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OAKLAND ATHLETICS (84-71) VS. HOUSTON ASTROS (91-64)

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2021 — OAKLAND COLISEUM — 1:07 PDT

RHP PAUL BLACKBURN (1-3, 5.17) VS. RHP JAKE ODORIZZI (6-7, 4.22)

NBCSCA — A'S CAST ON IHEART RADIO — A'S RADIO NETWORK (960 AM, 103.7 FM HD2, 1140 AM) — EN ESPAÑOL (KIQI 1010 AM, KATD 990 AM)

ABOUT THE A'S: Have won two straight after losing four in a row...are 7-4 over the last 11 games and 11-12 in September...started the year 0-6, went a Major League best 44-21 (.677) from April 7-June 18 (first game at New York-AL), and are 40-44 (.476) since then...are 84-71 (.542) overall and have clinched a winning record in four straight seasons for the first time since 1999-2006 when they did it eight straight years...are in fifth place in the AL Wild Card race and are four games behind Boston and New York, who are tied for the first Wild Card...held at least a share of a playoff spot each day from April 17-Aug. 22...are in third place in the AL West and trail first place Houston by seven games with seven games remaining...held at least a share of first in the West for 61 of 62 days from April 20 to June 20 and spent 71 consecutive days in sole possession of second place from June 21 to Sept. 3...overall, have spent 58 days alone in first place in the West, three days tied for first, 77 days in second, seven days tied for second, 13 days in third, two days in fourth, three days tied for fourth and 10 days in fifth.

TRAGIC NUMBERS: After defeating Houston yesterday, the A's tragic number for elimination in the American League West remains at one...have a tragic number of four to be eliminated in the AL Wild Card race.

WALK-OFFS AND OTHER CLOSE CALLS: The A's had their 11th walk-off win of the season yesterday, which is the most in the American League and third most in the majors (Rockies and Phillies, 12)...the 11 walk-off wins match the most by an A's team over the last nine years (2017)...now have 94 walk-off wins in the Bob Melvin era, which are the most in the majors over that span...are 18-11 in games decided in the last at bat...are 22-26 (.458) in one-run games...lead the AL in one-run losses and the 48 one-run decisions are second most to the Mariners (51)...are 35-40 (.467) in games decided by two runs or fewer, 49-31 (.613) in games decided by three runs or more...have a six-game winning streak in extra innings and are 8-3 (.727) overall, which is the second best record in the majors to the Cardinals (7-2, .778)...are 14-4 (.778) in extra innings over the last two years...have eight losses when leading at the conclusion of seven innings of play (including five in the last 31 games), which is tied with the Mariners for second most in the AL (Red Sox, 9).

OFFENSE: The A's have scored 234 runs in 45 games dating back to Aug. 7 (5.20 per game), which is seventh most in the majors over that span...are hitting .239 overall, which is fifth lowest in the American League...have hit under .240 in a full season just three times in Oakland history (.236 in 1982, .238 in 2012, .239 in 1979)...however, lead the AL with an Athletics record 94 hit by pitches and rank fifth with 529 walks...are in the middle of the pack in on-base percentage (7th, .318) and OPS (8th, .725)...rank third in the AL in sacrifice flies (48) and fourth in fewest strikeouts (1291).

MOST HBP, AL HISTORY	
103	Cleveland (2008)
101	Tampa Bay (2018)
94	Oakland (2021)
92	Toronto (1996)
90	Toronto (2003)

IN THE PINCH: A's pinch hitters lead the American League in hits (33) and plate appearances (156), are tied for the lead in home runs (4), rank second in RBI (24) and extra base hits (10) and tied for second in doubles (6)...the 33 hits and 24 RBI are second most by A's pinch hitters over the last 23 years (had 34 hits in 2015 and 25 RBI in 2019).

ON THE BASES: The A's are 85-for-105 (81.0%) in stolen base attempts...rank second in the American League in stolen base percentage (Cleveland, 86.1%) and fourth in steals...were successful in 89.7% of their stolen base attempts last year but the highest percentage in a full season in Athletics history is 80.7% in 2008...the 85 steals are the most by an A's team since 2012 (122).

PITCHING: The A's have a 5.01 ERA (113 er in 203.0 ip) in September, which is third highest in the American League...overall, rank fifth in the AL in opponents OPS (.702) and slugging percentage (.396)...have the fewest walks (417), the second fewest pitches per inning (16.0) and the third fewest home runs (177)...have 1,283 strikeouts, which is second most in Athletics history to the record of 1,299 set in 2019.

STARTING PITCHING: A's starting pitchers have allowed two runs or fewer in five of the last eight games and are 2-3 with a 2.45 ERA (12 er in 44.0 ip) and .189 (30-for-159) opponents batting average over that span...are 56-50 with a 3.85 ERA (369 er in 863.0 ip) overall...are tied for third in the American League in wins, rank fourth in opponents OPS (.711) and fifth in ERA...are tied for second in complete games (3)...have tossed five innings or fewer in 24 of the last 40 games but lead the majors with 863.0 innings pitched for the season (Astros, 846.0)...the fewest innings pitched by a ML leader in a season of at least 154 games is 941.1 by the 2019 Mets.

BULLPEN: The A's bullpen is 4-10 with eight saves, 11 blown saves and a 5.51 ERA (73 er in 119.1 ip) over the last 32 games...had just 11 losses over the

first 123 games and has 21 for the season, which is the fewest in the American League and tied for second fewest in the majors (Brewers, 20)...has 28 blown saves, which is tied for second most in the AL (Mariners, 31) and tied for second most in Oakland history to the record of 30 in 2019...has a save percentage of 57.6%, which is third lowest in the AL...ranks fourth in the AL in opponents OPS (.687) and on-base percentage (.306)...has the second highest slugging percentage (.429) and fifth highest batting average (.244) against first batters faced...has the third fewest inherited runners (167).

DEFENSIVE DOINGS: The A's have committed six errors in the last nine games but have just 67 for the season, which is tied for second fewest in the majors to the Astros (62)...are on pace to break the Athletics record for fewest errors in a season (80 in 2019)...the errors have led to 44 unearned runs, which is second fewest in the American League (Orioles, 43)...have 14 outfield assists, which is second fewest in the AL (Tigers, 13)...have the fourth fewest double plays (112).

HOME AND AWAY: The A's are 2-4 on the final homestand of the season, a seven-game stand against Seattle (0-4) and Houston (2-0)...are 7-13 over the last 20 home games but are 42-38 (.525)...will finish with a winning record at home for the fifth consecutive season and 10th time in the last 12 years...leave following the game today for the final road trip, a six-game trip to Seattle (three games) and Houston (three games)...went 5-1 on the last road trip to Kansas City (2-1) and Los Angeles-AL (3-0) and are 42-33 (.560) on the road, which is the second best road record in the American League to the Rays (45-30, .600)...the A's have the second lowest batting average at home in the AL (.228), third lowest OPS (.699) and fifth fewest runs scored (335)...the home batting average is currently second lowest in Oakland history (.225 in 1979, .229 in 1982 and 2020)...have the third best OPS on the road (.750), the fourth best batting average (.249) and the fourth most runs scored (378).

THE INJURED LIST: The A's placed Elvis Andrus and Jed Lowrie on the injured list today and have now used the IL 26 times this year...combined to use the IL 25 times over the previous two seasons after using it 26 times in 2019...currently have seven players on the IL...have missed just 746 games to IL placements, an average of 28.7 games per stint...excluding the shortened 2020 season, the averaged games missed will be the fewest by an A's team since 2002 (26.3).

THIS AND THAT: The A's are 36-25 (.590) when the opponent starts a left-handed pitcher compared to 48-46 (.511) when they start a right-hander...the mark against lefties is second best in the American League to the White Sox (25-16, .610)...have used 49 players, which is tied for fifth fewest in the majors...have used 148 different lineups in 155 games.

A's vs. ASTROS: The A's are 6-9 against the Astros and with one more loss, will lose the season series for the sixth time in the last seven years (went 7-3 last year)...are 3-6 in Oakland and 3-3 in Houston...are now 50-70 (.417) against Houston over the last seven years after winning each of their first four season series against the Astros (31-13)...are 81-83 all-time, including 45-41 in Oakland and 36-42 in Houston.

TODAY'S TIDBITS

Andrew Chafin ranks sixth among Major League relievers in ERA (1.76), seventh in opponents OPS (.515) and eighth in on-base percentage (.242)...**Matt Chapman** leads ML third basemen with 163 putouts, which are the most by a ML third baseman since Darrell Evans had 185 for Atlanta in 1974...**Starling Marte** leads the majors in stolen bases (45) and ranks sixth in batting average (.314) and on-base percentage (.387)...**Matt Olson** ranks third in the American League in OPS (.920), fourth in RBI (109) and on-base percentage (.372), tied for fourth in extra base hits (72), fifth in walks (83), tied for fifth in home runs (38), sixth in slugging percentage (.547) and tied for eighth in runs scored (99)

THIS DATE IN ATHLETICS HISTORY

In **1954** the Philadelphia Athletics play at New York in their last game ever and defeat the Yankees, 8-6...in **1971** Vida Blue strikes out four Milwaukee Brewers in his final start of the season to bring his season total to 301...in **1974** Jim Hunter tosses a seven-hitter to defeat the Minnesota Twins 2-1...it is his 25th win and is also his fourth straight 20-win season...in **1996** Terry Steinbach hits an inside the park home run to tie Carlton Fisk's record for most home runs by an American League catcher, a record he would later break...in **2002** the A's clinch their second AL West title in three years and win their 100th game of the season with a 5-3, 10 inning win at Seattle...Miguel Tejada collects his 200th hit to become the first Oakland player to reach the 200 plateau.

PITCHING PROBABLES

Mon., Sept. 27 at Seattle	LHP Cole Irvin (10-14, 3.99) vs. RHP Chris Flexen (13-6, 3.56)	7:10	NBCSCA/iHeart Radio/960 AM
Tue., Sept. 28 at Seattle	RHP Chris Bassitt (12-4, 3.16) vs. LHP Yusei Kikuchi (7-9, 4.41)	7:10	NBCSCA/iHeart Radio/960 AM
Wed., Sept. 29 at Seattle	RHP Frankie Montas (13-9, 3.48) vs. RHP Logan Gilbert (6-5, 4.83)	7:10	NBCSCA/iHeart Radio/960 AM

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TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Paul Blackburn (1-3, 5.17 ERA)

FOR STARTERS: Was selected from Triple-A Las Vegas Aug. 18 went 0-1 with a 2.81 ERA and .250 opponents batting average in three starts in August... is 1-2 with a 7.63 ERA (13 er in 15.1 ip) and .375 (27-for-72) opponents average in four starts in September...was a non-roster invitee with Oakland this spring after being outrighted on Feb. 27 following the Mitch Moreland signing.

FIRST START: He was the losing pitcher in the A's 3-2 loss at Chicago (AL) on Aug. 18...allowed a RBI double to Jimenez in the first but then retired nine straight and Oakland tied the game with a run in the fourth...then allowed a RBI single to Robert in the fourth and was relieved by Romo with runners on first and second and one out in the sixth...Romo allowed one of those runs to score.

SECOND START: He had a no decision in the A's 5-3 loss to Seattle on Aug. 23 in Oakland...struck out a career-high tying five batters in 5.2 innings (also June 29, 2018 vs. Cleveland)...shut out the Mariners on three hits over the first five innings and had a 2-0 lead when he allowed a two-run home run to Haniger in the sixth...was relieved by Chafin with two outs in the sixth inning, the bases empty and the scored tied 2-2.

