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'24 '25 '33 '65 '87 '91

WORLD CHAMPIONS
'24 '87 '91

MINNESOTA TWINS (66-72) vs. DETROIT TIGERS (63-74)

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2026 + 6:40 PM (CT) + TV: TWINS.TV, FOX 9 + RADIO: TIBN, WCCO, THE WOLF, LOSTWINS.COM

RHP Andrew Morris (4-7, 3.82) vs. RHP Troy Melton (7-3, 1.86)

GAME 139

HOME GAME 71

UPCOMING PROBABLE PITCHERS & BROADCAST SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Probable Pitchers	Time	Television	Radio / Spanish Radio
9/2	vs. Detroit	RHP Dean Kremer (2-5, 5.60) vs. RHP Drew Anderson (4-5, 3.87)	6:40 pm (CT)	Twins.TV	TIBN, WCCO, The Wolf / None
9/3	OFF DAY				

SEASON AT A GLANCE

Home Record:	37-33
Road Record:	29-39
Record in series:	20-22-2
Record in home series:	13-8-1
Record in road series:	7-14-1
Series Openers:	24-21
Series Finals:	23-21
Rubber Games:	13-10
Sweeps/Swept:	4/6
March/April:	14-18
May:	13-15
June:	14-13
July:	15-9
August:	10-17
September:	
Day Games:	27-30
Night Games:	39-42
vs. American League East:	15-13
vs. American League Central:	21-20
vs. American League West:	14-10
vs. National League:	16-29
Games vs. LH Starter:	20-23
Games vs. RH Starter:	46-49
Twins score first:	41-27
Opponent scores first:	25-45
Come-from-behind wins:	29
Leading after 7/8 inn.:	56-6/59-4
Trailing after 7/8 inn.:	4-58/2-63
Tied after 7/8 inn.:	6-8/5-5
Extra-innings:	4-3
1-run games:	14-20
When Twins score 4+:	58-26
When Twins score 3-:	8-46
Twins out-hit opp.:	49-12
Opp. out-hit Twins:	14-53
Twins/Opp. have = hits:	3-7
Run Differential:	-46 (637-683)
Twins get Quality Start:	30-16
Twins starter goes 6+ IP:	34-25
Most games over .500:	4 (11-7), 4/15
Most games under .500:	8, 4x, last, 8/30 (64-72)
Longest win-streak:	4, 5x, last 7/4-8
Longest losing-streak:	5, 2x, last 5/27-31
Twins get 10+ hits:	35-12
Days in First Place:	6
Days in Second Place:	17
Days in Third Place:	111
Days in Fourth Place:	8
Days in Fifth Place:	10
Walk-Off W/L:	4/4
Shutouts W/L:	3/4
CG (Twins):	Ober, 5/12 vs. MIA
Attendance High (Home):	39,853, 6/24 vs. LAD
Attendance Total (Home):	1,489,517
Attendance Average (Home):	21,279
Target Field Sellouts, Reg. Season (Post.)	
2026/All-Time:	1/188 (7 Post.)

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

9/1	RHP Acton recalled from AAA IF Ross contract selected from AAA OF Fedko designated for rel. or assign.
8/28	OF Jenkins contract selected from AAA OF Roden optioned to AAA RHP Go designated for rel. or assign.
8/17	C Jackson accepted assignment, reporting to AAA OF Martin placed on 10-day IL C Jackson contract selected from AAA
8/14	C Jackson designated for release or assignment
8/13	OF Buxton reinstated from 10-day IL, added as 27th man
8/7	IF Culpepper contract selected from AAA RHP Ryan placed on 15-day IL IF Gray optioned to AAA RHP Matthews recalled from AAA RHP Rashi designated for rel. or assign.
8/6	RHP Laweryson cleared unconditional release waivers
8/4	RHP Hoffman activated to 26-man roster LHP Rojas optioned to AAA

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THE TWINS: Through four games on their current six-game homestand, the Twins have gone 1-2 vs. Chicago-AL and 1-0 vs. Detroit...Minnesota will continue the homestand tonight with the second of three against the Tigers and complete the series tomorrow night...on Thursday, Minnesota will travel to Chicago to begin their penultimate roadtrip of 2026...they will play the White Sox at Rate Field for three games from September 4-6 and the Tigers at Comerica for three games from September 7-9.

TWINS KISS AUGUST GOODBYE: The Twins beat the Tigers last night by a score of 11-1, matching their largest margin of victory this season (12-2 on 6/16 at TEX)...Taj Bradley (10-6) was the starter and winner, allowing one run on four hits in 7.0 innings pitched, with three walks and nine strikeouts — 12th pitcher in the AL to earn double-digit victories in 2026...the offense scored in six of their eight offensive frames, scoring multiple times in three different innings...Luke Keaschall and Ryan Jeffers each had two hits as Jeffers homered twice, his fourth career multi-homer game...Kody Clemens hit his 23rd home run of the season and Walker Jenkins hit the first of his career, a 388-foot shot off the rightfield foul pole.

TIGER THINGS: The Twins and Tigers are playing the ninth of 13 games today...Twins are 6-2 vs. the Tigers this season, going 5-0 at Target Field and 1-2 at Comerica Park.
❖ The Twins have gone 45-24 at home against the Tigers since the start of the 2018 season, second-most home wins against any opponent in that span (Kansas City - 48-21).
❖ Twins lead baseball in home runs vs. Detroit since the start of 2019, hitting 162, 35 ahead of Cleveland (127).
❖ Luke Keaschall is hitting .370 (17-for-46) with three doubles, two home runs, 11 RBI, seven walks, a .463 on-base percentage and a 1.028 OPS in 13 career games vs. Detroit.
❖ Royce Lewis has posted an .876 OPS in 28 career games vs. the Tigers...he has reached base safely in all 28 career games vs. the Tigers (409 OBP, 26 H, 19 BB).
❖ Notables this season vs. Detroit: Josh Bell is 11-for-32 (.344) with one double, two home runs, five RBI and two walks...Royce Lewis is 9-for-27 (.333) with one double, one home run, four RBI and six walks...Luke Keaschall is 8-for-23 (.348) with one double, one home run, four RBI and four walks...Ryan Jeffers is 4-for-10 (.400) with one double, two home runs, seven RBI, three walks and a .538 on-base percentage.

DANCIN' IN SEPTEMBER: The Twins have recalled right-handed pitcher Garrett Acton from Triple-A St. Paul and have selected the contract of infielder Ben Ross from St. Paul.
❖ Acton, 28, went 1-1, 2.70 ERA (6.2 IP, 2 ER) in four games for the Twins earlier this season, from April 9-25, before being placed on the Injured List with a right shoulder strain on April 28...since being optioned to St. Paul to start August, he has gone 1-0 with a 3.09 ERA (11.2 IP, 4 ER), seven walks, 15 strikeouts and a .167 BAA in nine games for the Saints.
❖ Ross, 25, has played in 102 games for the Saints this season, hitting .249 (88-for-354) with 23 doubles, three triples, 15 home runs, 55 RBI, 56 runs scored, 56 walks, 12 stolen bases, a .353 OBP and an .810 OPS...in 118 games between the Saints and Double-A Wichita this season, he has set single-season career-highs in home runs (20), doubles (30), runs scored (71) and walks (68)...the Springfield, Ohio native was selected by the Twins in the fifth round of the 2022 MLB Draft out of Notre Dame College in South Euclid, Ohio.
❖ To make room on the 40-man roster, the Twins have DFA'd outfielder Kyle Fedko.
❖ Ben Ross is looking to become the 12th different Twin to make his debut in 2026, the other 11 being Andrew Morris, Kaelen Culpepper, Connor Prielipp, Kendry Rojas, Kyle Fedko, Mike Paredes, Woosuk Go, Walker Jenkins, John Klein, Marco Raya and Gabriel Gonzalez...the club record is 12, done in 2022.
❖ Ross will wear uniform number 1, the number worn by Woosuk Go earlier this season...it's the first time the Twins had multiple number 1s in one season since Sam Fuld and Jordan Schafer in 2014.

