just 3 walks.
- acquired by HOU from OAK as part of a 5-player trade, 2/4/2013.
- 30-year-old was the Astros 2017 Co-Pitcher of the Year as voted by the Houston BBWAA...was dynamic as both a starter (10-2, 3.22 ERA) and reliever (3-0, 1.77 ERA)...led AL in winning percentage (.867), a new single-season franchise record.
- was one of the top strikeout pitchers in baseball last season, fanning 161 batters in 132.0 innings pitched...his 10.98 strikeouts per 9.0 innings ratio ranked 4th in the AL among pitchers with at least 130.0 innings, trailing **LHP Chris Sale** (12.93), **RHP Corey Kluber** (11.71) and **RHP Chris Archer** (11.15).
- was a postseason hero for the Astros in 2017...started Game 3 of the ALDS before making 6 relief appearances...got the save in Game 3 of the World Series (3.2IP), which was tied for the 2nd-longest hitless relief outing to finish a World Series game in MLB history...also pitched 2.0 scoreless in Game 7 of the WS.

30 RHP HÉCTOR RONDÓN 1-1-0, 1.74 ERA, 11G

Last Win: 4/3 vs. BAL **Save:** none in '18 **Loss:** 4/15 vs. TEX **Blown SV:** 4/3 vs. BAL
OAK Series: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0ER/1IP), 1G **Homestand:** 0-0-0, 0.00 (0ER/2IP), 2G

- last night's scoreless 8th inning was his 1st career appearance vs. OAK.
- has been scoreless in 9 of 11 outings this year.
- allowed his 1 inherited runner to score on Thu. at SEA...marked the first time this season that the Astros allowed an inherited runner to score.
- 30-year-old signed a 2-year deal with the Astros as a free agent this offseason...has been consistently one of the hardest-throwing relievers in the game...posted an average fastball velocity of 96.8 miles per hour in 2017.
- posted a career-high 10.83 strikeouts per 9.0 innings ratio in 2017, as he struck out 69 batters in 57.1 innings pitched.

29 LHP TONY SIPP 0-0-0, 5.06 ERA, 6G

Last Win: none in '18 **Save:** none in '18 **Loss:** none in '18 **Blown SV:** none in '18
OAK Series: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0ER/1.1IP), 2G **Homestand:** 0-0-0, 0.00 (0ER/1.1IP), 2G

- threw a scoreless 9th inning last night...retired the only batter he faced Fri. night (**Canha**), stranding a runner at 3rd...has made 4 outings since being activated from the 10-day DL (right oblique strain).
- 50 apps. vs. OAK are his most vs. any club.
- in 224 games as an Astro since 2014, has gone 8-10 with a 3.80 ERA (79ER/187.1IP) and 205 strikeouts.

38 RHP JOE SMITH 1-0-0, 9.72 ERA, 10G

Last Win: 4/13 vs. TEX **Save:** none in '18 **Loss:** 4/24 vs. LAA **Blown SV:** 4/24 vs. LAA
OAK Series: 0-0-0, 27.00 (2ER/0.2IP), 1G **Homestand:** 0-0-0, 32.40 (6ER/1.2IP), 2G

- gave up 2 runs on 3 hits in 0.2 of an inning Fri. night...has given up runs in back-to-back outings after going hitless in 4 straight games.
- picked up his first win as an Astro on 4/13 vs. TEX after tossing 0.1 of an inning.
- made his 700th career appearance on 4/3 vs. BAL...ranks 3rd among active Major Leaguers in appearances behind **Fernando Rodney** (837) and **Joaquin Benoit** (764).
- 34-year-old signed a 2-year contract with the Astros this offseason as a free agent...is one of the most successful and reliable relievers in the game, posting a 2.99 ERA in his 11 ML seasons (has never posted an ERA higher than 3.83).

