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WORLD CHAMPIONS '87 '91

MINNESOTA TWINS (2-1) AT KANSAS CITY ROYALS (2-1)

TUESDAY, APRIL 2, 2019 - 7:15 PM (CT) - TV: FS NORTH RADIO: TIBN-WCCO / TWINSBEISBOL.COM

RHP José Berríos (1-0, 0.00) vs. RHP Brad Keller (1-0, 0.00)

GAME 4

ROAD GAME 1

UPCOMING PROBABLE PITCHERS & BROADCAST SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Probable Pitchers	Time	Television	Radio / Spanish Radio
4/3	at Kansas City	RHP Kyle Gibson vs. RHP Homer Bailey	12:15 pm (CT)	Fox Sports North	TIBN-WCCO / None
4/4	OFF DAY				

Games can be heard via the Twins website at twinsbaseball.com. All game times are listed as Central.

SEASON AT A GLANCE

Record:	2-1
Home Record:	2-1
Road Record:	
Record in series:	1-0
Series Openers:	1-0
Series Finales:	1-0
Rubber Games:	1-0
Sweeps/Swept:	
March/April:	2-1
May:	
June:	
July:	
August:	
September/October:	
Day Games:	2-1
Night Games:	
vs. American League East:	
vs. American League Central:	2-1
vs. American League West:	
vs. National League:	
Games vs. LH Starter:	
Games vs. RH Starter:	2-1
Twins score first:	2-0
Opponent scores first:	0-1
Come-from-behind wins:	
Leading after 7/8 inn.:	2-0/2-0
Trailing after 7/8 inn.:	
Tied after 7/8 inn.:	0-1/0-1
Extra-innings:	
1-run games:	0-1
Twins out-hit opp.:	2-0
Opp. out-hit Twins:	0-1
Twins/Opp. have = hits:	
Run Differential:	+7 (12-5)
Twins get Quality Start:	1-1
Twins starter goes 6+ IP:	1-1
Most games over .500:	1, 2x, last 4/2
Most games under .500:	
Longest win-streak:	1, twice
Longest losing-streak:	1, 3/30
When Twins score 4+:	1-0
When Twins score 3-:	1-1
Twins get 10+ hits:	1-0
Days in First Place:	4
Days in Second Place:	1
Days in Third Place:	
Days in Fourth Place:	
Days in Fifth Place:	
Walk-Off W/L:	
Shutouts W/L:	1-0
CG's:	
Target Field Sellouts ('19/All-Time):	1/162

THE TWINS: The Twins began their 59th campaign in Minnesota with a series win over the Indians last weekend...tonight they will begin their first roadtrip with seven games in the next nine days...they start with two in Kansas City tonight and tomorrow, an off-day in Philadelphia on Thursday, then three against the Phillies over weekend, an off-day in New York on April 8, then two against the Mets April 9-10...the five days off in the first 12 days are the most in baseball.

TWINS TAKE SERIES OVER TRIBE: The Twins beat the Indians on Sunday afternoon in the rubber game of the weekend series...Michael Pineda made his Twins debut pitching 4.0 shutout innings...Martín Pérez (1-0) pitched 3.2 innings of relief in his Twins debut and Ryne Harper made his major league debut with a scoreless ninth...the offense recorded 15 hits, three from Nelson Cruz, who fell a triple short of the cycle...five other Twins recorded multiple hits.
☞ Harper became the sixth-oldest player (second-oldest pitcher) to make his major league debut for the Twins (since 1961) at 30 years and four days old...only INF Minnie Mendoza (4/9/1970, 36.144 years old), C Hank Izkierdo (8/9/1967, 36.142), C Chris Heintz (9/10/2005, 31.035), INF Randy Ruiz (8/1/2008, 30.287) and RHP Yohan Pino (6/19/2014, 30.174) were older.

TWINS AND ROYALS: The Twins and Royals are playing the first of 19 games this season...the Twins went 9-10 against KC in 2018, going 2-8 at Kauffman Stadium and 7-2 at Target Field...the Twins have gone 6-4 in their last 10 vs. KC.

☞ The Twins had an eight-game losing streak at Kauffman last season until winning the season-finale on September 16.
☞ Willians Astudillo is 7-for-13 (.538) in four career games against the Royals.
☞ Jason Castro is hitting .298 (36-for-121) with nine doubles, two triples, two home runs and 17 RBI in 35 career games vs. KC.
☞ C.J. Cron is hitting .324 (11-for-34) with five home runs, nine RBI and a 1.196 OPS in 10 career games at Kauffman.
☞ Jorge Polanco is hitting .325 (13-for-40) in his last nine games against KC.
☞ Eddie Rosario is hitting .307 (39-for-127) in 32 career games at Kauffman...in his last 15 here, he is hitting .385 (25-for-65) with 12 RBI.

