



# GAME NOTES

# St. Louis Cardinals



## St. Louis Cardinals (31-28) vs. Cincinnati Reds (27-29)

Game No. 60 • Home Game No. 29 • Busch Stadium • Sunday, June 6, 2021

RHP John Gant (4-3, 1.60) vs. LHP Wade Miley (5-4, 3.26)

### RECORD BREAKDOWN

All-Time Overall .....	10,199-9,683
2021 Overall.....	31-28
Under Mike Shildt .....	193-154
Busch Stadium .....	15-13
On the Road .....	16-15
Day .....	12-11
Night.....	19-17
Spring.....	8-10-6
April.....	14-12
May.....	16-12
June.....	1-4
July.....	n/a
August.....	n/a
September/October.....	n/a
Monday.....	3-4
Tuesday .....	5-2
Wednesday.....	4-6
Thursday .....	5-2
Friday.....	4-4
Saturday .....	6-4
Sunday .....	3-6
Scoring First .....	23-7
Opponent Scores First.....	8-21
One-Run Games .....	7-5
Two-Run Games .....	6-5
Scoring 2 or fewer Runs.....	4-16
Scoring 3 Runs .....	3-7
Scoring 4 or more Runs .....	24-5
Scoring in 3 or fewer innings..	26-26
Scoring in 4 or more innings .....	5-2
vs. Right-Handed Starter .....	24-25
vs. Left-Handed Starter.....	7-3
Series Openers .....	11-8
Series Finales.....	8-10
Homestand Openers .....	4-1
Homestand Finales.....	2-2
Road Trip Openers.....	3-3
Road Trip Finales .....	2-4
Following Off-Days.....	3-4
Out-Hit Opponents .....	21-6
Out-Hit by Opponents.....	7-21
Final At-Bat Decisions .....	5-3
Come-from-Behind W/L.....	6/6
Walk-off Wins/Losses.....	1-0
In Errorless Games .....	19-14
Commit at Least One Error.....	12-14
Extra Innings .....	3-1
Shutouts .....	5-2
Leading after 7 innings.....	26-1
Tied after 7 innings.....	3-1
Trailing after 7 innings.....	1-25
Leading after 8 innings.....	26-0
Tied after 8 innings.....	4-1
Trailing after 8 innings.....	0-26
Two-Game Series .....	1-0-0
Two-Game Series Sweeps .....	1-0
Three-Game Series .....	5-9
Three-Game Series Sweeps.....	4-1
Four-Game Series .....	1-1-2
Four-Game Series Sweeps.....	n/a
Five-Game Series .....	n/a
Five-Game Series Sweeps .....	n/a
Runs via Home Run .....	113
Opponent runs via Home Run.....	79
Central Division .....	13-10
Interleague.....	1-2
Doubleheaders.....	0-0-1 (1-1)
STL Review Challenges: .....	4-5
(Overturned-Stands/Confirmed)	

**RECENT REDBIRDS:** The St. Louis Cardinals and division-rival Cincinnati Reds conclude a four-game series today from Busch Stadium ... After tomorrow's off day, the Cardinals continue their six-game, seven-day, Buckeye-State homestand by welcoming the Cleveland Indians for a two-game Interleague series ... Today is the final game of 17 straight days without an off-day for St. Louis (6-10 record); the club's second of two stretches of 17 straight games this season (went MLB-best 13-4 from April 23-May 9).

**FLIGHT PATTERN:** St. Louis has dropped four in a row and six of its last seven to enter today in third place in the NL Central, 1.5 games behind Chicago and Milwaukee ... The last time the Cardinals lost five in a row was during a five-game West Coast road trip through Oakland (0-2) and LA Dodgers (0-3) from Aug. 3-7, 2018 ... The last time St. Louis dropped five straight at home was Sept. 24, 2018-April 6, 2019 vs. the Brewers (0-3) and Diamondbacks (0-2).

**AVOIDING THE BROOM:** With a win today, the Cardinals would avoid their second series sweep of the season (May 14-16 at San Diego) and first sweep to the Reds since June 5-8, 2017 at Cincinnati (4g), which is also the last time St. Louis was swept in any four-game series ... The last time the Cardinals were swept in a four-game series by the Reds in St. Louis was May 4-7, 1990 at Busch II ... Since Busch III opened in 2006, St. Louis has been swept in a four-game series at home only twice: July 21-24, 2008 by the Brewers and June 5-8, 2009 by the Rockies.

