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2011 Professional Team alum Travis d'Arnaud tallied two hits and scored a run for the Braves in the opening game of a doubleheader against the Mets. The Long Beach, California native reached on an infield single in the bottom of the second inning, but was ultimately left stranded. Down 6-3 and as a part of a four-run inning, d'Arnaud hit a single to center field and later scored to give the Braves a one-run lead. Despite putting his side up, it was the Mets that came out on top due to fellow USA Baseball alum Francisco Lindor's two-run homer in the top of the ninth inning. D'Arnaud now sits at a .238 batting average in 2024.

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2016 Collegiate National Team alum David Peterson tossed seven pristine innings of scoreless baseball and notched eight strikeouts as the Mets blanked the Brewers, 5-0, on Sunday. In his outing, Peterson yielded a single hit and three walks, allowing the Brewers to get on base on only four occasions. The Arcadia, California product got stronger as the game went on, collecting four punchouts in his final two innings on the mound. Peterson is now 10-3 on the season and owns a 2.90 ERA mark.

Arizona's Randal Grichuk smashed a home run to help the Diamondbacks rout the Padres, 11-2, at Chase Field. Prior to the homer, Grichuk singled in the bottom of the fourth and would find his way home to add to a six-run inning for the Diamondbacks. Grichuk made his way to first again thanks to a fielder's choice and crossed the plate for a second time to give Arizona a 7-1 lead in the fifth frame. Grichuk finished his time at the dish in style with a booming two-run homer to right center field, marking his 12th home run of the season.

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2009 Collegiate National Team alum Yasmani Grandal came up big for the Pirates, slapping a solo home run to register the opening run in a 9-4 win over the Yankees. Grandal plated the first run in the top of the second, lofting the Pirates up by a run early. Grandal stayed hot at the plate when he singled to right field and rounded the bases, marking his second run scored of the game. With his side up 6-4 in the top of the ninth, Grandal tacked on another run via an RBI single to center field, which took his hit total to three. He moved his 2024 home run total to nine on the year after his spectacular performance.

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2019 Professional Team alum Xavier Edwards registered the first three-triple game in the MLB since 2014 to help propel the Marlins over the Blue Jays, 15-5. Edwards got his night started in the top of the second innings when he slashed a two-RBI triple to give his team a five-run edge. He tripled again in the fourth and later scored, marking his first run in the contest. Up 10-5, Edwards delivered another two-RBI triple to give his side a seven-run lead. Edwards finished the game with four hits and four RBIs, which was good for a game best in both categories.

Pirates' Bryan Reynolds crushed two home runs and tallied a game-high three RBIs in Pittsburgh's 4-2 victory over the Yankees. Reynolds cranked his first homer in the top of the sixth inning to lock the score at two runs. His second home run came in the form of a two-run shot in the eighth. The 2014 Collegiate National Team alum also added a walk, but was forced out at second. Reynolds now owns 24 homers and 88 RBIs in 2024.

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Two-time USA Baseball alum Gerrit Cole and the Yankees clinched their second AL East title in three years after topping the Orioles 10-1 on Thursday. Cole played a major role in the win, tossing 6.2 innings of scoreless ball atop the bump. Cole yielded only two hits and fanned five batters throughout the contest. In the victory, Cole lowered his ERA to 3.41 and will look to continue his dominance on the mound in the postseason.

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Two-time USA Baseball alum Nico Hoerner slammed two home runs for the Cubs in their 9-6 loss to the Phillies on Wednesday. In the contest, Hoerner had a game-high four RBIs, which took his 2024 total to 48. Opposite of Hoerner was 2009 18U National Team alum Nick Castellanos of the Phillies. Like Hoerner, Castellanos had an efficient day at the plate, going 3-for-4 with a home run. Castellanos scored three times in the victory, which was a game-best. With the win, Castellanos and the Phillies clinched a first-round bye in the playoffs.

Tigers' Spencer Torkelson homered and collected three RBIs to push Detroit over the Rays, 7-1, at Comerica Park. With his side up 3-1 in the bottom of the sixth, Torkelson crushed a two-run bomb over the left field wall to extend the lead to four runs. The two-time USA Baseball alum grabbed another RBI in the eighth frame thanks to a double to left field. The former first rounder owns two homers in his last three games and has four RBIs in that span.

2013 Collegiate National Team alum Erick Fedde put forth a great defensive effort on the mound in the Cardinals' 5-2 victory over the Rockies. Fedde tossed seven complete frames while fanning 10 batters. He was eerily efficient in the outing as he yielded six hits and a single run in his time on the bump. The Las Vegas, Nevada native now owns a 3.30 ERA mark and has yielded only one walk in each of his last three games.

