



## OAKLAND ATHLETICS (1-6) VS. HOUSTON ASTROS (5-1)

THURSDAY, APRIL 8, 2021 — MINUTE MAID PARK — 7:10 CDT

LHP COLE IRVIN (0-1, 8.31) VS. RHP CRISTIAN JAVIER (0-0, 4.91)

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**ABOUT THE A'S:** Snapped their season-opening six-game losing streak with a 4-3 win over the Dodgers yesterday in 10 innings...the 0-6 start matched the 1916 Philadelphia A's for the worst in franchise history...the six-game losing streak was the A's longest since April 26-May 1, 2019 when they also lost six in a row...did not lose more than three in a row all last year...are in sole possession of last place in the American League West for the sixth consecutive day and trail first place Houston by 4½ games...never trailed by more than one game last year...have spent one day tied for fourth and six days in fifth...were swept in a four-game series by Houston to start the season, which was the first time the A's were swept in a four-game series since July 24-27, 2017 at Toronto...it was the first time it happened in Oakland since June 19-22, 2017 by Houston...this is the A's 54th season in Oakland where they have won 17 American League West titles, four AL Wild Cards, six AL pennants and four World Championships in the previous 53 years in Oakland...only the Atlanta Braves (20), New York Yankees (19) and Los Angeles Dodgers (19) have more division titles than the A's...since the A's moved to Oakland in 1968, only the Yankees (11), Cardinals (8) and Dodgers (8) have more league championships and only the Yankees have more world championships (7)...have a 4349-4004 (.521) record over the previous 53 seasons in Oakland...only four teams have won more games over that span (New York Yankees, Boston, Los Angeles Dodgers, St. Louis)...this is the Athletics franchise 121st season in the American League...since 1901, the A's have 17 AL West titles plus 15 AL pennants and nine World Championships...only the Yankees (27) and Cardinals (11) have won more World Championships.

**THE INJURED LIST:** The A's placed A.J. Puk on the injured list today and have now placed four players on the IL since the season started...currently have six players on the IL (Fiers, Guduan, Pinder, Puk, Rosenthal, Smith), which is their most at one point since Aug. 2, 2019 when they also had six...have now used the IL seven times this year after using it just eight times all last year...that was second fewest in the majors to Cleveland (4)...used it 18 times in 2019, which tied for second fewest in the majors.

**HOME AND AWAY:** The A's begin their first road trip of the season tonight, a five-game trip to Houston (three games) and Arizona (two games)...were 14-14 (.500) on the road in 2020...went 1-6 on the season-opening seven-game homestand against Houston (0-4) and Los Angeles-NL (1-2)...it was the A's worst record on a homestand of more than three games since they went 1-8 on the first homestand of the 2001 season (1-2 vs. Anaheim, 0-3 vs. Seattle, 0-3 vs. Texas)...started the 2001 season 2-10 but ended up winning 102 games...did not lose more than two straight home games all last year when they went 22-10 (.688)...that was the sixth best home record in the majors and the second best home winning percentage in Oakland history.

**THE FIRST 10:** The A's begin the season with 10 games in 10 days against two 2020 playoff teams...were swept by Houston in a four-game series to start the season, lost two of three to the defending World Champion Los Angeles Dodgers and concluded the stretch with this three-game series against Houston...then have two off days over a four-day stretch (April 11 and 14)...the April 11 off day is the A's first scheduled Sunday off day since Aug. 26, 2012 following a three-game series at Tampa Bay.

**OFFENSE:** The A's have collected six hits or fewer in seven of the first eight games and are batting .168, which is the second lowest mark in the majors (Cubs, .124)...it is the lowest mark in Athletics history over the first seven games of the season (previous: .172 in 1908)...have the lowest slugging percentage in the majors (.264) and the lowest on-base percentage (.265) and OPS (.528) in the American League...are tied for the AL lead in most hit by pitches (6), fewest runs scored (17) and fewest extra base hits (13) and are tied for the second fewest home runs (3).

**PITCHING:** The A's allowed a season-low three runs yesterday after yielding at least eight runs in the first five games and five or more in the first six contests...have a 7.17 ERA for the season, which is second highest in the majors (Pirates, 7.35)...have issued a Major League-leading 34 walks and have the highest opponents on-base percentage (.394)...have yielded a ML-leading 13 home runs and have the highest opponents slugging percentage (.523)...A's starting pitchers are 0-6 over the first seven games and are one of three American League teams without a win from their starters (Los Angeles, Tampa Bay)...last year, the A's did not get a win from their starter until the ninth game...first batters faced against A's relievers are 11-for-22 (.500) with three doubles, three home runs, six walks and a hit by pitch (.621 on-base percentage)...the bullpen has allowed 12 runs in the ninth inning after yielding just nine runs in the ninth inning all last year.

**ON THE BASES:** The A's are a perfect 5-for-5 in stolen base attempts and rank third in the American League in stolen bases...last year, the A's were successful in 26-of-29 (89.7%) stolen base attempts, which was the best percentage

in Major League history...were a perfect 13-for-13 in stolen base attempts on the road in 2020...have been successful in each of their last 19 stolen bases attempts on the road and have not been caught stealing in a road game since Aug. 27, 2019 at Kansas City.

**THIS AND THAT:** The A's recorded their first walk-off win and first extra inning win of the season with yesterday's 4-3 victory over the Dodgers in 10 innings...last year, the A's led the majors with six walk-off wins and six extra inning wins...have turned eight double plays, which is tied with Tampa Bay and San Diego for the most in the majors...have been outscored 53-17 over the first seven games and the minus 36 run differential is the lowest in Athletics history after the first seven games (previous: -32 in 1955).

**TAXI SQUAD:** The A's taxi squad for the first road trip includes pitcher James Kaprielian, catcher Austin Allen and infielders Pete Kozma and Vimal Machin...Kozma is not on the 40-man roster.

**ROSTER NOTES:** The average age on the A's Opening Day roster was 29.92 years, which is the oldest A's Opening Day roster since 2004 (30.16)...Jesus Luzardo, who was 23 years and 183 days on April 1, is the youngest...Sergio Romo was the oldest at 38 years, 29 days...17 players returned from last years Opening Day roster, which matches the total from last year when Opening Day rosters were at 30...from 1992-2019, when rosters were 25 men, the most returning players from the previous years Opening Day roster was 16 in 2007...opened the season with 13 pitchers and 13 position players.

**DURING THE SPRING:** The A's posted a winning record for the third consecutive spring as they finished 16-10-2...the wins tied with Kansas City, Toronto and Boston for the most in the majors and matched the most by an A's team over the last six springs (also 2017)...compiled a 4.17 ERA, which was the lowest in the Cactus League and fifth lowest in the majors...also had the lowest opponents batting average (.228), on-base percentage (.312) and OPS (.714) in the CL and the third lowest slugging percentage (.402)...had the third fewest walks (90) and the fourth fewest home runs (27) but finished with the third fewest strikeouts (229)...offensively, the A's led the majors in on-base percentage (.357), OPS (.833), runs (161), doubles (67) and sacrifice flies (13)...topped the CL in fewest strikeouts (220), ranked second in batting (.267) and extra base hits (107) and fourth in slugging (.476)...were 9-for-11 (81.8%) in stolen base attempts...had the second fewest steals in the CL but the third best percentage...opponents were successful in just 6-of-17 (35.3%) stolen base attempts, which was the lowest mark in the majors...played all 28 games in Arizona, marking just the second time in Oakland history the A's have not played a Spring Training game outside the state of Arizona (1981).

**A's vs. ASTROS:** The A's are 0-4 against the Astros after being swept in a four-game series in Oakland to start the season...it was the second time the A's were swept by Houston in a four-game series (June 19-22, 2017 at Oakland)...are scheduled to play the Astros in seven of the first 10 games this year and six of the final nine but just six of 143 games in between...won the season series last year, 7-3...it was their first season series win since going 11-8 in 2014...went 7-1 in Oakland and 0-2 in Houston...the seven wins at home matched the A's most against the Astros (7-3 in 2013)...then lost to the Astros in the ALDS, 3 games to 1...are now 44-65 (.403) against Houston over the last seven years after winning each of their first four season series against the Astros (31-13)...are 75-78 all-time, including 42-39 in Oakland and 33-39 in Houston.

