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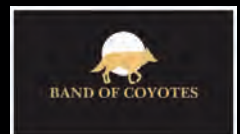
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By **Conner Penfold**

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As those structures remain, just as colorful as ever during the River Cats' 20th season in the state's capital, the tradition lives on with the annual Art of Baseball day at Raley Field. Hundreds of local students submit works of art to be featured in the Art of Baseball Calendar, with the finalists being honored down on the field during the game.

The River Cats celebrate the tradition of art and memories at Raley Field with their annual Art day. It is an opportunity to recognize the enormous impact that the arts have had on the Sacramento region, its people, and the ballpark that the River Cats have called home for the last 20 years. So as you are walking around the ballpark, be sure to look carefully at the small tiles that have become a big part of what makes Raley Field so special.



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# PROSPECT REPORT

## Melvin ADON



Not often do you see Dominican ballplayers sign after they've turned 20. For flamethrower Melvin Adon, it took until he was of legal U.S. drinking age to be inked to a contract – one of just \$50,000, mind you.

His advanced age meant he needed just one season in the Dominican Summer League before Giants' brass determined he was ready to play state-side. And though he's started nearly 90% of the 69 games he's played in entering the 2019 season, Adon appears destined for the bullpen.

After falling just two outs shy of 100 innings in 2017 with the Class-A Augusta GreenJackets, Adon took his 102-mph fastball to San Jose, Calif. where he was the highlight of the Baby Giants' starting rotation. He missed some time due to injury, totaling just 77.2 innings but made up for the lost time after being assigned to the Arizona Fall League (AFL). It was there that Adon made what could be a permanent transition to the bullpen, and he did so with dominating results.

Facing some of the league's top offensive talent, as it goes with an AFL assignment, Adon struck out 42.9% of the 49 batters

he faced over 12.1 innings while allowing just seven hits and three walks.

Adon's upper-90s four-seam fastball has some run and works well with a mid-to-upper 80s slider. In Scottsdale, he worked on adding a two-seamer to his arsenal, creating a mid-90s sinker. He does occasionally mix in a changeup, but it's still a work in progress.

Like teammate Logan Webb, Adon was added to the 40-man roster in the offseason and spent his first spring in big-league camp. Two key questions remain for Adon: can he continue simplifying his complicated delivery, and when exactly will the Giants commit to a bullpen role?

**Position**

Pitcher

**Height/Weight**

6'3"/235 lb.

**Age**

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# 2019 RIVER CATS ROSTER



## FERNANDO ABAD

PITCHER

Bat: L | Throw: L | Height: 6'1" | Weight: 220 | DOB: 12/17/85

Abad is an eight-year major-league veteran signed to a minor-league deal in the offseason. After breaking camp in Richmond, and proceeding to allow just four baserunners and zero runs in six innings, Abad was promoted to Sacramento to bolster the bullpen. Abad, who has pitched more than 300 innings combined for five different MLB teams, began the 2018 season in the New York Mets system but was suspended for 80 games after testing positive for the banned substance Stanazolol.



## SHAUN ANDERSON

PITCHER

Bat: R | Throw: R | Height: 6'4" | Weight: 225 | DOB: 2/14/95

Was a third-round pick by the Boston Red Sox in 2016 and pitched in their minor-league system until he was traded to the Giants on July 26, 2017 as part of the Eduardo Nunez deal. He broke camp in 2018 with the Double-A Richmond Flying Squirrels, posting a 3.45 ERA with 93 strikeouts in 94 innings before being called up to make his Triple-A debut in Sacramento. After a non-roster invite to major-league spring training this season, he'll begin the year as the Giants' fifth-ranked prospect according to MLB Pipeline.

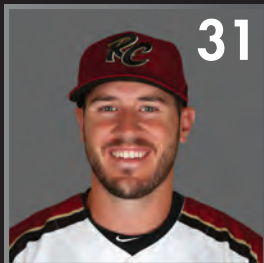


## TYLER BEEDE

PITCHER

Bat: R | Throw: R | Height: 6'2" | Weight: 210 | DOB: 5/23/93

Beede, drafted in 2014's first round out of Vanderbilt University, made more starts than any other River Cats pitcher during his Triple-A debut season in 2017 and is the No. 24-ranked prospect in the system according to MLB Pipeline. He pitched six or more innings in 11 of his 19 starts, posting a 3.47 ERA in those outings. He struggled during the 2018 season with the River Cats and was sent to the bullpen for the remainder of the year, but made some mechanical adjustments in the offseason and will be back in the rotation for 2019.



## TY BLACH

PITCHER

Bat: R | Throw: L | Height: 6'1" | Weight: 205 | DOB: 10/20/90

Blach is back in a River Cats uniform after spending all of 2017 and 2018 with the San Francisco Giants. There, he pitched the third most innings on the club in 2017 and followed that up with 118.2 a year later. He owns a 4.36 ERA in nearly 300 major-league innings pitched while making almost half of his 85 appearances as a starter. Blach was a three-year starter at Creighton University in Omaha, Neb. and was selected by the Giants in the fifth round of the 2012 draft.



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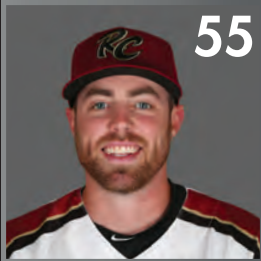
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**RAY BLACK****PITCHER**

Bat: R | Throw: R | Height: 6'3" | Weight: 230 | DOB: 6/26/90

After playing collegiately at the University of Pittsburgh, he was drafted by the Giants in the 7th round of 2011, though he missed the 2012 and 2013 seasons after undergoing shoulder surgery to repair a torn labrum. In 2014 while pitching for the San Jose Giants, he struck out nearly 45% of the batters he faced in 25 innings. In May of 2017 he had arthroscopic surgery on his throwing elbow, but returned healthy and made his major-league debut on July 8, 2018.

**SAM COONROD****PITCHER**

Bat: R | Throw: R | Height: 6'2" | Weight: 215 | DOB: 9/22/92

Drafted in the fifth round in 2014, Coonrod hails from Carrollton, Ill. and played collegiately for Southern Illinois University. Following Tommy John surgery at the conclusion of 2017, Coonrod finished up his rehab in July of 2018 and returned to action pitching for the AZL Giants and the San Jose Giants, where during his brief time in San Jose he struck out 46.4% of the batters he faced in 6.1 innings. Prior to moving into the pen, Coonrod racked up more than 100 innings in three straight seasons from 2015 to 2017.

**ENDERSON FRANCO****PITCHER**

Bat: R | Throw: R | Height: 6'2" | Weight: 225 | DOB: 12/29/92

Originally a Houston Astros product out of Venezuela, Anderson found himself in the Giants system this offseason when he was signed to a minor-league deal on November 20, 2018. He was designated for assignment by Houston at the end of the 2015 season and was claimed by Atlanta, which is where Franco spent the last three seasons, pitching the majority of the time for the Double-A Mississippi Braves. He began the 2019 season as the No. 5 starter in the River Cats rotation.

**WILLIAMS JEREZ****PITCHER**

Bat: L | Throw: L | Height: 6'4" | Weight: 205 | DOB: 5/16/92

Jerez was acquired by the Giants late in March in a deal that sent starting pitcher and long-time River Cats pitcher Chris Stratton to the Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim. The left-handed reliever is a native of the Dominican Republic but went to high school in Brooklyn, N.Y. and was drafted by the Boston Red Sox in the second round of the 2011 draft. He found himself in the Angels organization when he was traded in the deal that helped the Red Sox acquire Ian Kinsler. Jerez made his major-league debut with the Angels on August 7, 2018.

**CARLOS NAVAS****PITCHER**

Bat: R | Throw: R | Height: 6'1" | Weight: 170 | DOB: 8/13/92

Navas signed a minor-league deal with San Francisco on December 17, 2018 and joined the Double-A Richmond Flying Squirrels out of spring training. Though before even playing a game in the Eastern League, Navas was called up to Triple-A. He was originally a product of the Oakland Athletics, signed in 2010 out of his home country of Venezuela. He pitched in the A's organization until the 2018 when he signed with the Cincinnati Reds in the offseason.



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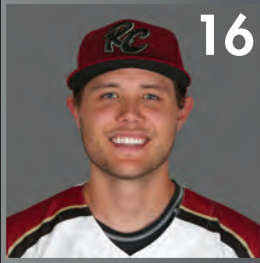
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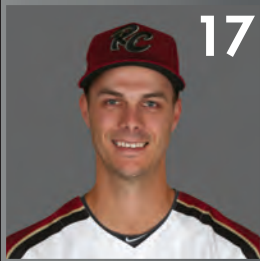
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**STEVEN OKERT****PITCHER**

Bat: L | Throw: L | Height: 6'2" | Weight: 210 | DOB: 7/9/91

A product of the University of Oklahoma, Okert was a fourth round pick by the Giants in 2012. He was designated for assignment on March 23 but cleared waivers and returned to Sacramento to begin the 2019 season. Okert has 48.1 career innings pitched in the major leagues spread from 2016 to 2018, and is third all-time in River Cats history for pitcher appearances.

