MINNESOTA TWINS

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MINNESOTA TWINS (9-2) vs. PITTSBURGH PIRATES (2-9)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5, 2020 - 6:05 P.M. (CT) - TV: FOX SPORTS NORTH / RADIO: TIBN, WCCO, THE WOLF

RHP Randy Dobnak (1-1, 1.00) vs. RHP Trevor Williams (0-2, 5.40)

GAME 12

ROAD GAME 4 UPCOMING PROBABLE PITCHERS & BROADCAST SCHEDULE

8/6 at Pittsburgh	RHP Kenta	Maeda (2-0 1.64) vs. RHP JT Brubaker (0-0, 0.00)
SEASON AT A GLA	NCE	THE TWINS: The Twins completed their eight-
Under Baldelli (since '19)		2-0 vs. St. Louis, 3-1 vs. Cleveland and 2-0 v
Home Record:		eight-game roadtrip with two vs. Pittsburgh to
Road Record:		City over the weekend, then three at Milwauke
Record in series:		♠ The original 2020 schedule would have the following the following the following that the following the foll
Series Openers:	3-1	the end of an eight-game homestand.
Series Finales:	4-0	TWING WIN AGAIN TI T : I III D: I
Rubber Games:	1-0	TWINS WIN AGAIN: The Twins beat the Pirates
Sweeps/Swept:		7-3, marking their fifth straight winJosé Ber
July:		one run on four hits in 6.0 innings pitched with
August:		appeared for the Twins with 2.1 innings of relie three from Nelson Cruzthe club's only extra-b
September/October:		tillee from Neison Gruzthe club's only extra-b
Day Games:	3-1	FEELING MINNESOTA: Caleb Thielbar appeared
Night Games:		April 30, 2015, a span of five years, three month
vs. American League Central:		to appear then re-appear and where their res
vs. National League Central: Games vs. LH Starter:		PITCHER SPAN
Games vs. LH Starter: Games vs. RH Starter:		Bert Blyleven
Twins score first:		Carlos Pulido
Opponent scores first:		Craig Breslow7 years, 322 days
Come-from-behind wins:		Caleb Thielbar 5 years, 95 days
Leading after 7/8 inn.:		
Trailing after 7/8 inn.:		HOT START: The Twins are 9-2 through 11 gar
Tied after 7/8 inn.:	1-0/1-0	franchise history (since 1901) that they have
Extra-innings:		TEAM
1-run games:		Minnesota, 2020
Twins out-hit opp.:		Washington, 1930
Opp. out-hit Twins:	2-2	Minnesota, 2001
Twins/Opp. have = hits:		NOTE: Twins have gone 10-2 in their first 12 just (
Run Differential:		so in 1930.
Twins get Quality Start:		
Twins starter goes 6+ IP:		MINNESOTA WINS: Below are the win leaders/
Most games over .500:	/, 8/5	TEAM W
Most games under .500:	7 01	New York-AL8
Longest win-streak:5,		Minnesota9
Longest losing-streak:1,		Chicago-NL9
When Twins score 4+:		Colorado8
When Twins score 3-: Twins get 10+ hits:		
Days in First Place		NELLYVILLE: After going 3-for-4 yesterday aft
Days in Second Place		five-game hitting streakon the season, he i
Days in Third Place		three home runs and 15 RBI (MLB best)his
Days in Fourth Place		player in their first 11 games, age 40-or-older
Days in Fifth Place		PLAYER
Walk-Off W/L:		Nelson Cruz, MIN2
Shutouts W/L:		Sam Rice, WAS1
Complete Games		Ty Cobb, PHA1
		11 W DIT

GONE IN 60

	ANCHISE RECORDS OVER THE
FIRST 60 GAM	ES OF A SEASON (SINCE 1901
HITS	102, Heinie Manush, 1934
HOME RUNS	22, Harmon Killebrew, 1959
RBI	63, Kirby Puckett, 1994
XBH	37, Eduardo Escobar, 2018
	55, Cesar Tovar, 1970
DOUBLES	28, Chuck Knoblauch, 1994
WALKS	70, Eddie Yost, 1956
	S 36, Clyde Milan, 1912
	14. Walter Johnson. 1913
STRIKEOUTS.	129, Walter Johnson, 1910
STARTS	18, 2 Tied
GAMES	38, Mike Marshall, 1979
	21. Glen Perkins. 2015

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

- LHP Hill placed on 10-day IL LHP Thielbar contract selected 8/3 OF Wade Jr. optioned RHP Bailey placed on 10-day IL RHP Poppen recalled
- RHP Littell placed on 10-day IL RHP Alcala recalled
- 7/23 RHP **Odorizzi** placed on 10-day IL LHP Thorpe recalled from minor league OF Wade recalled from minor leagues OF Whitefield contract selected C/IF Astudillo placed on 10-day IL

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THE TWINS: The Twins completed their eight-game homestand with a record of 7-1, going 2-0 vs. St. Louis, 3-1 vs. Cleveland and 2-0 vs. Pittsburgh...tonight the Twins will begin an eight-game roadtrip with two vs. Pittsburgh tonight and tomorrow afternoon, three at Kansas City over the weekend, then three at Milwaukee from Monday-Wednesday.

The original 2020 schedule would have the Twins in the third of three vs. Cleveland at the ord of an eight game homestand.

TWINS WIN AGAIN: The Twins beat the Pirates yesterday afternoon at Target Field by a score of 7-3, marking their fifth straight win...losé Berríos (1-1) was the starter and winner, allowing one run on four hits in 6.0 innings pitched with three walks and six strikeouts...Caleb Thielbar appeared for the Twins with 2.1 innings of relief (chart below)...the offense recorded eight hits, three from Nelson Cruz...the club's only extra-base hit was a double by Sanó in the first inning.

FEELING MINNESOTA: Caleb Thielbar appeared yesterday for the Twins for the first time since April 30, 2015, a span of five years, three months and three days...below are the Twins pitchers to appear then re-appear and where their respective time gaps rank (according to Elias):

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PITCHER	SPAN	DATES
Bert Blyleven	9 years, 64 days	May 31, 1976 & August 3, 1985
Carlos Pulido	9 years, 22 days	August 7, 1994 & August 29, 2003
Craig Breslow	7 years, 322 days	May 19, 2009 & April 6, 2017
Caleb Thielbar	5 years, 95 days	April 30, 2015 & August 4, 2020

HOT START: The Twins are 9-2 through 11 games, marking the third time in Twins/Senators franchise history (since 1901) that they have won nine games in their first 11:

RECORD Minnesota, 2020 Washington, 1930. Minnesota, 2001... 9-2 NOTE: Twins have gone 10-2 in their first 12 just one time in Twins/Senators franchise history, doing

MINNESOTA WINS: Below are the win leaders/win percentage in Major League Baseball:

IEAM	W-L	WINNING %
New York-AL	8-1	
	9-2	
Chicago-NL	9-2	.818
Colorado	8-2	

NELLYVILLE: After going 3-for-4 yesterday afternoon, Nelson Cruz is entering tonight with a five-game hitting streak...on the season, he is hitting .395 (17-for-43) with three doubles, three home runs and 15 RBI (MLB best)...his 17 hits are the most in baseball history for a player in their first 11 games, age 40-or-older...below is the top five (all Hall of Famers):

PLAYER	YEAR	HITS
Nelson Cruz. MIN	2020	17
	1930	
Tv Cobb PHA	1928	16
Honus Wagner, PIT	1914	16
	1927	
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Current Streak 5 wins Last 5 games 5-0 Last 10 games. 8-2 Last 15 games. Last 20 games

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	TWINS VS. PIRATES												
2020 Record: 2-0													
Current Streak: 5 wins (dating to '18)													
2020	at Ho	me:	2-0										
2020	at Pit	tsburgh:											
All-Ti	me Re	ecord:	21-13										
			12-6										
All-Ti	me at	Pittsbur	gh: 9-7										
		2020	Game Logs:										
Date	Site	Score	Winner/Loser/Save										
8/3	MIN	4-3	Rogers/Burdi										
8/4	MIN	7-3	Berríos/Musgrove/May										
8/5	PIT		6:05 pm (CT)										
8/6	PIT		12:35 pm (CT)										

LAST HOMESTAND (7-1)	
Batting average	.220
Runs Per Game	3.88
Home Runs	9
RISP	.326
Errors	2
	—
Team ERA	1.63
Starters W-L	5-1
Starters ERA	1.88
Relievers W-L-S	2-0-6
Relievers ERA	1.80
Saves/Opps	6/6

	OF THIS DATE IN 2019
RECORD	GAMES BACK/AHEAD +4.0 over Cleveland
70-42 (.625)	+4.0 over Cleveland

WE'RE OUT OF THEIR LEAGUE: The Twins are 4-0 this season in Interleague Play, sweeping the Cardinals in two July 28-29 and sweeping the Pirates at Target Field from Monday-Tuesday... they went 8-12 in Interleague Play last season... they have had just one winning season against the NL since 2010, that coming in 2017 (13-7).

Remaining IL schedule (16 games): two more vs. Pittsburgh this week... three at Milwaukee August 10-12...home for three vs. Milwaukee August 18-20... two at St. Louis September 8-9... three at Wrigley Field September 18-20... three at home vs. Cincinnati September 25-27.

♣ From 1997 (IL Play's inception) to 2009, the Twins went 132-96 in IL Play, second to only the Yankees (133-95) in wins during that span...since then they have gone 91-107, tied for 21st most IL wins in baseball in that span.
 ♣ Nelson Cruz is hitting .284 (184-for-648) with 30 doubles, 49 home runs, 138 RBI and a .921 OPS in 180 career Interleague games...in his last nine IL games, he is hitting .351 (13-for-37) with three home runs, 10 RBI and a 1.022 OPS...among actives, he ranks fourth in homers, tied for third in RBI and eighth in OPS.

