



Lansing Lugnuts (3-1)

High-A affiliate, Athletics | Starter: RH Samuel Dutton



at

Fort Wayne TinCaps (1-4)

High-A affiliate, Padres | Starter: RH Carson Montgomery



Lansing vs. Fort Wayne

The Nuts are 229-241 all-time vs. the TinCaps, 121-103 in Lansing, 108-138 in the Summit City. In 2025, the Lugnuts went 8-7 vs. The Fort.

Meetings	Score	Meetings	Score
1. 4/7 at FW	W, 3-1	10. 9/1 at LAN	-
2. 4/8 at FW	W, 15-1	11. 9/2 at LAN	-
3. 4/9 at FW	-	12. 9/3 at LAN	-
4. 4/10 at FW	-	13. 9/4 at LAN	-
5. 4/11 at FW	-	14. 9/5 at LAN	-
6. 4/12 at FW	-	15. 9/6 at LAN	-
7. 7/17 at LAN	-		
8. 7/18 at LAN	-		
9. 7/19 at LAN	-		

GAME 5 OF 132 ♦ **PARKVIEW FIELD** ♦ **FORT WAYNE, INDIANA** ♦ **THURSDAY, APRIL 9, 2026** ♦ **7:05 PM**

Tonight is the third in a six-game series between the Lansing Lugnuts and the Fort Wayne TinCaps, the third of 15 meetings between the two teams this year. Lansing went 2-4 at Fort Wayne last season and has not won a road series against the TinCaps since 2018, but has won the first two games of this series and three straight overall.

On the Air: Adam Jaksa and Jesse Goldberg-Strassler have the online call at milb.streamguys1.com/lansing, while Jaden Taylor calls the action on MiLB TV.

Yesterday: Lugnuts 15, TinCaps 1. Entering the night with two home runs in 229 career MiLB games, second baseman **Casey Yamauchi** walloped two homers and an RBI double in a 6-RBI opus, and **Steven Echavarria** combined with four relievers on a two-hitter, helping the Luggies overwhelm Fort Wayne. Lansing collected 15 hits and nine walks and went 8-for-18 with runners in scoring position, blowing the game open with an eight-run seventh inning.

On Deck: The Nuts and TinCaps play an evening affair tomorrow before wrapping up the series with a pair of matinees over the weekend. Then Lansing returns to Michigan's state capital from April 14-19, welcoming in archrival/defending league champion West Michigan.

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

7:05 p.m., Friday, April 10	RH Zane Taylor, Lugnuts	at	LH Kash Mayfield, TinCaps
1:05 p.m., Saturday, April 11	RH Kyle Robinson, Lugnuts	at	LH Jamie Hitt, TinCaps
1:05 p.m., Sunday, April 12	RH Tzu-Chen Sha, Lugnuts	at	RH Abraham Parra, TinCaps

LUG-NOTES

Prospecting: The Nuts have the No. 8 (**Devin Taylor**), No. 16 (**Steven Echavarria**), No. 19 (**Zane Taylor**), No. 26 (**Nate Nankil**) and No. 30 (**Bobby Boser**) prospects on MLB Pipeline's Top 30 rankings of Athletics prospects.

Milestone Watch: Lansing is 13 wins away from the 2,000th win in Lugnuts history and 8 players away from 1,000 players all-time.

What a Rout: Last night's 15-1 win marked the most runs Lansing had scored since May 18, 2024, a 15-11 win over Lake County; in that game, the Nuts enjoyed a nine-run third inning against current Cleveland Guardians ace starter **Parker Messick** to wipe out an early 8-2 deficit. And how about this: In their six games played at Parkview Field last year, the Lugnuts totaled 16 runs.

The Loneliest Number: The TinCaps have scored exactly one run in their four losses this year. Conversely, Lansing has allowed exactly one run in its three consecutive wins. (The Nuts scored seven runs in a season-opening loss to Dayton.)

Call Yo' Mama about Yama: With yesterday's performance, **Casey Yamauchi** vaulted into a first place tie in the Midwest League in home runs (2) and is tied for third in RBIs (6). He joined **Rodney Green, Jr.** as Lugnuts with two-HR games this season.

Other Lug League Leaders: **Rodney Green, Jr.** tops the MWL in extra-base hits (5) and is tied for first in total bases (16) and doubles (3). **Bobby Boser** is tied for first in walks (6). **Steven Echavarria** is one of two pitchers in the league to have made two starts.

Team Excellence: Lansing's pitching staff is second in the MWL in ERA (2.75), the offense is second with an .840 OPS, and the defense has yet to commit an error in 142 total chances while allowing a league low one stolen base in four attempts.

Calling the Roll: Four games into the season, all 13 position players have seen action (and only **C.J. Pittaro** is yet to collect a base hit). 11 of the 17 pitchers have appeared in a game, leaving **Ryan Brown, Luis Carrasco, Jose Dicochea, Riley Huge, Abel Mercedes** and **Tucker Novotny** yet to make their 2026 debut.

