



# GAME INFORMATION Hot Rods

MEDIA RELATIONS DEPARTMENT - BOWLING GREEN BALLPARK - 300 E. 8TH AVE - BOWLING GREEN, KY - 42101

## BOWLING GREEN HOT RODS (9-6) vs JERSEY SHORE BLUECLAWS (9-5)

Tuesday, April 21, 2026 - 6:35 PM CT | Watch: MiLB.tv | Radio: Listen Live at BGHotRods.com | MiLB Atbat App

**LHP Garrett Gainey**  
(1-0, 7.20)



**LHP Mavis Graves**  
(0-0, 1.29)

HOT RODS BY THE NUMBERS	
Overall Record:	9-6
Home Record:	6-3
Road Record:	3-3
Current Streak:	3L
Longest Winning Streak:	4W
Longest Losing Streak:	3L
Last/Current Home Stand:	0-0
Last/Current Road Trip:	3-3
Last 5 Games:	3-2
Last 10 Games:	6-4
Last 20 Games:	9-6
April Record:	9-6
May Record:	0-0
June Record:	0-0
July Record:	0-0
August Record:	0-0
September Record:	0-0
One-Run Games:	3-2
Two-Run Games:	3-0
Three-Run Games:	1-0
Four (Plus)-Run Games:	2-4
Day Record:	1-3
Night Record:	8-3
Extra Innings:	0-1
Double Headers (W-L-S)	0-0-1
Shutouts:	1-1
Weather Shortened:	1-0
Vs. RH Starters:	6-6
Vs. LH Starters:	3-0
Hot Rods Starters:	4-3
Hot Rods Bullpen:	5-3
Series Record (W-L-S):	2-0-1
First game of a Series:	2-1
Hot Rods Score First:	4-2
Opponents Score First:	5-4
Hot Rods Out-Hit Opponent:	3-0
Opponent Out-Hit Hot Rods:	2-4
Equal Number of Hits:	4-2
BG Ballpark Attendance:	12,958
Average Attendance:	1,619

**Defending Home Soil....** The Bowling Green Hot Rods have won each of their first two series at Bowling Green Ballpark in 2026. The Hot Rods defeated the Rome Emperors in four games of a six-game series while also downing the Winston-Salem Dash in two games of a three-game set. Bowling Green olds a 4-0 record in home games decided by two runs or fewer.

**Hujzak Attack....** Outfielder Connor Hujzak caught fire in the Hot Rods' road series against the Greenville Drive. The 24-year-old is 10-for-22 over his last five games with three home runs, seven extra-base hits and five RBI. Hujzak logged his first multi-home run game for Bowling Green last Tuesday and smashed a game-tying two-run home run in the ninth inning last Thursday.

**Theo's The Guy....** Theo Gillen, the Tampa Bay Rays' No. 1 prospect, returns to the Hot Rods' lineup on Tuesday night. The 20-year-old surged at the end of Bowling Green's last home stand with four home runs in two games against Rome. Gillen was awarded SAL Player of the Week for his performance, going 7-for-17 (.412) with a double, four homers, and eight RBI in five games. The former first-round draft pick holds a team-best 1.145 OPS and is tied for first with four home runs this season.

**Yo, Adrian!....** Adrian Santana has reached base safely in 11 consecutive games. During the streak, he is hitting .286, making his way on base with 12 hits and four walks. Santana is currently tied for the seventh-longest active streak in the SAL, trailing Eric Guenther (Hudson Valley Renegades) and Devin Fitz-Gerald (Wilmington Blue Rocks) at 13 consecutive games.

**Garden State Roots....** Hot Rods infielder Tony Santa Maria grew up roughly 65 miles from ShoreTown Ballpark, home of this week's opponent Jersey Shore BlueClaws. The 24-year-old has a career .802 OPS with 19 RBI in 28 career games as a Hot Rod. Santa Maria is tied for third in the SAL with seven stolen bases this season. He's now 10-for-11 on stolen bases in his professional career after being drafted out of Rutgers in the 2024 MLB Draft.

**Flew Ball is For Real....** Nathan Flewelling has dazzled to start the 2026 season. The 19-year-old catcher has homered in each of the Hot Rods' first three series this season, including two home runs last week at Greenville. The Rays' No. 10 prospect leads Bowling Green with a .317 batting average and 10 RBI.

**This week's opponents....** The Jersey Shore BlueClaws enter Tuesday night second in the SAL's North Division. Jersey Shore leads the South Atlantic League in four major pitching metrics, noticably a 2.41 team ERA. The second-best ERA in the league is 3.24.

### PROBABLE ROTATION

**Tuesday, 6:05 PM**

LHP Garrett Gainey (1-0, 7.20)      LHP Mavis Graves (0-0, 1.29)

**Wednesday, 11:05 AM**

RHP Gary Gill Hill (1-0, 7.20 ERA)      RHP Ryan Degges (0-0, 1.50 ERA)

**Thursday, 6:35 PM**

RHP Trevor Harrison (0-0, 4.66 ERA)      RHP Luke Gabrysh (0-1, 2.45 ERA)

**Friday, 6:35 PM**

RHP Jose Urbina (0-2, 5.91 ERA)      RHP Ryan Dromboski (0-1, 3.14 ERA)

**Saturday, 4:05 PM**

RHP Anderson Brito (1-1, 3.72 ERA)      RHP Sam Highfill (1-0, 0.69 ERA)

**Sunday, 1:05 PM**

LHP Garrett Gainey (1-0, 7.20 ERA)      RHP Reese Dutton (2-0, 0.00 ERA)

### HOT RODS PROSPECTS

	Rays Top 30		MLB Top 100
	MLB	BA	MLB/BA
T. Gillen	#1	#2	#72/#64
A. Brito	#5	#6	--
N. Flewelling	#10	#15	--
T. Harrison	#15	#16	--
J. Urbina	#16	#20	--
G. Gill Hill	#26	#27	--

### HOT RODS UPCOMING SCHEDULE

April 28 - May 3	at Rome
May 5-10	vs. Brooklyn
May 12-17	at Greenville
May 19-24	vs. Asheville
May 26-31	at Hudson Valley
June 2-7	at Wilmington
June 9-14	vs. Rome
June 16-21	at Asheville
June 23-28	vs. Hudson Valley
June 30 - July 5	at Greensboro

### TODAY IN HOT RODS HISTORY

**April 21, 2013**

The Hot Rods scored six unanswered runs in the final two innings to overcome the Dayton Dragons, 7-5, at Fifth Third Field in Ohio. Patrick Leonard completed the rally with a go-ahead two-run single in the ninth inning to give the Hot Rods their first and only lead.