### TODAY'S TIDBITS

**Mark Canha** was hit by a pitch for the second time this year and the 55th time in his career yesterday...the 55 hit by pitches are tied for third most in Oakland history and are four short of the record of 59 by Sal Bando...**Ramón Laureano** stole two bases yesterday for the second two-steal game of his career (June 12, 2019 at Tampa Bay)...now has a Major League leading four stolen bases, which match the most by an A's player over the first seven games of the season over the last 23 years (Rajai Davis, 2010).

### THIS DATE IN ATHLETICS HISTORY

In **1934** the A's and the Phillies meet in a City Series game before 15,000 fans at Shibe Park for the first legal Sunday baseball game ever played in Philadelphia...in **1982** Rickey Henderson ties a club record with five walks but the A's lose to California 8-6 in 16 innings...in **2003** Barry Zito extends his winning streak to 10 games in the A's 2-1 win at Texas, the fifth winning streak of 10 or more games in Oakland history...in **2006** Zito combines with the A's bullpen on a one-hit shutout in a 3-0 win at Seattle after the A's pitching staff tosses a two-hit shutout against the Mariners the night before...the three hits allowed in consecutive games sets an Oakland record.

### PITCHING PROBABLES

Fri., April 9 at Houston	LHP Sean Manaea (0-1, 9.64) vs. RHP Lance McCullers, Jr. (1-0, 1.80)	5:10	NBCSCA/iHeart Radio/960 AM
Sat., April 10 at Houston	RHP Frankie Montas (0-1, 23.63) vs. RHP Jose Urquidy (0-0, 4.15)	1:05	FS1/iHeart Radio/960 AM

## TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Cole Irvin (0-0, 8.31 ERA)

**FOR STARTERS:** Is scheduled to make his second start of the season...it is the 21st appearance and fifth start of his career...begins his third season in the majors and is on his second consecutive Opening Day roster...was the Phillies fifth round selection in the 2016 First-Year Player Draft and made his Major League debut with Philadelphia in 2019...was traded to the A's for cash considerations on Jan. 30, 2021.

**LAST START:** He was the losing pitcher in the A's 9-1 loss to Houston last Saturday in Oakland...it was his first start since May 22, 2019 with Philadelphia at Chicago (NL)...tossed 4.1 innings, which was the shortest start of his career...allowed a RBI single to Tucker in the first but the A's came back to tie the game with a run in the bottom of the first...then allowed a RBI single to Altuve in the second...was relieved by Trivino with runners on first and second and one out in the fifth and Trivino allowed a three-run home run.

### IRVIN'S 2021 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 3	Houston	1-9	L	8.31	4.1	7	4	4	1	2	0	82

**IRVIN vs. HOUSTON:** Has faced the Astros once in his career and it came in his last start last Saturday when he was the losing pitcher in the A's 9-1 loss (see last start above).

### STARTS VS. HOUSTON

DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
4/3/21	H	L	4.1	7	4	4	1	2

### IRVIN'S CAREER MATCHUPS VS. HOUSTON

PLAYER	BA	OBP	SLG	OPS	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	K	SH	SF	HB	DP
Jose Altuve	.333	.333	.333	.667	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yordan Alvarez	1.000	1.000	1.000	2.000	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Michael Brantley	-	1.000	-	1.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Carlos Correa	.000	.000	.000	.000	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Aledmys Diaz	.667	.667	1.000	1.667	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yuli Gurriel	.000	.500	.000	.500	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Martin Maldonado	.000	.000	.000	.000	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Chas McCormick	.000	.500	.000	.500	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
Myles Straw	.500	.500	.500	1.000	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kyle Tucker	.333	.333	.333	.667	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

**SPRING TRAINING RECAP:** Went 1-1 with a 1.00 ERA and .169 opponents batting average in five spring appearances, including three starts...walked just three batters in 18.0 innings and struck out 18...10 of the strikeouts came in his final start on March 26 at Los Angeles (NL)...those were the most in a single game by an A's pitcher in the MLB Spring Training database, which dates back to 2006...finished the spring with an 11.0-inning scoreless streak...allowed one run twice and no runs three times...tied for the team-lead in innings pitched.

### IRVIN'S 2021 SPRING TRAINING APPEARANCES

Date	Opponent	Start/Rel	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	
Mar. 3	at Colorado	S	7-10	-	0.00	2.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	
Mar. 9	at Chicago (NL)	S	8-9	-	1.80	3.0	2	1	1	1	4	0	
Mar. 14	Chicago (AL)	R	0-1	L	2.25	3.0	4	1	1	0	2	1	
Mar. 19	Chicago (NL)	R	1-6	-	1.50	4.0	2	0	0	0	1	0	
Mar. 26	at Los Angeles (NL)	S	11-0	W	1.00	6.0	1	0	0	2	10	0	
<b>Totals (5 games, 3 starts)</b>					<b>1-1</b>	<b>1.00</b>	<b>18.0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>1</b>

**2020 RECAP:** Had two stints with Philadelphia and was 0-1 with a 17.18 ERA in three relief appearances...opponents went 11-for-21 (.524) but he walked just one and struck out four in 3.2 innings...allowed a .438 (7-for-16) average against right-handed hitters compared to .800 (4-for-5) against left-handers...was 2-0 with a 4.50 ERA in four spring training appearances...was optioned to Lehigh Valley March 26 but was recalled on July 23 and was on the Phillies Opening Day roster...made his 2020 debut on July 26 against Miami and allowed four runs on five hits in an inning of relief and was the losing pitcher in an 11-6 decision...tossed a scoreless inning of relief Aug. 9 against Atlanta but was optioned to Philadelphia's alternate site on Aug. 9...was recalled for a second time Aug. 20, pitched the next day at Atlanta (1.2 ip, 4 h, 3 r, 3 er, 1 bb, 3 so) and was optioned Aug. 22...did not pitch the remainder of the season.

### IRVIN BY THE NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2021	0	1	8.31	1	4.1	4
2020	0	1	17.18	3	3.2	7
<b>Career</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6.89</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>49.2</b>	<b>38</b>
Home	0	1	8.31	1	4.1	4
Road	0	0	-	0	0.0	0
Day	0	1	8.31	1	4.1	4
Night	0	0	-	0	0.0	0
Pre-ASB	0	1	8.31	1	4.1	4
Post-ASB	0	0	-	0	0.0	0
			<b>AVG.</b>	<b>AB</b>	<b>H</b>	
vs. LHH			.600	5	3	
vs. RHH			.286	14	4	

### IRVIN'S CAREER HIGHS

Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	7.0, 5/12/19 at KC
Fewest IP, GS:	4.1, 4/3/21 vs. HOU
H:	9, 6/16/19 at ATL
R:	7, 5/22/19 at CHC
ER:	7, 5/22/19 at CHC
BB:	3 (twice), last: 7/26/19 vs. ATL
SO:	6, 5/22/19 at CHC
HR:	2 (twice), last: 6/22/19 at WASH
Pitches:	93, 5/12/19 at KC
Win Streak:	2, 5/12/19 to 5/17/19
Loss Streak:	2, 5/22/19 to present
Scoreless Streak:	8.1, 7/26/19 to 9/15/19
Complete Games:	None
Shutouts:	None

### TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER

**LHP Sean Manaea (0-1, 9.64 ERA):** Is scheduled to make his second start of the season...begins his sixth season in the majors and is on his fourth Opening Day roster (2017-18, 20-21)...was the losing pitcher in his first start, a 9-2 A's loss to Houston last Sunday in Oakland (4.2 ip, 6 h, 5 r, 5 er, 3 bb, 4 so)...is 3-6 with a 3.66 ERA (76.1 ip, 70 h, 35 r, 31 er, 24 bb, 66 so, 9 hr) in 14 career regular season starts against Houston...also started Game 2 of the 2020 ALDS and was the losing pitcher in the A's 5-2 loss (4.1 ip, 5 h, 4 r, 4 er, 1 bb, 2 so)...went 3-1 with a 5.28 ERA and .250 opponents batting average in four starts this spring...tied for second in the Cactus League in wins...was 4-3 with a 4.50 ERA in 11 starts last year...the ERA was the highest of his career as was his .270 opponents batting average...went 4-1 with a 2.65 ERA and .234 opponents batting average over his final six starts dating back to Aug. 20...the wins tied for fourth most in the majors over that span.

## ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

### 35 LHP JAKE DIEKMAN

**Last Outing:** 4/3 vs. Los Angeles-NL (ND, 1.0 ip, h, 2 so)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 0/0    **First Hitters:** 1-2

- Begins his 10th season in the majors and is on his seventh Opening Day roster (2014-16, 18-21).
- Struck out his 500th career batter (Yordan Alvarez) on April 2.
- Walked the first batter he faced during the spring but then retired each of the final 18 batters he faced...opponents went 0-for-18 in his six appearances and he did not allow a run in 6.0 innings.
- Has a 1.38 ERA (5 er, 32.2 ip) in 39 career outings against Houston.
- Did not allow a run during the day last year and after yesterday's outing, now has a 15-game, 12.2-inning scoreless streak in day games.

*Last Year: Allowed just two runs in 21 appearances and only one was earned for a 0.42 ERA...ranked second among Major League relievers in ERA and opponents slugging percentage (.157), fifth in batting average (.114) and seventh in OPS (.410)*

### 65 RHP DEOLIS GUERRA

**Last Outing:** 3/28 vs. San Francisco (ND, 1.0 ip, bb, 2 so)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 0/0    **First Hitters:** 0-0

- Was selected from the A's alternate site today.
- Begins his fifth season in the majors and is with his fifth team (Pittsburgh, 2015; Los Angeles-AL, 2016-17; Milwaukee, 2019; Philadelphia, 2020)...
- Did not allow a run in 6.2 innings over seven outings this spring...struck out 12 batters and held opponents to a .136 average (3-for-22).
- Has a 1.04 ERA (1 er in 8.2 ip) in eight career games against the Astros... last faced Houston in 2017 as a member of the Angels, throwing 2.0 scoreless innings across two outings.

*Last Year: Was on the Opening Day roster and appeared in nine games for Philadelphia in 2020 and went 1-3 with an 8.59 ERA (7 er in 7.1 ip)...struck out eight batters and walked two.*

### 21 LHP ADAM KOLAREK

**Last Outing:** 4/7 vs. Los Angeles-NL (ND, 0.2 ip)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 3/1    **First Hitters:** 2-4

- Was acquired from the Los Angeles Dodgers with minor leaguer Cody Thomas on Feb. 12 for Sheldon Neuse and Gus Varland.
- Begins his fifth season in the majors and is with his third team (Tampa Bay, 2017-19; Los Angeles-NL, 2019-20)...is on his third straight Opening Day roster.
- Compiled a 6.75 ERA and .281 opponents batting average in seven outings during the spring.
- Is 1-0 with 12.00 ERA (4 er, 3.0 ip) in seven career outings against Houston spanning 3.0 innings pitched.

*Last Year: Went 3-0 with a 0.95 ERA, .164 opponents batting average and .432 OPS in 20 relief appearances over three stints with the Los Angeles Dodgers...his ERA was second lowest among relievers in the West divisions to the A's Jake Diekman (0.42).*

### 36 RHP YUSMEIRO PETIT

**Last Outing:** 4/7 vs. Los Angeles-NL (W, 1.0 ip, so)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 4/4    **First Hitters:** 1-3, bb

- Begins his 14th season in the majors and is on his 10th Opening Day roster (Arizona, 2008-09; San Francisco, 2014-15; Washington, 2016; Los Angeles-AL, 2017; Oakland, 2018-21).
- Logged a 9.53 ERA and .393 opponents batting average in six spring training appearances...allowed at least one hit in each appearance.
- Is 3-2 with a 3.80 ERA (19 er, 45.0 ip) in 30 career outings against Houston.

*Last Year: Compiled a career-low 1.66 ERA in a team-leading 26 relief appearances...opponents hit .232 and he walked just five batters for a .273 on-base percentage...yielded four runs, three of which scored on solo home runs.*

#### MOST GAMES PITCHED, 2017-PRESENT

244	Yusmeiro Petit
244	Andrew Chafin
241	Alex Claudio
237	Adam Ottavino
235	Craig Stammen

### 54 RHP SERGIO ROMO

**Last Outing:** 4/7 vs. Los Angeles-NL (ND, 1.0 ip, 2 h, r, er, bb, so)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 0/0    **First Hitters:** 2-2, hbp

- Was signed by the A's as a free agent on Feb. 18.
- Began his 14th season in the majors and the A's are his sixth team (San Francisco, 2008-16; Los Angeles-NL, 2017; Tampa Bay, 2017-18; Miami, 2019; Minnesota, 2019-20).
- Is on his 12th consecutive Opening Day roster.
- Posted a 6.75 ERA and .250 opponents batting average in four spring training appearances...retired each of the six batters he faced over his final two appearances, five by strikeout.
- Owns a 1.84 ERA (3 er, 14.2 ip) in 21 career outings against Houston, including five saves.

*Last Year: Was 1-2 with five saves, a 4.05 ERA and .211 opponents batting average in 24 relief appearances with Minnesota...had 10 holds, which tied for third most in the majors...was the only reliever in the majors with at least 10 holds and at least five saves.*

### 62 RHP LOU TRIVINO

**Last Outing:** 4/7 vs. Los Angeles-NL (ND, 1.0 ip, 2 bb, so)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 3/2    **First Hitters:** 0-3, bb

- Begins his fourth season in the majors and is on his third consecutive Opening Day roster.
- Did not allow a run in seven games during Spring Training (7.0 ip) and opponents were 1-for-23 (.043) with three walks.
- Owns a 3.62 ERA (11 er, 27.1 ip) in 21 career outings against Houston, including one save.
- Has a 1.42 ERA (3 er in 19.0 ip) in 15 career appearances in the month of April.

*Last Year: Compiled a 3.86 ERA in 20 relief appearances and held the opposition to a career-low .193 batting average...issued 10 walks in 23.1 innings for a career-low .280 on-base percentage...struck out 26 for a career-best 10.03 strikeouts per nine innings.*

### 70 RHP JORDAN WEEMS

**Last Outing:** 4/6 vs. Los Angeles-NL (ND, 1.0 ip, h, r, er, so)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 0/0    **First Hitters:** 0-1

- Was recalled Tuesday from the A's alternate site.
- Compiled a 6.14 ERA in seven spring appearances but allowed a .222 opponents batting average.
- Has never faced Houston in his career.

*Last Year: Made his Major League debut, appearing in nine games spanning 14.0 innings pitched, accruing a 3.21 ERA with seven walks, 18 strikeouts and one home run allowed.*

### 57 RHP J.B. WENDELKEN

**Last Outing:** 4/5 vs. Los Angeles-NL (ND, 0.1 ip, bb, so)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 6/1    **First Hitters:** 0-0, 4 bb

- Begins his fifth season in the majors and is on his third consecutive Opening Day roster.
- Logged a 4.50 ERA in six Spring appearances spanning 6.0 innings pitched, allowing five hits, four walks, and one home run with four strikeouts.
- Owns a 0.63 ERA (1 er, 14.1 ip) in nine career outings against Houston, including 18 strikeouts and five walks.

*Last Year: Was 1-1 with a 1.80 ERA and .183 opponents batting average in 21 relief appearances...struck out 31 batters in 25.0 innings and tied for sixth among relievers in the West divisions in strikeouts...his ERA ranked seventh.*

## ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

### 17 ELVIS ANDRUS

**Current Streak:** 0 for 23  
**Los Angeles (NL) Series:** 0-10, rbi, 3 so, sf  
**Last Homestand:** 1-24, 2b, rbi, 5 so, sf, 2 gidp

- Doubled in his first at bat as an Athletic on Opening Day but is 0-for-23 since then...the longest hitless streak of his career is 26 at bats from July 8-17, 2010.
- Made his 13th consecutive Opening Day start at shortstop a week ago today and became the 27th shortstop dating back to 1901 with 13 or more Opening Day starts.
- Begins his 13th season in the majors and his 17th as a professional...it is his first outside of the Texas organization...was acquired from the Texas Rangers with Aramis Garcia and cash for Khris Davis, Jonah Heim and Dane Acker on Feb. 6.
- Hit .186 in 16 games during the spring.

