## MINNESOTA TWINS (32-25) at HOUSTON ASTROS (25-33)

SATURDAY, JUNE 1, 2024 • 3:10 PM (CT) • TV: BALLY SPORTS NORTH • RADIO: TIBN, WCCO, THE WOLF RHP Joe Ryan (4-3, 2.96) vs. LHP Framber Valdez (3-3, 4.34)
AME 58
ROAD GAME 29

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| Road Record: .................................16- |  |  |
| Record in series:........................... 10-6-2 |  |  |
| Record in home series:.................... 5-4-0 |  |  |
| Record in road series: ..................... 5-2-2 |  |  |
| Series Openers:...............................10-9 |  |  |
| Series Finales: ...................................9-9 |  |  |
| Rubber Games: |  |  |
| Sweeps/Swept: |  |  |
| March/April: ..................................16-13 |  |  |
| May:.............................................16-12 |  |  |
| June: ............................................................................... |  |  |
| July: |  |  |
| August: |  |  |
| September/October |  |  |
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| Night Games: |  |  |
| vs. American League East:..................4-8 |  |  |
| vs. American League Central:...........15-11 |  |  |
| vs. American League West:..................9-2 |  |  |
| vs. National League:..........................4-4 |  |  |
| Games vs. LH Starter: ..................................10-6 |  |  |
| Games vs. RH Starter:..........................2-19 |  |  |
| Twins score first:......................................21-8 |  |  |
| Opponent scores first: .....................11-17 |  |  |
| Come-from-behind wins: ..................... 13 |  |  |
| Leading after 7/8 inn.: ...............26-1/27-0 |  |  |
| Trailing after 7/8 inn.: ................5-22/1-22 |  |  |
| Tied after 7/8 inn.:.......................1-2/4-3 |  |  |
| Extra-innings:...................................1-0 |  |  |
| 1-run games:.................................................-4 |  |  |
| When Twins score 4+:.......................25-5 |  |  |
| When Twins score 3-:.......................7-20 |  |  |
| Twins out-hit opp.:............................22-0 |  |  |
| Opp. out-hit Twins: ..........................6-22 |  |  |
| Twins/Opp. have $=$ hits:......................3-3 |  |  |
| Run Differential:.................. +8 (254-246) |  |  |
| Twins get Quality Start: .....................17-6 |  |  |
| Twins starter goes 6+ IP: ....................18-6 |  |  |
| Most games over .500:....... 8, 2x, last 5/14 |  |  |
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| Longest win-streak: .............. 12, 4/22-5/4 |  |  |
| Longest losing-streak:..............7, 5/14-20 |  |  |
| Twins get 10+ hits:...........................15-3 |  |  |
| Days in First Place....................................... 4 |  |  |
| Days in Second Place .......................... 10 |  |  |
| Days in Third Place ............................ 23 |  |  |
| Days in Fourth Place.......................... 25 |  |  |
| Days in Fifth Place................................. |  |  |
| Walk-Off W/L: .................................... $1 / 2$ |  |  |
| Shutouts W/L: ...................................... $2 / 3$ |  |  |
| CG (Twins)::........................................... |  |  |
| Average Time of Game (Twins):........... 2:36 |  |  |
| Attendance High (Home):... $35,595,4 / 4 \mathrm{vs}$. CLE |  |  |
| Attendance Total (Home): ............. 596,827 |  |  |
| Attendance Average:..................... 20,580 |  |  |
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## RECENT TRANSACTIONS

8 RHP Castillo contract selected from AAA RHP Topa transterred to 60 -day IL
$5 / 27$ LHP Funderburk optioned to AAA RHP Winder reinstated from 60-day IL, optioned to AAA
5/26 RHP Jackson cleared waivers accepted assignment to AAA
5/24 RHP Alcala recalled from AAA RHP Boushley optioned to AAA
5/19 RHP Boushley recalled from AAA RHP Jackson designated for release or assignment
5/18 OF Buxton returned from rehab assignment, reinstated from 10-day IL UTL Martin optioned to AAA
5/8 RHP Staumont recalled from AAA RHP Alcala optioned to AAA
5/3 RHP Stewart placed on 10-day IL LHP Funderburk recalled from AAA OF Buxton placed on 10-day IL UTL Martin recalled from AAA RHP Alcala recalled from AAA

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THE TWINS: After completing their seven-game homestand with a record of 5-2 (2-1 vs. Texa and 3-1 vs. Kansas City), the Twins began their nine-game, 10 -day roadtrip with a win ove three at Minute Maid Park atter tomorrow afternoon's game they will travel to New York for an off-day on Monday, then play the Yankees for three games from Tuesday-Thursday....fter New York, the Twins will travel to Pittsburgh to play the Pirates for three games next weekend. $\Phi$ Since April 22 , the Twins have gone 25--22, tied with New York-AL (25-12) for the second-best record in baseball since that date, trailing Philadelphia (26-10).
ter a seven-game losing streak from May 14-20, the Twins have gone 8-2 since May 21
HOUSTON, WE HAVE A GOATEE: The Twins beat the Astros last night by a score of 6-1 at Minute Maid Park...Pablo López (5-5) was the starter and winner, allowing one run on six
hits in 70 innings pitched with one walk and six strikeouts...Steven Okert (1.0|P) and Cole hits in 1.0 innings pitched, with one walk and six strikeouts...steven Okert (1.0IP) and Cole Sands (1.0) relieved López as the three combined to retire the final 15 Astros hitters faced...
the offense recorded just six hits and walked four times...Trevor Larnach drove in two runs with a two-run homer in the fifth inning, his fifth homer of the season...Carlos Santana also with a two-run homer in the tith inning, , is sitth homer of the s
homered, hitting his eighth of the season in the eighth inning.
FIRE ON THE MOUND-TAIN: Below are Joe Ryan's AL rankings in a few categories:




SPACEBALLS: After going 0-6 against the Astros in 2022, the Twins have gone 5-2 in regular season games vs. Houston since the start of 2023...in that span, they have outscored the Stros $35-26 \ldots$ the wwins are 40-44 all-time against the Astros in the regular season, including a record of $29-35$ since Houston joined the American League in 2013.
$\Phi$ Alex Kirilloft is hitting .391 (9-for-23) with seven walks, a .531 on-base percentage and $\Phi$ Former Astro Christian Varzquez is hitting 315 nas vs. Houston.
Former Astro Christian Vazquez is hitting .315 (34-for-108) with 19 RBI and an . 804 OPS
in 34 career regular season games vs. Houston...the .315 batting average is his highest against any AL opponent.
TRAVELERS INSURANCE: After starting the season 5-7 in their first 12 games away from Target Field, the Twins have gone $11-5$ in their last 16 road games...over the 16 -game stretch, the \$ Carlos Correa has reached safely in 12 straight road games postin.
Carceste 535 , क Willi Castro is bitting 36 (22-for-61) with six doubles three triples on
nn-base percentage a 607 slugging percentage and a t inee triples, one home run, a .418
on-base percentage a
MIRANDA WATCHI: Over his last 29 games, dating back to April 25, Jose Miranda is hitting $.300(30$-for-100) with seven doubles, tour ho
a .490 slugging percentage and an .820 OPS.
DON'T STOP RELIEVIN': Over the last 10 games, the Twins bullpen has gone 3-0, 1.59 ERA 34.0 IP, 6 ER) with eight walks, 30 strikeouts, a 151 opponent batting average, 11 holds and six saves in sxx opportunities...their. 11 opponent batting average, 218 slugging percentage, 211 on-base percentage and .198 WOBA all lead baseball in that span
SOUTHPAW STUFF: Twins hitters are slashing .265/.312/.432 with a 743 OPS vs. left-handed pitching compared to $.221 / .303 / 385$ with a .688 OPS vs. right-handed pitching...the . 265 average vs. lefties ranks fourth among AL teams and seventh in all of baseball.
\$ Willi Castro is hitting 396 (19-for-48) with a 993 OPS vs left-handed pitch that date last 19 games, he is 19 -for- 38 -(0-500) with a 1.223 OPS vs. lefties. $\Phi$ The Twins last faced Framber Valdez in Game 2 of the ALDS at Minute Maid Park, their only win of the series...they scored five runs on seven hits and walked three times off the onfy win of the series...they scored five runs on seven hits and warked hiree twes orf her
letty; Correa went 2 -for-2 with a double and a walk, while Kyle Farmer hit a wo-run homer.

