



Lansing Lugnuts (0-1 | 29-36)

High-A affiliate of the Athletics | RH Zane Taylor



at

West Michigan Whitecaps (1-0 | 25-40)

High-A affiliate of the Detroit Tigers | RH Rayner Castillo



Lansing vs. West Michigan

Meetings	Score	Meetings	Score
1. 4/14 at LAN	L, 8-6	13. 6/16 at WM	L, 4-1
2. 4/15 at LAN	L, 7-5	14. 6/17 at WM	canceled
3. 4/17 LAN, G1	L, 6-4 (7)	15. 6/18 at WM	L, 16-0
4. 4/17 LAN, G2	L, 4-1 (7)	16. 6/19 at WM	L, 3-2
5. 4/18 at LAN	L, 9-5	17. 6/20 at WM	-
6. 4/19 at LAN	L, 12-4	18. 6/21 at WM	-
7. 5/26 at LAN	W, 2-1	19. 8/11 at WM	-
8. 5/27 at LAN	L, 6-5 (12)	20. 8/12 at WM	-
9. 5/28 at LAN	W, 6-1	21. 8/13 at WM	-
10. 5/29 at LAN	L, 4-2	22. 8/14 at WM	-
11. 5/30 at LAN	W, 7-6	23. 8/15 at WM	-
12. 5/31 at LAN	W, 10-1	24. 8/16 at WM	-

GAME 66 OF 132 ♦ LMCU BALLPARK ♦ COMSTOCK PARK, MICHIGAN ♦ SATURDAY, JUNE 20, 2026 ♦ 7:05 PM

Tonight: The Lansing Lugnuts, High-A affiliate of the Athletics, play the penultimate game of a five-game series against the West Michigan Whitecaps, High-A affiliate of the Detroit Tigers. The 'Caps defeated the Lugnuts on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, giving West Michigan an 11-4 record vs. Lansing overall this season; the Nuts are 25-25 against the rest of the Midwest League while the Whitecaps are 14-36.

Yesterday: Whitecaps 3, Lugnuts 2. The Nuts scored a pair in the 3rd inning on RBI singles from **Gunner Gouldsmith** and **Jared Sprague-Lott**, West Michigan responded in the 6th inning on a three-run homer from **Garrett Pennington**, and that was pretty much all she wrote. Two hours and two minutes, drive home safely.

On the Air: Adam Jaksa and Jesse Goldberg-Strassler are on milb.streamguys1.com/lansing, while Dan Hasty and Nate Wangler have the call on MiLB TV and Bally Live.

On Deck: The Nuts and Whitecaps close things out tomorrow, take an off day Monday, and the Lugnuts return home for a six-game series against Great Lakes, June 23-28.

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

2:05 p.m., Sunday, June 21	RH Mitch Myers, Lugnuts	at	Johnny Bullpen, Whitecaps
7:05 p.m., Tuesday, June 23	TBA, Great Lakes Loons	at	RH Nathan Dettmer, Lugnuts
7:05 p.m., Wednesday, June 24	TBA, Great Lakes Loons	at	RH Steven Echavarria, Lugnuts
7:05 p.m., Wednesday, June 24	TBA, Great Lakes Loons	at	RH Samuel Dutton, Lugnuts

LUG-NOTES

Transaction: Infielder **Justin Riemer** returned to the Lugnuts yesterday from Double-A Midland; Riemer, acquired via trade from the Red Sox in the offseason, had been promoted to Double-A on May 21. In 29 games this year for Lansing, Riemer has drawn 29 walks (compared to 21 strikeouts), batting .213/.402/.382 with three homers. In 10 games with Midland, Riemer hit .240/.457/.240 with six walks (compared to four strikeouts).

