

# **Dragons GameDay**

Saturday, July 29, 2023 ● Game # 29 (95) Dow Diamond ● Midland, Mich. ● 7:05 p.m. Radio: Fox Sports 980 WONE

# Dayton Dragons (15-13, 48-46) at Great Lakes Loons (15-13, 60-33)

RH Chase Petty (0-1, 1.74) vs. LH Jason Wrobleski (4-4, 3.22)

Today's Game: The Dayton Dragons (affiliate of the Cincinnati Reds) meet the Great Lakes Loons (affiliate of the Los Angeles Dodgers) in the fifth game of a six-game series.

Last Game: <u>Friday</u>: Great Lakes 7, Dayton 6. In arguably the most unusual game of the season, Great Lakes worked out of a ninth inning basesloaded jam to hold off a Dragons comeback effort and snap Dayton's six-game winning streak. Dayton starting pitcher Hunter Parks was ejected after throwing one pitch, hitting Great Lakes lead-off man Taylor Young, also leading to the ejection of Dragons manager Bryan LaHair, and forcing the Dragons to essentially rely on their bullpen for the complete game (Great Lakes later had a player ejected as well). Still, the Dragons led 5-2 in the fourth after a three-run home run by Jack Rogers, but Great Lakes scored five in the bottom of the fourth to take a 7-5 lead. The Dragons scored one in the ninth and had the bases loaded with one out but could not deliver the big hit. Dragons outfielder Jay Allen II left the game in the fifth after an apparent medical issue that lasted several minutes. He eventually was able to walk off the field with assistance from two teammates.

#### Current Series (July 25-30 at Great Lakes): Dayton is 3-1 in the series.

Dayton team statistics in the series: .220 batting average; 5.8 runs/game; 6 home runs; 5 stolen bases; 4.11 ERA; 2 errors. **Season Series with Great Lakes**: Dayton is 7-9, winning five of the last six after losing eight of the first 10 against the Loons.

#### Last Series (July 18-23 vs. Wisconsin): Dayton went 3-3 in the series.

Dayton team statistics in the series: .266 batting average; 5.0 runs/game; 7 home runs; 11 stolen bases; 5.67 ERA; 5 errors.

#### Team Notes

- The Dragons had a six-game winning streak snapped last night. During the winning streak, Dragons pitchers allowed just 25 hits, an average of 4.2 per game.
- The Dragons are tied for second place, two games behind Fort Wayne. To reach the playoffs, the Dragons must win the division title in the second half (or finish second in the second half if Great Lakes wins the second half division title).
- The Dragons won back-to-back games Sunday and Tuesday despite trailing with two outs and the bases empty in the ninth inning. The Dragons hit home runs to tie or take the lead in the ninth in Sunday's 6-5 win over Wisconsin and Tuesday's 3-2 win at Great Lakes.
- Ruben Ibarra's three-run home run with two outs in the ninth inning Tuesday, while trailing 2-0, was the first of its kind in many years for the Dragons. While records on ninth inning comebacks only go back to 2008, there is no record of the Dragons ever, while trailing, hitting a ninth inning home run to take the lead on the road, and then holding on to win, prior to Tuesday night.

#### **Player Notes**

- Edwin Arroyo in his last 13 games is hitting .326 with nine walks and eight stolen bases. Arroyo since May 31 has played in 47 games and is batting .294 with four home runs, 16 stolen bases, and an .840 OPS, raising his average from .182 to .243.
- Austin Callahan in the second half (27 games) is batting .317 with 11 doubles, one triple, three home runs, and 19 RBI (.892 OPS) to raise his average from .238 to .263. For the season, he leads the MWL in doubles and extra base hits.
- The Dragons top hitter in the month of July has been Austin Callahan (.299, 2 HR, 12 RBI, .841 OPS). Austin Hendrick leads the team in home runs in July with four but has batted just .176. Jack Rogers leads in RBI with 13 while batting .207 with three home runs. Edwin Arroyo leads in stolen bases with nine while batting .263
- Braxton Roxby over his last 21 G (since May 14): 3-1, 1.72 ERA, 4 saves, 31.1 IP, 17 H, 12 BB, 34 SO, .156 opponent's average.
- Jayvien Sandridge over his last 6 G: 12.2 IP, 4 H, 2 R, 1 ER, 6 BB, 18 SO.
- Jose Acuña has a 2.97 ERA that ranks third in the MWL. He is tied for first in wins (7) and first in opponent's average (.187).
- Starting pitcher Chase Petty has an ERA of 1.74 in 41.1 innings (11 starts). He missed the first month of the season.
- The Dragons roster is headlined by Edwin Arroyo, a shortstop who is currently ranked as the Reds #2 prospect by *MLB.com*. <u>Arroyo</u>, age 19, is the youngest position player in the MWL among players with at least 100 AB. Dragons starting pitcher Chase Petty is currently ranked as the Reds #5 prospect by *MLB.com*. <u>Petty, age 20, is the third youngest pitcher in the MWL with at least 20 innings</u>. Other Dragons players currently ranked among the Reds top-30 prospects by *MLB.com* include outfielder Jay Allen II (#8 prospect), outfielder Austin Hendrick (#17 prospect), and second baseman Tyler Callihan (#26 prospect).

# **Upcoming Probable Pitchers (Game times are Dayton time) (All games on WONE 980 AM and <u>www.daytondragons.com</u>) Sunday, July 30 (1:05 pm): Dayton RH Carson Rudd (3-4, 5.54) at Great Lakes RH Kendall Williams (1-1, 1.69)**

#### Dragons "On the Air"

You can follow the Dragons through various broadcast outlets in 2023. Every home and road game will be broadcast on radio on WONE 980-AM as Tom Nichols and Patrick Geshan call the action. Games are also available at wone.com, on a mobile device through either the Dragons mobile app or the iHeart Radio app, or on HD Radio on 104.7 HD 2 WTUI. Additionally, the Dragons will televise 25 home games on Dayton's CW (Channel 26, available on Spectrum Cable channels 13 and 1013; available on DirecTV and Dish Network channel 26). Tom Nichols will handle the play-by-play on all games and be joined by WDTN TV's Jack Pohl on most telecasts.

# SATURDAY'S STARTING PITCHER

# CHASE PETTY (#2)

Height: 6-1Weight: 190Bats: RThrows: RBirthdate: April 4, 2003 (age 20)Acquired: Trade, Twins, 2022 (Originally signed by Twins as 2021 first round draft pick—26th overall selection).

College: None Home: Somers Point, NJ

Home: Somers Point, NJ Joined Club: May 6 (activated from injured list)

**Prospect Rankings**: Reds #5 prospect by MLB.com (updated mid-July, 2023). Petty in the 2023 Pre-Season Rankings: Reds #5 prospect by The Athletic. Reds #6 prospect by Baseball America. Reds #6 prospect by Fangraphs. Selected by MLB.com as Reds pitching prospect with "Best Slider" and Honorable Mention for "Best Change-up" and "Best Control"

High School: Mainland Regional (Linwood, NJ)

Petty is currently the third youngest pitcher in the Midwest League (slightly older than Victor Lizarraga of Fort Wayne and Alejandro Hidalgo of Cedar Rapids) with at least 30 innings on the season.

**Notes: 2023:** Opened the season on the injured list in extended spring training before joining the Dragons on May 6. **2022**: Acquired from Minnesota Twins on March 13, 2022 in exchange for Major League pitcher Sonny Gray and minor league relief pitcher Francis Peguera...Opened season at Daytona...Utilized in a tandem role for the first half of the season, alternating starts and relief appearances...From June 1 until promotion to Dayton on July 27, recorded an ERA of 2.34 (34.2 IP, 9 ER)...Fastball at Daytona generally ranged from 92-96 mph...Allowed no runs in three of his seven starts with Dayton, including outing on August 11 vs. Lansing when he fired four no-hit innings, retiring 12 of 13 batters faced with six strikeouts....Beginning with his third start with Dayton, posted ERA of 2.38 in final five outings of season covering 22.2 innings with three walks and 28 strikeouts....Named as Pitcher with Best Fastball in Minnesota Twins organization prior to 2022 season. **2021**: Tossed just five innings with Twins Gulf Complex League team after being drafted in first round in July. High School: Played at Mainland Regional High School in Linwood, New Jersey, about 10 miles from Atlantic City...Named New Jersey Gatorade Player of the Year after senior season in 2021...Ranked by Baseball America as the hardest throwing high school pitcher and fifth best overall high school pitching prospect in the 2021 draft...Fastball clocked at 100 mph at the 2020 WWBA National Championship in Marietta, Georgia...Pitched in the 2020 Perfect Game All-American Classic in Oklahoma City...Committed to play at University of Florida before signing professionally.

### Petty's Career Stats (prior to 2023)

Season	League	Team	W	L	ERA	G	GS	sv	IP	н	HR	BB	SO	AVG
2021	R	GCL Twins	0	0	5.40	2	1	0	5	6	0	1	6	.300
2022	А	Daytona	0	4	3.06	18	13	0	67.2	57	5	24	63	.233
2022	A+	Dayton	1	2	4.40	7	7	0	30.2	27	2	7	33	.231
Career			1	6	3.57	27	21	0	103.1	90	7	32	102	.236

#### 2023: Dayton (High-A Midwest League)

Date	Орр	W	L	ERA	G	GS	IP	н	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	SO	NP-S
5/10/2023	@PEO	0	0	2.25	1	1	4	1	1	1	0	1	1	3	64 - 39
5/17/2023	FW	0	0	1.13	1	1	4	3	1	0	0	0	1	6	57 - 39
5/24/2023	@SB	0	0	0.75	1	1	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	52 - 38
5/31/2023	WM	0	0	0.56	1	1	4	4	0	0	0	1	1	8	54 - 34
Мау		0	0	0.56	4	4	16	10	2	1	0	2	3	21	227 - 150
6/7/2023	CR	0	0	0.45	1	1	4	3	1	0	0	0	2	2	48 - 31
6/14/2023	@FW	0	1	1.50	1	1	4	4	3	3	0	0	0	3	55 - 34
6/21/2023	LC	0	0	1.29	1	1	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	5	44 - 35
6/29/2023	@WM	0	0	1.13	1	1	4	3	0	0	0	0	2	3	55 - 30
June		0	1	1.69	4	4	16	14	4	3	0	0	4	13	202 - 130
7/5/2023	GL	0	0	1.53	1	1	3.1	5	2	2	0	0	2	5	65 - 40
7/16/2023	@LC	0	0	1.93	1	1	2	5	2	2	0	0	1	3	55 - 35
7/22/2023	WIS	0	0	1.74	1	1	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	49 - 32
July		0	0	3.86	3	3	9.1	13	4	4	0	0	3	10	169 - 107
Total	A+	0	1	1.74	11	11	41.1	37	10	8	0	2	10	44	598 - 387

# **BATTERS RECENT STREAKS/NOTES**

	at GL	. 7/25	5-7/30				vs. W	'IS 7/	18-7/2	3			Hot/Cold	HS	L 2 Sets
	н	AB	AVG	2B	3B	HR	Н	AB	AVG	2B	3B	HR			
Allen II	2	16	.125	1		1	6	24	.250	2			Since ret. from IL: 16 G: 11-64 (.172), 1 HR	0	.200
Arroyo	4	17	.235	1			9	22	.409	1	2		L 13 G: 15-46 (.326), 9 BB, 10 SO, 8 SB	0	.333
Callahan, A	5	16	.313	1		2	5	18	.278	2	1		L 27 G: 33-104 (.317). HR's in L 2 G.	5	.294
Callihan, T	2	15	.133				3	20	.150	1			L 9 G: 4-31 (.129), 4 SB	0	.143
Contreras	0	0	#DIV/0!				0	0	####				L 5 G: 0-13, 9 SO	0	#DIV/0!
Faltine	0	0	#DIV/0!				0	4	.000				L 7 G: 0-15, 10 SO	0	.000
Hendrick	3	13	.231				5	21	.238	1		2	July: .176, 4 HR, 10 RBI, 21 G	0	.235
Hunter	5	12	.417				5	17	.294	1		2	4 multi-hit Gs among 9 G played	3	.345
Ibarra	5	14	.357			2	2	13	.154				5-14 (.357), 2 HR, 5 BB in series	4	.259
Jones	0	0	#DIV/0!				4	8	.500			2	Snapped 3-26 slump w/4-8, 2 HR vs WIS	2	.500
Marrero	1	4	.250				0	0	####				Has appeared in 2 G in July	2	.250
Nelson	1	9	.111				3	5	.600				Returned Wed. after missing 5 G (wrist)	0	.286
Rogers	1	6	.167			1	4	19	.211	1			3-R HR LN. L 13 G: 8-44 (.182), 24 SO	1	.200
Thompson	0	10	.000				4	17	.235			1	Since return from IL: 10 G: 4-30 (.133), 1 HR	0	.148
Team	29	132	.220	3	0	6	50	188	.266	9	3	7			.247
	.220						.266								

Key: In the Hot/Cold column, L = Last. LN = Last Night. # GHS = x-game hitting streak. XBH = Extra Base Hits. HS = hitting streak.

