

TODAY'S CAPTAINS GAME 2 STARTING PITCHER

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Jack Leftwich
RHP

Born (Age): September 26, 1998 (23)

Hometown: Orlando, FL

School: University of Florida

HT: 6'4" | **WT:** 220 lbs | **Bats:** R | **Throws:** R

Acquired: 2021 Draft – 7th Round (216th overall)

Pitch Selection: Fastball, Slider, Changeup

2022 Statistics													
Team	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	SO
LYN	4	2	2.39	14	5	1	--	60.1	43	20	16	1	84
LC	4	0	3.13	9	9	--	--	46	31	17	16	4	53
Total	8	2	2.71	23	14	1	--	106.1	74	37	32	5	137

NCAA Statistics												
Year	Team	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	IP	SO	BB	WHIP
2018	UF	5	5	4.20	24	12	0	0	81.1	84	26	1.19
2019	UF	6	5	5.31	13	13	0	1	62.2	68	18	1.37
2020	UF	2	0	4.15	4	4	0	0	21.2	23	8	1.10
2021	UF	7	4	3.36	24	6	0	0	69.2	78	22	1.09
Total	NCAA	20	14	4.25	65	35	0	1	235.1	247	74	1.20

LAST TIME OUT: Jack Leftwich had a dominant start in Midland, Michigan on Tuesday. The right-hander went six innings, striking out nine, and retired the final nine batters he faced. It was the fourth of nine starts where the 2021 Seventh Round Pick completed six with the Captains.

CAROLINA LEAGUE'S BEST: On June 30th following Leftwich's last start, he ranked first in many individual pitching statistical categories. Leftwich compiled 84 strikeouts, a strikeout to nine ratio of 12.53 and had the lowest walk percentage at 4.3%. The Cedar Rapids born Leftwich also kept batters to a batting average of .195 and posted a 0.88 WHIP, both top marks.

GATOR CHOMP: Leftwich had a decorated career as a four-year player at the University of Florida. The right-hander was a member of the 2019 NCAA Lubbock All-Regional Team, helping Florida to their only win in three games played that year, a 13-5 victory over Army - West Point. Leftwich went seven complete innings, allowing one hit and one run with seven strikeouts. Fellow Captains Starter Tommy Mace and Jack Leftwich were teammates for all four years in Gainesville and drafted in the same year. They are roommates on the road but not during home series due to Leftwich joining Lake County in mid-season.

STARTER & RELIEVER: At the University of Florida, Leftwich transitioned from a starter to a reliever in his senior season. He told Guardians Baseball Insider's Justin Lada "I just do whatever my coaches want me to do. I kind of ran with it. I started to like the closer role. It was nice to sit back and then hurry to get warmed up."

LOOKOUT ON LEFTWICH: Cleveland Director of Amateur Scouting Scott Barnsby added "A plus-fastball and great progression on his breaking ball, we feel the slider has a chance to also be a plus-pitch"

TOP GUN: The product of TNXL Academy was the number one ranked pitcher and seventh overall player in the state of Florida in the Perfect Game Class of 2017. TNXL Academy is an alternative to high school that prepares players for the next level. "My junior year of high school was the first year of TNXL and now it has turned into this big thing."

2022 Game-By-Game (Captains)												
Date	Opp	Dec	IP	H	R	ER	HR	SO	BB	Result		
7/4	@ FW	W	6.1	1	0	0	0	4	2	W 6-0		
7/12	vs. DAY	W	6	2	0	0	0	11	0	W 1-0		
7/26	@ SB	ND	4	6	4	4	2	7	0	L 8-4		
7/31	@ SB	ND	4	2	3	3	1	2	2	L 9-8		
8/6	vs. GL	W	6	5	0	0	0	4	0	W 6-3		
8/12	vs. FW	ND	5	3	1	1	0	3	2	W 3-1		
8/18	@ WM	ND	5	2	3	2	0	4	4	W 7-3		
8/24	vs. CR	ND	3.2	7	5	5	1	9	1	W 10-9		
8/30	@ GL	W	6	3	1	1	0	9	0	W 8-1		
9/4	@ GL GM 2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
Total	--	--	46	31	17	16	4	53	11			

* Relief Appearance

2022 Highs (Captains)	
INNINGS.....	6.1 (@ FW 7/4)
STRIKEOUTS.....	11 (vs. DAY 7/12)
WALKS.....	4 (@ WM 8/18)
HITS.....	6 (@ SB 7/26)
RUNS.....	5 (vs. CR 8/24)
EARNED RUNS.....	5 (vs. CR 8/24)
HR.....	2 (@ SB 7/26)
FEWEST HITS (5+IP).....	1 (@ FW 7/4)
LAST WIN: @ GL 8/30	
LAST LOSS: --	
LAST HR ALLOWED: @ SB 7/31	
NO-HITTER/PERFECT GAME:	

Career-Highs	
INNINGS.....	7 (@ DEL 6/23/22)
STRIKEOUTS.....	11 (vs. DAY 7/12/22)
WALKS.....	4 (@ WM 8/18)
HITS.....	9 (vs. SAL 6/29/22)
RUNS.....	5 (vs. CR 8/24)
EARNED RUNS.....	5 (vs. CR 8/24)
HR.....	2 (@ SB 7/26/22)
FEWEST HITS (5+IP).....	1 (6IP) (@ FBG 6/11/22)