2026 Roster Movement:

- **Up to Double-A:** pitchers **Jay Dill**, **Jackson Finley**, **Jake Garland** and **Ryan Magdic**, and position players **Bobby Boser**, **Davis Diaz**, **Devin Taylor** and **Casey Yamauchi** have all been promoted from Lansing this year.
- **Arriving from Double-A:** pitchers **Blaze Pontes** and **Mitch Myers**, catcher **Ben Newton** and outfielder **Carlos Pacheco** have arrived in Lansing from the RockHounds.
- **Arriving from Single-A:** pitchers **Nathan Dettmer** and **Griffin Kirn**, and infielders **Jared Sprague-Lott** and **Myles Naylor** have come to the Lugnuts from the Stockton Ports.

Road Woes: The Lugnuts have a league low 96 doubles, nine triples and 47 home runs overall due to a distinct home/road split. At home, the Nuts rank 3rd in average (.268), 3rd in base hits (287), 4th in doubles (54), and middle of the pack in both triples (6) and home runs (32). On the road, however, Lansing is batting .230, just below West Michigan's .234, with a .315 slugging percentage, 42 doubles, 3 triples and 15 homers. Only three Nuts have posted an OPS above .800 on the road all season: **Davis Diaz** (1.038), **Justin Riemer** (.865, thanks to a .475 OBP), and **Bobby Boser** (.819). Among current Nuts (excluding the returning Riemer), **Ali Camarillo** leads with a .702 OPS: .273/.325/.377.

Cooperstown Bound: An original 1996 Lugnut as a member of the very first Lugnuts lineup on April 5, 1996, **Carlos Beltrán** went on to be voted 1999 American League Rookie of the Year, was named a nine-time All-Star, and won three Gold Gloves, two Silver Sluggers, the Roberto Clemente Humanitarian Award, and the 2017 World Series during a 20-year MLB career. On July 27, Beltrán will be inducted into the National Baseball Hall of Fame in Cooperstown.

Prospecting: The Nuts' roster has four players on MLB Pipeline's Top 30 rankings of A's prospects: No. 16 (**Steven Echavarria**), No. 18 (**Zane Taylor**), No. 23 (**Nate Nankil**) and No. 30 (**Nathan Dettmer**). Baseball America's recent re-ranking of A's prospects puts Echavarria at No. 16, Zane Taylor at No. 18 and **Nathan Dettmer** at No. 21.

Big League Nuts: 2024 Lugnut **Kade Morris** made his MLB debut on June 6 vs. Houston, becoming the 205th all-time Lugnut to reach the Majors and the fifth this season (**Daniel Susac**, **Eduardo Rivera**, **Henry Bolte**, **Gage Jump**). There are eight current Lugnuts on the Athletics: Bolte, Jump, **Lawrence Butler**, **Joey Estes**, **Hogan Harris**, **Jack Perkins**, **Tyler Soderstrom** and **Colby Thomas**.

Lugnuts Weekly Honors

- **Midwest League Player of the Week, April 7-12:** C/3B **Davis Diaz** batted .611 (11-for-19) while reaching base 16 times and scoring nine runs in five games at Fort Wayne. Diaz added four doubles, four walks, one HBP, and two runners caught stealing.
- **Midwest League Pitcher of the Week, June 9-14:** Southpaw **Ryan Magdic** struck out nine Cedar Rapids Kernels in seven innings of three-hit, one-run ball on an efficient 77 pitches. Magdic, promoted to Double-A on Monday, whiffed 40 while walking just five in Lansing.

