# PITTSBURGH PIRATES (13-13) vs. SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS (12-14) APRIL 26, 2024 at Oracle Park, San Francisco, CA - 7:15 PDT - GAME \#27/ROAD \#15 RHP QUINN PRIESTER ( $0-1,8.31$ ERA) vs. LHP KYLE HARRISON ( $2-1,5.00$ ERA) 

THE PIRATES:...went 2-5 on their homestand against the Red Sox ( $0-3$ ) and Brewers (2-2)...Began the season 5-0 for the first time since 1983...Won nine of their first 11 games before losing nine of their next 11 from 4/9-21...Are in a stretch that has the team playing 13 straight days before their next scheduled off day on $5 / 2$ coming back from the west coast...Have lost three straight and four of their last five games on the road, but are 8-6 away from PNC Park this season.

ROSTER MOVE: The Pittsburgh Pirates today recalled right-handed pitcher Kyle Nicolas from Triple-A Indianapolis....Right-handed pitcher Ryder Ryan was optioned to Triple-A following yesterday's game to make room for Nicolas on the active roster...Nicolas, who will wear uniform No. 62 , went 0-0 with one save and an 0.84 ERA (10.2ip/1er), 13 strikeouts, .061 batting average against (2-for-33) and 1.03 WHIP in nine relief appearances with Indianapolis this season.

BAYSIDE: Tonight the Pirates begin their third road trip of the season with this three-game series at Oracle Park...In addition to these three games against the Giants, the Pirates will also make their first trip to Oakland since 2016 from July 1-3...The Pirates took two of three games against the Giants at Oracle Park last year from May 29-31.

ON Q: Quinn Priester will make his second start of the season tonight after being promoted from Triple-A Indianapolis last Friday... ...The 23 -year-old Priester went $1-1$ with a 3.95 ERA ( $13.2 \mathrm{ip} / 6 \mathrm{er}$ ), 20 strikeouts and .226 batting average against in three starts this season with Indianapolis...He entered this season rated by Baseball America as Pittsburgh's No. 8 prospect...The Pirates drafted Priester out of Cary-Grove (IL) High School with the 18th overall selection in the 2019 First-Year Player Draft...He made his big league debut last year on July 17 against Cleveland and suffered the loss before winning each of his next two starts.

INTO THE DRINK: Last season on May 29 Jack Suwinski recorded a multi-homer game with each of the two home runs landing in McCovey Cove...He joined Barry Bonds as the only players in Oracle Park's history to hit multiple long balls into the water in the same game as well as the only visiting player to do so...Bonds accomplished the feat on May 10, 2000, vs. St. Louis in the ballpark's inaugural season, as well as on May 18, 2002, vs. Florida.

SAVING THE DAY: David Bednar has recorded four saves this season and a total of 43 since the beginning of last season...Bednar's 43 saves since the beginning of last year are tied for the second-most in all of MLB along with San Francisco's Camilo Doval...The only pitcher to record more saves in that time is Cleveland's Emmanuel Clase (51).

A BART DART: Joey Bart went deep for the third time in his first seven games as a member of the Pirates yesterday afternoon...Bart's bomb in the first inning was the first three-run homer of his career...The 419-foot blast was the second-longest home run by a Pirate this year behind Rowdy Tellez' 425 -foot homer on March 31 at Miami.

LOVING LEFTIES: The Pirates are $6-2$ in games started by opposing lefthanders this season...Bryan Reynolds ranks seventh in all of MLB with a .387 average (12-for-31) against lefthanders...Jack Suwinski is 7 -for-18 (.389) with a double and homer this year against southpaws and 13 -for-34 (.382) against lefties dating to September 20 of last season.

HERE'S THE PITCH: Pittsburgh''s pitching staff is averaging 3.69 pitches per batter faced in 2024...According to Stats Perform, that would be the lowest rate in a season by any MLB team since the Pirates themselves in 2011 (also 3.69).

