



# Dragons GameDay

Tuesday, April 10, 2018 • Game # 6  
Fifth Third Field • Dayton, Ohio • 7:00 p.m.  
Radio: Fox Sports 980 WONE

## Lake County Captains (4-1) at Dayton Dragons (2-3)

RH Eli Morgan (0-0, 0.00) vs. LH Packy Naughton (0-0, 3.60)

**Today's Game:** The Dayton Dragons (affiliate of the Cincinnati Reds) meet the Lake County Captains (affiliate of the Cleveland Indians) in the second game of a four-game series. The Dragons have won their last two games after dropping their first three.

**Last night:** Monday: Dayton 3, Lake County 2. On a night that will be remembered for the Full-Season debut of Reds 2017 first round draft pick Hunter Greene, the Dragons erased an early 2-0 deficit to win the series opener. Greene struck out eight batters over three innings while allowing five hits and two runs, throwing the first three pitches of his season at 100 mph. Austin Orewiler tossed four shutout innings of relief to earn the win.

- The Dragons have held a lead in four of their five games.
- The Dragons are tied for the league lead in stolen bases with nine. Miles Gordon leads the team with four, tied for second in the MWL.
- The Dragons team batting average of .242 is one point better than the current league average of .241.
- Dragons pitchers have allowed just two runs in each of the last two games after giving up 24 in the first three. Dragons relievers have not allowed a run in the last two games covering 9.2 innings.
- Two members of last season's Dragons playoff roster return for 2018. They are infielders **John Sansone** and **Hector Vargas**. Sansone finished tied for second on the Dragons in home runs in 2017 with 13. Vargas finished third on the Dragons in games started in 2017 with 120 (trailing only Taylor Trammell and Jose Siri). Sansone was fifth in games start with 105.
- Four players who played for the Dragons in 2016 and spent the 2017 season at Advanced-A Daytona return to Dayton in 2018. They include outfielder **Narciso Crook** (who also played for the Dragons in 2015), starting pitcher **Wendolyn Bautista**, and relief pitchers **Sarkis Ohanian** and **Austin Orewiler**. A total of eight 2018 Dragons have previously played for the Dayton club (also RHP **Cory Thompson** and C **Morgan Lofstrom**). Crook led the Dragons in home runs in 2015 and Ohanian led the team in saves in 2016.
- Six members of the Dragons are rated among the Reds top 30 prospects (*Baseball America*). They are RHP **Hunter Greene** (#2); INF **Jeter Downs** (#11); INF **Jose Garcia** (#12); OF **Stuart Fairchild** (#16); OF **Miles Gordon** (#26), and LHP **Packy Naughton** (#28).
- RHP **Hunter Greene** is one of 16 first round draft picks to play for the Dragons. He was the second overall pick in the 2017 draft out of Notre Dame High School in the Los Angeles suburb of Sherman Oaks, California. Greene and 2016 Dragon Nick Senzel (the second pick in the 2016 draft) are tied as the highest drafted players to play for the Dragons. In fact, Greene and Senzel as tied with 1983 Reds first rounder Kurt Stillwell as the earliest draft picks in Reds history (the Reds have never had the first overall pick). Greene attended the same high school as Yankees slugger Giancarlo Stanton as well as former MLB players Tim Lincecum and Jack McDowell, numerous NFL football players, and actor Jerry Mathers (Leave it to Beaver).
- OF **Stuart Fairchild** was a 2017 NCAA First Team All-American at Wake Forest, when he batted .360 with 17 HR and 21 SB, leading the ACC in hits and total bases. Fairchild was also one of three outfielders in the nation selected to the ABCA/Rawlings Gold Glove team. Following his first season of professional baseball, Fairchild was named by Baseball America as the "Best Defensive Outfielder" in the Reds organization.
- The Dragons roster includes three outfielders who hit for a batting average of at least .300 with at least 200 at-bats at Billings in 2017, the team one level below the Dragons in the farm system. They include **Andy Sugilio** (.345), **Miles Gordon** (.319) and **Stuart Fairchild** (.304). Catchers **Mark Kolozsvary** (.305) and **Hendrik Clementina** (.303) also topped the .300 mark with less than 200 at-bats. The Dragons roster also includes the Billings leader in home runs and RBI in 2017, 3B **Leandro Santana**.
- Dragons catcher **Mark Kolozsvary** was a member of the 2017 NCAA national championship team at the University of Florida. Five other Dragons players also played in the 64-team 2017 tournament, including OF **Stuart Fairchild** (Wake Forest—lost to Florida in the Super Regional); RHP **Connor Ryan** (Illinois-Chicago); RHP **Tyler Buffett** (Oklahoma State); RHP **Ryan Nutof** (Michigan); RHP **Mac Sceroler** (Southeastern Louisiana). INF **John Sansone** (Florida State) and RHP **Austin Orewiler** (Rice) played in the tournament in previous years.
- The Dragons roster includes six players drafted within the first five rounds of the 40-round amateur draft, including **Hunter Greene**, #1 (2nd overall, 2017); INF **Jeter Downs**, #S1, 2017; **Stuart Fairchild**, #2, 2017; **Miles Gordon**, #4, 2015; **Cory Thompson**, #5, 2013; **Mac Sceroler**, #5, 2017.
- The Dragons 2018 roster includes one of the most prolific middle infield combinations in team history. **Jeter Downs** was the 32nd pick of the 2017 draft and a high school All-American. **Jose Garcia** was one of the top international signings in baseball last summer, the fifth high-profile Cuban star to join the Reds organization (following such players as Aroldis Chapman and Rangel Ibanez).
- The Dragons roster includes 10 players from NCAA Division I programs, one player from an NCAA Division III school, one player from a junior college program, seven players signed out of high school, six players originally signed as international free agents, and one player acquired in a trade.

### First Round Draft Picks with the Dragons

Austin Kearns  
Ty Howington  
David Espinosa  
Chris Gruler  
Homer Bailey  
Jay Bruce  
Drew Stubbs  
Devin Mesoraco  
Robert Stephenson  
Nick Travieso  
Phillip Ervin  
Nick Howard  
Alex Blandino  
Tyler Stephenson  
Nick Senzel  
Hunter Greene

### Upcoming Probable Pitchers (Game times are Dayton time) (All games on WONE 980 AM and [www.daytondragons.com](http://www.daytondragons.com))

Wednesday, April 11 (7:00 p.m.): Lake County LH Juan Hillman (0-0, 9.00) at Dayton RH Mac Sceroler (0-1, 11.25)

Thursday, April 12 (7:00 p.m.): Lake County LH Kirk McCarty (0-0, 6.23) at Dayton RH Tyler Mondile (0-1, 4.15)

Friday, April 13 (6:05 p.m.): Dayton RH Wendolyn Bautista (0-0, 3.38) at Great Lakes TBA

Saturday, April 14 (2:05 p.m.): Dayton RH Hunter Green (0-0, 6.00) at Great Lakes TBA

Sunday, April 15 (2:05 p.m.): Dayton LH Packy Naughton at Great Lakes TBA

# TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER



## PACKY NAUGHTON

Height: 6-1  
Weight: 190

Bats: R  
Throws: L

Birthdate: April 16, 1996  
College: Virginia Tech

Acquired: Reds 9<sup>th</sup>, 2017  
Resides: West Roxbury, MA

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.  
Reds Prospect Ranking Lists: Baseball America: #28.

**Notes:** Given name is Patrick Joseph Naughton...Had impressive debut season in Reds organization in 2017 at Billings, finishing with 3.15 ERA in hitter-friendly Pioneer League (league average ERA was 5.63)...Over final five starts, allowed just two earned runs in 25 innings...Spent three seasons at Virginia Tech from 2015-17, posting a career record of 7-14 with a 6.13 ERA in 52 appearances including 26 starts...As a junior in 2017, went 2-6, 6.24 in 17 games (seven starts)...In 2015, became just the third Virginia Tech true freshman ever to earn a win as a starter in an ACC game when he beat Duke...Set school record for consecutive batters retired (22) in 2015...Native of Boston...Played high school baseball at Boston Latin School, the first public school in America (established in 1635), with alumni that include Samuel Adams as well as several U.S. Senators, Congressmen, and signers of the Declaration of Independence and U.S. Constitution (Benjamin Franklin attended the school for two years but did not graduate).

