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MILWAUKEE BREWERS (1-2) vs. LOS ANGELES ANGELS (1-2-1) RHP Janson Junk vs. RHP Zach Plesac Tuesday, February 27, 2024 - 2:10 p.m. CT - Tempe Diablo Stadium - Tempe, AZ Game #4 - Road Game #2

2024 SPRING TRAINING ROSTER

PH	CHERS (32 - 31 remaining in camp)
26	Aaron AshbyLHP
77	Bradley BlalockRHP
50	JB BukauskasRHP
83	Sam Carlson*RHP
92	Harold Chirino*RHP
32	Taylor ClarkeRHP
85 37	Robert Gasser*LHP DL HallLHP
78	Bryan HudsonLHP
35	Jakob JunisRHP
56	Janson JunkRHP
72	Jared Koenig*LHP
73	Easton McGee*RHP
82	Evan McKendry*RHP
29	Trevor MegillRHP
20	Wade MileyLHP
55	Hoby MilnerLHP
93	Jacob Misiorowski*RHP
80	Tobias Myers*RHP
67	Enoli Paredes*RHP
31	Joel PayampsRHP
59	Elvis PegueroRHP
51 48	Freddy PeraltaRHP Colin ReaRHP
87	Carlos Rodríguez*RHP
41	Joe RossRHP
45	Abner Uribe RHP
49	Thyago VieiraRHP
38	Devin WilliamsRHP
46	Bryse WilsonRHP
53	Brandon Woodruff (60-day IL on 2/21)RHP
58	Rob Zastryzny*LHP
LA	TCHERS (6)
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81	Wes Clarke*
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TODAY'S GAME: The Brewers and Angels play their first of two games this spring.....the teams will also play on 3/18 in Phoenix.....they meet during the regular season from 6/17-6/19 at Angel Stadium.

ON THE MOUND: Also scheduled to pitch (subject to change): LHP Hoby Milner, RHP Thyago Vieira, LHP Bryan Hudson, RHP Carlos Rodríguez and RHP Bradley Blalock.

MINOR DETAILS: Over from Minor League camp: INF Gregory Barrios (0), INF Eduardo García (94), INF Dylan O'Rae (89), OF Luis Lara (88), OF Carlos Rodríguez (92), OF Lamar Sparks (96), INF Zavier Warren (95), C Andrew Yerzy (84), LHP Nick Bennett [93], RHP Blake Holub [57], RHP Edwin Jimenez [91], RHP James Meeker [97], RHP Nick Merkel [68], RHP Jake Poancic (36), RHP Aaron Rund (52), RHP Tanner Shears (98) and RHP Cam Wagoner (47).

LIPCOMING GAMES:

DATE	OPPONENT	PROBABLE PITCHERS	TIME/CT
Wednesday, February 28	vs. Chicago-NL	LHP Rob Zastryzny vs. LHP Jordan Wicks	2:10
Thursday, February 29	at Texas	RHP Joe Ross vs. RHP Nathan Eovaldi	2:05
Friday, March 1	vs. San Diego	RHP Bryse Wilson vs. TBA	2:10

COME GET SIM!: The following pitchers will be throwing in simulated games: LHP DL Hall (today), RHP Devin Williams (today), RHP Joel Payamps (today), RHP Jakob Junis (tomorrow), RHP Colin Rea (Friday) and RHP Taylor Clarke (Friday).

YESTERDAY'S GAME: The Brewers lost to the Reds, 8-3, in Phoenix....SS Joey Ortiz made his spring debut and went 1-for-2 with an RBI-double and a walk.....LF Brewer Hicklen went 1-for-1 with a double and a walk.

THE ROSTER: The team opened Cactus League play with 58 players in Major League camp: 31 pitchers, 6 catchers, 13 infielders and 8 outfielders.....there are 18 non-roster invitees: 11 pitchers, 2 catchers, 4 infielders and 1 outfielder.

THE NEW BREW: 1B/OF Jake Bauers (trade with NYY), INF Vinny Capra (claimed off waivers from PIT), RHP Taylor Clarke (trade with KC), INF Oliver Dunn (trade with PHI), C Eric Haase (free agent), LHP DL Hall (trade with BAL), 1B Rhys Hoskins (free agent), LHP Bryan Hudson (trade with LAD), RHP Jakob Junis (free agent), INF Joey Ortiz (trade with BAL), RHP Joe Ross (free agent), C Gary Sánchez (free agent).

GONE FROM 2023: 3B Brian Anderson (SEA), LHP Clayton Andrews (NYY), RHP Corbin Burnes (BAL), OF Mark Canha [DET], C Victor Caratini (HOU), LHP Andrew Chafin (DET), 3B Josh Donaldson (unsigned), RHP Adrian Houser (NYM), LHP Eric Lauer (unsigned), 18 Darin Ruf (unsigned), 18 Carlos Santana (MIN), LHP Ethan Small (SF), OF Tyrone Taylor (NYM), RHP Julio Teheran (unsigned), 1B Rowdy Tellez (PIT), INF Abraham Toro (OAK), OF Jesse Winker (WSH).

