

# MINNESOTA

## 2024 GAME NOTES

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### MINNESOTA TWINS (63-49) AT CHICAGO CUBS (56-60)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7, 2024 • 1:20 (CT) • TV: BALLY SPORTS NORTH • RADIO: TIBN, WCCO, THE WOLF  
RHP Joe Ryan (7-7, 3.59) vs. RHP Javier Assad (5-3, 3.19)

GAME 113

ROAD GAME 60

#### UPCOMING PROBABLE PITCHERS & BROADCAST SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Probable Pitchers	Time	Television	Radio / Spanish Radio
8/8	OFF DAY				
8/9	vs. Cleveland	RHP Bailey Ober (11-5, 3.69) or TBA vs. TBA	1:10 pm (CT)	Bally Sports North	TIBN, WCCO, The Wolf / None
	vs. Cleveland	RHP Bailey Ober (11-5, 3.69) or TBA vs. TBA	7:10 pm (CT)	Apple TV	TIBN, WCCO, The Wolf / None
8/10	vs. Cleveland	RHP Simeon Woods Richardson (3-2, 3.87) vs. TBA	6:10 pm (CT)	Bally Sports North	TIBN, WCCO, The Wolf / None
8/11	vs. Cleveland	RHP David Festa (2-2, 5.55) vs. TBA	1:10 pm (CT)	Bally Sports North	TIBN, WCCO, The Wolf / lostwins.com

#### SEASON AT A GLANCE

Under Baldelli (since '19):	438-382
Home Record:	32-21
Road Record:	31-28
Record in series:	23-12-2
Record in home series:	12-6-0
Record in road series:	11-6-2
Series Openers:	19-18
Series Finales:	23-13
Rubber Games:	12-3
Sweeps/Swept:	5-6
March/April:	16-13
May:	16-12
June:	15-12
July:	12-11
August:	4-1
September/October:	
Day Games:	34-18
Night Games:	29-31
vs. American League East:	5-12
vs. American League Central:	24-14
vs. American League West:	20-6
vs. National League:	14-16
Games vs. LH Starter:	18-14
Games vs. RH Starter:	45-35
Twins score first:	44-13
Opponent scores first:	19-36
Come-from-behind wins:	28
Leading after 7/8 inn.:	48-3/51-0
Trailing after 7/8 inn.:	6-40/1-42
Tied after 7/8 inn.:	8-6/10-7
Extra-innings:	4-4
1-run games:	18-13
When Twins score 4+:	51-14
When Twins score 3-:	12-35
Twins out-hit opp.:	51-9
Opp. out-hit Twins:	7-37
Twins/Opp. have = hits:	4-3
Run Differential:	+58 (550-492)
Twins get Quality Start:	30-16
Twins starter goes 6+ IP:	31-17
Most games over .500:	15, 8/6
Most games under .500:	6, 2x, last, 4/22
Longest win-streak:	12, 4/22-5/4
Longest losing-streak:	7, 5/14-20
Twins get 10+ hits:	36-8
Days in First Place:	4
Days in Second Place:	51
Days in Third Place:	43
Days in Fourth Place:	25
Days in Fifth Place:	
Walk-Off WL:	5/3
Shutouts WL:	6/7
CG (Twins):	1
Average Time of Game (Twins):	2:38
Attendance High (Home):	41,679, 7/20 vs. MIL
Attendance Total (Home):	1,257,558
Attendance Average:	23,728
Target Field Sellouts, Reg. Season (Post.):	
'24/All-Time:	2/186 (7 Post.)

**THE TWINS:** After finishing their three-game homestand with a sweep of the White Sox over the weekend, the Twins began their three-game Wrigley Field roadtrip with a split of the first two games against the Cubs on Monday and Tuesday night...today, the Twins will play the three-game series finale on the North Side...after today's game, the Twins will travel home to enjoy an off-day tomorrow, then begin a six-day, seven-game homestand with four against the Guardians this weekend (split doubleheader on Friday), followed by three against the Royals from Monday-Wednesday.

☞ The Twins have gone 12-3 in rubber games this season, including 8-1 in their last nine chances.

**TWINS GET SHO'N UP BY IMANAGA:** The Twins lost to the Cubs last night at Wrigley Field by a score of 7-3, evening the series at 1-1...Pablo López (10-8) was the starter and was issued the loss, allowing four runs on seven hits in 5.0 innings pitched, with one walk and just two strikeouts...the offense recorded just three hits, walked once and struck out 11 times...Royce Lewis, Christian Vázquez and Brooks Lee each had a hit for the Twins...Lewis hit his 14th home run of the season and Lee doubled, giving him his first extra-base hit since July 10.

**TWINS AND CUBS:** The Twins and Cubs are playing each other for the 43rd time in their history today...the Twins are 20-22 all-time against the Cubs, going 5-6 at Target Field, 9-13 at Wrigley Field and 6-3 at the Metrodome...Minnesota has gone 5-2 in its last seven against the Cubs (since '21) and 7-4 in its last 11 (since '20).

☞ 42 games against the Cubs are the Twins' second-most against any National League opponent, trailing Pittsburgh (45)...that excludes Milwaukee, which was in the AL from 1969-97.

☞ Max Kepler is hitting .359 (14-for-39) with three doubles, three home runs, eight RBI, a .667 slugging percentage and a 1.042 OPS in 12 career games vs. the Cubs.

☞ Twins will host the Cubs for three games in 2025 from July 8-10 (Tuesday-Thursday).

**NATIONAL NEWS:** The Twins are 14-16 in Interleague Play this season, going 1-3 against Milwaukee, 1-2 vs. Los Angeles, 2-1 at Washington, 1-2 at Pittsburgh, 2-1 vs. Colorado, 2-1 at Arizona, 1-2 at San Francisco, 2-1 vs. Philadelphia, 1-2 at New York-NL and 1-1 at Chicago.

☞ The Twins' next IL series will be three games at San Diego from August 19-21.

☞ Byron Buxton is hitting .316 (30-for-95) with three doubles, eight home runs, 17 RBI, a .600 slugging percentage and a .971 OPS in 26 games against the NL this season...his batting average ranks 11th and his OPS ranks 12th among all MLB players (min. 100 PA).

**STARTER STRENGTH:** In 16 games since the All-Star break, the Twins starting staff has combined to go 7-4, 3.24 ERA (89.0 IP, 32 ER) with nine home runs allowed, 26 walks and 94 strikeouts, holding opponents to a .195 (62-for- average).

**UNMATCHED AURA:** Royce Lewis came off the IL hitting just .200 (3-for-15) with two extra-base hits, two walks, a .294 on-base percentage and a .761 OPS in his first five games, but has since hit .286 (6-for-21) with two doubles, three home runs, 11 RBI, five walks, a .407 on-base percentage, an .810 slugging percentage and a 1.217 OPS in his last six games.

**GOOD OL' CEMENT BONES:** Matt Wallner began the season hitting .080 (2-for-25) with a .513 OPS in 13 games from March 28-April 15 before being optioned to Triple-A St. Paul... since being recalled from Triple-A St. Paul on July 7, he has hit .358 (19-for-53) with seven doubles, five home runs, 10 RBI, a .469 on-base percentage, an .811 slugging percentage and a 1.280 OPS in 18 games.

☞ Additionally, since that July 7 date, he ranks third in baseball in average exit velocity (minimum of 300 pitches seen) at 98.4 mph and sixth in slugging percentage (.811).

**SERIES DISCUSSIONS:** The Twins enter today 23-12-2 in series play this season, going 12-6-0 at home and 11-6-2 on the road...after starting their season 1-4-2 in their first seven series, the Twins have gone 21-8-0 since April 22.

☞ Twins have gone 4-5-1 in series play vs. NL opponents, their four wins coming against Washington (May 20-22), Colorado (June 10-12), Arizona (June 25-27) and Philadelphia (July 22-24).

☞ Twins are 7-7-0 all-time in series play against the Cubs, including a record of 3-4-0 at Wrigley Field...their last series win over the Cubs was May 12-14, 2023, taking two of three at Target Field...their last series win at Wrigley was September 21-22, 2021, sweeping in two.

**WEEKEND PLANS:** In advance of this weekend's highly-anticipated, four-game AL Central showdown against the Guardians, the Twins today announced details for gate giveaways and in-ballpark celebrations throughout the series.