### Career Pitching Statistics

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	W	L	PCT	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	SVO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	WP	BK
2017	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	3	3	.500	3.15	14	12	0	0	0	0	60.0	58	24	21	5	1	20	0	63	2	0
<b>Minor League Totals</b>					<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>.500</b>	<b>3.15</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>60.0</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>

### 2018, Dayton (Midwest League)

DATE	OPP	W-L-SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	PITCHES	NOTE
April 5	at BG	ND	5.0	6	2	2	3	4	1	87-54	Left leading 3-2, mid 6th. Dayton lost 5-4.

### 2017, Billings (Pioneer League)

DATE	G#	OPP	H/R	DEC	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SVO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	BK	WP	GO/AO	GIDP	AVG	AB	TBF	NP-S
06/28/2017	1	MIS	R		6.75	1					1.1	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2.00	0	.333	6	7	33-18
07/03/2017	1	GTF	H		3.38	1	1				4.0	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	2.00	1	.286	15	15	61-44
07/08/2017	1	GTF	R	L	4.82	1	1				4.0	4	3	3	1	0	2	0	6	0	0	1.14	0	.270	16	18	74-48
07/14/2017	1	GJ	H	W	2.93	1	1				6.0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	6	0	0	1.50	0	.218	18	19	82-56
07/20/2017	1	GJ	R		4.43	1	1				5.0	5	5	5	0	0	2	0	5	0	0	1.19	0	.230	19	22	89-52
07/25/2017	1	ORM	R		4.26	1	1				5.0	6	2	2	0	0	2	0	5	0	0	0.96	0	.242	21	23	89-57
07/29/2017	1	GTF	H	L	5.19	1					0.2	3	3	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1.04	0	.260	5	6	27-14
08/07/2017	1	IDF	H	L	4.94	1	1				5.0	4	2	2	1	0	1	0	4	0	1	1.04	0	.254	18	19	81-53
08/13/2017	1	OGD	R		4.89	1	1				4.0	5	2	2	2	0	2	0	6	0	0	1.14	0	.261	16	18	83-55
08/18/2017	1	MIS	H	W	4.28	1	1				5.0	3	0	0	0	1	2	0	4	0	1	1.25	1	.252	17	20	76-49
08/23/2017	1	GTF	R		4.20	1	1				5.0	7	2	2	1	0	2	0	5	0	0	1.34	1	.262	21	24	N/A
08/28/2017	1	HEL	H	W	3.78	1	1				5.0	4	1	0	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	1.42	1	.258	18	20	72-46
09/02/2017	1	HEL	R		3.38	1	1				6.0	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	6	0	0	1.48	0	.250	22	23	78-52
09/07/2017	1	HEL	H		3.15	1	1				4.0	5	2	0	0	0	2	0	5	0	0	1.50	0	.256	15	18	74-46
<b>W-L-S ERA G GS CG SHO SVO IP H R ER HR HB BB IBB SO BK WP GO/AO GIDP AVG AB TBF</b>																											
<b>Total</b>					<b>3-3-0</b>	<b>3.15</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>12</b>			<b>60.0</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1.50</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>.256</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>252</b>	

### Dragons Starting Pitching Rotation (in order of use)

**Packy Naughton (LHP):** Reds 2017 9th round draft pick, Virginia Tech...2017 at Billings: 3-3, 3.15, 14 G 12 GS.  
**Mac Sceroler (RHP):** Reds 2017 5th round pick, Southeastern Louisiana University...2017 at Billings: 0-4, 3.26, 12 G, 9 GS.  
**Tyler Mondile (RHP):** Reds 2016 6th round draft pick, Gloucester Catholic High School (NJ)...2017 at Billings: 4-4, 4.35, 15 G, 12 GS.  
**Wendolyn Bautista (RHP):** International Free Agent, 2012, Dominican Republic...2017 at Daytona: 2-8, 4.49, 19 G, 19 GS.  
**Hunter Greene (RHP):** Reds #2 prospect...Reds 2017 1st round pick (2nd overall), Notre Dame High School, Sherman Oaks, CA...2017: at Billings: 0-1, 12.46, 3 G, 3 GS.

## DRAGONS BATTERS RECENT STREAKS/NOTES

	LC Series Monday-Thursday										BG Series Saturday-Sunday									Hot/Cold	
	H	AB	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO		H	AB	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO				
Clementina	DNP									1	4	1	0	0	0	0	1	Hitting .429 after first 2 G			
Crook	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	0		0	6	0	0	0	0	2	3	1-10; first hit last night			
Downs	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0		4	9	1	0	0	1	1	2	First hitless G last night			
Fairchild	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	6	0	0	0	1	2	3	First hitless G last night			
Garcia	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	1		0	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	2-4 last night after 1-16 start			
Gordon	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	0		2	9	1	1	0	0	1	3	4 stolen bases leads team			
Kolozsvary	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	2		0	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	1-10; first hit last night			
Lofstrom	DNP									2	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	First G Sun.; drove in tie-breaking R			
Marshall	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	3		1	7	0	0	0	1	1	2	Joined team Saturday			
Sansone	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	2		2	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	Has four starts in first 5 G			
Santana	DNP									0	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	3 for 10 (.300) after 3 games			
Sugilio	DL									DL								On DL (strained hamstring)			
Vargas	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	1		0	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	2 hits last night after 1-12 start			
Team	9	31	0	0	0	1	3	10		14	65	4	1	0	5	10	17				
	.290									.215											

Key: In the Hot/Cold column, L = Last. LN = Last Night. # GHS = x-game hitting streak. XBH = Extra Base Hits.  
Currently Active Hitting Streaks of 5 Games or More:

## BULLPEN BREAKDOWN (listed with last 3 appearances)

Luis Alecis, RHP	<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Dec.</u>	<u>IP</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>ER</u>	<u>BB</u>	<u>SO</u>	<u>Pitches</u>	<u>Days Off</u>
	Fri., 4/6	at Bowling Green	ND	0.1	3	3	3	1	1	19	
	Sat., 4/7	Bowling Green	ND	1	2	4	4	2	0	32	2
Tyler Buffett, RHP	<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Dec.</u>	<u>IP</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>ER</u>	<u>BB</u>	<u>SO</u>	<u>Pitches</u>	<u>Days Off</u>
	Thu., 4/5	at Bowling Green	ND, BSv	2.2	2	2	0	1	4	41	
	Mon., 4/9	Lake County	ND	1	1	0	0	0	1	20	0
John Ghyzel, RHP	<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Dec.</u>	<u>IP</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>ER</u>	<u>BB</u>	<u>SO</u>	<u>Pitches</u>	<u>Days Off</u>
	Fri., 4/6	at Bowling Green	ND	1	0	0	0	1	3	18	
	Sun., 4/8	Bowling Green	Sv	1	0	0	0	1	2	24	1
Ryan Nutof, RHP	<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Dec.</u>	<u>IP</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>ER</u>	<u>BB</u>	<u>SO</u>	<u>Pitches</u>	<u>Days Off</u>
	Fri., 4/6	at Bowling Green	ND	2	2	0	0	0	5	32	
	Sun., 4/8	Bowling Green	ND	1.2	0	0	0	0	1	15	1
Sarkis Ohanian, RHP	<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Dec.</u>	<u>IP</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>ER</u>	<u>BB</u>	<u>SO</u>	<u>Pitches</u>	<u>Days Off</u>
	Sat., 4/7	Bowling Green	ND	2	2	4	3	2	4	38	
	Mon., 4/9	Lake County	Sv	1	0	0	0	0	3	14	0
Austin Orewiler, RHP	<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Dec.</u>	<u>IP</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>ER</u>	<u>BB</u>	<u>SO</u>	<u>Pitches</u>	<u>Days Off</u>
	Thu., 4/5	at Bowling Green	L	1	1	1	0	1	1	22	
	Mon., 4/9	Lake County	W	4	1	0	0	2	1	62	0
Connor Ryan, RHP	<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Dec.</u>	<u>IP</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>ER</u>	<u>BB</u>	<u>SO</u>	<u>Pitches</u>	<u>Days Off</u>
	Sat., 4/7	Bowling Green	ND	1.2	0	0	0	3	2	39	1
Cory Thompson, RHP	<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Dec.</u>	<u>IP</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>ER</u>	<u>BB</u>	<u>SO</u>	<u>Pitches</u>	<u>Days Off</u>
	Fri., 4/6	at Bowling Green	ND	0.1	0	0	0	0	1	9	
	Sun., 4/8	Bowling Green	W	1	2	0	0	0	0	14	0

## Batter Bios and Career Stats

### Hendrik Clementina

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.

