

RENO ACES (6-6) AT SALT LAKE BEES (6-6)

RHP Cristian Mena (1-0, 0.84 ERA) vs RHP Caden Dana (0-1, 2.25 ERA)
Friday, April 11, 2025 ♠ 5:35 p.m. PST ♦ The Ballpark at America First Square ♥ South Jordan, Utah
Broadcast: Mil.B.tv ♦ Online Streaming: www.RenoAces.com ♣ In Stadium: 88.1 FM Game No. 13 ♦ Road Game No. 7 ♥ Home 4-2 ♠ Road: 2-4



TRIPLE-A NATIONAL CHAMPIONS: 2012 PCL CHAMPIONS: 2012, 2022

 The Reno Aces fell 6-3 to the Salt Lake Bees on Thursday night at The Ballpark at America First Square... Jordan Lawlan showed off the power, launching his first home run of the cam paign, a two-run shot into the left-centerfield bleachers, to put the Aces on the board in the first inning. The Diamondbacks #1 overall prospect has swung it well in April, going 12-for-38 (.316) with five extra-base hits and nine RBI in nine games this month... **Rene Pinto** provided the rest of the offense, who also smashed his first home run of 2025, a solo shot over the leftfield porch. Pinto is off to a solid start, slashing .273/.304/.500 with four RBI in six games... Despite taking the loss, Tommy Henry was effective on the mound. The lefty allowed three runs through five innings before returning in the sixth, where he gave up three more to the Bees. While he's had some early-season struggles, Henry's performance shows signs that he's trending in the right direction... **Ildemaro Vargas** extended his hitting streak to six games after a 1-for-3 effort in the defeat. The veteran has gone 9-for-26 (.360) with three home runs and 10 RBI over the hot stretch... The Aces will attempt to flip the script in Friday's matchup against the Salt Lake Bees, with the first pitch scheduled for 5:35 P.M. PST.

As a team, the Aces hit .314/.375/.517 with 85 XBH (21) HR), 107 RBI, and 59 BB against Salt Lake in 202 Tristin English: .429/.429/.800, 7 XBH (3 HR), 7 RBI Jorge Barrosa: .429/.500/.714, 2 2B, 3 RBI, 1 BB Scott McGough: 2.25 ERA. 4.0 IP. 1 ER. 0 BB. 6 K ACES vs DANA

♠ The Aces will face right-hander Caden Dana in Friday's match up against the Bees... Currently ranked as the Angels #2 overall prospect: Scouting grades: Fastball: 55 | Curveball: 45 | Slider: 60 | Changeup: 45 | Control: 50 | Overall: 55... The 21-year-old wa efficient in his first outing in 2025, allowing one run on three hits and three walks with four strikeouts in four frames aga the El Paso Chihuahuas... He most recently appeared out of the bullpen in MLB, surrendering two runs on four hits and one walk with two strikeouts in three innings vs the Cleveland Guardians. He was dominant in 2025, spending time with Double-A Rocket City, and the Angels, skipping Triple-A. Dana led all of Double-A in ERA (2.52) and WHIP (0.94) while striking out 147 in 135 2/3 $\,$ total innings with the Trash Pandas last season... He earned a September call-up to the bigs, registering a 9.58 ERA with eight punchouts and seven walks in 10 1/3 frames (three starts)... Dana is a threat on the mound and the Aces must capitalize vs the righthander in Friday's matchup.

THE BEEHIVE STATE

 The Aces and Bees have faced off 257 times since Reno joined the PCL in 2009... The Aces are 71-54 against the Bees at GNF and 71-63 on the road in Salt Lake... The BLC-Nine took the series from the Bees in 2024, winning 12 out of 19 matchups.

♠ ROADTRIP (1-2) ♠ AVG/OBP/SLG.. . .271/.368/.467

.9/6/19 XBH/HR/RBT Team ERA. Starter W-L/QS/ERA n-2/n/18 nc Bullpen W-L/SV/ERA 1-0/0/2.65

◆ D-BACKS REPORT ◆ ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS (N

7-6 · 4TH · NL WEST MILWAUKEE 🗭 ARIZONA FIRST PITCH: 6:40 P.M. PST

AMARILLO SOD POODLES (AA)

1-5 · T-4TH · TL SOUTH
SPRINGFIELD 8 ♥ AMARILLO 4 LUJAMES GROOVER: 3-FOR-5, 2 2B, 2 RBI

HILLSBORO HOPS (HIGH-A)

5-1 · 1ST · NWL HILLSOBORO 8 ♠ EVERETT 4 ANGEL ORTIZ: 1-FOR-5, 1 HR, 4 RBI

VISALIA RAWHIDE (CLASS-A)

3-3 · T-1ST · CAL SOUTH VISALIA 7 ◆ SAN JOSE8 SLADE CALDWELL: 3-FOR-4, 2 2B, 1 HR, 1 RBI

According to MLB Pipeline, the Aces have 4 of Arizona's top 30 prospects.

