

# CINCINNATI REDS NOTES



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## GAME 122 (57-64), HOME 64 (34-29)

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17, 2019

Great American Ball Park

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CINCINNATI REDS (57-64) vs  
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS (64-56)

### TRANSACTIONS

Today the Reds recalled from Class AAA Louisville RHP R.J. Alaniz (#32, ah-lah-NIECE) and optioned to Louisville RHP Matt Bowman...on 5/31, Alaniz was claimed off waivers from the Mariners and was optioned to Louisville, where he went 1-2, 2.93 with 4 saves in 25 relief apps...in April, he made his Major League debut by pitching in 4 games for the Mariners.

### PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Rookie RF Aristides Aquino is the reigning National League Player of the Week...from 8/5-8/11 he led the Major Leagues in slugging percentage (1.364), tied for the lead in HR (6) and led the National League in hitting (.500) and RBI (11)...he is the first Reds rookie to win a Player of the Week award since RHP Chris Reitsma in April 2001 and the first Reds rookie position player since Hal Morris in July 1990...last season, the Reds won Player of the Week honors 3 times (Scooter Gennett twice, Joey Votto).

### PLAYER OF THE MONTH

Since his promotion on August 1, rookie RHP Aristides Aquino is tied for the Major League lead in HR (10), ranks T2nd in the majors in RBI (19), leads the National League in slugging percentage (.961) and ranks among the NL leaders in batting average (.353, 13th), hits (18, T16th) and extra-base hits (11, T4th).

### QUERIES ABOUT SERIES

In their previous 7 series, the Reds went 4-1-2 (2-1 at Mil, 2-1 vs Col, 2-1 vs Pit, 2-2 at Atl, 2-0 vs LAA, 2-2 vs Cubs, 0-3 at Wsh)...the 4-0-2 stretch was the Redlegs' longest series streak of the season without a loss.

### 2ND HALF

Since the All-Star break the Redlegs lead the National League in hitting (.287) while ranking second in slugging (.494), on-base percentage (.348) and runs (183, 5.38 r/g).

### MOST 1ST-INNING HR IN A SEASON, REDS BATTERS

Player	HR	Year
George Foster	12	1977
Eugenio Suárez	11	2019
Joey Votto	11	2017
Joey Votto	10	2010
Ted Kluszewski	10	1954

### HIGHEST ON-BASE PERCENTAGE IN AUGUST, CAREER

Ted Williams	.480
Babe Ruth	.470
Lou Gehrig	.460
Barry Bonds	.453
Joey Votto	.449

Courtesy @EliasSports (minimum 1,000 plate apps)

### THEY LIKE OUR SKYLINE

The Cardinals' .500 winning percentage at Great American Ball Park is the sixth-highest of any National League team.

Team	Record	%	Games
Mets	32-19	.627	51
Dodgers	35-23	.603	58
Astros *	40-35-1	.533	76
Padres	28-25	.528	53
<b>Reds</b>	<b>696-660-1</b>	<b>.513</b>	<b>1,357</b>
Cardinals	27-26	.509	53
D-backs	26-26	.500	52

\* As NL team from 2003-2012, Other teams all-time

### OPPONENTS' HIGHEST WINNING PERCENTAGES AT GABP LAST 4 SEASONS

Nationals	10-3	.769
Dodgers	8-5	.615
Cardinals	20-15	.571
Cubs	20-18	.526
Brewers	19-18	.514

