

# 2025 Game Notes

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EASTERN LEAGUE CHAMPIONS  
2010, 2017

DIVISION CHAMPIONS  
2004, 2010, 2017, 2018

PLAYOFF APPEARANCES  
2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2010,  
2015, 2016, 2017, 2018

PLAYERS TO MLB  
222



June 21, 2025 -- Game #67, Home Game #37  
Richmond Flying Squirrels (20-45) vs. Altoona Curve (29-37)  
LHP Joe Whitman vs. LHP Blake Townsend  
6:30 p.m. | Peoples Natural Gas Field | Altoona, PA

Radio -- WRTA 98.5 & Fly Altoona Curve Radio Network | TV -- MLB.TV, Bally Sports Live, SportsNet Pittsburgh

**TODAY'S GAME / OPPOSING STARTER:** The Curve hook up with Richmond for their first series of the season, it is the lone series in the first half between the two clubs.

Akron-native Joe Whitman takes the ball on Saturday night for the Flying Squirrels. Whitman was picked 69th overall by the Giants in 2023, the Pirates selected RHP Zander Meuth two picks before him and OF Mitch Jebb 42nd overall in the second round. Whitman is a super smooth 6-foot-5 lefty with a beautiful arm action and delivery. After two years with just 5.2 total innings pitched at Purdue, Whitman transferred to Kent State for his junior year and had a breakout season. Given the arc of his college career, it seemed feasible that Whitman had both skill and physical development remaining, with a chance to blow up on a pro strength and conditioning program. Early on in 2024, it appeared that was happening, as he was touching 96, though Whitman's fastball ended up averaging 92-94 across all of last season. (Eric Logenhagen, Fangraphs)

**CY YOUNG?:** Lefty Cy Nielson has struck out 36 batters this season, third-most by an Eastern League reliever. Nielson has collected at least one strike out in 31-of-32 career outings with the Curve, racking up 68 in 51.0 IP.

**THE TERMINATOR AGES:** Infielder **Termarr Johnson**, who has not yet faced a pitcher younger than him in his professional career, turned 21 on June 11. Johnson played 67 games at Double-A, the third-most by a player under the age of 21 in franchise history. Andrew McCutchen (138 games) and Jose Tabata (83 games) are the only players in franchise history to play more games than Johnson before their 21st birthday.

In his last 10 games, Johnson is 13-for-40 (.325) with 2 2B and 2 RBI. He had his first 3-hit game of the season on June 20 against Richmond.

**PLEASE, NO MORE RAIN:** Altoona's series with Richmond to wrap up the first half has been marked by rain. After a postponement on Tuesday, the team's sat through a 1:34 delay in the middle of the 8th inning on Wednesday and could only manage to play two innings because of field conditions in the scheduled doubleheader on Thursday. The Curve have had seven postponements this season, all coming in the last five weeks (Since May 15). Ninere other games this season have had a rain delay this season, giving the Curve 16 rain-affected dates in their 66 games played this season.

**WEATHERFORD BOYS:** The Curve roster features two Weatherford, TX natives in **Beau Burrows** and **Brenden Dixon**. Burrows, who signed with the Pirates on May 12 out of the Mexican League has tossed 4 scoreless outings with Altoona allowing just 1 hit and 1 walk with 10 strikeouts in 6.0 innings.

Dixon is batting .325/.440/.500/.940 OPS in his last 15 games, recording four multi-hit games since May 27. He's reached base safely in 12-of-his-last-15 games.

**WE'RE AT THE DOTEI HOTEL:** Starter **Wilber Dotel** has used a vastly improved splitter this season to become a true strikeout artist. This season, he holds a 21.1% K-BB%, he recorded an 11.2% mark in 2024 with Greensboro. Dotel holds a career-best K/9 rate (10.92) and has dropped his BB/9 from 4.57 in 2024 to 2.95 in 2025. He has struck out at least 7 batters in a start 7 times in 13 starts. Following his start on June 18, he ranks 3rd in the Eastern League in strikeouts (74), 6th in IP (61.0), T-1st in GS (13), 9th in BAA (.226), 8th in WHIP (1.18).

**ITALIANISSIMO:** Righty **Alessandro Ercolani** has dialed in throughout his first trip through the Eastern League. In 8 of his 13 outings this season, he's allowed 1 run or fewer. Held under an innings count in the first half of the year, Ercolani is working on the best walk rate of his career, walking only 15 in 48.2 IP. His 2.77 BB/9 innings is the best mark of his career.

**WE'LL SEE THEM ALL:** For the first time since the 2019 season and the creation of the six-game series, the Curve will face every team in the Eastern League this season. Altoona will face New Hampshire and Binghamton on the road only, while Hartford and Reading will only play the Curve at PNG Field.

## SOUTHWEST DIVISION STANDINGS

Team	W-L	GB	RESULT
Erie	44-23	--	6-5 L vs CHE (11)
Akron	43-23	0.5	8-2 L @ POR
Harrisburg	34-33	10.0	9-3 W vs BNG
Chesapeake	30-35	13.0	6-5 W @ ERI (11)
<b>Altoona</b>	<b>29-37</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>2-1 L 7-4 L vs RIC</b>
<b>Richmond</b>	<b>20-45</b>	<b>23.02-1 W</b>	<b>7-4 W @ ALT</b>

## NORTHEAST DIVISION STANDINGS

Team	W-L	GB	RESULT
Binghamton*	43-22	--	9-3 L @ HBG
Hartford	35-32	9.0	8-5 W @ REA
Somerset	33-34	11.0	7-5 W @ NH
Portland	32-33	11.0	8-2 W vs AKR
New Hamp.	29-38	15.0	7-5 L vs SOM
Reading	24-41	19.0	8-5 L vs HFD

## 2025 CURVE AT A GLANCE

Overall Record	29-37
Home	19-17
Road	10-20
First Half	29-37
Second Half	0-0
Place (Southwestern Div)	5th
Games Ahead/Behind	-14.5
Streak	L2
Last 5	3-2
Last 10	5-5
All-Time Record	1,790-1,764
'25 Home Attendance	130,630
Home Openings	34
Average Attendance	3,842
2025 vs. Richmond	1-2
at Altoona	1-2
at Richmond	0-0
All-time vs. Richmond	152-122
at Altoona	90-53
at Richmond	62-67

## TOP 30 PROSPECTS

NAME	OUTLET (MLB/BA)
Termarr Johnson	6/5
Jack Brannigan	11/14
Mitch Jebb	13/12
Anthony Solometo*	14/18
Wilber Dotel	-/16
Alessandro Ercolani	-/26
Joe Whitman	6/5
Diego Velasquez	15/10
Aeverson Arteaga	16/-
Sabin Ceballos	23/21
Jack Choate	27/26

\* - Injured List

## RECENT MLB DEBUTS

RHP Thomas Harrington	4/1/25 (PIT)
LHP Omar Cruz	4/1/25 (SD)
INF Tsung-Che Cheng	4/9/25 (PIT)
INF/OF Matt Gorski	4/24/25 (PIT)
RHP Braxton Ashcraft	5/26/25 (PIT)

## TODAY IN CURVE HISTORY PRESENTED BY

2004 - Ronny Paulino swats a solo homer in the 10th inning to secure a 5-4 walk-off win for the Curve vs. Akron



## UPCOMING GAMES AND PROBABLE PITCHERS

Sun. June 22	Richmond	1:00 p.m.	TBA vs. LHP John Michael Bertrand
Tues. June 24	@ Chesapeake	6:35 p.m.	RHP Wilber Dotel vs. TBA
Wed. June 25	@ Chesapeake	6:35 p.m.	TBA vs. TBA
Thur. June 26	@ Chesapeake	6:35 p.m.	RHP Po-Yu Chen vs. TBA
Fri. June 27	@ Chesapeake	7:05 p.m.	RHP Alessandro Ercolani vs. TBA
Sat. June 28	@ Chesapeake	6:35 p.m.	TBA vs. TBA
Sun. June 29	@ Chesapeake	1:35 p.m.	RHP Wilber Dotel vs. TBA

## BROADCAST INFORMATION



Jon Mozes and Preston Shoemaker will call the action of the 2025 season on the Fly Altoona Curve Radio Network, flown by Contour Air-lines. Pregame coverage begins 15 minutes before all games.

**RADIO AFFILIATES**  
- Talk Radio 98.5 FM/1240 AM WRTA Altoona (Flagship)  
- 96.1 FM/1370 AM Hank FM Altoona (11AM Games)  
- KOOL 102.9 - WCRO (select weekend games)  
- 95.3 WRSC - State College (select Saturday Night games)  
- Online streaming at AltoonaCurve.com, WRTA.com, Bally Live and the MiLB First Pitch App

RECORD BREAKDOWNS/HIGHS & LOWS

2025 SEASON HIGHS/LOWS

TEAM MISCELLANEOUS	
LONGEST WINNING STREAK.....	5, 4/19 vs SOM - 4/24 @ CHE
LONGEST LOSING STREAK.....	5, 2x, last 6/3 - 6/7 G2 @ NH
LARGEST MARGIN OF VICTORY.....	9 runs, 10-1, 4/16 vs SOM
LARGEST MARGIN OF DEFEAT.....	12 runs, 2x, last 13-1, 4/13 @ AKR
LARGEST SHUTOUT WIN.....	8-0, 5/14 vs HBG G1
LARGEST SHUTOUT LOSS.....	10-0, 5/24 @ AKR
LARGEST COMEBACK TO WIN.....	5 runs, 5/31 vs POR G2
LONGEST GAME, TIME.....	3:24, 5/7 @ ERI
LONGEST 9-INNING GAME TIME.....	3:20, 4/13 @ AKR
SHORTEST 9-INNING GAME TIME.....	2:01, 4/19 vs SOM
LONGEST 7-INNING GAME TIME.....	2:30, 5/31 vs POR G2
SHORTEST 7-INNING GAME TIME.....	1:30, 5/29 vs POR G1
LONGEST GAME, INNINGS.....	12 innings, 4/26 @ CHE
LONGEST HOME GAME, INNINGS.....	9 innings, 28x, last 6/18 vs RIC
LONGEST ROAD GAME, INNINGS.....	12 innings, 2x, last 5/7 @ ERI
LARGEST CROWD, HOME.....	8,273, 5/14 vs HBG
SMALLEST CROWD, HOME.....	2,436, 4/15 vs SOM
LARGEST CROWD, ROAD.....	8,128, 5/20 @ AKR
SMALLEST CROWD, ROAD.....	878, 5/6 @ ERI
MOST ERRORS.....	3, 2x, last 5/11 @ ERI
MOST ERRORS BY OPPONENT.....	4, 4/17 vs SOM
MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITHOUT AN ERROR.....	5, 4/10 @ AKR - 4/15 vs SOM
MOST LOB.....	16, 4/16 vs SOM
FEWEST LOB.....	1, 5/27 vs POR

TEAM BATTING

MOST RUNS.....	11, 6/8 @ NH
MOST RUNS, INNING.....	9, 7th inning, 4/20 vs SOM
MOST HITS.....	17, 6/8 @ NH
MOST HITS, INNING.....	8, 7th inning, 4/20 vs SOM
MOST HOME RUNS, GAME.....	3, 6/12 vs ERI
MOST HOME RUNS, INNING.....	2, 2x, last 6th inning, 6/12 vs ERI
MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH A HOME RUN.....	7, 4/20 vs SOM - 4/27 @ CHE
MOST DOUBLES, GAME.....	5, 6/8 @ NH
MOST TRIPLES, GAME.....	3, 4/29 vs AKR
MOST EXTRA-BASE HITS.....	6, 3x, last 6/8 @ NH
MOST STOLEN BASES.....	7, 4/24 @ CHE
MOST STRIKEOUTS, 9-INNING GAME.....	15, 2x, last 4/27 @ CHE
MOST STRIKEOUTS, ALL GAMES.....	16, 5/7 @ ERI
MOST WALKS, ALL GAMES.....	11, 4/16 vs SOM

TEAM PITCHING

MOST RUNS ALLOWED.....	13, 2x, last 4/13 @ AKR
MOST RUNS ALLOWED, INNING.....	7, 8th inning, 5/24 @ AKR
MOST HITS ALLOWED.....	16, 4/13 @ AKR
MOST HITS ALLOWED, INNING.....	5, 3x, last 6th inning, 6/14 vs ERI
MOST HOME RUNS ALLOWED.....	3, 4x, last 6/1 vs POR
MOST HOME RUNS ALLOWED, INNING.....	2, 2nd inning, 4/26 @ CHE
MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES ALLOWING A HOME RUN.....	4, 4/23 - 4/26 @ CHE
MOST STRIKEOUTS, 9-INNING GAME.....	16, 4/27 @ CHE
MOST STRIKEOUTS, ALL GAMES.....	16, 4/27 @ CHE
MOST BASES ON BALLS.....	10, 4/4 vs CHE
MOST EXTRA-BASE HITS ALLOWED.....	9, 4/9 @ AKR

INDIVIDUAL BATTING

MOST RUNS SCORED.....	4, Mitch Jebb, 5/15 vs HBG
MOST HITS.....	4, Kervin Pichardo, 5/10 @ ERI
MOST EXTRA-BASE HITS.....	3, Kervin Pichardo, 5/10 @ ERI
MOST DOUBLES.....	3, Kervin Pichardo, 5/10 @ ERI
MOST TRIPLES.....	2, Sammy Siani, 4/29 vs AKR
MOST HOME RUNS.....	1, 35x, last Kervin Pichardo, 6/14 vs ERI
MOST TOTAL BASES.....	7, 4x, last Aaron McKeithan, 6/8 @ NH
MOST RBI.....	5, Nick Cimillo, 5/31 vs POR G2
MOST STOLEN BASES.....	3, 2x, last Mike Jarvis, 5/9 @ ERI
MOST BASES ON BALLS.....	3, 3x, last Mitch Jebb, 4/16 vs SOM
MOST TIMES REACHING BASE SAFELY.....	5, 2x, last Jack Brannigan & Mitch Jebb, 4/16 vs SOM
MOST STRIKEOUTS.....	4, 2x, last Sammy Siani, 5/11 @ ERI
LONGEST HITTING STREAK.....	7, 4x, last Mitch Jebb, 5/1 vs AKR - 5/8 @ ERI
LONGEST ON-BASE STREAK.....	23, Jack Brannigan, 4/23 @ CHE - 5/18 vs HBG
LONGEST RBI STREAK.....	4*, Nick Cimillo*, 6/15 vs ERI - 6/20 vs RIC

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

MOST INNINGS PITCHED, STARTER.....	6.0, 4x, last Wilber Dotel, 6/18 vs RIC
MOST INNINGS PITCHED, RELIEVER.....	5.0, Alessandro Ercolani, 6/19 vs RIC
MOST HITS ALLOWED, STARTER.....	9, Wilber Dotel, 5/16 vs HBG
MOST HITS ALLOWED, RELIEVER.....	7, Fineas Del Bonta-Smith, 6/14 vs ERI
MOST STRIKEOUTS, STARTER.....	10, Wilber Dotel, 5/4 vs AKR
MOST STRIKEOUTS, RELIEVER.....	5, Beau Burrows, 6/10 vs ERI
MOST BASES ON BALLS, STARTER.....	5, 2x, last Po-Yu Chen, 6/13 vs ERI
MOST BASES ON BALLS, RELIEVER.....	4, 2x, last Fineas Del Bonta-Smith, 5/24 @ AKR
MOST EARNED RUNS ALLOWED, STARTER.....	6, 3x, last Po-Yu Chen, 6/20 vs RIC
MOST EARNED RUNS ALLOWED, RELIEVER.....	7, Fineas Del Bonta-Smith, 5/24 @ AKR
MOST CONSECUTIVE SCORELESS IP.....	25.2*, Hunter Barco, 4/4 vs CHE - 5/3 vs AKR

