

BRADENTON MARAUDERS

GAME NOTES

Single-A Affiliate of the Pittsburgh Pirates

BRADENTON MARAUDERS (58-68, 28-32) VS DUNEDIN BLUE JAYS (59-64, 25-33)

GAME 3: LHP Randy Labaut (MiLB Rehab) vs RHP Landen Maroudis (0-5, 6.83)

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2025 • FIRST PITCH: 6:30 P.M. • LECOM PARK • BRADENTON, FL

GAME NO. 127 OF 131 HOME GAME NO. 63 OF 66 · MILB.TV · ONLINE RADIO (BRADENTON MARAUDERS.COM)

2025 vs Dunedin Record in 2025 9-8 Current Streak ...WI In Bradenton 3-2 In Dunedin 6-6 Team AVG/HR/ERA 243/20 HR/4.27 ERA

RF/RA per Game 85 (5.0) | 83 (4.8)

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June 24 at DUN June 25/26 at DUN June 26/27 at DUN June 27 at DUN June 28 at DUN June 29 at DUN	W, 3-2 W, 7-4 L, 3-2 W, 5-0 L, 4-5 L, 4-3
July 25 vs DUN July 25 vs DUN July 26 vs DUN	W, 6-2 L, 1-7 W, 8-6
Sept. 2 vs DUN Sept. 3 vs DUN Sept. 4 vs DUN Sept. 5 vs DUN Sept. 6 vs DUN Sept. 7 vs DUN	L, 7-5 W, 7-5 6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 12:00 p.m

Ranked Prospects (10)

Source - MLB.com/Baseball America OF/IB - Edward Florentino (5/8) (100 OVR, Pipeline) INF - Wyatt Sanford (IL) (10/9)

RHP - Levi Sterling (12/16) RHP - Zander Mueth (13/15) C - Edlgeen Perez (17/--) INF - Jhonny Severino (22/24) RHP - Jeter Martinez (24/26)

OF - Tony Blanco Jr. (30/--) **C - Axiel Plaz (IL)** (29/25)

East Division

LHP - Reinold Navarro (--/19) FSL 2nd Half Standings

St. Lucie*	42-20 GB
Daytona	35-26 6.5 GB
Palm Beach	28-33 13.5 GB
Jupiter	28-33 13.5 GB
West Division	
Lakeland*	34-26 GB
Clearwater	31-29 3.0 GB
Bradenton	28-32 6.0 GB
Tampa	26-33 7.5 GB
Dunedin	25-33 8.0 GB
Fort Myers	23-35 10.0 GB

If first-half winners (*) win second half, playoff berth is granted to team with second-best second-half record ~

FROM THE CROWS NEST

WELCOME TO THE STRETCH RUN: With four games to go in the regular season, Bradenton is 28-32 in the second half, currently 3.0 (4.0 including the tie-breaker) behind the Threshers for the FSL West's final playoff spot. The Marauders are eyeing their first postseason appearance since 2021 when they won their second FSL title. After dropping the season series with Clearwater, the Threshers have the tie-break advantage if the two teams finish with even records at the end of the season. Clearwater can clinch with one victory of their own and/or one Marauders loss over the next four games.

LABAUT GETS US STARTED: 28-year-old southapw **Randy Labaut** will being a minor-league rehab assignment tonight as the Marauders face the Blue Jays for the third time this week. Over 22 appearances and two starts from Triple-A Indianapolis this season, Labaut has pitched to a 4.46 ERA and has punched out 44 hitters in 38.1 innings. Tonight marks his first outing since August 6 when he tossed 0.2 innings versus Omaha. He was placed on the 7-Day Injured List a day later. The Havana, Cuba native has been in affiliated ball since 2019 and was acquired by the Pirates in the Triple-A phase of the Rule 5 Draft last December from the Cleveland Guardians organization, where he spent all of 2024 with Triple-A Columbus. Cleveland drafted him in the 35th round with the 1060th pick of the 2019 draft out of the University of Arizona.

MR. 100: After Diamondbacks infielder Jordan Lawler graduated from MLB Pipeline's Top 100 prospects list, Marauders outfielder Edward Florentino was named the No. 100 prospect in all of baseball (No. 98 via Baseball America). He was also named Florida State League Player of the Month for his dominant performance in July. He remains the only Marauders player to be honored this season by Minor League Baseball. Over the 23-game stretch, Florentino slashed .301/.433/.663 with 16 stolen bases and 17 walks. His eight home runs and 23 RBI were the most of any player throughout the Florida State League and Single-A. Florentino was also one of three Single-A players, and the only in the FSL, to tally 15 or more walks and ten or more extra-base hits. Florentino is the Pirates No. 5 ranked prospect according to MLB Pipeline and was promoted to Single-A Bradenton on June 21.

FLY FLY AWAY: The Marauders currently lead the Florida State League with 102 home runs, marking their fifth season in franchise history reaching the triple-digit threshold. With four games to go, they're 15 away from matching their all-time high of 117 in 2023. Moreover, they also have blasted the most in Single-A, as they've now passed San Jose (California League, 98). 157 of their 573 total runs have been generated via the long ball (27.3%). They're 37-32 when leaving the yard at least once, and 21-37 when not homering at all. They've seen six players launch 9+ home runs this season, more than any other team in the FSL (A. Plaz, Y. De Los Santos, K. Griffin, J. Severino, E. Florentino, E. Rodriguez).

BURNING THE BASE PATHS: The Marauders have surpassed their franchise record with 226 stolen bases this season (2023 - 222). Before being transferred to High-A Greensboro, Yordany De Los Santos played a massive role as he stole 51st base ont Friday night, adding to a career-best mark (34 between FCL/Single-A in 2024). Before his promotion, he was tied with Daytona's Kyle Henley for the most in the league - the two are the first FSL players to steal 50 since Seth Stephensen (LAK -62) and Emaarion Boyd (CLR -56) reached the threshold in 2023. In the process, De Los Santos also passed Jesus Castillo (39 - 2023), for the most single-season stolen bases by a Marauder in franchise history. Him and Henley are tied for seventh in Single-A. Moreover, De Los Santos sits only behind Konnor Griffin (64) for the most swipes in the Pittsburgh Pirates system. They are the ninth and tenth 40+ stolen-base seasons in Pirates-MilLB history. The two are approaching Rich Thompson for the most in a season by a Pirates minor leaguer since 2005 when he stole 58 that season between Double-A Altoona and Triple-A Indianapolis.