More Than McCovey?! The 201st Lugnut to reach the Major Leagues, 2023 Lugnuts catcher **Daniel Susac** singled in each of his first two at-bats last night for the San Francisco Giants, giving him base hits in each of his first five at-bats of the year. That topped Hall of Famer **Willie McCovey's** franchise mark of four straight hits to begin a career, making Susac the first Giant in the modern era to open 5-for-5. He flied out in the sixth inning before drilling a two-run triples in the eighth, capping a 6-0 Giants win over the Philadelphia Phillies and ace Christopher Sanchez. Susac, now 6-for-7 in his MLB career, was originally taken in the Rule 5 Draft by Minnesota and traded to San Francisco, debuting on April 1. He came up one hit short of the Major League record, set by Boston OF Ted Cox in 1977.

Cooperstown Bound: 18-year-old **Carlos Beltrán** was in the very first Lugnuts starting lineup on April 5, 1996. Over the course of his ensuing 20-year career, he was voted 1999 American League Rookie of the Year, was named a nine-time All-Star, won three Gold Gloves, two Silver Sluggers, the Roberto Clemente Humanitarian Award, and the 2017 World Series. This summer, on July 27, Beltrán will be inducted into the National Baseball Hall of Fame in Cooperstown, becoming the first Lugnut to be enshrined.

IN A NUTSHELL

3-1 | Streak: Won 3

Home: 1-1 Night: 3-1
Road: 2-0 Day: 0-0

vs. LHP: 0-0 vs. RHP: 3-1

White unis: 1-1
Gray unis: 0-0
Black unis: 2-0
Locos unis: 0-0
One-off unis: 0-0

Tuesday: 1-0
Wednesday: 1-0
Thursday: 0-1
Friday: 1-0
Saturday: 0-0
Sunday: 0-0

Series wins: 0-0
Series losses: 0-0
Series splits: 1

Scored 1st: 2-0
Opponent scored 1st: 1-1

Doubleheaders: 0-0-0
Shutouts: 0-0

More hits than opp.: 3-0
Fewer hits than opp.: 0-1

Equal hits: 0-0
Games decided by 1 run: 0-1

Comeback wins: 1
Final at-bat wins: 1
Walk-offs: 0
Extra Innings: 0-0

9-IP	Leading	Trailing	Tied
After 6:	2-1	1-0	0-0
After 7:	2-0	0-0	1-1
After 8:	2-0	0-1	1-0

OVERVIEW



Luggie's Nuggets

Kansas City Royals	1996-1998
Chicago Cubs	1999-2004
Toronto Blue Jays	2005-2019
Athletics	2021-present

Colorsred and black
Mascot | LogoBig 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
Lugnugs Seasons 30; 1996-present
Lugnugs Championships 1997, 2003
All-Star Games Hosted 1997, 1999, 2002, 2018
Total Lugnuts Games 3,975
All-Time Lugnuts Won-Lost Record 1,987-1,988, .499

Franchise Seasons 71; 1955-present
Championships 1958, 1959, 1960, 1975, 1976, 1980, 1986, 1997, 2003
Total Franchise Games 9,312
Franchise Won-Lost Record 4,786-4,522, 4 ties, .514

992 total players have played for the Lugnuts all time, with 210 (21%) playing in the Majors – nine rehabbers and exactly **201** Big League Nuts earning their ticket up the ladder. The most recent was **Daniel Susac**, who debuted April 1, 2026, for the A's.

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

All-Star nods: Carlos Beltrán (9x), Vladimir Guerrero, Jr. (5), Carlos Zambrano (3), Bo Bichette (2), rehabber Ryan Dempster (2), Alejandro Kirk (2), Jordan Romano (2), rehabber Marcus Stroman (2), Henderson Álvarez (1), rehabber Kevin Appier (1), Matt Boyd (1), Lance Carter (1), Yan Gomes (1), Carlos Mármol (1), Mason Miller (1), rehabber Mark Prior (1), Aaron Sanchez (1), Noah Syndergaard (1), Jacob Wilson (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), Max Muncy (2022-23), Tyler Soderstrom (2022), Jacob Wilson (2023)

Arizona Diamondbacks: Gabriel Moreno (2019)

Baltimore Orioles: bench coach Robinson Chirinos (2003-04)

Chicago Cubs: Matthew Boyd (2013)

Kansas City Royals: Lane Thomas (2015-16)

Los Angeles Angels: Jordan Romano (2016)

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

Miami Marlins: Griffin Conine (2019), Otto López (2019), Leo Jiménez (2019)

Clayton McCullough (2008-09 manager)

New York Mets: Bo Bichette (2017)

New York Yankees: Marcus Stroman (2015 rehab)

Philadelphia Phillies: Tim Mayza (2015)

San Francisco Giants: Ryan Borucki (2016), Daniel Susac (2023)

San Diego Padres: Mason Miller (2022), infield instructor Ryan Goins (2009-10)

