## MINNESDTA TWINS [7-15] at [LEVELAND INDIANS [11-II]

TUESDAY, APRIL 27, 2021 - 1:10 P.M. (ET) - TV: YOUTUBE / RADIO: TIBN, WCCO, THE WOLF
$\qquad$ LHP J.A. Happ (1-0, 1.69) vs. LHP Logan Allen (1-3, 6.28)
ROAD GAME 13
UPCOMING PROBABLE PITCHER5 \& BRDADCAST SCHEDULE

| Date | Opponent |
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| $4 / 29$ | OFF DAY |
| $4 / 30$ | vs. Kansas City |
| $5 / 1$ | vs. Kansas City |
| $5 / 2$ | vs. Kansas City |

Probable Pitchers
RHP Michael Pineda (1-1, 2.42) vs. TBA

Time Television

## SEASON AT A GLANCE

Under Baldelli (since '19): Home Record: Road Record: : Record in series: Record in home series: Record in road series: Series Openers: Rubber Games: Rubber Games:
Sweeps/Swept: April:.... April:..
May:....
June:.. July: .....
September/October: Day Games: . Night Games:
vs. American League East:
vs. American League Central:
vs. American League
vs. National
vs. Nationa League:..
Games vs. LH Starter:
Games vs. RH Starter
Twins score first:
Opponent scores first:
Come-from-behind wins
Leading after 7/8 inn.:
Trailing after $7 / 8$ inn.:
Extra-innings.
Extra-innings:
Twins out-hit opp.
Opp. out-hit Twins:
Twins/Opp. have = hits:
Run Differential:.
Twins get Quality Start:
Twins starter goes $6+\mathbb{P}$
Most games over .500:
Most games under .500
Longest win-streak:
Longest losing-streak:
When Twins score 3
Twins get 10+ hits:..
Days in First Place...
Days in Second Place
Days in Third Place..
Days in Fourth Place
Days in Fifth Place..
Walk-Off W/L:
Shutouts W/L:
Complete Games:
Attendance High:
Attendance Average
Attendance Average:.................. 8,651
Target Field Sellouts - 2021/All-Time:... $5 / 178$

## RECENT TRANSACTIDNS

4/26 SS Simmons reinstated from COVID IL IF Gordon optioned to Taxi Squad
4/25 LHP Smeltzer optioned to alternate site RHP Stashak recalled from alternate site
4/23 IF Sanó placed on 10-day IL
IF Blankenhorn optioned to alternate site
C Telis returned to alternate site
IF Gordon recalled from alternate site
IF Lin contract selected
OF Kirilloff recalled from alternate site
4/21 IF Riddle placed on COVID IL C Telis contract selected
4/20 LHP Thorpe added as 27th man OF Garlick placed on COVID IL
OF Kepler placed on COVID IL
LHP Thielbar placed on COVID IL
OF Rooker reinstated from 10-day IL
IF Blankenhorn recalled from alternate site
RHP Farrell contract selected

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THE TWINS: After losing two of three to the Pirates over their three-game series last weekend the Twins began a short roadtrip in Cleveland with consecutive losses the last two nights... today they will play the three-game series finale before traveling to Minneapolis to enjoy an off-day tomorrow....on Friday they will begin a seven- game homestand with three against Kansas City (April 30-May 2) and four against Texas (May 3-6)...the Twins are 3-7 at home this season and 4-8 on the road.

POWER UP AND LOG ON: For the third consecutive season Major League Baseball is airing games via YouTube in 2021...today's game marks one of 21 scheduled broadcasts across baseball this season...the broadcasters today will be Scott Braun, LaTroy Hawkins, Jim Thome and Jon Morosi.
TWINS FALL AGAIN: The Twins lost to Cleveland last night by a score of 7-4, losing their fifth series of the season and dropping a season-low eight games below . 500 ... Kenta Maeda was the starter and loser, allowing five runs on eight hits in 5.2 innings pitched, including three solo home runs...the offense recorded eight hits, two apiece from Byron Buxton, Nelson Cruz and Jake Cave...Cruz hit his first triple since 2018 and Buxton homered for the seventh time this season.....by comparison, the Twins didn't lose their 15th game of 2020 until their 35th game played.
CRUZIN' AROUND THE DIVISION: Since joining the Twins prior to the 2019 season, Nelson Cruz has hit 349 (133-for-381) with 21 doubles, 41 home runs, 103 RBI, 46 walks, a .732 slugging percentage and a 1.155 OPS in 102 games against the American League Central... here are his home runs and OPS by AL Central opponent in that span: CLE - 6 HR/. 730 OPS, CWS - 11 HR/1.328 OPS, DET - 9 HR/1.089 OPS, KC - 15 HR/1.448 OPS.
TWINS AND CLEVELAND: The Twins are playing the Indians for the third of 19 meetings in 2021...they went 7-3 against the Tribe last season...their next series after this one will be back at Progressive Field for three games over a weekend from May 21-23.
$\Phi$ Nelson Cruz has 26 career home runs against Cleveland in 98 games...he has 13 career home runs in 48 games at Progressive Field....he has homered seven times in his last 18 games in this ballpark.
ฐ Jorge Polanco is hitting. 307 (39-for-127) with 10 doubles, two triples, seven home runs, 22 RBI and a .914 OPS in 32 career games at Progressive Field.
THE LEFTORIUM: The Twins are facing a left-handed starter for the ninth time this season, going 2-6 in their previous eight when a lefty starts...today marks their first time facing a Cleveland left-handed starter since Ryan Merritt on August 17, 2017...through 21 games this season they are hitting .243 ( 54 -for-222) with 12 doubles, three home runs, 18 walks and a . 648 OPS against lefties...below is how the last five seasons against lefties compare in a few offensive categories:


Omar Naryáez, MI.
FIRST IS BEST: Hitting and pitching numbers in the first inning this season:
$\Phi$ Twins are hitting. 360 ( 32 -for- 89 ) in the first inning, tops in the majors and 33 points ahead of the next-closest team (Milwaukee 327)...Twins own the second-best first-inning team on base percentage in the majors this season (.388, behind Chicago-AL, .394).. the top four individual spots in the lineup batting averages: 319 ( 29 -for- 91 ) from the leadoff spot, .233 (20-for-86) from the two spot, .276 (24-for-87) from the three spot and . 282 (24-for-85) from the clean-up spot.
$\Phi$ Twins pitchers have allowed just three first-inning runs this season, fewest in the majors (next: Toronto and Oakland, six each) and good for an MLB-best 1.23 ERA (22.0 IP, 3 ER) in the first this year...Twins pitchers are holding opposing hitters to an MLB-low . 111 batting average (8-for-72) in the opening frame this year and just two of the eight hits have gone for extra bases (one homer, one double)...Twins have also allowed just 13 total baserunners in the first inning all year, fewest among all MLB teams.
NO BROOMS: The Twins are looking to avoid being swept for the second time this season, the other occurred in three games at Oakland April 20-21...they were swept just twice last season, August 7-9 at Kansas City (3 games) and August 29-30 at Detroit (3 games)...las time they were swept by the Indians came in four games at Target Field from June 16-18, 2017...last time they were swept at Progressive Field came in three games August 29-31, 2016.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: Major League Baseball announced yesterday that the postponed games between the Angels and Twins, originally scheduled for April 17-18 at Angel Stadium, will be made up as a traditional doubleheader beginning at 1:07 p.m. (PT) on Thursday, May 20, which was originally an off-day for both clubs...the Twins will be finishing a six-game homestand, fly to Southern California for the two games, then travel to Cleveland for three.

ON THIS DAY: Former Twins pitcher Pedro Ramos was born on this day in 1935 in Pinar del Rio, Cuba...Ramos began his 15-year caree with the Senators and started the first game in Minnesota Twins history, tossing a complete-game shutout against New York-AL, on April 11, 1961...he also pitched for Cleveland from 1962-64.

| UPCOMNG MILESTONES |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| PLAYER | CURRENT NO. | MILESTONE WITHIN REACH |
| Rocco Baldelli.. | . 144 wins. | Needs 6 to reach 150 for career. |
| Alex Colomé. | .393 strikeou | Needs 7 to reach 400 for career. |
| Nelson Cruz .. | .424 home runs | Needs 1 to pass Edwin Encarnaci |
| Mitch Garver. | . 195 hits .... | Needs 5 to reach 200 for career. |
| Jorge Polanco... | . 49 home run | Needs 1 to reach 50 for career. |



ד Making his fourth start of the season．．．marks his 302nd career start and 328th appearance． $\Phi$ Is making his eighth appearance and seventh career start against Cleveland．．．is 3－2，4．19 ERA （34．1 IP， 16 ER）vs．the Indians．


LAST TIME OUT：Carried a no－hitter into the eighth inning of his 2－0 victory over Pittsburgh on April 23 at Target Field，the longest no－hit bid of his career and his first win in a Twins uniform．．． pitched 7.1 hitless innings before allowing a one－out double to Jacob Stallings in the top of the eighth．．．marked the first time in his career that he allowed only one hit over 7.1 innings．．． Tyler Duffey（ 1.0 IP ）and Taylor Rogers（ 0.2 IP ）finished the remainder of the game，combining for the 19th one－hitter in Twins＇history（second this season）．
$\Phi$ Twins snapped a four－game losing streak with that 2－0 win over the Pirates last Friday
night．．．Happ takes the hill today again trying to bring a halt to his team＇s four－game skid．
TWO STARTS AGO：Made his first Target Field start as a Twin on April 13 in the first game of the series vs．Boston．．．tossed 4.2 innings，allowing two runs on four hits（ 1 HR ），with one walk and three strikeouts in a no－decision．．．．worked 4.0 scoreless innings and retired the first two batters he faced in the top of the fifth frame before allowing two runs on three hits，including a Hunter Renfroe solo shot and departing with the game tied 2－2．