\* - Active Streak, Bold - Franchise Record

2025 RECORD BREAKDOWN

	TOTAL	HOME	ROAD
Overall Record	29-37	19-17	10-20
vs. Southwest Division	21-27	12-12	9-15
vs. Northeast Division	8-10	7-5	1-5
vs. NL Affiliates	5-4	5-4	0-0
vs. AL Affiliates	24-33	14-13	10-20
First Half	29-37	19-17	10-20
Second Half	0-0	0-0	0-0
Day Games	12-7	7-4	5-3
Night Games	17-30	12-13	5-17
Day Game After Night	7-5	3-3	4-2
Curve Score 1st	18-8	10-4	8-4
Opponent Scores 1st	11-29	9-13	2-16
Come From Behind Wins	12	9	3
vs. RH Starters	23-31	14-14	9-17
vs. LH Starters	6-6	5-3	1-3
Curve Starter 5.0 + IP	6-13	5-6	1-7
Curve Starter 6.0 + IP	4-0	3-0	1-0
Curve Starter 7.0 + IP	0-0	0-0	0-0
When Hitting a HR	18-11	12-5	6-6
When Not Hitting a HR	11-26	7-12	4-14
Outhit Opponent	21-8	14-2	7-6
Equal # of Hits	1-3	0-3	1-0
Outhit by Opponent	7-26	5-12	2-14
Curve 10+ Hits	15-1	11-1	4-0
Commit 0 Errors	14-15	8-8	6-7
Commit 1 Error	13-18	10-9	3-9
Commit 2+ Errors	2-4	1-0	1-4
Leading After 7th	22-3	14-1	8-2
Trailing After 7th	0-20	0-9	0-11
Tied After 7th	3-4	2-2	1-2
Leading After 8th	25-0	16-0	9-0
Trailing After 8th	0-23	0-11	0-12
Tied After 8th	0-4	0-1	0-3
Extra-Inning Games	1-2	1-0	0-2
Double-headers	2-8	1-3	1-5
Series Record	3-5-3	2-1-3	1-4-0
One-Run Games	8-8	5-2	3-6
Two-Run Games	7-8	4-5	3-3
3+Run Games	14-21	10-10	4-11
Shutout Record	4-12	1-4	3-8
April Record	12-11	6-5	6-6
May Record	11-16	8-7	3-9
June Record	6-10	5-5	1-5
July Record	0-0	0-0	0-0
August Record	0-0	0-0	0-0
September Record	0-0	0-0	0-0
Monday Record	0-0	0-0	0-0
Tuesday Record	3-6	2-2	1-4
Wednesday Record	4-6	3-3	1-3
Thursday Record	5-5	3-3	2-2
Friday Record	4-9	3-5	1-4
Saturday Record	4-8	3-3	1-5
Sunday Record	9-3	5-1	4-2
1st Game of Series	5-7	4-3	1-4
Last Game of Series	8-3	5-1	3-2
Getaway Day	5-2	1-0	4-2
Red Alternate Hat	6-7	0-1	6-6
Black Keystone Hat	13-7	13-7	0-0
Gray Road Hat	3-5	0-0	3-5
Red/Bronze Engineer Hat	2-7	2-3	0-4
Peces Dorados Hat/Uniform	0-3	0-2	0-1
Rail Kings Hat/Uniform	3-2	3-2	0-0
Red Uniform	8-9	5-2	3-6
White Uniform	8-6	8-6	0-0
Gray Uniform	7-9	0-0	7-9
Bronze Uniform	2-7	2-3	0-4
Armed Forces Hat	2-5	1-1	1-4
Other Specialty Uniform/Hat	1-1	1-1	0-0

2025 VS. EASTERN LEAGUE OPPONENTS

OPPONENT	TOTAL	HOME	ROAD
vs. Akron	6-12	3-3	3-9
vs. Binghamton	0-0	0-0	0-0
vs. Chesapeake	5-4	1-2	4-2
vs. Erie	5-7	3-3	2-4
vs. Harrisburg	4-2	4-2	0-0
vs. Hartford	0-0	0-0	0-0
vs. New Hampshire	1-5	0-0	1-5
vs. Portland	3-3	3-3	0-0
vs. Reading	0-0	0-0	0-0
vs. Richmond	1-2	1-2	0-0
vs. Somerset	4-2	4-2	0-0
TOTALS	29-37	19-17	10-20

# BATTERS BREAKDOWN

MULTI-HIT GAMES						MULTI-RBI GAMES					HOME RUN BREAKDOWN					
PLAYER	TOT	2H	3H	4H	5+	TOT	2BI	3BI	4BI	5+BI	TOT	2R	3R	GS	PH	LAST
Jase Bowen	5	4	1	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	3	1	--	--	--	4/27 @ CHE
Jack Brannigan	9	6	3	--	--	6	4	--	2	--	5	1	1	--	--	6/12 vs ERI
Nick Cimillo	9	9	--	--	--	3	2	--	--	1	4	1	--	1	--	5/31 vs POR G2
Brenden Dixon	6	6	--	--	--	2	1	1	--	--	2	1	--	--	--	5/31 vs POR G2
Maikol Escotto	3	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Tres Gonzalez	7	5	2	--	--	2	2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Hudson Head	2	1	1	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	6/12 vs ERI
Wyatt Hendrie	--	--	--	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	5/4 vs AKR
Spencer Horwitz	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Mike Jarvis	6	4	2	--	--	2	1	1	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	5/17 vs HBG
Mitch Jebb	15	10	5	--	--	3	2	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Termarr Johnson	14	13	1	--	--	4	3	1	--	--	7	1	1	--	--	6/7 @ NH
Aaron McKeithan	3	2	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	6/8 @ NH
Kervin Pichardo	7	5	1	1	--	7	5	1	1	--	5	2	1	--	--	6/14 vs ERI
Shawn Ross	1	1	--	--	--	4	2	1	1	--	2	--	1	1	1	4/24 @ CHE
Sammy Siani	8	6	2	--	--	5	2	3	--	--	2	1	1	--	--	4/26 @ CHE
Imanol Vargas	3	2	1	--	--	3	3	--	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	6/12 vs ERI
Totals	98	77	20	1	--	44	30	10	3	1	35	12	5	2	1	6/14 vs ERI

## OFFENSE BY INNING

INNING	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10+	TOTAL
CURVE	27	19	31	30	36	32	26	25	9	1	236
OPPONENT	33	29	34	26	31	38	28	34	19	4	276

## SHUTOUTS BY CURVE - 4

Date	Score	Hits	Pitcher(s)
4/10 @ AKR	2-0	3	Barco, Linarez, Meis, Sanders
4/22 @ CHE	2-0	3	Barco, Linarez, Ramos, Sanders
5/14 vs HBG G1(7)	8-0	3	Ercolani, Nielson
5/25 @ AKR G1 (7)	1-0	1	Bayless, Chapman, Ramos

## EJECTIONS - 2

PLAYER/COACH	DATE	UMPIRE	REASON
Termarr Johnson	4/29 vs CHE	Elliott Melton	Arguing Balls & Strikes
Kahlil Watson	4/29 vs CHE	Stone Garver	Arguing a Fair Ball Call

## SHUTOUTS BY OPPONENTS - 12

Date	Score	Hits	Pitcher(s)
4/5 vs CHE	2-0	3	Fruit, Van Loon, Heid
4/30 vs AKR	6-0	3	Davenport, Sharpe, Morehouse
5/6 @ ERI	3-0	2	Hamm, Petit, Smith
5/9 @ ERI	7-0	4	Petit, Bergner, Smtih, Magno
5/23 @ AKR G2 (7)	5-0	2	Spivey, Jacobs
5/24 @ AKR	10-0	3	Peterson, Sharpe
5/29 vs POR G2 (7)	3-0	3	Sandlin
6/3 @ NH	4-0	5	Watson, Gregory
6/4 @ NH	3-0	2	Harrison, Urbabaz, Larkin
6/5 @ NH	2-0	3	Watts-Brown, Garkow, Amalfi
6/7 @ NH G1 (7)	4-0	0	Sanchez
6/10 vs ERI	3-0	4	Bergner, Marks, Magno, Guasch

## 2025 HOME-ROAD STATS

### Home (19-17)

Average:	.236	Home Runs:	22
Runs Per Game:	4.3	Stolen Bases:	42
Doubles:	38	Walks:	129
Triples:	11	Strikeouts:	259

### Road (10-20)

Average:	.202	Home Runs:	13
Runs Per Game:	2.7	Stolen Bases:	31
Doubles:	36	Walks:	118
Triples:	3	Strikeouts:	284

## TEAM HITTING RANKINGS

Category.....	TOTAL .....	EL RANK .....	AA RANK .....
Average .....	.220 .....	9th .....	24th .....
Runs Scored .....	236 .....	9th .....	24th .....
Hits .....	447 .....	10th .....	26th .....
Doubles .....	74 .....	12th .....	29th .....
Triples .....	14 .....	T-4th .....	T-7th .....
Home Runs .....	35 .....	12th .....	T-28th .....
Walks .....	247 .....	3rd .....	16th .....
Strikeouts .....	543 .....	3rd .....	6th .....
Stolen Bases .....	73 .....	8th .....	21st .....
RISP .....	.229 .....	8th .....	21st .....

## 2025 PINCH HITTERS

PLAYER	STATISTICS	LAST APP.
Nick Cimillo	1-1, 1B, RBI	5/14 vs HBG G2
Brenden Dixon	0-2, 2 K	4/29 vs AKR
Wyatt Hendrie	0-1	6/10 vs ERI
Mike Jarvis	1-2, 1B, BB	5/25 @ AKR G1
Termarr Johnson	1-1, 2B, 2 RBI	5/30 vs POR
Shawn Ross	1-1, Grand Slam	4/20 vs SOM
Imanol Vargas	0-2, K	6/13 vs ERI
2025 Totals:	4-10, 2 1B, 2B, HR, BB, 3K, 7 RBI	6/13 vs ERI

## 2025 STREAKS/OFFENSIVE SUPERLATIVES

### 10+ GAME HITTING STREAKS

### 15+ GAME ON-BASE STREAKS (2)

Mitch Jebb - 15 (4/19 vs SOM - 5/8 @ ERI)  
Jack Brannigan - 23 (4/23 @ CHE - 5/18 vs HBG)

### BACK-TO-BACK HOME RUNS

### WALK-OFF WINNERS (2)

Mitch Jebb RBI-1B, 9th inning - 5/4 vs AKR  
Brenden Dixon 2-Run HR, 8th inning, 5/31 vs POR G2

### WINS TRAILING/TIED AFTER 8 INNINGS

### MULTI-HOMER GAMES

### 5+ HIT GAMES

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### FIRST-INNING LEAD-OFF HOME RUNS

### 4+ RBI GAMES (5)

Jack Brannigan (4) - 4/16 vs SOM  
Shawn Ross (4) - 4/20 vs SOM  
Kervin Pichardo (4) - 5/15 vs HBG  
Nick Cimillo (5) - 5/31 vs POR G2  
Jack Brannigan (4) - 6/12 vs ERI

### GRAND SLAMS (2)

Shawn Ross - 4/20 vs SOM  
Nick Cimillo - 5/31 vs POR G2

### EASTERN LEAGUE PLAYER OF THE WEEK AWARDS

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2025 ALTOONA CURVE PITCHING & DEFENSIVE NOTES

ALTOONA CURVE STARTER BREAKDOWN												
ACTIVE ROTATION	LAST START	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	RESULT	STARTS	TEAM RECORD
Wilber Dotel	6/18 vs RIC	W	6.0	2	0	0	0	1	8	2-1 W	13	8-5
Po-Yu Chen	6/20 vs RIC	L	4.0	7	6	6	0	2	4	7-4 L	12	3-9
Alessandro Ercolani	6/14 vs ERI	--	4.0	4	3	3	0	3	3	7-2 L	12	4-8
BULLPEN GAME OR USED AS OPENER												
Jarod Bayless	6/19 vs RIC	L	2.0	2	2	2	0	1	4	2-1 L	8	3-5
Fineas Del Bonta-Smith	5/27 vs POR	--	2.0	1	0	0	0	2	0	4-2 W	1	1-0
Derek Diamond	4/18 vs SOM	L	2.2	7	5	5	0	1	4	12-1 L	1	0-1
J.C. Flowers	4/24 @ CHE	--	2.2	3	3	3	1	2	2	8-5 W	1	1-0
Cy Nielson	6/7 @ NH G2	--	2.0	2	1	1	0	2	2	5-2 L (7)	2	0-2
Sean Sullivan	5/17 vs HBG	--	3.0	0	0	0	0	0	4	8-4 W	2	2-0
Blake Townsend	6/15 vs ERI	--	4.0	1	0	0	0	0	5	7-1 W	2	1-1
OTHER PITCHERS												
Garrett McMillan	5/29 vs POR G2	--	4.0	7	5	5	1	2	6	9-6 L (7)	4	1-3
Anthony Solometo	4/12 @ AKR	--	5.0	1	1	1	0	1	5	4-3 L	2	1-1
Hunter Barco	5/3 vs AKR	--	5.0	2	0	0	0	3	4	5-3 L	6	4-2

CATCHER'S BOX							
Player	Caught	Att.	Percent	Last CS	CI	PB	Pickoffs
Hendrie	2	14	14%	5/10	--	5	--
McKeithan	3	31	10%	6/12	--	--	--
Ross	9	16	56%	6/4	1	2	--

STARTING PITCHER RUN SUPPORT				
Active Rotation	GS	Team Runs	R/Start	Quality Starts
Dotel	13	48	3.7	3
Chen	12	38	3.2	0
Ercolani	12	49	4.1	0
Bullpen Game or used as Opener				
Bayless	8	26	3.3	0
Del Bonta-Smith	1	4	4	0
Diamond	1	1	1	0
Flowers	1	8	8	0
Nielson	2	6	3.0	0
Sullivan	2	11	5.5	0
Townsend	2	7	3.5	0
Other Pitchers				
McMillan	4	15	3.8	0
Solometo	2	5	2.5	0
Barco	6	23	3.8	0

TEAM PITCHING RANKS (EL/AA)								
TOTAL (EL, AA RANK)	ERA	WHIP	BAA	GIDP	SV	BB/9	SO/9	HR Allowed
Starters	3.99 (7th/15th)	1.19 (3rd/T-4th)	.228 (4th/6th)	17 (T7th/T-17th)	--	3.00 (8th/23rd)	9.06 (5th/T-13th)	28 (7th/T-17th)
Bullpen	4.13 (9th/21st)	1.33 (5th/13th)	.234 (9th/T-19th)	17 (T3rd/T-14th)	16 (7th/T15th)	4.07 (10th/T22nd)	8.82 (11th/26th)	22 (T-6th/T-14th)
Staff	4.07 (8th/20th)	1.26 (4th/T-8th)	.231 (7th/T14th)	34 (T-7th/T21st)	16 (7th/T15th)	3.56 (8th/23rd)	8.93 (9th/21st)	50 (7th/T-17th)

MAJOR LEAGUE REHAB ASSIGNMENTS - 1		
Player	Dates	Notes
Spencer Horwitz - INF	4/27 @ CHE - 5/4 vs AKR	Went 2-16 with 2B, 2 BB in 5G
2025 STREAKS/PITCHING SUPERLATIVES		
15+ INNING SCORELESS STREAKS	EASTERN LEAGUE PITCHER OF THE WEEK (1)	EASTERN LEAGUE PITCHER OF THE MONTH (1)
Hunter Barco - 25.2*, 4/4 vs CHE - 5/3 vs AKR	Hunter Barco - April 21 - 27 @ CHE	Hunter Barco - April

MISC. PITCHING		
7+ STRIKEOUTS GAMES (9)	PITCH CLOCK VIOLATIONS (29)	PICKOFFS (4)
Po-Yu Chen (7) - 4/8 @ AKR	Wilber Dotel, 4/5 vs CHE - Not ready to pitch to Willems (1st)	Hunter Barco, 4/22 @ CHE - Jackson at 1st
Wilber Dotel (7) - 4/17 vs SOM	Preston Johnson, 4/6 vs CHE - Not ready to pitch to Bowen (5th)	Po-Yu Chen, 4/25 @ CHE - Haskin at 1st
Hunter Barco (8) - 4/22 @ CHE	Adam Retzbach, 4/6 vs CHE - Not ready to hit vs Solometo (5th)	Po-Yu Chen, 5/1 vs AKR - Watson at 1st
Wilber Dotel (8) - 4/23 @ CHE	Jaden Woods, 4/8 @ AKR - Not ready to pitch to Kayfus (8th)	Garret McMillan, 5/15 vs HBG - Romero at 1st
Hunter Barco (8) - 4/27 @ CHE	Cy Nielson, 4/9 @ AKR - Not ready to pitch to Lipscomb (3rd)	
Wilber Dotel (10) - 5/4 vs AKR	Magnus Ellerts, 4/10 @ AKR - Not ready to pitch to Vargas (9th)	
Wilber Dotel (8) - 5/10 @ ERI	Trenton Denholm 4/11 @ AKR - Not ready to pitch to Jebb (8th)	
Wilber Dotel (7) - 6/5 @ NH	Emmanuel Chapman, 4/24 @ CHE - Not ready to pitch to Josenberger (5th)	
Wilber Dotel (8) - 6/18 vs RIC	Cy Nielson, 4/25 @ CHE - Not ready to pitch to Willems (7th)	
	Wilken Ramos, 4/26 @ CHE - Not ready to pitch to Jackson (8th)	
	Jaden Woods, 4/29 vs AKR - Not ready to pitch to Watson (3rd)	
	Magnus Ellerts, 4/29 vs AKR - Not ready to pitch to Ross (6th)	
	Emmanuel Chapman, 5/11 @ ERI - Not ready to pitch to Valencia (4th)	
	Wyatt Hendrie, 5/14 vs HBG G1 - Not ready to hit vs Saenz (2nd)	
	Erick Mejia, 5/15 vs HBG - Not ready to pitch to Johnson (7th)	
	Holden Powell, 5/15 vs HBG - Not ready to pitch to Dixon (7th)	
	Mitch Jebb, 5/25 @ AKR G1 - Not ready to hit vs Denholm (1st)	
	Termarr Johnson, 5/25 @ AKR G2 - Not ready to hit vs Ellerts (3rd)	
	Caden Rose, 5/27 vs POR - Not ready to hit vs Townsend (3rd)	
	Reidis Sena, 6/1 vs POR - Not ready to pitch to Ross (7th)	
	Fineas Del Bonta-Smith, 6/3 @ NH - Not ready to pitch to Harry (8th)	
	Geison Urbaez, 6/4 @ NH - Not ready to pitch to Dixon (7th)	
	Cy Nielson, 6/7 @ NH G2 - Not ready to pitch to Bohrofen (1st)	
	Jace Bohrofen, 6/8 @ NH - Not ready to hit vs Ercolani (1st)	
	Chris Meyers, 6/10 vs ERI - Not ready to hit vs Townsend (2nd)	
	Jack Choate, 6/19 vs RIC - Not ready to pitch to	
	Seth Lonsway, 6/20 vs RIC - Not ready to pitch to	
	Tyler Myrick (2), 6/20 vs RIC - Not ready to pitch to	