**DEJONG REHABS IN MEMPHIS:** Shortstop Paul DeJong began his injury rehabilitation assignment with Memphis (AAA) yesterday while recovering from a left rib non-displaced fracture ... In five innings, DeJong went 1-for-3 with a double, run scored, and a strikeout (called) with no defensive chances.

**M\*A\*S\*H:** The Cardinals currently have 10 players on the injured list, most since 10 Cardinals were inactive on Sept. 11, 2020 (4 on 10-day; 4 on 45-day; 2 on COVID-19) ... Seattle currently has 15 players on the injured list, most in MLB ... This season, 17 different Cardinals have spent time on the injured list.

**FROGGER:** John Gant owns the majors 2nd-largest difference in expected ERA at -3.52 (1.60 vs. 5.12), earning the moniker "Frogger" from manager Mike Shildt for ability to get around base traffic ... For a 2nd time this season, Johnny G boasts MLB's longest active homerless innings streak (40.2 innings, 179 batters faced), with his only home run allowed in 2021 being a Bryce Harper solo job in the 1st inning on April 18 at Philadelphia that ended a then MLB-leading homerless streak of 45.0 IP dating back July 18, 2019.

**BOOKEND BASHERS:** St. Louis leads the NL in 1st inning hits (68) and doubles (18) while ranking 2nd in batting (.285), slugging (.490), OPS (.834), and total bases (117) and 3rd in runs (40), as Tommy Edman paces the NL in opening frame doubles (6) while sharing lead in hits (17), triples (2) and runs (13) ... In the 9th inning, St. Louis leads the NL in extra-base hits (16), runs (23), doubles (9) and shares the lead in RBI (21) and total bases (67) ... **MIDDLE:** In the first and 9th innings combined, the Cardinals' 107 hits (.262) are 2nd-most in MLB behind only Houston (115, .293) ... In innings 2-8, St. Louis's combined 335 hits (.220) rank 26th in MLB.

**SAVE CRAVE:** Alex Reyes has converted 18 consecutive saves to begin his career (16-for-16 this season) and ranks 3rd all-time behind LaTroy Hawkins (23) & Tippy Martinez (22) ... Despite a 1.38 WHIP, Reyes has MLB's lowest BA w/ RISP (.045) and the NL's lowest w/ runners on base (.081).

**BIRD SEED:** Matt Carpenter is one walk away from reaching 681 for his career, tying Lou Brock (1964-79) for 6th in franchise history; his next walk against the Reds will be the 101st of his career, his most against any opponent and tying Andrew McCutchen for most among active players ... Tyler O'Neill (18-48, .375/.412/.813) has reached base safely in a career-best 13 consecutive games since May 14 (tied for 6th-longest active in NL) ... Tommy Edman leads MLB with 26 hits with 2 outs, while Nolan Arenado's 17 RBI w/ 2 outs rank T4th in the NL.

### CINCINNATI CONNECTIONS

Daniel Ponce de Leon (38th round in 2012) and Tyler Webb (48th round in 2011) were both selected by the Reds, but did not sign.

Daniel Ponce de Leon (July 23, 2018 at GABP) and Alex Reyes (August 9, 2016 at Busch) made their MLB debuts vs. Cincinnati.

Mike Maddux was born in Dayton, Ohio...originally selected by the Reds in the 36th round of the 1979 MLB draft, but did not sign to attend the University of Texas at El Paso.

David Bell served as a Cardinals assistant hitting (2014) and bench coach (2015-17)...played four seasons with St. Louis (1995-98)...traded by Cleveland with Pepe McNeal and Rick Heiserman to St. Louis for Ken Hill (July 27, 1995).

Cardinals Hall of Famer Scott Rolen played his final four seasons with the Reds (2009-12), where he was a 2010 Gold Glove Award winner and two-time All-Star (2010-11).

Reds outfielder Scott Heineman's older brother, Tyler Heineman, is a catcher for AAA-Memphis.

Reds Asst. Hitting Coach Joe Mather was selected by St. Louis in the 3rd round of the 2001 MLB draft...played parts of two years with St. Louis (2008, '10).

Reds Executive Advisor to the CEO Walt Jocketty served as the Cardinals GM for 13 seasons (1995-2007)...during tenure, St. Louis compiled seven NL Central Division championships (1996, 2000-02, '04-'06), two NL Championships ('04, '06), and one World Series Championship ('06)...named MLB Executive of the Year (2000, '04, '10).

Reds broadcaster Jeff Brantley pitched in 48 games for St. Louis in 1998.

