



# GAME NOTES

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## OAKLAND ATHLETICS (0-0) VS. PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES (0-0)

FRIDAY, APRIL 8, 2022 — CITIZENS BANK PARK — 3:05 EDT  
RHP FRANKIE MONTAS (13-9, 3.37 IN 2021) VS. RHP AARON NOLA (9-9, 4.63 IN 2021)  
NBCSCA — A'S CAST — A'S RADIO NETWORK (BLOOMBERG 960 AM)

**ABOUT THE A'S:** The A's open their 55th season in Oakland where they have won 17 American League West titles, four AL Wild Cards, six AL pennants and four World Championships...only the Atlanta Braves (21), New York Yankees (19) and Los Angeles Dodgers (19) have more division titles than the A's...since the A's moved to Oakland in 1968, only the Yankees (11), Cardinals (8) and Dodgers (8) have more league championships and only the Yankees have more world championships (7)...have a 4435-4080 (.521) record over the previous 54 seasons in Oakland...only four teams have won more games over that span (New York Yankees, Los Angeles Dodgers, Boston, St. Louis)...this is the Athletics franchise 122nd season in the American League...since 1901, the A's have 17 AL West titles plus 15 AL pennants and nine World Championships...only the Yankees (27) and Cardinals (11) have won more World Championships...the A's are 9150-9552 (.489) in their previous 121 seasons...that includes a 3886-4248 record from 1901-54 in Philadelphia and 829-1224 from 1955-67 in Kansas City.

**A'S AND PHILADELPHIA:** With this season, the A's will now have spent more years in Oakland than Philadelphia as they begin their 55th season in Oakland in the city they called home for 54 years from 1901-54...in between, the club spent 13 years in Kansas City from 1955-67...have won four World Series and six American League Pennants in Oakland and five World Series and nine AL Pennants in Philadelphia...today marks the A's first Opening Day in Philadelphia since April 13, 1954 when the Philadelphia A's defeated the Boston Red Sox 6-4...Bobby Shantz, who is one of three living Philadelphia Athletics along with Bill Harrington and Bill Wilson, was the winning pitcher.

**HOME AND AWAY:** The A's begin the season with a 10-game road trip to Philadelphia (three games), Tampa Bay (four games) and Toronto (three games)...barring multiple rainouts, this will be the longest season-opening road trip in Athletics history...played their first eight games on the road in 1927, 1981 and 1995...in 1996, the A's started the season with six games in Las Vegas as the home team followed by an eight-game road trip...following this trip, the A's are scheduled to play 13 of their next 15 games at home, with the two road games coming at San Francisco...begin the home schedule with a seven-game home-stand against Baltimore (four games) and Toronto (three games) on April 18.

**#1,000:** When Pete Kozma was called up for the final series of the 2021 season, he became the 999th player in Oakland history...the first new player to appear in a game for this year will be the 1,000th in Oakland history...the players on the A's Opening Day roster that have not played for Oakland yet include Justin Grimm, Zach Jackson, Dany Jiménez, Jake Lemoine, Billy McKinney, Adam Oller, Cristian Pache, Kevin Smith and Kirby Sneed.

**DURING THE SPRING:** The A's went 5-10-3 and finished with a losing record during the spring for the first time since 2018 when they went 14-16-2...the A's .278 winning percentage tied with the Dodgers (5-9-4) for the lowest in the Cactus League and tied for second lowest in the majors to the Nationals (4-11, .267)...it was the lowest during the spring in Oakland history...the previous low was .286 (4-10) in 1976...the 18 games were the A's fewest since 1990 when they had 16...tied for second in the CL in triples (6), ranked third in doubles (40) and grounded into the fewest double plays (8)...tied for the third fewest home runs (23) and scored the fifth fewest runs (97)...the pitching staff has the second highest opponents batting average in the CL (.298), third highest ERA (6.12), OPS (.852) and on-base percentage (.367) and fourth highest slugging percentage (.486)...has the second fewest strikeouts (152)...the defense committed the fewest errors in the CL (10) and tied for the lead in outfield assists (3)...played all 18 games in Arizona, which marks just the third time in Oakland history the A's have not played a Spring Training game outside the state of Arizona (1981, 2021)...in all other springs, have played at least one game in either the Bay Area, Las Vegas, Palm Springs, New Orleans or Bradenton, Fla.

**FOR OPENERS:** The A's have lost two of their last three openers after winning three of their previous four...are now 8-20 on Opening Day dating back to 1994...this marks the first time the A's have been the visiting team on Opening Day since April 6, 2009 at Los Angeles (AL), ending an American League record streak of 12 consecutive seasons as the home team in openers...opened in Japan in 2012 and 2019 but were the home team each year...this will be the first time the A's have faced a National League team on Opening Day...since moving to Oakland in 1968, the A's are 24-30 on Opening Day, including 20-15 in Oakland, 4-11 on the road, 0-3 in Tokyo and 0-1 in Las Vegas...all-time, the Athletics are 56-65 in openers.

**OPENING DAY STARTING LINEUPS:** Three players return from last year's Opening Day starting lineup (Andrus, Murphy, Pinder)...Chad Pinder is scheduled to make his fourth straight Opening Day start...the previous three came at three different positions (right field last year, second base in 2020, left field in 2019)...Sean Murphy is scheduled to make his third straight start Opening Day behind the plate

**ROSTER NOTES:** The A's open the season with 14 pitchers and 14 position players...this marks the fifth time in the last six years Oakland begins the season with at least 13 pitchers (13 in 2021, 15 on 2020's 30-man roster and 12 in 2019 in Japan)...nine players return from last years Opening Day roster (Andrus, Irvin, Kemp, Lowrie, Montas, Murphy, Pinder, Piscotty, Trivino)...eight other players on the roster played for the A's at some point last year (Acevedo, Allen, Blackburn, Bolt, Brown, Jefferies, Moll, Puk) and one was in the A's farm system (Jackson)...four were acquired in trades (Oller, Pache, Smith, Sneed) and one was claimed off waivers (Neuse)...five were signed as free agents, including one to a Major League contract (Vogt) and four to minor league contracts (Grimm, Jiménez, Lemoine, McKinney), which does not include Jed Lowrie, who re-signed as a free agent.

**TENURE:** Of the 28 players on the A's Opening Day roster, only five have played for Oakland in each of the previous four seasons...Chad Pinder has been with the club since 2016, Paul Blackburn and Frankie Montas since 2017 and Stephen Piscotty and Lou Trivino since 2018...only Jed Lowrie (2013-14, 16-18, 21) and Stephen Vogt (2013-17) have played for the A's prior to 2016, but both have played for other clubs since then...only Pinder and Piscotty have been on each of the last five Opening Day rosters and only Montas and Trivino have been on each of the last four...Chad Pinder, who was drafted on June 6, 2013, has the longest uninterrupted tenure in the A's organization...he is followed by Lou Trivino, who was drafted two days later.

**ROOKIE AND VETERANS:** The A's have 10 rookies on the Opening Day roster (Acevedo, Jackson, Jefferies, Jiménez, Lemoine, Oller, Pache, Puk, Smith, Sneed), which are the most since Opening Day rosters are first available in 1992 (previous: 7 in 2012)...employed just 13 rookies all last year, eight in 2020 and nine in 2019...five players have six or more years of service: Lowrie (13 years, 111 days), Andrus (13 years), Vogt (8 years, 64 days), Piscotty (6 years, 76 days) and Grimm (6 years, 50 days).

**THE YOUNG AND THE OLD:** The average age on the A's Opening Day roster is 28.82 years...Christian Pache, who is 23 years and 140 days, is the youngest...he is followed by Kevin Smith (25 years, 278 days), Daulton Jefferies (26 years, 249 days) and A.J. Puk (26 years, 348 days)...Jed Lowrie is the oldest at 37 years and 356 days...he is followed by Stephen Vogt (37 years, 158 days), Justin Grimm (33 years, 235 days) and Elvis Andrus (33 years, 225 days).