0-1 | 29-36 overall

Streak: Lost 4

Home: 18-14 Night: 21-23

Road: 11-22 Day: 8-13

vs. LH: 11-12 vs. RH: 18-24

White unis: 9-7

Gray unis: 1-5

Black unis: 11-18

Green and gold unis: 1-2

Locos unis: 5-1

One-off unis: 2-3

Tuesday: 6-5

Wednesday: 3-8

Thursday: 4-6

Friday: 7-6

Saturday: 4-7

Sunday: 5-4

Series wins: 5

Series losses: 6

Series splits: 1

Scored 1st: 20-10

Opponent scored 1st: 9-26

Doubleheaders (W-L-S): 0-2-0

Shutouts: 2-5

More hits than opp.: 17-4

Fewer hits than opp.: 9-29

Equal hits: 2-3

Decided by 1 run: 7-8

Comeback wins: 14

Final at-bat wins: 6

Walk-offs: 4-4

Extra Innings: 2-2

9-IP Leading Trailing Tied

After 6: 21-2 4-25 2-4

After 7: 20-3 2-26 5-2

After 8: 22-2 3-28 2-1

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
Lugnuts Seasons 30; 1996-present
Lugnuts Championships 1997, 2003
All-Star Games Hosted 1997, 1999, 2002, 2018
Total Lugnuts Games 4,036
All-Time Lugnuts Won-Lost Record 2,013-2,023, .499

Franchise Seasons 71; 1955-present
Championships 1958, 1959, 1960, 1975, 1976, 1980, 1986, 1997, 2003
Total Franchise Games 9,373
Franchise Won-Lost Record 4,812-4,557, 4 ties, .514

1,001 total players have competed for the Lugnuts since 1996, with 214 (21.4%) playing in the Majors – nine rehabbers and **205** Big League Nuts earning their ticket up the ladder. The most recent Major League debut was **Kade Morris**, who debuted June 6 for the Athletics.

- 72 Lugnuts alumni debuted with the Toronto Blue Jays
- 34 with the Chicago Cubs
- 27 with the Athletics
- 20 with the Kansas City Royals
- 11 with the Florida/Miami Marlins
- 4 with the Boston Red Sox, Seattle Mariners and San Diego Padres
- 3 with the Baltimore Orioles, San Francisco Giants, 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: Henry Bolte (2024), Lawrence Butler (2021-22), Joey Estes (2022), Hogan Harris (2022), Gage Jump (2025), Jack Perkins (2023), Tyler Soderstrom (2022), Colby Thomas (2023)

Arizona Diamondbacks: Gabriel Moreno (2019)

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

Chicago Cubs: Matthew Boyd (2013)

Colorado Rockies: Jeff Criswell (2021)

Kansas City Royals: Lane Thomas (2015-16)

Los Angeles Angels: Jordan Romano (2016), Tayler Saucedo (2016-17)

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)

Minnesota Twins: Garrett Acton (2021)

New York Mets: Bo Bichette (2017)

New York Yankees: Max Schuemann (2021), Marcus Stroman (2015 rehab)

Philadelphia Phillies: Tim Mayza (2015)

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

San Diego Padres: Mason Miller (2022), Samad Taylor (2018), 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	4-1		4-1
Dayton	5-4	June 30-July 5	5-4, 6 left
Fort Wayne	July 17-19, September 1-6	4-2	4-2, 9 left
Great Lakes	June 23-28, July 21-26	2-4, August 25-30	2-4, 18 left
Lake County	August 4-9	1-5, July 7-12	1-5, 12 left
Peoria	August 18-23		6 games
Quad Cities	5-1	2-4	7-5
South Bend		2-4	2-4
West Michigan	4-8	0-3, June 20-21, Aug. 11-16	4-11, 8 left
Wisconsin		July 28-August 2	6 games
Totals	18-14, 33 remaining	11-22, 32 remaining	29-35, 65 left

THE A'S SYSTEM

Athletics - MLB



38-38
American League West
J.T. Ginn vs. Angels
 10:05 p.m.

Las Vegas Aviators



43-28
Triple-A Pacific Coast League
Luis Morales vs. Round Rock
 10:05 p.m.

Midland RockHounds



31-35
Double-A Texas League
Corey Avant vs. Amarillo
 8:05 p.m.

Stockton Ports



28-39
Single-A California League
Luis Burgos vs. Visalia
 10:05 p.m.

JUNE 20 IN LUGNUTS HISTORY

1997: José Amado changed dugouts, going from Seattle-affiliated Wisconsin to Kansas City-affiliated Lansing, as the Mariners acquired Rusty Meacham from the Royals. Amado immediately became the Lugnuts' starting third baseman and a key part of the offense.

