



Class-A



OFFICIAL GAME INFORMATION

Lake County Captains (4-2) at Dayton Dragons (3-3)

Wednesday, April 11 • 7:00 p.m. • Fifth Third Field • Broadcast: All Sports CLE

Game #7 • Road Game #5 • Season Series: 0-2, 16 Games Remaining

LHP Juan Hillman (0-0, 9.00 ERA) vs. RHP Mac Sceroler (0-1, 11.25 ERA)

Midwest League • Overall

| Eastern Division | W | L | GB |
|------------------------------|----------|----------|------------|
| West Michigan (Tigers) | 4 | 1 | -- |
| LAKE COUNTY (INDIANS) | 4 | 2 | 0.5 |
| Lansing (Blue Jays) | 4 | 2 | 0.5 |
| South Bend (Cubs) | 3 | 2 | 1.0 |
| Bowling Green (Rays) | 3 | 3 | 1.5 |
| Dayton (Reds) | 3 | 3 | 1.5 |
| Great Lakes (Dodgers) | 2 | 4 | 2.5 |
| Fort Wayne (Padres) | 0 | 6 | 4.5 |

| Western Division | W | L | GB |
|----------------------------|---|---|-----|
| Cedar Rapids (Twins) | 4 | 0 | -- |
| Clinton (Mariners) | 3 | 2 | 1.5 |
| Burlington (Angels) | 2 | 1 | 1.5 |
| Beloit (A's) | 2 | 2 | 2.0 |
| Wisconsin (Brewers) | 2 | 3 | 2.5 |
| Kane County (Diamondbacks) | 2 | 3 | 2.5 |
| Peoria (Cardinals) | 1 | 3 | 3.0 |
| Quad Cities (Astros) | 1 | 3 | 3.0 |

@-1st Half Title \$-2nd Half Title %-1st-half Wild Card *-2nd-half Wild Card

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YESTERDAY: The Captains lost their second straight game, losing to the Dayton Dragons, 4-1. Lake County starter Eli Morgan struck out a career-high nine batters over six innings of work and left with the game tied. A two-run home run by Miles Gordon in the eighth inning broke the tie and gave Dayton the lead. The Dragons scored one more run in the ninth thanks to a pair of Captains errors.

WALK THIS WAY: Through four games, the Captains lead the Midwest League with 36 walks, a .397 OBP and a .775 OPS. Lake County has walked eight or more times in four of its first six games, including a 10-walk game against Fort Wayne.

ROSTER MOVES: Ahead of Monday's game, the Indians added INF Dillon Persinger to the Captains' roster from extended spring training. Before Saturday's game, the Indians placed Captains 3B Nolan Jones on the Disabled List.

2017: The Captains finished with a record of 54-85, the second-worst record in team history. Lake County, however, broke the club home run record by hitting 153 homers. The mark was just two home runs shy of the Midwest League single-season record, set by the 1961 Waterloo Hawks with 155. **Emmanuel Tapia** broke the Captains' individual single-season home run record with 29 home runs. He broke the record on his last at-bat of the season at Great Lakes.

TOP PROSPECTS: The Captains feature five players in the Indians' Top 30 Prospects, according to *Baseball America* and *MLB.com*: INF Nolan Jones (BA #4, MLB #4), OF Will Benson (BA #10, MLB #7), OF Oscar Gonzalez (BA #20, MLB #18), INF Ernie Clement (BA #24, MLB #24) and RHP Eli Morgan (BA #29, MLB #28)

TOP PROSPECTS OF 2017: The Indians' Top-30 Prospects list on *Baseball America* and *MLB.com* has six players who were on the 2017 Captains: RHP Shane Bieber (BA #5, MLB #8), RHP Aaron Civale (BA #14, MLB #10), OF Conner Capel (BA #15, MLB #12), C Logan Ice (BA #19, MLB #21), 3B Gavin Collins (BA #27, MLB not ranked) and LHP Brady Aiken (BA #28, MLB #29).

OTHER TOP PROSPECT GRADUATES: Other former Captains who rank among the Tribes' top prospects are C Francisco Mejia (BA #1, MLB #1), RHP Triston McKenzie (BA #2, MLB #2), 1B Bobby Bradley (BA #3, MLB #3), SS Yu-Cheng Chang (BA #6, MLB #6), SS Willi Castro (BA #7, MLB #5), OF Greg Allen (BA #8, MLB #9), INF Erik Gonzalez (BA #11, MLB not ranked), RHP Julian Merryweather (BA #17, MLB #16), LHP Sam Hentges (BA #18, MLB #17), 2B Tyler Krieger (BA #23, MLB #25), LHP Ryan Merritt (BA #26, MLB #22), C Eric Haase (BA not ranked, MLB #20), OF Ka'ai Tom (BA not ranked, MLB #23), OF Mitch Longo (BA not ranked, MLB #27) and LHP Shawn Morimando (BA not ranked, MLB #30).

BIG LEAGUE DEBUTS: Seven former Captains players made their Major League debut in 2017, bringing the total number of ex-Captains in the big leagues to 74. The Captains graduates who got the call last year are OF Bradley Zimmer (Indians – 2014 Captains), RHP Paolo Espino (Brewers – 2007-09), OF Clint Frazier (Yankees – 2014), OF Carlos Moncrief (Giants – 2011), OF Anthony Santander (Orioles – 2013-15), OF Greg Allen (Indians – 2015) and C Francisco Mejia (Indians – 2015-16).

CALLAWAY'S BIG CALL: Former Captains Pitching Coach Mickey Callaway was named the new manager of the New York Mets on October 23, 2017. Callaway becomes the first ever Captains coach or manager to become a Major League manager. He was the pitching coach for the 2010 Captains who won the Midwest League championship.

"BUD" IN THE BIGS: Former Captains Manager Mark Budzinski was added to the Indians' Major League coaching staff during the 2017 offseason. His role will include advance preparation, player performance and on field pre-game work. Budzinski was the Captains' manager in 2014. He becomes the seventh former Captains coach or manager to reach the big leagues.

UPCOMING SCHEDULE AND PROBABLE PITCHING MATCHUPS

| Date | Opp. | Time (ET) | Captains Starter | Opponent Starter | Live Audio (Subject to Change) |
|------|--------|-----------|---------------------|-------------------|--|
| 4/12 | at DAY | 7:00 PM | LHP Kirk McCarty | RHP Tyler Mondile | All Sports CLE |
| 4/13 | vs. SB | 6:30 PM | RHP Grant Hockin | RHP Javier Assad | All Sports CLE & AM 1330/101.5 FM WINT |
| 4/13 | vs. SB | 4:00 PM | LHP Francisco Perez | RHP Erich Uelmen | All Sports CLE & AM 1330/101.5 FM WINT |
| 4/14 | vs. SB | 1:30 PM | RHP Eli Morgan | RHP Cory Abbott | All Sports CLE & ESPN 970 WFUN |



TODAY'S CAPTAINS STARTING PITCHER

#13

JUAN HILLMAN

LHP



Born (Age): May 15, 1997 (20)

Hometown: Gotha, FL

School: Olympia HS (FL)

HT: 6'2" | WT: 185 lbs | Bats: L | Throws: L

Acquired: 2015 MLB Draft – Round 2

Pitch Selection: Fastball, Changeup, Curveball

| 2018 Game-By-Game | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|---|----|----|----|----|---------|
| Date | Opp | Dec | IP | H | R | ER | HR | SO | BB | Result |
| 4/6 | FW | ND | 3.0 | 8 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | W, 10-8 |
| Total | | | 0-0 | 3.0 | 8 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 1 | |

* Relief Appearance

2018 Statistics

| Team | W | L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | IP | H | R | ER | HR | HBP | BB | SO |
|-------|---|---|------|---|----|----|-----|-----|---|---|----|----|-----|----|----|
| LC | 0 | 0 | 9.00 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3.0 | 8 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Total | 0 | 0 | 9.00 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3.0 | 8 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |

Career Statistics

| Year | Team | W | L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | IP | SO | BB | WHIP |
|-------|---------|----|----|------|----|----|----|-----|-------|-----|----|------|
| 2015 | AZL | 0 | 2 | 4.13 | 8 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 24.0 | 20 | 5 | 1.29 |
| 2016 | MV | 3 | 4 | 4.43 | 15 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 63.0 | 47 | 24 | 1.43 |
| 2017 | LC | 7 | 10 | 6.08 | 26 | 26 | 0 | 0 | 137.2 | 101 | 48 | 1.50 |
| 2018 | LC | 0 | 0 | 9.00 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3.0 | 1 | 1 | 3.00 |
| Total | 3 Teams | 10 | 16 | 5.46 | 50 | 48 | 0 | 0 | 227.2 | 169 | 78 | 1.48 |

LAST TIME OUT: Hillman pitched three innings against Fort Wayne last Friday before the ballgame was suspended due to snow. In the first inning, Hillman allowed three runs on a two-run homer by Tirso Ornelas and an RBI double by Carlos Belen. Three Captains errors in the second inning cost the lefty three unearned runs. The game was resumed on Sunday in Fort Wayne and the Captains came back from a 6-2 deficit to win, 10-8.

