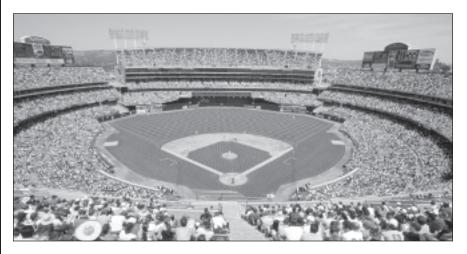
MISCELLANEOUS



Phoenix Municipal Stadium, the A's Spring Training home

OAKLAND-ALAMEDA COUNTY COLISEUM



The Oakland-Alameda County Coliseum plays host to concerts, conventions and other large gatherings in addition to serving as the home for the Oakland Athletics and Oakland Raiders.

The A's have used the facility to its advantage over the years, posting the second best home record (492-318, .607) in the Major Leagues over the last 10 seasons. In 2003, the A's set an Oakland record for home wins as they finished with a 57-24 (.704) record in the Coliseum, marking the most home wins in franchise history since 1931 when the Philadelphia Athletics went 60-15 at home. In addition, two of the A's World Championships have been clinched on the Coliseum's turf. The Coliseum's exceptional sight lines, fine weather and sizable staging areas have all contributed to its popularity among performers, promoters and the Bay Area public.

The facility is conveniently located adjacent to I-880 with two exits (Hegenberger Road/66th Avenue) leading directly to the complex. Along with the Oracle Arena, which is located adjacently, it is the only major entertainment facility with a dedicated stop on the Bay Area Rapid Transit (BART) system. The Oakland International Airport is less than a two-mile drive from the Coliseum with shuttle service to several local hotels and restaurants.

In October of 1995, the Coliseum began a one-year, \$120 renovation project that added 22,000 new seats, 90 luxury suites, two private clubs and two state-of-the-art scoreboards.

The first crowd filled the Oakland-Alameda County Coliseum on Sept. 8, 1966, when the AFL's Oakland Raiders played the Kansas City Chiefs. The adjacent arena celebrated its grand opening on Nov. 9, 1966, when the Oakland Seals met the San Diego Gulls in hockey. In the ensuing 42 years, the facility has hosted every conceivable event in the entertainment industry. Audiences numbering nearly 100 million have made the Coliseum and Arena the premier entertainment facilities in Northern California.

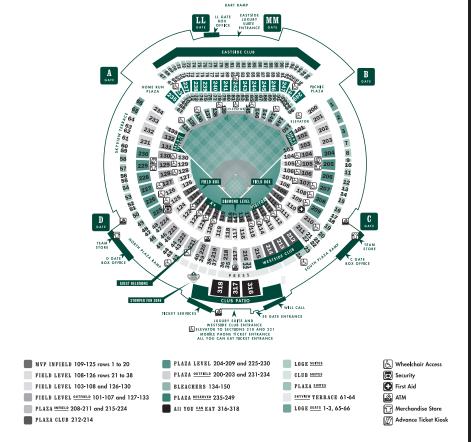
The Coliseum is currently one of only three stadiums in the country that houses both a MLB and NFL team, the others being the Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome in Minneapolis, Minn. (Twins and Vikings) and the Dolphin Stadium in Miami, Fla. (Marlins and Dolphins).

OAKLAND-ALAMEDA COUNTY COLISEUM QUICK FACTS

Location: Adjacent to 880 freeway between Hegenberger Road and 66th Avenue Seating Capacities: 35,067 (baseball); 63,024 (football); 70,000 (concerts) Parking Capacity: 8500 slots Ground Breaking: April 15, 1964 First Event: Oakland Raiders vs. Kansas City Chiefs, Sept. 8, 1966 First Baseball Game: Oakland A's vs. Baltimore Orioles, Apr. 17, 1968 Complex Area: 120 acres Surface: Natural Grass Elevation: 22' below sea level

STADIUM DIMENSIONS

Left Field Line: 330 feet Straight Away Left Field: 367 feet Left Center Field: 362 Left Center Power Alley: 388 feet Straight Away Center Field: 400 feet Right Field Line: 330 feet Straight Away Right Field: 367 feet Right Center Field: 362 feet Right Center Power Alley: 388 feet Height of Wall: 8 feet down the lines and to center field; 15 feet in the alleys Distance Between First and Third Base to Bullpen Mounds: 100 feet Distance Between First and Third Base to Middle of Dugouts: 75 feet



OAKLAND-ALAMEDA COUNTY COLISEUM BATTING PRACTICE SCHEDULE

	12:35 Game Time	1:05 Game Time	5:05 Game Time	6:05 Game Time	7:05 Game Time	7:35 Game Time
Auto Gates Oper	n 10:00	10:30	2:30	3:30	4:30	5:00
A's Hit	Until 11:10	Until 11:40	Until 3:40	Until 4:40	Until 5:40	Until 6:10
Visitors Hit	11:10 - 11:50	11:40 - 12:20	3:40-4:20	4:40-5:20	5:40 - 6:20	6:10 - 6:50
A's Infield	11:50 am - Noon	12:20 - 12:30	4:20-4:30	5:20-5:30	6:20 - 6:30	6:50 - 7:00
Visitors Infield	Noon - 12:10	12:30 - 12:40	4:30-4:40	5:30-5:40	6:30 - 6:40	7:00 – 7:10

OAKLAND-ALAMEDA COUNTY COLISEUM GROUND RULES

Diamond Level

Field Box....

BBQ Terrace

MVP Box....

Plaza Club

Fly ball striking foul poles and/or screen above fence	Home Run
Ball sticking or going behind fence padding in right or left field.	Two Bases
Ball going into bullpen bench and rebounding on to playing field	In Play
Ball remaining on or under bullpen bench	Two Bases
Ball hitting any portion of the fence or screen in back of home plate	In Play

OAKLAND-ALAMEDA COUNTY COLISEUM TICKET PRICES

\$225 Field Infield \$35 \$95 Lower Box \$30 \$50 Field Level \$26 \$48 Plaza Infield \$30 \$40 Plaza Level \$24	Bleacher\$13 Plaza Reserved\$9 All-You-Can-Eat Seats\$35
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YEARLY ATTENDANCE TOTALS

