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PITTSBURGH PIRATES (25-24) vs. SEATTLE MARINERS (26-24)

MAY 26, 2023 at T-Mobile Park, Seattle, WA -- GAME #50/ROAD #25

RHP MITCH KELLER (5-1, 2.44 ERA) vs. RHP GEORGE KIRBY (5-3, 2.62 ERA)

THE PIRATES... had the day off yesterday in Seattle...Went 2-4 on their six-game homestand against Arizona (1-2) and Texas (1-2)...Won seven straight games from 4/17-23, their longest winning streak since 2018 (11 games)...Are 1.5 games behind the front-running Brewers in the National League Central coming into today.

THE MATURATION OF MITCH: One year ago yesterday Mitch Keller made the second of his two relief appearances of both 2022 and of his career before rejoining the starting rotation for good on May 31...Since May 31, Keller has produced the fifth-lowest ERA (2.95) in the National League (12th-lowest in all of MLB)...Keller's 183 strikeouts since May 31 of last season are also the 11th-most among all National League pitchers.

MITCH'S MERRY MONTH OF MAY: Mitch Keller brings a 2-1 record and 1.00 ERA (27.0ip/3er) in four starts this month into his outing tonight...The only two pitchers in MLB with a lower ERA this month are San Diego's Michael Wacha (0.36) and Toronto's Chris Bassitt (0.61).

ON THE ROAD: Tonight will be Mitch Keller's first start on the road since tossing 7.0 scoreless innings while striking out a career-high 13 batters on May 14 at Baltimore...Keller became the first Pirates righthander to strike out at least 13 batters in a game since Jose DeLeon had a club-record tying 14 on April 16, 1985, vs. the New York Mets...He also became the first Pirates pitcher in team history to have a start of at least 7.0 shutout innings with 13 strikeouts and no walks according to Baseball Reference.

SEATTLE'S BEST: This season the city of Seattle will host the Major League Baseball All-Star Game for the third time...Dave Parker represented the Pirates at the All-Star Game in 1979 at the Kingdome while taking home MVP honors...In 2001, Brian Giles was Pittsburgh's All-Star representative when the game was held at Safeco Field...This year's game will take place on July 11 here at T-Mobile Park.

CLOSING IN ON ANOTHER MILESTONE: Andrew McCutchen is two doubles shy of 400 in his career and two away from 300 as a Pirate...McCutchen ranks seventh all-time in team history in doubles...Paul Waner ranks first with 559, followed by Honus Wagner (556), Roberto Clemente (440), Willie Stargell (423), Max Carey (375) and Pie Traynor (371).

GO WEST YOUNG BUCS: This is the first of three trips to the west coast this season for the Pirates...In addition to this trip to Seattle and San Francisco, the Pirates will also have a seven-game road trip leading up to the All-Star break at Dodger Stadium and Arizona from July 3-9...The team will also return to the west coast from July 21-26 for a six-game road trip against the Padres and Angels.

SETTING UP THE SERIES: This is Pittsburgh's fourth series ever in Seattle and the first since 2016 (the Pirates also visited the Emerald City in 2007 and 2013)...The Pirates are 4-3 all-time at T-Mobile Park...This is also the first time these two teams have met overall since a three-game series at PNC Park from September 17-19, 2019.

MAKE THAT A DOUBLE: Carlos Santana returns to Seattle for the first time since helping the Mariners advance to the American League Division Series in 2022...Santana went deep nine times in 47 games here at T-Mobile Park in 2022...He also comes into today two doubles shy of 350 in his career (he would become the 21st Dominican-born player with 350 career doubles).

THE HOT CORNER: Ke'Bryan Hayes comes into today leading all third basemen in MLB with nine Defensive Runs Saved according to FanGraphs (the next closest player is Toronto's Matt Chapman with five)...Hayes and Mariners third basemen Eugenio Suarez are also the only third basemen in all of MLB with six Outs Above Average according to FanGraphs...Hayes and Luis Robert of the Chicago White Sox each have nine Defensive Runs Saved regardless of position according to FanGraphs...The only player in all of MLB with more is Toronto's Kevin Kiermaier (10).

NATIONAL LEAGUE LEADERS IN ERA SINCE MAY 31, 2022 (MIN. 162 IP)

PITCHER	IP/ER	ERA
Logan Webb	196.0ip/59er	2.71
Zac Gallen	200.1ip/61er	2.74
Julio Urias	183.1ip/56er	2.75
Alex Cobb	170.0ip/52er	2.75
Mitch Keller	183.0ip/60er	2.95

Source: StatsPerform

2023 NATIONAL LEAGUE LEADERS IN ROAD ERA

PITCHER	IP/ER	ERA
Merrill Kelly	27.2ip/5er	1.63
Josiah Gray	36.2ip/9er	2.21
Vince Velasquez	25.2ip/7er	2.45
Alex Cobb	28.0ip/8er	2.57
Anthony DeSclafani	30.2ip/9er	2.64
Braxton Garrett	30.0ip/9er	2.70
Mitch Keller	29.2ip/9er	2.73

Source: StatsPerform

MOST CAREER DOUBLES AMONG ACTIVE PLAYERS

PLAYER	2B
Miguel Cabrera	610
Joey Votto	453
Freddie Freeman	432
Evan Longoria	426
Andrew McCutchen	398
Paul Goldschmidt	398

BUCS WHEN...