SCOUTING REPORT: Hillman's fastball sits 89-92 MPH, but has historically dropped to the high-80's as the season wears on. The changeup is Hillman's best secondary pitch and can develop into an above-average offering. Hillman's curveball has good shape and depth and is expected to be at least average. Hillman has a quick arm and clean mechanics, which makes him a natural strike-thrower. He also boasts good athleticism and has some room to grow into his 6'2" frame. Scouts believe Hillman may need to add strength to stick as a starter, but he has the tools to be a dependable back-end starter at the big league level.

LAST SEASON: Pitched with the Captains and posted a 7-10 record with a 6.08 ERA. Hillman enjoyed his most success in June, when he owned a 2.89 ERA in five starts (28 IP). The southpaw had an ERA over 5.00 in every other month.

PROSPECTING: Was ranked as the Indians' #12 prospect heading into the 2017 season, according to MLB.com.

SHOWING FLASHES: Hillman struggled at times in 2017, but showed signs of brilliance with the Captains. The lefty flirted with no-hitters twice in three starts from June 28 to July 9. On June 28, the southpaw took a perfect game into the sixth inning and had a no hitter through 6.1 innings against Great Lakes. The lefty finished with just one hit and no runs allowed over seven innings, though he did not factor in the decision in a 4-0 loss. Two starts later, on July 9 against West Michigan, Hillman retired the first 11 batters he faced before hitting a batter and then carried a no-hitter through 5.2, only to have it broken up on a bloop single. Hillman earned the win, pitching seven innings and allowing two runs on two hits and striking out a career-high nine batters. Strangely, both of Hillman's near no-hitters came in day games at Classic Park with **Li-Jen Chu** catching.

BIG LEAGUE MENTOR: Hillman transferred to Olympia High School (FL) before his sophomore year and became teammates with 2014 Twins first-round selection Nick Gordon. Gordon's father, Tom "Flash" Gordon, the former MLB All-Star closer, became Hillman's legal guardian and mentor. Hillman credits Flash for many of the improvements he has had on the mound in the last few years.

HIGH SCHOOL POWERHOUSE: When Hillman was drafted in 2015, he became the fourth graduate of Olympia High School (FL) in the last four years to be selected in the top 60 picks of the MLB Draft: Nick Gordon (Twins), Jesse Winker (Reds) and Walker Weickel (Padres).

DURABILITY: Hillman has struggled with durability in amateur and pro ball. In the past, Hillman's fastball has dropped in velocity in the latter portion of the season. In 2016 with Mahoning Valley, the numbers reflected his fatigue. Hillman posted a 0.89 ERA through his first six starts and 3.24 ERA in the first half, en route to a New York-Penn League All-Star selection. But the lefty fell off after the All-Star Break with a 9.00 ERA.

| 2018 Highs | |
|--------------------|------------------|
| INNINGS | 3.0 (4/6 vs. FW) |
| STRIKEOUTS | 1 (4/6 vs. FW) |
| WALKS | 1 (4/6 vs. FW) |
| HITS | 8 (4/6 vs. FW) |
| RUNS | 6 (4/6 vs. FW) |
| EARNED RUNS | 3 (4/6 vs. FW) |
| HR | 1 (4/6 vs. FW) |
| FEWEST HITS (5+IP) | N/A |

LAST WIN: 8/27/17 at SB

LAST LOSS: 9/2/17 at GL

LAST HR ALLOWED: 4/6 vs. FW (Tirso Ornelas)

| Career-Highs | |
|--------------------|---------------------------|
| INNINGS | 8.0 (7/20/17 vs. KC) |
| STRIKEOUTS | 9 (7/9/17 vs. WM) |
| WALKS | 4 (5x) |
| HITS | 14 (7/31/17 at WM) |
| RUNS | 12 (7/31/17 at WM) |
| EARNED RUNS | 12 (7/31/17 at WM) |
| HR | 3 (5/2/17 at CR) |
| FEWEST HITS (5+IP) | 1 (6/28/17 vs. GL - 7 IP) |



| Season Totals | Team Pitching Totals | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------|----------------------|------|-----|-----|--------|------|----|----|----|------|----|----|
| | W-L | ERA | CG | SHO | SV/OPP | IP | H | R | ER | BB-I | SO | HR |
| Starters | 1-0 | 3.07 | - | - | N/A | 29.1 | 29 | 14 | 10 | 6-0 | 36 | 2 |
| Relievers | 3-2 | 2.61 | N/A | N/A | 2/2 | 20.2 | 19 | 7 | 6 | 9-0 | 35 | 1 |
| Classic Park | 2-0 | 3.00 | - | - | 1/1 | 18.0 | 19 | 10 | 6 | 7-0 | 22 | 1 |
| Road | 2-2 | 2.81 | - | - | 1/1 | 32.0 | 29 | 11 | 10 | 8-0 | 49 | 2 |
| April | 4-2 | 2.88 | - | - | 2/2 | 50.0 | 48 | 21 | 16 | 15-0 | 71 | 3 |
| May | 0-0 | 0.00 | - | - | 0/0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 |
| June | 0-0 | 0.00 | - | - | 0/0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 |
| July | 0-0 | 0.00 | - | - | 0/0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 |
| August/September | 0-0 | 0.00 | - | - | 0/0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 |

| <u>Captains Bullpen Notes</u> | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------|--------|-------|-------|--|
| Pitcher | Last Game | IP, H, R, ER, BB, K | Last Win | Last Save | Last Loss | SV/OPP | IBF/R | IR/RS | |
| DeJunesas | 4/10 at DAY | 2.0, 4, 3, 2, 0, 6 | None | None | 4/10 at DAY | None | None | None | |
| Jimenez | 4/8 vs. FW (SUSP) | 1.0, 3, 2, 2, 1, 1 | 4/8 vs. FW (SUSP) | None | None | None | None | None | |
| Karinchak | 4/8 at FW | 2.0, 3, 0, 0, 1, 4 | 4/5 vs. FW | None | None | None | None | None | |
| Nelson | 4/7 at FW | 1.2, 2, 0, 0, BB, 3 | 4/7 at FW | None | None | None | 2/0 | 1/0 | |
| Taney | 4/8 vs. FW (SUSP) | 1.0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 3 | None | 4/8 vs. FW (SUSP) | None | 1/1 | None | None | |

| Pitcher | GS | Starter Run Support | | | Per Game |
|---------|----|---------------------|----------|---------|----------|
| | | W-L | Team W-L | Support | |
| Hillman | 1 | 0-0 | 1-0 | 10 | 10 |
| Hockin | 1 | 1-0 | 1-0 | 12 | 12 |
| McCarty | 1 | 0-0 | 1-0 | 9 | 9 |
| Morgan | 2 | 0-0 | 1-1 | 4 | 2 |
| Perez | 1 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 2 | 2 |
| Total | 6 | 1-0 | 4-2 | 37 | 6.2 |