10 games minimum

## PROBABLE STARTING PITCHERS

Sat vs StL:	RHP Anthony DeSclafani (7-7, 4.51) vs RHP Miles Mikolas (7-12, 4.13)	700 wlv, fsoh, 6:40
Sun vs StL:	LHP Alex Wood (1-1, 5.59) vs RHP Jack Flaherty (6-6, 3.52)	700 wlv, fsoh, 1:10
Mon vs SD:	RHP Trevor Bauer (10-9, 4.12) vs LHP Eric Lauer (6-8, 4.55)	700 wlv, fsoh, 7:10
Tue vs SD:	RHP Sonny Gray (8-6, 2.98) vs RHP Cal Quantrill (6-3, 3.23)	700 wlv, fsoh, 7:10
Wed vs SD:	RHP Luis Castillo (11-5, 3.10) vs TBA	700 wlv, fsoh, 12:35
Thursday:	Off day, travel to Pittsburgh	
Fri at Pit:	RHP Anthony DeSclafani vs TBA	700 wlv, fsoh, 7:05
Sat at Pit:	LHP Alex Wood vs TBA	700 wlv, fsoh, 7:05
Sun at Pit:	RHP Trevor Bauer vs TBA	700 wlv, fsoh, 1:35

**TONIGHT'S GAME:** Is Game 3 (1-1) of a 4-game series vs Carlos Villoria's first-place Cardinals and Game 3 (1-1) of a 7-game homestand that includes an upcoming 3-game series vs the Padres...is Game 12 (5-6) of a stretch in which the Reds are scheduled to play 13 of 16 games at Great American Ball Park (2-0 vs LAA, 2-2 vs Cubs, 0-3 at Wsh, 1-1 vs StL, 3g vs SD)...Reds went 4-2 on their previous homestand (2-0 vs LAA, 2-2 vs Cubs).

**150th CELEBRATION:** During the 2019 season the Reds are celebrating the 150th anniversary of professional baseball, which began with the formation of the 1869 Red Stockings...this season, the team will wear 15 uniforms from various periods throughout the team's history...tonight are wearing replica uniforms of the 1976 World Series championship team...the Reds are 3-7 wearing throwback uniforms...already wore uniforms from 1902, 1911, 1912, 1919, 1935, 1936, 1939, 1956, 1961, 1967 and 1969.

**SERIES NOTES:** The Reds are 5-8 vs StL this season, including 2-4 at Great American Ball Park...over the last 4 seasons, the Cardinals' .571 winning percentage (20-15) is third-best among opponents at GABP (Wsh .769, LAD .615)...the Reds are 3-2-2 in their last 7 completed series vs StL, including a 1-1 series split in April in Mexico at Estadio de Béisbol Monterrey, home of the Sultanes de Monterrey of the Mexican League...Cin won 6 of its last 11 games at Busch Stadium.

### REDS vs CARDINALS:

- Joey Votto has 196 career hits vs the Cardinals (196-625, .314), the most among active players...in the live ball era, his career .437 OBP vs StL ranks second among all players with at least 500 plate apps (Lefty O'Doul 1st, .477; Ralph Kiner 3rd, .424)...in 91 apps over the last 6 seasons vs StL, Votto has produced a 1.034 OPS (.335ba, .571slg, .463obp)...in his last 60 apps overall vs StL beginning 8/2/16 is hitting .339 (75-221, 16 2b, 1 3b, 9hr, 36rbi, .543slg, .449obp).
- Beginning 8/5/17, Eugenio Suárez has reached base safely in 28 of his last 30 apps vs StL (30-106, .283, 5 2b, 9hr, 25rbi, .585slg, .384obp), including a 25-game on-base streak snapped on 7/19.
- Beginning 7/13/18, Jesse Winker has a 14-game hitting streak vs StL (21-53, .396, 5 2b, 3hr, 10rbi, .660slg, .484obp)...beginning 9/19/17 has reached base safely in each of his last 24 apps vs StL (35-93, .376, 8 2b, 4hr, 16rbi, .591slg, .453obp)...hit safely in 23 of those 24 apps.
- RHP Raisel Iglesias is 12-for-12 in save opps vs the Cardinals, joining Bill Landrum (10-for-10) and Jeff Brantley (12-for-12) as the only pitchers, since the save became an official statistic, with a minimum of at least 10 perfect save conversions vs StL...in his last 23 apps vs StL beginning 8/4/16, Raisel Iglesias has posted a 1.57 ERA (12sv, 28.2ip, 15h, 5er, 19bb, 32k, 1hr)...in that span, Cardinals batters are hitting just .152 against him (15-99).