Last five games	1-4
Last ten games	4-6
Leading after 6	21-2
Tied after 6	4-3
Trailing after 6	0-19
Leading after 7	23-1
Tied after 7	1-1
Trailing after 7	1-22
Leading after 8	24-0
Tied after 8	1-1
Trailing after 8	0-23
Scoring first	19-6
Opp. score first	6-18
Scoring 4+	21-3
Scoring less than 4	4-21
Outhitting Opp.	18-2
Being out-hit	6-21
Hits are equal	1-1
Comeback wins	8
Wins in final AB	2
Walkoff Wins	1
Walkoff Losses	1
Losses in final AB	1
Extra Inning Games	1-1
Playing errorless	12-14
Homered	19-8
2+ homers	13-1
Series (W-L-T)	6-8-2
Series Sweeps	3
Swept in a Series	2
Interleague	9-14
Before the break	25-24
After the break	0-0
Starter goes 6.0ip+	20-5
Starter goes less than 6.0ip	5-19

ON THIS DATE IN PIRATES HISTORY

May 26, 1971: Steve Blass carried the Pirates to a 2-0 victory over the Reds at Three Rivers Stadium, recording 11 strikeouts while tossing a complete game. The Pirates scored each of their runs in the sixth inning after Roberto Clemente led off with a single and Willie Stargell followed with a two-run homer for his 15th of the season.

UPCOMING GAMES AND PROBABLE PITCHERS

Saturday at Seattle	1:10	RHP Roansy Contreras (3-4, 4.50 ERA) vs. RHP Luis Castillo (3-2, 2.97 ERA)	AT&T SportsNet
Sunday at Seattle	1:10	RHP Luis Ortiz (1-2, 4.02 ERA) vs. LHP Marco Gonzales (4-1, 5.68 ERA)	AT&T SportsNet

23 - RHP MITCH KELLER

YEAR	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2022	5-12	3.91	31	29	0	0	159.0	162	77	69	60	138
2023	5-1	2.44	10	10	1	1	62.2	47	21	17	14	77
M.L. CAREER	17-30	4.59	80	78	1	1	392.0	421	215	200	157	388

MITCH KELLER: The 27-year-old righthander will make his 11th start of the season tonight...He was in line for the win (6.0ip/2er) in his last start but had a no-decision in the team's 4-3 loss Saturday afternoon vs. Arizona.

VS. SEATTLE: 0-1 with a 3.60 ERA in one career start...Gave up two runs in 5.0 innings while losing a 6-0 decision to Marco Gonzales on 9/17/19 at PNC Park.

DATE/OPP	W/L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	PITCHES	ERA	SCORE	DATE/OPP	W/L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	PITCHES	ERA	SCORE		
3/30 at Cincinnati	ND	4.2	5	4	4	4	8	100	7.71	5-4 W													
4/5 at Boston	W	7.0	4	1	1	2	7	107	3.86	4-1 W													
4/11 vs. Houston	ND	6.0	5	2	2	2	7	94	3.57	7-4 W													
4/16 at St. Louis	ND	6.0	7	3	3	2	3	91	3.80	4-5 L													
4/21 vs. Cincinnati	W	6.0	4	2	2	1	5	89	3.64	4-2 W													
4/27 vs. Los Angeles-NL	W	6.0	5	2	2	1	10	97	3.53	6-2 W													
MARCH/APRIL TOTALS (3-0, 3.53 ERA) 35.2											31	14	14	12	40	578							
5/3 at Tampa Bay	L	5.0	5	5	1	1	8	100	3.32	1-8 L													
5/8 vs. Colorado	W	9.0	4	0	0	1	8	103	2.72	2-0 W													
5/14 at Baltimore	W	7.0	4	0	0	0	13	93	2.38	4-0 W													
5/20 vs. Arizona	ND	6.0	3	2	2	0	8	84	2.44	3-4 L													
MAY TOTALS (2-1, 1.00 ERA)											27.0	16	7	3	2	37	380						

KELLER PITCH USAGE, 2023			
PITCH	#	PCT.	VELO
Four-Seam Fastball	240	25.1%	95.5
Cutter	237	24.7%	90.6
Sinker	203	21.2%	94.2
Sweeper	122	12.7%	83.1
Curve	116	12.1%	78.0
Change	40	4.2%	90.7

Source: Baseball Savant

CATCHERS THROWING					
	CS/ATT	%	PICKOFFS	PB	ERA
Delay	3/18	17%	0	1	(172.0ip/79er) 4.14
Hedges	3/23	13%	0	1	(233.2ip/90er) 3.47
Heineman	0/2	0%	0	0	(27.0ip/8er) 2.67