| Pitcher | Starter/Piggyback Advanced Stats | | | | | | | | | |
|---------|----------------------------------|------|-------|------|------|------|-------|-------|------|------|
| | K/9 | BB/9 | K/BB | HR/9 | AVG | WHIP | BABIP | GB% | FIP | ERA |
| Hillman | 3.00 | 3.00 | 1.00 | 3.00 | .444 | 3.00 | .438 | 42.9% | 8.15 | 9.00 |
| Hockin | 10.80 | 0.00 | 6.00 | 1.80 | .118 | 0.40 | .100 | 45.5% | 3.68 | 1.80 |
| McCarty | 14.50 | 6.20 | 2.33 | 0.0 | .250 | 1.62 | .444 | 55.6% | 1.95 | 6.23 |
| Mejia | 9.00 | 4.50 | 2.00 | 0.00 | .000 | 0.50 | .000 | 75.0% | 2.98 | 0.00 |
| Morgan | 12.75 | 0.00 | 17.00 | 0.00 | .205 | 0.75 | .333 | 32.0% | 0.99 | 0.75 |
| Perez | 9.00 | 3.60 | 2.50 | 0.00 | .300 | 1.60 | .400 | 53.3% | 2.91 | 3.60 |
| Tati | 15.00 | 3.00 | 5.00 | 0.00 | .250 | 1.33 | .429 | 42.9% | 1.38 | 3.00 |
| Vasquez | 12.00 | 3.00 | 4.00 | 0.00 | .235 | 1.09 | .000 | 80.0% | 1.43 | 0.00 |

| Multi-Hit | Multi-RBI | | | | | | | | | | HR Type/Last HR | | | | |
|-----------|-----------|---|---|----|-----------------|---|---|---|----|----------------|-----------------|----|----|----|-------------------|
| | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5+ | Last MH | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5+ | Last MRBI | solo | 2R | 3R | GS | Last HR |
| Benson | 1 | - | - | - | 4/8 at FW (2) | 1 | - | - | - | 4/8 at FW (2) | 1 | - | - | - | 4/8 at FW (Solo) |
| Cantu | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Clement | 1 | 2 | - | - | 4/10 at DAY (3) | - | - | 1 | - | 4/8 at FW (4) | - | - | - | - | - |
| Friis | - | 1 | - | - | 4/6 vs. FW (3) | 1 | 1 | - | - | 4/6 vs. FW (3) | - | - | - | - | - |
| Gonzalez | 3 | - | - | - | 4/9 at DAY (2) | - | 1 | - | - | 4/8 at FW (3) | - | 1 | - | - | 4/8 at FW (2R HR) |
| Isaacs | 1 | - | - | - | 4/6 vs. FW (2) | 1 | - | - | - | 4/6 vs. FW (2) | - | - | - | - | - |
| Jones | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Laureano | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Medina | 1 | - | - | - | 4/7 at FW (2) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Persinger | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Rivera | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Rodriguez | 2 | 1 | - | - | 4/8 at FW (3) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Vicente | - | 1 | - | - | 4/8 at FW (3) | - | - | - | - | 4/8 at FW (2) | - | - | - | - | - |
| Wade | 1 | - | - | - | 4/6 vs. FW (2) | 2 | - | - | - | 4/9 at DAY (2) | - | - | - | - | - |

| Player | Starts In The Order | | | | | | | | |
|-----------|---------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| Benson | - | - | - | 2 | 3 | - | - | - | - |
| Cantu | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | 3 | - | - |
| Clement | 5 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Friis | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | 1 | 2 |
| Gonzalez | - | 1 | 1 | 3 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Isaacs | - | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | 1 | - |
| Jones | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Laureano | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Medina | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | - |
| Persinger | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 |
| Rivera | - | - | 1 | - | - | 2 | - | 2 | - |
| Rodriguez | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | 1 | 2 |
| Vicente | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - |
| Wade | - | 3 | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | - |

| Games Started by Position | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Player | C | 1B | 2B | 3B | SS | LF | RF | CF | DH |
| Benson | - | - | - | - | - | - | 4 | - | 1 |
| Cantu | - | 4 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 |
| Clement | - | - | - | - | 5 | - | - | - | - |
| Friis | - | - | 1 | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Gonzalez | - | - | - | - | - | 3 | 2 | - | - |
| Isaacs | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | - | 2 | 1 |
| Jones | - | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Laureano | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Medina | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 |
| Persinger | - | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Rivera | 4 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 |
| Rodriguez | - | - | 5 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Vicente | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 |
| Wade | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | 4 | - |



CAPTAINS BATTING NOTES

#6 Todd Isaacs, OF

Age: 21

Resides: Miami Gardens, FL

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| Acquired: 19th Round (2015) – Palm Beach State College | 5'11" – 180 lbs | Bats/Throws: R/R |
| Yesterday: 1-3, 2B, RBI, 2 K | vs. DAY: 2-7, 2B, RBI, SB, 4 K | Streak: +3 (Since 4/8) |
| This Series: 2-7, 2B, RBI, SB, 4 K | | |
| ↳ 2017 (LC): 82 games, .224 AVG/.260 OBP/.376 SLG/.636 OPS, 9 HR, 14 2B, 2 3B, 33 RBI, 12 BB, 103 K, 18-21 SB | | |
| ↳ Bahamian Icon: Isaacs was honored at the 2017 Bahamian Icon Awards as the winner of the Sports Award. Isaacs is a native of New Providence, Bahamas | | |
| ↳ 1,000 In Style: Isaacs hit a walk-off home run on June 9 to clinch the 1,000th win in Captains history. Isaacs signed the ball and presented it to the Captains' front office after the game. | | |
| ↳ Entrepreneur: Isaacs is the Founder & CEO of Don't Blink, a clothing company that makes athletic wear with inspirational messages and aims to support athletic growth in the Bahamas. | | |
| ↳ HR Derby: Isaacs and his business partner, Rays prospect Lucius Fox, hosted a home run derby on the beach in Bahamas in January of 2018. Blue Jays prospect Bo Bichette was among the participants. | | |
| ↳ World Baseball Classic: Isaacs represented Great Britain in the 2016 WBC Qualifiers, as a native of The Bahamas. The Bahamas have produced seven big leaguers in baseball history. | | |

#7 Tyler Friis, INF

Age: 22

Resides: Auburn, WA

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| Acquired: 21st Round (2017) – Indiana State University | 5'9" – 180 lbs | Bats/Throws: S/R |
| Yesterday: | vs. DAY: 0-4, K | Streak: -2 (Since 4/8) |
| This Series: 0-4, K | | |
| ↳ 2017 (MV): 33 games, .221 AVG/.276 OBP/.284 SLG/.560 OPS, 1 HR, 3 2B, 0 3B, 11 RBI, 7 BB, 18 K, 3-5 SB | | |
| ↳ Contact Hitter: Friis was one of the toughest batters in the nation to strikeout last year (his junior season). He was in the top-100 in the nation with 11.3 AB/K | | |
| ↳ Small Ball: Friis hit one home run in three years as Indiana State's starting shortstop. His lone homer came in the first game of his senior year against Illinois State | | |
| ↳ Sycamores in the Draft: Friis was one of four Indiana State players selected in last year's draft: RHP Will Kincannon (11th round – CWS), RHP Jeremy McKinney (31st round – WAS) and RHP Damon Olds (33rd round – KC). The class was the largest Sycamore draft class since 2009. | | |
| ↳ Hometown Haunts: Auburn, WA was originally incorporated as Slaughter, WA after Lt. William Slaughter, who died in a skirmish fighting Native Americans in 1855. At the time, the main hotel in the town was called the "Slaughter House." | | |

#8 Ulysses Cantu, INF

Age: 19

Resides: Fort Worth, TX

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| Acquired: 6th Round (2016) – Boswell (TX) | 5'10" – 220 lbs | Bats/Throws: R/R |
| Yesterday: 1-4, 2B, R, 2 K | vs. DAY: 1-7, 2B, R, BB, 3 K | Streak: +1 (Since 4/10) |
| This Series: 1-7, 2B, R, BB, 3 K | | |
| ↳ 2017 (MV): 54 games, .254 AVG/.317 OBP/.359 SLG/.676 OPS, 4 HR, 10 2B, 0 3B, 25 RBI, 17 BB, 66 K, 0-0 SB | | |
| ↳ All-Star: Cantu was named to the Mid-Season All-Star Team in the New York-Penn League last year. He entered the game as a reserve first baseman and doubled. | | |
| ↳ College Commit: Texas Tech | | |
| ↳ Multi-Position Background: While Cantu's positional fit was in question before the draft, he had experience at a wealth of positions in high school – catcher, third base, first base and pitcher. | | |
| ↳ Injury Concerns: Was bothered by a shoulder injury in the spring of 2016 (before the draft) | | |
| ↳ Spray Chart: Cantu has shown strong pull-side power (all of his HR's last year were pulled). | | |

