



GAME NOTES

2022 TEXAS LEAGUE CHAMPIONS

FRISCO ROUGHRIDERS (0-0)
Texas Rangers

AMARILLO SOD POODLES (0-0)
Arizona Diamondbacks



GAME #1 • THURSDAY, APRIL 6TH • 6:35 P.M.

Riders Field • Frisco, Texas

RHP **Jack Leiter** (0-0, --) vs. RHP Bryce Jarvis (0-0, --)

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ROUGHRIDERS LOOK TO DEFEND THEIR TEXAS LEAGUE TITLE IN 2023:

The Frisco RoughRiders finished the season on top of the Texas League for the second time in franchise history. The Riders won the Texas League South Division Second Half Championship to book their trip to the playoffs on September 16th in Northwest Arkansas and hosted game one of the playoffs against San Antonio on September 20th. After winning 7-3 in come-from-behind fashion, the Riders swept the Missions with a 5-2 victory down at Nelson W. Wolff Municipal Stadium.

That set up a championship series against the Minnesota Twins-affiliated Wichita Wind Surge. Riders catcher **Scott Kapers** led the way in game one, homering twice - including a grand slam - in an 11-3 thumping of the Surge. Shortstop **Jonathan Ornelas** collected four hits on the day and Forney, Texas native **Mason Englert** threw 5.1 innings in his start, allowing just one run in the win.

Game two was an instant-classic with the Riders winning 7-5 in 10 innings. After Wichita starter Brent Headrick struck out 11 batters over seven shutout innings, the Riders trailed 2-0 into the eighth inning. Frisco tied the game with two runs in the eighth before Wichita took the lead back with a run in the bottom of the inning. Down to their final strike in the ninth, **Thomas Saggese** singled in the game-tying run and the Riders opened the flood gates with four runs in the top of the 10th to take a big lead. Two runs in the bottom of the 10th were not enough for Wichita as they fell in the Championship Series for the second year in a row.

OPENING ACT:

This will be the 20th Opening Day in RoughRiders history. Here are some by-the-numbers facts about Opening Day: The Riders are 10-9 on the first day of the season (3-6 since 2013) and have been outscored 80-58, in large part due to two blowout losses (15-2 in 2003 and 16-4 in 2009). In 2022, the RoughRiders took down the Arkansas Travelers 5-4 in come-from-behind fashion, scoring two runs in the bottom of the eighth inning, including a go-ahead RBI double from **Ezequiel Duran**. This season's opener will be the 13th home opener on Opening Day in the franchise's history. Since 2005, the Riders have welcomed 98,212 fans on those openers for an average of 8,184 per game (7,748 is fixed-seating capacity).

VERSUS THE SODDIES:

Since the Sod Poodles joined the Texas League in 2019, Frisco and Amarillo have played each other very closely. The Riders have the slim all-time advantage over the Soddies, going 40-37 against them and are 19-15 at Riders Field head-to-head. Last season, the RoughRiders swung the bat extremely well against the Diamondback affiliate, not only at the hitter-friendly confines of HODGETOWN, but at Riders Field as well. In their 18 games, the Riders went 11-7 against Amarillo, hitting .317/.396/.617/1.013 with 47 home runs (2.6 per game) and 152 runs (8.4 per game). **Blaine Crim** hit .444/.471/.905/1.376 with nine home runs and 20 RBIs in 15 games against the Sod Poodles while **Justin Foscoe** added eight home runs of his own while slashing .338/.411/.769/1.180.

MEET THE NEW SKIPPER:

A new year welcomes a new face at the helm of the RoughRiders. **Carlos Cardoza** gets the bump up from High-A Hickory in 2023 and he brings a history of winning with him. The Puerto Rico native piloted the Crawdads to a 66-65 record last season and has amassed a 312-207 (.601) total over his six seasons as a skipper. With Down East, he took the Wood Ducks to the Low-A East Championship Series before falling to Charleston. Prior to his time in Down East, he managed the Arizona League Rangers (2019), winning the AZL Championship, and Dominican Summer League Rangers (2016-2019), twice reaching the championship series. Hired on by the Rangers in 2015, Cardoza was the head coach at his alma mater, Decatur High School, in Georgia for two years. As a player, Cardoza spent two seasons at Georgia State University and two years at Armstrong Atlantic State, where he was a gold glove second baseman and All-Peach Belt Conference selection.