TWINS TRY MEATLOAF (2 OUT OF 3 AIN'T BAD) THE 'STROS: The Twins have gone 10-6-2 in series play this season, going 5-4-0 at home and 5-2-2 on the road...a win today or tomorrow $\Phi$ Twins are looking for their third consecutive regular season series win serainst the Astros... they have won three-straight series vs. Houston once: 2000, 2001 and 2006 in Interleague Play

ROYCE ON REHAB: Royce Lewis is currently on rehab assignment with Triple-A St. Paul....he DH'ed last night, going 0 -for-4...through five rehab games, Lewis is 3 -for- 19 with one double, seven strikeouts and one stolen base...St. Paul plays at Rochester again tonight at $5: 45 \mathrm{pm}$ (CT)...Lewis sustained a right quad strain on Opening Day, March 28 at Kansas City, while running the bases.
TWINS MILB MONTHLYS: Double-A Wichita infielder Luke Keaschall and Triple-A St. Paul right-handed pitcher David Festa have been named Twins minor league Player and Pitcher Ke man
$\Phi$ Keaschall, 21 , played in 27 games between Wichita and High-A Cedar Rapids, slashing
 round (49th overall) of the 2023 First-Year Player Draft out of Arizona State University he is ranked as the ciu's ninth-best pres per MLB.com - second among infielders. IP, 7 ER), seven walks 30 strikeouts, a . 224 opponent batting average and a 1.20 WHIP in four starts for the Saints in May the Verona N) native was selected by the Twins in the 13th round of the 2021 First-Y Yar Play Draft out of Seton Hall University.....


## STARTING PITAHER

## JOE RYAN <br> Height: 6-2 Woight 193 <br> B/: R/R <br>  <br> 2024: 4-3, 2.96 ERA CAREER: 30-22, 3.87 ERA

$\Phi$ Making 12th start of 2024 and 73 rd of career.
$\Phi$ Making his fourth career regular season start against the Houston Astros....made his last start against Kansas City on May 27, a 6 -5 Twins win...earned his fourth win of the season, allowing one run on four hits, no walks and nine strikeouts in 7.0 innings.
$\Phi$ Ranks fifth among all qualified pitchers with an 8.11 strikeout-to-walk ratio.


LAST TIME OUT: Last pitched on May 27 against the Kansas City Royals...earned his fourth victory of the season and 30 th of his career...improved to $6-0$ vs. Kansas City, his most wins against any opponent in his career...allowed just one base runner in the first 5.0 innings before allowing three hits and a run - on a Vinnie Pasquantino single - in the sixth...allowed one run on four hits, no walks and nine strikeouts in 7.0 innings....generated 15 swings and misses on 49 swings ( $30.6 \%$ )...in his last two starts he is $2-0,0.64 \mathrm{ERA}(14.0 \mathrm{IP}, 1 \mathrm{ER})$, seven hits, two walks and 15 strikeouts...lowered his season ERA from 3.15 to 2.96 .
$\Phi$ Threw the hardest pitch of his career at 96.6 mph , a ball to Nelson Velázquez.
$\Phi$ Ranks fifth among all qualified pitchers with an 8.11 strikeout-to-walk ratio...also ranks third among all qualified pitchers by averaging 1.21 walks-per- 9.0 innings.
क Is $3-1,2.05 \mathrm{ERA}(26.1 \mathrm{IP}, 6 \mathrm{ER}$ ) with a 196 (19-for-97) opponent batting average in his last four starts, since May 10.

TWO STARTS AGO: Made his 10th start of the season on May 21 against the Nationals; earned his third win of the season, allowing three hits, two walks and six strikeouts in 7.0 scoreless innings... matched his season high with 7.0 innings (also May 10 at Toronto)...collected his team-leading seventh quality start of the season.
$\Phi$ Last start of 7.0 -or-more scoreless innings was on June 22, 2023, when he threw a completegame shutout vs. Boston.
$\Phi$ Issued two walks for the first time since September 18, 2023 against the Reds.
VS. HOUSTON: Facing Houston Astros for the fourth time in his career during regular season...in the previous three regular season starts he is 1-2, 8.36 ERA (14.0 IP, 13 ER), nine walks, 19 strikeouts, previous three regular season starts he is 1-2, 8.36 ERA (14.0
a 1.43 WHIP and a . 208 (11-for-53) opponent batting average.
$\Phi$ Started Game 4 of the 2023 ALDS vs. Houston allowing one run (HR - Brantley) on two hits with one strikeout in 2.0 innings of work...was followed by five relievers...Twins lost 3-2 and eliminated.
$\Phi$ His last regular season start against Houston came on May 30, 2023 at Minute Maid Park...took
the loss, allowed five runs on four hits (2 HR), three walks and six strikeouts in 4.0 innings.
His only win came on April 8, 2023 at Target Field when he allowed four runs on three hits ( 1
$H R$ ), one walk and 10 strikeouts in 6.0 innings of a 9-6 Twins win,
BACK ON THE ROAD: Through five starts on the road in 2024, Ryan has gone 2-0 with a 1.44 ERA (31.1 IP, 5 ER), five walks, 33 strikeouts and two home runs compared to 2-3, 4.29 ERA (35.2 IP, 17 ER), four walks, 40 strikeouts and five home runs in six home starts
$\Phi$ In 34 career road starts, he is 14-10, 4.00 ERA (186.2 IP, 83 ER), 169 hits, 43 walks and 195 strikeouts...Twins are 21-13 in Ryan's 34 road starts.
$\Phi$ Since making his debut in 2021, he leads all Twins pitchers with 14 road wins...behind him are Griffin Jax and Bailey Ober tied with (9).
$\Phi$ Has allowed seven home runs this year...two have come on the road.
LEFT-RIGHT SPLITS: In 2024, left-handed hitters have slashed .195/.237/.495 with six extra-base hits, including one home run, four walks and 38 strikeouts in 128 plate appearances vs. Ryan, while right-handed hitters have slashed $.233 / .261 / 442$ with nine doubles, six home runs, five walks and 35 strikeouts in 134 plate appearances.
$\Phi$ Over his career, lefties are batting. 206 ( 149 -for- 725 ) with 28 doubles, four triples and 21 home runs and a .612 OPS...right-handed hitters are batting .241 (191-for-794) with 48 doubles, no triples and, 42 home runs with a .742 OPS.
$\Phi$ In three regular season games vs. Ryan, Houston left-handed hitters have hit. 133 (2-for-15) with one home run, four walks and five strikeouts with a .649 OPS...right-handed hitters have hit .237 (9-for-38) with one double, two home runs, five walks and 14 strikeouts with a .739 OPS. $\Phi$ In his last start against Kansas City, right-handed hitters hit went 2 -for-17 with no walks and 10 strikeouts.

THE ARSENAL: Ryan has primarily used a four-pitch mix in 11 starts this season...has leaned on his 4 -seam fastball and split finger the most, combining to throw the two pitches 70.2 percent of the time in his last start against the Royals.... here is Ryan's 2024 repertoire, per Baseball Savant: PITCH (AVG. MPH) PCT. (\# OF PITCHES, VS. RHB/LHB) RESULTS
4-Seam Fastball ( 93.8 )......... $47.0 \%$ (481 pitches, 260/221).. 184 (19-for-103), $52 \mathrm{~B}, 13 \mathrm{BB}, 3 \mathrm{HR}, 37 \mathrm{~K}$ Split Finger ( 88.7 )................. $25.2 \%(258$ pitches, $77 / 181$ ) $174(12$-for-69), $32 \mathrm{ZB}, 03 \mathrm{OB}, 1 \mathrm{HR}, 21 \mathrm{~K}$ Sweeper (81.9) ........................ $14.0 \%$ ( 143 pitches, $105 / 38$ ) . 244 ( 11 -for-45), 32 B, $03 \mathrm{3B}, 2$ HR, 14 K Slider ( 87.0 ) ............................11.7\% ( 125 pitches, $80 / 45$ ).... 333 (9-for-27), $22 \mathrm{~B}, 03 \mathrm{~B}, 1 \mathrm{HR}, 1 \mathrm{~K}$ Sinker ( 92.0 ).................................... $1 \%$ ( 17 pitches, $15 / 2$ )............. 375 ( 3 -for- 8$), 02 \mathrm{~B}, 03 \mathrm{~B}, 0 \mathrm{HR}, 0 \mathrm{~K}$
$\Phi$ In his last start four starts against Toronto, New York-AL, Washington and Kansas City, hitters have gone 2 -for- 30 vs. the split finger with seven strikeouts.
$\Phi$ In his last two starts against the Nationals and Kansas City, hitters went 0 -for-22 vs. the 4-Seam fastball with 13 strikeouts.
© Right-handed hitters are hitting 200 (11-for-55) with three home runs and 19 strikeouts against the 4 -seam fastball in 2024...left-handed hitters are hitting . 167 ( 8 -for-48) with two extra-base hits (2B, 3B) and 18 strikeouts.