**Notes:** Acquired by Reds from Dodgers along with OF Scott Van Slyke in exchange for LHP Tony Cingrani, July 31, 2017...Selected as one of two catchers on 2017 Pioneer League post-season all-star team...Began 2017 season with Ogden in Dodgers organization and batted .370 with .993 OPS in 24 games...Remained in same league after being acquired by Reds and was assigned to Billings, where he batted .240 over 27 games to finish the year at .303 with six home runs and 35 RBI in 51 games...Native of Curacao, which produced former Dragons shortstops Didi Gregorius and Calten Daal.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2014	DSL Dodgers	DSL	rok	LAD	.275	49	182	22	50	11	1	2	18	6	1	32	3	3	.314	.379	.693
2015	AZL Dodgers	AZL	rok	LAD	.284	26	81	12	23	5	0	0	10	7	0	22	1	1	.348	.346	.694
2016	AZL Dodgers	AZL	rok	LAD	.217	44	157	22	34	4	1	6	23	14	0	42	2	0	.286	.369	.655
2017	Ogden Raptors	PIO	rok	LAD	.370	24	92	17	34	5	0	4	25	10	0	16	0	0	.439	.554	.993
2017	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	.240	27	96	13	23	6	0	2	10	7	0	25	0	0	.302	.365	.667
Minor League Totals					.270	170	608	86	164	31	2	14	86	44	1	137	6	4	.329	.396	.726

### Narciso Crook

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.

**Notes:** Returns to Dragons after spending all of 2015 and part of 2016 in Dayton...Has been limited to combined 59 games over last two seasons due to injuries...Born in the Dominican Republic but moved to Trenton, New Jersey as an 11-year-old...Following high school, enrolled at **Gloucester Community College** and led team to 49-3 record and the 2013 National Junior College World Series title...As junior college freshman in 2013, belted four home runs in one game...Was rated by *Baseball America* as #28 overall prospect in the Reds organization entering 2016 season...Step-father, Alvis Darby, played football in the NFL.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2014	AZL Reds	AZL	rok	CIN	.255	42	149	27	38	9	2	4	20	13	1	45	12	1	.313	.423	.736
2015	Dayton Dragons	MID	afx	CIN	.236	105	381	42	90	19	5	9	47	15	0	103	13	3	.270	.383	.653
2016	Dayton Dragons	MID	afx	CIN	.244	23	82	12	20	4	0	3	7	6	0	23	2	1	.311	.402	.713
2017	Daytona Tortugas	FSL	afa	CIN	.213	36	136	8	29	6	1	4	17	10	0	41	3	2	.275	.360	.635
Minor League Totals					.237	206	748	89	177	38	8	20	91	44	1	212	30	7	.284	.389	.674

### Jeter Downs

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.

Reds Prospect Ranking Lists: *Baseball America*: #11; *MLB.com*: #8; *Fangraphs*: #9.

**Notes:** Reds second selection and 32nd overall pick in 2017 draft (Supplemental 1st Round—Competitive Balance Round A) out of **Pace High School in Miami**...Named after Yankees legend Derek Jeter...Born in the nation of Colombia...Family moved to Miami Gardens, Florida...Older brother, Jerry, was drafted by the Red Sox in 2015 and has played last three years in their organization...Perfect Game 2017 2nd Team High School All-American.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2017	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	.267	50	172	31	46	3	3	6	29	27	1	32	8	5	.370	.424	.794
Minor League Totals					.267	50	172	31	46	3	3	6	29	27	1	32	8	5	.370	.424	.795

### Stuart Fairchild

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.

Reds Prospect Ranking Lists: *Baseball America*: #16; *MLB.com*: #12; *Fangraphs*: #17.

**Notes:** Second round pick (38th overall) in 2017...Played three seasons at **Wake Forest**...Enjoyed big junior year in spring of 2017 (63 G, .360, 17 HR, 21 SB), earning First Team All-American by *Baseball America* and numerous other publications...Led Atlantic Coast Conference in hits and total bases...Earned ABCA Collegiate Rawlings Gold Glove Award in 2017...2nd Team All-ACC pick as sophomore after earning First Team Freshman All-America and First Team All-ACC as freshman in 2015 when he batted .349...After hitting five home runs in each of his first two seasons at Wake Forest, he hit 17 in his third year...Attended high school at Seattle Prep School...Named by *Baseball America* as best defensive outfielder in Reds farm system following first professional season in 2017.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2017	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	.304	56	204	36	62	5	4	3	23	19	0	35	12	4	.393	.412	.805
Minor League Totals					.304	56	204	36	62	5	4	3	23	19	0	35	12	4	.393	.412	.805

## Jose Garcia

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.

Reds Prospect Ranking Lists: Baseball America: #12; MLB.com: #13; Fangraphs: #7.

**Notes:** Native of Havana, Cuba who was signed as high profile **international free agent** in 2017...Projected as shortstop after playing second base in multiple tournaments with Cuban national team...Earned All-Tournament selection at 2015 18U World Cup in Japan...Has not played professionally prior to 2018.

## Miles Gordon

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.

Reds Prospect Ranking Lists: Baseball America: #26.

**Notes:** Led Billings with .530 slugging percentage in 2017...Missed last six weeks of 2016 season with separated shoulder...Attended **St. Ignatius of Loyola Secondary School in Oakville, Ontario**...Played amateur hockey in Canada until age 15, when he elected to concentrate on baseball...Baseball exposure increased when he was selected to Canada's junior national team in 2014...Intended to play college baseball at University of San Francisco before signing with Reds.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2015	AZL Reds	AZL	rok	CIN	.220	31	118	15	26	4	3	0	12	7	0	26	5	3	.262	.305	.567
2016	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	.262	22	65	11	17	3	2	0	11	11	0	14	3	2	.372	.369	.741
2017	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	.319	61	232	40	74	15	5	8	37	27	0	55	7	3	.389	.530	.919
<b>Minor League Totals</b>					<b>.282</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>415</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>.352</b>	<b>.441</b>	<b>.793</b>

## Mark Kolozsvary

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.

**Notes:** Member of 2017 NCAA national champion **Florida** Gators...Spent three years at UF...Received limited playing time in first two college seasons with two All-SEC performers ahead of him on the depth chart (Mike Rivera, J.J. Schwarz), garnering only four starts and 35 at-bats over freshman and sophomore years...Started 35 games as junior in 2017, batting .276 with a .440 slugging percentage and three home runs...Played at Tavares High School (35 miles northwest of Orlando)...Four-time All-District selection...Last name is pronounced KOE-loze-vary.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2017	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	.305	28	95	19	29	7	0	1	15	8	0	30	1	0	.362	.411	.773
<b>Minor League Totals</b>					<b>.305</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.362</b>	<b>.411</b>	<b>.772</b>

## Morgan Lofstrom

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.

**Notes:** Spent most of 2017 season at Billings before joining Dragons for final week of season...Has spent four seasons in Reds organization since being drafted in 2013.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2014	AZL Reds	AZL	rok	CIN	.215	24	79	4	17	4	0	0	5	1	0	21	0	0	.244	.266	.510
2015	AZL Reds	AZL	rok	CIN	.250	6	12	1	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	1	0	.400	.250	.650
2016	AZL Reds	AZL	rok	CIN	.265	10	34	6	9	2	0	1	3	2	0	7	0	0	.342	.412	.754
2016	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	.197	22	66	5	13	4	0	1	8	4	0	26	0	1	.264	.303	.567
2017	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	.202	25	84	13	17	3	0	1	12	7	0	25	1	0	.269	.274	.543
2017	Dayton Dragons	MID	afx	CIN	.300	3	10	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	.364	.300	.664
<b>Minor League Totals</b>					<b>.218</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.280</b>	<b>.295</b>	<b>.574</b>

## Montrell Marshall

Joined Dragons on April 7 from extended spring training.