CLEVELAND ENCOUNTERS：Today marks Happ＇s eighth appearance and seventh career start against Cleveland．．．is $3-2,4.16$ ERA（ 34.1 IP， 16 ER）with 10 walks and 28 strikeouts．．． last faced the Indians on July 23， 2017 at Progressive Field，allowing nine hits and seven runs over 6.0 innings and receiving his second career loss to Cleveland．．．has not yet recorded a win at Progressive Field．．．is $3-0,1.80$ ERA（ $25.0 \mathrm{IP}, 5 \mathrm{ER}$ ），five walks and 22 strikeouts against Cleveland in four career starts at home，compared to $0-2,10.61$ ERA（ $9.1 \mathrm{IP}, 11 \mathrm{ER}$ ）in three career games（two starts）at Progressive Field．

AL CENTRAL COMPETITION：Happ has spent 10 seasons of his career in the American League and seven seasons in the National League．．．this year marks his first time playing for a team in the AL Central．．．is 18－15，4．87 ERA（249．2 IP， 135 ER）in 47 appearances（44 starts）against the division throughout his career．

RISP AND NO REWARD：Happ held opposing hitters to a 156 opponent batting average（ 5 －for－ 32）with runners in scoring position last season．．．his BAA in scoring situations ranked second among American League starting pitchers（min． 30 opp．at－bats），trailing only TEX＇s Lance Lynn （．145），and ninth among all major league starting pitchers．．．yielded just two extra－base hits in scoring situations all season（2B on Sept． 3 at NYM and HR on Sept． 25 vs．MIA）
$\boldsymbol{\Phi}$ Happ is holding opponents to 1 －for－8（．125）with runners in scoring position through his first three starts of the season．．．opponents are also hitting just ． 188 （2－for－16）against him with runners on base．

A DIFFERENT 300 CLUB：Happ＇s last start was the 301st of his career．．．．he is one of 11 active pitcher to reach the 300 －start plateau，joining：Zack Greinke（464），Justin Verlander（454），Jon Lester（423），Ervin Santana（385），Max Scherzer（373），Clayton Kershaw（359），Adam Wainwright 331），David Price（311），Johnny Cueto（311）and Madison Bumgarner（300）
$\Phi$ Has made at least 10 starts against 11 of 30 Major League Baseball teams．
PITCH SELECTION：After featuring five pitches last season，Happ seems to be sticking with what works for him．．．．here is Happ＇s 2021 repertoire，according to Baseball Savant
PITCH
NUMBER（vs．RHB－LHB）／AVG MPH $\qquad$ PERCENTAGE
Four seamer．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． 142 pitches（118－24）／90．2
Sinker．
77 pitches $(61-16) / 87.7$
Slider．．．．．．．．
.47 pitches（ $40-7$ ）／83．2．
Curveball．．．
.3 pitches（3－0）／83．6
Changeup．．
.2 pitches（2－0）／85．7．．．


## 2020 NOTES：

\＄Spent third season with New York－AL，his second full season with the Yankees．
Set season－high in strikeouts on September 8 at Toronto，fanning 10 batters in 6.1 innings．．． marked his 11th career double－digit strikeout game and sixth on the road．．．also marked his third career start of at least 10 strikeouts in less than 7.0 innings．
$\Phi$ Set season high in innings pitched on September 19 at Boston，pitching 8.0 shutout innings with four hits allowed，no walks and nine strikeouts．．．marked just his third career start with no walks in at least 8.0 innings
क Did not allow more than four earned runs in any start．
$\Phi$ Ranked second on club in innings pitched（49．1）and fourth in strikeouts（42）
$\Phi$ Led all American League left－handed pitchers with a ． 208 opponent batting average （minimum 45.0 IP），while ranking second in WHIP（1．05）and sixth in opponent OPS（．655）．
क Appeared in relief in Game 2 of the American League Division series on October 6 vs．Tampa Bay and was dealt the loss，allowing four runs on five hits in 2.2 innings pitched．
玉 Signed a one－year deal with Minnesota on January 22， 2021.
SPRING RECAP：Missed the start of spring training due to COVID－19．．．went 1－1，9．35 ERA（8．2 IP， 9 ER ）with three walks and seven strikeouts in three games（2GS）in spring play．．．cleared to return to action and made his first official Grapefruit League appearance on March 15 at Atlanta．

| 20ㄹ HIGHS | CAREER HISHS |
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| CG＇s：－－ | CG＇s： 4 ，last：8／30／10 vs．STL |
| SHO＇s：－－ | SHO＇s： 3 ，last：8／30／11 vs．STL |
| CG Low Hit－ | CG Low－Hit：2，8／30／10 vs．STL |
| Innings：7．1，4／23 vs．PIT | Innings： $9.00,3 x$ ，last：8／30／10 vs．STL |
| SO＇s：4，4／6 at DET | SO＇s：12，877114 vs．BAL |
| Walks： $3,4 / 6$ at DET | Walks：7，2x，last：5／2／13 vs．BOS |
| Hits： $4,4 / 13$ vs．BOS | Hits： $11,2 \mathrm{2x}$ ，last：6／23／19 vs．HOU |
| Home Runs：1，4／13 vs．BOS | Home Runs：3，10x，last：8／9／19 at TOR |
| Win－Streak：1，4／23 vs．PIT | Win－Streak：11，6／11－8／17／16 |
| Loss－Streak：－－ | Loss－Streak：7，5／19－7／7／11 |

## CAREER NDTEG

－Ranks fourth among active left－handed pitchers in wins（124）and starts（301），while is fifth in innings pitched（1757．1）and seventh in strikeouts（1549）．
－Pitched a career best of 7.1 hitless innings on April 23,2021 vs．Pittsburgh．Left the game allowing only one hit over 7.1 innings，marking the 19th one－hitter in Twins＇pitch－ ing history and second this season．
－Made his 300th career start April 13,2021 vs．Boston
－In 2020，led all American League left－handed pitchers with a 208 opponent batting aver－ age（minimum 45.0 IP），while ranking second in WHIP（1．05）and sixth in opponent OPS （．655）．．．did not allow more than four earned runs in any start
－Has made 12 Opening Day rosters with six teams：Philadelphia（2009－10），Houston（2011） 12），Toronto（2013，＇16－18），Seattle（2015），New York－AL（2019－20）and Minnesota（2021）． 12），Toronto（2013， $16-18$ ），Seattle（2015），New York－AL（2019－20）and Minnesota（202）
 －Made his 300th career major league appearance and 275th career start on June 23，2019 －Made his 30
－Vs．Houston．
－Compiled a career－best 19．1－inning scoreless streak from August 26－September
2019，the AL＇s eighth－longest scoreless streak in 2019 and longest by a Yankee．
－Finished sixth in 2016 AL Cy Young Award voting after going 20－4，3．18 ERA for Toronto
and tying for the second－most wins in baseball．．．．marks his only career 20 －win season and is one of just seven pitchers in the majors（and one of two southpaws）with a 20 －win campaign in that span．
－Finished second in 2009 BBWAA NL Rookie of the Year balloting to Florida＇s Chris Coghlan．．．．appeared on all 32 ballots，receiving 10 first－place votes．．．．won the 2009 Play－ ers＇Choice Award for NL Outstanding Rookie．．．named 2009 NL Rookie of the Year by The Sporting News．
－Selected by Philadelphia in the third round of the 2004 First－Year Player Draft out of Northwestern University．．．debuted for the Phillies on June 30， 2007

## 20ㄹ MISC．NUMEER5

|  |  |  | ERA | G／GS | IP | ER | AVG | H | AB | HR | BB | So |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Home： | 1 | 0 | 1.50 | 2／2 | 12.0 | 2 | Vs．Left：． 000 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| Road： | 0 | 0 | 2.25 | 1／1 | 4.0 | 1 | Vs．Right： 174 | 8 | 46 | 1 | 5 | 7 |
| Day： | 0 | 0 | 3.12 | 2／2 | 8.2 | 3 | Totals：． 145 | 8 | 55 | 1 | 6 | 10 |
| Night： | 1 | 0 | 0.00 | 1／1 | 7.1 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Grass： | 1 | 0 | 1.69 | 3／3 | 16.0 | 3 | None On：． 128 | 5 | 39 | 1 | 4 | 4 |
| Turf： | － | － |  | －－1－ | －．－ | － | Runners On： 188 | 3 | 16 | 0 | 2 | 6 |


| 6．D－PLUS IP／ЏUALITY STARTS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| YEAR | STARTS | $6+$ IP | QS | YEAR | STARTS | 6＋IP | QS |
| 2007 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2015 | 31 | 18 | 16 |
| 2008 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 2016 | 32 | 23 | 21 |
| 2009 | 23 | 16 | 14 | 2017 | 25 | 16 | 14 |
| 2010 | 16 | 9 | 9 | 2018 | 31 | 28 | 15 |
| 2011 | 28 | 14 | 11 | 2019 | 30 | 8 | 8 |
| 2012 | 24 | 15 | 14 | 2020 | 9 | 3 | 3 |
| 2013 | 18 | 5 | 5 | 2021 | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| 2014 | 26 | 18 | 13 | TOTALS | 301 | 167 | 147 |

MORE 20ᄅ MISCELLANEOUS NUMBERS
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HAPP：
PE RUNNERS PICK－OFFS

## 202 RUNS／HITS PER INNING

| INNING： | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ | $\mathbf{4}$ | $\mathbf{5}$ | $\mathbf{6}$ | $\mathbf{7}$ | $\mathbf{8}$ | $\mathbf{9}$ |
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| RUNS／HITS： | $0 / 0$ | $0 / 1$ | $0 / 1$ | $1 / 2$ | $2 / 3$ | $0 / 0$ | $0 / 0$ | $0 / 1$ | $-/-$ |