RUNNERS ON: With runners in scoring position vs. Ryan, opponents are hitting 267 (12-for-45) with two home runs, one walk and 12 strikeouts...with the bases empty, opponents are hitting . 184 (32-for-174) with four home runs, six walks and 55 strikeouts.

DAYTIME NUMBERS: Making his seventh daytime start of the year... has gone 1-3 with a 3.28 ERA (35.2 $\mathbb{P}, 13 \mathrm{ER}$ ) in his six daytime starts this season, compared to $3-0$ with a $2.59 \mathrm{ERA}(31.1 \mathrm{IP}, 9 \mathrm{ER}$ ) at night.

CLIMBING THE LADDER: Enters today with 451 career strikeouts, 29th in Twins history (1961-present)...next up is Tyler Duffey in 28th place with 466.

QUALITY STARTER: Recorded six quality starts in his last seven starts...leads the Twins with eight Quality starts this season...has allowed three-or-fewer earned runs in 10 of his 11 starts.
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## 2024 HIGHS

CG's: -
CG Low-Hit:
Innings: 7.0, 2x, last 5/21 at WAS SO's: 12, 4/13 at DET (G1) Walks: 2, last $5 / 21$ at WAS Hits: 7, 4/19 vs. DET Home Runs: 2, 4/24 vs. CWS Win-Streak: 2, 1x last 5/21-present Loss-Streak: 1, 3x, last 5/16

## CAREER HIGHS

CG's: 1, 6/22/23 vs. BOS SHO's: $1,6 / 22 / 23$ vs. BOS CG Low-Hit: $3,6 / 22 / 23$ vs. BOS Innings: $9.0,6 / 22 / 23$ vs. BOS SO's: 12, 4/1/3/24 at DET (G1) Walks: $5,5 / 10 / 22$ vs. Hou Hits: $9,3 x$, last $8 / 2 / 23$ at STL Home Runs: $5,2 \mathrm{x}$, last $6 / 27 / 23$ at ATL Win-Streak: 8, 9/13/22-4/25/23 Loss-Streak: 3, 5/30-6/16/23

## CAREER NOTES

- 2024 marks his sixth professional season, including 2020
- Made first career Postseason start in 2023 vs. Houston (ND, 2.0 IP, 2 H, 1R/ER, 1HR, 0 BB, - In 20 - In 2023, set career highs in starts (29), innings pitched (161.2) and strikeouts (197). - In 2022, his first full major league season, was Twins Opening Day starter and led both the - Made his maior rookies in wins (13), innings pitched (147.0) and strikeouts (151). 3 H, 3 R/3 ER, $1 \mathrm{HR}, 1 \mathrm{BB}, 5 \mathrm{~K}$ ).
- Helped Team USA win the silver medal in baseball at the 2020 Tokyo Olympics...went 1-0, 1.74 ERA ( $10.1 \mathrm{IP}, 2 \mathrm{ER}$ ), one walk and eight strikeouts in two starts.
- Acquired by the Twins on July 22, 2021 from the Tampa Bay Rays, along with right-handed pitcher Drew Strotman, in exchange for designated hitter Nelson Cruz..learned about the
trade while in Japan with Team USA. training site in Port Charlotte, Florida...ranked by Baseball America as the №. 12 prospect in the Rays system following the season.
- In 2019, was named Rays minor league Pitcher of the Year after going 9-4, 1.96 ERA (123.2 IP, 27 ER) in his first full professional season...divided the year between Low-A Bowling Green ( 6 starts), High-A Charlotte ( 15 games, 13 starts) and Double-A Montgom ery (3 starts)
Garnered several other awards in 2019, including: MiLB.com organization All-Star honors, Baseball America High Class A All-Star, two-time Florida State League Pitcher of the Week (June 17-23 and August 5-11) and Rays Minor League Pitcher of the Month for July and August.
- Made professional debut in 2018 for Short-A Hudson Valley.....went 2-1, 3.72 ERA (36.1 IP,

15 ER) in 12 games ( 7 starts) for the Renegades, with 14 walks and 51 strikeouts.

- Selected by the Rays in the seventh round of the 2018 First-Year Player Draft out of Division II California State University, Stanislaus.
- Went 8-1, 1.65 ERA (98.1 IP, 18 ER) in 14 starts as a senior at Stanislaus and led all teams...pitched three seasons at California State University, Northridge before transferrin teams....pitched
to Stanislaus.


## 2024 MISC. NUMBERS

|  | W | L | ERA | G/GS | IP | ER |  |  | AVG | H | AB | HR | BB |
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| SO |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Home: | 2 | 3 | 4.29 | $6 / 6$ | 35.2 | 17 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Road: | 2 | 0 | 1.44 | $5 / 5$ | 31.1 | 5 | Vs. Left: | .195 | 24 | 123 | 1 | 4 | 38 |
| Vs. Right: | .233 | 30 | 129 | 6 | 5 | 35 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Day: | 1 | 3 | 3.28 | $6 / 6$ | 35.2 | 13 | TOTALS: | .214 | 54 | 252 | 7 | 9 | 73 |
| Night: | 3 | 0 | 2.59 | $5 / 5$ | 31.1 | 9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Grass: | 3 | 3 | 3.15 | $10 / 10$ | 60.0 | 21 | None On: | .184 | 32 | 174 | 4 | 6 | 55 |
| Turf: | 1 | 0 | 1.29 | $1 / 1$ | 7.0 | 1 | Runners 0 On: ..282 | 22 | 78 | 3 | 3 | 18 |  |


| YEAR | STARTS | 6+IP | QS | YEar | STARTS | 6+ IP | QS |
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| 2021 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 2024 | 11 | 8 | 9 |
| 2022 | 27 | 11 | 11 | TOTALS | 72 | 37 | 34 |
| 2023 | 29 | 17 | 14 |  |  |  |  |

## MORE 2024 MISCELLANEOUS NUMBERS

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## 2024 RUNS/HITS PER INNING

| INNING: | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | $\mathbf{5}$ | $\mathbf{6}$ | 7 | 8 | $9_{+}$ |
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| RUNS/HITS: $5 / 11$ | $3 / 3$ | $5 / 9$ | $1 / 10$ | $3 / 9$ | $5 / 12$ | $0 / 0$ | -1 | -- |  |

## RYAN VS. HOUSTON (RECULAR SEASON)

2023 vs. Houston (2 starts): 1-1, 8.10 ERA (10.0 IP, 9 ER), 4 BB, 16 K
2023 vs. Houston at Home ( 1 start): 1-0, 6.00 ERA ( $6.0 \mathrm{IP}, 4 \mathrm{ER}$ ), $1 \mathrm{BB}, 10 \mathrm{~K}$ 2023 vs. Houston on Road (1 start): 0-1, 11.25 ERA ( 4.0 IP, 5 ER), 3 BB, 6 K Career vs. Houston (3 starts): 1-2, 8.36 ERA ( $14.0 \mathrm{IP}, 13 \mathrm{ER}$ ), $9 \mathrm{BB}, 19 \mathrm{~K}$
Career vs. Houston at Home (2 starts): 1-1, 7.20 ERA ( 10.0 IP, 8 ER), 6 BB, 13 K
Career vs. Houston on Road (1 start): 0-1, 11.25 ERA ( $4.0 \mathrm{IP}, 5$ ER), 3 BB, 6 K

