



# GAME INFORMATION

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## PITTSBURGH PIRATES (20-25) vs. CHICAGO CUBS (25-20)

May 17, 2024 at Wrigley Field, Chicago, IL - 1:20 CDT - GAME #46/ROAD #25

RHP PAUL SKENES (0-0, 6.75 ERA) vs. RHP KYLE HENDRICKS (0-3, 10.04 ERA)

**THE PIRATES:**...beat the Cubs 5-4 last night in the opener of their four-game series at Wrigley Field...Have gone 11-13 on the road...Will look to win back-to-back games on the road for the first time since winning each of their first five road games from 3/28 to 4/1...Have played in nine games decided by one or two runs in their last 13 contests (are 12-12 overall this season in one- or two-run games)...Are 3-4 in a stretch of 10 straight games against the National League Central... Have gone 17-3 when scoring at least four runs in a game (one of those three losses came Sunday against the Cubs at PNC Park)... Won each of their first four extra inning games before losing for the only time Sunday against the Cubs...Are 16-1 when leading after eight innings (their only loss came on April 9 against the Tigers).

**ABOUT TODAY'S STARTER:** Paul Skenes will make the second start of his big league career today after making his debut Saturday against the Cubs at PNC Park...The 21-year-old Skenes threw 17 pitches of 100.0-plus miles-per-hour in his debut...Skenes' seven strikeouts on Saturday were the second-most by a Pirates starter 21 years old or younger in their Major League debut, behind only Nick Maddox, who struck out 11 in his MLB debut at age 20 on September 13, 1907.

**KEEPING UP WITH THE JONES:** Last night was the fifth game of seven-plus strikeouts and no walks allowed for Jared Jones after his first nine career starts...That's two more than the previous Major League record by a pitcher to start their career (Stephen Strasburg and Masahiro Tanaka held the previous high of three such games)...Jones has thrown 5.0-plus innings and allowed three or fewer earned runs in each of his nine career starts, making him the 15th player since 1900 to put up those numbers in each of his first nine career games and the first since Cleveland's Aaron Civale did so in 2019.

**GOING THE EXTRA MILE:** Bryan Reynolds doubled in the fifth inning last night for his seventh two-bagger of this month, which are the most in the National League...Reynolds comes into today tied with Oneil Cruz for the National League lead with nine extra base hits this month... The Pirates also enter today's action tied with the Cubs for the third-most extra base hits (42) in the National League this month...The only two teams with more extra base hits in May are the Brewers (48) and Dodgers (43).

**DIALING LONG DISTANCE:** Pittsburgh ranks seventh in all of MLB and third overall in the National League with 18 home runs this month...The only two National League teams with more home runs this month are the Dodgers (23) and Brewers (19)...The Bucs have gone deep in a season-high six straight games, which is tied with the Angels and Mariners for the longest active streak in MLB.

**PICKING UP WHERE HE LEFT OFF:** Nick Gonzales has hit safely in four straight and five of his six games with a plate appearance since being promoted from Indianapolis one week ago today...At the time he was promoted from Indianapolis, he ranked second in the International League in batting (.358), first in runs scored (33) and doubles (14), tied for third in extra base hits (20), tied for fourth in total bases (73) and sixth in OPS (1.039).

**LEADING THINGS OFF:** Andrew McCutchen is 8-for-20 (.400) with two homers, three RBI, six runs scored and a 1.178 OPS in his last five games...It's the first time he has had at least eight hits and six runs over a five-game span since September 22-27, 2020, with Philadelphia...McCutchen enters today ranked fifth in the National League among leadoff hitters in OPS (.828), ninth in OBP (.352) and fifth in slugging (.476)... Special thanks to StatsPerform.

**THE RENEGADE:** David Bednar moved into a tie for seventh place with Jose Mesa with his 70th save as a Pirate Thursday night...Bednar shares the Major League lead with four saves this month along with Jalen Beeks, Emmanuel Clase, Kyle Finnegan and Trevor Megill.

**CUTCH AND THE CUBS:** Andrew McCutchen has recorded 105 career RBI against the Cubs... That's the second-most RBI among all active players behind Joey Votto (150)...McCutchen is also a lifetime .300 hitter (108-for-360) with 18 doubles, four triples, 15 home runs and 56 RBI in 95 games at Wrigley Field.

### BUCS WHEN...

Last five games	2-3
Last ten games	4-6
Leading after 6	15-4
Tied after 6	1-3
Trailing after 6	4-18
Leading after 7	15-2
Tied after 7	3-4
Trailing after 7	2-19
Leading after 8	16-1
Tied after 8	3-3
Trailing after 8	1-21
Scoring first	13-9
Opp. score first	7-16
Scoring 4+	17-3
Scoring less than 4	3-22
Outhitting Opp.	18-3
Being out-hit	0-22
Hits are equal	2-0
Comeback wins	8
Wins in final AB	6
Walkoff Wins	3
Walkoff Losses	2
Losses in final AB	5
Extra Inning Games	4-1
Playing errorless	8-14
Homered	14-12
2+ homers	6-4
Series (W-L-T)	4-7-3
Series Sweeps	1
Swept in a Series	3
Interleague	4-10
Before the break	20-25
After the break	0-0
Starter goes 6.0ip+	12-10
Starter goes less than 6.0ip	8-15

