



GAME NOTES

TRIPLE - A AFFILIATE OF THE MINNESOTA TWINS

ST. PAUL SAINTS (41-37) vs LOUISVILLE BATS (CIN) (30-48)

LHP ANDREW ALBERS (4-4, 4.44) vs LHP NICK LODOLO (NR)

Wednesday, August 4th, 2021 - 1:05 pm - St. Paul, MN - CHS Field

Game #79 - Home Game #43

TV: Saints Cable Network/MiLB.TV RADIO: KFAN+

2021 At A Glance

Home.....	22-20
Road.....	19-17
vs. LHP.....	9-10
vs. RHP.....	32-27
Current Streak.....	W1
Most Games > .500.....	6
Most Games < .500.....	5
Overall Series.....	4-5-3
Home Series.....	2-2-2
Away Series.....	2-3-1
Extra Innings.....	2-3
Shutouts.....	3-2
Last 5.....	2-3
Last 10.....	5-5
Saints Score First.....	30-13
Oppo. Scores First.....	13-24
Saints out-hit opp.....	30-5
Opp. out-hit Saints.....	9-30
Hits are even.....	2-2
Day.....	6-8
Night.....	35-29
Day of the Week	
Mon.....	0-0
Tues.....	9-4
Wed.....	10-3
Thurs.....	5-8
Fri.....	5-8
Sat.....	9-5
Sun.....	3-10
Lead Entering 7th.....	30-9
Tied Entering 7th.....	5-2
Trail Entering 7th.....	6-26
Lead Entering 8th.....	31-4
Tied Entering 8th.....	6-2
Trail Entering 8th.....	4-28
Lead Entering 9th.....	33-2
Tied Entering 9th.....	5-3
Trail Entering 9th.....	3-29

TODAY'S HEADLINES

That Was Last Time - It was another comeback win for the Saints last night after trailing 2-0 going into the bottom of the second, but St. Paul scored one in the second, two in the fifth and two runs in the eighth inning thanks to a two-run single from Jimmy Kerrigan to take their seventh-straight series opener. Ian Hamilton pitched three innings in his second career start, giving up two runs.

Today's Game - St. Paul will look to make it a 2-0 series lead in their sixth consecutive series today. Andrew Albers takes the mound for the Saints, who have won four of his last six starts. He has not pitched against Louisville this season. He'll be going against another lefty in Nick Lodolo, who is making his Triple-A debut and is the Reds number one prospect.

Getting Bats Going Against the Bats - The Saints and Louisville have met just one other time this season, with the Bats taking the series four games to two. St. Paul has hit just .184 against the Bats in their seven games they've played, which is the lowest they have against any team. Louisville's 2.95 team ERA against the Saints is also the lowest any opponent has against St. Paul. Iowa is the next-closest at 4.57.

Taking Down the Top Talent - In the last two weeks, the Saints have entered a series in which they have gone up against the Triple-A East leader in batting average. Two weeks ago they saw Edward Olivares, who was batting .337 and last week faced Hoy Park who was hitting .327 entering the series. Saints pitchers managed to hold those two to four hits in 31 at-bats (.129 average). The two now rank fourth and sixth, respectively in batting average in the East.

Offensive Overload - Since June 22, the Saints offense has found its stride. The 232 runs scored by the St. Paul is the third most in Triple-A in that span and the only team in the top seven from the East. That checks out to 6.3 runs per game, and a 22-15 record. The Saints have also hit 66 homers since June 22, two more than any team in Triple-A. Since July 12, the Saints are averaging a Triple-A best 7.1 runs per game.

Getting Right on Rehab - The Saints have gotten a significant boost from players coming to St. Paul on rehab assignments. In 26 games with the Saints, Twins rehabbing players have gone 42-122 (.344) with five doubles, one triple, eight home runs and 29 RBIs. The Saints are 16-10 with a player on MLR in the lineup.

Broxton's Big Bat - Keon Broxton had found his stride in July. He had a .279 average in July, with a .383 OBP and a 1.000 OPS, which is the third-highest on the team in the month among qualified players. He's scored runs in 10 of his last 14 games and has two hitting streaks of at least four games in July. His eight homers since the first of July are tied for the fourth-most in the league.

Jimmy Jumping Up - The batting average has been on the rise for Jimmy Kerrigan as of late. Since the start of July, Kerrigan is batting .355, boosted by a five game hit streak to start the month and a seven game hit streak to end it. He has three three-hit games in July, and has drawn 10 walks in his last 13 games, reaching base safely in his last 14 contests.

Four is a Friendly Number - The four run mark has been a critical point for the Saints in determining wins and losses this season. When the Saints score four-or-more, they are 34-12 and 6-25 when scoring three-or-less. From the opposition's side, the Saints are 24-4 when allowing less than four runs and 17-32 when allowing four-or-more.

Saints Dig the Long Ball - The Saints' offense has come in bunches through 74 games this season, because nearly half of it has come from home runs. Of the 403 runs that St. Paul has scored this season, 181 (45.2%) of them have been accounted for by home runs. Brent Rooker has the team lead in homers with 19, which is the most in the league. The Saints 49 home runs in since the start of July is tied for the second-most in Triple-A.

Roster Notes - RHP Matt Shoemaker was released on Tuesday.

Twins Update - The Twins pulled off a late comeback in Cincinnati last night thanks to three-run homers from Mitch Garver and Jorge Polanco. Polanco's blast came in the ninth inning to put the Twins up 7-5, and Alex Colome was able to pick up his third save of the season in the win.

AGAINST THE OPPOSITION

SAINTS VS LOUISVILLE

.184	-----	BA	-----	.199
.140	-----	BA W/2O	-----	.167
.216	-----	BA W/RISP	-----	.213
20	-----	RUNS	-----	30
6	-----	HR	-----	8
1	-----	STEALS	-----	1
4.58	-----	ERA	-----	2.95
42	-----	K's	-----	77

TEAM LEADERS

Avg. ----	Tomás Telis - .273
Hits -----	Tomás Telis - 59
RBI -----	Brent Rooker - 48
Runs -----	Brent Rooker - 39
Steals --	Keon Broxton - 10
HR -----	Brent Rooker - 19
ERA ----	Andrew Albers - 4.44
K's -----	Andrew Albers - 64
BB -----	Drew Strotman - 35

AMONG LEAGUE LEADERS

BB -----	Brent Rooker (8th) - 38
ERA -----	Drew Strotman (4th) - 3.73
ERA -----	Charlie Barnes (8th) - 4.24
G -----	Andrew Vasquez (T-10th) - 28
HR -----	Brent Rooker (T-1st) - 19
OPP/BA -	Drew Strotman (4th) - .232
OPP/BA -	Charlie Barnes (10th) - .257
RBI -----	Brent Rooker (8th) - 48
SLG -----	Brent Rooker (8th) - .546
SO -----	Keon Broxton (2nd) - 100
W -----	Drew Strotman (T-2nd) - 7
W -----	Kyle Barraclough (T-5th) - 6
WHIP -----	Charlie Barnes (9th) - 1.35
WHIP -----	Andrew Albers (10th) - 1.38

ACTIVE STREAKS

Rob Refsnyder --	17G on-base streak (.437OBP)
Nick Gordon -----	8G on-base streak (.469OBP)
Danny Coulombe -	0ER streak (7 app/10.2IP)
Sherman Johnson -	10G on-base streak (.526OBP)
Jimmy Kerrigan ---	14G on-base streak (.490OBP)
Jose Miranda -----	8G hit streak (15-36 / .417)
Rob Refsnyder -----	7G hit streak (11-26 / .423)
Drew Stankiewicz ---	6G on-base streak (.375OBP)

UPCOMING PITCHING MATCHUPS

8/5	LOU	7:05PM	RHP Drew Strotman (7-2, 3.73)	v	RHP Hunter Greene (2-5, 4.23)
8/6	LOU	7:05PM	TBA	v	RHP Michael Mariot (2-3, 3.91)
8/7	LOU	7:05PM	TBA	v	RHP Bo Takahashi (2-6, 5.25)
8/8	LOU	2:05PM	TBA	v	TBA

TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER

#37 ANDREW ALBERS

	W-L	ERA	G	GS	IP	ER	HR	BB	SO	AVG	WHIP
2021	4-4	4.44	13	12	71.0	36	10	8	64	.300	1.38

- Pitched with Team Canada in the 2021 Olympic Qualifiers, pitching 7.0 innings in a no-hitter against Columbia.
- Spent the last three seasons in the Japan Pacific League pitching for the Orix Buffaloes. Over 48 career appearances he went 15-16 with a 4.02 ERA since 2018. His Japanese career was highlighted by a 9-2 record and a 3.08 ERA in his first year with the Buffaloes in 2018.
- Over his 13-year professional career, Albers has suited up for five different organizations: San Diego (AZL), Minnesota (MLB), Toronto (MLB), Atlanta (Triple-A) and Seattle (MLB).
- This is his second stint with the Twins, having previously been a member of the organization from 2011-2013 and in 2016 as well.
- The Saskatchewan native pitched for Team Canada in the 2013 WBC
- According to the Elias Sports Bureau, he became the first pitcher in club history (since 1961) to throw more than 7.0 scoreless innings in his major league debut; also became the third pitcher in Twins/Senators franchise history (since 1901) to pitch 8.0-plus scoreless innings in his debut, the previous two being Washington's George Dumont (9.0 IP) September 14, 1915 vs. Cleveland, and Washington's Mike Forni (9.0 IP) September 2, 1952 vs. Philadelphia.
- He was originally drafted by San Diego in the 10th round of the 2010 First Year Player Draft, but after having "Tommy John" surgery in 2009, he missed that season and signed with the Twins in 2011.

