## MINNESTTA TWINS［31－2l］« CHILAGO CUBS［30－20］

FRIDAY，SEPTEMBER 18，2020－7：15 P．M．（CT）－TV：FOX SPORTS NORTH／RADIO：TIBN，WCCO，THE WOLF
GAME 53
LHP Rich Hill（2－1，3．81）vs．RHP Kyle Hendricks（5－4，3．29）

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| HOME RUNS．．．．．22，Harmon Killebrew， 1959 |
| RBI ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．63，Kirby Puckett， 1994 |
| XBH ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．37，Eduardo Escobar， 2018 |
| RUNS．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．55，Cesar Tovar， 1970 |
| DOUBLES ．．．．．．．28，Chuck Knoblauch， 1994 |
| WALKS．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．70，Eddie Yost， 1956 |
| STOLEN BASES ．．．．．．．．36，Clyde Milan， 1912 |
| WINS ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．14，Walter Johnson， 1913 |
| STRIKEOUTS ．．．．129，Walter Johnson， 1910 |
| STARTS．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．18， 2 Tied |
| GAMES．．．．．．．．．．．．．．38，Mike Marshall， 1979 |
| SAVES．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．21，Glen Perkins， 2015 |

THE TWINS：Have gone 1－3 through four games on their seven－game roadtrip，losing two at a loss yesterday afternoon on the South Side．．．tonight they will begin a weekend series on the North Side against the Cubs．．．the Twins will complete the regular season after this trip with an off day on Monday，two with Detroit Tuesday－Wednesday，an off day on Thursday，then three against Cincinnati next weekend．
玉 The Twins have won 11 of their last 16 games overall but have lost nine of their last 11 away from Target Field．

TWINS LOSE SERIES ON SOUTH SIDE：The Twins lost to the White Sox yesterday afternoon at Guaranteed Rate Field by a score of 4－3，dropping just their fourth series of the season（11－4－2）．． Kenta Maeda was the starter but did not factor into the decision，allowing two runs on five hits in Kenta Maeda was the starter but did not actor into the decision，allowing two rans on ive hith
5.0 innings pitched．．．Tyler Clippard allowed the Sox to take the lead in the seventh inning，losing a 3－2 advantage．．．the offense recorded eight hits，three coming from Byron Buxton，who homered twice，which marked his third career multi－homer game and second of the season．．．Josh Donaldson also added a home run，his fifth of the season．
THE TWINS AND THE NORTH SIDERS：The Twins are 13－17 all－time against the Cubs，including a record of $4-11$ at Wrigley Field．．．they last played the Cubs in the regular season from June 29－July 1， 2018 at Wrigley Field，getting swept in three games．．．during that series，first pitch temps were 96,91 and 93 degrees，respectively．．．the heat index approached 107 for the middle of the three games as Eddie Rosario，Max Kepler and Bobby Wilson were all forced to leave the game due to heat－related illness．
$\Phi$ The Twins＇last regular season win at Wrigley came on June 19，2015，a 7－2 victory as Phil Hughes beat tonight＇s starter，Kyle Hendricks．．．Hughes allowed one run on two hits in 8.0 innings pitched．
历 The Twins first－ever game at Wrigley Field came on September 1，1997．．．Paul Molitor hit third and played first base in that game，going 2 －for－ 4 with a walk and one RBI．．．．also from that game：Cubs radio man Ron Coomer batted fourth and went 1 －for－ 3 ，former Twins bench coach Terry Steinbach batted fifth and went 1－for－4 and Seattle Manager Scott Servais went 2 －for－ 4 for the Cubs．
玉 Twins last visited Wrigley to wrap summer camp，playing an exhibition game on July 22 as the Twins lost，4－3．．．Homer Bailey was issued the loss，allowing four runs on five hits in 3.0 innings pitched．．．Eddie Rosario had two of the Twins＇five hits，including a double．
$\mp$ Twins Senior Director of Communications Dustin Morse worked for the Cubs PR staff in 2002.
क Twins radio stud Cory Provus，who is a Chicago－area native，began his MLB broadcast career in 2007 as the Cubs pre－and post－game show host．．．he also handled play－by－play duties，backing up Pat Hughes during games and anchoring the morning and afternoon drive sportscasts as a reporter for WGN－AM in Chicago．

## KING OF THE HILL：Fast facts on tonight＇s starter Rich Hill：

玉 Hill was drafted by the Cubs in 2002 and made his major league debut at Wrigley Field on
June 15,2005 vs．Florida，pitching 1.0 inning in relief in a $15-5$ Cubs loss to the Marlins（ 3 H ， $2 \mathrm{ER}, 0 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{~K}$ ）．．．struck out Carlos Delgado for his first career strikeout．
क He＇s $11-5,3.81 \mathrm{ERA}$（ $182.0 \mathrm{IP}, 77 \mathrm{ER}$ ）in 33 career games（ 30 starts）at Wrigley．．．his 11 victories are his second most in any park in his career，trailing only his 16 wins at Dodger Stadium．
$\Phi$ He is $48-32$ with a 3.66 ERA（ $686.1 \mathrm{IP}, 279 \mathrm{ER}$ ）in 138 games（ 122 starts）in his career against the National League．
WE＇RE OUT OF THEIR LEAGUE：The Twins are 10－4 this season in Interleague Play，going 3－1 vs．St．Louis，3－1 vs．Pittsburgh and 4－2 vs． Milwaukee．．．Twins have a .714 IL winning percentage，best in the AL and third best in baseball，trailing Los Angeles－NL（11－3，．786）and San Diego（11－4，．733）．．．Cubs rank fourth at 9－5，． 643 ．
$\Phi$ Remaining IL schedule（6 games）：three at Wrigley Field this weekend and three at home vs．Cincinnati September 25－27．．．Twins need one win in these remaining IL games to secure their first winning season against the National League since 2017 （13－7），which would also mark their second winning season in IL play since 2010
$\Phi$ 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 97－111，24th－most IL wins in baseball in that span．
玉 Twins have homered in 34 of their last 37 Interleague games（ 63 home runs in that span）．．．they have 21 homers in 14 IL games this season．
NATIONAL TREASURES：Notable individual numbers in Interleague games：
$\Phi$ Eddie Rosario has five home runs and 13 RBI in 13 games vs．NL opponents this season．．．since the start of last season，he has 11 home Eddie Rosario has tive home runs and is RBI in 13 games vs．NL opponents this season．．．since the star
runs and 28 RBI．．．the 11 homers are tied for third most in baseball while his 28 RBI are tied for 10th．
Funs and 28 RBI．．．the 11 homers are tied for third most in baseball while cis 190 career IL games，Nelson Cruz has 52 home runs，fourth among actives，trailing Albert Pujiols（66），Miguel Cabrera（57）and Edwin Encarnación（54）．．．．Cruz is one of 14 players all－time to hit at least 50 home runs in Interleague Play．．．former Twins Jim Thome（ 64 ），David Ortiz（56）and Torii Hunter（50）are also part of that group．
Ф Josh Donaldson is hitting． 312 （147－for－471）with 26 doubles， 30 home runs， 96 RBI， 96 runs scored and a 966 PSS in 125 career IL games．．． in his last 10 IL games，he is hitting ． 395 （ 15 －for－38）with five doubles，four home runs and 15 RBI．

## RECENT TRANSACTIONS

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LHP Smeltzer recalled

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ABOVE AVERAGE DEFENSE：Per Statcast，the Twins＇four Outs Above Average（OAA）this season are third best in the American League and eighth best in the majors．．．．similarly，the Twins＇infield has accrued five OAA so far，tied with three other clubs for fifth best in the majors．．．Twins outfielders have combined for－1 OAA this season，which brings the team total down to four．
$\Phi$ MLB leaders in defensive runs saved：Colorado＇s Nolan Arenado－13，Chicago－AL＇s Luis Robert－11，Byron Buxton－10，Los Angeles－NL＇s
Mookie Betts－ 9 ，six tied with 8 ．
BIG BUCK HUNTER：Byron Buxton hit his 11th and 12th home runs yesterday afternoon，giving him four homers in his last three games and seven in his last nine games．．．since coming off the 10 －day Injured List on September 1，he is hitting ． 349 （ 15 －for－ 43 ）with two doubles，seven home runs， 12 RBI，an ． 884 slugging percentage，a 1.233 OPS and just seven strikeouts．．．among all AL players this month，he ranks second in slugging，tied for second in home runs and third in OPS．
THE BOMBA SQUAD：After hitting three home runs yesterday，the Twins have hit 81 home runs on the season，sixth most in baseball and third in the AL，trailing New York（88）and Chicago（83）．．．additionally，the Twins＇ 32 home runs this month are third most in baseball，trailing Atlanta （36）and New York－AL（35）．

