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OAKLAND ATHLETICS (16-7) VS. ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS (12-11)

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18, 2020 — CHASE FIELD — 3:10 PDT

RHP FRANKIE MONTAS (2-1, 1.57) VS. RHP LUKE WEAVER (0-3, 11.85)

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ABOUT THE A'S: Had their four-game winning streak snapped last night and are now 4-3 over the last seven games...however, have won 13 of the last 16 games and are 16-7 (.696) for the season...that is the second best record in the American League (Yankees, 16-6) and third best in the majors (Dodgers, 17-7)...it is tied for fourth best in Oakland history after 23 games and is the best since 1990 (17-6)...are in sole possession of first place in the American League West for the 15th consecutive day and are 3½ games ahead of second place Houston...have held at least a share of first place for 23 of 25 days this year (15 days in first, eight days tied for first, one day tied for second and one day in third)...spent a total of 21 days in first from 2015-19...swept a three-game series at San Francisco over the weekend for their Major League leading third series sweep of the season.

OAKLAND A'S BEST RECORDS AFTER...		
	23	24
	Games	Games
1981	20-3	20-4
1978	18-5	19-5
1990	17-6	18-6
2020	16-7	
1989	16-7	17-7
1988	16-7	17-7
1971	16-7	16-8

OFFENSE: The A's are batting .252 (121-for-481) with 91 runs scored over the last 14 games (6.5 runs per game) after hitting .188 with 30 runs scored over the first nine contests (3.3 per game)...have scored 121 runs for the season, which is tied for third most in the majors...have hit 28 home runs in the last 13 games and rank seventh in home runs (36)...are also tied for the Major League lead in triples (7), rank second in walks (101), third in hit by pitches (17) and seventh in on-base percentage (.329)...are second in most strikeouts (229) and tied for fourth in most grounded into double plays (20)...have been successful in 11-of-13 (84.6%) stolen base attempts...rank sixth in the majors in stolen base percentage and ninth in steals...are 10-for-24 (.417) with a triple, three home runs, 31 RBI and three walks with the bases loaded...lead the majors in home runs and RBI with the bases full and are tied for the lead in hits...the three grand slams are one short of the A's season total from each of the previous two seasons.

LATE OFFENSE: The A's are batting .249 with 14 home runs, 51 runs scored and an .868 OPS in the seventh inning or later compared to .217 with 22 home runs, 70 runs scored and a .694 OPS over innings one through six...lead the majors in OPS in the seventh inning or later, are tied with the Dodgers for most home runs and rank second to the Diamondbacks (53) in runs scored...lead the majors in runs scored in extra innings (8) and rank fourth in runs in the ninth inning (14).

PITCHING: The A's have allowed 40 runs in the last seven games (39 er in 61.1 ip, 5.72 ERA) after allowing just 19 runs over the first nine games in August (1.88 ERA)...have a 3.55 ERA for the season, which is fourth lowest in the majors...have the sixth lowest opponents on-base percentage (.296), the seventh lowest OPS (.680) and the eighth lowest slugging percentage (.384)...have surrendered 17 home runs over the last seven games after yielding just nine over the first 16 contests...are tied for second in the majors in fewest hit batters (3) and rank seventh in fewest walks per nine innings (2.87).

STARTING PITCHING: A's starting pitchers are 2-1 despite a 7.39 ERA (26 er in 31.2 ip) over the first seven games of the road trip...have allowed 10 home runs on the trip after yielding just seven over the first 16 games...starters have tossed fewer than five innings in 10 of the 23 games this year but have 114.1 innings pitched for the season, which is seventh most in the majors.

DEFENSIVE DOINGS: The A's have committed four errors in the last four games to snap a nine-game errorless streak, which tied for sixth longest in Oakland history...have four errors in the last 13 games after making six over the first 10 contests...rank fifth in the majors in fielding percentage (.988) and tied for ninth in defensive runs saved (7)...are tied for third in fewest double plays turned (13)...A's outfielders have four assists, which is tied for sixth most in the majors.

IN AUGUST: The A's are 13-3 (.813) in the month of August, which is the best record in the majors ahead of the Dodgers (.750)...lead the majors in saves this month (8), rank fourth in ERA (3.48) and tied for sixth in strikeouts (137)...the offense leads the majors in extra base hits (59), walks (76), hit by pitches (13) and strikeouts (166), ranks second in OPS (.819), runs (97) and home runs (31), tied for second in triples (5) and fourth in on-base percentage (.346) and slugging percentage (.473).

CLOSE CALLS: The A's had their first walk-off loss of the season last night...lead the majors with three walk-off wins, two of which are grand slams...are 6-2 in games decided in the last at bat...the six wins are tied with the Rays for the most in the majors and the eight games are second most to the Blue Jays

(9)...are 5-2 in one-run games and the wins are tied for second most in the majors (Diamondbacks, 6)...are 9-3 in games decided by two runs or fewer...have nine come-from-behind wins, which is second most to the Dodgers (10)...are tied for the lead in wins when trailing after eighth innings (2) and seven innings (3)...are 5-7 when trailing or tied after eight innings and 6-7 when trailing or tied after seven innings...are 4-0 in extra inning games...the wins are two more than any other team and the four extra inning games are tied for third most.

LEFT AND RIGHT: The A's are 5-0 in games in which the opponent starts a left-handed pitcher compared to 11-7 when they start a right-hander...the wins against left-handed starters are tied for fourth most in the majors and Oakland is one of two teams without a loss to a left-handed starter (White Sox 5-0)...have faced a righty in each of the previous eight games and the five games against lefties are tied for sixth fewest in the majors.

INTERLEAGUE PLAY: The A's are 3-3 in interleague play compared to 13-4 against the American League...are in a stretch of seven consecutive games against National League West teams, that began with a three-game series at San Francisco and concludes with four games against Arizona (two in Phoenix, two in Oakland)...will also travel to Colorado (Sept. 15-16) and Los Angeles (Sept. 22-24) and will host San Diego (Sept. 4-6) and San Francisco (Sept. 18-20)...the A's went 11-9 (.550) in interleague play last year, which tied for the 10th best record in the majors...are 231-199 (.537) all-time in interleague play, which is fourth best in Major League history.

HOME AND AWAY: The A's are 4-3 on their second road trip of the season, an eight-game trip to Los Angeles-AL (1-2), San Francisco (3-0) and Arizona (0-1)...went 3-1 on their first road trip to Seattle and are 7-4 (.636) on the road...this trip begins a stretch where the A's are scheduled to play 18 of 23 games on the road...played 12 of their first 16 games at home where they are 9-3...went 6-0 on the last homestand against Texas (3-0) and Houston (3-0)...return home following the game today for a five-game homestand against Arizona (two games) and Los Angeles-AL (three games).

THIS AND THAT: The A's are 9-2 (.818) in day games, 7-5 (.583) at night...have the most day games in the majors...are 16-3 when homering, 0-4 when going homerless...are one of four teams that has not won a game when going homerless (Pirates, Phillies, Yankees)...are 13-4 in this stretch from July 31 to Aug. 30 where they are scheduled to have just one day off in 31 days...had a day off last Thursday and will play 17 consecutive days before their next day off on Aug. 31...have two players on the injured list (Puk, Smith) and have used the IL four times this year...are scheduled to play 60 games this season, which are the fewest in Athletics history...the previous low was 109 in the strike-shortened 1981 season.

A's vs. DIAMONDBACKS: The A's lost the first meeting of 2020 last night...prior to that, the two clubs last met in 2018 when the A's won two of three in Oakland...are playing in Phoenix for the first time since Aug. 28-30, 2015 when the A's won two of three...have won seven of the previous 11 season series and are 17-17 all-time against the Diamondbacks...are 9-9 in Oakland and 8-8 in Arizona.

TODAY'S TIDBITS

Matt Chapman is tied for third in the majors in triples (2), tied for sixth in extra base hits (14), tied for ninth in multiple hit games (8) and tied for 10th in total bases (51)...**Robbie Grossman** homered for the fourth time in his last nine games last night and his four home runs in August match his most in a month (May, 2017; June, 2016)...**Liam Hendriks** is tied for second in the majors in saves (7) and tied for seventh among relievers in strikeouts (17)...**Matt Olson** is tied for fifth in the majors in home runs (8) and walks (17)...is tied for third in go-ahead RBI (5)...**Yusmeiro Petit** ranks third in the majors in games pitched (12) and leads the majors with 166 games pitched over the last three seasons...**Stephen Piscotty** extended his errorless streak to 166 games last night, which is third longest in Athletics history by an outfielder behind Ryan Sweeney (209) and Al Simmons (187).