BRYAN ON THE BASES: Bryan Reynolds has reached base safely at least twice in 17 of his 26 games this season, which is tied for

| PIRATES CAREER <br> IN GAMES PLAYED |  |
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| PLAYER GAMES <br> Honus Wagner 2437 <br> Roberto Clemente 2433 <br> Willie Stargell 2360 <br> Max Carey 2168 <br> Bill Mazeroski 2163 <br> Paul Waner 2155 <br> Pie Traynor 1941 <br> Lloyd Waner 1803 <br> Tommy Leach 1803 <br> Andrew McCutchen $\mathbf{1 4 7 6}$ <br> Fred Clarke 1476 |  |

third-most in MLB...According to StatsPerform, the only players with more are William Contreras and Shohei Ohtani (18 games each).

LIKING ALIKA: Alika Williams has improved his batting average by . 125 from last season (.198) to this season (.323)...That is the fourth-largest improvement among all MLB players with at least 100 at-bats in 2023 and 30 at-bats in 2024...Special thanks to StatsPerform.

ON THE MEND: Yasmani Grandal went hitless in four at-bats in his sixth game

on rehab Thursday with Triple-A Indianapolis...He is now 5 -for-21 (.238) with
a double, home run and six RBI in six games on rehab...Grandal has been on the 10 -day injured list since March 28 with left foot plantar fasciitis.
ON THIS DATE IN PIRATES HISTORY
April 26, 2016: Andrew McCutchen joined Ralph Kiner, Roberto Clemente and Willie Stargell as the only players in club history to record
multiple three-homer games that helped propel the Pirates to a $9-4$ win at Coors Field. McCutchen hit solo shots in the first and second
innings before blasting a three-run opposite field homer to right field in the sixth inning to give the Bucs an 8 8-3 lead. The win extended
Pittsburgh's club-record winning streak at Coors Field to seven games.

UPCOMING GAMES AND PROBABLE PITCHERS
Saturday at San Francisco 6:05 LHP Martín Pérez (1-1,3.45 ERA) vs. RHP Jordan Hicks (2-0, 1.61 ERA)

Sunday at San Francisco $\quad 1: 05 \quad$ RHP Jared Jones ( $2-2,2.79$ ERA) vs. RHP Keaton Winn ( $2-3,3.54$ ERA)

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| Last five games . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2-3 |  |
| Last ten games ................... 2-8 |  |
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| Tied after 6....................... 0-1 |  |
| Trailing after 6..................... 3-8 |  |
| Leading after 7 ................... 10-2 |  |
| Tied after 7........................ 1-2 |  |
| Trailing after 7..................... 2-9 |  |
| Leading after $8 . \ldots \ldots . . . . . . . . . . . . .11-1$ |  |
| Tied after 8........................ 1-1 |  |
| Trailing after 8................... 1-11 |  |
| Scoring first ......................... 8-6Opp. score first. ................... 5-7 |  |
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| Outhitting Opp..................... 13-2Being out-hit. .......................0-11Hits are equal ...................... 0-0 |  |
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| Comeback wins.................... 5 |  |
| Wins in final AB. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4 |  |
| Walkoff Wins....................... 2 |  |
| Walkoff Losses . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1 |  |
| Losses in final AB ................... 3 |  |
| Extra Inning Games................. 3-0 |  |
| Playing errorless ..................... 5-5Homered ............................ 8-7$2+$ homers.........................2-2 |  |
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| Series (W-L-T) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3-2-3 |  |
| Series Sweeps ....................... 1 |  |
| Swept in a Series.................... 2 |  |
| Interleague .......................... 3-5Before the break ....................13-13After the break ......................0-0 |  |
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| Starter goes 6.0ip+ .................. 7-5Starter goes less than 6.0ip ............6-8 |  |
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## 46 - RHP QUINN PRIESTER

| YEAR | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
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| 2023 | $3-3$ | 7.74 | 10 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 50.0 | 58 | 43 | 43 | 27 | 36 |
| 2024 | $0-1$ | 8.31 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4.1 | 7 | 5 | 4 | 1 |  |
| M.L. CAREER | $3-4$ | 7.79 | 11 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 54.1 | 65 | 48 | 47 | 28 | 38 |

