# MINNESOTA TWINS (69-65) at TEXAS RANGERS (75-58) 

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2023-7:05 PM (CT) - TV: BALLY SPORTS NORTH / RADIO: TIBN, WCCO, THE WOLF RHP Joe Ryan (9-8, 4.33) vs. RHP Max Scherzer (12-5, 3.71)

ROAD GAME 66
GAME 135

- UPCOMING PROBABLE PITCHERS \& BROADCAST SCHEDULE *

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March/April:
May:
June:
July:
August:
September/October:
Day Games:
vight Games:-
vs. American League Central:
vs. American League West:.
vs. National League:.
v. National League: Games vs. RH Starter Twins score first: Opponent scores first Come-from-behind wins: Leading after $7 / 8$ inn.:

54-7/56-1
Trailing after $7 / 8$ inn. 10-54/4-57
Tied after 7/8 inn.
...5-4/9-7
Extra-innings:
1-run games:
When Twins score 4+
When Twins score 3-:
Twins out-hit opp.
Opp. out-hit Twins:
Twins/Opp. have $=$ hits: Run Differential:.
Twins get Quality Start:
Twins starter goes 6+IP: Most games over .500:. Most games under .500: Longest win-streak: $2,2 x$, last $6 / 30$ Longest losing-streak:...5, 2x, last 7/25-30 Twins get 10+ hits
Days in First Place
Days in Second Plac
Days in Fourth Place
Days in Fifth Place..
Walk-Off W/L
Shutouts W/L
..................................10/6 $10 / 8$
CG (Twins):
.2x, last López, $7 / 5$ vs. KC
Average Time of Game (Twins): Attendance High:.........38,465, 4/8 vs. HOU Attendance Total:
Attendance Average:........................... 24,392
Target Field Sellouts - 2023/All-Time:... 1/184

## RECENT TRANSACTIONS

9/1 LHP Headrick recalled from AAA
OF Stevenson contract selected from AAA
IF Miranda transferred to 60 -day IL
8/28 LHP Funderburk contract selected from AAA RHP Ober optioned to AAA
RHP Ortega transferred to 60 -day IL
8/26 RHP Ryan returned from rehab assignment, reinstated from 15-day IL RHP Balazovic optioned to AAA
8/24 RHP Ortega placed on 15-day IL RHP Balazovic recalled from AAA
8/20 RHP Ortega recalled from AAA RHP Balazovic optioned to AAA
8/15 IF Lewis returned from rehab assignment, reinstated from 10-day IL UTL Castro placed on 10-day IL
8/12 RHP Sands recalled from AAA LHP Headrick optioned to AAA
8/6 LHP Headrick recalled from AAA LHP Moran optioned to AAA

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$\Phi$ Twins are seeking their 70th win of the season tonight...last season, they won their 70 the game on September 13, finishing the season with 78 wins.
TWINS ONE STRIKE AWAY FROM A W: The Twins lost to the Guardians on Wednesday afternoon at Target Field by a score of $5-2$ in 10 innings, making them $11-7$ in extras this season.. with three hits allowed, one walk and five strikeouts.... hoan Duran allowed the game-tying run in the top of the ninth inning on a wild pitch, making the Twins $56-1$ this season when leading after the eighth inning...Kody Funderburk allowed the go-ahead three-run homer to Kole Calhoun in the top of the 10th..the offense recorded just four hits, two apiece from Jorge Polanco and Donovan Solano...Minnesota went 1 -for- 9 with runners in scoring position, making them 1-for-18 in such instances in the final two games of the series.
SEPTEMBER EXPANSION: The Twins have selected the contract of outfielder Andrew Stevenson from Triple-A St. Paul and recalled left-handed pitcher Brent Headrick from the Saints $\Phi$ Stevenson, 29 , has played in 106 games for the Saints this season, hitting. 317 (132-forstolen bases ( 49 attempts), a . 395 on-base percentage, a . 522 slugging percentage and a 916 OPS...the Lafayette, Louisiana native has played in parts of tive seasons with the Nationals from 2017-21, hitting .248 (98-for-395) with 18 doubles, two triples, eight home runs, 49 RBI, 51 runs scored and a . 322 on-base percentage in 248 games.

opponent batting average...in 17 games ( 12 starts) with St. Paul in 2023, the lefty has
gone 4-2, 5.04 ERA ( 69.2 IP, 39 ER), 24 walks, 77 strikeouts, a 1.36 WHIP, a . 263 opponent
Datting, average and a 9.9 strikeouts-per-9.0 innings pitched ratio.
क To make room for Stevenson on the 40-man roster the Twins have transferred infielder Jose
Miranda to the 60-day Injured List...Miranda has been on the 10-day Injured List since July
15 with right shoulder impingement.
DANCIN' IN SEPTEMBER: The Twins are beginning the September portion of their schedule tonight...below are the offense and pitching comparisons for the first four months:

|  | AVG | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | BB | K | OBP | SLG | OPS |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| MAR/APR | . 237 | 134 | 228 | 44 | 6 | 38 | 89 | 275 | . 310 | . 413 | . 723 |
| MAY | . 230 | 122 | 215 | 43 | 1 | 36 | 115 | 299 | . 324 | . 394 | . 718 |
| JUNE | . 229 | 95 | 205 | 49 | 1 | 33 | 70 | 275 | . 292 | . 396 | . 688 |
| JULY | . 256 | 119 | 210 | 46 | 7 | 34 | 84 | 258 | . 335 | . 454 | . 788 |
| AUGUST | . 248 | 133 | 225 | 42 | 2 | 46 | 105 | 275 | . 336 | . 450 | . 786 |
|  | W | L | S | IP | H | ER | HR | BB | K | ERA | BAA |
| MAR/APR | 17 | 12 | 9 | 258.2 | 216 | 100 | 27 | 76 | 285 | 3.48 | . 223 |
| MAY | 12 | 15 | 3 | 245.1 | 207 | 94 | 28 | 94 | 267 | 3.45 | . 227 |
| JUNE | 12 | 15 | 5 | 238.0 | 216 | 108 | 31 | 65 | 233 | 4.08 | . 240 |
| JULY | 13 | 11 | 6 | 216.1 | 198 | 111 | 35 | 62 | 242 | 4.62 | . 243 |
| AUGUST | 15 | 12 | 8 | 242.2 | 239 | 113 | 39 | 78 | 237 | 4.19 | . 256 | NOTEWORTHY: Donovan Solano hit . 368 (28-for-76) in 22 games last month, third-best in the AL and sixth best in baseball...Royce Lewis had a slugging percentage of . 600 last month, 11 th best in the AL....Max Kepler had a . 616 slugging percentage last month, 10th best in the AL...Kepler's 1.008 OPS in

August was the 10th best in the AL.

RANGER THINGS: The Twins and Rangers are playing each other tonight for the fifth of seven meetings in 202 ...these two met at larget rield last week from Thursday-Sunday (August
24, per-game during the series.
$\Phi$ Since the start of 2021, 15 of 18 games between these two have been decided by three runs-or-tewer, while nine games have been decided by one run.
Carlos Correa has 21 career home runs vs. the Rangers (102 games), his most against any opponent...21 homers are the fifth most among actives, trailing Mike Trout (44), George Since the start of 2019, the Twins have scored 5.5 runs
$\Phi$ Since the start of 2019, the Twins have scored 5.5 runs-per-game in 24 games against the क Notable individuals vs. Texas during the last four-game series: Max Kepler went 6-for-13 Notable individuals vs. Texas during the ast four-game series: Nax kepler went 6-for-13 (.462) with two doubles, one home run and
two walks..Jorge Polanco went 6 -for-16 (.375) with a home run and three walks.

LIVING OUR BEST (GLOBE) LIFE: The Twins are 4-2 all-time at Globe Life Field, dropping a three-game series 2-1 Iast season from July
8-10 (winning only the finale) and sweeping the Rangers in three games here from June 18-20, 2021...since the start of 2016, the Twins 8-10 (winning only the in ale) and sweeping the Rangers in three games
have a record of 14-6 at Globe Life and Globe Life Park combined

NO SCHER THING: The Twins are facing Max Scherzer for the 18th time in his career tonight...Scherzer has gone 9-2, 4.32 ERA (106. IP, 51 ER) with 10 quality starts in his previous 17 starts, 16 of which came when Max was a Detroit Tiger...Max's last loss to Minnesota came on September 23, 2012 at Comerica Park as he has gone 6-0 in eight starts since.
HOW DO YOU SAY 'RED HOT' IN GERMAN: In his last 38 games, since July 17, Max Kepler is hitting . 321 (43-for-134) with 14 doubles, nine home runs, 20 RBI, 25 runs scored, 13 walks, a . 383 on-base percentage, a . 627 slugging percentage and a 1.009 OPS...additionally, he has seven doubles in his last t ll games
$\Phi$ Since July 17 , Kepler has raised his OPS 106 points, from .701 to $.807 . .$. his .807 OPS is the second-highest of his career (. 855 in 2019).

UNLOCKING POLANCO: Jorge Polanco has multiple hits in four of his last five games, hitting two doubles and two home runs with seven RBI in that span....he has reached safely in 21 of his last 22 games...additionally, in his last 17 games, since August 11, he is hitting . 333
(20-for-60) with four home runs, 16 RBI, 11 walks, a . 432 on-base percentage, a .567 slugging percentage and a . 999 OPS. $\Phi$ ( He has a .990 OPS as a left-handed batter since August 11 .

