



GAME NOTES

MINNESOTA TWINS (1-1-0) vs. NEW YORK YANKEES (1-2-0)

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2025 – 1:05 PM (ET) – RADIO: TIBN // TV: NONE

RHP Simeon Woods Richardson vs. RHP Carlos Carrasco

Spring Game 3

Spring Home Game 2

UPCOMING PROBABLE PITCHERS & BROADCAST SCHEDULE

Table with columns: DATE, OPP, PITCHERS, TIME (ET), RADIO / TV. Rows for 2/26, 2/27, and 2/28.

TODAY'S PITCHERS

Twins: Simeon Woods Richardson (R), Jhoan Duran (R), Louis Varland (R), Justin Topa (R), Michael Tonkin (R), Anthony Misiewicz (L), Alex Speas (R), Matt Canterino (R)

Yankees: Carlos Carrasco (R), Allan Winans (R), Tyler Matzek (L), Yerry de los Santos (R), Scott Effross (R)

TOMORROW'S PITCHERS

Twins: Andrew Morris (R), Cory Lewis (R), Huascar Ynoa (R), Kody Funderburk (L), Scott Blewett (R)

Tigers: TBA

ROSTER BREAKDOWN

57 players in camp (17 non-roster): 31 pitchers (10 non-roster), 6 catchers (2 non-roster), 10 infielders (4 non-roster), 6 outfielders (0 non-roster), 4 utility (1 non-roster)

TWINS AT A GLANCE

Spring Record: 1-1, Home Record: 1-0, Road Record: 0-1 vs. AL Teams: 1-1 vs. NL Teams: 1-1, When Twins score first: 0-1, When opponent scores first: 1-0, Most 6L games over .500: 1, 2/22, Most 6L games under .500: 1, 2/22, Longest winning-streak: 1, 2/22, Longest losing-streak: 1, 2/23-present, Team-high hits: 5, 2/22 vs. ATL, Team-high runs: 3, 2/22 vs. ATL, Opponent-high hits: 9, 2/23 at PIT, Opponent-high runs: 5, 2/23 at PIT

RECENT SPRING INFO

Table with columns: YEAR, HM ATTENDANCE (DATES), RECORD. Rows from 2013 to 2025.

DAYS UNTIL OPENING DAY

30 THURSDAY, MARCH 27 at STL

WARM IT UP: Today the Twins will play the third of 32 scheduled spring training games and the second home game...they won the spring opener in Fort Myers over the Braves on Saturday afternoon by a score of 3-1, then followed it with a 5-1 loss in Bradenton to the Pirates Sunday afternoon...they began a game in Port Charlotte yesterday afternoon against the Rays but were rained out after two innings...16 more games will be played at Lee Health Sports Complex and 13 games will be played on the road.

Tomorrow afternoon, Minnesota will continue Grapefruit League play by traveling to Lakeland to play the Tigers...on Thursday they will begin a two-game homestand with a game against the Pirates before hosting the Orioles on Friday.

SHERIFF GETS HIS WORK IN AT LEAST: The Twins were washed out in Port Charlotte yesterday afternoon tied 1-1 after two innings...Chris Paddock was the starter and threw 2.0 innings with one home run allowed, no walks and two strikeouts...the Twins sent seven men to the plate, with their only hit being a Royce Lewis home run before rain started again and continued through the afternoon.

OUTTA THE WOODS: Simeon Woods Richardson is in his third-straight spring training with Minnesota...last spring he went 0-0, 0.00 ERA (5.0 IP) with one hit allowed, two walks and three strikeouts...he was optioned to Triple-A St. Paul from camp on March 11...he made two starts for the Saints then recalled by Twins, replacing Louis Varland in the starting rotation and stayed with Minnesota for the remainder of the season...he struck out 26 batters in June, the most among AL rookies and tied for fifth most among all rookies in baseball...also ranked third among AL rookies in innings pitched (26.0)...made final start of season with Minnesota on September 25 vs. Miami, finishing with 28 starts, the most for a Twins rookie since Nick Blackburn started 33 in 2008...among all rookie pitchers in Twins history (minimum of 125.0 innings pitched), he finished second in strikeouts-per-9.0-innings pitched (7.9) and swing and miss percentage (22.3%), fifth in opponent batting average (.246), tied for fifth in strikeouts (117), sixth in opponent OPS (.695), eighth in WHIP (1.29) and 11th in fielding independent pitching (4.04).

Table with columns: DATE, TEAM, W-L, IP, H, R, ER, HR, BB, SO. Row for 2/25 vs. NYY and SPRING TOTALS.

