



WESTERN DIVISION CHAMPIONS '69 '70 '87 '91

CENTRAL DIVISION CHAMPIONS '02 '03 '04 '06 '07 '09 '10 '19 '20 '23

AMERICAN LEAGUE CHAMPIONS '25 '33 '65 '87 '91

WORLD CHAMPIONS '24 '87 '91

MINNESOTA TWINS (6-9-2) AT DETROIT TIGERS (10-7-1)

TUESDAY, MARCH 12, 2024 – 1:05 PM (ET) – RADIO: NONE // TV: BALLY SPORTS NORTH

RHP Joe Ryan vs. RHP Kenta Maeda

Spring Game 18

Spring Road Game 9

UPCOMING PROBABLE PITCHERS & BROADCAST SCHEDULE

Table with columns: DATE, OPP, PITCHERS, TIME (ET), RADIO / TV. Rows include games vs STL, TOR, and BOS.

TODAY'S PITCHERS

Twins: Joe Ryan (R), Cole Sands (R), Matt Bowman (R), Jordan Balazovic (R)
Tigers: Kenta Maeda (R), Beau Brieske (R), Alex Faedo (R), Tyler Holton (R)

TOMORROW'S PITCHERS

Twins: Daniel Duarte (R), Kody Funderburk (L), Jeff Brigham (R)
Rays: Brendan McKay (L), Jacob Lopez (L), Garret Cleavinger (L), Phil Maton (R), Jason Adam (R), Shawn Armstrong (R), Edwin Uceta (R)
Twins: Louie Varland (R), Jhoan Duran (R), Justin Topa (R), Steven Okert (L), Jorge Alcalá (R)
Cardinals: TBA

ROSTER BREAKDOWN

47 active players in camp (10 non-roster):
22 pitchers (4 non-roster)
5 catchers (2 non-roster)
11 infielders (3 non-roster)
7 outfielders (0 non-roster)
2 utility (1 non-roster)
1 60-day Injured List

TWINS AT A GLANCE

Spring Record: 6-9-2
Home Record: 5-2-2
Road Record: 1-7-0
AL Teams: 4-3-0
vs. NL Teams: 2-6-1
When Twins score first: 3-4-0
When opponent scores first: 3-6-2
Most 6L games over .500: 1, 2/25
Most 6L games under .500: 3, 2x, last 3/3
Longest winning-streak: 2, 3/4
Longest losing-streak: 2, 2x, 2/28-29
Team-high hits: 19, 3/9 vs. NYY
Team-high runs: 10, 3/9 vs. NYY
Opponent-high hits: 17, 2/28 vs. BAL
Opponent-high runs: 12, 2/28 vs. BAL

RECENT SPRING INFO

Table with columns: YEAR, HM ATTENDANCE (DATES), RECORD. Rows from 2012 to 2024.

DAYS UNTIL OPENING DAY

17 THURSDAY, MARCH 28 at KC

THE TWINS: Today the Twins will play the 18th of 35 scheduled Grapefruit League games (unofficially opened the spring schedule against the University of Minnesota on February 23)...eight more games will be played at Lee Health Sports Complex and eight games will be played on the road...today the Twins will travel to Lakeland to face the Detroit Tigers...tomorrow, Minnesota will play their second split squad games of the spring by hosting St. Louis and traveling to Port Charlotte to play the Rays.

TWINS FALL TO BRAVES: The Twins lost to the Atlanta Braves, 7-0, yesterday afternoon at CoolToday Park...Chris Paddack (0-2) was the starter and took the loss, allowing one run (HR) on six hits, with two walks and two strikeouts in 4.0 innings...the Twins went 0-for-3 with runners in scoring position and left seven men on base.

ROSTER MOVES: The Twins announced yesterday that they optioned left-handed pitcher Brent Headrick, and right-handed pitchers Matt Canterino and Simeon Woods Richardson to Triple-A St. Paul...additionally, they have reassigned right-handed pitcher David Festa to minor league camp...the Twins now have 47 active players in camp (10 non-roster): 22 pitchers (4 non-roster), five catchers (2 non-roster), 11 infielders (3 non-roster), seven outfielders (0 non-roster) and two utility players (1 non-roster), plus one player on the 60-day Injured List.

FIRE ON THE MOUND-TAIN: Joe Ryan will be making his third start of spring this afternoon...earned his first win of spring, allowing one run (HR) on two hits, with one strikeout on March 6 at Lee Health Sports Complex...went 2-1, 2.16 ERA (16.2 IP, 4 ER) with three walks, 20 strikeouts and a 1.02 WHIP in five starts last spring...in 2023, made Twins Opening Day roster for second time in career (second time consecutively) and was club's number three starter; went 11-10, 4.51 ERA (161.2 IP, 81) with 34 walks and 197 strikeouts in 29 starts...began season 5-0, 2.37 ERA (38.0 IP, 10 ER) with six walks and 43 strikeouts in first six starts from April 2-May 2; became seventh pitcher in Twins/Senators franchise history to win each of his first five starts...pitched first career complete-game shutout on June 22 vs. Boston, allowing three hits, with no walks and nine strikeouts in a Twins 6-0 victory...struck out Michael Stefanic on September 24 vs. Los Angeles-AL, the 1,462nd strikeout for Twins pitchers on season, setting a Twins/Senators franchise record...ranked second on Twins staff in strikeouts (147) and second in innings pitched (161.2) and starts (29); also ranked third in the AL and fourth in baseball in strikeouts-per-walk ratio at 5.79 (minimum of 150.0 innings pitched).

