



MINNESOTA TWINS

2017 GAME NOTES

WESTERN DIVISION CHAMPIONS '69 '70 '87 '91

CENTRAL DIVISION CHAMPIONS '02 '03 '04 '06 '09 '10

AMERICAN LEAGUE CHAMPIONS '65 '87 '91

WORLD CHAMPIONS '87 '91

MINNESOTA TWINS (40-38) AT KANSAS CITY ROYALS (39-39)

SATURDAY, JULY 1, 2017 - 1:15 PM & 7:15 PM (CT) - TV: FOX SPORTS NORTH RADIO: TREASURE ISLAND BASEBALL NETWORK

G1 - José Berríos (R, 7-2, 2.96) vs. Luke Farrell (R, MLB Debut)

G2 - Felix Jorge (R, MLB Debut) vs. Jason Hammel (R, 4-6, 4.75)

GAMES 79 & 80

ROAD GAMES 38 & 39

UPCOMING PROBABLE PITCHERS & BROADCAST SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Probable Pitchers	Time	Television	Radio / Spanish Radio
7/1	at Kansas City	Hector Santiago (L, 4-7, 5.37) vs. TBA	1:15 pm	Fox Sports North	Go 96.3-TIBN / La Raza

Games can be heard via the Twins website at twinsbaseball.com. All game times are listed as Central.

TWINS AT A GLANCE

Record:	40-38
Home Record:	16-25
Road Record:	24-13
Record in series:	13-10-1
Series Openers:	15-11
Series Finales:	12-13
Rubber Games:	2-4
Sweeps/Swept:	5/3
April:	12-11
May:	14-12
June:	14-15
July:	
August:	
September/October:	
Day Games:	15-20
Night Games:	25-18
vs. American League East:	6-7
vs. American League Central:	21-18
vs. American League West:	10-10
vs. National League:	3-3
Games vs. LH Starter:	11-13
Games vs. RH Starter:	29-25
Twins score first:	24-13
Opponent scores first:	16-25
Come-from-behind wins:	19
Leading after 7/8 inn.:	35-3/38-2
Trailing after 7/8 inn.:	2-34/2-35
Tied after 7/8 inn.:	3-10-1
Extra-innings:	1-2
1-run games:	9-4
Twins out-hit opp.:	26-4
Opp. out-hit Twins:	10-33
Twins/Opp. have = hits:	4-1
Run Differential:	-55 (349-404)
Twins get Quality Start:	24-5
Twins starter goes 6+ IP:	25-9
Most games over .500:	7, 5/28
Most games under .500:	2, 4/24
Longest win-streak:	4, 2x, last 4/28-5/3
Longest losing-streak:	4, 2x, last 5/28-31
When Twins score 4+:	32-12
When Twins score 3-:	7-26
Twins get 10+ hits:	16-7
Days in First Place:	50
Days in Second Place:	27
Days in Third Place:	6
Days in Fourth Place:	5
Days in Fifth Place:	
Walk-Off W/L:	2/1
Shutouts W/L:	7/1
CG's:	3, all Santana, last 6/9 at SF
Target Field Sellouts ('17/All-Time):	1/160

**THE TWINS:** The Twins have gone 4-4 through eight games on their 11-game roadtrip, going 3-0 at Progressive Field, 1-3 at Fenway Park and 0-1 at Kauffman Stadium...today they will play games two and three of this four-game series in Kansas City...following this series, the Twins travel home to begin a seven-game homestand with three against the Angels (July 3-5) and four against the Orioles (July 6-9)...the Twins are 16-25 at home and 24-13 on the road.

**TWINS KRUSHED AT KAUFFMAN:** The Twins lost to the Royals last night by a score of 8-1, making the Twins 7-2 against the Royals this season...Ervin Santana (10-5) was the starter and loser, allowing seven runs (5 earned) on eight hits in 5.1 innings pitched...the offense was held to three hits, marking a season-low...Brian Dozier, Miguel Sanó and Eduardo Escobar each singled.

