

ARIZONA FALL LEAGUE

GAME NOTES - TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2025



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AFL Standings

	W-L	GB	Streak
Scottsdale Scorpions	11-5	-	W3
Surprise Saguaros	10-5	0.5	W1
Peoria Javelinas	8-8	3.0	L1
Salt River Rafter	8-8	3.0	L2
Mesa Solar Sox	6-10	5.0	L1
Glendale Desert Dogs	4-11	6.5	W1

NFP Hitter & Pitcher of the Week

KEVIN MCGONIGLE (SCO/DET No. 1/MLB No. 2/INF):

- 8-16, 14 TB, 4 R, 2 HR, 4 RBI, 1.454 OPS

- Slashed .500/.579/.875

- Went 4-for-5 against Salt River on Oct. 24, with a go-ahead two-run home run in the top of the 10th inning.

JAMES HICKS (SCO/HOU No. 26/RHP):

- 1 GS, 4 IP, 2 H, 0 R, 0 BB, 6 K, .139 AVG, 45 P - 32 S

- Retired the first seven batters faced, 12 of 14 overall

- Struck out 14 total in 11 scoreless innings

Sunday's Top Performance

JOE LAMPE (SUR/CLE/OF) collected his first AFL triple, home run and RBIs propelling Surprise with a go-ahead opposite field home run in the 8th inning.

CHARLIE CONDON (SRR/ COL No. 2/MLB No. 61/INF) went 3-for-4 with an RBI. In the last 5 games, Condon is slashing .500/.583/.550 with 10 hits.

MIGUEL UGUETO (GLD/STL/OF) had a 3-for-4 night with 2 RBI and 2 SB. Ugueto now leads the Desert Dogs with 10 RBI.

OWEN AYERS (MSS/CHC/C) went 4-for-4 with a 2B and an RBI.

SEAVER KING (SCO/WSH No. 7/SS) went 3-for-4 with 4 RBI including three RBI singles.

PARKS HARBER (SCO/SF/1B) went 1-for-3 with a 384-foot home run that broke the 4-4 tie in the bottom of the eighth.

Fall League Alumni

FALL LEAGUE TO FALL CLASSIC: In the 2025 World Series, 21 of the 52 active players (40.4%) between the Dodgers and Blue Jays are Arizona Fall League alum.

FREEMAN PLAYS HERO: 2009 Peoria Saguaros and 2010 Phoenix Desert Dog **Freddie Freeman** launched a walk-off home run in the bottom of the 18th on Monday, ending a 6 hour and 39 minute game, tied for the longest World Series game by innings in MLB history.

UMPIRES: Six of the seven umpires assigned to the 2025 World Series are AFL alum.

MVPs: Each of the last 10 Willie Mays World Series MVPs played in the Arizona Fall League including two-time MVP **Corey Seager** ('13-'14 Desert Dog).

FEELING GOLDEN: 24 Rawlings Gold Glove Finalists are Arizona Fall League alum (40%).

SILVER SLUGGERS: 26 Louisville Slugger Silver Slugger Finalists are Arizona Fall League alum (47.3%).

DEBUTS: 84 AFL alumni made their MLB debut in 2025 including 30 of which from #AFL24.

Media Inquiries

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Today's Headlines

Glendale @ Mesa: RHP **Alex Amalfi** (TOR) makes fourth AFL start after making 34 appearances (11 starts) with Double-A New Hampshire. He has allowed eight runs across eight innings, striking out six.

The 23-year-old RHP **Cade Smith** (NYY) makes his third AFL appearance after striking out five in each of his two performances. He has allowed one run on one hit and one walk across 6 2/3 innings, retiring 20 of 22 batters faced.

Salt River @ Peoria: The Rafter look to bounce back after a pair of losses with LHP **Dominic Perachi** (PIT) on the mound. Perachi struck out four in three scoreless innings against Mesa on Oct. 21. He has allowed one run through six innings in the AFL.

RHP **Carson Montgomery** (SD) had not made an appearance since April 21, 2024, before coming to the AFL after getting Tommy John Surgery last July. In three starts for Peoria, the 2023 11th-round pick out of Florida State has allowed one run in eight innings, striking out five.

Surprise @ Scottsdale: The top two teams in the AFL match up for the fourth time, with Scottsdale taking two of the first three matchups.

RHP **Jose Corniell** (TEX No. 3) makes his third AFL start. Corniell has gone four innings in both of his outings, combining for eight strikeouts. He made his first major league appearance in relief on Sept. 28 after posting a 1.89 ERA with 41 strikeouts over three levels.

The Scorpions have won three straight and eight of their last 10 games. They have an AFL-best +46 run differential, .875 team OPS, and 108 walks. Scottsdale's pitching staff has a league-best 5.03 ERA and league-least 76 walks allowed. They'll hand the ball off to RHP **Ryan Murphy** (SF), making his fourth AFL appearance (third start).

Upcoming Games and Probable Pitchers

Tuesday, October 28

Glendale @ Mesa	1:30	RHP Alex Amalfi vs. RHP Cade Smith
Salt River @ Peoria	1:30	LHP Dominic Perachi vs. RHP Carson Montgomery
Surprise @ Scottsdale	1:30	RHP Jose Corniell vs. RHP Ryan Murphy

Wednesday, October 29

Mesa @ Glendale	1:30	RHP Bryce Cunningham vs. LHP Hagen Smith
Scottsdale @ Surprise	1:30	RHP Kenny Serwa vs. RHP Daniel Espino
Peoria @ Salt River	1:30	LHP Luis De León vs. LHP Ben Shields

Thursday, October 30

Mesa @ Salt River	1:30	RHP Koen Moreno vs. RHP Jack Mahoney
Surprise @ Peoria	1:30	TBD vs. RHP Johnathan Harmon
Glendale @ Scottsdale	6:30	RHP Chen Wei-Lin vs. RHP Spencer Miles

Weekly Batting Practice & Infield/Outfield

Wednesdays are the current mandatory batting practice and I/O days. The schedule is below.

1:30 - Home I/O: 9:45 a.m., Home BP: 10:10 a.m., Visitor BP: 11:25 p.m., Visitor I/O: 12:35 p.m.
6:30 - Home I/O 2:45 p.m., Home BP: 3:10 p.m., Visitor BP: 4:25 p.m., Visitor I/O: 5:35 p.m.