



ALTOONA CURVE

2026 GAME NOTES

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EASTERN LEAGUE CHAMPIONS
2010, 2017

DIVISION CHAMPIONS
2004, 2010, 2017, 2018

PLAYOFF APPEARANCES
2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2010,
2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2025

PLAYERS TO MLB
230



Friday, May 15 - Game #37, Home Game #20
Harrisburg Senators (20-16) vs. Altoona Curve (13-23)

LHP Alex Clemmey vs. LHP Connor Wietgreffe

6:00 p.m. | Peoples Natural Gas Field | Altoona, PA

Radio -- WRTA 98.5 & Fly Altoona Curve Radio Network | TV -- MLB.TV, Bally Sports Live, SportsNet Pittsburgh

TODAY'S GAME / OPPOSING STARTER: The Curve play yet another series with the Harrisburg Senators this week, by the end of the week, the Curve will have played 15-of-39 games against the Senators already.

Alex Clemmey takes the ball for Harrisburg tonight. Clemmey has pitched twice against Altoona this season and struggled to throw strikes, in his career against the Curve he has walked 14 batters in 11.0 IP across 3 starts. Clemmey attended Bishop Hendricken HS in Rhode Island, same HS as Padres RHP Michael King, and was drafted in the 2nd round by Cleveland in 2023, the Nationals acquired him in July of 2024 in the deal for OF Lane Thomas. Clemmey, who pitched for the National League in the Futures Game last year, is ranked by MLB Pipeline as the No. 11 prospect in the system.

DOMINATING DELGADO: Infielder **Keiner Delgado** has emerged as one of Altoona's most consistent hitters to begin the season. In his last 18 games, he's batting .333 with 5 2B, 2 HR, 13 RBI and a .440 OBP (.948 OPS). Since April 19 he ranks 5th in the EL in OBP (.440), and 6th in BA (.333).

MOSS THE BOSS: Infielder **Callan Moss** holds a .359 on-base percentage during his 10-game on-base streak, stretching back to May 3.

PEN MEN: Stretching back from last Friday in Chesapeake to Wednesday in Altoona, Curve relievers tossed 19.0 consecutive scoreless innings. **Matt Ager** chipped in with 4.0 scoreless frames in his Double-A debut on Tuesday, May 12, piggy-backing on **Jared Jones'** rehab start.

Lately, righty **Jared Bayless** has become an important member of the staff. In 3 outings in May he has tossed 8.1 scoreless frames with only 1 hit and 1 walk and 9 K's, Bayless holds a 1.17 ERA in 7 games with Altoona this year, holding opponents to 0.59 WHIP.

Lefty **Cy Nielson** is unscored upon in 11-of-12 outings this year and thrown 14.1 consecutive scoreless frames dating back to April 16. In that time he's allowed just 12 hits, 5 walks and struck out 16 across 9 outings.

Closer **Emmanuel Chapman** has been unscored upon in the month of May, tossing 6.2 scoreless innings with 11 strikeouts over 5 outings.

LET'S GET HEALTHY: 2023 Curve righty **Jared Jones** joined the Curve on Tuesday, May 12 and tossed 4.0 scoreless frames in his third major league rehab start. Jones, who is returning from an internal brace UCL repair, began a rehab assignment with Bradenton on Wednesday, April 29, has tossed 10.0 innings and allowed one run and struck out 11. Baltimore Orioles infielder Jackson Holliday went 1-for-8 against the Curve on rehab last week and outfielder Heston Kjerstad went 1-for-6 in two games. Tuesday was the 5th straight game for the Curve in which a major league rehab has played.

SLAMMING BABY: Altoona has an odd propensity for hitting solo homers early in the season. Entering Friday, the Curve have hit 36 homers, 22 of them have been solo. The 36 homers in 36 games for the Curve are T-6th-most in the Eastern League and have come from 13 different players, tied with Richmond for the most in the circuit.

CURT SCHILLING?: Right-hander **Khristian Curtis** matched his career-high with 10 strikeouts over 5.0 innings on Sunday, April 26. It was the 42nd time in franchise history that a Curve pitcher has punched out 10 hitters in a game and the first in 5.0 innings or fewer since **Kyle Nicolas** struck out 10 batters in 5.0 innings on May 2, 2023 at Richmond. Curtis is 1st among Eastern League hurlers with 44 strikeouts, 3rd among Double-A arms.

SOUTHWEST DIVISION STANDINGS

Team	W-L	GB	RESULT
Richmond	27-8	--	14-7 L @ ERI
Harrisburg	20-16	7.5	3-1 W 2-0 L @ ALT
Akron	20-16	7.5	3-2 W vs CHE
Erie	18-18	9.5	14-7 W vs RIC
Chesapeake	14-21	13.0	3-2 L @ AKR
Altoona	13-23	14.5	3-1 L 2-0 W vs HBG

NORTHEAST DIVISION STANDINGS

Team	W-L	GB	RESULT
New Hamp.	21-11	--	PPD vs REA
Hartford	17-18	5.5	5-3 L vs HFD
Somerset	17-19	6.0	5-3 W vs BNG
Reading	16-18	6.0	PPD @ NH
Portland	16-19	6.5	5-3 W @ HFD
Binghamton	12-24	11.0	5-3 L @ SOM

2026 CURVE AT A GLANCE

Overall Record	13-23
Home	7-12
Road	6-11
First Half	13-23
Second Half	0-0
Place (Southwestern Div)	6th
Games Ahead/Behind	-14.5
Streak	W1
Last 5	3-2
Last 10	5-5
All-Time Record	1,843-1,818
'26 Home Attendance	60,054
Home Openings	17
Average Attendance	3,533
2026 vs. Harrisburg	5-7
at Altoona	2-5
at Harrisburg	3-2
All-time vs. Harrisburg	260-229
at Altoona	149-93
at Harrisburg	111-136

2026 MLB DEBUTS

INF Konner Griffn	4/3/26 (PIT)
LHP Tyler Samaniego	4/8/26 (BOS)
RHP Wilber Dotel	4/19/26 (PIT)
RHP Domingo Gonzalez	5/12/26 (SEA)
RHP Brandon Bidois	5/13/26 (PIT)

TOP 30 PROSPECTS

NAME	OUTLET (MLB/BA)
Omar Alfonzo	14/13
Khristian Curtis	21/15
Jack Brannigan	22/28
Duce Gourson	26/21
Callan Moss	28/-
Seaver King	8/8
Alex Clemmey	12/7
Jackson Kent	15/18
Sam Petersen	23/14
Erig Swan	26/-
Caleb Lomavita	27/21

* - Injured List

TODAY IN CURVE HISTORY PRESENTED BY

2000 - Curve host Pirates in exhibition game in front of 7,346 fans. Altoona beat Pittsburgh 8-5. Jason Kendall played for the Pirates along with Kevin Young, Brian Giles and future Curve manager Dale Sveum.

2010 - Shelby Ford drives in 5 with two home runs as the Curve blow out Richmond 9-2 at The Diamond



UPCOMING GAMES AND PROBABLE PITCHERS

Sat. May 16	Harrisburg	6:00 p.m.	RHP Peyton Stumbo vs. RHP Davian Garcia
Sun. May 17	Harrisburg	6:00 p.m.	RHP Jared Jones (MLB Rehab) vs. LHP Jackson Kent
Tues. May 19	Erie	6:00 p.m.	TBA vs. TBA
Wed. May 20	Erie	11:00 a.m.	TBA vs. TBA
Thur. May 21	Erie	6:00 p.m.	TBA vs. TBA
Fri. May 22	Erie	6:00 p.m.	TBA vs. TBA
Sat. May 23	Erie	6:00 p.m.	TBA vs. TBA

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- KOOL 102.9 - WCRO (select weekend games)
- 95.3 WRSC - State College (select Saturday Night games)
- Online streaming at AltoonaCurve.com, WRTA.com, Bally Live Network, flown by Contour Air- and the MiLB First Lines. Pregame coverage begins Pitch App 15 minutes before all games.

TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER

#32 Connor Wietgrefe

LHP



Vitals: 6-1, 213, 6/6/02 (23)
Pitch Selection: Fastball (91-94), Slider, Curveball, Changeup
Hometown: Prior Lake, MN
Acquired: 7th Round (2024), University of Minnesota
 3rd year of professional baseball
Trending: Last 4 starts: 1-0 2.76 ERA (5 ER/16.1 IP, 16 K)
 13 BB in 21.2 IP in April, 2 BB in 8.0 IP in May

CAREER NOTES

2026: Was named to Altoona's Opening Day roster, became the first Pirates minor leaguer to throw 6.0 innings on April 9 at Richmond... **2025:** Ranked fifth among full-season Pirates minor leaguers in ERA (3.10)... Made one start with Bradenton before joining Greensboro, going 6-4 with a 3.17 ERA in 25 total starts, made his final appearance of the season with Altoona...

CONNOR WIETGREFE'S 2026 GAME LOG

GAME	RESULT	GS	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	SO	AVG	BB	HR	P-S	LEFT
4/3 vs. HBG	ND, 5-6	1	3.86	4.2	3	2	2	3	.200	3	0	76-50	0-2, 1 on
4/9 @ RIC	ND, 2-3	1	2.53	6.0	4	1	1	4	.212	2	0	80-55	1-1
4/15 vs. POR	L, 6-8	1	6.08	2.2	7	6	6	1	.304	2	1	56-34	0-5, 1 on
4/21 @ HBG	ND, 4-5	1	5.40	3.1	3	2	1	1	.283	4	0	74-43	2-2, 1 on
4/28 vs. RIC	W, 10-9	1	4.57	5.0	3	1	1	6	.263	2	0	80-53	5-1
5/3 vs. RIC	ND, 7-2	1	4.56	4.0	4	2	2	3	.261	1	0	61-40	3-2
5/9 @ CHE	ND, 7-1	1	4.25	4.0	5	1	1	6	.266	1	0	77-53	0-1
Season	1-1	7	4.25	29.2	29	15	14	24	.266	15	1	504-328	
Career	1-1	8	3.89	34.2	31	16	15	28	.246	15	2	567-366	

CONNOR WIETGREFE'S HIGHS

STAT	2026		MINORS CAREER	
	VALUE	DATE	VALUE	DATE
IP	6.0	4/9/26 @ RIC	7.2	9/6/25 @ HV
SO	6	2x, 4/28/26 vs. RIC	7	4x, 7/27/25 vs. BRK
H	7	4/15/26 vs. POR	7	2x, 4/15/26 vs. POR
R	6	4/15/26 vs. POR	6	2x, 4/15/26 vs. POR
ER	6	4/15/26 vs. POR	6	2x, 4/15/26 vs. POR
HR	1	4/15/26 vs. POR	2	2x, 5/13/25 vs. ROM
BB	4	4/21/26 @ HBG	4	4/21/26 @ HBG
NP	80	2x, 4/9/26 @ RIC	90	9/6/25 @ HV

CURVE CUTS

Connor Trey Wietgrefe... Last name is pronounced "witt-griff"... Signed with the Pirates for a bonus of \$247,500, about \$34,000 under slot to help sign top prep prospects Konnor Griffin (1st Round) and Wyatt Sanford (2nd Round)... Born in Phoenix, AZ, resides now in Prior Lake, Minnesota... Attended North Iowa Area CC in 2021, then two pitched seasons at the University of Minnesota... Was named the Dave Winfield Pitcher of the Year in 2024 and All-Big Ten First Team when he was 2nd in the Big Ten with a 2.77 ERA and ranked 6th in strikeouts (74)... Majored in business and marketing education at Minnesota...

In 2025... Ranked 6th among among qualified PIT MiLB (min. 90.0 IP) in strikeouts (101), 2nd among LHP (Barco, 116)... Allowed 1 R in 7.2 IP (4 H, 0 BB) with 7 K's in final regular season start at Hudson Valley on 9/6... Tossed 5.0 innings of 1-run ball (solo HR to T. Liranzo) in Double-A debut on September 13 at Erie...

BATTERS VS PROBABLE PITCHERS

SENATORS VS CONNOR WIETGREFE (MINORS CAREER)

PLAYER	G	AB	H	HR	RBI	2B	3B	SO	BB	IBB	AVG	OBP	SLG
Marcus Brown	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.000	1.000	4.000
Seaver King	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	.000	.400	.000
Cortland Lawson	2	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Caleb Lomavita	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.000	.250	.000
Elijah Nunez	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.333	.333	.333
Sam Petersen	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	.333	.500	.333
Kervin Pichardo	2	3	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	.333	.500	.667
Leandro Pineda	2	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.250	.250	.250
Jack Rogers	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Johnathon Thomas	2	4	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	.250	.250	.250
Cayden Wallace	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	.000	.250	.000

CURVE VS ALEX CLEMMY (MINORS CAREER)

PLAYER	G	AB	H	HR	RBI	2B	3B	SO	BB	IBB	AVG	OBP	SLG
Omar Alfonzo	3	5	1	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	.200	.200	.200
Jack Brannigan	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Keiner Delgado	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	.000	1.000	.000
Titus Dumitru	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	.000	.250	.000
Duce Gourson	2	2	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	.500	.500	.500
P.J. Hilson	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	.500	.667	.500
Callan Moss	3	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	.000	.667	.000
Javier Rivas	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	.000	.200	.000

CAREER STATISTICS

Season	Age Level	League	Team	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	SVO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	WHIP	AVG	AB	WP	BK	GIDP	TBF	NP-S
2024	22 A	FSL	BRD	0	0	0.90	5	4	0	0	0	0	10.0	6	5	1	1	0	2	0	13	0.80	.158	38	2	1	0	41	158 - 107
2025	23 A	FSL	BRD	0	0	3.00	1	1	0	0	0	0	3.0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	4	0.33	.100	10	0	0	0	10	40 - 29
2025	23 A+	SAL	GBO	6	4	3.17	24	24	0	0	0	0	108.0	88	38	38	11	2	25	0	93	1.05	.223	395	3	2	9	428	1575 - 1044
2025	23 AA	EAS	ALT	0	0	1.80	1	1	0	0	0	0	5.0	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	4	0.40	.118	17	0	0	0	17	63 - 38
2025	23 Minors	3 Leagues	3 Teams	6	4	3.10	26	26	0	0	0	0	116.0	91	40	40	13	2	25	0	101	1.00	.216	422	3	2	9	455	1678 - 1111
2026	24 AA	EAS	ALT	1	1	4.25	7	7	0	0	0	0	29.2	29	15	14	1	0	15	0	24	1.48	.266	109	4	1	0	129	504 - 328
Career	AA	EAS	ALT	1	1	3.89	8	8	0	0	0	0	34.2	31	16	15	2	0	15	0	28	1.33	.246	126	4	1	0	146	567 - 366
Career	A+	SAL	GBO	6	4	3.17	24	24	0	0	0	0	108.0	88	38	38	11	2	25	0	93	1.05	.223	395	3	2	9	428	1575 - 1044
Career	A	FSL	BRD	0	0	1.38	6	5	0	0	0	0	13.0	7	6	2	2	0	2	0	17	0.69	.146	48	2	1	0	51	198 - 136
Career	Minors	3 Leagues	3 Teams	7	5	3.18	38	37	0	0	0	0	155.2	126	60	55	15	2	42	0	138	1.08	.221	569	9	4	9	625	2340 - 1546