# DRAGONS SERIES RESULTS

<b>Date</b> April 6-8	OPP at LC	<b>G</b> 53	<b>W-L</b> 1-2	<b>R-RA</b> 11-12	<b>Avg.</b> .194 (19-98)	<b>R/Sc. Pos.</b> .167 (5-30)	<b>XBH</b> 4	HR 1	<b>SB</b> 5	<b>ERA</b> 2.52 (25-7)	<b>E</b> 5
April 11-16	GL	6	2-4	23-37	.178 (32-180)	.200 (6-30)	12	5	6	5.67 (54-34)	4
April 18-23	at WM	6	3-3	25-16	.224 (46-205)	.158 (9-57)	15	5 9	10	2.52 (50-14)	3
April 25-30 May 3-7	LC at LAN	6 6	2-4 4-2	46-34 34-17	.270 (57-211) .240 (50-208)	.288 (21-73) .241 (14-58)	24 19	9 8	9	4.91 (55-30) 2.31 (50.2-13)	8 5
May 9-14	at PEO	6	4-2 3-3	19-20	.240 (30-208)	.152 (7-46)	17	6	9	3.35 (51-19)	2
May 16-21	FW	6	2-4	21-34	.204 (38-186)	.224 (11-49)	16	3	6	5.00 (54-30)	7
May 23-28	at SB	6	5-1	19-11	.215 (44-205)	.238 (10-42)	18	4	0	1.36 (53-8)	6
May 30-June 4	WM	6	4-2	34-26	.279 (58-208)	.288 (15-52)	20	7	8	2.83 (54-17)	6
June 6-11	CR	6	3-3	26-32	.227 (42-185)	.244 (11-45)	15	7	9	4.22 (49-23)	8
June 14-18	at FW	6	3-3	27-24	.278 (54-194)	.242 (16-66)	17	3	7	4.40 (47-23)	2
June 20-25	LC	6	4-2	20-18	.182 (33-181)	.218 (12-55)	15	4	6	1.80 (55-11)	7
1 <sup>st</sup> Half Total:		66	33-33	4.45 R/G	.230 (500-2177)	.221 (130-588)	183	59	79	3.56 (570.2-226)	60
June 28-July 2	at WM	6	3-3	33-31	.235 (47-200)	.264 (14-53)	19	8	7	4.80 (50.2-27)	4
July 4-July 9	GL	6	2-4	23-24	.178 (34-191)	.183 (11-60)	7	3	6	3.16 (57-20)	2
July 14-16	at LC	3	1-2	9-12	.183 (15-82)	.235 (4-17)	4	2	5	4.98 (21.2-12)	3
July 18-23	WIS	6	3-3	30-35	.266 (50-188)	.260 (13-50)	19	7	11	5.67 (54-34)	5
July 25-30	at GL	4	3-1	23-17	.220 (29-132)	.216 (8-37)	9	6	5	4.11 (35-16)	2

# Dragons Starting Rotation (in order of use):

RH Kevin Abel: 2021 7<sup>th</sup> round draft pick, Oregon State University RH Chris McElvain: 2022 8<sup>th</sup> round draft pick, Vanderbilt

RH Jose Acuña: Acquired in trade with Mets, 2022; Bejuma, Venezuela

RH Hunter Parks: 2021 8th round draft pick, Florence-Darlington College

RH Chase Petty: Acquired in trade with Twins, 2022. Twins 2021 1st round draft pick, Mainland Regional High School (Linwood, NJ) RH Carson Rudd: 2020 NDFA, Stanford University

# Dragons Bullpen (alphabetically):

RH Dennis Boatman: 2021 17th round draft pick, Sacramento City College

RH Brooks Crawford: 2022 MiLB Rule 5 Draft (from Giants); Clemson University

RH Myles Gayman: 2020 NDFA, Barry University (D2, Miami Shores, FL)

RH Owen Holt: 2021 16<sup>th</sup> round draft pick, Alvin Community College (TX) RH Zach Maxwell: 2022 6<sup>th</sup> round draft pick, Georgia Tech

RH John Murphy: 2023 MiLB free agent (last played for Gateway of Frontier League); University of Maryland

RH Braxton Roxby: 2020 NDFA, University of Pittsburgh-Johnstown

LH Jayvien Sandridge: 2021 Minor League Free Agent (originally signed by Orioles); Lynn University (FL)

RH Mac Sceroler: 2017 5th round draft pick, Southeastern Louisiana University

# **BULLPEN BREAKDOWN (listed with last 3 appearances)**

Dennis Boatman, RHP	Date	Opponent	Dec.	IP	н	R	ER	BB	SO	Pitches	Days Off
Dennis Deatman, Rin	Wed, 7/19	WIS	ND	2	2	0	0	1	3	37	Days On
	Sun, 7/23	WIS	ND	2	2	2	2	2	2	46	
	Fri, 7/28	at GL	L	1	4	5	5	2	1	35	0
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Brooks Crawford, RHP	Date	Opponent	Dec.	IP	н	R	ER	BB	SO	Pitches	Days Off
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	Fri, 7/21	WIS	Sv	2	1	0	0	Ō	1	27	
	Wed, 7/26		ND	2.2	1	0	0	0	3	52	2
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Myles Gayman, RHP	Date	Opponent	Dec.	IP	н	R	ER	BB	so	Pitches	Days Off
	Wed, 7/19	WIS	ND	2	4	4	4	0	1	36	
	Sat, 7/22	WIS	Sv	2.1	0	0	0	0	0	22	
	Wed, 7/26	at GL	ND	2	2	1	1	1	2	31	2
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Owen Holt, RHP	Date	Opponent	Dec.	IP	Н	R	ER	BB	SO	Pitches	Days Off
	Fri, 7/21	WIS	W	3	2	2	2	1	2	49	
	Tue, 7/25	at GL	ND	2.1	0	0	0	1	3	27	
	Fri, 7/28	at GL	ND	2	0	0	0	0	6	28	0
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Zach Maxwell, RHP	Day	Opponent	Dec.	<u>IP</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>R</u>	ER	BB	SO	Pitches	Days Off
	Sun, 7/16	at LC (G1)		2	1	0	0	1	4	41	
	Thu, 7/20	WIS	ND	2	2	2	2	1	4	38	
	Wed, 7/26	at GL	W	2	0	0	0	0	2	36	2
John Murphy, RHP	Date	Opponent	Dec.	IP	н	R	ER	BB	SO	Pitches	Days Off
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	Sun, 7/23	WIS	W	3.1	1	1	1	Ő	5	41	
	Thu, 7/27	at GL	Sv	1	0	0 0	0 0	2	2	25	1
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Braxton Roxby, RHP	Day	Opponent	Dec.	IP	н	R	ER	BB	SO	Pitches	Days Off
	Thu, 7/20	WIS	ND	1	3	1	1	0	3	18	
	Tue, 7/25	at GL	W	2	0	0	0	0	1	18	
	Fri, 7/28	at GL	ND	2	0	0	0	0	2	21	0
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Jayvien Sandridge, LHP	Day	Opponent	Dec.	<u>IP</u>	H	<u>R</u>	ER	BB	SO	Pitches	Days Off
	Wed, 7/19	WIS	ND	1	1	0	0	0	3	15	
	Sat, 7/22	WIS	W	2.2	1	0	0	0	4	46	
	Fri, 7/28	at GL	ND	3	2	2	1	2	4	53	0
Mac Sceroler, RHP	Date	Opponent	Dec.	IP	н	R	ER	BB	SO	Pitches	Days Off
	Sat, 7/22	ACL Rangers (w/ACL Reds)	ND	1.2	4	3	1	0	<u> </u>	21	Days UI
	Thu, 7/27	at GL	ND	2	2	1	1	1	1	30	1
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#### 2023 Starter/Reliever Comparison

	IP	ER	ERA	League Rank
Starting Pitching	393.33	158	3.62	5th
Relief Pitching	422.67	180	3.83	4th
Total	816	338	3.73	T-3rd

Basics for 2023: This is the third year in which the league is classified at the High-A level of Minor League Baseball. The Midwest League was a Low-A league prior to 2021. The 12-team Midwest League operates with two six-team divisions.

The Midwest League will continue to utilize a Pitch Timer to encourage a quicker pace of play. Pitchers are required to deliver each pitch within a 14-second time limit (or 18 seconds with a runner on base). Defensive positioning rules require at least two infielders on each side of second base, with at least four infielders positioned on the infield dirt. Pitchers are limited in the number of unsuccessful pick-off throws they can make to a base. The third pick-off throw must result in an out, or the runner will be awarded the next base.

# **DRAGONS 2023 MILESTONES**

#### **Team Notes**

Most Consecutive Wins:	6, May 24-30; July 21-27
Most Consecutive Losses:	5, July 2-7
Longest 9-Inning Game (Minutes):	
Longest Extra Inning Game (Minutes):	
Shortest 9-Inning Game (Minutes):	1:57, July 22 vs. Wisconsin
Shortest 7-Inning Game (Minutes):	1:29. June 14 at Fort Wavne (G2)
Biggest Deficit in Win:	5, May 18 vs. Fort Wayne
Biggest Lead in Loss:	4, April 25 vs. Lake County; July 2 at West Michigan
Largest Margin of Victory:	
Largest Margin of Defeat:	
Most Errors, Game:	
Most Errors, Inning:	

#### **Team Batting**

Most Runs, Inning:	8, April 28 vs. Lake County (7 <sup>th</sup> ); June 10 vs. Cedar Rapids (1 <sup>st</sup> ); July 26 at Great Lakes (7 <sup>th</sup> )
Most Runs, First Inning:	
Most Hits, Game:	
Most Hits, Inning:	
Fewest Hits, Game:	
Most Home Runs, Game:	
Most Home Runs, Inning:	2. several
Most Doubles, Game:	
Most Triples. Game:	
Most Extra Base Hits, Game:	
Most Stolen Bases. Game:	
Most Walks, Game:	
Most Strikeouts, Game:	
Most Left on Base, Game:	14, April 18 at West Michigan; April 22 at West Michigan

#### Individual Batting

Most Hits, Game:	4, T. Callihan, June 17 at Fort Wayne; Rogers, June 22 vs. Lake County
Most Runs, Game:	
Most RBI, Game:	
Most Doubles, Game:	
Most Triples, Game:	
Most Home Runs, Game:	
Most Extra Base Hits, Game:	
Most Walks, Game:	
Most Stolen Bases, Game:	
Most Strikeouts, Game:	
Longest Hitting Streak (Games):	

Grand Slam Home Runs: T. Callihan, April 12 vs. Great Lakes; Rogers (2 times), April 26 vs. Lake County & July 16 at Lake County (G1).
4+ Hit Games: T. Callihan, June 16 at Fort Wayne; Rogers, June 22 vs. Lake County.
2-Home Run Game: Nelson (2 times), April 26 vs. Lake County & June 4 vs. West Michigan; Ibarra, May 4 at Lansing (G1); T. Callihan, June 6 vs. Cedar Rapids; Hunter, July 19 vs. Wisconsin.
Inside-the-Park Home Runs: Dunn, April 29 vs. Lake County; Arroyo, May 14 at Peoria.

Back-to-Back Home Runs: A. Callahan & Nelson, April 26 vs. Lake County.

#### **Team Pitching**

Most Runs Allowed, Game:	
Most Runs Allowed, Inning:	
Most Hits Allowed, Game:	
Fewest Hits Allowed, Game:	
Most Hits Allowed, Inning:	
Most Home Runs Allowed, Game:	
Most Home Runs Allowed, Inning:	2, several
Most Walks Allowed, Game:	
Fewest Walks Allowed, Game:	
Most Strikeouts, Game:	16, April 28 vs. Lake County; May 31 vs. West Michigan; July 4 vs. Great Lakes

#### **Individual Pitching**

Most Consecutive Scoreless Innings:	
Most Home Runs Allowed, Game:	
Most Walks Allowed, Game:	
Most Strikeouts, Game:	9, Aguiar, April 8 at Lake County; Acuña, May 7 at Lansing; Parks, July 4 vs. Great Lakes
Longest Relief Outing:	
Most Pitches Thrown, Game:	
Most Strikeouts, Game, Opposing Pitcher:	11, Richard Gallardo, May 28 at South Bend

^Midwest League record; \*Dragons club record; #Ties Dragons club record

# DRAGONS WON-LOSS BREAKDOWN

HOME		AWAY	ALL
<b>W</b> 22 14 8 6 16 8 0 2	L 26 19 7 4 22 11 4 4	W         L           26         20           19         14           7         6           8         6           18         14           6         12           2         2           3         3	W         L           48         46           33         33           15         13           14         10           34         36           14         23           2         6           5         7
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#### **REDS MINOR LEAGUE COORDINATORS/ROVERS**

Chris Tremie Luis Bolivar Joel Noboa Dave Hansen Jim Rickon Bryan Conger Casey Weathers Jose Nieves Kevin Mahar Corky Miller Bill Doran Eric Davis Mario Soto

Field Coordinator Academies Coordinator Field Coordinator, Latin America Hitting Coordinator Pitching Coordinator Pitching Coordinator Pitching Coordinator Infield Coordinator Outfield/Base Running Coordinator Roving Catching Instructor Special Assistant to the GM Special Assistant to the GM

# **Dragons Manager/Coaches:**

Bryan LaHair is in his second season as Dragons manager and his sixth year in the Reds organization. Under LaHair's leadership last season, the Dragons posted a first half record of 39-27 to finish second in the Midwest League's East Division, one game out of first place. The 2022 Dragons broke the club record for home runs in a season, leading the league with 152. The Dragons also narrowly missed leading the league in stolen bases, finishing with five fewer than the league leader despite playing four fewer games. LaHair served as manager with the Reds affiliate in the Arizona Complex League in 2021 and was the manager at Billings in 2019. LaHair opened his coaching career as the Billings hitting coach in 2018. As a player, LaHair played professionally for 14 seasons from 2003-14 and 2016-17, appearing in more than 1,000 games. He was primarily a first baseman but also saw considerable time as a corner outfielder. He played in 195 major league games with the Seattle Mariners and Chicago Cubs. In 2012, he appeared in the MLB All-Star Game. LaHair played for TEAM USA's national team three times (2005 World Cup, 2006 regional Olympic qualifier, 2007 Olympic qualifier). LaHair led all of Minor League Baseball in home runs in 2011 with 38 with the Iowa Cubs and was selected as the Pacific Coast League Most Valuable Player. LaHair, 40, is a native of Worcester, Massachusetts and was chosen as the 2000 Massachusetts High School Player of the Year. He was selected by the Mariners in the 39th round of the 2002 draft out of St. Petersburg College in Florida.

**Todd Naskedov** (NASK-uh-duv) joins the Dragons as pitching coach in 2023, his second season in the Reds organization. The 2023 season is Naskedov's sixth year in professional baseball after more than 20 years as a coach at the high school or college levels. He was the pitching coach at Single-A Daytona in the Reds organization in 2022. Naskedov spent four years as a coach in the Houston Astros organization before joining the Reds. He was the pitching coach at Single-A Fayetteville in 2021 after three years as the Astros pitching rehab coordinator at their complex in West Palm Beach, Florida. Naskedov coached college or high school baseball in Arizona, Oregon, Texas, and Washington, has coached with USA Baseball's national team, and has coached abroad in the United Kingdom and the Netherlands as a Major League Baseball international envoy. Naskedov, 46, is originally from Kelso, Washington.

Eric Richardson joins the Dragons as hitting coach in 2023, his second season in the Reds organization and 10th year as a professional coach. He was the hitting coach at Double-A Chattanooga in 2022. Richardson began his coaching career in the Phillies organization with stints as hitting coach with Single-A Lakewood in 2004; the GCL Phillies in 2005; and Short-Season Batavia in 2006. He served as the hitting coach in the White Sox organization with Great Falls for three seasons from 2017-2019. Richardson played for seven seasons in the White Sox organization from 1991-97, spending two years in the Midwest League with South Bend. In 1994, Richardson played in the outfield with NBA legend Michael Jordan during spring training in Jordan's lone season as a professional baseball player. Richardson was a base stealing threat, leading the South Atlantic League in stolen bases in 1993. Richardson, 50, was drafted by the White Sox in the fifth round in 1991 out of Brenham High School in Texas.

