



# St. Louis Cardinals (7-6-4)

at

# Miami Marlins (9-4-5)

Spring Training Game No. 18 • Monday, March 22

Roger Dean Chevrolet Stadium • Jupiter, Fla.

RHP Jack Flaherty (0-1, 9.00) vs. RHP Sandy Alcantara (0-0, 0.00)

## CARDINALS 2021 SPRING RECAP

Record	Attendance
vs. NL..... 4-5-3	Home (8)..... 10,425
vs. AL..... 3-1-1	Home Avg ..... 1,303
at Home ..... 6-0-2	Road (9)..... 12,261
on Road ..... 1-6-2	Road Avg ..... 1,402
at RDCS* ..... 7-0-3	Total..... 22,686
	Home High..... 1,425
	3/18 vs. MIA

\*Includes road games at Roger Dean Chevrolet Stadium

## ON THE AIR

The Cardinals are broadcasting 18 Spring Training games on their radio flagship station KMOX 1120 AM...Mike Shannon, John Rooney, Mike Claiborne and Ricky Horton will be on the call...the 50,000-watt station can sometimes be heard as far south as Jupiter on a clear day...Six games will not be broadcast on KMOX this spring and can be heard on [cardinals.com](http://cardinals.com).

## ON THE TUBE

FOX Sports Midwest (rebranding as Bally Sports Midwest in the coming weeks) is scheduled to televise 12 games in 2021 (subject to change)...every telecast will be streamed live on the FOX Sports GO app and at [FOXSportsGO.com](http://FOXSportsGO.com)...Dan McLaughlin will call the action with Jim Edmonds, Brad Thompson and Ricky Horton.

## LAST SEASON

The Cardinals captured 2nd place (via head-to-head tie breaker over Cincinnati) in the NL Central and a 5th seed in the National League Playoffs, going 30-28, as they concluded their 129th season of play in the Senior Circuit, finishing 3.0 games back of 1st place Chicago...the Cardinals lost to the San Diego Padres, 2-1, in the Wild Card Series...St. Louis has recorded 13-straight winning seasons dating to 2008.

## CARDINALS RECENT SPRING TRAINING RECORDS

Year	W-L-T	Team Batting Avg.	Team ERA
2020*	10-9-2	.246	3.52
2019*	12-15-4	.239	4.57
2018	17-13-2	.253	3.93
2017	20-8-4	.255	3.28
2016	11-13-3	.263	3.81
2015*	13-11-3	.252	3.06
2014*	11-13-1	.260	5.27
2013*	16-14-1	.280	4.20
2012*	16-9-2	.276	3.05
2011*	14-16-1	.261	3.79
2010	15-14-0	.280	4.95

\*Reached Postseason

Note: The Cardinals moved to Jupiter and began playing at Roger Dean Chevrolet Stadium in 1998.

## RECENT TRANSACTIONS

**March 20:** Optioned RHP Seth Elledge, RHP Angel Rondón, C Ivan Herrera, and Ali Sánchez. Re-assigned RHP Roel Ramirez, C Aaron Antonini, INF Evan Mendoza, INF Delvin Perez, OF Conner Capel, and OF Scott Hurst.

**March 13:** Optioned RHP Junior Fernandez and RHP Johan Quezada. Re-assigned RHP Conner Jones, RHP Griffin Roberts, LHP Austin Warner, RHP Garrett Williams, C Pedro Pages, C Carlos Soto, 1B Luken Baker, INF Kramer Robertson, OF Lars Nootbaar, and OF Justin Toerner.

**February 17:** Opened camp with 39 roster players and 28 non-roster invitees.

**February 14:** Signed OF Matt Szczur to a minor league contract and invited him to spring training.

**February 12:** Acquired C Ali Sánchez from the New York Mets in exchange for cash considerations.

**February 10:** Acquired RHP Johan Quezada from the Philadelphia Phillies in exchange for cash considerations.

**CARDINALS ROSTER REDUCED TO 44:** Following Saturday game, the Cardinals reduced the number of players in Major League camp to 44, by optioning pitchers **Seth Elledge** and **Angel Rondón** and catchers **Ivan Herrera** and **Ali Sánchez**, and re-assigned pitcher **Roel Ramirez**, catcher **Aaron Antonini**, infielders **Evan Mendoza** and **Delvin Pérez** and outfielders **Conner Capel** and **Scott Hurst**.