TWINS AND BUCS: The Twins and Pirates are playing each other for the third of four games...they play one tonight at PNC Park then again tomorrow afternoon...Twins are 21-13 all-time vs. the Pirates.

FS North analyst Justin Morneau was traded from Minnesota to Pittsburgh on August 31, 2013 for outfielder Alex Presley and a PTBNL (Duke Welker)...Morneau played in 92 games for the Pirates, hitting .260 (20-for-77) with four doubles and three RBI.

PITCHING IN:

The Twins have a WHIP of 1.12 this season, the seventh best in club history through their first 11 games...the others: 0.93 in 1980, 0.95 in 1968, 0.97 in 2017, 1.00 in 1972, 1.05 in 1973 and 1.07 in 2005.

TAXI!!: The Taxi Squad to start the trip is left-handed pitcher Sam Clay, right-handed pitcher Cory Gearrin and catcher Tomás Telis.

ON THIS DAY IN TWINS HISTORY: In 2001, Kirby Puckett and Dave Winfield, along with Bill Mazeroski and Hilton Smith, were inducted into the National Baseball Hall of Fame...Puckett is the Twins all-time leader in hits (2,304), runs (1,071), second in doubles (414), and third in RBI (1,085)...Winfield dons a San Diego cap in his HOF plaque but the St. Paul native recorded his 3,000th hit in a Twins uniform on September 16, 1993 at the Metrodome

	UPCO	IMING MILESTONES
PLAYER	CURRENT NO.	MILESTONE WITHIN REACH
Alex Avila	999 games	Needs 1 to reach 1,000 for career.
José Berríos	598 strikeouts	Needs 2 to reach 600 for career.
Nelson Cruz	404 home runs	Needs 3 to tie Duke Snider (407) for 56th on MLB all-time home run list.
Max Kepler	95 home runs	Needs 5 to reach 100 for career.
Sergio Romo	697 strikeouts	Needs 3 to reach 700 for career.
Miguel Sanó	120 home runs	Needs 12 to tie Jacque Jones (132) for 13th on Twins all-time list.
	89 doubles	Needs 11 to reach 100 for career.
	495 games	Needs 5 to reach 500 for career.

STARTING PITCHER

RANDY DOBNAK

SEPT. TOTALS 1-1 14.1 13 6 5

2019 TOTALS

2019 TOTALS

2019 w/ FT. MYERS

2019 w/ PENSACOLA

2019 w/ ROCHESTER

CAREER TOTALS

12-4

3-0

4-2

24-9

135.0

22.1

66.2

46 N

297.1

RECORD

#68

SO

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61

2.07 0.40 2.57

ERA

1.59

2020: 1-1, 1.00 ERA **CAREER:** 3-2, 1.45 ERA

- He is making his third start and appearance of the 2020 season
- He is making his 12th career appearance and eighth career start, as well as his second career Interleague appearance and first II start

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Date	Орр.	Dec.	IP	Н	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	Left	/Final	Notes				Pitches/K
7/25	at CWS	3 L1	4.0	3	1	1	0	2	3	0-1/	3-10	Allowed RB	I double ir	3rd, took loss	73/5	1 (69.9%)
7/31	vs. CLI	E W1	5.0	3	0	0	0	2	4	4-0/	4-1	2nd-longes	t scoreles:	s GS of career	94/6	3 (67.0%)
JULY	TOTALS	1-1	9.0	6	1	1	0	4	7							1.00 ERA
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202	O TOTAL	S			1-1	1	9	9.0		6	1	1	0	4	7	1.00
CAR	EER TO	TALS			3-2	-1	3	7.1		33	10	6	1	9	30	1.45

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Date	Opp. Dec	. IP	Н	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	Left/Final	Notables	Pitches/K (Pct.)
8/9	vs. CLE NL	4.0	6	0	0	0	0	3	/2-6	1st Major League appearance	68/46 (67.6%)
8/29	at CWS SV.	1 3.0	5	2	0	0	0	0	/10-5	1st Major League save	53/39 (73.6%)
8/31	at DET NE	1.0	2	0	0	0	0	3	/7-10	all 3 outs recorded via strikeout	17/15 (88.2%)
AUG. TO	OTALS 0-0-	1 8.0	13	2	0	0	0	6			0.00 ERA
9/3	at BOS ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1-0/6-5	First career start	19/11 (57.9%)
9/8	vs. CLE L1	2.0	3	2	2	0	1	1	0-2/2-5	First career loss	33/22 (66.7%)
9/11	vs. WAS NE	1.0	1	1	1	1	0	1	/2-6	Allowed first HR to Trea Turner	11/8 (72.7%)
9/15	at CLE ND	5.0	6	2	1	0	1	2	1-2/5-7	Then-longest career start	74/45 (60.8%)
9/20	vs. KC W1	5.1	3	1	1	0	2	5	2-1/4-3	First career win	74/45 (60.8%)
9/25	at DFT W2	6.0	1	1	Ω	Λ	Λ	6	0-1/5-1	Exited in 6th. Twins took lead in 7th	78/59 (75.6%)

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<u>Date</u>	Орр.	Dec.	ΙP	Н	R	ER	HR	BB			Final Notabl					/K (Pct.)
4/9	vs. DUM	ND N	5.0	5	0	0	0	1	2							(60.7%)
4/15	at STL		6.0	3	0	0	0	î	4							(68.7%)
4/22	at BRD	W2	6.0	5	0	0	0	0	2							(68.2%)
4/28	VS. PM	BW3	5.1	5	1	1	0	2	6						87/59	(67.8%)
APRIL 1	TOTALS	3-0	22.1	18	1	1	0	4	14						1	0.30 ERA
									Р	ensac	ola (AA)					
5/4	vs. BLX		4.0	5	2	2	1	2	5						77/49	(63.6%)
5/9		W1	6.0	2	0	0	0	1	7							(70.7%)
5/15	at CHA		5.1	7	4	3	1	0	4							(63.8%)
5/20	vs. MOI	B ND	5.0	5	2	2	2	0	7						77/52	(67.5%)
										cheste	r (AAA)					
5/25	vs. PAV		2.0	1	1	1	0	0	1							(56.0%)
5/29	at SWB		3.2	3	3	3	0	5	3							(54.5%)
MAY TO		2-0	26.0	23	12	11	4	8	27							3.81 ERA
6/3	at SYR		6.0	5	0	0	0	4	6							(59.5%)
6/8	at PAW	W1	6.0	3	1	1	0	1	5_						90/55	(61.1%)
0/10		NID.									ola (AA)				07.05	(07.00()
6/13	vs. TNS		6.2	8	2	1	0	1	5							(67.0%)
	at JAX		7.0	7	1	1	1	0	7							(70.3%)
6/26 JUNETO	vs. BLλ	2-0	5.0 30.2	8 31	<i>4</i>	4 7	1 2	<i>0</i>	3 26							(65.9%) 2.05 ERA
7/1	vs. MIS		7.0	3	0	0	0	1	9							(75.5%)
7/6	at BIR	ND	6.1	7	4	4	0	0	2							(74.4%)
7/12	vs. MT0		6.1	4	3	1	0	0	3							(69.1%)
7/18	at MIS	12	8.0	2	1	1	0	1	9							(72.2%)
7/10	at iviio		0.0			1				cheste	r (AAA)				30/03	(12.270)
7/23	vs. NOF	R W2	6.0	4	0	0	0	2	KU						87/54	(62.1%)
7/28	vs. IND		6.1	3	2	2	0	1	4							(63.0%)
JULYTO		3-2	40.0	23	10	8	0	5	33							1.80 ERA
8/2	at PAW		6.0	3	2	1	0	1	2							(64.2%)
8/18	at LOU		5.0	2	1	1	0	2	3							(65.8%)
8/23	at SYR	L2	5.0	4	2	2	0	2	4							(57.6%)
AUG TO		2-1	16.0	9	5	4	0	5	9							2.25 ERA
				F	ECO	RD		IP		Н	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	ERA

LAST TIME OUT: Dobnak notched his first victory of the season in his last start on Friday vs. Cleveland. recorded the longest scoreless start of his career with 5.0 shutout innings, yielding just three hits and two walks, with four strikeouts.

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RANDY'S HOMECOMING: Dobnak grew up a Pirates fan in South Park, PA, just 15 or so miles (35-45 minutes, pending traffic) south of PNC Park...by his own estimate, he's been to at least 150 games in his lifetime, and attending Opening Day at PNC Park was a family tradition...Dobnak went undrafted out of Division II Alderson Broaddus University in Philippi, WV, located about two hours and 115 miles south from PNC Park on Interstate 79...Dobnak's wife, Aerial, and father, Rick, are scheduled to go on a live zoom event hosted by the *Minneapolis Star Tribune* prior to tonight's game at 6:00 p.m. on startribune.com/sports.

HE'S JUST DOBINATING: Through his first two starts, Dobnak is holding opponents to a .188 batting average (6-for-32), .278 on-base percentage, .497 OPS and .240 batting average on balls in play (BABIP).

◆ Dobnak has yet to allow a hit with runners in scoring position this season, with opponents going 0-for-5 with a strikeout against him in scoring situations.