*Last Year: Was hampered by a back injury for much of the season and batted .194 with three home runs and seven RBI in 29 games with Texas...had two stints on the 10-day injured list with the back injury (Aug. 20-30 and Sept. 12-end of season).*

### 15 SETH BROWN

**Current Streak:** 1 game (1 for 3)  
**Los Angeles (NL) Series:** 1-3, bb, 2 so  
**Last Homestand:** 1-3, bb, 2 so

- Was recalled from the A's alternate site Tuesday and singled in his first bat of the season yesterday...it was his first hit since Sept. 17, 2019 and is snapped a 0-for-24 streak
- Is in his third season in the majors.
- Hit .226 with three doubles, three home runs, seven RBI and seven walks (.359 on-base percentage) in 23 games this spring before he was optioned to the A's alternate site March 28.

*Last Year: Went 0-for-5 with two strikeouts in seven games over three stints with Oakland...all five of his plate appearances came against right-handed pitchers...made just one start and went 0-for-2 as the A's designated hitter*

### 20 MARK CANHA

**Current Streak:** 0 for 9  
**Los Angeles (NL) Series:** 2-13, 2 r, hr, rbi, 4 so, hbp  
**Last Homestand:** 6-27, 6 r, 2b, 3b, hr, rbi, 2 bb, 6 so, 2 hbp

- Is batting .222 but has reached base in six of his seven games for a .323 on-base percentage...now has a .390 on-base percentage over the last three years, which is eighth best in the majors (min. 750 PA).
- Was hit by a pitch for the second time this year and the 55th time in his career yesterday...the 55 hit by pitches are tied for third most in Oakland history and are four short of the record of 59 by Sal Bando.
- Has batted leadoff in each of the A's first seven games (three in left field, three in center field, one at designated hitter)...had never started a game in the leadoff spot prior to this year.
- Begins his seventh season in the majors, all with the A's, and is on his sixth Opening Day roster (2015-17, 19-21).
- Batted just .167 this spring with no extra base hits and no RBI but drew 11 walks for a .352 on-base percentage...tied for third in the Cactus League in walks...hit leadoff in 14 of his 17 games...appeared in nine games in left field, six in center field and two in right field.

*Last Year: Batted .246 in 59 games but walked 37 times and was hit by a pitch 10 times for a .387 on-base percentage...tied for fourth in the majors in hit by pitches, tied for 12th in walks and ranked 15th in on-base percentage.*

#### OAKLAND CAREER HIT BY PITCH LEADERS

59 Sal Bando
57 Reggie Jackson
55 Mark Canha
55 Jason Giambi
55 Rickey Henderson

### 26 MATT CHAPMAN

**Current Streak:** 1 game (2 for 4)  
**Los Angeles (NL) Series:** 3-12, 2 r, hr, 2 rbi, 4 so  
**Last Homestand:** 4-23, 2 r, hr, 3 rbi, 4 bb, 10 so, sf, gidp

- Went 2-for-4 with his first home run yesterday after going 2-for-19 (.105) over the first six games.
- Has struck out at least once in each of the first seven games...last year, he struck out in each of the A's first 24 games to become the second player in Major League history with at least one strikeout in each of his team's first 24 games of the season (Adam Dunn, 32 games with CWS in 2012).
- Has 13 career home runs against Houston, which are his most against any team.
- Begins his fifth season in the majors and is on his fourth consecutive Opening Day roster.
- Hit .179 in 18 spring games but walked a Major League leading 14 times for a .396 on-base percentage...the walks match the most by an A's player over the last 11 springs (Joyce, 2017)...five of his seven hits were for extra bases (two doubles, three home runs).

*Last Year: Was batting .232 with 10 home runs and 25 RBI in 37 games before going on the injured list Sept. 12 with a strained right hip...underwent surgery that day and missed the remainder of the season.*

### 37 ARAMIS GARCIA

**Current Streak:** 0 for 11  
**Los Angeles (NL) Series:** 0-2, so  
**Last Homestand:** 0-11, bb, 4 so

- Has started four of the A's first seven games at catcher and is 0-for-11 with a walk.
- Has tossed out the only base runner that has attempted to steal off him.

- Went 0-for-4 in his A's debut last Friday night against Houston...it was his first game since Sept. 29, 2019 as he missed the entire 2020 season following hip surgery.
- Was acquired from the Texas Rangers with Elvis Andrus and cash for Khris Davis, Jonah Heim and Dane Acker on Feb. 6...began his career in the San Francisco organization and was claimed off waivers by Texas on Nov. 25, 2020.
- Begins his third season in the majors and is on his first Opening Day roster.
- Batted .370 with six walks (.471 on-base percentage) and seven RBI in 14 Spring Training games...opponents were 0-for-4 in stolen bases attempts with him behind the plate.

*Last Year: Injured his right hip in December 2019 while playing in the Dominican Winter League...underwent surgery on his right hip labrum on Feb. 6, 2020 and spent the entire season on the Giants injured list.*

### 5 TONY KEMP

**Current Streak:** 0 for 10  
**Los Angeles (NL) Series:** 0-5, 2 bb, so, sh, sb  
**Last Homestand:** 1-12, 2 bb, so, sh, sb

- Went 1-for-2 in his first game but is 0-for-10 with two walks in five games since then.
- Has appeared in four games in left field and two at second base.
- Did not make an error in three games in the outfield last year (all in left field) and now has a 173-game errorless streak as an outfielder dating back to his last error on May 25, 2016 against Baltimore
- Did not ground into a double play in 93 at bats in 2020 and now has a streak of 84 games and 152 at bats since his last GIDP on Aug. 20, 2019 against San Francisco.
- Begins his sixth season in the majors and is on his third consecutive Opening Day roster.
- Hit .303 in 19 games during the spring...added six walks and was hit by a pitch three times for a .442 on-base percentage...six of his 10 hits (four doubles, one triple, one home run) were for extra bases...slugged .576 and had a 1.018 OPS...tied for third in the Cactus League in hit by pitches...appeared in 12 games at second base and eight in left field.

*Last Year: Spent the entire season with Oakland and batted .247 with five doubles and four RBI in 49 games...his 15 walks fueled a career-high .363 on-base percentage...made 31 of his 32 starts in games started by a right-handed pitcher.*

### 22 RAMON LAUREANO

**Current Streak:** 0 for 4  
**Los Angeles (NL) Series:** 2-8, r, 2b, rbi, hbp, 3 sb  
**Last Homestand:** 5-15, 3 r, 2 2b, 3b, rbi, hbp, 4 sb

- Stole two bases yesterday against the Dodgers for the second two-steal game of his career (June 12, 2019 at Tampa Bay)...now has a Major League leading four stolen bases, which match the most by an A's player over the first seven games of the season over the last 23 years (Rajai Davis, 2010).
- Has two multiple hit games over his first four games and three of his five hits are for extra bases (two doubles, one home run).
- Hit safely in both games against Houston last week (3-for-7, .429) and is a .323 (32-for-99) career hitter against Houston in 30 regular season games...also went 3-for-15 (.200) with a double, two home runs and four RBI in four ALDS games against the Astros.
- Did not commit an error in 53 games in the outfield last year and now has a 66-game errorless streak since his last miscue on Sept. 16, 2019.
- Has 21 assists since making his Major League debut on Aug. 3, 2018, which are the most in the majors among outfielders over that span ahead of Teoscar Hernández (19).
- Begins his fourth season in the majors and is on his third consecutive Opening Day roster.
- Batted .357 with 10 RBI in 13 games during the spring and added nine walks for a .526 on-base percentage...seven of his 10 hits were for extra bases (three doubles, two triples, two home runs)...slugged .821 and had a 1.348 OPS...led the A's in triples and stolen bases (2)...went 0-for-2 in his first game but then reached base safely in each of his final 12 contests.

*Last Year: After hitting .288 in each of his first two seasons, batted .213 with six home runs and 25 RBI in 54 games in the shortened 2020 season...walked 24 times and was hit by a pitch a career-high 12 times for a .338 on-base percentage.*

### 8 JED LOWRIE

**Current Streak:** 0 for 6  
**Los Angeles (NL) Series:** 2-12, 2 r, 2b, 2 bb, so  
**Last Homestand:** 5-23, 3 r, 2 2b, rbi, 4 bb, 4 so

- Has played in each of the A's first seven games after playing in just nine games over the previous two seasons (0 in 2020, 9 in 2019)...had not started a game since 2018 with the A's.
- Is 5-for-23 (.217) to start the season but is a .309 (228-for-737) career hitter in April with 22 home runs and 106 RBI in 205 games...the average, home runs and RBI are his best for any month of the season...has a .263 average or lower in all other months.
- Singled in the fourth inning last Friday night against Houston for his first hit since Sept. 29, 2018 at Los Angeles (AL).
- Was signed by the A's to a minor league contract on Feb. 10 and was selected from Triple-A Las Vegas a week ago today...this is his third time playing for Oakland as he was also with the club from 2013-14 and 2016-18.
- Begins his 13th season in the majors and is on his ninth Opening Day roster (2009, 2011, 2013-18, 21)...it's his sixth Opening Day with the A's.
- Hit .265 in 13 games this spring...six of his nine hits were for extra bases (four doubles, two home runs) and he slugged .559.