Texas Rangers: Danny Jansen (2015), assistant hitting coach Seth Conner (2013-14)

Toronto Blue Jays: Vladimir Guerrero, Jr. (2017), Davis Schneider (2017), manager John

Schneider (2016 manager), third base coach Carlos Febles (1996), bullpen catcher Luis

Hurtado (2011)

Washington Nationals: Drew Millas (2021)

MIDWEST LEAGUE MATCHUPS

Opponents	Home	Road	Total
Cedar Rapids	June 9-14		6 games
Dayton	1-1, April 28-May 3	June 30-July 5	1-1, 13 left
Fort Wayne	July 17-19, September 1-6	2-0, April 9-12	2-0, 13 left
Great Lakes	June 23-28, July 21-26	June 2-7, August 25-30	24 games
Lake County	August 4-9	May 19-24, July 7-12	18 games
Peoria	August 18-23		6 games
Quad Cities	May 12-17	April 21-26	12 games
South Bend		May 5-10	6 games
West Michigan	April 14-19, May 26-31	June 16-21, August 11-16	24 games
Wisconsin		July 28-August 2	6 games
Totals	1-1, 64 remaining	2-0, 64 remaining	3-1, 128 left

THE A'S SYSTEM

Athletics - MLB



4-7

American League West

Today: Jeffrey Springs at Yankees
1:35 p.m.

Las Vegas Aviators



7-4

Triple-A Pacific Coast League

Today: Joey Estes at Sacramento
9:45 pm

Midland RockHounds



4-1

Double-A Texas League

Today: Jamie Arnold at Frisco
7:35 p.m.

Stockton Ports



1-4

Single-A California League

Today: TBA at Fresno
10:05 p.m.

APRIL 9TH IN LUGNUGS HISTORY

2009: Opening Day against the newly renamed Fort Wayne TinCaps (previously the Wizards) ended in a 4-0 loss at Oldsmobile Park. 18-year-old Henderson Álvarez allowed two runs (one earned) on four hits in four innings, striking out four, to suffer the defeat..

2016: After the first two games of the year were postponed in Lansing, the Lugnuts finally got the season going with a 5-4 loss at Great Lakes. The most notable occurrence: Loons outfielder Jordan Paroubeck fouled a ball back into the broadcast booth that broke Lugnuts broadcaster Jesse Goldberg-Strassler's computer.

2019: Reliever Donnie Sellers struck out 12 Fort Wayne TinCaps in five innings, and the Lugnuts opened up a four-game series at Parkview Field with a 10-1 win. The TinCaps' only run came from their first batter of the game, Jeisson Rosario, who hit an inside-the-park home run off Maverik Buffo. Kevin Smith and Cullen Large homered for the Nuts.

#17 • RH • **Samuel Dutton** • 5-11, 204 • age 22

Profile

Name Samuel Gary Dutton School Auburn University
 Birthday May 5, 2003 Acquired 10th round, 290th overall, 2025
 Born / Lives Birmingham / Southside, AL Bats / Throws Right / Right



Longest Outing: 4 IP, April 2, 2026, vs. Dayton | Most K: 5, September 7, 2025, vs. Visalia

In a Nutshell: Making his first start and second appearance of the season... pitched four innings in piggyback relief of Steven Echavarría on Opening Day, April 2, and relinquished 6-2 lead with four-run 7th, then gave up two-run homer to Esmeith Pineda in 8th en route to 8-7 loss... joins Devin Taylor (2nd round), Zane Taylor (5th round) and Bobby Boser (11th round) as 2025 draftees on the Opening Day roster... enjoys fishing.

Before College: Batted .515 with .612 OBP, 4 HR, 39 RBI as a senior at Westbrook Christian High School, leading Warriors to 2021 state title (first title in school history)... threw four no-hitters, one a perfect game, as a senior, going 9-0, 0.40 ERA, 53 IP, 14 H, 5 BB, 117 K... Collegiate Baseball First Team All-American... pitched for 2019 USA Baseball 16U National Team Development Program.

College: Spent three years at LSU, one year at Auburn... ascended to Game 3 starter as true freshman at LSU in 2022, spent 2023 as reliever and was named SEC Academic Honor Roll (sport administration), majority reliever in 2024 (tossing 1 1/3 scoreless IP vs. Tennessee in SEC championship game)... transferred to AU for senior season and was named Second Team All-SEC (first Auburn player to earn All-SEC since 2018) and ABCA First Team All-Southeast Region... led Auburn in wins (7) and strikeouts (95), the most strikeouts for a Tiger since 2019... played with older brother Andrew at Auburn; Andrew had been at Birmingham-Southern for four years, transferring in for 2025 and blasting a home run in his only plate appearance of the year.

fastball, sinker, curve, slider, change-up

Pro Ball: Signed for \$150,000 as the 290th pick in 2025, the fifth pick of the 10th round... one of seven Tigers drafted, led by Orioles first-rounder Ike Irish... made pro debut on August 21, 2025, vs. Lake Elsinore with one hitless innings, one walk, two strikeouts... after two scoreless relief appearances, finished the year with three short starts, fanning five in 1 2/3 innings vs. Visalia on September 7 in final appearance... right-handers were 3-for-17 (.176) with eight strikeouts, lefties went 4-for-12 (.333) with five strikeouts.