**THE INJURED LIST:** The A's begin the season with three players (Guerra, Honeywell, Kaprielian) on the injured list after starting the season with two last year and one in 2020...used the IL 27 times last year, which tied the Oakland record set in 2016...however, it was second fewest in the majors to Cleveland (18)...used it eight times in 2020, which was also second fewest to Cleveland (4), and 18 times in 2019, which tied for second fewest.

**NUMBER CHANGE:** Zach Jackson will switch to #61.

**A'S vs. PHILLIES:** The A's are 10-8 against the Phillies, which includes 6-3 in Oakland and 4-5 in Philadelphia...are 3-3 at Citizens Bank Park...last met in 2017 when the A's won two of three in Philadelphia...the A's have won two of three in all three series in Oakland (2005, 08, 14) and lost two of three in Philadelphia in 2003 and 2011.

### TODAY'S TIDBITS

Elvis Andrus is on his 14th consecutive Opening Day roster and is scheduled to make his 14th consecutive Opening Day start at shortstop...would become the 20th shortstop in Major League history with 14 or more Opening Day starts...Tony Kemp tied for the Major League lead in doubles this spring (6), tied for second in the Cactus League in extra base hits (8) and tied for third in runs (9)...Sean Murphy tied for the Major League lead in doubles this spring (6), tied for second in the Cactus League in extra base hits (8), ranked third in batting and fourth in slugging (.833) and OPS (1.319).

### THIS DATE IN ATHLETICS HISTORY

In 1934 the A's and the Phillies meet in a City Series game before 15,000 fans at Shibe Park for the first legal Sunday baseball game ever played in Philadelphia...in 1982 Rickey Henderson ties a club record with five walks but the A's lose to California 8-6 in 16 innings...in 2003 Barry Zito extends his winning streak to 10 games in the A's 2-1 win at Texas, the fifth winning streak of 10 or more games in Oakland history...in 2006 Zito combines with the A's bullpen on a one-hit shutout in a 3-0 win at Seattle after the A's pitching staff tosses a two-hit shutout against the Mariners the night before...the three hits allowed in consecutive games sets an Oakland record.

### PITCHING PROBABLES

Sat., April 9 at Philadelphia LHP Cole Irvin (10-15, 4.24 in 2021) vs. RHP Kyle Gibson (10-9, 3.71 in 2021) 4:05 ET NBCSCA/A's Cast/960 AM  
Sun., April 10 at Philadelphia RHP Daulton Jefferies (1-0, 3.60) vs. RHP Zach Eflin (4-7, 4.17 in 2021) 1:05 ET NBCSCA/A's Cast/960 AM

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## TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Frankie Montas (13-9, 3.37 ERA in 2021)

**FOR STARTERS:** Is scheduled to make his second career Opening Day start... also started the A's opener on July 24, 2020 against Los Angeles (AL) and had a no decision in the A's 7-3 win (4.0 ip, 3 h, 1 r, 1 er, 3 bb, 5 so)...is one of three pitchers to start two openers for the A's over the last nine years (Gray, 2014-15; Graveman, 2017-18)...is the only foreign-born pitcher in Oakland history with multiple Opening Day starts...Ariel Prieto (1997) is the only other foreign-born pitcher with an Opening Day start...this is Montas' seventh season in the majors and he is on his fifth Opening Day roster (2017, 19-22).

**FOUR-GAME WINNING STREAK:** Went 4-0 with a 1.84 ERA (9 er in 44.0 ip) and .178 (28-for-157) opponents batting average over his final seven starts last year...the four-game winning streak is one short of his career high of five from May 17 to June 15, 2019...his last loss came on Aug. 16 of last year at Chicago (AL).

**INTERLEAGUE PLAY:** Went 1-1 with a 5.26 ERA (25.2 ip, 25 h, 15 r, 15 er, 9 bb, 28 so, 2 hr) in five interleague starts last year...is now 3-5 with a 6.42 ERA (44 er in 61.2 ip) in 15 career games (12 starts) in interleague play...is 28-18 with a 3.45 ERA in 87 games (60 starts) against American League competition.

**SPRING TRAINING RECAP:** Made just two starts in Cactus League games this spring and was 0-1 with a 6.35 ERA...opponents went 10-for-25 (.400) and he walked one batter in 5.2 innings...the outings came on March 22 at Kansas City and March 27 against Seattle.

MONTAS' 2022 SPRING TRAINING STARTS												
Date	Opponent	Start/Rel	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR
Mar. 22	at Kansas City	S	3-5	—	0.00	2.2	4	0	0	0	1	0
Mar. 27	Seattle	S	1-7	L	6.35	3.0	6	4	4	1	3	1
Totals (2 games, 2 starts)				0-1	6.35	5.2	10	4	4	1	4	1

**MONTAS vs. PHILADELPHIA:** Is making his first career appearance and start.

MONTAS' CAREER MATCHUPS VS. PHILADELPHIA																
PLAYER	BA	OBP	SLG	OPS	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	K	SH	SF	HB	DP
Nick Castellanos	.333	.400	.556	.956	9	3	2	0	0	3	1	2	0	0	0	0
Didi Gregorius	.000	.000	.000	.000	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bryce Harper	-	1.000	-	1.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Jean Segura	.000	.000	.000	.000	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Ronald Torreyes	.000	.000	.000	.000	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

**2021 RECAP:** Went 13-9 with a 3.37 ERA and 207 strikeouts in 32 starts... his 32 starts doubled his previous career high of 16 in 2019 and his 187.0 innings pitched nearly doubled his previous best of 96.0 in 2019...had career highs in every category...had his second lowest ERA, opponents OPS, batting average and on-base percentage to his numbers in 2019 (2.63, .646, .230, .282)...led the A's in wins, ERA, strikeouts and innings pitched and tied for the lead in games started...finished sixth in AL Cy Young balloting and received 11 votes (2 third, 6 fourth, 3 fifth).

**STRIKEOUTS:** Finished with the second best strikeout total in Oakland history to Vida Blue's record of 301 in 1971...it was 10th best in Athletics history and second by an A's right-hander to Jack Coombs, who had 224 in 1910... is the fifth pitcher in Oakland history and the ninth in Athletics history (14 times) to fan 200 or more in a season...his average of 9.96 strikeouts per nine innings was the best in Athletics history ahead of Sean Manaea's 9.74 this year...the previous record was 8.80 by Todd Stottlemire in 1995...now has 469 career strikeouts in 448.0 innings, an average of 9.42 per nine innings.

**AMONG THE LEADERS:** Tied for the American League lead in games started, ranked third in opponents slugging percentage (.372) and innings pitched (187.0), fourth in ERA, opponents OPS (.723), strikeouts and fewest home runs per nine innings (1.08), tied for fifth in wins, seventh in batting average (.232), on-base percentage (.294) and winning percentage (.591) and eighth in strikeout-to-walk ratio (3.63)...also ranked third in pitches (3,028) and tied for fourth in wild pitches (11).

**BEFORE AND AFTER THE BREAK:** Was 8-7 with a 4.41 ERA, .258 opponents batting average, .737 OPS and 14 home runs in 100.0 innings and 18 starts before the All-Star Break...then went 5-2 with a 2.17 ERA, .199 opponents average, .575 OPS and six home runs in 87.0 innings and 14 starts after the break...had the lowest opponents OPS, slugging percentage (.303) and batting average after the break in the AL, ranked second in ERA, third in strikeouts (102) and fourth in on-base percentage (.272)...the strikeouts were fourth most in Oakland history after the break.

**OPPONENTS BATTING:** His opponents batting average broke down to .225 (78-for-346) with a .665 OPS against lefthanded hitters and .238 (86-for-361) with a .667 OPS against right-handers...had a .235 opponents average and 11 home runs with the bases empty, .227 with nine home runs with runners on base...opponents hit .190 the first time through the order, .273 the second time and .224 after that...held the opponent's number three hit-

ter to a .171 batting average, which was the lowest mark in the majors...had a .164 opponents average with two strikes and has a .164 career average in that situation.

