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CINCINNATI REDS (16-16) vs. PITTSBURGH PIRATES (14-20)

May 11, 2021 at PNC Park, Pittsburgh, PA -- GAME #35/HOME #14

RHP JEFF HOFFMAN (2-2, 4.39 ERA) vs. RHP JT BRUBAKER (2-2, 2.78 ERA)

THE PIRATES... have gone 2-9 in their last 11 games after winning a season-high three games in a row to go above .500 (12-11) on 4/27...Snapped their three-game skid with Sunday's 6-5 win at Wrigley Field...Have gone 13-14 in their last 27 games after losing a season-high straight games from 4/3-8...Were 10-24 after 34 games in 2020 (11-24 after 35).

WHAT'S BRU-ING: JT Brubaker has been charged with two earned runs or fewer in five of his first six starts, four of which came on the road...He walked three batters in his last start (5/5 at San Diego) after going three games without issuing a free pass...Brubaker has lost his last two decisions after winning his first two...In 11 career games (nine starts) against teams from the N.L. Central division, JT has produced a 2.45 ERA (51.1ip/14er).

LIMITING THE DAMAGE: While pitching with runners in scoring position, **JT Brubaker** has limited opposing hitters to a .103 (3-for-29) batting average...That mark is the fourth-lowest among all Major League pitchers.

THE HIT COLLECTOR: Adam Frazier enters tonight's game with a season-high 11-game hitting streak (15-for-45, .333); the longest current streak in the Majors...He had a career-high 12-game hitting streak in 2020...Frazier currently shares the National League lead in hits with St. Louis' Tommy Edman (41).

PLAYING THE FIELD: Kevin Newman is one of only two Major League shortstops without an error this season (min: 25 games played), with San Francisco's Brandon Crawford being the other...Newman has gone 28 consecutive games without making an error at shortstop (he made one in his final game there in 2020); his career-high errorless streak at shortstop is 54 games.

ALL RIGHT, ALL RIGHT, ALL RIGHT: Adam Frazier's .333 batting average against right-handed pitchers is the second-highest mark among National League batters behind Cincinnati's Jesse Winker (.410).

MINOR MATTERS: Pittsburgh's minor league affiliates return to action tonight after all four teams were off Monday...RHP **Chase De Jong** enters today tied for third among Triple-A East pitchers with 10 strikeouts...Altoona's **Rodolfo Castro** is tied for second among all Double-A Northeast League hitters with nine hits, including hits in each of his last four games (9-for-18)...Greensboro ranks third among all High-A East League pitching staffs with 68 strikeouts after six games...The Bradenton Marauders rank third among all Low-A Southeast teams with 12 stolen bases, including eight against Fort Myers on May 8.

CURRENT BUCS: The Pirates began this seven-game homestand with a 14-1 loss to the Reds Monday night...It concludes with four games against San Francisco, beginning Thursday night...The Bucs have lost five straight games at PNC Park after winning five-of-seven...Overall the Pirates have posted a 5-8 record at home this season.

CATCH THIS: Bucco backstop **Jacob Stallings** has reached base safely in 11 straight games and has collected 11 hits in his last 35 at bats (.314)...Stallings has also reached base safely in all 11 of his games played at PNC Park this season, going 13-for-33 (.394) with 10 walks and a HBP (.545 on-base percentage)...Dating back to August 7 of last season, Jacob is hitting .330 (29-for-88) with five homers, 15 RBI and a .450 on-base percentage in 30 games at PNC Park.

BUCS/REDS: The Pirates are 0-4 against the Reds this season, having been out-scored, 44-9, in the four games...Dating back to the start of the 2018 season, the Pirates have gone 18-7 against the Reds at PNC Park.

4 IS THE MAGIC NUMBER: The Pirates scored six runs in Sunday's victory at Wrigley Field, the first time they scored more than three runs in a game since plating five on 5/1...The Bucs are now 11-3 this season when scoring four runs or more.

HOT ROD: Rich Rodríguez saw his streak of retiring 29 straight batters come to an end in the ninth inning Sunday in Chicago...His 0.16 WHIP in his first 12 appearances was the third-lowest by any Major League pitcher thru his first 12 games (since 1900)...Rich Rod is also the first pitcher in Pirates history to allow no more than one hit over his first 12 appearances of a season...Dating back to June 1, 2019, Rodríguez has produced a 2.16 ERA (79.1ip/19er) in his 83 games - that is the third-lowest ERA in the Majors and lowest in the N.L. among all relief pitchers with at least 75 appearances.

PEN PALS: David Bednar has been scored upon once in his last 11 appearances (9.2ip/1er)...**Kyle Crick** has made nine straight hitless outings (8.0ip) and has allowed just one hit in his first 12 games (32 at bats) overall...**Sam Howard** has stranded all 10 of his inherited runners and **Clay Holmes** has been charged with one earned run in his last 10 games (12.2ip).