ACQUIRED: Signed as a minor league free agent on 2/12/21

GAME HIGHS

2021	CAREER
6.0 (7x) - 7/30 v Indianapolis IP	9.0 - 5/11/16 v Gwinnett
11 - 7/30 v Indianapolis H	11 - 8/27/17 @ NYY
8 - 7/30 v Indianapolis R	8 - 8/27/17 @ NYY
7 - 5/4 @ Omaha ER	8 - 8/27/17 @ NYY
2 (2x) - 7/11 @ Iowa BB	7 - 7/5/16 v Buffalo
9 - 7/11 @ Iowa SO	10 - 8/5/17 @ Charlotte
3 - 5/4 @ Omaha HR	3 - 5/4/21 @ Omaha
100 - 5/14 v Iowa Pitches	109 - 8/6/13 @ KANSAS CITY

SPLITS

2021	CAREER
3-2, 4.81	28-22, 3.56
1-2, 3.98	32-18, 3.49
.256 AVG/.643 OPS/2HR vLHH	.277 AVG/.714 OPS/19HR
.319 AVG/.868 OPS/8HR vRHH	.280AVG/.732 OPS/53 HR

ANDREW ALBERS GAME BY GAME LOG

DATE	OPP	RESULT	DEC	IP	H	R/ER	SO	BB	HR	P/S	NOTES
5/4	@OMA	L 8-2	L (0-1)	4.0	8	7/7	6	0	3	87-55	6/8 H were XBH
5/9	@OMA	L 6-1	ND (0-1)	4.0	8	2/2	2	1	0	68-49	7 inn. game, Gibaut opener
5/14	IOWA	W 4-3	W (1-1)	6.0	7	2/2	5	1	1	100-70	STP score all 4 in 5th
5/20	INDY	L 7-3	L (1-2)	5.0	8	5/4	2	0	0	75-52	Gave up all 5 in 3rd/4th
6/12	OMA	W 9-5	W (2-2)	5.1	7	4/4	5	0	1	83-55	STP score 4 in 6th (Telis 3R HR)
6/18	IOWA	L, 6-5 (10)	ND (2-2)	6.0	4	1/1	4	0	1	80-55	STP had bases loaded/0 out in B10
6/24	@COL	L, 3-0	L (2-3)	6.0	6	3/3	5	2	1	87-57	STP had just one hit
6/30	OMA	W, 7-4	W (3-3)	6.0	7	3/3	6	0	1	92-65	STP led 5-0 after 3 innings
7/6	@IOWA	W, 11-1	W (4-3)	6.0	6	0/0	6	1	0	93-63	STP 6-run 4th inning
7/11G2	@IOWA	L, 3-2 (7)	ND (4-3)	6.0	3	1/1	9	2	0	91-67	Vincent gave up 2 in B7
7/18	COL	W, 7-6 (10)	ND (4-3)	5.0	9	4/4	3	0	2	87-66	STP tied game w/ 4 in 8th/walkoff in 10
7/24	@OMA	W, 3-1	ND (4-3)	5.2	6	1/1	6	1	0	93-58	STP scored 1 in 6th/2 in 7th
7/30	IND	L, 8-4	L (4-4)	6.0	11	8/3	5	0	0	93-67	Gave up 4 in 1st/3 in 4th

SAINTS HITTER NOTES

53 BANUELOS, DAVID C

Last Series: 1-4 | **Current Series:**
Longest Streak: +2 gms (6/18-7/8) / -3gms (6/3-6) | **Current Streak:** +1

- Started the 2021 season with the Wichita Wind Surge, batting .132 with two doubles and an RBI before coming to Triple-A for the first time.
- Spent most of 2019 with Fort Myers, batting .163 over 153 games.
- His best career year came in 2018 with Cedar Rapids, playing 72 games with the Kernels. He set career-highs with 57 hits, 28 runs and 14 doubles.
- Won the Harmon Killebrew award for minor league community service in 2018, making him just the sixth winner of the award at the Low-A level.
- Originally a fifth-round draft pick by the Seattle Mariners in 2017, he came to the Twins via trade with Seattle in exchange for international bonus pool money on December 6, 2017. He was named a Northwest League All-Star with Everett in 2017, batting .295 leading up to the All-Star break.

ACQUIRED: Traded to the Minnesota Twins from the Seattle Mariners 12/6/17

9 BROXTON, KEON OF

Last Series: 4-12, 2B, HR, R, 2RBI, BB | **Current Series:** 0-4
Longest Streak: +5 gms (7/2-9) / -5gms (6/17-25) | **Current Streak:** -1

- Started of the 2021 season with a 24-game strikeout streak, the longest of his career. He struck out 47 times in that span.
- Spent most of the 2020 season at the Brewers alternate training site, reuniting with them after spending 2016-18 with Milwaukee.
- Saw Big League action with 3 different teams in 2019, suiting up for the New York Mets before being traded to the Baltimore Orioles and then being claimed off waivers by the Seattle Mariners hitting a combined .167 for the season.
- Was a 20-20 player in the Majors in 2017 hitting .220/20/49 and stealing 21 bases. Broxton was 5th in speed at 29.4 ft/sec. 30 ft/sec is elite & average is 27.0 ft/sec
- Played 2B and SS at Lakeland HS. On that team was Evan Chambers (3rd round pick by Pirates in 2009 & passed away in 2013), Drew Hutchison (15th round pick out of HS in 2009, 98 Major League pitching appearances) & Chris Sale (13th overall pick in 2010 out of FGCU)
- Chose baseball at Santa Fe (FL) CC instead of a football scholarship at FAU, went on to reach the JUCO World Series in 2009, finishing as the runner-up

ACQUIRED: Signed with the Twins as a free agent on 2/2/21

4 CELESTINO, GILBERTO OF

Last Series: 2-5, HR, R, RBI | **Current Series:** 1-4, RBI
Longest Streak: +2gm (8/1-act) | **Current Streak:** +2

- Made Major League debut on June 2nd, hit .136 in 23 games with the Twins, hitting two home runs.
- Ranked the #13 prospect in the Twins organization, per Baseball America.
- Started the season at Double-A Wichita, batting .250 with two homers and seven RBIs.
- Spent the 2019 season with Cedar Rapids, playing 117 games with the Kernels. He hit .276 in in Low-A, amassing a career-high 10 homers and 54 RBIs, which was 20 more than he had in any other season in his career. He finished in the top 10 in the Midwest League in average (.276, 5th), hits (124, 5th), total bases (184, 6th), slugging (.409, 10th) and OPS (.759, 10th)
- Originally signed by the Houston Astros as an international prospect in 2015, the same class as Fernando Tatis Jr. and Juan Soto. His signing bonus of \$2.25 Million, just beating out the signing bonuses of both Tatis Jr. and Soto combined.
- Joined the Twins organization as part of a trade package that included current Twins pitcher Jorge Alcala in exchange for Ryan Pressley to Houston

ACQUIRED: Traded to the Minnesota Twins from the Houston Astros on 7/27/18

21 CONTRERAS, MARK OF

Last Series: 3-15, 2 2B, 4R, 4RBI, 2BB, 2HBP | **Current Series:**
Longest Streak: +5 gms (6/25-30) / -3 gms (5/25-27) | **Current Streak:** +1

- Started the 2021 season with the Wichita Wind Surge, batting .254 with four doubles and two home runs through 18 games this season.
- Had a six-game hit streak from 5/16-22 with Wichita, had a four game RBI streak during that stretch as well.
- Did not see any action in 2020 as a result of the cancellation of the minor league season.
- Won a Rawlings MiLB Gold Glove in 2019 after not committing an error in 784.1 innings. Has not committed an error since 7/1/18.
- In 2018 he was promoted to Adv-A Fort Myers after seven games in Cedar Rapids, and went on to hit a career-high 15 doubles and 39 RBIs.