Osmin Melendez joins the Dragons as a coach in 2023, his first year in the Reds organization and 21st year in coaching in professional baseball. Melendez served as a coach in the Chicago Cubs system for seven seasons from 2013-19 after coaching in the Pirates organization for 13 years. He spent the 2015 season in the Midwest League as the infield coach with South Bend. Melendez began coaching as the coordinator of the Pirates academy in Venezuela from 1999-2011. He was the manager of the Pirates affiliate in the Venezuelan Summer League for six seasons, 2006-2011. His teams posted a record of 272-142 (.657), earning the VSL's best regular season record all six years and winning the league championship in 2008 and 2010. He served as manager of the Cubs affiliate in the Venezuelan Summer League in 2013. He was the hitting coach for the AZL Cubs in 2014 and 2017. He was the hitting/infield coach at Double-A Tennessee in 2016; the hitting coach at Short-Season Eugene in 2018; and the hitting/infield coach with Single-A Myrtle Beach in 2019. Melendez is a former infielder who played for two seasons with the GCL Orioles in the Baltimore Orioles organization, 1993-94. Melendez, 47, was born in Barquisimeto, Venezuela and currently resides in Orlando, Florida.

# **2023 DRAGONS REVIEW (FIRST HALF)**

			DRAGONS	OPPONENT	WINNING	LOSING						
DATE	OPP.	SCORE	R-H-E-LOB	R-H-E-LOB	PITCHER	PITCHER	SAVE	REC.	STD.	GA/B	ATT.	TIME
April 6	at LC	3-8	3-7-3-11	8-6-1-9	Wolf	Rudd		0-1	T-5th	-1.0	3,673	2:51
April 7	at LC	1-2	1-3-1-8	2-3-2-2	Arias	Farr	Thornton	0-2	T-5th	-2.0	1,077	2:10
April 8	at LC GL	7-2 7-9	7-9-1-9 7-5-0-10	2-4-1-2 9-12-0-5	Acuna Fisher	Jerez Parks	 Pilarski	1-2 1-3	4th T-4th	-2.0 -3.0	1,237 8,135	2:38 3:01
April 11 April 12	GL	7-9 7-3	7-3-0-70	3-8-0-5	Rudd	Ramirez		2-3	4th	-3.0 -2.0	8,096	2:38
April 13	GL	3-15	3-5-2-4	15-11-2-8	Peto	Rivera		2-4	T-4th	-3.0	7,940	3:00
April 14	GL	0-1	0-1-1-3	1-2-0-3	Casparius	Farr	Pilarski	2-5	5th	-4.0	8,369	2:13
April 15	GL	6-4	6-10-1-8	4-9-1-10	Cachutt	Suarez	Gozzo	3-5	T-4th	-3.0	8,708	2:53
April 16	GL	0-5	0-7-0-9	5-9-0-8	Knowles	Sandridge		3-6	T-5th	-3.0	7,625	2:52
April 18	at WM	5-0	5-8-0-14	0-6-2-7	Parks	Hernandez	 D - 41	4-6	5th	-2.5	1,143	2:39
April 19 April 20	at WM at WM	1-4 0-2 (8)	1-5-0-5 0-2-0-3	4-7-0-5 2-8-1-7	Hess Mattison	Rudd Rivera	Petit Fernander	4-7 4-8	5th 5th	-3.0 -4.0	3,332 2,004	2:10 1:55
April 20	at WM	7-3	7-11-1-7	3-5-0-7	Sandridge	Reyes		4-0 5-8	5th	-4.0	4,205	2:26
April 22	at WM	4-5	4-9-2-14	5-7-1-10	Holub	Benoit		5-9	5th	-4.0	3,849	2:58
April 23	at WM	8-2	8-11-0-10	2-4-1-3	Acuna	Hernandez		6-9	5th	-3.5	4,044	2:20
April 25	LC	5-6	5-7-0-12	6-7-0-6	Wolf	Timpanelli	Thornton	6-10	5th	-4.5	7,325	2:37
April 26	LC	17-8	17-15-2-5	8-10-3-12	Crawford	Abney	 T	7-10	5th	-3.5	7,726	3:01
April 27 April 28	LC LC	1-2 11-12 (11)	1-5-2-8 11-10-1-6	2-6-1-6 12-15-0-8	Denholm Thornton	Roxby Gozzo	Torres	7-11 7-12	5th 5th	-4.5 -5.5	7,748 8,427	2:15 3:33
April 28	LC	4-5	4-9-2-10	5-7-1-7	Wolf	Gayman	Torres	7-12	5th	-5.5 -6.5	8,560	2:35
April 30	LC	8-1 (8)	8-11-1-10	1-4-3-6	Crawford	Webb		8-13	5th	-5.5	8,500 7,697	2:18
May 2	at LAN		rain. Reschedu	led for May 4 as p	part of doublehead	ler.					.,	
May 3	at LAN	2-0	2-6-0-10	0-4-0-4	Parks	Perkins	Benoit	9-13	5th	-5.0	2,086	2:23
May 4	at LAN	7-4 (G1)	7-6-1-5	4-9-1-6	Rudd	Fernandez		10-13		header		1:51
May 4	at LAN	5-6 (9) (G2)		6-8-1-7	Lardner	Roxby		10-14	5th	-5.0	3,198	2:21
May 5 May 6	at LAN at LAN	6-3 11-0	6-9-0-6 11-12-0-6	3-7-0-4 0-2-1-3	Gayman Aguiar	Breault Watters		11-14 12-14	5th 5th	-4.0 -4.0	3,712 3,088	2:27 2:10
May 7	at LAN	3-4	3-8-1-8	4-7-1-6	Baum	Benoit		12-15	5th	-5.0	3,088 2,716	2:10
May 9	at PEO	2-3	2-7-0-6	3-6-2-5	Rodriguez	Holt	Marrero	12-16	5th	-6.0	1,230	2:19
May 10	at PEO	5-1	5-7-0-5	1-2-2-3	Rudd	Baker		13-16	5th	-6.0	6,811	2:06
May 11	at PEO	0-6	0-5-0-7	6-10-0-6	Ruiz	Rivera		13-17	5th	-6.0	2,186	2:21
May 12	at PEO	3-1	3-6-0-8	1-5-2-4	Gozzo	Rodriguez	Timpanelli	14-17	5th	-6.0	1,504	2:24
May 13 May 14	at PEO at PEO	5-4 4-5	5-10-2-6 4-8-0-6	4-7-0-7 5-5-1-6	Aguiar Hickey	Cornwell Crawford	Benoit	15-17 15-18	5th 5th	-6.0 -6.0	3,477 1,272	2:40 2:25
May 14 May 16	FW	4-5 0-6	0-0-0-4	6-6-0-6	Iriarte	Parks		15-19	5th	-6.0	7,589	2:23
May 17	FW	1-5	1-4-3-9	5-11-1-8	Milacki	Boatman		15-20	5th	-7.0	7,495	2:39
May 18	FW	7-6	7-9-2-5	6-5-0-5	Gozzo	Lincoln		16-20	5th	-7.0	7,797	2:23
May 19	FW	2-1	2-8-1-6	1-3-1-3	Murphy	Galindo	Sandridge	17-20	T-4th	-7.0	8,966	2:10
May 20	FW	1-5	1-7-1-8	5-9-0-8	Routzahn	Timpanelli	 Duite	17-21	5th	-7.0	9,007	2:38
May 21 May 22	FW at SB	10-11 2-3	10-10-0 2-4-2-7	11-12-1 3-6-0-9	Thwaits Gallardo	Gozzo Holt	Brito Scalzo	17-22 17-23	5th 5th	-8.0 -8.0	8,867	3:02 2:02
May 23 May 24	at SB	2-3 4-1	4-10-0-7	1-5-2-4	Sandridge	Horton	Gozzo	18-23	5th	-8.0	2,210 6,766	2:02
May 25	at SB	4-2	4-10-2-7	2-5-2-11	Crawford	Santana	Timpanelli	19-23	5th	-8.0	3,312	2:18
May 26	at SB	3-1	3-7-0-3	1-3-1-2	Gayman	Laskey	Gozzo	20-23	T-4th	-8.0	4,485	2:01
May 27	at SB	4-3	4-6-1-3	3-8-0-12	Acuna	Birdsell	Roxby	21-23	4th	-8.0	4,876	2:22
May 28	at SB	2-1	2-7-1-7	1-5-0-4	Sandridge	Watkins	Timpanelli	22-23	T-3rd	-8.0	6,096	2:18
May 30 May 31	WM WM	4-2 3-6	4-4-0-7 3-7-2-8	2-5-2-7 6-10-1-6	Gozzo Holub	Tassin Timpanelli		23-23 23-24	T-3rd T-3rd	-8.0 -9.0	8,042	2:21 2:24
June 1	WM	5-0 5-6	5-12-1-9	6-11-0-12	Michael	Boatman	Anderson	23-24	4th	-9.5	7,440 7,545	2:56
June 2	WM	7-5	7-12-2-6	5-7-0-11	Gayman	Gardea	Gozzo	24-25	T-3rd	-10.0	7,559	2:27
June 3	WM	3-2	3-6-0-4	2-9-0-13	Murphy	Holub	Roxby	25-25	T-3rd	-10.0	7,595	2:19
June 4	WM	12-5	12-17-1-7	5-9-2-10	Farr	Pena		26-25	3rd	-9.0	7,497	2:53
June 6	CR	6-1 (5)	6-6-0-3	1-2-2-6	Holt	Jones		27-25	3rd	-9.0	7,080	1:32
June 7 June 8	CR CR	2-1 0-6	2-3-2-4 0-5-1-8	1-4-1-6 6-9-1-7	Gayman Lewis	Paredes Rivera	Gozzo	28-25 28-26	T-2nd T-2nd	-9.0 -9.0	7,191	2:11 2:29
June 9	CR	2-4	2-7-0-6	4-7-0-8	MacLeod	Aguiar		28-20	3rd	-9.0	7,292 7,382	2:29
June 10	CR	9-4	9-12-1-7	4-6-0-9	Acuna	Matthews		29-27	T-2nd	-10.0	7,940	2:38
June 11	CR	7-16	7-9-4-7	16-19-3-11	Rodriguez	Farr		29-28	3rd	-10.5	7,529	3:07
June 13	at FW				s part of doublehe						, -	
June 14	at FW	0-2 (G1)	0-4-0-6	2-4-1-8	Mazur	Parks	Thwaits	29-29		header		1:45
June 14	at FW	2-4 (G2)	2-6-1-5 8-13-1-9	4-6-1-2	Kollar	Petty	Collett	29-30	T-3rd	-11.5	3,897	1:29
June 15 June 16	at FW at FW	8-6 11-8	8-13-1-9 11-17-0-10	6-12-2-10 8-9-0-5	Gayman Holt	Galindo Smith	Roxby	30-30 31-30	3rd 3rd	-11.5 -10.5	6,505	2:42 3:15
June 17	at FW	5-2	5-8-0-8	2-8-1-11	Aguiar	Lizarraga	Timpanelli	32-30	3rd	-10.5	7,440 7,390	2:35
June 18	at FW	1-2	1-6-0-7	2-6-0-8	Iriarte	Sandridge	Collett	32-31	3rd	-10.5	5,045	2:25
June 20	LC	5-6 (10)	5-4-3-9	6-10-2-12	Thornton	Timpanelli	Aleman	32-32	3rd	-11.5	7,486	2:55
June 21	LC	1-0	1-3-1-6	0-6-2-5	Gozzo	Rapp		33-32	2nd	-11.5	7,461	2:07
June 22	LC	3-8	3-10-0-11	8-9-0-5	Morillo	Farr		33-33	2nd	-12.5	8,509	3:05

### Cincinnati Reds Injury Rehabilitation Assignments Player Date Position Result

Player	Date	Position
Derek Law	June 25	Pitcher
Eddy Demurias	6/29-7/4 (Minor League Rehab)	Pitcher
Mac Sceroler	7/25 (Minor League Rehab)	Pitcher

1 IP, 0 H, 0 R, 0 BB, 1 SO 4 IP, 12 H, 7 R, 1 BB, 3 SO

# **2023 DRAGONS REVIEW (SECOND HALF)**

			DRAGONS	OPPONENT	WINNING	LOSING						
DATE	OPP.	SCORE	R-H-E-LOB	R-H-E-LOB	PITCHER	PITCHER	SAVE	REC.	STD.	GA/B	ATT.	TIME
June 23	LC	3-1	3-4-1-5	1-5-1-5	Roxby	Denholm	Timpanelli	1-0	T-1st		7,798	2:18
June 24	LC	5-1	5-8-0-5	1-4-1-6	Aguiar	Johnston		2-0	1st	+1.0	8,212	2:13
June 25	LC	3-2	3-4-2-3	2-5-0-5	Acuna	Davenport	Timpanelli	3-0	1st	+1.0	7,547	2:13
June 27	at WM		poor air quality.		June 30 as part of							
June 28	at WM	9-6 (10)	9-12-0-7	6-7-1-8	Roxby	Michael		4-0	1st	+1.5	4,955	2:48
June 29	at WM	2-4	2-6-1-5	4-8-0-7	Hernandez	Rudd	Anderson	4-1	1st	+0.5	5,699	2:10
June 30	at WM	7-6 (8) (G1)		6-9-2-6	Holt	Tassin		5-1	double	header		2:21
June 30	at WM	3-4 (8) (G2)		4-5-0-8	Sequeira	Gayman		5-2	1st	+0.5	5,303	2:19
July 1	at WM	8-6	8-11-0-7	6-12-1-7	Crawford	Tortosa	Roxby	6-2	1st	+1.5	6,183	2:57
July 2	at WM	4-5	4-7-1-6	5-12-1-11	Sequeira	Sandridge	Brown	6-3	1st	+0.5	5,726	2:35
July 4	GL	5-6	5-7-0-10	6-10-1-6	Dreyer	Demurias	Robles	6-4	2nd	-1.0	8,087	3:03
July 5	GL	2-4	2-4-0-3	4-8-1-8	Suarez	Rudd	Wepf	6-5	3rd	-2.0	7,477	2:22
July 6	GL	1-2 (11)	1-3-0-9	2-2-0-7	Hobbs	Holt	De Los Santos	6-6	3rd	-3.0	8,444	3:22
July 7	GL	5-8 (10)	5-8-1-12	8-8-4-10	Robles	Roxby		6-7	3rd	-4.0	7,864	3:37
July 8	GL	2-1	2-3-1-2	1-4-0-3	Demurias	Suarez	Murphy	7-7	3rd	-3.0	7,778	2:10
July 9	GL	8-3	8-9-0-3	3-7-0-6	Acuna	Корр		8-7	3rd	-3.0	7,652	2:23
July 14	at LC	2-8	2-4-1-3	8-9-1-10	Davenport	Parks		8-8	3rd	-3.0	7,266	2:44
July 15	at LC	Postponed,	rain. Reschedul	ed for July 16 as	part of doublehead	der.						
July 16	at LC	6-2 (G1)	6-8-1-6	2-6-1-7	Maxwell	Ellerts		9-8	double	header		2:19
July 16	at LC	1-2 (G2)	1-3-1-5	2-7-1-10	Thornton	Murphy		9-9	3rd	-3.0	N/A	2:22
July 18	WIS	8-9	8-12-2-12	9-18-0-12	King	Holt	Shears	9-10	T-3rd	-3.0	7,683	3:28
July 19	WIS	5-8	5-8-0-5	8-16-0-11	Wagoner	McElvain	Smith	9-11	T-3rd	-4.0	7.950	2:44
July 20	WIS	2-11	2-5-1-5	11-14-1-7	Merkel	Acuna		9-12	T-4th	-4.0	7.434	2:31
July 21	WIS	6-2	6-8-0-6	2-4-1-6	Holt	Woessner	Crawford	10-12	T-3rd	-3.0	8,016	2:26
July 22	WIS	3-0	3-9-0-4	0-4-0-4	Sandridge	Jimenez	Gayman	11-12	3rd	-3.0	8.717	1:57
July 23	WIS	6-5	6-8-2-6	5-5-0-5	Murphy	Shears	'	12-12	3rd	-2.0	7.738	2:37
July 25	at GL	3-2	3-3-1-2	2-4-0-6	Roxby	Robles		13-12	3rd	-2.0	2,946	2:21
July 26	at GL	10-5	10-10-0-9	5-5-2-6	Maxwell	Rosario		14-12	T-2nd	-1.5	2.194	3:15
July 27	at GL	4-3	4-9-0-10	3-3-1-7	Acuna	Bruns	Murphy	15-12	2nd	-1.0	3,504	2:52
July 28	at GL	6-7	6-7-1-7	7-6-1-4	Ramirez	Boatman	Hobbs	15-13	T-2nd	-2.0	3,199	3:01
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# **2023 TRANSACTIONS**