CAUGHT STEALINGS BY PITCHERS	1
PITCHER PICKOFFS	0
SB OFF PITCHERS	2
NO THROWS	0
OTHERS (double steals)	5

TOMORROW'S STARTER	
ROANSY CONTRERAS:	The 23-year-old righthander will make his 10th start of the season tomorrow afternoon...Allowed three runs in 5.0 innings but had a no-decision in his last start; an 8-3 loss Sunday against the Diamondbacks at PNC Park...Has lost three straight decisions since winning for the last time on 4/26 against the Dodgers...Has allowed at least one home run in each of his last four starts; did not allow any in his first five outings in 27.2 innings of work...Has gone 1-2 with a 3.38 ERA (24.0ip/9er) in his four starts on the road...Has limited opposing hitters to a .157 batting average against with his slider (has thrown the pitch 43.0 percent of the time in 2023).
vs. SEATTLE:	Has never faced the Mariners.

2023 HIGHS & LOWS

TEAM BATTING	
Most runs, game, Pirates	16, (4/29 at WAS- game two)
Most runs, game, Opponents	11, (4/8 vs. CWS)
Most runs, inning, Pirates	7, 5/19 vs. ARI (4th)
Most runs, inning, Opponents	5, 4 times, last on 5/9 vs. COL (7th)
Most hits, game, Pirates	19, 4/7 vs. CWS
Most hits, game, Opponents	15, 5/7 vs. TOR
Most hits, inning, Pirates	5, 5 times, last on 5/17 at DET (7th)
Most consec. hits, inning	4, 4 times, last on 4/19 at COL (6th)
Most consec. hits, game	4, 4 times, last on 4/19 at COL
Most hits, inning, Opponents	6, 4/8 vs. CWS (7th)
Fewest hits, game, Pirates	2, 4/9 vs. CWS
Fewest hits, game, Opponents	1, 5/17 at DET
Most doubles, game	6, 4/19 at COL
Most triples, game	2, 4/18 at COL
Most home runs, game, Pirates	3, 4/11 vs. HOU & 4/3 at BOS
Most home runs, game, Opponents	4, 4/7 vs. CWS
Most consecutive games, home run	6, 4/2-8
Most consec. games, HR, Opponents	6, 5/19-23
Most extra-base hits	8, 4/19 at COL & 4/3 vs. CWS
Most consecutive games, extra-base hit	40, 3/30-5/13
Most stolen bases, game, Pirates	6, 4/26 vs. LA
Most stolen bases, game, Opponents	4, 5/5 vs. TOR, 5/2 at TB & 4/15 at STL
Most left on base	11, 5/2 at TB
Most left on base (extra innings)	

TEAM PITCHING	
Most strikeouts, game, Pirates	17, 5/14 at BAL
Most strikeouts, game, Pirates (extra innings)	
Most strikeouts, game, Opponents	13, 5/10 vs. COL & 5/4 at TB
Most strikeouts, game, Opponents (extra innings)	
Most walks, game, Pirates	8, 4/10 vs. HOU
Most walks, game, Pirates (extra innings)	
Most walks, game, Opponents	9, 3/30 at CIN

TEAM MISCELLANEOUS	
Longest winning streak	7 games (4/17-23)
Longest losing streak	7 games (4/30-5/7)
Longest game, innings	10 innings, 4/16 at STL & 4/15 at STL
Longest game, time	3:04, 4/8 vs. CWS
Longest game, time, 9 innings	3:08, 5/10 vs. COL
Shortest game, time, 9 innings	1:55, 5/8 vs. COL
Largest margin of victory	15 runs, 4/29 at WAS - game two (16-1)
Largest margin of defeat	9 runs, 5/9 vs. COL (1-10) & 5/7 vs. TOR (1-10)
Largest come from behind victory	3 runs, 4/18 at COL & 4/7 vs. CWS
Largest come from behind loss	5 runs, 4/25 vs. LA

Largest crowd, home	39,167 (4/7 vs. CWS)
Smallest crowd, home	9,596 (5/8 vs. COL)
Largest crowd, road	44,063 (3/30 at CIN)
Smallest crowd, road	10,325 (5/2 at TB)
Most errors, game, Pirates	3, 5/21 vs. ARI, 5/3 at TB & 4/25 vs. LA
Most errors, game, Opponents	2, 4/17 at COL & 4/5 at BOS
Consecutive innings w/out an error	48.2, 4/13-4/18
Most double plays turned	3, 4 times, last on 5/16 at DET
Rain delays, home (total time)	2, 2 hours
Rain delays, road (total time)	1, 2 hours & 26 minutes
Players used	37