ACQUIRED: Drafted by the Twins in the 9th Round of the 2017 First-Year Player Draft

21 JOHNSON, SHERMAN INF

Last Series: 5-14, 2 2B, R, 6RBI, 3BB | **Current Series:**
Longest Streak: +5gms (2x) (7/9-22) / -1 gm 7x (7/23) | **Current Streak:** +4

- Spent the first six years of his career with the Angels organization, making his major league debut in 2018. In 10 games with the Halos, he went 0-10 with four strikeouts and a HBP.
- He's spent parts of his last five seasons on a Triple-A roster, three with Salt Lake, one with Louisville, and the 2021 season with St. Paul.
- After signing with the Twins, Johnson was assigned to Double-A Wichita, where he hit .107 through 11 games. Two of his three hits were doubles.
- In his 2019 season with the Louisville Bats, he hit .241 with four home runs and 15 RBIs. The 2018 season, his final with the Angels system, he hit .277 in 46 games with the Salt Lake Bees which was his best average for any season he's played at Triple-A.
- In 2014 with High-A Inland Empire, he finished the season as the league leader in triples (13), and finished top 10 in the California league in walks (2nd - 88), runs (3rd - 107), hits (8th - 146), stolen bases (9th - 26, his career-high) and total bases (9th - 246). He also finished that season setting his career high in home runs (17) and RBIs (78)

ACQUIRED: Signed by the Minnesota Twins as a minor league free agent on 5/12/21

31 KERRIGAN, JIMMY OF

Last Series: 9-20, 2B, 2HR, 4R, 8RBI, BB | **Current Series:** 2-4, RBI
Longest Streak: +7 gms (7/24-31) / -5 gms (6/2-6/8) | **Current Streak:** +1

- Has made two appearances in Triple-A, making appearances in 2018 and 2019 with Triple-A Rochester. He's played a combined 24 games at the Triple-A level and hit a total .266 with seven home runs, six of which came in his 2019 stint.
- In 2018 he was named a Florida State League All-Star after hitting .281 in the first half of the season, which earned him a promotion to Double-A Chattanooga.
- Spent a season in the independent Frontier League in 2017. At the time that the Twins signed him from the River City Rascals, he led his team in hits, average, home runs, RBIs and doubles.
- After going undrafted in 2016, took an internship with a gym near Richmond, VA where he finished his college career at VCU. That led to contacts with independent league coaching staffs that kept his baseball career alive.

ACQUIRED: Signed with the Minnesota Twins as an undrafted free agent on 7/26/17

SAINTS HITTER NOTES

11 MAGGI, DREW INF
Last Series: 4-17, 2 2B, 6R, 2RBI, BB, 2HBP | **Current Series:** 1-3, R, BB
Longest Streak: +8gms, (6/29-7/8) / -3gms (7/27-31) | **Current Streak:** +2

- Named Triple-A East Player of the Week for 6/29-7/4 after going 9-21, hitting a homer in four straight games against the Omaha Storm Chasers while scoring 7 total runs.
- Did not see any action in the 2020 season. In 2019, he spent time between Double-A Pensacola and Triple-A Rochester. He played 108 games with the Red Wings in 2019, smacking ten homers and collecting 46 RBIs.
- In those 108 games, he finished with a career-high .788 OPS. His ten home runs were also a career-high, doubling his previous best of five long balls with 2017 Oklahoma City Dodgers.
- His younger brother, Beau, also played with Drew at Arizona State and was a 24th round pick by the Royals and made it as far as Triple-A. His brother Joe played at the University of Arizona and won a College World Series.
- Was an All-Star in three straight seasons from 2014-16, he was also named a Twins' organizational All-Star in 2019.
- Spent the first five years of his career in the Pirates organization, who selected him in the 15th round in 2010.

ACQUIRED: Signed with the Minnesota Twins as a minor league free agent on 1/15/19

66 MIRANDA, JOSE INF
Last Series: 9-22, 2 2B, HR, 6R, 2RBI, 2BB | **Current Series:** 2-4, 2B, R
Longest Streak: +10gms (7/13-22) / -1gm, 3x (7/23) | **Current Streak:** +8

- Named Twins Minor League Player of the Week for 6/29-7/3 after his 5-6 debut with 3HR in one game, including a grand slam. He went 10-26, driving in eight runs in his first Triple-A series.
- Ranked as the #16 prospect in the Twins organization.
- Started the season in Double-A Wichita. Prior to his promotion to Triple-A, he was leading the league in AVG (.345), HR (13), RBI (38), hits (67), runs (36) and total bases (114).
- Has three separate hit streaks spanning seven games or longer this season, with his longest stretching to nine games, from May 28th to June 6th. He also has a five-hit game to his name on June 24th, one of nine games where he tallied three-or-more hits.
- Spent all but one game of the 2019 season with Fort Myers, batting .248 in the Florida State League. He played one game with Double-A Pensacola, where he went 3-5 with a double and scored a run.
- His father is cousins with the father of *Hamilton* creator and Broadway star Lin-Manuel Miranda.

ACQUIRED: Drafted by the Minnesota Twins in Competitive Balance Round B of the 2016 First Year Player Draft

56 PENA, ROBERTO C
Last Series: 0-3, RBI | **Current Series:**
Longest Streak: +2gms (2x) (7/7-10) / -4gms (6/16-25) | **Current Streak:** -3

- Peña is on his fifth Triple-A team, having previously played on Fresno, Charlotte, Durham, Salt Lake and now St. Paul.
- Did not see any action in 2020, but did play in the Puerto Rican Winter League, which he has played in every off-season since 2011.
- Got an invite to Major League Spring Training in 2019 with the Los Angeles Angels.
- In 2015 he set a Corpus Christi Hooks record and led the Texas League by throwing out 49% of would-be base stealers.
- Was named an MiLB and Rawlings Gold Glove winner in 2014 with Adv.-A Lancaster who won the California League title. He threw out 56.5% of baserunners (52 of 92) which led the league.
- Was originally a shortstop in high school, but as he grew he needed to move to either third base or catcher. Upon testing his pop times, his first was 1.87 and had one as low as 1.76 and stuck with it since.

ACQUIRED: Signed with the Minnesota Twins as a minor league free agent on 3/13/21

2 REFSNYDER, ROB OF
Last Series: 8-16, 3 2B, 2HR, 6R, 5RBI, 4BB | **Current Series:** 1-4, RBI
Longest Streak: +7gms (7/24-act) / -2gms (5/11-13) | **Current Streak:** +7

- Contract was selected by the Twins on 5/15, hit .321 in 18 games with Minnesota, garnering significant attention for his hot start. In the nine games he registered a hit, six of them were multi-hit efforts.
- Twins are the seventh organization for Refsnyder, having been in the Yankees, Blue Jays, Rays, Reds, Diamondbacks and Rangers organizations before arriving in the Twin Cities.
- Was drafted as an outfielder by the Yankees in 2012, but was converted to a second baseman before returning to the outfield in 2017.
- Has made two Opening Day rosters in his career: Texas (2020) and Tampa Bay (2018).
- He spent all of the 2020 season with the Rangers, hitting .200 across 15 games.
- Over the course of 427 Triple-A games leading into the 2021 season, Refsnyder has a career average of .296 at Triple-A.
- When being promoted to the Yankees in 2015, he became the fourth South-Korean player to make the majors.

ACQUIRED: Signed with the Minnesota Twins as a minor league free agent on 11/23/20.

12 RIDDLE, JT INF/OF
Last Series: 2-14, 4R, RBI, BB | **Current Series:**
Longest Streak: +7gms (5/23-6/2) / -4gms (7/11-26) | **Current Streak:** -3

- Played 4 games with Minnesota already this season, getting two hits in six plate appearances, while scoring a run.
- Has played with two other big league clubs: Miami and Pittsburgh. He had spent the whole 2020 season with the Pirates, batting .149 with two doubles and a home run.
- A true utility man, spent time with Pittsburgh at: third base, shortstop, left, center and right field, as well as second base and an appearance at first base.
- Has played 85 games with Triple-A New Orleans (Miami), where he's batted .284 with ten home runs and 46 RBIs. In 2019 he had a career-high 10 doubles at Triple-A.

ACQUIRED: Signed as a minor league free agent on 12/21/20

2 RORTVEDT, BEN C
Last Series: 7-24, 2B, 4R, 4RBI, BB | **Current Series:** 3-4, 2B, HR, 2R, RBI
Longest Streak: +5gms, (5/28-7/28) / -1 gm, 3x, (7/31) | **Current Streak:** +2

- Played in 30 games between two stints with the Twins this season. Hit .129 with a double and two homers. He also threw out six of 13 base-stealers.
- Opened up the 2021 season with the Twins, playing in 12 games, hitting .160 with two RBIs.
- Ranked the 26th best prospect in the Twins' farm system by MLB.com in 2020.
- Earned his third straight invitation to Spring Training with the Twins prior to the 2021 season. In 2020, he was left off of the 60-man player pool.
- In 2019 he split time between Adv.-A Fort Myers and Double-A Pensacola where he put up a career-best seven home runs, five of which came in his first stint in Double-A.
- His season was cut short in 2019 when he sustained a left knee injury that ended his season on August 12th.
- The 2019 campaign also saw Rortvedt throw out 30 of 58 potential base-stealers between the two levels.