**PADRES UP NEXT:** Monday night the Reds will begin their second series of the season vs the Padres...Cin earned a 3-1 series win in April at Petco Park...haven't won a season series vs SD since 2012 (6-2) and since then are 18-25, including 15-22 the last 6 years...over the last 6 seasons, Cin is 8-14 at Petco Park.

**THE PUNISHER:** Rookie Aristides Aquino has produced 10 HR in his first 16 career games, including a 3-homer game last Sat vs Cubs in which he homered in 3 consecutive innings (2nd, 3rd, 4th)...he played 1 game for the Reds last season.

- Is the first player in modern Major League history with 10 HR in his first 16 career games (Rhyos Hoskins, 9, 2017).
- Is the first player in modern Major League history with 9 HR in his first 14 career games (Trevor Story, 8, 2016).
- Is the first player in modern Major League history with 8 HR in his first 12 career games (4 players with 7).
- Is the second player in modern Major League history with 7 HR in his first 10 career games (Trevor Story, 2016).
- Is the second player in modern Major League history with a 3-homer game within his first 10 career games (Bobby Estalella, 10th game, 9/4/1997).
- Is the first Major League rookie and first Reds player to homer in 3 consecutive innings (2nd-4th), tying the Major League record for HR in consecutive innings in a game...he was the 13th player to do it.

**SUSPENDED:** LHP Amir Garrett is 5 games into an 8-game suspension...in his absence the Reds are 1-4, while the bullpen's ERA is 6.52 (19.1ip, 14er)...he cannot be replaced on the 25-man roster...Garrett was 1 of 9 ejected in the 11-4 loss on 7/30 vs Pit and, 2 days later, 1 of 8 suspended by Major League Baseball...also suspended were manager David Bell (6g), RHP Jared Hughes (3g) and RF Yasiel Puig (3g) of the Reds and manager Clint Hurdle (2g), RHP Keone Kela (10g), José Osuna (5g) and RHP Kyle Crick (3g) of the Pirates...Bell and Hughes already served their suspensions.

**FIRST WATCH:** In the first inning, the Redlegs lead the Major Leagues in runs scored (99), HR (35), RBI (96), batting average (.308) and slugging percentage (.589) while ranking second in the majors in on-base percentage (.367)...have outscored opponents in the first frame, 99-67, and are 29-7 (.806) when leading after the first inning...6 times this season scored at least 4 runs in the first.

**REHABBING:** RHP Tyler Mahle, on the injured list since 7/22 with a left hamstring strain, last night began a rehabilitation assignment for Louisville vs Rochester, started and received no decision in the 5-2 loss (1.1ip, 3h, 3er, 1bb, 2k, 37 pitches)...Curt Casali, on the injured list since 7/18 with a sprained medial collateral ligament in his right knee, made 2 rehab apps before he was shut down with soreness in his left hamstring...in the 3-1 Bats win on 8/9 at Rochester started behind the plate and caught 5 innings (0-3)...in last Sat's 6-5 loss in 10 innings, he was the Bats' DH (0-2) but left the game with the hamstring injury.

### REGULAR SEASON RECORD VS CARDINALS \*

Record Since 1900:	1,010-1,161
Crosley Field:	384-360
At Riverfront / Cinergy Field:	107-86
At Great American Ball Park:	72-73
At Estadio de Béisbol Monterrey:	1-1
At Robison Field / Sportsman Park / Busch Stadium:	286-428
At Busch Stadium II:	119-139
At Busch Stadium III:	41-74
In 2019:	5-8
At Estadio de Béisbol Monterrey:	1-1
At Great American Ball Park:	2-4
At Busch Stadium III:	2-3