RECORD BREAKDOWNS/HIGHS & LOWS

2026 SEASON HIGHS/LOWS

TEAM MISCELLANEOUS

LONGEST WINNING STREAK.....	3, 5/9 @ CHE - 5/12 vs HBG
LONGEST LOSING STREAK.....	12, 4/2 vs HBG - 4/16 vs POR
LARGEST MARGIN OF VICTORY.....	9 runs, 11-2, 4/23 @ HBG
LARGEST MARGIN OF DEFEAT.....	15 runs, 19-4, 5/6 @ CHE
LARGEST SHUTOUT WIN.....	2-0, 2x, last 5/14 vs HBG G2
LARGEST SHUTOUT LOSS.....	10-0, 5/1 vs RIC G2
LARGEST COMEBACK TO WIN.....	4 runs, 5/1 vs RIC G1
LONGEST GAME, TIME.....	4:12, 4/30 vs RIC
LONGEST 9-INNING GAME TIME.....	3:11, 4/28 vs RIC
SHORTEST 9-INNING GAME TIME.....	1:47, 4/18 vs POR
LONGEST 7-INNING GAME TIME.....	2:12, 5/1 vs RIC G2
SHORTEST 7-INNING GAME TIME.....	1:45, 5/14 vs HBG G2
LONGEST GAME, INNINGS.....	11 innings, 4/30 vs RIC
LONGEST HOME GAME, INNINGS.....	11 innings, 4/30 vs RIC
LONGEST ROAD GAME, INNINGS.....	10 innings, 4/11 @ RIC
LARGEST CROWD, HOME.....	6,041, 5/13 vs HBG
SMALLEST CROWD, HOME.....	2,357, 4/28 vs RIC
LARGEST CROWD, ROAD.....	9,585, 4/7 @ RIC
SMALLEST CROWD, ROAD.....	1,238, 5/5 @ CHE
MOST ERRORS.....	5, 4/30 vs RIC
MOST ERRORS BY OPPONENT.....	3, 2x, last 5/7 @ CHE
MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITHOUT AN ERROR.....	7*, 5/8 @ CHE - 5/14 vs HBG G2
MOST LOB.....	21, 4/30 vs RIC
FEWEST LOB.....	1, 3x, last 5/9 @ CHE

TEAM BATTING

MOST RUNS.....	11, 4/23 @ HBG
MOST RUNS, INNING.....	5, 3x, last 6th inning, 5/9 @ CHE
MOST HITS.....	15, 4/28 vs RIC
MOST HITS, INNING.....	5, 5th inning, 4/28 vs RIC
MOST HOME RUNS, GAME.....	4, 2x, last 5/9 @ CHE
MOST HOME RUNS, INNING.....	2, 5x, last 6th inning & 9th inning, 5/9 @ CHE
MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH A HOME RUN.....	8, 4/18 vs POR - 4/28 vs RIC
MOST DOUBLES, GAME.....	5, 2x, last 5/7 @ CHE
MOST TRIPLES, GAME.....	1, 4x, last 5/5 @ CHE
MOST EXTRA-BASE HITS.....	7, 4/28 vs RIC
MOST STOLEN BASES.....	5, 4/22 @ HBG
MOST STRIKEOUTS, 9-INNING GAME.....	15, 3x, last 4/24 @ HBG
MOST STRIKEOUTS, ALL GAMES.....	15, 3x, last 4/24 @ HBG
MOST WALKS, ALL GAMES.....	13, 4/30 vs RIC

TEAM PITCHING

MOST RUNS ALLOWED.....	19, 5/6 @ CHE
MOST RUNS ALLOWED, INNING.....	12, 11th inning, 4/30 vs RIC
MOST HITS ALLOWED.....	15, 3x, last 5/6 @ CHE
MOST HITS ALLOWED, INNING.....	6, 11th inning, 4/30 vs RIC
MOST HOME RUNS ALLOWED.....	5, 5/6 @ CHE
MOST HOME RUNS ALLOWED, INNING.....	2, 8th inning, 4/24 @ HBG
MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES ALLOWING A HOME RUN.....	9, 4/22 @ HBG - 5/2 vs RIC
MOST STRIKEOUTS, 9-INNING GAME.....	16, 4/26 @ HBG
MOST STRIKEOUTS, ALL GAMES.....	16, 4/26 @ HBG
MOST BASES ON BALLS.....	12, 4/4 vs HBG
MOST EXTRA-BASE HITS ALLOWED.....	9, 5/6 @ CHE

INDIVIDUAL BATTING

MOST RUNS SCORED.....	3, Omar Alfonzo, 4/23 @ HBG
MOST HITS.....	3, 7x, last Keiner Delgado, 5/13 vs HBG
MOST EXTRA-BASE HITS.....	2, 5x, last Duce Gourson & Callan Moss, 5/14 vs HBG G1
MOST DOUBLES.....	2, 3x, last Duce Gourson & Callan Moss, 5/14 vs HBG G1
MOST TRIPLES.....	1, 4x, last Derek Berg, 5/5 @ CHE
MOST HOME RUNS.....	2, Jack Brannigan, 4/28 vs RIC
MOST TOTAL BASES.....	9, Jack Brannigan, 4/28 vs RIC
MOST RBI.....	5, 2x, last Shawn Ross, 5/10 @ CHE
MOST STOLEN BASES.....	3, 2x, last Mitch Jebb, 4/17 vs POR
MOST BASES ON BALLS.....	4, Keiner Delgado, 4/2 vs HBG
MOST TIMES REACHING BASE SAFELY.....	5, 2x, last Will Taylor, 4/30 vs RIC
MOST STRIKEOUTS.....	4, 4x, last Jack Brannigan, 5/10 @ CHE
LONGEST HITTING STREAK.....	9, Jesus Castillo, 4/19 vs POR - 5/2 vs RIC
LONGEST ON-BASE STREAK.....	12, 2x last Keiner Delgado, 4/19 vs POR - 5/7 @ CHE
LONGEST RBI STREAK.....	6, Will Taylor, 4/21 @ HBG - 4/30 vs RIC

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

MOST INNINGS PITCHED, STARTER.....	6.0, 4x, last Khristian Curtis, 5/14 vs HBG G1
MOST INNINGS PITCHED, RELIEVER.....	4.0, 2x, last Matt Ager, 5/12 vs HBG
MOST HITS ALLOWED, STARTER.....	7, 3x, last Dominic Perachi, 5/1 vs RIC G1
MOST HITS ALLOWED, RELIEVER.....	6, Josh Loeschorn, 5/6 @ CHE
MOST STRIKEOUTS, STARTER.....	10, Khristian Curtis, 4/26 @ HBG
MOST STRIKEOUTS, RELIEVER.....	5, 2x, last Jarod Bayless, 5/13 vs HBG
MOST BASES ON BALLS, STARTER.....	4, 5x, last Khristian Curtis, 5/14 vs HBG G1
MOST BASES ON BALLS, RELIEVER.....	4, 2x, last Emmanuel Chapman, 4/21 @ HBG
MOST EARNED RUNS ALLOWED, STARTER.....	7, Peyton Stumbo, 4/16 vs POR
MOST EARNED RUNS ALLOWED, RELIEVER.....	8, Josh Loeschorn, 4/5 @ CHE
MOST CONSECUTIVE SCORELESS IP.....	14.1*, Cy Nielson, 4/16 vs POR - 5/14 vs HBG G2

* - Active Streak, Bold - Franchise Record

2026 RECORD BREAKDOWN

	TOTAL	HOME	ROAD
Overall Record	13-23	7-12	6-11
vs. Southwest Division	11-19	5-8	6-11
vs. Northeast Division	2-4	2-4	0-0
vs. NL Affiliates	8-16	5-8	3-8
vs. AL Affiliates	5-7	2-4	3-3
First Half	13-23	7-12	6-11
Second Half	0-0	0-0	0-0
Day Games	5-7	2-5	3-2
Night Games	8-16	5-7	3-9
Day Game After Night	4-5	1-3	3-2
Curve Score 1st	9-6	5-1	4-5
Opponent Scores 1st	4-17	2-11	2-6
Come From Behind Wins	7	3	4
vs. RH Starters	7-12	3-6	4-6
vs. LH Starters	6-11	4-6	2-5
Curve Starter 5.0 + IP	2-3	1-1	1-2
Curve Starter 6.0 + IP	1-3	1-2	0-1
Curve Starter 7.0 + IP	0-0	0-0	0-0
When Hitting a HR	12-11	6-4	6-7
When Not Hitting a HR	1-12	1-8	0-4
Outhit Opponent	7-4	2-2	5-2
Equal # of Hits	1-4	1-3	0-1
Outhit by Opponent	5-15	4-7	1-8
Curve 10+ Hits	4-3	1-3	3-0
Commit 0 Errors	6-10	3-7	3-3
Commit 1 Error	7-6	4-2	3-4
Commit 2+ Errors	0-7	0-3	0-4
Leading After 7th	10-3	5-1	5-2
Trailing After 7th	0-17	0-9	0-8
Tied After 7th	1-1	0-0	1-1
Leading After 8th	10-0	5-0	5-0
Trailing After 8th	0-18	0-8	0-10
Tied After 8th	1-3	0-2	1-1
Extra-Inning Games	0-3	0-2	0-1
Double-headers	2-2	2-2	0-0
Series Record	1-3-2	0-2-1	1-1-1
One-Run Games	5-7	3-1	2-6
Two-Run Games	3-5	3-4	0-1
3+Run Games	5-11	1-7	4-4
Shutout Record	3-2	3-2	0-0
April Record	6-16	3-8	3-8
May Record	7-7	4-4	3-3
June Record	0-0	0-0	0-0
July Record	0-0	0-0	0-0
August Record	0-0	0-0	0-0
September Record	0-0	0-0	0-0
Monday Record	0-0	0-0	0-0
Tuesday Record	3-3	2-1	1-2
Wednesday Record	1-4	0-2	1-2
Thursday Record	2-6	1-4	1-2
Friday Record	2-5	2-2	0-3
Saturday Record	2-3	1-2	1-1
Sunday Record	3-2	1-1	2-1
1st Game of Series	3-4	2-2	1-2
Last Game of Series	3-3	1-2	2-1
Getaway Day	2-1	0-0	2-1
Red Alternate Hat	5-8	0-0	5-8
Black Keystone Hat	3-7	3-7	0-0
Gray Road Hat	1-3	0-0	1-3
Red/Bronze Engineer Hat	2-2	2-2	0-0
Peces Dorados Hat/Uniform	1-1	1-1	0-0
Continental Hat/Uniform	1-1	1-1	0-0
Red Uniform	5-8	2-1	3-7
White Uniform	1-6	1-6	0-0
Gray Uniform	3-4	0-0	3-4
Bronze Uniform	2-2	2-2	0-0
Other Specialty Uniform/Hat	0-1	0-1	0-0

2026 VS. EASTERN LEAGUE OPPONENTS

OPPONENT	TOTAL	HOME	ROAD
vs. Akron	0-0	0-0	0-0
vs. Binghamton	0-0	0-0	0-0
vs. Chesapeake	3-3	0-0	3-3
vs. Erie	0-0	0-0	0-0
vs. Harrisburg	5-7	2-5	3-2
vs. Hartford	0-0	0-0	0-0
vs. New Hampshire	0-0	0-0	0-0
vs. Portland	2-4	2-4	0-0
vs. Reading	0-0	0-0	0-0
vs. Richmond	3-9	3-3	0-6
vs. Somerset	0-0	0-0	0-0
TOTALS	13-23	7-12	6-11

BATTERS BREAKDOWN

PLAYER	MULTI-HIT GAMES					MULTI-RBI GAMES					HOME RUN BREAKDOWN					
	TOT	2H	3H	4H	5+	TOT	2BI	3BI	4BI	5+BI	TOT	2R	3R	GS	PH	LAST
Omar Alfonso	3	3	--	--	--	4	2	2	--	--	2	2	--	--	--	5/9 @ CHE
Derek Berg	3	3	--	--	--	3	3	--	--	--	2	--	--	--	--	4/14 vs POR
Jack Brannigan	6	5	1	--	--	2	--	1	1	--	4	--	1	--	--	5/9 @ CHE
Ivan Brethowr	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Jesus Castillo	6	5	1	--	--	4	3	1	--	--	2	--	1	--	--	4/26 @ HBG
Keiner Delgado	8	7	1	--	--	3	1	1	--	1	2	1	--	1	--	5/3 vs RIC
Titus Dumitru	5	5	--	--	--	2	2	--	--	--	6	1	--	--	--	5/14 vs HBG G2
Samuel Escudero	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Duce Gourson	5	4	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	--	--	--	--	5/12 vs HBG
P.J. Hilson	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Mike Jarvis	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Mitch Jebb	4	4	--	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Callan Moss	8	7	1	--	--	2	1	1	--	--	2	--	1	--	--	5/9 @ CHE
Javier Rivas	4	4	--	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	2	--	--	--	--	4/23 @ HBG
Shawn Ross	2	2	--	--	--	3	1	1	--	1	7	1	1	1	--	5/10 @ CHE
Will Taylor	4	3	1	--	--	3	3	--	--	--	3	1	--	--	--	5/9 @ CHE
Jared Triolo	1	--	1	--	--	1	--	1	--	--	1	--	1	--	--	4/28 vs RIC
Lonnie White Jr.	2	2	--	--	--	1	--	1	--	--	1	--	1	--	--	5/6 @ CHE
Totals	62	55	7	--	--	30	18	9	1	2	36	6	6	2	--	5/14 vs HBG G2

OFFENSE BY INNING											
INNING	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10+	TOTAL
CURVE	7	6	20	12	18	28	22	13	12	6	144
OPPONENT	22	20	28	27	16	22	14	25	6	20	200

SHUTOUTS BY CURVE - 3			
Date	Score	Hits	Pitcher(s)
4/18 vs POR	2-0	7	Perachi, Tomkins, Deese
5/12 vs HBG	1-0	6	Jones, Ager, Murdock
5/14 vs HBG G2 (7)	2-0	7	Shirk, Nielson, Chapman

EJECTIONS - 2			
PLAYER/COACH	DATE	UMPIRE	REASON
Sabin Ceballos (RIC)	5/1 vs RIC G1	Dominic Romero	Arguing Balls/Strikes
Bo Davidson (RIC)	5/1 vs RIC G2	Jamal Allen	Arguing something?