ARMS RACE: Through three games, the Twins have struckout 39 batters in 27.0 innings pitched...in all of baseball, they rank first in opponent batting average (.133), hits allowed and strikeouts-per-9.0 IP (13.00), and second in WHIP (0.81).

☞ Over the three-game series with Cleveland, the Twins set a club record for strikeouts in any Twins team's first three games (39)...for the starters: José Berríos had 10 (7.2 IP), Jake Odorizzi had 11 (6.0 IP) and Michael Pineda had five (4.0 IP)...they combined for a 13.25 strikeout-to-walk ratio, the best in baseball.
☞ Former Mets pitcher Jeremy Hefner begins his first season as a professional coach, filling the Assistant Pitching position...Pitching Coach Wes Johnson joins from the University of Arkansas and becomes the first ever major league pitching coach to jump straight from the collegiate ranks.

DO YOU SMELL WHAT THE ROC' IS COOKIN'?: Rocco Baldelli became the 14th manager of the Twins on October 25 after spending parts of six years with the Tampa Bay Rays as a player and splitting eight seasons between their front office and coaching staff, most recently as their Major League Field Coordinator...he is the first managerial hire for the Twins outside the organization since Ray Miller in 1985, who was a coach with the Orioles prior...at 37 years, six months, Baldelli is the youngest manager in baseball...he is roughly 15 months younger than Nelson Cruz.

☞ Baldelli played 24 career games against the Royals from 2003-10, hitting .362 (34-for-94) with eight doubles, two home runs and 16 RBI.

A LOOK AT THE ROSTER: The Twins open the 2019 season with 14 players on their 25-man roster who were not on the 2018 Opening Day roster: pitchers (6) - Ryne Harper, Trevor May, Adalberto Mejía, Blake Parker, Martín Pérez and Michael Pineda; catcher (1) - Willians Astudillo; infielders (5) - Tyler Austin, C.J. Cron, Marwin Gonzalez, Jorge Polanco and Jonathan Schoop; outfielder (1) - Jake Cave; designated hitter (1) - Nelson Cruz...of the 25 players on the Twins active roster, nine began their professional careers in the Twins organization...the oldest on the club is Nelson Cruz (38) and the youngest is José Berríos (24).

MINOR LEAGUE ROSTERS: Minor league rosters were recently announced, here are a few highlights:

☞ **Triple-A Rochester:** Twins 2014 fifth overall pick, Nick Gordon, will start with the Red Wings...Twins sixth best prospect (according to *Baseball America*), IB/OF Brent Rooker, will start with the Wings...infielder Ronald Torreyes, who the Twins signed to a one-year contract this offseason, will also be part of the Wings infield.

☞ **Double-A Pensacola:** Twins top pitching prospect and third best prospect in the system (according to *Baseball America*), Brusdar Graterol, will pitch for the Blue Wahoos...Jorge Alcalá, who was acquired in exchange for Ryan Pressly last season, is also expected to join the rotation...former Twins first round pick, Tyler Jay, will pitch out of the Wahoos 'pen...one of the Twins top infield prospects, Luis Arraez, will also join the Blue Wahoos...Twins second best prospect, outfielder Alex Kirilloff, is set to start on Pensacola's IL (wrist)...2019 also marks the first affiliation with Pensacola after four seasons with Chattanooga.

☞ **Single-A Ft. Myers:** Twins top prospect and 2017 first overall pick, Royce Lewis, will be the Miracle's shortstop...the club's fifth best prospect and 2018 20th overall selection, Trevor Larnach, will be in the Miracle outfield...other prospects ranked by *Baseball America* at this level include RHP Jhoan Duran (#7), C Ryan Jeffers (#9), 2B/3B Jose Miranda (#13), OF Akil Baddoo (#19), C Ben Rortvedt (#22), 2B Michael Helman (#27), and OF Aaron Whitefield (#28).

☞ **Single-A Cedar Rapids:** The 25-man roster features five of the Twins Top 30 Prospects, according to *Baseball America*, in RHP Blayne Enlow (#8), INF Yunior Severino (#10), RHP Jordan Balazovic (#20) and OF Gilberto Celestino (#30).