TONY TATERS: Pirates No. 30 prospect (MLB Pipeline) Tony Blanco Jr. demolished two homers during the Marauders previous homestand. On July 30, he sent a fastball 415 feet to left field, that cleared the confines of LECOM Park. The ball left his bat at 118.9 miles per hour, marking the hardest-hit ball in Single-A at the time, clearing the next closest batted ball by 4.4 mph. Three nights later, he also demolished a walk-off three-run homer that left the bat at 119.8 mph - the hardest-batted ball in MiLB this season. Only three batted balls at the Major-League level have been hit harder this season. He joins Oneil Cruz (122.9 mph) and Vladamir Guerrero Jr. (120.4 mph) on the list. Only him and Cruz (122.9 mph) have left the yard with such batted ball quality. He was activated and assigned to Single-A Bradenton on Saturday, July 19 at Jupiter.

TEAM LEADERS

SV:	Noah Takacs	9
K:	Clevari Tejada	70
ERA:	Greiber Mendez	3.54 (Qualified)
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Wins:	Greiber Mendez	6
2024 Pi	tching Leaders	
SB:	Edward Florentino	29
RBI:	Jhonny Severino	48
HR:	Jhonny Severino	11
AVG:	Edward Florentino	.265 (Min. 175 PA)

MARAUDERS 2025 SPLITS

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	East Division	Home	Road	Overall
	Jupiter	2-4	2-1	4-5
	St. Lucie	1-5	0-0	1-5
	Palm Beach	2-4	3-3	5-7
	Daytona	3-2	1-2	4-4
	West Division	Home	Road	Overall
	Clearwater	4-5	5-7	9-12
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	Lakeland	4-5	6-6	10-11
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THE FARM REPORT

Pittsburgh Pirates (MLB)	Indianapolis Indians (AAA)
63-77, 5th NL Central (23.0 GB)	34-25, 2nd IL West (-1.0, Toledo)
YESTERDAY: 3-0 W vs LAD	YESTERDAY: 9-2 L at Columbus (CLE)
TODAY: 6:40 p.m. vs LAD	TODAY: 6:35 p.m. ET at Columbus (CLE)

Altoona Curve (AA)
35-24, 1st EL Northeast (+4.0, Richmond)
YESTERDAY: 8-7 W vs Richmond (SF)
TODAY: 6:00 p.m. ET vs Richmond (SF)
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Greensboro Grasshoppers (A+)

YESTERDAY: 7-1 W at Hudson Valley (NYY)

TODAY: 6:05 p.m. at Hudson Valley (NYY)

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UPCOMING GAMES & PROBABLES

DATE	OPPONENT	MARAUDERS STARTER	OPPONENTS STARTER	FIRST PITCH
Friday, Sep. 5	vs Dunedin	TBD	TBD	6:30 p.m.
Saturday, Sep. 6	vs Dunedin	TBD	TBD	6:30 p.m.
Sunday, Sep. 7	vs Dunedin	TBD	TBD	12:00 p.m.
Monday, Sep. 8		Regular So	eason Ends	

MARAUDERS COACHING STAFF

MANAGER - JIM HORNER

DOB: 11/11/1973 (51) YEAR WITH BRD: 2nd as Manager **HOMETOWN:** Twin Falls, (ID) PREV.ROLES W/ BRD: Bench Coach ('21)

- •Returns to Bradenton in 2025 for his second season as manager of the club
- ·Sixth year in the Pirates organization
- Prior to 2024, Horner managed the Florida Complex League Pirates (FCL) in 2023, served as a Minor League Assistant Field Coordinator in 2022 and a bench coach for Bradenton in 2021.
- Previously served as hitting coach at Power 5 programs Texas Tech University and Washington State University.
- · Last year's promotion marked his first opportunity to lead a full-season affiliate since 2015, when he managed the Jackson Generals, the then Double-A affiliate of the Seattle Mariners, capping a ten-year coaching career in their farm system.
- · Over his nine-year career on the diamond, the former catcher played in 589 minor-league games and reached as high as Triple-A before transitioning to coaching after the 2004 campaign.



HITTING COACH - QUENTIN BROWN

DOB: **HOMETOWN:** Kokomo, Indiana YEAR WITH BRD: 2nd

PREV.ROLES W/BRD: 2023 HC

- •Reprises his role as Marauders hitting coaching for the first time since the 2023 season.
- In 2024, served as the Integrated Baseball Performance Coach for High-A Greensboro and worked as Hitting Coach for the FCL team.
- · Joined the Pirates organization in 2022 and spent his first season in the as the hitting coach for the FCL Pirates.
- Before working in professional baseball, he was the Vice President at the Finch Creek Fieldhouse Athletic Facility and Head Coach for the Western High School baseball team, his alma mater in Indiana
- Played college baseball as an outfielder at Purdue Fort Wayne University from 2007-09



PITCHING COACH - RENNY DUARTE

DOB: 11/7/1978 (46)

YEAR WITH BRD: 1st

HOMETOWN: Maracaibo, Venezuela

- · Joins the Marauders staff for the first time in 2025 and will serve as the team's pitching coach
- Joined the Pirates organization in 2020 as a pitching coach for the DSL Pirates 1 before the minor league season was cancelled due to the pandemic.
- •After working the same role for the DSL Pirates Gold in 2021, he spent the 2022-2024 seasons as pitching coach for the FCL Pirates.
- Signed with the California Angels as an international free agent in 1996, and spent five seasons in their minor-league system reaching as high as Triple-A.
- After stints in the Venezuelan Winter League and Italian Baseball League, made the transition to coaching in 2009.
- ·Served as pitching coach in the Venezuelan Summer League and for the Spanish national team during several international competitions including the 2009 Baseball World Cup and 2013 World Baseball Classic, among others.