**AGAINST THE WEST:** Went 5-4 with a 2.64 ERA and .207 opponents batting average in 12 starts against AL West teams compared to 8-5 with a 3.86 ERA and .248 opponents average in 20 starts against all other teams...is now 15-9 with a 3.32 ERA (77 er in 208.2 ip) in 45 career appearances against the AL West, 16-14 with a 4.32 ERA in 57 games against all other teams.

**SEVEN INNINGS OR FEWER:** Tossed seven innings or fewer in each of his 32 starts and now has a streak of 44 consecutive starts of seven innings or fewer dating back to Sept. 25, 2019...that is the longest such streak in Athletics history, topping the previous long of 40 by Chris Bassitt from May 21, 2019-May 16, 2021...last tossed more than seven innings on June 20, 2019 against Tampa Bay (8.0 ip)...had seven starts of 7.0 innings in 2021 and was 5-0 with a 0.73 ERA and .130 opponents average in those starts

**THIS AND THAT:** Was 5-2 with a 2.41 ERA in 11 starts during the day compared to 8-7 with a 3.91 ERA in 21 starts at night...his day ERA was third lowest in the AL...allowed 20 of his 79 runs in the third inning for a 5.68 ERA, .316 opponents batting average and .854 OPS...had a 2.53 ERA, .182 average and .586 OPS in innings 1-2, and a 3.15 ERA, .232 opponents average and .647 OPS from the fourth inning on...had 10 no decisions, five of which came in extra inning games...the A's were 17-15 (.531) in his starting assignments...had four games of 10 or more strikeouts, which tied for the fourth most 10-strikeout games in a season in Oakland history...now has seven in his career, which is tied for fifth in Oakland history...according to TruMedia, threw 678 splitters, which was second most in the majors (Gausman, SF 1061)...opponents hit .126 with a .352 OPS off his splitter and he allowed just one home run.

**2021 DAY-BY-DAY:** Finished April 2-2 with a 6.20 ERA in five starts...then went 3-3 with a 3.18 ERA in six starts in May...the three wins matched his most ever in a month and he had 38 strikeouts, which tied for eighth in the AL... won each of his first three starts in May and posted a 3.12 ERA over that stretch from May 3-14...struck out 11 batters in 6.0 innings in a 4-2 loss to Seattle on May 24...it was one of four games with 10 or more strikeouts (10, July 8 at Houston; 10, July 23 at Seattle; 10, July 29 at Los Angeles-AL) and the second highest single-game total of his career to his 13 against the Mariners in the final game of the 2020 season...tossed a season-high 7.0 innings June 15 against Los Angeles (AL) and allowed just two runs for the win...it was his first of seven starts of 7.0 innings...went 6-2 with a 2.24 ERA and .198 opponents batting average over his final 17 starts...struck out 10 batters in back-to-back starts on July 23 at Seattle and July 29 at Los Angeles (AL) to become the first A's pitcher with consecutive games of 10 or more strikeouts since Brandon McCarthy (Aug. 29-Sept. 3, 2011)...finished July with a 2-1 record, a 2.30 ERA and .204 opponents batting average in five starts...struck out 40 in 31.1 innings and walked just nine while surrendering two home runs...his strikeouts ranked fifth in the AL and fifth in Oakland history in the month of July...then went 1-1 with a 2.03 ERA and .212 opponents batting average in five starts in August...did not allow a home run in 31.0 innings, walked nine and struck out 35...the ERA was his lowest in a month with more than one game and ranked fifth in the AL in August...also ranked second in opponents slugging percentage (.240) and third in OPS (.512)...struck out eight batters on Aug. 4 against San Diego, giving him 45 strikeouts over a five-start stretch from July 8-Aug. 4...those were the second most strikeouts by an A's pitcher over a five-game span over the last 35 years...only Todd Stottlemire, with 46 from June 16-July 6, 1995, had more...tossed 7.0 scoreless innings and allowed two hits in back-to-back starts on Aug. 22 against San Francisco (ND) and Aug. 28 against New York-AL (W)...joins Bobby Witt (June 23-28, 1994) and Daniel Mengden (May 20-26, 2018) as the only pitchers in Athletics history with back-to-back starts of at least seven scoreless innings and two hits or fewer...left with a 1-0 lead in his start on the 22nd but the bullpen blew the save...it was the first of two times he left with the lead in one of his starts only to have the bullpen blow the save (Sept. 19 at Los Angeles-AL)... did not allow a run over his first four innings on Sept. 2 at Detroit to extend his scoreless streak to a career-high 18.0 innings...had a no decision in his 100th career appearance, a 3-2 A's win in 10 innings at Los Angeles (AL) on Sept. 19...tossed 7.0 scoreless innings and allowed just one hit...was named AL Pitcher of the Month for September after going 3-0 with a 2.19 ERA in six starts...held the opposition to a .193 batting average and struck out 40 in 37.0 innings...led the AL in ERA in September, ranked third in opponents batting average and slugging percentage (.341) and fifth in strikeouts and OPS (.622)...the three wins matched his most ever in a month and the 40 strikeouts tied for fifth most in Oakland history in September.

MONTAS BY THE NUMBERS						
	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2022	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
2021	13	9	3.37	32	187.0	70
Career	31	23	3.86	102	448.0	192
Home	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
Road	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
Day	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
Night	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
Pre-ASB	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
Post-ASB	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
			AVG.	AB	H	
vs. LHH			—	0	0	
vs. RHH			—	0	0	

MONTAS' CAREER HIGHS	
Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	8.2, 5/17/19 at DET
Fewest IP, GS:	1.2, 8/18/20 at ARI
H:	11, 6/14/18 vs. HOU
R:	9, 8/18/20 at ARI
ER:	9, 8/18/20 at ARI
BB:	5, 5/28/19 vs. LAA
SO:	13, 9/27/20 vs. SEA
HR:	3 (twice), last: 4/21/21 vs. MIN
Pitches:	113, 9/27/20 vs. SEA
Win Streak:	5, 5/17/19 to 6/15/19
Loss Streak:	3 (twice), last: 5/19/21 to 5/29/21
Scoreless Streak:	18.0, 8/22/21 to 9/2/21
Complete Games:	None
Shutouts:	None

TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER
<b>LHP Cole Irvin(10-10, 3.94 ERA):</b> Begins his fourth season in the majors, his second with the A's...also pitched for Philadelphia in 2019 and 2020...is on his third straight Opening Day roster...went 1-1 with a 6.43 ERA in four starts this spring...walked just two batters in 14.0 innings but opponents were 20-for-62 (.323)...will be making his first career appearance and start against the Phillies...is 1-1 with a 5.82 ERA (17.0 ip, 18 h, 12 r, 11 er, 6 bb, 7 so) in seven career appearances, including one start, at Citizens Bank Park...was acquired by the A's from Philadelphia for cash considerations on Jan. 30, 2021 and went 10-15 with a 4.24 ERA in 32 starts last year after going 2-2 with a 6.75 ERA in 19 games, including three starts, in two seasons with the Phillies...walked just 42 batters in 178.1 innings and his average of 2.12 walks per nine innings was eighth lowest in the American League...led the AL in losses, tied for the lead in starts and ranked 10th in innings pitched (178.1).

## ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

### 68 RHP DOMINGO ACEVEDO

**Last Outing:** 4/3 vs. San Diego (ND, 1.2 ip, 2 h, 2 bb, 2 so)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 0/0    **First Hitters:** 0-0

- Begins his second season in the majors and is on his first Opening Day roster.
- Compiled a 5.79 ERA and .263 opponents batting average in four appearances this spring, including one start.
- Has never faced the Phillies.

