FRIDAY, AUGUST 25, 2023-7:10 PM (CT) - TV: BALLY SPORTS NORTH / RADIO: TIBN, WCCO, THE WOLF


## SEASON AT A GLANCE

Under Baldelli (since '19): 354-320
Home Record:
Road Record:
Record in series:
Record in home series:
Record in road series:
….................37-26 29

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Series Openers

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THE TWINS: After completing. their two-game roadtrip in Milwaukee with two losses to the Brewers, the TWins began their seven-game homestand with a victory over the Rangers last night...tonight, they will play the second of four against Texas through the weekend...after thins series, Minnesota will orst the Guardians for three gan
the
Twins have gone $37-26$ at home and $29-36$ on the road.
$\mp$ After a win last night and two Guardians losses to the Dodgers yesterday the Twins enter today with a 6.0 -game lead over Cleveland, the biggest division lead in the AL. क Of the Twins' 34 remaining games, they have an opponent winning percentage of 470
 York-NL and Tampa Bay).
TEXAS LONG BALLS: The Twins beat the Rangers last night at Target Field by a score of 7-5 scoring three runs in the bottom of the eight for their 30th comeblack win this season...Pablo López was the starter but did not factor into the decision, allowing five runs on 10 hits in 5.0 innings pitched, including three home runs...Minnesota's offense answered with five home runs of their own, including one from Royce Lewis (6), Kyle Farmer (8), Ryan Jeffers (10) and two from Michae and Jeffers recorded his second career pinch-hit homer (4 fh for a Twin this season) the Twins finished with 11 hits, marking their seventh time with double-digit hit totals in their last 10 games

RANGER THINGS: The Twins and Rangers are playing each other tonight for the second of seven meetings in 2023..the Twins went 2-5 against the Rangers last season, going 1-2 $\Phi$ Since the start of 2021, 14 of 15 games between these two have been decided by three runs-or-fewer, while eight games have been decided by one run.
$\Phi$ Since the start of 2019, the Twins have scored 5.3 runs-per-game in 22 games against the
Rangers...marks the second-most against any AL club in that span, trailing Seattle (5.8)
क Carlos Correa has 20 career home runs vs. the Rangers (99 games), his most against any
opponent... 20 homers are the fifth most among actives, trailing Mike Trout (44), George
क Joey Gallo was selected by the Rangers 39th overall in the 2012 MLB Draft and spent his
for Texas (2015-21), Gallo hit 211 (385-tor-1826) with 74 doubles, 145 home runs, 317 RBI
2020 and '21...... homered as a 20 -year-old this ballpark during the SiriusXM Futures Game in 2014 and won the game's MVP...he ranks 17th on the Rangers all-time home run list.
STARTERS ONLY: Twins starters have combined to go 4-1, 3.11 ERA (55.0 IP, 19 ER) with 19 walks and 56 strikeouts in their last 10 games...below is a look at the wwins starting staff through games of August 24 last season, compared to this season...in parentheses are the MLB rankings: $\begin{array}{cccccccc} & \text { ERA } & \text { BAA } & \text { OPS } & \text { FIP } & \text { WHIP } & \text { K/9.0 } & \text { BB/9.0 } \\ 2022 & 4.00(18) & .240(12) & .705(15) & 4.04(16) & 1.20(10) & 7.64(21) & 2.63(11) \\ 2023 & 3.84(6) & 240(4) & 693(3) & 375(2) & 1.17(2) & 9.79(1) & 232(3)\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{lllllll}2023 & 3.84(6) & .240(4) & .693(3) & 3.75(2) & 1.17(2) & 9.79(1)\end{array} \quad 2.32(3)$
WET HOT MINNESOTA SUMMER: The Twins have gone $11-4$ in 15 home games since the All-Star
break for a .733 winning percentage, the third best in baseball, trailing Washington (.778-
14-4) and Los Angeles-NL (.737 - 14-5)...Twins batters have slashed .253/.329/.453 with a
.782 OPS and 4.7 runs-per-game in 63 home games this season, compared to $0228 / .308 / .391$ with a . 699 OPS and 4.2 runs-per-game in 65 road games.

## ROOKIES THAT RAKE:

$\Phi$ After starting the season hitting . 182 (6-for-33) with a 576 OPS in his first eight games
 seven three-plus-hit games.
( 36 -for-112) with 19 walks, a . 421 on-base percentage and
क Matt Wallner has four doubles, nine home runs, 21 RBI , nine walks, 20 runs scored, a .347
on-base percentage, a . 547 slugging percentage and an . 894 OPS in his last 35 games. ฐ Below are AL rookie rankings among hitters with a minimum of 125 plate appearances: AVG Yoshida -. 295 Gelof - 294 Julien-. 379 Lewis -.880 $\quad$ Lewis-141.5 Lewis -. $381 \quad$ Y. Díaz-. 367
 Y. Díaz-. 287 Gelof -. $360 \quad$ Y. Díaz-. 843 Y. Díaz-127.4 Y. Díaz-. 367 Jung-. 489

AMERICA'S NEXT TOP JEFF: Since the All-Star break, Ryan Jeffers is hitting .329 (25-for-76) with four doubles, six homer unss, 17 RBI, 10 walhs, a 420 on- -ases percentage, a 618 slugging percentage and a 1.0390 OPS. he has raised his opS 95 points since the break, going from
778 to 873 . since the break he ranks ninth in the American Leasue in OPS
 (.375); third in batting average (.282) and slugging percentage (.493); and fifth in runs (.375); third in battin
created $/ 27$ (5.64).

| STREAKS |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Current Streak | 1 win |
| Last 5 games. | 2-3 |
| Last 10 games. | 6-4 |
| Last 15 games | 7-8 |
| Last 20 games. | 11-9 |


| TWINS VS. RANGERS |  |  |  |
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| 2023 Record: ................................... 1-0 |  |  |  |
| Current Streak: ............................. 1 win |  |  |  |
| 2023 at Home: .................................1-0 |  |  |  |
| 2023 at Texas: |  |  |  |
| Under Baldelli (since 2019):..............13-9 |  |  |  |
| All-Time Record (since 1972): ......283-282 |  |  |  |
| All-Time at Home: .......................151-129 |  |  |  |
| All-Time at Texas: ....................... 132-153 |  |  |  |
| 2023 Game Logs: |  |  |  |
| Date | Site | Score | Winner/Loser/Save |
| 8/24 | MIN | 7-5 | Winder/Sborz/Jax |
| 8/25 | MIN |  | 7:10 pm (CT) |
|  |  |  | 6:15 pm (CT) |
|  | MIN |  | 1:10 pm (CT) |
| 9/1 | TEX |  | 7:05 pm (CT) |
| 9/2 | TEX |  | 6:15 pm (CT) |
|  | TEX |  | 1:35 pm (CT) |

## CURRENT HOMESTAND (1-0)

Batting average Runs Per Game
Home Runs
RISP..
Team ERA
Starters W-L
Starters ERA
Relievers W-L-S
Relievers ERA
Saves/Opps
TWINS STARTERS - Ks PER SEASON

1) 1967
2) 2023 ....................................................................... 8481

## MLB FIP LEADERS <br> Sonny Gray, MIN

Kevin Gausman, TOR
Spencer Strider, ATL............................ 2.86

## MLB PITCHING LEADERS

 HOME RUNS ALLOWED (min. 125.0 IP) Sonny Gray, MINMarcus Stroman, C

## MLB OPPONENT SLG LEADERS

Sonny Gray, MIN
Marcus Stroman
Blake Snell, SD
10,000 RAKES: The Twins have hit 62 home runs since the All-Star break, the most in the AL and second most in baseball, trailing Atlanta (71)...on the season, they have homered 177 times, tied with Texas for third most in the AL and tied for fifth most in baseball. $\Phi$ Twins have 20 homers in their last 11 games, averaging 1.8-per-game in that span.

TWINS ON A STICK: The Minnesota Twins Experience is now, at the Minnesota State Fair through Monday, September 4 ...interactive games giveaways and special appearances are part of the team's daily lineup...the Minnesota Twins Experience is located on the south end of giveaways and special appearances are part of the team saila some of the ways fans can engage with the Twins at the Great Minnesota Get-Together (subject to change).
$\Phi$ Royce Lewis and Jose Miranda will visit Monday, August 28 from 12:00 to 1:00 pm.
क Hall of Famer Bert Blyleven appeared at the farr earlier today and will be there again tomorrow from 10:30 to 11:30 am.
क Hall of Famer Tony Oliva will be at the Experience on Thursday, August 31 and Friday, September 1 from 10:30 to 11:30 am.
DID SOMEONE ORDER A HAMBURGER? ....WELL DONE: On this day in 2008, the Twins acquired old friend and left-handed pitcher Eddie Guardado from the Rangers in exchange for minor league right-handed pitcher Mark Hamburger...Guardado appeared in nine games for the Twins down the stretch, allowing six runs on 12 hits in 7.0 innings pitched...Eddie signed back with the Rangers the next offseason where he finished his major league career.


## SONNY GRAY

Height: 5-10 Weight: 190 B/: R/R Age: 33 (11/7/1989 in Smyma, TNN) 2023: 6-6, 3.15 ERA CAREER: 96-83, 3.52 ERA

## $\Phi$ Making his season.

Owns the fifth-lowest ERA (3.15)among qualified American League pitchers, trailing NYY's Gerrit Cole (3.03), BAL's Kyle Bradish (3.03), LAA's Shohei Ohtani and SEA's Luis Castillo ( (3.15); ranks 10th in baseball. Facing exas for the first time since August 22,2022 (L, 6.0 IP, $5 \mathrm{H}, 2 \mathrm{R} / \mathrm{ER}, 1 \mathrm{HR}, 1 \mathrm{BB}, 6 \mathrm{~K}$ )...is 9 - 5 ,
3.17 ERA ( $105.0 \mathrm{IP}, 37 \mathrm{ER}$ ) with 32 walks and 89 strikeouts in 17 career appearances against the Rangers (including 16 starts).
cquired by the Twins on March 13, 2022 in a trade with the Cincinnati Reds, along with right-handed pitcher Francis Peguero, in exchange for right-handed pitcher Chase Petty