	Home	Total Home	Home	Single Game	Road	Total Road	Road
Year	Dates	Attendance	Average		Dates	Attendance	Average
1968	78	837,466	10,737	47,233, Apr. 17 vs. BAL	68	960,210	14,121
1969	72	778,232	10,809	35,243, May 10 vs. NY	71	992,124	13,974
1970	77	778,355	10,109	48,758, June 6 vs. DET	73	971,568	13,309
1971	73	914,993	12,534	42,970, May 22 vs. MIN	70	1,222,741	17,468
1972	70	921,323	13,162	47,741, June 12 vs. BAL	71	1,115,553	15,712
1973	79	1,000,763	12,668	47,570, Sept. 10 vs. KC	75	1,382,250	18,430
1974	76	845,693	11,128	47,570, July 8 vs. CLE	77	1,526,630	19,826
1975	77	1,075,518	13,968	46,378, Aug. 11 vs. BOS	72	1,436,383	19,950
1976	79	780,593	9,881	42,592, July 24 vs. KC	74	1,392,109	18,812
1977	72	495,412	6,881	32,346, May 16 vs. NY	75	1,195,138	15,935
1978	72	526,999	7,319	36,463, June 5 vs. BOS	76	1,381,142	18,173
1979	77	306,763	3,984	19,538, July 6 vs. NY	80	1,393,196	17,415
1980	75	842,259	11,230	49,300, Aug. 25 vs. NY	78	1,572,926	20,166
1981	51	1,311,761	25,721	48,592, May 3 vs. NY	51	1,105,337	21,673
1982	78	1,735,489	22,250	48,348, Apr. 6 vs. CAL	78	1,709,054	21,911
1983	77	1,294,941	16,817	45,413, July 4 vs. TEX	76	1,557,202	20,490
1984	79	1,353,281	17,130	46,238, May 28 vs. DET	79	1,565,597	19,818
1985	77	1,334,599	17,332	46,770, July 4 vs. TOR	80	1,666,480	20,831
1986	79	1,314,646	16,641	44,726, Apr. 8 vs. MIN	78	1,614,837	20,703
1987	80	1,678,921	20,987	46,120, Apr. 10 vs. CAL	81	1,930,731	23,836
1988	79	2,287,335	28,954	45,333, Apr. 4 vs. SEA	80	2,251,515	28,144
1989	81	2,667,225	32,929	46,163, Apr. 3 vs. SEA	80	2,283,228	28,540
1990	80	2,900,217	36,253	45,207, Apr. 9 vs. MIN	79	2,597,920	32,885
1991	81	2,713,493	33,500	44,595, June 9 vs. BOS	80	2,636,157	32,952
1992	81	2,494,160	30,792	44,078, Apr. 6 vs. KC	81	2,438,292	30,102
1993	79	2,035,025	25,760	43,627, July 4 vs. NY	79	2,326,919	29,455
1994	56	1,242,692	22,191	44,501, Aug. 7 vs. TEX	58	1,799,360	31,023
1995	71	1,174,310	16,540	42,596, July 3 vs. MIL	71	1,753,085	24,691
1996	80	1,148,380	14,355	36,129, July 5 vs. CAL	79	2,091,338	26,473
1997	79	1,264,218	16,003	50,792, Sept. 1 vs. SF	80	2,362,054	29,526
1998	79	1,232,339	15,599	48,241, Aug. 1 vs. CLE	81	2,331,755	28,787
1999	81	1,434,610	17,711	51,263, July 17 vs. SF	80	2,238,111	27,976
2000	81	1,728,886	21,344	54,268, July 8 vs. ARZ	80	2,466,594	30,832
2001	81	2,133,277	26,337	51,838, July 3 vs. ANA	80	2,266,814	28,335
2002	81	2,169,811	26,788	55,528, Sept. 4 vs. KC	81	2,416,196	29,830
2003	81	2,216,596	27,365	55,601, July 5 vs. Anaheim	80	2,151,375	26,892
2004	81	2,201,516	27,179	55,989, June 26 vs. San Franciso	co 81	2,585,067	31,914
2005	81	2,109,118	26,038	47,385, August 13 vs. Minnesota	ı 81	2,420,496	29,883
2006	81	1,976,625	24,403	35,077, nine times	80	2,575,336	32,192
2007	81	1,921,834	23,726	35,077, nine times	81	2,649,528	32,710
2008	81	1,665,256	20,559	44,735, March 26 vs. Boston*	79	2,365,526	29,943
Totals	3154	60,844,962	19,291		3134	76,697,874	24,473
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Yearly Average * Tokyo, Japan

RAINOUTS AT OAKLAND-ALAMEDA COUNTY COLISEUM

1972	vs. Minnesota, Sept. 25	1982	vs. Seattle, Apr. 10	1993	vs. Cleveland, Apr. 23
	vs. Minnesota, Sept. 26	1983	vs. Boston, Apr. 23		vs. Minnesota, May 27
	vs. Cincinnati, Oct. 17		vs. Detroit, Apr. 30	1996	vs. Baltimore, May 15
1978	vs. California, Apr. 15		vs. Chicago, Sept. 30	1997	vs. Boston, Aug. 19
	vs. Minnesota, Apr. 24	1988	vs. Cleveland, May 6	1998	vs. New York, Apr. 3
1979	vs. New York, Apr. 26	1990	vs. Cleveland, May 27		vs. Detroit, May 5

SHORTENED GAMES IN OAKLAND

1968	vs. Detroit,	May 24	(called	after	7 innings	tied	at 2	-2)

- 1971 vs. Kansas City, Apr. 9 (called after top of the 6th; A's won 5-0)
- 1999 vs. New York, Apr. 5 (called after 8 innings; A's won 5-3)
- 2002 vs. Seattle, Apr. 16 (called after top of the 7th; A's lost 6-2)
- 2005 vs. Texas, May 4 (called after top of the 9th; A's lost 16-7)

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ALL-TIME OAKLAND ATTENDANCE RECORDS

Season	Total	
	Home	
	Road	
	Homestand	
	Homestand Avg.	
	Road Trip	
	Home vs. One Club	
	Road vs. One Club	
	Home Sellouts	
Single Game		
	0	
Doubleheader		
Doubleneader		
	0	
Season Opener		
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Three Date Series		
Four Date Series		
	Road	

TOP 10 A'S REGULAR SEASON CROWDS IN OAKLAND

Attend.	Opponent	Date	Day	W-L
55,989	San Francisco	June 26, 2004	Saturday-N	W
55,601	Anaheim	July 5, 2003	Saturday-N	L
55,528	Kansas City	Sept. 4, 2002	Wednesday-N	W
55,413	San Francisco	June 22, 2003	Sunday-D	W
54,513	New York	Apr. 24, 2002	Wednesday-N	ΙL
54,268	Arizona	July 8, 2000	Saturday-N	W
54,123	San Francisco	June 30, 2002	Sunday-D	W
53,974	San Francisco	June 27, 2004	Sunday-D	L
53,802	Kansas City	July 5, 2002	Friday-N	W
53,501	San Francisco	June 29, 2002	Saturday-D	L

ALL-TIME LARGEST COLISEUM BASEBALL CROWDS

Attend.	Opponent	Date	Day	W-L
55,989	San Francisco	June 26, 2004	_	W
55,861	New York	Oct. 13, 2001	ALDS, Game	3 L
55,601	Anaheim	July 5, 2003	Fireworks	L
55,528	Kansas City	Sept. 4, 2002	AL Record	
			20th straight	win W
55,413	San Francisco	June 22, 2003	_	W
54,513	New York	Apr. 24, 2002	_	L
54,268	Arizona	July 8, 2000	Fireworks	W
54,123	San Francisco	June 30, 2002	_	W
53,974	San Francisco	June 27, 2004	_	L
53,802	Kansas City	July 5, 2002	Fireworks	W

TOP 10 A'S REGULAR SEASON CROWDS ON THE ROAD

Attend.	Opponent	Date	Day	W-L
61,696	California	Aug. 11, 1989	Friday-N	W
60,326	California	Aug. 13, 1989	Sunday-D	L
58,963	California	Apr. 24, 1982	Saturday-N	L
56,717	New York	Apr. 10, 1998	Friday-D	L
56,710	New York	Apr. 11, 1997	Friday-D	W
56,535	Seattle	Sept. 20, 1996	Friday-N	L
56,103	Seattle	Sept. 21, 1996	Saturday-N	L
55,927	Seattle	Sept. 28, 1997	Sunday-D	W
55,588	Seattle	Sept. 26, 1997	Friday-N	W
55,034	New York	May 30, 1987	Sunday-D	L

ALL-TIME LARGEST CROWDS ON THE ROAD

Attend.	Opponent	Date	Day	W-L
62,038	San Francisco	Oct. 27, 1989	World Series,	
			Game 3	W
62,032	San Francisco	Oct. 28, 1989	World Series,	
			Game 4	W
61,696	California	Aug. 11, 1989	_	W
60,326	California	Aug. 13, 1989	_	L
58,963	California	Apr. 24, 1982	_	L
56,915	New York	Oct. 7, 2000	ALDS, Game	4 W
56,717	New York	Apr. 10, 1998	_	L
56,710	New York	Apr. 11, 1997	_	W
56,697	New York	Oct. 10, 2001	ALDS, Game	1 W
56,684	New York	Oct. 11, 2001	ALDS, Game 2	2 W

