

BAILEY OBER

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Height: 6-9 Weight: 247 B/T: R/R Age: 28 (7/12/1995 in Huntersville, NC)

2024: 10-5, 3.76 ERA CAREER: 23-17, 3.66 ERA

- Making 21st start of season and 78th of career.
Last pitched on July 28 at Detroit, tossing 8.0 scoreless innings with one hit, two walks and a new career-high 11 strikeouts...earned his 10th win of the season in a 5-0 Twins win.
Facing Chicago-AL for the third time this season...in previous two starts he is 1-1, 5.25 ERA (12.0 IP, 7 ER), one walk, nine strikeouts, a 0.92 WHIP and a .233 (10-for-43) opponent batting average.

2024 MAJOR LEAGUE DAY-BY-DAY

Table with columns: Date, Opp., Dec., IP, H, R, ER, HR, BB, SO, Left/Final, Notes, Pitches/K. Includes rows for 3/31 at KC, 4/8 vs. LAD, 4/14 at DET, 4/20 vs. DET, 4/26 at LA, MAR/APR TOTALS, 5/1 at CWS, 5/7 vs. SEA, 5/12 at TOR, 5/18 at CLE, 5/24 vs. TEX, 5/29 vs. KC, MAY TOTALS, 6/2 at NYY, 6/9 at PIT, 6/16-1 vs. OAK, 6/22 at OAK, 6/28 at SEA, JUNE TOTALS, 7/4 vs. DET, 7/10 at CWS, 7/22 vs. PHI, 7/28 at DET, JULY TOTALS, RECORD, and CAREER TOTALS.

LAST TIME OUT: Last pitched on July 28 at Detroit...earned his 10th win of the season, tossing 8.0 scoreless innings with one hit, two walks and 11 strikeouts - 11 strikeouts are a new career-high... did not allow a base runner until a fourth-inning leadoff single to Matt Vierling - the only base hit he allowed in the outing...marked his first career start allowing no runs while pitching 8.0-or-more innings...lowered his season ERA from 4.04 to 3.76...was his seventh career start of 7.0-or-more innings and fourth this season.

- Recorded his 11th quality start of the season, tied with Pablo López for second most on the Twins.
Recorded his 10th win of the season, tied with López for most on the Twins.
Has recorded a quality start in each of his last seven starts, tying his longest such streak of his career...had seven-straight quality starts from June 14-July 23, 2023.

TWO STARTS AGO: Made the start on July 22 vs. the Philadelphia Phillies...earned his ninth win of the season, allowing two runs on four hits (1 HR) in 7.0 innings, with one walk and four strikeouts...allowed a two-run home run to Bryce Harper in the first inning; has allowed six home runs and 14 runs in the first inning this season, both his most of any inning...retired 12-straight batters from innings 2-5.

LAST SEVEN STARTS: In his last seven starts, Ober has gone 5-1, 1.86 ERA (48.1 IP, 10 ER), nine walks, 56 strikeouts, a 0.77 WHIP and a .168 (28-for-167) opponent batting average...in four July starts, he went 3-1, 2.00 ERA (27.0 IP, 6 ER), four walks, 29 strikeouts, a 0.74 WHIP and a .168 (16-for-95) opponent batting average.

- All seven starts have been quality starts, matching the longest such streak of his career.

VS. CHICAGO-AL: Making his third start this season and 13th of his career vs. Chicago-AL.

- In previous two, he is 1-1, 5.25 ERA (12.0 IP, 7 ER), one walk, nine strikeouts, a 0.92 WHIP and a .233 (10-for-43) opponent batting average.
In 12 career matchups, he is 4-2, 3.71 ERA (63.0 IP, 26 ER), 11 walks, 65 strikeouts, a 0.98 WHIP and a .216 (51-for-236) opponent batting average.
Making his seventh career start at Target Field vs. Chicago-AL...in previous six, he is 2-0, 1.93 ERA (32.2 IP, 7 ER), six walks, 39 strikeouts, a 0.95 WHIP and a .207 (25-for-121) opponent batting average...Twins are 6-0 when Ober starts at home vs. Chicago-AL.
His 65 strikeouts against Chicago-AL are his second most against any single opponent in his career, behind only his 67 vs. Detroit.

BACK AT HOME: Making his ninth home start of the season today...in previous eight, he's gone 5-1 with a 3.18 ERA (45.1 IP, 16 ER), 10 walks, 49 strikeouts, a 1.06 WHIP and a .225 (38-for-169) opponent batting average...in 12 road starts, he is 5-4, 4.13 ERA (69.2 IP, 32 ER), 17 walks, 72 strikeouts, a 0.98 WHIP and a .204 (51-for-250) opponent batting average.