#15 Jose Vicente, 1B/C

Age: 22

Resides: San Ignacio de Sabane, DR

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| Acquired: Signed as a NDFA in 2013 | 5'11" – 175 lbs | Bats/Throws: R/R |
| Yesterday: 0-4, 2 K | vs. DAY: 0-4, 2 K | Streak: -1 (Since 4/10) |
| This Series: 0-4, 2 K | | |
| ↳ 2017 (LC): 35 games, .278 AVG/.323 OBP/.539 SLG/.862 OPS, 6 HR, 8 2B, 2 3B, 24 RBI, 8 BB, 28 K, 1-2 SB | | |
| ↳ Baseball Engagement: Vicente proposed to his girlfriend before a late-season game at Classic Park in 2017. He arranged for her to throw out the first pitch. Vicente caught the first pitch, went to the mound and proposed. She said yes. | | |
| ↳ Pull Hitter: Vicente has pulled the ball over 60% in three of his previous four Minor League seasons. Last year was the only time he fell short of the 60% mark, pulling the ball 59.1% of the time. | | |
| ↳ Maximizing Power: Vicente posted a HR/FB rate of 21.4% last year, ranking second on the Captains behind Emmanuel Tapia whose 29 home runs broke the team's single-season record. Though Vicente only had 124 plate appearances compared to Tapia's 505. | | |
| ↳ Pitching Appearance: Vicente made a cameo on the mound on May 29, 2017 at Bowling Green. In his professional pitching debut, Vicente struck out one and did not give up a hit over two scoreless innings. | | |

#17 Jorma Rodriguez, INF

Age: 22

Resides: Cagua, VZ

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| Acquired: Signed as a NDFA in 2012 | 5'10" – 150 lbs | Bats/Throws: R/R |
| Yesterday: 0-4, 2 K | vs. DAY: 1-8, 3 K | Streak: -1 (Since 4/10) |
| This Series: 1-8, 3 K | | |
| ↳ 2017 (LC/LYN/AKR): 99 games (LC – 88; LYN – 4; AKR – 7), .205 AVG/.265 OBP/.292 SLG/.557 OPS, 3 HR, 15 2B, 2 3B, 19 RBI, 23 BB, 85 K, 8-16 SB | | |
| ↳ Logging Miles: Last year, Rodriguez was on Lake County's Opening Day roster... Transferred to Akron on 6/17... Placed on Akron's DL on 6/29... Transferred to Lynchburg on 7/6... Placed on Lynchburg's DL on 7/12 (concussion)... Transferred to Lake County on 7/27 | | |
| ↳ Positional Flexibility: Rodriguez has split most of his career between second base and third base. He has also played 61 games at shortstop, including one game at Double-A Akron last year. Rodriguez also played one game in left field in 2014 for the Rookie-Level DSL Indians | | |
| ↳ Favorite Baseball Player: Rougned Odor | | |

#22 Michael Rivera, C

Age: 22

Resides: Venice, FL

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| Acquired: 6th Round (2017) – University of Florida | 5'10" – 200 lbs | Bats/Throws: R/R |
| Yesterday: 1-3, 2B | vs. DAY: 1-7, 2B, 2 K | Streak: +1 (Since 4/10) |
| This Series: 1-7, 2B, 2 K | | |
| ↳ 2017 (MV): 15 games, .170 AVG/.231 OBP/.234 SLG/.465 OPS, 0 HR, 3 2B, 0 3B, 4 RBI, 3 BB, 12 K, 0-0 SB | | |
| ↳ National Champs: Helped lead the Florida Gators to their first ever baseball national championship last year. | | |
| ↳ Injury History: Suffered a broken left hamate bone in 2017 that caused him to miss a month (22 games) during the college season | | |
| ↳ Playing for Mom: When Mike was a junior in high school, his mom, Maria, was diagnosed with liver cancer and was told she needed a liver transplant. During Mike's senior year of high school, he sometimes cut class to drive her to doctor's appointments. Finally, when Mike was packing to leave for the 2016 College World Series in Omaha, his father called to tell him his mother was getting a new liver. The family, including Mike, took her to the hospital and then drove Mike to the airport. After a 15-hour surgery, Maria called Mike the next morning and told him she was doing well and the surgery was a success. | | |



CAPTAINS BATTING NOTES

#24 Austen Wade, OF

Age: 22

Resides: Midland, TX

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| Acquired: 5th Round (2017) – Texas Christian University | 6'1" – 185 lbs | Bats/Throws: L/L |
| Yesterday: 1-4 | vs. DAY: 2-8, 2B, 2 RBI, 2 K | Streak: +2 (Since 4/9) |
| This Series: 2-8, 2B, 2 RBI, 2 K | | |
| 2017 (MV): 36 games, .255 AVG/.322 OBP/.343 SLG/.665 OPS, 1 HR, 5 2B, 2 3B, 10 RBI, 14 BB, 30 K, 3-5 SB | | |
| Stat Leader: Led TCU in batting average (.332), hits (82), doubles (17), triples (3) and walks (49) during his junior year in 2017 | | |
| On-Base: Wade posted a 34-game on-base streak in 2017 and a 22-game on-base streak in 2016 | | |
| Big 12 Champs: Was part of the 2016 Big 12 Championship team for TCU. Wade went 1-for-3 with an RBI, two runs and three walks in the championship game over West Virginia (Final: 11-10) | | |
| Premonition: Wade's former roommate in the Coastal Plain League is an Indians fan and texted him the day before he was drafted and said "hope I'm saying Go Tribe to you at the end of the day." | | |
| Double-Major: Wade was a double-major in finance and accounting at TCU in the Neely School of Business | | |

#25 Jose Medina, OF/1B

Age: 23

Resides: Santiago de los Caballeros, DR

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| Acquired: Signed as a NDFA in 2013 | 6'1" – 185 lbs | Bats/Throws: L/L |
| Yesterday: | vs. DAY | Streak: -1 (Since 4/8) |
| This Series: | | |
| 2017 (LC/LYN/COL): 65 games (LC – 54; LYN – 10; COL – 1), .239 AVG/.322 OBP/.416 SLG/.738 OPS, 9 HR, 10 2B, 0 3B, 26 RBI, 21 BB, 68 K, 0-3 SB | | |
| 3-HR Game: Medina delivered the first multi-homer game of his career on April 15, 2017 at Lansing. Medina hit three homers and doubled during a 4-for-5 performance with five RBI. | | |
| Columbus Cameo: Medina made his Triple-A debut with the Columbus Clippers on September 3, 2017. He played first base against Louisville and went 0-for-3 with three strikeouts | | |
| Positional Flexibility: Medina has played both corner outfield positions and first base throughout his career. He even made one appearance at shortstop in 2014 with the Rookie-Level DSL Indians. Medina, a left-handed thrower, played five innings, recording two assists and one putout. | | |
| Special Skill/Hidden Talent: Cooking | | |

#28 Dillon Persinger, INF

Age: 22

Resides: Fountain Valley, CA

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| Acquired: 18th Round (2017) – Cal State Fullerton | 5'11" – 180 lbs | Bats/Throws: R/R |
| Yesterday: 0-3, K | vs. DAY: 1-7, 3 K | Streak: -1 (Since 4/10) |
| This Series: 1-7, 3 K | | |
| 2017 (MV): 22 games, .208 AVG/.326 OBP/.347 SLG/.673 OPS, 2 HR, 4 2B, 0 3B, 4 RBI, 9 BB, 22 K, 1-2 SB | | |
| Twice an Indian: Drafted by the Indians in the 31st round of the 2015 MLB Draft out of Golden West College (CA). The Dodgers drafted Persinger in the 17th round in 2016 out of GWC, but he did not sign again. The Indians then drafted Persinger again in the 18th round in 2017 out of Cal State Fullerton and the infielder signed. | | |
| Scrappy Style: Persinger says he models his game after Jose Altuve and he is described by teammates as a workhorse. | | |
| Cal State Fullerton: Helped lead the Titans to the College World Series in 2017 and earned First-Team All-Big West honors. Persinger finished second in the conference in stolen bases with 18. | | |
| Positional Versatility: Persinger played catcher, infield and outfield in high school. He started 2017 as Cal State Fullerton's second baseman before becoming the team's primary first baseman in mid-March. | | |