THIRD START: He had a no decision in the A's 3-1 win over New York (AL) on Aug. 29 in Oakland...tossed 5.0 scoreless innings but allowed at least one base runner in each inning as he yielded five hits and a walk...only one base runner advanced as far as second base...was relieved by Petit to start the sixth inning with the A's leading 1-0...Diekman was charged with an unearned runs in the seventh for the blown save.

FOURTH START: He was the losing pitcher in the A's 10-8 loss at Toronto on Sept. 4...allowed three home runs in a game for the first time in his career...surrendered solo home runs to Gurriel in the second and Jansen in the third, and a two-run home run to Valera in the fourth...was relieved by Jefferies with two outs in the fourth and the A's trailing 4-0.

FIFTH START: He had a no decision in the A's 10-5 win over Texas on Sept. 10 in Oakland...allowed a RBI single to Garcia in the first and the A's scored six times in the second to give him a 6-1 lead...yielded a two-run double to Lowe and a RBI single to Solak in the third and was relieved by Guerra with two outs in the third inning, a runner on first and the A's leading 6-4.

SIXTH START: He was the winning pitcher in the A's 7-2 victory at Kansas City on Sept. 16...the win was his first since June 29, 2018 against Cleveland and it snapped a career-high six-game losing streak dating back to July 6, 2018...posted an 8.62 ERA and .351 opponents batting average during the streak, which spanned 11 games (including eight starts)...allowed a two-run home run to Perez in the first innings but those were the only runs he would allow in five innings of work...Oakland scored four times in the third inning and he was relieved by Guerra with no outs in the sixth inning and runners on first and second.

LAST START: He was the losing pitcher in the A's 5-2 loss to Seattle last Tuesday in Oakland...struck out a career-high tying five batters...the A's scored a run in the first but he allowed an unearned run in the second on his own error...then yielded three runs in the fourth inning on a two-run triple by Moore and a RBI single by Crawford...was relieved by Moll to start the fifth with the A's trailing 4-2.

BLACKBURN'S 2021 STARTS WITH OAKLAND											
Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR #PIT
Aug. 18	at Chicago (AL)	2-3	L	5.06	5.1	5	3	3	3	3	0 75
Aug. 23	Seattle	3-5	-	4.09	5.2	5	2	2	0	5	1 97
Aug. 29	New York (AL)	3-1	-	2.81	5.0	5	0	0	1	1	0 72
August Totals (3 games, 3 starts)		0-1		2.81	16.0	15	5	5	4	9	1
Sept. 4	at Toronto	8-10	L	4.12	3.2	9	4	4	0	3	3 69
Sept. 10	Texas	10-5	-	5.24	2.2	6	4	4	1	3	0 65
Sept. 16	at Kansas City	7-2	W	4.94	5.0	6	2	2	2	3	1 79
Sept. 21	Seattle	2-5	L	5.17	4.0	6	4	3	1	5	0 83

BLACKBURN vs. HOUSTON: Is 0-1 with an 18.47 ERA (6.1 ip, 16 h, 14 r, 13 er, 3 bb, 0 so, 2 hr) in two career appearances, including one start...pitched in relief in his last outing, a 15-0 A's loss on Sept. 9, 2019 at Houston (5.0 ip, 8 h, 6 r, 5 er, 1 bb, 0 so)...relieved Fiers after he allowed nine runs in 1.0 inning of work...allowed a solo home run to Alvarez and a RBI single to Chirinos in the second but then blanked the Astros over the next three innings before yielding a run in the sixth on a wild pitch and a three-run home run to Chirinos in the seventh...the loss came in a 13-5 decision in Oakland on June 13, 2018...allowed a career-high eight runs in a career-low 1.1 innings...yielded three runs in the first inning on a two-run single by Gurriel and a sacrifice fly by Gattis...then surrendered five of the Astros seven runs in the second...Correa had a two-run triple and Gur-

STARTS VS. HOUSTON									
DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	0
6/13/18	H	L	1.1	8	8	8	2	0	0

BLACKBURN BY THE NUMBERS						
	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2021	1	3	5.17	7	31.8	18
2020	0	1	27.00	1	2.1	7
Career	6	10	5.56	28	131.0	81
Home	0	1	4.67	4	17.1	9
Road	1	2	5.79	3	14.0	9
Day	1	1	3.95	3	13.2	6
Night	0	2	6.11	4	17.2	12
Pre-ASB	0	0	-	0	0.0	0
Post-ASB	1	3	5.17	7	31.1	18
			AVG.	AB	H	
vs. LHH			.333	57	19	
vs. RHH			.307	75	23	

BLACKBURN'S CAREER HIGHS	
Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	7.2, 7/6/17 at SEA
Fewest IP, GS:	1.1, 6/13/18 vs. HOU
H:	10, 8/11/17 vs. BAL
R:	8, 6/13/18 vs. HOU
ER:	8, 6/13/18 vs. HOU
BB:	4, 7/15/17 vs. CLE
SO:	5 (three times), last: 9/21/21 vs. SEA
HR:	3, 9/4/21 at TOR
Pitches:	112, 8/5/17 at LAA
Win Streak:	3, 7/31/17 to 6/7/18
Loss Streak:	6, 7/6/18 to 9/4/21
Scoreless Streak:	8.0, 7/1/17 to 7/6/17
Complete Games:	None
Shutouts:	None

riel a RBI single and he was relieved by Pagán with runners on first and second and one out...Pagán surrendered back-to-back home runs.

BLACKBURN'S CAREER MATCHUPS VS. HOUSTON																
PLAYER	BA	OBP	SLG	OPS	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	K	SH	SF	HB	DP
Jose Altuve	1.000	1.000	1.000	2.000	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Yordan Alvarez	.333	.333	1.333	1.667	3	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Michael Brantley	.333	.400	.556	.956	9	3	2	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1
Alex Bregman	.000	.500	.000	.500	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Carlos Correa	1.000	1.000	3.000	4.000	1	1	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Aledmys Diaz	.000	.000	.000	.000	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marwin Gonzalez	1.000	1.000	1.000	2.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yuli Gurriel	1.000	1.000	1.000	2.000	2	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Martin Maldonado	.000	.000	.000	.000	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Garrett Stubbs	1.000	1.000	1.000	2.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kyle Tucker	.000	.000	.000	.000	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

WITH LAS VEGAS: Was 4-7 with a 4.97 ERA and .311 opponents batting average in 17 games, including 16 starts, with Las Vegas...the seven losses are his most as a minor leaguer and his opponents batting average is a career high...surrendered just eight home runs in 88.2 innings, an average of 0.81 per nine innings...ranked second in the Triple-A West in innings pitched (88.2), tied for second in games started (16) and fifth in ERA and strikeouts (80) at the time of his Aug. 18 promotion to Oakland.

LAS VEGAS OPPONENTS BATTING: His opponents batting average broke down to .300 (61-for-203) against left-handed hitters and .323 (53-for-164) against right-handers...yielded six of his eight home runs and issued 18 of his 27 walks to lefties...opponents hit .311 with the bases empty, .311 with runners on...six of the eight home runs he allowed were solo shots...had a .296 opponents average and allowed one home run the first time through the order, .307 with three home runs the second time and .337 with four home runs after that.

LAS VEGAS THIS AND THAT: Went 2-3 with a 4.24 ERA, .287 opponents batting average and .737 OPS in nine starts at home, 2-4 with a 5.79 ERA, .333 opponent average and .867 OPS on the road...tossed six innings or fewer in each of his 17 appearances...the Aviators were 5-11 (.313) in his starting assignments.

LAS VEGAS HIGHLIGHTS: Issued a season-high three walks in his first start on May 9 against Sacramento, his first of four games with three walks...tossed a season-high 6.0 innings May 15 at Reno, his first of five outings of 6.0 innings...picked up his first win of the season May 27 against Sacramento in his only relief appearance of the season...relieved a rehabbing Jesús Luzardo in the second inning and allowed two runs on six hits in 4.2 innings...finished May with a 1-1 record and a 3.74 ERA in four games, three starts...logged a season-high 106 pitches on June 1 against Sacramento...picked up his second win June 7 against Albuquerque for his only winning streak of the season...allowed six runs in a season-low 4.0 innings but had a no decision in a 10-9 loss at Salt Lake on June 25...had a season-high three-game losing streak from July 12-31...posted a 7.08 ERA and .360 opponents batting average during that four-start streak...including July 18 against El Paso when he tossed 5.0 scoreless innings and allowed just one hit...allowed a season-high seven runs on a season-high 12 hits in a 10-1 loss to Tacoma on July 31 and finished July 1-4 with a 6.23 ERA in six starts...struck out a season-high nine in 5.0 innings in his final Triple-A start on Aug. 13 against Tacoma but allowed four runs in and was the losing pitcher in a 4-3 loss.

BLACKBURN'S 2021 APPEARANCES WITH LAS VEGAS											
Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR #PIT
May 9	Sacramento	6-3	-	5.40	5.0	5	3	3	3	4	0 89
May 15	at Reno	0-3	L	4.09	6.0	7	3	2	1	7	1 89
May 21	Salt Lake	12-6	-	3.71	6.0	2	2	2	1	4	1 85
*May 27	at Sacramento	6-5	W	3.74	4.2	6	2	2	1	5	1 80
May Totals (4 games, 3 starts)		1-1		3.74	21.2	20	10	9	6	20	3
June 1	at Sacramento	4-5	-	3.90	6.0	10	4	3	1	3	1 106
June 7	at Albuquerque	9-8	W	4.28	6.0	9	4	4	0	4	2 92
June 13	Reno	7-15	L	4.46	4.2	9	5	3	2	5	0 93
June 19	Tacoma	3-5	-	4.36	5.0	4	2	2	1	6	0 87
June 25	at Salt Lake	9-10	-	4.56	4.0	6	6	3	3	3	0 93
June Totals (5 games, 5 starts)		1-1		5.26	25.2	38	21	15	7	21	3
July 1	Sacramento	2-10	L	4.64	5.0	8	3	3	1	2	1 84
July 6	Sacramento	14-9	W	4.55	5.0	6	2	2	1	7	0 89
July 12	at Reno	5-7	L	4.76	5.0	9	6	4	2	3	0 91
July 18	El Paso	2-3	-	4.41	5.0	1	0	0	2	6	0 77
July 24	at Salt Lake	0-6	L	4.71	5.1	10	5	5	3	1	0 89
July 31	Tacoma	1-10	L	5.21	5.0	12	7	7	2	5	1 97
July Totals (6 games, 6 starts)		1-4		6.23	30.1	46	23	21	11	24	2
Aug. 8	Salt Lake	11-1	W	4.84	6.0	5	1	0	0	6	0 79
Aug. 13	at Tacoma	3-4	L	4.97	5.0	5	4	4	3	9	0 94
Las Vegas Totals (17 G, 16 GS)		4-7		4.97	88.2	114	59	49	27	80	8

*indicates relief appearance

TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER
LHP Cole Irvin (10-14, 3.99 ERA): Is 2-4 with a 5.77 ERA and .943 OPS over his last eight starts...has 14 losses, which are tied for the most in the American League and are the most by an A's pitcher since Jesse Chavez had 15 in 2015...is tied for fourth in the AL in fewest walks per nine innings (2.02), is second in fewest strikeouts per nine innings and sixth in fewest home runs per nine innings (1.06)...ranks seventh in games started (30) and tied for eighth in innings pitched (169.1)...is averaging 15.0 pitches per inning, which is the fewest in the AL and second fewest in the majors...is 4-11 with a 4.93 ERA in 17 starts against AL West competition...his 11 intradivision losses are the most in the majors over the last four years and tie the Athletics record...was the losing pitcher in his last start, a 4-1 A's loss to Seattle on Wednesday here in Oakland (5.0 ip 7 h, 3 r, 3 er, 3 bb, 5 so)...is 0-4 with a 7.56 ERA (16.2 ip, 29 h, 14 r, 14 er, 7 bb, 10 so) in four career starts against Seattle, all this year.

ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

68 RHP DOMINGO ACEVEDO

Last Outing: 9/24 vs. Houston (ND, 1.0 ip, 3 bb, 3 so)

Saves/Opportunities: 0-0

Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 **First Hitters:** 1-6, bb

- Was selected from Triple-A Las Vegas last Tuesday for his second stint with the A's this year and retired the side in order in the eighth inning that night at Kansas City.
- Was selected for the first time on June 21 and made his Major League debut by pitching in three games, all against Texas (3.0 ip, 5 h, 3 r, 3 er, 3 so, 2 hr)...was optioned to Las Vegas on July 3 and was designated for assignment on July 30 when the A's acquired Gomes and Harrison from Washington.
- Did not allow a run in 11 of his last 12 appearances with Las Vegas (12.1 ip, 7 h, 1 r, 1 er, 2 bb, 19 so, 0.73 ERA).
- Ranked fifth in the Triple-A West in saves (9) at the time of his promotion...allowed a .186 opponents batting average, including .180 against right-handed hitters and .191 against left-handers...opponents hit .148 with runners in scoring position...did not allow a run in 16 home games (17.2 ip)...his complete 2021 stats with Las Vegas:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Las Vegas (AAA)	2	0	2.48	30	0	0	0	9	32.2	22	12	9	6	53

Last Year: Was a non-roster invitee with New York (AL) and did not allow a run in four Spring Training appearances (4.0 ip, h, 3 bb, 3 so)...was added to the Yankees 60-man player pool but did not pitch in 2020.

39 LHP ANDREW CHAFIN

Last Outing: 9/25 vs. Houston (W, 1.0 ip, so)

Saves/Opportunities: 4-7

Inherited Runners/Scored: 28/9 **First Hitters:** 12-65 (3 bb, sf)

- Has four of the A's six saves dating back to Aug. 29 and has five for the season, all with Oakland...had three saves in 384 career appearances before joining the A's.
- Has a 1.32 ERA (4 er in 27.1 ip) in 26 appearances since he was acquired from Chicago (NL) on July 26 but has allowed 4-of-8 (50.0%) inherited runners to score.
- Ranks sixth among Major League relievers in ERA (1.76), seventh in opponents OPS (.515).
- Has walked the first batter he faced in just three of his 69 appearances and his .217 on-base percentage against first batters faced is tied for 11th in the majors.
- Has a 1.22 ERA (5 er in 37.0 ip) in 39 appearances on one day of rest or fewer, a 2.48 ERA (8 er in 29.0 ip) in 29 games on two days rest or more.
- Allowed a run last Wednesday at Kansas City to snap his road scoreless streak at 29 games and 27.2 innings and his night scoreless streak at 32 games and 32.2 innings.
- Allowed his first run in the eighth inning Sept. 11 against Texas...prior to that, had not allowed an eighth-inning run in 29.2 innings.

Last Year: Combined for a 1-2 record, one save and a 6.52 ERA in 15 relief appearances with the Diamondbacks and Cubs...missed a month of the season from Aug. 19 to Sept. 18 with a sprained left finger.

35 LHP JAKE DIEKMAN

Last Outing: 9/23 vs. Seattle (BS/L, 0.1 ip, 2 h, 3 r, 3 er, bb, so, 2 hr)

Saves/Opportunities: 7-14

Inherited Runners/Scored: 14/7 **First Hitters:** 12-53, 8 bb, 3 hbp

- Has allowed nine runs in 11 games in September (9.0 ip, 9.00 ERA) and has allowed 3-of-4 inherited runners to score.
- Has held right-handed hitters to a .197 (27-for-137) batting average but they have hit eight of the career-high nine home runs he has allowed.
- Has a 2.42 ERA (7 er in 26.0 ip) and .582 OPS at home compared to a 4.96 ERA (18 er in 32.2 ip) and .803 OPS on the road...has stranded five of his seven inherited runners at home but has allowed five of seven to score on the road.
- Has seven blown saves, which is tied for the most in the American League, but none of those have come in the ninth inning.
- Has faced the Astros four times this season, logging a 6.75 ERA (3 er, 4.0 ip) with a save, two strikeouts and two walks.

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)

53 RHP MICHAEL FELIZ

Last Outing: 9/22 vs. Seattle (ND, 0.1 ip, h, bb)

Saves/Opportunities: 1-1

Inherited Runners/Scored: 9/3 **First Hitters:** 5-18, 3 bb

- Was claimed off waivers from Boston Tuesday...the A's are his fourth organization this year...has also pitched for Pittsburgh and Cincinnati.
- On the year, has one save and a 7.20 ERA (16 er, 20.0 ip) with 22 strikeouts and seven walks...allowed two runs in 2.1 innings in his first outing for Boston but has four scoreless appearances since.
- Made his Major League debut in 2015 with Houston...went 8-1 with a 4.43 ERA in 65.0 innings for the Astros in 2016.
- Has faced Houston twice in his career, throwing 1.1 scoreless innings with two strikeouts and zero walks.

Last Year: Made three appearances for the Pittsburgh Pirates, allowing six earned runs in 1.2 innings pitched (32.40 ERA)...recorded two strikeouts and two walks with one home run allowed.

65 RHP DEOLIS GUERRA

Last Outing: 9/23 vs. Seattle (ND, 1.2 ip, h, 3 so)

Saves/Opportunities: 0-0

Inherited Runners/Scored: 16/2 **First Hitters:** 8-47, 2 bb, hbp

- Has allowed just two runs in his last eight games (12.0 ip, 8 h, 2 r, 2 er, 2 bb, 9 so, hbp) and has stranded all six of his inherited runners.
- Ranks seventh among American League relievers in opponents OPS (.568) and 10th in slugging percentage (.302).
- Has a 2.04 ERA (8 er in 35.1 ip) in 28 night games, a 4.97 ERA (16 er in 29.0 ip) in 22 day games.
- Has tossed more than one inning in 19 of his 50 appearances, including two or more nine times.
- Has faced the Astros three times this season, logging a 7.71 ERA (4 er, 4.2 ip) with four strikeouts and one walk.
- Has career highs in strikeouts (60), wins (4), innings pitched (64.1), games (50), walks (18), runs (28), earned runs (24) and hit batters (4).

Last Year: Was claimed off waivers from Milwaukee by Philadelphia on Feb. 5 and made the Phillies Opening Day roster...went 1-3 with an 8.59 ERA in nine relief appearances before he was designated for assignment on Aug. 22.

32 RHP JAMES KAPRIELIAN

Last Outing: 9/23 vs. Seattle (ND, 2.0 ip, 3 h, 3 r, 3 er, 3 so, hr, hbp)

Saves/Opportunities: 0-0

Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 **First Hitters:** 0-0, hbp

- Was recalled by the A's on May 12 and made each of his first 21 appearances as a starter...is 1-1 with an 5.96 ERA (15 er in 22.2 ip), .275 (25-for-91) opponents batting average over his last five starts after going 7-4 with a 3.25 ERA, .217 opponents batting average and .677 OPS over his first 16 starts.
- Had two career relief appearances prior to this season, both of which came in his Major League debut last year (3.2 ip, 4 h, 3 r, 3 er, 2 bb, 4 so).
- Has a .194 (42-for-216) opponents batting average and a .583 OPS against right-handed hitters compared to .270 (57-for-211) with an .873 OPS against left-handers.
- Has never faced Houston in his career.

Last Year: Made his Major League debut and had two relief appearances over five stints with Oakland...compiled a 7.36 ERA and .267 opponents batting average...allowed two home runs in 3.2 innings, walked two and struck out four.

60 LHP SAM MOLL**Last Outing:** 9/21 vs. Seattle (ND, 2.0 ip, h, 3 so)**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 1/0 **First Hitters:** 1-6

- Was reinstated today from the Paternity List...has pitched six times in three stints with the A's this season, throwing 7.2 scoreless innings with seven strikeouts and four walks.
- Began the season at Triple-A Reno in the Arizona farm system and was traded to the A's for cash in a minor league deal on July 2.
- Combined for a .231 opponents batting average at Triple-A, which included a mark of .114 (8-for-70) with a .401 OPS against left-handed hitters compared to .359 (23-for-64) with a 1.093 OPS against right-handers...his complete 2021 minor league stats:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Reno (AAA)	0	0	5.82	21	0	0	0	0	21.2	19	17	14	15	30
Las Vegas (AAA)	1	1	2.63	12	0	0	0	2	13.2	12	4	4	5	17
TOTALS	1	1	4.58	33	0	0	0	2	35.1	31	21	18	20	47

Last Year: Was in the San Francisco minor league system and was not in big league camp...did not pitch in a game following the cancelation of the 2020 minor league season.

36 RHP YUSMEIRO PETIT**Last Outing:** 9/24 vs. Houston (ND, 1.0 ip)**Saves/Opportunities:** 2-8**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 40/14 **First Hitters:** 18-69, 5 bb, sf

- Each of his last four outings has been scoreless, but has allowed at least one run in four of his eight games in September and is 0-1 with two blown saves and a 9.82 ERA (7.1 ip, 7 h, 8 r, 8 er, 1 bb, 4 so, 4 hr)...has allowed three of his five inherited runners to score.
- Is tied for third in the majors in games pitched (75) and is tied for the American League lead in holds (21)...ranks second among AL relievers in innings pitched (75.0), tied for second in most hits (64), ranks second in fewest walks per nine innings (1.44), is tied for fifth in wins (8) and is fifth in most inherited runners (40)...is averaging the fewest strikeouts per nine innings in the majors among relievers (4.32).
- Has allowed four home runs in his last nine games and now has 12 for the season, which is fifth most among AL relievers...five have come against his first batter faced in an outing, which is tied for third most in the Majors.
- Made his 70th appearance of the season last Saturday and is the only pitcher to appear in 70 games in three of the last four seasons.
- Has faced the Astros seven times this season and is 2-0 with a 2.84 ERA (2 er, 6.1 ip) with two strikeouts and one walk.

MOST GAMES PITCHED, 2017-PRESENT

315	Yusmeiro Petit
309	Andrew Chafin
300	Adam Ottavino
298	Craig Stammen
294	Blake Treinen

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.

54 RHP SERGIO ROMO**Last Outing:** 9/21 vs. Seattle (ND, 1.0 ip, h, r, er, hr)**Saves/Opportunities:** 2-6**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 24/12 **First Hitters:** 18-58, 2 bb, 2 hbp

- Made his 60th appearance of the season Thursday, which marks the ninth time in his career he has pitched in 60 or more games...now has 795 career appearances, which is third most among active pitchers.
- Is 0-1 with three saves (his only saves of the season), two blown saves and a 14.63 ERA (8.0 ip, 15 h, 14 r, 13 er, 3 bb, 3 so, 5 hr) over his last nine games...posted a 12.79 ERA over his first seven contests and a 1.44 ERA in 46 games in between.
- Allowed a home run to Isbel Sept. 14, which was his first home run surrendered to a left-handed hitter since Aug. 14, 2019 vs. Milwaukee (Grisham)...allowed a homer Tuesday night to lefty J.P. Crawford...has held left-handed hitters to a .221 (17-for-77) batting average this year.
- Has allowed five home runs over his last 10 games (8.0 ip) after allowing three over his first 58 (50.0 ip).
- First batters faced are 6-for-35 (.171) with a walk over his last 36 games after going 12-for-24 (.500) with a walk and two hit by pitches over his first 27 contests.
- Has faced the Astros five times this season, logging a 4.15 ERA (2 er, 4.1 ip) with two strikeouts and one walk.

