

# PATRIOTS GAME NOTES





## Altoona Curve (30-26) @ Somerset Patriots (35-22)

Wednesday, June 14, 2023 | 6:35 p.m. Game #58 - Home Game #29 TD Bank Ballpark - Bridgewater, NJ

**ALT:** RHP Jared Jones (1-3, 2.21 ERA) **SOM:** RHP Blane Abeyta (4-3, 6.48 ERA)



## **NEW YORK YANKEES DOUBLE-A AFFILIATE**



# 2023 SCHEDULE

**PLAYOFF PUSH:** On Tuesday night, the Patriots won their fifth consecutive game, outscoring foes 41-17 (+24) over the five games. Somerset's +63 run differential now leads all Eastern Leauge teams. The streak signals the Patriots' third five-game win streak of the season, tied for their longest streak of the year. Somerset has won 7 of its last 8 and 10 of its last 12.

HIGHLIGHTS

KINGS OF K: Somerset's pitching staff has struck out double-digit batters in eight consecutive games. The Patriots' staff leads the Eastern League with 566 strikeouts in 57 games.

**SUMMER OF SWEENEY:** Entering today, Trey Sweeney is on a season-long 10-game hit streak, the longest by any Patriot this season. During the streak, Sweeney is 14-for-46 with 4 RBI, 4 R, HR, 3 2B, 3 BB, 1 HBP and 1 SB. On Tuesday, Sweeney registered his 11th multi-hit game of the season, the most by any Patriot. Sweeney's streak is the 2nd-longest active streak in the EL. **COMING UP ROSIE**: Jeisson Rosario hit safely in a season-high seven consecutive games. After going 2-for-4 on Tuesday, Rosario is now 9-for-23 with 5 RBI, 6 R, 2 HR and 4 BB during the streak. PALENSKY POWER: Over his last two games, Aaron Palensky is 6-for-7 with 5 R, 3 RBI, 1 BB and 1 SB. He entered Sunday 3-for-25 in his first ten games since being called up to the Patriots. Over the last two games, Palensky has raised his batting average from .120 to .281. Between both levels at the minors this season, Palensky's .713 SLG ranks 2nd in alo of MiLB, while his 1.160 OPS ranks fifth.

HAVE A DAY, TJ: On Tuesday night, T.J. Rumfield joined Austin Wells as the only two players in the Eastern League to have homered in four consecutive games. Each of Rumfield's last five hits have been home runs. He is now tied for the team lead with 11 HR (Tyler Hardman), which ranks 6th in the Eastern League.





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## **9** 21 MLB DEBUTS

New York Yankees



#### (MLB) New York Yankees

39-29 | Last game: 7-6 W @NYM Volpe 1st career multi-XBH game



### (AAA) Scranton/Wilkes-Barre 28-34 | Last game: 18-10 L @ROC

28-34 | Last game: 18-10 L @KC Estevan Florial HR (15)



## (High-A) Hudson Valley

33-25 | Last game: 3-1 L vs. ROM Spencer Jones HR (8)



#### (Single-A) Tampa

26-32 | Last game: 10-4 L @CLR C. Familia: 3/5 | .400 AVG, 1.360 OPS



#### Florida Complex League

4-3 | Last game: 12-4 L @ Tigers Sunday: Matt Sauer: 3.0 IP, 0 R, 4 K

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# **TONIGHT'S PATRIOTS STARTER**



## **RHP #18 BLANE ABEYTA**

CAREER: (14-14, 5.19 ERA, 210.0 IP, 213 K, 113 BB)

**HT-WT**: 6'3" | 185 **DOB**: 9/4/98 (24)

**HOMETOWN:** Martinez, CA

**ACQUIRED:** Non-drafted free agent signing (2020)

**PITCH SELECTION:** 4-seam Fastball (90+), Changeup (90-92), Cutter (86-90), Slider (80-82)

**2022**: Spent all of 2022 with High-A Hudson Valley, tying for second on the team with 20 GS, ranking third on the team with 104.2 IP and fourth on the team with 88 K. Over his final 12 games of the season (nine starts) dating back to 6/28, he went 5-2 with a 2.93 ERA (58.1 IP, 53 H, 44 K, 30 BB).

**2021:** Split his professional debut season between Single-A Tampa and the FCL Yankees, combining to go 5-3 with a 5.37 ERA (55.1 IP, 43 H, 71 K, 35 BB, 4 HR) in 17 games (10 starts)... Was named the Low-A Southeast League Pitcher of the Week for the week of 9/5, after tossing six scoreless innings in his start on 9/3 at Bradenton (W, 6.0 IP, H, BB, 9 K). Across three starts from 8/20 - 9/3, Abeyta went 2-0 with a 0.57 ERA (15.2 IP, 4 H, 20 K, 6 BB, 0 HR). Following the season, he played for Surprise in the Arizona Fall League and went 1-1 with a 10.13 ERA (10.2 IP, 12 ER) in eight appearances.

**College:** Coming out of high school as a catcher, Abeyta transitioned to pitching upon beginning his college career at Modesto Junior College (CA) in 2018. Working as the team's closer during his freshman season, he went 1-0 with a 1.62 ERA and five saves over 16 appearances (16.2 IP, 15 H, 22 K, 14 BB). During his second season as a pitcher, he went 5-4 over 17 games (10 GS) with one save and a 4.55 ERA (65.1 IP, 70 H, 60 K, 27 BB). Following two seasons at Modesto, Abeyta transferred to the University of Nevada in 2020, leading the Wolfpack with two saves, closing out both of the team's wins in the COVID-19 shortened season.

**Personal Notes:** Lettered in both baseball and basketball at Ceres High School (CA). Was named an All-League performer at catcher and was Team MVP, batting .354.

**Career Notes:** Signed with the Yankees as a non-drafted free agent on June 20, 2020, following the COVID-19 shortened college season and MLB Draft.



AWARDS / HONORS Low-A Southeast League Pitcher of the Week: 9/5/21

#### CAREER HIGHS

**IP:** 6.2

6/8/23 @HFD (AA)

**HITS**: 9, 3x

last: 6/8/23 @HFD (AA)

**RUNS**: 7

4/18/23 vs. NH (AA)

WALKS: 6

8/28/22 vs. HIC (A+)

**STRIKEOUTS**: 11 6/8/23 @HFD (AA)

#### **SEASON HIGHS**

**IP**: 6.2

6/8 @HFD

HITS: 9, 2x

last: 6/8 @HFD

**RUNS**: 8

5/27 @ERI

**WALKS**: 5. 2x

VVALNO: 0, ZX

4/25 @HBG and 4/11 @BNG

STRIKEOUTS: 11 6/8 @HFD

2023
GAME
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Date	GM#	Team	Орр	w	L	ERA	G	GS (	CG S	зно	sv s	ova	IP	н	R	ER	HRI	НВ	BB II	вв	so	WHIP	AVG	AB	WΡ	вк с	IDP	TBF	NP-S
4/11/23		SOM	@BNG	0	0	6.00	1	1	0	0	0	0	3.0	1	2	2	0	1	5	0	6	2.00	.100	10	0	0	0	16	78 - 41
4/18/23		SOM	NH	0	0	11.05	1	1	0	0	0	0	4.1	9	7	7	1	1	3	0	2	2.45	.345	19	0	0	1	24	85 - 48
4/25/23		SOM	@HBG	1	0	7.43	1	1	0	0	0	0	6.0	4	2	2	0	1	5	0	2	2.03	.280	21	0	0	1	27	96 - 58
April		SOM		1	0	7.43	3	3	0	0	0	0	13.1	14	11	11	1	3	13	0	10	2.03	.280	50	0	0	2	67	259 - 147
Date	GM#	Team	Opp	W	L	ERA	G	GS (	CG S	SHO	SV S	OV	IP	Н	R	ER	HRI	НВ	BB II	ВВ	so	WHIP	AVG	AB	WΡ	BK G	IDP	TBF	NP-S
5/2/23		SOM	BNG	0	0	8.40	1	1	0	0	0	0	1.2	2	3	3	2	0	2	0	2	2.07	.281	7	0	0	0	9	39 - 23
5/7/23		SOM	BNG	1	0	6.86	1	1	0	0	0	0	6.0	4	2	2	0	0	4	0	1	1.86	.260	20	0	0	2	24	83 - 50
5/14/23		SOM	@POR	0	1	6.33	1	1	0	0	0	0	6.0	7	3	3	0	0	1	0	10	1.74	.265	25	0	1	0	26	93 - 65
5/21/23		SOM	REA	0	1	5.79	1	1	0	0	0	0	5.2	2	2	2	0	1	1	0	7	1.53	.242	18	0	1	0	21	83 - 56
5/27/23		SOM	@ERI	0	1	6.75	1	1	0	0	0	0	4.2	8	8	7	3	0	4	0	6	1.66	.261	22	0	0	0	26	101 - 64
May		SOM		1	3	6.38	5	5	0	0	0	0	24.0	23	18	17	5	1	12	0	26	1.46	.250	92	0	2	2	106	399 - 258
Date	GM#	Team	Opp	W	L	ERA	G	GS (	CG	SHO	SV S	SVO	IP	Н	R	ER	HRI	НВ	BB II	ВВ	so	WHIP	AVG	AB	WΡ	BK G	IDP	TBF	NP-S
6/2/23		SOM	POR	1	0	6.44	1	1	0	0	0	0	6.0	5	3	3	1	1	1	0	7	1.57	.256	22	0	1	1	24	96 - 60
6/8/23		SOM	@HFD	1	0	6.48	1	1	0	0	0	0	6.2	9	5	5	1	2	0	0	11	1.54	.266	28	1	1	0	30	84 - 62
June		SOM		2	0	5.68	2	2	0	0	0	0	12.2	14	8	8	2	3	1	0	18	1.18	.280	50	1	2	1	54	180 - 122
Total		SOM	AA	4	3	6.48	10	10	0	0	0	0	50.0	51	37	36	8	7	26	0	54	1.54	.266	192	1	4	5	227	838 - 527



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## **INSIDE THE SERIES**

SCC	OUTING REF	PORT
ALT	BATTING	SOM
.238 (6th)	AVG	.239 (5th)
281 (5th)	R	309 (2nd)
59 (6th)	HR	80 (1st)
59 (7th)	SB	116 (2nd)
460 (12th)	SO	481 (11th)
222 (9th)	BB	289 (1st)
.326 (10th)	OBP	.348 (3rd)
.713 (8th)	OPS	.778 (2nd)
	<b>PITCHING</b>	
4.37 (7th)	ERA (LOW)	4.02 (5th)
49 (10th)	HR (MOST)	46 (11th)
249 (6th)	BB (MOST)	260 (3rd)
467 (11th)	K (MOST)	566 (1st)
1.43 (9th)	WHIP	1.37 (5th)
.245 (T-7th	) BAA	.227 (4th)

ACTIV	/E HIT /	<b>ON-BASE S</b>	TREAKS
PLAYER	HIT	ON-BASE	LONG H / O
Burt	-	5	4/5
Dominguez	-	2	6 / 11
Durbin	-	-	5 / 18
Gasper	5	5	5/5
Hardman	5	6	6/9
Palensky	2	2	2/5
Pereira	2	12	9 / 12
Rosario	7	7	7 / 7
Rumfield	4	8	6 / 21
Seigler	-	-	6 / 16
Sweeney	10	13	10 / 13
Wagaman	2	2	3/6
Wells	1	9	6/9

# (8) YANKEES TOP 30 PROSPECTS (MLB Pipeline)

No. 1: OF Jasson Dominguez No. 2: C Austin Wells No. 4: OF Everson Pereira No. 5: INF Trey Sweeney No. 8: RHP Richard Fitts No. 9: RHP Yoendrys Gomez No. 13: RHP Clayton Beeter No. 18: INF Tyler Hardman

		<b>CATCHER</b> I	DEFE	NSE				
Player	GS	Record (GS)	CS	SB	CS%	PB	E	ERA
Austin Wells	20	15-5	6	33	15.4	1	5	4.16
Anthony Seigler	20	11-9	7	37	15.9	4	3	4.74

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EASTERN LEAGUE NORTHEAST	W	L	PCT	GB	L10	STRK	RS	RA	DIFF	X-W/L	HOME	AWAY	>.500
Portland BOS	36	22	.621	-	5-5	W2	301	252	+49	34-24	17-10	19-12	24-18
Somerset NYY	35	22	.614	0.5	8-2	W5	309	246	+63	34-23	18-10	17-12	13-12
New Hampshire TOR	30	27	.526	5.5	6-4	L1	278	244	+34	32-25	14-16	16-11	10-12
Binghamton NYM	28	29	.491	7.5	5-5	L1	280	301	-21	27-30	14-10	14-19	12-21
Hartford COL	24	33	.421	11.5	1-9	L5	244	358	-114	19-38	8-19	16-14	11-18
Reading PHI	22	35	.386	13.5	3-7	W1	298	317	-19	27-30	11-19	11-16	11-18
EASTERN LEAGUE SOUTHWEST	W	L	PCT	GB	L10	STRK	RS	RA	DIFF	X-W/L	HOME	AWAY	>.500
Altoona PIT	30	26	.536	-	6-4	L1	281	274	+7	29-27	15-11	15-15	5-11
Erie DET	31	27	.534	-	4-6	W2	338	305	+33	32-26	14-16	17-11	10-11
Akron CLE	29	28	.509	1.5	7-3	W1	254	248	+6	29-28	13-14	16-14	12-10
Harrisburg WSH	28	29	.491	2.5	4-6	L2	254	266	-12	27-30	15-15	13-14	12-21
Richmond SF	25	32	.439	5.5	4-6	L2	260	262	-2	28-29	17-16	8-16	15-21
Bowie BAL	24	32	.429	6.0	7-3	W1	253	277	-24	26-30	11-19	13-13	17-18

# **SOM LEAGUE LEADERS**

#### HITTING

Jasson Dominguez: 47 BB (1st), 36 RBI (4th), 41 R (4th), 16 SB (8th) **Tyler Hardman:** 11 HR (T-6th) **Ť.J. Rumfield:** 11 HR (Ť-6th) Trey Sweeney: 37 BB (8th)

#### **PITCHING**

Clavton Beeter: 69 K (T-1st). 2.13 ERA (1st), .208 BA (6th), 55.0 IP (T-6th), 5 Wins (T-2nd)

Richard Fitts: 59.1 IP (1st), 65 K (T-5th)

## **SERIES PROBABLES**

Date	Time	Altoona Starters	Somerset Starters
Tue. 6/13	6:35	RHP Brad Case (1-0, 1.84 ERA)	RHP Gray Fenter (2-2, 4.62 ERA)
Wed. 6/14	6:35	RHP Jared Jones (1-3, 2.21 ERA)	RHP Blane Abeyta (4-3, 6.48 ERA)
Thu. 6/15	6:35	TBD	RHP Yoendrys Gomez (0-0, 0.00 ERA)
Fri. 6/16	7:05	RHP Aaron Shortridge (3-4, 6.29 ERA)	RHP Richard Fitts (3-4, 4.25 ERA)
Sat. 6/17	7:05	RHP Kyle Nicolas (3-5, 4.36 ERA)	RHP Clayton Beeter (5-2, 2.13 ERA)
Sun. 6/18	1:05	TBD	RHP Gray Fenter (2-2, 4.62 ERA)

