



2022 NORTHWEST ARKANSAS NATURALS ROSTER

• Roster as of April 8, 2022 •

% - Development List (IL) - Injured List † - Rehab Assignment (40) - 40-Man

PITCHERS (15+1)									
B/T	Ht	Wt	BORN (AGE)	HOMETOWN	LAST TEAM(S)	ACQUIRED	COLLEGE	PRONUNCIATION	
L/L	6'0"	200	12/4/1997 (24)	Hazleton, Penn.	Quad Cities ('21)	2019 Draft – Round 6	Penn State	bee-AH-zee	
R/L	6'2"	195	3/24/1995 (27)	Lawton, Okla.	ACL Royals/Quad Cities/ Naturals ('21)	2017 Draft – Round 8	Central Oklahoma		
R/R	6'5"	215	12/21/1996 (25)	Placentia, Calif.	Columbia/Quad Cities ('21)	2018 Draft – Round 14	Chapman		
R/R	6'2"	180	9/23/1999 (22)	Miches, D.R.	Naturals ('21)	MiLB FA, 12/5/2017		Jeffry	
R/R	6'1"	225	9/3/1996 (25)	San Diego, Calif.	Quad Cities ('21)	2019 Draft – Round 35	UC San Diego	dih-POH-to	
R/R	6'4"	186	10/8/1996 (25)	Breese, Ill.	ACL Royals/Quad Cities ('21)	2018 Draft – Round 6	Kentucky	hockey	
L/L	6'4"	215	6/2/1999 (22)	Kerrville, Texas	Quad Cities ('21)	2020 Draft – Round 1 (4th)	Texas A&M	AY-suh	
R/R	6'2"	220	5/14/1998 (23)	Milwaukee, Wisc.	Naturals ('21)	2019 Draft – Round 2	Arizona State		
L/L	5'11"	200	12/8/1997 (24)	Rockledge, Fla.	Quad Cities/ Naturals ('21)	2019 Draft – Round 8	Florida State		
L/L	6'1"	170	7/11/1998 (23)	Texarkana, Ark.	Columbia/Quad Cities ('21)	2019 Draft – Round 27	Mississippi		
R/R	6'1"	215	3/2/1997 (25)	Sucre, Ven.	Naturals/Omaha ('21)	MiLB FA – 7/30/2015		ahn-DRACE soh-tee-YET	
L/L	6'6"	200	9/1/1997 (24)	Hackettstown, N.J.	Quad Cities ('21)	2019 Draft – Round 10	Coastal Carolina	va-nee-z-ee-ah-no	
R/R	6'2"	215	8/20/1997 (24)	Lee's Summit, Mo.	Columbia/Quad Cities ('21)	2016 Draft – Round 34			
R/R	6'3"	215	3/27/1996 (26)	Napoleon, Ohio	Tulsa ('21)	Trade – 10/20/21 w/ LAD	Kent State	will-eh-men	
R/R	6'2"	200	6/10/1995 (26)	Huntington, N.Y.	Naturals ('21)	Trade – 7/21/20 w/ TBR	SUNY Albany		
L/L	6'0"	220	9/27/1999 (22)	Valle de la Pascua, Ven.	QC/ NWA/OMA/KC ('21)	NDFFA – 7/26/2020		AHN-hel SAIR-pah	
CATCHERS (3)									
B/T	Ht	Wt	BORN (AGE)	HOMETOWN	LAST TEAM(S)	ACQUIRED	COLLEGE	PRONUNCIATION	
R/R	5'11"	185	12/10/1995 (26)	Sioux City, Iowa	Naturals ('21)	MiLB FA – 10/8/2020	Iowa	crop-lee	
R/R	6'1"	215	11/16/1998 (23)	Mariara, Carabobo, Ven.	Omaha/KANSAS CITY ('21)	NDFFA – 7/10/2015			
R/R	6'0"	204	7/12/1995 (26)	Surprise, Arizona	Quad Cities ('21)	NDFFA – 6/21/2018	Dixie State		
INFIELDERS (6+1)									
B/T	Ht	Wt	BORN (AGE)	HOMETOWN	LAST TEAM(S)	ACQUIRED	COLLEGE	PRONUNCIATION	
R/R	5'11"	190	12/22/1996 (25)	Richmond, Va.	ACL Royals/Quad Cities ('21)	2018 Draft – Round 21	Virginia Military Institute		
R/R	6'0"	168	3/3/2000 (22)	La Sabana, Ven.	Columbia/Quad Cities ('21)	NDFFA – 7/27/2016		my-KELL gar-SEE-uh	
R/R	6'2"	196	10/6/1995 (26)	Perth, Western Australia	Bradenton/Altoona ('19)	MiLB FA – 2/22/2022	Missouri		
L/R	6'2"	175	4/25/1995 (26)	Scottsdale, Ariz.	Kansas City Monarchs ('21)	MiLB FA – 1/27/2022	CSU Baker=sfield	GROET-john	
L/R	6'0"	190	3/22/1998 (24)	Palos, Ill.	Quad Cities ('21)	2019 Draft – Round 4	Illinois		
R/R	6'2"	215	4/14/1996 (25)	Gardner, Kan.	Columbia/Quad Cities ('21)	2019 Draft – Round 22	Indiana State		
L/R	6'1"	220	3/12/1994 (28)	Wilmington, N.C.	Quad Cities/ Naturals ('21)	MiLB FA – 5/5/2021	UNC Wilmington		
OUTFIELDERS (4)									
B/T	Ht	Wt	BORN (AGE)	HOMETOWN	LAST TEAM(S)	ACQUIRED	COLLEGE	PRONUNCIATION	
L/L	6'0"	195	5/6/1998 (23)	Chickamauga, Ga.	Columbia/Quad Cities ('21)	NDFFA – 6/23/2020	Georgia		
R/R	6'1"	180	9/25/1998 (23)	Corpus Christi, Texas	Quad Cities ('21)	2020 Draft – Round 1 (31st)	Baylor		
R/R	6'3"	225	9/4/1998 (23)	La Isabela, D.R.	ACL Royals/Quad Cities/ Naturals ('21)	NDFFA – 7/4/2015		soo-lee mah-TEE-as	
L/L	6'0"	185	12/30/1997 (24)	Bloomington, Ill.	Quad Cities ('21)	2019 Draft – Round 5	Illinois State		