TOP REGULAR SEASON CROWDS VS. CLUBS

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Attendance	Date
54,268	. July 8, 2000
35,618	. June 11, 2003
47,741	. June 12, 1972
50,863	. Aug. 8, 2001
45,712	. July 2, 2005
29,601	. June 9, 2004
48,241	. Aug. 1, 1998
25,333	. June 15, 1997
53,498	. Apr. 3, 2000
22,461	. June 22, 2008
35,065	. June 9, 2002
55,528	. Sept. 4, 2002
55,601	. July 5, 2003
35,163	. July 14, 2001
45,398	. Apr. 3, 1984
47,385	. Aug. 13, 2005
31,024	. June 15, 2003
54,513	. Apr. 24, 2002
27,598	. June 15, 2005
30,619	. June 19, 2005
34,328	. June 13, 2004
40,374	. July 2, 1998
55,989	
46,786	. Apr. 17, 1981
35,077	
45,606	
46,770	. July 4, 1985
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Home

	Road	
Club	Attendance	Date
Arizona	36,976	July 7, 2001
Atlanta	38,324	May 17, 2008
Baltimore	50,071	July 27, 1991
Boston	37,838	August 2, 2008
Chicago	43,297	June 16, 1990
Chicago-NL	40,145	June 20, 2004
Cincinnati	27,246	June 22, 2002
Cleveland	49,989	July 7, 1990
Colorado	48,308	Aug. 30, 1997
Detroit	53,565	July 25, 1971
Florida	10,215	June 4, 2003
Houston	42,024	June 14, 2007
Kansas City	41,329	Sept. 21, 1980
Los Angeles-AL	61,696	Aug. 11, 1989
Los Angeles-NL	51,392	Aug. 28, 1997
Milwaukee	54,987	Sept. 27, 1992
Minnesota	52,080	Aug. 17, 1991
New York	56,717	Apr. 10, 1998
New York-NL	52,920	June 23, 2007
Philadelphia	37,662	June 8, 2003
Pittsburgh	30,549	June 19, 2002
San Diego	39,874	June 28, 2006
San Francisco	47,719	July 3, 1997
Seattle	56,535	Sept. 20, 1996
St. Louis	33,866	June 15, 2004
Tampa Bay	35,325	July 26, 1998
Texas	50,708	July 31, 2004
Toronto	50,529	Sept. 8, 1993
Washington	28,741	June 8, 2005

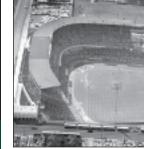
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ATHLETICS HOME BALL PARKS

2004



Columbia Park (1901-08) 29th and Columbia Street, Philadelphia, PA





Municipal Stadium (1955-67) 22nd Street and Brooklyn Ave., Kansas City, MO

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Shibe Park (1909-54) Lehigh Avenue and 21st Street, Philadelphia, PA Renamed Connie Mack Stadium prior to the 1953 season



Oakland-Alameda County Coliseum (1968-present) 66th Ave. and Hegenberger Road, Oakland, CA

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2009 ATHLETICS

MEDIA INFORMATION AND POLICIES

WORKING PRESS CREDENTIALS: Credentials will be issued only to legitimate media. Season credentials will be issued to those news agencies that cover the Athletics on a daily basis. Requests for daily credentials must be made by the affiliation's editor, producer or director on official company letterhead 24 hours in advance of the game. All credentials are non-transferable. All members of the media must be on assignment. No freelance journalists will be credentialed. Please submit all credential requests to Debbie Gallas, media services manager.

PHOTO CREDENTIALS: Photo passes will be issued to photographers on assignment from legitimate news gathering organizations and representatives licensed by Major League Baseball. The Oakland A's will not issue credentials to freelance photographers. Priority in all photo areas will be granted to news organizations on deadline. All photographs taken are to be used for news-gathering purposes or officially licensed products. Any other use of photographs will be considered a violation of existing trademark and copyright restrictions.

ON-LINE CREDENTIALING POLICY: Media credentials for on-line media services will be granted only to those agencies licensed by Major League Baseball (MLBAM, News Digital Media and ESPN Internet Ventures) to provide "real-time" accounts and descriptions of A's home games; or to those on-line services that are part of a national newsgathering agency; reach a broad audience; produces original content; has an established record of producing original content; and employ full-time journalists. This policy is encouraged by Major League Baseball and allows the Oakland Athletics to maintain quality control in the press box and clubhouses.

ROVING CAMERAS: Television cameras are prohibited from roving in the stands at all times. For the comfort of fans, interviews are to be conducted on the concourse and not in the stands while the game is in progress.

PRESS WILL CALL: Starting two-and-a-half hours before game time, credentials may be picked up at Press Will Call located on the Plaza Level between the Stadium and the Arena. Prior to that, credentials may be picked at the Ticket Services Office located in the Coliseum across the plaza from the A's executive offices.

CLUBHOUSES: The Athletics clubhouse is located on the third base side and the visitor's is located on the first base side. Access can be obtained by taking the press elevator to the first floor or through the door on the right near the end of the hall after you enter through the North Press Gate. Only credentialed media with clubhouse access will be admitted. TV cameras and photographers are not allowed in the clubhouse prior to the game and only TV cameras are permitted in the clubhouse following the game (no still photographers). The A's clubhouse is open to the media three and one-half hours prior to the game and then will close during the A's posted batting practice time. The clubhouse will open no earlier than five minutes or no later than 10 minutes following the game. At times, certain additional restrictions may be imposed. **Please do not lounge in the manager's office or in the clubhouse at any time**. The break area, the trainer's room and the umpire's dressing room are off limits to the media. If a comment or interpretation from the umpire crew chief is needed, a pool reporter may be assigned.

FIELD ACCESS: Only credentialed media with field access will be allowed onto the field. All media must clear the field immediately following batting practice. Only newspaper and magazine photographers will be allowed on the field level during the game.

POST-GAME PROCEDURES: In most cases, Manager Bob Geren will be available to the media in his office immediately after the A's clubhouse is opened after the game. Please ask any questions of the manager related to the game during this post-game session. Also, please be respectful of those members of the media who are on deadline when directing questions to the manager and players. **Once again, please do not lounge in the manager's office, the clubhouse or attempt to conduct full-length interviews after a game.**

OAKLAND-ALAMEDA COUNTY COLISEUM FIRSTS

Game: April 17, 1968 Final Score: Baltimore 4, Oakland 1 Winning Pitcher: Dave McNally Losing Pitcher: Lew Krausse Attendance: 47,233 First Victory: April 18, 1968 Final Score: Oakland 4, Baltimore 3 Winning Pitcher: Paul Lindblad Losing Pitcher: Gene Brabender Batter: Curt Blefary, Baltimore (walked by Lew Krausse)

- A's Batter: Bert Campaneris (popped out to second baseman Davey Johnson)
- Hit: Boog Powell (Home run off Lew Krausse, 2nd inning, Apr. 17)
- A's Hit: Rick Monday (Home run off Dave McNally, 6th inning, Apr. 17)
 Run: Boog Powell (Home run off Lew
- Krausse, 2nd inning, Apr. 17) **A's Run:** Rick Monday (Home run off Dave McNally, 6th inning, Apr. 17)
- Error: Bert Campaneris, SS (ball hit by Frank Robinson, 4th inning, Apr. 17)
- Pinch Hit: Tony La Russa (single off Dave McNally, 9th inning, Apr. 17)

Relief Pitcher: Diego Segui (relieved Lew Krausse in 6th inning, Apr. 17)

> MEDIA INFORMATION AND POLICIES continued

LIVE TRANSMISSIONS: Non-rightsholders are permitted to transmit live reports from Oakland-Alameda County Coliseum prior to and after every game. Live television shots by non-rightsholders are prohibited while the rightsholder is on the air and the game is in progress. Radio stations and assigned correspondents for out-of-town reports are allowed to give inning or half-inning updates. Reports must be confined to between-innings only, limited to 60 seconds in length, and limited to six per game. A violation of these Major League Baseball guidelines may result in the revocation of credentials.

CELLULAR PHONES: The use of cellular phones for radio interviews is prohibited on the field or in the clubhouse. All phone interviews must be arranged through the Athletics Public Relations Department.

SCOUTS: Major League scouts are not allowed to scout from the press box during the game. However, scouts are welcomed in the press box prior to first pitch to pick up game information.