2010: The Lake County Captains (the eventual league champions) clinched the Eastern Division title on the final day of the first half, thanks to SS Casey Frawley's walk-off home run off Brian Slover, 3-2. Weird Lugnuts stat: The Nuts collected nine hits and one walk, plus Lake County committed an error, yet they only had two at-bats with runners in scoring position all game. (They went 2-for-2.) Three Lugnuts runners were caught stealing.

2015: A triple play! Also: The Lugnuts clinched their first division title since 2012, beating the Great Lakes Loons, 8-2, on a Saturday night at Cooley Law School Stadium. In the second inning, the Loons had Kelvin Ramos at second base and Alex Verdugo at first base with none out. Jimmy Allen sent a line drive to shortstop Richard Ureña, who dropped it – allowed by the umpiring crew – and then tagged out Ramos (one out), stepped on second to force out Verdugo (two outs) and threw to first to retire Allen (three outs).

CATCHING STATS

	Fien	Franco	Newton
W-L (ShO)	7-14	14-14	0-2
ERA	4.89	5.06	14.82
Innings	178 2/3	247	17
R (ER)	106 (97)	181 (139)	34 (28)
E	5	9 (3 interference)	1
PB	1	-	-
CS%	3-44, 7%	10-49, 20%	0-2, 0%
Pickoffs	-	-	-

#33 • RH • **Zane Taylor** • 5-10, 194 • age 24

Profile

NameNathaniel Zane Taylor
 BirthdayJune 1, 2002
 HometownFranklinton, North Carolina

SchoolUNC Wilmington
 Acquired141st overall, 4th round, 2025
 Bats / ThrowsRight / Right



**fastball, cutter,
curve, change-up**

Longest Outing: 7 2/3 IP, June 4, 2026, vs. Great Lakes | **Most K:** 9, June 4, 2026, vs. Great Lakes

In a Nutshell: Rated the A's No. 18 prospect by MLB Pipeline... made pro debut on Sept. 20, 2025, for Triple-A Las Vegas vs. Salt Lake, striking out four in two innings... member of the A's Spring Breakout roster, but did not pitch in the game...earned his first pro win in his Lansing debut, April 3 vs. Dayton, with five scoreless innings in a 5-1 victory over the Dragons... on June 4, set career highs in innings and strikeouts: 7 2/3 IP, 2 H (back-to-back infield singles in the 6th), 0 R, 4 BB, 9 K vs. QC on 99 pitches, 62 strikes in a 4-1 win at Great Lakes.

Stats Dive: Ranks 1st in the Midwest League in ERA (2.98), 7th in innings (57 1/3, 3 innings away from league leader Samuel Dutton), 3rd in WHIP (1.26), and 5th in batting average (.237)... limiting left-handers to .194 avg. compared to right-handers' .271, but 13 of 22 walks have gone to LHH... 2.43 ERA at home, 3.75 on the road.

Scouting Report: Pipeline's grades - 55 fastball, 50 curveball, 50 slider, 55 changeup, 50 cutter, 55 control... "A mainstay in UNC Wilmington's rotation over his four years there, Taylor produced one of the best seasons in school history as a senior in 2025 by leading NCAA Division I in K/BB ratio (9.6) and WHIP (0.76), while also ranking second in walk rate (1.0 per nine innings) and fourth in ERA (1.98). Entering the 2025 Draft as one of the top senior arms in the class, he was selected in the fifth round by the A's and signed at a full-slot bonus of \$513,900, becoming the highest-drafted pitcher out of UNCW since supplemental first-rounder Bradley Holt in 2008. With Triple-A Las Vegas in need of a starter at the end of the season, Taylor was called upon for his pro debut with a start for a playoff-bound Aviators squad."