\* 1,085 - 1,186 since 1892

### 2019 SCHEDULE & RESULTS

4/13 at Cin *	W, 5-2	Hughes / Wainwright / Iglesias
4/14 at Cin *	L, 5-9	Gant / Garrett / Hicks
4/26 at StL	W, 12-1	DeSclafani / Mikolas
4/27 at StL	L, 3-6	Hudson / Mahle / Hicks
4/28 at StL	L, 2-5	Flaherty / Gray / Gant
6/4 at StL	W, 4-1	Castillo / Cabrera / Iglesias
6/5 at StL	Postponed by rain	8/31, 1:15
6/6 at StL	L, 1-3	Gant / Lorenzen / Hicks
7/18 at Cin	L, 4-7	Hudson / Stephenson / Miller
7/19 at Cin	L, 11-12	Wacha / Hughes / Martinez
7/20 at Cin	W, 3-2	Garrett / Mikolas / Lorenzen
7/21 at Cin	L, 2-3	Gallegos / DeSclafani / Martinez
8/15 at Cin	W, 2-1	Gray / Wacha / Iglesias
8/16 at Cin	L, 4-13	Wainwright / Castillo
Sat, 8/17 at Cin		6:40
Sun, 8/18 at Cin		1:10
Fri, 8/30 at StL		8:15
Sat, 8/31 at StL		6:15 rainout, 1:15
Sat, 8/31 at StL		7:15
Sun, 9/1 at StL		2:15

All times eastern  
\* Games at Estadio de Béisbol Monterrey, Mexico

### INJURED / CONCUSSION LISTS (15 PLAYERS, 15 APPEARANCES)

Player (Injury)	On DL	Date Eligible	Off DL	^Games Missed
Alex Blandino (right knee)	3/27	4/4	6/14	30-36
Scooter Gennett (right groin)	3/27	5/27	6/28	36-42
Alex Wood (lower back)	3/27	5/27	7/28	47-55
Matt Kemp (broken left rib)	4/23	5/2	5/4	5-6
Zach Duke (right calf)	5/21	5/30	5/31	5-4
Robert Stephenson (neck)	5/31	6/8	6/16	4-8
Wandy Peralta (right hip flexor)	6/15	6/25	7/12	11-9
Tucker Barnhart (right oblique)	6/28	7/3	7/26	10-12
Amir Garrett (left lat)	7/4	7/13	7/20	3-8
Curt Casali (right knee)	7/18	7/26	-	14-14
Kyle Farmer (concussion)	7/18	7/24	7/28	4-5
David Hernandez (right shoulder)	7/18	7/28	7/31	6-6
Tyler Mahle (left hamstring)	7/22	7/30	-	13-11
Juan Graterol (concussion)	7/26	8/1	-	11-10
Derek Dietrich (left shoulder)	8/5	8/15	-	5-6

\* Team record in number of games missed while on the IL

WORLD SERIES CHAMPIONS: 1919, 1940, 1975, 1976, 1990 NATIONAL LEAGUE CHAMPIONS: 1919, 1939, 1940, 1961, 1970, 1972, 1975, 1976, 1990





# REDS BATTERS

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**2nd Half: 16-18, .287 (336-1172, 54hr, 183r)**

- Among the National League team leaders rank ninth in hitting (.250), 10th in slugging percentage (.431) and 11th in on-base percentage (.318).
- Since the All-Star break, lead the National League in hitting (.287) while ranking second in slugging percentage (.494), on-base percentage (.348) and runs scored (183, 5.38 r/g).