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Two-time USA Baseball alum Masyn Winn continued his stellar rookie campaign with a home run and four RBIs in the Cardinals' 7-3 victory over the Rockies on Tuesday at Coors Field. With the score locked at zero going into the third frame, Winn put the Cardinals on top with a 391-foot shot over the left field wall to make it 2-0. The two squads went back-and-forth and evened the score at three runs each after seven innings of play. The Cardinals then went on a four-run outburst in the top of the eighth inning, which was capped off by Winn and his two-RBI double that would ultimately secure the win. The Katy, Texas native now owns 15 homers and 55 RBIs in the current season.

San Diego's Jake Cronenworth went 2-for-4 at the plate with a game-best three RBIs to help the Padres top the Dodgers in a 4-2 outing. The infielder began his night on fire as he blasted a two-run homer to provide his squad a 2-1 lead in the top of the second inning. In the top of the fourth, Cronenworth increased the lead with an RBI double to left field, marking his third RBI in the contest. In the win, Cronenworth and the Padres clinched a postseason bid. The 2019 Professional Team alum and two-time All-Star nabbed his 17th homer and 81st RBI of the season in the victory.

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2013 Collegiate National Team alum Matt Chapman went 2-for-4 with a home run and a game-high three

RBI in the Giants' 6-3 win over the Diamondbacks on Monday. Chapman's homer was a base-clearing inside-the-parker, which put San Francisco up 3-1 in the top of the third frame. His long-ball threat stayed present when he slashed an RBI triple to right field, increasing the lead to four runs. The Victorville, California product owns three homers in his last three games, moving his 2024 total to 27.

J.T. Realmuto and the Philadelphia Phillies topped the Cubs, 6-2, to nab their first NL East title since 2011. Realmuto, a 2023 World Baseball Classic alum, was a major driving force in the victory due to his two-run homer in the bottom of the second. Fellow USA Baseball alum, Kyle Schwarber, also cranked a home run in the win. With the performance, Realmuto moved his batting average to .264 and grabbed his 14th homer of 2024.

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Four-time USA Baseball alum Triston Casas slammed three home runs and collected a game-best seven RBIs in Boston's 8-1 doubleheader opener victory over the Twins. Casas made sure his presence was felt early after he hit a booming three-run homer in the bottom of the first to give his side the lead going into the second frame. He followed it up with another three-run shot in the third inning, providing the Red Sox with a six-run lead. After the Twins knocked in a single run in the fifth, Casas responded with his third homer of the night, this time a solo knock to center field. With his outstanding performance, Casas became just the fifth Red Sox player in organization history to hit three home runs in the first five innings since Mookie Betts accomplished the feat on July 26, 2019.

2018 Collegiate National Team alum Andre Pallante yielded a single hit across seven frames to help the Cardinals win its close matchup with the Guardians, 2-1, on Sunday in front of 39,100 fans at Busch Stadium. Pallante was particularly strong throughout the first five innings as he forced 15 outs on 15 batters to keep the Guardians scoreless. Despite giving up a run in the sixth on a sacrifice fly, Pallante locked back in with three-straight outs to conclude his performance. In his last two outings on the bump, Pallante has tallied 13 strikeouts while only yielding three walks and a single run.

Three-time USA Baseball alum Paul Skenes continued his excellent rookie campaign in the Pirates' 2-0 win, tossing five innings of two-hit baseball. Skenes fanned nine Reds' batters across his five innings of work, which helped him record his 16th game with seven or more strikeouts. With the pristine performance, Skenes lowered his ERA to an impressive league-leading 1.99 mark, which strengthens his case for Rookie of the Year.

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Two-time USA Baseball alum Kyle Tucker had a perfect 4-for-4 day at the plate in the Astros' 10-4 victory over the Angels. Tucker began the contest with an RBI double in the bottom of the first frame, which marked the opening run of the game. He also was walked in the second inning and notched singles in both the third and fifth frames, but couldn't find his way home. The big highlight came in the bottom of the seventh when he crushed a 401 solo home run to right field to put Houston up 10-2. With the homer, Tucker moved to 22 on the year while he also increased his batting average to .286.

Giants' Matt Chapman cranked a pair of home runs in San Francisco's 9-0 shutout victory over the Kansas City Royals. The 2013 Collegiate National Team alum contributed to a two-run inning in the top of the fourth with his first homer that came in the form of a solo shot. His second shot sparked a six-run sixth frame, which gave his side a 9-0 lead. The two home runs moved Chapman to 26 homers and 75 RBIs in 2024.

2011 18U National Team alum Joey Gallo pummeled a three-run homer in the Nationals 5-1 win over the

Cubs at Wrigley Field. Gallo's three-run shot came in the top of the sixth frame with his side already up 2-0, pushing the advantage to five runs. The Henderson, Nevada native also added a single and a walk, but was left stranded on both occasions. In his last three games, Gallo has amassed three RBIs in two of the contests and owns at least one hit in each.

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Yankees' pitcher Gerrit Cole tossed a whopping nine frames and allowed just one run to cross the plate in New York's extra-inning 4-2 victory over the Athletics at the Oakland Coliseum. In his nine innings on the bump, Cole fanned seven batters and yielded two hits. The two-time USA Baseball alum moved his 2024 record to 7-5 and helped the Yankees eclipse 90 wins. Cole has been on a hot streak in his last five games, striking out 32 total batters with at least seven punchouts in four of the games.