ERRORS BY POSITION (OUTFIELD ASSISTS)										45 E, (.979 - T-4TH), 39 DP (8TH)
Left Field			Center Field			Right Field				
Player (G)	E (A)		Player (G)	E (A)		Player (G)	E (A)			
Bowen (5)	0 (0)		Bowen (7)	0 (0)		Bowen (8)	0 (0)			
Escotto (7)	1 (3)		Head (4)	0 (0)		Escotto (2)	0 (0)			
Gonzalez (23)	1 (0)		Jarvis (6)	0 (0)		Gonzalez (21)	0 (0)			
Head (5)	0 (0)		Jebb (41)	2 (0)		Head (20)	2 (0)			
Hendrie (4)	1 (1)		Siani (10)	1 (0)		Jarvis (3)	0 (0)			
Jarvis (10)	0 (1)		Shortstop			Second Base				
Siani (7)	0 (1)		Player (G)	E		Player (G)	E			
Vargas (20)	0 (0)		Brannigan (42)	3		Brannigan (1)	0			
Third Base			Escotto (7)	1		Escotto (1)	0			
Player (G)	E		Jarvis (6)	1		Jarvis (2)	0			
Brannigan (14)	0		Pichardo (12)	1		Jebb (14)	1			
Dixon (19)	2		Ross (1)	0		Johnson (51)	9			
Jarvis (9)	0		Catcher			First Base				
Pichardo (26)	3		Player (G)	E (PB)		Player (G)	E			
Ross (3)	0		Hendrie (19)	0 (5)		Cimillo (34)	3			
			McKeithan (21)	0 (0)		Dixon (28)	1			
			Ross (30)	1 (2)		Horwitz (4)	1			
						Vargas (9)	0			



# ALTOONA CURVE PITCHER NOTES

## #50 Jarod Bayless

RHP

<b>Pitch Selection:</b>	FB (89-91), SI, SW, SL, CH	- <b>2025:</b> Has shuttled between Greensboro, Indianapolis and Altoona to begin the year... Joined Altoona on April 24...
<b>Hometown:</b>	Texarkana, TX	- <b>2024:</b> Pitched in 19 games with Double-A Arkansas, going 1-1 with a 4.76 ERA and 2 saves... In 22.2 IP, allowed 22 hits, 9 BB (13 HBP) and K'd 16... Released by Seattle on August 5...
<b>Acquired:</b>	MLB FA (2025)	- <b>CURVE CUTS:</b> Signed with the Pirates on 2/10/2025 after five seasons with the Seattle Mariners... Drafted by the Mariners in the 33rd round of the 2019 MLB Draft out of Dallas Baptist University... Also played collegiately at Northeast Texas Community College and San Jacinto College... Attended Pleasant Grove High School in Texarkana, TX... Has a dog, Loki, that travels with him and his wife throughout the season...
<b>Vitals:</b>	6-3, 220, 12/29/96 (28)	
<b>Curve Record:</b>	4-5	
<b>Trending:</b>		
Has started 7 bullpen games for the Curve (6.00 ERA) Holds a 3.27 ERA in 7 relief outings this season (16 K in 11.0 IP)		

### RECENT APPEARANCES

DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	SCORELESS STREAK	NOTES
5/18 VS HBG*	L (0-3)	3.0, 3, 4/3, 1/3	50/35	2.0	STARTED BULLPEN DAY, ALLOWED GS HR TO C. DE LA CRUZ IN 1ST
5/25 @ AKR G1	--	3.0, 0, 0/0, 1/3	48/28	5.0	FACED ONLY 10 BATTERS TO START BULLPEN DAY
5/31 VS POR*	--	3.0, 5, 5/4, 1/0	48/37	--	ALLOWED 5R IN 1ST, ALLOWED ONLY 1 BASERUNNER IN FINAL 2.0 INNINGS
6/4 @ NH*	L (0-4)	2.2, 3, 3/3, 1/3	51/31	--	SURRENDERED 2R HR TO J. BOHOREFEN IN 1ST, TOWNSEND ALLOWED INHERITED RUNNER IN IN 3RD INNING
6/12 VS ERIE	--	3.2, 3, 2/0, 1/2	56/37	--	LONGEST CAREER OUTING SINCE 6/28/19 W/ ACL MARINERS

## #12 Beau Burrows

RHP

<b>Pitch Selection:</b>	Fastball (89-92), SL, CB, CH	- <b>2025:</b> Signed with the Pirates on 5/12/25 after beginning the season in the Mexican League where he made 8 relief appearances for Dos Laredos... Joined ALT on 6/6...
<b>Hometown:</b>	Weatherford, TX	- <b>2024:</b> Made 16 appearances with Triple-A Lehigh Valley and Double-A Reading in the Phillies system going: 1-1 with a 6.45 ERA in 16 games... Finished the season with the Cleburne Railroaders of the independent American Association... Allowed 17 R in 20.2 IP with Cleburne...
<b>Acquired:</b>	MLB FA (2025)	- <b>CURVE CUTS:</b> Was the 22nd overall selection in the 2015 draft out of Weatherford HS (TX) by the Detroit Tigers... Was committed to play in college at Texas A&M... First reached Double-A Erie in 2017, was called up on June 6, 2017 and joined the team in New Hampshire where they got rained out, made his Double-A debut on June 7, 2017, joined the Curve on 6/6/25 (team got rained out at NH), pitched at NH 8 years to the day after making AA Debut on same mound... Made his MLB debut on 7/27/2020 with Detoit vs Kansas City (2.1 IP, 3 H, 3 R, 1 BB, 3 K)... Has pitched in 11 major league games (1 start) with Detroit (2020-21) and Minnesota (2021)... In 17.2 major league innings, allowed 24 H, 22 R (21 ER), 11 BB, 11 K... Missed extensive time in 2019 with a rash of injuries (shoulder inflammation, biceps tendinitis, oblique strain)... Has suited up for the Twins, Dodgers, Braves and Phillies since leaving the Tigers in 2021...
<b>Vitals:</b>	6-2, 210, 9/18/96 (28)	
<b>Curve Record:</b>	2-2	
<b>Trending:</b>		
50G (43 starts) at Double-A prior to 2025 (Erie/Mississippi/Reading): 18-14, 4.15 ERA, 227.2 IP, 218 H, 97 BB, 220 K W/ ALT: 6.0 IP, 1 H, 0 R, 1 BB, 10 K		

### RECENT APPEARANCES

DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	SCORELESS STREAK	NOTES
6/7 @ NH G1	--	1.0, 1, 0/0, 0/3	22/15	5.1	DEBUTED WITH CURVE 8 YRS TO DAY AFTER DOUBLE-A DEBUT AT NH W/ ERIE
6/10 VS ERIE	--	2.0, 0, 0/0, 0/5	27/20	7.1	K'D SIDE IN ORDER IN 8TH, 2 IN 9TH
6/13 VS ERIE	S (1)	2.0, 0, 0/0, 0/1	30/20	8.1	LONE BASERUNNER WAS HBP TO START 9TH // EARNED 3RD CAREER SAVE
6/15 VS ERIE	--	1.0, 0, 0/0, 0/1	14/8	9.1	SET DOWN SIDE IN ORDER IN 9TH, WRAPPED UP 4TH STRAIGHT SCORELESS APP W/ ALT

## #23 Fineas Del Bonta Smith

RHP

<b>Pitch Selection:</b>	FB (93-95), CT, SL, CH, CB	- <b>2025:</b> Opened the season with Triple-A Indianapolis and permitted 4 runs in 2.0 innings... Transferred to IND on 6/6, returned on 6/10...
<b>Hometown:</b>	Santa Cruz, CA	- <b>2024:</b> Battled injury throughout the season and totaled a 3-1 record with a 3.61 ERA in 28G with Bradenton, Greensboro and Indianapolis... Recorded a 4.64 ERA in 21 games at Triple-A...
<b>Acquired:</b>	MLB Rule 5, 2023 (Colorado)	- <b>CURVE CUTS:</b> Fineas Dominic Del Bonta-Smith (Fineas)... Reached the Eastern League with the Hartford Yard Goats in 2022-23 and went 7-3 with a 4.64 ERA in 71 appearacnes, picked up 110 K's in 95.0 IP with just 33 BB, allowed 23 HR... Played collegiately at San Jose State, was selected in the 22nd round of the 2019 draft by Colorado... Attended Soquel HS in California, same school as former Pirate Casey McGhee... Soquel HS is located about 45 minutes south of San Jose and just east of Santa Cruz, CA...
<b>Vitals:</b>	6-0, 190, 2/2/97 (28)	
<b>Curve Record:</b>	7-7	
<b>Trending:</b>		
Has allowed at least one run in 3-of-4 outings in June (8R in 7.2 IP)		

### RECENT APPEARANCES

DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	SCORELESS STREAK	NOTES
6/3 @ NH	--	2.1, 3, 1/1, 0/1	36/22	4.1 (ENDED)	ALLOWED INSURANCE RUN FOR NH IN 8TH INNING OF 4-0 LOSS
6/7 @ MEM	--	1.1, 3, 2/2, 2/2	28/15	--	COVERED FINAL 1.1 IP OF 10-2 LOSS FOR IND @ MEM
6/11 VS ERIE	--	2.0, 1, 0/0, 1/1	26/17	2.0	INDUCED DP AFTER LEADOFF WALK IN 9TH INNING OF 5-2 LOSS
6/14 VS ERIE	--	2.0, 7, 4/2, 0/1	39/25	--	ALLOWED 3 RUNS, 1 EARNED IN 6TH INNING

## #34 Emmanuel Chapman

RHP

<b>Pitch Selection:</b>	Fastball (92-96), SL, SPLIT	- <b>2024:</b> Finished the season T-8th on the Curve in Games Started (7), recorded a 3.28 ERA as a starting pitcher... Ranked third on the tean in ERA (3.57, min. 50.0 IP)... Pitched 1.0 IP+ in 19-of-24 outings with Altoona, including 14 appearances that lasted 3.0 IP...
<b>Hometown:</b>	Baguanos, Cuba	Transferred to ALT on 5/28... Last 20 apps of the season (6/18 - 9/12): 2-2, 2.73 ERA (17 ER / 56.0 IP), 1.09 WHIP, 24 BB, 53 K... Tossed 14.0 consecutive hitless innings from July 28-August 18... Held opponents to a .103 BAA in the month of August... Was on the mound on 7/24 at Erie when the Curve turned a triple play for the third time in franchise history... With runners on first and second after a walk by and an error committed by Charles McAdoo, Erie's Julio Rodriguez hit a hard ground ball to third where McAdoo picked it up, touched third base and then threw to second where Kervin Pichardo made the quick turn for the triple play...
<b>Acquired:</b>	MLB FA (2023)	- <b>CURVE CUTS:</b> Signed with the Pirates on 12/15/2023 after defecting from Cuba in April of 2023... Participated in a showcase for MLB teams in August... Established residency in Santo Domingo Centro in the Dominican Republic before signing with the Pirates for a bonus of \$200,000 according to Francys Romero... Does not bear a familial relation to former Pirates LHP Aroldis Chapman... Is taking 1-on-1 English lessons with Joe Shuta of WRTA radio during his time with the Curve...
<b>Vitals:</b>	6-4, 281, 9/23/98 (27)	
<b>Curve Record:</b>	9-8	
<b>Trending:</b>		
Has pitched 1.0 IP+ in 34-of-41 outings with Altoona Last 12G: 5-0 with a 2.25 ERA (24.0 IP/6 ER) and .170 BAA		

### RECENT APPEARANCES

DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	SCORELESS STREAK	NOTES
5/25 @ AKR G1	W (4-1)	2.0, 0, 0/0, 2/2	35/20	2.0	EARNED WIN IN 1-0 WIN
6/1 VS POR	--	1.1, 1, 1/1, 1/1	29/16	3.0 (ENDED)	TOSSED SCORELESS 7TH, LEFT AFTER LOADING BASES WITH 1 OUT IN 8TH (RAMOS STRANDED 2)
6/7 @ NH G2	--	2.0, 3, 1/0, 1/3	41/24	--	STRANDED 4 BASERUNNERS IN 2 INNINGS
6/12 VS ERIE	W (5-1)	2.1, 2, 1/1, 3/0	52/30	2.0	ALLOWED FIRST 4 BASERUNNERS TO REACH (3 BB, 2B) - RETIRED 7-OF-8 AFTER THAT
6/18 VS RIC	--	2.0, 2, 1/0, 0/0	27/15	--	SET DOWN SIDE IN ORDER IN 7TH, ALLOWED UNEARNED RUN IN 8TH OF 2-1 W OVER RIC

## #17 Valentin Linarez

RHP

<b>Pitch Selection:</b>	FB (94-97), SL, CH, SPLIT	- <b>2024:</b> Split the season between Altoona and Greensboro... Went 1-2 with a 6.46 ERA in 17 appearances with the Curve, walked 19 batters and struck out 28 in 30.2 IP... Transferred to Greensboro on 6/25... Went 3-0 with a 3.20 ERA in 18 games and saved 2 games, struck out 43 batters in 25.1 IP... After the seasons played for Scottsdale in the Arizona Fall League and allowed just one run in 10.1 IP, 3 H, 8 BB, 11 K...
<b>Hometown:</b>	Palenque, D.R.	- <b>CURVE CUTS:</b> Valentin Guillermo Linarez... Pitches with a high spin rate on all offerings, allowing for additional movement on fastball and slider... Saw an average velocity increase of nearly four mph on his fastball from 2022 to 2023...
<b>Acquired:</b>	Int'l FA (2018)	
<b>Vitals:</b>	6-5, 226, 2/14/00 (25)	
<b>Curve Record:</b>	7-10	
<b>Trending:</b>		
Allowed 8 runs in 9.0 innings in May (13 H, 6 BB, 9 K)		

### RECENT APPEARANCES

DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	SCORELESS STREAK	NOTES
5/25 @ AKR G2	--	1.0, 0, 0/0, 1/1	13/6	1.0	WORKED AROUND 1 OUT WALK TO TOSS SCORELESS INNING
5/29 VS POR G1	--	1.0, 0, 0/0, 2/1	20/8	2.0	WALKED BACK TO BACK HITTERS WITH 1 OUT AND DANCED OUT OF INNING WITH K AND 6-3 GROUNDOUT
6/3 @ NH	--	1.2, 1, 2/2, 3/1	45/24	--	ALLOWED 2R IN 5TH INNING, ESCAPED INNING W/ 5-4-3 DP
6/10 VS ERIE	--	2.0, 1, 0/0, 1/2	34/21	2.0	FIRST 2.0 INNING SCORELESS OUTING SINCE 4/29 (8 OUTINGS)
6/15 VS ERIE	--	2.0, 0, 0/0, 0/0	15/8	4.0	NEEDED ONLY 4 PITCHES IN SCORELESS 8TH INNING

# ALTOONA CURVE PITCHER NOTES

## #47 Justin Meis

RHP

<b>Pitch Selection:</b>	FB (93-96), CH, SL, Sweep, CT	<b>- 2024:</b> Spent the entire season working out of the Altoona bullpen... Finished the season second on the team in appearances (37), 4th in strikeouts (72), 1st among relievers... Recorded a 2.45 ERA in 8 June appearances, had an ERA over 5.00 in each other calendar month... Recorded 1.0 IP+ in 24-of-37 appearances... His 72 strikeouts ranked 6th among Eastern League Relievers... <b>- CURVE CUTS:</b> Justin Daniel Meis... Last name is pronounced "mice"... Signed for \$127,500... Is a 2018 graduate of Bethal Park High School located outside the city of Pittsburgh, where he was a four-time letterwinner and one-year captain on the baseball team... Was coached by Chris Tekulve at Bethel Park, son of Pirates Hall of Famer Kent Tekulve... Father, Jeff, played High School Basketball at Baldwin High School, Mom, Leigh, played Volleyball and Softball on WPIAL Championship Teams... Younger brother, Ryan Meis, played four years at Division-II Seton Hill University... Helped Pirates minor leaguer Nick Dombkowski develop his slider, and in return learned how to throw his changeup from Dombkowski (Rob Biertempfel, The Athletic) - the two have been throwing partners for their entire professional career... Meis learned how to throw his slider playing Little League at Bethal Park in Pittsburgh...
<b>Hometown:</b>	Bethel Park, PA	
<b>Acquired:</b>	10th Round, 2021 (Eastern Mich.)	
<b>Vitals:</b>	6-2, 175, 11/23/99 (25)	
<b>Curve Record:</b>	10-8	
<b>Trending:</b> Unscored upon in 12-of-18 outings this year		

