

TEAM BULLPEN NOTES

The Twins bullpen is 3-13-7, 4.97 ERA (154.0 IP, 85 ER), 70 BB, 178 K, 20 HLD and a .251 BAA in 44 games this season... 'pen has 1.80 ERA (15.0 IP, 3 ER) in last 5 G, after posting 6.50 ERA (18.0 IP, 13 ER) in prior 5... 'pen pitched 5.0 scoreless IP Tuesday (1 H, 5 BB, 9 K), 'pen's first 5.0 scoreless IP since 9/16/20 at CWS - 1st such outing w/ 1 H or less since G2 on 9/14/19 at CLE. 'Pen has allowed 37 of 54 inherited runners to score (68.5% - 1st in MLB), 3rd most in MLB behind STL (41) and LAA (38)... 7 BS rank T-5th in AL and T-11th in MLB. 'Pen is 0-1-0, 3.38 ERA (10.2 IP, 4 ER), 2 HR, 6 BB, 13 K, .200 BAA (8-for-40) in 4 games vs. CLE this season, all at Progressive Field... 'pen's last 2 games vs. CLE have been scoreless. 'Pen is 0-7-4, 5.77 ERA (68.2 IP, 44 ER), 31 BB, 89 K, .267 BAA (72-for-273) in 21 road games this season, compared to 3-6-3, 4.32 ERA (85.1 IP, 41 ER), 39 BB, 89 K and a .241 BAA (76-for-316) in 23 home games... 'pen is also 0-4-2, 5.43 ERA (64.2 IP, 39 ER), 35 BB, 76 K, .257 BAA (64-for-249) in 18 games vs. AL Central this season.

JORGE ALCALA - RHP #66
Height: 6-3 Weight: 205 Age: 25 (7/28/95 in Bajos De Haina, DR) Acquired: Trade with HOU, 7/27/18
Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB Series at CLE: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB vs. Left .250 vs. Right .114

Pitched scoreless 7th last night, K-ing 1...worked scoreless 9th Wednesday, his 2nd 7-pitch inning this season (also, 9th, 4/30 vs. KC)...walked multiple batters for 1st time in career in 8th on 5/17 vs. CWS...3 ER in last 5 G; 0 ER in 5 prior app.
Has 2 scoreless app. vs. CLE this season (1.1 IP, 1 HB, 2 K)...has 3 career app. vs. CLE, all at Progressive Field, allowing 3 ER in 2.1 IP (11.57 ERA)...is 0-1, 3.24 ERA (8.1 IP, 3 ER), 4 BB, 1 HB, 4 K, .160 BAA (4-for-25) in 8 G vs. AL Central this season.
Career 1.13 ERA (24.0 IP, 3 ER)/.225 BAA in 19 career home G, compared to 5.21 ERA (19.0 IP, 11 ER)/.194 BAA in 16 career road G.
Has appeared 1x in 4th, 1x in 6th, 3x in 7th, 6x in 8th, 5x in 9th, 1x in 10th this season...owns 1.12 ERA (8.0 IP, 1 ER) pitching in the 9th-or-later this season...fastball is averaging 96.9 MPH this season and has thrown 16 of the 20 fastest pitches by MIN pitching this year.

RECENT APPEARANCES table with columns: DATE, DEC, IP, H, R, ER, HR, BB, SO. Rows: 5/21 at CLE, 5/19 vs. CWS, 5/17 vs. CWS, 5/13 at CWS, 5/11 at CWS, 5/5 vs. TEX, 5/4 vs. TEX, 5/2 vs. KC, 4/30 vs. KC

ALEX COLOME - RHP #48
Height: 6-1 Weight: 225 Age: 32 (12/31/88 in Santo Domingo, DR) Acquired: Signed as FA, 2/12/21
Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB Series at CLE: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .320 vs. Right .162

Worked scoreless 8th Wednesday vs. CWS, good for his 7th-straight scoreless app. since 5/1 (7.2 IP, 2 H, 4 BB, 8 K, .083 BAA in span)...earned 2nd win 5/15 vs. OAK, working 8th & fanning R. Laureano for 400th career K...matched season high w/ 2.0 scoreless IP 5/5.
Has 2 app. vs. CLE so far, going 0-1, 40.50 ERA (0.2 IP, 3 ER), 3 BB, 2 K, .333 BAA (1-for-3)...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 BAA vs. CLE is his 2nd lowest against any single opponent in his career (min. 10 opp. AB).
On 4/1 at MIL (Opening 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...his 3 blown saves this season are T-3rd in AL, T-5th in MLB.
LHB are hitting .320 (8-for-25), while RHB are hitting .162 (6-for-37)...opponents are batting .278 (5-for-18) off him with RISP.