PRESS BOX: The press box and all broadcast positions are located on the loge level. Access is by the press elevator only. The first base side of the press box is reserved for print media while the third base side is reserved for electronic media. The press box is a working area. Cheering and loud conversation will not be permitted. The Oakland A's prohibit any person under the age of 18 from entering the press box on game days without prior approval from the A's public relations department. **Guests are not allowed in the press box without prior approval from the A's Public Relations Department.**

PRESS LOUNGE: The press lounge is located behind Section 117 (second floor from the press elevator). It opens two hours prior to the game and closes at game time. The charge is \$10.00 and meal tickets are available for purchase in the lounge. Media members must be properly credentialed for admittance into the dining room.

PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICE: The Oakland Athletics Public Relations Office is located within the team's executive offices on the east side of the Coliseum Arena. The offices are located directly across the plaza from the Ticket Services Office.

PRESS BOX SERVICES: Game notes, statistics, starting lineups and other pertinent news releases from both teams are available on the first base side of the press box for working press and scouts only. Post-game notes and the game's box score will be available shortly after the conclusion of the game. Information guides for all clubs are available upon request from a member of the A's public relations staff in the press box.

AUTOGRAPH POLICY: Credentialed members of the media are prohibited from requesting autographs or equipment on the playing field, in the dugout or in the clubhouses. Any violation of this policy will result in immediate revocation of the credential and bar future use.

TELEPHONES, WIFI SERVICE: A total of six telephones, three credit card and three pay phones, are available in the main press box. Additional phone lines may be ordered by calling Doug Tsang of AT&T at (510) 334-4175. Additionally, complimentary WiFi service is available in the press box.

TICKETS: All requests for media complimentary tickets must be made to Debbie Gallas at least 48 hours prior to game time. When available, tickets may be picked up at Press Will Call. There is a limit of two tickets per game.

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ATHLETICS ON THE AIR

KEN KORACH

Radio Play-by-Play

Ken Korach, one of the most respected broadcasters in baseball today, enters his 14th year in the A's radio booth and his fourth as the team's lead play-by-play voice.

Prior to joining the A's in 1996, Korach served as a member of the Chicago White Sox broadcasting crew from 1992-95, working mostly weekend games. During the same period, he also handled broadcasting duties for the Las Vegas Stars of the Pacific Coast League and served as the Stars lead play-by-play voice from 1989-91.

In addition to his baseball work, Korach has 22 years of experience broadcasting college basketball and 14 years of college football experience. From 1985-92, he was the radio voice for San Jose State football and basketball games and later served as lead play-by-play announcer for UNLV basketball (1992-2004) and football (1992-95). He has been in the booth for two California Bowls, a pair of Las Vegas Bowls, the 1993 Peach Bowl and the 1994 Senior Bowl. The Associated Press' Radio and Television Association voted his 1986 broadcast of the San Jose State-Fresno State football game the best radio broadcast of the year for California and Nevada.

Korach began his baseball broadcasting career with the Redwood Pioneers of the California League, providing radio description in both 1981 and 1984. In 1985, he was hired by KCBS Radio as a part-time anchor and voice of San Jose State football. He also was a member of the Triple-A Phoenix Firebirds broadcast crew from 1986-87.

In 2001, Korach was named the Nevada Sportscaster of the Year by the National Sportswriters and Sportscasters Association in addition to being named the best two-sport broadcaster and among the "Best 100 People, Place and Things in Las Vegas" by Las Vegas Life Magazine. In 2003, he was inducted into the Nevada Broadcasters Hall of Fame.

A native of Los Angeles, Korach attended San Diego State and UC Santa Barbara, where he graduated with a degree in social sciences in 1975. Ken's wife, Denise, serves as the manager of baseball administration for the Toronto Blue Jay's Triple-A affiliate in Las Vegas, while his father formerly served as the head baseball coach at Verdugo Hills High School in Los Angeles and at Los Angeles Valley Community College.

Ken has also taken an active role in the community, initiating "Korach's Winning for the Community" program last year, which raised more than \$27,000 for Oakland Athletic League high school baseball programs to fund equipment, uniforms and field maintenance in its first year. Korach personally donated \$7,500 of the total, while the A's matched his donation and local businesses and individuals provided the remaining contribution.

In addition, Korach writes a regular newspaper column, entitled "Postcard from the Bigs," for the Las Vegas Sun.

Ken and Denise reside in Henderson, Nev. with their daughter, Emilee.

VINCE COTRONEO

Radio Play-by-Play

Vince Cotroneo begins his fourth season in the A's radio booth, where he again will work with broadcast partners Ken Korach and Ray Fosse in continuing the team's tradition of broadcasting excellence.

Prior to joining the A's, Cotroneo spent six seasons (1998-2003) as an announcer on the Texas Rangers broadcasts, where he partnered with Eric Nadel on the Rangers Radio Network. He also worked a handful of games on the television side during the

2002 season. Cotroneo joined the Rangers broadcast team in 1998 after spending seven seasons (1990-96) with the Houston Astros.

A 20-year broadcasting veteran, Cotroneo began his career with the Single-A Lynchburg Mets in 1984. He spent the next three seasons with the Double-A El Paso Diablos in the Milwaukee system before moving onto the Triple-A lowa Cubs for the 1988 season. In his only season with Iowa, he was selected as the National Association's Minor League Announcer of the Year. Cotroneo joined the Astros organization the following season and was the radio voice of the Tucson Toros for two seasons (1989-90) before landing his first Major League job with the Astros in 1991.

A 1983 graduate of the University of Central Florida, Cotroneo and his wife, Veronica, have three children, Dominic, Olivia and Sophia.





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RAY FOSSE

Radio and Television Analyst

Ray Fosse, former two-time major league all-star catcher and Emmy Award-winning broadcaster, begins his 24th consecutive season on radio and his 21st season in the television booth as the A's game analyst.

Fosse, a 12-year major league veteran, played for the Cleveland Indians, Oakland A's, Seattle Mariners and Milwaukee Brewers, compiling a .256 batting average with 61 home runs. A native of Marion, III., Fosse attended Southern Illinois University, and was

Cleveland's No. 1 draft pick in 1965. He made his major league debut with the Tribe in 1967 and spent the next six seasons in Cleveland. Fosse enjoyed his most productive season in 1970 when he batted .307 with a career-high 18 home runs and 61 RBI. He was named the American League All-Star catcher, received the Rawlings Gold Glove as the best defensive catcher in the American League, and was voted Co-Man of the Year with Sam McDowell that season.

In 1971, Fosse was named starting catcher for the American League All-Star Team and received his second Rawlings Gold Glove. He was traded to the Oakland A's in 1973, and played for the 1973 and 1974 World Champions in Oakland. In 2002, Fosse was voted one of the 100 greatest players in Cleveland Indians' history.

Ray and his wife, Carol, were married April 4, 1970, and reside in California and Arizona, where they are active in several charitable organizations. They have two daughters, Nikki and Lindsey, and one grandson, Matthew.

GLEN KUIPER

Television Play-by-Play

Glen Kuiper begins his sixth season in the A's television booth as the club's lead play-by-play voice.

Kuiper has covered the Bay Area baseball scene for Comcast SportsNet since 1992, serving as pre-game host and fill-in play-by-play announcer for both A's and Giants telecasts. He has also worked on Comcast SportsNet's Golden State Warrior and San Jose Sharks telecasts, along with numerous collegiate assignments. He has also

handled sideline reporting duties for select National Football League games on Fox. Kuiper has won seven Northern California Emmy Awards for his coverage of Bay Area Sports teams.

Glen is the youngest brother in a talented broadcasting family. His oldest brother, Duane, is a longtime member of the San Francisco Giants announcing team while older brother, Jeff, produces the Giants Comcast SportsNet Bay Area telecasts.

Kuiper graduated from San Francisco State University with a bachelor's degree in broadcasting. He also attended the University of New Orleans and spent three years in the minor leagues. A native of Racine, Wis., Kuiper resides in Danville, Calif. with his wife, Amanda and two children, Jack and Annette.