## Tampa Bay Rays Organization Report (April 20, 2026)

Tampa Bay Rays (MLB)			
	R	H	E
TB (12-10)	1	6	0
CIN (15-8)	6	9	0

W: R. Lowder (3-1, 3.10)

L: J. Scholtens (1-1, 2.93)

SV: N/A

Durham Bulls (AAA)			
	R	H	E
DUR (8-13)			

Off-Day

Montgomery Biscuits (AA)			
	R	H	E
MTG (5-9)			

Off-Day

Charleston RiverDogs (A)			
	R	H	E
CHS (8-7)			

Off-Day

# STARTING PITCHER



## #5 Garrett Gainey LHP (1-0, 7.20)

**HT:** 6'1" **WT:** 200 **Age:** 25 (6/22/2000)

**Birthplace:** Hartsville, SC **School:** South Carolina

**Acquired:** Selected by Tampa Bay in 9th round (pick 276) of 2024 MLB Draft

**Throws:** 4-Seam Fastball, Slider, Changeup

### Player Specs

**2025:** Started SAL season in the bullpen, going 0-3 with a 6.28 ERA over 11 relief outings... Briefly pitched for Double-A Montgomery, 3.12 ERA in four appearances (one start)... Dealt as a starter; 4-1 record with a 2.40 ERA over 48.2 innings with 40 strikeouts... Struck out career-high 7 batters at Greenville Drive on August 29... Closed season with callup to Triple-A Durham... Pitched 5.0 scoreless innings in first Triple-A start at Charlotte on September 20... **2024:** Made organizational debut with Bowling Green in 2024... Appeared in one game, tossing 2.0 innings, allowing just one hit while striking out one... **COLLEGE:** Played his final season of collegiate baseball at South Carolina in 2024... Finished fifth in SEC with six saves... Earned two saves in one day in March 24 DH vs No. 3 Vanderbilt... Delivered three starts, going at least 5.0 frames in each of those contests... Finished the season with a 4.00 ERA and six saves, striking out 68 batters over 54.0 innings... Pitched 6.0 innings with four strikeouts in their NCAA regional game against NC State...

### 2026 Game Log

DATE	TM	OPP	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	SVO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	NP-S	AVG	WHIP
4/3	BG	vs WS	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	21-10	.000	1.00
4/8	BG	vs ROM	0	0	9.00	1	1	0	0	0	0	4.0	9	5	5	1	0	1	0	6	69-48	.375	2.20
4/15	BG	@ GVL	1	0	7.20	1	1	0	0	0	0	5.0	5	3	3	3	0	0	0	3	66-48	.311	1.60

### 2025 Game Log

DATE	TM	OPP	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	SVO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	NP-S	AVG	WHIP
5/2	BG	@ ABD	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	23-18	.000	0.00
5/7	BG	@ WS	0	1	13.50	1	0	0	0	0	1	0.2	3	4	4	1	1	0	0	2	19-11	.250	1.13
5/11	BG	@ WS	0	0	9.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	2.1	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	30-23	.238	1.20
5/15	BG	vs ASH	0	1	13.50	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	4	4	4	0	1	0	0	0	26-22	.333	1.67
5/21	BG	vs GVL	0	0	8.10	1	1	0	0	0	0	4.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	41-34	.244	1.10
5/30	BG	@ GBO	0	0	7.36	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	18-11	.250	1.18
6/1	BG	@ GBO	0	0	6.57	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	20-13	.229	1.05
6/4	BG	vs JS	0	0	6.08	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13-9	.216	0.98
6/10	BG	@ WS	0	0	5.65	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	15-11	.204	0.91
6/12	BG	@ WS	0	1	6.14	1	0	0	0	0	0	0.1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	14-9	.214	0.95
6/20	BG	vs HCS	0	0	4.91	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	21-14	.206	0.93
6/24	BG	@ ASH	0	0	5.73	1	1	0	0	0	0	3.2	5	4	4	1	1	1	0	5	56-36	.229	1.05
7/23	BG	@ ASH	1	0	4.67	1	1	0	0	0	0	5.0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	56-38	.210	0.93
7/29	BG	vs ABD	0	0	4.22	1	1	0	0	0	0	5.0	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	66-43	.218	0.94
8/3	BG	vs ABD	0	0	3.89	1	1	0	0	0	0	5.0	2	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	57-37	.207	0.89
8/9	BG	vs WS	1	0	3.43	1	1	0	0	0	0	5.0	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	5	73-52	.204	0.90
8/15	BG	@ ROM	0	1	3.50	1	1	0	0	0	0	4.1	5	2	2	0	0	3	0	1	84-57	.213	0.99
8/22	BG	vs GBO	1	0	3.51	1	1	0	0	0	0	5.0	3	2	2	1	0	1	0	6	80-50	.209	0.97
8/29	BG	@ GVL	0	0	3.63	1	1	0	0	0	0	5.2	7	3	3	0	0	1	0	7	88-59	.219	1.02
9/4	BG	vs ASH	1	0	3.29	1	1	0	0	0	0	6.0	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	6	70-46	.213	0.99