☞ Friday, August 9 includes a Twins kids beanie giveaway (Game 1) and postgame fireworks (Game 2).

☞ Saturday, August 10 is a 612 Saturday presented by Carbliss with media partner Bally Sports North and the Twins Hall of Fame induction presented by Coordinated Business Systems, featuring former GM Terry Ryan and former coach Rick Stelmazek.

☞ Sunday, August 11 includes a Twins City Connect back-to-school backpack giveaway courtesy of Target, is a Kids Day presented by Target and Gillette Children's, and features pregame festivities commemorating the 100th anniversary of the Washington Senators' 1924 World Series championship – the first in franchise history.

**SABR 52:** SABR's 52nd annual baseball convention is in Minneapolis, starting today through Sunday at the Hyatt Regency...daily highlights include:

☞ Tomorrow – Panels featuring National Baseball Hall of Famers Rod Carew, Tony Oliva, Bert Blyleven, and Jim Kaat, as well as former Twins LaTroy Hawkins and Glen Perkins; remarks by Twins President of Baseball Operations Derek Falvey.

☞ Friday – Twins analytics panel highlighted by Senior Vice President and General Manager Thad Levine; Umpires panel featuring former Minor League umpire Emma Charlesworth-Seiler and MLB umps Jeff Nelson and Tim Tschida; St. Paul Saints panel led by team executives Derek Sharrer, Sierra Bailey and Tom Whaley.

☞ Saturday – Black Baseball in Minnesota panel lead by author and historian Frank White; Future of Baseball Broadcasts panel featuring Twins President/CEO Dave St. Peter and The Athletic's Evan Drellich; film screening of The Diamond King with baseball artist Dick Perez; SABR Trivia Contest Finals.

#### STREAKS

Current Streak	1 loss
Last 5 games	4-1
Last 10 games	6-4
Last 15 games	9-6
Last 20 games	11-9

#### TWINS VS. CUBS

2024 Record:	1-1
Current Streak:	1 loss
2023 at Home:	2-1
2024 at Chicago:	1-1
Under Baldelli (since 2019):	7-5
Under Baldelli at CHC:	5-2
All-Time Record:	20-22
All-Time at Home:	11-9
All-Time at Chicago:	9-13

#### 2024 Game Logs:

Date	Site	Score	Winner/Loser/Save
8/6	CHI	3-0	Festa/Hendricks/Jax
8/7	CHI	3-7	Imanaga/López
8/8	CHI		1:20 pm (CT)

#### CURRENT ROADTRIP (1-1)

Batting average	.177
Runs Per Game	3.00
Home Runs	3
RISP	.143
Errors	1

Team ERA	3.71
Starters W-L	1-1
Starters ERA	3.60
Relievers W-L-S	0-0-1
Relievers ERA	3.86
Saves/Opps	1/1

#### TWINS ALL-TIME LEADERS

AB/HR (minimum of 400 PA)	
Nelson Cruz (2019-21)	12.30
Royce Lewis (2022-present)	12.32
Jim Thome (2010-11)	13.03
Harmon Killebrew (1961-74)	13.88
Miguel Sanó (2015-22)	15.44

#### AL PITCHING LEADERS

STRIKES THROWN	
Luis Castillo, SEA	1,521
Seth Lugo, KC	1,501
Chris Bassitt, TOR	1,444
George Kirby, SEA	1,426
Cole Ragans, KC	1,421
Carlos Rodón, NYY	1,417
Corbin Burnes, BAL	1,412
Joe Ryan, MIN	1,410

#### AL PITCHING LEADERS

WALK RATE (min. 120 IP)	
Zach Eflin, TB	2.7%
George Kirby, SEA	2.8%
Joe Ryan, MIN	4.3%

#### AL PITCHING LEADERS

xERA (min. 120 IP)	
Tarik Skubal, DET	2.81
Joe Ryan, MIN	2.85
Corbin Burnes, BAL	3.10

#### UPCOMING MILESTONES

PLAYER	CURRENT NO.	MILESTONE WITHIN REACH
Byron Buxton	129 home runs	Needs 3 to tie Jacque Jones (132) for 15th on Twins all-time list (since 1961).
Jhoan Duran	92 stolen bases	Needs 1 to pass Larry Hise (92) and move into 10th on Twins all-time list (since 1961).
	50 saves	Needs 1 to pass Taylor Rogers (50) for 11th as well as tie Bill Campbell (51) for 10th on Twins all-time list (since 1961).
Max Kepler	160 home runs	Needs 2 to tie Miguel Sanó (162) for 11th on Twins all-time list (since 1961).
	203 doubles	Needs 7 to tie Chuck Knoblauch (210) for 10th on Twins all-time list (since 1961).
	410 walks	Needs 1 to tie Michael Cuddyer (411) for 11th on Twins all-time list (since 1961).
Christian Vázquez	147 doubles	Needs 3 to reach 150 for career.

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JOE RYAN

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Height: 6-2 Weight: 193 B/T: R/R Age: 28 (6/5/1996 in San Francisco, CA)

2024: 7-7, 3.59 ERA CAREER: 33-26, 3.92 ERA

- ☞ Making 23rd start of 2024 and 84th of career...earned his seventh win in previous start August 2 vs. Chicago-AL, allowing two runs on three hits (1 HR) in 6.1 innings, with three walks and seven strikeouts; Twins won 10-2.
- ☞ Making his first start vs. Chicago-NL this season...in three career starts he is 2-1, 2.81 ERA (16.0 IP, 5 ER), three walks, 26 strikeouts and a 0.81 WHIP.
- ☞ Ranks fourth among qualified pitchers with a 6.30 strikeout-to-walk ratio (145 K, 23 BB).

2024 MAJOR LEAGUE DAY-BY-DAY

Date	Opp.	Dec.	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	Left/Final	Notes	Pitches/K
3/30	at KC	ND	5.1	3	1	1	0	1	5	0-0/5-1	1.17 ERA at Kauffman Stadium	81/52 (64.2%)
4/6	vs. CLE	L1	6.0	5	3	3	1	0	7	1-3/1-3	Second career loss in April	90/67 (74.4%)
4/13	at DET	ND	6.0	6	3	1	1	1	12	2-2/11-5	Career-high 12 strikeouts	96/70 (72.9%)
4/19	vs. DET	ND	5.1	7	4	3	0	1	6	2-4/4-5	Season-high seven hits	93/63 (67.7%)
4/24	vs. CWS	W1	6.0	4	3	2	1	8	6-3/6-3	First win of 2024		92/60 (65.2%)
4/29	at CWS	ND	6.0	6	2	2	0	1	3	2-2/3-2	4th quality start of season	86/59 (68.6%)
<b>MAR/APR</b>												<b>3.38 ERA</b>
5/5	vs. BOS	L2	6.0	4	3	3	1	1	5	2-3/2-9	3rd-straight quality start	95/62 (65.3%)
5/10	at TOR	W2	7.0	6	1	1	1	0	7	2-1/3-2	First career win vs. Toronto	104/75 (72.1%)
5/16	vs. NYY	L3	5.1	6	4	4	1	1	5	0-3/0-5	Season-high-tying four runs	93/60 (64.5%)
5/21	at WSH	W3	7.0	3	0	0	0	2	6	10-0/10-0	First scoreless start of 2024	95/62 (65.2%)
5/27	vs. KC	W4	7.0	4	1	1	0	0	9	5-1/6-5	Topped out at 96.6 mph (career high)	99/68 (68.6%)
<b>MAY TOTALS</b>												<b>2.51 ERA</b>
6/1	at HOU	L4	5.0	8	5	5	4	2	4	0-5/2-5	Season-high in hits and runs	95/58 (61.0%)
6/7	at PIT	L5	7.0	2	2	2	1	2	8	0-2/0-3	First losing streak of 2024	92/62 (67.3%)
6/13	vs. OAK	W5	7.0	3	2	2	1	1	5	4-2/6-2	Team-leading 10th Quality start	95/65 (68.4%)
6/19	vs. TB	ND	6.0	6	1	1	1	1	1	2-1/3-2	11th start with 6.0-or-more innings	94/66 (70.2%)
6/25	at AZ	ND	6.0	6	4	4	1	0	5	1-4/4-5	12th start with 6.0-or-more innings	86/58 (67.4%)
6/30	at SEA	ND	5.2	6	2	1	0	0	10	3-2/5-3	Second 10+ strikeout game	99/73 (73.7%)
<b>JUNE TOTALS</b>												<b>3.68 ERA</b>
7/6	vs. HOU	W6	5.2	5	3	3	1	1	8	7-2/9-3	110 pitches are second career most	110/74 (67.3%)
7/12	at SF	L6	5.1	6	5	5	0	3	6	0-4/1-7	Career strikeout #500	98/62 (63.2%)
7/21	vs. MIL	ND	6.0	7	4	4	1	0	6	5-4/7-8	13th start with 6.0-or-more IP	88/65 (73.8%)
7/27	at DET	L7	6.0	3	2	2	0	1	8	2-3/2-7	First quality start in five starts	89/56 (62.9%)
<b>JULY TOTALS</b>												<b>5.48 ERA</b>
8/2	vs. CWS	W7	6.1	3	2	2	1	3	7	4-2/10-2	11 whiffs on 52 swings (21.2%)	103/69 (66.9%)
<b>AUG. TOTALS</b>												<b>2.84 ERA</b>
			<b>RECORD</b>	<b>IP</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>ER</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>BB</b>	<b>SO</b>	<b>ERA</b>	
<b>2024 TOTALS</b>			<b>7-7</b>	<b>133.0</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>3.59</b>	
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>			<b>33-26</b>	<b>468.1</b>	<b>395</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>523</b>	<b>3.92</b>	

