



ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS (14-22) at LOS ANGELES DODGERS (27-10)

RHP Zac Gallen (1-0, 2.09) vs. RHP Walker Buehler (1-0, 4.32)

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HERE'S THE STORY: The D-backs continue their 7-game road trip tonight @ Dodgers.

- ◆ Arizona starters have given up 2 runs or fewer in 7 of its last 9 games.
- ◆ **Zac Gallen** has allowed 3 or fewer earned runs in all 22 games to begin his career, a Major League record (all starts - no relief appearances).
- ◆ **Christian Walker** is hitting .351 (13-for-37)/1.057 OPS with 3 doubles, 2 homers and 10 RBI in his last 10 games.

QUALITY IS JOB ONE: **Zac Gallen** is tied for the NL lead with 6 quality starts (also: Yu Darvish/CHC and Kyle Freeland/COL).

LOOK AT ME, I CAN BE, CENTER FIELD: Last night, **Daulton Varsho** became the second D-back to start a game at catcher and center field in the same season (also: Chris Herrmann on May 15, 2016 vs. Giants).
◆ Daulton's father, Gary, played 9 career games (4 starts) in center field (all with the Pirates).

GOING DEEP AT DODGER STADIUM: The D-backs' 47 home runs @ Dodger Stadium since 2017 are the most by a visiting team, 5 ahead of the Rockies:

- ☐ **MOST HR BY OPPONENT AT DODGER STADIUM SINCE 2017:** 47 - D-backs; 42 - Rockies; 40 - Padres; 27 - Giants.

◆ Arizona has homered in 18 of its last 19 games @ Dodger Stadium (34 HR), including a club-record 15 straight contests from April 13, 2018-Aug. 9, 2019.

CARSON KEL-L.A.: **Carson Kelly**, who hit a solo home run last night, is a career .350 hitter (7-for-20)/1.409 OPS with 1 double, 4 home runs and 6 RBI in 7 games @ Dodger Stadium.
◆ Kelly has homered in 3 of his last 4 games @ Dodger Stadium (4 HR total).
◆ He made his D-backs debut on March 29, 2019 @ Dodger Stadium and delivered the game-winning, RBI double in the 13th inning of a 5-4 win.

HOLLYWOOD'S WALK(ER) OF FAME: **Christian Walker** is hitting .407 (11-for-27) with 1 double, 4 home runs and 8 RBI in his last 9 games @ Dodger Stadium.

BETTER LATE THAN NEVER: The D-backs' 66 runs after the sixth inning are fourth in the Majors behind the Padres (74), Giants (70) and Dodgers (67).

RHP ZAC GALLEN ◆ #23 ◆ R/R ◆ 6-2/198 ◆ 25 (AUG. 3, 1995)

- AT A GLANCE:** Second season with the D-backs.
- Acquired on July 31, 2019 from the Marlins for INF Jazz Chisholm.
 - Made Major League debut on June 20, 2019 @ Cardinals.
 - Selected by the Cardinals' in the third round of the 2016 draft...traded to the Marlins as part of a deal that included Marcell Ozuna on Dec. 14, 2017.
 - Nicknamed "The Milkman" by a University of North Carolina broadcaster (up for debate why - because of his last name or because he "always delivered").

GALLEN LATELY: Will be aiming for back-to-back wins for the first time in his career.

- His streak of 7 consecutive games with 2 or fewer runs allowed is the longest by a D-back since Robbie Ray (8 from Aug. 25-Sept. 30, 2018).
- Looking for first road win since July 24, 2019 @ White Sox.

LAST START: Earned first win and set a Major League record (see next note) on Aug. 28 vs. Giants (1 ER in 7.0 IP)...only run came on an Evan Longoria homer in the sixth inning.

22 & COUNTING: Owns the Major League record with 22 games allowing 3 or fewer earned runs to begin a career (all starts), surpassing the 21 games by Aaron Sele/BOS, June 23, 1993-April 19, 1994.

VS. DODGERS: Is 0-1 with a 3.31 ERA (6 ER in 16.1 IP) in 3 career starts vs. Dodgers...did not factor in the decision on July 31 @ Chase Field (2 ER in 6.0 IP).

ON THE LEADERBOARD: Ranks among the NL leaders in quality starts (T-1st, 6), ERA (4th, 2.09), innings (T-6th, 43.0), opponent average (8th, .201) and WHIP (9th, 1.02).