Needs 1 to reach 100 for career．


LAST TIME OUT: Hill earned his second win of the season in his last start against Cleveland on Saturday, September 12 at Target Field...matched his season high with 5.0 innings of work, while fanning a season-best seven batters, his most K's in a start since also K-ing seven batters on June 14, 2019 vs. Chicago-NL at Dodger Stadium....his 90 pitches in the start also set Hill retired eight of the first 10 batters he faced and struck out the side in the top of the second inning before allowing a homer to José Ramírez to start the fourth inning and a sacrifice fly by Oscar Mercado later in the frame
$\Phi$ Hill's seven strikeouts in the start matched Terry Mulholland (7 on July 8, 2004 vs. Detroit, age 41.121) for the second-highest single-start total in Twins history by a pitcher age 40 or older... Bartolo Colon holds the record, fanning eight batters on August 31, 2017 vs. Chicago-AL at age 44.099

AGAINST THE CUBS: Hill was drafted by Chicago-NL in 2002 and spent the first four years of his major league career with the Cubs (2005-2008)...he's faced his former team just three times since departing the organization in 2009, going 1-0 with a 1.98 ERA (13.2 IP, 3 ER), two walks, 15 strikeouts and a .216 opponent batting average (11-for-51) in those three outings (two starts)...Rich faced the Cubs last season as a member of the Dodgers, leading Los Ange-les-NL to a 5-3 win on June 14, 2019 at Dodger Stadium (7.0 IP, $7 \mathrm{H}, 3$ R/ER, 2 HR, 0 BB, 7 K ).

AT WRIGLEY FIELD: Rich made his major league debut at Wrigley Field on June 15, 2005 vs. Florida, pitching 1.0 inning in relief in a $15-5$ Cubs loss to the Marlins ( $3 \mathrm{H}, 2$ ER, $0 \mathrm{BB}, 2$ KR) in 33 . park in his career, trailing only his 16 wins at Dodger Stadium.
INTERLEAGUE REDUX: Tonight is Rich's third Interleague start of the season, first on the road...he previously faced St. Louis on July 29 and Milwaukee on August 19, going 1-1 with a 4.70 ERA (7.2 IP, 4 ER), four walks and three strikeouts combined in the outings....he owns a career 4-5 record with a 5.36 ERA ( 90.2 IP, 54 ER) in 29 games ( 17 starts) in Interleague Play. Rich has pitched in both the National and American Leagues in his long career...he's 48-32 with a 3.66 ERA ( 686.1 IP, 279 ER) in 138 games ( 122 starts) against the Senior Circuit, compared
to 19-11 with a 4.22 ERA ( 277.0 IP, 130 ER) in 152 games ( 40 starts) against the Junior Circuit.

RICH'S PITCHES: The wiley veteran Hill has thrown six different offerings to opposing hitters this season (four seamer, curve, cutter, slider, sinker, changeup), one fewer than last year's seven (four seamer, curve, cutter, slider, sinker, eephus, changeup)...since 2015, he's primarily relied on his four seamer ( $46.3 \%$ of the time in 2020) and curve ( $43.2 \%$ of the time in 2020)...Hill's repertoire over the years has evolved with his pitching style and age, though Baseball Savant's pitch tracking ability only came into existence in the fourth season of Hill's career (2008)...early on in his career, he relied on his sinker more often, throwing it as much as 42.2 percent of the time in 2012...however, he threw the pitch just seven times in 2019 and has thrown it just 11 times so far in 2020....below is the full breakdown of Hill's pitches so far in 2020, according to Baseball Savant:
PITCH NUMBER (vs. RHB-LHB)/AVG MPH PERCENTAGE
Four Seamer
Curve.....
181 pitches (174-7)/73.0
Cutter....
18 pitches (18-0)/83.5
Slider...
14 pitches $(14-0) / 71.7$..
Changeup.
1 pitch (1-0)/79.8.
ROUbLE WITH THE CURVE: Hill has thrown his curve 43.2 percent of the time this season, his second-most-used pitch so far, behind only his four seamer ( 46.3 percent)...opponents are .229 (11-for-48) off his curve this year... according to Baseball Savant, hilis curve is all piting 18.6 inches of horizontal movement, the most horizontal movement (in inches) among all pitchers who have thrown at least 100 curves this season...those 18.3 inches of movement vs. averches more than similar curves at his velocity-the third-hig
$\Phi$ Hill's four seamer has also climbed the horizontal pitch movement leaderboards lately...his four seamer is averaging 64 percent more horizontal break than similar four seamers at his velocity, the seventh highest percent break vs. average among lefties with at least 100 four seamers thrown so far this season

FIVE-YEAR STRONG: Since 2015, Hill ranks among the major league pitching leaders in a number of different categories (min. 400.0 IP ), including:
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Opponent Slugging Percentage .......................... 345 $\qquad$ ML RANK Opponent Sl
Hits/9.0 IP.
Opponent Batting Average Opponent OPS Earned Run Average Batting Average on Balls in Play.. WHIP Average on Balls in Play.......................2.96... Waserunners per 9.0 IP ......................................................
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HILL ON THE ROAD: Tonight marks just Hill's second road start of the season, with five of his six starts so far coming at Target Field...did not factor into the decision in his last road start on August 25 against the Indians at Progressive Field, despite allowing just one run on four hits in 5.0 innings of work ( $2 \mathrm{BB}, 5 \mathrm{~K}$ )...Twins eventually lost that game. 4-2.

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Innings: 5.0, 4x, last: 9/12 vs. CLE
SO's: 7, 9/12 vs. CLE
Walks: $4,8 / 31$ vs. CWS
Hits: $6,9 / 6$ vs. DET
Home Runs: $1,3 x$, last: $9 / 12$ vs. CLE
Win-Streak: 5, 5/17/19-7/29/20
Win-Streak: 5, 5/171
Loss-Streak: 1, 8/19
Loss-Streak: $1,8 / 19$

## CAREER NOTE5

- 2020 marks his 16th major league season and 19th in professional baseball...the Twins are his 11th different organization, at both the major and minor league levels: Chicago-NL (2002-08) , Baltimore (2009) Boston (2010-12 '15) St Louis (2010) Cleveland (2013), Los Angeles-AL (2014), New York-AL (2016) and Los Angeles-NL (2016-19).
- Since 2016 (min. 400.0 IP ), ranks fourth in baseball in opponent batting average (.207), sixth in ERA (2.96), ninth in WHIP (1.07) and 13th in strikeouts-per-9.0 IP (10.51),
- He's fifth among active pitchers (min. 3250 opponent AB) with a 281 opponent batting average on balls in play (BABIP).
- Surpassed 900.0 career innings pitched in the first inning on May 22, 2019 at Tampa Bay...also struck out his 1,000th career batter on September 24, 2019 at San Diego. - Made his major league debut on June 15, 2005 with Chicago-NL against the Florida Marlins, allowing two runs on three hits and striking out two batters in 1.0 inning of relief. - Selected by Chicago-NL in the fourth round (112th overall) of the 2002 MLB First-Year Player Draft out of the University of Michigan, where he pitched for three seasons from Player Draft
2000-2002.