SHELTY'S CREW: Manager **Derek Shelton** and his entire 2020 coaching staff have returned for a second season in 2021...**Christian Marrero** has joined the staff as Assistant Hitting Coach...Returning coaches include **Tarrik Brock** (First Base), **Joey Cora** (Third Base), **Rick Eckstein** (Hitting), **Don Kelly** (Bench), **Oscar Marin** (Pitching), **Justin Meccage** (Bullpen), **Mike Rabelo** (Field Coordinator) and **Glenn Sherlock**...Catching coaches **Herbie Andrade** and **Jordan Comadena** have returned.

BIG LEAGUE ROSTER: Pitchers (14) - Tyler Anderson, David Bednar, JT Brubaker, Trevor Cahill, Kyle Crick, Wil Crowe, Geoff Hartlieb, Clay Holmes, Sam Howard, Mitch Keller, Luis Oviedo, Richard Rodríguez, Chris Stratton, Duane Underwood, Jr...**Catchers (2)** - Michael Perez, Jacob Stallings...**Infielders (5)** - Wilmer Difo, Phillip Evans, Adam Frazier, Erik González, Kevin Newman...**Outfielders (5)** - Ben Gamel, Hunter Owen, Bryan Reynolds, Troy Stokes, Jr., Ka'ai Tom.

ON THIS DATE IN PIRATES HISTORY

May 11, 1988: The Pirates won in walk-off fashion as they defeated the Los Angeles Dodgers, 2-1, at Three Rivers Stadium. Randy Milligan doubled home Andy Van Slyke in the bottom of the 11th inning for the win. Bob Walk started the game and pitched eight strong innings, only giving up one run. Fernando Valenzuela started for the Dodgers and gave up one run and whiffed eight batters in seven innings of work.

UP-COMING GAMES AND PROBABLE PITCHERS

Wednesday vs. Cincinnati	12:35	RHP Sonny Gray (0-2, 3.92 ERA) vs. RHP Trevor Cahill (1-4, 6.75 ERA)	AT&T SportsNet
Thursday vs. San Francisco	6:35	RHP Anthony DeSclafani (2-1, 2.40 ERA) vs. RHP Wil Crowe (0-1, 4.02 ERA)	AT&T SportsNet
Friday vs. San Francisco	6:35	RHP Kevin Gausman (3-0, 1.97 ERA) vs. LHP Tyler Anderson (3-3, 3.05 ERA)	AT&T SportsNet
Saturday vs. San Francisco	6:35	RHP Johnny Cueto (2-1, 3.52 ERA) vs. RHP Mitch Keller (2-4, 7.81 ERA)	AT&T SportsNet
Sunday vs. San Francisco	1:05	LHP Alex Wood (4-0, 1.80 ERA) vs. RHP JT Brubaker	AT&T SportsNet

BUCS WHEN...

Last five games	1-4
Last ten games	2-8
Leading after 6	12-0
Tied after 6	2-3
Trailing after 6	0-17
Leading after 7	12-0
Tied after 7	2-0
Trailing after 7	0-20
Leading after 8	12-0
Tied after 8	1-0
Trailing after 8	0-19
Scoring first	9-3
Opp. score first	5-17
Scoring 4+	11-3
Scoring less than 4	3-17
Outhitting Opp.	13-4
Being out-hit	0-15
Hits are equal	1-1
Comeback wins	5
Wins in final AB	1
Walkoff Wins	0
Losses in final AB	0
Extra Inning Games	1-0
Playing errorless	11-6
Homered	8-9
2+ homers	3-2
Series (W-L-T)	4-5-2
Series Sweeps	0
Swept in a Series	2
Interleague	5-3
Before the break	14-20
After the break	0-0
Starter goes 6.0ip+	4-3
Starter goes less than 6.0ip	10-17
Black Road Jerseys	2-5
Grey Road Jerseys	7-7



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34 - RHP JT BRUBAKER

YEAR	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2020	1-3	4.94	11	9	0	0	47.1	48	27	26	17	48
2021	2-2	2.78	6	6	0	0	32.1	29	10	10	8	37
M.L. CAREER	3-5	4.07	17	15	0	0	79.2	77	37	36	25	85

vs. CINCINNATI: 0-1 with a 1.93 ERA (9.1ip/2er) in two career starts...Made his first start of the 2021 season on 4/5 at GABP and received a no-decision (4.0ip/1er)...Suffered a 1-0 loss to Luis Castillo last year on 9/16 at Great American Ball Park; he pitched 4.0 scoreless frames to start the game before surrendering the only run of the game in the fifth inning.