**BRING IN JULY:** Below are the April, May and June hitting and pitching comparisons:

	AVG	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	K	OBP	SLG
APRIL	.242	101	186	39	2	20	98	102	179	.331	.375
MAY	.260	125	236	51	5	37	190	103	235	.449	.786
JUNE	.243	123	241	44	0	37	118	83	239	.305	.400

	W	L	S	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	K	ERA
APRIL	12	11	8	204.0	184	97	89	26	69	153	3.93
MAY	14	12	6	240.0	247	152	140	49	110	193	5.25
JUNE	14	15	8	253.2	291	155	142	41	92	198	5.04

**ADDITIONAL JUNE NOTES:** Eduardo Escobar hit .354 (29-for-82) in 24 games in June, fifth best in the AL and 14th best in baseball...Brian Dozier led the AL in games with 29; tied with Milwaukee's Keon Broxton for most in baseball.

**WHO'S HERE NOW?:** The Twins announced today that they have recalled right-handed pitcher Ryan Pressly from Triple-A Rochester...Pressly was 2-0 with a 0.90 ERA (10.0 IP, 1 ER) in two separate stints with Rochester...to make room for Pressly on the 25-man roster, the Twins have optioned right-handed pitcher Alan Busenitz to Rochester...Busenitz made six appearances for the Twins posting a 2.08 ERA (8.2 IP, 2 ER)...additionally, the Twins have recalled right-handed pitcher Felix Jorge as their 26-man for the doubleheader...he is scheduled to start and make his major league debut tonight. Jorge was 8-1 with a 3.26 ERA (85.2, 31 ER) for Double-A Chattanooga.

**LET'S PLAY TWO:** The Twins are making up a game from April 29 today...they are playing their fourth doubleheader this season, first on the road...Twins still need to play a doubleheader at Chicago-AL on August 21...below are the previous three in 2017:

DATE AND OPPONENT	GAME 1 RESULT / GAME 2 RESULT
May 18 vs. Colorado	Lost Game 1, 1-5 / Won Game 2, 2-0
May 21 vs. Kansas City	Lost Game 1, 4-6 / Won Game 2, 8-4
June 17 vs. Colorado	Lost Game 1, 3-9 / Lost Game 2, 2-6

**TWINS AND ROYALS:** The Twins and Royals are playing the 10th and 11th of 19 games this season...they are 5-2 against the Royals this season...they have scored 25 of their 51 runs against the Royals in the seventh inning-or-later.

⚡ Miguel Sanó has hit safely in all nine games against the Royals this season, hitting .455 (15-for-33) with two doubles, one triple, three home runs, 19 RBI, 10 runs scored and a .538 on-base percentage...35% of his RBI are against the Royals (19 of 54).

⚡ Jorge Polanco is hitting .323 (10-for-31) with one double and six RBI against the Royals this season.

**KING OF KAUFFMAN:** Joe Mauer has hit .323 (108-for-334) with 24 doubles, two triples, six home runs, 56 RBI, 44 runs scored and .415 on-base percentage in 90 career games at Kauffman...below are Mauer's ranks in five different categories among active opponents at the K:

GAMES	HITS	RBI	DOUBLES	WALKS
V. Martinez - 107	V. Martinez - 121	M. Cabrera - 72	V. Martinez - 28	Mauer - 57
Mauer - 89	Mauer - 108	V. Martinez - 64	Mauer - 24	C. Santana - 47
M. Cabrera - 86	M. Cabrera - 106	Mauer - 56	A. Cabrera - 23	M. Cabrera - 41

**ROAD CONSTRUCTION:** The Twins have gone 24-13 on the road this season, posting a .649 winning percentage, the second highest road winning percentage in baseball, trailing only Houston (.763)...they have won 13 of their last 21 and 19 of their last 28 away from Target Field...they are five wins away from matching their 2016 road win total of 29-52.

**ON THIS DAY IN TWINS HISTORY:** In 1973, at California, Jim Kaat pitched a one-hitter to beat the Angels, 2-1...Frank Robinson's home run in the second was the only hit...it is one of 16 one-hitters in Twins history and one of 13 thrown by a starting pitcher himself (Blyleven - 3)