## happ vg．cleveland［regular season］

## 2017 vs．Cleveland（1 start）： $0-1,10.50$ ERA（ $6.0 \mathrm{IP}, 7 \mathrm{ER}$ ）， $3 \mathrm{BB}, 3 \mathrm{~K}$

2017 vs．Cleveland at Home
2017 vs．Cleveland on Road（ 1 start）：0－1，10．50 ERA（ $6.0 \mathrm{IP}, 7 \mathrm{ER}$ ）， $3 \mathrm{BB}, 3 \mathrm{~K}$
Career vs．Cleveland（7 games， 6 starts）：3－2， 4.19 ERA（ $34.1 \mathrm{IP}, 16$ ER）， $10 \mathrm{BB}, 28 \mathrm{~K}$
Career vs．Cleveland at Home（4 starts）：3－0，1．80 ERA（ $25.0 \mathrm{IP}, 5 \mathrm{ER}$ ）， 5 BB， 22 K
Career vs．Cleveland on Road（3 games， 2 starts）：0－2，10．61 ERA（9．1 IP， 11 ER）， 5 BB， 6 K

## BATTER－PITCHER MATCH－UPS

| Happ vs．the Indians |  |  |  |  |  |  | Allen vs．the Twins |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| PLAYER | AVG | AB | H | HR | BB | SO | PLAYER | AVG | AB | H | HR |  |  |
| E．Rosario | ． 308 | 13 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | Has not | any | tive T |  |  |  |  |
| J．Ramírez | ． 143 | 7 | 1 | 0 |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Hernandez | ． 000 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Bauers | ． 200 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A．Rosario | ． 500 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Pérez | ． 000 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

POSTSEASON CAREER：Has reached the Postseason six times with three differen clubs：Philadelphia（2008－09），Toronto（2016）and the Yankees（2018－20）．．．is 1－4 with a 5.86 ERA（ $27.2 \mathrm{IP}, 36 \mathrm{H}, 18 \mathrm{ER}, 16 \mathrm{BB}, 26 \mathrm{~K}, 6 \mathrm{HR}$ ）in 15 career postseason ap－ pearances（4 starts）．．．earned his lone Postseason win in 2016 ALDS Game 2 at Texas （5．0 IP，1 ER）．．．in 11 Postseason appearances as a reliever，has posted a 4.97 ERA （12．2 IP， 14 H， 7 ER， 11 BB， 11 K， 4 HR）．．．won the 2008 World Series with Philadelphia but did not pitch in the World Series vs．Tampa Bay．．．made two relief appearances for the Phillies in the 2009 World Series vs．the Yankees（2．2 IP， 1 ER）

## TEAM BULLPEN NDTE5

$\Phi$ The Twins bullpen is 1-8-4, 4.95 ERA (76.1 IP, 42 ER), $30 \mathrm{BB}, 89 \mathrm{~K}, 13 \mathrm{HLD}$ and a 246 BAA in 22 games this season...'pen started w/ 2.64 ERA in first 8 but has 6.50 ERA in last 14 games (since $4 / 11$ ). $\Phi$ 'Pen is T-4th in AL w/ 13 holds and T-8th in MLB... pen has allowed 20 of 33 inherited runners to score ( $60.6 \%$ ), 2nd most in MLB behind LAA ( 24 IRS)... 5 blown saves rank T-3rd in AL $\Phi$ 'Pen has a $2.97 \mathrm{~K} / \mathrm{BB}$ ratio ( $89 \mathrm{~K}, 30 \mathrm{BB}$ ), good for 4th in AL and 8th in MLB...averaging $2.78 \mathrm{BB} / 9$.
$\Phi$ 'Pen recorded its first home save of the season Friday night and is 1-for-3 in save opportunities at Target Field...'pen is 0-5-3, 5.19 ERA (43.1 IP, 25 ER), 19 BB, $52 \mathrm{~K}, .240 \mathrm{BAA}(40-f o r-167)$ in 12 road games this year, compared to 1-3-1, $4.64 \mathrm{ERA}(33.0 \mathrm{IP}, 17 \mathrm{ER}), 11 \mathrm{BB}, 37 \mathrm{~K}$ and a $254 \mathrm{BAA}(32$-for-126) in 10 home games.

## JUREE ALCALA - RHP <br> Height: 6-3 <br> Age: 25 (7/28/95 in Bajos De Haina, DR) <br> Acquired: Trade with HOU, 7/27/18

Weight: 205
Roadtrip: © Owns a 185 opponent on-base percentage this season T -13th best among AL relievers ( min 20 pp )
$\Phi$ Has 2 career appearance vs. CLE, last night and 8/25/20 at Progressive Field (L, 1.0 IP, 3 H, 3 R/ER, 1 BB, 1 HR, 1 K).
$\Phi$ Made 2 consecutive appearances (4/11 \& 4/13) in 9th inning; 1st time pitching in 9th in consecutive G since $9 / 21 / 19$ \& 9/26/19, his first career appearances...fastball is averaging 96.7 MPH this season and has thrown the 10 fastest pitches by MIN pitching this year.
© Right-handed batters are 0-for-16 against him this season...left-handed batters are hitting . 364 (4-for-11) w/ 3 HR and 6 RBI.

## ALEX CDLDME - RHP

Height: 6-1 Weight: 225 Age: 32 (12/31/88 in Santo Domingo, DR) Acquired: Signed as FA, 2/12/21
Roadtrip: $\quad 0-1-0,40.50$ ( 0.2 IP, 3 ER), $2 \mathrm{~K}, 3 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series at CLE: $0-1-0,40.50$ ( 0.2 IP, 3ER), $2 \mathrm{~K}, 3 \mathrm{BB}$ vs. Left . 467 vs. Right 217
$\Phi$ Allowed 2 R in 8th last night; 1st time in career allowing 2 R in less than 1.0 inning of work...took L Monday night, allowing 5th career walk-off
HR allowed, 1st since 9/14/19 at CWS (0. Narváez in 10th)...has allowed at least 1 run in 6 of 9 games and in 5 of last 6 .
$\Phi$ Is 1-2-8 (8-for-8 in SVO), 2.34 ERA ( 34.2 IP, 9 ER), 158 BAA (19-for-120) in 19 career $G$ vs. CLE... 158 BBA vs. CLE is his 2 nd lowest against any single opponent in his career (min. 10 opp. AB)...pitched 5.0 scoreless IP vs. CLE in 2020 ( $1 \mathrm{SV}, 2 \mathrm{H}, 1 \mathrm{BB}, 1 \mathrm{HB}, 3 \mathrm{~K}$ ).
Earned second save $4 / 7$ in Detroit, his 2 nd career 2.0 -inning save (also, $5 / 24 / 16$ at MIA)...on $4 / 1$ at MIL ( 0 pening Day), recorded 1st BS since 8/28/20; became 1st MIN RP to record BS while allowing 0 ER, 1 HB and at least 2 H since Terry Leach on $8 / 15 / 1990$.
$\Phi$ LHB are hitting . 467 (7-for-15), while RHB are hitting . 217 ( 5 -for-23)...opponents are batting . 313 ( 5 -for-16) off him with RISP.

## RANDY IDBNAK - RHP

$\begin{array}{lll}\text { RANDY DDBNAK - RHP } \\ \text { Height: 6-1 Weight: } 230 & \text { Age: } 26(1 / 17 / 95 \text { in South Park, PA) Acquired: Signed as undrafted FA, 7/28/17 }\end{array}$ Roadtrip: $0-0-0,0.00$ ( $0.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}$ ), $0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB}$ Age: 26 (1/17/95 in South Park, PA) Is 0-3, 10.61 ERA (9.1 IP, 11 ER) in 5 games this season Series at CLE: $0-0-0,0.00$ ( 0.0 IP, 0ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left 313 vs. Right 346 $\Phi$ Made MLB debut on $8 / 9 / 19$ vs. CLE, pitching 4.0 scoreless IP 6 a relief career-high 5 runs in 2 different outings ( $4 / 5$ at DEI \& $4 / 16$ at LAA) made 3 starts (1-1, 2.25 ERA, $12.0 \mathrm{IP}, 3 \mathrm{ER}$ )...has a career 4.09 ERA ( $11.0 \mathrm{IP}, 5 \mathrm{ER}$ ) and is 2 -for- 2 in 4 career relief app. vs. AL Central.
$\Phi 3$ of 5 appearances have been 2.0 -plus IP and 2 have been 3.0 -plus... 2 relief $G$ of $3.0+\mathbb{I P}$ is T-1st in MLB w/ 9 others.
$\Phi$ Earned 2nd career save 4/5 at DET, working final 3.0 innings....became 2nd pitcher in Twins/Senators history to allow 5 ER \& earn save (D. Goltz, 6/6/1973 at CLE, 3.0 IP/8 ER)...allowed walk-off H in 10th on 4/1; 1st MIN pitcher to work 0.0 IP, 0 ER \& take loss since R. Mahay, 4/28/2010. © Signed five-year contract extension $3 / 29$ with three club options for 2026, 27 \& '28.
$\Phi$ In 2020, led MLB w/ $62.1 \mathrm{~GB} \%$ (min. 45.0 IP ) and 9 GIDPs were T-3rd most in AL.

