



West Michigan Whitecaps (38-19)

High-A Affiliate, Detroit Tigers

RH Hayden Minton (8 IP | 5.63 ERA)

at



Lansing Locos (33-24)

High-A Affiliate, Athletics

RH Corey Avant (32 IP | 3.94 ERA)

GAME 58 ♦ JACKSON® FIELD™ ♦ TUESDAY, JUNE 10, 2025 ♦ 7:05 PM

History vs. West Michigan

The Nuts are 234-245 all-time vs. the Caps, 121-113 in Lansing and 113-132 in Comstock Park. Last season, the Lugnuts went 9-15 vs. the Whitecaps with a 4-8 record in West Michigan

Meetings	Score	Meetings	Score
1. 5/6 at WM	L, 2-0	13. 7/18 at WM	
2. 5/7 at WM	W, 3-1	14. 7/19 at WM	
3. 5/8 at WM	W, 4-2	15. 7/20 at WM	
4. 5/9 at WM	L, 7-6	16. 8/19 at LAN	
5. 5/10 at WM	L, 6-3	17. 8/20 at LAN	
6. 5/11 at WM	L, 6-2	18. 8/21 at LAN	
7. 6/10 at LAN		19. 8/22 at LAN	
8. 6/11 at LAN		20. 8/23 at LAN	
9. 6/12 at LAN		21. 8/24 at LAN	
10. 6/13 at LAN			
11. 6/14 at LAN			
12. 6/15 at LAN			

Today: The Lansing Lugnuts, High-A affiliate of the Athletics, play as the Lansing Locos in a special Copa Tacos & Tallboys opener of a six-game series against the West Michigan Whitecaps, High-A affiliate of the Detroit Tigers. Lansing trails West Michigan by five games for the East Division lead with nine games remaining in the first half. Only the division leader clinches a playoff berth at the half's conclusion, meaning West Michigan needs only three wins this series to pop corks and punch a playoff ticket.

Last Game, Sunday: Lugnuts 12, Dragons 6. The Lugnuts set a season high with 19 base hits – four apiece from **Ryan Lasko** and **Nick Schwartz**, plus four runs scored by **Davis Diaz**, three RBIs from **Casey Yamauchi**, three walks apiece from Diaz and **Jared Dickey**, and home runs from Dickey and **Nate Nankil**. Starter **Nathan Dettmer** did his part with six innings of one-hit ball. The Nuts won five of six games in the series.

On Deck: Tomorrow is a Dog Days of Summer, followed by a special 90s Night Lugnuts Basketball Jersey Giveaway on Thursday / Western Michigan University Night!

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

7:05 p.m., Wednesday, June 11	RH Max Alba, Whitecaps	at	RH Jake Garland, Lugnuts
7:05 p.m., Thursday, June 12	LH Andrew Sears, Whitecaps	at	RH Steven Echavarria, Lugnuts
7:05 p.m., Friday the 13th	RH Rayner Castillo, Whitecaps	at	RH Grant Judkins, Lugnuts

LUG•NOTES

Riding the Wave: The Lugnuts are nine games above .500 for the first time since 2018, an 80-60 Lansing squad that was the most recent iteration of the franchise to make the playoffs.

Prospecting: The Nuts have six of MLB Pipeline's Top 30 Athletics prospects: No. 7 prospect (**Tommy White**), No. 10 (**Joshua Kuroda-Grauer**), No. 12 (**Steven Echavarria**), No. 17 (**Ryan Lasko**), No. 18 (**Rodney Green, Jr.**) and No. 28 (**Nate Nankil**).

Denzel with a Capital D: Last night, A's center fielder **Denzel Clarke** turned in his latest mind-blowing highlight, climbing the wall and suspending himself halfway over the fence to steal a home run from Nolan Schanuel. Clarke, who played in 51 games for the Lugnuts in 2022 and hit inside-the-park home runs in consecutive games vs. the West Michigan Whitecaps, had already earned the Electric Play of the Week honor the previous two weeks.

Fountain of Youth: Lefty **Rich Hill**, who pitched for the Lugnuts in 2003 (0-1, 2.76, 15 G, 4 GS, 29 1/3 IP, 14 H, 0 HR, 36 BB, 50 K, 9 WP), fired six innings of one-hit ball for Omaha vs. Iowa on Saturday, allowing one unearned run while striking out six, continuing his way toward a potential Major League return with the Kansas City Royals - who would be his 14th different Major League team. Hill is 90-74 with a 4.01 ERA in 386 career appearances, 248 MLB starts, spanning 1,409 innings from 2005-2024.

Road to Omaha: Notable Lugnuts representation in the College World Series: Arizona (pitcher **Garrett Irvin**, on IL); Oregon State (pitcher **Jake Pfennings**); LSU (third baseman **Tommy White**); and Arkansas (pitcher **Mark Adamiak**).

A Gauge on Gage: 2025 Lugnuts Opening Day starter **Gage Jump** jumped into MLB Pipeline's Top 100 prospects at No. 100, replacing Baltimore's Coby Mayo. Jump also joined Baseball America's Top 100 prospects, going from being unrated to coming in at No. 71, and was named Minor League Baseball's May Pitcher of the Month for the Texas League, going 4-0 in four starts with a 0.72 ERA: 25 innings, 15 hits, 2 runs, 5 walks, 29 strikeouts, 0.80 WHIP, .176 avg.