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TYLER DUFFEY - RHP #56
Height: 6-3 Weight: 220 Age: 30 (12/27/90 in Houston, TX) Acquired: 5th Round, 2012 Draft
Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 27.00 (1.0 IP, 3 ER), 1 K, 0 BB Series at CLE: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .321 vs. Right .233

Missed last 2 G (suspension); ejected for throwing behind Y. Mercedes in 7th 5/18, 1st career ejection...pitched 5th in G1 Thursday at LAA, allowing at least 3 ER for 2nd time this season (5/8 at DET); 4 H tied relief career high...has allowed 9 of 11 R to score overall, T-4th most in MLB.
Appeared 1x in 4th, 4x in 5th, 2x in 6th, 3x in 7th, 6x in 8th, 1x in 9th so far this season...allowed 0 ER in 13 of 17 G, including 5 of 8 road app.
Is 0-1, 4.01 ERA (24.2 IP, 11 ER) in 22 career relief G vs. CLE...8 of last 9 vs. CLE have been scoreless since 7/14/19 (9.1 IP, 3 H, 1 R, 2 BB, 11 K)...has 3.75 ERA (12.0 IP, 5 ER) in 10 career relief app. at Progressive Field.
Has posted 2.16 ERA (8.1 IP, 2 ER) and .143 BAA in 9 home app. this season, compared to 10.29 ERA (7.0 IP, 8 ER) and .400 BAA in 8 road G.
LHB are hitting .321 (9-for-28) with 3 BB and 4 K while RHB are hitting .233 (7-for-30) w/ 7 BB and 10 K.

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LUKE FARRELL - RHP #51
Height: 6-0 Weight: 200 Age: 29 (6/7/1991 in Westlake, OH) Acquired: Signed as ml FA, 12/14/20
Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB Series at CLE: 0-0-0, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB vs. Left .200 vs. Right .167

Worked final 2.0 innings of last night's win...both of his app. this season have been scoreless (3.0 IP, 2 H, 2 BB, 3 K)...contract selected 5/19 (Pineda - IL)...2nd stint w/ MIN, also 4/20-24...owns 1.93 ERA (4.2 IP, 1 ER), 2 BB, 9 K, .133 BAA (2-for-15) in 3 G for Triple-A St. Paul this season.
Born in and raised Westlake, OH, west of Cleveland...has 2 career app. vs. CLE, both at Progressive Field (3.0 IP, 4 H, 1 UER, 5 K).
Made 7 Grapefruit League appearances for the Twins in 2021, pitching 6.1 scoreless innings w/ .167 BAA (4-for-24), 0 BB, 10 K, 0.63 WHIP.
Is son of former Red Sox and Blue Jays manager, John Farrell.

RECENT APPEARANCES table with columns: DATE, DEC, IP, H, R, ER, HR, BB, SO. Rows: 5/21 at CLE ND, 4/20 at OAK(1) ND

HANSEL ROBLES - RHP #57
Height: 6-0 Weight: 220 Age: 30 (8/13/90 in Bona0, DR) Acquired: Signed as FA, 12/29/20
Roadtrip: 0-0-1, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB Series at CLE: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .143 vs. Right .097

Earned 2nd save w/ scoreless 7th in G2 at LAA Thursday night (also 5/15 vs. OAK)...last 5 app. have been scoreless since 5/7 (4.2 IP, 2 BB, 11 K)...0 ER in 15 of 18 appearances so far (1 UER on 4/6)...leads Twins in games (18) and holds (7)...T-5th in AL in holds (7) and is T-14th 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 0-1, 0.00 ERA (7.2 IP, 0 ER, 1 UER), 6 BB, 9 K, .120 BAA (3-for-25) in 8 app. vs. the AL Central this season.
Has opponent BA of .119 (7-for-59) and WHIP of 0.96...LHB hitting .143 (4-for-28) while RHB hitting .097 (3-for-31).
Has posted 1.93 ERA (9.1 IP, 3 ER) in 10 road games this season, compared to 4.32 ERA (8.1 IP, 4 ER) in 8 home games.
2021 arsenal: Changeup - 46.1% (88.7 MPH), 4-Seam Fastball - 35.6% (96.2 MPH), Sinker - 12.4% (96.3 MPH), Slider - 5.9% (89.0 MPH).