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:** 9/25 vs. Houston (ND, 1.0 ip)**Saves/Opportunities:** 21-25**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 15/2 **First Hitters:** 12-60, 6 bb, hp

- Struck out a career-high five batters last Wednesday at Kansas City.
- Has allowed one run in his last six outings (8.1 ip, 5 h, 1 r, 1 er, 8 so) after going 0-3 with two blown saves and a 31.91 ERA (3.2 ip, 8 h, 13 r, 13 er, 5 bb, 4 so, 2 hr) over his previous five contests.
- Is tied for the lead among American League relievers in losses (7), ranks seventh in saves (21), sixth in innings pitched (70.0) and is ninth in opponents slugging percentage (.298).
- Has a .163 (24-for-147) opponents batting average and .484 OPS against right-handed hitters compared to .267 (28-for-105) with a .764 OPS against left-handers.
- Opponents are hitting .169 (12-for-71) with runners in scoring position.
- Has a 5.54 ERA (16 er in 26.0 ip) in 25 games since the All-Star Break after posting a 1.84 ERA in 42 outings before the break.
- Has a 1.84 ERA (9 er in 44.0 ip) in the ninth inning.
- Allowed both of his inherited runners to score in his second game on April 3 but has stranded all 13 of his inherited runners since then.
- Has faced the Astros five times this season, logging a 1.35 ERA (1 er, 6.2 ip) with six strikeouts and two walks.

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.

ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

49 SKYE BOLT

Current Streak: 0 for 18
Houston Series: 0-0, 2 r, rbi, bb
Homestand: 0-0, 2 r, rbi, bb

- Walked with the bases loaded Friday night in the eighth inning in his first appearance in a game since Sept. 7 against Chicago (AL)...pinch ran and scored a run yesterday.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Las Vegas on Aug. 31 for his third stint with the A's this year and is 0-for-6 in six games, including one start in center field, since his return.
- Is now 0 for his last 18, which is the longest hitless streak of his career.
- Went 1-for-13 (.077) in nine games during his first stint from June 1-15 and 4-for-33 (.121) in 14 games during his second stay from June 18-July 16.
- Was with the A's this spring and was designated for assignment April 1...was claimed off waivers by San Francisco April 5 and went 0-for-1 in a two-game stint with the Giants from April 27-28...was traded back to Oakland for cash on May 5 and was assigned to Las Vegas.
- Had an 1.143 OPS with the Aviators...hit .385 with runners in scoring position and .373 with six home runs and 16 RBI in 19 games in August...made 36 starts in center field, four in left field, four in right field and three at designated hitter...his complete 2021 stats with Las Vegas:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Las Vegas (AAA)	.387	51	163	41	63	12	2	9	29	32	43	5	0	.492	.650

Last Year: Hit .222 and walked five times in 11 games during the spring for a .391 on-base percentage...was optioned to Triple-A Las Vegas March 7 and added to the A's 60-man player pool on June 29...was never on the Taxi Squad and did not play in 2020.

15 SETH BROWN

Current Streak: 0 for 1
Houston Series: 1-4, so, cs
Homestand: 1-7, 2 so, cs

- Was reinstated from the injured list Sept. 10 and is 6-for-23 (.261) in 10 games, including four starts in right field, since his return.
- Has made 62 of his 63 starts this year and 79 of 81 in his career in games in which the opponent starts a right-handed pitcher.
- Is 5-for-26 (.192) with a double, home run and five RBI as a pinch hitter...ranks second among American League pinch hitters in plate appearances (28) and tied for third in RBI.
- Has started games at four different positions (49 in right field, nine in left field, three at designated hitter, two at first base).
- Was placed on the IL on Aug. 27 following a positive test for COVID-19...went 2-for-5 with a home run, RBI, two runs scored and three strikeouts on a one-game rehab assignment with Low-A Stockton.

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: 1 game (1 for 3)
Houston Series: 1-6, r, rbi, 2 bb, 2 so, sf
Homestand: 3-21, r, 2 rbi, 2 bb, 7 so, hbp, sf

- Is 12-for-67 (.179) with 10 walks and four hit by pitches over his last 19 games.
- Has been hit by a pitch 26 times, which is the most in the majors (France, SEA 25) and an Athletics single-season record (previous: 20 Baylor, 1976; Kendall, 2005).
- Ranks third in the American League in pitches per plate appearance (4.23).
- Is batting .199 (62-for-312) with the bases empty, .285 (53-for-186) with runners on.
- Has started games at four different positions (87 in left field, 21 in center field, 20 in right field, five at designated hitter).
- Has reached base safely in each of his 12 games against Houston and is 13-for-42 (.310) with 11 runs, a double, triple, two home runs, five RBI and 10 walks.
- Has career highs in runs (91), hits (115), triples (4), walks (74), stolen bases (12), hit by pitches (26), games (135), at bats (498) and strikeouts (123) and has matched his best in doubles (22)...his 43 extra base hits are two short of his best of 45 in 2019.

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.

AMERICAN LEAGUE MOST HIT BY PITCHES, SEASON

35	Don Baylor, BOS (1986)
31	Brandon Guyer, TB/CLE (2016)
28	Don Baylor, BOS/MIN (1987)
27	David Eckstein, ANA (2002)
26	Mark Canha, OAK (2021)

26 MATT CHAPMAN

Current Streak: 0 for 8
Houston Series: 0-8, bb, 5 so
Homestand: 1-20, 2 r, hr, rbi, 4 bb, 11 so

- Is batting .167 (10-for-63) in September and is hitting .215 overall, which is fifth lowest in the American League.
- Has 24 hits over his last 32 games and 13 of those have been home runs.
- Leads Major League third baseman with a .986 fielding percentage...will likely fall short of the Oakland record set by Eric Chavez in 2006...Chavez had a mark of .9872 and Chapman would need 38 errorless chances to top it.
- Also leads Major League third basemen in total chances (432) and put-outs (163), ranks second in double plays (37) and tied for fourth in assists (263)...the putouts are the most by a ML third baseman since Darrell Evans had 185 for Atlanta in 1974...they are third most in Oakland history (Sal Bando had 188 in 1968, 178 in 1969).
- Has 194 strikeouts, which rank second in the majors (Gallo, NYY 204) and third in Athletics history (197, Cust in 2008; 195, Davis in 2017).
- Leads the majors in pitches per plate appearance (4.30)...is tied for fifth in the American League in sacrifice flies (9) and tied for ninth in walks (77).
- Is tied for fifth in the AL in home runs against left-handed pitchers (14) and solo home runs (23) and tied for 10th in home runs since the All-Star Break (16).
- Has career highs in strikeouts (194), walks (77), stolen bases (3) and sacrifice flies (9).
- Struck out five times Friday night to tie the Athletics single-game record...it was the 12th five-strikeout game in franchise history, the first since he did it last year on Sept. 5 against San Diego.

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.

11 KHRIS DAVIS

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 2)
Houston Series: 1-2, bb
Homestand: 2-6, 2b, rbi, bb, so

- Was selected from Triple-A Las Vegas on Sept. 1 and is 10-for-35 (.286) with four doubles and three RBI in 15 games with the A's, including 10 starts at designated hitter.
- Is 4-for-13 (.308) with a double, home run, three RBI and a walk as a pinch hitter.
- Has started 21 games at designated hitter and two in left field (both with Texas).
- Ranks eighth on the Oakland career home run list with 158 (Rickey Henderson is seventh with 167).
- Has 95 home runs and 262 RBI in 393 career games at designated hitter with the A's...all three marks are second most in Oakland history to Dave Kingman, who had 98 home runs and 290 RBI in 428 games.
- Signed a minor league deal with the A's on Aug. 4 after being released by Texas on June 13...was traded to Texas by Oakland on Feb. 6 with Jonah Heim and Dane Acker for Elvis Andrus and Aramis Garcia...batted .157 with two home runs and five RBI in 22 games with the Rangers.
- Had 10 home runs and 25 RBI in 16 games with Las Vegas from Aug. 12-31...the home runs and RBI were the most in the Majors or minors over that span...his complete 2021 minor league stats:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Round Rock (AAA)	.000	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	.000	.000
A's (ACL)	.091	4	11	3	1	0	0	0	1	3	4	0	0	.333	.091
Las Vegas (AAA)	.333	16	63	16	21	3	2	10	25	4	13	0	0	.382	.921

Last Year: Was batting .155 with one home run, six RBI and a .241 slugging percentage over his first 19 games before the A's season was halted on Aug. 29...then hit .296 with one home run, four RBI and a .519 slugging percentage over his final 11 games.

23 YAN GOMES

Current Streak: 6 games (7 for 20)
Houston Series: 2-3, 2 r, bb
Homestand: 5-11, 3 r, rbi, 2 bb, 2 so

- Is batting .235 (27-for-115) in 35 games since he was acquired from Washington on July 30...that includes .327 (18-for-55) in the Coliseum and .150 (9-for-60) on the road.
- Is hitting .325 (38-for-117) with seven home runs and a .920 OPS against left-handed pitchers, .222 (48-for-216) with seven home runs and a .645 OPS against right-handers...has drawn 16 of his 18 walks against righties.
- Is batting .294 (32-for-109) with eight home runs and 23 RBI in 34 day games, .241 (54-for-224) with six home runs and 29 RBI in 64 night games.
- Opponents have been caught stealing in 19-of-62 (30.6%) stolen base attempts with him behind the plate...the 19 caught stealings are second most in the majors and the caught stealing percentage is sixth best.

Last Year: Batted .284 with six doubles, a triple, four homers and 13 RBI in 30 games with Washington...ranked among NL catcher leaders (min. 115 PA) in average (third, .284), slugging percentage (fourth, .468), and OPS (fourth, .787).

1 JOSH HARRISON

Current Streak: 2 games (2 for 7)
Houston Series: 2-7, 2 r, rbi, 2 bb, 2 so, cs
Homestand: 3-24, 2 r, rbi, 2 bb, 6 so, cs

- Is 3-for-24 (.125) on the homestand after going 9-for-22 (.409) on the last road trip...since joining the A's, he is batting .233 (24-for-103) in the Coliseum compared to .333 (22-for-66) on the road.
- Has a .272 (46-for-169) average in 44 games overall since he was acquired from Washington on July 30.
- Is batting .305 (67-for-220) with 20 doubles since the All-Star Break...is tied for fourth in the majors in doubles since the break.
- Is tied for sixth in the majors in hit by pitches (18) and ranks ninth in plate appearances per strikeout (7.42).
- Has started 25 of the A's last 26 games in the leadoff spot.
- Has started games at six different positions (91 at second base, 15 in left field, 14 at third base, four at shortstop, two in center field, one in right field)...with the A's, has started 30 games at second, six at third, four at short and three in left.

Last Year: Batted .278 with three home runs and 14 RBI in 33 games with Washington...hit .320 with runners in scoring position...started eight games at second base, seven at third base, three in left field, three at designated hitter and one in right field.