## 44 ARISTIDES AQUINO, of 2nd Half: 18-51 (.353), 1 2b, 10hr, 19rbi, 1.361ops

- Is the reigning National League Player of the Week.
- Since his 8/1 promotion, started in RF in 14 of the Reds' 15 games and PH in the other.
- Produced a home run in 8 of his 15 apps and an RBI in 10 of his 15 apps.
- Hit .517 during a career-high 9-game hitting streak snapped Tue at Wsh (15-29, 1 2b, 8hr, 16rbi, 1.379slg, .563obp)...in that game also snapped a streak of at least 1 RBI in 7 consecutive apps, the longest RBI streak by a Reds batter this season.
- His 4-game HR streak snapped Sun vs Cubs is the longest by a Reds batter this season...fell 1 game shy of the franchise record for HR in consecutive games.
- His 2-run HR on 8/8 off Chi's Cole Hamels traveled 118.3 miles per hour, the hardest hit ball by a Reds batter in the Statcast Era and tied for the hardest hit home run in the Major Leagues this season (Gary Sánchez, Pete Alonso).
- On 8/3 at Atl, in his third Major League appearance, produced his first career hit (single off Dallas Keuchel), first career HR (3-run off Keuchel) and first career RBI.
- Was an International League All-Star at Louisville (78g, .299, 28hr, 53rbi)...when promoted ranked among the IL leaders in slugging (1st, .636), HR (2nd) and OPS (2nd, .992).
- For the Bats from 5/23-6/19 hit .345 during a 22-game hit streak, the second-longest by a Louisville batter since 1982...from 6/12-6/19 produced an RBI in 7 straight games, the longest RBI streak by a Bats batter since Danny Dorn (7) in 2011.
- Made his Major League debut last season...in the sixth inning of the 11-4 win on 8/19 vs SF, pinch ran for Scooter Gennett and remained in the game as the Reds' right fielder (0-1, K)...was his only career appearance until this season's debut on 8/1.

## 16 TUCKER BARNHART, c 2nd Half: 18-54 (.333), 2 2b, 4hr, 12rbi, 1.031ops

- In 7 apps beginning 8/10 is hitting .333 (7-21, 1 2b, 1hr, 3rbi, .986ops).
- Since coming off the IL, the Reds are 9-7 in his 16 starts won 6 of his last 10 starts.
- Since he came off the injured list on 7/26 has hit safely in 11 of 16 starts and produced at least 1 RBI in 7 of those 16 starts.
- From 6/28-7/25 was on the 10-day IL with a right oblique strain...made 1 rehab appearance for Louisville before he was reinstated on 7/26.
- Struck out just once in his last 35 plate apps.
- Thu vs StL made his 500th career appearance as a catcher (466th start).

## 6 PHILLIP ERVIN, of 2nd Half: 25-67 (.373), 5 2b, 3 3b, 2hr, 8rbi, 1.059ops

- In his fourth stint with the Reds this season, is hitting .350 in 46 apps since he was promoted on 6/15 (35-100, 6 2b, 4 3b, 3hr, 12rbi, .580slg, .398obp).
- Made 23 starts (19gs in LF, 3gs in CF, 1gs in RF), including each of the last 2g (LF).
- In the 17-9 win on 7/13 at Coors Field tied the club record with 6 hits, accomplished for the fourth time (Tony Cuccinello 1931, Ernie Lombardi 1937, Walker Cooper last on 7/6/1949 vs Cubs)...fell a home run shy of the cycle.
- Has 2 career pinch-hit HR, both this season (7/21 vs StL off Andrew Miller, 8/12 at Wsh off Sean Doolittle).
- In 40 apps for Louisville hit .290 (8 2b, 1 3b, 6hr, 26rbi, 6sb, 10g in LF, 25g in CF).
- Was the International League's Batter of the Week for 5/27-6/2 (.423, 2 2b, 5hr, 10rbi, .516obp, 1.593ops).