THIS DATE IN ATHLETICS HISTORY

In **1990** Rickey Henderson hits a two-run homer to break a 1-1 tie in the A's 3-1 win at Baltimore...it is Henderson 744th run as an Athletic, most ever by an Oakland player...in **1996** Mark McGwire hits his 145th career home run in the Coliseum, breaking Reggie Jackson's Coliseum Career Home Run record...in **2004** Erubiel Durazo hits three home runs to account for all of the A's scoring in a 5-4 win at Baltimore.

PITCHING PROBABLES

Wed., Aug. 19 vs. Arizona	LHP Jesús Luzardo (1-0, 4.79) vs. RHP Merrill Kelly (3-1, 1.71)	6:40	NBCSCA/iHeart Radio/960 AM
Thu., Aug. 20 vs. Arizona	LHP Sean Manaea (0-2, 7.65) vs. LHP Alex Young (1-0, 3.86)	6:40	NBCSCA/iHeart Radio/960 AM

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TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Frankie Montas (2-1, 1.57 ERA)

FOR STARTERS: Is scheduled to make his fifth start of the season, his first since Aug. 8 against Houston...was scratched prior to his scheduled start on Friday at San Francisco with upper back tightness...has allowed two runs or fewer and five hits or fewer in each of his four starts...has a 1.57 ERA, which is second lowest among West division pitchers (Lynn, TEX 1.11) and fifth lowest in the majors...has not allowed a home run and is third in the majors in opponents slugging percentage (.213)...has tossed seven innings in back-to-back starts for the second time in his career (June 1-8, 2018)...is 16-7 with a 2.64 ERA (54 er in 184.0 ip) in 33 games, 31 starts, over the last three years after going 1-3 with a 6.32 ERA in 30 games, two starts, over his first two seasons...is in his fifth season in the majors and is on his third Opening Day roster (2017, 19-20).

PLAYER OF THE WEEK: Was named American League Player of the Week for the week of Aug. 3-9...was 2-0 in two starts...struck out 14, walked four, allowed six hits and had 0.64 ERA...it was his first career Player of the Week honor.

OPPONENTS BATTING: Has held right-handed hitters to a .081 (3-for-37) batting average and .254 OPS over his first four starts compared to a .256 (11-for-43) average and .662 OPS against left-handers...the batting average against righties is the lowest in the majors among pitchers with 20 or more innings pitched and the OPS ranks second...opponents are 2-for-19 (.105) when leading off an inning but he has issued four walks (.261 on-base percentage)...yielded a .207 average to batters leading off an inning last year.

THE AMERICAN LEAGUE WEST, THE REST AND INTERLEAGUE PLAY: Is 2-0 with a 1.00 ERA (2 er in 18.0 ip) in three starts against American League West teams and now has a seven-game winning streak against divisional foes dating back to April 17, 2019...has a 2.64 ERA (17 er in 58.0 ip) over that stretch, which spans 10 starts...his last loss to an AL West team was on April 5, 2019 at Houston...is 9-3 with a 3.29 ERA (40 er in 109.1 ip) in 28 games against the AL West in his career, compared to 8-7 with a 3.92 ERA (53 er in 121.2 ip) in 35 career games against non AL West teams...was the losing pitcher in his only interleague start this year against Colorado on July 29 (2 er in 5.0 ip, 3.60 ERA) and is 2-2 with a 4.45 ERA (15 er in 30.1 ip) in eight career interleague appearances, including five starts.

INNING BY INNING: Has not allowed a run in the first inning (4.0 ip) after surrendering just one run in the first inning last last year (16.0 ip)...has allowed all four of his runs in the second through fourth innings (4 er in 12.0 ip, 3.00 ERA)...has not allowed a run from the fifth inning on (7.0 ip) and opponents are 1-for-22.

FIRST START: He had a no decision in the A's 7-3, 10-inning win over Los Angeles (AL) on Opening Day, July 24 in Oakland...it was his first career Opening Day start and he became the A's 13th different Opening Day starting pitcher over the last 15 years (Zito, Haren, Blanton, Braden, Sheets, Cahill, McCarthy, Anderson, Gray twice, Hill, Graveman twice, Fiers)...was just the second foreign-born Opening Day starting pitcher in Oakland history (Ariel Prieto, April 2, 1997)...scattered two hits, a walk and hit a batter over the first three innings before allowing his only run in the fourth inning on a Goodwin RBI single...was relieved by Petit to start the fifth inning with the scored tied 1-1

SECOND START: He was the losing pitcher in the A's 5-1 loss to Colorado July 29 in Oakland...it was his first loss since April 29, 2019 at Boston and it snapped a five-game winning streak dating back to May 17, 2019...the A's scored a run in the first and he allowed a RBI single to Wolters in the second inning...also surrendered a sacrifice fly to Hampson in the fourth and was relieved by Luzardo to start the sixth with the A's trailing 2-1.

THIRD START: He was the winning pitcher in the A's 11-1 victory at Seattle on August 3...allowed a RBI double to Seager in the third inning but that would be the only run he would allow in seven innings of work...Oakland scored eight times in the fifth inning and he retired 10 of the final 11 batters he faced.

LAST START: He won his second consecutive start in the A's 3-1 win over Houston Aug. 8 in Oakland...tossed 7.0 scoreless innings and allowed just two hits, he fewest hits allowed in a start of more than four innings in his career...retired the first four batters, allowed a double to Gurriel in the fourth, retired the next eight batters, allowed a single to Gurriel in the fifth and then retired the final nine batters...now has an 11.0-inning scoreless streak, which is four short of his career high of 15 (June 1-8, 2018).

MONTAS' 2020 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
July 24	Los Angeles (AL)	7-3 (10)	-	2.25	4.0	3	1	1	3	5	0	81
July 29	Colorado	1-5	L	3.00	5.0	5	2	2	2	3	0	77
August 3	at Seattle	11-1	W	2.25	7.0	4	1	1	4	9	0	99
August 8	Houston	3-1	W	1.57	7.0	2	0	0	0	5	0	86

MONTAS BY THE NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2020	2	1	1.57	4	23.0	4
2019	9	2	2.63	16	96.0	28
Career	17	10	3.62	63	231.0	93
Home	1	1	1.69	3	16.0	3
Road	1	0	1.29	1	7.0	1
Day	1	1	1.50	2	12.0	2
Night	1	0	1.64	2	11.0	2
July/August	2	1	1.57	4	23.0	4
September	0	0	-	0	0.0	0
			AVG.	AB	H	
vs. LHH			.256	43	11	
vs. RHH			.081	37	3	

MONTAS' CAREER HIGHS

Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	8.2, 5/17/19 at DET
Fewest IP, GS:	3.0 (twice), last: 6/26/18 at DET
H:	11, 6/14/18 vs. HOU
R:	7 (three times), last: 4/29/19 at BOS
ER:	6 (twice), last: 6/26/18 at DET
BB:	5, 5/28/19 vs. LAA
SO:	10 (twice), last: 6/9/19 at TEX
HR:	2 (three times), last: 4/10/19 at BAL
Pitches:	109, 5/17/19 at DET
Win Streak:	5, 5/17/19 to 6/15/19
Loss Streak:	2 (twice), last: 7/29/18 to 8/30/18
Scoreless Streak:	15.0, 6/1/18 to 6/8/18
Complete Games:	None
Shutouts:	None

MONTAS vs. ARIZONA: Was the winning pitcher in his only career appearance, a start in the A's 2-1 win in Oakland on May 27, 2018...retired each of the first 10 batters he faced and no-hit the Diamondbacks over the first five innings...had a 1-0 lead when Mathis singled to lead off the sixth...allowed his only run later in the inning on a Lamb sacrifice fly and the A's came back with a run in the bottom of the sixth for the win.

STARTS VS. ARIZONA

Date	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
5/27/18	H	W	6.0	3	1	1	2	7

MONTAS' CAREER MATCHUPS VS. ARIZONA

Player	Bat	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SH	SF	HBP	GDP	AVG	OBP	SLG
Nick Ahmed	R	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Kole Calhoun	L	13	4	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	.308	.357	.615
Eduardo Escobar	S	3	3	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.000	1.000	2.333
Jon Jay	L	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Jake Lamb	L	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Ketel Marte	S	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Starling Marte	R	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.333	.333	.333
David Peralta	L	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000

SPRING TRAINING RECAP: Went 1-0 and did not allow an earned run in three starts...yielded two unearned runs in 5.2 innings...opponents went 4-for-22 (.182) and he walked just one batter in 5.2 innings...his final outing came on Mar. 8 against Milwaukee in Mesa...is now 3-0 with a 0.42 ERA in eight games, five starts, over the last two springs.