## BATTER-PITCHER MATCH-UPS

| Ryan vs. Houston (Regular Season) |  |  |  |  |  |  | Valdez vs. Minnesota (Regular Season) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| PLAYER | AVG | AB | H | HR | BB | SO | PLAYER | AVG | AB | H | HR | BB | SO |
| Alvarez | . 286 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | Santana | . 250 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| McCormick | . 286 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 3 | Castro | . 286 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Bregman | . 500 | 6 | , | 1 | 2 | 0 | Kepler | . 167 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Abreu | . 200 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | Vasquez | . 167 | 6 | , | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Atuve | . 200 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | Larnach | . 400 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Рейа | . 200 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | Jeffers | . 333 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Tucker | . 000 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | Margot | . 000 | 3 | 0 |  |  | 0 |
| Mayers | . 000 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Miranda | . 000 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Caratini | 1.000 | 1 | 1 | , | 1 | 0 | Buxton | . 000 | 2 | 0 |  | 0 | 1 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Correa | . 000 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

2023 NOTES:
$\mp$ Made Twins Opening Day roster, the second of career....posted career highs in innings (161.2), strikeouts (197) and starts (29).
$\Phi$ Posted his best month in May 2-2, 2.73 ERA (33.0 IP, 11 ER) 30 hits, nine walks, 40 strikeouts and two home runs.
玉 First career complete-game shutout vs. the Boston Red Sox on June 22, logging nine strikeouts and zero walks...tossed a season-high 122 pitches.
$\Phi 11$ wins tied Pablo López for team lead, 197 strikeouts ranked second and 161.2 innings pitched ranked third

## TEAM BULLPEN NOTES

Okert and Sands combined to throw 2.0 scoreless IP w／ 1 K in yesterday＇s win at HOU．．．the duo combined to cap a run of 15 consecutive batters retired，adding to Pablo López＇s 9 ．．．in the last 10 G，＇pen has gone 3－0，1．59 ERA（ $34.0 \mathrm{IP}, 6 \mathrm{ER}$ ）w／ 8 BB， $30 \mathrm{~K}, 11 \mathrm{HLD}, 6 \mathrm{SV}$（in 6 opps．）\＆a ． 151 BAA ．
 Ф＇Pen went 2－0，1．40 ERA（ 25.2 IP， 4 ER）， $7 \mathrm{BB}, 20 \mathrm{~K}$ and a .154 opponent BAA their last 7 game homestand．

JORCE ALCALA－RHP

## DIEGO CASTILLO－RHP

Age： 30 （1／18／94 in Cabrera，DR）
Height：6－3 Weight： 268 Acquired：Minor league free agent， $3 / 29 / 24$ Homestand：0－0－0， 0.00 （2．0 IP 0 FR）， 0 K， 1 BB Series vs KC： $0-0-0,0.00$（2．0 IP，0ER）， 0 K， 1 BB vs．Left． 000 vs．Right． 000 $\mp$ Made his Twins debut and threw 2.0 scoreless IP w／ 1 BB in Wednesday＇s loss vs．KC．．．was his first MLB appearance since April 23， 2023. $\mp$ Twins selected his contract Tuesday from AAA St．Paul．．．has made 18 appearances for the Saints，posting a 2.50 ERA（ $18.0 \mathrm{IP}, 5 \mathrm{ER}$ ）with 5 SV 6 BB， 22 K and a .194 opponent BAA．
$\Phi$ Has pitched in parts of 6 ML seasons with the Rays（2018－21）and Mariners（2021－23），going 24－18 with a 3.22 ERA（268．1 IP， 96 ER）， 35 SV
（46 opportunities）， $101 \mathrm{BB}, 304 \mathrm{~K}$ and a .200 opponent BAA in 258 games（ 17 starts）．
क Is 1－1，2．20 ERA（16．1 IP，4 ER）w／ $4 \mathrm{BB}, 16 \mathrm{~K}, 5 \mathrm{HLD}$ and 4 SV （in 5 opps．）in 15 career G vs．HOU．．．last faced on $7 / 23 / 22$.
$\Phi$ LHB went 2 －for－12（．167）w／ 1 HR， 2 BB and 1 K while RHB went 5 －for－21（．238）w／ $12 \mathrm{~B}, 1 \mathrm{HR}, 5 \mathrm{BB}$ and 6 K in 2023 major league season．
$\Phi 2023$ arsenal：slider－ 93 pitches（ $57.4 \%$ ），sinker－ 33 pitches（ $20.4 \%$ ），4－seam FB -21 pitches（ $13.0 \%$ ）and changeup－ 15 pitches（ $9.3 \%$ ）．
JHOAN DURAN－RHP $\quad$ \＃59

Height：6－5 Weight： 230

Age： 26 （1／8／98 in Esperanza，DR）
Acquired：Trade with ARI，7／27／18
Homestand： $0-0-5,0.00$（4．1 IP， 0 ER）， $3 \mathrm{~K}, 2 \mathrm{BB}$ Series vs KC： $0-0-3,0.00$
Earned his 9th SV of the season allowing 2 R（unearned）in Thursday＇s win vs．KC．
$\Phi$ Twins have won 24 of last 28 games in which he has appeared，including Postseason．．．．has allowed 6 ER in 28.0 IP during that span． I Is 1－0，tossing 4.1 scoreless IP w／ 2 BB， $6 \mathrm{~K}, 1 \mathrm{SV}$ and a .077 BAA in 4 career regular season games．．．tossed 3.0 scoreless IP w／ 1 K in two AL Division Series games last season
क Threw his fastest pitch of season at $103.1 \mathrm{mph}(4$－seam FB）on $5 / 28 \mathrm{vs}$ ．KC．
क Owns 8.1 scoreless IP w／ $2 \mathrm{BB}, 10 \mathrm{~K}$ and 7 SV in 9 home G compared to $0-2,7.94$ ERA（ $5.2 \mathrm{IP}, 5 \mathrm{ER}$ ）w／3 BB， 3 K and 2 SV in 6 road G
$\Phi$ LHB are 6 －for－28（．214）w／ 2 HR（Ramírez and Brennan）， 4 BB \＆ 8 K while RHB are 6－for－23（．261）w／ 1 HR（Meneses）， 1 BB and 5 K this season． $\Phi$ Threw 472 pitches at least 100 mph last season，the most in baseball．．．also threw fastest pitch of career／by a Twins pitcher in Statcast Era （2015－present），a 104.8 mph pitch to Eugenio Suárez on July 19， 2023 vs．SEA．
（2015－present），a 104.8 mph pitch to Eugenio Suárez on July 19， 2023 vS．SEA．
玉 2024 arsenal： 4 －seam FB -94 pitches（ $44.5 \%$ ），splitter－ 62 pitches（ $29.4 \%$ ）and curveball－ 55 pitches（ $26.1 \%$ ）

## GRIFFIN JAX－RHP

Height：6－2 Weight： 195 Age： 29 （11／22／94 in Phoenix，AZ）Acquired：3rd RD， 2016 Draft Homestand：0－0－0， 0.00 （ $4.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}$ ）， $5 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series vs KC： $0-0-0,0.00$（ $3.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{OR}$ ）， $5 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB}$ vs．Left ． 158 vs．Right． 188玉 Tossed a scoreless 8 th inning w／ 2 K in Thursday＇s win vs．KC．．．has 7 straight scoreless app．since May 17
क Is 1－0， 0.96 ERA（ $9.1 \mathrm{IP}, 1 \mathrm{ER}$ ）w／ $1 \mathrm{BB}, 4 \mathrm{~K}, 1 \mathrm{HLD}$ and a ． 097 BAA in 5 career regular season games vs．HOU．．．tossed 1.2 scoreless IP w／ 1 K in two AL Division Series games last season．
玉 Ranks 97th percentile in K \％（34．7）and 96th percentile in whiff \％（35．6）in all baseball．
क LHB are hitting． 158 （ 6 －for－ 38 ）w／ $12 \mathrm{~B}, 1 \mathrm{HR}, 4 \mathrm{BB}$ and 12 K while RHB are hitting ． 188 （ 9 －for－48）w／ $12 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{BB}$ and 21 K this season．
\＄Is 1－0， 1.35 ERA（ 13.1 IP， 2 ER）w／ 3 BB， $20 \mathrm{~K} \& 3$ SV in 13 home G compared to 2－2， 3.27 ERA（ 11.0 IP， 4 ER）w／ 4 BB， $13 \mathrm{~K} \& 2$ SV in 13 road G． $\Phi 2024$ arsenal：sweeper－ 167 pitches（ $43.4 \%$ ），4－seam FB -101 pitches（ $26.2 \%$ ），changeup－ 55 pitches（ $14.3 \%$ ），sinker－ 37 pitches（ $9.6 \%$ ） and curveball－ 25 pitches（ $6.5 \%$ ）．

