

# **GAME NOTES**

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# MEMPHIS REDBIRDS (17-16) vs NORFOLK TIDES (17-17)

Wednesday, May 8, 2024 | 6:05 p.m. CDT | AutoZone Park | Game 34 of 150 | FirstPitch App, Bally Live App RHP Sem Robberse (4-0, 1.77) vs RHP Justin Armbruester (0-2, 10.98)

# DATE OPPONENT PROBABLE PITCHERS FIRST PITCH (CDT). Thursday, May 9 v NOR LHP Zack Thompson vs. RHP Chayce McDermott 11:05 a.m. Friday, May 10 v NOR RHP Michael McGreevy vs. RHP Garrett Stallings 12:05 p.m. Saturday, May 11 v NOR RHP Andre Pallante vs. LHP Bruce Zimmerman 3:05 p.m.

**TODAY'S GAME:** The Memphis Redbirds continue a 13-game homestand and a six-game series against the Norfolk Tides (Triple-A, Baltimore Oriols) on Wednesday night at AutoZone Park. Right-handed pitcher Sem Robberse is scheduled to start for Memphis opposite right-handed pitcher Justin Armbruester for Norfolk.

ABOUT SUNDAY: The Memphis Redbirds began a 13-game homestand and a six-game series with a 9-4 loss to the Norfolk Tides (Triple-A, Baltimore Orioles) on Tuesday night at AutoZone Park. First baseman Matt Carpenter provided the highlight of the night with a home run in the bottom of the fifth inning in his first MLB Rehab Appearance since 2019. Carpenter finished the night 2-for-3 with a home run, two RBIs and a walk. Including carpenter, three Memphis batters recorded a two-hit night. Right fielder Jordan Walker also went 2-for-3 with a walk, third baseman Jared Young went 2-for-4 with a double and an RBI. Starting pitcher Gordon Graceffo (3-3) allowed five runs on six hits, walked four and struck out four in his 5.2-inning start. The right-handed pitcher allowed all five runs in his first 1.2 innings of work, then stranded five baserunners in his next 4.0 scoreless innings.

REHABBING REDBIRDS: St. Louis Cardinals infielder Matt Carpenter made his first appearance with Memphis of his MLB Rehab Assignment on Tuesday night at AutoZone Park. The left-handed hitter went 2-for-3 with a two-run home run. Carpenter is rehabbing a right oblique strain he suffered earlier this season with St. Louis. Carpenter is the third MLB Rehabber to appear in a game for Memphis this season. Outfielder Dylan Carlson appeared in four games last week at Charlotte and batted .273 with a home run, an RBI and three walks. Outfielder Lars Nootbaar appeared in five games during the club's first roadtrip of the season at Indianapolis in early April and batted .176 with a double, an RBI and three walks.

	IL STAND	INGS (Top	-10)	
TEAM	W-L	GB	STRK	R-DIFF
Scranton/WB	23-10	-	L1	50
<u>Omaha</u>	20-11	2.0	W6	45
Toledo	20-14	3.5	W1	8
Buffalo	19-14	4.0	W1	24
Syracuse	18-14	4.5	W1	8
Rochester	16-14	5.5	W2	-8
Indianapolis	16-15	4.0	L1	-9
Memphis	17-16	4.0	L1	2
Louisville	17-17	4.5	W2	-19
Worcester	16-17	7.0	L1	21

TEAM LI	EADERS
AVG	
Hits	36 (Prieto)
Home Runs	6 (Baker)
RBI	26 (Baker)
Stolen Bases	6 (Antico)
Walks	18 (Rivas)
Wins	4 (Robberse)
	1.77 (Robberse)
Saves	3 (Loutos)
Strikeouts	35 (Robberse)
Innings	37.0 (McGreevy)

Overall17-16
Home7-9
Road10-7
Day8-5
Night9-10
vs. LH starter6-2
vs. RH starter11-14
Record in series3-2-1
Series openers2-5
Series finales3-3
Doubleheaders0-1-1
Last 107-3
+/ 2
W streak 0(5, 5/1-5/5)
L streak1(4)
Most over .500 2(3x, 17-15)
Most under.5003(2x, 12-15)
Extra innings1-0
1-run games4-4
2-run games2-2
Shutouts1-0
Walk-offs1-0
Scoring first15-5
Scoring last9-6
Up after 7/816-1/14-0
D after 7/81-13/1-12
vs CLT7-2
vs IND2-4
vs NAS3-3
vs GWN3-2
vs JAX2-4
vs NOR0-1
vs DUR0-0
vs OMA0-0
vs IOW0-0
vs COL0-0
AVG/IL Rank248(12th)
OBP332(T-16th)
SLG418(10th)
2B 60(10th)
3B3(T-17th)
SB29(16th)
HR38(T-7th)
RBI 147(T-16th)
Runs 153(T-16th)
K% 21.0%
BB%10.2%
ERA 4.50(5th)
R/9 4.85(4th)
SO244(19th)
K% 23.0%
BB 132(6th)
BB%10.8%
SO/BB1.85
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H allowed 269(10th) HR allowed27(2nd)

**BY THE NUMBERS** 



HAPPY 25th, AZP: To commemorate the 25th anniversary season of Redbirds baseball at AutoZone Park, the Redbirds will host a plethora of promotions and theme nights to celebrate. Since the opening of the downtown ballpark in 2000, many credit the stadium with the revitalization of downtown Memphis. The support of the Redbirds at AutoZone Park caught the attention of Michael Heisley, who then brought the Grizzlies to the city. "(AutoZone Park) was a catalyst for a lot of the things that downtown is today," Memphis Redbirds President and General Manager Craig Unger said. "So, I think even to this day today, you still see development going on around here. The Commonwealth building a few years ago, you know, Stewart and the group there that, that did that building talked about AutoZone Park. This entire block around Madison is still the catalyst for growth there. Sports is that catalyst."

BASEBALL AMERICA OUTLOOK: The St. Louis Cardinals enter the 2024 season with the No. 20 Minor League system in all of baseball according to BaseballAmerica. St. Louis currently has five players ranked in the Top-100 (No. 39 Masyn Winn, MLB, No. 75 Tekoah Roby, AA, No. 83 Victor Scott II, MLB, No. 84 Tink Hence, AA, No. 85 Thomas Saggese, AAA). BaseballAmerica's preview on the Cardinals system states "Jordan Walker's successful graduation to the majors has dropped the Cardinals' farm system back, though exciting up-the-middle hitters like Masyn Winn and Victor Scott II are ready to follow Walker to St. Louis. Getting the most out of arms like Tekoah Roby and Tink Hence is going to be crucial. The Cardinals pulled off the neat trick of adding two Top 100 Prospects when they dealt Jordan Montgomery to the Rangers for Roby and Thomas Saggese in July.

# MANAGER BEN JOHNSON

**Ben Johnson** enters his sixth season as manager of the Memphis Redbirds and his sixth year in the Cardinals organization.

### COACHING CAREER

- 274 293 managerial record entering 2024 season
- Oversaw a franchise record 15-game winning streak in 2021 (7/9-7/25); tied for longest in MiLB that season
- Oversaw a franchise record 200 home runs in 2019; team won 29 of final 40 games and were in contension for division until 2nd to last day of the season
- Spent 2018 as third base coach for the Durham Bulls (Rays' Triple-A)
- Spent 2014-2017 as a scout in the Arizona Diamondbacks organization
- Coached at Millenium HS in Goodyear, AZ from 2011-2013
- Previously managed Arizona Centennials in the Independent League in 2012

### **PLAYING CAREER**

- Drafted by the Cardinals in the 4th Rd. of 1999 Draft; traded to Padres in 2000
- Made MLB debut on June 26, 2005 with the Padres; played 98 games over next three seasons with the Padres and Mets
- Named Padres Minor League Player of the Year in 2005 when he hit a career-high .312 with 25 home runs and 83 RBIs as a member of the Portland Beavers
- Played 901 MiLB games over 10 seasons with Cardinals, Padres, Mets and Tigers; hit .262 with 115 career home runs and 473 RBIs

# **PERSONAL**

- Born in Memphis and played baseball at Germantown HS; named Memphis-area HS Player of the Year in 1999; lives with his dad during the season
- He and his wife, Elizabeth, have two children, Ethan and Ruby; reside in Phoenix, AZ

### PITCHING COACH DARWIN MARRERO

• Marrero, 43, is beginning his 12th season in the Cardinals organization and second with Memphis.

### **COACHING CAREER**

• As of 2023, Ten current members of the St. Louis Cardinals 40-man roster have come through Springfield since Marrero's tenure began in 2017. Marrero's career with St. Louis began as pitching coach for the Gulf Coast League Cardinals (Rookie) from 2013-14, followed by the same role with the State College Spikes (Class-A) from 2015-17.