Welcome to Lansing: The newest Lugnut is 6-foot-8 left-hander **Jack Mahoney**, whose contract was purchased from the Atlantic League's Staten Island FerryHawks yesterday and joined the Nuts today. Mahoney hails from Appleton, Wisconsin, home of the Midwest League's Timber Rattlers. He pitched five seasons at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee (UWM) before working his way from the American Association to the Frontier League to the Australian Baseball League to the Atlantic League, and now into affiliated baseball.

Lugnuts on the Leaderboard:

- **T.J. Schofield-Sam:** 1st in the Midwest League in batting average (.352), 1st in base hits (68), tied for 1st in total bases (104), 3rd in runs scored (40), 2nd in OPS (.959), 2nd in slugging (.539) and 7th in OBP (.420).
- **Nate Nankil** is tied for 6th in doubles (14).
- **Jared Dickey** is 8th in walks (35).
- **Rodney Green, Jr.** is tied for 6th in walks (34).
- **Blaze Pontes** and **Mark Adamiak** are 1st in appearances (20).
- **Mark Adamiak** is 1st in saves (10).
- **Hunter Breault** is tied for 3rd in appearances (19).
- **Grant Judkins** is 2nd in innings (59), tied for 1st in complete games (1), 9th in ERA (3.51) and 10th in average against (.245).

IN A NUTSHELL

33-24 | Streak: Won 3

Home: 18-12 Night: 19-14
Road: 15-12 Day: 14-10

vs. LHP: 5-11 vs. RHP: 28-13

White unis: 12-7
Black unis: 12-10
Retro Gray unis: 6-2
Lansing Locos unis: 2-3
Special one-off unis: 1-1

Tuesday: 4-5
Wednesday: 7-2
Thursday: 5-3
Friday: 5-6
Saturday: 5-6
Sunday: 7-2

Series wins: 4
Series losses: 3
Series splits: 3

Scored 1st: 20-10
Opponent scored 1st: 13-14

Doubleheaders: 1-0-0
Shutouts: 3-4

More hits than opp.: 25-3
Fewer hits than opp.: 8-18
Equal hits: 0-3
Games decided by 1 run: 8-6

Comeback wins: 14
Final at-bat wins: 7
Walk-offs: 3
Extra Innings: 3-2

9-IP	Leading	Trailing	Tied
After 6:	15-4	8-14	5-4
After 7:	21-3	5-17	2-2
After 8:	23-3	3-17	2-2



Luggie's Nuggets

Kansas City Royals	1996-1998
Chicago Cubs	1999-2004
Toronto Blue Jays	2005-2020
Athletics	2021-present

Colors	red and black
Mascot Logo	Big Lug, a river dragon Luggie the Lugnut
Ballpark	Jackson® Field™
First Game at Ballpark	April 3, 1996: Michigan vs. Michigan St.
Total Capacity	11,000
Seasons	29
Championships	1997, 2003
All-Star Games Hosted	1997, 1999, 2002, 2018
Total Games	3,894
All-Time Won-Lost Record	1,954-1,940, .501

966 total players have played for the Lugnuts all time, with 206 (21%) also playing in the Majors – nine rehabbers and 197 earning their ticket up the ladder. The most recent was **Jack Winkler**, who debuted May 31 for the Marlins.

- 72 Lugnuts alumni debuted with the Toronto Blue Jays
- 32 with the Chicago Cubs
- 22 with the Kansas City Royals
- 22 with the A's
- 11 with the Florida/Miami Marlins
- 4 with the Seattle Mariners and San Diego Padres
- 3 with the Baltimore Orioles, Boston Red Sox and St. Louis Cardinals
- 2 with the Chicago White Sox, Colorado Rockies, Detroit Tigers, Pittsburgh Pirates, San Francisco Giants and Tampa Bay Rays
- 1 with the Atlanta Braves, L.A. Angels, L.A. Dodgers, Milwaukee Brewers, New York Mets, Texas Rangers, and Washington Nationals

All-Star nods: Carlos Beltrán (9x), Vladimir Guerrero, Jr. (4), Carlos Zambrano (3), Bo Bichette (2), rehabber Ryan Dempster (2), Jordan Romano (2), rehabber Marcus Stroman (2), Henderson Álvarez (1), rehabber Kevin Appier (1), Lance Carter (1), Yan Gomes (1), Alejandro Kirk (1), Carlos Mármol (1), Mason Miller (1), rehabber Mark Prior (1), Aaron Sanchez (1), Noah Syndergaard (1).

World Series titles (as a player): Jeremy Affeldt (3), Ryan Theriot (2), rehabber Kevin Appier (1), Carlos Beltrán (1), rehabber Ryan Dempster (1), Chad Durbin (1), Yan Gomes (1), 2011 manager Mike Redmond (1), Marc Rzepczynski (1).

World Series titles (as a coach): rehabber Mark Prior (2), Seth Conner (1), 2010 manager Sal Fasano (1), 2008-09 manager Clayton McCullough (1).

MLB No-Hitters: pitchers - Carlos Zambrano (9/14/08); Henderson Álvarez III (9/29/13); Taylor Cole (combined, 7/12/19); Aaron Sanchez (combined, 8/3/19); Ryan Tepera (combined, 6/24/21); catcher - Robinson Chirinos (Justin Verlander, 9/1/19).

Hit for the Cycle: Félix Pié (8/14/09); Cavan Biggio (9/17/19).

Rookie of the Year: Carlos Beltrán (A.L., 1999).

Comeback Player of the Year: Casey McGehee (N.L., 2014).

Gold Gloves: Carlos Beltrán (3), Vladimir Guerrero Jr. (1), Marcus Stroman (1).