## STEVEN OKERT－LHP

Height：6－2 Weight： 202 Age： 32 （7／9／1991 in Riverside，CA）Acquired：Trade with MIA，2／11／24 Roadtrip： $0-0-0,0.00(1.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}$ ）， $0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series at HOU：0－0－0， $0.00(1.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}$ ）， $0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ vs．Left． 133 vs．Right 268玉 Tossed a scoreless 8 th inn．in yesterday＇s win at HOU．．． 11 of his last 13 outing have been scoreless，
$\Phi$ Tossed a scoreless 8 th inn．in yesterday＇s win at HOA．．． 11 of his last 13 outing have been scoreless．
क Owns a 1．93 ERA（ $4.2 \mathrm{IP}, 1 \mathrm{ER}$ ）w／ 1 HR （Tucker）， $1 \mathrm{BB}, 3 \mathrm{~K}, 2 \mathrm{HLD}$ and a ． 067 BAA in 4 career games Vs．HOU． 10 K this season．
$\Phi$ LHB are hitting ． 133 （4－for－30）w／ $12 \mathrm{BB}, 1 \mathrm{BB}$ and 8 K while RHB are .268 （ 11 －for－ 41 ）w／ $12 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{HR}, 7 \mathrm{BB}$ and 10 K this season
2024 arsenal：slider－ 183 pitches（ $63.8 \%$ ）， 4 －seam FB -71 pitches（ $24.7 \%$ ），sinker－ 26 pitches（ $9.1 \%$ ）and changeup -7 pitches（ $2.4 \%$ ）， has recorded 15 of his 18 strikeouts（ $83.0 \%$ ）with his breaking balls this season．

## COLE SANDS－RHP

Height：6－3 Weight： 215 Age： 26 （7／17／97 in Tallahassee，FL）Acquired：5th RD， 2018 Draft Roadtrip： $0-0-0,0.00(1.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}), 1 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series at HOU： $0-0-0,0.00$（ $1.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}$ ）， $1 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB}$ vs．Left ． 212 vs．Right 232 $\mp$ Tossed a scoreless 9 th inn．w／ 1 K in yesterday＇s win vs．HOU．
क Has posted a 2．45 ERA（7．1 IP． 2 ER ）W／ 1 HR（Alvarez）， 2 BB and 12 K in 4 career games vs．HOU
$\Phi$ Ranks 92 th percentile in $\mathrm{BB} \%$（4．1）and 85 th percentile in $\mathrm{K} \%$（29．6）in all baseball．．．owns a $7.25 \mathrm{~K} / \mathrm{BB}$ ratio this season
$\Phi$ Ranks 92th percentile in BB \％（4．1）and 85 th percentile in $\mathrm{K} \%$（29．6）in all baseball．．．0wn a $7.25 \mathrm{~K} / \mathrm{BB}$ ratio this season．
$\Phi$ LHB are hitting .212 （ 7 －for－33）w／ $1 \mathrm{HR}, 2 \mathrm{BB}$ and 14 K while RHB are .232 （ 13 －for－ 56 ）w／ 4 2B， $2 \mathrm{HR}, 2 \mathrm{BB}$ and 15 K this season
$\Phi$ LHB are hitting .212 （ 7 －for－33）w／ 1 HR， 2 BB and 14 K while RHB are ． 232 （ 13 －for－ 56 ）w／ $42 \mathrm{2B}, 2 \mathrm{HR}, 2 \mathrm{BB}$ and 15 K this season．
2024 arsenal：cutter－ 103 pitches（ $27.1 \%$ ）， 4 seam FB -87 pitches（ $22.9 \%$ ），curveball -82 pitches（ $21.6 \%$ ），splitter -72 pitches（ $18.9 \%$ ）， and sinker－ 36 pitches（ $9.5 \%$ ）．．．opponents are 3 －for－24 off 4－seam FB．．．．has walked 4 of 98 batters this season
Selected by the Twins in the fifth round of the 2018 First－Year Player Draft out of Florida State University．．．originally selected by Houston in the 22nd round of the 2015 First－Year Player Draft but did not sign．

## JOSH STAUMONT－RHP

Homestand： $0-0-0,0.00$（2．0 IP 0 ER）， $1 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series vs KC： $0-0-0,0.00(1.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}), 0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB}$ Acquired：Free agent，12／27／23
$\Phi$ Tossed a scoreless 7 th inn．Tuesday vs．KC．．．is scoreless through 7 games（7．1 IP）this season．
$\mp$ Recalled $4 / 8$ from St．Paul．．．began the season on 15－day IL with a left calf strain reinstated on April 19 and optioned to St．Paul，where he appeared in 5 games from April 20－May 5，going 0－1 with a 2.57 ERA（ $7.0 \mathrm{IP}, 2 \mathrm{ER}$ ）， $2 \mathrm{BB}, 11 \mathrm{~K}$ and a .200 opponent batting average．
क Owns a 1.59 ERA（ $5.2 \mathrm{IP}, 1 \mathrm{ER}$ ）w／ $3 \mathrm{BB}, 3 \mathrm{~K}$ and 3 HLD in 7 career games vs．HOU．
$\Phi$ LHB are hitting 0 －for－10 w／ 4 K while RHB are 3 －for－14（．214）w／ 3 BB and 2 K this season
$\Phi 2024$ arsenal：slider－ 77 pitches（ $62.1 \%$ ），sinker－ 30 pitches（ $24.2 \%$ ），4－seam FB -14 pitches（ $11.3 \%$ ）and curveball -3 pitches（ $2.4 \%$ ）． $\Phi 2024$ arsenal：slider－ 77 pitches（ $62.1 \%$ ），sinker－ 30 pitches（ $24.2 \%$ ）， 4 －seam FB－ 14 pitches（ $11.3 \%$ ）and curveball -3 pitches

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| 5／31 at HOU | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | － | 0 | 0 | － |
| $5 / 29$ vs．KC | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| $5 / 24$ vs．TEX | H3 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| $5 / 22$ at WSH | W1 | 1.1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| 5／17 at CLE | BS5 | 0.2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| $5 / 16$ vs．NYY | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| $5 / 14$ vs．NYY | ND | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| $5 / 11$ at TOR | BS4 | 0.1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |


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| 5／29 vs．KC | ND | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 5／27 vs．KC | ND | 0.2 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| $5 / 25$ vs．TEX | W2 | 2.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| $5 / 16$ vs．NYY | ND | 1.0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 5／12 at TOR | ND | 0.0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 5／11 at TOR | ND | 1.1 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| $5 / 7 \mathrm{vs}$ ．SEA | H3 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 5／4 vs．BOS | S2 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| $5 / 3$ vs．BOS | ND | 0.2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

## CALEB THIELBAR－LHP

Height：6－0

## Weight： 205

Age： 37 （1／31／87 in Northfield，MN）
Acquired：Minor league free agent， 11296
Homestand：1－0－0， 0.00 （1．1 IP， 0 ER）， 0 K， 1 BB Series vs KC：1－0－0， 0.00 （ 0.1 IP， 0 ER）， 0 K， 1 BB vs．Left 208 vs．Right 414
$\Phi$ Earned 2nd win season relieving Paddack in the 6th inn．and escaped a first－and－second jam in Thursday＇s win vs．KC
कIs 2－0，2．00 ERA（9．0 IP，2 ER）w／ 4 BB， 6 K， 1 HLD and a ． 129 BAA in 9 career regular season games vs．HOU．．．went 0－1，20．25 ERA（1．1 IP
ER）w／ 2 HR（Alvarez and Abreu）， 1 BB and 2 K in two AL Division Series games last season．
$\Phi$ Struck out K．Lee to end the game on $4 / 29$ at CWS recording his 300th career K；is 5th Minnesota－born pitcher w／ 309 career strikeouts，joining Dave Goltz（887），Dick Stigman（538），Glen Perkins（504）and Jerry Koosman（361）．
$\Phi$ LHB are 5 －for－25（．208）w／ $12 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{BB}$ and 9 K off him and RHB are 12 －for－ 29 （．414）w／ $12 \mathrm{~B}, 1$ HR（Javier Báez－ $4 / 14$ at DET）， 3 BB and 6 K ．
$\mp 2024$ arsenal：4－seam FB -101 pitches（ $43.3 \%$ ），sweeper -76 pitches（ $32.6 \%$ ）and curveball -56 pitches（ $24.8 \%$ ）．