VS. OAK	2017					2018					CAREER						
	G	W-L-S	ERA	IP	ER	G	W-L-S	ERA	IP	ER	G	W-L-S	ERA	IP	ER		
Cole	-	-	-	-	-	Cole	-	-	-	-	Cole	1	0-1-0	2.57	7.0	2	
Devenski	6	0-1-1	4.26	6.2	3	Devenski	-	-	-	-	Devenski	12	1-2-1	2.45	22.0	6	
Giles	8	0-1-4	3.86	7.0	3	Giles	-	-	-	-	Giles	17	0-1-9	2.81	16.0	5	
Harris	6	1-0-0	3.00	6.0	3	Harris	-	-	-	-	Harris	23	2-0-2	3.98	20.1	9	
Keuchel	4	3-1-0	1.98	27.1	6	Keuchel	1	0-1-0	7.71	7.0	6	Keuchel	19	5-5-0	2.88	121.2	39
McCullers Jr.	1	0-0-0	10.38	4.1	5	McCullers Jr.	1	1-0-0	0.00	7.0	0	McCullers Jr.	5	2-1-0	3.67	27.0	11
McHugh	2	1-0-0	3.00	9.0	3	McHugh	1	0-0-0	0.00	1.0	0	McHugh	12	7-1-0	3.10	66.2	23
Morton	2	1-1-0	4.50	12.0	6	Morton	-	-	-	-	Morton	2	1-1-0	4.50	12.0	6	
Peacock	6	2-1-0	2.31	23.1	6	Peacock	-	-	-	-	Peacock	16	3-5-0	3.97	70.1	31	
Rondón	-	-	-	-	-	Rondón	1	0-0-0	0.00	1.0	0	Rondón	1	0-0-0	0.00	1.0	0
Sipp	8	0-0-0	1.69	5.1	1	Sipp	2	0-0-0	0.00	1.1	0	Sipp	50	2-1-1	3.08	38.0	13
Smith	3	0-0-0	0.00	3.0	0	Smith	1	0-0-0	27.00	0.2	2	Smith	42	1-2-0	4.42	36.2	18
Verlander	-	-	-	-	-	Verlander	-	-	-	-	Verlander	17	10-6-0	2.61	110.1	32	

2018 HOUSTON ASTROS HIGH/LOW

GENERAL

Longest Winning Streak	6, 4/17-22
Longest Winning Streak, Home	3 (2x), last, 4/7-13
Longest Winning Streak, Road	6, 4/17-current
Most Consecutive Losses	3, 4/14-16
Most Consecutive Losses, Home	4, 4/14-24
Most Consecutive Losses, Road	3, 4/10-16
Longest Game, Time	3:48, 4/24 vs. LAA
Shortest Game, Time	2:21, 4/16 at SEA
Longest Game, Innings	10 (3x), last, 4/15 vs. TEX
Best Homestand, Percentage	5-1 (.833), 4/2-8
Worst Homestand, Percentage	1-2 (.333), 4/14-16
Best Road Trip, Percentage	6-1 (.857), 4/16-4/22
Worst Road Trip, Percentage	1-2 (.333), 4/9-11
Most Runners Left on Base	12, 4/11 at MIN
Double Plays Turned	4, 4/22 at CWS
Opponent Double Plays Turned	3 (3x), last, 4/21 at CWS
Most Errors	2 (2x), last, 4/4 vs. BAL
Largest Margin of Victory	11, 4/28 vs. OAK (11-0 win)
Largest Margin of Defeat	7, 4/27 vs. OAK (8-1 loss)
Biggest Comeback to Win	1 (4x), last, 4/17 at SEA (trailed 1-0, won 4-1)
Most Games Over .500	9, 16-7 after game on 4/22
Biggest Lead Lost to Lose	5, 4/14 vs. TEX (lead 5-0, lost 6-5)
Highest Attendance, Home	42,675, 4/2 vs. BAL
Highest Attendance, Road	47,253, 3/29 at TEX