Silver Sluggers: Carlos Beltrán (3), Carlos Zambrano (3), Vladimir Guerrero Jr. (2), Yan Gomes (1).

Major League Nuts

A's: Lawrence Butler (2021-22), Denzel Clarke (2022), Hogan Harris (2022), Grant Holman (2022-23), Mason Miller (2022), Max Muncy (2022-23), Max Schuemann (2021), Tyler Soderstrom (2022), Jacob Wilson (2023)

Arizona Diamondbacks: Gabriel Moreno (2019), Kendall Graveman (2013-14)

Boston Red Sox: Danny Jansen (2015), Josh Winckowski (2019)

Chicago Cubs: Jon Berti (2012), Matthew Boyd (2013), Nate Pearson (2018)

Chicago White Sox: Joshua Palacios (2016-17)

Cleveland Guardians: Lane Thomas (2015-16)

Kansas City Royals: Cavan Biggio (2016)

Los Angeles Angels: assistant pitching coach Sal Fasano (2010 manager), infield coach Ryan Goins (2009-10)

Los Angeles Dodgers: pitching coach Mark Prior (2004 rehab)

Miami Marlins: Griffin Conine (2019), Otto López (2019), Jesús Tinoco (2015), Jack Winkler (2022-23), Clayton McCullough (2008-09 manager)

Milwaukee Brewers: Vinny Capra (2018)

New York Mets: Danny Young (2016)

New York Yankees: Marcus Stroman (2015 rehab)

Pittsburgh Pirates: Ryan Borucki (2016), Tim Mayza (2015)

Seattle Mariners: Casey Lawrence (2010-11), Rowdy Tellez (2014-15)

Tampa Bay Rays: Danny Jansen (2015)

Texas Rangers: Kevin Pillar (2012), assistant hitting coach Seth Conner (2013-14)

Toronto Blue Jays: Bo Bichette (2017), Vladimir Guerrero, Jr. (2017), Alejandro Kirk (2019), manager John Schneider (2016 manager), third base coach Carlos Febles (1996), bullpen catcher Luis Hurtado (2011)

MIDWEST LEAGUE MATCHUPS

Opponents	Home	Road	Total
Beloit	3-3		3-3
Cedar Rapids	July 29-Aug 3		6 games
Dayton	June 24-29, Aug 12-17	5-1, Sept 2-7	5-1, 18 left
Fort Wayne	4-2, July 4-6	1-2, July 1-3	5-4, 6 left
Great Lakes	3-3	July 8-13, Aug 5-10	3-3, 12 left
Lake County	3-3, Aug 26-31	2-4, July 22-27	5-7, 12 left
Quad Cities		June 17-22	6 games
South Bend	5-1		5-1
West Michigan	June 10-15, July 18-20	2-4, Aug 19-24	2-4, 16 left
Wisconsin		5-1	5-1
Totals	18-12, 36 games left	15-12, 39 games left	33-24, 75 left

THE A's SYSTEM

Athletics - MLB



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American League West

Today vs. Angels, 9:38 p.m.
Mitch Spence vs. José Soriano

Midland RockHounds



33-24

Double-A Texas League

Today: vs. Frisco, 7:30 p.m.
SP: Kyle Robinson

Las Vegas Aviators



38-24

Triple-A Pacific Coast League

Today: vs. Salt Lake, 10:05 p.m.
Luis Morales vs. Brett Kerry

Stockton Ports



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Single-A California League

Today: vs. San Jose, 9:30 p.m.
SP: TBA

JUNE 10TH IN LUGNUTS HISTORY

2012: Lake County SS Francisco Lindor enjoyed his finest game against the Lugnuts, going 3-for-5 with a caught stealing in the Nuts' 4-1 victory in Lansing. The future MLB star finished the season hitting .266 (17-for-64) with only two extra-base hits, both doubles, against the Lugnuts, and was just 1-for-4 stealing bases.

2013: It was the fourth shutout out of five games played in three days between the Lugnuts and West Michigan – but this time it was the Whitecaps shutting out the Nuts, 1-0, in two hours, 10 minutes, at Fifth Third Ballpark. Jordan John's eight shutout innings outdueled Javier Avendaño's seven innings, with an unearned run caused by an error by SS Emilio Guerrero supplying the only scoring.

2016: It took until June 10th for the Lugnuts to finally meet the West Michigan Whitecaps, beginning the first of 11 meetings in 17 days. Cam Gibson homered for West Michigan in the seventh inning, the Whitecaps' first home run at Fifth Third Ballpark all season, and the 'Caps won, 11-3. Nuts starter Ryan Borucki gave up five runs on seven hits and three walks in three innings-plus. Patrick Murphy recorded the final six outs on his 21st birthday.

CATCHING STATS

	Diaz	Rodriguez	Schwartz
W-L (ShO)	-	13-8	13-4
ERA	-	3.36	3.68
Inn.	-	185.0	139.1
R (ER)	-	85 (69)	65 (57)
E	-	2	1
PB	-	4	2
CS%	-	6-28, 21%	3-14, 21%
Pickoffs	-	-	1

#32 • RHP • **Corey Avant** • 6-4, 215 • age 23

Profile

Name Corey Jacob Avant
 Birthday November 6, 2001
 Born Burlington, North Carolina

School Wingate University
 Acquired 256th overall, 9th round, 2023
 Bats / Throws Right / Right

Corey's last name rhymes with "WAVE-ant"
 Longest Outing: 5 IP, 2x | Most K: 6, 2x

Starting Out: Corey Avant's first start of the season came due to unusual circumstances: April 25 vs. Fort Wayne, the start time was pushed back an hour due to worry of inclement weather; Avant pitched two innings, allowing one run, before yielding to the scheduled starter, Gage Jump, who struck out 13 batters in 6 2/3 dominant scoreless innings in a 3-1 Lugnuts win... on May 8 at West Michigan, Avant tossed two innings, allowing two runs, as the opener for Steven Echavarria, who followed with 4 2/3 scoreless innings in a 4-2 Lugs victory... Avant started the first game of this series and blanked the Cubs for the first two innings and one out into the third before allowing two straight singles and departing; both runners scored against Jake Garland... the Nuts went on to win, 7-6, in ten innings.