QUINN PRIESTER: The 23-year-old righthander will make his second start of the season tonight with the Pirates...He was recalled from Triple-A Indianapolis a week ago today.
VS. SAN FRANCISCO: Has never faced the Giants.


| CATCHERS THROWING |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | CS/ATT | \% | PICKOFFS | PB | ERA |
| Bart | 0/11 | 0\% | 0 | 0 | (65.0ip/25er) 3.46 |
| Davis | 1/10 | 10\% | 0 | 0 | (159.1ip/69er) 3.90 |
| Delay | 0/0 | 0\% | 0 | 0 | (10.0ip/7er) 6.30 |
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TOMORROW'S STARTER
MARTíN PÉREZ: The 33-year-old lefthander will make his sixth start of the season tomorrow night...Allowed
four runs in 4.0 innings and lost a 6-1 decision in his last start Sunday against the Red Sox...Will make his fourth
start of the season on the road, where he has gone 1-0 with a 3.24 ERA....Allowed one run in 4.1 innings in his
Pirates debut on $3 / 29$ at Miami but had a no-decision in the team's $7-2$ win...Signed a one-year contract with the
Pirates on 1/5/24...Went 10-4 with a 4.45 ERA (141.2ip/70er) in 35 appearances ( 20 starts) last year with Texas.
vs. SAN FRANCISCO: $1-1$ with a 3.38 ERA ( 13.1 iip/5er) in two career starts...Will be facing the Giants for the first
time since $8 / 25 / 18$ when he lost a 5 - 3 decision ( $5.0 \mathrm{ip} / 4 \mathrm{r}$ ) to Andrew Suarez as a member of the Rangers...He also
allowed one run in 8.1 innings and won a $2-1$ decision on $8 / 2 / 15$.