INDIVIDUAL BATTING	
Most hits, game	4, Mathias (4/17 at COL) & Joe (4/7 vs. CWS)
Most consecutive hits	4, Bae (4/5-7)
Most runs, game	3, 8 times, last by Hayes, Reynolds & Delay (4/29 at WAS - game two)
Most 2bs, game	3, Joe (4/7 vs. CWS)
Most 3bs, game	1, 10 times, last by Hayes (5/20 vs. ARI)
Most HR, game	2, Suwinski (4/18 at COL) & Reynolds (4/3 at BOS)
Most extra-base hits	3, Joe (4/7 vs. CWS)
Most total bases	9, Reynolds (4/3 at BOS)
Most RBI, game	6, Reynolds (4/7 vs. CWS)
Most SB, game	3, Bae (4/26 vs. LA)
Most walks, game	3, McCutchen (3/30 at CIN)
Consec. games, home run	3, Reynolds (4/2-4)
Longest hitting streak	11 games, Reynolds (4/22-5/6)
Grand slams	2, Marcano (5/22 vs. TEX) & Suwinski, (4/29 at WAS - game two)
Inside-the-park home runs	
Leadoff home runs	1, Hayes (4/15 at STL)
Walkoff home runs	1, Bae (4/11 vs. HOU)

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING	
Most strikeouts, game	13, Keller (5/14 at BAL)
Longest winning streak	4 games, Velasquez (4/13-29)
Longest losing streak	3 games, Contreras (5/2-13)
Fewest hits, complete game	4, Keller (5/8 vs. COL)
Most walks, game	5, Oviedo (5/12 at BAL)
Most IP, game, starter	9.0, Keller (5/8 vs. COL)
Most IP, game, reliever	2.2, Underwood Jr. (5/16 at DET), Crowe (4/10 vs. HOU) & De Jong (4/8 vs. CWS)
Most consec. scoreless IP	19.0, Velasquez (4/18-5/4)
Most consecutive saves	5, Bednar (4/18-29)