- LAST TIME OUT:** Last pitched on August 2 vs. Chicago-AL...earned his seventh win of the season... began his outing by striking out four-straight batters...allowed a game-tying two-run home run to Miguel Vargas in the third inning...pitched into the seventh for just the sixth time this season; recorded one out and departed with one on, being relieved by Jorge Alcalá, who escaped the inning allowing no runs...allowed two runs on three hits (1 HR), three walks and seven strikeouts in 6.1 innings... recorded his team-leading 13th quality start of the season.
- ☞ Has tossed at least 5.0 innings in each of his last 25 starts, since September 18, 2023; is the longest such streak by a Twins pitcher since Ervin Santana did 33-straight from 5/30/2016 - 5/29/2017.
  - ☞ The last 22 starts of Ryan's 24-start streak have come this season; his 22-straight starts of 5.0-plus innings is the fourth-longest streak in baseball this year.
  - ☞ Ryan's last outing of less than 5.0 innings pitched was on September 12, 2023 vs. Tampa Bay.

**TWO STARTS AGO:** Made the start on July 27 at Detroit...took his seventh loss of the season allowing three runs (2 ER) on three hits, one walk and eight strikeouts in 6.0 innings...allowed an RBI single to Mark Canha in the first inning before tossing four scoreless innings...allowed two more runs in the sixth inning on a Colt Keith RBI triple and Canha sacrifice fly before exiting...recorded his first quality start in five starts...made his third start of the season against Detroit; has gone 0-1, 3.12 ERA (17.1 IP, 6 ER), three walks and 26 strikeouts.

- VS. CHICAGO-NL:** Facing Chicago-NL for the first time this season and fourth of his career.
- ☞ In three career matchups vs. Chicago-NL, he is 2-1, 2.81 ERA (16.0 IP, 5 ER), three walks, 26 strikeouts, a 0.81 WHIP and a .175 (10-for-57) opponent batting average.
  - ☞ Has made one career start at Wrigley Field, allowing two runs on three hits, one walk and 11 strikeouts in 5.0 innings...earned the victory in a 5-4 Twins win.
  - ☞ Made his major league debut vs. Chicago-NL on September 1, 2021...allowed three runs on three hits (1 HR), one walk and five strikeouts in 5.0 innings, taking the loss...became the first pitcher in Twins history (1961-) with 11 strikeouts in a complete outing of 5.0 innings-or-less; also struck out seven-straight batters, setting a Twins rookie record...collected his first major league strikeout against Ian Happ, who is .333 (2-for-6) with one walk and four strikeouts vs. Ryan in his career.

**BACK ON THE ROAD:** Through 11 road starts in 2024, Ryan has gone 2-4 with a 3.26 ERA (66.1 IP, 24 ER), 13 walks, 74 strikeouts and eight home runs allowed, compared to 5-3, 3.92 ERA (66.2 IP, 29 ER), 10 walks, 71 strikeouts and 10 home runs in 11 home starts.

- ☞ In 40 career road starts, he is 14-14, 4.14 ERA (222.1 IP, 102 ER), 51 walks, 236 strikeouts and 19 quality starts...Twins are 22-18 in Ryan's 40 road starts.
- ☞ Twins are 6-5 this season on the road when Ryan starts.

- LEFT-RIGHT SPLITS:** In 2024, left-handed hitters have slashed .202/.242/.361 with eight home runs, 11 walks and 60 strikeouts in 252 plate appearances vs. Ryan, while right-handed hitters have slashed .233/.272/.431 with 10 home runs, 12 walks and 85 strikeouts in 279 plate appearances.
- ☞ Over his career, lefties are batting .206 (173-for-840) with 32 doubles, six triples, 28 home runs and a .627 OPS...right-handed hitters are batting .239 (222-for-927) with 55 doubles, three triples, 46 home runs and a .736 OPS.
  - ☞ This season, lefties have a 24.4 percent whiff rate and 88.4 mph average exit velocity vs. Ryan, while righties have a 28.0 percent whiff rate and 88.4 mph average exit velocity.
  - ☞ In his last start against Chicago-AL, left-handed hitters went 2-for-9 with two walks and two strikeouts...right-handed hitters went 1-for-12 with one walk and five strikeouts.
  - ☞ In three career matchups vs. Ryan, Chicago-NL left-handed hitters have hit .148 (4-for-27) with one double, two walks and 14 strikeouts...right-handed hitters have hit .200 (6-for-30) with two doubles, one home run, one walk and 12 strikeouts.

**THE ARSENAL:** Ryan has primarily used a four-pitch mix in 22 starts this season...has leaned on his 4-seam fastball and sinker the most, combining to throw the two pitches 73.8 percent of the time in his last start against Chicago-AL...here is Ryan's 2024 repertoire, per Baseball Savant:

PITCH (AVG. MPH)	PCT. (# OF PITCHES, VS. RHB/LHB)	RESULTS
4-Seam Fastball (94.0)	48.4% (1004 pitches, 530/474)	.192 (44-for-229), 11 2B, 4 3B, 7 HR, 79 K
Split Finger (88.6)	22.2% (461 pitches, 147/314)	.202 (24-for-119), 4 2B, 6 HR, 29 K
Sweeper (81.3)	16.2% (335 pitches, 234/101)	.213 (19-for-89), 4 2B, 1 3B, 3 HR, 33 K
Slider (87.1)	7.2% (150 pitches, 95/55)	.343 (12-for-35), 3 2B, 2 HR, 1 K
Sinker (93.0)	5.9% (123 pitches, 121/2)	.357 (10-for-28), 2 2B, 1 3B, 3 K

- ☞ In his last nine starts since June 13, opponents have hit .180 (18-for-100) with 35 strikeouts against Ryan's 4-seam fastball.