Max Schrock played in 11 games for the Cardinals in 2020...acquired by St. Louis with Yairo Muñoz from Oakland in exchange for Stephen Piscotty (Dec. 14, 2017).

Reds first base coach Delino DeShields played two seasons with St. Louis (1997-98).

Cardinals Hall of Famer Jim Edmonds played 13 games for the Reds in his final season (2010).

Cardinals Hall of Famer Vince Coleman played in 33 games for the Reds in 1996.

Cardinals Principal Owner and Chief Executive Officer William DeWitt Jr. was a prior owner of the Reds and shareholder of the Cincinnati Bengals...his father, William O. DeWitt, was a sole owner of the Reds from 1961-67.

Reds Special Asst. to the GM Marty Maier spent 24 seasons with St. Louis as an area scout, Latin American coordinator, asst. director of scouting, scouting director and special asst. to the GM.

Reds pro scout Bruce Manno worked in the Cardinals for six seasons as Director of Player Development (2002-06) and Senior Director of Pro Scouting & Special Assistant to the GM (2007).

Reds Bullpen Coach Lee Tunnell pitched in 32 games for St. Louis in 1987.

Reds Special Assistant to the GM, Player Personnel Cam Bonifay played two minor league seasons with the Cardinals...later worked for St. Louis as a professional scout and special assistant.

Reds Player Performance Special Asst. Eric Davis played two seasons (1999-2000) for St. Louis.

Reds Special Assistant to the GM John Morris played five seasons for St. Louis (1986-90).

Reds CEO Robert Castellini, Chairman W. Joseph Williams Jr. and Vice Chairman Thomas Williams were Cardinals investors from 1995-2006...interests were sold as a condition of their acquisition of a controlling ownership stake of the Reds.

### UPCOMING SCHEDULE & PROBABLE PITCHERS

All times are St. Louis (Central)

Monday, June 7	OPEN DATE IN ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI	RHP Shane Bieber (6-3, 3.08)	BSM // KMOX // WIJR
Tuesday, June 8 7:15 p.m.	Cleveland Indians RHP Carlos Martínez (3-5, 5.83)	RHP Jean Carlos Mejia (1-0, 0.00)	BSM // KMOX // WIJR
Wednesday, June 9 7:15 p.m.	Cleveland Indians RHP Adam Wainwright (3-5, 4.19)		
Thursday, June 10	OPEN DATE IN CHICAGO, ILLINOIS		





## DAILY BATTING LOGS

PLAYER	Season High Hit Streak	5/24	5/25	5/26	5/27	5/28	5/29	5/30	5/31	6/1	6/2	6/3	6/4	6/5	6/6	6/8
		@CWS	@CWS	@CWS	@AZ	@AZ	@AZ	@AZ	@LAD	@LAD	@LAD	CIN	CIN	CIN	CIN	CLE
Arenado	9G (4/1-11)	oooo	12ko	koo2	oo21o	o4ooF	khook		kdko	0ooo	o2	0ooo	ook	11o1		
Bader*	5G (5/7-5/12)	k														
Carlson	7G (5/3-5/9)	oooo	kFo1	kook	owooo	wo2oo	oooocw	4oo1	oo4o	11ok	k14k	oowk	k1k21	ko00		
Carpenter	2G (2x)	wook	o12w		k	k		k2o2		e	oo	wkk1	ook2	kwok		
Dean^	2G (4/10-11)															
DeJong*	6G (4/12-19)															
Edman	12G (4/4-17)	oowk	o10ok	o4o4	o1000	ww1oo	h1oe2	o	2oeo	21oko	okook	1001k	ekko2	2000		
Goldschmidt	8G (5/8-16)	ow1e	1ood	hok1	kw2ko	Fokwe	1wwdo	kcok	ewoo	2koo	4k	w	oc1wk	k3ko		
Knizner	2G (2x)			o0ww				2k1k			kk1o		w	ook		
Molina	10G (4/3-15)	ok11	dko2		1o1k2	2koko	11ook		0ooo	kkoo		1owo	wooo	k		
Moroff*	1G (5/25)		ok1k	kkkk												
Nogowski	1G (4/4)													o		
O'Neill	11G (5/14-present)				4kkko	4ko2	o242o	kk1k	oo4k	kk11	1o	1kok	okkw	k2o2		
Rondón	1G (5/30)						o	c11o		wokk	oo	owod	k			
Sánchez^	1G (5/5[2]-present)															
Sosa	8G (5/18-26)	ho1o	2ooow	kho1	oohoo	oooo	w1ko	1kco	oko	okk1	wo1e	okc1	c4ok	okoo		
Thomas	2G (4/11-12)	koo	ekok	kkok		kwkW	2	ocdw	k		ko	k		o		
Williams*	3G (4/11-4/13)	okk		kkoo	ooko		kow	k	o41	o	ooWk					

Key: 1-Single, 2-Double, 3-Triple, 4-Home Run, o-Out, k-Strikeout, w-Walk, W-Int. Walk h-HBP, e-Reached on error, b-SacBunt, F-SacFly, c-Fielder's Choice, d-double play; Note: Read left-to-right for first-to-last AB.