. Jordan Lawlar (D-backs #1) Yilber Diaz (D-backs #4) Cristian Mena (D-backs #13) Jorge Barrosa (D-backs #21)

ACES MIL	ESTONES 🛡
Ildemaro Vargas	550 Hits (542)
Jorge Barrosa Tristin English	50 2B (41)
Tristin English	250 Hits (221)
	50 2B (38)
	150 RBI (141)
Jordan Lawlar	100 Hits (55)

#33 CRISTIAN MENA ♠ R/R ♦ 6-2/170 ♥ AGE: 22 (DECEMBER 21, 2002)

NUMBER OF THE DAY .360

Ildemaro Vargas batting average in his active sixgame hitting streak

SUPPLEMENTAL NOTES here for addition

Reno Aces game notes



NEXT STARTER: RHP CASEY KELLY (0-0, N/A ERA) 💠

◆ Casey Kelly is set to make his Aces debut in Saturday's match against the Salt Lake Bees... The 35-year-old has yet to appear in a game in 2025, but he brings a wealth of professional experience dating back to 2009... Originally selected by the Red Sox in the first round of the 2008 MLB Draft, Kelly was part of the blockbuster trade that sent Adrian Gonzalez from San Diego to Boston in the winter of 2009. He made his Major League debut with the Padres in 2012... Kelly spent six seasons in the KBO (2019-2023), where he compiled a 73-46 record with a 3.25 ERA across 163 starts. He returned to the U.S. in 2024, signing a minor league deal with the Cincinnati Reds. That season, he earned a brief call-up to the ajors, making two relief appearances in which he allowed three runs over 5 1/3 innings, struck out four, and notched one save., Kelly ooks to start his Aces career with a win in Fridays matchup.

SERIES WATCH LIST

♥ Jordan Lawlar: Smashed his first HR of the 2025 campaign in yesterday's loss... Has been red-hot as the plate after a slow start, going 10-for-30 (.333) with 3 2B, 1 HR, and 8 RBI in the last 7 games... Currently ranked as the Dbacks #1 overall prospect (#11 according to MLB Pipeline)...**Scouting grades:** Hit: 55 | Power: 50 | Run 70 | Arm: 55 | Field: 60 | Overall: 60... Slashing .263/.391/.368 with 4 2B, 5 RBI, and 6 BB vs RHP this season

◆ Carter Kieboom: Went 3-for-3 with 1 HR, and 1 RBI in last night's matchup... Off to a blazing hot start with Sali Lake, going 14-for-31 (.452) with 3 XBH (2 HR), 4 RBI, and 3 BB in 8 games... Spent four seasons in the bigs, ow a career .199/.297/.301 slashline with 12 HR and 42 RBI in 133 games with the Washington Nationals... Ranked as the #21 overall prospect according to MLB Pipeline in 2020.

THIS DAY IN BASEBALL

 April 11, 2013 - A bench-clearing brawl in the Dodgers' 3 - 2 win. ver the Padres proves costly, as prize free agent signee Zack Greinke breaks his left collarbone in the melee. Greinke plunks Carlos Quentin on the left shoulder with a 6th-inning pitch and the slugger charges th mound and tackles the pitcher to the ground; they end up at the bot-tom of a huge pile of players from both dugouts. Greinke's left should took the brunt of the impact as Quentin first ran into him. Three player are ejected, including Quentin, while Greinke will be out for a number of weeks because of the injury. The Dodgers win the game on Juan Uribe's pinch homer in the 8th. Quentin received an eight-game suspension.

MENA MADNESS

Cristian Mena is ready to make his third start of the campaign in Friday's matchup vs the Bees... The right-hander was electric in his previous outing, collecting his first quality start of the season after limiting the Tacoma Rainiers to one run across six frames with two walks and five punchouts He is off to a solid start to the year, registering an elite 0.84 ERA with nine strikeouts and four walks... The 22-year-old faced Salt Lake four times last season, going 0-2 with a 6.43 ERA, surrendering 15 earned runs in 21 total innings with 24 punchouts and 9 walks... His best outing vs Salt Lake came on 4/18/24 when he struck out seven Bees in four innings, allowing one unearned run with three walks... Mena is poise to keep his strong start in Friday's game vs Salt Lake.

- ◆ Was the youngest pitcher to throw more than 90 frames at Triple-A last season... Relied more on his mid- $80\mathrm{s}$ breaking pitches to get whiffs than his fastball in 2024... His curveball drops sharply downward while his slider shows decent sweep but can bleed into the curve.

 Was acquired in Feburary 2024 from the White Sox in a
- trade for OF Dominic Fletcher. ♠ In AA with BIR in 2023, he went 7-6 in 23 GS with a 4.66
- ERA, 136 K, 55 BB in 114.0 IP.