**CELEBRATING MIKE SHANNON'S 50TH & FINAL YEAR:** The Cardinals announced a season-long campaign to honor radio broadcaster **Mike Shannon** throughout his 50th and final season in the broadcast booth. Shannon, who joined the team's radio broadcast in 1972 after nine seasons playing for the Cardinals, previously announced his retirement after the 2021 season. Mike will become the 14th announcer in baseball history to serve as long as 50 years in the booth and only the sixth announcer to log at least 50 years with one team. Shannon's tenure with the Cardinals is the fourth-longest active tenure among MLB announcers behind **Jamie Jarrin** (Dodgers, 1959), **Denny Matthews** (Royals, 1969) and **Bob Uecker** (Brewers, 1971).

**GCS CREDIT UNION BALLPARK CHOSEN FOR ALTERNATE SITE:** The Cardinals will utilize GCS Credit Union Ballpark in Sauget, Illinois as their Alternate Training Site beginning in April. GCS Credit Union Ballpark, opened in 2002, serves as home of the Gateway Grizzlies of the 16-team Frontier League. Utilized as a training base for players serving as taxi squad and possible roster call-ups while the minor leagues are still awaiting the start to their season, the Alternate Training Site will host a maximum of 28 players who are all members of the Cardinals organization. Workouts will be run by the Cardinals triple-A Memphis coaching staff.

**ANOTHER ONE FOR THE TROPHY CASE:** Pitcher **Adam Wainwright** was the recipient of the prestigious 2020 Roberto Clemente Humanitarian Award for his outstanding philanthropy work around the world through his Big League Impact charitable foundation...Waino is the 6th Cardinal to win the award, most by any MLB Club, joining **Lou Brock** (1975), **Ozzie Smith** (1995), **Albert Pujols** (2008), **Carlos Beltran** (2013) and **Yadier Molina** (2018).

**CARDINALS APPROVED TO HOST FANS AT BUSCH IN 2021:** The Cardinals, in cooperation with the City of St. Louis and Major League Baseball, have received approval to welcome guests back to Busch Stadium for the 2021 season, beginning Thursday, April 8. To begin the season, up to approximately 32% of capacity will be allowed to attend games at Busch Stadium. The organization will begin selling tickets to April home games soon, with Cardinals Season Ticket Holders receiving first opportunity to secure tickets for the first two homestands. If inventory allows, ticket on-sale dates for the general public will be determined and announced at a later date. Fans can view the full list of Busch Stadium policies and protocols for the start of the 2021 season at [cardinals.com/backatbusch](http://cardinals.com/backatbusch).

**GOLD LEATHER:** Left fielder **Tyler O'Neill** was the recipient of the 2020 NL Rawlings Gold Glove award, first of his career and the first left fielder in Cardinals history to win the coveted defensive trophy...First baseman **Paul Goldschmidt** finished as a Gold Glove finalist, while former Cardinal **Kolton Wong** took home the honor for second base...the Cardinals infield now boasts 20 Gold Gloves between **Yadier Molina** (9), **Nolan Arenado** (8) and Goldschmidt (3), while the 91 Gold Glove Awards are most all-time among MLB franchises.

**THE BATTERY IS BACK:** The Cardinals re-signed franchise icons **Yadier Molina** and **Adam Wainwright** to one-year contracts this offseason. The duo have paired up in 274 starts, ranking 6th all-time in MLB history as batterymates...Molina will move into 2nd this year with 18 seasons played solely for the Cardinals, trailing only **Stan Musial**'s record 22 seasons...Wainwright enters his 17th season with the Cardinals, matching **Bob Gibson** (1959-75) for the 2nd-most as a pitcher in a Redbirds uniform behind **Jesse Haines** (18 years, 1920-37).