RECENT APPEARANCES					
DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	SCORELESS STREAK	NOTES
5/29 VS POR G1	--	2.0, 2, 2/2, 0/1	37/22	--	ALLOWED 2R HR TO C. ROSE IN 6TH INNING OF 3-0 LOSS
6/4 @ NH	--	1.1, 1, 0/0, 0/0	13/10	1.1	3 PITCHES OR FEWER IN EACH OF 5 AB'S
6/11 VS ERIE	--	1.2, 2, 0/0, 0/0	28/19	3.0	ALLOWED TWO INHERITED RUNS TO SCORE (DOTE) IN 4-RUN 6TH INNING OF 5-2 LOSS
6/13 VS ERIE	--	1.0, 2, 0/0, 1/2	30/19	4.0	WORKED AROUND 2 1B AND BB TO START 7TH, CAME BACK W/ 2 K AND F8 TO PROTECT 4-1 LEAD
6/15 VS ERIE	--	2.0, 1, 0/0, 0/1	25/15	5.0	SET DOWN SIDE IN ORDER W/ 3 GROUND BALL OUTS IN A ROW

## #53 Cy Nielson

LHP

<b>Pitch Selection:</b>	FB (92-95), SL, CH	<b>- 2024:</b> Split the season between High-A Greensboro and Double-A Altoona... Was named a postseason All-Star in the South Atlantic League alongside Greensboro teammates LHP Dominic Perachi and INF Charles McAdoo... Went 3-1 with a 6.55 ERA (16 ER / 22.0 IP) in 13 appearances for the Curve... Struck out 28 batters and walked 14... Went 1.0 IP+ in 11-of-13 games for the Curve... Tossed 2.0 innings in each of his final five outings in September (2.70 ERA)... Made 44 total appearances, 4th-most by a PIT MiLB pitcher... Totaled 78 strikeouts, 7th-most by a PIT MiLB reliever... Also earned 7 saves, tied for 3rd-most among PIT MiLB... <b>- CURVE CUTS:</b> Cy Ballard Nielson... Named the 2019 Gatorade Utah Player of the Year as a senior at Spanish Fork High School... Spanish Fork is part of the Orem-Provo metro area, about 50 minutes south of Salt Lake City... Father, Damian, played baseball at Southern Utah... Became the second BYU Cougar to be selected by the Pirates, joining INF Vance Law, who was taken in the 1978 MLB Draft by the Pirates and played in 11 Major League seasons... Married his wife, Lo, in the '24-25 off-season, the two have a golden retriever named Gibby... Lo was a left-handed pitcher on BYU's Softball team... The highlight of the wedding was a fountain tower of ranch which guests enjoyed with Chick-Fil-A chicken nuggets... Also enjoys hunting in the off-season...
<b>Hometown:</b>	Spanish Fork, UT	
<b>Acquired:</b>	8th Round, 2022 (BYU)	
<b>Vitals:</b>	6-3, 210, 2/25/01 (24)	
<b>Curve Record:</b>	7-10	
<b>Trending:</b> Has thrown 1.0 IP+ in 25-of-32 games in a Curve uniform Has at least 1 K in 31-of-32 outings w/ ALT 36 K's is 3rd-most by an EL reliever this season		

RECENT APPEARANCES					
DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	SCORELESS STREAK	NOTES
6/7 @ NH G2*	--	2.0, 1, 1/1, 2/2	35/20	--	STARTED BULLPEN DAY, ALLOWED RBI 1B TO J. SHARP IN 2ND INNING
6/12 VS ERIE	--	2.0, 3, 1/1, 0/0	27/18	1.0	COVERED 7TH AND 8TH IN BULLPEN DAY WIL
6/15 VS ERIE	W (2-2)	2.0, 1, 0/0, 0/1	25/15	3.0	HAS EARNED WIN IN BULLPEN GAME
6/20 VS RIC	--	2.0, 3, 1/1, 0/3	25/20	1.0	K'D 3 AROUND 3 HITS IN 5TH, ONLY NEEDED 4 PITCHES IN 1-2-3 6TH

## #37 Wilkin Ramos

RHP

<b>Pitch Selection:</b>	FB (94-97), SINK, SL, CB	<b>- 2025:</b> Tossed 13.1 scoreless innings to begin season (ended on 5/3 w/ HR by T. Bazzana)... <b>- 2024:</b> Split the season between Binghamton and Syracuse with the New York Mets... Led all Mets farmhands with 11 saves and ranked among leaders in appearances (41, 3rd) and wins (6, T4th)... His nine saves for Binghamton were 4th-most in the Eastern League... Recorded a 1.65 ERA with Binghamton, 5.40 ERA with Syracuse... <b>- CURVE CUTS:</b> Wilkin Dariel Ramos... Was selected by the Mets from the Pirates in the minor league phase of the Rule 5 Draft following the 2022 season... According to FanGraphs, he started throwing from a much lower arm slot when arrived with the Mets... His fastball began sitting in the low- to mid-90s with a great deal of tailing action, and he also threw a sweeping slider. The new motion left him very wild at times, but hitters didn't have much success getting the ball in the air against him; in 251.1 career IP, he's allowed only eight home runs... His 37 appearances were 2nd-most in the Florida State League in 2022 with Bradenton... In 2018, was acquired by Pittsburgh, from Oakland, to complete the trade of pitcher Tanner Anderson from 11/20... In 2017, was signed by Oakland as a non-drafted free agent...
<b>Hometown:</b>	Santo Domingo Centro, D.R.	
<b>Acquired:</b>	MiLB FA (2025)	
<b>Vitals:</b>	6-5, 192, 10/31/00 (24)	
<b>Curve Record:</b>	7-13	
<b>Trending:</b> W/ Bing ('22-'23): 1.59 ERA, 11 SVS in 35 EL (.197 BAA) Last 6 outings (6/1 - Present): 1-0, 2.16 ERA (2 ER / 8.1 IP), 7 H, 2 BB, 8 K		

RECENT APPEARANCES					
DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	SCORELESS STREAK	NOTES
6/5 @ NH	--	1.2, 1, 0/0, 0/3	28/21	3.1	WAS PART OF A 12-STRIKEOUT GAME FOR CURVE PITCHING, 3RD STRAIGHT SHUTOUT LOSS
6/8 @ NH	--	2.0, 3, 2/1, 0/4	35/20	4.1 (ENDED)	RECORDED 2 K'S IN EACH INNING OF RELIEF IN 11-5 W AT NH
6/12 VS ERIE	--	1.0, 1, 1/1, 1/0	18/12	--	ALLOWED 3B, BB, FC TO START 9TH INNING, WRAPPED UP 10-6 WIN OVER ERIE
6/14 VS ERIE	--	1.0, 0, 0/0, 1/0	13/8	1.0	ISSUED 1-OUT WALK
6/18 VS RIC	S (2)	1.0, 1, 0/0, 0/0	12/8	2.0	WORKED AROUND 2 OUT 1B IN 9TH, TOOK MOUND AFTER 1:34 RAIN DELAY IN MID-8 TO EARN SAVE

## #30 Blake Townsend

LHP

<b>Pitch Selection:</b>	FB (87-91), SL, CH	<b>- 2025:</b> Opened the season at High-A Greensboro and went 2-0 with a 1.14 ERA in 11 games (23.2 IP, 18 H, 3 R, 5 BB, 28 K)... Transferred to ALT on 5/27... Transferred to GBO on 5/30, returned to ALT on 6/3... <b>- 2024:</b> Began the season with High-A Everett with the Seattle Mariners organization... 1-1, 2.45 ERA in 28 appearances, struck out 30 batters 29.1 IP (17 BB)... Released by Seattle on August 5, signed with the Pirates on August 22 and assigned to the FCL... Assigned to ALT on 8/31... Went 1-0 with a 2.00 ERA in 5 games, struck out 6 batters in 9.0 IP... <b>- CURVE CUTS:</b> Blake Townsend... Hails from Traragon, Victoria in Australia... Became the 8th player in franchise history from Australia when he joined the Curve in 2024... Pitched for Team Australia at the 2023 World Baseball Classic, was the second-youngest pitcher on the team... Shared the field at the WBC with former Curve INF Robbie Glendinning... Pitches in the Australian Baseball Winter League with the Melbourne Aces... Appeared for 4 Mariners affiliates in 2022, reaching Triple-A Tacoma for 2.2 innings pitched... Had Tommy John surgery following the 2019 season...
<b>Hometown:</b>	Traragon, Austrailia	
<b>Acquired:</b>	MiLB FA, 2024	
<b>Vitals:</b>	6-4, 245, 4/5/01 (24)	
<b>Curve Record:</b>	2-2	
<b>Trending:</b> Last 11 apps (GBO/ALT): 3-1, 0.96 ERA (3 ER/28.0 IP), 8 BB, 31 K, .194 BAA		

RECENT APPEARANCES					
DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	SCORELESS STREAK	NOTES
5/27 VS POR	W (1-0)	3.0, 1, 0/0, 2/2	45/26	3.0	STRANDED RUNNER AT 3RD IN 1ST INNING ON MOUND, EARNED WIN IN BULLPEN DAY
6/4 @ NH	--	3.0, 3, 0/0, 1/4	50/34	6.0	FOLLOWED BAYLESS IN BULLPEN DAY, ALLOWED INHERITED RUNNER TO SCORE IN 3RD
6/10 VS ERIE	L (1-1)	3.0, 4, 2/2, 1/2	51/35	--	STARTED BULLPEN DAY, K'D 2 W/ 2 RISP IN 1ST, ALLOWED HR TO M. ANDERSON IN 3RD
6/17 VS ERIE*	--	4.0, 1, 0/0, 0/5	47/31	4.0	LONGEST OUTING SINCE 2021 IN COMPLEX, RETIRED 11 STRAIGHT BEFORE 1B, K TO END 4TH

## #32 Jaden Woods

LHP

<b>Pitch Selection:</b>	FB (93-95), SL, CH	<b>- 2024:</b> Went 3-3 with a 4.93 ERA in 20 games, 1 start with the Curve... Struck out 43 batters in 34.2 IP with the Curve... Ranked 7th among Eastern League relievers in strikeouts (42) from his debut on June 21 through the end of the season... Went 1-0 with a 2.13 ERA, 1 save in 20G with Greensboro to start the season... <b>- CURVE CUTS:</b> Jaden Chance Woods... Signed with the Pirates for a bonus of \$271,300... Born in Macon, GA, raised in Alpharetta, GA and moved to Warner Robins, GA when he was in 8th grade... Told Andrew Destin of the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette that he didn't begin playing baseball until he was in 8th grade after he moved to Warner Robins, GA and they didn't have a lacrosse team he could join so he had to find a new sport to play. Played football, basketball, soccer and baseball and liked baseball the most and stuck with it... Was convinced by a friend of his, Jeremy White, to pick up a baseball after noticing how strong his arm was playing quarterback... Began playing travel ball as a sophomore in high school and earned a scholarship offer from Georgia State where he was committed to until his junior year when he commited to Georgia... Earned a degree in Sport Management in just three years, an area that his parents harped on while he was growing up: to be a good student...
<b>Hometown:</b>	Warner Robins, GA	
<b>Acquired:</b>	7th Round, 2023 (Georgia)	
<b>Vitals:</b>	6-2, 205, 2/1/02 (23)	
<b>Curve Record:</b>	10-13	
<b>Trending:</b> Struck out at least 1 batter in 16-of-23 appearances Has struck out 73 batters in 63.1 innings since joining the Curve, most by an EL reliever since 6/22/24		

RECENT APPEARANCES					
DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	SCORELESS STREAK	NOTES
6/7 @ NH G2	L (4-3)	2.0, 3, 3/3, 1/3	36/23	1.0	ALLOWED 3R IN 5TH INNING / K'D ALL 3 BATTERS IN 6TH INCLUDING C. MCADOO
6/10 VS ERIE	--	2.0, 1, 1/1, 2/1	32/19	--	SET DOWN SIDE IN ORDER IN 7TH, STRANDED BASES LOADED IN 7TH AFTER BASES LOADED WALK
6/13 VS ERIE	--	1.1, 0, 0/0, 0/1	15/9	1.1	FINISHED 5TH FOR PO-YU CHEN, SET DOWN SIDE IN ORDER IN 6TH
6/15 VS ERIE	--	1.0, 1, 1/1, 0/0	7/5	--	ALLOWED SOLO HR TO BIGBIE, THEN RETIRED NEXT 3 HITTERS ON 4 PITCHES
6/20 VS RIC	--	1.0, 0, 0/0, 1/0	15/9	1.0	WORKED AROUND 2 OUT WALK IN 7TH INNING OF 7-4 LOSS