## 52 KYLE FARMER, inf/c 2nd Half: 10-35 (.286), 2 2b, 1hr, 4rbi

- Today is celebrating his 29th birthday...Jesse Winker turns 26 today.
- Has 7 HR and 24 RBI...are the first home runs of his career...entered the season with 11 career RBI in 59 apps.
- Is hitting .269 (7-26, 1 2b, 1hr, 2rbi) in 5 starts (4gs at C, 1gs at 2B) and 12 apps since he came off the concussion list on 7/28...missed 9 games while on the concussion list (7/18-7/27).
- This season has made 11 apps and 8 starts at C...are the first starts of his career at that position...entered this season with 4 career apps at C (3g in 2017, 1g in 2018)...this spring training caught 36.0 innings.
- Has made 27 starts (11gs at 2B, 8gs at C, 5gs at 1B, 3gs at 3B).
- In his career has played 1B (13g, 6gs), 2B (33g, 11gs), 3B (33g, 17gs) & C (16g, 8gs).
- Leads Reds pinch hitters in at bats, hits, doubles and RBI (9-33, .273, 3 2b, 1hr, 6rbi)...hit his only career pinch-hit HR on 5/5 vs SF (solo off Will Smith).
- In the 12-5 loss on 8/8 vs Cubs started at C, moved to 2B in the seventh inning and then with 2 outs in the eighth inning made his only Major League pitching appearance...retired 4 of the 5 batters (1.1ip, 1h)...retired Jason Heyward on a groundout to end the eighth inning and strand 2 inherited runners, then threw a scoreless ninth...became the first Reds player to pitch and catch in the same game since Dee Moore in 1936...2 days earlier, on 8/6, Taylor Davis of Cubs did it vs Oak.

## 3 FREDDY GALVIS, inf Blue Jays: 115g, .267, 24 2b, 1 3b, 18hr, 54rbi, 4sb

- Monday was claimed off waivers from the Blue Jays...joined the team Tue at Wsh.
- Has hit safely in each of his first 4 apps for the Reds, including 4 hits and a 2-run HR off Javy Guerra in Wed's 17-7 loss at Wsh.
- For Toronto played SS (103g, 102gs) and 2B (5g, 4gs)...made all 3 of his starts for the Reds at 2B.
- Did not play on 4/24, snapping his streak of 349 consecutive games played...was the longest active streak in the Major Leagues (Freddie Freeman 2nd, 194g).
- In each of the 2017 and 2018 seasons played in 162 games...his 1,441.0 innings in the field in 2018 were the most by any player in the Major Leagues.
- In his last 53 apps for the Blue Jays hit .300, raising his season BA from .236 to .267.

## 4 JOSÉ IGLESIAS, ss 2nd Half: 33-102 (.324), 6 2b, 1 3b, 3hr, 13rbi, 3sb

- After missing the previous 3 games with soreness in his right biceps, returned to the lineup Mon at Wsh and in the last 5g produced 8 hits, 2 doubles, a triple and 3 RBI.
- Leads the National League in hitting in the first inning (.455) and leads the Reds in overall hitting with RISP (.312, 29-93), T19th-best in the National League.
- Has an 11-game hitting streak, the longest by a Reds batter this season and tied for the longest active streak in the Major Leagues (18-43, .419, 4 2b, 1 3b, 1hr, 6rbi, .628slg, .419obp)...the longest hitting streak of his career is 18 games (5/27-6/18, 2013)...has an RBI in 5 of his last 8 apps (6rbi).
- With 111 hits is just 3 behind team leader Eugenio Suárez...is trying to become the second straight shortstop to lead the team in hits...SS José Peraza last year led the team with 182 hits.
- With 8 HR has established a new single-season high (6hr, 2017)...has 2 grand slams in his career, both this season vs Pit (5/27/night off Mitch Keller, 7/29 off Montana DuRapau)...his career high for RBI in a season is 54 (2017).
- After Scooter Gennett suffered a right groin injury in spring training became the team's starting SS, with José Peraza moving to 2B.
- Was 1 of 2 non-roster invitees to make the Opening Day roster (IF/OF Derek Dietrich).