UPCOMING MILESTONES

PLAYER	CURRENT NO.	MILESTONE WITHIN REACH
Brian Dozier	129 home runs	Needs 3 to tie Jacque Jones (132) for 12th on Twins all-time list
	20 leadoff home runs	Needs 1 to pass Jacque Jones (20) and move into 1st on Twins all-time list
Joe Mauer	134 home runs	Needs 7 to tie Michael Cuddyer (141) for 10th on Twins all-time list
	1,659 games	Needs 17 to tie Tony Oliva (1,676) for 4th on Twins all-time list
	1,899 hits	Needs 18 to tie Tony Oliva (1,917) for 3rd on Twins all-time list
	382 doubles	Needs 32 to tie Kirby Puckett (414) for 1st on Twins all-time list
		Needs 18 to reach 400 for career
	849 walks	Needs 1 to reach 850 for career

STREAKS

Current Streak:	2 losses
Last 5 games:	1-4
Last 10 games:	5-5
Last 15 games:	6-9
Last 20 games:	8-12

TWINS VS. KANSAS CITY

2017 Record:	7-2
Current Streak:	1 loss
2017 at Home:	5-1
2017 at Kansas City:	2-1
All-Time Record:	391-370
All-Time at Home:	207-173
All-Time at Kansas City:	184-197

2017 Game Logs:

Date	Site	Score	Winner/Loser/Save
4/3	MIN	7-1	Santana/Strahm
4/5	MIN	9-1	Santiago/Kennedy
4/6	MIN	5-3	Rogers/Minor/Kintzler
4/28	KC	6-4	Breslow/Soria/Kintzler
4/29	KC		**PPD
4/30	KC	7-5	Hughes/Hammel/Kintzler
5/19	MIN	4-3	Kintzler/Albuquerque
5/21	MIN	4-6	Minor/Hughes/Herrera
	MIN	8-4	Kennedy/Mejia
6/30	KC	1-8	Vargas/Santana
7/1	KC		**KC
7/2	KC		
9/1	MIN		
9/2	MIN		
9/3	MIN		
9/7	KC		
9/8	KC		
9/9	KC		
9/10	KC		

CURRENT ROADTRIP (4-4)

Batting Average	.198 (52-for-263)
Runs Per Game	3.3 (24 R/8 G)
Home Runs	7
RISP	.224 (11-for-49)
Fielding Errors	9
Team ERA	2.65 (68.0 IP, 20 ER)
Starters W-L	3-4
Starters ERA	3.32 (40.2 IP, 15 ER)
Relievers W-L-S	1-0-2
Relievers ERA	1.65 (27.1 IP, 5 ER)
Save/Opportunities	2/3

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

7/1	RHP Jorge used as 26th man RHP Pressly recalled from AAA RHP Busenitz optioned to AAA
6/28	LHP Breslow placed on 10-day DL RHP Hughes returned from rehab and reinstated from 10-day DL
6/26	LHP Santiago returned from rehab and reinstated from 10-day DL RHP Gee optioned to AAA
6/23	RHP Gee contract selected RHP Hildenberger contract selected LHP Melotakis designated for release or assignment RHP Wimmers designated for release or assignment
6/22	LHP Turley designated for release or assignment IF Adrianza placed on 10-day DL
6/17	RHP Busenitz contract selected LHP Wilk designated for release or assignment RHP Wimmers used as 26th man LHP Wilk contract selected RHP Pressly optioned to AAA
6/16	RHP Heston outrighted to AAA



**JOSÉ BERRÍOS** #17

Height: 6-0 Weight: 198 B/T: R/R Age: 22 (5/27/94 in Bayamon, PR)

2017: 7-2, 2.98 CAREER: 10-9, 5.46 ERA

- He is making his 10th start and appearance of the season.
- He is making his 24th career start and appearance.