DATE/OPP	W/L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	PITCHES	ERA	SCORE	DATE/OPP	W/L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	PITCHES	ERA	SCORE
4/5 at Cincinnati	ND	4.0	3	1	1	4	6	82	2.25	3-5 L											
4/11 vs. Chicago-NL	W	5.1	4	1	1	1	4	74	1.93	7-1 W											
4/16 at Milwaukee	W	6.0	4	1	1	0	8	83	1.76	6-1 W											
4/23 at Minnesota	L	7.0	5	2	2	0	5	79	2.01	0-2 L											
4/30 vs. St. Louis	L	5.0	7	3	3	0	7	80	2.73	3-7 L											
TOTALS (2-2, 2.73 ERA)		27.1	23	8	8	5	30	398													
5/5 at San Diego	ND	5.0	6	2	2	3	7	93	2.78	2-4 L											
TOTALS (0-0, 3.60 ERA)		5.0	6	2	2	3	7	93													
CAREER BATTING:		.250 (2-for-8)	0 2B	0 3B	0 HR	3 RBI	1 SAC														
2021 BATTING:		.250 (2-for-8)	0 2B	0 3B	0 HR	3 RBI	1 SAC														

CATCHERS THROWING					
CS/ATT	%	PICKOFFS	PB	ERA	
Perez	0/4	0%	0	0	(75.0ip/39er) 4.68
Stallings	4/16	25%	0	0	(216.0ip/108er) 4.50

CAUGHT STEALINGS BY PITCHERS	1
PITCHER PICKOFFS	1 (Crowe on 5/8)
SB OFF PITCHERS	1
NO THROWS	1
OTHERS (double steals)	1

TOMORROW'S STARTER
TREVOR CAHILL: The 33-year-old righthander will be making his seventh start of the season tomorrow afternoon...His last start was a loss to Zach Davies at Wrigley Field Friday (5.0ip/8h/3r/2er/1bb/2so)...Reached 1500 career innings pitched in his last start...Has lost his last two starts after winning his first game of the season on 4/24 at Minnesota (6.0ip/1er); retired the last 13 batters he faced...Lost his first two decisions; in Milwaukee on 4/17 (4.0ip/7r/6er) and on 4/6 in Cincinnati (4.0ip/7er)...Was signed as a free agent on 3/12...Spent 2020 season with San Francisco and went 1-2 with a 3.24 ERA (25.0ip/9er) in 11 games (six starts).
vs. CINCINNATI: 0-3 with a 5.46 ERA (31.1ip/19er) in 16 career games (three starts)...His first start with the Pirates was a loss to Wade Miley on 4/6 at Great American Ball Park (4.0ip/7er)...Made his first start against the Reds on 8/22/13 - with Arizona - and gave up one run in 7.0ip in a no-decision.

2021 HIGHS & LOWS

TEAM BATTING	
Most runs, game, Pirates	8, 4/13 vs. SD & 4/10 vs. CHI
Most runs, game, Opponents	14, 5/10 vs. CIN & 4/6 at CIN
Most runs, inning, Pirates	7, 4/10 vs. CHI (2nd)
Most runs, inning, Opponents	6, 5/10 vs. CIN (4th)
Most hits, game, Pirates	14, 4/11 vs. CHI
Most hits, game, Opponents	17, 4/6 at CIN
Most hits, inning, Pirates	5, 3 times, last on 4/25 at MIN (7th)
Most consec. hits, inning	4, 4/25 at MIN (7th) & 4/11 vs. CHI (2nd)
Most consec. hits, game	4, 4/25 at MIN & 4/11 vs. CHI
Most hits, inning, Opponents	6, 5/10 vs. CIN (4th) & 4/17 at MIL (1st)
Fewest hits, game, Pirates	1, 4/23 at MIN
Fewest hits, game, Opponents	2, 4/1 at CHI
Most doubles, game	4, 5/4 at SD
Most triples, game	1, 4 times, last on 5/9 at CHI
Most home runs, game, Pirates	3, 4/5 at CIN
Most home runs, game, Opponents	4, 4/7 at CIN
Most consecutive games, home run	4, 4/4-7
Most consecutive games, no home run	5, 4/30-5/4
Most consec. games, HR, Opponents	6, 4/3-8
Most extra-base hits	5, 4/18 at MIL
Most consecutive games, extra-base hit	14, 4/1-16
Most stolen bases, game, Pirates	3, 4/1 at CHI
Most stolen bases, game, Opponents	3, 4/15 vs. SD & 4/13 vs. SD
Most left on base	15, 4/1 at CHI
TEAM PITCHING	
Most strikeouts, game, Pirates	14, 4/10 vs. CHI
Most strikeouts, game, Opponents	15, 4/5 at CIN
Most walks, game, Pirates	13, 4/13 vs. SD
Most walks, game, Opponents	11, 4/1 at CHI
TEAM MISCELLANEOUS	
Longest winning streak	3 games, 4/24-27
Longest losing streak	6 games, 4/3-8
Longest game, innings	10, 4/18 at MIL
Longest game, time	4:07, 4/13 vs. SD
Longest game, time, 9 innings	4:07, 4/13 vs. SD
Shortest game, time, 9 innings	2:17, 4/23 at MIN
Shortest game, time, 7 innings	1:55, 4/22 at DET (game 2)
Largest margin of victory	6 runs, 4/11 vs. CHI (7-1) & 4/10 vs. CHI (8-2)
Largest margin of defeat	13 runs, 5/11 vs. CIN (1-14) & 4/6 at CIN (1-14)
Largest come from behind victory	2 runs, 4/18 at MIL & 4/13 vs. SD
Largest come from behind loss	1 run, 3 times, last on 4/21 at DET (game 2)