TEAM BATTING

Most Runs, Game	11, 4/28 vs. OAK
Fewest Runs, Game	0, 4/23 vs. LAA
Most Runs, Inning	6, 4/18 at SEA (7th inning)
Most Hits, Game	14 (2x), 4/24 vs. LAA & 3/31 at TEX
Most Hits, Inning	6 (2x), last, 4/18 at SEA (7th inning)
Fewest Hits, Game	3 (2x), last, 4/16 at SEA
Most Doubles, Game	6, 4/18 at SEA
Most Triples, Game	1 (2x), last, 4/2 vs. BAL
Most Homers, Game	4, 4/28 vs. OAK
Most Consecutive Games, Homer	4, 4/19-22
Most Consecutive Games, No Homer	3, 4/4-7
Most Extra-Base Hits, Game	7, 4/20 at CWS
Fewest Extra-Base Hits, Game	0 (4x), last, 4/27 vs. OAK
Most Total Bases, Game	24 (2x), last, 4/20 at CWS
Most Walks, Game	7 (4x), last, 4/23 vs. LAA
Fewest Walks, Game	1 (2x), 4/27 vs. OAK and 4/18 at SEA
Most Strikeouts, Game	13 (2x), last, 4/9 at MIN
Fewest Strikeouts, Game	5, 4/10 at MIN
Most Stolen Bases, Game	2 (2x), last, 4/7 vs. SD
Most Opponent Stolen Bases, Game	3, 4/18 at SEA
Longest Scoreless Inning Streak	15 innings, 4/6 (4th)-4/7 (9th)

INDIVIDUAL BATTING

Most At-Bats, Game	6, Bregman, 4/11 at MIN
Most Runs, Game	3 (3x), last, Reddick, 4/21 at CWS
Most Hits, Game	4 (4x), last, Altuve, 4/28 vs. OAK
Most Consecutive Hits (in ABs)	5, Reddick, 4/3-4 vs. BAL
Most Doubles, Game	2 (3x), last, Springer, 4/20 at CWS
Most Triples, Game	1 (2x), last, Fisher, 4/2 vs. BAL
Most Home Runs, Game	2 (4x), last, Reddick, 4/21 at CWS
Most RBI, Game	6, Reddick, 4/3 vs. BAL
Most Walks, Game	2 (16x), last, Bregman, 4/28 vs. OAK
Most Strikeouts, Game	4 (2x), last, Marisnick, 4/17 at SEA
Most Stolen Bases, Game	1 (9x), last, Bregman, 4/19 at SEA
Longest Hitting Streak	12, Correa (4/16-current)

TEAM PITCHING

Fewest Runs, Game	0 (4x), 4/7 vs. SD, 4/9 at MIN, 4/20 at CWS, 4/28 vs. OAK
Most Runs, Game	9, 4/11 at MIN
Fewest Hits, Game	2, 4/20 at CWS
Most Hits, Game	13, 4/6 vs. SD
Fewest Walks, Game	0 (2x), 4/27 vs. OAK and 4/25 vs. LAA
Most Walks, Game	7 (2x), last, 4/11 at MIN
Most Strikeouts, Game	17, 4/13 vs. TEX
Longest Scoreless Inning Streak	15.0 innings, 4/7-8

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

Longest Winning Streak	4, Verlander, 3/29-current
Longest Losing Streak	3, Keuchel, 3/30-4/16
Most Innings Pitched, Starter	8.0 (2x), last, Keuchel, 4/16 at SEA
Most Innings Pitched, Relief	3.0, Peacock, 4/4 vs. BAL
Fewest Hits, Complete Game	6, Keuchel, 4/16 at SEA
Fewest Walks, Complete Game	1, Keuchel, 4/16 at SEA
Most Walks, Game	6, McCullers, 4/11 at MIN
Most Strikeouts, Game	14, Cole, 4/13 vs. TEX
Most Strikeouts, Inning	3, many times by multiple players
Most Hit By Pitch, Game	1 (7x), last, Verlander, 4/15 vs. TEX
Longest Scoreless Inning Streak	19.0, Cole, 4/1 (2nd)-4/13 (6th)