Opening Day Roster: Pitchers: Jose Acuna, Julian Aguiar, Donovan Benoit, Manuel Cachutt, Tanner Cooper, Brooks Crawford, Thomas Farr, Myles Gayman, Jake Gozzo, Owen Holt, Hunter Parks, Javi Rivera, Braxton Roxby, Carson Rudd, Jayvien Sandridge, Vin Timpanelli.

Catchers: Hayden Jones, Mat Nelson, Michael Trautwein.

Infielders: Edwin Arroyo, Austin Callahan, Tyler Callihan, Trey Faltine, Jose Serrano.

Outfielders: Jay Allen II, Blake Dunn, Austin Hendrick, Jack Rogers, Justice Thompson.

- April 10 Outfielder Jay Allen placed on injured list (sprained left thumb). Outfielder Luis Chevalier promoted to Dayton from ACL Reds.
- April 11 Infielder Edwin Arroyo placed on injured list (left hip strain).
- April 18 Infielder Edwin Arroyo activated from injured list.
- April 25
   First baseman Ruben Ibarra transferred to Dayton from extended spring training. Shortstop Ilvin Fernandez transferred to Dayton from Chattanooga. Outfielder Wendell Marrero transferred to Dayton from Daytona. Infielder Jose Serrano and outfielder Luis Chevalier transferred from Dayton to extended spring training.
   May 2
   Pitcher Tanner Cooper transferred to Daytona.
- May 6 Pitcher Chase Petty activated from injured list.
- May 9 Pitcher Manuel Cachutt promoted to Chattanooga. Pitcher Dennis Boatman transferred to Dayton from ACL Reds.
- May 16 Pitcher Donovan Benoit promoted to Chattanooga. Infielder Steven Leyton transferred to Dayton from Chattanooga. Pitcher John Murphy promoted to Dayton from Daytona. Infielder Ilvin Fernandez transferred to ACL Reds. Pitcher Carson Rudd placed on injured list (right forearm strain).
- May 20 Infielder Steven Leyton placed on injured list (left hamstring strain).
- May 23 Infielder Yan Contreras promoted to Dayton from Daytona. May 26 Outfielder/first baseman Jack Rogers (right thumb laceration)
- May 26 Outfielder/first baseman Jack Rogers (right thumb laceration) and catcher Mat Nelson (left knee sprain) placed on injured list.
- June 1 Outfielder Ashton Creal transferred to Dayton from Chattanooga.
- June 2 Catcher Mat Nelson activated from injured list.
- June 4 Pitcher Carson Rudd activated from injured list.
- June 6 Outfielder Blake Dunn promoted to Chattanooga. Outfielder Ashton Creal promoted to Louisville.
- June 7 Catcher Michael Trautwein promoted to Chattanooga. Outfielder/first baseman Jack Rogers activated from injured list. Outfielder Luis Chevalier promoted to Dayton from ACL Reds.
- June 13 Pitcher Javi Rivera placed on injured list (right elbow strain).
- June 16 Outfielder Ashton Creal transferred to Dayton from Louisville.
- June 20 Infielder Trey Faltine activated from injured list. Pitcher Chris McElvain promoted to Dayton from Daytona.
- June 21 Outfielder Luis Chevalier transferred to ACL Reds.
- June 25 Pitcher Derek Law added on major league injury rehabilitation assignment.
- June 28 Pitcher Derek Law transferred on major league rehabilitation assignment to Louisville.
- June 29 Pitcher Eddy Demurias added on minor league injury rehabilitation assignment.
- June 30 Pitchers Jake Gozzo and Vin Timpanelli promoted to Chattanooga.
- July 3 Pitcher John Murphy promoted to Louisville. Pitcher Owen Holt promoted to Chattanooga.
- July 4 Pitcher John Murphy transferred to Dayton from Louisville. Pitcher Owen Holt transferred to Dayton from Chattanooga.
- July 5 Outfielder Jay Allen II activated from injured list.
- July 6 Pitcher Eddy Demurias activated from Louisville injured list and transferred to Dayton.
- July 14 Pitchers Julian Aguiar and Thomas Farr promoted to Chattanooga. Pitchers Kevin Abel and Zach Maxwell promoted to Dayton from Daytona.
- July 18 Catcher Cade Hunter promoted to Dayton from Daytona.
- July 21 Outfielder Ashton Creal released.
- July 25 Pitcher Eddy Demurias promoted to Chattanooga. Pitcher Mac Sceroler added on minor league injury rehabilitation assignment.

# Dragons Players with Other Clubs in 2023

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Batter	Club	League	Class	G	Avg.	HR		RBI	SB	AB		
lay Allen II	ACL Reds	Arizona Complex	R	6	.231	1		1	6	13		
Yan Contreras	Daytona	Florida State	Α	6	.412	0		6	3	17		
Cade Hunter	Daytona	Florida State	Α	61	.245	10		34	5	212		
Wendell Marrero	Daytona	Florida State	А	12	.156	1		5	1	32		
itcher	Club	League	Class	W-L-Sv	EF	RA	G	GS	IP	н	BB	so
evin Abel	Daytona	Florida State	А	3-2-0	4.6	69	12	7	40.1	35	32	61
wen Holt	Chattanooga	Southern	AA	0-0-0	9.0	00	1	0	2.0	2	2	2
ach Maxwell	Daytona	Florida State	Α	3-2-1	3.7	79	21	0	35.2	30	23	55
Chris McElvain	Daytona	Florida State	Α	3-3-0	3.0	04	12	8	50.1	40	19	53
ohn Murphy	Daytona	Florida State	A	1-0-3	2.1	19	10	0	12.1	9	3	15
ohn Murphy	Louisville	International	AAA	0-0-0	4.5	50	1	0	2.0	3	2	0
lac Sceroler	Chattanooga	Southern	AA	1-0-1	7.0	00	5	0	9.0	8	6	14
Mac Sceroler	ACL Reds	Arizona Complex	R	1-0-0	3.0	00	4	0	6.0	7	1	6

# **STARTS BY POSITION**

	С	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH	Starts	Sub	Total
Hendrick							9	74	6	89	2	91
Callihan, T		7	73						7	87	3	90
Callahan, A		3		76					7	86	3	89
Arroyo					76				7	83	0	83
Rogers		33				30			9	72	2	74
Thompson						26	40	1	2	69	4	73
Nelson	58								9	67	0	67
Ibarra		49							14	63	0	63
Dunn						12	22	7	2	43	4	47
Faltine			10	9	15				4	38	7	45
Trautwein	19					2		6	9	36	2	38
Marrero		2				12		5	6	25	6	31
Allen II							16		2	18	0	18
Contreras			7	2	2				4	15	1	16
Jones	12								3	15	5	20
Creal						6	6	1	1	14	5	19
Hunter	5					2			2	9	0	9
Serrano			4	3	1					8	0	8
Chevalier				3		4	1			8	2	10
Fernandez				1						1	2	3

#### Top 2 in Starts by Position

Catcher	1 <sup>st</sup> Base	2 <sup>nd</sup> Base	3 <sup>rd</sup> Base	Shortstop	Left Field	Center Field	<b>Right Field</b>	Designated Hitter
Nelson 58	Ibarra 49	T. Callihan 73	A. Callahan 76	Arroyo 76	Rogers 30	Thompson 40	Hendrick 74	Ibarra 14
Trautwein 19	Rogers 33	Faltine 10	Faltine 8	Faltine 15	Thompson 26	Dunn 22	Dunn 7	Nelson/Trautwein 9

# **2023 Memorable Moments**

On April 26 vs. Lake County, the Dragons reached their highest run total in nearly eight years and their highest total at home in nearly 11 years, with a 17-8 victory. They last scored 17 runs in a game on June 5, 2015 at Clinton, and last scored 17 runs at home on July 4, 2012 against South Bend. <u>The club record for most runs in a game is 21, in 2001</u>. On April 26, Mat Nelson hit two home runs including the back end of back-to-back home runs in the third inning after Austin Callahan had hit a two-run homer. Jack Rogers hit a grand slam, the second of the year for the Dragons. Dayton was 8 for 12 with men in scoring position. Tyler Callihan added a double and triple.

In back-to-back games, the Dragons trailed with two outs and the bases empty in the ninth inning but rallied to win. On June 23 vs. Wisconsin, the Dragons trailed 5-4 with two outs and the bases empty in the bottom of the ninth inning when Hayden Jones belted a game-tying home run. Two batters later, after a pair of walks, Edwin Arroyo lined a single to center field to drive in Trey Faltine from second with the winning run. In the next game, on June 25 at Great Lakes, the Dragons trailed 2-0 with two outs and the bases empty in the top of the ninth inning when Arroyo doubled, Austin Callahan walked, and Ruben Ibarra blasted a 451' three-run home run to left field to give the Dragons a 3-2 lead. Braxton Roxby pitched a perfect bottom of the ninth to close out the win.

# **Individual Milestones**

#### Hitting Streaks of 10 Games or More

Player	Length	Dates
Rogers	12	June 9-June 22
Arroyo	11	May 31-June 11
A. Callahan	11	June 23-July 5
Hendrick	10	April 29-May 10

<b>Dragons Pitchers w</b>	with 10 or M	Nore Strikeouts in	a Game
Player	Date	Opponent	Strikeouts
None			

# Comebacks, Blown Leads, & Walk-Off Wins

Wins after Trailing by at Least Three	Runs
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Date	Opponent	Score	Note
April 26	Lake County	17-8	Trailed 3-0 after 1. Broke 5-5 tie with 3 in bottom 3 <sup>rd</sup> .
May 17	Fort Wayne	7-6	Trailed 6-1, mid 6. Scored 2 in bottom 9 <sup>th</sup> to win (Dunn 2-R single)
June 2	West Michigan	7-5	Trailed 5-2, mid 6. Scored 4 in bottom 7 <sup>th</sup> for lead.
June 4	West Michigan	12-5	Trailed 3-0, mid 4. Scored 6 in bottom 4 <sup>th</sup> for lead.
June 15	at Fort Wayne	8-6	Trailed 6-2, end 4. Scored 4 in top 7 <sup>th</sup> for lead (Thompson RBI triple)
June 28	at West Michigan	9-6 (10)	Trailed 5-1, end 5. Scored 5 in top 6 <sup>th</sup> for lead (Thompson 2-R home run); won in 10
June 30	at West Michigan (G1)	7-6 (8)	Trailed 4-0, end 5. Scored 5 in top 6 <sup>th</sup> for lead (T. Callihan 2-R pinch hit HR); won in 8 (Callihan RBI hit)

#### Losses after Leading by at Least Three Runs

Date	Opponent	Score	Note
April 25	Lake County	5-6	Led 5-1 after 6. Lake County scored 3 in $7^{\text{th}}$ and 2 in $8^{\text{th}}$ .
May 4 (G2	) at Lansing	5-6 (9)	Led 3-0 after 5. Lansing tied score in 7 <sup>th</sup> and won in 9 <sup>th</sup> .
May 21	Fort Wayne	10-11	Led 10-7 after 7. Fort Wayne scored 4 in 8 <sup>th</sup> .
June 30	at West Michigan (G2)	3-4 (8)	Led 3-0 after 6. West Michigan tied game in $7^{\text{th}}$ , won in 8. (First blown lead of 3+ in final inning since $9/1/21$ )
July 2	at West Michigan	4-5	Led 4-0 after 4. West Michigan tied game in 7 <sup>th</sup> , took lead in 8 <sup>th</sup> .
July 18	Wisconsin	8-9	Led 3-0 after 3. Led 8-6 after 8. Wisconsin scored 3 in $9^{th}$ for lead.
July 28	at Great Lakes	6-7	Led 5-2, mid 4. Great Lakes scored 5 in bottom 4 for lead.

