



# OAKLAND ATHLETICS

## Post Game Notes

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### Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim (97-65) at Oakland Athletics (75-87)

Sunday, October 4, 2009

Oakland-Alameda County Coliseum, Oakland, Calif.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E	LOB
Los Angeles	0	0	1	0	3	1	0	0	0	5	9	1	6
Oakland	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	12	1	7

WP — Saunders (16-7).

LP — Jeff Gray (0-1).

SV — Jepsen (1).

#### OAKLAND ATHLETICS NOTES

- The Oakland A's finished the year with a season-high seven-game losing streak...the A's winning percentage has decreased for the third consecutive season and for just the third time in Oakland history (also, 1972-74 and 2003-05)...finish in last place of the American League West for the seventh time in Oakland history and the first time since 1998...the A's finished 23-34 (.404) against AL West teams this year, their third worst record ever against the AL West (.306 in 1997 and .321 in 1979)..
- The A's were swept in this three-game series by the Angels for the first time since April 23-25, 2004 at Anaheim...have not been swept by the Angels in Oakland since July 10-13, 1997...finish the season series against Los Angeles with a 7-12 record...the 12 losses are the most ever against the Angels (previous, 1-11 in 1997 and 8-11 in 2006)...finished the season 1-8 against the Angels in Oakland, which are the most losses to LAA in Oakland.
- A's pitching recorded set an Athletics franchise record of with 1124 strikeouts (previous, 1117 set in 2001).
- **Andrew Bailey** posted a 1.28 ERA (6 er in 42.1 ip) over his past 38 games dating back to June 17 and has converted 21 straight saves during this span.
- **Craig Breslow** had his 11-game and 13.1 inning scoreless streak snapped after allowing one earned run in the fifth inning... finished with a 1.37 ERA (4 er in 26.1 ip) over his last 22 games of the season.
- **Michael Wuertz** finished the season with a scoreless streak of 13.1 innings over his last 11 outings...posted a 0.94 ERA (3 er in 28.2 ip) in 26 outings since August 1...did not allow a run in 31 of his 34 outings at home this season posting a 0.98 ERA (4 er in 36.2 ip) in Oakland.

#### LOS ANGELES ANGELS OF ANAHEIM NOTES

- The Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim have won seven of their last eight games and finish a season-high 32 games over .500.
- **Joe Saunders** has won seven straight games and owns a 2.55 ERA (14 er in 49.1 ip) during this streak...has won eight of his last nine decisions...is 12-14 in his career for the month of September...is 9-3 with a 3.99 ERA (35 er in 79.0 ip) in 14 career starts against the Athletics.
- **Erick Aybar** finished the regular season with a five-game hitting streak, going 10 for 15 (.667).
- **Torii Hunter** finished the regular season with a six-game hitting streak and hit .333 (7 for 21) during this span...has hit safely in 22 of his last 28 games and 58 of his last 69 contests.
- **Kendry Morales** wrapped up the 2009 regular season with a six game hitting streak and is 10 for 19 (.526) with three home run and nine RBI during this streak.

Time of Game ..... 2:38  
First Pitch.....1:08 pm  
Temperature .....57 degrees

Attendance..... 16,591  
Total..... 1,409,783  
Average (81 games)..... 17,405

Win/Lose in Last At-Bat..... 10-16  
Extra Innings ..... 3-10

Overall Record..... 75-87  
Streak ..... Lose 7  
Homestand..... 0-3  
Last Five..... 0-5  
Last 10..... 3-7

Series Record..... 20-22-10  
Series First Game ..... 24-27  
vs. AL West..... 23-34  
vs. RHP/LHP ..... 56-56/19-31

Home/Road ..... 40-41/35-46  
Day/Night ..... 25-27/50-60  
April/May/June..... 8-11/11-18/13-15  
July/Aug./Sept. .... 12-14/14-15/17-13

A's Starter goes 7+ / Less than 7 ..... 18-13/57-74  
A's/Opponents score first ..... 43-30/32-57  
Leading after 7<sup>th</sup> inn/8<sup>th</sup> inn ..... 63-5-5/65-1  
Tied after 7<sup>th</sup> inn/8<sup>th</sup> inn ..... 4-9/7-12  
Trailing after 7<sup>th</sup> inn/8<sup>th</sup> inn ..... 8-73/3-74