Gerrit Cole wasn't the only pitcher to have a standout performance for his squad as Nick Martinez hurled six frames of scoreless baseball to elevate the Reds over the Pirates 8-3. Martinez, a two-time USA Baseball alum, notched his fourth-straight win in the contest while only yielding two hits and striking out an impressive nine batters. The Miami, Florida product lowered his ERA to 3.22 and sits at a 10-6 overall record in the current season.

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2010 16U National Team alum Matt Olson slapped two homers in the Braves' 15-3 rout of the Reds on Thursday at the Great American Ball Park. Olson stepped to the plate with a gritty approach, working his way to a 2-2 count, and took a 94 mile-per-hour sinker 384 feet over the right center wall to give his side a 1-0 lead in the top of the second. In the next frame, he made his way to first base via a walk on four-straight balls, and later scored. The walk didn't hinder any of his momentum at the plate because in the fifth inning Olson crushed a three-run homer to give Atlanta an 8-1 lead. The Atlanta native now owns 28 homers and 94 RBIs in the current season.

Two-time USA Baseball alum Kevin Gausman tossed five hitless, scoreless innings to keep the Rangers off of the board and provide the Blue Jays with a 4-0 victory. Throughout his five innings of action, Gausman fanned six batters and yielded a single walk. In the first four innings, he forced 12 outs on 12 batters, which provided Toronto's offense with a comfortable environment to build a lead. The Centennial, Colorado product moved his ERA mark down to 3.91 and owns a 13-11 overall record.

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2018 18U National Team alum Corbin Carroll hit two homers and registered his third multiple home run game in 2024 in the Diamondbacks 9-4 win over the Rockies on Wednesday. Carroll started his night on a high note by delivering a solo home run to right center in the second at-bat of the contest, putting his side up 1-0 early. The outfielder continued to stay hot and cranked a two-run shot in the second frame, which extended the lead to five runs. Later in the game, Carroll made his way to first via a walk and scored on a sacrifice fly to cap off his night. After his performance, the 24-year-old now owns 21 homers and 70 RBIs in the current season.

Rangers' Cody Bradford pitched seven strong innings of scoreless baseball in Texas' 2-0 shutout victory over the Blue Jays at Globe Life Field. Bradford, a 2018 Collegiate National Team alum, was particularly strong across his first four innings after he forced twelve-straight outs on 12 batters while racking up four strikeouts in that span. While on the bump, Bradford yielded five hits and didn't allow a walk through seven frames. In his last four appearances, Bradford has registered at least four strikeouts while conceding less

than two walks in each.

2014 Collegiate National Team alum Bailey Ober hurled seven frames and notched a career-high 12 strikeouts in the Twins' extra-inning loss to the Guardians. Ober yielded four hits, which led to two earned runs, but settled in throughout his performance on the bump. The Huntersville, North Carolina native owns a 3.84 ERA mark and sits at a 12-7 overall record in 2024.

Oakland's Tyler Soderstrom nabbed two crucial RBIs to push the Athletics past the Cubs in a 5-3 outing at Wrigley Field. With the score knotted at zero in the top of the fourth inning, Soderstrom crushed a solo homer to left center to give the A's a 1-0 advantage. The 2019 18U National Team alum followed the home run with a single to right in the seventh. After a single and a sacrifice fly, Soderstrom made his way home. With the score tied again, this time at three runs in the eighth, the Athletics went up 4-3 and Soderstrom put the finishing touches on the game with an RBI to seal the win at 5-3. The Turlock, California product tallied his eighth home run and 22nd RBI of the season in the contest.

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2022 Collegiate National Team alum Wyatt Langford blasted a home run and scored three runs to elevate the Rangers over the Blue Jays in a 13-8 affair. Down 3-0, Langford collected his first hit in the bottom of the third frame via an RBI double and later scored on an error to cut the lead to a single run. As a part of a five-run inning in the fourth, Langford made his way to first on a walk and found his way home thanks to back-to-back singles to give Texas a 7-3 lead. The 22-year-old tacked onto the lead with a solo homer to right field, which was good for his 12th home run in 2024. Langford, a product of Trenton, Florida, now owns a .254 batting average and 66 RBIs in his rookie campaign.

Mets' Pete Alonso homered and drove in a whopping five runs in New York's 10-1 rout of the Nationals at Citi Field. With his side down 1-0 in the third frame, Alonso slashed a two-RBI infield single to first, giving his crew a 3-1 advantage. The 2023 World Baseball Classic alum followed up the infield single with a double where he would later score to make the score 6-1 in favor of the Mets. Alonso finished his night on a high note after he cranked a three-run shot to left center, sealing the victory for New York. The Tampa, Florida native notched his 33rd homer of the season and finished just a triple shy of hitting for the cycle.

