

# DETROIT TIGERS GAME NOTES

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## Detroit Tigers (1-1) at Cleveland Guardians (1-1)

Wednesday, October 9, 2024 • Comerica Park, Detroit, MI • 3:08 p.m. ET

RHP Keider Montero (0-0, 0.00 in 2024 Postseason) vs. RHP Alex Cobb (2-1, 2.76)

American League Division Series Game #3 • TV: TBS/Max • Radio: 97.1 The Ticket/ESPN Radio

### TIGERS AT A GLANCE

Overall	86-76
Current Streak	L2
At Comerica Park	42-38
On the Road	43-38
At Neutral Sites	1-0
Day games	40-36
Night games	46-40
vs. LH starting pitchers	21-12
vs. RH starting pitchers	65-64
vs. AL East	20-12
vs. AL Central	28-24
vs. AL West	16-16
vs. NL East	5-10
vs. NL Central	9-7
vs. NL West	8-7
Tigers score first	60-26
Opponents score first	26-50
Scoring five-or-more runs	53-10
Scoring four-or-less runs	33-66
Extra innings	10-9
One-run games	31-24
Two-run games	11-12
Tigers get quality start	34-19
Tigers starter works 6+ innings	35-25
Lead after 6th/7th/8th inning	58-14/62-12/71-6
Trail after 6th/7th/8th inning	18-54/13-54/6-57
Tied after 6th/7th/8th inning	10-8/11-9/9-11
Tigers out hit opponent	65-7
Opponent out hits Tigers	14-62
Tigers and opponent have equal hits	7-7
Tigers hit a home run	66-30
Tigers do not hit a home run	20-46
Come-from-behind wins	36

### TIGERS VS. GUARDIANS

2024 Record: 7-8  
2024 at Home: 3-3  
2024 at Cleveland: 4-5  
All-Time Record: 1160-1156-12  
All-Time at Home: 629-522-5  
All-Time at Comerica Park: 108-110  
All-Time at Cleveland: 531-634-7  
All-Time at Progressive Field: 102-158

#### 2024 Game Log

Date	Site	Result	Winner/Loser/Save
5/6	CLE	L, 2-1	Sandlin/Flaherty/Clase
5/7	CLE	W, 11-7	Holton/Avila
5/8	CLE	L, 5-4 (10)	Clase/Lange
7/8	DET	W, 1-0	Holton/Barlow/Miller
7/9	DET	L, 9-8 (10)	Barlow/Vest/Clase
7/10	DET	W, 5-4	Olson/Bibee/Foley
7/11	DET	W, 10-1	Flaherty/Howard
7/22	CLE	W, 8-2	Skubal/Carrasco
7/23	CLE	L, 5-4	Smith/Wentz/Clase
7/24	CLE	L, 2-1	Gaddis/Brieske/Clase
7/25	CLE	W, 3-0	Lucas/Williams/Miller
7/29	DET	L, 8-4	Bibee/Brieske
7/30	DET	L, 5-0	Williams/Faedo
10/5	CLE	L, 7-0	Smith/Holton
10/6	CLE	W, 3-0	Vest/Clase/Brieske

### POSTSEASON HISTORY

Overall Postseason Record	60-63-1
Overall Record in Detroit	30-28
Overall Record on the road	30-35-1
<b>Tigers in Wild Card (All-Time)</b>	
Overall	2-0
Record in Detroit	0-0
Record on the road	2-0
<b>Tigers in Division Series (All-Time)</b>	
Overall	13-11
Record in Detroit	6-3
Record on the road	7-8
<b>Tigers in League Championship Series (All-Time)</b>	
Overall	18-15
Record in Detroit	11-6
Record on the road	7-9
<b>Tigers in World Series (All-Time)</b>	
Overall	27-37-1
Record in Detroit	13-19
Record on the road	14-18-1

### CARPENTER'S BLAST LIFTS TIGERS TO SERIES-EVENING WIN:

The Tigers defeated the Guardians in dramatic fashion on Monday, winning 3-0 to even the series. Kerry Carpenter broke a scoreless tie with a two-out, three-run homer in the top of the ninth off Emmanuel Clase. Justyn-Henry Malloy and Matt Vierling also added two hits in the win. On the mound, three Detroit pitchers combined on the three-hit shutout, led by Tarik Skubal, who threw 7.0 shutout innings, allowing three hits with no walks and eight strikeouts. Will Vest and picked up the win after striking out one in a scoreless eighth inning, while Beau Brieske notched his second postseason save with a perfect ninth inning with two punchouts.

**IN THE POSTSEASON:** Detroit is in the postseason for the 17th time in franchise history and for the first time since 2014. The Tigers earned a Wild Card berth for the second time in franchise history (other, 2006) and are the No. 6 seed in the American League. Detroit is 60-63-1 all-time in the postseason, including a 30-28 record in Detroit. In the Division Series, the Tigers have an all-time record of 13-11, including a 6-3 mark at home.

**KERRYING THE LOAD:** Kerry Carpenter had the big hit in Monday's win with his go-ahead, three-run homer with two outs and two strikes in the ninth inning. It marked the third go-ahead homer with two outs in the ninth inning in Tigers postseason history, joining Magglio Ordoñez in Game 4 of the 2006 ALCS vs. Oakland and Al Kaline in Game 1 of the 1972 ALCS at Oakland. According to Stats Perform, Carpenter's blast was also the first two-out, two-strike, go-ahead homer in the ninth inning of a postseason game since Kirk Gibson in Game 1 of the 1988 World Series vs. Oakland.

**SKUBAL SNACKS:** Tarik Skubal turned in another dominant start on Monday against the Guardians, working 7.0 shutout innings with three hits allowed, no walks and eight strikeouts. He is the only pitcher in franchise history to have a postseason outing of 7.0 scoreless innings while allowing zero walks and no more than three hits. Skubal has thrown 6.0-or-more shutout innings in each of his first two postseason starts. According to the Elias Sports Bureau, he's the first Tiger and sixth pitcher in MLB history to do so, joining Corey Kluber (2016), Steve Avery (1991), Dave Righetti (1981), Joe Niekro (1980-81) and Christy Mathewson (1905).