STREAKS

Current Streak:	1 win
Last 5 games:	
Last 10 games:	
Last 15 games:	
Last 20 games:	

TWINS VS. ROYALS

2018 Record:	9-10
Current Streak:	1 win
2018 at Home:	7-2
2018 at Kansas City:	2-8
All-Time Record:	404-386
All-Time at Home:	216-176
All-Time at Kansas City:	188-210

2018 Game Logs:

Date	Site	Score	Winner/Loser/Save
5/28	KC	8-5	Lynn/Junis/Rodney
5/29	KC	1-2 (14)	Barlow/Rogers
5/30	KC	8-11	McCarthy/Romero/Herrera
7/9	MIN	3-1	Berríos/Hill/Rodney
7/10	MIN	4-9	Flynn/Slegers
7/11	MIN	8-5	Lynn/Sparkman
7/20	KC	5-6	Duffy/Gibson
7/21	KC	2-4	Flynn/Lynn/Peralta
7/22	KC	3-5	Keller/Duke/Peralta
8/3	MIN	6-4	Moya/Flynn/Rodney
8/4	MIN	8-2	Berríos/Smith
8/5	MIN	6-5	Moya/Duffy/Rodney
9/7	MIN	10-6	May/Sparkman
9/8	MIN	1-4	López/Berríos
9/9	MIN	3-1	Hildenberger/Hammel
9/13	KC	4-6	Fillmyer/Busenitz/Peralta
9/14	KC	4-8	Hammel/Hildenberger
9/15	KC	3-10	Kennedy/De Jong
9/16	KC	9-6	Gibson/Vasto

LAST HOMESTAND (2-1)

Batting average	.231
Runs Per Game	4.00
Home Runs	1
RISP	.182
Errors	0

Team ERA	1.67
Starters W-L	1-0
Starters ERA	0.51
Relievers W-L-S	1-1-1
Relievers ERA	3.86
Saves/Opps	1/1

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

3/27	RHP Harper contract selected
	IF Torreyes optioned to AAA
	3B Sanó placed on 10-day IL
	RHP Reed placed on 10-day IL
	LHP Moya placed on 10-day IL
	RHP Magill placed on 10-day IL
3/25	RHP Guilmet reassigned to ml camp
	RHP Morin reassigned to ml camp
3/23	OF Reed traded to SF in exchange for OF Andreoli
3/22	RHP Romero optioned to AAA
	IF Rosales granted release
	LHP Collins granted release
3/20	C Sawyer reassigned to ml camp
	RHP Reed reassigned to ml camp
	RHP Eades reassigned to ml camp
	LHP Nicolino reassigned to ml camp
	1B Duda granted release
3/18	C Navarro reassigned to ml camp
	C Telis reassigned to ml camp
	IF César reassigned to ml camp
3/16	RHP Duffey optioned to AAA
	RHP De Jong reassigned to ml camp

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UPCOMING MILESTONES

PLAYER	CURRENT NO.	MILESTONE WITHIN REACH
Nelson Cruz	299 doubles	Needs 1 to reach 300 for career
	361 home runs	Needs 5 to tie Lance Berkman for 82nd on baseball's all-time list
C.J. Cron	89 home runs	Needs 11 to reach 100 for career

TEAM BULLPEN NOTES

- The Twins bullpen opened 2019 by going 1-1 with a save, 3.86 ERA (9.1 IP, 4 ER) and .229 opponents average (8-for-35) in three games against Cleveland.
- Twins relievers struck out 13 and walked 6 against the Indians...the 2018 'pen owned a 2.78 strikeout-to-walk ratio, the eighth best mark in baseball and the second best total by a relief core in Minnesota history (2006, 3.28)...the staff as a whole enters tonight's game with a 39 percent strikeout per batters faced rate, the best in MLB.
- Twins bullpen arms threw 10,365 pitches in 2018 (an average of 64.8/game), breaking the franchise record set in 2016 by 681 pitches...relievers also worked a franchise-high 610.1 innings.

RYNE HARPER - RHP				#19			
Height: 6-3	Weight: 215	B/T: R/R	Age: 30 (3/27/1989 in Nashville, TN)	Acquired: Signed as minor league free agent, 1/31/18			
Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 2 BB		Series vs CLE: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 2 BB		vs. Left .000		vs. Right .000	

- Made his major league debut Sunday afternoon in the 9-3 victory over Cleveland...sandwiched two walks between a ground out and a pop out, before fanning Max Moroff for his first ML strikeout, ending the game and securing the series victory.
- With his appearance Sunday, he became the sixth-oldest player (second-oldest pitcher) to make his major league debut for the Twins (since 1961) at 30 years and four days old...only INF Minnie Mendoza (debuted on 4/9/1970, 36.144 years old), C Hank Izkierdo (8/9/1967, 36.142), C Chris Heintz (9/10/2005, 31.035), INF Randy Ruiz (8/1/2008, 30.287) and RHP Yohan Pino (6/19/2014, 30.174) were older.
- Began 2018 with Double-A Chattanooga; split first month w/ the Lookouts and Triple-A Rochester, making 4 appearances at each spot.
- Posted a 2.34 ERA (34.2 IP, 9 ER) with 4 saves in 20 games from early May-late July at Chattanooga, before being promoted back to Rochester, where he finished the season...named Southern League Midseason All-Star with Lookouts.
- Combined to go 1-5, (65.0 IP, 26 ER) with 10 BB, 86 K's and 6 saves in 38 games between Chattanooga and Rochester.