ON THIS DAY IN TWINS HISTORY: In 1972, Rod Carew stole home with two outs in the 10th inning to give the Twins a 5-4 victory over Cleveland...Carew would steal home 17 times in his career, seven times stealing alone...in 2017, former closer Joe Nathan signed a one-day contract to officially retire as a Minnesota Twin...he is the clubs all-time leader in saves (260), ranks 10th on baseball's all time list with 377 career saves and was inducted into the club's Hall of Fame in 2019...Nathan saved one game in his rookie season as a 24 -year-old with San Francisco in 1999 but didn't save his second game until he was 29 in 2004 with the Twins...he ranks fourth
all-time in saves among pitchers from age 29-and-older, trailing Mariano Rivera (568), Trevor Hoffman (503) and Dennis Eckersley (387)

| UPCOMING MILESTONES |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| PLAYER/MANAGER | CURRENT NO. | MILESTONE WITHIN REACH |
| Rocco Baldelli ....... | . 357 manager | Needs 21 to tie Gene Mauch (378) for 4th on Twins all-time list (since 1961). |
| Kyle Farmer ........... | . 47 home runs | .Needs 3 to reach 50 for career. |
| Joey Gallo .............. | . 98 doubles .... | .Needs 2 to reach 100 for career. |
|  | 197 home run | Needs 3 to reach 200 for career. |
| Jorge Polanco ..... | . 108 home run | .Needs 2 to tie Roy Smalley (110) for 1st on Twins all-time list for switch hitters (since 1961). |
| Christian Vázquez | . 695 hits ... | Needs 5 to reach 700 for career. |

## STARTING PITAHER

## JOE RYAN

## Height: $6-2 \quad$ Weight: 193

B/: R/R
Age: 27 (6/5/1996 in San Francisco, CA)
2023: 9-8, 4.33 ERA CAREER: 24-17, 3.93 ERA
$\Phi$ Making his 24th start and appearance of 2023 and his 12th road start of the year...also his 56th career start and appearance.
$\mp$ Making his second start since returning from his rehab assignment and being reinstated from the 15-day Injured List on August 26.
Facing Texas for the second-straight start and third time in his career; took a no-decision vs. the Rangers in his last start on August 26, a 6-2 Twins' loss ( $5.0 \mathrm{IP}, 5 \mathrm{H}, 1 \mathrm{R} / \mathrm{ER}, 1 \mathrm{HR}, 2 \mathrm{BB}, 7 \mathrm{~K}$ ).

## 2023 MAJOR LEAGUE DAY-BY-DAY

| te Opp. Dec. | IP | H | R | ER | HR | BB | So |  | Left/Final | Notes |  |  |  | ches/K |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4/2 at KC W1 | 6.0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 6 |  | 3-1/7-4 | Opened year as Twins number 3 starter $80 / 52$ (65.0\%) |  |  |  |  |
| 4/8 vs. HOU W2 | 6.0 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 10 |  | 4-4/9-6 | 2 nd career start with $10+\mathrm{K}$ |  |  | 81/53 | (65.4\%) |
| 4/13 at NYY W3 | 7.0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 10 |  | 11-1/11-2 | Twins scored 9 runs in 1st inning |  |  | 92/69 | 75.0\%) |
| 4/19 at BOS W4 | 6.0 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 3 |  | 10-3/10-4 | T-2nd fewest strikeouts in career |  |  | 100/70 | 70.0\%) |
| 4/25 vs. NYY W5 | 7.0 |  | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 |  | 6-2/6-2 | 2nd career GS w/ $7.0+\mathbb{P}, 0 \mathrm{BB}, 7+\mathrm{K} 91 / 72$ (79.1\%) |  |  |  |  |
| APRIL TOTALS 5 -0 | 32.0 | 22 | 11 | 10 | 4 | 4 | 36 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 81 ERA |
| $5 / 2$ at CWS ND | 6.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 7 |  | 1-0/2-3 | 4th career GS with $\leq 1 \mathrm{H}$ allowed |  |  | 87 | (69.0\%) |
| 5/7 at CLE L1 | 6.0 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 |  | 0-2/0-2 | Snapped 8-decision W streak |  |  | 100/7 | (77.0\%) |
| 5/13 vs. CHC W6 | 6.0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 10 |  | 7-0/11-1 |  |  |  | 102776 | (74.5\%) |
| 5/19 at LAA ND | 6.0 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 9 |  | 4-3/4-5 | 1st career start with $10+K, 0$ R$9+K$ in |  |  | 94/68 | 72.3\%) |
| $5 / 24$ vs.SF W7 | 5.0 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 4 |  | 6-1/7-1 | 0 HR allowed for Gth-straight GS |  |  | $107 / 72$ | (67.3\%) |
| 5/30 at HOU L2 | 4.0 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 6 |  | 1-5/1-5 | Allowed $2+$ HR for 1st time this year |  |  | 88/56 | 63.6\%) |
| MAY TOTALS 2-2 | 33.0 | 30 | 11 | 10 | 2 | 9 | 40 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 73 ERA |
| 6/4 vs.CLE L3 | 6.2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 4 |  | 0-1/1-2 | Retired 19 of first 20 batters faced |  |  | 88 | 73.9\%) |
| 6/10 at TOR ND | 6.0 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 |  | 1-3/9-4 | Team-leading 10th QS of season |  |  | 84/56 | (66.7\%) |
| 6/16 vs. DET L4 | 7.0 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 7 |  | 1-6/1-7 | 1st career L w $7.0+\mathbb{P}$ |  |  | 99/74 | (74.7\%) |
| 6/22 vs. BOS W8 | 9.0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 |  | 6-0/6-0 | 1 st career CG and shutout |  |  | 112/83 | 74.1\%) |
| 6/27 at ATL L5 | 3.0 | 9 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 5 |  | 2-6/2-6 | Career-low 3.0 IP; T-career-high 5 HR |  |  | 82/57 | (69.5\%) |
| JUNE TOTALS 1-3 | 31.2 | 27 | 17 | 17 | 7 | 2 | 29 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 83 ERA |
| 7/3 vs. KC ND | 6.0 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 9 |  | 3-2/8-4 | 8th career GS w/ $6.0+\mathrm{IP}, 9+\mathrm{K}$ |  |  | 94/62 | (66.0\%) |
| 7/9 vs. BAL L6 | 4.1 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 10 |  | 1-3/2-15 | Recorded 10 K in first 11 outs |  |  | 98/6 | 62.2\%) |
| $7 / 16$ at OAK ND | 5.1 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 7 |  | 2-3/5-4 | Season-high-tying 3 BB |  |  | 91/55 | (60.4\%) |
| 7/21 vs.CWS W9 | 6.0 | 7 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 10 |  | 7-4/9-4 | Season-high-tying 10 K |  |  | 104/64 | 61.5\%) |
| 7/26 vs. SEA L7 | 3.2 | 7 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 7 |  | 2-4/7-8 | 2nd-shortest start of career |  |  | 95/63 | (66.3\%) |
| JULY TOTALS 1-2 | 25.1 | 30 | 18 | 18 | 8 | 9 | 43 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 39 ERA |
| 8/2 at STL L8 | 4.0 | 9 | 7 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 4 |  | 0-7/3-7 |  |  |  | 103/66 | (64.1\%) |
| 8/26 vs. TEX ND | 5.0 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 7 |  | 1-1/2-6 | 2nd start of '23 allowing 4+ HR <br> T -fewest pitches in start this year |  |  |  | (63.8\%) |
| AUG. TOTALS 0-1 | 9.0 | 14 | 8 | 8 | 5 | 3 |  | 11 |  |  |  |  |  | 00 ERA |
|  |  | RECORD |  |  | IP |  |  |  |  | ER | HR | BB | SO | ERA |
| 2023 TOTALS |  | 9-8 |  |  |  | 131.0 |  |  | 2365 | 63 | 26 | 27 | 159 | 4.33 |
| CAREER TOTALS |  | 24-17 |  |  |  | 304.2 |  |  | 137 | 133 | 50 | 79 | 340 | 3.93 |

LEAGUE LEADER: Ryan enters today among the top American League pitchers in several statistical categories this season (min. 20 GS):
STATISTIC RYAN'S \#S $\qquad$ AL RANK
Strikeouts-per-9.0 inning
Walks-per-9.0 Innings.
Warst-Pitch Strike Percentage
10.92 10.92 .
5.89. Opponent On-Base Percentage
$\square$ ... 1.85.
... 66.7.


LAST TIME OUT: Did not factor into the decision in his return from the 15-day Injured List on August 26 vs. Texas in a 6-2 Twins' defeat...allowed one run on five hits (1 HR) in 5.0 innings pitched, with two walks and seven strikeouts...his lone blemish was a solo homer by former Twin Mitch Garver in the top of the second inning...stranded two runners in scoring position in the second inning, inducing an inning-ending groundout from Leody Taveras...exited after 5.0 innings and a season-low-tying 80
pitches (also, 80 pitches on April 2 at Kansas City) with the score tied 1-1; Griffin Jax allowed four pitches (also, 80 pitches on April 2 at Kansas City) with the score tied 1-1; Griffin Jax allowed four runs in the top of the ninth and Minnesota fell in the third game of the four-game series.
$\Phi$ Has allowed at least one home run in eight-straight starts ( 18 HR total), the longest streak of his career and tied with Bailey Ober and Kenta Maeda (both active streaks) for the longest by a Twin this year....is the sixth pitcher in American League/National League history (since 1901 ) to
allow 18-0r-more homers in an eight-game span; first since BAL's Bruce Zimmermann in 2022.

DO YOU REMEMBER?: Making his 11th career start in September tonight, his most in any month in his career...is 5-2, 3.09 ERA ( $55.1 \mathrm{IP}, 19 \mathrm{ER}$ ) with 17 walks, 60 strikeouts and a 161 (31-for-193) opponent batting average in 10 previous September starts...his . 161 opponent batting average in September GS) ..made his major league debut two years ago tonight on September 1, 2021 vs. Chicago-NL ( $5.0 \mathrm{IP}, 3 \mathrm{H}, 3 \mathrm{R} / \mathrm{ER}, 1 \mathrm{HR}, 1 \mathrm{BB}, 5 \mathrm{~K}$ ); also set his single-game career high strikeout total on September 22, 2021 at Chicago-NL (11 K in 5.0 IP).