ACQUIRED: Drafted by the Minnesota Twins in the 2nd round (56th overall) of the 2016 First Year Player Draft

SAINTS HITTER NOTES

63 STANKIEWICZ, DREW INF

Last Series: 2-7, RBI, BB | **Current Series:** 0-3, R, BB
Longest Streak: +5gms (7/17-act) / -1 gm, 3x, (8/3-act) | **Current Streak:** -1

- The first Saints player to suit up for Saint Paul as both an independent and a Triple-A player.
- Started the season in Mexico playing for Puebla where he was hitting .320 with three homers and 15 RBI in 28 games. In 97 at bats he scored 22 runs, had four doubles, a .393 on base percentage, and .454 slugging percentage.
- Spent the 2019 season at Double-A Akron in the Indians organization. Went 2-22 in 10 games before being released on May 28. He then signed with the American Association's Explorers where he hit .278 with five home runs and 52 RBI in 86 games.
- Originally a Phillies draft pick, he was selected in the 11th round in the 2014 draft out of Arizona State. Was drafted out of high school by the Rockies in 40th round in 2011, but did not sign
- His father Andy played seven seasons in the Major Leagues for the New York Yankees, Houston Astros, Montreal Expos, and Arizona Diamondbacks

ACQUIRED: Signed by the Twins as a minor league free agent on 6/27/21

18 TELIS, TOMAS C

Last Series: 3-16, 2B, 3R, RBI 4BB | **Current Series:** 0-4
Longest Streak: +13gms, (6/11-7/18) / -3gms (6/8-12) | **Current Streak:** -1

- Named Twins' Minor League Player of the Week for the week of June 13-19, hitting .391 with a double and two HR.
- Spent the 2020 season at the Twins' Alternate Training Site. He was on the Taxi Squad several times during the season, and also remained with the club during several homestands to serve as a bullpen catcher.
- Had one of his best seasons at the plate in 2019, playing 82 games hitting .330 with 21 doubles, eight home runs and 46 RBIs leading to an .846 OPS.
- Has been on Triple-A rosters since 2014, spanning 441 games, and has a .308 average at Triple-A.
- Made the 2018 Opening Day roster with Miami, the first and only of his career.
- Signed back in 2007 with the Rangers as a shortstop before being converted to catcher full-time in 2009.

ACQUIRED: Signed with the Minnesota Twins as a minor league free agent on 11/29/19

23 TOMSCHA, DAMEK INF

Last Series: 1-12, R, 2RBI | **Current Series:**
Longest Streak: +4 gms (6/18-23) / -4gms (6/5-6) | **Current Streak:** -2

- Started the 2021 season in Double-A with Wichita, where he'd gone 4-16 with a double and three RBIs.
- Played the 2020 season in the American Association with the Sioux Falls Canaries. He hit .320 with them, which was good for seventh in the league.
- A seven-year minor league veteran, Tomscha was originally a Phillies prospect from 2014-2019 when he was released by the Phillies and then signed by the White Sox organization.
- He's played 81 Triple-A games between Lehigh Valley and Charlotte, batting .205, but is a career .273 hitter.

ACQUIRED: Signed with the Minnesota Twins as a minor league free agent on 3/3/21

SAINTS BULLPEN

PITCHER	LAST TIME OUT	IP	H	R/ER	BB	SO	1ST BATTER RETIRED/FACED	RI/S	SV/OPP
Barracough, Kyle	8/3 v LOU	2.0	1	0/0	1	3	9/13	5/1	-/-
Cano, Yennier	7/31 v IND	1.0	1	0/0	0	1	8/11	9/3	-/-
Garcia, Edgar	8/3 v LOU	1.0	1	0/0	0	1	2/2	-/-	-/-
Gibaut, Ian	8/1 v IND	2.0	3	2/2	1	3	12/20	6/3	0/1
Hamilton, Ian	8/3 v LOU (start)	3.0	2	2/2	0	2	13/22	5/2	3/3
Leyer, Robinson	8/3 v LOU	2.0	1	1/1	0	0	14/21	6/2	0/1
Mason, Ryan	8/1 v IND	1.0	4	2/2	0	1	1/1	-/-	-/-
Moran, Jovani	7/31 v IND	1.1	0	0/0	0	3	4/5	0/0	1/1
Vasquez, Andrew	7/29 v IND	1.0	2	2/2	0	2	14/26	18/2	0/1
Vincent, Nick	8/3 v LOU	1.0	1	1/1	1	2	10/12	10/4	5/6
Whalen, Rob	8/1 v IND	1.0	0	0/0	0	0	5/5	3/0	2/2

41 BARRACLOUGH, KYLE RHP

Relief Highs - IP: 3.1 H: 5 SO: 6 BB: 4

- Opened the 2021 season with Triple-A Scranton/Wilkes-Barre. In his first professional action since the 2019 campaign, started off with a 4-0 record and a 3.21 ERA. He struck out 24 batters in 14.0 innings of relief, and allowed just five earned runs.
- Spent the start of 2019 in the Nationals bullpen, went 1-2 in 33 games with a 6.66 ERA, and was DFA'd, then claimed off waivers by San Francisco. Pitched in 10 games with the Giants allowing just two earned runs in 10 appearances that spanned 8.0 total innings, working a 2.25 ERA. His opponents' .167 batting average is the second-lowest he's allowed in any stint he's had in MLB.
- Spent the 2015-18 seasons with the Miami Marlins, winning NL reliever of the month in June of 2018, becoming the first Marlins' bullpen arm to win a monthly award since August of 2005.
- In 2016-17 seasons, had a combined record of 12-5. Was first on the Marlins in games with 75 in 2016, was second on the roster in 2017.
- Was originally a Cardinals prospect from 2012-15. He got traded in 2015 to Miami in exchange for Steve Cishek. Pitched in four games in the Marlins system before making his big-league debut on August 7th, 2015. Prior to the trade, worked himself in to a Texas League All-Star nod, the only of his career.
- Was drafted by the Cardinals in 2012 in the 7th round, after originally being drafted by the Minnesota Twins in the 40th round in 2011.

ACQUIRED: Signed with the Minnesota Twins as a minor league free agent on 6/19/21

16 CANO, YENNIER RHP

Relief Highs - IP: 3.0 H: 6 SO: 6 BB: 4

- Starting the season with the Wichita Wind Surge, Cano had a 3-1 record and a 1.47 ERA in Double-A before earning his promotion to Triple-A.
- Struck out 28 batters, while issuing just five free passes this season.
- Threw an immaculate inning on May 11th for the Wind Surge.
- He worked a 1.20 WHIP, while his opponents were batting .227. He has struck out 34.6% of his opponents this season.
- In 2019, he started the his professional career in the GCL, making two appearances before being promoted to Fort Myers, where he finished the season, making eight appearances. He did not surrender a run in his final four outings of the year, spanning 6.1 innings.
- Cano was signed on July 15th, 2019 as the number two international prospect in the 2018 class. Victor Victor Mesa was the top prospect of the class.

ACQUIRED: Signed by the Minnesota Twins as an undrafted free agent on 7/15/19

57 GIBAUT, IAN RHP

Relief Highs - IP: 3.0 H: 5 SO: 7 BB: 4

- Spent the 2020 season with the Texas Rangers. Had his contract selected on July 23rd. Was optioned to the Alternate Training Site in August while he led the team in appearances with 14.
- Allowed runs in just five of his 14 games, he held lefties to a .192 average, while righties fared a bit better, hitting .273 against him.
- Prior to his time with Texas, he was a member of the Tampa Bay Rays organization, where Baseball America ranked him the 18th best Rays' prospect after the 2018 season.
- During the 2018 campaign, he was named an International League All-Star with the Durham Bulls.
- Has had his run-ins with injuries, missing his junior season of HS and most of his sophomore year of college due to injury.

ACQUIRED: Claimed off of waivers from the Texas Rangers on 10/30/20

44 HAMILTON, IAN RHP

Relief Highs - IP: 2.2 H: 6 SO: 5 BB: 3

- Did not surrender an earned in 10 consecutive outings, spanning 15.1 innings from 5/12-6/29.
- Has spent his whole playing career with the White Sox prior to suiting up in the Twins organization in the 2021 season. He was claimed off of waivers twice in the 2020 offseason, by Seattle in September and then Philadelphia in December.
- Made four appearances in 2020 with the White Sox. He pitched four innnings, giving up two earned runs.
- Prior to the 2020 season, was ranked as the White Sox #18 prospect.
- In 2018, he was named the second best relief prospect in the White Sox' system behind Zach Burdi. He was also named a Southern League All-Star with Birmingham that season as well.

ACQUIRED: Traded to the Minnesota Twins from the San Francisco Giants on 2/4/21

36 LEYER, ROBINSON RHP

Relief Highs - IP: 3.2 H: 6 SO: 6 BB: 4

- Made his major league debut in 2020 with the Boston Red Sox. It was a short-lived stint, only appearing in six games (one start), pitching a total of 4.2 innings and gave up eleven earned runs.
- Spent the 2015-16 seasons with the Winston-Salem Dash and played with his brother Euclides, who is two years older than him.
- Had started nearly every game in the first five years of his career, but has made just two starts in the last four years, including one with the Boston Red Sox.
- Was named an All-Star in 2018 with Double-A Pensacola, while they were an affiliate of the Cincinnati Reds.