DOBNAK LOOKS TO BUILD ON WHIRIWIND YEAR: the 25-year-old rookie started last season at Single-A Ft. Myers, and made his final appearance of the year on the mound against the New York Yankees in Game 2 of the American League Division Series...became just the fourth rookie in Twins history (sixth instance) to start a Postseason game and 18th ever to pitch in one...traversed four levels of the Twins' player development system, with stints in Ft. Myers, Double-A Pensacola, Triple-A Rochester and culminating in his major league debut on August 9 vs. Cleveland...began his career with 9.0 scoreless innings before allowing two runs in a start September 8 vs. Cleveland...betan his career with 9.0 scoreless innings before allowing two runs in a start September 8 vs. Cleveland...betan his career history to throw at least 6.0 innings and allow no more than one batter to reach safely via hit, walk or hit-by-pitch...Twins win, plus Cleveland loss, clinched the division title.

The Manager Rocco Baldelli allowed him to leave the team to attend his own wedding, and Dobnak married his wife. Aerial, on Sept. 28...Twins defeated the Royals that day, 4-3, in celebration.

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PITCH	NUMBER (vs. RHB-LHB)/AVG MPH	
Sinker		36.5
Curve	119 (84-35)/84.1	27.9
Four Seamer	97 (49-48)/93.4	22.7
	55 (16-39)/85.7	

2020 HIGHS CAREER HIGHS

CG's: SHO's: -SHO's: -CG Low Hit: -CG Low-Hit: nings: 5.0, 7/31 vs. CLE **SO's:** 4, 7/31 vs. CLE

Walks: 2. 2x. last: 7/31 vs. CLE Hits: 3, 2x, last: 7/31 vs. CLE Home Runs:

Win-Streak: 1, 7/31-present Loss-Streak: 1, 7/25 at CWS

Innings: 6.0, 9/25/19 at DET SO's: 6, 9/25/19 at DET Walks: 2. 3x. last: 7/31/20 vs. CLE Hits: 6, 2x, last: 9/15/19 at CLE Home Runs: 1, 9/11/19 vs. WAS Win-Streak: 2. 9/20-9/25/19 Loss-Streak: 1, 2x, last: 7/25/20 at CWS

CAREER NOTES

- He was signed as an undrafted free agent on July 28, 2017.
- Made his major league debut August 9, 2019 vs. Cleveland, becoming just the sixth reliever in Twins history, first since Francisco Oliveras on May 3, 1989 vs. Milwaukee, to
- throw 4.0-or-more shutout innings in his ML debut.

 He won Twins minor league Pitcher of the Week for the week ending July 28, 2019 after making two starts, going 2-0 with a 1.46 ERA (12.1 IP, 2 ER) for Triple-A Rochester.
- Started Game 2 of the 2019 ALDS, becoming the fourth rookie pitcher in Twins history (6th occurrence) to start a Postseason game.
 Prior to joining the Twins organization, Dobnak spent six weeks playing amateur ball for
- Pitched collegiately for Division II Alderson Broaddus University (WV)...recorded a no-hitter against Bluefield State with one walk and finished fourth in the NCAA with eight complete games in 2015...during his freshman season, finished with a 6-1 record and two complete games finishing with a 2.02 ERA...gave up just one home run all season and finished with 9.47 strikeouts per game.

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	W	L	ERA	G/GS	IP	ER		AVG	Н	AB	HR	ВВ	SO
Home:	1	0	0.00	1/1	5.0	0	Vs. Left:	.286	4	14	0	2	2
Road:	0	1	2.25	1/1	4.0	1	Vs. Right:	.111	2	0	0	2	5
Day:	0	1	2.25	1/1	4.0	1	TOTALS:	.188	6	32	0	4	7
Night:	1	0	0.00	1/1	5.0	0							
Grass:	1	1	1.00	2/2	9.0	1	None On:	.308	4	13	0	3	3
Turf:	-	-	-	-	-	-	Runners On:	.105	2	19	0	1	4

6.0-P	LUS IP <i>i</i>	QUALIT'	Y STARTS
YEAR	STARTS	6+ IP	QS
2019	5	1	1
2020	2	0	0
TOTALS	7	1	1

MORE MISCEL	LANEOUS NU	MBERS			
	BASE RUNNERS	PICK-OFFS	SB-ATT	GIDP	
Dobnak:	10	0	0-0	0	

2020 RU	NS/HI	ITS PEI	S INNIN	IG (STA	(RTER)				
INNING:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
RUNS/HITS:	0/1	0/0	1/3	0/2	0/0	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-

DOBNAK VS. NATIONAL LEAGUE

2019 vs. Washington (1 game, 0 starts): 0-0, 9.00 ERA (1.0 IP, 1 ER), 0 BB, 1 S0 2019 vs. Washington at Home (1 game, 0 starts): 0-0, 9.00 ERA (1.0 IP, 1 ER), 0 BB, 1 SO 2019 vs. Washington on Road (O games): -

Career vs. National League (1 game, 0 starts): 0-0, 9.00 ERA (1.0 IP, 1 ER), 0 BB, 1 SO Career vs. National League at Home (1 game, 0 starts): 0-0, 9.00 ERA (1.0 IP, 1 ER), 0 BB, 1 SO Career vs. National League on Road (1 start):

BATTE	BATTER-PITCHER MATCH-UPS												
Dobnak vs	. the Pira	ates					Williams vs. the Twins						
PLAYER	AVG	AB	Н	HR	BB	SO	PLAYER AVG AB H HR BB SO						SO
None							Avila	.000	2	0	0	0	1
							Donaldson	.500	2	1	0	1	1

INTERLEAGUE HISTORY: Tonight marks Dobnak's first career start against the National League and just his second appearance...pitched the final inning of a 6-2 Twins loss to the eventual World Series Champion Washington Nationals on September 11, 2019 at Target Field...struck out the first batter he faced but allowed a run on a Trea Turner solo homer.

₱ Nine of Dobnak's 11 career appearances have come against the teams of the American League Central division, with the appearance against Washington and a start on September 3, 2019 in Boston the only non-divisional outings of his career so far.

ON THE ROAD: Dobnak is 1-1 with a 0.90 ERA (20.0 IP, 2 ER) and .218 opponent batting average (17-for-78) in six career road outings, including four starts...as a starter on the road, his ERA increases to 1.13 (16.0 IP, 2 ER) while his opponent batting average sinks to .172 (10-for-58)

2019 MINOR LEAGUE RECAP: Made stops at three levels of the Twins' minor league system last season, beginning with Single-A Ft. Myers, where he allowed one run over four starts (22.1 IP) for a 0.40 ERA...promoted to Double-A Pensacola on May 2 where he continued his success with a 4-2 record and a 2.57 ERA (66.2 IP, 19 ER) over 11 games (10 starts)...made two stints with Rochester, combining to go 4-1 with a 2.00 ERA (36.0 IP, 8 ER)...earned Twins minor league Pitcher of the Week for the week ending July 28 after going 2-0 with a 1.46 ERA (12.1 IP, 2 ER) and 10 strikeouts in two starts for the Red Wings...named winner of the Jim Rantz Award for Twins minor league Pitcher of the Year.

A LOOK AT THE RÉSUMÉ: Dobnak definitely took the road less-traveled to the majors...below is a list of all the previous jobs he's held, aside from being a professional pitcher, according

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POSITION	COMPANY	YEARS
Professional Driver (4.9 dr	river rating)Uber	Nov. 2017-present
Driver	Lyft	Oct. 2017-present
ConsultantJordan 1	Tax & Accounting Services (Bethel Pa	rk, PA) OctDec. 2017
Accounting Clerk	Accountant and Associates (P	A)Jan. 2014-0ct. 2017
Pizza Delivery	Italian Village Pizza (South Park,	PA) Jun. 2012-Dec. 2013
Stocker	Foodland (Pittshurgh PA)	lun 2010-Δnr 2012

TOMORROW'S STARTER - KENTA MAEDA (SEASON: 2-0, 1.64 ERA // CAREER: 49-35, 3.83 ERA)

Maeda is due to pitch tomorrow afternoon's season series finale...won his last start on Saturday, working the first 6.0 frames of a 3-0 Twins shutout win...held Cleveland hitless for 4.1 innings and yielded just two baserunners in those 6.0 frames, a first-inning walk to Francisco Lindor and an infield single to Bradley Zimmer in the fifth...Maeda has started against Pittsburgh thrice in his career, going 2-1 with a 4.42 ERA (18.1 IP, 9 ER), with 13 strikeouts, two walks and a .203 opponent batting average (14-for-69)...last faced the Pirates at PNC Park on May 26, 2019, earning the win thanks to 5.0 strong innings (5 H, 3 R/ER, 4 K).



TEAM BULLPEN NOTES

Homestand: 0-0-0, 1.80 (5.0 IP, 1 ER), 3 K, 1 BB

'Pen is 3-0, 2.68 (47.0 IP, 14 ER) w/ 18 BB & 57 K's in first 11 games of the season (Twins are 9-2 in that span)...'pen currently ranks 4th the American League and 7th in the majors in relief ERA...57 K's are 4th best in the AL and 5th best in MLB...'pen's .211 (36-for-171) opponent batting average is 4th in AL, 8th in MLB...1.32 ERA (34.0 IP, 5 ER) w/ 10 BB, 6 SV's & 38 K's in 7 home games this season (Twins are 7-1 in that span). Current members of the 'Pen went 1-0, 0.00 ERA (5.1 IP, 0 ER) last time Twins faced Pittsburgh (2018), w/ 0 walks, 4 holds, 0 saves & 5 strikeouts in 4 games vs. PIT that season.

