



# OAKLAND ATHLETICS

## Post Game Notes

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### Los Angeles Angels (59-52) at Oakland Athletics (59-51) Tuesday, August 7, 2012 Oakland-Alameda County Coliseum

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E	LOB
Los Angeles	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	4	7	1	6
Oakland	1	0	4	0	1	3	1	0	X	10	13	2	9

W — Colon (9-8)

L — Wilson (9-8)

S — None

#### OAKLAND NOTES

- The Oakland Athletics snapped their three-game losing streak, which was their longest losing streak since June 28-30 when they also dropped three in a row...are tied with Baltimore for the second Wild Card slot, ½ game behind Detroit for the first slot...are 22-9 since the start of July, which is the **best record in the majors**...are 37-21 since June 2, which is the **best record in the AL**...are 4-5 on this 10-game homestand against Tampa Bay (1-2), Toronto (2-2) and Los Angeles (1-1).
- The A's hit a season-high tying four home runs (fourth time, last: July 15 at Minnesota)...had back-to-back home runs in the sixth inning (Norris and Rosales)...It is the fourth time the A's have gone back-to-back this season (last: Cespedes and Carter, July 15 at Minnesota).
- Bartolo Colon** had his scoreless inning streak snapped at a career-high 22.1 innings when Izturis had a RBI single in the seventh inning (previous: 20.0 ip, Sept. 13-28-2000)...earned his ninth win, his most since posting a career-high 21 wins in 2005...is 5-3 with a 2.28 ERA (18 er in 71.0 ip) over his last 11 starts...has walked one batter or fewer in each of his last eight starts and 17 of 22 for the season (21 walks total).
- Yoenis Cespedes** (2 for 5) had his 10<sup>th</sup> stolen base of the season...is the third rookie in Oakland history with at least 10 steals and 10 home runs, joining Mitchell Paige (21 HR, 42 SB in 1977) and Jose Canseco (33 HR, 15 SB in 1986)...is batting .409 (36 for 88) with 18 runs, five home runs, 18 RBI and 13 multiple hit games in 22 games since the All-Star Break...**leads the American League** in batting since the break.
- Coco Crisp** (1 for 4) recorded his 22<sup>nd</sup> stolen base...it was the 103<sup>rd</sup> steal in his A's career, which ties Stan Javier for 10<sup>th</sup> place in Oakland history.
- Adam Rosales** (1 for 3) hit his first home run since June 25, 2011, snapping a 32-game homerless streak.
- Jemile Weeks** (1 for 4) tripled in the third inning, his **American League leading** eighth triple of the season.

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Bartolo Colon (W, 9-8)	7.0	4	1	0	0	5	0	93/72
Travis Blackley	2.0	3	3	3	1	1	2	27/19

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
Jonny Gomes (12)	1 <sup>st</sup>	0-2	1	LF	Wilson
Derek Norris (4)	6 <sup>th</sup>	2-1	2	LF	Carpenter
Adam Rosales (1)	6 <sup>th</sup>	3-1	1	LF	Carpenter
Josh Reddick (25)	7 <sup>th</sup>	3-1	1	RF	Williams

#### LOS ANGELES NOTES

- The Los Angeles Angels have lost seven of the past 11 games and are 11-14 since the All-Star Break...are 4-5 on this 10-game road trip to Texas (2-2), Chicago (1-2) and Oakland (0-2).
- C.J. Wilson** is 0-4 with a 5.36 ERA (29 er in 48.2 ip) over his past eight starts...has allowed 21 runs in his past three road starts (18 er in 16.1 ip, 9.92 ERA) after allowing 18 runs in his first 12 starts on the road (17 er in 74.0 ip, 2.07 ERA).
- Torii Hunter** (1 for 3) is on a season-high eight-game hitting streak (13 for 35, .371)...has hit safely in 15 of his past 16 games and is 26 for 66 (.394) with one home run and 15 RBI over that span.
- Mike Trout** (1 for 5) is celebrating his 21<sup>st</sup> birthday today...is the fifth player in Major League history to homer on his 21<sup>st</sup> birthday (Ted Williams in 1939, Frank Robinson in 1956, Alex Rodriguez in 1996, Jason Heyward in 2010)...is 12 for 38 (.316) with 12 runs, four home runs and 11 RBI on the road trip.

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
C.J. Wilson (L, 9-8)	5.0	9	6	3	5	4	1	114/66
David Carpenter	1.0	3	3	3	0	0	2	25/15
Jerome Williams	1.0	1	1	1	0	1	1	16/10
Hisanori Takahashi	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14/9

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
Mike Trout (20)	8 <sup>th</sup>	1-1	1	CF	Blackley
Erick Aybar (5)	9 <sup>th</sup>	0-0	2	LF	Blackley

Time of Game .....	2:58	Overall Record .....	59-51	Home/Road .....	33-26/26-25
First Pitch .....	7:07 pm	Streak .....	Won 1	Day/Night .....	18-20/41-31
Temperature .....	67 degrees	Homestand .....	4-5	April/May/June .....	10-12/11-16/15-13
Attendance .....	15,458	Last Five .....	2-3	July/Aug./Sept. ....	19-5/3-4/0-0
Total .....	1,217,778	Last 10 .....	4-6	A's Starter goes 7 or more/Less than 7 .....	29-12/30-39
Average (59 games) .....	20,640	Series Record .....	1-1	A's/Opponents score first .....	41-15/18-36
Win/Lose in Last At-Bat .....	19-10	Series First Game .....	19-18	Leading after 7 <sup>th</sup> inn/8 <sup>th</sup> inn .....	44-5/46-4
Extra Innings .....	9-3	vs. AL West .....	18-18	Tied after 7 <sup>th</sup> inn/8 <sup>th</sup> inn .....	10-4/9-2
		vs. RHP/LHP .....	39-30/20-21	Trailing after 7 <sup>th</sup> inn/8 <sup>th</sup> inn .....	6-41/5-44