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OAKLAND ATHLETICS (86-60) VS. HOUSTON ASTROS (95-52)

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2019 — MINUTE MAID PARK — 7:10 CDT
RHP HOMER BAILEY (12-8, 4.87) VS. RHP JUSTIN VERLANDER (18-5, 2.52)
NBCSCA — A'S RADIO NETWORK (KTRB 860 AM/KHTK 1140 AM) — A'S CAST ON TUNEIN

ABOUT THE A'S: Have won four of the last five games, seven of the last nine and 18 of the last 26...are 35-19 (.648) since the All-Star Break, which is the third best record in the American League...are a season-high 26 games over .500 at 86-60 (.586), which is the fifth best record in the AL and seventh best in the majors...currently have the second AL Wild Card spot, ½ game ahead of third place Cleveland and ½ game behind first place Tampa Bay...have been in second place in the AL West every day dating back to July 2 and trail first place Houston by 8½ games...have spent 77 days in second in the West, one day tied for second, 44 days in third, six days tied for third, 13 days in fourth, seven days tied for fourth and 17 days in fifth.

MLB BEST RECORDS, JUNE 17-PRESENT			
	W	L	PCT
New York (AL)	52	24	.684
Oakland	49	24	.671
Atlanta	49	26	.653
Washington	47	26	.644
Cleveland	49	28	.636

THE LONG BALL: The A's have hit 232 home runs, which is fifth most in the majors and in Athletics history...have set franchise records for most players with 20 or more home runs (7) and most players with 10 or more home runs (10)...have two players with 30 or more home runs (Chapman and Olson) for the 13th time in Oakland history (last: Thomas and Swisher in 2006)...Marcus Semien has 28 and the Athletics record for players with 30 or more home runs is three (1996, 1999, 2001)...are the ninth team in Major League history with seven or more players with 20 or more home runs...only the Twins, with eight this year, have more...have won just six games when going homerless, which is second fewest in the majors (Seattle, 3)...the Athletics record for fewest wins in a season when going homerless is six in 2017.

ATHLETICS MOST HOME RUNS, SEASON	
243	1996
239	2000
235	1999
234	2017
232	2019

OFFENSE: The A's are batting .272 (154-for-566) with 113 runs scored over the last 16 games (7.1 per game)...have been hit by a pitch 15 times over that span and have 82 for the season, which is the most in the American League, third most in the majors and second most in Athletics history to the record of 88 in 2001...also rank third in the AL in fewest strikeouts (1188), fourth in home runs (232) and fifth in runs (770), extra base hits (515), OPS (.777) and slugging (.450)...are third in most grounded into double plays (129) and fewest stolen bases (44).

PITCHING: The A's have allowed 13 home runs in the first three games of this series, which is an Oakland record for home runs allowed in a four-game series...the Athletics record is 15 by the Kansas City A's against Minnesota (May 1-3, 1964)...have yielded 26 home runs in the last 11 games and 185 for the season, which is tied for third fewest in the American League but tied for fourth most in Oakland history (210 in 2017, 205 in 1996, 197 in 1997)...rank third in the AL in opponents slugging percentage (.409), fourth in ERA (4.08), OPS (.720), batting average (.245), on-base percentage (.311) and fewest strikeouts (1148), tied for fourth in shutouts (9) and fifth in fewest walks (436).

STARTING PITCHING: Brett Anderson tossed five innings last night to bring his season total to 166.0...Mike Fiers has 170.0 innings and this marks the first time the A's have two qualifiers for the ERA title since 2014 (Gray and Kazmir)...A's starting pitchers are 11-1 despite a 4.14 ERA (53 er in 115.1 ip) over the last 21 games dating back to Aug. 20...each of the A's last two losses by starting pitchers have been against Houston (Fiers on Monday, Anderson on Aug. 18)...have not lost to a team other than Houston since Aug. 13 at San Francisco (Anderson)...starters are 62-34 with a 4.07 ERA overall...rank second in the American League in wins to the Astros (67) and are fourth in ERA and innings pitched (804.2).

DEFENSIVE DOINGS: The A's have committed 73 errors, which is third fewest in the American League...the Athletics record for fewest errors in a season is 81 in 1981 and the fewest in a non-strike season is 84 in 2006...the errors have led to 32 unearned runs, which is the fewest in the majors...the fewest in Athletics history is 39 in 1981 and the fewest in a non-strike season is 42 in 1991...are second in the majors in opponents caught stealing (38).

IN THE PINCH: A's pinch hitters are batting .274 (23-for-84) with seven doubles, a triple, five home runs, 25 RBI and 13 walks...have 13 extra base hits, which ties the Oakland record set in 1968...lead the American League in RBI, are tied for the lead in home runs and extra base hits, rank second in hits and doubles, tied for third in walks and fourth in plate appearances (100)...the

five homers are tied for third most in Oakland history (8 in 1970, 6 in 2013) and the 25 RBI are the most since 1990 (26).

HOME AND AWAY: The A's are 2-1 on the penultimate road trip of the season, a seven-game trip to Houston (2-1) and Texas (three games)...went 4-3 on the last road trip to Kansas City (3-1) and New York-AL (1-2) and are now 33-18 (.647) over their last 51 road games after starting the year 5-15 (.250) on the road...are 38-33 (.535) on the road compared to 48-27 (.640) at home...went 5-1 on the last homestand against Los Angeles-AL (3-0) and Detroit (2-1) and are 30-11 (.732) over the last 41 home games after starting the year 18-16 (.556).

CLOSE CALLS: The A's are 41-31 (.569) in games decided by two runs or fewer...the games (72) are the most in the American League and tied for third most in the majors and the wins are the most in the AL and fourth most in the majors...are 22-19 (.537) in one-run games...ranks third in the AL in one-run games (41) and wins...have nine walk-off wins, which is tied for second in the majors (Dodgers, 12), and nine walk-off losses, which is tied for the most in the AL...are 5-9 (.357) in extra inning games...the losses are tied for the most in the AL and the games (14) are tied for second...have 10 losses when leading after seven innings, which is tied with Seattle for the most in the majors...they are the most such losses by an Oakland team since the 2006 club also had 10.

THIS AND THAT: The A's have a run differential of +139, which is fourth best in the American League and fifth best in the majors...last year, the A's were +139...are 28-12 (.700) in games in which the opponent starts a left-handed pitcher compared to 58-48 (.547) against right-handers...the mark against lefties is second best in the majors to Houston (31-10)...last night, Jesús Luzardo became the 49th player to appear in a game for the A's this year...he was the 19th reliever, which is the fewest in the AL and tied for second fewest in the majors...have 11 series sweeps, which is fourth most in the majors and the most by an A's team since 2013 when they had 12.

A's vs. ASTROS: The A's have lost the season series for the fifth consecutive year as they are 7-11 against the Astros entering the final game today...have not won more than seven games from Houston since 2015 (9)...have hit 27 home runs but have allowed 40, which is tied for second most in Athletics history against one team...the record was set by the Kansas City A's in 1956 when they allowed 48 home runs to the Yankees...the two teams have combined for 67 home runs, or 3.7 per game...the A's have been outscored 101-72 and have a -29 run differential against Houston compared to +168 against all other teams...went 4-5 in Oakland and are 3-6 in Houston...have won six of the last nine games after losing eight of the first nine...are 36-58 (.383) against Houston over the last five years after winning each of their first four season series against the Astros (31-13)...are 67-71 all-time, including 35-34 in Oakland and 32-37 in Houston.

TODAY'S TIDBITS

Matt Chapman has 32 home runs, which ties the Athletics franchise record for home runs as a third baseman (Eric Chavez in 2001)...**Liam Hendriks** struck out two batters last night and now has 112 for the season, which is the most ever by an Australian born pitcher...110 of those have come in relief, which is fourth most in Athletics history by a reliever and the most since Rollie Fingers had 113 in 1976...**Matt Olson** has 31 home runs and joins Mark McGwire (eight times) and Jason Giambi (two times) as the only first basemen in Oakland history to hit 30 homers...**Marcus Semien** stole his 10th base of the season last night and is one of five Major Leaguers with at least 10 home runs and 10 stolen bases in each of the last five seasons...joins Rickey Henderson (7 times), Reggie Jackson (7) and Jose Canseco (5) as the only players in Athletics history with five or more 10/10 seasons.

THIS DATE IN ATHLETICS HISTORY

In 1964 Bob Meyer tosses a one-hitter but the A's lose to Baltimore 1-0 as the Orioles Frank Bertaina also tosses a one-hitter...in 1980 Rick Langford pitches his club record 22nd consecutive complete game in the A's 9-5 win against Kansas City...he would go on to pitch an Oakland record 28 complete games...in 1986 Terry Steinbach homers in his first major league at bat off the Indians Greg Swindell at Cleveland Stadium...he would also homer in his last at bat as an Oakland Athletic.

PITCHING PROBABLES

Fri., Sept. 13 at Texas	RHP Chris Bassitt (10-5, 3.64) vs. LHP Brock Burke (0-1, 3.52)	5:05	NBCSCA/KTRB 860 AM
Sat., Sept. 14 at Texas	RHP Mike Fiers (14-4, 3.97) vs. LHP Mike Minor (13-8, 3.08)	5:05	NBCSCA/KTRB 860 AM
Sun., Sept. 15 at Texas	LHP Sean Manaea (1-0, 0.75) vs. TBA (bullpen game)	12:05	NBCSCA/KTRB 860 AM

World Champions: 1910•1911•1913•1929•1930•1972•1973•1974•1989

American League Champions: 1902•1905•1910•1911•1913•1914•1929•1930•1931•1972•1973•1974•1988•1989•1990

TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Homer Bailey (12-8, 4.87 ERA)

FOR STARTERS: Was acquired from Kansas City on July 14 for minor league infielder Kevin Merrell minutes before he was scheduled to start for the Royals against Detroit...is 3-0 with a 2.35 ERA (8 er in 30.2 ip) and .222 (26-for-117) opponents batting average over his last five starts after going 2-2 with an 8.17 ERA and .308 opponents average over his first five starts with the A's...is 5-2 with a 4.98 ERA (31 er in 56.0 ip) in 10 starts overall with Oakland dating back to July 17...the wins are tied for 10th most in the American League over that span...has allowed three runs or fewer in eight of his 10 starts with the A's but yielded seven and nine runs in his other two...Oakland is 6-4 (.600) in his starting assignments...went 7-6 with a 4.80 ERA in 18 starts with Kansas City.

12-GAME WINNER: Picked up his 12th win of the season Aug. 26, which is one short of his career high of 13 with Cincinnati in 2012...this is his third career 10-win season...was a combined 9-27 over his previous four seasons...his 131 strikeouts, 146.0 innings pitched and 28 starts are his most since 2013 (199 so, 209.0 ip, 32 gs).

DON'T WALK: Has walked one batter or fewer in each of his last six starts, which is the longest such streak of his career (4 bb in 35.1 ip, 1.02 per nine innings)...has walked 11 batters in 56.0 innings for Oakland (1.77 per nine innings) after issuing 38 free passes in 90.0 innings with Kansas City (3.80 per nine innings).

LEFT AND RIGHT: Has a .200 (23-for-115) opponents batting average against left-handed hitters with the A's compared to .330 (36-for-109) against right-handers...his season splits are .220 (65-for-296) against lefties, .304 (83-for-273) against righties.

RUN SUPPORT: Has a season run support average of 6.90 (112 rs in 146.0 ip), which is sixth highest in the American League...has received one run of support or fewer in nine of his 28 starts this year and is 0-7 in those starts...is 12-1 in 19 starts with two runs of support or more.