\* Injured List ^Minor Leagues

## 2021 HOME RUN HIGHLIGHTS

Player	Home Runs	Last	Pitcher	Multi-HR Games Career/2021...Last	Game-Ending HR Career/2021...Last	Pinch-Hit HR Career/2021...Last	Grand Slams Career/2021...Last
Arenado	11	5/28 at ARI	M. Bumgarner	20/0 8/12/20 vs. ARI	3/0 8/14/19 vs. ARI	0/0 ---	5/0 7/30/18 at STL
Bader	4	5/15 at SD	P. Johnson	1/0 9//15/19 vs. MIL	0/0 ---	0/0 ---	0/0 ---
Carlson	6	6/2 at LAD	W. Buehler	0/0 ---	0/0 ---	0/0 ---	1/1 4/7/21 at MIA
Carpenter	3	4/30 at PIT	D. Underwood	6/0 7/20/18 at CHI	3/0 4/10/18 vs. MIL	5/2 4/30/21 at PIT	2/0 8/19/20 at CHI (1)
Dean	1	4/10 vs. MIL	J. Lindblom	0/0 ---	0/0 ---	0/0 ---	0/0 ---
DeJong	7	5/5[1] vs. NYM	M. Stroman	4/2 4/19 at WSH	1/0 8/13/18 vs. WSH	1/0 5/28/17 at COL	2/1 4/19 at WSH
Edman	4	5/26 at CWS	A. Bummer	2/1 5/26 at CWS	0/0 ---	1/0 7/3/19 at SEA	1/0 7/18/19 at CIN
Goldschmidt	7	6/2 at LAD	W. Buehler	17/0 9/13/19 vs. MIL	5/0 6/19/19 vs. MIA	1/0 8/11/11 vs. HOU	6/0 9/13/19 vs. MIL
Knizner	0	9/1/19 (2) vs. CIN	L. Castillo	0/0 ---	0/0 ---	0/0 ---	0/0 ---
Molina	7	5/22 vs. CHI	A. Alzolay	8/1 4/17/21 at PHI	0/0 ---	0/0 ---	6/0 9/4/18 at WSH
Nogowski	0	---	---	0/0 ---	0/0 ---	0/0 ---	0/0 ---
O'Neill	12	5/31 at LAD	T. Bauer	2/1 4/25 vs. CIN	1/0 9/22/18 vs. SF	1/0 8/22/18 at LAD	0/0 ---
Rondón	0	7/4/19 vs. DET	M. Boyd	0/0 ---	0/0 ---	0/0 ---	0/0 ---
Sánchez	0	---	---	0/0 ---	0/0 ---	0/0 ---	0/0 ---
Sosa	1	6/4 vs. CIN	L. Castillo	0/0 ---	0/0 ---	0/0 ---	0/0 ---
Thomas	0	9/10/20 vs. DET (1)	J. Jiménez	0/0 ---	0/0 ---	3/0 8/25/19 vs. COL	1/0 8/11/19 vs. PIT
Williams	4	5/31 at LAD	T. Bauer	0/0 ---	0/0 ---	1/1 5/20 at PIT	0/0 ---

## 2021 HOME RUN EXTRAS

LEADOFF	PITCHER HOME RUN
None	Jack Flaherty vs. COL (5/7) off A. Gomber
INSIDE THE PARK	
None	
EXTRA INNING	
None	

## 2021 BACK-TO-BACK HOMER ATTACK (3)

Date/Opp.	St. Louis Players	Inning	Opp. Pitcher(s)
4/17/21 - PHI	Molina/DeJong	3rd	Matt Moore
4/17/21 - PHI	Arenado/Molina	4th	JoJo Romero
4/19/21 - WSH	Edman/Goldschmidt	3th	Joe Ross
Date/Opp.	Opposing Players	Inning	STL Pitcher(s)
5/31/21 - LAD	Lux/Taylor	2nd	Jack Flaherty