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| Night: | 2 | 1 | 3.86 |  | 21.0 | 9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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## 6.D-PLUS IP/DUALITY STARTS

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| 2005 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2013 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
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| 2007 | 32 | 22 | 17 | 2015 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| 2008 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 2016 | 20 | 13 | 13 |
| 2009 | 13 | 3 | 3 | 2017 | 25 | 9 | 9 |
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| 2012 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2020 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
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## HILL V5. CHICAGD-NL [REGULAR SEASON]

2019 vs. Chicago-NL ( 1 start): $1-0,3.86$ ERA ( 7.0 IP, 3 ER) 0 BB, 7 SO
2019 vs. Chicago-NL at Home (1 start): 1-0, 3.86 ERA (7.0 IP, 3 ER) $0 \mathrm{BB}, 7$ SO
2019 vs. Chicago-NL on Road (1 start):-
Career vs. Chicago-NL (3 games, 2 starts): 1-0, 1.98 ERA ( 13.2 IP, 3 ER), 2 BB, 15 SO Career vs. Chicago-NL at Home (2 games, 1 start): 1-0, 3.52 ERA (7.2 IP, 3 ER), 0 BB, 9 SO Career vs. Chicago-NL on Road (1 start): $0-0,0.00$ ERA ( 6.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 BB, 6 SO

| BATTER-PITCHER MATCH-UPS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Bryant | . 333 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | Donaldson | . 500 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Hamilton | . 333 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | Rosario | . 667 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Rizzo | . 333 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | Buxton | . 000 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Schwarber | . 000 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | Cruz | . 000 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - |
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OVER THE HILL: Hill's 1.35 WHIP this season is the lowest single-season mark by a Twins/ Senators starting pitcher age $40+$ (min. 5 starts) since Connie Marrero posted a 1.22 WHIP in 20 games ( 10 starts) in 1953 for the Senators...Rich is in his 16th major league season and his 19th overall in professional baseball...... and Nelson Cruz became the first 40 -year-olds to both make the Opening Day roster in Twins history, and are just the fourth pair of 40 -year-olds to play for the Twins at the same time, joining Pat Borders and Terry pair of 40-year-olds to play for the Twins at the same time, joining
Mulholland in 2004, and Clark Griffith and Jack Ryan from 1912-13
$\Phi$ Entering this year, the last MLB team to have multiple 40-year-olds play for it in a single season was the 2017 Atlanta Braves, which featured Bartolo Colon (age 44) and R.A. Dickey (age 42)...the last AL team was the 2016 Boston Red Sox, with David Ortiz (age 40) and Koji Uehara (age 41).

क Hill's 22 strikeouts are seventh most in Twins history (1961-present) by a pitcher 40 or older.... with three strikeouts tonight, he'd match Hall of Famer Steve Carlton (25) for sixth most...all-time, his 1.35 WHIP with the Twins is the lowest mark by a pitcher 40+ in Twins history and fourth lowest in Twins/Senators history.

## TOMORROW'S STARTER - RHP MICHAEL PINEDA [2D2D: 1-0, 3.57 ERA I/ CAREER: 52-Ч6, ч.03 ERA]

Pineda is due to start tomorrow night's contest against the Cubs at Wrigley Field....will mark his fourth start of the season, after being reinstated from the Restricted List on September 1..."Big Mike" last pitched on Sunday, September 13 against Cleveland, allowing three runs on eight hits in 4.2 innings, with one walk and eight strikeouts...marked a season low in innings pitched, as well as his first career start of 4.2 innings or less in which he struck out at least eight batters...the Twins won that game, 7-5, sweeping the Indians...Pineda last faced a National League club on August 1,2019 in Miami, taking a no-decision despite a quality start ( $6.0 \mathrm{IP}, 7 \mathrm{H}, 1 \mathrm{R} / \mathrm{ER}, 1 \mathrm{BB}, 3 \mathrm{~K}$ ) in a $5-4$ Twins loss...he went $1-1$ with a $2.74 \mathrm{ERA}(23.0 \mathrm{IP}, 7 \mathrm{ER}$ ) in four Interleague starts in 2019 and is $8-4$ with a $2.91 \mathrm{ERA}(105.1 \mathrm{IP}, 34 \mathrm{ER})$ in 18 career starts in Interleague Play...this includes two starts against Chicago-NL, going 1-0 with a 2.74 ERA ( 12.0 IP, 2 ER) across those outings.

## TEAM BULLPEN NDTES

$\Phi$ 'Pen has a 2.53 ERA (103.0IP, 29 ER), 238 BAA ( 91 -for-383) and . 659 opponent OPS in 26 home games this season (Twins are $21-5$ at home)...conversely,'pen has 4.93 ERA ( 96.2 IP, 53 ER), 247 BAA ( 94 -for- 378 ) and . 782 opponent OPS in 26 road games (Twins are 10-16 on the road)...'pen ranks 3rd in the majors in home ERA and 18th in road ERA...'pen pitched 5.1 perfect IP Wednesday for the 1 st time since $7 / 21 / 2001$ vs. SEA ( 5.2 IP . 'Pen is 1st in AL/4th in MLB in K/9.0 IP (10.41)...'pen also leads MLB in KBB (3.40), is $7-2$ 2nd in MLB in Saves (16) and 7th in MLB in ERA (3.70)....stranded 42 of 58 inherited runners, good for a $27.6 / 2 \mathrm{IR} \mathrm{SCored} \%$, 4th in MLB. $\Phi$ 'Pen is $5-3,3.35$ ERA' ( 53.2 IP, 20 ER) w/ 17 walks \& 64 strikeouts in last 16 games (Twins are $11-5$ ) in that span...'...pen is $2-2-4 \mathrm{w} /$ a $3.71 \mathrm{ERA}(53.1 \mathrm{IP}, 22 \mathrm{ER}$ ) in 14 G vs. NL Central this season.


|  |  |  |  | TYLER CLIPPARI - R |  |  | \#3 |
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| Height: 6-3 | Weight: 200 | B/T: R/R |  | (1/05 in Lexington, 11 | Acquired: Signed as free agent, 12/20/19 |  |  |
| Roadtrip: | 0-1-0, 11.57 ( | ER), |  | Series at CWS: 0-1-0, 11.5 | ER), $1 \mathrm{~K}, 1 \mathrm{BB}$ | v. Left . 235 | vs. Right 200 |
| क Career 2-0 w/ 9 holds, 2.39 ERA ( 26.1 IP, 7 ER), 9 BB, $28 \mathrm{~K}, .161$ BAA ( $15-$ for- 93 ) in 26 G vs. CHC...last G vs. CHC was $7 / 27 / 2017$ as a member of Chicago-AL <br> T Credited 7th hold of season last night, but also took the loss in $0.2 \mathrm{IP} . . .0 \mathrm{ER}$ allowed in 16 of his first 21 Twins appearances, with $2.91 \mathrm{ERA}(21.2 \mathrm{IP}, 7 \mathrm{ER}), 4 \mathrm{BB}, 21 \mathrm{~K}$ <br> $\Phi$ Has been the Opener in two outings: $8 / 2$ vs. CLE ( 2.0 scoreless IP) and $8 / 11$ at MIL ( $1.01 \mathrm{PP}, 1 \mathrm{H}, 1 \mathrm{ER}, \mathrm{HR}, 2 \mathrm{~K}$ )...has been 0 pener 6 times in career (all last 3 seasons) <br> 2020 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 6 th ( $1 \mathrm{BB}, 1 \mathrm{~K}$ ) and <br> earned a hold while becoming the 25 th pitcher in MLB history to play for 10 franchises... 4 holds, 3.27 ERA ( 11.0 IP, 4 ER) in 11 road $G$ this season. <br> $\Phi$ Has also pitched for NYY (2007, 2016-17), WAS (2008-14), OAK (2015), NYM (2015), ARI (2016), CWS (2017), HOU' (2017), TOR (2018) \& CLE (2019). |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


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| 9/17 at CWS L1/H7 | 0.2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 9/15 at CWS ND | 1.2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 9/12 vs. CLE H6 | 1.0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 9/8 at STL(2) ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 9/5 vs. DET ND | 1.0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 9/4 vs. DET(2) ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| $8 / 31$ vs. CWS BS1 | 0.2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