WITH ARMS WIDE OPENER: Twins are throwing a “bullpen day” today for the ninth time this season...below are the previous eight instances and results:

DATE	OPENER	BULK	SCORE
5/10 at CLE	Morris (1.0, 0 H, 0 R, 0 BB, 0 K)	Rojas (3.1 IP, 5 H, 1 R, 3 BB, 5 K)	W, 5-4
5/18 vs. HOU	Rojas (3.0 IP, 2 H, 0 R, 1 BB, 3 K)	Woods Richardson (1.0 IP, into rain delay)	W, 6-3
6/4 vs. KC	Morris (2.0 IP, 5 H, 2 R, 1 BB, 2 K)	Paredes (3.2 IP, 2 H, 3 R, 1 BB, 1 K)	L, 6-8
6/10 at DET	Paredes (3.0 IP, 1 H, 1 R, 2 BB, 4 K)	No bulk - 5 RPs threw roughly 1.0 IP each	W, 6-4
6/15 at TEX	Paredes (4.2 IP, 4 H, 2 R, 0 BB, 2 K)	No bulk w/ Paredes going nearly 5 IP	W, 4-2
6/23 vs. LAD	Rojas (2.0 IP, 1 H, 1 R, 3 BB, 4 K)	Voth (4.0 IP, 11 H, 6 R, 96 pitches)	L, 3-12
7/21 at CLE	Rojas (2.1 IP, 1 H, 2 R, 2 BB, 2 K)	Paredes (3.0 IP, 6 H, 2 R, 1 BB, 0 K)	L, 2-5
7/25 vs. ATH	Rojas (4.0 IP, 1 H, 0 R, 1 BB, 5 K)	No bulk - 4 RPs finished final 5.0 IP	W, 2-0

TWO-HIT LUKE: Luke Keaschall has 13 multi-hit games in his last 27 games overall (48%)...in that span, he is hitting .347 (35-for-101) with a 1.012 OPS...below are Keaschall's offensive comparisons through June and since July 1:

	G	AVG	H	R	XBH	RBI	HBP	BB%	K%	OBP	SLG	OPS
3/28-6/30	81	.245	68	40	15	24	5	9.8	15.5	.328	.317	.645
7/1-NOW	48	.331	54	26	18	17	12	9.5	14.6	.429	.528	.957

NUMBER ONE MAN: Since being inserted into the leadoff spot on August 17, Keaschall has led off in all 13 Twins games and has hit .352 (19-for-54) with a .963 OPS, reaching safely in 12 of the 13...below are Keaschall's rankings among MLB leadoff hitters since August 17:

AVERAGE	HITS	TB	OBP	OPS	SLG
Kwan - .354	Keaschall - 19	PCA - 52	Kwan - .466	PCA - 1.309	PCA - .912
Keaschall - .352	PCA - 19	Tatis Jr. - 32	Keaschall - .407	Keaschall - .963	Tatis Jr. - .571
PCA - .333	Kwan - 17	Keaschall - 30	PCA - .397	Tatis Jr. - .864	Keaschall - .556
Tatis Jr. - .286	Baldwin - 17	Baldwin - 27	Antonacci - .367	Kwan - .862	Ohtani - .440

SERIES CONVERSATIONS: With a win tonight, the Twins can earn their 21st series victory...they have gone 20-22-2 in series play, 13-8-1 at home and 7-14-1 on the road.

❖ Twins began the season going 8-13-1 in their first 22 series through June 11, but have gone 12-9-1 in their last 22 series overall, dating back to June 12-14 vs. St. Louis.
❖ Twins last home series win was a three-game sweep of the Braves from August 17-19.

A WALK TO REMEMBER: Through four major league games, Walker Jenkins has gone 3-for-12 with one double, one home run, two walks, three RBI and one stolen base...he is the only rookie in club history to have a double, a home run and a stolen base within his first four games.

HBD, A-MO: Andrew Morris is celebrating his 25th birthday...today marks the first time he has pitched professionally on his birthday...he will be the first Twin to pitch on his birthday since Emilio Pagán on May 7, 2023...first to make a start since José Berrios on May 27, 2018.

TWINS IN THE BARN: The Twins are at the 2026 Minnesota State Fair, with interactive games and special appearances all part of the team's daily lineup...The Minnesota Twins Experience is located on the south end of Cooper Street at Judson Avenue, next to the International Bazaar, and is open from 9:00 am to 9:00 pm daily, rain or shine, throughout the State Fair's duration (now through Monday, September 7).

UPCOMING MILESTONES

PLAYER	CURRENT NO.	MILESTONE WITHIN REACH
Ryan Jeffers	99 doubles	Needs 1 to reach 100 for career.
Trevor Larnach	94 doubles	Needs 6 to reach 100 for career.
Taylor Rogers	52 saves (as Twin)	Needs 2 to tie Mike Marshall (54) for 10th on Twins all-time list (since 1961).
	374 games	Needs 2 to tie Jim Perry (376) and Jesse Crain (376) for ninth on Twins all-time list (since 1961).

STREAKS

Current Streak	2 wins
Last 5 games	2-3
Last 10 games	3-7
Last 15 games	6-9
Last 20 games	8-12

TWINS VS. TIGERS

2026 Record:	6-2
Current Streak:	1 win
2026 at Home:	5-0
2026 at Detroit:	1-2
All-Time Record:	509-459-1
All-Time at Home:	269-218
All-Time at Detroit:	240-241-1

2026 Game Logs:

Date	Site	Score	Winner/Loser/Save
4/6	MIN	7-3	Ryan/Mize/Laweryson
4/7	MIN	4-2	Bradley/Skubal/Topa
4/8	MIN	8-6	Ober/Valdez/Funderburk
4/9	MIN	3-1	Acton/Vest/Orze
6/9	DET	4-10	Melton/Bradley
6/10	DET	6-4	Rogers/Valdez/Gómez
6/11	DET	0-11	Montero/Matthews
8/31	MIN	11-1	Bradley/Jobe
9/1	MIN		6:40 pm (CT)
9/2	MIN		6:40 pm (CT)
9/7	DET		12:10 pm (CT)
9/8	DET		5:40 pm (CT)
9/9	DET		12:10 pm (CT)

HOMESTAND (2-2)

Batting average	.269
Runs Per Game	5.50
Home Runs	7
RISP	.219
Errors	1

Team ERA	2.50
Starters W-L	2-1
Starters ERA	2.96
Relievers W-L-S	0-1-0
Relievers ERA	1.54
Saves/Opps	0/0

SERIES RESULTS - JULY/AUG

DATES/OPP	GM W/L	SERIES W/L
6/29-7/1 at HOU	2-1	W
7/3-5 at NYY	2-1	W
7/7-9 vs. CLE	2-1	W
7/10-12 vs. LAA	2-1	W
7/17-19 at CHC	1-2	L
7/20-23 at CLE	2-2	T
7/24-26 vs. ATH	2-1	W
7/28-30 vs. KC	2-1	W
7/31-8/2 at SEA	1-2	L
8/4-6 at KC	1-2	L
8/7-9 at MIL	1-2	L
8/10-12 vs. BAL	2-1	W
8/13-16 vs. PHI	0-3	L
8/17-19 vs. ATL	3-0	W
8/21-23 at SD	0-3	L
8/24-26 at ATH	1-2	L
8/28-30 vs. CWS	1-2	L
8/31-9/2 vs. DET	1-0	