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| Player name | 1st Batter Avg | BB／9 | K／9 | Saves／0pps | Holds | IRS\％ | WHIP | HR | Last game | 2 games ago | 3 games ago |
| Jorge Alcala | ． 200 | 4.20 | 10.20 | 0／0 | 4 | 0．0\％（0／1） | 1.13 | 0 | 0.0 IP（0） | 1.0 IP（13） | 0.0 IP（0） |
| Diego Castillo | ． 000 | 4.50 | 0.00 | 0／0 | 0 | 0．0\％（0／0） | 0.50 | 0 | 0.0 IP（0） | 0.0 IP（0） | 2.0 IP（29） |
| Jhoan Duran | ． 231 | 3.21 | 8.36 | 9／9 | 3 | 100．0\％（2／2） | 1.21 | 3 | 0.0 IP（0） | 1.0 IP （20） | 0.0 IP（0） |
| Griffin Jax | ． 160 | 2.59 | 12.21 | 5／6 | 10 | 50．0\％（5／10） | 0.90 | 1 | $0.0 \mathrm{IP}(0)$ | 1.0 IP（10） | 0.0 IP（0） |
| Steven Okert | ． 222 | 3.86 | 8.68 | 1／6 | 3 | 66．7\％（6／9） | 1.23 | 3 | 1.0 IP（10） | 0.0 IP（0） | 1.0 IP（8） |
| Cole Sands | ． 158 | 1.54 | 11.19 | 2／3 | 3 | 33．3\％（2／6） | 1.03 | 3 | 1.0 IP（13） | 0.0 IP（0） | 1.0 IP（18） |
| Josh Staumont | ． 167 | 3.68 | 7.36 | 0／0 | 1 | 0．0\％（0／3） | 0.82 | 0 | 0.0 IP（0） | 0.0 IP（0） | 0.0 IP（0） |
| Caleb Thielbar | ． 200 | 4.26 | 10.66 | $3 / 3$ | 5 | 63．6\％（7／11） | 1.82 | 1 | 0.0 IP（0） | 0.1 IP （12） | $0.0 \mathrm{IP}(0)$ |

玉 1 －for－4 last night at HOU．．．．went 3 －for－18，3B， $3 \mathrm{BB}, 2 \mathrm{R}$ in 6 G on homestand．．．5／21 at WSH， 11th career multi－HR game \＆2nd career IL multi－HR game，t－2nd most in MIN history（1961－）．
© Is 9 －for－39，3B， $2 \mathrm{HR}, 4 \mathrm{RBI}, 3 \mathrm{BB}, 6$ R， 722 OPS in 12 games since IL return．．．returned from
rehab，reinstated from 10 －day IL $5 / 18$ ；missed 14 games $w /$ right knee inflammation．
© Career 0－for－2 vs．Valdez in RS．．．．hit ． 235 （4－for－17），HR， 3 RBI，BB， 3 R in 4 games vs．HOU
in 2023 RS；also 0 －for－ 1 in 1 game of 2023 ALDS vs．HOU．
क Is 10 －for－40， $22 \mathrm{BB}, 3 \mathrm{BB}, 2 \mathrm{HR}, 6 \mathrm{RBI}, 786 \mathrm{OPS}$ vs．LHP and 22 －for－ $91,62 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{~B}, \mathrm{HR}, 9 \mathrm{RBI}, .663$ OPS vs．RHP．．．also 8－for－33， 4 2B， 10 RBI， 621 OPS w／RISP
Is 14 －for－ $57,32 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{~B}, \mathrm{HR}, 4 \mathrm{RBI}, .692$ OPS＇in 17 home games and 18 －for－ $74,52 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{HR}, 3 \mathrm{~B}$ ，

## WILLI CASTRO－UTL

Height：6－1 Weight： 206 B／：S／R
024 Average： 266
Streak： $3 \mathrm{~g}, 6-10,3 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{~B}$
Age： 2 27 （4／24／1997 in Rio Piedras，PR

Runs． 4 （11－run，22－run， 13 －run
1－for－2，3B， $2 \mathrm{BB}, 2$ R last might at HOU．．．hit． 273 （ 6 －for－22）， $2 \mathrm{BB}, 5 \mathrm{BB}, \mathrm{SB}, 5 \mathrm{R}$ in 7 G on＇stand． leads MIN w／ 12 multi－H $G$ and $43+$ hit $G$ this season．．．also leads MIN W／ 7 SB this season． pitched for 2nd time this season $5 / 18$ at CLE．．．had career－best $10-G$ hitting streak $4 / 24-5 / 4$ ．
$\mp$ Hitting 315 （ 40 －for－ 127 ）， $92 \mathrm{~B}, 33 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{HR}, 12 \mathrm{RBI}, .3790 \mathrm{BP}, .8980 \mathrm{PS}$ in last 35 games． RS；also went 2 －for－11，RBI， 2 BB．R in 4 games of 2023 ALDS vs．Houl．
 3 3 HR 1 RBI 16 HB ．

## CARLOS CORREA－SS

Height：6－4 Weight： 220 B／：：R／R Age： 29 （9／22／1994 in Santa Isabel，PR）


玉 1－for－4，2B，RBl last night at HOU．．．went 6 －for－27， $32 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{BB}, 5 \mathrm{RBI}, \mathrm{BB}, 4 \mathrm{R}$ in 7 games on last homestand．．．is 26 －for－107（．243）， $92 \mathrm{~B}, 23 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{HR}, 15 \mathrm{RBI}, 10 \mathrm{BB}, 17 \mathrm{R}, .3030 \mathrm{OP}, .751$ OPS in 29 games since return from IL．．．reinstated from 10 －day IL 4／29；missed 16 Gw ／right intercostal strain
Career 0 －for－2，RBI vs．Valdez in RS．．．went just 1－for－18，2B， 2 BB，R in 5 G vs．HOU in 2023 RS；also ． 400 （ 6 －for－15）， $32 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{RBI}$ ，BB，R， 1.038 OPS＇in 4 G of 2023 ALDS vs．HOU．．．．just 4－or－ 33 （．121）， $22 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{RB}, 2 \mathrm{BB}, \mathrm{R}, .348$ OPS in 9 RS games against HOU，former team．
IS 9－for－37，．732 OPS vs．LHP and 28－for－106， 802 OPS vs．RHP this season
玉 Hitting ． 250 （ 16 －for－64）， $42 \mathrm{BB}, 3 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{HR}, 9 \mathrm{RB}, 13 \mathrm{BB}, 14 \mathrm{R}, .814 \mathrm{OPS}$ in 19 road games．

## KYLE FARMER－

## $B / T$ R／R

Age： 33 （8／17／1990 in Atlanta，GA） Series at HOU：
Home Runs：
\＆ 0 －for－ 1 as sub at 2 B last night at HOU．．．went 1 －for－7，HBP in 5 games on homestand．．．P RBI 2 B in 8 th $5 / 17$ at CLE； 17 th career PH RBI．．．．snapped $0-$－for－ $16 \mathrm{w} / 3$ rd－inning 2 B on $4 / 27$ at LAA；in game，went 2 －for－ $3,2 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{RBI}, 2 \mathrm{BB}, 2 \mathrm{R}$ ， 1 st multi－H，multi－RBI game of season． क Hitting． 273 （ 12 －for－ 44 ）， $62 \mathrm{BB}, 8 \mathrm{RBI}, 4 \mathrm{BB}, 5 \mathrm{R}, 347 \mathrm{OBP}, 7560 \mathrm{PS}$＇in last 25 games，since $4 / 27$ Never faced Valdez in RS．．．hit ． 389 （ 7 －for－18），2B，HR， 4 RBI，BB，SB， 5 R， 1.0320 PS in 5 G vs．HOU in 2023 RS，also 1 －for－3，HR， 2 RBI，R in 1 G of 2023 ALDS vs．HOU．
Is 7－for－43，32B， 4 RBI， 5 BB， 4980 OPS vs．LHP \＆ 8 －for－48，42B， 6 RBI， 5 BB， 2 HBP， 523 OPS vs．RHP． Def．positions in 2024： 26 G （ 13 GS ）at $2 \mathrm{~B}, 22 \mathrm{G}$（ 12 GS ）at 3 B and $4 \mathrm{G}(1 \mathrm{GS}$ ）at SS．