ROBERT BUAN

Host, Extra Innings

Robert Buan returns for his 10th season as the host of the A's "Extra Innings" postgame show after taking over the duties on a full-time basis in August of 2000. In addition to his on-air responsibilities, he also holds the position of broadcasting manager in the A's front office, where he has been employed since the 1995 season.

Buan has been a fixture on the A's broadcasts for each of the last 13 seasons, hosting various features such as "The A's Road Report," "The First 100 Years of A's Baseball"

and the "A's Minor League Report," to name a few. He has also worked as a local correspondent on various national networks, including ESPN, SportsFan and One-on-One Sports.

In addition to his duties with the A's, Buan is the principal owner of GT2 Entertainment, which produces "Country Fastball". The two hour nationally syndicated country music program is hosted by Buan and features interviews with personalities from baseball and the country music industry. The show was awarded "Best Radio Program" honors at the 2008 Electronic Media Awards in Las Vegas.

A native of Spokane, Wash., the 36-year old Buan graduated from Santa Clara University with a degree in political science and minors in philosophy and French. He lives in Alameda, Calif. with his wife, Alex and children, Hannah, JD and Ethan.





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Radio Play-by-Play (Spanish)

Amaury Pi-González, a pioneer in establishing Spanish baseball radio play-by-play in the Bay Area, will serve as the "Voice of the A's" for all Spanish broadcasts.

Well-known and respected in both English and Spanish media circles, Pi-González enters his 31st season in Major League Baseball in 2009. He began his career in 1977 with the Athletics, and has also broadcast for the San Francisco Giants, Seattle Mariners and Los Angeles Angels.

During his tenure, Pi-González has called the 1986 World Series for CBS Hispanic Network, the 1988, 1989 and 1990 Series for the A's, and the 2002 Series for the Giants. The Fremont, Calif. resident previously served five years as sports anchor for Telemundo TV48 in San Jose and was the Spanish voice for the NBA's Golden State Warriors from 1992-98. In addition, he was the English voice for the Caribbean World Series for Fox Sports International in 2001 and 2002.

Born in Cuba, Amaury was inducted into the Cuban Sports Hall of Fame in 2004, and into the Hispanic Heritage Baseball Museum in 2004 and since 2002, has been nominated each year for the prestigious Ford C. Frick Broadcasters Award in Baseball's Hall of Fame in Cooperstown, N.Y.

MANOLO HERNÁNDEZ-DOUEN

Radio Analyst (Spanish)

Manolo Hernández-Douen is in his first season as the Athletics analyst for the Spanish Béisbol Network. He has over 37 years of experience in journalism, and has covered a variety of sports during that span.

A graduate from Universidad Católica Andrés Bello in his native Caracas, Hernández-Douen has covered the Olympic and Panamerican Games, world championship boxing matches and winter league baseball, including the Caribbean Series.

He was Venezuela's Sportswriter of the Year in 1979 and for five seasons was the basketball radio analyst for the Caracas Liga Especial de Baloncesto team.

Since moving to California in 1982, he has covered the NBA and Major League Baseball for several of the highest circulation Spanish newspapers in the United States including La Opinión in Los Angeles. Most recently he was the Sports Editor for El Nuevo Herald in Miami from 2000 to 2007, and since the 2008 season he has covered feature stories as a free lance writer for lasmayores.com (MLB in Spanish).

A proud father of two, Franklin and Cristina, Manolo resides in San Francisco.

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COMCAST SPORTSNET CALIFORNIA: The Oakland Athletics have entered into a long-term agreement with Comcast SportsNet California this year. Under the new contract, 145 A's games will be televised exclusively on the Northern California cable outlet, including 75 in HD, with Glen Kuiper and Ray Fosse anchoring the TV booth again in 2009. CSNCA will also produce a pre- and post-game show for every telecast, while the club's new Spanish radio broadcasts will be simulcast on CSNCA for all Oakland home games this season.

KTRB 860 AM (ENGLISH): The Oakland Athletics and KTRB Radio 860 AM have agreed to terms on a one-year contract for the station to serve as flagship of the A's Radio Network for the 2009 season. KTRB, a San Francisco-based station featuring a daily talk format, will broadcast all 162 regular season games, plus 17 Spring Training games. The 50,000-watt signal will provide a clear and consistent broadcast throughout the Bay Area. One of the oldest radio stations on the West Coast, KTRB 860 AM served Modesto and the surrounding area for 73 years before moving to San Francisco on Feb. 1, 2007.

KDIA 1640 AM, KDYA 1190 AM (SPANISH): The Oakland Athletics and the Spanish Beisbol Network (SBN) have agreed to terms on a five-year contract to broadcast all 162 regular season games in Spanish on KDIA (1640 AM) and KDYA (1190 AM) radio stations, beginning this upcoming 2009 season. It marks the first time in club history the A's have featured Spanish broadcasts for every regular season game, home and away. SBN, a premier sports media broadcasting and content company founded in Boston in 2001, currently has contracts with the Athletics, Boston Red Sox, Philadelphia Phillies, Washington Nationals and the Caribbean World Series.



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1938	WIBG By Saam
1939	WIBG By Saam
1940	WIBG
1941	By Saam, Claude Haring WIBG
1041	By Saam, Claude Haring
1942	WIBG By Saam, Claude Haring
1943	WIBG By Saam, Claude Haring
1944	WIBG
1945	By Saam, Claude Haring WIBG
1940	By Saam, Claude Haring
1946	WIBG By Saam, Claude Haring
1947	WIBG
10.40	By Saam, Claude Haring
1948	WIBG By Saam, Claude Haring
1949	WIBG
1950	By Saam, Claude Haring WIBG
	By Saam, Claude Haring
1951	WIBG By Saam, Claude Haring
1952	WIBG By Saam, Claude Haring
1953	WIBG
1054	By Saam, Claude Haring
1954	WIBG By Saam, Claude Haring
1955	WDAF Maria Llarman, Larma Davi
1956	Merle Harmon, Larry Ray WDAF
	Merle Harmon, Larry Ray
1957	WDAF Merle Harmon, Ed Edwards
1958	WDAF
	Merle Harmon, Ed Edwards, Bill Grigsby
1959	WDAF Merle Harmon, Bill Grigsby
1960	WDAF
1004	Merle Harmon, Bill Grigsby
1961	WDAF Merle Harmon, Bill Grigsby
1962	KCMO Monte Moore, Bruce Rice
1963	KCMO
4007	Monte Moore, George Bryson
1964	KCMO Monte Moore, George Bryson
1965	KCMO Monte Moore, Bed Bush
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1966	КСМО
1007	Monte Moore, Lynn Faris
1967	KCMO Monte Moore, Lynn Faris
1968	KNBR
	Monte Moore, Al Helfer
	KBHK-TV Monte Moore, Al Helfer
1969	KNBR
	Monte Moore, Al Helfer
	KBHK-TV Monte Moore, Al Helfer
1970	KNBR
	Monte Moore, Harry Caray
	KBHK-TV Monte Moore, Harry Caray
1971	KEEN
	Monte Moore, Bob Elson,
	Red Rush KBHK-TV
	Monte Moore, Bob Elson
1972	KEEN
	Monte Moore, Jim Woods, Jim
	Piersall KBHK-TV
	Monte Moore, Jim Woods
1973	KEEN
	Monte Moore, Jim Woods KTVU-TV
	Monte Moore, Jim Woods
1974	KEEN
	Monte Moore, Jon Miller, Bill Rigney
	KTVU-TV
	Monte Moore, Jon Miller
1975	KEEN Monte Moore, Bob Waller
	KPIX-TV
	Monte Moore, Bob Waller
1976	KNBR Monte Moore, Bob Waller
	KPIX-TV
	Monte Moore, Wayne Walker
1977	KNBR Monte Moore, Bob Waller
	KPIX-TV
	Monte Moore, Wayne Walker
1978	KNEW Bud Foster, Jim Peterson,
	Curt Flood
	KPIX-TV
	Monte Moore, Wayne Walker, Curt Flood
1979	KKIS
	Red Rush, Hal Ramey
	KPIX-TV Monte Moore, Wayne Walker

Red Rush, Dom Valentino, Ted Robinson KPIX-TV Monte Moore, Wayne Walker 1981 KSFO Bill King, Lon Simmons, Wayne Hagin KPIX-TV Bill King, Wayne Walker 1982 KSFO Bill King, Lon Simmons, Wayne Hagin KCRA-TV Bill King, Lon Simmons, Harmon Killebrew 1983 KSFO Bill King, Lon Simmons, Wayne Hagin KBHK-TV Bill King, Lon Simmons, Bill Rigney 1984 KSFO Bill King, Lon Simmons, Wayne Hagin KBHK-TV Bill King, Lon Simmons, Bill Rigney 1985 KSFO Bill King, Lon Simmons, Wayne Hagin KPIX-TV Bill King, Lon Simmons, Ted Robinson

1980 KDIA



The late Bill King broadcast A's games for 25 years from 1981-2005. A Bay Area broadcasting legend, King also spent 27 years as the play-by-play voice for the Oakland Raiders and 21 seasons calling the action for the Golden State Warriors.