INTEGRATED BASEBALL PERFORMANCE COACH - JUSTIN ORTON

YEAR WITH BRD: 1st

HOMETOWN: Essex, Ontario, Canada

- \bullet Will spend the 2025 season in Bradenton as the Integrated Baseball Performance Coach, the same role he held with Double-A Altoona in 2024 and High-A Greensboro during the 2022-2023 seasons.
- •Orton began his career in the Pirates organization in 2021, when he worked in the Dominican Summer League as a Development Coach in 2020 and Hitting Coach in
- · Originally from Ontario, Canada, Orton played college baseball at the University of British Columbia as a middle infielder.



CATCHING COACH - GUSTAVO OMAÑA

DOB: 9/24/1985 (39)

YEAR WITH BRD: 4th

HOMETOWN: Maracay, Venezuela

PREV.ROLES W/BRD: Bench Coach

- · After serving as Bench Coach from 2022-2024, he will primarily focus on Bradenton's backstops as a Catching Coach in 2025.
- Prior to his time in Bradenton, he was an assistant coach for Triple-A Indianapolis in 2021.
- This season marks his 16th as a coach in professional baseball as he spent six seasons as a hitting coach and catching instructor in the Tampa Bay Rays organization from
- · Also played four seasons in the Cincinnati Reds organization for the ogranization's Venezuelan Summer League affiliate.



Alexa Dehaeseleer - Athletic Training Coordinator Zach Palumbo - Strength and Conditioning Coach Stephanie Xavier - Dietitian Jacob Weber - Minor League Operations Assistant Michael Gonzalez - Mental Performance Coach

MARAUDERS BULLPEN

#3 Gavin Adams (RHP)

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 2/8/2003 (22 Y/O)

Height: 6'4" Acquired: Draft (RD 8, 234th OVR - Florida State)

Weight: 195 Hometown: Stuart, FL Pitches:

• Began season with FCL Pirates: 12 G, 6 GS, 14.2 IP, 2.45 ERA, 20 K, 23 BB, .160 BAA

- Had Tommy John surgery entering 2024 so didn't pitch at Florida State after transferring from JUCO
- Fastball sits in the upper 90s and touched 101 before surgery
- Spent freshman season at State College of Florida and 2023 at Indian River State College
- Struck out 44 batters over 26.1 innings with 3.76 ERA for Indian River in 2023

#14 Draven Zeigler (RHP)

B/T: R/R

DOB: 6/15/2001 (24Y/O)

Height: 6'4"

Acquired: MilB FA (7/23/2025)

Weight: 220

Hometown: Ash Grove, MO Pitches:

- Signed by Pirates as MiLB FA on 7/23...Threw scoreless inn. on 8/12 in pro debut at PLM
- Played college ball at LSU Shreveport (NAIA): Went 31-2 with 2.71 ERA over career and was named 1st Team All-American in 2025
- Went 13-0 with 1.76 ERA in 2025, 107 K in 87 IP... Finished as runner up for NAIA Pitcher of the Year Award behind teammate Isaac Rohde
- Pilots went 59-0 and won first national championship...marked first undefeated season in college baseball history
- •Played for Ash Grove High School (MO), also named the Pirates.

#19 David Matoma (RHP)

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 2/2/2006 (19 Y/O)

Height: 6'0" Acquired: International MiLB FA (1/15/2023)

Weight: 154 Hometown: Luwero, Uganda Pitches: 4SM, SNK, CT/SL

- Pirates No. 30 ranked prospect entering 2025 season
- Promoted to Single-A Bradenton on 4/27
- Made his team debut tossing 1.1 innings while allowing one earned run with one punchout.
- Would become the first player from Uganda and second from Africa (Gift Ngoepe) to reach MLB.
- \bullet Features a fastball that sits between 96-98 miles per hour and has touched 99 multiple times.
- · Last year, he reached 101 mph in an FCL game
- In 24 prior outings before 2025 (DSL & FCL): 2 ER, 38.2 IP, 42 K, 17 BB
- One of two Ugandan-born players in the Pirates organization (INF/OF Armstrong Muhoozi DSL)

#25 Jonawel Valdez (RHP)

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 3/19/2004 (21 Y/O)

Height: 6'1" Acquired: International MiLB Signing (12/7/2022)

Weight: 185 Hometown: Comendador, DR Pitches: 4SM, CH, CB, SNK

- Made first Single-A start at FTM (4/20/25 3 IP, 0 R)
- Has contributed out of the pen as bulk reliever for Bradenton this season
- $\bullet \, \text{Split} \, 2024 \, \text{between DSL Pirates Gold and FCL Pirates: 8 G, 5 GS, 3.04 ERA, 26.2 IP, 28 K Color of the property of the property$
- Made pro-debut in 2023 in DSL: 12 G, 5 GS, 34 IP, 5.56 ERA, 32 K, 16 BB

#28 Noah Takacs (RHP)

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 4/9/2002 (22Y/O) **Height:** 6'3" **Acquired:** MiLB FA Signing (7/21/2023)

Weight: 220 Hometown: Victoria, BC, Canada Pitches: 4SM, CT, CB

- \bullet Earned six-out save on 4/27 at LAK for first Single-A Save...Earned 2nd on 5/1 vs TAM
- Promoted to Bradenton on 7/30 and made debut on 8/3 @ Palm Beach
- •Made 7 appearances in 2024: 1-4, 7.53 ERA, 14.1 IP, 11 K, 12 BB
- Made 20 appearances for FCL Pirates: 4-3, 24.2 IP, 6.20 ERA, 22 K
- 2023: Did not pitch after being signed.
- \bullet 2023 in College: Went 2-0 with a 3.00 ERA in three starts before being sidelined by an injury.
- Represented Canada on U19 squad
- Helped continue streak of 17 straight years that a Sacramento State player was either drafted or signed by a Major League club.
- \bullet Grew up in British Columbia and attended Oak Bay HS where he plated basketball and baseball...was a two-time team Captain in basketball and led team to two League Titles.