**TYLER ROGERS****PITCHER**

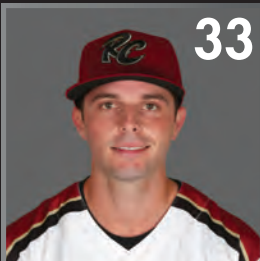
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With 55 appearances, Rogers finished tied with San Jose Giants right-hander Dylan Rheault for most games by a pitcher in the Giants' system in 2017, then followed that up by leading the system with 51 in 2018. The right-handed submariner totalled 143.2 innings over that span, entirely with the Sacramento River Cats, while holding opposing hitters to a .236 average, just two home runs, and a 2.37 ERA in 2017. His 61.0% ground ball rate was one of the highest on the Giants' farm over these last two seasons.

**SAM SELMAN****PITCHER**

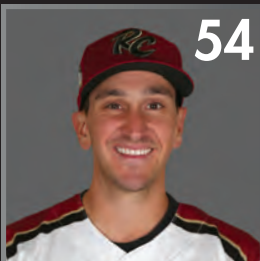
Bat: R | Throw: L | Height: 6'3" | Weight: 190 | DOB: 11/14/90

A former second-round pick of the Kansas City Royals, Selman joins the River Cats after dominating in his seven innings pitching for the Double-A Richmond Flying Squirrels. He pitched collegiately for Vanderbilt University, where he was teammates with current River Cats Tyler Beede and Mike Yastrzemski. Pitching between Double and Triple-A during the 2017 season, Selman struck out 97 batters in just 67.2 innings while sporting a 2.66 ERA.

**ANDREW SUAREZ****PITCHER**

Bat: L | Throw: L | Height: 6'0" | Weight: 195 | DOB: 9/11/92

Suarez entered 2018 ranked the 10th best prospect on the Giants after posting a career-high 155.2 innings in 2017, 10.1 more innings than any other Giants' minor leaguer. After being the opening-day starter for the River Cats, Suarez was called up to San Francisco where he made his major-league debut on April 11. The University of Miami product was sent back down for a brief stint but was eventually called up for good, making 29 starts totaling 160.1 innings with a 4.49 ERA.

**PAT VENDITTE****PITCHER**

Bat: L | Throw: S | Height: 6'1" | Weight: 185 | DOB: 6/30/85

One of the most unique baseball players in the game, Venditte is a switch-pitcher. He throws with either arm and carries a special glove that allows him to switch hands while on the mound. He's a 33-year veteran who made his major-league debut for the Oakland A's in 2015, though it was the New York Yankees who signed him in the 20th round of the 2008 draft. Venditte spent 2018 in the Los Angeles Dodgers' system where he tossed 14 big-league innings while pitching most of his games with the Triple-A Oklahoma City Dodgers.

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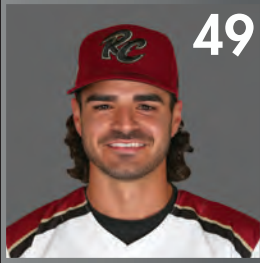
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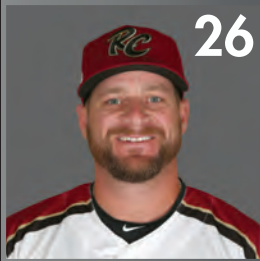
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**ARAMIS GARCIA** *CATCHER*

Bat: R | Throw: R | Height: 6'1" | Weight: 210 | DOB: 1/12/93

Drafted in the 2nd round of the 2014 draft out of Florida International University, Garcia was the top catching prospect in the Giants' farm system until they selected Georgia Tech's Joey Bart in 2018. Garcia, though, is certainly the closest to consistent major-league time as he's currently one of three backstops on San Francisco's 40-man roster. Garcia has been known mostly for his offensive prowess, but his skills behind the dish have improved from year to year, especially during the 2018 season in Double-A Richmond.


**STEPHEN VOGT** *CATCHER*

Bat: L | Throw: R | Height: 6'0" | Weight: 210 | DOB: 11/1/83

Vogt is back with the River Cats for the third time, but first as a member of the Giants' organization. The catcher drafted out of Azusa Pacific University slashed .324/.398/.547 in 75 games for the River Cats back in 2013 and went on to become an American League All-Star with the A's from 2015 to 2016. He was designated for assignment by the A's in 2017 but was quickly picked up by Milwaukee, though he hit the injured list in August after a hard collision at the plate. He then spent most of 2018 rehabbing from a shoulder surgery that stemmed from the incident.


**ABIATAL AVELINO** *INFIELDER*

Bat: R | Throw: R | Height: 6'0" | Weight: 210 | DOB: 2/14/95

After signing out of the Dominican Republic at age 16 with the New York Yankees, Avelino was a ranked prospect in the Pinstripes' farm system for seven seasons. In 2015, he stole the fifth most bases in all of the minor leagues (54) while splitting time between Advanced-A and Double-A ball. On August 31, 2018, he was included in the trade that sent then Giants outfielder Andrew McCutchen to the Yankees. He enters the 2019 season on the Giants' 40-man roster and is ranked the No. 19 prospect in the organization by MLB Pipeline.


**ZACH GREEN** *INFIELDER*

Bat: R | Throw: R | Height: 6'2" | Weight: 225 | DOB: 3/7/94

Drafted out of Sacramento's Jesuit High School in 2012, Green played in the Philadelphia Phillies' farm system before electing free agency at the conclusion of the 2018 season. He had Tommy John surgery in August of 2016 and missed the rest of that season plus half of 2017. In 2018, he OPS'd nearly 1.000 with 17 home runs and 23 doubles in Double-A before being promoted to Triple-A Lehigh Valley where he completed the season. He signed with the Giants over the offseason and will get to play roughly ten miles from where he grew up in Carmichael.


**DONOVAN SOLANO** *INFIELDER*

Bat: R | Throw: R | Height: 5'7" | Weight: 210 | DOB: 12/17/87

Originally a St. Louis Cardinals prospect who signed at age 17 out of Venezuela in 2005, Solano is now with his fifth different franchise. Solano, who signed a minor-league contract with the Giants in the offseason, spent 2018 in the Dodgers organization where he played in 81 games for the Triple-A Oklahoma City Dodgers. Though he hasn't played in a major-league game since 2016, Solano has 360 big-league games under his belt since making his debut back in 2012 with the Miami Marlins.



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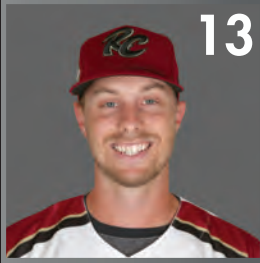
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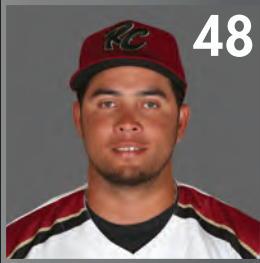
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Bat: R | Throw: R | Height: 6'2" | Weight: 205 | DOB: 12/13/92

Slater began 2017 playing his first 46 games in Sacramento slashing .322/.381/.460 with 12 doubles and four home runs. He received a call-up to San Francisco to make his major-league debut on June 2, going 1-for-5 with a single at Philadelphia. Before injuring his hip, the former Stanford Cardinal played in 29 games with the Giants batting .290. Similarly in 2018, Slater got off to a hot start in Triple-A and was eventually recalled to San Francisco where he played in 74 games batting .250.

**48****BREYVIC VALERA****INFIELDER**

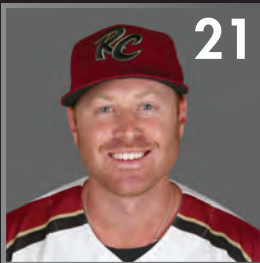
Bat: S | Throw: R | Height: 5'8" | Weight: 185 | DOB: 1/8/92

Acquired by the Giants from the Orioles during the offseason after spending time with three teams in 2018. He began the spring in St. Louis Cardinals camp but was designated for assignment at the end of March. The Venezuelan was sent to the Dodgers a few days later and began the season in Triple-A with the Oklahoma City Dodgers. He was called up to Los Angeles a handful of times, appearing in 20 games. Valera was sent to Baltimore as part of the Manny Machado deal on July 18. Valera can play a variety of positions, including second base, shortstop, third base, and corner outfield.

**2****ANTHONY GARCIA****OUTFIELDER**

Bat: R | Throw: R | Height: 6'0" | Weight: 180 | DOB: 1/4/92

Led the Nashville Sounds, at the time a Triple-A affiliate of the Oakland A's, in plate appearances (566), doubles (31), and home runs (25) during the 2018 season, but did not receive a September call-up from the A's. He elected free agency at the end of the year and signed a minor-league deal with the Giants on January 24, 2019. A product of Puerto Rico, Garcia was originally drafted by the St. Louis Cardinals in 2009 and remained in their system until signing with Oakland after the 2017 season.