Personal: Spent three years at Pro 5 Academy before graduating from Crossroads Flex; WWBA National Championship All-Tournament 2017-2020; PG High School Showdown All-Tournament 2019... 2025 CAA Pitcher of the Year... 2025 College Baseball Foundation Pitcher of the Year Finalist... tied for UNCW record for career starts (57), tied for second for career wins (27)... his college catcher, Bryan Arendt, was also drafted by the A's (13th round).

YR	CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	ShO	SV	IP	AB	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	K	WP	BK	AVG
2025	Las Vegas	0-0	0.00	1	1	0	0	0	2.0	5	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	4	0	0	.200
2026	Lansing	5-3	2.98	11	11	0	0	0	57.1	211	50	23	19	5	3	22	0	50	3	0	.237
TOTALS		5-3	2.88	12	12	0	0	0	59.1	216	51	24	19	5	3	24	0	54	3	0	.236

IN THE BULLPEN

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

6 days rest

- 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.
- Before 2026, last appeared in an MiLB game on August 8, 2024.

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

10 days rest

- 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.
- Before 2026, last appeared in an MiLB game on July 19, 2024... pitched in 2025 VEVL.

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

0 days rest

- 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.

18 RILEY HUGUE • LH • Age 24 • "HYU-gee" - hard g • 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

1 day rest

- 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).

31 GRIFFIN KIRN • LH • Age 24 • MWL season: 1
 FB, SL, CH | 2026: Stockton, 1-1, 1.80, 13 G, 20 IP, 21 H, 7 R, 4 ER, 1 HR, 7 BB, 19 K, 2 BK

8 days rest

- Quincy, IL... drafted 410th overall, 14th round, 2025, West Virginia... \$150,000.
- Spent 4 years at Quincy University; named 2024 GLVC Pitcher of the Year (8-1, 2.96, 100 K)
- Grew up idolizing Clayton Kershaw... redshirt senior year at West Virginia: All Big 12 1st Tm.
- Promoted to Lansing to replace Jay Dill on May 27... vs. RH in Cal Lg: .255; vs. LH: .308.

34 JACK MAHONEY • LH • Age 27 • 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

3 days rest

- 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.

30 JORGE MARCHECO • RH • Age 23 • MWL season: 1
 FB, CUT, SL, CH | 2025: Tri-City, 5-6, 4.44, 25/10 G/GS, 77 IP, 22 BB, 77 K... Rocket City, 2 GS, 7 2/3

0 days rest

- Bayamo, Cuba, founded in 1513 by Diego Velázquez de Cuéllar.
- Signed at age 21 by L.A. Angels as an international free agent, September 6, 2021.
- Primarily a starter in Angels system: 86 G, 67 GS, 1 CG; 2023-2025 w/ High-A Tri-City.
- Selected 45th in the 2025 Rule 5 Draft Triple-A phase by the A's... joined Nuts on April 18.

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

6 days rest

- 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.
- Entered 2026 allowing 1 HR in 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

6 days rest

- 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

7 days rest

- 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 the Dodgers at age 16 on August 6, 2019... 2025 GO/AO ratio: 2.35.
- In 2025, limited left-handers to .152 avg (but .418 OBP due to 19 BB); righties hit .247 / .362.

4 BLAZE PONTES • RH • Age 26 • "PAHN-tez" • MWL seasons: 3
 FB, SINK, CU, SL, CH | 2026: Midland, 2-1, 6.75, 16 G, 17 1/3 IP, 17 H, 14 BB, 7 K, 1.79 WHIP, .262

3 days rest

- Mililani, HI... drafted 484th overall, 16th rd., 2022, University of Hawaii... signed for \$75,000.
- 1st Team All-State as a high school junior (0.95)... Jr. year at Hawa'i: 1st Team All Big West.
- 2021: played for Waterloo (Northwoods League), where Lugs franchise used to be located.
- Rejoined Lugnuts from Class-AA Midland on June 10, 2026; 78 total gms for LAN in 2024-25.