## TYLER DUFFEY - RHP

Age: 30 (12/27/90 in Houston, TX)
Acquired: 5th Round, 2012 Draft Height: 6-3 Weight: 220
Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 9.00 (1.0 IP, 1 ER), $1 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB}$
Roadtrip: $\quad 0-0-0,9.00$ (1.0 IP, 1 ER), 1 K, 0 BB Series at CLE: $0-0-0,9.00$ ( 1.0 IP, 1ER), 1 K, 0 BB vs. Left 267 vs. Right. 111
$\Phi$ Yielded game-tying HR to J. Ramírez in 8th Monday night, for his 1st BS of season.... has blown each of his last 5 save opportunities, dating back to $8 / 5 / 19$ vs. ATL.... 6 of 8 appearances this season have been scoreless but has allowed runs in 2 of his last 4 outings.
क HR allowed Monday night was his first since $8 / 29 / 20$ at DET...has 7 BB and 5 H allowed this season in 7.0 IP, posting a 1.71 WHIP
$\Phi$ Is 0-1, $4.01 \mathrm{ERA}(24.2 \mathrm{IP}, 11 \mathrm{ER}$ ) in 22 career relief G vs. CLE... 8 of last 9 vs. CLE have been scoreless since $7 / 14 / 19$ ( $9.1 \mathrm{IP}, 3 \mathrm{H}, 1 \mathrm{R}, 2 \mathrm{BB}, 11 \mathrm{~K}$ ).
$\Phi$ Since start of 2020, is $1-1,2.32$ ERA ( $31.0 \mathrm{IP}, 8 \mathrm{ER}$ ) w/ 14 holds, 13 BB \& 38 K ; 24 of 30 appearances have been scoreless in that span. $\Phi$ LHB are hitting 267 (4-for-15) with 2 BB and 4 K while RHB are hitting . 111 ( 1 -for-9) w/ 5 BB and 3 K .
$\Phi 2021$ arsenal: Curveball $-57.1 \%$, $4-$ Seam FB $-39.7 \%$, Sinker $-3.2 \%$... $35.5 \%$ Whiff and $16.7 \%$ PutAway on Curveball.

## HANSEL RDBLES - RHP <br> Height. 6-0 Weight. 220


Roadtrip: $0-0-0,0.00$ (1.1 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 1 BB
Acquired: Signed as FA, 12/29/20
$\Phi$ Entered in 6th Monday night and stranded his 1st IR of season...Monday marked 1st G of more than 1.0 IP this season... 7 of 9 appearances this
season have been scoreless...leads Twins 'pen in games ( $9, \mathrm{~T}-1$ st w/ Colomé) and holds (5)...ranks T -1st in AL in holds (5) and is $\mathrm{T}-7$ th in MLB.

- Owns 6 career relief appearances vs. CLE, w/ 1.69 ERA ( 5.1 IP, 1 ER), 5 BB, 4 K , . 125 BAA (2-for-16)...is 2-2-6 ( 6 -for-8 in SVO), 2.81 ERA ( 32.0

IP, 10 ER ), $15 \mathrm{BB}, 29 \mathrm{~K}, .195 \mathrm{BAA}$ (22-for-113) in 28 career relief app. vs. AL Central.
क Has opponent AVG of 107 (3-for-28) and WHIP of 0.84...LHB hitting . 133 (2-for-15) while RHB hitting . 077 (1-for-13).
\$ 2021 arsenal: Changeup - $56.1 \%$, 4-Seam Fastball - 29.7\%, Slider - 8.8\%, Sinker - $5.4 \%$
$\Phi$ Went 0-2, 4.91 ERA (11.0 IP, 6 ER) w/ 16 H, 3 HR, 2 BB \& 12 K in team-leading 11 games in ST...5th career OD roster, first with MIN.

Acquired. 11th Round 2012 Dist
Roadtrip: $\quad 0-0-0,0.00$ (1.0 IP, 0 ER ), $1 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Age: 30 (
$\Phi$ Allowed 2 H in a scoreless 9 th Monday night...has not allowed an ER yet and 7 of 8 appearances have been scoreless, w/ just 1 unearned
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run allowed ( $4 / 10$ vs. SEA)...earned 1st save of season Friday night...marked 4th career save of 0.2 IP or fewer, first since $9 / 16 / 19$ vs. CWS.
¢ Owns 1.13 ERA ( 24.0 IP, 3 ER) in 21 career G at Progressive Field....since 2016, has 2nd-lowest ERA by any pitcher at Progressive Field
Owns $1.13 \mathrm{ERA}(24.0 \mathrm{IP}, 3 \mathrm{ER}$ ) in 21 career G at Progressive Field...since 2016, has 2nd-lowest ERA by any pitcher at Progressive Field
(min. 20.0 IP ), behind only E. Santana - 0.38 ...is 2-1-10 ( 10 -for-11 in SVO), 1.93 ERA ( $46.2 \mathrm{IP}, 10 \mathrm{ER}$ ), $9 \mathrm{BB}, 51 \mathrm{~K}$ in 44 career G vs. CLE.
Has opponent BA of . 242 ( 8 -for- 33 ) w/ 0.96 WHIP...LHB hitting .250 ( 3 -for-12) w/ 2 2B and RHB hitting . 238 ( 5 -for-21) w/ 12 B.
$\Phi$ Has opponent BA of 242 ( 8 -for-33) w/ 0.96 WHIP...LHB hitting .250 (3-for-12) w/ 2 2B and
$\Phi$ Has appeared 1 x in 6 th inning, 2 x in 7 th inning, 1 x in 8th inning, 4 x in 9 th inning-or-later.
$\Phi$ Has appeared $1 x$ in 6th inning, $2 x$ in 7th inning, $1 x$ in 8th inning, 4x in 9th inning-or-later.
$\Phi$ Leads Twins in games since '16 (287) and most saves since '19 (40)...3rd in AL in games since '16 (most among lefties).

## CDITY STASHAK - RHP

## Height: 6-2 Weight: 180

Acquired 13th Round 2015 Draft

$\Phi$ Issued 2 BB but recorded final out of 7 th last night...marked 1st career appearance w/ 2 BB has posted 10.50 ERA ( 6.0 IP, 7 ER) in 8 appearances this season...his $19.50 \mathrm{~K} / 9.0$ IP ratio ( $13 \mathrm{~K}, 6.0 \mathrm{IP}$ ) is 2nd among MLB RP (min. 6.0 IP) (A. Chapman, 21.86).
$\Phi$ Has 7 career appearances vs. CLE, posting 3.18 ERA (5.2 IP, 2 ER), 4 BB, 6 K, 2 HLD.
$\Phi 4$ of 8 appearances have been 1.0 inning, 4 of 8 have been less than 1.0 inning...has allowed $R$ in 4 of 8 outings (multiple $R$ in 2 of 8 ).
Entered in 6th $4 / 11 \mathrm{vs}$. SEA, hitting a batter for 2nd time in career ( $8 / 31 / 19$ )... $3+\mathrm{K}$ in back-to-back $\mathrm{G} 4 / 6$ \& $4 / 11$ for 1 st time in career
allowed $2+R$ for 4th time in career 4/6 at DET (last $8 / 8 / 20$ ) and issued BB in consecutive appearances for 1st time in career, 4/4-4/6.

## CALEE THIELBAR - LHP

Age: 34 (1/31/87 in Northfield, MN)
0 BB
Series at CLE: $0-0-0,0.00$

Height: 6-0 Weight: 205 0 BB $\Phi$ Entered w/ 1 on, 2 out in 6th last night and allowed 2B to Bauers... has allowed 8 of 9 inherited runners to score this season, T-1st in MLB. - Ranks T-5th among MLB relievers in strikeouts (19)...also ranks 3rd in AL...has struck out multiple batters in 6 of 7 G this season...his 19.00 K/9.0 IP ratio (19 K, 9.0 IP) is 3rd among MLB relievers (min. 6.0 IP), behind A. Chapman (21.86) and C. Stashak (19.50).
$\Phi$ Is 2-0, 1.62 ERA (16.2 IP, 3 ER), $9 \mathrm{BB}, 17 \mathrm{~K}$ in 20 career games vs. CLE...this includes 1-0.2.08 ERA (8.2 IP, 2 ER ) in 10 career G at Progressive Field.
$\Phi$ Tied career high w/ 3 ER 4/16 at LAA (done 4x, last 4/20/15 at KC); GS by J. Upton was 1st allowed in career...matched career high w/ 5 K in G2 4/14 vs. BOS (also, $4 / 6$ at DET)...has struck out 19 of 40 batters faced (48\%).
$\Phi 2021$ arsenal: 4-Seam Fastball - 43.9\%, Slider - 38.4\%, Curveball - 17.7\%.

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| 4/27 at CLE | ND | 0.1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 4/25 vs. PIT | ND | 2.0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 5 |
| 4/20 at OAK(1) | )ND | 0.2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| 4/16 at LAA | ND | 0.1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 4/13 vs. BOS | ND | 1.0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| $4 / 11$ vs. SEA | ND | 0.2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| $4 / 8 \mathrm{vs}$. SEA | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 4/4 at MIL | ND | 2.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |



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| $4 / 23$ vs. PIT | H2 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| 4/22 at OAK | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 4/14 vs. BOS(2) | ND | 0.1 | 1 |  | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| 4/10 vs. SEA | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 4/6 at DET | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 4/3 at MIL | H1 | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
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| 4/22 at OAK | H5 | 0.2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 4/20 at OAK(2) |  | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 4/15 vs. BOS | H4 | 0.2 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| 4/11 vs. SEA | H3 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 4/7 at DET | H2 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 4/6 at DET | L1 | 0.2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
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| 4/23 vs. PIT | S1 | 0.2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 4/22 at OAK | H3 | 2.1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| $4 / 15$ vs. BOS | BS1 | 0.1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| $4 / 10$ vs. SEA | L1 | 2.0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 4/6 at DET | ND | 1.0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
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| 4/11 vs. SEA | H2 | 1.0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
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| $4 / 25$ vs. PIT | ND | 1.0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| 4/16 at LAA | ND | 0.1 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| 4/14 vs. BOS(2) | ND | 2.1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 5 |
| 4/11 vs. SEA | H1 | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| $4 / 8 \mathrm{vs}$. SEA | ND | 1.1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
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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 | . 143 | 1.13 | 11.25 | 0/0 | 2 | 42.9\% (3/7) | 0.63 | 3 | 0.1 IP (12) | 0.0 IP (0) | $2.0 \mathrm{PP}(29)$ |
| Alex Colomé | . 375 | 5.19 | 10.38 | 2/5 | 0 | 0.0\% (0/0) | 1.96 | 2 | 0.2 IP (30) | 0.0 IP (3) | 0.0 IP (0) |
| Randy Dobnak | . 200 | 1.93 | 4.82 | 1/1 | 0 | 0.0\% (0/0) | 1.71 | 2 | 0.0 IP (0) | 0.0 IP (0) | 0.0 IP (0) |
| Tyler Duffey | . 167 | 9.00 | 9.00 | 0/1 | 3 | 66.7\% (4/6) | 1.71 | 1 | 0.0 IP (0) | 1.0 IP (22) | 0.0 IP (0) |
| Hansel Robles | . 125 | 4.32 | 9.72 | 0/0 | 6 | 0.0\% (0/1) | 0.84 | 0 | $0.0 \mathrm{IP}(0)$ | 1.1 IP (24) | $0.0 \mathrm{IP}(0)$ |
| Taylor Rogers | . 375 | 0.96 | 10.61 | 1/2 | 3 | 100.0\% (5/5) | 0.96 | 0 | $0.0 \mathrm{IP}(0)$ | 1.0 IP (20) | 0.0 IP (0) |
| Cody Stashak | . 286 | 6.00 | 19.50 | 0/0 | 3 | 0.0\% (0/3) | 2.00 | 1 | 0.1 IP (15) | 0.0 IP (0) | 0.2 IP (19) |
| Caleb Thielbar | . 571 | 1.00 | 19.00 | 0/0 | 2 | 88.9\% (8/9) | 1.44 | 3 | 1.0 IP (12) | 0.0 IP (0) | 1.0 IP (26) |

## LUIS ARRAEZ - IF Height: 5-10 Weight: $175 \quad$ B/T: L/R 23 (4/9/97 in San Fe

 2021 Average: 284 Streak: 0-4क Career . 266 ( 21 -for-79) w/ 6 R, 5 2B, 3B, 6 RBI, 7 BB \& a 676 OPS in 22 G vs. CLE....went 0 -for-4 yesterday now 1 -for- 8 this series 250 ( 6 -for- 24 ) w/ 3 R 2B \& RBI in last six games © Career . 279 ( 12 -for-43) w/ 3 R, 3 2B, 2 RBI, 3 BB \& . 675 OPS in 11 G at Progressive Field. $\Phi$ Recorded his third career OF assist 4/20 (G2) \& first since September 19, 2019 vs. KC.
क Hitting .306/.375/.333 (11-for-36) w/ 4 R, 2B, 3 RBI and 4 BB in last 10 games since $4 / 15$.
$\Phi$ Second on Twins with 86 PA , 2nd in hits (21) and 3rd in total bases (26).
$\Phi$ Career games by position including 2021: 2B-91 G, 3B-29G, LF - 26 G, SS - 8 G
© Career 353 (42-for-119) hitter out of the top spot in the batting order....he has now reached base 32 times in 86 plate appearances this season, good for a . 372 OBP ( 21 games).
$\Phi$ Hitting . 352 (19-for-54) w/ . 435 OBP in 14 games batting first this season.

## $\begin{array}{llll}\text { WILLIAN5 ASTUIILLD - C/IF/DF } & \text { \#84 } \\ \text { Height: 5-9 Weight: } 225 \quad \text { B/T: R/R Age: } 29 \text { (10/14/91 in Barcelona Anzoategui, VZ) }\end{array}$ <br> B/T: R/R <br> $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Series at CLE: } & 1-5, \mathrm{RBI} \\ \text { Home Runs: } & 1 \text { (1-run) }\end{array}$

क Hitting . 280 ( 14 -for-50) w/ 2 R, 2 2B, HR, 7 RBI \& a . 655 OPS in 17 games this season.. career .303 ( 10 -for-33) w/ 7 R, 3 2B, 2 HR, 5 RBI, HBP \& a .909 OPS in 11 G vs. CLE...wen 1-for-4 last night w/ RBI...hit first HR of the season $4 / 23$ vs. PIT, marked his 9th career HR first since $9 / 12 / 20$ vs. CLE... 5 of his 9 career HR have come with two outs... homered off a pitch that was 4.24 feet above the ground, marking the highest pitch hit for a HR this season and highest in the majors since September 2019 (Josh Naylor, 4.40 feet on September 15 Ons) .i. mas 2nd careere is P $4 / 16$ at LAA (last 7/14/18 vs. TB) threw a angs)...made 2nd career appearance as P on 4/16 at LAA (last $7 / 14 / 18 \mathrm{vs}$. TB) threw a 4 Career 289 (28-for-97) vs IHP (50
Career .289 ( 28 -for- 97 ) vs. LHP ( 50 games) \& career .294 ( 74 -for- 252 ) vs. RHP ( 103 games)
1st player in Twins history 5-9 or shorter w/ at least 20 career $G$ at first base.
BYRON BUXTON - IF
Height: 6-2 Weight: $212 \quad B / T: R / R$
2021 Average:
Roadtrip:
$\begin{aligned} & 3-4, \mathrm{HR}\end{aligned} \quad$ Streak: $2 \mathrm{~g}, 3-8, \mathrm{HR}, 2 \mathrm{RBI}$
Age: 27 (12/18/93 in Baxley, GA
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { Series at CLE: } & 2-4, \text { HR } \\ 7 \text { Home Runs: } \\ 7 \text { (4 1-run, } 32 \text {-run) }\end{array}$
$\Phi$ Returned to the lineup last night after missing a game w/ with right knee patella tendinitis... went 2 -for-4 w/ 2 R, HR, RBI...now career 15 R, 3 2B, 7 HR, 18 RBI \& 5 SB in 46 G vs. CLE E Entered today T-3rd in XBH (13) in MLB, T-1st in AL and T-4th in HR (7) in MLB ...his 3 games

\& OPS (1.276)...also T-1st in HR (7), 2nd in R (12), \& 2nd in RB (13).
Enters today in 99th percentile in barrel \% and 99th percentile in hard hit \%, and in 96th
Entered today 7th in xw0BA (493) in ML
1st in today 7th in XW0BA (.493) in MLB...also ranks 19th in sprint speed ( $28.9 \mathrm{ft} / \mathrm{sec}$ )...
st
Sit safely in each of his 1st $10 \mathrm{G}(4 / 1-4 / 20$ ) 5 2B, 5 HR, 10 RBI \& a 1.199 OPS in 13 games trailing only his 12-game streak from 8/10-21/17.

## JAKE CAVE - DF $\left.\begin{array}{l}\text { Height: } 6-0 \text { Weight: } 200 \text { B/T: L/L Age: } 28 \text { (12/4/92 in Hampton, VA) }\end{array}\right)$ \#G0 2021 Average: 182 <br> Streak: 2g, 3-8, 2B $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Series at CLE: } & \begin{array}{l}\text { 3-8,2 } \\ \text { Home Runs: } \\ 1\end{array} \\ \text { (1 1-run) }\end{array}$

क Career . 310 (22-for-71) w/ 6 R, 5 2B, 2 HR, 8 RBI \& a .794 OPS in 26 G vs. CLE...career .313 ( 15 -for- 48 ) w/ 4 R, 4 2B, 2 HR, 7 RBI \& a .854 OPS in 14 G at Progressive Field....went 2-for-4 w/ 2B last night...hitting . 353 (6-for-17) w/ 3 R, 3 2B, HR, 2 RBI BB \& a 1.095 OPS in last 5 games...doubled twice on 4/24, recorded an RBI in two-straight games (4/23-24). Career def. positions: 123 in CF, 74 in RF \& 31 in LF... 212 G in 0 F since July of ' 18 , 3rd most on team $\Phi$ Career .260 ( 95 -for-366) w/ 61 R, 17 2B, 3 3B, 18 HR, 54 RBI, $9 \mathrm{HBP}, 28 \mathrm{BB}$ \& a $.795{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{OPS}$ vs. AL Central

## NELSIN CRIUZ - DH

Height: 6-2 Weight: $230 \quad B / T:$ R/R Age: 40 (7/1/80 in Las Matas De Santa Cruz, DR)

© Went 2-for-4 w/ 2 R, 3B \& RBI last night, has a hit in 15 of his last 18 games (.324, 22 B, 3B 7 HR, 15 RBI \& a 1.056 OPS)...hit 1st triple since 6/24/18 last night and became th oldest player to triple in CLE since Hall-of-Famer Eddie Murray (40.081) on May 15, 1996 $\Phi$ Hitting 329 ( 23 -for-70) w/ 15 R, 2 2B, 3B, 7 HR, 16 RBI \& a 1.049 OPS in 21 G this season $\Phi$ Entered today T-2nd in MLB in HR (7) \& 10th in OPS (1.023)...also 5th in SLG (.667) and 13th in AVG (.318) in the AL.

- Entered today ranked 5th in barrels/PA (15.6\%) \& 12th in xwOBA (.461) in MLB.
- At 40 years \& 300 days old, became the oldest Twins player last night with a triple since a

42-year-old Paul Molitor on September 13, 1998...1st triple since June 24, 2018.
$\Phi$ Leads baseball in home runs since 2014 with 267 ...ranks T-52nd w/ E. Encarnación on
MLB all-time list in homers with 424, next is Billy Williams (426) and Mike Piazza (427)
$\Phi$ First player in Twins franchise history to hit three HR over his first two starts of the season.