#### Games Won in Final At-Bat (\*Walk-off Win)

Date	Opponent	Score	Note
*May 17	Fort Wayne	7-6	Trailed 6-1, mid 6. Scored 2 in bottom 9 <sup>th</sup> to win (Dunn 2-R single)
May 18	Fort Wayne	2-1	Broke 0-0 tie in 8 <sup>th</sup> on 2-R HR by Faltine.
May 30	West Michigan	4-2	Broke 2-2 tie in 8 <sup>th</sup> on 2-R HR by Ibarra.
June 3	West Michigan	3-2	Trailed 2-0, mid 8. Dunn 3-run HR in bottom 8 <sup>th</sup> for lead and win.
June 21	Lake County	1-0	Broke 0-0 tie in 8 <sup>th</sup> on RBI hit by Hendrick.
June 28	at West Michigan	9-6 (10)	Broke 6-6 tie in 10 <sup>th</sup> on RBI double by A. Callahan; Nelson added RBI double.
June 30	at West Michigan	7-6 (8) (G1	<ol> <li>Broke 5-5 tie in 8<sup>th</sup> on RBI single by T. Callihan; Creal added RBI single.</li> </ol>
July 23	Wisconsin	6-5	Trailed 5-4, mid 9. Jones 2-out HR to tie; Arroyo RBI single to win.
July 25	at Great Lakes	3-2	Trailed 2-0, top 9. Ibarra 2-out 3-R HR for lead and eventual win.

# **Notable Game Events**

#### 2023 Ejections

Player/Coach	Date	Opponent	Umpire	Reason
LaHair	April 20	at West Michigan	Fraley	Arguing balk call
Melendez	May 11	at Peoria	Rodriguez	Remark from dugout
Nelson	May 12	at Peoria	Rodriguez	Safe/out call at first base
LaHair	June 14 (G1)	at Fort Wayne	Shepherd	Fair/foul call on home run
LaHair	June 16	at Fort Wayne	Jackson	Remark from dugout
Parks	July 28	at Great Lakes	Rodriguez	Ruled to have committed intentional HBP
LaHair	July 28	at Great Lakes	Rodriguez	Arguing ejection of Parks

#### **Position Players on the Mound**

Player	Date	Opponent	Score Entering Game	Outcome
None				

# **Player Honors**

Dragons Midwest L	_eague Player/Pit	cher of the Week	
Player	Batter/Pitcher	Dates	Notes
Dunn	Batter	4/25-4/30	.550 Avg.; 3 HR, 10 RBI, 4 SB, 6 G
Crawford	Pitcher	7/3-7/9	5 IP, 0 H, 0 R, 0 BB, 9 SO
Dragons Midwest L Player	eague Player/Pit Batter/Pitcher	cher of the Month Month	า Notes
Dunn	Batter	April	.386 Avg.; 5 HR, 18 RBI, 11 SB, 1.240 OPS
Aguiar	Pitcher	Мау	2-0, 0.41, 22 IP, 1 ER, .099 Opp. Avg.
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#### Dragons Cincinnati Reds Minor League Player/Pitcher of the Month Player Batter/Pitcher Month Notes

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Dunn	Batter	April	.386 Avg.; 5 HR, 18 RBI, 11 SB, 1.240 OPS
Aguiar	Pitcher	May	2-0, 0.41, 22 IP, 1 ER, .099 Opp. Avg.

# The Last Time...

#### Batters

Dragons Hit Walk-Off Home Run: May 20, 2022, Justice Thompson, vs. Quad Cities (G2)

Dragons Player Hit Two Home Runs in a Game: July 19, 2023, Cade Hunter, vs. Wisconsin

Dragons Player Hit Three Home Runs in a Game: April 23, 2019, Pabel Manzanero, at Lake County

Dragons Player Collected Five Hits in a Game: July 20, 2018, Jose Garcia, at Wisconsin

Dragons Player Collected Four Hits in a Game: June 16, 2023, Tyler Callihan, at Fort Wayne

Dragons Player Had Three Extra Base Hits in a Game: May 28, 2023, Hayden Jones, at South Bend (3 2B)

Dragons Hit Inside-the-Park Home Run: May 14, 2023, Edwin Arroyo, at Peoria

Dragons Player Hit for the Cycle: July 21, 2011, Donald Lutz, vs. Peoria

Dragons Player Hit Grand Slam Home Run: July 16, 2023, Jack Rogers, at Lake County (G1)

Dragons Player Hit Pinch Hit Home Run: June 30, 2023, Tyler Callihan, at West Michigan (G1)

Dragons Batter Opened Game with Home Run: July 2, 2023, Jack Rogers, at West Michigan

Dragons Hit Back-to-Back Home Runs: April 26, 2023, Austin Callahan & Mat Nelson, vs. Lake County

Dragons Hit Three Straight Home Runs: June 13, 2015, Jose Ortiz, Jimmy Pickens, Luis Gonzalez, vs. Beloit

Dragons Player Stole Four Or More Bases in a Game: August 27, 2022, Jay Allen, at Quad Cities (5)

#### Pitchers

Dragons Team Threw a No-Hitter: May 20, 2017 (Scott Moss: 6 IP; Carlos Machorro: 2 IP; Brian Hunter: 1 IP)

Dragons Pitcher Threw a Complete Game a No-Hitter: May 13, 2006, Johnny Cueto, at Appleton (5 innings)

Dragons Opponent Threw a No-Hitter: May 16, 2023, vs. South Bend (3 pitchers combined)

Dragons Pitcher Tossed 7-Inning Complete Game: August 20, 2021, Eduardo Salazar, vs. Lake County

Dragons Pitcher Tossed 9-Inning Complete Game: June 28, 2017, Ty Boyles at West Michigan Dragons Pitcher Tossed 9-Inning Complete Game Shutout: June 28, 2017, Ty Boyles at West Michigan

Dragons Pitcher Struck out 10 or More Batters in a Game: May 20, 2022, Connor Phillips vs. Quad Cities (G2) (13 strikeouts)

Dragons Pitcher Struck out 12 or More Batters in a Game: May 20, 2022, Connor Phillips vs. Quad Cities (G2) (13 strikeouts)

Dragons Pitcher Struck out 4 Batters in an Inning: April 11, 2019, Ryan Campbell (4 in 7th), at Fort Wayne

#### **Team Notes**

Dragons Turned Triple Play: April 16, 2023, vs. Great Lakes (only one in franchise history)

Dragons Won at Least 7 Straight Games: August 25-Sept. 1, 2022 (won 7 straight) June 2-11, 2019 (won 9 straight)

Dragons Lost at Least 7 Straight Games: July 9-16 (lost 7 straight)

Dragons Scored at Least 15 Runs in a Game: April 26, 2023 vs. Lake County (17 runs)

Dragons Collected at Least 20 Hits in a Game: July 4, 2012 vs. South Bend (24 hits)

Dragons Won Back-to-Back Shutouts: April 26-27, 2022 at Fort Wayne

Dragons went Entire Series without an Error: June 8-11, 2018 vs. Bowling Green (4-game series) May 3-5, 2019 at Cedar Rapids (3-game series) July 8-9, 2015 vs. Bowling Green (2-game series)

Dragons Swept Home Series: Sept. 14-19, 2021 vs. Fort Wayne (6-game series) June 7-10, 2019 vs. Fort Wayne (4-game series) July 13-15, 2019 vs. Beloit (3-game series)

Dragons Swept Road Series: June 4-6, 2019 at West Michigan (3-game series) April 8-9, 2017 at Lake County (2-game series)

Dragons Were Swept in Home Series: June 21-24, 2018 vs. South Bend (4-game series) August 10-12, 2019 vs. Lansing (3-game series) April 6-7, 2017 vs. Lake County (2-game series)

Dragons Were Swept in Road Series: July 12-16, 2022 at Lake County (4-game series) May 1-2, 2019 at Peoria (3-game series) April 7-8, 2016 at Bowling Green (2-game series)

Dragons Played 9-Inning Game in Under Two Hours: July 22, 2023 vs. Wisconsin (one hour, 57 minutes)

Dragons Played a Game in Over Four Hours: July 8, 2021 vs. West Michigan (4 hours, 12 minutes, 9 inn.)

Dragons Played a Rain-Shortened Game: July 20, 2023, vs. Wisconsin (game called w/1 out, B9th, 11-2 loss)

# Jay Allen II

High School: John Carroll Catholic High School (Fort Pierce, FL) Acquired: Supplemental first round, 2021 draft (30th overall selection) Home: Fort Pierce, FL Joined Club: Start of Season (On injured list from April 9-July 4)

Prospect Rankings (pre-season unless otherwise noted): Reds #8 prospect by MLB.com (updated mid-July, 2023) Reds #14 prospect by Baseball America. Reds #17 prospect by Fangraphs. Reds #12 prospect by The Athletic.

Notes: 2023: Opened season with Dragons...Suffered sprained UCL in left thumb in third game of season on April 8 while diving into first base on an attempted infield single. Placed on injured list next day...Completed a brief injury rehabilitation assignment with the ACL Reds in Goodyear, Arizona from June 26-July 4, appearing in six games and going 3 for 13 (.231) with one home run and six stolen bases...Rejoined Dragons on July 5. 2022: Opened first full season of pro ball with Daytona...Finished fifth in the Florida State League in stolen bases with 31 despite playing in only 73 games...Promoted to Dayton on August 16 and became fourth youngest position player to appear in a Midwest League game in 2022... Broke Dragons club record for most stolen bases in a game with five on August 27 at Quad Cities... Finished third in Reds organization in stolen bases on the year with 43...Dragons went 16-6 after he joined the team. High School: Three-sport star at John Carroll Catholic High School (FL)...Football guarterback who threw for 29 touchdowns as a senior in 2020...As a guard in basketball, became school's first 1,000 point scorer...Received Division I interest in football, but committed to play baseball only at the University of Florida before signing with the Reds...Was rated as #20 high school prospect in the 2021 class by Perfect Game (and #5 outfielder)...Played in the 2020 Perfect Game All-American Classic...All five tools are graded 50 or higher by MLB Pipeline...Selected with compensatory pick received after losing free agent Trevor Bauer.

Season	League	Team	AVG	G	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2021	R	ACL Reds	.328	19	61	20	20	3	1	3	11	8	12	14	1	.440	.557	.997
2022	А	Daytona	.224	73	241	48	54	13	2	3	21	40	73	31	6	.359	.332	.691
2022	A+	Dayton	.230	18	74	13	17	1	2	0	8	4	19	12	4	.301	.297	.598
Career			.242	110	376	81	91	17	5	6	40	52	104	57	11	.362	.362	.724

### Edwin Arroyo

High School: Arecibo Baseball Academy (Arecibo, PR) Acquired: Trade with Seattle, July 30, 2022 Home: Arecibo, Puerto Rico Joined Club: Start of Season

Prospect Rankings (pre-season unless otherwise noted): Reds #2 prospect by MLB.com (updated mid-July, 2023) Reds #2 prospect (#40 overall) by ESPN. Reds #3 prospect (#65 overall) by Baseball America. Reds #4 prospect (#58 overall) by The Athletic. Rated as Reds organization's "Best Defensive Infielder" by Baseball America.

2023 World Baseball Classic: Played for Team Puerto Rico

Notes: 2022: Acquired from Seattle along with INF Noelvi Marte, RHP Levi Stoudt and RHP Andrew Moore in exchange for RHP Luis Castillo at the 2022 trade deadline...Selected by Baseball America as a Low-A All-Star (SS)...Played for Seattle's Low-A club, Modesto, prior to being acquired by the Reds and subsequently assigned to Daytona...Entered the season as the third youngest player in the California League...Ranked among offensive leaders at Low-A in hits (137, 1st), triples (10, 2nd), total bases (224, 3rd), runs (92, T4th), RBI (83, 7th), and extra-base hits (49, 7th)...Was rated by Baseball America as the best defensive infielder in the Mariners system. 2021: Selected by the Mariners in the second round (48th overall) of the First-Year Player Draft. High School: Attended Arecibo Baseball Academy in Puerto Rico and Central Pointe Christian Academy in Kissimmee (FL)...can throw with both hands and pitched left-handed as a prep.

From MLB Pipeline: "(Arroyo) has the chance to be a dynamic up-the-middle player. He swings the bat well from both sides of the plate and was productive each way, showing the ability to make hard contact with a line-drive approach. He's added a good amount of strength to his wiry build already, and that led to more power than anticipated out of the gate, though he's still more of a hit-over-power type. He could become even more of an impact hitter as he tightens up his approach... If he continues to hit at all, Arroyo could be an elite-level player because there's no doubt he's going to be able to play shortstop for a long time. He has excellent hands and actions at the premium position, with more than enough arm to make throws from all over the infield. Assuming he gets his bearings with his new organization, he should continue to prove he has the tools to be an everyday shortstop in the big leagues."

Season	League	Team	AVG	G	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	OBP	SLG	OPS
2021	R	ACL M's	.211	21	71	16	15	2	0	2	10	10	26	4	.337	.324	.661
2022	R	ACL Reds	.000	2	6	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	2	2	.222	.000	.222
2022	А	Modesto	.316	87	364	76	115	19	7	13	67	35	90	21	.385	.514	.899
2022	А	Daytona	.227	27	97	16	22	6	3	1	16	9	31	4	.303	.381	.684
Career			.283	137	538	109	152	27	10	16	94	56	149	31	.362	.459	.821

## Austin Callahan

Junior College: Hutchinson Community College (Hutchinson, KS); High School: Fremont (Fremont, NE) Acquired: 18th round, 2021 draft Home: Fremont, NE Joined Club: Start of Season

**Notes: 2022:** Opened the season in extended spring training before joining Daytona on June 3...Made 49 starts at third base and four at first base with Daytona...Enjoyed a strong month of July, batting .328 with three home runs in 19 games, posting a .578 slugging percentage and a .989 OPS...Hit two home runs vs. Palm Beach on July 23...Was the only Daytona player to finish with more hits (52) than strikeouts (49) (minimum 200 at-bats). **2021:** Appeared in 17 games with the ACL Reds after being drafted in July in the 18th round, utilized exclusively at third base. **Junior College:** Spent two seasons (2020-21) at Hutchinson Community College (KS)...In 2021, earned first-team All-Jayhawk West and All-Region VI honors and was an NJCAA Honorable Mention All-American, batting .422 with 21 home runs in 54 games, posting an .854 slugging percentage and a 1.364 OPS...Home run total was third highest in school history...Had three two-homer games and three four-hit games...Planned to transfer to Nebraska-Omaha before signing with Reds. **High School:** Graduated from Archbishop Bergan HS (Fremont, NE)...Selected 2019 Nebraska First Team All-State by *Omaha World Herald*.

Season	League	Team	AVG	G	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2021	R	ACL Reds	.182	17	44	11	8	2	0	3	10	9	17	0	0	.333	.432	.765
2022	А	DBT	.256	59	203	30	52	15	1	5	22	21	49	5	2	.326	.414	.740
Career			.243	76	247	41	60	17	1	8	32	30	66	5	2	.327	.417	.744

### Tyler Callihan

High School: Providence School (Jacksonville, FL) Acquired: 3rd round, 2019 draft Home: Neptune Beach, FL Joined Club: Start of Season

**Prospect Rankings (pre-season unless otherwise noted)**: Reds #26 prospect by MLB.com (updated mid-July, 2023) Reds #31 prospect by Fangraphs. Reds #16 prospect by The Athletic.