### NATIONAL LEAGUE LEADERS IN EXTRA BASE HITS THIS MONTH

PLAYER	XBH
Oneil Cruz	9
Bryan Reynolds	9
William Contreras	8
Pete Alonso	8

### MOST WALKS IN PIRATES HISTORY

PLAYER	BB
Willie Stargell*	937
Max Carey*	919
Paul Waner*	912
Honus Wagner*	877
Ralph Kiner*	795
Arky Vaughan*	779
Andrew McCutchen	777

\*Denotes Hall of Famer

### PLAYERS WITH 2000-PLUS HITS

PLAYER	HITS	RANK
George J. Burns	2077	T-250th
Scott Rolan	2077	T-250th
Chuck Klein	2076	252nd
Andrew McCutchen	2074	T-253rd
Carney Lansford	2074	T-253rd

Source: Elias Sports Bureau

### MOST CAREER SAVES IN PIRATES HISTORY

PITCHER	SV
Kent Tekulve	158
Mike Williams	140
Dave Giusti	133
Mark Melancon	130
Felipe Vazquez	86
Joel Hanrahan	82
David Bednar	70
Jose Mesa	70
Matt Capps	67

### ON THIS DATE IN PIRATES HISTORY

May 17, 1979: The Pirates trailed 5-4 in the eighth inning before Willie Stargell hit his second home run of the day to give the Pirates a 6-5 victory over the New York Mets. Kent Tekulve pitched two shutout innings in relief to pick up the win.

### UPCOMING GAMES AND PROBABLE PITCHERS

Saturday at Chicago (NL)	1:20	LHP Bailey Falter (2-2, 4.15 ERA) vs. LHP Shota Imanaga (5-0, 0.96 ERA)	SportsNet Pittsburgh
Sunday at Chicago (NL)	1:20	RHP Mitch Keller (4-3, 3.93 ERA) vs. RHP Jameson Taillon (3-1, 1.61 ERA)	SportsNet Pittsburgh
Monday		OFF DAY IN PITTSBURGH	

# 30 - RHP PAUL SKENES

YEAR	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2024 (AAA)	0-0	0.99	7	7	0	0	27.1	17	4	3	8	45
2024	0-0	6.75	1	1	0	0	4.0	6	3	3	2	7
M.L. CAREER	0-0	6.75	1	1	0	0	4.0	6	3	3	2	7

**PAUL SKENES:** The 21-year-old righthander will make his second big league start today after being promoted from Triple-A Indianapolis on 5/11.

**VS. CHICAGO (NL):** He allowed three runs in 4.0-plus innings in his big league debut in a no-decision Saturday at PNC Park...He struck each of the first two, and seven batters total while throwing 17 pitches of 100.0-plus miles-per-hour...The Pirates allowed seven runs in the fifth inning before coming back to win 10-9.

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	
3/30 at Louisville	ND	3.0	0	0	0	0	5	46	0.00	3-4 L												
4/5 vs. Memphis	ND	3.0	1	0	0	1	6	44	0.00	8-3 W												
4/12 at Toledo	ND	3.1	3	0	0	1	8	55	0.00	3-4 L												
4/18 vs. St. Paul	ND	3.1	1	0	0	2	8	65	0.00	6-5 W												
4/24 at Omaha	ND	4.1	5	2	1	1	7	71	0.53	7-4 W												
4/30 vs. Buffalo	ND	6.0	4	0	0	1	7	75	0.39	4-3 W												
5/5 vs. Buffalo	ND	4.1	3	2	2	2	4	66	0.99	8-3 W												
<b>INDY TOTALS (0-0, 0.99 ERA)</b>		<b>27.1</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>422</b>														
5/11 vs. Chicago (NL)	ND	4.0+	6	3	3	2	7	84	6.75	10-9 W												
<b>MAY TOTALS (0-0, 6.75 ERA)</b>		<b>4.0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>84</b>														

SKENES PITCH USAGE, 2024			
PITCH	#	PCT.	VELO
4-Seam Fastball	33	39.3%	100.1
Slider	23	27.4%	85.0
Split Finger	21	25.0%	94.7
Changeup	5	6.0%	88.2
Curveball	2	2.4%	82.1

Source: Baseball Savant

CATCHERS THROWING					
	CS/ATT	%	PICKOFFS	PB	ERA
Bart	1/17	6%	0	0	(134.0ip/58er) 3.90
Davis	2/12	17%	0	0	(184.1ip/76er) 3.71
Delay	0/0	0%	0	0	(10.0ip/7er) 6.30
Grandal	1/7	14%	0	2	(72.0ip/38er) 5.22

CAUGHT STEALINGS BY PITCHERS	3
PITCHER PICKOFFS	1
SB OFF PITCHERS	2
NO THROWS	0
OTHERS (double steals)	2

**TOMORROW'S STARTER**

**BAILEY FALTER:** The 27-year-old lefthander will make his ninth start of the season tomorrow in game three of this four-game series against the Cubs...Had a no-decision (6.0ip/2r) in Sunday's 10-inning loss against the Cubs...Has recorded a 3.20 ERA (39.1ip/14er) in his last seven starts since giving up six runs in 4.0 innings in his season debut on 3/31 at Miami...Has limited right-handed hitters to a .203 batting average against (25-for-123)...Has received two runs of support of fewer when he has been in the game in each of his last six starts...Has allowed eight of his 20 runs this season in the first inning.