*Last Year: Spent the entire season on the injured list for the Mets...was placed on the 10-day injured list July 20 with left knee inflammation...was transferred to the 45-day IL Aug. 2 and did not play in 2020.*

**18 MITCH MORELAND**

**Current Streak:** 1 game (1 for 5)  
**Los Angeles (NL) Series:** 2-12, rbi, 5 so  
**Last Homestand:** 3-21, 3 rbi, 2 bb, 8 so, sf, gidp

- Had the game-winning RBI single in the bottom of the 10th inning yesterday against the Dodgers for his seventh career walk-off RBI (previous: Aug. 9, 2020, home run vs. Toronto).
- Has started each of the last two games at first base after starting each of the first five at designated hitter...had just 54 career games at DH entering the season.
- Went 1-for-9 against Houston last week and is a .211 (56-for-265) career hitter against Houston, which is his lowest batting average against any American League team.
- Singled in the first inning last Saturday against Houston for his first hit as an Athletic.
- Has scored 499 runs in his career.
- Was signed by the A's as a free agent on Feb. 23.
- Begins his 12th season in the majors with his fourth team (Texas, 2010-16; Boston, 2017-20; San Diego, 2020) and is on his 11th straight Opening Day roster.
- Hit .200 with no home runs and five RBI in 15 games during the spring... appeared in 11 games at designated hitter and four at first base

**Last Year:** Began the year with Boston and was batting .328 with 8 HR and 21 RBI in 22 games when he was traded to San Diego Aug. 30...hit .203 with 2 HR and 8 RBI in 20 games with the Padres and combined for a .265 average, 10 HR and 29 RBI.

**12 SEAN MURPHY**

**Current Streak:** 0 for 10  
**Los Angeles (NL) Series:** 0-7, bb, 4 so  
**Last Homestand:** 0-10, bb, 6 so, hbp

- Went 0-for-4 Tuesday to snap a career-high 18-game reaching base streak dating back to last year...hit .245 with a .403 on-base percentage during the streak, which began on Sept. 4, 2020.
- Missed three games after being scratched from the starting lineup last Friday night with a right wrist contusion.
- Has hit four of his 11 career home runs against Houston...also homered against the Astros in Game 1 of the ALDS last year.
- Begins his third season in the majors and is on his second consecutive Opening Day roster.
- Hit .273 in nine spring games...five of his six hits were for extra bases (three doubles, two home runs)...did not play until March 18 following surgery for a collapsed lung during the offseason.

**Last Year:** Started 39 of the A's 60 games behind the plate as a rookie and batted .233 with seven home runs and 14 RBI in 43 games overall...added 24 walks to fuel a .364 on-base percentage...ranked fourth among ML rookies in walks and sixth in home runs.

**28 MATT OLSON**

**Current Streak:** 0 for 7  
**Los Angeles (NL) Series:** 0-3, bb, 2 so  
**Last Homestand:** 4-17, r, 2b, rbi, 3 bb, 6 so, hbp, gidp

- Is 0-for-7 over his last two games after putting together back-to-back multiple hit games last Friday and Saturday (4-for-7).
- Has 15 home runs and 42 RBI in 60 career regular season games against Houston...the home runs and RBI are his most against any team...went 3-for-14 (.214) with four runs, two home runs, two RBI and two walks in four ALDS games against the Astros.
- Begins his sixth season in the majors and is on his fourth straight Opening Day roster.
- Batted .327 with six home runs and 18 RBI in 18 spring games...the RBI were the most by an Athletic during the spring since Eric Chavez also had 18 in 2006 and the home runs match the most by an Athletic over the last 17 springs (last: Chapman in 2016)...had just six home runs in 101 career games entering the spring...ranked second in the Cactus League in RBI, tied for second in extra base hits (11), tied for third in home runs, fourth in total bases (39) and tied for eighth in runs (11)...led the A's in extra base hits, doubles (5), home runs, RBI and total bases and tied for the lead in hits (16).

**Last Year:** Was the only Athletic to appear in all 60 games and batted .195 with 14 home runs and 42 RBI...had the sixth lowest batting average in the majors but tied for 10th in RBI.

**25 STEPHEN PISCOTTY**

**Current Streak:** 3 games (3 for 6)  
**Los Angeles (NL) Series:** 3-6, bb, so  
**Last Homestand:** 3-14, r, 2b, rbi, 2 bb, 5 so, hbp

- Went 3-for-6 (.500) in the three-game series against the Dodgers after going 0-for-8 in three contests against the Astros.
- Did not commit an error last year and now has a 196-game errorless streak dating back to his last miscue on July 24, 2018 at Texas...that is the second longest errorless streak by an outfielder in Athletics history.
- Begins his seventh season in the majors and is on his sixth straight Opening Day roster (2016-17 with St. Louis, 2018-21 with Oakland).
- Batted .194 with two home runs and eight RBI in 15 games this spring

**Last Year:** Batted .226 with five home runs and 29 RBI in 45 games in his third season with Oakland and the sixth of his career...the batting average was a career low but his average of 5.48 at bats per RBI was the best mark of his career and he hit .304 with RISP.

**LONGEST ERRORLESS STREAKS, ATHLETICS OUTFIELDERS**

209	Ryan Sweeney, Aug. 17, 2009-Sept. 14, 2011
196	Stephen Piscotty, July 25, 2018-present
187	Al Simmons, June 27, 1928-August 5, 1929
176	Robbie Grossman, Mar. 21, 2019-Sept. 26, 2020
165	Jermaine Dye, Sept. 25, 2002-August 6, 2004

**1 KA'I TOM**

**Current Streak:** 1 game (1 for 4)  
**Los Angeles (NL) Series:** 1-4, rbi, so  
**Last Homestand:** 1-10, rbi, 3 so

- Made his Major League debut a week ago tonight, his first Major League start on Friday, had Saturday off, made his professional debut as a pitcher Sunday and then collected his first hit and RBI on Monday.
- Singled in the eighth inning off David Price Monday night for his first Major League hit and RBI.
- Pitched a scoreless ninth inning on Sunday against Houston (1.0 ip, 1 h)... it was the 15th time in Oakland history a position player has pitched, the eighth time in the last seven years (last: Nick Martini on July 22, 2019 at Houston).
- Made the first start of his career Friday night and went 0-for-2 as the right fielder.
- Was selected from the Cleveland organization in the first round of the Rule 5 draft.
- Batted .270 with 49 home runs and 255 RBI in 473 games in five seasons in the minors with Cleveland...added 223 walks for a .360 on-base percentage...played exclusively in the outfield on defense (164 games in left field, 149 in center field, 118 in right field)...was originally selected by Cleveland in the fifth round of the 2015 First-Year Player Draft.
- Was born in Honolulu and is the fifth Hawaiian-born player in Oakland history (Ron Darling, Kila Ka'aihue, Shane Komine, Kurt Suzuki).
- Did not play during the spring until March 15 due to an oblique strain... batted .310 with four walks (.412 on-base percentage) and six RBI in 12 games...appeared in five games in left field, four in right and three in center.

**Last Year:** Was a non-roster invitee with Cleveland and batted .318 with three RBI in 14 games during Spring Training...was not added to the Indians 60-man player pool and did not play in 2020.