5 TONY KEMP

Current Streak: 0 for 1
Houston Series: 2-5, 2 r, so
Homestand: 2-11, 2 r, bb, so, sb

- Struck out as a pinch hitter yesterday to snap a streak of 88 consecutive plate appearances without a strikeout dating back to Aug. 17 at Chicago (AL)...that tied for the third longest streak in Oakland history and was the longest since Jesus Alou had a streak of 106 from June 17-Aug. 21, 1974.
- Is batting .303 (27-for-89) with 13 walks and two hit by pitches (404 on-base percentage) over his last 35 games dating back to Aug. 12.
- Has a .374 on-base percentage, which ranks fourth in the American League among players with 350 or more plate appearances.
- Is batting .333 (38-for-114) with a .904 OPS in the seventh inning or later, .217 (41-for-189) with a .677 OPS in innings 1-6.
- Three of his six home runs and nine of his 29 RBI have put the A's ahead.
- Four of his six home runs have come with runners on base as have 12 of his 21 career round-trippers.
- Is tied for sixth in the AL in sacrifice hits (4).
- Has appeared in 82 games at second base, 49 in left field and one at shortstop...has not committed an error in the outfield since May 25, 2016 against Baltimore for a 218-game errorless streak.
- Has career highs in runs (49), hits (79), walks (52), extra base hits (24), games (124), at bats (303) and strikeouts (50) and has matched his best in doubles (15)...his 29 RBI are one short of his high (30 in 2018).

OAKLAND A'S CONSECUTIVE PLATE APPEARANCES WITHOUT A STRIKEOUT

137 Felipe Alou, April 27-June 3, 1970
106 Jesus Alou, June 17-Aug. 21, 1974
88 Danny Cater, April 16-May 10, 1969
88 Tony Kemp, Aug. 17-Sept. 24 2021
85 Garry Hancock, June 5-July 23, 1983

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.

39 VIMAEEL MACHIN

Current Streak: 2 games (2 for 4)
Houston Series: 0-0
Homestand: 0-0

- Was recalled from Triple-A Las Vegas today for his fourth stint with the A's this year...was also with the club from April 16 to May 13, June 26 to 28 and Aug. 14 to 16.
- Went 2-for-7 (.286) in three starts at shortstop during his most recent stint with the A's in August while Andrus was on the paternity list.
- Has started six games at shortstop, three at second base, and one at third base.
- Batted .265 in 24 games with Las Vegas following his Aug. 17 option...overall, he is tied for fourth in the Triple-A West in triples (6), ranks sixth in on-base percentage (.389) and tied for eighth in walks (49)...started 56 games at third base, 24 at second base, five at designated hitter and three at shortstop...his complete 2021 stats:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Las Vegas (AAA)	.295	89	336	65	99	17	6	11	58	49	72	2	1	.479	.389
OAKLAND	.107	13	28	1	3	0	0	1	3	10	0	0	0	.107	.194

Last Year: Was selected by the Phillies from the Cubs in the 2019 Rule 5 Draft and was traded to A's the same day...spent the entire season with Oakland and batted .206 with two doubles, no RBI and a .296 on-base percentage in 24 games in his ML debut.

2 STARLING MARTE

Current Streak: 2 games (5 for 10)
Houston Series: 5-10, 3 r, 2 2b, 5 rbi, 2 so
Homestand: 9-25, 4 r, 4 2b, hr, 7 rbi, 2 bb, 4 so

- Had a walk-off double yesterday for his second game-ending RBI of the season (Aug. 6 vs. Texas) and the ninth of his career...it was his 500th career RBI.
- Is batting .324 (70-for-216) with 23 stolen bases in 51 games since he was acquired from Miami on July 28.
- Is hitting .384 (43-for-112) in 26 games in Oakland and is a perfect 13-for-13 in stolen base attempts...the highest single season batting average in Coliseum history among players with at least 100 plate appearances is .361 by Jeremy Giambi in 2002.
- Ranks sixth in the majors in batting average (.314) and on-base percentage (.387).
- Leads the majors with 45 stolen bases, which is two short of his career high of 47 in 2016...is tied for fourth in the National League in steals (22) and tied for sixth in the American League (23)...according to the Elias Sports Bureau, no player has ever finished in the top 10 in steals in the AL and NL in the same season...his 23 steals are the most by an Athletic since Rajai Davis had 26 in 2017.
- Is hitting .346 (89-for-257) with 28 stolen bases in 62 games since the All-Star Break...leads the majors in steals since the break and ranks fourth in batting.
- Ranks 10th in the majors in batting with runners in scoring position (.340).
- Went 4-for-5 with four RBI Friday night...it was his fifth four-hit game of the season, which is tied for the most in the majors (Tatis, SD and Rosario, CLE)...it was his first career game with four hits and four RBI.

Last Year: Played in 61 total games between Arizona and Miami in 2020, making him the only player in baseball to play in more than 60 games during the season...in 28 games with the Marlins, he hit .245 with four home runs and 13 RBI.

12 SEAN MURPHY

Current Streak: 0 for 5
Houston Series: 0-3, bb, so
Homestand: 3-10, hr, rbi, bb, 3 so

- Is 13-for-73 (.178) over his last 23 games.
- Is tied for seventh in the American League in hit by pitches (11).
- Has a .297 (22-for-74) average with runners in scoring position.
- Has hit 11 of his 17 home runs on the road.
- Ranks third among Major League catchers in defensive runs saved (12)...ranks third among AL catchers in ERA (3.84) and fourth in games started (101)...opponents have been caught stealing in 13-of-54 (24.1%) stolen base attempts with him behind the plate.

MOST HOME RUNS, OAKLAND CATCHER

34 Terry Steinbach (1996)
21 Ramon Hernandez (2003)
21 Gene Tenace (1975)
19 Dave Duncan (1972)
17 Sean Murphy (2021)
17 Stephen Vogt (2015)

**only includes home runs while playing catcher*

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 2
Houston Series: 2-7, 2b, 4 rbi, 2 bb, 3 so
Homestand: 4-21, 3 r, 2b, 2 hr, 6 rbi, 5 bb, 9 so

- Is 16-for-55 (.291) with 10 runs, six home runs, 18 RBI and 12 walks over his last 15 games.
- Ranks third in the American League in OPS (.920), fourth in RBI (109) and on-base percentage (.372), tied for fourth in extra base hits (72), fifth in walks (83), tied for fifth in home runs (38), sixth in slugging percentage (.547) and tied for eighth in runs scored (99).
- Leads the majors in home runs (21) and RBI (48) against left-handed pitchers...the home runs are an Oakland record and the RBI match the Oakland record (Reggie, 1973).
- Leads Major League first basemen in RBI (109) and ranks second in home runs (38).
- Is tied for the AL lead in go-ahead home runs (16) and ranks second in go-ahead RBI (31).
- Has 11 sacrifice flies, which ranks third in the AL and tied for fourth most in Athletics history behind Dave Kingman (14 in 1984), Sal Bando (13 in 1974) and Leo Posada (12 in 1961).
- Is hitting .329 (74-for-225) with 21 home runs and 52 RBI in 63 day games, .232 (73-for-314) with 17 home runs and 57 RBI in 86 night games...ranks second in the majors in home runs, RBI, OPS (1.118) and on-base percentage (.438) in day games, third in slugging percentage (.680) and fifth in batting...the day home runs are the most by an Athletic since Mark McGwire had 22 in 1996.
- Leads AL first basemen in total chances (1,187) and ranks second in fielding percentage (.995), putouts (1,109) and assists (72).
- Is hitting 291 (71-for-244) with 22 home runs and 55 RBI in 69 games against AL West teams.
- Has made 91 consecutive starts batting third in the order, which is the third longest such streak in Oakland history (117, Tejada from May 19-Sept. 26, 2002; 102, Giambi from April 21-Aug. 15, 2000).
- Has career highs in runs (99), hits (147), doubles (34), home runs (38), RBI (109), walks (83), extra base hits (72) and stolen bases (4).
- Had his fourth four-RBI game of the season Friday night and doubled in the eighth inning for the 100th double of his career.
- Was intentionally walked twice a week ago today at Los Angeles (AL)... now has 10 for the season, which is tied for second in the AL and is the most by an Athletic since Nick Swisher had 12 in 2007.
- Was named to his first AL All-Star Team and also participated in the Home Run Derby for the first time.

MLB MOST HOME RUNS VS. LHP, EXPANSION ERA (1961-PRESENT)

25	Cecil Fielder, DET (1990)
25	Dick Allen, PHI (1966)
21	Matt Olson, OAK (2021)
21	Barry Bonds, SF (2002)
21	Ken Griffey, Jr., SEA (1998)
21	Ken Griffey, Jr., SEA (1996)

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.

4 CHAD PINDER

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

- Is batting .341 (14-for-41) in September and is hitting .286 (16-for-56) in 23 games since he was reinstated from the 10-day injured list August 20.
- Is batting .286 (28-for-98) with three of his four home runs against left-handed pitchers, .185 (17-for-92) against right-handers.
- Is 6-for-11 (.545) with three walks, a double, two home runs and nine RBI as a pinch hitter...leads American League pinch hitters in home runs, is tied for the lead in RBI and extra base hits (3), tied for third in walks and tied for fourth in hits...the nine RBI are second most by an A's pinch hitter in the designated hitter era (12, Jeff Burroughs in 1982).
- Has started games at six different positions (24 in right field, 15 in left field, five at second base, four at shortstop, three at third base, one at designated hitter).
- Had a pinch hit grand slam off Brooks Raley in the seventh inning Friday night...it was his second career grand slam (May 19, 2018) and his fifth career pinch homer...his five career pinch homers ties the Athletics franchise record (Aldrete, Burroughs, McGwire, Steinbach, Zernial)...it was the first pinch hit grand slam by an Athletic since Scott Sizemore on Sept. 10, 2011 at Texas.
- The home run snapped a career-high 45-game homerless streak...now has four home runs this year, which includes one solo home run, one two-run homer, one three-run homer and one grand slam.
- His four RBI Friday night matched his career high...it was his third career regular season four-RBI game (last: May 19, 2018 at Toronto) and he also had four RBI in Game 3 of the 2020 ALDS against Houston
- Was on the IL from July 8 to Aug. 19 with a strained right hamstring...it was his second stint on the IL this year as he was out from April 5-May 13 with a sprained left knee.

Last Year: Played in just 24 games in his fifth season with the A's and batted .232 with 2 HR and 8 RBI...after starting games at seven different positions in each of the previous two seasons, he started at two different positions in 2020 (10 at 2B, 2 at 3B).