| 2024 HIGHS \& LOWS |  |
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| TEAM BATTING | Largest margin of defeat ....................................... 8 runs, 4/17 at NY (1-9) |
| Most runs, game, Pirates ...........................9, 4/14 at PHI, 3/31 at MIA \& 3/30 at MIA | Largest come from behind victory. ............................................. 5 runs, $3 / 31$ at MA |
| Most runs, game, Opponents . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 9, 4/17 at NY | Largest come from behind loss. ................................................ 3 runs, 4/5 at NY |
| Most runs, inning, Pirates ............................................5, 4/14 at PHI (6th) | Largest crowd, home........................................................38,400, 4/5 vs. BAL |
| Most runs, inning, Opponents............................................ 5,3/31 at M1A (1st) | Smallest crowd, home.........................................................8,461,4/22 vs. MLL |
| Most hits, game, Pirates . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 16, 3/30 at MIA | Largest crowd, road.........................................................44,568,4/14 at PH\| |
| Most hits, game, Opponents. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 12, 4/25 vs. MIL, 4/19 vs. BOS \& 4/5 vs. BAL | Smallest crowd, road.........................................................11,35, 4/4 atWAS |
| Most hits, inning, Pirates. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4,4 times, last on 4/8 vs. DET (2nd) | Most errors, game, Pirates ..........................................2,4times, last on 4/24 vs. MLL |
| Most consec. hits, inning. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4, 3/30 at MIA (7th) | Most errors, game, Opponents .......................................2,4times, last on 4/24 vs. MLL |
| Most consec. hits, game . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $4,4 / 30$ at MIA | Consecutive innings w/out an error . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 27, 3/30-4/3 |
| Most hits, inning, Opponents . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4, 4 times, last on 4/21 vs. BOS (3rd) | Most double plays turned. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4, 3/29 at MIA |
| Fewest hits, game, Pirates . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3, 4/15 at NY | Weather delays, home (total time). |
| Fewest hits, game, Opponents. ...........................................3, 4/23 vs. MIL | Weather delays, road (total time).................................1, 1 hour and 10 minutes |
| Most doubles, game ................................................... 6,4/1 2t WAS | Players used.................................................................. 30 |
| Most triples, game. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $1,1 / 1 / 9$ vs. BOS \& 3/31 at MIA |  |
| Most home runs, game, Pirates . .............................. 3, 4/14 at PHI \& 3/28 at MIA |  |
| Most home runs, game, Opponents ................................................4,4/9 vs. BOS | INDIVIDUAL BATTING |
| Most consecutive games, home run . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4 , 4/22-25 \& 4/3-6 | Most hits, game . . . . . . . . . 3, accomplished many times, last by McCutchen \& Cruz (4/22 vs. MLL) |
| Most consec. games, HR, Opponents. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 5,3/31-4/5 | Most consecutive hits . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4, Taylor (4/1-3) |
| Most extra-base hits ................................................... 6, 4/1 l WAS | Most runs, game. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3, Joe (3/30 at MIA) |
| Most consecutive games, extra-base hit . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .12,3/28-4/9 | Most 2bs, game . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2, Davis (4/1 at WAS) \& Joe (3/30 at MIA) |
| Most stolen bases, game, Pirates ...........................2, 4 times, last on 4/14 at PHI | Most 3bs, game . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .1, Williams (4/19 vs. BOS \& 3/31 at MIA) |
| Most stolen bases, game, Opponents . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3, 4 times, last on 4/25 vs MIL | Most HR, game . .................................................2, Olivares (4/9 vs. DET) |
| Most left on base ..................................................15, 4/l l WAS | Most extra-base hits............................ 2, accomplised six times, last by Olivares (4/9 vs. DET) |
| Most left on base (extra innings). | Most total bases................................................ 8 , Olivares (4/9 vs. DET) |
| TEAM PITCHING | Most RBI, game . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4 , Suwinski (4/14 at PHI) |
|  | Most SB, game . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1,12 times, last by Williams (4/25 vs. MIL) |
| Most strikeouts, game, Pirates. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .14, 4/21 vs. BOS | Most walks, game . .......................................3, Reynolds (4/13 at PHI) |
| Most strikeouts, game, Pirates (extra innings) | Consec. games, home run. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2, McCutchen (4/22-23) |
| Most strikeouts, game, Opponents ....................................... 15, 4/14 at PH1 | Longest hitting streak . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 7 games, Williams (4/9-25) \& Taylor (3/28-4/4) |
| Most strikeouts, game, Opponents (extra innings). . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 17, 3/28 at M1A | Grand slams . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1, Suwinski (4/14 at PHI) |
| Most walks, game, Pirates .................................. 7, 4/20 vs. BOS \& 4/13 at PHI | Inside-the-park home runs |
| Most walks, game, Pirates (extra innings) | Leadoff home runs. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2, MCCutchen (4/23 vs. MIL \& 4/22 vs. MLI) |
| Most walks, game, Opponents. .............................. 7,4 times, last on 4/25 vs. MIL | Walkoff home runs |
| Most walks, game, Opponent (extra innings) ............................... $8,3 / 28$ at MIA | INDIVIDUAL PITCHING |
| TEAM MISCELLANEOUS | Most strikeouts, game. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .10, Jones (3/30 at MIA) |
|  | Longest winning streak. ......................................... 2 games, Keller (4/8-14) |
| Longest winning streak. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 5 games (3/28-4/1) | Longest losing streak . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 2 games, Chapman (4/15-25) \& Jones (4/5-11) |
| Longest losing streak . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 6.6 games (4/15-21) | Fewest hits, complete game |
| Longest game, innings . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 12, 3/28 at MIA | Most walks, game . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4 , Keller (4/20 vs. BOS) |
| Longest game, time. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3 3:24, 4/6 vs. BAL \& 3/28 at MIA | Most IP, game, starter. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 8.0, Perez (4/9 vs. DET) |
| Longest game, time, 9 innings .........................................3:11, 4/1 at WAS | Most IP, game, reliever . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3.0, Fleming (3/29 at MIA) |
| Shortest game, time, 9 innings . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2:11, 4/7 vs. BAL | Most consec. scoreless IP . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 12.0, Perez (4/9-15) |
| Largest margin of victory . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 7 runs, 4/14 at PHI (9-2) | Most consecutive saves. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3 , Bednar (4/12-23) |


| JOEY BART |  |  |
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| ROADTRIP: | 0.0 (.000) | OHR OR |
| series | $0.00 .000)$ | онr |
| Last 3: | 2-10 (200) | 1 HR 3 RBI |
| CURRENT |  |  | Went deep for the third time in seven games Thursday with his three-run blast in the first inning off Milwaukee's Freddy Peralta