2024 HIGHS

- CG's: --
- SHO's: --
- CG Low-Hit: --
- Innings: 7.0, 5x, last 6/13 vs. OAK
- SO's: 12, 4/13 at DET (G1)
- Walks: 3, 2x, last 8/2 vs. CWS
- Hits: 8, 6/1 at HOU
- Home Runs: 4, 6/1 at HOU
- Win-Streak: 2, 2x, last 6/13-7/6
- Loss-Streak: 2, 2x last 7/12-7/17

CAREER HIGHS

- CG's: 1, 6/22/23 vs. BOS
- SHO's: 1, 6/22/23 vs. BOS
- CG Low-Hit: 3, 6/22/23 vs. BOS
- Innings: 9.0, 6/22/23 vs. BOS
- SO's: 12, 4/13/24 at DET (G1)
- Walks: 5, 5/10/22 vs. HOU
- Hits: 9, 3x, last 8/2/23 at STL
- Home Runs: 5, 2x, last 6/27/23 at ATL
- Win-Streak: 8, 9/13/22-4/25/23
- Loss-Streak: 3, 5/30-6/16/23

CAREER NOTES

- 2024 marks his sixth professional season, including 2020.
- Made first career Postseason start in 2023 vs. Houston (ND, 2.0 IP, 2 H, 1R/ER, 1HR, 0 BB, 1 K).
- In 2023, set career highs in starts (29), innings pitched (161.2) and strikeouts (197).
- In 2022, his first full major league season, was Twins Opening Day starter and led both the club and all AL rookies in wins (13), innings pitched (147.0) and strikeouts (151).
- Made his major league debut for the Twins on September 1, 2021 vs. Chicago-NL (L, 5.0 IP, 3 H, 3 R/3 ER, 1 HR, 1 BB, 5 K).
- Helped Team USA win the silver medal in baseball at the 2020 Tokyo Olympics...went 1-0, 1.74 ERA (10.1 IP, 2 ER), one walk and eight strikeouts in two starts.
- Acquired by the Twins on July 22, 2021 from the Tampa Bay Rays, along with right-handed pitcher Drew Strotman, in exchange for designated hitter Nelson Cruz...learned about the trade while in Japan with Team USA.
- In 2020, was part of the Rays 60-man player pool and spent the summer at the alternate training site in Port Charlotte, Florida...ranked by *Baseball America* as the No. 12 prospect in the Rays system following the season.
- In 2019, was named Rays minor league Pitcher of the Year after going 9-4, 1.96 ERA (123.2 IP, 27 ER) in his first full professional season...divided the year between Low-A Bowling Green (6 starts), High-A Charlotte (15 games, 13 starts) and Double-A Montgomery (3 starts).
- Garnered several other awards in 2019, including: MiLB.com organization All-Star honors, *Baseball America* High Class A All-Star, two-time Florida State League Pitcher of the Week (June 17-23 and August 5-11) and Rays Minor League Pitcher of the Month for July and August.
- Made professional debut in 2018 for Short-A Hudson Valley...went 2-1, 3.72 ERA (36.1 IP, 15 ER) in 12 games (7 starts) for the Renegades, with 14 walks and 51 strikeouts.
- Selected by the Rays in the seventh round of the 2018 First-Year Player Draft out of Division II California State University, Stanislaus.
- Went 8-1, 1.65 ERA (98.1 IP, 18 ER) in 14 starts as a senior at Stanislaus and led all divisions of college baseball with 127 strikeouts...earned three selections to All-America teams...pitched three seasons at California State University, Northridge before transferring to Stanislaus.

2024 MISC. NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G/GS	IP	ER	AVG	H	AB	HR	BB	SO	
Home:	5	3	3.92	11/11	66.2	29	Vs. Left:	.202	48	238	8	11	60
Road:	2	4	3.26	11/11	66.1	24	Vs. Right:	.233	61	262	10	12	85
Day:	2	4	4.03	10/10	58.0	26	TOTALS:	.218	109	500	18	23	145
Night:	5	3	3.24	12/12	75.0	27	Runners On:	.290	47	162	8	8	41
Grass:	6	7	3.60	20/20	120.0	48	Scoring Pos:	.244	22	90	2	5	26
Turf:	1	0	3.46	2/2	13.0	5							

6.0-PLUS IP/QUALITY STARTS

YEAR	STARTS	6+ IP	QS	YEAR	STARTS	6+ IP	QS
2021	5	1	1	2024	22	15	13
2022	27	11	11	TOTALS	83	44	39
2023	29	17	14				

MORE 2024 MISCELLANEOUS NUMBERS

	BASE RUNNERS	PICK-OFFS	SB-ATT	GIDP
RYAN:	137	0	11-13	6

2024 RUNS/HITS PER INNING

INNING:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9+
RUNS/HITS:	10/21	11/12	11/17	4/17	9/23	8/19	0/0	-/-	-/-

RYAN VS. CHICAGO-NL

- 2023 vs. Chicago-NL (1 start): 1-0, 0.00 ERA (6.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 BB, 10 K
- 2023 vs. Chicago-NL at Home (1 start): 1-0, 0.00 ERA (6.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 BB, 10 K
- 2023 vs. Chicago-NL on Road (0 games): --
- Career vs. Chicago-NL (3 starts): 2-1, 2.81 ERA (16.0 IP, 5 ER), 3 BB, 26 K
- Career vs. Chicago-NL at Home (2 starts): 1-1, 2.45 ERA (11.0 IP, 3 ER), 2 BB, 15 K
- Career vs. Chicago-NL on Road (1 start): 1-0, 3.60 ERA (5.0 IP, 2 ER), 1 BB, 11 K

BATTER-PITCHER MATCHUPS

Ryan vs. Chicago-NL						Assad vs. Minnesota							
PLAYER	AVG	AB	H	HR	BB	SO	PLAYER	AVG	AB	H	HR	BB	SO
Paredes	.375	8	3	1	0	3	Santana	.000	1	0	0	0	1
Happ	.333	6	2	0	1	4							
Bellinger	.200	5	1	0	0	2							
Wisdom	.000	4	0	0	0	3							
Swanson	.000	3	0	0	0	1							
Hoerner	.500	2	1	0	0	1							
Suzuki	.500	2	1	0	1	0							

**CLIMBING THE LADDER:** Enters today with 523 career strikeouts, 25th in Twins history (1961-present)...next up are Jim Merritt and Scott Erickson, tied for 23rd with 527 strikeouts.

**ZONE DEFENSE:** 55.0% of Ryan's pitches this season have been in the zone, the seventh-highest percentage among qualified pitchers...among all starters with a minimum of 110.0 innings pitched, he ranks fifth in the AL in lowest walk percentage at 4.3%...additionally, he ranks 13th on that same list in K% (27.3%) and 10th in soft contact percentage at 19.8%.



**TEAM BULLPEN NOTES**

- ⌘ Dobnak, solo man out of 'pen, threw 3.0 IP allowing 3 R on 4 H w/ 1 BB and 1 K in last night's loss at CHC.
- ⌘ 'Pen went 0-1, 5.79 ERA (9.1 IP, 6 ER) w/ 9 BB, 9 K and 1 HLD in 3 games last season vs. Chicago-NL.
- ⌘ 'Pen has gone 12-9, 3.98 ERA (187.2 IP, 83 ER) w/ 73 BB, 189 K, and 14 SV in 58 road games compared to 13-9, 3.78 ERA (195.0 IP, 82 ER) w/ 69 BB, 211 K and 17 SV in 53 home games.

**JORGE ALCALA - RHP**

**#66**

**Height: 6-3 Weight: 205 Age: 28 (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), 0 K, 0 BB Series at CHC: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .197 vs. Right .145**

- ⌘ Tossed a scoreless 7th in Monday's win at CHC...is 1-1, 0.50 ERA (18.0 IP, 1 ER) w/ 9 BB, 18 K, 6 HLD and a .131 BAA in 17 road games this season.
- ⌘ Owns a 3.60 ERA (5.0 IP, 2 ER) w/ 2 BB, 4 K and 3 HLD in 5 career games vs. Chicago-NL.
- ⌘ Threw hardest pitch of the season and his career at 101.2 mph (4-seam FB) 6/29 at SEA.
- ⌘ Since being recalled on 5/24, he's gone 1-2 with a 1.48 ERA (30.1 IP, 5 ER) w/ 2 HR (Chourio & Benintendi), 10 BB, 30 K, 10 HLD and a .140 BAA in 30 G.
- ⌘ Ranks in the 97th percentile in both xBA (.188) and in fastball velo (97.8) in all baseball.
- ⌘ LHB are 12-for-61 (.197) w/ 3 2B, 1 HR, 9 BB and 19 K while RHB are 12-for-83 (.145) w/ 2 2B, 1 3B, 1 HR, 7 BB and 21 K with the Twins this season.
- ⌘ 2024 arsenal: 4-seam FB - 287 pitches (43.6%), slider - 281 pitches (42.6%), changeup - 48 pitches (7.3%) & sinker - 43 pitches (6.5%)... opponents are 7-for-49 off his 4-seam FB...the two HR allowed this season came off 4-seam FB.