TYLER DUFFEY - RHP \#\#

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| 9/16 at CWS | H11 | 2.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2. |
| 9/14 at CWS | ND | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| 9/12 vs. CLE | H10 | 0.2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 9/6 vs. DET | BS1 | 1.1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| 9/4 vs. DET(1) |  | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| $8 / 31$ vs. CWS |  | 1.2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| $8 / 29$ at DET(2) |  | 0.2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| $8 / 26$ at CLE | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| 8/22 at KC | H8 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |



TAYLOR ROEERS - LHP \#

Height: 6-3 Weight: 190 B/T: $L / L \quad$ Age: 29 (12/17/90 in Denver, CO) Drafted: 11th round, 2012 Draft Roadtrip: $\quad 0-1-0,54.00(0.1 \mathrm{IP}, 2 \mathrm{ER}), 0 \mathrm{~K}, 2 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series at CWS: 0-1-0, 54.00 ( $0.1 \mathrm{IP}, 2 \mathrm{ER}$ ), 0 K, 2 BB vs. Left 333 vs. Right 313
$\Phi$ Earned 9th save Friday vs. CLE; ranks 5th/T-8th in AL/MLB in saves ( 9 -for-11)...took 4th loss Monday night after 2 ER in 8 th...1st 4 G were scoreless, since then has allowed runs in 7 of 14 games ( 6.39 ERA and . 367 BAA)...appearance Monday marked his seventh outing in a non-save situation this season, \$ 1 career game against Chicago-NL...tossed 2.0IP on 7/1/2018 at Wrigley Field, allowing 2 ER on two hits, 1 BB and 3 K 's ( 9.00 ERA$) \mathrm{w} / .286 \mathrm{opp}$. BA ( 2 -for- 7 ). $\underset{\Phi}{\Phi} 1.50$ home ERA ( $12.0 \mathrm{IP}, 2 \mathrm{ER}$ ) w/ $1 \mathrm{BB}, 14 \mathrm{~K}, .250 \mathrm{BAA}$ ( 12 -for- 48 )...on road, is $0-3-3 \mathrm{w} / 13.50 \mathrm{ERA}(4.2 \mathrm{IP}, 7 \mathrm{ER}), .440 \mathrm{BAA}(11$-for-25) \& 1.241 opponent OPS

## SERGID ROMD - RHP

Height: 5-11 Weight: 185 B/T: R/R Age: 37 (3/4/1983 in Brawley, CA) Acquired: Trade with MIA, 7/27/19 Roadtrip: $\quad 0-0-0,0.00(0.1 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}), 0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series at CWS: 0-0-0, 0.00 ( $0.1 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}$ ), $0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ vs. Left 207 vs. Right. 171 $\Phi$ Charged blown save last night at CWS after allowing 2 IRS ( 0 R)....T-3rd in MLB w/ 10 holds ...4th SV in Sunday's W....opponents are 12 -for-64 (.188) w/ 2 HR, 4 BB \& 19 K $\Phi$ Took loss $9 / 6$ vs. DET after HR in 8 th...allowed 3 ER $8 / 26$ at CLE ( $8 / 26$ )...had allowed 3 ER total in prev. 17 G's....had not allowed 3 ER in a G since $6 / 9 / 19$ vs. ATL ( 4 ER . क Has allowed 1 or fewer BB in 82 of last 86 G...lifetime 1-5 VS. CHC with a 3.28 ERA ( 24.2 IP, 9 ER), 6 SV ( 9 opp.), 7 holds, 6 BB $29 \mathrm{K's}$ and. 198 opp. BA( 18 -for- 91 ). F Has thrown his slider $64.2 \%$ of the time so far in 2020, 3rd highest $\%$ in MLB (min. 250 pitches), trailing only Matt Wisler ( $83.0 \%$ ) and TB's Diego Castillo ( $66.3 \%$ )...opponents are hitting .158 (6- or-38) ofthe pitc... (188),
12th MLB season...currently ranks 4th among actives in holds (188), 4th in games (728) and 13th in saves (133).

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

 Roadtrip: 1-0-0, 0.00 (2.1 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB Series at CWS: 1-0-0, 0.00 (2.1 IP, 0ER), 2 K, 0 BB vs. Left 095 vs. Right 238 $\Phi$ Earned 1 st career win Wedesday with 2.1 perfect $\mathbb{P}$ after Odorizzi left the game; longest perfect outing of career...has never faced the Cubs, but is $0-0$ with a $0.00 \mathrm{ERA}(3.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER})$ vs. the NL Central, all games in $2020 \ldots 10.00 \mathrm{KBB}(40 \mathrm{~K}, 4 \mathrm{BB})$ in career, 2 nd -best mark in baseball since the start of 2019 (min. 30.0 IP ) $\Phi$ On $8 / 1$, 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 189CALEB THIELBAR - LHP \#7R
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 Roadtrip: $\quad 0-0-0,0.00(1.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}), 1 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series at CWS: 0-0-0, $0.00(1.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}), 1 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ vs. Left 214 vs. Right .214
$\Phi$ Pitched scoreless 8 th last night at CWS - 11th scoreless outing of season...earned 2nd W Sunday, but snapped his 11.1 -inning scoreless streak...averaging just 68 .
mph on his curveball this season, 3rd lowest in MLB (min. 250 pitches) (CHC's Alec Mills is 2 nd)....never faced Cubs...is $0-0 \mathrm{w} / 3.00 \mathrm{ERA}(6.0 \mathrm{IP}, 2 \mathrm{ER}$ ) vs. NL Central THis win on $9 / 1$ was his first since May 5,2014 at CLE....at 6 years, 119 days, Thielbar's time between wins in a MIN uniform is the 3rd longest in franchise history

Made 1st MLB appearance since $4 / 30$.

$\begin{array}{llll}\text { MATT W/SLER - RHP } \\ \text { Height: } 6-3 & \text { Weight: } 215 & \text { B/T: R/R Age: } 28 \text { ( } 9 / 12 / 92 \text { in Bryan, OH) Acquired: Claimed off Waivers from SEA, 10/29/19 }\end{array}$ Roadtrip: $\quad 0-0-0,0.00(1.1 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}), 2 \mathrm{~K}, 2 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series at CWS: 0-0-0, $0.00(1.1 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}$ ), $2 \mathrm{~K}, 2 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ vs. Left .074 vs. Right .160 $\underset{\Phi}{\Phi} 0.1$ IP last night, left bases loaded for Trevor May in 6 th (stranded all 3 runners)...7.2 scoreless IP in 4 GS as Opener; 1.84 ERA ( 14.2 IP, 3 ER) in 11 G in relief. \$ Served as Opener in Game $29 / 4$ against DET; 1st Twins pitcher w/ SV \& GS in consecutive outings since Tommy Milone in 2015...earned 2nd career save w/ season w/ at least 4 GS and 1 SV, alongside STL's Kwang Hyun Kim ( 5 GS/1 SV). CLE's Adam Plutko ( 4 GS/ 1 SV) \& NYM's Seth Lugo ( 5 GS/3 SV).
$\Phi 2$ career apps. vs. CHC, both at Wrigley Field...lifetime 0-1 with a 11.57 ERA' ( 2.1 IP, 3 ER), $2 \mathrm{BB}, 4 \mathrm{~K}$ 's and a 222 opp . BA ( 2 -for-9)...throwing his slider


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| 9/14 at CWS | L4 | 0.1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| 9/12 vs. CLE | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 9/11 vs. CLE | S9 | 1.0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 9/7 vs. DET | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| 9/4 vs. DET(1) |  | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 8/31 vs. CWS | L3 | 1.0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 8/24 at CLE | S7 | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| $8 / 23$ at KC | S6 | 1.0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |




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| 9/17 at CWS | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 9/13 vs. CLE | W2 | 0.2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| 9/8 at STL(2) | ND | 0.1 | 0 |  | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 9/4 vs. DET(2) |  | 2.1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| 9/1 vs. CWS | W1 | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| $8 / 30$ at DET | ND | 2.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| $8 / 24$ at CLE | H1 | 1.0 | 2 | , | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| 8/21 at KC | ND | 0.2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |


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| 9/17 at CWS H3 | 0.1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 9/14 at CWS ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 9/12 vs.CLE H2 | 1.1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| 9/8 at STL(1) H1 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 9/4 vs. DET(2) ND | 2.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| 9/1 vs.CWS S1 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| 8/29 at DET(2)ND | 1.2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| 8/23 at KC ND | 2.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| $8 / 17$ vs. KC ND | 2.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 |


| 2020 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 |
| Jorge Alcala | . 308 | 2.91 | 11.22 | 0/1 | 0 | 20.0\% (1/5) | 1.20 | 3 | 0.0 IP (0) | 0.0 PP (0) | 2.0 IP (37) |
| Tyler Clippard | . 353 | 1.66 | 8.72 | 0/1 | 7 | 20.0\% (2/10) | 0.97 | 2 | 0.2 IP (16) | 0.0 IP (0) | 1.2 IP (30) |
| Tyler Duffey | . 000 | 2.66 | 11.95 | 0/1 | 9 | 16.7\% (1/6) | 0.84 | 2 | 0.01 P (0) | 2.01 P (26) | 0.0 IP (0) |
| Trevor May | . 368 | 1.83 | 14.64 | 2/4 | 7 | 9.1\% (1/11) | 1.22 | 5 | 0.2 IP (6) | 1.01 P (17) | 0.01 P (0) |
| Taylor Rogers | . 294 | 1.62 | 10.80 | 9/11 | , | 100.0\% (1/1) | 1.56 | 2 | 0.0 IP (0) | 0.01 P (0) | 0.0 IP (0) |
| Sergio Romo | . 278 | 2.04 | 9.68 | 4/5 | 5 | 66.7\% (2/3) | 0.91 | 2 | 0.1 PP (11) | 0.01 P (0) | 0.0 IP (0) |
| Cody Stashak | . 111 | 2.31 | 11.57 | 0/0 | 3 | 100.0\% (1/1) | 0.86 | 2 | $0.01 P(0)$ | 2.11 P (29) | 0.01 P (0) |
| Caleb Thielbar | . 273 | 4.20 | 11.40 | 0/0 | 1 | 9.1\% (1/11) | 1.27 |  | 1.01 P (21) | 0.0 IP (0) | 0.01 P (0) |
| Matt Wisler | . 143 | 5.64 | 11.28 | 1/1 | , | 33.3\% (1/3) | 1.07 | 2 | 0.1 PP(20) | 0.0 IP (0) | $0.0 \mathrm{IP}(0)$ |

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EHIIRE ADRIANZA - INF [PRONOUNCED AY-RAY AH-DREE-AHN-ZAH] Height: 6-1 Weight: 195 B/T: S/R

- ge: 30 (8/21/89 in Guarenas, VZ O20 A. 0-1 $\begin{array}{ll}2020 \text { Average: } 182 \\ \text { Roadtrip: } & 2-7,2 \mathrm{~B}\end{array}$ $\qquad$
Career 5-for- 37 w/ 4 R, 2B, 4 RBI, 2 SB \& 2 BB in 13 G vs. CHC...career 4 RBI in 8 G at Series at CWs
Home Runs: Wrigley Field...career 0 -for-5 against Kyle Hendricks.
Hitting . 231 ( 6 -for-26) w/ 2 R, RBI \& 3 BB in 9 IL games this season
Became the first \#9 batter in Twins/Senators history with three walks and an extra-base hit in a game on 9/14.
Made defensive appearances at seven different positions in 2019: P (1 game, 0 starts), 1 B (20 games, 12 starts), 2 B ( 7 games, 7 starts), 3 B (24 games, 14 starts), SS ( 24 games, 16
starts), LF (1 games, 0 starts) and RF (6 games, 5 starts)... 21 starts ( $32 \mathrm{~B} / 6 \mathrm{SS} / 123 \mathrm{~B}$ ) in 2020.


## WILLIANF ASTUILLLD - CIIIFIITF <br> Height: 5-9 <br> Age: 27 (10/14/91 in Barcelona, VZ)

2020 Average: .250
Streak: 0-5
and
Career . 429 (3-for-7) w/ R, 3B, 3 RBI \& a 1.143 OPS in only 2 G vs. CHC...both games a Wrigley Filed in 2018...went 0-for-4 on 9/14 and started as C... 6 G (4 starts as C this season) layed in 58 G for the iwins last season, hitting. 268 ( 51 --or-190) 298 , 8 HR, 45 RBI and a 747 OPS in 95 major league games... . 255 (13-for-51) w/ 8 R, 2B, 3B, HR \& 4 RBI in 15 IL games

## ALEX AVILA -

Height: 5-11 Weight: 210 B/T: L/R Age: 33 (1/29/87 in Hialeah, FL) 2020 Average: . 174
$\qquad$
Missed 10 G w/ lower back tightness, before being activated from the 10 -day IL on $9 / 16$, has now appeared in 21 G for the Twins, hitting . 174 (8-for-46) w/ 2B, HR, 2 RBI, 10 BB \& a 606 OPS...he leads the club in games started at C with 17 ( 21 total games played).
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Career 2 -for-10 w/ R, HR, 2 RBI \& a 773 OPS in 3 G vs. CHC (all three G in 2018)
layed his 1,000th career game on 8/6, became 7th active catcher to reach that mark.. 900 career games caught, 8th among actives - next Jeff Mathis ( 907 G ).

## BYRDN BUXTON - DF <br> Height: 6-2 2020 Average: 270

 Weight: $190 \quad B / T: R / R$ Age: 26 (12/18/93 in Baxley, GA) 2020 Average: 270 Streak: $4 \mathrm{~g}, 7-17,4 \mathrm{HR}, 2 \mathrm{~B}, 5$ RBI Series at CWS: $\quad 7-17,4 \mathrm{HR}, 2 \mathrm{~B}, 5 \mathrm{RBI}$ , 4 HR 2B, 5 RBIHas 7 HR in last 5 G (.355/10 RBI/1.452 OPS)...homered twice yesterday (12th this season), has homered in 3 consecutive games for the 2nd time in his career, both this season ( $8 / 6-$ 8/8) \& ( $9 / 15-9 / 17$ )...is now hitting 388 (19-for-49) W/ $12 \mathrm{R}, 2$ 2B, 9 HR, 13 RBI in 13 G on the road this season... career 1-for-9 vs. CHC...career 0-for-2 against Kyle Hendricks. Drove in the game-winning run in the bottom of the 9th inning with an infield single
as in 5th inning on $8 / 1$ for just the 9 th time in carear (61 careor successful steals),
since May 21 no

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\text { ince May 21, } 2019 \text { at Los Angeles-AL...snapped a string of } 6 \text { successful steal attempts. }
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## JAKE CAVE - DF Height: 6-0 Weight: 200 B/T: L/L Age: 27 (12/4/92 in Hampton, VA)

 $\begin{array}{llll}2020 \text { Average: } 219 & \text { Streak: } 1 \mathrm{~g}, 1-4,2 \mathrm{~B} & \begin{array}{l}\text { Series at CWS: } \\ \text { Roadtrip: } \\ \text { 1-4, } 2 \mathrm{~B}\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { Home Runs: }\end{array} \\ 2 \text { (1 1-run, } 1 \text { GS) }\end{array}$Career . 444 ( 4 -for- 9 ) w/ 2 R, 2B, HR \& 2 RBI in 3 G vs. CHC (all G at Wrigley Field in 2018)... had an 11-pitch $A B$ in 2nd inning on $9 / 14$ was longest of his career (previous 10 pitches). Has played in 33 G this season, has started in 24 G (all as 0 F -16 at CF/ 4 at LF/ 4 at RF). Career 224 (15-for-67) w/ 9 R, 4 2B, 2 HR, 9 RBI \& a . 651 OPS in 26 IL games.
Hit a pinch-hit 3B on 9/1, his 5th career 3B....also marked the 1st pinch-hit 3B in the AL this season, as well as the 1st by a Twin since Ehire Adrianza on August 14, 2019 at MIL, also in the 6th inning...also recorded 3rd go-ahead RBI of season on 8/31, surpassing 2019 total (2). Recorded his first outfield assist of the season on $8 / 3$, was the ninth outfield assist of his career and his second from lefttield...it was the Twins' second of seven outfield assists as a team NELSDN CRUZ - DH Height: 6-2 Weight: 230 B/T: R/R Age: 40 (7/1/80 in Las Matas De Santa Cruz, DR) 2020 Average: $320 \quad$ Streak: 3g, 3-11, 2B Series at CWS: $\quad 3-15,2 \mathrm{~B}$

