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A's Agree to Terms with OF/DH Khris Davis on One-Year Contract

OAKLAND, Calif. – The Oakland A's have agreed to terms with outfielder/designated hitter Khris Davis on a one-year contract for the 2018 season, avoiding arbitration.

Davis batted .247 with a career-high 43 home runs and a career-high 110 RBI in 153 games last year. He hit 42 home runs in 2016 and joins Jimmie Foxx (1932-34) as the only players in Athletics history with back-to-back 40-homer seasons. The 30-year-old right-handed hitter ranked second in the American League in home runs, third in RBI and tied for sixth in extra base hits (72). Davis is the only Major Leaguer with two 40-homer seasons over the last two years and his 85 home runs over that span are second most in the majors to Giancarlo Stanton (86).

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