**Last Year:** Made his ML debut and compiled a 3.27 ERA and .225 opponents batting average in 10 relief appearances over two stints with the A's...was also 2-0 with nine saves, a 2.48 ERA and .186 opponent average in 30 relief appearances with Las Vegas.

### 46 RHP JUSTIN GRIMM

**Last Outing:** 4/5 at San Francisco (ND, 1.0 ip, 2 so)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 0/0    **First Hitters:** 0-0

- Was signed by the A's to a minor league contract on Nov. 29, 2021 and was selected from Triple-A Las Vegas yesterday...is one of five non-roster invitees to make the A's Opening Day roster.
- Begins his ninth season in the majors with his sixth team (Rangers, 2012-13; Cubs, 2013-17; Royals, 2018; Mariners, 2018; Brewers, 2020; A's, 2022)...pitched in 306 games from 2012-18 but has just four big league appearances over the previous three seasons.
- Is on his sixth Opening Day roster (2014, 16-18, 20, 22)...has pitched three times on Opening Day (1.2 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 2 bb, 1 so).
- Posted a 3.68 ERA and .222 opponents batting average in a team-leading seven appearances this spring...tied for the Cactus League lead in games pitched.
- Last faced the Phillies on May 4, 2017 while pitching for the Cubs (0.2 ip, 2 h, 2 bb, 1 so)

**Last Year:** Signed a minor league contract with Seattle on May 7 and spent the entire season at Triple-A Tacoma where he was 3-1 with a career-high five saves and a 4.37 ERA in 45 games, including one start.

### 61 RHP ZACH JACKSON

**Last Outing:** 4/4 vs. San Francisco (ND, 1.2 ip, 3 so)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 0/0    **First Hitters:** 0-0

- Was selected from Triple-A Las Vegas yesterday and will be making his Major League debut.
- Was a non-roster invitee this spring and is one of five non-roster invitees to make the A's Opening Day roster...did not allow a run in five of his six spring appearances for a 1.35 ERA...allowed a .208 opponents batting average and struck out 11 batters in 6.2 innings...now has a 0.66 ERA in 14 career spring outings.
- Was originally a third round pick of Toronto in the 2016 draft and was selected by the A's in the Triple-A portion of the 2020 Rule 5 draft...is 16-8 with 14 saves and a 3.00 ERA in 170 career relief appearances in five seasons in the minors...has 281 strikeouts in 227.2 innings.

**Last Year:** Split his season between Double-A Midland and Triple-A Las Vegas and combined for a 2-2 record, a career-high tying six saves and a 2.57 ERA in 25 relief appearances before a right hip labral tear ended his season in mid-July.

### 56 RHP DANY JIMENEZ

**Last Outing:** 4/4 vs. San Francisco (ND, 1.2 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 1 so)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 0/0    **First Hitters:** 0-0

- Was signed by the A's to a minor league contract on Oct. 15, 2021 and was selected from Triple-A Las Vegas yesterday...is one of five non-roster invitees to make the A's Opening Day roster.
- Begins his second season in the majors and is on his second Opening Day roster...pitched in two games for San Francisco in 2020.
- Began the spring with five straight scoreless outings (4.1 ip) and had a 1.50 ERA in six appearances overall...opponents were 3-for-19 (.158) but he walked four batters in 6.0 innings.
- Has never faced the Phillies in his career.

**Last Year:** Was with the A's during Spring Training after being selected in the Rule 5 draft but was returned to Toronto March 15...spent the entire regular season with Triple-A Buffalo and was 3-3 with three saves and a 2.22 ERA in 39 games, including one start.

### 71 RHP JAKE LEMOINE

**Last Outing:** 4/4 vs. San Francisco (ND, 1.1 ip, 1 h)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 0/0    **First Hitters:** 0-0

- Was selected from Triple-A Las Vegas yesterday and will be making his Major League debut.
- Was signed by the A's to a minor league contract on Jan. 8, 2022 and is one of five non-roster invitees to make the A's Opening Day roster.
- Did not allow a run in six Spring Training appearances (7.1 ip)...opponents went 2-for-22 (.091) with two walks and a hit by pitch...has not allowed a run in eight career appearances during the spring (9.0 ip, 4 h, 3 bb, 5 so).
- Was a fourth round pick of Texas in 2015 but did not pitch in 2015-16 (rotator cuff) or 2020 (pandemic)...is 15-14 with 16 saves and a 3.14 ERA in 166 games, including one start, in four seasons in the minors...has just 237.2 career innings pitched as a minor leaguer.

**Last Year:** Spent the entire season at Triple-A Round Rock in the Texas organization where he went 7-4 with three saves, a 2.86 ERA and .203 opponents batting average in 45 appearances, including one start.

### 60 LHP SAM MOLL

**Last Outing:** 4/5 at San Francisco (ND, 1.0 ip, 2 so)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 0/0    **First Hitters:** 0-0

- Begins his third season in the majors, all with Oakland (2017, 21-22), and is on his first Opening Day roster.
- Did not allow a run in five of his six Spring Training appearances for a 1.59 ERA...opponents hit .250 but he did not walk a batter in 5.2 innings while striking out nine.
- Has never faced the Phillies in his career.

**Last Year:** Began the season at Triple-A Reno in the Arizona farm system but had three stints with the A's following a July 2 trade and compiled a 3.48 ERA in eight appearances...had a 4.58 ERA and .231 opponents average in 33 games with Reno and Las Vegas.

### 33 LHP A.J. PUK

**Last Outing:** 4/5 at San Francisco (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 2 so)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 0/0    **First Hitters:** 0-0

- Begins his third season in the majors and is on his first Opening Day roster.
- Had no decisions and a 6.52 ERA in six appearances during the spring...opponents hit .278 (10-for-36)...also walked seven batters, which tied for second most in the Cactus League.
- Has never faced the Phillies in his career.

**Last Year:** Spent most of the season at Triple-A Las Vegas where he was 2-5 with a save and a 6.10 ERA in 29 games, including four starts...also had two stints with Oakland and was 0-3 with a 6.08 ERA and .310 opponents average in 12 relief appearances.

### 54 LHP KIRBY SNEAD

**Last Outing:** 4/5 at San Francisco (ND, 0.1 ip, 1 so)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 0/0    **First Hitters:** 0-0

- Was acquired from the Toronto Blue Jays with Zach Logue, Kevin Smith and minor leaguer Gunnar Hoglund for Matt Chapman on Mar. 16.
- Begins his second season in the majors and is on his first Opening Day roster.
- Went 1-0 with a 3.60 ERA in six Spring Training appearances...opponents were 5-for-18 (.278)...allowed one run in each of his first two appearances, but none in his last four (3.0 ip).
- Has never faced the Phillies in his career.

**Last Year:** Made his Major League debut with Toronto and was 0-1 with a 2.35 ERA in seven relief appearances over four stints with the Blue Jays...was also 2-0 with four saves and a 1.58 ERA in 36 games, including one start, with Triple-A Buffalo.

### 62 RHP LOU TRIVINO

**Last Outing:** 4/5 at San Francisco (ND, 1.0 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 2 so)  
**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 0/0    **First Hitters:** 0-0

- Begins his fifth season in the majors and is on his fourth consecutive Opening Day roster.
- Has not allowed a run in two career Opening Day appearances (2.0 ip, 3 so), including last year against Houston (1.0 ip) and 2019 against Seattle (1.0 ip, 3 so).
- Did not allow a run over his first four Cactus League outings (4.0 ip) before yielding a run in the eighth inning in his last appearance on Tuesday at the Giants...finished with a 1.80 ERA in five games but opponents hit .318.
- Has never faced the Phillies in his career.
- Has a 1.27 ERA (5 er in 28.1 ip) in 24 career appearances in April.

**Last Year:** Saved a team-leading 22 games in his first season as closer and was 7-8 with a 3.18 ERA and .216 opponents batting average in 71 relief appearances...converted 22-of-26 (84.6%) save opportunities, which was the sixth best percentage in the AL.

# ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

## 30 AUSTIN ALLEN

**Current Streak:** 0 for 0  
**Philadelphia Series:** 0-0  
**Road Trip:** 0-0

- Begins his fourth season in the majors, his second with the A's.
- Is on his second Opening Day roster (2020 with Oakland) but has not played in an opener.
- Batted .105 with a home run and three RBI in nine games this spring... went 0-for-13 over his final six games.

**Last Year:** Went 2-for-8 (.250) with a home run and RBI in four games over two stints with the A's...also hit .317 with 20 HR and 53 RBI in 72 games with Triple-A Las Vegas... led the A's farm system in batting and slugging (.584) and ranked third in home runs.

## 17 ELVIS ANDRUS

**Current Streak:** 0 for 0  
**Philadelphia Series:** 0-0  
**Road Trip:** 0-0

- Begins his 14th season in the majors, his second with the A's...is the active leader in stolen bases (317) and games at shortstop (1771).
- Is on his 14th consecutive Opening Day roster and is scheduled to make his 14th consecutive Opening Day start at shortstop...would become the 20th shortstop in Major League history with 14 or more Opening Day starts...is 11-for-47 (.234) with five doubles, a triple, home run and three RBI in his previous 13 openers.
- Hit .281 with a home run and four RBI in 11 games this spring...went 6-for-12 (.500) over his final four contests.

**Last Year:** Hit .243 with three home runs and 37 RBI in 146 games in his first season with the A's after spending his first 12 years with Texas...had the second lowest OPS and slugging percentage in the majors and the fifth lowest on-base percentage in the AL.

## 11 SKYE BOLT

**Current Streak:** 0 for 0  
**Philadelphia Series:** 0-0  
**Road Trip:** 0-0

- Begins his third season in the majors and is on his first Opening Day roster.
- Went 4-for-29 (.138) with a home run and three RBI in 17 games this spring...added seven walks for a .306 on-base percentage...tied for the Cactus League lead in games played and tied for seventh in walks...appeared in 10 games in center field, four in right field and three in left field.
- Finished the 2022 season with a career-high 0-for-22 streak.

**Last Year:** Had one stint with the Giants and three with the A's and batted a combined .088 with a home run and four RBI in 34 games...also played in 51 games for Triple-A Las Vegas and hit .387 with nine home runs and 29 RBI.

## 15 SETH BROWN

**Current Streak:** 0 for 0  
**Philadelphia Series:** 0-0  
**Road Trip:** 0-0

- Begins his fourth season with the A's.
- Is on his second Opening Day roster (2020) but has not played on Opening Day.
- Batted .147 with a home run and three RBI in 12 games this spring...tied for fourth in the Cactus League in strikeouts (15)...appeared in six games in right field, four at first base and two at designated hitter.

**Last Year:** Batted .214 with 20 home runs and 48 RBI in 111 games as a rookie...became the ninth rookie in Oakland history to hit 20 or more home runs...ranked third among American League rookies in slugging (.480) and tied for fifth in home runs.

## 5 TONY KEMP

**Current Streak:** 0 for 0  
**Philadelphia Series:** 0-0  
**Road Trip:** 0-0

- Begins his seventh season in the majors, his third with the A's.
- Is on his fourth consecutive Opening Day roster (2019 with Houston, the last three with Oakland)...has played just once on Opening Day and it came in 2020 with the A's...did not have an at bat after pinch running for Pinder in the seventh inning.
- Hit safely in nine of his 11 games this spring and batted .343 with six doubles...tied teammate Sean Murphy for the Major League lead in doubles...tied for second in the Cactus League in extra base hits (8) and tied for third in runs (9)...started 10 games at second base and one in left field...now has a .320 (32-for-100) average in 41 games in three Spring Trainings with the A's.
- Did not commit an error in the outfield last year and now has a 218-game errorless streak as an outfielder dating back to his last error on May 25, 2016 against Baltimore.

**Last Year:** Had the best season of his six-year career as he batted a career-high .279 with a career-high tying 8 HR and a career-high 37 RBI in a career-high 131 games... also walked a career-high 52 times, which fueled a career-high .382 on-base pct.

## 8 JED LOWRIE

**Current Streak:** 0 for 0  
**Philadelphia Series:** 0-0  
**Road Trip:** 0-0

- Was re-signed as a free agent on March 26 and begins his 14th season in the majors, his seventh with the A's (2013-14, 16-18, 21)...his 826 games in an Oakland uniform are the most by an Athletic over the last 19 years (2004-present).

- Is on his 10th Opening Day roster (2009, 2011, 2013-18, 21-22), his seventh with the A's.

- This is his age 38 season, which will make him the oldest non-pitcher to play for the A's since Jason Giambi appeared in 83 games in 2009 at the age of 38.

- Played in four games this spring after signing on March 26 and went 5-for-11 (.455) with three RBI...made two starts at designated hitter and two at first base...has never started a regular season game at first base and has 11 career appearances at first (seven in 2010, four in 2011) with the last coming on Sept. 6, 2011.

- Has 449 games played as a second baseman with the A's and needs three more to tie Mike Gallego for fourth in Oakland history and 10th in Athletics history.

- Is a .305 (245-for-804) career hitter in the month of April with 25 home runs and 122 RBI in 223 games...the average, home runs and RBI are his best for any month.

- Hit .303 in 18 interleague games last year.

**Last Year:** Was signed by the A's to a minor league contract on Feb. 10 after playing in just nine games over the previous two seasons and ended up batting .245 with 28 doubles, 14 home runs and 69 RBI in 139 games in his third stint with Oakland.

## OAKLAND A'S CAREER LEADERS

### DOUBLES

1. Rickey Henderson	289
2. Eric Chavez	282
3. Jason Giambi	241
4. Reggie Jackson	230
5. Joe Rudi	214
6. Sal Bando	208
7. Terry Steinbach	205
8. Mark Ellis	204
9. Carney Lansford	201
10. Jed Lowrie	200

### GAMES AS SECOND BASEMAN

1. Mark Ellis	1021
2. Dick Green	721
3. Tony Phillips	529
4. Mike Gallego	452
5. Jed Lowrie	449

## 28 BILLY MCKINNEY

**Current Streak:** 0 for 0  
**Philadelphia Series:** 0-0  
**Road Trip:** 0-0

- Was signed by the A's to a minor league contract on March 16 and was selected from Triple-A Las Vegas yesterday...is one of five non-roster invitees to make the A's Opening Day roster.

- Begins his fifth season in the majors, his first with the A's...was Oakland's first round selection (24th pick overall) in the 2013 draft and has been traded six times in his career...played in the majors with the Yankees (2018), Blue Jays (2018-20), Brewers (2021), Mets (2021) and Dodgers (2021).

- Is on an Opening Day roster for the fourth consecutive season but has played just once in an opener...had a pinch hit single for the Brewers last year on April 1 against the Twins.

- Batted .258 with two home runs and five RBI in 14 games this spring...appeared in five games in left field, four at first base, four in right field and one at designated hitter

- Has a .344 (22-for-64) average with four home runs and 10 RBI in 27 career interleague games.

**Last Year:** Was traded three times, including once following the season, and batted .192 with nine home runs and 27 RBI in a career-high 116 games with Milwaukee, New York (NL) and Los Angeles (NL)...also had career highs in triples (3) and walks (32).

## 12 SEAN MURPHY

**Current Streak:** 0 for 0  
**Philadelphia Series:** 0-0  
**Road Trip:** 0-0

- Begins his fourth season in the majors and is on his third consecutive Opening Day roster.

- Has started each of the A's last two openers at catcher and is 0-for-4 with a walk on Opening Day.

- Hit .433 with six doubles, two home runs and eight RBI in 11 games during the spring...tied teammate Tony Kemp for the Major League lead in doubles...tied for second in the Cactus League in extra base hits (8), ranked third in batting, fourth in slugging (.833) and OPS (1.319), seventh in on-base percentage (.486) and tied for ninth in hits (13).