- Has gone 12-5 with a 3.49 ERA (193.2 IP, 75 ER) in 37 career home starts compared to 11-12 with a 3.83 ERA (214.0 IP, 91 ER) in 40 career road starts.
The Twins are 5-3 in Ober's eight home starts this season
Since making his debut in 2021, Ober is second in home wins on the Twins with 12, trailing only Joe Ryan (18)...has five home wins this season.

REVERSE SPLITS: On July 22, Detroit left-handed hitters went 0-for-11 with four strikeouts against Ober, while righties went 1-for-14 with two walks and seven strikeouts.

- Lefties have a 27.1 percent whiff rate and 86.7 mph average exit velocity vs. Ober, while righties a 29.9 percent whiff rate and 88.5 mph average exit velocity.
Through 20 games vs. Ober this season, lefties have hit .197 (36-for-183) with a .617 OPS and 24.5 percent strikeout rate, while righties have hit .225 (53-for-236) with a .697 OPS and 28.5 percent strikeout rate.
Over his career, lefties are batting .237 (167-for-704) with 38 doubles, three triples, 22 home runs and a .683 OPS...right-handed hitters are batting .228 (187-for-821) with 33 doubles, six triples, 41 home runs and a .698 OPS.
In two starts this season, Chicago-AL left-handed hitters are hitting .188 (3-for-16) with three doubles and one strikeout...right-handed hitters are hitting .259 (7-for-27), four extra-base hits, one walk and eight strikeouts.

THE ARSENAL: Has used a five-pitch mix thus far in 2024, per Baseball Savant...uses 4-seam fastball and cutter against both left- and right-handed hitters...predominantly throws changeup and curveball to lefties, slider to righties. Here's his pitch usage through 20 starts:

Table with columns: PITCH (AVG, MPH), PCT. (#, vs. RHB/LHB), RESULTS. Rows include 4-Seam Fastball (39.0%), Changeup (25.6%), Cutter (21.9%), Slider (12.5%), Curveball (1.0%).

- In his last four starts, hitters have hit .157 (8-for-51) with 11 strikeouts against Ober's 4-seam fastball and cutter.

TOMORROW'S STARTER - RHP SIMEON WOODS RICHARDSON (2024: 3-2, 3.74 ERA // CAREER: 3-3, 4.01 ERA)

Right-handed pitcher Simeon Woods Richardson is set to close out the three-game series vs. Chicago-AL tomorrow afternoon...last pitched July 29 at New York-NL, took his second loss of the season after tossing 3.1 innings and allowing six runs on seven hits, with three walks and two strikeouts - his 3.1 innings pitched were a season low and his six runs allowed were a season high...set to face Chicago-AL for the third time this season; in previous two starts he is 0-0, 3.12 ERA (8.2 IP, 3 ER), three walks and eight strikeouts...making his ninth start of the season at Target Field; has gone 1-0, 3.09 ERA (43.2 IP, 15 ER), 15 walks, 41 strikeouts a 1.01 WHIP and a .187 (29-for-155) opponent batting average in eight starts.

2024 HIGHS

CG's: 1, 6/22 at OAK
SHO's: -
CG Low-Hit: 4, 6/22 at OAK
Innings: 9.0, 6/22 at OAK
SO's: 11, 7/28 at DET
Walks: 4, 6/4 at NYY
Hits: 9, 2x, last 5/29 vs. KC
Home Runs: 3, 2x, last 5/29 vs. KC
Win-Streak: 4, 4/20-5/12
Loss-Streak: 2, 5/29-6/2

CAREER HIGHS

CG's: 1, 6/22/24 at OAK
SHO's: -
CG Low-Hit: 4, 6/22/24 at OAK
Innings: 9.0, last 6/22/24 at OAK
SO's: 11, 7/28/24 at DET
Walks: 4, 6/4/24 at NYY
Hits: 11, 2x, last 8/9/23 at DET
Home Runs: 3, 3x, last 5/29/24 vs. KC
Win-Streak: 4, 4/20/24-5/21/24
Loss-Streak: 3, 2x, last 5/22/23-6/8/23