2023 IN REVIEW: The Brewers went 92-70 and qualified for the postseason for the fifth time in the last six seasons..... the team won the NL Central for the third time in the last six seasons, taking the division by 9.0 games over the Cubs..... the Brewers were defeated by Arizona, two games to none, in the NL Wild Card Series in Milwaukee.

BREWING CONSISTENCY: The Brewers, Astros and Dodgers are the only Major League teams with 86+ wins in each of the last six full seasons (does not include 2020).....the Brewers have 573 wins since 2017, which ranks sixth in the majors and third in the National League.....the teams was just 2 games away from qualifying for the postseason in seven consecutive seasons, missing out by just a game in both 2017 and 2022.

MANAGER: Pat Murphy was named the 20th manager in franchise history on 11/15/23, replacing Craig Counsell.....he is signed to a 3-year contract through 2026.....Murphy spent the previous eight seasons (2016-23) as bench coach..... his only other Major League managerial experience came in 2015 as interim manager of the San Diego Padres (42-54), replacing Bud Black in June of that season.

	INNINGS BY POS	SITION (STARTS)	
CATCHER	SECOND BASE	Turang6.0 (1)	Roller4.0
Haase10.0 (2)	Capra9.0	Adames4.0 (1)	Young4.0
Quero10.0	Miller5.0 (1)	Brown Jr3.0	Y. Rodríguez3.0
Contreras 4.0 (1)	Monasterio5.0 (1)		
Clarke2.0	Dunn4.0 (1)	LEFT FIELD	RIGHT FIELD
R. Rodríguez1.0	Hernández4.0	Roller 7.0 (1)	Wiemer10.0 (2)
		Hicklen5.0 (1)	Hicklen8.0
FIRST BASE	THIRD BASE	Lara5.0	Perkins5.0 (1)
Bauers5.0 (1)	Frelick12.0 (2)	Perkins 4.0 (1)	Lara4.0
Black5.0 (1)	Wilken10.0	Roller4.0	
Miller5.0 (1)	Dunn5.0 (1)	Rodríguez2.0	DH (starts)
Adams4.0			Black[1]
Dorrian4.0	SHORTSTOP SHORTSTOP	CENTER FIELD	Clarke[1]
Martínez4.0	Hernández8.0	Chourio11.0 (2)	Contreras[1]
	Ortiz 6.0 (1)	Mitchell5.0 (1)	

G	DATE	OPPONENT/TIME (CT)	SITE	W/L	SCORE	WINNER/LOSER/SAVE	RECORD	BROADCAST	ATTENDANCE
1	February 24	at San Diego	Peoria	W	11-7	Zastryzny/Avila	1-0		7,145
2	February 25	COLORADO	PHOENIX	L	3-10	Kauffmann/Clarke	1-1		3,777
3	February 26	CINCINNATI	PHOENIX	L	3-8	Roa/McKendry	1-2		2,205
4	February 27	at Los Angeles-AL (2:10)	Tempe					TV/Radio*	
5	February 28	CHICAGO-NL (2:10)	PHOENIX					TV/Radio	
6	February 29	at Texas (2:05)	Surprise					Webcast	
7	March 1	SAN DIEGO (2:10)	PHOENIX					Webcast	
8	March 2	LOS ANGELES-NL (2:10)	PHOENIX					TV/Radio	
9	March 3	at Arizona (2:10)	Talking Stick					Radio	
	March 4	OFF DAY							
10	March 5	at San Francisco (2:05)	Scottsdale					Radio*	
11	March 6	CLEVELAND (2:10)	PHOENIX					Webcast	
12		at Cincinnati (2:05)	Goodyear						
13	March 7	at Chicago-AL (2:05)	Glendale					Webcast	
14	March 8	OAKLAND (2:10)	PHOENIX					Radio	
15		at Oakland (8:05)	Las Vegas						
16	March 9	SEATTLE (2:10)	PHOENIX					Radio	
17		at Oakland (3:05)	Las Vegas						
18	March 10	at Colorado (3:10)	Talking Stick					Radio*	
	March 11	OFF DAY							
19	March 12	at Chicago-NL (8:05)	Mesa					Webcast	
20	March 13	CHICAGO-AL (3:10)	PHOENIX					Radio	
21	March 14	at Seattle (3:10)	Peoria					Webcast	
22	March 15	ARIZONA (3:10)	PHOENIX					TV	
23	March 16	TEXAS (3:10)	PHOENIX					Radio	
24		at Oakland (3:05)	Mesa						
	March 17	at Kansas City (3:05)	Surprise (SPR	ING BRE	AKOUT)				
25		at Kansas City (6:05)	Surprise					TV/Radio	
26	March 18	LOS ANGELES-AL (3:10)	PHOENIX					TV/Radio*	
27	March 19	at Cleveland (3:05)	Goodyear					Radio	
	March 20	OFF DAY							
28	March 21	SAN FRANCISCO (8:10)	PHOENIX					Webcast	
29	March 22	KANSAS CITY (3:10)	PHOENIX					Radio	
30		at Seattle (3:10)	Peoria						
31	March 23	at Chicago-NL (3:05)	Mesa					TV/Radio	
32	March 24	ARIZONA (3:10)	PHOENIX					TV	
33	March 25	COLORADO (3:10)	PHOENIX					Radio	
34	March 26	at Colorado (2:10)	Talking Stick					Webcast	