2017 MAJOR LEAGUE DAY-BY-DAY												
Date	Opp.	Dec.	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	Left/Final	Notes	Pitches/K
5/7	at CLE	W1	7.2	2	1	1	0	1	4	4-1/4-1	First start of the season	104/71
5/18	vs. COL	W2	7.2	2	0	0	0	1	11	2-0/2-0	11 strikeouts set career-high	106/72
5/24	at BAL	W3	6.1	4	3	3	3	2	7	4-1/4-3	Surrendered 3 home runs	95/58
5/30	vs. HOU	L1	5.0	5	4	4	0	4	5	2-4/2-7	First loss of the season	95/63
<b>MAY TOTALS</b>			<b>3-1</b>	<b>26.2</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>27</b>		<b>2.70 ERA</b>
6/4	at LAA	W4	6.0	6	2	2	0	2	4	3-2/3-2	Earned his fourth win of the season	103/65
6/10	at SF	W5	5.1	6	2	2	1	3	8	3-2/3-2	Surrendered season-high six hits	97/55
6/15	vs. SEA	W6	8.0	5	2	2	0	1	6	6-2/6-2	Pitched a career-high 8.0 innings	108/66
6/21	vs. CWS	W7	8.0	4	2	2	0	1	8	4-2/4-2	Won his fourth-straight game	97/66
6/26	at BOS	L2	6.1	8	4	4	1	2	7	1-2/1-4	Snapped four-game win streak	107/67
<b>JUNE TOTALS</b>			<b>4-1</b>	<b>33.2</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>33</b>			<b>3.21 ERA</b>
			<b>RECORD</b>	<b>IP</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>ER</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>BB</b>	<b>SO</b>		<b>ERA</b>
<b>2017 TOTALS</b>			<b>7-2</b>	<b>60.1</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>60</b>		<b>2.98</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>			<b>10-9</b>	<b>118.2</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>109</b>		<b>5.46</b>

2017 MINOR LEAGUE DAY-BY-DAY												
Date	Opp.	Dec.	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	Left/Final	Notes	Pitches/K
Rochester (AAA)												
4/8	at SYR	W1	6.0	3	0	0	0	1	7	--		--
4/13	at BUF	ND	8.0	4	1	0	0	0	6	--		--
4/19	at GWI	ND	5.0	5	4	3	1	2	5	--		--
4/25	vs. GWI	ND	6.0	4	2	1	1	3	10	--		--
4/30	vs. LOU	W2	8.0	2	0	0	0	2	7	--		--
<b>APRIL TOTALS</b>			<b>2-0</b>	<b>33.0</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>35</b>		<b>1.09 ERA</b>
5/7	vs. PAW	W3	6.2	6	1	1	0	0	4	--		--
<b>MAY TOTALS</b>			<b>1-0</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>			<b>1.35 ERA</b>
			<b>RECORD</b>	<b>IP</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>ER</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>BB</b>	<b>SO</b>		<b>ERA</b>
<b>2017 MiLB TOTALS</b>			<b>3-0</b>	<b>39.2</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>39</b>		<b>1.13</b>

**LAST TIME OUT:** Berríos suffered the loss in his last start on June 26 at Boston, allowing four runs in 6.1 innings on a season-high eight hits with seven strikeouts...allowed two runs in the first and two more in the seventh...surrendered a solo homer to Mitch Moreland in the first...snapped a four-game winning streak...matched a season-high with four runs allowed.

**AGAINST THE ROYALS:** Berríos is 0-1, 7.90 ERA (13.2 IP, 12 ER) in three career starts vs. Kansas City...suffered the loss in his last start vs. Kansas City on September 27, 2016, allowing three runs in 4.2 innings...has a 7.27 ERA (8.2 IP, 7 ER) in two career starts at Kauffman Stadium.

**BETTER WITH AGE:** Berríos already has more wins (7) in nine starts this season than he did in 14 starts last season (3)...at 60 strikeouts on the year, he's already surpassed his season total from last season (49)...has thrown 60.1 innings this season in nine starts after throwing 58.1 innings in 14 starts last season...overall, was 3-7 with a 8.02 ERA (58.1 IP, 52 ER) in his 14 starts last season and is 7-2, 2.98 ERA (60.1 IP, 20 ER) in nine starts this season.

**SINCE HIS PROMOTION:** Since his first start of the season on May 7, Berríos ranks tied for third in all of baseball in wins (7), fifth in opponent average (.196) and sixth in WHIP (0.98).

**BUILDING MOMENTUM:** Berríos is 8-4, 3.40 ERA (76.2 IP, 29 ER) with 68 strikeouts in his last 13 starts dating back to last season...has allowed two runs or fewer in eight of the 13 starts...Minnesota has won eight of his last 13 starts.

**COOL UNDER PRESSURE:** Opponents are hitting .176 (13-for-74) with 28 strikeouts with runners on base this season vs. Berríos, and .216 (8-for-37) with 14 strikeouts with a runner in scoring position.

**STICKING AROUND:** Berríos has thrown 6.0-plus innings in seven of his nine starts this season...pitched into the seventh inning in his last three stats...pitched 6.0-plus innings just once in his 14 starts last season, and 5.0-plus innings just seven times.