#32 Cameron Keshock (RHP)

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 2/27/2005 (20 Y/O)

Height: 6'7"" **Acquired:** Draft (2025, RD 12, 353 OVR - Samford)

Weight: 225 Hometown: Mobile, AL Pitches:

- Promoted to Single-A BRD on 8/15...made pro debut on 8/16 at PLM
 Transferred to Samford and appeared in 11 games while making 10 starts...posted
 5.73 ERA over 54 innings...punched out 52 hitters and walked 22
- Allowed 10 earned runs in final outing vs ETSU; ERA without the outing was 4.76 before that start...Carried 3.69 ERA through first 10 starts
- 22023/24 (Auburn): five relief appearances in 2024... Struck out seven batters in 5.1 innings pitched... Fastball reached 96 mph in 2024 season... In 2023, tossed three innings across five appearances as a freshman and punched out out three batters.
- Went to Spanish Fort High School in Alabama... Was ranked the No. 16 player and No. 5 right-handed arm in the state... Also played basketball.

#35 Levi Sterling (RHP)

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 9/9/2006 (18 Y/O)

 Height: 6'5""
 Acquired: Draft (2024, RD CB-A, 37 OVR - Notre Dame HS (CA))

 Weight: 202
 Hometown: Los Angeles, CA
 Pitches: FB, CH, SL, CB

- No. 12 ranked prospect in Pirates system by MLB Pipeline & No. 16 by Baseball America.
- Began 2025 with FCL Pirates: 11G, 9GS, 6.54 ERA, 31.2 IP, 30 K, 21 BB
- Made pro debut on 5/3 vs FCL Orioles (0.2 IP, 2 ER)
- Signed for 2.5 million dollars after being selected 37th overall by the Pirates
- •High School: Went to Notre Dame HS and played SS and pitched
- Same High School as Giancarlo Stanton and Hunter Greene
- Played with Konnor Griffin on Team USA's 18U National Team in 2023
- •Never focused on pitching full time until this season.
- •Touted for plus changeup and strike throwing ability out of high school.

#36 Jeter Martinez (RHP)

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 2/6/2006 (19 Y/O)

Height: 6'4" Acquired: Trade with SEA (7/30/2025)

Weight: 180 Hometown: Durango, DG, Mexico Pitches: 4SM, SNK, SL, CH

- Ranked No. 24 prospect in Pirates system by MLB Pipeline & No. 26 by Baseball America
- Acquired in Caleb Ferguson Trade on 7/30 from Seattle.
- Touted for powerful FB that has touched 99 mph... has struggled with command (13.2% BB-rate before trade to PIT...16.8% in 2025 in ACL)...49.7% GB-rate before trade.
- 16 GS for Single-A Modesto before trade: 62.2 IP, 6.18 ERA, 60 K, 38 BB, .264 BAA
 Entered July with 7.63 ERA houseed back during 4 GS in July: 19 IP, 6 ER (2.84 ERA)
- Entered July with 7.63 ERA...bounced back during 4 GS in July: 19 IP, 6 ER (2.84 ERA), 8 BB, 18 K, .209 BAA
- vs RHH: .309... vs LHH: .204 (Single-A Modesto)
- Spent 2024 with ACL Mariners: 13 G, 11 GS, 39.2 IP, 3.86 ERA, 49 K, 31 BB
- Signed with Seattle as int. MilB FA on 1/15/2023 for \$600K...began pro career in DSL...1.72 ERA, 55 K, 47 IP, 109 BAA

#43 Cesar Aquino (RHP)

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 2/27/2005 (20 Y/O)

Height: 6'1" Acquired: International MiLB FA (3/24/2024)

Weight: 201 Hometown: Santo Domingo, DR Pitches: SNK, CB, SL

- Promoted to Single-A BRD on 8/12, marks first stint with a full-season affiliate
- \bullet Made 16 appearances and one start with FCL Pirates: 3.18 ERA, 28 K, 5 BB
- Led FCL Pirates with 34 IP...5 BB were fewest of anyone with at least 25 IP
 Made pro debut with DSL Pirates Gold in 2024: 12 G, 6 GS, 46 IP, 5 ER (0.98 ERA), 37 K, 7 BB. 177 BAA
- Signed as International MiLB FA with Pirates in March of 2024

#49 Greiber Mendez (RHP)

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 4/3/2004 (21Y/O)

Height: 6'0" Acquired: International MiLB FA (1/15/2021)

Weight: 150 Hometown: Barquisimeto, Venezuela Pitches: 4SM, SNK, SL

- Made two starts for Bradenton in early April, but has contriuted out of the bullpen since
- Topped out at 3 IP in relief at FTM on April 20.
- Appeared in 9 games for Bradenton: 18.1 IP, 3.44 ERA, 21 K, 8 BB, .212 BAA
- Recorded one save for Marauders (8/24/24 at LAK)
- Promoted to Single-A Bradenton from FCL Pirates on 7/2/24 and 7/30/24.
- With FCL Pirates this season, went 3-1 with 3.52 ERA in 16 outings. Recorded 5 saves while striking out 32 in 30.2 innings and walking 17 hitters.
- 2023: Was named to the Dominican Summer League mid-season All-Star team... Finished tied for third in the Dominican Summer League in saves...Posted an 0.54 ERA (16.2ip/ler) in his final 11 appearances of the season.
- Signed by the Pirates as a non-drafted free agent on 1/15/21

#63 Adolfo Oviedo (RHP)

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 11/17/2004 (20 Y/O)

Height: 6'\"
Acquired: International MilB FA Signing (5/27/2022)
Weight: 165
Hometown: Barquisimeto, Venezuela Pitches: 4SM, SNK, SL, CT

• 2025: Made Single-A Debut on 4/13 vs PLM (1.1 IP, 2 H, 1 K)

- Originally assigned to FCL Pirates, but promoted to Marauders after Jesus Clode was placed on 7-Day IL. Never pitched in FCL before then.
- 2024 in DSL: 12 G, 6 GS, 41.1 IP, 1.96 ERA, 43 K, 11 BB, .216 BAA

#77 Jack Anker (RHP)

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 4/8/2004 (21Y/O)

Height: 6'2" Acquired: Draft (2025, RD 6, 173 OVR - Fresno State)

Weight: 200 Hometown: Tulare, CA Pitches:

- Served as Fresno State's Friday-night starter: 16 GS, 9-5, 5.98 ERA, 96.1 IP
- One of two bulldogs drafted by Pirates this year (INF Murf Gray, 2nd RD)
- Named Mountain West Pitcher of the Week twice in 2025
- Punched out 109 hitters and walk just 12 (1.12 BB/9 was 6th best in country)
- Participated in 2025 MLB Draft Combine in Phoenix, AZ
- Made 9 starts in 2024 and posted a 4.35 ERA over 49.2 IP.