| Date Opp. Dec. | IP | R ER | HR BB | So Left/Final | Notes |  | Pitches/K |
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| 4/1 at KC W1 | 5.0 | 0 | 04 | 1 1-0/2-0 | Walked 4 of his first 13 batters faced |  | 83/52 (62.7\%) |
| 4/7 vs. HOU ND | 7.0 | 11 | 01 | 13 1-1/3-2 | Reached career high 13 Ks |  | 98/61 (62.2\%) |
| 4/12 vs. CWS W2 | 5.0 | 0 | 02 | 1-0/3-1 | 3 d consecutive start of 1 R or less |  | 78/45 (57.7\%) |
| $4 / 18$ at BOS ND | 5.0 | 11 | 02 | 1-1/4-5 | Most hits allowed since 8/8/22 |  | 98/62 (63.3\%) |
| 4/24 vs. NYY W3 | 7.0 | 00 | 02 | 5-0/6-1 | Most pitches thrown since 8/14/20 |  | 107/66 (61.7\%) |
| 4/30 vs. KC W4 | 6.0 | 511 | 01 | 8-1/8-4 | Twins scored 7 runs in the third |  | 95/65 (68.4\%) |
| APRIL TOTALS 4-0 | 35.025 | 5 | 12 | 41 |  |  | 0.77 ERA |
| 5/6 at CLE ND | 5.0 | 33 | 03 | 2-3/3- | First $2+\mathrm{R}$ outing this season |  | 90/55 (61.1\%) |
| $5 / 12$ vs. CHC ND | 5.1 | 11 | 01 | 2-1/2-6 | Recorded first 4 Ks looking |  | 94/57 (60.6\%) |
| $5 / 17$ at LAD ND | 4.0 | 22 | 03 | 1-2/3-7 | Shortest outing since 9/24/22 |  | 84/54 (64.3\%) |
| $5 / 23$ vs.SF ND | 5.0 | 62 | 02 | 3-0/3-4 | Second $100+$ pitch outing of season Retired 9 of first 11 batters faced |  | 105/69 (65.7\%) |
| $5 / 29$ at HOU ND | 6.0 | 43 | 03 | 4-1/7-5 |  |  | 79/46 (58.2\%) |
| MAY TOTALS 0-0 | 25.123 | 31110 | 12 | 28 |  |  | 3.55 ERA |
| 6/3 vs.CLE L1 | 6.210 | 0 | 10 | 2-3/2-4 | Allowed first home run of the season |  | 90/62 (68.9\%) |
| $6 / 9$ at TOR ND | 5.0 | 511 | 02 | 2-1/3-2 | Least pitches thrown this Season-high-tying 4 BB |  | 76/49 (64.5\%) |
| $6 / 15$ vs. DET ND | 4.0 | 22 | 04 | 4-2/4-8 |  |  | 79/45 (57.0\%) |
| $6 / 21$ vs. BOS ND | 5.0 | 33 | 12 | 3-3/5-4 | Season-high-tying 4 BB Twins won, $5-4$, in the 10th |  | 92/60 (65.2\%) |
| 6/26 at ATL L2 | 6.2 | 31 | 11 | 1-2/1-4 | 10th-straight start without a W |  | 102/67 (65.7\%) |
| JUNE TOTALS 0-2 | 27.131 | 11212 | 39 | 20 |  |  | 3.95 ERA |
| $7 / 2$ at BAL ND | 6.0 | 0 | 03 | 1-0/1-2 | First scoreless outing since 4/24 |  | 87/55 (63.2\%) |
| $7 / 8$ vs. BAL L3 | 6.0 | 66 | 03 | 2-6/2-6 |  |  | 91/60 (65.9\%) |
| $7 / 17$ at SEA L4 | 5.2 | 55 | 04 | 3-5/6-7 | 1 bases-loaded BB issued |  | 101/55 (54.5\%) |
| 7/22 vs. CWS ND | 6.0 | 22 | 01 | 1-2/3-2 | 8th QS of the season Allowed first HR to KC since 8/1/14 |  | 88/59 (67.0\%) |
| 7/28 at KC ND | 6.0 | 53 | 10 | 2-3/5-8 |  |  | $80 / 56$ (70.0\%) |
| JULY TOTALS 0-2 | 29.225 | 51616 | 11 | 26 |  |  | 4.85 ERA |
| $8 / 3$ at STL W5 | 7.0 | 22 | 10 | 5-2/5-3 | Snapped 15-game winless streak |  | 77/55 (71.4\%) |
| $8 / 8$ at DET L5 | 6.0 | 32 | 0 | 10 0-3/0-6 | Fourth-consecutive quality sta Season-low-tying H allowed |  | 90/65 (72.2\%) |
| $8 / 13$ at PHI W6 | 6.0 | 00 | 03 | 2-0/3-0 |  |  | 80/51 (63.8\%) |
| $8 / 19$ vs.PIT L6 | 6.2 | 44 | 03 | 2-3/4 | Pitched 5.1 perfect innings |  | 93/60 (64.5\%) |
| AUG. TOTALS 2-2 | 25.018 | 898 | 16 | 32 |  |  | 2.81 ERA |
|  |  | RECORD | IP | H R | ER | HR BB | SO ERA |
| 2023 TOTALS |  | 6-6 | 143.0 | 123 | 50 | 50 | 1473.15 |
| CAREER TOTALS |  | 96-83 | 1530.0 | 1315 | 599 | 143539 | 14853.52 |

LAST TIME OUT: Took the loss and snapped his season-long five-game quality start streak in his last start on August 19 vs. Philadelphia...pitched 6.2 innings and allowed four runs on four hits, three walks and seven strikeorts and to Andrew McCutchen and an RBI single single and issuing a walk, Gray permitted a two-run single
 Floro was replaced by Jordan Bazovic after issuing two walks in the eighth Balazovic surrendered three-run home run to McCutchen in the ninth

कHas pitched at least 6.0 innings in six-stra
prost sing (career high is 13 in 2015 with Oakland)

TWO STARTS AGO: Earned the win in his fifth-consecutive quality start on August 13 against Philadelphia at Citizens Bank Park...pitched 6.0 scoreless innings and allowed a season-low tying two hits, three walks and seven strikeouts in a 3-0 Twins' victory....allowed a single to Alec Bohm in 13 of the final 16 batters he faced after the second single...relieved by Griffin Jax in the seventh inning who loaded the bases with two singles to Cave and Garrett Stubbs and hit Johan Rojas with a pitch...replaced by Caleb Thielbar who escaped the bases-loaded jam...Thielbar combined with Emilio Pagán to pitch a scoreless eighth inning....Jhoan Duran pitched a scoreless ninth...the Twins run support came from Jordan Luplow (solo home run in the first) and Jorge Polanco (two RBI singles in the third and ninth innings).

玉Extended his quality start streak to five games, his longest quality start streak as a Twin...
went 2-1 with a 2.61 ERA ( 31.0 IP, 9 ER), four walks and 34 strikeouts in that span.
LIMITING THE LONGBALL: Gray has allowed only five home runs in 25 starts this season, the fewest in baseball among pitchers with at least 15 starts...Is one of two pitchers in Twins' history (since 1961) to allow five-or-fewer home runs in his first 25 starts of the year, joining Francisco Liriano (3 HR through first 25 GS in 2010)...his 0.31 home runs-per-9.0 inning ratio is the lowest by a qualified pitcher in Twins' history (1961-) and the lowest by any pitcher in baseball since teammate Dallas Keuchel posted a 0.28 home runs-per- 9.0 inning ratio in 2020 with Chicago-AL.
BIG TEX: Gray is looking to avoid extending his two-game losing streak against the Rangers, dating back to July 8, 2022...owns a 5.91 ERA (10.2 IP, 7 ER) with three walks and six strikeouts in those Texas (including 16 starts) last faced the Rangers on August 222022 at Target Field, when he lexas (including 16 starts)...last faced the Rangers on August 22, 2022 at Target Field, when he took the 2-1 wins' defeat after pitching 6.0 innings and allowing two runs on five hits (1 HR), with ie was innings before 45 strikeouts in nine career appearances ( 8 starts) against the Rangers at home.
$\Phi$ Owns the second-lowest ERA against the Rangers since 2014 (min. 15 GS), trailing only Justin Verlander (2.62)...also owns the third-lowest opponent batting average (.235), trailing Félix Hernández (.205) and Verlander (.218)

THE ARSENAL: Gray has used a six-pitch mix this season, per Baseball Savant...currently uses his 4 -seam fastball the most at 25.9 percent...recorded five of his seven strikeouts using his sweeper in his last start on August 19 vs. Pittsburgh....primarily uses his curveball (275 pitches) and changeup (142 pitches) against lefties and his cutter (238 pitches), sinker (312 pitches) and sweeper (309 PITCH (AVG MPH) $\qquad$
$\qquad$ RESULTS 4-Seam Fastball (92 $\qquad$ PCI. \# \# OF PITCHES, VS. RHB/LHB) R, 3 HR, 9

K
Curveball (79.5).
Sinker (92.7)...
Cutter (87.5)
$\qquad$ ..19.1\% (427 pitches, 309/118).... ‥ 121 (18-for-149), $42 \mathrm{ZB}, 82 \mathrm{~K}$ Changeup (87.6)
$\qquad$ $.15 .8 \%$ ( 353 pitches, $312 / 41$ ) . 244 (20-for-82) 2 2B, $13 \mathrm{~B}, 1 \mathrm{HR}, 24 \mathrm{~K}$
 sweeper, sinker, cutter and changeup)
क Owns the lowest opponent batting average against a sweeper in the majors (min. 100 PA )...also owns the highest whiff percentage against a sweeper ( 43.9 , min. 150 PA ).
SPINNIN' LIKE A BALLERINA: Gray fastball currently has a spin rate of 2552, the third highest in his career (2541 in 2022 and 2526 in 2019)...ranks in the 96 th percentile in baseball and is the highest on the Twins pitching staff.

## 2023 HIGHS

CG's:
SHO's: -
CG Low-Hit: -
Innings: 7.0, 3 x , last: $8 / 3$ at STL SO's: 13, 4/7 vs. HOU Walks: 4, 3x, last: $7 / 17$ at SEA Hits: $10,6 / 3$ vs. CLE Home Runs: 1,5x, last: $8 / 3$ at STL Win-Streak: 4, 4/1-4/30 Loss-Streak: 4, 6/3-7/17

## CAREER HIGHS

CG's: 1, 6x, last: 9/12/17 vs. HOU SHO's: 1, 4x, last: 7/28/15 at LAD CG Low-Hit: $2,2 x$, last 7/12/15 at CLE Innings: 9.0, $5 x$, last: 8/7/15 vs. HOU SO's: 13, 4/7/23 vs. HOU Walks: $7,5 / 3 / 15$ at TEX Hits: $11,2 x$, last: $5 / 3 / 16$ vs. SEA Home Runs: $3,5 x$, last: $7 / 25 / 21$ vs. STL Win-Streak: 5, 2x, last: 7/30-9/1/21 Loss-Streak: 4, 2x, last: 6/3-7/17/23

## CAREER NOTES

- Twins are fourth organization (Oakland 2011-17, New York-AL 2017-18 and Cincinnati 2019-21).
- Acquired by Minnesota on March 13, 2022 in a trade with the Reds, along with righthanded pitcher Francis Peguero, in exchange for right-handed pitcher Chase Petty.
Reds (2019-2020) and Twins rosters with the
- Named to American League All-Star team in 2015 for Oakland and the National League squad in 2019 for Cincinnati (did not pitch in either).
2019 recipient of the Johnny Vander Meer Award as the Reds' Most Outstanding Pitcher and finished second to Atlanta's Josh Donaldson in voting for the MLBPA's National League Comeback Player of the Year Award.
- Named to Baseball America's 2019 major league All-Star second team...named American League Pitcher of the Month for April in 2014...in 2013 was the Athletics' Minor League Pitcher of the Year and a Baseball America Triple-A All-Sta
- Originally selected by Oakland in first round (18th overall) in 2011 First-Year Player Draft out of Vanderbilt University...led Vandy to its first NCAA College World Series berth in 2011. - Is 0-2, 2.95 ERA (21.1 IP, 7 ER) with 12 walks, 18 strikeouts and a .189 opponent batting average in four career Postseason starts.