CAREER NOTES

- Made Postseason debut in 2023 ALDS vs. Houston, allowing six runs on eight hits (4 HR) in 4.1 total innings between Games 1 and 3.
In 2023, made 26 regular season starts for the Twins, going 8-6 with a 3.43 ERA (144.1 IP, 55 ER), 29 walks, 146 strikeouts and 12 quality starts.
In 2022, made 11 starts for the Twins along with four rehab starts in the minors, going 2-3, 3.21 ERA (56.0 IP, 20 ER) with 11 walks and 51 strikeouts for Minnesota.
Set career highs in innings pitched (7.1) and strikeouts (10) in 4-0 win over Chicago-AL on September 27, 2022.
Made his MLB debut on May 18, 2021, starting for the Twins against Chicago-AL.
Finished the 2021 season with a record of 4-3, 3.99 ERA (10.1 IP, 48 ER), 24 walks and 117 strikeouts in 24 starts between St. Paul and Minnesota.
In 2020, spent spring training on minor league side of Lee County 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 IP, 6 ER) with nine walks, 100 strikeouts and a .194 opponent batting average in 14 games (13 starts) for GCL Twins, High-A Fort Myers and Double-A Pensacola.
Led all minor league pitchers (min. 75.0 IP) with a 0.69 ERA in 2019 and ranked second in the minors with a 0.81 WHIP...also became the first Twins minor league pitcher to allow six-or-fewer earned runs in 78.2-or-more innings pitched since at least 1961.
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 IP, 0 ER, 3 H, 0 BB, 12 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 Low-A Cedar Rapids 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.
Attended College of Charleston from 2014-17, missing the 2015 season recovering from Tommy John surgery on right elbow...compiled a 24-9 record with a 2.91 ERA and 254 strikeouts in 259.2 innings over the course of his collegiate career.

2024 MISC. NUMBERS

Table with columns: W, L, ERA, G/GS, IP, ER, AVG, H, AB, HR, BB, SO. Rows include Home, Road, Day, Night, Grass, Turf, Runners On, Scoring Pos.

6.0-PLUS IP/QUALITY STARTS

Table with columns: YEAR, STARTS, 6+ IP, QS. Rows include 2021, 2022, 2023, TOTALS.

MORE 2024 MISCELLANEOUS NUMBERS

Table with columns: BASE RUNNERS, PICK-OFFS, SB-ATT, GIDP. Row includes OBER.

2024 RUNS/HITS PER INNING

Table with columns: INNING, RUNS/HITS. Rows include 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9.

OBER VS. CHICAGO-AL

2024 vs. Chicago-AL (2 starts): 1-1, 5.25 ERA (12.0 IP, 7 ER), 1 BB, 9 K
2024 vs. Chicago-AL at Home (0 games): -
2024 vs. Chicago-AL on Road (2 starts): 1-1, 5.25 ERA (12.0 IP, 7 ER), 1 BB, 9 K
Career vs. Chicago-AL (12 starts): 4-2, 3.71 ERA (63.0 IP, 26 ER), 11 BB, 65 K
Career vs. Chicago-AL at Home (6 starts): 2-0, 1.93 ERA (32.2 IP, 7 ER), 6 BB, 39 K
Career vs. Chicago-AL on Road (6 starts): 2-2, 5.64 ERA (30.1 IP, 19 ER), 5 BB, 26 K

BATTER-PITCHER MATCHUPS

Table with columns: OBER vs. Chicago-AL, Crochet vs. Minnesota. Rows include Sheets, Vaughn, Benintendi, Lopez, Robert Jr., Lee, Santana, Castro, Larnach, Jeffers, Margot, Buxton, Miranda, Vázquez, Kepler, Martin.

MISC. HIGHS AND LOWS

Table with 2 columns: Statistic and Value. Includes 'Most Runs, Game (Team)', 'Most Hits, Inning (Team)', 'Consecutive Hits/AB (Individual)', etc.

SCORE BY INNING

Table with columns: Opponent, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, XTRA, TOTAL. Rows for Twins and an unlabeled opponent.

INJURED LIST

Table with columns: PLAYER, INJURY, DATE ON, RETRO, DATE OFF, GAMES MISSED. Lists players like Josh Winder and Anthony DeSclafani.

BOLD - currently on IL, * - 10-day IL, ^ - 15-day IL, # - 60-day IL

LONGEST HOME RUNS

Table with columns: Player, Distance, Date, Location. Lists Buxton's 456 ft home run.

HIGHEST EXIT VELOCITY

Table with columns: Player, Velocity, Date, Location. Lists Wallner's 116.8 mph exit velocity.

STARTS BY POSITION

Table with columns: Player, C, 1B, 2B, SS, 3B, LF, CF, RF, DH. Shows starts by position for players like Byron Buxton.

STARTS BY BATTING ORDER

Table with columns: Player, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9. Shows starts by batting order for players like Byron Buxton.

MOST USED LINEUP (3X)

Table with columns: Player, Pos. Shows most used lineup for players like Margot and Correa.

OUTFIELD ASSISTS

Table with columns: Player, Assists. Shows outfield assists for players like Byron Buxton.

LAST TIME IT HAPPENED

FOR THE TWINS

HITTING: Hit for the Cycle: J. Polanco, 4/5/19 at PHI (11 all-time). Grand Slam: C. Correa, 7/6/24 vs. HOU (1 as a team in 2024).