## JOSH IONALISDON - 3b

Height: $6-1 \quad$ Weight: $210 \quad$ B/T: R/R Age: 35 (12/8/85 in Pensacola, FL) 2021 Average: 314 Weight: $210 \quad B / T: R / R$
Streak: $0-7$ Series at CLE: 0-7

क Went 0-for-4 last night, 0-for-7 in last two games...career . 300 ( $54-$ for-180) w/ 38 R, 7 2B, 12 HR, 41 RBI, 28 BB \& a . 958 OPS in 47 G vs. CLE.
© Hitting . 271 (26-for-96) w/ 23 R, 2 2B, 9 HR, 24 HR, 21 BB \& a .995 OPS in $26 G$ at Progressive Field...career . 313 (265-for-846) w/ 173 R, $542 \mathrm{~B}, 43 \mathrm{~B}, 66 \mathrm{HR}, 191 \mathrm{RBI}, 133 \mathrm{BB}$ \& a 1.031 OPS in 233 games vs. AL Central teams
$\Phi$ Hitting .314 (11-for-35) w/ 4 R, 2B, HR, 4 RBI, 3 BB \& a .788 OPS in 11 games this season.
$\Phi$ Batting 294 (10-for-34) in 10 games since being reinstated from the 10-day Injured List (since 4/14)...Twins are 1-9 since
Signed largest free agent contract in Twins history on 1/22/20-4 years, \$92 million

## MITCH GARVER - [

¢ 216 G (183 GS/1664.1 Inn.) as C with . 993 FPct. Has a 86.1 SB\% ( 99 SB/16 CCS)
$\Phi 216$ G (183 GS/ 1664.1 inn.) as C with . 993 FPct. Has a $86.1 \mathrm{SB} \%$ (99 SB/ 16 CCS). 2 HR, RBI in 15 games at Progressive Field... is 0 -for-11 in last 4 games (since, 4/21).
$\Phi$ Hit his 2nd HR of the season on 4/8, it was the second-longest home run of his career and it marked the first three-run homer for the Twins this season...it was his 41st career homer as a catcher, fourth most in club history, trailing Joe Mauer (91).
$\Phi$ Went 0-for-3 last night...now 1-for-18 in last six games with a double and 11 strikeouts (since 4/20/21).

## RYAN JEFFERS - [


© Did not play last night, career . 250 (3-for-12) w/ 2 R, 2 HR, 3 RBI, BB \& a 1.058 OPS in 6 G VS. CLE...1-for-7 at Progressive Field...has never faced Logan Allen.
© Started his 10th game of the season as $C$ on $4 / 26$...Twins are $3-7$ when he starts as $C$ this season ( 84.2 Innings)...is now 5 -for-34 (.147) with a 2B, 3 R, RBI, 3 BB \& 18 K this season. $\Phi$ Caught 25 games, making 18 starts; 25 starts marked the most of the club in 2020
क Hit . 273 (15-for-55) w/ 3 HR, 7 RBI, 5 BB \& . 355 0BP in 26 G in 2020.
$\Phi$ Started 18 games at catcher last season, all in the Twins' final 35 games... 25 total games

## ALEX KIRILLDFF - DF/IB

Height: 6-2 Weight: 195 2021 Average: 0.091
Roadtrip:
$2-8,2 \mathrm{~B}, \mathrm{RB}$ $\qquad$ Age: 23 (11/9/97 in Pittsburgh, PA
$\Phi$ Recorded 2 nd regular season hit last night and recorded 1st RBI, went 1-for-4...is now 2-for-22 w/ 2B \& RBI in 7 games this season...recalled from the alternate site for 2nd time this season on 4/23...club's No. 2-ranked prospect per MLB.com.
$\Phi$ Made his first career regular season appearance on $4 / 14$ as PH/LF and went 0 -for- $3(1 \mathrm{~K})$ afte making his ML debut in Game 2 on AL Wild Card series vs. HOU last season... went 1 -for- 4 and became first player in baseball history to record a Postseason hit before a regular season hit game, joining Kansas City's Adalberto Mondesi (2015 WS) and Oakland's Mark Kiger (2006 ALCS) - first player to ever start.

## TZU-WEI LIN - IF [PRONOUNCED ZOD-WAY]

Height: 5-9 Weight: 180 B/T: L/R Age: 27 (2/15/1994 in Kaohsiung County, Taiwan) 2021 Average: $000 \quad$ Streak: $0-0$ Series at CLE: $\quad 0-0$
Home Runs:
© Contract selected on 4/23...appeared defensively on 4/27 (LF), became the first Taiwaneseborn player in Twins/Senators history to play for the franchise (since 1901).
© Hit . 300 (6-for-20), w/ 4 R, 3 2B, HR, 2 RBI and 4 BB in 17 ST games for MIN in 202
© Only four career G vs. CLE, 3-for-6 w/ 3 R, 2B, HR, 2 RBI \& BB (all three games in 2018). Has appeared in 101 games across 4 major league seasons w/ BOS...signed by MIN as ml free agent 11/19/20.

## JORGE PDLANCD - IF <br> Height: 5-11 Weight: 208 B/T: S/R Age: 27 (7/5/93 in San Pedro De Macorís, DR) 2021 Average: 192 Streak: $0-3$, RBI Series at CLE Home Runs:

Did not play last night...career . 259 (62-for-239) w/ 19R, 12 2B, 43B, 7 HR, 30 RBI, 17 BB \& a 739 OPS in 63 G vs. CLE....career . 307 (39-for-127) w/ 15 R, 10 2B, 2 3B, 22 RBI' \& . 914 OPS in 32 G at Progressive Field....all 7 HR against CLE have been here.
Went 4 -for- 6 last Wednesday at OAK, 1 H shy of career high...3rd career G w/ 4 singles (also 9/4/2020 \& 5/19/19).. reached base safely twice in a game for just the sixth time this season on 4/25, batting . 278 (10-for-36) w/ 2B, 4 RBI, 3 BB and a .341 OBP in his last 11 games after hitting. 119 ( 5 -for-42) in his first 10 games.
$\Phi$ Recorded his second multi-hit game of the season on 4/14 \& first since April 5 in Detroit. $\Phi$ Leads Twins in PA (88), AB (78) \& T-3rd in 2B (3) \& T-2nd in games (21).
$\Phi$ Has 49 HR, needs 1 to reach 50 for career.

## BRENT RODKER - DF <br> Height: 6-3 Weight: 225 B/T: R/R <br> 2021 Average: 125 Roadtrip: $1-3$ <br> treak: 2g, 2-7, HR, 2B <br> Age: 26 (11/1/94 in Germantown,

$\Phi$ Is 3 -for-24 w/ R, 2B, HR, 2 RBI, BB in 7 games this season...did not play last night.
Hit . 316 ( 6 -for-19) in 7 G for MIN last season...HBP by Zach Plesac fractured forearm 9/12/20 Vs. CLE, ending season...homered on 4/26 off Plesac (1st HR this season \& 2nd in his career). - Ranked 12th best Twins prospect by MLB com prior to season 54 minor OAK

Ran 3 seasons ( 259 G) 35 th overall pick by MIN in 2017 from Mississippi State. home runs.
ANDRELTON SIMMDNS - 55

$\Phi$ Went 0-for-3 last night, is 0-for-7 in last two games...career . 261 (23-for-88) w/ $9 \mathrm{R}, 42 \mathrm{ZB}$, 2 RBI, 5 BB \& a . 615 OPS in 24 G vs. CLE...also, career . 279 ( 12 -for-43) w/ 5 R, RBI, HBP, 4 BB \& . 633 OPS in 12 G at Progressive Field.
$\Phi$ Reinstated from the COVID IL on 4/26 after missing 10 games... he is hitting 289 (11-for-38) W/ $6 \mathrm{R}, 32 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{RBI}$, HBP, six walks and a .768 OPS in 12 games this season.
$\mp$ 13th time the Twins' starting SS had a multi-hit a 785 OPS in last 20 games since 9/13/20 13th time the Twins' starting SS had a multi-hit game on OD (13th instance, 10th playe 9th-straight OD roster...only B. Crawford and E. Andrus have as many consecutive OD roster among SS since 2013
$\Phi$ 2nd most games all-time for Curaçao-born players (1,072), trailing Andruw Jones $(2,196)$.