**NOT BAD, KID:** Berríos recorded a career-high 11 strikeouts on May 18 vs. Colorado, becoming the youngest pitcher to record 11-plus strikeouts in a game this season, and the youngest Twin to do so since Francisco Liriano on July 28, 2006 vs. Detroit...is the first Twin to record 11-plus strikeouts in a game since Ervin Santana on September 5, 2015 at Houston...is the first Twin to collect 11-plus strikeouts and not allow a run since Liriano on August 1, 2010 vs. Seattle.

**UNDER CONTROL:** Berríos is averaging 2.54 walks per nine innings this season, walking three-plus batters just twice in his nine starts...has issued just four walks in his last 22.1 innings...averaged 5.40 walks per nine innings last season, issuing three or more walks in seven of his 14 starts.

**A PITCHER'S BEST FRIEND:** Berríos has induced eight groundball double plays this season, the most on the Twins since his promotion on May 7...ranks tied for second in all of baseball with eight double plays since May 28...induced just five groundball double plays in 14 starts last season.

**FOR THE RED WINGS:** Was 3-0, 1.13 ERA (39.2 IP, 5 ER) with eight walks and 39 strikeouts in six starts for Triple-A Rochester this season...ranked first in the International League in ERA and WHIP (0.81), tied for second in wins, third in innings pitched and fourth in strikeouts...promoted to Minnesota on May 12.

**WORLD BASEBALL CLASSIC:** Berríos played for Team Puerto Rico in the 2017 World Baseball Classic, going 1-0, 8.10 ERA (6.2 IP, 6 ER) with two walks and 10 strikeouts.

2017 HIGHS	CAREER HIGHS
CG's: --	CG's: --
SHO's: --	SHO's: --
CG Low Hit: --	CG Low Hit: --
Innings: 8.0, 2x, last 6/21 vs. CWS	Innings: 8.0, 2x, last 6/21/17 vs. CWS
SO's: 11, 5/18 vs. COL	SO's: 11, 5/18/17 vs. COL
Walks: 4, 5/30 vs. HOU	Walks: 5, 2x, last 8/25/16 vs. DET
Hits: 8, 6/26 at BOS	Hits: 9, 9/5/16 vs. KC
Home Runs: 3, 5/24 at BAL	Home Runs: 3, 5/24/17 at BAL
Win-Streak: 4, 6/4-6/26	Win-Streak: 4, 6/4/17-current
Loss-Streak: 1, 2x, last 6/26-current	Loss-Streak: 6, 8/6/16-9/27/16

- ### CAREER NOTES
- Pitched for Team Puerto Rico in the 2017 World Baseball Classic, going 1-0, 8.10 ERA (6.2 IP, 6 ER) with two walks and 10 strikeouts.
  - Went 3-7, 8.02 ERA (58.1 IP, 52 ER) in 14 starts for Minnesota in 2016.
  - Made MLB debut April 27 vs. Cleveland.
  - Named Southern Pitcher of the Week entering 2016, as well as best curveball, best changeup, and best control in Twins system by *Baseball America*.
  - Named 20th best prospect in baseball by MLB.com entering 2016.
  - Started for the World Team in the SiriusXM Futures Games in consecutive seasons, 2014 at Target Field and 2015 at Great American Ball Park in Cincinnati.
  - Led all of minor league baseball in strikeouts (175) in 2015.
  - Named Southern Pitcher of the Week May 18, 2015, making one start vs. Birmingham, pitching 9.0 shutout innings, allowing two hits and eight strikeouts.
  - Named Midseason All-Star in each of the last three seasons: 2015 with Chattanooga, 2014 with Ft. Myers and 2013 with Cedar Rapids.
  - Appeared in first career spring training in 2015 with the Twins; reassigned March 15.
  - Set minor league career-high with 13 strikeouts while with Fort Myers June 1 vs. Tampa.
  - In 2013 played for Puerto Rico in the World Baseball Classic, making two appearances.
  - Selected by the Twins in the first compensation round (32nd overall) of 2012 First-Year Player Draft.
  - 2012 graduate of Papa Juan XXIII High School (PR).