ACQUIRED: Signed with the Twins as a minor league free agent on 2/12/21

38 MASON, RYAN RHP

Relief Highs - IP: H: SO: BB:

- Pitched in a team-high 25 game for the Wind Surge this season. He had a 3-2 record with a 2.29 ERA in 35.1 innings.
- He did not allow a run in 18 of his 25 appearances in Wichita and has allowed just one earned run in his last 13 outings, spanning 16.0 innings.
- Had a 2-0 record and a 2.35 ERA in Double-A Pensacola in 2019. He struck out 28 batters and walked only four over his 23.0 IP. That earned him a Southern League All-Star nod, the only of his career. He recorded a career-high seven saves, putting up that number in back-to-back seasons.
- Set a school record at at Placer HS in Auburn, CA with six consecutive complete games, went 9-0 with a 1.36 ERA as a senior.

ACQUIRED: Drafted by the Twins in the 13th Round of the 2016 First-Year Player Draft

SAINTS BULLPEN

64 MORAN, JOVANI LHP

Relief Highs - IP: H: SO: BB:

- #30 prospect in the Twins organization per MLB.com
- Started the 2021 season with Double-A Wichita. Appeared in 20 games out of the bullpen, threw 37.2 innings going 2-1 with a 1.91 ERA.
- He did not allow a run in eight straight appearances from May 23-June 16, a span of 13.2 innings, giving up just three hits in that stretch.
- Finished with a career-high 4.54 ERA in 2019 with Double-A Pensacola.
- Went 9-3 in 2018 with a 2.25 ERA. Finished the season with Fort Myers, going 6-1 in 15 games with the Miracle.
- Was ranked the #2 prospect out of Puerto Rico entering the 2015 draft, per *Baseball America*

ACQUIRED: Drafted by the Twins in the 7th Round of the 2015 First-Year Player Draft

55 VASQUEZ, ANDREW LHP

Relief Highs - IP: 3.1 H: 4 SO: 5 BB: 4

- Did not play in 2020 due to the cancellation of the season.
- Split the 2019 season across four levels: GCL, Double-A Pensacola, Triple-A Rochester and the Twins, making one appearance with the parent club.
- In his lone major league appearance in 2019, he did not record an out, facing three batters. He walked two of them and hit the other, giving up three earned runs in doing so.
- In 2018, he had nine outings with Minnesota. He pitched a total of five innings, giving up three earned runs, walking two and striking out seven.

ACQUIRED: Drafted by the Minnesota Twins in the 32nd round of the 2015 First Year Player Draft.

13 VINCENT, NICK RHP

Relief Highs - IP: H: SO: BB:

- Started 2021 with Round Rock (Triple-A, Rangers), pitched in 15 games, accruing 15.1 innings of work on the mound. He allowed seven earned runs on 18 hits and one home run. His opposition was hitting .273 against him. His time with the Express finished with a 0-0 record and a 4.11 ERA.
- Threw one wild pitch with Round Rock, which was his first since the 2014 season when he was pitching with the San Diego Padres.
- Pitched in 2020 with the Miami Marlins, ranked fourth on the team in games.
- Split time in 2019 between the San Francisco Giants and the Philadelphia Phillies, finished 1-4 with a 4.43 ERA between the two teams.
- Pitched for the Seattle Mariners from 2016-18. In 2017, finished 12th in the AL in games with 69 and won Mariners unsung hero award after collecting a 3-3 record and a 3.20 ERA.
- Originally a Padres prospect, pitched in San Diego from 2012-15, finishing with a sub-three ERA in three of his four seasons with the Padres.

ACQUIRED: Signed by the Minnesota Twins to a minor league contract on 6/22/21

52 WHALEN, ROB RHP

Relief Highs - IP: 4.2 H: 4 SO: 5 BB: 4

- Retired from baseball in 2018, before signing with the New York Mets in 2020, the team that drafted him back in 2012.
- Spent parts of three seasons in the Major Leagues
- Appeared in one game with the Seattle Mariners in 2018, throwing four innings of shutout relief. He also had a short stint with the Mariners in 2017, pitching in two games, making one start
- Traded from the Mets to Atlanta in 2015 in a package that included Juan Uribe.
- Mississippi Braves Pitcher of the Year award for his performance in the Southern League in 2016.
- Sterling Award winner with the Kingsport Mets in 2013, given out to the top player at each level in the Mets organization.

ACQUIRED: Signed by the Twins as a minor league free agent on 5/1/21

SAINTS MISCELLANEOUS STATS

Miscellaneous:	When Saints Score:	Multi-Hit Games:
Shutouts for:3	RUNS RECORD	2-hit: Contreras (11), Telis (10), Maggi (10), Miranda (9), Rooker (7), Tomscha (7), Kerrigan (8), Astudillo (6), Jeffers (5), Gordon (5), Riddle (5), Refsnyder (4), Peña (3), Rortvedt (4), Broxton (3), Johnson (3), Buxton (2), Descalso (2), Cave (1), Celestino (1), Kirilloff (1), Larnach (1), Wiel (1), Stankiewicz (1)
Shutouts against:2	0 0-2	3-hit: Kerrigan (3), Miranda (3), Cave (2), Telis (2), Contreras (2), Maggi (2), Rortvedt (2), Bañuelos (1), Lin (1), Riddle (1), Rooker (1), Tomscha (1), Broxton (1), Refsnyder (1)
Series Play:4-5-3	1 0-6	4-hit: Tomscha (2), Telis (1), Rooker (1)
Series Sweeps:1	2 3-8	5-hit: Miranda (1)
Doubleheaders:1-1-0	3 3-9	6-hit:
Come from Behind victories:17	4 7-4	Multi-RBI Games:
High water mark:40-34	5 2-3	2-RBI: Maggi (9), Contreras (6), Rooker (5), Broxton (5), Riddle (4), Telis (4), Kerrigan (4), Jeffers (3), Miranda (3), Tomscha (3), Johnson (3), Rortvedt (2), Cave (2), Refsnyder (2), Kirilloff (1), Lin (1), Buxton (1), Peña (1),
Low water mark:6-11, 20-25, 21-26	6 4-4	3-RBI: Telis (3), Rooker (3), Contreras (1), Gordon (1), Jeffers (1), Larnach (1), Peña (1), Riddle (1), Tomscha (1), Broxton (1), Miranda (1), Rortvedt (1), Refsnyder (1), Johnson (1)
Double Plays Turned:60	7 4-0	4-RBI: Astudillo (1), Riddle (1), Rooker (1), Tomscha (1)
Triple Plays Turned:1 (6/17, 5-2-6-4)	8 4-0	5-RBI: Buxton (1), Kerrigan (1)
Double Plays vs.74	9 3-1	6-RBI: Miranda (1)
Errors:54	10+ 8-0	7-RBI: Rooker (1)
Balks:5	When Opp. Score:	Ejections:
Longest W Streak:7 (5/23-5/30)	RUNS RECORD	Coaching Staff (2)
Longest L Streak: 3 (5/20-5/22); (6/9-6/11); (6/23-25); (7/6-7/8); (7/9-12); (7/30-act)	0 3-0	Gardenhire (2)
	1 10-1	Players (1)
	2 5-0	Kerrigan (1)
	3 6-3	
	4 6-2	
	5 5-4	Walkoffs (4-3)
	6 2-10	Date/Player/Team/Opponent Inning Hit
	7 0-5	5/6 / Merrell / OMA / @ OMA Bot 11 Single
	8 1-4	5/15 / Jeffers / STP / v IOWA Bot 9 Solo HR
	9 0-1	5/19 / Kerrigan / STP / v INDY Bot 9 Single
	10+ 0-7	7/11 G1 / Giambone / IOWA / @ IOWA Bot 7 Sac Fly
		7/11 G2 / Avelino / IOWA / @ IOWA Bot 7 Single
		7/18 / Telis / STP / v COL Bot 10 Single
		7/29 / Telis / STP / v IND Bot 10 Walk

Score By Inning	Homeruns	Extra-Inning Record (4-3)
Saints Opponents	Saints..... 116	Date W/L Opp Score H/R Innings
1 51 59	Home 71	5/6 L OMA 4-3 R 11
2 44 43	Road 47	5/21 L INDY 6-4 H 10
3 61 39	Solo 61	6/18 L IOWA 6-5 H 10
4 75 50	2-Run..... 31	6/26 W COL 6-4 R 10
5 47 30	3-Run..... 14	7/18 W COL 7-6 H 10
6 39 55	Grand Slam 1	7/20 W OMA 6-4 R 10
7 39 35	Opponents 82	7/29 W IND 3-2 H 10
8 29 38		
9 19 33		
X 8 5		
Total 407 380		