CARLOS CARDOZA MANAGERIAL CAREER

Year	Team	League	Record	Finish	Playoffs
2016	DSL Rangers 2	Dominican Summer League	38-32		
2017	DSL Rangers 2	Dominican Summer League	46-25		
2018	DSL Rangers 2	Dominican Summer League	51-21		
2019	AZL Rangers	Arizona League	33-23	4th	AZL Champs
2020	Hickory Crawdads	South Atlantic League	Season Cancelled (COVID)		
2021	Down East Wood Ducks	Low-A East	72-48	2nd	Low-A E Run-Up
2022	Hickory Crawdads	South Atlantic League	66-65	3rd	

LOOK AT ALL THAT TALENT:

This year's squad features nine of the top 30 prospects in the Rangers organization. Texas' No. 2 overall prospect **Evan Carter** highlights the bunch that includes four of the top five prospects in Carter, No. 3 RHP **Owen White**, No. 4 INF **Luisangel Acuña** and No. 5 RHP **Jack Leiter**. Outside of the top five, OF **Dustin Harris** slots in at No. 8 in his return to Frisco from last season after missing the last month with a wrist injury. The last four prospects are No. 12 RHP **Tekoah Roby**, No. 16 INF **Thomas Saggese**, No. 20 RHP **Marc Church** and No. 24 LHP **Antoine Kelly**. Out of the nine, eight are returning players with Roby being the only newcomer to the Frisco roster.

LOTS OF FAMILIAR FACES:

Toward the end of the 2022 season, the Rangers moved a lot of players up to Frisco which has led to 21 returning players on the RoughRiders Opening Day roster for the 2023 season. On the starting staff, **Jack Leiter** and **Owen White** return along with **Antoine Kelly**. In the bullpen, **Nick Starr**, **Grant Wolfram** and **Justin Slaten** are the only three that were on the 2022 Opening Day roster as well while **Marc Church**, **John Matthews** and **Triston Polley** all joined later in the year. Both **Scott Kapers** and **David Garcia** were pivotal in the Riders championship run at catcher. Five of the seven infielders (**Jax Biggers**, **Luisangel Acuña**, **Frainer Chavez**, **Thomas Saggese** and **Josh Sale**) are back and all four listed outfielders (**Dustin Harris**, **Kellen Strahm**, **Evan Carter** and **Trevor Hauver**). **Alex Speas** is the only returner who didn't play in 2022 as he was a RoughRiders pitcher in 2021. Out of the 21 returning players, 15 were active when the RoughRiders won the Texas League Championship last year.

UPCOMING PITCHING PROBABLES

DATE	TIME	OPPONENT	RIDERS STARTER	OPPOSING STARTER
April 7th	7:05 p.m.	vs. Amarillo	RHP Owen White (0-0, --)	RHP Luke Albright (0-0, --)
April 8th	7:05 p.m.	vs. Amarillo	RHP Tekoah Roby (0-0, --)	RHP Jamison Hill (0-0, --)
April 9th	OFF DAY			
April 10th	OFF DAY			

RIDERS vs. SOD POODLES

2023.....	0-0
in Frisco.....	0-0
in Amarillo.....	0-0
All-time.....	40-37
in Frisco.....	19-15
in Amarillo.....	21-22

RANGERS TOP 30 PROSPECTS (9)

- OF Evan Carter
- RHP Owen White
- INF Luisangel Acuña
- RHP Jack Leiter
- OF Dustin Harris
- RHP Tekoah Roby
- INF Thomas Saggese
- RHP Marc Church
- LHP Antoine Kelly

According to MLB Pipeline

RECORD THROUGH 0 GAMES

2023.....	0-0
2022.....	0-0
Best record.....	(4/6) 0-0
Worst record.....	(4/6) 0-0
138-game pace.....	0-0