TEXAS TUSSLE: Facing the Rangers for the second-straight start and third time in his career...will be the second time in his career that he has faced the same opponent in back-to-back starts (also, September 8-14, 2021 against Cleveland)...took a no-decision vs. Texas in his last start on August 26 at Target Field, a 6-2 Twins' loss (see "LAST TIME OUT" note above)...also took the loss despite recording a quality start vs. the Rangers on August 21, 2022, a 7-0 Twins' defeat at Target Field
$(6.1 \mathrm{IP}, 2 \mathrm{H}, 2 \mathrm{R} / E R, 1 \mathrm{HR}, 3 \mathrm{BB}, 6 \mathrm{~K}$ )
$\Phi$ Making his seventh start of the season against an American League West opponent (HOU - 2, EX - 1, LAA - 1, OAK - 1, SEA -1)...is 1-2, 5.70 ERA ( $30.0 \mathrm{IP}, 19 \mathrm{ER}$ ) with 12 walks and 46 strikeouts...his 5.77 ERA ( 53.0 IP, 34 ER) in 11 career starts vs. the AL West is his highest ERA against any AL division in his career.

ROCKY ROAD: After winning his first three road starts of the year, Ryan has gone 0-4, 6.25 ERA (40.1 IP, 28 ER) with 11 walks, 46 strikeouts and a 302 (49-for-162) opponent batting average in his last eight road outings...Is $3-4$ with a 5.01 ERA ( 59.1 IP, 33 ER), 14 walks and 65 strikeouts in 11 overall road starts in 2023...has recorded seven quality starts on the road this season, with the Twins going
$4-3$ in those games (1-3 in his other road starts)...has posted better numbers at home this year, going 6-4, 3.77 ERA (71.2 IP, 30 ER ) with 13 walks and 94 strikeouts in 12 starts at Target Field in 2023
$\Phi$ Making his first career start at Globe Life Field; will be the 19th different ballpark he has pitched
at in his career....is 5-8, 6.00 ERA (90.0 IP, 60 ER) with 23 walks and 97 strikeouts in 18 prior starts when pitching at a new ballpark.
कIs 11-8, 4.32 ERA (135.1 IP, 65 ER) with 33 walks and 141 strikeouts in 25 career road starts...in 30 career home starts, he is 13-9, 3.61 ERA (169.1 IP, 68 ER) with 46 walks and 199 strikeouts.
LEFT OUT: Left-handed hitters are batting just . 211 (49-for-232) with a . 618 OPS and 61 strikeouts against Ryan this year...his 618 opponent OPS against left-handed hitters is the 11 th lowest in the American League this season (min. 20 GS)...right-handed hitters are batting . 270 (74-for-274) with an . 818 OPS and 98 strikeouts against Ryan in 2023...his . 285 overall opponent on-base percentage in 2023 ranks 11th in the AL (min. 20 GS)
क Over his career, lefties are batting . 201 (110-for-546) with a . 625 OPS against him...his 625 career opponent OPS vs. lefties is the 10th lowest in the AL since his debut (min. 250 at-bats)...
righties are hitting . 240 (144-for-601) with a .735 OPS off Ryan in his career.

THE ARSENAL: Has utilized a four-pitch mix in his first 23 starts of the 2023 season....has leaned on his four-seam fastball and split finger, combining to throw the two pitches 85.0 percent of the time this year...recorded strikeouts with three of his pitch types (four-seam fastball - 3, sweeper - 3, slider


RESULTS
 Slider (82.6) ................................................ ( 83 pitches, $65 / 18$ )............... 400 ( 6 -for-15), 12 B, 1 HR, 6 K $\Phi$ Ryan has accumulated a run value of 11 on his four-seam fastball, the 11th-best run value on a four-seamer in baseball this season, according to Baseball Savant.

2023 HIGHS
CG's: 1, 6/22 vs. BOS CG Low-Hit: $3,6 / 22$ vs. BOS Innings: $9.0,6 / 22$ vs. BOS SO's: $10,5 \mathrm{x}$, last $7 / 21$ vs. CWS Walks: $3,2 x$, last $7 / 16$ at OAK Hits: $9,2 \mathrm{x}$, last $8 / 2$ at STL Home Runs: 5, 6/27 at ATL Win-Streak: 5, 4/2-4/25 Loss-Streak 3, 5/30-6/16

## CAREER HIGHS

## CAREER NOTES

- 2023 marks his sixth professional season, including 2020.
- In 2022, his first full major-league season, was Twins Opening Day starter and led both the club and all AL rookies in wins (13), innings pitched (147.0) and strikeouts (151).
- Made his major league debut for the Twins on September 1, 2021 vs. Chicago-NL (L, $5.0 \mathrm{IP}, 3 \mathrm{H}, 3 \mathrm{R} / 3 \mathrm{ER}, 1 \mathrm{HR}, 1 \mathrm{BB}, 5 \mathrm{~K}$ ).
- Helped Team USA win the silver medal in baseball at the 2020 Tokyo Olympics.
went 1-0, 1.74 ERA (10.1 IP, 2 ER), one walk and eight strikeouts in two starts. - Acquired by the Twins on July 22, 2021 from the Tampa Bay Rays, alongside right handed pitcher Drew Strotman, in exchange for designated hitter Nelson Cruz. learned about the trade while in Japan with Team USA.
and the summer at the alternate training site in Port Charlotte, Florida...ranked by Baseball America as the №. 12 prospect in the Rays system following the season.
- In 2019, was named Rays minor league Pitcher of the Year after going 9-4, 1.96 ERA (123. 2 IP, between Low-A Bowling Green ( 6 starts), High-A Charlotte ( 15 games, 13 starts) and Double-A Montgomery (3 starts).
honors, Baseball America High Class A including: MiLB.com organization All-Star Pitcher of the Week (June 17-23 and August 5-1) two-tıme Florida State League of the Month for July and August.
- Made professional debut in 2018 for Short-A Hudson Valley....went 2-1, 3.72 ERA ( $36.1 \mathrm{IP}, 15 \mathrm{ER}$ ) in 12 games ( 7 starts) for the Renegades, with 14 walks and 51 strikeouts.
Selected by the Rays in the seventh round of the 2018 First-Year Player Draft out of Division II California State University, Stanislaus
- Went 8-1, 1.65 ERA (98.1 IP, 18 ER) in 14 starts as a senior at Stanislaus and led all divisions of college baseball with 127 strikeouts...earned three selections to All-Americateams.


## 2023 MISC. NUMBERS

|  | W | L | ERA | G/GS IP | ER | AVG | H | AB | HR | BB | SO |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Home: | 6 | 4 | 3.77 | 12/12 71.2 | 30 | Vs. Left: . 211 | 49 | 232 | 7 | 18 | 61 |
| Road: | 3 | 4 | 5.01 | 11/11 59.1 | 33 | Vs. Right: . 270 | 74 | 274 | 19 | 9 | 98 |
| Day: | 5 | 4 | 3.52 | 11/11 64.0 | 25 | TOTALS: . 243 | 123 | 506 | 26 | 27 | 159 |
| Night: | 4 | 4 | 5.10 | 12/12 67.0 | 38 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Grass: | 9 | 8 | 4.32 | 22/22 125.0 | 60 | None On: $\quad .239$ | 78 | 327 | 18 | 14 | 107 |
| Turf: | 0 | 0 | 4.50 | $1 / 1 \quad 6.0$ | 3 | Runners 0n: . 251 | 45 | 179 | 8 | 13 | 52 |

6.0-PLUS IP/QUALITY STARTS

| YEAR | STARTS | 6+IP | QS |  | YEAR | STARTS | $6+$ IP |
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| 2021 | 5 | 1 | 1 | $\underline{2023}$ | 23 | 15 | 12 |
| 2022 | 27 | 11 | 11 | TOTALS | 55 | 27 | 24 |

MORE 2023 MISCELLANEOUS NUMBERS RYAN: $\frac{\text { BASE RUNNERS }}{155}$ PICK-OFFS $\quad$ SB-ATT GIDP

2023 RUNS/HITS PER INNING

| INNING: | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | $9_{+}$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| RUNS/HITS: $10 / 23$ | $16 / 24$ | $19 / 31$ | $7 / 16$ | $8 / 15$ | $3 / 10$ | $2 / 3$ | $0 / 1$ | $0 / 0$ |  |

RYAN VS. TEXAS
2023 vs. Texas (1 start): $0-0,1.80 \operatorname{ERA}(5.01 \mathrm{P}, 1 \mathrm{ER}), 2 \mathrm{BB}, 7 \mathrm{~K}$
2023 vs. Texas at Home ( 1 start): 0-0, 1.80 ERA (5.0 IP, 1 ER), $2 \mathrm{BB}, 7 \mathrm{~K}$
2023 vs. Texas on Road ( 0 games):
Career vs. Texas (2 starts): $0-1,2.38$ ERA (11.1 IP, 3 ER), 5 BB, 13 K
Career vs. Texas at Home (2 starts): $0-1,2.38$ ERA ( 11.1 IP, 3 ER), 5 BB, 13 K
Career vs. Texas on Road (0 games):

## BATTER-PITCHER MATCH-UPS

| Ryan vs. <br> PLAYER |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | AVG | AB | H | HR | BB | SO |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Grossman | .091 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Seager | .000 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Garcia | .200 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Hedges | .000 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Semien | .200 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Lowe | .250 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Taveras | .250 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Duran | .333 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Garver | .500 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Heim | .000 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jankowski | .000 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Miller | .000 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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Scherzer vs. the Twins

| PLAYER | AVG | AB | H | HR |  | SO |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Farmer | . 333 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Gallo | . 000 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Correa | . 200 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| Solano | . 200 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Vázquez | . 250 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Gray | . 000 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Julien | . 333 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Kepler | . 667 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Lewis | . 000 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Polanco | . 333 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Wallner | . 000 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Mahle | . 000 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| López | . 000 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Luplow | . 000 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

several advanced metrics, per Baseball Savant:
RYAN'S \#'s
METRIC $\qquad$ MLB PERCENTILE Chase Rate. Chase Rate.
Walk Rate...
Strikout Ra 34.1.
5.0
.0

SPECIAL K: Has recorded 340 career strikeouts through his first 55 games, the most in Twins' history (1961-) through a pitcher's first 55 career games.... would also hold the record 1970-71)...his 10.04 strikeouts-per- 9.0 innings ratio in his career is the fitt best in Twins history, and his 4.30 strikeout-to-walk ratio ranks eighth (min. 200.0 IP ).