TROUBLE WITH THE CURVE: Opponents are hitting .042 (1-for-24) off his curveball (.203 in 2019).

TOUCHING ALL THE BASES

LOCAL STREAMING NOW AVAILABLE: For the remainder of the season, fans can not only hear live D-backs games on the radio, but also on their favorite devices, as Greg Schulte, Tom Candiotti and Mike Ferrin will now be streamed on the Arizona Sports app and ArizonaSports.com...previously, this online option was only available via dbacks.com.

LOCASTRO A GO-GO: **Tim Llocastro** has been successful in his first 23 career stolen base attempts, the fifth-longest stolen base streak to start a career (since 1951 - when steals were tracked) [source: Sportradar].

SB	NAME	YEAR(S)
27	Tim Raines/MON	1979-81
26	Mitchell Page/OAK	1977
25	Quintin Berry/DET-BOS-BAL	2012-14
25	Jacoby Ellsbury/BOS	2007-08
23	Tim Llocastro/LAD-ARI	2017-current

FOR (SNAKES) & GIGGLES: A look at a few interesting D-backs' tidbits this season:

- ◆ The D-backs are the only team yet to participate in the new extra-inning rules that has taken effect in 2020.
- ◆ Arizona leads the Majors with 39 "productive outs" and a 32.8 pct. (39-for-119) [advancing any runner with no outs or driving in runner with the second out of inning].
- ◆ The D-backs rank second in the Majors in extra bases taken pct. (53%), behind the Cubs (55%) [percentage of times the runner advanced more than 1 base on single/2 bases on double].

AND THEN THERE WERE 4: Arizona has 4 players remaining from its 2017 NLDS roster that played Los Angeles (Jake Lamb, David Peralta, Ketel Marte and Christian Walker)...Nick Ahmed did not play due to injury (fractured right hand).

NEXT STARTER: RHP LUKE WEAVER (1-5, 8.23)

- ◆ Lost his second straight start on Aug. 29 vs. Giants (4 ER in 3.0 IP).
- ◆ Owns a 4.61 ERA (7 ER in 13.2 IP) with 3 walks and 17 strikeouts in his last 3 starts compared to a 11.85 ERA (18 ER in 13.2 IP) and 7 walks and 17 strikeouts in his first 4.
- ◆ Will be facing the Dodgers for the second time this season...lost on Aug. 1 @ Chase Field (6 ER in 4.0 IP).
- ◆ Hit his first career home run in his D-backs debut @ Dodger Stadium on March 31, 2019.

CAREER HIGHS

INNINGS:.....7.0, 6x, last: 8/28/20 vs. SF
STRIKEOUTS:.....9, 3x, last: 7/31/20 vs. LAD
SCORELESS INNINGS STREAK:.....10.0 IP,
8/30-9/10/19
HITLESS INNINGS TO START:.....6.1 IP,
9/4/19 vs. SD (M. Machado single)

STATCAST

PITCH PCT. AVG.
4-seamer.....39.0.....140
Cutter.....27.1.....310
Curve.....16.8.....042
Changeup.....16.8.....263
Sinker.....0.3.....N/A

2020 & CAREER RECORD

YEAR	W-L	ERA	G-S	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	AVG	WHIP
2020	1-0	2.09	7-7	43.0	31	10	10	6	13	47	.201	1.02
Totals	4-6	2.56	22-22	123.0	93	36	35	14	49	143	.208	1.15

2020 STARTS

DATE	OPP	RESULT	W/L	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	TP
7/26	@SD	W, 4-3	-	2.25	4.0	2	1	1	1	5	6	88
7/31	vs. LAD	W, 5-3	-	2.70	6.0	5	2	2	1	1	9	98
8/6	vs. HOU	W, 5-4	-	2.81	6.0	6	2	2	2	1	6	92
8/11	@COL	L, 7-8	-	2.74	7.0	7	2	2	1	0	7	94
8/17	vs. OAK	W, 4-3	-	2.40	7.0	3	1	1	1	1	8	97
8/22	@SF	L, 1-5	-	2.25	6.0	3	1	1	0	4	6	95
8/28	vs. SF	W, 7-4	W	2.09	7.0	5	1	1	1	1	5	92