AGAINST THE WEST: Is 3-5 with a 7.40 ERA (34 er in 41.1 ip) in eight starts against American League West competition compared to 9-3 with a 3.87 ERA (45 er in 104.2 ip) in 20 starts against all other teams...is now 5-6 with a 6.72 ERA (49 er in 65.2 ip) in 12 career starts against the AL West.

HOME AND AWAY: Since joining the A's, he is 3-0 with a 2.93 ERA (10 er in 30.2 ip) in five starts in the Coliseum and 2-2 with a 7.46 ERA (21 er in 25.1 ip) in five starts on the road...for the season, he is 7-3 with a 3.80 ERA (36 er in 85.1 ip) in 15 starts in his home ballparks compared to 5-5 with a 6.38 ERA (43 er in 60.2 ip) in 13 starts on the road...is tied for 10th in the American League in home wins.

2019 HIGHLIGHTS: Struck out eight batters in 5.0 innings in his Kansas City debut April 3 against Minnesota but had a no decision in a 7-6 loss...left with a 6-3 lead but the bullpen blew the save...it was the first of four times he left with the lead in one of his starts only to have the bullpen blow the save (June 7 vs. Chicago-AL, July 4 vs. Cleveland, Sept. 6 vs. Detroit)...picked up his first win as a Royal April 13 against Cleveland when he tossed 7.0 scoreless innings...it was his first win since May 12, 2018 at Los Angeles (NL) and it snapped a career-high 10-game losing streak...posted a 6.88 ERA and .333 opponents batting average during the streak, which spanned 13 starts from May 18, 2018 to April 8, 2019...was 2-1 with a 4.30 ERA and .220 opponents batting average over his first four starts through April 18...then went 2-5 with a 6.87 ERA and .310 opponents batting average over his next nine starts from April 23 to June 7...walked a season-high four batters (also May 16 vs. Texas and June 29 at Toronto) in a season-low 1.0 innings April 23 at Tampa Bay...it was his shortest start since Aug. 28, 2016 at Arizona, also 1.0 inning...had a season-high three-game losing streak that spanned four starts from May 16 to June 1...had a 9.64 ERA and .350 opponents batting average during the streak...then went 4-0 with a 2.57 ERA and .227 opponents batting average over a six start stretch from June 13 to July 17...the four-game winning streak was his longest since May 23-June 8, 2014, when he also won four in a row...won three consecutive starts from June 13 to 23 and allowed just one run in 19.0 innings (0.47 ERA)...did not allow a run in back-to-back starts on June 13 against Detroit (6.0 ip) and June 18 at Seattle (7.2 ip) as part of a 16.2-inning scoreless streak from June 13 to 23...combined with Lopez and McCarthy on a six-hit shutout in the latter contest against the Mariners...tossed a season-high 7.2 innings, which was his longest scoreless outing since a complete-game on June 29, 2014 at San Francisco...also had a season-high 121 pitches...finished June 3-1 with a 3.48 ERA...it was his first three-win month since June of 2014 (3-1)...then had a no decision in his final start as a Royal on July 4 against Cleveland...was the winning pitcher in his A's debut, allowing two runs in 6.0 innings in a 10-2 victory over Seattle in Oakland on July 17...allowed a season-high nine runs on a season-high eight hits in 2.0 innings in an 11-1 loss at Houston July 22...became the eighth pitcher in Oakland history to allow nine or more runs in two innings or fewer, the first since Jesse Hahn on June 22, 2017, also against Houston (10 r in 2.0

ip)...tossed seven scoreless innings in a 9-5 win at San Francisco Aug. 14 and went 2-for-3 with a RBI at the plate for his sixth career multiple hit game...struck out a season-high nine batters in 5.2 innings at New York (AL) on Aug. 31.

LAST START: He had a no decision in the A's 5-4, 11-inning loss to Detroit last Friday in Oakland...it was his second consecutive no decision in an extra inning loss...the A's scored four times in the second inning and he blanked the Tigers on three hits over the first six innings...walked Cabrera to start the seventh and Stewart followed with a two-run home run...was relieved by Soria with one out in the seventh and the A's leading 4-2...the pen allowed two runs in the eighth for the blown save.

BAILEY'S 2019 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT	
April 3	Minnesota	6-7	-	5.40	5.0	5	3	3	2	8	0	99	
April 8	Seattle	5-13	L	9.00	5.0	8	7	7	2	7	3	96	
April 13	Cleveland	3-0	W	5.29	7.0	2	0	0	2	6	0	102	
April 18	at New York (AL)	6-1	W	4.30	6.0	3	1	1	1	6	0	86	
April 23	at Tampa Bay	2-5	L	5.63	1.0	3	4	4	4	0	0	38	
April 28	Los Angeles (AL)	3-7	L	5.70	6.0	6	4	4	0	3	0	98	
April Totals (6 games, 6 starts)				2-3	5.70	30.0	27	19	19	11	30	3	
May 4	at Detroit	15-3	W	5.25	6.0	7	2	2	2	4	1	94	
May 10	Philadelphia	5-1	W	4.83	5.0	4	1	1	3	4	0	86	
May 16	Texas	1-16	L	5.36	4.1	8	6	5	4	4	1	90	
May 22	at St. Louis	3-10	L	6.13	1.2	4	5	5	2	2	2	66	
May 27	at Chicago (AL)	1-2	-	5.79	1.4	3	1	1	1	5	0	77	
May Totals (5 games, 5 starts)				2-2	5.91	21.1	26	15	14	12	19	4	
June 1	at Texas	2-6	L	6.05	3.2	6	4	4	2	3	1	77	
June 7	Chicago (AL)	6-4	-	5.90	6.0	7	3	3	1	3	0	97	
June 13	Detroit (at Omaha)	7-3	W	5.37	6.0	2	0	0	3	6	0	102	
June 18	at Seattle	9-0	W	4.82	7.2	5	0	0	2	6	0	121	
June 23	Minnesota	6-1	W	4.61	5.1	5	1	1	1	5	1	108	
June 29	at Toronto	5-7	-	4.87	5.0	5	5	5	4	6	2	103	
June Totals (6 games, 6 starts)				3-1	3.48	33.2	30	13	13	13	29	4	
July 4	Cleveland	4-8	-	4.80	5.0	6	2	2	2	3	1	93	
KANSAS CITY TOTALS (18 G, 18 GS)				7-6	4.80	90.0	89	49	48	38	81	12	
July 17	Seattle	10-2	W	4.69	6.0	7	2	2	0	6	0	87	
July 22	at Houston	1-11	L	5.42	2.0	8	9	9	3	2	3	66	
July 27	Texas	5-4	W	5.33	6.2	7	3	3	1	7	0	105	
July Totals (4 games, 4 starts)				2-1	7.32	19.2	28	16	16	6	18	4	
Aug. 1	Milwaukee	5-3	-	5.20	6.0	5	2	2	3	5	0	101	
Aug. 7	at Chicago (NL)	1-10	L	5.54	4.2	6	7	7	1	0	1	73	
Aug. 14	at San Francisco	9-5	W	5.22	7.0	2	0	0	1	7	0	91	
Aug. 20	New York (AL)	6-2	W	5.06	5.2	7	1	1	0	8	1	108	
Aug. 26	at Kansas City	19-4	W	5.04	6.0	8	3	3	0	3	1	105	
Aug. 31	at New York (AL)	3-4 (11)	-	4.96	5.2	4	2	2	1	9	2	99	
August Totals (6 games, 6 starts)				3-1	3.86	35.0	32	15	15	6	32	5	
Sept. 6	Detroit	4-5 (11)	-	4.87	6.1	5	2	2	1	3	1	101	

BAILEY vs. HOUSTON: Is 4-1 with a 2.83 ERA (57.1 ip, 44 h, 21 r, 18 er, 18 bb, 53 so, 6 hr) in nine career starts...is 2-1 with a 3.09 ERA (11 er in 32.0 ip) in five starts at Minute Maid Park and 2-0 with a 2.49 ERA (7 er in 25.1 ip) in four starts in Cincinnati...was the losing pitcher in his only start this year, an 11-1 A's loss at Houston on July 22...allowed a season-high nine runs on a season-high eight hits in 2.0 innings...became the eighth pitcher in Oakland history to allow nine or more runs in two innings or fewer (Fiers became the ninth on Monday), the first since Jesse Hahn on June 22, 2017, also against Houston (10 r in 2.0 ip)...yielded four runs in the second inning on a solo home run by Alvarez, a RBI single by Springer, a bases loaded walk by Altuve and a Bregman RBI groundout...was then charged with five of the Astros seven runs in the third, including a two-run home run by Gurriel and a three-run home run by Diaz.

STARTS VS. HOUSTON

DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
9/25/07	H	-	5.2	3	5	2	2	5
5/5/11	H	W	6.0	4	1	1	1	7
5/10/11	A	W	7.0	5	0	0	0	5
8/2/11	A	W	8.0	5	1	1	3	4
9/20/11	H	W	7.0	6	2	2	2	5
7/25/12	A	-	7.0	5	0	0	5	7
9/1/12	A	-	8.0	3	1	1	1	9
9/7/12	H	-	6.2	5	2	2	1	9
7/22/19	A	L	2.0	8	9	9	3	2

BAILEY'S CAREER MATCHUPS VS. HOUSTON

Player	Bat	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SH	SF	HBP	GDP	AVG	OBP	SLG
Jose Altuve	R	12	4	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	.333	.467	.333
Yordan Alvarez	L	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.000	1.000	4.000
Michael Brantley	L	17	4	1	0	1	4	0	3	0	0	0	0	.235	.235	.471
Alex Bregman	R	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.500	.000
Robinson Chirinos	R	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.000	1.000	1.000
Aledmys Diaz	R	1	1	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	1.000	1.000	4.000
Zack Greinke	R	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.500	.500	1.000
Yuli Gurriel	R	2	2	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.000	1.000	2.500
Martin Maldonado	R	15	4	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	.267	.267	.333
Josh Reddick	L	6	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	.333	.333	.500
George Springer	R	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	.500	.500	.500

TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER

RHP Chris Bassitt (10-5, 3.64 ERA): Is 5-1 with a 2.78 ERA and .247 opponents batting average in 10 starts since the All-Star Break...has allowed two runs or fewer in six of those starts...ranks sixth in the American League in post-break ERA...has hit 12 batters, which is fourth most in the AL...does not have enough innings to qualify for the league leaders...based on a minimum of 130 innings pitched, he ranks 10th in the AL in ERA (3.64), opponents batting average (.232) and slugging percentage (.394)...was the winning pitcher in his last start, a 10-2 A's win over Detroit last Saturday in Oakland (6.0 ip, 8 h, 2 r, 2 er, 11 so)...it was the 13th time in Oakland history a pitcher struck out 11 or more without walking a batter...is 1-2 with a 5.09 ERA (17.2 ip, 17 h, 10 r, 10 er, 10 bb, 18 so, 1 hr) in five career appearances, including three starts, against Texas...is 1-1 with a 2.53 ERA (10.2 ip, 7 h, 3 r, 3 er, 6 bb, 12 so) in two starts this year.

