



ZORROS GAME NOTES



Alces de Maine (10-9) @ Zorros de Somerset (12-7)

Saturday, April 30, 2022 | 6:35 p.m.

Game #20 - Home Game #11

TD Bank Ballpark - Bridgewater, NJ

POR: LHP Jay Groome (1-0, 4.82 ERA)

SOM: LHP Ken Waldichuk (2-0, 1.88 ERA)



NEW YORK YANKEES DOUBLE-A AFFILIATE



2022 SCHEDULE

HIGHLIGHTS

BROADCAST

APRIL

MAY

JUNE

JULY

AUGUST

SEPTEMBER

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VAMOS ZORROS! Tonight, the Somerset Patriots are taking on their first alternate identity in 25 years of team history. The Zorros de Somerset will take the field as part of MiLB's Copa de la Diversion initiative. The Zorros name comes from a fox that scurried across the outfield at TD Bank Ballpark prior to a press conference on one of the most significant days in franchise history: the day the Patriots announced their affiliation with the New York Yankees. This appearance was looked at as a clairvoyance: the fox establishing its role as the clever and brave protector of this new partnership.

TOP OF THE HEAP: Friday night's win vaulted the Patriots to a season-high 5 games over .500. Their 12-7 record is tied for the best in the league, as they hold sole possession of 1st place in the Northeast division. After their 22-run outburst over the last 2 nights, they now lead the league in runs (103), home runs (29) and run differential (+39), in addition to pitching staff ERA (2.82). The Patriots' +39 run differential is twice as high as any other Eastern League team (2nd, Bowie +19).

HOME RUN HAPPY: Somerset has hit 29 homers this season, the most in the Eastern League and more than twice as many as Portland (14). Friday night, the Patriots hit 3+ home runs for the 5th time this season and multiple home runs for the 8th time. With 4/19 and 4/27 having been the only exceptions, the Patriots have homered in 8 of their last 9 games and 12 of their last 14. Derek Dietrich and Chad Bell have homered in the 8th inning of back-to-back games.

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15 MLB DEBUTS

New York Yankees
ON THE FARM



(MLB) New York Yankees

14-6 | Last game: 12-2 W @ KC
7g win streak, 4 HRs last night



(AAA) Scranton/Wilkes-Barre

9-12 | Last game: Swept in DH vs. LHV
M. Gomez last 2g combined: 5.1 IP, 0 H



(High-A) Hudson Valley

11-8 | Last game: 9-2 W vs. WIL
Sweeney, Wells, Hardman HRs



(Single-A) Tampa

8-10 | Last game: PPD vs. LAK
Anthony Garcia HR back-to-back days



(Rookie) FCL Yankees

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PATRIOTS GAME NOTES



TONIGHT'S PATRIOTS STARTER



RHP #30 KEN WALDICHUK

CAREER: (10-18, 4.71 ERA, 296.0 IP, 360 K, 1.54 WHIP)

HT-WT: 6'4" | 220

DOB: 1/8/98 (24)

HOMETOWN: San Diego, CA

ACQUIRED: MLB Draft 2019 (5 | 165)

PITCH SELECTION: 4-seam Fastball (92-95), Changeup (low 80s), Curveball (upper 70s), Slider (low 80s)

- Yankees No. 6 prospect entered 2021 as the No. 27 ranked prospect in the Yankees organization, making the largest jump of any Yankees prospect on MLB Pipeline's Mid-season Top 30 list.
- Began 2021 in High-A Hudson Valley: 7 GS, 30.2 scoreless IP, 55 K. This dazzling stretch led to a June promotion to Somerset, where he led the Patriots with a team-best 108 K with the 2nd-most IP (79.1). His 163 total strikeouts in 2021 tied for the fourth-most in all of MiLB.
- Pitched three years at St. Mary's College, recording a 2.70 ERA and 275 strikeouts in his collegiate career. During his sophomore year in 2018, he struck out 118 batters and posted a 2.05 ERA.
- Pitched for the Wareham Gatemen of the Cape Cod League in summer of 2018, with Patriots teammate Oliver Dunn.
- Grew up a San Francisco Giants fan, favorite player was Madison Bumgarner.
- He has two coffees before every game.

AWARDS / HONORS

2021 MiLB.com Yankees Organizational All-Star

PROSPECT RANKINGS

2022 MLB Pipeline No. 6 Yankees Prospect

2022 Baseball America No. 12 Yankees Prospect

2021 MLB Pipeline No. 27 Yankees Prospect

2021 Baseball America No. 25 Yankees Prospect

CAREER HIGHS

IP: 6.1

7/13/21 @ RIC (AA)

HITS: 7

8/12/21 vs. POR (AA)

RUNS: 7

8/31/21 @ BOW (AA)

WALKS: 5

2x: last 9/12/21 vs. HFD (AA)

STRIKEOUTS: 11

7/13/21 @ RIC (AA)

SCOUTING REPORT

POR	BATTING	SOM
.231 (6th)	AVG	.234 (5th)
76 (9th)	R	103 (1st)
14 (T-10th)	HR	29 (1st)
23 (5th)	SB	32 (2nd)
210 (4th)	SO	209 (5th)
74 (7th)	BB	75 (T-5th)
.683 (9th)	OPS	.757 (5th)

PITCHING

3.70 (3rd)	ERA	2.82 (1st)
17 (T-10th)	HR	20 (5th)
63 (11th)	BB	70 (8th)
199 (5th)	K	220 (2nd)
1.08 (1st)	WHIP	1.18 (3rd)
.194 (1st)	BAA	.210 (3rd)

CATCHER FIELDING

Player	GS	Record	CS	SB	CS%	PB	E	ERA
Josh Breaux	11	5-6	4	20	16.7	0	0	4.74
Rodolfo Duran	2	1-1	1	2	33.3	0	1	2.00
Mickey Gasper	6	6-0	1	11	8.3	0	0	2.04

SERIES PROBABLES

Date	Time	Portland Starters	Somerset Starters
Sun. 5/1	1:05	LHP Chris Murphy (0-1, 3.21 ERA)	RHP Jhony Brito (1-1, 1.35 ERA)
Tue. 5/3	11:05		Begins 6-game series vs. NH
Wed. 5/4	6:35		
Thu. 5/5	6:35		
Fri. 5/6	6:35		
Sat. 5/6	6:35		



PATRIOTS GAME NOTES



INSIDE THE SERIES

TD BANK BALLPARK

Bridgewater, New Jersey



UMPIRING CREW

HOME PLATE

Jennifer Pawoll

FIRST BASE

Steven Jaschinski

THIRD BASE

Edwin Jimenez

INJURY REPORT

4/23/22:

Elijah Dunham placed on 7-day IL
Oliver Dunn reinstated from 7-day IL

YANKEES TOP 30 PROSPECTS

No. 1: INF Anthony Volpe

No. 6: LHP Ken Waldichuk

No. 12: RHP Luis Medina

No. 16: RHP Randy Vasquez

No. 18: OF Brandon Lockridge

No. 26: C Josh Breau

No. 27: OF Elijah Dunham

*per MLB Pipeline

LEAGUE LEADERS

OF Blake Perkins: .759 SLG (1st),
1.136 OPS (2nd), 6 HR (T-3rd), 12
XBH (T-1st), 41 TB (T-1st), 15 R
(T-2nd)

C Josh Breau: 5 HR (T-6th)

OF Brandon Lockridge: 15 R (T-2nd),
5 SB (T-7th)

INF Anthony Volpe: 14 R (T-6th),
7 SB (T-3rd)

PLAYER

Jesus Bastidas

Chad Bell

Michael Beltre

Josh Breau

Max Burt

Andres Chaparro

Mickey Gasper

Derek Dietrich

Oliver Dunn

Brandon Lockridge

Anthony Volpe

Blake Perkins

Jeisson Rosario

NOTES

3/5, 4 R, 2 BB, 2B, 2 K; G3, Thu: 2/2, 2 BB, 3 R

5/11, 2 HR; G3, Thu: 4/4, 3 RBI, 3 R, HR (B2B games with HRs)

1/13, RBI, 2 K; G3 Tue: 109.9 mph 1B

1/9, 1B, 4 K; G3 Thu: 0/5 snapped season-high 5g hit streak

1/9 (.111), 3 K, hits in 5 of his last 6 games

2/11 (.181), 2 XBH in G1 including tying 7th inn. leadoff HR

3/9, 3 R; G1, Tue: walkoff RBI in 10th; G3 Thu: 2/2, 2 BB, 3 R

4/12 (.333), 6 RBI, scored GW run G1, B2B games with HRs

2/12, 3 RBI, 2 R, 2 K, BB; G3, Thu: 2/5, go-ahead 3R HR

5/13 (.385), 4 RBI, 3 BB, 3 R, 3B, 2B

1/13, HR, 3 R, 2 RBI, 3 BB, started 0/11 before HR in G4 Fri.