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#10 Jase Bowen			OF
Hometown:	Northwood, OH		
Acquired:	11th Round, 2019 (Toledo Central Catholic, OH)		
Vitals:	6-1, 205, 9/2/00 (24)	DATE	LINE
Bat/Throw	R/R	4/11 @ AKR	3-4, 2B, BB, RBI
Multi-Hit Games (ALT):	4	4/16 VS SOM	1-4, HR, RBI, BB
Multi-RBI Games (ALT):	1	4/27 @ CHE	2-4, 2B, HR, RBI
		4/29 VS AKR	2-3, BB, 2 R
		NOTES	
		PICKED UP 2 SB AND LED 9TH INNING RALLY THAT LED TO 6 RUNS IN 8-1 WIN	
		2R HR WAS 2ND HR OF INNING FOR CURVE - BECAME 1ST CURVE PLAYER WITH 2 HR ON SEASON	
		HOMERED OFF REHABING O'S STARTER CHAYCE MCDERMOTT	
		PART OF 12-HIT ATTACK BY CURVE IN 10-2 WIN OVER AKRON	
Trending: Batted .317/.378/.537/.915 OPS with 3 2B, 2 HR, 3 RBI in his final 12G before injury // Returned to action on 6/12, went 6-22 with 2 2B, 1 HR, 3 RBI in 6G w/ BRD and GBO			
- <b>2025:</b> Placed on 7-Day IL on 5/2 (left hand fracture)... Activated on 6/19			
- <b>2024:</b> Named to the Pirates Spring Breakout roster, where he led the team with a 2-for-3 performance... Spent the entire season with Altoona and finished the season second on the team in games played (110), HR (10), 2B (17), and 3rd in RBI (43), led the team with 22 stolen bases... Batted .241/.298/.366 with 17 2B, 2 3B, 10 HR, 43 RBI and 22-30 SB... Was 1 of 23 in PIT MiLB to hit 10+ HR... Made a sliding catch and threw out a runner at home for a game-ending Double Play on July 13 against Bowie, earned SportsCenter's #6 Top Play on July 14...			
- <b>CURVE CUTS:</b> Jase Callaway Bowen... Signed with the Pirates for a bonus of \$395,000... Was committed to play Baseball and Football at Michigan State University... Was the first player drafted out of Toledo Central Catholic HS (Toledo, OH) since Clayton Stidham in 1982 (36th round, New York Yankees)... Toledo Central Catholic is just a 7 minute drive from Fifth Third Park, home of the Toledo Mud Hens (Detroit Tigers, AAA)... Started collecting baseball cards growing up in Northwood, Ohio, and has owned approximately 100,000 cards in his life... His favorite is a Topps triple threads Dustin Pedroia jersey card autograph... Jase's favorite player growing up was Dustin Pedroia (he has approximately 25-30 different variations of Pedroia's cards and around 100 all together)... Jase also has his own baseball card, which was done by Topps in 2023... The first time signing his cards he actually kept a few and gave them to his parents, brother, fiancée, and kept some for himself... Bowen has been going after his own cards since they have hit eBay... His goal is to get one of every color to show his own kids some day... Is an avid Fantasy Football Player and loves to play Trivia games...			
#22 Nick Cimillo			INF
Hometown:	Suffern, NY		
Acquired:	16th Round, 2022 (Rutgers)		
Vitals:	6-3, 220, 2/23/00 (25)	DATE	LINE
Bat/Throw	R/R	4/20 VS SOM	1-3, BB, RBI
Multi-Hit Games (ALT):	8	5/2 VS AKR	2-3, HR, RBI
Multi-RBI Games (ALT):	3	5/23 @ AKR G1	1-2, 3B, BB
		5/31 VS POR	2-3, HR, 5 RBI
		NOTES	
		WALKED AND SINGLED IN A RUN IN 9-RUN 7TH INNING	
		KNOCKED 1ST HR OF SZN AND DOUBLED IN 6TH	
		HIT GAME-TYING GRAND SLAM IN 6TH AND GAME-TYING 1B IN 8TH OF 9-7 COMEBACK WIN	
Trending: Batted .282/.878 OPS in May with 5 2B, 1 3B, 4 HR, 13 RBI in 22G // Has a hit in 6 of last 8G (7-32), 2 2B, 5 RBI			
- <b>2025:</b> Drove in a career-high 5 runs on 5/31 vs Portland, including his second career Grand Slam (6/28/24 @ JS)...			
- <b>2024:</b> Split the season between Greensboro and Altoona... Finished the season tied for third-most in HR (21) and second in RBI (71) among Pirates minor leaguers... Began the season on the Development List with High-A Greensboro and batted .293/.419/.619 with 8 2B, 17 HR, 48 RBI in 52G... Made his team debut on 7/19 at Somerset, went 0-for-3... Somerset's TD Bank Barkpark is just 15 miles from Bainton Field, Rutgers' home ballpark...			
- <b>CURVE CUTS:</b> Nicholas William Cimillo... Signed with the Pirates for bonus of \$100,000... Grew up playing catcher and moved to first base full-time during the 2024 season... Has drawn attention for his 106 mpg average exit velocity, a mark that ranked him in the 90th percentile among professional players and one of the top hitters in the Pirates system... His father, William, went to St. John's University, where he played football and was named to the school's hall-of-fame in 2020... William was a firefighter in the Bronx while Nick was growing up and the two would regularly attend Yankee games after his shift at the firehouse... Attended Suffern HS in Suffern, NY... Began his collegiate career at Manhattan University where he was named the 2019 MAAC Rookie-of-the-Year... Was a Second-Team All-Big 10 Selection in 2022 in his lone season at Rutgers... Led the Big 10 in batting average (.385), slugging percentage (.707) and OPS (1.199) in 2022...			
#44 Brenden Dixon			INF
Hometown:	Weatherford, TX		
Acquired:	20th Round, 2021 (Weatherford JC)		
Vitals:	5-11, 205, 11/20/00 (24)	DATE	LINE
Bat/Throw	R/R	4/4 VS CHE	2-4, HR, RBI, SB
Multi-Hit Games (ALT):	6	5/31 VS POR	2-4, HR, 2 RBI
Multi-RBI Games (ALT):	3	6/4 @ NH	1-1, 2 BB
		6/8 @ NH	3-5, 2 2B, 3 RBI
		NOTES	
		SWATTED ALTOONA'S FIRST HR OF THE SEASON ON OPENING DAY	
		HIT 2ND WALK-OFF HR W/ ALT IN B8 OF 7-INNING GAME	
		REACHED IN ALL 3 PA'S ACCOUNTING FOR HALF OF ALTOONA'S BASERUNNER IN 3-0 LOSS	
		HAD GAME-BREAKING 2B IN 6-RUN 5TH INNING FOR ALT AT NH IN 11-5 WIN	
Trending: Last 15G: .325 (13-40), 4 2B, 1 HR, 7 RBI, 8 BB (.440 OBP) // Reached in 5 straight PA's on 6/4-6/5 @ NH			
- <b>2025:</b> Changed his number from #5 to #44 on 5/27...			
- <b>2024:</b> Spent the majority of the season with Altoona, with a short stint at Triple-A Indianapolis... Batted .188 with 6 2B, 8 HR, 30 RBI and 6 SB in 64G with the Curve... Recorded 2 walk-off hits and finished the season T-3rd on the team with 8 HR... <u>Underwent surgery to repair an injured hamate bone after the season...</u>			
- <b>CURVE CUTS:</b> Brenden Reese Dixon... Hit .335 with 12 doubles, 10 home runs, 39 RBI and seven stolen bases in 2021 at Weatherford College... Played in 14 games for the University of Texas during the abbreviated 2020 season... Hit .353 and recorded 48 RBI while being named a second-team all-state selection in 2019 for Argyle (TX) High School... Helped Argyle to back-to-back state and national championships in 2018 and 2019... Was also a four-year letterman in football where he was named second team All-State as a senior and earned All-District honors in each of his four seasons... Was also named Argyle's Defensive Back of the Year... Is an avid hunter and fisherman in his freetime... One of the highlights of his '24-25 off-season was hunting with Nick Gonzales and Rowdy Tellez... Enjoys cooking for himself and teammates at the apartments in Altoona... His father is one of the most well-known Chiropractor's in Weatherford, TX, Beau Burrows knows him...			
#5 Maikol Escotto			INF
Hometown:	Boca Chica, D.R.		
Acquired:	Trade, NYY (2021)		
Vitals:	5-11, 180, 6/4/02 (22)	DATE	LINE
Bat/Throw	R/R	6/1 VS POR	2-3, RBI
Multi-Hit Games (ALT):	4 (11 w/ GBO)	6/12 VS ERIE	2-4, RBI
Multi-RBI Games (ALT):	0 (5 w/ GBO)	6/18 VS RIC	2-4, 2B
		NOTES	
		HIT GAME-TYING 1B IN 7TH INNING OF 7-5 WIN OVER PORTLAND	
		CHASED STARTER J. HAMM FROM GAME IN 3RD WITH 2-STRIKE RBI 1B	
		SCORED GAME'S FIRST RUN ON RBI 1B FROM CIMILLO IN 2-1 WIN OVER RICHMOND	
Trending: Cut his K% from 33.6% in 2024 to 21.8% in 2025 before his promotion from GBO... Recorded a 1.163 OPS in 21 home games w/ GBO, .627 in 17 road games			
- <b>2025:</b> Began the season with High-A Greensboro and batted .319/.370/.525 with .895 OPS, with 9 2B, 1 3B, 6 HR, 20 RBI, 18-22 SB... Stole 4 bases on 4/6 vs. Asheville... Was suspended for 5 games from April 9-15 after fighting Winston-Salem's Sam Antonacci who intentionally stepped on his first... Batted .380 in 14 April games with a .976 OPS... Promoted to Altoona on 5/30...			
- <b>2024:</b> Spent the entire season with Greensboro and batted .215/.257/.355 with 6 2B, 8 HR, 31 RBI in 68G...			
- <b>CURVE CUTS:</b> Maikol Jose Escotto (Maikol)... Name is pronounced "Michael es-coat-oh"... Resides now in Santo Domingo Este... Acquired by the Pirates along with RHP Miguel Yajure, RHP Roansy Contreras and OF Canaan Smith-Njigba, in exchange for RHP Jameson Taillon... Was ranked as a Top-30 prospect in the Yankees minor league system at the time of the trade according to Baseball America (No. 27)... Was also ranked in the Pirates Top-30 in 2021 and 2022...			



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## #3 Tres Gonzalez

OF

**Hometown:** Atlanta, GA  
**Acquired:** 5th Round, 2022 (Georgia Tech)  
**Vitals:** 5-11, 185, 10/4/00 (24)  
**Bat/Throw** L/L  
**Multi-Hit Games (ALT):** 7  
**Multi-RBI Games (ALT):** 1

RECENT NOTEABLE PERFORMANCES		
DATE	LINE	NOTES
4/11 @ AKR	2-5, R	
4/29 VS AKR	2-4, RBI	
4/30 VS AKR	1-4	PICKED UP HIT IN 9TH INNING AFTER PITCHING TOP 9 IN RELIEF
5/15 VS HBG	1-2, 2 BB, 2 RBI	REACHED IN 3-OF-4 PA'S - PUT FINISHING TOUCHES ON 9-4 WIN WITH 2R 1B IN 7TH

Trending:

- **2025:** Made his first career appearance on the mound (pro or college) in the 8th inning of a 13-1 loss at Akron on 4/9, allowed an infield single and tossed a scoreless inning on just 7 pitches, 6 strikes... Tossed another scoreless inning on 4/18 vs Somerset in a 12-1 loss... Made his third appearance on the mound in the team's 23rd game, tossing the 9th inning on 4/30 against Akron and allowed 1 run on 2 hits with 1 K...

- **2024:** Spent the entire season with Altoona... Earned one of eight walk-off RBI's for Altoona on the season... Batted .239/.313/.273 with 9 2B, 1 3B, 24 RBI and 10-18 SB in 95 games for Altoona... Named to the Pirates Spring Breakout roster, where he went 0-for-2 as the starting left fielder against the Orioles... Had 6 multi-hit games in the first three months of the season, recorded 7 in the month of July (.357 BA)...

- **CURVE CUTS:** Eduardo Alberto "Tres" Gonzalez... Older sister, Gabriela, played tennis at Georgia Tech... Father, Eddie, once captained the tennis team at ACC rival North Carolina State... Ranked the No. 3 outfielder in Georgia and a top-50 outfielder in the nation by Perfect Game... 2019 Perfect Game First-Team Preseason All-Region for the southeast... Four-year letterwinner at Mount Vernon Presbyterian, named captain in final two seasons... Also lettered for three seasons in tennis... Recently celebrated 6 years with his girlfriend, Mary, who attended the University of Georgia while he attended Georgia Tech...

## #46 Hudson Head

OF

**Hometown:** San Antonio, TX  
**Acquired:** Trade - SD (2021)  
**Vitals:** 6-2, 180, 4/8/01 (23)  
**Bat/Throw** L/L  
**Multi-Hit Games (ALT):** 2  
**Multi-RBI Games (ALT):** 1

RECENT NOTEABLE PERFORMANCES		
DATE	LINE	NOTES
4/20 VS SOM	0-0, 2 BB	WALKED IN BOTH PLATE APPEARANCES
5/8 @ ERIE	0-3, BB	SAW 12 PITCHES IN 1ST AB (BB) AND 9 IN FINAL AB (F-7)
6/13 VS ERIE	3-4, HR, 2 RBI	HIT 1ST HR OF SZN IN 6TH INNING OF 10-6 W OVER ERIE - FIRST 3H GAME SINCE 7/13/24 (HAD 4 3H GMS IN '24)
6/15 VS ERIE	2-4, RBI	ALSO REACHED ON AN ERROR IN 4TH // ALT WON 7-1 TO SPLIT SERIES WITH ERIE

Trending: 4-68, RBI, 28 K, 6 BB in first 28G of season, 3-4, HR, 2 RBI, SB on 6/12 vs Erie

- **2025:** Assigned to Altoona to begin the season... Made his first career pitching performance on April 13 at Akron, pitched again at Akron on 5/24...

- **2024:** Made several appearances in Pirates Major League Spring Training games as a minor league reserve... Spent the season with High-A Greensboro... Batted .208/.303/.383 with 12 2B, 6 3B, 13 HR, 49 RBI and 9-13 SB in 102G... Batted over .200 twice in a calendar month (May .267, July .242)...

- **CURVE CUTS:** John Hudson Head... Was originally selected by San Diego in the 3rd round of the 2019 First-Year Player Draft and signed for a bonus of \$3,000,000... His bonus was a record for a 3rd round draft selection according to MLB.com's Jim Callis... Was committed to play collegiately at the University of Oklahoma where he would've been teammates with Washington's 2020 1st round selection Cade Cavalli... Hit .615 with 13 home runs and 54 RBI during his senior year of high school... Was a two-sport athlete until his senior of high school, when he gave up football (was a quarterback)... Throws a football right-handed but a baseball left-handed... Attended Winston Churchill HS in San Antonio, TX, same high school as former LHP Randy Coate who pitched 15 major league seasons with the New York Yankees (2000 World Series Champion), Arizona Diamondbacks, Tampa Bay Rays, Florida Marlins, LA Dodgers and St. Louis Cardinals - appeared in 672 career games and recorded a 3.90 ERA... High school teammate Jack Neely (1 year older) pitched collegiately at Iowa Western CC and Ohio State and was drafted in the 11th round in 2021 by the New York Yankees... Is a Houston Texans fan...

## #38 Wyatt Hendrie

C

**Hometown:** Palmdale, CA  
**Acquired:** 7th Round, 2021 (San Diego St.)  
**Vitals:** 5-10, 195, 2/2/99 (26)  
**Bat/Throw** R/R  
**Multi-Hit Games (ALT):** 0  
**Multi-RBI Games (ALT):** 1

RECENT NOTEABLE PERFORMANCES		
DATE	LINE	NOTES
4/9 @ AKR	1-2, 2B, BB, HBP	WAS STRANDED IN SCORING POSITION TWICE IN 13-1 LOSS TO AKRON
5/4 VS AKR	1-3, HR, 2 RBI	2R HR IN 3RD INNING GAVE CURVE 2-0 LEAD AT TIME, EVENTUAL 3-2 WIN

Trending:

- **2025:** Placed on Development List on 4/23, activated on 5/1...

- **2024:** Split the season between Altoona and Greensboro... Batted .254/.304/.365 with 4 2B, 1 HR, 13 RBI in 20 G with Altoona... Batted .163 in 15G with Greensboro, placed on IL with a season-ending injury on 8/6...

- **CURVE CUTS:** Wyatt James Hendrie... Graduated from Paraclete HS in California in 2017 and spent the 2019 season at Antelope Valley College (JUCO) where he was picked in the 10th round of the 2019 Draft by the Chicago Cubs, but opted to attend San Diego State... Chose the Aztecs over the likes of Arizona, Nevada, Cal Poly, Loyola Marymount, Purdue, Stanford and UT Arlington... Was named a First-Team All-Mountain West Selection in 2021, was named one of 16 finalists for the Buster Posey National Collegiate Catcher of the Year Award... Started 38 games behind the plate for the Aztecs in 2021 and was named Mountain West Player of the Week three times... Collegiate teammate Troy Melton was a 4th round draft selection of the Detroit Tigers in 2022 and faced Altoona four times during the 2024 season... Collegiate teammate Mike Jarvis was selected in the 6th round of the 2021 draft by the Pirates... Other notable San Diego State alumni include Stephen Strasburg (who made his professional debut at Altoona in 2010), 15-year major leaguer and current MLBPA President Tony Clark and Hall of Famer Tony Gwynn... Lists his favorite foods as Thai food and Cinnamon rolls... His favorite player when he was 10 years old was Jason Varitek... Is currently learning to play the guitar in his free time...

## #54 Mike Jarvis

INF/OF

**Hometown:** San Diego, CA  
**Acquired:** 6th Round, 2021 (San Diego St.)  
**Vitals:** 5-10, 180, 5/12/98 (26)  
**Bat/Throw** R/R  
**Multi-Hit Games (ALT):** 5  
**Multi-RBI Games (ALT):** 2

RECENT NOTEABLE PERFORMANCES		
DATE	LINE	NOTES
4/29 VS AKR	3-4, 2 RBI, 2 R	SINGLED IN 3 STRAIGHT AT-BATS AFTER ENTERING FOR JOHNSON IN 2ND INNING
5/2 VS AKR	2-4, 2-2 SB, 2 R	BUNTED HIS WAY ON IN 3RD
5/8 @ ERIE	2-4, SB, R	STARTED AT SS ON SAME DAY HIS YOUNGER BROTHER JIM PLAYED SS FOR ERIE
5/17 VS HBG	3-4, HR, 3 RBI	HIT 1ST HR OF SZN

Trending: Ranked 4th in EL in SB (12) when he was promoted to Triple-A on 5/26

- **2025:** Opened the season with Indy, went 1-for-4 with a stolen base in his lone game, was placed on Development List on 4/12... Transferred to ALT on 4/15... Picked up an RBI 1B in his first AB with Curve on 4/16 vs Somerset... Transferred to IND 5/26, played 2G and went 1-6 in 2G, placed on Development List on 6/10, transferred to ALT on 6/14

- **2024:** Spent the season shuttling between Altoona and Indianapolis... Batted .103 (9-for-99)/.194/.172 in 27G with Altoona, stole 4 bases in 5 tries... Opened the season on IL with a shoulder injury... Batted .210/.296/.355 in 30 games with Triple-A Indianapolis, 1 2B, 1 3B, 1 HR, 7 RBI, 4-6 SB... Transferred to ALT on 7/31...

- **CURVE CUTS:** Michael Robert Jarvis (Mike)... Is known as one of the fastest baserunners in the Pirates minor league system... Hit .367 with 17 doubles, five home runs, 32 RBI and 16 stolen bases in 46 games as a red-shirt senior at San Diego State in 2021... Majored in Economics... Was the first of 5 Aztecs drafted in 2021, collegiate teammate Wyatt Hendrie was Pittsburgh's 7th round selection in 2021 and shared the field with Jarvis at Greensboro in 2023... Collegiate teammate Matt Rudick was a 13th round selection by the New York Mets in 2021 and suited up against Altoona with Binghamton... Was a second-team All-Mountain West Conference selection in 2021 while leading the Mountain West in hits (79); also ranked second in runs scored (58) and stolen bases (16), fourth in total bases (117) and fifth in doubles (17)... Ranked fifth among NCAA Division I players in hits per game (1.72) in 2021...His brother, Luke, played baseball at Auburn University and was drafted by the Miami Marlins in the 25th round of the 2018 First-Year Player Draft, he played 48 games with short-season Batavia in 2018 and batted .217... His father, Chip, played football at the University of San Diego... His younger brother, Jim, played 4 years at the University of Alabama and was drafted in the 11th round of the 2023 draft by Detroit...