क Jax（HLD，20），Thielbar（HLD，11）Duran（BS，5），Pagán（L，2）and Funderburk combined to throw 3.0 IP allowing $5 \mathrm{R}(4 \mathrm{ER}$ ）on 4 H w／ 3 BB \＆ 2 K in $8 / 30$ extra inn．loss vs．CLE
\＄＇Pen went 2－1，2．37 ERA（19．0 IP， 5 ER） $11 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{HR}$（A．García）， $9 \mathrm{BB}, 17 \mathrm{~K} \& 1 \mathrm{SV}$ in 4 G at home last week vs．TEX．
$\Phi$＇Pen has thrown 1,355 offspeed pitches，4th most in baseball trailing NYY（1，826），DET（ 1,452 ）\＆CIN（1，428）．．．averaging 90.2 mph on all pitches，T－7th－hardest throwing＇pen in MLB（4th in AL） $\Phi$＇Pen has 12 th lowest xBA（．232）and T－13th lowest wOBA（．305）in MLB．．．．also，MIN relievers have allowed the second fewest hits（389）among all MLB bullpens．

JHOAN DURAN－RHP
Height：6－5 Weight： 259
Homestand：0－0－0， 3.00 （3．0 IP， 1 ER）， 3 K， 1 BB

## Age： 25 （ $1 / 8 / 98$ in Esperanza，DR）

Acquired：Trade with ARI，7／27／18
Series vs CLE： $0-0-0,9.00$（1．0 IP，1ER）， $1 \mathrm{~K}, 1 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ vs．Left $219 \quad$ vs．Right 219
क Tossed 1．0 IP allowing 1 R on 1 H w／ 1 BB \＆ 1 K on $8 / 30$ in extra inn．loss vs．CLE．．．last recorded a perfect outing since $7 / 15$ at 0AK．
$\Phi$ Lefties are 21 －for－ $96 \mathrm{w} / 13 \mathrm{BB}, 42 \mathrm{~K}$ and 32 B （Casas $-6 / 21 \mathrm{vs}$ ．BOS，Kemp－ $7 / 14$ at OAK，Greene $-8 / 10$ at DET）．．．RHH are 21 －for－ $96 \mathrm{w} / 52 \mathrm{~B}, 6 \mathrm{HR}, 7 \mathrm{BB}$ \＆ 30 K ．
$\Phi$ Threw 104.8 mph pitch to Suárez in 9th on $7 / 19$ ；fastest pitch in MLB this season and T－7th fastest pitch by any pitcher in the Statcast Era
（2015－）．．．has 9 career pitches of 104＋mph，3rd most in MLB since 2015 behind A．Chapman（47）and J．Hicks（13）
$\Phi 23$ saves（ 28 opps），7th most in AL．．．．has 82.1 SV\％， 12 th best in AL．．．his 5 BS were $4 / 11$ vs．CWS， $6 / 21 \mathrm{vs}$ ．BOS， $7 / 2$ at BAL， $7 / 28$ at KC， $8 / 30 \mathrm{vs}$ ．CLE $\Phi$ Is 0－1， 5.40 ERA（ $5.0 \mathrm{IP}, 3 \mathrm{ER}$ ）w／ 5 H ，HR（C．Seager）， $1 \mathrm{BB}, 3 \mathrm{~K} \& 2$ HLD in 5 career G vs．TEX
$\Phi$ Has appeared in 39 of Twins＇ 69 wins \＆Twins are 39－11 in games which he has appeared．．．Twins are $80-27$ in games which he＇s appeared（since＇22）． $\mp 404$ of 833 pitches $100+\mathrm{mph}$ ；ranks 2 nd in MLB trailing J．Hicks－ 421 ．．．thrown 796 pitches $100+\mathrm{mph}$ since start of＇ 22 ，the most in baseball． $\Phi$ Ranks in the 95 th percentile in baseball in whiff\％（35．4）and 93rd percentile in xBA（．196）．．．xSLG（．313）is top 8\％of league．
$\Phi$ In his last 35 G ，has $>1.0+\mathrm{IP} 8 \mathrm{x}$ ，being force to extend his outings due to close games，last being $8 / 23$ at MIL．
$\Phi$ Avg velos are up on both fastballs（ $100.8<101.7$ ）and offspeed pitches（ $96.4<98.5$ ）．
$\mp 2023$ arsenal：4－seam FB（avg．101．7 mph）－ 389 pitches（ $44.5 \%$ ），curveball（avg． 87.7 mph ）－ 246 pitches（ $28.1 \%$ ），splitter（avg． 98.5 mph ）

## DYLAN FLORO－RHP Weight： 203

Age： 32 （12／27／1990 in Merced，CA）
BB $\quad$ Series vs CLE： $0-0-0,0.00$（0．0．
Height：6－2
Series vs CLE： $0-0-0,0.00(0.0$ IP， 0 ER）， 0 K， 0 BB $\quad$ Bs．Left $360 \quad$ vs．Right 278
$\mp$ Earned 5th $W$ of season tossing a scoreless 13 inn．allowing just 1 BB and 2 K in $8 / 27$ win vs．TEX．．．reached 300 career $K$
$\Phi$ Went $3-5$ with a 4.54 ERA（ 39.2 IP， 20 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．
$\Phi$ MIN is 6 th MLB org．，previously was with Tampa Bay（2012－16），Chicago－NL（2017），Cincinnati（2018），Los Angeles－NL（2018－20）\＆Miami（2021－23）．
$\Phi$ Is 1－0 with 4.1 scoreless IP w／ $3 \mathrm{H}, 3 \mathrm{BB}$ and 4 K in 5 career G vs．TEX
$\Phi$ Lefties are 31－for－86，82B，3B， 2 HR（OIson 4／26 at ATL \＆Fraley $5 / 12$ vs．CIN）， 10 BB \＆ 21 K against him and righties are 32 －for－ $115,42 \mathrm{~B}, 5 \mathrm{BB}$ \＆ 30 K ．
$\Phi 2023$ arsenal： $4-$ seam $\mathrm{FB}-285$ pitches（ $33.3 \%$ ），sinker -269 pitches（ $31.4 \%$ ），slider -202 pitches（ $23.6 \%$ ），changeup－ 100 pitches（ $11.7 \%$ ）．

## KODY FUNDERBURK－LHP

Height：6－4 Weight： 230 Age： 26 （11／27／96 in Mesa，AZ）

## Homestand：1－0－0， 3.86 （2．1 IP，1 ER）， 3 K， 0 BB

Series vs CLE： $1-0$
玉 Tossed 0.1 IP allowing a 3 －run HR to Calhoun in $8 / 30$ extra inn．loss vs．CLE
$\Phi$ Earned 1st $W$ in ML debut tossing 2.0 scoreless IP w／ 3 K in $8 / 28$ win vs．CLE．．．first ML strikeout off Rámon Laureano in 5 th inn．
$\mp$ 1st Twins pitcher to earn the win in ML debut since Fernando Romero（start）on May 2， 2018 and first to do so in relief since Todd Ritchie on April 3，1997，
$\Phi$ Twins selected contract on $8 / 28 \ldots$ went $4-1$ with a $2.60 \mathrm{ERA}(52.0 \mathrm{IP}, 15 \mathrm{ER}$ ）， $21 \mathrm{BB}, 75 \mathrm{~K}$ ，a 1.06 WHIP，a 183 BAA and a $13.0 \mathrm{~K} / 9.0 \mathrm{IP}$ ratio in 37 G for the Saints this season．．．began season with Wichita appearing in 5 G ．
$\mp 2023$ arsenal：4－seam FB－19 pitches（ $52.8 \%$ ），slider－ 9 pitches（ $25.0 \%$ ）and sinker -8 pitches（ $22.2 \%$ ）
$\Phi$ Selected by the Twins in the 15th round of 2018 Draft out of Dallas Baptist University and has spent parts of 5 seasons in the Twins minor league system．

## BRENT HEADRICK－LHP

Height：6－6
Weight： 238
Age： 25 （12／17／1997 in Braidwood，IL）
\＄：53
Homestand： $0-0-0,0.00(0.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}), 0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series vs CLE： $0-0-0,0.00$（ $0.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}$ ）， 0 K， $0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ vs．Left． 333 vs．Right． 191
 Ф Has gone 2－0 with a 6．20 ERA（ $20.1 \mathrm{IP}, 14 \mathrm{ER}$ ）， $9 \mathrm{BB}, 26 \mathrm{~K}, 1$ SV in 10 relief app．earlier this season．
$\Phi$ Never faced TEX．．．．3rd pitcher in MIN history（1961－）W／1＋W and $1+$ SV within his first 4 career games，joining Bill Pleis（2 W， 1 SV in 1961）and Nom Johnson（ $2 \mathrm{~W}, 1$ SV in 1974）．．．lefties are 10 －for－ $30 \mathrm{w} / 12 \mathrm{~B}, 3$ HR \＆ 4 K for MIN this season and righties are 9 －for－ $47 \mathrm{w} / 42 \mathrm{SV}, 22 \mathrm{~K}$ \＆ 2 HR ． a 2023 arsenal at MLB level： 4 －seam FB－ 208 pitches（ $56.1 \%$ ）slider－ 139 pitches（ $37.5 \%$ ）changeup－ 24 pitches（ $6.5 \%$ ）．