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
8/5 at CHC	H13	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8/4 vs. CWS	ND	1.0	2	2	2	1	1	1
8/2 vs. CWS	H12	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	1
7/30 at NYM	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	2
7/23 vs. PHI	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1
7/21 vs. MIL	BS1	1.0	1	1	1	1	1	2
7/20 vs. MIL	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0
7/14 at SF	ND	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0
7/13 at SF	H11	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7/10 at CWS (G2)	H10	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1

**RANDY DOBNAK - RHP**

**#68**

**Height: 6-1 Weight: 230 Age: 29 (1/17/95 in South Park, PA) Acquired: Minor league free agent, 8/1/2017**  
**Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 9.00 (3.0 IP, 3 ER), 1 K, 1 BB Series at CHC: 0-0-0, 9.00 (3.0 IP, 3 ER), 1 K, 1 BB vs. Left .286 vs. Right .357**

- ⌘ Tossed 3.0 IP allowing 3 R on 4 H w/ 1 BB and 1 K in yesterday's loss at CHC.
- ⌘ Twins selected his contract 7/30 from AAA St. Paul...is 0-3, 7.50 ERA (30.0 IP, 25 ER) in 15 career relief appearance at MLB level.
- ⌘ Has appeared in 21 games (19 starts) for the Saints this season, going 9-5, 3.61 ERA (99.2 IP, 40 ER), 43 BB and 102 K...over last 8 AAA starts, since 6/15, has gone 5-0, 1.70 ERA (42.1 IP, 8 ER), 16 BB and 42 K.
- ⌘ Has pitched for the Twins over parts of 3 seasons from 2019-21, going 9-12, 4.94 ERA (125.2 IP, 69 ER), 30 BB & 77 K in 33 games (21 starts)...2021 season ended on IL w/ strained right middle finger.
- ⌘ Has held LHB to a .282 BAA w/ 4 HR, 29 BB and 45 K while RHB are .239 BAA w/ 5 HR, 14 BB and 57 K this minor league season.

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
8/6 at CHC	ND	3.0	4	3	3	0	1	1
8/4 vs. CWS	ND	0.2	2	2	2	0	1	2
7/31 at NYM	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	1
-----AAA St Paul-----								
7/25 vs. OMA	W9	7.0	1	1	1	0	0	5
7/19 at TOL	W8	5.0	5	2	2	0	3	4
7/13 at LOU	ND	5.0	5	3	1	1	2	6
7/7 vs. GWN	ND	4.1	6	2	2	1	3	5
7/2 vs. GWN	W7	5.0	5	1	1	0	1	2

**JHOAN DURAN - RHP**

**#59**

**Height: 6-5 Weight: 230 Age: 26 (1/8/98 in Esperanza, DR) Acquired: Trade with ARI, 7/27/18**  
**Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB Series at CHC: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB vs. Left .172 vs. Right .222**

- ⌘ Tossed a scoreless 8th inn. allowing just 1 H w/ 1 K in Monday's win at CHC...17 of his last 21 games have been scoreless.
- ⌘ Is 2-2, 7.20 ERA (10.0 IP, 8 ER) w/ 4 BB, 10 K, 2 HLD and 2 SV in 12 Interleague games this season.
- ⌘ Threw fastest pitch of the season at 103.1 mph (4-seam FB) on 5/28 vs. KC.
- ⌘ Has gone 1-1, 1.17 ERA (7.2 IP, 1 ER) w/ 1 BB, 9 K, 1 HLD and 3 SV in his last 9 road games since 6/26.
- ⌘ Is 4-1, 1.40 ERA (19.1 IP, 3 ER) w/ 7 BB, 19 K & 9 SV in 20 home G compared to 2-4, 5.82 ERA (17.0 IP, 11 ER) w/ 5 BB, 16 K and 6 SV in 19 road G.
- ⌘ LHB are 10-for-64 (.172) w/ 2 2B, 1 3B, 2 HR (Ramirez and Brennan), 5 BB & 19 K while RHB are 14-for-63 (.222) w/ 4 2B, 2 HR, 7 BB and 16 K this season.
- ⌘ 2024 arsenal: 4-seam FB - 282 pitches (41.2%), splitter - 171 pitches (30.9%) and curveball - 154 pitches (27.8%).

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
8/5 at CHC	H5	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1
8/3 vs. CWS	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7/28 at NYM	ND	1.0	2	1	1	0	0	2
7/24 vs. PHI	W6	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
7/23 vs. PHI	L5	0.2	2	3	3	0	2	0
7/20 vs. MIL	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2
7/14 at SF	L4	0.0	1	1	0	0	0	0
7/13 at SF	S15	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
7/10 at CWS (G2)	S14	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2

**GRIFFIN JAX - RHP**

**#22**

**Height: 6-2 Weight: 195 Age: 29 (11/22/94 in Phoenix, AZ) Acquired: 3rd RD, 2016 Draft**  
**Roadtrip: 0-0-1, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB Series at CHC: 0-0-1, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB vs. Left .219 vs. Right .152**

- ⌘ Earned his 8th SV of season tossing a scoreless 9th inn. Monday at CHC...14 of his last 18 app. have been scoreless posting a 1.50 ERA (18.0 IP, 3 ER) w/ a .182 BAA.
- ⌘ Is 0-1, 9.00 ERA (5.0 IP, 5 ER) w/ 2 BB and 9 K in three career games (1 start) vs. Chicago-NL.
- ⌘ Ranks 8th in strikeouts (65), 14th in K/9.0 IP (11.86) and 11th holds (17) among American League relievers.
- ⌘ Ranks in the 98th percentile in whiff % (36.1) and in the 96th percentile in K % (33.5)...has an xERA of 2.36, which ranks in the top 1% of MLB.
- ⌘ LHB are hitting .219 (16-for-73) w/ 4 2B, 1 3B, 1 HR, 6 BB and 23 K while RHB are hitting .152 (16-for-105) w/ 1 2B, 1 3B, 2 HR, 6 BB and 42 K this season.
- ⌘ Is 1-2, 1.71 ERA (26.1 IP, 5 ER) w/ 3 BB, 36 K & 4 SV in 26 home G compared to 2-2, 2.35 ERA (23.0 IP, 6 ER) w/ 9 BB, 29 K & 4 SV in 25 road G.
- ⌘ 2024 arsenal: sweeper - 295 pitches (38.0%), 4-seam FB - 230 pitches (29.6%), changeup - 120 pitches (15.5%), sinker - 75 pitches (9.7%) and curveball - 56 pitches (7.2%)...the average velocity (mph) of his sweeper is up +2.3 mph from last season (2023 - 86.7 & 2024 - 89.0).

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
8/5 at CHC	S8	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1
8/3 vs. CWS	H17	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	2
8/2 vs. CWS	H16	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2
7/30 at NYM	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
7/23 vs. PHI	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7/21 vs. MIL	L4	1.0	2	2	2	1	0	1
7/20 vs. MIL	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7/14 at SF	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
7/13 at SF	H15	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1
7/10 at CWS (G2)	H14	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1

**TREVOR RICHARDS - RHP**

**#32**

**Height: 6-2 Weight: 205 Age: 31 (5/15/93 in Aviston, IL) Acquired: Trade with TOR, 7/30/24**  
**Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 0 BB Series vs CWS: 0-0-0, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 0 BB vs. Left .171 vs. Right .191**

- ⌘ Tossed a scoreless 9th inn. w/ 2 K Sunday vs. CWS...recorded his 400th career K with a 4-seam FB to Senzel.
- ⌘ Acquired 7/30 via trade with TOR, in exchange for minor league infielder Jay Harry.
- ⌘ Is 1-2, 5.93 ERA (13.2 IP, 9 ER) w/ 8 BB, 16 K and 1 HLD in 5 career games (2 starts) vs. Chicago-NL.
- ⌘ Has appeared in 45 G (2 starts) for TOR this season, going 2-1 with a 4.64 ERA (52.1 IP, 27 ER), 7 HLD, 24 BB, 49 K and a .189 (36-for-190) BAA.
- ⌘ LHB are 14-for-82 (.171) w/ 3 2B, 1 HR, 9 BB and 19 K while RHB are 22-for-115 (.191) w/ 3 2B, 6 HR, 15 BB and 33 K this season.
- ⌘ Has posted an xBA of .198 this season, ranking in the 93rd percentile among all major league pitchers.
- ⌘ Since the start of last season, he has posted an 11.13 K/9 pitched ratio (157 K/127.0 IP), 9th in the AL (minimum of 100.0 innings pitched).
- ⌘ 2024 arsenal: changeup - 546 pitches (57.1%) and 4-seam FB - 411 pitches (42.9%)...opponents are hitting .147 against his changeup.