NUMERICAL	
1	John RaveOF
2	Tyler CropleyC
3	Sebastian RiveroC
4	Ryan GrotjohnINF/OF
6	Abraham NúñezCOACH (HITTING)
7	Maikel GarciaINF
9	Jake MeansINF
11	Logan PorterC
12	Tucker BradleyOF
13	Nick LoftinOF
14	Holden Capps %LHP
15	Alec MarshRHP
16	Robbie GlendinningINF
17	Zack PhillipsLHP
19	Nate EatonINF/OF
21	Asa LacyLHP
22	Stephen Woods Jr.RHP
23	Mike JirschleCOACH (BENCH)
25	Seuly MatiasOF
26	Michael MasseyINF
27	Christian ColónCOACH (ASST. HITTING)
28	Drew ParrishLHP
29	Zach WillemanRHP
32	Anthony VenezianoLHP
34	Christian CosbyRHP
35	Nathan WebbRHP
36	Chris WidgerMANAGER
38	Dante BiasiLHP
39	Ándres SotilletRHP
41	Zach HaakeRHP
43	Derrick LewisCOACH (PITCHING)
44	Gavin Stupienski %INF/C
45	Yefri Del RosarioRHP
53	Angel ZerpaLHP
55	Jonah DipotoRHP

COACHES AND STAFF

MANAGER: Chris Widger (36) • **PITCHING COACH:** Derrick Lewis (43) • **HITTING COACH:** Abraham Núñez (6)

ASST. HITTING COACH: Christian Colón (27) • **BENCH COACH:** Mike Jirschle (23) • **VIDEO COORDINATORS:** Mitch Meyer & Drew Epperson

CERTIFIED ATHLETIC TRAINER: Danny Accola • **STRENGTH AND CONDITIONING COACH:** CJ Mikkelsen • **COORDINATOR OF CLUBHOUSE OPERATIONS:** Danny Helmer