High School: Avant attended Sun Valley H.S., the Spartans, whose fight song is the Michigan State University fight song, Victory for MSU... the school's colors are maroon and gold, a la Central Michigan University... Sun Valley also produced NFL QB Sam Howell... Avant graduated Class of 2020.

College: Onward to Wingate University (named for Washington Manly Wingate, the fourth president at Wake Forest), the Bulldogs, colors: navy and gold... Avant majored in Math Business... redshirted the 2021 season, in which Wingate went 39-13, earned the No. 1 seed, and won the Division II National Championship in Cary, North Carolina, at the USA Baseball National Training Complex... in 2022, the Bulldogs set a program record for wins, going 48-10 with a 29-3 home record (first in the nation in both wins and winning percentage), but lost in the Southeast Regionals; redshirt freshman Avant went 3-1 with a 3.41 ERA in 26 relief appearances / 29 IP: 1 HR, 15 BB, 51 K... followed up in 2023 as a redshirt sophomore, striking out 57 batters in 39 innings (5.31, 23 G, 2 GS, 27 BB), as the Bulldogs finished 32-18, 18-6 in conference, but were eliminated in the SAC Tourney... excelled off the field with a 4.00 GPA, named two-time Academic All-America and served as Commencement Marshal at 2023 graduation

Notes From a College Bio: From Avant's Wingate baseball profile: Mike Trout was his favorite athlete, but the Braves were his favorite team... his favorite movie is Star Wars, Episode IV: A New Hope, and his favorite TV show is The Mandalorian... his favorite non-baseball sport is golf, which he plays left-handed... his favorite food is steak, while his favorite artist is Luke Combs... his nickname is Cool Breeze... his favorite quote is "Failure is not the opposite of success, it's part of success."

Pro Ball: Avant was the first D-II player drafted in 2023 and was the highest pick ever for Wingate as a D-II university when he was selected in the ninth round by the A's and signed for \$185,100... debuted in 2023 in the Complex League before spending the majority of 2024 in Class-A Stockton, finishing with ten relief appearances for Triple-A Las Vegas.

YR	CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	ShO	SV	IP	AB	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	K	WP	BK	AVG
2023	ArizCL A's	0-1	6.75	3	0	0	0	0	4.0	15	6	3	3	0	0	5	0	3	2	0	.400
2024	Stockton	2-6	7.26	24	6	0	0	2	57.0	246	81	54	46	7	3	39	1	68	11	0	.329
	Las Vegas	1-0	7.90	10	0	0	0	0	13.2	51	13	12	12	0	2	9	0	12	1	0	.255
2025	Lansing	2-1	3.94	14	7	0	0	0	32.0	119	31	15	14	0	0	13	0	28	4	1	.261
	TOTALS	5-8	6.33	51	13	0	0	2	106.2	431	131	84	75	7	5	66	1	111	18	1	.304



fastball, curve, slider, change

IN THE BULLPEN

21 MARK ADAMIAK • RH • Age 24 • "uh-DAHMe-ee-ack" • MWL: 2
FB, CUT, SL, CH | 2024: Stockton, 5-5, 4.90, 45 G, 2 SV, 60 2/3 IP, 62 H, 7 HR, 28 BB, 75 K, 12 WP

2 days rest
 • Born in Des Plaines, IL... lives in Shawnee, Kansas... 454th overall, 15th rd., 2022, Arkansas.
 • \$125,000... at Shawnee Mission Northwest H.S., ranked the No. 1 RHP in Kansas in 2019.
 • Drafted after r-soph. year: Acad. Honor Roll; 9 G, 3 GS, 3.95, 13 2/3 IP, 14 H, 6 R, 8 BB, 18 K.
 • Four relief appearances with Lansing to end 2023: 5 IP, 4 H, 3 R, 1 HR, 2 BB, 7 K.

15 HUNTER BREALT • RH • Age 25 • "BRO" • MWL seasons: 3
FB, CU, SL, SPL | 2024: Lansing, 4-3, 6.08, 36 G, 6 SV, 40 IP, 5 HR, 30 BB, 42 K, 5 WP

1 day rest
 • Kapolei, HI ... \$35,000... drafted 608th, 20th round, 2021, from the University of Oregon.
 • 2019 California Collegiate League top prospect by Perfect Game (12 G, 16 IP, 1 ER).
 • Perfect Game's No. 1 HS recruit in Hawai'i... high school teammates with Blaze Pontes.
 • Four yrs. at Oregon: 50 G, 4.68, 57.2, 44 K... 19 G w/ LAN in 2023, spent 2024 with Nuts.

13 JAKE CHRISTIANSON • RH • 25 • MWL season: 1
FB, CU, SL, SPL | 2024: Bowling Green, 4-1, 3.74, 31 G, 2 SV, 53 IP, 41 H, 6 HR, 4 HBP, 19 BB, 56 K

3 days rest
 • St. Paul, MN... drafted by TB 464th, 15th round, 2022, Feather River College... \$50,000.
 • Converted from catcher to closer at FRC... signed by Rays away from So. Illinois commit.
 • Released by Tampa on March 21, 2025... signed as free agent by the A's on March 22.
 • Drafted 10 picks after Mark Adamiak, 20 picks ahead of Blaze Pontes... enjoys cornhole.
 • Attended Northern Iowa Area CC for one year... business & biomechanics major.