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
8/4 vs. CWS	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2
8/2 vs. CWS	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
-----BLUE JAYS-----								
7/29 at BAL	ND	2.0	0	0	0	0	2	1
7/25 vs. TB	ND	0.1	4	4	4	0	2	0
7/28 at DET	ND	0.1	4	3	3	1	1	0
7/14 at AZ	W2	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7/12 at AZ	ND	1.0	1	2	2	0	2	1
7/9 at SF	L1	0.2	2	2	2	0	1	0
7/6 at SEA	ND	1.0	3	3	3	1	0	2

**COLE SANDS - RHP**

**#44**

**Height: 6-3 Weight: 215 Age: 26 (7/17/97 in Tallahassee, FL) Acquired: 5th RD, 2018 Draft**  
**Homestand: 1-0-0, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 1 BB Series vs CWS: 1-0-0, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 1 BB vs. Left .261 vs. Right .175**

- ⌘ Earned 5th win of the season, tossing 2.0 scoreless IP with 2 H, 1 BB and 2 K Sunday vs. CWS...1 of 14 AL pitchers with at least 5 relief wins.
- ⌘ In his last 15 games, he's gone 3-1, 0.00 ERA (18.0 IP, 0 ER) w/ 3 R, 2 BB, 20 K, a .125 BAA and 1 SV.
- ⌘ Has one career appearance vs. Chicago-NL on 5/13/23 tossing 2.0 scoreless IP w/ 5 BB and 2 K.
- ⌘ Ranks in the 97th percentile in BB % (3.9)...ranks 5th in BB/9 (1.41) among AL relievers.
- ⌘ LHB are hitting .261 (18-for-69) w/ 2 2B, 2 HR, 4 BB and 22 K while RHB are .175 (21-for-120) w/ 4 2B, 2 HR, 4 BB and 36 K this season.
- ⌘ 2024 arsenal: cutter - 230 pitches (28.7%), 4-seam FB - 203 pitches (25.3%), curveball - 140 pitches (17.5%), splitter - 133 pitches (16.6%) and sinker - 96 pitches (12.0%).

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
8/4 vs. CWS	W5	1.0	2	0	0	0	1	2
7/31 at NYM	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7/29 at NYM	ND	1.2	1	0	0	0	0	1
7/28 at PHI	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2
7/22 vs. PHI	S3	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	2
7/20 vs. MIL	ND	0.1	1	2	1	0	0	0
7/13 at SF	W4	1.2	0	0	0	0	0	1
7/10 at CWS (G1)	ND	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	3
7/6 vs. HOU	ND	2.0	2	0	0	0	0	2

**CALEB THIELBAR - LHP**

**#56**

**Height: 6-0 Weight: 205 Age: 37 (1/31/87 in Northfield, MN) Acquired: Minor league free agent, 11/29/19**  
**Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 0 BB Series at CHC: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 0 BB vs. Left .246 vs. Right .311**

- ⌘ Tossed a scoreless 6th inn. striking out the side in 15 pitches Monday at CHC...has posted a 2.08 ERA (13.0 IP, 3 ER) w/ a .188 BAA in his last 14 games.
- ⌘ Owns a 2.25 ERA (4.0 IP, 1 ER) w/ 3 BB and 7 K in four career games vs. Chicago-NL.
- ⌘ Ranks 6th among lefties and 17th among pitchers in games played (325) in Twins history (1961-present).
- ⌘ Struck out K. Lee to end the game on 4/29 at CWS recording his 300th career K; is 5th Minnesota-born pitcher w/ 300+ career strikeouts, joining Dave Goltz (887), Dick Stigman (538), Glen Perkins (504) and Jerry Koosman (361).
- ⌘ LHB are 14-for-57 (.246) w/ 4 2B, 6 BB and 17 K off him and RHB are 19-for-61 (.311) w/ 2 2B, 4 HR, 8 BB and 16 K this season.
- ⌘ 2024 arsenal: 4-seam FB - 230 pitches (43.5%), sweeper - 164 pitches (31.0%) and curveball - 135 pitches (25.5%).

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
8/5 at CHC	H7	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	3
7/30 at NYM	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1
7/28 at NYM	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
7/26 at DET	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1
7/24 vs. PHI	ND	1.1	3	2	2	0	0	2
7/21 vs. MIL	ND	1.0	1	1	1	1	1	0
7/14 at SF	ND	0.2	1	0	0	0	0	1
7/12 at SF	ND	0.2	1	0	0	0	0	1
7/8 at CWS	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1

**JOSH WINDER - RHP (PRONOUNCED WINE-DER)**

**#74**

**Height: 6-5 Weight: 210 Age: 27 (10/11/1996 in Richmond, VA) Acquired: 7th RD, 2018 Draft**  
**Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 3 ER), 0 K, 0 BB Series vs CWS: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .200 vs. Right .800**

- ⌘ Recalled Monday from St. Paul...has appeared in 22 games for the Saints this season, striking out 39 batters in 34.0 innings, with 12 walks.
- ⌘ In his last MLB outing he tossed 2.0 IP allowing 4 R (3 ER) on 5 H w/ 2 K on 7/5 vs. HOU.
- ⌘ Is 1-1, 5.63 ERA (16.0 IP, 10 ER) w/ 7 BB and 15 K in 7 career Interleague games (1 start).
- ⌘ LHB are hitting .263 BAA while RHB are hitting .398 at the minor league level this season.
- ⌘ 2024 MLB arsenal: sweeper - 17 pitches (39.5%), 4-seam FB - 16 pitches (37.2%) and changeup - 7 pitches (16.3%).

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
-----AAA St. Paul-----								
8/3 at IOW	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2
7/30 at IOW	S4	1.0	2	1	1	0	0	1
7/27 vs. OMA	ND	2.0	4	3	3	2	1	3
7/23 vs. OMA	ND	1.0	3	1	1	1	0	2
7/19 at TOL	ND	0.2	2	2	2	0	2	1
7/13 at LOU	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1

**MISC TEAM BULLPEN INFO**

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MISC. HIGHS AND LOWS

Most Runs, Game (Team)	17, 6/12 vs. COL
Most Runs, Inning (Team)	7, 5x, last 9th inn, 7/5 vs. HOU
Most Hits, Game (Team)	24, 6/12 vs. COL
Most Hits, Inning (Team)	7, 2x, last 2nd inn, 6/22 at OAK
Most Strikeouts, Batters (Team)	15, 2x, last 4/9 vs. LAD
Longest Hitting Streak (Individual)	14, Kepler, 4/27-5/12
Consecutive Hits/AB (Individual)	12, Miranda 7/3-6
Consecutive Hitless At-Bats (Individual)	27, Vázquez, 5/4-21
Consecutive Scoreless Innings (Batters)	28, 2nd inn 5/14-3rd inn 5/17
Most Runs Allowed (Team)	15, 7/29 at NYM
Most Runs Allowed, Inning (Team)	6, 2x, last 4th inn, 7/29 at NYM
Most Hits Allowed (Team)	17, 7/29 at NYM
Most Hits Allowed, Inning (Team)	6, 3x, last 3rd inn, 7/3 vs. DET
Pitchers Used (Team)	8, 7/8 at CWS
Cons. Batters Retired (Team)	34, 4th inn, 6/22-6th inn, 6/23
Scoreless Innings Streak (Team/Pitchers)	16, 3rd inn, 6/22-9th inn, 6/23
Most Innings, Starter	9.0, Ober, 6/22 at OAK
Most Runs, Starter	9, Paddack, 4/16 at BAL
Most Home Runs, Starter	4, Ryan, 6/1 at HOU
Most Hits, Starter	12, 2x, last Paddack, 5/14 vs. NYY
Most Walks, Starter	6, López, 6/6 at NYY
Most Strikeouts, Starter	14, López, 6/23 at OAK
Most Strikeouts, Pitchers (Team)	17, 4/13 (G1) at DET
Most Walks, Pitchers (Team)	8, 6/6 at NYY
Most Cons. Scoreless Innings (Individual)	15.0, Ober, 2nd inn 4/8-5th inn 4/20 vs. DET
Most Cons. Batters Retired (Individual)	17, 2x, last López, 1st-6th inn, 6/23 at OAK
Longest Game, Innings	12.0, 2x, last 7/20 vs. MIL
Longest Game, Time (9 Inn.)	3:22, 8/4 vs. CWS
Longest Game, Time (X Inn.)	3:44, 7/20 vs. MIL (12 inn.)
Fastest Game, Time (9 Inn.)	2:05, 7/10 (G1) at CWS
Largest Margin, Victory	11, 16-5, 4/27 at LAA
Largest Margin, Loss	13, 2-15, 7/29 at NYM
Lineups Used	105