#29 Will Benson, OF

Age: 19

Resides: Atlanta, GA

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| Acquired: 1st Round (2016) – The Westminster Schools (GA) | 6'5" – 215 lbs | Bats/Throws: L/L |
| Yesterday: | vs. DAY: 1-3, R, BB, K | Streak: +4 (Since 4/6) |
| This Series: 1-3, R, BB, K | | |
| 2017 (MV): 56 games, .238 AVG/.347 OBP/.475 SLG/.823 OPS, 10 HR, 8 2B, 5 3B, 36 RBI, 31 BB, 80 K, 7-8 SB | | |
| Prospect Rank: Ranked by MLB.com as the Indians' #7 prospect and #10 by Baseball America . | | |
| International Experience: Won the gold medal with Team USA at the WBSC 18U Baseball World Cup in Japan in 2016 | | |
| Scouting Report: Benson exhibits tremendous raw power due to his bat speed and strength. Though he has a lot of swing and miss in his bat, the Indians have been impressed by his ability to draw walks. Benson has slightly above-average speed and, in the outfield, he is an average defender with a plus arm in right field. | | |
| Working On...: The Indians have been working with Benson on getting him into a better position to hit so he can get to his power more. | | |

#31 Ernie Clement, INF

Age: 22

Resides: Rochester, NY

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| Acquired: 4th Round (2017) – University of Virginia | 6'0" – 170 lbs | Bats/Throws: R/R |
| Yesterday: 3-4, 3B | vs. DAY: 3-4, 3B | Streak: +4 (Since 4/6) |
| This Series: 3-4, 3B | | |
| 2017 (MV): 45 games, .280 AVG/.315 OBP/.343 SLG/.658 OPS, 0 HR, 9 2B, 1 3B, 13 RBI, 6 BB, 12 K, 6-8 SB | | |
| Prospect Rank: Ranked by MLB.com and Baseball America as the Indians' #24 prospect. | | |
| MVP: Clement was named the MVP of the Cape Cod League in 2016 after slapping .353/.400/.395 for the Harwich Mariners | | |
| Contact Hitter: Only struck out 31 times in 745 career at-bats at Virginia and ranked in the top five toughest players to strike out every year of his collegiate career. Clement was the toughest man in the nation to strikeout last year (36.3 AB/K) | | |
| Multi-Sport: Clement excelled at both baseball and hockey at Brighton High School (NY). He led his hockey team in scoring as a senior. Clement also played soccer one year. | | |
| Family of Athletes: Father played rugby at St. Lawrence University (Saints). Mother played soccer at Babson College (Beavers). Cousin, Abby Clement, ran track at UVA | | |

#39 Oscar Gonzalez, OF

Age: 20

Resides: San Cristobal, DR

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| Acquired: Signed as a NDFA in 2014 | 6'2" – 180 lbs | Bats/Throws: R/R |
| Yesterday: 1-4, 2 K | vs. DAY: 3-8, R, 3 K | Streak: +3 (Since 4/8) |
| This Series: 3-8, R, 3 K | | |
| 2017 (MV): .283 AVG/.301 OBP/.388 SLG/.689 OPS, 3 HR, 16 2B, 0 3B, 34 RBI, 5 BB, 61 K, 0-0 SB | | |
| Prospect Ranking: Ranked by MLB.com as the Indians' #18 prospect and #20 by Baseball America . | | |
| All-Star Arm: Gonzalez played in the 2017 New York-Penn League All-Star Game and threw out Astros prospect J.J. Matijevic at the plate in the third inning | | |
| Musical Trainer: Gonzalez trained with Wason Brazoban, a Dominican singer whose pop song "En Un Solo Dia" peaked at #47 on Billboard's Hot Latin Songs chart (Brazoban also runs his own baseball academy: Wason Brazoban Baseball Academy) | | |
| Wrist Surgery: Gonzalez had minor wrist surgery after the 2016 season | | |
| Family Roots: Gonzalez has six siblings | | |



CAPTAINS BULLPEN NOTES

#9 James Karinchak, RHP

Age: 22

Resides: Walden, NY

Acquired: 9th Round (2017) – Bryant University
Vs. LH: .357/.400/.500

vs. RH: .288/.362/.442

6'3" – 230 lbs

Home: .342/.419/.554

Last Outing:

Road: .304/.350/.411

Scoreless: 3.2 (Since 4/5)

Pitches: Fastball, changeup, curveball

2017 (MV): 10 games, 6 starts, 23.1 IP, 2-2, 5.79 ERA, 15 ER, 30 H, 9 BB, 31 K, 1 HR, 1.67 WHIP

Scouting Report: Karinchak has shown a fastball that can reach 96 MPH. He also has the ability to spin a 12-to-6 hammer curveball with good depth. Karinchak hides the ball well and creates good deception thanks to a high front side.

Strikeout Master: Karinchak finished 2017 second among all Division 1 pitchers with 13.66 K/9.

#16 Jonathan Teaney, RHP

Age: 22

Resides: Lancaster, CA

Acquired: 20th Round (2017) – University of San Diego
Vs. LH: .205/.311/.308

vs. RH: .152/.282/.318

6'2" – 195 lbs

Home: .184/.310/.429

Last Outing:

Road: .161/.277/.214

Scoreless: 1.0 (Since 4/8)

Pitches: Fastball, changeup, curveball

2017 (MV): 2 games, 30.1 IP, 2-1, 2.08 ERA, 7 ER, 18 H, 13 BB, 51 K, 3 HR, 1.02 WHIP

Baseball Blood: Grandfather played baseball at Ohio University and great-uncle played baseball at the University of Minnesota.

High K – High ERA: Teaney posted ERA's above 5.00 each of his three seasons with USD (largely in relief), but also owned high strikeout numbers. He struck out 50 batters in 39 IP last year as a junior.

Second Draft: Was also drafted by the New York Mets in the 35th round in 2015.

#26 Kyle Nelson, LHP

Age: 21

Resides: San Francisco, CA

Acquired: 15th Round (2017) – UC Santa Barbara

Vs. LH: .154/.233/.256

vs. RH: .214/.273/.357

6'1" – 175 lbs

Home: .149/.200/.277

Last Outing:

Road: .226/.300/.355

Scoreless: 1.2 (Since 4/7)

Pitches: Fastball, changeup, slider

2017 (MV): 19 games, 29.0 IP, 3-2, 2.48 ERA, 8 ER, 21 H, 8 BB, 40 K, 3 HR, 1.00 WHIP

QB: Played quarterback at Galileo High School and led the Lions to a 12-1 record and a San Francisco Section championship. Nelson threw for 3,195 yards with 47 TD's and had 11 rushing TD's.

College Accolades: 2017 Preseason All-American (*Collegiate Baseball, Baseball America and NCBWA*), 2016 1st Team All-Big West

Back to the bullpen: Though he transitioned to a starter role with UCSB last year, he worked exclusively out of the bullpen with Mahoning Valley.

#37 Domingo Jimenez, RHP

Age: 24

Resides: San Cristobal, DR

Acquired: Signed as a NDFA in 2013

Vs. LH: .293/.431/.537

vs. RH: .234/.310/.297

6'3" – 175 lbs

Home: .284/.400/.418

Last Outing

Road: .211/.286/.342

Scoreless: 0.1 (Since 4/8)

Pitches: Fastball, slider, changeup

2017 (MV/LC): 19 games, 25.1 IP, 0-0, 6.75 ERA, 19 ER, 27 H, 20 BB, 20 K, 2 HR, 1.86 WHIP

Favorite Baseball Player: Felix Hernandez

Backslide: After posting a career-low 10.4% and striking out a career-high 27.4% in 2016, Jimenez had a career-low K% of 7.1 and a BB% of 14.3 in 2017.