SHUTOUTS BY OPPONENTS - 2			
Date	Score	Hits	Pitcher(s)
4/16 vs POR	7-0	4	Rivera, Vogatsky
5/1 vs RIC G2	10-0	6	Smith, Bednar

2026 HOME-ROAD STATS			
Home (7-12)			
Average:	.231	Home Runs:	16
Runs Per Game:	3.5	Stolen Bases:	16
Doubles:	22	Walks:	92
Triples:	3	Strikeouts:	175
Road (6-11)			
Average:	.215	Home Runs:	20
Runs Per Game:	4.6	Stolen Bases:	20
Doubles:	26	Walks:	84
Triples:	1	Strikeouts:	176

TEAM HITTING RANKINGS			
Category.....	TOTAL	EL RANK	AA RANK
Average.....	.223.....	T-9th.....	T-27th
Runs Scored.....	144.....	11th.....	28th
Hits.....	255.....	9th.....	26th
Doubles.....	48.....	12th.....	27th
Triples.....	4.....	T-10th.....	T-22nd
Home Runs.....	36.....	T-6th.....	T-16th
Walks.....	176.....	4th.....	8th
Strikeouts.....	351.....	9th.....	22nd
Stolen Bases.....	36.....	11th.....	28th
RISP.....	.229.....	10th.....	26th

2026 PINCH HITTERS		
PLAYER	STATISTICS	LAST APP.
Omar Alfonso	1-1, 2B, 1 RBI	4/26 @ HBG
2026 Totals:	1-1, 2B, 1 RBI	4/26 @ HBG

MAJOR LEAGUE REHAB ASSIGNMENTS - 2		
Player	Dates	Notes
Jared Triolo - INF	4/28 - 5/1 vs RIC	Played 3G, went 5-for-13 with a HR and 3 RBI
Jared Jones - RHP	5/12 vs HBG	4.0 IP, 0R, 3H, 0BB, 4K

2026 STREAKS/OFFENSIVE SUPERLATIVES		
10+ GAME HITTING STREAKS (0)	4+ RBI GAMES (3)	EASTERN LEAGUE PLAYER OF THE WEEK AWARDS (0)
--	Keiner Delgado (5) - 4/23 @ HBG Jack Brannigan (4) - 4/28 vs RIC Shawn Ross (5) - 5/10 @ CHE	--
15+ GAME ON-BASE STREAKS (0)	GRAND SLAMS (2)	WINS TRAILING/TIED AFTER 8 INNINGS (1)
--	Keiner Delgado - 4/23 @ HBG Shawn Ross - 5/10 @ CHE	4/26 @ HBG - Tied 4-4 after 8, Won 5-4 (9)
WALK-OFF WINNERS (0)	FIRST-INNING LEAD-OFF HOME RUNS (0)	BACK-TO-BACK HOME RUNS (2)
--	--	Keiner Delgado & Javier Rivas - 7th Inning, 4/23 @ HBG Jared Triolo & Duce Gourson - 5th Inning, 4/28 vs RIC
5+ HIT GAMES (0)	MULTI-HOMER GAMES (1)	
--	Jack Brannigan (2) - 4/28 vs RIC	

2026 ALTOONA CURVE PITCHING & DEFENSIVE NOTES

ALTOONA CURVE STARTER BREAKDOWN

ACTIVE ROTATION	LAST START	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	RESULT	STARTS	TEAM RECORD
Khristian Curtis	May 14 vs HBG G1	L	6.0	4	2	2	0	4	3	3-1 L (7)	8	1-7
Connor Wietgrefe	May 9 @ CHE	--	4.0	5	1	1	0	1	6	7-1 W	7	3-4
Dominic Perachi*	May 1 vs RIC G1	--	4.0	7	2	2	1	0	5	5-4 W (7)	5	2-3
Peyton Stumbo	May 10 @ CHE	--	3.0	3	3	3	0	3	1	9-3 W	6	3-3
Po-Yu Chen*	May 6 @ CHE	--	2.0	5	5	5	2	1	2	19-4 L	5	2-3
OTHER PITCHERS												
Josh Loeschorn	May 13 vs HBG	--	3.0	1	0	0	0	3	1	9-4 L	1	0-1
Noah Murdock	May 1 vs RIC G2	L	0.1	2	5	5	0	2	1	10-0 L (7)	1	0-1
Jake Shirk	May 14 vs HBG G2	--	3.0	2	0	0	0	0	1	2-0 W (7)	1	1-0
Jared Jones	May 12 vs HBG	--	4.0	3	0	0	0	0	4	1-0 W	1	1-0

* - Injured List

ALTOONA CURVE BULLPEN BREAKDOWN

PLAYER	LAST RELIEF OUTING	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	PIT-S	ENTERED GAME	LEFT GAME
Matt Ager	5/12 vs HBG	W	4.0	3	0	0	0	1	4	58-37	Start 5th, Tied 0-0	End 8th, Leading 1-0
Jarrod Bayless	5/13 vs HBG	--	3.1	1	0	0	0	0	5	40-33	In 4th, Trailing 5-0	End 7th, Trailing 5-4
Emmanuel Chapman	5/14 vs HBG G2	W	2.0	2	0	0	0	2	3	45-22	Start 6th, Tied 0-0	End of game, 2-0 Win
Po-Yu Chen*	4/30 vs RIC	--	4.0	3	3	3	0	2	2	54-33	In 5th, Leading 3-2	In 9th, Tied 4-4
Jacob Deese	5/13 vs HBG	L	0.2	4	5	5	0	2	0	39-24	Start 4th, Tied 0-0	In 4th, Trailing 5-0
Alessandro Ercolani	5/14 vs HBG G1	--	1.0	1	1	1	1	0	1	12-6	Start 7th, Trailing 2-1	End 7th, Trailing 3-1
Josh Loeschorn	5/6 @ CHE	--	2.0	6	8	8	2	2	0	59-31	In 4th, Trailing 9-1	In 6th, Trailing 17-1
Noah Murdock	5/12 vs HBG	S	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	18-10	Start 9th, Leading 1-0	End of game, 1-0 Win
Cy Nielson	5/14 vs HBG G2	--	2.0	3	0	0	0	0	3	30-22	Start 4th, Tied 0-0	End 5th, Tied 0-0
Jake Shirk	5/10 @ CHE	W	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	2	21-15	Start 4th, Trailing 3-1	End 5th, Trailing 3-1
Peyton Stumbo	4/3 vs HBG	--	3.1	2	0	0	0	1	3	46-29	In 5th, Trailing 2-0	End 8th, Tied 2-2
Landon Tomkins	5/13 vs HBG	--	1.0	3	3	3	0	2	1	27-17	Start 8th, Trailing 5-4	End 8th, Trailing 8-4
Jaden Woods	5/10 @ CHE	H	3.0	0	0	0	0	0	3	44-28	Start 6th, Leading 5-3	End 8th, Leading 6-3

STARTING PITCHER RUN SUPPORT

Active Rotation	GS	Team Runs	R/Start	Quality Starts
Curtis	8	19	2.4	2
Wietgrefe	7	41	5.9	1
Perachi*	5	16	3.2	--
Stumbo	6	27	4.5	--
Chen*	5	31	6.2	--
Other Pitchers				
Loeschorn	1	4	4	--
Murdock	1	0	0	--
Shirk	1	2	2	--
Jones	1	1	1	--

CATCHER'S BOX

Player	Caught	Att.	Percent	Last CS	CI	PB	Pickoffs
Alfonzo	8	35	23%	5/12	2	3	--
Berg	1	11	9%	4/30	--	--	1
Escudero	1	1	100%	5/14	--	--	--
Ross	3	8	38%	4/15	1	--	--

TEAM PITCHING RANKS (EL/AA)

TOTAL (EL, AA RANK)	ERA	WHIP	BAA	GIDP	SV	BB/9	SO/9	HR Allowed
Starters	5.37 (10th/19th)	1.47 (T7th/T18th)	.263 (T9th/T23rd)	12 (2nd/T5th)	--	4.24 (7th/16th)	8.34 (11th/25th)	19 (T9th/T18th)
Bullpen	5.40 (9th/22nd)	1.53 (9th/20th)	.248 (8th/22th)	11 (T4th/T9th)	6 (T8th/T22nd)	5.40 (5th/T14th)	9.36 (11th/T26th)	13 (T2nd/T7th)
Staff	5.16 (9th/20th)	1.50 (T10th/T23rd)	.255 (T10th/T26)	23 (5th/8th)	6 (T8th/T22nd)	4.87 (7th/17th)	8.89 (12th/28th)	32 (T5th/T12th)

2026 STREAKS/PITCHING SUPERLATIVES

15+ INNING SCORELESS STREAKS

EASTERN LEAGUE PITCHER OF THE WEEK (0)

EASTERN LEAGUE PITCHER OF THE MONTH (0)

MISC. PITCHING INFO

PITCH CLOCK VIOLATIONS (20)

4/3 vs HBG - Rigo Beltran - Mound visit exceeded time limit
 4/3 vs HBG - Emmanuel Chapman - Not ready to pitch to Johnathon Thomas
 4/3 vs HBG - Sam Petersen - Not ready to hit vs Chapman
 4/4 vs HBG - Tyrone Yulie - Not ready to pitch to Max Romero Jr.
 4/4 vs HBG - Tyrone Yulie - Not ready to pitch to Johnathon Thomas
 4/7 @ RIC - Manuel Mercedes - Not ready to pitch to Javier Rivas
 4/9 @ RIC - Titus Dumitru - Not ready to hit vs Greg Farone
 4/10 @ RIC - Tyrone Yulie - Not ready to pitch to Drew Cavanaugh
 4/14 vs POR - Miguel Bleis - Not ready to hit vs Jarrod Bayless
 4/19 vs POR - Tyrone Yulie - Not ready to pitch to Tyler McDonough
 4/23 @ HBG - Thomas Schultz - Not ready to pitch to Jack Brannigan
 4/24 @ HBG - Jared Simpson - Not ready to pitch to Shawn Ross
 4/26 @ HBG - Kyle Luckham - Not ready to pitch to Titus Dumitru
 4/30 vs RIC - Dylan Hecht - Not ready to pitch to Titus Dumitru
 5/1 vs RIC G2 - Bo Davidson - Not ready to hit vs Noah Murdock
 5/1 vs RIC G2 - Tyrone Yulie - Not ready to pitch to Aeverson Artega
 5/3 vs RIC - Brad Depperman - Not ready to pitch to Titus Dumitru
 5/3 vs RIC - Cameron Pferrer - Not ready to pitch to Titus Dumitru
 5/5 @ CHE - Brandon Butterworth - Not ready to hit against Jacob Deese
 5/6 @ CHE - Po-Yu Chen - Not ready to pitch to
 5/8 @ CHE - Anderson De Los Santos - Not ready to hit vs

PICKOFFS (7)

Connor Wietgrefe - 4/3 vs HBG (King @ 1st)
 Brandon Neeck - 4/11 @ RIC (Cavanaugh @ 1st)
 Brandon Neeck (2) - 4/15 vs POR (Turner @ 1st)
 Cy Nielson - 4/19 vs POR (Liendo @ 1st)
 Emmanuel Chapman - 4/21 @ HBG (Wallace @ 2nd)
 Connor Wietgrefe (2) - 4/28 vs RIC (Davidson @ 2nd)
 Derek Berg (C) - 4/30 vs RIC (Bandura @ 1st)

7+ STRIKEOUTS GAMES (2)

Khristian Curtis - 9K, 4/2 vs HBG
 Khristian Curtis (2) - 10K, 4/26 @ HBG

ERRORS BY POSITION (OUTFIELD ASSISTS)

32 E (.975 - T-7TH), 33 DP (T-1ST)

Left Field		Center Field		Right Field	
Player (G)	E (A)	Player (G)	E (A)	Player (G)	E (A)
Titus Dumitru (21)	1 (1)	Jesus Castillo (2)	0 (0)	Ivan Brethowr (1)	0 (0)
PJ Hilson (5)	0 (2)	Mitch Jebb (13)	0 (0)	Jesus Castillo (7)	3 (1)
Will Taylor (6)	3 (3)	PJ Hilson (4)	0 (0)	Titus Dumitru (8)	0 (0)
Lonnie White Jr. (5)	0 (0)	Will Taylor (15)	0 (0)	PJ Hilson (10)	0 (5)
		Lonnie White Jr. (3)	0 (0)	Will Taylor (8)	1 (0)
				Lonnie White Jr. (4)	1 (0)
		Shortstop		Second Base	
		Player (G)	E	Player (G)	E
		Jack Brannigan (17)	2	Jesus Castillo (2)	1
		Jesus Castillo (2)	0	Keiner Delgado (20)	0
		Keiner Delgado (6)	1	Duce Gourson (16)	1
		Javier Rivas (14)	5		
		Jared Triolo (1)	0	First Base	
				Player (G)	E
		Third Base		Omar Alfonso (4)	0
		Player (G)	E	Derek Berg (1)	0
		Jesus Castillo (7)	1	Jesus Castillo (1)	0
		Keiner Delgado (3)	0	Callan Moss (25)	1
		Duce Gourson (15)	4	Shawn Ross (6)	0
		Mike Jarvis (1)	0		
		Javier Rivas (11)	0		
		Jared Triolo (2)	0		
		Catcher			
		Player (G)	E (PB)		
		Omar Alfonso (18)	3 (2)		
		Derek Berg (10)	1 (0)		
		Samuel Escudero (1)	0 (0)		
		Shawn Ross (8)	1 (0)		

ALTOONA CURVE PITCHER NOTES

#43 Matt Ager

RHP



Vitals: 6-6, 225, 5/21/03 (22)
Pitch Selection: Fastball (92-94), Curveball, Changeup
Hometown: Pleasanton, CA
Acquired: 6th Round, 2024 (UC Santa Barbara)
Trending: Made Double-A debut on 5/12 vs HBG: 4.0 IP, 3 H, 0 R, 1 BB, 4 K on 58 pitches as piggy-back on Jones rehab

2026: Named to Greensboro's Opening Day roster... Pitched to a 1.93 ERA (3 ER / 14.0 IP) as a piggy-back on Carlson Reed to begin the season... Transferred to ALT on 5/12...