RECENT APPEARANCES JORGE ALCALA - RHP Age: 25 (7/28/95 in Bajos De Haina, DR) Acquired: Trade with HOU, 7/27/18 DATE 8/3 vs. PIT

Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB vs. Left .500 vs. Right .200 Set career highs in IP (2.0), pitches (35) and strikeouts (2) in Monday's win...allowed 1 UER on 2 H over 2.0 otherwise scoreless IP...recalled from Taxi Squad prior to game 8/1 (Littell - IL, left hamstring strain)...named St. Paul Player Pool Pitcher of the Week, after throwing "wonderful" bullpens.
 Pitched 2.0 innings during Summer Camp w/ 2 K's...MLB debut 9/21/19 vs. KC w/ 0.2 innings...105 K's in 102.2 IP in 26 G (16 stars) for Double-A Pensacola in 2019.
 Originally signed by Houston as intl free agent 12/3/14...spent 4 seasons in HOU org. prior to being traded to MIN along w/ OF Celestino in exchange for RHP

Series vs PIT: 0-0-0, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0ER), 2 K, 0 BB

Series vs PIT: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0ER), 0 K, 0 BB

TYLER CLIPPARD - RHP Age: 35 (2/14/85 in Lexington, KY) Weight: 200 B/T: R/R Acquired: Signed as free agent, 12/20/19

◆ Served as the Opener Sunday vs. Cleveland, his first start in a Twins uniform...worked 2.0 perfect innings, with one strikeout, before giving way to Devin Smeltzer... in 27 career appearances vs. PIT, holds a 2-0 record with with a 2.57 ERA (35.0 IP, 10 walks, 33 strikeouts and eight holds.
 ◆ 2019 marked first OD roster since 2018 (TOR)...signed 1-year contract with MIN 12/20/19...made MIN debut on 7/24, pitching a scoreless 6th (1 BB, 1 K) and earned a hold became the 25th pitcher in MLB history to play for 10 franchises...has pitched for NYY (2007, 2016-17), WAS (2008-14), OAK (2015), NYM (2015), ARI (2016), CWS (2017), HOU (2017), TOR (2018) & CLE (2019)...currently ranks third among MLB actives in games (752) and second in holds (216).
 ◆ Ranked 5th in MLB in both reliever BAA in 2019 (.173) and in WHIP (0.86) last year...held LHB to a .123 batting average and RHB to a .227 average.

TYLER DUFFEY - RHP B/T: R/R Age: 29 (12/27/90 in Houston, TX) Drafted: 5th round, 2012 Draft

Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (3.0 IP, 0 ER), 6 K, 0 BB Series vs PIT: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .143 vs. Right .000

Faced PIT twice in 2018, his only appearances against the club... is 0-0 with a 0.00 ERA (2.0 IP, 0 ER) against the Pirates, with no walks, one strikeout and two holds.
Has logged a scoreless outing in 30 of his last 31 appearances, dating back to July 28, 2019...owns a 0.63 ERA (28.2 IP, 2 ER) in that span, with 50 strikeouts compared to just five walks...has struck out eight of 13 batters faced across four scoreless appearances this season.
Posted career-long 24.1 scoreless IP streak 7/28-9/28, longest for a Twin in '19...during streak, recorded 42 strikeouts and 11 walks...second-longest streak in baseball in 2019, behind only Los Angeles-NL's Hyun-Jin Ryu's 32.0 IP streak from 5/1-25.
Earned 14 holds in 33 appearances from July 13 to end of 2019 season, third on Twins with 15 holds behind Trevor May (17) and Sergio Romo (16).

TREVOR MAY - RHP

Weight: 240 B/T: R/R #65 Age: 30 (9/23/89 in Longview, WA) Acquired: Trade with PHI, 12/6/12

Homestand: 0-0-1, 2.45 (3.2 IP, 1 ER), 7 K, 1 BB Series vs PIT: 0-0-1, 0.00 (0.2 IP, 0ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .222 vs. Right .000

Made fifth 2020 appearance last night against PIT, coming in and recording the final two outs...secured the Twins' win and his first save since September 19, 2019 vs. KC...faced PIT once in 2015, throwing two pitches and recording one out (0.1 IP, 0 ER).
 2nd-longest tenured Twin (Polanco - debut 6/26/14), making debut 8/9/14...career 0-3, 4.71 ERA (21.0 IP, 11 ER) w/ 7 BB & 22 K (4 starts, 1 hold) vs. NL Central.
 Led the club in Holds (17) in '19...allowed just 3 of 22 inherited runners to score (13.6%), the lowest IR scored percent by a Twins reliever since '06.

SEAN POPPEN - RHP

Age: 26 (03/05/1994 in Virginia Beach, VA) B/T: R/R Drafted: 19th round, 2016 Draft

Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER) Series vs. PIT: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER) vs. Left - - vs. Right -The Recalled 8/2 when Homer Bailey went on IL...looking to make season debut...made MLB debut last season 6/19 vs. BOS (4.0 IP, 5 H, 3 ER, 2 K), becoming 2nd Harvard product to play for Twins (1st pitcher)...has made one career IL appearance, July 31, 2019 at MIA (1.1 IP, 4 H, 4 R/ER, 0 BB, 3 K).

TAYLOR ROGERS - LHP Age: 29 (12/17/90 in Denver, CO) Height: 6-3 Weight: 190 B/T: L/L Drafted: 11th round, 2012 Draft

vs. Left .000 vs. Right .083 Homestand: 1-0-3, 0.00 (4.0 IP, 0 ER), 4 K, 0 BB Series vs PIT: 1-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0ER), 0 K, 0 BB

Tallied 1st win of season w/ scoreless top 9th on Monday; Twins walked off later in inning...career 2-0, 0.00 ERA (4.1 IP, 0 ER) w/ four strikeouts in 4 games vs. PIT in 2018

Earned 3rd save of the season with a 1-2-3 ninth inning Saturday vs. CLE...T-3rd in MLB in SV (3).
 2019 Joseph W. Haynes Award winner for Twins Pitcher of the Year, posting a 2.61 ERA (69.0 IP, 20 ER) with 11 walks, 90 strikeouts and 30 saves...set Twins single-season strikeouts-per-walk-ratio (8.18), second best in baseball among relievers, trailing TEX/ATL Chris Martin (13.00).

SERGIO ROMO - RHP Age: 37 (3/4/1983 in Brawley, CA) Acquired: Trade with MIA, 7/27/19 Homestand: 0-0-2, 0.00 (4.0 IP, 0 ER), 5 K, 0 BB Series vs PIT: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .125 vs. Right .00

Career 2-0, 2.70 ERA (16.2 IP, 5 ER) w/ 4 saves, 4 holds & 21 strikeouts in 20 games vs. PIT...22 career saves & 38 holds vs. NL Central teams in 150 games.

12th MLB season...earned two saves and two holds in his first four appearances of 2020 (7/28, 29, 31, 8/2) with 4.0 scoreless innings and 5 K.

Threw his slider 59.6% of the time in 2019, 3rd highest in baseball...2nd in 0-Swing% (40.5) - % of pitches swung at outside the zone.

Enters 2020 5th among actives in holds (179), 5th in games (710) and 15th in saves (130)...1 of 4 active pitchers with at least 100 career saves and 100 career holds, alongside David Robertson (137 SV/147 HLD), Fernando Rodney (327 SV/114 HLD) and Joakim Soria (221 SV/102 HLD).

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DEVIN SMELTZER - LHP
Weight: 195 B/T: R/L Acquired: Trade with LAD, 7/31/18 Weight: 195 Age: 24 (9/7/1995 in Voorhees, NJ) Homestand: 1-0-0, 3.38 (2.2 IP, 1 ER), 2 K, 1 BB Series vs PIT: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .000 vs. Right .471

♥ Followed Opener Clippard Sunday, giving up one run in 2.2 IP, earned win...cancer survivor (bladder), diagnosed when nine years old and went full remission in 2012. ♥ Made Postseason debut in Game 2 of 2019 ALDS, October 5 at Yankee Stadium, pitching 3.1 scoreless innings with two hits allowed, three walks and four strikeouts. ♥ Had five overall stints with the Twins in 2019, going 2-2, with a 3.86 ERA (49.0 IP, 21 ER) with 12 walks and 38 strikeouts in 11 games (6 starts).

CODY STASHAK - RHP Height: 6-2 Weight: 180 B/T: R/R Age: 26 (6/4/1994 in Somers Point, NJ) Drafted: 13th Round, 2015 Draft

Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 1 BB Series vs PIT: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .000 vs. Right .333

Has yet to face Pittsburgh...in first-career appearance vs. an NL Central team (STL) on July 28, threw 1.0 scoreless inning with a strikeout.