**10 YEARS LATER:** The 2021 season marks the 10th anniversary of the 2011 championship winning team that earned a Wild Card berth on the last day of the regular season after being 10.5 games back in late August and ultimately defeating the Texas Rangers in a thrilling seven-game series to earn the club's 11th World Series title.

## CARDINALS 2021 SPRING SCHEDULE & RESULTS

Date/Opp.	Time/Result	Probable Starters/ Winner-Loser-Save	Record	Att.	Highlights
2/28 vs. WSH*+##	T, 4-4	None-None-None	0-0-1	1,204	Bader 2B; 6 Cardinals throw Sho IP
3/1		OPEN DATE			
3/2 at MIA^*#	T, 0-0 (7)	None-None-None	0-0-2	1,256	5 Cardinals combine for 2 H allowed
3/3 vs. NYM*+##	W, 14-9	Parsons-Barnes	1-0-2	1,159	HRs by Nogowski, Rondón, Sánchez
3/4 at HOU+##	L, 14-0	McCullers, Jr.-Martínez	1-1-2	1,423	Molina 2B; Reyes 2.0 scoreless IP
3/5 at WSH+##	L, 7-6	Fuentes-Quezada	1-2-2	1,476	Walkoff throw E; Knizner & Thomas 2H
3/6		OPEN DATE			
3/7 vs. HOU*+##	W, 8-5	Woodford-Torres-Cruz	2-2-2	1,334	O'Neill 3-R HR; Waino 3.0 IP & 5 SO
3/8 vs. MIA+##	T, 7-7	None-None-None	2-2-3	1,203	Goldschmidt 2B, O'Neill 2B, Peréz 3B
3/9 at NYM#	L, 5-3	Hunter-Rondón-McWilliams	2-3-3	1,352	J. Williams 2-3, HR; Knizner RBI 1B
3/10 at WSH#	L, 3-2	Voth-Flaherty-Braymer	2-4-3	1,460	Edman 2-3, 2B; Rondón 3B, 2 R
3/11		OPEN DATE			
3/12 vs. HOU*+##	W, 4-3	Helsley-Taylor-Whitley	3-4-3	1,352	O'Neill & Molina 2-R HRs; Waino 0 R
3/13 at MIA^	W, 6-4	Elledge-Poteet	4-4-3	1,393	Nogowski 4-4, 4 RBI; Dean 2-3, 2B
3/14 at NYM+##	L, 7-5	Loup-Williams-Diaz	4-5-3	1,373	O'Neill 3-3, 2R; Rondón 3 RBI
3/15 vs. WSH*+##	W, 4-2	Whitley-Voth-Reyes	5-5-3	1,356	Arenado 2-3, RBI; O'Neill 2-3, 2B
3/16		OPEN DATE			
3/17 at HOU+##	T, 4-4	None-None-None	5-5-4	1,533	Goldschmidt 2-R HR; Edman 3-3
3/18 vs. MIA*+##	W, 7-5	Ramirez-Floro-Thompson	6-5-4	1,425	DeJong HR; Gorman 3-run 2B
3/19 at NYM#	L, 8-5	Walker-Martínez-Zamora	6-6-4	1,355	HRs by Moroff & Hurst; Peréz 2B
3/20 vs. HOU+	W, 5-2	Hicks-Brown-Whitley	7-6-4	1,392	Gant 5.0 IP, 1 R; Carlson 2-2, 2-R HR
3/21		OPEN DATE			
3/22 at MIA^#	1:05	RHP Jack Flaherty vs. RHP Sandy Alcantara			
3/23 vs. WSH*+##	1:05	TBA vs. LHP Jon Lester			
3/24 vs. NYM*+##	1:05				
3/25 at HOU+	6:05				
3/26		OPEN DATE			
3/27 vs. MIA*+##	6:05				
3/28 at WSH+	1:05				
3/29 vs. NYM+	12:05				

Game times are local and are subject to change

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