RECENT APPEARANCES					
DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	NOTES	
4/30 @ WS	S (1)	4.0, 5, 2/2, 2/5			
5/6 VS GVL	—	3.1, 5, 6/6, 1/5			ALLOWED 5 HR
5/12 VS HBG	W (1-0)	4.0, 3, 0/0, 1/4	58/37		PROTECTED 1-0 WIN, GOT 6-4-3 DP TO END 8TH INNING

2025: Spent the season in the rotation at Bradenton, pitched to a 3.31 ERA in June and July... Entered the season as the No. 23 prospect in the system according to Baseball America...

CURVE CUTS: Matthew Lance Ager (Matt)... Signed with the Pirates for a bonus of \$357,400... Attended Foothill HS in Pleasanton, CA... Was an Economics major at UC Santa Barbara... Was 1 of 4 UC-Santa Barbara players drafted in the 6th and 7th round in 2024 (Ryan Gallagher (Cubs, 6th round), Aaron Parker (Blue Jays, 6th round), and Ivan Brethowr (7th round, Cubs)... Was a teammate of Brethowr this season at Greensboro and with Altoona...

#46 Jarod Bayless

RHP



Vitals: 6-4, 225, 12/29/96 (29)
Pitch Selection: Fastball (88-92), Sinker, Cutter, Sweeper, Changeup
Hometown: Texarcana, TX
Acquired: MiLB FA (2025)
Trending: Has been unscored upon in each of his last 6-of-last-7 outings (5 with ALT)

2026: Named to Altoona's Opening Day roster... Transferred to IND on 4/3, returned on 4/10...

RECENT APPEARANCES					
DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	NOTES	
4/30 VS RIC	L (1-1)	1.2, 3, 5/2, 2/1	43/30		FINISHED 9TH FOR CHEN, ALLOWED GHOST RUNNER TO SCORE IN 10TH
5/3 VS RIC	—	2.0, 0, 0/0, 0/1	23/18		SET DOWN ALL 6 HITTERS FACED, PROTECTED 2-1 LEAD
5/7 @ CHE	—	3.0, 0, 0/0, 1/3	39/24		SET DOWN FIRST 7 HITTERS FACED, PROTECTED 3-2 LEAD (L 4-3)

2025: Shuttled between Greensboro, Indianapolis and Altoona during the season... Pitched the final inning of GBO's combined Perfect Game against Bowling Green on 7/13... 0-5, 5.28 ERA in 11G/8 starts with Altoona...

CURVE CUTS: Signed with the Pirates on 2/10/2025 after five seasons with the Seattle Mariners... Drafted by the Mariners in the 33rd round of the 2019 MLB Draft out of Dallas Baptist University... Also played collegiately at Northeast Texas Community College and San Jacinto College... Attended Pleasant Grove High School in Texarkana, TX... Has a dog, Loki, that travels with him and his wife throughout the season... Drove a silver 2002 Volkswagon Bus throughout his college days... Is a coffee aficionado, has worked as a barista in the off-season before and regularly is helping his teammates with coffee orders when they're on the road...

#34 Emmanuel Chapman

RHP



Vitals: 6-6, 255, 9/23/98 (26)
Pitch Selection: Fastball (93-96), Splitter, Slider, Changeup
Hometown: Baguanos, Cuba
Acquired: MiLB FA (2023)
Trending: Pitched 1.0 IP+ in 55-of-69 outings with Altoona... Unscored in May: 5G, 6.2 IP, 4 H, 5 BB, 11 K

2026: Suited up for Team Cuba in the WBC, tossed 1.1 scoreless innings... Named to Altoona's Opening Day roster... Earned his 1st career save on 4/17 vs Portland, finishing ALT's 1st W of season to break a 12-game losing streak...

RECENT APPEARANCES					
DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	NOTES	
5/8 @ CHE	—	1.0, 0, 0/0, 0/0	8/5		SET DOWN SIDE IN ORDER
5/10 @ CHE	—	0.2, 0, 0/0, 2/2	16/7		FINISHED 9TH FOR NIELSON OF 7-1 W AT CHESAPEAKE
5/14 VS HBG G2	W (1-1)	2.0, 2, 0/0, 2/3	45/22		STRANDED BASES LOADED TO CLOSE OUT 2-0 W

2025: Spent the entire season with Altoona, was 4th on the team in IP (72.2) and 3rd in strikeouts (72)... Struck out a career-high 6 batters on 8/5 vs Hartford... Started a bullpen game five times throughout the season, the Curve held a 4-1 record in games he started... Tossed a career-high 5.0 IP (1 R) on 9/10 and earned the win, retired 11 straight batters after HBP in 1st inning... Pitched 2.0 innings in G2 of the SWDS at Erie and allowed 1 H, 1 R, 1 BB and 4 K...

CURVE CUTS: Emmanuel Chapman... Signed with the Pirates on 12/15/2023 after defecting from Cuba in April of 2023... Participated in a showcase for MLB teams in August... Established residency in Santo Domingo Centro in the Dominican Republic before signing with the Pirates for a bonus of \$200,000 according to Francys Romero... Does not bear a familial relation to former Pirates LHP Aroldis Chapman... Has learned conversational english by taking 1-on-1 lessons with Joe Shuta of WRTA in his time with the Curve...

#19 Jaycob Deese

RHP



Vitals: 6-1, 195, 5/30/00 (25)
Pitch Selection: Sinker (91-94), Slider, Changeup
Hometown: Houston, TX
Acquired: 17th Round, 2022 (Univ. of Houston)
Trending: Has struck out 15 batters in his last 11.1 IP, has at least 1K in all but 1 outing with ALT this season

2026: Named to Greensboro's Opening Day roster... Transferred to ALT on 4/10...

RECENT APPEARANCES					
DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	NOTES	
5/5 @ CHE	H	2.0, 0, 0/0, 1/4	29/16		K'D 3 AROUND 1 OUT BB IN 8TH, HELD 4-3 LEAD FOR WIN
5/8 @ CHE	—	1.1, 3, 2/2, 1/4	37/24		STRANDED 2 INHERITED RUNNERS IN 4TH FOR CURTIS
5/13 VS HBG	L (0-1)	0.2, 3, 5/5, 1/0	39/24		ALLOWED 6 STRAIGHT BASERUNNERS TO START INNING

2025: Spent the entire season working out of the bullpen for High-A Greensboro... Was 1 of 7 pitchers to work at least 30 games for the 'Hoppers... Was 5th on the team with 10 games finished... Improved his BB/9 (2.8) and K/9 (7.0) to the best rates of his career... Allowed an earned run in only one of 13 outings between April 18 and June 4... Recorded a 3.00 ERA (2 ER / 6.0 IP) in six July outings...

2024: Finished the year with Altoona and totaled 9.1 IP across 5 games, allowing 5 runs... Went 2-4 record with a 6.64 ERA and 1 save in 30 G/1 start for High-A Greensboro
CURVE CUTS: Jaycob Matthew Deese... Signed with the Pirates for a bonus of \$80,000... Was recognized by Baseball America as having the "Best Fastball" in the American Athletic Conference in 2022... Went 5-3 with one save, a 5.19 ERA (85.0ip/49er) and 62 strikeouts in 17 outings in 2022... Ranked second on Houston's pitching staff in 2021 in both ERA (4.46) and strikeouts (52)... Played for Galveston (TX) College prior to transferring to Houston, where he posted a team-best 46 strikeouts in 2020... Majored in Psychology at Houston... His older sister, Taylor, also attended the University of Houston (12-16)...

ALTOONA CURVE PITCHER NOTES

#43 Alessandro Ercolani

RHP



Vitals: 6-1, 225, 4/20/04 (22)
Pitch Selection: Fastball (92-96), Cutter, Slider, Changeup
Hometown: Bargo Maggiore, San Marino
Acquired: International FA (2021) (San Marino), 6th year of professional baseball
Trending:

2026: Began season on IL, pitched 4.1 innings on rehab with Bradenton, allowing 1 run on 2 hits, 2 walks and 5 K... Activated to from IL on 5/1...

2025: Entered the season as the No. 21 prospect in the Pirates system according to Baseball America... Spent the entire season in the Altoona rotation, was named the Team's Pitcher of the Year... Went 1-8 with a 4.04 ERA in 25 games, 21 starts... Crossed the 75-pitch threshold 5 times in 25 outings this season (innings limit)...

CURVE CUTS: Hails from San Marino, a country of a little over 34,000 people which is land-locked by Italy and has the world's fifth-smallest country by population... Every member of San Marino's population could fit into every MLB stadium, including MLB's smallest - the Cleveland Guardians' Progressive Field, which holds 34,830... Picked up baseball at age six after a friend of his enrolled in the sport, noting in an interview with MLB.com's Michael Clair in 2024 that seeing stadiums filled with screaming fans in the U.S. caught his eye... Got his Italian passport at age 12 so that he could participate in the Italian National Team's development programs... Participated in the 2016 LLWS in Williamsport with the Europe-Africa team who hailed from Emilia, Italy, it was at the LLWS where his dream of playing major league baseball was born... Attended the 2025 International Quarterfinals with teammate Antwone Kelly (Aruba) to support Team Italy against Aruba... Suited up for Italy's U15 National Team... Was Listed on Team Italy's provisional roster for the 2023 World Baseball Classic, but did not appear in the tournament... Was mentored by former Dodgers Minor Leaguer and German National Team Pitcher Markus Solbach and Italian Pitcher turned Pitching Coach Alessandro Maestri... Is fluent in english, spanish and italian...

RECENT APPEARANCES					
DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	NOTES	
5/6 @ CHE	--	1.2, 2, 5/5, 2/1	40/21	ALLOWED 2R HR IN 3RD, LEFT AFTER 2RBI 2B IN 4TH INNING	
5/10 @ CHE	--	1.0, 1, 0/0, 1/0	19/10	SCORELESS 9TH IN 9-1 SUNDAY W AT CHESAPEAKE	
5/14 VS HBG G1	--	1.0, 1, 1/1, 0/1	12/6	SOLO HR ALLOWED TO C. WALLACE IN 3-1 LOSS (7)	

#18 Josh Loeschorn

RHP



Vitals: 6-3, 215, 3/10/00 (26)
Pitch Selection: Fastball (90-94), Slider, Changeup
Hometown: Bloomington, NJ
Acquired: 20th Round, 2022 (Long Island Univ.)
Trending: Had 4 scoreless outings in a row (7.1 IP, 5 H, 2 BB, 6 K) end in May 5
 Tossed 3.0 scoreless frames in a bullpen day start on 5/13 vs. Harrisburg

2026: Named to Altoona's Opening Day roster...

2025: Returned to the mound on June 13 after missing 2024 recovering from a bck injury... Made 4 appearances in the FCL and 2 scoreless appearances with Bradenton while on minor league rehab assignment... Joined Greensboro on July 6 and went 1-0, with a 2.66 ERA in 20.1 IP, 11 H, 6 R, 3 BB, 17 K (.155 BAA) ... Tossed 1.2 scoreless innings in G2 loss @ Brooklyn...

CURVE CUTS: Joshua Stephen Loeschorn... Born in Ridgewood, NJ, attended Butler HS which is approximately 45 minutes north of the Somerset Patriots... Selected as the Northeast Conference Pitcher of the Year and to the All-NEC 1st team as a senior at Long Island... His 11 wins that season were the 2nd-most in a single season in program history... In 2019, was selected as the East Coast Conference Pitcher of the Year, ECC Rookie of the Year and to the All-ECC 1st team after posting a Division II-best 0.74 WHIP as a freshman at LIU Post (Brookville, NY)...

RECENT APPEARANCES					
DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	NOTES	
5/1 VS RIC G2	--	2.2, 1, 0/0, 0/1	37/25	ALLOWED 2 INHERITED RUNNERS IN, SET DOWN 7 STRAIGHT AFTER	
5/6 @ CHE	--	2.0, 6, 8/8, 1/0	59/31	FINISHED 4TH INNING FOR ERCOLANI, ALLOWED 3R HR IN 5TH OF 19-4 L	
5/13 VS HBG	--	3.0, 1, 0/0, 3/1	57/311	STRANDED A BASERUNNER IN EACH INNING	

#23 Noah Murdock

RHP



Vitals: 6-7, 234, 8/20/98 (27)
Pitch Selection: Sinker (93-96), Cutter, Sweeper, Splitter
Hometown: Richmond, VA
Acquired: MiLB Free Agent (2026)
Trending:

2026: Pitched in 4G for Bradenton: 0-1, 2.08 ERA with 4 H allowed, 2 BB and 4 K... Joined ALT on 4/28...

2025: Made the Opening Day roster for the Athletics as a Rule V pick, went 1-1 with a 13.24 RA (25 ER / 17.0 IP) in 14 games... Walked 20 and struck out 21 before he was returned to the Royals through the Rule V... Made 16 appearances with Triple-A Omaha and recorded a 6.00 ERA (14 ER / 21.0 IP) before going on the IL on July 14 and missing the rest of the season...

CURVE CUTS: Noah James Murdock... Graduated from Colonial Heights HS (VA), was also recognized as the Virginia State Player of the Year in Volleyball in 2016... Was picked in the 38th round by the Washington Nationals in 2016 but did not sign... Arrived on campus in the summer of 2016 at UVA with a partial tear in his ulnar collateral ligament and pitched through the injury, was named to the ACC's All-Freshman Team in 2017... Underwent Tommy John surgery on June 1, 2017 and returned to the mound on April 11, 2018, less than 12 months after surgery... Shared a staff with future top prospects Griff McGarry and Mike Vasil, along with 2026 Curve LHP Brandon Neeck... Was a 7th round selection of the Royals in 2019 out of UVA...

RECENT APPEARANCES					
DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	NOTES	
5/5 @ CHE	W (1-1)	2.0, 3, 2/2, 0/1	30/20	ALLOWED 2R HR TO BUTTERWORTH, SET DOWN SIDE 1-2-3 IN 6TH	
5/8 @ CHE	--	2.0, 1, 0/0, 0/5	41/25	K'D FIRST 3 AND LAST 2 HITTERS IN DOMINANT OUTING	
5/12 VS HBG	S (1)	1.0, 0, 0/0, 1/0	18/10	STRANDED TYING RUN ON 3RD IN 9TH TO SECURE 1-0 WIN	

#22 Cy Nielson

LHP



Vitals: 6-3, 210, 2/25/01 (25)
Pitch Selection: Fastball (91-95), Slider, Curveball, Changeup
Hometown: Spanish Fork, UT
Acquired: 8th Round, 2022 (BYU)
Trending: 62G w/ ALT in '24 - Present: 6-4, 4.81 ERA (51 ER / 95.1 IP), 101 H, 55 BB, 115 K
 Unscored upon in 11-of-12 outings this season ... Has tossed 14.1 consecutive scoreless IP across last 9 games

2026: Named to Pirates Spring Breakout roster and recorded final two outs of the 2nd inning in relief of Zander Mueth...