MARAUDERS HITTERS

#2 Carlos Caro • INF

3/T: R/R **DOB:** 11/4/2004 (20 Y/O)

Height: 5'11" Acquired: International MilB FA Signing (10/13/2022)
Weight: 160 Hometown: San Cristobal, Dominican Republic

- Broke camp with Bradenton to begin 2025...
- Transferred to FCL Pirates on 6/2...Returned to Single-A Bradenton on 8/22
- 2024: Promoted to Bradenton on 8/27, made debut that night...Hit .217 over 7 G
- Prior to promotion, with FCL Pirates, hit .305/.410/.443 with eight doubles, two triples, two home runs, 17 RBIs, 22 walks, 31 runs, and was 9-for-12 in SB while playing in 42 games.
- Was one of five players to be named to the FCL Pirates All-Star team in 2024.
- Played in 45 games for DSL Pirates in 2023.
- Signed as a non-drafted free agent on Oct. 13, 2022

#3 Josh Tate • OF

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 9/1/2003 (21Y/O)

Height: 5'11" Acquired: Draft (2025 - RD 8, 223rd OVR - Georgia Southern)

Weight: 178 Hometown: Newnan, GA

2025 (Georgia Southern):

- One of two Eagles to start all 59 games, and was the lead-off hitter for the Eagles
- $^{\bullet}$ Led the team in average (.362 led Sun Belt), runs (60), hits (89), doubles (18) and RBI (46)

2024:

• Transferred from Georgia to Georgia Southern... Led the team in hitting (.369), hits (86), runs (63), OBP (.475), and stolen bases (27)

2023 (Georgia):

•13 G: .211, HR, 5 RBI

#5 Wyatt Sanford • SS/2B

B/T: L/R **DOB:** 11/24/03 (19 Y/O)

Height: 6'1" Acquired: Draft (2024 - RD 2, 47th OVR - Independence HS, TX)

Weight: 175 Hometown: Frisco, TX

- · Launched two homers on 6/7 at CLR
- \bullet Promoted to Single-A Bradenton on June 3...Homered in first Single-A at bat...slashed .259/.487/.370 with HR, 6 RBI
- in FCL over 20 games to start pro career.
- Ranked as Pirates 8th prospect via MLB Pipeline and 7th7 via Baseball America
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- Father Chance Sanford was drafted by the Pirates twice and reached the Majors with them in 1998 (14 G, 4-for-28, 3 RBI, 2 XBH)
- Was committed to Texas A&M...Touted as one of the best defensive shortstops in the 2024 HS Class.
- Did not play in any official pro games in 2024, but appeared in instructional league games after the end of the summer...

#6 Canon Reeder • OF

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 4/23/2003 (22 Y/O)

Height: 6'0" Acquired: Draft (2025, RD 18, 533 OVR - Oregon State)

Weight: 188 Hometown: Bend, OR

2025 (Oregon State):

- Slashed .293/.402/.489 with 8 HR, 37 RBI and 4 SB for Beavers
- Played in three games for OSU in College World Series (Team went 1-2)
- One of two current Marauders to play in CWS this year (Brent Iredale Arkansas)

Pre-2025

- \bullet Batted .273 with no homers, 13 RBI over 33 games during sophomore season (2024)
- Played in 19 games and hit .222 during freshman year (2023)

Personal

- Played at Summit HS in Bend, Oregon
- Despite growing up in Oregon, was born in Gulfport, MS.

#10 Eddie Rynders • INF

B/T: L/R **DOB:** 10/31/2005 (19 Y/O)

Height: 6'5" Acquired: Draft (2024 - RD 4, 122 OVR - Wisconsin Lutheran HS)

Weight: 210 Hometown: Wind Lake, WI

2025:

- Played in 2025 games for FCL Pirates: .208/.333/.274, HR, 24 RBI
- Appeared in 49 games as 3B and two as DH
- Posted 14.9% BB-rate
- Swiped seven bases in eight attempts
- Recorded first professional hit in debut on 5/3 vs FCL Orioles

Personal:

- First-Team all-state selection during senior year
- $\bullet \ \mathsf{Played} \ \mathsf{for} \ \mathsf{the} \ \mathsf{Williamsport} \ \mathsf{Crosscutters} \ \mathsf{in} \ \mathsf{the} \ \mathsf{MLB} \ \mathsf{Draft} \ \mathsf{League} \ \mathsf{for} \ \mathsf{3} \ \mathsf{G} \ (\mathsf{1-for-12}, \mathsf{2} \ \mathsf{SB})$
- Was committed to Kent State (as a sophomore in 2021)
- Ranked as #350 draft prospect in 2024
- Batted .450 as a freshman in HS
- Played catcher in youth days

#12 Eddy Rodriguez • OF

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 11/5/03 (21 Y/O)

Height: 6'1" Acquired: International MilB FA (1/15/2021)
Weight: 181 Hometown: Puerto Plata, Dominican Republic

2024:

- Launched walk-off solo homer in the bottom of the 9th on 6/11 vs Jupiter
- Played in 53 G for Bradenton: ..209/.342/.269, 1 HR, 17 RBI, 11 SB
- \bullet Everyday member of the lineup until being placed on the 60-day IL on 7/19/24