RECENT APPEARANCES								
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
3/31 vs. CLE	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	2	1

TREVOR HILDENBERGER - RHP				#39			
Height: 6-3	Weight: 220	B/T: R/R	Age: 27 (12/15/1990 in Mountain View, CA)	Drafted: 22nd Round, 2014 Draft			
Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.1 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB		Series vs CLE: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.1 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB		vs. Left .000		vs. Right .000	

- Made his 2019 debut Sunday vs. CLE, relieving Martín Pérez in the eighth...struck out Hanley Ramírez and end the frame and strand a runner.
- Posted an 18.0 consecutive scoreless inning streak from May 23-June 28, 2018, the longest such streak of his career.
- Is 2-1-0, 4.96 ERA (16.1 IP, 9 ER) with 3 HR, 2 BB and 12 K vs. KC in his career, with all nine earned runs coming last year...allowed a walk-off grand slam to catcher Salvador Perez Sept. 14 last season, and finished the year with an 8.38 ERA (9.2 IP) against the Royals.
- 6.89 ERA (32.2 IP, 25 ER) w/ .281 BAA in 33 road games in 2018...4.24 ERA (40.1 IP, 19 ER) w/ .248 BAA in 40 home games
- Saw majority of save opportunities after Twins traded Fernando Rodney August 9, 2018...went 7-for-9 in save situations from that point forward.
- Held left-handed hitters to a .255 average and right-handed hitters to a .269 average last season.
- Led the club in games (73), which also tied for fourth in the AL, while tying Taylor Rogers for first in holds (18) in 2018.

RECENT APPEARANCES								
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
3/31 vs. CLE	ND	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	1

TREVOR MAY - RHP				#65			
Height: 6-5	Weight: 240	B/T: R/R	Age: 28 (9/23/1989 in Longview, WA)	Acquired: Trade With PHI, 12/6/2012			
Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.1 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB		Series vs CLE: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.1 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB		vs. Left .000		vs. Right 1.000	

- Made his 2019 debut Saturday vs. CLE, retiring Carlos Santana before allowing a hit to Hanley Ramírez in the seventh.
- Third longest tenured Twin, appearing in first game w/ MIN 8/9/14 at Oakland in a start...Kyle Gibson is the leader, first appearing on 6/29/13.
- Spent the first half of 2018 on the 60-day IL recovering from "Tommy John" surgery he had in March 2017, before making 2018 debut 7/31 vs. Cleveland, his first major league appearance in 688 days.
- Is 1-4, 4.39 ERA (26.2 IP, 13 ER) with 2 HR's, 11 BB and 25 K in 14 career games (3 starts) vs. Kansas City...lifetime ERA of 3.86 (4.2 IP, 2 ER) at Kauffman Stadium...allowed one run on six hits over 4.1 innings (four appearances) with seven strikeouts against the Royals in 2018.
- Earned first career save last year on his 29th birthday, September 23 at Oakland, pitching 1.1 scoreless innings of relief.
- Held left-handed hitters to a .195 average and right-handers to a .241 average in 2018.

RECENT APPEARANCES								
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
3/30 vs. CLE	ND	0.1	1	0	0	0	0	0

ADALBERTO MEJÍA - LHP				#49			
Height: 6-3	Weight: 195	B/T: R/L	Age: 25 (6/20/1993 in Bonao, DR)	Obtained: Trade With SF, 7/28/2016			
Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.2 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB		Series vs CLE: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.2 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB		vs. Left .000		vs. Right .000	

- Stranded a runner with back-to-back strikeouts of Jordan Luplow and Roberto Pérez to finish the seventh inning Saturday vs. CLE...the strikeout of Pérez was the 100th of his career.
- Had made two career relief appearances before Saturday, including the first of his career on 8/20/16 at KC (2.1 IP), as well as 7/29/18 at BOS (3.0 IP)...over eight minor league seasons, appeared in 23 games in relief and made 114 starts.
- Has made just two appearances (one start) against the Royals in his career, 8/20/16 (2.1 IP, 2 ER in relief) and 5/21/17 (7.0 IP, 3 ER, W as starter), allowing a total of five runs on 10 hits (2 HR) over 9.1 innings pitched (4.82 ERA).
- Owns a lifetime record of 3-3 with an ERA of 2.96 (51.2 IP, 17 ER) in 13 appearances (11 starts) vs. American League Central opponents.
- Placed on 10-day injured list with a left wrist strain August 9 and missed the rest of 2018.