### Career Stats

YEAR	Team	LG	LEVEL	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	SVO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	K	AVG	WHIP
2024	BG	SAL	A+	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	2.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	.167	0.50
2025	CHS	CAR	A	1	1	6.30	7	0	0	0	0	0	10.0	8	7	7	2	0	4	0	10	.211	1.20
2025	BG	SAL	A+	4	4	3.29	21	10	0	0	0	0	63.0	49	23	23	4	4	13	0	57	.213	0.98
2025	MTG	SOU	AA	1	0	3.12	4	1	0	0	0	0	8.2	8	4	3	0	0	4	0	9	.267	1.38
2025	DUR	INT	AAA	1	0	0.00	2	1	0	0	0	0	6.0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	.143	0.50
2026	BG	SAL	A+	1	0	7.20	3	2	0	0	0	0	10.0	14	8	8	4	1	2	0	10	.311	1.60
<b>Minor League Totals</b>				8	5	3.70	38	14	0	0	0	1	99.2	83	43	41	10	6	23	0	92	.224	1.06

### Starters by the Numbers

Stats for Hot Rods starters, limited to numbers accrued in each pitcher's starts

Pitcher	GS	QS	W-L	Team W-L	AVG IP	K/9	BB/9	R/Start	In-Game Support
G. Gill Hill	3	0	1-0	3-0	5.0	9.60	3.60	6.33	11
T. Harrison	3	0	0-0	2-1	3.1	12.06	7.42	6.00	12
J. Urbina	3	0	0-2	0-3	3.2	10.13	5.06	2.67	8
A. Brito	3	0	1-1	1-2	3.1	10.24	2.79	2.67	3
G. Gainey	2	0	1-0	2-0	4.2	9.00	5.00	6.00	9
J. Kisting	1	0	1-0	1-0	5.0	12.60	1.80	10.0	9
<b>Total</b>	15	0	4-3	9-6	4.0	10.37	4.42	5.00	46

### 2026 Home/Road (Regular Season)

Home		Road	
0-0	W-L	1-0	
9.00	ERA	5.40	
5.0	IP	5.0	
9	H	5	
5	R	3	
5	ER	3	
1	HR	3	
2	BB	0	
7	SO	3	
.375	AVG	.311	

### 2026 Left/Right Splits

Left	Right	
14	AB	31
5	H	9
.357	AVG	.290
2	HR	2
1	HBP	0
0	BB	2
5	SO	5

### Against the Opponent

Opponent	Affiliate	
1-0	W-L	1-0
3.67	ERA	3.67
3	G	3
3	GS	3
14.2	IP	14.2
13	H	13
6	R	6
6	ER	6
1	BB	1
15	SO	15
3	HR	3

### SEASON & CAREER HIGHS

2026	Career	
5.0 (4/15 @ GVL)	IP	6.0 (9/4/25 vs ASH)
4.0 (4/8 vs ROM)	Short Start	3.0 (7/13/25 @ KNX)
9 (4/8 vs ROM)	H	Same
5 (4/8 vs ROM)	R	6 (4/9/25 @ COL)
4/8 vs ROM)	ER	6 (4/9/25 @ COL)
1 (2x)	BB	3 (2x)
6 (4/8 vs ROM)	SO	7 (8/29/25 @ GVL)
3 (4/15 @ GVL)	HR	Same
--	CG	--
--	SHO	--
1 (4/15 - Present)	Win Streak	3 (2x)
--	Loss Streak	3 (5/7/25 - 7/2/25)

### Bullpen Breakdown

Pitcher	IR				Last Outing	Days Last App	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K	HR	Decision
	SV	BSV	No.	Score										
Andrade, Ryan	--	--	--	0	April 17 @ Greenville	4	1.1	1	0	0	0	1	0	ND
Beal, Noah	2	0	1	--	April 16 @ Greenville	5	2.0	2	1	1	0	2	0	Save (2)
Citelli, Cade	1	0	2	0	April 19 @ Greenville	2	2.0	0	0	0	1	2	0	Hold (1)
Corbett, Kaleb	--	--	3	0	April 19 @ Greenville	2	2.1	2	0	0	1	2	0	ND
Fondtain, TJ	2	0	--	--	April 18 @ Greenville	3	1.0	4	3	3	0	0	0	Loss (1-1)
Gainey, Garrett	--	--	--	--	April 15 @ Greenville*	6	5.0	5	3	3	0	3	3	Win (1-0)
Galan, Andres	--	--	1	0	April 17 @ Greenville	4	1.0	5	5	1	0	2	0	ND
Kisting, Jacob	1	0	--	--	April 15 @ Greenville	6	4.0	3	1	1	0	2	1	Save (1)
Kmatz, Jacob	2	0	1	1	April 14 @ Greenville	7	2.0	0	0	0	0	4	0	Save (2)
Lindsey, Andrew	--	--	--	--	April 18 @ Greenville	3	2.0	3	1	1	0	1	0	ND
Rodriguez, Andy	--	--	--	--	April 17 @ Greenville	4	2.1	1	1	0	1	0	0	Loss (0-1)
Russell, Jonathan	1	0	--	--	April 19 @ Greenville	2	1.0	0	1	1	1	0	0	Hold (2)

# HITTERS

<b>1</b>	<b>Jose Perez   UTIL</b>	<b>2025 (CHS): .175, 1 HR, 16 RBI</b>	<b>VS. LHP: 0-1, .000, 0 HR, 0 RBI</b>
	<b>B/T: S/R Height: 5-9 Weight: 170 lbs</b>	<b>2026 (BG): .214, 0 HR, 0 RBI</b>	<b>VS. RHP: 3-13, .222, 0 HR, 0 RBI</b>
<b>Quick Hitters:</b>			
- Played 25 games in OF, 23 games as 3B and eight games at 2B for 2025 RiverDogs		<b>Last Game:</b>	1-for-1, 1 R, 1 SO
- Worked a .335 OBP with 35 walks for Single-A Charleston in 2025.		<b>Vs. Team:</b>	
- Made four appearances for Hot Rods in 2025, first hits on August 30, 2025.		<b>Last 5 Games:</b>	.553 OPS, 3-for-14 (.214 AVG), 3 R
- Combined for a .986 OPS in 50 games during 2023 season.		<b>Last 10 Games:</b>	