2025: Spent the entire season with Altoona... Ranked third on the team with 38 appearances (2 starts)... Ranked fifth among left-handed Eastern League relievers with 63 strikeouts... Was unscored upon in first five outings of August...

CURVE CUTS: Cy Ballard Nielson... Signed by scout Derrick Van Dusen... Signed with the Pirates for \$193,200... Named the 2019 Gatorade Utah Player of the Year as a senior at Spanish Fork High School... Spanish Fork is part of the Orem-Provo metro area, about 50 minutes south of Salt Lake City... Father, Damian, played baseball at Southern Utah... Became the second BYU Cougar to be selected by the Pirates, joining INF Vance Law, who was taken in the 1978 MLB Draft by the Pirates and played in 11 Major League seasons... Married his wife, Lo, in the '24-25 off-season, the two have a golden retriever named Gibby... Lo was a left-handed pitcher on BYU's Softball team... The highlight of the wedding was a fountain tower of ranch which guests enjoyed with Chick-Fil-A chicken nuggets... Lo and Cy run an instagram account @goldengibby1 which chronicles the journey of their 4-year-old golden retriever... Also enjoys hunting in the off-season...

RECENT APPEARANCES					
DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	NOTES	
5/5 @ CHE	S (2)	1.0, 2, 0/0, 0/1	20/13	STRANDED TYING RUN AT 3RD TO EARN SAVE	
5/10 @ CHE	--	2.1, 0, 0/0, 2/4	37/21	BB, RETIRED 7 STRAIGHT, BB - CHAPMAN FINISHED 7-1 WIN	
5/14 VS HBG G2	--	2.0, 3, 0/0, 0/3	30/22	SET DOWN 4 STRAIGHT HITTERS AFTER 2 1B'S TO START 4TH	

ALTOONA CURVE PITCHER NOTES

#7 Jake Shirk

RHP



Vitals: 6-2, 200, 6/5/02 (23)
Pitch Selection: Fastball (90-93), Slider, Changeup
Hometown: Leo, IN
Acquired: 18th Round, 2024 (Wright State)
Trending:

2026: Named to Greensboro's Opening Day roster, tossed 8.0 scoreless innings with 9 strikeouts... Transferred to IND on 4/19, returned to GBO on 4/21, joined ALT on 4/24...

2025: Split the season evenly between Bradenton and Greensboro... Totaled a 6-3 record with a 4.08 ERA in 41 games, had 6 saves - all with Bradenton... Walked just 15 batters in 57.1 IP with 51 strikeouts...

Pitched perfect innings of relief in both of Greensboro's Perfect Games, thrown 9 days apart in July... Struck out 6 in 2.0 innings in the first one (with Christian Curtis, Mike Walsh) and struck out 1 in 1.0 inning in the second (Hung-Lent Chang, Josh Loeschorn, Jarod Bayless)...

CURVE CUTS: Jacob Paul Shirk (Jake)... Signed with the Pirates for a bonus of \$25,000... Attended Carroll High School in Fort Wayne, IN... Was a 2x All Horizon League selection in college... College teammate Andrew Patrick was drafted by the Pirates in the 17th round in 2024, one round ahead of Shirk... Nearly threw a no-hitter in college, on April 29, 2023 against Oakland, he allowed an infield single and struck out 14 on his way to throwing a one-hitter with no walks... Had his senior year of high school baseball cancelled because of COVID-19... Attended Fort Wayne Tincaps games (SD, High-A) as a kid...

		RECENT APPEARANCES		
DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	NOTES
5/6 @ CHE	--	1.1, 2, 1/1, 0/0	22/15	ALLOWED 1B, 3B TO BEGIN OUTING, RETIRED NEXT 4 HITTERS
5/10 @ CHE	W (1-0)	2.0, 0, 0/0, 0/2	21/15	SET DOWN ALL 6 HITTERS FACED IN SUNDAY W
5/14 VS HBG G2*	--	3.0, 2, 0/0, 0/1	29/21	STARTED BULLPEN GM, GOT DP BALL IN 2ND

#24 Landon Tomkins

RHP



Vitals: 6-2, 224, 6/23/00 (25)
Pitch Selection: Fastball (91-95), Sinker, Slider, Changeup
Hometown: Brandon, MS
Acquired: 10th Round, 2023 (Louisiana Tech.)
Trending: Has walked 7 batters in his last 9 outings (14.1 IP) ... Had a 9.1 inning scoreless streak end on 5/2 vs RIC

2026: Named to Altoona's Opening Day roster...

2025: Began the season with High-A Greensboro, went 6-3 with a 2.47 ERA in 39 games... Held opponents to a .184 batting average against in GBO... Promoted to Altoona on August 12 and finished the season with 10G, going 2-0 with a 2.84 ERA in 12.2 IP... Set down all six hitters he faced as the first reliever after Wilber Dotel in Game One of the Southwest Division Series vs Erie...

Set career-highs in innings pitched (60.0), strikeouts (57), appearances (49), and hits allowed (50)... His 49 appearances were tied for third among Pirates farmhands... Ranked 9th in the South Atlantic League in games (39)... Walked only 8 batters in his last 20 outings of the season (26.0 IP)...

CURVE CUTS: Landon James Tomkins... Signed with the Pirates for a bonus of \$15,000... Graduated from Northwest Rankin High School in Flowood, Mississippi... Tabbed a Preseason All-American and All-District as a junior, serving as the closer in his junior and senior seasons... Parents are Larry and Tracy Tomkins... Has one younger sister, Ansley... Was the 79th player to be drafted in Louisiana Tech history, became the fourth to be drafted to Pittsburgh (first since Mike Jefferson in 2011)... Is a self-described computer nerds, has built computers from scratch...

		RECENT APPEARANCES		
DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	NOTES
5/7 @ CHE	--	1.0, 0, 0/0, 1/0	21/12	INHERITED 3 ON, 0 OUT, 2 SCORED ON GROUND BALL OUTS IN 4-3 L
5/10 @ CHE	W (2-1)	2.0, 0, 0/0, 2/2	32/14	FOLLOWED WIETGREFF (4.0 IP, 1 R) IN 7-1 WIN
5/13 VS HBG	--	1.0, 2, 3/1, 2/1	33/20	WALKED FIRST 2 HITTERS IN 8TH

#39 Mike Walsh

RHP



Vitals: 6-2, 197, 1/17/01 (25)
Pitch Selection: Fastball (93-96), Slider, Changeup
Hometown: La Grange, IL
Acquired: 9th Round, 2022 (Yale University)
Trending:

2026: Opened the season on the IL (oblique)... Tossed 3 scoreless outings on rehab in the FCL and Bradenton... Activated to ALT on 5/15...

2025: Finished the season T-2nd in appearances in PIT MiLB (49)... Ranked 3rd in the org in saves (8)...

Began the season with Greensboro and went 4-1 with a 2.76 ERA in 38 games, earned 7 saves... His 7 saves were 3rd-most among PIT MiLB... Tossed 2.0 scoreless in playoff clincher on 9/7... Pitched in a pair of postseason games and earned the Win in Game One of the Southwest Division series against Erie... Struck out 4 batters in 4.0 playoff innings... Altoona was 9-2 in his 11 regular season appearances... Improved his first strike% from 38.4% in 2024 to 47.6%...

CURVE CUTS: Michael James Walsh (Mike)... Signed with the Pirates for a bonus of \$147,500... In 2022, earned All-Ivy League honorable mention recognition after striking out 80 batters across 11 starts (65.0ip) as a junior at Yale... Became one of 9 players in Yale history to be selected within the draft's first 10 rounds... Attended Lyons Township High School (La Grange, IL), the same school that produced actor David Hasselhoff, as well as two-time Super Bowl-winner and 2021 Pro Bowl kicker Jake Elliott... Noted that some of his favorite players growing up were Chris Sale and Bobby Jenks...

		RECENT APPEARANCES		
DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	NOTES
5/5 VS FCL-T	--	1.0, 0, 0/0, 0/1	18/11	
5/9 @ DUN	--	2.0, 0, 0/0, 0/2	21/17	
5/13 VS FTM	--	1.1, 0, 0/0, 0/2	15/11	

#17 Jaden Woods

LHP



Vitals: 6-2, 205, 2/1/02 (24)
Pitch Selection: Fastball (92-95), Sinker, Slider, Changeup
Hometown: Warner Robins, GA
Acquired: 7th Round, 2023 (Univ. of Georgia)
Trending: From his team debut (6/22/2024) to today, his 135 strikeouts in 110.0 IP are the most by a Double-A reliever... Tossed a career-long 3.0 scoreless IP on 5/10 at CHE

2026: Named to Altoona's Opening Day roster...

2025: Spent the entire season with Altoona, led the team with 44 appearances, 3rd most in the EL... His 68 K's were 3rd-most among LH relievers in the Eastern League... Did not appear in SWDS vs Erie after allowing 11R across his final 6 outings (8.1 IP)... Held LHB to a .691 OPS, RHB accumulated an .848 OPS... After the season pitched in the Arizona Fall League...

CURVE CUTS: Jaden Chance Woods... Signed with the Pirates for a bonus of \$271,300... Born in Macon, GA, raised in Alpharetta, GA and moved to Warner Robins, GA when he was in 8th grade... Earned a degree in Sport Management in just three years, an area that his parents harped on while he was growing up; to be a good student... Told Andrew Destin of the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette that he didn't begin playing baseball until he was in 8th grade after he moved to Warner Robins, GA and they didn't have a lacrosse team he could join so he had to find a new sport to play. Played football, basketball, soccer and baseball the most and stuck with it... Was convinced by a friend of his, Jeremy White, to pick up a baseball after noticing how strong his arm was playing quarterback... Began playing travel ball as a sophomore in high school and earned a scholarship offer from Georgia State where he was committed to until his junior year when he committed to Georgia...

		RECENT APPEARANCES		
DATE	DEC.	IP, H, R/ER, BB/K	PITCHES/STRIKES	NOTES
5/2 VS RIC	--	1.0, 1, 0/0, 0/3	21/12	K'D 3 IN A ROW AFTER LEADOFF SINGLE
5/7 @ CHE	L (0-1)	0.0, 0, 0/0, 3/0	14/2	ENTERED W/ 3-2 LEAD IN 8TH
5/10 @ CHE	--	3.0, 0, 0/0, 0/3	44/28	SET DOWN ALL 9 HITTERS FACED

ALTOONA CURVE POSITION PLAYER NOTES

#5 Omar Alfonso

C

Hometown: Minneapolis, MN
Acquired: MiLB FA (2019)
Vitals: 6-1, 235, 8/3/03 (22)
Bat/Throw: L/R
Multi-Hit Games (ALT): 3
Multi-RBI Games (ALT): 4

DATE	LINE	NOTES	RECENT NOTEABLE PERFORMANCES
4/11 @ RIC	1-3, 2B, 3 RBI, BB	SMACKED GM-TYING 3 RBI 2B IN 6TH INNING	
4/23 @ HBG	1-2, 3 BB, RBI	SCORED 3 RUNS IN 11-2 WIN	
4/26 @ HBG	1-1, 2B, RBI	PINCH-HIT RBI 2B IN 9TH INNING TOOK 5-4 LEAD AND EARNED SERIES WIN FOR ALT AT HBG	
5/1 VS RIC G1	1-3, 2B, 3 RBI	KNOCKED GO-AHEAD 3R 2B IN 6TH INNING OF 5-4 WIN IN 7 INNINGS	

Trending: Has reached base safely in 22-of-28 games played ... Has struck out at least 1x in 9-of-10G in May (15K in 36 AB)

- **2026:** Named to the Pirates Spring Breakout Roster... Was invited to Pirates spring training as a non-roster player... Enters the season as the No. 13 prospect in the system according to Baseball America, No. 17 according to MLB Pipeline...

- **2025:** Entered the season as the No. 18 prospect in the Pirates minor league system according to Baseball America... Began the season with Greensboro and finished with Altoona... Finished the season 6th among PIT MiLB in HR (14), most by a catcher... Ranked 10th among all minor league catchers in HR, also ranked 16th among catchers in hits (98)... At the time of his promotion to ALT on 7/1, ranked 7th in the SAL in HR (11), 10th in OBP% (.389), 4th in BB (44) in 67G... Batted a combined .243 (98-for-404) with 18 doubles, 14 HR, 56 RBI, 63 BB and 56 runs scored across his 116 games split between Greensboro and Altoona... Homered in back-to-back games for the Curve on July 4 and 5 at Harrisburg... Rocked a go-ahead 3-run homer on September 3 vs Richmond in an 8-7 win...

- **CURVE CUTS:** Omar Eliezer Alfonso... Father Eliezer played 6 major league seasons with San Francisco, San Diego, Seattle and Colorado from 2006-11... Older brother, Eliezer, is a catcher in the Tigers minor league system and has played against Altoona with Erie... Omar was born while his father was playing for the St. Paul Saints in the Northern League in 2003... Father played nearly 2000 career games between the majors, affiliated minors, independent leagues and various winter leagues... His father, Eliezer, is a second cousin of former Met Edgardo Alfonzo... Eliezer is now a coach with Leones de Yucatan in the Mexican League... Has a close relationship with RHP Antwone Kelly, the two were signed together in 2019 and have been teammates in each season entering 2026...

#28 Derek Berg

C

Hometown: Conroe, TX
Acquired: 10th Round (2024, Army)
Vitals: 6-3, 200, 9/21/01 (24)
Bat/Throw: R/R
Multi-Hit Games (ALT): 3
Multi-RBI Games (ALT): 3

DATE	LINE	NOTES	RECENT NOTEABLE PERFORMANCES
4/10 @ RIC	2-4, HR, RBI	SLMACKED SOLO HR IN 5TH INNING OF 11-2 LOSS	
4/11 @ RIC	1-1, 2 RBI	ENTERED AS PINCH-RUNNER IN 8TH, HAD GO-AHEAD 1B IN 10TH OF 9-8 LOSS	
4/23 @ HBG	2-4, RBI, BB	DREW BASES LOADED WALK IN 3RD INNING OF 11-2 WIN	
5/5 @ CHE	1-4, 3B, 2 RBI	HAD GO-AHEAD HIT TO RF CORNER IN 7TH INNING OF 4-3 WIN	

Trending: Reached base safely in 22-of-27G played for ALT... Has a hit in 8 of last 10G with 6 RBI

- **2026:** Was a Non-Roster Invite to Pirates Spring Training, went 3-for-9 with a home run in six games...