TEAM BULLPEN NOTES									
⌘ Nance was lone reliever used in last night's win over DET at Target Field...pen has 4th-highest ERA (4.84) in MLB; also has 2nd-highest BB/9 (4.63 - 250 BB, 485.2 IP) & 3rd-lowest K/BB (1.82). ⌘ 'Pen has 3.72 ERA (181.2 IP, 75 ER), 16-for-21 in SVO, 35 holds, .242 (165-for-682) BAA in last 53 G since 6/28. ⌘ 'Pen is 2-0-5, 5.74 ERA (26.2 IP, 17 ER), 4 HR, 17 BB, 33 K in 8 games vs. DET this season. ⌘ Since 7/1, 'pen is 12-12-14, 3.75 ERA (172.2 IP, 72 ER), 84 BB, 168 K, 13 HR, 14-for-19 in SVO in 51 G...in span, 'pen is 3rd in MLB in HR/9 (0.68). ⌘ Anderson's save 7/23 at CLE was 12th different MIN RP to earn SV in '26, extending club record...12 different RPs w/ a SV are tied w/ CIN & WSH for 2nd most in MLB, behind CHC (13).									
GARRETT ACTON - RHP					#50				
Height: 6-2		Weight: 215		Age: 27 (6/15/1998 in Naperville, IL)		Acquired: Trade with MIA, 4/2/26			
Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB		Series vs DET: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0ER), 0 K, 0 BB		vs. Left .111		vs. Right .214			
⌘ Recalled today from AAA St. Paul, as part of September roster expansion...went 1-1, 2.70 ERA (6.2 IP, 2 ER) in 4 G for MIN from 4/9-25, before missing time on the IL from 4/28-8/1 w/ right shoulder strain. ⌘ Optioned to Saints to start August; went 1-0, 3.09 ERA (11.2 IP, 4 ER), 7 BB, 15 K, .167 (7-for-42) BAA in 9 games for Saints. ⌘ Twins debut 4/9 vs. DET, relieving Abel to start 7th w/ 1-0 lead...Twins scored 2 in bottom of 8th as Acton was credited w/ 1st MLB win. ⌘ 2026 MLB arsenal: 4SFB - 63 pitches (54.8%), slider - 52 pitches (45.2%)...opponents 1-for-11 (5 K) off fastball & 3-for-12 (4 K) off slider. ⌘ Began this season w/ AAA Jax...acquired by MIN via trade w/ MIA on 4/2/26, in exchange for milb RHP Logan Whitaker. ⌘ Spent most of 2025 w/ AAA Durham, going 5-1, 3.68 ERA (58.2 IP, 24 ER) w/ 3 SV, 27 BB, 71 K & 1.13 WHIP in 45 G (4 GS).									
TRAVIS ADAMS - RHP					#45				
Height: 6-1		Weight: 211		Age: 26 (1/19/2000 in Palm Springs, CA)		Acquired: 6th RD, 2021 MLB Draft			
Homestand: 0-0-0, 3.86 (2.1 IP, 1 ER), 2 K, 0 BB		Series vs CWS: 0-0-0, 3.86 (2.1 IP, 1ER), 2 K, 0 BB		vs. Left .273		vs. Right .219			
⌘ Entered w/ 2 on, 2 out in T6th Friday vs. CWS and got Vargas to GO to end the inning and strand both IR...then pitched 1-2-3 7th (Benintendi GO, B. Montgomery GO, C. Montgomery K) and allowed R in 8th on Meidroth 2B, Peters FO (Meidroth to 3rd) and Meidroth scored on WP. ⌘ 1 hold in 1 game vs. DET this season, w/ 1.1 scoreless IP, 1 H, 1 BB, 3 K...career 3.52 ERA (7.2 IP, 3 ER), 1 HR, 5 BB, 11 K in 3 G (1 GS) vs. DET. ⌘ RHBs are 16-for-73 w/ 10 BB & 26 K off him at MLB level this season...LHBs are 27-for-99 w/ 10 BB & 24 K. ⌘ 2026 MLB arsenal: changeup - 201 pitches (26.6%), 4SFB - 189 pitches (25.0%), slider - 168 pitches (22.2%), cutter - 156 pitches (20.6%), sinker - 42 pitches (5.6%)...opponents 8-for-42 off slider, 10-for-35 off cutter & 0-for-6 off sinker...in 92nd percentile in hard-hit% (30.9).									
KODY FUNDERBURK - LHP					#57				
Height: 6-3		Weight: 233		Age: 29 (11/27/1996 in Mesa, AZ)		Acquired: 15th RD, 2018 MLB Draft			
Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB		Series vs CWS: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0ER), 1 K, 0 BB		vs. Left .192		vs. Right .237			
⌘ Pitched 9th Friday night vs. CWS; allowed 1B to Murakami, then got Vargas to FO, K-ed pinch hitter Randal Grichuk and got B. Montgomery to GO to end the inning. ⌘ 19 of his last 23 G have been scoreless; 2.78 ERA (22.2 IP, 7 ER), 7 BB, 25 K in span...recalled from AAA St. Paul 6/24, 3rd stint w/ MIN this season. ⌘ 2 scoreless G vs. DET this season, w/ 1 save, 1 hold, 1.1 IP, 4 BB...career 4.09 ERA (11.0 IP, 5 ER), 2 HR, 7 BB, 11 K, 1 save, 3 holds in 12 G vs. DET. ⌘ At MLB level in 2026: LHBs are 15-for-78 w/ 12 BB & 19 K this season...RHBs are 18-for-76 w/ HR (Collins - 3/30 at KC), 12 BB & 17 K...1 career HR allowed to a lefty; came in 2nd career G on 8/30/23 vs. CLE (Kole Calhoun). ⌘ 2026 MLB arsenal: sinker - 250 pitches (34.7%), cutter - 247 pitches (34.3%), sweeper - 148 pitches (20.5%), changeup - 40 pitches (5.5%), slider - 36 pitches (5.0%)...opponents 7-for-43 on sweeper w/ 14 K, 11-for-46 on sinker w/ 7 K & 10-for-51 on cutter w/ 15 K.									
YOENDRYS GÓMEZ - RHP					#94				
Height: 6-3		Weight: 212		Age: 26 (10/15/1999 in Nirgua, VZ)		Acquired: Trade with TB, 5/6/26			
Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 2 BB		Series vs CWS: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0ER), 2 K, 2 BB		vs. Left .269		vs. Right .172			
⌘ Pitched a scoreless 9th Saturday vs. CWS; BB-ed C. Montgomery, got Meidroth to FO, BB-ed Peters, K-ed Rogers looking and K-ed Doyle swinging to end the inning...perfect 20-for-20 in SVO this season; 1 of 2 pitchers in MLB w/ 15+ SVO and 0 BS (Hader, 21-for-21)...ranks 9th in AL in saves. ⌘ Has 2.66 ERA (40.2 IP, 12 ER) w/ 41 K/22 BB in 46 games since joining MIN. ⌘ Pitched in 46 of 100 G since being activated on 5/8...55 G overall are new single-season career-high, passing previous high of 21 in '25. ⌘ 1 save in 1 G vs. DET this season, on 6/10 at DET (1.0 IP, 2 H, 1 R/ER, 1 BB, 1 K)...career 1-0-1, 3.00 ERA (6.0 IP, 2 ER), 2 BB, 8 K in 2 G (1 GS) vs. DET. ⌘ RHBs are 17-for-99 w/ 1 HR (Smith - 6/29 at HOU), 15 BB & 25 K this season, LHBs are 32-for-119 w/ 6 HR, 17 BB & 29 K. ⌘ 2026 MLB arsenal: 4SFB - 449 pitches (46.9%), sweeper - 228 pitches (23.8%), cutter - 141 pitches (14.7%), sinker - 92 pitches (9.6%), changeup - 48 pitches (5.0%)...opponents .193 (11-for-57) w/ 21 K off sweeper...26 of his 54 Ks have come off four-seam fastball.									
JEFF HOFFMAN - RHP					#24				
Height: 6-5		Weight: 220		Age: 33 (1/8/1993 in Latham, NY)		Acquired: Trade with TOR, 8/3/26			
Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.2 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB		Series vs CWS: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.2 IP, 0ER), 0 K, 0 BB		vs. Left .218		vs. Right .291			
⌘ Entered w/ 2 on, 1 out in T9th Sunday vs. CWS; got Benintendi to PO, then allowed RBI 1B to b. Montgomery and got C. Montgomery to PO to end the game...is 0-1, 4.15 ERA (8.2 IP, 4 ER), 7 BB, 11 K in 10 games since joining MIN. ⌘ Activated 8/4 (Rojas optioned); acquired by MIN 8/3 from TOR w/ cash, in exchange for mils Hill, Klein, Pena and international bonus pool money...2nd time w/ MIN; was with team in 2023 spring training but was released at end of March. ⌘ Has 1.84 ERA (29.1 IP, 6 ER), 15 BB, 39 K, .187 (20-for-107) BAA in his last 31 games since 6/9. ⌘ Is 0-1, 13.50 ERA (0.2 IP, 1 ER), 1 BB, 2 K in 1 G vs. DET this season...career 1-1, 10.38 ERA (4.1 IP, 5 ER), 2 HR, 3 BB, 5 K in 4 G vs. DET. ⌘ LHB are 26-for-119, 5 2B, 2 3B, 17 BB, 46 K and RHB are 30-for-103, 8 2B, 3 HR, 8 BB, 40 K this season. ⌘ 2026 arsenal: slider - 459 pitches (43.3%), 4SFB - 331 pitches (31.2%), split finger - 222 pitches (20.9%), sinker - 49 pitches (4.6%)...ranks in 97th percentile in chase% (37.3), 99th in whiff% (36.8) and 98th in K% (33.5).									
A.J. MINTER - LHP					#33				
Height: 6-0		Weight: 215		Age: 32 (9/2/1993 in Tyler, TX)		Acquired: Trade with NYM, 7/31/26			
Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 2 BB		Series vs CWS: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0ER), 1 K, 2 BB		vs. Left .258		vs. Right .164			
⌘ Pitched scoreless 8th Saturday vs. CWS; got Grichuk to FO, BB-ed Murakami, BB-ed Vargas, K-ed Benintendi and got B. Montgomery to ground into a FC to end the inning...1st game this season w/ 2 BB...activated 8/1 after being acquired by MIN via trade w/ NYM on 7/31. ⌘ Began season on 60-day IL; season debut on 5/26 and had 14-straight scoreless appearances from 5/26-7/1, w/ 14.0 IP, 1 BB, 11 K, .143 (7-for-49) BAA in span. ⌘ 3 career games vs. DET, all in 2023; 2.1 scoreless IP, 1 save, 2 holds, 1 H, 0 BB, 3 K. ⌘ LHBs are 16-for-62, 2B, 3B, 3 HR, 4 BB, 15 K against him this season, while RHB are 11-for-67, 2B, 3B, 2 HR, 2 BB, 14 K. ⌘ 2026 arsenal: cutter - 283 pitches (56.7%), 4SFB - 143 pitches (28.7%), changeup - 52 pitches (10.4%), sinker - 21 pitches (4.2%)...19 of his 29 K this season have come off cutter; opponents are batting .184 (14-for-76) on the pitch.									
ANDREW MORRIS - RHP					#78				
Height: 6-0		Weight: 195		Age: 25 (9/1/2001 in Manhattan, NY)		Acquired: 4th RD, 2022 MLB Draft			
Homestand: 0-1-0, 4.50 (2.0 IP, 1 ER), 2 K, 0 BB		Series vs CWS: 0-1-0, 4.50 (2.0 IP, 1ER), 2 K, 0 BB		vs. Left .252		vs. Right .258			
⌘ Today is his 25th birthday...scheduled to make his 3rd career start tonight vs. DET; 1st MIN pitcher to pitch on his bday since Pagán on 5/7/23 and 1st to start since Berrios on 5/27/18. ⌘ Took 7th loss Saturday vs. CWS; entered w/ game tied 2-2, got Vargas to GO, then allowed go-ahead solo HR to Benintendi, got B. Montgomery to GO and C. Montgomery to LO to end the inning...also worked 1-2-3 7th...his 7 losses this season are 3rd most by a rookie reliever in a single season in MIN history (1961-), behind Terry Felton (0-9) in 1982 and Rick Lysander (4-9) in 1983. ⌘ From 6/12-7/17, had 18.0-inning scoreless streak, longest on MIN this season...has a 2.60 ERA (34.2 IP, 10 ER), 2 HR, 11 BB, 28 K, .200 (25-for-125) BAA in his last 33 appearances since 6/12...however, is 0-4, 11.37 ERA (6.1 IP, 8 ER), 1 BB, 4 K in his last 6 G. ⌘ 1 career appearance vs. DET, on 6/10 at DET; 1.0 IP, 2 H (Torres, Carpenter), 2 R/1 ER, 1 BB (McGonigle), 3 K (Short, Dingler, Greene). ⌘ LHBs are 31-for-123 w/ 3 HR, 14 BB & 30 K...RHBs are 32-for-124 w/ 1 HR (Marte), 8 BB & 29 K. ⌘ 2026 MLB arsenal: 4SFB - 498 pitches (45.6%), cutter - 226 pitches (20.7%), sinker - 126 pitches (11.5%), changeup - 120 pitches (11.0%), sweeper - 104 pitches (9.5%), curveball - 17 pitches (1.6%)...opponents 4-for-25 (.160) vs. sweeper.									
TOMMY NANCE - RHP					#35				
Height: 6-6		Weight: 235		Age: 35 (3/19/1991 in Long Beach, CA)		Acquired: Trade with TOR, 7/10/26			
Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB		Series vs DET: 0-0-0, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0ER), 2 K, 0 BB		vs. Left .329		vs. Right .181			
⌘ Worked final 2.0 scoreless IP in relief of Bradley last night vs. DET; in 8th, got Torres to GO, Keith to PO and McGonigle to GO...then in 9th, got Dingler to GO, allowed 1B to Callahan, and K-ed McKinstry and Valencia...13 of his 17 G w/ MIN have been scoreless; has 2.08 ERA (17.1 IP, 4 ER). ⌘ Activated 7/10 (Orze optioned)...acquired 7/10 from TOR with international bonus pool money, in exchange for mil C/IF Ryan Sprock. ⌘ Career 1 hold, 2.08 ERA (4.1 IP, 1 ER), 2 H, 0 BB, 5 K in 3 games vs. DET. ⌘ Went 1-2, 3.82 ERA (33.0 IP, 14 ER), 13 BB, 34 K, .234 (29-for-124) BAA in 32 G for TOR this season...missed time on 15-day IL w/ right forearm discomfort (5/17-6/8). ⌘ 2026 arsenal: slider - 344 pitches (42.8%), curve - 241 pitches (29.6%), sinker - 225 pitches (27.7%), 4SFB - 3 pitches (0.4%)...27 of his 55 K this season have come on curveball; opponents are 8-for-56 (.143) off the pitch...in 94th percentile in chase% (36.0%).									
TAYLOR ROGERS - LHP					#55				
Height: 6-3		Weight: 190		Age: 35 (12/17/1990 in Denver, CO)		Acquired: Signed as free agent, 1/23/26			
Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.2 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 2 BB		Series vs CWS: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.2 IP, 0ER), 1 K, 2 BB		vs. Left .255		vs. Right .300			
⌘ Entered w/ 1 on, 0 out in T5th Friday vs. CWS; got Benintendi to ground into a FC, B. Montgomery to PO, allowed 1B to C. Montgomery and got Meidroth to GO...recorded 2 outs in 6th but BB-ed two batters before departing with 2 on, 2 out. ⌘ Is 3-0, 2.33 ERA (19.1 IP, 4 ER), 12 BB, 17 K, HR, 3 holds in his last 20 games since 6/27; 16 of 20 outings in that span have been scoreless. ⌘ Is 1-0, 6.75 ERA (2.2 IP, 2 ER), 1 HR, 1 BB, 5 K, 1 hold in 3 G vs. DET this season...career 3-3-6, 4.55 ERA (31.2 IP, 16 ER), 8 BB, 39 K in 36 G vs. DET. ⌘ 2nd SV of SZN 5/23 at BOS...52nd SV as Twin passed Bill Campbell & moved into 11th on Twins all-time list...next is Mike Marshall (54) in 10th. ⌘ LHBs are 26-for-102 w/ 13 BB & 22 K this season, while RHBs are 27-for-90 w/ 11 BB & 20 K...4 HR allowed this SZN, Reynolds (5/29), Dingler (6/9), Call (6/23), Tatis Jr. (8/23). ⌘ 2026 MLB arsenal: sweeper - 444 pitches (50.1%), sinker - 323 pitches (36.5%), cutter - 119 pitches (13.4%). ⌘ 98th pctl in MLB in hard hit % (27.7)...94th in avg exit velo (86.2). ⌘ Twins all-time ranks: 7th in relief appearances (374), next up Crain (376); 2nd among lefties (next up Guardado - 623).									
RECENT APPEARANCES									
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	Ps
-----AAA St. Paul-----									
8/29 vs. Tol	ND	2.0	0	0	0	0	1	4	32
8/26 vs. Tol	ND	1.0	2	1	1	0	1	2	24
8/23 at Col	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2	9
8/20 at Col	W1	2.0	1	0	0	0	0	3	26
8/16 at Iowa	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	1	18
8/13 at Iowa	ND	1.0	0	1	1	0	3	1	36
8/9 vs. Lou	ND	1.2	2	1	1	0	1	0	28
8/6 vs. Lou	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	9
RECENT APPEARANCES									
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	Ps
8/28 vs. CWS	ND	2.1	1	1	1	0	2	2	26
8/23 at SD	ND	1.0	2	2	2	1	1	2	34
8/21 at SD	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	2	0	17
8/17 vs. ATL	W3	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	3	18
8/13 vs. PHI	ND	2.2	4	2	2	1	0	1	42
8/10 vs. BAL	ND	1.0	3	2	2	0	0	1	21
8/8 at MIL	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	3	15
8/5 at KC	ND	0.2	1	2	2	0	1	0	20
RECENT APPEARANCES									
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	Ps
-----Minnesota-----									
8/28 vs. CWS	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1	18
8/26 at ATH	ND	1.1	2	1	1	1	0	1	18
8/23 at SD	L2	0.1	0	2	2	0	2	0	17
8/19 vs. ATL	H10	0.1	3	3	3	0	0	0	17
8/18 vs. ATL	H9	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
8/16 vs. PHI	H8	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
8/15 vs. PHI	ND	1.0	2	0	0	0	0	1	16
8/10 vs. BAL	ND	1.0	2	0	0	0	1	1	22
8/9 at MIL	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	2	15
8/7 at KC	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	2	15
RECENT APPEARANCES									
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	Ps
-----Minnesota-----									
8/26 at ATH	ND	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	1	6
8/23 at SD	ND	0.2	2	2	2	0	1	0	1
8/19 vs. ATL	H16	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	3	20
8/17 vs. ATL	H15	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	1	20
8/15 vs. PHI	ND	1.0	1	1	1	0	1	0	17
8/12 vs. BAL	H14	1.0	0	0	0	0	2	1	24
8/8 at MIL	L8	1.0	2	1	1	0	0	1	15
8/7 at MIL	H13	1.0	0	0	0	0	2	2	25
8/5 at KC	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2	11
RECENT APPEARANCES									
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	Ps
-----Minnesota-----									
8/29 vs. CWS	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2	23
8/25 at ATH	ND	1.1	0	0	0	0	0	2	23
8/22 at SD	H6	0.2	1	0	0	0	0	1	8
8/19 vs. ATL	W2	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
8/18 vs. ATL	H5	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
8/16 vs. PHI	H4	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	14
8/15 vs. PHI	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	12
8/12 vs. BAL	H3	1.0	0	0	0	0	2	9	9
8/9 at MIL	ND	1.1	1	0	0	0	1	0	16
RECENT APPEARANCES									
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	Ps
-----Minnesota-----									
8/29 vs. CWS	L7	2.0	1	1	1	1	0	2	27
8/26 at ATH	L6/BS5	1.0	4	3	3	0	0	1	16
8/24 at ATL	S4	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
8/22 at SD	L5/BS4	1.0	3	4	1	0	0	0	19
8/18 vs. ATL	H17	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	13
8/16 vs. PHI	L4/BS3	1.0	4	3	3	0	1	0	28
8/15 vs. PHI	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	2	13
8/12 vs. BAL	H16	1.0	0	0	0	0	2	1	23
8/9 at MIL	ND	0.2	0	0	0	0	2	0	14
8/7 at MIL	H15	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	13
8/6 at KC	H14	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	1	13
8/2 at SEA	L3	0.2	1	1	1	0	1	0	12
7/31 at SEA	H13	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
RECENT APPEARANCES									
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	Ps
-----Minnesota-----									
8/24 at ATH	ND	1.0	2	1	1	0	1	0	16
8/22 at SD	ND	1.0	3	1	1	0	0	3	27
8/19 vs. ATL	BS3	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	3	16