**POSTSEASON SHUTOUT:** The Tigers recorded their 11th postseason shutout in franchise history on Monday. Prior to Monday's game, Detroit last shutout in a playoff game came in Game 1 of the 2013 ALCS at Boston.

**TIGERS TIDBITS:** Parker Meadows went 1x4 in Monday's game and has now hit safely in the first four playoff games of his career. He's the first Tiger to record a hit in each of his first four career postseason games since Don Kelly from October 2-6, 2011...Matt Vierling reached base four times on Monday, finishing the contest 2x3 with a double and two walks. He became the first Tiger to reach base four times in a postseason game since Austin Jackson on October 16, 2013 vs. Boston.

**ABOUT THE DIVISION SERIES ROSTER:** The Tigers 26-man roster for the American League Division Series includes 12 pitchers and 14 position players. Of the 26 players on the ALDS roster, 14 of them were on Detroit's Opening Day roster. Prior to the Wild Card series, Matt Vierling was the only player on the 26-man roster who had previous postseason experience. According to the Elias Sports Bureau, the last playoff team to have one-or-fewer players with previous playoff experience was the Angels in 2002.

**SECOND-HALF SURGE:** The Tigers posted a Major League best 31-13 record from August 11 until the end of the season. It was the team's best record over the final 44 games of a season since 2011, when Detroit went 32-12. The Tigers led the Majors with a 2.72 ERA (401.0IP/121ER) from August 11 until the end of the season, while also ranking first with a +62 run differential.

**TIGERS AND GUARDIANS:** After playing more than 2,300 regular season games, the Tigers and Guardians are meeting in the postseason for the first time. Detroit went 6-7 against Cleveland during the regular season, including splitting six games at Comerica Park.

**AT COMERICA PARK:** The Tigers today will play their first home postseason game since October 5, 2014, a span of 3,657 days. Detroit went 42-38 at Comerica Park during the regular season, posting a winning record at home for the first time since 2021. The Tigers won 10 of their last 14 games at Comerica Park during the regular season.

**NOTES ON THE SKIPPER:** A.J. Hinch is leading a team to the postseason for the fifth time in his managerial career. Hinch has posted a 31-23 (.574) record in the playoffs. In his four seasons as the Tigers manager, Hinch has a 307-341 (.474) record, while his all-time managerial record stands at 877-793 (.525). His 877 victories ranks fourth among active managers.

### TIGERS ON THE IL:

- INF Javier Báez (lumbar spine and hip inflammation, 60-day IL on August 23)
- RHP Alex Faedo (right shoulder strain, 60-day IL on August 25, retroactive to August 22)
- RHP Sawyer Gipson-Long (right elbow sprain, 60-day IL on March 28, retroactive to March 25)
- RHP Brendan White (right radial nerve injury, 60-day IL on August 13)

### UPCOMING MATCHUPS:

- Thursday, October 10 vs. CLE - 6:08 p.m. (TNT/97.1) TBA vs. TBA
- Friday, October 11 - Workout Day in Cleveland
- Saturday, October 12 at CLE (if nec.) - 4:38 p.m. (TBS/97.1) TBA vs. TBA





# TODAY'S TIGERS STARTER

## Keider Montero - RHP

**Height:** 6-1 • **Weight:** 213 lbs. • **Age:** 24  
**How obtained:** Signed by the Tigers as a non-drafted free agent on August 16, 2016  
**College:** N/A  
**Birthplace:** Santa Teresa Del Tuy, VZ  
**Residence:** Maracay, VZ

### Today's start vs. Cleveland

- Montero will make his second appearance overall and first postseason start of his career today vs. Cleveland...made his postseason debut in Game 1 of the series on Saturday, allowing a hit and striking out three in 2.0 scoreless innings.
- Faced the Guardians once during his rookie season, tossing 6.1 shutout frames with three hits allowed, one walk and four strikeouts...made 12 appearances, including 10 starts, at Comerica Park during the regular season, compiling a 3-5 record with a 4.09 ERA (61.2IP/28ER) and 47 strikeouts.

### 2024 Regular Season

- Saw his first Major League action in 2024, appearing in 19 games, including 16 starts, and going 6-6 with a 4.76 ERA (98.1IP/52ER) and 77 strikeouts...also started 13 games with Triple A Toledo, compiling a 1-4 record with a 5.03 ERA (48.1IP/27ER) and 54 strikeouts.
- Named American League Player of the Week for the week ending September 15 after throwing 14.0 scoreless innings with eight hits allowed, one walk and six strikeouts in two starts...was the first Tiger to win AL Player of the Week since Miguel Cabrera on April 25, 2022 and the first pitcher to do so since Spencer Turnbull on May 24, 2021.
- Threw the first complete game shutout of his career on September 10 vs. Colorado, facing the minimum 27 batters and giving up three hits with five strikeouts on 96 pitches... became the first Tiger to face the minimum in a complete game since Justin Verlander's no-hitter on May 7, 2011 at Toronto...was also Detroit's first complete game shutout since Spencer Turnbull's no-no on May 18, 2021 at Seattle...was the first Tiger to throw a complete game in less than 100 pitches since David Price on June 12, 2015 and the first rookie to have a sub-100 pitch complete game while facing the minimum since pitch tracking began in 1988.
- Earned his first Major League win on July 3 at Minnesota, giving up two runs on six hits with one walk and four strikeouts in 6.1 innings.
- Made his Major League debut in the second game of the doubleheader on May 29 vs. Pittsburgh, allowing four runs on five hits with one walk and five strikeouts in 4.1 innings.