## 9 JOSÉ PERAZA, inf 2nd Half: 22-75 (.293), 4 2b, 1 3b, 1hr, 12rbi

- In 59 apps beginning 5/31 is hitting .285 (41-144, 8 2b, 2 3b, 1hr, 20rbi, 1sb), raising his season BA from .199.
- Leads the team with 42 starts at 2B (last, 8/8 vs Cubs)...made 18 starts at SS, second-most on the team behind José Iglesias (103gs) and most recently in 3 straight games from 8/9-8/11 while Iglesias recovered from soreness in his right biceps.
- Made 10 starts in the outfield, including 8 starts in LF (last, 6/14 vs Tex) and 2 starts in CF (6/9 at Phi, 6/22 at Mil).
- Made the first 2 pitching apps of his career...with 2 outs in the ninth inning of the 11-4 loss on 7/30 vs Pit, in a game that featured 9 ejections, threw 4 pitches and induced Jacob Stallings to F8...in the 13-4 loss on 8/16 vs StL threw a scoreless ninth inning, allowed only an infield single to Kolten Wong.
- After Eugenio Suárez was ejected by HP umpire Carlos Torres between the first and second innings on 7/19 vs StL, made his first Major League appearance at 3B...made his second appearance at that position on 7/23 at Mil.
- Because of Scooter Gennett's injury in spring training, spent most of this season playing primarily 2B and occasionally CF or LF, while José Iglesias has been the team's starting SS.

## 15 NICK SENZEL, cf 2nd Half: 30-107 (.280), 7 2b, 2 3b, 1hr, 10rbi, 2sb

- Last name is pronounced sen-ZELL.
- His .285 batting average through the game of 8/2 is a season high...in 12 apps since then is hitting .180 (9-50).
- Is the only player in franchise history, and 1 of only 21 players in Major League history, to produce 3 HR in his first 4 Major League apps.
- Went hitless on 6/2 vs Wsh, snapping his season-high 9-game hitting streak (14-41, .341, 5 2b, 1hr, 5rbi, .378obp) and a 20-game on-base streak that ties Joey Votto's for the longest by a Reds hitter (26-86, .302, 6 2b, 2 3b, 1hr, 8rbi, 4sb, .358obp).
- Began the season on Louisville's injured list with a right ankle sprain suffered on 3/25 during a spring training game in Goodyear...came off the IL on 4/23 and in 8 apps for the Bats prior to his 5/3 promotion hit .257 (1 2b, 1hr, 2rbi).
- In the eighth inning of the 12-5 loss on 8/8 vs Cubs, as a part of a double switch made his only Major League appearance at 2B.

## 7 EUGENIO SUÁREZ, inf 2nd Half: 34-118 (.288), 13hr, 22rbi, 1.034ops

- First name is pronounced AY-you-hay-nee-oh.
- Left last night's game in the sixth inning with a left thumb sprain...x-rays were negative.
- Since the All-Star break ranks among the National League leaders in HR (13, 2nd), slugging percentage (.653, 4th) and on-base percentage (.381, 16th).
- In the first inning, leads the Major Leagues with 11 HR, ranks fourth in the majors in RBI (21) and ranks 11th in the National League in batting average (.330).
- In his last 18 apps beginning 7/29 is hitting .302 (19-63, 1 2b, 5hr, 7rbi, .961ops).
- Beginning 6/30, homered in 15 of his last 41 apps (17hr), including a pair of 2-homer games (7/1 vs Mil, 7/22 at Mil).
- Twice this season homered in 3 consecutive plate apps (7/1-7/12, 7/22-7/23).
- Suárez and Tony Pérez are the only third basemen in franchise history with 25 HR in 3 seasons and the only third basemen in club history with 30 HR in 2 seasons.
- Received votes for National League Player of the Month for July after leading the NL in HR (12), slugging percentage (.733) and total bases (66, T1st)...also finished among the July leaders in RBI (23, 3rd), OPS (1.086, 3rd) and extra-base hits (15, 5th)...his 12 HR in July were the most by a Reds batter in that month since Adam Dunn hit 12 HR in July 2008.