INTERNATIONAL REPRESENTAION

- ♥ Signed with CHW as an international free agent from Pimentel, Domincan Republic on July 2nd, 2019 for \$250,000
- ♠ In his first professional season (21'), he appeared in 13 games (12 starts) with ACL White Sox, 2021 went 1-4 with a 7.82 ERA and 62 K's.

PROSPECT PEDIGREE

♥ Currently ranked as the No. 13 prospect and No. 3 among starting pitchers in the D-backs system.

• MLB Pipeline Scouting grades: Fastball: 45 | Curveball:

- 55 | Slider: 55 | Changeup: 45 | Control: 45 | Overall: 45 | SOUTHERN SIGNIFICANCE
- Ranked in the top 10 in six different categories in the Southern League (AA) in 2023: 3rd in K% (27.9), 4th in K (136), 6th in BAA (.234), 9th in WHIP (1.35), 7th in ERA (4.66) and 7th in W% (.538).

MLB HERMANOS

♦ His younger brother, Bryan, is a right-handed pitcher in the Rockies' organization... the 20-year-old pitched in the Arizona Complex League in 2023.

YOUTH ON THE FARM

♦ With Charlotte in 2023, was the youngest starting pitcher in all of Triple-A at 20 years old.

IDOLIZING "ACE"

♥ Grew up idolizing the late Royals pitcher, Yordano Ventura, in the Dominican Republic.

	2024/25 & CAREER RECORD														
YEAR	TEAM	W-L	ERA	G-GS	IP	Н	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	AVG	WHIP		
2024	RNO	4-2	4.61	19-19	95.2	101	54	49	15	46	102	.272	1.54		
	ARI	0-0	12.00	1-1	3.0	4	4	4	2	3	2	.333	2.33		
2025	RNO	1-0	0.84	5-5	10.2	7	1	1	0	4	9	.194	1.03		
Total MiLB 16		16-19	4.77	83-82	392.2	402	223	508	48	173	455	.265	1.46		
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DATE	OPP	DEC.	ΙP	Н	R	ER	HR	ВВ	SO	#P-S	ERA			
6/8	@ TAC	ND	5.2	7	5	5	3	0	7	97-61	4.73			
6/14	vs SAC	W	5.0	4	3	2	0	5	3	92-49	4.65			
6/20	@ SL	L	6.0	5	4	4	1	2	8	88-53	4.75			
6/26	vs OKC	ND	5.0	7	4	4	1	2	8	91-58	4.90			
7/3	@ LAD	ND	3.0	4	4	4	2	3	2	70-40	12.00			
7/9	vs RR	ND	2.1	7	3	3	0	2	2	58-33	5.08			
7/19	a TAC	ND	4.2	5	3	1	0	3	5	88-52	4.92			
7/25	vs LV	W	6.0	4	1	0	0	3	6	101-62	4.61			
3/30	a LV	ND	4.2	3	0	0	0	2	4	74-45	0.00			
4/5	vs TAC	W	6.0	4	1	1	Π	5	5	69-46	N 84			

2024 STATCAST RARTP SPTN CURVEBALL 441 26.7 84.7 2,527 86.8 20 40 .179 .321 .280 .235 33.3 SWEEPER 362 22.0 16 43 172 .280 .192 85.0 2,521 81.7 419 2,298 92.0 21.6 STNKER 16.8 2,255 86. .481 .61 .419 93.0 CHANGEUF SOSA I EET/DIGHT BDEAKDOWN

SPLIT	AVG	AB	Н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	IBB	SO	OBP	SLG			
LEFT	.300	150	45	7	0	11	26	28	0	38	.410	.567			
RIGHT	.252	222	56	11	2	4	21	18	0	64	.318	.374			
	2024 MISCELLANEOUS PITCHING STATS														
K/9	K %	BB/9	BB%	H	7/9	BABIP	LOE	3 %	GB%	HR/FB	FIP	xFIP			
9.60	24.1%	4.33	10.8%	1.	41	.335	74.0	74.6% 46.		21.1%	5.31	4.62			

SALT LAKE CAREER VS MENA														
PLAYER	G	AB	Н	HR	RBI	2B	3B	SO	BB	IBB	AVG	OBP	SLG	
HUMPHREYS	3	5	1	0	2	0	0	1	2	0	.200	.429	.200	
NODA	2	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	.200	.333	.200	
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IP - 6.0, 7/25 vs LV H - 11, 6/2 vs S R - 7, 6/2 vs St ER - 7. 6/2 vs S

