

♠ RENO ACES BULLPEN ♠																
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RELIEVER	W-L	ERA	SV-SVO	HLD	IR-IS	PCT	SCORELESS		K/9	K%	BB/9	BB%	BABIP	LOB%	FIP	xFIP
							STREAK	IP								
AMENDT	2-2	6.75	0-2	0	2-2	1.000	1 (9/7)	1.0	12.54	26.5%	10.61	22.4%	.333	69.9%	5.97	6.15
BACKHUS	2-1	2.89	0-0	5	8-0	.000	8 (8/15)	7.0	10.29	26.2%	4.18	10.7%	.229	75.5%	4.77	4.49
CASTILLO	1-0	5.87	0-0	4	1-0	.000	1 (9/7)	1.0	8.80	22.1%	2.93	7.4%	.370	61.9%	3.90	3.88
DIAZ	3-4	3.22	0-0	0	0-0	.000	2 (9/1)	3.2	11.26	29.9%	3.22	8.5%	.344	71.2%	3.49	3.95
HUGHES	1-4	2.09	1-2	7	20-8	.400	1 (9/6)	0.2	8.94	23.9%	3.42	9.1%	.302	81.3%	4.01	5.08
JACQUES	1-0	4.22	2-4	4	21-13	.619	5 (8/25)	3.1	7.88	19.7%	3.66	9.2%	.299	63.0%	3.68	4.83
MCGOUGH	1-2	3.51	6-10	3	10-3	.300	5 (8/27)	4.1	8.91	22.4%	4.86	12.2%	.309	64.9%	4.25	5.01
MONTE DE OCA	4-5	5.75	7-9	0	9-1	.111	3 (9/1)	3.2	7.49	18.1%	3.14	7.6%	.323	60.1%	5.26	5.16
POPE	6-3	5.77	1-2	7	12-8	.666	1 (9/8)	1.0	11.38	26.4%	5.60	13.0%	.403	65.0%	4.02	4.67
RICE	0-0	0.0	0-0	0	0-0	.000	2 (9/6)	2.0	9.00	25.0%	9.00	25.0%	.250	100.0%	4.83	6.67
UELLEN	0-0	4.76	0-1	3	4-1	.250	4 (8/23)	3.2	7.94	18.2%	4.76	10.9%	.343	72.9%	6.05	6.11

#50| AUSTIN POPE | RHP

6-2 ♦ 215♥ 24

vs ELP: 1.2 IP, 2 ER, 0 BB, 0 K

♠ Drafted in the 15th round (452 overall) in the 2019 draft.

♣ Played collegiately Fairfield (CT)... majored in business... 2018 & 2019 MAAC All-Academic Team... Completed the final season of his collegiate career with a 4-3 record and a 3.16 ERA in 77.0 innings with 79 SO... Ranked 2nd in the MAAC in BAA (.201)... Ranked 3rd in ERA (3.16) and 9th in SO (79)

#39| JAKE RICE| LHP

6-1 ♦ 220♥ 27

vs ELP: 2.0 IP, 0 ER, 2 BB, 2 K

♣ Joined the Aces on Sept 1, 2024... Originally drafted by ARI in the ninth round (258 overall) in the 2021 MLB Draft.

♥ Attended Kennesaw State University... Finished the 2021 season with an ERA of 1.97, the second-lowest season ratio in KSU Division I history... ASUN First Team All-Conference.

#41 | KYLE AMENDT | RHP **6-5 ♦ 237 ♥ 24**
vs ELP: 1.2 IP, 1 ER, 2 BB, 3 K
♣ Joined the Aces bullpen after spending the majority of the year with Hillsboro and Amarillo... Originally drafted in the ninth round (265 overall) by Arizona in the 2023 MLB draft.
♥ Attended Dallas Baptist University and pursued his MBA in Project Management Technologies... Held a 1.45 ERA with 12 SV, 14 BB, and 51 K in 25.2 IP in his Junior year in 2023.
♣ Four-year letterman at Pleasantville High School... Was a two-time All-Conference and Academic All-Conference selection during his prep career.

#18 | KYLE BACKHUS | LHP **6-4 ♦ 185 ♥ 26**
SERIES: 2.1 IP, 0 ER, 0 BB, 4 K
♣ Joined the Aces On 5/4... Signed as an undrafted free agent with ARI on Jul. 20, 2021... Classifies himself as a "sidearmner".
♣ Played collegiately at Sam Houston State for five seasons (2017-21) attended Willis HS in New Waverly, Tex.