★ JOSH BELL - 1B/DH #56			
Height: 6-4	Weight: 251	B/T: S/R	Age: 34 (8/14/1992 in Irving, TX)
2026 Average: .253 Homestand: 4-16, 3 RBI	Streak: 0-7	Series vs DET: 0-5 Home Runs: 17 (7 1-run, 6 2-run, 4 3-run)	
⚡ 0-for-5 8/31 vs. DET...2-for-4, 2 RBI, SB, R 8/30 vs. CWS; has multiple SB in season for 1st time since 2018...hitting .284 (31-for-109), 4 2B, 4 HR, 21 RBI, .786 OPS in his last 29 games. ⚡ His 17 HR this season are 7th most among MLB switch hitters. ⚡ Leads MIN w/ 83 RBI and is 3rd on MIN w/ 30 multi-H G this season...also T-1st w/ 132 G. ⚡ Career 1-for-3 vs. Melton...hitting .344 (11-for-32), 2B, 2 HR, 5 RBI, 2 BB, 3 R, .945 OPS in 8 games vs. DET this season...career .291 (39-for-134), 7 2B, 4 HR, 22 RBI, 13 BB, 14 R, .784 OPS in 37 games vs. DET. ⚡ Is .277 (44-for-159), 9 2B, 5 HR, 35 RBI, 9 BB vs. LHP and 79-for-328, 18 2B, 3B, 12 HR, 48 RBI, 33 BB vs. RHP this season...also .353 (47-for-133), 13 2B, 8 HR, 71 RBI w/ RISP this season.			