<b>3</b>	<b>Ricardo Gonzalez   INF</b>	<b>2025 (CHS): .224, 0 HR, 40 RBI</b>	<b>VS. LHP: 0-2, .000, 0 HR, 0 RBI</b>
	<b>B/T: S/R Height: 5-11 Weight: 186 lbs</b>	<b>2026 (BG): .200, 0 HR, 0 RBI</b>	<b>VS. RHP: 4-18, .222, 0 HR, 0 RBI</b>
<b>Quick Hitters:</b>			
- One of two RiverDogs to play 95+ games in each of the last two seasons (Narciso Polanco).		<b>Last Game:</b>	2-for-4, 1 SO, 0/1 SB
- Logged new career-bests in runs scored (43), stolen bases (23) and walks drawn (54) in 2025 Carolina League.		<b>Vs. Team:</b>	
- Polished as a 2022 DSL Mid-Season All-Star in debut season.		<b>Last 5 Games:</b>	.398 OPS, 3-for-17 (.176 AVG), 3 SO
		<b>Last 10 Games:</b>	

<b>6</b>	<b>Narciso Polanco   INF</b>	<b>2025 (CHS): .228, 4 HR, 43 RBI</b>	<b>VS. LHP: 2-14, .143, 0 HR, 0 RBI</b>
	<b>B/T: L/R Height: 5-10 Weight: 161 lbs</b>	<b>2026 (BG): .159, 1 HR, 5 RBI</b>	<b>VS. RHP: 5-30, .167, 1 HR, 5 RBI</b>
<b>Quick Hitters:</b>			
- Won Carolina League Player of the Week on May 11, 2025, following first five-hit game by a RiverDogs player in four years.		<b>Last Game:</b>	0-for-4, 1 R, 1 SO, 1/1 SB
- Tallied the second-most walks (73) in 2025 Carolina League season.		<b>Vs. Team:</b>	
- Featured three times on RiverDogs' "Top 10 Plays" from the 2025 season; one play as third baseman, one play as second baseman and one as a batter.		<b>Last 5 Games:</b>	.538 OPS, 4-for-20 (.200 AVG), 2 RBI, 2 R, 4 SO
- International FA signing out of Dominican Republic in January 2022.		<b>Last 10 Games:</b>	.560 OPS, 7-for-38 (.184 AVG), 5 RBI, 6 R, 10 S

<b>7</b>	<b>Émilien Pitre   INF</b>	<b>2025 (BG): .268, 9 HR, 63 RBI</b>	<b>VS. LHP: 0-11, .000, 0 HR, 3 RBI</b>
	<b>B/T: L/R Height: 5-11 Weight: 185 lbs</b>	<b>2026 (BG): .136, 0 HR, 8 RBI</b>	<b>VS. RHP: 6-33, .182, 0 HR, 5 RBI</b>
<b>Quick Hitters:</b>			
- Led 2025 South Atlantic League with 120 hits, also top 10 in RBI (4th), OBP (5th), OPS (6th) and walks drawn (8).		<b>Last Game:</b>	0-for-3, 1 R, 2 BB, 1 SO, 1/1 SB
- Racked up the longest hitting streak of any Hot Rod last season (10 games).		<b>Vs. Team:</b>	
- Led Kentucky Wildcats to first MCWS Appearance in 2024 season.		<b>Last 5 Games:</b>	.372 OPS, 2-for-18 (.111 AVG), 2 RBI, 4 BB, 5 SO
- One of three Canadians (Nathan Flewelling and Jack Lines) selected by Tampa Bay in 2025 MLB Draft		<b>Last 10 Games:</b>	.467 OPS, 5-for-36 (.139), 5 RBI, 5 R, 7 BB, 7 SO

<b>8</b>	<b>Adrian Santana   INF</b>	<b>2025 (BG): .263, 2 HR, 43 RBI</b>	<b>VS. LHP: 4-12, .333, 0 HR, 1 RBI</b>
	<b>B/T: S/R Height: 5-11 Weight: 155 lbs</b>	<b>2026 (BG): .286, 0 HR, 4 RBI</b>	<b>VS. RHP: 8-30, .267, 0 HR, 3 RBI</b>
<b>Quick Hitters:</b>			
- Led Bowling Green with 47 stolen bases (third-most in 2025 SAL season).		<b>Last Game:</b>	Did not appear
- Launched a walk-off Grand Slam on June 17th, 2025 vs Hub City.		<b>Vs. Team:</b>	
- Stole the sixth-most stolen bases (51) of any MiLB player in 2024 season for Single-A Charleston.		<b>Last 5 Games:</b>	.714 OPS, 6-for-20 (.300 AVG), 3 R, 3 SO
- Described by MLB.com's Adam Berry as one of seven prospects projected to break into Rays' Top 10 prospects in 2026.		<b>Last 10 Games:</b>	.714 OPS, 11-for-38 (.289 AVG), 9 R, 4 BB, 5 SO

<b>11</b>	<b>Connor Hujak   OF</b>	<b>2025 (CHS): .234, 8 HR, 53 RBI</b>	<b>VS. LHP: 3-12, .250, 2 HR, 2 RBI</b>
	<b>B/T: R/R Height: 6-2 Weight: 200 lbs</b>	<b>2026 (BG): .240, 4 HR, 8 RBI</b>	<b>VS. RHP: 9-38, .237, 2 HR, 6 RBI</b>
<b>Quick Hitters:</b>			
- Delivered two home runs on April 14 at Greenville, his first multi-home run game since September 5th, 2024 for Single-A Charleston.		<b>Last Game:</b>	Did not appear
- Led 2025 RiverDogs with 20 doubles, tied for first with six triples.		<b>Vs. Team:</b>	
- Named Carolina League Player of the Week on June 22, 2025 after driving in nine RBI, totaling seven extra-base hits at Kannapolis.		<b>Last 5 Games:</b>	1.500 OPS, 10-for-22 (.455 AVG), 7 XBH, 5 RBI
- Hit walk-off HR for Mississippi State against Ole Miss in 2024 SEC Tournament.		<b>Last 10 Games:</b>	.993 OPS, 12-for-41 (.293 AVG), 8 XBH, 8 RBI, 10 R