ROLLS ROYCE: Royce Lewis hit an unofficial home run yesterday in Port Charlotte prior to the game being cancelled due to rain...he is in his fifth official spring training with the Twins (2019, '20, '22, '24)...in 2024, he made Twins Opening Day roster for first time in career and was club's third baseman, batting third on March 28 at Kansas City...homered in first at-bat of season in first inning, a solo shot off Cole Ragans...continued his major league season by homering in first two games coming off the IL, on June 4 and 5 at New York-AL, which gave him home runs in three consecutive games to start season and made him the first player in club history to homer in his first three games of any season...hit 16th home run on September 1 vs. Toronto, setting new single-season career high...the three-run homer came with the Twins down 3-1 in the bottom of the eighth inning, giving them the lead and eventual 4-3 win...set career highs in games (82), runs (40), hits (68), doubles (16), home runs (16) and walks (28).

WELCOME MATT: This is Matt Wallner's third Twins spring training...in 2024, made Twins Opening Day roster for first time...optioned to St. Paul in mid-April and was named International League Player of the Month for Saints in June, hitting .324 (34-for-105) with six doubles, 12 home runs, 28 RBI, 27 runs scored, a .724 slugging percentage and a 1.127 OPS in 26 games...set new career high by hitting in eight-straight games from August 4-13, hitting .370 (10-for-27) with five walks, a .485 on-base percentage and a 1.189 OPS in that span...threw hardest ball by Twins position player on season on September 8 at Kansas City, registering at 101.2 mph...set major league career highs in hits (57) and doubles (17)...ranked in 99th percentile in baseball in average throwing velocity at 96.9 mph; also fifth hardest in baseball, highest among rightfielders and second among corner outfielders...Wallner averaged 97.5 mph from RF and 95.4 mph from LF.

DARTH BADER: Harrison Bader is in his first Twins camp after signing with the team on February 7...this marks his ninth major league spring training (St. Louis - 2017-22, New York-AL - 2023 and New York-NL - 2024)...in 2024 appeared in a career-high 143 games, 108 as a starter, in his first season with the Mets...recorded four-straight games with multiple hits from April 9-12, the longest such streak of his career.

ROCCO BAL: This season marks Rocco Baldelli's seventh as the Twins' manager...he will enter the regular season with a career managerial record of 457-413 (870 games) and three division titles (2019, '20 and '23)...Baldelli is one of four managers in team history (since 1961) with 400 victories, joining Tom Kelly (1,140), Ron Gardenhire (1,068) and Sam Mele (522).

Rocco's coaching staff for 2025 includes: assistant hitting coach Trevor Amicone, hitting coach Matt Borgschulte, first base/infield coach Ramon Borrego, assistant bench coach Hank Conger, quality control coach Nate Dammann, pitching coach Pete Maki, assistant pitching coach Luis Ramirez, bullpen coach Colby Suggs, hitting coach Rayden Sierra, bench coach Jayce Tingler and third base/outfield coach Tommy Watkins - Amicone, Borgschulte, Borrego and Sierra all join the staff for the first time this season...additionally, the only coach shifting roles for 2025 is Conger, who transitions from first base coach to assistant bench coach.

FORT MYERS IS TWINS TERRITORY: 2025 marks the Twins' 35th spring training season in Lee County...over the previous 34 years, the Twins drew total of 3,447,150 fans over 507 dates (total does not include 17 replacement games in 1995 - 49,240 fans)...entering this season, they have an overall spring training record (since 1961) of 892-894-35...their top three spring win totals are: 20-12 in 2011, 20-11 in 2004 and 21-10 in 1991...last season, the Twins drew 115,882 fans through 16 dates for an average of 7,243 per opening...it marked their highest attendance since drawing 121,798 through 18 dates in 2019.

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED: 17 players on minor league contracts have been invited to major league spring training in 2025...joining the Twins in Fort Myers is 10 pitchers: right-handers Scott Blewett, Randy Dobnak, Ryan Jensen, Cory Lewis, Darren McCaughan, Andrew Morris, Erasmo Ramirez, Alex Speas and Huascar Ynoa; and left-hander Anthony Misiewicz; two catchers: Alex Isola and Pat Winkel; four infielders: Armando Alvarez, Mike Ford, Luke Keaschall and Yunior Severino; and one utility player: Jefferson Morales.

Of the 17 players invited to camp, eight have major league service time: Armando Alvarez (Oakland), Scott Blewett (Kansas City and Minnesota), Randy Dobnak (Minnesota), Mike Ford (New York-AL, San Francisco, Seattle, Atlanta, Los Angeles-AL and Cincinnati), Darren McCaughan (Seattle, Miami and Cleveland), Anthony Misiewicz (Seattle, Kansas City, Arizona, Detroit and New York-AL), Alex Speas (Texas and Houston) and Huascar Ynoa (Atlanta).

2025 SPRING SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

Main table with columns: DATE, OPPONENT, SCORE, WINNER, LOSER, SAVE, ATTENDANCE. Rows from 2/22 to 3/10.

Bold - Denotes Home Game | * - Denotes Sellout | ^ - Rain Shortened

