



Arizona Fall League Game Notes - Wednesday, November 17, 2021

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AFL Standings

East Division

GB

Mesa (x)	13-12-1	—
Scottsdale	11-16	E
Salt River	10-17	E

West Division

GB

Surprise	15-10	—
Glendale	16-12	0.5
Peoria	14-12-1	1.5

x = clinched division

Today's Games

GLENDALE @ MESA

Glendale

RHP Chad Donato (HOU)
1-1, 7.31 ERA

Mesa

LHP Hogan Harris (OAK)
0-1, 10.29 ERA

PEORIA @ SURPRISE

Peoria

RHP Michael Burrows (PIT)
1-0, 4.38 ERA

Surprise

RHP James Marinar (CIN)
0-0, 5.40 ERA

SALT RIVER @ SCOTTSDALE

Salt River

RHP Wilmer Flores (DET)
0-2, 9.75 ERA

Scottsdale

RHP Caleb Sampen (TB)
1-1, 4.40 ERA

Batting Practice Schedule - Through 11/20

Team	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa
Surprise	X	-	-	TBD	TBD	AFL Championship
Peoria	-	X	-	X	TBD	
Glendale	X	-	-	off	TBD	
Salt River	X	-	-	X	-	
Scottsdale	off	X	-	off	-	
Mesa	off	X	X	X	TBD	

12:35 p.m. - HINF: 9:10 a.m., HBP: 9:25 a.m., VBP: 10:40 a.m., VIN: 11:40 a.m.

6:35 p.m. - HINF: 3:10 p.m., HBP: 3:25 p.m., VBP: 4:40 p.m., VIN: 5:40 p.m.

Note: Monday/Thursday required batting practice has been lifted for the final week of the season.

Fall League Alum of the Day

Matt Holliday (Mesa Solar Sox, 2003) was drafted by the Colorado Rockies in the seventh round of the 1998 draft out of Stillwater High School (OK). The outfielder played in the Fall League five years later and went on to make his MLB debut with the Rockies the following spring, posting a .837 OPS as a rookie. Holliday collected seven All-Star appearances and four Silver Slugger awards in his 15-year MLB career, helping lead the Rockies to a 2007 National League championship and the St. Louis Cardinals to a 2011 World Series title. A career .299/.379/.510 hitter, Holliday hit 316 home runs in 1,903 total games. He was inducted into the Arizona Fall League Hall of Fame in 2014 and currently works on the baseball coaching staff at Oklahoma State University alongside head coach Josh Holliday, his brother.

Upcoming Games and Probable Starters

Thursday, November 18

Peoria @ Surprise 12:35 p.m. RHP William Woods vs TBD
Mesa @ Salt River 6:35 p.m. RHP Michael Dominguez vs. TBD

Off day: Glendale Desert Dogs, Scottsdale Scorpions

Friday, November 19

Glendale @ Surprise 12:35 p.m. RHP Landon Knack vs RHP Owen White
Peoria @ Salt River 12:35 p.m. RHP Victor Vodnik vs. TBD
Scottsdale @ Mesa 12:35 p.m. LHP Seth Corry vs. RHP Logan Gillaspie

Fall League Player Profile



Korey Lee - HOU

Glendale Desert Dogs - C

Bats: Right **Throws:** Right
Height: 6'2" **Weight:** 210 lb.

Born: July 25, 1998 (23)
Birthplace: Escondido, CA
Drafted: 2019 (1st round, HOU)
College: Cal

Favorite emoji:

Smirk 😏

Favorite AFL hat (other than the Desert Dogs):

Salt River Rafters

Favorite food for Thanksgiving

Stuffing or pumpkin pie

Dream vacation:

Bahamas/Caribbean

Celebrity crush:

Vanessa Hudgens

AFL Player Notebook

Peoria

#26 Logan O'Hoppe (PHI) - MLB Pipeline's 11th-ranked Phillies prospect. Drafted in the 23rd round of the 2018 draft out of St. Johns The Baptist High School (NY). Played in 85 games for High-A Jersey Shore in 2021, posting a .270/.335/.459 slash with 13 home runs. Played winter ball in 2019-20 with the Adelaide Giants of the Australian Baseball League, posting a .258/.389/.483 slash.