A'S HITTING VS. HOUSTON

2021						CAREER					
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	PLAYER	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	
.000	1	0	0	1	Bolt	.000	1	0	0	1	
.143	28	4	2	2	Brown	.154	39	6	2	3	
.310	42	13	2	5	Canha	.267	232	62	6	25	
.102	49	5	0	2	Chapman	.245	233	57	13	30	
.235	17	4	0	1	Davis	.201	294	59	15	39	
.667	3	2	0	0	Gomes	.264	106	28	4	11	
.286	7	2	0	1	Harrison	.279	68	19	0	5	
.172	29	5	1	1	Kemp	.214	42	9	1	3	
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	Machin	.286	14	4	0	0	
.500	10	5	0	5	Marte	.278	79	22	2	9	
.100	30	3	0	2	Murphy	.185	54	10	4	10	
.259	54	14	3	14	Olson	.214	252	54	18	55	
.286	28	8	2	7	Pinder	.285	151	43	9	26	
.230	209	48	5	20	others						
.223	507	113	15	61	TOTALS						

A'S CAREER HITTING VS. ODORIZZI

PLAYER	BA	OBP	SLG	OPS	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SH	SF	HBP	GDP
Elvis Andrus	.167	.167	.278	.444	18	3	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
Mark Canha	.273	.273	.364	.636	11	3	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Matt Chapman	.000	.000	.000	.000	7	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
Khris Davis	.222	.222	.556	.778	18	4	0	0	2	5	3	0	0	0	0	0
Yan Gomes	.333	.385	.500	.885	12	4	2	0	0	3	1	3	0	0	0	0
Josh Harrison	.200	.200	.400	.600	5	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Tony Kemp	.000	.000	.000	.000	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jed Lowrie	.091	.167	.091	.258	11	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0
Starling Marte	.200	.333	.200	.533	5	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mitch Moreland	.133	.188	.133	.321	15	2	0	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	0	0
Matt Olson	.286	.250	.714	.964	7	2	0	0	1	4	0	1	0	1	0	0
Chad Pinder	.000	.000	.000	.000	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stephen Piscotty	.500	.600	.500	1.100	4	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1

HIGHS AND LOWS

CLUB

Longest Winning Streak.....	13, April 9 to 24
Longest Winning Streak, Home.....	8, April 7 to 21
Longest Winning Streak, Road.....	6, April 9 to 24
Longest Losing Streak.....	6, August 21 to 27
.....	6, April 1 to 6
Longest Losing Streak, Home.....	6, September 11 to present
.....	6, August 21 to 27
.....	6, April 1 to 6
Longest Losing Streak, Road.....	4, August 15 to 18
.....	4, July 23 to 27
Most Runs, Game, A's.....	17, August 12 at Cleveland
Most Runs, Game, Opponents.....	12, April 21 vs. Minnesota
Most Runs, Inning, A's.....	7, August 7 vs. Texas (3rd)
Most Runs, Inning, Opponents.....	6 (twice), last: September 3 at Toronto (8th)
Largest Margin, Victory.....	17, August 12 at Cleveland
Largest Margin, Loss.....	9, August 17 at Chicago-AL
Most Hits, Game, A's.....	18, September 15 at Kansas City
.....	16, August 7 vs. Texas
Most Hits, Game, Opponents.....	18, April 21 vs. Minnesota
Most Hits, Inning, A's.....	6, August 7 vs. Texas (3rd)
.....	6, June 16 vs. Los Angeles-AL (6th)
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents.....	5 (10 times), last: September 7 vs. Chicago-AL (5th)
Most Home Runs, Game, A's.....	5, August 14 at Texas
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents.....	4 (five times), last: September 4 at Toronto
Most Doubles, Game, A's.....	5 (four times), last: June 4 at Colorado
Most Doubles, Game, Opponents.....	4 (seven times), last: September 20 vs. Seattle
Most Triples, Game, A's.....	1 (18 times), last: September 10 vs. Chicago (AL)
Most Triples, Game, Opponents.....	2, September 21 vs. vs. Seattle
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's.....	4, August 3 vs. San Diego
.....	4, April 20 vs. Minnesota G#1
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents.....	3, September 12 vs. Texas
.....	3, May 29 vs. Los Angeles (AL)
.....	3, May 6 vs. Toronto
Most Strikeouts, A's Pitchers.....	15, July 22 at Seattle
.....	15, June 20 at New York (AL)
Most Strikeouts, Opponents Pitchers.....	18, July 23 at Seattle
Most Walks, A's Pitchers.....	9, July 10 at Texas
Most Walks, Opponents Pitchers.....	12, April 15 vs. Detroit
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's Pitchers.....	2 (four times), last: September 24 vs. Houston
Fewest Hits Allowed, Opponents Pitchers.....	2, September 5 at Toronto
Most Left on Base, Nine Inning Game.....	14, July 22 at Seattle
.....	14, April 15 vs. Detroit
Most Left on Base, Extra Inning Game.....	17, July 3 vs. Boston (12)
Fewest Left on Base, Game.....	2, July 11 vs. Texas
.....	2, June 10 vs. Kansas City
.....	2, May 29 vs. Los Angeles (AL)
Most Errors, Game.....	3, Sept. 17 at Los Angeles (AL)
.....	3, August 13 at Texas
Largest Comeback in Win.....	5, April 13 at Arizona
Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss.....	6, September 14 at Kansas City
.....	6, September 3 at Toronto

INDIVIDUAL

Grand Slams.....	Chad Pinder, September 24 vs. Houston (Brooks Raley)
.....	Matt Olson, April 20 vs. Minnesota G#1 (Jorge Alcala)
Pinch Hit Home Runs.....	Chad Pinder, September 24 vs. Houston (Brooks Raley)
.....	Seth Brown, July 25 at Seattle (Casey Sadler)
.....	Mark Canha, May 14 at Minnesota (Derek Law)
.....	Chad Pinder, April 2 vs. Houston (Brooks Raley)
Lead Off Home Runs.....	Mark Canha, May 20 vs. Houston (Luis Garcia)
.....	Mark Canha, May 6 vs. Toronto (Hyun Jin Ryu)
Inside-The-Park Home Runs.....	None
Game Ending Home Runs.....	Starling Marte, August 6 vs. Texas (Jimmy Herget)
.....	Jed Lowrie, July 16 vs. Cleveland (Emmanuel Clase)
.....	Seth Brown, May 7 vs. Tampa Bay (Jeffrey Springs)
Back-to-Back Home Runs.....	Jed Lowrie and Mark Canha, September 2 at Detroit
.....	Matt Chapman and Sean Murphy, August 26 vs. New York (AL)
.....	Mitch Moreland and Matt Chapman, August 14 at Texas
.....	Jed Lowrie and Sean Murphy, July 11 at Texas
.....	Sean Murphy and Seth Brown, July 10 at Texas
.....	Aramis Garcia and Mark Canha, April 17 vs. Detroit
Longest Hitting Streak.....	16, Matt Chapman, June 11 to 29
Most Runs, Game.....	3 (15 times), last: Starling Marte, September 24 vs. Houston
Most Hits, Game.....	4 (eight times), last: Starling Marte, September 24 vs. Houston
Most Doubles, Game.....	2 (13 times), last: Jed Lowrie, Sept. 1 at Detroit
Most Triples, Game.....	1 (18 times), last: Starling Marte, September 10 vs. Chicago (AL)
Most Home Runs, Game.....	2 (eight times), last: Matt Chapman, August 31 at Detroit
Most Runs Batted In, Game.....	5, Tony Kemp, June 1 at Seattle
Most Walks, Game.....	5, Matt Chapman, August 12 at Cleveland
Most Strikeouts, Game.....	5, Matt Chapman, September 24 vs. Houston
Most Stolen Bases, Game.....	3, Starling Marte, August 1 at Los Angeles (AL)
Longest Winning Streak.....	10, Chris Bassitt, April 12 to July 11
Longest Losing Streak.....	4, Sean Manaea, June 20 to July 7
.....	4, Cole Irvin, May 9 to 30
Most Strikeouts, Game.....	13, Sean Manaea, July 22 at Seattle
Most Walks, Game.....	5, Chris Bassitt, April 12 at Arizona
Most Innings, Game, Starter.....	9.0, Sean Manaea, June 2 at Seattle
.....	9.0, Chris Bassitt, May 27 vs. Los Angeles (AL)
Most Innings, Game, Reliever.....	3.1 (four times), last: Daulton Jefferies, September 12 vs. Texas
Low Hit Complete Game.....	2, Chris Bassitt, May 27 vs. Los Angeles (AL)
Most Consecutive Scoreless Innings.....	18.0, Frankie Montas, August 22 to September 2
Most Consecutive Batters Retired.....	19, Sean Manaea, May 2 to 7

GENERAL

Longest Game, Innings.....	12, July 3 vs. Boston
Longest Game, Time, Nine Innings.....	4:02, September 15 at Kansas City
Longest Game, Time, Extra Innings.....	4:24, July 3 vs. Boston (12)
Shortest Game, Time.....	2:08, April 20 vs. Minnesota G#2 (7 inn.)
Shortest Game, Time, Nine Innings.....	2:18, May 4 vs. Toronto
Largest Crowd, Home.....	40,133, August 20 vs. San Francisco
Smallest Crowd, Home.....	2,865, May 25 vs. Seattle
Largest Crowd, Road.....	40,162, July 27 at San Diego
Smallest Crowd, Road.....	2,924, April 27 at Tampa Bay
Postponement, Home.....	April 19 vs. Minnesota (Twins Covid-19)
Postponement, Road.....	None

MULTIPLE HIT GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	TOT
Andrus	22	5	1	0	28
Bolt	1	0	0	0	1
Brown	9	2	0	0	11
Canha	23	4	0	0	27
Chapman	16	7	0	0	23
Davis	2	0	0	0	2
Garcia	3	0	0	0	3
Gomes	6	0	0	0	6
Harrison	7	3	1	0	11
Kemp	13	3	0	0	16
Laureano	13	5	1	0	19
Lowrie	25	7	0	0	32
Manaea	1	0	0	0	1
Marte	14	4	2	0	20
Moreland	9	0	0	0	9
Murphy	17	2	0	0	19
Olson	30	6	3	0	39
Pinder	7	3	0	0	10
Piscotty	5	1	0	0	6

MULTIPLE RBI GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	6+	TOT
Andrus	7	0	0	0	0	7
Brown	8	2	0	0	0	10
Canha	11	2	1	0	0	14
Chapman	7	7	0	0	0	14
Garcia	2	0	0	0	0	2
Gomes	2	1	1	0	0	7
Harrison	7	1	0	0	0	7
Kemp	1	2	0	1	0	4
Laureano	6	2	0	0	0	8
Lowrie	11	6	0	0	0	17
Marte	1	2	1	0	0	4
Moreland	5	1	0	0	0	6
Murphy	13	1	0	0	0	14
Olson	18	5	4	0	0	27
Pinder	2	1	1	0	0	4
Piscotty	4	0	0	0	0	4
Schwindel	1	0	0	0	0	1

GAME TYING/GO-AHEAD RBI

PLAYER	GT	GA	TOT
Andrus	4	7	11
Bolt	1	0	1
Brown	4	9	13
Canha	3	10	13
Chapman	6	21	27
Garcia	0	1	1
Gomes	1	3	4
Harrison	2	1	3
Kemp	1	9	10
Laureano	2	11	13
Lowrie	8	19	27
Machin	1	0	1
Marte	0	5	5
Moreland	3	9	12
Murphy	6	10	16
Olson	9	30	39
Pinder	1	3	4
Piscotty	0	3	3

STARTS IN THE BATTING ORDER

Player	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Allen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Andrus	-	17	-	-	-	-	15	37	71
Barrera	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Bolt	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	7	-
Brown	-	7	-	5	2	17	16	14	2
Canha	105	1	-	6	7	11	3	-	-
Chapman	-	14	1	29	46	30	20	5	-
Davis	-	-	-	-	1	1	5	3	-
Garcia	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	22
Gomes	-	-	-	7	9	3	3	6	-
Harrison	25	-	-	-	9	3	6	-	-
Kemp	13	10	-	-	-	1	13	21	25
Laureano	12	25	22	14	9	3	2	-	-
Lowrie	-	18	15	39	26	20	-	-	-
Machin	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	6	-
Marte	-	51	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moreland	-	2	-	18	15	20	6	3	-
Murphy	-	-	2	8	15	27	29	25	-
Olson	-	6	114	28	1	-	-	-	-
Pinder	-	4	1	1	15	5	13	10	3
Piscotty	-	-	-	-	-	14	20	15	1
Schwindel	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2
Tom	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1
Wilson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2