**Last Year:** Batted .216 with 17 home runs and 59 RBI in 119 games in his first full season...added 40 walks and was hit by a pitch 12 times for a .306 on-base percentage... became the first catcher in Athletics history to win an American League Gold Glove.

**26 SHELDON NEUSE**

**Current Streak:** 0 for 0  
**Philadelphia Series:** 0-0  
**Road Trip:** 0-0

- Was claimed off waivers from the Los Angeles Dodgers March 16...was traded by the A's to the Dodgers in February of last year with Gus Varland for Adam Kolarek and Cody Thomas.
- Begins his third season in the majors, his second with the A's (2019)...played for the Dodgers last year and did not play in the pandemic-shortened 2020 season.
- Is on his first Opening Day roster.
- Hit .343 with four home runs and eight RBI in 15 games this spring...tied for third in the Cactus League in home runs and ranked eighth in slugging (.743)... appeared in nine games at third base, five at second base and one at designated hitter.

**Last Year:** Was acquired by Los Angeles (NL) from Oakland prior to the start of Spring Training and batted .169 with 3 HR and 4 RBI in 33 games over two stints with the Dodgers...also hit .293 with 13 HR and 56 RBI in 78 games with Oklahoma City.

**20 CRISTIAN PACHE**

**Current Streak:** 0 for 0  
**Philadelphia Series:** 0-0  
**Road Trip:** 0-0

- Was acquired from Atlanta with Ryan Cusick, Joey Estes and Shea Langeliers for Matt Olson on March 14...was rated as the Braves top prospect by MLB.com prior to the deal.
- Begins his third season in the majors and is on his second consecutive Opening Day roster.
- Was the Braves Opening Day starter in center field last year on April 1 at Philadelphia and went 1-for-4 with a double.
- Hit .222 with two doubles, a triple and RBI in 14 games this spring...played in 13 games in center field and also pinch hit once.

**Last Year:** Was on the Opening Day roster for Atlanta and hit .111 with a home run and four RBI in 22 games over two stints with the Braves...also batted .265 with 11 home runs and 44 RBI in 89 games with Triple-A Gwinnett.

**10 CHAD PINDER**

**Current Streak:** 0 for 0  
**Philadelphia Series:** 0-0  
**Road Trip:** 0-0

- Begins his seventh season in the majors and is the only player on the A's roster that has played for Oakland in each of the previous six seasons.
- Is on his fifth straight Opening Day roster...has started each of the A's previous three openers at three different positions (right field in 2021, second base in 2020, left field in 2019)...is 5-for-11 (.455) with a double and two multiple hit games in three career openers.
- Batted .300 with four doubles, a home run and seven RBI in 11 games during the spring...reached base safely in 10 of his 11 games...started seven games in left field and four at third base...has hit at least .300 in each of his last four springs and is batting .348 (49-for-141) over that span.
- Finished the 2022 season with a career-high tying eight-game hitting streak (9-for-29, .310).
- Is a .304 (42-for-138) career hitter with eight home runs and 19 RBI in 48 career games in April...the average is his best for any month of the season.

**Last Year:** Batted .243 with 6 HR and 27 RBI in 75 games in a season shortened by two stints on the injured list with a sprained left knee and a strained right hamstring...has started games at at least six different positions in each of the previous four full seasons.

**25 STEPHEN PISCOTTY**

**Current Streak:** 0 for 0  
**Philadelphia Series:** 0-0  
**Road Trip:** 0-0

- Begins his eighth season in the majors, his fifth with the A's.
- Is on his seventh straight Opening Day roster (2016-17 with St. Louis, 2018-22 with Oakland).
- Started five consecutive openers in right field from 2016-20 and is 2-for-17 (.118) with five walks and a home run in those contests.
- Did not play during the spring until March 28 and went 5-for-16 (.313) with three walks in six games.
- Did not committ an error last year and now has a 259-game errorless streak dating back to his last miscue on July 24, 2018 at Texas, which is the longest in Athletics history by an outfielder.
- Is a .300 (15-for-50) career hitter against Philadelphia with six doubles, a home run and nine RBI in 13 games.
- Went 9-for-24 (.375) in eight interleague games last year.

**Last Year:** Was limited to 72 games due to two stints on the injured list with a left wrist injury that eventually required surgery...batted .220 with five home runs and 16 RBI in 72 games...had career lows in batting average and slugging percentage (.353).

**1 KEVIN SMITH**

**Current Streak:** 0 for 0  
**Philadelphia Series:** 0-0  
**Road Trip:** 0-0

- Was acquired from Toronto on March 16 with Gunnar Hoglund, Zach Logue and Kirby Snead for Matt Chapman...was rated as the Blue Jays ninth-best prospect by MLB.com at the time of the trade.
- Made his Major League debut with the Blue Jays last year and is on his first Opening Day roster with the A's this year.
- Batted .325 with three home runs and 11 RBI in 16 games this spring...tied for third in the Cactus League in runs (9) and at bats (40), tied for fourth in RBI, tied for fifth in games and tied for ninth in hits (13)...played in nine games at third base, six at shortstop, one at second base and one at designated hitter.

**Last Year:** Spent most of the season at Triple-A Buffalo where he hit .285 with 21 home runs and 69 RBI in 94 games...also made his Major League debut with Toronto and went 3-for-32 (.094) in 18 games over two stints with the Blue Jays.

**21 STEPHEN VOGT**

**Current Streak:** 0 for 0  
**Philadelphia Series:** 0-0  
**Road Trip:** 0-0

- Was signed as a free agent on March 24.
- Begins his 10th Major League season, his sixth with the A's (2013-17)...has also played for Tampa Bay (2012), Milwaukee (2017), San Francisco (2019), Arizona (2020-21) and Atlanta (2021).
- Is on his seventh Opening Day roster (Tampa Bay, 2012; Oakland 2015-17, 22; Arizona, 2020-21).
- Has made four career Opening Day starts at catcher, including three straight with the A's from 2015-17...also started for Arizona last year and is 6-for-17 (.353) with a double, three home runs and five RBI in five career openers.
- Went 2-for-13 (.154) with a walk in six games this spring...played in three games at catcher, two at first base and one at designated hitter.
- Has caught 315 games with the A's, which is one short of tying Jim Essian for ninth most in Oakland history.

**Last Year:** Began the season with Arizona and was traded to Atlanta on July 16...combined for a .195 average, seven home runs and 25 RBI in 78 games...added 26 walks for a .283 on-base percentage

**A'S HITTING VS. PHILADELPHIA**

2022						CAREER				
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	PLAYER	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
---	0	0	0	0	Allen	.667	3	2	0	0
---	0	0	0	0	Andrus	.270	37	10	0	1
---	0	0	0	0	Bolt	---	0	0	0	0
---	0	0	0	0	Brown	---	0	0	0	0
---	0	0	0	0	Kemp	.000	6	0	0	0
---	0	0	0	0	Lowrie	.250	28	7	1	3
---	0	0	0	0	McKinney	.273	33	9	2	4
---	0	0	0	0	Murphy	---	0	0	0	0
---	0	0	0	0	Neuse	---	0	0	0	0
---	0	0	0	0	Pache	.108	37	4	0	0
---	0	0	0	0	Pinder	.222	9	2	1	1
---	0	0	0	0	Piscotty	.300	50	15	1	9
---	0	0	0	0	Smith	---	0	0	0	0
---	0	0	0	0	Vogt	.250	40	10	2	3
---	0	0	0	0	TOTALS					

**A'S CAREER HITTING VS. NOLA**

PLAYER	BA	OBP	SLG	OPS	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SH	SF	HBP	GDP
Tony Kemp	.000	.000	.000	.000	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Billy McKinney	.000	.000	.000	.000	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Cristian Pache	.167	.167	.333	.500	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1
Stephen Piscotty	.250	.333	.250	.583	8	2	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0
Stephen Vogt	.200	.333	.200	.533	5	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0

