



# St. Louis Cardinals (8-10-0) vs. New York Mets (7-9-2)

Spring Training Game No. 19 • Wednesday, March 12, 2025

Roger Dean Chevrolet Stadium • Jupiter, Florida

RHP Miles Mikolas (0-0, 4.15) vs. RHP Paul Blackburn (0-1, 11.57)

**THE GRAPEFRUIT GANG:** The St. Louis Cardinals enter their 134th season of play in the National League and are conducting their 28th Spring Training at Roger Dean Chevrolet Stadium (1998-2025) ... The Cardinals break camp in Florida and fly to Memphis to play an exhibition with the Triple-A Redbirds at AutoZone Park on Monday, March 24 at 6:15 p.m. CT.

**WETHERHOLT & MOSQUEDA RE-ASSIGNED:** The Cardinals reduced their Spring Training roster to 49 players today after re-assigning INF **JJ Wetherholt** and LHP **Oddanier Mosqueda** to minor league camp ... The 22-year-old Wetherholt homered on March 2, drew six walks, and swiped three bags in 10 games during his first Big League camp.

**NON-ROSTER CAMPERS REMAINING:** St. Louis currently has 12 non-roster invitees remaining in camp:

- Pitchers (3): **Nick Anderson, Michael Gomez, Andre Granillo;**
- Catchers (4): **Gavin Collins, Yohel Pozo; Chance Sisco, & Wade Stauss;**
- Infielders (3): **José Barrero, César Prieto, & RJ Yeager;**
- Outfielders (2): **Nathan Church & Ryan Vilade**

**A-NYEONG-HA-SE-YO:** 2026 Korean WBC manager **Ryu Ji-hyun** and three KBO executives visit Jupiter today as Cardinals Assistant Director of International Operations **Joseph Quezada** gives the group a tour of Cardinals camp ... Those in Cardinals camp with Korean connections include pitchers **Riley O'Brien** (O'Brien's mom is from Korea) and **Erick Fedde** (2023 NC Dinos).

**THE BIG MAYO:** The Cardinals nine sacrifice flies this Spring rank 2nd in MLB to the Pirates (10) ... **Michael Helman** and Baltimore's **Luis Vazquez** co-lead MLB with three sac flies ... Since 2006, **Matt Carpenter** (2017) and **Joe Mather** (2009) share the Cardinals Spring single-season record with five sac flies.

**CARDINALS MEDIA GUIDE AVAILABLE NOW:** The 2025 St. Louis Cardinals Media Guide can be downloaded now at [CardinalsPressbox.com](http://CardinalsPressbox.com), while printed copies are available for purchase for \$20 at [Cardinals.com/mediaguide](http://Cardinals.com/mediaguide) and at Busch Stadium near Opening Day ... The 2025 edition features **Lars Nootbaar, Willson Contreras, Masyn Winn, Brendan Donovan, and Sonny Gray** on the cover.

**WALK THIS WAY:** **Lars Nootbaar** has worked eight walks in 30 Spring plate appearances, tied for 5th in MLB ... Since 2006, the Cardinals single-season Spring Training walk record is held by **Colby Rasmus** (16 walks in 74 plate appearances) in 2010.

**THIS DATE IN CARDINALS HISTORY (March 12, 1973):** Hall of Famer and former key member of the "Gas House Gang" **Frankie Frisch** passes away at the age of 74 ... Frisch played 11 (1927-37) and managed six (1933-38) seasons with St. Louis from 1927-38, where he won the 1931 and 1934 World Series and the 1931 National League MVP award ... Frisch and pitcher **Jimmy Ring** initially joined the Cardinals in December 1926 via trade with the New York Giants in exchange for **Rogers Hornsby**.

**KISSING YOUR SISTER:** The Cardinals are one of five MLB teams this Spring without a tie (also LAD, CWS, PIT, & HOU) ... The Cardinals 18 games to begin the season without a tie is their longest stretch since the 2010 Redbirds played their entire 29-game spring slate without a tie.

**SPRING BREAKOUT:** As part of MLB's second annual Spring Breakout showcase, the top Cardinals prospects will be hosted by the Marlins top young talent on Friday at 11:10 a.m. CT at Roger Dean Chevrolet Stadium.

- The exhibition will be televised on FanDuel Sports Network, with father and son, **Chip** and **Stefan Caray**, calling the game together for the first time.

- St. Louis will have 16 of its top 30 prospects participating, with four of the top five and 12 of the top 20 on hand.

**ANNIVERSARIES:** 2025 marks the 20th season of Busch Stadium III (2006-present), the 40th anniversary of the 1985 National League Champion Cardinals, and the 30th season since **Bill DeWitt, Jr.** led the purchase of the Cardinals from Anheuser Busch when he and his partners acquired controlling interest in the franchise (1996-present).