2017 MISC. NUMBERS														
	W	L	ERA	G/GS	IP	ER		AVG	H	AB	HR	BB	SO	
Home:	3	1	2.51	4/4	28.2	8		Vs. Left:	.218	22	101	3	10	22
Road:	4	1	3.41	5/5	31.2	12		Vs. Right:	.177	20	113	2	7	38
Day:	5	0	2.70	5/5	33.1	10		TOTALS:	.196	42	214	5	17	60
Night:	2	2	3.33	4/4	27.0	10		None On:	.207	29	140	5	7	32
Grass:	7	2	2.98	9/9	60.1	20		Runners On:	.176	13	74	0	10	28
Turf:	-	-	--	-	-	-								

6.0-PLUS IP/QUALITY STARTS			
YEAR	STARTS	6+ IP	QS
2016	14	1	1
2017	9	7	6
TOTALS	23	8	7

MORE MISCELLANEOUS NUMBERS				
	BASE RUNNERS	PICK-OFFS	SB-ATT	GIDP
BERRÍOS:	65	0	2-3	8

2017 RUNS/HITS PER INNING									
INNING:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
RUNS/HITS:	4/8	0/1	6/10	2/6	3/6	1/4	4/6	0/1	-/-

- ### BERRÍOS VS. KANSAS CITY
- 2016 vs. Kansas City (3 starts): 0-1, 7.90 ERA (13.2 IP, 12 ER), 6 BB, 8 K
  - 2016 vs. Kansas City at Home (1 start): 0-1, 9.00 ERA (5.0 IP, 5 ER), 1 BB, 6 K
  - 2016 vs. Kansas City at Kansas City (2 starts): 0-0, 7.27 ERA (8.2 IP, 7 ER), 5 BB, 2 K
  - Career vs. Kansas City (3 starts): 0-1, 7.90 ERA (13.2 IP, 12 ER), 6 BB, 8 K
  - Career vs. Kansas City at Home (1 start): 0-1, 9.00 ERA (5.0 IP, 5 ER), 1 BB, 6 K
  - Career vs. Kansas City at Kansas City (2 starts): 0-0, 7.27 ERA (8.2 IP, 7 ER), 5 BB, 2 K

BATTER-PITCHER MATCH-UPS													
Berríos vs. the Royals						Farrell vs. the Twins							
PLAYER	AVG	AB	H	HR	BB	SO	PLAYER	AVG	AB	H	HR	BB	SO
Perez	.286	7	2	0	0	1	Has never faced a member of the Twins						
Cuthbert	.333	6	2	0	1	1							
Escobar	.333	6	2	0	0	1							
Hosmer	.333	6	2	0	1	0							
Gordon	.250	4	1	0	2	1							
Merrifield	.500	4	2	0	0	0							
Cain	.333	3	1	0	0	0							

TWINS STARTERS IN 2017										
Pitcher	Last Start (IP-H-R-ER-BB-K-HR)	Dec.	Starts	QS	Team Rec.	Run Supp.	RS	AVG		
Santana	6/30 at KC (5.1-8-7-5-2-5-2)	L	17	11	10-7	65	5.3			
Santiago	6/27 at BOS (2.0-1-2-2-2-2-1)	L	13	5	5-9	32	4.3			
Gibson	6/29 at BOS (5.2-6-5-3-1-2-2)	L	14	2	7-7	52	6.6			
Mejia	6/28 at BOS (5.2-5-0-0-1-3-0)	W	11	2	5-6	30	5.3			
Hughes	5/16 vs. COL (5.0-8-5-5-1-3-1)	L	8	3	6-2	37	7.7			
Berríos	6/26 at BOS (6.1-8-4-4-2-7-1)	L	9	6	7-2	29	4.3			
Turley	6/22 vs. CWS (0.2-6-5-5-0-0-2)	L	3	0	0-3	5	4.9			
Tepesch	5/6 vs. BOS (1.2-5-7-1-2-2-1)	L	1	0	0-1	0	0.0			
Wilk	6/17 vs. CLE (3.1-8-6-6-3-2-1)	L	1	0	0-1	1	2.7			



**FELIX JORGE** #76

Height: 6-2 Weight: 170 B/T: R/R Age: 23 (1/2/94 in Santiago, DR)

2017: 0-0, 0.00 ERA CAREER: 0-0, 0.00 ERA

- He is making the first start and appearance of the season.
- He is making the first start and appearance of his career.