1/10, 3B, RBI, R, BB, 2 K (11th career 3B in 400th career gm.)

PLAYER

Cameron Cannon

Pedro Castellanos

Kole Cottam

Tyler Dearden

Tyler Esplin

Devlin Granberg

David Hamilton

Brandon Howlett

Christian Koss

Eli Marrero

Hudson Potts

Oscar Rangel

Izzy Wilson

NOTES

1/10, BB, 2 K, 5 LOB in G2 Wed.

1/17, 3B, R, 5 K (14th triple in 425th career game G4 Fri.)

0/6, 3 BB, 2 R, scored only Portland R in G1

3/14 (.214), 4 RBI, 2 BB, K, 1st HR this season in G3 Thu.

1/3, first Double-A hit in G2 Wed.

4/10 (.400), R, 3 BB

4/15 (.267), hits in 1st 3 games, 4 SB (14 SB, 1st in AA-EL)

1/4, 3 K

2/13 (.222), 9 K

1/13, 6 K

1/11 (.091), BB, 6 K

0/1, K as PH in 9th inn, of G3, Thu.

3/15 (.200), only Portland RBI in G1, 9th inn. GW HR, 2 R in G2

EASTERN LEAGUE STANDINGS

EASTERN LEAGUE NORTHEAST		W	L	PCT	GB	L10	STRK	RS	RA	DIFF	X-W/L	HOME	AWAY	>.500
	Somerset NYY	12	7	.632	-	6-4	W2	103	64	+39	13-6	7-3	5-4	7-3
	New Hampshire TOR	10	9	.526	2.0	4-6	W1	91	83	+8	10-9	6-4	4-5	2-1
	Portland BOS	10	9	.526	2.0	6-4	L2	77	78	-1	9-10	6-3	4-6	5-8
	Hartford COL	9	10	.474	3.0	5-5	L1	89	104	-15	8-11	5-4	4-6	7-9
	Reading PHI	6	13	.316	6.0	3-7	L1	70	112	-42	6-13	2-7	4-6	4-9
	Binghamton NYM	5	13	.278	6.5	2-8	W1	78	116	-38	6-12	3-6	2-7	4-11
EASTERN LEAGUE SOUTHWEST		W	L	PCT	GB	L10	STRK	RS	RA	DIFF	X-W/L	HOME	AWAY	>.500
	Harrisburg WSH	12	7	.632	-	7-3	W1	98	80	+18	11-8	5-5	7-2	3-3
	Erie DET	11	8	.579	1.0	7-3	L1	73	61	+12	11-8	6-3	5-5	6-6
	Richmond SF	11	8	.579	1.0	5-5	W2	89	81	+8	10-9	7-3	4-5	7-6
	Bowie BAL	9	9	.500	2.5	5-5	L2	101	82	+19	11-7	5-4	4-5	2-5
	Akron CLE	9	10	.474	3.0	4-6	W2	70	85	-15	8-11	6-4	3-6	3-6
	Altoona PIT	9	10	.474	3.0	6-4	L2	99	92	+7	10-9	5-4	4-6	7-8

COACHING STAFF



DAN FIORITO



MANAGER

Born and raised in Yonkers, NY, Dan Fiorito enters his sixth season with the Yankees organization and his first as Somerset's manager. Fiorito is also the Yankees' Roving Upper Level IF/OF Instructor. He served as the manager of High-A Hudson Valley in 2021, after making his managerial debut in 2019 with the GCL Yankees East. Fiorito also had been slated to manage the Yankees' former short-season Single-A affiliate, Staten Island in 2020, before the minor league season was canceled due to the COVID-19 pandemic. He served as the defensive coach at the Yankees' former Single-A Charleston affiliate in 2018, after making his professional coaching debut as defensive coach with the Yankees' former Rookie-level Pulaski affiliate in 2017.

His playing career began when he was signed by the Yankees as a non-drafted free agent in 2012. Over four seasons as an infielder in the Yankees system, he batted .240 (264-for-1102) with 107 runs, 52 doubles, six triples, seven home runs and 98 RBI in 322 career minor league games. Fiorito played three years at Manhattanville College (Purchase, NY) and is a 2008 graduate of Fordham Prep (Bronx, NY).



GERARDO CASADIEGO



PITCHING COACH

Gerardo Casadiego will begin his first season in Somerset and 10th in the Yankees organization. He held the same position in Hudson Valley last season, where the Renegade staff ranked second in the High-A East division in strikeouts (1,308, sixth in MiLB) and third in ERA (4.12). The Venezuela native has also previously served as the pitching coach for former Rookie-level Pulaski (2017-2019), DSL Yankees 1 (2014-2015) and DSL Yankees 2 (2016).

JAKE HIRST



HITTING COACH

Jacob Hirst will serve as hitting coach in his first season with Somerset and fourth with the Yankees organization. He was the hitting coach for Hudson Valley in 2021, when the Renegades' batters ranked second among High-A East clubs in triples (33) and OBP (.341), third in doubles (217) and fourth in home runs (156), batting average (.255), slugging percentage (.446) and OPS (.787). The Iowa native served the same role with the GCL Yankees West (2019-2020).



AARON BOSSI



DEFENSIVE COACH

Aaron Bossi begins his first season with Somerset after making his coaching debut in the same role with Hudson Valley in 2021. His prior experience for the organization was assisting rehabbing players at the minor league complex from 2017-2019. The St. Louis, MO native was signed as a non-drafted free agent by the Yankees on June 24, 2016 as a catcher/infielder. He played in 22 games for the GCL Yankees East in 2016.

Athletic Trainer
Strength & Conditioning Coach
Video Manager
Advance Scouting Analyst
Clubhouse Manager

Michael Becker
Ryan Williams
Chris Nyden
Amanda Brady
Matt Seletsky

APRIL & MAY DAY-BY-DAY

APRIL	OPPONENT	SCORE	RESULT	RECORD	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	ATTENDANCE	TIME (+ delay)
4/8	@ Reading	6-2	W	1-0	Loseke	McArthur	-	5,986	3:23
4/9	@ Reading	11-2	W	2-0	Waldichuk	Leverett	-	5,005	3:38
4/10	@ Reading	5-3	L	2-1	Morales	Craft	-	4,546	2:24
4/12	Erie	2-1	W	3-1	Loseke	Chentouf	-	5,007	2:54
4/13	Erie	3-0	L	3-2	Navilhon	Spence	White	3,167	2:49
4/14	Erie	5-4	W	4-2	Minnick	Tobey	Craft	3,009	2:26 (1:16)
4/15	Erie	9-2	L	4-3	Fernander	Medina	-	4,558	3:05
4/16	Erie	6-0	W	5-3	Waldichuk	Bergner	-	3,780	2:48
4/17	Erie	11-4	W	6-3	Ernst	Solbach	Minnick	3,114	2:44
4/19	@ Hartford	4-0	L	6-4	Kauffmann	Brito	-	4,765	2:17
4/20	@ Hartford	5-4	W	7-4	Spence	Kilkenny	Craft	5,274	3:02
4/21	@ Hartford	7-5	L	7-5	Jones	Boyle	Kennedy	3,481	2:51
4/22	@ Hartford	7-6	L	7-6	Hollowell	Craft	-	6,457	3:07
4/23	@ Hartford	7-4	W	8-6	Zurak	Poulin	Jennings	6,850	2:53
4/24	@ Hartford	9-1	W	9-6	Brito	Kauffmann	-	6,783	2:27
4/26	Portland	2-1	W	10-6	Craft	Mosqueda	-	3,609	2:45 (F/10)
4/27	Portland	2-1	L	10-7	Wallace	Jennings	Politi	3,007	2:13
4/28	Portland	15-3	W	11-7	Loseke	Santos	-	3,428	2:33
4/29	Portland	7-1	W	12-7	Medina	Bello	Maciejewski	4,832	2:19
4/30	Portland								

MAY	OPPONENT	SCORE	RESULT	RECORD	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	ATTENDANCE	TIME
5/1	Portland								
5/3	New Hampshire								
5/4	New Hampshire								
5/5	New Hampshire								
5/6	New Hampshire								
5/7	New Hampshire								
5/8	New Hampshire								
5/10	@ Altoona								
5/11	@ Altoona								
5/12	@ Altoona								
5/13	@ Altoona								
5/14	@ Altoona								
5/15	@ Altoona								
5/17	Reading								
5/18	Reading								
5/19	Reading								
5/20	Reading								
5/21	Reading								
5/22	Reading								
5/24	@ Portland								
5/25	@ Portland								
5/26	@ Portland								
5/27	@ Portland								
5/28	@ Portland								
5/29	@ Portland								
5/30	@ Binghamton								

SCORING TRENDS

Score By Inning	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	EX	Total	Dif.
Patriots	13	6	11	9	21	8	10	18	6	1	103	+39
Opponents	10	6	8	13	1	4	6	6	8	0	64	

SOMERSET'S RECORD WHEN...

