

ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS (2-3) at CINCINNATI REDS (1-3-1) RHP Seth Frankoff (0-1, 9.00) vs. RHP José De León (First start)

Fri., March 5, 2021 \cdot Goodyear Ballpark \cdot 6:05 p.m. Game No. 6 \cdot Road Game No. 3 \cdot Home: 1-2 \cdot Road: 1-1

- No TV or Radio -



DIAMOND-FACTS

 Arizona is in its 24th Cactus League season and 11th at Salt River Fields at Talking Stick (Tucson from 1998-2010).

10TH ANNIVERSARY IN 2021

- ♦ Salt River Fields at Talking Stick is celebrating its 10th Anniversary in 2021.
- ♦ Since the inaugural game on Sat., Feb. 26, 2011, the stadium has hosted over 3 million fans for baseball, over 1 million guests for special events and won 40+ "Best of" awards.
- ♦ The facility had 157 sellouts from 2011-20 and the D-backs and Rockies have drawn more than 300,000 fans 8 times, the only MLB complex to ever accomplish the feat.

YESTERDAY'S RECAP

- ♦ The D-backs won their second straight contest, 9-2, vs. Angels.
- Madison Bumgarner earned the win, striking out 6 of his 7 batters faced over 2.0 scoreless frames.
- Matt Peacock added 2.0 perfect innings, while Ryan Buchter and J.B. Bukauskas each tossed 1.0 scoreless inning.
- ◆ Trayce Thompson was 3-for-4 with a solo home run (2).
- ◆ **Ketel Marte** was 2-for-3 with a double and a RBI.
- ♦ Josh Rojas, Eduardo Escobar and Daulton Varsho each hit solo shots.

GETTING OFFENSIVE

- ◆ Arizona is batting .371 (26-for-70) with 18 runs scored, 6 home runs and 7 stolen bases in its last 2 games.
- ♦ The D-backs are tied for the Cactus League lead with 7 home runs (also: Cubs and Royals).

D-BACKS SELL OUT IN LESS THAN 24 HOURS

- ♦ On Feb. 21, the D-backs sold out all Spring Training tickets less than 24 hours after going on sale to the public.
- Due to COVID restrictions, the D-backs' 14 home games will have approximately 2,200 tickets.
- ♦ The entire Spring Training schedule at Salt River Fields at Talking Stick sold out... presales were prioritized with Salt River Fields Season Ticket holders followed by Season Ticket holders for the D-backs and Rockies.
- ♦ Ticket prices for all games remained the same as in 2020 and were sold in socially-distanced pods of 2, 4 or 6 tickets.
- ◆ Additionally, increased sanitation protocols will be in place while parking, concessions and merchandise purchases will be cashless in order to provide a safe and comfortable fan experience.

ON THE SHELF

- Kole Calhoun suffered a right knee medial meniscus tear and, Thursday morning, had a partial medial meniscectomy performed by Dr. Waslewski.
- ◆ Tim Locastro tested positive for COVID-19 on March 1...he is asymptomatic and is likely to be away a minimum of 10 days.

TRANSACTION

◆ Yesterday, the D-backs released OF **Drew Weeks**.

SPRING TRAINING BROADCAST SCHEDULE

- ♦ The spring broadcast schedule features:
- · 11 telecasts on FOX Sports Arizona featuring Steve Berthiaume and Bob Brenly.
- 11 English radio broadcasts on 98.7 FM Arizona's Sports Station or ESPN Phoenix 620 AM featuring Greg Schulte and Tom Candiotti
- · 5 webcasts on dbacks.com featuring Mike Ferrin and Tom Candiotti.
- · 1 Spanish radio broadcast on TUDN Radio KHOV 105.1 FM featuring Oscar Soria and Rodrigo López.

ACQUISITIONS AND ROSTER

- ◆ Signed INF Asdrúbal Cabrera, RHP Tyler Clippard and RHP Joakim Soria.
- ◆ Arizona has 65 players in camp: 36 pitchers (10 left-handed), 7 catchers, 15 infielders and 7 outfielders.

COACHING STAFF RETURNS

- ◆ Torey Lovullo is in his fifth season as manager.
- ◆ The coaching staff returns and features Luis "Pipé" Urueta as bench coach (second season, fourth overall), Matt Herges as pitching coach (second season), Mike Fetters as bullpen coach (fifth season, ninth overall), Darnell Coles as hitting coach (third season), Eric Hinske as assistant hitting coach (third season), Dave McKay as first base coach (eighth season), Tony Perezchica as third base coach (fifth season) and Robby Hammock as quality control/catching coach (fifth season).

D-BACKS AND BANNER HEALTH

♦ The D-backs and Banner Health, Arizona's largest employer and health system, teamed up last spring to rename the teamspecific facilities at Salt River Fields at Talking Stick the Banner Sports Medicine Performance Center...the organizations are collaborating to provide the best possible technology and advancements in the field of sports medicine.

	SPRING SCHEDULE												
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	2/28	@ COL	L, 2-5	0-1	Diehl	Frankoff	*2,100						
	3/1	MIL	L, 1-7	0-2	Burnes	M. Kelly	*2,100						
	3/2	SD	L, 2-7	0-3	Weathers	C. Smith	*2,100						
'	3/3	@ CLE	N, 9-4	1-3	Weaver	Plesac	1,869						
	3/4	LAA	N, 9-2	2-3	Bumgarner	Canning	*2,130						
	3/5	@ CIN	6:0	5 p.m.									
	3/6	TEX	1:10) p.m.	98.7 FM								
	3/7	CHI	1:10) p.m.	98.7 FM								
	3/8	@ SF	1:0	5 p.m.									
	3/9 COL 1:10 p.m) p.m.	FSAZ, dbacks.com									
	3/10	@ LAD	6:0	5 p.m.									
	3/11	OFF DAY											
	3/12	@ LAA) p.m.	FSAZ								
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	3/14) p.m.	98.7 FM								
		@ SEA) p.m.									
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		@ TEX		5 p.m.									
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Home:	1-2	Away:	1-1	HOME		ROAD		
Day:	2-3	Night:	0-0	Total:	6,330	Total:	3,969	
vs. AL:	2-0	vs. NL:	0-3	Avg:	2,110 (3 G)	Avg:	1,985 (2 G)	
				Largest:	2,130 (3/4)		2,100 (2/28)	

UPCOMING PITCHING PROBABLES

MARCH 5 @ CIN - 6:05 P.M.