Largest crowd, home	7,749, 4/8 vs. CHI
Smallest crowd, home	4,023, 4/52 vs. SD
Largest crowd, road	15,250, 3 times, last on 5/5 at SD
Smallest crowd, road	7,314, 4/22 at DET
Most errors, game, Pirates	4, 5/5 at SD
Most errors, game, Opponents	3, 4/17 at MIL
Consecutive innings w/out an error	54, 4/17-24
Most double plays turned	3, 3 times, last on 5/10 vs. CIN
Rain delays, home (total time)	1 (20 minutes)
Rain delays, road (total time)	None
Players used	37
INDIVIDUAL BATTING	
Most hits, game	4, Reynolds (4/11 vs. CHI)
Most consecutive hits	4, A. Frazier (5/7-8) & Polanco (4/25-27)
Most runs, game	3, Reynolds (4/18 at MIL)
Most 2bs, game	2, 4 times, last by Reynolds (5/4 at SD)
Most 3bs, game	1, 4 times, last by Difo (5/9 at CHI)
Most HR, game	1, 23 times, last by Stallings (5/10 vs. CIN)
Most extra-base hits	2, 7 times, last by Reynolds (5/4 at SD)
Most total bases	7, Perez (4/24 at MIN)
Most RBI, game	4, Moran (4/18 at MIL) & González (4/7 at CIN)
Most SB, game	1, 12 times, last by A. Frazier & Tom (5/8 at CHI)
Most walks, game	3, Tom (4/30 vs. STL) & Moran (4/1 at CHI)
Consec. games, home run	2, Evans (4/5-6) & Moran (4/4-5)
Longest hitting streak	11 games, A. Frazier (4/28-5/10)
Grand slams	1, González (4/7 at CIN)
Inside-the-park home runs	None
Leadoff home runs	None
Pinch-hit home runs	1, Difo (4/11 vs. CHI)
Walkoff home runs	None
INDIVIDUAL PITCHING	
Most strikeouts, game	8, Cahill (4/12 vs. SD)
Longest winning streak	2 games, Anderson (4/14-21) & Brubaker (4/11-16)
Longest losing streak	2 games, 5 times, last by Cahill (5/1-7)
Fewest hits, complete game	
Most walks, game	7, Kuhl (4/13 vs. SD)
Most IP, game, starter	8.0, Anderson (5/9 at CHI)
Most IP, game, reliever	2.1, Underwood, Jr. (4/6 at CIN)
Most consec. scoreless IP	12.1, Rodríguez (4/1-5/4)
Most consecutive saves	6, Rodríguez (4/1-5/9)