## RYAN JEFFERS－C

Height：6－4 Weight： 235 B／：R／R $\qquad$ Age： 26 （ $6 / 3 / 1997$ in Raleigh，NC）

Roadtrip： B Streak： | $2 \mathrm{~g}, 3-6,6$ |
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| 3 RBI |

1－for－3，2B，BB last night at HOU．．．3rd career 2－HR game 5／30 KC st career leadoff HR $5 / 14$ vs．NYY．．．4／30－5／9，XBH in 8 －straight G，new career－best streak and tied w／Oliva，Killebrew \＆Sano or 2nd－longest streak in Min history（1961－）．．．430 at CWS，stole home for lst time \＆became 3rd Min catcher（1961－）to steal home，Joining Roseboro（G2，5／10／1968）\＆Harper
（7／29／1990）．．．is just 9 －for－ $58,2 \mathrm{BB}, 4 \mathrm{HR}, 7 \mathrm{RBI}, 5 \mathrm{BB}, 2 \mathrm{HBP}, 5 \mathrm{R}, .625$ OPS in his last 17 games．
क Career 1 －for－3，HR，RBI vs．Valdez in RS．．．went 5 －for－11，2B，HR， 4 RBI，BB，R in 3 RS games
$\Phi$ vs．HOU in 2023 ；also hit 154 （ 2 －for－13）， 2 HBP，R in 4 ＇games of 2023 ALDS vs．HOU．
$\Phi$ Leads team w／ 10 HR this season．．．also leads team in RBI（36）and is t －11th in AL．．．．also ranks
among AL leaders in OPS（．892，9th）and SLG（．547，7th）．
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## EDOUARD JULIEN－IF

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2024 Average： 205
2024 Average：
Roadtrip：$\quad .205$
$0-2$
Streak：0－6
／I：L／R
Age： 25 （4

0 －for－2 last night at HOU went 4 for 17 2RBI 2 R 2 BB in 2 RBI， 2 BB in his last 13 G．．．．snapped 0 －for－20 w／4th－inning $1 \mathrm{~B} 5 / 24$
． （119）\＆100th percentil in （11．9）\＆100th percentile in chase\％（15．8）．．．seen 779 pitches on season，4th on team behin क Nastro
Never faced Valdez．．．．career ． 200 （3－for－15），BB in 4 games vs．HOU in RS．．．．also hit ． 364 （4－ for－11）， $22 \mathrm{~B}, \mathrm{HR}, 2 \mathrm{RBI}, 4 \mathrm{BB}, \mathrm{R}, .533$ OBP， 1.352 OPS in 4 G of ALDS vs．HOU


## MAX KEPLER－OF

Height：6－4 Weight： 227 B／T：L／L Age： 31 （2／10／1993 in Berlin，Germany） 2024 Average： 279
Roadtrip：
$0-3$ Streak：0－4 Series at HOU： 0 －3
Home Runs：$\quad 4$（ 4 1－run）
\＄0－for－3，HBP，R last night at HOU．．．snapped career－best hit streak at 14 games 5／14；streak is longest on MIN this season．．．leads MIN in go－ahead RBI（9）and game－winning RBI（8）．．．． his 9 multi－hit games this season are t －3rd on MIN w／Miranda and Santana．

| TWINS HOME RUN DATA |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| MULTI－HOMER GAMES（3x） <br> －Julien， $4 / 10$ vs．LAD <br> －Julien， $4 / 25$ vs．CWS <br> －Buxton， $5 / 21$ at WSH |  | BACK－TO－BACK（4x） <br> －Correa／Kirilloff，4／9 vs．LAD <br> －Julien／Jeffers， $4 / 25$ vs．CWS <br> －Santana／Miranda， $4 / 25$ vs．CWS <br> －Correa／Larnach， $5 / 8$ vs．SEA |  |  | WALK－OFF（0x） <br> －None <br> BACK－TO－BACK－TO－BACK（0x） <br> －None |  |  | RUNNERS ON <br> －Solo－ 40 <br> － 2 －run－ 12 <br> － 3 －run－ 8 <br> －GS－ 0 |  | GRAND SLAM（0x） <br> －None <br> INSIDE－THE－PARK（ $0 x$ ） <br> －None |  |  |  |  |  |  | LEADOFF（2x） <br> －Julien，4／10 vs．LAD <br> －Jeffers， $5 / 14$ vs．NYY |  |  |  |  |
| HITTERS INFO |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | LAST HOME RUN |  |  |  | LAST GRAND SLAM |  |  | VS．CURRENT OPPONENT 2024 |  |  |  |  | VS．CURRENT OPPONENT CAREER |  |  |  |  |
| Player | $\begin{gathered} \text { Multi- } \\ \mathrm{Hit}^{2} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Multi- } \\ \text { RBI } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Season Hit- } \\ \text { Streak } \end{gathered}$ | Season High Hits | Date | Opp． | On | Pitcher | Date | Opp． | Career \＃ | Avg | H | AB | HR | RBI | Avg | H | AB | HR | RBI |
| Byron Buxton | 6 | 3 | 8，4／19－4／29 | 3，4／23 | 5／21／24 | at WSH | 1 | Corbin | 5／18／19 | at SEA | 2 | ． 250 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | ． 202 | 17 | 84 | 1 | 5 |
| Willi Castro | 12 | 4 | 10，4／24－5／4 | 3，5／29 | 5／21／24 | at WSH | 1 | Barnes |  |  | 0 | ． 500 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ． 205 | 9 | 44 | 0 | 1 |
| Carlos Correa | 8 | 4 | 6，5／18－5／24 | 3，4／4 | 5／22／24 | at WSH | 0 | Irvin | 6／10／23 | at TOR | 2 | ． 250 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 1 | ． 121 | 4 | 33 | 0 | 2 |
| Kyle Farmer | 1 | 2 | 4，5／17－5／21 | 2，4／27 | 9／14／23 | at CWS | 1 | Ureña | 9／26／21 | vs．WSH | 1 | ． 000 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ． 455 | 10 | 22 | 2 | 5 |
| Ryan Jeffers | 11 | 11 | 8，4／30－5／9 | 3，4／28 | 5／30／24 | vs．KC | 0 | Lynch | 7／28／21 | vs．DET | 1 | ． 333 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ． 257 | 9 | 35 | 2 | 5 |
| Edouard Julien | 8 | 5 | 6，5／8－5／15 | 3，4／27 | 4／25／24 | vs．CWS | 0 | Brebbia |  |  | 0 | ． 000 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ． 200 | 3 | 15 | 0 | 0 |
| Max Kepler | 9 | 4 | 14，4／27－5／12 | 3，4／20 | 5／22／24 | at WSH | 0 | Irvin | 5／23／22 | vs．DET | 3 | ． 000 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ． 209 | 28 | 134 | 2 | 13 |
| Alex Kirilloff | 2 | 3 | 7，3／28－4／6 | 4，4／3 | 5／25／24 | vs．TEX | 2 | Robertson |  |  | 0 | ． 000 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ． 391 | 9 | 23 | 0 | 2 |
| Trevor Larnach | 8 | 5 | 5，4／22－4／30 | 2，5／11 | 5／31／24 | at HOU | 1 | Blanco | 9／30／23 | at COL | 1 | ． 200 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 2 | ． 250 | 9 | 36 | 1 | 5 |
| Manuel Margot | 4 | 2 | 3，5／18－5／21 | 3，5／18 | 4／08／24 | vs．LAD | 1 | Paxton | 5／07／22 | at SEA | 1 | ． 000 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | ． 222 | 12 | 54 | 0 | 2 |
| Jose Miranda | 9 | 6 | 6，5／15－5／21 | 3，5／1 | 5／27／24 | vs．KC | 1 | Marsh |  |  | 0 | ． 000 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ． 171 | 7 | 41 | 0 | 2 |
| Carlos Santana | 9 | 5 | 6，4／25－4／30 | 2，5／28 | 5／31／24 | at HOU | 0 | Speas | 9／19／22 | at LAA | 5 | ． 500 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | ． 219 | 46 | 210 | 10 | 29 |
| Christian Vázquez | 3 | 0 | 5，4／21－4／28 | 3，4／28 | 4／14／24 | at DET | 0 | Flaherty | 9／26／20 | at ATL | 2 | ． 000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ． 315 | 34 | 108 | 3 | 19 |