VS. DODGERS

PLAYER	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	AVG	PLAYER	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	AVG
Barnes	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000	Pederson	9	1	0	0	0	0	.111
Beatty	3	0	0	0	0	0	.000	Pollock	1	1	1	0	0	0	1.000
Bellinger	7	1	0	1	0	1	.143	Rios	2	1	1	0	0	0	.500
Betts	3	2	0	0	1	2	.667	Seager	7	2	1	0	0	0	.286
Hernandez	4	1	1	0	0	1	.250	Taylor	4	1	0	0	0	0	.250
Muncy	2	0	0	0	0	0	.000								

PROBABLE PITCHERS

@ DODGERS

Sept. 3 - 6:40 p.m. FSAZ • FSAZ+ • 98.7 • 105.1
RHP Luke Weaver (1-5, 8.23) vs.
LHP Clayton Kershaw (4-1, 1.80)

@ GIANTS

Sept. 4 - 6:45 p.m. FSAZ • FSAZ+ • 98.7 • 105.1
TBA vs. TBA
Sept. 5 - 6:15 p.m. FSAZ • FSAZ+ • 98.7 • 105.1
TBA vs. TBA
Sept. 6 - 1:05 p.m. FSAZ • FSAZ+ • 98.7 • 105.1
TBA vs. TBA
Sept. 7 - 5:05 p.m. FSAZ • FSAZ+ • 620 AM • 105.1
TBA vs. TBA

CURRENT TRIP (0-1)

AVG/OBP/SLG.....156/.229/.344
RISP......000
Team ERA.....3.38
Starters W-L-QS | ERA.....0-1-0 | 3.60
Bullpen W-L-SV | ERA.....0-0-0 | 3.00

BY THE NUMBERS

NL West5th | -12.5
Current Streak.....Lost 3
Last 5 games.....1-4
Last 10 games.....1-9
Roof Open (at first pitch).....2-2
Roof Closed (at first pitch).....4-6
Roof Open/Closed (during game)....3-1
Lead after 6.0 innings.....10-0
Lead after 7.0 innings.....11-0
Lead after 8.0 innings.....11-0
Tied after 6.0 innings.....1-1
Tied after 7.0 innings.....0-3
Tied after 8.0 innings.....2-0
Trail after 6.0 innings.....3-21
Trail after 7.0 innings.....3-19
Trail after 8.0 innings.....1-22
Extra-inning games.....0-0
Day.....5-6
Night.....9-16
vs. RHS.....13-14
vs. LHS.....1-8
Score first.....8-3
Opponents score first.....6-19
Score 4 runs or more.....13-5
Score 3 runs or fewer.....1-17
Shutouts - Pitching (ARI-OPP).....0-2
Hit home run.....8-10
Hit 2 or more home runs.....4-5
Do not homer.....6-12
10 or more hits.....7-1
Opponents 10 or more hits.....3-8
Errorless games.....8-16
Last at-bat (ARI-OPP).....5-2
Walkoff wins (ARI-OPP).....2-0
Comeback wins (ARI-OPP).....8-5
Series opener.....5-8
Series finale.....4-7
Series (W-L-T).....4-7-1
Series sweeps (ARI-OPP).....2-3
Lineups.....35

ROSTER & PRONUNCIATIONS

17 Torey Lovullo	MANAGER
4 Ketel Marte (<i>kuh-TELL</i>)	INF
5 Eduardo Escobar	INF
6 David Peralta	OF
9 Jon Jay	OF
10 Josh Rojas	OF/INF
12 Daulton Varsho	C/OF
14 Andy Young	INF/OF
13 Nick Ahmed (<i>AH-med</i>)	INF
16 Tim Llocastro	OF
18 Carson Kelly	C
21 Stephen Vogt (<i>VOTE</i>)	C
22 Jake Lamb	INF
23 Zac Gallen	RHP
24 Luke Weaver	RHP
28 Hector Rondón	RHP
35 Joel Payamps	RHP
36 Joe Mantiplay	LHP
37 Kevin Ginkel	RHP
41 Junior Guerra	RHP
45 Taylor Clarke	RHP
46 Riley Smith	RHP
49 Alex Young	LHP
50 Yoan López (<i>yo-AHN</i>)	RHP
54 Artie Lewicki	RHP
53 Christian Walker	INF
56 Kole Calhoun	OF
58 Stefan Crichton (<i>CRY-ton</i>)	RHP
64 Keury Mella	RHP

TAXI SQUAD

27 Wyatt Mathisen	RHP
30 Trayce Thompson	OF
55 John Hicks	C