Named Twins nominee 2020 Roberto Clemente Award...career . 286 (12-for-42) W/5 R, 2B, 4 HR, 7 RBI \& a 970 OPS in 14 G vs. CHC...career 0-for-1 against Kyle Hendricks.
Career . 283 (193-for-682) w/ 111 R, 30 2B, 52 HR, 144 RBI 82 BB \& a .924 OPS in 190 IL games. 10 of his 16 HR have traveled at least 410 feet...now hitting . 310 (27-for-87) w/ 18 R, 3 2B, 10 , $19 \mathrm{RBI}, 3 \mathrm{HBP}, 12 \mathrm{BB}$ a 101 .
Ranks T-5th in AL in RC (38), T-16th in GW RBI (4), T-10th in RBI (32), 2nd in OPS (1.040), T-3rd in TB (109), T-8th in H (55), 3rd in OBP (.406), T-11th in XBH (22).
Hit 16 HR th of the season on 9/13...passed Darren Evans (414), now w/ 417 HR for 53rd on Major League Baseball's all-time list....also 8th on Dominican-born players HR all-time list....became 964 when player to homer in both games of a doubleheader 3 times in the same season since 964, when the Twins' Harmon Killebrew and the Indians' John Romano both did so


## JISH DONALISDN - 3B

Height: 6-1 Weight: 220
B/T: R/R Age: 34 (12/8/85 in Pensacola, FL
Roadtrip: ${ }_{2}$ 2-12 HR
Homered yesterday (5th this season) and 4th HR since coming off IL on 9/2...now hitting . 233 (0-for-43) w/ 7 R, 2 2B, 8 RBI \& a . 947 OPS in last 15 G.
career . 174 (8-for-46) w/ 6 R, 2B, HR, 2 RBI \& a . 594 OPS in 13 G vs. CHC...career .312 (147-for-471) w/ 96 R, 26 2B, 30 HR, 96 RBI, 68 BB \& a . 966 OPS in 125 IL games. ( areer 269 (59-for-219) w/ 36 R, 92 2B, 14 HR \& 41 RBI in 63 G vs. NL Central opponents. Hitting .091 (1-for-11) vs. LHP \& . 235 (12-for-51) vs. RHP in 2020.
Career 2-for-4 w/ 2 BB vs. Kyle Hendricks...only 2-for-24 w/ 2B \& 6 BB at Wrigley Field.

MARWIN GDNZALEZ - INFIIF
Height: 6-1 Weight: 205 B/T: S/R Age: 31 (3/14/1989 in Puerto Ordaz, VZ)
2020 Average: . 216 Streak: 4g, 5-13, 2 HR, 5 RBI Series at CWS

Originally signed by the Cubs as a 16-year-old undrafted free agent from Venezuela in 2015 is hitting . 385 ( 5 -for-13) w/ 2 R, 2 HR, 5 RBI in the last 4 G....hit 4th \& 5th HR of the season on consecutive games ( $9 / 12-13$ ) for 5th time in his career...career 4 HR \& 23 RBI VS. NL Central opponents ( 73 G )...is 4th on team in multi-H G (10), 5 th in H (32) and 5 th in BB (16). eached in 27 of 45 games this season (H or BB), posting an OPS of 621.
20 GS at $3 \mathrm{~B}, 4$ at $1 \mathrm{~B}, 13$ at $2 \mathrm{~B} \& 6$ in RF... 987 FPct in 43 starts this season (2 errors).

## RYAN JEFFERS - [

$\begin{array}{llll}\text { I } / \text { AN JEight: } 6-4 & \text { Weight: } 235 & \text { B/T: R/R } & \text { Age: } 23 \text { ( } 6 / 3 / 97 \text { in Raleigh, NC) }\end{array}$
$\begin{array}{lll}\text { 2020 Average: } .283 & \text { Streak: } 1 \mathrm{~g}, 1-3 & \begin{array}{l}\text { Series at CWS: } \\ \text { Hoadtrip: }\end{array}{ }_{1-6, \text { RBI }} \\ \text { Hom Runs: }\end{array}$
Has never played against the Cubs...is 3-for-4 w/R, RBI , BB \& 2 HBP vs. NL Central opponents (2 G)...now hitting. 283 ( 13 -for-46) w/ 5 R, 3 HR, 7 RBI, 4 BB, 2 HBP \& a 844 OPS in 22 G in 2020 Ranks T-2nd in HR (3), T-3rd in RBI (7), T-5th in G (22) \& 4th in hits (13) as a rookie C in the AL Contract selected by the Twins on 8/20 (Garver - IL)....has played in $22 \mathrm{G}-16$ GS (all as C$)$

Currently ranked as the sixth-best prospect in the Twins' organization, per MLB.com.

## MAX KEPLER - DF Height: $6-4 \quad$ Weight: 225 B/T: L/L Age: 27 (2/10/93 in Berlin, Germany) $\begin{array}{lll}2020 \text { Average: } & .204 & \text { Streak: 0-11 }\end{array} \begin{aligned} & \text { Series at CWS: } \\ & \text { Roadtrip: }\end{aligned} \begin{array}{ll}2-15 & \\ \text { Home Runs: } & 7 \text { (51-run, } 12 \text {-run, } 13 \text {-run) }\end{array}$

Career 2-for-10 vs. Cubs (3 G in 2018)...has never faced Kyle Hendricks.
tas 37 R, 11 HR, 41 RBI, 33 BB \& a .734 OPS in 79 IL games in his career.
Reinstated from the Injured List on $9 / 13$ after missing 9 G w/ a left adductor strain, is 2-for-19 W/ 2 BB since return....was the first time he'd been placed on the IL in his career.
Hitting . 105 (4-for-38) against lefties and .240 (25-for-104) vs, righties.
Reached safely in 26 of 40 games via H, BB, HBP... 692 OPS this season ( 40 G)
Has 9 career leadoff homers, 3 this season ( $7 / 24$ at CWS; \& 7/31,8/26 vs. CLE)...5th on Twins all-time list: Brian Dozier - 28, Jacque Jones - 20, Chuck Knoblauch - 14 \& Dan Gladden - 12 Has 9 leadoff HR since start of 2019 (2 in 2020 vs. CLE... 3 other players had hit at least 9 at the

## IORBE POLANLD - 55

$\begin{array}{cccc}\text { Height: 5-11 } & \text { Weight: } 208 \text { B/T: R/R } & \text { Age: } 27 \text { (7/5/93 in San Pedro De Macorís, DR) } \\ \text { \#treak: } 0-6 & \text { Series at CWs: } 1-10, \text { BB }\end{array}$ 2020 Average: 264 Streak: 0-6 Series at CWS: $1-10$, RBI

Only two error this season (46 games played - 385.1 innings -. 986 FPCT)...career . 333 ( 37 -for-111) w/ 13 R, 6 2B, 2 HR, 20 RBI \& 8 BB in 29 G against NL Central opponents.. as career . 297 ( 68 -for-229) w/ 25 R, 13 2B, 3 3B, 6 HR, 32 RBI \& 20 BB in 63 IL games. ting. 261 (23-for-88) W/12 R, 2 2B, 2 HR, 8 RBl, 6 BB \& .658 opS in 23 road G this season.. is leading Twins with 15 multi-hit games this season...ranks T-10th in AL and T-19th in
MLB in multi-hit games this season...went 4 -for-4 out of the leadoff spot on $9 / 4$ (G2)...first and only four-hit effort in 2020
Hitting . 233 (30-for-129) as LHB vs. . 340 ( 18 -for-53) as RHB this season
3rd on Twins in games (48), 2nd in hits (48), T-2nd in 2B (6) \& 2nd in AVG (.264)