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#19 Mitch JebbINF/OF

<b>Hometown:</b>	Saginaw, MI	<b>RECENT NOTABLE PERFORMANCES</b>		
<b>Acquired:</b>	2nd Round, 2023 (Michigan St.)	<b>DATE</b>	<b>LINE</b>	<b>NOTES</b>
<b>Vitals:</b>	6-1, 185, 5/13/02 (22)	4/26 @ CHE	3-4, SAC BUNT	3ND 3-HIT GAME OF WEEK VS CHESAPEAKE
<b>Bat/Throw</b>	L/R	5/4 VS AKR	2-4, RBI	WALK-OFF RBI 1B TO SCORE SIANI AND SECURE 3-2 WIN + SERIES WIN 4-2 VS AKR
<b>Multi-Hit Games (ALT):</b>	14	5/15 VS HBG	3-4, 4R, BB	REACHED IN FIRST 4 PA'S - STOLE 3RD IN 5TH INNING
<b>Multi-RBI Games (ALT):</b>	2	5/16 VS HBG	3-4, 2B, 3 RBI	2ND STRAIGHT 3-HIT GAME VS HBG
<b>Trending:</b> Has a hit in each of his last 6 games (6-23), 2 RBI, 3 BB (.346)				
<p>- <b>2025:</b> Earned 3 BB on 4/16 vs Somerset, matching career-high for 7th time in career... Picked up a walk-off 1B on 5/4 vs AKR...</p> <p>- <b>2024:</b> Spent the entire season with High-A Greensboro... Picked up 25 extra base hits and stole 43 bases in 113G... Led Pirates MiLB in SB, T-18th most among all minor league players... Named to the Pirates Spring Breakout roster, where he went 0-for-2 with an RBI as the designated hitter... Batted .218 through play on June 30 before becoming one the South Atlantic League's most productive hitters, ranking fifth in batting average (.297), and OBP (.383), fourth in hits (57), tied fir first in triples (five) and first in runs scored (35) and stolen bases (27)... Hit .330/.381/.420 with 8 RBI and 12-16 SB in 23 August games...</p> <p>- <b>CURVE CUTS:</b> Mitchell Louis Jebb... Became the earliest Spartan taken in the draft since Mark Mulder went No. 2 overall in 1998 to the Oakland Athletics... Became Michigan State's first selection by the Pirates since LHP Cam Vieaux was selected in the 6th round of the 2016 draft... Signed with the Pirates for an under-slot bonus of \$1,647,500... Has spent the majority of his amateur and collegiate career as an infielder, is playing outfield on a regular basis for the first time in his career with the Curve... Is known as one of the fastest baserunners in the Pirates minor league system... Says music is one of his biggest hobbies off the field...</p>				

#2 Termarr JohnsonINF

<b>Hometown:</b>	Atlanta, GA	<b>RECENT NOTEABLE PERFORMANCES</b>		
<b>Acquired:</b>	1st Round, 2022 (Mays HS (GA))	<b>DATE</b>	<b>LINE</b>	<b>NOTES</b>
<b>Vitals:</b>	5-8, 175, 6/11/04 (20)	4/8 @ AKR	1-4, HR, 3 RBI, BB	3R HR IN 4TH HAD EXIT VELO OF 108, ESTIMATED 392 FEET
<b>Bat/Throw</b>	L/R	4/12 @ AKR	2-5, RBI	1ST MULTI-HIT GAME OF THE SEASON
<b>Multi-Hit Games (ALT):</b>	16	4/20 VS SOM	2-5, 2B	SINGLED DURING 9-RUN 7TH INNING
<b>Multi-RBI Games (ALT):</b>	3	6/1 VS POR	2-3, HR, 2 RBI, BB	SMASHED 2R HR (424 FT / 112 EXIT) IN 6TH INNING
<b>Trending:</b> Last 10G: .325/.357 OBP, hits in 8-of-10... Reached base safely in 57-of-75 G with ALT, has a hit in 41-of-61 games this year... Scored a run in 7 straight games (5/10-18)				

- **2025:** Ranked as the No. 87 prospect in baseball according to MLB Pipeline... Has not faced a pitcher younger than him in professional baseball... Opened as the youngest position player in the Eastern League at 20 years old, just two days younger than Reading's Aidan Miller the 7th-youngest player at the level... Picked up a hit in 7 straight games to begin the year, has two 7-game hit streaks this season... Played in 67 games with Altoona before turning 21 on 6/11, 3rd-most games played in Altoona's franchise history by a player younger than 21 years old (McCutchen 138, J. Tabata 83)...

- **2024:** Split the season between Greensboro and Altoona... Became the 3rd-youngest player to suit up for Altoona in team history at 20 years, 2 months and 16 days... Among PIT MiLB, ranked 4th in SB (22) and games played (124)... Entered the season as the No. 1 2B prospect in the game according to MLB Pipeline...

- **CURVE CUTS:** Termarr Johnson... Was rated as the No. 4 prospect in the 2022 MLB Draft according to MLB Pipeline and the "Best Hitter" in the draft class... Was committed to play collegiately at Arizona State... Drafted by the Pirates in the 1st round (4th overall) of the 2022 First-Year Player Draft out of Mays High School (GA)... Signed on July 29, 2022 and received a bonus of \$7,219,000... Is the youngest of four brothers, each of whom have baseball backgrounds... His brother Tervell played baseball at Georgia Tech (21-22), Arizona State (2022), and Compton (Junior) College in 2023 for the Frederick Keys in the MLB Draft League where he posted a .356/.443/.525 batting line with one homer and seven doubles in 16 games... Tervell has since played for UT-Rio Grand Valley and is slated to play the 2025 season at Seattle University... His older brother, Terrenz, composed the song Twin Time (performed under the artist name Levels) which Termarr used as his walk-up song while playing for Single-A Bradenton in 2023... His oldest brother, Tervont, played collegiately at Eastern Kentucky, Georgia State and Georgia Tech and coached for the Frederick Keys of the MLB Draft league in 2023... His mother, Kim, was a track & field athlete at Georgia Tech, running the 200-meter dash...

#13 Aaron McKeithanC

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<b>Acquired:</b>	MiLB Rule 5 2024 (STL)																					
<b>Vitals:</b>	6-1, 225, 12/13/99 (25)																					
<b>Bat/Throw</b>	R/R																					
<b>Multi-Hit Games (ALT):</b>	3																					
<b>Multi-RBI Games (ALT):</b>	1																					
<b>Trending:</b> Last 6G (6/8 - Present): 7-20 (.350), 2B, HR, RBI, BB, K																						

- **2025:** Placed on Development List on 5/1 after Akron went 9-9 SB on 4/30 with him catching... Activated on 5/16...

- **2024:** Spent the entire season at Double-A Springfield as their second catcher... Springfield won a franchise record 78 games and struck out a franchise record 1,279 batters... Caught a combined no-hitter on June 20 at Corpus Christi, the first in franchise history... Batted .264 with 5 2B, 1 3B, 1 HR, 16 RBI, .356 OBP in 55G...

- **CURVE CUTS:** Aaron McKeithan... Drafted by the St. Louis Cardinals in the 16th round (481st overall) of the 2021 First-Year Player Draft out of Charlotte... Selected by the Pirates in the minor league phase of the Rule 5 draft... Attended TC Roberson HS in Asheville, NC... Began his collegiate career at Tulane in 2019, spent one season at State College of Florida and was named 2nd Team All Conference USA in his lone season at UNC Charlotte in 2021... His college teammate at Charlotte, Nate Furman was a 4th round selection of the Cleveland Guardians in 2022 and later was traded to San Francisco in a deal for RHP Alex Cobb, Furman played 13 Eastern League Games for Akron before the trade... Has three older siblings, Joel, Tim and Lydia... His older brother, Joel McKeithan, is the Assistant Hitting Coach for the Chicago White Sox after spending four seasons on staff for the Cincinnati Reds - Joel played at Vanderbilt and NC State, began his coaching career with the Phillies in 2019 and was named the Detroit Tigers Hitting Coordinator for the 2021 season... His older brother, Tim, works for Pirates Player Development beginning in 2017, and is currently the team's Assistant Director of Hitting for a second season after five seasons as a Major League Staff Assistant... His Grandfather, Jerry Sr. played in the minor leagues for the Cardinals from 1951-58... Aaron's Great Uncle, Tim McKeithan, pitched two seasons for the Philadelphia Athletics from 1932-34... Is engaged to his fiance Erin, popped the question in the 2024-25 baseball off-season...

#15 Kervin PichardoINF

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<b>Acquired:</b>	Trade - SD (2024)																					
<b>Vitals:</b>	5-11, 195, 10/15/01 (23)																					
<b>Bat/Throw</b>	R/R																					
<b>Multi-Hit Games (ALT):</b>	5																					
<b>Multi-RBI Games (ALT):</b>	6																					
Trending: 13G in June: .209/.306/.419/.725 OPS, reached in 8-of-13 games in the calendar month																						

- **2025:** Placed on 7-Day IL with a right thumb sprain on 4/9... It was the first time in his career that he has missed time with an injury... Activated on 4/23, homered in his first at-bat off Orioles LHP Trevor Rogers... Matched his career-high with 4 hits (4-4, 2 2B, 2 RBI) on 5/10 at Erie... Scored a career-high 4 runs on 5/15 vs Harrisburg...

- **2024:** Spent the entire season with Altoona and was named the Team's Most Valuable Player... Led the club with 11 HR (tied with Tsung-Che Cheng) and 106 hits... Recorded career-highs in every major offensive category... Finished the season 5th among PIT MiLB in hits (105), was 1 of 23 players to hit at least 10 HR... Batted .252/.306/.373 with 14 2B, 2 3B, 11 HR, 49 RBI with 8-12 SB...

- **CURVE CUTS:** Kervin Francisco Pichardo... Last name pronounced peach-are-doe... Signed with the Philadelphia Phillies as a non-drafted free agent on June 24, 2019... Traded by the Philadelphia Phillies to the San Diego Padres on March 30, 2022 in exchange for RHP James Norwood... Traded by the San Diego Padres to the Pittsburgh Pirates on March 30, 2024 in exchange for LHP Jackson Wolf... Was born in the Bronx, NY and attended Monroe HS, who's alumni list includes Hall of Famer Hank Greenberg '29 (2x AL MVP)... Also played for the Long Island Tigers travel ball program... Moved to the Dominican Republic at age 15 and trained at the Mejia y Neno Baseball Academy... Has a supreme handle on the english language after growing up in the U.S... Was known for having one of the strongest infield arms in the Padres minor league system...

ALTOONA CURVE POSTION PLAYER NOTES

#7 Sammy Siani OF

Hometown:	Glenside, PA			RECENT NOTEABLE PERFORMANCES	
Acquired:	CB-A Round (2019)				
Vitals:	5-10, 195, 12/14/00 (24)	DATE	LINE	NOTES	
Bat/Throw	L/L	4/6 VS CHE	1-4, HR, 2 RBI	ACCOUNTED FOR ONLY RUNS IN 2-1 W VS CHE - GF JOANNA WAS CELEBRATING B'DAY ON SUN., 4/6	
Multi-Hit Games (ALT):	7	4/26 @ CHE	1-4, HR, 3 RBI	ROCKED 3R HR IN 3RD INNING	
Multi-RBI Games (ALT):	4	4/29 VS AKR	2-3, 2 3B, 3 RBI, BB	BASES CLEARING 3B IN 6TH INNING GAVE CURVE 9-2 LEAD AT TIME, ALSO HAD SAC BUNT	
		5/4 VS AKR	3-4, R	SCORED GAME-WINNING RUN ON JEBB WALK-OFF 1B	

Trending: Has reached base safely in 27-of-39 games this season (includes 4 rehab games)

- **2025:** Placed on 7-Day IL with a L Hamstring injury on 5/15... Returned to the field on June 9 and played 4 rehab games with the FCL (1G) and Bradenton (3G): 2-12, 2B, 2 BB, 1 K... Activated on 6/17...

- **2024:** Was named Altoona's Unsung Hero... Batted .254/.325/.368 with 13 2B, 6 3B, 5 HR, 36 RBI and 14-19 SB in 96G with Altoona... Ranked T-2nd in the Eastern League with 6 3B... Finished the season 3rd among PIT MiLB with 112 hits, was also T-6th in the organization with 16 SB... Suited up in the Arizona Fall League after the year... Batted .375 with a 1.007 OPS in 22 games in Fall League play and was named a Fall Star... Faced former high school teammate LHP Brenden Cellucci on 5/30 vs. Portland...

- **CURVE CUTS:** Samuel James "Sammy" Siani... Was committed to playing baseball at Duke before signing with the Pirates for \$2,150,000... Was ranked by both Baseball America (No. 44) and MLB.com (No. 43) as one of the top draft prospects in the 2019 draft... Was ranked as the No. 1 prospect in the state of Pennsylvania by Baseball America... His older brother Mike was drafted in the 4th round in 2018 by Cincinnati and made his major league debut with the Reds on September 22, 2022 and has since played 141 total games for the Reds and St. Louis Cardinals ... His younger brother, Jake, is an outfielder for Johns Hopkins (Division III)... All three Siani brothers are die-hard fans of the two-time Super Bowl Champion Philadelphia Eagles...

#24 Imanol Vargas INF

Hometown:	Bonao, D.R.			RECENT NOTEABLE PERFORMANCES	
Acquired:	MiLB FA (2024)				
Vitals:	6-3, 239, 6/29/98 (26)	DATE	LINE	NOTES	
Bat/Throw	L/R	4/14 @ AKR	0-1, 3 BB, R	EARNED 3 BB IN A GAME FIR 8TH TIME IN CAREER - 1ST TIME IN 130 DOUBLE-A GAMES	
Multi-Hit Games (ALT):	4	5/10 @ ERIE	2-3, 2B, BB, 2 R	REACHED IN 3-OF-4 PA'S IN 6-4 WIN AT ERIE	
Multi-RBI Games (ALT):	1	6/8 @ NH	3-5, RBI	1ST 3-HIT GAME OF SEASON	
		6/11 VS ERIE	1-4, HR, 2 RBI	KNOCKED 1ST HR OF SZN IN 10-6 WIN OVER ERIE	

Trending: Has reached base safely in 23-of-35 games played this year...

- **2025:** Assigned to Altoona to begin the season... Placed on Development List on 4/19... Activated on 5/2...

- **2024:** Spent the entire season at High-A Inland Empire in the Angels system... Led all Angels farmhands in RBI and doubles, while also ranking among leaders in extra-base hits (47, 2nd), runs (T-2nd), total bases (189, 3rd), home runs (T-4th), OPS (.827, 5th), walks (T-5th), slugging (6th), hits (7th) and average (10th)... Also led the California League in doubles and extra-base hits, while also ranking among league leaders in home runs (T-2nd), RBI (T-2nd), slugging (3rd), OPS (4th), total bases (6th), hits (7th), runs (T-7th) and walks (T-10th)... Swatted eight home runs in 22 July games, recording a .584 slugging percentage during the calendar month...

- **2023:** Spent the entire season with Double-A Tulsa in the Dodgers system... Ranked among all Dodgers farmhands in RBI (T-2nd), doubles (T-2nd), home runs (3rd), extra-base hits (51, 3rd), walks (4th), total bases (207, 4th), hits (6th) and runs (T-9th)... Also ranked among Texas League leaders in extra-base hits (2nd), doubles (T-3rd), RBI (4th), walks (4th), home runs (T-5th) and total bases (9th)...

- **CURVE CUTS:** Imanol Vargas... Spent six seasons in the Los Angeles Dodgers system after signing with them as an International Free Agent on July 2, 2017... Enters the 2025 season with a .468 career slugging percentage (116 2B, 13 3B, 87 HR, 358 RBI)...

# MISCELLANEOUS TEAM INFORMATION

## TRANSACTIONS

### April - 15 Moves

April 4	Pirates set 28-man roster
April 9	RHP <b>Alessandro Ercolani</b> activated to Altoona INF <b>Kervin Pichardo</b> placed on 7-Day IL (retro 4/8)
April 15	C <b>Shawn Ross</b> transferred from ALT to IND INF <b>Mike Jarvis</b> transferred from IND to ALT
April 17	RHP <b>Cristofer Melendez</b> placed on 7-Day IL
April 18	LHP <b>Anthony Solometo</b> placed on 7-Day IL C <b>Shawn Ross</b> transferred from IND to ALT RHP <b>J.C. Flowers</b> transferred from FCL to ALT
April 19	INF <b>Imanol Vargas</b> placed on Development List RHP <b>Fineas Del Bonta-Smith</b> transferred from FCL Pirates to ALT
April 23	C <b>Wyatt Hendrie</b> placed on Development List INF <b>Kervin Pichardo</b> activated from 7-Day IL
April 24	RHP <b>Jared Bayless</b> transferred from GBO to ALT LHP <b>Nick Dombkowski</b> transferred from ALT to IND
April 27	INF <b>Spencer Horwitz</b> begins Major League rehab

### May - 18 Moves

May 1	C <b>Wyatt Hendrie</b> reinstated from Dev. List C <b>Aaron McKeithan</b> placed on Dev. List OF <b>Jase Bowen</b> placed on 7-Day IL RHP <b>Derek Diamond</b> placed on 7-Day IL
May 2	INF <b>Imanol Vargas</b> reinstated from Dev. List
May 6	LHP <b>Hunter Barco</b> transferred from ALT to IND RHP <b>Garrett McMillan</b> transferred from GBO to ALT RHP <b>Sean Sullivan</b> reinstated from 7-Day IL INF <b>Spencer Horwitz</b> rehab transferred to IND RHP <b>Cristofer Melendez</b> moved to 60-Day IL LHP <b>Anthony Solometo</b> moved to 60-Day IL
May 8	OF <b>Sammy Siani</b> placed on 7-Day IL
May 16	C <b>Aaron McKeithan</b> reinstated from Dev. List

May 26	RHP <b>Po-Yu Chen</b> transferred from ALT to IND INF <b>Mike Jarvis</b> transferred from ALT to IND
May 27	LHP <b>Blake Townsend</b> transferred from GBO to ALT
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<b>June - 14 Moves</b>	
June 1	RHP <b>Garrett McMillan</b> placed on 7-Day IL
June 3	LHP <b>Blake Townsend</b> transferred from GBO to ALT
June 6	RHP <b>Fineas Del Bonta-Smith</b> transferred from ALT to IND RHP <b>JC Flowers</b> transferred from ALT to IND RHP <b>Beau Burrows</b> transferred from GBO to ALT C <b>Shawn Ross</b> transferred from ALT to IND
June 8	RHP <b>Cam Sanders</b> transferred from ALT to IND
June 10	RHP <b>Sean Sullivan</b> transferred from ALT to IND RHP <b>Fineas Del Bonta-Smith</b> transferred from IND to ALT
June 14	INF <b>Jack Brannigan</b> placed on 7-Day IL INF <b>Mike Jarvis</b> transferred from IND to ALT
June 17	OF <b>Sammy Siani</b> activated from 7-Day IL LHP <b>Tyler Samaniego</b> returned from rehab, transferred from ALT to GBO
June 19	OF <b>Jase Bowen</b> activated from 7-Day IL

## UNIVERSITY ORTHOPEDICS INJURY REPORT

Player	Injury	Placed (Retro)	Reinstated
Carlson Reed	Back	April 4	--
Dominic Perachi	Oblique	April 4	--
Tyler Samaniego	Elbow	April 4	June 17
Sean Sullivan	Shoulder	April 4	May 6
Kervin Pichardo	Thumb	April 9 (April 8)	April 23
Cristofer Melendez	R. Elbow	April 17 (April 16)	--
Anthony Solometo	L. Shoulder	April 18 (April 16)	--
Jase Bowen	L. Hand	May 2	June 19
Derek Diamond	Shoulder	May 2	--

Player	Injury	Placed (Retro)	Reinstated
Sammy Siani	Hamstring	May 16 (May 15)	June 17
Garrett McMillan	Elbow	June 1 (May 31)	--
Jack Brannigan	Shoulder	June 14	--

## ALTOONA CURVE COACHING STAFF

**Andy Fox**  
Manager (1st Season)  
Career Record: 45-94

Andy Fox is the 16th manager in Curve history. Fox's coaching career has seen him serve in several roles, including time with the Rangers, Mariners, Marlins, and Red Sox. He spent the last 14 years in Boston's system, serving as the team's infield coordinator and first base coach. Prior to his time in Boston, Fox served as a first base coach for the Marlins and managed the Rangers Single-A Clinton team in 2006. Fox was drafted in the 2nd round of the 1989 Draft by the Yankees and won two World Series in his nine-year Major League career with New York (1996) and the Florida Marlins (2003) as an infielder.