RECENT APPEARANCES								
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
3/30 vs. CLE	ND	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	2

BLAKE PARKER - RHP				#38			
Height: 6-3	Weight: 225	B/T: R/R	Age: 33 (6/19/1985 in Fayetteville, AR)	Acquired: Signed as free agent, 1/14/2019			
Homestand: 0-1-0, 9.00 (1.0 IP, 1 ER), 0 K, 1 BB		Series vs CLE: 0-1-0, 9.00 (1.0 IP, 1 ER), 0 K, 1 BB		vs. Left .500		vs. Right .000	

- Suffered his first loss of the season Saturday vs. CLE...started the ninth inning in a 1-1 game and yielded a one-out single before consecutive wild pitches set up the game-winning sacrifice fly off the bat of Greg Allen.
- Owns a 5.63 ERA over 8.0 IP against the Royals...allowed one run on a Mike Moustakas homer over 3.2 IP vs. KC last season.
- Held righties to .231 BAA w/ .293 OBP last season and lefties to a .269 BAA w/ .326 OBP.
- Led the Angels staff in saves (14) and ranked fourth in games (67), while ranking second in relief strikeouts (70) in 2018.
- Posted a 4.15 ERA (30.1 IP, 14 ER) w/ .296 BAA in 32 games on road, and a 2.50 ERA (36.0 IP, 10 ER) w/ .203 BAA in 35 home games last season.
- Converted to pitcher in 2007 after starting professional career as position player in Chicago-NL organization...was primarily a corner infielder, mostly first base...Twins are fifth different organization: CHC (2007-15), SEA (2016), NYY (2016) and LAA (2017-18).

RECENT APPEARANCES								
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
3/30 vs. CLE	L1	1.0	1	1	1	0	1	0

MARTÍN PÉREZ - LHP				#33			
Height: 6-0	Weight: 200	B/T: L/L	Age: 27 (4/4/1991 in Guanare, VZ)	Acquired: Signed as free agent, 1/30/19			
Homestand: 1-0-0, 7.36 (3.2 IP, 3 ER), 6 K, 3 BB		Series vs CLE: 1-0-0, 7.36 (3.2 IP, 3 ER), 6 K, 3 BB		vs. Left .333		vs. Right .308	

- Made his Twins debut Sunday vs. CLE, tossing 3.2 innings of relief, allowing 3 ER on 5 H with 6 K...scattered a pair of hits and walks over his first 3.0 IP before three consecutive two-out hits in the eighth, including a bases clearing double by Carlos Santana.
- Expected to be eventual Twins "fifth starter" after five off-days in first 15 days.
- Is 1-0 in three starts against Kansas City, posting a 2.29 ERA (19.2 IP, 5 ER) with 8 BB and 9 K...last start came 7/14/17 (7.0 IP, 3 ER, 1 K).
- Began 2018 on 10-day injured list recovering from right elbow surgery; reinstated April 5...moved to the bullpen to finish the season after making 13 starts for the Rangers April 5-August 25, going 2-6, 6.95 ERA (68.2 IP, 53 ER).
- Held left-handed hitters to a .271 batting average last season and right-handers to a .347 average.
- Pérez ranks seventh among AL lefties in innings pitched since 2016 (472.2).
- Twins mark second organization, spent entire professional career with TEX (since 2008); signed with Twins January 30.
- Favorite player growing up was Twins Hall of Famer Johan Santana...Santana even stopped by Twins spring training to work with Pérez and other pitchers in camp during early March.

RECENT APPEARANCES								
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
3/31 vs. CLE	W1	3.2	5	3	3	0	3	6

TAYLOR ROGERS - LHP				#55			
Height: 6-3	Weight: 170	B/T: L/L	Age: 28 (12/17/1990 in Denver, CO)	Drafted: 11th Round, 2012 Draft			
Homestand: 0-0-1, 0.00 (2.1 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 0 BB		Series vs CLE: 0-0-1, 0.00 (2.1 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 0 BB		vs. Left .333		vs. Right .000	