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

1 day rest

- 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

11	ALI CAMARILLO • R/R • SS • Age 23 • 2nd season with Lugnuts
2025 in Stockton: 80 G, .254 / .329 / .318, 36 R, 79 H, 15 2B, 1 3B, 1 HR, 34 RBI, 15-for-18 SB, 32 BB, 62 K, 99 TB, 10 GiDP, 5 HBP, 1 S, 5 SF, 1 IBB, 13 E (all at shortstop)	
Last Game: 1-4, 2B, K, E at WM: 3-12, R, 2 2B, 4 K, E CR: 10-20, 5 R, 2 2B, 2 HR, 9 RBI, BB, 3 K, HBP, SB, E Hit Streak: +1 (1-4) On-Base Streak: +1 (1-4)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jorge Ali Camarillo... Chula Vista, CA... 346th overall, 12th round, Texas A&M... \$250,000. Played in 2016 Little League World Series (dad Jorge was manager) with Park View Little League. Played at Cal State Northridge in 2022 and 2023, transferring to Texas A&M for the 2024 season. As a sophomore, All-Big West First Team, ranking 2nd in Big West in avg. (.371), 4th in OPS (1.032). 	
27	CARLOS FRANCO • R/R • C • Age 23 • 1st season with Lugnuts • "FRAHN-co"
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: 0-3 at WM: 0-7, 3 BB, 2 K, E CR: 1-11, 2 R, HR, 5 RBI, 5 BB, 3 K, 3 E Hit Streak: -4 (0-10) On-Base Streak: -1 (0-3)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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 • "GOOLD-smith"
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: 2-3, R, RBI, SB at WM: 3-11, R, RBI, 3 K, SB CR: 6-18, 4 R, 2 HR, 6 RBI, 3 BB, 4 K, 2 SB, E Hit Streak: +2 (3-7) On-Base Streak: +2 (3-7)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reno, Nevada... Athletics' 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. Plays all INF positions/C... only Hornet to start all 57 gms. in 2024... pitched scoreless IP, 5/8/26. 	
24	RODNEY GREEN, JR. • L/L • OF • Age 23 • 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: 0-4, K at WM: 0-10, 2 BB, 5 K CR: 2-16, 3 R, 2B, 2 RBI, 3 BB, 8 K, SB Hit Streak: -3 (0-10) On-Base Streak: -2 (0-8)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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... a barber told a Cal recruiting coordinator about the local star, which led to Cal extending an offer. Talented basketball player... notable Cal Bears include Jeff Kent, Marcus Semien, Bob Melvin. Wears No. 24 to honor Rickey Henderson and Ken Griffey, Jr. ... slugged 490-foot home run on May 12. 	
14	NATE NANKIL • R/R • OF • Age 23 • 3rd season with Lugnuts • "NAN-kill"
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: 1-4, K at WM: 1-8, K vs. CR: 4-16, 4 R, 3B, RBI, 2 BB, 6 K Hit Streak: +1 (1-4) On-Base Streak: +1 (1-4)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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. 	
9	MYLES NAYLOR • R/R • OF • Age 21 • 1st season with Lugnuts
2025 - Stockton, 81 G, .185 / .319 / .307, 12 2B, 1 3B, 7 HR, 37 RBI, 53 BB, 137 K, 10-for-12 SB, 17 E... 2026 - Stockton, 22 G, .274 / .371 / .476, 4 2B, 2 3B, 3 HR, 14 RBI, 3-for-4	
Last Game: 1-2, R, BB, SB at WM: 1-5, R, 2 BB, K, SB vs. CR: 3-15, 4 R, 2 RBI, 3 BB, 8 K Hit Streak: +1 (1-2) On-Base Streak: +7 (5-24, 5 BB)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Myles-Jaxon Douglas James Naylor... Mississauga, ON... competitive balance A, 2023, 39th overall. Cousin of Denzel Clarke... played in 2021/2022 Area Code Games... taken 2 picks before Ryan Lasko. Younger brother of Josh (8 years older) and Bo (5 years older)... signed for \$2.2025 million. Promoted to Lansing on May 11... played in 251 combined games for Stockton between 2023 and 2026. 	