GAMES BY POSITION

Player	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH	
	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS
Allen	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Andrus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barrera	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bolt	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	-
Brown	-	-	4	2	-	18	9	2	74	49
Canha	-	-	2	-	-	99	87	23	22	19
Chapman	-	-	-	-	145	145	3	-	-	-
Davis	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	14
Garcia	30	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Gomes	27	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Harrison	-	-	-	32	30	11	6	5	4	3
Kemp	-	-	-	82	46	-	1	49	37	-
Laureano	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75	75	8
Lowrie	-	-	-	71	69	1	-	-	-	8
Machin	-	-	-	3	3	2	1	6	6	-
Marte	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	51	51	-
Moreland	-	-	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	60
Murphy	108	101	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Olson	-	-	146	146	-	-	-	-	-	3
Pinder	-	-	-	7	5	5	3	7	4	17
Piscotty	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33
Schwindel	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	68
Tom	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50
Wilson	-	-	-	3	2	1	-	-	-	4

HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

Player	2021 HOME RUNS				Tot.	LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN				GP Since
	Solo	2R	3R	GS		Date	Opponent	Pitcher		
Andrus	3	0	0	0	3	August 11, 2021	at Cleveland	Sandlin	35	
Bolt	1	0	0	0	1	June 12, 2021	Kansas City	Davis	16	
Brown	11	5	0	0	16	August 18, 2021	at Chicago (AL)	Lynn	14	
Canha	12	4	1	0	17	September 11, 2021	Texas	Benjamin	13	
Chapman	23	3	1	0	27	September 22, 2021	Seattle	Flexen	3	
Davis	0	0	0	0	0	June 3, 2021	at Colorado	Sheffield	17	
Gomes	3	1	1	0	5	September 19, 2021	at Los Angeles (AL)	Ohtani	4	
Harrison	1	1	0	0	2	August 26, 2021	New York (AL)	Abreu	27	
Kemp	2	3	1	0	6	September 3, 2021	at Toronto	Manoah	17	
Lowrie	9	1	4	0	14	September 2, 2021	at Detroit	Manning	17	
Machin	0	0	0	0	0	—	—	—	35	
Marte	4	0	1	0	5	September 21, 2021	Seattle	Gonzales	4	
Moreland	7	3	0	0	10	August 14, 2021	at Texas	Lyles	8	
Murphy	13	4	0	0	17	September 23, 2021	Seattle	Ramirez	1	
Olson	27	7	3	1	38	September 23, 2021	Seattle	Sewald	2	
Pinder	1	1	1	1	4	September 24, 2021	Houston	Raley	1	
Piscotty	2	3	0	0	5	July 10, 2021	at Texas	Patton	15	
others	11	6	1	0	18					
Team	131	42	14	2	189					

MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs
Canha	Home Runs	89	11 for 100
Harrison	Doubles	196	4 for 200
Lowrie	Games at 2B w/A's	449	3 for 452 (ties Mike Gallego for 4th in Oakland history)
	Doubles	287	13 for 300
	Doubles w/A's	200	1 for 201 (ties Carney Lansford for 9th in Oakland history)
	Walks	488	12 for 500
Moreland	Home Runs	186	14 for 200
Romo	Games	795	5 for 800

WALK-OFF WINS (11)

Mitch Moreland, April 7 vs. Los Angeles-NL (single)
 Mitch Moreland, April 18 vs. Detroit (single)
 Ramón Laureano, April 21 vs. Minnesota (E5, no RBI)
 Seth Brown, May 7 vs. Tampa Bay (home run)
 Ramón Laureano, May 18 vs. Houston (sacrifice fly)
 Elvis Andrus, June 11 vs. Kansas City (single)
 Tony Kemp, July 3 vs. Boston (sacrifice fly)
 Jed Lowrie, July 16 vs. Cleveland (home run)
 Matt Olson, August 4 vs. San Diego (double)
 Starling Marte, August 6 vs. Texas (home run)
 Starling Marte, Sept. 25 vs. Houston (double)

A'S AT A GLANCE

Season High	67-48/68-49 (August 12/14)
Season Low	0-6/1-7 (April 6/8)
April	16-11
May	15-14
June	17-9
July	11-13
August	14-12
September	11-12
Home Series	10-12-4
Road Series	14-7-3
Series Sweeps	9-4
First Game of Series	27-23
Last Game of Series	29-20
A's Score First	59-30
Opponent Scores First	25-41
Leading After 7th	66-8
Leading After 8th	67-2
Tied After 7th	7-3
Tied After 8th	11-5
Trailing After 7th	9-60
Trailing After 8th	4-64
Commit No Errors	58-43
Commit 1 or More Errors	26-28
More HR Than Opp.	48-11
Fewer HR Than Opp.	13-39
Same Total HR of Opp.	23-21
Starter Pitches 7 or More	27-6
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	57-65
When Scoring 4 or More	66-24
When Scoring Less Than 4	17-47
Last At Bat	18-11
Replay Challenges	17-23
Different Lineups	148

INJURED LIST

Current Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Andrus	Fractured left fibula	September 26-present	0	Guduan	Strained right groin	May 26-June 7	11
Fiers	Sprained right elbow	May 7-present (eligible July 6)	125	Kaprielian	Right shoulder impingement	July 28-August 7	9
Jefferies	Right elbow ulnar neuritis	Sept. 15-present (eligible Sept. 25)	11	Laureano	Strained right hip	May 28-June 15	17
Lowrie	Sprained right hand	September 26-present	0	Luzardo	Fractured left hand	May 2-29	26
Moreland	Left wrist tendinitis	August 27-present (eligible September 6)	27	Montas	Positive Covid-19 test	Feb. 19-March 14	0
Piscotty	Sprained left wrist	August 21-present (eligible August 31)	32	Moreland	Inflamed costochondral junction, left rib	May 15-26	11
Rosenthal	Right shoulder inflammation	March 30-present (eligible May 29)	155	Moreland		July 4-15	7
Bassitt	Right facial fracture	August 18-Sept. 21	32	Pinder	Sprained left knee	April 5-May 13	35
Brown	Positive Covid-19 test	August 27-September 9	12	Pinder	Strained right hamstring	July 8-August 19	34
Canha	Strained left hip	June 25-July 15	16	Piscotty	Sprained left wrist	June 17-July 3	15
Fiers	Lumbar strain	March 29-April 25	22	Puk	Strained left biceps	April 6-May 27	47
Garcia	Viral enteritis	May 2-11	9	Smith	Strained right groin	April 4-May 7	31
Guduan	Sprained left thumb	April 6-19	11	Wendelken	Strained left oblique	May 2-June 28	52

The A's have used the injured list 26 times this season...used it eight times last year and 17 times in 2019.

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

June 5	Reymin Guduan sent to Las Vegas on a rehab assignment	July 26	Andrew Chafin acquired from the Chicago Cubs with cash considerations for Greg Deichmann and minor leaguer Daniel Palencia	Aug. 21	Stephen Piscotty placed on the 10-day injured list (sprained left wrist); Seth Brown recalled from Las Vegas
June 8	Reymin Guduan reinstated from the injured list and designated for assignment	July 27	Sam Moll optioned to Las Vegas	Aug. 27	Seth Brown placed on the injured list (positive Covid-19 test); Daulton Jefferies recalled from Las Vegas
June 10	Reymin Guduan outrighted to Las Vegas	July 28	Starling Marte acquired from the Miami Marlins with cash considerations for Jesús Luzardo	Aug. 31	Mitch Moreland placed on the injured list retroactive to Aug. 27 (left wrist tendinitis); Skye Bolt recalled from Las Vegas
June 16	Ramón Laureano reinstated from the injured list; Skye Bolt optioned to Las Vegas	July 29	Jacob Wilson optioned to Las Vegas	Sept. 1	Khristian Davis selected from Las Vegas; Austin Allen recalled from Las Vegas
June 17	J.B. Wendelken sent to Las Vegas on a rehab assignment	July 30	Yan Gomes and Josh Harrison acquired from the Washington Nationals with cash for minor leaguers Richard Guasch, Drew Millas and Seth Shuman; Domingo Acevedo and Jacob Wilson designated for assignment	Sept. 3	Frankie Montas placed on the restricted list; Sam Moll recalled from Las Vegas
June 19	Stephen Piscotty placed on the 10-day injured list retroactive to June 17 (sprained left wrist); Skye Bolt recalled from Las Vegas	July 31	James Kaprielian placed on the 10-day injured list retroactive to July 28 (right shoulder impingement); Aramis Garcia optioned to Las Vegas	Sept. 7	Frankie Montas reinstated from the restricted list; Sam Moll optioned to Las Vegas
June 21	Jesús Luzardo optioned to Las Vegas; Domingo Acevedo selected from Las Vegas	Aug. 1	Daulton Jefferies recalled from Las Vegas; Seth Brown optioned to Las Vegas	Sept. 8	Miguel Romero recalled from Las Vegas; A.J. Puk optioned to Las Vegas
June 25	Mark Canha placed on the 10-day injured list (strained left hip); Vimal Machin recalled from Las Vegas	Aug. 2	Jacob Wilson claimed off waivers by the Houston Astros; Domingo Acevedo released	Sept. 9	Seth Brown sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment
June 29	J.B. Wendelken reinstated from the injured list; Frank Schwindel selected from Las Vegas; Vimal Machin optioned to Las Vegas; Cam Bedrosian designated for assignment	Aug. 6	Ramón Laureano suspended for 80 games for violating Major League Baseball's Joint Drug Prevention and Treatment Program; Seth Brown recalled from Las Vegas	Sept. 10	Seth Brown reinstated from the injured list; Austin Allen optioned to Las Vegas
July 2	Cam Bedrosian elected free agency	Aug. 8	James Kaprielian reinstated from the injured list; Daulton Jefferies optioned to Las Vegas	Sept. 12	Domingo Acevedo selected from Las Vegas; Burch Smith designated for assignment
July 3	Sam Moll selected from Las Vegas; Domingo Acevedo optioned to Las Vegas; Jordan Weems designated for assignment; Stephen Piscotty sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment	Aug. 10	A.J. Puk recalled from Las Vegas; J.B. Wendelken designated for assignment	Sept. 14	Mike Fiers sent to Las Vegas on a rehab assignment
July 4	Mitch Moreland placed on the injured list; Stephen Piscotty reinstated from the injured list	Aug. 11	J.B. Wendelken claimed off waivers by Arizona	Sept. 16	Burch Smith outrighted to Las Vegas
July 5	Jordan Weems claimed off waivers by Arizona	Aug. 14	Elvis Andrus placed on paternity list; Vimal Machin recalled from Las Vegas	Sept. 18	Sam Moll recalled from Las Vegas; Daulton Jefferies placed on the 10-day injured list retroactive to Sept. 15 with right elbow ulnar neuritis
July 8	Chad Pinder placed on the 10-day injured list (strained right hamstring); Jacob Wilson selected from Las Vegas	Aug. 15	Chad Pinder sent to Las Vegas on a rehab assignment	Sept. 20	Michael Feliz claimed off waivers from Boston; Aramis Garcia designated for assignment
July 12	Frank Schwindel optioned to Las Vegas	Aug. 17	Elvis Andrus reinstated from paternity list; Vimal Machin optioned to Las Vegas	Sept. 21	Miguel Romero optioned to Las Vegas
July 16	Mitch Moreland reinstated from the injured list; Frank Schwindel designated for assignment	Aug. 18	Chris Bassitt placed on the 10-day injured list (right facial fracture); Paul Blackburn selected from Las Vegas	Sept. 22	Aramis Garcia released
July 17	Mark Canha reinstated from the injured list; Skye Bolt optioned to Las Vegas	Aug. 20	Chad Pinder reinstated from the injured list; Seth Brown optioned to Las Vegas	Sept. 23	Chris Bassitt reinstated from the injured list; Sam Moll placed on the paternity list
July 18	Frank Schwindel claimed off waivers by the Chicago Cubs			Sept. 26	Elvis Andrus placed on the 10-day injured list (fractured left fibula); Jed Lowrie placed on the 10-day injured list (sprained right hand); Sam Moll reinstated from the paternity list; Vimal Machin recalled from Las Vegas