Oakland's Shea Langeliers slapped two home runs and drove in a game-best three runs in the Athletics' 4-3 victory over the Cubs. Langeliers started hot at the plate by blasting a two-run homer in the top of the first frame, which gave Oakland an early 2-0 lead. The 2018 Collegiate National Team alum crushed another homer, this time a solo shot, to move the score to 4-2 in favor of the A's. The two hits in the contest allowed Langeliers to eclipse the 100 hits mark on the season.

Two-time USA Baseball alum Shane Baz allowed two hits and two runs across seven innings of work on the mound to help the Rays top the Red Sox, 8-3, at Tropicana Field. Baz made quick work of Boston's offense throughout the night, striking out six batters and yielding a single walk. He was particularly strong in his last three frames of action, forcing nine outs in only 10 batters, which kept Boston from scoring. In his last five appearances, Baz has tossed at least five innings while giving up no more than three hits in each contest.

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2018 Collegiate National Team alum Andre Pallante outdueled fellow USA Baseball alum Paul Skenes, punching out nine batters across seven innings of work on the bump to put the Cardinals over the Pirates, 4-0, on Monday. In his appearance, Pallante yielded four hits and a walk, contributing to the ninth shutout for the Cardinals. His nine K's were a career-high, which was a big factor in keeping Pittsburgh scoreless

throughout the contest. Pallante now owns a 7-8 overall record with a 3.87 ERA mark.

USA Baseball mainstay Bobby Witt Jr. smacked a grand slam and stole a base in the Royals' 7-6 loss to the Tigers. His first hit of the contest was the grand slam, which traveled 383 feet to left field and put his team up 4-0 in the bottom of the third frame. The star shortstop collected another RBI in the bottom of the fifth via an infield single and stole second before being left stranded on base. The two-time USA Baseball alum owns a league-best .332 batting average and 200 hits in 2024.

2014 Collegiate National Team alum Dansby Swanson homered and tallied four RBIs to help lift the Cubs over the Athletics, 9-2, at Wrigley Field. In his second appearance at the plate, Swanson crushed a three-run homer to give his side a 6-0 lead. Swanson followed the three-run shot up with an RBI single that scored fellow USA Baseball alum Pete Crow-Armstrong. Opposite of Swanson, Oakland's Brent Rooker cracked a two-run homer, which pushed him to a fifth-best 38 homers in the majors.

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2018 18U National Team alum Riley Greene notched two homers and a game-best three RBIs in the Tigers' 4-2 win against the Orioles on Sunday. Greene grabbed his first homer, a two-run effort, in the bottom of the third frame to give Detroit an early 2-0 lead. The Orioles closed the gap in an attempt at gaining the lead, but Greene took matters into his own hands and slammed a solo home run to put the Tigers up by two runs and solidify the win. Greene, a native of Orlando, Florida, now owns 23 homers and 69 RBIs in the current season.

2021 Collegiate National Team alum Brooks Lee drove in a game-high five runs for the Twins, allowing Minnesota to walk away with a 9-2 victory over the Reds at Target Field. In front of 22,545 fans, Lee gave the Twins a 4-2 lead thanks to his two-RBI single to center field in the bottom of the sixth inning. The rookie continued his stellar play into the next frame with a bases-loaded triple, his first career triple, which gave the Twins a 9-2 lead. The 23-year-old has registered nine RBIs in his last four games.

Mets' David Peterson tossed a season-high 7.2 innings in New York's nail-biting 2-1 loss to the Phillies. Despite the loss, Peterson yielded a bare four hits and a run in his time on the bump. The 2016 Collegiate National Team alum was particularly strong early, forcing 12 outs on 14 batters throughout the first four innings. Peterson collected six strikeouts, which moves him to 89 total in 2024.

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2016 Collegiate National Team alum TJ Friedl continued his dominant streak at the plate with a perfect 4-for-4 outing at the dish in the Reds' 11-1 rout of the Twins. Friedl started off his day with a single in the top of the second, but was ultimately forced into a double play. He rebounded shortly after with another single, where he made his way around the base path to give his squad a 3-1 lead in the top of the fourth. Continuing the fourth, Friedl made his way back around to the plate and crushed a two-run homer to cap off a nine-run inning for the Reds. The outfielder is now 7-for-8 in his last two games with two homers and five RBIs.

Phillies' Bryce Harper homered twice in Philadelphia's 6-4 comeback victory over the New York Mets. With the Phillies down 4-0 in the bottom of the fourth inning, Harper cut the deficit to three runs after he slammed a solo homer to left center field. He followed the solo shot up with another home run, this time a two-run slash, to make the score 4-3, which gave Philadelphia enough firepower to complete the comeback victory. The two-time USA Baseball alum now owns a .289 batting average and 28 home runs in 2024.