19	BEN NEWTON • S/R • C / INF • Age 24 • 2nd season with Lugnuts
2025 with Las Vegas: 4 G, 1-for-8, 1 R, 1 2B, 0 BB, 3 K... 2025, ACL: 16 G, 17-for-52, .327/.438/.462, 5 2B, 1 3B, 10 BB, 13 K... 2025, Midland: 5 G, 2-for-9, 5 R, 1 HR, 4 RBI, 1 BB, 4 K	
Last Game: - at WM: - vs. CR: 2-5, 2 BB Hit Streak: +2 (5-11) On-Base Streak: +3 (5-11, 2 BB)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Albany, CA... signed as undrafted free agent, January 22, 2025, Fresno State. According to college bio: "enjoys basketball, drawing and poker in his free time." Business major... 3x Mountain West Scholar Athlete, 3x Academic All-Mountain West. Also from Albany High School: Ron Hansen, the last rookie to start the ASG at SS before Jacob Wilson. 	
5	CARLOS PACHECO • R/R • OF • Age 21 • 2nd season with Lugnuts
2026 - Arizona Complex League: 4 G, 0-for-6, 2 R, 1 SB, 1 BB, 2 K Stockton: 13 G, 9-for-47, .191 avg., 2 2B, 7 RBI, 5-for-5 SB, 4 BB, 8 K Midland: 10 G, 9-for-36, 1 2B, 1 3B, 4 RBI, 2-for-2 SB, 1 BB, 11 K	
Last Game: 0-4, 2 K, CS at WM: 1-13, 7 K, SB, 2 CS CR: 9-21, 11 R, 2 2B, HR, 3 RBI, 3 BB, 6 K, 7 SB, HBP Hit Streak: -1 (0-4) On-Base Streak: -1 (0-4)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Miranda, Venezuela... signed as an international free agent, January 15, 2022. Played in DSL in 2022 (.183) & 2023 (.244), Ariz Complex League in 2024, ACL / Stockton / LAN in 2025 Signed for \$1.2 million as the A's top position-player target in 2022 international free agency Joined Lansing on August 6, 2025, and played 18 games to finish the season (4-for-45, .089). 	
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 Game: - at WM: 1-7, RBI, BB, 2 K vs. CR: 3-13, 3 R, 2 RBI, 5 K, 3 SB Hit Streak: -1 (0-3) On-Base Streak: +7 (11-30, BB)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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/C/OF • Age 24 • 2nd season with Lugnuts • "pih-TARE-o"
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: 0-3, K at WM: 2-9, BB, 2 K CR: 4-17, 3 R, 6 RBI, 5 BB, 4 K, HBP, CS, 2 E Hit Streak: -1 (0-3) On-Base Streak: -1 (0-3)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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 Game: - at WM: - CR: - Hit Streak: - On-Base Streak: -	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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: 1-4, RBI, CS at WM: 2-10, RBI, 2 BB, K, CS CR: 7-19, 5 R, 2B, 3B, HR, 6 RBI, 5 BB, 2 K, 3 SB Hit Streak: +1 (1-4) On-Base Streak: +6 (7-21, 6 BB)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Philadelphia, PA... selected as a senior, 256th overall, 9th round, 2024, Arkansas... \$50,000 bonus. Opened 2026 with Nuts: 16 G, .189 / .317 / .283, 2 2B, 1 HR, 4 RBI, 9 BB, 14 K, 3 SB, returning June 8. Spent three years at Richmond, one year at Arkansas... played in 2014 Little League World Series. Transferred to Stockton: 27 G, .313 / .403 / .465, 3 2B, 4 HR, 23 RBI, 15 BB, 17 K, 4-for-4 SB. 2024: SEC All-Defensive Team at 3B, committing only one error in conference play, seven total. California League Player of the Week, June 2-7... hit for the 9th cycle in Lugnuts history, June 13, 2026 	