Overall	12-7	After 6 leading	10-1
Northeast Division	8-5	..... trailing	1-4
Southwest Division	4-2	..... tied	1-2
Home games	7-3	After 7 leading	10-2
Road games	5-4	..... trailing	0-4
Day games	2-1	..... tied	2-1
Night games	10-6	After 8 leading	10-1
vs. left-handed starter	1-4	..... trailing	0-4
vs. right-handed starter	11-3	..... tied	2-2
1-run games	4-2		
2-run games	0-2	Hit 0 home runs	1-4
3+run games	8-3	Hit 1 home run	4-2
Extra innings	1-0	Hit 2+ home runs	7-1
Shutouts	1-2		
		Opp. 0 home runs	7-1
Scoring 0-2 runs	2-4	Opp. 1 home run	4-2
..... 3-5 runs	2-2	Opp. 2+ home runs	1-4
..... 6-9 runs	5-1		
..... 10+ runs	3-0	Made 0 errors	6-3
		..... 1 error	7-3
Opponent 0-2 runs	7-1	..... 2+ errors	1-1
..... 3-5 runs	5-3		
..... 6-9 runs	0-3	Opp. made 0 errors	6-4
..... 10+ runs	0-0	..... 1 error	4-1
		..... 2+ errors	2-2
Scored in the first	5-3		
Opp. scored in first	2-3	Out-hit opponent	8-1
Scores first	6-3	Out-hit by opponent	3-5
Opp. scores first	6-4	Hits are tied	1-1
Tuesday	2-1		
Wednesday	1-2		
Thursday	2-1		
Friday	2-2		
Saturday	3-0		
Sunday	2-1		
Monday	0-0		

Record when Patriots score:

Runs	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10+
W-L	0-1	2-1	0-1		2-1	2-1	2-0		1-0	3-0

Record when Opponent scores:

Runs	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10+
W-L	4-0	2-1	1-1	4-1	0-1		0-2		0-1	

SEASON HIGHS AND LOWS

TEAM OFFENSIVE HIGHS

MOST RUNS SCORED, GAME: 15 - 4/28 vs. POR

MOST RUNS SCORED, INNING: 8 - 8th inning 4/28 vs. POR

FEWEST HITS, GAME: 2 - 4/19 @HFD

MOST HITS, GAME: 18 - 4/9 @REA

MOST DOUBLES, GAME: 6 - 4/9 @REA

MOST TRIPLES, GAME: 1 - 4/9 @REA

MOST HOME RUNS, GAME: 4 - 4/17 vs. ERI

MOST XBH, GAME: 9 - 4/9 @REA

MOST RUNNERS LOB, GAME: 12 - 4/9 @REA

MOST WALKS, GAME: 8 - 4/16 vs. ERI

MOST STRIKEOUTS, GAME: 17 - 4/15 vs. ERI

MOST STOLEN BASES, GAME: 6, 2x - 4/21 @HFD and 4/8 @REA

MOST GIDP, GAME: 1, 2x - 4/24 and 4/22 @HFD

INDIVIDUAL OFFENSIVE HIGHS

MOST RUNS, GAME: 3, 2x - Perkins, 4/23 @HFD and Lockridge, 4/17 vs. ERI

MOST RBI, GAME: 4, 3x - Perkins, 4/23 @HFD, Volpe, 4/17, Breaux, 4/9 @REA

MOST HITS, GAME: 4 - Chad Bell, 4/28 vs. POR*

MOST DOUBLES, GAME: 3 - Oliver Dunn, 4/9 @REA

MOST TRIPLES, GAME: 1, 3x - Volpe, 4/28 vs. POR; Dunham 2x, 4/21 and 4/9

MOST WALKS, GAME: 3 - Anthony Volpe, 4/22 @HFD

MOST STRIKEOUTS, GAME: 4, 2x - Bell, 4/21 @HFD and Bastidas, 4/13 vs. ERI

MOST LOB, GAME: 6 - Brandon Lockridge, 4/9 @REA

MOST STOLEN BASES, GAME: 3 - Anthony Volpe, 4/22 @HFD

MOST TOTAL BASES, GAME: 9 - Perkins, 4/23 @HFD

TEAM PITCHING HIGHS

MOST RUNS ALLOWED, GAME: 9 - 4/15 vs. ERI

MOST RUNS ALLOWED, INNING: 6, 3rd inning - 4/15 vs. ERI

MOST HITS ALLOWED, GAME: 15 - 4/15 vs. ERI

FEWEST HITS ALLOWED, GAME: 1 - 4/8 @REA

MOST STRIKEOUTS, GAME: 17 - 4/16 vs. ERI

MOST WALKS ISSUED, GAME: 10 - 4/9 @REA

MOST HOME RUNS ALLOWED, GAME: 3, 4x - 4/22, 4/21, 4/15 and 4/10

MOST STOLEN BASES ALLOWED, GAME: 4, 2x - 4/15 vs. ERI & 4/14 vs. ERI

MOST CONSECUTIVE SCORELESS INNINGS: 11, 3x - last: 4/27-28 vs. POR

MOST PITCHERS USED, GAME: 5 - 4/8 @REA

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING HIGHS

MOST EARNED RUNS ALLOWED, GAME: 7 - Sean Boyle, 4/21 @HFD

MOST HITS ALLOWED, GAME: 9 - Josh Maciejewski, 4/15 vs. ERI

MOST HOME RUNS ALLOWED, GAME: 3 - Sean Boyle, 4/21 @HFD

MOST STRIKEOUTS, GAME: 9 - Waldichuk: 4/16 vs. ERI

MOST WALKS ISSUED, GAME: 4, 2x - Vasquez 4/17 vs. ERI, Medina 4/8 @REA

MOST INNINGS PITCHED, RELIEVER: 4.1 - Maciejewski, 4/22 @HFD

MOST INNINGS PITCHED, STARTER: 5.0, 6x, last time: Medina 4/29 vs. POR

FEWEST INNINGS PITCHED, STARTER: 1.2, Luis Medina - 4/8 @REA

MOST CONSECUTIVE STRIKEOUTS: 5, 2x: Boyle 4/27 vs. POR, Ernst, 4/21 @HFD

MISC. TEAM HIGHS

LONGEST WIN STREAK: 3 - 4/23-25, 2 @HFD, 1 vs. POR

LONGEST LOSING STREAK: 2 - 4/21-22 @HFD

LONGEST HOME WIN STREAK: 3 - 4/16-26, 2 vs. ERI, 1 vs. POR

LONGEST HOME LOSING STREAK: 1

LONGEST ROAD WINNING STREAK: 2 - 4/23-24 @HFD and 4/8-9 @REA

LONGEST ROAD LOSING STREAK: 2 - 4/21-22 @HFD

CONSECUTIVE SERIES WINS: 2

CONSECUTIVE SERIES LOSSES: -

LARGEST MARGIN OF VICTORY: 12 - 4/28 vs. POR*

LARGEST MARGIN OF DEFEAT: 7 - 4/15 vs. ERI (9-2)

LARGEST LEAD GIVEN UP: 3, 3x - 4/22 @HFD, 4/21 @HFD and 4/10 @REA

LARGEST DEFICIT OVERCOME: 3 - 4/28 vs. POR

LONGEST GAME, INNINGS: 10 - 4/26 vs. POR

LONGEST GAME, TIME: 3:34 - 4/9 @REA

LONGEST 9-INNING GAME, TIME: 3:34 - 4/9 @REA

SHORTEST 9-INNING GAME, TIME: 2:13 - 4/27 vs. POR

LARGEST HOME CROWD: 5,007 - 4/8 vs. ERI

SMALLEST HOME CROWD: 3,007 - 4/27 vs. POR

BOLD DENOTES SOMERSET PATRIOTS DOUBLE-A RECORD

MULTI-RUN INNINGS

FOR PATRIOTS

RUNS TIMES LAST

2 16 4th, 4/29 vs. POR

3 5 7th, 4/28 vs. POR

4 2 5th, 4/28 vs. POR

5 2 8th, 4/29 vs. POR

6 1 3rd, 4/15 vs. ERI

7 8th, 4/28 vs. POR

8 1 8th, 4/28 vs. POR

Total 26 14

AGAINST PATRIOTS

TIMES LAST

1st, 4/23 @HFD

4th, 4/28 vs. POR

4th, 4/21 @HFD

3rd, 4/15 vs. ERI

8th, 4/28 vs. POR

1 3rd, 4/15 vs. ERI

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EJECTIONS

DATE	NAME	UMPIRE	REASON	FINAL
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CLUTCH HITS

*Any play in the 7th inning or later that ties or gives the Patriots a lead, bold = walk-off