### **PLAYING CAREER**

• Marrero's playing career spanned seven seasons from 1998-2004 with the Montreal Expos organization, attaining his highest level at Double-A with the Harrisburg Senators in 2002 and 2004.

# HITTING COACH HOWIE CLARK

• Clark is beginning his second season in the Cardinals organization and second with Memphis

### **COACHING CAREER**

• In 2015, Clark was named the hitting coach of the Delmarva Shorebirds, the Class-A affiliate of the Baltimore Orioles.In February 2017, Clark was named the assistant hitting coach for the Orioles. He was named hitting coach of the Charlotte Knights, Triple-A affiliate of the Chicago White Sox, for the 2020 season. [9] On December 1, 2020, Clark was named assistant hitting coach for the Chicago White Sox.

### **PLAYING CAREER**

- Clark played parts of six seasons in MLB with the Baltimore Orioles, Minnesota Twins and Toronto Blue Jays from 2002 to 2008.
- Clark batted .262 with three home runs and 26 RBI in his career



# **SEM ROBBERSE - RHP**

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 Height: 6-1
 Weight: 185
 B/T: R/R
 Age: 21 (10/12/01 in Zeist, Netherlands)
 Acquired: Trade w/ TOR '23

 2022:
 3-5 4.06 ERA
 CAREER:14-19, 3.73 ERA
 Repertoire: FB, SL, CUT, CH

**TODAY'S START:** Right-handed pitcher Sem Robberse is scheduled to make his seventh start of the season on Wednesday night against the Norfolk Tides.

**LAST TIME OUT:** Robberse tossed 6.0 innings last Thursday night at the Charlotte Knighfs and earned his fourth win of the season. The right-handed pitcher allowed one run on six hits, walked on and struck out six batters. Robberse still has yet to allow more than two runs in a start this season and yet to allow a crooked number in any inning.

LAST SEASON: The young right-handed pitcher was acquired at the trade deadline from TOR, along with RHP Adam Kloffenstein, in exchange for reliever Jordan Hicks. Robberse struggled early in his first looks at Triple-A, but ended the season strong.

SCOUTING GRADES: Fastball: 55 | Slider: 55 | Cutter: 50 | Changeup: 50 | Control: 50 | Overall: 45

MLB PIPELINE REPORT: Robberse is a unique development story, originally signed out of Zeist, Netherlands, in 2019. He was able to make his pro debut in the Rookie-level Gulf Coast League that season, allowing just one run over 10 1/3 innings. When the pandemic stopped baseball, Robberse was unable to return to the Netherlands and stayed at a hotel near the Blue Jays' complex with a group of prospects, including many of the Venezuelan players. This added yet another interesting wrinkle to his growth as he was often forced to work out by himself. Coming out of that, Robberse posted a 4.36 ERA over 88 2/3 innings in 2021, split between Single-A Dunedin and High-A Vancouver. Each number moved in the right direction in 2022, as Robberse climbed another level to Double-A and finished with a cumulative ERA of 3.23 over 111 1/3 innings, striking out 97. Much of Robberse's game is self-taught, which gives him a unique ability to adjust on the fly, and the Blue Jays were encouraged with some of his physical growth, too. After trying to keep on weight for years, Robberse finally packed it on in '22 and is now up above 200 pounds, which was the goal. There's hope this can bump his fastball up closer to the 93-94 mph range eventually. An increased strikeout ability would serve Robberse well, as at this point he relies on finesse with a promising package of secondaries. Now with the Cardinals after a Jordan Hicks trade at the 2023 deadline, the Futures Game participant can carry his momentum forward in hopes of joining a future St. Louis rotation. FUTURES GAME & OTHER RECOGNITION: The right-handed pitcher was selected to participate in the futures game this season in Seattle during the All-Star Break. Robberse was named NorthWest League Pit her of the week for his work in late may last season as a member of the Vancouver Canadians.

	RUNS/HITS PER NINE									
Inning:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
ER/Hits:	1/3	0/5	1/7	1/6	3/5	0/0	1/1	0/0	0/0	
Date 4/2 4/7	Opp. @IND @IND		Dec. W (1- W (2-		IP 5.0 5.0	H 2 6	R 1 1	ER 1 1	HR 1 0	BB 2 1
4/13	vNAS	;			4.2	6	2	2	0	1
4/19	@GW	N	W (3-	0)	8.0	1	1	0	0	2
4/26	vJAX				7.0	6	2	2	0	0
5/2	@CLT	•	W (4-	0)	6.0	6	1	1	1	1

### 2024 HIGHS (AAA) CAREER HIGHS (AAA)

CGs: -- CGs: -- SHOs: -- SHOs: 0

 Innings: 8.0 (4/19 @GWN)
 Innings: 8.0 (4/19 @GWN)

 Strikeouts: 9 (4/19 @GWN)
 Strikeouts: 9 (2x, 4/19 @GWN)

 Walks: 2 (2x, 4/19 @GWN)
 Walks: 5 (8/18/23 vNOR)

 Hits: 6 (4x, 5/2 @CLT)
 Hits: 11 (8/5/23 vJAX)

 HRs: 1 (2x, 5/2 @CLT)
 HRs: 1 (5x, 9/8/23 @NAS)

SPLITS										
	W	L	ER/	A G	IP	R/ER	SO/BE	B LAST		
Home:	0	0	3.09	9 2(2)	11.2	4/4	11/1	4/26 vJAX		
Road:	4	0	1.13	3 4(4)	24.0	4/3	24/6	5/2 @CLT		
Day:	1	0	2.7	3(3)	16.2	5/5	16/2	4/26 vJAX		
Night:	3	0	0.9	5 3(3)	19.0	3/2	19/5	5/2 @CLT		
	AVO	G	H AI	3 HR	ВВ	SO				
vs. Left	.14	9	10 67	7 1	6	19				
vs. Right	.28	3	17 60	) 1	1	16				

	CAREER														
YR	TEAM	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	ΙP	Н	R/ER	HR	BB	SO	
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MILD	Totals (2 seesans)	11 6	2 70	27	27	1	0	1	165	1 10	1 50/51	10	27	176	

		RUN	I SUF	POR	T IN S	START	S		
Runs:	1R	2R	3R	4R	5R	6R	7R	8R+	
	0	2	1	1	1	0	1	0	
SO		- 1	Left/Fin	al Not	es			Pitches/	Strikes
4		- 2	2-1/7-2	Onl	y run ca	me in 51	th		74/48
5		- 2	2-1/3-2	Oni	y run ca	me in 1s	st		81/51
5		7	7-2/8-3	has	not allo	wed cro	oked nu	ımber	95/59
9		4	<b>1-1/4-1</b>	Ear	ned IL P	itcher o	f the We	ek	98/64
6			3-2/4-3	run	in fourt	h, seven	th		97/67
6		į	5-1/5-1	solo	home i	run in fif	th		93/58



# JACOB BOSIOKOVIC - RHP

MLB: N/A

Acquired: MiLB FA '24 HS: Delaware Haye

Long Scorele Sv/SO: 0/0

 Spent last season with Charleston in the Atlantic League after an injury abrupity finished his 2023 season with Memphis

Promoted to the Redbirds in late August of 2021 after starting the season in Double-A Springfield. Posted a 1-0 record with a 2.16 ERA and three saves across seven appearances for Memphis. With Springfield, he recorded a 4.28 ERA and 13 SO/9. Operated mostly in long-relief, throwing more than an inning in 20 of his

31 relief appearances.

• Selected by the Colorado Rockies in the 19th round of the 2016 Draft out of Ohio State as an infielder, but never reached about High-A. Switched to pitching in 2019 and appeared in 33 games...at Ohio State,

played third base and took a redshirt year after needing Tommy John surgery.

• Four-year letterwinner at Delaware Hayes H.S., where he was Division 1 Player of the Year in 2011 and 2012... son of Jeff and Flora Bosiokovic, sister of Lindsey.

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Age: 31 Born: 3/8/1993 ght: 231

Acquired: MiLB FA HS: South Broward (FL) Series: 1.01H3R3BB1SO vJAX: 3.00H0R4BB1SO v Left/v Right: .250/.350 Long Scoreless: 4 (4/14-4/27) Sv/S0: 0 Holds: 0

Series:

 Named 2018 Astros Minor League Pitcher of the Year... selected as an Astros organizational All-Star at RH SP by MiLB.com... became the lowest drafted pitcher in Astros history to make a start for the team...

• Named 2017 Texas League Mid-Season All-Star...

 Selected by the Houston Astros in the 34th round of the 2014 MLB Draft... credited a jump in his velocity during the 2018 season to a sleep apena diagnosis...