VICTOR CARATINI - C/1B #37			
Height: 6-0	Weight: 221	B/T: S/R	Age: 33 (8/17/1993 in Ponce, PR)
2026 Average: .222 Homestand: 1-3	Streak: 1g, 1-3	Series vs CWS: 1-3 Home Runs: 7 (5 1-run, 1 2-run, 1 3-run)	
⚡ 1-for-3 8/29 vs. CWS, snapping an 0-for-12. ⚡ Career 0-for-2 vs. Melton...hitting .304 (7-for-23), 2B, 3 RBI, 2 BB, 2 R in 6 games vs. DET this season...career .265 (13-for-49), 2B, 3B, 2 HR, 6 RBI, 8 BB, 5 R, .832 OPS in 16 vs. DET. ⚡ Is 18-for-98, 2 2B, 2 HR, 10 BB, 6 HBP, 8 RBI vs. LHP and 47-for-197, 7 2B, 5 HR, 30 RBI, 2 HBP, 21 BB vs. RHP this season...also 17-for-84, 4 2B, HR, 30 RBI, 5 BB w/ RISP. ⚡ Has 65 G (63 GS) at C and 26 G (18 GS) at 1B this season. ⚡ His 111 ABS challenges as a C are 3rd most in MLB; has a 61% win percentage.			

KODY CLEMENS - UTL #2			
Height: 6-0	Weight: 196	B/T: L/R	Age: 30 (5/15/1996 in Houston, TX)
2026 Average: .238 Homestand: 3-13, 2 HR, 3 RBI	Streak: 1g, 1-2, HR, 2 RBI	Series vs DET: 1-2, HR, 2 RBI Home Runs: 23 (15 1-run, 3 2-run, 4 3-run, 1 GS)	
⚡ 1-for-2, HR, 2 RBI, BB, 2 R 8/31 vs. DET...hitting .320 (16-for-50), 2B, 3B, 3 HR, 13 RBI, 4 BB, 7 R, .364 OBP, .924 OPS in his last 14 games...T-1st in AL in 3B this season (6). ⚡ His 23 HR and 69 RBI this season are new career highs...also set single-season career highs in 2B, 3B, R, SB and games this season. ⚡ Career 1-for-3, HR, RBI vs. Melton...former Tiger is 3-for-15, 2B, 2 HR, 3 RBI, 3 BB, SB, 3 R in 6 G vs. DET this season...career .224 (11-for-49), 4 2B, 2 HR, 6 RBI, 4 BB, 4 R in 15 games vs. DET. ⚡ Is 28-for-117, 3 2B, 2 3B, 5 HR, 21 RBI, 6 BB vs. LHP and 78-for-329, 18 2B, 3 3B, 18 HR, 48 RBI, 25 BB vs. RHP this season...also 34-for-108, 3 2B, 4 3B, 6 HR, 46 RBI, 10 BB w/ RISP this season. ⚡ Defensive positions in 2026: 50 G (39 GS) at 1B, 50 G (48 GS) at 2B, 27 G (5 GS) in LF, 21 G (17 GS) in RF, 9 G (6 GS) in CF.			

KAELN CULPEPPER - IF #12			
Height: 6-0	Weight: 185	B/T: R/R	Age: 23 (12/29/2002 in Memphis, TN)
2026 Average: .314 Homestand: 3-13, 2B	Streak: 2g, 2-6, 2B	Series vs DET: 1-3, 2B Home Runs: 3 (3 1-run)	
⚡ 1-for-3, 2B, BB, R 8/31 vs. DET...1-for-3 8/30 vs. CWS...hit safely in 16 of 20 career games...4-for-5, RBI, R 8/24 at ATH; set new single-game career high w/ 4 H...1-for-4, HR, RBI, R 8/22 at SD; went b2b w/ Lee in 2nd...0-for-3 8/21 at SD, snapping 7-game hitting streak...3-for-4, R 8/19 vs. ATL; 1st career 3-H game...2-for-4, 2B 8/15 vs. PHI; 1st career multi-hit game. ⚡ 1-for-4, HR, RBI, R 8/7 at MIL, playing SS in MLB debut; 13th player in MIN history (1961-) w/ HR in 1st career game, 1st since Wallner in 2022...contract selected 8/7 from AAA; 10th player to debut for MIN this season. ⚡ At MLB level, is 9-for-30, 2 2B, HR, 3 RBI, BB vs. LHP and 13-for-40, 2B, 2 HR, 3 RBI, 4 BB vs. RHP...also 1-for-12, 2 RBI w/ RISP...for MIN, made 20 G (20 GS) at SS.			

GABRIEL GONZALEZ - OF #72			
Height: 5-11	Weight: 247	B/T: R/R	Age: 22 (1/4/2004 in Carupano, VZ)
2026 Average: .500 Homestand: 0-0	Streak: 1g, 1-2	Series vs DET: 0-0 Home Runs:	
⚡ HBP as PH in 9th 8/31 vs. DET, then played RF...recalled 8/30 from AAA St. Paul (Buxton - IL)...2nd stint w/ MIN this season, was up from 5/22-25...went 1-for-2, 2 BB 5/22 at BOS in MLB debut; collected 1B in 7th for 1st carer hit...27th player in MIN history (1961-) to reach safely 3x in debut, also 7th player w/ 2+ BB in debut, 1st since Mauer on 4/5/04. ⚡ Hit .254 (102-for-402), 19 2B, 2 3B, 15 HR, 51 RBI, 35 BB, 1 SB, 54 R, .741 OPS in 106 games for Saints. ⚡ Currently ranked by MLB.com as MIN's No. 11 prospect, No. 10 among position players.			

ALEX JACKSON - C #70			
Height: 6-1	Weight: 219	B/T: R/R	Age: 30 (12/25/1995 in San Diego, CA)
2026 Average: .303 Homestand: 0-0	Streak: 0-4	Series vs DET: 0-0 Home Runs: 1 (1 1-run)	
⚡ BB as PH then C 8/31 vs. DET...contract selected 8/17 from AAA St. Paul (Martin - IL)...DFAed by MIN on 8/14 and accepted outright assignment...hitting .364 (12-for-33), 3 2B, HR, 4 RBI, .962 OPS in his last 18 G...contract selected 5/19 from AAA. ⚡ Never faced Melton...career 2-for-4, HBP, R, BB in 3 games vs. DET, all this season. ⚡ Is 4-for-23, HBP vs. LHP and 16-for-43, 4 2B, HR, 5 RBI, 2 BB, HBP vs. RHP this season w/ MIN...hitting .429 (6-for-14), 2B, 4 RBI, BB, .967 OPS w/ RISP. ⚡ Def. positions: 22 G (16 GS) at C, 2 G (2 GS) at 1B...played 1B for 1st time in career this year.			