BAILEY BY THE NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2019	12	8	4.87	28	146.0	79
2018	1	14	6.09	20	106.1	72
Career	79	85	4.60	240	1376.1	703
Home	7	3	3.80	15	85.1	36
Road	5	5	6.38	13	60.2	43
Day	4	4	4.86	14	74.0	40
Night	8	4	4.88	14	72.0	39
Pre-ASB	7	6	4.80	18	90.0	48
Post-ASB	5	2	4.98	10	56.0	31
			AVG.	AB	H	
vs. LHH			.220	296	65	
vs. RHH			.304	273	83	

BAILEY'S CAREER HIGHS

Low Hit CG:	0 (twice), last: 7/2/13 vs. SF
IP:	9.0 (six times), last: 6/29/14 at SF
Fewest IP, GS:	0.0, 8/12/09 at STL
H:	15, 7/26/08 vs. COL
R:	10, 8/6/17 vs. STL
ER:	10, 8/6/17 vs. STL
BB:	7, 6/27/09 at CLE
SO:	12, 7/21/13 vs. PIT
HR:	4, 4/14/14 vs. PIT
Pitches:	125, 5/14/13 at MIA
Win Streak:	6, 7/31/13 to 9/14/13
Loss Streak:	10, 5/18/18 to 4/8/19
Scoreless Streak:	23.0, 9/28/12 to 4/10/13
Complete Games:	7, last: 7/31/18 at DET
Shutouts:	4, 6/29/14 at SF

ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

TEAM

24-26, 4.09 ERA (235 er in 516.2 ip)
Saves/Opportunities: 38-for-66 (57.6%)

- The A's bullpen has compiled a 3.79 ERA (95 er in 225.2 ip) over the last 67 games since June 23 and now has a 4.09 ERA for the season, which is fifth lowest in the American League.
- Has the second lowest opponents slugging mark in AL (.396), in OPS (.709), third in on-base percentage (.313), and fourth in batting average (.238).
- Is 38-for-66 (57.6%) in save opportunities...the 28 blown saves are most in the Majors.
- Is tied for the third fewest home runs allowed (65) and has the fourth fewest walks (197) among AL bullpens...has the fifth fewest wins (24).
- Has the lowest slugging percentage against first batters (.333) among Major League bullpens.

58 RHP PAUL BLACKBURN

Last Outing: 9/9 at Houston (ND, 5.0 ip, 8 h, 6 r, 5 er, 1 bb, 2 hr)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 **First Hitters:** 1-2

- 5.0 innings in relief on Sept. 9 at Houston, allowing 5 earned runs.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Las Vegas on Sept. 1 for his third stint with the A's this season...served as the 26th man for the A's doubleheader on June 8 at Texas...was recalled on July 5 but did not pitch before being optioned.
- Has an 18.47 ERA (13 er, 6.1 ip) with 0 strikeouts in two career games against the Astros.
- Was 11-3 with a 4.34 ERA (64 er in 132.2 ip) with Las Vegas...his complete 2019 stats with the Aviators:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Las Vegas (AAA)	11	3	4.34	24	22	0	0	0	132.2	133	70	64	34	92

Last Year: Was limited to six starts with Oakland due to two stints on the injured list... began the season on the IL with a strained right forearm, went 2-3 with a 7.16 ERA in six starts...missed the remainder of the season with right elbow lateral epicondylitis.

52 LHP RYAN BUCHTER

Last Outing: 9/10 at Houston (ND, 0.1 ip, so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-4
Inherited Runners/Scored: 35/14 **First Hitters:** 12-51, 6 bb, 2 hbp

- Has not allowed a run in 40 of 47 games since he was recalled from Triple-A Las Vegas April 29 for his second stint with the A's...has a 1.91 ERA (7 er in 33.0 ip) and .222 (26-for-117) opponents batting average over that span...logged a 7.04 ERA and .375 opponents average over his first 13 games before he was optioned to Las Vegas April 22.
- Has allowed a .247 (23-for-93) average against left-handed hitters, .268 (15-for-56) against right-handers.
- Has a 1.50 ERA (2 er in 12.0 ip) in 19 outings on no days rest, and a 3.45 ERA (11 er in 28.2 ip) in his other 41 appearances.
- Has a 0.96 ERA (2 er in 18.2 ip) and .577 OPS in 26 appearances on the road and has not allowed a home run in 18.2 innings...has a 4.50 ERA (11 er in 22.0 ip) and .941 OPS in 34 outings at home.
- Has allowed 14-of-35 (40.0%) inherited runners to score, which is tied for the fifth highest mark in the American League,
- Has allowed three runs over 9.1 innings in his career against Houston, but has never allowed a run at Minute Maid Park.

Last Year: Went 6-0 with a 2.75 ERA and .219 opponents batting average in 54 relief appearances in his first season with the A's...allowed just 2-of-30 (6.7%) inherited runners to score, which was the lowest percentage in the majors.

35 LHP JAKE DIEKMAN

Last Outing: 9/6 vs. Detroit (ND, 0.2 ip, 2 h, 2 r, 2 er)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-2
Inherited Runners/Scored: 32/8 **First Hitters:** 10-53, 10 bb, 3 hbp, sf

- Was acquired from Kansas City on July 27 in exchange for minor league RHP Ismael Aquino and minor league OF Dairon Blanco and has pitched in 20 games with the A's (9 er in 14.1 ip, 5.52 ERA).
- Is tied for second among American League relievers in games pitched (68), is tied for fifth in fewest home runs per nine innings (0.48) and tied for eighth lowest in percentage of inherited runners scored (25.0).
- Has hit 11 batters, which match the most by an AL reliever since at least 1908 (Dellin Betances, NYY in 2017 and Mitch Williams, TEX in 1986) and are tied for second among Major League relievers (12, Carlos Marmol, CHC in 2009).
- Had 4.75 ERA with .212 opponents BA in 48 games with Kansas City.
- Officially pitched for two teams in two different cities on May 19 as a result of the A's suspended game against the Tigers, which was resumed on Sept. 6.
- Is 3-0 with three saves, a 1.05 ERA (3 er in 25.2 ip) and 33 strikeouts in 32 career outings against the Astros.

Last Year: Went 1-2 with two saves and a 4.73 ERA (28 er in 53.1 ip) with 66 strikeouts in 71 relief appearances with Texas and Arizona last season...was traded from Texas to Arizona on July 31, 2018.

16 RHP LIAM HENDRIKS

Last Outing: 9/11 at Houston (SV, 1.0 ip, 2 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 20-25
Inherited Runners/Scored: 40/16 **First Hitters:** 13-57, 4 bb, 2 sf, hbp

- Converted eight of his nine save opportunities in 12 outings in August and allowed three runs (13.0 ip, 9 h, 3 r, 3 er, 0 bb, 24 so).
- His 113 strikeouts set the single-season record for strikeouts by an Australian-born pitcher set by Damian Moss (112) in 2002 for Atlanta.
- Is 1-2 with 20 saves, four blown saves and a 1.80 ERA (7 er in 35.0 ip) in 33 games since taking over as closer when Treinen went on IL retroactive to June 21...the saves are the most in the majors over that span... has two walks, both intentional, in 35.0 innings and has struck out 62.
- Ranks second among ML relievers in ERA (1.43) and strikeouts (110)... among AL relievers, ranks third in OPS (.540), is fifth in innings pitched (75.1), and is tied for eighth in saves (20).
- Has a 1.36 ERA (12 er in 79.2 ip) over last 69 relief games since Sept. 4, 2018.
- His 20 saves are third most in Major League history by an Australian-born pitcher behind Grant Balfour, who saved 38 games for the A's in 2013 and 24 in 2012...had just one career save entering this season (Sept. 20, 2017).
- Recorded a strikeout in 27 consecutive games from June 8-Aug. 15 (53 so in 29.0 ip, 16.45 per nine innings)...that was the longest streak by an A's reliever since at least 1908...walked just three batters over that span.
- Allowed two runs on July 21, snapping a career-high and A's season-high scoreless streak at 20.2 innings from June 6-July 21...had 34 strikeouts and just three walks over that span and opponents batted .181 (13-for-72).
- Is 1-2 with two saves and a 4.68 ERA (13 er in 25.0 ip) in 22 relief appearances against the Astros...allowed three runs over 4.1 innings in sole start against Houston in 2013.
- Was named to his first American League All-Star team.

MOST STRIKEOUTS, ATHLETICS RELIEVER

115	Rollie Fingers (1975)
113	Rollie Fingers (1976)
113	Rollie Fingers (1972)
110	Liam Hendriks (2019)
105	Dennis Eckersley (1987)

Last Year: Was on the A's Opening Day roster and compiled a 7.36 ERA in 13 relief appearances before he was outrighted off the 40-man roster July 2...returned to Oakland Sept. 1 and went 0-1 with a 1.38 ERA in 12 games, including eight starts as the opener.

44 LHP JESUS LUZARDO

Last Outing: 9/11 at Houston (HD, 3.0 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 2 so, 1 hr)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 **First Hitters:** 0-1, k

- Made his MLB debut on Sept. 11 at Houston, retiring 9 of the 10 batters he faced with two strikeouts, completing 3.0 innings.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Las Vegas Monday, Sept. 9.
- Pitched for three teams in the A's farm system and combined for a 2-1 record, a 2.51 ERA and .221 opponents batting average in 11 games (nine starts)...struck out 57 batters in 43.0 innings and walks just eight in a season interrupted twice by a strained left shoulder.
- Traded from Washington to Oakland July 16, 2017 with Blake Treinen and Sheldon Neuse for Sean Doolittle and Ryan Madson...was rated the A's number one prospect by MLB.com and Baseball America prior to the 2019 season.
- Will become the first player born in Peru in Major League history.
- Was 1-1 with a 3.19 ERA (11 er in 31.0 ip) in seven starts with the Aviators...also started Game 3 of the PCL Conference Championship Series on Sept. 6 (5.2 ip, 7 h, r, er, 2 bb, 7 so)...his complete 2019 stats with Las Vegas:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Las Vegas (AAA)	1	1	3.19	7	7	0	0	0	31.0	29	12	11	8	34

Last Year: Made both his Double-A and Triple-A debuts in just his second professional season...pitched for three different clubs in the A's farm system and combined for a 10-5 record and a 2.88 ERA in 23 starts across three levels.

33 RHP DANIEL MENGDEN

Last Outing: 9/10 at Houston (S, 3.0 ip, 4 h, 2 r, 2 er, 2 bb, so)
Saves/Opportunities: 1-1
Inherited Runners/Scored: 0-0 **First Hitters:** 0-3

- Was recalled from Triple-A Las Vegas Monday for his third stint with the A's this season...went 5-2 with a 4.85 ERA in 11 games (nine starts) over his first two stints.
- Earned his first career save Sept. 10, pitching 3.0 innings in the A's 21-7 win at Houston.
- Has a 6.21 ERA (29 er in 42.0 ip) over nine career games (seven starts) against Houston, but has a 2.57 ERA (2 er in 7.0 ip) against the Astros in relief.
- Was 4-3 with a 4.22 ERA (30 er in 64.0 ip) in 13 games (10 starts) with the Aviators...also started Game 1 of the PCL Conference Championship Series on Sept. 4 (4.1 ip, 5 h, 2 r, 2 er, bb, 6 so)...his complete 2019 stats with Las Vegas:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Las Vegas (AAA)	4	3	4.22	13	10	0	0	0	64.0	56	37	30	20	61

Last Year: Was in the A's Opening Day starting rotation but was optioned to Triple-A Nashville following a mid-season stint on the injured list before returning to Oakland in late August, working primarily as a long man in "opener" games.