RIDERS DIGITAL GAME PROGRAM



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RIDERS HORSESHOES

Luisangel Acuna: 1st 37G w/ FRI: .224 (34-for-152)/.302/.349 w/ 6 2B, 3 HRs, 18 RBIs, 21 RS, 17 BB...L18G: 244 (19-for-78)/.314/.346/.660	Trevor Hauver: 82G in A+ HIC: .217/.376/.413 ... 14G on-base streak to end 2022: .270 (10-for-37)/.508/.595/1.103... 93BB/112K in 103G
Jax Biggers: Injured left wrist on a diving catch attempt on August 25th, 2022 ... Hit .308 in 17 August games before injury	Scott Kapers: 20G in FRI: .180/.324/.361 ... Hit .308 in 17 August games before injury
Evan Carter: Rangers No. 2 prospect... Last 23G in High-A: .366 (30-for-82)/.465/.537 with 4 2Bs, 2 3Bs, 2 HRs, 17 RBIs, 15 BBs, 19 RS	Thomas Saggese: L41G in HIC: .331 (53-for-160)/.381/.550 ... L5G: .381/.409/.857 w/ 9 RBIs of season in Frisco after call up
Frainer Chavez: Go-ahead single in 10th inning of 2022 Texas League Championship game... 14G in Double-A: .291/.344/.345	Josh Sale: Played one game with the RoughRiders in 2022 (June 5th, went 0-for-3 with a BB)... In Triple-A Round Rock: .229/.343/.419
David Garcia: L11G of 2022: .317 (13-for-41)/.349/.390 with 10 RBIs... Threw out 26% of base runners in 2022 with only 4 errors	Chris Seise: 93G with High-A Hickory in 2022: .246/.319/.384 10 HR, 46 RBIs, 12 SB... Played 36 games at SS, 57 at DH in 2022
Dustin Harris: L34G: .259 (35-for-135)/.350/.474, 9 2Bs, 6 HRs, 25 RBIs, 25 RS, 6 SB... L10G: .256 (10-for-39)/.326/.564, 3 2B, 3 HRs, 8 RBIs	Kellen Strahm: L83G: .305 (90-for-295)/.407/.444 w/ 14 2Bs, 9 HRs, 49 BBs, 60 RS... L17G: .323 (20-for-62)/.440/.468, 3 2Bs, 2 HRs, 11 RBIs

ROUGHRIDERS HITTERS

LUISANGEL ACUÑA | IF | #3 | R/R | 5'10/181 | 21 YEARS OLD (3/12/02) | CARACAS, VENZ. | NON-DRAFTED FREE AGENT (7/2/18)

2023 SEASON

- No. 4 prospect in Rangers system (MLB.com)
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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Between 2022, 2021: 84-104 in stolen bases in 202 games
- 2021 Texas Rangers Minor League Defender of the Year
- Stateside debut as 19-year-old with Down East 2021... hit .266/.345/.404 over 111 games w/ 12 HR, 74 RBIs, 44 SB
- Younger brother of Braves 3x AS Ronald Acuna Jr.
- Father, Ronald Sr., played 8 MiLB seasons '99-'06

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

2023	CAREER
H	5 (7/6/21)
RBI	4 (5x; 8/6/22)
R	4 (6/19/19)
CAREER MULTI-HR GAMES: 0	

DIOSBEL ARIAS (AIR-ee-us) | IF | #27 | R/R | 6'2/190 | 24 YEARS OLD (7/21/96) | ARTEMISA, CUBA | NON-DRAFTED FREE AGENT (7/2/17)

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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Finished 2nd on 2021 RoughRiders in G (102) and BA (.266, min. 45G)
- Led 2019 Wood Ducks with 134G, 21 more than next closest
- Carolina League Mid-Season All-Star, 10+ starts at all infield spots
- Entered 2019 as the Rangers No. 27 prospect per BA
- 2018 Mid-Season and Postseason All-Star in Spokane
- Favorite player is Troy Tulowitzki, tries emulate him