## GRIFFIN JAX－RHP

Age： 28 （11／22／94 in Phoenix，AZ）
Acquired：3rd RD， 2016 Draft
Homestand：0－1－1， 22.50 （2．0 IP， 5 ER）， 3 K， 3 BB Series vs CLE： $0-0-0,13.50$（0．2 IP，1ER）， 1 K， 0 BB vs．Left 230 vs．Right． 246
玉 Tossed 0.2 IP allowing 1 R on 1 H w／ 1 K in $8 / 30$ loss vs．CLE
$\Phi$ Yielded back－to－back HR on 8／16 to Torkelson \＆Carpenter for his 3rd \＆4th HR of the season；marked the 2nd time allowing back－to－back HR
in his career（also on August 10， 2021 vs．Chicago－AL，Adam Engel and José Abreu in the 3rd inning）．
$\Phi$ Leads club in $G(59)$ ，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／ 124 \＆T－6th in the AL in that span．
क Is 0－1，7．71 ERA（4．2 IP，4 ER）w／ $3 \mathrm{H}, 4 \mathrm{BB}, 6 \mathrm{~K}, 1 \mathrm{HLD}$ and 1 SV in 6 career G vs．TEX．
$\Phi$ Has 57.3 GB rate \＆ $15.9 \%$ FB rate．．．ranks in 96 th percentile in MLB in lowest barrel\％（3．2）．．．of 157 batted balls off Jax， 5 have been barrels． $\Phi$ Has 3.00 xERA（top $8 \%$ of MLB）but 4.14 ERA on season．．． $3.00 \times$ ERA is lowest of career．．．has 35.0 hard hit \％，best of career．
$\Phi$ Lefties are 20 －for－ $87 \mathrm{w} / 3$ 2B， 2 3B， 10 BB \＆ 27 K．．．righties are 30 －for－ $122 \mathrm{w} / 4$ 2B， 7 BB \＆ 26 K this season．．． 191 BAA off sweeper w／ 38 K ．
EMILIO PACAN－RHP
P．
Age： 32 （5／7／91 in Simpsonville，SC）
BB $\quad$ Series vs CLE： $0-1-0,10.80$
\＃15
Height：6－3 Weight： 216 Weight： 216 $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Acquired：Trade with SD，4／7／22 } \\ \text { Series vs CLE：} 0-1-0,10.80(1.2 ~ I P, ~ 2 E R), ~ & \text { K，} 1 \text { BB } \\ \text { vs．Left ．} 226 & \text { vs．Right ．} 161\end{array}$ Homestand：0－1－0， 4.91 （3．2 IP， 2 ER）， $1 \mathrm{~K}, 1 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series vs LLE： $0-1-0,10.80$（1．2 IP，2ER）， $0 \mathrm{~K}, 1 \mathrm{BB}$ vs．Left 226 vs．Right． 161 $\mp$ Took 2nd loss tossing 0.2 IP allowing 2 R （ 1 ER ）\＆ 1 BB in $8 / 30$ loss vs．CLE．．． 8 ER in last 32 app ．（ $31.0 \mathrm{IP}, 2.32$ ERA， $144 \mathrm{BAA}, 27 \mathrm{~K}$ ）． क Has posted a 2．38 ERA（ $22.2 \mathrm{IP}, 6 \mathrm{ER}$ ）w／． 132 BAA in last 24 G and 2.43 ERA（ $40.2 \mathrm{IP}, 11 \mathrm{ER}$ ）w／． 144 BAA in last 40 G ．
玉 Is 1－0， 1.93 ERA（ $9.1 \mathrm{IP}, 2 \mathrm{ER}$ ）w／ $7 \mathrm{H}, 7 \mathrm{BB}, 15 \mathrm{~K} \& 3$ HLD in 9 career away G vs．TEX．
$\Phi$ Lefties are 21 －for－ $93 \mathrm{w} / 8$ 2B， $2 \mathrm{HR}, 10 \mathrm{BB}$ \＆ 27 K ，while righties are 19 －for－ $118 \mathrm{w} / 42 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{HR}, 7 \mathrm{BB}$ \＆ 25 K ．
क Has $8.02 \mathrm{~K} / 9.0$ IP ratio this season，lowest of career；multiple K in just 11 of 56 G ．．．．has 0.77 HR／9．0 ratio，lowest of career（prev．low 1.25 in 2017 ）．
$\boldsymbol{\Phi}$ Has induced 4.3 weak contact $\%$ ，tied best of career．．．has 8.1 barrel percentage，3rd lowest of career．
$\mp 2023$ arsenal： 4 －seam FB－ 476 pitches（ $52.7 \%$ ），cutter－281 pitches（ $31.1 \%$ ），split finger -119 pitches（ $13.2 \%$ ），curveball－ 27 pitches（ $3.0 \%$ ）．
most effective pitch in 2023 has been cutter as opponents are 8 －for－ 71 （．113）．．．has $.218 \times$ BA on 4 S －FB with actual BA of 214 on that pitch
COLE SANDS－RHP $\qquad$ Age： 26 （7／17／1997 in Tallahassee，FL）
Height：6－3 Weight： 226 （7／17／1997 in Tallahassee，FL）
Series vs CLE： $0-0-0,0.00$（2．0 IP，0ER）， 1 K， 0 BB $\quad \begin{gathered}\text { Acquired：5th RD，} 2018 \text { Draft } \\ \text { vs．Left } 275 \\ \text { vs．Right } 189\end{gathered}$ Homestand：0－0－0， 0.00 （4．0 IP， 0 ER）， 2 K， 0 BB $\Phi$ Tossed 2.0 scoreless IP allowing just 1 H \＆ 2 K in $8 / 29$ loss vs．CLE．．．scoreless in last 6 app．（7．0 IP）w／． 160 BAA（4－for－25）．
क 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．
क First career app．vs TEX on 8／29．．．has a 1.86 ERA（ $9.2 \mathrm{IP}, 2 \mathrm{ER}$ ）w／ $9 \mathrm{H}, 2 \mathrm{BB} \& 13 \mathrm{~K}$ in 6 career G vs．AL West opponents．
$\mp 2023$ arsenal： 4 －seam FB－ 130 pitches（ $35.8 \%$ ），split finger -89 pitches（ $24.5 \%$ ），curveball -70 pitches（ $19.3 \%$ ），sinker－ 46 pitches（ $12.7 \%$ ），
cutter－ 28 pitches（ $7.7 \%$ ）．．．0pponents are 6 －for－ 27 off 4 S －FB（． 222 BAA）and 4 －for－21（． 190 BAA）off split finger

## CALEB THIELBAR－LHP

 Homestand：0－0－0， 3.86 （2．1 IP， 1 ER ）， $3 \mathrm{~K}, 1 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series vs CLE： $0-0-0,0.00(0.1 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}), 0 \mathrm{~K}, 1 \mathrm{BB}$ vs．Left． 143 vs．Right ． 262
क Relieved Jax in 8th inn．w／ 1 IR scored in $8 / 30$ loss vs．CLE．
$\Phi$ Returned from rehab and reinstated from the 15 －day IL on $7 / 30$ ．．．missed 46 Gw a right oblique strain．．．made 2 app．on rehab assignment w／AAA StP，tossing 2.0 scoreless IP w／ 1 BB \＆ 2 K ．
$\Phi$ Is 1－1，6．00 ERA（3．0 IP，2 ER）w／ $3 \mathrm{H}, 2 \mathrm{BB}, 3 \mathrm{~K}$ and 1 HLD in 4 career away G vs．TEX．
$\Phi$ Lefties are 5 －for－ $34 \mathrm{w} / 22 \mathrm{~B}, 13 \mathrm{~B}$ \＆ 10 K this season，while righties are 11 －for－ $43 \mathrm{w} / 22 \mathrm{~B}, 4$ HR， 5 BB \＆ 13 K ．
क Has 276 career appearances，all with the Twins， 7 th most in club history among lefties（next Taylor Rogers－319）．
$\mp 2023$ arsenal：4－seam FB－ 180 pitches（ $53.3 \%$ ），curveball－ 68 pitches（ $20.1 \%$ ），sweeper -62 pitches（ $18.3 \%$ ），slider－ 28 pitches（ $8.3 \%$ ）．．．
JOSH WINDER－RHP
Height：6－5 Weight： 239
$\qquad$
Homestand：1－0－1， 0.00 （ 6.0 IP， 0 ER）， $4 \mathrm{~K}, 2 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series vs CLE： $0-0-1,0.00$（ $3.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}$ ）， $1 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB}$ vs．Left 200 vs．Right .278
$\Phi$ Earned his 1st career SV tossing 3.0 scoreless IP w／ 1 K in $8 / 27$ win vs．TEX．．．the outing marked the second time in his career he pitched at least 3.0 no－hit innings and fifth time pitching at least 3.0 shutout innings．
$\mp$ 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）．
$\mp 2023$ arsenal：slider－ 134 pitches（ $32.9 \%$ ），changeup -111 pitches（ $27.3 \%$ ）， $4-$ seam FB -94 pitches（ $23.1 \%$ ），curveball－ 49 pitches（ $12.0 \%$ ），
sinker－ 14 pitches（ $3.4 \%$ ）and sweeper 5 pitches（ $1.2 \%$ ）． MISC TEAM BULLPEN INFO

