



# 2026 ROSTER

March 31, 2026



Active – 28 (DEV) Development List – 0 (IL) Injured List – 3 (R) Rehab Assignment – 1 (40) 40-Man Roster (Active) – 10

MANAGER: 13 **Patrick Osborn** • PITCHING COACH: **Dane Johnson** • HITTING COACH: 14 **Bijan Rademacher** (*bee-JAHN rah-da-MAKE-er*)

ASSISTANT PITCHING COACH: **Dave Lundquist** (*LUND-kwist*) • ASSISTANT COACH: 7 **Tripp Keister** (*KEY-sterr*) • BULLPEN CATCHER: **Josh Mazur** (*MAY-zur*)

ATHLETIC TRAINER: **James Stone** • ATHLETIC TRAINER: **Amanda Gallone** • STRENGTH & CONDITIONING COACH: **CJ Mikkelsen**

CLUBHOUSE COORDINATOR: **Mike Brown** • ASSISTANT COORDINATOR, MINOR LEAGUE VIDEO: **Ben Nicholas** • NUTRITION FELLOW: **Alyssa Druey** (*DROO-ee*)

PITCHERS (15)	B/T	Ht	Wt	BORN	AGE	HOMETOWN	LAST TEAM(S)	ACQUIRED	MLB ST*	PRONUNCIATION
58 Luinder Avila (40)	R/R	6'3"	225	8/21/2001	24	Caracas, Venezuela	Quad Cities/Omaha/KANSAS CITY ('25)	INTL FA – 3/3/2018	0.033	<i>loo-ween-derAH-vee-luh</i>
36 Ryan Bergert (40)	R/R	6'1"	210	3/8/2000	26	Canton, Ohio	El Paso/SAN DIEGO/KANSAS CITY ('25)	Trade – 7/31/2025 w/SD	0.113	<i>bur-gurt</i>
37 Mason Black (40)	R/R	6'3"	228	12/10/1999	26	Archbald, Pennsylvania	Sacramento/SAN FRANCISCO ('25)	Trade – 11/11/2025 w/SF	0.051	
63 Eric Cerantola (40)	R/R	6'5"	230	5/2/2000	25	Montreal, Québec, Canada	<b>Omaha ('25)</b>	2021 Draft – Round 5	0.000	<i>sair-inn-toe-luh</i>
64 Steven Cruz (40)	R/R	6'6"	245	6/15/1999	26	Tenares, D.R.	<b>Omaha/KANSAS CITY ('25)</b>	Trade – 1/24/2023 w/MIN	1.058	
33 Jose Cuas	R/R	6'3"	195	6/28/1994	31	Brooklyn, New York	Columbus-AA/Lehigh Valley ('25)	MiLB FA – 12/12/2025	2.109	<i>kwias</i>
61 Brandon Johnson	R/R	6'0"	195	6/12/1999	26	Cottondale, Alabama	NW Arkansas/Omaha ('25)	2022 Draft – Round 9	0.000	
22 Ben Kudrna (40)	R/R	6'3"	175	1/30/2003	23	Overland Park, Kansas	NW Arkansas/Omaha ('25)	2021 Draft – Round 2 (43 <sup>rd</sup> )	0.000	<i>koo-dur-nuh</i>
34 Eli Morgan (40)	R/R	5'10"	190	5/13/1996	29	Rancho Palos Verdes, California	ACL Cubs/Iowa/CHICAGO-NL ('25)	MiLB FA – 1/30/2026	4.091	
47 Helcris Olivárez	L/L	6'2"	233	8/8/2000	25	San Francisco de Macoris, D.R.	Richmond/Sacramento ('25)	MiLB FA – 12/22/2025	0.131	<i>hell-creesoh-lee-vah-rez</i>
32 Shane Panzini	R/R	6'3"	220	10/30/2001	24	Spring Lake, New Jersey	NW Arkansas/Omaha ('25)	2021 Draft – Round 4	0.000	<i>pan-zee-nee</i>
53 Ryan Ramsey	R/L	6'0"	195	1/18/2001	25	Montvale, New Jersey	NW Arkansas/Omaha ('25)	2022 Draft – Round 13	0.000	
41 Aaron Sanchez	R/R	6'4"	212	7/1/1992	33	Barstow, California	Buffalo ('24)	MiLB FA – 1/27/2026	6.113	
45 Mitch Spence (40)	R/R	6'1"	195	5/6/1998	27	Cary, North Carolina	Las Vegas/ATHLETICS ('25)	Trade – 2/12/2026 w/ATH	1.124	
43 Beck Way	R/R	6'4"	200	8/6/1999	26	Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania	NW Arkansas/Omaha ('25)	Trade – 7/27/2022 w/NYY	0.000	

CATCHERS (3)	B/T	Ht	Wt	BORN	AGE	HOMETOWN	LAST TEAM(S)	ACQUIRED	MLB ST*	PRONUNCIATION
48 Elias Díaz	R/R	6'1"	223	11/17/1990	35	Maracaibo, Venezuela	SAN DIEGO ('25)	MiLB FA – 2/24/2026	9.087	<i>ee-LEE-iss DEE-az</i>
17 Elih Marrero	S/R	5'7"	185	6/21/1997	28	Miami, Florida	Frisco/Round Rock ('25)	MiLB FA – 12/29/2025	0.000	<i>EE-lie muh-RARE-ro</i>
11 Luca Tresh	R/R	6'0"	190	1/11/2000	26	Safety Harbor, Florida	<b>Omaha ('25)</b>	2021 Draft – Round 17	0.000	<i>loo-cuh</i>