ATTENDANCE

Home:	505,553 (14 games)
Home Average:	36,111
Road:	307,989 (14 games)
Road Average:	21,999

ASTROS HOME RUNS

ASTROS LAST HOME RUNS (*-TEAM RECORD WHEN HOMERING)				
PLAYER	DATE	OPPONENT/PITCHER	AB SINCE LAST	TEAM REC.*
Altuve	4/28/18	OAK/Font	1	2-0
Bregman	4/11/18	@MIN/Hildenberger	58	0-1
Correa	4/20/18	@CWS/Fulmer	24	4-0
Fisher	4/28/18	OAK/Coulombe	2	1-1
Gattis	4/22/18	@CWS/Santiago	8	1-0
Gonzalez	4/28/18	OAK/Font	1	2-0
Gurriel	4/14/18	TEX/Minor	44	0-1
Marisnick	3/31/18	@TEX/Moore	3	3-0
McCann	4/17/18	LAA/Alvarez	7	1-1
Reddick	4/21/18	@CWS/Volstad	21	4-0
Springer	4/28/18	OAK/Font	0	3-1
Stassi	4/19/18	@SEA/Rzepczynski	8	2-0

ASTROS HR CHART	SOLO	2-RUN	3-RUN	GS	TOTAL
Altuve	2	-	-	-	2
Bregman	1	-	-	-	1
Correa	1	3	-	-	4
Fisher	-	2	-	-	2
Gattis	1	-	-	-	1
Gonzalez	2	-	-	-	2
Gurriel	-	-	1	-	1
Marisnick	2	1	-	-	3
McCann	-	2	-	-	2
Reddick	3	1	-	2	6
Springer	5	-	-	-	5
Stassi	1	-	1	-	2
TOTALS	18	9	2	2	31

MULTI-HOMER GAMES (4): Reddick (2): 4/21 at CWS, 4/3 vs. BAL; Correa (1): 4/20 at CWS; Springer (1): 4/13 vs. TEX

2018 GRAND SLAMS (2)

PLAYER	DATE	OPP./PITCHER
	4/3	BAL/Cortes Jr.
Reddick	4/21	@CWS/Giolito

2018 OPPONENT GRAND SLAMS

PLAYER	DATE	OPP./PITCHER
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2018 BACK-TO-BACK HOME RUN COMBOS (1)

PLAYERS	DATE	OPP./PITCHER(S)
Springer/Altuve	4/28	OAK/Font

2018 PINCH-HIT HOME RUNS

PLAYER	DATE	OPP./PITCHER(S)
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2018 LEADOFF HOME RUNS (3): Springer (3): 3/29 at TEX, 4/13 vs. TEX, 4/16 at SEA

2018 WALK-OFF HOME RUNS:

2018 LAST AT-BAT WINS (2):

NO.-DATE-OPP.	SCORE	GAME-WINNING PLAY
4/7 vs. SD	1-0	Bregman popup single scores Fisher in the 10th (walkoff win #1)
4/13 vs. TEX	3-2	Fisher scored on E8 in bottom 8th

ASTROS EJECTIONS (1):

DATE	PERSONNEL	UMPIRE	SITUATION
4/1 at TEX	Gonzalez	Meals	Arguing balls and strikes with HP umpire

REPLAY REVIEWS (11)