2019 Collegiate National Team alum Garrett Mitchell was one of three Brewers to finish with three or more RBIs in Milwaukee's 15-8 victory over the Diamondbacks on Saturday. Mitchell began the contest

with a single to center field in the top of the first frame, but was picked off and caught stealing home. His big highlight came in the top of the fourth after he cranked a two-run homer, which gave the Brewers an 11-0 lead. Mitchell was walked throughout the rest of the contest on numerous occasions, which led to him owning a game-high three walks. With the homer, the Orange, California product moves his total to six on the year.

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Cincinnati's TJ Friedl went 3-for-4 with a homer and three RBIs to help propel the Reds over the Twins in an 8-4 affair. Friedl put the first run of the contest on the board via a solo homer to right field in the top of the second inning. As tension rose with the score locked at one run each on the top of the seventh, Friedl nabbed a bunt single back to the pitcher, which allowed a run to cross the plate and put his side up 2-1. The 2016 Collegiate National Team alum rounded out his night with an RBI single, which secured the 8-4 victory for the Reds.

Five-time USA Baseball alum Alex Bregman smacked a homer and collected two RBIs in the Astros' 5-3 victory over the Angels, marking Houston's 5,000th win as an organization. In his second at-bat, Bregman launched a two-run homer 378 feet to left field, which gave his side a 4-0 advantage in the top of the third frame. The former first rounder added a single and an intentional walk throughout the rest of the contest. Bregman now owns two multi-hit games in his last three games.

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Two-time USA Baseball alum Sonny Gray tossed six strong innings on the mound to help the Cardinals top the Reds, 6-1, on Thursday at Busch Stadium. Gray struck out a whopping nine batters in his time on the bump, while yielding a bare two hits and a run. While Gray held it down on the bump, Cardinals teammate and fellow USA Baseball alum Masyn Winn provided an offensive lift for St. Louis. Winn, a rookie, smacked a solo homer and scored twice to secure the win. The Cardinals have now won two games in a row and will look to continue that moving forward against the Blue Jays on Friday.

Detroit's Spencer Torkelson went 2-for-3 with two RBIs and a walk as the Tigers fell to the Rockies in a 4-2 affair. With the Tigers down 1-0 in the bottom of the fourth frame, the two-time USA Baseball alum slashed a two-RBI double down the left field line to give his side a 2-1 advantage. Torkelson added a walk in the seventh and an infield single, but failed to reach home on both occasions. With his performance, Torkelson moved his RBI total to 31 and nabbed his 19th double of the season.

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Two-time USA Baseball alum Bailey Falter tossed 7.1 innings of scoreless baseball in the Pirates' 3-1 victory over the Marlins on Wednesday at PNC Park. The left-hander carried a no-hitter into the seventh frame, which kept Miami off of the board. Falter fanned five batters in his outing on the bump and moved to 8-7 on the year.

Diamondbacks' Randal Grichuk, a 2007 16U National Team alum, slammed his 200th career homer in Arizona's 14-4 rout of the Texas Rangers. In the bottom of the first inning, Grichuk cranked a two-run homer to left field, which put his team up 3-0. With the Diamondbacks up 13-4 in the eighth frame, the Rosenberg, Texas native delivered an RBI double to give his side a ten-run lead. The former first rounder now owns a .276 batting average in 2024.

2013 18U National Team alum Lane Thomas tallied four RBIs to help the Guardians' down the White Sox in

a 6-4 outing. In the top of the first inning, Thomas reached on an infield single to third, which drove in two early runs for Cleveland. In the top of the third, Thomas delivered another two-RBI single to give his side a 5-0 advantage. The Knoxville, Tennessee native singled in the eighth and later crossed the plate for the first time in the contest to put the Guardians ahead 6-4. Thomas finished the contest with a game-high four RBIs, which pushed him to eight RBIs in his last three games.

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Three-time USA Baseball alum Trea Turner smacked two, two-run homers to help elevate the Phillies over the Rays in a 9-4 outing on Tuesday. Turner nabbed his first homer in the bottom of the third inning to give his crew a 4-2 advantage. In the bottom of the eighth, with the score at 7-4, Turner launched his second two-run shot of the contest to give the Phillies a 9-4 lead. While Turner was at the forefront of the win, fellow USA Baseball alum Kyle Schwarber set an MLB record when he cracked his 14th leadoff home run of the season. The Phillies now sit a 87-58 on the season, 29 games over .500 to match a season high.

Turner wasn't the only one to smack two homers on Tuesday, as Oriole's Cedric Mullins slashed two of his own in Baltimore's 5-3 victory over the Red Sox at Fenway Park. Mullins began his night early, delivering a solo shot over the right field wall in the top of the first inning. In his next at-bat, the 2023 World Baseball Classic alum cranked a two-run homer in the third to move the score to 3-0. Mullins added a walk in the top of the ninth and stole second, but was ultimately left stranded on base. The Greensboro, North Carolina native now owns 17 home runs in 2024.