- Pitched in his second consecutive game (200th of his career) Saturday vs. CLE, tossing a scoreless eighth (1 H)...earned his third career save on Opening Day, closing out a 2-0 victory by striking out three of the four batters he faced in relief of starter José Berrios.
- Extended his scoreless inning streak to 28.1 innings dating back to July 30, 2018, moving within one out of tying Johnny Klippstein (1965-66) for third on the Twins all-time scoreless inning streak list...also trails J.C. Romero (36.0 in 2004) and Joe Nathan (29.0 in 2004).
- Has posted a 2.73 ERA (26.1 IP, 8 ER) against Kansas City in his career, including 2 ER in 9.2 IP last year...suffered one of his two losses last year here May 29, surrendering a walk-off, two-out solo home run to Alcides Escobar in the 14th inning.
- Held lefties to a .180 BAA w/ .428 OPS last season and righties to a .225 BAA w/ .643 OPS.
- Leads AL relievers in games since 2017 (143), tied for eighth-most in MLB with Colorado's Bryan Shaw...leads Twins in games since 2016 (200)...has thrown 187.2 IP and owns 191 career strikeouts...would be first Twin in history to reach 200 career strikeouts in less than 200.0 IP...would also become ninth active pitcher to meet those requirements, second in the AL (Chad Green, New York-AL).
- Drafted in 11th round of 2012 Draft; 1 of 8 on current roster to have been w/ org. since '12 (Gibson, Buxton, Rosario, Polanco, Kepler, May, Berrios).

RECENT APPEARANCES								
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
3/30 vs. CLE	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0
3/28 vs. CLE	S1	1.1	0	0	0	0	0	3

2019 BULLPEN INFO

Player name	1st Batter Avg	BB/9	K/9	Saves/Opps	Holds	IRS%	WHIP	HR	Last game	2 games ago	3 games ago
Ryne Harper	.000	18.00	9.00	0/0	0	0.0% (0/0)	2.00	0	1.0 IP (27)	0.0 IP (0)	0.0 IP (0)
Trevor Hildenberger	.000	0.00	27.00	0/0	0	0.0% (0/1)	0.00	0	0.1 IP (6)	0.0 IP (0)	0.0 IP (0)
Trevor May	.000	0.00	0.00	0/0	0	0.0% (0/0)	3.00	0	0.0 IP (0)	0.1 IP (9)	0.0 IP (0)
Adalberto Mejía	.000	0.00	27.00	0/0	0	0.0% (0/1)	0.00	0	0.0 IP (0)	0.2 IP (10)	0.0 IP (0)
Blake Parker	.000	9.00	0.00	0/0	0	0.0% (0/0)	2.00	0	0.0 IP (0)	1.0 IP (19)	0.0 IP (0)
Martín Pérez	1.000	7.36	14.73	0/0	0	0.0% (0/0)	2.18	0	3.2 IP (82)	0.0 IP (0)	0.0 IP (0)
Taylor Rogers	.500	0.00	11.57	1/1	0	0.0% (0/1)	0.43	0	0.0 IP (0)	1.0 IP (11)	1.1 IP (15)

MISC. HIGHS AND LOWS

Most Runs, Game (Team)	9, 3/31 vs. CLE
Most Runs, Inning (Team)	5, 5th inning, 3/31 vs. CLE
Most Hits, Game (Team)	15, 3/31 vs. CLE
Most Hits, Inning (Team)	4, fifth inning, 3/31 vs. CLE
Most Strikeouts, Batters (Team)	10, 3/30 vs. CLE
Longest Hitting Streak (Individual)	3, Buxton, 3/28-present
Consecutive Hits (Individual)	2, many
Consecutive Hitless At-Bats (Individual)	10, Kepler, 3/28-31
Consecutive Scoreless Innings (Batters)	6, 3/28 vs. CLE
Most Runs Allowed (Team)	3, 3/31 vs. CLE
Most Runs Allowed, Inning (Team)	3, 8th inning, 3/31 vs. CLE
Most Hits Allowed (Team)	6, 3/31 vs. CLE
Most Hits Allowed, Inning (Team)	3, 8th inning, 3/31 vs. CLE
Pitchers Used (Team)	5, 3/30 vs. CLE
Cons. Batters Retired (Team)	12, 3/28 vs. CLE
Scoreless Innings Streak (Team/Pitchers)	12, 3/28-30
Most Runs, Starter	1, Odorizzi, 3/30 vs. CLE
Most Home Runs, Starter	1, Odorizzi, 3/30 vs. CLE
Most Walks, Starter	2, Odorizzi, 3/30 vs. CLE
Most Strikeouts, Starter	11, Odorizzi, 3/30 vs. CLE
Most Strikeouts, Pitchers (Team)	13, 3x, last 3/31 vs. CLE
Most Walks, Pitchers (Team)	6, 3/31 vs. CLE
Most Cons. Scoreless Innings (Individual)	7.2, Berríos, 3/28 vs. CLE
Most Cons. Batters Retired (Individual)	12, Berríos, 3/28 vs. CLE
Longest Game, Innings	3:00, 3/30 vs. CLE
Longest Game, Time (9 Inn.)	3:00, 3/30 vs. CLE
Longest Game, Time (X Inn.)	2:18, 3/28 vs. CLE
Fastest Game, Time	6, 3/31 vs. CLE
Largest Margin, Victory	1, 3/30 vs. CLE
Largest Margin, Loss	39,519
Largest Home Attendance	1, 3/28 vs. CLE
Home Sellouts	3
Lineups Used	