**21****MIKE GERBER****OUTFIELDER**

Bat: L | Throw: R | Height: 5'10" | Weight: 195 | DOB: 7/8/92

A 15th-round pick by the Detroit Tigers in 2014, Gerber was a teammate of Ty Blach's for two years at Creighton University. He made his major-league debut as the extra man during a doubleheader on April 20, 2018, pinch-running for future hall-of-famer Miguel Cabrera. He was placed on waivers in December and claimed on the 10th by San Francisco. He was the Tigers' Minor League Player of the Year in 2015 after hitting .292 with 31 doubles, 10 triples, and 13 home runs playing for Class-A West Michigan.

**51****HENRY RAMOS****OUTFIELDER**

Bat: S | Throw: R | Height: 6'0" | Weight: 215 | DOB: 4/15/92

Brother of highly-ranked Giants prospect Heliot Ramos, Henry joins the River Cats after playing in the Dodgers' farm system for the last two seasons. Originally a draft pick of the Boston Red Sox in 2010, Ramos is a switch-hitting outfielder who can play all three positions. He clubbed 10 home runs and 22 doubles while slugging .465 in 102 games for the Oklahoma City Dodgers last year. He received a non-roster invite to spring training this season where he was able to roam the outfield during a game with his younger brother Heliot.



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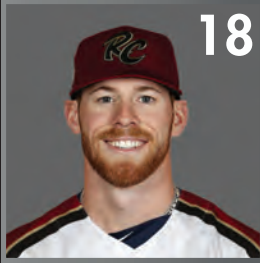
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**MICHAEL REED****OUTFIELDER**

Bat: R | Throw: R | Height: 6'0" | Weight: 215 | DOB: 11/18/92

Reed was acquired in the offseason in an exchange of outfielders with the Minnesota Twins, who received John Andreoli in the deal. He's originally a fifth-round pick in 2011 by the Milwaukee Brewers out of Leander H.S. just outside Austin, TX. Reed began the 2019 season on the San Francisco Giants 25-man roster but was designated for assignment after just eight plate appearances. After clearing waivers, Reed signed a minor-league deal back with the Giants and joined the River Cats a few games into the season.

**MAC WILLIAMSON****OUTFIELDER**

Bat: R | Throw: R | Height: 6'4" | Weight: 235 | DOB: 7/15/90

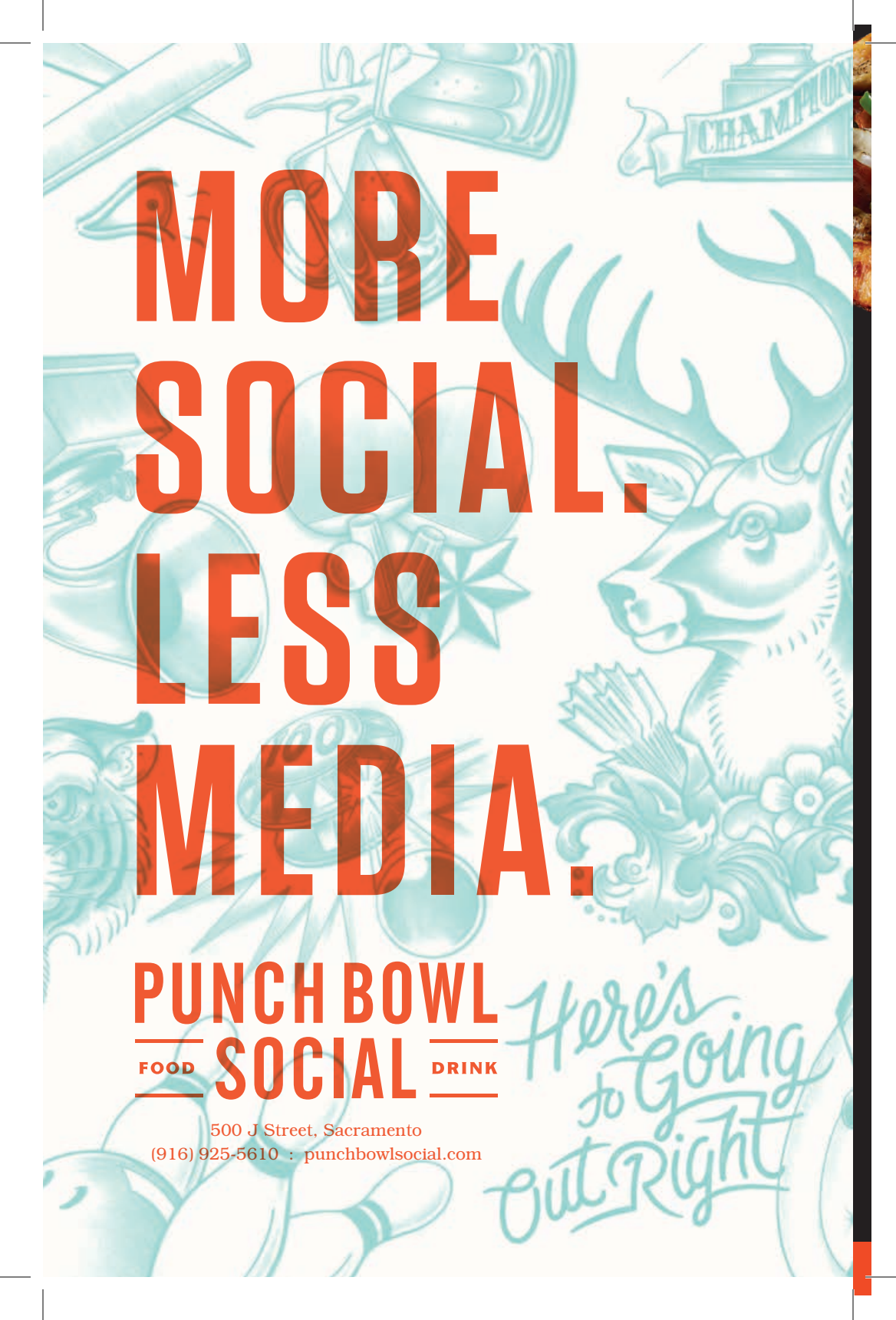
Williamson wore a River Cats uniform for 94 games in 2017, then another 52 in 2018. The former Wake Forest outfielder, who pitched in high school, underwent a swing/stance change during the 2017-2018 offseason and after crushing six home runs in 11 games to start the year was called up to the Giants. Unfortunately, a collision with the wall in foul territory on April 27 sidelined him with concussion symptoms and those issues lingered throughout the rest of the year. Mac is back with Sacramento after clearing waivers and being outrighted to the River Cats.

**MIKE YASTRZEMSKI****OUTFIELDER**

Bat: L | Throw: L | Height: 5'11" | Weight: 180 | DOB: 8/23/90

Grandson of Boston Red Sox legend and Hall-of-Famer Carl Yastrzemski, Mike was a 14th-round pick in 2013 out of Vanderbilt University where he was teammates with River Cats' starting pitcher Tyler Beede. He played in the Baltimore Orioles farm system for six seasons, including his first three pro years in which was named a Mid-Season All-Star during each season. On March 23, 2019, the Orioles traded him to San Francisco for right-handed starting pitcher Tyler Herb. Yastrzemski has played in 269 Triple-A games, including 94 in 2018 with the Bowie Baysox where he slashed .265/.359/.441.





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# RIVER CATS FIELD STAFF



## **DAVE BRUNDAGE** Manager

Brundage will take the field as the River Cats' manager for the third consecutive season. Having nearly two decades of managerial experience, the veteran manager spent four previous seasons with the International League's Lehigh Valley IronPigs (Philadelphia Phillies Triple-A), compiling a 286-289 record (.497), before heading west to Sacramento. In 2016, he led the IronPigs to an 85-58 record, the second best mark in all of Triple-A baseball.



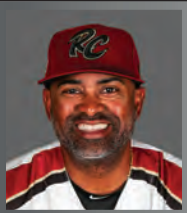
## **STEVE KLINE** Pitching Coach

Kline rejoins the River Cats for his second season as pitching coach in Sacramento after three seasons with the Giants' Double-A affiliate Richmond Flying Squirrels. He spent the six seasons before that with the Class-A Augusta GreenJackets. He was a durable left-handed reliever during his time in the majors, appearing in 89 games in 2001 for the St. Louis Cardinals, which broke a major-league single-season record for lefties.



## **DAMON MINOR** Hitting Coach

Minor is now in his fourth season with the River Cats after spending five seasons with the New Orleans Zephyrs. In his first year with the team in 2016, Minor helped the River Cats improve their batting average four points to the tune of a .272 average, good for sixth best in the Pacific Coast League.



## **JOLBERT CABRERA** Fundamentals Coach

Cabrera enters his fourth season in the Giants' organization and his first as a Fundamentals Coach for the River Cats. In 2018, Cabrera served as the manager of the Class-A Augusta GreenJackets. Before that, Cabrera was the hitting coach for the AZL Giants in 2016 and was the manager with Salem-Keizer in 2017.