# FIRST HALF DAY-BY-DAY

APRIL	OPPONENT	SCORE	RESULT	RECORD	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	# H / HR /K (P) / RISP	ATT.	TIME (delay
4/6	vs. Harrisburg	*P0STP	ONED TO 4/8	B DUE TO W	'EATHER*					•
4/7	vs. Harrisburg	6-5	W	1-0	Alex Mauricio	Carlos Romero	-	7 / 2 / 10 / 1-for-5	4,071	2:33
4/8	vs. Harrisburg	5-0	W	2-0	Will Warren	Mitchell Parker	-	6 / 1 / 9 / 2-for-4	-	1:58 (F/7)
4/8*	vs. Harrisburg	0-3	L	2-1	Orlando Ribalta	Clayton Beeter	Amos Willingham	3 / 0 / 10 / 0-for-3	4,522	2:16 (F/7)
4/11	@ Binghamton	7-6	W	3-1	Justin Maese	Nolan Clenney	-	7 / 3 / 14 / 2-for-5	4,483	2:46
4/12	@ Binghamton	8-9	L	3-2	David Griffin	Richard Fitts	Justin Courtney	7 / 3 / 15 / 2-for-6	1,672	2:28
4/13	@ Binghamton	7-8	L	3-3	Sammy Tavarez	Steven Jennings	-	10 / 1 / 11 / 2-for-10	1,286	3:06
4/14	@ Binghamton	6-0	W	4-3	Clayton Beeter	Dom Hamel	-	7 / 1 / 9 / 1-for-9	4,759	2:25
4/15	@ Binghamton	5-1	W	5-3	Gray Fenter	Junior Santos	-	10 / 0 / 9 / 3-for-8	1,694	2:37
4/16	@ Binghamton	0-2	L	5-4	Hunter Parsons	Anderson Munoz	Nate Lavender	2/0/8/0-for-4	1,835	2:15
4/18	vs. New Hampshire	17-9	W	6-4	Justin Maese	Jol Concepcion	-	13 / 3 / 6 / 6-for-11	3,960	2:56
4/19	vs. New Hampshire	4-3	L	6-5	Sean Mellen	Richard Fitts	Jimmy Burnette	5 / 0 / 7 / 2-for-9	3,004	2:27
4/20	vs. New Hampshire	3-2	L	6-6	Troy Watson	Michael Giacone	-	6 / 0 / 19 / 1-for-16	3,015	3:10 (F/10)
4/21	vs. New Hampshire	3-2	W	7-6	Clayton Beeter	Jimmy Robbins	Tanner Myatt	6 / 0 / 11 / 3-for-6	4,528	2:39
4/22	vs. New Hampshire	1-3	L	7-7	Adam Kloffenstein	Gray Fenter	-	2/0/8/1-for-3	6,371	1:29 (F/5)
4/23	vs. New Hampshire	7-3	W	8-7	Blas Castano	Sem Robberse	-	7/3/9/1-for-6	4,210	2:16
4/25	@ Harrisburg	5-2	W	9-7	Blane Abeyta	Jackson Rutledge	Justin Wilson	7 / 2 / 7 / 2-for-6	1,882	2:23
4/26	@ Harrisburg	4-3	W	10-7	Richard Fitts	Mitchell Parker	-	5 / 1 / 9 / 1-for-4	1,449	2:21
4/27	@ Harrisburg	7-5	W	11-7	Steven Jennings	Ronald Herrera	Indigo Diaz	9 / 0 / 10 / 4-for-10	2,947	2:55
4/28	@ Harrisburg			-	WEATHER**					
4/29	@ Harrisburg	3-2	W	12-7	Michael Giacone	Reid Schaller	Tanner Myatt	7 / 0 / 9 / 3-for-9	-	2:02 (F/7)
4/29**	@ Harrisburg	5-9	L	12-8	Orlando Ribalta	Lisandro Santos	-	7 / 1 / 9 / 3-for-9	4,851	2:20 (F/7)
4/30	@ Harrisburg		LED DUE TO							
MAY	OPPONENT	SCORE	RESULT	RECORD	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	# H / HR /K (P) / RISP	ATT.	TIME (delay
5/2	vs. Binghamton	7-4	W	13-8	Blas Castano	Luis Moreno	Indigo Diaz	6 / 1 / 10 / 2-for-9	3,052	2:34
5/3	vs. Binghamton	1-5	L	13-9	Dom Hamel	Richard Fitts	-	8 / 1 / 9 / 0-for-5	3,101	2:19
5/4	vs. Binghamton	10-0	W	14-9	Will Warren	Junior Santos	-	10 / 1 / 14 / 3-for-15	3,137	2:49
5/5	vs. Binghamton	2-0	W	15-9	Steven Jennings	Justin Courtney	Tanner Myatt	5 / 1 / 15 / 0-for-2	6,959	2:12
5/6	vs. Binghamton	4-3	W	16-9	Gray Fenter	Jose Chacin	Justin Wilson	5/3/10/1-for-2	6,962	2:14
5/7	vs. Binghamton	11-2	W	17-9	Blane Abeyta	Kyle Wilson	-	13 / 3 / 5 / 3-for-8	5,881	2:21
5/9	@ Portland	8-4	W	18-9	Blas Castano	Brian Van Belle	-	11 / 3 / 11 / 3-for-8	3,189	2:44
5/10	@ Portland	6-5	L	18-10	Ryan Fernandez	Indigo Diaz	-	8 / 2 / 10 / 2-for-14	3,593	3:04 (F/10)
5/11	@ Portland	9-1	W	19-10	Will Warren	Chih-Jung Liu	-	8/3/3/2-for-7	3,736	2:53
5/12	@ Portland	10-5	L	19-11	Jacob Webb	Clayton Beeter	-	3 / 0 / 11 / 1-for-10	7,368	2:57
5/13	@ Portland	6-2	W	20-11	Shawn Semple	Brendan Nail	-	6 / 2 / 13 / 3-for-5	7,034	2:49
5/14	@ Portland	3-1	L	20-12	Brian Van Balle	Blane Abeyta	Luis Guerrero	6 / 0 / 12 / 1-for-7	7,368	2:14
5/16	vs. Reading	14-10	W	21-12	Tanner Myatt	Zach Linginfelter	-	14/3/9/5-for-17	4,037	3:12
5/17	vs. Reading	9-1	L	21-13	Cristian Hernandez	Blas Castano	-	6 / 1 / 12 / 0-for-5	7,203	2:51
5/18	vs. Reading	10-3	W	22-13	Shawn Semple	Tyler Phillips	-	11 / 4 / 8 / 3-for-7	4,445	2:39
5/19	vs. Reading	4-3	W	23-13	Lisandro Santos	Brett Schulze	-	5 / 0 / 9 / 1-for-8	5,798	2:54
5/20	vs. Reading	6-5	L	23-14	Matt Seelinger	Steven Jennings	Taylor Lehman	7/3/7/0-for-7	6,463	2:33
5/21	vs. Reading	3-1	L	23-15	David Parkinson	Blane Abeyta	Brett Schulze	9 / 0 / 10 / 1-for-9	4,855	2:18
5/23	@ Erie	7-3	L	23-16	Sawyer Gipson-Long		-	7 / 1 / 14 / 2-for-11	1,791	2:50
5/24	@ Erie	3-1	W	24-16	Richard Fitts	RJ Petit	Steven Jennings	10 / 0 / 7 / 1-for-7	7,070	2:20
5/25	@ Erie	7-6	L	24-17	Tim Naughton	Justin Wilson	Adam Wolf	7 / 1 / 12 / 3-for-12	2,002	2:38
5/26	@ Erie	10-4	L	24-18	Keider Montero	Gray Fenter	-	8 / 1 / 8 / 3-for-17	2,229	2:46
5/27	@ Erie	17-3	L	24-19	Michael Bienlien	Blane Abeyta	-	9 / 1 / 10 / 2-for-5	4,379	2:41
5/28	@ Erie	3-2	W	25-19	Justin Wilson	Billy Lescher	Alex Mauricio	7 / 0 / 6 / 2-for-8	2,301	2:25
5/30	vs. Portland	3-1	L	25-20	Grant Gambrell	Richard Fitts	Luis Guerrero	4 / 1 / 10 / 0-for-6	5,172	2:21
5/31	vs. Portland	4-2	W	26-20	Clayton Beeter	Brian Van Belle	Alex Mauricio	6 / 2 / 7 / 0-for-4	7,078	2:27
JUNE	OPPONENT	SCORE	RESULT	RECORD	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	# HITs/HRs/Ks/RISP	ATT.	TIME (delay
6/1	vs. Portland	11-7	W	27-20	Justin Wilson	Ryan Zeferjahn	- D M/	7 / 2 / 11 / 3-for-10	4,069	2:45
6/2	vs. Portland	9-7	W	28-20	Blane Abeyta	Wyatt Olds	Danny Watson	9 / 2 / 10 / 3-for-7	5,686	3:18 (:31)
6/3	vs. Portland	4-3	L	28-21	Jacob Webb	Blas Castano	Luis Guerrero	7/2/8/1-for-6	7,403	2:51
6/4	vs. Portland	5-4	W	29-21	Tanner Myatt	Ryan Fernandez	-	10 / 1 / 13 / 3-for-12	6,309	2:35 (F/10)
6/6	@ Hartford	4-0	W	30-21	Clayton Beeter	Nick Garcia	-	7 / 2 / 13 / 0-for-4	6,465	2:31
6/7	@ Hartford	5-4	L	30-22	Austin Kitchen	Tanner Myatt	Dugan Darnell	10 / 2 / 10 / 0-for-9	6,283	2:48
6/8	@ Hartford	7-5	W	31-22	Blane Abeyta	Jacob Kostyshock	Zac Houston	10 / 1 / 13 / 5-for-15	6,847	2:43
6/9	@ Hartford	11-4	W	32-22	Edgar Barclay	Joe Rock	-	8 / 3 / 13 / 2-for-13	7,122	2:55
6/10	@ Hartford	5-2	W	33-22	Richard Fitts	Chris McMahon	-	6 / 2 / 10 / 1-for-3	7,372	2:15
6/11	@ Hartford	10-2	W	34-22	Clayton Beeter	Nick Garcia	-	14 / 4 / 14 / 3-for-10	7,254	2:42
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## RAUL DOMINGUEZ: Manager (1st year)

vs. New Hampshire

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Dominguez begins his 1st season as manager for the Somerset Patriots, 9th overall as a manager and 17th overall coaching in the Yankees organization. He spent the past two seasons (2021-2022) as a defensive coach for Triple-A Scranton/Wilkes-Barre and was assigned to the same post for 2020, before the minor league season was canceled due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Dominguez becomes the 5th manager in Patriots franchise history and the 3rd since becoming the Yankees Double-A affiliate. He succeeds 2022 Eastern League Manager of the Year Dan Fiorito. Dominguez also previously served as the defensive coach for Trenton (2018-2019) and Tampa (2017). The Panama City, Panama native has managerial experience with the GCL Yankees East (2016), DSL Yankees 1 (2011-15) and DSL Yankees 2 (2009-10). From 2012-2015, his teams finished at least 10 games over .500, including reaching the DSL semifinals in 2012 and 2015. An outfielder during his playing days, Dominguez signed with the Yankees as an undrafted free agent in 2001 and spread four minor league seasons for New York between the DSL and the GCL. He then began his coaching career in 2008 with the DSL Yankees 2, after spending 2007 as the Yankees' tryout scout in the Dominican Republic. >>> Assistant coach bios on next page. >>>

# SECOND HALF DAY-BY-DAY

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## GRAYSON CRAWFORD: Pitching Coach (1st year)

Grayson Crawford begins his 1st season with Somerset after making his professional coaching debut as the pitching coach for Single-A Tampa in 2022. Under his guidance, Tampa's Yordin Calderon hurled a seven-inning no-hitter for the Tarpons in his Single-A debut on May 25, 2022. Prior to joining the Yankees, Crawford coached in high school and college from 2010 on, most recently serving as pitching coach for two seasons at Lipscomb University (Nashville, TN).

#### JAKE HIRST: Hitting Coach (2nd year)

Jake Hirst returns for his 2nd season in Somerset and 5th with the Yankees. Under his guidance in 2022, the Patriots slugged a franchise record 205 HR, which led all Double-A teams and ranked 3rd in MilB. The team also led the Eastern League in TB (1,984), SLG (.445), and OPS (.779), while finishing 2nd in RBI (655) and OBP (.342). Prior to coming to Somerset, he served as hitting coach for Hudson Valley (2021) and the GCL Yankees West (2019-2020).

#### AARON BOSSI: Defensive Coach (2nd year)

Bossi returns for his 2nd season in Somerset. Under Bossi's leadership in 2022, Patriots infielder Jesus Bastidas was awarded a Minor League Gold Glove for his work at second base. Additionally, with Bossi leading Somerset's base-running program in 2022, Somerset paced all Eastern League teams with 205 stolen bases. Bossi made his coaching debut as Hudson Valley's defensive coach in 2021 and prior to that helped assist rehabbing players at the Yankees minor league complex.

#### TEAM OFFENSIVE HIGHS

MOST RUNS SCORED, GAME: 17 - 4/18/23 vs. NH

MOST RUNS SCORED, INNING: 8 - 8th inning, 4/18/23 vs. NH\*

FEWEST HITS, GAME: 2, 2x - 4/16/23 @BNG and 4/22/23 vs. NH (F/5)

MOST HITS, GAME: 14, 2x - 6/11/23 @HFD and 5/16/23 vs. REA

MOST DOUBLES, GAME: 6 - 6/8/23 @HFD

MOST TRIPLES, GAME: 2 - 4/29/23 DH-G2 @HBG

MOST HOME RUNS, GAME: 4, 2x - 6/11/23 @HFD and 5/16/23 vs. REA

MOST XBH, GAME: 7, 3x - last: 6/8/23 @HFD, 5/16/23 vs. REA and 5/9/23 @POR

MOST RUNNERS LOB, GAME: 12, 3x - last: 5/19 vs. REA and 5/4/23 vs. BNG

MOST WALKS, GAME: 12 - 5/12/23 @POR MOST STRIKEOUTS, GAME: 19 - 5/17/23 vs. REA MOST STOLEN BASES, GAME: 7 - 4/20/23 vs. NH

MOST DOUBLE PLAYS HIT INTO, GAME: 3, 2x - 4/23/23 vs. NH, 4/13/23 @BNG

**INDIVIDUAL OFFENSIVE HIGHS** 

MOST RUNS, GAME: 4, 2x - Dominguez, 5/16/23 vs. REA & Burt, 4/18/23 vs. NH

MOST RBI, GAME: 5, 4x - last: Dominguez, 6/9 @HFD; Hardman 2x; Burt 1x

MOST HITS, GAME: 4 - Aaron Palensky, 6/11 @HFD

MOST DOUBLES, GAME: 3 - Brandon Lockridge, 6/8/23 @HFD

MOST TRIPLES, GAME: 2 - Brandon Lockridge, 4/29/23 DH-G2 @HBG

MOST HOME RUNS, GAME: 2 - Jeisson Rosario, 4/23/23 vs. NH

MOST WALKS, GAME: 4 - Jeisson Rosario, 4/18/23 vs. NH

MOST STRIKEOUTS, GAME: 4, 2x - last: Max Burt, 4/19/23 vs. NH

MOST LOB, GAME: 7, 4x - last: Sweeney & Dominguez on 6/9/23 @HFD

MOST STOLEN BASES, GAME: 3, 2x - Durbin, 5/9/23 @POR and Perez, 4/20/23

MOST TOTAL BASES, GAME: 9 - Jeisson Rosario, 4/23/23 vs. NH

LAST PATRIOT TO HIT FOR CYCLE: Jeisson Rosario, 7/17/22 @POR

#### **TEAM PITCHING HIGHS**

MOST RUNS ALLOWED, GAME: 17 - 5/27/23 @ERI

MOST RUNS ALLOWED, INNING: 6, 2x - 7th. on 5/27 @ERI & 4th on 4/18 vs. NH

MOST HITS ALLOWED, GAME: 14 - 5/27/23 @ERI

FEWEST HITS ALLOWED, GAME: 2 - 6/6/23 @HFD & 4/8/23 vs. HBG (F/7)

MOST STRIKEOUTS, GAME: 19 - 4/20/23 vs. NH (F/10), 17 in 9 innings that day

MOST WALKS ISSUED, GAME: 10, 2x - last: 5/26/23 @ERI

MOST HOME RUNS ALLOWED, GAME: 6 - 5/27/23 @ERI

MOST STOLEN BASES ALLOWED, GAME: 10 - 5/13/23 @POR

MOST CONSECUTIVE SCORELESS INNINGS: 24.2 - 5/3-5/6 5th inn. vs. BNG

MOST PITCHERS USED, GAME: 5, 6x - last: 5/31/23 vs. POR

#### INDIVIDUAL PITCHING HIGHS

MOST EARNED RUNS, GAME: 7, 3x - last: Gray Fenter, 6/1 vs. POR; Abeyta 2x

MOST HITS ALLOWED, GAME: 9 - Blane Abeyta, 4/18/23 vs. NH

MOST HOME RUNS ALLOWED, GAME: 3 - Blane Abeyta, 5/27/23 @ERI

MOST STRIKEOUTS, GAME: 11, 3x - last: Abeyta, 6/8 @HFD; Clayton Beeter, 2x

MOST WALKS ISSUED, GAME: 5, 3x - last: Beeter, 4/29/23 @HBG, Abeyta 2x

MOST INNINGS PITCHED, RELIEVER: 5.1 - Blas Castano, 5/2/23 vs. BNG

MOST INNINGS PITCHED, STARTER: 8.0 - Richard Fitts, 6/10/23 @HFD FEWEST INNINGS PITCHED, STARTER: 1.2 - Blane Abeyta, 5/2/23 vs. BNG

MOST CONSECUTIVE STRIKEOUTS: 6 - Clayton Beeter, 5/5/23 vs. BNG

#### MISC. TEAM HIGHS

LONGEST WIN STREAK: 5, 3x - 6/8-6/13, 5/4-5/9 and 4/23-4/29

LONGEST LOSING STREAK: 3, 2x - 5/25-27 @ERI & 5/20 vs. REA - 5/23 @ERI

LONGEST HOME WIN STREAK: 4 - 5/4-5/7/23 vs. BNG

LONGEST HOME LOSING STREAK: 3 - 5/20 vs. REA - 5/30 vs. POR

LONGEST ROAD WINNING STREAK: 4, 2x - 6/8-6/11 @HFD & 4/25-4/29 @HBG

LONGEST ROAD LOSING STREAK: 3 - 5/25-27 @ERI

CONSECUTIVE SERIES WINS: 2, 2x: 5/30-6/11, POR/HFD, 4/25-5/7, HBG/BNG

CONSECUTIVE SERIES LOSSES: -

LARGEST MARGIN OF VICTORY: 10 - 5/4/23 vs. BNG

LARGEST MARGIN OF DEFEAT: 14 - 5/25-27 @ERI

LARGEST LEAD GIVEN UP IN LOSS: 5, 2x - 5/25/23 @ERI and 4/13/23 @BNG

LARGEST DEFICIT OVERCOME: 7 - 6/1/23 vs. POR (trailed 7-0 in 6th, won 11-7)

LONGEST GAME, INNINGS: 10, 3x - 6/4 vs. POR, 5/10 @POR and 4/20 vs. NH

LONGEST GAME, TIME: 3:18 (:31 rain delay) - 6/3/23 vs. POR

LONGEST 9-INNING GAME, TIME: 3:18 (:31 rain delay) - 6/3/23 vs. POR

SHORTEST 9-INNING GAME, TIME: 2:12 - 5/5/23 vs. BNG

LARGEST HOME CROWD: 7,403 - 6/3/23 vs. POR (TD Bank Ballpark 25th Ann.)