SCORE BY INNING

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	XTRA	TOTAL
OPPONENT	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	1	0	5
TWINS	0	1	0	3	5	0	2	1	0	0	12

INJURED LIST

PLAYER	INJURY	DATE ON	RETRO	DATE OFF	GAMES MISSED
Matt Magill	Right Shoulder Tendinitis	3/27			3
Gabriel Moya	Left Shoulder Tendinitis	3/27			3
Addison Reed	Left Thumb Sprain	3/27			3
Miguel Sanó	Right Heal Laceration	3/27			3

BOLD indicates currently on IL *60-day IL

REHAB UPDATE: Matt Magill is in extended spring training and expected to throw a bullpen...Miguel Sanó is rehabbing at Target Field.

EJECTIONS

DATE	PLAYER/MGR/CH	UMPIRE	REASON	CAREER
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STARTS BY POSITION

	C	1B	2B	SS	3B	LF	CF	RF	DH
Willians Astudillo	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Byron Buxton	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
Jason Castro	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C.J. Cron	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nelson Cruz	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Mitch Garver	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marwin Gonzalez	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
Max Kepler	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Jorge Polanco	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
Eddie Rosario	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0

STARTS BY BATTING ORDER

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Willians Astudillo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Byron Buxton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Jason Castro	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
C.J. Cron	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
Nelson Cruz	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mitch Garver	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Marwin Gonzalez	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
Max Kepler	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jorge Polanco	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eddie Rosario	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0

MOST USED LINEUP [IX]

Player	Pos.
Kepler	RF
Polanco	SS
Cruz	DH
Rosario	LF
Cron	1B
Gonzalez	3B
Schoop	2B
Castro	C
Buxton	CF

OUTFIELD ASSISTS

Total	0
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LAST TIME IT HAPPENED
FOR THE TWINS
HITTING:

Hit for the Cycle: Cuddyer, 5/22/09 vs. MIL (10 all-time)
Grand Slam: Mauer, 9/11/18 vs. NYY (6 as a team in 2018)
Inside-the-Park Home Run: Buxton, 8/18/17 vs. ARI (2 as a team in 2017, 54 all-time)
Pinch-Hit Home Run: Mauer, 8/17/18 vs. DET (1 as a team in 2018)
Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: M. LeCroy, 9th inning, 5/19/04 at TOR (15 all-time)
Five-Hit Game: Forsythe, 8/16/18 vs. DET (1 in 2018)
Six-Hit Game: Puckett, 5/23/91 vs. TEX (2 all-time, both Puckett)
Two Hits, One Inning: Field, 2nd inning, 9/29/18 vs. CWS (2 as a team in 2018)
Two Home Runs, One Inning: Cuddyer, 8/23/09 at KC (1 all-time)
Two-Home Run Game: Field, 9/26/2018 vs. DET (8 as a team in 2018)
Three-Home Run Game: Rosario, 6/3/18 vs. CLE (9 all-time)
Back-to-Back Home Runs: Austin/Field, 9/16/18 at KC (5 as a team in 2018)
Three Consecutive Home Runs: Dozier/Plouffe/Kepler, 6/26/16 at NYY
Three Home Runs, One Inning: Dozier/Escobar/Morrison, 5/4/18 at CWS (1 in 2018)
Four Home Runs, One Inning: Mack/Puckett/Hrbek/Bush, 5/2/92 at NYY
Walk-off Home Run: Astudillo, 9/9/18 vs. KC (4 as a team in 2018)
Leadoff Home Run: Mauer, 8/18/18 vs. DET (3 as a team in 2018)
Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game: Nuñez/Dozier, 5/25/16 vs. KC
Last Pitcher to Hit Home Run: Last actual pitcher Jim Kaat, 6/11/72 at CLE; Chris Gimenez catcher pitching in relief, 9/3/18 at TEX