DATE	INN.	OPP.	BATTER	HIT	FINAL
4/12	9	ERI	B. Lockridge	RBI Double	2-1 W
4/26	7	POR	A. Chaparro	Leadoff, tying HR	2-1 W
4/26	10	POR	M. Gasper	RBI Infield Single	2-1 W

ERRORS

MOST TEAM ERRORS, GAME: 2, 4/15 vs. ERI

MOST PLAYER ERRORS, GAME: 2, Max Burt: 4/15 vs. ERI

#	DATE	OPP	PLAYER (#)	POS.	FINAL
1	4/12	ERI	Brandon Lockridge (1)	CF	2-1 W
2	4/13	ERI	Rodolfo Duran (1)	C	3-0 L
3	4/14	ERI	Andres Chaparro (1)	1B	5-4 W
4	4/15	ERI	Max Burt (1)	3B	9-2 L
5	4/15	ERI	Max Burt (2)	3B	9-2 L
6	4/16	ERI	Elijah Dunham (1)	RF	6-0 W
7	4/19	@HFD	Derek Dietrich (1)	2B	4-0 L
8	4/20	@HFD	Anthony Volpe (1)	SS	5-4 W
9	4/23	@HFD	Derek Dietrich (2)	3B	7-4 W
10	4/23	@HFD	Max Burt (3)	1B	7-4 W
11	4/27	POR	Andres Chaparro (2)	1B	2-1 L
12	4/28	POR	Jesus Bastidas (1)	3B	15-3 W

HOME RUNS

TOTAL HOME RUNS

DATE	BATTER (1)	OPP.	RUNS	INN.	FINAL
4/8/22	Josh Breaux (1)	@ REA	2	5	6-2 W
4/9/22	Rodolfo Duran (1)	@ REA	1	4	11-2 W
4/9/22	Josh Breaux (2)	@ REA	3	9	11-2 W
4/10/22	Elijah Dunham (1)	@ REA	2	1	5-3 L
4/14/22	Jeisson Rosario (1)	vs. ERI	2	3	5-4 W
4/15/22	Josh Breaux (3)	vs. ERI	1	1	9-2 L
4/16/22	Elijah Dunham (2)	vs. ERI	2	1	6-0 W
4/16/22	Blake Perkins (1)	vs. ERI	1	3	6-0 W
4/16/22	Andres Chaparro (1)	vs. ERI	2	7	6-0 W
4/17/22	Josh Breaux (4)	vs. ERI	1	1	11-4 W
4/17/22	Andres Chaparro (2)	vs. ERI	2	3	11-4 W
4/17/22	Brandon Lockridge (1)	vs. ERI	2	5	11-4 W
4/17/22	Anthony Volpe (1)	vs. ERI	4	8	11-4 W
4/20/22	Anthony Volpe (2)	@ HFD	1	1	5-4 W
4/20/22	Josh Breaux (5)	@ HFD	1	3	5-4 W
4/21/22	Max Burt (1)	@ HFD	1	2	7-5 L
4/22/22	Derek Dietrich (1)	@ HFD	1	3	7-6 L
4/22/22	Michael Beltre (1)	@ HFD	1	6	7-6 L
4/22/22	Blake Perkins (2)	@ HFD	1	8	7-6 L
4/23/22	Blake Perkins (3)	@ HFD	3	5	7-4 W
4/23/22	Blake Perkins (4)	@ HFD	1	7	7-4 W
4/24/22	Blake Perkins (5)	@ HFD	1	7	9-1 W
4/26/22	Andres Chaparro (3)	vs. POR	1	7	2-1 W
4/28/22	Brandon Lockridge (2)	vs. POR	3	5	15-3 W
4/28/22	Chad Bell (1)	vs. POR	3	7	15-3 W
4/28/22	Derek Dietrich (2)	vs. POR	4	8	15-3 W
4/29/22	Blake Perkins (6)	vs. POR	2	4	7-1 W
4/29/22	Derek Dietrich (3)	vs. POR	2	8	7-1 W
4/29/22	Chad Bell (2)	vs. POR	2	8	7-1 W

INNINGS SINCE LAST HOME RUN / SEASON LONG: 1 / 17

NOTABLE HOME RUNS

MULTI-HOME RUN GAMES

DATE	BATTER	OPP.	#	INN.	FINAL
4/23	Blake Perkins	@ HFD	2	5, 7	7-4 W

LEAD-OFF HOME RUNS

DATE	BATTER	OPP.	INN.	FINAL
4/20	Volpe	@ HFD	1	5-4 W
4/20	Breaux	@ HFD	3	5-4 W
4/26	Chaparro	vs. POR	7	2-1 W

PINCH-HIT HOME RUNS

DATE	BATTER	OPP.	INN.	FINAL
-	-	-	-	-

WALK-OFF HOME RUNS

DATE	BATTER	OPP.	INN.	FINAL
-	-	-	-	-

GRAND SLAMS

DATE	BATTER	OPP.	INN.	FINAL
4/17	Anthony Volpe	vs. ERI	8	11-4 W
4/28	Derek Dietrich	vs. POR	8	15-3 W

BACK-TO-BACK HOME RUNS

DATE	BATTER	OPP.	INN.	FINAL
-	-	-	-	-

INSIDE-THE-PARK HOME RUNS

DATE	BATTER	OPP.	INN.	FINAL
-	-	-	-	-



SOMERSET PATRIOTS ROSTER



NUMERICAL ROSTER AS OF APRIL 30, 2022 - TOTAL: 28 Active Players (31 total)

#	Player	B/T	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	DOB	Hometown	Acq.	Pronunciation
1	Jesus Bastidas	R/R	INF	5'8"	180	9/14/98	Barquisimeto, Ven.	Free Agent (2015)	
2	Carlos Espinal	R/R	RHP	5'11"	175	10/21/96	Santiago, Dom.	Free Agent (2015)	
3	Oliver Dunn	L/R	INF	5'10"	185	9/2/97	Salt Lake City, UT	Draft '19 (11:345)	
4	Barrett Loseke	R/R	RHP	6'0"	170	11/12/96	Tulsa, OK	Draft '18 (17:517)	Low-skee
5	Blake Perkins	S/R	OF	6'	195	9/10/96	Long Beach, CA	Free Agent (2021)	
6	Rodolfo Duran*	R/R	C	5'9"	215	2/19/98	Santo Domingo, Dom.	Free Agent (2021)	
7	Anthony Volpe	R/R	INF	5'11"	195	4/28/01	Watchung, NJ	Draft '19 (1:30)	Vohl-pee
8	Randy Vasquez	R/R	RHP	6'0"	165	11/3/98	Navarette, Dom.	Free Agent (2018)	
9	Steven Jennings	R/R	RHP	6'2"	205	11/13/98	Brush Creek, TN	Waivers (2021)	
10	Brandon Lockridge	R/R	OF	6'1"	185	3/14/97	Pensacola, FL	Draft '19 (11:345)	
12	Mickey Gasper	S/R	C	5'10"	205	10/11/95	Merrimack, NH	Draft '18 (27:817)	
13	Mitch Spence	R/R	RHP	6'1"	200	5/6/98	Kirkland, WA	Draft '19 (10:315)	
14	Matt Minnick	R/L	LHP	6'2"	210	3/11/96	Buffalo, NY	Draft '19 (23:705)	
15	Josh Maciejewski	R/L	LHP	6'3"	175	8/14/95	Morrisville, NC	Draft '18 (10:307)	Mah-ch-EE-es-kee
16	Derek Dietrich	L/R	INF	6'2"	205	7/18/89	Cleveland, OH	Free Agent (2022)	
17	Elijah Dunham*	L/L	OF	6'1"	225	5/29/98	Evansville, IN	Free Agent (2020)	
18	Luis Medina~	R/R	RHP	6'1"	175	5/3/99	Nagua, Dom.	Free Agent (2015)	
19	Kyle Zurak	R/R	RHP	6'1"	215	11/28/94	Buffalo, NY	Draft '17 (8:242)	Zur-ack
20	Max Burt	R/R	INF	6'2"	185	8/28/96	North Andover, MA	Draft '18 (28:847)	
21	Nick Ernst	R/R	RHP	6'3"	235	8/27/96	Cincinnati, OH	Draft '18 (15:457)	
22	Josh Breau	R/R	C	6'1"	220	10/7/97	Tomball, TX	Draft '18 (2:61)	Bro
23	Chad Bell	L/R	INF	6'3"	220	3/4/97	Fort Collins, CO	Draft '19 (19:585)	
24	Andres Chaparro	R/R	INF	6'0"	245	5/4/99	El Vigia, Ven.	Free Agent (2015)	
25	Saul Torres	R/R	C	6'2"	190	2/19/99	Santo Domingo, Dom.	Free Agent (2016)	
30	Ken Waldichuk	L/L	LHP	6'4"	220	1/8/98	San Diego, CA	Draft '19 (5:165)	
31	Jhony Brito	R/R	RHP	6'2"	160	2/17/98	Puerto Plata, Dom.	Free Agent (2015)	Johnny
32	Emmanuel Ramirez*	R/R	RHP	6'2"	190	7/15/94	Puerto Plata, Dom.	Free Agent (2021)	
33	Jeisson Rosario	L/L	OF	6'1"	190	10/22/99	Santo Domingo, Dom.	Waivers (2022)	
35	Sean Boyle	R/R	RHP	6'1"	205	10/29/96	Selden, NY	Draft '18 (25:757)	
36	Michael Beltre	L/R	OF	6'3"	220	7/3/95	Santo Domingo, Dom.	Free Agent (2020)	
41	Derek Craft	R/R	RHP	6'8"	220	7/11/96	Hawkins, Texas	Draft '18 (16:487)	

