

CLEARWATER THRESHERS

2022 Official Game Notes

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Clearwater Threshers (2-8, 37-38)

AT

Dunedin Blue Jays (6-3, 34-41)

Wednesday, July 6, 2022

Game #76 | Road Game #37

TD Ballpark | Dunedin, FL | 6:30 PM

RHP Eiberson Castellano (1-1, 2.03 ERA) vs. TBD

LAST TIME OUT: For the second time in less than one week, the Clearwater Threshers had a six-game series opener cut short by weather, as the Threshers fell to the Dunedin Blue Jays 3-1 in 6.5 innings on Independence Day at TD Ballpark. The contest was ruled official after the end of the top of the seventh due to wet grounds. Right-hander Starlyn Castillo made his first start of the season on the mound for Clearwater, allowing three runs on four hits while walking two and striking out four in three innings of work. The Threshers (2-8, 37-38) used three singles in the first from Leandro Pineda, Marcus Lee Sang, and an RBI base knock from Kendall Simmons to make it 1-0 early. The Blue Jays (6-3, 34-41) responded immediately however, scratching across two runs in the home half of the first and one more in the third to grab a 3-1 advantage. Left-hander Tristan Garnett and righty Victor Lopez combined to work three scoreless innings on the bump, allowing only one hit to keep the deficit at 3-1. The Threshers offense fell silent the rest of the way though, going 1-2-3 for five consecutive innings and mustering up only four hits in dropping a fourth straight game.

FOR STARTERS: Right-hander Eiberson Castellano will make his sixth start (10th appearance) of the season for the Threshers on Wednesday night...Holds an 1-1 record with 2.03 ERA...Last start on June 29 vs. Lakeland, allowed two runs, one earned on five hits with one walk and seven strikeouts in 5 innings, charged with loss...Made 16 appearances in Dominican Summer League in 2021 (2-1, 1.09 ERA)...Signed Minor League free agent deal with Phillies in July 2018...from Maracaibo, VZ



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SHARK BITES: vs. Dunedin in 2022: 7-6, Threshers will host Dunedin July 26-31 in the final meeting of season....**NEW MONTH:** The Threshers finished the month of June at 14-12, but are off to an 0-4 start in July... **FUN FACT:** Sunday night's crowd of 8,017 at BayCare Ballpark was the largest the Threshers have played in front of since July 2019...**WHO'S HOT:** OF Leandro Pineda remains the Threshers hottest hitter, finishing 2-for-3 with triple and two-run homer on Saturday, added one more hit on Sunday, currently on 6-game hitting streak, now slashing .248....**ON DECK:** Following this six-game set with Dunedin, Threshers will travel to Fort Myers to open another six-game road series against the Mighty Mussels, July 12-17 and continue 12-game road swing

Inside the Numbers:

Current Streak: L4
Last 10: 2-8
VS. Dunedin: 7-6
At Home: 20-19
On Road: 17-19
In July: 0-4 (14-12 June)
On Wednesday: 8-5
Team hitting at home: .221
Team hitting on road: .219
Night games: 31-25
Day games: 6-13
Team hitting in July: .193
Team hitting vs. LHP: .210
Team hitting vs. RHP: .224
Following a win: 22-14
Following a loss: 14-22
Starters ERA: 3.81
Bullpen ERA: 2.73



Diving Deeper - #47 RHP Eiberson Castellano

CASTELLANO, EIBERSON JOSÉ... RHP... B-T: R-R... HT: 6-3; WT: 195... BORN: May 9, 2001, Maracaibo, VZ... RESIDES: Maracaibo... HOW OBTAINED: Signed by Phillies as an amateur free agent, 7/2/18... SIGNED BY: Rafael Álvarez and Rómulo Oliveros... 2021: Spent entire season with Dominican Summer League Phillies White (R)... With RISP, held opponents to a .128/.277/.128 slash line with 0 XBH in 47 PA... Limited RHH to a .141 AVG (11-78) and .192 SLG... In 7 August appearances, posted a 0.64 ERA (1 ER, 14.0 IP)... Following the season, pitched for Zulia in the Venezuelan Winter League... 2020: Pitched for Zulia in the VWL... 2019: Did not pitch.



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CLEARWATER THRESHERS LATEST TRANSACTIONS

14-Ju n	INF Albert Jerez assigned to Clearwater Threshers from Reading
14-Ju n	OF Jadiel Sanchez placed on 7-Day Injured List (retroactive to 6/13)
15-Ju n	INF Madison Stokes on MiLB Rehab assigned to Clearwater Threshers
16-Ju n	LHP JoJo Romero on MLB Rehab assigned to Clearwater Threshers
16-Ju n	RHP Alex McKenney assigned to Clearwater Threshers from Florida Complex League
16-Ju n	RHP Malik Binns assigned to Florida Complex League from Clearwater Threshers
21-Ju n	C Donny Sands on MiLB Rehab assigned to Clearwater Threshers
24-Ju n	RHP Trevor Bettencourt on MiLB Rehab assigned to Clearwater Threshers
24-Ju n	OF Simon Muzziotti on MiLB Rehab assigned to Clearwater Threshers
26-Ju n	OF Jordan Viars reinstated from 7-Day Injured List, assigned to Florida Complex League
26-Ju n	C Donny Sands on MiLB Rehab reinstated from 7-Day Injured List, activated by Lehigh Valley
28-Ju n	RHP Sam Jacobsak reinstated from 60-Day Injured List, assigned to Clearwater Threshers
28-Ju n	OF Simon Muzziotti on MiLB Rehab reinstated from 7-Day Injured List, activated by Reading
28-Ju n	Philadelphia Phillies transferred LHP JoJo Romero on a rehab assignment from Clearwater Threshers to Reading



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- 30-Jun C Adony Mejia assigned to Clearwater Threshers from Florida Complex League
- 30-Jun C Andrick Nava placed on 7-Day Injured List
- 1-Jul INF Luis Garcia on MiLB Rehab assigned to Clearwater Threshers
- 2-Jul RHP Starlyn Castillo reinstated from 60-Day Injured List, assigned to Clearwater Threshers
- 2-Jul LHP Rafael Marcano assigned to Jersey Shore from Clearwater Threshers
- 2-Jul RHP Tommy McCollum placed on 7-Day Injured List (retroactive to 7/1)



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