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Lon Simmons partnered with Bill King for 15 seasons (1981-95) in the A's radio booth. Simmons received the Ford C. Frick Award in 2004.

1986 KSFO Bill King, Lon Simmons, Ray Fosse KPIX-TV Bill King, Lon Simmons, Ted Robinson

1987 KSFO Bill King, Lon Simmons, Ray Fosse KPIX-TV Bill King, Lon Simmons, Ted Robinson

1988 KSFO Bill King, Lon Simmons, Ray Fosse KPIX-TV Monte Moore, John Shrader, Ray Fosse

1989 KSFO Bill King, Lon Simmons, Ray Fosse KPIX-TV, KICU-TV Monte Moore, John Shrader, Ray Fosse

1990 KSFO Bill King, Lon Simmons, Ray Fosse KPIX-TV, KICU-TV, SportsChannel Monte Moore, Ray Fosse

1991 KSFO Bill King, Lon Simmons, Ray Fosse KPIX-TV. KICU-TV. SportsChannel Monte Moore, Ray Fosse, Greg Papa. Reggie Jackson, Bill Rigney 1992 KSFO Bill King, Lon Simmons, Ray Fosse KPIX-TV. KICU-TV. SportsChannel Monte Moore, Ray Fosse, Greg Papa, Reggie Jackson, **Bill Rigney** 1993 KNEW Bill King, Lon Simmons, Ray Fosse KRON-TV, SportsChannel Greg Papa, Dick Stockton, Ray Fosse 1994 KFRC Bill King, Lon Simmons, Ray Fosse KRON-TV, SportsChannel Greg Papa, Dick Stockton, Ray Fosse 1995 KFRC Bill King, Lon Simmons, Ray Fosse KRON-TV, SportsChannel Greg Papa, Dick Stockton, Ray Fosse 1996 KFRC Bill King, Ken Korach, Ray Fosse KRON-TV. Sports Channel

Greg Papa, Ken Wilson, Ray Fosse 1997 KFRC

Bill King, Ken Korach, Ray Fosse KRON-TV, SportsChannel Greg Papa, Ken Wilson, Ray Fosse

1998 KFRC Bill King, Ken Korach, Ray Fosse KRON-TV, Fox Sports Bay Area Greg Papa, Ken Wilson, Ray Fosse

1999 KABL Bill King, Ken Korach, Ray Fosse KICU-TV. Fox Sports Bav Area Greg Papa, Ray Fosse 2000 KABL Bill King, Ken Korach, Ray Fosse KICU-TV, Fox Sports Bay Area Greg Papa, Ray Fosse 2001 KABI Bill King, Ken Korach, Ray Fosse KICU-TV, Fox Sports Bay Area Greg Papa, Ray Fosse 2002 KFRC Bill King, Ken Korach, Ray Fosse KICU TV. Fox Sports Bay Area Greg Papa, Ray Fosse 2003 KFRC Bill King, Ken Korach, Ray Fosse KICU-TV. Fox Sports Bav Area Greg Papa, Ray Fosse 2004 KFRC Bill King, Ken Korach, Ray Fosse KICU-TV, Fox Sports Bay Area

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KICU-TV, Fox Sports Bay Area Hank Greenwald, Ray Fosse, Glen Kuiper, Tim Roye 2005 KFRC

Bill King, Ken Korach, Ray Fosse KICU-TV, Fox Sports Bay Area Hank Greenwald, Ray Fosse, Glen Kuiper, Tim Roye

2006 KYCY

Ken Korach, Vince Cotroneo, Ray Fosse KICU-TV, Fox Sports Bay Area Glen Kuiper, Ray Fosse, Tim Roye

2007 KFRC/KYCY Ken Korach, Vince Cotroneo, Ray Fosse KICU-TV, Fox Sports Bay Area

Glen Kuiper, Ray Fosse 2008 KFRC/KYCY Ken Korach, Vince Cotroneo, Ray Fosse KICU-TV, Comcast SportsNet Bay Area Glen Kuiper, Ray Fosse

Station	On Dial	City
KAHI	950 AM	Auburn
KBLF	1490 AM	Red Bluff
KCNR	1230 AM	Redding
KCWH	102.3 FM	Mt. Shasta
KEKA	101.5 FM	Eureka
KESP	970 AM	Modesto

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_	Station	On Dial	City	Station
	KMYC	1410 AM	Marysville	KTRB
	KPCO	1370 AM	Quincy	KTSN
	KPOD	1240 AM	Crescent City	KVON
	KRKC	1490 AM	King City	KWNA
	KSLK	96.1 FM	Visalia	KXBX
	KSTN	1420 AM	Stockton	KYOS

tation	On Dial	City
TRB	860 AM	San Francisco
TSN	1340 AM	Elko, NV
VON	1440 AM	Napa
WNA	1400 AM	Winnemucca, NV
XBX	1270 AM	Lakeport
YOS	1480 AM	Merced

SPRING TRAINING INFORMATION

REPORTING DATES: Pitchers and catchers report for their first workout on Saturday, February 14. The full squad reports on Wednesday, February 18 with the first full squad workout the next day.

MEDIA INFORMATION: For credentials or broadcast space, please contact Bob Rose at (602) 797-5632 or Kristy Fick at (602) 797-5634. A media lunch is served before all home games at a cost of \$8.00.

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STADIUM: Phoenix Municipal Stadium (Capacity: 7,881), 5999 East Van Buren, Phoenix, Arizona. (602) 225-9400.