*injured list | **rehab assignment | ^development list

Coaching Staff

#29 Manager	Dan Fiorito	Athletic Trainer	Michael Becker
#26 Pitching Coach	Gerardo Casadiego	Strength & Conditioning Coach	Ryan Williams
#20 Hitting Coach	Jake Hirst	Video Manager	Chris Nyden
#20 Defensive Coach	Aaron Bossi	Advance Scouting Analyst	Amanda Brady

PATRIOTS TRANSACTIONS

#	DATE	PLAYER	FROM	TO
7	4/26/22	C Saul Torres	A+ Hudson Valley	AA-Somerset
6	4/26/22	INF Eric Wagaman	AA-Somerset	A+ Hudson Valley
5	4/26/22	RHP Charlier Ruegger	AA-Somerset	A+ Hudson Valley
4	4/19/22	INF Derek Dietrich	Signed MiLB contract	AA-Somerset
3	4/19/22	INF James Nelson	AA-Somerset	A+ Hudson Valley
2	4/15/22	RHP Michael Gomez	AA-Somerset	AAA-Scranton/Wilkes-Barre
1	4/8/22	OF Michael Beltre	AAA-Scranton/Wilkes-Barre	AA-Somerset

MLB REHAB ASSIGNMENTS

#	DATE	PLAYER	FROM	TO
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TRENDS AND STREAKS

Player Starts By *Position*

PLAYER	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH
Bastidas			9	1	2				
Bell		5	2	3					2
Beltre						3		8	1
Breaux	11								4
Burt		4	3	5	2				
Chaparro		8		6					1
Dietrich		2	4	2					
Dunham						5		4	2
Dunn			1						
Duran	2								
Gasper	6								
Lockridge						2	11	1	2
Nelson				2					
Perkins						6	3	4	2
Rosario						3	5	2	3
Volpe					15				2

Player Starts By *Batting Order*

PLAYER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bastidas							1	3	8
Bell						2	4	4	
Beltre					1	3	5	3	
Breaux			15						2
Burt							1	4	7
Chaparro			3	12					
Dietrich		2	2	2	1	2			
Dunham	1	8		1	1				
Dunn								1	1
Duran							1		
Gasper						1	2	3	
Lockridge	1	7		2	4	2			
Nelson								1	1
Perkins					6	5	4		
Rosario		2		2	6	2	1		
Volpe	17								

MULTI-RBI GAMES

Player	2	3	4	5+	TOTAL
Bastidas					
Bell	1	2			3
Beltre					
Breaux	1		1		2
Burt	1				1
Chaparro	2				2
Dietrich	2	1	1		4
Dunham	1	1			2
Dunn		1			
Duran					
Gasper					
Lockridge	1	1			2
Perkins	1	1	1		3
Rosario	1				1
Volpe			2		2

MULTI-HIT GAMES

Player	2	3	4	5+	TOTAL
Bastidas	2				2
Bell	1		1		2
Beltre	1				1
Breaux	1				1
Burt	1				1
Chaparro	4	1			5
Dietrich	4				4
Dunham	2				2
Dunn		1			1
Duran		1			1
Gasper	2				2
Lockridge	5				5
Perkins	4	1			5
Rosario		1			1
Volpe	3				3

HOME RUN RBIs

Player	SOLO	2R	3R	GS	TOTAL
Bastidas					
Bell		1	1		5
Beltre	1				1
Breaux	3	1	1		8
Burt	1				1
Chaparro	1	2			5
Dietrich	1	1		1	8
Dunham		2			4
Dunn					
Duran	1				1
Gasper					
Lockridge		1	1		5
Perkins	4	1	1		9
Rosario		1			2
Volpe	1			1	5

HITTING STREAKS

Player	CURRENT	LONGEST
Bastidas	3	3
Bell	2	2
Beltre		2
Breaux		5
Burt		3
Chaparro		6
Dietrich	6	6
Dunham	2	4
Dunn		1
Duran	2	2
Gasper		5
Lockridge	1	5
Nelson		
Perkins	1	7
Rosario	1	4
Volpe	3	3

ON-BASE STREAKS

Player	CURRENT	LONGEST
Bastidas	3	5
Bell	2	3
Beltre		7
Breaux		5
Burt		3
Chaparro	1	6
Dietrich	8	8
Dunham	7	7
Dunn		1
Duran	2	2
Gasper	6	6
Lockridge	1	8
Nelson	2	2
Perkins	2	8
Rosario	1	5
Volpe	3	4

PATRIOTS BULLPEN

41 DEREK CRAFT RHP 6'8" / 220 B/T: R / R



DOB: 7/11/96 HOMETOWN: Hawkins, TX ACQ: MLB Draft 2018 (16 | 487)

PITCH SELECTION: Fastball, Slider, Changeup

- Enters 2022 with 69 career MiLB appearances, all in relief.
- Pitched in one MLB Spring Training game 3/28/22: 1.0 IP, 3 H, 2 R.
- Led Hudson Valley with 10 saves in 2021.
- Completed seven-inning no-hitter for Hudson Valley on 7/10/21 with one perfect inning.
- Hawkins, Texas native: population 1,337, grew up a die-hard Texas Rangers fan.
- Six-sport athlete at Hawkins High School (graduating class of 47), pitched and played shortstop.

21 NICK ERNST RHP 6'3" / 235 B/T: R / R



DOB: 8/27/96 HOMETOWN: Cincinnati, OH ACQ: MLB Draft 2018 (15 | 457)

PITCH SELECTION: Fastball (93-97), Changeup (85-88), Slider (83-87), Curveball (80-84)

- Spent majority of 2021 with High-A Hudson Valley going 4-0, 5.09 ERA in 24 games. His 71 strikeouts ranked fourth on the team. Earned promotion to Somerset in August, went 0-2 with a 3.31 ERA in 11 relief appearances. Pitched one inning in combined no-hitter for Hudson Valley on 7/10/21.
- Underwent Tommy John surgery coming out of college at Miami University, did not pitch in 2018.
- Attended La Salle High School in Cincinnati, where he was both a pitcher and a catcher and an infielder. Dual-sport athlete, also played wide receiver on the varsity football team, was cut from the freshman baseball team.
- Writes "dad" on the back of the mound before his first pitch of every outing, in honor of his father, Greg, who passed away in December of 2020 after a 3-year battle with cancer.

2 CARLOS ESPINAL RHP 5'11" / 175 B/T: R / R



DOB: 10/21/96 HOMETOWN: Santiago, Dom. ACQ: Free Agent (2015)

- Split the 2021 season evenly between High-A Hudson Valley and Double-A Somerset. Combined for a 2-2 record with a 6.61 ERA and 45 strikeouts over 32.2 innings pitched.
- In 2019, he pitched in a team-leading 29 games for Low-A Charleston, also leading the team with five saves.

PATRIOTS BULLPEN

9 STEVEN JENNINGS RHP 6'2" / 205 B/T: R / R



DOB: 11/13/98 HOMETOWN: Brush Creek, TN ACQ: Waivers (PIT, 2021)

PITCH SELECTION: Fastball (92-95), Slider (80-84), Curveball (76-80), Changeup (84-86)

PROSPECT RANKINGS

2019 MLB Pipeline No. 13 Pirates Prospect

2018 MLB Pipeline No. 15 Pirates Prospect

- Claimed off waivers by the Yankees in December 2021.
- Spent majority of 2021 pitching for Double-A Altoona in Pirates system. Pitched two games against Somerset, combined to go 5.0 IP, 7 H, 3 ER, 5 K, 2 BB.
- Had committed to play college baseball at University of Mississippi, before being drafted by the Pirates in the 2nd round of the 2017 MLB Draft.
- Dual-sport athlete in high school played quarterback for DeKalb County varsity football team. Tore ACL his senior year and pitched with a brace on his knee.
- Hometown Smithville, Tennessee: population of roughly 4,000, grew up watching the Chicago Cubs.
- Wears #9 because of Roy Hobbs from the movie The Natural.