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TODAY'S STARTER: #56 - RHP JANSON JUNK

RHP Janson Junk, 28, spent most of last season at Triple-A Nashville, where he went 7-10 with a 4.18 ERA in 27 games (25 starts).....he also had two stints with Milwaukee (4/11-4/12 and 10/1-end of season).....Junk was acquired from Los Angeles-AL as part of the deal for OF Hunter Renfroe on 11/22/22.....he was originally selected by the Yankees in the 22nd round of the First-Year Player Draft and was traded to the Angels on 7/30/21.

Date	Opponent	Dec.	Rec.	IP	Н	R-ER	BB	K	HR	PC	Result

Spring Totals

ALSO SCHEDULED TO PITCH...

LHP Hoby Milner, 33, went 2-1 with a 1.82 ERA in 73 relief appearances last season.....his 73 outings led the team and marked a career high....he ranked among NL relief leaders in appearances (4th), ERA (5th) and WHIP (6th, 0.96).... he held opponents to a .209 batting average, marking a career best.

RHP Thyago Vieira, 31, spent most of last season at Triple-A Nashville, where he went 2-2 with a 3.35 ERA and 8 saves in 33 relief appearances.....he appeared in 2 games with Milwaukee in 2023 after joining the team on Sept. 6.... Vieira also has Major League experience with Seattle (1g in 2017) and Chicago-AL (22g from 2018-19) and in Japan with the Yomiuri Giants from 2020-22....he was born and resides in Brazil.

LHP Bryan Hudson, 26, was acquired from Los Angeles-NL in exchange for LHP Justin Chambers and a player to be named or cash on Jan. 3....he made his Major League debut last season with the Dodgers, making 6 relief appearances.....Hudson was selected by the Cubs in the third round of the 2015 First-Year Player Draft.

RHP Carlos Rodríguez, 22, has been Brewers Minor League Pitcher of the Year in each of his two professional seasons.....he was also the 2023 Southern League Pitcher of the Year after going 9-6 with a league-best 2.77 ERA in 25 starts at Double-A Biloxi.....he was selected by Milwaukee in the sixth round of the 2021 First-Year Player Draft.

	PRONUI	NCIATIONS
Andrew Monasterio	AHN-drew	Koenig
Bukauskas	buh-COW-skus	Megill
Chourio	CH00-ree-oh	Misiorows
Enoli Paredes	eh-NOH-lee puh-RAY-diss	Peguero
Frelick	FREE-lick	Rea
Haase	HAHS	Uribe
Jeferson Quero	YEFF-err-sun KAY-roh	Thyago Vie
Joel Payamps	yo-EHL PIE-omps	Wiemer
Junis	J00-niss	Zastryzny.

Koenig	KAY-ni/g/
Megill	meh-GILL
Misiorowski	miz-uh-R Ŏ W-skee
Peguero	peh-GEHR-o
Rea	RAY
Uribe	oo-REE-bay
Thyago Vieira	chee-AH-go vee-AIR-uh
Wiemer	WEE-mer
Zastryzny	zah-STRIZ-nee

LAST APPEARANCE BY EACH PITCHER

Ashby
Blalock
Bukauskas (2/25 vs. COL)1ip, 1h, 1bb, 3k
Carlson (2/25 vs. COL)1ip, 3h, 2r, 2er, 1k
Chirino (2/25 vs. COL)
Clarke (2/25 vs. COL) L, 1ip, 4h, 2r, 2er, 1k, 2hr
Gasser (2/26 vs. CIN)1ip, 1bb, 1k
Hall
Hudson
Junis
Junk
Koenig (2/24 at SD)1ip, 2bb, 3k
McGee
McKendry (2/26 vs. CIN) L, 1ip, 2h, 3r, 3er, 1bb, 2k, 1hr
Megill
Miley
Milner
Misiorowski
Myers (2/26 vs. CIN)1ip, 2h, 2r, 2er, 1bb, 1k
Paredes (2/24 at SD)1ip, 1h, 1bb
Payamps
Peguero (2/26 vs. CIN)1ip, 1bb, 2k
Peralta
Rea (2/25 vs. COL)1ip, 2k
Rodríguez
Ross
Uribe (2/26 vs. CIN)1ip, 3h, 2r, 2er
Vieira (2/24 at SD)1ip, 3bb, 1k
Williams
Wilson (2/26 vs. CIN)1ip, 1bb
Zastryzny (2/24 at SD)W, 1ip, 3h, 2r, 2er