36 RHP YUSMEIRO PETIT**Last Outing:** 9/8 vs. Detroit (ND, 1.0 ip, bb, 2 so)**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-1**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 57/14 **First Hitters:** 13-68, 2 bb, 2 sf

- Allowed five runs over a two-game stretch from Aug. 21 to 24 but has not yielded a run in seven games since then (8.2 ip, 1 h, 1 bb, 8 so).
- Leads American League relievers in games pitched (72), ranks second in fewest walks per nine innings (0.97) and opponents OBP (.221), and is tied for sixth in innings pitched (74.1).
- Has allowed just 14 of his league-leading 57 inherited runners to score... his 24.6 inherited runners scored percentage ranks seventh among AL relievers...has the most inherited runners by an Athletic since Ricardo Rincon had 72 in 2005.
- Has 26 holds, which is one short of the Oakland record of 27 set by Rick Honeycutt in 1990 and matched by Buddy Groom in 1999.
- Has a 5.79 ERA (9 er in 14.0 ip) in 16 outings on no days rest, a 2.09 ERA (14 er in 60.1 ip) in his other 56 appearances.
- Is 3-2 with a 3.86 ERA (17 er in 39.2 ip) in 24 career games (two starts) against Houston...has allowed just one run over 9.2 innings against the Astros in 2019.

Last Year: Pitched in a team-leading and career-high 74 games in his first season in Oakland and was 7-3 with a 3.00 ERA and .221 opponents average...the wins were also a career high and his ERA was second lowest to his 2.76 with the Angels in 2017.

31 LHP A.J. PUK**Last Outing:** 9/7 vs. Detroit (ND, 1.0 ip, h, 2 so)**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 2/1 **First Hitters:** 0-3, 2 bb, 1 so

- Earned his first Major League win Thursday against Los Angeles-AL.
- Pitched 2.0 shutout innings on Aug. 26 at Kansas City, including his first MLB strikeout.
- Made his Major League debut on Aug. 21 vs. New York-AL (0.1 ip, h, bb).
- Was the A's first-round pick and the sixth overall selection in the 2016 First-Year Player Draft...is the first A's pick from that draft to reach the majors.
- Combined to go 4-1 with a 4.97 ERA and a .226 opponents batting average in 18 minor league games (four starts) with Single-A Stockton (June 11-27), Double-A Midland (June 28-July 29) and Triple-A Las Vegas (July 23-Aug. 19)...struck out 38 batters in 25.1 innings
- Tossed two innings or fewer in all 18 minor league appearances.

Last Year: Missed the entire 2018 season after undergoing ulnar collateral ligament surgery on April 10, 2018.

48 RHP JOAKIM SORIA**Last Outing:** 9/6 vs. Detroit (ND, 0.2 ip, h)**Saves/Opportunities:** 1-6**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 7/0 **First Hitters:** 15-63, 2 bb

- Has allowed at least one run in four of his last 10 appearances and has a 6.30 ERA over that span (10.0 ip, 9 h, 7 r, 7 er, 4 bb, 15 so, 4 hr).
- Is fourth in the American League in games pitched (66).
- Recorded his first save of the season on Aug. 22 vs. New York-AL...his last save prior to that came on July 24, 2018 against the Angels...now has 221 career saves, fifth most among active players.
- Has 3.00 ERA (13 er, 39.0 ip) in 40 A's wins and a 7.20 ERA (20 er, 25.0 ip) in 26 losses.
- Is 1-2 with three saves and a 2.45 ERA (8 er in 29.1 ip) in 30 career appearances against Houston.
- His 705 career games and 201 saved are the most in MLB history by a Mexican-born pitcher.

Last Year: Began the season with the Chicago White Sox and had 16 saves and a 2.56 ERA in 40 relief appearances when he was traded to Milwaukee July 26...went 3-1 with a 4.09 ERA in 26 outings with the Brewers and combined for a 3.12 ERA overall.

39 RHP BLAKE TREINEN**Last Outing:** 9/7 vs. Detroit (ND, 1.0 ip, 3 so)**Saves/Opportunities:** 16-21**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 14/5 **First Hitters:** 10-46, 8 bb, hbp

- Has two losses, three blown saves and a 7.30 ERA over his last 14 appearances (12.1 ip, 15 h, 10 r, 10 er, 5 bb, 13 so, 5 hr)
- Is tied for the fifth most wins (6) among American League relievers.
- Has a .255 opponents batting average, which breaks down to .255 (28-for-110) against left-handed hitters and .255 (28-for-110) against right-handed hitters.
- Struck out three in one perfect inning on Saturday against Detroit.
- Was placed on the 10-day injured list June 23 retroactive to June 21 with a strained right shoulder...was reinstated July 3 and has a 5.73 ERA (14 er in 22.0 ip) and no saves in 25 games since his return.
- Is 2-2 with four saves and a 2.45 ERA (4 er in 14.2 ip) in 14 career games against Houston.

Last Year: Went 9-2 with a career-high 38 saves, a career-low 0.78 ERA and a career-high 100 strikeouts to become the first pitcher in Major League history to save 30 games, compile an ERA under 1.00 and strikeout 100 batters.

62 RHP LOU TRIVINO**Last Outing:** 9/9 at Houston (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 so)**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-4**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 31/11 **First Hitters:** 15-54, 5 bb, hbp

- Has not allowed a run in his last three outings (1.2 IP).
- Pitched 3.0 scoreless innings on Aug. 16, tied for the longest outing of his career (April 18, 2018).
- Was 2-0 with a 2.42 ERA and .182 opponents average in his first 25 appearances, 1-5 with a 11.70 ERA and .420 opponents average in 11 appearances from May 29-June 21 and is 1-1 with a 5.87 ERA (15 er in 23.0 ip) and .261 (23-for-88) opponents average in 24 games since then.
- Has a 1.60 ERA (6 er in 33.2 ip) in 33 A's wins and a 10.30 ERA (29 er, 25.1 ip) in 27 A's losses.
- Is 1-2 with a 4.43 ERA (10 er in 20.1 ip) over 16 games against the Astros.

Last Year: Pitched in 69 games in his Major League debut and went 8-3 with four saves, a 2.92 ERA and .201 opponents batting average over two stints with the A's...tied for the lead among AL rookies in saves and ranked second in games pitched.

57 RHP J.B. WENDELKEN**Last Outing:** 9/6 vs. Detroit (ND, 1.0 ip)**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-1**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 10/2 **First Hitters:** 3-18, 2 bb

- Was recalled from from Triple-A Las Vegas on Sept. 6 for his fourth stint with the A's this season.
- Pitched just once in his previous stint with the A's...overall is 1-1 with a 4.23 ERA (13 er in 27.2 ip) with the A's this season.
- Has allowed just one run over 6.1 innings against Houston in his career.
- Went 6-3 with three saves, a 5.59 ERA and .297 opponents average in 30 games with the Aviators and also tossed a scoreless inning of relief in Game 1 of the Pacific Coast League Conference Championship Series against Sacramento on Wednesday...his complete 2019 stats with the Aviators:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Las Vegas (AAA)	6	3	5.59	30	1	0	0	3	38.2	47	26	24	19	43

Last Year: Began his comeback from UCL reconstruction surgery on his right elbow at Midland, was promoted to Nashville May 10 and eventually compiled a 0.54 ERA and .140 opponents batting average in 13 relief appearances over two stints with Oakland.

ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

1 FRANKLIN BARRETO

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 2)
Houston Series: 1-4, rbi, 2 so
Homestand: DNP

- Was on the A's Opening Day roster and appeared in one game as a pinch runner...did not bat and was optioned to Las Vegas March 28....went 5-for-47 (.106) in 16 games during his second stint from June 30 to Aug. 2.
- Snapped a career-high 0-for-19 streak Tuesday night with a single in the ninth inning.
- Is 4-for-25 (.160) at home, 2-for-26 (.077) on the road.
- Had minor league career highs in runs (88), doubles (29), home runs (19), RBI (65), walks (42) and extra base hits (53)...appeared in 47 games at second base, 31 at shortstop, nine at third base, nine in center field and two in left field...his complete stats with Las Vegas:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG
Las Vegas (AAA)	.295	98	373	88	110	29	5	19	65	42	113	15	1	.374	.552

Last Year: Had six stints with Oakland and batted .233 with five home runs and 16 RBI in 32 games...hit 18 home runs with Triple-A Nashville, which ranked third in the A's farm system despite just 77 games in the minors.

65 SETH BROWN

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 3)
Houston Series: 1-7, 2b, bb, 3 so
Homestand: 4-10, 4 r, 2 3b, 2 rbi, 2 bb, so, gidp

- Was selected from Triple-A Las Vegas Aug. 26 and is 16-for-43 (.372) with nine RBI and four multiple hit performances in 13 games.
- Had two triples Sept. 3 against Los Angeles (AL) to tie the Oakland single-game record (12th time, last: Matt Chapman at Texas, July 26, 2018)...it was the first two-triple game in the Coliseum since May 12, 2007 (Josh Barfield, TOR) and the first by an Athletic since Aug. 3, 2002 (Mark Ellis vs. Detroit).
- Hit a career-high 37 home runs with Las Vegas, which ranked second in the minors to the Diamondbacks Kevin Cron (39)...his 104 RBI ranked sixth.
- Ranked second in the Pacific Coast League in home runs (37), extra base hits (72) and total bases (286), tied for third in runs scored (101), fourth in RBI (104) and slugging (.634) and seventh in OPS (.986)...his complete 2019 stats with Las Vegas:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG
Las Vegas (AAA)	.297	112	451	101	134	29	6	37	104	38	127	8	1	.352	.634

Last Year: Spent the entire season at Double-A Midland where he batted .283 with 14 home runs and 90 RBI in 131 games...led the A's farm system in doubles (38) and ranked second in RBI and extra base hits (55).

20 MARK CANHA

Current Streak: 0 for 5
Houston Series: 3-11, 3 r, rbi, 3 so
Homestand: 4-18, 4 r, 3 rbi, 6 bb, 8 so, 3 hbp

- Went 0-for-1 Monday night before being removed in the fifth inning, snapping a career-high 23-game reaching base streak dating back to Aug. 13...was batting .318 (27-for-85) with six home runs, 18 RBI, 14 walks, and five hit by pitches (.442 on-base percentage) over that span.
- Has been hit by a pitch 15 times this season, which is third in the American League...it is tied for fourth most in Oakland history (20, Baylor in 1976; 20, Kendall in 2005; 19, Menechino in 2001).
- Does not have enough plate appearances to qualify for the league leaders...however, based on a minimum of 400 plate appearances, he ranks fourth in the AL in on-base percentage (.391).
- Is hitting .301 (59-for-196) with 11 home runs and 31 RBI in 53 games since the All-Star Break after batting .232 with 12 home runs and 22 RBI in 59 games before the break.
- Has started games at five different positions (41 in center field, 25 in right field, 13 at designated hitter, 11 at first base, eight in left field)...the A's are 64-33 (.660) with him in the starting lineup.
- Has career highs in runs (70), home runs (23), walks (58), hit by pitches (15), and strikeouts (99), and has matched his best in triples (3...his 39 extra base hits are two short of his high of 41 in 2015).

Last Year: Started games at five different positions for the A's and batted .249 with 17 home runs and 52 RBI in 122 games...hit 13 of his home runs against left-handed pitchers, which tied for second in the American League.