- **2025:** Split the season between Bradenton (52G), Greensboro (27G) and Altoona (9G) hit a combined .230 (65-for-282) with 11 2B, 4 3B, 7 HR, 37 RBI, 49 BB, 10 SB and 44 runs in 88G... Joined ALT on 8/19... Went 2-for-4 with a 2B and a run in his Double-A debut on 8/21 vs. Reading... Also appeared in one of the Curve's three postseason games against Erie... Had four multi-hit games in nine regular season games played for the Curve... Ranked T-7th among Pirates farmhands in walks... Caught the first combined Perfect Game with Greensboro and played 1B for the second...

- **CURVE CUTS:** Attended Army West Point, where he was a three-time All-Patriot League first team selection... Signed with the Pirates for a \$172,500 signing bonus... Graduated from West Point on May 26, 2024 in front of President Joe Biden... Became the 21st West Point graduate to be selected in an MLB Draft and first since OF Jacob Hurtubise was selected by Seattle in 2019... Became the third highest-selected Army player since LHP Nick Hull was taken in the 7th round by Seattle in 2007... Became the third Army player to be drafted by the Pirates, joining Chris Simmons (41st round, 2008) and Cole White (42nd round, 2008)... Became the first Army catcher to sign with an MLB organization since Jon Rosoff, who played in the Tigers organization from 2018-2023... Played at Army with his younger brother Andrew, who is a right-handed pitcher who will graduate this summer... Served as a Cadet in Company G4 and branched field artillery at Army... Currently in the inactive reserves as a specialist, plans to honor a five-year service commitment following his playing career... Learned baseball growing up attending Houston Astros games with his Dad... Began catching at age nine... Had offers from Lamar University, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, and University of Pennsylvania in addition to Army West Point... Great Grandfather served in World War II... Has developed close relationship with Konnor Griffin since being drafted in 2024... The two were promoted together from Bradenton to Greensboro and from Greensboro to Altoona in 2025 and were roommates... Berg has helped Griffin with several "off the field life skills" such as grocery shopping, cooking breakfast, grilling steaks, and watching the Harry Potter movies... Told Dawn Klemish of MLB.com that he purchased a grill set for Griffin as a wedding gift, and that the two would often play MLB The Show, where Berg chose to play as Griffin's character and intentionally piled up bad stats to bring him back down to Earth...

#37 Ivan Brethowr

OF

Hometown: Matthews, NC
Acquired: Trade, 2025 (CHC Taylor Rogers)
Vitals: 6-6, 250, 2/27/03 (23)
Bat/Throw: R/R
Multi-Hit Games (ALT): 0
Multi-RBI Games (ALT): 0

DATE	LINE	NOTES	RECENT NOTEABLE PERFORMANCES
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Trending: Had a hit 7-of-12 games with Bradenton and Greensboro to begin the year

- **2026:** Began the season on the IL, was sent to Bradenton on Minor League rehab on April 19 and activated to Greensboro's roster on April 30... Was a single shy of the cycle on May 8 against Greenville... Joined ALT on 5/14...

- **2025:** Split the season between South Bend (Cubs) and Greensboro (PIT), totaling a .223 average, 6 HR, 34 RBI, 30-34 SB... Traded to the Pirates in exchange for LHP Taylor Rogers on July 31... Recorded a .417 OBP in 21G with Greensboro after the trade...

- **CURVE CUTS:** Ivan Christopher Brethowr (Ivan)... Originally was a 7th round selection of the Chicago Cubs in 2024 out of UC Santa Barbara... Signed with the Cubs for a bonus of \$245,000... Attended St. Thomas Aquinas HS in Overland Park, Kansas and played his freshman season at Arizona State in 2022 (one season prior to Khristian Curtis arriving) before transfer to UCSB... Was 2x All-Big West 1st Team selection at UCSB... Was teammates with RHP Matt Ager in college, with Greensboro and Altoona this season...

#13 Keiner Delgado

INF

Hometown: Guarenas, Venezuela
Acquired: Trade, 2024 (NYY - JT Brubaker)
Vitals: 5-10, 165, 1/5/04 (22)
Bat/Throw: S/R
Multi-Hit Games (ALT): 5
Multi-RBI Games (ALT): 2

DATE	LINE	NOTES	RECENT NOTEABLE PERFORMANCES
4/23 @ HBG	2-5, HR, 5 RBI	2ND CAREER GRAND SLAM IN 7TH INNING, CAREER-HIGH 5 RBI	
4/30 VS RIC	2-4, 2 BB, 3 RBI	RECORDED A GAME-TYING 1B IN 9TH	
5/6 @ CHE	2-3, 2B, BB, RBI	REACHED IN FIRST 3 PA'S OF 19-4 LOSS	
5/13 VS HBG	3-4, 2B, BB	REACHED IN FINAL 4 PA'S	

Trending: 23 H, 21 BB, 4-5 SB, 17 K in 27 games ... Last 18G: .333/.440/.508 (.948 OPS) with 5 2B, 2 HR, 13 RBI

- **2026:** Named to the Pirates Spring Breakout roster... Named to the Curve's Opening Day roster... Drew a career-high 4 BB and stole 3 bases in his Double-A debut on 4/2 vs. HBG... Had a career-high 5 RBI and a Grand Slam on 4/23 at HBG...

- **2025:** Spent the entire season with High-A Greensboro... Ranked 5th among Pirates minor leaguers in games played... Also ranked tied for seventh in the South Atlantic League in home runs, tied for eighth in RBI, second in OBP, ninth in slugging, fourth in OPS (.759) and hits, and third in total bases (165) and runs scored... His 14 home runs were a career-high and were 3rd-most among Grasshoppers... Was second on the team in RBI (59) and SB (24), led the team in hits (103)... Posed an .833 OPS batting left-handed, .431 right-handed... Played 61 games at 2B, 40 at 3B, 10 at SS and 9 as DH for Greensboro...

- **CURVE CUTS:** Keiner Johan Delgado... Signed with the Yankees for a bonus of \$100,000... Hometown Guarenas is the neighboring town to Guatire, where 2021 Curve Manager Miguel Perez hails from (now serves as MLB Bullpen Coach for Pirates)... Other MLB players from Guarenas including OF Juan Rivera, INF Henry Blanco and NYY INF Oswaldo Cabrera... Was named an DSL mid-season and post-season All-Star with the Yankees in 2022, also was an MiLB.com Organizaion All-Star... Was named an FCL post-season All-Star in 2023 and was fourth in the Yankees system in stolen bases... Played for Caracas in the Venezuelan Winter League in the 2023-24 off-season...

ALTOONA CURVE POSITION PLAYER NOTES

#10 Samuel Escudero

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Hometown: Guatire, Venezuela
Acquired: Trade, 2021 (MIL - Troy Stokes Jr.)
Vitals: 5-10, 155, 2/27/04 (22)
Bat/Throw: R/R
Multi-Hit Games (ALT): 0
Multi-RBI Games (ALT): 0

DATE	LINE	NOTES	RECENT NOTEABLE PERFORMANCES

Trending: Made his Double-A debut on the mound on 5/13 (1.0 IP, 1 H, 1 R, 1 BB, 1 K), went 0-3, 2 K in G2 of DH on 5/14 vs HBG

- **2026:** Suited up for Bradenton and Indianapolis before joining ALT on 5/13... Made his Double-A debut on the mound with 1.0 inning pitched vs. HBG...
- **2025:** Played 25G for the FCL Pirates and batted .167 (10-for-6) with 1 2B, 1 HR, 10 RBI...
- **CURVE CUTS:** Samuel Eduardo Escudero... Acquired from Milwaukee in exchange for OF Troy Stokes, Jr. with Jandel Gustave on June 25, 2021... Guatire is the same hometown as former Curve Manager Miguel Perez...

#27 Titus Dumitru

OF

Hometown: Gresham, OR
Acquired: Trade, 2025 (ATL - Hunter Stratton)
Vitals: 6-1, 225, 5/17/03 (22)
Bat/Throw: R/R
Multi-Hit Games (ALT): 4
Multi-RBI Games (ALT): 1

DATE	LINE	NOTES	RECENT NOTEABLE PERFORMANCES
4/7 @ RIC	2-3, HR, RBI, BB		HIT 1ST HR IN CARMAX PARK HISTORY, REACHED IN 3 OF 4 PA'S
4/18 VS POR	1-3, HR, RBI		SOLO HR IN 5TH WAS 1ST BASERUNNER FOR CURVE IN 2-0 W OVER PORTLAND
4/22 @ HBG	1-5, HR, RBI		2ND STRAIGHT GM W/ HR

Trending: Batted .256 in 11G in April, matched team-lead with 5 HR

- **2026:** Named to the Pirates Spring Breakout roster, played four innings in left field and finished 0-for-1... Named to the Curve's Opening Day roster...
- **2025:** Began season with High-A Rome in Atlanta's system... Hit .231 (58-for-251) with 9 2B, 2 2B, and 3 HR in 64 games... Recorded a career-long 11-game hitting streak from May 10 - May 22... Traded to Pittsburgh for RHP Hunter Stratton on July 1 after Stratton was designated for assignment by the Pirates... Assigned to High-A Greensboro and remained in the South Atlantic League... Hit .245 (39-for-159) in final 43 games of the season, hitting 7 2B, 1 3B, and 6 HR... Totaled 55 RBI between Rome and Greensboro...
- **CURVE CUTS:** Titus Jon Dumitru... Signed with Atlanta for a \$150,000 bonus... Son of Daniel and Natalie Dumitru, father is a hotel bellman and shuttle driver, mother is a housekeeper... His father hails from Romania and immigrated to the United States before Titus was born... Dad settled in Los Angeles originally and Titus grew up a Los Angeles sports fan as a kid... Lists his Dad as his biggest baseball influence... Lists his favorite players growing up was Justin Turner and Clayton Kershaw... Graduated from Barlow (OR) High School in 2021, had his Junior season in high school cancelled because of COVID-19 and spent the time working out with Oregon State University baseball players such as Adley Rutschman, Steven Kwan and Trevor Larnach, Cooper Hummel and Drew Rasmussen were also pitchers in the pacific northwest that he hit off of during COVID times... Spent 2 years at Linn Benton Community College in Oregon and 1 season at New Mexico State before his selection by Atlanta... Hit .337 with 12 HR and 40 RBI in his lone season with New Mexico State... Can also play the piano and lists his favorite golf courses played as Poipu Bay in Hawaii or Pinehurst No. 5...

#10 Duce Gourson

INF

Hometown: San Diego, CA
Acquired: 9th Round, 2024 (UCLA)
Vitals: 6-0, 200, 9/20/02 (23)
Bat/Throw: L/R
Multi-Hit Games (ALT): 4
Multi-RBI Games (ALT): 4

DATE	LINE	NOTES	RECENT NOTEABLE PERFORMANCES
4/22 @ HBG	3-4, 2B, RBI, BB		REACHED IN FIRST 4 PA'S OF 6-1 W AT HARRISBURG
4/28 VS RIC	2-5, HR, RBI		HIT BACK END OF B2B HR W/ TRIPOLO IN 5TH INNING OF 10-9 WIN
5/12 VS HBG	1-3, HR, RBI		SOLO HR IN 5TH WAS ONLY RUN OF 1-0 CURVE WIN

Trending: 12G On-base (4/21 - 5/8): .442 OBP (10 H, 12 BB, 15 K)

- **2026:** Enters the season rated by MLB Pipeline as the Pirates' No. 29 prospect... Was a non-roster invitee to Pirates Spring Training... Named to Pirates Spring Breakout roster, started the game at third base, playing five innings and finishing 0-for-2 with a walk...
- **2025:** Was recognized as the Omar Moreno Baserunner of the Year in the Pirates system after ranking seventh among a Pittsburgh minor league players in stolen bases and was only caught stealing three times... Batted a combined .275 (92-for-335) with 21 2B, 10 HR, 38 RBI, 40 walks, 31 stolen bases, 56 runs scored and an .809 OPS in 95 regular-season games split between Greensboro and Altoona... Assigned to Greensboro to begin the season, was on the IL from May 11-May 30... Joined Altoona on June 24... Smacked a walk-off 2B on July 19 vs. Akron... Changed from #6 to #10 on 8/6... Had a career-long 12-game hitting streak from 8/15-9/3 (the longest of any Curve batter during the season) where he hit .404 (19-for-47)... Collected a career-high four hits on September 12 at Erie... Was named EL Player of the Week on 9/15 after batting .417 with 5 XBH and 5 RBI in 6G vs. Erie...
- **CURVE CUTS:** Ethan Royal Gourson (Duce)... Attended Point Loma HS in San Diego... Signed with the Pirates for a bonus of \$187,500... Has played 1B, 2B and 3B since signing with Pittsburgh... Suited up for the Team USA's Collegiate National Team and participated in the Stars vs. Stripes intersquad, reached in 11-of-20 plate appearances in the summer of 2023... Was UCLA's primary second baseman from 2022-24, and posted a career .300/.435/.482 slash line over 168 career games with 49 2B, 21 HR, 119 RBIs, 117 BB, and 37 HBPs... Was a Freshman All-American in 2022 after collecting 23 doubles, a program record for a freshman... Named to the All-Pac-12 Team in 2023 after recording career highs in batting (.319), slugging (.515), and home runs... His favorite player at age 10 was Troy Tulowitzki... His hidden talent is that he can juggle...