#60 | JOSE CASTILLO | LHP **6-6 ♦ 252 ♥ 28**
vs ELP:1.1 IP, 3 ER, 1 BB, 0 K
♣ Joined the Aces on 7/19 after speing time on the IL with a shoulder injury... Signed a minor league contract with ARI on Dec. 4, 2023.
♦ Made his MLB-debut on 6/2/18 with the San Diego Padres... Recorded a 3.29 ERA with a 52:12 K: BB in 38 1/3 innings his rookie year with SD.
♥ Reigns from Valencia, Venezuela where Mariner legend Felix Hernandez and Royals Captain Salvador Perez were born.

#31| BRANDON HUGHES | LHP **6-2♦ 215♥ 28**
vs ELP: 0-2, 3.0 IP, 2 R/ 1 ER, 1 BB, 4 K
♣ Signed a minor league contract with ARI on Feb. 1, 2024...Originally drafted as an OF by CHC in the 16th round of the 2017 draft... converted to a pitcher in 2019.
♦ Made MLB debut May 17, 2022... Earned his first career save after pitching a scoreless ninth inning against the Orioles on Aug. 18, 2022.

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PLAYER	BB%	K%	ISO	SPD	BABIP	wRAA	wOBA	wRC+	xBA	xSLG	xwOBA	EV(MPH)	LA (°)	HARD	HIT%	
ALCANTARA	14.3%	18.2%	.152	6.9	.342	6.7	.373	111	.254	.340	.321	85.8	11	24.1%		
ALEXANDER	7.1%	31.3%	.167	5.4	.369	-3.3	.335	87	.239	.356	.303	88.3	7	43.8%		
BARROSA	12.1%	18.9%	.145	5.3	.315	-1.7	.348	96	.220	.310	.288	86.7	10	30.3%		
BRIGMAN	6.5%	14.4%	.145	5.8	.371	8.7	.381	116	.247	.326	.284	85.2	10	20.7%		
ENGLISH	6.6%	19.0%	.171	4.1	.309	-5.0	.343	92	.252	.408	.319	89.5	11	38.5%		
GARLICK	11.6%	26.8%	.206	3.5	.291	-8.4	.339	90	.222	.381	.311	88.5	17	38.7%		
HERNANDEZ	4.4%	15.7%	.184	1.2	.337	3.7	.373	111	.262	.406	.314	87.3	12	39.2%		
KNIZNER	6.6%	21.1%	.132	5.0	.353	-0.4	.350	97	.259	.354	.303	88.3	8	45.3%		
PEREZ	15.4%	11.5%	.297	1.7	.472	12.7	.534	213	.315	.523	.408	90.3	23	39.3%		
TAWA	7.1%	19.6%	.277	5.6	.324	4.0	.395	125	.281	.492	.363	91.7	7	52.5%		
VUKOVICH (AMA)	9.4%	29.9%	.189	4.2	.366	14.6	.363	124	----	----	----	----	----	----		
WEBER	0.0%	36.4%	.200	5.1	.571	0.4	.391	122	.224	.256	.206	85.6	15	14.3%		

#4 | SERGIO ALCANTARA | SS **5-10 ♦ 150 ♦ 27**
vs ELP: 11-FOR-21, 1 2B, 1 3B, 1 HR, 10 RBI, 2 BB, 1 SB
♣ Traded to ARI from PIT for cash... originally signed a minor league contract w/ ARI on July 10, 2012 as an international free agent.
vs Fastballs: 73-for-222 (.329)/.443/.518, 24 XBH (6 HR), 46 BB, .371 xwOBA, .370 BABIP
♦ Played 34 games w/ RNO in '23... .264/.392/.372 with 2 HR, 19 RBI and 25 BB... pursued free agency after the 2023 season.
Second-Half: 54-for-183 (.295)/.405/.448, 16 XBH (4 HR), 27 RBI, 33 BB
#9 | BLAZE ALEXANDER | SS/2B/3B **5-11 ♦ 160 ♦ 25**
vs ELP: 4-FOR-20, 3 2B, 1 RBI, 3 BB
♣ 41-for-166 (.247)/.321/.343, 7 2B, 3 HR, 21 RBI, 15 BB inn 61 games with the Arizona Diamonbacks this season... Originally drafted in the 11th round (339 overall) by ARI in the 2018 MLB Draft.
♦ Ranked as the Dbacks #11 prospect in 2023... Scouting grades: Hit: 45 | Power: 55 | Run: 50 | Arm: 70 | Field: 55 | Overall: 45
♣ Was named to the Dbacks Opening Day Roster and was in the starting lineup on Opening Day against the Rockies' Kyle Freeland... Recorded his first MLB knock in his debut on 3/28/24, an RBI single off Anthony Molina to score Gabriel Moreno and cap off a 14 run inning for Arizona.
♥ Brother, CJ, is an IF in the KC organization ... cousin to CLE SP Zach Plesac ... uncle is former MLB P & MLB Network personality Dan Plesac.