## EDDE ROSARID - OF

Height: 6-1 Weight: $180 \quad$ B/T: L/R Age: 28 (9/28/91 in Guayama, PR) \#己口 2020 Average: $251 \quad$ Streak: $2 \mathrm{~g}, 2-7$, HR Series at CWS: 2-10, HR
, 3 2-run, 1 3-run, 1 G
areer 375 (9-for-24) w/ 4 R, 2B, 3B, HR, 2 RBI \& 2 BB in 6 G vs. the Cubs...career . 41 -for-12) W/ 2 R, 2B, HR, 2 RBI \& 2 BB at Wrigley Field (3 games in 2018)
areer . 289 ( 114 -for-395) w/ 75 R, 23 2B, 5 3B, 33 HR, 58 RBI 24 BB \& a . 867 OPS in 103
Hit back-to-back homers with Miguel Sanó in the 8th on 9/12 - the second time the Twins did it in the game....last time it happened twice in a game was 1966, when Rich Rollins and Zoilo ersalles did it first, then Tony Oliva, Don Mincher and Harmon Killebrew in the same inning Ranks T-1st in G (49), 3rd in R (27), 3rd in H (45), T-2nd in 2B (6) \& 4th in HR (11) on team. itting . 325 (13-for-40) w/ 4 2B, 2 HR \& 21 RBI with runners in scoring position in 2020. tas reached via hit or walk in 35 of 49 G this season... 12 multi-hit G are 3rd on Twins. Recorded team-leading 10th multi-RBI game of the season on $9 / 12$ \& his 4th game with at
least three RBI on $9 / 7$ \& is now T-8th in AL in RBI (33).

## MIBJEL SAND - INF

Height: 6-4 Weight: 272 B/T: R/R Age: 27 (5/11/93 in S.Pedro De Macorís, DR
2020 Average: . 220
HR, 2 RBI

## Series at CWS: $\quad 1-12, \mathrm{HR}, 2$ RBI

Career . 281 ( 57 -for-203) w/ 34 R, 15 2B, 13 HR, 37 RBI 30 BB \& a .923 OPS in 55 IL games Has never played against the cubs...T-7th in XBH (24) \& T-10th in HR (12) in the AL. itting 203 (16--tor-79) w/ 4 2B 6 HR 15 RBI \& a .773 OPS in 22 road games this season. Went back-to-back with Eddie Rosario on 9/12... 24 of his 35 hits this season have gone for extra bases ( 12 2B, 12 HR ).
is 458 -foot HR on $8 / 22$ was the 5th-longest HR of his career...his 25.3 barrels/BBE percen is 1st in MLB among qualified players (Baseball Savant).
Played his 500th career game 8/11 at MIL (now 532 G )... 130 career HR, passed Goose Goslin 127)...is now 16th on Twins all-time list, next is Jacque Jones (132).

55 of 94 hits ( $58.5 \%$ ) in 2019 went for extra-bases (19 doubles, 2 triples, 34 home runs).

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$\begin{array}{ll}\text { 2020 Average: } & .258 \\ \text { Roadtrip: } & 1-4,2 B\end{array}$
Streak: $1 \mathrm{~g}, 1-4,2 \mathrm{~B} \quad$ Series at CWS: $\quad 1-4,2 B$
Recalled on 9/5, hitting . 313 (5-for-16) w/ 3 R, 2 2B, HBP \& 4 BB since...made 9 starts this season (2 at LF, 1 at RF, 2 at $1 B$ \& 4 at CF)...hitting . 258 ( 8 -for- 31 ) w/ 3 R, 32 2B, RBI, 4 BB \& a .716 OPS in 13 G this season...has never played against the Cubs...career 1-for-11 w BI \& BB in 4 IL games.


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| MISC. HIEHS AND LDWS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Most Runs, Game (Team)...........................................14, 7/26 at CWS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Most Runs, Inning (Team)...................5, 3x, last 2nd inning, 8/12 at MIL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Most Hits, Game (Team)..............................................15, 8/12 at MIL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Most Hits, Inning (Team).............................. 5, 2nd inning, 8/12 at MIL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Most Strikeouts, Batters (Team) ..................................16, 8/11 at MIL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Longest Hitting Streak (Individual) ........................ 10, Sanó, 8/17-8/26 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Consecutive Hits (Individual) .............4, 2x, last Polanco 9/4 at DET (G1) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Consecutive Hitless At-Bats (Individual) .. 18, 2x, last Gonzalez, 8/29-9/4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Consecutive Scoreless Innings (Batters) ........................... 13, 7/29-30 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Most Runs Allowed (Team)................................10, 2x, last 9/6 vs. DET |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Most Runs Allowed, Inning (Team) ...........................6, 4th inn, 8/8 at KC |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Most Hits Allowed (Team) ........................................... 17, 9/6 vs. DET |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Most Hits Allowed, Inning (Team).......................... 6, 4th inn, 8/8 at KC |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Pitchers Used (Team).................................................. 7, 8/23 at KC |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cons. Batters Retired (Team).....................................21, 8/18 vs. MIL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Scoreless Innings Streak (Team/Pitchers).....15, 7th inn 7/31-3rd inn 8/2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Most Runs, Starter....................................6, Dobnak, 8/29 at DET (G1) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Most Home Runs, Starter ........................2, 3x, last Maeda 9/17 at CWS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Most Walks, Starter...................................4, 4x, last Hill $8 / 31$ vs. CWS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Most Strikeouts, Starter.................................12, Maeda, 8/18 vs. MIL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Most Strikeouts, Pitchers (Team) ................................15, 8/18 vs. MIL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Most Walks, Pitchers (Team)....................................... $7,8 / 19$ vs. MIL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Most Cons. Scoreless Innings (Individual)............. 13.0, Dobnak, 7/25-8/10 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Most Cons. Batters Retired (Individual) ...................21, Maeda, 8/18 vs. MIL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Longest Game, Innings............................................12, $8 / 18$ vs. MIL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Longest Game, Time (9 Inn.)........................................ 3:55, 8/8 at KC |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Longest Game, Time (X Inn.)....................................4:28, 8/18 vs. MIL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fastest Game, Time (9 Inn.) ....................................... 2:37, 8/6 vs. KC |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fastest Game, Time (7 Inn.) ...............................1:45, 9/4 vs. DET (G1) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Largest Margin, Victory............................................12, 7/26 at CWS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Largest Margin, Loss ..................................................7, 7/25 at CWS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Lineups Used ............................................................................ 48 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| STARTS BY PISITION |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | C | 1B | 2B | SS | 3B | LF | CF | RF | DH |
| Ehire Adrianza | 0 | 0 | 3 | 6 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Luis Arraez | 0 | 0 | 29 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Willians Astudillo | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Alex Avila | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Travis Blankenhorn | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Byron Buxton | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 0 |
| Jake Cave | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 16 | 4 |  |
| Nelson Cruz | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Josh Donaldson | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Mitch Garver | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Marwin Gonzalez | 0 | 4 | 13 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 6 |  |
| Ryan Jeffers | 16 | 0 |  | 0 |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Max Kepler | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 37 |  |
| Jorge Polanco | 0 | 0 | 0 | 46 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Brent Rooker | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 |  |
| Eddie Rosario | 0 | 0 |  | 0 |  | 45 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Miguel Sanó | 0 | 46 |  |  |  |  | 0 |  |  |
| Ildemaro Vargas | 0 | 0 |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| LaMonte Wade, Ir. | 0 | 2 |  |  |  |  | 4 | 1 |  |


