GAME INFORMATION

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ATLANTA BRAVES (1-2) vs. MINNESOTA TWINS (2-0)

RH Mike Foltynewicz (8-6, 4.54 in 2019) vs. RH Jhoulys Chacín (3-12, 6.01 in 2019)

Spring Training Game No. 4 • Spring Training Home Game No. 3

February 25, 2020 • CoolToday Park • North Port, Fla. • Braves Radio Network

TODAY'S GAME: The Braves and Twins meet for the first of four times this spring...The other three meetings between the clubs come in a six-day span, from March 11 to March 17...The clubs do not meet in the regular season.

The two teams last played in the regular season last August at Target Field in Minneapolis...The Braves won two of the three games.

CAMP BREAKDOWN: The Braves have 68 active players in camp, 34 of whom are pitchers (12 left-handers and 22 right-handers)... Atlanta also has 16 infielders, 11 outfielders and seven catchers in camp...There are 28 non-roster invitees (10 infielders, 10 pitchers, five outfielders and three catchers)...The club had 60 players in camp last season.

- The Braves signed nine players to major-league contracts this winter...Atlanta signed C Travis d'Arnaud, LH Cole Hamels, OF Marcell Ozuna and LH Will Smith...Those four players have combined for seven All-Star appearances (Hamels - 4, Ozuna - 2, Smith -1)...Atlanta also re-signed RHs Chris Martin and Darren O'Day, along with C Tyler Flowers, INF Adeiny Hechavarría and OF Nick Markakis.
- Atlanta has five of MLB.com's Top 100 prospects in camp...OFs Cristian Pache (No. 13) and Drew Waters (No. 26) are tabbed as the club's top two prospects...RH Ian Anderson (No. 37), RH Kyle Wright (No. 52) and C Shea Langeliers (No. 70), three first-round draft selections, are also with the major-league club this spring.

97 WINS: The Braves finished with a record of 97-65 last season, the franchise's 12th 95-win season since Major League Baseball went to a 162game schedule for both leagues in 1962...The 97 victories were the club's most since 2003 (101 wins) and the fifth most in baseball in 2019.

The 12 total 95-win seasons since 1962 are tied for the most in the National League with Los Angeles, who also had one last season...The only team in baseball with more such seasons than the Braves is the Yankees, who have won at least 95 games 23 times since the advent of the 162-game schedule for both leagues in 1962.

19 IN '19: The Braves clinched the 19th division title in franchise history this season, beating San Francisco, 6-0 on September 20 at SunTrust Park to win the National League East...The 19 division titles are tied for the most in major league history with New York (AL)...This season also marks the franchise's 25th postseason berth in the modern era and its second straight.

SILVER SLUGGERS: OF Ronald Acuña Jr., 2B Ozzie Albies and 1B Freddie Freeman each won a National League Louisville Slugger Silver Slugger award last season, the first such honor of their careers... Atlanta was the only team in the majors to have three recipients.

Acuña Jr. and Albies were the first teammates in major league history age 22 or younger to win Silver Sluggers in the same season.

NEW HOME: After spending the last 22 springs training at the ESPN Wide World of Sports Complex in Lake Buena Vista, Fla., the Braves are spending their first full-time season at their new state-of-the-art facility, CoolToday Park...Atlanta played their final spring game here last season, beating Tampa Bay, 4-2, on March 24 in front of 7,067 fans.

- CoolToday Park will feature six full and two half practice fields, a 55,000 square-foot clubhouse, 6,200 fixed seats and 1,000 berm
- The Braves have called Florida home for each of the last 74 springs (since 1946)...Atlanta is tied for the longest consecutive run of training in Florida of any team in baseball...The Cardinals, Phillies and Tigers have also trained in Florida in each year since 1946.

NO EXTRA-BASE HITS: The Braves have 18 hits in three games this spring, and all have been singles...INFs Ozzie Albies and Dansby Swanson are tied for the team lead with two hits.

TOMORROW'S STARTER: LHP Sean Newcomb is set to make his spring debut tomorrow in Sarasota against Baltimore...Newcomb pitched primarly in relief last season for the first time in his career...He went 6-3 with a 3.16 ERA (24 ER/68.1 IP) in 55 games, four starts... In his 51 relief apperances, pitched to a 3.04 ERA (18 ER/53.1 IP).

Recent Braves Transactions

February 17: Opened major league spring training camp with 68 players.

January 21: Signed OF Marcell Ozuna to a one-year contract.

January 16: Signed INF Adeiny Hechavarría to a one-year contract.

Spring Training Results and Schedule

	Time/	Probable Pitchers/				
Date/Opp.	Result	Winner-Loser-Save	Record	Attendance	Braves HRs	Highlights
2/22 vs. Baltimore	W, 5-0	Hernández-Shepherd-None	1-0	6,831	None	Braves shutout Orioles in Grapefruit League opener
2/23 vs. Detroit	L, 5-1	Nova-Wilson-None	1-1	6,947	None	Atlanta was held to four hits in its first defeat
2/24 at Toronto	L, 4-3	Giles-Anderson-Baker	1-2	6,335	None	All three of Atlanta's runs came with two outs in the first inning
2/25 vs. Minnesota	1:05 PM	RHP Mike Foltynewicz vs. R	HP Jhoulys Chaci	ín		
2/26 at Baltimore	1:05 PM	LHP Sean Newcomb vs. LHP	Bruce Zimmerm	ann		
2/27 vs. St. Louis	1:05 PM	RHP Félix Hernández vs. RH	IP Jack Flaherty			
2/28 at Philadelphia	1:05 PM					
vs. New York (AL)	1:05 PM					
2/29 at Tampa Bay	6:05 PM					
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3/7 vs. Tampa Bay	1:05 PM					
3/8 at New York (AL)	1:05 PM					
3/9 vs. Boston	6:05 PM					
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Probable Pitchers

Mike Foltynewicz • RHP • 6-4 • 195 • 28 yrs • #26

- In 21 starts for the Braves last season, went 8-6 with a 4.54 ERA.
- Pitched to a 6.37 ERA (42 ER/59.1 IP) in 11 starts to open the season...
 Was then optioned to Triple-A...Returned to Atlanta on 8/5, and posted a 2.65 ERA (17 ER/57.2 IP) over his final 10 starts.
- Started Game 2 and Game 5 of the NLDS against St. Louis...Pitched 7.0 shutout innings in Game 2, and recorded just one out in Game 5.

Kyle Wright • RHP • 6-4 • 215 • 24 yrs • #30

- Rated by MLB.com as Atlanta's second-best pitching prospect (behind RH Ian Anderson), and the 52nd overall prospect in the game.
- Split last season between Atlanta and Triple-A Gwinnett...Made the Braves'
 Opening Day roster and appeared in seven total games for Atlanta...Went
 0-3 with an 8.69 ERA (19 ER/19.2 IP) in those games.
- In Triple-A, won 11 games, the most among Braves' farmhands.

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