#18 Devin Sweet (SEA) - Signed with the Mariners as an undrafted free agent in 2018. Played four seasons at North Carolina Central, posting a combined 4.23 ERA in 226.1 combined innings. Played exclusively with Double-A Arkansas in 2021, posting a 4.74 ERA in 79.2 innings. Played for six different Mariners affiliates since 2018.

#12 Zach DeLoach (SEA) - Drafted to the Mariners in the second round of the 2020 draft. Played 58 games with High-A Everett this season, posting a .313/.400/.530 slash. Made his Double-A debut in 2021, playing in 49 games. Played for the Falmouth Commodores in the 2019 Cape Cod Baseball League, posting a .969 OPS. Currently the sixth-ranked Mariners prospect according to MLB Pipeline.

Salt River

#7 Brett Baty (NYM) - 12th-overall pick of the 2019 draft and MLB Pipeline's 45th-ranked prospect. Committed to play at the University of Texas before signing with the Mets out of high school. Played 91 games in 2021 between High-A Brooklyn and Double-A Binghamton, posting a .292/.382/.473 season slash.

#58 Garrett Hill (DET) - Drafted in the 26th round of the 2018 draft out of San Diego State. Pitched 75.2 innings in 2021 between High-A West Michigan and Double-A Erie, posting a combined 2.74 ERA with 99 strikeouts. Career 2.54 minor league ERA in 237.1 innings. Born in Petaluma, California.

#27 Ryan Vilade (COL) - Second-round draftee in 2017 out of Stillwater High School (OK). Played in three MLB games for the Colorado Rockies in 2021. Career minor league slash of .289/.360/.422 in 402 career games. Played in the 2021 Futures Game at Coors Field. Played with Triple-A Albuquerque and the Rockies in 2021.

Mesa

#7 Logan Davidson (OAK) - 29th overall selection of the 2019 draft out of Clemson. Started his 2021 fall campaign going 2-for-5 with two doubles. Played exclusively for Double-A Midland during 2021 (119 games) posting a .212/.307/.313 slash. Member of the A's 60-man player pool in 2020. 12th-ranked A's prospect according to MLB Pipeline with an estimated big league ETA in 2022.

#38 Graham Spraker (TOR) - Perfect 0.00 ERA through the Fall Stars Game. Played for Double-A New Hampshire and Triple-A Buffalo in 2021, posting a combined 2.62 ERA in 44.2 innings. Drafted in the 31st round of the 2017 draft out of Quincy University (IL). Born in Tucson, Arizona.

#10 J.J. Bleday (MIA) - MVP of the Fall Stars Game (2-3, HR, 3 RBI). MLB Pipeline's No. 74 overall prospect. Drafted fourth overall in the 2019 draft out of Vanderbilt. Led all of NCAA Division-I baseball with 27 home runs in 2019. Played exclusively with Double-A Pensacola in 2021 (110 games), hitting 12 home runs in 397 at-bats.

AFL Player Notebook

Scottsdale

#25 Kole Cottam (BOS) - Played in 71 games in 2021, 46 with High-A Greenville and 25 with Double-A Portland, posting a combined .278/.371/.500 slash. 4th-round selection in the 2018 draft out of Kentucky. Played three seasons in the SEC, posting a combined .326/.399/.553 slash in 151 games. Played one collegiate summer with the Willmar Stingers (Northwoods) and Yarmouth-Dennis Red Sox (Cape Cod).

#50 R.J. Dabovich (SF) - Pitched at Central Arizona College and turned down an 18th-round pick in 2018 to pitch at Arizona State. Drafted in the fourth round of the 2020 draft after posting a 4.04 ERA in 32.1 innings for the Sun Devils. Made his professional debut with High-A Eugene in 2021, finishing the year with Double-A Richmond.

#30 Cody Laweryson (MIN) - Drafted in the 14th round of the 2019 draft out of the University of Maine. Born in Bingham, Maine. Pitched exclusively with High-A Cedar Rapids in 2021, posting a 4.91 ERA in 58.2 innings. Career 3.44 minor league ERA in 104.2 innings. Played for Low-A Cedar Rapids and rookie-level Elizabethton in 2019, posting a combined 1.57 ERA in 46 frames.