## KEIDER MONTERO - 2024 DAY-BY-DAY

### TOLEDO - REGULAR SEASON

Date-Opp.	Decision	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	P-S
3/30 vs. NAS	ND, W, 4-2	4.0	2	0	0	0	1	6	59-39
4/5 at IOW	ND, W, 4-3	4.0	1	0	0	0	3	4	59-34
4/12 vs. IND	ND, W, 4-3 (11)	4.0	2	0	0	0	3	6	76-44
4/17 at ROC	ND, L, 6-5	1.0	2	1	1	0	0	2	22-14
4/24 vs. WOR (2)	ND, W, 3-2 (7)	3.0	3	2	2	0	4	2	74-43
5/2 at COL	ND, W, 7-3	4.1	4	2	1	1	1	5	81-54
5/8 vs. STP	L, L, 11-6	1.2	4	4	4	0	1	3	43-26
5/16 at IND (1)	ND, W, 8-6	4.1	7	4	4	1	1	2	71-42
5/21 at LOU	ND, L, 7-5	4.1	3	3	3	1	3	6	84-51
6/4 at IOW	L, L, 10-2	3.0	6	6	6	1	4	2	62-37
6/11 vs. OMA	W, W, 10-3	5.0	7	1	1	0	1	6	78-49
6/16 vs. OMA	L, L, 2-1	4.2	7	2	2	0	4	5	94-57
6/21 at STP	L, L, 4-2	5.0	4	3	3	1	4	5	95-57
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>1-4 (7-6)</b>	<b>48.1</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>898-547</b>

### DETROIT - REGULAR SEASON

Date-Opp.	Decision	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	P-S
5/29 vs. PIT (2)	L, L, 10-2	4.1	5	4	4	2	1	5	87-56
6/26 vs. PHI	L, L, 6-2	4.1	5	5	5	1	3	6	94-58
7/3 at MIN	W, W, 9-2	6.1	6	2	2	1	1	4	80-54
7/8 vs. CLE	ND, W, 1-0	6.1	3	0	0	0	1	4	73-53
7/13 vs. LAD	ND, W, 11-9 (10)	5.0	7	5	5	1	4	4	92-51
7/21 at TOR	L, L, 5-4	5.1	8	5	5	2	0	3	72-52
7/26 vs. MIN	L, L, 9-3	5.0	8	6	5	3	1	5	96-59
8/1 vs. KC	L, L, 7-1	7.0	6	4	4	1	1	3	88-66
8/6 at SEA	W, W, 4-2	6.0	4	1	1	1	1	8	85-50
8/11 at SF	W, W, 5-4	5.0	5	4	4	0	4	2	85-56
8/17 vs. NYY	W, W, 4-0	5.0	2	0	0	0	2	5	87-56
8/23 at CWS	ND, W, 5-2	5.0	6	2	2	0	2	4	88-58
8/29 vs. LAA	L, L, 3-0	5.0	5	3	3	1	3	5	89-58
9/4 at SD	ND, L, 6-5 (10)	4.1	7	5	5	1	2	2	71-51
9/10 vs. COL	W, W, 11-0	9.0	3	0	0	0	0	5	96-65
9/15 vs. BAL	W, W, 4-2	5.0	5	0	0	0	1	1	63-42
9/20 at BAL	ND, L, 7-1	4.2	7	5	5	4	1	7	82-59
9/25 vs. TB	ND, W, 7-1	2.2	4	1	1	1	2	2	55-32
9/29 vs. CWS	ND, L, 9-5	3.0	4	2	1	0	1	2	56-38
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>6-6 (10-9)</b>	<b>98.1</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>1539-1014</b>

### DETROIT - POSTSEASON

Date-Opp.	Decision	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	P-S
10/5 at CLE	ND, L, 7-0	2.0	1	0	0	0	0	3	25-17
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>0-0 (0-1)</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>25-17</b>

### 2024 HIGHS

### STATISTIC

### CAREER HIGHS

9.0, 9/10/2024 vs. COL	<b>Innings Pitched</b>	9.0, 9/10/2024 vs. COL
8 (2x), last, 7/26/2024 vs. MIN	<b>Hits</b>	8 (2x), last, 7/26/2024 vs. MIN
6, 7/26/2024 vs. MIN	<b>R</b>	6, 7/26/2024 vs. MIN
5 (6x), last, 9/20/2024 at BAL	<b>ER</b>	5 (6x), last, 9/20/2024 at BAL
4, 9/20/2024 at BAL	<b>HR</b>	4, 9/20/2024 at BAL
4 (2x), last, 8/11/2024 at SF	<b>BB</b>	4 (2x), last, 8/11/2024 at SF
8, 8/6/2024 at SEA	<b>SO</b>	8, 8/6/2024 at SEA
96 (2x), last, , 9/10/2024 vs. COL	<b>Pitches</b>	96 (2x), last, , 9/10/2024 vs. COL

## MONTERO 2024 AND CAREER STATS

	W-L	ERA	G	GS	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
<b>2024:</b>	6-6	4.76	19	16	98.1	100	54	52	31	77
<b>Career:</b>	6-6	4.76	19	16	98.1	100	54	52	31	77

## MONTERO vs. CLEVELAND

	W-L	ERA	G	GS	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
<b>2024:</b>	0-0	0.00	1	1	6.1	3	0	0	1	4
<b>Career:</b>	0-0	0.00	1	1	6.1	3	0	0	1	4

## BATTER vs. PITCHER MATCHUPS

### MONTERO vs. CLEVELAND

Player	Avg.	AB	H	HR	RBI	BB	SO
Fry	.000	2	0	0	0	0	1
Giménez	.500	2	1	0	0	0	0
Kwan	.000	3	0	0	0	0	0
Martínez	.667	3	2	0	0	0	0
B. Naylor	.000	1	0	0	0	1	1
J. Naylor	.000	2	0	0	0	0	0
Ramírez	.000	3	0	0	0	0	1
Rocchio	.000	2	0	0	0	0	0
Schneemann	.000	2	0	0	0	0	1

