

ARIZONA FALL LEAGUE

GAME NOTES - FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2025



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AFL Standings

	W-L	GB	Streak
Scottsdale Scorpions	13-6	-	W1
Surprise Saguaros	11-6-1	1.0	W1
Peoria Javelinas	10-8-1	2.5	W2
Mesa Solar Sox	8-11	5.0	W1
Salt River Rafter	8-11	5.0	L5
Glendale Desert Dogs	5-13	7.5	L1

Thursday's Top Performance

MAX ANDERSON (SCO/DET No. 9/INF) went 2-for-4 with 2 R and an RBI. Anderson leads the AFL in AVG (.515), OBP (.673), and OPS (1.673). He is second in SLG (1.000) and tied for second in home runs (4).

SEAVER KING (SCO/WSH No. 7/SS) went 1-for-1 with a two-run triple and a sac fly. He leads the AFL in RBI (22) and runs scored (16).

NICK MORABITO (SCO/NYM No. 16/OF) went 2-for-4 with a walk, double, three runs, and two stolen bases. Morabito ranks third with 11 stolen bags.

KEVIN MCGONIGLE (SCO/DET. No. 1/MLB No.2/INF) went 2-for-5 with a 106.9 mph double, a run, and an RBI.

PATRICK CLOHISY (GLD/ATL/OF) went 2-for-3 with a walk, an RBI, two runs scored, and three stolen bases. He is now second in the league in steals (14).

LEO BALCAZAR (PEO/CIN No.23/INF) went 2-for-4 with a double. Balcazar hitting streak is a league second-best seven games.

TONY BLANCO JR. (SRR/ PIT No. 30/1B-OF) opened up scoring for the Rafter in the first inning, launching his second home run 408 feet at 100.7 mph off the bat.

STARLYN CABA (MSS/MIA No. 5/SS) had his first three-hit day, going 3-for-5 with a game-tying RBI single in the 5th.

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.

VLADDY DOES IT AGAIN: 2018 Surprise Saguaros **Vladimir Guerrero Jr.** launched his eighth home run of the postseason on Wednesday, extending the Blue Jays franchise record. He is on a 10-game hitting streak, hitting .415 after the solo home run in the first inning.

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

Double Goose Eggs: For the first time since 2019 and the second time since at least 2005, an Arizona Fall League game ended in a 0-0 tie. The Javelinas and Saguaros recorded the first tie of the AFL season on Thursday with 21 combined strikeouts. Highlighted pitchers include:

- **Trenton Denholm** (SUR/CLE/RHP): GS, 3 IP, 5 H, 0 R, 4 K
- **Johnathan Harmon** (PEO/CIN/RHP): GS, 3 IP, 3 H, 0 R, 3 BB, 4 K
- **Anthony Flores** (SUR/MIL/LHP): 2 IP, H, 0 R, 2 BB, 4 K
- **Maikel Miralles** (PEO/SD/RHP): 4 IP, 0 H, 0 R, BB, 3 K

Peoria @ Glendale: RHP **Dylan Questad** (PEO/MIN) will make his first start for the Javelinas after three relief appearances. Questad spent the 2025 season with the Single-A Fort Myers, pitching 74 1/3 innings through 25 games. On the other side, RHP **Darlin Saladin** (GLD/STL) toes the slab for the Desert Dogs in his fourth AFL appearance. In seven innings of work, Saladin hasn't allowed a run, striking out 10 batters faced. He made 26 appearances (13 starts) with High-A Peoria this season.

Scottsdale @ Salt River: For the Scorpions, RHP **Anderson Brito** (SCO/HOU No. 7) makes his third AFL start in his fourth appearance. Brito's eight strikeouts across three hitless innings on Oct. 17 earned him NFP AFL Pitcher of the Week honors. He is tied for fourth with 17 strikeouts. RHP **David Hagaman** (SRR/ARI No. 15) will be on the mound for the Rafter in his fourth AFL start. In 6 1/3 innings pitched, Hagaman has a 4.26 ERA and nine strikeouts. In five starts with the High-A Hillsboro Hops, He pitched to a 3.15 ERA, walking four batters in 20 innings. Hagaman made his professional baseball debut in the Arizona Complex League on June 5 after rehabbing from Tommy John surgery and was traded from the Rangers at the deadline.

Mesa @ Surprise: Set to make his second AFL start, RHP **Karson Milbrandt** (MIA No. 18) will be on the mound for the Solar Sox. In his last outing against Surprise, Milbrandt gave up one hit, one run, two walks, and struck out six straight batters and seven in total. He currently is third in strikeouts with 18 total through 9 1/3 innings of work on the mound. RHP **Logan Martin** (SUR/KC) makes his fourth AFL start for the Saguaros. Martin spent the 2025 season with the High-A Quad Cities, posting a 3.45 ERA in 22 starts.

Upcoming Games and Probable Pitchers

Friday, October 31

Peoria @ Glendale	1:30	RHP Dylan Questad vs. RHP Darlin Saldin
Scottsdale @ Salt River	1:30	RHP Anderson Brito vs. RHP David Hagaman
Mesa @ Surprise	1:30	RHP Karson Milbrandt vs. RHP Logan Martin

Saturday, November 1

Glendale @ Mesa	12:30	RHP Luke Sinnard vs. RHP Nathan Dettmer
Peoria @ Surprise	1:30	RHP Rhett Lowder vs. RHP Jack Dallas
Salt River @ Scottsdale	3:30	RHP Luis Peralas vs. LHP Jake Bennett

Sunday, November 2

Surprise @ Glendale (7 Inn.)	1:30	RHP Eiberson Castellano vs. RHP Hyun-Seok Jang
	Game 2	TBD vs. LHP Jakob Wright
Salt River @ Mesa	1:30	RHP Brandon Dufault vs. RHP Aiden May
Peoria @ Scottsdale	5:00	RHP Marcelo Perez vs. RHP Ryan Murphy

Schedule Updates

The Arizona Fall League announced the following schedule changes on Tuesday:

- All games Wednesday, Oct. 29 and Friday, Oct. 31 will be seven-inning games
- No games from Tues. Oct. 28 to Sun. Nov. 2 will have extra innings
- The Sunday, Nov. 2 game between Surprise and Glendale is now a doubleheader with both games being seven innings and a 45 minute break between games. Game one set for 12:30 p.m.