## 2023 MISC. NUMBERS

|  | W | L | ERA | G/GS | IP | ER |  | AVG | H | AB | HR | BB | SO |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Home: | 3 | 3 | 3.23 | 12/12 | 69.2 | 25 | Vs. Left: . | . 243 | 62 | 255 | 3 | 23 | 63 |
| Road: | 3 | 3 | 3.07 | 13/13 | 73.1 | 25 | Vs. Right: . 21 | . 216 | 61 | 283 | 2 | 27 | 84 |
| Day: | 4 | 1 | 2.29 | 9/9 | 51.0 | 13 | TOTALS: . | . 229 | 123 | 538 | 5 | 50 | 147 |
| Night: | 2 | 5 | 3.62 | 16/16 | 92.0 | 37 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Grass: | 6 | 6 | 3.20 | 24/24 | 138.0 | 49 | None On: . | . 220 | 72 | 328 | 4 | 20 | 95 |
| Turf: | 0 | 0 | 1.80 | 1/1 | 5.0 | 1 | Runners On: |  | 51 | 210 | 1 | 30 | 52 |
| 6.0-PLUS IP/QUALITY STARTS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| YEAR |  | STARTS |  | $6+$ IP | QS |  | YEAR |  | TARTS | 6+1 |  | QS |  |
| 2013 |  | 10 |  | 6 | 6 |  | 2019 |  | 31 | 17 |  | 17 |  |
| 2014 |  | 33 |  | 27 | 26 |  | 2020 |  | 11 | 5 |  | 5 |  |
| 2015 |  | 31 |  | 25 | 22 |  | 2021 |  | 26 | 9 |  | 9 |  |
| 2016 |  | 22 |  | 13 | 10 |  | 2022 |  | 24 | 9 |  | 9 |  |
| 2017 |  | 27 |  | 19 | 17 |  | 2023 |  | 25 | 14 |  | 12 |  |
| 2018 |  | 23 |  | 9 | 8 |  | TOTALS |  | 263 | 153 |  | 141 |  |

MORE 2023 MISCELLANEOUS NUMBERS
GRAY:
$\begin{array}{cccc}\text { BASE RUNNERS } & \text { PICK-OFFS } & \text { SB-ATT } & \text { GIDP }\end{array}$
2023 RUNS/HITS PER INNING

| INNING: | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| RUNS/HITS: $3 / 11$ | $9 / 25$ | $6 / 21$ | $10 / 29$ | $6 / 17$ | $10 / 13$ | $7 / 7$ | $-/-$ | $-/-$ |  |

## GRAY VS. TEXAS

2022 vs. Texas (2 starts): $0-2,5.91$ ERA ( $10.2 \mathrm{IP}, 7$ ER), 3 BB, 6 K
2022 vs. Texas at Home ( 1 start): 0-1, 3.00 ERA ( 6.0 IP, 2 ER), 1 BB, 6 K
2022 vs. Texas on Road (1 start): 0-1, 9.64 ERA (4.2 IP, 5 ER), 2 BB, 0 K
Career vs. Texas (17 games/16 starts): 9-5, 3.17 ERA (105.0 IP, 37 ER), 32 BB, 89 K
Career vs. Texas at Home (9 games/8 starts): 3-4, 4.06 ERA ( $51.0 \mathrm{IP}, 23 \mathrm{ER}$ ), $13 \mathrm{BB}, 45 \mathrm{~K}$
Career vs. Texas on Road (8 games/starts): 6-1, 2.33 ERA (54.0 IP, 14 ER), 19 BB, 44 K
BATTER-PITCHER MATCH-UPS

| Gray vs. the Rangers |  |  |  |  |  |  | Dunning vs. the Twins |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| PLAYER | AVG | AB | H | HR | BB | SO | PLAYER | AVG | AB | H | HR | BB | SO |
| Miller | . 262 | 42 | 11 | 0 | 3 | 11 | Buxton | . 500 | 10 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| Grossman | . 111 | 18 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 10 | Kepler | . 250 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Semien | . 250 | 12 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | Vázquez | . 333 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Hedges | . 333 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | Kirilloff | . 400 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Seager | . 167 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | Polanco | . 000 | 5 |  | 0 | 4 | 1 |
| García | . 400 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | Gallo | . 000 | 4 | - | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Lowe | . 200 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Jeffers | . 250 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Heim | . 250 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | Correa | . 333 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Scherzer | . 000 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | Castro | . 000 | 2 |  | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Smith | . 333 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Taylor | . 000 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Taveras | . 000 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | Gordon | 1.000 | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | 0 |
| Duran | . 500 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Miranda | 1.000 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Eovaldi | . 000 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Garver | . 000 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Gray | - | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

BACK HOME: Gray is making his second-consecutive home start...marks his 13th home start of the season; is $3-3,3.23$ ERA ( $69.2 \mathrm{IP}, 25$ ER) with 22 walks and 74 strikeouts in his 12 prior home outings...has allowed three-or-fewer earned runs in 10 of his 12 home starts this season; yielded six runs in 6.0 innings on July 8 vs. Baltimore and four runs in 6.2 innings in his last start on August 19 vs. Pittsburgh...also has five quality starts at home this year is $7-5,295$ FRA (137.1 IP 45 FR) with 47 walks and 152 strikeouts in 25 hom starts since becoming a Twin.
$\Phi$ Owns the seventh-lowest opponent batting average at home since 2022 (.222) among American League pitchers with at least 25 home starts in that span.

RIGHT WAY: Gray has seen more success against right-handed hitters as opposed to left-handed hitters this season...Gray has held righties to a . 216 (61-for-283) batting average with 84 strikeouts as opposed to lefties who are batting .243 (62-for-255) with 63 strikeouts...allowed all four hits to righties (4-for-14) in his last start on Augus 19 vs. Pittsburgh, lefties went 0-for-10...since becoming a Twin, lefties are slashing 225/.281/.330 against him while righties are batting .228/.305/.330
$\Phi$ Owns the fourth-lowest OPS against righties (.571) among qualified pitchers this
season (3rd best in the American Leal season (3rd best in the American League).

कWinder（W 2）and Jax（SV 2）combined to throw 4.0 no－hit IP w／ 3 BB and 4 K in yesterday＇s win vs．TEX．．．prior to yesterday＇s game，＇pen last recorded a no－hit game on $8 / 5 \mathrm{vs}$ ．ARI． $\Phi$＇Pen went 0－2，3．42 ERA（ 26.1 IP， 10 ER）w／ 3 HR（C．Seager x2 \＆N．Lowe）， 8 BB， $29 \mathrm{~K}, 6 \mathrm{HLD} \& 2 \mathrm{SV}$ in 7 G in the 2022 season vs．TEX．
$\Phi$＇Pen has thrown 1,281 offspeed pitches， 4 th most in baseball trailing NYY（ $(1,753$ ），DET（ 1,396 ）\＆ $\operatorname{CIN}(1,375)$ ）．．averaging 90.3 mph on all pitches， 6 th－hardest throwing＇pen in MLB（3rd in AL）． $\Phi$＇Pen has $T-12$ th lowest XBA（．232）and 16 th lowest wOBA（．308）in MLB．．．also，MIIN relievers have allowed the fewest hits（ 371 ）among all MLB bullpens．
$\Phi$＇Pen has 4.41 ERA w／9．0 K／9．0 IP \＆． 244 BAA in 65 road games，compared to 3.98 ERA w／9．2 K／9．0 IP \＆ 230 BAA in 60 home games．

## JORDAN BALAZOVIC－RHP



RECENT APPEARANCES DATE DEC IP $\quad$ H $\quad$ R $\quad$ ER $\quad$ HR $\quad$ BB SO $8 / 23$ at MIL
$8 / 20$ vs．PIT

8／1 $8 / 4 \mathrm{vs}$ ARI
$8 / 3$ at $T L$ $8 / 3$ at STL ／1 at STL $1 / 22$ v．CW

$7 / 19$ at SEA | $7 / 16$ at OAK |
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| $7 / 15$ at OAK |

## DYLAN FLORO－RHP <br> P Weight： 203

 Age$\qquad$ 32 （12／27／1990 in Merced，CA）
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Hegit：0－2 ， 45.00 （1．0 IP， 5 ER）， 2 K， 0 B $\qquad$ Series at MIL：0－1－0， 45.00 （1．0 IP，5ER）， 2 K， 0 BB $\quad$ vs．Left ． 369 vs．Right 283
$\Phi$ Took his 6 th L，first as a Twin，allowing 5 R on 6 H in $8 / 22$ loss at MIL．．．． 5 ER tied his career high \＆set season high； 6 H also set season high $\Phi$ Went $3-5$ with a 4.54 ERA（ $39.2 \mathrm{IP}, 20 \mathrm{ER}$ ）， $7 \mathrm{SV}, 11 \mathrm{BB}, 41 \mathrm{~K}$ ，a 1.49 WHIP and a $9.3 \mathrm{~K} / 9.0 \mathrm{IP}$ ratio in 43 relief appearances for the Marlins this season $\mp$ MIN is 6th MLB org．，previously was with Tampa Bay（2012－16），Chicago－NL（2017），Cincinnati（2018），Los Angeles－NL（2018－20）\＆Miami（2021－23） $\Phi$ Matched his season high with 1.2 IP on $7 / 25$ at TB，allowed 1 H while holding batters scoreless w／ 2 K ．
$\Phi$ Owns 2.2 scoreless IP w／ $3 \mathrm{H}, 1 \mathrm{BB}$ \＆ 2 K in 3 career G vs．TEX．．．last faced TEX on 9／12／22．
$\Phi$ Lefties are 31 －for－ 81,82 B， 3 B， 2 HR（ 0 Ison $4 / 26$ at ATL \＆Fraley $5 / 12$ vs．CIN）， 9 BB \＆ 20 K against him and righties are $32-$ for－ $113,42 \mathrm{~B}, 5 \mathrm{BB}$ \＆ 29 K $\mp 2023$ arsenal： 4 －seam FB－ 273 pitches（ $33.1 \%$ ），sinker－ 263 pitches（ $32.9 \%$ ），slider -195 pitches（ $23.6 \%$ ），changeup－ 94 pitches（ $11.4 \%$ ）．． opponents are 11－for－38 off sider（．289）．．．used changeup mostly vs．LHB．．．has allowed OHR to RHB this season， 2 to LHB（J．Fraley \＆M．Olson）．

