# minnesota twins 

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# MINNESOTA TWINS［49－65］vs．［HICAGD WHITE 50X［67－47］ <br> WEDNESDAY，AUGUST 11， 2021 －12：10 P．M．（CT）－TV：YOUTUBE／RADIO：TIBN，WCCO，THE WOLF 

GAME 114
RHP Bailey Ober（1－1，4．99）vs．RHP Reynaldo López（1－0，1．59）

| UPCOMING PRDBABLE PITCHERS ¢ BRDAICAST SCHEDULE |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 8112 | OFF DAY |  |  |  |  |
| $8 / 13$ $8 / 14$ | vs．Tampa Bay vs．Tampa Bay | RHP Michael Pineda（4－7，3．83）vs．TBA RHP Kenta Maeda（ $5-4,4.69$ ）vs．TBA | $7: 10 \mathrm{pm}$（CT） $6: 10 \mathrm{pm}$（CT） | Bally Sports North Bally Sports North | TIBN，WCCO，The Wolf／None TIBN，WCCO，The Wolf／None |
| $8 / 15$ | vs．Tampa Bay | TBA vs．TBA | 1：10 pm（CT） | Bally Sports North | TIBN，WCCO，The Wolif twinsbeisbol．com |

## 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：
Series Finales：
Rubber Games：．
Sweeps／Swept：
April：．．
June：．．．
July：
August．
September／October：
Day Games：
Night Games：
vs．American League East：
vs．American League Central：
vs．American League West：．．．
vs．National League：．
Games vs．LH Starter：
Games vs．RH Starter
Twins score first：．
Opponent scores first：
Leading after 7／8 inn．
Trailing after 7／8 inn．： Tied atter 7／8 inn．： Extra－innings： 1－run games：．
Twins out－hit opp．：
Opp．out－hit Twins：
Twins／Opp．have＝hits： Run Differential：．．． Iwins get Quality Start： Twins starter goes $6+$ Most games under ． 500 ： Longest win－streak－ Longest losing－strea When Twins score 4＋ When Twins score 3
Twins get 10＋hits：
Days in First Place
Days in Second Place
Days in Fourth Place
Days in Fifth Place
Walk－Off W／L．
Shutouts W／L．
Complete Games：．．．7／19（G1）Berríos at CWS
Attendance High：．．．．．．．．．23，337，7／22 vs．LAA Attendance Total： Attendance Average：
Target Field Sellouts－2021／All－Time：．．．．．．．．．．14／181

## IECENT TRANSACTIDNS

8／10 RHP Burrows optioned to AAA RHP Vincent contract selected from AAA OF／1B Kirilloff transferred to 60－day IL
8／9 RHP Alcala placed on 10－day IL RHP García recalled from AAA
8／5 OF Refsnyder returned from rehab assignment and reinstated from 10－day IL IF／OF Gordon optioned to AAA
8／4 RHP Garza Jr．claimed off waivers from HOU
7／31 IF／OF Arraez reinstated from 10－day IL OF Celestino optioned to AAA

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THE TWINS：After completing their season－long nine－game roadtrip with a record of $5-4$（1－2 in St．Louis， $1-1$ in Cincinnati and 3－1 in Houston），the Twins began their season－long nine－game homestand by splitting the first two games over the last two nights．．．today they will play the final game against the Sox in 2021．．．the Twins will enjoy an off－day tomorrow，then play three against Nelson Cruz and the Rays this weekend，followed by three against the Indians from
Monday－Wednesday the Twins have gone 25－31 at home this season and 24－34 on the road． $\Phi$ Twins are 5－10 in rubber games this season and 9－22－6 in series play（4－12－1 at home）．

GRIFFIN JAX AND TORTUGA JACKS：The Twins beat the White Sox last night by a score of 4－3， evening the series at one game apiece．．．Griffin Jax（3－1）was the starter and winner，allowing three runs on five hits in 6.0 innings pitched with one walk and a career－high 10 strikeouts．．． he became the 10th rookie in club history（since 1961）to record double－digit strikeouts and first since Trevor May on September 14， 2014 at Chicago－AL（10）．．．also marked the fifth time by a Willians Astudillo sixth－inning two－run go－ahead home run．

LOG ON，LOG IN：Today＇s game game can be seen on YouTube．．．it marks the second time the Twins played on YouTube this season；the other came on April 28 at Cleveland，winning by a score of 10－2，highlighted by a Byron Buxton 5 －for－5 day with 10 total bases（ 1 home run， 2 doubles， 2 singles）．．．．he earned YouTube Player of the Game and was awarded with a trophy postgame．

DAY MAN，FIGHTER OF THE NIGHT MAN：The Twins are playing their 55th day game of the season today．．．their 54 day games lead baseball．．．they have gone 22－32 during the day， tied for sever most day wins in the American League and tied for 13th most in baseball．
percentage in 41 day games this season his day $0 B P$ ranks third in the Al while his
percentage in 41 day games this season．．．．his day OBP ranks third in the AL while his
batting average ranks fourth
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RED HOT JORGE：Jorge Polanco＇s numbers in his first 50 games vs．his last 55 games（since June 3）： | AVG | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | K | OBP | SLG | OPS |
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| FIRST 50 | .227 | 26 | 41 | 12 | 1 | 5 | 22 | 19 | 37 | .302 | .387 |
| LAST 55 | .308 | 42 | 69 | 11 | 0 | 15 | 39 | 16 | 37 | .358 | .558 | ADDITIONALLY：Polanco has 11 home runs since July 1 ，tied with Toronto＇s George Springer and Seattle＇s Kyle Seager for most in the AL since that date．

THE＇PEN IS MIGHTY：In their last eight games（since August 3），the Twins bullpen has com－ bined to go 2－0－4，2．94 ERA（33．2 IP， 11 ER）with 12 walks， 35 strikeouts，a 200 opponent batting average and an opponent OP＇S of ． 612 ．
TWINS AND SOX：The Twins and White Sox are playing the final of 19 meetings this season．．． Twins are 5－13 against the Sox in 2021，going 3－5 at Target Field and 2－8 at Guaranteed Rate Field．．．Twins have been outscored by the Sox this season 70－123（－53）．
玉 Max Kepler（15），former Twin Nelson Cruz（15）and Miguel Sanó（14）hold the top three spots in home runs against the White Sox since the start of 2019.
क The Twins have hit 82 home runs against Chicago since the start of 2019，ahead of second place Cleveland＇s 53.

ARRAEZ AND SHINE：Luis Arraez has hit safely in 21 of his last 23 games，hitting ． 423 （33－ for－78）in that span，the best in baseball since July 4 （minimum 70 plate appearances）．．．he is 13 －for－31（．419）with three doubles and four walks in 10 games since being reinstated from the 10 －day Injured List on July 31.
＇ 91 REUNION THIS WEEKEND－FRIDAY PREVIEW：Friday，August 13 vs．Tampa Bay Rays presented by Minnesota Lottery（7：10 p．m．）
玉 1991 World Series 30th Anniversary Celebration：The reunion weekend kicks off on Friday evening： © Pregame Photo Opportunity（ 1991 World Series Alumni）：Fans will have an opportunity to have their photo taken with Game 7 batterymates Jack Morris and Brian Harper， along with fan favorite Junior Ortiz，from 6：15 to 6：45 p．m．Inside Gate 29．．．Twins season ticket Holders will have an exclusive photo session from b：15 to b：45 p．m．at the Digital Clubhouse with two members of the 1991 starting rotation（Scott Erickson and Kevin Tapani），bullpen standout Carl Willis and closer Rick Aguilera（Please note that players and times are subject to change）．
क In－game Photo Opportunity（1991 World Series Trophy）：The 1991 World Series trophy will be on display throughout the weekend in Truly On Deck（except for during Saturday＇s pregame ceremony）．
历 A special group of fans who have been Twins Season Ticket Holders since 1991 will lead the crowd in＂Take Me Out to the Ballgame＂during the 7th－inning stretch
玉 Former Twins legend／manager／coach／player／National Baseball Hall－of－Famer Paul

| STREAKS |  |
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| Current Streak | 1 win |
| Last 5 games． | 3－2 |
| Last 10 games． | 6－4 |
| Last 15 games． | 7－8 |
| Last 20 games． | 9－11 |


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| 2021 at Home：．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．3－5 |  |  |  |
| 2021 at Chicago ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．－8 |  |  |  |
| All－Time Record：．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．508－456－3 |  |  |  |
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| All－Time at Chicago：．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．235－250－1 |  |  |  |
| 2021 Game Logs： |  |  |  |
| Date | Site | Score | Winner／Loser／Save |
| 5／11 | CWS | 3－9 | Crochet／Alcala |
| 5／12 | CWS | 8－13 | Keuchel／Happ |
| 5／13 | CWS | 2－4 | Lynn／Pineda／Hendriks |
| 5／17 | MIN | 4－16 | Keuchel／Happ |
| 5／18 | MIN | 5－4 | Rogers／Bummer |
| 5／19 | MIN |  | Giolito／Shoemaker／Hendriks |
| 6／28 | CWS |  | ＊＊PPD＊＊ |
| 6／29 | CWS | 6－7 | Giolito／Maeda／Hendriks |
| 6／30 | CWS | 3－13 | Cease／Ober |
| 7／1 | CWS | 5－8 | Kopech／Alcala |
| $7 / 5$ | MIN | 8－5 | Ober／Cease／Robles |
| $7 / 6$ | MIN | 1－4 | Rodón／Berrios／Hendriks |
| 717 | MIN | 1－6 | Lynn／Pineda |
| 7／19 | CWS | 3－2（8） | Duffey／Crochet／Robles |
| ＊＊ | CWS | 3－5 | Bummer／Berríos |
| 7／20 | CWS | 5－9 | Bur／／Alcala |
| 7／21 | CWS | 7－2 | Pineda／Cease |
| 8／9 | MIN | 1－11 | Giolito／Burrows |
| 8／10 | MIN | 4－3 | Jax／Keuchel／Colomé |
| $8 / 11$ | MIN |  | 12：10 pm（CT） |