## LAST TIME IT HAPPENED

| FOR THE TWINS | AGAINST THE TWINS |
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| HITTING: | HITTING: |
| Hit for the Cycle: J. Polanco, 4/5/19 at PHI (11 all-time) | Hit for the Cycle: A. Beltré, 8/24/12 at TEX (5 allowed all-time) |
| Grand Slam: T. Larnach, 9/30/23 at COL (8 as a team in 2023) | Grand Slam: J. Heim, 8/27/23 vs. TEX (5 allowed as team in 2023) |
| Inside-the-Park Home Run: B. Buxton, 9/15/20 at CWS (1 as a team in 2020, 54 all-time) | Inside-the-Park Home Run: R. Arozarena, 6/10/22 vs. TB (46 allowed all-time) |
| Pinch-Hit Home Run: R. Jeffers, 4/13/23-Game 1 at DET (1 as a team in 2024) | Pinch-Hit Home Run: K. Wong, 7/24/23 vs. SEA (1 allowed in 2023) |
| Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: M. LeCroy, 9th inning, 5/19/04 at TOR (15 all-time) | Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: C. Raleigh, 5/7/24 vs. SEA (12 allowed all-time) |
| Five-Hit Game: B. Buxton, 4/28/21 at CLE (1 in 2021) | Five-Hit Game: C. Arroyo, 6/20/23 vs. BOS |
| Six-Hit Game: K. Puckett, 5/23/91 vs. TEX (2 all-time, both Puckett) | Six-Hit Game: J. Segura, 5/28/13 at MIL (3 allowed all-time) |
| Two Hits, One Inning: E. Julien, 1st inning, 4/13/23 at NYY (1 as a team in 2023) | Two Hits, One Inning: W. Merrifield, 1st inning, 6/4/21 at KC (2 allowed in 2021) |
| Two Home Runs, One Inning: M. Cuddyer, 7th inning, 8/23/09 at KC (1 all-time) | Two Home Runs, One Inning: D. Nilsson, 5/17/96 vs. MIL |
| Two-Home Run Game: R. Jeffers, $5 / 31 / 24$ vs. KC (4 as team in 2024) | Two-Home Run Game:N. Velázquez, 5/29/24 vs. KC (3 allowed in 2024) |
| Three-Home Run Game: M. Sanó, 5/18/21 vs. CWS (1 as a team in 2021, 13 all-time) | Three-Home Run Game: J. Donaldson, 8/28/16 at TOR (26 allowed since 1961) |
| Back-to-Back Home Runs: C. Correa/T. Larnach, 5/8/23 vs. SEA (4 as team in 2024) | Back-to-Back Home Runs: L. Rengifo/N. Schanuel, 4/29/24 at LAA (2 allowed in 2024) |
| Three Consecutive Home Runs: M. Taylor/E. Julien/C. Correa, 1st inning, 4/13/23 at NYY (1 in 2023) | Three Consecutive Home Runs: C. Bellinger/G. Lux/A. Barnes, 4/13/22 vs. LAD |
| Three Home Runs, One Inning: M. Taylor/E. Julien/C. Correa, 4/13/23 at NYY (1 in 2023) | Three Home Runs, One Inning: E. Montero/S. Bouchard/B. Doyle, 9/30/23 at COL (3 in 2023) |
| Four Home Runs, One inning. M. Sano/ R. Jefters/M. Kepler/B. Rooker, 7/28/21 Vs. DET (1 in 2021) | Four Home Runs, One Inning: C. Everett/T. O'Leary/J. Varitek/M. Burkhart, 7/3/00 vs. B0S |
| Walk-Off Home Run: M. Wallner, $8 / 6 / 23$ vs. ARI (2 as a team in 2023) | Walk-off Home Run: W. Brennan, 5/19/24 at CLE (2 allowed in 2024) |
| Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run: M. Sanó, 8/5/19 vs. ATL (9 all-time) | Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run: C. Santana, 9/23/11 at CLE (12 all-time) |
| Leadoff Home Run: R. Jeffers, 5/15/24 vs. NYY (2 as a team in 2024) | Leadoff Home Run: A. Volpe, 5/16/23 vs. NYY (3 allowed in 2024) |
| Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game: M. Kepler/B. Rooker, 7/25/21 vs. LAA (2 as team in 2021) | Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game: S. Smith/M. Machado, 7/7/17 vs. BAL (1 in '17) |
| Three Consecutive Home Runs to Start Game: L. Arraez/B. Buxton/C. Correa, 6/9/22 vs. NYY | Last Pitcher to Hit Home Run: Jon Lester, $7 / 1 / 18$ at CHC <br> Machado, $7 / 7 / 17$ vs. BAL(1 in 17 ) |
| Last 1 n pitching in catcher pitching in relief, $9 / 2 / 18$ at TEX | PITCHING (complete games only for low-hit games): |
| PITCHING (complete games only for low-hit games): | No-Hitter: Jer. Weaver, 5/2/12 at LAA (5 all-time) |
| No-Hitter: F. Liriano, 5/3/11 at CWS (6 all-time) | One-Hitter: D. Cease, 9/3/22 at CWS (25 all-time) |
| One-Hitter: E. Santana, 4/15/17 vs. CWS (14 all-time) | Two-Hitter: R. Halladay, 5/29/05 at TOR (49 all-time) |
| Two-Hitter: E. Santana, 5/23/17 at BAL (43 all-time) | 10+ Innings Pitched: A. Fernández (10.0 innings), 10/1/95 at CHW |
| 10+ Innings Pitched: B. Radke (10.0 innings), 9/21/97 vs. MIL | 10+ Strikeouts: 11, E. Fedde, 4/23/24 vs. CWS (4 times in 2024) |
| 10+ Strikeouts: 10, B. Ober, $5 / 12$ at TOR (5 as team in 2024) | Complete Game Shutout: G. Cole, 4/16/23 at NYY (2 times in 2023) |
| Complete-Game Shutout: P. López, 7/5/23 vs. KC (2 as a team in 2023) | Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: J. Williams/Jer. Weaver, 5/1-2/12 at LAA |
| Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: J. Mays/C. Silva, $5 / 19-20 / 05$ vs. TOR/vs. MIL | Back-to-Back Shutouts: 5/31/22 (G2) \& 6/1/22 at DET (2 games, 4-0 and 5-0) |
| Back-to-Back Shutouts: 3/30/23 \& 4/1/23 at KC (2 games, 2-0 and 2-0) | Four Strikeouts in an Inning: F. Hernández, 6/3/10 vs. SEA (8th inning) |
| Four Strikeouts in an Inning: Z. Duke, 3/29/18 at BAL (7th inning) (4 times since 1961) | Immaculate Inning: C. Sale, 8/26/21 at BOS (3rd inning) (1 time in MIN/WAS history) |
| Immaculate Inning: Never in MIN/WAS history (1901-present) | MISCELLANEOUS: |
| MISCELLANEOUS: | Triple Play: J. Donaldson/A. Rosales/C. Carter, 8/21/12 at OAK - T. Plouffe hitting (8 all-time) |
| Triple Play: J. Miranda/C. Correa, 8/22/22 vs. TEX - N. Lowe hitting (17 all-time) | Position Player Pitching: A. Hicks, 4/27/24 at LAA (2 in 2024) |
| Position Player Pitching: W. Castro, $5 / 18 / 24$ at CLE (2 in 2024) | Three or more Steals, One Game: W. Merrifield (3), 7/2/17 at KC (1 in 2017) |
| Three or more Steals, One Game: E. Adrianza (3), 6/21/17 vs. CWS (1 in 2017) | Steal of Home: B. Shewmake, 4/24/24 vs. CWS (1 in 2024) |
| Steal of Home: W. Castro, 7/28/23 at KC (3 as a team in 2023) | Pure Steal of Home: S. Green, 5/26/00 vs. TEX |
| Pure Steal of Home: R. Becker, 9/27/97 at CLE | Home Run in First ML At-Bat: Se. Alcantara, 9/26/20 vs. DET |
| Home Run in First ML At-Bat: E. Rosario, 5/6/15 vs. OAK (1st PA, 1st pitch) |  |


| Daite 2024 TARGET FIELD WEATHER DELAYS AND POSTPONEMENTS |  |  |  |
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| 2010: 1 PPD/ 10 EL 2011 : 3 PPD 13 DEL <br>  | 2014:3 PPD / 6 DEL 205: 1 PPD// 2016 D 2017:4 PPD/7 DEL | 2018: 4 PPD / 5 DEL 2020:1 1 PPD/2 DEE $\qquad$ |  |



