

# CLEARWATER THRESHERS

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Clearwater Threshers (13-25, 48-55) VS. St. Lucie Mets (21-17, 61-42)

**Thursday, August 11, 2022**

**Game #104 | Home Game #51 | 6:30 PM | BayCare Ballpark, Clearwater, FL**  
**LHP Jordi Martinez (3-6, 4.45 ERA) vs. RHP Jordan Geber (0-0, 12.00 ERA)**

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**LAST TIME OUT:** The Clearwater Threshers snapped a three-game losing skid with a 5-2 victory over the St. Lucie Mets on Wednesday night at BayCare Ballpark. Left-hander Gabriel Cotto made his 17th start of the season on the mound for Clearwater, allowing only two runs on four hits with four walks and four strikeouts in five innings of work. The southpaw was credited with his third win of the season. The Threshers (13-25, 48-55) opened the scoring in the third inning, using two St. Lucie errors, an RBI single by Hao Yu Lee and an RBI groundout by Matt Alifano to make it 3-0. Leading 3-0, Clearwater added two more in the fourth on a leadoff solo home run by Wilfredo Flores and another RBI base knock by Lee to make it 5-0. It was Flores' second homer of the season, while Lee finished the game 3-for-5 with two RBI. With the Threshers leading 5-0 in the fifth, Cotto allowed two runs as the Mets (21-17, 61-42) cut into the deficit on an RBI groundout by Junior Tillien and an RBI single by Raul Beracierta to make it 5-2. Right-hander Eiberson Castellano entered on the bump for the home team in the sixth, allowing just one hit with four strikeouts in three impressive innings to keep the Threshers in front. As both teams went scoreless the rest of the way, the Threshers carried over a 5-2 lead into the top of the ninth. Left-hander Tristan Garnett took over on the mound and struck out the side on 12 pitches to secure his second save of the year and a 5-2 victory. Clearwater and St. Lucie meet again on Thursday night in game three of the six-game series at 6:30 p.m. Lefty Jordi Martinez (3-6, 4.45 ERA) is scheduled to start for the Threshers, with coverage on the **Threshers Broadcasting Network** set to begin at 6:20 p.m.

**FOR STARTERS:** Left-hander **Jordi Martinez** is scheduled to make his 13th start (15th appearance) for the Threshers on Thursday night...Holds a 3-6 record with 4.45 ERA...Last outing: August 5 @ Tampa, allowed no runs on three hits with two walk and five strikeouts in four innings of work, no decision...8-10 overall in minor league career with 4.18 ERA (pitched in 10 games with Threshers in 2021)...signed minor league free agent deal with Phillies in January 2018...from Santiago, DR



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**SHARK BITES: vs. St. Lucie in 2022:** 2-6, this marks the second and final meeting between the Threshers and Mets in 2022, Clearwater dropped 5 of 6 games in St. Lucie during the season's first road trip April 12-17 ... **KNOW THE FOE:** The Mets hold the Florida State League's best overall record at 61-42 and won the FSL's East Division in the first half under manager Robbie Robinson, St. Lucie also sits at 21-17 in the second half, trailing the Palm Beach Cardinals by two games... **HOME SWEET HOME:** The Threshers lead the Florida State League in attendance, welcoming in more than 112,000 fans through the BayCare Ballpark gates so far in 2022, including a league-high 8,017 for the July 3 contest.... **FUN FACT:** Despite back-to-back losses on Saturday and Sunday, the Threshers 13-5 record vs. Tampa is their best winning percentage against any FSL opponent ... **NOT SO FUN FACT:** The Threshers finished the month of July 7-17, their worst month of the season. Clearwater has had five losing streaks of three games or more in the second half... **WHO'S HOT:** Newcomer Caleb Ricketts, a 7th round draft pick of the Phillies from the University of San Diego in June 2022, has already recorded nine hits and four RBI, including a homer in his first five games with the Threshers, INF Hao Yu Lee finished Wednesday night's win 3-for-5 with two RBI and continues to lead the team in RBI with 44, OF Wilfredo Flores homered for the fourth time on Wednesday and is hitting .262 with RISP, good for second on the team ... **WELCOME BACK:** INF Alexeis Azuaje returned to the lineup for the first time since May 24 over the weekend and played in his first home game on Wednesday night, finishing 3-for-5 with two runs scored... **ON DECK:** Following the six-game series with the Mets, the Threshers will travel to face the Daytona Tortugas August 16-21 before returning home to open the second to last homestand vs. Tampa August 23-28