# OAKLAND ATHLETICS OPENING DAY INFORMATION

## WON-LOSS RECORD

<b>Overall:</b> .....	24-30
<b>Home:</b> .....	20-15
<b>Road:</b> .....	4-11
<b>Neutral:</b> .....	0-4
<b>By Opponent</b>	
Baltimore.....	0-2
Boston.....	0-2
Chicago.....	2-1
Cleveland.....	0-3
Detroit.....	1-1
Houston.....	0-1
Kansas City.....	2-0
Los Angeles.....	5-2
Milwaukee.....	1-1
Minnesota.....	5-5
New York.....	1-1
Seattle.....	3-8
Texas.....	4-0
Toronto.....	0-2
Washington.....	0-1
Consecutive Wins:.....	6 (1988-93)
Consecutive Losses:.....	10 (2005-14)
Consecutive Openers at Home:.....	12 (2010-21)
Consecutive Openers in Oakland:.....	6 (1988-93)
.....	6 (2013-18)
Consecutive Openers on Road:.....	2 (1970-71)
.....	2 (1994-95)

## CAREER LEADERS

<b>Hits</b>	
14	Rickey Henderson
10	Terry Steinbach
9	Sal Bando
9	Reggie Jackson
9	Carney Lansford
8	Tony Armas
8	Mark McGwire
8	Dwayne Murphy
8	Joe Rudi
7	Dave Henderson
<b>Home Runs</b>	
4	Khris Davis
3	Dave Henderson
3	Terry Steinbach
2	Geronimo Berroa
2	Jason Giambi
2	Rickey Henderson
2	Reggie Jackson
2	Troy Neel
2	Matt Olson
2	<b>Stephen Vogt</b>
<b>RBI</b>	
9	Terry Steinbach
8	Khris Davis
8	Dave Henderson
7	Mark McGwire
6	Dick Green
6	Dwayne Murphy
5	Erubiel Durazo
5	Rickey Henderson
5	Matt Chapman
5	Matt Olson
<b>Wins</b>	
4	Dave Stewart
2	John Odom
2	Mike Torrez
1	16 players tied
<b>Saves</b>	
4	Dennis Eckersley
3	Rollie Fingers
1	Santiago Casilla
1	Rick Honeycutt
1	Arthur Rhodes
<b>Strikeouts</b>	
15	Dave Stewart
12	Tim Hudson
11	Rollie Fingers
10	Sonny Gray
10	Curt Young
9	Vida Blue
9	John Odom
9	Carlos Reyes
8	four players tied

## SINGLE GAME RECORDS

<b>Team, Batting</b>	
At Bats.....	43 (1980)
Runs.....	9 (1993)
Hits.....	13 (2002, 1991)
Doubles.....	4 (five times, last: 2002)
Triples.....	2 (1970)
Home Runs.....	4 (2000)
Total Bases.....	23 (2002, 1997)
Extra Base Hits.....	7 (1997)
RBI.....	9 (1993)
Walks.....	8 (1994)
Strikeouts.....	12 (1998 and 2007)
Hit By Pitch.....	2 (2012)
Sacrifice Hits.....	3 (1972)
Sacrifice Flies.....	2 (1994)
GIDP.....	4 (2010)
Stolen Bases.....	4 (1993)
Caught Stealing.....	2 (1977)
<b>Team, Pitching</b>	
Innings.....	12.0 (1980)
Hits.....	17 (2006)
Runs.....	15 (2006)
Earned Runs.....	14 (2006)
Walks.....	10 (2001)
Strikeouts.....	14 (2011)
Home Runs.....	3 (five times, last: 2018)
Hit Batters.....	3 (2006)
Wild Pitches.....	2 (1970, 1981, 2019)
Balks.....	1 (1988)
<b>Team, General</b>	
Margin of Victory.....	8 (2014, 8-0)
Margin of Defeat.....	13 (2006, 2-15)
Errors.....	5 (2011)
Double Plays.....	3 (1993, 1973)
Left On Base.....	13 (1991)
Extra Inning Games.....	8 (1972, 1980, 1982, 1987, 2008, 2012, 2018, 2020)
Shutouts by Oakland.....	2 (2003, 2015)
Shutouts by Opponents.....	8 (1971, 1978, 1998, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2013, 2014)
Attendance, Home.....	53,498 (2000)
Attendance, Road.....	52,012 (1994)
<b>Individual, Batting</b>	
At Bats.....	5 (59 times, last: Matt Chapman, 2020)
Runs.....	3 (four times, last: Ramon Laureano, 2020)
Hits.....	4 (Reggie Jackson, 1974)
Doubles.....	2 (five times, last: Billy Butler, 2016)
Triples.....	1 (eight times, last: Matt Chapman, 2020)
Home Runs.....	2 (Khris Davis, 2017)
.....	2 (Jason Giambi, 2000)
Grand Slams.....	Matt Olson, 2020
.....	Terry Steinbach, 1994
.....	Eric Fox, 1993
Pinch Hit Home Runs.....	none
Leadoff Home Runs.....	none
Game Ending Home Runs.....	Matt Olson, 2020
Total Bases.....	9 (Rajai Davis, 2017)
.....	9 (Reggie Jackson, 1974)
Extra Base Hits.....	3 (Reggie Jackson, 1974)
RBI.....	5 (Erubiel Durazo, 2003)
Walks.....	3 (Sal Bando, 1975; Daric Barton, 2008 and 2010)
Strikeouts.....	4 (Jack Cust, 2008)
Hit By Pitch.....	1 (11 times, last by Ramón Laureano, 2020)
Sacrifice Hits.....	1 (12 times, last by Coco Crisp, 2014)
Sacrifice Flies.....	2 (Ruben Sierra, 1994)
GIDP.....	2 (four times, last: Nick Hundley, 2019)
Stolen Bases.....	2 (three times, last: Rickey Henderson, 1995)
Caught Stealing.....	1 (12 times, last by Collin Cowgill, 2012)
<b>Individual, Pitching</b>	
Complete Games.....	Mike Norris (1981)
.....	Mike Torrez (1977)
.....	John Odom (1969)
Innings.....	9.0 (three times, last by Mike Norris, 1981)
Hits.....	12 (Chris Codiroli, 1985)
Runs.....	9 (Dave Stewart, 1995)
Earned Runs.....	7 (Dave Stewart, 1995 and Barry Zito, 2006)
Walks.....	6 (Bobby Witt, 1994 and Tim Hudson, 2001)
Strikeouts.....	10 (Curt Young, 1987)
Home Runs.....	3 (Carlos Reyes, 1996 and Kendall Graveman, 2018)
Hit Batters.....	2 (Brad Halsey, 2006 and Rich Hill, 2016)
Wild Pitches.....	2 (Mike Fiers, 2019; Mike Norris, 1981; John Odom, 1970)
Balks.....	1 (Dave Stewart, 1988)
<b>Individual, General</b>	
Errors.....	2 (five times, last: Kevin Kouzmanoff, 2011)