**vs. CHICAGO (NL):** 0-3 with an 8.41 ERA (20.1ip/19er) in seven career appearances (four starts)...Had a no-decision (6.0ip/2r) in his only start this year on 5/12 in the team's 5-4, 10-inning loss at PNC Park...Went 0-2 in two starts with the Pirates last year, allowing six runs in 4.2 innings on 8/27 at PNC Park and two runs in 1.0 inning in his start on 9/19 at Wrigley Field.

## 2024 HIGHS & LOWS

TEAM BATTING	
Most runs, game, Pirates	10, 5/11 vs. CHI
Most runs, game, Opponents	10, 5/15 at MIL
Most runs, inning, Pirates	5, 4/14 at PHI (6th)
Most runs, inning, Opponents	7, 5/11 vs. CHI (5th)
Most hits, game, Pirates	16, 3/30 at MIA
Most hits, game, Opponents	14, 5/10 vs. CHI
Most hits, inning, Pirates	5, 5/5 vs. COL (6th)
Most consec. hits, inning	4, 5/13 at MIL (7th) & 3/30 at MIA (7th)
Most consec. hits, game	4, 5/13 at MIL & 3/30 at MIA
Most hits, inning, Opponents	6, 5/14 at MIL (2nd)
Fewest hits, game, Pirates	2, 4/29 at OAK
Fewest hits, game, Opponents	1, 5/4 vs. COL
Most doubles, game	6, 4/1 at WAS
Most triples, game	1, 5/5 vs. COL, 4/19 vs. BOS & 3/31 at MIA
Most home runs, game, Pirates	5, 5/11 vs. CHI
Most home runs, game, Opponents	5, 5/15 at MIL
Most consecutive games, home run	6, 5/11-16
Most consec. games, HR, Opponents	11, 5/5-16
Most extra-base hits	7, 5/11 vs. CHI
Most consecutive games, extra-base hit	15, 4/30-5/16
Most stolen bases, game, Pirates	3, 5/12 vs. CHI
Most stolen bases, game, Opponents	3, 5 times, last on 5/11 vs. CHI
Most left on base	15, 4/1 at WAS
Most left on base (extra innings)	
TEAM PITCHING	
Most strikeouts, game, Pirates	14, 4/21 vs. BOS
Most strikeouts, game, Pirates (extra innings)	
Most strikeouts, game, Opponents	15, 4/14 at PHI
Most strikeouts, game, Opponents (extra innings)	17, 3/28 at MIA
Most walks, game, Pirates	10, 5/11 vs. CHI
Most walks, game, Pirates (extra innings)	
Most walks, game, Opponents	7, 4 times, last on 4/25 vs. MIL
Most walks, game, Opponent (extra innings)	8, 3/28 at MIA
TEAM MISCELLANEOUS	
Longest winning streak	5 games (3/28-4/1)
Longest losing streak	6 games (4/15-21)
Longest game, innings	12, 3/28 at MIA
Longest game, time	3:24, 4/6 vs. BAL & 3/28 at MIA
Longest game, time, 9 innings	3:11, 4/1 at WAS
Shortest game, time, 9 innings	1:55, 5/6 vs. LAA
Largest margin of victory	7 runs, 4/14 at PHI (9-2)

Largest margin of defeat	9 runs, 5/7 vs. LAA (0-9)
Largest come from behind victory	5 runs, 3/31 at MIA
Largest come from behind loss	3 runs, 4/15 vs. NYM
Largest crowd, home	38,400, 4/5 vs. BAL
Smallest crowd, home	8,461, 4/22 vs. MIL
Largest crowd, road	44,568, 4/14 at PHI
Smallest crowd, road	3,528, 4/29 at OAK
Most errors, game, Pirates	2, 5 times, last on 5/13 at MIL
Most errors, game, Opponents	3, 5/10 vs. CHI & 5/1 at OAK
Consecutive innings w/out an error	34, 5/1-6
Most double plays turned	4, 3/29 at MIA
Weather delays, home (total time)	3, 3 hours & 36 minutes
Weather delays, road (total time)	1, 1 hour & 10 minutes
Players used	34

INDIVIDUAL BATTING	
Most hits, game	5, Reynolds (5/13 at MIL)
Most consecutive hits	5, Reynolds (5/13)
Most runs, game	3, Joe (3/30 at MIA)
Most 2bs, game	2, accomplished four times, last by Reynolds (5/13 at MIL)
Most 3bs, game	1, Reynolds (5/5 vs. COL), Williams (4/19 vs. BOS & 3/31 at MIA)
Most HR, game	2, Olivares (4/9 vs. DET)
Most extra-base hits	3, Reynolds (5/13 at MIL)
Most total bases	10, Reynolds (5/13 at MIL)
Most RBI, game	4, Olivares (5/6 vs. LAA) & Suwinski (4/14 at PHI)
Most SB, game	2, Suwinski (5/12 vs. CHI)
Most walks, game	3, Triolo (5/4 vs. COL) & Reynolds (4/13 at PHI)
Consec. games, home run	3, Joe (5/11-14)
Longest hitting streak	8 games, Cruz (5/5-14) & Williams (4/9-27)
Grand slams	2, Olivares (5/6 vs. LAA) & Suwinski (4/14 at PHI)
Inside-the-park home runs	
Leadoff home runs	2, McCutchen (4/23 vs. MIL & 4/22 vs. MIL)
Walkoff home runs	