CURRENT HDMESTAND［1－I］

## HDME RUNS VG．CHICAFO THIS SEASON

## Max Kepler，MIN．

Eric Haase，DET．．．．
Salvador Perez，KC
Miguel Sanó，MIN．
Josh Donaldson，MIN
José Ramírez，CLE
Nelson Cruz，MIN／B
Jonathan Schoop，DET

ON THIS DAY IN TWINS HISTORY：In 2001，Doug Mientkiewicz made all three putouts in the bottom of the second inning without touching first base．．．Tampa Bay had Toby Hall on third base and Randy Winn on first with no outs in the inning when Aubrey Huff hit a weak grounder to Mientkiewicz．．．the first baseman crossed the diamond to chase Hall back to third，then tagged out Winn who had run all the way around from first．．．．Mientkiewicz then caught Hall wandering off the base to complete an unassisted double play．．．the next Rays hitter，Jared Sandberg，hit a foul pop－up that Mientkiewicz caught for the third out．．．．in 2008，Ron Gardenhire earned his 600 th managerial win in a 4－0 defeat of New York－AL at the Metrodome．．．Glen Perkins was the starter and winner that day，pitching 8.0 shutout innings with four hits allowed．

## BALLEY DBER

Height: 6-9 Weight: 260 B/: R/R Age: 26 (7/12/1995 in Huntersville, NC)
2021: 1-1, 4.99 ERA CAREER: 1-1, 4.99 ERA
$\Phi$ Rookie is making his 13 th career start and appearance.
$\Phi$ Making his fifth start against Chicago-AL; is 1-1, 6.23 ERA (17.1 IP, 12 ER) in first four efforts. $\Phi$ Selected by the Twins in the 12th round of the 2017 First-Year Player Draft out of the College

## 2Del MAJJR LEABUE DAY-BY-DAY

| Date Opp. Dec. | IP | H | R | ER | HR | R BB | B So |  | Left/Fina |  | Not |  |  | Pitches/K |  |
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| 5/18 vs.CWS ND | 4.0 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 4 |  | 1-4/5-4 |  | Twins tied | tin 8th a | walked off | 82/5 | ( $8.3 \%)$ |
| MAY TOTALS 0-0 | 4.0 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 9.00 ERA |  |
| 6/6 at KC ND | 4.0 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | - 4 | 4 | 1-1/2-1 |  | Retired 1st 6 batters faced |  |  | 51/37 (72.5\%) |  |
| $6 / 11$ vs. HOU ND | 5.0 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 7 |  | 3-2/4-6 |  | Career-high 7 K |  |  | 73/52 (71.2\%) |  |
| 6/16 at SEA ND | 4.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - 6 | 6 | 3-0/7-2 |  | 1st 3.0 IP were perfect |  |  | 63/40 (63.5\%) |  |
| 6/22 vs. CIN ND | 4.1 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 |  | 2-3/7-10 |  | 1st career start w/ 2 BB |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 78 / 53(67.9 \%) \\ & 80 / 49(613 \%) \end{aligned}$ |  |
| $6 / 30$ at CWS L1 | 3.1 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 3 |  | 1-4/3-13 |  | Shortest start of career |  |  |  |  |
| JUNE TOTALS 0-1 | 20.2 | 23 | 12 | 12 | 5 | 5 | 22 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  | 5.23 ERA |  |
| 7/5 vs.CWS W1 | 5.0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 7 |  | 3-0/8-5 |  | 1st career win; 2nd scoreless start 93/57 (61.3\%) |  |  |  |  |
| $7 / 10$ vs. DET ND | 3.1 | 4 |  | 4 | 2 | 2 | 4 |  | 0-3/9-4 |  | Twins scored 9 R in innings $6-8$ to win $79 / 49$ (62.0\%) |  |  |  |  |
| 7/20 at CWS ND | 5.0 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 4 |  | 2-4/5-9 |  | CWS scored 5 R in 8 th to win |  |  | 66/48 (72.7\%) |  |
| $7 / 25$ vs. LAA ND | 5.1 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 4 |  | 2-2/2-6 |  | Career-high 5.1 IP <br> 3rd-consecutive GS with $\leq 3$ ER |  |  | 68/4 | 7.6\%) |
| 7/31 at STL ND | 4.0 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 6 |  | 7-1/8-1 |  |  |  |  | 64/44 (68.8\%) |  |
| JULY Totals 1-0 | 22.2 | 18 | 11 | 10 | 4 | 8 | 25 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3.97 ERA |  |
| 8/6 at HOU ND | 5.0 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 5 |  | 3-3/5-4 |  | MIN outlasted Greinke \& HOU in 11 |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 80 / 55 \text { (68.8\%) } \\ 5.40 \text { ERA } \end{array}$ |  |
| AUG TOTALS 0-0 | 5.0 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 5 |  |  |  | ER |  |  |  |  |
|  | RECORD |  |  |  | IP |  |  |  | H | R |  |  | BB | SO | ERA |
| 2021 TOTALS |  |  | 1-1 |  |  | 52.1 |  |  | 53 | 30 | 29 | 13 | 15 | 56 | 4.99 |
| CAREER TOTALS |  |  | 1-1 |  |  | 52.1 |  |  | 53 | 30 | 29 | 13 | 15 | 56 | 4.99 |

LAST START: Ober did not factor into the decision last Friday night in Houston, an eventual 5-4, 11-inning Twins win in the second of four games at Minute Maid Park...matched his career high by allowing seven hits (the same number the Astros collected off him on June 11 at Target Field), but limited the damage to just three runs over 5.0 innings pitched, with one walk and five strikeouts...all three Houston runs scored via a pair of home runs, the fourth time he has allowed multiple homers in a start.

क Has a 3.71 ERA (14.1 IP, 6 ER) in his last three starts, after allowing seven earned runs in
8.1 innings pitched ( 7.56 ERA) in the prior two.

START PRIOR: Bailey also had a no-decision in the Twins' 8-1 victory in St. Louis on July 31 after allowing just one run on four hits over 4.0 innings of work, with one walk and six strikeouts...Harrison Bader singled in the bottom of the fourth inning to plate the Cardinals' lone run of the game...marked the fourth time Ober allowed one-or-fewer runs in an outing.
FAMILIAR FOE: Today marks the fifth start of Ober's rookie campaign against Chicago-AL, far and away the most oft-faced opponent of his young career...in fact, the only other team he has pitched against more than once is Houston (2 starts)...both of Ober's career decisions have come vs. the
White Sox, as he is $1-1,6.23$ ERA (17.1 IP, 12 ER) over his first four starts
Made his major league debut May 18 opposite Lance Lynn and Chicago-AL here at Target Field,
allowing four runs on five hits in 40 innings (Twins rallied to win in walk
allowing four runs on five hits in 4.0 innings (Twins rallied to win in walk-off fashion, 5-4).
Picked up his first big league victory over the White Sox on July 5 at Target Field...tossed 5.0 nnings of two-hit, shutout ball, with a career-high seven strikeouts, before the Twins held on decision in each of his last five starts.
Is 1 - 270 ERA (10.0 IP 3 ER) in his
(7.1 IP 9 ER) in his first two. .

LOW RISP, HIGH REWARD: Through his first 12 career major league starts, Ober is holding opponents to a 188 batting average ( 3 -for-16) with runners in scoring position and two outs, as well as a .242 (8-for-33) overall mark with RISP...has allowed multiple hits with runners in scoring position Ober held opposing hitters to just a . 182 (4-for-22) batting average with runners in scoring position.
2021 ARSENAL: Here's a look at the rookie's repertoire, per Baseball Savant.
PITCH (AVG. MPH)
4-Seam Fastball (92.1)...... $58.4 \%$ (512 pitches, 229/28
Slider (79.7).
Changeup (84.7)

$\Phi$ reball (74.4)................. $11.5 \%$ ( 102 pitches, 26/76)....................
LOW TRAFFIC: Ober struck out 100 batters and walked just nine in 2019, good for an MiLB-best 11.11 strikeout-to-walk ratio (min. 75.0 IP )...that season, he also ranked second in the minors in WHIP (0.81) and base runners-per-9.0 IP (7.55), and was fifth in walks-per-9.0 IP (1.03)
for an 11.87 base-runners-per- 90 IP ratio he's also averase runners in 258 walks-1 innings, good averaging 9.63 strikeouts-per- 9.0 IP...he has walked just 15 batters compared to 56 strikeouts, recording a 3.73 strikeout-to-walk ratio.
YOUTH MOVEMENT: Ober is one of seven players to make his major league debut for the Twins this season and one of three pitchers...the others are: C Ben Rortvedt (April 30), IF/OF Nick Gordon (May 6), OF Trevor Larnach (May 8), OF Gilberto Celestino (June 2), RHP Griffin Jax (June 8) and LHP Charlie Barnes (July 17).