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

2023	CAREER
H	4 (3x, 5/8/21)
RBI	5 (2x, 8/30/18)
R	4 (8/23/18)
CAREER MULTI-HR GAMES: 1 (2 HR, 4/21/22 w/ FRI vs. NWA)	

JAX BIGGERS | INF | #1 | L/R | 5'11/175 | 25 YEARS OLD (4/7/97) | MISSOURI CITY, TEXAS | 8TH ROUND OF THE 2018 MLB DRAFT

2023 SEASON

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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- 2022: Missed time w hip injury (4/8-6/1), left wrist (8/25-9/25)
- Reached CWS Final with Arkansas in 2018, had four hits
- In 2017, was semifinalist for the Brooks Wallace Award (best SS)
- Spent one season at Cisco JC before transferring to Arkansas
- Played football, basketball and baseball at Ridge Point HS
- Missouri City, Texas (near Houston) 4 h, 15 min from Frisco

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

2023	CAREER
H	4 (2x; 7/5/22)
RBI	4 (2x; 8/23/19)
R	4 (8/30/18)
CAREER MULTI-HR GAMES: 0	

EVAN CARTER | OF | #11 | L/R | 6'3/195 | 20 YEARS OLD (8/19/02) | JOHNSON CITY, TN | 2ND ROUND OF THE 2020 DRAFT

2023 SEASON

- No. 41 prospect in baseball, No. 2 Rangers prospect (MLB.com)
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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- 2022 Tom Grieve Rangers Minor League Player of the Year
- 2021: 32G w/ DE before stress fracture in lower back in June
- Was youngest player in Low-A East (18 years old) on Opening Day
- Elizabethton HS: .324, 4 HRs, 27 RBIs... 10-2 with a 1.34 ERA on the mound, earned Pitcher of the Year... Com. to Duke
- Played FB under coach Shawn Witten (bro of Jason Witten)

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

2023	CAREER
H	4 (2x, 8/11/22)
RBI	6 (6/21/22)
R	3 (3x; 9/16/22)
CAREER MULTI-HR GAMES: 1 (2 HR, 7/15/22 w/ HIC vs. WIL)	

DAVID GARCIA (DAVID) | C | #13 | S/R | 5'11/201 | 22 YEARS OLD (2/6/00) | CARACAS, VENZ. | NON-DRAFTED FREE AGENT (7/2/16)

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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Has thrown out 35.2 percent of baserunners in MiLB career (4 seasons)
- Resigned to MiLB deal on December 1st, 2021 after he was removed from the 40-man roster
- Last 37 G of 2021: .314/.347/.438 in Hickory
- Did not start catching until 6 months before first pro contract

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

2023	CAREER
H	5 (8/10/18)
RBI	4 (4x; 6/24/22)
R	4 (6/17/22)
CAREER MULTI-HR GAMES: 2 (2 HR, 5/19/22 w/ FRI vs. CC)	

DUSTIN HARRIS | OF | #2 | L/R | 6'2/185 | 22 YEARS OLD (7/8/99) | LAND O' LAKES, FL | TRADE FROM OAK, 2020

2023 SEASON

- No. 8 prospect in Rangers system per MLB.com
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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- 2021 Rangers MiLB POY. DEand HIC: 110 G, 327/401/542 w/ 20 HR, 25 SB
- Traded from Oakland to Texas in 2020 as part of Mike Minor deal
- Drafted in 11th round by Oakland in 2019
- Didn't hit a home run until second JUCO season in 2019
- Younger brother, Dakota, won MVP for OU at 2023 Frisco Classic
- Has two older brothers, one younger brother and four sisters

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

2023	CAREER
H	5 (8/7/21)
RBI	6 (5/21/22)
R	4 (8/27/21)
CAREER MULTI-HR GAMES: 4 (2 HR, 7/28/22 w/ FRI at SPR)	

ROUGHRIDERS HITTERS

TREVOR HAUVER (HAH-ver)	OF	#17	L/R	6'0/205	23 YEARS OLD (11/20/98)	CHANDLER, AZ	TRADE FROM NYY, 2021
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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Hit .274/.416/.473 with 15 HRs over 99G for Tampa & Hickory
- Came to Rangers from Yankees for Joey Gallo (7/29/21)
- Selected by the Yankees in the 3rd round of the 2020 draft
- At Arizona State, hit .316/.426/.537/.964 with 18 HR, 77 RBIs in 116 G
- Teammates with Spencer Torkelson, Hunter Bishop at ASU
- Perry HS in Gilbert, AZ... No. 4 player in AZ by Perfect Game

