

ARIZONA FALL LEAGUE

GAME NOTES - TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2025



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AFL Standings

	W-L	GB	Streak
Scottsdale Scorpions	16-6	-	W4
Surprise Saguaros	13-7-1	2.0	W2
Mesa Solar Sox	11-11	5.0	W4
Peoria Javelinas	10-11-1	5.5	L3
Salt River Rafters	8-14	8.0	L8
Glendale Desert Dogs	6-15	9.5	L2

NFP Hitter & Pitcher of the Week

SAM PETERSEN (SCO/WSH No. 24/OF):

- 8-19, 16 TB, 5 R, 2 2B, 2 HR, 5 RBI, 1.318 OPS
- Slashed .421/.476/.842 leading league in HR and TB
- Went 4-for-4 against Salt River on Oct. 31. Very next night, hit walk-off single in bottom of the ninth

RYAN MURPHY (SCO/SF/RHP):

- 2 GS, W, 7 2/3 IP, 4 H, 0 R, 2 BB, 6 K, .174 AVG, 100 P - 62 S
- Induced three ground ball double plays
- Hasn't allowed an earned run in last three outings

Sunday's Top Performance

NICK MORABITO (SCO/NYM No. 16/OF) went 2-for-4 with two RBI and a 442-foot solo home run on the first pitch in the bottom of the first inning.

WILL BUSH (SCO/HOU/C) went 1-for-3 with a two-run double in the second inning.

STARLYN CABA (MSS/MIA No. 5/SS) appeared on base in four of his five plate appearances, going 2-for-3 with a game-tying RBI double, a walk, and a stolen base.

JOSH ADAMCZEWSKI (SUR/MIL No. 13/OF) went 2-for-4 with an RBI and a stolen base. The Brewers prospect adds to his team lead in RBI with 17 on the year.

DANIEL VAZQUEZ (SUR/KC No. 16/INF) went 2-for-3 with a walk and a double. Vazquez leads the Saguaros with 21 hits and has reached base in every game played. The 18-game on-base streak is the longest in the AFL.

CARSON ROCCAFORTE (SUR/KC No. 20/OF) went 2-for-4 with an RBI. Roccaforte now has 14 hits on the year, with half of them being extra base hits.

DANTE NORI (SUR/PHI No. 6/OF) went 2-for-3 with a double and an RBI. He now has a hit in four straight.

Mascot Mania

The Arizona Fall League announced Monday the inclusion of six of Minor League Baseball's top mascots into the annual "Fall Stars Weekend" at Sloan Park, the spring training home of the Chicago Cubs.

The list includes:

- Homer the Dragon (Charlotte Knights, Triple-A CWS)
- Orion (Sugar Land Space Cowboys, Triple-A HOU)
- Wool E. Bull (Durham Bulls, Triple-A TB)
- Muddy (Toledo Mud Hens, Triple-A DET)
- Johnny TinCap (Fort Wayne TinCaps, High-A SD)

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Today's Headlines

GOLD GLOVE WINNERS: 10 of the 20 recipients of the 2025 Major League Baseball Rawlings Gold Glove awards are Arizona Fall League alums. The names include Max Fried (PEO, 2017), Dillion Dingler (SRR, 2022), Marcus Semien (GLD, 2013), Willyer Abreu (SCO, 2022), Mauricio Dubon (SUR, 2016), Patrick Bailey (SCO, 2019), Matt Olson (MSS, 2014), Nico Hoerner (MSS, 2018), Masyn Winn (SRR, 2022), and Ian Happ (MSS, 2016). Of the nine MiLB Gold Glove winners, Leonardo Bernal (GLD, 2024), Luis Lara (PEO, 2024, and Tre' Morgan (MSS, 2024) are AFL alums.

Scottsdale @ Mesa: The Scorpions have won four straight and continue to shine on the mound. Scottsdale struck out 12 batters on Sunday, extending its AFL lead to 215 as a staff. They send out LHP Pablo Aldonis (WSH) today for his second start and sixth overall appearance. He has struck out 12 in 9 1/3 innings pitched. In his lone start, he struck out a season-high five.

He faces Mesa's **Jackson Baumeister** (RHP/TB No. 21). This is his third start and fourth appearance. The 23-year-old has struck out nine in 8 2/3 innings. This comes after 15 starts with Double-A Montgomery this season.

Salt River @ Surprise: The Salt River Rafters have lost eight straight, their last win being on Oct. 23 against the Glendale Desert Dogs. LHP **Dominic Perachi** (PIT) makes his third start and fourth appearance after striking out four in each of his last two appearances. The 11th round pick in 2022 out of Division III Salve Regina was named the DIII Pitcher of the Year after a 0.96 ERA in 11 starts, having struck out 123 in 74 1/3 innings.

He faces RHP **Jose Corniell** (TEX No. 3), who has struck out 11 in 12 innings. He has tossed four innings in all three outings. He comes to the AFL after making his MLB debut on Sept. 28.

Peoria @ Glendale: Peoria and Glendale both try to bounce back from recent struggles with their top arms on the mound. LHP **Luis De León** (BAL No. 21) is tied for fifth in the AFL with 18 strikeouts. He has tossed at least three innings in all four starts, holding opponents to a .167 batting average against him.

The Desert Dogs hand the ball off to No. 88 overall prospect LHP **Hagen Smith** (CWS No. 5), who makes his fifth start. The No. 5 overall pick from the 2024 MLB Draft leads the Desert Dogs with 17 strikeouts. He struck out a season-high seven on Oct. 22 against Peoria.

Upcoming Games and Probable Pitchers

Tuesday, November 4

Scottsdale @ Mesa	1:30	LHP Pablo Aldonis vs. RHP Jackson Baumeister
Salt River @ Surprise	1:30	LHP Dominic Perachi vs. RHP Jose Corniell
Peoria @ Glendale	6:30	LHP Luis De León vs. LHP Hagen Smith

Wednesday, November 5

Scottsdale @ Surprise	1:30	RHP Kenny Serwa vs. LHP Jesús Broca
Glendale @ Mesa	1:30	RHP Alex Amalfi vs. RHP Corey Avant
Peoria @ Salt River	6:30	LHP Carson Dorsey vs. RHP Carlson Reed

Thursday, November 6

Glendale @ Peoria	1:30	RHP Chen-Wei Lin vs. RHP Maikel Miralles
Scottsdale @ Mesa	1:30	RHP Spencer Miles vs. RHP Bryce Cunningham
Surprise @ Salt River	6:30	RHP Trenton Denholm vs. LHP Jojo Ingrassia

Fall Stars Weekend

The Arizona Fall League is just four days away from its Fall Stars Festivities with the fourth annual AFL Home Run Derby on Saturday, Nov. 8 at 6:30 p.m. MST and the 19th Arizona Fall League Fall Stars Game on Sunday, Nov. 9 at 6 p.m. MST.

The Home Run Derby can be watched live and in person at Sloan Park with the Fall Stars Game being broadcast on MLB Network.

Fans can buy tickets for both Jewel Events at brushfire.com/arizonafallleague.