RYAN JEFFERS - C #27			
Height: 6-3	Weight: 225	B/T: R/R	Age: 28 (6/3/1997 in Raleigh, NC)
2026 Average: .275 Homestand: 3-12, 2 HR, 2B, 4 RBI	Streak: 2g, 3-6, 2 HR, 2B, 4 RBI	Series vs DET: 2-3, 2 HR, 4 RBI Home Runs: 12 (6 1-run, 2 2-run, 3 3-run, 1 GS)	
⚡ 2-for-3, 2 HR, 4 RBI, 2 R 8/31 vs. DET; 4th career 2-HR game, 1st since 2024...0-for-5 8/4 at KC, snapping career-best 23-G on-base streak, longest on MIN this season, and 9-G hit streak, T-longest on MIN this season...reached safely in 31 of 37 G since IL return. ⚡ Returned from rehab, reinstated from 10-day IL 7/10; missed 46 G w/ left hamate bone fracture. ⚡ Career 0-for-1 vs. Melton...is 4-for-10, 2B, 2 HR, 7 RBI, 2 BB, 3 R in 3 games vs. DET this season...hitting .314 (11-for-35), 4 2B, 3 HR, 11 RBI, 4 BB, 9 R, 1.086 OPS in his last 9 G vs. DET. ⚡ Is 26-for-88, 6 2B, 3B, 2 HR, 21 BB, 15 RBI vs. LHP and 43-for-163, 10 2B, 10 HR, 31 RBI, 20 BB vs. RHP this season...also .304 (21-for-69), 4 2B, 3B, 5 HR, 38 RBI w/ RISP.			

TWINS HOME RUN DATA					
MULTI-HOMER GAMES (8x) • Buxton, 4/14 vs. BOS • Buxton, 5/13 vs. MIA • Bell, 5/18 vs. HOU • Lee, 5/31 at PIT • Clemens, 6/4 vs. KC • Bell, 7/4 at NYY • Clemens, 7/18 at CHC • Jeffers, 8/31 vs. DET	BACK-TO-BACK (7x) • Clemens/Bell, 4/2 at KC • Lee/Clemens, 6/9 at DET • Bell/Lewis, 6/19 at AZ • Lewis/Caratini, 6/29 at HOU • Keaschall/Jackson, 7/4 at NYY • Lee/Culpepper (8/22 at SD) • Larnach/Culpepper (8/26 at ATH)	RUNNERS ON • Solo - 103 • 2-run - 32 • 3-run - 21 • GS - 6	GRAND SLAM (6x) • Gray (4/3 vs. TB) • Jeffers (4/23 at NYM) • Gray (6/1 vs. CWS) • Buxton (6/20 at AZ) • Clemens (7/30 vs. KC) • Lee (8/16 vs. PHI)	BACK-TO-BACK-TO-BACK (0x) • None INSIDE-THE-PARK (0x) • None WALK-OFF (1x) • Clemens (GS, 7/30 vs. KC)	LEADOFF (9x) • Buxton (5/2 vs. TOR) • Buxton (5/9 at CLE) • Buxton (5/13 vs. MIA) • Buxton (5/27 at CWS) • Buxton (6/4 vs. KC) • Buxton (6/9 at DET) • Larnach (6/16 at TEX) • Larnach (7/22 at CLE) • Keaschall (8/22 at SD)

HITTERS INFO																					
					LAST HOME RUN				LAST GRAND SLAM			VS. CURRENT OPPONENT 2026					VS. CURRENT OPPONENT CAREER				
Player	Multi-Hit	Multi-RBI	Season Hit-Streak	Season High Hits					Career												
					Date	Opp.	On	Pitcher	Date	Opp.	#	Avg	H	AB	HR	RBI	Avg	H	AB	HR	RBI
Josh Bell	30	22	7, 6/14-6/21	4, 8/7	8/18/26	vs. ATL	1	Mahle	6/23/21	at PHI	2	.344	11	32	2	5	.291	39	134	4	22
Victor Caratini	13	6	8, 5/28-6/7	3, 6/20	6/29/26	at HOU	0	Lambert	7/04/25	at LAD	4	.304	7	23	0	3	.265	13	49	2	6
Kody Clemens	29	16	6, 8/16-8/22	3, 7/26	8/31/26	vs. DET	0	Jobe	7/30/26	vs. KC	2	.200	3	15	2	3	.224	11	49	2	6
Kaelen Culpepper	3	0	7, 8/11-8/19	4, 8/24	8/26/26	at ATH	0	Ginn			0	.333	1	3	0	0	.333	1	3	0	0
Gabriel Gonzalez	0	0	1, 5/22	1, 5/22							0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0
Alex Jackson	6	0	7, 5/2-5/12	3, 6/16	7/04/26	at NYY	0	Beck			0	.500	2	4	0	0	.500	2	4	0	0
Ryan Jeffers	14	14	9, 7/21-8/2	3, 7/26	8/31/26	vs. DET	0	Diaz	4/23/26	at NYM	2	.400	4	10	2	7	.223	42	188	11	40
Walker Jenkins	0	1	2, 8/28-8/29	1, 8/31	8/31/26	vs. DET	1	McKinstry			0	.333	1	3	1	2	.333	1	3	1	2
Luke Keaschall	32	8	7, 8/17-8/24	3, 6/20	8/30/26	vs. CWS	0	Urquidy			0	.348	8	23	1	4	.370	17	46	2	11
Ryan Kreidler	9	6	6, 6/23-6/30	3, 7/26	8/24/26	at ATH	0	Springs			0	.200	1	5	0	0	.200	1	5	0	0
Trevor Larnach	26	12	6, 6/14-6/21	4, 6/16	8/26/26	at ATH	0	Ginn	9/30/23	at COL	1	.222	4	18	0	0	.195	29	149	5	13
Brooks Lee	32	19	8, 6/23-7/1	4, 6/20	8/28/26	vs. CWS	1	Castillo	8/16/26	vs. PHI	2	.241	7	29	1	6	.274	23	84	3	21
Royce Lewis	17	10	13, 7/25-8/8	4, 8/4	8/06/26	at KC	0	Wacha	8/22/25	at CWS	6	.333	9	27	1	4	.289	26	90	4	15
Ben Ross																					

WALKER JENKINS - OF #11			
Height: 6-3	Weight: 225	B/T: L/L	Age: 21 (2/19/2005 in Wilmington, NC)
2026 Average: .250 Homestand: 3-12, HR, 2B, 3 RBI	Streak: 1g, 1-3, HR, 2 RBI	Series vs DET: 1-3, HR, 2 RBI Home Runs: 1 (1 2-run)	
⚡ 1-for-3, HR, 2 RBI, 2 R, BB 8/31 vs. DET; hit 1st career HR off McKinstry in 9th, 1st MIN hitter w/ 1st career HR off position player...1-for-3, 2B, RBI, SB 8/29 vs. CWS...1-for-3, BB 8/28 vs. CWS in MLB debut; youngest player to debut for MIN since Buxton in 2015, 11th player to debut for MIN this season...is currently the 3rd-youngest player in MLB, per MLB Pipeline. ⚡ Contract selected 8/28 from AAA St. Paul (Roden - optioned, Go - DFA). ⚡ Hit .308 (81-for-263), 17 2B, 3 3B, 12 HR, 28 RBI, 51 R, 42 BB, 17 SB, .407 OBP, .532 SLG, .939 OPS in 69 games for Saints this season. ⚡ Currently ranked as the No. 1 prospect in the MIN system, No. 15 in baseball and No. 4 among outfielders, per MLB.com...selected 5th overall by MIN in the 2023 draft.			

LUKE KEASCHALL - UTL (KEY-SHAWL) #15			
Height: 6-0	Weight: 200	B/T: R/R	Age: 24 (8/15/2002 in Watsonville, CA)
2026 Average: .277 Homestand: 7-14, HR, 2 2B	Streak: 4g, 7-14, HR, 2 2B	Series vs DET: 2-3, 2B Home Runs: 9 (7 1-run, 2 2-run)	
⚡ 2-for-3, 2B, BB, 3 R, SB 8/31 vs. DET...has 10 multi-hit games in his last 16 games since 8/13; hitting .359 (23-for-64), 7 2B, 3 HR, 6 RBI, 4 BB, 10 R, 1.032 OPS in span...leads MIN w/ 16 SB and 49 BB; T-1st w/ 32 multi-hit G...T-5th in MLB in HBP (17) this season. ⚡ Hitting .331 (54-for-163), 11 2B, 7 HR, 17 RBI, .429 OBP, .959 OPS in 48 games since 7/1...his .429 OBP in span is 3rd in MLB (min. 150 PA). ⚡ Career 2-for-2 vs. Melton...hitting .348 (8-for-23), 2B, HR, 4 RBI, 4 BB, SB, 7 R, .986 OPS in 7 games vs. DET this season...career .370 (17-for-46), 3 2B, 2 HR, 11 RBI, 7 BB, 3 SB, 11 R, .463 OBP, 1.028 OPS in 13 games vs. DET. ⚡ Played mostly OF since 6/26...in span, has played CF (26 G/22 GS), RF (31 G/30 GS) and 2B (1 G/0 GS). ⚡ Is 39-for-143, 9 2B, HR, 13 RBI, 18 BB vs. LHP and 83-for-298, 14 2B, 3B, 8 HR, 28 RBI, 32 BB vs. RHP this season...also 31-for-100 (.310), 3 2B, 27 RBI, 20 BB w/ RISP.			