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING	
Most strikeouts, game	10, Jones (5/4 vs. COL & 3/30 at MIA)
Longest winning streak	2 games, Keller (5/6-13 & 4/8-14)
Longest losing streak	4 games, Priester (4/19-5/14)
Fewest hits, complete game	5, Keller (5/6 vs. LAA)
Most walks, game	4, Priester (5/1 at OAK) & Keller (4/20 vs. BOS)
Most IP, game, starter	9.0, Keller (5/6 vs. LAA)
Most IP, game, reliever	3.0, Fleming (3/29 at MIA)
Most consec. scoreless IP	12.0, Perez (4/9-15)
Most consecutive saves	8, Bednar (4/12-5/16)

<b>JOEY BART</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Is 4-for-11 during his current three-game hitting streak...Recorded his second multi-hit game of the year Wednesday.</li> <li>Recorded his first caught stealing with the Pirates on 4/30...Had a season-high three RBI on 4/25 against Milwaukee.</li> <li>Caught Mitch Keller's complete game on 5/6 against the Angels while also going hitless in three at-bats.</li> <li>Homered in his first at-bat in his Pirates debut on 4/6...Began the year with San Francisco before being DFA'd on 3/31.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vs. LHP: 2-13 (.154) 0 HR</li> <li>vs. RHP: 9-35 (.257) 3 HR</li> <li>Home: 8-33 (.242) 2 HR</li> <li>Road: 3-15 (.200) 1 HR</li> <li>Last HR: 4/25/24 vs. MIL</li> </ul>
<b>ROAD TRIP:</b> 2-4 (.500) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>SERIES:</b> 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>LAST 3:</b> 4-11 (.364) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>CURRENT STREAK:</b> 3 games		

<b>ONEIL CRUZ</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>His HR off Kyle Hendricks Sunday had an exit velo of 112.7 miles-per-hour; the second-highest exit velo by a Pirate in 2024.</li> <li>Is hitless in back-to-back games for the first time since 4/19-21...Is 11-for-23 (.478) off righthanders since 5/5.</li> <li>Recorded an extra base hit in six straight games from 5/8-14...Has knocked in 10 runs in his last 12 contests.</li> <li>Has gone 15-for-49 (.306) with five doubles, four home runs, 10 RBI and a .999 OPS in 13 games this month.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vs. LHP: 6-50 (.120) 2 HR</li> <li>vs. RHP: 36-112 (.322) 5 HR</li> <li>Home: 23-71 (.324) 5 HR</li> <li>Road: 19-91 (.209) 2 HR</li> <li>Last HR: 5/12/24 vs. CHI</li> </ul>
<b>ROAD TRIP:</b> 3-14 (.214) 0 HR 1 RBI <b>SERIES:</b> 0-4 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>LAST 3:</b> 1-11 (.091) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>CURRENT STREAK:</b> 0-for-9		

<b>NICK GONZALES</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Went deep for the second time in three games Thursday night with his 383-foot solo shot in the fourth inning.</li> <li>Has hit safely in four straight (4-for-15) and five of his six games with a plate appearance (only hitless game was 5/11).</li> <li>Recorded the sixth multi-RBI game of his career in his season debut one week ago today against the Cubs.</li> <li>Was hitting .358 with 14 doubles, two triples, four HR, 19 RBI and a 1.039 OPS at Triple-A at the time he was promoted.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vs. LHP: 2-8 (.250) 1 HR</li> <li>vs. RHP: 3-14 (.214) 1 HR</li> <li>Home: 1-7 (.143) 0 HR</li> <li>Road: 4-15 (.267) 2 HR</li> <li>Last HR: 5/16/24 at CHI</li> </ul>
<b>ROAD TRIP:</b> 4-15 (.267) 2 HR 3 RBI <b>SERIES:</b> 1-4 (.250) 1 HR 1 RBI <b>LAST 3:</b> 3-11 (.273) 2 HR 3 RBI <b>CURRENT STREAK:</b> 4 games		

<b>YASMANI GRANDAL</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recorded his sixth RBI in his last five games with a sacrifice fly in the fourth inning Thursday night.</li> <li>His 424-foot homer Monday was his second-longest since the beginning of last year (had a 428-foot blast on 4/22/23).</li> <li>Went deep for his first home run as a Pirate with his three-run homer on 5/11 (had one three-RBI game in 2023 on 7/18).</li> <li>Threw out his first runner attempting to steal against him on 5/11 (threw out 15 runners in 2023 with the White Sox).</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vs. LHP: 2-9 (.222) 0 HR</li> <li>vs. RHP: 3-19 (.158) 2 HR</li> <li>Home: 4-18 (.222) 1 HR</li> <li>Road: 1-10 (.100) 1 HR</li> <li>Last HR: 5/13/24 at MIL</li> </ul>
<b>ROAD TRIP:</b> 1-10 (.100) 1 HR 3 RBI <b>SERIES:</b> 0-3 (.000) 0 HR 1 RBI <b>LAST 3:</b> 1-10 (.100) 1 HR 3 RBI <b>CURRENT STREAK:</b> 0-for-6		