**Matt Ford**  
Pitching Coach  
1st season/12th overall

Ford joins the Curve in 2025 after serving as the Pitching Coach for Low-A Bradenton in 2024. This is his 12th season serving as an instructor in the Pirates system, previously serving in the FCL (2022), Greensboro (2021), as the team's Rehab Pitching Coordinator (2019-20), Bradenton (2017-18), both West Virginia clubs (2015-2016) as well as with Bristol (2014). Ford was Toronto's third round pick in 1999 and made his Major League debut with the Brewers in 2003. He pitched in 25 games and made four starts in his lone Major League season. He began his coaching career at the University of Akron in 2012.

**Scott Seabol**  
Hitting Coach  
1st season/10th overall

Seabol comes to Altoona after spending the 2024 season as the Hitting Coach in Bradenton. This is his second season as a Pirates minor league instructor. He joined the Pirates after four seasons as a hitting instructor in the Miami Marlins system (2020-2023) and the New York Yankees (2016-2019). Seabol was drafted by the Yankees in 1996 out of West Virginia University and played 60 Major League games with New York (2001) and the St. Louis Cardinals (2005). His 14-year playing career wrapped up in 2009 after a season in Korea and two seasons in Japan. He is a native of McKeesport, PA.

**Casey Harms**  
Hitting Coach  
1st season/11th overall

Harms begins his fifth season as a Pirates instructor in 2025 and joins Altoona after serving as Greensboro's Bench Coach in 2024. Harms joined the Pirates in 2021 as the Hitting Coach in the FCL. He played outfield at Division III Occidental College in Los Angeles and went on to coach in the collegiate ranks at UC Santa Barbara (2013-2018) and Santa Barbara City College (2019-2021). He also spent two seasons as the Manager for the Waterloo Bucks in the Northwoods League (2019-20) and led the team to a 28-13 record and a league championship in 2020.

**Gary Green**  
Bench Coach  
4th season/20th overall

Green returns for a fourth season in Altoona and his 20th season as a minor league instructor with the Pirates. He has previously served as the Bench Coach in Indianapolis (2022) as well as the Minor League Infield Coordinator/Roving Field Instructor for the Pirates (2011-2021). A Pittsburgh native, Green's father, Fred, won a World Series with the Pirates in 1960. Green spent 11 seasons managing in the Tigers minor league system (99-10). A former Major League infielder for parts of five seasons, Green was drafted 27th overall by the Padres in 1984 and played on Team USA in the 1984 Olympic Games.

## PIRATES ORGANIZATIONAL REPORT



### MLB/PIITSBURGH

**Record/Place:** 30-47/5th NL Central  
**Yesterday:** 6-2 L vs Texas

**Today:** vs Texas at 4:05 p.m. - RHP Mitch Keller  
**Notes:**

- **Joey Bart** went 3-for-4 with an RBI last night in a 6-2 loss to Texas.
- **Nick Gonzales** had two hits in the defeat.
- **Mike Burrows** allowed four runs on seven hits in 4.2 innings with a walk and four strikeouts to take the loss.
- **Braxton Ashcraft** tossed two innings of relief, allowing one run on four hits in two innings.



### AAA/INDIANAPOLIS

**Record/Place:** 42-30 /2nd IL West  
**Yesterday:** 4-2 L @ Columbus

**Today:** @ Columbus at 7:05 p.m. - TBD  
**Notes:**

- **Liover Peguero**, **Malcom Nunez**, and **Darick Hall** each had two hits in a 4-2 loss for Indianapolis at Columbus last night.
- **Thomas Harrington** allowed four runs on four hits in 5.1 innings with two walks and six Ks.
- **Kyle Nicolas** tossed a scoreless inning in relief.



### HIGH-A/GREENSBORO

**Record/Place:** 0-1, 45-21 /T-3rd SAL North  
**Yesterday:** 3-2 L @ Greenville

**Today:** @ Greenville at 6:45 p.m. - RHP Antwone Kelly  
**Notes:**

- **Javier Rivas** went 3-for-4 in a 3-2 loss for Greensboro at Greenville last night.
- **Shalin Polanco** had two hits in the defeat.
- **Hung-Leng Chang** allowed two runs on five hits in six innings with a walk and four strikeouts in the no-decision.
- **Julian Bosnic** took the loss, allowing one run in one inning of relief with a strikeout.



### LOW-A/BRADENTON

**Record/Place:** 1-0, 31-36 /T-1st FSL West  
**Yesterday:** 6-5 W vs Tampa

**Today:** vs Tampa at 6:30 p.m. - TBD  
**Notes:**

- **Ji-Hwan Bae** went 2-for-4 with a double and two RBI in a rehab start last night as Bradenton beat Tampa 6-5.
- **Wyatt Sanford** went 2-for-3 with two runs scored in the win.
- **Clevari Tejada** tossed five scoreless innings allowing one hit with two walks and five strikeouts.
- **Noah Takacs** tossed a scoreless inning of relief to earn his fifth save.



# MISCELLANEOUS STATS

## 2025 STARTS BY POSITION

Player	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH
Bowen	--	--	--	--	--	4	7	8	--
Brannigan	--	--	--	14	41	--	--	--	4
Cimillo	--	34	--	--	--	--	--	--	20
Dixon	--	19	--	19	--	--	--	--	6
Escotto	--	--	1	--	6	6	--	2	--
Gonzalez	--	--	--	--	--	18	--	20	5
Head	--	--	--	--	--	5	4	15	3
Hendrie	18	--	--	--	--	4	--	--	1
Horwitz	--	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	1
Jarvis	--	--	1	6	6	6	6	2	--
Jebb	--	--	14	--	--	--	41	--	6
Johnson	--	--	50	--	--	--	--	--	10
McKeithan	21	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1
Pichardo	--	--	--	25	12	--	--	--	2
Ross	27	--	--	2	1	--	--	--	--
Siani	--	--	--	--	--	7	8	19	--
Vargas	--	9	--	--	--	16	--	--	7

## 2025 STARTS BY BATTING ORDER

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
Bowen	--	4	1	--	1	3	6	1	3
Brannigan	--	1	7	44	5	2	--	--	--
Cimillo	--	--	3	13	27	6	5	--	--
Dixon	--	--	--	4	1	5	14	8	12
Escotto	1	8	--	--	--	3	--	--	3
Gonzalez	--	--	--	--	6	14	11	10	2
Head	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	13	12
Hendrie	--	--	--	--	--	1	3	10	9
Horwitz	2	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Jarvis	1	7	--	--	1	5	5	4	4
Jebb	37	17	--	--	--	1	3	1	2
Johnson	25	7	28	--	--	--	--	--	--
McKeithan	--	--	--	--	--	2	9	11	--
Pichardo	--	17	--	2	9	5	2	1	3
Ross	--	--	--	2	3	7	7	8	3
Siani	--	2	26	--	4	2	--	--	--
Vargas	--	--	1	1	9	12	6	1	2

## OUTFIELD ASSISTS

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Player	Total	Last Assist
Maikol Escotto	3	6/19 vs RIC
Wyatt Hendrie	1	5/29 vs POR G2
Mike Jarvis	1	6/14 vs ERI
Sammy Siani	3	5/11 @ ERI
Imanol Vargas	1	5/16 vs HBG

## THE LAST TIME...

Altoona scored 10 or more runs (game)..... 10, 6/12/25 vs Erie  
 Altoona scored 10 or more runs (inning).....10, 8/7/10 at Harrisburg  
 Altoona scored 15 or more runs (game)..... 19\*, 5/22/22 vs Richmond  
 Opponent scored 10 or more runs (game)..... 10, 5/24/25 at Akron  
 Opponent scored 10 or more runs (inning) ..... 10, 6th inning, 8/10/24 at Portland  
 Opponent scored 15 or more runs (game).....15, 6/24/23 vs Bowie

Altoona collected 15+ hits in a game ..... 17, 6/8/25 at New Hampshire  
 Altoona collected 20+ hits in a game.....20, 8/24/21 vs. Richmond  
 Opponent collected 15+ hits in a game ..... 16, 4/13/25 at Akron  
 Opponent collected 20+ hits in a game ..... 20, 9/3/18 at Bowie

Altoona hits an inside-the-park HR..... Carter Bins 4/23/22 vs. New Hampshire  
 Altoona hits a walk-off HR..... Matt Fraizer, 3-run home run, 8/30/24 vs. New Hampshire  
 Altoona hits a pinch-hit HR..... Shawn Ross, Grand Slam, 4/20/25 vs. Somerset  
 Altoona hits a grand slam ..... Nick Cimillo, 5/31/25 vs. Portland  
 Altoona hits back-to-back HRs..... Jase Bowen/Eli Wilson, 9/15/24 vs Richmond  
 Altoona hits HRs from both sides of plate..... Endy Rodriguez, 9/1/22 vs Akron  
 Altoona hits leadoff HR to start game ..... Tsung-Che Cheng, 6/6/24 at Richmond  
 Altoona pitcher hits a HR..... Beau Sulser, 5/14/19 at Binghamton (2)  
 Altoona hits Multi-HR.....Dustin Peterson (2), 6/9/24 at Richmond

Opponent hits an inside-the-park HR ..... Daniel Cabrera / Eric De La Rosa, 9/10/21 vs. Erie  
 Opponent hits a walk-off HR.....Jake Holton, Two-Run HR in 12th, 5/7/25 at Erie  
 Opponent hits a pinch-hit HR.....Art Charles, 6/11/15 at Reading  
 Opponent hits a grand slam..... Cayden Wallace, 5/18/25 vs. Harrisburg  
 Opponent hits back-to-back HRs ..... Alex Binelas/Phillip Sikes, 8/10/24 at Portland  
 Opponent hits leadoff HR to start game ..... Travis Bazzana, 4/29/25 vs. Akron  
 Opponent hits Multi-HR.....Caden Rose (2), 5/29/25 vs. Portland (1)

Altoona batter hits for the cycle ..... 4/9/13, Andrew Lambo at Akron  
 Altoona batter records 5+ hits in a game.....5, 16x, last - Cal Mitchell, 8/24/21 vs. Richmond  
 Altoona batter has 5+ RBI in a game..... 5, Nick Cimillo, 5/31/25 vs. Portland

Opponent batter hits for the cycle..... Lou Montanez, 8/1/08 vs. Bowie  
 Opponent batter records 5+ hits in a game ..... Juan Perez, 4/20/12 vs. Richmond  
 Opponent batter has 5+ RBI in a game.....5, Juan Brito, 8/27/23 vs Akron

Altoona threw a no-hitter (9 IP) (one pitcher) ..... N/A  
 Altoona threw a no-hitter (9 IP) (combined).....  
 ..... E. Hollingsworth/J. Townsend/J. Ramos/R. Beckman, 7/25/13 at New Hampshire  
 Altoona threw a no-hitter (7 IP) (combined)..... N/A

Opponent threw a no-hitter (9 IP) ..... Casey Mize, 4/29/19 vs. Erie  
 Opponent threw a no hitter (9 IP) (combined).....  
 ..... C. McDermott, N. Hoffman, E. Lucas 5/19/23 at Bowie  
 Opponent threw a no-hitter (7 IP) ..... Rafael Sanchez, 6/7/25 at New Hampshire (1)  
 Opponent threw a no-hitter (7 IP) (combined) .....  
 .....C. James/C. Kimball/Z. Zinicola, 6/10/10 vs. Harrisburg (2)

Altoona threw a complete-game shutout (9 IP) ..... Domingo Robles, 8/26/19 vs. Akron  
 Altoona threw a complete-game shutout (7 IP) ..... Domingo Robles, 6/8/19 vs. Akron (1)  
 Altoona threw back-to-back shutouts (team) ..... 7/3/24 - 7/4/24 vs. Harrisburg

Opponent threw a complete-game shutout (9 IP).....Casey Mize, 4/29/19 vs. Erie  
 Opponent threw a complete-game shutout (7 IP) ..... David Sandlin, 5/29/25 vs. Portland (1)  
 Opponent threw back-to-back shutouts (team).... 6/3, 6/4, 6/5, 6/7/25 (1) at New Hampshire

Altoona wins in last at bat.....Brenden Dixon 2-Run HR, 8th inning, 5/31/25 vs Portland (2)  
 Opponent wins in last at bat ..... Trei Cruz RBI -1B, 9th inning, 5/8/25 at Erie

Altoona swept doubleheader ..... 6/21/23 vs. Bowie  
 Opponent swept doubleheader ..... 6/20/25 vs. Richmond

Altoona pitcher strikes out:  
 10..... Wilber Dotel, 5/4/25 vs Akron  
 11 ..... Thomas Harrington, 7/10/24 vs Bowie  
 12+ ..... 12, Braxton Ashcraft, 6/6/24 at Richmond

Opponent pitcher strikes out:  
 10 ..... Parker Messick, 6/29/24 vs Akron  
 11 ..... Alex Pham, 4/22/25 vs Chesapeake  
 12+ ..... 12, Cade Cavalli, 7/30/21 vs. Harrisburg

Altoona turns a triple play ..... Charles McAdoo/Kervin Pichardo/Nick Cimillo (5-4-3), 7/24/24 at Erie  
 Opponent turns a triple play ..... Kellin Deglan/Kyle Holder (2-6), 7/15/19 vs. Trenton