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

2023	CAREER
H	3 (8x; 6/15/22)
RBI	5 (2x; 7/27/22)
R	3 (6x; 9/2/22)

CAREER MULTI-HR GAMES: 1
(2 HR, 5/4/21 w/ TAM vs. DUN)

SCOTT KAPERS	C	#24	R/R	5'11/198	25 YEARS OLD (11/27/96)	SCHERVILLE, IND	17TH ROUND OF THE 2018 DRAFT
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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- First FRR with multi-HR playoff G: G1 of '22 Champ Series... solo, GS
- Played for USPBL Westside Woolly Mammoths during 2020 layoff
- Three-year player at Valparaiso, MVC All-Defensive Team in '18
- Brother, Jake, was catcher at Valparaiso, graduated in 2022
- Mt. Carmel (Ill.) HS - Also HS of Alec Thomas, Donavan McNabb, Jordan Lynch, Ed Howard

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

2023	CAREER
H	3 (3x; 6/24/22)
RBI	3 (3x; 9/14/22)
R	3 (6x; 5/24/22)

CAREER MULTI-HR GAMES: 1
(2 HR, 5/24/22 w/ HIC at WS)

THOMAS SAGGESE (suh-JAY-see)	INF	#12	R/R	6'0/185	20 YEARS OLD (4/10/02)	CARLSBAD, CALIF.	5TH ROUND OF THE 2020 DRAFT
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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Won 2022 True Ranger Award... Hit .312/.361/.506 between A+, AA
- 2nd-highest OPS on DE of .834 in 2021 (Dustin Harris led with .834)
- Carlsbad High School (north of San Diego)...COVID shortened SR year, but hit .422, 10 HR, 26 RBIs as JR, named league MVP
- Carlsbad is same HS as MLBers Troy Glaus, Scott Karl, Brady Anderson
- Committed to play at Pepperdine University

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

2023	CAREER
H	4 (2x; 7/22/22)
RBI	6 (6/5/22)
R	3 (2x; 7/27/22)

CAREER MULTI-HR GAMES: 0

JOSH SALE (SUH-lay)	UTL	#35	L/R	5'11/215	31 YEARS OLD (7/5/91)	SEATTLE, WA	MILB FREE AGENT (2022)
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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- In '22: .226/.342/.414 with 11 HRs in 73G with Triple-A Round Rock
- Signed by TEX as MILB FA in 2022, back in MILB for first time since 2014
- Played Indyball with the Gastonia Honey Hunters in 2021, hitting .284/.294/.593 with 34 HRs, 104 RBIs
- Released by Rays in Feb. 2015 after being 1st RD pick (No. 17) in 2010... Made it as high as High-A Charlotte in 2014

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

2023	CAREER
H	3 (8x; 8/11/22)
RBI	7 (6/11/22)
R	4 (6/11/22)

CAREER MULTI-HR GAMES: 1
(2 HR, 6/11/22 w/ RR at TAC)

CHRIS SEISE (cease)	IF	#6	R/R	6'1/196	24 YEARS OLD (1/6/99)	SCHENECTADY, NY	1ST ROUND OF 2017 DRAFT
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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Played 93G in 2022: .246/.319/.384 (82G previous 5 years)
- Tore right ACL on 5/19/2021 after 10G in Hickory
- Surgery on left labrum tear in 2019, played 21G
- Right shoulder surgery in 2018, missed season
- Brother, Anthony, was drafted by Rockies (20th rd, 2012)
- Committed to University of Central Florida

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

2023	CAREER
H	4 (2x; 9/2/22)
RBI	5 (7/16/21)
R	4 (7/16/21)

CAREER MULTI-HR GAMES: 0

KELLEN STRAHM (STRAW-m)	OF	#4	R/R	6'1/215	25 YEARS OLD (4/25/97)	EUGENE, OR	5TH ROUND OF 2019 DRAFT
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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Hit .277/.392/.407 in '22 w Frisco... 83G from 5/14 - 9/18: .305/.407/.444
- 2019 First Team All-Mountain West with San Jose State
- Moved from WR to QB after Justin Herbert (now QB for Chargers) was injured at Sheldon High School, won 6A State Offensive POY
- Dad, Curt, All-American wrestler at Oregon... Mom, Kim, UO Athletic Hall of Fame for softball... Brother, Connor, was LB at Montana