2017 MINOR LEAGUE DAY-BY-DAY												
Date	Opp.	Dec.	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	Left/Final	Notes	Pitches/K
Chattanooga (AA)												
4/9	vs. MOB	ND	4.0	6	2	2	1	0	3	--		--
4/15	at JAX	W	5.2	3	1	1	0	3	4	--		--
4/20	vs. BIL	W	6.0	6	0	0	0	3	4	--		--
4/26	vs. TEN	L	5.0	10	6	6	2	1	4	--		--
<b>APRIL TOTALS</b>	<b>2-1</b>		<b>20.2</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>15</b>			<b>3.92 ERA</b>
5/1	at JAC	W	6.0	7	2	2	2	3	2	--		--
5/12	at MON	ND	4.2	9	2	1	1	2	3	--		--
5/17	vs. BIR	ND	6.1	4	5	5	1	3	6	--		--
5/22	at BIL	W	7.0	5	3	3	0	1	3	--		--
5/28	vs. MON	W	7.0	5	0	0	0	1	1	--		--
<b>MAY TOTALS</b>	<b>3-0</b>		<b>31.0</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>15</b>			<b>3.19 ERA</b>
6/2	at BIR	ND	6.2	4	2	2	1	1	6	--		--
6/7	vs. JAC	W	6.2	7	2	2	1	1	9	--		--
6/12	at MON	W	7.0	3	0	0	0	2	5	--		--
6/17	at TEN	W	6.0	9	5	5	2	1	4	--		--
6/24	vs. PEN	ND	7.2	11	2	2	0	0	7	--		--
<b>JUNE TOTALS</b>	<b>3-0</b>		<b>34.0</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>31</b>			<b>3.65 ERA</b>
			<b>RECORD</b>	<b>IP</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>ER</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>BB</b>	<b>SO</b>	<b>ERA</b>	
<b>2017 MiLB TOTALS</b>			<b>8-1</b>	<b>85.2</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>3.26</b>	
<b>MiLB CAREER TOTALS</b>			<b>36-29</b>	<b>622.2</b>	<b>586</b>	<b>246</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>503</b>	<b>3.18</b>	

**WELCOME TO THE SHOW:** Jorge is making his major league debut today...is the fifth pitcher to make his debut with the Twins this season, joining Justin Haley (April 5 vs. Kansas City), Jason Wheeler (May 30 vs. Houston), Randy Rosario (June 2 at Los Angeles-AL) and Nik Turley (June 11 at San Francisco).

**LAST TIME OUT:** Jorge allowed two runs in a season-high 7.2 innings with seven strikeouts but did not factor into the decision in his last minor league start on June 24 vs. Pensacola...pitched 6.0-plus innings for a eighth-straight start.

**IN THE MINORS:** Jorge was 8-1 with a 3.26 ERA (85.2 IP, 31 ER) with 22 walks and 61 strikeouts in 14 starts for Double-A Chattanooga this season...ranked second in the Southern League in wins and fifth in innings pitched at the time of his last start on June 24...earned the win in six straight decisions for the Lookouts and hasn't lost since April 26.

**LEADING THE PACK:** Jorge led all Twins farmhands in wins (8) and innings pitched (85.2) and ranked sixth in strikeouts (61) at the time of his last start on June 24.

**HE MIGHT LOOK FAMILIAR:** Jorge was in Twins spring training this season and appeared in two games, allowing two runs on two hits with one walk and one strikeout.

**A LOOK AT THE TROPHY CASE:** Jorge has earned a number of awards and honors while in the minor leagues:

- 2016 *Baseball America* High Class A All-Star (Ft. Myers).
- 2016 MiLB.com Florida State League Player of the Month (June; Ft. Myers).
- 2016 Midseason All-Star (Ft. Myers).
- 2015 Midseason All-Star (Cedar Rapids).
- 2014 *Baseball America* Rookie All-Star (Elizabethton).
- 2014 Appalachian League Player of the Year (Elizabethton).
- 2014 Post-Season All-Star (Elizabethton).

**HEATING UP WITH THE WEATHER:** Jorge posted a 3.92 ERA (20.2 IP, 9 ER) in June, a 3.19 ERA (31.0 IP, 11 ER) in May and a 2.91 ERA (34.0 IP, 11 ER) in June.