**BOLD DENOTES SOMERSET PATRIOTS DOUBLE-A RECORD, \* ties** 

#### PLAYER OF THE WEEK HONORS

**PLAYER** WEEK **NOTES** 

Clayton Beeter 6/12 2-0 @HFD, 11.0 scoreless IP, 17 K

		<b>EJECTIONS</b>		
DATE	NAME	UMPIRE	REASON	FINAL
5/9	Jake Hirst	<b>Denver Dangerfield</b>	Balls & strikes	8-4 W
5/24	<b>Grayson Crawford</b>	Ethan Gorsak	Balls & strikes	7-6 L
6/11	Jeisson Rosario	Justin Juska	Balls & strikes	10-2 W

#### ERRORS

MOST TEAM ERRORS, GAME: 3 - 6/4/23 vs. POR

MOST PLAYER ERRORS, GAME: 1

#### SHUTOUTS

(#)GAME	SCORE	HITS K	PITCHERS (# of shutouts partaken in)

(1) 4/8 vs. HBG 5-0 2 9 Warren (1), Myatt (1)

Notes: Game 2 of Double header, 7 inning game, second game of season

(2) 4/14 @BNG 6-0 3 9 Beeter (1), Maese (1) Notes: Clayton Beeter's first career win, set career-high 6.2 IP

(3) 5/4 vs. BNG 10-0 5 14 Warren (2), Santos (1), Maese (2), Giacone (1)

Notes: Warren's 2nd S/O, 2nd S/O of BNG, Rumfield GS won a fan \$10,000

(4) 5/5 vs. BNG 15 Beeter (2), Jennings (1), Myatt (2) 2-0 5

Notes: 2nd straight S/O, 3rd S/O of BNG, Wells 8th inn. HR broke scoreless tie

(5) 6/6 @HFD 4-0 2 13 Beeter (3), Mauricio (1), Jennings (2) Notes: Beeter's third S/O started, tied his career-high in Ks with 11

# SCORING TRENDS

Overall	35-22	Score By Inning	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	EX	Total
<b>Northeast Division</b>	26-16	Patriots	29	25	30	19	37	39	38	32	23	1	309 (+63)
<b>Southwest Divison</b>	9-6	Opponents	30	26	29	35	29	23	20	18	12	2	246
Home games	19-10												
Road games	16-12	Patriots Score	1/less	2/less	3/less	4/less	4+	5+	6+	7+	8+	9+	<u> 10+</u>
Day games	10-4	W-L	0-8	1-3	5-7	8-8	26-9	22-8	17-4	14-2	9-1	9-0	7-0
Night games	23-18												
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2-run games	6-5	W-L	12-0	14-1	11-7	12-7	10-13	8-11	5-10	4-8	2-6	3-5	1-3
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## PLAYER STARTS BY... POSITION BATTING ORDER

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Dominguez						22	27		4	32-21	4	46	2	1					
Durbin			21	5						16-10			1	2	5	10	7	1	
Gasper	5								5	6-4							1		9
Hardman				43						27-16			3	14	15	11			
Lockridge						2	6	19	2	17-12				1	1	8	9	1	9
Narvaez	11								4	10-5					2	3	5	5	
Palensky						1		10		10-1							1	5	5
Pereira						14	17	7	1	20-19		3	18	17		1			
Perez			3	2						2-3								1	4
Rosario						17	5	22	3	30-17			5	16	7	2	9	7	2
Rumfield		39							4	29-14			1	4	19	11	6		
Seigler	20								14	20-14	1			2	4	8	7	10	2
Sweeney					52				1	33-20	53								
Torrealba			10	3						7-6								1	12
Wagaman		18							3	10-11							8	9	4
Wells	19								12	20-11		3	26	1	1				П

## **MULTI-RBI GAMES**

IVIUL		IDI	U	MAIL	_3
Player	2	3	4	5+	TOTAL
Burt	1	1	1	1	4
Dominguez	4	5		1	10
Durbin	1	2			3
Gasper	1	1			2
Hardman	6			2	8
Lockridge	2	1			3
Narvaez		1			1
Pereira	4	1			5
Perez					
Rosario	1	1	1		3
Rumfield	5		2		7
Seigler	2	1			3
Sweeney	2	1	1		4
Torrealba		1			1
Wagaman	1	1			2
Wells	8	1	1		10

# **MULTI-HIT GAMES**

Player	2	3	4	5+	TOTAL
Burt	4	2			6
Dominguez	9	1			10
Durbin	6	2			8
Gasper	1	1			2
Hardman	5	1			6
Lockridge	5	2			7
Narvaez	2				2
Palensky	1		1		2
Pereira	8	2			10
Rosario	5	1			6
Rumfield	5	1			6
Seigler	2				2
Sweeney	9	2			11
Torrealba	2				2
Wagaman	4	2			6
Wells	6	2			8

Thursday	6-3
Friday	7-2
Saturday	6-6
Sunday	5-3
Monday	-
White Jerseys	12-7
Blue Jerseys	14-6
<b>Grey Jerseys</b>	6-7
Zorros Jerseys	3-1
Marvel Jerseys	-
Camo Jerseys	0-1
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1-2

5-2

2-2

13-6

9-5

22-8

13-14

28-2

2-15

5-3

30-1

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5-2

32-0

1-18

2-2

7-8

9-9

19-4

11-2

2-0

20-10

11-6

4-6

13-10

17-7

13-16

11-4

11-2

23-3

7-16

5-3

8-2

3-6

5-5

Extra innings Shutouts

**Double Headers** 

Scored in the first

Opp. scored in first

Opp. scores first

After 6 leading

..... trailing

..... tied

After 7 leading

.....trailing

..... tied

After 8 leading

..... trailing

..... tied

Hit 0 home runs

Hit 1 home run

Hit 2+ home runs

Hit 3+ home runs

Hit 4+ home runs

Hit 5+ home runs

Opp. 0 home runs

Opp. 1 home run

Made 0 errors

...... 1 error

..... 2+ errors

Opp. 2+ home runs

Opp. made 0 errors

..... 1 error

.....2+ errors

**Out-hit opponent** 

Hits are tied

Wednesday

Tuesday

Out-hit by opponent

**Scores first** 

# NOTABLE PLAYS

# **CLUTCH PLAYS**

Any offensive play in the 7th inning or later that ties or gives the Patriots a lead **bold** = walk-off, *italics* = less than 9-inning game

DATE	INN.	OPP.	BATTER	HIT	FINAL
6/8	7	@HFD	Lockridge	Go-ahead RBI-1B	7-5 W
6/4	10	POR	Rumfield	Walk-Off RBI-1B	5-4 W (F/10)
6/4	7	POR	Wells	Tying RBI-1B	5-4 W (F/10)
6/1	7	POR	Hardman	Go-ahead GS-HR	11-7 W
5/19	9	REA	Rumfield	Walk-Off Sac Fly	4-3 W
5/19	7	REA	Lockridge	Tying 2R-1B	4-3 W
5/16	7	REA	Sweeney	Go-ahead 2R-1B	14-10 W
5/16	7	REA	Hardman	Tying solo HR	14-10 W

# **RECENT HOME RUNS**

INNINGS SINCE LAST HOME RUN / SEASON LONG: 0 / 35								
DATE	BATTER (#)	OPP.	RUNS	INN.	FINAL			
6/13	T.J. Rumfield	ALT	1	8	8-4 W			
6/11	Caleb Durbin	@HFD	2	7	10-2 W			
6/11	T.J. Rumfield (10)	@HFD	2	5	10-2 W			
6/11	Aaron Palensky (2)	@HFD	1	5	10-2 W			
6/11	Jeisson Rosairo (8)	@HFD	1	3	10-2 W			
6/10	T.J. Rumfield (9)	@HFD	2	6	5-2 W			
6/10	Anthony Seigler (1)	@HFD	2	4	5-2 W			
6/9	Mickey Gasper (2)	@HFD	1	8	11-4 W			
6/9	T.J. Rumfield (8)	@HFD	1	7	11-4 W			
6/9	Jasson Dominguez (9)	@HFD	3	4	11-4 W			
6/8	Max Burt (7)	@HFD	3	2	7-5 W			
6/7	Jeisson Rosario (7)	@HFD	1	5	5-4 L			
6/6	Aaron Palensky (1)	@HFD	1	5	4-0 W			
6/6	T.J. Rumfield (7)	@HFD	1	4	4-0 W			
6/4	Trey Sweeney (4)	POR	1	5	5-4 W (F/10)			
6/3	Tyler Hardman (11)	POR	1	1	4-3 L			
6/3	Austin Wells (8)	POR	1	1	4-3 L			
6/2	Caleb Durbin (1)	POR	2	7	9-7 W			
6/2	Tyler Hardman (10)	POR	2	1	9-7 W			
6/1	Jasson Dominguez (8)	POR	3	8	11-7 W			

# **NOTABLE HOME RUNS**

MINITI-HOME KON GAMES										
DATE	BATTER	OPP.	#	INN.	FINAL					
4/23	Jeisson Rosario	NH	2	4, 5	7-3 W					

#### **WALK-OFF HOME RUNS**

DATE BATTER OPP. INN. FINAL

#### **GRAND SLAMS**

UΑ	IE BAITEK	UPP.	INN.	FINAL	
4/1	2 Max Burt	@BNG	9	9-8 L	
4/18	3 T.J. Rumfield	NH	8	17-9 W	
5/4	T.J. Rumfield	NH	5	10-0 W	
6/1	Tyler Hardman	POR	7	11-7 W	

#### **BACK-TO-BACK HOME RUNS**

DAIL	BAITEKS	UPP.	INN.	FINAL	
4/11	C. Narvez & D. Perez	@BNG	9	7-6 W	
5/6	J. Dominguez & A. Wells	BNG	1	4-3 W	
6/3	A. Wells & T. Hardman	POR	1	4-3 L	

#### **INSIDE-THE-PARK HOME RUNS**

DATE BATTER OPP. INN. FINAL

#### **RECENT TEAM 3+ HOME RUN GAMES**

DATE	OPP.	BATTERS	FINAL
6/11	@HFD	Rosario, Palensky, Rumfield, Durb	in 10-2 W
6/9	@HFD	Dominguez, Rumfield, Gasper	11-4 W
5/20	REA	Wells, Rumfield, Lockridge	6-5 L
5/18	REA	Dominguez, Pereira, Wells, Hardr	nan 10-3 W
5/16	REA	Wells, Dominguez, Hardman	14-10 W
5/10	@POR	Sweeney, Rosario, Pereira	9-1 W
5/9	@POR	Dominguez, Pereira, Wells	8-4 W
5/7	BNG	Hardman Lockridge Wells	11-2 W

## PLAYER HOME RUNS RBIS... LAST HOME RUN...

Player	SOLO	2R	3R	GS	TOTAL	DATE	OPP.	PITCHER	GAMES SINCE / LONGEST
Burt	4		2	1	14	6/8	@HFD	Andrew Quezada	2/9
Dominguez	3	4	2		17	6/9	@HFD	Del-Bonta Smith	3/8
Durbin		2			4	6/11	@HFD	Blake Goldsberry	1 / 17
Gasper	2				2	6/9	@HFD	Adam McKillican	-/6
Hardman	5	4		1	17	6/3	POR	CJ Liu	7 / 14
Palensky	2				2	6/9	@HFD	Nick Garcia	1/6
Pereira	6		1		9	5/26	@ERI	Keider Montero	3 / 19
Perez	1					4/8	@BNG	Nolan Clenney	4/4
Rosario	3	3	2		14	6/11	@HFD	Nick Garcia	1 / 10
Rumfield	5	4		2	19	6/13	ALT	Juan Minaya	-/9
Seigler		1			2	6/10	@HFD	Chris McMahon	1 / 32
Sweeney	4				4	6/4	POR	Grant Gambrell	6 / 20
Wagaman	2		1		5	5/25	@ERI	Dareo Gardea	3/7
Wells	4	3	1		13	6/3	POR	CJ Liu	7/8



# SOMERSET PATRIOTS ROSTER

DOUBLE-A AFFILIATE OF THE NEW YORK YANKEES ★ ROSTER AS OF JUNE 14, 2023 ★ 28 ACTIVE | 34 TOTAL

MANAGER: RAUL DOMINGUEZ (52) | PITCHING COACH: GRAYSON CRAWFORD (32) | HITTING COACH: JAKE HIRST (22) DEFENSIVE COACH: AARON BOSSI (93) | TRAINER: MICHAEL BECKER | ASSISTANT TRAINER: MICHAEL AUSTIN