<b>14</b>	<b>Theo Gillen   OF</b>	<b>2025 (CHS): .267, 5 HR, 18 RBI</b>	<b>VS. LHP: 1-12, .083, 0 HR, 1 RBI</b>
	<b>B/T: L/R Height: 6-2 Weight: 195 lbs</b>	<b>2026 (BG): .290, 4 HR, 9 RBI</b>	<b>VS. RHP: 8-19, .421, 4 HR, 8 RBI</b>
<b>Quick Hitters:</b>			
- Earned SAL Player of the Week Honors on April 13, 2026 (4 HR, 8 RBI vs ROM)		<b>Last Game:</b>	Did not appear
- Awarded 2025 Carolina League Post-Season All-Star and Baseball America Low Class A All-Star honors.		<b>Vs. Team:</b>	
- First RiverDogs player since Canaan Smith-Njigba (brother of Super Bowl Champion Jaxon Smith-Njigba) in 2019 to record a .400+ OBP in 70 or more games.		<b>Last 5 Games:</b>	1.456 OPS, 6-for-18 (.333 AVG), 4 HR, 8 RBI, 7 R
- Selected by Tampa Bay as No. 18 pick in 2024 MLB Draft.		<b>Last 10 Games:</b>	

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<b>15</b>	<b>Tony Santa Maria   INF</b>	<b>2025 (BG): .274, 2 HR, 12 RBI</b>	<b>VS. LHP: 4-10, .400, 0 HR, 1 RBI</b>
	<b>B/T: R/R Height: 5-11 Weight: 195 lbs</b>	<b>2026 (BG): .297, 1 HR, 7 RBI</b>	<b>VS. RHP: 7-27, .259, 1 HR, 6 RBI</b>
<b>Quick Hitters:</b>			
- Enters Tuesday tied for third in the South Atlantic League with seven stolen bases.		<b>Last Game:</b>	1-for-5, 2 RBI, 2 SO, 1/1 SB
- Registered career-high five RBI in home debut with Bowling Green in 2025.		<b>Vs. Team:</b>	
- Ranked in Big 10's Top 10 in runs scored (6th) and home runs (9th) in 2024 for Rutgers Scarlet Knights.		<b>Last 5 Games:</b>	.853 OPS, 5-for-18 (.278 AVG), 5 RBI, 4 BB, 6 SO
- Part of Rutgers' class with most MLB Draft selections in 17 years.		<b>Last 10 Games:</b>	.812 OPS, 10-for-34 (.294 AVG), 7 RBI, 6 R, 10 SO

<b>18</b>	<b>J.D. Gonzalez   C</b>	<b>2025 (CHS): .173, 0 HR, 12 RBI</b>	<b>VS. LHP: 3-9, .333, 0 HR, 1 RBI</b>
	<b>B/T: L/R Height: 6-0 Weight: 182 lbs</b>	<b>2026 (BG): .257, 0 HR, 3 RBI</b>	<b>VS. RHP: 6-26, .231, 0 HR, 2 RBI</b>
<b>Quick Hitters:</b>			
- Delivered first multi-hit and first three-hit game by a Hot Rods player in 2026.		<b>Last Game:</b>	Did not appear
- One of three prospects acquired from SDP in Jason Adam trade.		<b>Vs. Team:</b>	
- Finished T-8th in RBI (31) in just 48 games for Single-A Lake Elsinore in 2024 MiLB season.		<b>Last 5 Games:</b>	.347 OPS, 2-for-16 (.125 AVG), 5 SO
- First Puerto Rican catcher selected in first five rounds since 2017 MLB Draft.		<b>Last 10 Games:</b>	.536 OPS, 7-for-32 (.219 AVG), 2 RBI, 3 BB, 11 SO

<b>20</b>	<b>Nathan Flewelling   C</b>	<b>2025 (CHS): .229, 6 HR, 49 RBI</b>	<b>VS. LHP: 3-11, .273, 1 HR, 2 RBI</b>
	<b>B/T: L/R Height: 6-2 Weight: 200 lbs</b>	<b>2026 (BG): .317, 4 HR, 10 RBI</b>	<b>VS. RHP: 10-30, .333, 3 HR, 8 RBI</b>
<b>Quick Hitters:</b>			
- Hit first Hot Rods' home run in 2026, has homered in each of first three series.		<b>Last Game:</b>	1-for-3, 2 BB, 1 SO
- Made BG debut at 18-years-old, two-run triple in first game on September 2.		<b>Vs. Team:</b>	
- Led 2025 Carolina League with 89 walks drawn for Single-A Charleston.		<b>Last 5 Games:</b>	1.023 OPS, 5-for-19 (.263), 2 HR, 3 RBI, 4 BB, 3 SO
- One of three Canadians (Jack Lines and Emilien Pitre) selected by Tampa Bay in 2024 MLB Draft.		<b>Last 10 Games:</b>	1.196 OPS, 12-for-35 (.343), 6 XBH, 4 HR, 8 RBI

<b>23</b>	<b>Angel Mateo   OF</b>	<b>2025 (CHS): .282, 6 HR, 66 RBI</b>	<b>VS. LHP: 1-9, .111, 0 HR, 0 RBI</b>
	<b>B/T: R/R Height: 6-1 Weight: 190 lbs</b>	<b>2026 (BG): .154, 1 HR, 2 RBI</b>	<b>VS. RHP: 5-30, .167, 1 HR, 2 RBI</b>
<b>Quick Hitters:</b>			
- Doubled in three straight games with Bowling Green from August 15 to 17, 2025.		<b>Last Game:</b>	1-for-3, 1 BB, 1 SO
- Led Carolina League with 66 RBI when called up to Bowling Green.		<b>Vs. Team:</b>	
- Won June 2025 Carolina League Player of the Month; .349 / .398 / .547 for a .945 OPS, three home runs and 24 RBI in 25 games.		<b>Last 5 Games:</b>	.439 OPS, 3-for-17 (.176 AVG), 2 BB, 5 SO
- Hit first pinch-hit home run by a RiverDogs player in four seasons.		<b>Last 10 Games:</b>	.505 OPS, 5-for-33 (.152 AVG), 1 HR, 5 BB, 11 SO