RYAN KREIDLER - UTL (CRIED-LER) #5			
Height: 6-3	Weight: 208	B/T: R/R	Age: 28 (11/12/1997 in Sacramento, CA)
2026 Average: .224 Homestand: 0-1	Streak: 0-6	Series vs DET: 0-1 Home Runs: 6 (3 1-run, 1 2-run, 2 3-run)	
⚡ FO as PH/2B 8/31 vs. DET...def. repl. at 2B 8/30 vs. CWS...0-for-2, BB 8/25 at ATH...1-for-4, HR, RBI, 2 R 8/24 at ATH; grew up in Davis, CA, HR-ing near home for 1st time...FO as PH in 9th 8/23 at SD...set career highs in most offensive categories this season...recalled 5/14 from AAA. ⚡ Former Tiger never faced Melton...career 1-for-5 in 4 games vs. DET, all this season. ⚡ Is 16-for-88, 4 2B, 2 HR, 5 RBI, 11 BB vs. LHP and 31-for-122, 4 2B, 3 3B, 4 HR, 21 RBI, 4 BB vs. RHP in MLB this season...is 12-for-53, 2 2B, 3B, 2 HR, 19 RBI, 4 BB w/ RISP. ⚡ Games by position this season: 3 G (2 GS) in LF, 21 G (15 GS) in CF, 7 G (5 GS) at 3B, 47 G (34 GS) at SS, 10 G (4 GS) at 2B.			

TREVOR LARNACH - OF #9			
Height: 6-4	Weight: 225	B/T: L/R	Age: 27 (2/26/1997 in Walnut Creek, CA)
2026 Average: .265 Homestand: 4-14, 2 2B, 2 RBI	Streak: 2g, 2-8, 2B, 2 RBI	Series vs DET: 1-4 Home Runs: 11 (7 1-run, 3 2-run, 1 3-run)	
⚡ 1-for-4 8/31 vs. DET...1-for-4, 2B, 2 RBI 8/30 vs. CWS...hitting .333 (6-for-18), 2 2B, HR, 3 RBI, 2 R in his last 5 games, after going 0-for-14 in 5 games from 8/18-8/25. ⚡ Career 0-for-3 vs. Melton...hitting .222 (4-for-18), HBP, BB, 2 R in 6 games vs. DET this season...career .195 (29-for-149), 5 2B, 5 HR, 13 RBI, 11 BB, 19 R in 44 G vs. DET. ⚡ Is 8-for-45, 2B, 2 HR, 8 RBI, 6 BB vs. LHP and 87-for-313, 20 2B, 9 HR, 37 RBI, 36 BB, 1BB vs. RHP this season...also 25-for-73 (.342), 3 2B, 2 HR, 34 RBI, 11 BB w/ RISP.			

BROOKS LEE - IF #22			
Height: 6-0	Weight: 217	B/T: S/R	Age: 24 (2/14/2001 in San Luis Obispo, CA)
2026 Average: .248 Homestand: 5-18, HR, 6 RBI	Streak: 2g, 3-9, 3 RBI	Series vs DET: 1-5, 3 RBI Home Runs: 22 (14 1-run, 5 2-run, 2 3-run, 1 GS)	
⚡ 1-for-5, 3 RBI 8/31 vs. DET; 1st MIN hitter w/ 3-R 1B since Mauer on 5/19/152-for-4, R 8/30 vs. CWS...hitting .300 (24-for-80), 4 2B, 6 HR, 16 RBI, 10 R, .892 OPS in his last 20 G, since 8/9. ⚡ His 22 HR this season are a new career high and are 2nd among MLB switch hitters, trailing only Happ (23); also the 8th switch hitter in MIN history (1961-) w/ a 20-HR season...his 21 2B, 60 R and 73 RBI this season are new career highs...played primarily 3B since 5/22; began season as primary SS...2nd on MIN w/ 76 RBI, T-1st w/ 32 multi-hit games & T-1st w/ 132 G. ⚡ Career 2-for-4, HR, RBI vs. Melton...is 7-for-29, HR, 6 RBI, 3 BB, 2 R in 8 games vs. DET this season...career .293 (12-for-41), 2 2B, 3B, HR, 15 RBI, 3 BB, 2 R in 12 G vs. DET at home. ⚡ Is 32-for-154, 7 2B, 3 HR, 15 RBI, 11 BB vs. LHP and 90-for-338, 14 2B, 3 3B, 19 HR, 22 BB, 61 RBI vs. RHP this season...also .314 (38-for-121), 8 2B, 4 HR, 53 RBI, 9 BB w/ RISP and .526 (10-for-19), 2 2B, HR, 25 RBI w/ bases loaded.			

ROYCE LEWIS - IF #23			
Height: 6-2	Weight: 215	B/T: R/R	Age: 27 (6/5/1999 in Aliso Viejo, CA)
2026 Average: .231 Homestand: 2-14	Streak: 0-7	Series vs DET: 0-3 Home Runs: 13 (10 1-run, 2 2-run, 1 3-run)	
⚡ 0-for-3, R, BB 8/31 vs. DET...0-for-3 8/30 vs. CWS...1-for-4 8/29 vs. CWS. ⚡ Hitting .270 (34-for-126), 8 2B, 3B, 3 HR, 16 RBI, 5 BB, 4 SB, 13 R, .721 OPS in his last 33 G...his 14 SB this season are new career high and 2nd on MIN. ⚡ Career 1-for-3 vs. Melton...hitting .333 (9-for-27), 2B, HR, 4 RBI, 6 BB, 2 R, .936 OPS in 8 G vs. DET this season; hit safely in 6 of 8 games. ⚡ Played 1B (60 G/55 GS), 2B (14 G/8 GS) and 3B (6 G/3 GS) in last 72 G, since recall on 6/6. ⚡ Is 27-for-105, 7 2B, 4 HR, 15 RBI, 9 BB, HBP vs. LHP and 60-for-272, 13 2B, 3B, 9 HR, 31 RBI, 25 BB vs. RHP this season...also 22-for-98, 5 2B, 3B, HR, 32 RBI, 16 BB w/ RISP.			