STRENGTH & CONDITIONING: DANNY SMITH | ADVANCE SCOUTING ANALYST: STEVEN DIMARIA | VIDEO / TRAVEL MANAGER: CHRIS NYDEN

#	PITCHERS (14)	HT.	WT	B/T	DOB/AGE	HOMETOWN	ACQUIRED	SCH00L
18	Blane Abeyta	6'3"	185	R/R	9/4/98 (24)	Martinez, CA	UDFA ('20)	Univ. Nevada ('20)
13	Edgar Barclay	5'10"	210	L/L	5/26/98 (25)	Oklahoma City, OK	15th rd. (2019)	Cal State Bakersfield ('19)
29	Clayton Beeter	6'2"	230	R/R	10/9/98 (24)	Fort Worth, TX	Trade (LAD, '22)	Texas Tech ('19-'20)
26	Blas Castaño	5'10"	160	R/R	9/8/98 (24)	Espaillat, DOM.	IFA (2018)	
21	Gray Fenter	6'0"	200	R/R	1/25/96 (27)	West Memphis, AR	MiLB FA ('23)	West Memphis HS (AR)
43	Richard Fitts	6'3"	215	R/R	12/17/99 (23)	Helena, AL	6th rd. (2021)	Auburn Univ. ('19-'21)
27	Michael Giacone*	6'0"	175	L/L	10/23/96 (26)	Fountain Valley, CA	28th rd. (2019)	North Greenville Univ. ('19)
30	Yoendrys Gomez	6'3"	175	R/R	10/15/99 (23)	Nirgua, VEN.	IFA ('16)	
41	Zac Houston	6'5"	260	R/R	11/30/94 (28)	Slidell, LA	MiLB FA ('22)	Poplarville HS (MS)
19	Steven Jennings	6'2"	175	R/R	11/13/98 (24)	Brush Creek, TN	Rule 5 (2021)	Dekalb County HS (TN)
17	Alex Mauricio	6'0"	180	R/R	9/24/96 (26)	Midlothian, GA	27th rd. (2017)	Norfolk State Univ. ('15-'17)
25	Tanner Myatt	6'7"	220	R/R	5/21/98 (24)	Spring Lake, NC	11th rd. (2018)	Florence-Darlington ('17-18)
	Matt Sauer*	6'4"	195	R/R	1/21/99 (24)	Santa Maria, CA	2nd rd. (2017)	Righetti HS (CA)
54	Lisandro Santos	6'1"	230	L/L	7/24/98 (24)	Santiago, DOM.	MiLB FA ('22)	
34	Danny Watson	6'7"	235	R/R	10/6/00 (22)	Albany, NY	15 rd. (2021)	VCU ('19-'21)
15	Justin Wilson	6'0"	180	R/R	9/9/96 (26)	Murfreesboro, TN	23rd rd. (2018)	Vanderbilt Univ. ('17-'18)
#	CATCHERS (3)	HT.	WT	B/T	DOB/AGE	HOMETOWN	ACQUIRED	SCH00L
6	Mickey Gasper	5'9"	205	S/R	10/11/95 (27)	Merrimack, NH	27th rd. (2018)	Bryant Univ. ('15-'18)
20	Anthony Seigler	5'9"	200	S/S	6/20/99 (23)	Fort Defiance, AZ	1st rd. (2018)	Cartersville HS (GA)
16	Austin Wells	6'0"	220	L/R	7/12/99 (23)	Las Vegas, NV	1st. rd. (2020)	Univ. Arizona ('19-'20)
#	<b>INFIELDERS (6)</b>	HT.	WT	B/T	DOB/AGE	HOMETOWN	ACQUIRED	SCH00L
9	Max Burt	6'1"	185	R/R	8/28/96 (26)	North Andover, MA	28th rd. (2018)	Northeastern Univ. ('15-'18)
5	Caleb Durbin	5'7"	185	R/R	2/22/00 (23)	Lake Forest, IL	Trade (ATL, '22)	Washington Univ. STL ('19-'21)
36	Tyler Hardman	6'2"	205	R/R	1/27/99 (24)	Mission Viejo, CA	5th rd. (2021)	Univ. Oklahoma ('18-21)
23	Delvin Perez^	6'1"	175	R/R	11/24/98 (24)	San Juan, PR	MiLB FA (2022)	Inter. Baseball Academy (PR)
7	T.J. Rumfield	6'4"	225	L/R	5/17/00 (22)	Temple, TX	Trade (PHI, '21)	Virginia Tech ('21)
3	Trey Sweeney	6'2"	200	L/R	4/24/00 (23)	Louisville, KY	1st rd. (2021)	Eastern Illinois Univ. ('19-'21)
33	Eric Wagaman	6'4"	210	R/R	8/14/97 (25)	Mission Viejo, CA	13th rd. (2017)	Orange Coast College ('17)
#	<b>OUTFIELDERS (5)</b>	HT.	WT	B/T	DOB/AGE	HOMETOWN	ACQUIRED	SCH00L
10	Harrison Bader	6'0"	210	R/R	6/3/94 (29)	Bronxville, NY	Trade (STL, '22)	Univ. Florida ('13-'15)
12	Isasaa Daminawaa	5'9"	190	S/R	2/7/03 (20)	Esperanza, DOM.	IFA (2019)	
1	Jasson Dominguez	3 3						
	Aaron Palensky	5'10"	190	R/R	9/22/98 (24)	Omaha, NE	UDFA ('20)	Univ. Nebraska ('19-'20)
8	•				9/22/98 (24) 4/10/01 (22)	Omaha, NE Cabudare, VEN.	UDFA ('20) IFA ('17)	Univ. Nebraska ('19-'20)

<sup>\*</sup> injured list | # MLB rehab assignment | ^ development list | ~ 40-man roster | " MiLB rehab assignment

#### **RECENT TRANSACTIONS**

6/14 Harrison Bader commences MLB rehab assignment with SOM.

6/13 Josh Maciejewski reinstated from 7-day IL, transferred to AAA-SWB.

6/13 Tanner Myatt transferred from AAA-SWB to SOM.

6/11 Tanner Myatt transferred from SOM to AAA-SWB.

6/10 Brandon Lockridge transferred from SOM to AAA-SWB.

6/7 Brandon Lockridge reinstated off SOM 7-day IL.

#### **INJURED LIST**

Michael Giacone (7-day IL) Matt Sauer (7-day IL) Carson Coleman (60-day IL) Derek Craft (60-day IL) Anderson Munoz (60-day IL)

#### **PRONUNCIATIONS**

RWJBarnabas HEALTH

#2 Jeisson (Jason)
#12 Jasson (Jason)
#18 Abeyta (uh-BAY-tuh)
#20 Seigler (SEEG-lurr)
#26 Blas (BLAH-zz)
#27 Giacone (juh-cone-EE)
#30 Yoendrys (YO-ehn-driss)

PATRIMTS	TRANSACTIONS

#	DATE	PLAYER	FROM	T0
21	6/13	RHP Tanner Myatt	AAA-Scranton/Wilkes-Barre	AA-Somerset
20	6/11	RHP Tanner Myatt	AA-Somerset	AAA-Scranton/Wilkes-Barre
19	6/10	OF Brandon Lockridge	AA-Somerset	AAA-Scranton/Wilkes-Barre
18	6/3	RHP Shawn Semple	AA-Somerset	Released
17	5/30	RHP Indigo Diaz	AA-Somerset	A+ Hudson Valley
16	5/30	RHP Justin Maese	AA-Somerset	Released
15	5/30	RHP Danny Watson	A+ Hudson Valley	AA-Somerset
14	5/30	OF Aaron Palensky	A+ Hudson Valley	AA-Somerset
13	5/30	LHP Edgar Barclay	A+ Hudson Valley	AA-Somerset
12	5/17	RHP Will Warren	AA-Somerset	AAA-Scranton/Wilkes-Barre
11	5/13	RHP Shawn Semple	AAA-Scranton/Wilkes-Barre	AA-Somerset
10	5/9	INF Eduardo Torrealba	AA-Somerset	A+ Hudson Valley
9	5/9	INF Caleb Durbin	A+ Hudson Valley	AA-Somerset
8	5/9	C Mickey Gasper	AAA-Scranton/Wilkes-Barre	AA-Somerset
7	5/9	C Carlos Narvaez	AA-Somerset	AAA-Scranton/Wilkes-Barre
6	5/6	C Juan Crisp	AA-Somerset	A+ Hudson Valley
5	5/2	C Austin Wells	A-Tampa (rehab)	AA-Somerset
4	4/22	RHP Zac Houston	FCL Yankees	AA-Somerset
3	4/13	RHP Blas Castano	FCL Yankees	AA-Somerset
2	4/13	RHP Gray Fenter	FCL Yankees	AA-Somerset
1	4/8	RHP Barrett Loseke	AA-Somerset	AAA-Scranton/Wilkes-Barre

# MLB REHAB ASSIGNMENTS (2023)

# PLAYER	INJURY	DATES	S NOTES
1 (23) Josh Donaldson	Right Hamstring Strain	4/18	Batted 2nd, started at 3B, went 1-for-3, SOM won 17-9
2 (24) Harrison Bader	Left Oblique Strain	4/21	Game-winning RBI-double in 5th inn. of 3-2 win
		4/23	Batted 2nd, started at CF again, went 0-for-3 in 7-3 W
3 (25) Ben Rortvedt	Left Shoulder Aneurysm	4/28	1st game of DH, RBI double in 1st AB, 1-for-3 in 3-2 W
4 (26) Luis Severino	Right Lat Strain	5/16	Started with 3.1 IP, 2 ER, K; SOM won 14-10
5 (27) Josh Donaldson	Right Hamstring Strain	5/30	Went 1-for-4, homered 2x in 1st game back for NYY
6 (28) Tommy Kahnle	Right Biceps Tendonitis	5/30	Pitched 7th inning, allowed 1 ER on 17 pitches, 1 K
7 (29) Giancarlo Stanton	Left Hamstring Strain	5/30	Went 0-for-3, homered in 1st game back for NYY
8 (30) Harrison Bader	Right Hamstring Strain	6/13	·

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**EDGAR BARCLAY** 

DOB: 5/25/98 (25) HOMETOWN: Oklahoma City, OK ACQ: MLB Draft 2019 (15 | 465)

PITCH SELECTION: 4-seam Fastball (87-89), Changeup (80-82), Slider

LAST APP. Fri. 6/9 @HFD: 2.1 IP, 1 ER, 1 H, 2 BB, 2 K

**SCORELESS STREAK: -**

2022: Pitched to a 1.74 ERA in 67.1 IP for High-A Hudson Valley with 86 K. Made four starts and 24 relief appearances, 2022 MLB Pipeline No. 27 while holding opponents to a .177 AVG without vielding a home run all season. Barclay was recognized by in Baseball America's managers poll for being the South Atlantic League's top reliever, and for having the top changeup in the league.

2022 Mil B com Yankees 2021: Split the season between Single-A Tampa and High-A Hudson Valley, combining to go 4-4 with a 3.49 ERA (2 SV, Organization All-Star 77.1 IP, 53 H, 25 BB, 112 K, 7 HR) in 29 appearances (6 starts)... From 5/9 - 6/8, he posted a 1.04 ERA (17.1 IP, 4 H, 7 BB, 24 K, 0 HR) in 7 appear-

ances (1 GS). On 8/13/21 vs. Jersey Shore, he struck out a season-high eight batters over 3.2 IP. 2019: Spent majority of pro debut season with GCL Yankees East, earning a late-season promotion to High-A Tampa for two games. Combined to post a 2.08 ERA in 12 relief appearances with 29 K over 26 IP.

College: Pitched one season each at Central Arizona College (2017), Gateway Community College (AZ, 2018) and Cal State-Bakersfield (2019). Was a 3x Western Athletic Conference Pitcher of the Week in his season at Cal State-Bakersfield, where he led the WAC with 111 strikeouts and also led the Roadrunners in shutouts (2) and complete games (2) en route to being named 2019 Academic All-WAC.

Personal Notes: A Hawaii native, Barclay grew up in Hilo and attened St. Joseph High School, which did not have a baseball program, instead playing in his local PONY league. Has drawn comparisons to Yankees All-Star LHP Nestor Cortes for his pitching style, which features funky leg kicks and guick pitches.

Career Notes: Selected by the Yankees in the 15th round of the 2019 MLB Draft.

### **CAREER HIGHS:**

**IP:** 5.2 8/19/21 vs. BRK (A+) **H**: 6 6/18/21 vs. BRD (A) R: 7 9/8/21 vs. BRK (A+) **BB**: 3. 3x last: 8/19/22 @BRK (A+) **K**: 8 8/13/21 vs. JS (A+)

#### **SEASON HIGHS:**

**IP**: 2.1 6/9 @HFD **H**: 1, 2x last: 6/9 @HFD **R**· 1 6/9 @HFD BB: 2.2x last: 6/9 @HFD **K**: 3 5/31 vs. POR

# BLAS CASTANO

DOB: 9/8/98 (24) HOMETOWN: Espaillat, DOM. ACQ: International Free Agent (2018)

**PITCH SELECTION:** 2-seam Fastball (91-95), Cutter 88-90, Changeup (86-88), Slider (80-82) LAST APP. Fri. 6/9 @HFD: 2.0 IP, 0 R, 1 H, 4 K

SCORELESS STREAK: 2.0 IP (one appearances, began on 6/9 @HFD)

2023: Castano earned his first Double-A win in his second start of the season on 4/23 vs. New Hampshire, allowing 3 ER over 5 IP with 6 K. 2022: Castano began 2022 in the starting rotation for High-A Hudson Valley, making 15 starts over 16 appearances and going 3-7 with a 3.62 ERA and 74 K compared 26 BB over 79.2 IP. His 79.2 IP led the Renegades at the time of his promotion to Somerset on 8/4/22. Castano started one game for the Patriots, before returning to Hudson Valley for the remainder of the season.

2021: Spent most of 2021 in Single-A Tampa, after beginning the season with a brief stint in the FCL. Combined, Castano went 6-2 with a 4.17 ERA over 45.1 IP.

2019: After three starts in the DSL to begin 2019, when Castano posted a 1.84 ERA over 14.2 IP, he moved to the United States and joined the GCL Yankees West rotation. Castano started 7/11 appearances in the GCL, going 2-5 with a 4.67 ERA.

2018: Castano spent his pro debut season with the DSL Yankees, going 1-5 over 11 appearances that included seven starts with a 5.40 ERA. Personal Notes: Signed with the Yankees as an international free agent on June 1, 2018.

#### **CAREER HIGHS:**

**IP**⋅ 7 ∩ 6/23/22 @ WS (A+) **H**: 10

6/10/22 vs. JS (A+) R: 9

8/4/22 vs. BNG (AA) **BB**: 5

7/31/18 @ ANG (DSL) **K**: 9

6/17/21 vs. PHI (FCL)

#### **SEASON HIGHS:**

IP: 5.1 5/2 vs. BNG **H**: 6 5/23 @ERI R: 6, 2x, last: 5/23 @ERI **BB**: 5 5/23 @ERI **K**: 6, 3x

# MICHAEL GIACONE

DOB: 10/23/96 (26) HOMETOWN: Fountain Valley, CA ACQ: MLB Draft 2019 (28 | 855)

**PITCH SELECTION:** Fastball, Changeup, Cutter, Slider

LAST APP. Sun. 5/28 @ERI: 1.0 IP, 1 ER, 2 H, BB

**SCORELESS STREAK: -**

2022: Pitched in six games for High-A Hudson Valley during April, before his season was cut short due to a shoulder injury. In his six appearances, Giacone went 3-0 with a 1.86 ERA, 2 BB, 15 K, .097 AVG and 0.52 WHIP over 9.2 IP.

2021: Made his professional debut with Single-A Tampa, leading the Low-A Southeast with eight wins (8-0). He allowed 2 ER or fewer in 19 of his 20 appearances on the season and 13 of his 20 appearances lasted 2.0+ innings, topping out at 4.0 IP on 6/22 at Lakeland. From 7/18/21 through the end of the year, he made only three appearances as the result of two separate IL stints (7/22-8/18 and 8/26-9/16).

College: Pitched one season (2019) at North Greenville University (SC), and was named a 2019 ABCA/Rawlings Division II Second-Team All-Southeast Region. He began his college career with two years (2017-18) at Orange Coast Community College (CA). In 2017 with Orance Coast CC, he was teammates with current Patriot Eric Wagaman.

Personal Notes: Graduated from Ocean View High School (CA) in 2016. Selected by the Yankees in the 28th round of the 2021 MLB Draft.

#### **CAREER HIGHS:**

last: 5/9 @POR

**IP:** 4.0 6/22/21 @LAK (A) **H**: 5 5/23/21 vs. FTM (A) **R**: 4

7/17/21 vs. LAK (A) **BB**: 3

5/19/21 vs. FTM (A) **K**: 6 (2x)

last: 6/22/21 @LAK (A)

#### **SEASON HIGHS:**

**IP**: 2.0, 4x last: 5/9 @POR H: 3 5/12 @POR **R**: 2. 2x

last: 5/12 @POR BB: 2. 2x last: 5/9 @POR

**K**: 3, 4x last: 5/12 @POR

# PATRIOTS BULLPEN

AWARDS / HONORS 2018 MiLB.com Tigers Organization All-Star

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2019 MLB Pipeline

No. 25 Tigers Prospect

2017 Baseball America

No. 23 Tigers Prospect

PROSPECT RANKINGS

2019 Baseball America

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2019 MLB Pipeline #13

Pirates Prospect

2018 MLB Pipeline #15

Pirates Prospect

**ZAC HOUSTON** 

DOB: 11/30/94 (28) HOMETOWN: Slidell, LA ACQ: MiLB Free Agent (Dec. 2022)

PITCH SELECTION: Fastball, Curveball, Changeup

LAST APP. Tue. 6/13 vs. ALT: 1.0 IP, 0 R, H, BB, 3 K (last 8 outs recorded have been strikeouts) SCORELESS STREAK: 1.0 IP (one appearance, began on 6/13 vs. ALT)

2022: Split his sixth pro season between Triple-A Toledo (17 games) and Double-A Erie (31 games), whom the Patriots defeated in the 2022 Eastern League Championship Series. In a career-high 48 total appearances, Houston posted a career-high 5.47 ERA.

2021: Limited to seven games with an injury. Across 9.2 total innings between the FCL Tigers and High-A West Michigan, he allowed 1 ER with 3 BB compared to 13 K.

2019: Began the season by posting a 2.04 ERA over 23 relief appearances for Double-A Erie. He was promoted to Triple-A Toledo, where he ended the season with 17 games and posted a 10.00 ERA.

2018: Split the season between Double-A Erie (13 games) and Triple-A Toledo (33 games), posting a (full-season) career-best 1.63 ERA and 10 SV in 46 relief appearances. Following the season, he was named an MiLB.com Tigers Organization All-Star.

2017: In his second pro season, Houston spent time with Single-A West Michigan (24 games) and High-A Lakeland (8 games), posting a 2.17 ERA, 0.98 WHIP and .134 AVG.

2016: Made his professional debut across 20 total games with Short-Season Class-A Connecticut and Single-A West Michigan, allowing only 1 ER in 29.2 innings of work (0.30 ERA, 0.91 WHIP and .122 AVG).