**A'S HITTING VS. HOUSTON**

2021						CAREER				
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	PLAYER	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
.091	11	1	0	0	Andrus	.285	564	161	8	58
#DIV/O!	0	0	0	0	Brown	.182	11	2	0	1
.200	10	2	0	0	Canha	.255	200	51	4	20
.000	8	0	0	1	Chapman	.271	192	52	13	29
.000	6	0	0	0	Garcia	.000	6	0	0	0
.167	6	1	0	0	Kemp	.263	19	5	0	2
.429	7	3	0	1	Laureano	.323	99	32	2	9
.286	7	2	0	0	Lowrie	.272	323	88	8	34
.143	7	1	0	1	Moreland	.213	263	56	10	35
.000	3	0	0	0	Murphy	.259	27	7	4	8
.400	10	4	0	0	Olson	.212	208	44	15	41
.000	4	0	0	1	Piscotty	.220	141	31	4	18
.000	3	0	0	0	Tom	.000	3	0	0	0
.300	10	3	1	2	others					
.185	92	17	1	6	TOTALS					

**A'S CAREER HITTING VS. JAVIER**

PLAYER	BA	OBP	SLG	OPS	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SH	SF	HBP	GDP
Elvis Andrus	.000	.250	.000	.250	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mark Canha	.167	.286	.167	.452	6	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0
Matt Chapman	.250	.250	1.000	1.250	4	1	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
Aramis Garcia	.000	.000	.000	.000	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Tony Kemp	1.000	1.000	2.000	3.000	1	1	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Ramon Laureano	.167	.286	.500	.786	6	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0
Jed Lowrie	.500	.500	.500	1.000	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mitch Moreland	.000	.000	.000	.000	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Sean Murphy	.500	.500	2.000	2.500	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Matt Olson	.200	.333	.800	1.133	5	1	0	0	1	3	0	1	0	0	1	0
Stephen Piscotty	.000	.000	.000	.000	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Ka'i Tom	.000	.000	.000	.000	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0

# HIGHS AND LOWS

## CLUB

Longest Winning Streak.....	1, April 7 to present
Longest Winning Streak, Home.....	1, April 7 to present
Longest Winning Streak, Road.....	None
Longest Losing Streak.....	6, April 1 to 6
Longest Losing Streak, Home.....	6, April 1 to 6
Longest Losing Streak, Road.....	None
Most Runs, Game, A's.....	5, April 2 vs. Houston
Most Runs, Game, Opponents.....	10, April 5 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Most Runs, Inning, A's.....	3, April 5 vs. Los Angeles-NL (8th)
Most Runs, Inning, Opponents.....	4, April 5 vs. Los Angeles-NL (2nd)
.....	4, April 4 vs. Houston (6th)
.....	4, April 3 vs. Houston (9th)
Largest Margin, Victory.....	1, April 7 vs. Los Angeles-NL (4-3)
Largest Margin, Loss.....	8, April 3 vs. Houston (1-9)
Most Hits, Game, A's.....	8, April 2 vs. Houston
Most Hits, Game, Opponents.....	14, April 5 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
.....	14, April 2 vs. Houston
Most Hits, Inning, A's.....	4, April 5 vs. Los Angeles-NL (8th)
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents.....	4, April 6 vs. Los Angeles-NL (3rd)
.....	4, April 5 vs. Los Angeles-NL (2nd)
.....	4, April 3 vs. Houston (9th)
Most Home Runs, Game, A's.....	1 (three times), last: April 7 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents.....	3, April 6 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
.....	3, April 4 vs. Houston
Most Doubles, Game, A's.....	3, April 6 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Most Doubles, Game, Opponents.....	4, April 2 vs. Houston
Most Triples, Game, A's.....	1, April 4 vs. Houston
.....	1, April 2 vs. Houston
Most Triples, Game, Opponents.....	None
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's.....	2 (twice), last: April 7 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents.....	2, April 6 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Most Strikeouts, A's Pitchers.....	11 (twice), Last: April 7 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Most Strikeouts, Opponents Pitchers.....	11 (twice), Last: April 7 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Most Walks, A's Pitchers.....	8, April 5 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Most Walks, Opponents Pitchers.....	5 (twice), Last: April 7 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's Pitchers.....	8, April 7 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Fewest Hits Allowed, Opponents Pitchers.....	3, April 3 vs. Houston
Most Left on Base, Nine Inning Game.....	8, April 5 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Most Left on Base, Extra Inning Game.....	9, April 7 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Fewest Left on Base, Game.....	4, April 4 vs. Houston
Most Errors, Game.....	1 (three times), last: April 5 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Largest Comeback in Win.....	2, April 7 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss.....	1, April 6 vs. Los Angeles (NL)

## INDIVIDUAL

Grand Slams.....	None
Pinch Hit Home Runs.....	Chad Pinder, April 2 vs. Houston (Brooks Raley)
Lead Off Home Runs.....	None
Inside-The-Park Home Runs.....	None
Game Ending Home Runs.....	None
Back-to-Back Home Runs.....	None
Longest Hitting Streak.....	3, Ramón Laureano, April 1 to 6
Most Runs, Game.....	2 (twice), last: Matt Chapman, April 7 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Most Hits, Game.....	2 (10 times), last: Matt Chapman, April 7 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Most Doubles, Game.....	1 (eight times)
Most Triples, Game.....	1 (twice), last: Mark Canha, April 4 vs. Houston
Most Home Runs, Game.....	1 (three times), last: Matt Chapman, April 7 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Most Runs Batted In, Game.....	2, Chad Pinder, April 2 vs. Houston
Most Walks, Game.....	2 (twice), last: Sean Murphy, April 7 vs. Houston
Most Strikeouts, Game.....	3 (twice), last: Sean Murphy, April 6 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Most Stolen Bases, Game.....	2, Laureano, April 7 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Longest Winning Streak.....	1, Yusmeiro Petit, April 7-present
Longest Losing Streak.....	2, Chris Bassitt, April 1-present
Most Strikeouts, Game.....	8, Jesús Luzardo, April 2 vs. Houston
Most Walks, Game.....	4, Jesús Luzardo, April 7 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Most Innings, Game, Starter.....	6.0, Chris Bassitt, April 6 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Most Innings, Game, Reliever.....	3.1, A.J. Puk, April 5 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Low Hit Complete Game.....	None
Most Consecutive Scoreless Innings.....	3.1, A.J. Puk, April 5 to present
Most Consecutive Batters Retired.....	8 (twice), last: Jesús Luzardo, April 7

## GENERAL

Longest Game, Innings.....	10 (April 7 vs. Los Angeles-NL)
Longest Game, Time, Nine Innings.....	3:35, April 5 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Longest Game, Time, Extra Innings.....	3:46, April 7 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Shortest Game, Time.....	2:45, April 6 vs. Los Angeles (NL)
Largest Crowd, Home.....	10,436, April 1 vs. Houston
Smallest Crowd, Home.....	4,504, April 3 vs. Houston
Largest Crowd, Road.....	None
Smallest Crowd, Road.....	None
Postponement, Home.....	None
Postponement, Road.....	None

## MULTIPLE HIT GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	TOT
Andrus	0	0	0	0	0
Canha	2	0	0	0	2
Chapman	1	0	0	0	1
Garcia	0	0	0	0	0
Kemp	0	0	0	0	0
Laureano	2	0	0	0	2
Lowrie	2	0	0	0	2
Moreland	0	0	0	0	0
Murphy	0	0	0	0	0
Olson	2	0	0	0	2
Pinder	1	0	0	0	1
Piscotty	0	0	0	0	0
Tom	0	0	0	0	0

## MULTIPLE RBI GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	6+	TOT
Andrus	0	0	0	0	0	0
Canha	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chapman	0	0	0	0	0	0
Garcia	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kemp	0	0	0	0	0	0
Laureano	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lowrie	0	0	0	0	0	0
Moreland	0	0	0	0	0	0
Murphy	0	0	0	0	0	0
Olson	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pinder	1	0	0	0	0	1
Piscotty	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tom	0	0	0	0	0	0

## GAME TYING/GO-AHEAD RBI

PLAYER	GT	GA	TOT
Andrus	1	0	1
Canha	0	0	0
Chapman	0	0	0
Garcia	0	0	0
Kemp	0	0	0
Laureano	0	1	1
Lowrie	1	0	1
Moreland	1	1	2
Murphy	0	0	0
Olson	0	0	0
Pinder	0	0	0
Piscotty	0	0	0
Tom	0	0	0

## STARTS IN THE BATTING ORDER

Player	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Andrus	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	4	1
Brown	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Canha	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chapman	-	-	1	3	3	-	-	-	-
Garcia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-
Kemp	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-
Laureano	-	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lowrie	-	2	1	-	-	2	-	-	-
Moreland	-	-	-	4	2	-	1	-	-
Murphy	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
Olson	-	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pinder	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-
Piscotty	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-
Tom	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-