YR	CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	ShO	SV	IP	AB	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	K	WP	BK	AVG
2024	Stockton	0-0	3.52	5	3	0	0	0	7.2	29	7	3	3	1	0	2	0	13	0	1	.241
2025	Lansing	0-1	13.50	1	0	0	0	0	4.0	21	9	6	6	1	1	0	0	4	0	0	.429
TOTALS		0-1	6.94	6	3	0	0	0	11.2	50	16	9	9	2	1	2	0	17	0	1	.320

IN THE BULLPEN

21 RYAN BROWN • RH • Age 25 • MWL seasons: 1
 FB, CUR, SL, CH | 2025: did not pitch

- Salem, OR... drafted 466th overall, 16th round, 2023, Oregon State... bonus: \$140,000.
- Tied for the Pac-12 lead with 11 saves in 2023; named All-Pac-12 Honorable Mention.
- No. 3 Oregon HS prospect... volunteered as Little League coach... interested in real estate.
- Last appeared in an MiLB game August 8, 2024... held RH to .197 avg. in 2024 (LV/STO).

43 LUIS CARRASCO • RH • Age 24 • MWL seasons: 2
 FB, SINK, CUT, SL, CH | 2025: did not pitch, returning to action in 2025-26 Venezuelan Winter League

- Born in Barquisimeto... lives in San Vicente, Venezuela... signed at age 16 in 2018.
- Cousin: Carlos "Cookie" Carrasco, led MLB in wins (18) in 2017, 4th in A.L. Cy Young votes.
- Stockton in 2021-23; Lansing in 2024: 2-5, 5.14 ERA, 19 G, 7 GS, 63 IP, 8 HR, 31 BB, 43 K.
- Last appeared in an MiLB game on July 19, 2024... pitched 3 G & 2 2/3 IP in 2025 VEWL 13

13 JOSE DICOCHEA • RH • Age 25 • "DEE-co-CHAY-a" • MWL: 3
 FB, CUT, CUR, SL, CH | 2025: Stockton: 5-10, 4.86, 25 G, 13 GS, 1 SV, 90 2/3 IP, 11 HR, 39 BB, 95 K

- Jose Manuel Dicochea III... Tucson, AZ... 254th, 8th rd., 2019, Sahuarita H.S. ... \$400,000.
- Ranked No. 1 high school prospect in Arizona by Baseball America entering 2019 draft.
- Tossed no-hitter in 2019 Arizona state semifinals... signed away from Univ. of Arizona.
- Has seen action 2021-25 in Stockton... 49 2/3 IP in 2023, 11 IP in 2024 for Lansing.

16 JACKSON FINLEY • RH • Age 25 • MWL season: 1
 2025: DNP | only pro experience, 2024 - Stockton: 2-7, 5.62, 25 G, 15 GS, 83 1/3, 6 HR, 42 BB, 94 K

- Jackson Crowe Finley... Richmond Hill, GA... 226th, 8th rd., 2023, Ga. Tech... \$180,000.
- Richmond Hill H.S. record-holder in both wins (20) and home runs (20).
- Underwent Tommy John surgery as a freshman in 2021, returned 2022.
- Two-way star for Jackets in 2023: .328, 17 HR, 1.069 OPS / 42 K in 48 2/3 IP | 14 G, 13 GS.

45 JAKE GARLAND • RH • Age 25 • MWL seasons: 4
 SINK, CUT, CUR, SWEEP, KICK CH | 2025: Lansing, 4.19, 20 G, 12 GS, 77 1/3 IP, 7 HR, 22 BB, 55 K

- Jupiter, FL... drafted 514th overall, 17th round, 2022, University of Miami... \$100,000.
- 2x FHSAA All-State, 2x 9A Player of the Year... family is originally from New England.
- June 13, 2024, tossed five hitless innings; Grant Judkins (2 2/3) and Colton Johnson (1 1/3) finished Lugnuts' 8-0 no-hitter of Cedar Rapids, 4th no-hitter in franchise history.
- Lugnuts career rankings: wins (14, 3rd); starts (41, T-2nd); K (177, 4th); IP (261.0, 2nd).

18 RILEY HUGE • LH • Age 23 • MWL season: 1
 FB, CUR, CH | 2025: Stockton, 2-4, 5.24, 43 G, 7 SV, 55 IP, 40 H, 5 HR, 37 BB, 77 K, 10 WP, 2 BK

- Davenport, Florida... drafted 376th overall, 13th round, 2024, Winthrop... \$150,000.
- Spent two years at College of Central Florida, two years at Winthrop.
- March 2, 2024, vs. Maine: 7 2/3 IP, 1 H, 2 BB, 20 strikeouts on 124 pitches.
- Dominated right-handers in Cal League pro debut: .187 avg., .586 OPS (LH: .246, .807).