\* - Franchise Record

\*\* - Tied Franchise Record

## 2025 GAME-BY-GAME

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT	REC	PLACE	G (+/-)	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	TIME	GT	TEMP	ATT.
4/4	Chesapeake	3-2 L	0-1	T-4th (-1.0)		Daniel Lloyd (1-0)	Cy Nielson (0-1)	Keegan Gillies (1)	2:58		63, Over.	4,617
4/5	Chesapeake	2-0 L	0-2	T-4th (-2.0)		Peter Van Loon (1-0)	Derek Diamond (0-1)	Dylan Heid (1)	2:20		60, Over.	3,664
4/6	Chesapeake	2-1 W	1-2	T-4th (-2.0)		Anthony Solometo (1-0)	Trace Bright (0-1)	Cam Sanders (1)	2:24		50, Over.	3,120
4/8	@ Akron	6-5 L	1-3	T-4th (-3.0)		Davis Sharpe (1-0)	Jaden Woods (0-1)	Zane Morehouse (2)	2:49		36, P.C.	3,579
4/9	@ Akron	13-1 L	1-4	T-4th (-4.0)		Jake Miller (1-0)	A. Ercolani (0-1)	--	3:06		47, Over.	1,250
4/10	@ Akron	2-0 W	2-4	4th (-3.0)		Valentin Linarez (1-0)	Tommy Mace (1-1)	Cam Sanders (2)	2:35		45, Over.	1,292
4/11	@ Akron	8-1 W	3-4	4th (-2.0)		Jaden Woods (1-1)	Zach Jacobs (0-1)	N. Dombkowski (1)	2:59		41, Over.	1,980
4/12	@ Akron	4-3 L	3-5	T-4th (-3.0)		Trenton Denholm (1-0)	E. Chapman (0-1)	--	2:29		49, P.C.	1,679
4/13	@ Akron	13-1 L	3-6	5th (-4.0)		Magnus Ellerts (1-0)	Po-Yu Chen (0-1)	--	3:20		54, Sunny	3,027
4/15	Somerset	6-1 L	3-7	5th (-4.0)		Brendan Beck (1-0)	A. Ercolani (0-2)	Kelly Austin (2)	2:22		44, Over.	2,436
4/16	Somerset	10-1 W	4-7	5th (-4.0)		Hunter Barco (1-0)	Bailey Dees (0-1)	--	2:38		44, P.C.	2,587
4/17	Somerset	6-4 W	5-7	5th (-3.0)		Jaden Woods (2-1)	Cam Schlittler (1-1)	Cam Sanders (3)	2:41		66, Clear	3,121
4/18	Somerset	12-1 L	5-8	5th (-4.0)		Luis Pacheco (1-0)	Derek Diamond (0-2)	--	2:45		82, Clear	3,707
4/19	Somerset	2-1 W	6-8	T-4th (-3.0)		Cy Nielson (1-1)	Harrison Cohen (0-1)	Cam Sanders (4)	2:01		86, P.C.	4,198
4/20	Somerset	9-3 W	7-8	T-4th (-3.0)		Valentin Linarez (2-0)	Ryan Anderson (0-1)	--	2:31		66, Sunny	3,110
4/22	@ Chesapeake	2-0 W	8-8	4th (-3.0)		Valentin Linarez (3-0)	Alex Pham (0-1)	Cam Sanders (5)	2:25		79, P.C.	1,061
4/23	@ Chesapeake	3-2 W	9-8	T-3rd (-3.0)		Jaden Woods (3-1)	Peter Van Loon (1-1)	Justin Meis (1)	2:46		65, Sunny	4,173
4/24	@ Chesapeake	8-5 W	10-8	3rd (-2.0)		Emmanuel Chapman (1-1)	Trace Bright (1-3)	Cam Sanders (6)	3:05		73, Clear	2,173
4/25	@ Chesapeake	3-2 L	10-9	T-3rd (-3.0)		Keegan Gillies (2-0)	Valentin Linarez (3-1)	--	2:44		71, Cloudy	7,847
4/26	@ Chesapeake	4-3 L (12)	10-10	4th (-4.0)		Yaqui Rivera (1-0)	Jaden Woods (3-2)	--	3:14		71, P.C.	8,061
4/27	@ Chesapeake	4-1 W	11-10	T-3rd (-3.0)		Emmanuel Chapman (2-1)	Chayce McDermott (0-1)	Cam Sanders (7)	2:50		69, Sunny	4,388
4/29	Akron	10-2 W	12-10	3rd (-3.0)		Valentin Linarez (4-1)	Shawn Rapp (0-2)	--	2:46 (1:48)		86, P.C. & Rain	2,667
4/30	Akron	6-0 L	12-11	3rd (-3.0)		Aaron Davenport (1-0)	Jarod Bayless (0-1)	--	2:54		74, Clear	2,924
Curve in April: 12-11, Team BA: .219 (T-8th), Team ERA 3.91 (7th)												
5/1	Akron	4-2 L	12-12	3rd (-4.0)		Rorik Maltrud (1-1)	Po-Yu Chen (0-2)	Jake Miller (1)	2:25		71, Sunny	4,065
5/2	Akron	6-2 W (6)	13-12	3rd (-3.0)		Jaden Woods (4-2)	Rodney Boone (0-1)	Valentin Linarez (1)	2:12 (1:15)		82, P.C. & Rain	4,439
5/3	Akron	5-3 L	13-13	T-3rd (-4.0)		Tommy Mace (4-2)	Cy Nielson (1-2)	Davis Sharpe (1)	2:40		71, Cloudy	3,278
5/4	Akron	3-2 W	14-13	3rd (-3.0)		Cam Sanders (1-0)	Ross Carver (1-1)	--	2:37		68, Cloudy	3,592
5/6	@ Erie	3-0 L	14-14	T-3rd (-4.0)		Jaden Hamm (1-2)	Jarod Bayless (0-2)	Dylan Smith (1)	2:23 (0:55)		56, P.C. & Rain	878
5/7	@ Erie	6-4 L (12)	14-15	5th (-5.0)		Drew Sommers (1-0)	Justin Meis (0-1)	--	3:24		58, P.C.	3,391
5/8	@ Erie	4-3 L	14-16	5th (-6.0)		Yosber Sanchez (1-1)	F. Del Bonta-Smith (0-1)	--	2:48		51, Cloudy	1,607
5/9	@ Erie	7-0 L	14-17	5th (-7.0)		Austin Bergner (3-2)	Valentin Linarez (4-2)	--	2:16 (0:13)		56, Clear	1,513
5/10	@ Erie	6-4 W	15-17	5th (-6.0)		Wilber Dotel (1-0)	J. Montalvo (2-1)	Cam Sanders (8)	2:40		64, P.C.	2,625
5/11	@ Erie	3-2 W	16-17	5th (-5.0)		Emmanuel Chapman (3-1)	Troy Melton (1-1)	Justin Meis (2)	2:38		58, Sunny	2,027
5/13	Harrisburg	PPD (Rain)		--		Doubleheader on 5/14--						
5/14	Harrisburg G1	8-0 W (7)	17-17	T-4th (-5.0)		Alessandro Ercolani (1-2)	Dustin Saenz (2-4)	--	2:04		62, Over.	--
5/14	Harrisburg G2	6-4 L (7)	17-18	4th (-6.0)		Kyle Luckham (3-2)	Po-Yu Chen (0-3)	Michael Cuevas (5)	2:13		64, Over.	8,273
5/15	Harrisburg	9-4 W	18-18	T-3rd (-6.0)		Garrett McMillan (1-0)	Miguel Gomez (0-1)	--	2:41		78, P.C.	2,597
5/16	Harrisburg	5-4 W	19-18	3rd (-5.0)		Wilken Ramos (1-0)	Bryce Conley (0-1)	Cam Sanders (9)	2:34		75, Over.	3,863
5/17	Harrisburg	8-4 W	20-18	3rd (-5.0)		F. Del Bonta Smith (1-1)	Hyun-il Choi (2-1)	--	2:25		69, Drizzle	4,737
5/18	Harrisburg	6-4 L	20-19	3rd (-5.0)		Garrett Davila (3-2)	Jarod Bayless (0-3)	Michael Cuevas (6)	2:27		67, Over.	4,224
5/20	@ Akron	3-1 L	20-20	3rd (-6.0)		Rodney Boone (2-1)	Po-Yu Chen (0-4)	Zane Morehouse (4)	2:28		57, Over.	8,128
5/21	@ Akron	PPD (Rain)		--		Doubleheader on 5/23--						
5/22	@ Akron	PPD (Rain)		--		Doubleheader on 5/25--						
5/23	@ Akron G1	6-3 L (7)	20-21	4th (-7.5)		Jake Miller (3-0)	A. Ercolani (1-3)	--	1:56 (0:36)		56, P.C.	--
5/23	@ Akron G2	5-0 L (7)	20-22	4th (-8.5)		Carter Spivey (2-0)	Garrett McMillan (1-1)	Zach Jacobs (1)	1:52		53, P.C.	5,128
5/24	@ Akron	10-0 L	20-23	4th (-9.5)		Austin Peterson (3-2)	Wilber Dotel (1-1)	Davis Sharpe (3)	2:30		60, P.C.	4,442
5/25	@ Akron G1	1-0 W (7)	21-23	4th (-8.5)		Emmanuel Chapman (4-1)	Shawn Rapp (0-3)	Wilken Ramos (1)	2:01		65, P.C.	--
5/25	@ Akron G2	5-4 L (7)	21-24	4th (-9.0)		Magnus Ellerts (2-0)	J.C. Flowers (0-1)	Zane Morehouse (5)	2:07		64, P.C.	5,088
5/27	Portland	4-2 W	22-24	4th (-9.0)		Blake Townsend (1-0)	Blake Wehunt (1-5)	--	2:13		57, Rain	3,166
5/28	Portland	PPD (Rain)		--		Doubleheader on 5/29--						
5/29	Portland G1	3-0 L (7)	22-25	4th (-9.5)		David Sandlin (3-1)	A. Ercolani (1-4)	--	1:30		75, P.C.	--
5/29	Portland G2	9-6 L (7)	22-26	T-4th (-10.0)		Reidis Sena (4-1)	Wilken Ramos (1-1)	Yovanny Cruz (2)	2:18		73, P.C.	3,733
5/30	Portland (Fin. 5/31)	9-3 L	22-27	T-4th (-11.0)		Jack Anderson (2-3)	Sean Sullivan (0-1)	--	2:23 (0:37)		65, Rain	3,802
5/31	Portland G2	9-7 W (8)	23-27	T-4th (-11.0)		Cam Sanders (2-0)	Zach Bryant (1-2)	--	2:30		51, Cloudy	3,811
Curve in May: 11-16, Team BA: .218 (9th), Team ERA 4.47 (10th)												
6/1	Portland	7-5 W	24-27	T-3rd (-10.0)		Wilken Ramos (2-1)	Yovanny Cruz (0-1)	--	2:31		64, P.C.	4,130
6/3	@ New Hampshire	4-0 L	24-28	4th (-11.0)		Ryan Watson (4-2)	A. Ercolani (1-5)	Hunter Gregory (4)	2:24		76, Clear	5,055
6/4	@ New Hampshire	3-0 L	24-29	5th (-12.0)		Devereaux Harrison (4-5)	Jarod Bayless (0-4)	Conor Larkin (3)	2:10		84, Clear	2,222
6/5	@ New Hampshire	2-0 L	24-30	5th (-13.0)		Juanon Watts-Brown (1-1)	Wilber Dotel (1-2)	Alex Amalfi (3)	2:12		92, Clear	2,170
6/6	@ New Hampshire	PPD (Rain)		--		Doubleheader on 6/7--						
6/7	@ New Hampshire G1	4-0 L (7)	24-31	5th (-13.5)		Rafaël Sanchez (2-3)	Po-Yu Chen (0-5)	--	1:40 (2:42)		66, Rain	--
6/7	@ New Hampshire G2	5-2 L (7)	24-32	5th (14.0)		Grant Rogers (1-1)	Jaden Woods (4-3)	Grayson Thurman (1)	1:45		63, Clear	3,569
6/8	@ New Hampshire	11-5 W	25-32	5th (-13.0)		Sean Sullivan (1-1)	Ryan Watson (4-3)	--	2:55		73, P.C.	4,345
6/10	Erie	3-0 L	25-33	5th (-14.0)		Austin Bergner (4-2)	Blake Townsend (1-1)	Richard Guasch (1)	2:14		78, P.C.	3,525
6/11	Erie	5-2 L	25-34	5th (-15.0)		Kenny Serwa (2-0)	Wilber Dotel (1-3)	Matt Seelinger (1)	2:26		86, Clear	3,122
6/12	Erie	10-6 W	26-34	5th (-14.0)		Emmanuel Chapman (5-1)	Tim Naughton (2-1)	--	2:46		89, Clear	5,679
6/13	Erie	4-1 W	27-34	5th (-13.0)		Justin Meis (1-1)	Carlos Pena (3-4)	Beau Burrows (1)	2:38		75, Over.	3,181
6/14	Erie	7-2 L	27-35	5th (-14.0)		Garrett Burhenn (7-1)	A. Ercolani (1-6)	--	2:34 (1:57)		68, Over.	4,536
6/15	Erie	7-1 W	28-35	5th (-13.0)		Cy Nielson (2-2)	Austin Bergner (4-3)	--	2:17		66, Cloudy	5,372
6/17	Richmond	PPD (Rain)		--		Doubleheader on 6/19--						
6/18	Richmond	2-1 W	29-35	5th (-13.5)		Wilber Dotel (2-3)	Manuel Mercedes (3-7)	Wilken Ramos (2)	2:17 (1:34)		86, P.C.	3,520
6/19	Richmond G1	2-1 SUSP		--		Resumed on 6/20*--						
6/19	Richmond G2	CNCL (Rain)		--		Game from 6/17 Canceled--						
6/20	Richmond G1*	2-1 L (7)	29-36	5th (-14.0)		Nick Sinacola (1-2)	Jarod Bayless (0-5)	Evan Gates (3)	1:49 (3:04)		84, Rain	3,254
6/20	Richmond G2	7-4 L (7)	29-37	5th (-14.5)		Michael Stryfeler (1-1)	Po-Yu Chen (0-6)	Tyler Myrick (4)	2:14 (1:14)		73, Over.	4,570
6/21	Richmond	6:30 PM										
6/22	Richmond	1:00 PM										
End of the First Half: 0-0, Team BA: .000 (T-1st), Team ERA 0.00 (T-1st)												
6/24	@ Chesapeake	6:35 PM										
6/25	@ Chesapeake	6:35 PM										
6/26	@ Chesapeake	6:35 PM										
6/27	@ Chesapeake	7:05 PM										
6/28	@ Chesapeake	6:35 PM										
6/29	@ Chesapeake	1:05 PM										
Curve in June: 0-0, Team BA: .000 (T-1st), Team ERA 0.00 (T-1st)												
7/1	Harrisburg	6:00 PM										
7/2	Harrisburg	6:00 PM										
7/3	Harrisburg	7:00 PM										
7/4	@ Harrisburg	7:00 PM										
7/5	@ Harrisburg	6:00 PM										
7/6	@ Harrisburg	1:00 PM										
7/8	@ Binghamton	6:07 PM										
7/9	@ Binghamton	6:07 PM										
7/10	@ Binghamton	6:07 PM										
7/11	@ Binghamton	7:05 PM										
7/12	@ Binghamton	6:07 PM										

# 2025 GAME-BY-GAME

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT	REC	PLACE	G (+/-)	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	TIME	GT TEMP	ATT.
7/13	@ Binghamton	1:05 PM									
In-Season All-Star Break July 14-17											
7/18	Akron	6:30 PM									
7/19	Akron	6:00 PM									
7/20	Akron	6:00 PM									
7/22	Chesapeake	6:30 PM									
7/23	Chesapeake	12:05 PM									
7/24	Chesapeake	6:00 PM									
7/25	Chesapeake	6:00 PM									
7/26	Chesapeake	6:30 PM									
7/27	Chesapeake	1:00 PM									
7/29	@ Portland	6:00 PM									
7/30	@ Portland	6:00 PM									
7/31	@ Portland	12:05 PM									
Curve in July: 0-0, Team BA: .000 (T-1st), Team ERA 0.00 (T-1st)											
8/1	@ Portland	6:00 PM									
8/2	@ Portland	6:00 PM									
8/3	@ Portland	1:00 PM									
8/5	Hartford	6:30 PM									
8/6	Hartford	6:00 PM									
8/7	Hartford	6:00 PM									
8/8	Hartford	6:00 PM									
8/9	Hartford	6:30 PM									
8/10	Hartford	1:00 PM									
8/12	@ Richmond	6:35 PM									
8/13	@ Richmond	6:35 PM									
8/14	@ Richmond	6:35 PM									
8/15	@ Richmond	6:35 PM									
8/16	@ Richmond	6:05 PM									
8/17	@ Richmond	5:05 PM									
8/19	Reading	6:00 PM									
8/20	Reading	6:00 PM									
8/21	Reading	6:00 PM									
8/22	Reading	6:00 PM									
8/23	Reading	6:00 PM									
8/24	Reading	6:00 PM									
8/26	@ Harrisburg	6:30 PM									
8/27	@ Harrisburg	6:30 PM									
8/28	@ Harrisburg	6:30 PM									
8/29	@ Harrisburg	7:00 PM									
8/30	@ Harrisburg	6:00 PM									
8/31	@ Harrisburg	1:00 PM									
Curve in August: 0-0, Team BA: .000 (T-1st), Team ERA 0.00 (T-1st)											
9/2	Richmond	6:00 PM									
9/3	Richmond	6:00 PM									
9/4	Richmond	6:00 PM									
9/5	Richmond	6:00 PM									
9/6	Richmond	6:00 PM									
9/7	Richmond	1:00 PM									
9/9	@ Erie	6:05 PM									
9/10	@ Erie	6:05 PM									
9/11	@ Erie	6:05 PM									
9/12	@ Erie	6:05 PM									
9/13	@ Erie	6:05 PM									
9/14	@ Erie	1:35 PM									
Curve in September: 0-0, Team BA: .000 (T-1st), Team ERA 0.00 (T-1st)											

## 2025 ALTERNATE IDENTITIES

### LOS PECES DORADOS



BACK in 2025 is the return of our Copa de la Diversión brand, Los Peces Dorados! "Copa de la Diversión™" or "Fun Cup™" is a season-long event series specifically designed to embrace the culture and values that resonate most with Minor League Baseball™ teams' local U.S. Hispanic communities. When deciding on an Altoona Curve Copa de la Diversión identity, "Peces Dorados" made the biggest splash. Translating to "Gold Fish," this rebranded identity pays homage to a fan-favorite mascot in Curve, PA, Al Tuna. Los Peces Dorados will suit up for six home dates in 2025 with our players wearing specialty uniforms as we acknowledge the rich history of Hispanic culture in baseball! The six Tuesday dates include April 15, May 13, June 10, July 1, August 19, and September 2.

### ALL HAIL THE RAIL KINGS



The Altoona Rail Kings were a former independent baseball team who played at Veterans Field in Altoona for two seasons from 1996-1997. The team participated in the North Atlantic League in 1996, finishing 36-42, and in the Heartland League in 1997, making the playoffs with an even 36-36 record. The Rail Kings relocated to Huntington, West Virginia when Altoona was awarded the Pirates Double-A affiliate in 1998. We have recreated the brand for the first time with fresh white uniforms and green caps that resemble their original look. The Rail Kings will be in action every Thursday at PNG Field this season!