## **DAVID GETSOFF** Athletic Trainer

Getsoff begins his 10th season with the Giants' organization, and his second as Athletic Trainer here in Sacramento. In 2017, he served as the organization's Latin American Coordinator and Assistant Minor League Medical Coordinator. He spent 2014-2016 with Double-A Richmond, 2012-2013 with the Class-A San Jose Giants, 2010-2011 with Class-A Augusta, and 2009 with the Class-A short season Salem-Keizer.



## **ANDY KING** Strength & Conditioning

King is in his sixth year with the Giants' organization and his second with the River Cats after spending the 2017 season with Double-A Richmond. He was in Class-A San Jose for the 2016 season and with the Salem-Keizer Volcanoes in Short-Season A-Ball the year before that. King is a 2012 graduate of Hamline University where he earned his B.A. in Exercise and Sports Science with a concentration in Physical Therapy.



# SACRAMENTO RIVER CATS

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### Sunday, May 5

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Game 30 • Home Game 15

### LOS CORAZONES DE RENO (12-17) 3rd Pacific Northern

### - vs - DORADOS DE SACRAMENTO (15-14) 1st Pacific Northern

Aces: RHP Taylor Widener (1-2, 10.03) • River Cats: LHP Ty Blach (1-0, 4.34)

**Yesterday's Game:** The Sacramento River Cats (15-14) were just nine minutes short of their longest nine-inning game ever, coming up just short against the Reno Aces (12-17) in a 7-6 loss in front of a fantastic Saturday night crowd. The River Cats took a 6-1 lead early in the game against the Arizona Diamondbacks number two prospect, Jon Duplantier. Catcher Aramis Garcia's two-run triple got Sacramento going in the first, and Anthony Garcia added a two-run double in the fourth to push the lead to 6-1. It was a bullpen game for Sacramento, with righty Carlos Navas making a spot start and putting up three strong innings. Left-hander Sam Moll was excellent in his two innings, retiring six batters in order and striking out two. Right-hander Sam Coonrod took the loss in this one, however, after serving up a three-run homer to Wyatt Mathisen in the eighth inning.

**Today's Starter:** LHP Ty Blach (1-0, 4.34) returns to the River Cats after making his season debut with the Giants on April 30 against the Los Angeles Dodgers. Blach did not fair well, giving up seven runs before getting pulled from the game in the fourth. Blach was uncharacteristically wild with the big club, giving up three walks in 3.1 innings. In 18.2 innings with the River Cats this season Blach has walked just two batters while striking out 14. Blach will look to repeat his last performance with the River Cats in which he tossed six innings and allowed just two hits and a run.

**Lefty Success:** Sacramento batters have experienced great success over left handed pitching this year. On the year the River Cats hold a team batting average of .267 against right handed pitching, against left handed pitching the River Cats batting average jumps to a .305 average. The River Cats OPS also jumps from .825 vs right handers to .916 vs left handers. **OF Mac Williamson** and **INF Donovan Solano** have been tearing left handed pitching apart this season. Williamson in 21 plate appearances is hitting .524 with an OPS of 1.219. Solano in 23 plate appearances is batting .522 with an OPS of 1.316.

**Slow Pace:** The Sacramento River Cats continued to play baseball at a slow pace again Saturday night. The game was a standard nine inning affair, but lasted four hours and thirteen minutes coming up nine minutes shy of their longest nine inning game ever. On May 16, 2005 at New Orleans the River Cats played a game which lasted four hours and twenty-two minutes. Sacramento leads the PCL in average game time at three hours and sixteen minutes, the next closest is El Paso at three hours and six minutes.

**Swipping Bags:** The River Cats have not stole many bases this season, but when they do they steal them in bunches. Sacramento stole three bases last night for the second time in a game this season. **INF Abiatal Avelino** nabbed his third and fourth bases on the year, while **INF Austin Slater** nabbed his fifth. The River Cats now have 16 stolen bases on the year, Slater and Avelino account for nine of those.

**This Day in River Cats History: May 5, 2011:** The Sacramento River Cats knocked off the Salt Lake City Bees 7-1 to win the crucial fourth game of their series, giving the edge to Sacramento 3-1. Right fielder Matt Carson was the hero for Sacramento, driving in three runs while adding a runs scored. Two of his RBI came off his fourth home run of the year, a moon shot that was estimated at 440 feet. Starting pitcher Graham Godfrey picked up his fourth win on the night, going six innings giving up only one earned run, two hits, two walks and struck out seven.

### AT A GLANCE

	OVERALL	HOME	ROAD
Record:	15-14	8-6	7-8
Day:	5-2	3-1	2-1
Night:	10-12	5-5	5-7
vs. RHP:	12-10	6-3	6-7
vs. LHP:	3-4	2-3	1-1
One-run games:	5-7	3-3	2-4
Extra-inning games:	2-1	2-1	0-0
Shutouts:	0-1	0-0	0-1
Cats Score 1st:	9-9	3-3	6-6
Opp. Scores 1st:	6-5	5-3	1-2
Leading after 7:	13-5	5-4	7-1
Leading after 8:	13-4	5-3	7-1
No errors:	5-2	2-0	3-2
1 error:	7-6	4-5	3-1
2+ errors:	3-6	2-1	1-5
Series Play (W-L-S):	4-2-1	2-1-0	2-1-1
vs. Pacific Northern:	8-4	5-2	3-2
vs. Pacific Southern:	7-10	3-4	4-6
vs. American Northern:	0-0	0-0	0-0
vs. American Southern:	0-0	0-0	0-0

### 2019 VS. RENO (1-0)

Day	Date	Site	Time/Result
Friday	5/3	Home	W, 8-2
Saturday	5/4	Home	L, 6-7
Sunday	5/5	Home	1:05 p.m. (PT)
Monday	5/6	Home	6:35 p.m. (PT)
Thursday	7/4	Road	6:35 p.m. (PT)
Friday	7/5	Road	7:05 p.m. (PT)
Saturday	7/6	Road	7:05 p.m. (PT)
Sunday	7/7	Road	1:05 p.m. (PT)
Thursday	8/15	Road	7:05 p.m. (PT)
Friday	8/16	Road	7:05 p.m. (PT)
Saturday	8/17	Road	7:05 p.m. (PT)
Sunday	8/18	Road	1:05 p.m. (PT)
Monday	8/26	Home	7:05 p.m. (PT)
Tuesday	8/27	Home	7:05 p.m. (PT)
Wednesday	8/28	Home	7:05 p.m. (PT)
Thursday	8/29	Home	7:05 p.m. (PT)

### UPCOMING GAMES • PROBABLE STARTERS

Day/Date	Time	Opp.	Sacramento Probable Starters	Opponent Probable Starters
Monday, May 6	6:35 p.m. (PT)	vs. RNO	RHP Enderson Franco (1-0, 6.20)	RHP Braden Shipley (1-0, 8.68)
Tuesday, May 7	6:35 p.m. (PT)	vs. FRE	RHP Yoanys Quiñola (0-1, 6.48)	RHP Kyle McCown (2-2, 5.10)
Wednesday, May 8	12:35 p.m. (PT)	vs. FRE	RHP Shaun Anderson (2-1, 3.94)	RHP Scott Copeland (1-1, 6.51)
Tuesday, May 9	6:35 p.m. (PT)	vs. FRE	LHP Andrew Suarez (2-1, 5.89)	RHP Mario Sanchez (0-0, No ERA)

### UPCOMING PROMOTIONS

Monday, May 6 (6:35 p.m. PT)..... Baseball Bingo  
 Tuesday, May 7 (6:35 p.m. PT)..... Toyota Family Value Tuesday  
 Wednesday, May 8 (12:05 p.m. PT)..... Wet Nose Wednesday  
 Thursday, May 9 (7:05 p.m. PT)..... Thirsty Thursday  
 Friday, May 10 (7:05 p.m. PT)..... Oragne Friday & Fireworks

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# SACRAMENTO RIVER CATS



Manager: #45 Dave Brundage • Triple-A Affiliate of the San Francisco Giants

#	ACTIVE BATTERS	POS	AVG	HR	RBI	SB	DOB	BORN
19	Avelino, Abiatal	INF	.247	2	9	4	2/14/95	San Pedro de Macoris, DR
22	Freeman, Ronnie	C	.444	0	1	0	1/8/91	Lawrenceville, GA
2	Garcia, Anthony	OF	.257	2	9	0	1/4/92	Carolina, PR
49	Garcia, Aramis	C	.213	4	16	0	1/12/93	Hialeah, FL
12	Green, Zach	INF	.309	6	17	0	3/7/94	Carmichael, CA
23	Peña, Francisco	C	----	---	---	---	10/12/89	Santiago, DR
51	Ramos, Henry	OF	.256	5	13	0	4/15/92	Maunabo, PR
13	Slater, Austin	OF	.288	3	10	5	12/13/92	Jacksonville, FL
7	Solano, Donovan	INF	.333	2	16	0	12/17/87	Barranquilla, COZ
48	Valera, Breyvic	INF	.257	1	7	2	1/8/92	Montalban, VZ
15	Van Horn, Brandon	INF	----	---	---	---	12/18/93	Tujunga, CA
9	Williamson, Mac	OF	.368	6	17	1	7/15/90	Jacksonville, FL
5	Yastrzemski, Mike	OF	.254	5	12	1	8/23/90	Andover, MA