### COBB vs. DETROIT

Player	Avg.	AB	H	HR	RBI	BB	SO
Ibáñez	.333	3	1	0	0	0	0
Vierling	.000	1	0	0	0	0	0



# TIGERS IN THE BOX

(Series numbers are for Division Series vs. Cleveland; Postseason numbers are for all Tigers 2024 postseason games)

## TIGERS OPPONENTS

**SERIES:** .200 (13x65)  
**SERIES:** .183 (11x60)

**POSTSEASON:** .226 (30x133)  
**POSTSEASON:** .189 (23x122)

### #30 Kerry Carpenter - OF

**Height:** 6-2 **Weight:** 220 **B/T:** L/R **Age:** 27 (9/2/1997) **Birthplace:** Eustis, FL  
**LAST GAME:** 10/7 at CLE: 1x2, R, HR, 3 RBI at PH/DH  
**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** .333 (2x6) **2024 POSTSEASON:** .250 (3x12)  
**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** .250/.250/.500, 2 R, HR, 3 RBI, 3 SO, GIDP (4G)  
**SEASON LONG STREAK:** 8 (.353, 12x34, 4/15-4/22)

- Hit a go-ahead, three-run homer with two outs in the ninth inning on Monday at Cleveland...was the third ninth inning go-ahead homer in Tigers postseason history, joining Magglio Ordonez on October 14, 2006 vs. Oakland and Al Kaline on October 7, 1972 at Oakland.
- Recorded his first postseason hit last Wednesday at Houston, going 1x4 with a run.
- Made his postseason debut on October 1st Houston, going 0x2 as a pinch hitter.
- Among American League hitters with at least 250 plate appearances this year, he ranked second in ISO (.303), third in slugging percentage (.587), sixth in home run rate (6.1%) and seventh in OPS (.932).

### #38 Dillon Dingler - C

**Height:** 6-2 **Weight:** 215 **B/T:** R/R **Age:** 26 (9/17/1998) **Birthplace:** Massillon, OH  
**LAST GAME:** 9/28 vs. CWS: 2B, 2 SO at C  
**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** N/A **2024 POSTSEASON:** N/A  
**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** NO POSTSEASON APPEARANCES  
**SEASON LONG STREAK:** 3 (.455, 5x11, 9/21-9/28+)

- Launched his first Major League home run on August 11 at San Francisco, a two-run shot in the second inning...doubled in his next plate appearance to give him the first game with multiple extra-base hits of his career.
- Made his Major League debut on July 29 vs. Cleveland, starting at catcher and going 1x3 with a double and a RBI...became the first Tiger with an extra-base hit and RBI his Major League debut since Akil Baddoo on April 4, 2021 vs. Cleveland.

### #31 Riley Greene - OF

**Height:** 6-3 **Weight:** 200 **B/T:** L/L **Age:** 24 (9/28/2000) **Birthplace:** Orlando, FL  
**LAST GAME:** 10/7 at CLE: 0x3, IBB at LF  
**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** .167 (1x6) **2024 POSTSEASON:** .133 (2x15)  
**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** .133/.278/.200, 2B, 2 BB, IBB, 4 SO, HBP, GIDP (4G)  
**SEASON LONG STREAK:** 8 twice (last, .419, 13x31, 7/9-7/21)

- In his playoff debut on October 1 at Houston, he finished 1x5 with a double, marking his first postseason hit.
- Led all Major League leftfielders and ranked tied for fifth among all outfielders with 14 defensive runs saved.
- Finished the season with 34 multi-hit games, which only trailed Colt Keith's 35 for the team lead...in 25 September games, he slashed .278/.348/.479 with four doubles, one triple, five homers and 18 RBI...among American League during the month, he ranked ninth in RBI and tied for ninth in extra-base hits (10).
- Hit a career-high 24 homers...became the ninth player in team history with 20+ homers in their age-23 season-or-younger (last, Spencer Torkelson in 2023).
- Was the Tigers youngest All-Star outfielder since Willie Horton in 1965.

### #77 Andy Ibáñez - INF/OF

**Height:** 5-11 **Weight:** 210 **B/T:** R/R **Age:** 31 (4/3/1993) **Birthplace:** Isla de la Juventud, CU  
**LAST GAME:** 10/7 at CLE: 0x2, SO at 2B  
**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** .000 (0x3) **2024 POSTSEASON:** .333 (2x6)  
**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** .333/.333/.667, 2 2B, 3 RBI, SO (4G)  
**SEASON LONG STREAK:** 5 (.450, 9x20, 5/7-5/13)

- Had a go-ahead, pinch-hit three-run double in the eighth inning last Wednesday at Houston...was the first go-ahead pinch hit base hit in franchise history...was just the seventh bases-loaded, go-ahead double in the eighth inning-or-later in MLB postseason history (last, Marcell Ozuna, Game 1 of 2019 NLDS).
- Made his postseason debut on October 1 at Houston and logged his first playoff knock with a third inning double off of Framber Valdez.
- Had 10 hits as a pinch hitter this season, which was tied for the American League lead and ranks tied for second in the Majors, trailing only Randal Grichuk (14).
- Against lefthanded pitchers this season, he slashed .292/.357/.445 with seven doubles, one triple, four homers and 24 RBI.

### #17 Jace Jung - INF

**Height:** 6-0 **Weight:** 205 **B/T:** L/R **Age:** 24 (10/4/2000) **Birthplace:** San Antonio, TX  
**LAST GAME:** 9/29 vs. CWS: 0x0, BB at PH/2B  
**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** N/A **2024 POSTSEASON:** N/A  
**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** NO POSTSEASON APPEARANCES  
**SEASON LONG STREAK:** 4 (.667, 4x6, 9/18-9/22)

- Went 1x2 with a double on September 22 at Baltimore...hit safely in a career-best four straight games from September 18-22.
- Had a game-tying, two out RBI single in the bottom of the ninth inning on August 18 vs. New York (AL)...marked the first RBI of his big league career.
- Recorded the first two hits of his Major League career on August 17 vs. New York (AL), going 2x4...made his Major League debut on August 16 against the Yankees.