SAINTLY SUMMARY: Ober made four starts for Triple-A St. Paul this season, going 1-0, 2.81 ERA (16.0 IP, 5 ER), five walks, 21 strikeouts and a 217 opponent batting average ( 13 -for- 60 )...two of the starts occurred prior to his call-up on May 18 and two after...made his season debut in the Saints' fifth game on May 8 at Omaha, taking a no-decision after working 3.0 innings and allowing one run on three hits, with two walks and three strikeouts; the run scored on a fielder's choice in his tinal frame of work... with a thenon May 25 at lowa working 50 innings of one-run ball and allowing just four hits while walking none and fanning five as the Saints exploded for 17 runs en route to 177 rout of the I-Cubs his other and batters in 4.0 strong innings as St. Paul won 7-3 and completed a six-game sweep-

CAREER REDUX: Selected by the Twins in the 12th round of the 2017 First-Year Player Draft out of the College of Charleston, the 25 -year-old has gone 18-3, 2.41 ERA (197.2 IP, 53 ER) with 26 walks, 244 strikeouts and a . 222 opponent batting average (163-for-734) over 38 career minor league appearances ( 35 starts) from 2017-21...was added to the Twins' 40-man roster on November 20, 2020 ...spent part of the offseason working out in Colorado with fellow Twins staffmate Taylor Rogers and last night's pitcher Griffin Jax.
$\Phi$ Among all minor leaguers between 2017-21 (min. 180.0 IP), Ober ranks second with a 9.38 strikeout-to-walk ratio, second only to reigning American League Cy Young Award winner Shane Bieber (who posted a 14.06 mark over the 2017-18 seasons).
$\Phi$ Over that same time span, Ober ranks fourth by allowing just 8.79 base runners-per- 9.0
innings, fourth by walking just 1.18 batters-per- 9.0 -innings and sixth in WHIP (0.96).
SKOL TWINS: Ober attended Charlotte Christian School in Charlotte, North Carolina, where he was batterymates on the baseball team and friends with ikings center Garrett Bradbury....Bradbury had just his wife Carson Carson is also the older sister of Kansas City Royals No 4 prospect Jackson Kowar
\#82 IN YOUR PROGRAMS, \#1 IN YOUR HEART: Ober is the first player in Twins history to wear uniform number 82 ....former hitting coach James Rowson is the only other uniformed personnel to wear \#82, doing so while presiding over 2019's "Bomba Squad."

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| :---: | :---: |
| CG's: -- | CG's: -- |
| SHO's: - - | SHO's: -- |
| CG Low Hit: -- | CG Low-Hit: -- |
| Innings: 5.1, 7/25 vs. LAA | Innings: 5.1, 7/25/21 vs. LAA |
| SO's: 7, 2x, last: 7/5 vs. CWS | SO's: 7, 2x, last: 7/5/21 vs. CWS |
| Walks: $3,7 / 5$ vs. CWS | Walks: 3, 7/5/21 vs. CWS |
| Hits: 7, 2x, last 8/6 at HOU | Hits: 7, 2x, last: 6/11/21 vs. HOU |
| Home Runs: $3,6 / 30$ at CWS | Home Runs: 3, 6/30/21 at CWS |
| Win-Streak: 1, 7/5-present | Win-Streak: 1, 7/5/21-present |
| Loss-Streak: 1, 6/30 | Loss-Streak: 1, 6/30/21 |

## CAREER NDTES

- Made his MLB debut on May 18, 2021, starting for the Twins against Chicago-AL. - In 2020, spent spring training on minor league side of CenturyLink Sports Complex in Fort Myers, FL....was not part of Twins' 60-man Player Pool for season.
- Added to Twins 40-man roster on November 20, 2020.

Split the 2019 season between three levels of Twins organization, combining to go 8-0, 0.69 ERA ( $78.2 \mathrm{IP}, 6$ ER) with nine walks, 100 strikeouts and a . 194 opponent batting average in 14 games ( 13 starts) for GCL Twins, Single-A Fort Myers and

- ed all minor league

Led ald minor league pitchers (min. 75.0 IP) with a 0.69 ERA (78.2 IP, 6 ER) and ranked second in the minors with a 0.81 WHIP...also became the first Twins minor league pitcher

- Named Florida State earned runs in 78.2-or-more innings pitched since at least 1961. League Pitcher of the Week for Pensacola on September 2
- Named Twins minor league Pitcher of the Week twice during the 2019 season: once for Fort Myers on August 4 ( 6.1 IP, 0 ER, 6 H in 1 start) and again on August 25 with Pensacola (1-0, $7.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{O} \mathrm{BB}, 12 \mathrm{~K}$ ).
- In 2018, was named Twins minor league Pitcher of the Week in consecutive weeks: July 7, going 1-0 with 7.0 shutout innings and 12 strikeouts vs. Wisconsin for the Kernels, and again July 14, going 1-0 with two runs allowed in 7.0 innings and 10 strikeouts vs. Fort Wayne...became first ever Twin to win the award twice in a season.
- Selected by Twins in 12th round of 2017 First-Year Player Draft; signed by scout Seth Moir...originally selected by Los Angeles-NL in the 23rd round of the 2016 First-Year Player Draft, but elected to return to the College of Charleston for the 2017 season.
Arom Ted College of Charleston from 2014-17, missing the 2015 season recovering and 254 strikeouts in 259.2 innings over the course of his collegiate career

\section*{20el MISC. NUMEERS <br> |  | W | L | ERA | G/GS | IP | ER |  |  | AVG | H | AB | HR | BB |
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| SO |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Home: | 1 | 0 | 5.33 | $6 / 6$ | 27.0 | 16 | Vs. Left: | .306 | 30 | 98 | 6 | 10 | 24 |
| Road: | 0 | 1 | 4.62 | $6 / 6$ | 25.1 | 13 | Vs. Right: | .217 | 23 | 106 | 7 | 5 | 32 |
| Day: | 0 | 0 | 5.82 | $4 / 4$ | 17.0 | 11 | TOTALS: | .260 | 53 | 204 | 13 | 15 | 56 |
| Night: | 1 | 1 | 4.58 | $8 / 8$ | 35.1 | 18 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Grass: | 1 | 1 | 4.99 | $12 / 12$ | 52.1 | 29 | None On: | .240 | 30 | 125 | 9 | 11 | 35 |
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2021 vs. Chicago-AL ( 4 starts): 1-1, 6.23 ERA (17.1 IP, 12 ER), 7 BB, 18 K
2021 vs. Chicago-AL at Home (2 starts): 1-0, 4.00 ERA ( $9.0 \mathrm{IP}, 4 \mathrm{ER}$ ), $4 \mathrm{BB}, 11 \mathrm{~K}$
2021 vs. Chicago-AL on Road (2 starts): 0-1, 8.64 ERA (8.1 IP, 8 ER), 3 BB, 7 K
Career vs. Chicago-AL (4 starts): 1-1, 6.23 ERA (17.1 IP, 12 ER), 7 BB, 18 K
Career vs. Chicago-AL at Home (2 starts): 1-0, $4.00 \mathrm{ERA}(9.0 \mathrm{IP}, 4 \mathrm{ER}$ ), $4 \mathrm{BB}, 11 \mathrm{~K}$
Career vs. Chicago-AL on Road (2 starts): 0-1, 8.64 ERA (8.1 IP, 8 ER ), $3 \mathrm{BB}, 7 \mathrm{~K}$
BATTER-PITCHER MATCH-UPG

| Ober vs. the White Sox |  |  |  |  |  |  | López vs. the Twins |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Anderson | . 091 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | Kepler | . 167 | 24 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Moncada | 375 | 8 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | Cave | . 455 | 11 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| Abreu | . 429 | 7 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 3 | Donaldson | . 364 | 11 | 4 | 2 | - | 1 |
| Sheets | . 286 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | Polanco | . 091 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 4 |
| García | . 167 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | Sanó | . 182 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 6 |
| Grandal | . 200 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | Arraez | . 400 | 10 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Vaughn | . 200 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | Garver | . 625 | 8 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Goodwin | . 500 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | Buxton | . 750 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Collins | . 000 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Simmons | . 500 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Lamb | . 500 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | Jeffers | . 500 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Zavala | . 000 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | Astudillo | . 000 | 1 | - | 0 | 1 | 0 |
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WALKING TALL: Standing six feet, nine inches tall, Ober is one of just five players 6-8-ortaller to suit up for the Twins and Senators, as well as just the third pitcher of that heigh east 12 starts in tho mas ince Alex Meyer started 13 times for Los Angeles-AL in 2017 the other pitchers 6-8-or-taller to play for the Twins are

| TALLEST PITCHERS TO PLAY FOR THE TWINS/SENATORS |  |
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| NAME | HEIGHT (SEASONS W/ MIN/WAS) |
| Jon Rauch.........................................6-11 (200 |  |
| *Bailey Ober...........................................6-9 (2021) |  |
| *Aaron Slegers. | 6-9 (2017-18) |
| *Alex Meyer..........................................6-9 (2015-16 |  |
| k Smithso | 6-8 (1984-87) |

## FRIIDAY'S STARTER - RHP MICHAEL PINEDA [UDEI SEASON: 4-7, 3.83 ERA I/ CAREER: 57-53, 4.00 ERA

## CHARLIE BARNES - LHP <br> Height: 6-2 Weight: 190

## Age: 25 (10/1/95 in Sumter, SC)

 Acquired: 4th Round, 2017 DraftHomestand: $0-0-0,5.79$ (4.2 IP, 3 ER), $3 \mathrm{~K}, 2 \mathrm{BB}$ Series vs CWS: $0-0-0,5.79$ (4.2 IP, 3ER), $3 \mathrm{~K}, 2 \mathrm{BB}$ vs. Left . 286 vs. Right . 333
Made first career relief appearance on $8 / 9$, allowing three runs on six hits, with two walks and three strikeouts over a career-high-tying 4.2 innings of work vs. CWS...recalled from Triple-A St. Paul on July $30 \ldots$...made his major league debut in the first game of the doubleheader on July 17 at Detroit (L, 4.2 IP, $4 \mathrm{H}, 1 \mathrm{R} / \mathrm{ER}, 1 \mathrm{HR}, 1 \mathrm{BB}, 1 \mathrm{~K}$ ), became the second pitcher in Twins history to allow one-or-fewer runs in his debut and take the loss, joining Brad Havens on June 5, 1981...also started on $8 / 4$ at CIN (L, 4.0 IP, 7 H, 5 R/ER, 2 BB \& 2 K).
क Career 0-2, 6.23 ERA (8.2 IP, 6 ER) with 3 BB \& 3 K over 2 starts this season (both starts on the road).