| TWINS HDME RUN DATA |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| MULTI-HOMER GAMES (2x) <br> - Cruz (4/5 at DET) <br> - Cruz (4/21 at OAK) |  | BACK-TO-BACK (0x) <br> - None <br> WALK-OFF (0x) <br> - None |  |  | INSIDE-THE-PARK (0x) <br> - None |  | RUNNERS ON <br> - Solo - 13 <br> - 2 -run - 7 <br> - 3-run-1 <br> - GS - 1 |  |  |  |  | GRAND SLAM (1x) <br> - Cruz, $4 / 5$ at DET |  |  |  | LEADOFF (Ox) <br> - None |  |  |  |  |
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| Luis Arraez | 6 | 2 | 4, 4/1-4/5 | 4, 4/15 | 4/08/21 | vs. SEA | 1 | Newsome |  |  | 0 | . 125 | , | 8 | 01 | . 266 | 21 | 79 | 0 | 6 |
| Willians Astudillo | 3 | 1 | 5, 4/20-4/25 | 3,4/5 | 4/23/21 | vs. PIT | 0 | Brubaker |  |  | 0 | . 200 | 1 | 5 | 01 | . 303 | 10 | 33 | 2 | 5 |
| Byron Buxton | 6 | 3 | 9, 4/1-4/13 | 3, 4/21 | 4/27/21 | at CLE | 0 | Civale | 5/18/19 | at SEA | 2 | . 500 | 2 | 4 | 11 | . 198 | 25 | 126 | 7 | 18 |
| Jake Cave | 3 | 0 | 2, 4/26-4/27 | 2, 4/27 | 4/23/21 | vs. PIT | 0 | Brubaker | 7/26/20 | at CWS | 2 | . 375 | 3 | 8 | 00 | . 310 | 22 | 71 | 2 | 8 |
| Nelson Cruz | 5 | 3 | 11, 4/3-4/16 | 3, 4/6 | 4/25/21 | vs. PIT | 0 | Stratton | 4/05/21 | at DET | 10 | . 375 | 3 | 8 | 01 | . 241 | 90 | 374 | 26 | 52 |
| Josh Donaldson | 2 | 1 | 6, 4/1-4/21 | 4, 4/21 | 4/21/21 | at OAK | 0 | Montas | 9/28/18 | at KC | 5 | . 000 | 0 | 7 | 00 | . 300 | 54 | 180 | 12 | 41 |
| Mitch Garver | 3 | 2 | 1,4/20-4/20 | 2, 4/16 | 4/08/21 | vs. SEA | 2 | Gonzales |  |  | 0 | . 000 | 0 | 3 | 00 | . 174 | 16 | 92 | 6 | 14 |
| Ryan Jeffers | 0 | 0 | 2, 4/14-4/15 | 1, 4/21 | 9/13/20 | vs. CLE | 1 | McKenzie |  |  | 0 | . 000 | 0 | 4 | 00 | . 250 | 3 | 12 | 2 | 3 |
| Alex Kirilloff | 0 | 0 | 2, 4/26-4/27 | 1, 4/27 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | . 250 | 2 | 8 | 01 | . 250 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 1 |
| Tzu-Wei Lin | 0 | 0 |  |  | 9/21/18 | at CLE | 0 | Otero |  |  | 0 | . 000 | 0 | 0 | 00 | . 500 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 2 |
| Jorge Polanco | 3 | 2 | 2, 4/16-4/20 | 4, 4/21 | 9/04/20 | vs. DET | 0 | Boyd |  |  | 0 | . 000 | 0 | 3 | 01 | . 259 | 62 | 239 | 7 | 30 |
| Brent Rooker | 0 | 0 | 2, 4/21-4/26 | 1, 4/26 | 4/26/21 | at CLE | 0 | Plesac |  |  | 0 | . 333 | 1 | 3 | 11 | . 500 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| Andrelton Simmons | 2 | 1 | 4, 4/1-4/5 | 3, 4/8 | 9/28/19 | vs. HOU | 1 | Verlander | 4/22/17 | vs. TOR | 2 | . 000 | 0 | 7 | 00 | . 261 | 23 | 88 | 0 | 2 |
| Kyle Garlick | 2 | 0 | 4, 4/5-4/10 | 2, 4/8 | 8/15/19 | at MIA | 0 | Smith |  |  | 0 | . 000 | 0 | 0 | 00 | . 000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |


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| MISC. HIGHS AND LOWS |
| Most Runs, Game |
| Most Runs, Inning (Team) ................................... 5.2 l 2x, last: 5th inn, $4 / 5$ at DET |
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| Longest hitting Streak (Individual)................10, Buxton, 4/1-20 (1) \& Cruz 4/5-4/16 <br> Consecutive Hits (Individual) <br> 4 Arraez 4/15 |
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| Consecutive Scoreless Innings (Batters) $\qquad$ 17, 7th inn 4/16-4/20 |
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| Most Hits Allowed (Team) $\qquad$ 13, 4/21 at OAK |
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| Cons. Batters Retired (Team) ...................................................17, 4/23 vs. PIT |
| Scoreless Innings Streak (Team/Pitchers)......................... 10, 1st inn, 4/3-1st inn, 4/4 |
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| Most Walks, Starter........................................4, Shoemaker, 4/20 (1) at OAK |
| Most Strikeouts, Starter.............................................12, Berrís, 4/3 at MIL |
| Most Strikeouts, Pitchers (Team) ..................................................... $17,4 / 3$ at MIL |
| Most Walks, Pitchers (Team) .................................................. 7, 4/20 (1) at OAKMost Cons. Scoreless Innings (Individual) .......................... 10.0, Pineda 4/10-15 |
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| Longest Game, Time (9 Inn.)................................................3:32, $4 / 5$ at DET |
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| Largest Margin, Victory................................................................. $4 / 5$ at DET |
| Largest Margin, Loss.................................................7, 2x, last 4/20 (1) at OAKLineups Used............................................................ 20 |
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| LDNGEST HDME RUNS | HIGHEST EXIT VELICITY |
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| Buxton ....... 456 ft , 4/1 at MIL (Yardley) | Cruz...................116.6, 4/5 at DET (HR) |
| Buxton ...... $451 \mathrm{ft}, 4 / 6$ at DET (Cisnero) | Cruz................115.9, 4/23 vs. PIT (1B) |
| Garver... $435 \mathrm{ft}, 4 / 8 \mathrm{vs}$. SEA (Gonzales) | Cruz..................114.6, 4/5 at DET (HR) |
| Buxton .... $428 \mathrm{ft}, 4 / 11 \mathrm{vs}$. SEA (Flexen) | Buxton ...............114.1, 4/6 at DET (HR) |
| Buxton ..... $423 \mathrm{ft}, 4 / 21$ at OAK (Trivino) | Buxton .............113.6, 4/10 vs. SEA (1B) |
| Cruz....... $422 \mathrm{ft}, 4 / 21$ at OAK (Montas) | Sanó ................112.5, 4/8 vs. SEA (1B) |
| Cruz.......... $418 \mathrm{ft}, 4 / 5$ at DET (Farmer) | Donaldson ............112.1, 4/1 at MIL (2B) |


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|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | XTRA | TOTAL |
| OPPONENT | 3 | 14 | 9 | 9 | 15 | 15 | 11 | 9 | 13 | 8 | 106 |
| TWINS | 10 | 9 | 17 | 4 | 16 | 16 | 8 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 92 |


| INJURED LIST |  |  |  |  |
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| PLAYER INJURY | DATE ON | RETRO | DATE OFF | GAMES MISSED |
| Edwar Colina .......... Right Elbow Inflammation | .....4/1 |  |  | ............. 22 |
| Josh Donaldson ....... Mild Right Hamstring Strain | .....4/3 | 4/2 | 4/14 | ............. 10 |
| Brent Rooker ........... Cervical Strain ................... | 4/7 |  | 4/20 | .............. 9 |
| Andrelton Simmons.... COVID IL .......... | .4/14 |  |  | ......... 10 |
| Kyle Garlick........... COVID IL. | .4/20 |  |  | .... 8 |
| Max Kepler ............ COVID IL. | . $4 / 20$ |  |  | ......... 8 |
| Caleb Thielbar......... COVID IL | 4/20 |  |  | ............ 4 |
| JT Riddle ............... COVID IL. | . $4 / 21$ |  |  | ... 6 |
| Miguel Sanó............ Right Hamstring Strain... | ..4/23 | 4/21 | ..... | ................ 5 |

BOLD indicates currently on IL

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|  | C | 1B | 2B | SS | 3B | LF | CF | RF | DH |
| Luis Arraez | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 8 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Willians Astudillo | 0 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Byron Buxton | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 0 |
| Jake Cave | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 7 | 5 | 0 |
| Nelson Cruz | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| Josh Donaldson | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Kyle Garlick | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Mitch Garver | 12 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ryan Jeffers | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Max Kepler | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 |
| Alex Kirilloff | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jorge Polanco | 0 | 0 | 12 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| JT Riddle | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Brent Rooker | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Miguel Sanó | 0 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1. |
| Andrelton Simmons | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |



| STARTS BY BATTING ORDER |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | MOST USED LINEUP [EX] |  |
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|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | Player | Pos. |
| Luis Arraez | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 |  | 2 | Arraez | 2 B |
| Willians Astudillo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 3 | Conaldson | 3B |
| Byron Buxton | 1 | 0 | 3 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Buitan | $\mathrm{CF}^{\mathrm{CF}}$ |
| Jake Cave | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 4 | - Kirilloff | SS |
| Nelson Cruz | 0 | 0 | 17 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Gáriè | C |
| Josh Donaldson | 0 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Cave | Rif |
| Kyle Garlick | 0 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Astüdillo | 18 |
| Mitch Garver | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 |  |  |
| Ryan Jeffers | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 5 | OUT |  |
| Max Kepler | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | Jake Cave | 2 |
| Alex Kirilloff | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Luis Arraez | 1 |
| Jorge Polanco | 2 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Kyle Garlick | 1 |
| JT Riddle | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | Total | 4 |
| Brent Rooker | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |  |  |