**FEELING A DRAFT:** The Cardinals were awarded the 5th overall pick in the upcoming 2025 MLB Draft thanks to the offseason MLB Draft Lottery at baseball's Winter Meetings ... The 5th overall pick is the franchise's highest since outfielder **J.D. Drew** (No. 5 in 1998), and marks the first time in franchise history having consecutive top 10 selections ... Last season, St. Louis drafted infielder **JJ Wetherholt** with the 7th overall pick from West Virginia.

## GRAPEFRUIT LEAGUE

### CARDINALS 2025 SPRING RECAP

Record	Attendance
vs. NL.....6-5-0	Home (9).....45,492
vs. AL.....2-5-0	Home Avg .....5,055
at Home .....6-3-0	Road (9).....38,446
on Road .....2-7-0	Road Avg .....4,272
at RDCS* .....6-5-0	Total.....83,938
	*Includes road games at Roger Dean Chevrolet Stadium
	Home High.....7,463
	March 9 vs. Yankees

### RECENT CARDINALS SPRING TRAININGS

Year	W-L-T	Team BA	Team ERA
2025	8-10-0	.210	4.91
2024	13-12-5	.248	4.52
2023	17-7-5	.254	4.00
2022*	9-5-0	.277	4.54
2021*	8-10-6	.244	3.98
2020*	10-9-2	.246	3.52
2019*	12-15-4	.239	4.57
2018	17-13-2	.253	3.93
2017	20-8-4	.255	3.28
2016	11-13-3	.263	3.81

\*Reached Postseason

### CARDINALS SPRING TRAINING RECORDS AT STADIUMS SINCE 2006

at Roger Dean Chevrolet Stadium... 171-131-30	as the home team ..... 148-102-23	as the visiting team vs. Marlins ..... 23-29-7
at Clover Park..... 25-25-6	at CACTI Park of the Palm Beaches..... 23-19-4	vs. the Nationals..... 17-7-1
vs. the Astros ..... 6-12-3	at George M. Steinbrenner Field..... 4-2-0	at TD Ballpark..... 0-1-0

### RECENT NON-ROSTER INVITEES TO MAKE CARDS OPENING DAY ROSTERS

<b>2024:</b> OF Victor Scott II	<b>2015:</b> RHP Carlos Villanueva
<b>2023:</b> INF Taylor Motter OF Jordan Walker	<b>2014:</b> RHP Pat Neshek
<b>2022:</b> RHP Aaron Brooks RHP Andre Pallante	<b>2013:</b> none
<b>2021:</b> none	<b>2012:</b> RHP Scott Linebrink
<b>2020:</b> RHP Kodi Whitley	<b>2011:</b> RHP Miguel Batista
<b>2019:</b> C Matt Wieters	<b>2010:</b> none
<b>2018:</b> C Francisco Peña	<b>2009:</b> OF Colby Rasmus 3B David Freese INF Joe Thurston
<b>2017:</b> C Eric Fryer	<b>2008:</b> LHP Ron Villone INF Rico Washington
<b>2016:</b> C Eric Fryer OF Jeremy Hazelbaker	

### TOP 10 CARDINALS PROSPECTS

1. SS JJ Wetherholt	16. RHP Gordon Graceffo
2. LHP Quinn Mathews	17. RHP Brannelli Franco
3. RHP Tink Hence	18. OF Royel Strop
4. INF Thomas Saggese	19. OF Kenly Hunter
5. SS Yairo Padilla	20. RHP Sem Robberse
6. RHP Tekoah Roby	21. OF Matt Koperniak
7. LHP Cooper Hjerpe	22. RHP Matt Svanson
8. OF Chase Davis	23. RHP Nelfy Ynfante
9. C Jimmy Crooks	24. RHP Darlin Saladin
10. RHP Michael McGreevy	25. RHP Max Rajcic
11. C Rainiel Rodriguez	26. C Ryan Campos
12. C Leonardo Bernal	27. OF Zach Levenson
13. RHP Chen-Wei Lin	28. RHP Zack Showalter
14. RHP Brian Holiday	29. LHP Brycen Mainz
15. OF Nathan Church	30. INF José Feigin

Bold remain in Major League Camp

### RECENT CARDINALS TRANSACTIONS

**March 12:** Re-assigned LHP **Oddanier Mosqueda** and INF **JJ Wetherholt** to minor league camp.

**March 9:** Re-assigned C **Leonardo Bernal**, C **Jimmy Crooks**, OF **Bryan Torres**, and INF **Jeremy Rivas** to minor league camp. Invited minor league C (#63) **Yohel Pozo** to Major League camp.