#41 P.J. Hilson

OF

Hometown: Jonesboro, AR
Acquired: MiLB Rule V, 2023 (SFG)
Vitals: 5-10, 175, 6/25/00 (25)
Bat/Throw: R/R
Multi-Hit Games (ALT): 1
Multi-RBI Games (ALT): 1

DATE	LINE	NOTES	RECENT NOTEABLE PERFORMANCES

Trending: Is 1-for-20 with IND and ALT in May

- **2026:** Named to Altoona's Opening Day roster... Transferred to IND on 4/30
- **2025:** Began the season with Greensboro and finished with Altoona... Batted .259 with 5 2B, 11 HR, 35 RBI and 10-13 SB in 60G w/ Greensboro... Batted .309 with a .985 OPS in 16G in July w/ GBO Transferred to ALT on 8/6... Changed number for #6 to #46 on August 10... Made a diving catch on 9/2 vs Harrisburg that was the ranked 9th on SportsCenter's Top Ten on Sept. 3... Hit .271 (19-for-70) with Altoona in 23G including playoffs...
- **CURVE CUTS:** Patrick Johnathan (P.J.) Hilson... Was committed to play baseball at Alabama before signing with the Giants... During the cancelled 2020 season, Hilson, a stand out track and field star, juggled professional baseball with college track & field, running for Arkansas State in the 2020-21 indoor season... Competed in the 60m and 200m at the Sun Belt Conference Championships... Enrolled at Arkansas State pursuing a Bachelor's degree in Kinesiology and Exercise Science... Brother Kyle Clemons is an Olympic Gold Medalist track and field sprinter who specializes in the 400-meter dash... Clemons was the 2014 champion at the USA Indoor Track and Field Championships and won gold medals at the World Championships in Beijing in 2015 and at the Olympics in Rio de Janeiro in 2016 on the 4 x 400m relay... Mother Valarie Hilson competed in track for Arkansas State... Brother Nick Hilson competed in track for Arkansas... Hit .402 in 33 games with 35 hits, 36 runs scored, 12 2B, 2 3B, 6 HR, 34 RBI and 23 SB in his senior season at Nettleton High School in 2018... Drafted by the San Francisco Giants in the 6th round (166th overall) of the 2018 First-Year Player Draft out of Nettleton (AR) High School... Signed on June 17, 2018... Selected by the Pittsburgh Pirates in the fourth round of the Minor League phase of the 2023 Rule V Draft... Re-signed as an MiLB FA on 2/10/25 and again 2/21/26...

ALTOONA CURVE POSITION PLAYER NOTES

#25 Callan Moss

INF

Hometown: Brooklyn, NY
Acquired: Trade 2025 (KC - Bailey Falter)
Vitals: 6-2, 225, 8/31/03 (22)
Bat/Throw: R/R
Multi-Hit Games (ALT): 6
Multi-RBI Games (ALT): 2

DATE	LINE	NOTES	RECENT NOTEABLE PERFORMANCES
4/4 VS HBG	2-5, HR, RBI	1ST AA HR WAS 109 EXIT/409 FT TO LF	
4/8 @ RIC	1-1, 2B, RBI, 3 BB	REACHED IN ALL 4 PLATE APPEARANCES	
4/17 VS POR	2-4, 2 RBI	HAD RBI 1B IN 1ST AND 5TH INNINGS	
4/26 @ HBG	3-4, 2B	1ST 3H GAME OF SZN	

Trending: Has reached base in 27-of-33 games played (27 H, 16 BB)

- **2026:** Named to Altoona's Opening Day roster...
 - **2025:** Spent the entire season at High-A, beginning the season with Quad Cities (Kansas City) and finishing with Greensboro (Pittsburgh)... Acquired by the Pirates on July 31 along with LHP Evan Sisk... Made his Greensboro debut on 8/2... Was named the South Atlantic League Player of the Week for the week of 8/4-10... Was named the SAL Player of the Month for August, led the league in batting, OBP, slugging and OPS (.993) from the time of his Greensboro debut through the end of the season... Also ranked T-1st in the league in home runs, second in hits, extra-base hits (14) and total bases (64) and tied for fifth in RBI and doubles during that time... Went 4-for-7 with 1 HR, 2 RBI and 1 BB in 2 postseason games for GBO...
 - **CURVE CUTS:** Michael Callan Moss (Callan)... Began his collegiate career at Seton Hall and played two seasons (36 games total) before transferring to Division II St. Leo University, a Sunshine State Conference school, in Florida for the 2024 season... Played summer collegiate baseball in the Appalachian League each summer from 2022-24... Was the Appalachian League Player of the Year in 2024 after his season with Danville... Attended Berkeley Carroll School in Brooklyn, NY where he was a two-year captain and was the leader of the Physics of Baseball Club... Has two cousins who played in the NFL; Cedric Peerman, was drafted by the Baltimore Ravens in 2009 and played ten seasons in the NFL, and Donald Brown, who played at the University of Connecticut and seven seasons in the NFL after he was selected 27th overall in the 2009 draft by the Indianapolis Colts... Learned to play the Trumpet at age 10, can also juggle (has not tried doing them at the same time)... His favorite player at age 10 was Derek Jeter... Is bilingual, learned spanish as a kid playing baseball with Dominican-born players in New York...

#6 Javier Rivas

INF

Hometown: Petare, Venezuela
Acquired: Int'l FA (2021)
Vitals: 6-6, 228, 9/1/02 (23)
Bat/Throw: R/R
Multi-Hit Games (ALT): 4
Multi-RBI Games (ALT):

DATE	LINE	NOTES	RECENT NOTEABLE PERFORMANCES
4/12 @ RIC	2-3, 2B, RBI	HAD ONLY 2H BY ALT IN 2-1 LOSS, DROVE IN GO-AHEAD RUN IN 5TH	
4/15 VS POR	2-5, HR, RBI		
4/23 @ HBG	2-4, HR, RBI, BB	HIT SOLO HR (108/451) AS B2B W/ DELGADO GRAND SLAM IN 7TH INNING OF 11-2 WIN	

Trending: Ranked 2nd among PIT MiLB in HR (21) in '25

- **2026:** Named to Altoona's Opening Day roster...
 - **2025:** Split the season between High-A Greensboro and Double-A Altoona... Led the South Atlantic League in RBI (72) and OPS (.780) across 94 games... Also ranked 5th in the South Atlantic League in batting, T-3rd in home runs, 2nd in slugging, 9th in extra-base hits (32), and 5th in total bases (163)... Ranked T-2nd among Pirates farmhands in home runs (21) and RBI (86) and first in games played (125)... Led all qualified hitters in Greensboro in batting average... Set a career-high with five RBI on April 18 vs Jersey Shore, finishing 4-for-6 with a home run... Recorded first multi-home run game of his career on April 23 at Bowling Green... Promoted from Greensboro to Altoona on August 5... Finished the season hitting .209 with 7 2B doubles and 3 HR in 31 games...
 - **CURVE CUTS:** Javier Rivas... Born in Petare, resides now in Caracas, Venezuela... Signed by Pirates International Scout Victor Alvarez... Was ranked as the No. 61 overall International prospect in the 2019-20 class by Baseball America...

#3 Lonnie White Jr.

OF

Hometown: Coatesville, PA
Acquired: Comp Round - B, 2021 (Malvern Prep, PA)
Vitals: 6-2, 226, 12/31/02 (23)
Bat/Throw: R/R
Multi-Hit Games (ALT): 1
Multi-RBI Games (ALT): 1

DATE	LINE	NOTES	RECENT NOTEABLE PERFORMANCES
5/6 @ CHE	2-4, HR, 3 RBI, SB	FIRST DOUBLE-A HR	

Trending: Had a hit in 16-of-23G with Greensboro to begin the year, leads PIT MiLB w/ 8 HR ... Has reached in 9-of-12 G with ALT: .244, 3 2B, 1 3B, 1 HR, 3 RBI (.685 OPS)

- **2026:** Named to Greensboro's Opening Day roster for the third straight season... Batted .298 with 2 2B, 1 3B, 7 HR and 19 RBI in 23G (.413 OBP, 1.008 OPS)... Recorded his first career multi-homer game on 4/23 vs. Rome... Joined ALT on 4/30...
 - **2025:** Spent the entire season at High-A Greensboro... Played in 82 games and raised his batting average to .220 from .167 the season before... Matched career-high with 11 doubles, added one triple and 12 home runs with 39 RBI... Recorded a career-high four hits on May 21 at Asheville... Recorded a career-high five runs scored on August 9 at Asheville... Struck out 118 times, 36% of his plate appearances... Set a career-high with 23 stolen bases, going 23-for-28 on the season...
 - **CURVE CUTS:** Lonnie Edward White Jr. (Lonnie)... Has missed extensive time with injuries as a professional, played just 9 games in his debut season, 2 games in 2022 because of elbow, hamstring and hip injuries... Played just 61 games in the FCL and with Bradenton in 2023 and hit .276... Batted .167 in 89 games for Greensboro in 2024... A three sport athlete in high school (baseball, basketball, football) at Malvern Prep in the Philadelphia suburbs... Committed to play baseball at Clemson before decommitting and committing to play baseball (outfield) and football (wide receiver) at Penn State... Signed for a bonus of \$1,500,000... Part of a 2021 draft class that saw the Pirates draft Henry Davis first overall, where he signed under slot, allowing them to go over slot to draft and sign Bubba Chandler (72nd overall), Anthony Solometo (37th overall) and White Jr. (62nd overall)... Was ranked by Baseball America as the No. 32 prospect in the 2021 draft... Was considered one of the fastest players in the 2021 draft and one of the top power prospects... Notable Malvern Prep alums include former Pirates infielder Phil Gosselin and former Padres catcher Ben Davis, Davis now works as an analyst on NBC Sports Philadelphia calling Phillies games... High School teammate Billy Corcoran played four seasons at Pitt and is now in the Diamondbacks farm system, reaching Triple-A in 2025... High School teammate Chris Newell played four seasons at the University of Virginia and was a 13th round selection in 2022 by the Dodgers, he reached Double-A in 2025... Took home the MVP award from the July Perfect Game 17U National Championship in 2020... Favorite players growing up included Chase Utley, Ryan Howard, Jason Werth, and Andrew McCutchen, who he shared a clubhouse with at Spring Training from 2023-2025...

MISCELLANEOUS TEAM INFORMATION

TRANSACTIONS

April - 15 Moves

April 2 Pirates set 28-man roster
 April 3 RHP Jarod Bayless transferred from ALT to IND
 April 5 INF Mike Jarvis transferred from ALT to IND
 April 10 RHP Jarod Bayless transferred from IND to ALT
 RHP Jaycob Deese transferred from GBO to ALT
 LHP Anthony Solometo placed on 7-Day IL
 April 14 INF Jack Brannigan activated from 7-Day IL
 April 19 RHP Brandon Neeck transferred from ALT to IND
 April 21 OF Mitch Jebb transferred from ALT to IND
 April 23 RHP Dominic Pipkin placed on 7-Day IL (Retro 4/21)
 April 24 RHP Jake Shirk transferred from GBO to ALT
 April 28 RHP Noah Murdock transferred from BRD to ALT
 INF Jared Triolo MLB Rehab transferred to ALT
 LHP Anthony Solometo transferred to 60-Day IL
 April 30 OF PJ Hilson transferred from ALT to IND
 OF Lonnie White Jr. transferred from GBO to ALT

May - 15 Moves

May 1 INF Jared Triolo end MLB Rehab
 May 3 RHP Alessandro Ercolani activated from 7-Day IL
 May 5 RHP Tyrone Yulie released from contract
 OF PJ Hilson transferred from IND to ALT
 INF Jesus Castillo placed on 7-Day IL (retro 5/4)
 LHP Anthony Solometo transferred to Full Season IL
 May 7 LHP Nick Dombkowski transferred from IND to ALT
 May 8 LHP Nick Dombkowski transferred from ALT to IND
 LHP Dominic Perachi placed on 7-Day IL (retro 5/6)
 RHP Po-Yu Chen placed on 7-Day IL (retro 5/7)
 May 12 RHP Jared Jones MLB Rehab transferred to ALT
 RHP Matt Ager transferred from GBO to ALT
 May 13 C Shawn Ross transferred from ALT to IND
 C Samuel Escudero transferred from IND to ALT
 May 14 OF Ivan Brethowr transferred from GBO to ALT

UNIVERSITY ORTHOPEDICS INJURY REPORT

Player	Injury	Placed (Retro)	Reinstated	Player	Injury	Placed (Retro)	Reinstated
Jack Brannigan	Nose	April 2	April 14	Dominic Perachi	Right Torso	May 8 (May 6)	--
Derek Diamond	Left Side	April 2	--	Po-Yu Chen	Left Shoulder	May 8 (May 7)	--
Alessandro Ercolani	Shoulder	April 2	May 3				
Mike Walsh	Oblique	April 2	--				
Anthony Solometo	Shoulder	April 10 (April 9)	--				
Dominic Pipkin	Shoulder	April 23 (April 21)	--				
Jesus Castillo	Hamstring	May 5 (May 4)	--				

ALTOONA CURVE COACHING STAFF

Andy Fox
Manager (2nd Season)
Career Record: 114-162

Andy Fox is the 16th manager in Curve history. Fox's coaching career has seen him serve in several roles, including time with the Rangers, Mariners, Marlins, and Red Sox. He spent the last 14 years in Boston's system, serving as the team's infield coordinator and first base coach. Prior to his time in Boston, Fox served as a first base coach for the Marlins and managed the Rangers Single-A Clinton team in 2006. Fox was drafted in the 2nd round of the 1989 Draft by the Yankees and won two World Series in his nine-year Major League career with New York (1996) and the Florida Marlins (2003) as an infielder.

Kevin Walker
Pitching Coach
1st season/16th overall

Walker is in his first season with Pittsburgh after 15 years in the Boston Red Sox system, culminating a 4-year run on the Red Sox major league staff. After sitting out 2025, he is reunited with Fox in Altoona. Walker was the Pitching Coach for the Portland Sea Dogs from 2015-17.

David Perez
Pitching Coach
1st season/9th overall

Perez joins the Altoona staff after serving as the lead pitching instructor for the Pirates DSL Black affiliate in 2025. Perez spent 10 seasons on the mound in the minor leagues and in the independent ranks.

Scott Seabol
Hitting Coach
2nd season/10th overall

Seabol came to Altoona after spending the 2024 season as the Hitting Coach at Single-A Bradenton. This is his 3rd season as a Pirates minor league instructor. He joined the Pirates after working as a hitting instructor in the Miami Marlins system (2020-2023) and the New York Yankees (2016-2019). Seabol was drafted by the Yankees in 1996 out of West Virginia University and played 60 Major League games with New York (2001) and the St. Louis Cardinals (2005). His 14-year playing career wrapped up in 2009 after a season in Korea and two seasons in Japan. He is a native of McKeesport, PA.

Justin Orton
Hitting Coach
2nd season/11th overall

Orton returns to the Altoona staff after spending 2025 as a Hitting Coach at Single-A Bradenton. He was a member of Robby Hammock's staff in Altoona in 2024. A Leamington Ontario native, Orton was instrumental in the development of Konnor Griffin to begin the 2025 season. He previously served as a hitting coach in the Dominican Republic and played 4 seasons of college baseball at the University of British Columbia (2014-18).

Gary Green
Bench Coach
5th season/21st overall

Green returns for a fifth season in Altoona and his 21st season as a minor league instructor with the Pirates. He has previously served as the Bench Coach in Indianapolis (2022) as well as the Minor League Infield Coordinator/Roving Field Instructor for the Pirates (2011-2021). A Pittsburgh native, Green's father, Fred, won a World Series with the Pirates in 1960. Green spent 11 seasons managing in the Tigers minor league system (99-10). A former Major League infielder for parts of five seasons, Green was drafted 27th overall by the Padres in 1984 and played on Team USA in the 1984 Olympic Games.