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#	ACTIVE PITCHERS	POS	W-L	ERA	SV	SO	DOB	BORN
28	Abad, Fernando	LHP	0-0	1.04	3	11	12/17/85	La Romana, DR
35	Anderson, Shaun	RHP	2-1	3.94	0	32	10/29/94	Coral Springs, FL
31	Blach, Ty	LHP	1-0	4.34	0	14	10/20/90	Denver, CO
55	Coonrod, Sam	RHP	0-3	6.75	2	15	9/22/92	St. Louis, MO
40	Franco, Enderson	RHP	1-0	6.20	0	16	12/29/92	Anaco, VZ
29	Jerez, Williams	LHP	1-1	2.57	1	15	5/16/92	Santiago, DR
46	Mull, Sam	LHP	1-0	0.00	0	3	1/3/92	Lakeland, TN
34	Navas, Carlos	RHP	0-3	4.67	0	16	8/13/92	Puerto Cabello, VZ
16	Okert, Steven	LHP	2-0	4.40	0	21	7/9/91	Riverside, CA
39	Quiñia, Yoanys	RHP	0-1	6.48	0	8	1/15/94	Mayari, Cuba
17	Rogers, Tyler	RHP	1-1	3.52	0	14	12/17/90	Littleton, CO
26	Santa Cruz, JJ	LHP	0-0	0.00	0	0	1/15/96	Tucson, AZ
43	Selman, Sam	LHP	1-0	1.08	0	11	11/14/90	Austin, TX

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# RENO ACES



Manager: #48 Chris Cron • Triple-A Affiliate of the Arizona Diamondbacks

#	ACTIVE BATTERS	POS	AVG	HR	RBI	SB	DOB	BORN
7	Almonte, Abraham	OF	.237	1	11	1	6/27/89	Santo Domingo, DR
35	Cron, Kevin	INF	.330	12	35	0	2/17/93	Placentia, CA
17	Decker, Cody	INF	.227	1	2	0	1/17/87	Santa Monica, CA
22	Heineman, Tyler	C	.290	1	5	0	6/19/91	Pacific Palisades, CA
28	Herum, Marty	INF	.171	0	1	0	12/16/91	St. Paul, MN
26	Leyba, Domingo	INF	.330	3	13	0	9/11/95	Santo Domingo, DR
21	Mathisen, Wyatt	INF	.167	0	6	1	12/30/93	Corpus Christi, TX
1	Querecuto, Juniel	INF	.233	2	7	1	9/19/92	Barquisimeto, VZ
6	Rosario, Alberto	C	.289	0	3	0	1/10/87	Banao, DR
16	Snider, Travis	OF	.344	3	12	1	2/2/88	Kirkland, WA
10	Tomiinson, Kelby	INF	.197	0	2	2	6/16/90	Chickasha, OK
23	Tomas, Yasmany	OF	.308	7	19	1	11/14/90	Havana, Cuba

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#	ACTIVE PITCHERS	POS	W-L	ERA	SV	SO	DOB	BORN
32	Clarke, Taylor	RHP	3-1	6.12	0	17	5/13/93	Ashburn, VA
46	Crichton, Stefan	RHP	0-0	3.18	0	11	2/29/92	Houston, TX
40	De La Rosa, Rubby	RHP	0-0	0.84	1	10	3/4/89	Santo Domingo, DR
18	Duplantier, Jon	RHP	0-1	1.04	0	10	7/11/94	Newark, DE
12	Krehbiel, Joey	RHP	0-2	9.24	0	7	12/20/92	Seminole, FL
30	Rzepczynski, Marc	LHP	0-0	1.93	0	9	8/29/85	Oak Lawn, IL
36	Scott, Robby	LHP	2-0	8.03	0	15	8/29/89	Miami, FL
29	Scribner, Troy	RHP	0-1	5.40	0	1	7/2/91	Washington Depot, CT
13	Sherfy, Jimmie	RHP	0-1	1.74	5	15	12/27/91	Camarillo, CA
24	Shipley, Braden	RHP	1-0	8.68	0	19	2/22/92	Medford, OR
27	Taylor, Ben	RHP	0-0	0.00	0	3	11/12/92	Montgomery, AL
19	Widener, Taylor	RHP	1-2	10.03	0	20	10/24/94	Aiken, SC
15	Young, Alex	LHP	2-0	7.23	0	22	9/9/93	Hawthorn Woods, IL

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## PCL STANDINGS

Pacific Northern	W-L	PCT	GB	Strk	L10
Sacramento River Cats	15-14	.517	-	L1	5-5
Fresno Grizzlies	14-15	.483	1.0		3-7
Reno Aces	12-17	.414	3.0	W1	7-3
Tacoma Rainiers	12-18	.400	3.5	L1	5-5

Pacific Southern	W-L	PCT	GB	Strk	L10
El Paso Chihuahuas	20-9	.690	-	W1	8-2
Albuquerque Isotopes	17-13	.567	3.5	W1	5-5
Las Vegas Aviators	17-13	.567	3.5	L2	2-8
Salt Lake Bees	10-18	.357	9.5		5-5

American Northern	W-L	PCT	GB	Strk	L10
Iowa Cubs	19-10	.655	-	W5	7-3
Memphis Redbirds	16-12	.571	2.5	W3	7-3
Omaha Storm Chasers	13-16	.448	6.0	L2	4-6
Nashville Sounds	8-20	.286	10.5		3-7

American Southern	W-L	PCT	GB	Strk	L10
Round Rock Express	17-0	.630	-		7-3
New Orleans Baby Cakes	16-13	.552	2.0	L1	5-5
San Antonio Missions	15-13	.536	2.5		5-5
Oklahoma City Dodgers	9-19	.321	8.5	W1	2-8

## MAY 5 IN MLB HISTORY

**May 5, 1904:** Cy Young tosses the first perfect game in American League history, defeating Rube Waddell and the Philadelphia A's, 3-0. The Red Sox right-hander's gem is the first perfect game thrown in the majors since the distance between the mound and plate was changed from 45 feet to 60 feet, six inches in 1893.

**May 5, 1978:** At Riverfront Stadium, Pete Rose became the 13th player in major league history to collect his 3000th hit, a single to left field off Montreal right-hander Steve Rogers. The Reds' legend reaches the milestone in his 16th major league season, quicker than any of the other dozen players who have accomplished the feat.

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## **AUGUSTA GREENJACKETS**

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## PACIFIC NORTH



**SACRAMENTO RIVER CATS**  
 Affiliate: San Francisco Giants  
 Stadium: Raley Field  
 Manager: Dave Brundage



**FRESNO GRIZZLIES**  
 Affiliate: Washington Nationals  
 Stadium: Chukchansi Park  
 Manager: Randy Knorr



**RENO ACES**  
 Affiliate: Arizona Diamondbacks  
 Stadium: Greater Nevada Field  
 Manager: Chris Cron



**TACOMA RAINIERS**  
 Affiliate: Seattle Mariners  
 Stadium: Cheney Stadium  
 Manager: Daren Brown



## AMERICAN NORTH



**IOWA CUBS**  
 Affiliate: Chicago Cubs  
 Stadium: Principal Park  
 Manager: Marty Pevey



**MEMPHIS REDBIRDS**  
 Affiliate: St. Louis Cardinals  
 Stadium: AutoZone Park  
 Manager: Ben Johnson



**NASHVILLE SOUNDS**  
 Affiliate: Texas Rangers  
 Stadium: First Tennessee Park  
 Manager: Jason Wood



**OMAHA STORM CHASERS**  
 Affiliate: Kansas City Royals  
 Stadium: Werner Park  
 Manager: Brian Poldberg

## PACIFIC SOUTH



**ALBUQUERQUE ISOTOPES**  
 Affiliate: Colorado Rockies  
 Stadium: Isotopes Park  
 Manager: Glenallen Hill



**EL PASO CHIHUAHUAS**  
 Affiliate: San Diego Padres  
 Stadium: Southwest University Park  
 Manager: Edwin Rodriguez



**LAS VEGAS AVIATORS**  
 Affiliate: Oakland Athletics  
 Stadium: Las Vegas Ballpark  
 Manager: Fran Riordan



**SALT LAKE BEES**  
 Affiliate: Los Angeles Angels  
 Stadium: Smith's Ballpark  
 Manager: Lou Marson

## AMERICAN SOUTH



**OKLAHOMA CITY DODGERS**  
 Affiliate: Los Angeles Dodgers  
 Stadium: Chickasaw Bricktown Ballpark  
 Manager: Travis Barbery