2021 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

DATE	G	OPP	W-L	SCORE	REC	POS	GA/LEADER		WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	CUM.	
							GB	AND LEAD				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	Raley	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)													
4/8	8	at HOU	L	2-6	1-7	5	-5½	HOU	1 Javier	Irvin		21,765	21,765
4/9	9	at HOU	W	6-2	2-7	5	-4½	HOU/LAA	– Petit	Abreu		21,768	43,533
4/10	10	at HOU	W	7-3	3-7	5	-3½	HOU/LAA	– Montas	Urquidy		21,760	65,293
4/11	OFF DAY					5	-3½	HOU/LAA	–				
4/12	11	at ARI	W	9-5	4-7	4	-3½	LAA	1 Bassitt	Bumgarner		8,768	74,061
4/13	12	at ARI	W	7-5	5-7	4	-2½	LAA	1 Petit	Swarzak	Trivino	7,010	81,071
(5 dates)													
4/14	OFF DAY					t4	-2	LAA	½				
4/15	13	DET	W	8-4	6-7	t4	-2	SEA	½ Manaea	Skubal		3,004	51,649
4/16	14	DET	W	3-0	7-7	3	-2	SEA	½ Montas	Ureña	Trivino	4,538	56,187
4/17	15	DET	W	7-0	8-7	3	-1	LAA/SEA	– Irvin	Mize		6,931	63,118
4/18	16	DET	W	3-2	9-7	3	-1	SEA	½ Trivino	Soto		6,917	70,035
4/19	MIN PPD, Twins Covid-19					t2	-1½	SEA	1½				
4/20	17	MIN (1)	W	7-0 (7)	10-7				MANAEA	Shoemaker			
4/20	18	MIN (2)	W	1-0 (7)	11-7				LUZARDO	Berrios		3,322	73,357
4/21	19	MIN	W	13-12 (10)	12-7	1	+½	OAK	½ Guerra	Colome		3,405	76,762
(13 dates)													
4/22	OFF DAY					t1	–	OAK/SEA	–				
4/23	20	at BAL	W	3-1	13-7	1	+1	OAK	1 Irvin	López	Diekman	7,574	88,645
4/24	21	at BAL	W	7-2	14-7	1	+1	OAK	1 Bassitt	LeBlanc		7,616	96,261
4/25	22	at BAL	L	1-8	14-8	1	+1	OAK	1 Means	Luzardo		8,107	104,368
4/26	23	at TB	W	2-1	15-8	1	+2	OAK	2 Manaea	Hill	Trivino	2,981	107,349
4/27	24	at TB	L	3-4	15-9	1	+2	OAK	2 Springs	Montas	Castillo	2,924	110,273
4/28	25	at TB	L	0-2	15-10	1	+1½	OAK	1½ Glasnow	Irvin	Castillo	3,374	113,647
4/29	26	at TB	W	3-2	16-10	1	+2	OAK	2 Diekman	Castillo	Trivino	3,737	117,384
(12 dates)													
4/30	27	BAL	L	2-3	16-11	1	+1	OAK	1 Means	Fiers	Valdez	5,777	82,539
5/1	28	BAL	L	4-8	16-12	1	+½	OAK	½ Harvey	Luzardo		6,469	89,008
5/2	29	BAL	W	7-5	17-12	1	+1	OAK	1 Petit	Lakins	Trivino	5,862	94,870
5/3	30	TOR	W	5-4	18-12	1	+2	OAK	2 Montas	Matz	Diekman	2,944	97,814
5/4	31	TOR	W	4-1	19-12	1	+2	OAK	2 Irvin	Kay	Petit	2,970	100,784
5/5	32	TOR	L	4-9	19-13	1	+2	OAK	2 Romano	Trivino		2,893	103,677
5/6	33	TOR	L	4-10	19-14	1	+1½	OAK	1½ Ryu	Fiers		3,611	107,288
5/7	34	TB	W	2-1	20-14	1	+1½	OAK	1½ Diekman	Springs		5,058	112,346
5/8	35	TB	W	6-3	21-14	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Montas	Glasnow	Trivino	7,707	120,053
5/9	36	TB	L	3-4	21-15	1	+2	OAK	2 Springs	Irvin	Kittredge	6,911	126,964
(23 dates)													
5/10	OFF DAY					1	+2½	OAK	2½				
5/11	37	at BOS	W	3-2	22-15	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Bassitt	Hernandez	Diekman	9,264	126,648
5/12	38	at BOS	W	4-1	23-15	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Kaprielian	Rodriguez	Diekman	9,272	135,920
5/13	39	at BOS	L	1-8	23-16	1	+1½	OAK	1½ Richards	Manaea	Whitlock	9,301	145,221
5/14	40	at MIN	W	6-1	24-16	1	+1½	OAK	1½ Montas	Shoemaker		9,778	154,999
5/15	41	at MIN	L	4-5	24-17	1	+½	OAK	½ Colomé	Diekman	Robles	12,212	167,211
5/16	42	at MIN	W	7-6	25-17	1	+½	OAK	½ Trivino	Rogers		10,270	177,481
(18 dates)													
5/17	OFF DAY					1	+½	OAK	½				
5/18	43	HOU	W	6-5	26-17	1	+1½	OAK	1½ Petit	Abreu		4,838	131,802
5/19	44	HOU	L	1-8	26-18	1	+½	OAK	½ Greinke	Montas		3,925	135,727
5/20	45	HOU	L	4-8	26-19	2	-½	HOU	½ Garcia	Irvin		4,562	140,289
(26 dates)													
5/21	46	at LAA	W	8-4	27-19	1	+½	OAK	½ Petit	Mayers		14,624	192,105
5/22	47	at LAA	W	6-2	28-19	1	+1½	OAK	1½ Bassitt	Sandoval		15,151	207,256
5/23	48	at LAA	L	5-6	28-20	1	+1½	OAK	1½ Iglesias	Guerra		15,154	222,410
(21 dates)													
5/24	49	SEA	L	2-4	28-21	1	+1	OAK	1 Kikuchi	Montas	Middleton	3,019	143,308
5/25	50	SEA	L	3-4	28-22	1	+1	OAK	1 Sewald	Irvin	Montero	2,865	146,173
5/26	51	SEA	W	6-3	29-22	1	+1	OAK	1 Kaprielian	Dugger	Diekman	3,571	149,744
5/27	52	LAA	W	5-0	30-22	1	+1½	OAK	1½ BASSITT	Slegers		5,487	155,231
5/28	53	LAA	W	3-1	31-22	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Petit	Ohtani	Trivino	8,757	163,988
5/29	54	LAA	L	0-4	31-23	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Cobb	Montas		9,433	173,421
5/30	55	LAA	L	2-4	31-24	1	+1½	OAK	1½ Suarez	Irvin	Iglesias	10,029	183,450
(33 dates)													
5/31	56	at SEA	L	5-6 (10)	31-25	1	+½	OAK	½ Zamora	Trivino		11,112	233,522
6/1	57	at SEA	W	12-6	32-25	1	+½	OAK	½ Luzardo	Sewald		10,260	242,682
6/2	58	at SEA	W	6-0	33-25	1	+½	OAK	½ MANAEA	Flexen		9,588	252,270
6/3	OFF DAY					1	+1	OAK	1				
6/4	59	at COL	W	9-5	34-25	1	+1	OAK	1 Montas	Gray		26,790	279,060
6/5	60	at COL	W	6-3	35-25	1	+2	OAK	2 Irvin	Freeland	Trivino	27,459	306,519
6/6	61	at COL	L	1-3	35-26	1	+1	OAK	1 Marquez	Kaprielian	Bard	23,716	330,235
(27 dates)													
6/7	OFF DAY					1	+1	OAK	1				
6/8	62	ARI	W	5-2	36-26	1	+1	OAK	1 Bassitt	Duplantier	Trivino	3,695	187,145
6/9	63	ARI	W	4-0	37-26	1	+1	OAK	1 Manaea	Peacock		4,090	191,235
6/10	64	KC	L	1-6	37-27	1	+1	OAK	1 Minor	Montas		3,211	194,446
6/11	65	KC	W	4-3	38-27	1	+1	OAK	1 Trivino	Barlow		6,964	201,410
6/12	66	KC	W	11-2	39-27	1	+2	OAK	2 Kaprielian	Kowar		7,678	209,088
6/13	67	KC	W	6-3	40-27	1	+2	OAK	2 Bassitt	Bubic	Trivino	7,060	216,148
6/14	68	LAA	W	8-5	41-27	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Manaea	Hundy	Trivino	4,102	220,250
6/15	69	LAA	W	6-4	42-27	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Montas	Heaney	Petit	4,942	225,192
6/16	70	LAA	W	8-4	43-27	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Smith	Watson		6,228	231,420
(42 dates)													
6/17	OFF DAY					1	+2	OAK	2				
6/18	71	at NYY	W	5-3	44-27	1	+2	OAK	2 Kaprielian	Peralta	Trivino	24,037	354,272
6/19	72	at NYY	L	5-7	44-28	1	+1	OAK	1 Green	Luzardo	Chapman	23,985	378,257
6/20	73	at NYY	L	1-2	44-29	t1	–	OAK/HOU	– Loisiga	Manaea	Chapman	27,807	406,064
6/21	74	at TEX	L	3-8	44-30	2	-1	HOU	1 Gibson	Montas		20,259	426,323
6/22	75	at TEX	W	13-6	45-30	2	-1	HOU	1 Irvin	Hearn		19,185	445,508
6/23	76	at TEX	L	3-5	45-31	2	-2	HOU	2 Martin	Ptít	Rodriguez	21,829	467,337
6/24	77	at TEX	W	5-1	46-31	2	-2	HOU	2 Bassitt	Allard		20,432	487,769
6/25	78	at SF	L	0-2	46-32	2	-2½	HOU	2½ Cueto	Manaea	McGee	36,928	524,697
6/26	79	at SF	L	5-6 (10)	46-33	2	-3	HOU	3 McGee	Smith		33,168	557,865
6/27	80	at SF	W	6-2	47-33	2	-2	HOU	2 Irvin	Long		35,920	593,785
(37 dates)													

DATE	G	OPP	W-L	SCORE	REC	POS	GA/LEADER		WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	CUM.	
							GB	AND LEAD				ATT.	ATT.
6/28	OFF DAY					2	-1½	HOU	1½				
6/29	81	TEX	L	4-5	47-34	2	-1½	HOU	1½ Foltyniewicz	Kaprielian	Kennedy	4,739	236,159
6/30	82	TEX	W	3-1	48-34	2	-½	HOU	½ Bassitt	Allard	Trivino	4,320	240,479
7/1	83	TEX	L	3-8	48-35	2	-1½	HOU	1½ King	Manaea		5,182	245,661
7/2	84</												