Career:

• Spent previous three years in FCL (2023) and DSL (2021)

#15 Edward Florentino • OF

B/T: L/R **DOB:** 11/11/2006 (18 Y/O)

Height: 6'4" Acquired: International MiLB Free Agent (1/15/24)

Weight: 200 Hometown: Los Alcarrizos, DR

2025:

- FSL Player of the Month in July
- Launched first Single-A Homer on 7/1 vs FTM...won FSL Player of the Week (6/30-7/6)
- Promoted to Single-A Bradenton on 6/21 and made debut that night vs TAM (0-3)
- Split time between OF and 1B at FCL before promotion
- Before promotion, led FCL in Slugging (.642) and OPS (1.084)...Also launched six homers in 29 games.
- 2025 marks first year state side...entered year ranked No. 23 prospect in Pirates system by MLB Pipeline, now No. 6 and No. 9 by Baseball America in their mid-season update.

Career:

- Made professional debut in DSL in 2024 (49 G): .260/.432/.459, 5 HR, 10 2B, 8-10 SB, 144 wRC+
- Signed for \$395,000 in January of 2024

#17 Edgleen Perez • C

 B/T: R'R
 DOB: 5/25/2006 (19 Y/O)

 Height: 5'10"
 Acquired: Trade with NYY (7/31/2025)

 Weight: 155
 Hometown: Valencia, Venezuela

2025:

- Ranked as Pirates No. 15 prospect by MLB Pipeline
- Activated by Single-A Bradenton on 8/2/25
- Acquired by Pirates in trade on 7/31 that sent David Bednar to NYY
- In 83 G with Single-A Tampa: .209/.368/.236, 26 RBI
- Walked 68 times in in 380 PA (17.8%), leading the Florida State League at the time
- Cut down 19 of 126 potential base stealers before trade (15%)

2024:

- Played in 51 games for FCL Yankees: .283/.444/.380, 2 HR, 24 RBI
- Finished second in FCL in walks (45) and third in OPB (.444)... His overall miss rate was just 16.8% and he chased just 7.7% of the time, the lowest mark in the minor leagues among players with 150 or more at-bats.
- Marked first year state side after spending 2023 in the DSL
- Touted for above average arm strength and athleticism behind the blate

#23 Luke Scherrer • C

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 12/13/04 (20)

 Height: 6'1"
 Acquired: MiLB Free Agent (7/31/23)

 Weight: 215
 Hometown: Yucaipa, CA (Yucaipa HS)

- Notched first hit and RBI with single to center on 6/22 versus Tampa
- Played in 26 games for FCL Pirates in 2025: .194/.359/.250, HR, 4 RBI
- 12 BB in 92 PA (13% BB)
- \bullet Made Single-A debut versus Tampa on 6/19, was transferred back to FCL on 6/24 before Dunedin series, and was recalled on 7/1
- Went to Yucaipa HS in California
- Was committed to California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo but ended up signing with PIT as MiLB Free Agent after the draft in 2023

#24 Ian Farrow • OF

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 7/26/2002 (22 Y/O

Height: 6'2" Acquired: Draft (2024 - RD 14, 414th OVR - Florida Gulf Coast Univ. Weight: 215 Hometown: Merritt Island, FL

2025:

- \bullet Blasted two-run homer in the bottom of the eleventh to secure walk-off win versus Tampa on 6/19
- Launched two-run homer on 6/8 at CLR for first Single-A hit and HR
- Made Single-A Debut on 6/5 at CLR (0-3)
- Appeared in 9 G for FCL Pirates: .172, HR, 6 RBI

College:

• Spent 2021-2022, and 2024 seasons at Florida Gulf Coast Univ. ('24 ABCA First-TM All-Sout Region Team

Spent Junior Season (2023) at University of Miami before transferring back to FGCU (40 G, .291, 7 HR)

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#27 Jhonny Severino • INF

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 11/8/2004 (20 Y/O)

Height: 6'2"

Acquired: Trade with MIL (7/27/2023 for IB Carlos Santana)

Weight: 185

Hometown: Santo Domingo Centro, Dominican Republic

2025:

- Named #12 prospect in PIT organization by MLB Pipeline and #11 by Baseball America
- Played in five big-league Spring Training games for PIT: 1-for-4, 2B
- Went O-for-2, with BB in Spring Breakout Game

2024:

- 28 G with Bradenton: .237/.285/.500, 6 HR, 17 RBI, 4 SB
- Promoted to Bradenton from FCL on 7/30/24
- At time promotion, listed as Pirates' No. 22 prospect per MLB Pipeline.
- Recorded the first ever cycle in Marauders franchise history, going 4-for-4. Finished it off with a solo-home run in the 7th agains Tampa (8/27)
- First HR in Single-A came in 5th inning @ SLU (8/11)...hit an opposite field two-run HR
- With the FCL Pirates, hit .291/.373/.545 with 12 doubles, three triples, 10 HR, 41 RBIs, and 12 SB in 56 games.
- Was T-1st in FCL in HR & TB, 2nd in RBI & XBH, 4th in SLG, 6th in OPS.

Career Notes:

- Was previously a switch hitter as an ameteur, but now only swings right handed
- \bullet Traded from Brewers to the Pirates on July 27, 2023 in exchange for veteran 1B Carlos Santana.
- 2023 was shortened due to broken hamate bone after trade to PIT
- Spent parts of two seasons in the Brewers organization with Milwaukee's Dominican Summer League and Arizona Complex League affiliates. Switch-hitter had been ranked as the No. 21 prospect in the 2022 international class by MLB Pipeline.
- Was signed and received a \$1.23 million signing bonus in 2022, which was the second-highest awarded by the Brewers in 2022 behind Johan Barrios.