 Has hit safely in six of his first seven games with the Pirates...Made his big league debut with the Giants on 8/20/20. Became the first player since Derrek Lee in 2011 to go deep twice in his first three games as a Pirate (accomplished nine times since 1900). Homered in his first at-bat in his Pirates debut on 4/6...Is 5-for-12 (.417) with a pair of home runs with runners on base.

| ONEIL CRUZ |  | ${ }^{*}$ | Has hit safely in four straight games for the third time this season (also 3/28-4/1 and 4/4 to 4/7). | vs. LIP: | 3-30 (.100) O HR |
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| ROADTRIP: 000(.000) | OHR ORBI | * | His double off Milwaukee's Joel Payamps on Thursday was his hardest hit ball (116.4 miles-per-hour) this season. | vs. RHP: | $21-69$ (.304) 3 HR |
| SERIES 0.0 (.000) | OHR ORBI | $\stackrel{\square}{*}$ | Recorded his second three-hit game of the season (also 4/5) and second multi-RBI game (also 4/13) on Monday. | Home: | $12-41$ (.293) 1 HR |
| LAST 3: $\quad 3.9(.333)$ | OHR ORBI |  |  | Road: | 12-58 (207) 2 HR |
| CURRENT STREAK: | 4 games |  |  | Last HR: | 4/13/24 at PHI |



| KEBRYAN HAYES |  |  |  | $\stackrel{*}{*}$ | Had his four-game hitting streak come to an end Wednesday night after going hitless in four at-bats. | vs. LIPP: | 7-23 (.304) 0 HR |
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| ROAD TRIP: | $0-0$ (.000) | OHR | 0 RBI | * | His eight double plays turned are the second-most among MLB third basemen behind Eugenio Suarez (ten). | vs. RHP: | 16-64 (250) 0 HR |
| SERIES | 0.0 (.000) | OHR | 0 RBI | * | Did not play in Thursday's game...Has recorded one RBl in his last eight games (came on 4/21 vs. Boston). | Home: | 11-39 (.282) 0 HR |
| LAST 3: | 2-12 (.167) | 0 HR | 0 RBI |  |  | Road: | 12-48 (250) 0 HR |
|  | CURRENT STREAK: 0-for-5 |  |  |  | games (has not been charged with any in 16 games since). | Last HR: | 9/22/23 at CIN |


| CONNOR JOE |  |  | Is 20 -for-54 (.370) with three homers in 15 career games at Oracle Park...The Pirates are $7-2$ when he knocks in a run. | vs. LIP: | 9-29 (310) 1 HR |
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| ROAD TRIP: 000(.000) 0 | OHR ORBI |  | Is 4-for-4 as a pinch hitter this season after his single on Thursday (leads all of MLB with his four pinch hits). | vs. RHP: | 12-43 (.279) 1 HR |
| SERIES $000(.000) 0$ | OHR ORBI |  | Has made one error at first base since 2023...Is 10-for-22 (.455) with RISP (sixth-highest average in the National League). | Home: | $8-25$ (.320) 1 HR |
| LAST 3: 2-7 (286) | OHR 1 RBI |  |  | Road: | 13-47 (.277) 1 HR |
| CURRENT STREAK: | 1 game |  | Has hit safely in five of his last six and seven of his last nine games...Is 12-for-40 (.300) out of the leadoff spot. | Last H | 4/20/24 vs. BOS |
| ANDR: ${ }^{\text {a }}$ McCUTCHEN |  |  | His 2062 hits are the 257th-most in MLB history (Del Ennis ranks 256th with 2063)...Has batted leadoff his last three starts. | vs. LHP: | 1-16 (.063) 0 HR |
| ROAD TRIP: 0-0(.000) 0 | OHR ORBI |  | Hit a leadoff HR for the second straight night on Tuesday (first time to homer in two straight games since 4/17-19, 2023). | vs. RHP: | 13-49 (.265) 3 HR |
| SERIES $000(.000)$ | OHR ORBI |  |  | Home: | 7-30 (233) 2 HR |
| LAST 3: 2-9(.222) 1 | 1 HR 1 RBI |  |  | Road: | 7-35 (200) 1 HR |
| CURRENT STREAK: | 0 -for-4 |  | Connected for his 300th career home run on 4/14 at Philadelphia (218 of his 302 have come as a member of the Pirates). | Last HR: | 4/23/24 vs. MIL |