SCORE BY INNING

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	XTRA	TOTAL
Opponent	58	56	65	46	68	51	50	46	39	13	492
Twins	56	71	62	48	50	48	77	60	57	21	550

INJURED LIST

PLAYER	INJURY	DATE ON	RETRO	DATE OFF	GAMES MISSED
Josh Winder#	Right Scapular Stress Fracture	2/26		5/27	57
Anthony DeSclafani#	Right Elbow Strain	3/28			112
Jhoan Duran^	Right Oblique Strain	3/28	3/25	4/30	33
Josh Staumont^	Left Calf Strain	3/28	3/26	4/19	22
Caleb Thielbar^	Left Hamstring Strain	3/28	3/25	4/14	28
Justin Topa#	Left Patellar Tendinitis	3/28	3/25		112
Zack Weiss#	Right Shoulder Strain	3/28	3/25	7/17	99
Royce Lewis*	Right Quad Strain	3/30	3/29	6/4	66
Daniel Duarte#	Right Elbow Surgery	4/7	4/4		107
Max Kepler*	Right Knee Contusion	4/9	4/7	4/22	18
Carlos Correa*	Right Intercostal Strain	4/13		4/29	21
Byron Buxton*	Right Knee Inflammation	5/3	5/2	5/18	19
Brock Stewart#	Right Shoulder Tendinitis	5/3	5/2	7/24	73
Alex Kirilloff#	Mild Back Strain	6/12			45
Chris Paddack*	Right Arm Fatigue	6/25	6/22	7/8	18
Royce Lewis*	Right Adductor Strain	7/3		7/26	19
Austin Martin*	Right Oblique Strain	7/7	7/6	7/20	11
Kyle Farmer*	Right Shoulder Strain	7/12	7/11		17
Jose Miranda*	Low Back Strain	7/14	7/11	7/27	12
Carlos Correa*	Right Plantar Fasciitis	7/19	7/16		16
Chris Paddack*	Right Forearm Strain	7/20	7/17		16
Kody Funderburk^	Left Oblique Strain	7/21	7/18		15
Brock Stewart^	Right Shoulder Strain	7/31	7/30		7

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

LONGEST HOME RUNS

Buxton	456 ft., 6/27 at AZ (McGough)
Correa	442 ft., 4/9 vs. LAD (Brogdon)
Wallner	442 ft., 7/31 at NYM (Severino)
Larnach	441 ft., 5/27 vs. KC (Marsh)
Wallner	441 ft., 7/24 vs. PHI (Nola)
Buxton	439 ft., 6/11 vs. COL (Vodnik)
Miranda	437 ft., 5/27 vs. KC (Marsh)
Lewis	435 ft., 6/10 vs. COL (Mears)

HIGHEST EXIT VELOCITY

Wallner	116.8 mph (1B), 7/7 vs. HOU
Wallner	116.7 mph (HR), 7/8 at CWS
Kepler	115.4 mph (LO), 4/25 vs. CWS
Wallner	114.3 mph (LO), 7/23 vs. PHI
Correa	113.9 mph (1B), 5/24 vs. TEX
Jeffers	113.9 mph (LO), 5/10 at TOR
Larnach	113.2 mph (GO), 6/28 at SEA
Buxton	113.2 mph (2B), 8/4 vs. CWS

STARTS BY POSITION

	C	1B	2B	SS	3B	LF	CF	RF	DH
Byron Buxton	0	0	0	0	0	0	71	0	5
Jair Camargo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Diego A. Castillo	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Willi Castro	0	0	31	27	11	20	16	0	0
Carlos Correa	0	0	0	74	0	0	0	0	0
Kyle Farmer	0	0	23	2	11	0	0	0	0
Ryan Jeffers	55	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
Edouard Julien	0	0	49	0	0	0	0	0	0
Max Kepler	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	70	1
Alex Kirilloff	0	11	0	0	0	20	0	4	12
Trevor Larnach	0	0	0	0	0	27	0	3	36
Brooks Lee	0	0	4	9	10	0	0	0	2
Royce Lewis	0	0	0	0	22	0	0	0	11
Manuel Margot	0	0	0	0	0	12	9	27	2
Austin Martin	0	0	5	0	0	22	16	0	0
Jose Miranda	0	7	0	0	55	0	0	0	12
Carlos Santana	0	94	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Christian Vázquez	57	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Matt Wallner	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	8	5

STARTS BY BATTING ORDER

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Byron Buxton	1	8	14	9	17	7	20	0	0
Jair Camargo	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Diego A. Castillo	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Willi Castro	29	2	5	0	7	22	18	15	7
Carlos Correa	0	39	13	4	18	0	0	0	0
Kyle Farmer	0	0	0	1	0	2	9	10	14
Ryan Jeffers	9	12	15	5	8	8	7	11	0
Edouard Julien	29	8	0	0	1	2	0	3	6
Max Kepler	0	1	2	43	12	6	5	2	0
Alex Kirilloff	8	6	12	2	2	7	6	4	0
Trevor Larnach	12	30	14	4	1	5	0	0	0
Brooks Lee	1	0	1	2	0	4	3	9	5
Royce Lewis	0	0	25	7	1	0	0	0	0
Manuel Margot	22	0	4	2	4	2	4	8	4
Austin Martin	0	0	0	0	2	6	4	6	25
Jose Miranda	0	4	4	27	12	11	2	4	10
Carlos Santana	1	2	2	4	22	26	19	20	0
Christian Vázquez	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	16	38
Matt Wallner	0	0	1	2	5	4	7	3	2

MOST USED LINEUP (3X)

Player	Pos.
Margot	RF
Correa	SS
Jeffers	DH
Miranda	3B
Buxton	CF
Castro	LF
Farmer	2B
Santana	1B
Vázquez	C

OUTFIELD ASSISTS

Max Kepler	3
Byron Buxton	2
Willi Castro	2
Alex Kirilloff	1
Austin Martin	1
Matt Wallner	1
Total	10

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)  
**Inside-the-Park Home Run:** B. Buxton, 9/15/20 at CWS (1 as a team in 2020, 54 all-time)  
**Pinch-Hit Home Run:** R. Jeffers, 4/13/23-Game 1 at DET (1 as a team in 2024)  
**Pinch-Hit Grand Slam:** M. LeCroy, 9th inn, 5/19/04 at TOR (15 all-time)  
**Five-Hit Game:** J. Miranda, 7/4/23 vs. DET (2 as a team in 2024)  
**Six-Hit Game:** K. Puckett, 5/23/91 vs. TEX (2 all-time, both Puckett)  
**Two Hits, One Inning:** E. Julien, 1st inn, 4/13/23 at NYY (1 as a team in 2023)  
**Two Home Runs, One Inning:** M. Cuddyer, 7th inn, 8/23/09 at KC (1 all-time)  
**Two-Home Run Game:** B. Buxton, 7/21/24 vs. MIL (6 as team in 2024)  
**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:** B. Buxton/T. Larnach, 7/26/24 at DET (7 as team in 2024)  
**Three Consecutive Home Runs:** M. Taylor/E. Julien/C. Correa, 1st inn, 4/13/23 at NYY (1 in 2023)  
**Three Home Runs, One Inning:** M. Taylor/E. Julien/C. Correa, 4/13/23 at NYY (1 in 2023)  
**Four Home Runs, One Inning:** M. Sanó/R. Jeffers/M. Kepler/B. Rooker, 7/28/21 vs. DET (1 in 2021)  
**Walk-Off Home Run:** C. Vázquez, 7/7/24 vs. HOU (1 as a team in 2024)  
**Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run:** M. Sanó, 8/5/19 vs. ATL (9 all-time)  
**Leadoff Home Run:** R. Jeffers, 5/15/24 vs. NYY (2 as a team in 2024)  
**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:** L. Arraez/B. Buxton/C. Correa, 6/9/22 vs. NYY  
**Last Pitcher to Hit Home Run:** Last actual pitcher Jim Kaat, 6/11/72 at CLE; Chris Gimenez catcher pitching in relief, 9/2/18 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, 4/15/17 vs. CWS (14 all-time)  
**Two-Hitter:** E. Santana, 5/23/17 at BAL (43 all-time)  
**10+ Innings Pitched:** B. Radke (10.0 innings), 9/21/97 vs. MIL  
**10+ Strikeouts:** 11, B. Ober, 7/28/23 at DET (9 as team in 2024)  
**Complete-Game Shutout:** P. López, 7/5/23 vs. KC (2 as a team in 2023)  
**Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories:** J. Mays/C. Silva, 5/19-20/05 vs. TOR/SEA  
**Back-to-Back Shutouts:** 3/30/23 & 4/1/23 at KC (2 games, 2-0 and 2-0)  
**Four Strikeouts in an Inning:** Z. Duke, 3/29/18 at BAL (7th inning) (4 times since 1961)  
**Immaculate Inning:** Never in MIN/WAS history (1901-present)