**Notes:** First cousin of former Reds three-time all-star Brandon Phillips...Selected by the Reds in the 12th round of the 2014 draft out of **South Gwinnett High School in Snellville, Georgia** (25 miles northeast of downtown Atlanta)...Played shortstop in high school...2014 Perfect Game Second Team Pre-Season All-American, but suffered cracked vertebrae and missed season...Committed to play at Auburn University...Projected as fifth round pick by MLB.com, but injury dropped him to 12th round...Slugging percentage has increased steadily over pro career, from .214 in 2015 to .321 in 2016, and .453 in 2017...Regarded as exceptional defensive first baseman.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2015	AZL Reds	AZL	rok	CIN	.159	43	145	9	23	5	0	1	12	9	0	52	0	0	.218	.214	.432
2016	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	.246	59	224	37	55	14	0	1	26	29	0	76	3	1	.339	.321	.660
2017	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	.269	61	223	33	60	16	2	7	39	21	0	55	2	0	.329	.453	.782
<b>Minor League Totals</b>					<b>.233</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>592</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.307</b>	<b>.345</b>	<b>.651</b>

## John Sansone

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.

**Notes:** Spent entire 2017 season with the Dragons, finishing tied for second on the team in home runs with 13...Served as club's starting third baseman through mid-July of 2017 season...Moved to second base after missing three weeks due to injury...Finished the year with 105 starts to rank fifth on team...Started 251 of a possible 254 games at **Florida State University** over his four-year career and led his team to a #13 national ranking as a senior...Batted .370 with 9 HR as a senior at FSU in 2016, earning 1st Team All-ACC honors...Hit .661 as a high school junior in New Castle, Pennsylvania before hitting .597 as a senior.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2016	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	.285	50	193	34	55	12	1	5	25	12	0	51	4	3	.336	.435	.771
2017	Dayton Dragons	MID	afx	CIN	.216	107	375	54	81	22	1	13	59	48	1	128	3	1	.322	.384	.706
<b>Minor League Totals</b>					<b>.239</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>568</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>.327</b>	<b>.401</b>	<b>.728</b>

## Leandro Santana

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.

**Notes:** Has spent four seasons in the Reds organization prior to 2018, all at the Short-Season level...In 2017, led Billings in home runs with 11 and RBI with 43...Connected on four home runs in his first nine games of the 2017 season...Increase in home runs in 2017 came after he had hit just two over first three seasons of professional baseball.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2014	DSL Reds	DSL	rok	CIN	.303	40	122	21	37	6	4	0	14	28	0	38	6	3	.434	.418	.852
2015	AZL Reds	AZL	rok	CIN	.190	39	126	15	24	8	3	0	10	14	0	40	2	2	.275	.302	.577
2016	AZL Reds	AZL	rok	CIN	.228	44	158	28	36	8	0	2	20	20	0	58	2	2	.317	.316	.633
2017	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	.280	67	246	38	69	6	2	11	43	22	1	70	1	1	.347	.455	.802
<b>Minor League Totals</b>					<b>.255</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>652</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>.344</b>	<b>.385</b>	<b>.729</b>

## Andy Sugilio

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster...Placed on disabled list on April 7 (right hamstring strain).

**Notes:** Making Full-Season debut in 2018 after four seasons at the Short-Season level in Reds organization...Led Billings and tied for sixth in Pioneer League in batting average in 2017 at .345...20 stolen bases in 2017 tied for fourth in the Pioneer League...Struck out just 33 times in 254 plate appearances...Began pro career as infielder in 2014 before moving to the outfield the next season...Has seen extensive action at all three outfield positions over last three seasons...Considered to be one of the fastest base runners in entire Reds organization...Last name is pronounced sue-HEE-lee-oh.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2014	DSL Rojos	DSL	rok	CIN	.259	55	158	12	41	2	2	0	16	12	1	32	4	5	.314	.297	.611
2015	DSL Reds	DSL	rok	CIN	.272	62	228	40	62	10	8	1	29	25	0	34	8	4	.342	.399	.741
2016	AZL Reds	AZL	rok	CIN	.221	31	104	13	23	3	2	0	6	8	0	27	6	0	.287	.288	.575
2017	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	.345	62	235	45	81	13	4	3	40	17	1	33	20	4	.390	.472	.862
<b>Minor League Totals</b>					<b>.286</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>725</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>.343</b>	<b>.385</b>	<b>.728</b>

## Hector Vargas

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.

**Notes:** Returns to Dragons after spending first half of 2016 and all of 2017 with Dragons...Made 120 regular season starts with Dragons in 2017 to rank third on club...Served as Dragons starting shortstop through July 21 in 2017 before moving to second base and infield utility role...Started four of Dragons six playoff games at second base...Was batting just .187 at end of June before hitting .267 over remaining 57 games to finish at .225...In 2016, hit just .194 in 36 first half games with Dayton before emerging as one of Pioneer League's top hitters with Billings in second half...Ranked fifth in Pioneer League in batting average at .352...Has hit at least .296 at every other stop in Reds organization prior to time with Dragons.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS
2013	DSL Reds	DSL	rok	CIN	.327	61	226	41	74	12	1	0	33	24	0	18	21	9	.408	.389	.797
2014	AZL Reds	AZL	rok	CIN	.297	41	155	28	46	8	4	1	9	5	0	18	3	2	.319	.419	.738
2015	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	.296	52	186	24	55	9	5	1	23	3	0	16	5	9	.306	.414	.720
2016	Dayton Dragons	MID	afx	CIN	.194	36	129	9	25	4	1	0	8	4	0	18	4	1	.215	.240	.455
2016	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	.352	57	210	32	74	17	2	6	41	6	0	19	12	3	.365	.538	.903
2017	Dayton Dragons	MID	afx	CIN	.225	121	440	43	99	14	1	7	36	19	0	66	4	5	.260	.309	.569
<b>Minor League Totals</b>					<b>.277</b>	<b>368</b>	<b>1346</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>.311</b>	<b>.379</b>	<b>.690</b>

# Bullpen Bios and Career Stats

## Luis Alecis

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.

Notes: Enters fourth season of professional baseball in 2018, making Full-Season debut...Worked primarily as a starter from 2015-2017, logging 32 starts and 11 relief appearances...Has compiled high strikeout totals in all three previous pro seasons, notching 175 strikeouts in 170 innings...Finished second on Billings staff in innings pitched in 2017.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	W	L	PCT	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	SVO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	WP	BK
2015	DSL Reds	DSL	rok	CIN	1	1	.500	3.23	15	14	0	0	0	0	61.1	52	28	22	1	11	27	0	64	7	3
2016	AZL Reds	AZL	rok	CIN	2	2	.500	3.26	12	7	0	0	0	0	47.0	44	25	17	2	4	19	0	50	9	0
2017	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	6	6	.500	5.11	16	11	0	0	0	1	61.2	54	38	35	4	8	39	0	61	11	1
Minor League Totals					9	9	.500	3.92	43	32	0	0	0	1	170.0	150	91	74	7	23	85	0	175	27	4

## Tyler Buffett

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.

Notes: Spent first year of pro career at Billings in 2017, showing big improvement in the second half. Over his last 10 outings of the 22 he made at Billings, posted an ERA of 0.78, allowing just two earned runs in 23 innings...Tied for Billings team lead in appearances with 22...Pitched for four seasons at **Oklahoma State University**, posting career record of 20-12...Best year came as a junior in 2016 when he went 9-3 with a 2.81 ERA and earned First Team All-Big 12 Conference honors as team finished the year ranked #3 team in the nation...In 2017 at OSU, went 6-5, 5.23 in 15 starts...Earned biggest win of college career in 2016 College World Series when he beat the University of Arizona with eight shutout innings...Played high school baseball at Albuquerque Academy in New Mexico...Distant relative of billionaire Warren Buffett.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	W	L	PCT	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	SVO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	WP	BK
2017	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	4	2	.667	3.86	22	0	0	0	3	5	44.1	49	24	19	0	4	11	1	34	8	0
Minor League Totals					4	2	.667	3.86	22	0	0	0	3	5	44.1	49	24	19	0	4	11	1	34	8	0

## John Ghyzel

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.