#40 Tommy DeJuneas, RHP

Age: 22

Resides: Charlotte, NC

Acquired: 26th Round (2017) – North Carolina State

Vs. LH: .293/.431/.537

vs. RH: .234/.310/.297

6'1" – 175 lbs

Home: .284/.400/.418

Last Outing:

Road: .211/.286/.342

Scoreless: 0.1 (Since 4/10)

Pitches: Fastball, changeup, slider

2017 (AZL): 17 games, 26.0 IP, 0-3, 2.42 ERA, 7 ER, 27 H, 15 BB, 34 K, 2 HR, 1.62 WHIP

Wolfpack Draft: DeJuneas was one of eight NC State players selected in last year's MLB Draft, marking the most Wolfpack taken since 2008. The following players signed: SS Joe Dunand (2nd round, MIA), 3B Evan Mendoza (11th round, STL), Andy Cosgrove (17th round, MIN), LHP Cody Beckman (30th round, MIL) and RHP Tim Naughton (34th round, BAL).



CAPTAINS HISTORY & COACHING STAFF

INDIVIDUAL SINGLE-GAME RECORDS

Batting

| | | |
|------------------|---|--|
| Hits..... | 5 | Several, last Tyler Krieger (4/23/16 at LAN) |
| Runs..... | 4 | Several, last Jose Medina (4/15/17 at LAN) |
| RBI..... | 7 | Logan Ice (6/25/17 at DAY) |
| Home Runs..... | 3 | Several, last Junior Soto (6/17/17 at SB) |
| Doubles..... | 3 | Several, last Junior Soto (6/3/17 at SB) |
| Triples..... | 2 | Several, last Willi Castro (5/26/16 at DAY) |
| Walks..... | 6 | Francisco Lindor (6/14/12 vs. SB) |
| Strikeouts..... | 5 | 3x, last Paul Hendrix (6/27/14 at DAY) |
| Stolen Bases.... | 4 | Adam Davis (5/29/07 vs. HAG) |
| At-Bats..... | 8 | Several, last Jodd Carter (8/17/16 vs. WM) |

Pitching & Fielding

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|-------------------|----|--|
| Strikeouts..... | 13 | Adam Plutko (5/18/14 vs. BG) |
| Walks..... | 8 | 2x, last Trey Haley (8/27/10 at BG) |
| Home Runs..... | 4 | 2x, last Roberto Hernandez 8/5/12 vs. SB |
| Runs..... | 14 | 2x, last Juan Hillman (7/31/17 at WM) |
| Hits..... | 13 | Kyle Blair, 4/15/12 vs. BG |
| Hit Batters..... | 3 | Several, last Kyle Blair (5/24/11 at SB) |
| Wild Pitches..... | 5 | 2x, last Wander Beras 6/26/14 at BG |
| Errors..... | 4 | Dorssy Paulino (4/14/14 vs. PEO) |

TEAM SINGLE-GAME RECORDS

Batting

| | | |
|------------------|----|-------------------------|
| Hits | 22 | 6/6/05 vs. DEL |
| Runs | 19 | 8/17/09 vs. ROM |
| RBI..... | 18 | 2x, last 8/22/05 at GBO |
| Home Runs | 7 | 4/23/11 (G2) vs. BG |
| Doubles | 8 | 2x, last 4/15/11 at BG |
| Triples..... | 3 | 3x, last 5/28/16 vs. FW |
| Walks..... | 14 | 4x, last 6/14/12 vs. SB |
| Strikeouts..... | 21 | 4/30/09 at KAN |
| Stolen Bases.... | 7 | 2x, 5/19/13 vs. FW |
| At-Bats..... | 63 | 5/5/14 at WM |
| Left on Base ... | 31 | 5/31/16 vs. BG |

Pitching

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|-----------------|----|-----------------|
| Runs..... | 22 | 4/15/12 vs. BG |
| Hits | 25 | 6/11/17 vs. BG |
| Home Runs | 6 | 4/15/12 vs. BG |
| Strikeouts..... | 21 | 7/13/12 vs. WIS |
| Walks | 16 | 8/27/10 at BG |

Miscellaneous

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| Most Wins..... | 97 | 2003 |
| Most Losses..... | 86 | 2011 |
| Longest winning streak | 13 | 5/27-6/8/03 |
| Longest losing streak | 10 | 2x, last 4/10-4/19/12 |
| Longest game (time) | 4:57 | 5/5/14 vs. WM |
| Longest game (innings) | 18 | 5/5/14 vs. WM |

INDIVIDUAL SINGLE-SEASON RECORDS

Batting

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|-------------------------|------|-------------------------|
| Batting Average..... | .330 | Kevin Kouzmanoff (2004) |
| Slugging Percentage.... | .544 | Jesus Aguilar (2011) |
| On Base Percentage.... | .413 | Logan Vick (2013) |
| Runs..... | 95 | Adam Davis (2007) |
| Hits | 156 | Kevin Kouzmanoff (2004) |
| RBI..... | 104 | Ryan Goleski (2004) |
| Home Runs | 29 | Emmanuel Tapia (2017) |
| Doubles | 35 | Matt McBride (2007) |
| Triples..... | 12 | Donnie Webb (2009) |
| Walks..... | 82 | Nick Weglarz (2007) |
| Stolen Bases..... | 71 | Delvi Cid |
| At-Bats..... | 518 | Willi Castro (2016) |

Pitching

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|------------------------|-------|---------------------------------|
| Wins..... | 17 | Fausto Carmona (2003) |
| Saves | 26 | M. Davis ('06) & S. Smith ('09) |
| Shutouts | 1 | Several |
| Complete Games | 3 | Keith Ramsey (2003) |
| Strikeouts | 146 | Luis Lugo (2014) |
| Walks..... | 101 | Brady Aiken (2017) |
| ERA (min. 65 IP) | 1.37 | Shea Douglas (2003) |
| Average Against..... | .154 | Tom Cowley (2006) |
| Innings Pitched..... | 167.2 | James Deters (2006) |
| Games | 56 | Luis Perdomo (2007) |
| Games Started | 28 | James Deters (2006) |

Lake County Captains Managerial History:

2018: Luke Carlin (4-2, 1st season)

2017: Larry Day- (54-85, 1 Season) Currently: Manages the Arizona League Indians 1 (Rookie Level of CLE)

2016: Tony Mansolino- (72-68, 1 Season) Currently: Manages the Akron RubberDucks (Double A of CLE)

2015: Shaun Larkin- (71-66, 1 Season) Currently: Dodgers Coordinator of Skill Development

2014: Mark Budzinski- (65-74, 1 Season) Currently: Coach with the Cleveland Indians

2013: Scooter Tucker – (54-83, 1 season) Currently: Not in professional baseball in 2018

2012: David Wallace (71-68, 1 season) Currently: Indians Special Assignment Coach

2010-2011: Ted Kubiak (130-148, 2 Seasons) Currently: Not in baseball in 2017

2008-2009: Aaron Holbert (146-131, 2 seasons) Currently: Not in baseball in 2017

2007: Chris Tremie (64-74, 1 season) Currently: Manages the Columbus Clippers (AAA of CLE)

2006: Lee May (64-74, 1 season) Currently: Hitting Coach for the Portland Sea Dogs (Double A of BOS)

2005: Mike Sarbaugh (72-66, 1 season) Currently: Third Base Coach for the Cleveland Indians

2003-2004: Luis Rivera (170-109, 2 seasons)*** Rivera is the All-Time Captains Wins Leader. His #2 is the only number retired by the Captains. Currently: Third Base Coach for the Toronto Blue Jays***

LAKE COUNTY CAPTAINS All-Time Records:

16 Seasons (including 2018): (1,037-1,048) .497 Win % in 16 Seasons in Eastlake

2018: (4-2) .667 Win %

South Atlantic League: 2003-2009 (516-454), .531 Win %

Midwest League: 2010-Present (521-594) .466 Win %

MANAGER: Luke Carlin – 1st season in Lake County

Luke Carlin, 38, becomes the Captains' 13th field manager. Carlin spent last season in Short-Season as the manager of the Mahoning Valley Scrappers. Before Mahoning Valley, Carlin began his coaching career as the hitting coach for the Double-A Akron RubberDucks in 2016. Carlin was drafted by the Detroit Tigers in the 10th round of the 2002 Amateur Draft. Carlin made his Major League debut with the San Diego Padres in 2008 and played for the Arizona Diamondbacks in 2009. The catcher joined the Cleveland Indians in 2010 and played in 10 Major League games with the Tribe from 2010 to 2012. Carlin was also part of back-to-back Triple-A National Championship teams with the Columbus Clippers under the direction of Indians' current Third Base Coach Mike Sarbaugh. In his playing career, Carlin played for three men who are current Major League managers: Rick Renteria (Chicago White Sox), Bud Black (Colorado Rockies) and A.J. Hinch (Houston Astros).

