

## **A'S NEWS LINKS, MONDAY, JULY 24, 2017**

### **EAST BAY TIMES**

#### **A's prospects team up for strong effort in series finale against Mets**

BY TOM PEDULLA

[HTTP://WWW.EASTBAYTIMES.COM/2017/07/23/AS-YOUNG-PITCHING-TALENT-TEAMS-UP-FOR-STRONG-EFFORT-IN-3-2-WIN-OVER-METS/](http://www.eastbaytimes.com/2017/07/23/as-young-pitching-talent-teams-up-for-strong-effort-in-3-2-win-over-mets/)

### **SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE**

#### **A's hit 3 homers to salvage final game of series in N.Y.**

By Susan Slusser

[HTTP://WWW.SFGATE.COM/ATHLETICS/ARTICLE/A-S-HIT-THREE-HOMERS-TO-SALVAGE-FINAL-GAME-OF-11315841.PHP](http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/a-s-hit-three-homers-to-salvage-final-game-of-11315841.php)

#### **A's Matt Joyce playing with heavy heart**

By Susan Slusser

[HTTP://WWW.SFGATE.COM/ATHLETICS/ARTICLE/A-S-MATT-JOYCE-PLAYING-WITH-HEAVY-HEART-11317104.PHP](http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/a-s-matt-joyce-playing-with-heavy-heart-11317104.php)

#### **A's Chris Smith edging his way into rotation**

By Susan Slusser

[HTTP://WWW.SFGATE.COM/ATHLETICS/ARTICLE/A-S-CHRIS-SMITH-EDGING-HIS-WAY-INTO-ROTATION-11310186.PHP](http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/a-s-chris-smith-edging-his-way-into-rotation-11310186.php)

#### **A's, Mets delayed by rain**

By Susan Slusser

[HTTP://WWW.SFGATE.COM/ATHLETICS/ARTICLE/A-S-METS-DELAYED-BY-RAIN-11308949.PHP](http://www.sfgate.com/athletics/article/a-s-mets-delayed-by-rain-11308949.php)

### **ATHLETICS.COM**

#### **A's edge Mets in finale with trio of solo shots**

By Chris Bumbaca and Jane Lee

[HTTP://M.ATHLETICS.MLB.COM/NEWS/ARTICLE/243924534/OAKLAND-HITS-3-HRS-TO-BEAT-METS-IN-FINALE/](http://m.athletics.mlb.com/news/article/243924534/oakland-hits-3-hrs-to-beat-mets-in-finale/)

#### **Melvin applauds Smith's performance, 'moxie'**

#### **Journeyman pitcher earns third start in first big league stint since 2010**

BY JANE LEE

[HTTP://M.ATHLETICS.MLB.COM/NEWS/ARTICLE/243929834/OAKLANDS-CHRIS-SMITH-IMPRESSING-IN-MAJORS/](http://m.athletics.mlb.com/news/article/243929834/oaklands-chris-smith-impressing-in-majors/)

#### **Smith seeks first win as starter vs. Blue Jays**

BY JANE LEE

[HTTP://M.ATHLETICS.MLB.COM/NEWS/ARTICLE/243924896/SMITH-LIRIANO-TO-DUEL-AT-ROGERS-CENTRE/?TOPICID=26688836](http://m.athletics.mlb.com/news/article/243924896/smith-liriano-to-duel-at-rogers-centre/?topicid=26688836)

#### **Sunday's best: Schrock comes up big for Midland**

BY WILLIAM BOOR

[HTTP://M.ATHLETICS.MLB.COM/NEWS/ARTICLE/244063470/ATHLETICS-MAX-SCHROCK-COMES-UP-BIG-FOR-MIDLAND/](http://m.athletics.mlb.com/news/article/244063470/athletics-max-schrock-comes-up-big-for-midland/)

### **ASSOCIATED PRESS**

#### **A'S USE THREE SOLO SHOTS TO AVOID SWEEP VS METS**

By Ben Walker

[HTTP://WWW.CSNBAYAREA.COM/ATHLETICS/USE-THREE-SOLO-SHOTS-AVOID-SWEEP-VS-METS](http://www.csnbayarea.com/athletics/use-three-solo-shots-avoid-sweep-vs-mets)

### **MINOR LEAGUE TEAMS**

## **NASHVILLE SOUNDS**

**Sounds Blanked by Baby Cakes  
Nashville Shutout for the Ninth Time in 2017**  
BY NASHVILLE SOUNDS

[HTTPS://WWW.MILB.COM/SOUNDS/NEWS/SOUNDS-BLANKED-BY-BABY-CAKES/C-243993090/T-196093378](https://www.milb.com/sounds/news/sounds-blanked-by-baby-cakes/c-243993090/t-196093378)

## **MIDLAND ROCKHOUNDS**

**'Hounds dominate Hooks in Sunday twinbill sweep  
RockHounds combine for 25 runs on 28 hits in doubleheader**  
BY BOB HARDS

<https://www.milb.com/rockhounds/news/hounds-dominate-hooks-in-sunday-twinbill-sweep/c-244077026/t-196093314>

## **STOCKTON PORTS**

**Ports Upend Nuts In Wild 13-12 Contest**  
BY STOCKTON PORTS

[HTTPS://WWW.MILB.COM/PORTS/NEWS/PORTS-UPEND-NUTS-IN-WILD-13-12-CONTEST/C-244087970/T-196093340](https://www.milb.com/ports/news/ports-upend-nuts-in-wild-13-12-contest/c-244087970/t-196093340)

## **BELOIT SNAPPERS**

**Snappers hit three homers as Erwin & Martinez Blank Cubs on Sunday**  
by Garrett Mansfield

<https://www.milb.com/snappers/news/snappers-hit-three-homers-as-erwin--martinez-blank-cubs-on-sunday/c-244033734/t-196097310>

## **VERMONT LAKE MONSTERS**

**Tri-City Rallies For 5-4 Win On Sunday  
ValleyCats score 4 unanswered runs including run in ninth**  
by Paul Stanfield

<https://www.milb.com/lake-monsters/news/tri-city-rallies-for-5-4-win-on-sunday/c-244052998/t-196096826>