Notes: Opened pro career in 2017 with AZL Reds, logging nine relief appearances with three saves and 1.74 ERA...Struggled at Billings after promotion, appearing in eight games with 9.26 ERA...NCAA Division III athlete at **University of Rochester**...Posted career record in three seasons at Rochester of 11-5 with a 3.97 ERA...Best year came as sophomore in 2016, when he went 7-1 with a 2.97 ERA in 10 starts...Went 3-2, 4.25 as a junior in 2017 in eight starts...Hometown of Centreville, Virginia is a suburb of Washington D.C. and houses national headquarters of C.I.A...Attended same high school (Westfield HS in Fairfax County, Virginia) as 2008 Dragons catcher Jason Bour and his younger brother, current Miami Marlins first baseman Justin Bour.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	W	L	PCT	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	SVO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	WP	BK
2017	AZL Reds	AZL	rok	CIN	1	0	1.000	1.74	9	0	0	0	3	3	10.1	7	4	2	0	1	3	0	15	1	0
2017	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	0	0	--	9.26	8	0	0	0	0	1	11.2	16	17	12	1	1	6	0	11	3	0
Minor League Totals					1	0	1.000	5.73	17	0	0	0	3	4	22.0	23	21	14	1	2	9	0	26	4	0

## Ryan Nutof

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.

Notes: Opened pro career at Billings in 2017, finishing one short of team lead in appearances with 21...Spent three seasons at **University of Michigan** from 2015-17, posting career record of 17-8 with a 3.98 ERA in 52 games (37 starts)...In 2017, went 6-2, 4.52 in 12 starts and four relief appearances...Selected as a Louisville Slugger Freshman All-American and Big Ten All-Freshman pitcher in 2015, going 5-3, 3.71 in 14 starts...Enjoyed dominant senior season at South Elgin High School (42 miles northwest of downtown Chicago; 10 miles north of Kane County Cougars ballpark), posting record of 8-1 with 0.54 ERA to earn 4A All-State honors.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	W	L	PCT	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	SVO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	WP	BK
2017	Billings Mustangs	PIO	Rok	CIN	0	2	.000	4.08	21	0	0	0	1	3	28.2	35	22	13	1	1	14	0	30	1	0
Minor League Totals					0	2	.000	4.08	21	0	0	0	1	3	28.2	35	22	13	1	1	14	0	30	1	0

## Sarkis Ohanian

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.

**Notes:** Returns to Dragons in 2018 after spending 2016 season in Dayton...Appeared in 11 games with Advanced-A Daytona in injury-shortened 2017 season...Led Dragons in saves in 2016 with 13...Had amazing two-month stretch with Dragons in 2016 when he allowed just six hits over 22 innings and struck out 42 batters while walking only five (three runs allowed, 1.23 ERA, 10 saves during this window to lead league)...Averaged 15.69 strikeouts per nine innings for the year (61 K in 35.1 IP)...Played four seasons at **Duke University** from 2012-15...Posted career record of 6-2, 4.12 in 74 games (all relief appearances)...Earned degree in sociology...Played high school baseball at North Broward Prep School...Hometown of Boynton Beach is about 15 miles south of West Palm Beach, 30 miles north of Fort Lauderdale.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	W	L	PCT	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	SVO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	WP	BK
2015	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	2	2	.500	4.10	18	0	0	0	0	3	37.1	28	21	17	3	3	21	0	54	6	1
2016	Dayton Dragons	MID	afx	CIN	0	3	.000	3.31	34	0	0	0	13	16	35.1	20	15	13	1	1	13	0	61	11	0
2017	Daytona Tortugas	FSL	afa	CIN	3	0	1.000	4.22	11	0	0	0	1	2	10.2	8	5	5	1	0	10	0	21	1	0
<b>Minor League Totals</b>					<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>.500</b>	<b>3.78</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>83.1</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>1</b>

## Austin Orewiler

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.

**Notes:** Returns to Dragons in 2018 after spending 2016 in Dayton...Spent entire 2017 season at Advanced-A Dayton, making 41 relief appearances...Led Dragons in starts and innings pitched in 2016...Spent four years at **Rice University** but did not see game action until third season in 2014...First Team All-Conference USA selection in 2015 as redshirt junior, when he appeared in 23 games and went 6-2 with a 2.44 ERA...Outstanding catcher at Ball High School in Galveston, Texas who considered Dartmouth in the Ivy League and the U.S. Military Academy at West Point before deciding on Rice...Born in Tiffin, Ohio but grew up in Galveston.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	W	L	PCT	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	SVO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	WP	BK
2015	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	0	1	.000	4.68	19	0	0	0	1	2	25.0	19	18	13	4	2	15	1	23	2	0
2016	Dayton Dragons	MID	afx	CIN	3	14	.176	4.05	28	23	1	1	0	1	131.0	150	75	59	3	8	40	0	79	15	0
2017	Daytona Tortugas	FSL	afa	CIN	5	4	.556	3.58	41	0	0	0	0	1	78.0	71	41	31	7	4	32	0	71	7	0
<b>Minor League Totals</b>					<b>8</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>.296</b>	<b>3.96</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>234.0</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>0</b>

## Connor Ryan

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.

**Notes:** Making Full-Season debut in 2018 after opening pro career at Billings in 2017...Led Mustangs in saves by recording eight of team's 15...Spent three seasons at **University of Illinois at Chicago** from 2015-17 after one year at Prairie State College...Second player from UIC to play for Dragons, joining 2009 MWL all-star catcher Kevin Coddington...Highest-drafted player from UIC since Curtis Granderson in 2002 (third round)...In 2017, Ryan helped Flames to NCAA Regional berth, going 3-1, 3.10 in 22 games as reliever, walking only five in 29 innings...Played at Lockport Township High School, about 35 miles southwest of downtown Chicago...Current Minnesota Vikings head coach Mike Zimmer attended the same school.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	W	L	PCT	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	SVO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	WP	BK
2017	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	0	4	.000	4.71	18	0	0	0	8	8	21.0	19	11	11	0	1	8	0	23	2	0
<b>Minor League Totals</b>					<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>.000</b>	<b>4.71</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>21.0</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>

## Cory Thompson

Member of Dragons 2018 Opening Day roster.

**Notes:** Dragons 2016 opening day starting shortstop has made conversion to pitcher...Spent four seasons in Reds organization as middle infielder...Highlight of career as a hitter came with Dragons on August 5, 2015 when he hit two home runs in the same game at Cedar Rapids...Career batting average of .237 with 12 home runs in 181 games in Reds system...Made move to the mound in Instructional League in 2016 and pitched at Billings in 2017...Played at **Mauldin High School in South Carolina** (same school as NBA legend Kevin Garnett)...Featured 93 mph fastball as high school pitcher, causing scouts to be split on whether he projected best as a hitter or pitcher at pro level...When drafted in the fifth round in 2013, was uncertain whether Reds were selecting him to pitch or play shortstop until first conversation with team officials.

Year	Team	League	Level	ORG	W	L	PCT	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	SVO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	WP	BK
2017	Billings Mustangs	PIO	rok	CIN	3	1	.750	3.62	21	0	0	0	1	1	32.1	29	13	13	3	1	18	0	32	7	0
<b>Minor League Totals</b>					<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.750</b>	<b>3.62</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>32.1</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>



# DRAGONS 2018 MILESTONES

## Team Notes

Most Consecutive Wins: ..... 2, April 8-9  
Most Consecutive Losses: ..... 3, April 5-7  
Longest 9-Inning Game (Minutes): ..... 3:16, April 7 vs. Bowling Green  
Longest Extra Inning Game (Minutes): .....  
Shortest 9-Inning Game (Minutes): ..... 2:47, April 8 vs. Bowling Green  
Shortest 7-Inning Game (Minutes): .....  
Biggest Deficit in Win: ..... 2, April 8 vs. Bowling Green; April 9 vs. Lake County  
Biggest Lead in Loss: ..... 2, April 5 at Bowling Green (led 4-2; lost 5-4)  
Largest Margin of Victory: ..... 2, April 8 vs. Bowling Green  
Largest Margin of Defeat: ..... 9, April 7 vs. Bowling Green  
Most Errors, Game: ..... 4, April 5 at Bowling Green  
Most Errors, Inning: ..... 1