WILMER DIFO HOMESTAND: 0-4 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-4 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 3-14 (.214) 0 HR 3 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 0-for-6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☒ Went 0-for-4 while starting Monday's game at third base...Has gone 6-for-28 (.214) in his seven starts. ☒ Went 3-for-5 with a triple and three RBI while playing center field Sunday afternoon at Wrigley Field. ☒ Has made seven starts; three in center field, two in right field and two at third base. ☒ Has gone 6-for-17 with a home run (4/11 vs. CHI) as a pinch hitter - leads all MLB players in pinch hits. 	vs. LHP: 2-12 (.167) 0 HR vs. RHP: 10-36 (.278) 1 HR Home: 5-22 (.227) 1 HR Road: 7-26 (.269) 0 HR Last HR: 4/11/20 vs. CHI
PHILLIP EVANS HOMESTAND: 0-3 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-3 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 1-10 (.100) 0 HR 0 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 0-for-7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☒ Has reached base safely in each of his last seven starts; went 0-for-3 with a walk Monday night. ☒ Has made nine starts at third base, eight in left field, six in right field, three at first base, and one as the DH. ☒ Has gone 8-for-54 (.148) in 16 games since producing his last two-hit game on 4/21 at Detroit (game 1). ☒ Hit .406 (13-for-32) in his first nine games; is hitting .123 (9-for-73) in his last 21 games. 	vs. LHP: 3-24 (.125) 0 HR vs. RHP: 19-81 (.235) 4 HR Home: 7-37 (.189) 1 HR Road: 15-68 (.221) 3 HR Last HR: 4/21/21 at MIL
ADAM FRAZIER HOMESTAND: 2-3 (.667) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 2-3 (.667) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 6-12 (.500) 0 HR 0 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 11 games	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☒ Has an 11-game hitting streak (15-for-45, .333) and has hit safely in 12 of his last 13 games (18-for-54, .333). ☒ Had a career-high 12-game hitting streak in 2020...Ranks second among N.L. hitters with .333 average vs. RHP. ☒ Has reached base safely in 29 of his first 33 games...<u>Is tied for first among the N.L. leaders in hits (41).</u> ☒ Has nine career leadoff home runs; only Al Martin (10) and Barry Bonds (20) have more in Pirates history. 	vs. LHP: 7-31 (.226) 0 HR vs. RHP: 34-102 (.333) 0 HR Home: 17-52 (.327) 0 HR Road: 24-81 (.296) 0 HR Last HR: 9/24/20 vs. CHI
BEN GAMEL HOMESTAND: 0-2 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-2 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 0-2 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 0-for-2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☒ Made his Bucco debut Monday; went 0-for-2 while playing the final two innings at first base. ☒ Was claimed off waivers Sunday from Cleveland, where he went 1-for-14 with a double in 11 games. ☒ Snapped an 0-for-13 start to the 2021 season with a double against the Reds in Cincinnati on 4/16. ☒ Has made 208 appearances in left field, 168 in right field and 47 in center field during his Major League career. 	vs. LHP: 0-1 (.000) 0 HR vs. RHP: 0-1 (.000) 0 HR Home: 0-2 (.000) 0 HR Road: 0-0 (.000) 0 HR Last HR: 8/21/20 at PIT
ERIK GONZÁLEZ HOMESTAND: 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 3-13 (.231) 0 HR 0 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 2 games	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☒ Has made 18 starts at third base and seven at shortstop...Has gone 9-for-30 (.300) with runners in scoring position. ☒ Has hit safely in four of his last five games...Went 2-for-4 Saturday afternoon in Chicago. ☒ Is tied for second on the team in RBI (14)...Has hit safely in six of his eight starts at PNC Park this season. ☒ Connected off Amir Garrett in Cincinnati for his first career grand slam on 4/7. 	vs. LHP: 6-25 (.240) 2 HR vs. RHP: 18-83 (.217) 0 HR Home: 9-37 (.243) 1 HR Road: 15-71 (.211) 1 HR Last HR: 4/28/21 vs. KC
KEVIN NEWMAN HOMESTAND: 0-4 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-4 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 3-13 (.231) 0 HR 0 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 0-for-4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☒ Has reached safely in 11 of his last 12 starts; his streak of 11 in a row ended Monday after going 0-for-4. ☒ Is one of just two MLB shortstops (min: 25 games) without an error (also Brandon Crawford). ☒ Connected off Michael Pineda for his first home run of the season in Minnesota on 4/24. ☒ Has made 27 starts at shortstop and one at second base (4/7 at Cincinnati). 	vs. LHP: 5-28 (.179) 0 HR vs. RHP: 17-83 (.205) 2 HR Home: 8-42 (.190) 0 HR Road: 14-69 (.203) 1 HR Last HR: 4/24/21 at MIN
HUNTER OWEN HOMESTAND: 0-1 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-1 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 0-4 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 0-for-4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☒ Struck out as a pinch hitter Monday night...Made his first big league start in right field last Wednesday in SD. ☒ Made his Major League debut Wednesday in San Diego and went 0-for-2 while also being hit by a pitch. ☒ Was selected to the Major League roster prior to last Tuesday's game after Gregory Polanco was placed on the I.L. ☒ Made 241 appearances at third base, 38 in left field and 18 in right field during his minor league career. 	vs. LHP: 0-0 (.000) 0 HR vs. RHP: 0-4 (.000) 0 HR Home: 0-1 (.000) 0 HR Road: 0-3 (.000) 0 HR Last HR: No MLB Home Runs
MICHAEL PEREZ HOMESTAND: 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 0-10 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 0-for-10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☒ Went 0-for-3 with a walk while making his ninth start of the season Saturday afternoon in Chicago. ☒ Is hitless in his last 10 at bats after going 3-for-3 with a walk in Minnesota on 4/24. ☒ Tied his career high (third time) with three hits on 4/24; entered the game with one hit in 18 at bats. ☒ Snapped an 0-for-11 start to the season with a single as a pinch hitter on 4/15. 	vs. LHP: 1-4 (.250) 0 HR vs. RHP: 3-27 (.111) 1 HR Home: 1-7 (.143) 0 HR Road: 3-24 (.125) 1 HR Last HR: 4/24/21 at MIN
GREGORY POLANCO HOMESTAND: 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 2-11 (.182) 0 HR 1 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 0-for-9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☒ Has been on the injured list since last Tuesday (5/4). ☒ Has reached base safely in 17 of his 22 starts in right field...Went 0-for-3 with a walk last Monday in San Diego. ☒ Swiped his team-leading fourth base on 5/3 (has been successful in all four stolen base attempts). ☒ Connected off former teammate Joe Musgrove for his first home run of the season on 4/14. 	vs. LHP: 0-17 (.000) 0 HR vs. RHP: 16-63 (.254) 3 HR Home: 9-34 (.265) 1 HR Road: 7-46 (.152) 2 HR Last HR: 4/25/21 at MIN
BRYAN REYNOLDS HOMESTAND: 2-2 (1.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 2-2 (1.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 3-12 (.250) 1 HR 1 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 1 game	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☒ Reached base safely in all four plate appearances Monday; going 2-for-2 with a double and a pair of walks. ☒ Has made each of his last 14 starts in center field...Started each of his first 17 games in left field. ☒ Has reached base safely in 17 of his last 19 games and in 27 of his 31 starts. ☒ Is hitting .306 (15-for-49) with runners on base and .357 (10-for-28) with runners in scoring position. 	vs. LHP: 13-34 (.382) 1 HR vs. RHP: 22-83 (.265) 2 HR Home: 14-52 (.269) 0 HR Road: 20-65 (.308) 3 HR Last HR: 5/5/21 at SD
JACOB STALLINGS HOMESTAND: 1-3 (.333) 1 HR 1 RBI SERIES 1-3 (.333) 1 HR 1 RBI LAST 3: 2-9 (.222) 1 HR 2 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 2 games	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☒ Has reached base safely in 11 straight starts...Connected off Tyler Mahle for his second homer Monday night. ☒ Has produced a .432 on-base percentage and a 1.032 OPS in his last 10 games, dating back to 4/27. ☒ Has 11 hits in his last 35 at bats and has hit safely in nine of his last 11 games after an 0-for-19 streak. ☒ Is hitting .394 (13-for-33) at PNC Park this season and has reached base safely in all 11 of his home games. 	vs. LHP: 3-20 (.150) 1 HR vs. RHP: 18-64 (.281) 1 HR Home: 13-33 (.394) 2 HR Road: 8-51 (.157) 0 HR Last HR: 5/10/21 vs. CIN
TROY STOKES, JR. HOMESTAND: 0-4 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-4 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 0-8 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 0-for-8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☒ Went 0-for-4 while playing right field in his PNC Park debut Monday night. ☒ Made his Major League debut Sunday at Wrigley Field; went hitless in four at bats while playing right field. ☒ Went 2-for-9 in four games with Triple-A Indianapolis...Homered as a pinch hitter Thursday at Iowa. ☒ Has made 438 appearances in left field, 60 in center field and 22 in right field during his minor league career. 	vs. LHP: 0-0 (.000) 0 HR vs. RHP: 0-8 (.000) 0 HR Home: 0-4 (.000) 0 HR Road: 0-4 (.000) 0 HR Last HR: No MLB Home Runs
KA'AI TOM HOMESTAND: 0-4 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI SERIES 0-4 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI LAST 3: 2-10 (.200) 1 HR 2 RBI CURRENT STREAK: 0-for-5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☒ Has reached base safely in eight of his 10 games with the Pirates; posting a .378 on-base percentage. ☒ Has started nine of the last 10 games in left field...Made Major League debut with Oakland on 4/1 vs. Houston. ☒ Connected off Trevor Williams for his first Major League home run Saturday afternoon at Wrigley Field. ☒ Was claimed off waivers from Oakland on 4/21...Went 1-for-16 in nine games with the Athletics. 	vs. LHP: 0-3 (.000) 0 HR vs. RHP: 5-23 (.218) 1 HR Home: 1-11 (.091) 0 HR Road: 4-15 (.267) 1 HR Last HR: 5/8/21 at CHI