Date	Opp.	Score	W/L	Rcd.	Pos.	GA/GB	Daily Att	Total Hm Att	Home Date	Winner/Loser/Save
MARCH/APRIL (14-18) Batting: .232 (247-for-1065) Pitching: 14-18-5, 4.31 (280.0 IP, 134 ER)										
26	----at BAL	1-2	L	0-1	T-4th	-1.0	42,134			Rogers/Funderburk/Helsley
27	----OFF-DAY			0-1	T-3rd	-1.5				
28	----at BAL	4-1	W	1-1	3rd	-0.5	26,057			Banda/Bradish/Sands
29	----at BAL	6-8	L	1-2	T-3rd	-1.0	18,071			Garcia/Abel/Helsley
30	----at KC	1-3	L	1-3	T-4th	-1.0	39,320			Bubic/Woods Rich./Schreiber
31	----OFF-DAY			1-3	4th	-1.0				
1	----at KC	9-13	L	1-4	4th	-2.0	10,870			Cameron/Ryan/Erceg
2	----at KC	5-1	W	2-4	T-3rd	-1.5	11,694			Bradley/Ragans
3	----TB	10-4	W	3-4	T-3rd	-1.5	36,042	36,042	1	Funderburk/Kelly
4	----TB	1-7	L	3-5	T-4th	-2.0	15,256	51,298	2	Matz/Abel
5	----TB	^1-4	L	3-6	5th	-2.5	13,659	64,957	3	Baker/Topa/Kelly
6	----DET	7-3	W	4-6	T-3rd	-1.5	12,569	77,526	4	Ryan/Mize/Laweryson
7	----DET	4-2	W	5-6	T-2nd	-1.5	12,341	89,867	5	Bradley/Skubal/Topa
8	----DET	8-6	W	6-6	2nd	-1.5	13,038	102,905	6	Ober/Valdez/Funderburk
9	----DET	3-1	W	7-6	2nd	-1.0	19,054	121,959	7	Action/Vest/Orze
10	----at TOR	4-10	L	7-7	2nd	-1.0	40,721			Mantiply/Woods Richardson
11	----at TOR	7-4	W	8-7	2nd	--	41,591			Ryan/Lauer
12	----at TOR	8-2	W	9-7	T-1st	--	37,804			Bradley/Scherzer
13	----BOS	13-6	W	10-7	T-1st	--	14,535	136,494	8	Ober/Crochet
14	----BOS	6-0	W	6-0	1st	+1.0	16,220	152,714	9	Abel/Gray
15	----BOS	9-5	L	11-8	1st	+1.0	21,276	173,990	10	Early/Woods Richardson
16	----OFF-DAY			11-8	1st	+0.5				
17	----CIN	1-2	L	11-9	1st	+0.5	31,220	205,210	11	Williamson/Ryan/Pagán
18	----CIN	4-5	L	11-10	T-2nd	-0.5	20,198	225,408	12	Nicolas/Santillan/Sands
19	----CIN	^4-7	L	11-11	3rd	-1.5	19,422	244,830	13	Pagán/Acton/Santillan
20	----OFF-DAY			11-11	3rd	-1.0				
21	----at NYM	5-3	W	12-11	2nd	-1.0	32,798			Sands/Williams
22	----at NYM	2-3	L	12-12	3rd	-1.0	32,665			Weaver/Rogers
23	----at NYM	8-10	L	12-13	3rd	-1.5	34,253			Williams/Morris
24	----at TB	2-6	L	12-14	3rd	-2.5	14,476			Rasmussen/Bradley/Baker
25	----at TB	1-6	L	12-15	3rd	-2.5	17,014			McClanahan/Ober
26	----at TB	2-4	L	12-16	3rd	-2.5	17,618			Scholtens/SWR/Baker
27	----SEA	11-4	W	13-16	3rd	-2.0	14,160	258,990	14	Prielipp/Castillo
28	----SEA	1-7	L	13-17	T-3rd	-2.0	17,821	276,811	15	Bazardo/Ryan
29	----SEA	3-5	L	13-18	4th	-2.5	20,051	296,862	16	Criswell/Orze/Muñoz
30	----TOR	7-1	W	14-18	4th	-2.0	16,985	313,847	17	Ober/Gausman
MAY (13-15) Batting: .237 (224-for-944) Pitching: 13-15-10, 4.80 (247.1 IP, 132 ER)										
1	----TOR	3-7	L	14-19	4th	-3.0	19,762	333,609	18	Corbin/Woods Richardson
2	----TOR	4-11	L	14-20	5th	-4.0	30,687	364,296	19	Cease/Garcia
3	----TOR	4-3	W	15-20	5th	-2.5	20,394	384,690	20	Morris/Yesavage/Topa
4	----OFF-DAY			15-20	5th	-2.5				
5	----at WSH	11-3	W	16-20	5th	-1.5	17,844			Bradley/Cavalli
6	----at WSH	2-15	L	16-21	5th	-2.5	17,444			Mikolas/Ober
7	----at WSH	5-7	L	16-22	5th	-3.5	13,543			Poulin/Klein/Varland
8	----at CLE	4-6	L	16-23	5th	-4.5	19,030			Messick/Prielipp/Smith
9	----at CLE	^2-1	W	17-23	5th	-3.5	28,230			Orze/Palette/García
10	----at CLE	5-4	W	18-23	5th	-2.5	22,475			Rojas/Williams/Gómez
11	----OFF-DAY			18-23	5th	-3.5				
12	----MIA	3-0	W	19-23	T-3rd	-3.0	13,471	398,161	21	Ober/Pérez
13	----MIA	5-9	L	19-24	T-3rd	-4.0	14,005	412,166	22	Meyer/Woods Richardson
14	----MIA	9-1	W	20-24	3rd	-3.5	20,702	432,868	23	Matthews/Garrett
15	----MIL	2-3	L	20-25	T-3rd	-3.5	24,309	457,177	24	Ashby/Morris/Megill
16	----MIL	1-2	L	20-26	T-3rd	-4.5	33,115	490,292	25	Henderson/Prielipp/Patrick
17	----MIL	5-4	W	21-26	3rd	-4.5	25,375	515,667	26	Ober/Anderson/Garcia
18	----HOU	6-3	W	22-26	3rd	-4.5	11,488	527,155	27	Orze/Imai/Rogers
19	----HOU	1-2	L	22-27	3rd	-5.5	13,557	540,712	28	Alexander/Matthews/Abreu
20	----HOU	4-1	W	23-27	3rd	-5.5	23,522	564,234	29	Ryan/Burrows/Morris
21	----OFF-DAY			23-27	3rd	-6.0				
22	----at BOS	8-6	W	24-27	3rd	-6.0	34,740			Adams/Slaten/Banda
23	----at BOS	4-2	W	25-27	3rd	-5.0	37,105			Bradley/Morán/Rogers
24	----at BOS	6-5	W	26-27	3rd	-5.0	31,050			Ober/Guerrero/Adams
25	----at CWS	1-3	L	26-28	3rd	-5.0	30,114			Kay/Matthews/Dominguez
26	----at CWS	^5-3	W	27-28	3rd	-4.0	15,432			Rogers/Davis/Gómez
27	----at CWS	2-15	L	27-29	3rd	-5.0	14,796			Sandlin/Prielipp
28	----at CWS	2-6	L	27-30	3rd	-5.5	14,194			Martin/Woods Richardson
29	----at PIT	5-6	L	27-31	3rd	-6.5	27,107			Soto/Rogers
30	----at PIT	9-10	L	27-32	3rd	-6.5	24,272			Ramirez/Ober/Soto
31	----at PIT	3-9	L	27-33	3rd	-6.5	19,358			Ashcraft/Matthews
JUNE (14-13) Batting: .271 (253-for-932) Pitching: 14-13-9, 5.59 (240.0 IP, 149 ER)										
1	----CWS	9-6	W	28-33	3rd	-6.0	12,525	576,759	30	Ryan/Sandlin
2	----CWS	6-4	W	29-33	3rd	-6.0	15,358	592,117	31	Prielipp/Martin/Gómez
3	----CWS	0-8	L	29-34	3rd	-7.0	20,322	612,439	32	Fedde/Bradley
4	----KC	6-8	L	29-35	3rd	-7.0	17,802	630,241	33	Strahm/Rogers/Lange
5	----KC	5-3	W	30-35	3rd	-6.0	19,805	650,046	34	Matthews/Wacha/Adams
6	----KC	2-3	L	30-36	3rd	-7.0	20,555	670,601	35	Strahm/Orze/Lange
7	----KC	5-6	L	30-37	3rd	-7.0	19,876	690,477	36	Cameron/Prielipp/Erceg
8	----OFF-DAY			30-37	3rd	-6.5				
9	----at DET	4-10	L	30-38	3rd	-6.5	22,641			Melton/Bradley
10	----at DET	6-4	W	31-38	3rd	-6.0	23,517			Rogers/Valdez/Gómez
11	----at DET	0-11	L	31-39	3rd	-6.5	30,714			Montero/Matthews
12	----STL	9-8	W	32-39	3rd	-6.5	23,089	713,566	37	Banda/Stanelek/Morris
13	----STL	6-9	L	32-40	3rd	-7.0	23,408	736,974	38	Svanson/Lawrence
14	----STL	5-4	W	33-40	3rd	-6.5	23,026	760,000	39	Morris/Soriano/Gómez
15	----at TEX	4-2	W	34-40	3rd	-6.0	25,957			Rogers/Gore/Gómez
16	----at TEX	12-2	W	35-40	3rd	-5.0	27,463			Matthews/Rocker
17	----OFF-DAY			35-40	3rd	-4.5				
18	----at TEX	9-3	W	36-40	3rd	-4.5	30,606			Ryan/Leiter
19	----at AZ	5-9	L	36-41	3rd	-4.5	25,110			Loaisiga/Prielipp
20	----at AZ	16-8	W	37-41	3rd	-4.5	30,575			Bradley/Gallen
21	----at AZ	4-2	W	38-41	3rd	-3.5	34,024			Laweryson/Morillo/Banda
22	----LAD	1-2	L	38-42	3rd	-3.5	35,244	795,244	40	Lauer/Matthews/Scott
23	----LAD	3-12	L	38-43	3rd	-4.5	30,117	825,361	41	Wrobleksi/Voth
24	----LAD	3-4	L	38-44	3rd	-4.5	39,853	865,214	42	Ohtani/Ryan/Scott
25	----OFF-DAY			38-44	3rd	-4.5				
26	----COL	^9-8	W	39-44	3rd	-4.5	27,317	892,531	43	Morris/Herget
27	----COL	5-8	L	39-45	3rd	-5.5	25,115	917,646	44	Lorenzen/Paredes/Herget
28	----COL	3-2	W	40-45	3rd	-4.5	20,277	937,923	45	Morris/Halvorsen/Gómez
29	----at HOU	5-4	W	41-45	3rd	-4.5	22,969			Matthews