DATE/OPP. (INN.)	PLAY	CHALLENGER	RESULT	TIME
3/30 at TEX (3rd)	force at 1B	Houston	confirmed	1:20
3/30 at TEX (6th)	catch/no catch	Texas	stands	1:45
3/30 at TEX (6th)	force at 2B/runner placement	Crew Chief	stands/overturned	2:47
3/30 at TEX (8th)	potential home run	Crew Chief	confirmed	1:15
4/7 vs. SD (10th)	tag play at 2B	Houston	overturned	1:40
4/9 at MIN (8th)	force out at 2B	Minnesota	overturned	1:07
4/10 at MIN (1st)	out call at 1B	Minnesota	overturned	0:54
4/16 at SEA (5th)	force play at 1B	Houston	stands	1:15
4/17 at SEA (8th)	tag play at 1B	Seattle	stands	1:55
4/22 at CWS (3rd)	tag play at HP	Chicago	stands	
4/23 vs. LAA (9th)	tag play at 3rd	LAA	overturned	1:10
4/24 vs. LAA (8th)	catch/no catch in RF	LAA	stands	1:29
4/27 vs. OAK (8th)	out at 1B	Oakland	overturned	1:00
4/28 vs. OAK (2nd)	out at 1B	Houston	overturned	1:06

HOUSTON ASTROS 2018 DAY-BY-DAY

DATE	GAME	OPPONENT	W-L /SCORE	RECORD	POS.	GB	ASTROS POR	OPP. POR	SAVE	ATTENDANCE (*-DENOTES SELLOUT)	HOME ATTENDANCE
7/17	All-Star Game (Washington, D.C.)										
7/20	100	@LAA									
7/21	101	@LAA									
7/22	102	@LAA									
7/24	103	@COL									
7/25	104	@COL									
7/27	105	TEX									
7/28	106	TEX									
7/29	107	TEX									
7/30	108	@SEA									
7/31	109	@SEA									
8/1	110	@SEA									
8/3	111	@LAD									
8/4	112	@LAD									
8/5	113	@LAD									
8/6	114	@SF									
8/7	115	@SF									
8/9	116	SEA									
8/10	117	SEA									
8/11	118	SEA									
8/12	119	SEA									
8/14	120	COL									
8/15	121	COL									
8/17	122	@OAK									
8/18	123	@OAK									
8/19	124	@OAK									
8/20	125	@SEA									
8/21	126	@SEA									
8/22	127	@SEA									
8/24	128	@LAA									
8/25	129	@LAA									
8/26	130	@LAA									
8/27	131	OAK									
8/28	132	OAK									
8/29	133	OAK									
8/30	134	LAA									
8/31	135	LAA									
9/1	136	LAA									
9/2	137	LAA									
9/3	138	MIN									
9/4	139	MIN									
9/5	140	MIN									
9/7	141	@BOS									
9/8	142	@BOS									
9/9	143	@BOS									
9/10	144	@DET									
9/11	145	@DET									
9/12	146	@DET									
9/14	147	ARI									
9/15	148	ARI									
9/16	149	ARI									
9/17	150	SEA									
9/18	151	SEA									
9/19	152	SEA									
9/21	153	LAA									
9/22	154	LAA									
9/23	155	LAA									
9/24	156	@TOR									
9/25	157	@TOR									
9/26	158	@TOR									
9/27	159	@BAL									
9/28	160	@BAL									
9/29	161	@BAL									
9/30	162	@BAL									

2018 ASTROS TRANSACTIONS

TRANSACTIONS: 4/18: Activated LHP Tony Sipp from the 10-day DL...4/17: Optioned RHP James Hoyt to Triple A...4/13: Activated IF Yuli Gurriel from the DL...4/11: Optioned IF J.D. Davis to Triple A...4/10: Recalled RHP James Hoyt from Triple A; placed LHP Tony Sipp on the 10-day DL (retro to 4/8)...4/7: Activated RHP James Hoyt from the DL and optioned him to Triple A...4/3: Activated IF Yuli Gurriel from the restricted list and placed him on the DL...3/29: Placed IF Yuli Gurriel on the restricted list...3/28: Placed RHP Jandel Gustave on the DL (retro to 3/26); placed RHP James Hoyt on the DL (retro to 3/26); placed RHP Brady Rodgers on the DL (retro to 3/26).