### #33 Colt Keith - INF

**Height:** 6-3 **Weight:** 211 **B/T:** L/R **Age:** 23 (8/14/2001) **Birthplace:** Zanesville, OH  
**LAST GAME:** 10/7 at CLE: 0x3, SO at PH/2B  
**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** .000 (0x3) **2024 POSTSEASON:** .000 (0x9)  
**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** .000/.357/.000, R, 5 BB, 3 SO (3G)  
**SEASON LONG STREAK:** 9 (.436, 17x39, 8/17-8/26)

- Drew at least one walk in each of his first three postseason games, the first Tigers player to do so since Bill Freehan from October 2-5, 1968.
- Finished the season with a team-leading 35 multi-hit games, which led all American League rookies, while ranking fourth in all of baseball...his nine three-hit efforts were the second-most among MLB rookies this year, while he is tied for seventh among all MLB rookies with five games with multiple extra-base hits.
- Was Detroit's second rookie since 1988 to log 130+ hits, 30+ extra-base hits and 600 RBI in a season, joining Nick Castellanos in 2014...among MLB rookies (min. 200 PA) from May 8 until the end of the season, Keith ranked fourth in batting average (.284), hits (118) and total bases (178) and fifth in RBI (53).

### #44 Justyn-Henry Malloy - OF

**Height:** 6-2 **Weight:** 210 **B/T:** L/R **Age:** 24 (2/19/2000) **Birthplace:** New York, NY  
**LAST GAME:** 10/7 at CLE: 2x3 at DH  
**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** .667 (2x3) **2024 POSTSEASON:** .667 (4x6)  
**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** .667/.714/.667, BB, SO (4G)  
**SEASON LONG STREAK:** 5 (.412, 7x17, 6/29-7/5)

- Posted his first postseason multi-hit performance on Monday at Cleveland, going 2x3.
- Made his playoff debut on October 1 at Houston, going 1x2 with a walk.
- Reached base in a career-long 17 consecutive games from June 29-July 25...over the streak, which was the longest by a Tiger this year, he slashed .304/.400/.607 with one triple, five homers, nine runs and 12 RBI.

### #39 Zach McKinstry - INF/OF

**Height:** 6-0 **Weight:** 195 **B/T:** L/R **Age:** 29 (4/29/1995) **Birthplace:** Toledo, OH  
**LAST GAME:** 10/7 at CLE: 0x0 at 2B (def. replacement in 9th)  
**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** .500 (1x2) **2024 POSTSEASON:** .400 (2x5)  
**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** .400/.400/.800, 2 2B (3G)  
**SEASON LONG STREAK:** 11 (.533, 16x30, 8/17-8/31)

- Recorded his first career postseason hit last Wednesday at Houston, going 1x3 with a double.
- Finished the season 16-for-16 in stolen base attempts, joining Lawrence Butler as the only MLB players to steal at least 15 bases during the season and not be thrown out...was the first Tiger to do so since Quintin Berry went 21-for-21 in 2012.

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- Named Tigers Player of the Month for August after batting .368/.411/.544 with seven doubles, one triple, one home run and seven RBI in 23 games...among AL players with at least 70 plate appearances during the month, he ranked fourth in batting average and on-base percentage, ninth in OPS (.955) and tied for ninth in doubles.
- Had a career-best, 11-game hitting streak from August 17-31...over his streak, which was the longest by a Tiger this year, he slashed .533/.563/.733 with three doubles, one homer and five RBI.

### #22 Parker Meadows - OF

**Height:** 6-5 **Weight:** 185 **B/T:** L/R **Age:** 24 (11/2/1999) **Birthplace:** Snellville, GA  
**LAST GAME:** 10/7 at CLE: 1x4, SO at CF  
**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** .286 (2x7) **2024 POSTSEASON:** .250 (4x16)  
**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** .250/.250/.438, 2 R, HR, RBI, 5 SO, SB, CS (4G)  
**SEASON LONG STREAK:** 10 (.310, 13x42, 8/21-9/1)

- Has recorded a hit in each of his first four career postseason games, the first Tiger to do so since Don Kelly from October 2-6, 2011.
- Hit the first postseason homer of his career last Wednesday at Houston...was the sixth go-ahead homer in the sixth inning-or-later in Tigers postseason history (last, Delmon Young, Game 3 of the 2011 ALDS vs. New York (AL)).
- Over 47 games from August 3 until the end of the season, he slashed .296/.340/.500 with 10 doubles, five triples, six homers and 23 RBI...had a 2.0 fWAR in that span, which ranked tied for fifth in the American League.
- Launched an go-ahead grand slam, the first of his career, in a full count with two outs on September 5 at San Diego...his four RBI set a career high...became the second Tiger to hit a go-ahead grand slam when trailing with two strikes and two outs in the 9th inning, joining Alan Trammell on June 21, 1988 vs. New York (AL).

### #46 Wenceel Pérez - INF/OF

**Height:** 5-11 **Weight:** 170 **B/T:** S/R **Age:** 24 (10/30/1999) **Birthplace:** Azua, DR  
**LAST GAME:** 10/7 at CLE: 1x4, 2B, SO at RF  
**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** .200 (1x5) **2024 POSTSEASON:** .300 (3x10)  
**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** .300/.300/.400, R, 2B, 2 SO (3G)  
**SEASON LONG STREAK:** 9 (.333, 10x30, 7/5-7/13)

- Had a pair of hits on October 1 at Houston, becoming the first Tiger to record a multi-hit effort in his playoff debut since Andrew Romine on October 2, 2014 at Baltimore.
- With runners in scoring position this season, he had an .839 OPS with five doubles, one triple, four homers and 28 RBI...hit the first leadoff homer of his career and his ninth homer this season on August 7 at Seattle.
- Had a multi-homer performance in the second game of the doubleheader on April 30 vs. St. Louis...was the first Tiger to homer from both sides of the plate in a game since Victor Martinez on August 30, 2018 and was the first Tigers rookie to do so since Raul Casanova at Baltimore on June 6, 1996.