## GAMES BY POSITION

Player	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH	
	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS
Andrus	-	-	-	-	7	7	-	-	-	-
Brown	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-
Canha	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	4	3	-
Chapman	-	-	-	-	7	7	-	-	-	-
Garcia	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kemp	-	-	-	2	2	-	4	1	-	-
Laureano	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	-	-
Lowrie	-	-	-	5	5	-	-	-	-	2
Moreland	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Murphy	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Olson	-	-	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pinder	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	3
Piscotty	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	3
Tom	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	3

## HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

Player	2021 HOME RUNS					LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN			
	Solo	2R	3R	GS	Tot.	Date	Opponent	Pitcher	GP Since
Andrus	0	0	0	0	0	September 11, 2020	Oakland	Fiers	8
Brown	0	0	0	0	0	—	—	—	31
Canha	1	0	0	0	1	April 5, 2021	Los Angeles (NL)	Price	2
Chapman	1	0	0	0	1	April 7, 2021	Los Angeles (NL)	Bauer	--
Garcia	0	0	0	0	0	June 8, 2019	Los Angeles (NL)	Hill	15
Kemp	0	0	0	0	0	September 21, 2019	St. Louis	Gallegos	47
Laureano	0	0	0	0	0	September 23, 2020	at Los Angeles (NL)	Treinen	8
Lowrie	0	0	0	0	0	September 29, 2018	at Los Angeles (AL)	Johnson	15
Moreland	0	0	0	0	0	September 26, 2020	at San Francisco	Watson	8
Murphy	0	0	0	0	0	September 24, 2020	at Los Angeles (NL)	McGee	7
Olson	0	0	0	0	0	September 18, 2020	San Francisco	Webb	14
Pinder	0	1	0	0	1	April 2, 2021	Houston	Raley	1
Piscotty	0	0	0	0	0	August 24, 2020	at Texas	Lynn	25
Tom	0	0	0	0	0	—	—	—	4
<b>Team</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>				

## MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs
Bassitt	Games	81	19 for 100
	Games Started	68	32 for 100
	Innings Pitched	397.2	90.1 for 500
	Strikeouts	352	148 for 500
Canha	Hit by pitches	55	4 for 59 (ties Sal Bando's Oakland record)
	Hits	409	91 for 500
	Doubles	86	14 for 100
	Home Runs	73	27 for 100
Chapman	Games	429	71 for 500
	Hits	402	98 for 500
	Home Runs	85	15 for 100
Diekman	Games	464	36 for 500
	Games Started	197	3 for 200
Fiers	Strikeouts	990	10 for 1000
	Games	83	17 for 100
Kolarek	Games	147	53 for 200
Lowrie	Games at 2B w/A's	383	14 for 397 (ties Brent Gates for 5th in Oakland history)
	Doubles	261	39 for 300
	Walks	442	58 for 500
	Games	98	2 for 100
Manaea	Games Started	97	3 for 100
	Strikeouts	451	49 for 500
	Wins with A's	768	30 for 798 (ties Tony La Russa's Oakland record)
Melvin	Games managed w/A's	1462	9 for 1471 (ties Tony La Russa's Oakland record)
	Game	71	29 for 100
	Runs	499	1 for 500
Moreland	Hits	971	29 for 1000
	Home Runs	176	24 for 200
	Games	424	76 for 500
Olson	Games at 1B	401	19 for 420 (ties Scott Hatteberg for 4th in Oakland history)
	Hits	368	132 for 500
	Doubles	67	33 for 100
	Games	441	59 for 500
Petit	Games	371	129 for 500
Pinder	Home Runs	83	17 for 100
Romo	Games	735	65 for 800
	Games	373	27 for 400
Rosenthal	Strikeouts	490	10 for 500
	Games	73	27 for 100
Smith	Games	154	46 for 200
Trivino	Games	73	27 for 100
Wendelken	Games	73	27 for 100
TEAM PIT	Strikeouts	49665	335 for 50,000 in Oakland history
		89227	773 for 90,000 in Athletics history

## A'S AT A GLANCE

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

## WALK-OFF WINS (1)

Mitch Moreland single on April 7 vs. Los Angeles (NL) 4-3 (10)

## INJURED LIST

Current	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Current	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Fiers	Lumbar strain	March 29-present (eligible April 8)	7	Rosenthal	Right shoulder inflammation	March 30-present (eligible May 29)	7
Guduan	Sprained left thumb	April 6-present (eligible April 16)	2	Smith	Strained right groin	April 4-present (eligible April 14)	4
Pinder	Sprained left knee	April 5-present (eligible April 15)	3	<b>Player</b>	<b>Injury</b>	<b>Dates</b>	<b>Games Missed</b>
Puk	Strained left biceps	April 7-present (eligible April 17)	1	Montas	Positive Covid-19 test	Feb. 19-March 14	0

The A's have used the injured list seven times this season...used it eight times last year and 17 times in 2019.

## TRANSACTIONS

Feb. 27	Paul Blackburn outrighted to Las Vegas	April 1	Reymin Guduan and Jed Lowrie selected from Las Vegas; Mike Fiers placed on the 10-day injured list retroactive to March 29 (lumbar strain); Trevor Rosenthal placed on the 10-day injured list retroactive to March 30 (right shoulder inflammation); Daulton Jefferies and A.J. Puk optioned to alternate site; Skye Bolt designated for assignment	10-day injured list retroactive to April 4 (strained right groin); Seth Brown and Jordan Weems recalled from alternate site	
Mar. 15	Luis Barrera, Skye Bolt, Greg Deichmann, Grant Holmes, James Kaprielian and Miguel Romero optioned to Las Vegas; Wandisson Charles optioned to Midland; Dany Jiménez returned to Toronto (Rule 5); Frankie Montas reinstated from Covid-19 related injured list	April 5	Chad Pinder placed on the 10-day injured list (sprained left knee); A.J. Puk recalled from alternate site; Skye Bolt claimed off waivers by San Francisco	April 8	A.J. Puk placed on the 10-day injured list (left biceps strain); Deolis Guerra selected from alternate site; Trevor Rosenthal transferred to the 60-day injured list
Mar. 21	Jordan Weems optioned to Las Vegas; Nik Turley claimed off waivers by the Chicago White Sox	April 6	Reymin Guduan placed on the 10-day injured list (sprained left thumb); Burch Smith placed on the		
Mar. 24	Austin Allen optioned to Las Vegas				
Mar. 28	Seth Brown and Vimal Machin optioned to Las Vegas				

# 2021 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

DATE	G	OPP	W-L	SCORE	REC	POS	GA/ LEADER				SAVE	CUM.	
							GB	AND LEAD	WINNER	LOSER		ATT.	ATT.
4/1	1	HOU	L	1-8	0-1	t4	-1	HOU/LAA/SEA	1	Greinke	Bassitt	10,436	10,436
4/2	2	HOU	L	5-9	0-2	5	-2	HOU	1	Abreu	Luzardo	5,446	15,882
4/3	3	HOU	L	1-9	0-3	5	-3	HOU	1	McCullers	Irvin	5,803	21,685
4/4	4	HOU	L	2-9	0-4	5	-4	HOU	1	Bielak	Manaea	4,504	26,189
4/5	5	LAD	L	3-10	0-5	5	-4	HOU/LAA	-	May	Montas	6,653	32,842
4/6	6	LAD	L	1-5	0-6	5	-5	HOU	1	Kershaw	Bassitt	7,672	40,514
4/7	7	LAD	W	4-3 (10)	1-6	5	-4½	HOU	1	Petit	Nelson	8,131	48,645

(7 dates)

\* indicates sellout. CAPS indicates complete game.