## ALEX CDLDME - RHP Weight: 225

Height: 6-1 Age: 32 (12/31/88 in Santo Domingo, DR) Acquired: Signed as FA, 2/12/21 Homestand: 0-0-1, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB Series vs CWS: 0-0-1, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left. 324 vs. Right. 196 $\Phi$ Recorded 6th save last night (his 4th since 4/7)...career 8-6-53 (5GS), 2.51 ERA ( 143.1 IP, 40 ER) with 38 BB \& 127 K over 113 games vs AL Central...career 0-1-8, 3.48 ERA ( 20.2 IP, 8 ER) with 7 BB \& 22 K over 20 games vs. CWS... 8 app. vs. CWS this season, 2.16 ERA ( 8.1 IP, 2 ER) 3 BB \& 8 K...has 4 SV in 4.1 scoreless IP last five app...is 2-1, 4.50 ERA ( 22.0 IP, 11 ER) with 3 holds, 7 BB \& 21 K over 23 games at Target Field this season...has stranded 7-0f-9 IR this season...traded from SEA to CWS on 11/30/18 and played for CWS 2019-20 seasons. $\Phi$ Has 4 SV, 3 holds and 2.41 ERA (18.2 IP, 5 ER), with 5 BB, 13 K and . 200 BAA ( 14 -for- 70 ) in his last 19 outings ( 15 scoreless efforts)...T-2nd in appearances (45) among active Twins...has held RHB to . 196 BAA (19-for-97) w/ 2 HR \& . 295 SLG...LHB are hitting . 324 (23-for-71) w/ 4 HR \& . 563 SLG...opponents are batting . 216 (11-for-51) off him with RISP.

## IANNY CIULDMBE - LHP [PRDNOUNEED KDI-LDHM]

\#53
Height: 5-10 Weight: 190 Age: 31 (10/26/1989 in St. Louis, MO) Acquired: Signed as minor league free agent, 11/9/20 Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 ( 0.0 IP, 0 ER), $0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series vs CWS: $0-0-0,0.00(0.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}$ ), $0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ vs. Left 250 vs. Right 244 क Is 1-0, $1.00 \mathrm{ERA}(9.0 \mathrm{IP}, 1 \mathrm{ER}$ ), with $\mathrm{BB}, 12 \mathrm{~K}$ in 8 games vs. AL Central this season...has appeared in 3 G vs. CWS this season ( $3.1 \mathrm{IP}, 7 \mathrm{~K}$ ). क Career 1.42 ERA (12.2 IP, 2 ER) with 4 ' BB \& 14 K vs. CWS...1.0 IP with 3 K in one game vs. CWS at Target Field this season...allowed 2 ER on $8 / 5$...earned 1st hold on $8 / 7$ ( 0.1 IP)...has allowed 5 ER over last 14 outings ( 15.0 IP), w/ 3.00 ERA, 2 BB, 16 K and a 255 BAA (14-for- 55 ). - Placed on Paternity List on 7/16...reinstated from paternity leave $7 / 19$ after he \& his wife, Lauren, welcomed their second son, Thomas. क Contract selected from Triple-A St. Paul on $6 / 25$ and has appeared in 16 games (1 start) for the Twins, going 2-1, 2.89 ERA (18.2 IP, 6 ER)

## TYLER IUFFEY - RHP

Age: 30 (12/27/90 in Houston, TX
Acquired: 5th Round, 2012 Draft
Height: 6-3 Weight: 220
Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB $\qquad$ Series vs CWS: 0-0-0 $0,00(1,0$ IP, OER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left 259 vs. Right 235
$\Phi$ Has pitched 1 x in 4 th, 6 x in 5th, 10 x in 6 th, 19 x in 7 th, 9 x in 8 th, 3 x in 9 th, 4 x in extras so far this season...has not allowed ER in 36 of $46 \mathrm{G} \ldots$
1st in (46) among active Twins (w/ Jorge Alcala) career 2-2-1 7 holds 335 ERA (43.0 IP 16 ER) with 14 BB \& 48 K over 28 ames

vs. CWS... is 1-0, with two holds, a 1.42 ERA (6.1 IP, 1 ER) with 3 BB \& 2 K in 7 games vs. CWS this season... 1.2 IP, 1 ER \& 1 BB in 3 games $\Phi$ Vs. CWS at Target Field...allowed one ER on $8 / 8$ for the 1 st time since $7 / 30$.
Has posted a 4.50 ERA ( 24.0 IP, 12 ER) and 293 BAA in 24 road G , compared to 2.70 ERA ( 20.0 IP, 6 ER) and .176 BAA in 22 home G this season - Has held RHB to 235 BAA ( 24 -for-102) w/ 13 BB, 26 K and .333 SLG...LHB are hitting .259 ( 15 -for-58) w/ $10 \mathrm{BB}, 11 \mathrm{~K}$ and .379 SLG.

## JOHN GANT - RHP

Age: 29 (8/6/1992 in Savannah, GA)
Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BBe: 29 Series vs CWS 0-0, GA) Acquired: Trade with STL, 7/30/2021 ( 0 . Sisk, in exchange for LHP J.A. Happ...started a game vs. CWS while playing for STL this season ( $5 / 26$ ), earned the W, 5.0 IP, 3 BB \& 3 K . Went 4-6, 3.42 ERA (76.1 IP, 29 ER), 56 BB, 56 K, .229/.365/.343 opponent slash line ( $64-$ for-280) in 25 games ( 14 starts) for STL this season © Began year in STL rotation; pitched exclusively out of 'pen since 6/28, posting 1.54 ERA (11.2 IP, 2 ER) and . 167 BAA (7-for-42) in 11 G for STL. 2021 arsenal: Sinker - $37.7 \%$ ( 556 pitches), Changeup - $21.8 \%$ ( 321 pitches), 4 -Seam Fastball - $12.6 \%$ ( 1815 pitches), Slider - $10.2 \%$ (150 pitches), Cutter - 10.4\% (153 pitches), Curveball - $7.3 \%$ (108 pitches).

## EIGAR BARCIA - RFP

Height: 6-1 Weight: 205 Age: 25 (10/4/96 in Sabana Grande De Palenque, DR ) Acquired: Claimed off waivers from CIN, 7/30/21 Homestand: 0-0-0, 3.86 (2.1 IP, 1 ER), 1 K, 0 BB $\qquad$ Series vs CWS: 0-0-0, 3.86 (2.1 IP, 1ER), 1 K, 0 BB vs. Left 333 vs. Right 000
$\Phi$ Claimed off waivers from Cincinnati on July 30 ...recalled on $8 / 9$ from Triple-A St. Paul and made his Twins debut, entering in the third inning in relief of Burrows and allowed one run on one hit, with one strikeout over a career-high 2.1 innings of work vs. CWS.
$\Phi$ Has also appeared in four games for the Saints, going 2-0 with 5.0 scoreless innings, two hits allowed, one walk and six strikeouts.
$\Phi$ Made his major league debut in 2019 for Philadelphia and has appeared in 47 career games across three MLB seasons with Philadelphia, Tampa Bay, Cincinnati and Minnesota, going 2-1-1 with a 6.98 ERA (49.0 IP, 38 ER), one save, 31 walks and 51 strikeouts.

## JUAN MINAYA - RHP

 Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 ( $0.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}$ ), $0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series vs CWS: $0-0-0,0.00(0.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{OR}$ ), $0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB}$ vs. Left . 130 vs. Right 216 $\Phi$ Played for CWS from 2016-2019, went 6-4-10, with 3.93 ERA (128.1 IP, 56 ER) with 10 holds, 66 BB \& 142 K over 125 games.
$\Phi$ Earned $W$ on $8 / 6$ ( 1.1 scoreless IP with 2 K )...also earned $W$ on $7 / 23$, which was his 1 st $W$ since $9 / 12 / 18$ at KC (W/CWS).
$\Phi$ DFA-ed on $6 / 5$ \& outrighted to AAA St. Paul on $6 / 8 \ldots$...contract selected on $7 / 17$, has allowed 4 ER in 10.1 IP, $5 \mathrm{BB}, 15 \mathrm{~K}$ in 7 games since return
© Last 4 app. have bee scoreless...has appeared in 10 games for the Twins this season, going 2-0-0, 4.02 ERA ( 15.2 IP, 7 ER), 8 BB, 18 K and . 175 BAA ( 10 -for-57)...career 8-4-10, with a 3.91 ERA (145.0 IP, 63 ER) with 74 BB \& 161 K over 136 ML games (2016-2019 w/ CWS \& 2021 W/ MIN).