| SCORE BY INNING |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | XTRA | TOTAL |
| OPPONENT | 19 | 14 | 32 | 23 | 24 | 26 | 19 | 15 | 16 | 0 | 188 |
| TWINS | 30 | 42 | 35 | 29 | 28 | 21 | 20 | 15 | 11 | 2 | 233 |


| INJURED LIST |  |  |  |
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| PLAYER INJURY DATE ON | RETRO | DATE OFF | GAMES MISSED |
| Jake Odorizzi .......... Right Intercostal Strain ................7/23 | ... 7/20.. | ...... 8/8 ..... | ................ 14 |
| Willians Astudillo .... Undisclosed Injury ...................... 7/4 |  |  |  |
| Zack Littell ............. Left Hamstring Strain..................... 8/1 | 7/31.. | 8/13 |  |
| Rich Hill ................ Left Shoulder Fatigue .................. 8/4 | 7/31.. | .. 8/19 | .. 17 |
| Byron Buxton.......... Left Shoulder Inflammation .......... 8/20 |  | . 9/1 |  |
| Homer Bailey.......... Right Biceps Tendinitis................ 8/2 .. | 7/29.. | -...... | 48 |
| Josh Donaldson ....... Right Calf Strain ........................ 8/7 | 8/4... |  |  |
| Cody Stashak ......... Lower Back Inflammation ............. 8/13 | 8/12. | 9/7 |  |
| Mitch Garver ..........Low-Grade Right Intercostal Strain. 8/20 | ............ | ........... | ............... 27 |
| Zack Littell ............. Right Elbow Inflammation ............ 8/22 |  |  |  |
| Jake Odorizzi .......... Chest Contusion ......................... 8/22 |  | 9/16 | 23 |
| Max Kepler ............. Left Adductor Strain .................... 9/4 | 9/3 | 9/13 | ............ 9 |
| Alex Avila............... Lower Back Tightness .................. 9/5 |  | 9/16 | ............. 10 |
| Luis Arraez .............. Left Knee Tendinitis ........................ 9/11 | 9/9 | , | .... 7 |
| Brent Rooker.......... Fractured Right Forearm............. 9/13 |  |  | ................. 5 |

BOLD indicates currently on IL

| EJECTIONS |  |  |  |  |
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| DATE | PLAYER/MG | UMPIRE | REASON | CAREER |
| 8/18 vs. MIL........... | Marwin Gon | ez ............Jeremie Rehak...... | Arguing Balls | rikes........................... 7th |
| 9/15 at CWS........... | ......Rocco Bald | .............Will Little.............. | ... Arguing Balls/ | rikes.......................... 3rd |
| 9/15 at CWS........... | $\ldots . . . . . N e l s o n ~ C r u z ~$ | ..............Will Little............... | ... Arguing Balls | rikes........................... 3rd |
| 9/17 at CWS........... | ......Josh Donald | . .............Dan Bellino ............ | ...Kicking dirt 0 | ome plate.................... 7th |
| 2020 OPENERS |  |  |  |  |
| DATE OPPONENT | PITCHER | LINE (IP-H-R-ER-BB-K-HR) | FINAL SCORE | TEAM RECORD AS OPENER |
| 8/2 vs. CLE | Tyler Clippard | 2.0-0-0-0-0-1-0 | 3-1 | 1-0 |
| 8/11 at MIL | Tyler Clippard | 1.0-1-1-1-0-3-1 | 4-6 | 1-1 |
| 8/17 vs. KC | Matt Wisler | 2.0-0-0-0-1-3-0 | 4-1 | 2-1 |
| 8/23 at KC | Matt Wisler | 2.0-1-0-0-1-2-0 | 5-4 | 3-1 |
| 8/29 at DET (2) | Matt Wisler | 1.2-1-0-0-3-3-0 | 4-2 | 3-2 |
| 9/4 at DET (2) | Matt Wisler | 2.0-0-1-1-0-3-0 | 3-2 | 4-2 |


| STARTS EY BATTING ORDER |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | MOST USED LINEUP [4, ᄅX] |  |
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|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | Player | Pos. |
| Ehire Adrianza | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 5 | 7 | Max Kepler <br> Jorge Polanco | RF |
| Luis Arraez | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 10 | 3 | 2 | Nelson Criuz | DH |
| Willians Astudillo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | Eddie Rosario | $\stackrel{L}{4}$ |
| Alex Avila | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 15 | Luis Arraez | 2 B |
| Travis Blankenhorn | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Miguel Sanó <br> Byron Buxton | $\mathrm{CB}$ |
| Byron Buxton | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 12 | 8 | Alex Avila | C |
| Jake Cave | 0 | 1 | - | 0 | 4 | 5 | 8 | 6 | 0 |  |  | Nelson Cruz Josh Donaldson Mitch Garver Marwin Gonzalez Ryan Jeffers Max Kepler Jorge Polanco Brent Rooker Eddie Rosario Miguel Sanó Ildemaro Vargas LaMonte Wade, Jr.

## HITTING:

Hit for the Cycle: J. Polanco, 4/5/19 at PHI (11 all-time)
Grand Slam: Rosario, 8/10/20 (2 as a team in 2020)
Inside-the-Park Home Run: B. Buxton, 9/15/20 at CWS (1 as a team in 2020, 55 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, 8 th inning, $8 / 2 / 19$ 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: B. Buxton, 9/17/20 at CWS (7 as team in 2020
Three-Home Run Game: N. Cruz, $8 / 3 / 19$ vs. KC ( 3 as as team in 2019,12 all-time)
Back-to-Back Home Runs: E. Rosario/M. Sanó, 9/12/20 vs. CLE ( 3 as team in '20) Three Consecutive Home Runs: N. Cruz/E. Rosario/C. Cron, 4/26/19 vs. BAL ( 1 in 2019) Three Home Runs, One Inning: C. Cron/J. Polanco/N. Cruz (2nd), 8/3/19 vs. KC (5 in 2019) Four Home Runs, One Inning: S. Mack/K. Puckett/K. Hrbek/H. Bush, $5 / 2 / 92$ at NYY Pinch-Hit Walk-Off Home Run: M Sano $85 / 19$ vs ATI ( 10 all-time
Leadoff Home Run: J. Polanco, $9 / 4 / 20$ vs. DET (G1) ( 4 as a team in 2020)
Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game: J. Polancol/J. Donaldson, 9/4/20 vs. DET (G1) 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)
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: B. Radke ( 10.0 innings), $9 / 21 / 97$ vs. MIL
$10+$ Strikeouts: 12 , Maeda, $8 / 18 / 20$ vs. MIL ( 1 as a team in 2020 )
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) (4 times since 1961)

## 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, 8/19 vs. MIL (1 in 2020)
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 CL
Home Run in First MLL At-Bat: E. Rosario, $5 / 6 / 15$ vs. OAK (1st PA, 1st pitch)

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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)
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: 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: M. Pinina, 8/11/20 (3 allowed in 2020)
Three-Home Run Game: J. Donaldson, $8 / 28 / 16$ at TOR
Back-to-Back Home Runs: J. Soler/S. Perez, 8/8/20 at KC (2 allowed in 2020)
Three Consecutive Home Runs: A. Jones/N. Castilla/J. Franco, 6/11/02 vs. ATL
Three Home Runs, One Inning: N. Lopez/J. Soler/S. Perezz $8 / 8 / 20$ at KC (2 in 2020)
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 MLA (1 allowed in 2019)
Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run: C. Santana, $9 / 23 / 11$ at CLE (12 all-time)
Pinch-hit, Walk-Off Home Run: C. Santana, $9 / 23 / 1$ at CLE (10
Leadoff Home Run: V. Reyes, $9 / 5 / 20$ vs. DET ( 4 allowed in 2020)

Last Pitcher to Hit Home Run: Jon Lester, $7 / 1 / 118$ 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)
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 , S. Bieber, $8 / 25 / 20$ at CLE (2 times in 2020, both by Bieber)
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: J. Gyorko, 8/12/20 at MIL (1 in 2020 )
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
Home Run in First ML At-Bat: C. Richard, 7/17/00 vs. STL