College: Pitched three seasons at Mississippi State University (2014-16), posting a career 2.34 ERA over 42 total appearances (six starts), while holding batters to a .196 AVG in 73.0 combined innings. Coming out of college, he was ranked by Baseball America as the No. 67 college prospect in the 2016 MLB Draft.

#### **CAREER HIGHS:**

**IP**: 3.0. 7x ast: 8/10/19 @NH (AA) **H**: 5 5/17/17 vs. BG (A+)

R: 5, 2x last: 9/1/22 @ROC (AAA) **BB**: 4 7/10/22 @HBG (AA)

**K**: 8 7/1/17 @GL (A)

#### **SEASON HIGHS:**

**IP:** 1.2 6/11 @HFD H: 1

4/25 vs. NH R: 2. 2x

last: 6/11 @HFD **BB**: 3

4/27 @HBG **K**: 5

6/11 @HFD

# STEVEN JENNINGS

DOB: 11/13/98 (24) HOMETOWN: Brush Creek, TN ACQ: MiLB Rule 5 Draft (PIT, Dec. 2021)

**PITCH SELECTION:** Fastball (92-95), Slider (80-83), Changeup (84-86)

LAST APP. Tue. 6/13 vs. ALT: 2.2 IP, 0 R, H, BB, 3 K (WP in 8-4 win)

SCORELESS STREAK: 2.2 IP (one appearance, began on 6/13 vs. ALT)

2022: Jennings finished the second no-hitter in Somerset Patriots franchise history with two perfect innings on 9/8/22 in Hartford. The 7-inning no-hitter (game two of a double header sweep) was started with five hitless inning by Yoendrys Gomez. Over Jennings' first nine appearances in 2022, he pitched to a 2.14 ERA over 21 IP with 24 K and a 0.86 WHIP. 2021: Selected by the Yankees during the first round of the minor league phase of the 2021 Rule 5 Draft, from the Pittsburgh Pirates. With the Pirates organization, Jennings compiled a 4.75 ERA over 79 career appearances (51 starts), with 240 strikeouts over 295.2 innings. Beginning the 2021 season in Single-A Bradenton, Jennings earned promotions to High-A Greensboro and Double-A Altoona over the course of 29 appearances in his first season as a full-time reliever.

Across all three levels of the Pirates' minor league system in 2021, he combined to go 9-1 with a 4.99 ERA.

2017 - 2019: Jennings was exclusively a starter during his first three years in the Pirates organization (2017-19), starting in all 50 games he appeared in, going 10-18 with a 4.70 ERA and 1.40 WHIP.

Personal Notes: Dual-sport athlete at Dekalb County High School (TN) played quarterback for the varsity football team. Jennings tore his ACL his junior year and pitched with a brace on his knee during his senior season, when he posted a 0.52 ERA with 99 strikeouts in 51.2 innings. Committed to play college baseball at the University of Mississippi, before being drafted by the Pirates in the 2nd round of the 2017 MLB Draft and signing for \$1.9 million, which was \$264,500 above slot amount. Hometown Brush Creek, Tennessee: population of just under 2,000 people, grew up watching the Chicago Cubs.

#### **CAREER HIGHS:**

**IP:** 7.0 8/16/18 @BUR (ROA) **H**: 10

9/11/21 @JS (A+) **R**: 9

8/22/18 @KNG (ROA) **BB**: 4

8/3/18 @KNG (ROA) **K**: 9

7/11/18 @PUL (ROA)

#### **SEASON HIGHS: IP**: 2.2. 3x

last: 6/13 vs. ALT H: 3, 5x last: 6/9 @HFD **R**: 3

6/9 @HFD **BB**: 3 5/13 @POR

K: 4, 3x last: 6/9 @HFD

#### **ALEX MAURICIO RHP** R

AWARDS / HONORS 2018: South Atlantic

League Pitcher of the

Week: 8/26/18

DOB: 9/24/96 (26)

HOMETOWN: Midlothian, VA ACQ: MLB Draft 2017 (27 | 812)

**PITCH SELECTION:** Fastball (95-98), Cutter (88-91), Slider (83-86)

LAST APP. Tue. 6/13 vs. ALT: 1.0 IP, 0 R, H, BB, K (earned 2nd hold in 8-4 W)

SCORELESS STREAK: 1.0 IP (one appearance, began on 6/13 vs. ALT)

2023: Appeared in four games during Yankees MLB Spring Training, totaling 2.2 scoreless IP with 5 K.

2022: After having not played from 2020-21, Mauricio returned to the Yankees organization spending the full year with High-A Hudson Valley, going 4-0 over 26 games in which he posted a 4.78 ERA and led the Renegades with six saves. 2019: Played one game in 2019 for Single-A Charleston, allowed 7 ER in 1.1 IP, then opted to voluntarily retire.

2018: Split the 2018 season between Short-Season Class-A Staten Island (four starts) and Single-A Charleston (seven starts). Over 11 total starts, he went 1-3 with a 3.86 ERA and 1.05 WHIP.

2017: Made his pro debut across nine relief appearances for the GCL Yankees West, going 2-1 with a 3.24 ERA and 1.38 WHIP. College: Played three seasons at Norfolk State University, being named an All-MEAC first-team relief pitcher as a sophomore (2016) and first-team All-MEAC utility as a junior (2017). As a junior, he also became the first player in Norfolk State history to be named MEAC Player of the Year, when he was also one of nine semifinalists for the John Olerud Two-Way Player of the Year Award. In addition to his 11 games on the mound, Mauricio played 17 games at second base, 12 games at first base, eight at designated hitter, two at shortstop and one in right field. His pitching career at Norfolk State consisted of 29 appearances (11 starts) in which he went 7-5 with a 3.79 ERA. Offensively, he played in a total of 122 games (114 starts), slashing .299/.391/.429 over the course of his college career with 75 R, 72 RBI and 6 HR.

Personal Notes: Attended Manchester High School (VA) and was a three-year letterwinner in baseball, in addition to playing volleyball for two years. As a senior, Mauricio posted a 2.13 ERA on the mound, while hitting .333 at the plate.

Career Notes: Selected by the Yankees in the 27th round of the 2017 MLB Draft. Following one game in the 2019 season, Mauricio voluntarily retired from baseball, before returning for the 2022 season.

## **CAREER HIGHS:**

**IP**: 6.1 8/24/18 vs. GVL (A) **H**: 9 7/15/18 vs. HIC (A) **R**: 8 7/22/18 @ROM (A) **BB**: 3 (4x) last: 4/17/22 @ROM (A+ **K**: 8 6/30/18 @CON (SS-A)

#### **SEASON HIGHS:**

**IP:** 2.0, 2x last: 5/24 @ERI **H**: 2, 3x last: 6/2 vs. POR **R**: 3 5/17 @REA **BB**: 1, 2x last: 5/24 @ERI K: 3. 2x

Last: 5/17 vs. REA

# PATRIOTS BULLPEN

PROSPECT RANKINGS
2019 MLB Pipeline #29
Yankees Prospect

25 TANNER MYATT

RHP 6'7" / 2

B/T: R / R

DOB: 5/21/98 (22) HOMETOWN: Spring Lake, NC ACQ: MLB Draft 2018 (11 | 337)

PITCH SELECTION: Fastball (95-99), Cutter, Slider, Changeup

LAST APP. Wed. 6/7 @HFD: 0.2 IP, 4 ER, 2 H, 2 BB, HBP, K (1st BS and L in 5-4 loss) SCORELESS STREAK: Sun. 6/11 vs. NOR (AAA): 1.1 IP, 0 R, H, 2 BB, HB, 3 K (W)

**2022**: Began 2022 season with 17 games in High-A Hudson Valley, going 1-0 with a 1.54 ERA and four saves, tying for the 2nd-most on the team. His 40 K (over 27.1 IP) led all relievers at the time of his promotion to Somerset on 6/16/22. Spending the remainder of the season in Somerset, Myatt appeared in 22 games, going 4-2 with a 4.30 ERA.

2021: Split the 2021 season between Low-A Tampa and High-A Hudson Valley, combining to go 1-0 with a 5.40 ERA (18.1 IP, 10 H, 16 BB, 25 K) in 15 appearances. Allowed only one earned run in six appearances with Tampa before a regular season-ending injury in July. After the season, Myatt pitched in the Arizona Fall League with Surprise, going 0-0 with a 13.50 ERA and 1 SV (6.0 IP, 8 H, 13 BB, 9 K, 4 HR) in 8 games. 2019: Spent all of 2019 in Single-A Charleston, pitching in 19 games with a 4.24 ERA, striking out 40 batters over 40.1 IP. A shoulder inflammation injury cut his 2019 season short.

2018: Spent the majority of his pro debut in the GCL, making nine appearances (five starts) and posting a 6.06 ERA.

**College:** Selected by the Yankees in the 11th round of the 2018 MLB Draft out of Florence-Darlington Technical College, where he became the highest drafted player in FDTC school history. He pitched two seasons (2017-18), with a 3.76 ERA his and 34 K in 26.1 IP his freshman year. His sophomore year, he pitched to a 1.80 ERA with 39 K in 30 IP. Following his two seasons at FDTC, Myatt had committed to play at College of Charleston. Instead, he was drafted by the Yankees in 2018 and opted to sign.

Personal Notes: Graduated from Overhills High School (NC) in 2016, before attending Florence-Darlington Technical College.

Career Notes: Selected by the Yankees in the 11th round of the 2018 MLB Draft.

#### **CAREER HIGHS:**

IP: 4.2
4/12/19 vs. GBO (A)
H: 4
7/2/19 vs. AUG (A)
R: 6, 2x
last: 5/27/23 @ERI (AA)
BB: 5
5/13/21 vs. ABD (A+)
K: 7
4/12/19 vs. GBO (A)

#### **SEASON HIGHS:**

IP: 2.0, 3x last: 5/23 @ERI H: 2, 3x last: 6/7 @HFD R: 6 5/27 @ERI BB: 4 5/27 @ERI (AA) K: 3, 2x

last: 4/21 vs. NH

## 54 **LISANDRO SANTOS** LHP 6'1" / 230 B/T: L / L

DOB: 7/24/98 (24)
PITCH SELECTION

HOMETOWN: Santiago, DOM. ACQ: MiLB Free Agent (2022)

PITCH SELECTION: Fastball, Slider (84-85), Changeup (86-87)

LAST APP. Tue. 6/13 vs. ALT: 2.0 IP, 1 R, 0 ER, H, BB, K (earned team-best 5th hold in 8-4 W) SCORELESS STREAK: 8.0 IP (4 appearances, began on 5/30 vs. POR, allowed unearned R on 6/13)

2022: In his final season with the Braves organization, Santos worked primarily as a reliever for High-A Rome, appearing in 20 games (four starts). He went 2-4 with a 3.40 ERA, en route to a mid-July promotion to Double-A Mississippi. Spending the second half of his season in Double-A, Santos went 2-1 over 17 relief appearances, posting a 5.89 ERA with a .220 AVG and 1.36 WHIP. Santos elected free agency following the 2022 season.

**2021:** Transitioning back to working exclusively as a reliever, Santos began the 2021 season with six relief outings for High-A Rome, going 1-0 with a 3.72 ERA. In June, he was assigned to Single-A Augusta, where he spent the majority of his season. Appearing in 29 games out of the bullpen, he posted a 3.76 ERA, .218 AVG and 1.43 ERA. Collectively in 2021, Santos made 35 appearances and posted a 3.75 ERA with a .203 AVG and 1.45 WHIP.

**2019**: Began his fourth straight pro season with the DSL Braves, this time working primarily as a starter. Over seven appearances in the DSL (five starts), Santos went 2-1 with a 2.70 ERA. In August, he earned a promotion to Advanced-Rookie level Danville, ending the season with five starts in which he went 2-1 with a 1.14 ERA.

**2018**: Began his third straight season with the DSL Braves, making four appearances, including his first professional start, combining to go 1-1 with a 2.77 ERA, before a July promotion to the GCL Braves, where he spent the remainder of the 2018 season. In the GCL, Santos made 11 appearances (seven starts), going 0-3 with a 4.71 ERA and 1.68 WHIP. Collectively in 2018, he went 1-4 over 15 appearances (eight starts) with a 4.20 ERA.

2017: Returned to the DSL Braves for all of his second professional season, going 2-0 over 20 relief appearances with a 3.00 ERA, 18 BB, 35 K and a 1.57 WHIP.

2016: Pitched in four games out of the bullpen as part of his pro debut season with the DSL Braves, allowing 4 R (0 ER) over 6.2 IP with a 1.05 WHIP.

**Personal Notes:** Originally signed by the Braves as an international Free Agent on July 2, 2016 out of Santiago Dominican Republic. After six seasons with the Braves, Santos was signed by the Yankees as a minor league free agent on December 8, 2022.

#### **CAREER HIGHS:**

IP: 6.2
7/24/19 @DSL ATH (ROK)
H: 9
8/22/18 vs. PHW (ROK)
R: 7
8/22/18 vs. PHW
BB: 5 (2x)
last: 8/9/19 @BUR (ROA)
K: 10
5/19/22 @ABD (A+)

#### **SEASON HIGHS:**

IP: 3.2 4/20 vs. NH H: 3 4/29 @HBG R: 4, 2x last: 5/26 @ERI BB: 4 5/26 @ERI K: 6

4/20 vs. NH

# PATRIOTS BULLPEN



## 15 **JUSTIN WILSON**

RHP

6'በ" / 1ጸበ

B/T: R / R

DOB: 9/9/96 (26) HOMETOWN: Murfreesboro, TN

ACQ: MLB Draft 2018 (23 | 697)

**PITCH SELECTION**: Fastball, Changeup, Cutter, Slider

LAST APP. Sun. 6/11 @HFD: 1.0 IP, 0 R, H, HBP, K

SCORELESS STREAK: 1.1 IP (two appearances, began on 6/7 @HFD)

**2021**: Made 10 relief appearances for High-A Hudson Valley, posting a 4.76 ERA over 11.1 innings, before an injury cut his season short and kept him sidelined through the 2022 season.

**2019**: Began his season with one start for the GCL Yankees West, before a promotion to Short-Season Class-A Staten Island, where he finished the season with 17 relief appearances. In 18 total games, he went 2-3 with a 1.40 ERA, 1.09 WHIP and .165 AVG.

**2018**: During his pro debut season, he spent five games (one start) with Rookie-Advanced Pulaski, posting a 1-1 record and 7.71 ERA over 11.2 innings.

**College:** Began his college career in 2016 with a season at Volunteer State Community College (TN), going 2-1 with a 2.51 ERA in eight appearances (two starts), while also hitting .302 in 18 games (15 starts) at the plate as a catcher. He then transferred to Vanderbilt for his final two years (2017-18), sitting out the 2017 season after having undergone elbow surgery. As a redshirt sophomore in 2018, he appeared in seven games, allowing 2 ER in 6.1 IP with 9 K.

Personal Notes: Lettered three times at Oakland High School (TN), spending his senior year in 2015 as the captain of the baseball team. He was tabbed as an honorable mention All-American and All-District as a senior. Justin's father raced in NASCAR and he considers racing his main hobby outside of baseball.

Career Notes: Selected by the Yankees in the 23rd round of the 2018 MLB Draft.

#### **CAREER HIGHS:**

IP: 3.0 (2x)
7/19/18 @DAN (ROA)
H: 5
7/19/18 @DAN (ROA)
R: 4
5/25/23 @ERI (AA)
BB: 3 (3x)
last: 7/25/18 vs. JC (ROA)
K: 3 (12x)

# last: 6/16/21 vs. JS **SEASON HIGHS:**

IP: 2.0, 2x last: 6/1 vs. POR H: 3

5/25 @ERI **R**: 4

5/25 @ERI BB: 3 4/29 @HBG

**K**: 2, 5x last: 5/28 @ERI

# 34 **DANNY WATSON**

RHP

6'7" / *2*35

8/T: R / R

DOB: 10/06/00 (22) HOMETOWN: Albany, NY ACQ: MLB Draft 2021 (15 | 453)

**PITCH SELECTION**: Fastball, Changeup, Cutter, Slider

LAST APP. Sun. 6/11 @HFD: 1.1 IP, HBP, 2 K

SCORELESS STREAK: 18.1 IP, 21 K, 4 BB over 12 G including 9 in A+ since 4/30

2023: Began season with High-A Hudson Valley, pitching to a 1.48 ERA over 15 appearances, striking out 39 over 24.1 IP.

**2022:** Spent the entire season with Single-A Tampa, going 5-5 with one save and a 4.01 ERA (58.1 IP, 45 H, 30 R/26 ER, 36 BB, 3 HR) in 38 appearances. Led Tampa pitchers with 38 appearances. Tied for fifth in Florida State League with five holds. Selected in the 15th round of the 2021 First-Year Player Draft by the Yankees.