* Is one appearance shy of 200 in his career...His 65 saves are the ninth-most all-time in Pirates history (Matt Capps is eighth with 67).
Recorded a save for the second straight night on Tuesday for his fourth of the season...Is 4 -for- 7 in save opportunities this year.
* Has made three straight scoreless appearances (3.0ip) after being scored upon three times in his previous four outings.
* Is tied with Camilo Doval for the second-most saves (43) in MLB since the beginning of 2023 (Emmanuel Clase leads the way with 52 ).

Has been scored upon in each of his last five outings...Was charged with a blown save and his second loss (1.0ip/2r) in his last outing Thursday.
2 Is fith among active pitchers in appearances (740)...Was charged with his first loss and fjected from the game on $4 / 15$ at New York.

* Recorded his first save as a Pirate on $4 / 1$....Has issued 10 walks in his last eight outings (5.1ip)...Did not allow a run in his first seven appearances (5.0ip).
* His 1164 strikeouts as a reliever are 10th-most all-time and third among lefties behind Billy Wagner (1196) and Jesse Orosco ( 1169 ).


## ROANSY CONTRERAS BA AGAINST: $\quad$ 12-42 . 286 INHERIEDRUNNERSSCORED: 7/2 1ST BAT FACED/RET:

$\underset{\star}{*}$ Pitched for the second straight game on Thursday vs. Milwaukee while allowing one run on three hits in 1.0 inning.

* Allowed a walkoff single to Nick Castellanos on $4 / 13$ at Philadelphia after entering in the ninth inning with one out and two inherited runners.
© Tossed a combined 4.0 scoreless innings in five appearances from 4/5-15... Has been scored upon twice in his last eight appearances (9.0ip/4r).

2. Was charged with a blown save before going on to record the win (2.0ip/2r) in his season debut on $4 / 1$ against the Nationals.

## JOSH FLEMING BA AGAINST: $\quad 8-38$. 211 INHERTED RUNNERS/SCORED: 6/2 IST BAT FACED/RET: $10 / 8$

Started and allowed two unearned runs in 2.1 innings Wednesday while taking the loss vs. Milwaukee (his first start since 5/28/23 against the Dodgers).
Recorded his first win as a Pirate on $4 / 6$ vs. Baltimore...Has allowed one earned run in 9.1 innings in his last nine appearances (one start).
8. Recorded the second save of his career on $3 / 29$ after allowing one run on two hits in 3.0 innings...Has allowed three hits in 16 at-bats vs. lefties.

* Is 12-5 with a 3.57 ERA ( $126.0 \mathrm{ip} / 50 \mathrm{er}$ ) in 43 career appearances as a reliever...Was signed as a free agent on $2 / 14$ after spending 2023 with Tampa Bay.

COLIN HOLDERMAN BA AGAINST: $\quad$ 3-21 . 143 INHERTEDRUNNEESSCORED: 3/0 1ST BAT FACED/RET: 7/6

Has made six straight scoreless appearances (5.0ip) since being scored upon in his season debut on 4/11 at Philadelphia.

- Stranded his inherited runner while working 0.1 scoreless inning in his last appearance Thursday against the Brewers.