Catcher Stats

Astudillo: Runners Caught Stealing: 1-2, 50%, 0 PB, 2.90 ERA
 Bañuelos: Runners Caught Stealing: 1-4, 25%, 1 PB, 9.91 ERA
 Garver: Runners Caught Stealing: 0-0, 0%, 0PB, 1.66 ERA
 Jeffers: Runners Caught Stealing: 1-10, 10%, 3 PB, 4.24 ERA
 Telis: Runners Caught Stealing: 4-16, 25%, 0 PB, 5.49 ERA
 Peña: Runners Caught Stealing: 2-16, 13%, 1 PB, 5.97 ERA
 Rortvedt: Runners Caught Stealing: 0-2, 0%, 0 PB, 4.65 ERA

Starts By Position:

C: Telis (20), Jeffers (13), Peña (13), Bañuelos (12), Rortvedt (10), Astudillo (7), Garver (3)
 1B: Tomscha (22), Telis (22), Johnson (11), Peña (10), Miranda (5), Astudillo (4), Wiel (2), Blankenhorn (1), Rooker (1),
 2B: Maggi (15), Riddle (12), Stankiewicz (10), Descalso (9), Johnson (9), Miranda (8), Encarnacion (7), Lin (4), Blankenhorn (2), Telis (2), Arraez (1),
 SS: Riddle (42), Maggi (27), Gordon (8), Lin (2)
 3B: Tomscha (25), Miranda (14), Descalso (13), Maggi (10), Riddle (6), Astudillo (5), Johnson (3), Lin (1), Stankiewicz (1),
 LF: Rooker (28), Contreras (15), Kerrigan (10), Broxton (10), Riddle (6), Maggi (3), Refsnyder (3), Kirilloff (1), Arraez (1)
 CF: Broxton (42), Kerrigan (24), Cave (4), Contreras (4), Buxton (2), Celestino (2), Refsnyder (1),
 RF: Rooker (21), Kerrigan (21), Contreras (20), Refsnyder (7), Broxton (6), Larnach (2), Kepler (2), Garlick (1)
 DH: Jeffers (11), Rooker (10), Telis (8), Refsnyder (6), Astudillo (5), Johnson (4), Tomscha (4), Contreras (4), Kerrigan (4), Broxton (3), Cave (3), Rortvedt (3), Miranda (2), Descalso (1), Kirilloff (1), Larnach (1), Riddle (1), Buxton (1), Kepler (1), Maggi (1), Garver (1), Garlick (1)

SAINTS MISCELLANEOUS STATS

Saints Offense:

Most Runs Game: 19, 7/13 v COL

Most Runs Inning: 10, 7/13 v COL (4th)

Most Hits Game: 18, 6/29 v OMA

Fewest Hits Game: 0, 7/11 @ IOWA G1 (*7 inning game)

Most HRs, Game, Team: 7, 6/29 v OMA (Miranda (3), Tomscha (2), Contreras, Rooker)

Most HRs, Game, Individual: 3, 2x, Miranda, 6/29 v OMA; Rooker, 7/13 v COL

Most RBI, Game, Individual: 7, Rooker, 7/13 v COL

Most Hits, Game, Individual: 5, Miranda, 6/29 v OMA

Most SBs, Game, Team: 3, 5/12 v IOWA (Gordon, Riddle, Telis)

Most SBs, Game, Individual: 2, Lin, 5/28 @ IOWA

Grand Slams: 1, Miranda, 6/29 v OMA

Longest Hitting Streak: 13 games, Telis 6/11-7/18

Opponents Offense:

Most Runs Game: 16, 6/11 v OMA

Most Runs Inning: 8, 5/16 v IOWA (9th)

Most Hits Game: 22, 7/9 @ IOWA

Fewest Hits Game: 1, 2x, 5/28 @ IOWA; 6/4 G2 @ LOU

Most HRs, Game: 7, 6/15 v OMA

Most SBs, Game Team: 5, 7/4 v OMA

Saints Pitching

Most SOs, Team: 16, 6/29 v OMA

Most Walks, Team: 10, 6/19 v IOWA

Most Errors, Team: 4, 7/18 v COL

Most IP, Individual: 7.0, 3x, Charlie Barnes, 5/26 @ IOWA; Chandler Shepherd 7/28 v INDY; Matt Shoemaker 7/29 v INDY

Most SOs, Individual: 10, Griffin Jax, 5/28 @ IOWA

Most Walks, Individual: 6, Tom Hackimer, 6/6 @ LOU

Complete Games:

Opponents Pitching

Most SOs, Team: 19, 2x, 5/6 @ OMA; 5/30 @ IOWA

Most Walks, Team: 10, 5/8 @ OMA

Most Errors, Team: 2, 7x, Last: 7/2 v OMA

Miscellaneous

Longest Game Time (9 inn.): 3:39, 7/21 @ OMA

Shortest Game Time (9 inn.): 2:20, 2x, 5/26 @ IOWA; 6/24 @ COL

Longest Game Time (7 inn.): 2:20, 5/8 @ OMA; 6/4 G2 @ LOU

Shortest Game Time (7 inn.): 1:40, 6/4 G1 @ LOU

Longest Extra-Inning Game: 4:04 (10 innings), 5/21 v INDIANAPOLIS

SAINTS PLAYER TRANSACTIONS

5/4 - DELETE INF Nick Gordon - recalled by Minnesota
5/5 - DELETE C Caleb Hamilton - assigned to Wichita
5/5 - ADD LHP Brandon Waddell - optioned to St. Paul
5/6 - DELETE LHP Devin Smeltzer - recalled by Minnesota
5/6 - ADD LHP Lewis Thorpe - optioned to St. Paul
5/7 - ADD OF Jimmy Kerrigan - promoted to St. Paul
5/7 - DELETE OF Trevor Larnach - contract selected by Minnesota
5/8 - DELETE RHP Derek Law - contract selected by Minnesota
5/8 - ADD RHP Cody Stashak - optioned to St. Paul
5/8 - DELETE INF Travis Blankenhorn - Designated for Assignment
5/9 - DELETE INF Tzu-Wei Lin - placed on 7-day IL (right oblique strain)
5/9 - DELETE INF Zander Wiel - placed on 7-day IL (right quad strain)
5/10 - DELETE INF Drew Maggi - placed on 7-day IL (right hip flexor strain)
5/11 - ADD INF Yelstin Encarnacion - promoted from Cedar Rapids
5/11 - ADD INF Daniel Ozoria - promoted from Fort Myers
5/11 - ADD INF Damek Tomscha - promoted from Wichita
5/11 - ADD INF Nick Gordon - optioned to St. Paul
5/11 - DELETE RHP Shaun Anderson - recalled by Minnesota
5/13 - ADD INF Daniel Descalso - assigned to St. Paul
5/15 - DELETE OF Rob Refsnyder - contract selected by Minnesota
5/18 - DELETE RHP Bailey Ober - called up by Minnesota
5/18 - DELETE RHP Cody Stashak - recalled by Minnesota
5/18 - DELETE RHP Glenn Sparkman - released from contract
5/18 - ADD RHP Tom Hackimer - promoted from Wichita
5/19 - ADD OF Alex Kirilloff - sent to St. Paul on MLR
5/20 - DELETE LHP Lewis Thorpe - recalled by Minnesota
5/21 - ADD LHP Lewis Thorpe - optioned to St. Paul
5/21 - ADD RHP Derek Law - sent outright to St. Paul
5/21 - ADD RHP Rob Whalen - promoted from Wichita
5/21 - ADD LHP Lewis Thorpe - optioned to St. Paul
5/22 - ADD C Ben Rortvedt - optioned to St. Paul
5/22 - ADD RHP Bailey Ober - optioned to St. Paul
5/22 - DELETE INF Daniel Ozoria - transferred to Cedar Rapids
5/22 - DELETE RHP Jonathan Cheshire - transferred to Wichita
5/22 - ADD INF Tzu-Wei Lin - reinstated from injured list
5/25 - DELETE LHP Andrew Albers - placed on Temporary Inactive List
5/25 - ADD OF Mark Contreras - promoted from Wichita
5/26 - ADD INF Drew Maggi - reinstated from injured list
5/27 - DELETE INF Yeltsin Encarnacion - transferred to Cedar Rapids
5/28 - ADD RHP Shaun Anderson - sent to St. Paul on MLR
5/29 - DELETE RHP Juan Minaya - contract selected by Minnesota
5/29 - ADD RHP Cody Stashak - optioned to St. Paul
5/30 - DELETE INF Tzu-Wei Lin - placed on 7-Day IL (right oblique strain)
5/30 - DELETE C Ben Rortvedt - recalled by Minnesota
6/1 - ADD OF Gilberto Celestino - promoted from Wichita
6/1 - ADD INF Sherman Johnson - promoted from Wichita
6/1 - DELETE OF Mark Contreras - transferred to Wichita
6/2 - DELETE OF Gilberto Celestino - recalled by Minnesota
6/2 - DELETE C Ryan Jeffers - recalled by Minnesota
6/3 - DELETE RHP Shaun Anderson - recalled by Minnesota
6/5 - DELETE RHP Griffin Jax - contract selected by Minnesota
6/5 - DELETE RHP Bailey Ober - recalled by Minnesota
6/5 - ADD LHP Bryan Sammons - promoted from Wichita
6/5 - ADD RHP Matt Mullenbach - assigned to St. Paul
6/8 - ADD OF Byron Buxton - sent to St. Paul on MLR
6/8 - ADD RHP Juan Minaya - sent outright to St. Paul
6/8 - DELETE RHP Tom Hackimer - released
6/8 - DELETE RHP Matt Mullenbach - transferred to development complex