<b>CONNOR JOE</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Singled to lead off Thursday night's game...Ranks eighth in all of MLB with a .370 OBP among leadoff hitters.</li> <li>Is 6-for-12 with a double lifetime against Kyle Hendricks; tied for his third-most hits vs. any pitcher.</li> <li>Went deep in three straight games for the first time in his career from 5/11-14 (the longest streak by a Pirate this year).</li> <li>Has gone 11-for-37 (.297) with a double, three home runs and eight RBI in his last 10 games.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vs. LHP: 16-54 (.296) 3 HR</li> <li>vs. RHP: 21-76 (.276) 3 HR</li> <li>Home: 17-53 (.321) 3 HR</li> <li>Road: 20-77 (.260) 3 HR</li> <li>Last HR: 5/14/24 at MIL</li> </ul>
<b>ROAD TRIP:</b> 2-10 (.200) 1 HR 2 RBI <b>SERIES:</b> 1-4 (.250) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>LAST 3:</b> 2-10 (.200) 1 HR 1 RBI <b>CURRENT STREAK:</b> 1 game		

<b>ANDREW McCUTCHEN</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hit a 409-foot home run in Wednesday's game at Milwaukee and has now gone deep twice in his last five contests.</li> <li>Has 24 career home runs as a Pirate against the Cubs; tied for the sixth-most (Willie Stargell has the most with fifty).</li> <li>Has gone 8-for-20 (.400) with two homers, three RBI, six runs scored and a 1.178 OPS in his last five games.</li> <li>Has an .828 OPS out of the leadoff spot, which ranks fifth in the NL (also ranks ninth with a .352 OBP batting leadoff).</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vs. LHP: 9-39 (.231) 2 HR</li> <li>vs. RHP: 17-84 (.202) 3 HR</li> <li>Home: 13-60 (.217) 3 HR</li> <li>Road: 13-63 (.206) 2 HR</li> <li>Last HR: 5/15/24 at MIL</li> </ul>
<b>ROAD TRIP:</b> 5-13 (.385) 1 HR 2 RBI <b>SERIES:</b> 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>LAST 3:</b> 5-13 (.385) 1 HR 2 RBI <b>CURRENT STREAK:</b> 1 game		

<b>EDWARD OLIVARES</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Went deep for the second time in six games with his two-run homer in the first inning Thursday night.</li> <li>Has hit safely in six of his last seven games (8-for-23)...Has made 18 of his 19 appearances in the outfield in right field.</li> <li>Hit the first grand slam of his career on 5/6 off Tyler Anderson of the Angels while also recording a career-high four RBI.</li> <li>Went deep in his first game as a Pirate on Opening Day...Has gone 8-for-24 in his career as a pinch hitter.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vs. LHP: 11-45 (.244) 4 HR</li> <li>vs. RHP: 11-48 (.229) 1 HR</li> <li>Home: 11-41 (.268) 3 HR</li> <li>Road: 11-52 (.212) 2 HR</li> <li>Last HR: 5/16/24 at CHI</li> </ul>
<b>ROAD TRIP:</b> 3-8 (.375) 1 HR 2 RBI <b>SERIES:</b> 2-4 (.500) 1 HR 2 RBI <b>LAST 3:</b> 4-9 (.444) 1 HR 2 RBI <b>CURRENT STREAK:</b> 3 games		

<b>BRYAN REYNOLDS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Has gone 13-for-44 (.295) with six doubles, a triple and home run in his last 11 games.</li> <li>Had a career-high five hits Monday and his first game with three extra base hits since 6/29/22 against Washington.</li> <li>Is tied with Oneil Cruz for the most extra base hits (nine) in the NL this month (ranks first in the NL with seven doubles).</li> <li>Is the only Pirate to play in all 45 games this year (Jack Suwinski and Oneil Cruz are tied for second with 44 games played).</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vs. LHP: 19-60 (.317) 3 HR</li> <li>vs. RHP: 25-116 (.216) 2 HR</li> <li>Home: 16-78 (.205) 2 HR</li> <li>Road: 28-98 (.286) 3 HR</li> <li>Last HR: 5/13/24 at MIL</li> </ul>
<b>ROAD TRIP:</b> 7-17 (.412) 1 HR 3 RBI <b>SERIES:</b> 1-4 (.250) 0 HR 1 RBI <b>LAST 3:</b> 2-12 (.167) 0 HR 1 RBI <b>CURRENT STREAK:</b> 2 games		