17 HENRY GÓMEZ • RH • Age 23 • MWL season: 1
FB, SINK, CU, SL, CH | 2024: Palm Beach, 6-3, 3.03, 39 G, 12 SV, 62 1/3, 1 HR, 26 BB, 44 K

3 days rest
 • Born in Maracaibo, lives in Zulia, Venezuela... signed by STL as an int'l free agent, 7/28/18.
 • Acquired by the Athletics in the Triple-A portion of the Rule 5 draft, 12/11/24.
 • Spent 2019, 2021, 2022 in Dominican Summer League, converting from starter to reliever.
 • Pitched in 2023 and 2024 in the Florida State League, lowering ERA from 4.91 to 3.03.

31 WANDER GUANTE • RH • Age 23 • MWL seasons: 2
FB, SL, CH | 2024: Lansing, 1-3, 5.22, 14 G, 7 GS, 50 IP, 8 HR, 22 BB, 35 K, .268 avg.

2 days rest
 • Santo Domingo, DR... signed by the Athletics as an international free agent on 3/22/19.
 • "Guante" in English means glove... opened 2024 in piggyback tandem with Jacob Watters.
 • Promoted to Midland 5/14, returned 7/19, promoted to Las Vegas 8/31/24 (6 G, 18 2/3, 5.79).
 • 2024 Arizona Fall League: 9 G, 7.84, 10 1/3 IP, 10 R, 5 BB, 8 K... rejoined LAN May 13, 2025.

20 JACK MAHONEY • LH • Age 26 • MWL season: 1
2024: Stockton, 1-2, 4.87, 8 G, 2 GS, 20 1/3, 21 H, 1 HR, 7 BB, 26 K, 5 WP

2 days rest
 • Appleton, WI... undrafted out of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, earned way to MiLB through indy ball.
 • Attended Appleton West, same high school as former Lugnut/MLB catcher Danny Jansen.
 • 2022-23 Milwaukee Milkmen, '24 Windy City ThunderBolts, '25 Staten Island FerryHawks.
 • 2025: 6 GS w/ SI, 5.45 ERA, 33 IP, 12 BB, 41 K... signed by the Athletics on June 9, 2025.

27 JAKE PFENNIGS • RH • Age 25 • "FENN-igs" • MWL season: 1
FB, SINK, CU, SL, CH | 2024: Stockton, 1-2, 4.87, 8 G, 2 GS, 20 1/3, 21 H, 1 HR, 7 BB, 26 K, 5 WP

4 days rest
 • Born in Coeur d'Alene, lives in Post Falls, ID... 394th, 13th rd., 2022, Oregon St. ... \$125,000.
 • 2018 Idaho Gatorade HS Player of the Year... 18 ppg, 12 rpg on Post Falls basketball team.
 • 2018 Baseball Northwest's top-ranked prospect for the full Idaho/Montana/Wyoming region.
 • Has battled injuries: 27 G across three pro seasons... 2-IP cameo for Triple-A LV in 2024.

16 BLAZE PONTES • RH • Age 25 • "PAHN-tez" • MWL seasons: 2
FB, SINK, CU, SL, CH | 2024: Lansing, 3-9, 7.36, 26 G, 10 GS, 88 IP, 113 H, 76 R, 11 HR, 40 BB, 44 K

3 days rest
 • Mililani, HI... drafted 484th overall, 16th rd., 2022, University of Hawai'i... signed for \$75,000.
 • 1st Team All-State as a high school junior (0.95)... Jr. year at Hawa'i: 1st Team All Big West
 • One year younger than teammate Hunter Breault at Kamehameha-Kapālama High School.
 • 2021: played for Waterloo (Northwoods League), where Lugs franchise used to be located.

33 TOM REISINGER • RH • 24 • "RICE-ing-er" • MWL season: 1
FB, CU, SWEEP, CH | 2024: Stockton, 1-5, 9.05, 21 G, 5 GS, 62 2/3, 93 H, 8 HR, 7 HBP, 41 BB, 53 K

1 day rest
 • Kulpmont, PA... 286th overall, 10th rd., 2023, East Stroudsburg University (ESU) Warriors.
 • Signed for \$125,000... Mount Carmel Area H.S. quarterback... also played basketball.
 • Drafted following Jr. year: led PSAC in K (97 in 71 2/3 IP)... 2022-23 total: 185 K in 140 2/3.
 • Made pro debut in 2023 in ACL: 4 G/2 GS, 6 IP, 10 K... spent 2024 in Stockton, IL: May 1-30.

30 YEHIZON SANCHEZ • RH • 24 • "YAY-ih-son" • MWL seasons: 3
SINK, SL, CH | 2024: Lansing, 2-6, 6.18, 37 G, 1 SV, 51 IP, 63 H, 3 HR, 5 HBP, 31 BB, 44 K

1 day rest
 • La Romana, DR... signed at age 18 as an international free agent on July 2, 2019.
 • In same signing class as James González and Wander Guante, who are in Midland.
 • Others from La Romana: Edwin Encarnación, Félix Pié and Miguel Castro.
 • 2023 Stockton Ports Opening Day starter... pitched in four games with Lansing in 2023.