JI HWAN BAE ROAD TRIP: 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 4-11 (.364) 0 HR 0 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 5 games	☹ Went 2-for-3 Tuesday night to extend his hitting streak to five games (8-for-20, .400). ☹ Is 20-for-61 (.328) in his last 17 starts...Ranks fifth among National League rookies in batting (.264). ☹ Has not been charged with an error since making two on 5/3...Has hits in seven of his last 15 at-bats vs. lefties. ☹ Is tied for the NL rookie lead with 14 stolen bases (swiped his last bag on 5/5 against the Blue Jays).	vs. LHP: 12-37 (.324) 0 HR vs. RHP: 22-92 (.239) 2 HR Home: 17-58 (.293) 1 HR Road: 17-71 (.239) 1 HR Last HR: 4/11/23 vs. HOU
RODOLFO CASTRO ROAD TRIP: 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 3-9 (.333) 0 HR 0 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 1 game	☹ Singled in each of his first two at-bats Wednesday against Texas while making the start at second base. ☹ Has made 19 starts at shortstop (last on 5/7), 10 at second base and two at third base (last on 5/5). ☹ His 1.124 OPS against lefties ranks sixth in all of MLB; ranks seventh with a .700 slugging percentage vs. lefties. ☹ Has hit each of his five homers this year off lefties (his last off a righty came against Clay Holmes on 9/20/22).	vs. LHP: 17-50 (.340) 5 HR vs. RHP: 13-64 (.203) 0 HR Home: 14-52 (.269) 2 HR Road: 16-62 (.258) 3 HR Last HR: 5/17/23 at DET
JASON DELAY ROAD TRIP: 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 2-8 (.250) 0 HR 1 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 1 game	☹ Singled in each of his first two at-bats Wednesday while also recording his first RBI since 4/29 (game two). ☹ His 50.7 percent strike rate ranks ninth among all catchers in MLB according to Baseball Savant. ☹ Is 10-for-29 (.345) with a double, triple and five RBI since 4/26...Has gone 10-for-27 (.370) with runners on base. ☹ Threw out two runners attempting to steal against him on 5/4 for the first time in his career.	vs. LHP: 9-20 (.450) 0 HR vs. RHP: 12-44 (.273) 1 HR Home: 11-34 (.324) 0 HR Road: 10-30 (.333) 1 HR Last HR: 4/3/23 at BOS
KE'BRYAN HAYES ROAD TRIP: 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 2-10 (.200) 0 HR 0 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 1 game	☹ Batted third for the second time this season (also 4/9) on Wednesday while going 1-for-4. ☹ His nine Defensive Runs Saved (regardless of position) are the second-most in all of MLB according to FanGraphs. ☹ Has gone 6-for-23 with three doubles, a triple and six RBI in his last six games. ☹ His .985 fielding percentage ranks second in the National League and third in MLB among third basemen.	vs. LHP: 10-43 (.233) 1 HR vs. RHP: 32-138 (.232) 0 HR Home: 23-88 (.261) 0 HR Road: 19-93 (.204) 1 HR Last HR: 4/15/23 at STL
AUSTIN HEDGES ROAD TRIP: 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 1-9 (.111) 0 HR 0 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 0-for-8	☹ Started behind the plate Tuesday night against the Rangers while going hitless in two at-bats. ☹ His 3.47 catcher's ERA ranks third in MLB behind Martin Maldonado (3.21) and Jonah Heim (3.39). ☹ Knocked in three runs on 5/17 at Detroit for the first time since 5/31/22 vs. Kansas City. ☹ Has started behind the plate for each of the team's last three shutouts, including on 5/17 at Detroit.	vs. LHP: 3-25 (.120) 0 HR vs. RHP: 9-53 (.170) 0 HR Home: 6-38 (.158) 0 HR Road: 6-40 (.150) 0 HR Last HR: 9/9/22 at MIN
CONNOR JOE ROAD TRIP: 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 3-9 (.333) 0 HR 1 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 3 games	☹ His avg. of 4.50 pitches per plate appearance ranks third in MLB behind Ha-Seong Kim (4.62) & Patrick Wisdom (4.57). ☹ His .702 slugging percentage against lefties ranks sixth in MLB...Four of his five homers have come off lefties. ☹ Has made 21 starts in right field, six in left and six at first base...Is 17-for-42 (.405) from the fifth spot of the lineup. ☹ Has been charged with two errors in 969.0 innings in 148 games (134 starts) since the beginning of last season.	vs. LHP: 16-47 (.340) 4 HR vs. RHP: 19-85 (.224) 1 HR Home: 15-58 (.259) 2 HR Road: 20-74 (.270) 3 HR Last HR: 5/12/23 at BAL
TUCUPITA MARCANO ROAD TRIP: 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 3-9 (.333) 1 HR 6 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 0-for-3	☹ Hit his first career grand slam Monday off Texas' Joe Barlow while recording a career-high four RBI. ☹ Has gone 7-for-23 (.304) with two doubles, a home run and six RBI in his last nine games. ☹ Eighteen of his 19 hits have come against righthanders (his lone hit off a lefty was on 4/27 off Julio Urias). ☹ Has been charged with one error in 196.2 innings (came while playing at shortstop on 5/9 against Colorado).	vs. LHP: 1-11 (.091) 0 HR vs. RHP: 18-63 (.286) 2 HR Home: 12-43 (.279) 2 HR Road: 7-31 (.226) 0 HR Last HR: 5/22/23 vs. TEX
ANDREW McCUTCHEN ROAD TRIP: 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 4-13 (.308) 0 HR 0 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 0-for-5	☹ Saw his 13-game on-base streak come to an end on Wednesday after going hitless in five at-bats. ☹ Singled leading off Monday's game for his 1500th career hit as a Pirate (one of 12 Pirates to accomplish that). ☹ Is hitting .340 (16-for-47) with a .415 on-base percentage in his last 12 games beginning on 5/9. ☹ Is 10-for-33 with three walks in eight games out of the leadoff spot (hit there for the first time this year on 5/14).	vs. LHP: 10-43 (.233) 3 HR vs. RHP: 30-108 (.278) 4 HR Home: 22-72 (.306) 3 HR Road: 18-79 (.228) 4 HR Last HR: 5/10/23 vs. COL
CHRIS OWINGS ROAD TRIP: 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 2-11 (.182) 0 HR 0 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 2 games	☹ Started at shortstop Wednesday afternoon against the Rangers and went 1-for-4. ☹ Has made five starts at shortstop and one appearance in center field with the Pirates. ☹ Singled in his first at-bat in his Pirates debut on 5/8 while making the start at shortstop. ☹ Was hitting .273 with five doubles, two homers and four RBI in 13 games with Indianapolis when he was promoted.	vs. LHP: 3-12 (.250) 0 HR vs. RHP: 0-6 (.000) 0 HR Home: 2-11 (.182) 0 HR Road: 1-7 (.143) 0 HR Last HR: 7/11/21 at SD
JOSH PALACIOS ROAD TRIP: 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 5-9 (.556) 0 HR 3 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 3 games	☹ Extended his hitting streak to three games Tuesday night after singling in his second at-bat of the game. ☹ Recorded a career-high three RBI on 5/19 (his three hits were also his most since a career-high four on 4/10/21). ☹ Was selected by the Pirates in the Minor League phase of the Rule 5 Draft from Washington this past offseason. ☹ Was hitting .434 (23-for-53) with 4 doubles, a triple, 4 HR and 20 RBI in 13 games at Indy when he was promoted.	vs. LHP: 0-1 (.000) 0 HR vs. RHP: 5-17 (.294) 0 HR Home: 5-12 (.417) 0 HR Road: 0-3 (.000) 0 HR Last HR: No MLB HR
BRYAN REYNOLDS ROAD TRIP: 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 3-11 (.273) 0 HR 1 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 0-for-5	☹ Has gone 15-for-42 (.357) with six doubles and a .417 OBP in his last 11 games on the road. ☹ Homered on 5/19 for the first time since 4/7 (his four RBI were also his most since collecting six on 4/7). ☹ Has been charged with one error in 41 games in left field (his other error came as a center fielder on 4/3). ☹ His 28 RBI out of the second spot of the lineup ranks fourth in all of MLB (Matt Olson is first with 37).	vs. LHP: 11-47 (.234) 1 HR vs. RHP: 40-134 (.299) 5 HR Home: 20-88 (.227) 2 HR Road: 31-93 (.333) 4 HR Last HR: 5/19/23 vs. ARI
CARLOS SANTANA ROAD TRIP: 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 2-10 (.200) 0 HR 1 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 1 game	☹ Was a member of Seattle's playoff team last season...Homered nine times at T-Mobile Park last season. ☹ Is 11-for-11 in stolen base attempts since 2019 (has gone 5-for-5 this season). ☹ Is two doubles shy of 350 in his career (will be the 21st player from the Dominican Republic to accomplish that). ☹ His four Defensive Runs Saved are the most among all first basemen in MLB according to FanGraphs.	vs. LHP: 12-39 (.308) 0 HR vs. RHP: 27-127 (.213) 2 HR Home: 17-84 (.202) 1 HR Road: 22-82 (.268) 1 HR Last HR: 4/7/23 vs. CWS
JACK SUWINSKI ROAD TRIP: 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 1-11 (.091) 0 HR 1 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 0-for-10	☹ Has started 17 of the team's last 18 games in center field (did not start there on 5/17). ☹ Ranks 11th in MLB in walk percentage (15.5%) per FanGraphs...Is hitting .303 (10-for-33) with RISP. ☹ Is seeing an average of 4.36 pitches per plate appearance, which ranks eighth in all of MLB. ☹ Has not been charged with an error in 334.0 innings in 40 appearances (38 starts) in the outfield.	vs. LHP: 5-30 (.167) 0 HR vs. RHP: 23-98 (.235) 7 HR Home: 15-75 (.200) 3 HR Road: 13-53 (.245) 4 HR Last HR: 5/6/23 vs. TOR