On Saturday, reached 30 career K before 2nd career BB...per Elias, is most career K by pitcher before 2nd career BB since mound was moved to current distance in 1893. Career 3.38 ERA (2.2 IP 1 ER) at home vs. CLE...1st career Opening Day...became first-time father in late June to baby boy, Colton, reporting late to summer camp for the birth. Had contract selected by Minnesota in July 22 and made major league debut July 23 vs. New York-AL, pitching 2.0 innings...had two different stints w/ Twins in 2019. Thad co

CALEB THIELBAR - LHP Height: 6-0 Weight: 205 B/T: R/L Age: 33 (01/31/1987 in Northfield, MN) Acquired: Signed as free agent, 11/29/19

Homestand: 0-0-1, 2.45 (3.2 IP, 1 ER), 7 K, 1 BB Series vs PIT: 0-0-1, 0.00 (0.2 IP, 0ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .222 vs. Right .000

His relief efforts yesterday marked his first MLB appearance since April 30, 2015 with MIN...2.1 IP and 54 pitches were career highs; matched career-high K's with three Fourth-longest appearance hiatus in Twins history, trailing Bert Blyleven (9 years, 64 days), Carlos Pulido (9 years, 22 days) and Craig Breslow (7 years, 322 days)

LEWIS THORPE - LHP

B/T: R/L Age: 24 (11/23/1995 in Melbourne, AUS) Acquired: Signed as free agent, 7/1 vs. Left - -Homestand: 0-0-0, 4.50 (6.0 IP, 3 ER), 4 BB, 4 K Series vs PIT: 0-0-0, 6.75 (4.0 IP, 3 ER), 4 BB, 3 K vs. Right .290

₱ Made 3rd career start Monday vs. PIT, 1st IL appearance...took ND, allowing 3 R on 6 H in 4.0 IP, w/ 3 K's and career-high-tying 4 BB...1st GS since Sept. 14, 2019.
₱ In two relief appearances in 2020, is 0-0 with a 0.00 ERA (4.2 IP, 0 ER) with three hits allowed, two walks, one strikeout and a .200 opponent batting average.
₱ Career record of 3-2, 5.45 ERA (36.1 IP, 22 ER) with 16 BB and 35 K's in 15 games (3 starts) with MIN...signed from Melbourne ("mel-BIN"), AUS as 16 year-old in 2012.
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MATT WISLER - RHP Height: 6-3 Weight: 215 #37 Acquired: Claimed off Waivers from SEA, 10/29/1 Age: 27 (9/12/92 in Bryan, OH) B/T: R/R **Series vs PIT:** 0-0-0, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0ER), 2 K, 0 BB **Homestand:** 0-0-0, 0.00 (3.1 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 1 BB vs. Left .000 vs. Right .182

Worked season-high 2.0 scoreless innings Monday vs. PIT, w/ 2 K...has not allowed a run in 4 app. this season, spanning 5.2 IP...holding opponents to .105 batting average (2-for-19)...career 2.70 ERA (10.0 IP, 3 ER) w/ 3 BB, 9 K vs. PIT in 8 G...2nd career OD (2019 w/ SD)...MIN is 5th org (ATL, SD, SEA, CIN).

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8/1 vs. CLE	H1	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	2		

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g	8/2 vs. CLE 8/3 vs. PIT	ND	1.1	0	0	0	0	1	1
	8/3 vs. PIT	ND	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	2

									TEAM BULLPEN USAGE		
Player name	1st Batter Avg	BB/9	K/9	Saves/Opps	Holds	IRS%	WHIP	HR	Last game	2 games ago	3 games ago
Jorge Alcala	1.000	0.00	9.00	0/0	0	0.0% (0/0)	1.00	0	0.0 IP (0)	2.0 IP (35)	0.0 IP (0)
Tyler Clippard	.500	3.00	6.00	0/0	1	0.0% (0/0)	0.83	0	0.0 IP (0)	0.0 IP (0)	2.0 IP (21)
Tyler Duffey	.000	0.00	18.00	0/0	1	0.0% (0/0)	0.25	0	0.0 IP (0)	0.0 IP (0)	1.0 IP (12)
Trevor May	.400	3.86	15.43	1/1	2	0.0% (0/2)	0.86	1	0.2 IP (5)	0.0 IP (0)	1.0 IP (21)
Taylor Rogers	.250	0.00	9.00	3/3	0	0.0% (0/0)	0.25	0	0.0 IP (0)	1.0 IP (16)	0.0 IP (0)
Sergio Romo	.000	0.00	11.25	2/2	0	0.0% (0/0)	0.25	0	0.0 IP (0)	0.0 IP (0)	1.0 IP (15)
Devin Smeltzer	.000	3.86	13.50	0/0	1	0.0% (0/0)	2.14	2	0.0 IP (0)	0.0 IP (0)	2.2 IP (39)
Cody Stashak	.000	2.25	13.50	0/0	0	0.0% (0/0)	0.75	0	0.0 IP (0)	0.0 IP (0)	0.0 IP (0)
Caleb Thielbar	1.000	7.71	11.57	0/0	0	0.0% (0/0)	3.00	0	2.1 IP (51)	0.0 IP (0)	0.0 IP (0)
Matt Wisler	.000	6.35	14.29	0/0	1	0.0% (0/1)	1.06	0	0.0 IP (0)	2.0 IP (20)	1.1 IP (22)



EHIRE ADRIANZA - INF Age: 30 (8/21/89 in Guarenas, VZ) **2020 Average:** .200 nestand: 1-6, 2B

Has played in 6 G this season (2 starts)...hitting .200 (2-for-10) w/ 1 R & 2B...O-for-3 against PIT at Target Field on 8/3...career .176 (3-for-17) w/ 2B, 2 RBI, SB & a HBP in 11 G against PIT.
Career .198 (24-for-121) hitter in 5 3 IL games...has never faced Trevor Williams...hit .298 (25-for-84) w/ 16 R, 4 2B, 1 3B, 3 HR & 12 RBI in 40 G at Target Field in 2019.
Made defensive appearances at seven different positions in 2019: P (1 game, 0 starts), 1B (20 games, 12 starts), 2B (7 games, 7 starts), 3B (24 games, 14 starts), SS (24 games, 16 starts), LF (1 games, 0 starts) and RF (6 games, 5 starts)...2 starts (1 2B & 1 SS) in 2020.

LUIS ARRAEZ - INF #2 B/T: L/R Age: 23 (4/9/97 in San Felipe, VZ) Series vs PIT: 0-6, RBI Streak: 0-17. RBI 2020 Average: .212 Homestand: 3-24, RBI **Home Runs:**

Hitting .167 (2-for-12) w/ 3 R, 3 BB & RBI in 2 IL games in 2020...went 0-for-2 w/ R, SF &

Hitting .167 (2-for-12) w/ 3 R, 3 BB & RBI in 2 IL games in 2020...went 0-for-2 w/ R, SF & RBI at Target Field yesterday vs. PIT.
Has reached base safely in 8 of 10 games this season (via BB or H)...hitting .212 (7-for-33) w/ 4 RBI, 4 R, 4 BB, a .502 OPS in those 10 games (all at 2B)...has never faced Trevor Williams. Hit for .334 AVG in 2019, was 5th-highest by a 22-year-old in the past 100 years (min. 300 PA), behind Ted Williams (.406, 1941), Freddie Lindstrom (.358, 1928), Stan Musial (.357, 1943) and Joe DiMaggio (.346, 1937).
29 K's were the fewest in baseball among players with at least 350 PA's in 2019.

ALEX AVILA - C B/T: L/R ht: 210 Age: 33 (1/29/87 in Hialeah, FL) 2020 Average: .250 Streak: 0-3 Series vs PIT: 0-3 Homestand: 2-8, HR, 2 RBI Home Runs: 1 (1 1-run)

Hit 1st HR as Twin on 7/31 (solo shot)...went 0-for3 w/ BB at Target Field yesterday vs. PIT.. career .269 (21-for-79) w/ 9 R, 2 2B, 3B, 4 HR, 16 BB, 15 RBI & a .868 OPS in 27 games vs. PIT...career 0-for-2 vs. Trevor Williams.
Has played in four games this season (Twins are 4-0)... .938 OPS in those four games.
Signed a one-year contract with Minnesota on 12/10/19 after 2 seasons with ARI.
His .363 OBP ranked 4th among catchers in 2019, behind Yasmani Grandal (.383), Omar Narváez (.373) and Mitch Garver (.373) (min. 100 PA).

BYRON BUXTON - OF #25 B/T: R/R Age: 26 (12/18/93 in Baxley, GA) Streak: 1g, 1-3, RBI 2020 Average: .111 Series vs PIT: 1-6, RBI Homestand: 2-18, 2 RBI

Career .225 (43-for-191) w/ 29 R, 9 2B, 5 3B, 6 HR, 19 RBI, 13 BB & 11 SB in 58 IL games. Only 4 career games against PIT, went 1-for-3 w/ R & RBI yesterday at Target Field...now hitting only .111 (2-for-18) w/ 2 R, 2 RBI & BB in 7 G...2020 marked his 5th Opening Day roster. According to Statcast, covered 77 feet in 4.4 seconds for a diving catch that had just a 35% catch probability while playing CF vs. CLE on 7/30.

Was caught stealing in the fifth inning on 8/1 for just the ninth time in his career (60 career successful steals) and first time since May 21, 2019 at Los Angeles-AL (Noé Ramirez/Jonathan Lucroy...snapped a string of six successful steal attempts...has been caught just four times in his last 47 attempts.

JAKE CAVE - OF #60 Age: 27 (12/4/92 in Hampton, VA) B/T: L/L **2020 Average:** .176 Streak: 0-8 Series vs PIT: 0-3

Only 3 career games against PIT...went 0-for-3 w/ BB on 8/3 at Target Field...now .182 (2-for-8) w/ RBI in those 3 games...has never faced Trevor Williams...career .235 (12-for-51) in 19 IL games...career .206 (7-for-34) w/ 5 R, BB, 2B, 2 HR, 5 RBI, SB in 12 games vs. NL Central. Recorded his first outfield assist of the season on 8/3 vs. PIT...was the ninth outfield assist of his career, and his second from leftfield...it was the Twins' second outfield assist as a team

this season (Eddie Rosario).

Hit second career grand slam in MIN's 3rd game, 7/26 at CWS off Reynaldo López. Played in 45 games (34 starts) in RF , 23 games (13 starts) in CF and 10 games (7 starts) in LF for the Twins in 2019...has played CF (4) and RF (2) & LF (1) already this season.