4 BARRETT LOSEKE RHP 6'2" / 175 B/T: R / R



DOB: 11/12/96 HOMETOWN: Tulsa, OK ACQ: MLB Draft 2018 (17 | 517)

- Earned a mid-season promotion to Somerset in 2021, where he appeared in 14 games out of the bullpen and posted a 4.33 ERA with 33 strikeouts and 13 walks in 27.0 innings pitched.
- Only career start came on 7/5/21 for High-A Hudson Valley, when he pitched 2.1 innings.
- Second-cousin is former Kansas City Royals World Series Champion and 8-time Gold Glove Alex Gordon.

15 JOSH MACIEJEWSKI RHP 6'3" / 175 B/T: R / L



DOB: 8/14/95 HOMETOWN: Morrisville, NC ACQ: MLB Draft 2018 (10 | 307)

AWARDS / HONORS

High-A East Pitcher of the Week: 6/28/21

High-A East Pitcher of the Week: 9/6/21

- Spent majority of 2021 season in Hudson Valley, leading the Renegades in wins (9-4), winning half of his 18 appearances (13 starts). Earned an August promotion to Triple-A Scranton/Wilkes-Barre, where he pitched four games and posted a 6.50 ERA before returning to Hudson Valley. His 94 strikeouts led the Renegades.
- Has pitched in Triple-A back-to-back seasons, yet this season is his first with Double-A Somerset.
- Worked exclusively as a reliever in his pro debut season (2018), before transitioning to primarily be a starter (29 starts in 36 appearances) in the two seasons since.

PATRIOTS BULLPEN

14 **MATT MINNICK**

LHP

6'2" / 210

B/T: R / L



DOB: 3/11/96 HOMETOWN: Buffalo, NY ACQ: MLB Draft 2019 (23 | 705)

- Pitched in MLB Spring Training for the Yankees on 3/20/21, when he threw five pitches to record the Yankees' final out of an 8-7 loss to Detroit. In that game, he relieved fellow Patriot RHP Michael Gomez.

- Pitched five seasons (2015-19) at Mercyhurst University in Erie, PA. During his senior year, he posted a 2.88 ERA over 13 games (68.2 IP) with 116 strikeouts. In 2017, he was recognized as Baseball America's Preseason DII Pitcher of the Year.

Born and raised in Collins, New York, Minnick grew up a Yankee fan. He attended St. Francis High School (Hamburg, NY).

- Native of Collins, New York nearby Buffalo was born and raised a Yankee fan.

32 **EMMANUEL RAMIREZ**

RHP

6'2" / 190

B/T: R / R



DOB: 7/15/94 HOMETOWN: Puerto Plata, Dom. ACQ: Free Agent (2021)

AWARDS / HONORS

2019 Texas League Mid-Season All-Star
2019 Texas League Pitcher of the Week: 6/9/19
2017 Northwest League Pitcher of the Week: 7/23/17
2016 Northwest League Mid-Season All-Star
2015 Northwest League Mid-Season All-Star

PROSPECT RANKINGS

2016 Baseball America No. 30 Padres Prospect

- Signed with the Yankees as a Minor League free agent in November of 2021.

- After electing free agency from San Diego, he signed with the Atlanta Braves organization in 2021, where he posted a 7.23 ERA over 27 appearances out of the bullpen.

- He began his professional career signing as a Minor League free agent with the San Diego Padres organization, where he played from 2012-2019 and made it as high as Triple-A.

19 **KYLE ZURAK**

RHP

6'1" / 215

B/T: R / R



DOB: 11/28/94 HOMETOWN: Buffalo, NY ACQ: MLB Draft 2017 (8 | 242)

PITCH SELECTION: Sinker (90+), Cutter (86-90), Slider (81-85)

- Was initially assigned to High-A Hudson Valley, before an injury that landed him on the 60-day IL for most the year. He came back from injury to pitch one inning on a rehab assignment with the FCL Yankees.

- Pitched four seasons at Radford University (VA) coming primarily out of the bullpen. In 77 total appearances, he went 3-6 with a 3.74 ERA in a total of 120.1 innings pitched. His senior year, he was named the Big South Tournament MVP, when he pitched a complete game, striking out a career-high batters in a 9-2 win.

- Born and raised in East Amherst, New York, nearby Buffalo as an avid Bills and Sabres fan.

PATRIOTS BATTERS

1 JESUS BASTIDAS INF 5'8" / 180 B/T: R / R



DOB: 9/14/98 HOMETOWN: Santiago, Dom. ACQ: Free Agent (2015)

- Split 2021 season between Single-A Tampa and Double-A Somerset, posting career-best marks in AVG (.249), RBI (34) and HR (9).
 - After hitting two home runs in his first 238 career games (4+ seasons), he hit nine in his last 35 games during 2021. Across 29 games with Somerset, he hit .278 with five home runs: the two best totals he's put up for any team that he's played for professionally.
 - Made his MLB Spring Training debut in 2021, coming in to play three games in 2022 and ground-ing out in his only at-bat.
 - Signed as an international free agent on 7/2/15, the same day as teammate Andres Chaparro.
- Favorite baseball player of all time is Omar Vizquel.

23 CHAD BELL INF 6'3" / 220 B/T: L / R



DOB: 3/4/97 HOMETOWN: Fort Collins, CO ACQ: MLB Draft 2019 (19 | 585)

- Appeared in four MLB Spring Training games in 2022, going 0-for-3 with a walk.
- Split 2021 season fairly evenly between Single-A Tampa, High-A Hudson Valley and Double-A Somerset. In 98 total games, he hit .239 with 21 home runs, 56 RBI and 54 runs. In 30 games as a Patriot, he hit .178 with five home runs, 13 runs and nine runs scored.
 - Collegiately, played one season (2016) at Western Nevada College, where he hit .290 with two home runs as a freshman. He then transferred to the University of Louisiana-Monroe. As a senior (2019), he hit .333 in 57 games with 21 home runs, 61 RBI and 45 runs.
 - Attended Rocky Mountain High School in Colorado, hitting .464 as a senior in 2015 with six home runs, en route to leading school to 2014 Class 5A State Championship.

22 JOSH BREAU C 6'1" / 220 B/T: R / R



DOB: 10/7/97 HOMETOWN: Tomball, TX ACQ: MLB Draft 2018 (2 | 61)

AWARDS / HONORS

High-A East Offensive Player of the Week: 7/11/21
2019 South Atlantic League Mid-Season All-Star

PROSPECT RANKINGS

2022 MLB Pipeline No. 26 Yankees Prospect
2021 MLB Pipeline No. 18 Yankees Prospect
2020 MLB Pipeline No. 20 Yankees Prospect
2019 MLB Pipeline No. 15 Yankees Prospect

- Began 2022 season with home runs in back-to-back games @ Reading (4/8-9).
- Spent most of 2021 with Hudson Valley, where he led the team with 17 home runs in 64 games. Breau was then promoted to Somerset, where in 26 games, he hit .240 with six home runs to make for a season total of 23 home runs, ranking 3rd among all Yankees Minor Leaguers.
- Collegiately, played two seasons at McLennan Community College and was ranked as the nation's top junior college recruit entering the 2018 MLB Draft. He was a two-way player at MCC, hitting 37 home runs, while also topping out at 100 mph as a reliever.
- He has appeared in MLB Spring Training each of the past three years. In 2021, he earned one hit and three walks in seven games.
- Attended Tomball High School in his hometown, where hit .485/.528/.818 as a senior.
- Grew up a Texas Rangers fan, his favorite player being Josh Hamilton.

PATRIOTS BATTERS

36 MICHAEL BELTRE OF 6'1" / 195 B/T: L / R

DOB: 7/3/95 HOMETOWN: Santo Domingo, Dom. ACQ: Free Agent (2020)



AWARDS / HONORS

2021 MiLB.com Yankees Organizational All-Star
AA Northeast Offensive Player of the Week: 5/23/21
2017 Midwest League Mid-Season All-Star

PROSPECT RANKINGS

2018 MLB Pipeline No. 19 Reds Prospect
2017 MLB Pipeline No. 28 Reds Prospect

- Spent all of 2021 season with the Patriots, tying for the team lead in games played (109). Led the team in runs (72), stolen bases (37), triples (8) and tied for first in OPS (.814). Ranked second on the team in hits (102) and walks (50), tying for second in AVG (.256) and OBP (.344). Ranked third in RBI (54), home runs (16) and SLG (.570). Was named a 2021 MiLB.com Organizational All-Star.

- In 2018 with Single-A Dayton (Reds), he reached base in 31 consecutive games, which was the longest on-base strak in the Mid-west League that season.

- In 2016, rankeed fifth among Reds Minor Leaguers with a .299 AVG between the AZL Reds and Rookie-level Billings. His six triples in the AZL were tied for the most in the league that year.