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

2023	CAREER
H	4 (2x; 9/2/22)
RBI	5 (7/16/21)
R	4 (7/16/21)

CAREER MULTI-HR GAMES: 0

ROUGHRIDERS RELIEVERS

MARC CHURCH	RHP	#38	R/R	6'3/189	22 YEARS OLD (3/30/01)	ATLANTA, GA	18TH ROUND OF THE 2019 DRAFT
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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Season-ending right elbow sprain (8/19/21)
- North Atlanta (Ga.) High School...SR: 40K, 2.62 ERA over 26.2 IP on the mound, while batting .397 with 3 HRs
- Pitched from ages 9-13, focused on being a SS after, then went back to pitching JR year of HS after a bet with teammate
- Committed to North Carolina A&T State University as SS

THE RUNDOWN

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ARSENAL: Fbaseball, Slider, Changeup

RICKY DEVITO	RHP	#24	S/R	6'3/195	24 YEARS OLD (8/21/98)	STATEN ISLAND, NY	TRADE WITH PIT (3/10/2023)
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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Joined Rangers org 3/10/23 as PTBNL for Mark Mathias trade with PIT
- 2022: 35 app, 6 GS for A+ Greensboro, 3-6 with a 5.40 ERA
- Traded from Braves to Pirates on July 30th, 2021 along with RHP Bryse Wilson for RHP Richard Rodriguez
- Originally drafted by Braves (8th RD, 2019) out of Seton Hall
- 2018 Big East Pitcher of the Year (12GS, 6-3, 1.88 ERA)

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ARSENAL: Sinker, Change, Curve, Slider, 4Seam

JOHN MATTHEWS	RHP	#47	R/R	6'1/180	24 YEARS OLD (1/21/1998)	PUNXSUTAWNEY, PA	8TH ROUND OF 2019 DRAFT
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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Pitched entire 2021 season with Down East: 5-4, 6.78 ERA over 24G, 11 GS
- Played for three seasons at Kent State, was a position player as a FR, reliever as a SO and starting pitcher as a JR (91K/77.2 IP)
- Finished at Punxsutawney Area High School with a 20-0 record
- Brother, Brandon, played baseball at Youngstown State U

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ARSENAL: Sinker, Change, Curve, Slider, 4Seam

THEO MCDOWELL	RHP	#46	L/R	6'4/175	24 YEARS OLD (12/2/98)	ESSEX JUNCTION, VM	14TH ROUND OF THE 2018 DRAFT
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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- 38 outings between DE and HIC in 2022: 5-2 w/ 2.64 ERA
- Was a part of two combined no-hitters with Hickory in 2022 (7/9 at Bowling Green, 2.0 IP), (8/11 at Greenville, 2.0 IP)
- Among Rangers pitchers (min. 40 IP), was 1st with .159 BAA
- HS in Verm. FR year before trasf to Salisbury School in Conn.
- Had committed to West Virginia University

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ARSENAL: Fastball, Curve

TRISTON POLLEY	LHP	#56	L/L	6'0/190	26 YEARS OLD (12/20/96)	INDIANAPOLIS, IN	16TH ROUND OF THE 2019 DRAFT
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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- '21: Missed 6/25-end of year with left shoulder strain
- 2019 draft, same as Justin Slaten, Kellen Strahm, Cody Bradford, Zak Kent, Joe Corbett, Blaine Crim
- Four years at Indiana State: 2.84 ERA in 16 GS in 2019
- Brownsburg HS (Indiana): Same HS as MLBers Lance Lynn, Tucker Barnhart, Drew Storen

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ARSENAL: Sinker, Slider, Splitter, 4seam

JUSTIN SLATEN	RHP	#28	R/R	6'4/222	25 YEARS OLD (9/15/97)	HALLSVILLE, TX	3RD ROUND OF 2019 DRAFT
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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Ended 2021 with 5th-most K (110) and 10th-most IP (82.1) among Rangers MiLB in his 20 G (19 GS) with High-A Hickory
- Highest pitcher selected out of New Mexico since 1984 (Kevin Andersh, 15th overall)
- Went 5-5 with 2.51 ERA in JR season at New Mexico
- Missed SR yr of HS w/ injury, offered to NM summer after grad