DAVID BEDNAR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Had his scoreless streak of 12.0 innings end Monday after allowing a two-run homer in the ninth in a non-save situation vs. Texas. Ranks sixth among National League relievers in ERA (1.50)...Is second among MLB relievers in strikeout-to-walk ratio (24.00). Has been scored upon twice in his first 18 outings...Has made eight scoreless appearances (8.0ip) on the road. Picked up his ninth save in game one of the 4/29 doubleheader at Washington...Is 9-for-10 in save opportunities (only blown save on 4/11).
BA AGAINST: 14-69 .203 INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED: 0/0 1ST BAT FACED/RET: 18/14	

JOSE HERNANDEZ	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Has the second-lowest ERA (2.75) among National League rookie relievers; is also third among NL rookie relievers in strikeouts (21). Tossed 1.2 scoreless innings in his last appearance Tuesday night against Texas while allowing one of his two inherited runners to score. Was charged with his first loss (0.1ip/2h/2r) on 5/12 at Baltimore...His two home runs allowed came in back-to-back outings on 5/3-4 Was selected by the Pirates in last year's Rule Five Draft from the Dodgers organization (pitched in High-A and Double-A in 2022).
BA AGAINST: 16-73 .219 INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED: 6/2 1ST BAT FACED/RET: 18/16	

COLIN HOLDERMAN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Faced a total of five batters while working a scoreless ninth inning in his last appearance Wednesday against the Rangers. Has made seven straight scoreless appearances (6.1ip) since allowing a season-high three runs in his loss on 4/25 vs. the Dodgers. Has surrendered just one home run in the first 46.2 innings of his career...Has 20 strikeouts in his last 13 outings (12.1ip). Made eight straight scoreless appearances to begin the season...Has not allowed a run in nine appearances (9.0ip) on the road.
BA AGAINST: 18-71 .254 INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED: 1/0 1ST BAT FACED/RET: 19/13	

DAURI MORETA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Struck out two of the four batters he faced in 1.1 scoreless innings in his last appearance Wednesday afternoon vs. Texas. His 33 strikeouts are tied for the fourth-most among National League relievers (Cincinnati's Alexis Diaz leads the way - 35). Has allowed one run in 10.2 innings in his 10 appearances on the road...Has allowed one hit in 10.2 innings in nine games this month. Has a total of 22 strikeouts in his last 11 appearances (14.1ip)...Has allowed just one of his 15 inherited runners to score (came on 5/12).
BA AGAINST: 9-75 .120 INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED: 15/1 1ST BAT FACED/RET: 20/15	

YOHAN RAMIREZ	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Had his 9.0 inning scoreless streak come to an end on 5/21 after allowing one run in 2.0 innings against Arizona. Ranks ninth among National League relievers in ERA (1.69)...Has an 0.90 ERA (10.0ip/1er) in six appearances this month. Has allowed two hits in 15 at-bats with runners in scoring position...Has a 1.50 ERA (12.0ip/2er) in his six multi-inning appearances. Has 11 strikeouts in his last five appearances (9.0ip)...Has allowed one hit in 16 at-bats against his sweeper (has thrown it 66 times).
BA AGAINST: 13-59 .220 INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED: 3/0 1ST BAT FACED/RET: 10/7	

ROBERT STEPHENSON	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Needed three pitches to strike out the only batter he faced (Texas' Marcus Semien) and strand his three inherited runners on Wednesday. Was charged with his first blown save and second loss (0.2ip/2r/1hr) in his outing on 5/20 against Arizona. Has been scored upon in four of his last eight appearances...Began the year on the injured list before being reinstated on 4/14. Made eight scoreless appearances (6.0ip) to begin the year (allowed just three hits in 21 at-bats during the month of April).
BA AGAINST: 11-46 .239 INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED: 13/3 1ST BAT FACED/RET: 16/12	