IP - 2.1, 7/9 vs RR H - 2, 3/31 @ LV R - 0, 5/22 @ OKC ER - 0.5/22 @ OKC

HTGH **BB** - 5, 6/14 vs SAC **SO** - 9, 5/22 @ OKC

HBP - 2, 5/15 @ RR WP - 2. 6/8 @ TAC

SO - 2, 7/3 @ LAD

◆ PROBABLE PITCHERS ◆

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RHP Casey Kelly APRIL 13 V 11:05 AM PST A MILB.tv

RHP Billy Corcoran RHP Shaun Anderson

◆ ACES BY THE NUMBERS ◆ ...6-6/T-3rd/-2.0 acific Coast ... urrent Streak oadtrip.. 1-2 Last 5 games 3-2 6-4 ast 10 games. Ahead After 6 **4-**N Behind After 6. .2-6 Tied After 6 head After 5-0 Rehind After 7 1-5 Tied After 7... 0-1 **6-**0 Ahead After 8 Behind After 8. 0-6 Tied After 8. Extra-Inning Games **4**-n Night Games .2-6 s. LHP Starter vs. RHP Starter 5-5 Aces Score First 2-1 Opp. Score First... ..4-5 Hit Home Run 4-4 Hit 2+ Home Runs . 1-1 Do Not Homer core Over 4 F Score Under 3 R 0-4 ces 10+ H.... . Орр. 10+ Н. 2-6 rrorless games Comeback Wins (RNO-OPP) .. Last at-bat Wins (RNO-OPP). Walk-offs Wins (RNO-OPP) Shutouts (RNO-OPP).. 1-2 eries opener 2-0 Series finale. Series (W-L-T). 1-1-0 ces Sail . 1-8 "BLC" Red.. 2-0 **'Reno**" Navy

Micheladas.. Theme Jersey ♥ vs SALT LAKE (1-2) ♥ : 141-117 (H): 71-54 (R) 71-63 H/R DATE WP B. Corcoran 4/8 K. Yovan 4/9 K. Backhus C. Brogdon 4/10 M. Erla T. Henry 4/11 R/N 5:35 PM 12:05 PM 4/12 R/D Д/13 R/N 11:05 AM 6/24 H/N 6:35 PM 6/25 6/26 12:05 PM H/D 6:35 PM H/N 6/27 6:35 PM H/N

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4/3 vs TAC W 8-2 T-4th T-4th 4/5 vs TAC W 6-1 T-4th -1.0 4/6 vs TAC 13-8 T-3rd -1.0 4/8 മ SL 13-10 T-3rd -2.0 1/9 -2.0 T-2nd 4/10 a SL L 6-3 T-3rd -2.0

♠ RECENT TRANSACTIONS **♠** Assigned to RNO from AM RHP Billy Corcoran

3/29 INF Jesus Valdez Transferred to AMA from RNC INF Ildemaro Vargas Transferred to RNO from AMA 3/29 C Rene Pinto Placed on reserve list C Rene Pinto 4/1 Activated from reserve list 4/1 NE Ai Vukovich Placed on Injured List 4/5 **UTL Tim Tawa** Recalled by Arizona 4/5 INF Jean Walters Transferred to AMA from RNI INF Blaze Alexander Begin rehab assignment 4/8 4/8 RHP Christian Montes de Oca Activated off IL Activated off IL OF A.J. Vukovich 4/8 INF Jean Walters Transferred to AMA from RNC Ц/Ω

Transferred from ACL to RNO 4/10 RHP Casey Kelly ◆ FOLLOW THE ACES ◆

RHP Conor Grammes Transferred to AMA from RNO



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INW

BB - 1, 5/15 @ RR

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RELIEVER	W-L	ERA	SV-SVO	HLD	IR-IS	PCT	STREAK ('25)	IP	K/9	K %	BB/9	BB%	BABIP	LOB%	FIP	xFIP	
AMENDT	3-2	5.25	0-2	1	7-3	.428	4 (3/28)	4.0	13.50	28.6%	10.50	22.2%	.367	77.2%	5.42	5.85	
BACKHUS	2-3	3.94	1-1	6	13-5	.384	3 (4/3)	2.1	10.69	26.0%	5.06	12.3%	.259	73.1%	5.24	4.70	
BRIGHAM	1-3	4.64	1-5	1	6-2	.333	1 (4/8)	0.2	12.45	31.9%	5.48	14.1%	.333	80.3%	5.21	4.83	
CURTISS	2-5	3.96	6-10	2	24-9	.375	1 (4/8)	0.1	7.38	19.1%	2.70	7.0%	.305	65.1%	4.19	5.63	
FEYEREISEN	2-6	5.48	0-3	3	3-0	.000	4 (3/28)	5.1	6.96	17.9%	2.74	7.1%	.298	58.9%	5.33	5.34	
JAMESON							5 (3/28)	4.2									
McGOUGH	1-2	3.22	8-13	3	11-4	.363	1 (4/9)	1.0	9.17	23.7%	4.46	11.5%	.293	64.9%	4.00	4.69	
MONTES DE OCA	4-5	4.87	10-13	0	16-5	.312	1 (4/9)	2.1	7.46	18.3%	3.34	8.2%	.311	62.7%	5.16	5.22	
MORILLO	5-2	4.76	1-2	3	17-8	.470	4 (3/30)	4.1	8.82	22.5%	5.12	13.1%	.291	68.5%	4.86	4.16	
RASHI	0-0	6.75	0-0	0	0-0	.000	3 (4/1)	4.0	6.75	15.0%	9.00	20.0%	.308	62.5%	5.33	7.61	
RICE	1-0	1.35	0-0	0	0-0	.000	5 (3/28)	6.0	10.80	24.2%	8.10	18.2%	.444	93.3%	4.58	6.22	
#56 KYLE AMENDT RHP 6-							♦ 237♥ 24	#54	JOHN (CURTIS	S RHI	P	6-5 ♦ 220 ♥ 31				