MONTAS' 2020 SPRING TRAINING STARTS

Date	Opponent	Start/Rel	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR
Feb. 26	Arizona	S	16-3	W	0.00	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Mar. 2	Chicago (NL)	S	5-2	-	0.00	2.0	0	0	0	1	2	0
Mar. 8	Milwaukee	S	11-3	-	0.00	2.2	4	2	0	0	2	0
Totals (3 games, 3 starts)					1-0	0.00	5.2	4	2	0	5	0

2019 RECAP: Went 9-2 with a 2.63 ERA in 16 starts in a season shortened due to an 80-game suspension for violating Major League Baseball's Joint Drug Prevention and Treatment Program...his ERA was a career low as was his opponents batting average (.230), on-base percentage (.282) and OPS (.646)...had career highs in wins, starts, strikeouts (103), innings (96.0), hits (84), runs (35), walks (23) and hit batters (4) and matched his high in earned runs (28) and wild pitches (4)...averaged 2.16 walks per nine innings, which was the lowest mark of his career...his strikeout-to-walk ratio of 4.48 was a career high...surrendered eight home runs (0.75 per nine innings).

90 OR MORE INNINGS RANKINGS: His 2.63 ERA was third lowest in the American League among pitchers with at least 90 innings...using the same minimum, he ranked fourth in fewest home runs per nine innings, fifth in opponents OPS, sixth in slugging percentage (.364), ninth in on-base percentage and 10th in strikeout-to-walk ratio...averaged 9.66 strikeouts per nine innings, which was second highest in Oakland history (Gio Gonzalez, 9.94 in 2009) and third highest in Athletics history (Wes Stock, 9.77 in 1964) among pitchers with 90 or more innings...his 4.48 strikeout-to-walk ratio was fourth highest in Oakland history.

2019 OPPONENTS BATTING: Had a .229 (38-for-166) opponents batting average and .647 OPS against right-handed hitters compared to .231 (46-for-199) with a .645 OPS against left-handers...allowed a .207 average to batters leading off an inning and .115 with two strikes...six of the eight home runs he allowed were solo shots...only one came the first time through the batting order...opponents were 4-for-7 (.571) with the bases loaded.

2019 SPLITS: Was 4-0 with a 3.00 ERA in seven starts at home, 5-2 with a 2.33 ERA in nine starts on the road...surrendered just two home runs in 42.0 innings in Oakland compared to six in 54.0 innings on the road...had a 3-0 record and a 1.50 ERA in four starts during the day, 6-2 with a 3.00 ERA in 12 starts at night...went 5-2 with a 3.00 ERA in 11 starts on four or five days rest, 4-0 with a 1.91 ERA in five starts on six days rest or more...is now 7-2 with a 2.39 ERA (19 er in 71.2 ip) in 11 career starts on six days rest or more.

2019 RUN SUPPORT: Received two runs of support or fewer in seven of his 16 starts but had six starts with seven runs of support or more...had a 6.84 RSA overall...was 7-1 in nine starts with three runs of support or more and is **11-1 in 14** such starts in his career.

2019 THIS AND THAT: Allowed just one run in the first inning for a 0.56 ERA... had a 5.63 ERA in the second inning and a 2.39 ERA from the third inning on... the A's were 12-4 (.750) in his starting assignments and are 22-9 (.710) when he starts in his career...committed three errors, which tied for the most among AL pitchers...pitched for Escogido in the Dominican Winter League following the season and was 3-0 with a 1.44 ERA in five starts.

TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER

LHP Jesús Luzardo (1-0, 4.79 ERA): Is scheduled to make his sixth appearance and fourth start of the season...allowed six runs in his last start, a no decision in the A's 8-7, 10-inning win at San Francisco last Friday (3.1 ip, 9 h, 6 r, 6 er, 2 bb, 3 so)...allowed seven runs in 29.1 innings over the first 10 games of his career (2.15 ERA)...is 1-0 with a 5.14 ERA in his three starts and 0-0 with a 4.05 ERA in two relief appearances...has never faced the Diamondbacks in his career...was 1-0 with a 1.08 ERA and .143 opponents batting average in three starts this spring...struck out 13 batters and walked just one in 8.1 innings... had his 2019 season interrupted twice by a strained left shoulder but, after going 2-1 with a 2.51 ERA and .221 opponents average in 11 games (nine starts) with three minor league teams, he was selected by Oakland on Sept. 9 after Las Vegas concluded its season...had no decisions, two saves, a 1.50 ERA and .119 opponents average in six relief appearances in his ML debut.

ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

TEAM

9-2, 2.34 ERA (25 er in 96.0 ip)
Saves/Opportunities: 10-for-12 (83.3%)

- The A's bullpen has allowed 13 runs and seven home runs in the last seven games (29.2 ip, 3.94 ERA) after yielding 14 runs (12 earned) and two home runs over the first 16 contests (1.63 ERA)...now has a 2.34 ERA for the season, which is second lowest in the majors behind the Dodgers (1.52).
- Ranks third in the majors in opponents OPS (.599) and on-base percentage (.272), fourth in slugging percentage (.327) and sixth in batting average (.208).
- Leads the majors in saves (10), is tied for second in fewest losses (2), tied for third in wins (9), tied for ninth in strikeouts (104) and tied for 10th in innings pitched (96.0).
- First batters faced are 12-for-73 (.164) with six walks, three doubles and a home run...rank fourth in the majors in opponents OPS (.472) and on-base percentage (.225) against first batters and fifth in slugging percentage (.247) and batting average.
- Has allowed 5-of-25 (20.0%) inherited runners to score, which is the seventh lowest percentage in the majors.

35 LHP JAKE DIEKMAN

Last Outing: 8/17 at Arizona (ND, 0.1 ip, 2 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Score: 2/1 First Hitters: 1-5, 3 bb, sh

- Has not allowed a run in his first nine appearances (7.2 ip) and now has an 11.1-inning scoreless streak dating back to Sept. 16 of last year...his career high is 14.2 innings from May 11 to June 18, 2016.
- Allowed two hits last night after opponents went 2-for-23 (.087) against him over his first eight games.
- Has allowed a .091 (1-for-11) average against left-handed hitters, .200 (3-for-15) against right-handers.
- Last night was his first appearance against the Diamondbacks since July 30, 2018 at Arizona (1.0 ip, 2 so)...he has a 1.86 ERA (2 er in 9.2 ip) in seven career appearances against Arizona...pitched in 24 games for the Diamondbacks in 2018 and has a 6.92 ERA (10 er in 13.0 ip) in 17 career appearances at Chase Field.

Last Year: Began the season with Kansas City and was 0-6 with a 4.75 ERA in 48 relief appearances when he was traded to Oakland on July 27...went 1-1 with a 4.43 ERA in 28 games with the A's and had a 4.65 ERA in a career-high 76 relief appearances overall.

16 RHP LIAM HENDRIKS

Last Outing: 8/15 at San Francisco (S, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 7-8
Inherited Runners/Score: 1/0 First Hitters: 2-11

- Has seven saves and a win over his last 10 outings (10.1 ip, 5 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 15 so) after being charged with the blown save in his first appearance on Opening Night...is tied for second in the majors in saves (Britton, NYY 8).
- Did not strike out a batter in his last outing on Saturday at San Francisco, snapping a streak of 29 consecutive games with a strikeout, which was the longest in Athletics history by a reliever (he held the previous record of 27 from June 8-Aug. 14, 2019)...has 17 strikeouts this year, which are the most among relievers in the West and tied for seventh most in the majors.
- Has allowed a .091 (2-for-22) average against right-handed hitters, .278 (5-for-18) against left-handers.
- Opponents are 1-for-19 (.053) with runners on base, 6-for-21 (.286) with the bases empty.
- The Diamondbacks are one of two teams he has never faced in his career (Rockies).
- Has not allowed a run in 11 of his 12 interleague appearances over the last two years and has six saves, a blown save and a win (1 er in 12.2 ip, 0.71 ERA).

Last Year: Began the season as a set-up man and occasional opener but took over the closer role after Treinen went on the IL retroactive to June 21...saved a ML-leading 25 games over that span after tallying just one save over his first 279 career appearances.