NELSON CRUZ - DH Age: 40 (7/1/80 in Las Matas De Santa Cruz, DR) B/T: R/R Series vs PIT: 6-9, 3 RBI Home Runs: 3 (1 1-run, 2 3-run) Streak: 5g, 9-19, 4 RBI **2020 Average:** .395 **Homestand:** 10-30, 2B, 5 RBI

Went 3-for-4 yesterday vs. PIT...has 17 hits on the season and setting a new major league record for most hits within the first 11 games of the season by a batter age 40-or-older...passed Baseball Hall-of-Famers Sam Rice (16 H in 1930 for Washington), Ty Cobb (16 H in 1927-28 for Philadelphia-AL) and Honus Wagner (1914 for Pittsburgh)... marked his third three-plus hit game of the season, also 15 RBI's...a new major league record by a player at least 40 years old within the first 11 games of the season... batting 395 (17-for-43) overall this season, with nine hits in his last five games...now hitting .367 (18-for-49) w/ 7 R, 3 HR, 15 RBI & 2 BB in 13 career G vs. PIT. with 3 HR & 10 RBI in last 7 G vs. PIT...hasn't faced Trevor Williams.

AL POW (7th time): .538 (7-for-23) with 7 R, 2 2B, 3 HR, 10 RBI, BB, & 1.385 SLG over 3 G.

At 40 years, 25 days old, became the fourth-oldest player in major league history to amass seven RBI in a single game, joining Hall of Famers Stan Musial and Reggie Jackson, as well as Jason Giambi...in addition, became the second-oldest player with four extra-base hits in a game since 1901, behind Hall of Famer Rickey Henderson (40 years, 103 days).

JOSH DONALDSON - 3B B/T: R/R Age: 34 (12/8/85 in Pens Series vs PIT: 0-0 Home Runs: 1 (1 1-run) **2020 Average:** .182 **Streak:** 1g, 1-1 3-12, HR, 2 RBI

Is day-to-day. w/ R calf tightness...career .196 (9-for-46) w/ 8 R, 2B, 3 HR, 9 RBI in 13 G vs PIT. Career .500 (1-for-2) w/ RBI & a walk vs. Trevor Williams. Career .310 (144-for-465) w/ 94 R, 25 2B, 29 HR, 93 RBI, 66 BB & a .955 OPS in 123 IL games. Target Field all-time leader in AVG (.358), OBP (.436), SLG (.779) and OPS (1.215). Signed 4-year deal on 1/22/20...2019 NL Comeback Player of the Year. In 2019, became the 10th player (14th instance) with at least 30 doubles, 30 home runs, 90 runs scored, 90 RBI and 100 walks in his age 33-or-older season, first since Joey Votto in 2017.

MITCH GARVER Age: 29 (1/15/91 in) **2020 Average:** .143 **Homestand:** 1-15, HR Series vs PIT: 0-3 Home Runs: 1 (1 1-run) Streak: 0-3

Only 2 career G vs. PIT, went 0-for-3 w/R on 8/3...career .295 (28-for-95) w/ 11 HR & 18 RBI in 30 IL games...career .250 (12-for-48) w/ 4 HR & 7 RBI in 15 gaves vs. NL Central teams. 2019 AL Louisville Slugger Silver Slugger Award winner...led MLB catchers in home runs, while leading AL catchers in RBI (65) and slugging (.660), OBP (.373, tied with Omar Narváez), runs (68), OPS (1.032), isolated power (.372) and third in AVG (.288) and fourth in walks (35) - all numbers as catcher only.

Hit 1st bomba of the season Sunday...hit .321 (34-for-129) with a 1.170 OPS vs. left-handed pitching and .249 (51-for-205) with a .902 OPS vs. right-handed pitching in 2019.

MARWIN GONZALEZ - INF/OF Height: 6-1 Weight: 205 B/T: S/ Age: 31 (3/14/1989 in Puerto Ordaz, VZ) Streak: 1g, 1-4 Series vs PIT: 1-7 2020 Average: .280 1 (1 1-run) Homestand: 5-17 Home Runs:

Career .208 (10-for-48) w/ 4 R, 2 2B, 3B, 4 RBI & 2 BB in 16 G vs. PIT...went 1-for-4 yesterday

at Target Field vs. PIT...has never faced Trevor Williams.
Two multi-hit games this season with a .800 OPS...career .229 (39-for-170) w/ 13 R, 5 2B, 3B, 3 HR, 13 BB & 18 RBI in 64 G vs. NL Central.

3 HR, 13 BB & 18 RBI in 64 G vs. NL Central.
2020 marks his 9th Opening Day roster (2 w/ MIN, 7 w/ HOU).
Hit .300 (36-for-120) as a right-handed batter and .249 (76-for-305) as a left-handed batter in '19...also hit .298 (28-for-94) with runners in scoring position and .360 (18-for-50) with a .976 OPS with runners in scoring position and two outs in 2019.
Played 21 games (19 starts) at 1B, two games (both starts) at 2B, 40 games (35 starts) at 3B, 1 game (start) at SS, 18 games (13 starts) in LF, 44 games (36 starts) in RF in 2019.

MAX KEPLER - OF #26 B/T: L/L Age: 27 (2/10/93 in Berlin, German Streak: 2g, 5-8, 3 2B, 2 RBI **2020 Average**: .270 Homestand: 8-23, HR, 3 2B, 5 RBI **Home Runs:** 3 (3 1-run)

Career .421 (8-for-19) w/ 4 R, 3 2B, 4 RBI, 5 BB & a 1.099 OPS in 6 games since 2018 vs. PIT...has never faced Trevor Williams...went 3-for-4 w/ 3 R, 2B, 3 RBI & 4 BB in a 2-game series vs. PIT at Target Field. Set new career high yesterday vs. PIT with four walks, one shy of the Twins' single-game record held by Roy Smalley (May 7, 1978)...marked the first Twin with four walks in a game since Brian Dozier on April 10, 2018 (1-for-1, 4 BB)...also scored twice and drove in a run on a sacrifice fly, becoming the first player in Twins/Senators history with four walks, two runs scored and an RBI in a single game without recording an official at-bat.

1st player in MIN/WAS history to HR in 1st two ABs of the season 7/24 1st player to do so since Daniel Nava (PHI) on 4/6/2017...also became the 5th player in franchise history with multiple home runs on Opening Day (Jacque Jones - 2002, Gary Gaetti -1982, Brant Alyea - 1970 and Karl Olson - 1956).

JORGE POLANCO - SS Height: 5-11 B/T: R/R Age: 27 (7/5/93 in San Pedro De Macorís, DR) **2020 Average**: .268 **Homestand:** 7-28, HR, 2B, 3 RBI Series vs PIT: 1-4 Home Runs: 1 (1 2-run) Streak: 0-3

Career .308 (4-for-13) w/ 4 R, 2B, 3 RBI & a .785 OPS in 5 G vs. PIT...has never faced Trevor Williams...pinch-hit for Ehire Adrianza in the 9th inning on 8/3 vs. PIT at Target Field, hit and scored the winning run...multiple hits in 5 of 11 games so far (54 multi-hits in 2019). Career .299 (56-for-187) with 5 HR, 26 RBI, 18 BB and a .838 OPS in 54 IL games. Set career-highs with 186 H, 107 R, 40 2B, 7 3B, 22 HR, 79 RBI, 60 BB, .295 BA, .356 OBP,

485 SLG and a .841 OPS in 2019

Named starting SS at ASG in 2019 in CLE...finished 13th in AL MVP voting...finished 6th in the AL in hits (186), T-5th in 2B (40), triples (7) and multi-hit games (54).

EDDIE ROSARIO - OF R/T- I /R Age: 28 (9/28/91 in Guaya **2020 Average:** .250 **Homestand:** 6-24, 2 HR, 2B, 6 RBI Streak: 1g, 2-4, 2 RBI Series vs PIT: 2-4, 2 RBI

Career .276 (8-for-29) w/ 7 R, 2B, 2 3B, 2 RBI & a .748 OPS in 8 games vs. PIT... since 2016, is batting .331 (44-for-133) against the teams of the NL Central, tops among American League players with at least 100 at-bats against the division in that span.

Recorded the Twins first outfield assist of the season and 49th of his career 8/2...49 outfield

assists are second most in baseball since 2015, trailing only Starling Marte (60)...his 49 outfield assists are ninth on Twins all-time list, behind Jacque Jones (54).

5th straight Opening Day start in LF on 9/24 at CWS, longest active streak in MLB in LF. Led the club in RBI (109) and ranked 4th in home runs (32), both career-highs in 2019.

MIGUEL SANÓ – INF R/T- R/R Age: 27 (5/11/93 in S.Pedro De Macorís, **2020 Average:** .133 **Homestand:** 4-22, 2 HR, 2 2B, 3 RBI Streak: 1g, 1-4, 2B, RBI Series vs PIT: 1-7, 2B, RBI

Career .333 (10-for-30) w/ 7 R, HR, 7 RBI & a 1.029 OPS in 8 G vs. PIT...has only recorded four hits this season, but all four have gone for extra bases (2 HR, 2 2B). Hit two HR On 8/1...since August 14, 2019, he has hit 16 home runs in 44 games...came into play tied for third in the AL in home runs since that date...second homer vaulted him ahead of Nelson Cruz for the most multi-home run games (9) by a Dominican-born player in Twins/ Senators history.

Made 4th Opening Day roster...shifted to 1B in 2020 after Donaldson signing in January...had just 31 career appearances at 1B prior to this season; made 9 so far in 2020.

AARON WHITEFIELD - OF 23 (9/2/96 in Brisba 2020 Average: 000 Streak: 0-1 Series vs PIT: 0-0

Speedy OF, specializes in pinch running duties and as defensive replacement. Made MLB debut 7/25 at CWS when he pinch ran for Eddie Rosario in the ninth inning. Hit .197 (73-for-370) w/ 19 2B, 4 HR, 30 RBI and 30 SB in 112 G last season between Single-A Ft. Myers and Double-A Pensacola.