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Date	Day	Opponent	Site	Time
Feb.25	Wed	Milwaukee	Maryvale	12:05 pm
Feb.26	Thu	Los Angeles-AL	Tempe	12:05 pm
Feb. 27	Fri	Milwaukee (KTRB 860 AM)	Phoenix	12:05 pm
Feb. 28	Sat	Cleveland (KTRB 860 AM)	Phoenix	12:05 pm
March 1	Sun	Arizona (KTRB 860 AM)	Tucson	12:05 pm
March 2	Mon	Off Day		
March 3	Tue	Chicago-NL	Mesa	12:05 pm
March 4	Wed	Chicago-AL	Phoenix	12:05 pm
March 5	Thu	South Africa-WBC (ss)	Phoenix	12:05 pm
		San Francisco (ss) (KTRB 860 AM)	Scottsdale	12:05 pm
March 6	Fri	Seattle (KTRB 860 AM)	Phoenix	12:05 pm
March 7	Sat	San Diego (KTRB 860 AM)	Peoria	12:05 pm
March 8	Sun	Cleveland (ss) (KTRB 860 AM)	Phoenix	1:05 pm
		San Francisco (ss)	Scottsdale	1:05 pm
March 9	Mon	Los Angeles-AL	Phoenix	1:05 pm
March 10	Tue	Colorado	Tucson	1:05 pm
March 11	Wed	Off Day		
March 12	Thu	Arizona	Phoenix	1:05 pm
March 13	Fri	Cleveland	Goodyear	1:05 pm
March 14	Sat	San Francisco (KTRB 860 AM)	Phoenix	1:05 pm
March 15	Sun	Los Angeles-AL (KTRB 860 AM)	Tempe	1:05 pm
March 16	Mon	Los Angeles-NL (KTRB 860 AM)	Phoenix	1:05 pm
March 17	Tue	Arizona	Phoenix	1:05 pm
March 18	Wed	Off Day		
March 19	Thu	Texas	Surprise	1:05 pm
March 20	Fri	Cleveland	Goodyear	1:05 pm
March 21	Sat	San Francisco (ss) (KTRB 860 AM)	Phoenix	1:05 pm
		Seattle (ss)	Peoria	1:05 pm
March 22	Sun	Chicago-AL (KTRB 860 AM)	Phoenix	1:05 pm
March 23	Mon	Chicago-NL	Phoenix	1:05 pm
March 24	Tue	Kansas City	Surprise	6:05 pm
March 25	Wed	Chicago-AL	Glendale	1:05 pm
March 26	Thu	Off Day		
March 27	Fri	San Diego (KTRB 860 AM)	Phoenix	7:05 pm
March 28	Sat	Milwaukee (KTRB 860 AM)	Maryvale	1:05 pm
March 29	Sun	Colorado (KTRB 860 AM)	Phoenix	1:05 pm
March 30	Mon	Los Angeles-NL	Glendale	1:05 pm
March 31	Tue	Kansas City	Phoenix	1:05 pm
April 1	Wed	Chicago-NL	Phoenix	1:05 pm
April 2	Thu	San Francisco (KTRB 860 AM)	San Francisco	7:15 pm
April 3	Fri	San Francisco (KTRB 860 AM)	San Francisco	7:15 pm
April 4	Sat	San Francisco (KTRB 860 AM)	Oakland	1:05 pm
		All Times are Pacific (ss) denotes spli	t squad	

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BATTERS	AVG	G	AB	R	н	2B	3 B	HR	RBI	BB	SO
Affronti	.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Baisley	.600	8	10	2	6	0	0	0	3	0	1
Bankston	.455	10	11	3	5	2	0	0	6	0	2
Barton	.176	12	34	9	6	1	0	3	10	8	8
Blasi	1.000	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Bowen	.306	15	36	4	11	2	1	1	4	5	12
C. Brown	.500	2	4	1	2	0	0	1	2	1	0
E. Brown	.313	14	48	4	15	5	0	1	8	2	2
Buck	.275	16	40	5	11	3	0	0	2	6	7
Carter	.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Castillo		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Conrad	.348	21	46	11	16	6	1	2	13	5	15
Cornejo	.000	4	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	0
Crosby	.245	16	49	8	12	2	0	4	10	3	10
Cunningham	า .375	5	8	3	3	2	0	0	2	1	2
Cust	.244	17	41	11	10	3	0	3	11	14	14
Denorfia	.277	18	47	6	13	2	1	0	1	6	8
Donovan		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Ellis	.283	17	53	6	15	6	0	0	1	2	6
Fiorentino	.167	20	30	3	5	0	0	0	3	6	4
Gilbert	.000	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
C. Gonzalez	.290	14	31	3	9	2	0	0	3	0	4
Hannahan	.269	17	52	5	14	4	0	0	7	8	15
Horton	.200	4	5	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	1
Johnson	.173	20	52	7	9	1	0	3	9	7	4
Knoedler	.214	13	14	1	3	0	1	0	4	1	3
LeCroy	.000	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Linden	.586	18	29	14	17	3	3	0	5	5	6
Melillo	.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mitchell	.000	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Murphy	.308	19	52	9	16	5	0	1	12	5	11
Pennington	.000	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Petit	.341	17	41	4	14	5	0	0	4	0	11
Putnam	.500	2	2	2	1	1	0	0	0	2	1
Recker	.333	1	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Robnett	.667	1	3	2	2	0	1	1	4	0	1
Rogowski	.182	6	11	2	2	0	0	0	1	2	3
Sellers	1.000	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stavisky	1.000	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Suzuki	.326	16	46	7	15	5	0	0	3	5	4
M. Sweeney		14	43	12	13	3	0	2	13	6	1
R. Sweeney		17	45	5	9	3	0	0	5	8	4
Team	.287	26	909	160	261	66	8	22	150		166
Opponents	.258	26	869	102	224	59	6	13	93	79	159

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FINAL PITCHING STATISTICS

PITCHERS	W	L	ERA	G	GS	IP	н	R	ER	BB	SO
Blanton	0	1	4.76	4	4	17.0	19	9	9	3	15
Blevins	1	0	3.00	6	0	6.0	4	2	2	2	4
Braden	1	0	3.00	6	2	12.0	9	4	4	5	7
A. Brown	1	0	3.60	7	0	10.0	8	4	4	9	12
Casilla	1	0	6.00	5	0	6.0	9	4	4	1	5
Cate	1	0	0.00	4	0	5.0	3	0	0	1	2
De Los Santos	0	1	6.75	1	0	2.2	1	3	2	2	0
Devine	1	0	4.50	4	0	4.0	4	2	2	1	3
DiNardo	2	0	1.42	6	2	12.2	15	2	2	3	7
Duchscherer	2	0	3.86	4	3	14.0	12	6	6	5	8
Embree	1	2	10.50	6	0	6.0	11	7	7	2	4
Eveland	3	0	1.29	5	5	21.0	19	4	3	5	17
Foulke	0	0	12.60	5	0	5.0	8	8	7	4	3

PITCHERS	w	L	ERA	G	GS	IP	н	R	ER	BB	so
Gaudin	0	0	0.00	1	0	2.0	0	0	0	0	1
Gissell	0	0	0.00	2	0	5.0	0	0	0	1	5
G. Gonzalez	0	0	4.05	5	2	13.1	13	8	6	8	8
Gray	0	0	3.00	3	0	3.0	2	1	1	0	2
Harden	1	2	4.76	4	4	17.0	20	9	9	7	13
Hernandez	0	0	2.70	8	0	10.0	10	3	3	4	7
Leon	0	0	18.00	1	0	1.0	3	2	2	1	0
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RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE	RECORD	WINNER	LOSER A	TTEN
Feb. 28	at Milwaukee	L, 1-7	0-1	Vargas	Blanton	2,26
Feb. 29	Milwaukee	W, 11-4	1-1	Braden	Bush	3,69
March 1	at San Francisco	W, 23-5	2-1	Smith	Zito	10,63
March 2	Colorado	W, 3-2	3-1	Blevins	Herges	5,19
March 3	at Los Angeles	L, 1-6	3-2	Saunders	Harden	2,88
March 4	Seattle	W, 9-6	4-2	Embree	Rowland-Smith	3,80
March 5	San Diego	W, 15-4	5-2	DiNardo	Wolf	3,92
March 6	Chicago (NL)	W, 2-1	6-2	Casilla	Ceda	5,87
March 7	at San Francisco	L, 2-3	6-3	Valdez	Embree	10,29
March 8	Chicago (NL)	W, 7-6	7-3	Cate	Takatsu	7,03
	at Seattle	W, 5-2	8-3	Duchscherer	Washburn	8,94
March 9	Milwaukee	L, 2-5	8-4	Pena	Meyer	4,83
March 10	at Los Angeles	L, 4-5	8-5	Adenhart	Embree	6,44
March 11	at Chicago (NL)	W, 6-4	9-5	Street	Eyre	11,24
March 12	Arizona	W, 2-1	10-5	Eveland	Davis	8,35
March 13	OFF DAY					
March 14	at Chicago (AL)	W, 8-1	11-5	Harden	Contreras	7,06
March 15	San Francisco	W, 10-2	12-5	Rodriguez	Misch	8,93
	at San Diego	W, 9-3	13-5	DiNardo	LeBlanc	7,51
March 16	Texas	W, 9-7	14-5	Devine	Feldman	7,12
March 17	Kansas City	W, 6-2	15-5	Eveland	Bannister	7,89
March 18	at Texas	L, 6-11	15-6	White	de los Santo	8,42
March 19	Los Angeles	L, 1-6	15-7	Santana	Harden	7,94
	at Chicago (NL)	W, 5-2	16-7	Brown	Hart	10,66
March 20	OFF DAY					
March 21	OFF DAY					
March 22	#Yomiuri	W, 4-3		Street	Ochi	
March 23	#Hanshin	W, 10-2		Duchscherer	Fukuhara	
March 24	OFF DAY					
March 25	*Boston	L, 5-6 (10))	Okajima	Street	44,62
March 26	*Boston	W, 5-1		Harden	Lester	44,73
March 27	OFF DAY					
March 28	&San Francisco	L, 0-3	16-8	Lincecum	Smith	26,33
March 29	^San Francisco	W, 6-2	17-8	Duchscherer	Palmer	14,01
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OAKLAND A'S IN THE COMMUNITY



