ARIZONA FALL LEAGUE

GAME NOTES - MONDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2024



Peoria Javelinas





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W-L AFL Standings **GB** Streak Surprise Saguaros 16-8 L1 Glendale Desert Dogs 14-12 3.0 W1 14-12 Salt River Rafters 3.0 L2 Mesa Solar Sox 13-13 4.0 L1 Scottsdale Scorpions 12-14 5.0 W3

Home Run Derby Recap

7-17

Total Home Runs Hit:

116

Rounds 1 and 2 combined:

Brock Wilken: 24 Garrett Martin: 16 Kala'i Rosario: 15 Jac Caglianone: 14 Peyton Williams: 8 Moises Ballesteros: 8 Carter Jensen: 7 Josue Briceño: 5

Finals:

Garrett Martin: 10 Brock Wilken: 9

CHAMPION:

Garrett Martin

Players of the Week Tracker

Week 1:

Co-Hitter: **Kemp Alderman** (Peoria; MIA) Co-Hitter: **Colt Emerson** (Peoria; SEA) Pitcher: **Connor Phillips** (Glendale; CIN)

Week 2:

Hitter: Josue Briceño (Scottsdale; DET) Pitcher: Alex Santos II (Surprise; HOU)

Week 3:

Hitter: **Caleb Durbin** (Salt River; NYY) Pitcher: **Jose Acuña** (Glendale; CIN)

Week 4:

Hitter: **Nick Kurtz** (Mesa; ATH) Co-Pitcher: **Leandro Lopez** (Surprise; TEX) Co-Pitcher: **Josh Stephan** (Surprise; TEX)

MLB Pipeline Top 100 Prospects in AFL (12)

- 17. Jac Caglianone 1B/LHP, Surprise Saguaros (KC)
- 19. Ethan Salas C, Peoria Javelinas (SD)
- 27. Colt Emerson SS, Peoria Javelinas (SEA)
- 28. Leodalis De Vries SS, Peoria Javelinas (SD)
- 32. Andrew Painter RHP, Glendale Desert Dogs (PHI)
- 36. Xavier Isaac 1B, Mesa Solar Sox (TB)
- 41. Chase DeLauter OF, Surprise Saguaros (CLE)
- 44. Moises Ballesteros C/1B, Mesa Solar Sox (CHI)
- 45. Nick Kurtz 1B, Mesa Solar Sox (OAK)
- 52. Jett Williams SS/OF, Scottsdale Scorpions (NYM)
- 65. Edwin Arroyo SS, Glendale Desert Dogs (CIN)
- 74. Drew Gilbert OF, Scottsdale Scorpions (NYM)

Arizona Fall League Headlines

The Arizona Fall League, in its 32nd year, is designed to serve as the "finishing school" of the minor leagues for players, coaches, umpires & aspiring employees.

Fall Stars Game Recap

The American League defeated the National League, 6-5, in the annual AFL Fall Stars Game in front of 1,849 fans this past saturday night at Sloan Park.

The game was tied, 5-5, in the ninth inning when Thayron Liranzo (Tigers) hit a game-winning solo home run over the right field wall. Liranzo was later honored as the game's MVP.

Caleb Durbin (Yankees), Sammy Siani (Pirates), Edwin Arroyo (Reds) and Andrew Pintar (Marlins) each had two hits while Durbin and Jonathan Long (Cubs) each had two RBI. Adrian Pinto (Blue Jays) hit the other home run in the game, a three-run shot to left in the second inning.

Carlos Lagrange (Yankees) was the winning pitcher and Marc Church (Rangers) earned the save. Other notable pitching performances came from Samy Natera Jr. (Angels), who had three strikeouts in a scoreless inning, and Eriq Swan (Dodgers), who pitched two scoreless frames and was the only pitcher to throw more than one inning.

Today's Notes & Storylines

- The final week of the 2024 AFL season starts today. All six teams are in action each of the next four days and Thursday is the final day of the regular season. The teams with the second and third best records will meet in Friday's Play-In Semifinal Game at 6:30 pm at Scottsdale Stadium and the winner will play the league's No. 1 seed in the AFL Championship Game on Saturday, Nov. 16 at 6:00 pm at Salt River Fields.
- The Surprise Saguaros can clinch the No. 1 seed (a spot in the AFL Championship Game)
 as early as today, with a win + losses from both the Glendale Desert Dogs and Salt River Rafters. They can also clinch a playoff spot with a win + a loss from either Glendale or Salt River.
- Caleb Durbin (23 SB) is two stolen bases away from setting the new all-time single-season AFL record. Rick Holifield, who had 24 SB for Peoria in 1994, is the current record-holder.

Upcoming Games & Probable Pitchers

Monday, November 11

Surprise @ Scottsdale (12:30) Glendale @ Mesa (3:30) Peoria @ Salt River (6:30) LHP Juan Rojas (BAL) vs. RHP Rayner Castillo (DET) LHP Ixan Handerson (STL) vs. RHP Cooper Adams (BOS) RHP Adam Maier (ATL) vs. LHP Dustin Saenz (WSH)

Tuesday, November 12

Glendale @ Surprise (1:30) Salt River @ Peoria (1:30) Mesa @ Scottsdale (1:30) RHP Andrew Painter (PHI) vs. RHP Shane Panzini (KC) LHP Kade Bragg (MIN) vs. LHP Pat Monteverde (MIA) RHP Jake Walkinshaw (ATH) vs. LHP Kendry Rojas (TOR)

Wednesday, November 13

Salt River @ Surprise (1:30) Scottsdale @ Peoria (1:30) Glendale @ Mesa (6:30) RHP Jackson Fristoe (NYY) vs. RHP Jose Fleury (HOU) RHP Elijah Pleasants (SF) vs. RHP Brandon White (MIA) RHP Christian McGowan (PHI) vs. RHP Grant Kipp (CHI)

Thursday, November 14

Peoria @ Mesa (1:30) Scottsdale @ Glendale (1:30) Surprise @ Salt River (1:30) RHP Ryan Birchard (MIL) vs. LHP TJ Fondtain (TB) RHP Cale Lansville (SF) vs. RHP Jerming Rosario (LAD) RHP Dylan DeLucia (CLE) vs. RHP Gabriel Hughes (COL)

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