<b>27</b>	<b>Tom Poole   OF</b>	<b>2025 (CHS): .200, 3 HR, 12 RBI</b>	<b>VS. LHP: 2-5, .400, 0 HR, 1 RBI</b>
	<b>B/T: L/R Height: 6-2 Weight: 211 lbs</b>	<b>2026 (BG): .162, 1 HR, 6 RBI</b>	<b>VS. RHP: 4-32, .125, 1 HR, 6 RBI</b>
<b>Quick Hitters:</b>			
- Delivered first 4-RBI game by a Hot Rods player in 2026 at Greenville on 4/17.		<b>Last Game:</b>	0-for-3, 1 BB, 2 SO
- Hit game-tying RBI single and scored game-winning run in ninth inning of MiLB debut on August 15, 2025 vs Hickory Crawdads.		<b>Vs. Team:</b>	
- Set Cloud County (NJCAA) single-season program records for home runs (23) and total bses (158) in 2022 season,		<b>Last 5 Games:</b>	.606 OPS, 3-for-19 (.158), 1 HR, 5 RBI, 11 SO
		<b>Last 10 Games:</b>	.585 OPS, 5-for-33 (.152), 7 RBI, 6 R, 6 BB, 17 SO

<b>31</b>	<b>Ryan McCoy   INF</b>	<b>2025 (CHS): .215, 0 HR, 7 RBI</b>	<b>VS. LHP: 0-3, .000, 0 HR, 0 RBI</b>
	<b>B/T: L/R Height: 6-5 Weight: 230 lbs</b>	<b>2026 (BG): .200, 1 HR, 5 RBI</b>	<b>VS. RHP: 6-27, .222, 1 HR, 5 RBI</b>
<b>Quick Hitters:</b>			
- Launched first affiliated home run on Wednesday night at Greenville.		<b>Last Game:</b>	1-for-4, 1 SO
- Led 2025 Frontier League with .472 OBP at time of signing with TB.		<b>Vs. Team:</b>	
- Finished NCAA playing career with Louisville Cardinals (91 miles from Bowling Green Ballpark) following gaining NJCAA Third-Team All-American honors.		<b>Last 5 Games:</b>	.762 OPS, 4-for-17 (.235 AVG), 1 HR, 3 RBI, 5 SO
- Boyhood Cubs fan, mother ran track and field at UIC.		<b>Last 10 Games:</b>	.735 OPS, 6-for-30 (.200 AVG), 5 RBI, 6 BB, 13 SO

## 2 RYAN ANDRADE | RHP

Weight: 175 Age: 23 (March 17, 2003) Throws: 4FB, SL, CB, CH

3 G, 1-0, 4.15 ERA, 0 H, 0 SV

Saves-Opps: 0-0 IR-RS: 0-0 vs. LH: .429 2025 (CHS) 23 G, 11-7, 2.87 ERA, 119 IP, 90 K  
 Last SV: N/A RISP: .333 vs. RH: .200 Last HR Allowed: 7/25/25 at SAL

### Last Five Appearances

Date/Opp	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K	HR	Decision
4/17 @ GVL	1.1	1	0	0	0	1	0	ND
4/11 vs ROM	2.0	4	3	2	0	2	0	W (1-0)
4/7 vs ROM	1.0	0	0	0	3	3	0	ND

### Quick Pitches:

- Led 2025 RiverDogs with 23 starts, 11 wins and 119 innings pitched in debut season
- 12th RiverDogs pitcher to record 10+ wins in a single season since 2005.
- Friday night starter in 2024 NCAA season, led Pittsburgh Panthers with 72 strikeouts.
- Led all MLB Draft Prospects with 2808 Spin Rate at 2024 MLB Draft Combine in Arizona

## 5 GARRETT GAINNEY | LHP

Weight: 200 Age: 25 (June 22, 2000) Throws: 4FB, SL, CH

3 G, 2 GS, 1-0, 7.20 ERA, 1 H, 0 SV

Saves-Opps: 0-0 IR-RS: 0-0 vs. LH: .357 2025 (BG): 21 G, 4-4 3.29 ERA, 63 IP, 57 K  
 Last SV: N/A RISP: .286 vs. RH: .290 Last HR Allowed: 4/15/26 at GVL

### Last Five Appearances

Date/Opp	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K	HR	Decision
4/15 @ GVL*	5.0	5	3	3	0	3	3	W (1-0)
4/8 vs ROM*	4.0	9	5	5	1	6	1	ND
4/3 vs WS	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Hold (1)

### Quick Pitches:

- Pitched for four different Rays affiliations in 2025, 6.0 scoreless innings for Triple-A Durham.
- Dealt as a starter for Bowling Green; 4-1 record with a 2.80 ERA across 48.2 innings.
- Has made 22 career appearances as a Hot Rod for a 3.18 ERA.
- Earned fifth-most saves (6) in SEC for the South Carolina Gamecocks in 2024 NCAA season.

## 9 JONATHAN RUSSELL | RHP

Weight: 180 Age: 21 (March 14, 2001) Throws: 4FB, SL, CH

5 G, 0-0, 6.00 ERA, 2 H, 1 SV

Saves-Opps: 0-0 IR-RS: 0-0 vs. LH: .375 2025 (CHS): 25 G, 4-0, 2.17 ERA, 37.1 IP, 46 K  
 Last SV: 4/11/26 vs ROM RISP: .286 vs. RH: .133 Last HR Allowed: 6/15/24 vs F-BRV

### Last Five Appearances

Date/Opp	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K	HR	Decision
4/19 @ GVL	1.0	0	1	1	1	0	0	Hold (2)
4/14 @ GVL	2.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	Hold (1)
4/11 vs ROM	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	Save (1)
4/9 vs ROM	1.0	2	1	1	1	1	0	ND
4/5 vs WS	1.0	2	2	2	0	0	0	ND

### Quick Pitches:

- Posted joint-fifth-most saves (6, tied with two others) in 2025 Carolina League.
- Called up to Bowling Green for 2025 SAL postseason, but did not appear.
- 2023 DSL Mid-Season All-Star, ranked third in league with 1.00 ERA over 11 starts.
- Former shortstop, moved to pitching in 2022.