56 RHP JAMES KAPRIELIAN

Last Outing: 8/16 at San Francisco (ND, 2.0 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Score: 0/0 First Hitters: 1-1

- Made his Major League debut Sunday at San Francisco...allowed a home run to the first batter he faced (Crawford) and then walked the next batter (Dubon) before retiring each of the final six batters he faced...struck out Solano to end the seventh inning for his first strikeout.
- Was recalled from the A's alternate site in San Jose Sunday for his second stint with Oakland this year...was previously called up on Aug. 4 when Jordan Weems went on the IL but did not pitch before he was optioned back to the alternate site on Aug. 6 when rosters were reduced from 30 to 28.
- Was acquired from the New York Yankees on July 31, 2017 in the Sonny Gray trade in which the A's also received Dustin Fowler and Jorge Mateo...was the Yankees first round draft pick in 2015 but pitched in just eight games over his first four years as a professional...missed most of 2016 with an elbow injury and then missed the entire 2017 and 2018 seasons following April 18, 2017 "Tommy John" surgery.
- Was 6-5 with a 2.96 ERA in 27 games, including 22 starts, in his career as a minor leaguer...had 111 strikeouts in 97.1 innings (10.26 per nine innings).
- Did not pitch during the spring.

Last Year: Completed his comeback from elbow problems that eventually led to 2017 "Tommy John" surgery by going 4-3 with a 3.18 ERA in 19 games, including 16 starts, with Single-A Stockton, Double-A Midland and Triple-A Las Vegas.

38 LHP T.J. MCFARLAND

Last Outing: 8/17 at Arizona (ND, 0.2 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Score: 3/1 First Hitters: 1-11

- Has not allowed a run in 10 of his 11 appearances and is tied for fourth in the majors in games pitched.
- Opponents are 1-for-12 with runners on base, including 0-for-6 with runners in scoring position.
- Allowed his first run of the season Friday night at San Francisco on a two-out solo home run by Yastrzemski in the eighth inning...it snapped a 10.2-inning scoreless streak dating back to Sept. 8, 2019.
- Has two wins in his last six games after a streak of 68 consecutive games without a win, loss or save opportunity dating back to July 31, 2018.
- Prior to last night, had faced the Diamondbacks once in his career on Aug. 13, 2013 at Arizona while pitching for Baltimore (1.0 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 0 so, 1 hr).
- Spent the previous three seasons with Arizona and was 6-7 with a save and a 3.86 ERA in 141 appearances...was claimed off waivers by the A's on Nov. 3, 2019.

Last Year: Had no decisions, no save opportunities and a 4.82 ERA in a career-high 51 relief appearances with Arizona...since the save became a stat in 1969, he is one of three pitchers to appear in 50 or more games with no wins, losses or save opportunities.

33 RHP DANIEL MENGDEN

Last Outing: 8/16 at San Francisco (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 2 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Score: 1/0 First Hitters: 0-2

- Pitched 1.0 inning at San Francisco on Sunday, which matches the shortest outing of his career (Sept. 21, 2019 against Texas).
- Has made each of his last two appearances in relief (4.1 ip, 6 h, 1 r, 1 er, 4 bb, 3 so, 1 hr, 2.08 ERA) after starting and losing the fifth game of the season on July 28 against Colorado (4.0 ip, 5 h, 3 r, 3 er, 2 bb, 4 so).
- Has made 48 starts and 11 relief appearances in his career...is 16-20 with a 4.81 ERA (141 er in 264.0 ip) as a starter and 1-0 with a save and a 3.63 ERA (14 er in 34.2 ip) as a reliever...has tossed four or more innings in five of his relief appearances.
- Has made one career appearance against Arizona and tossed a two-hit shutout in the A's 3-0 win in Oakland on May 26, 2018 (0 bb, 5 so).
- Is 5-4 with a 2.98 ERA (21 er in 63.1 ip) in 11 career interleague appearances compared to 12-16 with a 5.12 ERA in 48 games against the American League.
- Did not pitch during the spring or in July as he was on the 60-day injured list from Feb. 15 to July 22...underwent right elbow surgery Feb. 10 at TMI Sports Medicine and Orthopedics in Arlington, Tex. (Dr. Keith Meister).

Last Year: Was 5-2 with a save and a 4.83 ERA in 13 games, including nine starts, over three stints with Oakland...also went 4-3 with a 4.22 ERA in 13 games, including 10 starts, with Triple-A Las Vegas.

36 RHP YUSMEIRO PETIT

Last Outing: 8/17 at Arizona (ND, 0.2 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Score: 7/1 First Hitters: 1-10 (bb, sf)

- Ranks third in the majors in games pitched (12)...has pitched in 165 games over the last three seasons, which are the most in the majors ahead of the Diamondbacks Chafin (165).
- Has allowed three runs on eight hits and a walk in 5.2 innings over his last seven games after allowing no runs on one hit and no walks over his first five contests and 3.2 innings.
- Has allowed a .083 (1-for-12) batting average against left-handed hitters compared to .348 (8-for-23) against right-handers.
- Last night was his first outing against Arizona since May 27, 2018 in Oakland (1.0 ip, 1 so).
- Has not allowed a run in two interleague appearances (1.0 ip) and now has a 2.03 ERA (14 er in 62.0 ip) in 41 career interleague games.
- Has 272.2 innings pitched as a reliever dating back to 2017, which are the most in the majors over that span.

Last Year: Pitched in an American League-leading 80 games and was 5-3 with a 2.71 ERA and .194 opponents batting average...had a career high in games and career lows in ERA, opponents batting average and on-base percentage (.218).

48 RHP JOAKIM SORIA

Last Outing: 8/17 at Arizona (L, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 2-2
Inherited Runners/Score: 1/0 First Hitters: 1-10

- Allowed his first earned run of the season last night for the loss...it was his first run since Opening Night, snapping an 8.2-inning scoreless streak.
- Left-handed hitters are 0-for-11 with an intentional walk...right-handers are 7-for-28 (.250) with three walks.
- Opponents are 1-for-15 (.076) with runners on base, including 0-for-8 with runners in scoring position.
- Struck out one batter last Wednesday at Los Angeles (AL), snapping a career-high tying five-game streak with two or more strikeouts (also May 1-9, 2017)...now has 14 strikeouts in 9.2 innings for the season...the strikeouts are tied for fourth among relievers in the West divisions.
- Last night was his first outing against Arizona since Sept. 30, 2017 at Kansas City (1.0 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 0 so)...it was his first career appearance at Chase Field, making this the 33rd ballpark he has pitched in.
- Has a 378-game errorless streak dating back to his last miscue on May 27, 2014 at Minnesota.

Last Year: Signed a two-year contract with the A's following the 2018 season and was 2-4 with a save, five blown saves and a 4.30 ERA in 71 games in his 12th season in the majors...struck out a career-high 79 batters and matched his high in innings (69.0).

62 RHP LOU TRIVINO**Last Outing:** 8/15 at San Francisco (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 1 so)**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-1**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 0/0 **First Hitters:** 2-6, bb

- Has pitched in four of the A's last seven games after working just three times over the first 16 contests...has not allowed a run in five of his seven appearances but has yielded a total of five runs in the other two.
- Right-handed hitters are 3-for-18 (.167) against him, left-handers are 4-for-14 (.286).
- Has struck out at least one batter in each of his seven appearances and has 10 strikeouts in 8.0 innings.
- Has faced Arizona once in his career on May 27, 2018 in Oakland (1.0 ip, 2 so).

Last Year: Was 4-6 with a 5.25 ERA and .265 opponents batting average in 61 relief appearances in his second season in the majors after going 8-3 with a 2.92 ERA and .201 opponents average in 69 games as a rookie in 2018.

57 RHP J.B. WENDELKEN**Last Outing:** 8/17 at Arizona (ND, 0.1 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 9/2 **First Hitters:** 0-7, bb

- Has allowed four runs, three earned, over his last four games (6.2 ip) after yielding no runs over his first four contests (3.0 ip).
- Has a .154 (4-for-26) opponents batting average against right-handed hitters, .273 (3-for-11) against left-handers.
- Last night was his first career appearance against Arizona.
- Has not allowed a run in three interleague outings this year (4.0 ip, 2 h, 6 so) and has not allowed a run in eight of his nine career interleague appearances (3 er in 10.1 ip, 2.61 ERA).

Last Year: Was 3-1 with a 3.58 ERA and .178 opponents batting average in 27 relief appearances over four stints with Oakland...the 27 games were a career high as he had just 21 appearances over his previous two seasons in the majors.

ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

30 AUSTIN ALLEN

Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 3)
Arizona Series: 2-3, 2b, so
Road Trip: 2-8, 2b, 4 so

- Had his first two-hit game of the season last night, the third of his career... had gone 0-for-8 over his previous four games..
- Has made all eight of his starts this year and all 22 of his career in games started by a right-handed pitcher...has not faced a lefty this year and is 1-for-10 in his career.
- Opponents have been successful in each of their six stolen base attempts off him.
- All three of his RBI this year have either tied the game (2) or put the A's ahead (1).

Last Year: Made his Major League debut with San Diego and hit .215 with four doubles and three RBI in 34 games over four stints...also batted a career-high .330 with 21 home runs and 67 RBI in 67 games with Triple-A El Paso.

4 FRANKLIN BARRETO

Current Streak: 0 for 5
Arizona Series: 0-0, r
Road Trip: 0-1, 2 r

- Pinch ran for the seventh time last night, which is the most in the majors and three more than his team-leading total from last year...has scored four runs as a pinch runner, which is tied for the most in the majors (Locastro, ARI) and matches the most by an A's pinch runner over the last 10 years...has pinch ran 16 times in his career, which are second most by an Athletic over the last 11 years (Sogard, 20)
- Is 0-for-5 with four runs scored in 11 games...has played in two games at second base and two at shortstop...is the only A's position player that has not started a game.
- Begins his fourth season in the majors and is on his second consecutive Opening Day roster.
- Batted .297 in 14 games this spring...appeared in 11 games at second base, one at shortstop and one in center field.

Last Year: Had three stints with the A's and batted .123 with two home runs and five RBI in 23 games...also hit .295 with a career-high 19 home runs and a career-high 65 RBI in 98 games with Triple-A Las Vegas.

20 MARK CANHA

Current Streak: 0 for 4
Arizona Series: 0-4, so
Road Trip: 9-29, 7 r, 2 2b, 3b, hr, 6 rbi, 2 bb, 9 so, sf

- Is 12-for-36 (.333) with seven runs scored and seven RBI over his last nine games after going 1-for-15 over his previous four contests.
- Is tied for fifth in the majors in hit by pitches (4).
- Is hitting .429 (6-for-14) with a 1.241 OPS against left-handed pitchers compared to .234 (15-for-64) with a .718 OPS against right-handers
- Is hitting .368 (14-for-38) with both of his home runs during the day, .175 (7-for-40) at night.
- Is hitting .400 (10-for-25) with a 1.129 OPS in the seventh inning or later, .208 (11-for-53) with a .657 OPS over innings one through six.
- Is batting .333 (7-for-21) with eight RBI in six interleague games, .246 with seven RBI in 16 games against the American League.
- Has started games at four different positions (six in left field, six at designated hitter, five in right field, five in center field) and has also appeared in two games at first base.

Last Year: Started games at five different positions and batted a career-high .273 with a career-high 26 home runs and 58 RBI in 126 games...also had career highs in runs (80), walks (67), extra base hits (45), OPS (.913), on-base pct. (.396) and slugging (.517).

26 MATT CHAPMAN

Current Streak: 0 for 5
Arizona Series: 0-3, rbi, so, sf
Road Trip: 7-31, 5 r, 3 2b, 3b, 2 hr, 9 rbi, 10 so, sf

- Is 4-for-26 (.154) with three doubles and three RBI over his last six games after going 9-for-19 (.474) with two doubles, a triple, four home runs and 10 RBI over his previous four.
- Is tied for third in the majors in triples (2), tied for sixth in extra base hits (14), tied for ninth in multiple hit games (8) and tied for 10th in total bases (51).
- Is batting .263 (21-for-80) with an .898 OPS against right-handed pitchers, .125 (2-for-16) with a .301 OPS against left-handers.
- Is hitting .184 (9-for-49) on the road, .298 (14-for-47) in Oakland.
- Has set an Athletics record for most consecutive games with a strikeout by a non-pitcher with 23...broke the previous mark of 22 set by Khris Davis (Aug. 11-Sept. 5, 2017)...the only longer streaks by any Athletic are 34 by Vida Blue (April 9-Sept. 12, 1971) and 29 by Jim Nash (May 12, 1967-April 24, 1968)...is the second player in Major League history with at least one strikeout in each of his teams first 23 games of the season...the other is Adam Dunn who fanned in each of the White Sox first 32 games in 2012...now has 32 strikeouts for the season, which is tied for fourth in the majors.

Last Year: Had career highs in runs (102), home runs (36), RBI (91), walks (73) and extra base hits (75) in his third season in the majors...won his second consecutive Gold Glove for American League third basemen and his second straight AL Platinum Glove.

2 KHRIS DAVIS

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 4)
San Francisco Series: 1-7, 2 r, 2 rbi, 3 bb, 2 so, hbp, gidp
Road Trip: 1-11, 2 r, 2 rbi, 3 bb, 2 so, hbp, gidp

- Snapped a 0-for-17 streak with a sixth inning single Sunday at San Francisco...went 1-for-21 (.048) over his first six games, 5-for-12 (.417) over his next three and is 1-for-14 (.071) in five games since then.
- Is batting .200 (3-for-15) against left-handed pitchers, .125 (4-for-32) against right-handers.
- Started five of the A's first eight games at designated hitter but just seven of the last 15.

Last Year: Was off to a strong start as he batted .247 with 12 HR and 29 RBI over his first 43 games before going on the IL retroactive to May 22 with a left hip/oblique contusion...was reinstated June 1 and hit .207 with 11 HR and 44 RBI over his final 90 games.

OAKLAND A'S MOST HOME RUNS, DESIGNATED HITTER

1. Dave Kingman	98
2. Khris Davis	94
3. Jack Cust	60
4. Geronimo Berroa	46
5. Frank Thomas	44

8 ROBBIE GROSSMAN

Current Streak: 2 games (3 for 7)
Arizona Series: 2-4, r, hr, rbi
Road Trip: 8-24, 5 r, 2b, 2 3b, 2 hr, 5 rbi, 9 bb, 6 so, 2 sb

- Homered for the fourth time in his last nine games last night and his four home runs in August match his most in a month (May, 2017; June, 2016).
- Is 11-for-30 (.367) with 10 runs, two doubles, two triples, four home runs, seven RBI, 11 walks, two hit by pitches and two stolen bases over his last nine games (.558 obp, .967 slug, 1.525 ops).
- Is tied for third in the majors in triples (2), ranks fifth in on-base percentage (.455), tied for fifth in hit by pitches (4), seventh in OPS (1.088) and tied for 10th in stolen bases (4).
- Has made each of his 17 starts against right-handed pitchers...last year, made 95 of his 103 starts against righties.
- Is 4-for-11 (.364) with runners in scoring position
- Has not committed an error in 17 games in the outfield and now has a 201-game errorless streak dating back to his last miscue on June 13, 2018 at Detroit...that is the second longest active errorless streak by an outfielder (Naquin, CLE 246)...his 146-game errorless streak with Oakland is eighth longest in Athletics history by an outfielder.

Last Year: Played in a career-high 138 games in his first season as an Athletic and batted .240 with six home runs and 38 RBI...added 59 walks for a .334 on-base percentage...also had a career high in triples (3) and matched his best in stolen bases (9).

5 TONY KEMP

Current Streak: 0 for 3
Arizona Series: 0-3, bb, so
Road Trip: 5-17, 2 r, 2b, 2 bb, 4 so

- Is 11-for-32 (.344) over his last 12 games after going 0-for-7 over his first five contests.
- Has made 14 starts, all at second base in games started by a right-handed pitcher...has also pinch ran twice and played left field once.
- Had a career-high tying three hits Saturday at San Francisco (seventh time, last: May 12, 2019 vs. Texas).
- Is 0-for-7 with runners in scoring position.
- Does not have an RBI and his 39 at bats are second most in the majors among players with no RBI (Rengifo, LAA 40).

Last Year: Began the season with Houston and was traded to Chicago (NL) July 31...combined for a .212 average with a career-high eight home runs and 29 RBI in a career-high 110 games overall...also had career highs in triples (4) and hit by pitches (6).