RHP Seth Frankoff (0-1, 9.00) vs. RHP José De León (First start)

ARI: RHP Taylor Clarke, LHP Sam Moll, LHP Miguel Aguilar

CIN: RHP Michael Lorenzen, LHP Jesse Biddle, RHP Braden Shipley, RHP Hector Perez, RHP Cam Bedrosian, RHP Matt Pidich, LHP Reiver Sanmartin

MARCH 6 VS. TEX - 1:05 P.M.

RHP Zac Gallen (0-0, 0.00) vs. LHP Taylor Hern (0-0, 0.00)

ARI: RHP Riley Smith, LHP Tyler Gilbert, LHP Joe Mantiply, RHP Jeremy Beasley, LHP Taylor Guilbeau

TEX: TBA

SCHEDULED PITCHERS

STARTING PITCHER

No. 61 - RHP Seth Frankoff

- ♦ Signed by Arizona as a Minor League free agent with an invite to Spring Training on Jan. 5.
- ♦ Appeared in 2 games over 2 stints with the Mariners in 2020 (5 ER in 2.2 IP).
 - Was a non-roster invitee with the Padres... declared a free agent on July 14.
 - Signed by the Mariners as a Minor League free agent on Aug. 9.
- ◆ Spent 2018-19 with Doosan in the Korea Baseball Organization, combining to go 27-11 with a 3.68 ERA in 50 starts.
 - In 2019, was 9-8 with a 3.61 ERA in 22 starts for the Korean Series champion Bears...allowed just 5 home runs in 117.1 innings.
 - Led the KBO in wins and was selected to the All-Star Game in 2018 after going 18-3 with a 3.74 ERA in 28 starts...was teammates with the Brewers' Josh Lindblom.
- ♦ Selected by the A's as 27th-round selection in First-Year Player Draft (June 10, 2010).

ADDITIONAL PITCHERS

No. 45 - Taylor Clarke

- ♦ In 2020, was 3-0 with a 4.36 ERA (21 ER in 43.1 IP) in 12 games (5 starts) and a .217 opponent average in is second season with the D-backs.
- Went 1-0 with a 5.09 ERA (13 ER in 23.0 IP) as a starter and 2-0 with a 3.54 ERA (8 ER in 20.1 IP) in relief.
- ♦ Left-handers hit .185 (12-for-65), compared to .252 in 2019.
- ♦ Limited opponents to a .188 average with runners in scoring position (6-for-32).
- ♦ Opponents batted .118 (4-for-34) on his changeup, sixth lowest in the Majors (min. 100 pitches).
- ♦ Boasted a 2.22 ERA (6 ER in 24.1 IP), .134 opponent average and a 0.95 WHIP in his first 8 games (2 starts).
- ♦ Retired all 9 batters faced on Aug. 7 @ Padres, the first D-back to toss 3.0+ perfect innings of relief since Patrick Corbin on Sept. 15, 2016 vs. Dodgers (3.0 IP).

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No. 68 - LHP Miguel Aguilar

- ♦ In 2020, posted a 2.04 ERA (4 ER in 17.2 IP) and 8 saves in 15 games with Obregon in the Mexican Pacific Winter League.
- ♦ In 2019, went 1-1 with 6 saves, a 2.12 ERA (7 ER in 29.2 IP), .208 opponent average, 0.88 WHIP and 33 strikeouts in 26 appearances with Double-A lackson
 - Made 3 stints on the injured list: April 4-June 1 (strained right oblique), June 10-20 (strained left hamstring) and Aug. 24-Sept. 4 (left biceps tendinitis).
 - Appeared in 3 postseason games, including tossing 1.0 scoreless inning in the decisive Game 5 victory for the Generals in the Southern League championship series.

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No. 79 - LHP Sam Moll

- Did not pitch in 2020 due to no Minor League season.
- In 2019, was 2-2 with 2 saves, a 2.39 ERA (13 ER in 49.0 IP) and 54 strikeouts in 41 games with Double-A Richmond and Triple-A Sacramento.
- Made his Major League debut on Sept. 1, 2017 vs. Mariners and retired his lone batter faced (Yonder Alonso).
- Played 3 seasons with the University of Memphis (2011-13).

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TRANSACTIONS

- 3/4 Added RHP Anthony Swarzak as a non-roster invitee. Released OF Drew Weeks.
- 3/1 Outrighted RHP Keury Mella to Triple-A Reno and assigned him to Major League Spring Training.
- 2/28 Traded LHP Travis Bergen to the Blue Jays for cash considerations
- 2/26 Agreed to terms with RHP Tyler Clippard on a 1-year contract with a mutual option for 2022...reinstated RHP Luis Frías from the injured list...designated LHP Travis Bergen and RHP Keury Mella for assignment.
- 2/25 Added RHP Ben Heller as a non-roster invitee.
- 2/22 Added C Dominic Miroglio as a non-roster invitee.
- 2/22 Agreed to terms with INF Asdrúbal Cabrera on a 1-year contract...placed RHP Luis Frías on the injured list.