RECENT APPEARANCES


RECENT APPEARANCES DATE DEC IP $\quad$ H $\quad$ R $\quad$ ER $\quad$ HR $\quad$ BB SO $\begin{array}{lll}8 / 29 \text { vs．CLE ND } & 2.0 \\ 8 / 25 \text { vs．TEX } & \text { ND } & 2.0\end{array}$

| MİSC TEAM BULLPEN INFO |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | TEAM BULLPEN USAGE |  |  |
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| Player name | 1st Batter Avg | BB／9 | K／9 | Saves／Opps | Holds | IRS\％ | WHIP | HR | Last game | 2 games ago | 3 games ago |
| Jhoan Duran | ． 311 | 3.38 | 12.15 | 23／28 | 6 | 0．0\％（0／5） | 1.16 | 6 | 1.01 P （20） | 0.0 PP（0） | $0.01 \mathbb{P}^{(0)}$ |
| Dylan Floro | ． 327 | 2.77 | 9.06 | 7／10 | 9 | 37．5\％（6／16） | 1.60 | 2 | $0.01 \mathrm{PP}(0)$ | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ |
| Kody Funderburk | ． 500 | 0.00 | 11.57 | 0／0 | 0 | 100．0\％（2／2） | 0.43 | 1 | 0.1 IP（8） | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ | 2.01 P （28） |
| Brent Headrick | ． 222 | 3.98 | 11.51 | 1／2 | 1 | 14.3 （1／7） | 1.38 | 5 | 0.01 PP （0） | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ |
| Griffin Jax | ． 175 | 2.82 | 8.78 | 2／9 | 23 | 33．3\％（3／9） | 1.23 | 4 | 0.2 IP（8） | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ |
| Emilio Pagan | ． 188 | 2.62 | 8.02 | 0／4 | 15 | 36．4\％（8／22） | 0.98 | 5 | 0.2 PP（7） | 1.01 P （14） | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ |
| Cole Sands | ． 182 | 5.03 | 7.78 | 0／0 | 5 | 14．3\％（1／7） | 1.47 | 3 | 0.01 P （0） | 2.01 P （24） | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ |
| Caleb Thielbar | ． 150 | 2.57 | 9.86 | 0／1 | 12 | 50．0\％（4／8） | 1.05 | 4 | $0.1 \mathrm{PP}(16)$ | 0.0 IP（0） | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ |
| Josh Winder | ． 182 | 3.55 | 8.17 | 1／1 | 1 | 33．3\％（1／3） | 1.30 | 2 | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ | 3.01 P（24） |


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Cole Sands
Josh Winder


CARLOS CORREA－SS Height：6－4 Weight： 215 B／I：R／R Age： 28 （9／22／1994 in Santa Isabel，PR 2023 Average：：222
Homestand：${ }_{3-28,} \mathrm{HR}, 2 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{RBI}$ Streak： $0-10$ Series vs CLE：
Home Runs：
0－for－4 8／20 vs．CLE．．． 0 －for－4 8／29 vs．CLE，snapping 19－G on－base streak．streak was seaso best and 3rd longest of career．．．9－game hit streak 8／5－8／15．．．has 11 RBI in his last 17 G ，after going 9 G w／out an RBI before current stretch．．．．hit walkoff $1 \mathrm{~B} 7 / 24$ vs．SEA，11th career WO PA．
$\Phi$ Leads MIN in games played this season（ 120 ）．
क Career 1 －for－5，BB vs．Scherzer．．．is 2 －for－16，2B，HR， 2 RBI， 3 BB， 4 R in 4 games vs．TEX this season．．． 21 career HR vs．TEX are his most vs．any opp．；his 66 RBl are his 2 nd most（LAA－ 69 ）．
I Is 27 －for－107（．252）， 7 2B， 5 HR， 13 RBI， 15 BB vs．LHP this season and 75 －for－353（212） $192 \mathrm{~B}, 23 \mathrm{~B}, 11 \mathrm{HR}, 44 \mathrm{RB}$ I， 38 BB vs．RHP．．．hitting ． 220 （ 74 －for－337）， 20 2B，3B， 9 HR， 33

## KYLE FARMER－IF

Height：6－0 Weight： 202 B／T：R／R
Age： 33 （8／17／1990 in Atlanta

Home Runs： 8 （ 61 －run， 12 －run， 13 －run）
क Def．repl．at 2B $8 / 28$ vs．CLE．．．2－for－6，HR，RBI，R in 4 G on＇stand．．．1－for－2，HR，RBI，R $8 / 24$ vs． TEX；HR－ed in consecutive G for 2 nd time in career－HR traveled 435 ft ．，longest homer of career． क Career 2 －for－ 6, HR，RBI vs．Scherzer．．．is 2 －for－6，HR，RBI，R in 3 games vs．TEX this season career 250 （3－for－12），HR，RBI，R in 6 games vs．TEXX
क Hitting ． 328 （20－for－61）， $22 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{HR}, 22$ RBI w／RISP this season．．．is 24 －for－ 93 （．258）， $52 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{~B}$ ， $2 \mathrm{HR}, 11 \mathrm{RBI}, 8 \mathrm{BB}$ vs．LHP and 41 －for－166（．247）， $42 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{~B}, 6 \mathrm{HR}, 17 \mathrm{RBI}, 8 \mathrm{BB}$ vs．RHP this season．


क 0 －for－1 $8 / 30$ vs．CLE；is 0 －for－his－last－15．．． $8 / 25 \mathrm{vs}$ ．TEX，ejected for 3rd time in career after bottom of 3rd inning．．．4－for－4， 2 HR， 4 RBI，BB， 2 R 8／12 at PHI；tied career highs w／ 4 H \＆by bottom of 3 rd inning．．． 4 －for－$-4,2 \mathrm{HR}, 4 \mathrm{RBI}, \mathrm{BB}, 2 \mathrm{RR}$ 8／12 at PHI；tied career highs w．
reaching base 5 x ，also recorded 17 th career 2－HR game．．． 20 HR are T－2nd on MIN．
क Career 0 －for－ 6 vs．Scherzer．．．is 0 －for－5， BB in 4 games vs．TEX this season．
玉 30 of $48 \mathrm{H}(62.5 \%$ ）this season have been XBH（ $92 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{~B}, 20 \mathrm{HR}$ ）．．．enters 3rd in MLB in barrels／
batted ball event（19．5）．．．also 9th in MLB in hard hit \％w／54．1．

\section*{RYAN JEFFERS－C} | Height：6－4 | Weight： 237 | B／T：R／R | Streak： $0-13$ | Age： 26 （6／3／1997 in Raleigh，NC） |
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क 0 －for－4 $8 / 30$ vs．CLE．．．．went 3 －for－17，HR， 4 RBI， $2 \mathrm{HBP}, \mathrm{BB}$ in 5 G on＇stand．．．． 2 －for－ $3,2 \mathrm{RBI}$ ， $2 \mathrm{HBP}, 48 / 25$ vs．TEX．．．．has 5 RBI in last 5 games．．．go－ahead PH $2-\mathrm{R}$ HR in 8 th $8 / 24$ vs．TEX； career－best 14－game hit streak 7／15－8／9；streak is longest by MIN hitter this season．
क Hitting ． 302 （ 39 －for－129）， 7 2B， 7 HR， 21 RBI， 12 BB， 19 R， 899 OPS in last 39 G，since $6 / 15$
क Never faced Scherzer．．．is 3 －for－ 9 ，HR， 4 RBI， 2 HBP，BB， 2 R in 3 games vs．TEX this season．
career． 360 （ 9 －for－25）， 3 HR， 10 RBI， $2 \mathrm{HBP}, 2 \mathrm{BB}, 4 \mathrm{R}, 1.168$ OPS in 7 games vs．TEX．

## EDOUARD JULIEN＝IF

Height：6－2 Weight： 205 B／T：L／R
2023 Average： .280
Homestand：
$4-21, ~ H R, ~ 2 B, ~$
3 RBI
Streak：0－6
： 23 （4／30／1999 in Quéhec City CAN
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { Series vs CLE：} & \text { 2－12 } \\ \text { Home Runs：} & 11(91 \text {－run，} 12 \text {－run，} 13 \text {－run）}\end{array}$
क 1 －for－ $4, \mathrm{BB} 8 / 29$ vs．CLE．．．is 4 －for－17，2B，HR， 3 RBI， $3 \mathrm{BB}, 4 \mathrm{R}$ in 6 G on＇stand．．．HR went $8 / 25435 \mathrm{ft}$ ．，longest of career．．． 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 are 4th most on MIN．．．career－best 9 －game hit streak 7／8－7／21．．．hitting .313 （ 40 －for－128）， 5 2B，3B， 5 HR， 14 RBI， 22 BB， 26 R， 414 OBP， 899 OPS in last 41 games．
Enters among rookie leaders in（min 250 AB）in OBP（ 375 2nd）SLG（ 467 8th）OPS（ 842 ． Enters among rookie leaders in（min．250 AB）in OBP（．375，2nd），SLG（．467，8th），OPS（．842， Hitting ． 297 （ 58 －for－195）， 11 2B，3B， 7 HR， 17 RBI， 32 BB， 3 SB， 35 R， .3960 OBP， .867 OPS in 64 G since（joining MIN on 6／10（3rd stint w／MIN this season also A／12－4／21 \＆

## $\begin{aligned} & \text { MAX KEPLER＝OF } \\ & \text { Height：6－4 Weight：} 227 \quad \text { B／T：L／L }\end{aligned}$ Age： 30 （2／10／1993 in Berlin，Germany）