| LAST TIME IT HAPPENED |  |
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| FOR THE TWINS | AGAINST THE TWINS |
| HITTING: | HITTING: |
| Hit for the Cycle: J. Polanco, 4/5/19 at PHI (11 all-time) | Hit for the Cycle: A. Beltré, 8/24/12 at TEX (5 allowed all-time) |
| Grand Slam: N. Cruz, 4/5/21 at DET (1 as a team in 2021) | Grand Slam: M. Olson, 4/20/21 at OAK, Game 1 (3 allowed as team in 2021) |
| Inside-the-Park Home Run: B. Buxton, 9/15/20 at CWS (1 as a team in 2020, 55 all-time) | Inside-the-Park Home Run: A. Mondesi, 4/2/19 at KC (44 allowed all-time) |
| Pinch-Hit Home Run: M. Sanó, 8/5/19 vs. ATL (2 as a team in 2019) | Pinch-Hit Home Run: D. Smith, 7/17/19 vs. NYM (2 allowed in 2019) |
| Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: M. LeCroy, 9th inning, 5/19/04 at TOR (15 all-time) | Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: J. Sands, 8/8/15 at CLE |
| Five-Hit Game: C. Cron, 5/23/19 at LAA (3 in 2019) | Five-Hit Game: D. Gregorius, 7/23/19 vs. NYY |
| Six-Hit Game: K. Puckett, 5/23/91 vs. TEX (2 all-time, both Puckett) | Six-Hit Game: J. Segura, 5/28/13 at MIL (3 allowed all-time) |
| Two Hits, One Inning: N. Cruz, 8th inning, 8/20/19 vs. CWS (1 as a team in 2019) | Two Hits, One Inning: V. Reyes, 3rd inning, 8/31/19 at DET (1 allowed in 2019) |
| Two Home Runs, One Inning: M. Cuddyer, 8/23/09 at KC (1 all-time) | Two Home Runs, One Inning: D. Nilsson, 5/17/96 vs. MIL |
| Two-Home Run Game: N. Cruz, 4/5/21 at DET (1 as team in 2021) | Two-Home Run Game: F. Reyes, 4/27/21 at CLE (4 allowed in 2021) |
| Three-Home Run Game: N. Cruz, 8/3/19 vs. KC ( 3 as a team in 2019, 12 all-time) | Three-Home Run Game: J. Donaldson, 8/28/16 at TOR |
| Back-to-Back Home Runs: E. Rosario/M. Sanó, 9/12/20 vs. CLE (3 as team in '20) | Back-to-Back Home Runs: M. Perez/K. Newman, 4/24/21 vs. PIT (2 allowed in 2021) |
| Three Consecutive Home Runs: N. Cruz/E. Rosario/C. Cron, 4/26/19 vs. BAL (1 in 2019) | Three Consecutive Home Runs: A. Jones/V. Castilla/J. Franco, 6/11/02 vs. ATL |
| Three Home Runs, One Inning: C. Cron/J. Polanco/N. Cruz (2nd), 8/3/19 vs. KC (5 in 2019) | Three Home Runs, One Inning: N. Lopez/J. Soler/S. Perez, 8/8/20 at KC (2 in 2020) |
| Four Home Runs, One Inning: S. Mack/K. Puckett/K. Hrbek/H. Bush, 5/2/92 at NYY | Four Home Runs, One Inning: C. Everett/T. O'Leary/J. Varitek/M. Burkhart, 7/3/00 vs. BOS |
| Walk-Off Home Run: M. Sanó, $8 / 5 / 19 \mathrm{vs}$. ATL (1 as a team in 2019) | Walk-off Home Run: J. Luplow, 4/26/21 at CLE (1 allowed in 2021) |
| Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run: M. Sanó, $8 / 5 / 19$ vs. ATL (10 all-time) | Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run: C. Santana, 9/23/11 at CLE (12 all-time) |
| Leadoff Home Run: B. Buxton, 9/22/20 vs. DET (5 as a team in 2020) | Leadoff Home Run: V. Reyes, 9/5/20 vs. DET (4 allowed in 2020) |
| Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game: J. Polanco/J. Donaldson, 9/4/20 vs. DET (G1) | 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: Last actual pitcher Jim Kaat, 6/11/72 at CLE; Chris Gimenez catcher pitching in relief, $9 / 3 / 18$ at TEX | Last Pitcher to Hit Home Run: Jon Lester, 7/1/18 at CHC |
|  | PITCHING (complete games only for low-hit games): |
| PITCHING (complete games only for low-hit games): | No-Hitter: Jer. Weaver, 5/2/12 at LAA (5 all-time) |
| No-Hitter: F. Liriano, 5/3/11 at CWS (6 all-time) | One-Hitter: C. Kluber, $8 / 14 / 15$ vs. CLE (23 all-time) |
| One-Hitter: E. Santana, 4/15/17 vs. CWS (14 all-time) | Two-Hitter: R. Halladay, 5/29/05 at TOR (49 all-time) |
| Two-Hitter: E. Santana, 5/24/17 at BAL (43 all-time) | 10+ Innings Pitched: A. Fernández (10.0 innings), 10/1/95 at CHW |
| 10+ Innings Pitched: B. Radke (10.0 innings), 9/21/97 vs. MIL | 10+ Strikeouts: 10, K. Hendricks, 9/18/20 at CHC (3 times in 2020, other 2 by S. Bieber) |
| 10+ Strikeouts: 12, J. Berríos, 4/5/21 at MIL (1 as team in 2021) | Complete Game Shutout: S. Manaea, 4/20/21 (G1) at OAK (1 time in 2021) |
| Complete Game Shutout: J. Berríos, $4 / 1 / 18$ at BAL (1 as a team in 2018) | Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: J. Williams/Jer. Weaver, 5/1-2/12 at LAA |
| Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: J. Mays/C. Silva, 5/19-20/05 vs. TOR/vs. MIL | Back-to-Back Shutouts: 4/20/21 Game 1 \& 4/20/21 Game 2 at OAK (2 games, 7-0 and 1-0) |
| Back-to-Back Shutouts: 5/6/19 \& 5/7/19 at TOR (2 games, 8-0 and 3-0) | Four Strikeouts in an Inning: F. Hernández, 6/3/10 vs. SEA (8th inning) |
| Four Strikeouts in an Inning: Z. Duke, 3/29/18 at BAL (7th inning) (4 times since 1961) | MISCELLANEOUS: |
| MISCELLANEOUS: | Triple Play: J. Donaldson/A. Rosales/C. Carter, 8/21/12 at OAK - T. Plouffe hitting (8 all-time) |
| Triple Play: M. Sanó/J. Schoop/C.J. Cron, 8/7/19 vs. ATL - T. Flowers hitting (14 all-time) | Position Player Pitching: H. Castro, 4/5/21 at DET (1 in 2021) |
| Position Player Pitching: W. Astudillo, 4/16 at LAA (1 in 2021) | Three or more Steals, One Game: W. Merrifield (3), 7/2/17 at KC (1 in 2017) |
| Three or more Steals, One Game: E. Adrianza (3), 6/21/17 vs. CWS (1 in 2017) | Steal of Home: R. Davis, $8 / 1 / 18$ vs. CLE |
| Steal of Home: C. Thomas, $8 / 3 / 13$ vs. HOU | Pure Steal of Home: S. Green, 5/26/00 vs. TEX |
| Pure Steal of Home: R. Becker, 9/27/97 at CLE | Home Run in First ML At-Bat: C. Richard, 7/17/00 vs. STL |
| Home Run in First ML At-Bat: E. Rosario, 5/6/15 vs. OAK (1st PA, 1st pitch) |  |


| 20ᄅl TARGET FIELD WEATHER DELAYS AND POSTPONEMENTS |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| DATE <br> 4/8 vs. Seattle | DELAYED/PPD Delayed | NOTES Home | er delayed for 16 minu |
| 2010: 1 PPD / 1 DEL 2011: 3 PPD 3 DEL 2012: 1 PPD / 4 DEL 2013: 3 PPD / 4 DEL |  |  |  |
| ** Target Field has experienced 54 delayed games, 25 postponed games, 1 suspended game and 1 rain-shortened game in the park's history (since 2010). Longest delay: 4:50. ** |  |  |  |



- Denotes Extra-Innings (Twins are 0-4 in extra innings)
*     - Denotes Sellout (12 in 2019; 2 in 2020)
\#- PPD game from April 12 vs. BOS \#\#- PPD game from April 19 at OAK \#\#\# - PPD games from April 17 \& 18 at LAA

| 2IEl WALK-DFF VICTORIES [1] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| DATE SCORE <br> $4 / 15$ vs. BOS $4-3$ | NOTES <br> Kepler singles in Arraez from second base with 1 out in bot 9 |  |
| 202l PLAYERS ON ROSTER [38] |  |  |
| Pitchers: (18) |  |  |
| Alcala, Jorge - RHP* | Farrell, Luke - RHP | Shoemaker, Matt - RHP* |
| Anderson, Shaun - RHP | Happ, J.A. - LHP* | Smeltzer, Devin - LHP |
| Berríos, José - RHP* | Maeda, Kenta - RHP* | Stashak, Cody - RHP* |
| Colomé, Alex - RHP* | Pineda, Michael - RHP* | Thielbar, Caleb - LHP* |
| Dobnak, Randy - RHP* | Robles, Hansel - RHP* | Thorpe, Lewis - LHP |
| Duffey, Tyler - RHP* | Rogers, Taylor - LHP* | Waddell, Brandon - LHP |
| Position Players: (20) |  |  |
| Arraez, Luis - IF* | Garlick, Kyle - OF* | Polanco, Jorge - IF* |
| Astudillo, Willians - C/IF/OF* | Garver, Mitch - C* | Riddle, JT - IF |
| Blankenhorn, Travis - IF | Gordon, Nick - IF | Rooker, Brent - OF |
| Buxton, Byron - OF* | Jeffers, Ryan - C* | Sanó, Miguel - IF* |
| Cave, Jake - OF* | Kepler, Max - OF* | Simmons, Andrelton - SS* |
| Cruz, Nelson- DH* | Kirilloff, Alex - OF | Telis, Tomás - C |
| Donaldson, Josh - 3B* | Lin, Tzu-Wei - IF | (* - on Opening Day roster) |
| TAXI S@UAD [5] |  |  |

1 - Nick Gordon - IF - L/R - Age 25
$\Phi$ Recalled from alt. site 4/23 but did not appear in a game...son of former All-Star RP Tom Gordon. $\Phi$ 1st round selection (5th overall) by MIN in 2014 MLB First-Year Player Draft.
54 - Derek Law - RHP - Age 30
क Signed as ml FA, 11/12/20...MIN is 4th org. (SF - 2011-18, TOR - 2019 \& TEX - 2020) क Spent entire 2020 season at TEX alt. site... 58 G in 2019, last ML appearance being 9/28/19. 38 - Rob Refsnyder - OF - R/R - Age 30
\$ Signed as mI FA, 11/23/20...MIN is 7th org. (NYY-'12-17, TOR-'17, TB-'18, CIN-'19, ARI-'19, TEX-'20). क On TEX OD roster in '20 (2nd career)...appeared in 15 G, hitting 200 ( 6 -for-20) w/ 2B, RBI, 2 BB. 70 - Ben Rortvedt - C - L/R - Age 23
© urrently ranked as No. 28 prospect in MIN organization per MLB.com; Znd RD selection in 2010 58 - Brandon Waddell - LHP - Age 26
玉 Has appeared twice for MIN in 2021, pitching 3.0 scoreless innings (5 H, 2 BB). क Claimed off Waivers from PIT 10/30/20...removed from roster (Colomé signing) and became ST invite.