22 RAMON LAUREANO

Current Streak: 2 games (2 for 8)
San Francisco Series: DNP
Road Trip: 2-11, r, 2 rbi, 2 bb, 6 so, hbp

- Was reinstated from the suspended list today after serving a four-game suspension beginning Friday for his actions in the A's game against the Astros on Aug. 9.
- Is 10-for-48 (.208) over his last 14 games after going 7-for-17 (.412) over his first five contests.
- Was hit by a pitch for the sixth time this year a week ago tonight at Los Angeles (AL), which is tied with Rizzo (CHC) for the most in the majors.
- Is tied for fifth in the majors in defensive runs saved (5).
- Is 6-for-15 (.400) with two of his three home runs and six of his 12 RBI against left-handed pitchers...is 11-for-50 (.222) against righties.
- Seven of his 12 RBI have either tied the game (4) or put the A's ahead (3).

Last Year: Batted .288 with 24 home runs and 67 RBI in 123 games in a season interrupted by a five-week stay on the injured list with a right lower leg stress reaction...tied for third among American League outfielders with 10 assists.

39 VIMAEAL MACHIN

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 4)
Arizona Series: 1-4, r
Road Trip: 2-8, 2 r, so

- Is 2-for-15 (.133) with a walk in seven games, including four starts (three at designated hitter, one at second base), in his Major League debut.
- Singled off Kevin Gausman in the third inning Saturday at San Francisco for his first ML hit.
- Was acquired from Philadelphia for cash considerations Dec. 12, 2019 after the Phillies selected him from the Chicago Cubs in the Rule 5 Draft earlier in the day...spent the first five seasons of his professional career in the Cubs farm system and hit .265 with 25 home runs and 206 RBI in 451 minor league games.
- Batted .323 in a team-leading 17 games with the A's this spring...added seven walks for a .447 on-base percentage...appeared in five games at second base, five at first base, three at first base, one at shortstop and one at DH.

Last Year: Combined for a .295 average, seven home runs, 65 RBI and 69 walks in 129 games with Double-A Tennessee and Triple-A Iowa...had career highs in on-base pct. (.390), OPS (.802), hits (132), doubles (27), triples (2), extra base hits (36) and walks.

12 SEAN MURPHY

Current Streak: 5 games (5 for 15)
San Francisco Series: 3-9, 3 r, 2b, hr, rbi, 2 bb, 3 so
Road Trip: 5-15, 5 r, 2b, hr, rbi, 4 bb, 3 so, gidp

- Has hit safely in each of his last five games with an at bat (5-for-13, .333) after going 5-for-30 (.167) over his first 13 contests.
- Is batting 267 (8-for-30) with both of his home runs and nine of his 10 walks against right-handed pitchers, .133 (2-for-15) against left-handers.
- Is tied with Perez (KC) for the Major League lead among catchers in games caught (19)...is tied for second in assists (9).
- Has tossed out 2-of-8 (25.0%) attempted base stealers.
- Has hit safely in all four of his career interleague games with an at bat, all this year (4-for-12, .333).

Last Year: Played in just 41 minor league games due to two stints on the injured list with a strained left knee and combined for a .293 average with 11 HR and 31 RBI...was selected by Oakland on Sept. 1 and hit .245 with 4 HR and 8 RBI in 20 games.

28 MATT OLSON

Current Streak: 0 for 5
San Francisco Series: 5-18, 2 r, 2 hr, 2 rbi, bb, 6 so
Road Trip: 6-30, 5 r, 3 hr, 3 rbi, 3 bb, 7 so, gidp

- Is 7-for-43 (.163) over his last 10 games but has six RBI and four walks.
- Is tied for fifth in the majors in home runs (8) and walks (17)...is tied for third in go-ahead RBI (5).
- Is hitting .263 (5-for-19) against left-handed pitchers, .152 (10-for-66) against right-handers.
- Had three hits Sunday at San Francisco, all singles...each of his previous seven hits dating back to Aug. 5 were home runs...that is the second time in Oakland history a player has had seven straight hits with each being a home run...the other time was also by Olson (Sept. 13-22, 2017)...eight of his 15 hits this year have been home runs.
- Now has 97 home runs in 382 career games...the home runs are tied for eighth most in Major League history by a player over his first 382 career games...the fewest games to 100 career home runs in Athletics history is 393 by Mark McGwire.
- His 196 total chances are second most in the majors among first basemen with no errors (Gurriel, HOU 204).

Last Year: Missed 34 games while on the injured list early in the season but still hit 36 home runs and drove in 91 runs while batting .267 in 127 games...also won his second consecutive Rawlings Gold Glove for American League first basemen.

18 CHAD PINDER

Current Streak: 1 game (3 for 4)
San Francisco Series: 3-6, r, 2b, hr, 2 rbi, so, gidp
Road Trip: 4-12, 2 r, 2b, hr, 2 rbi, 3 so, gidp

- Had a pinch hit home run in the third inning Sunday at San Francisco...is was the third of his career with the previous two coming last year...two of the three have come in interleague play.
- Remained in the game Sunday and ended up going 3-for-4 with a double and the home run...became the 12th non-starter in Oakland history with three hits in a game, the first since Seth Brown on Aug. 30, 2019...the seven total bases were second only to Mike Heath's eight when he homered twice on June 19, 1979 against Kansas City.
- Prior to Sunday, had gone 5-for-30 (.167) to start the season.
- Is now batting .316 (6-for-19) with both of his home runs and all six of his RBI on the road...is 2-for-15 (.133) in Oakland.
- Has started eight games, all at second base...started at least one game at seven different positions in each of the previous two seasons.
- Has made five of his eight starts in games started by a left-handed pitcher.
- Has hit safely in each of his three career games against Arizona (4-for-10, .400).

Last Year: Spent the entire season on the active roster for the first time in his career and batted .240 with 13 home runs and 47 RBI in 124 games...started at least one game at seven different positions for the second consecutive season.

25 STEPHEN PISCOTTY

Current Streak: 0 for 5
Arizona Series: 0-4, 2 so, gidp
Road Trip: 6-23, 4 r, 2b, 3 hr, 11 rbi, 3 bb, 6 so, 3 gidp

- Is batting .277 (13-for-47) with four home runs and 17 RBI in 13 games in August...is tied for second in the majors in RBI this month (Tatis, SD 19).
- Is batting .306 (11-for-36) on the road, .143 (4-for-28) at home.
- Is hitting .286 (10-for-35) at night, .172 (5-for-29) during the day.
- Is 6-for-16 (.375) with runners in scoring position.
- Has not committed an error in 18 games in the outfield and now has a 166-game errorless streak...that is third longest in Athletics history by an outfielder...his last error came on July 24, 2018 at Texas...has two assists, which is tied for fifth in the majors among outfielders.
- Went 4-for-11 (.364) with two home runs and nine RBI in the three-game series at San Francisco over the weekend...became the second Athletic with nine RBI in a three-game series over the last seven years...he also did it on Sept. 18-20, 2018 against Los Angeles (AL)...had four RBI on Friday and a career-high tying five Sunday (sixth time, last: April 4, 2019 vs. Boston).
- Is a .300 (18-for-60) career hitter against Arizona, including .318 (14-for-44) at Chase Field.
- Hit his second grand slam of the season Friday night at San Francisco (Aug. 4 vs. Texas), the fourth of his career...both of his grand slams this year have come in the ninth inning and he is the 14th player in Major League history (first Athletic) with two ninth inning grand slams in the same season.
- Leads the majors in home runs (2) and RBI (8) with the bases loaded... leads the majors in RBI in the ninth inning (8) and is tied for the lead in home runs (2).

Last Year: Was limited to 93 games due to two stints on the injured list and batted .249 with 13 home runs and 44 RBI...was out from June 30 to Aug. 2 with a sprained right knee and Aug. 25 to Sept. 25 with a sprained right ankle.

LONGEST ERRORLESS STREAKS, ATHLETICS OUTFIELDERS

209	Ryan Sweeney, Aug. 17, 2009-Sept. 14, 2011
187	Al Simmons, June 27, 1928-August 5, 1929
166	Stephen Piscotty, July 25, 2018-present
165	Jermaine Dye, Sept. 25, 2002-August 6, 2004
162	Travis Buck, April 2, 2007-Aug. 21, 2010
162	Stan Javier, June 26, 1994-Oct. 1, 1995
152	Mark Canha, June 2, 2017-June 15, 2019
146	Robbie Grossman, March 21, 2019-present
145	Coco Crisp, August 23, 2012-April 13, 2014

10 MARCUS SEMIEN

Current Streak: 6 games (7 for 25)
Arizona Series: 1-3, bb
Road Trip: 7-29, 3 r, 2 2b, 2 hr, 5 rbi, 4 bb, 4 so, sb

- Is 12-for-44 (.273) over his last nine games after going 3-for-27 (.111) over his previous six contests.
- Has started each of the A's 23 games and has played all but four innings at shortstop...now has a consecutive games played streak of 266 dating back to June 28, 2018 (all starts) and has played all but 41 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 to Griffin's 347.
- Has started each of the A's last 156 games batting leadoff, which is the longest streak in Oakland history (previous: 148 by Rickey Henderson from May 12, 1981-June 22, 1982)...it is tied for second longest in Athletics history with Topsy Hartsel (April 23, 1902-May 11, 1903)...Hartsell has the longest streak, 177 games from May 17, 1906-June 20, 1907.
- Leads the majors in at bats (100).
- Leads Major League shortstops in total chances (106) and assists (77).