Table with columns: DATE, TEAM, W-L, IP, H, R, ER, HR, BB, SO. Rows for 3/1, 3/6, 3/12, and SPRING TOTALS.

KON'NICHIIWA: Kenta Maeda will face the Twins for the first time since he elected free agency at the end of 2023 season...he was acquired from Los Angeles-NL on February 10, 2020...finished second to Cleveland's Shane Bieber (unanimous) in 2020 AL Cy Young Award voting with 92 total voting points (18 second place)...missed the entire 2022 season recovering from Tommy John surgery on right elbow...as a Twins, Maeda went 18-14, 4.02 ERA (124 ER, 227.1 IP) with 70 walks, 310 strikeouts and a 1.12 WHIP in 53 regular season games (52 starts) since 2020.

HE'S THE EM-MAN-UEL: Emmanuel Rodriguez is in his first official spring training with Minnesota...hit his first spring homer March 3 in Sarasota...he was added to the 40-man roster in November...he spent 2023 with High-A Cedar Rapids, hitting .240 (85-for-354) with 13 doubles, nine triples, 16 home runs, 55 RBI, 87 runs scored and 92 walks, posting an .863 OPS in 99 games...led Twins organization in walks (92) and triples (9)...also tied for first in Midwest League and tied for 18th in all of Minor League Baseball...named by Baseball America as being the best power hitter in the Twins system...named outfielder on Twins MiLB.com organization All-Star team...ranked No.3 prospect in Twins organization entering 2024 by Baseball America.

HERE FOR JAIR: Jair Camargo is playing in his seventh spring training game today, making his fourth start; is hitting .385 (5-for-13) with two doubles, one home run, four RBI, three runs scored and one walk in six games so far...was added to the Twins' 40-man roster on November 6, 2023...spent the entire 2023 season with Triple-A St. Paul, hitting .259 (86-for-332) with 16 doubles, one triple, 21 home runs, 63 RBI, 56 runs scored, 29 walks and an .826 OPS in 90 games...the Barranquilla, Colombia native is ranked as the 26th-best prospect in Twins organization by Baseball America entering 2024.

YOU-KNOW SEVERINO: Yunior Severino is in his first official spring training with Minnesota...combined to hit .272 (127-for-467) with 17 doubles, three triples, 35 home runs, 84 RBI, 80 runs scored, a .352 on-base percentage, a .546 slugging percentage and an .898 OPS in 120 games between Double-A Wichita and Triple-A St. Paul in 2023...was added to the 40-man roster on in November 2023...was named to Texas League's Postseason All-Star Team, Baseball America's Twins minor league Player of the Year, third baseman on Twins MiLB.com organization All-Star team...the Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic native is ranked 19-th best prospect in Twins organization entering 2024 by Baseball America.

MARTIN THE MARTIAN: Austin Martin is in his third consecutive spring training with Minnesota after spending 2022 and '23 as an invite...he was acquired in the José Berrios trade in July of 2021 from Toronto...looking to make major league debut in 2024...spent 2023 with Triple-A St. Paul and in final 49 games, from July 19-end of season, hit .289 (48-for-166) with eight doubles, six home runs, 27 RBI, 30 runs scored and an .861 OPS...played 35 games (33 starts) at second base for the Saints, 12 games (all starts) in leftfield and 11 games (10 starts) in centerfield...named by Baseball America as having the best strike-zone discipline in the Twins system...added to Twins' 40-man roster on November 14, 2023...ranked No. 9 prospect in Twins organization entering 2024 by Baseball America.

SPRING LEADERS: Below are the Twins batting (top row) and pitching (bottom row) leaders this spring (MiLB call-ups not included):
Games: Severino, 11 Hits: Castro, 10 BB: Goodrum, 4 RBI: Lewis, 6 HR: Jeffers/Julien/Kepler, 2
Games: 6 tied, 5 ERA (5.0+ IP): Jav/Duart./SWR/Varl., 0.00 IP: López, 9.0 BB: Fund./Jensen/Headrick, 4 SO: Ober, 13

2024 SPRING SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

Main table with columns: DATE, OPPONENT, SCORE, WINNER, LOSER, SAVE, ATTENDANCE. Rows from 2/23 to 3/11.

Bold - Denotes Home Game | * - Denotes Sellout | ^ - Rain Shortened