Total Transactions:

May: 42
June: 42
July: 32
August: 2
September:

Saints Promoted to MLB: 18

SAINTS PLAYER TRANSACTIONS

6/8 - ADD OF Gilberto Celestino - optioned to St. Paul
 6/9 - DELETE OF Gilberto Celestino - recalled by Minnesota.
 6/9 - ADD RHP Kenta Maeda - sent to St. Paul on MLR
 6/9 - ADD LHP Andrew Albers - activated from Temporary Inactive List
 6/10 - DELETE RHP Cody Stashak - recalled to Minnesota
 6/11 - ADD 2B Luis Arraez - sent to St. Paul on MLR
 6/13 - ADD OF Max Kepler - sent to St. Paul on MLR
 6/14 - DELETE RHP Kenta Maeda - returned to Minnesota from MLR
 6/14 - DELETE 2B Luis Arraez - returned to Minnesota from MLR
 6/15 - ADD RHP Yennier Cano - promoted from Wichita
 6/16 - ADD RHP Griffin Jax - optioned to St. Paul
 6/18 - DELETE OF Max Kepler - returned to Minnesota from MLR
 6/18 - DELETE RHP Shaun Anderson - claimed off of waivers
 6/20 - ADD RHP Kyle Barraclough - assigned to St. Paul
 6/20 - ADD C Willians Astudillo - optioned to St. Paul
 6/20 - ADD OF Gilberto Celestino - optioned to St. Paul
 6/22 - DELETE INF Daniel Descalso - opted out of contract
 6/22 - DELETE C David Bañuelos - transferred to Wichita
 6/22 - DELETE OF Gilberto Celestino - recalled by Minnesota
 6/23 - ADD RHP Nick Vincent - assigned to St. Paul
 6/24 - ADD RHP Beau Burrows - assigned to St. Paul
 6/24 - ADD C Kyle Schmidt - promoted from Fort Myers
 6/24 - DELETE RHP Griffin Jax - recalled by Minnesota
 6/25 - DELETE RHP Danny Coulombe - recalled by Minnesota
 6/28 - ADD INF Jose Miranda - promoted from Wichita
 6/28 - ADD RHP Josh Winder - promoted from Wichita
 6/28 - DELETE LHP Bryan Sammons - transferred to Wichita
 6/30 - ADD INF Drew Stankiewicz - assigned to St. Paul
 7/1 - DELETE C Kyle Schmidt - transferred to Cedar Rapids
 7/1 - DELETE RHP Derek Law - recalled to Minnesota
 7/1 - ADD C David Bañuelos - promoted from Wichita
 7/1 - ADD RHP Micheal Pineda - sent to St. Paul on MLR
 7/2 - ADD RHP Joe Harvey - assigned to St. Paul
 7/7 - DELETE RHP Michael Pineda - returned to Minnesota from MLR
 7/7 - ADD RHP Matt Shoemaker - sent outright to St. Paul
 7/7 - ADD RHP Griffin Jax - optioned to St. Paul
 7/8 - DELETE RHP Robinson Leyer - placed on 7-Day IL (right forearm strain)
 7/13 - ADD OF Jake Cave - sent to St. Paul on MLR
 7/13 - ADD C Mitch Garver - sent to St. Paul on MLR
 7/16 - ADD LHP Jovani Moran - promoted from Wichita
 7/17 - DELETE LHP Charlie Barnes - contract selected by Minnesota
 7/17 - DELETE RHP Beau Burrows - recalled by Minnesota
 7/17 - DELETE RHP Juan Minaya - contract selected by Minnesota
 7/19 - DELETE C Mitch Garver - returned to Minnesota from MLR
 7/19 - ADD RHP Beau Burrows - optioned to St. Paul
 7/19 - ADD LHP Charlie Barnes - optioned to St. Paul
 7/19 - ADD C Ben Rortvedt - optioned to St. Paul
 7/19 - ADD OF Rob Refsnyder - sent to St. Paul on MLR
 7/19 - ADD OF Kyle Garlick - sent to St. Paul on MLR
 7/21 - DELETE C Mitch Garver - returned to Minnesota from MLR
 7/21 - DELETE C Willians Astudillo - recalled by Minnesota
 7/22 - DELETE C Ben Rortvedt - recalled by Minnesota
 7/22 - ADD RHP Drew Strotman - assigned to St. Paul
 7/23 - DELETE OF Brent Rooker - recalled by Minnesota
 7/24 - DELETE OF Jake Cave - returned to Minnesota from MLR
 7/25 - ADD C Ben Rortvedt - optioned to St. Paul
 7/27 - DELETE RHP Beau Burrows - recalled by Minnesota
 7/30 - ADD RHP Edgar Garcia - assigned to St. Paul
 7/30 - DELETE RHP Griffin Jax - recalled by Minnesota
 7/30 - DELETE LHP Charlie Barnes - recalled by Minnesota
 7/31 - ADD RHP Ryan Mason - promoted from Wichita
 8/1 - ADD OF Gilberto Celestino - optioned to St. Paul
 8/3 - DELETE RHP Matt Shoemaker - released

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5/4	@OMAHA	L, 8-2	0-1	T-5th (1.0 GB)	Kowar (1-0)	Albers (0-1)	-	2:41
5/5	@OMAHA	W, 10-4	1-1	T-3rd (1.0 GB)	Barnes (1-0)	Hernández (0-1)	-	3:06
5/6	@OMAHA	L, 4-3 (11)	1-2	T-5th (1.5 GB)	Sotillet (1-0)	Coulombe (0-1)	-	3:58
5/7	@OMAHA	L, 4-2	1-3	T-6th (2.0 GB)	Vines (1-0)	Minaya (0-1)	-	3:14
5/8	@OMAHA	W, 8-2	2-3	6th (2.5 GB)	Anderson (1-0)	Kalish (0-1)	-	3:36
5/9	@OMAHA	L, 6-1 (7)	2-4	6th (2.5 GB)	Kowar (2-0)	Gibaut (0-1)	-	2:20
5/11	IOWA	L, 11-1	2-5	7th (3.5 GB)	Biagini (1-1)	Dobnak (0-1)	-	3:18
5/12	IOWA	W, 6-1	3-5	5th (2.5 GB)	Jax (1-0)	Holmes (0-1)	-	2:54
5/13	IOWA	L, 7-3	3-6	7th (3.0 GB)	Abbott (1-1)	Shepherd (0-1)	-	3:04
5/14	IOWA	W, 4-3	4-6	5th (2.5 GB)	Albers (1-1)	Stewart (0-1)	Coulombe (1)	3:06
5/15	IOWA	W, 2-1	5-6	5th (2.0 GB)	Minaya (1-1)	Stock (0-1)	-	3:02
5/16	IOWA	L, 8-3	5-7	5th (3.0 GB)	Meisinger (1-0)	Gibaut (0-2)	-	3:27
5/18	INDIANAPOLIS	L, 7-3	5-8	5th (3.5 GB)	Sulser (2-0)	Jax (1-1)	-	3:10
5/19	INDIANAPOLIS	W, 3-2	6-8	5th (3.5 GB)	Minaya (1-0)	Spitzbarth (2-1)	-	2:37 (1:08)
5/20	INDIANAPOLIS	L, 7-3	6-9	5th (3.5 GB)	Yajure (1-1)	Albers (1-2)	-	2:47
5/21	INDIANAPOLIS	L, 6-4 (10)	6-10	6th (4.5 GB)	Gustave (1-0)	Whalen (0-1)	-	4:04
5/22	INDIANAPOLIS	L, 5-1	6-11	6th (5.5 GB)	De Jong (2-0)	Minaya (1-2)	-	2:56
5/23	INDIANAPOLIS	W, 5-4	7-11	6th (4.5 GB)	Jax (2-1)	Sulser (2-1)	Hackimer (1)	2:42
5/25	@IOWA	W, 17-6	8-11	6th (3.5 GB)	Ober (1-0)	Abbott (2-1)	-	3:27
5/26	@IOWA	W, 4-3	9-11	5th (3.5 GB)	Barnes (2-0)	Stewart (1-2)	Law (1)	2:20
5/27	@IOWA	W, 4-2	10-11	3rd (3.5 GB)	Vasquez (2-0)	Morgan (0-1)	Whalen (1)	3:03
5/28	@IOWA	W, 4-0	11-11	3rd (3.5 GB)	Jax (3-1)	Mills (0-2)	-	2:28
5/29	@IOWA	W, 6-5	12-11	2nd (3.5 GB)	Leyer (1-0)	Stock (0-2)	Law (2)	3:15
5/30	@IOWA	W, 7-3	13-11	2nd (3.5 GB)	Hamilton (1-0)	Abbott (1-3)	Whalen (2)	2:50