- Signed by the Yankees as a Minor League free agent on 11/17/20, after originally signing with the Reds on 2/7/13.

20 MAX BURT INF 6'2" / 185 B/T: R / R

DOB: 8/28/96 HOMETOWN: North Andover, MA ACQ: MLB Draft 2018 (28 | 847)



- Played in MLB Spring Training in both 2020 and 2022. In 2020, he went 2-for-5 with a double, RBI and three runs scored. In 2022, he went 2-for-7 with his two hits each being home runs. He added six RBI and six runs.

- In 2021, played at three different levels of the Yankees system, none more than Somerset. Spent 49 games with the Patriots, batting .241 with five home runs, 45 runs scored and 35 RBI. Ended season with 36 games in Triple-A Scranton/Wilkes-Barre, hitting .187 with a home run and 10 RBI.

- Attended High School at St. John's Prep, was captain of the baseball team, which won its league championships in 2013 and 2014. Awarded 2013-14 Best Athlete Award at St. John's Prep. Three-sport athlete played basketball all four years of high school and golf for two years.

- Grew up a New England sports fan, David Ortiz as his favorite player growing up.

24 ANDRES CHAPPARO INF 6'0" / 245 B/T: R / R

DOB: 5/4/99 HOMETOWN: El Vigia, Ven. ACQ: Free Agent (2015)



AWARDS / HONORS

2021 MiLB.com Yankees Organizational All-Star

PROSPECT RANKINGS

2022 Baseball America No. 34 Yankees Prospect

- After being unranked during his entire professional career, now in his 7th MiLB season (2022), Chaparro broke into Baseball America's Top 40 Yankees prospects at No. 34.

- Splitting 2021 between Single-A Tampa (65 games) and High-A Hudson Valley (36 games), he set career highs in every offensive category, including AVG (.267), OBP (.381), SLG (.468), OPS (.849), HR (15), R (71), RBI (73), BB (60) and SB (4). For his efforts, he was named a 2021 MiLB.com Yankees Organizational All-Star.

- Spent all of 2018 and 2019 with Short-season Staten Island and made noticeable improvements in every offensive area. Batting AVG increased 53 points (.246), OBP increaseed 87 points (.366), walks increased by 17 (29) and strikeouts decreased by 17 (39), all of which were career-highs.

- Played in MLB Spring Training in both 2020 and 2022, combining to go 2-for-8. Both of his hits (one each year) were 2B.

- Signed as an international free agent on 7/2/15, the same day as teammate Jesus Bastidas.

Favorite baseball player of all-time is Miguel Cabrera.

PATRIOTS BATTERS

16 DEREK DIETRICH

INF

6'2" / 205

B/T: L / R

DOB: 7/18/89 HOMETOWN: Cleveland, OH ACQ: Free Agent (4/18/22)



MLB RANKINGS

MLB Career: 8 seasons, 746g, .245 AVG, .762 OPS, 84 HR
123 career HBP: would be 3rd among active MLers
2016-20: five straight seasons top-10 in HBP (MLB)
2016: led MLB in HBP (24)

PROSPECT RANKINGS

2013 MLB Pipeline Marlins No. 9 Prospect
2012 Baseball America Rays No. 13 Prospect
2012 Baseball America Best Rays MiLB Power Hitter
2011 Baseball America Rays No. 22 Prospect

- Started 2021 by signing a Minor League contract with the Yankees on 2/17/21 with an invite to spring training. Released by New York on 3/27/21 and re-signed two days later, then was assigned to Triple-A Scranton/Wilkes-Barre. Dietrich played 36 games with the RailRiders and hit .215 with 5 HR and an .805 OPS. Released by Yankees on 7/3/21, before being signed by the Nationals on 7/9/21 and being assigned to Triple-A Rochester, where he ended the season with 43 games and hit .121 with a .483 OPS. On 12/21/21, signed with the Aguilas Cibaenas of the Dominican Winter League, where he spent the playoffs with them.
- Over the past five years (2018-22), he has spent time with six organizations (MIA, CIN, CHC, TEX, NYY, WSH), with this being his second stint in the Yankees organization.
- Most recent MLB experience came in 2020 with TEX, played 25 games and hit .197/.347/.459 with 5 HR. Was one of two players in MLB (min. 75 PA) to record an .800+ OPS despite batting below .200 (.197).
- Designated for assignment by MIA following 2018 season, signed by CIN, where he played 113 games in 2019 and hit .187 with a career-high 19 HR, .790 OPS was 4th-best out of eight MLB seasons. May 2019: hit 12 HR with .304/.400/.841.
- Made MLB debut on 5/8/13, played 608 games over six seasons (2013-18) with MIA: .254/.335/.422, 60 HR, 204 RBI, 268 R.
- Originally drafted by Tampa Bay in the second round (79th overall) of the 2010 MLB Draft. Traded to Miami on 12/4/12 for INF Yunel Escobar. Made pro debut with Hudson Valley Renegades (then TB NYP affiliate, now NYY A+ affiliate).

17 ELIJAH DUNHAM

OF

6'1" / 225

B/T: L / L

DOB: 5/29/98 HOMETOWN: Evansville, IN ACQ: Free Agent (2020)



AWARDS / HONORS

2021 MiLB.com Yankees Organizational All-Star
2021 Arizona Fall League Rising Star
2021 Arizona Fall League Breakout
Player of the Year: Surprise Saguaros

PROSPECT RANKINGS

2022 MLB Pipeline Yankees No. 27 Prospect
2022 Baseball America Yankees No. 18 Prospect
2021 MLB Pipeline Yankees No. 25 Prospect
2020 Baseball America No. 186 Draft Prospect

- Went undrafted in 2020, when the MLB Draft was shortened to five rounds, despite being Baseball America's No. 186 Draft Prospect. One week later, he signed with the Yankees. Was originally drafted in the 40th round of the 2019 MLB Draft and he elected to go back to school at Indiana.
- Dunham split his pro debut season between Tampa (29 games) and Hudson Valley (64 games).

Across both levels, he slashed .263/.362/.463 with 13 HR, 72 R, 57 RBI and 28 SB. Having spent most of his season in Hudson Valley, he led the Renegades in stolen bases (17) and ranked third in runs (40) and fourth in hits (62) over 64 games.

- He was named a 2021 MiLB.com Yankees Organizational All-Star, when he was one of seven minor leaguers with 13+ home runs, 28+ stolen bases and fewer than 100 strikeouts.
- He played for Surprise in the Arizona Fall League during October 2021 and was named an AFL Rising Star. After hitting .357 with two homers, 14 RBIs, 11 stolen bases, six doubles and 30 hits in 23 games, he was voted as the Arizona Fall League's Breakout Player of the Year in 2021. He led the AFL in stolen bases and ranked third in hits, fifth in OBP (.465) and sixth in batting.
- Played two full seasons at Indiana, plus 2020. In his last full season as a sophomore in 2019, he led the team in batting (.310) and OBP (.434) en route to being named Third-Team All-Big Ten after 43 games. He began that junior season in 2020 hitting .390/.493/.559 in 15 games with 11 walks. His seven doubles and .493 OBP led the Hoosiers. He earned Big Ten Player of the Week honors for the week of 2/24/20.
- Attended Reitz high school in Evansville, where he hit .386 his senior year with a .541 OBP and 26 stolen bases. Three-sport athlete lettered in baseball, basketball and football.
- Grew up a Cardinals fan, with Albert Pujols his favorite player. Favorite non-baseball activity is playing Mario Baseball on GameCube. Favorite movie is Bull Durham.

PATRIOTS BATTERS

3 OLIVER DUNN INF 5'10" / 185 B/T: L / R



DOB: 9/2/97 HOMETOWN: Salt Lake City, UT ACQ: MLB Draft 2019 (11 | 345)

- Split 2021 between High-A Hudson Valley (37 games) and Double-A Somerset (35 games), combining to hit .196 with 38 runs scored and 25 RBI.
- Played three seasons at the University of Utah in his hometown of Salt Lake City. During his junior season in 2019, he led the team in AVG (.366), H (71), OPS (1.017), SB (9), 3B (4) and BB (30). From 2017 to 2019, he had a streak of 117 straight games started.
- Attended Cottonwood High School in Murray, UT, where he was first-team all-state as a senior. He hit .456 with 26 RBI and was named to the 2016 All-Salt Lake Tribune team.

12 MICKEY GASPER C 5'10" / 205 B/T: S / R



DOB: 10/11/95 HOMETOWN: Merrimack, NH ACQ: MLB Draft 2018 (27 | 817)

AWARDS / HONORS

2019 South Atlantic League Midseason All-Star

- Began 2021 with Hudson Valley, when he sustained an injury that landed him on the 60-day injured list. Spent a four-game rehab assignment with the FCL Yankees, before returning to Hudson Valley for two games. He was then promoted to Double-A Somerset, where he spent the bulk of his season (10 games). In total, he hit .318 with two home runs across 21 games.
- In his only full season, Gasper began his season with 84 games in Low-A Charleston, where he hit .233 with eight home runs. Upon earning a promotion to High-A Tampa, he hit .321 with 11 RBI and 10 runs scored for the Tarpons.