JONNY BUTLER • L/R • OF • Age 26 • 5th season with Lugnuts				
2024 in Lansing: 113 G, .224 / .328 / .357, 101 H, 72 R, 26 2B, 5 3B, 8 HR, 50 RBI, 1 SF, 6 HBP, 64 BB, 111 K, 18-for-22 SB, 5 E				
Inj. List, 5/11 (missed 24 G: 15-9)	vs. BEL: -	at DAY: -	Current Hit Streak: +1 (1-3)	On-Base Streak: +1 (1-3, BB)
- Channahon, IL... 14th round, 428th overall, 2021, North Carolina State University... \$125,000. 2021 All-American... 52 games at NCSU, ranked 3rd in ACC in base hits (76), T-3rd in runs (54), 4th in SLG (.663), T-4th in SB (16), 5th in OBP (.452), T-5th in RBIs (53)... 1st Team All-ACC. - From 2021-24, Butler's totaled 239 G, 876 AB, 200 H, 45 2B, 13 3B, 21 HR, 131 R, 113 RBI, 42-48 SB, 110 BB, 229 K, 79 XBH and 334 total bases... hit walk-off two-run HR in 10th inning, April 28, 2024. - Has twice tied the Lugnuts' single game record with two triples in a game: 4/15/23, 6/26/24.				
4 DAVIS DIAZ • S/R • C • Age 22 • 1st season with Lugnuts				
2024: Stockton, 14 G, .226 / .397 / .283, 12-for-53, 12 R, 3 2B, 0 3B, 0 HR, 6 RBI, 8 BB, 9 K, 7 HBP, 0 SB, 0 E				
Last Game: 2-3, 4 R, 2B, 3 BB, SB	vs. BEL: -	DAY: 7-19, 6 R, 2B, 2 RBI, 6 BB, 3 K, SB	Current Hit Streak: +6 (7-19)	On-Base Streak: +6 (7-19, 6 BB)
- Pittsburg, CA... signed for \$250,000 as the 226th pick, 8th round, 2024, Vanderbilt University. - Joining the Lugnuts today from Stockton, replacing the promoted Cole Conn (Double-A Midland). 3x gold medalist, Team USA (2015, 2017, 2018), Perfect Game's No. 12 prospect in California. 2025 in Stockton: 42 G, .250 / .384 / .355, 10 2B, 3 3B, 0 HR, 21 RBI, 6-for-9 SB, 29 BB, 28 K, 6 HBP.				
10 JARED DICKEY • L/R • OF • Age 23 • 2nd season with Lugnuts				
2024 Quad Cities: 81 G, .269 / .360 / .424, 39 R, 12 2B, 3 3B, 9 HR, 40 RBI, 32 BB, 64 K, 9 HBP, 8-for-12 SB... with Lansing: 34 G, .237 / .299 / .298, 31 H, 3 2B, 1 3B, 1 HR, 15 RBI, 3 SF, 10 BB, 23 K, 2 SB				
Last Game: 2-3, R, HR, 2 RBI, 3 BB	BEL: 4-20, 2 R, 2 2B, 5 RBI, 3 BB, 7 K, HBP, E	at DAY: 7-20, 4 R, 2 2B, HR, 4 RBI, 7 BB, 2 K, CS	Hit Streak: +2 (4-7)	On-Base: +13 (11-42, 11 BB, HBP)
- Mt. Juliet, TN... signed for \$572,500 as the 319th pick, 11th round, 2023, University of Tennessee. - Acquired from KC by the A's on July 30, 2024, w/ Will Klein and Mason Barnett for Lucas Erceg. - Majored in recreation and sport management at UT... won 2020 Perfect Game 18U World Series title. 2023 All-SEC 2nd Team: 63 G, .328/ .392/ .525, 12 HR... had batted .380/ .484/ .690 in 40 G in 2022.				
24 RODNEY GREEN, JR. • L/L • OF • Age 22 • MLB Pipeline's No. 18 A's prospect, 1st season with Lugnuts				
2024 with California: 55 G, .267 / .409 / .549, 55 H, 56 R, 14 2B, 1 3B, 14 HR, 46 RBI, 7 HBP, 43 BB, 72 K, 15-for-19 SB... with Stockton: 24 G, .289 / .368 / .464, 28 H, 19 R, 8 2B, 3 HR, 21 RBI, 9-for-10 SB				
Last Game: 1-6, R, 2 K	vs. BEL: 1-17, 3 R, 2B, RBI, 5 BB, 8 K	DAY: 4-23, 3 R, 2B, 4 RBI, 2 BB, 9 K, SB, E	Current Hit Streak: +1 (1-6)	On-Base Streak: +1 (1-6)
- Born in Berkeley, lives in Richmond, CA... 104th overall pick, 4th round, 2024, Cal... \$1,000,000. - Ranked ninth all-time at Cal with 34 homers, totaling 144 runs / 105 RBIs / 45 steals in 151 games. - Crushed first two home runs of the year vs. Great Lakes, April 8... 2-strike, 2-out GS in 9th vs. GL, 4/13. - El Cerrito H.S. alumni: John Fogerty, Phil Lesh, Pumpsie Green, Drew Gooden, Ernie Broglio.				
2 JOSHUA KURODA-GRAUER • R/R • INF • Age 22 • 2nd season with Lugnuts • MLB Pipeline's No. 10 A's prospect				
2024 with Rutgers: 53 G, .428 / .492 / .590, 54 R, 95 H, 19 2B, 1 3B, 5 HR, 45 RBI, 23 BB, 18 K, 24-27 SB... combined pro debut (Stockton/Lansing/Vegas): 28 G, .324 / .421 / .343, 2 2B, 12 BB, 9 K, 5-7 SB				