Last Year: Finished in the top five in Oakland history in eight different categories...scored 123 runs, which tied the Oakland record set by Reggie Jackson in 1969...also tied the record for games played (162)...finished third in AL Most Valuable Player voting.

A'S HITTING VS. ARIZONA

2020						CAREER					
	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	PLAYER	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
.667	3	2	0	0	0	Allen	.400	5	2	0	0
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	0	Barreto	.000	2	0	0	0
.000	4	0	0	0	0	Canha	.174	23	4	1	3
.000	3	0	0	1	Chapman	.143	14	2	0	2	
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	Davis	.158	38	6	1	6	
.500	4	2	1	1	Grossman	.214	14	3	1	1	
.000	3	0	0	0	Kemp	.091	11	1	0	1	
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	Laureano	#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	
.250	4	1	0	0	Machin	.250	4	1	0	0	
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	Murphy	#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	
.000	4	0	0	0	Olson	.231	13	3	1	1	
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	Pinder	.400	10	4	1	1	
.000	4	0	0	0	Piscotty	.300	60	18	1	10	
.333	3	1	0	0	Semien	.290	31	9	0	2	
.188	32	6	1	2	TOTALS						

A'S CAREER HITTING VS. WEAVER

PLAYER	BAT	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SH	SF	HBP	GIDP	AVG	OBP	SLG
Austin Allen	L	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Khris Davis	R	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Marcus Semien	R	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.500	.500	1.000

HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

Player	2020 HOME RUNS				LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN				GP Since
	Solo	2R	3R	GS	Tot.	Date	Opponent	Pitcher	
Allen	0	1	0	0	1	August 5, 2020	Texas	Gibaut	5
Barreto	0	0	0	0	0	July 13, 2019	Chicago (AL)	Detwiler	17
Canha	1	0	1	0	2	August 15, 2020	at San Francisco	Gott	2
Chapman	5	1	0	0	6	August 10, 2020	at Los Angeles (AL)	Teheran	6
Davis	1	0	0	0	1	August 3, 2020	at Seattle	Grotz	7
Grossman	3	1	0	0	4	August 17, 2020	at Arizona	Gallen	—
Kemp	0	0	0	0	0	September 21, 2019	St. Louis	Gallegos	19
Laureano	2	0	1	0	2	August 5, 2020	Texas	Gibson	9
Machin	0	0	0	0	—	—	—	—	6
Murphy	2	0	0	0	2	August 15, 2020	at San Francisco	Gott	1
Olson	5	1	1	1	8	August 15, 2020	at San Francisco	Gausman	2
Pinder	0	2	0	0	2	August 16, 2020	at San Francisco	Peralta	—
Piscotty	1	0	1	2	4	August 16, 2020	at San Francisco	Rodriguez	1
Semien	1	2	0	0	3	August 16, 2020	at San Francisco	Rodriguez	1
Team	21	8	4	3	36				

MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs
Canha	Games	467	33 for 500
Davis	Runs	491	9 for 500
	Home Runs w/OAK	157	10 for 167 (ties R.Henderson for 7th in Oakland history)
	Home Runs as DH w/OAK	94	4 for 98 (ties Kingman for 1st in Athletics history)
	HR at Coliseum	76	6 for 82 (ties R.Henderson for 8th in Coliseum history)
Diekman	Strikeouts	479	21 for 500
Fiers	Games Started	191	9 for 200
	Strikeouts	964	36 for 1000
Hendriks	Saves w/OAK	33	11 for 44 (ties Foulke and Koch for 10th in Oakland history)
Manaea	Games	91	9 for 100
	Games Started	90	10 for 100
McFarland	Games	273	27 for 300
Olson	Games at 1B	359	28 for 387 (ties Bochte for 5th in Oakland history)
	Home Runs	97	3 for 100
Piscotty	Home Runs	82	18 for 100
Semien	Triples w/OAK	20	2 for 22 (ties Bando and Ellis for 9th in Oakland history)

A'S AT A GLANCE

Season High	16-6 (August 16)
Season Low	3-4 (July 31)
July	3-4
August	13-3
September	0-0
Home Series	3-1-0
Road Series	2-1-0
Series Sweeps	3-1
First Game of Series	4-4
Last Game of Series	6-1
A's Score First	8-1
Opponent Scores First	8-6
Leading After 7th	10-0
Leading After 8th	11-0
Tied After 7th	3-1
Tied After 8th	3-1
Trailing After 7th	3-6
Trailing After 8th	2-6
Commit No Errors	11-4
Commit 1 or More Errors	5-3
More HR Than Opp.	12-1
Fewer HR Than Opp.	2-4
Same Total HR of Opp.	2-2
Starter Pitches 7 or More	3-0
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	13-7
When Scoring 4 or More	11-1
When Scoring Less Than 4	5-6
Last At Bat	6-2
Replay Challenges	2-4
Different Lineups	18

WALK-OFF WINS (3)

Matt Olson, July 24 vs. Los Angeles-AL (grand slam)
 Stephen Piscotty, August 4 vs. Texas (grand slam)
 Marcus Semien, August 7 vs. Houston (single)

INJURED LIST

Current	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Puk	Strained left shoulder	July 20-present (eligible July 30)	23	Mengden	Right elbow surgery	Feb. 15-July 22	0
Smith	Strained right forearm	August 16-present (eligible August 26)	2	Weems	Strained right latissimus dorsi	August 1-13	12

The A's have used the injured list four times this season...used it 17 times last year.

TRANSACTIONS

Feb. 15	Burch Smith acquired from the San Francisco Giants for cash considerations; Daniel Mengden placed on the 60-day injured list (right elbow surgery)	June 30	Jorge Mateo traded to the San Diego Padres for a player to be named later	Aug. 4	Jordan Weems placed on the 10-day injured list retroactive to Aug. 1 (strained right latissimus dorsi); James Kaprielian recalled from alternate site
March 5	Daniel Gossett, Grant Holmes and James Kaprielian optioned to Las Vegas	July 19	Justin Weems selected from the A's alternate training site	Aug. 6	Seth Brown and James Kaprielian optioned to alternate site
March 6	Daulton Jefferies optioned to Las Vegas	July 23	Daniel Mengden reinstated from the injured list; A.J. Puk placed on the 10-day injured list retroactive to July 20 (strained left shoulder); Jonah Heim optioned to the A's alternate training site; Daniel Gossett designated for assignment	Aug. 14	Ramon Laureano placed on the suspended list; Jordan Weems reinstated from the 10-day injured list and optioned to alternate site
March 7	Luis Barrera, Paul Blackburn and Skye Bolt optioned to Las Vegas	July 27	Daniel Gossett released	Aug. 16	Burch Smith placed on the 10-day injured list (strained right forearm); James Kaprielian recalled from alternate site
March 8	Dustin Fowler and Sheldon Neuse optioned to Las Vegas				