2013 18U National Team alum Lane Thomas crushed a three-run homer to lift the Guardians over the White Sox in a 5-0 affair. Thomas grabbed a double to left field in his first at-bat, and later made his way home to put the first run on the board for either side. The Knoxville, Tennessee product backed up his double by slamming a three-run shot in the sixth frame which put Cleveland up 4-0. Thomas finished the contest with a game-high three RBIs while also crossing the plate himself on two occasions. Thomas owns six RBIs in his last three games and is batting .308 in that span.

The Twins' duo of Kyle Farmer and Matt Wallner combined 4-for-8 with six RBIs and three runs scored in Minnesota's 10-5 win over the Angels at Target Field. Farmer, a 2012 Collegiate National Team alum, was an instrumental part in a four-run second inning for the Twins as he drilled a three-run homer to left field. Wallner, a 2018 Collegiate National Team alum, followed up Farmer in the third inning with a solo homer that traveled 444 feet to right field. The one-two punch continued to demonstrate its effectiveness when Farmer earned a walk and Wallner pushed him home via a double in the bottom of the sixth frame to move the score to 10-4 in favor of the Twins. With the win, Minnesota moves its overall record to 77-68 in 2024.

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Boston's Rob Refsnyder was perfect at the plate, going 4-for-4 with two home runs and career-high five RBIs to help the Red Sox down the Orioles 12-3 on Monday. The 2007 16U National Team alum nabbed a two-run homer in the bottom of the third and a solo shot in the eighth frame. The immaculate performance at the plate was Refsnyder's second career multi-homer game. The former fifth rounder boasts a .285 batting average with 11 home runs in 2024.

Two-time USA Baseball alum Nick Martinez tossed seven frames of scoreless baseball in the Reds' nail-biting 1-0 win over the Atlanta Braves. Martinez commanded the mound, fanning five batters while only yielded two hits and a walk across the seven innings. The Miami, Florida native now owns a 3.46 ERA and has at least five strikeouts in his last two outings on the bump.

2010 14U National Team alum Alex Verdugo homered in the Yankees' 10-4 victory over the Kansas City Royals. Verdugo began his day at the dish with a booming two-run shot to put his team up 3-2 in the bottom of the fourth frame. Later in the eighth, he singled to left field and made his way home on the next at-bat to push the score to 8-4 in favor of the Yankees. Verdugo, a product of Tucson, Arizona, now owns 12 homers and 58 RBIs in 2024.

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Jack Flaherty and the Dodgers cruised to a 4-0 victory over the Guardians behind a dominant 7.1 innings on the mound from the 2013 18U National Team alum. In his time on the bump, Flaherty struck out six batters and yielded four hits, which allowed his offense to operate comfortably throughout the contest. Since the trade from Detroit, Flaherty is 5-1 and holds a 2.86 ERA mark in 2024.

2011 Collegiate National Team alum Michael Wacha pitched seven innings of scoreless baseball in the Royals' 2-0 win over the Twins. Wacha, now 12-7, fanned seven batters and yielded a single walk in his 100th career win. Wacha's best inning came in the fourth when he struck out three-straight batters, using only 14 pitches. The Iowa City, Iowa native owns 17 strikeouts in his last three appearances.

Jared Jones rolled through seven innings, punching out nine batters to elevate the Pirates over the Nationals, 7-3, on Sunday at PNC Park. Jones allowed two runs and four hits in his outing, which all came in the opening two frames. The 2016 15U National Team alum struck out the five of the last six batters he faced to conclude his impressive effort on the bump. In his rookie campaign, Jones holds a 6-7 overall record with a 3.82 ERA mark.

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2014 Collegiate National Team alum Bailey Ober tossed seven innings of scoreless, one-hit baseball in the Twins' 4-2 loss to the Royals. Despite the loss, Ober put forth an immaculate performance on the bump, striking out seven batters in his outing. Ober has been hot on the mound in his last two appearances as he owns 15 strikeouts and has yielded a mere three walks and a single run.

Cardinals' Kyle Gibson hurled 6.2 innings on the mound and kept the Mariners scoreless to propel St. Louis to a 2-0 shutout win. Gibson, a 2008 Collegiate National Team alum, was particularly strong in the fifth and sixth innings, turning six-straight batters into outs with two punchouts in that span. The Greenfield, Indiana product has 15 strikeouts in his last two games and has only conceded a single run.

Nationals rookie Dylan Crews homered to help Washington beat the Pirates, 5-3, in the first game of a split doubleheader. With both teams knotted at zero going into the second frame, Crews crushed a four-seam fastball 404 feet to left center field to put the Nationals up 1-0. In the top of the sixth frame, he tallied his second RBI of the night on a hard-hit double to left field, which pushed the score to 4-0. In the ninth inning, Crews, a four-time USA Baseball alum, made his way to first via a walk and demonstrated his elusiveness on the base path as he stole both second and third base. Fellow USA Baseball alum CJ Abrams slapped a sacrifice fly to allow Crews to cross the plate for the second time in the contest. The 2023 Golden Spikes Award winner currently boasts a .217 batting average along with three home runs.