PITCHING COACH: Joe Torres – 1st season in Lake County

Joe Torres, 35, becomes the Captains' pitching coach after holding the same position last year in the Arizona League with the AZL Indians. This is Torres' second year in the Indians' organization. The left-handed pitcher was drafted in the first round (10th overall) by the Anaheim Angels in the 2000 Amateur Draft. Torres played for 13 seasons, reaching as high as Triple-A. Prior to joining the Indians, Torres coached at King's Ridge Christian Academy in Georgia.

HITTING COACH: Pete Lauritson – 1st Season in Lake County

Pete Lauritson, 39, will serve as the Captains' hitting coach after making his professional coaching debut last year as the hitting coach for the Short-Season Mahoning Valley Scrappers. In 2016, Lauritson served as an Assistant Coach at his alma mater, the University of Iowa. Prior to that, he spent 13 seasons on the coaching staff for North Iowa Area Community College, where he helped the Trojans to three appearances in the NJCAA Division II College World Series. Lauritson graduated from the University of Iowa in 2002 with a degree in psychology.

BENCH COACH: Kyle Hudson – 1st Season in Lake County

Kyle Hudson, 31, joins the Captains after making his professional debut last year as the bench coach for the High-A Lynchburg Hillcats. Prior to joining the Indians, Hudson served as an Assistant Coach for his alma mater, the University of Illinois. At Illinois, Hudson was a three-year letter winner in both baseball and football. He was drafted by the Baltimore Orioles in the fourth round of the 2008 Amateur Draft. Hudson made his Major League debut with Baltimore in 2011 and played 14 games in the big leagues. The outfielder played eight professional seasons with the Orioles, Rangers, Rays, Phillies and Angels' organizations. Hudson lives two doors down from Indians pitcher Zach McAllister in Peoria, IL.

**CAPTAINS BREAKDOWN**

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|--|-------------------|
| Overall | 4-2 |
| Last 5 | 3-2 |
| Last 10 | 4-2 |
| Longest Winning Streak | 4 |
| Longest Losing Streak | 2 |
| 1 st Half MWL East Standing | T-2 nd |
| 2 nd Half MWL East Standing | |
| Day | |
| Night | 4-2 |
| vs. RH Starter | 1-1 |
| vs. LH Starter | 3-1 |
| When leading after 6 | 2-0 |
| When tied After 6 | 0-1 |
| When trailing After 6 | 2-1 |
| When leading After 7 | 3-0 |
| When tied After 7 | 0-1 |
| When trailing After 7 | 1-1 |
| When leading After 8 | 2-0 |
| When tied After 8 | 0-1 |
| When trailing After 8 | 1-2 |
| Captains score first | 2-2 |
| Opponent scores first | 2-0 |
| Shutouts | |
| Score 0-2 runs | 0-2 |
| Score 3-4 runs | 1-0 |
| Score 5+ runs | 3-0 |
| Captains hit HR | 1-0 |
| Captains hit 0 HR | 3-2 |
| Opponent hits HR | 1-1 |
| Opponent hits 0 HR | 3-1 |
| When committing 0 errors | 2-0 |
| When committing 1+ errors | 2-2 |
| Captains steal a base | 3-1 |
| Captains don't steal | 1-1 |
| 1-Run games | 1-1 |
| 2-Run games | 1-0 |
| Extra innings | |
| Doubleheader W-L-T | |
| Series W-L-T | 1-0-0 |
| Series Sweeps | 1 |
| Come-From-Behind Wins | 2 |
| Innings batted around | 1 |
| Walk-offs | 1 |
| Sunday | 1-0 |
| Monday | 0-1 |
| Tuesday | 0-1 |
| Wednesday | |
| Thursday | 1-0 |
| Friday | 1-0 |
| Saturday | 1-0 |

IN THE SYSTEM**MLB - Cleveland (AL)**

6-5 • T-1st AL Central • 0.0 GB
Yesterday: W, 2-1 vs. Detroit
Today: vs. Detroit (6:10 p.m.)

AAA - Columbus (IL)

2-3 • T-2nd IL West • 2.0 GB
Yesterday: L, 7-1 at Louisville
Today: at Louisville (6:30 p.m.)

AA - Akron (EAS)

3-3 • T-4th EL Western • 1.5 GB
Yesterday: W, 5-1 at Binghamton
Today: at Binghamton (6:35 p.m.)

A+ - Lynchburg (CL)

2-4 • T-4th CL Northern • 3.0 GB
Yesterday: L, 4-0 vs. Buies Creek
Today: vs. Buies Creek (6:30 p.m.)

SS - Mahoning Valley (NYPL)

0-0 • 1st NYPL Pinckney • 0.0 GB
Yesterday: No Game
Today: First game 6/15 vs. West Virginia

2018 HIGHS & LOWS**Team Batting**

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|-------------------|--------------------------|
| Runs, Game | 12 (4/8 at FW) |
| Runs, Inning | 6 (4/8 at FW) |
| Most Hits, Game | 15 (4/8 at FW) |
| Fewest Hits, Game | 2 (4/5 vs. FW) |
| Doubles | 6 (4/6 vs. FW) |
| Triples | 1 (4/10 at DAY) |
| Home Runs | 2 (4/8 at FW) |
| Stolen Bases | 2 (4/8 at FW) |
| Strikeouts | 13 (2x, last 4/9 at DAY) |
| Walks | 10 (4/6 vs. FW) |
| Left On Base | 27 (4/6 vs. FW) |

Individual Batting

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|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| Runs, Game | 3 (2x) |
| Most Hits, Game | 3 (3x) |
| Most RBI, Game | 4 – Clement (4/8 at FW) |
| Most Doubles, Game | 3 – Friis (4/6 vs. FW) |
| Most Triples, Game | 1 – Clement (4/10 at DAY) |
| Most Home Runs, Game | 1 (2x) |
| Most Extra-Base Hits, Game | 3 – Friis (4/6 vs. FW) |
| Most Steals, Game | 1 – (5x) |
| Most Walks, Game | 3 – Friis (4/7 at FW) |
| Most HBP, Game | 1 (6x) |
| Most Times On Base, Game | 4 – (6x) |
| Most Strikeouts, Game | 3 (4x) |

Team Pitching

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|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| Most Runs Allowed, Game | 8 (4/6 vs. FW) |
| Most Runs Allowed, Inning | 3 (2x, last 4/6 vs. FW) |
| Most Hits Allowed, Game | 12 (4/6 vs. FW) |
| Fewest Hits Allowed, Game | 5 (4/8 at FW) |
| Most HR Allowed, Game | 1 (2x) |
| Most Strikeouts, Game | 15 (4/10 at DAY) |
| Most Walks, Game | 5 (4/6 vs. FW) |
| Most Errors, Game | 4 (2x, last 4/6 vs. FW) |
| Most SB Allowed, Game | 2 (4/6 vs. FW) |
| Largest Blown Lead, Game | 2 runs (4/9 at DAY) |