2020 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

DATE	G	OPP	W-L	SCORE	REC	POS	GA/	LEADER	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	ATT.	CUM.	ATT.				
7/24	1	LAA	W	7-3 (10)	1-0	t1	-	OAK/HOU/TEX-	Smith	Robles			8/22	28	LAA	1:10	NBCSCA	
7/25	2	LAA	L	1-4	1-1	t2	-1	HOU	1 Bundy	Manaea	Robles		8/23	29	LAA	1:10	NBCSCA	
7/26	3	LAA	W	6-4	2-1	t1	-	OAK/HOU-	Petit	Ohtani	Hendriks		8/24	30	at TEX	5:05	NBCSCA	
7/27	4	LAA	W	3-0	3-1	t1	-	OAK/HOU-	Smith	Canning	Soria		8/25	31	at TEX	5:05	NBCSCA	
7/28	5	COL	L	3-8	3-2	t1	-	OAK/HOU-	Senzatela	Mengden			8/26	32	at TEX	5:05	NBCSCA	
7/29	6	COL	L	1-5	3-3	t1	-	OAK/HOU-	Marquez	Montas			8/27	33	at TEX	4:07	FOX	
7/30		OFF DAY				t1	-	OAK/HOU-										
7/31	7	at SEA	L	3-5	3-4	3	-1	HOU	½ Walker	Manaea	Williams			8/28	34	at HOU	6:10	NBCSCA
8/1	8	at SEA	W	3-2 (10)	4-4	t1	-	OAK/HOU-	Soria	Altavilla	Hendriks			8/29	35	at HOU	4:10	NBCSCA
8/2	9	at SEA	W	3-2	5-4	t1	-	OAK/HOU-	Bassitt	Graveman	Hendriks			8/30	36	at HOU	11:10	NBCSCA
8/3	10	at SEA	W	11-1	6-4	1	+½	OAK	½ Montas	Sheffield				8/31		OFF DAY		
8/4	11	TEX	W	5-1	7-4	1	+½	OAK	½ Hendriks	Volquez				9/1	37	at SEA	6:40	NBCSCA
8/5	12	TEX	W	6-4	8-4	1	+1½	OAK	1½ McFarland	Gibaut				9/2	38	at SEA	6:40	NBCSCA
8/6	13	TEX	W	6-4	9-4	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Fiers	Minor	Hendriks			9/3	39	at SEA	1:10	NBCSCA
8/7	14	HOU	W	3-2 (13)	10-4	1	+3½	OAK	3½ Wendelken	Sneed				9/4	40	SD	6:40	NBCSCA
8/8	15	HOU	W	3-1	11-4	1	+4½	OAK	4½ Montas	Valdez	Hendriks			9/5	41	SD	1:10	NBCSCA
8/9	16	HOU	W	7-2	12-4	1	+5	OAK	5 Luzardo	Javier	Smith			9/6	42	SD	1:10	NBCSCA
														9/7	43	HOU	6:10	NBCSCA
8/10	17	at LAA	L	9-10	12-5	1	+4½	OAK	4½ Peña	Petit	Buttrey			9/8	44	HOU	6:10	NBCSCA
8/11	18	at LAA	L	0-6	12-6	1	+4	OAK	4 Bundy	Fiers				9/9	45	HOU	6:10	NBCSCA
8/12	19	at LAA	W	8-4	13-6	1	+4	OAK	4 Bassitt	Canning				9/10	46	HOU	12:40	NBCSCA
8/13		OFF DAY				1	+4	OAK	4					9/11	47	at TEX	5:05	NBCSCA
8/14	20	at SF	W	8-7 (10)	14-6	1	+4	OAK	4 Soria	Garcia	Hendriks			9/12	48	at TEX	4:05	NBCSCA
8/15	21	at SF	W	7-6	15-6	1	+4	OAK	4 McFarland	Gott	Hendriks			9/13	49	at TEX	11:35	NBCSCA
8/16	22	at SF	W	15-3	16-6	1	+4½	OAK	4½ Fiers	Webb				9/14		OFF DAY		
8/17	23	at ARI	L	3-4	16-7	1	+3½	OAK	3½ Crichton	Soria				9/15	50	at COL	5:40	NBCSCA
														9/16	51	at COL	12:10	NBCSCA
														9/17		OFF DAY		
														9/18	52	SF	6:40	NBCSCA
														9/19	53	SF	1:10	NBCSCA
														9/20	54	SF	1:10	NBCSCA
														9/21		OFF DAY		
														9/22	55	at LAD	6:40	NBCSCA
														9/23	56	at LAD	6:40	NBCSCA
														9/24	57	at LAD	6:40	NBCSCA
														9/25	58	SEA	6:40	NBCSCA
														9/26	59	SEA	1:10	NBCSCA
														9/27	60	SEA	12:10	NBCSCA

* indicates sellout. CAPS indicates complete game.

DATE	G	OPP	TIME	TV
8/18	24	at ARI	3:10	NBCSCA
8/19	25	ARI	6:40	NBCSCA
8/20	26	ARI	6:40	NBCSCA
8/21	27	LAA	6:40	NBCSCA

ALTERNATE SITE ROSTER

The A's are using Excite Ballpark in San Jose, Calif. as their alternate site for the 2020 season. All practices and baseball-related activities by the A's in San Jose are closed to the public and media, consistent with MLB guidance to ensure the health and safety of the players.

NO	PITCHERS (13)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE
	Tyler Baum	R	R	6-2	195	1-14-98	Orlando, FL	Ocoee, FL
58	^Paul Blackburn	R	R	6-1	196	12-4-93	Antioch, CA	Scottsdale, AZ
64	Ben Bracewell	R	R	6-0	200	9-19-90	Birmingham, AL	Chelsea, AL
75	Wandisson Charles	R	R	6-4	263	9-7-96	Bani, DR	Peravia, DR
74	Parker Dunshee	R	R	6-0	215	2-12-95	Zionsville, IN	Zionsville, IN
67	^Grant Holmes	L	R	6-0	226	3-22-96	Conway, SC	Conway, SC
76	Brian Howard	R	R	6-9	213	4-25-95	St. Louis, MO	St. Louis, MO
46	^Daulton Jefferies	L	R	6-0	182	8-2-95	Merced, CA	Atwater, CA
56	^James Kaprielian	R	R	6-3	225	3-2-94	Laguna Hills, CA	Tustin, CA
60	Lucas Luetge	L	L	6-4	205	3-24-87	Brenham, TX	Bellville, TX
65	Miguel Romero	R	R	6-0	202	4-23-94	Manuel Tames, Cuba	Miami, FL
68	Jaime Schultz	R	R	5-10	205	6-20-91	Albany, NY	Livingston, TX
70	^Jordan Weems	L	R	6-3	175	11-7-92	Columbus, GA	Columbus, GA
NO	CATCHERS (4)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE
37	^Jonah Heim	S	R	6-4	220	6-27-95	Buffalo, NY	Amherst, NY
	Kyle McCann	L	R	6-2	210	12-2-97	Suwanee, GA	Miramar, FL
63	Carlos Pérez	R	R	6-0	210	10-27-90	Valencia, Venezuela	Valencia, Venezuela
	Tyler Soderstrom	L	R	6-2	200	11-24-01	Turlock, CA	Turlock, CA
NO	INFELDERS (6)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE
61	Nick Allen, IF	R	R	5-8	166	10-8-98	San Diego, CA	San Diego, CA
19	Eric Campbell	R	R	6-3	215	4-9-87	Norwich, CT	Colchester, CT
66	Logan Davidson	S	R	6-3	185	12-26-97	Charlotte, NC	Seneca, SC
21	^Sheldon Neuse	R	R	6-0	232	12-10-94	Fort Worth, TX	Fort Worth, TX
45	Nate Orf	R	R	5-8	181	2-1-90	St. Charles, MO	St. Charles, MO
	Robert Puason	S	R	6-3	165	9-11-02	Guaymate, La Romana, DR	Villa Verde, La Romana, DR
NO	OUTFIELDERS (7)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE
79	^Luis Barrera	L	L	6-0	195	11-15-95	Tamboril, DR	Tamboril, DR
49	^Skye Bolt	S	R	6-2	180	1-15-94	Atlanta, GA	Ormond Beach, FL
15	^Seth Brown	L	L	6-1	223	7-13-92	Klamath Falls, OR	Medford, OR
	Brayan Buelvas	R	R	5-11	155	6-8-02	Montería, Colombia	Montería, Colombia
78	Greg Deichmann	L	R	6-2	205	5-31-95	Metairie, LA	Metairie, LA
11	^Dustin Fowler	L	L	6-0	198	12-29-94	Caldwell, GA	Dublin, GA
72	Buddy Reed	S	R	6-4	218	4-27-95	Bronx, NY	Tampa, FL

^ indicates players on 40-man roster.

In season player pool changes: July 27, added RHP Ben Bracewell. Aug. 7, traded Mark Payton to the Cincinnati Reds for a player to be named later or cash.

Taxi Squads:

July 31-Aug. 3: LHP Lucas Luetge, C Jonah Heim, IF Nate Orf
 Aug. 10-12: RHP Paul Blackburn, RHP James Kaprielian, C Jonah Heim, IF Sheldon Neuse, OF Seth Brown
 Aug. 17-18: RHP Paul Blackburn, C Jonah Heim, OF Seth Brown