32 RYAN MAGDIC • LH • Age 26 • "mag-deech" • MWL seasons: 2
 FB, CUR, SL, CH | 2025: Stockton, 2.96, 73 IP, 19 BB, 77 K | Lansing, 4.63, 23 1/3, 4 BB, 22 K

- Beamsville, Ontario... drafted 406th overall, 14th round, 2024, Missouri... \$35,000.
- Cisco College 2020-21, transferred to Cochise and sat out 2022, spent 2023 slugging at D-III Florida Southern, graduating with a degree in accounting... grad-transfer to Mizzou and converted to full-time pitching... was leading CAL in K when promoted to Lansing, July 30, 2025.

34 JACK MAHONEY • LH • Age 26 • MWL seasons: 2
 FB, CUT, SL, CH | 2025: Lansing, 3-3, 5.29, 20 G, 34 IP, 38 H, 25 R, 20 ER, 1 HR, 21 BB, 34 K, 4 HBP

- 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.
- Independent experience: 2022-23 Milwaukee, 24 Windy City, '25 Staten Island FerryHawks.
- 2025: 6 GS with Staten Island, 5.45 ERA, 33 IP, 12 BB, 41 K... purchased by A's on June 9.

25 ABEL MERCEDES • RH • Age 23 • MWL season: 1
 FB, SINK, CUT, CUR | 2025: Fayetteville, 4.35, 30 G, 2 SV, 41 1/3 IP, 29 H, 1 HR, 9 HBP, 48 BB, 66 K

- El Seibo, Dominican Republic... selected 7th in Triple-A Rule 5 Draft, 2025, from Houston.
- Originally signed by the Astros at age 18 as an international free agent, June 21, 2021.
- Spent 2021-22 in DSL, 2023 in FCL, 2024-25 in Carolina League... fastball has reached 100.
- Has allowed only 1 HR in 5 seasons (103 G, 172 IP, 609 PA): Luke Dickerson GS on 8/19/25.

29 TUCKER NOVOTNY • LH • Age 23 • MWL season: 1
 FB, SL, CH | 2025: Stockton, 4-5, 3.82, 30 G, 9 GS, 1 SV, 77 2/3 IP, 58 H, 5 HR, 37 BB, 97 K

- Cottage Grove, MN... drafted as jr. 526th overall, 18th round, 2024, Minnesota... \$125,000.
- Ranked Perfect Game's No. 5 Minnesota prep prospect and No. 1 LHP in the state.
- Finalist for Minnesota's Mr. Baseball: 10-1, 1.26 ERA, 78 1/3 IP, 25 BB, 114 K.
- Grew up a Golden Gophers fan... accounting major... has bowled a 300 game.
- Opened 2025 in pen, moved to rotation July 6... reliever: 1.67, .152 avg; starter: 5.85, .244.

28 DARLIN PINALES • RH • Age 23 • "dar-leen" • MWL season: 1
 SINK, SL, SPLIT | 2025: Visalia, 1-3, 5.90, 35 G, 4 SV, 39 2/3 IP, 31 H, 2 HR, 7 HBP, 32 BB, 56 K, 3 BK

- Santo Domingo, DR... selected 29th in Triple-A Rule 5 Draft, 2025, from Arizona.
- The Diamondbacks had selected Pinales away from the Dodgers in 2023's Rule 5 Draft.
- Originally signed by LAD at age 16 on August 6, 2019... 2025 GO/ABO ratio: 2.35.
- In 2025, limited left-handers to .152 avg (but .418 OBP due to 19 BB); righties hit .247 / .362.

20 GERLIN ROSARIO • RH • Age 24 • "hair-leen" • MWL season: 1
 FB, CUR, SL, CH | 2025: Bowling Green, 2-0, 2.27, 30 G, 2 SV, 47 2/3 IP, 35 H, 18 BB, 43 K, 1.11 WHIP

- Nagua, DR... acquired via trade with Tampa Bay for Cooper Bowman, March 23, 2026.
- Signed at age 19 by Tampa Bay as an international free agent, October 29, 2021.
- 2022 in DSL, 2023 in FCL/Carolina League, 2024 in Carolina/South Atlantic League.
- Held RH to .167 avg., 0 HR in 2025; LH hit .226, 2 HR... with RISP: 7-for-52, .135.