DAVID BEDNAR	⚔ Has been scored upon once in his last 11 appearances (9.2ip/1er) and has been scored upon twice overall in his first 14 outings.
BA AGAINST: 8-46 .174	⚔ Pitched a 1-2-3 eighth inning Saturday in Chicago...Has made a career-high 14 appearances (previous high was 13 with SD in 2019).
INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED: 6/1	⚔ Tied his career high (third time) with 2.0 innings of work on 4/30 vs. St. Louis (0 runs/3 so).
1ST BAT FACED/RET: 14/10	⚔ Surrendered back-to-back home runs to Tyler Stephenson and Aristides Aquino in Cincinnati on 4/7; also had two strikeouts.

KYLE CRICK	⚔ Was charged with his first two runs of the season Sunday in Chicago; had made 11 scoreless outings (11.0ip) to start the campaign.
BA AGAINST: 1-32 .031	⚔ Hit a batter and allowed a walk Sunday in Chicago (both eventually scored)...Has not allowed a hit in his last nine appearances (8.0ip).
INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED: 2/1	⚔ Has retired 20 of his last 23 opposing hitters since issuing a walk to the first batter he faced on 4/16 in Milwaukee.
1ST BAT FACED/RET: 12/9	⚔ Has two Major League saves (both in a Pirates uniform); 5/23/18 vs. Cincinnati and 7/13/18 vs. Milwaukee.