### #34 Jake Rogers - C

**Height:** 6-1 **Weight:** 201 **B/T:** R/R **Age:** 29 (4/18/1995) **Birthplace:** Canyon, TX  
**LAST GAME:** 10/7 at CLE: 1x3, R, BB, SO at C  
**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** .200 (1x5) **2024 POSTSEASON:** .308 (4x13)  
**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** .308/.400/.308, 2 R, RBI, 2 BB, 6 SO (4G)  
**SEASON LONG STREAK:** 6 (.333, 8x24, 4/27-5/7)

- In his playoff debut on October 1 at Houston, he became Detroit's 10th different catcher to ever record a postseason multi-hit effort (last, Alex Avila on October 13, 2013 at Boston).
- Ranked fifth among Major League catchers with 13 defensive runs saved.
- Logged three extra-base hits on August 13 vs. Seattle, including a pair of doubles and his fourth career grand slam...finished with a career-high seven RBI, tying the most in a Major League game this season...became the first Tiger with seven-or-more RBI in a game since Ryan Raburn did so on July 25, 2007 at Chicago (AL)...was the first Tigers catcher to ever log a game with three-or-more extra-base hits and seven-or-more runs batted in...became the first backstop to do so in all of baseball since Elias Díaz did so on September 9, 2022 vs. Arizona...his seven RBI matched the most in Comerica Park history, achieved most recently by Chicago (AL)'s Avisail García on September 14, 2017...was the second Tiger to do so in Comerica Park history, joining Bobby Higginson on June 13, 2000 vs. Toronto.

### #27 Trey Sweeney - INF

**Height:** 6-3 **Weight:** 212 **B/T:** L/R **Age:** 23 (4/24/2000) **Birthplace:** Louisville, KY  
**LAST GAME:** 10/7 at CLE: 1x4, R, 2 SO at SS  
**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** .143 (1x7) **2024 POSTSEASON:** .143 (2x14)  
**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** .143/.200/.143, R, RBI, BB, 7 SO, SB (4G)  
**SEASON LONG STREAK:** 5 (.350, 7x20, 9/17-9/22)

- Hit a two-out RBI single on October 1 at Houston, his first postseason hit and RBI...marked the first playoff left-on-left, two-out RBI by a Tiger since Sean Casey faced New York (AL)'s Randy Johnson on October 6, 2006.
- Had a pair of RBI on September 18 at Kansas City, his sixth multi-RBI game of the season...became the first Tigers player to have six games with two-or-more RBI within the first 28 games of his career since Hoot Evers in 1946.
- Launched a three-run blast in the first inning on September 11 vs. Colorado...logged his fourth home run of the year...was the second Tigers shortstop since 2009 with six-or-more hits, four-or-more runs scored and five-or-more RBI over any three game span (last, Javier Báez from June 21-24, 2022).

### #20 Spencer Torkelson - INF

**Height:** 6-1 **Weight:** 220 **B/T:** R/R **Age:** 25 (8/26/1999) **Birthplace:** Petaluma, CA  
**LAST GAME:** 10/7 at CLE: 0x4, 2 SO at 1B  
**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** .000 (0x7) **2024 POSTSEASON:** .000 (0x12)  
**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** .000/.200/.000, 3 BB, 7 SO, GIDP (4G)  
**SEASON LONG STREAK:** 8 (.310, 9x29, 5/5-5/13)

- Drew a pair of walks in his postseason debut on October 1 at Houston.
- Had two extra-base hits, including a two-run homer, and drove in three on September 25 vs. Tampa Bay...was his sixth game this year with multiple extra-base hits and his second game this season with multiple extra-base hits and three-or-more RBI.
- Hit a go-ahead, two-run homer in the fifth inning on September 1 vs. Boston, his eighth of the season...over 15 games from August 17-September 1, he hit .309/.367/.618 with three doubles, one triple, four home runs and 10 RBI.
- Went 4x4 with a double and run scored on August 20 at Chicago (NL), marking his third career four-hit game...his last time accomplishing the feat was almost a year prior (August 21, 2023), also against Chicago (NL)'s starter Javier Assad.

### #8 Matt Vierling - INF/OF

**Height:** 6-2 **Weight:** 215 **B/T:** R/R **Age:** 28 (9/16/1996) **Birthplace:** St. Louis, MO  
**LAST GAME:** 10/7 at CLE: 2x3, 2B, 2 BB, SO at 3B  
**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** .286 (2x7) **2024 POSTSEASON:** .267 (4x15)  
**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** .214/.333/.286, 3 R, 2 2B, 2 RBI, 5 BB, 11 SO, SAC, GIDP (16G)  
**SEASON LONG STREAK:** 7 twice (last, .438, 14x32, 5/26-6/2)

- Reached base four times on Monday at Cleveland, going 2x3 with a double and two walks...was the first Tiger to reach base four times in a postseason game since Austin Jackson on October 16, 2013 vs. Boston.
- Was Detroit's only active position player to enter the playoffs with prior postseason experience having played 12 games with Philadelphia in 2022.
- Established career highs in games played (144), hits (133), doubles (28), home runs (16) and RBI (57).
- Over 27 games from August 6-September 10, he slashed .304/.360/.461 with seven doubles, three homers and 11 RBI.
- Recorded his 100th career extra-base hit after homering in the first inning and doubling in the fifth inning on August 11 at San Francisco.