• Missed the entire 2023 season with an injury after spending his entire professional career in the Houston Astros organization

# **BRANDON KOMAR - RHP**

Height: 6-0 Weight: 200 B/T: R/R

Born: Elkhorn, WI

Acquired: Waivers '22 HS:

@CLT:3.04H 3R1BB1SO vLeft/v Right: .429/.250 Long Scoreless: 0 S/SO: 0/1 Holds: 0

PITCHES: FB/SI/SI /CH

 Began the 2023 season with Double-A Springfield, his first season in the St. Louis Cardinals organization... Made 12 appearances, 1-4 with a 5.81 ERA in 52.2 innings...

Drafted by the San Diego Padres in the 13th Round of the 2019 MLB Draft... Reached as high as Double-A San Antonio with San Diego...

 Has 86 career Milb appearances... 12-16 with a 5.24 ERA... 257 strikeouts in 285.1 innings...

### RYAN LOUTOS - RHP

Acquired: UDFA 7/22/21 leight: 6-5 HS: Barrington High School College: Washington University **ight:** 215 Born: 1/29/1999 in Elk Grove Village, IL Resides: Barrington, IL

Series: @CLT: 2.0 1 H 0 R 0 BB 4 SO v Left/v Right: .118/.100 Long Scoreless: 5 (4/13-now)

•Started 2022 with Peoria (A+), making nine outings before he was promoted to Springfield (AA)... Posted a 1.61 ERA in 15 relief outings at Double-A, collecting three saves and striking out 26 in 22.1 innings... Pitched in Palm Beach in 2021, posting a 5.56 ERA in 12 appearances.

 Helped Washington University (DIII) win DIII World Series in 2021 while going 11-1 with a 1.33 ERA in 14 games... set the single-seaon record with 116 strikeouts, ranked third in school history with 287 Ks.

 Missed junior year due to COVID-19, made a jump in velocity after adding 15 pounds between his junior and senior season... Spent that summer in the Northwoods League with Fond du Lac... Signed with the Cardinals for \$20,000 following the 2021 Draft... Had accepted a job offer to become a software engineer for Morningstar, Inc., a large financial services firm in Chicago, before signing with St. Louis.

# ANDRE PALLANTE - RHP

#16

B/T: R/R

MLB: w/STL ('22, '23)

Born: 9/18/98 in Mission Viejo, CA Resides: San Clemente, CA

HS: San Clemente HS College: UC Irvine

Series: @CLT: 4.02H0R3BB2SO v Left/v Right: .333/.067 Long Scoreless: 1 (5/3-now) SV/SVO: 0/0 Holds: 0

PITCHES: FB/CR/SI/FC/CH

• Made the 2022, 2023 and 2024 St. Louis Cardinals Opening Day roster... Played the entire 2022 season in STL after arriving at String Training as a non-roster invite... Was his first official invite to Major League Spring Training...
• Pitched over 50 innings as a starting pitcher and relief pitcher in 2022, one of two pitchers in MLB to do so (SD Nick Martinez) and the first Cardinals rookie to do so since John Urrea (1977)...

Led Major League rookies with 17 GiDP induced... 2021 Arizona Fall League All-Star... Played collegiately at UC Irvine... Member of US Collegiate National Baseball Team...

2024 Career G(GS): 10(0)

IP: 2.0 (5/5 @CLT) BB: 3 (4/12 vNAS) K: 3 (5/5 @CLT) H: 3 (4/23 vJAX)

G(GS): **IP:** 3.0 (3x 7/14/21 w/ SPR) **BB:** 3 (3x 7/25/21 w/ SPR) **K:** 7 (7/14/21 w/SPR) H. 5 (7/15/21 w/ ASH)

	LAST 5 RELIEF APPEARANCE											
DATE	OPP	DEC	IP H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR				
5/5	@CLT	W(1)	2.00	1	0	1	3	0				
5/2	@CLT		1.00	0	0	0	2	0				
4/27	vJAX		1.1 1	0	0	1	2	0				
4/23	vJAX		1.03	2	2	1	1	1				
4/14	vNAS		1.0 1	0	0	1	0	0				

R/ER: 5/5 (4/12 vNAS) R/ER: 6/4 (6/6/21 w/ SPR)

2024 G(GS): 8(0) Career G(GS): H: 1.0 (5x, 5/7 vNOR) IP: BB: 3 (5/7 vNOR) BB: K: 1 (3x, 5/7 vNOR) K: H: 4 (4/9 vNAS) H: R/ER: 6/5 (4/9 vNAS) R/ER

	LAST 5 RELIEF APPEARANCE									
DATE	OPP	DEC	IP H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR		
5/7	vNOR		1.0 1	3	3	3	1	0		
4/27	vJAX		1.00	0	0	2	0	0		
4/25	vJAX		1.00	0	0	0	1	0		
4/23	vJAX		1.00	0	0	2	0	0		
4/14	vNAS		1.0 0	0	0	2	0	0		

2024 w/MEM Career G(GS): 25(0) G(GS): 0(2) IP: 3.0 (5/5 @CLT) BB: BB: 2 (4/23 vJAX) K: 1 (2x, 5/5 @CLT) K: H: 4 (2x, 5/5 @CLT) R/ER: 4/4 (4/23 vJAX)R/ER:

LAST 5 RELIEF APPEARANCE								
DATE	OPP	DEC	IP H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR
5/5	@CLT	BS(1)	3.0 4	3	3	1	1	0
1/22	VIAV		201	1	1	2	1	Λ

2024 Career G(GS): 9(0) G(GS): 31(1) IP: 2.0 (2x, 4/20 @GWN) IP: 3.0 (8/11/21 w/ PMB) BB: 3 (4/7 @IND) **BB:** 2 (4x) K: 5 (4/20 @GWN) K: 5 (5/13 w/SPR) H: 2 (4/9 vNAS) H: 6 (9/8 vNOR)

LAST 5 RELIEF APPEARANCE DEC IP H R ER BB SO HR DATE OPP 5/2 @CLT 1.01 0 0 0 5/1 @CLT 1.00 0 0 W(1) 1.0 0 0 0 0 4/26 vJAX 4/20 @GWN S(3) 2.00 0 0 1 5 0 4/13 vNAS 1.1 1 0 0 1 1 0

**2024 (AAA)** G(GS): 2(1) IP: 4.0 (5/3 @CLT) BB: 4 (4/27 vIAX) K: 2 (2x, 5/3 @CLT) H: 2 (2x, 5/3 @CLT) R/FR 1/1 (4/27 v.IAX)

R/ER: 1/1 (4/9 vNAS)

Career (MLB pre '23) G(GS): 47(10) IP: 8.0 (7/32/22 @WSH) BB: 4 (6/4/22 @CHC) K: 8 (7/32/22 @WSH) H: 10 (7/5/22 @ATL) R/ER: 7 (7/5/22 @ATL)

R/ER: 4/4 (2x, 9/8vNOR)

### **LAST 5 RELIEF APPEARANCE**

DATE	OPP	DEC IP H	R	ER	BE	SC	) HR
5/3	@CLT	W(1) 4.02	0	0	3	2	0



NICK RAQUET- LHP

ght: 215 B/T: R/L

MLB:

Born: 12/12/95 Resides: Boalsberg, PA Acquired: MiLB FA '24

College

Series: vNAS: v Left/v Right: .000/.400 Long Scorele Sv/SO:0/0 Holds: 0

2024 ZU24 G(GS): 3(0) IP: 1.0 (4/5 @IND) BB: 3 (4/2 @IND) K: 3 (4/5 @IND) H: 1 (2x, 4/5 @IND) R/ER: 2/2 (4/5 @IND)

Career (MLB) G(GS): BB: K: ER:

PITCHES:

- Began the season with Double-A Springfield... First appearance with Memphis will be his Triple-A debut...
- Originally selected by the Washington Nationals in the 3rd round of the 2017 MLB Draft out of the College of William and Mary... Also pitched at North Carolina...
- Played for the Surprise Saguaros in the 2019 Arizona Fall League
- Was out of baseball from 2020-2022... pitched last season with the York Revolution of the independant Atlantic League... Led team in wins, ERA, IP, SO, WHIP, BF

# **LAST 5 RELIEF APPEARANCE**

DATE OPP DEC IP H R ER BB SO HR

# **WILKING RODRIGUEZ- RHP**

#46

Acquired: Rule 5 Draft '22 (NY Born: 3/2/1990 (Puerto Cabello, Venezuela)

Series: /NAS: PLACED ON IL / Left/v Right: .000/.400 Long Scoreless: 0 College

2024 Career (MLB) 2024 (GS): 3(0) IP: 1.0 (4/5 @IND) BB: 3 (4/2 @IND) K: 3 (4/5 @IND) H: 1 (2x, 4/5 @IND) R/ER: 2/2 (4/5 @IND) G(GS): IP: BB: H: ER:

B/T: R/R MLB:

ght: 240

ght: 6'0"

Weight: 195

B/T: L/L

PITCHES:

- Spent majority of 2023 season on the Injured List
- Selected by the Cardinals in the 2022 MLB Rule 5 Draft from the New York Yankees... was the oldest player selected at the age of 32...
- Has not pitched in MLB since June 6, 2014 with the Royals and in affiliated baseball since 2015 with Scranton-Wilkes Barre (Triple-A Yankees)...
- Pitched for Dos Loredos of the Mexican League in 2022... led the team in appearances (46), saves (17), ERA (2.01), and ranked 2nd in strikeouts (73) and 3rd in wins (6)

### LAST 5 RELIEF APPEARANCE

DATE	OPP	DEC	IP H	R	ER	BB	SO	HF
4/5	@IND		1.0 1	2	2	2	3	0
4/2	@IND		0.1 1	1	1	3	0	0
3/29	CLT	H(1)	0.2 0	1	1	2	2	0

CONNOR THOMAS - LHP

#19

Born: 5/29/1998 in Tifton, Georgia Resides: Tifton, Georgia

Acquired: 5TH Rd. '19 HS:Tift County High School (GA) College:Georgia Tech

Series: 2.13 H 1 R 1 BB 0 SO @CLT: 3.03 H 1 R 0 BB 3 SO v Left/v Right: .297/.264 Long Scoreless: 5 (4/4-4/14) Sv/SO: 1/2 Holds: 0

PITCHES: FB/SI/SL/CH

- 2024 Career G(GS): 15(0) G(GS): IP: 2.1 (2x, 5/7 vNOR) IP. BB: 2 (4/9 vNAS) BB: K: 4 (4/7 @IND) K: H: 3 (3x, 5/7 vNOR) H: R/ER: 2/2 (3/29 vCLT) R/ER:
- Has moved to the bullpen to start the 2024 season... has not made more relief appearances than starts in a season since 2019, his first as a professional...
- Was rated the No. 19 prospect in the Cardinals organization by Baseball America in 2023... Spent the entire season in '23 as a starter (only relief appearances were in piggyback starts)...
- Named the 2022 Arizona Fall League Pitcher of The Year and starting the Fall-Stars Game for the National League... Was the first Cardinal to earn AFL Pitcher of the Year since Alan Benes in 1995...

### **LAST 5 RELIEF APPEARANCE**

DATE	OPP	DEC	IP I	1	R	ER	BB	SO	HR
5/7	vNOR		2.13	3	1	1	1	0	1
5/5	@CLT		0.0	1	1	1	0	0	0
5/2	@CLT		1.0	1	0	0	0	1	0
4/30	@CLT		2.0	1	0	0	0	2	0
4/26	vJAX	BS(1)	1.0 2	2	1	1	0	1	0
4/24	vJAX		2.0 2	2	1	0	1	3	0

# **ZACK THOMPSON - LHP**

MLB:

Born: 10/28/97 in Selma, IN

Acquired: 1st Round, 2019 Draft HS: Wapahani High School College:University of Kentucky

Series: @CLT:4.02H0R0BB4SO v Left/v Right: .125/.118 Long Scoreless: 2 (4/27-now) S/SO: 0/0

PITCHES: FB/SL/CR/CH

Holds: 0

2024 w/MEM Career (pre '23)

G(GS): 2(1)

R/ER: 0/0

IP: 4.0 (5/3 @CLT) IP: 7.0 (8/25/21 vs COL) BB: 3 (4/27 vJAX) BB: 5 (3x), 9/2/21 at GWN K: 4 (5/3 @CLT) K: 9 (4/26 at DUR) H: 2 (5/3 @CLT) H: 10, 9/14/21 vs LOU

- Made MLB Debut in '22... earned a four-inning save at Wrigley Field in first game
- Ranked as the Cardinals No. 9 prospect on MLB Pipeline to start the year... Rated as having the "Best Curveball" in Cardinals organization by Baseball America... From MLB.com " 6-foot-2 southpaw's mid-70s curveball is the star of the show with good spin rates as high as 3,000-plus rpm and impressively tight break. He'll show a mid-80s cutter/slider as well, and a mid-80s changeup can drop off and be useful against righties.
- No one in the Cardinals organization has been promoted more aggressively than Thompson. Due to the pandemic, Thompson entered the 2021 season with only 15.1 minor league innings and some alt-site experience. Nevertheless, he jumped two levels from High-A to Triple-A and started the 2021 season in Memphis.

### LAST 5 RELIEF APPEARANCE

R/ER: 5/5 (4/20 vOMA)

DATE	OPP	DEC	IP H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR
4/27	v JAX	W(1)	3.2 1	0	0	3	3	0



# LUKEN BAKER - IF

Age: 27 Born: 3/10/97 in Houston, TX Resides: Spring, TX

Acquired: Round 2C, 2018 Draft HS: Oak Ridge High school (Conroe, TX) College: Texas Cristian University

MLB: N/A

. Made his MLB Debut with STL this season...

• Spent 2021 season in Double-A Springfield... slashed .248/.322/.530. Led team with 26 home runs and 68 RBIs in 91 games... Had four multi-home run games and hit eight over a six-game span before landing on injured list for most of August... Earned promotion to Memphis and played two games...

Earned Big 12 All-Conference in 2017, a year after he was named Big 12 Freshman of the Year... made 10 starts his freshman year and lead Big 12 in batting average, hits, RBIs, and runs scored... went to Oak Ridge High School, named 2015 Gatorade National Player of the Year... Was the first Gatorade POTY winner to attend college and not go pro since Drew Henson (1998)... son of Will and Belinda and has two sisters.

# GAVIN COLLINS - C

#35

#44

B/T: R/R

Age: 28 Born: 7/17/95 in Newport Beach, CA Resides: Newport Beach, CA

Acquired: MiLB FA HS: El Toro College: Mississippi State

### MLB: N/A

- Signed by the Cardinals as minor league free agent on December 21, 2023 after a season with the Kansas City Monarchs in the American Association (independent)...
- . Spent the first seven seasons of his professional career in the Cleveland Guardians organization, reaching as high as Triple-A Columbus in 2021 and 2022...
- Named to the American Association West Division All-Star Team in 2023...
- Played for the Mesa Solar Sox in the 2019 Arizona Fall League...
- Originally selected by the Cleveland Guardians in the 13th round of the 2016 MLB Draft...
- Attended the same high school as Nolan Arenado and Nathan Church...
- Played collegiately for Mississippi State University from 2014 to 2016...

### **NICK DUNN - INF**

#21

Height: 5-9 Weight: 191 **B/T**: L/R MLB:

Acquired: 5th Rd. '18 HS: Shikellamy H.S. (PA) College: University of Maryland **Age:** 27 Born: 1/29/1997 in Bloomsburg, PA Resides: Sunbury, PA

- Ranked among Cardinals minor league leaders in walks (63, T-2nd), runs (69, T-2nd), hits (108, T-8th), and doubled (21, T-8th) last season...
- Named New York-Penn League All-Star in 2018... Led off and started at second base...
- Lettered in baseball and football at Shikellamy (PA) High School... his father, John, played college baseball at Bloomsburg (PA) University...

# ARQUIMEDES GAMBOA - INF

#28

Height: 6-0 Weight: 190 B/T: S/R

Age: 26 Born: 9/23/97 Guiria, Venezuela Resides: Guiria, Venezuela Acquired: MiLB FA College:

MLB: N/A

- Spent the entire 2023 season with Double-A Springfield... led the Texas League with 89 walks and was T-4th with 86 runs scored...
- Led all of Cardinals minor leaguers with 89 walks, ranked T-4th with five triples, T-4th with 86 runs scored, T-5th with 25 stolen bases and eighth with 70 RBIs...

• Signed a minor league free-agent contract with the San Francisco Giants on December 1, 2021...

- Spent his first seven minor league season seasons in the Philadelphia Phillies organization, reaching as high as Triple-A Lehigh Valley in 2021...
- Originally signed as an International free-agent by the Philadelphia Phillies on 7/17/14...

# **MOISES GOMEZ- OF**

#31

College:

Height: 5-11 Weight: 196 B/T: R/R

Born: 8/27/98 in Caracas, Venezuela Resides: Guatire, Venezuela

Acquired: MiLB FA Nov.

MLB: N/A

- Hit a Minor League Baseball leading 23 home runs this season with Double-A Springfield... 2022 is the right-handed hitter's first season in the St. Louis Cardinals organizaiton...
- Played six years in the Tampa Bay Rays organization... Entered the 2021 season rated as the Rays No.22 prospect and as the Best Power Hitter in Rays organization by Baseball America...

Venezuelan League Rookie of the Year in 2018...

Signed as an MiLB Free Agent with St. Louis on November 5, 2021... signed with Tampa Bay as an International Free Agent on April 28, 2015...