#1 | JORGE BARROSA | CF/RF/LF **5-5 ♦ 165 ♦ 23**
vs ELP: 3-FOR-14, 1 RBI, 1 BB
♣ Returned to Reno's lineup on 9/6... Owns a .176/.176/.294 slashline with 2 2B and 1 RBI in 8 games with ARI this seasoon... Signed W/ ARI as an international free agent on July 2nd, 2017.
♦ Currently ranked as the #12 prospect in the D-Backs System.
♥ MLB Pipeline Scouting Grades: Hit: 50 | Power: 35 | Run: 60 | Arm: 45 | Field: 70 | Overall: 45
♣ Hails from same hometown which also produced MLB stars Jose Altuve, Wilson and William Contreras.

#6 | BRYSON BRIGMAN| INF/OF **5-11 ♦ 180 ♦ 28**
vs ELP: 7-FOR-22, 1 HR, 5 RBI, 1 BB
♣ Signed a minor league contract with ARI on Mar. 16, 2024.
♦ Was originally drafted by SEA in the third round (87 overall) in the 2016 draft.
RISP: 35-for-97 (.361)/.400/.536, 11 XBH (2 HR), 47 RBI, 9 BB
♥ Won three World Championships while playing for the USA National teams... 2011 USA 16U championship team... back-to-back 18U championship teams in 2012 and 2013.
Two Strikes: 38-for-134 (.284)/.345/.403, 5 2B, 1 3B, 3 HR, 438 BABIP
♣ While attending University of San Diego... named the West Coast Conference Freshman of the Year.
Second-Half: 61-for-183 (.333)/.386/.492, 8 2B, 7 HR, 38 RBI, 15 BB

#56 | JOE JACQUES | LHP **6-2 ♦ 210 ♥ 29**
vs ELP: 1.1 IP, 0 ER, 0 BB, 3 K, 1 HLD
♣ Claimed off waivers from the Boston Red Sox by ARI on 4/23/24... joined the Aces on 4/24... Originally drafted by PIT in round 33 (984 overall) of the 2018 MLB draft.
♦ Made his MLB debut with BOS on 6/12/23 against COL and only faced one batter... however, he returned to the mound the next day a notched 2.0 innings of work wihtout allowing a run in three hits.
♥ Attended Manhattan College where he finished 8th in school history with 209 strikeouts and 10th with 256.2 innings.
#23| SCOTT MCGOUGH| RHP **5-11 ♦ 190 ♥ 34**
vs ELP: 3.0 IP, 0 ER, 3 BB, 1 K, 1 SV
♣ Originally drafted by LAD in the fifth round (164 overall) in the 2011 MLB Draft... Signed by ARI on Dec. 15, 2022 after spending the 2019-2022 playing professionally in Japan.
♥ Played collegiately at the University of Oregon... His Junior year, he set an OU record in appearances (31) while pitching to a 3.59 ERA with 5 saves in 57.2 innings and 62 strikeouts.
♦ His father, Tom, played for the Cleveland Indians from 1973-1980.

#54| CHRISTIAN MONTES DE OCA | RHP **6-4♦ 230 ♥ 24**
vs ELP: 3.1 IP, 0 ER, 0 BB, 0 K
♣ Joined the Aces on 4/18... signed by ARI as an international free agent on December 14, 2021.
♥ Reigns from Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic where former MLB players Pedro Alvarez and Aristides Aquino are from.
♦ Posted a solid 4.28 ERA with 55 strikeouts and nine saves in 61.0 IP with Double-A Amarillo in 2022.