AT THE PLATE

22 BOBBY BOSER • R/R • INF • Age 22 • 1st season with Lugnuts • MLB Pipeline's No. 30 A's prospect

2025 - Univ. of Florida, 61 G, .336 / .437 / .613, 12 2B, 18 HR, 19-23 SB | pro debut w/ Stockton, 32 G, .202 / .368 / .298, 18 R, 23 H, 3 2B, 1 3B, 2 HR, 15 RBI, 8 HBP, 22 BB, 42 K, 1-2 SB, 7 E

Last: 1-4, 4 R, 2B, RBI, 2 BB, 2 K at FW: 3-7, 4 R, 2 2B, 2 RBI, 3 BB, 3 K vs. DAY: 2-8, R, 3 K Current Hit Streak: +4 (5-15) On-Base Streak: +4 (5-15, 5 BB)

- Wesley Chapel, FL... drafted 320th overall, 11th round, Florida... signed for \$150,000.
- Pipeline grades: Hit - 45, Power - 50, Run - 50, Arm - 50, Field - 50... "There is a solid floor here as a productive super-utility type"... 2x All-AAC First Team at USF... only Gator to start all 61 games in 2025.
- Enjoys fishing and juggling... majored in business at South Florida, education sciences at UF.

3 DAVIS DIAZ • R/R • C/3B • Age 23 • 2nd season with Lugnuts

2025: Stockton, 42 G, .250 / .384 / .355, 10 2B, 3 3B, 0 HR, 21 RBI, 29 BB, 28 K, 6-9 SB, 6 E | Lansing, 60 G, .218 / .310 / .280, 7 2B, 0 3B, 2 HR, 17 RBI, 28 BB, 38 K, 2-3 SB, 6 E

Last Game: 1-3, 2 R, BB, K at FW: 3-7, 3 R, BB, 3 K vs. DAY: 0-3, R, 2 BB Current Hit Streak: +2 (3-7) On-Base Streak: +3 (3-10, 3 BB)

- Pittsburg, CA... signed for \$250,000 as the 226th pick, 8th round, 2024, Vanderbilt University.
- 3x gold medalist, Team USA (2015, 2017, 2018), Perfect Game's No. 12 prospect in California.
- Joined Nuts June 3, 2025, from Stockton, replacing the promoted Cole Conn (Double-A Midland).
- Played for Team USA in nat'l team development program in 2016, 2017, 2019... 2x Cape Cod All-Star.

2 DYLAN FIEN • S/R • C/1B • Age 20 • 1st season with Lugnuts • "FEEN"

2025 - Ariz. Complex League A's, 9 G, 9-for-28, .321 / .441 / .393, 2 2B, 4 RBI, 6 BB, 7 K, 2-3 SB | Stockton, 73 G, .234 / .315 / .315, 11 2B, 2 3B, 3 HR, 38 RBI, 27 BB, 70 K

Last Game: - at FW: 1-5 vs. DAY: 3-9, R, HR, 3 RBI, 3 K Current Hit Streak: +3 (4-14) On-Base Streak: +3 (4-14)

- Temecula, CA... signed for \$550,000 as the 196th pick, 7th round, 2024, Great Oak High School.
- Brother Gavin was drafted 12th overall in 2025 by Texas and traded to Washington for MacKenzie Gore.
- Signed away from commitment to UCLA... primarily a shortstop in high school... hit .433 as a SR.
- Made pro debut in ACL 5/19/25, promoted to Stockton 6/2... all four pro HRs have come from left side.

27 CARLOS FRANCO • R/R • C • Age 23 • 1st season with Lugnuts

2025 - Stockton, 61 G, .242 / .292 / .338, 11 2B, 1 3B, 3 HR, 38 RBI, 15 BB, 43 K, 1-1 SB, 5 E | Midland, 12 G, .104 / .122 / .104, 5-for-48, 4 RBI, 1 BB, 8 K

Last Game: 3-5, R, 2B, 3 RBI, K at FW: 3-5, R, 2B, 3 RBI, K vs. DAY: - Current Hit Streak: +1 (3-5) On-Base Streak: +1 (3-5)

- Ciudad Bolívar, Venezuela... signed as an international free agent, 7/2/19, at age 16.
- Path to Lansing: 2021 and 2022 in Arizona Complex League, 2023-2025 in Stockton + Midland cameo.
- Also from Ciudad Bolívar (located NE): Victor Martínez, Eddie Pérez, Fred Manrique.
- Nabbed 12 of 58 runners in Stockton (21%) and 3 of 18 in Midland (17%)... has made 5 relief app.

8 GUNNER GOULDSMITH • S/R • INF • Age 24 • 2nd season with Lugnuts

2025 totals: 77 G, .181 / .317 / .231, 10 2B, 1 3B, 44 BB, 57 K, 9-15 SB | ACL: 17 G, .182 / .397 / .250 | Stockton: 40 G, .159 / .268 / .205, 5-5 SB | Midland: 2 G, 2-for-5, 2 BB | Lansing: 18 G, .211 / .328 / .263, 3 2B, 2-4 SB

Last Game: 1-2, K at FW: 1-2, K vs. DAY: - Current Hit Streak: +1 (1-2) On-Base Streak: +1 (1-2)

- Reno, Nevada... 556th overall selection, 19th round, 2025, Sacramento State (\$20,000).
- Father Buddy - UNLV head coach, 2003-2010; Nevada-Reno associate head coach 2011-2013; area supervisor for Kansas City Royals... spent one year at Washington State, three years at Sac State.
- Brought four gloves to Lansing; plays all infield positions... only Hornet to start all 57 gms. in 2024.