## GRIFFIN JAX－RHP

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Height：6－1 Weight： $195 \quad$ Age： 28 （11／22／94 in Phoenix，AZ）Acquired：3rd RD， 2016 Draft Homestand：0－0－1， 0.00 （1．0 IP， 0 ER）， $1 \mathrm{~K}, 1 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series vs TEX： $0-0-1,0.00(1.0 \operatorname{IP}, 0 E R$ ）， $1 \mathrm{~K}, 1 \mathrm{BB}$ vs．Left 233 vs．Right． 231 $\Phi$ Recorded his 2nd SV of 2023 and 3rd of career throwing 1.0 scoreless IP w／ 1 BB \＆ 1 K in yesterday＇s win vs．TEX．．．also recorded a SV on $6 / 14$ vs．MIL $\Phi$ Recorded his 2nd SV of 2023 and 3rd of career throwing 1.0 scoreless IP w／ABB \＆ 1 K in yesterday＇s win vs．TEX．．．．also recorded a SV on 6／14 vs．MIL． his career（also on August 10， 2021 vs．Chicago－AL，Adam Engel and José Abreu in the 3rd inning）．
क Leads club in $\mathrm{G}(57)$ ，appeared in all but 4 series（ $5 / 5-7$ at CLE， $6 / 26-28$ at ATL， $7 / 3-5$ vs．KC \＆ $7 / 7-10$ at DET）．．．since start of 2022 ，leads Twins in G w／ 121 \＆ T －4th in the AL in that span．
$\Phi$ Owns 4.1 scoreless IP allowing just 1 H w／ 2 BB， 5 K， 1 HLD \＆ 1 SV in 5 career G vs．TEX．．．only H came on a single by M．Mathias on 8／20／22 $\Phi$ Has 57.5 GB rate \＆ $15.7 \%$ FB rate．．．ranks in 96 th percentile in MLB in lowest barrel\％（3．4）．．．of 153 batted balls off Jax， 5 have been barrels． क Has 2.86 xERA（top $6 \%$ of MLB）but 3.38 ERA on season．．． 2.86 xERA is lowest of career．．．has 35.3 hard hit \％，best of career．
T Lefties are 20 －for－ $86 \mathrm{w} / 32 \mathrm{~B}, 23 \mathrm{~B}, 8 \mathrm{BB}$ \＆ $26 \mathrm{~K} \ldots$ ．．．righties are 27 －for－ $117 \mathrm{w} / 32 \mathrm{~B}, 7 \mathrm{BB} \& 25 \mathrm{~K}$ this season．．． 186 BAA off sweeper w／ 38 K ．
EMILIO PAGAN－RHP
P $\quad$ \＃15
Height：6－3 Weight： 216
Age： 32 （5／7／91 in Simpsonville，SC）
Acquired：Trade with SD，4／7／22
Roadtrip：$\quad 0-0-0,18.00$（1．0 IP， 2 ER ）， $1 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series at MIL： $0-0-0,18.00$（ $1.0 \mathrm{IP}, 2 \mathrm{ER}$ ）， $1 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB}$ vs．Left ． 233 vs．Right． 158 क Earned 8th HLD tossing 1．0 IP allowing a two run HR to W．Adames in $8 / 23$ loss at MIL．．． 6 ER in last 28 app．（27．1 IP， 1.98 ERA， .140 BAA， 26 K ）． ¢ Has posted a 1．89 ERA（19．0 IP，4 ER）w／． 123 BAA in last 20 G and 2．19 ERA（ 37.0 IP， 9 ER）w／ .141 BAA in last 36 G ．
क Is 0－1， 5.91 ERA（ 10.2 IP， 7 ER）w／ $11 \mathrm{H}, 4$ HR， 1 BB \＆ 13 K in 8 career $G$ at home vs．TEX．．．last faced TEX $8 / 21 / 22 \ldots$ first career $L$ vs．TEX on 5／5／17． $\Phi$ Lefties are 20 －for－ $86 \mathrm{w} / 82 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{HR}, 9$ BB \＆ 26 K ，while righties are 18 －for－ $114 \mathrm{w} / 42 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{HR}, 7 \mathrm{BB}$ \＆ 25 K ．
$\Phi$ Has $8.40 \mathrm{~K} / 9.0 \mathrm{IP}$ ratio this season，lowest of career；multiple K in just 11 of 52 G ．．．has $0.82 \mathrm{HR} / 9.0$ ratio，lowest of career（prev．low 1.25 in 2017 ）． $\Phi$ Has induced 4.0 weak contact $\%$ ，2nd best of career．．．has 8.7 barrel percentage，3rd lowest of career．
$\Phi 2023$ arsenal： 4 －seam FB－ 449 pitches（ $52.4 \%$ ），cutter－ 269 pitches（ $31.4 \%$ ），split finger－ 112 pitches（ $13.1 \%$ ），curveball－ 27 pitches（ $3.2 \%$ ）．．．
most effective pitch in 2023 has been cutter as opponents are 8 －for－ 68 （．118）has $.221 \times \mathrm{XBA}$ on 4 S －FB with actual BA of 211 on that pitch

## COLE SANDS－RHP <br> Height：6－3 <br> Weight： 226

Roadtrip：$\quad 0-0-0,0.00(1.1$ IP， 0 ER）， $1 \mathrm{~K}, 1 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series at MIL：0－0－0， $0.00(1.1$ IP， 0 ER）， $1 \mathrm{~K}, 1 \mathrm{BB}$ vs．Left 267 vs．Right 219

## Tossed 1.1 scoreless IP relieving Ortega in the b7th inn．allowing 1 BB \＆ 1 K in $8 / 22$ loss at MIL

Recalled 8／12 from AAA St．Paul．．．appeared in 4 G for the Saints during his most recent stint at St．Paul，pitching 5.1 shutout innings，with 4 H allowed， $1 \mathrm{BB}, 10 \mathrm{~K}, 1 \mathrm{SV}$ \＆a 200 opponent batting average．
$\Phi$ Yet to face TEX in his career．．．has a 2.35 ERA（7．2 IP， 2 ER）w／ $7 \mathrm{H}, 2 \mathrm{BB} \& 12 \mathrm{~K}$ in 5 career G vs．AL West opponents．
2023 arsenal： 4 －seam FB－ 108 pitches（ $35.2 \%$ ），split finger－ 76 pitches（ $24.8 \%$ ），curveball－ 54 pitches（ $17.6 \%$ ），sinker－ 41 pitches（ $13.4 \%$ ）， cutter－ 28 pitches（ $9.1 \%$ ）．．．opponents are 5 －for－22 off $4 \mathrm{~S}-\mathrm{FB}(.227 \mathrm{BAA}$ ）and 3 －for－17（． 176 BAA ）off split finger．

## CALEB THIELBAR－LHP

Height：6－0 Weight： 216

Age： 36 （1／31／87 in Northfield，MN）
Roadtrip：0－0－0， 9.00 （1．0 IP，1 ER）， 1 K， 1 BB Acquired：Minor league free agent，11／29／19玉Worked 1.0 IP allowing 1 R（HR－T．Taylor）on 2 H w／ 1 BB \＆ 1 K taking his 1 st BS （1．0 IP，1ER）， $1 \mathrm{~K}, 1 \mathrm{BB}$ Vs．Left ． 133 Vs．
$\Phi$ Returned from rehab and reinstated from the 15 －day IL on $7 / 30$ ．．．missed 46 G w／a right oblique strain．．．made 2 app．on rehab assignment w／AAA StP，tossing 2.0 scoreless IP w／ 1 BB \＆ 2 K ．
$\Phi$ Lefties are 4 －for－ $30 \mathrm{w} / 22 \mathrm{~B}, 13 \mathrm{~B} \& 9 \mathrm{~K}$ this season，while righties are 10 －for－ $38 \mathrm{w} / 22 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{HR}, 5 \mathrm{BB}$ \＆ 11 K ．
Is 0－1，2．25 ERA（4．0 IP， 1 ER ）w／ $5 \mathrm{H}, 1 \mathrm{BB}, 4 \mathrm{~K} \& 2$ HLD in 6 career G at home vs．TEX．．．last faced TEX on 8／22／22．
$\mp$ Has 273 career appearances，all with the Twins，7th－most in club history among lefties（next Taylor Rogers－319）．
2023 arsenal：4－seam FB－158 pitches（ $52.5 \%$ ），curveball－ 66 pitches（ $21.9 \%$ ），sweeper -49 pitches（ $16.3 \%$ ），slider－ 28 pitches（ $9.3 \%$ ）， ， ， opponents are 7－for－37（．189）off 4－S FB and 2－for－14（．143）off sweeper． opponents are 7－for－37（．189）off 4－S FB and 2－for－14（．143）off sweeper．

## JOSH WINDER－RHP <br> Height：6－5 Weight． 239

Homestand：1－0－0， 0.00 （3．0 IP， 0 ER）， 3 K， 2 BB
Series vs TEX：1－0－0， 0.00 （3．0 IP，0ER）， 3 K， 2 BB vs．Left 235 vs．Right． 294
$\Phi$ Earned his 2nd W of season and 6th of career tossing 3.0 no－hit IP w／ 2 BB \＆ 3 K in last night＇s win vs．TEX．．．yesterday marked the first time
in his career he pitched at least 3.0 no－hit innings and fourth time pitching at least 3.0 shutout innings．
玉 Recalled $6 / 26$ from AAA StP（Oliver Ortega optioned 6／25）；4th stint w／MIN this season（also，4／27－5／6，6／9－6／17 and 6／25－7／5）．
क Career 6－6， 4.74 ERA（ 89.1 IP， 47 ER）w／ 28 BB \＆ 69 K in 26 G（11 GS）．．．．began ML career in Twins＇pen but finished 2022 season as starter．
玉 Yesterday first career app．vs．TEX．．．is 2－1， 2.20 ERA（ 16.1 IP， 4 ER）w／ $11 \mathrm{H}, 5 \mathrm{BB} \& 17 \mathrm{~K}$ in 4 career G at home vs．AL West opponents．
$\Phi 2023$ arsenal：slider－ 127 pitches（ $33.2 \%$ ），changeup -108 pitches（ $28.2 \%$ ）， 4 －seam FB－ 84 pitches（ $21.9 \%$ ），curveball－ 47 pitches（ $12.3 \%$
sinker -12 pitches（ $3.1 \%$ ）\＆sweeper -5 pitches（ $1.3 \%$ ）．

| MISC TEAM BULLPEN INFO |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | TEAM BULLPEN USAGE |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player name | 1st Batter Avg | BB／9 | K／9 | Saves／Opps | Holds | IRS\％ | WHIP | HR | Last game | 2 games ago | 3 games ago |
| Jordan Balazovic | ． 353 | 4.44 | 6.29 | 0／0 | 6 | 33．3\％（4／12） | 1.56 | 5 | 0.0 IP（0） | 0.0 IP（0） | 0.0 PP（0） |
| Jhoan Duran | ． 310 | 3.40 | 12.34 | 23／27 | 1 | 0．0\％（0／5） | 1.17 | 6 | 0.0 IP（0） | 1.2 PP （3） | $0.0 \mathrm{IP}(0)$ |
| Dylan Floro | ． 327 | 2.63 | 9.19 | 7／10 | 9 | 30.8 （4／13） | 1.60 | 2 | 0.0 IP （0） | $0.0 \mathrm{IP}(0)$ | $1.01 \mathrm{P}(31)$ |
| Griffin Jax | ． 145 | 2.53 | 8.61 | 2／9 | 19 | 33．3\％（3／9） | 1.16 | 4 | 1.01 P （15） | 1.0 IP （14） | $0.0 \mathrm{IP}(0)$ |
| Emilio Pagan | ． 200 | 2.63 | 8.40 | 0／4 | 15 | 36．4\％（8／22） | 0.99 | 5 | 0.0 IP（0） | $1.0 \mathrm{IP}(21)$ | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ |
| Cole Sands | ． 222 | 6.32 | 8.62 | 0／0 | 0 | 14．3\％（1／7） | 1.66 | 3 | $0.0 \mathrm{IP}(0)$ | 0.0 IP（0） | $1.1 \mathrm{IP}(17)$ |
| Caleb Thielbar | ． 118 | 2.41 | 9.64 | 0／0 | 10 | 42．9\％（3／7） | 1.02 | 3 | 0.0 IP（0） | 1.01 P （22） | 0.0 IP（0） |
| Josh Winder | ． 200 | 4.03 | 8.87 | 0／0 | 1 | 33．3\％（1／3） | 1.48 | 2 | $3.01 \mathrm{P}(46)$ | 0.0 IP（0） | $0.0 \mathrm{IP}(0)$ |

RECENT APPEARANCES DATE DEC IP H $\quad$ R $\quad$ ER $\quad$ HR $\quad$ BB SO $8 / 23$ at MIL
$8 / 18$ vs．PIT
18 vs．PIT
$8 / 15$ vs．DET
$8 / 6$ at DE
$8 / 4$ vs．ARI
$81 / 1$ at STL
$7 / 30$ at KC
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## CARLOS CORREA - SS

Height: 6-4 Weight: 215 B/T: R/R Age: 28 (9/22/1994 in Santa Isabel, PR)

## 2023 Average: 2

Streak: 2g, 2-7, 2B, 2 RBI

Age: 28 (9/22/1994 in Santa Isabel, PR) Series vs TEX:1-4, 2B, RBI
Home Runs: 15 (12 1-run, 1-for-4, 2B, RBI, R 8/24 vs. TEX...had 9-game hit streak 8/5-8/15...has 10 RBI in his last 15 games, after going 9 games w/out an RBI before current stretch...reached safely in each of PA...T-1st on MIN in games played this season (114), w/ Taylor.
1,000 th career game was $8 / 22,72$ nd active player to reach 1,000 career games.

games vs. TEX in $2022 \ldots$...his 20 career HR vs. TEX are his most against any opponent
Is 26 -for-99 (.263), 7 2B, 4 HR, 12 RBI, 14 BB vs. LHP this season and 74-for- 337 (.220),
$192 \mathrm{~B}, 2$ 3B, $11 \mathrm{HR}, 44$ RBI, $35^{\prime}$ BB vs. RHP hitting 227 (73-for-321), 202 BB 3B 9 HR 33 $192 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{3B}, 11 \mathrm{AR}, 44 \mathrm{RB}, 35 \mathrm{BB}$ vs. RHP...hitting . 227 (73