26 MATT CHAPMAN

Current Streak: 0 for 5
Houston Series: 2-10, 3 r, rbi, bb, 6 so, hbp
Homestand: 2-19, 3 r, 2 hr, 5 rbi, 8 bb, 8 so

- Hit his 32nd home run of the season Saturday night, which ties the Athletics franchise record for home runs as a third baseman (Eric Chavez, 2001)...leads American League third basemen and is tied for fourth among Major League third basemen in home runs.
- The home run came in the seventh inning, his AL leading 15th home run in the seventh inning or later...is tied for the AL lead in home runs at home (21).
- Also walked Saturday night for the eighth consecutive game (11 walks total), which was the longest streak by an Athletic since Jack Cust had an eight game streak from Aug. 6-14, 2009...the last longer streak is a 10-game streak by Cust from June 8-19, 2008.
- Is tied for eighth in the AL in extra base hits (70), tied for 11th in doubles (35), and tied for 12th in home runs (32).
- Leads the AL in go-ahead home runs (16) and is tied for sixth in go-ahead RBI (22).
- Leads Major League third basemen in total chances (432), putouts (137), and fielding percentage (.979), and ranks second in assists (286).
- Is the first Athletic with at least 30 doubles and 30 homers in a season since 2002 when both Eric Chavez and Miguel Tejada did it.
- Has career highs in home runs (32), RBI (81) and walks (67).
- Was named to his first AL All-Star team and also participated in the Home Run Derby.

Last Year: Earned the American League Gold Glove for third basemen, the Platinum Glove for all AL fielders and was named Defensive Player of the Year by Wilson...hit .278 with 24 home runs and 68 RBI in 145 games...tied for seventh in the AL in doubles (42).

ATHLETICS MOST HOME RUNS AS A THIRD BASEMAN, SEASON

32	Matt Chapman (2019)
32	Eric Chavez (2001)
31	Sal Bando (1969)
29	Eric Chavez (2004)
29	Eric Chavez (2003)
29	Eric Chavez (2002)

ATHLETICS MOST HOME RUNS, FIRST THREE SEASONS IN THE MAJORS

84	Mark McGwire
83	Bob Johnson
77	Reggie Jackson
70	Matt Chapman
69	Jose Canseco

2 KHRIS DAVIS

Current Streak: 4 games (6 for 14)
Houston Series: 5-11, 2 r, hr, 4 rbi, bb, 2 so, gidp
Homestand: 1-20, 2b, 5 rbi, 4 so, sf, gidp

- Was reinstated from the paternity list on Sept. 1 and is 8-for-33 (.235) with two doubles and nine RBI in nine games...was placed on the PL Aug. 29.
- Has eight home runs in 114 at bats against left-handed pitchers compared to 12 home runs in 319 at bats against right-handers.
- Hit his 20th home run of the season Tuesday night, becoming the first Athletics player with four straight 20-homer seasons since Eric Chavez had seven straight from 2000-06.
- Is batting .207 (57-for-275) with eight home runs and 37 RBI in 76 games since he was reinstated from the injured list June 1...was batting .247 with 12 home runs and 29 RBI in 43 games before going on the IL May 22 with a left hip/oblique contusion.
- Agreed to terms on a two-year contract extension through the 2021 season on April 18.

Last Year: Hit a Major League leading and career-high 48 home runs and ranked second with a career-high 123 RBI...is the 22nd player in ML history with at least three straight seasons of 40 HR and 100 RBI...his 48 home runs ranked third in Oakland history.

HOME RUN LEADERS

OAKLAND CAREER

363	Mark McGwire
268	Reggie Jackson
254	Jose Canseco
230	Eric Chavez
198	Jason Giambi
192	Sal Bando
167	Rickey Henderson
156	Miguel Tejada
153	Khris Davis
153	Dwayne Murphy

OAKLAND FOUR STRAIGHT YEARS

153	Khris Davis (2016-19)
153	Mark McGwire (1987-90)
141	Jason Giambi (1998-2001)
140	Jose Canseco (1988-91)
136	Mark McGwire (1989-92)

8 ROBBIE GROSSMAN

Current Streak: 1 game (3 for 6)
Houston Series: 3-10, 2 r, 2b, 2 rbi, so
Homestand: 2-13, r, 3b, 2 rbi, 2 so, gidp

- Collected three hits Tuesday night, going 3-for-6...was his first game with three or more hits since Aug. 14 at SF...now has six such games this season...has one four-hit game, coming on June 5 vs. Los Angeles-AL.
- Has made 90 of his 98 starts against right-handed pitchers and is batting .258 (90-for-349) with five of his six of his home runs against righties...is 9-for-48 (.188) against lefties.
- Is 5-for-17 (.294) with a double, a triple, a home run, seven RBI and four walks as a pinch hitter...leads American League pinch hitters in RBI, is tied for second in hits and plate appearances (21), and tied for third in walks.
- Has not committed an error in 117 games in the outfield and his 212 total chances are second most among Major League outfielders with no errors...they are third most in Athletics history (Javier, 335 in 1995; Crisp, 309 in 2013)...now has a 172-game errorless streak as an outfielder...his last error came on June 13, 2018 at Detroit.

Last Year: Batted .273 with five home runs and a career-high 48 RBI in a career-high 129 games with Minnesota...added 60 walks for a .367 on-base percentage, which was 10th best in the American League among players with at least 450 plate appearances.

22 RAMON LAUREANO

Current Streak: 0 for 3
Houston Series: 0-3, bb, so
Homestand: 2-7, 2 r, 2b, rbi, 2 so, hbp

- Was reinstated from the 10-day injured list Friday and is 2-for-10 (.200) in three starts (two in center field, one in right field) since his return.
- Was placed on the IL July 29 with a right lower leg stress reaction...did not have a rehab assignment.
- Was hitting .333 with 13 doubles, 13 home runs and 35 RBI over his last 39 games before the injury.
- Despite missing 32 games while on the IL, he still ranks second among American League center fielders in home runs (21) and RBI (59)...the home runs are the most by an A's center fielder since Dave Henderson had 25 in 1991.
- Has nine assists, which is tied for fourth among AL outfielders...now has 18 assists in 156 games since making his Major League debut on Aug. 3, 2018, which are the most by any ML outfielder over that span (Renfroe, SD 16).
- Is tied for seventh in the AL in hit by pitches (11) and tied for sixth in sacrifice flies (7).
- Is 13-for-44 (.295) against Houston this year, and 18-for-57 (.316) for his career.

Last Year: Spent the first four months of the season with Triple-A Nashville where he batted .297 with 14 home runs and 35 RBI in 64 games...was recalled by Oakland Aug. 3 and hit .288 with 5 home runs and 19 RBI in 48 games with the A's in his ML debut.

12 SEAN MURPHY

Current Streak: 3 games (4 for 13)
Houston Series: 4-9, 4 r, 3 hr, 5 rbi, bb, 2 so
Homestand: 2-8, 2 r, hr, 2 rbi, 2 so

- Was selected from Triple-A Las Vegas on Sept. 1 and is 6-for-17 (.353) in six games since then and 0-for-1 in the May 19 suspended game.
- Entered the game at catcher in the resumption of the suspended game on Friday, which shows up as a game played on May 19...was on the Las Vegas injured list on that date.
- However, his official Major League debut remains as Wednesday night against Los Angeles (AL) when caught a shutout while hitting his first ML home run, a solo shot off Jake Jewell in the fifth inning...is the first Athletic to catch a shutout in his ML debut since Jack Lapp in the second game of a Sept. 11, 1908 doubleheader against Washington...is just the fourth ML catcher since 1908 to catch a shutout and homer in his debut (last: Aramis Garcia, SF vs. NYM on Aug. 31, 2018).
- Became the sixth player in Oakland history to homer in his debut, the first since Franklin Barreto on June 24, 2017 vs. Chicago (AL).
- Had his first career multi-homer game Tuesday night, going 3-for-5 with two home runs and four RBI...has three homers over his last two games.
- Played in just 41 minor league games due to two stints on the disabled list from April 30 to July 24 and Aug. 1 to 20, both time with a strained left knee.
- Combined for a .293 average in 31 games with the Aviators and 10 rehab games with the A's affiliates in the Arizona Rookie League...tossed out 6-of-30 (20.0%) attempted base stealers...his complete 2019 minor league stats:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG
Las Vegas (AAA)	.308	31	120	25	37	6	1	10	30	15	31	0	1	.386	.625
A's Gold (Rookie)	.214	9	28	8	6	2	0	1	4	4	0	0	0	.313	.393
A's Green (Rookie)	.500	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	.800	.500

Last Year: Spent most of the season at Double-A Midland where he hit .288 with 8 HR and 43 RBI in 68 games...missed seven weeks with a sprained right finger also played three games at Triple-A Las Vegas and two on a rehab assignment in the AZL.

64 SHELDON NEUSE

Current Streak: 0 for 8
Houston Series: 0-4, 3 so
Homestand: 2-10, 2 r, so

- Entered the game at second base in the resumption of the suspended game on Friday, which shows up as a game played on May 19...also went 0-for-3 for Las Vegas that day at Salt Lake...however, his Major League debut remains as Aug. 30 at New York (AL).
- Was selected from Triple-A Las Vegas Aug. 29 and is 3-for-24 (.125) with three walks in seven games since then plus 0-for-1 on May 19...has made his last five starts at second base after making his first start at designated hitter.
- Had a two-run double off Ryan Dull on Sept. 1 at New York (AL) for his first ML hit and RBI.
- Led the Pacific Coast League in hits (158), ranked fourth in total bases (274), fifth in RBI (102) and runs scored (99), ninth in batting (.317) and tied for ninth in doubles (31)...had career highs in home runs and RBI.
- Was batting .339 with 11 home runs and 34 RBI in 44 games since the All-Star Break...appeared in 96 games at third base, 16 at second base, nine at shortstop, six at designated hitter and three in left field...his complete 2019 stats with Las Vegas:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG
Las Vegas (AAA)	.317	126	498	99	158	31	2	27	102	56	132	3	3	.389	.550

Last Year: Made his Triple-A debut in 2018 and spent the entire season at Nashville...batted .263 with five home runs and 55 RBI in a career-high 135 games...matched his career highs in triples (3).

28 MATT OLSON

Current Streak: 2 games (3 for 8)
Houston Series: 3-9, 4 r, 2b, 2 hr, 6 rbi, bb, 4 so
Homestand: 8-23, 5 r, 3 2b, hr, 4 rbi, 3 bb, 5 so, hbp, gidp

- Went 4-for-4 with a walk Saturday night for his second career four-hit game (April 18 vs. Chicago-AL).
- Hit two home runs Tuesday night for his third multi-homer game of the year and the seventh of his career...has joined Mark McGwire (eight times) and Jason Giambi (two times) as the only first basemen in Oakland history with 30 home runs.
- Snapped a 10-game hitting streak Sunday, which was the second longest of his career (16, June 30-July 21, 2019)...went 16-for-41 (.390) with 10 runs, five doubles, three home runs, seven RBI and five walks during the streak.
- Is batting .342 (38-for-111) with nine doubles, nine home runs, and 29 RBI over his last 29 games dating back to Aug. 10.
- Leads American League first basemen and is fourth in the majors in home runs (31), despite missing 34 games while on the injured list...also leads AL first basemen in total chances (998), putouts (909), assists (83), and fielding percentage (.994).
- The A's are 71-39 (.645) since he was reinstated from the injured list May 7...went 15-19 (.442) while he was on the IL (right hamate excision).
- Is tied for fifth in the AL in hit by pitches (12) and tied for sixth in bunt hits (5).
- Had his career-high streak of six consecutive games with an extra base hit snapped Friday night (five doubles, two home runs).

Last Year: Played in all 162 games and batted .247 with 29 home runs and 84 RBI in his first full season in the majors...also won the American League Gold Glove Award for first basemen...led AL first basemen in home runs (29) and RBI (83).