The Oakland Athletics organization, in conjunction with the A's Community Fund, strives to make a positive impact in the Bay Area and Northern California. A's players, coaches, and front office employees, together with fans and sponsors, are committed to meeting the social, cultural and educational demands in the community. The A's host numerous fundraising events, have implemented several educational programs, support various causes and organizations and connect with many different people.

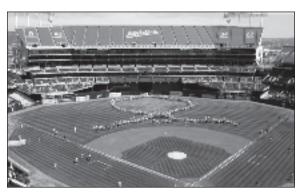
Information regarding Oakland Athletics community programs can be found online at oaklandathletics.com. Requests for donations and player appearances must be submitted in writing and addressed to the following: Oakland Athletics, Community Relations, 7000 Coliseum Way, Oakland, CA 94621.

OAKLAND A'S COMMUNITY FUND: The Oakland A's Community Fund supports more than 1,500 charitable organizations through monetary contributions and donated auction items each season in their efforts to support charitable organizations in improving the quality of life for people throughout the Bay Area. Specifically, to fund

endeavors to improve educational programs, aid the underprivileged, assist in crime and drug prevention, promote health awareness, and champion children and senior welfare. The A's Community Fund believes in the need to invest in the community's future. The A's Community Fund donates approximately \$650,000 annually to various community programs.

A'S BREAST CANCER AWARENESS DAY: The A's host a Breast Cancer Awareness Day, presented by Olay Skin Care, each

year to raise funds for breast cancer



education and research. Funds are raised through the sale of special ticket packages, commemorative pins and caps, an A's autographed quilt raffle and sponsor support. Pre-game ceremonies include the formation of a symbolic human pink ribbon on the field by over 300 Bay Area survivors, the release of white doves as a symbol of hope and a presentation of the "Gift of Faith" grant, which donates \$5,000 annually to a local charity in memory of longtime KTVU Channel 2 reporter, the late Faith Fancher. Over the past 10 years, the A's have raised over \$1,000,000 for breast cancer education and research on A's Breast Cancer Awareness Day.



MUG ROOT BEER FLOAT

DAY: Each year the A's and Pepsi host MUG Root Beer Float Day to raise funds for the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation. Proceeds are raised through the sale of root beer floats, tips given in exchange for autographs and pictures with the celebrity scoopers, the sale of autographed mugs, a silent auction of sports memorabilia and an on-line auction titled "Be a Celebrity Scooper." Over the past nine years, the A's have raised over \$265,000 for various charities through MUG Root Beer Float Day.

HOME RUN READERS PROGRAM: The A's Home Run Readers program encourages teachers to establish reading goals for their students based on each child's individual reading level. As incentives, A's players, coaches, mascot Stomper and front office employees visit participating schools to congratulate the students and to encourage them to continue reading, both inside and outside of the classroom. Students who participate in the program attend the game on Home Run Readers

California Police Youth Charities.



"MATHLETICS" PROGRAM: The "Mathletics" program is a unique program designed to promote the importance of math among Bay Area youth. The A's design and distribute workbooks to participating schools which utilize simple formulas for calculating statistics of A's players. Students who complete their workbooks correctly and submit the answer sheet to the A's, receive two vouchers for an A's game. In addition, one school that demonstrates outstanding participation in the program receives a visit from an A's player. The "Mathletics" program is sponsored by Ross Dress For Less.

GREEN STAMPEDE HOMEWORK CLUB: Before select A's home games, teachers and volunteers from local public schools offer tutoring for at-risk students at the Oakland-Alameda County Coliseum. Students who attend the study group are rewarded with tickets to that night's game and if they attend all eight sessions they receive a visit from an A's player.

A'S BASEBALL BASICS: The A's Baseball Basics program allows aspiring young ball players to receive inside tips from an A's player during a pre-game chat. In addition, each child receives a game ticket and an A's hat.



TAKE THE FIELD WITH THE A'S: Prior to select games, members of local baseball and softball teams accompany A's players as they take the field, stand with them during the National Anthem and receive an autographed baseball.

LITTLE LEAGUE DAYS: Members of organized youth baseball programs are offered discounted group ticket prices to attend one of the two designated Little League Days with the A's, presented by Bank of America. Little Leaguers (age 14 and under) attend a pre-game festival, are greeted by A's players

as they parade around the field and receive the A's kid's giveaway item for that date.

FIELD RENOVATIONS: The A's Community Fund, in partnership with the Good Tidings Foundation, renovates a local baseball or softball field in order to provide local youth a state-of-the-art facility. Over the past few years, the A's and Good Tidings Foundation renovated the baseball and softball fields at Washington High School in Fremont, Rickey Henderson Baseball Field located at the Arroyo Viejo Recreation Center in East Oakland and Bambino Field at the Greenman Field Baseball Complex.

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A'S AMIGOS: The A's Amigos program gives Hispanic children the opportunity to speak with a Spanish speaking A's player about the importance of education, sportsmanship and hard work. In addition to a pre-game visit, each child receives a game ticket and an A's cap. The A's Amigos program is sponsored by Kelly-Moore Paints.

LITTLE A'S: Each year, over 10,000 children from low to moderate-income families are treated to A's games and receive an A's pin and a pennant as part of the Little A's



program, sponsored by Union Bank of California and supported by Clorox.

HOLIDAY PARTY: Each year the A's Community Fund, Round Table Pizza and the Oakland Zoo hosts a holiday party for local school children. A's players and coaches are present to sign autographs and distribute gifts to each child. The holiday festival includes pizza and juice, carnival games, face painters, balloon artists, a tour of the Children's Zoo and appearances from the A's mascot Stomper and Santa Claus.



HOLIDAY CARAVAN: During the offseason, current and former A's players, A's owner Lew Wolff, front office staff and the A's mascot Stomper make stops around the Bay Area during the A's Holiday Caravan. The caravan features visits to schools, hospitals, shelters, schools, meetand-greets, charity toy drives and appearances at holiday parades and malls and other public places.

TICKET PURCHASE PROGRAM:

Oakland A's players, the A's Community Fund and corporate sponsors purchase and donate thousands of tickets to various charity and non-profit groups each season.

SILENT AUCTION: The A's Community Fund holds silent auctions of various sports memorabilia behind section 120 on all Saturday and Sunday home dates. The A's Community Fund donates a portion of the proceeds to designated charity groups as a silent auction partner on selected dates throughout the season.

A'S COMMUNITY FUND GOLF CLASSIC: This annual tournament pairs participants with A's players, former players, coaches and front office employees for a day of golf at one of the Bay Area's top courses. The event features breakfast, tee prizes, an awards dinner banquet and live and silent auctions of sports memorabilia and other prizes. All proceeds benefit the Oakland A's Community Fund.

A'S DINNER ON THE DIAMOND: This annual dinner with A's players and their families is hosted by A's Owner and Managing Partner Lew Wolff and his daughter Kari Wolff, with proceeds benefiting the Oakland A's Community Fund. A's Dinner on the Diamond is sponsored by the Wolff and Fisher families.

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