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TWINS HOME RUN DATA												
MULTI-HOMER GAMES (3x) BACK-TO-BACK (0x) ● Kepler, 7/24 at CWS • None • Cruz, 7/26 at CWS WALK-OFF (0x) • Sanó, 8/1 vs. CLE • None	INSIDE-THE-PARK (Ox) ◆ None	RUNNERS ON • Solo - 12 • 2-run - 3 • 3-run - 1	• Kepler, 7/24 at CWS • Kepler, 7/31 vs. CLE	GRAND SLAM (1x) ■ Jake Cave								

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Ehire Adrianza	0	0	1, 7/31-7/31	1, 7/31	9/02/19	at DET	1	Zimmermann	6/12/18	at DET	1	.000	0	3	0	0	.176	3	17	0	2
Luis Arraez	2	1	5, 7/24-7/30	2, 7/26	9/25/19	at DET	1	VerHagen			0	.000	0	6	0	1	.000	0	6	0	1
Alex Avila	0	0	3, 7/26-7/31	1, 7/31	7/31/20	vs. CLE	0	Clevinger			0	.000	0	3	0	0	.269	21	78	4	15
Byron Buxton	0	0	1, 8/4-8/4	1, 8/4	7/30/19	at MIA	0	Gallen	5/18/19	at SEA	2	.167	1	6	0	1	.143	2	14	0	2
Jake Cave	1	2	2, 7/24-7/26	2, 7/24	7/26/20	at CWS	3	Lopez	7/26/20	at CWS	2	.000	0	3	0	0	.182	2	11	0	1
Nelson Cruz	4	3	5, 7/31-8/4	4, 7/26	7/26/20	at CWS	2	Herrera	7/23/16	at TOR	1	.667	6	9	0	3	.367	18	49	3	15
Josh Donaldson	1	1	1, 7/31-7/31	2, 7/28	7/28/20	vs. STL	0	Martinez	9/28/18	at KC	4	.000	0	0	0	0	.196	9	46	3	9
Mitch Garver	1	0	1, 8/2-8/2	2, 7/25	8/02/20	vs. CLE	0	Civale			0	.000	0	3	0	0	.000	0	6	0	0
Marwin Gonzalez	2	0	2, 8/1-8/2	2, 8/1	7/26/20	at CWS	0	Herrera	8/24/18	at LAA	2	.143	1	7	0	0	.208	10	48	0	4
Max Kepler	3	2	3, 7/28-7/31	3, 8/3	7/31/20	vs. CLE	0	Clevinger	8/26/17	at TOR	2	.750	3	4	0	3	.421	8	19	0	4
Jorge Polanco	5	2	2, 8/2-8/3	2, 8/2	7/28/20	vs. STL	1	Martinez			0	.250	1	4	0	0	.308	4	13	0	3
Eddie Rosario	2	2	3, 7/24-7/26	2, 8/4	8/01/20	vs. CLE	0	Carrasco	4/20/18	at TB	3	.500	2	4	0	2	.276	8	29	0	2
Miguel Sano	1	1	1, 8/4-8/4	2, 8/1	8/01/20	vs. CLE	0	Carrasco	9/14/19	at CLE	1	.143	1	7	0	1	.333	10	30	1	7
Aaron Whitefield	0	0									0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0



MISCELLANEOUS

MISC. HIGHS A	ND LOWS
Most Runs, Game (Team)	14, 7/26 at CWS
Most Runs, Inning (Team)	5, 2x, last 2nd inning, 7/28 vs. STL
Most Hits, Game (Team)	13, 7/26 at CWS
Most Hits, Game (Team) Most Hits, Inning (Team)	1, 2x, last 2nd inning, 7/28 vs. STL
Most Strikeouts, Batters (Team)	
Longest Hitting Streak (Individual)	
Consecutive Hits (Individual)	4, Cruz, 7/26 at CWS
Consecutive Hitless At-Bats (Individua	I) 16, Arraez, 7/30-8/3
Consecutive Scoreless Innings (Batter	
Most Runs Allowed (Team)	
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Most Hits Allowed (Team)	
Most Hits Allowed, Inning (Team)	
Pitchers Used (Team)	
Cons. Batters Retired (Team)	•
Scoreless Innings Streak (Team/Pitcher	
Most Runs, Starter	
Most Home Runs, Starter	1, 2, many
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Longest Game, Time (9 Inn.)	
Longest Game, Time (3 Inn.)	
Fastest Game, Time	
Largest Margin, Victory	
Largest Margin, Loss	,
Lineups Used	

SCORE BY INNING											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	XTRA	TOTAL
OPPONENT	2	5	3	3	9	2	4	1	2	0	31
TWINS	16	14	2	8	3	7	3	3	2	0	58

		INJURED LIST		
	INJURY			
Jake Odorizzi	Right Intercostal Strain.	7/23	7/20	 11
Willians Astudillo	Undisclosed Injury	7/4		 11
Zack Littell	Left Hamstring Strain	8/1	7/31	 5
Homer Bailey	Right Biceps Tendinitis	8/2	7/29	 7
Rich Hill	Left Shoulder Fatigue	8/4	7/30	 6

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	C	1B	2B	SS	3B	LF	CF	RF	DH
Ehire Adrianza	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Luis Arraez	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0
Alex Avila	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Byron Buxton	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0
Jake Cave	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0
Nelson Cruz	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
Josh Donaldson	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0
Mitch Garver	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marwin Gonzalez	0	2	0	0	4	0	0	2	0
Max Kepler	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	9	0
Jorge Polanco	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0
Eddie Rosario	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0
Miguel Sano	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Ehire Adrianza	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Luis Arraez	1	1	0	0	0	3	3	1	1
Alex Avila	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3
Byron Buxton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5
Jake Cave	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0
Nelson Cruz	0	0	5	6	0	0	0	0	0
Josh Donaldson	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mitch Garver	2	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0
Marwin Gonzalez	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	4	0
Max Kepler	8	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
Jorge Polanco	0	3	6	1	0	0	0	0	0
Eddie Rosario	0	0	0	3	6	1	0	0	0
Miguel Sano	0	0	0	1	2	1	2	3	0
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Player	Pos.
Max Kepler	RF
Jorge Polanco	SS
	DH
Eddie Rosario	LF
Mitch Garver	C
Luis Arraez	2B
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Marwin Gonzalez	3B
Byron Buxton	CF
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OUTFIELD ASSISTS					
Jake Cave	1				
Max Kepler	1				
Eddie Rosario	1				
Total	3				

LAST TIME IT HAPPENED

HITTING:

Hit for the Cycle: J. Polanco, 4/5/19 at PHI (11 all-time)
Grand Slam: Cave, 7/26/20 at CWS (1 as a team in 2020)
Inside-the-Park Home Run: B. Buxton, 8/18/17 vs. ARI (2 as a team in 2017, 54 all-time)

FOR THE TWINS

Inside-the-Park Home Run: B. Buxton, 8/18/17 vs. ARI (2 as a team in 2017, 54 all-time)

Pinch-Hit Home Run: M. Sanó, 8/5/19 vs. ATL (2 as a team in 2019)

Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: M. LeCroy, 9th inning, 5/19/04 at TOR (15 all-time)

Five-Hit Game: C. Cron, 5/23/19 at LAA (3 in 2019)

Six-Hit Game: K. Puckett, 5/23/91 vs. TEX (2 all-time, both Puckett)

Two Hits, One Inning: N. Cruz, 8th inning, 8/20/19 vs. CWS (1 as a team in 2019)

Two Home Runs, One Inning: M. Cuddyer, 8/23/09 at KC (1 all-time)

Two-Home Run Game: N. Cruz, 7/26/20 at CWS (2 as team in 2020)

Three-Home Run Game: N. Cruz, 8/3/19 vs. KC (3 as a team in 2019, 12 all-time)

Back-to-Back Home Runs: N. Cruz/E. Rosario/C. Cron, 4/26/19 vs. BAL (1 in 2019)

Three Consecutive Home Runs: N. Cruz/E. Rosario/C. Cron, 4/26/19 vs. BAL (1 in 2019)

Three Home Runs, One Inning: S. Mack/K. Puckett/K. Hrbek/H. Bush, 5/2/92 at NYY

Walk-Off Home Run: M. Sanó, 8/5/19 vs. ATL (10 all-time)

Leadoff Home Run: M. Kepler, 7/31/20 vs. CLE (2 as a team in 2020)

Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game: E. Núñez/B. Dozier, 5/25/16 vs. KC

Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game: E. Núñez/B. 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: F. Liriano, 5/3/11 at CWS (6 all-time)

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, 4/15/17 vs. CWS (14 all-time)
10+ Innings Pitched: B. Radke (10.0 innings), 9/21/97 vs. MIL
10+ Strikeouts: 10, Odorizzi, 9/8/19 vs. CLE (7 as a team in 2019)
Complete Game Shutout: J. Berríos, 4/1/18 at BAL (1 as a team in 2018)
Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: J. Mays/C. Silva, 5/19-20/05 vs. TOR/vs. MIL
Back-to-Back Shutouts: 5/6 - 7/19 at TOR (2 games, 8-0 and 3-0)
Four Strikeouts in an Inning: Z. Duke, 3/29/18 at BAL (7th inning)

MISCELLANEOUS:

Triple Play: M. Sanó/J. Schoop/C.J. Cron, 8/7 vs. ATL - T. Flowers hitting (14 all-time)
Position Player Pitching: E. Adrianza, 7/17/19 vs. NYM (1 in 2019)
Three or more Steals, One Game: E. Adrianza (3), 6/21/17 vs. CWS (1 in 2017)
Steal of Home: C. Thomas, 8/3/13 vs. HOU
Pure Steal of Home: R. Becker, 9/27/97 at CLE
Home Run in First ML At-Bat: E. Rosario, 5/6/15 vs. OAK (1st PA, 1st pitch)