## BULLPEN NOTES

	W-L	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB-IBB	SO
<b>STARTERS</b>	1-1	2.57	14.0	10	4	4	2-0	15
<b>RELIEVERS</b>	2-0	2.57	21.0	13	6	6	8-1	19
<b>TOTAL</b>	3-1	2.57	35.0	23	10	10	10-1	34

To view Tigers 2024 and career stats vs. Cleveland and career at Comerica Park, please visit the below link

<https://tigers.box.com/v/bullpen-page-supplement>

### #4 Beau Brieske - RHP

**Height:** 6-3 **Weight:** 200 **B/T:** R/R **Age:** 26 (4/4/1998) **Birthplace:** Chandler, AZ  
**LAST GAME:** 10/7 at CLE: 1.0 IP, 0 H, 0 R, 0 BB, 2 SO, SV

**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** 0-0, SV, 0.00 ERA (1.0IP/OER), 0 H, 0 BB, 2 SO

**2024 POSTSEASON:** 0-0, 2 SV, 0.00 ERA (3.1IP/OER), 0 H, 2 BB, 3 SO

**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** 0-0, 2 SV, 0.00 ERA (3.1IP/OER), 0 H, 2 BB, 3 SO (3G)

- Earned his second save of the postseason on Monday at Cleveland, striking out two in a perfect ninth inning.
- Made his postseason debut on October 1 at Houston, walking one in a scoreless two-thirds of an inning to pick up the save...according to the Elias Sports Bureau, he became the first pitcher in franchise history to record a save in his first career playoff game.
- Allowed just two earned runs over 12 appearances in September, posting a 1.06 ERA (17.0IP/2ER) with 15 strikeouts.
- Started consecutive games on September 13-14 vs. Baltimore, combining to throw 2.1 hitless innings with two walks and three strikeouts...became the first Tigers pitcher to start back-to-back team games, which were on consecutive days since George Uhle on August 4-5, 1929.

### #68 Jason Foley - RHP

**Height:** 6-4 **Weight:** 215 **B/T:** R/R **Age:** 28 (11/1/1995) **Birthplace:** Manhasset, NY

**LAST GAME:** 10/1 at HOU: 0.1 IP, 3 H, R, ER, 0 BB, 0 SO

**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** N/A

**2024 POSTSEASON:** 0-0, 27.00 ERA (0.1IP/1ER), 3 H, 0 BB, 0 SO

**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** 0-0, 27.00 ERA (0.1IP/1ER), 3 H, 0 BB, 0 SO (1G)

- Made his playoff debut on October 1 at Houston, pitching in the ninth inning and giving up a run on three hits in a third of an inning.
- Finished the season with 28 saves, which ranked tied for fifth in the American League and tied for ninth in the Majors...successfully converted 13 of his final 14 save opportunities.
- Did not give up an earned run in 18 consecutive outings from August 3-September 11, throwing 16.0 innings in that stretch and giving up six hits with five walks and 14 strikeouts.

### #73 Sean Guenther - LHP

**Height:** 5-11 **Weight:** 194 **B/T:** L/L **Age:** 28 (12/29/1995) **Birthplace:** Atlanta, GA

**LAST GAME:** 10/5 at CLE: 0.1 IP, 0 H, 0 R, 0 BB, 0 SO

**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** 0-0, 0.00 ERA (0.1IP/OER), 0 H, 0 BB, 0 SO

**2024 POSTSEASON:** 1-0, 0.00 ERA (2.0IP/OER), 0 H, 0 BB, 0 SO

**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** 1-0, 0.00 ERA (2.0IP/OER), 0 H, 0 BB, 0 SO (2G)

- Earned the win in his postseason debut last Wednesday at Houston, pitching 1.2 perfect innings.
- Closed the season by allowing just one earned run in his last 16 appearances from August 22-September 28, going 3-0 with a 0.46 ERA (19.2IP/1ER) and 12 strikeouts...had a 0.51 WHIP over that stretch and limited opponents to a .125 batting average.
- Picked up his first Major League win on August 26 at Chicago (AL), allowing a hit and striking out one in 1.2 innings...also recorded victories on September 22 at Baltimore and September 25 vs. Tampa Bay.

### #75 Brenan Hanifée - RHP

**Height:** 6-5 **Weight:** 215 **B/T:** R/R **Age:** 26 (5/29/1998) **Birthplace:** Harrisonburg, VA

**LAST GAME:** 10/2 at HOU: 1.2 IP, H, 0 R, BB, 2 SO

**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** N/A

**2024 POSTSEASON:** 0-0, 0.00 ERA (1.2IP/OER), H, BB, 2 SO

**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** 0-0, 0.00 ERA (1.2IP/OER), H, BB, 2 SO (1G)

- Made his playoff debut last Wednesday at Houston, allowing a hit with one walk and two strikeouts in 1.2 scoreless innings.
- Allowed only one earned run over 13 outings from August 4-September 7, posting a 0.49 ERA (18.1IP/1ER) with 13 hits allowed, three walks and 12 strikeouts.
- Made his first career Major League start on August 8 at Seattle, throwing 2.0 hitless innings with one walk and one strikeout...according to the Elias Sports Bureau, he became the first Tigers pitcher to finish and then start consecutive games since Steve Sparks, who finished the July 26, 2000 game vs. Tampa Bay and started on July 27, 2000 at Texas.

### #87 Tyler Holton - LHP

**Height:** 6-2 **Weight:** 200 **B/T:** L/L **Age:** 28 (6/13/1996) **Birthplace:** Tallahassee, FL

**LAST GAME:** 10/5 at CLE: 0.0 IP, 3 H, 4 R, 4 ER, BB, 0 SO, L

**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** 0-1, --- ERA (0.0IP/4ER), 3 H, BB, SO

**2024 POSTSEASON:** 0-1, 27.00 ERA (1.1IP/4ER), 3 H, BB, SO

**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** 0-1, 27.00 ERA (1.1IP/4ER), 3 H, BB, SO (3G)

- Started last Wednesday's game at Houston, striking out one in a scoreless inning...became the ninth pitcher to start a postseason game after pitching the previous day.
- Made his postseason debut on October 1 at Houston, retiring the only batter he faced.
- Led all Major League pitchers (min. 90.0 innings) with a 0.78 WHIP, a .173 opponent batting average, a .222 opponent on-base percentage and a .500 opponent OPS, while ranking second with a .279 opponent slugging percentage and third with a 2.19 ERA (94.1IP/23ER).
- From June 29-September 18, he had a 4-0 record with six saves, a 0.38 ERA (47.1IP/2ER) and 37 strikeouts...dating back to 1913, his 0.38 ERA was the lowest in any 33-game span by a Tigers pitcher (min. 40.0 innings), while it was the lowest for any MLB pitcher since Cla Meredith from July 23-September 26, 2006.