## CALEB THIELBAR - LHP

## Age: 34 (1/31/87 in Northfield, MN)

 क Career 2-0, 17.2 IP, 11 ER, 5 BB \& 19 K over 20 games vs. CWS; runs allowed on $8 / 7$ were 1 st R vs. HOU in. Left. 226 Vs. Right. 245 allowed on road since $5 / 11$ at CWS (4 ER)..earned 7th hold of the season on 8/5...career 1-0, two holds, 9.0 IP with 13 K \& a BAA of 289 at Target Field (9 games).
$\Phi$ Is 3-0, 4.07 ERA (42.0 IP, 19 ER ) w/ 7 holds, 14 BB and 54 K in 39 games overall this season... 19 of last 24 appearances have been scoreless. क Earned 3 rd W on $7 / 26$...T-11th among qualified left-handed AL relievers this season by striking out 11.57 batters-per- 9.0 innings pitched.
क Has allowed 10 of 16 inherited runners to score this season T-11th most in AL owns a 284 ERA (25.1IP 8 ER) w/ 5 holds, 7 BB 30 Kin 23 home app. this season, compared to a 5.94 ERA ( $16.2 \mathrm{IP}, 11 \mathrm{ER}$ ) with 7 BB and 24 K in 16 road games.
Ф 2021 arsenal: $4-$ Seam FB $-50.2 \%$ ( 370 pitches), Slider $-36.1 \%$ ( 266 pitches), Curveball $-13.4 \%$ ( 99 pitches), Changeup $-0.3 \%$ ( 2 pitches)

## NIEK VINCENT - RHP

Height: 5-10 Weight: 185

Age: 35 (7/12/86 in Poway CA)

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$\Phi$ Contract selected yesterday from Triple-A St. Paul....signed to a minor league contract by the Twins on June 22, has appeared in 14 games for the Saints this season, going 3-1 with a 4.26 ERA ( $19.0 \mathrm{IP}, 9 \mathrm{ER}$ ), six saves, five walks and 24 strikeouts.
Has pitched in parts of nine major league seasons with San Diego, Seattle, San Francisco, Philadelphia and Miami, going 22-23 with a 3.38 ERA (399.0 IP, 150 ER), seven saves, 100 walks and 396 strikeouts in 405 career games (2 starts).


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| $8 / 10$ vs. CWS | S6 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| $8 / 8$ at HOU | S5 | 1.0 | 0 |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 8/6 at HOU | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| $8 / 5$ at HOU | S4 | 0.1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| $8 / 3$ at CIN | S3 | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 7/31 at STL | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| 7/26 vs. DET | BS4 | 1.0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| $7 / 25$ vs. LAA | ND | 1.0 | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| $7 / 23$ vs. LAA | ND | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

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| $7 / 30$ | at STL | ND | 2.0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
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| $7 / 27$ | vs. DET ND | 0.2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

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| 8/10 vs. CWS H15 | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| $8 / 8$ at HOU ND | 0.2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 8/6 at HOU ND | 1.0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| $8 / 5$ at HOU H14 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| 7/30 at STL L3 | 1.0 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 7/27 vs. DET H13 | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| 7/26 vs. DET H12 | 1.0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 7/21 at CWS ND | 1.2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 7/19 at CWS (1) W2 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| 7/11 vs. DET W1 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |



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| $8 / 8$ at HOU | ND | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 8/6 at HOU | W2 | 1.1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| 8/4 at CIN | ND | 2.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 5 |
| 7/31 at STL | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| $7 / 28$ vs. DET | ND | 3.0 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 3 |
| $7 / 23$ vs. LAA | W1 | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| $7 / 18$ at DET | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 6/4 at KC | ND | 2.1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| RECENT APPEARANCES |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 8/7 at HOU | ND | 1.0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| $8 / 5$ at HOU | H7 | 0.2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 8/4 at CIN | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 7/31 at STL | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| $7 / 27$ vs. DET | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 7/26 vs. DET | W3 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| $7 / 24$ vs. LAA | ND | 1.1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 7/21 at CWS | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 7/20 at CWS | ND | 0.2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| $7 / 9$ vs. DET | ND | 1.0 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 |

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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 |
| Charlie Barnes | . 000 | 3.38 | 4.05 | 0/0 | 0 | 100.0\% (1/1) | 1.65 | 2 | 0.0 PP (0) | 4.2 P (68) | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ |
| Alex Colome | . 415 | 3.59 | 8.02 | 6/10 | 9 | 22.2\% (2/9) | 1.38 | 6 | $1.0 \mathrm{IP}(10)$ | $0.0 \mathrm{IP}(0)$ | $1.01 \mathrm{P}(18)$ |
| Danny Coulombe | . 400 | 1.45 | 10.13 | 0/1 | 3 | 25.0\% (1/4) | 1.07 | 4 | 0.0 IP (0) | 0.01 P (0) | 0.1 IP (7) |
| Tyler Duffey | . 250 | 4.70 | 7.57 | 2/4 | 21 | 57.9\% (11/19) | 1.41 | 3 | 1.0 IP (15) | 0.01 P (0) | $0.21 \mathrm{P}(15)$ |
| John Gant | . 250 | 1.59 | 12.71 | 0/0 | 1 | 0.0\% (0/0) | 0.88 | 0 | 1.0 IP (11) | 0.01 P (0) | $0.0 \mathrm{IP}(0)$ |
| Edgar Garcia | . 000 | 0.00 | 3.86 | $0 / 0$ | 0 | 0.0\% (0/0) | 0.43 | 0 | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ | 2.11 P (32) | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ |
| Juan Minaya | . 200 | 4.32 | 10.26 | 0/0 | 2 | 0.0\% (0/2) | 1.14 | 2 | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ | 0.0 IP (0) | $1.01 \mathrm{P}(12)$ |
| Caleb Thielbar | . 212 | 3.00 | 11.57 | 0/0 | 14 | 62.5\% (10/16) | 1.21 | 5 | 0.01 P (0) | 0.01 PP (0) | 0.0 IP (0) |
| Nick Vincent | . 000 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0/0 | 0 | 0.0\% (0/0) | 0.00 | 0 | 0.0 IP (0) | 0.0 IP (0) | 0.0 IP (0) |

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## LU|S ARRAEZ - IF/DF [PRONOUNCED AH-RISE] <br> Height: 5-10 Weight: 175 B/T: L/R Age: 23 (4/9/97 in San Felipe, VZ) 2021 Average: 318 Homestand: $2-7$, RBI <br> Streak: 8g, 12-24, 2 2B, 2 RB Series vs CWS: 2-7, RBI Home Runs: 1 (1 2 -run)

क Went 1-for-4, RBI last night; extended H streak to season-high-tying 8 G (12-for-24)...tied career high by reaching base $5 x$ in game $8 / 4$ at CIN (also, $4 / 4 / 21$ at MIL)...has $83+\mathrm{H}$ games, 2 nd-most on MIN...reinstated from 10-day IL 7/31; missed 9 G w/ right knee strain 2B, 6 RBI, 7 BB CLE, became 4th Twin w/ 2B, 2 3B in game...on IL $3 x$ this season: 5/4-5/11 (concussion),
$5 / 26-6 / 14$ (right shoulder strain), $7 / 24-7 / 31$ (strained right knee)...batting 342 ( $67-$ for-196) from leadoff spot and .333 (11-for-32) combined from 4th \& 5th spots in batting order.
$\Phi$ Batting .279 (17-for-61) in 17 G vs. CWS this season, including .393 (11-for-28) in last 8 games.

## $\begin{array}{lll}\text { WILLIANS } & \text { ASTUDILLD - C/IF } & \\ \text { Height: 5-9 } & \text { Weight: } 225 & \text { B/T: R/R }\end{array}$ Age: 29 (10/14/91 in Barcelona Anzoategui, VZ 

$\Phi$ Hit 2-out 2-R o-ahead HR in 6th last night. 3rd career go-ahead HR \& 3rd w/ 2 outs (last $4 / 23$ vs. PIT) was 1 -for-3, R. RBI $8 / 5$ at HOU on $7 / 31$ at STL, had 4th career PH \& 2nd PH RBI...on 7/30, went 3-for-4 \& had b2b 3-H G for 1st time in career...recalled 7/21 (Kirilloff - IL 2nd stint w/ MIN (0D-6/19)...batting . 314 (11-for-35), 3 2B, 2 HR, 6 RBI, 5 R in 14 G since. Is 4 -for- $17,2 \mathrm{~B}, \mathrm{HR}, 2$ RBI, 2 R in 6 G vs. CWS this season...on 6/16 at SEA, went 1 -for- $2, \mathrm{R}$, 2 BB; 1st MLB game w/ 2 BB, 1st as pro since $5 / 2 / 17$ w/ AAA Reno.