## KYLE FARMER - IF <br> Height: 6-0 Weight: 202 B/T: R/R <br> 023 Average: .251 Streak: $5 \mathrm{~g}, 6-12,2 \mathrm{HR}, 2 \mathrm{BB}, 4 \mathrm{RBI}$ Series vs TEX. $1-2$, HR

1-for-2, HR, RBI, R 8/24 vs. TEX; HR-ed in consecutive games for 2nd time in career...HR
traveled 435 ft ., longest homer of career

- Never faced Dunning....career 2-for-8, HR, RBI, R in 4 games vs. TEX...hitting . 383 (23-for-60),

2 2B, $23 \mathrm{~B}, 4 \mathrm{HR}, 13 \mathrm{RBI}, 5 \mathrm{BB}, 13 \mathrm{R}$ in 18 games vs. AL West this season.
Hitting . 328 (20-for-61), $22 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{~B}, 2$ HR, 22 RBI w/ RISP this season...is 23 -for- 90 (.256), $52 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{~B}$, $2 \mathrm{HR}, 11 \mathrm{RBI}, 8 \mathrm{BB}$ vs. LHP and 41 -for-165 (. 248 ), $42 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{~B}, 6 \mathrm{HR}, 17 \mathrm{RBI}, 8 \mathrm{BB}$ vs. RHP this season.
Games by position in $2023: 2 \mathrm{G} / 0 \mathrm{GS}$ at $1 \mathrm{~B}, 40 \mathrm{G} / 18 \mathrm{GS}$ at $2 \mathrm{~B}, 39 \mathrm{G} / 28 \mathrm{GS}$ at $3 \mathrm{~B}, 25 \mathrm{G} / 15 \mathrm{GS}$

## JOEY GALLO - OF/1B

Height: 6-5 Weight: 245 B/T: L/R Age: 29 (11/19/1993 in Henderson, NV

क Def. repl. at 1 B $8 / 24$ vs. TEX...R as PR/1B $8 / 23$ at MIL... 0 -for- $38 / 20$ vs. PIT... $4-f o r-4,2$ HR, 4 RBI, BB, 2 R 8/12 at PHI; tied career highs w/ 4 H \& by reaching base $5 x$ - recorded 17 th career 2-HR game... 20 HR are T-1st on MIN w/ Kepler; 5th career season w/ 20+HR
क Career 0 -for- 4 vs. Dunning...career 3-for-16, 2B, HR, RBI, 4 BB in 7 G vs. TEX
30 of $48 \mathrm{H}(62.5 \%$ ) this season have been XBH (92B, 3B, 20 HR)...enters 4th in MLB in barrels/ batted ball event (197) also 9th in MLB in hard hit \% w/ 54.5

## RYAN JEFFERS - C <br> Height: 6-4 Weight: 237 B/T: R/R <br> B/T: N/R Age: 26 (6/3/1997 in Raleigh, NC) Homestand: ${ }^{2} 11$ Streak: $2 \mathrm{~g}, 3-6, \mathrm{HR}, 2 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{RBI} \quad$ Series vs TEX: $\quad 1-1, \mathrm{HR}, 2$ RBI

\% Go-ahead PH 2 RHR in 8th $8 / 24$ vs TEX, 2nd career PH HR (aso, $4 / 3$ 3 RBI HBP as PH this season had career-best 14-game hit streak 7/15-8/9. streak is , 2 HR 3 RBI, HBP as PH this season...had career-best 14 -game hit streak $7 / 15-8 / 9$; streak is longes 2nd career 2-HR G 3 SB in 2023 are most by MIN C in a season since Mauer in 2014 (3 SB) $\Phi$ Hitting .327 (37-for-113), 7 2B, 7 HR, 19 RBI, 11 BB, 18 R, .397 OBP, .972 OPS in last 35 games, since 6/15
Career 1 -for-4, 2 RBI vs. Dunning...career 7 -for-17 (.412), 3 HR, 8 RBI, BB, 3 R in 5 games s. TEX... hitting . 355 (11-for-31), 2B, 2 HR, 8 RBI, 3 HBP, 6 BB, 5 R, 1.081 OPS in 12 games

## EDOUARD JULIEN - IF <br> Height: 6-2 Weight 205 B/T: L/R

K K PH $8 / 24$ vs. TEX...1-for-5, R 8/23 at MILL...K as PH/1B $8 / 22$ at MIL; played 1 B for 1 st time at MLB level...4-for-5, 2 RBI, R 8/16 vs. DET; set single-game career high w/ 4 H , 3rd different MIN rookie W/ 4-H G this season (also, Lewis \& Wallner)...19 multi-H games this season ar th most on MIN...career-best 9 -game hit streak 7/8-7/21...hitting . 321 (36-for-112), 4 2B 3B, 4 HR, 11 RBI, 19 BB, 22 R, . 421 OBP, . 903 OPS in last 36 games
$\Phi$ Enters among rookie leaders in (min. 200 AB) in OBP (.379, 2nd), SLG (.473, 7th), OPS (.852, Hitting 309 ( 54 -for-175), 102 B 3B, 6 HR 14 RBI 28 BB 3 SB 31 R 4030 BP 883 OPS i 58 G since rejoining MIN on G/10 (3rd stint w/ MIN this seas a 31 ,. 403 OBP, 883 OPS 58 G since rejoining MIN on 6/10 (3rd stint w/ MIN this season, also 4/12-4/21 \& 5/20-6/1) Never faced Dunning...facing TEX for 1st time this season.
$3 \mathrm{HR}, 5 \mathrm{RBI}, 7 \mathrm{BB}, 8 \mathrm{R}, 1.101$ OPS in 15 games vs. AL West.

## MAX KEPLER - OF

क 0 -for- $48 / 24$ vs. TEX...2-for- $4,2 B, B B 8 / 23$ at MILL... $8 / 4-8 / 9$, had RBI in 5 -straight G, 3rd-longest 10 2B, 8 HR, 18 RBI, 9 BB, 23 R, 907 OPS in last 35 games after ASB
क Career 2-for-8, 2B, RBI, BB vs. Dunning...hit . 360 ( 9 -for-25), 2 2B, RBI, BB, R in 7 games
Career 2-for-8, 2B, RBI, BB vs. Dunning....hit. 360 (9-for-25), $22 \mathrm{BB}, \mathrm{RBI}, \mathrm{BB}, \mathrm{R}$ in games vs. TEX, since $6 / 20 / 21$.
 8 2B, 11 HR, 25 RBI, 14 BB in 54 road games this season...hitting . 327 (16-for-49), 4 2B, 4

## ROYCE LEWIS

## Height: 6-0

023 Average: 328
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3-for-3, 2B, HR, RBI, BB, R 8/24 vs. TEX; HR-ed in b2b games for 1st time in career \& tied care high reaching base $4 x . . .1$-for-5, HR, 2 RBI, R $8 / 23$ at MIL... 10 -for- 30 (.333), 42 B, 2 HR, 5 RBI, 3 $\mathrm{BB}, 4 \mathrm{R}, \mathrm{SB}$ in 8 G since IL return... 3 -for-4, 2B, RBI, BB, SB $8 / 16$ vs. DET...returned from rehab, reinstated from 10 -day IL $8 / 15$; missed 36 games w/ left oblique strain.... played in 4 games on

Lewis continued...
$\Phi$ Hitting 371 (26-for-70), 4 2B, 4 HR, 11 RBI, 2 HBP, $4 \mathrm{BB}, 1.021$ OPS in his last 18 MLB G, since $6 / 18$.
Never faced Dunning...facing TEX for 1st time in career this series...career . 375 (15-for-40), 5 2B, 3 HR, 6 RBI, 2 BB, 6 R, 1.130 OPS in 11 games vs. AL West

## $\begin{array}{lll}\text { JORDAN LUPLOW }=\mathbf{O F} / 18 & & \text { \#16 } \\ \text { Height: } 5-11 & \text { Weight: } 195 \text { B/T: R/R } & \text { Age: } 29 \text { (9/26/1993 in Visalia, CA) } \\ \text { 2023 Average: } 233 & \text { Streak: } 0-7 & \text { Series vs TEX: } 0-2\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{lll}2023 \text { Average: } 233 & \text { Streak: } 0-7 & \begin{array}{l}\text { Series vs TEX: } \\ \text { Homestand: } \\ 0-2\end{array} \\ & & 0-2 \\ \text { Home Runs: } & 1 \text { (1-run) }\end{array}$

© -for-2 $8 / 24$ vs. TEX...made 2nd career pitching app. $8 / 11$ at PHI, tossing 9th...7-for-29 (.241), 7th time...claimed off waivers from TOR $8 / 4 \ldots$...played in 7 G for TOR; 3 -for-14, RBI, 3 BB...MIN is 7th different MLB organization (PIT, CLE, TB, ARI, ATL, TOR).
$\Phi$ Never faced Dunning...career . 462 ( 6 -for-13), 2B, 4'RBI, HBP, SB, 2 R, 1.038 OPS in 5 games vs. TEX...career, 313 (21-for-67), 7 2B, HR, 9 RBI, 8 BB, 8 R in 25 G vs. AL West.
Is 7 -for- 31,22 B, HR, 2 RBI, 5 BB (1 IBB) vs. LHP this season and 3 -for-12, BB, RBI vs. RHP... also 2 -for-9, 2 RBI, 3 BB w/ RISP this season...career . 226 (104-for-461), 23 2B, 3 3B, 32 <br> \section*{JORGE POLANCO - IF <br> \section*{JORGE POLANCO - IF <br> <br> Height 6 - 0 POLANCO <br> <br> Height 6 - 0 POLANCO <br> 2023 Average: 244 <br> Streak: $1 \mathrm{~g}, 1$ <br> Series vs TEX:}

1 -for-3, BB 8/24 vs. TEX...hitting . 297 (11-for-37), 2 HR, 9 RBI, 6 BB, 4 R, . 851 OPS in his last 11 games...BB as PH in 9th $8 / 6$ Vs. ARI; scored on Wallner's walkoff HR...just 19-for-81 (.235), $32 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{HR}, 13 \mathrm{RBI}, 14 \mathrm{BB}, 9 \mathrm{R}$ in 24 games since returning from IL...reinstated from 10-day IL 7/28; missed 41 G w/ left hamstring strain...played in 7 G on rehab w/ AAA StP, hitting . 333 ( 8 -for-24), 2B, HR, RBI, $4 \mathrm{BB}, 4 \mathrm{R}, .4480 \mathrm{BPP}, .9480 \mathrm{PS}$.
Career 0 -for-5, BB vs. Dunning...hit. 238 ( 5 -for-21), 2B, HBP, 5 BB, 2 R in 7 games vs. TEX
in 2022...career 261 (30-for-115), $92 \mathrm{ZB}, 33 \mathrm{~B}$, HR, 14 RBI, 17 BB, 16 R in 34 games vs. TEX Is 33-for-140 (.236), 10 2B, 5 HR, 20 RBI, 19 BB as LHB this season and 34 games vs. TEX. B, 3 HR 9 RBI as RHB also hitting 237 (14-for-59) 42 B SHR 22 RBI w/RISP this season and . 264 (24-for-91), 7 2B, 3 HR, 24 RBI w/ runners on.