10 BRANDON LOCKRIDGE OF 6'1" / 185 B/T: R / R



DOB: 3/14/97 HOMETOWN: Pensacola, FL ACQ: MLB Draft 2018 (5 | 157)

AWARDS / HONORS

2019 South Atlantic League Mid-Season All-Star

PROSPECT RANKINGS

2022 MLB Pipeline Yankees No. 18 Prospect
2021 MLB Pipeline Yankees No. 19 Prospect
2020 MLB Pipeline Yankees No. 21 Prospect

- Stole two bases @ REA on opening night (4/8/22) to tie a career high for the fifth time.
- He split the 2021 season fairly evenly between High-A Hudson Valley (32 games) and Double-A Somerset (43 games), combining to hit .298 with 13 HR, 46 RBI and 51 R. With Somerset, he hit .328 with 10 HR with 24 RBI and 33 R.
- Lockridge spent the entire 2019 season with Low-A Charleston, hitting .251 over 121 games and leading the RiverDogs with 69 runs scored, ranking second on the team in HR (12) and RBI (56).
- Played three seasons at Troy University. He spent his first two seasons as a second baseman, before moving to center field as a junior. Hit .307 with 25 stolen bases his junior year in 2018. As a sophomore, he was named to the All-Sun Belt First Team, ranking second in the league in hits (83) and fifth in batting average (.344).
- Attended Pensacola Catholic High School in his hometown. As a sophomore in 2013, his team went 30-0 en route to becoming national champions. During his senior year in 2015, he hit .402 with three home runs and 10 stolen bases.

PATRIOTS BATTERS

5 BLAKE PERKINS OF 6' / 195 B/T: S / R

DOB: 9/10/96 HOMETOWN: Long Beach, CA ACQ: Free Agent (2021)



AWARDS / HONORS

2022 Eastern League Player of the Week: 4/25/22
2019 South Atlantic League Mid-Season All-Star

PROSPECT RANKINGS

2019 MLB Pipeline Royals No. 23 Prospect
2018 MLB Pipeline Nationals No. 11 Prospect
2017 MLB Pipeline Nationals No. 16 Prospect
2016 MLB Pipeline Nationals No. 11 Prospect

- Named Eastern League Player of the Week for his efforts 4/19-4/24. Homered in three straight games (4/22-24), including his 2nd career multi-HR game (4/23 @HFD) when he collected a career-high 9 TB. In 7 games over 4/16-24, he went 13-for-27 with 35 TB, 11 XBH, 5 HR, 10 RBI and 10 R, slashing .481/.517/1.296/1.813, scoring runs in all 7 games.

- Signed with the Yankees on 12/15/21 after electing free agency from the Royals organization.
- Spent all of 2021 with Double-A Northwest Arkansas (KC), hitting .202 with 33 runs, 30 RBI and seven home runs. Of his seven home runs two were grand slams, four days apart (7/29/21 and 8/1/21), an inside-the-park home run and a leadoff home run.
- He was traded to the Royals from Washington in a package for RHP Kelvin Herrera on 6/18/18.
- In 2017, played 129 games for Low-A Hagerstown, setting career highs in AVG (.255), hits (123), R (105), RBI (48), SB (31) and HR (8). His 105 runs scored led the South Atlantic League and were 25 more than the next player, as he was named a South Atlantic League Mid-Season All-Star.
- Originally the No. 69 overall pick (second round) of the Nationals in the 2015 MLB Draft.
- He didn't become a full-time switch-hitter until he was drafted by the Nationals in the second round of the 2015 MLB Draft and he made the change during instructional league in 2016.
- His great uncle, Luther Hayes, played for the San Diego Chargers in 1961.
- Born in Litchfield Park, AZ, attended Verrado High School in Buckeye, claims Long Beach, CA as his home town. Grew up a Yankees and Angels fan, favorite baseball player was Derek Jeter.

33 JEISSON ROSARIO OF 6'1" / 190 B/T: L / L

DOB: 10/22/99 HOMETOWN: Santo Domingo, Dom. ACQ: Waivers (BOS, 2022)



PROSPECT RANKINGS

2021 Baseball America Red Sox No. 26 Prospect
2020 MLB Pipeline Red Sox No. 16 Prospect
2019 MLB Pipeline Padres No. 22 Prospect
2018 MLB Pipeline Padres No. 19 Prospect

- Spent all of 2021 playing in the Double-A Northeast for the Portland Seadogs (98 games), where he hit .232 with 48 R, 36 RBI and 11 SB. Against Somerset, he hit 2-for-18 (.125).
- Claimed off of waivers by the Yankees, from the Red Sox on 3/26/22.
- Ranked as Best Defensive Outfielder in the Red Sox system in 2021 by Baseball America.

- Traded by the Padres to the Red Sox on 8/30/20 in a package for INF Mitch Moreland.
- Ranked as Best Athlete in Padres farm system in both 2018 and 2019 by Baseball America.
- Initially signed as an international free agent with San Diego on 7/2/16 for \$1.85 million.
- Favorite MLB player of all-time is Carlos Gomez.

PATRIOTS BATTERS

25 SAUL TORRES C 6'2" / 190 B/T: R / R



DOB: 2/19/99 HOMETOWN: Santo Domingo, Dom. ACQ: Free Agent (2016)

- Spent the entire 2021 season with High-A Hudson Valley, slashing .235/.316/.294 in 27 games. Hit his lone home run of the season on 7/18 at Wilmington, going 1-for-4 with 3 RBI in the game. Appeared in only one game after 8/20. Had hits in his final two games of the season (2-for-4, 1RBI, 1BB, 2K).
- Spent the majority of 2017-19 with Rookie-level Pulaski (107/120 games), spreading 15 home runs across the three seasons.
- Signed with Yankees as an international free agent in 2016, where he later spent his pro debut season with the DSL Yankees.

7 ANTHONY VOLPE INF 5'11" / 195 B/T: R / R



DOB: 4/28/01 HOMETOWN: Watchung, NJ ACQ: MLB Draft 2019 (1 | 30)

AWARDS / HONORS

2022 Baseball America Yankees Best Hitter for Average and Best Strike-Zone Discipline
2021 MLB Pipeline Hitting Prospect of the Year
2021 MiLB.com Yankees Organizational All-Star
2021 Baseball America Minor League All-Star
2021 Low-A Southeast Player of the Month: June
2021 Low-A Southeast Player of the Week: 6/6/21

PROSPECT RANKINGS

2022 MLB Pipeline No. 8 Overall Prospect
2022 Baseball America No. 10 Overall Prospect
2022 MLB Pipeline Yankees No. 1 Prospect
2022 Baseball America Yankees No. 1 Prospect
2021 MLB Pipeline Yankees No. 1 Prospect
2021 Baseball America No. 2 Prospect
2020 MLB Pipeline Yankees No. 10 Prospect
2020 Baseball America No. 6 Prospect

- Volpe split 2021 evenly between Single-A Tampa (54 games) and High-A Hudson Valley (55 games), totaling 109 games. He hit .294/.423/.604 with 113 R, 86 RBI, 33 SB and 27 HR.
- He led all minor leaguers in runs (113), ranked second in OPS (1.027) and third in extra-base hits (68).
- Volpe led all Yankees minor leaguers in 2021 in OPS (1.027), OBP (.423), SLG (.604), R (113), BB (78), XBH (68) and 2B (35). Ranked second in RBI (86) and third in HR (27) and H (121).
- In his pro debut season (2019), mononucleosis limited him to 34 games. He hit .215 for Rookie-level Pulaski.
- Drafted No. 30 overall (first round) out of high school by the Yankees in 2019, signed for \$2,740,000.
- Attended the Delbarton School in Morristown, NJ, where he was teammates with 2021 No. 2 overall MLB Draft pick Jack Leiter (TEX). Looks back on state championships as his favorite baseball memory to date.
- One of his long-time coaches and mentors is Somerset Patriots legend Travis Anderson, who hit a Championship Series-clinching walk-off home run in the bottom of the ninth inning of a tie game to win the 2008 APBL Championship. Travis was Volpe's coach when he was 12-years-old, playing for the Diamond Jacks Super 12U team.
- Born and raised in Watchung, NJ, which is the eastern-most point of Somerset county. Grew up a Yankee fan. Derek Jeter was his favorite player and his favorite baseball fan memory watching the 2009 Yankees World Series team, when he was eight-years-old.
- Enjoys golfing in his spare time, says if he wasn't playing baseball, he would be an aspiring golfer.
- Wears #7 because his grandfather's favorite player was Mickey Mantle.