Surprise

#34 Zach Greene (NYY) - Drafted in the eighth round of the 2019 draft out of the University of South Alabama. Pitched 59.2 minor league innings in 2021 between High-A Hudson Valley and Double-A Somerset, posting a combined 3.17 ERA in 59.2 total innings. 2.78 career minor league ERA in 77.2 total innings.

#21 Michael Siani (CIN) - MLB Pipeline's 11th-ranked Reds prospect. Drafted in the fourth round of the 2018 draft out of William Penn Charter School (PA). Played on the 18U USA National Team. Played exclusively with High-A Dayton in 2021, posting a .216/.321/.327 slash in 97 games. 60-grade speed and arm according to MLB Pipeline.

#6 Nathan Eaton (KC) - 21st-round pick in the 2018 draft out of the Virginia Military Institute. Posted a .243/.344/.371 slash in 70 games with High-A Quad Cities in 2021 with 23 stolen bases. 1,029 career minor league at-bats in three total seasons. Started the 2021 Fall League going 10-for-21 with four doubles and a triple.

Glendale

#29 Joe Record (HOU) - Played three seasons at UC-Santa Barbara before a 28th-round draft selection in 2017. Played exclusively with Double-A Corpus Christi in 2021, posting a 3.36 ERA in 61.2 total innings. 116.2 career minor league innings with a 4.17 ERA. Began the 2021 Fall League with six scoreless innings, allowing one hit and collecting five strikeouts.

#30 Caleb Freeman (CHW) - Drafted in the 15th round of the 2019 draft out of Texas Tech. Helped lead the Red Raiders to their deepest College World Series run in program history (2019). College teammate of Taylor Floyd (Salt River Rafters). Pitched 44 innings in 2021 between High-A Winston-Salem and Double-A Birmingham, posting a combined 3.27 ERA with 19 walks and 55 strikeouts.

#14 James Outman (LAD) - Drafted in the seventh round of the 2018 draft out of Sacramento State. Played in 104 games in 2021, 39 with Double-A Tulsa and 65 with High-A Great Lakes. Posted a combined .266/.379/.490 slash with 18 home runs in 414 at-bats. Opened the 2021 Fall League with a .333/.444/.689 slash in his first 14 games. Born in Redwood City, California.

Today's Fall League Five

1: Dominic Canzone (ARI) went 3-for-5 for the Salt River Rafters on Tuesday, posting a double and home run. He drove in two of the Rafters' five runs in a 5-0 victory over the Glendale Desert Dogs, lifting his AFL slash from a .328/.418/.483 to a .349/.431/.556.

2: Austin Wells (NYY) drove in four runs on Tuesday, courtesy of a 3-for-4 afternoon with two doubles. The former Arizona Wildcat lifted his AFL batting slash from a .273/.397/.455 to a .305/.417/.508 as his Surprise Saguaros took down the Scottsdale Scorpions 9-7.

3: Five pitchers for the Salt River Rafters combined to toss a four-hit shutout on Tuesday. Matt Dennis (COL) took the start and allowed two hits while striking out three. Connor Grey (NYM) followed in relief, tossing three innings of two-hit, four-strikeout work. Jake Bird (COL), Reagan Todd (COL) and Mitchell Stumpo (ARI) each tossed a scoreless inning.

4: Roansy Contreras (PIT) allowed a single unearned run in four innings of work against the Mesa Solar Sox on Tuesday, posting eight strikeouts. He lowered his season ERA to a 3.21 and has posted 18 strikeouts in 14 innings of Fall League work. His season WHIP is now at an even 1.00.

5: As of Tuesday afternoon, the Mesa Solar Sox have officially clinched a berth in Saturday's AFL Championship Game. One spot in the winner-take-all final remains for a West division champion; the Surprise Saguaros lead by a half-game with three days remaining in the regular season.

AFL Championship Game: November 20th at Salt River Fields (5:00 p.m. MST)

Mesa Solar Sox vs. AFL West Division Champion

**Televised live on MLB Network*