## DONOVAN SOLANO <br> \# $\mathbf{\# 3 9}$ in Barranquilla 2023 Average: 280 <br> Streak: 2g, 2-9, 2B <br> Series vs TEX: $\quad 1-4,2 B$

क 1 -for-4, 2B 8/24 vs. TEX...hitting . 351 (20-for-57), 4 2B, 3 RBI, HBP, BB, 6 R, 373 OBP in his last 17 games...hit 2-R 1B as PH in 7th $8 / 1$ at STL; 4th career 2-RBI PH PA... 9 HBP this season are a new career high.
Never faced Dunning...career . 250 (8-for-32), 2B, 4 RBI, HBP, 3 BB, 2 R in 8 games vs. TEX... hitting . 294 (5-for-17), 2 2B, 2 RBI, 2 BB in 7 games vs. AL West at Target Field in 2023. career-high 34 BB in 348 PA \& career-best 10.24 PA/BB (previous was 1376 in $2021 \mathrm{~W} / \mathrm{SF}$ ) career-high 34 BB in 348 PA \& career-best $10.24 \mathrm{PA} / \mathrm{BB}$ (previous was 13.76 in $2021 \mathrm{~W} / \mathrm{SF}$ ).
RBI, 24 BB vs. RHP this season...also hitting . 320 ( 8 -for-25), 2B, 5 RBI as PH this season.

## MICHAEL A. TAYLOR - OF

Height: 6-4 Weight: $210 \quad$ B/T: R/R Age: 32 (3/26/1991 in Fort Lauderdale, FL) 2023 Average: 228
Homestand: $2-3,2$

Streak: 7g, 9-22, 4 HR, 7 RBI Series vs TEX: $\quad 2-3,2 \mathrm{HR}$ 11 -run, 82 -run) 2-for-3, 2 HR, 2 RBI, 2 R 8/24 vs. TEX; 4th career 2-HR game, 2nd this season ( $4 / 13$ at NYY)...hitting . 409 ( 9 -for-22), 4 AR, 7 RBI, 2 BB during current season-high-tying 7-game hit streak...also hitting. 350 (14-for-40), $2 \mathrm{~B}, 6 \mathrm{HR}, 9 \mathrm{RBI}, 4 \mathrm{BB}, 7 \mathrm{R}, 1.234$ OPS in his last 16 Career 0-for-2 vs. Dunning....hit . 235 (4-for-17), 2B, RBI, 3 BB, 3 R in 6 games vs. TEX in 2022...career . 294 (15-for-51), 2 2B, 4 HR, 11 RBI, 4 BB, 9 R in 15 games vs. TEX.

- T-1st on MIN in games played (114)' this season, w/ Correa... 12 SB this season, 2nd on MIN (Castro-29)... 19 HR this season are 3rd most on MiN, 1 behind Gallo/Kepler; tie his single-season career high, also done in 2017 ...his 7 HR in August tie June 2017 for most in any month in career. Hitting . 256 ( 41 -for-160), $62 \mathrm{~B}, 12 \mathrm{HR}, 25 \mathrm{RBI}$ in 57 home games and . 197 (30-for-152), 7
CHRISTIAN VAZZUEZ - C


## Height: 5-9 Weight: 205 B/T: R/R <br> 2023 Average: .228 Age: 33 (8/21/1990 in Bayamón, PR)

$\begin{array}{lll}\text { Homestand: } & 0-4 & \text { Streak: } 0-7 \\ \text { Home Runs: } & { }_{4} \text { (2 1-run, } 12 \text {-run, } 1 \text { 3-run) }\end{array}$
0-for-4 $8 / 24$ vs. TEX, snapping 5-G hit streak...hitting . 281 (18-for-64), 4 2B, 2 HR, 8 RBI, 8
© Career 2-for-6, 2B, RBI, BB vs. Dunning...hit . 292 (7-for-24), 2B, 3 RBI, 2 BB, 2 R in 8 games vs. TEX in 2022...career . 299 ( 26 -for- 87 ), 4 2B, HR, 8 RBI, 7 BB in 29 games vs. TEX
क Has 20 BB in 282 PA this season, good for $14.10 \mathrm{PA} / \mathrm{BB}$, 3rd best in season in caree
Hitting 248 ( 31 -for-125), $82 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{HR}, 16 \mathrm{RBI}, 13 \mathrm{BB}$ in 42 home games this season \& 209
(28-for-134), $32 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{HR}, 10 \mathrm{RBI}, 7 \mathrm{BB}$ in 39 road games... 14 -for- 62 (.226), $32 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{HR}, 8$ RBI

## MATT WALLNER - OF <br> Height: 6-5 Weight: 246

2023 Average: 235
Homestand:
$1-2$
Weight: 246
Streak: 1g. 1-2
1 -for-2, R $8 / 24$ vs. TEX....hitting 313 (21-for-67) 4 $2 B$ in 23 home games this season 10 (21-for-67), 42B, 6 HR, 16 RBI, 4 R, .418 0BP, 1.060 OPS career high w/ 4 RBI; slam traveled 450 ft., farthest slam by MIN hitter in stat new single-game also 1st Minnesota-born player w/ GS for MMIN since Mauer on 9/11/18...has 8 HR, 18 RBI, . 566 SLG and .852 OPS in his last 25 G , since $7 / 25$.
Facing TEX for 1st time this series...career 6 -for- $35,3 \mathrm{HR}, 4 \mathrm{RBI}, 2 \mathrm{BB}$ in 12 games vs. AL West OF throw in 6th inn. 8/1 at STL was 100.4 mph , 3 rd-fastest OF assist by MIN since 2015. क $\begin{aligned} & \text { averaging } \\ & 1 \text {-for-4, HR, } 2 \text { RBI, R } 8 / 6 \text { vs. ARI; hit 2-R walkoff HR in 9th, 1st career WO H/PA...longest HR }\end{aligned}$ 1 -for- $4, \mathrm{HR}, 2$ RBI, R $8 / 6 \mathrm{vs}$. ARI; hit 2-R walkoff HR in 9 th, 1 st care
this season have gone $450 \mathrm{ft}(8 / 15 \mathrm{vs}$. DET) \& $445 \mathrm{ft}(7 / 30$ at KC).

| MULTI-HOMER GAMES (11x) <br> - Gallo ( $4 / 2$ at KC) <br> - Taylor (4/13 at NYY) <br> - Miranda ( $4 / 26$ vs. NYY) <br> - Kirilloff ( $5 / 13$ vs. CHC) <br> - Castro (5/27 vs. TOR) <br> - Buxton (6/22 vs. BOS) <br> - Buxton (7/21 vs. CWS) |  | MULTI-HOMER GAMES (11x) <br> - Wallner (7/26 vs. SEA) <br> - Jeffers ( $8 / 5 \mathrm{vs}$. ARI) <br> - Gallo ( $8 / 12$ at PHI) <br> - Taylor (8/24 vs. TEX) <br> BACK-TO-BACK (9x) <br> - Taylor/Julien (4/13 at NYY) <br> - Julien/Correa (4/13 at NYY) |  |  | BACK-TO-BACK (9x) <br> - Buxton Correa (4/27 vs. KC <br> - Gallo/Kirilloff ( $5 / 13$ vs. CHC <br> - Castro/Wallner (5/27 vs. TO <br> - Lewis/Kepler ( $6 / 20$ vs. BOS) <br> - Solano/Buxton (7/4 vs. KC) <br> - Polanco/Kepler (8/11 at PH <br> - Polanco/Kepler (8/16 vs. DE |  |  | BACK-TO-BACK-TO-BACK (1x) <br> - Taylor/Julien/Correa (4/13 at NYY) RUNNERS ON <br> - Solo - 108 <br> - 2-run - 43 <br> - 3 -run - 24 <br> - GS - 2 |  |  |  | GRAND SLAM (2x) <br> - Correa ( $6 / 10$ at TOR) <br> - Wallner (8/15 vs. DET) <br> WALK-OFF (2x) <br> - Correa ( $6 / 13$ vs. MIL) <br> - Wallner (8/6 vs. ARI) |  |  | LEADOFF (4x) <br> - Kepler ( $4 / 3$ at MIA) <br> - Kepler ( $4 / 28$ vs. KC) <br> - Julien ( $5 / 24$ vs. SF) <br> - Polanco ( $6 / 3$ vs. CLE) <br> INSIDE-THE-PARK ( $0 x$ ) <br> - None |  |  |  |  |  |
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| HITTERS INFO |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | Last home run |  |  |  | LAST GRAND SLAM |  |  | VS. CURRENT OPPONENT 2023 \| |  |  |  | VS. CURRENT OPPONENT CAREER |  |  |  |  |
| Player | $\begin{gathered} \text { Multi- } \\ \text { Hit } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Multi- } \\ \text { RBI } \end{gathered}$ | Season HitStreak | Season High Hits | Date | Opp. | On | Pitcher | Date | Opp. | Caree \# | Avg | H | AB HR | RBI | Avg | H | AB | HR | RBI |
| Carlos Correa | 20 | 13 | 9, 8/5-8/15 | 4,7/3 | 8/12/23 | at PHI | 0 | Soto | 6/10/23 | at TOR | 2 | . 250 |  | 40 | 1 | . 266 | 100 | 376 | 20 | 65 |
| Kyle Farmer | 12 | 5 | 7, 5/10-5/16 | 3, 7/15 | 8/24/23 | vs. TEX | 0 | Heaney | 9/26/21 | vs. WSH | 1 | . 500 | 1 | 21 | 1 | . 250 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 1 |
| Joey Gallo | 7 | 9 | 5, 4/24-4/28 | 4, 8/12 | 8/12/23 | at PHI | 2 | Marte | 5/31/19 | vs. KC | 1 | . 000 | 0 | 00 | 0 | . 188 | 3 | 16 | 1 | 1 |
| Ryan Jeffers | 14 | 7 | 14, 7/15-8/9 | 3, 8/5 | 8/24/23 | vs. TEX | 1 | Smith | 7/28/21 | vs. DET | 1 | 1.000 | 1 | 11 | 2 | . 412 | 7 | 17 | 3 | 8 |
| Edouard Julien | 19 | 6 | 9, 7/8-7/21 | 4, 8/16 | 7/26/23 | vs. SEA | 0 | Miller |  |  | 0 | . 000 | 0 | 10 | 0 | . 000 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Max Kepler | 23 | 10 | 6, 7/14-7/19 | 3, 8/5 | 8/16/23 | vs. DET | 0 | Foley | 5/23/22 | vs. DET | 3 | . 000 | 0 | 40 | 0 | . 209 | 31 | 148 | 7 | 27 |
| Royce Lewis | 9 | 4 | 8, 6/18-6/27 | 4, 6/9 | 8/24/23 | vs. TEX | 0 | Stratton | 5/13/22 | vs. CLE | 1 | 1.000 | 3 | 31 | 1 |  | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| Jordan Luplow | 2 | 0 | 2,8/6-8/7 | 3, 8/7 | 8/13/23 | at PHI | 0 | Suarez |  |  | 0 | . 000 | 0 | 20 | 0 | . 462 | 6 | 13 | 0 | 4 |
| Jorge Polanco | 9 | 8 | 8, 4/21-4/29 | 3, 5/15 | 8/16/23 | vs. DET | 1 | Foley |  |  | 0 | . 333 | 1 | 30 | 0 | . 261 | 30 | 115 | 1 | 14 |
| Donovan Solano | 21 | 5 | 11,4/5-4/16 | 3, 8/13 | 7/04/23 | vs. KC | 0 | Greinke |  |  | 0 | . 250 |  | 40 | 0 | . 250 | 8 | 32 | 0 | 4 |
| Michael A. Taylor | 13 | 12 | 7, 8/15-8/24 | 3, 6/4 | 8/24/23 | vs. TEX | 0 | Heaney | 9/08/17 | vs. PHI | 2 | . 667 | 2 | 32 | 2 | . 294 | 15 | 51 | 4 | 11 |
| Christian Vazquez | 17 | 7 | 6, 6/16-6/25 | 3,7/26 | 8/22/23 | at MIL | 1 | Miley | 9/26/20 | at ATL | 2 | . 000 | 0 | 40 | 0 | . 299 | 26 | 87 | 1 | 8 |
| Matt Wallner | 7 | 8 | 3, 8/15-8/18 | 4, 5/27 | 8/15/23 | vs. DET | 3 | Vest | 8/15/23 | vs. DET | 1 | . 500 | 1 | 20 | 0 | . 500 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |



## AST TIME IT HAPPENED AGAINST THE TWINS

## HITTING:

Hit for the Cycle: J. Polanco, $4 / 5 / 19$ at PHI (11 all-time)
Grand Slam: M. Wailner, $8 / 15 / 23$ vs. DET (2 as a team in 2023)
Inside-the-Park Home Run: B. Buxton, $9 / 15 / 20$ at CWS ( 1 as a team in 2020, 54 all-time)
Pinch-Hit Home Run: R. Jeffers, $8 / 24 / 23$ vs. TEX ( 4 as a team in 2023 )
Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: M. LeCrov 9 gh inning $5 / 19 / 04$ at TOR ( 15 all-time)
Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: M. LeCrov, 9 th inning, $5 / 19 / 04$
Five-Hit Game: B. Buxton, 4/28/21 at CLE (1' in 2021)
Six-Hit Game: K. Puckett,5/23/91 vs. TEX (2 all-time, both Puckett)
Two Hits, One Inning: E. Julien, 1 st inning, 4/13/23 at NYY (1 as a team in 2023) Two Home Runs, One Inning: M. Cuddyer, 8/23/09 at KC ( 1 all-time)
Two-Home Run Game: J. Gallo, $8 / 12 / 23$ at PHI ( 10 as team in 2023)
Three-Home Run Game: M. Sanó, $5 / 18 / 21$ vs. CWS ( 1 as a team in 2021,13 all-time) Back-to-Back Home Runs: J. Polanco/M. Kepler, $8 / 16 / 23$ vs. DET (9 as team in 2023) Three Home Runs One Inning: M. Taylor/E. Julien/C. Correa, 4/13/23 at NYY (1 in 2023)
 Walk-Offf Home Run: M. Waliner, $8 / 6 / 23$ vs. ARI (2 as a team in 2023)
Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run:M. Sanó, $8 / 5 / 19$ vs. ATL ( 9 all-time)
Leadoff Home Run: J. Polanco, 6/3/23 vs. CLE (4 as a team in 2023 )
Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game: M. Kepler/B. Rooker, $7 / 25 / 2121$ vs. LAA (2 as team in 2021) Three Consecutive Home Runs to Start Game: L. Arraez/B. Buxton/C. Correa, $6 / 9 / 22$ vs. NYY Last Pitcher to Hit Home Run: Last actual pitcher Jim Kaat, $6 / 11 / 72$ at CLE; Chris Gimenez Catcher nitching in reliof 9/2/18 at TEX

PITCHING (complete games only for low-hit games):
No-Hitter: F. Liriano, 5/3/11 at CWS ( 6 all-time)
One-Hitter: E. Santana, 4/15/17 vs. CWS (14 all-time)
Two-Hitter: E. Santana, $5 / 23 / 17$ at BAL ( 43 all-time)
$10+$ Innings Pitched: B. Radke ( 10.0 innings), $9 / 21 / 97$ vs. MIL
$10+$ Strikeouts: 10 , S. Gray, $8 / 8 / 23$ at DET ( 10 as team in 2023)
Complete-Game Shutout: P. Lópezz, $715 / 23$ vs. KC (2 as a team in 2023)
Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: J. Mays/C. Silva, 5/19-20/05 vs. TOR/vs. MIL
Back-to-Back Shutouts: 3/30/23 \& 4/1/23 at KC (2 games, 2-0 and 2-0)
Four Strikeouts in an Inning: Z. Duke, 3/29/18 at BAL (7th inning) (4 times since 1961)
Immaculate Inning: Never in MIN/WAS history (1901-present)
MISCELLANEOUS:
Triple Play: J. Miranda/C. Correa, $8 / 22 / 22$ vs. TEX - N. Lowe hitting (17 all-time) Position Player Pitching: J. Luplow, $8 / 11 / 23$ at PH ( 3 in 2023)
Three or more Steals, One Game: E. Adrianza (3), 6/21/17 vs. CWS (1 in 2017)
Steal of Home: W. Castro, $1 / 28 / 23$ at KC a as a
Pure Steal of Home: R. Becker, $9 / 27 / 97$ at CLE
Home Run in First ML At-Bat: E. Rosario, $5 / 6 / 15$ vs. OAK (1st PA, 1 st pitch)

## 2023 TARGET FIELD WEATHER DELAYS AND POSTPONEMENTS

| DATE | DEL |
| :---: | :---: |
| 4/6 vs. Houston |  |
| $4 / 288$ vs. Kansas City |  |
| $5 / 13$ vs. Chicago-NL | Delayed |
| $7 / 22$ vs. Chicago-AL | Delayed |
| 8/6 vs. Arizona | Delayed |

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NOTES
Home Opener rescheduled for next day, April 7, due to cold temps and forecasted snow/wet conditions.
Originally-scheduled $3: 10 \mathrm{p}$.m. first pitch was delayed until $5: 05 \mathrm{p}$. m . due to rain and wet conditions, a $1: 57$ delay.
Originally-scheduled $1: 10$ p.m. first pitch was delayed until $: 31$ p.m. due to rain and wet conditions, a $1: 21$ delay
Originally-scheduled $6: 15$ p first pitch was delayed until $6: 46$ pme do Originally-scheduled $6: 15 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. first pitch was delayed until $6: 46 \mathrm{p}$.m. due to wet conditions in the area, a a $: 31$ delay Originally-scheduled 6:15 p.m. first pitch was delayed until $6: 46 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. due to wet conditions in the area, a $: 31$ delay
Originally-scheduled 1:10 p.m. first pitch was delayed until $3: 22 \mathrm{p}$.m. due to rain and wet conditions, a 2:12 delay

## HITING

Hit for the Cycle: A. Beltré, 8/24/12 at TEX (5 allowed all-time)
Grand Slam: B. Witt Jr., 7/28/23 at KC (4 allowed as team in 2023)
Inside-the-Park Home Run: R. Arozarena, 6/10/22 vs. TB (46 allowed all-time)
Pinh-Hit Hrand Sam. Sads $8 / 811$ at CLE
Pinch-hit Grand Slam: J. Sands, 8/8/15 at CLE
Five-Hit Game:. . Segura, $5 / 28 / 13$ at it ill ( 3 allowed all-time)
Iwo Hits, One Inning: W. Merrifield, 1st inning, $6 / 4 / 21$ at $K C$ (2 allowed in 2021)
Two Home Runs, One Inning: D. Nilsson, $5 / 1 / 196$ vs. MIL
Two-Home Run Game: S. Torkelson, 8/16/23 vs. DET (9 allowed in 2023)
Three-Home Run Game: J. Donaldson, 8/28/16 at TOR (26 allowed since 1961)
Back-to-Back Home Runs: B. Stott/J.Realmuto, $8 / 11 / 2023$ at $P H$ H ( 9 allowed in 2023) Three Consecutive Home Runs: C. Bellinger/G. Lux/A. Barnes, $4 / 13 / 22$ vs. LAD Three Home Runs, One Inning: T . 0 'Neill//J. Walker/L. Nootbaar, $8 / 2 / 223$ at STL (2 in 2023) Four Home Runs, One Inning: C. Everett/TT. O'Leary/J. Varitek/M. Burkhart, $7 / 3 / 00$ vs. BOS Walk-off Home Run: B. Witt Jr., 7/28/23 at KC ( (2allowed in 2023)
Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run: C. Santana, $1 / 23 / 11$ at CLE (12 all-time)
Leadoff Home Run: M. Semien, $8 / 24 / 23$ vs. TEX (7 allowed in 2023)
Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game: S. Smith/M. Machado, $7 / 7 / 17$ vs. BAL ( 1 in '17) Last Pitcher to Hit Home Run: Jon Lester, $7 / 1 / 18$ at CHC

## PITCHING (complete games only for low-hit games):

No-Hitter: Jer. Weaver, 5/2/12 at LAA (5 all-time)
One-Hitter: D. Cease, 9/3/22 at CWS (25 all-time)
Two-Hitter: R. Halladay, 5/29/05 at TOR (49 all-time)
10+ Innings Pitched: A. Fernández ( 10.0 innings), $10 / 1 / 95$ at CHW
$10+$ Strikeouts: 12 , last, G. Kirby, 7/20/23 at SEA (10 times in 2023)
Complete Game Shutout: G. Cole, $4 / 16 / 23$ at NYY ( 2 times in 2023)
Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: J. Williams/Jer. Weaver, 5/1-2/12 at LAA
Back-to-Back Shutouts: $5 / 31 / 22$ (G2) \& $6 / 1 / 22$ at DET (2
Back-to-Back Shutouts: 5/31/22 (G2) \& $6 / 1 / 22$ at DET (2 games, 4-0 and 5-0)
Four Strikeouts in an Inning: F. Hernández, 6/3/10 vs. SEA (8th inning)

## MISCELLANEOUS:

Triple Play: J. Donaldson/A. Rosales/C. Carter, 8/21/12 at OAK - T. Plouffe hitting (8 all-time)
Position Player Pitching: Z. Short, 8/7/23 at DET (5 in 2023)
Three or more Steals, One Game: W. Merrifield (3), $7 / 2 / 17$ at KC (1 in 2017)
Steal of Home: 1 . Anderson, $7 / 22 / 23$ vs. CWS ( 1 in 2023)
Home Run in First ML At-Bat: Se. Alcantara, $9 / 26 / 20$ vs. DET

Date Opp.
MARCH/APRIL(17-12)