Coliseum Capacity:  
12,188 April 1-present

DATE	G	OPP	TIME	TV
4/8	8	at HOU	5:10	NBCSCA
4/9	9	at HOU	5:10	NBCSCA
4/10	10	at HOU	1:05	FS1
4/11		OFF DAY		
4/12	11	at ARI	6:40	NBCSCA
4/13	12	at ARI	12:40	NBCSCA
4/14		OFF DAY		
4/15	13	DET	6:40	NBCSCA
4/16	14	DET	6:40	NBCSCA
4/17	15	DET	1:07	NBCSCA
4/18	16	DET	1:07	NBCSCA
4/19	17	MIN	6:40	NBCSCA
4/20	18	MIN	6:40	NBCSCA
4/21	19	MIN	12:37	NBCSCA
4/22		OFF DAY		
4/23	20	at BAL	4:05	NBCSCA
4/24	21	at BAL	4:05	NBCSCA
4/25	22	at BAL	10:05	NBCSCA
4/26	23	at TB	4:10	NBCSCA
4/27	24	at TB	4:10	NBCSCA
4/28	25	at TB	4:10	NBCSCA
4/29	26	at TB	10:10	NBCSCA
4/30	27	BAL	6:40	NBCSCA
5/1	28	BAL	1:07	NBCSCA
5/2	29	BAL	1:07	NBCSCA
5/3	30	TOR	6:40	NBCSCA
5/4	31	TOR	6:40	NBCSCA
5/5	32	TOR	6:40	NBCSCA
5/6	33	TOR	12:37	NBCSCA
5/7	34	TB	6:40	NBCSCA
5/8	35	TB	1:07	NBCSCA
5/9	36	TB	1:07	NBCSCA
5/10		OFF DAY		
5/11	37	at BOS	4:10	NBCSCA
5/12	38	at BOS	4:10	NBCSCA
5/13	39	at BOS	4:10	NBCSCA
5/14	40	at MIN	5:10	NBCSCA
5/15	41	at MIN	1:05	FS1
5/16	42	at MIN	11:10	NBCSCA
5/17		OFF DAY		
5/18	43	HOU	6:40	NBCSCA
5/19	44	HOU	6:40	NBCSCA
5/20	45	HOU	12:37	NBCSCA
5/21	46	at LAA	6:38	NBCSCA
5/22	47	at LAA	7:07	NBCSCA
5/23	48	at LAA	1:07	NBCSCA
5/24	49	SEA	6:40	NBCSCA
5/25	50	SEA	6:40	NBCSCA
5/26	51	SEA	12:37	NBCSCA
5/27	52	LAA	6:40	NBCSCA
5/28	53	LAA	6:40	NBCSCA
5/29	54	LAA	1:07	NBCSCA
5/30	55	LAA	1:07	NBCSCA
5/31	56	at SEA	1:10	NBCSCA
6/1	57	at SEA	7:10	NBCSCA
6/2	58	at SEA	7:10	NBCSCA
6/3		OFF DAY		
6/4	59	at COL	5:40	NBCSCA
6/5	60	at COL	6:10	NBCSCA
6/6	61	at COL	12:10	NBCSCA
6/7		OFF DAY		
6/8	62	ARI	6:40	NBCSCA
6/9	63	ARI	12:37	NBCSCA
6/10	64	KC	6:40	NBCSCA
6/11	65	KC	6:40	NBCSCA
6/12	66	KC	1:07	NBCSCA
6/13	67	KC	1:07	NBCSCA
6/14	68	LAA	6:40	NBCSCA
6/15	69	LAA	6:40	NBCSCA
6/16	70	LAA	12:37	NBCSCA
6/17		OFF DAY		
6/18	71	at NYY	4:05	NBCSCA
6/19	72	at NYY	10:05	NBCSCA
6/20	73	at NYY	10:05	NBCSCA
6/21	74	at TEX	5:05	NBCSCA
6/22	75	at TEX	5:05	NBCSCA
6/23	76	at TEX	5:05	NBCSCA
6/24	77	at TEX	11:05	NBCSCA
6/25	78	at SF	6:45	NBCSCA
6/26	79	at SF	7:05	NBCSCA
6/27	80	at SF	1:05	NBCSCA

6/28		OFF DAY		
6/29	81	TEX	6:40	NBCSCA
6/30	82	TEX	6:40	NBCSCA
7/1	83	TEX	12:37	NBCSCA
7/2	84	BOS	6:40	NBCSCA
7/3	85	BOS	4:15	FOX
7/4	86	BOS	1:07	NBCSCA
7/5		OFF DAY		
7/6	87	at HOU	5:10	NBCSCA
7/7	88	at HOU	5:10	NBCSCA
7/8	89	at HOU	11:10	NBCSCA
7/9	90	at TEX	5:05	NBCSCA
7/10	91	at TEX	1:05	NBCSCA
7/11	92	at TEX	11:35	NBCSCA
7/12		ALL-STAR		
7/13		STAR		
7/14		BREAK		
7/15		(site TBA)		
7/16	93	CLE	6:40	NBCSCA
7/17	94	CLE	1:07	NBCSCA
7/18	95	CLE	1:07	NBCSCA
7/19	96	LAA	6:40	NBCSCA
7/20	97	LAA	12:37	NBCSCA
7/21		OFF DAY		
7/22	98	at SEA	7:10	NBCSCA
7/23	99	at SEA	7:10	NBCSCA
7/24	100	at SEA	7:10	NBCSCA
7/25	101	at SEA	1:10	NBCSCA
7/26		OFF DAY		
7/27	102	at SD	7:10	NBCSCA
7/28	103	at SD	1:10	NBCSCA
7/29	104	at LAA	6:38	NBCSCA
7/30	105	at LAA	6:38	NBCSCA
7/31	106	at LAA	1:05	NBCSCA
8/1	107	at LAA	1:07	NBCSCA
8/2		OFF DAY		
8/3	108	SD	6:40	NBCSCA
8/4	109	SD	12:37	NBCSCA
8/5		OFF DAY		
8/6	110	TEX	6:40	NBCSCA
8/7	111	TEX	1:07	NBCSCA
8/8	112	TEX	1:07	NBCSCA
8/9		OFF DAY		
8/10	113	at CLE	4:10	NBCSCA
8/11	114	at CLE	4:10	NBCSCA
8/12	115	at CLE	10:10	NBCSCA
8/13	116	at TEX	5:05	NBCSCA
8/14	117	at TEX	4:05	NBCSCA
8/15	118	at TEX	11:35	NBCSCA
8/16	119	at CWS	5:10	NBCSCA
8/17	120	at CWS	5:10	NBCSCA
8/18	121	at CWS	5:10	NBCSCA
8/19	122	at CWS	11:10	NBCSCA
8/20	123	SF	6:40	NBCSCA
8/21	124	SF	1:07	NBCSCA
8/22	125	SF	1:07	NBCSCA
8/23	126	SEA	6:40	NBCSCA
8/24	127	SEA	12:37	NBCSCA
8/25		OFF DAY		
8/26	128	NYN	6:40	NBCSCA
8/27	129	NYN	6:40	NBCSCA
8/28	130	NYN	1:07	NBCSCA
8/29	131	NYN	1:07	NBCSCA
8/30		OFF DAY		
8/31	132	at DET	4:10	NBCSCA
9/1	133	at DET	4:10	NBCSCA
9/2	134	at DET	10:10	NBCSCA
9/3	135	at TOR	4:07	NBCSCA
9/4	136	at TOR	12:07	NBCSCA
9/5	137	at TOR	10:07	NBCSCA
9/6		OFF DAY		
9/7	138	CWS	6:40	NBCSCA
9/8	139	CWS	6:40	NBCSCA
9/9	140	CWS	12:37	NBCSCA
9/10	141	TEX	6:40	NBCSCA
9/11	142	TEX	1:07	NBCSCA
9/12	143	TEX	1:07	NBCSCA
9/13		OFF DAY		
9/14	144	at KC	5:10	NBCSCA
9/15	145	at KC	5:10	NBCSCA
9/16	146	at KC	11:10	NBCSCA
9/17	147	at LAA	6:38	NBCSCA
9/18	148	at LAA	6:07	NBCSCA
9/19	149	at LAA	1:07	NBCSCA
9/20	150	SEA	6:40	NBCSCA
9/21	151	SEA	6:40	NBCSCA
9/22	152	SEA	6:40	NBCSCA
9/23	153	SEA	12:37	NBCSCA
9/24	154	HOU	6:40	NBCSCA
9/25	155	HOU	1:07	NBCSCA
9/26	156	HOU	1:07	NBCSCA
9/27	157	at SEA	7:10	NBCSCA
9/28	158	at SEA	7:10	NBCSCA
9/29	159	at SEA	7:10	NBCSCA
9/30		OFF DAY		
10/1	160	at HOU	5:10	NBCSCA
10/2	161	at HOU	4:10	NBCSCA
10/3	162	at HOU	12:10	NBCSCA

## TAXI SQUADS

April 8-13 Austin Allen, James Kaprielian, Pete Kozma, Vimael Machin