GEOFF HARTLIEB	⚔ Made his season debut Monday night vs. Cincinnati; pitched the final 2.0 innings and gave up three runs on three walks and two hits.
BA AGAINST: 2-7 .286	⚔ Was recalled Sunday from Triple-A Indianapolis, where he made two scoreless appearances (2.0ip).
INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED: 0/0	⚔ Went 1-0 with a 3.63 ERA (22.1ip/9er) in 21 games with the Pirates in 2020...Made a career-high 29 appearances with the Bucs in 2019.
1ST BAT FACED/RET: 1/0	⚔ Allowed just two of his 18 inherited runners to score in 2020 (11.1%); the fourth-best pct. among N.L. relief pitchers.

CLAY HOLMES	⚔ Allowed his first inherited runner to score Saturday afternoon; had stranded each of his first five runners prior to Saturday.
BA AGAINST: 14-61 .230	⚔ Has been charged with one earned run in his last 10 appearances (12.0p)...Gave up season-high five runs on 4/6 at Cincinnati (0.1ip).
INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED: 6/1	⚔ Did not allow a run in 2.0ip on 4/28 against Kansas City (threw a season-high 31 pitches)...Also had season-high 2.0ip on 4/17 at Milw.
1ST BAT FACED/RET: 15/8	⚔ Pitched 1.1 scoreless frames on 4/25 in Minnesota and was credited with his first win of the season (third career).

SAM HOWARD	⚔ Suffered his second loss of the season on Saturday (0.2ip/1er)...Has held lefties to a .105 (2-for-19) batting average.
BA AGAINST: 5-39 .128	⚔ Has been scored upon twice in his last 12 appearances (8.2ip/3er); was charged with season-high two earned runs in 0.2ip on 5/1 vs. Stl.
INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED: 10/0	⚔ Has stranded all 10 of his inherited runners this season; tied with Chad Green for the most (without scoring) among all MLB pitchers.
1ST BAT FACED/RET: 16/13	⚔ Picked up his wins on Opening Day (4/1) in Chicago and on 4/22 in Detroit.

LUIS OVIEDO	⚔ Surrendered five hits and four runs while pitching 2.0 innings Monday vs. Cincinnati.
BA AGAINST: 12-45 .267	⚔ Retired all three Cubs batters he faced Friday afternoon at Wrigley...Made back-to-back scoreless appearances (3.0ip) on 5/2 & 5/7.
INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED: 0/0	⚔ Gave up five runs in 1.2 innings of work on 4/12 vs. San Diego and suffered first big league loss (entered game with 1-1 score).
1ST BAT FACED/RET: 7/5	⚔ Made his Major League debut on 4/3 in Chicago and pitched a 1-2-3 eighth inning; struck out Ian Happ to end the frame.

RICHARD RODRÍGUEZ	⚔ Retired 29 consecutive batters before giving up a single to Joc Pederson Sunday afternoon in Chicago (0.2ip/2h/1er).
BA AGAINST: 3-42 .071	⚔ Earned his sixth save of the season Sunday in Chicago...Has retired 30 of the last 32 batters he has faced.
INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED: 3/1	⚔ Is the first pitcher in Pirates history to allow no more than one hit over his first 12 appearances of a season.
1ST BAT FACED/RET: 13/13	⚔ Has pitched 2.0 innings of relief once this season (4/18); has pitched 2.0+ 13 times in his career with the Pirates (10 times in 2018).

CHRIS STRATTON	⚔ Retired all three batters he faced in San Diego Wednesday night...Pitched a scoreless frame on 5/1 against the Cardinals.
BA AGAINST: 17-61 .279	⚔ Has been scored upon just once in his first five appearances at PNC Park...Posted a 2.08 ERA (17.1ip/4er) in 16 home games in 2020.
INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED: 2/0	⚔ Picked up the win on 4/13 vs. San Diego; struck out two batters and stranded two inherited runners while pitching a scoreless inning.
1ST BAT FACED/RET: 12/10	⚔ Led National League relief pitchers in innings pitched (30.0) last season; tied for third in appearances (27).

DUANE UNDERWOOD, JR.	⚔ Pitched 1.2 scoreless innings Monday night vs. Cincinnati...Suffered loss last Wednesday in San Diego (1.0ip/2r/1er).
BA AGAINST: 17-70 .243	⚔ Has been scored upon twice in his last four outings (4.2ip/4er) after not allowing an earned run in six straight games (8.1ip).
INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED: 8/7	⚔ Pitched a scoreless seventh inning vs. Kansas City on 4/27 and was credited with his first win of the season (second career).
1ST BAT FACED/RET: 13/8	⚔ Threw 40 pitches and tied his career high with 2.1 innings of relief on 4/6 in Cincinnati (also 8/6/20 at Kansas City).