**SAN ANTONIO MISSIONS**  
 Affiliate: Milwaukee Brewers  
 Stadium: Wolff Stadium  
 Manager: Rick Sweet



**NEW ORLEANS BABY CAKES**  
 Affiliate: Miami Marlins  
 Stadium: Zephyr Field  
 Manager: Keith Johnson



**ROUND ROCK EXPRESS**  
 Affiliate: Houston Astros  
 Stadium: Dell Diamond  
 Manager: Mickey Storeyvv

# MLB/PCL TEAMS - TOP 10 PROSPECTS

## Houston **ASTROS**

1. Forrest Whitley
2. Kyle Tucker
3. Yordan Alvarez
4. Josh James
5. Corbin Martin
6. J.B. Bukauskas
7. Freudis Nova
8. Bryan Abreu
9. Cionel Perez
10. Seth Beer



Triple-A Affiliate:  
Round Rock Express

## Colorado **ROCKIES**

1. Brendan Rodgers
2. Colton Welker
3. Garrett Hampson
4. Peter Lambert
5. Grant Lavigne
6. Ryan Rolison
7. Tyler Nevin
8. Riley Pint
9. Ryan Villeda
10. Sam Hilliard



Triple-A Affiliate:  
Albuquerque Isotopes

## Arizona **DIAMONDBACKS**

1. Jazz Chisholm
2. Jon Duplantier
3. Taylor Widener
4. Daulton Varsho
5. Kristian Robinson
6. Geraldo Perdomo
7. Alek Thomas
8. Jake McCarthy
9. Blaze Alexander
10. Taylor Clarke



Triple-A Affiliate:  
Reno Aces

## San Diego **PADRES**

1. Fernando Tatis Jr.
2. Mackenzie Gore
3. Luis Urias
4. Francisco Mejia
5. Chris Paddack
6. Luis Patino
7. Adrian Morejon
8. Michel Baez
9. Logan Allen
10. Ryan Weathers



Triple-A Affiliate:  
El Paso Chihuahuas

## San Francisco **GIANTS**

1. Joey Bart
2. Heliot Ramos
3. Marco Luciano
4. Shaun Anderson
5. Logan Webb
6. Sean Hjelle
7. Jake Wong
8. Gregory Santos
9. Luis Toribio
10. Alexander Canario



Triple-A Affiliate:  
Sacramento River Cats

## Washington **NATIONALS**

1. Victor Robles
2. Carter Kieboom
3. Luis Garcia
4. Mason Denaburg
5. Wil Crowe
6. Tim Cate
7. Yasel Antuna
8. Israel Pineda
9. Sterling Sharp
10. Gage Canning



Triple-A Affiliate:  
Fresno Grizzlies

## Seattle **MARINERS**

1. Justus Sheffield
2. Jarred Kelenic
3. Justin Dunn
4. Evan White
5. Julio Rodriguez
6. Logan Gilbert
7. Kyle Lewis
8. Sam Carlson
9. Erik Swanson
10. Noelvi Marte



Triple-A Affiliate:  
Tacoma Rainiers

## Los Angeles **ANGELS**

1. Jo Adell
2. Griffin Canning
3. Brandon Marsh
4. Jahmai Jones
5. Jose Suarez
6. Jordyn Adams
7. Luis Rengifo
8. Matt Thaiss
9. Jeremiah Jackson
10. D'Shawn Knowles



Triple-A Affiliate:  
Salt Lake Bees

\* List current as of 3/25/19 - mlb.com



**Milwaukee BREWERS**

1. Keston Hiura
2. Corey Ray
3. Brice Turang
4. Tristen Lutz
5. Mauricio Dubon
6. Zack Brown
7. Joe Gray
8. Lucas Erceg
9. Aaron Ashby
10. Payton Henry



Triple-A Affiliate:  
San Antonio Missions

**St. Louis CARDINALS**

1. Alex Reyes
2. Nolan Gorman
3. Andrew Knizner
4. Dakota Hudson
5. Elehuris Montero
6. Jhon Torres
7. Malcom Nunez
8. Dylan Carlson
9. Lane Thomas
10. Genesis Cabrera



Triple-A Affiliate:  
Memphis Redbirds

**Chicago CUBS**

1. Miguel Amaya
2. Nico Hoerner
3. Brailyn Marquez
4. Adbert Alzolay
5. Cole Roederer
6. Aramis Ademan
7. Brennen Davis
8. Justin Steele
9. Cory Abbott
10. Keegan Thompson



Triple-A Affiliate:  
Iowa Cubs

**Oakland ATHLETICS**

1. Jesus Luzardo
2. A.J. Puk
3. Sean Murphy
4. Lazaro Armenteros
5. Austin Beck
6. James Kaprielian
7. Jameson Hannah
8. Jorge Mateo
9. Sheldon Neuse
10. Jeremy Eierman



Triple-A Affiliate:  
Las Vegas Aviators

**Los Angeles DODGERS**

1. Alex Verdugo
2. Keibert Ruiz
3. Dustin May
4. Gavin Lux
5. Tony Gonsolin
6. Will Smith
7. Dennis Santana
8. Jeter Downs
9. Mitchell White
10. Diego Cartaya



Triple-A Affiliate:  
Oklahoma City Dodgers

**Texas RANGERS**

1. Hans Crouse
2. Julio Pablo Martinez
3. Cole Winn
4. Anderson Tejeda
5. Bubba Thompson
6. Leody Taveras
7. Joe Palumbo
8. Jonathan Hernandez
9. Brock Burke
10. Cole Ragans



Triple-A Affiliate:  
Nashville Sounds

**Kansas City ROYALS**

1. Brady Singer
2. Khalil Lee
3. MJ Melendez
4. Daniel Lynch
5. Nick Pratto
6. Seuly Matias
7. Jackson Kowar
8. Nicky Lopez
9. Kris Bubic
10. Kyle Isbel



Triple-A Affiliate:  
Omaha Storm Chasers

**Miami MARLINS**

1. Sixto Sanchez
2. Victor Victor Mesa
3. Monte Harrison
4. Nick Neidert
5. Sandy Alcantara
6. Connor Scott
7. Isan Diaz
8. Braxton Garrett
9. Edward Cabrera
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- Welcome message on Matrix Board
- Guaranteed raffle prize for one lucky member of your group

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Chicken Tender Basket . . . . .	10	Crispy Fries . . . . .	5
Buffalo Chicken Sandwich . . . . .	8	Garlic Fries . . . . .	7

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<b>Street Tacos</b> (Same or Flight) . . . . .	12
<i>Your choice of meat (chicken tinga, beef barbacoa or pork carnitas)</i>	
<b>Baja Fish Tacos</b> . . . . .	12
<b>Vegan Tacos</b> . . . . .	12
<b>Loaded Meat Nachos</b> . . . . .	12
<b>Taco Salad</b> . . . . .	12
<i>served with shredded lettuce, black beans, black olives, and salsa in a crispy flour shell, with chili-lime vinaigrette dressing and choice of meat</i>	
<b>Three Cheese Quesadilla</b> . . . . .	8
<b>Frozen Margarita</b> . . . . .	12







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<b>California Bacon Cheeseburger</b> .....	11
<b>Classic Cheeseburger</b> .....	8
<b>Pork Banh Mi Burger</b> .....	11
<b>Spicy Black Bean Burger</b> ....	10
<b>Vegetarian Wings</b> .....	10
<b>Regular Crispy Fries</b> .....	5

<b>Garlic Fries</b> .....	7
<b>Corn Dog</b> .....	5
<b>Round Table Pizza</b> .....	9




# Cadillac

Diner

<b>Dinger Dog</b> .....	10
<b>Pulled Pork Dog</b> .....	8
<i>with slaw</i>	
<b>Chili Cheese Dog</b> .....	8
<i>with confetti tortilla strips</i>	
<b>Chicago Dog</b> .....	8
<i>with celery salt, sliced tomatoes, relish &amp; peppers</i>	

<b>Handspun Milkshake</b> ....	7
<b>Waffle Cone</b> .....	7
<b>Dole Whip</b> .....	7
<b>Soda Float</b> .....	7



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Shrimp & Tots . . . . .	12
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Chicken Tender Basket . . . . .	10
Dinger Dog . . . . .	10
Irish Nachos . . . . .	9

Whiskey-Battered Onion Rings . . . . .	5
Tater Tots . . . . .	5



# Sweet Spot

Boozy Milkshake . . . . .	11
Dole Whip with Rum Milkshake . . . . .	11
Cinnamon Sugar Chur-Waffle Sundae . . . . .	9
<i>served with vanilla soft serve, mini M&amp;M's, Oreo pieces and caramel sauce</i>	
RC Helmet Sundae . . . . .	7
Handspun Milkshake . . . . .	7
Waffle Cone . . . . .	7
Dole Whip . . . . .	7
Soda Float . . . . .	7



# Raley's

**Club House Caprese** ..... 13

*Rofisserie chicken, with fresh mozzarella, roma tomatoes, pesto, and red onion served on a french baguette*

**Caught in a Pickle** ..... 13

*Pork loin, black forest ham, bacon, swiss cheese, mayo, whole grain mustard, pepperocini, and pickles on a dutch crunch roll*

**Pacific Roast League** ..... 13

*Roast beef with Chipotle mayo, pepper jack cheese, pickled jalapenos, lettuce, tomato served on a french roll*

**Grand Salami** ..... 13

*Salami, provolone, lettuce, tomato and red onions served on a fresh baked french roll*