Last Game: 2-6, E	BEL: 10-25, 6 R, 2B, 5 BB, 2 K, GDP, 4 SB	DAY: 8-27, 3 R, 3 RBI, 2 BB, K, SB, HBP, E	Hit Streak: +1 (2-6)	On-Base: +15 (21-62, 8 BB, HBP)
- Somerset, New Jersey... signed for \$1,043,900 as the 75th pick, 3rd round, 2024, Rutgers. 2024 Big Ten Player of the Year... 2024 All-Big Ten First Team... First Team All-America PGUSA. - Led NCAA D-I with 95 hits in the 2024 regular season... 2nd in NCAA with .428 average (1st - Condon). - Promoted to Lugnuts August 27: 12 G, .286 / .400, 2 2B, 5 BB, 3 K... Las Vegas: 4 G, 2-for-12, 1 RBI.				
26 RYAN LASKO • R/R • OF • Age 22 • 2nd season with Lugnuts • MLB Pipeline's No. 17 A's prospect				
2024 with Stockton: 82 G, .225 / .359 / .322, 72 H, 48 R, 19 2B, 0 3B, 4 HR, 29 RBI, 9 HBP, 59 BB, 103 K, 20-26 SB, 2 E... with Lansing: 41 G, .245 / .341 / .342, 7 2B, 1 3B, 2 HR, 18 RBI, 20 BB, 35 K, 13-14 SB				
Last: 4-6, 3 R, 2 2B, 3B, 2 RBI, K	BEL: 3-21, 2 R, HR, RBI, 3 BB, 6 K, HBP	DAY: 5-20, 3 R, 2 2B, 3B, 3 RBI, 5 BB, 7 K	Current Hit Streak: +1 (4-6)	On-Base Streak: +1 (4-6)
- Jackson, New Jersey... 2nd round, 41st overall, 2023, from Rutgers... signed for \$1.7 million. - First Scarlet Knight in Big Ten era to be All-American, 2021... tied RU 2B record (24) in 2022. - Led Big Ten in base hits (90) and runs scored (81) in 2022... criminal justice major. - Rated California League's Best Outfield Arm by Baseball America in 2024... Injured List, 4/4-5/12/25.				
25 DARLYN MONTERO • L/R • INF • Age 23 • 1st season with Lugnuts				
2024 with Stockton: 95 G, .256 / .318 / .353, 93 H, 43 R, 15 2B, 1 3B, 6 HR, 29 RBI, 1 Sac., 1 SF, 10 HBP, 24 BB, 104 K, 9-for-9 SB, 8 E				
Injured List, 5/2 (missed 32 G: 17-15)	vs. BEL: -	at DAY: -	Current Hit Streak: +2 (3-8)	On-Base Streak: +3 (3-12, BB)
- Azua, Dominican Republic... signed as an international free agent on November 7, 2018. - Played in DSL in 2019 (55 G, .213 avg.) and 2021 (40 G, .217 avg.), ACL in 2022 and 2023.				
19 NATE NANKIL • R/R • OF • Age 22 • 2nd season with Lugnuts • MLB Pipeline's No. 28 A's prospect				
2024 in Stockton: 83 G, .285 / .401 / .460, 20 2B, 1 3B, 10 HR, 56 RBI, 44 BB, 64 K, 3-5 SB... Lansing, 28 G, .356 / .414 / .452, 37 H, 14 R, 7 2B, 0 3B, 1 HR, 14 RBI, 1 SF, 3 HBP, 8 BB, 25 K, 0-1 SB, 2 E				
Last Game: 1-5, R, HR, RBI, HBP	BEL: 8-21, 2 R, 2B, 4 RBI, 2 BB, 4 K, SB	DAY: 4-21, 3 R, 2 2B, HR, 3 RBI, 2 BB, 5 K, HBP	Hit Streak: +3 (3-12)	On-Base Streak: +3 (3-12, BB, HBP)
- Born in San Diego, resides in Chula Vista, CA... 7th round, 2023, Cal State Fullerton... \$300,000. - Grew up a Padres / Fernando Tatis, Jr. fan ... born with one functioning kidney... 5 RBI, 4/9/25 vs. GL.				
1 ELVIS RIJO • R/R • INF • Age 21 • 2nd season with Lugnuts				
2024 with Lansing: 1 G, 1-for-3, 2 R, 1 HBP, 1 E... with ACL A's: 8 G, .120 / .281 / .120, 3-for-25, 5 BB, 7 K, 2-3 SB... with Stockton: 43 G, .215 / .324 / .268, 8 2B, 20 RBI, 16 HBP, 8 BB, 32 K, 2-3 SB, 7 E				
Last Game: -	vs. BEL: 0-6, 4 K, E	at DAY: 0-4, R, 2 BB, 2 K	Current Hit Streak: -4 (0-10)	On-Base Streak: +2 (0-4, 2 BB)
- Born in Puerto Rico, lives in La Romana, DR... signed as an int'l free agent, 5/25/22, age 18. - Member of Lugnuts, April 16-May 4, 2024... rejoined Nuts from Ariz. Complex League, May 27, 2025.				
7 CJ RODRIGUEZ • R/R • C • Age 24 • 3rd season with Lugnuts				
2024 with Lansing: 70 G, .201 / .320 / .236, 46 H, 21 R, 6 2B, 1 3B, 0 HR, 18 RBI, 2 SF, 3 HBP, 38 BB, 48 K, 4 E				
Last Game: -	vs. BEL: 1-9, 2 RBI, SF, 2 BB	at DAY: 2-11, RBI, BB, 2 K	Current Hit Streak: -1 (0-3)	On-Base Streak: +5 (3-17, 3 BB)