8. Began the season on the 15-day injured list (illness)...Has allowed two hits in 17 at-bats (. 118 average) in his last six appearances.
© Earned the first save of his big league career last year on $6 / 5 \mathrm{vs}$. Oakland.... Has stranded 18 of his 20 inherited runners in his career.

| KYLE NICOLAS |  |  | Had an 0.84 ERA (10.2ip/1er), 13 strikeouts and . 061 batting average against at the time he was promoted from Indianapolis today. |
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| BA AGAINST: 0-0 | . 000 |  | Made a total of four appearances with the Pirates in 2023, allowing seven runs in 5.1 innings in four relief appearances. |
| INHERIIEDRUNNERS/SCORED: | 0/0 | * | Allowed six of his seven runs with the Pirates last season in his big league debut on $9 / 19$ against the Cubs. |
| 1ST BAT FACED/RET: | 0/0 |  | Was acquired by the Pirates from the Marlins organization on 11/29/21 in exchange for catcher Jacob Stallings. |


| LUS ORTE | * Threw 58 pitches, allowed one run and tossed a season-high 2.2 innings in his last appearance Wednesday night vs. Milwaukee. |
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| BA AGAINST: 7-48 . 146 | * Was charged with a blown save and his first loss (1.2ip/2h/3r) of the season on $4 / 16$ against the Mets at Citi Field. |
| INHERTIED RUNNERS/SCORED: 3/0 | * Tossed a combined 4.0 scoreless innings in his first two appearances...Has allowed five hits in 32 at-bats (.156) against right-handed batters. |
| 1ST BAT FACED/RET: 8/6 | * Earned the win on Opening Day (3/28) after working 2.0 scoreless innings against Miami. |


| HUNTER STRATTON | $\stackrel{\otimes}{*}$ Tossed 2.0 scoreless innings in his last game Wednesday night against Milwaukee...Four of his five runs allow |
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| BA AGAINST: 13-50 . 260 | Has been scored upon twice in 12 appearances....Has tossed a combined 4.2 scoreless innings in his last three appearances. |
| INHERIEDRUNNERS/SCORED: 8/3 | * Has issued one walk in his first 13.0 innings of work...Has allowed four hits in 26 at-bats (.154 average) against right-handed hitters. |
| 1ST BAT FACED/RET: 12/6 | Earned the first save of his big league career on $3 / 31$ at Miami, striking out two of the four batters he faced in his 1.0 inning. |



| 2024 Injured List (11 players, 11 appearances) |  |  |  |  |
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|  | On | Date | Off | Games |
| Player (injury) | IL | Eligible | IL | Missed |
| Johan Oviedo (R elbow surgery on 12/6/23) * | * $2 / 14$ | 4/14 | --- | 13-13 |
| Endy Rodriguez (R elbow surgery on 12/12/23)* | (23)* ${ }^{*} / 14$ | 4/14 | --- | 13-13 |
| JT Brubaker (R elbow surgery on 4/12/23)* | 2/19 | 4/19 | 3/29 | 1-0 |
| Dauri Moreta (R elbow surgery on 3/19/24)* | * 3/16 | 5/15 | --- | 13-13 |
| Ji Hwan Bae (L hip muscle strain) 3/28 | 3/28 (retro to 3/25) | 4/4 | 4/14 | 11-5 |
| Yasmani Grandal (L foot plantar fasciitis) 3/28 | 3/28 (retro to 3/25) | 4/4 | --- | 13-13 |
| Carmen Mlodzinski (R elbow inflammation)3/28 | )3/28 (retro to 3/25) | 4/9 | 4/10 | 9-3 |
| Colin Holderman (lllness) 3/28 | 3/28 (retro to 3/25) | 4/9 | 4/11 | 9-3 |
| Jason Delay (R knee inflammation/surgery) 4/3 | 4/3 (retro to 4/1) | 4/11 | --- | 8-13 |
| Ryan Borucki (L triceps inflammation) 4/7 | 4/7 (retro to 4/6) | 4/21 | --- | 6-11 |
| Marco Gonzales (L forearm muscle strain) | 4/14 | 4/29 | --- | 3-8 |
| * 60-day ^ T | Team record in ga | s missed |  |  |