DUANE UNDERWOOD, JR.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Worked the final 2.0 innings Tuesday vs. Texas; allowed a solo home run to Josh Jung while also striking out a pair of batters. Made seven straight scoreless appearances (9.1ip) from 4/16 to 5/4 while allowing four hits in 29 at-bats during the stretch. Picked up his first win of the season on 4/3 at Boston...Recorded his second save of the season on 4/22 vs. the Reds. Has tossed multiple innings seven times this season (has been scored upon twice in those seven outings).
BA AGAINST: 24-85 .282 INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED: 8/5 1ST BAT FACED/RET: 19/12	

ROB ZASTRYZNY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Allowed a leadoff single while facing a total of three batters in 0.2 scoreless inning in his last outing on Wednesday vs. Texas. Was reinstated from the injured list on 5/19...Allowed one run in 1.1 innings on 5/21 in his first appearance with the Pirates since 4/15. Has been scored upon in three of his last five outings...Made this year's team after attending spring training as a non-roster invitee. Worked 1.1 scoreless innings while earning the win in his Pirates debut on Opening Day in Cincinnati (his first win since 6/19/18).
BA AGAINST: 8-28 .286 INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED: 1/0 1ST BAT FACED/RET: 9/4	

		Runs By Inning										
		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	Xtra	Total
Bucs		25	35	24	34	20	20	24	11	15	4	212
Opps		41	12	27	17	18	19	29	20	14	2	199

THE LAST TIME...	
The Pirates Hit Back-to-Back HRs.....	done three times in 2023, last on 4/27/23 vs. LA (Joe & Castro)
The Pirates Hit a Grand Slam	done twice in 2023, last on 5/22/23 vs. TEX (Marcano)
The Pirates Hit an Inside-The-Park HR.....	5/21/22 at STL (Reynolds)
The Pirates Hit a Leadoff HR.....	4/15/23 at STL (Hayes)
The Pirates Hit Back-to-Back HR's Leading Off Game	9/23/20 vs. CHI (Frazier & Hayes)
The Pirates Hit a Leadoff Inside-The-Park HR.....	4/20/12 vs. STL (Presley)
The Pirates Hit a Pinch-Hit Grand Slam.....	8/24/19 vs. CIN (Moran)
The Pirates Hit Three HR's in One Inning.....	5/7/22 at CIN - 2 (Reynolds, Tsutsugo & Castillo)
The Pirates Hit Three Consecutive HR's in One Inning.....	5/24/17 at ATL (Freese, Osuna & Mercer)
The Pirates Hit Four HR's in One Inning.....	8/20/03 at STL (Sanders-2, Kendall & Giles)
The Pirates Hit Five Home Runs in a Game	6/30/22 vs. MIL (Perez-3, Cruz & Suwinski)
The Pirates Hit Six Home Runs in a Game	4/14/14 at CIN
The Pirates Hit Seven Home Runs in a Game	8/20/03 at STL (club record, done 3 times)
The Pirates Allowed A Leadoff HR.....	India, 4/1/23 at CIN
The Pirates Were Walked Off	4/16/23 at STL
The Pirates Were Walked Off By A Home Run	Stanton, 9/20/22 at NY
A Pirate Hit A HR Into The Allegheny River.....	Cruz, 9/6/22 vs. NY
A Position Player Pitched Against The Pirates.....	done 4 times in 2023, last by Herrera, 5/19/23 vs. ARI

2023 Walkoff Wins	
1. Ji Hwan Bae	three-run home run in 9th (4/11 vs HOU)

	Pirates vs. Seattle									
	2023					CAREER				
	AVG	AB	H	HR	RBI	AVG	AB	H	HR	RBI
Bae	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0
Castro	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0
Delay	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0
Hayes	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0
Hedges	.000	0	0	0	0	.204	54	11	2	6
Joe	.000	0	0	0	0	.400	5	2	1	2
Marcano	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0
McCutchen	.000	0	0	0	0	.254	59	15	3	10
Owings	.000	0	0	0	0	.186	43	8	0	3
Palacios	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0
Reynolds	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	7	0	0	0
Santana	.000	0	0	0	0	.202	218	44	4	20
Suwinski	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0
	W-L-S	ERA	G	IP	ER	W-L-S	ERA	G	IP	ER
Bednar	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0	0-0-0	9.00	1	2.0	2
Contreras	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0
Hernandez	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0
Hill	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0	4-0-0	3.38	15	50.2	19
Holderman	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0	0-0-0	0.00	1	1.0	0
Keller	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0	0-1-0	3.60	1	5.0	2
Moreta	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0
Ortiz	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0
Oviedo	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0
Ramirez	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0
Stephenson	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0	0-0-0	0.00	1	1.0	0
Underwood Jr.	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0	0-0-0	0.00	1	1.0	0
Zastrzny	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0