<b>JACK SUWINSKI</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>His two-run homer in the first inning Monday was his third of the year and first since his grand slam on 4/14 at Philadelphia.</li> <li>Is a 2016 graduate of Taft High School in Chicago...Homered twice at Wrigley Field last year on 6/13.</li> <li>Recorded his third multi stolen base game of his career on 5/11...Has made two errors since the beginning of 2023.</li> <li>Has gone 14-for-41 (.341) with a triple and two home runs against lefthanders dating back to 9/20 of last season.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vs. LHP: 8-25 (.320) 1 HR</li> <li>vs. RHP: 13-101 (.129) 2 HR</li> <li>Home: 13-63 (.206) 0 HR</li> <li>Road: 8-63 (.127) 3 HR</li> <li>Last HR: 5/13/24 at MIL</li> </ul>
<b>ROAD TRIP:</b> 1-12 (.083) 1 HR 2 RBI <b>SERIES:</b> 0-4 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>LAST 3:</b> 1-12 (.083) 1 HR 2 RBI <b>CURRENT STREAK:</b> 0-for-11		

<b>MICHAEL A. TAYLOR</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Has gone 9-for-23 (.391) with a pair of doubles, two homers and six RBI in his last nine games against the Cubs.</li> <li>Has four Outs Above Average as a center fielder per Baseball Savant (Julio Rodriguez leads with five).</li> <li>Connected for his first homer as a Pirate with a two-run, opposite-field shot off Justin Steele on 5/11 at PNC Park.</li> <li>His eight Defensive Runs Saved according to FanGraphs are the most among all center fielders in MLB.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vs. LHP: 9-34 (.265) 1 HR</li> <li>vs. RHP: 15-74 (.203) 0 HR</li> <li>Home: 5-42 (.119) 1 HR</li> <li>Road: 19-66 (.288) 0 HR</li> <li>Last HR: 5/11/24 vs. CHI</li> </ul>
<b>ROAD TRIP:</b> 2-13 (.154) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>SERIES:</b> 1-3 (.333) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>LAST 3:</b> 1-9 (.111) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>CURRENT STREAK:</b> 1 game		

<b>ROWDY TELLEZ</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flied out as a pinch hitter to end Wednesday's game at Milwaukee...Recorded his last RBI against the Rockies on 5/5.</li> <li>Went hitless in five at-bats Monday against the Brewers...His one error this year came on 4/24.</li> <li>His single in the second inning on 5/3 had an exit velocity of 109.1 miles per hour (his second-hardest hit ball of 2024).</li> <li>Eighteen of his 19 hits have come against righties (his single on 4/21 was his first hit off a lefty since last year on 9/27).</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vs. LHP: 1-12 (.083) 0 HR</li> <li>vs. RHP: 18-96 (.188) 1 HR</li> <li>Home: 8-57 (.140) 0 HR</li> <li>Road: 11-51 (.216) 1 HR</li> <li>Last HR: 3/31/24 at MIA</li> </ul>
<b>ROAD TRIP:</b> 0-6 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>SERIES:</b> 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>LAST 3:</b> 0-10 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>CURRENT STREAK:</b> 0-for-19		

<b>JARED TRIOLO</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recorded the first three-hit game of his career here at Wrigley Field last year on 9/20 (homered off Hayden Wesneski).</li> <li>Has reached base safely in 18 of his last 22 games...Went 0-for-3 with a walk Wednesday afternoon at Milwaukee.</li> <li>Has made each of his last seven starts at third base...Won a Rawlings Gold Glove at third base in MiLB in 2021.</li> <li>Recorded his second multi-RBI game of the season on 4/28...Hit his only homer this season on 4/5 against the Orioles.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vs. LHP: 6-36 (.167) 0 HR</li> <li>vs. RHP: 21-104 (.202) 1 HR</li> <li>Home: 12-63 (.190) 1 HR</li> <li>Road: 15-77 (.195) 0 HR</li> <li>Last HR: 4/5/24 vs. BAL</li> </ul>
<b>ROAD TRIP:</b> 0-10 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>SERIES:</b> 0-0 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>LAST 3:</b> 0-10 (.000) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>CURRENT STREAK:</b> 0-for-13		

<b>ALIKA WILLIAMS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Started at second base Thursday night while going 1-for-4 with a sacrifice bunt.</li> <li>Played the final two innings of Wednesday's game while going 0-for-1 at the plate...Has two of the team's three triples.</li> <li>Was optioned to Triple-A on 5/10 before being recalled on 5/11 when Ke'Bryan Hayes was placed on the injured list.</li> <li>Has made 13 appearances (11 starts) at second base and six appearances (five starts) at shortstop.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vs. LHP: 4-12 (.333) 0 HR</li> <li>vs. RHP: 9-41 (.220) 0 HR</li> <li>Home: 5-27 (.185) 0 HR</li> <li>Road: 8-26 (.308) 0 HR</li> <li>Last HR: No MLB HR</li> </ul>
<b>ROAD TRIP:</b> 1-4 (.250) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>SERIES:</b> 1-3 (.333) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>LAST 3:</b> 2-7 (.286) 0 HR 0 RBI <b>CURRENT STREAK:</b> 1 game		

<b>DAVID BEDNAR</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tossed a 1-2-3 ninth inning while recording his ninth save of the year Thursday night at Wrigley Field.</li> <li>Has been scored upon once in his last six games (6.0ip/1r)...Is tied with four other pitchers for the MLB lead in saves this month with four.</li> <li>Has converted each of his last eight save opportunities and nine of 12 for the season...Picked up his first win on 3/31 at Miami.</li> <li>His 70 saves are tied for the seventh-most in team history along with Jose Mesa...His 48 saves since the beginning of 2023 are the most among NL pitchers.</li> </ul>
<b>BA AGAINST:</b> 18-70 .257	
<b>INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED:</b> 0/0	
<b>1ST BAT FACED/RET:</b> 19/12	