#56 | KYLE AMENDT | RHP

- SERIES: 1.0 IP, 0 ER, 1 BB, 2 K

 ◆ Originally drafted in the 9thround (265 overall) by ARI in the '23 MLB draft.

 ▼ Attended Dallas Baptist University and pursued his MBA in Project Management Technologies... Held a 1.45 ERA with 12 SV, 14 BB, and 51 K in 25.2 IP in his Junior year in 2023.
- ◆ Four-year letterman at Pleasantville High School... Was a 2 time All-Con ference and Academic All-Conference selection during his prep career.

#24 | KYLE BACKHUS | LHP

6-4 ♦ 185 ♥ 26

SERIES: (1-0), 1.0 IP, 0 ER, 0 BB, 2 K

- Signed as an undrafted free agent with ARI on Jul. 20, 2021.. Classifies himself as a "sidearmer".
- ♥ Played collegiately at Sam Houston State for five seasons (2017-21), collecting a 4.66 ERA and 161 K cross 150.2 career frames.. attended Willis HS in New Waverly, Tex where he posted a 0.84 FRA with an 8-1 record as a senior.

#35 | JEFF BRIGHAM | RHP SERIES: 2.0 IP. 2 ER. 1 BB. 3 K

- Signed a minor league contract with ARI on Dec. 3, 2024... Originally drafted by LAD in the 4th round (129th overall) in the 2014 draft... Owns a 4.76 ERA with 121 K in 117.1 big league frames.
- Attended the University of Washington, majoring in business Went 7-4 with a 2.90 ERA, giving up 79 hits, 33 runs (29 earned) in 90.0 IP his Junior year in 2014.

SERIES: 1.0 IP. 3 ER. 2 BB. 0 K

- Signed a minor league contract with ARI on Feb. 11, 2025... Origin drafted by MIN in the 6th round (170th overall) of the 2014 MLB Draft... Owns a 3.157 years of MLB service, playing for 7 teams across 7 seasons.
- Attended the University of Texas where he double majored in English and History... Named first team Capital One Academic All-American as a red shirt sophomore in 2014.
- ◆ Compiled a 9-0 record through 72 2/3 IP with a 0.96 ERA and 101 strikeouts as a senior at Southlake High School (TX) before getting drafted by COL in the 30th round during the 2011 MLB draf

#39 | J.P. FEYEREISEN | RHP SERIES: 2.0 IP, 0 ER, 1 BB, 3 K

6-2 • 215 • 32

- ♦ Signed a minor league contract with ARI on March 15, 2025... Originally drafted in the 16th rd (488th overall) by the CLE in the 2014 MLB Draft... Owns a career 2.95 ERA with 94 SO in 100.2 big league IP.
- Attended University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point where he was ranked as a top prospect in D-III... Was named WIAC Pitcher of the Year in 2013... First Team All-Midwest Region selection... Made 13 appearances, including 12 starts... Went 7-2 with 2.69 ERA in 77.0 IP.

#20 | DREY JAMESON | RHP

SERIES: 2.0 IP, 0 ER, 0 BB, 4 K

- Originally drafted by ARI in rd 1C (34th overall) in the 2019 MLB Draft... Returning from Tommy John Surgery surgery... Recorded a 3.32 ERA with 37 SO and 18 BB in 40.2 IP with ARI in 2023 before landing on the IL.
- Attended Ball State University where he majored in Physical Education... Was named the 2019 MAC Pitcher of the Year after striking out a conference record 146 with a 3.24 ERA in 91.2 IP.

SERIES: 1.0 IP, 0 ER, 1 BB, 2 K

5-11 **♦** 190**♥** 34

- Originally drafted by LAD in the 5th rd (164th overall) in the 2011 MLB Draft... Signed by ARI on Dec. 15, 2022 after spending the 2019-2022 playing professionally in Japan
- Played collegiately at the University of Oregon... His Junior year, I
- cord in appearances (31) while pitching to a 3.59 ERA with 5 SV in 57.2 IP and 62 SO.