**2021:** Broke camp with the Renegades. Recorded 20 straight outs via strikeouts from 4/23-5/5: 5 G, 6.2 IP, 6 H, 3 R/2 ER, 4 BB, 20 K. Worked with Yankees RHP Greg Weissert to re-tool his mechanics during spring training in 2023. Delivery to the plate is completely different this season.

College: In three seasons with VCU, went 8-5 with three saves and a 3.38 ERA (88.0 IP, 73 H, 40 R/33 ER, 29 BB, 92 K) in 40 games (seven starts).

Personal Notes: Lifelong Yankee fan who always wanted to be drafted by the organization, grew up idolizing Derek Jeter. Told hometown Albany Times Union his "entire room was decked out in Yankee gear" during childhood. Attended Columbia High School in East Greenbush, NY where he was all-state and a two-time Times Union all-star. He helped Columbia win a Section 2 title as a senior.

#### **CAREER HIGHS:**

IP: 3.0
5/13 @ABD (A+)
H: 5
7/31/22 @FTM (A-)
R: 5
4/26/22 vs. LAK (A-)
BB: 3, 3x
Last: 9/6/22 @DBT (A-)
K: 7
4/30 @GVL (A+)

#### SEASON HIGHS: IP: 3.0

5/13 @ABD (A+) **H**: 2, 2x Last: 4/30 @GVL (A+) **R**: 2 4/23 @ROM (A+)

**BB:** 2, 3x Last: 5/4 vs. WIL (A+) **K:** 7 4/30 @GVL (A+)

# PATRIOTS

**MAX BURT** 

DOB: 8/28/96 (26) HOMETOWN: North Andover, MA

THIS SERIES: -

LAST SERIES: (3g) 1-for-7, RBI, 2 R, HR, 2 BB, 4 K, SB, CS (hit 7th HR on Thursday)

HIT STREAK: -2: 0-for-4, R, K, BB, HBP, K, SB

2022: Spending the entire season with Double-A Somerset, Burt played in 85 games and set new career-highs in HR (11) and SB (19). On 7/16/22 at Portland, he accomplished the first two-home run game of his career which came in his 313th career minor league game. Burt's 19 stolen bases in 85 games came after he had 16 career stolen bases in 253 career games (his first three seasons). During MLB Spring Training in 2022, he went 2-for-7 with his two hits each being home runs.

2021; Burt played at three different levels of the Yankees system, none more than Somerset, Spent 49 games with the Patriots, batting .241 with 5 HR, 45 R and 35 RBI. Ended season with 36 games in Triple-A Scranton/Wilkes-Barre, hitting .187 with a home run and 10 RBI. 2019: Played the majority of 2019 in Low-A Charleston, batting .220 in 71 games for the RiverDogs. Between 35 games at High-A Tampa and Double-A Trenton, he hit .226 with 1 HR.

2018: Spent all of 2018 with Rookie-level Pulaski, batting a career-high .274 with 27 runs and 21 RBI, leading the team with 51 H. College: Played four seasons at Northeastern University in Boston, MA and helped lead the Huskies to their first NCAA berth in 14 years (2018). In 57 games his senior year, he hit .272 with 33 R and 32 RBI.

Personal Notes: 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, with David Ortiz as his favorite player growing up. Max's father, Bill has been a longtime sportwriter in the New England area since 1983, covering the Red Sox. (New England) Patriots and other New England sports. Spends his offseasons hitting with close friend Anthony Volne. He spent the 2022 season has been living at the Volne household, alongside teammates

Blake Perkins and Austin Wells. Burt and Perkins began the Patriots' 2022 post-home run tradition, where they took photos with a polaroid camera, while wearing "Joey B" glasses, oversized chains and other flashy gear in the dugout after every home run. Burt also combined with Trey Sweeney to come up with Somerset's 2023 "Patriot" themed home run tradition of wearing a tri-fold hat and using a feathered pen to sign a scroll in the dugout after each homer. Burt is an exceptional ping pong player and his family includes professional athletes in lacrosse, golf and tennis.

Career Notes: Selected by the Yankees in the 28th round of the 2018 MLB Draft.

#### **CAREER HIGHS:**

**H**: 3 (5x) last: 4/18/23 vs. NH **R**: 4 4/18/23 vs. NH **RBI**: 5, 2x last: 4/12/23 @BNG HR: 2 7/16/22 @POR (AA)

#### 5x. last: 5/12/22 @ALT **SEASON HIGHS:**

SB: 2 (5x)

**H**: 3 4/18 vs. NH **R**: 4 4/18 vs. NH **RBI**: 5 4/12 @BNG **HR**: 1.7x last: 6/8 @HFD **SB**: 1

4/12 @BNG

**CAREER HIGHS:** 

H: 4, 2x

last: 9/10/22 vs. HIC (A+)

R: 4. 2x last: 5/16/23 vs. POR

**RBI**: 5

6/9/23 @HFD (AA)

**HR**: 2

9/10/22 @WIL (A+)

SB: 2, 6x

last: 8/26/22 vs. HIC (A+)

**SEASON HIGHS:** 

**H**: 3

5/16 vs. POR

R: 4

5/16 vs. POR

**RBI**: 5

6/9 @HFD

HR: 1, 8x

last: 6/1 vs.POR

**SB**: 2

4/19 vs. NH

DOB: 2/7/03 (20) HOMETOWN: Esperanza, Dom. ACQ: Int. Free Agent (2019)

THIS SERIES: (1a) 0-for-3, R. BB, K, SB

JASSON DOMINGUEZ

LAST SERIES: (6q) 5-for-25, 7 RBI, 4 R, HR, 2B, 4 BB, 9 K, SB (career-high 5 RBI on Fri. 6/9)

HIT STREAK: -1: 0-for-3, R, BB, K, SB

2023: During Yankees MLB Spring Training, Dominguez appeared in 11 games and went 10-for-22 with a 1.565 OPS, 4 HR and 9 RBI.

2022: Began the 2022 season with Single-A Tampa, playing the bulk of his season (75 games) while slashing .265/.363/.440 with 9 HR, 36 RBI and 54 R, en route to a promotion to High-A Hudson Valley. In 40 games at High-A, Dominguez slashed .306/.397/.510 with 6 HR, 22 RBI and 33 R. Dominguez earned his third promotion of the 2022 season season in Somerset, slashing .105/.227/.368 over five games, Dominguez broke out in the postseason to help lead the

when he was transferred to Double-A Somerset following the end of the South Atlantic League season. He participated in the 2022 MLB All-Star Futures Game at Dodger Stadium for a second consecutive season, hitting second and starting in center field for the AL Future Stars. In the third inning, Dominguez hit a 415-foot, game-tying two-run homer (107.5 mph exit velocity) off Giants LHP prospect Kyle Harrison (MLB Pipeline No. 22 overall) in a 6-4 win for the AL Future Stars. Just hours prior to this year's Futures Game, Dominguez was surprised by his Single-A Tampa teammate OF Grant Richardson that he had been promoted to High-A in a viral video that took place in manager Rachel Balkovec's office. In his final week with Hudson Valley, Dominguez earned his first career Player of the Week honors. On 9/12/22, he was named the SAL Player of the Week, for having gone 8-for-20 with 6 RBI, 5 R, 3 HR, 3B, 4 BB, 5 K, SB (.400/.500/.950). In his final High-A game, Dominguez homered from both sides of the plate for the Renegades, the first multi-HR game of his professional career, coming in his 171st career game. After spending his final week of the regular

Patriots to their first ever Eastern League Championship. In Somerset's Championship-clinching game on 9/28/22, Dominguez went 3-for-4 with 6 RBI and 2 HR, one from each side of the plate. Across five postseason games Dominguez led the Patriots in the following offensive categories: BA (.450), OBP (.560), SLG (.950), OPS (1.510), RBI (10), R (7), BB (5), HR (3).

2021: Following the Covid-cancelled 2020 season, Dominguez made his pro debut in seven games for the FCL Yankees during June. After those seven games, Dominguez played in the 2021 MLB All-Star Futures Game at Coors Field and was promoted to Single-A Tampa following the game. He spent the last 49 games of his debut 2021 season with the Tarpons, where he hit .258/.346/.398 with 5 HR, 9 2B, 26 R and 18 RBI. Entering the 2021 season, Dominguez was recognized by Baseball America being the "Best Power Hitter," "Fastest Baserunner," "Best Athlete," "Best Defensive Outfielder" and as having the "Best Outfield Arm" among all Yankees farmhands.

Personal Notes: Jasson was nicknamed "The Martian" as a teenager growing up in the Dominican Republic, when someone called him "El Marciano" because of the other-wordly tools and abilities he possesses for a player his age. At the time he was signed in 2019, Dominguez was routinely compared by scouts to switch hitters that include Mike Trout and Mickey Mantle. Jasson's father, Felix, was an avid Yankees fan and named Jasson after former Yankees first baseman Jason Giambi.

Career Notes: The No. 2 ranked international prospect in 2019, Dominguez signed with the Yankees for a team record \$5.1 million international bonus out of the Dominican Republic on July 2, 2019.

AWARDS / HONORS 2021 & 2022 MLB All-Star **Futures Game Selection** 2022 MiLB.com Organization All-Star 2022 Arizona Fall League

Rising Star 2022 Florida State League Post-Season All-Star

South Atlantic League Player of the Week: 5/12/22

#### PROSPECT RANKINGS

2023 MLB Pineline Yankees No. 1 Prospect No. 39 Overall Prospect 2023 Baseball America No. 3 Yankees Prospect

2022 MLB Pipeline Yankees No. 2 Prospect No. 43 Overall Prospect 2022 Baseball America Yankees No. 5 Prospect 2021 MLB Pipeline

Yankees No. 2 Prospect No. 17 Overall Prospect

2021 Baseball America No. 1 Yankees Prospect

2020 MLB Pipeline Yankees No. 1 Prospect No. 48 Overall Prospect 2020 Baseball America Yankees No. 1 Prospect

**CALEB DURBIN** 

DOB: 2/22/00 (23) HOMETOWN: Lake Forest, IL ACQ: Trade from ATL ('22)

THIS SERIES: (1q) 0-for-4, K

LAST SERIES: (5g) 6-for-22, 3 RBI, 3 R, HR, BB, 3 SB, 2 K (Sunday: 3-for-5, 3 RBI, R, HR, SB)

HIT STREAK: -1: 0-for-4. K

2023: Made Yankees organizational debut with High-A Hudson Valley to start the season, playing in 22 games while slashing .333/.464/.397 (.861 OPS). At the time of his promotion from Hudson Valley to Somerset on 5/9, Durbin was tied for the team lead with 26 H and 20 R, while leading the team outright with 15 SB, which tied for the most in the South Atlantic League. His .464 OBP ranked 2nd in the league. On 5/30, Durbin appeared on SportsCenter's Top Ten Plays (#9) for a diving play behind second base where he used a glove flip to record the out. 2022: In his final season with the Braves organization, Durbin spent the bulk of his second pro season with Single-A Augusta (73 games), before a promotion to High-A Rome (32 games). Across 105 total games, Durbin ranked among the Braves organization leaders in RBI (62, 6th), 2B (22, T-7th), R (72, T-5th) and SB (31, 4th). Overall, Durbin hit .241/.352/.372 with an even 50 BB and 50 K. On December 28, 2022, Durbin was acquired by the Yankees alongside RHP Indigo Diaz in exchange for LHP Lucas Luetge.

2021: Made his professional debut across 17 games with the FCL Braves, slashing .268/.339/.304 with 8 R, 6 RBI and 12 SB.

College: Played three seasons at Washington University in St. Louis (2019-21). As a freshman in 2019, he was named the UAA Rookie Of the Year and selected to the All-UAA First Team, after having led the league with 51 runs scored. In his final season at Washington (2021), he was named to the World Series All-Tournament Team, ABCA/Rawlings Second Team All-Central Region and All-UAA. Starting in all 40 games at shortstop as a junior, he hit .385, while collecting 46 R, 47 RBI and 20 SB.

Personal Notes: Attended Lake Forest High School (IL), where he batted .500 during his junior season and set various school records with 121 H, 111 R, 72 SB and 12 3B. Additionally, he set five school records in wrestling.

Career Notes

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H: 4 7/16/22 vs. FBG (A) **R**: 4 7/4/22 @CSC (A) **RBI**: 3, 6x ast: 5/25/23 @ERI (AA HR: 1, 8x last: 8/27/22 @BG (A+) **SB**: 4 9/2/21 @PIRG (ROK) **SEASON HIGHS:** H: 3, 3x last: 6/11 @HFD **R**: 2, 7x last: 6/2 vs. POR **RBI**: 3. 2x last: 6/11 @HFD **HR**: 1, 2x last: 6/11 @HFD **SB**: 3, 3x last: 5/9 @POR

**CAREER HIGHS:** 

AWARDS / HONORS 2019 South Atlantic League Mid-Season All-Star (CSC)

# MICKEY GASPER

DOB: 10/11/95 (27) HOMETOWN: Merrimack, NH THIS SERIES: -

ACQ: MLB Draft 2018 (27 | 817)

LAST SERIES: (2g) 5-for-7, 2 RBI, 5 R, HR, 2B, 2 BB, K (Friday: 2nd HR of season, career-high 3 R) HIT STREAK: +5: 8-for-16, 6 RBI, 8 R, 2 HR, 2 2B, 3 BB, SB, K

2023: Assigned to Triple-A Scranton/Wilkes-Barre to begin his fifth pro season. Over 21 games splitting time between catcher and first base, Gasper slashed .191/.286/.265 4 RBI and 7 R. On 4/20 @STP, Gasper hit his first Triple-A home run, which started a season-high seven-game hit streak (9-for-26, .346 AVG) that lasted through the end of April. After going hitless in three games to start May, Gasper was transferred to Somerset on 5/9.

2022: Spending all of the 2022 season in Double-A Somerset, Gasper began the season backing up at catcher, before transitioning to work at first base for a majority of the season. Across 70 games, he slashed .266/.407/.453 with 8 HR, 27 RBI and 34 R. Gasper posted his second career two-home run game on 6/9/22 vs. Akron. On 4/26/22 vs. Portland, he hit a walkoff single to supply the Patriots with their second walkoff hit and first extra innings win of the season. In his first 15 starts of the season, the Patriots went 15-0 with Gasper in the starting lineup. 2021: Began season with High-A Hudson Valley, before 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 2 HR across 21 games.

2019: In his first full season, Gasper began the year with 84 games in Low-A Charleston, where he hit .233 with 8 HR. Upon earning a promotion to High-A Tampa, he hit .321 with 11 RBI and 10 R for the Tarpons.

2018: Made his pro debut with Rookie-Advanced Pulaski, where he hit .257 in 42 games with 9 HR. Played one game for Low-A Charleston. College: Attended Bryant University, where he played four seasons. As a senior in 2018, he hit .340 and led the team in HR (8), R (59), OBP (.468) and BB (42). He became the first player in DI program history to post back-to-back seasons with 40 walks and the first catcher in program history to score 50+ runs in a season.

8/3/19 vs. CSC (A) **HR**: 2, 2x

**CAREER HIGHS:** H: 3, 9x

last: 6/7/23 @HFD (AA)

R: 3, 4x

last: 6/9/23 @HFD (AA) **RBI**: 5

last: 6/9/22 vs. AKR **SB**: 1, 8x last: 9/18/22 vs. POR

**SEASON HIGHS:** 

**H**: 3

6/7 @HFD (AA) **R**: 3 6/9 @HFD (AA)

**RBI**: 3 5/28 @ERI HR: 1, 2x last: 5/31 vs. POR

SB: 1.2x 4/28 @WOR (AAA)

Personal Notes: He was a three-year varsity letterwinner at Merrimack High School in his hometown. He was named the Hitter of the Year in the Granite State Baseball Fall Showcase league in 2012, after hitting .462 with a 1.314 OPS. Dual-sport athlete was also a two-year member of the varsity basketball team. Career Notes: Selected by the Yankees in the 27th round of the 2018 MLB Draft.