## CARDINALS 2025 SPRING SCHEDULE & RESULTS

Date/Opp.	Time/Result	Probable Starters/ Winner-Loser-Save	Record	Att.	Broadcast Details/ Game Highlights
2/22 at MIA^	L, 7-6	Rooney-Svanson-Pushard	0-1	3,996	Arenado 1-2; Barrero 1-2, 2 RBI; Liberatore 2.0 IP
2/23 vs. HOU	L, 11-6	Blubaugh-Robberse	0-2	4,841	Wetherholt 2-3, HR, 3 RBI; Yeager 2-2, HR
2/24 vs. NYM	W, 7-4	Leahy-Suarez-Muñoz	1-2	4,633	Baker 1-4, HR, 4 RBI; Barrero HR; Contreras 2-3
2/25 at TOR	L, 3-2	Y.Garcia-Bedell-Juenger	1-3	5,495	Scott 2-3, 3B, HR; Mathews 2 IP, 0 R, 3 K
2/26 at NYY	L, 7-0	Warren-Hence	1-4	8,655	McGreevy 2.0 IP, 2 K; Fernandez 1.0 IP, 3 K
2/27 vs. MIA	W, 8-4	Liberatore-Bellozo	2-4	4,318	Arenado 3-R HR; Contreras 2-2; Scott 2 SB
2/28 at HOU	L, 3-2	Walter-Fedde-Gusto	2-5	2,377	Prieto 1-1, 2B; Bernal 1-1; Roby 3.0 IP
3/1 vs. WSH (ss)	W, 3-2	Svanson-Grissom, Jr.	3-5	4,670	Contreras 2-run HR; Saggese walk-off 1B
3/2 at MIA^	L, 5-3	Soriano-King-Belgrave	3-6	3,599	Nootbaar 2B, BB; Baker 2-run HR; Walker SF
3/3	OPEN DATE				
3/4 vs. NYM	W, 6-1	Pallante-Megill	4-6	4,899	Scott 2B, SB; Arenado 2-run 2B; Koperniak HR
at WSH	W, 6-4	Rajcic-Lara	5-6	2,071	Saggese HR; Y. Peña GW 2-run HR
3/5 at HOU	L, 6-5	Ullola-Loutos	5-7	2,338	Baker HR; Barrero HR; Herrera 2 2B
3/6 vs. WSH	L, 12-1	Soroka-Roby	5-8	4,811	Contreras 2-3; Fedde 3.0 IP, 0 H; Nootbaar 1-2
3/7 vs. HOU	W, 6-4	Anderson-Blubaugh-Gomez	6-8	5,182	Herrera HR; Bernal HR; Fermin 1-2, 2 BB
3/8 at WSH	W, 5-3	Matz-Herz-Leahy	7-8	3,818	Saggese 2-3, 2 R; Pages 1-3, 2 R; Baker 2 BB
3/9 vs. NYY	W, 6-5	Romero-Cohen-Roycroft	8-8	7,463	Preito GW HR; Koperniak GT HR; Gorman HR
3/10 at NYM	L, 8-0	Canning-Gray	8-9	6,097	Barrero 1-1, 2B; Baker 1-3; Gorman 1-3
3/11 vs. MIA	L, 12-5	Weathers-Fedde	8-10	4,675	Barrero 2-3; Herrera 2B; Prieto 1-2
3/12 vs. NYM	1:05	RHP Miles Mikolas vs. RHP Paul Blackburn			KMOX
3/13 at HOU	1:05	LHP Steven Matz vs. RHP Spencer Arrighetti			FanDuel Sports Network // Cardinals.com
3/14 Spring Breakout 12:10	vs. Miami				FanDuel Sports Network
at NYM	6:10	RHP Michael McGreevy vs. RHP Kodai Senga			MLB.TV // KMOX
3/15 vs. TOR	1:05	RHP Andre Pallante vs. RHP Bowden Francis			FanDuel Sports Network // KMOX
3/16 at MIA^	1:10				FanDuel Sports Network // KMOX
3/17 at WSH	1:05				Cardinals.com
3/18 vs. MIA	1:05				FanDuel Sports Network // Cardinals.com
3/19 vs. WSH	1:05				FanDuel Sports Network // KMOX
3/20	OPEN DATE				
3/21 vs. HOU	1:05				KMOX
at NYM	1:10				MLB.TV
3/22 at MIA (ss)^	1:10				KMOX
3/23 vs. WSH (ss)	1:05				KMOX
3/24 at Memphis	7:15				KMOX

Game times are local and subject to change

^ Cardinals are "visiting" team at Roger Dean