## JAKE CAVE - DF $\begin{aligned} & \text { Height: 6-0 Weight: } 200 \text { B/T: L/L Age: } 28 \text { (12/4/92 in Hampton, VA) }\end{aligned}$ 2021 Average: $181 \quad$ Streak: $0-4 \quad$ Series vs CWS: 0-3

क Def. repl. in LF last night....went 1 -for-2, R, 3B 8/8; 1st 3B since 9/20/20 at CHC...had 3rd areer PH 7/31 at STL reinstated from 60-day low back...hit . 367 (11-for-30), 2B, HR, 5 RBI, 5 BB, 972 OPS in 8 rehab G w/ AAA St. Paul. Is 5 -for-21, 2 R, 3B, HBP, 2 BB in 14 games since return from IL.
Is 0 -for-4 in 3 games vs. CWS this season...career . 242 (22-for-91), $52 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{~B}, 6 \mathrm{HR}, 17 \mathrm{RBI}, 10$ BB in 30 games vs. CWS, incl. 4-for-13, 3B, HR, 2 R, 3 RBI in last 5 G vs. CWS at Target Field. Career def. positions: 136 in CF, 75 in RF, 39 in LF...in 2021: $18 \mathrm{G} / 8 \mathrm{GS}$ in LF, $21 \mathrm{G} / 14$ GS in CF, 7 G/5 GS in RF.

## JOHT IDNALDSDN - 3B <br> $\begin{array}{llll}\text { Height: } 6-1 & \text { Weight: } 210 \quad \text { B/T: R/R } & \text { \#Re: } 35(12 / 8 / 85 \text { in Pensacola, FL) }\end{array}$ 2021 Average: 242 Streak: 0-3 Series us CWS:

Went 0-for-3, R, BB last night; leads MIN w/ 52 BB (T-14th in AL), also 4th w/ 16 multi-hit G....was 1 -for-5 w/ go-ahead RBI 1B in 11th 8/6...had BB in 5-straight G 7/24-7/28, longest streak since career-best $8-G$ run $9 / 2-9 / 10 / 19$...2nd RBI on $7 / 26$ was 700 th of career, becoming 30th active player to reach 700 career RBI...has 10 go-ahead RBI, 3rd on Twins...recorded 3rd career PH 7/10, 1 st since $8 / 20 / 14 \ldots$ missed 5 G w/ right hamstring tightness, 7/3-7/7...HR in 3 -straight G $6 / 27-6 / 30$, 10 th time in career....went 2 -for- $46 / 24$ in 1st start since $6 / 16$; marked 1st multi-hit game since 6/11...recorded 22nd multi-HR game 6/11
Is 10 -for-48 (.208), 4 HR, 13 RBI, 6 R in 14 games vs. CWS this season...batting . 249 (39-for-158), 9 2B, 11 HR, 30 RBI in 46 G vs. AL Central this season...career 305 ( 304 -for-997), 23B, 4 B, 77 HR, $221 \mathrm{RBI}, 162 \mathrm{BB}, .404$ 0BP, 1.012 OPS in 277 games vs. AL Central...his career AVG vs. AL Central is 8th among actives (min. 400 AB ), while his 77 HR are $\mathrm{I}-7$ th.

## MITCH EARVER -

Height: 6-1 2021 Average: 122 Was 1-for-3, BB last night; 21 st $\mathrm{G} w / 2+$ TOB this season...went 2 -for- $5,3-\mathrm{R} \mathrm{HR} 8 / 3$ at CIN; 5 of 13 HR this season have come w/ ROB...batting . 217 (10-for-46), $7 \mathrm{R}, 22 \mathrm{~B}, 5 \mathrm{HR}, 11 \mathrm{RB}$ 4 BB, 895 OPS in 13 games since return from IL on 7/19...hit 1st career grand slam in 1st nn. 7/27...went 2 -for-3, 22 B, BB, HBP $7 / 26$ vS. DET; 6 th career game w/ 22 B \& 18th caree game w/ multiple XBH...on Paternity List 7/22-7/25; he and his wife, Sarah, welcomed son 2 HR, 2 RBI in G2 on 7/19; 7th career multi-HR game \& 2nd this season (also. 4/28 at CLE) missed 39 games w/ groin contusion sustained $6 / 1$ at BAL (placed on II 6/2)
missed 39 games w/ groin contusion sustained $6 / 1$ at BAL (placed on IL $6 / 2$ ).
Batting . 300 ( 6 -for-20), 2B, 2 HR, 2 RBI, 4 R, 4 BB, 1.067 OPS in 7 G vs. CWS this season..
batting . 378 ( 17 -for-45), 8 2B, 3B, 8 RBI, 9 R, . 431 OBP and 1.031 OPS in 14 career games vs. CWS at Target Field.

## $\begin{array}{lll}\text { RYAN JEFFERS - C } & & \text { \#27 } \\ \text { Height: } 6-4 & \text { Weight: } 235 & \text { B/: R/R }\end{array}$

2021 Average: . 2
Streak: 0-3

## Series vs CWS: $0-3$ Home Runs: $\quad 9$ (4

 Went 0-for-3 Monday......ent 2-for-3, RBI, BB $8 / 4$ at CIN....had HR in 62 b G for 2nd time in career grand slam in 4th inn marked 3rd career Gw/ 2 XBH (also $6 / 2$ at BAL $7 / 23$ vs LAA) has 10 RBI in last 6 G and is batting . 324 (12-for-37), 3 2B, 3 HR, 11 RBI, 1.024 OPS in last 13 games With Mitch Garver, marks Ist time in MIN history that 2 different catchers each hit a pand slam in same season...had XBH in career-high 3-straight G 6/13-16...is 5-for-20, RBI in 6 G vs. CWS this season...batting . 294 ( 5 -for-17), RBI in last 5 games vs. CWS.
##  2021 Average: 206 Streak: 0-9 Series vs CWS: $0-7$ Home Runs: 14 (10 1-run, 2 2-run, 23 -run)

$\Phi$ Went 0 -for-4 last night....was 3 -for-6, R 8/8, tying season high w/ 3 H (also, $4 / 1$ at MIL)...had SF in 10th $8 / 6 \& 1$ st multi-RBI G since $7 / 11$ vs. DET...hit walk-off $1 B$ in 10 th $7 / 26$ vs. DET 9th career WO PA, T-4th in MIN history...hit 11th career leadoff HR (2nd in '21) 7/25...7/20-

Kepler, continued..
seasons...had XBH in 3-straight G from 7/4-7/6...had 10th career multi-HR G on 7/5, 1st since 24 2B, missed 17 G RI, $14 \mathrm{BB}, 3 \mathrm{SB}, .277$ OBP and .686 OPS in 42 G since return from IL on of 60 hits this season have been XBH ( $132 \mathrm{~B}, 3$ 3B, 14 HR ).
Career . 215 ( 64 -for-298), 17 2B, 2 3B, 17 HR, 44 RBI in 83 G vs. CWS...his 17 HR vs. CWS are TREVIR LARNACH - IF

## Height: 6-4 Weight: 223 <br> Height: 6-4 <br> Weight: 223 2021 Average: 2

 Streak: $0-4$ $\qquad$ Age: 24 (2/26/1997 in Walnut Creek, CA). Was 0-for-2, HBP Monday...plunked 8x, T-3rd most among all MLB rookies \& T-1st in MIN history within a player's 1st 76 G (also, P. Ratliff)...went 2-for-4, RBI, BB 8/8, tying caree high w/ 3 TOB ( 6 th time)...on base $2+x$ in 31 of 76 career G ( $40.8 \%$ )...went 1-for-3, RBI, BB /23; 1st RBI since $7 / 9$ vs. DE....went 2-for-4 W/ 11th mutti-hit G $/ 118 \ldots 5$ of 7 HR have gon MIN's 11 PH this season...career 9-for-48, 5 2B, HR, 2 RBI, 7 R in 17 G vs. CWS.
Hit a 461-foot homer on 5/24, going 2-for-4 w/ R, HR \& 2 RBI in first career game vs. BAL...is 2nd-longest HR by a Twin this season (Statcast), 17th longest in Target Field history by any

## JDREE POLANCD - IF <br> Height: 5-11 Weight: 208 B/T: S/R Age: 28 (7/5/93 in San Pedro De Macorís, DR

 2021 Average: 272Series vs CWS: $1-9$
Home Runs:
20
Had PH 1B last night, 3rd career PH...on 8/8, had 3rd career multi-HR G \& 2nd this season 6/9 vs. NYY)...batting . 328 (19-for-58), 3 2B, 6 HR, 12 RBI in last 13 G...from 8/1-8/4, HR-ed in -straight G for 2nd time in career, behind only career-high 4-G run 8/21-8/23/17...had XBH in 4 -straight G 7/31-8/4, tying career-best (4th time)...leads MIN w/ 32 multi-hit G \& 9 G w/3+ $\Phi$ Batting . 312 (43-for-138) since $7 / 1$; ranks 6th in AL in AVG in that span (min. 115 AB ); also T-1st in AL and T-2nd in MLB w/ 11'HR in that span... hit walk-off, 3-R HR on 7/11 vs. DET went 3 -for- $6 \mathrm{w} / 3-\mathrm{RHR}, 2$ RBI 1 B and set new career high w/ 5 RBI.
Hitting . 270 ( 70 -for- 259 ) w/ 12 2B, 15 HR, 38 RBI as LHB vs. . 274 ( 40 -for-146), 11 2B, 3B, 5 Wis this as RHB is 314 ( 59 for-188) $122 \mathrm{~B} 10 \mathrm{HR}, 35$ RBl in 48 G vs. AL Contral this GV .