INFIELDERS (6+1)	B/T	Ht	Wt	BORN	AGE	HOMETOWN	LAST TEAM(S)	ACQUIRED	MLB ST*	PRONUNCIATION
24 Brandon Drury	R/R	6'1"	225	8/21/1992	33	Grants Pass, Oregon	ACL Angels/Charlotte/Salt Lake ('25)	MiLB FA – 2/4/2026	8.001	<i>drur-ee</i>
16 Connor Kaiser	R/R	6'3"	195	11/20/1996	29	Overland Park, Kansas	Reno/ARIZONA ('25)	MiLB FA – 11/10/2025	0.073	<i>ky-zurr</i>
18 <b>Michael Massey</b> (R) (40)	L/R	6'1"	200	3/22/1998	28	Palos Park, Illinois	<b>NW Arkansas/Omaha/KANSAS CITY ('25)</b>	<b>2019 Draft – Round 4</b>	<b>3.068</b>	
28 Kevin Newman	R/R	6'0"	195	8/4/1993	32	Poway, California	Toledo/LOS ANGELES-AL ('25)	MiLB FA – 12/16/2025	7.003	
4 Josh Rojas	L/R	6'1"	200	6/30/1994	31	Litchfield Park, Arizona	Charlotte/CHICAGO-AL ('25)	MiLB FA – 1/7/2026	5.104	
21 Abraham Toro	S/R	6'0"	223	12/20/1996	29	Saint-Laurent, Québec, Canada	Worcester/BOSTON ('25)	MiLB FA – 12/18/2025	4.106	
1 Peyton Wilson	S/R	5'9"	180	11/1/1999	26	Hoover, Alabama	NW Arkansas/Omaha ('25)	2021 Draft – Round CB-B (66 <sup>th</sup> )	0.000	

OUTFIELDERS (4)	B/T	Ht	Wt	BORN	AGE	HOMETOWN	LAST TEAM(S)	ACQUIRED	MLB ST*	PRONUNCIATION
9 Gavin Cross	L/L	6'2"	210	2/13/2001	25	Bristol, Tennessee	NW Arkansas ('25)	2022 Draft – Round 1 (9 <sup>th</sup> )	0.000	
26 Kameron Misner (40)	L/L	6'3"	220	1/8/1998	28	Poplar Bluff, Missouri	Durham/TAMPA BAY ('25)	Trade – 11/10/2025 w/TB	0.117	<i>MIYZ-ner</i>
2 John Rave (40)	L/L	5'10"	190	12/30/1997	28	Bloomington, Illinois	<b>Omaha/KANSAS CITY ('25)</b>	2019 Draft – Round 5	0.102	
8 Drew Waters	S/R	6'1"	200	12/30/1998	27	Woodstock, Georgia	<b>Omaha/KANSAS CITY ('25)</b>	Trade – 7/11/2022 w/ATL	1.149	

## NUMERICAL

1	Wilson, Peyton	INF/OF
2	<b>Rave, John</b>	<b>OF</b>
4	Rojas, Josh	INF
7	Keister, Tripp	COACH
8	Waters, Drew	OF
9	Cross, Gavin	OF
11	Tresh, Luca	C
13	Osborn, Patrick	MANAGER
14	Rademacher, Bijan	HITTING COACH
16	Kaiser, Connor	INF
17	Marrero, Elih	C
18	<b>Massey, Michael</b>	<b>2B/OF</b>
21	Toro, Abraham	INF
22	<b>Kudrna, Ben</b>	<b>RHP</b>
24	Drury, Brandon	INF
26	<b>Misner, Kameron</b>	<b>OF</b>
28	Newman, Kevin	INF
32	Panzini, Shane	RHP
33	Cuas, Jose	RHP
34	<b>Morgan, Eli</b>	<b>RHP</b>
36	<b>Bergert, Ryan</b>	<b>RHP</b>
37	<b>Black, Mason</b>	<b>RHP</b>
41	Sanchez, Aaron	RHP
43	Way, Beck	RHP
45	<b>Spence, Mitch</b>	<b>RHP</b>
47	Olivárez, Helcris	LHP
48	Díaz, Elias	C
53	Ramsey, Ryan	LHP
58	<b>Avila, Luinder</b>	<b>RHP</b>
61	Johnson, Brandon	RHP
63	<b>Cerantola, Eric</b>	<b>RHP</b>
64	<b>Cruz, Steven</b>	<b>RHP</b>

(40-Man Roster in Bold)

## INJURED LIST

PLAYER	PLACED/RETRO
LHP Tyson Guerrero (60-DAY)	3/17
LHP John Means (60-DAY)	3/17
RHP Anthony Simonelli (60-DAY)	3/17

## PRONUNCIATIONS



\* MLB Service Time through 2025



# TRANSACTIONS



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1. 3/26 *Kansas City Royals announce 2026 Breaking Roster*
1. 3/29 + OF Drew Waters Sent outright to Omaha
2. 3/31 + INF Michael Massey Sent to Omaha for Major League Rehab Assignment