May Record: 13-11 BATTING: .227 AVG / 30HR / .307 OBP / .696 OPS PITCHING : 4.22 ERA / 251 SO / 92 BB / .261 OPP BA

6/1 PPD - TO BE MADE UP ON 6/4 IN A DOUBLEHEADER

6/2	@LOU	L, 6-2	13-12	2nd (4.0 GB)	Alaniz (1-0)	Thorpe (0-1)	-	2:59
6/3	@LOU	L, 6-3	13-13	2nd (5.0 GB)	Takahashi (1-1)	Duran (0-1)	Warren (1)	2:42 (1:29)
6/4 G1	@LOU	W, 2-1 (7)	14-13	2nd (4.5 GB)	Shepherd (1-1)	Santillan (1-3)	Law (3)	1:40
6/4 G2	@LOU	W, 4-1 (7)	15-13	2nd (4.5 GB)	Coulombe (1-1)	Sanmartin (0-1)	-	2:20
6/5	@LOU	L, 6-3	15-14	3rd (5.5 GB)	Finnegan (2-0)	Sammons (0-1)	Warren (2)	3:00
6/6	@LOU	L, 6-1	15-15	3rd (6.5 GB)	Peréz (1-0)	Leyer (1-1)	-	2:23
6/8	OMAHA	W, 4-1	16-15	3rd (5.5 GB)	Hamilton (2-0)	Zuber (0-1)	Coulombe (2)	2:52
6/9	OMAHA	L, 5-2	16-16	3rd (6.5 GB)	Sotillet (2-0)	Duran (0-2)	Swarzak (3)	3:07 (1:15)
6/10	OMAHA	L, 16-9	16-17	4th (7.5 GB)	Lynch (2-1)	Shepherd (1-2)	-	3:20
6/11	OMAHA	L, 6-4	16-18	4th (8.5 GB)	Blewett (2-1)	Whalen (0-2)	Swarzak (4)	3:04
6/12	OMAHA	W, 9-5	17-18	4th (7.5 GB)	Albers (2-2)	Junis (0-1)	-	3:14
6/13	OMAHA	L, 15-4	17-19	4th (8.5 GB)	Gavin (1-0)	Barnes (2-1)	-	3:01
6/15	IOWA	L, 3-1	17-20	4th (9.5 GB)	Effross (1-2)	Duran (0-3)	Ryan (1)	2:53
6/16	IOWA	W, 2-0	18-20	4th (8.5 GB)	Shepherd (2-2)	Swarmer (0-3)	Law (4)	2:25
6/17	IOWA	L, 12-2	18-21	4th (9.5 GB)	Sampson (1-2)	Whalen (0-3)	-	3:00
6/18	IOWA	L, 6-5 (10)	18-22	5th (10.5 GB)	Ryan (2-0)	Minaya (1-3)	Megill (1)	3:31
6/19	IOWA	W, 8-1	19-22	5th (9.5 GB)	Barnes (3-1)	Stewart (1-3)	-	3:20

6/20 SSPD - TO BE COMPLETED ON 8/17 IN TOP 5

6/22	@COL	W, 8-3	20-22	4th (9.5 GB)	Shepherd (3-2)	Herget (1-3)	-	2:56
6/23	@COL	L, 7-6	20-23	T-4th (10.0 GB)	Young (2-1)	Whalen (0-4)	Johnson (4)	3:12
6/24	@COL	L, 3-0	20-24	5th (11.0 GB)	Gose (3-0)	Albers (2-3)	Stephens (2)	2:20
6/25	@COL	L, 7-2	20-25	5th (11.0 GB)	Perez, F (1-0)	Barnes (3-2)	-	2:36
6/26	@COL	W, 6-4 (10)	21-25	5th (11.0 GB)	Vasquez (3-0)	Johnson (1-2)	Vincent (1)	3:09
6/27	@COL	L, 8-6	21-26	5th (11.0 GB)	Herget (2-3)	Shepherd (3-3)	Stephens (3)	2:49
6/29	OMA	W, 15-4	22-26	5th (10.0 GB)	Barracough (5-0)	Junis (0-2)	-	3:34
6/30	OMA	W, 7-4	23-26	5th (9.0 GB)	Albers (3-3)	Blewett (3-3)	Vincent (2)	3:06

June Record: 10-15 BATTING: .229 AVG / 38HR / .320 OBP / .736 OPS PITCHING : 5.40 ERA / 208 SO / 106 BB / .247 OPP BA

7/1	OMA	L, 6-1	23-27	T-4th (10.0 GB)	Martinez (1-1)	Pineda (0-1)	-	2:59
7/2	OMA	W, 7-3	24-27	T-4th (9.0 GB)	Winder (1-0)	Lynch (4-2)	-	2:36
7/3	OMA	W, 4-2	25-27	4th (8.0 GB)	Barnes (4-2)	Kowar (5-2)	Hamilton (1)	2:30
7/4	OMA	L, 10-6	25-28	4th (9.0 GB)	Butler (3-1)	Harvey (0-1)	-	3:08
7/6	@IOWA	W, 11-1	26-28	4th (9.0 GB)	Albers (4-3)	Hauschild (0-2)	-	3:23
7/7	@IOWA	W, 4-2	27-28	4th (8.0 GB)	Minaya (2-3)	Kellogg (1-2)	Vincent (3)	3:09
7/8	@IOWA	W, 10-3	28-28	T-3rd (7.0 GB)	Barnes (5-2)	Biagini (1-4)	-	3:16
7/9	@IOWA	L, 15-2	28-29	T-3rd (8.0 GB)	Swarmer (1-4)	Shepherd (3-4)	-	3:11
7/11 G1	@IOWA	L, 1-0 (7)	28-30	4th (9.5 GB)	Maples (1-0)	Cano (0-1)	-	2:04
7/11 G2	@IOWA	L, 3-2 (7)	28-31	4th (9.5 GB)	Meisinger (2-2)	Vincent (0-1)	-	2:00
7/13	COL	W, 19-1	29-31	4th (8.5 GB)	Jax (4-1)	Mejia (0-1)	-	3:00
7/14	COL	W, 9-8	30-31	4th (8.5 GB)	Vincent (1-1)	Dowdy (3-3)	-	2:41
7/15	COL	W, 9-5	31-31	4th (7.5 GB)	Shepherd (4-4)	Godley (3-3)	-	3:14
7/16	COL	L, 5-3	31-32	4th (8.0 GB)	Herget (4-3)	Gibaut (0-3)	-	2:41
7/17	COL	W, 8-0	32-32	3rd (8.5 GB)	Shoemaker (1-0)	Fillmyer (1-2)	-	3:02
7/18	COL	W, 7-6 (10)	33-32	3rd (7.5 GB)	Vincent (2-1)	Dowdy (3-4)	-	3:26

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7/20	@OMA	W, 6-4 (10)	34-32	3rd (6.5 GB)	Vasquez (4-0)	Gavin (3-2)	Hamilton (2)	3:38
7/21	@OMA	W, 7-6	35-32	3rd (5.5 GB)	Moran (1-0)	Kalish (1-2)	Vincent (4)	3:39
7/22	@OMA	W, 7-5	36-32	3rd (4.5 GB)	Burrows (2-1)	Newberry (1-2)	Hamilton (3)	3:06
7/23	@OMA	L, 5-3	36-33	3rd (5.5 GB)	Kowar (7-2)	Barnes (5-3)	Vines (1)	3:03
7/24	@OMA	W, 3-1	37-33	3rd (4.5 GB)	Barraclough (6-0)	Newberry (1-3)	Moran (1)	2:58
7/25	@OMA	L, 9-6	37-34	3rd (5.5 GB)	Coleman (1-0)	Hamilton (2-1)	Payamps (1)	3:12
7/27	IND	W, 16-1	38-34	3rd (4.5 GB)	Shepherd (5-4)	Wright, S (4-5)	-	2:30
7/28	IND	W, 10-5	39-34	3rd (4.5 GB)	Cano (1-1)	Sulser (5-4)	-	2:54
7/29	IND	W, 3-2	40-34	3rd (4.5 GB)	Vincent (3-1)	Spitzbarth (3-2)	-	2:59
7/30	IND	L, 8-4	40-35	3rd (4.5 GB)	Vieaux (1-1)	Albers (4-4)	-	2:48
7/31	IND	L, 6-5	40-36	3rd (4.5 GB)	Anderson (1-0)	Barraclough (6-1)	Wright, S (1)	3:01
July Record: 17-10		BATTING: .272 AVG / 47HR / .358 OBP / .846 OPS			PITCHING : 4.24 ERA / 231 SO / 88 BB / .251 OPP BA			
8/1	IND	L, 12-5	40-37	3rd (4.5 GB)	Eckleman (1-4)	Shepherd (5-5)	O'Reilly (1)	3:05
8/3	LOU	W, 5-4	41-37	3rd (4.5 GB)	García (3-0)	Diehl (2-2)	Vincent (5)	2:43