2021 Injured List (11 players, 11 appearances)				
Player (injury)	On IL	Date Eligible	Off IL	^ Games Missed
RHP José Soriano (Tommy John surgery on 1/30/20)	*2/17	5/31	---	14-20
LHP Austin Davis (left elbow sprain) *	2/24	5/31	---	14-20
RHP Blake Cederlind (right elbow surgery) *	3/12	5/31	---	14-20
LHP Steven Brault (left lat strain) *	4/1	5/31	---	14-20
RHP Cody Ponce (right forearm tightness)	4/1 (retro 3/29)	4/7	4/18	6-9
RHP Kyle Crick (COVID-IL)	4/1	4/4	4/4	1-1
INF Ke'Bryan Hayes (left wrist strain) *	4/4	6/3	---	13-19
RHP Michael Feliz (cracked right middle fingernail)	4/16	4/26	5/3	7-7
RHP Chad Kuhl (right shoulder discomfort)	4/22 (retro 4/19)	4/29	---	6-10
OF Gregory Polanco	5/4	---	---	2-4
INF Colin Moran (left groin strain)	5/9	5/19	---	1-1

* 60-day ^ Team record in games missed

Runs By Inning											
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	Xtra	Total
Bucs	18	21	12	12	12	10	12	12	7	1	117
Opps	36	21	13	16	16	21	16	12	9	0	160

THE LAST TIME...	
The Pirates Hit Back-to-Back HRs (twice in 2021)	last on 4/28/21 vs. KC (González & Stallings)
The Pirates Hit a Grand Slam	4/7/21 at CIN (González)
The Pirates Hit an Inside-The-Park HR	5/4/18 at MIL (Marte)
The Pirates Hit a Leadoff HR	9/23/20 vs. CHI (Frazier)
The Pirates Hit Back-to-Back HR's Leading Off Game	9/23/20 vs. CHI (Frazier & Hayes)
The Pirates Hit a Leadoff Inside-The-Park HR	4/20/12 vs. STL (Presley)
The Pirates Hit a Pinch-Hit Grand Slam	8/24/19 vs. CIN (Moran)
The Pirates Hit Three HR's in One Inning	5/23/19 vs. COL (Bell, Reynolds & Marte)
The Pirates Hit Three Consecutive HR's in One Inning	5/24/17 at ATL (Freese, Osuna & Mercer)
The Pirates Hit Four HR's in One Inning	8/20/03 at STL (Sanders-2, Kendall & Giles)
The Pirates Hit Five Home Runs in a Game	7/1/19 vs. CHI (Bell-3, Kang & Osuna)
The Pirates Hit Six Home Runs in a Game	4/14/14 at CIN
The Pirates Hit Seven Home Runs in a Game	8/20/03 at STL (club record, done 3 times)

	Pirates vs. Cincinnati									
	2021					CAREER				
	AVG	AB	H	HR	RBI	AVG	AB	H	HR	RBI
Difo	.273	11	3	0	0	.378	37	14	0	3
Evans	.308	13	4	2	2	.294	17	5	2	2
Frazier, A.	.200	10	2	0	0	.243	177	43	3	11
Gamel	.333	3	1	0	0	.200	60	12	0	3
González	.091	11	1	1	4	.253	79	20	1	7
Newman	.077	13	1	0	0	.265	117	31	3	17
Owen	.000	1	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0
Perez	.000	4	0	0	0	.000	4	0	0	0
Polanco	.000	7	0	0	0	.204	294	60	8	30
Reynolds	.400	10	4	1	1	.297	74	22	3	12
Stallings	.100	10	1	1	1	.192	64	12	2	3
Stokes, Jr.	.000	4	0	0	0	.000	4	0	0	0
Tom	.000	4	0	0	0	.000	4	0	0	0

	W-L-S					ERA				
	W	L	S	ERA	G	IP	ER	W	L	S
Anderson	0	0	0	----	0	0.0	0	1	0	0
Bednar	0	0	0	18.00	1	1.0	2	0	0	0
Brubaker	0	0	0	2.25	1	4.0	1	0	1	0
Cahill	0	1	0	15.75	1	4.0	7	0	3	0
Crick	0	0	0	----	0	0.0	0	1	0	1
Crowe	0	0	0	----	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Hartlieb	0	0	0	13.50	1	2.0	3	0	0	0
Holmes	0	0	0	135.0	1	0.1	5	0	0	0
Howard	0	1	0	9.00	1	1.0	1	1	2	0
Keller	0	1	0	18.90	1	3.1	7	0	2	0
Oviedo	0	0	0	11.25	2	4.0	5	0	0	0
Rodríguez	0	0	0	0.00	1	0.1	0	1	0	2
Stratton	0	0	0	13.50	1	2.0	3	1	0	0
Underwood Jr.	0	0	0	4.50	2	4.0	2	0	0	0