## Team Batting

Most Runs, Game: ..... 4, several  
Most Runs, Inning: ..... 4, April 8 vs. Bowling Green  
Most Runs, First Inning: ..... 1, April 7 vs. Bowling Green  
Most Hits, Game: ..... 11, April 5 at Bowling Green  
Most Hits, Inning: ..... 3, April 5 at Bowling Green (5th inning)  
Fewest Hits, Game: ..... 6, April 6 at Bowling Green; April 7 vs. Bowling Green  
Most Home Runs, Game: ..... 2, April 6 at Bowling Green  
Most Home Runs, Inning: ..... 1  
Most Doubles, Game: ..... 3, April 6 at Bowling Green  
Most Triples, Game: ..... 1  
Most Extra Base Hits, Game: ..... 5, April 6 at Bowling Green  
Most Stolen Bases, Game: ..... 4, April 6 at Bowling Green  
Most Walks, Game: ..... 6, April 7 vs. Bowling Green  
Most Strikeouts, Game: ..... 10, April 7 vs. Bowling Green; April 9 vs. Lake County  
Most Left on Base, Game: ..... 10, April 7 vs. Bowling Green; April 8 vs. Bowling Green

## Individual Batting

Most Hits, Game: ..... 3, Andy Sugilio, April 5 at Bowling Green; Jeter Downs, April 8 vs. Bowling Green  
Most Runs, Game: ..... 2, Hendrik Clementina, April 6 at Bowling Green; Miles Gordon, April 9 vs. Lake County  
Most RBI, Game: ..... 2, Stuart Fairchild, April 5 at Bowling Green  
Most Doubles, Game: ..... 1  
Most Triples, Game: ..... 1  
Most Home Runs, Game: ..... 1  
Most Extra Base Hits, Game: ..... 2, Hendrik Clementina, April 6 at Bowling Green; Miles Gordon, April 7 vs. Bowling Green  
Most Walks, Game: ..... 2, Miles Gordon, April 9 vs. Lake County  
Most Stolen Bases, Game: ..... 2, Sansone, April 6 at Bowling Green; Downs, April 7 vs. Bowling Green  
Longest Hitting Streak (Games): ..... 4, Downs, Fairchild, both April 5-8  
Most Consecutive Games with a Home Run: ..... 1

## 2-Home Run Game:

## Grand Slam Home Runs:

## 4-Hit Games:

## Back-to-Back Home Runs:

## Inside-the-Park Home Runs:

## Hitting for the Cycle:

## Team Pitching

Most Runs Allowed, Game: ..... 11, April 7 vs. Bowling Green  
Most Runs Allowed, Inning: ..... 4, April 7 vs. Bowling Green  
Most Hits Allowed, Game: ..... 11, April 6 at Bowling Green; April 7 vs. Bowling Green  
Most Home Runs Allowed, Game: ..... 2, April 6 at Bowling Green  
Most Home Runs Allowed, Inning: ..... 1  
Most Walks Allowed, Game: ..... 8, April 7 vs. Bowling Green  
Fewest Walks Allowed, Game: ..... 2, April 6 at Bowling Green; April 9 vs. Lake County  
Most Strikeouts, Game: ..... 14, April 6 at Bowling Green

## Individual Pitching

Most Consecutive Scoreless Innings: ..... 5, Wendolyn Bautista, April 8  
Most Innings Pitched, Game: ..... 5.1, Wendolyn Bautista, April 8 vs. Bowling Green  
Most Hits Allowed, Game: ..... 7, Tyler Mondile, April 7 vs. Bowling Green  
Most Runs Allowed, Game: ..... 5, Mac Sceroler, April 6 at Bowling Green  
Most Home Runs Allowed, Game: ..... 2, Mac Sceroler, April 6 at Bowling Green  
Most Walks Allowed, Game: ..... 3, several  
Most Strikeouts, Game: ..... 8, Hunter Greene, April 9 vs. Lake County  
Longest Relief Outing: ..... 4, Austin Orewiler, April 9 vs. Lake County  
Most Pitches Thrown, Game: ..... 87, Packy Naughton, April 5 at Bowling Green

Most Strikeouts, Game, Opposing Pitcher: ..... 5, several

**^Midwest League record; \*Dragons club record; #Ties Dragons club record**

## Dragons Roster Origination

### Players from NCAA Division I programs (10):

Tyler Buffett (Oklahoma State)  
 Stuart Fairchild (Wake Forest)  
 Mark Kolozsvary (Florida)  
 Packy Naughton (Virginia Tech)  
 Ryan Nutof (Michigan)  
 Sarkis Ohanian (Duke)  
 Austin Orewiler (Rice)  
 Connor Ryan (Illinois-Chicago)  
 John Sansone (Florida State)  
 Mac Sceroler (Southeastern Louisiana)

### Players from NCAA Division III programs (1):

John Ghyzel (Rochester)

### Players from Junior College programs (1):

Narciso Crook (Gloucester County College)

### Players drafted/signed out of high school (7):

Jeter Downs (Pace HS, Miami, FL)  
 Miles Gordon (St. Ignatius of Loyola SS, Oakville, ON)  
 Hunter Greene (Notre Dame HS, Sherman Oaks, CA)  
 Morgan Lofstrom (Mount Boucherie SS, West Kelowna, BC)  
 Montrell Marshall (South Gwinnett HS, Snellville, GA)  
 Tyler Mondile (Gloucester Catholic HS, Gloucester, NJ)  
 Cory Thompson (Mauldin HS, Mauldin, SC)

### Players signed as international free agents (5+1):

Luis Alecis (Dominican Republic)  
 Wendolyn Bautista (Dominican Republic)  
 Jose Garcia (Cuba)  
 Leandro Santana (Dominican Republic)  
 Andy Sugilio (Dominican Republic)—disabled list  
 Hector Vargas (Dominican Republic)

### Players acquired in trades (1):

Hendrik Clementina (Dodgers)

### Dragons Highest Drafted Players

Hunter Greene, #1 (2nd overall, 2017)  
 Jeter Downs, #S1, 2017  
 Stuart Fairchild, #2, 2017  
 Miles Gordon, #4, 2015  
 Cory Thompson, #5, 2013  
 Mac Sceroler, #5, 2017

### Baseball America Top Prospects (Entering Season)

Taylor Trammell, #2  
 Jeter Downs, #11  
 Jose Garcia, #12  
 Stuart Fairchild, #16  
 Miles Gordon, #26  
 Packy Naughton, #28

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## DRAGONS WON-LOSS BREAKDOWN

	HOME		AWAY		ALL	
	W	L	W	L	W	L
SEASON	2	1	0	2	2	3
FIRST HALF	2	1	0	2	2	3
SECOND HALF	0	0	0	0	0	0
DAY GAMES	1	0	0	0	1	0
NIGHT GAMES	1	1	0	2	1	3
VS. LH (DECISION)	0	0	0	0	0	0
VS. RH (DECISION)	2	1	0	2	2	3
ONE RUN GAMES	1	0	0	1	1	1
EXTRA INNINGS	0	0	0	0	0	0
SHUTOUTS	0	0	0	0	0	0
IN APRIL	2	1	0	2	2	3
IN MAY					0	0
IN JUNE					0	0
IN JULY					0	0
IN AUGUST					0	0
IN SEPTEMBER					0	0
VS. EAST	2	1	0	2	2	3
VS. BOWLING GREEN	1	1	0	2	1	3
VS. FORT WAYNE					0	0
VS. GREAT LAKES					0	0
VS. LAKE COUNTY	1	0			1	0
VS. LANSING					0	0
VS. SOUTH BEND					0	0
VS. WEST MICHIGAN					0	0
VS. WEST					0	0
VS. БЕЛОIT					0	0
VS. BURLINGTON					0	0
VS. CEDAR RAPIDS					0	0
VS. CLINTON					0	0
VS. KANE COUNTY					0	0
VS. PEORIA					0	0
VS. QUAD CITIES					0	0
VS. WISCONSIN					0	0
AHEAD AFTER 7 INN. (DH:5)	1	0	0	1	1	1
TIED AFTER 7 INN.	0	0	0	0	0	0
BEHIND AFTER 7 INN.	1	1	0	1	1	2
SCORED FIRST	0	1	0	0	0	1
OPPS. SCORED FIRST	2	0	0	2	2	2
SCORED FOUR OR MORE	1	0	0	2	1	2
SCORED THREE OR LESS	1	1	0	0	1	1
DOUBLEHEADERS (W-L-SPL)					0-0-0	
COME FROM BEHIND WINS	2		0		2	
OPPS. COME FROM BEHIND WINS		1		1	2	

# 2018 TRANSACTIONS

**Opening Day Roster:** **Catchers:** Hendrik Clementina, Mark Kolozsvary, Morgan Lofstrom. **Infielders:** Jeter Downs, Jose Garcia, John Sansone, Leandro Santana, Hector Vargas. **Outfielders:** Narciso Crook, Stuart Fairchild, Miles Gordon, Andy Sugilio. **Pitchers:** Luis Alecis, Wendolyn Bautista, Tyler Buffett, John Ghyzel, Hunter Greene, Tyler Mondile, Packy Naughton, Ryan Nutof, Sarkis Ohanian, Austin Orewiler, Connor Ryan, Mac Sceroler, Cory Thompson.