 ♦ His father, Tom, played for the Cleveland Indians from 1973-1980.

 #40| CHRISTIAN MONTES DE DCA | RHP

 6-4♦ 230♥ 24

SERIES: 2.1 IP, O ER, 1 BB, 1 K

- ♠ Joined the Aces on 4/18/24... Signed by ART as an international. free agent on December 14, 2021.
- Reigns from Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic where former MLB players Pedro Alvarez and Aristides Aquino are from.
 ◆ Posted a solid 4.28 ERA with 55 strikeouts and nine saves in
- 61.0 IP with Double-A Amarillo in 2022. #62 | JUAN MORILLO | RHP

6-1 ♦ 150♥ 26

SERIES: 1.0 IP, 0 ER, 0 BB, 2 K

- Originally signed with LAD as an international free agent out of Maracaibo, Venezuela... Signed a minor league contract with ARI on Nov. 14, 2024.

 His velocity is his biggest selling point, with a fastball averag-
- ing 99 MPH and sometimes pushing to 102, however he has a bit of have a control issue; he has a career 4.61 BB/9 rate.

#50 | TAYLOR RASHI | RHP

6-4 220 28

SERIES: 2.0 IP, 0 ER, 0 BB, 4 K

- Originally drafted in the 23rd round (686th overall) by SF in the 2019 MLB Draft.
- Attended the University of California Irvine, majoring in Sociological gy... Named to the All-Big West First Team in his senior year (2019) after producing a 2.36 ERA in 45.2 IP and 12 saves.
- Interested in becoming a firefighter or paramedic... Played or year of football in highschool as an offensive and defensive lineman.

#58 I JAKE RICE I LHP

6-1 • 220 • 27

SERIES: 1.2 IP, 0 ER, 1 BB, 4 K

- Originally drafted by ARI in the ninth round (258 overall) in the 2021 MLB Draft.
- ♥ Attended Kennesaw State University... Finished the 2021 season with an ERA of 1.97, the second-lowest season ratio in KSU Division I history... ASUN First Team All-Conference.

♥ RENO ACES HITTERS ♥ ◆ RENO ACES HITTERS BREAKDOWN (2024)◆ 8.4% 30.7% 11.6% 17.9% ALEXANDER .168 6.4 354 203 258 88.5 35.3% 99 314 .312 **ENGLISH** 6.7% 19.8% 161 4.8 -9.7 333 86 244 .310 89.8 .217 .172 .297 .235 21 86.5 GRAHAM 9.2% 30.5% .113 6.1 305 -10.0 289 76 KAISER 14.1% 31.7% 333 .188 .279 86. 31.6% .118 320 -11.1 -7.4 KESSINGER 10.2% 23.19 327 83 339 87.7 LAWLAR 12.1% 29.3% 4.7 .317 .224 4.4 .516 .445 156 .245 .295 86.5 12 33.3% MANCINI OSBORN 5.5% 23.0% .085 2.5 302 -6.1 282 76 PINTO 250 194 347 266 88.88 14 36.8 .182 279 3.3% 20.0% 476 .281 87.0 33.29 VUKOVICH 9.4% 29.9% 189 4.2 366 14.5 362 123

#9 | BLAZE ALEXANDER | INF/OF SERIES: .000 (0-6), SB, 2K... vs RHP: .000 (0-5), 0 HR, 0 RBI

#1 | JORGE BARROSA | OF

• Originally drafted in the 11th round (339 overall) by ARI in the

BB inn 61 games with the Arizona Diamonbacks in 2024.

Hit: 45 | Power: 55 | Run: 50 | Arm: 70 | Field: 55 | Overall: 45

2018 MLB Draft... 41-for-166 (.247)/.321/.343, 7 2B, 3 HR, 21 RBT, 15

◆ Ranked as the Dbacks #11 prospect in 2023... Scouting grades:

lacktriangle Was named to the Dbacks Opening Day Roster last season and

Kyle Freeland... Recorded his first MLB knock in his debut on 3/28/24, an RBI single off Anthony Molina to score Gabriel Moreno

and cap off a 14 run inning for Arizona.

▼ Brother, CJ, is an IF in the KC organization ... cousin to CLE SP Zach

Plesac... uncle is former MLB P & MLB Network personality Dan Plesac.

SERIES: .308 (4-13), 2HR, 6RBI, 3BB... vs RHP: .256 (11-43), 2 HR, 9 RBI ◆ Signed W/ ARI as an International free agent on July 2nd, 2017... Owned a .176/.176/.294 slashline with 2 2B and 1 RBI in 8 games with ARI in 2024.

◆ Currently ranked as the #21 prospect in the D-Backs System

45 | Field: 70 | Overall: 45

• Hails from same hometown which also produced MLB stars

Jose Altuve. Wilson and William Contreras.