Home Runs：
0 －for－4 $8 / 30$ vs．CLE．．． 2 －for－ $4,2 \mathrm{~B} 8 / 29$ vs．CLE．．．．hit ． 375 （9－for－24）， $42 \mathrm{2B}$, HR， 2 RBI， $5 \mathrm{BB}, 3 \mathrm{R}$ ， 483 OBP，1．149 OPS w／ 4 multi－hit games in 7 games on last homestand．．．8／4－8／9，had RBI in 5 －straight G，3rd－longest streak of career．．．leads MIN w／ 21 HR this season．．．hitting .315
（ 46 －for－146）， $142 \mathrm{~B}, 9 \mathrm{HR}, 20 \mathrm{RBI}, 14 \mathrm{BB}, 26 \mathrm{R}, .972$ OPS in last 41 games，since ASB（7／14）． Career 2－for－3，2B，RBI vs．Scherzer．．．hitting ． 462 （ 6 －for－13）， 22 B，HR， 2 RBI， 3 BB， 2 R， .563 0BP， 1.409 OPS in 4 G vs．TEX this season．．．also 294 （ 10 －for－ 34 ）， $2 \mathrm{~B}, \mathrm{HR}, 6$ RBl in last 9 G at TEX． क His 150 career HR are 12th on MIN all－time list（since 1961）．
$\Phi$ Hitting ． 281 （ 48 －for－171）， $112 \mathrm{~B}, 10 \mathrm{HR}, 25 \mathrm{RBI}, 17 \mathrm{BB}$ in 51 home games and 40 －for－ 178
（．225）， $82 \mathrm{~B}, 11 \mathrm{HR}, 25 \mathrm{RBI}, 14 \mathrm{BB}$ in 54 road games this season．．．also hitting .305 （ $64-$ for－ 210）， 15 2B， $16 \mathrm{HR}, 36$ RBI，． 605 SLG，． 972 OPS in 61 night games this season．

## ROYCE LEWIS

| Height：6－0 | Weight： 213 B／T：R／R | Age： 24 （6／5／1999 in Aliso Viejo，CA） |  |
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| 2023 Average： 307 |  | Streak： $0-6$ | Series vs CLE： |
| $3-12,2$ HR， 5 RBI |  |  |  |

Homestand： $8-28,4 \mathrm{HR}, 2 \mathrm{~B}, 10 \mathrm{RBI} \quad$ Home Runs： 9 （41－run， 22 －run， 13 －run， 2 GS）
玉 0 －for－4 8／30 vs．CLE．．．hit ． 286 （8－for－28），2B， 4 HR， 10 RBI， 4 BB， 7 R， 1.125 OPS in 7 games on last homestand．．．1－for－4，solo HR 8／29 vs．CLE；1st MIN rookie w／HR in 3－straight games since Kirilloff from 4／30－5／2／21．．．2－for－4，HR， 4 RBI，BB， 2 R $8 / 28$ vs．CLE；1st player in MIN history W／grand slam in consecutive games \＆2nd in MLB history，joining Ken Griffey Jr．（April 1999）． Is 15 －for－ 55 （．273）， $32 \mathrm{~B}, 5 \mathrm{HR}, 14 \mathrm{RBI}, 6 \mathrm{BB}, 9 \mathrm{R}, \mathrm{SB}, .955 \mathrm{OPS}$ in 14 games since IL return．．． returned from rehab，reinstated from 10 －day IL 8／15；missed 36 games w／left oblique strain．

Lewis continued．．．．vs．Scherzer．．．career ． 313 （ 5 －for－16），2B， 2 HR， 5 RBI， 3 BB， 1.171 OPS in 4 games vs．TEX，all this season
玉 Career ． 373 （25－for－67），3 2B， 4 HR， 133 RBI， $2 \mathrm{BB}, 10 \mathrm{R}, .400$ 0BP， 997 OPS in 17 road games

## JORDAN LUPLOW－0F／1B Height：5－11 Weight： 195 B／T：R／R Age： 29 （9／26／1993 in Visalia，CA 2023 Average： 196 Homestand： $0-10$ $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Series vs CLE：} & 0-2 \\ \text { Home Runs：} & 1 \text {（1 1－run）}\end{array}$

玉 0 －for－ $28 / 30$ vs．CLE and is 0 －for－his－last－ 15 ；last $H$ was $2 B$ on $8 / 22 \ldots$ ．2nd career pitching app． 8／11 at PHI，tossing 9th．．．7－for－ 37,2 2B，RBI， $4 \mathrm{BB}, \mathrm{SB}, 3 \mathrm{R}$ in 16 G w／MIN．．．3－for－5， $2 \mathrm{~B} 8 / 7 \mathrm{at}$ DET；tied career high w／ 3 H for 7th time．．．claimed off waivers from TOR 8／4．．．played in 7 G for
TOR； 3 －for－14，RBI， 3 BB ．．．MIN is 7th different MLB organization（PIT，CLE，TB，ARI，ATL，TOR）． क Career 0 －for－1 vs．Scherzer．．．．career ． 316 （ 6 －for－19），2B， 4 RBI in 8 games vs．TEX
$\Phi$ Career 0 －for－1 vs．Scherzer．．．career ． 316 （ 6 －for－19）， $2 B, 4$ RBI in 8 games vs．TEX．
$\Phi$ Is 7 －for－ $35,22 \mathrm{~B}, \mathrm{HR}, 2$ RBI， 6 BB（1 IBB）vs．LHP this season and 3 －for－16，BB，RBI vs．RHP．．． also 2－for－13， 2 RBI， 3 BB w／RISP this season．．．career ． 224 （104－for－465），23 2B， $33 \mathrm{~B}, 32$

## $\begin{array}{lll}\text { JORGE POLANCO＝IF } \\ \text { Height：} 6-0 \quad \text { Weight：} 211 \quad \text { B／T：S／R } & \text { Age：} 29 \text {（7／3／1993 in San Pedro de Macorís，DR）}\end{array}$

玉 2－for－2，2B， 2 RBI， $2 \mathrm{BB} 8 / 30$ vs．CLE；drove in both MIN runs．．．hit ． 385 （10－for－26）， 2 2B， 2 HR， 7 RBI in 7 G on＇stand．．．hitting ． 333 （20－for－60）， 2 2B， $4 \mathrm{HR}, 16 \mathrm{RBI}, 11 \mathrm{BB}, 8 \mathrm{R}, .432$ Wallner＇s walkoff HR．．．hitting ． 269 （28－for－104），52B，5 HR， 20 RBI， $19 \mathrm{BB}, 13$ R in 30 games Wallner＇s walkoff HR．．．hitting ． 269 （28－for－104）， $52 \mathrm{~B}, 5 \mathrm{HR}, 20 \mathrm{RBI}, 19 \mathrm{BB}, 13 \mathrm{R}$ in 30 games
since returning from IL．．．reinstated from 10－day IL $7 / 28$ ：missed 41 G w／left hamstring strain．玉 His 108 career HR are 2nd most by a switch hitter in MIN history，behind R．Smalley（110）． $\Phi$ Career 1－for－3，HR，RBI vs．Scherzer．．．is 6 －for－ 16 （．375），HR， 2 RBI， 3 BB in 4 G vs．TEX this season． क Career 1－for－3，HR，RBI vs．Scherzer．．．Is 6－for－16（．375），HR， 2 RBI， 3 BB in 4 G vs．IEX this season．
Is 38 －for－154（．247）， $122 \mathrm{BB}, 6 \mathrm{HR}, 23$ RBI， 24 BB as LHB this season and 20 －for－ 70 （．286），

## DONOVAN SOLANO＝IF

Height：5－8 Weight： 210 B／T：R／R Age： 35 （12／17／1987 in Barranquilla，COL） $\begin{array}{lll}\text { 2023 Average：} & 288 \\ \text { Homestand：} & & 20-26,2 \mathrm{~B}, 4 \mathrm{RBI} \quad \text { Streak：} 1 \mathrm{~g}, 2-4 \\ \text { Series vs CLE：} & 5-10, \mathrm{RBI} \\ \text { Home Runs：}\end{array}$

2－for－4，R 8／30 vs．CLE．．．hit ． 385 （10－for－26），2B， 4 RBI， 3 BB， 4 R， 448 OBP， 871 OPS in 7 games on homestand．．．hitting． 367 （29－for－ 79 ）， $4 \mathrm{RB}, 7 \mathrm{RB}, \mathrm{HBP}, 4 \mathrm{BB}, 10 \mathrm{R}, .405$ OBP， .822 OPS in his last 23 games．．． 9 HBP this season are a new career high．
Career 1 －for－ 5 vs．Scherzer．．．hitting ． 313 （（ 5 －for－16）， $2 B, 3$ RBI， 3 BB， 2 R in 4 games vs．TEX
this season．．．career ． 273 （12－for－44），2B， 7 RBI， 6 BB， 4 R in 11 games vs．TEX
$\Phi$ Averaging a career－high 4.08 pitches／PA（previous most was 3.96 in $2019 \mathrm{w} /$ SF）．．．has career－high 37 BB in 373 PA \＆career－best $10.08 \mathrm{PA} / \mathrm{BB}$（previous was 13.76 in $2021 \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{SF}$ ）． Is 34 －for－121（．281）， 10 2B，HR， 10 RBI， 11 BB vs．LHP \＆60－for－205（． 293 ）， 14 2B， 3 HR， 20

## ANDREW STEVENSON

## Height：5－11 Weight： 191

2023 Average：
Streak：

## Age： 29 （6／1／1994 in Lafayette，LA）

 Series vs CLE：क Contract selected from AAA StP today（Miranda－60－day IL）．．．played in 106 G for the Saints this season，hitting ． 317 （132－for－416）， 23
attempts）， 395 OBP． 522 SLG 916 OPS
\＆Last MLB game came as def．replacement in LF on 10／3／21 for WAS vs．BOS．．．2nd round selection $\Phi$ Never faced Scherzer or TEX．．．career 1－for－4，2B， 2 BB，R in 4 games vs．AL West，facing LAA

## MICHAEL A．TAYLOR－OF

Height：6－4 Weight： 210 B／T：R／R Age： 32 （3／26／1991 in Fort Lauderdale，FL）

क 0 －for－ 1 as sub $8 / 30$ vs．CLE．．．hit 313 （5－for－16）， 3 HR， 4 RBI， 1.264 OPS in 5 G on＇stand．．．2－for－ 4，HR 8／29 vs．CLE；his 20 HR this season are a new career high（previous was 19 in 2017）
$\Phi$ Never faced Scherzer．．．is 2 －for－7， 2 HR， 3 RBI， 2 BB， 4 R in 2 games vS．TEX this season． 2nd on MIN in games played（118）this season，behind Correa（120）．．． 13 SB this season，玉 Hitting ． 254 （44－for－173）， $62 \mathrm{~B}, 13 \mathrm{HR}, 27$ RBI in 61 home games and .197 （30－for－152），