## MOST RECENT TRANSACTIONS

## DATE TRANSACTION

3/17 Kyle Nicolas (RHP) optioned to Indianapolis...Paul Skenes (RHP), Carter Bins (C), Sergio Alcantara (INF), Joe Perez (OF) and Matt Gorski (OF) reassigned to minor league camp.
3/21 Joshua Palacios (OF) and Nick Gonzales (INF) optioned to Indianapolis.
3/22 Liover Peguero (INF) and Jose Hernandez (LHP) optioned to Indianapolis.
3/23 Chase Anderson (RHP) granted release.
3/25 Quinn Priester (RHP) optioned to Indianapolis...Billy McKinney (OF), Jake Lamb (INF), Gilberto Celestino (OF), Brent Honeywell Jr. (RHP), Eric Lauer (LHP), Domingo German (RHP), Wily Peralta (RHP) and Grant Koch (C) reassigned to minor league camp.
3/28 Hunter Stratton (RHP), Ryder Ryan (RHP) and Jared Jones (RHP) contracts selected to 26-man active roster...Ali Sanchez (C), Jackson Wolf (LHP) and Canaan Smith-Njigba (OF) designated for assignment...Carmen Mlodzinski (RHP) and Colin Holderman (RHP) placed on 15-day injured list (retro to 3/25)...Yasmani Grandal (C) and Ji Hwan Bae (INF/OF) placed on 10-day injured list (retro to 3/25)...Roansy Contreras (RHP) placed on MLB paternity leave list...Jose Hernandez (LHP) recalled from Triple-A Indianapolis.
3/29 JT Brubaker (RHP) and international bonus pool money traded to New York (AL) in exchange for a player to be named...Colin Holderman (RHP) begins rehab assignment with Triple-A Indianapolis.
3/31 Roansy Contreras (RHP) reinstated from MLB paternity leave list...Jose Hernandez (LHP) optioned to Triple-A Indianapolis...Canaan Smith-Njigba (OF) and Ali Sanchez (C) cleared waivers and assigned to Indianapolis...Ali Sanchez (C) elects free agency.
4/2 Kervin Pichardo (INF) acquired from San Diego for Jackson Wolf (LHP)...Joey Bart (C) acquired from San Francisco for Austin Strickland (RHP)...Colin Selby (RHP) designated for assignment.
4/3 Joey Bart (C) added to active roster...Jason Delay (C) placed on 10-day injured list (retro to 4/1).
4/5 Carmen Mlodzinski (RHP) begins rehab assignment with Bradenton.
4/7 Ji Hwan Bae (INF/OF) begins rehab assignment with Bradenton...Ryan Borucki (LHP) placed on 15-day injured list (retro to 4/6)...Jose Hernandez (LHP) recalled from Indianapolis.
4/9 Ji Hwan Bae (INF/OF) and Carmen Mlodzinski (RHP) rehab assignments transferred from Bradenton to Indianapolis...Ryder Ryan (RHP) optioned to Indianapolis. 4/10 Carmen Mlodzinski (RHP) ends rehab assignment with Indianapolis, is reinstated from 15-day injured list and optioned to Triple-A.
4/11 Colin Holderman (RHP) ends rehab assignment with Indianapolis and is reinstated from the 15-day injured list.
4/14 Marco Gonzales (LHP) placed on 15-day injured list...Ryder Ryan (RHP) recalled from Indianapolis...Ji Hwan Bae (INF/OF) ends rehab assignment with Indianapolis, is reinstated from the 10-day injured list and optioned to Triple-A.
Yasmani Grandal (C) begins rehab assignment with Triple-A Indianapolis.
Jose Hernandez (LHP) optioned to Indianapolis.
Quinn Priester (RHP) recalled from Indianapolis.
Ryder Ryan (RHP) optioned to Indianapolis.
Kyle Nicolas (RHP) recalled from Indianapolis.