PIRATES ORGANIZATIONAL REPORT



MLB/PIITSBURGH

Record/Place: 24-20, 4th NL Central
Yesterday: 7-2 W vs Colorado

Today: vs. Philadelphia at 6:40 p.m. - RHP Braxton Ashcraft

Notes:
 - Ryan O'Hearn went 3-for-4 with his seventh home run of the season in a 7-2 win over Colorado.
 - Konnor Griffin had two hits in the win.
 - Mason Montgomery tossed a scoreless inning in the open in front of **Carmen Mlodzinski**.
 - Mlodzinski threw five innings and allowed two runs on four hits and three walks with two strikeouts.



AAA/INDIANAPOLIS

Record/Place: 16-26, 10th IL West
Yesterday: 4-2 L @ Louisville

Today: @ Louisville at 7:15 p.m. - TBD

- Tyler Callihan hit his fifth home run of the season in a 4-2 loss to Louisville yesterday.
 - Indianapolis managed just five hits in the loss.
 - Jose Urquidy allowed three runs on four hits in five innings with a walk and four strikeouts.
 - Carson Fulmer allowed a run on four hits in two innings of relief.



HIGH-A/GREENSBORO

Record/Place: 23-13 / 1st SAL North
Yesterday: 6-0 W @ Jersey Shore

Today: @ Jersey Shore at 6:35 p.m. - TBD

Notes:
 - Axiel Plaz went 4-for-4 with two doubles, two home runs and three RBI in a 6-0 win at Jersey Shore.
 - Tony Blanco Jr. hit his sixth home run of the season in the win.
 - Carlos Castillo tossed 3.1 scoreless innings in the start, allowing three hits with two strikeouts.



LOW-A/BRADENTON

Record/Place: 20-16, 2nd FSL West
Yesterday: 6-0 W vs Fort Myers

Today: vs Fort Myers at 6:30 p.m. - TBD

Notes:
 - Josh Tate went 3-for-4 with a double and three RBI in a 6-0 win for the Marauders last night.
 - Murf Gray hit his seventh home run of the season in the win.
 - Darriel Francia tossed 3.2 scoreless innings in the start with six strikeouts.
 - Reinold Navarro earned the win with 4.1 innings in relief.

MISCELLANEOUS STATS

2026 STARTS BY POSITION

Player	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH
Alfonzo	18	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	5
Berg	9	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	6
Brannigan	--	--	--	--	17	--	--	--	7
Brethowr	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--
Castillo	--	--	1	5	2	--	2	6	--
Delgado	--	--	19	1	6	--	--	--	1
Dumitru	--	--	--	--	--	21	--	8	2
Escudero	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Gourson	--	--	16	15	--	--	--	--	--
Hilson	--	--	--	--	--	4	4	9	1
Jarvis	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--
Jebb	--	--	--	--	--	--	13	--	1
Moss	--	25	--	--	--	--	--	--	8
Rivas	--	--	--	11	10	--	--	--	--
Ross	8	6	--	--	--	--	--	--	5
Taylor	--	--	--	--	--	6	14	8	--
Triolo	--	--	--	2	1	--	--	--	--
White Jr.	--	--	--	--	--	5	3	4	--

2026 STARTS BY BATTING ORDER

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
Alfonzo	--	--	--	7	6	12	2	--	--
Berg	--	--	--	--	2	2	4	7	1
Brannigan	--	5	14	3	2	--	--	--	--
Brethowr	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--
Castillo	3	5	--	--	--	2	2	3	2
Delgado	8	7	--	--	--	--	1	2	9
Dumitru	--	1	1	1	21	5	1	1	--
Escudero	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1
Gourson	8	8	9	--	--	4	--	--	2
Hilson	--	1	--	--	--	--	5	1	11
Jarvis	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1
Jebb	11	--	3	--	--	--	--	--	--
Moss	--	--	7	25	1	--	--	--	--
Rivas	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	15	5
Ross	--	--	--	--	3	4	7	5	--
Taylor	3	7	--	--	1	7	10	--	--
Triolo	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
White Jr.	--	2	2	--	--	--	2	2	4

OUTFIELD ASSISTS

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Player	Total	Last Assist
Jesus Castillo	1	4/22 @ HBG
Titus Dumitru	1	4/15 vs POR
P.J. Hilson	7	4/18 vs POR
Will Taylor	3	4/10 @ RIC

THE LAST TIME...

Altoona scored 10 or more runs (game)..... 10, 4/28/26 vs Richmond
 Altoona scored 10 or more runs (inning).....10, 8/7/10 at Harrisburg
 Altoona scored 15 or more runs (game)..... 19*, 5/22/22 vs Richmond
 Opponent scored 10 or more runs (game)..... 12, 4/24/26 at Harrisburg
 Opponent scored 10 or more runs (inning) 12*, 11th inning, 4/30/26 vs Richmond
 Opponent scored 15 or more runs (game)..... 19, 5/6/26 at Chesapeake

Altoona collected 15+ hits in a game 15, 4/28/26 vs. Richmond
 Altoona collected 20+ hits in a game.....20, 8/24/21 vs. Richmond
 Opponent collected 15+ hits in a game 15, 5/6/26 at Chesapeake
 Opponent collected 20+ hits in a game 20, 9/3/18 at Bowie

Altoona hits an inside-the-park HR.....Sammy Siani, 7/10/25 at Binghamton
 Altoona hits a walk-off HR.....Nick Cimillo, 2-run home run, 7/3/25 vs. Harrisburg
 Altoona hits a pinch-hit HR Shawn Ross, Grand Slam, 4/20/25 vs. Somerset
 Altoona hits a grand slamShawn Ross, 5/10/26 at Chesapeake
 Altoona hits back-to-back HRs..... Jared Triolo/Duce Gourson, 4/28/26 vs Richmond
 Altoona hits HRs from both sides of plate..... Endy Rodriguez, 9/1/22 vs Akron
 Altoona hits leadoff HR to start gameTsung-Che Cheng, 6/6/24 at Richmond
 Altoona pitcher hits a HR.....Beau Sulser, 5/14/19 at Binghamton (2)
 Altoona hits Multi-HR.....Jack Brannigan (2), 4/28/26 vs Richmond

Opponent hits an inside-the-park HR Daniel Cabrera / Eric De La Rosa, 9/10/21 vs. Erie
 Opponent hits a walk-off HR Jake Holton, Two-Run HR in 12th, 5/7/25 at Erie
 Opponent hits a pinch-hit HR Max Ferguson, Grand Slam, 7/29/25 at Portland
 Opponent hits a grand slam..... Max Ferguson, 4/16/26 vs Portland
 Opponent hits back-to-back HRs Leandro Pineda/Aidan Miller, 8/21/25 vs Reading
 Opponent hits leadoff HR to start game Scott Bandura, 4/30/26 vs Richmond
 Opponent hits Multi-HR..... Bo Davidson (2), 4/10/26 at Richmond

Altoona batter hits for the cycleNick Cimillo, 8/29/25 at Harrisburg
 Altoona batter records 5+ hits in a game..... 5, 17x, last - Nick Cimillo, 8/29/25 at Harrisburg
 Altoona batter has 5+ RBI in a game..... 5, Shawn Ross, 5/10/25 at Chesapeake

Opponent batter hits for the cycle..... Lou Montanez, 8/1/08 vs. Bowie
 Opponent batter records 5+ hits in a game Juan Perez, 4/20/12 vs. Richmond
 Opponent batter has 5+ RBI in a game..... 5, Anderson De Los Santos, 5/6/26 at Chesapeake

Altoona threw a no-hitter (9 IP) (one pitcher) N/A
 Altoona threw a no-hitter (9 IP) (combined).....
 E. Hollingsworth/J. Townsend/J. Ramos/R. Beckman, 7/25/13 at New Hampshire
 Altoona threw a no-hitter (7 IP) (combined)..... N/A

Opponent threw a no-hitter (9 IP)Casey Mize, 4/29/19 vs. Erie
 Opponent threw a no hitter (9 IP) (combined).....
 C. McDermott, N. Hoffman, E. Lucas 5/19/23 at Bowie
 Opponent threw a no-hitter (7 IP) Rafael Sanchez, 6/7/25 at New Hampshire (1)
 Opponent threw a no-hitter (7 IP) (combined)
C. James/C. Kimball/Z. Zinicola, 6/10/10 vs. Harrisburg (2)

Altoona threw a complete-game shutout (9 IP) Domingo Robles, 8/26/19 vs. Akron
 Altoona threw a complete-game shutout (7 IP) Domingo Robles, 6/8/19 vs. Akron (1)
 Altoona threw back-to-back shutouts (team) 7/3/24 - 7/4/24 vs. Harrisburg

Opponent threw a complete-game shutout (9 IP).....Casey Mize, 4/29/19 vs. Erie
 Opponent threw a complete-game shutout (7 IP)..... David Sandlin, 5/29/25 vs. Portland (1)
 Opponent threw back-to-back shutouts (team)..... 6/3, 6/4, 6/5, 6/7/25 (1) at New Hampshire

Altoona wins in last at bat Titus Dumitru Go-Ahead HR, 7th inning, 5/14/26 vs Harrisburg G2
 Opponent wins in last at bat Dayson Croes RBI-Fielder's Choice, 10th inning, 4/11/26 at Richmond

Altoona swept doubleheader 6/21/23 vs. Bowie
 Opponent swept doubleheader 6/20/25 vs. Richmond

Altoona pitcher strikes out:
 10 Khristian Curtis, 4/26/26 at Harrisburg
 11 Thomas Harrington, 7/10/24 vs Bowie
 12+ 12, Braxton Ashcraft, 6/6/24 at Richmond

Opponent pitcher strikes out:
 10 Nestor German, 7/26/25 vs Chesapeake
 11 John Holobetz, 4/18/26 vs. Portland
 12+ 12, Cade Cavalli, 7/30/21 vs. Harrisburg

Altoona turns a triple playCharles McAdoo/Kervin Pichardo/Nick Cimillo (5-4-3), 7/24/24 at Erie
 Opponent turns a triple play Kellin Deglan/Kyle Holder (2-6), 7/15/19 vs. Trenton

* - Franchise Record
 ** - Tied Franchise Record

2026 GAME-BY-GAME

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT	REC	PLACE	G (+/-)	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	TIME	GT TEMP	ATT.
7/21	@ Akron	12:05 p.m.									
7/22	@ Akron	6:35 p.m.									
7/23	@ Akron	6:35 p.m.									
7/24	@ Akron	7:17 p.m.									
7/25	@ Akron	7:05 p.m.									
7/26	@ Akron	1:05 p.m.									
7/28	Chesapeake	6:30 p.m.									
7/29	Chesapeake	12:05 p.m.									
7/30	Chesapeake	6:00 p.m.									
7/31	Chesapeake	6:00 p.m.									
Curve in July: 0-0, Team BA: .000 (T-1st), Team ERA 0.00 (T-1st)											
8/1	Chesapeake	6:30 p.m.									
8/2	Chesapeake	6:00 p.m.									
8/4	@ Erie	6:05 p.m.									
8/5	@ Erie	12:35 p.m.									
8/6	@ Erie	6:05 p.m.									
8/7	@ Erie	6:05 p.m.									
8/8	@ Erie	6:05 p.m.									
8/9	@ Erie	1:35 p.m.									
8/11	Akron	6:00 p.m.									
8/12	Akron	6:00 p.m.									
8/13	Akron	6:00 p.m.									
8/14	Akron	6:00 p.m.									
8/15	Akron	6:00 p.m.									
8/16	Akron	6:00 p.m.									
8/18	@ Binghamton	6:07 p.m.									
8/19	@ Binghamton	6:07 p.m.									
8/20	@ Binghamton	6:07 p.m.									
8/21	@ Binghamton	7:00 p.m.									
8/22	@ Binghamton	6:07 p.m.									
8/23	@ Binghamton	1:00 p.m.									
8/25	Erie	6:00 p.m.									
8/26	Erie	6:00 p.m.									
8/27	Erie	6:00 p.m.									
8/28	Erie	6:00 p.m.									
8/29	Erie	6:00 p.m.									
8/30	Erie	6:00 p.m.									
Curve in August: 0-0, Team BA: .000 (T-1st), Team ERA 0.00 (T-1st)											
9/1	@ Harrisburg	6:30 p.m.									
9/2	@ Harrisburg	6:30 p.m.									
9/3	@ Harrisburg	6:30 p.m.									
9/4	@ Harrisburg	7:00 p.m.									
9/5	@ Harrisburg	6:00 p.m.									
9/6	@ Harrisburg	1:00 p.m.									
9/8	Akron	6:00 p.m.									
9/9	Akron	6:00 p.m.									
9/10	Akron	6:00 p.m.									
9/11	Akron	6:00 p.m.									
9/12	Akron	6:00 p.m.									
9/13	Akron	1:00 p.m.									

End of the Second Half: 0-0, Team BA: .000 (T-1st), Team ERA 0.00 (T-1st)

Curve in September: 0-0, Team BA: .000 (T-1st), Team ERA 0.00 (T-1st)

2026 ALTERNATE IDENTITIES

PENNSYLVANIA CONTINENTALS



Liberty, Baseball, and Powdered Wigs! As part of the America250 PA celebration, the Altoona Curve will take the field as the Pennsylvania Continentals once a month in 2026! In 1775, the Second Continental Congress formed the Continental Army as the unified military force of the Thirteen Colonies during the American Revolutionary War. This revolutionary rebrand represents the spirit of America, the U.S. Continental Army, and the fight that shaped our nation 250 years ago! The primary logo features an outline of our state with 13 stars to represent the original colonies. Independence Hall, the historical building that famously housed the signing of the Declaration of Independence in Philadelphia, is featured within the logo.

LOS PECES DORADOS



BACK in 2026 is the return of our Copa de la Diversión brand, Los Peces Dorados! "Copa de la Diversión™" or "Fun Cup™" is a season-long event series specifically designed to embrace the culture and values that resonate most with Minor League Baseball™ teams' local U.S. Hispanic communities. When deciding on an Altoona Curve Copa de la Diversión identity, "Peces Dorados" made the biggest splash. Translating to "Gold Fish," this rebranded identity pays homage to a fan-favorite mascot in Curve, PA, Al Tuna. Los Peces Dorados will suit up for five home dates in 2026 with our players wearing specialty uniforms as we acknowledge the rich history of Hispanic culture in baseball! The five dates include April 16, May 12, July 8, August 25, and September 9.