AGAINST THE TWINS

HITTING:

Hit for the Cycle: A. Beltré, 8/24/12 at TEX (5 allowed all-time)
Grand Slam: R. Rodríguez, 8/23/19 vs. DET (5 allowed as team in 2019)
Inside-the-Park Home Run: A. Mondesi, 4/2/19 at KC (44 allowed all-time)

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Pinch-Hit Home Run: D. Smith, 7/17/19 vs. NYM (2 allowed in 2019)

Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: J. Sands, 8/8/15 at CLE

Five-Hit Game: D. Gregorius, 7/23/19 vs. NYY

Six-Hit Game: D. Gregorius, 7/23/19 vs. NYY

Six-Hit Game: J. Segura, 5/28/13 at MIL (3 allowed all-time)

Two Hits, One Inning: V. Reyes, 3rd inning, 8/31/19 at DET (1 allowed in 2019)

Two Home Runs, One Inning: D. Nilsson, 5/17/96 vs. MIL

Two-Home Run Game: J. Soler, 9/28/19 at KC (13 allowed in 2019)

Three-Home Run Game: J. Donaldson, 8/28/16 at TOR

Back-to-Back Home Runs: Z. Collins/A. Engel, 9/18/19 vs. CWS (7 allowed in 2019)

Three Consecutive Home Runs: A. Jones/V. Castilla/J. Franco, 6/11/02 vs. ATL

Three Home Runs, One Inning: R. Chirinos/N. Mazara/J. Profar, 9/2/18 at TEX (1 in 2018)

Four Home Runs, One Inning: C. Everett/T. O'Leary/J. Varitek/M. Burkhart, 7/3/00 vs. BOS

Walk-off Home Run: H. Ramirez, 8/1/19 at MIA (1 allowed in 2019)

Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run: C. Santana, 9/23/11 at CLE (12 all-time)

Leadoff Home Run: C. Tucker, 8/4 vs. PIT, 8/3 vs. PIT (1 allowed in 2020)

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: C. Kluber, 8/14/15 vs. CLE (23 all-time)

One-Hitter: C. Kluber, 8/14/15 vs. CLE (23 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: 13, S. Bieber, 7/30/20 vs. CLE (1 time in 2020)
Complete Game Shutout: L. Giolito, 8/21/19 vs. CWS (1 time in 2019)
Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: J. Williams/Jer. Weaver, 5/1-2/12 at LAA
Back-to-Back Shutouts: 4/6 - 4/8/2015 vs. DET (2 games, 0-4 and 0-11)
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. Reed, 7/28/19 at CWS (2 in 2019)
Three or more Steals, One Game: W. 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

2020 TARGET FIELD WEATHER DELAYS AND POSTPONEMENTS

DATE	DELAYED/PPD	NOTES	
2010: 1 PPD / 1 DEL 2011: 3 PPD / 3 DEL 2012: 1 PPD / 4 DEL 2013: 3 PPD / 4 DEL	2014: 3 PPD / 6 DE 2015: 1 PPD / 3 DE 2016: 3 PPD / 11 E 2017: 4 PPD / 7 DE	L)EL	2018 : 4 PPD / 5 DEI 2019 : 1 PPD / 7 DEI 2020 :

^{**} Target Field has experienced 51 delayed games, 24 postponed games, 1 suspended game and 1 rain shortened game in the park's history (since 2010). Longest delay: 4:50. **

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ate Opponent	Score	W/L	Record	Position	Games Ahead/Games Back	Winner/Lo	
JLY (5-2)	Battin	g: .236 (54-for-229)	Pitching:	5-2-3, 3.34 ERA (62.0 IP, 23 ER)			
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at CWS	14-2	W	2-1	T-1st T-1st	+0.0 +0.0	IVI	aeda/Lópe
STL	6-3	W	3-1	2nd	-0.5	Bailey/Mart	tínez/Rom
STL	3-0	W	4-1	1st	+0.5	Hill/Ponce de Le	
CLE	0-2	L	4-2	2nd	-0.5	Bieber/Berríos	_
CLE	4-1	W	5-2	1st	+0.5	Dobnak/Clevin	ger/Roger
GUST (3-0)		g: .239 (28-for-117)		4-0-3, 1.75 ERA (36.0 IP, 7 ER)			
CLE	3-0	W	6-2	1st	+1.0	Maeda/Carras	
CLE PIT	4-1 5-4	W W	7-2 8-2	1st 1st	+2.0 +2.0	Smeltzer/Ci	ogers/Burd
PIT	7-3	W	9-2	1st	+2.0	Berríos/Mus	
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at KC	6:05 P.M.	FSN/TIBN					
at KC	1:05 P.M.	FSN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com					
at MIL	7:10 P.M. 7:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN FSN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com					
at MIL	6:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN					
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KC	1:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com					
KC	7:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN					
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at KC	7:05 P.M.	FSN/TIBN					
at KC	6:05 P.M.	FSN/TIBN					
at KC	1:05 P.M.	FSN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com					
at CLE	6:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN					
at CLE	6:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com					
at CLE at DET	6:10 P.M. 6:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN FSN/TIBN					
at DET	6:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN					
at DET	5:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN					
at DET	12:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com					
CWS	7:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN					
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CWS OFF DAY	7:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN					
DET	7:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN					
DET	6:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN					
DET	1:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com					
DET	1:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN					
at STL	7:15 P.M.	FSN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com					
at STL	7:15 P.M.	FSN/TIBN					
OFF DAY CLE	7:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN					
CLE	7:15 P.M.	FOX/TIBN					
CLE	3:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com					
at CWS	7:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN					
at CWS	7:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com					
at CWS	7:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN					
at CWS at CHC	1:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN FSN/TIBN					
at CHC	7:15 P.M. 7:15 P.M.	FSN/TIBN					
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2020 PLAYERS (33)

Pitchers: (18) Position Players: (15) Donaldson, Josh if*
Garver, Mitch c*
Gonzalez, Marwin inf/of*
Kepler, Max of*
Polanco, Jorge inf* Romo, Sergio rhp* Smeltzer, Devin lhp* Stashak, Cody rhp* Thielbar, Caleb lhp Thorpe, Lewis lhp* Wisler, Matt rhp* Alcala, Jorge rhp
Bailey, Homer rhp *
Berríos, José rhp*
Clippard, Tyler rhp*
Dobnak, Randy rhp* Hill, Rich Ihp* Littell, Zack rhp* Adrianza, Ehire inf* Arraez, Luis inf* Avila, Alex c* Sanó, Miguel inf* Wade Jr., LaMonte of* Whitefield, Aaron of* Maeda, Kenta rhp* May, Trevor rhp* Poppen, Sean rhp Buxton, Byron of* Cave, Jake of* * - on Opening Day roster Duffey, Tyler rhp* Rogers, Taylor Ihp* Cruz, Nelson dh* Rosario, Eddie of*

2020 PLAYER POOL (24) Pitchers: (7) Position Players: (17) Chalmers, Dakota rhp Clay, Sam Ihp Coulombe, Danny Ihp Duran, Jhoan rhp Adams, Lane of Blankenhorn, Travis if Jeffers, Ryan c Kirilloff, Alex of Rooker, Brent of Telis, Tomas c Tovar, Wilfredo if Gearrin, Cory rhp Colina, Edwar rhp Garton, Ryan rhp Celestino, Gilberto of Larnach, Trevor of Graterol, Juan c Gordon, Nick if Lewis, Royce if Maggi, Drew if Wade Jr., LaMonte of Wiel, Zander if/of Hamilton, Caleb c Reinheimer, Jack if - Twins Taxi Squad trains at CHS Field in St. Paul, Minnesota, home of the St. Paul Saints in the American Association -

TAXI SQUAD (3)

Height: 6-2 Weight: 190 B/T: L/L Age: 26 (6/21/1993 in Knoxville, TN) Acquired: 4th RD 2014 MLB Draft #82 SAM CLAY - LHP ₱ Divided 2019 between Double-A Pensacola and Triple-A Rochester, combined 4-4 record and 3.25 ERA (69.1 IP, 25 ER), with 72 strikeouts, 28 walks and 10 saves in 45 appearances (1 start).
 ₱ His 45 appearances tied for most among Twins minor league pitchers, while his 10 saves tied for third and his 22 games finished ranked third.

#38 CORY GEARRIN - RHP Height: 6-1 Weight: 205 B/T: R/R Age: 33 (4/14/1986 in Chattanooga, TN) Acquired: Signed as ml free agent, 2/16/20

♥ Split the 2019 season between Seattle and New York-AL, going a combined 1-3 with a 4.07 ERA (55.1 IP, 25 ER) in 66 appearances (2 starts)...48 of his 66 appearances were scoreless. ♥ Induced 11 double plays in 2019, tied for third most among AL relievers...his 19.0 double play percentage ranked seventh among qualified AL pitchers.

#S6 TOMAS TELIS - C Height: 5-8 Weight: 220 B/T: S/R Age: 29 (6/18/1991 in El Tigre, VZ) Acquired: Signed as ml free agent, 11/6/19

Played mostly in St.P w/ rest of player pool during Summer Camp...spent entire 2019 w/ AAA Roch., hitting .330 (101-for-306), leading club in BA, 3rd in H, 4th in 2B (21) & TB (150). Twins are third organization (TEX, MIA)...122 ML games, hitting .230 (58-for-252) w/ 8 2B, HR, 24 RBI and .267 OBP...signed with MIN as ml free agent 11/6/19...also plays some 1B.