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Mets' Mark Vientos was a crucial piece of the puzzle in New York's 6-4 victory over the Cincinnati Reds at Citi Field. Vientos got started early at the plate as he tallied a two-run homer in the bottom of the first to put New York up 2-0. With both squads locked at four runs each on the bottom of the tenth frame, the 2014 15U



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National Team alum delivered his second two-run homer of the night to solidify a win for the Mets. Vientos now owns three home runs and five RBIs in his last three games.

Three-time USA Baseball alum Trea Turner and two-time USA Baseball alum Kyle Schwarber both drove in three runs to help the Phillies down the Marlins 16-2. Turner went 3-for-5 at the dish and was just a triple shy of hitting for the cycle in the contest. The North Carolina State University alum nabbed a two-run homer, which drove Schwarber home, in the top of the second inning to put Philadelphia up 6-0. Like Turner, Schwarber was on fire at the plate and cranked his 33rd homer of the year, which came in the form of a two-run shot in the top of the sixth to move the score to 14-1 in favor of the Phillies. Combined, the duo finished the contest with a .500 batting average with two home runs and six RBIs while also adding two walks.

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2019 Professional Team alum Brent Rooker cranked two home runs in the Athletics' 6-4 loss to the Mariners on Thursday at the Oakland Coliseum. With his team down 4-1 in the bottom of the fifth, Rooker delivered his first hit of the night, which was a solo home run to left center field to make the score 4-2. In an attempt at a comeback, Rooker blasted a two-run homer in the bottom of the ninth, his second homer of the day, but his team would come up just short and fall 6-4. Rooker now owns 35 homers in 2024, which is good for sixth-best in the league.

Bryson Stott and the Phillies extended their winning streak to five games in a row after downing the Marlins in a 5-2 affair. In the contest, Stott went 2-for-4 with two RBIs and a home run. His first RBI came in the top of the first inning when he delivered a single to left field allowing fellow USA Baseball alum Trea Turner to score. Stott, a 2018 Collegiate National Team alum, nabbed his booming home run in the sixth frame after he sent a ball to the upper deck to put his team up 2-0. The Las Vegas, Nevada native owns a .243 batting average and 11 homers in 2024.

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Four-time USA Baseball alum Pete Crow-Armstrong and 2014 Collegiate National Team alum Dansby Swanson went a combined 6-for-9 at the plate in the Cubs' 12-0 rout of the Pirates on Wednesday. Crow-Armstrong put the first run on the board between the pair with his RBI double in the bottom of the second frame. Swanson aided his counterpart when he slammed a two-run homer in the ensuing inning, which was his 14th of the year. Crow-Armstrong followed up Swanson with a solo homer to push the score to 7-0 in the bottom of the third. The duo proved they were a one-two punch yet again in the fifth frame when Swanson smacked an RBI double and Crow-Armstrong cranked an RBI single in consecutive at-bats. The pair finished the contest with a combined two homers, six RBIs, and four runs scored.

2014 Collegiate National Team alum Taylor Ward and the Los Angeles Angels cruised to a 10-1 victory over the Dodgers at Angel Stadium. Ward was hot at the plate all night as he finished with a 3-for-4 line with a home run and two RBIs. His solo homer came in the bottom of the fifth, which moved the score to 7-0 in favor of the Angels. Ward, a product of Dayton, Ohio, also added a walk and an RBI single throughout the rest of the contest. In his last five appearances, Ward has registered four home runs and five RBIs.

Cardinals' Sonny Gray registered an immaculate performance on the mound as he tossed seven innings and fanned seven batters in his squad's 3-2 win over the Brewers. Gray was efficient throughout his outing, yielding four hits and a single run across seven frames. With the performance, the two-time USA Baseball alum moved his ERA to 3.84. In his last four out of five appearances on the bump, Gray has registered at least six strikeouts while pitching at least five frames in each.

2022 Collegiate National Team alum Wyatt Langford had a 3-for-4 night at the plate to elevate the Rangers over the Yankees in a 10-6 affair. The rookie began his night with a single to right field in the bottom of the first inning and would round the bases to put the Rangers up 1-0. His second hit of the night came in the form of an RBI double, which would increase the lead to 4-0 in the fourth. The 22-year-old added a walk in the sixth and scored for the third time via a double to give Texas a six-run advantage. Langford sealed the win with a home run robbery on the final out of the game to come up clutch for his side. Langford, a Trenton, Florida native, now owns a .248 batting average and 62 RBIs in his rookie campaign.

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Two-time USA Baseball alum Kyle Schwarber hit three home runs for the second time this season to help propel the Phillies over the Blue Jays in a 10-9 outing on Tuesday at Rogers Centre. Schwarber started things off at the plate on a good note as he hit a leadoff solo homer in the top of the first inning to put his team up by one. The former first rounder notched his second solo homer in the fourth and launched a three-run homer in the top of the ninth to put the Phillies up 10-8. Schwarber finished the contest going 5-for-6 at the dish with six RBIs and four runs scored.