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TAYLOR ROGERS - LHP #55
Height: 6-3 Weight: 190 Age: 30 (12/17/90 in Denver, CO) Acquired: 11th Round, 2012 Draft
Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 1 BB Series at CLE: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .208 vs. Right .275

Earned 4th hold in G2 Thursday at LAA, K-ing S. Ohtani and working around 1-out BB in scoreless 6th inning...notched 1st W Tuesday, working around 1-out 1B in 9th as Twins walked off in bottom of inning...took L Sunday vs. OAK, allowing 1 UER to score on WP in 9th inning after E5.
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 (min. 20.0 IP), behind only E. Santana (0.38)...is 2-1-10 (10-for-11 in SVO), 1.93 ERA (46.2 IP, 10 ER), 9 BB, 51 K in 44 career G vs. CLE.
Has opponent BA of .265 (17-for-64) w/ 1.18 WHIP...LHB hitting .208 (5-for-24) w/ 2 BB, 2 HR and RHB hitting .300 (12-for-40) w/ 1 BB.
Has appeared 2x in 6th inning, 3x in 7th inning, 3x in 8th inning, 7x in 9th inning-or-later.
Just 3 BB compared to 26 K this season...his 7.78 K/BB ratio since 2019 (140 K, 18 BB) is 2nd in MLB (min. 40.0 IP), behind C. Martin (9.78).

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CODY STASHAK - RHP #61
Height: 6-2 Weight: 180 Age: 26 (6/4/94 in Somers Point, NJ) Acquired: 13th Round, 2015 Draft
Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB Series at CLE: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .375 vs. Right .133

Scoreless 6th in G1 Thursday...has 3.0 scoreless IP since recall from AAA on Tuesday...worked 2.0 scoreless IP Tuesday vs. CWS, longest scoreless G of season & longest since 9/22/20 (1j2.0 IP)...recalled Tuesday from AAA for 3rd stint w/ MIN this season (also, Opening Day-4/14, 4/25-5/7).
Had 2 BB in 0.1 scoreless IP at CLE on 4/27...career 3.18 ERA (5.2 IP, 2 ER), 4 BB, 6 K, .238 BAA (5-for-21) in 7 G vs. CLE, including 2 scoreless app. at Progressive Field (1.2 IP, 1 H, 2 BB, 2 K, .167 BAA)...has 7.50 ERA (6.0 IP, 5 ER), 6 BB, 10 K, .240 BAA in 5 G this season vs. AL Central.
Hit a batter for 2nd time in career on 4/11 vs. SEA (also 8/31/19)...3+ K in back-to-back G 4/6 & 4/11 for 1st time in career...issued BB in consecutive appearances for 1st time in career, 4/4-4/6...issued BB in 4-straight app., 5/3-5/18 (5.0 IP, 5 BB); had 2 BB in 6 app. prior (4.0 IP).

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CALEB THIELBAR - LHP #56
Height: 6-0 Weight: 205 Age: 34 (1/31/87 in Northfield, MN) Acquired: Signed as ml FA 11/29/19
Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB Series at CLE: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .409 vs. Right .244

Pitched 8th Wednesday, K-ing 2 in scoreless IP...walked 2 batters Sunday for 1st time since 9/18/20 at CHC...has 10.38 ERA (4.1 IP, 5 ER) in last 3 G, after 6 scoreless app. from 4/25-5/7...has multiple K's in 9 of 15 G this season and ranks T-12th among MLB RP in strikeouts (T-6th in AL).
His 15.43 K/9.0 IP ratio (28 K, 16.1 IP) is 4th among MLB relievers (min. 16.0 IP), behind A. Chapman (18.00), J. Karinchak (16.76) and M. Barnes (16.03)...has allowed 8 of 9 inherited runners to score this season, T-8th most in MLB.
Pitched 1.0 scoreless IP at CLE 4/27 (1 H, 2 K)...is 2-0, 1.62 ERA (16.2 IP, 3 ER), 9 BB, 17 K, .226 BAA (14-for-62) in 20 G vs. CLE, his most app. vs. any opponent in his career...is 1-0, 2.08 ERA (8.2 IP, 2 ER), 6 BB, 10 K, .265 BAA (9-for-34) in 10 career app. at Progressive Field.
Tied career high w/ 3 ER 4/16 at LAA (done 4x, last 4/20/15 at KC); GS by J. Upton 4/16 at LAA was 1st allowed in career.

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2021 BULLPEN INFO table with columns: Player name, 1st Batter Avg, BB/9, K/9, Saves/Opps, Holds, IRS%, WHIP, HR, TEAM BULLPEN USAGE (Last game, 2 games ago, 3 games ago)

MISC. HIGHS AND LOWS

Table listing various statistical highs and lows for the team, such as Most Runs in a Game (Team), Longest Hitting Streak (Individual), and Fastest Game, Time (9 Inn.).