April 7: Outfielder Andy Sugilio placed on disabled list. First baseman Montrell Marshall promoted to Dayton from extended spring training.

## Dragons Players with Other Clubs in 2018

Batter	Club	League	Class	G	Avg.	HR	RBI	SB	AB		
Pitcher	Club	League	Class	W-L-Sv	ERA	G	GS	IP	H	BB	SO

# 2018 DRAGONS REVIEW

DATE	OPP.	SCORE	DRAGONS R-H-E-LOB	OPPONENT R-H-E-LOB	WINNING PITCHER	LOSING PITCHER	SAVE	REC.	STD.	GA/B	ATT.	TIME
April 5	@BG	4-5	4-11-4-9	5-9-0-10	Padilla	Orewiler	---	0-1	T-5th	-1.0	3,118	3:04
April 6	@BG	4-8	4-6-0-5	8-11-0-4	Franklin	Sceroler	---	0-2	8th	-2.0	2,174	2:49
April 7	BG	2-11	2-6-3-10	11-11-1-11	Myers	Mondile	---	0-3	8th	-3.0	8,155	3:16
April 8	BG	4-2	4-8-1-10	2-7-2-9	Thompson	Padilla	Ghyzel	1-3	7th	-3.0	7,342	2:47
April 9	LC	3-2	3-9-1-8	2-7-2-7	Orewiler	Tati	Ohanian	2-3	T-6th	-2.0	7,452	2:49
April 10												
April 11												
April 12												

# DRAGONS SERIES RESULTS

Date	OPP	W-L	R-RA	Avg.	RISP	XBH	HR	SB	E
April 5-6	at BG	0-2	8-13	.246	3-19 (.158)	5	2	5	4
April 7-8	BG	1-1	6-13	.215	5-22 (.227)	5	0	3	4
April 9-12	LC	1-0	3-2	.290	1-4 (.250)	0	0	1	1

## Dragons Manager/Coaches:

**Luis Bolivar** returns for his second season as Dragons manager after serving as the Dayton hitting coach in 2014-16. Bolivar played for the Dragons in 2003-'04, representing the club in the Midwest League All-Star Game in 2004. Bolivar played professionally for nine seasons from 2002-2010, spending all but the final year of his career in the Reds organization. He spent all or parts of four seasons at the Triple-A level, but never played in the big leagues. Bolivar resides in the Dayton suburb of Vandalia with his wife and four children. Following his playing career, he served as a coach at Vandalia-Butler High School. Bolivar was selected as the "Best Manager Prospect" in *Baseball America's* 2017 Best Tools survey of Midwest League managers.

Pitching coach **Seth Etherton** joins the Dragons in 2018, his third year as a coach in the Reds organization. Etherton spent the 2016-17 seasons with the Billings Mustangs. Etherton pitched in the Major Leagues in parts of four seasons with the Angels, Reds, A's, and Royals. He was the Angels first round draft pick in 1998 out of the University of Southern California. Etherton pitched in one game for the Dragons on a Major League rehab assignment in 2002.

Hitting coach **Daryle Ward** returns to the Dragons for his second season. He began his coaching career when he served as the hitting coach for the AZL Reds in 2016. Ward spent 11 years in the Major Leagues with the Astros, Dodgers, Pirates, Nationals, Braves, and Cubs. He belted a career high 20 home runs for Houston in 2000. He is the son of former MLB All-Star Gary Ward.

Bench coach **Kevin Mahar** returns to the Dragons for his second season and fifth year as a coach in the Reds organization. He spent the 2013-14 seasons at Billings and 2015 at Advanced-A Daytona. He worked in private business in 2016.

## REDS MINOR LEAGUE COORDINATORS/ROVERS (IN UNIFORM)

Bill Doran: Field Coordinator  
Milt Thompson: Hitting Coordinator  
Tony Fossas: Pitching Coordinator  
Delino DeShields: Bunting/Base Running Coordinator  
Darren Bragg: Outfield/Quality Control  
Corky Miller: Catching Coordinator  
Barry Larkin: Special Assistant to the General Manager  
Eric Davis: Special Assistant to the General Manager  
Mario Soto: Special Assistant to the General Manager  
Miguel Cairo: Special Assistant to the General Manager

## STARTS BY POSITION

		C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH	Total
Downs				2		2				1	5
Fairchild							2	1	2		5
Garcia				1		3				1	5
Gordon							2	3			5
Sansone			2		1					1	4
Vargas				2	1					1	4
Santana					3						3
Kolozsvary		3									3
Crook							1		2		3
Marshall			3								3
Sugilio								1	1		2
Clementina		1								1	2
Lofstrom		1									1

### Catchers' Throwing Statistics

### Pitching Breakdown

Catcher	CS	SBAtt	Pct.	ERA		Pitchers		IP	ER	ERA	
Clementina	0	0	#DIV/0!	9.00		Starting Pitching		21.67	13	5.40	
Kolozsvary	1	7	14.3	4.39		Relief Pitching		22	10	4.09	
Lofstrom	0	2	0.0	2.00		Total		43.67	23	4.74	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>11.1</b>								

### 2018 Top Home Attendance Totals

Rank	Total	Date	Opponent
1	8,155	April 7	Bowling Green
2	7,452	April 9	Lake County
3	7,345	April 8	Bowling Green
4			
5			

### Games Won in Final At-Bat (\*Walk-off Win)

Date	Opponent	Score	Note
April 8	Bowling Green	4-2	Trailed 2-0 going to bottom 8th. Scored 4 in 8th for lead and win. Lofstrom RBI single to break tie.

### Wins after Trailing by at Least Three Runs

Date	Opponent	Score	Note
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### Losses after Leading by at Least Three Runs

Date	Opponent	Score	Note
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### Dragons Pitchers with 10 or More Strikeouts in a Game

Player	Date	Opponent	Strikeouts
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### Non-Pitchers on the Mound

Player	Date	Opponent	Score Entering Game	Outcome
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### 2017 Ejections

Player/Coach	Date	Opponent	Umpire	Reason
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### Hitting Streaks of 10 Games or More

Player	Length	Dates
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### Dragons Midwest League Batter/Pitcher of the Week

Player	Dates
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# The Last Time...

## Batters

Dragons Hit Walk-Off Home Run:  
August 15, 2015, Aristides Aquino vs. Burlington

Dragons Player Hit Two Home Runs in a Game:  
Sept. 1, 2017, Taylor Sparks vs. Bowling Green

Dragons Player Hit Three Home Runs in a Game:  
July 5, 2009, Byron Wiley, at West Michigan

Dragons Player Collected Five Hits in a Game:  
July 10, 2013, Seth Mejias-Brean, at Cedar Rapids

Dragons Player Collected Four Hits in a Game:  
Sept. 4, 2017, Michael Beltre, at Lansing

Dragons Player Had Three Extra Base Hits in a Game:  
June 22, 2017, Jose Siri, vs. Lake County (3 2B)

Dragons Hit Inside-the-Park Home Run:  
August 15, 2017, Taylor Trammell vs. West Michigan

Dragons Player Hit for the Cycle:  
July 21, 2011, Donald Lutz, vs. Peoria

Dragons Player Hit Grand Slam Home Run:  
July 10, 2017, Taylor Trammell vs. South Bend

Dragons Batter Opened Game with Home Run:  
August 20, 2017, Randy Ventura, at Lake County

Dragons Hit Back-to-Back Home Runs:  
August 30, 2017, Taylor Sparks and John Sansone, vs. Bowling Green