Notes: 2022: Start of season was delayed due to injury suffered in automobile accident during spring training in Arizona... Opened season with Daytona on May 17...Got off to slow start, batting .217 over first 14 games...Hit .324 over remaining 18 games before being promoted to Dayton on June 28...Made 28 starts at second base and one at third base with Daytona...Hit .203 with one home run in first 46 games with Dayton...In final 10 games, hit .359 with three home runs, four doubles, and a triple...Made 28 starts at third base and 22 at second base with Dayton. 2021: Made full-season debut with Daytona...Appeared in 23 games, starting every game at second base...Suffered season-ending right elbow sprain on June 2. 2019: Opened professional career with Greeneville of Appalachian League, starting 31 games at third base and another 19 at second base...Joined the Billings club for the final five games of the season and the playoffs. High School: Enjoyed tremendous, star-studded amateur career in native Florida, on the showcase circuit, and in international competition...Played at Providence School in Jacksonville primarily as a shortstop, catcher, and pitcher...Had more home runs (12) than strikeouts (10) in 119 plate appearances as senior in 2019...Named 2019 Florida Times-Union All-First Coast Player of the Year and to the All-First Coast All-Decade Team for the 2010's...Earned starting spot on high school team as an eighth grader...Providence School alumni include former MLB all-star Daniel Murphy and current NBA player Grayson Allen, former star for national champion Duke University... Member of USA Baseball's Under 18 national team that won the gold medal at the 2018 Pan American Championships in Panama...Started all nine games for TEAM USA, earning All-Tournament honors while batting .528 with two home runs...Reached final round of prestigious 2018 Under Armour All-America Home Run Derby before losing by one home run to future teammate Rece Hinds...One of eight sluggers to earn spot in 2018 Junior Home Run Derby at MLB All-Star Game hosted by Washington Nationals, finishing tied for fourth...Projected as first round pick by both ESPN and Bleacher Report in 2019 before being selected in the third round by the Reds...Rated by Perfect Game as the #3 prospect in the state of Florida and #10 prospect in America...Planned to attend the University of South Carolina before signing with the Reds.

Season	League	Team	AVG	G	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2019	R+	Greeneville	.250	52	204	27	51	10	5	5	26	9	46	9	3	.286	.422	.708
2019	R+	Billings	.400	5	20	3	8	0	1	1	7	1	4	2	0	.429	.650	1.079
2021	А	Daytona	.299	23	87	14	26	6	0	2	10	8	13	5	1	.351	.437	.788
2022	A	Daytona	.282	32	117	18	33	7	0	3	13	10	19	9	1	.336	.419	.755
2022	A+	Dayton	.232	56	211	27	49	12	4	4	20	17	61	6	2	.297	.384	.681
Career			.261	168	639	89	167	35	10	15	76	45	143	31	7	.312	.418	.730

### Yan Contreras

High School: Puerto Rico Baseball Academy (Gurabo, PR) Acquired: 12th round, 2019 draft

Home: San Lorenzo, PR

Joined Club: May 23 from Daytona

Notes: 2023: Opened season in extended spring training...Promoted to Daytona on May 3 and appeared in six games, batting .412 (7 for 17)...Missed entire 2021 season and all but two games in 2022 due to injury.

Season	League	Team	AVG	G	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	so	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2019	R	AZL Reds	.145	20	69	8	10	1	2	0	2	14	25	4	1	.298	.217	.515
2022	R	ACL Reds	.000	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	0	0	.714	.000	.714
2023	А	Daytona	.412	6	17	4	7	4	0	0	6	2	5	3	0	.524	.647	1.171
Career			.193	28	88	12	17	5	2	0	8	20	32	7	1	.366	.295	.661

#### **Trey Faltine** College: University of Texas; High School: Travis (Richmond, TX) Acquired: 7th round, 2022 draft Home: Richmond, TX Joined Club: Start of Season

**Notes:** 2022: Joined Reds organization after 2022 draft...Played in one game with ACL Reds before finishing the season by appearing in 21 games at Daytona, starting eight games at shortstop, six at second base, and three as designated hitter. **College**: Played three years at the University of Texas (2020-2022), starting all but one game at shortstop during his college career...Helped Longhorns to 2022 College World Series and final ranking of #8 in the nation...Considered to be one of the best defensive shortstops in college baseball in 2022...Enjoyed best offensive season at UT in 2022, batting .282 with 15 home runs while starting all 69 games at shortstop...Blasted game-winning walk-off home run to break 10-10 tie vs. Air Force, April 20, 2022. **High School:** Star pitcher at Travis High School in Richmond, Texas...Played for USA Baseball's 18 & under team in 2018 (teammate of Tyler Callihan), winning a Gold Medal at the Pan American Championships.

Season	League	Team	AVG	G	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2022	R	ACL Reds	.500	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	.667	.500	1.167
2022	А	Daytona	.237	21	59	12	14	6	0	1	10	14	24	1	0	.397	.390	.787
Career			.246	22	61	13	15	6	0	1	10	15	24	1	0	.407	.393	.800

### Austin Hendrick

High School: West Allegheny (Imperial, PA) Acquired: 1st round, 2020 draft (12th overall) Home: Oakdale, PA Joined Club: Start of Season

Prospect Rankings (pre-season unless otherwise noted): Reds #17 prospect by MLB.com (updated mid-July, 2023) Reds #35 prospect by Fangraphs.

**Notes: 2022:** Tied for fourth in Reds organization in home runs with 21...Opened season at Daytona and played in 36 games...Started 27 games in right field and six in center field...Promoted to Dayton on May 24...Started 31 games in both center field and right field for Dayton. **2021:** Opened professional career by playing in 63 games at Daytona, batting .211 with seven home runs...Missed three weeks of the season with a strained groin. **High School/Personal:** Played at West Allegheny High School, about 15 miles west of downtown Pittsburgh...Won the prestigious 2019 Under Armour All-America Home Run Derby...Finished fourth in the Junior Home Run Derby at the 2019 MLB All-Star Game hosted by the Cleveland Guardians...Played for 2019 Team USA Under-18 national team at World Cup in South Korea...Rated by Perfect Game as the #3 high school prospect in America in 2020...Planned to attend Mississippi State before signing with the Reds.

Season	League	Team	AVG	G	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2021	А	Daytona	.211	63	209	30	44	16	0	7	29	51	100	4	2	.380	.388	.768
2022	А	Daytona	.205	36	127	19	26	4	0	7	21	14	58	2	0	.297	.402	.699
2022	A+	Dayton	.222	73	261	39	58	17	0	14	48	29	107	14	5	.311	.448	.759
Career			.214	172	597	88	128	37	0	28	98	94	265	20	7	.334	.417	.751

## Cade Hunter

College: Virginia Tech; High School: Lenape (Medford, NJ) Acquired: 5th round, 2022 draft Home: Mount Laurel, NJ Joined Club: July 18 from Daytona

Prospect Rankings (pre-season unless otherwise noted): Reds #26 prospect by Baseball America.

**Notes:** 2023: Began season at Daytona...Had a pair of two-homer games in June with Tortugas (June 3, June 28)...Joined Dragons on July 18...Ranked tied for seventh in FSL in home runs with 10 at time of promotion...Had 28 starts at catcher, 26 in left field, and six at designated hitter with Daytona. **College**: Spent three years at Virginia Tech, 2020-22...Batted .330 with 17 home runs in 58 games as junior in 2022 to earn 2<sup>nd</sup> Team All-ACC honors...Connected on home run against Wright State in NCAA Regional...Also homered vs. Oklahoma in second game of Super Regional...VT finished one win short of reaching College World Series...Named to ABCA/Rawlings Atlantic All-Region 2<sup>nd</sup> Team...Also selected to 2022 All-ACC Academic Team. **Personal**: Father, Scott, is Director of Amateur Scouting for Seattle Mariners after completing 10-year minor league playing career, reaching Triple-A.

Season	League	Team	AVG	G	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2022	R	ACL Reds	.400	6	15	5	6	2	1	1	5	5	4	0	0	.571	.867	1.438
2022	А	Daytona	.308	8	26	5	8	1	0	2	8	2	7	3	0	.357	.577	.934
2023	А	Daytona	.245	61	212	34	52	5	0	10	34	29	75	5	3	.355	.410	.765
Career			.261	75	253	44	66	8	1	13	47	36	86	8	3	.370	.455	.825

## **Ruben Ibarra**

College: San Jose State University; High School: Saint Francis Central Coast Catholic (Watsonville, CA) Acquired: 4th round, 2021 draft Home: Watsonville, CA Joined Club: April 25 from extended spring training

**Notes: 2023**: Opened season in extended spring training due to hamstring injury. Joined Dragons April 25. **2022**: At 6'5", 290 lbs., is one of the biggest players in Dragons history...Opened 2022 season with Daytona, appearing in 42 games...Won Florida State League Batter of the Week award during final week at Daytona, batting .600 (12 for 20) with three home runs in five games...In his last 14 games at Daytona, batted .467 (21 for 45) with four home runs, 13 RBI, and an .822 slugging percentage...Promoted to Dayton on June 15 to assume starting first base role as Alex McGarry was moved to Chattanooga...Season came to an early end on July 23 when he suffered a broken thumb in a collision at first base. **2021**: Opened pro career by appearing in 2019...All-Mountain West Conference in 2021 when he ranked second in NCAA Division I in slugging percentage (.850)...Shattered school record for home runs per game with 14 in 35 games (record had stood for 31 years)...Batted .381 in 2021 at SJSU. **High School/Personal**: Played at St. Francis High School, earning All League honors in baseball, football, and basketball...Grandfather and uncle are professional steer wrestlers.

Season	League	Team	AVG	G	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2021	R	ACL Reds	.400	4	10	3	4	1	0	1	2	2	3	0	0	.500	.800	1.300
2021	А	Daytona	.195	27	82	9	16	3	0	1	8	16	29	0	0	.358	.268	.626
2022	А	Daytona	.286	42	140	21	40	7	0	7	26	17	42	2	1	.378	.486	.864
2022	A+	Dayton	.188	25	85	11	16	3	0	4	8	7	21	1	0	.266	.365	.631
Career			.240	98	317	44	76	14	0	13	44	42	95	3	1	.348	.407	.755

### **Hayden Jones**

College: Illinois State University, Mississippi State University; High School: Carroll (Fort Wayne, IN) Acquired: NDFA, 2021 Home: Fort Wayne, IN Joined Club: Start of Season

**Notes:** 2022: Opened the season and spent most of the year with Daytona...Promoted to Dayton on August 30...Only hit with the Dragons was a home run in his final at-bat of the year on September 9. **College/High School**: Opened college career at Mississippi State University, playing in 27 games as a freshman in 2019 and batting .225 with one home run...Sat out the 2020 season and spent 2021 at Illinois State, appearing in 38 games, batting .230 with five home runs...Signed as a non-drafted free agent by the Reds after the 2021 draft...Played at Carroll High School in Fort Wayne...Three-time First Team All-State by Indiana High School Coaches Association...MVP of the Indiana North-South All-Star Game. **Personal**: Father, Ken Jones, was a two-time All-MAC selection at Western Michigan before being drafted by the San Diego Padres and later becoming an assistant coach at Ball State and Western Michigan...Cousin, Tyler Jones, pitched at the University of Dayton for five seasons, appearing in 83 career games to rank second in school history.

Season	League	Team	AVG	G	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2021	R	ACL Reds	.207	12	29	4	6	1	0	0	4	4	14	1	0	.324	.241	.565
2022	А	Daytona	.243	72	243	31	59	12	0	9	31	19	77	2	2	.305	.403	.708
2022	A+	Dayton	.067	4	15	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	7	0	0	.067	.267	.334
Career		-	.230	88	287	37	66	13	0	10	36	23	98	3	2	.295	.380	.675

## Wendell Marrero

School: Puerto Rico Baseball Academy Acquired: 11<sup>th</sup> Round, 2019 draft Home: Dorado, Puerto Rico Joined Club: April 25 from Daytona

**Notes:** 2023: Opened season with Daytona, appearing in 12 games (.156, 1 HR, 5 RBI)...Started seven games in left field and two in right field...also played briefly in center field. **Previous**: Began professional career with AZL Reds in 2019, batting .324 to rank fourth in the Reds organization...Made full-season debut in 2021 with Low-A Daytona...Primary position in pro career has been left field but has also played right field and first base extensively.

Season	Leagu e	Team	AVG	G	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2019	R	AZL Reds	.324	30	102	18	33	4	2	3	21	12	33	0	0	.425	.490	.915
2021	R	ACL Reds	.231	17	52	9	12	1	2	4	11	6	25	0	1	.333	.558	.891
2021	А	Daytona	.203	65	212	30	43	7	2	5	17	29	85	0	2	.319	.325	.644
2022	R	ACL Reds	.250	22	60	15	15	4	1	2	11	16	22	0	0	.451	.450	.901
2022	А	Daytona	.260	25	77	6	20	6	0	0	11	8	27	2	0	.333	.338	.671
2023	А	Daytona	.156	12	32	4	5	2	0	1	5	7	11	1	0	.325	.313	.638
Career			.239	171	535	82	128	24	7	15	76	78	203	3	3	.359	.394	.753

### Mat Nelson

College: Florida State University; High School: Calvary Christian (Clearwater, FL) Acquired: Supplemental 1<sup>st</sup> Round (CB-A) (35th overall), 2021 draft Home: Largo, FL

Joined Club: Start of Season (on Injured List from May 26-June 1)

Prospect Rankings (pre-season): Reds #30 prospect by Fangraphs.

**Notes:** 2022: Spent the entire season as the starting catcher with Dayton. 2021: Appeared in 10 games to open professional career...Selected by Reds with 35th overall selection of 2021 draft (supplemental first round; Competitive Balance A)...Joined ACL Reds on August 10 and appeared in two games before being transferred to Dragons on August 14...Suffered a sprained thumb on August 28 and missed the remainder of the season. College: Spent three seasons at Florida State University, 2019-21...2021 Atlantic Coast Conference Player of the Year...Led the nation in home runs with 23 while batting .330 with 50 RBI...2021 winner of the Johnny Bench Award and Buster Posey Award (nation's best catcher)...Perfect Game/Rawlings National Player of the Year...Selected 1st Team All-American by numerous publications including Baseball America, ABCA, NCBWA, Collegiate Baseball...1st Team All-ACC...Earned Florida State starting catcher role at beginning of freshman year in 2019. High School: Played at Calvary Christian High School in Clearwater, Florida as the school won 60 consecutive games, a state record, won the Florida state championship, and earned a #1 national ranking...Selected 3rd Team All-American by Perfect Game/Rawlings as a senior...Assistant Coach in high school was the late Roy Halladay (2019 Hall of Fame inductee).