## 12 KALEB CORBETT | RHP

Weight: 210 Age: 24 (December 6, 2001) Throws: 4FB, SL, CH

3 G, 0-0, 5.06 ERA, 0 H, 0 SV

Saves-Opps: 0-0 IR-RS: 3-0 vs. LH: .375 2025 (CHS): 29 G, 3-2, 5.23 ERA, 41.1 IP, 45 K  
 Last SV: 7/19/25 @ HIC RISP: .250 vs. RH: .250 Last HR Allowed: 4/12/26 vs ROM

### Last Five Appearances

Date/Opp	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K	HR	Decision
4/19 @ GVL	2.1	2	0	0	1	2	0	ND
4/12 vs ROM	2.0	3	1	1	0	1	1	ND
4/7 vs ROM	1.0	1	2	2	2	2	1	ND

### Quick Pitches:

- Cracked the 2025 RiverDogs top 10 in strikeouts (45, 9th-place) and K/9 (9.8, 10th place).
- Posted 9.1 consecutive scoreless innings from July 19 to August 14, 2025
- Delivered five holds for a RiverDogs team that led the Carolina League with 51 holds in 2025.
- Logged 116 strikeouts over 104.1 in NCAA for the Louisville Cardinals.

## 19 ANDY RODRIGUEZ | RHP

Weight: 182 Age: 23 (July 28, 2002) Throws: 2FB, CT, SW, 4FB

4 G, 0-1, 2.84 ERA, 0 H, 0 SV

Saves-Opps: 0-0 IR-RS: 0-0 vs. LH: .250 2025 (CHS): 39 G, 4-4, 4.61 ERA, 52.2 IP, 38 K  
 Last SV: 8/26/25 vs AUG RISP: .400 vs. RH: .375 Last HR Allowed: 5/24/25 at AUG

### Last Five Appearances

Date/Opp	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K	HR	Decision
4/17 @ GVL	2.1	1	1	0	1	0	0	L (0-1)
4/12 vs ROM	2.0	0	0	0	1	0	0	ND
4/7 vs ROM	1.0	3	1	1	0	2	0	ND
4/5 vs WS	1.0	2	1	1	0	2	0	ND

### Quick Pitches:

- Excelled in second half of 2025; 2.61 ERA in July, 2.53 in August.
- Delivered five saves for a RiverDogs team that was second in Carolina League in saves.
- Struck out career-high 40 batters, 2.75 ERA in 2024 season.
- Signed by Tampa Bay as International free agent in August 2021.

## 22 T.J. FONDTAIN | LHP

Weight: 215 Age: 25 (February 22, 2001) Throws: 4FB, SL, CH

4 G, 1-1, 4.32 ERA, 0 H, 1 SV

Saves-Opps: 1-1 IR-RS: 2-0 vs. LH: .231 2025 (BG): 11 G, 0-2, 7.71 ERA, 14.0 IP, 20 K  
 Last SV: 5/9/24 vs GBO RISP: .300 vs. RH: .250 Last HR Allowed: 8/29/25 at GVL

### Last Five Appearances

Date/Opp	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K	HR	Decision
4/18 @ GVL	1.0	4	3	3	0	0	0	L (1-1)
4/12 vs ROM	2.1	2	1	1	1	3	0	ND
4/8 vs ROM	3.0	2	0	0	0	2	0	Save (1)
4/5 vs WS	2.0	0	0	0	1	2	0	W (1-0)

### Quick Pitches:

- Made Double-A debut for Montgomery Biscuits in April 2025.
- Tossed the second-most appearances (32) amongst any 2024 Hot Rods pitcher.
- Crowned 2023 Mountain West Pitcher of the Year at San Diego State.
- Won 2023 Mountain West regular-season title, SDSU's first in 19 years.

# BULLPEN

## 29 ANDREW LINDSEY | RHP

Weight: 216

Age: 26 (November 15, 1999)

Throws: 4FB, 2FB, SL, CH

4 G, 0-0, 11.57 ERA, 0 H, 0 SV

Saves-Opps: 0-0

IR-RS: 0-0

vs. LH: .444

2025 (CHS): 6 G, 0-2, 7.04 ERA, 15.1 IP, 12 K

Last SV: N/A

RISP: .500

vs. RH: .438

Last HR Allowed: 4/5/26 vs WS

### Quick Pitches:

- Made Triple-A debut with Durham Bulls in 2025 season.
- Ninth Tennessee All-American under current San Francisco Giants manager, Tony Vitello.
- Briefly retired from baseball to restore hometown of New Johnsonville, Tennessee following torrential rain storm and flooding in 2022.

### Last Five Appearances

Date/Opp	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K	HR	Decision
4/18 @ GVL	2.0	3	1	1	0	1	0	ND
4/12 vs ROM	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	ND
4/9 vs ROM	0.2	5	3	3	1	0	0	ND
4/5 vs WS	1.0	3	2	2	1	1	1	ND

## 32 JACOB KMATZ | RHP

Weight: 210

Age: 23 (September 28, 2002)

Throws: 4FB, SL, CB

5 G, 1-0, 1.13 ERA, 1 H, 2 SV

Saves-Opps: 2-3

IR-RS: 1-1

vs. LH: .000

2025 (CHS) 23 G, 4-9, 5.56 ERA, 111 IP, 80 K

Last SV: 4/14/26 @ ROM

RISP: .000

vs. RH: .083

Last HR Allowed: 9/3/25 at HIC

### Quick Pitches:

- Started 19 games in debut season, second-most of any 2025 RiverDog pitcher.
- Earned three PAC-12 Pitcher of the Week Honors in 2024; one of four OSU Beavers to win pitcher of the week three times in a season since 1999.
- Played high school ball and at Oregon State with Miami Marlins' 2025 draft pick, Aidan May.