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- Since the start of the 2023 season, his 63 multi-inning relief outings are the second-most in the Major Leagues...over that same span, his 0.82 WHIP and .226 opponent on-base percentage leads all Major League relievers (min. 100.0 innings), while ranking third with a .517 opponent OPS, fourth with a .178 opponent batting average, sixth with a 2.23 ERA (161.2IP/40ER) and seventh with a .290 opponent slugging percentage.

### #48 Brant Hurter - LHP

**Height:** 6-6 **Weight:** 255 **B/T:** L/L **Age:** 26 (9/6/1998) **Birthplace:** Canton, GA

**LAST GAME:** 10/2 at HOU: 1.2 IP, 2 H, 0 R, BB, 0 SO, HB

**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** N/A

**2024 POSTSEASON:** 0-0, 0.00 ERA (1.2IP/OER), 2 H, BB, 0 SO, HB

**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** 0-0, 0.00 ERA (1.2IP/OER), 2 H, BB, 0 SO, HB (1G)

- Made his playoff debut last Wednesday at Houston, allowing two hits with one walk in 1.2 scoreless innings.
- Threw 5.2 no-hit innings with one walk and a career-high eight strikeouts on September 13 vs. Baltimore...matched the second-longest, no-hit outing by a Tigers reliever in franchise history and the first of at least 5.2 innings since Ed Glynn threw 6.0 no-hit innings on September 5, 1976 vs. Milwaukee.
- Picked up his sixth win of the season on September 27 vs. Chicago (AL), allowing a run on two hits with one strikeout in 4.0 innings of relief...was the first Tiger to record six-or-more wins over his first 10 Major League appearances since Michael Fulmer won seven of his first 10 in 2016.

### #21 Jackson Jobe - RHP

**Height:** 6-2 **Weight:** 190 **B/T:** R/R **Age:** 22 (7/30/2002) **Birthplace:** Irving, TX

**LAST GAME:** 10/2 at HOU: 0.1 IP, 2 H, 2 R, 2 ER, 0 BB, 0 SO, HB, BS

**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** N/A

**2024 POSTSEASON:** 0-0, BS, 54.00 ERA (0.1IP/2ER), 2 H, 0 BB, 0 SO, HB

**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** 0-0, BS, 54.00 ERA (0.1IP/2ER), 2 H, 0 BB, 0 SO, HB (1G)

- Pitched in his first postseason game last Wednesday at Houston...at 22 years and 64 days old, was the fourth-youngest pitcher to appear in a postseason game, trailing only Joel Zumaya (2006), Fred Hutchinson (1940) and Ralph Works (1909).
- Made his second big league outing on September 28 vs. Chicago (AL), tossing 3.0 hitless innings with a walk and two strikeouts...struck out Jacob Amaya looking for his first Major League punchout.
- Debuted on September 25 vs. Tampa Bay, closing out Detroit's win with a scoreless ninth inning.
- Selected by the Tigers in the first round (third overall) of the 2021 MLB Draft out of Heritage Hall High School, Jobe is ranked as the top prospect in the Tigers organization and the No. 2 prospect in the sport by *Baseball America*.

### #36 Ty Madden - RHP

**Height:** 6-4 **Weight:** 215 **B/T:** R/R **Age:** 24 (2/21/2000) **Birthplace:** Houston, TX

**LAST GAME:** 10/5 at CLE: 0.2 IP, H, 2 R, 2 ER, 3 BB, IBB, SO

**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** 0-0, 27.00 ERA (0.2IP/2ER), H, 3 BB, IBB, SO

**2024 POSTSEASON:** 0-0, 27.00 ERA (0.2IP/2ER), H, 3 BB, IBB, SO

**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** 0-0, 27.00 ERA (0.2IP/2ER), H, 3 BB, IBB, SO (1G)

- Made his postseason debut on Saturday at Cleveland, throwing two-thirds of an inning.
- Picked up the first win of his Major League career on September 8 at Oakland, tossing 5.0 innings and allowing one run on five hits with one walk and seven strikeouts.
- Made his Major League debut on August 26 at Chicago (AL), giving up two runs, one earned, on four hits with three walks and two strikeouts in 5.0 innings.

### #19 Will Vest - RHP

**Height:** 6-0 **Weight:** 180 **B/T:** R/R **Age:** 29 (6/6/1995) **Birthplace:** Houston, TX

**LAST GAME:** 10/7 at CLE: 1.0 IP, 0 H, 0 R, 0 BB, SO, W

**2024 DIVISION SERIES:** 1-0, 0.00 ERA (1.0IP/OER), 0 H, 0 BB, SO

**2024 POSTSEASON:** 1-0, SV, 0.00 ERA (3.2IP/OER), 0 H, 0 BB, 6 SO

**CAREER POSTSEASON STATS:** 1-0, SV, 0.00 ERA (3.2IP/OER), 0 H, 0 BB, 6 SO (3G)

- Picked up his first postseason win on Monday at Cleveland, striking out one in a perfect inning...has not allowed a run in his first three playoff outings, throwing 3.2 scoreless innings.
- Earned his first playoff save last Wednesday at Houston, striking out one in a perfect ninth inning to close out the series sweep.
- Made his postseason debut on Tuesday at Houston, striking out four over 1.2 scoreless innings...joined Doug Fister (September 30, 2011 at NYY) as the only relievers in franchise history to strike out four-or-more batters in their first career playoff game.
- Inherited 49 runners during the season, which was tied for the third most in the Majors...was the most inherited runners for a Tigers reliever since Phil Coke inherited 52 in 2014.
- Had 19 multi-inning relief appearances during the season, posting a 2-1 record with a 2.10 ERA (30.0IP/7ER) and 20 strikeouts.