19 JOSH PHEGLEY

Current Streak: 0-3
Houston Series: 0-3, 2 gidp
Homestand: 3-12, 2 r, 2b, hr, 4 rbi, bb, 4 so

- Was reinstated from the 10-day injured list Aug. 16 and is 14-for-54 (.259) with 10 RBI in 17 games since his return.
- Ranks tied for third among American League catchers in RBI (55).
- Has tossed out 19-of-66 (28.8%) attempted base stealers...the 19 caught stealings are second most in the majors (Realmuto, PHI 36) but the 47 stolen bases are seventh most...has 14 passed balls, which are the most in the American League and tied for the most in Oakland history...the record is 14 by Terry Steinbach in 1987.
- Is batting .286 (30-for-105) with nine home runs and 29 RBI in 38 day games, .223 (42-for-188) with two home runs and 28 RBI in 61 night games.
- Snapped a 0-for-20 streak with a two-run home run in the seventh inning Thursday...it was his Major League leading 10th home run while batting ninth, which breaks the Oakland record for home runs from the nine spot in the order (previously nine by Ramon Hernandez in 2000 and Marcus Semien in 2016)...is tied with Houston's Jake Marisnick for most home runs batting ninth this season.
- Has career highs in every major offensive "counting" category except walks (14), which matches his high, triples and stolen bases.
- Was on the 10-day IL from July 29 to Aug. 15 with a left thumb contusion...went 3-for-11 (.273) with four walks, two runs and a RBI on a three-game rehab assignment with Las Vegas (Aug. 11 and 12) and Stockton (Aug. 15).

Last Year: Spent most of the first two months of the season at Triple-A Nashville, where he batted .235 with 3 HR and 18 RBI in 36 games...spent the final four months with Oakland and hit .204 with 2 HR and 15 RBI in 39 contests with the A's.

18 CHAD PINDER

Current Streak: 3 games (5 for 12)
Houston Series: 4-8, r, 2b, rbi, 2 so
Homestand: 1-11, 2 r, 5 so

- Is 5-for-12 (.417) over his last three games.
- Has started at least one game at six different positions (29 in left field, 22 in right field, 12 at second base, eight at third base, one in center field, one at first base)...last year, he was the first player in Oakland history to start at least one game at seven positions.
- Is 5-for-21 (.238) with two home runs, six RBI, a walk, a hit by pitch and a sacrifice fly as a pinch hitter...leads American League pinch hitters in plate appearances (25), is tied for the lead in home runs, and tied for second in hits and RBI.
- Is batting .287 (37-for-129) during the day, .208 (37-for-178) at night.
- Has career highs in doubles (19) and RBI (44).
- Homered in the resumption of the suspended game Friday night, which is recorded as occurring on May 19...also homered on May 17 and 18 and the statistical record shows him homering in three consecutive games for the first time in his career...the record also shows him with a 20-game homerless drought dating back to Aug. 10, which is third longest in his career.

Last Year: Batted .258 with 13 home runs and 27 RBI in 110 games in a season interrupted by two stints on the disabled list...became the first player in Oakland history to start at least one game at seven different positions (LF, 2B, RF, 3B, SS, CF and 1B).

23 JURICKSON PROFAR

Current Streak: 0 for 5
Houston Series: 2-10, 3 r, 2b, rbi, 2 bb, 2 so
Homestand: 6-20, 4 r, 2 hr, 6 rbi, 3 bb, 2 so

- Hit his 20th home run of the season Saturday night, which matches his career high from last year with Texas...it was his 18th home run as a second baseman, which is fourth among American League second basemen and tied for second in Athletics history.
- Is batting .300 (18-for-60) with 19 runs, five doubles, five home runs, 15 RBI and 16 walks over his last 19 games (.456 obp, .633 slug, 1.089 OPS) dating back to Aug. 21.
- The switch-hitter is batting .306 (30-for-98) against left-handed pitchers compared to .191 (62-for-325) with 17 of his 20 home runs against right-handers.
- Is 6-for-14 (.429) with a home run and 17 RBI with the bases loaded...is tied for fourth in the AL in hits with the bases loaded and ranks fifth in RBI.
- Has committed four errors in his last 84 games...is tied for second among Major League second basemen in errors (12).

Last Year: Batted .254 with 35 doubles, 20 home runs, 77 RBI and 10 stolen bases in 146 games with Texas...was one of just five players in the American League to post minimums of 35 doubles, 20 home runs, 75 RBI and 10 stolen bases.

MOST HOME RUNS, ATHLETICS SECOND BASEMAN

19	Mark Ellis (2007)
18	Jurickson Profar (2019)
18	Jed Lowrie (2018)
16	Davey Lopes (1983)
16	Jimmie Dykes (1921)

*only includes home runs hit as a second baseman

10 MARCUS SEMIEN

Current Streak: 2 games (6 for 10)
Houston Series: 6-12, 4 r, 2b, 2 hr, 4 rbi, so, sb
Homestand: 9-23, 7 r, 3 2b, 3b, hr, 4 rbi, 4 bb, hbp, 2 sb

- Is batting .337 (34-for-101) with 22 runs, eight doubles, two triples, nine home runs, and 25 RBI over his last 24 games dating back to Aug. 16.
- Ranks fifth in the American League in runs (109), tied for fifth in triples (7), tied for third in total bases (303), tied for eighth in walks (75), tied for fourth in extra base hits (73), and is seventh in doubles (38) and hits (167), ...is also second in at-bats (595) and tied for first in games played (146).
- His 28 home runs are a career high...26 of those have come while batting leadoff, which is second most in Athletics history to Rickey Henderson's 28 in 1990.
- Ranks tied for second among AL shortstops in home runs (28) and is second in RBI (81).
- Leads Major League shortstops in assists (398) and total chances (577)...ranks third among AL shortstops in fielding percentage (.981).
- Is batting .333 (31-for-93) with runners in scoring position.
- Is one of four players in the AL to appear in each of his teams games (Merrifield and Soler, KC; Villar, BAL)...has played all but 21 innings at shortstop...has a consecutive games played streak of 227 dating back to June 28 of last year (all starts) and has played all but 28 innings at short over that span...his consecutive games started streak is second longest in Oakland history (347, Alfredo Griffin, April 9, 1985-April 30, 1987) while the consecutive games played streak is fourth best.
- Went 4-for-4 with three runs, two doubles and a hit by pitch Thursday against Los Angeles (AL)...it was his seventh career four-hit game, his second this year (June 7 at Texas)...it was the second time he reached base five times in a game (4-for-5 with a walk on April 8, 2014 with Chicago-AL vs. Colorado).
- This is his second 20-homer season and he joins Miguel Tejada (five times) and Eddie Joost (twice) as the only shortstops in Athletics history with multiple 20-homer seasons.
- Has career highs in hits (167), runs (109), doubles (38), RBI (81), walks (75), extra base hits (73), and total bases (303), and has matched his best in triples (7).
- Is one of 17 players in Major League history with at least the following in a season: 104 runs, 159 hits, 36 doubles, seven triples, 26 home runs, 77 RBI, 75 walks and eight stolen bases...the last to do it is Mike Trout in 2014.

Last Year: Batted .255 with 15 home runs and 70 RBI in 159 games...had career highs in hits (161), doubles (35) and stolen bases (14)...is one of nine Major Leaguers with at least 10 home runs and 10 stolen bases in each of the last four seasons.

46 BEAU TAYLOR

Current Streak: 0 for 6
Houston Series: 0-1
Road Trip: 0-1

- Was claimed off waivers from Toronto yesterday, rejoining the A's for the third time this season...appeared in just one game for the Blue Jays, going 0-for-2 with a strikeout.
- Was designated for assignment by Oakland on Aug. 14 to make room for Corban Joseph...was claimed off Waivers by Toronto on Aug. 16...played in 10 games for Triple-A Buffalo, hitting .188 (6-for-32) with a .282 on-base percentage.
- Hit his first career Major League home run earlier this year with the A's on June 18 vs. Baltimore.
- Hit .257 (49-for-191) in 62 games with Triple-A Las Vegas...his complete 2019 Triple-A stats are below:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG
Las Vegas (AAA)	.257	62	191	38	49	13	1	8	32	47	70	0	0	.408	.461
Buffalo (AAA)	.188	10	32	5	6	2	0	0	4	5	8	9	0	.282	.250

Last Year: Spent the season at Triple-A Nashville and batted .248 with three home runs and 39 RBI in 90 games before making his Major League debut as a September call-up...went 1-for-5 (.200) with a double and a walk in seven games with Oakland.

A'S HITTING VS. HOUSTON

2019	CAREER									
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	PLAYER	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
.111	9	1	0	1	Barreto	.125	24	3	0	2
.143	7	1	0	0	Brown	.143	7	1	0	0
.333	48	16	1	5	Canha	.265	155	41	4	18
.284	67	19	5	8	Chapman	.269	160	43	10	21
.158	57	9	1	4	Davis	.202	258	52	14	36
.250	60	15	2	9	Grossman	.252	103	26	4	15
.295	44	13	1	4	Laureano	.316	57	18	1	4
.444	9	4	3	5	Murphy	.444	9	4	3	5
.000	4	0	0	0	Neuse	.000	4	0	0	0
.245	49	12	5	15	Olson	.222	158	35	11	31
.207	29	6	1	2	Phegley	.220	100	22	2	12
.286	35	10	1	4	Pinder	.273	110	30	7	18
.146	41	6	1	2	Piscotty	.225	120	27	4	16
.167	42	7	1	3	Profar	.226	159	36	2	16
.194	67	13	4	6	Semiem	.250	304	76	12	29
.000	1	0	0	0	Taylor	.000	1	0	0	0
.127	55	7	1	3	others					
.223	624	139	27	71	TOTALS					

A'S CAREER HITTING VS. VERLANDER

PLAYER	BAT	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SH	SF	HBP	GIDP	AVG	OBP	SLG
Mark Canha	R	12	4	1	0	1	1	0	4	0	0	2	0	.333	.429	.667
Matt Chapman	R	15	1	0	0	1	1	2	6	0	0	0	0	.067	.176	.267
Chris Herrmann	L	9	2	1	0	0	1	3	4	0	0	0	0	.222	.417	.333
Ramon Laureano	R	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	.167	.167	.167
Matt Olson	L	18	4	1	0	1	2	0	5	0	0	0	0	.222	.222	.444
Josh Phegley	R	9	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.222	.222	.222
Chad Pinder	R	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.500	.500	1.000
Stephen Piscotty	R	13	2	0	0	1	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	.154	.154	.385
Jurickson Profar	S	13	1	1	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	.077	.200	.154
Marcus Semiem	R	28	8	1	1	1	1	0	8	0	0	0	0	.286	.286	.500

HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

Player	2019 HOME RUNS				Tot.	Date	LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN			GP Since
	Solo	2R	3R	GS			Opponent	Pitcher		
Barreto	1	0	1	0	2	July 13, 2019	Chicago-AL	Detwiler	10	
Brown	0	0	0	0	0	—	—	—	13	
Canha	16	7	0	0	23	Aug. 28, 2019	at Kansas City	Junis	13	
Chapman	19	9	4	0	32	September 7, 2019	Detroit	Reininger	4	
Davis	12	7	1	0	20	September 10, 2019	at Houston	Sneed	1	
Grossman	2	4	0	0	6	Aug. 14, 2019	at San Francisco	Bergman	23	
Herrmann	0	0	0	1	1	July 2, 2019	Minnesota	Odorizzi	27	
Laureano	16	2	2	1	21	July 27, 2019	Texas	Sampson	4	
Murphy	3	1	0	0	4	September 11, 2019	at Houston	James	--	
Neuse	0	0	0	0	0	—	—	—	9	
Olson	14	12	5	0	31	September 10, 2019	at Houston (S)	Biagini	1	
Phegley	4	6	1	0	11	September 5, 2019	Los Angeles (AL)	Suarez	3	
Pinder	4	6	2	0	12	Aug. 9, 2019	at Chicago (AL)	Fry	23	
Piscotty	10	0	3	0	13	Aug. 21, 2019	New York (AL)	Green	2	
Profar	12	7	0	1	20	September 7, 2019	Detroit	Zimmerman	4	
Semien	18	5	4	1	28	September 11, 2019	at Houston	Urquidy	--	
others	5	2	1	0	8					
Team	136	68	24	4	232					

MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs
Anderson	Innings Pitched	987.1	12.2 for 1000
Davis	Games as DH w/Oak	338	17 for 355 (ties Page for 2nd in Athletics history)
	Runs	480	20 for 500
	Home Runs w/Oak	153	0 for 153 (tied Murphy for 9th in Oakland history)
Profar	Doubles	78	22 for 100
Semien	Games at SS w/Oak	701	14 for 715 (ties Bordick for 3rd in Oakland history and 7th in Athletics history)
Treinen	Saves w/Oak	67	8 for 75 (ties Bailey and Isringhausen for fifth in Athletics history)

WALK-OFF WINS (9)

Chad Pinder, April 24 vs. Texas (single)
 Stephen Piscotty, May 8 vs. Cincinnati (home run)
 Matt Chapman, May 10 vs. Cleveland (home run)
 Ramón Laureano, May 11 vs. Cleveland (single)
 Matt Chapman, June 20 vs. Tampa Bay (home run)
 Ramón Laureano, July 14 vs. Chicago-AL (FC, E6, no rbi)
 Khris Davis, July 28 vs. Texas (walk)
 Matt Olson, July 30 vs. Milwaukee (home run)
 Robbie Grossman, August 16 vs. Houston (single)

A'S AT A GLANCE

Season High	86/60 (September 12)
Season Low	15-21/19-25 (May 5/14)
March	3-3
April	11-15
May	16-10
June	17-11
July	15-9
August	17-9
September	7-3
Home Series	16-6-3
Road Series	10-8-4
Series Sweeps	11-8
First Game of Series	28-20
Last Game of Series	27-20
A's Score First	57-29
Opponent Scores First	29-31
Leading After 7th	74-10
Leading After 8th	76-2
Tied After 7th	9-6
Tied After 8th	7-14
Trailing After 7th	3-44
Trailing After 8th	3-44
Commit No Errors	59-33
Commit 1 or More Errors	27-27
More HR Than Opp.	52-13
Fewer HR Than Opp.	10-35
Same Total HR of Opp.	24-12
Starter Pitches 7 or More	14-4
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	72-56
When Scoring 4 or More	73-22
When Scoring Less Than 4	13-38
Last At Bat	14-17
Replay Challenges	11-20
Different Lineups	125

INJURED LIST

Current	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Herrmann	Right knee surgery	March 17-July 1	86
Gossett	UCL surgery rehab	Feb. 15-present (eligible May 19)	145	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Piscotty	Sprained right ankle	Aug. 25-present (eligible Sept. 4)	16	Hundley	Back spasms	June 8-July 24	39
Barrera	Right shoulder surgery	Sept. 9-present	3	Laureano	Right lower leg stress reaction	July 29-September 5	32
Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Manaea	Shoulder surgery rehab	Feb. 13-August 31	136
Bassitt	Right lower leg contusion	March 25-April 15	17	Martini	Sprained right knee	March 17-May 27	55
Cotton	UCL surgery rehab	March 17-July 28	108	Olson	Right hand surgery	March 25-May 6	34
Canha	Sprain right wrist	April 29-May 12	12	Phegley	Left thumb contusion	July 29-August 15	14
Davis	Left hip/oblique contusion	May 22-May 31	8	Piscotty	Sprained right knee	June 30-August 2	26
Estrada	Lumbar strain	April 17-August 19	106	Treinen	Strained right shoulder	June 21-July 2	10

The A's have used the injured list 16 times this season...used the DL 26 times last year.

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

May 28	Fernando Rodney released; Nick Martini reinstated from the injured list and optioned to Las Vegas	July 12	Nick Hundley sent to Arizona A's-Gold on a rehab assignment	Aug. 11	Josh Phegley sent to Las Vegas on a rehab assignment
May 29	Jharel Cotton returned from rehab	July 14	Homer Bailey acquired from Kansas City for minor leaguer Kevin Merrell; J.B. Wendelken optioned to Las Vegas (post-game)	Aug. 13	Sean Manaea sent to Las Vegas on a rehab assignment
June 1	Khris Davis reinstated from the injured list; Skye Bolt optioned to Las Vegas	July 17	Nick Hundley transferred to Stockton on rehab	Aug. 14	Corban Joseph selected from Las Vegas; Nick Martini optioned to Las Vegas; Beau Taylor designated for assignment
June 6	Ryan Dull recalled from Las Vegas; Daniel Mengden optioned to Las Vegas	July 22	Brett Anderson placed on paternity list; Nick Martini recalled from Las Vegas	Aug. 15	Josh Phegley transferred to Stockton on rehab
June 8	Paul Blackburn recalled from Las Vegas (26th man for doubleheader); Nick Hundley placed on the 10-day injured list (back spasms); Beau Taylor selected from Las Vegas; Paul Blackburn returned to Las Vegas	July 23	Tanner Anderson recalled from Las Vegas; Nick Martini optioned to Las Vegas; Sean Manaea transferred to Las Vegas on rehab	Aug. 16	Josh Phegley reinstated from the injured list; Dustin Garneau designated for assignment; Beau Taylor claimed off waivers by Toronto; Marco Estrada transferred to Las Vegas on rehab
June 10	Tanner Anderson recalled from Las Vegas; Ryan Dull optioned to Las Vegas	July 25	Brett Anderson reinstated from the paternity list; Tanner Anderson optioned to Las Vegas; Nick Hundley reinstated from the injured list and designated for assignment; Marco Estrada sent to Arizona A's-Gold on a rehab assignment	Aug. 19	Wei-Chung Wang optioned to Las Vegas; Dustin Garneau outrighted to Las Vegas
June 13	Chris Herrmann sent to Las Vegas on a rehab assignment	July 27	Jake Diekman acquired from the Kansas City Royals for minor league pitcher Ismael Aquino and minor league outfielder Dairon Blanco; Stephen Piscotty sent to Las Vegas on a rehab assignment	Aug. 20	A.J. Puk selected from Las Vegas; Marco Estrada released
June 21	Frankie Montas placed on the restricted list; J.B. Wendelken recalled from Las Vegas	July 28	Nick Hundley released	Aug. 26	Stephen Piscotty placed on the 10-day injured list retroactive to Aug. 25 (sprained right ankle); Seth Brown selected from Las Vegas; Nick Martini designated for assignment
June 23	Blake Treinen placed on the 10-day injured list retroactive to June 21 (strained right shoulder); Brian Schlitter selected from Las Vegas	July 29	Brian Schlitter designated for assignment; Jharel Cotton reinstated from the injured list and optioned to Las Vegas	Aug. 28	Nick Martini claimed off waivers by San Diego
June 26	Daniel Mengden recalled from Las Vegas; J.B. Wendelken optioned to Las Vegas	July 30	Marco Estrada transferred to Stockton on rehab	Aug. 29	Khris Davis placed on paternity list; Sheldon Neuse selected from Las Vegas; Wei-Chung Wang designated for assignment
June 30	Franklin Barreto recalled from Las Vegas; Stephen Piscotty placed on 10-day injured list (sprained right knee)	July 31	Tanner Roark and cash considerations acquired from the Cincinnati Reds for minor league outfielder Jameson Hannah; Andrew Triggs designated for assignment; Ramón Laureano placed on the 10-day injured list retroactive to July 29 (right lower leg stress reaction); Josh Phegley placed on the 10-day injured list retroactive to July 29 (left thumb contusion); Nick Martini and Beau Taylor recalled from Las Vegas; Brian Schlitter outrighted to Las Vegas	Aug. 31	Wei-Chung Wang claimed off waivers by Pittsburgh
July 1	Blake Treinen sent to Las Vegas on a rehab assignment	Aug. 1	Daniel Mengden optioned to Las Vegas (post-game)	Sept. 1	Khris Davis reinstated from paternity list; Franklin Barreto and Paul Blackburn recalled from Las Vegas; Sean Murphy selected from Las Vegas; Sean Manaea reinstated from the 60-day IL; Tanner Anderson and Corban Joseph designated for assignment
July 2	Chris Herrmann reinstated from the 60-day injured list; Beau Taylor optioned to Las Vegas; Marco Estrada transferred to the 60-day IL	Aug. 2	Sean Manaea returned from rehab	Sept. 3	Corban Joseph claimed off waivers by San Francisco; Tanner Anderson outrighted to Las Vegas
July 3	Blake Treinen reinstated from the injured list; Aaron Brooks designated for assignment	Aug. 3	Dustin Garneau claimed off waivers from the Los Angeles Angels; Stephen Piscotty reinstated from the injured list; Franklin Barreto and Beau Taylor optioned to Las Vegas; Ryan Dull designated for assignment; Andrew Triggs released	Sept. 6	Ramón Laureano reinstated from the injured list; J.B. Wendelken recalled from Las Vegas
July 5	Paul Blackburn recalled from Las Vegas; Tanner Anderson optioned to Las Vegas	Aug. 5	Ryan Dull claimed off waivers from San Francisco	Sept. 7	Jesús Luzardo selected from Las Vegas; Daniel Mengden recalled from Las Vegas; Luis Barrera recalled from Midland and placed on 60-day injured list
July 6	J.B. Wendelken recalled from Las Vegas; Paul Blackburn optioned to Las Vegas; Aaron Brooks claimed off waivers by Baltimore			Sept. 10	Beau Taylor claimed off waivers from Toronto; Chris Herrmann designated for assignment
July 8	Sean Manaea sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment				
July 9	Jharel Cotton sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment				
July 11	Jharel Cotton transferred to Las Vegas on rehab				