### Last Five Appearances

Date/Opp	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K	HR	Decision
4/19 @ GVL	1.0	2	1	1	0	0	0	L (1-1) BS (1)
4/14 @ GVL	2.0	0	0	0	0	4	0	Save (2)
4/11 vs ROM	2.0	1	0	0	0	4	0	Hold (1)
4/8 vs ROM	2.0	0	0	0	0	2	0	W (1-0)
4/3 vs WS	1.0	0	0	0	0	2	0	Save (1)

## 34 ANDRES GALAN | RHP

Weight: 215

Age: 22 (July 4, 2003)

Throws: 4FB, SL, CH

4 G, 1-0, 1.29 ERA, 1 H, 0 SV

Saves-Opps: 0-0

IR-RS: 0-0

vs. LH: .143

2025 (CHS): 15 G, 5-4, 3.31 ERA, 81.2 IP, 63 K

Last SV: N/A

RISP: .250

vs. RH: .357

Last HR Allowed: 4/17/26 at GVL

### Quick Pitches:

- Made fill-in start for 2025 Hot Rods on July 3rd; ND, 5.2 innings of one-run ball at Rome.
- Lone RiverDogs pitcher with a double-digit strikeout outing, hurled 10 at Carolina on June 6.
- Posted a career 4.38 ERA, 8-5 record for NCAA's California Golden Bears.
- Fourth-ever Cal Golden Bear selected by Tampa Bay.

### Last Five Appearances

Date/Opp	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K	HR	Decision
4/17 @ GVL	1.0	5	5	1	0	2	1	ND
4/10 vs ROM	3.0	1	0	0	1	3	0	Win (1)
4/7 vs ROM	1.0	0	0	0	3	3	0	ND
4/3 vs WS	2.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	Hold (1)

## 35 NOAH BEAL | RHP

Weight: 205

Age: 24 (November 30, 2001)

Throws: 4FB, CT, CH

4 G, 0-0, 1.50 ERA, 0 H, 2 SV

Saves-Opps: 1-1

IR-RS: 0-0

vs. LH: .300

2025 (ASH): 12 G, 0-1, 3.28 ERA, 49.1 IP, 65 K

Last SV: 4/16/26 at GVL

RISP: .000

vs. RH: .000

Last HR Allowed: 5/24/25 vs GBO

### Quick Pitches:

- Started 2025 with Single-A Charleston, had 2nd-best K:BB ratio (34 K, 6 BB) among RiverDogs.
- Led Fresno State Bulldogs with 95 strikeouts in team-high 16 starts in 2024 season.
- Two-time Mountain West Pitcher of the Week award winner in 2024.
- Attended Clovis HS in California, same as former MLB pitcher Ryan Cook.

### Last Five Appearances

Date/Opp	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K	HR	Decision
4/16 @ GVL	2.0	2	1	1	0	2	0	Save (2)
4/10 vs ROM	1.0	1	0	0	2	1	0	Save (1)
4/7 vs ROM	2.0	0	0	0	1	4	0	ND
4/5 vs WS	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	ND

## 38 CADE CITELLI | RHP

Weight: 215

Age: 24 (August 10, 2001)

Throws: 4FB, SL, CH

4 G, 1-0, 1.23 ERA, 1 H, 1 SV

Saves-Opps: 1-1

IR-RS: 3-0

vs. LH: .200

2025 (CHS): 27 G, 0-2, 3.68 ERA, 36.2 IP, 43 K

Last SV: 6/12/25 vs AUG

RISP: .000

vs. RH: .071

Last HR Allowed: 4/16/26 at GVL

### Quick Pitches:

- Concluded 2025 season with Hot Rods; 1-0 with a 4.50 ERA and 19 punchouts in 14 innings.
- Finished in Single-A RiverDogs top 10 lists in strikeouts (43) and K/9 (10.6).
- Earned All-Big 12 Honorable Mention honors in 2024 NCAA season at Houston.
- Boasted 2.89 ERA in Big 12 play (3rd in B 12, Boston Red Sox pitcher Payton Tolle was second).

### Last Five Appearances

Date/Opp	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K	HR	Decision
4/19 @ GVL	2.0	0	0	0	1	0	0	Hold (1)
4/16 @ GVL	2.0	1	1	1	1	1	1	W (1-0)
4/9 vs ROM	2.1	1	0	0	0	3	0	Save (1)
4/5 vs WS	1.0	1	0	0	1	1	0	ND

## 39 JACOB KISTING | RHP

Weight: 220

Age: 22 (April 9, 2003)

Throws: 4FB, SW, CT, CH, SCH

3 G, 1GS, 1-0, 1.80 ERA, 0 H, 1 SV

Saves-Opps: 0-0

IR-RS: 0-0

vs. LH: .111

2025 (CR): 16 G, 2-4, 3.63 ERA, 39.2 IP, 36 K

Last SV: 5/27/24 vs BRD

RISP: .000

vs. RH: .182

Last HR Allowed: 4/15/26 at GVL

### Quick Pitches:

- Stellar 25.7% K-rate in rookie season between Single-A Fort Myers, High-A Cedar Rapids.
- Dominated Florida State League with just 1 ER over 13.1 innings from April 9 through April 29.
- Became the first Bradley Braves freshman pitcher to earn All-Conference honors in 28 years.
- Attended Verona Area High School in Wisconsin, same as former Rays' catcher Ben Rordtvedt.

### Last Five Appearances

Date/Opp	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K	HR	Decision
4/15 @ GVL	4.0	3	1	1	0	2	1	Save (1)
4/9 vs ROM*	5.0	2	1	1	1	7	0	W (1-0)
4/5 vs WS	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	ND