Season	League	Team	AVG	G	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2021	R	ACL Reds	.000	2	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	.333	.000	.333
2021	A+	Dayton	.208	8	24	3	5	2	1	0	3	4	15	0	1	.345	.375	.720
2022	A+	Dayton	.219	82	283	40	62	13	2	8	24	24	108	1	0	.303	.364	.667
Career			.215	92	311	44	67	15	3	8	27	30	125	1	1	.307	.360	.667

#### **Jack Rogers**

College: Sam Houston State University; High School: Klein Collins (Spring, TX) Acquired: 9th round, 2021 draft

Home: Spring, TX

Joined Club: Start of Season (on Injured List from May 26-June 6)

**Notes:** 2022: Opened season with Dayton and struggled to a 0 for 26 start to the year...Started eight games at first base, eight in left field, and three in right field...Transferred to Daytona on May 23...After a 2 for 14 start with Daytona, batted .293 with 10 home runs in his remaining time there...Saw majority of time in right field with Daytona but also received double-digit starts at first base and left field. 2021: Began professional career by appearing in four games with ACL Reds before joining Dragons on August 11...Hit three home runs in his first eight games with the Dragons...Blasted ninth inning game-tying two-run home run at Lansing August 15...Started six games in left field, six in right, three at first base, and three as a designated hitter for the Dragons. **College**: Spent four years at Sam Houston State University, 2018-21...As a senior in 2021, batted .367 with 16 home runs, 55 RBI, and 12 stolen bases to earn Second Team All-Southland Conference honors...Finished second in school history in single-season home runs and also ranked second in career homers with 30...Hit three home runs. **High School**: Two-way star at Klein Collins High School in Texas, where he earned All-District honors as a pitcher/outfielder...Went 12-1 with a 1.09 ERA as a senior while batting .375 with five home runs.

Season	League	Team	AVG	G	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2021	R	ACL Reds	.364	4	11	4	4	1	0	0	1	1	1	3	0	.417	.455	.872
2021	A+	Dayton	.188	18	64	10	12	1	1	3	8	3	32	1	0	.221	.375	.596
2022	А	Daytona	.285	72	253	42	72	17	5	10	43	25	104	4	2	.357	.510	.867
2022	A+	Dayton	.097	21	62	9	6	1	1	0	4	12	29	3	2	.253	.145	.398
Career			.241	115	390	65	94	20	7	13	56	41	166	11	4	.320	.428	.748

### **Justice Thompson**

College: University of North Carolina; High School: King (Tampa, FL) Acquired: 6th round, 2021 draft Home: Tampa, FL Joined Club: Start of Season

**Notes**: Joined Dragons April 22 from Daytona after appearing in nine games with Tortugas...Connected on Dragons first walk-off home run since 2015 (Aristides Aquino) on May 20 against Quad Cities, hitting a three-run blast to left with two outs and the Dragons trailing by one run...Had a strong finish to the year beginning August 7, appearing in 23 games and batting .293 with four home runs in 75 at-bats...On the year with Dayton, started 40 games in left field, 35 in center, and 9 in right. **College**: Spent one season at North Carolina in 2021, appearing in 54 games and batting .304 with seven home runs...Spent 2019 at junior college level with Northwest Florida College. **High School/Personal**: Played at King High School in Tampa...Father, David Thompson, played football at University of South Florida.

Season	League	Team	AVG	G	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2021	R	ACL Reds	.316	7	19	4	6	2	1	0	3	3	5	1	1	.435	.526	.961
2021	А	Daytona	.217	21	69	6	15	2	0	2	9	13	23	1	0	.341	.333	.674
2022	А	Daytona	.257	9	35	3	9	1	0	0	0	4	17	3	1	.333	.286	.619
2022	A+	Dayton	.247	90	291	45	72	15	2	7	34	49	117	20	7	.364	.385	.749
Career			.246	127	414	58	102	20	3	9	46	69	162	25	9	.361	.374	.735

# Pitchers

### **Kevin Abel**

College: Oregon State University; High School: James Madison (San Diego, CA) Acquired: 7th Round, 2021 draft Home: San Diego, CA Joined Club: July 14 from Daytona

**Notes:** 2023: Began season in extended spring training before joining Daytona club on April 25...Made 12 appearances (7 starts) with Daytona, going 3-2, 4.69 with 61 strikeouts in 40.1 innings...Relied heavily on outstanding change-up...Fastball averaged 90-93 mph...Also featured a curveball...Joined Dragons on July 14. **College/High School**: Spent four years at Oregon State (2018-21) but did not pitch in 2020 due to injury...Pitched a two-hit complete game shutout against Arkansas in the championship game of the 2018 College World Series as a freshman to give OSU a national title...Named *Baseball America* Freshman of the Year, going 8-1 with a 2.88 ERA...After missing most of 2019 and all of 2020, returned in 2021 to earn All-PAC 12 honorable mention, going 3-5 with a 3.62 ERA. Played at Madison High School...Named the 2017 San Diego CIF Pitcher of the Year...Participated in the 2016 USA Baseball Tournament of Stars...

Season	League	Team	W	L	ERA	G	GS	sv	IP	н	HR	BB	SO	WHIP	AVG
2021	R	ACL Reds	0	0	9.00	3	3	0	4	2	1	3	6	1.25	.154
2022	R	ACL Reds	1	0	1.17	2	1	0	7.2	3	0	5	14	1.04	.115
2022	А	Daytona	1	3	6.97	11	5	0	31	34	4	29	52	2.03	.276
2023	А	Daytona	3	2	4.69	12	7	0	40.1	35	4	32	61	1.66	.236
Career			5	5	5.42	28	16	0	83	74	9	69	133	1.72	.239

### Jose Acuña

College: None

Acquired: Trade with New York Mets, July 28, 2022. Originally signed by Mets as international free agent, July 3, 2019. Home: Bejuma, Venezuela

Joined Club: Start of Season

**Notes:** 2022: Acquired by Reds at trade deadline along with outfielder Hector Rodriguez in exchange for major league outfielder Tyler Naquin and Triple-A pitcher Phillip Diehl...Opened season in extended spring training before making six appearances with FCL Mets when their season began in June...Promoted to Single-A St. Lucie in July and made two strong starts before trade to Reds organization...Remained in the same league after the deal, joining Daytona to close out the season...Allowed no earned runs in first two outings with Daytona covering nine innings...Best outing with Daytona was his second game with the club, when he fired four perfect innings with four strikeouts on August 7...Tossed five shutout innings on Sept. 1, allowing just one hit with no walks and four strikeouts...Combined stats in 2022 with three teams included a record of 3-1 with 2.91 ERA in 15 games (10 starts).

Season	League	Team	w	L	ERA	G	GS	sv	IP	н	HR	BB	SO	WHIP	AVG
2021	R	FCL Mets	1	0	3.86	4	3	0	7	3	2	3	7	0.86	.130
2022	R	FCL Mets	3	0	3.16	6	3	0	25.2	18	2	7	36	0.97	.196
2022	А	St. Lucie	0	0	1.13	2	2	0	8	4	0	5	12	1.13	.143
2022	А	Daytona	0	1	3.16	7	5	0	31.1	17	1	10	35	0.86	.160
Career			4	1	3.00	19	13	0	72	42	5	25	90	0.93	.169

### **Dennis Boatman**

Junior College: Sacramento City College (freshman season at UCLA); High School: Woodcreek (Roseville, CA) Acquired: 17th round, 2021 draft Home: Roseville, CA

Joined Club: May 9 (from ACL Reds)

#### Prospect Rankings (pre-season): Reds #39 prospect by Fangraphs.

**Notes: 2022**: Spent first four months of season at Daytona, making 20 relief appearances...Struck out 42 batters in just 29.1 innings...Fastball averaged 94-96 mph at Daytona...Promoted to Dragons on August 4. **College**: Spent 2019 season at UCLA as a redshirt...Transferred to Sacramento City College for 2020 and 2021 seasons, appearing in 12 games (11 starts) with a 4-0 record and 2.45 ERA...Played at Woodcreek High School in Roseville, California.

Season	League	Team	w	L	ERA	G	GS	sv	IP	н	HR	BB	SO	AVG
2021	R	ACL Reds	1	0	1.42	4	1	0	6.1	3	0	2	5	.150
2022	А	Daytona	4	6	3.38	20	0	5	29.1	22	3	15	42	.212
2022	A+	Dayton	3	2	3.14	9	0	1	14.1	11	2	3	18	.208
Career			8	8	3.06	33	1	6	50	36	5	20	65	.203

# **Brooks Crawford**

College: Clemson University; High School: Oconee County (Watkinsville, GA) Acquired: Selected from Giants in 2022 Minor League Rule 5 Draft (Originally selected by Giants in 29th round of 2019 draft) Home: Bishop, GA

Joined Club: Start of Season

**Notes**: Joined Reds organization after being selected by Cincinnati from San Francisco Giants in Minor League portion of 2022 Rule 5 Draft...Spent three seasons in Giants organization, working exclusively as a reliever (87 appearances)...Posted a combined record of 14-4 over the 2021-22 seasons. **2022**: Spent entire 2022 season at the High-A level with the Giants affiliate at Eugene (Northwest League)...Final ERA was strong at 3.19, but without one bad outing (6 ER in 0.1 IP on July 13), final ERA would have been 2.24. College: Spent four seasons at Clemson (2016-19)...Record over his first three seasons was 15-2 before struggling at 1-5, 6.96 as senior in 2019...Went 8-2 with a 3.24 ERA as junior in 2018 to tie for ACC lead in victories... Earned degree in Sports Communication. **High School**: Named 2015 area Player of the Year by *Athens Banner-Herald* as senior at Oconee County High School (same school as MLB all-star Adam Frazier, who is now with Baltimore).

Season	League	Team	w	L	ERA	G	GS	sv	IP	н	HR	BB	SO	AVG
2019	R	AZL Giants BI	0	1	6.14	12	0	3	14.2	12	1	7	14	.226
2021	А	San Jose	6	1	1.96	32	0	4	46	38	2	7	57	.221
2022	A+	Eugene	8	3	3.18	43	0	2	56.2	49	7	20	64	.239
Career			14	5	3.07	87	0	9	117.1	99	10	34	135	.230

### **Myles Gayman**

College: Barry University (Miami Shores, FL), Penn State University; High School: Greencastle-Antrim (Greencastle, PA) Acquired: NDFA, July 1, 2020 Home: Greencastle, PA Joined Club: Start of Season

**Notes: 2022:** Began season with Dragons and remained with club until promotion to Double-A Chattanooga on August 23...Beginning May 26 until promotion, posted ERA of 1.98 (36.1 IP, 8 ER with only six walks). **2021**: Opened pro career by making 10 relief appearances with the ACL Reds in Goodyear and participated in Fall Instructional League...walked just two batters in 15 innings. **College**: Spent first two seasons at Penn State in 2017-18, making 13 appearances...Transferred to NCAA Division II powerhouse Barry University for final two seasons, playing in same conference (Sunshine State Conf.) in 2019 as former Dragon catcher Garrett Wolforth, who was at Nova Southeastern...Had incredible 2020 season, allowing just one earned run in 43.2 innings for a 0.21 ERA at Barry.

Season	League	Team	w	L	ERA	G	GS	sv	IP	Н	HR	BB	SO	AVG
2021	R	ACL Reds	1	1	4.11	10	0	2	15.1	20	1	2	23	.308
2022	A+	Dayton	3	1	2.94	24	0	1	49	48	5	10	53	.259
2022	AA	Chattanooga	0	0	18.41	6	0	0	7.1	17	4	6	9	.425
Career			4	2	4.77	40	0	3	71.2	85	10	18	85	.293

### **Owen Holt**

Junior College: Alvin Community College (TX); Harvard University; High School: Lamar (Houston, TX) Acquired: 16th Round, 2021 draft Home: Houston, TX Joined Club: Start of Season

**Notes: 2022**: Opened season at Daytona and appeared in 20 games before receiving promotion to Dayton on August 23...Allowed one run in first appearance of the season and then was unscored upon over next 11 outings covering 19.1 innings...ERA remained under 2.00 until final outing with the Tortugas on August 20, when he allowed three runs in two innings...Fastball averaged 92-95 mph at Daytona. **College/High School**: Played quarterback for two seasons at Harvard before joining the baseball team in 2020...Made two starts at Harvard before Covid caused shutdown of 2020 season and the cancelation of the 2021 season...Enrolled at Alvin Community College while continuing to take classes on-line at Harvard (eventually earning degree at Harvard) and spent 2021 season with Alvin baseball team. Leading to 16th round draft selection by Reds...Star quarterback at Lamar High School in Houston, Texas...Lamar High School has many famous alumni including auto racing legend A.J. Foyt, television actress Jaclyn Smith (Charlie's Angels), movie and TV star Paula Prentiss, former NBC news anchor Linda Ellerbee, and current major league star Anthony Rendon.

Season	League	Team	W	L	ERA	G	GS	SV	IP	н	HR	BB	SO	AVG
2021	R	ACL Reds	2	1	7.71	4	1	0	7	7	1	2	11	.233
2022	А	Daytona	2	1	2.41	20	0	3	37.1	26	2	13	42	.193
2022	A+	Dayton	0	0	2.45	4	0	0	7.1	5	0	3	7	.192
Career			4	2	3.14	28	1	3	51.2	38	3	18	60	.199

#### Zach Maxwell College: Georgia Tech; High School: North Paulding (Dallas, GA) Acquired: 6th Round, 2022 draft Home: Acworth, GA

Joined Club: July 14 from Daytona

Notes: 2023: Opened season with Daytona before joining Dragons on July 14...Fastball clocked at 100.6 mph on June 9 vs. St. Lucie. College: Spent three years at Georgia Tech, 2020-22...Appeared in 49 games (10 starts), going 8-3 with a 4.24 ERA...Notched 160 strikeouts in 97.2 innings...Played at North Paulding High School in Georgia (hometown of Acworth is 30 miles NW of Atlanta)...Father, Tom, played basketball at Idaho State University.