### ***Inside the Numbers:***

Current Streak: W1  
Last 10: 4-6  
VS. St. Lucie: 2-6  
At Home: 23-27  
On Road: 25-28  
In August: 4-4 (7-17 July)  
On Thursday: 7-7  
Team hitting at home: .223  
Team hitting on road: .227  
Night games: 39-35  
Day games: 9-20  
Team hitting in August: .231  
Team ERA in August: 4.50  
Team hitting vs. LHP: .221  
Team hitting vs. RHP: .226  
Following a win: 26-20  
Following a loss: 21-33  
Starters ERA: 4.40  
Bullpen ERA: 3.09



### ***Diving Deeper - #48 LHP Jordi Martinez***

**MARTÍNEZ, JORDI ANTONIO...** LHP... B-T: L-L... HT: 6-2; WT: 215... BORN: July 18, 2000, Santiago de los Caballeros, DR... RESIDES: Santiago de los Caballeros... HOW OBTAINED: Signed by Phillies as an amateur free agent, 1/22/18... SIGNED BY: Carlos Salas... 2021: Pitched for Clearwater (A)... Went 2-0 with a 1.53 ERA (3 ER, 17.2 IP) in 5 June games (3 starts)... Was on the IL, 7/13-remainder of season, with a left UCL injury... 2020: Did not pitch... 2019: Appeared in 5 games (1 start) with Gulf Coast League Phillies East (R)... Participated in Florida Instructional League... 2018: Began professional career with Dominican Summer League Phillies Red (R)... Did not surrender a HR in 41.1 IP... Participated in FIL.



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### CLEARWATER THRESHERS LATEST TRANSACTIONS

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- 17-Jul INF Hao Yu Lee reinstated from 7-Day Injured List, activated by Clearwater Threshers
- 17-Jul C Chris Burke placed on Development List (retroactive to 7/16)
- 22-Jul OF Yhoswar Garcia transferred to 60-Day Injured List
- 22-Jul RHP Tommy McCollum transferred to 60-Day Injured List
- 22-Jul RHP Cam Bedrosian on MiLB Rehab assigned to Clearwater Threshers
- 22-Jul RHP Sam Coonrod on MLB Rehab assigned to Clearwater Threshers
- 26-Jul LHP Scott Moss on MiLB Rehab assigned to Clearwater Threshers
- 26-Jul RHP Cam Bedrosian on MiLB Rehab assigned to Jersey Shore, no longer with Clearwater Threshers
- 26-Jul RHP Sam Coonrod on MLB Rehab assigned to Lehigh Valley, no longer with Clearwater Threshers
- 2-Aug OF Chad Castillo activated and assigned to Clearwater Threshers (retroactive to 8/1)
- 2-Aug OF Cade Fergus activated and assigned to Clearwater Threshers (retroactive to 8/1)
- 2-Aug C Ryan Letich activated and assigned to Clearwater Threshers (retroactive to 8/1)
- 2-Aug C Caleb Ricketts activated and assigned to Clearwater Threshers (retroactive to 8/1)
- 2-Aug OF Troy Schreffler activated and assigned to Clearwater Threshers (retroactive to 8/1)
- 2-Aug C Arturo De Freitas assigned to Jersey Shore from Clearwater Threshers (retroactive to 8/1)



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- 2-Aug OF Marcus Lee Sang assigned to Jersey Shore from Clearwater Threshers (retroactive to 8/1)
- 2-Aug RHP Rodolfo Sanchez assigned to Jersey Shore from Clearwater Threshers (retroactive to 8/1)
- 2-Aug INF Nicolas Torres assigned to Jersey Shore from Clearwater Threshers (retroactive to 8/1)
- 2-Aug INF Albert Jerez released from organization (retroactive to 7/31)
- 2-Aug INF McCarthy Tatum on MiLB Rehab assigned to Clearwater Threshers
- 5-Aug INF Matt Alifano activated and assigned to Clearwater Threshers
- 5-Aug INF Alexeis Azujae reinstated from 7-Day Injured List, activated by Clearwater Threshers
- 5-Aug C Andrick Nava assigned to Jersey Shore from Clearwater Threshers
- 5-Aug INF Kendall Simmons assigned to Jersey Shore from Clearwater Threshers



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