Dragons Hit Three Straight Home Runs:  
June 13, 2015, Jose Ortiz, Jimmy Pickens, Luis Gonzalez (3 straight),  
vs. Beloit

Dragons Player Stole Three Bases in a Game:  
August 27, 2017, Jose Siri, at Great Lakes

## Pitchers

Dragons Team Threw a No-Hitter:  
May 20, 2017 (Scott Moss: 6 IP; Carlos Machorro: 2 IP; Brian Hunter: 1 IP)

Dragons Pitcher Threw a Complete Game a No-Hitter:  
May 13, 2006, Johnny Cueto, at Appleton (5 innings)

Dragons Opponent Threw a No-Hitter:  
July 10, 2014, Blayne Weller, South Bend

Dragons Pitcher Tossed 7-Inning Complete Game:  
May 21, 2016, Austin Orewiler, vs. Bowling Green (Game 2)

Dragons Pitcher Tossed 9-Inning Complete Game:  
June 28, 2017, Ty Boyles at West Michigan

Dragons Pitcher Tossed 9-Inning Complete Game Shutout:  
June 28, 2017, Ty Boyles at West Michigan

Dragons Pitcher Struck out 10 or More Batters in a Game:  
May 8, 2017, Tony Santillan vs. Cedar Rapids (10)

## Team Notes

Dragons Turned Triple Play: Never

Dragons Won at Least 7 Straight Games:  
August 19-25, 2017 (won 7 straight)

Dragons Lost at Least 7 Straight Games:  
July 29-August 6, 2017 (lost 9 straight)

Dragons Scored at Least 15 Runs in a Game:  
June 5, 2015 at Clinton (17 runs)

Dragons Collected at Least 20 Hits in a Game:  
July 4, 2012 vs. South Bend (24 hits)

Dragons Won Back-to-Back Shutouts:  
April 29, 2017 (vs. Great Lakes in a doubleheader)

Dragons went Entire Series without an Error:  
August 26-29, 2016 at Bowling Green (4-game series)  
June 16-18, 2015 at South Bend (3-game series)  
July 8-9, 2015 vs. Bowling Green (2-game series)

Dragons Swept Home Series:  
June 30-July 3, 2017 vs. Fort Wayne (4-game series)  
August 22-24, 2017 vs. Bowling Green (3-game series)

Dragons Swept Road Series:  
Sept. 2-4, 2017 at Lansing (3-game series)  
April 8-9, 2017 at Lake County (2-game series)

Dragons Were Swept in Home Series:  
July 7-10, 2017 vs. South Bend (4-game series)  
August 2-4, 2017 vs. Great Lakes (3-game series)  
April 6-7, 2017 vs. Lake County (2-game series)

Dragons Were Swept in Road Series:  
August 10-13, 2017 at South Bend (4-game series)  
July 4-6, 2017 at Bowling Green (3-game series)  
April 7-8, 2016 at Bowling Green (2-game series)

Dragons Played 9-Inning Game in Under Two Hours:  
August 24, 2017 vs. Bowling Green (one hour, 59 minutes)

Dragons Played a Game in Over Four Hours:  
May 13, 2017 vs. Quad Cities (four hours, 2 minutes, 11 inn.)

Dragons Played a Rain-Shortened Game:  
July 12 at Clinton (5 innings, 9-3 loss)

# Dragons Tales

## Dragons Schedule of National Entertainment Acts

April 8: Team Zoom Canine Entertainment  
 April 27: Russian Bar Trio  
 May 12: Jesse White Tumblers  
 May 18: Xpogo  
 June 9: BirdZerk!  
 June 10: ZOOperstars  
 June 21: Team Zoom Canine Entertainment  
 July 12: Team Zoom Canine Entertainment  
 July 14: Mutts Gone Nuts  
 August 24: Jesse White Tumblers  
 August 30: Team Zoom Canine Entertainment

## Dragons on Digital Media

[www.daytondragons.com](http://www.daytondragons.com)  
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Get the Dragons Mobile App for live game broadcasts, team schedule and news, and much more.

## Dragons on the Air

**Television:** The home for Dragons Television is Dayton's CW. The Dragons produce a 25-game television package on Channel 26.1 (Channel 13 and Channel 1013 on most Spectrum Cable systems; Channel 26 on DirecTV and Dish Network). Dragons Director of Broadcasting Tom Nichols is the play-by-play announcer. Color commentary is provided by WDTN TV sports anchors Jack Pohl and Hutch Konerman. All Saturday and Sunday home games and some Friday home games will be televised.

**Radio:** Fox Sports 980 WONE 980 AM is the home for Dragons radio broadcasts for the eighth straight season. All home and road games can also be heard via the Dragons mobile app and at [www.wone.com](http://www.wone.com). Tom Nichols and Josh Hess call all the action.

## "The Streak"

### Longest Sell-Outs Streaks in Professional Sports History

No.	Team	League	Years
1,249	Dayton Dragons	MiLB	2000-'17
820	Boston Red Sox	MLB	2003-'13
814	Portland Trail Blazers	NBA	1977-'95
744	Dallas Mavericks	NBA	2001-'18
662	Boston Celtics	NBA	1980-'95

## 2018 Events and Promotions

### Family and Community Events

- Kettering Health Network Public Safety Day: July 15
- Dragons 5K presented by Orthopedic Associates of SW Ohio: July 21
- Bob Ross Classic: August 2
- Dontatos Pizza Family Movie Night: August 4
- Yoga in the Outfield: The fourth annual "Yoga in the Outfield", presented by *The Winery at Versailles*, will be held on Thursday, August 9th at Fifth Third Field. Participants will take part in a light-hearted yoga class suitable for all levels and ages, led by Ignite Yoga.
- Great American Beer Tasting presented by Heidelberg Distributing: August 11

### Multiple Date Events

- High School Baseball at Fifth Third Field. A 15-game schedule begins April 14, giving high school players throughout the Miami Valley the opportunity to play at a professional facility.
- Vectren Community All-Star Nights: May 8, June 25, July 30, August 16, and August 27
- Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield Home Run for Life: April 18, May 30, June 27, July 11, and July 25
- Hometown Heroes: April 11, May 8, June 24, July 15, and August 18.
- Boy Scouts/Girl Scouts Overnights: May 11 & July 27
- Dragons Little Big Leagues Baseball Camps presented by IGS Energy: June 25, July 30
- Kroger Baseball Buddies! Kids 7-13 can go to local Kroger store to sign up for a chance to be a Kroger Baseball Buddy. Those picked will get a Dragons items, including an authentic Dragons jersey and will get to hang out with the players in the dug-out before the game.

## The Dragons MVP Program

The Dragons expanded elementary school MVP Program reaches five counties and more than 1,100 classrooms. Schools in Montgomery, Greene, Clark, Miami and Warren counties are part of the program that includes 1,116 fourth and fifth grade classrooms in 183 schools over 48 school districts. About 34,000 children will participate. The program is in its 13th year in 2018. The Dragons MVP Program presented by Bob Evans Farms is also made possible by the generous support of CollegeAdvantage, Sinclair College, WDTN-TV and Dayton's CW. Due to the support of the participating sponsors, the program is completely free of charge to the schools.

**How does the Dragons School MVP Program work?** The teacher in each of the classrooms over a five-county area (Clark, Greene, Miami, Montgomery, and Warren) selects five MVP's based on the teacher's judgment of performance, effort, citizenship, and improvement. The five MVPs selected by their teacher in each classroom receive four tickets to a Dragons game, tickets to a special Field Day event at the stadium during the season, an MVP certificate and a Dragons MVP hat. Dragons players and mascots visit selected classrooms over the course of the season. Additionally, 16 Dragons games during the season are designated as "MVP Game Nights." On those nights, one MVP gets to throw out the ceremonial first pitch to the game, another does an on-air interview during the Dragons game broadcast on Fox Sports 980, and another participates in an entertainment skit during the Dragons game.

## Dragons Kids Club is Back

For the sixth straight year, young Dragons fans can join the Frisch's Dragons Kids Club. For just \$15, members receive two Dragons lawn tickets, a Dragons t-shirt, a Dragons hat, a free kids mini-meal at Frisch's Big Boy, and an invite to an exclusive Kids Club Movie Night.