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)  
**Three or more Steals, One Game:** E. Adriaenz (3), 6/21/17 vs. CWS (1 in 2017)  
**Steal of Home:** W. Castro, 7/28/23 at KC (3 as a team in 2023)  
**Pure Steal of Home:** R. Becker, 9/27/97 at CLE  
**Home 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:** C. Kelly, 7/3/24 vs. DET (3 allowed as team in 2024)  
**Inside-the-Park Home Run:** R. Arozarena, 6/10/22 vs. TB (46 allowed all-time)  
**Pinch-Hit Home Run:** K. Wong, 7/24/23 vs. SEA (1 allowed in 2023)  
**Pinch-Hit Grand Slam:** C. Raleigh, 5/7/24 vs. SEA (12 allowed all-time)  
**Five-Hit Game:** C. Arroyo, 6/20/23 vs. BOS  
**Six-Hit Game:** J. Segura, 5/28/13 at MIL (3 allowed all-time)  
**Two Hits, One Inning:** W. Merrifield, 1st inn, 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. Alvarez, 6/1/24 at HOU (4 allowed in 2024)  
**Three-Home Run Game:** J. Donaldson, 8/28/16 at TOR (26 allowed since 1961)  
**Back-to-Back Home Runs:** L. Rengifo/N. Schanuel, 4/29/24 at LAA (2 allowed in 2024)  
**Three Consecutive Home Runs:** C. Bellinger/G. Lux/A. Barnes, 4/13/22 vs. LAD  
**Three Home Runs, One Inning:** E. Montero/S. Bouchard/B. Doyle, 9/30/23 at COL (3 in 2023)  
**Four Home Runs, One Inning:** C. Everett/T. O'Leary/J. Varitek/M. Burkhart, 7/3/00 vs. BOS  
**Walk-off Home Run:** W. Brennan, 5/19/24 at CLE (2 allowed in 2024)  
**Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run:** C. Santana, 9/23/11 at CLE (12 all-time)  
**Leadoff Home Run:** A. Volpe, 5/16/23 vs. NYY (3 allowed in 2024)  
**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:** D. Cease, 9/3/22 at CWS (25 all-time)  
**Two-Hitter:** R. Halladay, 5/29/05 at TOR (49 all-time)  
**10+ Innings Pitched:** A. Fernández (10.0 innings), 10/1/95 at CHW  
**10+ Strikeouts:** 10, S. Imanaga, 8/7/24 at CHC (6 times in 2024)  
**Complete Game Shutout:** G. Cole, 4/16/23 at NYY (2 times in 2023)  
**Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories:** J. Williams/Jer. Weaver, 5/1-2/12 at LAA  
**Back-to-Back Shutouts:** 5/31/22 (G2) & 6/1/22 at DET (2 games, 4-0 and 5-0)  
**Four Strikeouts in an Inning:** F. Hernández, 6/3/10 vs. SEA (8th inn)  
**Immaculate Inning:** M. Kopech, 7/10/24 at CWS (G1) (9th inn) (2 times in MIN/WAS history)

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)  
**Three or more Steals, One Game:** W. Merrifield (3), 7/2/17 at KC (1 in 2017)  
**Steal of Home:** B. Shewmake, 4/24/24 vs. CWS (1 in 2024)  
**Pure Steal of Home:** S. Green, 5/26/00 vs. TEX  
**Home Run in First ML At-Bat:** Se. Alcantara, 9/26/20 vs. DET

2024 TARGET FIELD WEATHER DELAYS AND POSTPONEMENTS

DATE	DELAYED/PPD	NOTES
4/7 vs. Cleveland	Postponed	Game called in the morning and rescheduled as part of a split doubleheader on August 9 at Target Field.
6/12 vs. Colorado	Delayed	37-minute rain delay after the top of the seventh inning.
6/15 vs. Oakland	Postponed	Game called in the morning and rescheduled as part of a split doubleheader on June 16 (the next day) at Target Field.
6/18 vs. Tampa Bay	Delayed	1:23-minute rain delay after the first at-bat of the top of the fifth inning.
7/4 vs. Detroit	Start time moved	1:10 start moved 1 hour forward to 12:10 start in anticipation of inclement weather later in the day.
7/20 vs. Milwaukee	Delayed	Game complete in middle of bottom of 7th inning as rain showers became heavier. Twins won final game of series by a score of 12-3 as Detroit was leaving town.
7/21 vs. Milwaukee	Delayed	Game started 14 minutes late due to rain showers. First pitch was scheduled for 6:10 and began officially at 6:24.
7/22 vs. Philadelphia	Delayed	Game started 49 minutes late due to rain showers. First pitch was scheduled for 12:05 pm and began officially at 12:54 pm.
		Game started 1 hour and 31 minutes late due to rain showers. First pitch was scheduled for 6:40 pm and began officially at 8:11 pm.

Table with columns: Date, Opp., Score, W/L, Rcd., Pos., GA/GB, Daily Att, Total Hm Att, Home Date, Winner/Loser/Save. Rows include MARCH/APRIL (16-13) and MAY (16-12).

Table with columns: Date, Opp., Score, W/L, Rcd., Pos., GA/GB, Daily Att, Total Hm Att, Home Date, Winner/Loser/Save. Rows include JUNE (15-12) and JULY (12-11).

Table with columns: Date, Opp., Score, W/L, Rcd., Pos., GA/GB, Daily Att, Total Hm Att, Home Date, Winner/Loser/Save. Rows include AUGUST (4-1) and SEPTEMBER (---).

Table with columns: Date, Opp., Score, W/L, Rcd., Pos., GA/GB, Daily Att, Total Hm Att, Home Date, Winner/Loser/Save. Rows include OCTOBER (---) and NOVEMBER (---).

Table with columns: Date, Opp., Score, W/L, Rcd., Pos., GA/GB, Daily Att, Total Hm Att, Home Date, Winner/Loser/Save. Rows include JULY (12-11) and AUGUST (4-1).

Table with columns: Date, Opp., Score, W/L, Rcd., Pos., GA/GB, Daily Att, Total Hm Att, Home Date, Winner/Loser/Save. Rows include SEPTEMBER (---) and OCTOBER (---).

Table with columns: Date, Opp., Score, W/L, Rcd., Pos., GA/GB, Daily Att, Total Hm Att, Home Date, Winner/Loser/Save. Rows include NOVEMBER (---) and DECEMBER (---).

^ - Denotes Extra-Innings (Twins are 4-4 in extras in 2024)
\* - Denotes Sellout (2 in 2024)
# - PPD game from 4/7 ## - PPD game from 4/11
### - PPD game from 6/15 #### - PPD game from 7/9

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

2024 WALK-OFF VICTORIES (5) Table with columns: DATE, SCORE, NOTES. Rows include 4/23 vs. CWS, 6/14 vs. OAK, 6/18 vs. TB, 7/7 vs. HOU, 7/24 vs. PHI.

2024 PLAYERS ON ROSTER (45) Table with columns: Pitchers (25) and Positions Players (18). Lists names and roles of players on the roster.

HOME GAMES ROAD GAMES