<b>AROLDIS CHAPMAN</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Struck out two of the three batters he faced in the seventh inning in his last appearance Thursday night at Wrigley Field.</li> <li>Has a 1.59 ERA (5.2ip/1er) in six appearances this month after posting a 7.71 ERA (7.0ip/6er) during the month of April.</li> <li>Recorded his first save as a Pirate on 4/1 at Washington...Did not allow a run in his first seven appearances (5.0ip).</li> <li>His 1174 strikeouts as a reliever are the eighth-most all-time and second-most among lefties behind Billy Wagner (1196).</li> </ul>
<b>BA AGAINST:</b> 9-51 .176	
<b>INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED:</b> 9/1	
<b>1ST BAT FACED/RET:</b> 19/14	

<b>COLIN HOLDERMAN</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Had his scoreless streak of 10.1 innings come to an end Thursday night after allowing one unearned run in the eighth inning against the Cubs.</li> <li>Earned his first win of the season on 5/11 vs. the Cubs (allowed two of his three inherited runners to score while also tossing 1.1 scoreless innings).</li> <li>Has allowed two hits in 24 at-bats vs. right-handed hitters...Has allowed four hits in 38 at-bats (.105 average) in his last 12 appearances.</li> <li>Earned the first save of his big league career last year on 6/5 vs. Oakland...His .119 batting average against is the third-lowest among NL relievers.</li> </ul>
<b>BA AGAINST:</b> 5-42 .119	
<b>INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED:</b> 6/2	
<b>1ST BAT FACED/RET:</b> 13/9	

<b>CARMEN MLODZINSKI</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Was 0-1 with a 6.60 ERA (15.0ip/11er), seven walks allowed, and 13 strikeouts in 13 appearances at Indianapolis at the time he was promoted Wednesday.</li> <li>Began the season on the 15-day injured list with right elbow inflammation (had his rehab assignment ended and was optioned to Triple-A on 4/10).</li> <li>Went 3-3 with one save and a 2.25 ERA (36.0ip/9er) in 35 appearances (one start) as a rookie last year with the Pirates.</li> <li>Made his big league debut last year on 6/16 at Milwaukee...Earned the first win of his big league career on 6/30 vs. Milwaukee.</li> </ul>
<b>BA AGAINST:</b> 0-0 .000	
<b>INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED:</b> 0/0	
<b>1ST BAT FACED/RET:</b> 0/0	

<b>KYLE NICOLAS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Struck out a career-high four batters in 2.0 scoreless innings in his last appearance Tuesday night at Milwaukee.</li> <li>Gave up four runs in 0.2 inning (0h/3bb/2so) while also allowing his two inherited runners to score on 5/11 vs. the Cubs.</li> <li>Did not allow a run in each of his first four appearances (4.0ip)...Has surrendered a hit just twice in his first seven appearances.</li> <li>Had an 0.84 ERA (10.2ip/1er), 13 strikeouts, and .061 batting average against at the time he was promoted from Indianapolis on 4/26.</li> </ul>
<b>BA AGAINST:</b> 3-24 .125	
<b>INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED:</b> 5/3	
<b>1ST BAT FACED/RET:</b> 7/6	

<b>LUIS ORTIZ</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Struck out a career-high tying five batters as a reliever while giving up one run on two hits in 2.0 innings Wednesday at Milwaukee.</li> <li>Was charged with a blown save and second loss (1.0ip/1r) on 5/8 vs. the Angels...His two wins came on Opening Day at Miami and 5/5 vs. Colorado.</li> <li>Has allowed three runs in 14.1 innings in his last eight appearances while recording a .170 batting average against (9-for-53).</li> <li>Has a 1.23 ERA (14.2ip/2er) on the seven occasions he has worked at least 2.0 innings...Has not allowed a home run in his 23.2 innings of work.</li> </ul>
<b>BA AGAINST:</b> 14-83 .169	
<b>INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED:</b> 9/4	
<b>1ST BAT FACED/RET:</b> 14/9	

<b>RYDER RYAN</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tossed a scoreless eighth inning in his last appearance Wednesday at Milwaukee...Was recalled from Indianapolis on Tuesday.</li> <li>Is in his third stint with the Pirates this year (also 3/28-4/9 &amp; 4/14-26)...Made the Opening Day roster after attending camp as a non-roster invitee.</li> <li>Made three straight scoreless appearances (3.0ip) from 4/14-17 after being scored upon in each of his previous three outings from 4/1-8.</li> <li>Earned the first win (1.2ip/0r) of his big league career on 3/29 at Miami...Made five appearance with Indianapolis (7.0ip/8h/4r/3er/5bb/5so).</li> </ul>
<b>BA AGAINST:</b> 8-45 .178	
<b>INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED:</b> 4/2	
<b>1ST BAT FACED/RET:</b> 10/8	