Series: 0-41BB2S0 @CLT: 5-192R32B1HR8RBI4BB3S0 Current Streak: 0 (now) Long Streak: 4 (5/2-5/5) Last HR: 5/4 @CLT 2-run

HOME RUNS									
TOTAL	SOLO	2R	3R	GS					
6	3	1	2	-					
	MULTI-F	IIT GAI	MES						
TOTAL	2	3	4	5+					
5	4	1	-	-					
	SEASON HIGHS								

H: 3 (4/2 @IND) BB: 3 (4/13 vNAS) SO: 3 (4/16 @GWN) HR: 1 (6x. 5/4 @CLT) RBI: 5 (5/4@CLT) SB:

CAREER HIGHS

HR: 2 (4x, 8/3/21, SPR) BB: 3 (3x, 4/13 vNAS) RBI: 5(4x, 5/4@CLT) O: 4 (4/27/23 at DUR) SB: 1 (5/6/19, PMB)

©CLT: 2-82R12B2RBI2SO Current Streak: 1 (5/5-now) Long Streak: 1 (3x, 5/5-now) Last HR: 4/14 vNAS 2-run

TOTAL	SOLO	2R	3R	GS					
1	-	1	-	-					
MULTI-HIT GAMES									
TOTAL	2	3	4	5+					
-	-	-	-	-					
	SEASO	N HIGH	<del>I</del> S						
H: 1(3x,5/5)			(4/14 v						
DD 2 (4/1	I A NIAC\	DDI.	2/24 5/5 6	CLT					

**HOME RUNS** 

BB: 2 (4/14 vNAS) RBI: 2(2x, 5/5 @CLT) SO: 2 (2x, 5/1 @CLT) SB:

	CAREER HIGHS
H:	HR:
BB:	RBI:
SO:	SB:

DCLT: 6-102 R 32B 13B 2BB Current Streak: 3 (4/30-now) Long Streak: 3 (2x, 4/30-now) Last HR: 4/26 vJAX walk-off solo in 9th HOME RUNS

TOTAL	SOLO	2R	3R	GS
3	3	-	-	-
M	<b>IULTI-H</b>	IT GA	MES	
TOTAL	2	3	4	5+
E	4	1		

**SEASON HIGHS** H: 3 (4/20 @GWN) HR: 1 (3x, 4/26 @GWN) BB: 1 (7x, 5/2 @CLT) RB: 1 (4x, 4/26 @GWN) SO: 1 (5x, 4/25 vJAX) SB: 1 (4/20 @GWN)

	CAREER HIGHS	
H	HR:	
BB:	RBI:	
SO:	SB:	

Series: @CLT: 0-82R 1SO Current Streak: 0 (now) Streak: 2 (4/6-4/7)

TOTAL	SOLO	2R	3R	GS				
-	-	-	-	-				
MULTI-HIT GAMES								
TOTAL	2	3	4	5+				
1	1	-	-	-				
SEASON HIGHS								

**HOME RUNS** 

H: 2(4/6@IND) RBI: 1(4/6@IND) BB: 2 (3/31 vCLT) SO: 1 (1x. 5/5 @CLT) CAREER HIGHS

Series: 043S0 @CLT: 3-142R12B7S0 Current Streak: 0 (now) Long Streak: 3 (2x, 4/6-4/9) Last HR: 4/25 vJAX solo

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TOTAL	SOLO	2R	3R	GS			
2	2	-	-	-			
	MULTI-H	IIT GA	MES				

**SEASON HIGHS** H: 3 (2x, 5/5 @CLT) HR: 1 (2x, 4/25 vJAX)

BB: 2 (4/6 @IND) RBI: 1 (6x, 4/25 vJAX) SO: 4 (5/1 @CLT) SB:

H: 4 (3x 5/6 v IAX) HR: 2 (6x 4/31 @OMA) BB: 3(3x, 9/16@IOWA) RBI: 4(7x.4/12w/SPR) **SO:** 4(7x, 9/13@IOWA) **SB:** 2(3x, 6/22 w/SPR)

3R

HR: 1 (2x, 4/27 vJAX)

SB: 1 (2x, 4/20@GWN)

**RBI:** 1 (7x, 5/3@CLT)

HR:1(6/8 vDUR) RBI: 5 (6/8 vDUR) SB: 2 (2x, 6/8 vDUR)

3R

GS



# MATT KOPERNIAK - OF

**Age:** 26 **Born:** 2/8/98 in London, UK Resides: Adams, MA

Acquired: MiLB FA College: Trinity College (CT)

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- Played for Great Britain in the World Baseball Classic...
- Selected as a 2021 orginizational All-Star at OF... ranked among Cardinals minor league leaders in average (.306, 4th), OBP (.405, 4th), OPS (.861, 8th), hits (101, 8th) and doubles (25, T-3rd)... Played with Low-A Palm Beach, High-A Peoria and Double-A Springfield in his first professional season...
- Was teammates with Gordon Graceffo on the North Adams SteepleCats of the New England Collegiate Baseball League in 2019... Brother, Mike, played collegiately at Wheaton College (MA) and father, Chris, played baseball at UMASS... Went undrafted out of Trinity College (Division III, CT)...

### RAMON MENDOZA - INF

#41

Series:

TOTAL

H: 3(5/1@CLT)

BB: 1 (5x, 4/25 vNAS)

SO: 2 (4x, 4/27 vJAX)

H: 4 (4x. 7/16 wSPG) BB: 4 (8/22 @CLT) SO: 3(2x,6/29wSPG)

vJAX: 0-11SO Current Streak:

SOLO

Long Streak: Last HR:

TOTAL

TOTAL

IBB:

@CLT: 5-132R12B2RBI Current Streak: 10 (4/18-now)

Long Streak: 10 (4/18-now)

Last HR: 4/27 vJAX solo HOME RUNS

SOLO 2R

**MULTI-HIT GAMES** 

SEASON HIGHS

CAREER HIGHS

2R

RBI: SR:

RBI:

MULTI-HIT GAMES

SEASON HIGH HR:

CAREER HIGH HR

Age: 23 Born: 8/31/2000 Tijuana, MEX Resides: Tijuana, MEX

Acquired: MiLB FA '18

College:

MLB:

- Began the 2024 season with Double-A Springfield...
- Was named Midwest League Player of the Week for his work from August 28 to September 3rd...
- In his first professional season in 2018, Mendoza ranked among Cardinals minor leaguers in triples (T-8th, 5)... reached base safely in 26 straight games (6/21-7/31) with a .496 on base percentage...
- Was signed as an International free-agent on 5/26/18 by St. Louis...

# **CESAR PRIETO - INF**

#13

MLB:

Acquired: Trade w/ BAL

College:

Series: 1.41R12B @CLT: 6-195R22B1HR3RBI3BB2SO Current Streak: 1 (5/7-now) Long Streak: 6 (4/7-4/13) Last HR: 5/2 @CLT 2-run HOME RUNS

### TOTAL SOLO 2R GS MULTI-HIT GAMES 5+

**SEASON HIGHS** H: 3 (5x, 5/3 @CLT) HR: 1 (5x, 5/2 @CLT) BB: 1 (4x, 5/4 @CLT) RBI: 2 (4x, 5/2 @CLT) SO: 2 (2x, 4/19 @GWN) SB:

**CAREER HIGH** so: SR:

Series: 1-41 RBI3SO Gelt: 6-162 R32B1 HR 7 RBI 1 BB 3 SO Current Streak: 5 (4/30-now) Long Streak: 5 (2x, 4/30-now) Last HR: 4/30 @CLT 2-run

HOME RUNS							
TOTAL 3	SOLO	2R	3R	GS			
3	-	2	1	-			
MULTI-HIT GAMES							
TOTAL 3	2	3	4	5+			

### SEASON HIGHS H: 3 (4/25 vJAX) HR: 1 (3x, 4/30 @CLT) BB: 2 (3/31 vCLT) RBI: 3 (2X, 5/4 @CLT

SO: 3 (5/7 vNOR) SR-REER HIGHS

BB: RBI:

Series: @CLT: 7-194R32B3RBI4BB3SO Current Streak: 0 (now) Long Streak: 4 (4/26-5/1) Last HR:

HOME RUNS									
TOTAL	SOLO	2R	3R	GS					
-	-	-	-	-					
MULTI-HIT GAMES									
TOTAL	2	3	4	5+					
6	5	-	1	-					
	SEASO	N HIGH	HS .						
H: 4 (5/1 BB: 2 (5x, SO: 2 (5x.	SEASON HIGHS H: 4 (5/1 @CLT) HR: BB: 2 (5x, 5/5 @CLT) RBI: 3(2x, 5/1 @CLT) SO: 2 (5x, 5/2 @CLT) SB:								

CAREER HIGHS

HR:

orn: Cienfuegos, Cuba Lesides:

Scouting grades: Hit: 55 | Power: 45 | Run: 45 | Arm: 45 | Field: 50 | Overall: 45 MLB Pipeline Report: Prieto established himself as a star in Cuba over four seasons in the Cuban National • MLB Pipeline Report: Prieto established nimself as a star in Cuba over four seasons in the Cuban National Series, where he claimed the league's batting crown in 2021. He was in the midst of a league-record 44-game hit streak when he defected in May 2021, settling in Tampa, Fla., before the Orioles signed him for \$650,000 as part of their 2020-21 international class. Prieto made an impact right away at High-A Aberdeen as a 23-year old, batting .340 with a 1.000 OPS to earn a promotion to Double-A after only 25 games. But his contact-heavy approach wasn't effective in Bowie, where he hit only .255/.296/.348 with a 58-15 strikeout-to-walk rate in 90 games. Prieto amassed a .364 average in his return to Double-A this season and had a .317/.365/.471 line in 27 Triple-A games before he was traded to the Cardinals at the Deadline for Jack Flaherty.