## RDB REFSNYDER - DF <br> Height: 6-0 Weight: 205

2021 Average: 309
Streak: 0-7
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { Series vs CWS: } & 0-4 \\ \text { Home Runs: } & 2(21 \text {-run) }\end{array}$
क Went 0-for-3, R, BB last night...was 1-for-4, R Friday...went 2-for-3, 2B, 2 R, 2 BB 8/5 at HOU in 1st MLB game since $6 / 13$; tied career high w/ 4 TOB (also, 5/17/21 and 9/30/15). Returned from rehab, reinstated from 10-day Injured List Thursday; missed 43 games w/ left 10 rehab games w/ AAA St Paul .batting 222 ( 6 -for- 27 ) on road vs 395 ( 15 -for- 38 ) thome $\Phi$ Is rehab games W/ AAA St. Paul...batting . 222 ( 6 -for-27) on road vs. . 395 ( 15 -for- 38 ) at home. RBI, 3 R, HBP, $4 \mathrm{BB}, .378$ OBP, .778 OPS in 15 career games vs. CWS.
$\Phi$ He is the 2nd South Korean-born player in Twins/Senators history, alongside ByungHo Park.

##  2021 Average: 163 Streak: 0-13 Series vs CWS: Home Runs:

- Was 0-for-3 last night .went 2-for-4 HR 7/28. from 7/27-7/28, had multiple H in b2b G st time... hit 460-foot HR 7/26, 3rd-longest by a MIN hitter this season. HR-ed in b2b G for st time in career 7/25-7/26, after going 1-for-4. 1st-inn. HR $7 / 25$ (b2b w/ Kepler) recalle from AAA 7/23 (Cruz traded to TB, 7/22); 2nd stint w/ MIN this season (4/3-4/29)....at the time of most recent recall, was T-1st in AAA in HR, T-5th among MiLB hitters.
$\Phi$ Facing CWS for 1st time this series...career . 255 (13-for-51), 8 R, $32 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{HR}, 7$ RBI in 15 G vs. AL Central.
$\Phi$ Career . 283 ( 13 -for-46) hitter w/ 4 2B, 3 HR, 6 RBI, .943 OPS in 14 G at Target Field, compared to


## MIBUEL SAND - IF <br> Height: 6-4 Weight: 272 B/T: R/R Age: 28 (5/11/93 in San Pedro De Macorís, DR 2021 Average: $: 210$ Homestand: $1-5, \mathrm{HR}, 2 \mathrm{RBI}$ Streak: $0-2, \mathrm{RBI}$$\quad \begin{aligned} & \text { Series vs CWS: } \\ & \text { Home Runs: } \\ & 19\end{aligned}$

$\Phi$ Went 0-for-2, R, RBI, 2 BB last night...hit 150th career HR 8/9, 2nd-fastest to 150 HR in MII history; also HR-ed in b2b G for 24th time in career...batting . 283 (15-for-53) W/4 2B, 4 HR 11 RBI, 11 BB, . 406 OBP, . 991 OPS in last 14 G...was 3-for-4, 2 HR, 4 RBI, BB 7/28; 11th career multi-HR. G, tied w/ Cruz/Brunansky for 8th in MIN history...2nd HR traveled 473 ft., 4th longest by MIN hitter in Statcast Era (2015-)...stole 3B in 4th inn. 7/22, 3rd career SB (1s since $5 / 14 / 16$ ) \& 1 st of 3 B...has 2 on-base streaks of 10 G this season, $6 / 3-6 / 13$ and $7 / 26-8 / 6$. Hit 2nd career walk-off HR in 12th 6/21 (3rd career WO PA)...has 150 career HR, 11th place
on Twins' all-time list (1961-present) - next up is T. Brunansky w/ 163 in 10th. on Twins' all-time list (1961-present) - next up is T. Brunansky w/ 163 in 10th.
Batting . 244 ( 11 -for-45), 3 2B, 4 HR, 6 RBI, 7 R in 14 games vs. CWS this season...his 23 career HR vs. CWS are his most vs. any opp.

## ANDRELTON SMMONS - S5

Height: 6-2 Weight: $195 \quad$ B/T: R/R Age: 31 ( $9 / 4 / 89$ in Mundo Nobo, Curaçao) 2021 Average: $219 \quad$ Streak: $1 \mathrm{~g}, 2-3$
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { Series vs CWS: } & 2-5 \\ \text { Home Runs: } & 3 \text { (32-run) }\end{array}$
$\Phi$ Went 2-for-3, 14th multi-hit game of season...1st career RBI bunt 1B 8/5 at HOU; had 6th multi-RBI game....went 1-for-4, R, SB 7/21 at CWS; 1st SB of season \& 1st since 9/9/2020... on 7/6, recorded 8th career game w/ 2 errors, 1st this season...had 1st career RBI sac bunt (w) ... W)...on defense, his 13 outs above average (statcast) are -4 th in MLB with KC'S N. Lopez, behind ARI's N. Ahmed (17), NYM'S F. Lindor (16) and OAK's M. Chapman (16).
s just 10 -for-47, 5 R, 2B, 4 RBI, 3 BB in 16 games vs. CWS this season...is 34-for-156 (.218),

| TWINS HIME RUN DATA |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| MULTI-HOMER GAMES (13x) - Cruz (4/5 at DET) <br> - Garver (4/28 at CLE) <br> - Sanó (5/18 vs. CWS) <br> - Polanco ( $6 / 9 \mathrm{vs}$. NYY) <br> - Donaldson (6/11 vs. HOU) <br> - Garver (7/19 at CWS-2) |  | MULTI-HOMER GAMES (13x) <br> - Jeffers (7/28 vs. DET) <br> - Sanó (7/28 vs. DET) <br> - Polanco (8/8 at HOU) <br> BACK-TO-BACK (4x) <br> - Buxton/Donaldson (4/28 at CLE) <br> - Gordon/Sanó ( $6 / 4$ at KC) <br> - Kepler/Rooker (7/25 vs. LAA) <br> - Kepler/Rooker (7/28 vs. DET) |  |  | WALK-OFF (3x) <br> - Cruz ( $6 / 10$ vs. NYY) <br> - Sanó (6/21 vs. CIN) <br> - Polanco (7/11 vs. DET) <br> INSIDE-THE-PARK (0x) <br> - None |  |  | RUNNERS ON <br> - Solo - 99 <br> - 2 -run - 41 <br> - 3-run-18 <br> - GS - 4 |  |  |  | GRAND SLAM (4x) <br> - Cruz ( $4 / 5$ at DET) <br> - Sanó ( $5 / 20$ at LAA, G2) <br> - Garver (7/27 vs. DET) <br> - Jeffers (7/28 vs. DET) |  |  |  | LEADOFF (4x) <br> - Buxton (4/28 at CLE) <br> - Kepler ( $5 / 6$ vs. TEX) <br> - Garlick (5/7 at DET) <br> - Kepler (7/25 vs. LAA) |  |  |  |  |
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| Luis Arraez | 23 | 7 | 8,8/3-8/10 | 4, 4/15 | 4/08/21 | vs. SEA | 1 | Newsome |  |  | 0 | . 279 | 17 | 61 | 04 | . 303 | 40 | 132 | 0 | 12 |
| Willians Astudillo | 8 | 2 | 8, 4/27-5/14 | 3,7/30 | 8/10/21 | vs. CWS | 1 | Keuchel |  |  | 0 | . 235 | 4 | 17 | 12 | . 214 |  |  | 1 | 4 |
| Jake Cave | 2 |  | 2,877-8/8 | 2, 5/8 | 4/23/21 | vs. PIT | 0 | Brubaker | 7/26/20 | at CWS | 2 | . 000 | 0 |  | 0 | . 242 |  |  |  |  |
| Josh Donaldson | 16 | 12 | 6, 4/1-4/21 | 4, 4/21 | 7/26/21 | vs. DET |  | Cisnero | 9/28/18 | at KC | 5 | . 208 | 10 | 48 | $4 \quad 13$ | . 289 | 66 | 228 | 20 | 51 |
| Mitch Garver | 11 | 8 | 8, 5/17-5/29 | 2,8/3 | 8/06/21 | at HOU | 0 | Greinke | 7/27/21 | vs. DET |  | . 300 | 6 | 20 |  | 295 |  |  |  |  |
| Ryan Jeffers | 9 | 8 | 4,7/28-8/7 | 3,7/23 | 7/31/21 | at STL | 2 | Woodford | 7/28/21 | vs. DET | 1 | . 250 | 5 | 20 | 01 | . 206 | 7 | 34 | 0 |  |
| Max Kepler | 15 | 10 | 4,7/20-7/23 | 3,8/8 | 7/28/21 | vs. DET | 0 | Farmer | 8/26/17 | at TOR | 2 | . 164 | 9 | 55 | 57 | . 215 | 64 |  |  | 44 |
| Trevor Larnach | 12 | 3 | 5,7/1-7/5 | 3,6/20 | 7/07/21 | vs. CWS | 0 | Lynn |  |  | 0 | . 188 | 9 | 48 | 12 | . 188 |  |  | 1 |  |
| Jorge Polanco | 32 | 16 | 10, 7/26-8/6 | 4, 4/21 | 8/08/21 | at HOU | 2 | Maton |  |  | 0 | . 279 | 17 | 61 | 311 | 269 | 83 | 309 | 15 | 52 |
| Rob Refsnyder | 7 | 2 | 5, 5/21-5/25 | 4, 5/17 | 5/25/21 | vs. BAL | 0 | Akin |  |  | 0 | . 444 | 4 | 9 | 01 | 300 | 12 | 40 | 0 |  |
| Brent Rooker | 2 |  | 5, 7/24-7/28 | 3,7/27 | 7/28/21 | vs. DET | 0 | Farmer |  |  | 0 | . 000 | 0 | 7 | 0 | . 000 | 0 | 7 |  |  |
| Miguel Sanó | 11 | 11 | 9,6/4-6/13 | 3, 7/28 | 8/09/21 | vs. CWS | 0 | Giolito | 5/20/21 |  | 2 | . 244 | 11 | 45 | 46 | . 217 | 60 | 277 | 23 | 50 |
| Andrelton Simmons | 14 | 6 | 7,5/31-6/10 | 3, 7/30 | 6/27/21 | vs. CLE | 1 | Hentges | 4/22/17 | vs. TOR | 2 | 213 | 10 | 47 | 4 | 270 | 38 | 141 | 2 |  |