**Victory Veg** ..... 13

*Greek-inspired mix of cucumber, roasted red pepper, tomato, spring greens, Havarti cheese, savory hummus, and cool tzatziki on native grain bread*

**Muffuletta Sandwich** ..... 13

**Round Table Pizza** ..... 9



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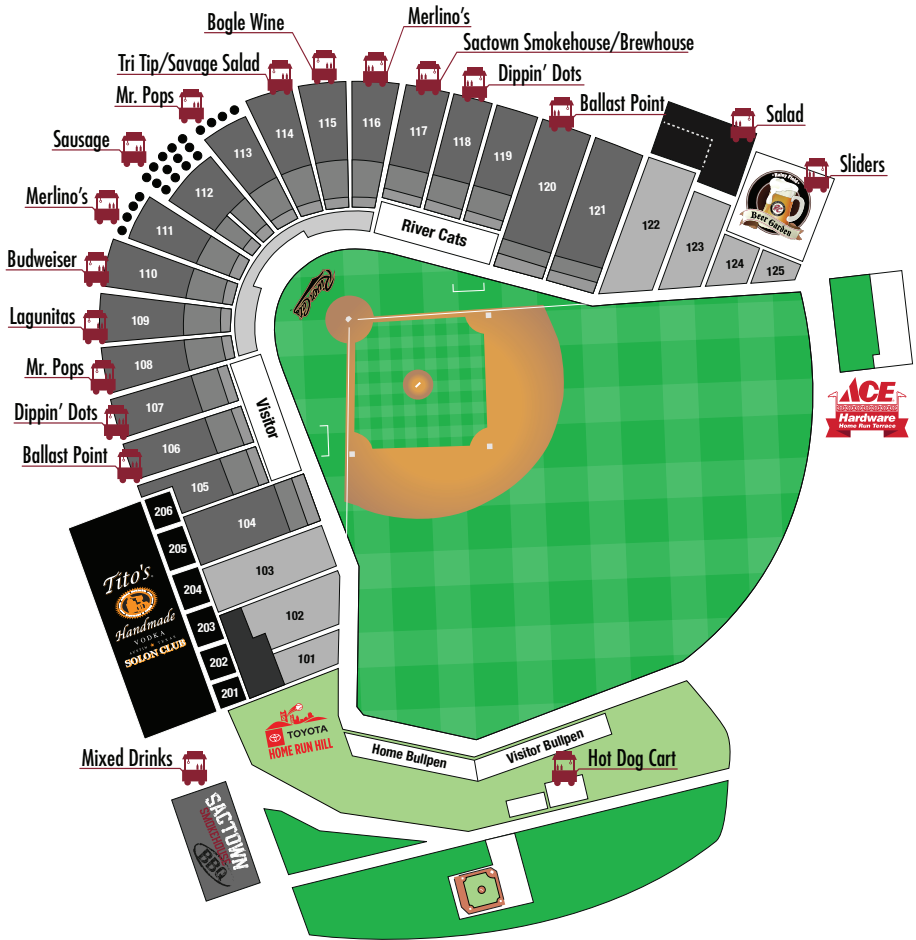
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**Milkshake**

**Onion Rings**

**Peanuts**

**Peanuts** (fresh roasted)

**Popcorn**

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**Pretzels**

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### MANAGER

Chris Cron

### COACH

Greg Gross

### GAME DATES

5/3 - 5/6

*Roster current as of 4/29/2019*

PITCHERS	B/T	HT	WT	DOB
Taylor Clarke	R/R	6' 4"	200	05-13-1993
Stefan Crichton	R/R	6' 3"	200	02-29-1992
Rubby De La Rosa	R/R	6' 0"	210	03-04-1989
Justin Donatella	R/R	6' 6"	236	09-16-1994
Jon Duplantier	L/R	6' 4"	225	07-11-1994
Joey Krehbiel	R/R	6' 2"	185	12-20-1992
Artie Lewicki	R/R	6' 3"	195	04-08-1992
Kevin McCanna	L/R	6' 1"	185	02-01-1994
T.J. McFarland	L/L	6' 3"	220	06-08-1989
Ricky Nolasco	R/R	6' 2"	235	12-13-1982
Joel Payamps	R/R	6' 2"	200	04-07-1994
Marc Rzepczynski	L/L	6' 2"	220	08-29-1985
Robby Scott	S/L	6' 3"	220	08-29-1989
Troy Scribner	L/R	6' 3"	190	07-02-1991
Jimmie Sherfy	R/R	6' 0"	175	12-27-1991
Braden Shipley	R/R	6' 1"	190	02-22-1992
Anthony Vasquez	L/L	6' 0"	190	09-19-1986
Taylor Widener	L/R	6' 0"	195	10-24-1994
Alex Young	L/L	6' 2"	205	09-09-1993

CATCHERS	B/T	HT	WT	DOB
Tyler Heineman	S/R	5' 11"	205	06-19-1991
Alberto Rosario	R/R	6' 0"	175	01-10-1987

INFIELDERS	B/T	HT	WT	DOB
Kevin Cron	R/R	6' 5"	250	02-17-1993
Marty Herum	R/R	6' 3"	214	12-16-1991
Domingo Leyba	S/R	5' 11"	160	09-11-1995
Wyatt Mathisen	R/R	6' 0"	225	12-30-1993
Juniel Querecuto	S/R	5' 9"	155	09-19-1992
Kelby Tomlinson	R/R	6' 2"	175	06-16-1990

OUTFIELDERS	B/T	HT	WT	DOB
Abraham Almonte	S/R	5' 9"	210	06-27-1989
Andrew Aplin	L/L	6' 0"	205	03-21-1991
Tim Locastro	R/R	6' 1"	200	07-14-1992
Travis Snider	L/L	6' 0"	235	02-02-1988
Matt Szczur	R/R	6' 0"	200	07-20-1989
Yasmany Tomas	R/R	6' 2"	250	11-14-1990





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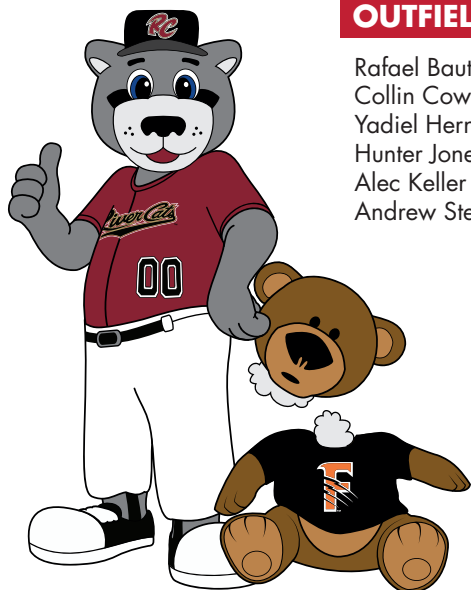


## 2019 ROSTER FRESNO GRIZZLIES

**MANAGER**  
Randy Knorr

**GAME DATES**  
5/7 - 5/10

*Roster current as of 4/29/2019*



PITCHERS	B/T	HT	WT	DOB
Austin Adams	R/R	6' 3"	225	05-05-1991
Henderson Alvarez	R/R	6' 0"	205	04-18-1990
Dakota Bacus	R/R	6' 2"	200	04-02-1991
Scott Copeland	R/R	6' 3"	220	12-15-1987
Jimmy Cordero	R/R	6' 4"	222	10-19-1991
Brady Dragmire	R/R	6' 1"	185	02-05-1993
Paolo Espino	R/R	5' 10"	215	01-10-1987
J.J. Hoover	R/R	6' 3"	240	08-13-1987
Kyle McGowin	R/R	6' 3"	195	11-27-1991
Jordan Mills	L/L	6' 5"	215	05-11-1992
Vidal Nuno III	L/L	5' 11"	210	07-26-1987
Logan Ondrusek	R/R	6' 8"	230	02-13-1985
Tanner Rainey	R/R	6' 2"	235	12-25-1992
Derek Self	R/R	6' 3"	205	01-14-1990
Austin Voth	R/R	6' 2"	201	06-26-1992

CATCHERS	B/T	HT	WT	DOB
Taylor Gushue	S/R	6' 1"	233	12-19-1993
Raudy Read	R/R	6' 0"	170	10-29-1993
Matt Reistetter	L/R	5' 10"	180	05-05-1992