**NICK RAPOSO - C** #47

Height: 5-10 Acquired: NDFA '20 Age: 25 Born: 6/3/98 Weight: 212 **HS:Johnston Senior High School** B/T: R/R Resides: Providence, Rhode Island College: Wheaton College (MA)

MLB:

- Began the 2023 season with Double-A Springfield
- Invited to Major League Spring Training for the first time in his career this season after playing his first two seasons of pro ball with Springfield (AA)
- Collected a carrer-high seven home runs iwth 34 RBI in 2022...Ranked 4th on Springfield with 18 doubles despite ranking 13th on the team in games played (59)... Threw out 10.8 percent of attempted base stealers (4/37)...

Reached base safely in a career-high 24 straight games (4/17-9/3)

- Played college basaeball for four years at Wheaton (MA) College and made it to the Division III College World Series as a freshman in 2017, batting 3-for-8 in the series.
- Batted .434 as a sophomore at Wheaton and ranked 10th in the nation with 19 doubles...

# ALFONSO RIVAS III - UTIL

Age: 27 Born: 9/13/96 in Chula Vista, CA Resides: Austin, TX MLB: N/A

Acquired: Waivers (LAA) HS: La Jolla Country College: University of Arizona

- Was claimed off waivers by the Cardinals on January 29, 2024... It marked the third time he was a successful waiver claim during the 2023-24 offseason with claims by Cleveland and the Los Angeles Angels...
   Made his MLB debut with the Chicago Cubs against the Chicago White Sox on August 29, 2021... singled in his first career plate appearance
- Made his Mich Debut with the Chicago dubs against the chicago white 30x of Magust 29, 2021... Singled in this installed place appealance off of Dylan Cease...
   Signed with the Padres in 2023 as a minor league free agent... played eight games in the majors for San Diego, then 40 games with Pittsburgh that season... was traded to Pittsburgh with LHP Jackson Wolf and mor leaguer Estuar Suero in exchange for INF Ji-Man Choi and LHP Rich Hill at the trade deadline...
   Originally drafted by the Oakland Athletics in the 4th round of the 2018 Draft...
   Graduated from La Jolla Country Day, the same high school which produced Cardinals infielder Tommy Edman... Played for Yarmouth-Dennis in the Cape Cod League during the 2017 summer...



# THOMAS SAGGESE- INF

MLB:

Age: 21 Born: 4/10/02 (Carlsbad, CA) Resides: Carlsbad, CA

Acquired: Trade w/TEX HS: Carlsbad (CA)

#43

#5

Named No. 85 prospect (BaseballAmerica) entering the 2024 season... Hit: 55 POW: 50 RUN: 45 FLD: 45 ARM: 45... Led MiLB in hits last season with 170...

Made his Triple-A debut last season with Memphis...

Acquired in a trade with Texas at the deadline (with others) in exchange for Jordan Montgomery...

Began the season with Doulbe-A Frisco... was assigned to Double-A Springfield following the trade... posted a MiLB career .318 average with 25 home runs and 107 RBIs... batted .331 with an OPS of 1.065 in 33 games with Springfield last season, leading to his promotion to Triple-A Memphis on September 8, 2023

Originally drafted in the 5th Round of the 2020 MLB Draft by the Texas Rangers...

### **VICTOR SCOTT II - OF**

Age: 23 Born: 2/12/01 in Atlanta, GA Resides: Atlanta, GA

Acquired: 5th Rd. '22 HS: College: West Virginia

MLB:

Made the St. Louis Cardinals Opening Day Roster for the first time in his career this season and made his Major League Debut that day

Named the No. 83 prospect in baseball (BaseballAmerica) HIT: 55 POW: 40 RUN: 80 FLD: 70 ARM:

Scott announced his presence in a big way in 2023, hitting .303/369/425 with a minor leagueleading 95 stolen bases. He is an outstandin center fielder with double-plus speed, strong bat-to-ball skills and sneaky power against righthanders. Scott's skills are tailor-made for the modern game and new rules....

Was second in all of minor league baseball to teammate Thomas Saggese in base hits with 166 in

### JARED YOUNG- INF

e:28 rn: 7/9/95 Prince George, BC sides: Prince George, BC

Acquired: waivers CHO

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#32

MLB:

Claimed off waivers from the Chicago Cubs this past offseason... was outrighted to Memphis before Opening Day of 2024...
 Played first base, left field and designated hitter for Team Canada in the 2023 World Baseball

Flayed first base, left field and designated fittle for feath Canada in the 2023 world baseball Classic... hit a home run against Team USA...
 Started the 2023 season with Triple-A lowa and played in 90 games with the I-Cubs... Posted a career-high in home runs (21), batting average (.310) and walks (50)...
 Contract selected by Chicago on June 27... hit safely in each of his first three games with an RBI in each, including his first Major League home run off of Aaron Nola in his 2023 debut..
 Made his MLB Debut on September 16, 2022 at Wrigley Field against the Colorado Rockies...

# JORDAN WALKER - OF

Height: 6-6 Weight: 245 MLB:

Age: 21 Born: 5/22/02 in Stone Mountain, GA

# Acquired: 1st Rd. in 2020 Draft HS: Decatur High School (GA)

Began his Major League career with a 12-game hitting streak, a new St. Louis Cardinals record for hitting streak to start a carrer...

Two-time Cardinals Minor League Co-Player of the year... 2022 with Moises Gomez... 2021 with Juan

Entered the season rated as the No. 4 overall prospect across Major League Baseball by Baseball America...

is the highest-rated position player in the Cardinals organization since Oscar Taveras (No. 1 in 2014)...

• Led the 2022 Texas League and established a new Double-A Springfield single-season record with 100 runs scored, most by a Cardinals minor leaguer since Pablo Ozuna (122) and Stubby Clapp (113) in 1998...

Series: 1-51R12B1SO aCIT: 5-227R2HR3RRI4RR7S0 ©CLI: 5-22 / R2 FR3 KBI 4 BB Current Streak: 2 (5/7-now) Long Streak: 8 (4/11-4/20) Last HR: 5/3 @CLT solo HOME RUNS

TOTAL	SOLO	2R	3R	GS
4	4	-	-	-
	MULTI-I	HIT GAN	1ES	
TOTAL	2	3	4	5±
9	9	-	-	-
	SEASO	ON HIGH	IS	
H: 2 (9x, BB: 3 (5/2 SO: 3 (3)	5/5 @CLT) 2 @CLT) c, 5/4 @CLT	HR: 1 RBI: 7 ) SB: 1	(4x, 5/3 @ 2 (2x, 4/18 (5x, 4/20 (	@CLT) @GWN) @GWN)

CAREER HIGHS BR: RBI: SO: SB:

Series: 0-41 BB 2 SO CLT: 4-202 R 1 2B 1 HR 3 RBI 2 BB 4 SO Current Streak: 0 (now) Long Streak: 4 (4/27-5/1) Last HR: 5/1 @CLT 2-run

HOME RUNS							
TOTAL	SOLO	2R	3R	GS			
1	-	1	-	-			
MULTI-HIT GAMES							
TOTAL	2	3	4	5+			
2	2	-	-	_			

H: 2 (2x, 5/1 @CLT) HR: 1 (5/1 @CLT) BB: 1 (3x, 5/7 vNOR) RBI: 2 (5/1 @CLT) SO: 3 (5/4 @CLT) SB: 1 (4x, 5/5 @CL SB: 1 (4x, 5/5 @CLT)

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ŧ	HR:
B:	RBI:
0:	SB:

Series: 2-4 1 2B 1 RBI @CLT: 2-102 R 2 S 0 2 BB Current Streak: 2 (5/4-now) Long Streak: 3 (2x, 4/26-4/28) Last HR: 4/28 vJAX solo