AGAINST THE TWINS

HITTING: Hit for the Cycle: A. Beltré, 8/24/12 at TEX (5 allowed all-time). Grand Slam: C. Kelly, 7/3/24 vs. DET (3 allowed as team in 2024).

PITCHING (complete games only for low-hit games):

No-Hitter: F. Liriano, 5/3/11 at CWS (6 all-time). One-Hitter: E. Santana, 4/15/17 vs. CWS (14 all-time). Two-Hitter: E. Santana, 5/23/17 at BAL (43 all-time).

PITCHING (complete games only for low-hit games):

No-Hitter: Jer. Weaver, 5/2/12 at LAA (5 all-time). One-Hitter: D. Cease, 9/3/22 at CWS (25 all-time). Two-Hitter: R. Halladay, 5/29/05 at TOR (49 all-time).

MISCELLANEOUS:

Triple Play: J. Miranda/C. Correa, 8/22/22 vs. TEX - N. Lowe hitting (17 all-time). Position Player Pitching: M. Wallner, 7/29/24 at NYM (3 in 2024).

MISCELLANEOUS:

Triple Play: J. Donaldson/A. Rosales/C. Carter, 8/21/12 at OAK - T. Plouffe hitting (8 all-time). Position Player Pitching: A. Hicks, 4/27/24 at LAA (2 in 2024).

2024 TARGET FIELD WEATHER DELAYS AND POSTPONEMENTS

Table with columns: DATE, DELAYED/PPD, NOTES. Lists weather-related delays and postponements for games in 2024.

Baseball score table for March/April (16-13) with columns: Date, Opp., Score, W/L, Rcd., Pos., GA/GB, Daily Att, Total Hm Att, Home Date, Winner/Loser/Save. Includes rows for various matchups like 28 -----at KC and 30 -----at KC.

Baseball score table for May (16-12) with columns: Date, Opp., Score, W/L, Rcd., Pos., GA/GB, Daily Att, Total Hm Att, Home Date, Winner/Loser/Save. Includes rows for various matchups like 1 -----at CWS and 5 -----BOS.

Baseball score table for June (15-12) with columns: Date, Opp., Score, W/L, Rcd., Pos., GA/GB, Daily Att, Total Hm Att, Home Date, Winner/Loser/Save. Includes rows for various matchups like 1 -----at HOU and 10 -----COL.

Baseball score table for July (12-11) with columns: Date, Opp., Score, W/L, Rcd., Pos., GA/GB, Daily Att, Total Hm Att, Home Date, Winner/Loser/Save. Includes rows for various matchups like 1 -----OFF-DAY and 2 -----DET.

Baseball score table for July (12-11) with columns: Date, Opp., Score, W/L, Rcd., Pos., GA/GB, Daily Att, Total Hm Att, Home Date, Winner/Loser/Save. Includes rows for various matchups like 15 -----ALL STAR BREAK and 20 -----MIL.

Baseball score table for August (1-0) with columns: Date, Opp., Score, W/L, Rcd., Pos., GA/GB, Daily Att, Total Hm Att, Home Date, Winner/Loser/Save. Includes rows for various matchups like 1 -----OFF-DAY and 10 -----CLE.

Baseball score table for September (---) with columns: Date, Opp., Score, W/L, Rcd., Pos., GA/GB, Daily Att, Total Hm Att, Home Date, Winner/Loser/Save. Includes rows for various matchups like 1 -----TOR and 10 -----LAA.

^ - Denotes Extra-Innings (Twins are 4-4 in extras in 2024)

* - Denotes Sellout (1 in 2024)

- PPD game from 4/7 # - PPD game from 4/11

- PPD game from 6/15 #### - PPD game from 7/9



HOME GAMES ROAD GAMES

2024 EJECTIONS (2)

Table for 2024 EJECTIONS (2) with columns: DATE, PLAYER/MGR/CH, UMPIRE, REASON, CAREER. Rows include 4/6 vs. CLE (David Popkins) and 6/7 at PIT (Derek Shomon).

2024 WALK-OFF VICTORIES (5)

Table for 2024 WALK-OFF VICTORIES (5) with columns: DATE, SCORE, NOTES. Rows include 4/23 vs. CWS (Buxton HR) and 7/24 vs. PHI (Kepler singled).

2024 PLAYERS ON ROSTER (45)

Table for 2024 PLAYERS ON ROSTER (45) with columns: Pitchers (25) and Positions Players (18). Lists names like Alcácala, Boushley, Bowman, Castillo, Dobnak, Duarte, Duran, Festa, Funderburk, Gil, Ober, etc.