Cod League where he was named an All-star. ♥ Named 2023 Organizational All-star by MiLB.com

♠ His favorite player as a kid was Chipper Jones.

#32 | TRISTIN ENGLISH | 1B/3B/RF

MLB Pipeline Scouting Grades: Hit: 50 | Power: 35 | Run: 60 | Arm:

SERIES: .455 (5-11), HR, RBI, 2BB, 2K... vs RHP: .371 (13-35), 1 HR, 4 RBI
◆ Originally selected by CLE in the 39th Round of the 2015 MLB

Draft but enrolled at Georgia Tech... Majored in Business Admin.
◆ Selected by ARI in Rd. 3, Overall Pick 93 in the 2019 MLB Draft

after hitting .346 with 18 HR, 71 RBI's over 58 games in the Cape

was in the starting lineup on Opening Day against the Rockies

5-11 • 160 • 25

#7 | CONNOR KAISER | INF SERIES: .286 (2-7), SB, 2K... vs RHP: .125 (3-24), O HR, 1 RBI

6-3 • 195 • 28

- ◆ Signed a minor league deal with ARI on November 15, 2024. Was originally drafted by PIT in the 3rd round (86th overall) of the 2018 MLB draft. Attended Vanderhilt University where he collected a career .260/.356/.357 slash line with 7 HR, 35 XBH, 83, and 19 SR in 167 games.
- ♦ Was named a Perfect Game All-American in 2015 while attending Blue Valley West HS in Overland Park, Kan... A two-sport standout in baseball and basketball, lettering three times in each sport... Helped lead baseball team to state title in 2013.

#15 | GRAE KESSINGER | INF SERIES: .000 (0-4), 5 BB, 2K... vs RHP: .200 (5-25), 0 HR, 1 RBI

6-1 **♦** 204 **♦** 27

- ◆ Acquired by ARI from HOU in exchange for RHP Matthew Linskey on Jan. 8, 2025... Originally drafted by HOU in the 2nd rd (68th overall) in the 2019 draft.
- ♠ Attended Dle Miss, where he a recorded team-best .330 batting aver age, tallying 89 hits, including 18 doubles and seven home runs in 2019 Junior)... Won the 2019 Brooks Wallace Award, given to the nation's top shortstop... Selected to three All-American teams... Named ABCA All-South Region... Tabbed First Team All-SEC... Finalist for the C Spire Ferriss Trophy, given to the top college baseball player in Mississippi.
- Grandson of Don Kessinger, who was a six-time All-Star and two-time Gold Glove winner for the Chicago Cubs as well as an All-American shortstop (1964) and head coach (1991-96) at Ole Miss ... Dad, Kevin, and uncle Keith, played baseball at Ole Miss ... His father, Kevin, was drafted by the Cubs and played in the organization before his career ended due to injury ... Keith ended up playing in the Majors for the Cincinnati Reds in 1993.

#10 | JORDAN LAWLAR | SS/3B

6-1 • 190 • 21

- SERIES: .214 (3·14), 2B, HR, 2RBI, BB, 6K... vs RHP: .263 (10·38), 0 HR, 5 RBI

 Drafted 6th overall by ARI in the 2021 draft.... Currently ranked as the D-Backs #1 prospect and #11 overall prospect according to MLB Pipeline; Scouting Grades: Hit: 55 | Power: 50 | Run: 70 | Arm: 55 | Field: 60 | Overall: 60
- ♦ Thumb and hamstring injuries limited him to only 23 Minor League games in 2024.
- ◆ 2023 MLB Futures Game Participant... Named a 2023 D-backs Organizational All-Star selection.
- Made his MLB debut on Sept. 7th, 2023 against CHC and recorded his first MLB hit: an field single to third base off of Javier Assad.
- ♠ 2021 Gatorade Texas Player of the Year award winner out of Jesuit Prep in Dallas.

#34 | TREY MANCINI | 1B/DH SERIES: .429 (6-14), 2B, 2RBI, SB, 2K... vs RHP: .317 (13-41), 1 HR, 4 RBI

6-4 • 230 • 38

- ◆ Signed a minor league contract with ARI on Feb. 21, 2025... Ori inally drafted in the 8th round (249th overall) by BAL in the 2013 MLB Draft... Made his MLB debut on 9/20/16 where he collected his first hit and home run, a solo shot into left-center field vs BOS.. Enjoyed a career year in 2019 w/ BAL, slashing 291/364/.535 with 35 HR, 97 RBI and a 3.7 WAR... Earned his first World Series ring after being dealt to HOU at the trade deadline in 2022.
- Was diagnosed with Stage 3 colon cancer in March 2020, missing the entire shortened season... He returned to baseball in 2021 $\,$ and was awarded with the AL Comeback Player of the Year.