## 17 JOSH VANMETER, inf/of 2nd Half: 24-76 (.316), 7 2b, 4hr, 9rbi, .947ops

- With Joey Votto recovering from low back tightness, started the Reds' last 2 games at 1B...are his first career starts at that position.
- Started each of the last 5 games (2B, 2B, LF, 1B, 1B) and hit safely in each (6-20, .300, 2 2b, 1rbi)...the 5-game hitting streak ties his season/career high (5g, 7/24-7/29).
- In his fourth stint with the Reds this season, has made 27 apps and 17 starts since he was promoted from Louisville just after the All-Star break...was 1 of 7 roster moves that day (7/18).
- Has made 24 starts (13gs/24g in LF, 6gs/13g at 2B, 2gs/6g at 3B, 2gs/4g at 1B, 1gs at DH)...also made 1 appearance in RF (7/22 at Mil).
- His solo HR off RHP Jhoulys Chacín on 7/24 at Mil traveled 463 feet per Statcast, the longest by a Reds batter this season and the second-longest by any player at Miller Park in 2019 (Travis Shaw, 465 feet, 6/23 vs Cin)...was the longest home run by a visiting player at Miller Park since StL's Marcell Ozuna hit a 479-foot HR on 4/3/18.
- Is 1 of 4 Reds players to homer in at least 3 straight games (Derek Dietrich, Eugenio Suárez 3 times, Aristides Aquino 4g).
- Is a 2019 International League All-Star...in 49 apps for the Bats hit .348 (14 2b, 1 3b, 14hr, 43rbi, 8sb, 1.097ops)...started at 1B (10g), 2B (20g), 3B (10g) and LF (3g).
- In April was the organization's Minor League Player of the Month and the International League's Player of the Month...in April hit .358 and led the IL in games (26), hits (34), runs (24), HR (11), RBI (28), total bases (24), slugging percentage (.758) and OPS (1.204)...his 11 HR and 28 RBI are RiverBats/Bats records for April (since 2000).
- In spring training came over from minor league camp to make 10 apps for Reds (1-13).
- Is a native and resident of Ossian (AH-see-in), Indiana, a town of about 3,400 located near Fort Wayne...graduated from Norwell High School.

## 19 JOEY VOTTO, 1b 2nd Half: 31-125 (.248), 8 2b, 4hr, 17rbi, .331obp

- Missed the last 2 games with low back tightness.
- Has a 6-game hitting streak (8-22, .364, 3 2b, 1hr, 3rbi, .636slg, .440obp), 1 game shy of his season high (7g, 5/21-5/31).
- From 5/8-6/4 reached base safely in 20 consecutive games, a season-high that ties Nick Senzel's (5/10-6/1) for the longest by a Reds batter this season...his current on-base streak, beginning 8/1, is at 13 games (.261ba, .386obp).
- Beginning 5/8 made his last 77 starts batting second in the order...made 15 starts this season batting leadoff (last, 5/7 at Oak)...entered this year with 1 career start batting leadoff (6/18/08 vs LAD).
- In his career has hit 64 HR on the first pitch, most recently on 8/9 off Yu Darvish.
- His first-inning double on 8/10 off Chi's Kyle Hendricks was his 865th career hit at Great American Ball Park, the most by any player at GABP (Brandon Phillips, 864).

## 33 JESSE WINKER, of 2nd Half: 28-86 (.326), 5 2b, 1 3b, 3hr, 12rbi, .943ops

- Today is celebrating his 26th birthday...Kyle Farmer turns 29 today.
- Is bothered by tightness in his back.
- Since the All-Star break ranks among National League leaders in on-base percentage (.431, 6th) and batting average (.326, 7th).
- In his last 16 apps beginning 7/29 is hitting .364 (16-44, 2 2b, 2hr, 5rbi, .996ops).
- In his last 26 apps beginning 7/18 is hitting .342 (25-73, 5 2b, 3hr, 9rbi, .976ops).
- Has 16 HR, a new single-season career high (7hr, 2017 & 2018)...his career high for RBI in a season is 43 (2018).
- Hit his eighth HR, his new career high, in his 28th appearance and 23rd start.
- Has made 87 starts, including a team-high 59 starts in LF (16gs in CF, 11gs in RF, 1gs at DH).