SCORE BY INNING

Table showing the score by inning for an opponent and the Twins, with columns for Inning (1-9 and XTRA) and Total runs scored.

INJURED LIST

Table listing injured players, their injuries, dates on and off the roster, and games missed. Includes players like Edwar Colina, Josh Donaldson, and Ben Rortvedt.

LONGEST HOME RUNS

Table listing the longest home runs, including player name, distance in feet, and the date and opponent.

HIGHEST EXIT VELOCITY

Table listing the highest exit velocity for home runs, including player name, velocity in mph, and the date and opponent.

EJECTIONS

Table listing ejections, including the date, player/manager/coach, umpire, reason for ejection, and the player's career total.

STARTS BY POSITION

Table showing the number of starts by position for each player, with columns for C, 1B, 2B, SS, 3B, LF, CF, RF, and DH.

STARTS BY BATTING ORDER

Table showing the number of starts by batting order (1-9) for each player.

MOST USED LINEUP [2X]

Table showing the most used lineup for each position, listing the player's name and their position.

OUTFIELD ASSISTS

Table showing the number of outfield assists for each player.

LAST TIME IT HAPPENED

FOR THE TWINS

Text detailing recent events for the Twins, categorized by hitting and pitching. Includes hit for the cycle, grand slam, and no-hitters.

AGAINST THE TWINS

Text detailing recent events against the Twins, categorized by hitting and pitching. Includes hit for the cycle, grand slam, and no-hitters.

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List of pitching statistics for complete games only, including no-hitters, one-hitters, and four strikeouts in an inning.

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2021 TARGET FIELD WEATHER DELAYS AND POSTPONEMENTS

Table detailing weather-related delays and postponements for games on 4/8 vs. Seattle and 5/5 vs. Texas, including notes on rain and tarping.

Table showing the number of postponed games (PPD) and delayed games (DEL) for each year from 2010 to 2021.

** Target Field has experienced 55 delayed games, 25 postponed games, 1 suspended game and 1 rain-shortened game in the park's history (since 2010). Longest delay: 4:50. **

Main table containing daily game schedules, scores, and player statistics for the Minnesota Twins. Includes columns for Date, Opp., Score, W/L Rcd., Pos., GA/GB, Daily Att, Total Hm Att, Home Date, and Winner/Loser/Save. Sub-sections include APRIL (9-15), MAY (7-13), and JULY (- - -).

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^ - Denotes Extra-Innings (Twins are 0-7 in extra innings)
* - Denotes Sellout (12 in 2019; 8 in 2021)
- PPD game from April 12 vs. BOS ## - PPD game from April 19 at OAK ### - PPD games from April 17 & 18 at LAA
- PPD game from May 9 at DET

2021 WALK-OFF VICTORIES [2]
Table with 3 columns: DATE, SCORE, NOTES.
4/15 vs. BOS 4-3 Kepler singles in Arraez from second base with 1 out in bot 9
5/18 vs. CWS 5-4 Polanco singles in Simmons from third base with 2 outs in bot 9

2021 PLAYERS ON ROSTER [43]
Pitchers: (20)
Alcala, Jorge - RHP*
Anderson, Shaun - RHP
Berrios, Jose - RHP*
Colomé, Alex - RHP*
Dobnak, Randy - RHP*
Duffey, Tyler - RHP*
Farrell, Luke - RHP
Happ, J.A. - LHP*
Law, Derek - RHP
Maeda, Kenta - RHP*
Ober, Bailey - RHP
Pineda, Michael - RHP*
Robles, Hansel - RHP*
Rogers, Taylor - LHP*
Shoemaker, Matt - RHP*
Smeltzer, Devin - LHP
Stashak, Cody - RHP*
Thielbar, Caleb - LHP*
Thorpe, Lewis - LHP
Waddell, Brandon - LHP
Position Players: (23)
Arraez, Luis - IF*
Astudillo, Williams - C/IF/OF*
Blankenhorn, Travis - IF
Buxton, Byron - OF*
Cave, Jake - OF*
Cruz, Nelson - DH*
Donaldson, Josh - 3B*
Garlick, Kyle - OF*
Garver, Mitch - C*
Gordon, Nick - IF
Jeffers, Ryan - C*
Kepler, Max - OF*
Kirilloff, Alex - OF
Larnach, Trevor - OF
Lin, Tzu-Wei - IF
Polanco, Jorge - IF*
Refsnyder, Rob - OF
Riddle, JT - IF
Rooker, Brent - OF
Rortvedt, Ben - C
Sanó, Miguel - IF*
Simmons, Andrelton - SS*
Telis, Tomás - C
(* - on Opening Day roster)