#29 Richard Ramirez • C

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 7/3/2005 (19)

Height: 6'1"Acquired: Int. MiLB FA (1/15/2022Weight: 160Hometown: Sucre, Venezuela

- Touted for ability to control running game and receiving
- Hit first pro homer to tie game in the ninth at DUN on 6/29 (right center)
- Record first pro hit in Dunedin on 6/25 with Single to center
- Assigned to Bradenton 6/24 and made pro debut that night at DUN
- Slashed .276/.357/.429 with HR and 23 RBI in FCL before promotion
- Cut down 12 of 45 potential base stealers in FCL (26.6%)
- Split time at 1B in FCL

2024:

- Played in 50 games for the FCL Pirates in first year state side
- Slashed .288/.374/.464 with 5 HR and 25 RBI
- •Threw out 30 of 64 potential base stealers (46.8%)
- •Made professional debut in 2022 with DSL Pirates (.164/, HR, 7 RBI in 41 G)

#38 Ethan Lege • INF

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 3/12/2001 (24 Y/O)

Height: 6'1" Acquired: Draft (2024, RD 15, 444th OVR - Ole Miss

Weight: 215 Hometown: Abbeville, LA

- Made professional debut with Bradenton in 2024 (15 G₁, 204, 3 RBI)...Recorded first professional hit on 8/18 vs DUN with RBI single to left...
- Led Ole Miss in batting average (.323), slugging (.645) and doubles (11) while also recording a .424 OBP in 2024.
- Season cut short by broken thumb sustained on 5/1 vs. Mississippi State
- $\bullet \, \text{Appeared in 43 games, starting in all of them (41 in left field, two at second base)} \\$
- Started all games at 3B during junior season
- Was named a 2024 finalist for the Ferriss Trophy Award (award for the most outstanding baseball player in the state of Mississippi).
- In 2022, Hit .399 with 50 runs scored, 36 RBI, and 15 doubles at Deglado CC in New Orleans... Named a Division I NJCAA All-American... Was drafted by Brewers in 16th RD...
- Won all-district awards for baseball, football and basketball during his senior year at Vermillion (LA) Catholic High School
- Selected in the 15th round of the 2024 MLB Draft by the Pirates.

#45 Estuar Suero • OF

B/T: S/R DOB: 8/29/2005 (19 Y/O)
Height: 6'6" Acquired: Trade with SD (8/1/2023)
Weight: 180 Hometown: San Pedro de Macoris, DR

2025:

- Ranked as Pirates No. 28 prospect by MLB Pipeline
- Promoted to Single-A Bradenton on 8/6 and made full-season affiliate debut that night
- 40 G in FCL: .208, 3 HR, 16 RBI, 8 SB

2024:

• 25 G in FCL: .213, O HR, 8 RBI

Career

- Acquired in trade from Padres on 8/1/2023 in exchange for LHP Rich Hill and INF Ji-Man Choi.
- Signed as MiLB FA with Padres in January of 2022 for \$325,000

#46 Tony Blanco Jr. • 1B/OF

B/T: R/R

DOB: 5/14/2005 (20 Y/O)

Height: 6'7"

Acquired: Int. MiLB FA (Jan. 15, 2022)

Weight: 243

Hometown: Santo Domingo, DR

- ullet Launched first Single-A home run on 7/30 vs FTM...Ball left bat at 118.9 mph, the hardest hit ball at Single-A this season...Blasted 3R walk-off home run on 8/4 vs CLR that left bat 119.8 mph (hardest hit ball in MiLB)
- Made Single-A debut with Bradenton on 7/20 at Jupiter... Singled in first at-bat... Sent sacrifice fly to right in second plate apperance.
- Ranked Pirates No. 21 prospect by MLB Pipeline at time of promotion to Bradenton
- Began regular season on Injured List
- Played in Spring Breakout Game: 0-for-1

2024

- Batted .305 with .505 SLG in FCL over 30 G...Launched four homers
- · Hamstring injury ended his season in July

Personal:

- Ranked No. 11 International Prospect by MLB Pipeline before signing with Pittsburgh in January of 2022.
- Son of Tony Blanco who played in 62 games for Washington Nationals in 2005...
 Former top 100 prospect... Spent 8 seasons and played in 750 games in NPB (Japan) with Chunichi and Orix...
- Born in Boston, MA but grew up and trained in the Dominican Republic

#52 Brent Iredale • INF

B/T: R/R **DOB:** 7/12/2003 (22 Y/O)

Height: 6'3" Acquired: Draft (2025, RD7, 203 OVR - Arkansas)

Weight: 200 Hometown: Sydney, Australia

• Launched first pro homer on 8/21 vs DBT

2025 (Arkansas):

- ABCA/Rawlings South All-Region Team (Second Team)
- First native-born Australian student-athlete in Arkansas baseball history
- Played in all 65 games with 64 starts (all at third base)
- Slashed .286/.450/.544 with 14 home runs and 57 RBI...led team with 46 walks
- Helped lead the team to the College World Series

2024 (New Mexico Junior College):

- NJCAA All-American Second Team...NJCAA All-American
- First back-to-back Western Junior College Athletic Conference MVP in the conference's history
- \bullet Slashed a team-leading .441/.576/1.000 with a team-high 25 home runs and 78 RBI in 58 games

Personal:

- Attended The Hills Sports High School in Sydney, Australia
- Played for Australia in 2016 Little League World Series... has a chance to one day become just the fourth player to ever play in the Little League World Series, the College World Series and the Major League World Series (Would join Michael Conforto, Jason Varitek and Ed Vosberg)

MISCELLANEOUS

Walk-Off Wins/Losses (8/6 in 2024):						
Date	Opponent	Batter	Score	Description		
4/22	Lakeland (9th)	Ricardo Hurtado	2-1, L	Single to LF off Shirk		
5/4	Clearwater (11th)	Kodey Shojinaga	2-1, L	RBI 1B to Center		
6/8	Clearwater (10th)	Caleb Ricketts	15-12, L	Grand Slam to CF		
6/11	Jupiter (9th)` '	Eddy Rodriguez	5-4, W	HR to Left		
6/15	Jupiter (9th)	De Los Santos (Runner)	2-1, W	2-Out Bases Loaded Balk		
6/20	Tampa (11th)	lan Farrow	2-1, W 6-5, W	2-Run Home Run to LF		
6/28	Dunedin (9th)	Alexis Hernandez	5-4, L	2-Run Double to RF		
6/29	Dunedin (11th)	Jean Joseph	4-3, W	Sac-Fly to RF		
7/6	Fort Myer's (9th)	Caleb McNeely	7-5, L	3-Run Home Run to LF		
7/22	Clearwater (10th)	Alrio Ferrebus	3-1, L	RBI Single to CF		
8/2	Clearwater (9th)	Tony Blanco Jr.	6-5, W	2-Run Home Run to LF		
8/5	Lakeland (10th) '	David Smith	3-2, L	Sacrifice Fly to RF		