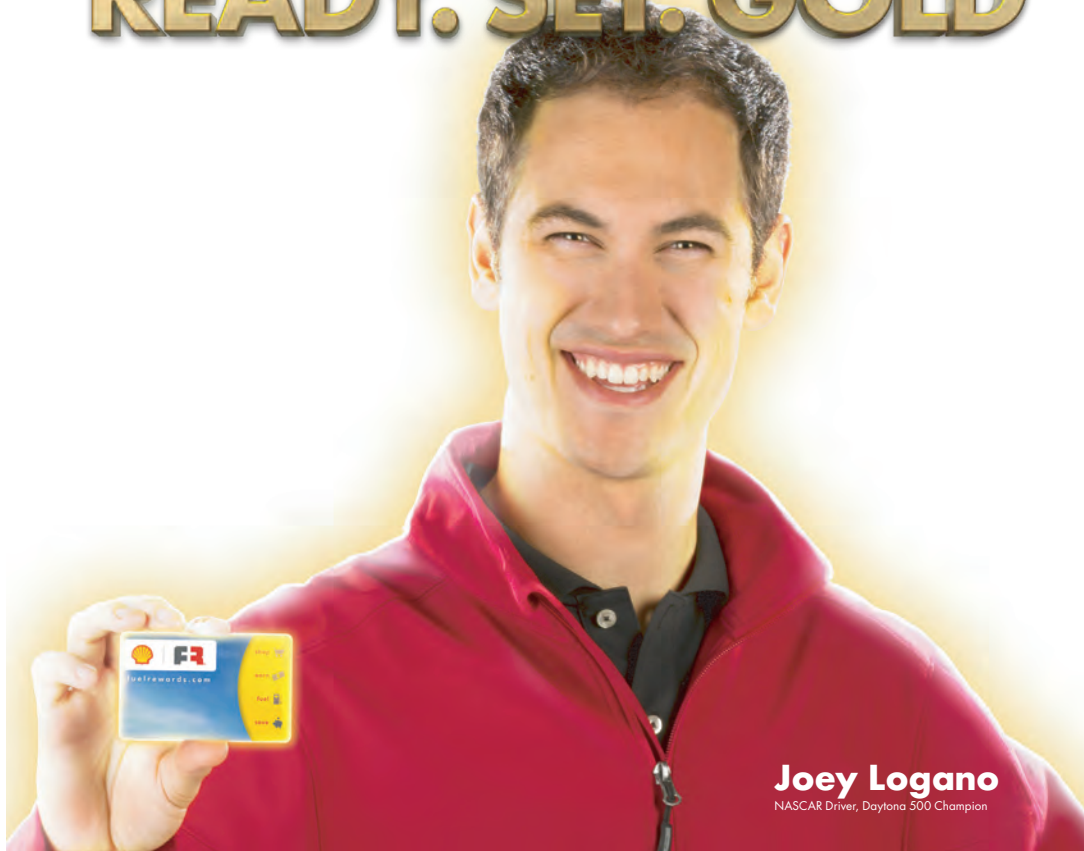
INFIELDERS	B/T	HT	WT	DOB
Bengie Gonzalez	S/R	5' 11"	160	01-16-1990
Carter Kieboom	R/R	6' 2"	190	09-03-1997
Jose Marmolejos	L/L	6' 1"	225	01-02-1993
Matt Reynolds	R/R	6' 1"	200	12-03-1990
Brandon Snyder	R/R	6' 2"	225	11-23-1986
Jacob Wilson	R/R	5' 11"	205	07-29-1990

OUTFIELDERS	B/T	HT	WT	DOB
Rafael Bautista	R/R	6' 2"	194	03-08-1993
Collin Cowgill	R/L	5' 9"	190	05-22-1986
Yadiel Hernandez	L/R	5' 9"	185	10-09-1987
Hunter Jones	R/R	6' 2"	185	08-17-1991
Alec Keller	L/R	6' 2"	200	05-13-1992
Andrew Stevenson	L/L	6' 0"	192	06-01-1994



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PITCHERS	B/T	HT	WT	DOB
Logan Allen	R/L	6' 3"	200	05-23-1997
Dietrich Enns	L/L	6' 1"	210	05-16-1991
Tyler Higgins	R/R	6' 3"	215	04-22-1991
Jerry Keel	L/L	6' 6"	240	09-26-1993
Phil Maton	R/R	6' 3"	220	03-25-1993
Bryan Mitchell	L/R	6' 3"	210	04-19-1991
Cal Quantrill	L/R	6' 3"	208	02-10-1995
Gerardo Reyes	R/R	5' 11"	160	05-13-1993
Fernando Rodriguez	R/R	6' 3"	235	06-18-1984
Chris Rowley	R/R	6' 2"	195	08-14-1990
Sammy Solis	R/L	6' 5"	251	08-10-1988
Robert Stock	L/R	6' 1"	214	11-21-1989
Carlos Torres	R/R	6' 1"	180	10-22-1982
Eric Yardley	R/R	6' 0"	165	08-18-1990

CATCHERS	B/T	HT	WT	DOB
Austin Allen	L/R	6' 2"	220	01-16-1994
Chris Stewart	R/R	6' 4"	215	02-19-1982

INFIELDERS	B/T	HT	WT	DOB
Matthew Batten	R/R	5' 11"	180	06-22-1995
Ty France	R/R	6' 0"	205	07-13-1994
Seth Mejias-Brean	R/R	6' 2"	216	04-05-1991
Esteban Quiroz	L/R	5' 7"	175	02-17-1992
Aderlin Rodriguez	R/R	6' 3"	210	11-18-1991
Luis Urias	R/R	5' 9"	185	06-03-1997
Peter Van Gansen	L/R	5' 9"	175	03-04-1994
Jason Vosler	L/R	6' 2"	205	09-06-1993

OUTFIELDERS	B/T	HT	WT	DOB
Alex Dickerson	L/L	6' 3"	235	05-26-1990
Michael Gettys	R/R	6' 1"	203	10-22-1995
Josh Naylor	L/L	5' 11"	250	06-22-1997
Boog Powell	L/L	5' 10"	185	01-14-1993
Jacob Scavuzzo	R/R	6' 4"	185	01-15-1994



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# ONE-ON-ONE with **MIKE**



**Q&A with Mike Yastrzemski, outfielder for the River Cats, and Johnny Doskow, the radio broadcaster of the Sacramento River Cats.**

**Johnny:** We have Mike Yastrzemski with us and I was always wondering, do guys call you Yaz? Do you go by Yaz when your teammates do?

**Mike:** Yeah, most of the time I do. I'll definitely respond to it. I got a new one lately, Brundy called me "Ski" for the first time

in Spring Training. He [Brundage] goes Ski you got center field, and I kind of looked around and was like who's this "Ski" guy? He [Brundage] goes you got it and I was like oh okay it's me so I've never heard that before but it's good.

**Johnny:** You talk



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about growing up in the Northeast, and it is such a beautiful part of the country. You were drafted out of high school by the [Boston] Red Sox, it must have been awfully tempting to sign, but you end up going to Vanderbilt. How hard was that decision?

**Mike:** Well the way the Corbs [Tim Corbin] runs his program down there, not hard at all. You know definitely tough to turn down a home town team

having some lineage there, just being able to stay home essentially, but I really wanted to go to college and see what that had to offer. I really got to grow as a person when I went there and it prepared me for pro ball for sure.

**Johnny:** Your dad was a heck of a ballplayer, your dad got to Triple-A, great lineage. I know your dad passed away at a tough time in your life when you were 13, you were my

daughter's age, 13-14 years old, you're still not a boy but not quite a man, take us through that a little bit.

**Mike:** Yeah, you know you always run through the hardships, everybody gets them at some point in their life, and I think it was honestly a blessing to happen at that point in my life because I had so much family around me and then being able to go out and make my own decision to decisions to grow into the baseball world that I wanted to. I'm not saying I wouldn't have been able to, but you got to make some tough decisions for yourself at that time in your life and to do that really matured me earlier than most people do. That made that fulfilling, especially being able to go back and graduate and get my degree, that felt so good to check that off the list and not have that weighing on my shoulders or anything like that, that's where it came into play mostly.

**Johnny:** That's phenomenal. I know people don't realize it is hard having a last name like yours. You know the way you handle it now is so much different than when you handled it when you were younger. When you were 18-19 you feel the pressure, the weight on your shoulders, but I think now with you growing up, you're more mature, now your 28 years old it's different now right?

**Mike:** Yeah it is for sure. I actually have a grasp of what he did looking back on it now; when you're 18 you're like yeah I want to do that too, I want to play in the big leagues for 23 years. If I were to say that now I would laugh at myself, you know those things just don't happen anymore. It just shows how remarkable that was, so when people think "that must be tough to live up to that," it never is because that was SO great, almost unattainable, that you don't have to try and do something like that. That

was just special.

**Johnny:** You know your journey is special. I mean you were with the Orioles and now you're one step from the big leagues, you're a solid hitter, you play a solid defensive game; you're knocking on the door. What's it like for you? It's kind of a crowded outfield right now but you're still getting some good swings out there.

**Mike:** Yeah, you know you just have to take every advantage you get and taking the opportunity to get your at-bats, you actually start to take them way more seriously and actually have a ton more intent and focus. You know when you're a young guy coming up they are just feeding you your at-bats, giving you your development, you tend to take some for granted because you know you are going to get four the next day. Here right now, you have no idea whether you are going to get one off the bench the next day,

whether you're not going to get any or whether you're going to get four in the game, it brings your focus to tunnel vision.

**Johnny:** Also nice to get a new start with an organization, right?

**Mike:** Yeah, forgot about that too. That's huge, after being with the Orioles for so long it is nice to have some new faces and new eyes on you, it's refreshing for sure.



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