Individual Pitching/Defense

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| Most Innings, Game | 6 – Morgan (2x) |
| Most Runs, Game | 6 – Hillman (4/6 vs. FW) |
| Most Hits, Game | 8 – Hillman (4/6 vs. FW) |
| Most Home Runs, Game | 1 – (2x) |
| Most Strikeouts, Game | 9 – Morgan (4/10 at DAY) |
| Most Walks, Game | 3 – McCarty (4/7 at FW) |
| Most Errors, Game | 2 – Jones (4/6 vs. FW) |

Game Times/Attendance

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|-----------------------------------|--------------------|
| Longest Game, Innings | 9 (5x) |
| Longest Game Time, Extra Innings | |
| Longest Game Time, 9 Innings | 4:14 (4/6 vs. FW) |
| Longest Game Time, 7 Innings | 2:35 (4/8 at FW) |
| Shortest Game Time, Extra Innings | |
| Shortest Game Time, 9 Innings | 2:23 (4/10 at DAY) |
| Shortest Game Time, 7 Innings | 2:35 (4/8 at FW) |
| Largest Home Crowd | 5,641 (4/5 vs. FW) |
| Largest Road Crowd | 7,452 (4/9 at DAY) |

Ejections**LAST TIME IT HAPPENED****Batting**

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| Win on a Walk-off | 4/5/18 vs. FW: Jorma Rodriguez single |
| Win on a Walk-off HR | 6/9/17 vs. BG: Isaacs |
| Grand Slam | 7/1/17 vs. BG: Pantoja |
| Inside-the-Park HR | 8/8/16 vs. DAY: Sam Haggerty |
| Hit for the Cycle | Never |
| HR to lead off game | 8/25/17 at SB: Luke Wakamatsu |
| Back-to-back HR | 6/29/17 vs. GL: Tapia, Capel |
| 2-HR game | 8/6/17 vs. WM: Conner Capel |
| 3-HR game | 6/7/17 at SB: Junior Soto |
| 4-HR game | Never |
| 4-hit game | 8/2/17 vs. SB: Alexis Pantoja |
| 5-hit game | 8/17/16 vs. WM: Bobby Ison |
| 3+ steal game | 4/14/17 at LAN: Todd Isaacs (3) |

Pitching/Defense

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| Team No-Hitter (9 IP) | 4/11/11 vs. DAY: Haley, Jimenez, Ehler |
| Team-No-Hitter (7 IP) | 7/3/07 at DEL: Rondon, Wagner |
| CG No-Hitter (9 IP) | Never |
| CG No-Hitter (7 IP) | Never |
| CG (7 IP) | 7/1/17 vs. BG: Tanner Tully |
| CG (9 IP) | 7/24/10 vs. PEO: Brett Brach |
| CG SHO (7 IP) | 4/5/14 vs. LAN: Jordan Milbrath |
| CG SHO (9 IP) | 7/24/10 vs. PEO: Brett Brach |
| 10+ K game | 6/13/17 vs. FW: Luis Jimenez (11) |
| Turn Triple Play | Never |

Miscellaneous

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| 7+ game win streak | 5/7-5/14/15 (7 games) |
| 7+ game losing streak | 5/19-5/28/17 (8 games) |
| 15+ runs, game | 6/25/17 at DAY (W, 15-6) |
| 20+ hits, game | 6/8/16 vs. LAN (W, 14-12) |
| Back-to-back shutout wins | 4/17-4/18/17 vs. BG |
| Back-to-back shutout losses | 4/25-4/26/17 at GL |
| Sweep home series | 4/5-4/6/18 vs. FW (2 games) |
| Swept in home series | 8/2-8/4/17 vs. SB (3 games) |
| Sweep road series | 4/7-4/8/18 at FW (2 games) |
| Swept in road series | 8/14-8/17/17 at BG (4 games) |
| 9 innings in under 2 hrs. | 6/18/16 at SB (1:54) |
| Play game in over 4 hrs | 4/6/18 vs. FW (4:14 – 9 innings) |

Postponed/Suspended/Cancelled

4/6 vs. FW – SUSP (Snow)

Delays

| CAPTAINS SEASON RECORDS | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|-----|------|------|--------|-----------|-------|---|---|-------|-----|
| April | May | June | July | August | September | Total | W | L | W-L-T | GB |
| Overall | 4-2 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 4-2 | 4 | 2 | 4-2 | 0.0 |
| 1 st Half | 4-2 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 4-2 | 4 | 2 | 4-2 | 0.0 |
| 2 nd Half | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0.0 |
| Home | 2-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 2-0 | 0.0 |
| Road | 2-2 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 2 | 2-2 | 0.0 |

| SCORE BY INNING | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|-----|-------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10+ | Total |
| Captains | 4 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 37 |
| Opponents | 3 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 21 |



2018 REGULAR SEASON DAY-BY-DAY



2018 REGULAR SEASON DAY-BY-DAY

| Date | Opponent | Result | Record | Pos. | GA/GB | WINNING PITCHER | LOSING PITCHER | SAVE | TIME | ATT. |
|-------------|----------------------|--------|--------|------|-------|-----------------|----------------|------|------|------|
| 6/21 | at Bowling Green | | | | | | | | | |
| 6/22 | at Bowling Green | | | | | | | | | |
| 6/23 | at Bowling Green | | | | | | | | | |
| 6/24 | at Bowling Green | | | | | | | | | |
| 6/25 | at Lansing | | | | | | | | | |
| 6/26 | at Lansing | | | | | | | | | |
| 6/27 | at Lansing | | | | | | | | | |
| 6/28 | FORT WAYNE | | | | | | | | | |
| 6/29 | FORT WAYNE | | | | | | | | | |
| 6/30 | FORT WAYNE | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/1 | FORT WAYNE | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/2 | DAYTON | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/3 | DAYTON | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/4 | at Dayton | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/5 | at Dayton | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/6 | WEST MICHIGAN | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/7 | WEST MICHIGAN | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/8 | WEST MICHIGAN | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/9 | WEST MICHIGAN | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/10 | OFF DAY | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/11 | at Peoria | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/12 | at Peoria | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/13 | at Peoria | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/14 | at Cedar Rapids | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/15 | at Cedar Rapids | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/16 | at Cedar Rapids | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/17 | OFF DAY | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/18 | CLINTON | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/19 | CLINTON | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/20 | CLINTON | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/21 | BURLINGTON | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/22 | BURLINGTON | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/23 | BURLINGTON | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/24 | OFF DAY | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/25 | at West Michigan | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/26 | at West Michigan | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/27 | at West Michigan | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/28 | GREAT LAKES | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/29 | GREAT LAKES | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/30 | GREAT LAKES | | | | | | | | | |
| 7/31 | GREAT LAKES | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/1 | BOWLING GREEN | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/2 | BOWLING GREEN | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/3 | BOWLING GREEN | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/4 | at Great Lakes | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/5 | at Great Lakes | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/6 | at Great Lakes | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/7 | OFF DAY | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/8 | FORT WAYNE | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/9 | FORT WAYNE | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/10 | FORT WAYNE | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/11 | at South Bend | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/12 | at South Bend | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/13 | at South Bend | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/14 | at South Bend | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/15 | at Dayton | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/16 | at Dayton | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/17 | at Dayton | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/18 | WEST MICHIGAN | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/19 | WEST MICHIGAN | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/20 | WEST MICHIGAN | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/21 | SOUTH BEND | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/22 | SOUTH BEND | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/23 | SOUTH BEND | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/24 | at Bowling Green | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/25 | at Bowling Green | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/26 | at Bowling Green | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/27 | at Bowling Green | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/28 | OFF DAY | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/29 | at Fort Wayne | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/30 | at Fort Wayne | | | | | | | | | |
| 8/31 | at Fort Wayne | | | | | | | | | |
| 9/1 | LANSING | | | | | | | | | |
| 9/2 | LANSING | | | | | | | | | |
| 9/3 | LANSING | | | | | | | | | |

END OF REGULAR SEASON



2018 TRANSACTIONS

- 4/2 – Captains Announce 2018 Opening Day Roster
- 4/2 – Placed INF **Jonathan Laureano** on the Disabled List
- 4/7 – Placed 3B **Nolan Jones** on the Disabled List
- 4/9 – INF **Dillon Persinger** transferred to Lake County from extended spring training