24 RODNEY GREEN, JR. • L/L • OF • Age 22 • 2nd season with Lugnuts

2025 - Lansing, 83 G, .158 / .279 / .287, 14 2B, 2 3B, 7 HR, 28 RBI, 48 BB, 118 K, 11-16 SB | Stockton, 36 G, .275 / .362 / .496, 7 2B, 2 3B, 6 HR, 29 RBI, 16 BB, 31 K, 5-5 SB

Last Game: 2-4, R, RBI, BB, K at FW: 2-7, R, RBI, 2 BB, 3 K DAY: 5-8, 4 R, 3 2B, 2 HR, 3 RBI, K Current Hit Streak: +1 (2-4) On-Base Streak: +4 (7-15, 2 BB)

- Born in Berkeley, California... 104th overall pick, 4th round, 2024, California... \$1,000,000.
- Ranked ninth all-time at Cal with 34 home runs, totaling 144 runs / 105 RBIs / 45 steals in 151 games.
- Mike Kinney, Richmond Standard, reported Green was discovered via D-Boys Barber Shop... Talented basketball player... notable Cal Bears include Jeff Kent, Marcus Semien, Bob Melvin.
- a barber told a Cal recruiting coordinator about the local star, which led to Cal extending an offer.
- 2025: hit 6 HR in first 19 G for LAN, but hit 1 HR in next 64 G and was transferred to Stockton, July 29..

14 NATE NANKIL • R/R • OF • Age 23 • 3rd season with Lugnuts

2025 - Lansing, 88 G, .294 / .382 / .396, 19 2B, 2 3B, 3 HR, 44 RBI, 10 HBP, 38 BB, 53 K, 7-8 SB, 2 E | Midland, 36 G, .243 / .307 / .303, 7 2B, 1 3B, 0 HR, 12 RBI, 3 HBP, 11 BB, 32 K, 3-5 SB

Last Game: - at FW: 1-4, R, 2 K vs. DAY: 1-7, 2 RBI, 2 BB, 3 K Current Hit Streak: +1 (1-4) On-Base Streak: +3 (2-11, 2 BB)

- Born in San Diego, resides in Chula Vista... 7th round, 2023, Cal State Fullerton Titans... \$300,000.
- Sizzled in Lansing after a promotion from Stockton in 2024: 28 G, .356 / .414 / .452, 7 2B, 1 HR.
- As a kid: fan of SD / Fernando Tatis, Jr. ... other Titans: Mark Kotsay, Kurt Suzuki, Matt Chapman.
- Opened 2025 in Lansing, promoted to Midland 7/29/25... 2025 home games: .321 / .402, .794 OPS.

6 PEDRO PINEDA • R/R • OF • Age 22 • 2nd season with Lugnuts

2025 - Stockton: 53 G, .253 / .356 / .458, 35 R, 5 2B, 2 3B, 10 HR, 37 RBI, 2-for-3 SB, 27 BB, 65 K, 4 HBP | Lansing, 28 G, .255 / .306 / .353, 3 2B, 2 3B, 1 HR, 9 RBI, 8 BB, 37 K, 3-4 SB

Last: 2-5, 2 R, 2B, RBI, BB, K at FW: 2-9, 3 R, 2B, RBI, BB, 4 K vs. DAY: 2-9, 2 2B, RBI, 4 K Current Hit Streak: +1 (2-5) On-Base Streak: +1 (2-5, BB)

- Santo Domingo Norte, DR... signed for \$2.5 million, international free agent, January 15, 2021.
- After struggling in Stockton in 2022-24, enjoyed breakthrough 2025 to earn promotion to High-A.
- Grew up a fan of Alex Rodriguez & the Yankees... in 2022, ranked Pipeline's No. 11 A's prospect.
- Stints on IL from April 25-June 9, 2025, and August 6-14, 2025... hit .301/.420/.518 vs. LHP in 2025.

7 C.J. PITTARO • L/R • 1B/OF • Age 24 • 2nd season with Lugnuts

2025 - Stockton, 92 G, .246 / .358 / .323, 46 R, 16 2B, 4 3B, 1 HR, 36 RBI, 6-for-9 SB, 52 BB, 85 K, 6 GIDP, 10 HBP | Lansing, 26 G, .176 / .222 / .200, 15-for-85, 1 3B, 2 RBI, 5 BB, 23 K, 1 SB

Last Game: 0-4, BB, 2 K at FW: 0-4, BB, 2 K- vs. DAY: 0-4, R, RBI, K Current Hit Streak: -2 (0-8) On-Base Streak: +1 (0-4, BB)

- Hamilton, NJ... 2021 Vanderbilt, 2022-24 Penn State... 2025 undrafted free agent, Penn State.
- 1B, 2B, 3B, LF, RF at Penn State... 1B, 3B, LF, CF, RF at Stockton (42 games in LF, 48 games at 1B).
- Christopher John Pittaro... grandfather played in the minors from 1960-62, then coached at Rider.
- Father, Chris, played 53 G in MLB (1985 DET, 1986-87 MIN), currently A's Special Assistant to the GM.