Outfield Assists						
Outfielder	Total	1B	2B	3B	HP	
Carlos Caro	1				1	
Patrick, Andrew	1				1	
Rodriguez, Eddy	1				1	
Bishop, Braylon	1				1	
Taylor, Will	1				1	
Bowen, Jace	1			1		
Florentino, Edward	2				2	

2025 Home Run Highlights

Grand Slams (1): Will Taylor (6/8 at CLR) 6 in 2024

Back-to-Back (0): 3x in 2024

Back-to-Back (1): Plaz/De Los Santos (1st Inn., 5-17 at DUN) 0x in 2024

2-HR Games (2): Wyatt Sanford (6/7 at CLR), Will Taylor (6/8 at CLR), Edward Florentino (7/6 at FTM) 4 in 2024

Pinch Hit (0): 1 in 2024

Edward Florentino

Edward Florentino

Walk-Off (1): Eddy Rodriguez (6/11 vs JUP) 1 in 2024

Lead-Off (2): Konnor Griffin (5/9 vs LAK)...(5/13 at DUN)...1 in 2024

Inside-the-Park (1): Konnor Griffin (6/7 at CLR), Wyatt Sanford (7/30 vs FTM) 3 in 2024

	Weather Delays (19 in 2024)				
Date	Opponent (Reason)	Time (Delay)	Result		
5/10	vs Lakeland (Inclement Weather)	0:59	W, 6-4		
5/11	vs Lakeland (Inclement Weather)	Postponed	PPD		
5/13	at Dunedin (Inclement Weather)	0:33	L, 11-3		
6/3	at Clearwater (Inclement Weather)	1:17	W 8-5		
6/24	at Dunedin (Inclement Weather)	1:00	W, 3-2		
6/25	at Dunedin (Inclement Weather)	Susp. (24+ Hrs)	W, 7-4		
6/26	at Dunedin (Inclement Weather)	Susp. (24- Hrs)	L, 3-2		
6/29	at Dunedin (Inclement Weather)	Susp. (In Progress)	T3-3, T11		
7/3	vs Fort Myers (Inclement Weather)	1:03	L, 9-2		
7/4	at Fort Myers (Inclement Weather)	0:16	W, 14-1		
7/23	at Clearwater (Inclement Weather)	3:06	L, 5-2 (game called w/ 2 out, T9)		
7/25	vs Dunedin (Inclement Weather)	1:00	W, 4-3		
8/6	at Lakeland (Inclement Weather)	0:16	L, 7-4		
8/7	at Lakeland (Inclement Weather)	0:05	W, 8-5		
8/9	at Lakeland (Inclement Weather)	1:40	W, 4-2		
8/24	vs Daytona (Inclement Weather)	PPD	Game Canceled		
8/31	at Tampa (inclement Weather)	PPD	Gmae Canceled		

Marauders Ejections (4/4 in 2024)				
Date	Player/Coach	Umpire	Description	
		Patrick Goode (8th Inn.)	After Bishop called out at second base	
	Jim Horner (Man.)	Patrick Goode (8th Inn.)	Out call at 1st Base/Double not ruled HR	
8/17 at PLM	Gustavo Omana (Coach)	Malik Coleman (6th Inn.)	Arguing for time not being granted to YDLS	

Pickoffs (24 in 2024)				
Name	Date	Base	Runner	
Greiber Mendez	4-10-25	1st	Cade McGee (PLM)	
Carlos Castillo	4-17-25	2nd	Jay Thomason (FTM)	
Noah Takacs	4-20-25	1st	Jay Thomason (FTM)	
Peyton Stumbo	4-25-25	lst	Carter Mathison (CLR)	
Carlos Castillo	6-7-25	1st	Aroon Escobar (CLR)	
Carlos Castillo	6-14-25	1st	Andres Valor (JUP)	
Carlos Castiilo	7-9-25	2nd	Yohairo Cuevas (SLU)	
Jack Noble	7-9-25	2nd	Jesus Rodriguez (SLU)	
Clevari Tejada	7-30-25	1st	Peyton Carr (FTM)	
Cesar Aqunio	8-15-25	lst	Matthew Mirua (PLM)	
Draven Ziegler	8-16-25	lst	Christian Martin (PLM)	
Jose Garces	8-16-25	2nd	Jose Cordoba (PLM)	
Jonawel Valdez	8-17-25	2nd	Matthew Mirua (PLM)	
	Awar	ds/Honors (N/	A)	
Name	Date	Award	Notes	

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FSL POM (July)

.348, 3 HR

.301, 8 HR

6/30-7/6

8/6

8+ Game Hitting Streaks

Player	G	Dates	H/AB 13/82 21/40	AVG
J. Severino	8	4/17-4/26	13/82	.382
K. Griffin	9	5/7-5/17	21/40	.525

11+ Game On-Base Streaks

Player	G	Dates	H + BB +HBP	PA	OBP
J. Severino	16	6/24-7/12	15+8+0	65	.348
De Los Santos	14	5/14-5/31	. 15+8+0	57	.404
E. Florentino	13	7/4-7/22	14+14+1	61	.468
W. Taylor	12	5/25-6/8	19+5+0	55	.436
K. Griffin	11	5/27-6/7	20+9+0	54	.547
A. Plaz	11	5/27-6/8	10+7+2	50	.380
A. Plaz	11	4/20-5/4	10+7+2	46	.413
W. Taylor	11	5/8-5/23	11+11+0	46	.478