DOB: 1/27/99 (23) HOMETOWN: Mission Vieio, CA ACQ: MLB Draft 2021 (5 | 153)

THIS SERIES: (1q) 2-for-4, R, 2B, K

LAST SERIES: (5g) 4-for-19, RBI, 3 R, 3 BB, 8 K, 2 SB, CS HIT STREAK: +5: 6-for-20, RBI, 4 R, 2B, 2 BB, 7 K, 2 SB, CS

AWARDS / HONORS 2022 South Atlantic League Post-Season All-Star (HV) 2022 Arizona Fall League Rising Star Arizona Fall League Player of the Week: 11/5/22

2023 MLB Pipeline No. 18

Yankees Prospect

2023 Baseball America

No. 18 Yankees Prospect

AWARDS / HONORS

South Atlantic League

Player of the Week:

5/29/23 (HV)

PROSPECT RANKINGS

2022: Hardman spent the majority of his 2022 season in High-A Hudson Valley, leading the team in BA (.262), H (104), HR (22), RBI (79), XBH (40), TB (190), SLG (.479), OBP (.350) and OPS (.808). He also ranked among South Atlantic League leaders in RBI (2nd), TB (3rd) and HR (4th). Per Baseball America, Hardman was voted by South Atlantic League managers as the SAL's Best Defensive Third Baseman. Following the conclusion of the SAL season, he earned a promotion to Double-A Somerset, where he ended the season. Hardman ended the regular season with four games for the Patriots, in addition to the postseason. His 22 HR and 81 RBI led all Yankees minor leaguers in 2022. Following the 2022 season, Hardman represented the Yankees at the Arizona Fall League. In 20 games for the Mesa Solar Sox, Hardman ranked second in the AFL with 13 XBH, including 6 HR en route to being named an AFL Rising Star. Hardman was named the AFL Player of the Week for the week of 11/5/22.

2021: After being drafted in the fifth round by the Yankees in the 2021 MLB Draft, Hardman made his pro debut across 33 games in Tampa (3 FCL, 30 FSL), combining to hit .243/.311/.421 with 4 HR, 19 RBI and 20 R. Began his season by going 0-for-12 in his first four games with Tampa, then hit .400/.467/.640 with 10 R, 3 2B, 1 HR and 7 RBI in his next seven.

College: Hardman was a four-year starter at first base for the University of Oklahoma from 2018-2021 prior to being drafted by the Yankees. In his final season (2021, redshirt junior), Hardman played 55 games and led the Big-12 with a .397 BA (89-for-224), to go along with 49 R, 19 2B, 12 HR, 49 RBI and 34 BB. That season, he was named a First-team All-Big 12 selection and he earned First Team All-America honors by the NCBWA (National Collegiate Baseball Writers Association), ABCA (American Baseball Coaches Association) and Perfect Game, Hardman's favorite baseball memory to date is breaking up a no-hitter with a grand slam while he was at Oklahoma.

**CAREER HIGHS: H**: 4

8/27/22 vs. HIC (A+) R: 3 (2x) last: 8/18/22 @BRK (A+) **RBI**: 5, 2x

**HR**: 2 6/15/22 @GBO (A+) **SB**: 2, 2x 6/9/23 @HFD (AA)

last: 6/1 vs. POR

#### **SEASON HIGHS: H**: 3

5/11 @POR R: 2, 4x last: 6/2 vs. POR **RBI**: 5, 2x last: 6/1 vs. POR HR: 1, 9x last: 6/1 vs. POR **SB**: 2 6/9 @HFD

Personal Notes: Growing up in Corona, CA, Hardman played four years of varsity baseball at Temescal Canyon High School and set the program's single season record for BA (.530), HR (9), and H (53) as a senior. Coming out of high school, he was selected in the 37th round of the 2017 MLB Draft by the Colorado Rockies (pick No. 1,106) and instead opted to attend the University of Oklahoma. During the summer of 2019, Hardman played in 44 games for the Brewster Whitecaps of the Cape Cod League, batting .262 with 8 HR, 17 RBI and 18 R. He was named a CCBL All Star and won the CCBL Home Run Derby. Wears No. 36 because he grew up an Angels fan, watching Jered Weaver. In November, Hardman adopted a french bulldog named Thor.

## AARON PALENSKY

DOB: 9/22/98 (24)

HOMETOWN: Omaha. NE

ACQ: Non-drafted Free Agent (2020)

THIS SERIES: (1g) 2-for-3, RBI, 3 R, 2B, BB

LAST SERIES: (5g) 5-for-15, 3 RBI, 5 R, 2 HR, 3 BB, 2 HBP, 3 K, 2 SB (.500 OBP in series)

HIT STREAK: +2: 6-for-7, 3 RBI, 5 R, HR, 2B, BB, SB

2023: Broke camp with High-A Hudson Valley and played in 32 games to start the season, slashing .352/.434/.744 with 12 HR, 34 RBI, 29 R and 10 SB. At the time of his promotion to Double-A Somerset on 5/30, Palensky's 12 HR and 34 RBI were both tied for the Yankees MiLB organization lead (12 HR, Estevan Florial; 34 RBI, Andres Chaparro). Palensky ended his time in Hudson Valley tied for 2nd on the team's all-time home runs list (22), one behind the current record

holder: his Patriots teammate Everson Pereira (23). In Hudson Valley's franchise record books, at the time of his promotion, he also ranked 1st in XBH (49), 3rd in RBI (68), and 2nd in R (75). With Hudson Valley, he homered in three straight plate appearances from 4/26-28. From 4/23-30, he homered in four consecutive games. On 4/26 vs. Greenville, Palensky has a career-day, going 4-for-5 with 2 HR, 7 RBI, 3 R and 2 SB. During his final week with Hudson Valley, Palensky earned South Atlantic League Player of the Week honors, the first POW honors of his professional career. In five games from 5/23-28 vs. Wilmington, Palensky slashed .619/.680/1.238 (13-for-25) with 9 R, 5 2B, 1 3B, 2 HR, 7 RBI, 3 BB and 3 SB. His 13 hits over the week were tied for the most of any player in Minor League Baseball. At the time of his call-up to Somerset, Palensky led the High-A South Atlantic League in HR (12), SLG (.744) and OPS (1.178), while ranking 4th in AVG (.352), 3rd in OBP (.434), T-3rd in RBI (34), and T-2nd in XBH (23).

2022: Spent entire season with Hudson Valley, batting .251/.369/.475 with 46 R, 13 doubles, 3 triples, 10 HR, 34 RBI, 34 BB and 9-for-12 in SB in 77 games. In first 18 games, he was just 7-for-51 (.137 avg). In his final 58 games, he slashed .287/.409/.524, raising his OPS 331 points. 2021: Made his professional debut with Double-A Somerset, where he hit safely in nine of his first 12 games (.342/.432/.605) with 10 RBI. In total, Palensky played in 37 games for the Patriots, slashing .216/.360/.378 with 2 HR, 14 RBI and 12 R.

R: 4 5/24/23 @WIL **RBI:** 7 4/26/23 vs. GVL **HR**: 2 4/26/23 vs. GVL **SB**: 2, 4x last: 4/26/23 vs. GVL **SEASON HIGHS: H**: 4. 3x last: 6/11 @HFD (AA) **R**: 4 5/24 @WIL (A+) **RBI**: 7 4/26/23 vs. GVL (A+) HR: 2 4/26 vs. GVL (A+) **SB**: 2, 3x last: 4/26 vs. GVL (A+)

**CAREER HIGHS:** 

H: 4, 3x last: 6/11 @HFD (AA)

College: Played one season at Southeast Community College (NE) in 2018, before transferring to the University of Nebraska, where he played two seasons (2019-20). Batted .316 (87-for-275) with 58 R, 16 2B, 2 3B, 11 HR, 54 RBI and 45 BB in 71 career games with the Cornhuskers. As a sophomore in 2019, he led the team in AVG (.320), H (71), R (43), HR (7) and TB (107), while tying for first in 2B (11) and 3B (2), en route to earning Second Team All-Big Ten honors that season. Personal Notes: Graduated from Papillion La Vista South High School (NE) in 2017. As a senior, he batted .342 with 23 R, 15 RBI, 8 XBH and a .485 OBP en route to second-team Super-State honors from the Lincoln Journal Star and second-team USA Today All-Nebraska honors. In addition to playing baseball, Palensky lettered four times in tennis, earning a spot on the honorable-mention all-state tennis list.

Career Notes: Signed with the Yankees as a non-drafted free agent following the Covid-shortened 2020 NCAA college baseball season and the shortened 2020 MLB Draft.

# PATRIOTS BATTERS

AWARDS / HONORS 2021 Mil.B.com Yankees Organization All-Star Florida State League Player of the Week: 7/11/21 (TAM)

PROSPECT RANKINGS 2023 MLB Pipeline No. 4 Yankees Prospect

2022 MLB Pipeline No. 5 Yankees Prospect 2021 MLB Pipeline No. 17 Yankees Prospect

2020 MLB Pipeline No. 13 Yankees Prospect

2019 MLB Pipeline No. 7 Yankees Prospect 2018 MLB Pipeline No. 24 Yankees Prospect

2017 MLB Pipeline No. 5 International Prospect 2023 Baseball America

No. 4 Yankees Prospect 2022 Baseball America

No. 3 Yankees Prospect 2021 Baseball America No. 19 Yankees Prospect 2020 Baseball America No. 18 Yankees Prospect

2019 Baseball America No. 3 Yankees Prospect 8 EVERSON PEREIRA
DOB: 4/10/01 (22) HOMETOWN

OF 5'11" / 190

B/T: R / R

/10/01 (22) HOMETOWN: Cabudare, VEN. ACQ: Int. Free Agent (2017)

THIS SERIES: -

LAST SERIES: last played on May 30th in Erie, left game after first inning hit HIT STREAK: +2: 3-for-5, 2B, 2 K

2022: Pereira began the 2022 season in High-A Hudson Valley, playing a career-high 73 games and slashing .274/.354/.455 with 9 HR, 43 RBI and 55 R, which led the Renegades. He earned a promotion to Double-A Somerset on 7/13/22. At the time of his promotion, Pereira was on a seven-game hitting streak from 7/4-12, when he hit .355 with 2 HR and 11 RBI. In Baseball America's Top 30 Yankees Prospect rankings, Pereira moved up from No. 11 pre-season to No. 3 mid-season. In MLB Pipeline's updated August Top 30 Yankees Prospect rankings, he moved up from No. 10 to No. 5. Pereira ended the season in Somerset, slashing .283/.341/.504 with 5 HR, 13 RBI and 21 R over 29 games with the Patriots. Pereira hit his first Double-A HR on 7/25/22, going back-to-back with Yankees No. 4 prospect Austin Wells, who also launched his first Double-A HR.

**2021:** Entering 2021, Pereira bulked up to over 200 pounds and put together a breakout season that began with 19 games in Single-A Tampa. After totaling 10 HR in his first 81 career games, Pereira earned a promotion to High-A Hudson Valley, where he ended his 2021 season by clubbing 14 HR in his final 27 games for the Renegades. He was named the Low-A Southeast Player of the Week on 7/11/21, after going 9-for-18 with 2 HR and 9 RBI. Despite playing only 27 games, Pereira's 14 HR ranked 3rd on the team and he led the Renegades with a .676 SLG and 1.030 OPS. He set single game career-highs with a 3-HR performance on 9/5/21 at Greensboro and 5 H on 8/12/21 vs. Jersey Shore. Pereira was added to Yankees 40-man roster in November of 2021.

2019: Played 18 games for Short-Season Class-A Staten Island, slashing .171/.216/.257 with 1 HR, 3 RBI and 9 R.
2018: Spent all of his pro debut season with Advanced-Rookie Pulaski, playing in 41 games and slashing .263/.322/.389 with 3 HR, 25 RBI and 21 R.

Personal Notes: Signed by the Yankees as an international free agent out of Venezuela on July 2, 2017 for \$1.5 million.



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

## 2 **JEISSON ROSARIO**

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HOMETOWN: Santo Domingo, Dom. ACQ: Waive

ACQ: Waivers (BOS, 2022)

THIS SERIES: (1g) 2-for-4, R, 2B, K

DOB: 10/22/99 (22)

LAST SERIES: (6g) 7-for-19, 5 RBI, 5 R, 2 HR, 4 BB, 7 K, 2 SB (hit safely in all six games) HIT STREAK: +7: 9-for-23, 5 RBI, 6 R, 2 HR, 2B, 4 BB, 8 K, 2 SB

2022: Rosario was claimed on waivers by the Yankees from the Red Sox in the final week of MLB Spring Training in 2022. He spent all of his first season with the Yankees in Double-A Somerset, playing in 104 games and slashing .243/.363/.409 with a team-high 64 BB and a new career-high 11 HR (after having hit 10 career HR in 387 career games, spanning four seasons and two organizations: SD, BOS). On the final day before the All-Star break (7/17/22), Rosario hit for the cycle @POR in his former 2021 home ballpark, Hadlock Field (played 98 games for Portland). It was the first time in Rosario's career having hit for the cycle, making him the first Patriot in the Yankees era to have accomplished the feat and the first Patriot overall since Kyle Roller in 2017, when the Somerset Patriots were still in the Atlantic League.
2021: In his lone full season as a member of the Red Sox organization, Rosario 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 was 2-for-18 (.125). Rosario was ranked by Baseball America as the "Best Defensive Outfielder" in the Red Sox system.
2017 - 2019: Rosario spent the first three seasons (2017-19) of his career with the Padres organization. In 2018 and 2019, he was ranked by Baseball America as the "Best Athlete" in Padres farm system.

**Personal Notes:** Initially signed by the Padres as an international free agent on 7/2/16 for \$1.85 million. He was traded by the Padres to the Red Sox on 8/30/20 in a package for Mitch Moreland. His favorite MLB player of all-time is Carlos Gomez.

**CAREER HIGHS:** 

**H:** 5 8/12/21 VS. JS (A+) **R:** 5

9/5/21 @GBO (A+) **RBI**: 7 6/17/22 @GBO (A+) **HR**: 3

9/5/21 @GBO (A+) **SB**: 2, 6x last: 5/10/23 @POR

#### **SEASON HIGHS:**

H: 3, 2x last: 5/21 vs. REA R: 2, 2x last: 5/13 @POR RBI: 3

5/13 @POR HR: 1, 6x last: 5/18 vs. REA SB: 2

**SB**: 2 5/10 @POR

CAREER HIGHS:

H: 4, 5x last: 7/17/22 @POR (AA) R: 4 8/24/19 @LAN (A) RBI: 4, 4x last: 4/23/23 vs. NH (AA) HR: 3 4/23/23 vs. NH (AA) SB: 2, 7x

# last: 6/10/23 @HFD (AA) SEASON HIGHS: H: 3

4/23 vs. NH R: 3 4/18 vs. NH RBI: 4 4/23 vs. NH

HR: 2 4/23 vs. NH SR: 2

6/10 @HFD

T.J. RUMFIELD

ACQ: Trade (PHI, 2021)

AWARDS / HONORS 2022 Arizona Fall League Rising Star

PROSPECT RANKINGS

2021 MLB Pipeline No. 22

Yankees Prospect

2020 MLB Pipeline No. 15

Yankees Prospect

2019 MLB Pipeline No. 6

Yankees Prospect

2021 Baseball America

No. 26 Yankees Prospect

2020 Baseball America

No. 23 Yankees Prospect

2019 Baseball America

No. 4 Yankees Prospect

DOB: 5/17/00 (22) HOMETOWN: Temple, TX

THIS SERIES: (1a) 1-for-4, RBI, R, HR, K

LAST SERIES: (5g) 4-for-20, 6 RBI, 6 R, 4 HR, 3 BB, 2 K (all four hits in series were HR) HIT STREAK: +4: 4-for-16, 6 RBI, 6 R, 4 HR, 3 BB, 3 K (HR in all four games of streak)

2022: Limited to 52 games with High-A Hudson Valley after missing 10 weeks with a broken bone in his hand. Slashed .284/.381/.411 over those 52 games with 4 HR and 34 RBI. Rumfield was assigned to the Arizona Fall League's Mesa Solar Sox following the season, where he slashed .400/.477/.582 over 17 games and was named an AFL rising star.

2021: Rumfield made his professional debut for the Phillies organization with the Single-A Clearwater Threshers. In 27 games, Rumfield hit .250 with a .426 OBP and 13 R.

College: Began collegiate career at Texas Tech (2019-20), playing on the same team as Patriots teammate Clayton Beeter. As a redshirt freshman in 2020, Rumfield went 10-for-24 (.417) in the COVID shortened season. Rumfield entered the transfer portal following the year, landing at Virginia Tech, where he started all 52 games for the Hokies in 2021, hitting .315 with 7 HR.

Personal Notes: Rumfield was born in Richmond, Virginia, while his father, Toby, was playing in Triple-A for the Braves, but later relocated to Temple, Texas where he spent the majority of his life growing up, T.J. starred at guarterback for Temple High School (TX), passing for 3.374 yards in 14 games during his senior year with 35 touchdowns. Father, Toby, was a second round pick of the Cincincatti Reds in 1991 and spent 14 years playing professional baseball in the Braves, White Sox, Marlins and Cardinals organizations and coached TJ at Temple HS. His father played alongside Aaron Boone and Mark Derosa. His mother, Kari, was a general manager in minor league baseball and went on to work for Cal Ripken for the Aberdeen Ironbirds (Orioles Short-Season Class-A) for several years. Rumfield grew up in the clubhouse with his father and going to games at the Ripken complex in Aberdeen. His full name is Toby Joseph Rumfield. Chooses to wear No. 7 because of Mickey Mantle. His dog, Oliver, and fiance, Hayden, travel with him on all of his road trips.