## CHRISTIAN VAZQUEZ－C <br> Height：5－9 Weight： 205 B／：R／R

 2023 Average：： 220Homestand：
$0-13$

Streak：0－16
Age： 33 （8／21／1990 in Bayamón，PR runners attempting to steal $8 / 26$ vs．TEX，tying career high for 10th time．
Career 1 －for－4 vs Scherzer is 0 －for－ 9 in 3 games vs TEXthis season career 283 （ 26 for－ 92 ） ． $42 \mathrm{~B}, \mathrm{HR}, 8$ RBI， $7 \mathrm{BB}, 13$ R in 31 G vs．TEX，incl． 302 （ 16 －for－ 53 ），2B，HR， 8 RBI in 15 G at TEX Hitting 231 （ 31 －for－134）， 8 2B， 2 HR， 16 RBI， 13 BB in 45 home games this season \＆ 209

\section*{MATT WALLNER－OF <br> 2023 Average： 230 | Weight： $246 \begin{array}{c}\text { B／T：} \\ \text { Streak：} 0-3\end{array}$ |
| :---: | :---: | <br> Homestand：${ }_{5-22}$ <br> Streak：0－3}

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Age： 25 （12／12／1997 in Forest lake
IR，3B，2B， 4 RBI Series vs CLE：$\quad 2-8, \mathrm{HR}$
Home Runs：

0－for－2，R， $2 \mathrm{BB} 8 / 30$ vs．CLE；2nd career game w／ 2 BB （also $5 / 28$ ）．．．．went 5 －for－ $22,2 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{~B}, \mathrm{HR}$ 4 RBI， $3 \mathrm{BB}, 3 \mathrm{HBP}, 7 \mathrm{R}, .393$ 0BP，． 893 OPS in 7 games on last homestand．．．1st career grand slam $8 / 15$ vs．DET；slam traveled 450 ft ．，farthest slam by MIN hitter in Statcast Era（2015－）． Has 9 HR， 22 RBI， .552 SLG and .861 OPS in his last 31 G，since $7 / 25$ ．．．plunked $12 x$ this season 4th among all rookies；his 14 HBP thru his 1st 68 career games are tops in MIN history（1961－）
$\Phi$ IF throw in 6th inn．8／1 at STL was 100.4 mph，3rd－fastest 0 F assist by MIN since 2015.

| TWINS HOME RUN DATA |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 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（ $8 / 5$ 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．TOR） <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 |  |  |  |  |  |  | GRAND SLAM（4x） <br> －Correa（ $6 / 10$ at TOR） <br> －Wallner（ $8 / 15$ vs．DET） <br> －Lewis（8／27 vs．TEX） <br> －Lewis（8／28 vs．CLE） <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） INSIDE－THE－PARK（Ox） <br> －None |  |  |  |  |
| HITERS INFO |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  | Date Opp．On Pitcher |  |  |  |   Career <br> Date Opp． $\#$ |  |  | Avg H AB HR RBI |  |  |  |  | $\text { Avg } H \quad A B \quad H R \quad R B I$ |  |  |  |  |
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| Carlos Correa | 20 | 13 | 9，8／5－8／15 | 4，7／3 | 8／25／23 | vs．TEX | 0 | Perez | 6／10／23 | at TOR | 2 | ． 125 | 2 | 16 | 1 | 2 | ． 260 | 101 | 388 | 21 | 66 |
| 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 | ． 333 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 1 | ． 250 | 3 | 12 | 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 | 5 | 0 | 0 | ． 143 | 3 | 21 | 1 | 1 |
| Ryan Jeffers | 15 | 8 | 14，7／15－8／9 | 3，8／5 | 8／24／23 | vs．TEX | 1 | Smith | 7／28／21 | vs．DET | 1 | ． 333 | 3 | 9 | 1 | 4 | ． 360 | 9 | 25 | 3 | 10 |
| Edouard Julien | 19 | 7 | 9，7／8－7／21 | 4，8／16 | 8／25／23 | vs．TEX | 2 | Anderson |  |  | 0 | ． 222 | 2 | 9 | 1 | 3 | ． 222 | 2 | 9 | 1 | 3 |
| Max Kepler | 27 | 10 | 6，7／14－7／19 | 3，8／5 | 8／25／23 | vs．TEX | 0 | Hedges | 5／23／22 | vs．DET | 3 | ． 462 | 6 | 13 | 1 | 2 | ． 236 | 37 | 157 | 8 | 29 |
| Royce Lewis | 10 | 6 | 8，6／18－6／27 | 4，6／9 | 8／29／23 | vs．CLE | 0 | Gaddis | 8／28／23 | vs．CLE | 3 | ． 313 | 5 | 16 | 2 | 5 | ． 313 | 5 | 16 | 2 | 5 |
| Jordan Luplow | 2 | 0 | 2，8／5－8／7 | 3，8／7 | 8／13／23 | at PHI | 0 | Suarez |  |  | 0 | ． 000 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | ． 316 | 6 | 19 | 0 | 4 |
| Jorge Polanco | 13 | 10 | 8，4／21－4／29 | 3，5／15 | 8／28／23 | vs．CLE | 2 | Norris |  |  | O | ． 375 | 6 | 16 | 1 |  | ． 273 | 35 | 128 | 2 | 16 |
| Donovan Solano | 25 | 6 | 11，4／5－4／16 | 3，8／28 | 7／04／23 | vs．KC | 0 | Greinke |  |  |  | ． 313 | 5 | 16 | 0 | 3 | ． 273 | 12 | 44 | 0 | 7 |
| Andrew Stevenson |  |  |  |  | 10／02／21 | vs．BOS | 1 | Davis |  |  | 0 | ． 000 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  | ． 000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Michael A．Taylor | 14 | 12 | 7，8／15－8／24 | 3，6／4 | 8／29／23 | vs．CLE | 0 | Clase | 9／08／17 | vs．PHI | 2 | ． 286 | 2 | 7 | 2 | 3 | ． 273 | 15 | 55 | 4 | 12 |
| 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 | 9 | 0 |  | ． 283 | 26 | 92 | 1 | 8 |
| Matt Wallner | 8 | 9 | 3，8／15－8／18 | 4，5／27 | 8／28／23 | vs．CLE | 0 | Norris | 8／15／23 | vs．DET | 1 | ． 214 | 3 | 14 | 0 | 3 | ． 214 | 3 | 14 | 0 | 3 |



## AST TIME IT HAPPENED AGAINST THE TWINS

FIITING: FOR THE TWINS
Hit for the Cycle: : Polanco, $45 / 19$ at PHI (11 all-time)
Grand Slam: R. Lewis, $8 / 28 / 23$ vs. CLE ( 4 as a team in 2023)
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Pinch-Hit Home Run: R. Jeffers, $8 / 24 / 23$ vs. TEX ( 4 as a team in 2023)
Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: M. LeCrov, 9 th innins, $5 / 19 / 04$ at TOR (15 all-time)
Six-Hit Game: K. Puckett,5/23/91 vs. TEX (2 all-time, both Puckett)
Iwo 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/F. Julien/C. Correa $4 / 13 / 23$ at NYY ( 1 in 2023) Three Home Runs, One inning: M. Taylor/E.Julien/C. Correa, $4 / 13 / 23$ at NYY ( 1 in 2023) Walk-Off Home Run: M. Wälner, $8 / 6 / 23$ 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. KeplererB. Rooker $7 / 25 / 21$ vs. LAA (2 as team in 2021) Three Consecutive Home Runs to Start Game: L. Arraez/B. Buxton/C. Correa, $6 / 9 / 92$ vs. NYY Last Pitcher to Hit Home Runn: Last actual pitcher Jim Kaat, $6 / 11 / 72$ at CLE; Chris Gimenez
catcher pitching in relief $9 / 218$ 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. Lopez, $7 / 5 / 23$ 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 MINNAS 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, $7 / 28 / 23$ at $K C$ ( 3 as a team in 2023)
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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2010: 1 PPD / 1 DEL/ 1 SUS 2014: 3 PPD / 6 DEL


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 $6: 46 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. due to wet conditions in the area, 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

## HITTING

Hit for the Cycle: A. Beltré, $8 / 24 / 12$ at TEX ( 5 allowed all-time)
Grand Slam: J. Heim, 8/27723 vs. TEX (5 allowed as team in 2023)
Inside-the-Park Home Run: R. Arozarena, 6/10/22 vs. TB (46 allowed all-time)
Pinch Hit Grand Slam. Sads $8 / 815$ JT CIE
Pinch-hit Grand Slam: J. Sands, $8 / 8 / 15$ at CLE
Six-Hit Game: J. Segura, $5 / 28 / 13$ at MiL (3 allowed all-time)
Iwo Hits, One Inning: W. Merrifield, 1st inning, 6/4/21 at KC (2 allowed in 2021)
Two Home Runs, One Inning: D. Nilsson, $5 / 1 / 1 / 96$ 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 PHI ( 9 allowed in 2023) Three Consecutive Home Runs: $C$. Bellinger/G. LuJ/A. Barnes, $4 / 13 / 22$ vS. LAD Three Home Runs, One Inning: T. 'O Neill//J. Walker/L. Nootbaar, $8 / 21223$ at STL (2 in 2023) Four Home Runs, One Inning: C. Everett/T. 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: 10 , last, M. Scherzer, $8 / 26$ vs. TEX (11 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: A. Hedges, $8 / 25 / 23$ vs, TEX ( 6 in 2023)
Three or more Steals, One Game: W. Merrifield (3), $7 / 2 / 17$ at KC ( 1 in 2017)
teal of Home: Anderson, $7 / 22 / 23$ vs. CWS ( 1 in 2023)
Home Run in First ML At-Bat: Se. Alcantara, 9/26/20 vs. DET