| LONGEST HDME RUNS | HIGHEST EXIT VELICHTY |
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| Sanó ...... $473 \mathrm{ft}, 7 / 28$ vs. DET (Jiménez) | Sanó ................. 117.1, 7/31 at STL (1B) |
| Larnach ... $461 \mathrm{ft}, 5 / 24$ vs. BAL (Means) | Sanó ................ 116.7, 8/9 vs. CWS (HR) |
| Rooker . . $460 \mathrm{ft}, 7 / 26$ vs. DET (Manning) | Cruz.................116.6, 4/5 at DET (HR) |
| Cruz ... $457 \mathrm{ft}, 6 / 10$ vs. NYY (Chapman) | Cruz................116.5, $6 / 21$ vs. CIN (HR) |
| Buxton ....... $456 \mathrm{ft}, 4 / 1$ at MIL (Yardley) | Sanó ...............116.4, 7/23 vs. LAA (2B) |
| Cruz......... $453 \mathrm{ft}, 6 / 30$ at CWS (Cease) | Larnach ...............116.0, 7/3 at KC (HR) |
| Buxton ...... $451 \mathrm{ft}, 4 / 6$ at DET (Cisnero) | Larnach ..........116.0, $5 / 17$ vs. CWS (2B) |

STARTS BY POSITION

## Luis Arraez Willians Astudillo <br> Byron Buxton

Jake Cave
Gilberto Celestino
Nelson Cruz Josh Donaldson
Kyle Garlick
Mitch Garver
Nick Gordon
Ryan Jeffers
Max Kepler
Alex Kirilloff
Trevor Larnach
Jorge Polanco
Jorge Polanco
Rob Refsnyder
Tiddle
Brent Rooker
Ben Rortvedt
Miguel Sano
Andrelton Símmons



## LAST TIME IT HAPPENED

HITTING:
Hit for the Cycle: J. Polanco, $4 / 5 / 19$ at PHI (11 all-time)
Grand Slam: R. Jeffers, 7/28/21 vs. DET (4 as a team in 2021)
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: B. Buxton, 4/27/21 at CLE (I' in 2021)
Six-Hit Game: K. Puckett, 5/23/91 vs. TEX (2 all-time, both Puckett)
Two Hits, One Inning: M. Sanó, 4th inning, 7/28/21 vs. DET (2 as a team in 2021)
Two Home Runs, One Inning: M. Cuddyer, $8 / 23 / 09$ at KC (1 all-time)
Two-Home Run Game: J. Polanco, 8/8/21, at HOU ( 13 as team in 2021)
Three-Home Run Game: M. Sanó, $5 / 18 / 21$ vs. CWS (1 as a team in 2021, 13 all-time)
Back-to-Back Home Runs: M. Kepler/B. Rooker, $7 / 28 / 21$ vs. DET (4 as team in 2021)
Back-to-Back Home Runs: M. Kepler/B. Rooker, 7/28/21 vs. DET (4 as team in 2021)
Three Consecutive Home Runs: N. Cruz/F. 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: M. Sanó/ R. Jeffers/M. Kepler/B. Rooker, 7/28/21 vs. DET Walk-Off Home Run: J. Polanco, 7/11/21 vs. DET (3 as a team in 2021)
Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run: M. Sanó, $8 / 5 / 19$ vs. ATL (10 all-time) Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run: M. Sanó, $8 / 5 / 19$ vs. ATL (10 all-time)
Leadoff Home Run: M. Kepler, $7 / 25 / 2021$ vs. LAA (4 as a team in 2021)
Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game: M. Kepler/B. Rooker, 7/25/21 vs. LAA (2 as team in 2021) Three Consecutive Home Runs to Start Game: B. Buxton/J. Donaldson/N. Cruz, 4/28/21 at CLE 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, $5 / 24 / 17$ at BAL ( 43 all-time)
$10+$ Innings Pitched: B. Radke ( 10.0 innings), $9 / 21 / 97$ vs. MIL
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$10+$ Strikeouts: 10 G. Jax $8 / 10 / 21$ vs. CWS (5 as team 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. Mays/C. Silva, $5 / 19-20 / 05$ vs. TOR/vs. MIL
Back-to-Back Shutouts: 5/6/19 \& 5/7/19 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/A. Simmons/N. Gordon, 6/6/21 at KC - N. Lopez hitting (15 all-time) Position Player Pitching: W. Astudillo, 6/4/21 at KC ( 3 in 2021 )
Three or more Steals, One Game: E. Adrianza (3), 6/21/17 vs. CWS (1 in 2017)
Steal of Home: C. Thomas, $8 / 3 / 13$ vs. HOU
Pure Steal of Home: R. Becker, 9/27/97 at CLE
Pure Run in First ML At-Bat: E. Rosario, 5/6/15 vs. OAK (1st PA, 1st pitch

## AGAINST THE TWINS

HITTING:
Hit for the Cycle: A. Beltré, 8/24/12 at TEX (5 allowed all-time)
Grand Slam: E. Haase, 7/27/21 vs. DET ( 6 allowed as team in 2021)
Inside-the-Park Home Run: A. Mondesi, 4/2/19 at KC (44 allowed all-time)
Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: J. Sands, 8/8/15 at CLE
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: W. Merrifield, 1st inning, 6/4/21 at KC (2 allowed in 2021)
Two Home Runs, One Inning: D. Nilsson, 5/17/96 vs. MIL
Two-Home Run Game: Y. Grandal, 6/30/21 at CWS (8 allowed in 2021)
Three-Home Run Game: J. Donaldson, 8/28/16 at TOR
Back-to-Back Home Runs: A. Engel/J. Abreu, 8/10/21 vs. CWS (8 allowed in 2021)
Three Consecutive Home Runs: A. Jones/J. Castilla/J. Franco, $6 / 11 / 02$ vs. ATL
Three Home Runs, One Inning: N. Lopez/J. Soler/S. Perez, 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
Painco tione Run: G. Sheets, $19 / 21$ G2 at 13 (3 allowed in 2021 )
Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run: C. Santana, 9/23/11 at CLE (12 all-time)
Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game: S. Smith/M. Machado, $7 / 7 / 17$ vs. BAL (1 in '17)
Last Pitcher to Hit Home Run: Jon Lester, $7 / 1 / 18$ at CHC
PITCHING (complete games only for low-hit games):
No-Hitter: Jer. Weaver, 5/2/12 at LAA (5 all-time)
One-Hitter: C. Kluber, 8/14/15 vs. CLE (23 all-time)
Two-Hitter: R Halladay $5 / 29 / 05$ at TOR (49 all-time
Two-Hitter: R. Halladay, 10 Innings Pitched: A. Fernández (10.0 innings), $10 / 1 / 95$ at CHW
10+ Strikeouts: 13, P. Sandoval, 7/24/21 vs. LAA (3 times in 2021)
Complete Game Shutout: S. Manaea, $4 / 20 / 21$ (G1) at OAK (1 time in 2021)
Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: J. Williams/Jer. Weaver, 5/1-2/12 at LAA
Back-to-Back Shutouts: 4/20/21 Game 1 \& 4/20/21 Game 2 at OAK (2 games, 7-0 and 1-0)
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: H. Castro, 4/5/21 at DET (1 in 2021)
Three or more Steals, One Game: W. Merrifield (3), 7/2/17 at KC (1 in 2017)
Steal of Home: R. Davis, 8/1/18 vs. CLE
Pure Steal of Home: S. Green, $5 / 26 / 00$ vs. TEX
Home Run in First ML At-Bat: C. Richard, 7/17/00 vs. STL

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| DATE | DELAYED/PPD | NOTES |
| 4/8 vs. Seattle | Delayed | Home Opener delayed for 16 minutes in the 4th inning due to quick rain shower. Grounds crew pulled tarp quick after rain and both starters remained in game. |
| $5 / 5$ vs. Texas | Delayed | Scheduled 6:40 p.m. game delayed for 31 minutes due to rain in the area. Grounds crew began pulling tarp around 6:25 p.m. and game started at 7:11 p.m. |
| $5 / 24$ vs. Baltimore | Delayed | Game was stopped at 9:05 p.m. in the top of the seventh inning due to rain; play resumed at 9:50 p.m. after a 45 -minute delay. |
| 6/9 vs. New York-AL | Delayed | A pregame deluge (followed by a rainbow that spanned the entire ballpark) pushed a scheduled 7:10 p.m. first pitch back to 7:21 p.m., for an 11-minute delay. |
| $6 / 26$ vs. Cleveland | Postponed | Scheduled 1:10 p.m. game postponed due to inclement weather in the area. Game was rescheduled to be part of a split doubleheader on September 14. |

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