

A's News Links, Thursday, August 2, 2012

OAKLAND TRIBUNE

Oakland A's suffer second consecutive defeat

By Joe Stiglich, Oakland Tribune

http://www.insidebayarea.com/athletics/cj_21211939

Inside the Oakland A's: Postgame thoughts following A's 4-1 loss to the Rays

By Joe Stiglich, Oakland Tribune, 8/1/2012, 7:16pm

<http://www.ibabuzz.com/athletics/>

Inside the Oakland A's: Brett Anderson's return gets closer and closer for A's

By Joe Stiglich, Oakland Tribune, 8/1/2012, 12:55pm

<http://www.ibabuzz.com/athletics/>

SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE

A's 1st skid since June? No worries

Rays 4, A's 1

Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/A-s-1st-skid-since-June-No-worries-3755814.php>

Melvin weighs A's K ration

Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

<http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/Melvin-weighs-A-s-K-ration-3755813.php>

The Drumbeat: A's drop two in a row for first time since June

From Chronicle Staff Writer Susan Slusser at the Chronicle

<http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2012/08/01/as-drop-two-in-a-row-for-first-time-since-june/>

The Drumbeat: Injury updates: Anderson, McCarthy, Crisp, Pennington

From Chronicle Staff Writer Susan Slusser at the Coliseum

<http://blog.sfgate.com/athletics/2012/08/01/injury-updates-anderson-mccarthy-crisp-pennington/>

OAKLANDATHLETICS.COM

A's fall to Rays, drop first series since June

By Jane Lee / MLB.com

http://oakland.athletics.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2012_08_01_tbamlb_oakmlb_1&mode=recap&c_id=oak

Anderson takes 'big step' in rehab start

A's carrying lots of momentum into August

By Jane Lee and Ben Estes / MLB.com

http://oakland.athletics.mlb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120801&content_id=35942750¬ebook_id=35942752&vkey=notebook_oak&c_id=oak

A's seek to rediscover July mojo with Jays in town

By Joe McIntyre / MLB.com

http://oakland.athletics.mlb.com/mlb/gameday/index.jsp?gid=2012_08_02_tormlb_oakmlb_1&mode=preview&vkey=preview_web_home&c_id=oak

ASSOCIATED PRESS

Rays cap strong road trip with 4-1 win over A's

By JOSH DUBOW, AP Sports Writer

<http://pressdemocrat.stats.com/mlb/recap.asp?q=320801111&final=true>

SACRAMENTO BEE

Marcos Breton: A's hot July gives way to ... who knows what?

Marcos Breton, Sacramento Bee

<http://www.sacbee.com/2012/08/02/v-print/4684526/as-hot-july-gives-way-to-who-knows.html>

COMCAST SPORTS NET BAY AREA

Pratt's Instant Replay: Rays 4, Athletics 1

Casey Pratt, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/baseball-oakland-athletics/athletics-talk/Pratts-Instant-Replay-Rays-4-Athletics-1?blockID=749863&feedID=2797>

Anderson turns focus from arm health to pitch health

Casey Pratt, csnbayarea.com

<http://www.csnbayarea.com/baseball-oakland-athletics/athletics-talk/Anderson-turns-focus-from-arm-health-to-?blockID=749771&feedID=2797>

MINOR LEAGUE NEWS

SACRAMENTO RIVERCATS

River Cats Strike Late, Beat Redbirds 5-2

http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120802&content_id=35989316&vkey=news_t105&fext=.jsp&sid=t105

MIDLAND ROCKHOUNDS

RockHounds beat Frisco in 12-innings

Midland Reporter Telegram

http://www.mywesttexas.com/sports/article_63217212-dc5f-11e1-9a0a-0019bb2963f4.html?mode=print

STOCKTON PORTS

JetHawks Soar Past Ports 15-2

http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120802&content_id=35998946&vkey=news_t524&fext=.jsp&sid=t524

BURLINGTON BEES

Four-run Fifth Dooms Bees

By Daniel Trivinos, Burlington Bees

http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120801&content_id=35929422&vkey=news_t420&fext=.jsp&sid=t420

VERMONT LAKE MONSTERS

Scrappers Win At Vermont Wednesday

By Paul Stanfield / Vermont Lake Monsters

http://www.milb.com/news/print.jsp?ymd=20120801&content_id=35978592&vkey=news_t462&fext=.jsp&sid=t462