#32 | TRISTIN ENGLISH | 1B/RF **6-0 ♦ 208 ♦ 25**
vs ELP: 5-FOR-26, 1 2B, 2 BB
♣ Originally selected by CLE in the 39th Round of the 2015 MLB Draft but enrolled at Georgia Tech... majored in Business Admin.
RISP: 32-for-106 (.302)/.394/.368, 4 2B, 1 HR, 38 RBI, 12 BB
♦ Selected by ARI in Rd. 3, Overall Pick 93 in the 2019 MLB Draft after hitting .346 with 18 HR, 71 RBI's over 58 games in the Cape Cod League where he was named an All-star.
Second-Half: 52-for-178 (.292)/.359/.483, 15 XBH (9 HR), 29 RBI, 15 BB
♥ Named 2023 Organizational All-star by MiLB.com
♣ His favorite player as a kid was Chipper Jones.

#17 | KYLE GARLICK | LF/1B/DH **6-1 ♦ 210 ♦ 32**
vs ELP: 1-FOR-11, 1 RBI, 2 BB
♣ Signed a minor league contract with ARI on Feb. 23, 2024... 5th in Barrels (31) in the PCL.
PCL Player of the Week July 9-14: 8-for-16 (.500)/.556/1.313, 6 XBH (3 HR), 11 RBI, 2 BB
♦ Set the Cal Poly Pomona HR record in 2015 with 17.
♥ Drafted by the Dodgers in the 28th round of the 2015 draft.
vs Fastballs: 70-for-256 (.273)/.377/.461, 24 XBH (11 HR), 40 BB, 17 Barrels, .351 xwOBA, .317 BABIP
♣ Made MLB debut on May 17th, 2019.
RISP: 49-for-170 (.288)/.352/.594, 24 XBH (13 HR), 80 RBI, 20 BB
♣ Recorded his first MLB hit on June 8th, 2019: pinch hit double off Jeff Samardzija.
#28 | RONALDO HERNANDEZ | C/1B **6-1 ♦ 248 ♦ 26**
vs ELP: 4-FOR-17, 1 RBI
♣ Signed with TBR as an international free agent 2014... Signed a minor league deal with ARI on JAN. 2, 2024.
♦ Named to 2019 All-Star Futures Game.
♥ Traded to BOS with Nick Sogard for Chris Mazza and Jeffery Springs... Was ranked TBR #4 Prospect in 2019.

#34 | ANDREW KNIZNER | C **6-0 ♦ 225 ♦ 29**
vs ELP: 6-FOR-14, 2 2B, 3 RBI, 5 BB
♣ Originally drafted by the St. Louis Cardinals in the 7th round (226 overall) of the 2016 draft... Was claimed off waivers from the Texas Rangers by Arizona on August 8, 2024.
♦ Appeared in 255 games over 5 seasons with STL (2019-23), batting .216 (154-for-714) with 31 2B, 17 HR, 76 RBI and 62 BB... In 37 games with TEX this season, hit .167 (15-for-90) with 1 2B, 1 HR and 9 RBI.
♥ Attended North Carolina State... First Wolfpack freshman to earn all-conference since Carlos Rodon in 2012; Hit .330 with 69 hits, 47 RBIs, 11 2B, 1 3B, and 4 HR

vs ELP: 1.2 IP, 2 ER, 0 BB, 0 K
♣ Drafted in the 15th round (452 overall) in the 2019 draft.
♦ Played collegiately Fairfield (CT)... majored in business... 2018 & 2019 MAAC All-Academic Team... Completed the final season of his collegiate career with a 4-3 record and a 3.16 ERA in 77.0 innings with 79 SO...Ranked 2nd in the MAAC in BAA (.201)...Ranked 3rd in ERA (3.16) and 9th in SO (79)
#39| JAKE RICE| LHP **6-1 ♦ 220 ♥ 27**
vs ELP: 2.0 IP, 0 ER, 2 BB, 2 K
♣ Joined the Aces on Sept 1, 2024... Originally drafted by ARI in the ninth round (258 overall) in the 2021 MLB Draft.
♥ Attended Kennesaw State University... Finished the 2021 season with an ERA of 1.97, the second-lowest season ratio in KSU Division I history... ASUN First Team All-Conference.
#27| ERICH UELLEN | RHP **6-3♦ 195♥ 28**
vs ELP: 1.0 IP, 0 ER, 3 BB, 0 K
♣ Joined the Aces on 6/22... Originally drafted by the Chicago Cubs in the fourth round (135 overall) in the 2017 MLB Draft... ARI signed him to a minor league contract on 6/6/24.
♥ Appeared in 25 games for CHC in 2022, registering a 5.79 ERA with strikeouts and 12 walks in 27 innings... Came in for relief once in 2023 for the Philadelphia Phillies, allowing four runs on three hits in one inning.
♦ Attended California Polytechnic State University... majored in industrial technology... Was the Friday night starter as a junior in 2017... He fanned 100 over 98 1/3 innings and closed out his Mustang career with a six-hit shutout and a career-high 12 strikeouts in a 1-0 triumph over UC Riverside.