- Carlos, Jr. ... Newport Beach, CA... 58th pick, 5th round, 2021, Vanderbilt... signed for \$400,000. - Has collected two hits in the same inning 2x for the Lugnuts: 7/19/23 vs. GL and 7/30/24 vs. Dayton.				
18 T.J. SCHOFIELD-SAM • L/R • INF • Age 23 • 3rd season with Lugnuts				
2024 with ACL A's: 7 G, 12-for-28, .429 / .484 / .607... with Stockton: 59 G, .280 / .325 / .386, 71 H, 30 R, 11 2B, 2 3B, 4 HR, 38 RBI, 5-6 SB... with Lansing: 32 G, .231 / .331 / .343, 6 2B, 2 HR, 10 RBI, 7 HBP				
Last Game: 1-5, 2 K, HBP	BEL: 10-24, 8 R, 2 2B, 3B, HR, 5 RBI, BB, 5 K, 4 HBP	DAY: 8-25, 5 R, 3 2B, 3B, HR, 5 RBI, BB, 6 K, 3 HBP	Hit Streak: +10 (16-42)	On-Base: +10 (16-42, 2 BB, 5 HBP)
- Tyrell James... Brampton, ON... 374th pick, 12th rd., 2019, North Park S.S. ... signed for \$320,000. - Bronze Medalist w/ Canada Junior National Team in Panama... father is from Saint Vincent (SVG). 2018 - won championships with every team he played on: Tournament 12 (Ontario Green), Marucci World Series (Ontario Blue Jays), won U-21 Canadian Baseball title (Mississauga North Tigers).				
8 NICK SCHWARTZ • R/R • C • Age 24 • 1st season with Lugnuts				
2024 with Stockton: 46 G, .207 / .323 / .266, 35 H, 28 R, 4 2B, 2 HR, 19 RBI, 28 BB, 60 K, 2-2 SB, 3 E... 2024 with ACL A's: 13 G, .244 / .340 / .268, 10 H, 4 R, 1 2B, 3 RBI, 6 BB, 14 K, 0 E				
Last Game: 4-5, 2 R, 2 RBI, BB	vs. BEL: 1-5, R, 3 K	at DAY: 4-12, 3 R, 2 RBI, 2 BB, 5 K	Current Hit Streak: +1 (4-5)	On-Base Streak: +2 (4-8, 2 BB)
- Massapequa, NY... signed as undrafted free agent, July 17, 2023, Southern New Hampshire. - SNHU's record-holder in career avg. (.398) and single-season RBI (71 in 2023)... only 1 E in 2023.				
23 TOMMY WHITE • R/R • INF • Age 22 • 1st season with Lugnuts • MLB Pipeline's No. 7 A's prospect				
2024 with LSU: 66 G, .330 / .401 / .638, 92 H, 61 R, 12 2B, 1 3B (only college triple), 24 HR, 70 RBI, 27 BB, 38 K... Stockton: 25 G, .224 / .303 / .299, 15 R, 24-for-107, 2 2B, 2 HR, 14 RBI, 9 BB, 21 K, 1 E				
Last Game: -	vs. BEL: 6-13, 3 R, 2B, 2 HR, 3 RBI, K, E	at DAY: -	Current Hit Streak: +4 (7-15)	On-Base Streak: +4 (7-15)
- St. Pete Beach, Florida... signed for \$3,000,000 as the 40th pick, 2nd round, 2024, LSU. - Transferred Calvary Christian H.S. to IMG Academy for senior year: nation's No. 1 3B prospect. - Crushed nine HRs in first eight games at NC State... finished with 27, most ever for a freshman. - Transferred to LSU and led Tigers to 2023 national championship, topping nation w/ 105 RBI in 66 gms. - College totals: 187 G, 179 R, 279 H, 48 2B, 75 HR, 249 RBI, 73 BB, 129 K, .355 / .419 / .704, 1.123 OPS - No. 8 in NCAA history for career HR (75)... hit opposite-field HR in 2025 Spring Breakout vs. Padres.				
5 CASEY YAMAUCHI • R/R • INF • Age 24 • 3rd season with Lugnuts				
2024 in Stockton: 35 G, .316 / .389 / .404, 36 H, 18 R, 6 2B, 2 3B, 0 HR, 12 RBI, 5 HBP, 10 BB, 13 K, 7-10 SB, 10 E... Lansing: 52 G, .236 / .306 / .258, 24 R, 4 2B, 13 RBI, 7 HBP, 11 BB, 14 K, 13-15 SB, 5 E				
Last Game: 2-5, 3 RBI	BEL: 10-21, R, 3 2B, 3B, 6 RBI, 3 BB, K, HBP, CS	DAY: 4-24, R, 3 RBI, 3 K, 2 E	Current Hit Streak: +1 (2-5)	On-Base Streak: +1 (2-5)
- Hilo, HI... signed as an undrafted free agent with the Athletics from Hawai'i at Hilo, July 12, 2023. 5 years... graduated w/ bachelor degrees in Communications and Kinesiology & Exercise Sciences. - Owns Hawai'i Hilo records in runs (147), hits (240), doubles (49), steals (74-for-85); only 27 K in 167 G. - Joined Nuts for the final three games of 2023 at LC (6-9, 2 BB, 1 HBP), replacing Jacob Wilson at SS.				