2023 Injured List (11 players, 11 appearances)				
Player (injury)	On IL	Date Eligible	Off IL	^ Games Missed
Max Kranick (TJ surgery on 6/3/22) *	3/8	5/7	---	25-24
JT Brubaker (R elbow discomfort)*	3/30 (retro to 3/27)	5/26	---	25-24
Jarlín García (nerve injury in upper L arm)*	3/30	5/29	---	25-24
Robert Stephenson (R elbow inflammation)	3/30 (retro to 3/27)	4/11	4/14	8-5
Austin Hedges (concussion)	4/4	4/11	4/14	6-3
Oneil Cruz (L ankle fracture)*	4/10	6/9	---	19-21
Chase De Jong (lumbar spine muscle strain)	4/14 (retro to 4/13)	4/28	5/5	12-7
Ji Man Choi (L Achilles tendon strain)*	4/15 (retro to 4/14)	6/13	---	17-18
Rob Zastryzny (L elbow discomfort)	4/16	5/1	5/19	14-14
Wil Crowe (R shoulder discomfort)*	4/26 (retro to 4/23)	6/22	---	9-16
Vince Velasquez (R elbow inflammation)	5/5	5/20	---	5-12
* 60-day		^ Team record in games missed		

2023 Ejections	
1. 4/19 at COL	Bryan Reynolds by Adam Beck (arguing balls and strikes)
2. 5/3 at TB	Derek Shelton by Adrian Johnson (pitch clock disagreement)
3. 5/16 at DET	Tucupita Marcano by Paul Emmel (arguing balls and strikes)

MOST RECENT TRANSACTIONS

DATE	TRANSACTION
4/2	Edwin Uceta (RHP) claimed off waivers from Detroit and optioned to Indianapolis... JT Brubaker (RHP) transferred from 15- to 60-day injured list.
4/4	Austin Hedges (C) placed on seven-day concussion injured list... Tyler Heineman (C) selected from Indianapolis... Edwin Uceta (RHP) designated for assignment... Ryan Vilade (OF) cleared waivers and outrighted to Indianapolis.
4/6	Edwin Uceta (RHP) claimed off waivers by New York (NL).
4/10	Oneil Cruz (INF) placed on 10-day injured list... Mark Mathias (INF) recalled from Indianapolis.
4/11	Eli Villalobos (RHP) claimed off waivers from Miami and optioned to Indianapolis... Oneil Cruz (INF) transferred from 10- to 60-day injured list.
4/14	Austin Hedges (C) activated from concussion injured list... Tyler Heineman (C) optioned to Indianapolis... Chase De Jong placed on 15-day injured list (retro to 4/13)... Robert Stephenson (RHP) rehab assignment completed with Indianapolis and reinstated from 15-day injured list.
4/15	Ji Man Choi (INF) placed on 10-day injured list (retro to 4/14)... Tucupita Marcano (INF) recalled from Indianapolis.
4/16	Rob Zastryzny (LHP) placed on 15-day injured list... Yohan Ramirez (RHP) recalled from Indianapolis.
4/23	Bryan Reynolds (OF) placed on MLB bereavement list... Drew Maggi (INF) selected from Altoona... Ji Man Choi transferred from 10- to 60-day injured list.
4/25	Chase De Jong (RHP) begins rehab assignment with Indianapolis.
4/26	Bryan Reynolds (OF) reinstated from MLB bereavement list... Canaan Smith-Njigba (OF) optioned to Indianapolis... Cody Bolton selected from Indianapolis... Wil Crowe placed on 15-day injured list (retro to 4/23)... Tyler Heineman (C) designated for assignment.
4/29	Miguel Andujar (OF) selected from Indianapolis... Drew Maggi (INF) optioned to Altoona... Wil Crowe (RHP) transferred from 15- to 60-day injured list... Drew Maggi (INF) appointed as 27th man for doubleheader... Drew Maggi optioned to Altoona.
4/30	Tyler Heineman (C) traded to Toronto... Vinny Capra (INF) acquired from Toronto and optioned to Indianapolis.
5/5	Vince Velasquez (RHP) placed on 15-day injured list... Chase De Jong rehab with Triple-A Indianapolis ended and reinstated from 15-day injured list... Drew Maggi (INF) outrighted off 40-man roster to Double-A Altoona.
5/8	Chris Owings (INF) selected from Indianapolis... Mark Mathias (INF) optioned to Indianapolis... Luis Ortiz (RHP) added to taxi squad.
5/9	Luis Ortiz (RHP) recalled from taxi squad... Josh Palacios (OF) selected from Indianapolis... Cody Bolton (RHP) optioned to Indianapolis... Chase De Jong (RHP) designated for assignment.
5/16	Rob Zastryzny (LHP) begins rehab assignment with Indianapolis.
5/19	Rob Zastryzny (LHP) reinstated from 15-day injured list... Miguel Andujar (OF) designated for assignment.
5/20	Vince Velasquez (RHP) begins rehab assignment with Indianapolis.
5/23	Miguel Andujar (OF) outrighted to Indianapolis.