Arizona's Randal Grichuk tallied two home runs in the Diamondbacks 8-7 win over the Giants. Grichuk and the Diamondbacks put up three runs in the top of the first frame, which featured a two-run shot from Grichuk. Grichuk added a single to center field in the third and would later cross the plate to make the score 6-1. He kept his momentum at the plate going when he slammed a solo shot to left center to increase the lead to six runs. The 2007 16U National Team alum now owns a .284 batting average and eight home runs in 2024.

Two-time USA Baseball alum Carlos Rodon had an immaculate performance on the bump for the Yankees, tossing six innings of one-hit base while fanning a whopping 11 batters. Rodon yielded a single run and two walks in his action on the mound. Opposite of Rodon, 2022 Collegiate National Team alum Wyatt Langford came up clutch for the Rangers by cranking a walkoff grand slam to clinch a 7-4 victory for his squad. With the grand slam, Langford becomes the first Rangers rookie to nab a walk-off grand slam.

Paul Goldschmidt and the St. Louis Cardinals rolled to a 7-4 victory over the Brewers in twelve innings at American Family Field. The Wilmington, Delaware product went 3-for-5 at the plate with a home run and three RBIs. Goldschmidt's home run came in the top of the fourth frame in the form of a solo shot to left center field, which gave the Cardinals a 3-2 advantage. The two-time USA Baseball alum also added a stolen base when he snuck to third in the sixth inning. In his last five games, Goldschmidt has nabbed at least one double in each contest.

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2018 Collegiate National Team alum Shea Langeliers slapped two home runs in the Athletics' 5-4 victory over the Mariners on Monday. Langeliers first home run came in the bottom of the third inning when he cranked a three-run shot to put his side up 4-3. With the score locked at four runs each in the bottom of the ninth, Langeliers led off the inning by reaching a full count. On the sixth pitch of his at-bat, he cranked a sweeper 418 feet to left field to nab the walkoff homer. The Portland, Oregon product owned a game-high four RBIs, which moves him to 68 total on the season.

Cedric Mullins and the Baltimore Orioles moved to an 80-59 overall record after downing the White Sox in a 13-3 outing at Oriole Park at Camden Yards. Mullins, a 2023 World Baseball Classic alum, was particularly strong in the winning effort as he went 3-for-6 with three RBIs which was tied for a game best. His homer



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came in the bottom of the eighth inning, which pushed two runs across the plate to move the score to 13-3. Mullins also scored three runs throughout the game which was best in the contest.

Cleveland's Lane Thomas cranked a home run and collected two RBIs to help lift the Guardians over the Royals in a 4-2 affair. With his team down 1-0 in the top of the fifth, Thomas cranked a two-run homer to give his side a 2-1 lead. In the ninth frame, Thomas grabbed a double and stole third base, but was ultimately left stranded. The 2013 18U National Team alum now owns nine homers and 32 stolen bases in the current season.

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2007 16U National Team alum Randal Grichuk went 3-for-5 in the Diamondbacks 14-3 rout of the Dodgers on Sunday. Grichuk got started early with a double where he would later round the bases to put his team up 1-0 in the bottom of the second inning. In the same inning, as a part of an eight run outburst, Grichuk cranked a three-run homer to give Arizona an 8-0 advantage. The Rosenberg, Texas product scored in the seventh inning thanks to an error and added an RBI single in the eighth to cap his night off. Grichuk owns six homers and a .274 batting average in 2024.

Baltimore pitcher Zach Eflin shined in the Orioles' 6-1 victory over the Rockies. Eflin, a 2015 Professional Team alum, struck out nine batters in seven innings of action to tally his 10th win of the season. After coming off of the injured list, Eflin was eerily efficient as he only yielded four hits and a run in his appearance on the bump. In his last three outings, Eflin is 3-0 and has struck out at least seven batters in each appearance.

2014 Collegiate National Team alum Bailey Ober pitched six innings of one-hit baseball for the Twins to help his side to a 4-3 victory. Ober fanned eight batters in his appearance while only yielding a single run. Fellow USA Baseball alum Royce Lewis aided Ober and the Twins with help on the offensive side of the plate. Lewis, a two-time USA Baseball alum, knocked the go-ahead three-run homer in the eighth inning to secure his squad the win. Lewis tallied his 16th home run of the year and also owns 43 RBIs.

2018 Collegiate National Team alum Josh Jung played hero and smacked a three-run homer in the 10th inning to push the Rangers past the Athletics, 6-4. Jung nabbed his first hit in the bottom of the fourth inning, which came in the form of a single to left field. The big swing came in the tenth where he crushed a three-run walkoff home run. Jung finished the game with a contest-best three RBIs while crossing the plate himself on one occasion. The former first rounder owns a .260 batting average with 12 RBIs.