<b>HUNTER STRATTON</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Struck out two of the four batters he faced while working a scoreless eighth inning in his last appearance Monday at Milwaukee.</li> <li>Has been scored upon three times in 19 appearances and once in his last 10 outings (came on 5/10 vs. the Cubs when he allowed four runs in 1.0ip).</li> <li>Has not allowed a hit in five of his last seven games...His 22 strikeouts are tied for the third-most among National League rookie relievers.</li> <li>Earned the first save of his big league career on 3/31 at Miami...Earned the first win of his big league career on 4/27 at San Francisco.</li> </ul>
<b>BA AGAINST:</b> 18-77 .234	
<b>INHERITED RUNNERS/SCORED:</b> 9/4	
<b>1ST BAT FACED/RET:</b> 19/12	

Runs By Inning											
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	Xtra	Total
Bucs	19	18	21	14	21	24	16	11	14	10	168
Opps	18	20	25	15	27	26	25	24	15	6	201

2024 Ejections	
1. 4/3 at WAS	Derek Shelton by Mike Muchlinski (arguing balls and strikes)
2. 4/15 at NYM	Aroldis Chapman by Edwin Moscoso (arguing balls and strikes)
3. 4/20 vs. BOS	Derek Shelton by D.J. Reyburn (arguing automatic strikeout)

2024 Walkoff Wins	
1. <b>Oneil Cruz</b> single in 11th (4/6 vs. BAL)	
2. <b>Edward Olivares</b> fielders choice/error in 9th (4/7 vs. BAL)	
3. <b>Jack Suwinski</b> single in 9th (5/4 vs. COL)	

THE LAST TIME...	
The Pirates Hit Back-to-Back HRs.....	done twice in 2024, last on 5/11 vs. CHI (Joe & Cruz)
The Pirates Hit a Grand Slam.....	done twice in 2024, last on 5/6 vs. LAA (Olivares)
The Pirates Hit an Inside-The-Park HR.....	5/21/22 vs. STL (Reynolds)
The Pirates Hit a Leadoff HR.....	done twice in 2024, last on 4/23 vs. MIL (McCutchen)
The Pirates Hit Back-to-Back HR's Leading Off Game.....	9/23/20 vs. CHI-NL (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.....	5/7/22 at CIN - 2 (Reynolds, Tsutsugo & Castillo)
The Pirates Hit Three Consecutive HR's in One Inning.....	5/24/17 at ATL (Freese, Osuna & Mercer)
The Pirates Hit Four Home Runs in One Inning.....	8/20/03 at STL (Sanders-2, Kendall & Giles)
The Pirates Hit Four Home Runs in a Game.....	9/22/23 at CIN
The Pirates Hit Seven Home Runs in a Game.....	5/26/23 at SEA (club record, done 4 times)
The Pirates Allowed A Leadoff HR.....	done once in 2024, 4/13 at PHI (Schwarber)
The Pirates Were Walked Off.....	done twice in 2024, last on 4/26 at SF
The Pirates Were Walked Off By A Home Run.....	Bailey, 4/26/24 at SF

Pirates vs. Chicago Cubs										
	2024					CAREER				
	AVG	AB	H	HR	RBI	AVG	AB	H	HR	RBI
Bart	.333	3	1	0	0	.240	25	6	2	4
Cruz	.313	16	5	2	2	.259	54	14	3	12
Gonzales	.182	11	2	1	3	.182	11	2	1	3
Grandal	.250	12	3	1	4	.205	200	41	12	33
Joe	.308	13	4	2	5	.374	91	34	6	17
McCutchen	.250	12	3	1	1	.281	700	197	29	105
Olivares	.375	8	3	1	2	.375	8	3	1	2
Reynolds	.176	17	3	0	1	.252	270	68	8	27
Suwinski	.091	11	1	0	0	.165	79	13	5	9
Taylor	.333	12	4	1	2	.263	76	20	2	11
Tellez	.000	7	0	0	0	.221	95	21	6	15
Triolo	.200	10	2	0	1	.278	18	5	1	3
Williams	.333	6	2	0	0	.267	15	4	0	1
	W-L-S	ERA	G	IP	ER	W-L-S	ERA	G	IP	ER
Bednar	0-0-2	3.00	3	3.0	1	0-0-5	1.69	26	26.2	5
Chapman	0-1-0	3.38	3	2.2	1	2-2-21	2.18	41	41.1	10
Falter	0-0-0	3.00	1	6.0	2	0-3-0	8.41	7	20.1	19
Holderman	1-0-0	0.00	2	2.1	0	1-0-0	7.36	7	7.1	6
Jones	1-1-0	3.75	2	12.0	5	1-1-0	3.75	2	12.0	5
Keller	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0	4-4-0	4.99	11	52.1	29
Mlodzinski	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0	0-0-0	0.00	2	1.2	0
Nicolas	0-0-0	36.00	2	1.0	4	0-0-0	67.50	3	1.1	10
Ortiz	0-0-0	0.00	1	2.0	0	0-2-0	3.75	3	12.0	5
Perez	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0	0-2-0	5.91	2	10.2	7
Ryan	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0	0-0-0	----	0	0.0	0
Skenes	0-0-0	6.75	1	4.0	0	0-0-0	6.75	1	4.0	6
Stratton	0-0-0	18.00	2	2.0	4	0-0-0	12.00	3	3.0	4