Season	League	Team	W	L	ERA	G	GS	sv	IP	н	HR	BB	SO	WHIP	AVG
2022	R	ACL Reds	0	0	0.00	2	0	1	2	1	0	1	3	1.00	.167
2022	A	Daytona	0	0	6.75	3	0	0	5.1	4	0	7	7	2.06	.190
2023	A	Daytona	3	2	3.79	21	0	1	35.2	30	1	23	55	1.49	.227
Career			3	2	3.98	26	0	2	43	35	1	31	65	1.53	.220

### Chris McElvain

College: Vanderbilt University; High School: Summit (Spring Hill, TN) Acquired: 8<sup>th</sup> round, 2022 draft Home: Thompson's Station, TN Joined Club: June 20 from Daytona

**Notes: 2023:** Began season at Daytona...Promoted to Dayton on June 20...Ranked second in Florida State League in earned run average at time of promotion at 3.04...Also ranked third in opponent's batting average (.212) and third in WHIP (1.17)...Allowed batting average of .192 with runners in scoring position...Did not pitch professionally after being drafted in 2022. **College**: Spent three seasons at Vanderbilt (2020-2022)...Posted career record of 11-6 with a 4.33 ERA in 44 games (17 starts)...Made 16 starts for Vanderbilt in 2022, going 6-5 with a 4.27 ERA with 100 strikeouts in 86.1 innings. High School: Played at Summit H.S. in Spring Hill, Tennessee...Member of gold-winning USA Baseball national 15U team in 2015.

Season	League	Team	w	L	ERA	G	GS	sv	IP	н	HR	BB	SO	WHIP	AVG
2023	A	Daytona	3	3	3.04	12	8	0	50.1	40	3	19	53	1.17	.212
Career			3	3	3.04	12	8	0	50.1	40	3	19	53	1.17	.212

### John Murphy

College: University of Maryland; High School: Gloucester Catholic (Gloucester City, NJ) Acquired: Minor League Free agent, 2023 Home: Merchantville, NJ Joined Club: May 14 from Daytona

**Notes: 2023:** Signed as Minor League free agent on February 3, 2023...Opened 2023 season with Daytona, appearing in 10 games as reliever, going 1-0 with a 2.19 ERA and three saves...Promoted to Dayton on May 16. **2022**: Played for Gateway in Frontier League, going 1-4 with a 2.75 ERA and nine saves in 36 appearances. Also played in Frontier League in 2021 after playing in independent United Shore Baseball League in 2019-20. College: Pitched four seasons at University of Maryland, 2016-19...Appeared in 75 games (three starts) with record of 4-5 and 4.09 ERA...Notched 11 saves as senior in 2019, tied for third most in program history.

Season	League	Team	w	L	ERA	G	GS	SV	IP	н	HR	BB	SO	WHIP	AVG
2023	A	Daytona	1	0	2.19	10	0	3	12.1	9	0	3	15	0.97	.200
Career			1	0	2.19	10	0	3	12.1	9	0	3	15	0.97	.200

### Hunter Parks

Junior College: Florence-Darlington Technical College (Florence, SC); High School: York Comprehensive (York, SC) Acquired: 8th round, 2021 draft

Home: York, SC

Joined Club: Start of Season

**Notes: 2022**: Spent entire season at Daytona, working as both a starter and reliever...Fastball averaged 92-95 mph...Enjoyed strong first half to the season with ERA at 2.65 on June 5 over first 10 outings. **Junior College:** Became highest drafted player in school history at Florence-Darlington Technical College when Reds selected him in the eighth round in 2021...Helped team to second-ever appearance in the JUCO World Series, going 6-0 with a 1.90 ERA...Planned to transfer to University of South Carolina until signing with the Reds...Was named as one of the top five junior college prospects in the 2021 draft class by Perfect Game.

Season	League	Team	W	L	ERA	G	GS	sv	IP	Н	HR	BB	SO	AVG
2021	R	ACL Reds	0	0	1.59	6	3	0	11.1	8	0	4	13	.200
2022	А	Daytona	4	6	4.70	25	14	1	82.1	75	7	53	94	.241
Career			4	6	4.32	31	17	1	93.2	83	7	57	107	.236

# **Chase Petty**

High School: Mainland Regional High School (Linwood, NJ)

Acquired: Trade, Twins, 2022 (Originally signed by Twins as 2021 first round draft pick—26th overall selection). Home: Somers Point, NJ

Joined Club: May 6 (activated from injured list)

#### Prospect Rankings (pre-season unless otherwise noted): Reds #7 prospect by MLB.com (updated late-June, 2023)

Reds #5 prospect by The Athletic. Reds #6 prospect by Baseball America. Reds #6 prospect by Fangraphs.

Selected by MLB.com as Reds pitching prospect with "Best Slider" and Honorable Mention for "Best Change-up" and "Best Control"

**Notes: 2022**: Acquired from Minnesota Twins on March 13, 2022 in exchange for Major League pitcher Sonny Gray and minor league relief pitcher Francis Peguera...Opened season at Daytona...Utilized in a tandem role for the first half of the season, alternating starts and relief appearances...From June 1 until promotion to Dayton on July 27, recorded an ERA of 2.34 (34.2 IP, 9 ER)...Fastball at Daytona generally ranged from 92-96 mph...Allowed no runs in three of his seven starts with Dayton, including outing on August 11 vs. Lansing when he fired four no-hit innings, retiring 12 of 13 batters faced with six strikeouts...Beginning with his third start with Dayton, posted ERA of 2.38 in final five outings of season covering 22.2 innings with three walks and 28 strikeouts...Named as Pitcher with Best Fastball in Minnesota Twins organization prior to 2022 season. **2021**: Tossed just five innings with Twins Gulf Complex League team after being drafted in first round in July. High School: Played at Mainland Regional High School in Linwood, New Jersey, Boto The Year after senior season in 2021...Ranked by Baseball America as the hardest throwing high school pitcher and fifth best overall high school pitching prospect in the 2021 draft...Fastball clocked at 100 mph at the 2020 WWBA National Championship in Marietta, Georgia...Pitched in the 2020 Perfect Game All-American Classic in Oklahoma City...Committed to play at University of Florida before signing professionally.

Season	League	Team	W	L	ERA	G	GS	sv	IP	н	HR	BB	SO	AVG
2021	R	GCL Twins	0	0	5.40	2	1	0	5	6	0	1	6	.300
2022	А	Daytona	0	4	3.06	18	13	0	67.2	57	5	24	63	.233
2022	A+	Dayton	1	2	4.40	7	7	0	30.2	27	2	7	33	.231
Career			1	6	3.57	27	21	0	103.1	90	7	32	102	.236

### **Braxton Roxby**

College: University of Pittsburgh-Johnstown; High School: Windber (Windber, PA) Acquired: NDFA, 2020 Home: Windber, PA Joined Club: Start of Season

**Notes:** 2022: Opened season on injured list before being activated on May 26...Tossed scoreless baseball over final five relief appearances covering 8.2 innings with 14 strikeouts. 2021: Opened professional career with Dragons in a rare case of an undrafted free agent beginning at the High-A level...Debuted on opening night on May 4, striking out all three batters he faced after entering game with tying runs on base and no outs in eighth inning at Great Lakes...Did not allow a run over first 11 pro outings covering 14.2 innings, notching 25 strikeouts while surrendering just four hits as he dominated opposing hitters with heavy use of his slider...Promoted to Chattanooga on July 24 after posting 1.30 ERA in 21 relief appearances with Dragons...Returned to Dragons after six outings in Double-A...Allowed eight runs in four innings in August with Dragons, pushing ERA from 1.30 to 2.31...Placed on injured list on August 27 and did not pitch in September. College: Played three seasons at Division II Pittsburgh-Johnstown, 2018-20, going a combined 7-9 with a 6.90 ERA in 27 appearances including 16 starts...Reached double-digits in strikeouts in two of his four starts in 2020, with a high of 12. High School: Played at Windber High School in Pennsylvania, where he earned all-conference honors in both football and basketball.

Season	League	Team	w	L	ERA	G	GS	sv	IP	н	HR	BB	SO	AVG
2021	A+	Dayton	2	2	2.41	25	0	5	33.2	23	1	21	53	.189
2021	AA	Chattanooga	0	0	15.00	6	0	0	6	14	2	2	8	.438
2022	A+	Dayton	3	0	4.84	19	0	3	22.1	20	0	10	32	.238
Career			5	2	4.50	50	0	8	62	57	3	33	93	.239

## **Carson Rudd**

College: Stanford University; High School: Oaks Christian (Westlake, CA)

Acquired: NDFA, 2020

Home: Agoura Hills, CA

Joined Club: Start of Season (on Injured List from May 16-June 3)

Notes: 2022: Opened season with Dayton and struggled with inconsistency, allowing no runs in 11 of 20 relief appearances but surrendering 26 runs in the other nine games...Transferred to Daytona on July 12...Limited opponents to a combined batting average of .135 at Daytona...Fastball averaged 93-95 with Daytona. 2021: Opened pro career by appearing in six games with three starts for Low-A Daytona...Struck out 23 batters in just 15 innings with a 4.02 ERA. College: Spent three seasons at Stanford University, making 38 relief appearances with a career ERA of 4.36...Posted a 2.95 ERA in 21.1 innings in 2019 as a sophomore...Played at Oaks Christian High School outside of Los Angeles (same school as former NFL quarterback Jimmy Clausen and many other professional athletes) and was selected as 2016 Ventura County "Large Schools" Pitcher of the Year...Resides in Agoura Hills, California, located about 35 miles northwest of downtown Los Angeles.

Season	League	Team	W	L	ERA	G	GS	SV	IP	н	HR	BB	SO	AVG
2021	R	ACL Reds	0	0	40.50	1	1	0	0.2	1	1	3	2	.333
2021	А	Daytona	1	3	4.02	6	3	0	15.2	14	1	6	23	.237
2022	А	Daytona	2	1	2.77	8	3	0	26	12	1	16	38	.135
2022	A+	Dayton	1	4	8.88	20	0	3	24.1	26	9	14	33	.268
Career			4	8	5.67	35	7	3	66.2	53	12	39	96	.214

## Jayvien Sandridge

College: Lynn University (Boca Raton, FL); High School: Mercersburg Academy (Mercersburg, PA) Acquired: MiLB Free Agent, 2021 (Originally signed by Orioles as 32nd round draft pick, 2018) Home: Hagerstown, MD Joined Club: Start of Season

**Notes:** 2022: Opened season at Daytona and made 16 relief appearances, notching three saves with a 1.50 ERA...Allowed just one run over his final six outings covering 12 innings, allowing only five hits with 22 strikeouts...Fastball averaged 93-96 at Daytona...Joined Dragons on July 26...Allowed just three hits and one run in first six outings covering 9.1 innings with Dayton before one bad inning caused his ERA to jump from 0.96 to 4.91. 2021: Signed with Reds as a Minor League free agent on June 9, 2021. 2018-20: Drafted by Baltimore in 32nd round in 2018 out of high school and played two years in Orioles system before being released during Covid shutdown in 2020...Appeared in 26 games with Orioles affiliate in Gulf Coast League. College/High School: Played high school baseball at Mercersburg Academy in Pennsylvania...Gained eligibility to play college baseball at Lynn University, an NCAA Division II school in Boca Raton, Florida (same conference as schools attended by Garrett Wolforth, Myles Gayman), after being released by Orioles and spent the 2021

Season	League	Team	W	L	ERA	G	GS	SV	IP	н	HR	BB	SO	AVG
2018	R	GCL Orioles	3	0	2.00	15	0	0	18	10	1	12	18	.167
2019	R	GCL Orioles	1	0	5.54	11	0	0	13	13	2	13	19	.250
2021	R	ACL Reds	0	3	7.00	7	0	0	9	6	1	8	12	.188
2022	А	Daytona	0	1	1.46	17	0	3	24.2	12	0	18	43	.135
2022	A+	Dayton	1	1	5.63	11	0	0	16	7	0	17	24	.130
Career			5	5	3.68	61	0	3	80.2	48	4	68	116	.167

### **Mac Sceroler**

College: Southeastern Louisiana University; High School: Denham Springs (Denham Springs, LA) Acquired: 5<sup>th</sup> round draft pick 2017

Home: Denham Springs, LA

Joined Club: July 25 on Minor League Injury Rehab Assignment

**Notes:** 2023: Opened season with Double-A Chattanooga and made five relief appearances before going on the injured list on April 26 with a right shoulder impingement...Began injury rehab assignment on July 8 with ACL Reds...Rehab was transferred to Dayton on July 25. **Previous Years**: Missed the entire 2022 season due to injury...Began the 2021 season in the Major Leagues with the Baltimore Orioles after being selected from Cincinnati in the 2020 Rule 5 Draft. Appeared in two games with Orioles before going on injured list. Returned to Baltimore for three appearances in June before being returned to Cincinnati...Made 10 appearances with Chattanooga late in the 2021 season...Had a strong year in 2019 with High-A Daytona, going 5-4 with a 3.69 ERA in 117 innings...Made 11 starts for the Dragons in 2018 after opening professional career at Billings in 2017. **College/Personal**: Played three seasons at Southeastern Louisiana University in Hammond...Posted outstanding career record of 22-8 with a 2.97 ERA in 51 games including 31 starts...Best season as sophomore in 2016, going 10-4, 2.25 as he led the conference in victories...Earned First Team All-Southland Conference honors in both 2016 and 2017...Earned First Team All-Academic conference honors both years as well...Played at Denham Springs High School...uncle Ben McDonald was the first overall selection of the 1989 draft out of LSU and won 78 MLB games with Orioles and Brewers...uncle Brett Laxton also played in the Major Leagues and was 1993 NCAA Freshman Player of the Year at LSU as he went 12-1 to lead team to College World Series championship, striking out 16 in title game.

Season	League	Team	W	L	ERA	G	GS	sv	IP	н	HR	BB	SO	WHIP	AVG
2017	R+	Billings	0	4	3.26	12	9	0	38.2	37	3	16	44	1.37	.240
2018	R+	Billings	2	2	3.07	7	7	0	29.1	31	4	6	34	1.26	.256
2018	A	Dayton	2	6	6.00	11	11	0	54	63	6	24	47	1.61	.294
2019	A+	Daytona	5	4	3.69	26	20	0	117	101	13	29	127	1.11	.229
2021	MLB	Baltimore	0	0	14.09	5	0	0	7.2	15	6	7	11	2.87	.375
2021	AA	Chattanooga	1	4	8.42	10	7	0	36.1	48	7	11	38	1.62	.304
2021	AAA	Norfolk	0	0	16.62	2	2	0	4.1	8	2	2	10	2.31	.364
2023	R	ACL Reds	1	0	3.00	4	0	0	6	7	0	1	6	1.33	.292
2023	AA	Chattanooga	1	0	7.00	5	0	1	9	8	2	6	14	1.56	.229
Career			12	20	4.86	77	56	1	294.2	303	37	95	320	1.35	.259