#41 | DRAKE OSBORN | C

5-9 • 190 • 26

SERIES: .000 (0-3), BB... vs RHP: .100 (1-10), O HR, 1 RBI ♠ ARI purchased his contract from NYM in the 2024 Rule 5 Draft, AAA Phase... Originally drafted by NYM in the 19th rd (562nd overall) in the 2021 MLB Draft.

- ♦ Attended University of Louisiana at Lafayette where he posted a .337/.415/.491 slashline with 3 HR, 17 2B, and 24 RBI in 169 AB in 2021... Spent his Freshman and Sophmore year at Texas A&M-CC posting a career .264 batting average.
- Played baseball and football at Orange Grove High School. Was a First Team All-District Catcher in 2014, 2015 and 2016...Also earned First Team All-District and Second Team All-State honors at receiver in 2014...Member of the National Honor Society.

#33 | RENE PINTO | C

- SERTES: .222 (2-9), HR. 2RBT. 4K... vs RHP: .278 (5-18), O HR. 3 RBT. • Signed a minor league contract with ARI on Jan. 10, 2025
- originally signed as an international FA by TB on Oct. 1, 2013.
- Brings a solid glove with a very good pop time... In both 2022 and 2023, he clocked in below 1.90 seconds, which placed him in the top 5 among all catchers with at least 5 SB attempts against them at 2B.
- Named an MiLB.com Organizational All-Star in 2015, and 2021-22 while playing with TB.

#6 | ILDEMARO VARGAS | 3B

6-0 • 202 • 33

- SERIES: .333 (4-12), HR. 3RBI, BB, SB, 3K.,, vs RHP: .324 (11-34), 2 HR, 7 RBI
- ◆ Signed a minor league contract with ARI on Jan. 31, 2025... Originally signed as an international free agent with CHC on June 2008.
- ♦ Named an MiLB.com Organizational All-Star with ARI in 16 'and 17'... PCL Mid-Season All-Star with the Aces in 17' and 18'... PCL Post-Season All-Star in 181
- ♥ The only Aces player to surpass the 500-hit mark (517), 118 hits more than the next player... His 360 singles alone would rank him third all-time in hits... Leads the Aces franchise in at-bats (1595), plate appearances (1736), singles (360) and doubles (109)... sits in 2nd in G (371) and R (270)... 1 of 4 Reno Aces of all time to reach the 200-RBI level (200 RBI) and is 22 behind Mike Jacobs for the franchise lead.

#53 | A.J. VUKOVICH| OF

- SERIES: .286 (2-7), 2B, 3RBI, BB... vs RHP: .250 (2-8), 0 HR, 3 RBI ◆ Drafted by ARI in the 4th round (119 overall) in the 2020 MLB draft...
 Ranked as the #14 prospect in the D-Backs system in 2023... Scouting grades: Hit: 45 | Power: 55 | Run: 50 | Arm: 55 | Field: 45 | Overall: 45
- ♥ Joined the Aces on last season on 9/10.. Was riding an 8-game hitting streak with the Sod Poodles prior to his promotion: 11-for-26 (.423),4 2B, 4 RBI, 5 BB... Led the Texas League in RBI (80), XBH (49), TB (209); T-2nd 2B (29); 3rd Hits (123); 4th SLG (.458); T-4th HR (17); 6th OPS (.800) in 24' before his AAA debut.
- Originally was recruited to Louisville but chose to sign with Arizo na, who gave him a \$1.25 million bonus, almost \$800,000 above slot.
- Finalist for Wisconsin's 2020 Mr. Basketball award after averaging 27.8 points and 13.1 rebounds per game in High School.

#38 | ARAMIS GARCIA | C

- vs TAC: .200 (2-10), RBI, 2 K... vs RHP: .100 (1-10), 0 HR, 0 RBI ◆ Signed a minor league deal with ARI on Nov. 19, 2024... Originally
- drafte dy SFG in the 2nd rd (52nd overall) of the 2014 MLB Draft. ♦ Attended Florida International University... Named to the All-Sun Belt Con ference First Team in 2013 as a Sophomore... Was named one of 15 semifinal-
- ists for the Johnny Bench Award recognizing Division I baseball's top catcher

 MiLB.com Organizational Allstar in 2015 and 2017 during his time in San Francisco's system.

#37 | KEVIN GRAHAM | OF

- SERIES: .143 (1-7), BB, 3K... vs RHP: .118 (2-17), 1 HR, 2 RBI ◆ Drafted by ARI in the 14th rd (408th overall) in the 2022 MLB Draft... Attended Mississipi where he majored in Finance.
- Slashed .306/.374/.540 with 39 HR, and 153 RBi in 669 AB in
- four years at Ole Miss His grandfather, Cal Neeman, played seven years in MLB, four of
- which were with the Cubs.