1 JUSTIN RIEMER • R/R • INF • Age 24 • 1st season with Lugnuts • "REEM-er"

2025 - Greenville, 76 G, .232 / .423 / .275, 48 H, 6 2B, 0 3B, 1 HR, 16 RBI, 6 HBP, 64 BB, 55 K, 9-11 SB, 6 E | Portland, 6 G, .222 / .391 / .278, 4-for-18, 1 2B, 2 RBI, 5 BB, 5 K, 0-1 SB, 2 E

Last: 1-3, 2 R, 2 RBI, 2 BB, K at FW: 2-6, 2 R, 4 RBI, 2 BB, 2 K, SF vs. DAY: 0-4, 2 K Current Hit Streak: +2 (2-6) On-Base Streak: +2 (2-6, 2 BB)

- Arlington, VA... acquired by Athletics from Red Sox for Rule 5 pick Ryan Watson, 12/10/25.
- Selected by Boston in the 4th round supplemental, 2023, Wright State, 133rd overall... \$500,000 bonus.
- Watson had been drafted 6th (RJ Petit went 1st to COL, Daniel Susac 4th to MIN, traded to SF).
- 2022 Horizon League All-Freshman Team (led Horizon in OBP, .454)... knee injury ended 2023 season.

9 JARED SPRAGUE-LOTT • R/R • INF • Age 24 • 1st season with Lugnuts

2025 - Stockton, 74 G, .216 / .383 / .329, 40 R, 55 H, 11 2B, 0 3B, 6 HR, 34 RBI, 10-12 SB, 65 BB, 57 K, 19 E

Last Game: - at FW: 0-4, 2 K vs. DAY: 4-8, 3 R, HR, 2 RBI, K, SB Current Hit Streak: -1 (0-4) On-Base Streak: -1 (0-4)

- Philadelphia, PA... selected as a senior, 256th overall, 9th round, 2024, Arkansas... \$50,000 bonus.
- 2024: SEC All-Defensive Team at 3B, committing only one error in conference play, seven total.
- Spent three years at Richmond, one year at Arkansas... played in 2014 Little League World Series.
- Batted .297/.453/.432 vs. LHP, .182/.355/.287 vs. RHP... injured 7/2/25, missed the rest of the season.

4 DEVIN TAYLOR • L/R • OF • Age 22 • 1st season with Lugnuts • MLB Pipeline's No. 8 A's prospect

2025 - Indiana, 55 G, .374 / .494 / .706, 63 R, 80 H, 13 2B, 2 3B, 18 HR, 66 RBI, 12-16 SB, 52 BB, 30 K | Stockton, 28 G, .264 / .388 / .481, 25 R, 5 2B, 6 HR, 18 RBI, 2-3 SB, 21 BB, 37 K

Last Game: 1-6, RBI, 2 K at FW: 1-10, RBI, BB, 5 K vs. DAY: 1-7, 3 BB, 3 K Current Hit Streak: +1 (1-6) On-Base Streak: +4 (2-17, 4 BB)

- Born in Cincinnati... lives in Fairfield, OH... 48th overall, 2nd round, 2025, Indiana... \$2.5 million.
- IU's career HR record (54)... 2025 Golden Spikes Semifinalist, Perfect Game 1st Team All-America.
- Highest drafted outfielder in Indiana history... one of three Hoosiers to be 3x First Team All B1G.
- 2023 Big Ten Freshman of Year... set IU freshman RBI record (59)... HS: #2 prospect in Ohio, #1 OF.

5 CASEY YAMAUCHI • R/R • INF • Age 25 • 4th season with Lugnuts

2025 - Lansing, 119 G, .276 / .328 / .345, 120 H, 21 2B, 3 3B, 1 inside-the-park HR, 55 RBI, 15 HBP, 22 BB, 36 K, 13-20 SB, 15 E | Midland, 4 G, 9-for-19, .474, 1 2B, 1 3B, 1 HR, 4 RBI, 0 BB, 2 K

Last: 3-5, 3 R, 2B, 2 HR, 6 RBI, BB, SB FW: 3-5, 3 R, 2B, 2 HR, 6 RBI, BB, SB vs. DAY: 0-3, R, HBP Current Hit Streak: +1 (3-5) On-Base Streak: +2 (3-8, BB, HBP)

- Hilo, HI... signed as an undrafted free agent with the Athletics from Hawai'i at Hilo, July 12, 2023.
- 3 games for Nuts to end 2023, 52 games to end 2024, 119 games in 2025 before finishing in Midland.
- Owens Hawai'i Hilo records in runs (147), hits (240), doubles (49), steals (74-85); 27 K in 167 G.
- Exceptional April 8, 2026 at FW: 3-5, 3 R, RBI 2B, solo HR, three-run HR, 6 total RBI in 15-1 rout.