Career Notes: Acquired in a trade by the Yankees from the Phillies along with LHP Joel Valdez in exchange for RHP Nick Nelson and C Donny Sands on 11/19/21. Originally selected in the 12th round (335th overall) by the Philadelphia Phillies in the 2021 MLB Draft. Rumfield played for the MLB Draft League's Trenton Thunder (former Yankees Double-A affiliate) in the summer of 2021 prior to being drafted. From 2003-2020, Trenton was the Double-A affiliate of the New York Yankees. After reaching a top exit velocity of 104 mph during his professional debut season with the Phillies, Rumfield topped out at 110 mph off the bat with High-A Hudson Valley in 2022.

#### **CAREER HIGHS:**

**H**: 5 4/12/22 @ ROM (A+) **R**: 3 9/2/22 vs. JS (A+) **RBI**: 4 (4x) last: 4/18/23 vs. NH **HR**: 1 last: 4/18/23 vs. NH

#### 5/11/23 @POR **SEASON HIGHS:**

**SB**: 2

H: 2, 4x last: 5/26 @ERI R: 2, 4x last: 6/9 @HFD **RBI**: 4, 2x last: 5/4 vs. BNG HR: 1, 5x last: 5/6 vs. BNG **SB**: 2 5/11 @POR

#### ANTHONY SEIGLER 20

ACQ: MLB Draft 2018 (1 | 23)

DOB: 6/20/99 (22) THIS SERIES: -

LAST SERIES: (4q) 3-for-17, 2 RBI, R, HR, 2B, BB, 4 K, CS (1st Double-A HR on Saturday)

HOMETOWN: Fort Defiance, AZ

HIT STREAK: -1: 0-for-5. K

2022: Put together a career season in every offensive category, spending the majority of the season in High-A Hudson Valley (72), after starting out with Single-A Tampa (25). Across 97 total games, Seigler hit .236/.405/.369 with 7 HR, 45 RBI and 61 R.

2021: Spent all of his 2021 season with High-A Hudson Valley, slashing .219/.324/.391 across 41 games with the Renegades. On 7/27/21 vs. Wilmington, he accomplished his first career two-home run game. Over his final eight games of the season, he hit .296/.441/.556 with 5 RBI and 7 BB.

2019: Seigler was limited to 30 games in his second pro season, all with Single-A Charleston. He hit .175/.328/.206 with 10 R and 6 RBI, before his season was cut short in July due to a broken left patella.

2018: Split his first pro season evenly between the GCL Yankees West and Pulaski Yankees. In 24 total games, he slashed .266/.379/.342 with 1 HR, 11 R and 9 RBI.

Personal Notes: Attended Cartersville High School (GA). As a senior in 2018, he was named the ABCA National High School Position Player of the Year and the Atlanta Journal-Constitution State Player of the Year. He also earned 2018

First Team All-American and Southeast All-Region First Team honors. Ranked by Baseball America as the No. 41 prospect in the 2018 draft class. Seigler was also an ambidextrous pitcher and posted a 1.09 ERA in 25.2 IP as a senior, striking out 29 batters. Played for USA Baseball's U18 National Team, winning the 2017 U18 World Cup. He was committed to play at the University of Florida prior to signing with the Yankees. Seigler is of Navajo descent and would join Jacoby Ellsbury as the second Navajo to play in the Majors. Named after the late Tony Phillips, an 18-year Major League veteran infielder and friend of his father's.

last: 9/6/22 @WIL (A+) **R**: 4 6/17/22 @GBO (A+)

**CAREER HIGHS:** H: 3 (4x)

**RBI**: 4 (4x) last: 5/5/22 @BRD (A) **HR**: 2 7/27/21 vs. WIL (A+)

**SB**: 4 7/6/22 @JS (A+)

#### **SEASON HIGHS:**

H: 2. 2x last: 6/6/@HFD R: 2.3x last: 5/11 @POR **RBI**: 3 4/13 @BNG **HR**: 1

6/10 @HFD **SB**: 1, 4x last: 6/2 v s. POR

Career Notes: Selected by the Yankees in the 1st round of the 2018 MLB Draft, making him the third catcher to be chosen by the Yankees in the first round of the MLB Draft (David Parrish, 28th overall and Thurman Munson, fourth overall).

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MLB Draft Prospect

ACQ: MLB Draft 2021 (1 | 20)

DOB: 4/24/00 (23) HOMETOWN: Louisville, KY THIS SERIES: (1q) 2-for-5, RBI, 2 K

LAST SERIES: (6g) 8-for-27, 2 RBI, 3 R, 3 2B, 3 BB, SB, 2 K

HIT STREAK: +10: 14-for-46, 4 RBI, 4 R, HR, 3 2B, 3 BB, HBP, 6 K, SB

2023: At Yankees MLB Spring Training, Sweeney had three hits, including a solo home run vs. Tampa Bay on March 4. 2022: Spent the majority of his second pro season (100 games) playing for High-A Hudson Valley, slashing .241/.350/.415 (.765 OPS) with 14 HR, 51 RBI, 70 R, 59 BB and 29 SB. Sweeney hit a home run on the first pitch of the 2022 season on 4/6/22 at Greenville. During the final week of the South Atlantic League season, Sweeney was promoted to Double-A Somerset. In addition to the playoffs, Sweeney started in 11 games for the Patriots, slashing .233/.340/.395 with 2 HR, 5 RBI and 6 R.

2021: Made his pro debut in three games with the FCL Yankees to begin 2021. After going 3-for-5, with a HR and 3 BB, he was promoted to Single-A Tampa, where he spent the remainder of the season. Across 29 games, Sweeney slashed .245/.347/.518 (.875 OPS) with 6 HR, 23 RBI and 26 R.

College: In three collegiate seasons at Eastern Illinois University, Sweeney hit .328/.437/.517 (134-for- 408) with 87 R, 22 2B, 23B, 17 HR, 96 RBI and 72 BB over 117 games. Eligible to be drafted after the 2021 NCAA season, Sweeney started 48 games at shortstop as a junior and hit .382 with 14 HR, 52 R and a .712 SLG. He struck out only 24 times, compared to 65 hits. He ranked seventh in the nation in OBP (.522), ninth in BB (46) and 13th in RBI (58). He was named a first team All-American by Baseball America, Perfect Game and ABCA becoming the first player in EIU program history to earn

first team All-American honors at the NCAA Division I level. His 46 walks (including 11 intentional) set a single season school record. He played in 14 games during the Covid-shortened 2020 season and hit .351. During his freshman season in 2019, he appeared in 55 games, hitting .266. Sweeney was drafted 20th overall in the first round of the 2021 MLB Draft by the Yankees, signing for \$3 million as one of three first rounders in EIU history.

Personal Notes: Sweeney attended St. Xavier High School in his hometown of Louisville, KY (same high school as actor Tom Cruise and golfer Justin Thomas. NFL quarterbacks Tony Romo and Jimmy Garoppolo). After entering his junior year at 5'4" in height, he hit an 8-inch growth spurt. Grew up a Reds fan, Ken Griffey Jr. was his favorite player and he would go to Red Triple-A games in Louisville as a kid. Sweeney went undrafted out of St. Xavier and EIU was the only college to offer him a scholarship. In high school, he hit .389 as a senior with 41 RBI and 18 SB en route to leading St. Xavier to a Kentucky State Baseball Championship. His name is Trey because he's the third child in his family, which is also why he chooses to wear No. 3. Upon signing his \$3 million bonus after being drafted, the only major purchase he made was a new set of golf clubs--while he bats left-handed, he golfs right-handed. Sweeney combined with Max Burt to come up with Somerset's 2023 "Patriot" themed home run tradition of wearing a tri-fold hat and using a feathered pen to sign a scroll in the dugout after each homer.

AWARDS / HONORS 2021 Florida State League Player of the Week (6/27)

## ERIC WAGAMAN

**CAREER HIGHS:** 

HOMETOWN: Mission Viejo, CA DOB: 8/14/97 (24) ACQ: MLB Draft 2017 (13 | 392)

THIS SERIES: (1q) 3-for-4, RBI, R, 2B, K **LAST SERIES**: (1g) 1-for-4, R, 2B, K HIT STREAK: +1: 1-for-4, R, 2B, K

2023; At Yankees MLB Spring Training on March 27 vs. Tampa Bay, Wagaman hit three-run HR.

2022: Wagaman began his fifth pro season on Somerset's break-camp roster, but spent the first three weeks of the season on the development list, before being transferred to High-A Hudson Valley on 4/26/22. In 52 games of action with Hudson Valley, Wagaman slashed .233/.332/.422 with a career-high 9 HR, to go with 26 RBI and 18 R. He was promoted

back to Somerset on 8/9/22. Ending the season with the Patriots, Wagaman played in 17 games, slashing .340/.397/.623 with 4 HR, 6 RBI and 13 R. Overall in 2022, Wagaman set new career-highs in HR (13), R (31, tied 2021), OBP (.346), SLG (.468) and OPS (.814).

2021: Split 2021 between Single-A Tampa (31 games) and High-A Hudson Valley (47 games). Combined to hit .220 with 34 RBI, 31 R and 6 HR. 2019: Spent the majority of the year in Low-A Charleston (82 games), adding another six games in the GCL. He hit .233 with 41 RBI, 25 R and a career-high 7 HR.

2018: Played all of 2018 with Short-season Class-A Staten Island, hitting .194 with 19 R, 18 RBI and 5 HR.

2017: Made his professional debut season with Rookie-level Pulaski. He played in 59 games, hitting a career-best .264, adding 29 RBI and 23

College: After having originally committed to play at Chico State, he wound up at Orange Coast Junior College, where he finished fifth in the state with 14 home runs, slugging .636 as a sophomore.

Personal Notes: Attended Aliso Niquel High School and reached the 2014 CIF-Southern Section Division II Championship Game.

Career Notes: Selected by the Yankees in the 13th round of the 2017 MLB Draft.

**CAREER HIGHS:** 

H: 4, 2x last: 7/12/22 vs. GVL (A+)

R: 4

6/17/22 @GBO (A+) **RBI**: 4

5/11/23 @POR (AA)

**HR**: 1

ast: 10/11/23 vs. POR (AA

SB: 2, 8x

last: 4/7/23 vs. HBG (AA)

**SEASON HIGHS:** 

H: 3, 2x

last: 4/18 vs. NH

**R**: 3

5/7 vs. BNG

**RBI**: 4

5/11 @POR

HR: 1, 4x

last: 5/30 vs. POR

**SB**: 2. 2x

last: 4/20 vs. NH

**H**: 5 9/5/21 @GBO (A+) R: 4 9/5/21 @GBO (A+) **RBI**: 6

6/22/17 vs. PRN (ROA) HR: 2 (3x) last: 9/5/21 @GBO (A+

**SB**: 2. 2x last: 6/1/23 vs. POR

#### **SEASON HIGHS:** H: 3, 2x

last: 6/13 vs. ALT **R**: 1, 5x last: 4/27 @HBG **RBI**: 2 4/13 @BNG

HR: 1 4/26 @HBG **SB**: 2, 2x last: 6/1 vs. POR

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16 **AUSTIN WELLS** C 6'0" / 220 B/T: L / F

DOB: 7/12/99 (23) HOMETOWN: Las Vegas, NV ACQ: MLB Draft 2020 (1 | 28)

THIS SERIES: (1g) 1-for-4, 2 RBI, 2B, 3 K (go-ahead 2R-2B in 5th inning of 8-4 W on Tuesday) LAST SERIES: (5g) 3-for-20, 2 RBI, R, 2 2B, 4 BB, 8 K

HIT STREAK: +1: 1-for-4, 2 RBI, 2B, 3 K

**2023**: Started this season on the injured list, after a fracture of his 12th rib upon reporting to Tampa for Spring Training. Wells was reinstated to the Patriots on 5/2/23 following a five-game rehab assignment in Single-A Tampa. Entering the 2023 season, Wells has been recognized by Baseball America for being the "Best Power Hitter" in the Yankees minor league system.

**2022:** Began 2022 by playing 28 games for High-A Hudson Valley, where he slashed .323/.429/.576 (1.005 OPS) with 6 HR, 16 RBI and 21 R. After a groin injury that landed him on the IL in May, Wells returned to playing with Single-A Tampa from 6/25-7/4, spending eight games with the Tarpons and hitting .231 with a .950 OPS and 2 HR. Wells was promoted to Somerset on 7/5/22, ending the season with 55 games for the Patriots, plus the postseason. From the point Wells joined Somerset on 7/5/22 through the end of the season (playoffs included), he led all Eastern League batters with 51 RBIs. In total, Wells led the Patriots in the following offensive categories from the time he joined the team through the end of the regular season: AVG (.261), HR (12), RBI (43), SLG (.479), OPS (.839), H (55) and TB (101). Overall, Wells ranked among the Yankees' minor league leaders in HR (20, 4th) and RBI (65, 3rd). During his time playing for the Patriots in 2022, Wells lived at teammate Anthony Volpe's house in Watchung, alongside teammates Max Burt and Blake Perkins. Along Somerset's 2022 Eastern League Championship run, during the postseason Wells ranked 2nd on the Patriots in RBI (8), XBH (3), TB (12) and H (7), trailing only Jasson Dominguez in each category.

2021: In Wells' pro debut season during 2021, he combined to hit .264/.390/.476 in 103 games with an OPS of .886, 16
HR, 76 RBI and 82 R between Single-A Tampa (65 games) and High-A Hudson Valley (38 games). Wells ranked among the Yankees' minor leaguers in BB (2nd), R (2nd), RBI (3rd), OPS (4th), 3B (T-4th) and XBH (5th). Following the 2021 MiLB season, Wells played for the Surprise Saguaros of the Arizona Fall League. Across in 18 games during the fall, Wells ranked 6th in the AFL with a 1.034 OPS, adding 2 HR and 14 R. His 18 RBI were tied for the most of any catcher in the AFL. For his efforts, he was named an AFL Rising Star. He was recognized by Baseball America for having the "Best Strike-Zone Discipline" of any Yankees minor leaguer in 2021.

College: Wells spent two seasons with the University of Arizona Wildcats, playing in 71 games and hitting .357 with a 1.036 OPS with 7 HR, 74 RBI and 85 R. Among his honors while at Arizona, Wells was first named Pac-12 Freshman of the Year in 2019, when he was also a Freshman All-American honoree per Collegiate Baseball, Baseball America, NCBWA and Rawlings. In 2020, Wells was a Collgiate Baseball Second-team All-American and was named to the Buster Posey National Collegiate Catcher of the Year Award watch list (top NCAA catcher). During the summer of 2019, Wells played in the Cape Cod League with the Yarmouth-Dennis Red Sox. In 42 regular season games, where he was named a Cap Cod League All-Star starter, after hitting .308 with 7 HR, 26 RBI and 23 R. Wells was named a 2019 Cape Cod League Outstanding Pro Prospect.

#### **Personal Notes**

Wells spent his preps career at powerhouse Bishop Gorman High School in his hometown of Las Vegas, combining to hit .428 with 87 RBI and 85 during his preps career. He was named team captain and Most Valuable Player as a junior and senior. As a junior, Wells was the 2017 Nevada Gatorade Player of the Year. Upon graduating high school, Wells was originally selected by the Yankees in the 35th round of the 2018 MLB Draft. After electing to play college ball at Arizona, the Yankees selected him again in the first round of the draft two years later, 28th overall. For the second consecutive season, Wells is living with close friend and former teammate Anthony Volpe's family in Watchung, New Jersey.

#### **Career Notes**

Selected by the Yankees in the 1st round of the 2020 MLB Draft, making him the fourth Yankees catcher chosen first round of the MLB First-Year Player Draft since its inception in 1965, joining Anthony Seigler (2018), David Parrish (2000) and Thurman Munson (1968).

#### CAREER HIGHS: H: 5

9/5/21 @GB0 (A+)
R: 4
7/8/21 @DUN (A)
RBI: 6
6/5/21 vs. LAK (A)
HR: 1
last: 5/16 vs. REA
SB: 2, 3x
last: 9/8/22 @HFD (AA)

#### SEASON HIGHS: H: 3

5/16 vs. REA
R: 2
5/2 vs. BNG
RBI: 4
5/16 vs. REA
HR: 1, 8x
last: 6/3 vs. POR
SB: 1
last: 5/10 @POR