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TOTAL	SOLO	2R	3R	GS				
4	2	1	1	-				
MULTI-HIT GAMES								
TOTAL	2	3	4	5+				
5	4	1	-	-				
	SEASON HIGHS							
H: 3 (4/2 BB: 2 (4/ SO: 2 (5x.	26 vJAX) 4 @IND) 4/28 vJAX)	RBI:	(4x, 4/28 3(4/27 v)/ (4x, 4/26)	X)				

	CAREER HIGHS
H	HR:
BB:	RBI:
SO:	SB:

Series: 2-3 1 R 1 BB @CLT: 6-24 2 R 3 2B 2 RBI 4 BB 5 SO Current Streak: 4 (5/3-now) Long Streak: 4 (5/3-now) Last HR:

HOME RUNS							
TOTAL	SOLO	2R	3R	GS			
-							
	MULTI-F	HIT GAN	ИES				
TOTAL	2	3	4	5±			
2	2	-	-	-			
SEASON HIGHS							

HR: RBI: 2 (5/5 @CLT) SR: 1 (5/5 @CLT) ©CIT) SB: 1 (5 CAREER HIGHS HR: BB: RBI:

SB:

SCORE BY INNING												
Inning:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10+	TOTAL	
Redbirds:	18	10	22	23	25	23	7	4	19	2	153	
Opponent:	25	13	18	14	18	22	21	15	4	1	151	

# **HOME RUN DATA**

Grand Slams Multi-HR games:

Leadoff: Fermin (2x, 4/19 GWN, 4/20 @GWN)

Walk-off: Dunn (4/26 vJAX solo in 9th)

Back-to-back: 4/14 4th (Collins/Dunn) Inside-the-park:

ı									
		AVG	G	2B	HR	RBI	SB	ОВР	SLG
	Mar/Apı	r.242	27	38	31	113	27	.323	.403
	May	.269	6	21	7	34	2	.367	.476
	June	.000	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000
	July	.000	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000
	August	.000	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000
	Sept.	.000	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000

SO:

**BY MONTH** 



# 2024 TRANSACTIONS

3/30	LHP John King recalled by STL
4/2	OF Lars Nootbaar begins MLB Rehab
4/5	C Pedro Pages recalled by STL
4/9	OF Lars Nootbaar MLB Rehab transferred
	LHP John King optioned to MEM
4/11	C Pedro Pages optioned to MEM
4/13	RHP Wilking Rodriguez placed on IL
4/20	RHP Brandon Komar reassigned to MEM from SPG
4/21	RHP Andre Pallante optioned to MEM
	OF Victor Scott II optioned to MEM
	RHP Nick Robertson recalled by STL
	C Pedro Pages recalled by STL
4/24	OF Jordan Walker optioned to MEM
	LHP Zack Thompson optioned to MEM
	LHP John King recalled by STL
	INF Jose Fermin recalled by STL
4/25	OF Mike Antico reassigned to SPG
	INF Ramon Mendoza reassigned to MEM
4/30	OF Dylan Carlson begins MLB Rehab w/ MEM
	RHP Kyle Leahy contract selected by STL
5/1	RHP Kyle Leahy optioned to MEM
5/3	RHP Kyle Leahy recalled by STL
5/5	OF Dylan Carlson activated from MLB Rehab by STL
	C Pedro Pages optioned to MEM
5/7	INF Matt Carpenter begins MLB Rehab
	RHP Chris Roycroft contract selected by STL
	LHP Nick Raquet reassigned to MEM
5/8	C Pedro Pages recalled by STL



### **TEAM HIGHS AND LOWS OFFENSE** Runs, game. Runs, inning..... Fewest runs ..... Hits, game..... Hits, inning..... Fewest hits..... Doubles..... Triples..... Home runs..... Extra-base hits..... Strikeouts..... Walks..... Steals ..... Left on base ..... GIDP..... **PITCHING** Runs, game. Runs, inning..... Hits, game..... Hits, inning..... Fewest hits..... Home runs..... Walks..... Strikeouts..... Hit batters..... Wild pitches ..... Pitchers used..... Cons. batters retired ..... **DEFENSE** Errors.... Double plays turned ..... Steals allowed.

# **WALK-OFF WINS AND LOSSES**

DATE SCORE NOTES

### **INDIVIDUAL HIGHS AND LOWS**

OFFENSE
Hits3 (multiple)
Runs
Doubles
Triples
Home Runs
Home Runs, oppExtra-Base Hits
Total Bases
RBI
Strikeouts
Walks
Hit-by-pitch
Steals
Steals, opponent
Caught Stealing
Consecutive hits
Consecutive hitless AB (ind.)
PITCHING Innings, start Innings, relief. Strikeouts, start. Strikeouts, relief. Walks, start Walks, start Wilks, start Wilks, relief. Hits, start. Hits, relief Earned runs, start Earned runs, relief. Home Runs, start. Home Runs, relief. Runs allowed
STREAKS

Hitting ...... On-Base .....

# AWARDS AND HONORS

DATE PLAYER RECOGNITION STATS

### **MISCELLANEOUS**

Longest game, innings	10 (5/5 @CLT)
Longest game, time (9 inn)	
Longest game, time (X inn)	3:06 (4/13 vNAS)
Fastest game, time	1:47 (4/12 (1) vNAS)
Fastest game, time (9 inn)	2:07 (4/17 @GWN)
Largest margin, victory	9 (4/27 vJAX)
Largest margin, loss	13 (4/9 vNAS)
Largest home attendance	4,298 (4/27 vJAX)
Walk-off wins 1 (4/26 v.	JAX Dunn solo HR in 9th)

### **OUTFIELD ASSISTS**

Gomez	1
Koperniak	1
Young	1
TOTAL	3

# **CATCHER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS**

PLAYER	CS	SB	ATT	CS%	PB
Collins	2	3	5	40%	2
Pages	3	4	7	43%	2
Raposo	4	12	16	<b>25</b> %	0
TOTAL	9	18	27	33%	4

\*excludes CS and SB not involving catchers

### **BULLPEN STATISTICS**

PLAYER	SV	SVC	SV%	HR
Bosiokovic	0	0	-	1
James	0	0	-	1
King	2	2	100%	1
Komar	0	1	0%	0
Leahy	0	0	-	4
Loutos	3	3	100%	0
Robertson	0	0	-	0
Rodriguez	0	0	-	0
Roycroft	0	0	-	0
Santos	0	1	0%	0
Thomas	1	2	<b>50</b> %	2
TOTAL	6	9	<b>67</b> %	9

WEATHER NOTES				
4/2	7-2 W @IND	:33 pregame rain delay		
4/3	PPD	RAIN @ INDIANAPOLIS		
4/4	7-5 L@IND	1:27 pregame rain delay		
4/9	15-2 L vNAS	Rain-shortened in 6th		
4/10	PPD	RAIN VS NASHVILLE		
4/21	PPD	RAIN @ GWINNETT		

CURRENT INJURED LIST					
PLAYER Wilking Rodriquez	INJURY Shoulder	DATE ON 4/13	RETRO	GAMES MISSED 17	

# **REHABILITATION ASSIGNMENTS**

PLAYER	INJURY	DATE O	N DATE	OFF STATS
Lars Nootbaar	Rib	4/2	4/9	3-17 5 R 1 RBI 3 BB
Dylan Carlson	Shoulder	4/30	5/4	3-11 2 R 1 HR 1 RBI 3 BB 1 SO
Matt Carpenter	Oblique	5/7		2-3 1 R 1 HR 2 RBI 1 BB

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DATE PLAYER/STAFF UMPIRE REASON