**OPENING DAY RESULTS**

Year	Date	Opponent	W-L	Score	Winner	Loser	Attend.
1968	April 10	at Baltimore	L	1-3	Phoebus	Hunter	22,050
1969	April 8	Chicago	W	5-2	Odom	Peters	23,610
1970	April 7	at Kansas City	W	6-4	Odom	Bunker	18,127
1971	April 5	at Washington	L	0-8	Bosman	Blue	45,061
1972	April 15	Minnesota	W	4-3 (11)	Locker	LaRoche	9,912
1973	April 6	Minnesota	L	3-8	Blyleven	Hunter	37,972
1974	April 4	at Texas	W	7-2	Hunter	Bibby	21,907
1975	April 8	Chicago	W	3-2	Blue	Wood	17,474
1976	April 9	at California	W	5-2	Torrez	Tanana	30,094
1977	April 9	Minnesota	W	7-4	Torrez	Schuler	12,562
1978	April 7	at California	L	0-1	Tanana	Langford	29,194
1979	April 6	Minnesota	L	3-5	Goltz	Langford	10,387
1980	April 10	Minnesota	L	7-9 (12)	Corbett	McCatty	24,415
1981	April 9	at Minnesota	W	5-1	Norris	Koosman	42,658
1982	April 6	California	W	3-2 (11)	Jones	Aase	48,348
1983	April 4	Cleveland	L	5-8	Sutcliffe	Langford	34,831
1984	April 3	Milwaukee	W	6-5	Burgmeier	Fingers	45,398
1985	April 9	at Seattle	L	3-6	Moore	Codiroli	37,161
1986	April 8	Minnesota	L	2-3	Viola	Codiroli	44,726
1987	April 7	at Minnesota	L	4-5 (10)	Frazier	Krueger	43,548
1988	April 4	Seattle	W	4-1	Stewart	Langston	45,333
1989	April 3	Seattle	W	3-2	Stewart	Langston	46,163
1990	April 9	Minnesota	W	8-3	Stewart	Anderson	45,207
1991	April 9	Minnesota	W	7-2	Stewart	Morris	44,373
1992	April 6	Kansas City	W	5-3	Honeycutt	Aquino	44,078
1993	April 5	Detroit	W	9-4	Welch	Moore	43,370
1994	April 5	at Milwaukee	L	7-11	Kiefer	Ontiveros	52,012
1995	April 26	at Toronto	L	1-13	Cone	Stewart	50,426
1996	April 1	vs. Toronto*	L	6-9	Hanson	Reyes	7,292
1997	April 2	Cleveland	L	7-9	Kline	Wengert	41,332
1998	April 1	Boston	L	0-2	Martinez	Candiotti	36,915
1999	April 4	New York	W	5-3 (8)	Mathews	Stanton	46,380
2000	April 3	Detroit	L	4-7	Nomo	Appier	53,498
2001	April 2	at Seattle	L	4-5	Rhodes	Mecir	45,911
2002	April 1	Texas	W	8-3	Mulder	Park	43,908
2003	April 1	Seattle	W	5-0	Hudson	Garcia	41,723
2004	April 5	Texas	W	5-4	Bradford	Nelson	45,122
2005	April 4	at Baltimore	L	0-4	Lopez	Zito	48,271
2006	April 3	New York	L	2-15	Johnson	Zito	35,077
2007	April 2	at Seattle	L	0-4	Hernandez	Haren	46,003
2008	March 25	Boston^	L	5-6 (10)	Okajima	Street	44,628
2009	April 6	at Los Angeles	L	0-3	Saunders	Braden	43,220
2010	April 5	Seattle	L	3-5	League	Ziegler	30,686
2011	April 1	Seattle	L	2-6	Hernandez	Breslow	36,067
2012	March 28	Seattle^	L	1-3 (11)	Wilhelmsen	Carignan	44,227
2013	April 1	Seattle	L	0-2	Hernandez	Anderson	36,067
2014	March 31	Cleveland	L	0-2	Allen	Johnson	36,067
2015	April 6	Texas	W	8-0	Gray	Gallardo	36,067
2016	April 4	Chicago	L	3-4	Sale	Hill	35,067
2017	April 3	Los Angeles (AL)	W	4-2	Graveman	Nolasco	36,067
2018	March 29	Los Angeles (AL)	W	6-5 (11)	Hatcher	Ramirez	27,764
2019	March 20	Seattle^	L	7-9	Gonzales	Fiers	45,787
2020	July 24	Los Angeles (AL)	W	7-3 (10)	Smith	Robles	—
2021	April 1	Houston	L	1-8	Greinke	Bassitt	10,436

\*Las Vegas, NV

^Tokyo, Japan

**OAKLAND A'S OPENING DAY TRIVIA**

**Most Starts**

12	Rickey Henderson
11	Eric Chavez
9	Sal Bando
9	Reggie Jackson
9	Carney Lansford
9	Mark McGwire
9	Terry Steinbach
8	Bert Campaneris
8	Dwayne Murphy
8	Mark Ellis

**Most Starts by Position**

Pitcher	Stewart 6, Langford 5, Hunter 3, Hudson 3
Catcher	Steinbach 9, Suzuki 5, Hernandez 4, Heath 4
First Base	McGwire 9, Giambi 4, Barton 4, Olson 4
Second Base	Ellis 8, Green 6, Phillips 4, <b>Lowrie 4</b>
Third Base	Chavez 10, Bando 9, Lansford 9, Chapman 4
Shortstop	Campaneris 8, Semien 6
Left Field	Henderson 12, Rudi 4, six with 2
Center Field	Murphy 8, North 5, D. Henderson 5, Monday 4
Right Field	Jackson 8, Armas 5, Canseco 5, Davis 5
DH	Berroa 3, Durazo 3, Davis 3

**Consecutive Starts**

Pitcher	5 Dave Stewart (1988-92)
Catcher	9 Terry Steinbach (1988-96)
First Base	8 Mark McGwire (1988-95)
Second Base	7 Mark Ellis (2005-11)
Third Base	9 Sal Bando (1968-76)
	9 Eric Chavez (1999-2007)
Shortstop	6 Marcus Semien (2015-20)
Left Field	6 Rickey Henderson (1990-95)
Center Field	8 Dwayne Murphy (1980-87)
Right Field	8 Reggie Jackson (1968-75)
DH	3 Geronimo Berroa (1995-97)
	3 Erubiel Durazo (2003-05)
	3 Khris Davis (2018-20)

**Youngest Opening Day Starters**

Claudell Washington, LF (1975)	20 years, 220 days
Rickey Henderson, LF (1980)	21 years, 106 days
Eric Chavez, 3B (1999)	21 years, 119 days
Claudell Washington, RF (1976)	21 years, 221 days
Vida Blue, P (1971)	21 years, 251 days
Jose Canseco, LF (1986)	21 years, 280 days
Reggie Jackson, RF (1968)	21 years, 327 days
Ben Grieve, RF (1998)	21 years, 332 days

**Youngest Players on Opening Day Roster**

Mike Norris (1975)	20 years, 20 days
Claudell Washington (1975)	20 years, 220 days
Mike Davis (1980)	20 years, 304 days
Jose Rijo (1986)	20 years, 330 days
Mike Norris (1976)	21 years, 21 days
Trevor Cahill (2009)	21 years, 36 days
Brett Anderson (2009)	21 years, 64 days
Rickey Henderson (1980)	21 years, 106 days
Eric Chavez (1999)	21 years, 119 days
Alan Wirth (1978)	21 years, 120 days

**Oldest Opening Day Starters**

Reggie Jackson, DH (1987)	40 years, 324 days
Tom Candiotti, P (1998)	40 years, 213 days
Joe Morgan, 2B (1984)	40 years, 196 days
Tony Phillips, 2B (1999)	39 years, 344 days
Randy Velarde, 2B (2002)	39 years, 128 days
Rickey Henderson, LF (1998)	39 years, 97 days
Don Baylor, DH (1988)	38 years, 281 days
Mike Piazza, DH (2007)	38 years, 209 days
Dave Stewart, P (1995)	38 years, 66 days
Davey Lopes, 2B (1983)	37 years, 336 days

**Oldest Players on Opening Day Roster**

Fernando Rodney (2019)	42 years, 2 days
Doug Jones (1999)	41 years, 285 days
Rich Gossage (1993)	41 years, 274 days
Tom Candiotti (1999)	41 years, 217 days
Reggie Jackson (1987)	40 years, 324 days
Rick Honeycutt (1995)	40 years, 301 days
Rich Gossage (1992)	40 years, 276 days
Tom Burgmeier (1984)	40 years, 245 days
Tom Candiotti (1998)	40 years, 213 days
Dennis Eckersley (1995)	40 years, 205 days