#7 | MICHAEL PEREZ | C **5-10 ♦ 195 ♦ 31**
vs ELP: 6-FOR-12, 3 2B, 2 HR, 2 RBI, 1 BB
♣ Originally drafted in the 5th round (154th overall) of the 2011 MLB draft by ARI... Has bounced around the league, playing for the Rays, Pirates, Mets, Orioles, and Mariners organizations before reuniting with Arizona and signing a MiLB contract with them on July 31, 2024.
♦ Was named an MiLB.com Organization All-Star in 2012 with ARI... Made his MLB debut on July 16, 2018 as a member of the Tampa Bay Rays... Spent parts of the 2018 season with RNO before being traded to Tampa Bay: .284/.342/.417, 16 XBH (6 HR), 29 RBI
#16 | TIM TAWA | INF **5-10 ♦ 196 ♦ 25**
vs ELP: 7-FOR-22, 1 2B, 2 HR, 3 RBI, 4 BB
♣ Drafted in the 11th round (318 overall) by ARI in the 2021 draft... Before his promotion to Triple-A Reno on 8/20, Tawa led the Tex League (AA) in HR (21), XBH (45), and Total-Bases (200)... 2nd in RBI (64)... 3rd in Hits (111)
♦ 2017 Gatorade Oregon Player of the Year out of West Linn High School... Three-time Gatorade Football Player of the Year (‘14-’16).
PCL Player of the Week August 20-25: 9-for-24 (.375)/.464/.833, 6 XBH (2 HR), 5 RBI, 3 BB... Led PCL in Total-Bases
♥ Hit .274 with 132 R, 43 doubles, 3 triples, 28 HR and 123 RBI during his career at Stanford... studied Communications.
Two-Outs: 13-for-37 (.351)/.415/.676, 8 XBH (2 HR), 6 RBI, 3 BB
♣ 2018 PAC-12 Champion... 2021 College World Series All-Tournamnt Team.

#55 | A.J. VUKOVICH| OF **6-4 ♦ 210 ♦ 23**
AMA: .270/.342/.458, 49 XBH (17 HR), 80 RBI, 48 BB, 512 PA
♣ Drafted by ARI in the 4th round (119 overall) in the 2020 MLB draft... Ranked as the #14 prospect in the D-Backs system in 2023... Scouting grades: Hit: 45 | Power: 55 | Run: 50 | Arm: 55 | Field: 45 | Overall: 45
♥ Joined the Aces on 9/10... Was riding an 8-game hitting streak with the Sod Poodles prior to his promotion: 11-for-26 (.423)/.4 2B, 4 RBI, 5 BB... Led the Texas League in RBI (80), XBH (49), TB (209); T-2nd 2B (29); 3rd Hits (123); 4th SLG (.458); T-4th HR (17); 6th OPS (.800) before his AAA debut.
♣ Originally was recruited to Louisville but chose to sign with Arizona, who gave him a \$1.25 million bonus, almost \$800,000 above slot.
♦ Finalist for Wisconsin's 2020 Mr. Basketball award after averaging 27.8 points and 13.1 rebounds per game in High School.
#5 | ANDY WEBER| 2B **5-11 ♦ 190 ♦ 27**
vs ELP: 4-FOR-11, 1 3B, 4 RBI
♣ Joined Reno on Sept. 1 2024... Was selected in the 2023 Rule 5 Draft by ARI.
♦ Drafted in the 5th round (158 overall) by CHC in the 2018 draft.
♥ Led the University of Virginia in BA (.344), H (72), R (42), doubles (19), triples (3), HR (5), RBI (49),TB (112), SLG% (.536) and OBP (.415) in 2018.
♣ Was an MiLB.com Organization All-Star in 2022 with CHC.