Date Opp.	Score W-L Pos. GA/GBAtt. Winner/Loser/Save	START OF SECOND HALF
MARCH/APRIL (12-15	5) Batting: .242 (205-for-846) Pitching: 12-15-6, 4.84 ERA (225.0 IP, 121 ER)	25@GWN 6:05 PM 7:05 PM ET
3/29CLT	6-5 W 1-0 T-1st - 4201 Thomas/Berroa/King	26@GWN 6:05 PM 7:05 PM ET
3/30CLT	10-3 W 2-0 T-1st - 2382 James/Shuster	27@GWN 6:05 PM 7:05 PM ET
3/31CLT	6-2 L 2-1 T-2nd 0.5 Toussaint/Graceffo/Anderson	28@GWN 6:05 PM 7:05 PM ET
2@IND 4@IND	7-2 W 3-1 T-1st - 9439 Robberse/Alldred/Loutos 7-5 L 3-2 T-2nd 0.5 2113 Plassmeyer/Santos/Franzua	29@GWN 5:05 PM 6:05 PM ET
5@IND	8-3 L 3-3 T-5th 1.0 4376 Lauer/McGreevy	30@GWN 12:05 PM 1:05 PM ET  JULY (0-0) Batting: .000 (0-for-0) Pitching: 0-0-0, 0.00 ERA (0.0 IP, 0 ER)
6@IND#Δ	5-4 (7) L3-4 T-9th 2.5 5111 Peralta/Kloffenstein/Franzua	JULY (0-0) Batting: .000 (0-for-0) Pitching: 0-0-0, 0.00 ERA (0.0 IP, 0 ER) 1NAS 7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT
6@IND Δ	7-5 (7) L3-5 T-9th 2.5 5111 Sadzeck/Graceffo/Honeywell	2NAS 7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT
7@IND	3-2 W 4-5 T-6th 2.0 4134 Robberse/McClure/Loutos	3NAS 6:00 PM 6:00 PM CT
9NAS Δ	15-2(6)L4-6 T-9th 2.0 1036 Junk/Santos	4@NAS 6:05 PM 6:05 PM CT
11NAS	6-1 W 5-6 T-6th 2.5 1157 McGreevy/McKendry	5@NAS 6:35 PM 6:35 PM CT
12NASΔ	6-0 W 6-6 T-7th 2.0 1860 Graceffo/Rodriguez 9-0 L 6-7 T-7th 2.0 1860 Myers/Kloffenstein	6@NAS 6:35 PM 6:35 PM CT
12NAS#Δ 13NAS	9-0 L 6-7 T-7th 2.0 1860 Myers/Kloffenstein 8-3 W 7-7 T-4th 2.0 3354 King/Ashby	9NOR 7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT
14NAS	8-4 L 7-8 T-5th 3.0 1704 Zastryzny/Santos	10NOR 7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT 11NOR 7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT
16@GWN	6-5 L 7-9 T-7th 4.0 1309 Elder/McGreevy/Kerr	12NOR 7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT
17@GWN	2-1 L 7-10 T-9th 4.0 2066 Winans/Leahy	13NOR 6:35 PM 6:35 PM CT
18@GWN	3-1 W 8-10 7th 3.5 1569 Graceffo/Dodd/King	14NOR 1:05 PM 1:05 PM CT
19@GWN	4-1 W 9-10 T-6th 2.0 2627 Robberse/Logue/Thomas	19IOW 7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT
20@GWN	4-2 W 10-10 T-4th 2.0 4051 Santos/Stephens/Loutos	20IOW 6:35 PM 6:35 PM CT
21@GWN#	PPD DATE TBD	21IOW 1:05 PM 1:05 PM CT
23JAX 24JAX	10-1 L 10-11 T-6th 3.0 1302 Chirinos/McGreevy 5-2 L 10-12 7th 4.0 1671 McCaughan/Kloffenstein/Arias	23@COL 4:05 PM 5:05 PM ET
25JAX	9-5 L 10-13 T-8th 3.5 1634 Smeltzer/Leahy	24@COL 11:05 AM 12:05 PM ET 25@COL 6:05 PM 7:05 PM ET
26JAX	4-3 W 11-13 8th 3.5 1391 Loutos/Andriese	26@COL 6:05 PM 7:05 PM ET
27JAX	10-1 W 12-13 T-6th 3.5 4298 Thompson/Meyer	27@COL 6:05 PM 7:05 PM ET
28JAX	5-3 L 12-14 T-7th 3.5 2405 Arias/Santos/Villalobos	28@COL 12:05 PM 1:05 PM ET
30@CLT	4-3 L 12-15 8th 3.5 6004 Kuhl/Kloffenstein	30@DUR 5:35 PM 6:35 PM ET
MAY (5-1)	Batting: .269 (57-for-212) Pitching: 5-1-1, 3.11 ERA (55.0 IP, 19 ER)	31@DUR 5:35 PM 6:35 PM ET
1@CLT	7-3 W 13-15 T-6th 3.0 5048 Graceffo/Woodford	AUGUST (0-0) Batting: .000 (0-for-0) Pitching: 0-0-0, 0.00 ERA (0.0 IP, 0 ER)
2@CLT	5-1 W 14-15 6th 3.0 6032 Robberse/Dominguez 5-0 W 15-15 5th 2.5 8136 Pallante/Nastrini	1@DUR 5:35 PM 6:35 PM ET
3@CLT 4@CLT	5-0 W 15-15 5th 2.5 8136 Pallante/Nastrini 9-2 W 16-15 T-3rd 3.0 5845 McGreevy/Cannon/Santos	2@DUR 5:35 PM 6:35 PM ET
5@CLT^	7-6 W 17-15 T-3rd 3.0 5052 Bosiokovic/Berroa	3@DUR 5:35 PM 6:35 PM ET 4@DUR 4:05 PM 5:05 PM ET
7NOR	9-4 L 17-16 T-3rd 3.0 1440 Povich/Graceffo	6GWN 6:45 PM 6:45 PM CT
8NOR	6:05 PM 6:05 PM CT	7GWN 6:45 PM 6:45 PM CT
9NOR	11:05 AM 11:05 AM CT	8GWN 6:45 PM 6:45 PM CT
10NOR	12:05 PM 12:05 PM CT	9GWN 7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT
11NOR	3:05 PM 3:05 PM CT	10GWN 6:35 PM 6:35 PM CT
12NOR	1:05 PM 1:05 PM CT	11GWN 1:05 PM 1:05 PM CT
14GWN	6:45 PM 6:45 PM CT	13@JAX 6:05 PM 7:05 PM ET
15GWN 16GWN	12:05 PM 12:05 PM CT 11:05 AM 11:05 AM CT	14@JAX 6:05 PM 7:05 PM ET
17GWN	7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT	15@JAX 6:05 PM 7:05 PM ET 16@JAX 6:05 PM 7:05 PM ET
18GWN	6:35 PM 6:35 PM CT	17@JAX 5:35 PM 6:35 PM ET
19GWN	1:05 PM 1:05 PM CT	18@JAX 4:05 PM 5:05 PM ET
21@DUR	5:35 PM 6:35 PM ET	20CLT 6:45 PM 6:45 PM CT
22@DUR	5:35 PM 6:35 PM ET	21CLT 6:45 PM 6:45 PM CT
23@DUR	5:35 PM 6:35 PM ET	22CLT 6:45 PM 6:45 PM CT
24@DUR	5:35 PM 6:35 PM ET	23CLT 7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT
25@DUR 26@DUR	5:35 PM 6:35 PM ET 4:05 PM 5:05 PM ET	24CLT 6:35 PM 6:35 PM CT
28 NAS	4:05 PM 5:05 PM ET 7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT	25QLV 1:05 PM 1:05 PM CT 27@IOW 6:38 PM 6:38 PM CT
29NAS	7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT	27@IOW 6:38 PM 6:38 PM CT 28@IOW 12:08 PM 12:08 PM CT
30NAS	7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT	29@IOW 6:38 PM 6:38 PM CT
31NAS	7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT	30@IOW 7:08 PM 7:08 PM CT
JUNE (0-0)	Batting: .000 (0-for-0) Pitching: 0-0-0, 0.00 ERA (0.0 IP, 0 ER)	31@IOW 6:08 PM 6:08 PM CT
1NAS	6:35 PM 6:35 PM CT	SEPTEMBER (0-0) Batting: .000 (0-for-0) Pitching: 0-0-0, 0.00 ERA (0.0 IP, 0 ER)
2NAS	1:05 PM 1:05 PM CT	1@IOW 1:08 PM 1:08 PM CT
4@OMA 5@OMA	7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT	3OMA 6:45 PM 6:45 PM CT
6@OMA	7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT 7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT	4OMA 6:45 PM 6:45 PM CT 5OMA 6:45 PM 6:45 PM CT
7@OMA	7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT	5OMA 6:45 PM 6:45 PM CT 6OMA 7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT
8@OMA	6:05 PM 6:05 PM CT	7OMA 6:05 PM 6:05 PM CT
9@OMA	5:05 PM 5:05 PM CT	8OMA 1:05 PM 1:05 PM CT
11@NOR	5:35 PM 6:35 PM ET	10@NAS 6:35 PM 6:35 PM CT
12@NOR	5:35 PM 6:35 PM ET	11@NAS 6:35 PM 6:35 PM CT
13@NOR	11:05 AM 12:05 PM ET	12@NAS 6:35 PM 6:35 PM CT
14@NOR	5:35 PM 6:35 PM ET	13@NAS 6:35 PM 6:35 PM CT
15@NOR 16@NOR	5:35 PM 6:35 PM ET 12:05 PM 1:05 PM ET	14@NAS 6:35 PM 6:35 PM CT
16@NOR 18JAX	12:05 PM 1:05 PM ET 12:05 PM 12:05 PM CT	15@NAS 6:05 PM 6:05 PM CT
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20JAX	7:05 PM 7:05 PM CT	19DUR 6:45 PM 6:45 PM CT
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22JAX	6:35 PM 6:35 PM CT	21DUR 3:05 PM 3:05 PM CT
23JAX	1:05 PM 1:05 PM CT	22DUR 1:05 PM 1:05 PM CT
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