THE RUNDOWN

LAST
SV/OP
RI/SCR
1st AB
REST

ARSENAL: Fastball, Curve, Slider, Cutter

ALEX SPEAS	RHP	#16	R/R	6'3/225	25 YEARS OLD (3/4/98)	POWDER SPRINGS, GA	2ND ROUND OF 2016 DRAFT
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2023 SEASON

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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Took 2022 off, coached HS baseball at Combine Academy in N.C.
- Underwent "Tommy John" surgery on June 25, 2018
- Drafted as a starter, converted to a relief role in 2017
- Drafted 63rd overall, one pick ahead of Pete Alonso
- Committed to Auburn before signed with the Rangers
- Two daughters: Haven Blayke and Mia Harper

THE RUNDOWN

LAST
SV/OP
RI/SCR
1st AB
REST

ARSENAL: 4seam, 2seam, Slider, Cutter

HIGHS AND LOWS

SINGLE-GAME TEAM BATTING HIGHS

ROUGHRIDERS NINE-INNING GAMES	ALL GAMES	ALL GAMES	OPPONENTS NINE-INNING GAMES
		RUNS HITS (MOST) HITS (FEWEST) EXTRA-BASE HITS HOME RUNS STOLEN BASES LEFT ON BASE	

SINGLE-GAME TEAM PITCHING/DEFENSE HIGHS

WALKS (MOST)
WALKS (FEWEST)
STRIKEOUTS
ERRORS
DP TURNED

SINGLE-INNING TEAM HIGHS

ROUGHRIDERS	OPPONENTS
	BATTERS RUNS HITS HOME RUNS

SINGLE-GAME INDIVIDUAL BATTING

AT-BATS
HITS
RBIs
DOUBLES
TRIPLES
HOME RUNS
EXTRA-BASE HITS
RUNS
WALKS
STRIKEOUTS
STOLEN BASES

SINGLE-GAME INDIVIDUAL PITCHING & FIELDING

INNINGS (STARTER)
INNINGS (RELIEVER)
HITS
RUNS
EARNED RUNS
WALKS
STRIKEOUTS (STARTER)
STRIKEOUTS (RELIEVER)
HOME RUNS
HIT BATTERS
WILD PITCHES
ERRORS (ALL PLAYERS)
**excludes position players pitching

INDIVIDUAL BATTING STREAKS

HITTING STREAK
ON-BASE STREAK
MULTI-HIT STREAK

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING & FIELDING STREAKS

CONSEC. BATTERS RETIRED
CONSEC. SCORELESS INN.
CONSEC. ERROR-FREE GAMES

MISCELLANEOUS

LONGEST GAME (INNINGS)
LONGEST GAME (TIME, 9 INNINGS)
LONGEST GAME (TIME, EXTRA INNINGS)
SHORTEST GAME (TIME, 9 INNINGS)
SHORTEST GAME (TIME, ALL)
AVERAGE GAME TIME (9 INNINGS)
AVERAGE GAME TIME (7 INNINGS)
LONGEST WINNING STREAK
LONGEST LOSING STREAK

LARGEST MARGIN OF VICTORY
LARGEST MARGIN OF DEFEAT
LARGEST COMEBACK WIN
LARGEST LEAD LOST (IN DEFEAT)
LARGEST CROWD (HOME)
LARGEST CROWD (ROAD)
WARMEST GAME-TIME TEMP.
COLDEST GAME-TIME TEMP.
WINDIEST GAME

TRANSACTIONS AND AWARDS

TRANSACTIONS (0)

INJURED LIST

AWARDS & HONORS

TEXAS LEAGUE
PLAYER OF THE WEEK

TEXAS LEAGUE
PITCHER OF THE WEEK

TEXAS LEAGUE
PLAYER OF THE MONTH

TEXAS LEAGUE PITCHER OF
THE MONTH

RANGERS PLAYER OF THE
MONTH