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

No-Hitter: 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, 5/24/17 at BAL (43 all-time)
10+ Innings Pitched: Radke (10.0 innings), 9/21/97 vs. MIL
10+ Strikeouts: 12, Berríos, 6/24 vs. TEX (as a team in 2018)
Complete Game Shutout: Berríos, 4/1/18 at BAL (1 as a team in 2018)
Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: Mays/Silva, 5/19-20/05 vs. TOR/vs. MIL
Back-to-Back Shutouts: 6/2/13 vs. SEA - 6/4/13 at KC (2 games, 10-0 and 3-0)
Four Strikeouts in an Inning: Duke, 3/29/18 at BAL (7th inning)

MISCELLANEOUS:

Triple Play: Sanó/Dozier/Mauer, 6/1/17 at LAA (J. Marte hitting)
Position Player Pitching: Gimenez, 9/2/18 at TEX (4 as a team in 2018)
Three or more Steals, One Game: Adrianza (3), 6/21/17 vs. CWS (1 in 2017)
Steal of Home: Thomas, 8/2/13 vs. HOU
Pure Steal of Home: Becker, 9/27/97 at CLE
Home Run in First ML At-Bat: Rosario, 5/6/15 vs. OAK (1st PA, 1st pitch)

AGAINST THE TWINS
HITTING:

Hit for the Cycle: Beltré, 8/24/12 at TEX (5 allowed all-time)
Grand Slam: Perez, 9/14/18 at KC (4 allowed as team in 2018)
Inside-the-Park Home Run: D. Butera, 7/22/18 vs. KC (43 allowed all-time)
Pinch-Hit Home Run: V. Martinez, 9/22/16 vs. DET
Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: J. Sands, 8/8/15 at CLE
Five-Hit Game: D. Pedroia, 7/21/16 at BOS
Six-Hit Game: J. Segura, 5/28/13 at MIL (3 allowed all-time)
Two Hits, One Inning: Profar, 6th inning, 9/2/18 at TEX (3 allowed in 2018)
Two Home Runs, One Inning: Nilsson, 5/17/96 vs. MIL
Two-Home Run Game: Mazara, 9/2/18 at TEX (12 allowed in 2018)
Three-Home Run Game: J. Donaldson, 8/28/16 at TOR
Back-to-Back Home Runs: Perez/Bonifacio, 9/13/18 at KC (4 allowed in 2018)
Three Consecutive Home Runs: Jones/Castilla/Franco, 6/11/02 vs. ATL
Three Home Runs, One Inning: Martínez/Infante/Jackson, 9/24/13 vs. DET
Four Home Runs, One Inning: Everett/O'Leary/Varitek/Burkhart, 7/3/00 vs. BOS
Walk-off Home Run: K. Davis, 9/21/18 at OAK (10 allowed in 2018)
Leadoff Home Run: Lindor, 6/16/18 at CLE (1 allowed in 2018)
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: Weaver, 5/2/12 at LAA (5 all-time)
One-Hitter: Kluber, 8/14/15 vs. CLE (23 all-time)
Two-Hitter: Halladay, 5/29/05 at TOR (49 all-time)
10+ Innings Pitched: Fernández (10.0 innings), 10/1/95 at CHC
10+ Strikeouts: 11, Carrasco 8/28/18 at CLE (3 times in 2018)
Complete Game Shutout: Arrieta, 6/21/15 vs. CHC (2 times in 2015)
Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: Williams/Weaver, 5/1-2/12 at LAA
Back-to-Back Shutouts: 4/6/15 - 4/8/2015 vs. DET (2 games, 0-4 and 0-11)
Four Strikeouts in an Inning: F. Hernández, 6/30/10 vs. SEA (8th inning)

MISCELLANEOUS:

Triple Play: Donaldson/Rosales/Carter, 8/21/12 at OAK (Plouffe hitting)
Position Player Pitching: A. Romine, 9/30/17 vs. DET (3 in 2017)
Three or more Steals, One Game: Merrifield (3), 7/2/17 at KC (1 in 2017)
Steal of Home: R. Davis, 8/1/18 vs. CLE
Pure Steal of Home: S. Green, 5/26/00 vs. TEX
Home Run in First ML At-Bat: C. Richard, 7/17/00 vs. STL

2019 TARGET FIELD WEATHER DELAYS AND POSTPONEMENTS

DATE	DELAYED/PPD	NOTES
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2010: 1 PPD / 1 DEL	2014: 3 PPD / 6 DEL	2018: 4 PPD / 5 DEL
2011: 3 PPD / 3 DEL	2015: 1 PPD / 3 DEL	2019: --
2012: 1 PPD / 4 DEL	2016: 3 PPD / 11 DEL	
2013: 3 PPD / 4 DEL	2017: 4 PPD / 7 DEL	

** Target Field has experienced 43 delayed games, 23 postponed games, 1 suspended game and 1 rain shortened game in the park's history (since 2010). Longest delay: 4:50. **