| Date Opp. | Score |  | Rcd. | Pos. | GB | Att | Hm Att. | Date | Winner/Loser/Save |
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| MARCH/APRIL (1 |  | Batting: . 237 (228-for-964) P |  |  |  |  | Pitching: 17-12-9, 3.48 (258.2 IP, 100 ER ) |  |  |
| 30 -----at KC | 2-0 | W | 1-0 | T-1st | +0.0 | 38,351 |  |  | P. López/Greinke/Duran |
| 31 -----OFF DAY |  |  | 1-0 | 1st | +0.5 |  |  |  |  |
| 1 -----at KC | 2-0 | W | 2-0 | 1st | +0.5 | 16,633 |  |  | Gray/Lyles/J. López |
| 2 -----at KC | 7-4 | W | 3-0 | 1st | +0.5 | 14,589 |  |  | Ryan/Keller |
| 3 -----at MIA | 11-1 | W | $4-0$ | 1st | +0.5 | 8,898 |  |  | Mahle/Cueto |
| 4 -----at MIA | 0-1 | L | 4-1 | 1st | +0.5 | 10,668 |  |  | Alcantara/Maeda |
| 5 -----at MIA | 2-5 | L | 4-2 | 2nd | -0.5 | 8,981 |  |  | Floro/Jax |
| 6 -----HOU\# | \# - postponed due to inclement weather - cold temperatures and lingering snow |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7 -----HOU | ^3-2 | W | 5-2 | 1st | +0.5 | 38,465* | 38.465 | 1 | J. López/Stanek |
| 8 -----HOU | 9-6 | W | 6-2 | 1st | +0.5 | 26,330 | 64,795 | 2 | Ryan/Martinez/Duran |
| 9 -----HOU | 1-5 | L | 6-3 | 1st | +0.5 | 14,316 | 79,111 | 3 | Brown/Mahle |
| 10 -----CWS | 3-4 | L | 6-4 | 2nd | -0.5 | 12,078 | 91,189 | 4 | Cease/Maeda/J. López |
| 11 -----CWS | $\wedge$ 4-3 | W | 7-4 | 1st | +0.5 | 16,153 | 107,342 | 5 | Jax/Scholtens |
| 12 -----CWS | 3-1 | W | 8-4 | 1st | +1.5 | 17,658 | 125,000 | 6 | Gray/Giolito/Duran |
| 13 -----at NYY | 11-2 | W | 9-4 | 1st | +2.0 | 39,024 |  |  | Ryan/Brito |
| 14 -----at NYY | 4-3 | W | 10-4 | 1st | +2.0 | 41,039 |  |  | Pagán/Holmes/Duran |
| 15 -----at NYY | 1-6 | L | 10-5 | 1st | +1.0 | 38,363 |  |  | Germán/Mahle |
| 16 -----at NYY | 0-2 | L | 10-6 | 1st | +1.0 | 39,342 |  |  | Cole/P. López |
| 17 ------OFF DAY |  |  | 10-6 | 1st | +1.0 |  |  |  |  |
| 18 ------at BOS | $\wedge 4-5$ | L | 10-7 | 1st | +1.5 | 28,132 |  |  | Schreiber/Moran |
| 19 -----at BOS | 10-4 | W | 11-7 | 1st | +1.5 | 30,027 |  |  | Ryan/Kluber/Headrick |
| 20 -----at BOS | 5-11 | L | 11-8 | 1st | +1.0 | 34,427 |  |  | Houck/Maeda |
| 21 -----WSH | 2-3 | L | 11-9 | 1st | +0.5 | 12,469 | 137,469 | 7 | Ramírez/Jax |
| 22 -----WSH | 4-10 | L | 11-10 | 1st | +1.0 | 23,045 | 160,514 | 8 | Thompson/P. López |
| 23 -----WSH | 1-3 | W | 12-10 | 1st | +1.0 | 14,763 | 175,277 | 9 | Ober/Corbin/Duran |
| 24 -----NYY | 6-1 | W | 13-10 | 1st | +2.0 | 16,242 | 191,519 | 10 | Gray/Brito |
| 25 -----NYY | 6-2 | W | 14-10 | 1st | +3.0 | 19,201 | 210,720 | 11 | Ryan/Cortes |
| 26 -----NYY | 6-12 | L | 14-11 | 1st | +2.0 | 20,511 | 231,231 | 12 | Germán/Maeda |
| 27 -----KC | 7-1 | W | 15-11 | 1st | +2.5 | 12,862 | 244,093 | 13 | Stewart/Greinke |
| 28 -----KC | 8-6 | W | 16-11 | 1st | +2.5 | 11,754 | 255,847 | 14 | P. López/Lyles/J. López |
| 29 -----KC | 2-3 | L | 16-12 | 1st | +2.5 | 22,883 | 278,730 | 15 | Chapman/Duran/Barlow |
| 30 -----KC | 8-4 | W | 17-12 | 1st | +3.5 | 17,150 | 295,880 | 16 | Gray/Singer/Duran |
| MAY (12-15) | Batting: . 230 (215-for-933) Pitching: 12-15-3, 3.45 (245.1 IP, 94 ER) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


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| JULY (13-11) | Batting: . 256 (210-for-820) |  |  |  |  | Pitching: 13-11-6, 4.62 (216.1 IP, |  |  |
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| 24 -----SEA | $\wedge$ ^-3 | W | 54-48 | 1st | +4.0 | 22,969 | 1,242,216 | 52 |
| 25 -----SEA | 7-9 | L | 54-49 | 1st | +3.0 | 26,824 | 1,269,040 | 53 |
| 26 ------SEA | 7-8 | L | 54-50 | 1st | +2.0 | 25,728 | 1,294,768 | 54 |
| 27 -----OFF DAY |  |  | 54-50 | 1st | +1.5 |  |  |  |
| 28 -----at KC | $\wedge 5-8$ | L | 54-51 | 1st | +1.5 | 23.022 |  |  |
| 29 -----at KC | 7-10 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

J. López/Sewald

Clarke/Duran

| 31 -----OFF DAY |  |  | $54-53$ | 1st | $+1.0$ |  |  |  |
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| AUGUST (12-9) | Batt | g: | . 254 (17) | for | 8) | 12-9-7 | 7,4.26 (18 | ER) |
| 1 -----at STL | 3-2 | W | 55-53 | 1st | $+2.0$ | 37,162 |  | P. López/Mikolas/Duran |
| 2 -----at STL | 3-7 | L | 55-54 | 1st | +2.0 | 34,332 |  | Hudson/Ryan |
| 3 -----at STL | 5-3 | W | 56-54 | 1st | +2.5 | 36,949 |  | Gray/Liberatore/Duran |
| 4 -----ARI | 3-2 | W | 57-54 | 1st | +2.5 | 29,408 | 1,324,176 | Thielbar/McGough/Duran |
| 5 -----ARI | 12-1 | W | 58-54 | 1st | +3.5 | 34,044 | 1,358,220 | Maeda/Nelson |
| 6 -----ARI | 5-3 | W | 59-54 | 1st | +4.5 | 24,778 | 1,382,998 | Thielbar/Sewald |
| 7 -----at DET | 9-3 | W | 60-54 | 1st | +5.5 | 13,779 |  | P. LópezWentz |
| 8 -----at DET | 0-6 | L | 60-55 | 1st | +4.5 | 16,588 |  | Rodriguez/Gray |
| 9 -----at DET | 5-9 | L | 60-56 | 1st | +4.5 | 16,570 |  | Holton/Ober/Cisnero |
| 10 -----at DET | 0-3 | L | 60-57 | 1st | +3.5 | 18,709 |  | Olson/Maeda/Brieske |
| 11 -----at PHI | 2-13 | L | 60-58 | 1st | +3.5 | 33,071 |  | Sánchez/Keuchel |
| 12 -----at PHI | 8-1 | W | 61-58 | 1st | +4.5 | 40,117 |  | P. López/Walker |
| 13 -----at PHI | 3-0 | W | 62-58 | 1st | +4.5 | 40,111 |  | Gray/Suárez/Duran |
| 14 -----OFF DAY |  |  |  | 1st | +4.5 |  |  |  |
| 15 -----DET | 5-3 | W | 63-58 | 1st | +4.5 | 30,150 | 1,413,148 | Floro/Cisnero/Duran |
| 16 -----DET | 7-8 | L | 63-59 | 1st | +4.5 | 26,716 | 1,439,864 | Holton/Jax |
| 17 ------OFF DAY |  |  |  | 1st | +4.5 |  |  |  |
| 18 ------PIT | 5-1 | W | 64-59 | 1st | +5.0 | 30,687 | 1,470,551 | LópezJJackson |
| 19 ------PIT | 1-3 | L | 64-60 | 1st | +5.0 | 23,822 | 1,494,373 | Keller/Gray/Bednar |
| 20 -----PIT | 2-0 | W | 65-60 | 1st | +6.0 | 25,987 | 1,520,360 | Keuchel/Bido/Duran |
| 21 -----OFF DAY |  |  |  | 1st | +6.0 |  |  |  |
| 22 -----at MIL | 3-7 | L | 65-61 | 1st | +5.0 | 38,688 |  | Wilson/Floro |
| 23 -----at MIL | $\wedge$ ^-7 | L | 65-62 | 1st | +4.5 | 38,164 |  | Peguero/Duran |



| EJECTIONS |  |  |  |  |
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| DATE PLAYER/MGR/CH | UMPIRE | REASON |  | CAREER |
| $4 / 15$ at NYY Rocco Baldelli | James Hoye | Germán allowed to remain pitching despite concerns vver foreign substance 10 |  |  |
| 5/6 at CLE Rocco Baldelli | Dan lassogna | Arguing that J. Ramírez ran out of the basepath |  |  |
| 6/21 vs. BOS Rocco Baldelli | David Rackley | Arguing J.Gallo was not called out on strikes 12 |  |  |
| $6 / 21$ vs BOS Joey Gallo | David Rackley | Arguing balls and strikes |  |  |
| $6 / 23$ at DET Rocco Baldelli | Lance Barrett | Arguing potential non-balk call on J. Wentz 13 |  |  |
| $6 / 23$ at DET Michael A. Taylor | Lance Barrett | Arguing balls and strikes |  |  |
| $6 / 23$ at DET Derek Shomon | Lance Barrett | Arguing balls and strikes |  |  |
| 7/14 at OAK David Popkins | Nic Lentz | Arguing balls and strikes |  |  |
| 8/24 vs. TEX David Popkins | Cory Blaser | Arguing balls and strikes |  |  |
| DATE SCORE NOTES WALK-OFF VICTORIES (9) |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| $4 / 7$ vs. HOU $3-2$ Kyle F <br> $4 / 11$ vs CWS $4-3$ Willi | Kyle Farmer hit a walk-off single off Ryne Stanek in the 10th, scoring Trevor Larnach |  |  |  |
| $5 / 10$ vs. SD 4-3 Alex Kir | Willi Castro scores on an error by third baseman Hanser Alberto in the 10th |  |  |  |
| 6/1 vs. CLE 7-6 Willi C | Alex Kirilloff hit a walk-off single off Domingo Tapia in the 11th, scoring Max Kepler Willi Castro hit a walk-off sacrifice fly off Eli Morgan in the 9th, scoring Ryan Jeffers |  |  |  |
| $6 / 13$ vs. MIL $\quad 7-5$ Carlos | Carlos Correa hit a walk-off two-run home run off Devin Williams in the 9th |  |  |  |
| $6 / 21$ vs. BOS 5-4 Kyle Fa |  |  |  |  |
| $7 / 23$ vs. CWS 5-4 Ryan J | Kyle Farmer hit a walk-off single off Kaleb Ort in the 10th, scoring Willi CastroRyan Jeffers hit a walk-off single off Jesse Scholtens in the 12th, scoring Kyle Farmer |  |  |  |
| $7 / 24$ vs. SEA 4-3 Carlos | Carlos Correa hit walk-off single off Paul Sewald in 10th, scoring Donovan Solano Matt Wallner hit a walk-off two-run home run off Paul Sewald in the ninth |  |  |  |
| $8 / 6 \mathrm{vs}$. AZ 5 5-3 Matt W |  |  |  |  |
| 2023 PLAYERS ON ROSTER (45) |  |  |  |  |
| Pitchers: (25) |  |  |  |  |
| Alcala, Jorge RHP* | López, J | RHP* | Ryan, Joe RHP* |  |
| Balazovic, Jordan RHP | López, P | RHP* | Sands, Cole RHP* |  |
| De León, José RHP | Maeda, | RHP* | Stewart, Brock RHP |  |
| Duran, Jhoan RHP* | Mahle, | RHP* | Thielbar, Caleb LHP* |  |
| Floro, Dylan RHP | Moran, | LHP* | Varland, Louie RHP |  |
| Gray, Sonny RHP* | Ober, B |  | Winder, Josh RHP |  |
| Headrick, Brent LHP | Ortega, | RHP | Woods Richardson, Simeo | eon RHP |
| Jax, Griffin RHP* | Pagán, | RHP* |  |  |
| Keuchel, Dallas LHP | Rodrígu | reck RHP |  |  |
| Positions Players: (20) |  |  |  |  |
| Buxton, Byron OF* | Jeffers, |  | Miranda, Jose IF* |  |
| Castro, Willi UTL* | Julien, | d IF | Polanco, Jorge IF |  |
| Correa, Carlos SS* | Kepler, |  | Solano, Donovan IF* |  |
| Farmer, Kyle IF* | Kirilloff | OF/1B | Taylor, Michael A. OF* |  |
| Gallo, Joey OF* | Larnach | OF* | Vázquez, Christian C* |  |
| Garlick, Kyle OF | Lewis, |  | Wallner, Matt OF |  |
| Gordon, Nick UTL* | Luplow, | 0F/1B | (* - on Opening Day ros | ster) |