2019 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

DATE	G	OPP	W-L	SCORE	REC	POS	GA/GB	LEADER AND LEAD	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	ATT.	CUM. ATT.
3/20	1	SEA^	L	7-9	0-1	5	-1	SEA	1/2 Gonzales	Fiers	Strickland	45,787*	45,787
3/21	2	SEA^	L	4-5 (12)	0-2	5	-2	SEA	1/2 Rosscup	Buchter	Strickland	46,451*	92,238 (2 dates)
3/28	3	LAA	W	4-0	1-2	3	-2	SEA/HOU	— Fiers	Cahill		22,691	114,929
3/29	4	LAA	L	2-6	1-3	4	-2	SEA	1/2 Robles	Soria		22,585	137,514
3/30	5	LAA	W	4-2	2-3	3	-2	SEA	1 1/2 Anderson	Pena	Teinen	16,051	153,565
3/31	6	LAA	W	2-1	3-3	3	-2	SEA	1 1/2 Montas	Skaggs	Teinen	23,265	176,830
4/1	7	BOS	W	7-0	4-3	2	-2	SEA	2/2 Brooks	Price		12,417	189,247
4/2	8	BOS	W	1-0	5-3	2	-2	SEA	2/2 Fiers	Sale	Teinen	14,207	201,968
4/3	9	BOS	L	3-6	5-4	3	-2 1/2	SEA	2/2 Barnes	Rodney	Brasier	12,721	216,175
4/4	10	BOS	W	7-3	6-4	3	-2	SEA	1 1/2 Anderson	Rodriguez		15,095	231,270 (10 dates)
4/5	11	at HOU	L	2-3	6-5	3	-2	SEA	1 1/2 McHugh	Montas	Osuna	43,165	43,165
4/6	12	at HOU	L	0-6	6-6	3	-3	SEA	2 1/2 Miley	Brooks		34,487	77,652
4/7	13	at HOU	L	8-9	6-7	4	-4	SEA	3 1/2 Osuna	Teinen		34,902	112,554
4/8	14	at BAL	L	4-12	6-8	5	-5	SEA	3 1/2 Cashner	Estrada		6,585	119,139
4/9	15	at BAL	W	13-2	7-8	4	-5	SEA	3 1/2 Anderson	Means		7,738	126,877
4/10	16	at BAL	W	10-3	8-8	4	-5	SEA	3 1/2 Montas	Straily		7,974	134,851
4/11	17	at BAL	W	8-5	9-8	3	-5	SEA	4/4 Brooks	Bundy	Teinen	8,374	143,225
4/12	18	at TEX	W	8-6	10-8	3	-4	SEA	3/4 Trivino	Martin	Teinen	24,817	168,042
4/13		at TEX	PPD, Rain			3	3 1/2	SEA	2				
4/14	19	at TEX	L	7-8	10-9	3	-3 1/2	SEA	1/2 Springs	Soria	Leclerc	26,350	194,392 (9 dates)
4/15		OFF DAY				3	-3	SEA	1/2				
4/16	20	HOU	L	1-9	10-10	4	-3 1/2	HOU	1/2 McHugh	Estrada		12,270	243,540
4/17	21	HOU	W	2-1	11-10	4	-2 1/2	HOU	1/2 Montas	Miley	Teinen	11,323	254,863
4/18		OFF DAY				4	-2 1/2	HOU/SEA	—				
4/19	22	TOR	L	1-5	11-11	4	-3 1/2	HOU/SEA	—	Stroman	Brooks	15,128	269,991
4/20	23	TOR	L	1-10	11-12	4	-4 1/2	SEA	1/2 Gaviglio	Fiers		31,140	301,131
4/21	24	TOR	L	4-5	11-13	4	-4 1/2	SEA	1/2 Hudson	Anderson	Giles	16,015	317,146
4/22	25	TEX	W	6-1	12-13	4	-4	SEA	1 1/2 Bassitt	Minor		8,073	325,219
4/23	26	TEX	W	11-5	13-13	4	-3	SEA	1 1/2 Montas	Lynn		10,496	335,715
4/24	27	TEX	W	6-5	14-13	3	-2 1/2	HOU	1/2 Teinen	Martin		18,610	354,325 (18 dates)
4/25		OFF DAY				3	-2 1/2	SEA	1/2				
4/26	28	at TOR	L	2-4	14-14	3	-3 1/2	SEA	1 1/2 Giles	Petit		28,688	223,080
4/27	29	at TOR	L	1-7	14-15	4	-3 1/2	SEA	1/2 Sanchez	Anderson		22,254	245,334
4/28	30	at TOR	L	4-5 (11)	14-16	4	-4	HOU	1/2 Luciano	Teinen		18,557	263,891
4/29	31	at BOS	L	4-9	14-17	4	-4	HOU/SEA	—	Brasier	Montas	30,866	294,757
4/30	32	at BOS	L	1-5	14-18	4	-5	HOU	1/2 Porcello	Brooks		31,754	326,511
5/1	33	at BOS	L	3-7	14-19	5	-5	HOU	1/2 Walden	Fiers		33,708	360,219
5/2		OFF DAY				5	-4 1/2	HOU	1/2				
5/3	34	at PIT	W	14-1	15-19	5	-4	HOU	1/2 Anderson	Musgrove		16,428	376,647
5/4	35	at PIT	L	4-6	15-20	5	-5	HOU	2/2 Feliz	Wendelken		26,447	403,094
5/5	36	at PIT	L	3-5 (13)	15-21	5	-6	HOU	2/2 Lyons	Rodney		18,517	421,611 (18 dates)
5/6		OFF DAY				5	-6 1/2	HOU	3				
5/7	37	CIN	W	2-0	16-21	5	-5 1/2	HOU	3/3 Fiers	Mahle		11,794	366,119
5/8	38	CIN	W	5-4 (13)	17-21	4	-5 1/2	HOU	3/3 Hendriks	Stephenson		9,096	375,215
5/9	39	CIN	L	0-3	17-22	5	-6 1/2	HOU	4/4 Roark	Bassitt	Iglesias	19,694	394,909
5/10	40	CLE	W	4-3 (12)	18-22	5	-6 1/2	HOU	5/5 Soria	Hand		36,913	431,822
5/11	41	CLE	W	3-2	19-22	5	-6 1/2	HOU	5 1/2 Teinen	Cole		18,278	450,100
5/12	42	CLE	L	3-5	19-23	4	-7 1/2	HOU	6 1/2 Rodriguez	Mengden	Hand	18,891	468,991 (24 dates)
5/13	43	at SEA	L	5-6 (10)	19-24	5	-8 1/2	HOU	6 1/2 Brennan	Soria		12,520	481,511
5/14	44	at SEA	L	3-4	19-25	5	-9 1/2	HOU	7/7 Leake	Anderson	Elias	11,365	492,876
5/15		OFF DAY				5	-10	HOU	7 1/2				
5/16	45	at DET	W	17-3	20-25	5	-9 1/2	HOU	8/8 Bassitt	Turnbull		18,527	501,403
5/17	46	at DET	W	7-2	21-25	5	-9 1/2	HOU	8 1/2 Montas	Norris		18,746	520,149
5/18	47	at DET	W	4-1	22-25	3	-9 1/2	HOU	8 1/2 Mengden	Boyd	Teinen	22,913	543,062
5/19	48	at DET#	Suspended, 5-3		23-25	4	-9	HOU	8 1/2			15,680	558,742
5/20	49	at CLE	W	6-4	23-25	3	-9	HOU	8 1/2 Anderson	Carrasco	Teinen	12,563	571,305
5/21	50	at CLE	W	5-3	24-25	3	-9	HOU	8 1/2 Hendriks	Bauer	Teinen	13,705	585,010
5/22	51	at CLE	W	7-2	25-25	3	-8	HOU	7 1/2 Montas	Rodriguez		17,010	592,020 (27 dates)
5/23		OFF DAY				3	-7 1/2	HOU	7				
5/24	52	SEA	W	6-2	26-25	3	-7 1/2	HOU	7/7 Trivino	LeBlanc	Teinen	12,902	604,922
5/25	53	SEA	W	6-5	27-25	2	-7 1/2	HOU	7 1/2 Fiers	Kikuchi		18,975	623,897
5/26	54	SEA	W	7-1	28-25	2	-6 1/2	HOU	6 1/2 Anderson	Leake		14,664	638,561
5/27	55	LAA	W	8-5	29-25	2	-6 1/2	HOU	6 1/2 Bassitt	Cahill	Teinen	20,409	658,970
5/28	56	LAA	L	4-6	29-26	2	-7 1/2	HOU	7 1/2 Buttrey	Soria	Robles	13,060	672,030
5/29	57	LAA	L	7-12 (11)	29-27	2	-7 1/2	HOU	7 1/2 Ramirez	Trivino		21,185	693,215
5/30		OFF DAY				2	-7 1/2	HOU	7 1/2				
5/31	58	HOU	L	2-3	29-28	2	-8 1/2	HOU	8 1/2 Rondon	Trivino	Osuna	14,519	707,734
6/1	59	HOU	L	1-5	29-29	3	-9 1/2	HOU	8 1/2 Verlander	Anderson		20,425	728,159
6/2	60	HOU	L	4-6 (12)	29-30	3	-10 1/2	HOU	8 1/2 James	Trivino		23,144	751,303 (33 dates)
6/3		OFF DAY				3	-11	HOU	9				
6/4	61	at LAA	W	4-2	30-30	3	-11	HOU	10/10 Montas	Canning	Teinen	36,009	787,312
6/5	62	at LAA	L	9-10	30-31	3	-11	HOU	9/9 Robles	Trivino		36,065	823,377
6/6	63	at LAA	W	7-4	31-31	3	-11	HOU	9/9 Fiers	Skaggs		34,109	857,486
6/7	64	at TEX	W	5-3	32-31	3	-11	HOU	10/10 Petit	Leclerc	Teinen	25,120	882,606
6/8	65	at TEX	L	5-10	32-32	3	-11 1/2	HOU	8 1/2 Springs	Blackburn		22,327	904,933
6/9	66	at TEX	L	1-3	32-33	3	-11 1/2	HOU	8 1/2 SAMPSON	Bassitt		39,514	944,447
6/9	67	at TEX	W	9-8	33-33	3	-11 1/2	HOU	9 1/2 Montas	Smyly	Teinen	20,358	964,805
6/10	68	at TB	L	2-6	33-34	3	-12	HOU	9/9 Morton	T.Anderson		16,091	980,896
6/11	69	at TB	W	4-3	34-34	3	-12	HOU	9/9 Fiers	Pagan	Teinen	11,132	992,028
6/12	70	at TB	W	6-2	35-34	3	-11	HOU	9/9 Hendriks	Kolarek		17,946	1,009,974 (37 dates)
6/13		OFF DAY				3	-11	HOU	9 1/2				
6/14	71	SEA	L	2-9	35-35	3	-12	HOU	9 1/2 Gonzales	Bassitt		21,387	1,031,361
6/15	72	SEA	W	11-2	36-35	3	-12	HOU	9 1/2 Montas	Bautista		14,846	1,046,207
6/16	73	SEA	L	3-6	36-36	3	-12	HOU	9 1/2 Leake	Trivino	Elias	30,242	1,076,449
6/17	74	BAL	W	3-2	37-36	3	-11	HOU	8 1/2 Fiers	Cashner	Teinen	12,345	1,088,794
6/18	75	BAL	W	16-2	38-36	3	-10	HOU	8 1/2 Anderson	Ynoa		14,310	1,103,104
6/19	76	BAL	W	8-3	39-36	3	-9	HOU	8 1/2 Bassitt	Rogers		15,341	1,118,445
6/20	77	TB	W	5-4	40-36	3	-8	HOU	7 1/2 Trivino	Castillo		12,351	1,130,796
6/21	78	TB	L	3-5	40-37	3	-8	HOU	7 1/2 Pruitt	T.Anderson	Pagan	16,126	1,146,922
6/22	79	TB	W	4-2	41-37	3	-7	HOU	6 1/2 Petit	Castillo	Hendriks	26,623	1,173,545
6/23	80	TB	L	2-8	41-38	3	-8	HOU	6 1/2 Yarbrough	Anderson		17,006	1,190,551 (43 dates)
6/24		OFF DAY				3	-8	HOU	6 1/2				
6/25	81	at STL	W	7-3	42-38	3	-8	HOU	6 1/2 Wendelken	Flaherty		40,556	1,231,107
6/26	82	at STL	W	2-0	43-38	3	-7	HOU	5 1/2 Mengden	Wainwright	Hendriks	44,871	1,275,978
6/27	83	at LAA	L	3-8	43-39								