**2016 RECAP:**

- Began season with Single-A Ft. Myers.
- Named Twins minor league Player of the Week June 18, making one start at Lakeland (June 15), allowing one run on six hits in 7.2 innings pitched with no walks and six strikeouts.
- Named MiLB.com Florida State League Player of the Month in June, going 5-0, 1.59 ERA (34.0 IP, 6 ER) with two walks, 31 strikeouts and two complete games (1 shutout) in five starts.
- Named Florida State League Midseason All-Star.
- Won seven straight games for the Miracle and was promoted to Double-A Chattanooga July 7.
- Made 11 starts for the Lookouts, including a 9.0-inning complete game in final start September 5 at Jackson.
- Combined to go 12-8, 2.69 ERA (167.1 IP, 50 ER) with 23 walks, 109 strikeouts and three complete games in 25 starts between Ft. Myers and Chattanooga.
- Added to Twins 40-man roster November 18.
- Named eighth best prospect in Twins system by *Baseball America* entering 2017.

2017 HIGHS	CAREER HIGHS
CG's: --	CG's: --
SHO's: --	SHO's: --
CG Low Hit: --	CG Low-Hit: --
Innings: --	Innings: --
SO's: --	SO's: --
Walks: --	Walks: --
Hits: --	Hits: --
Home Runs: --	Home Runs: --
Win-Streak: --	Win-Streak: --
Loss-Streak: --	Loss-Streak: --

- CAREER NOTES**
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  - Named MiLB.com Florida State League Player of the Month in June of 2016, going 5-0, 1.59 ERA (34.0 IP, 6 ER) with two walks, 31 strikeouts and two complete games (1 shutout) in five starts.
  - Named a 2016 Florida State League Midseason All-Star.
  - Spent the entire 2015 season with Single-A Cedar Rapids, going 6-7, 2.79 ERA (142.0 IP, 44 ER) in 23 appearances (22 starts).
  - Named Midwest League Pitcher of the Week April 20, 2015 after going 1-0, 0.75 ERA (12.0 IP, 1 ER) with four walks and 19 strikeouts in two starts...named the Twins minor league Player of the Week July 24 after going 1-0, 2.57 ERA (7.0 IP, 2 ER) with one walk and seven strikeouts for the Kernels.
  - Named a 2015 Midwest League Midseason All-Star.
  - Split the 2014 season between Single-A Cedar Rapids and Rookie-Elizabethton...named the Appalachian League Pitcher of the Year and a Postseason All-Star.
  - Named a *Baseball America* Rookie Class-A All-Star in 2014.
  - Played the entire 2013 season with Rookie-Elizabethton, making a team-high 12 starts...72 strikeouts were third most in the Appalachian League while his 10.62 strikeouts-per-9.0 innings pitched led the League
  - Pitched second professional season with GCL Twins, appearing in 12 games (7 starts), recording 37 strikeouts in 34.2 innings pitched in 2012.
  - Spent first professional season with DSL Twins, appearing in nine games (5 starts), posting a 2.67 ERA (27.0 IP, 8 ER) in 2011.
  - Signed by Minnesota as undrafted free agent February 21, 2011; signed by scout Fred Guerrero.

**2017 MISC. NUMBERS**

	W	L	ERA	G/GS	IP	ER	AVG	H	AB	HR	BB	SO
Home:	--	--	--	--	--	--	Vs. Left:	--	--	--	--	--
Road:	--	--	--	--	--	--	Vs. Right:	--	--	--	--	--
Day:	--	--	--	--	--	--	TOTALS:	--	--	--	--	--
Night:	--	--	--	--	--	--	None On:	--	--	--	--	--
Grass:	--	--	--	--	--	--	Runners On:	--	--	--	--	--
Turf:	--	--	--	--	--	--						

**6.0-PLUS IP/QUALITY STARTS**

YEAR	STARTS	6+ IP	QS
2017	--	--	--
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>--</b>

**MORE MISCELLANEOUS NUMBERS**

	BASE RUNNERS	PICK-OFFS	SB-ATT	GIDP
JORGE:	--	--	--	--

**2017 RUNS/HITS PER INNING**

INNING:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
RUNS/HITS:	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-

**JORGE VS. KANSAS CITY**

2017 vs. Kansas City: --

2017 vs. Kansas City: at Home: --

2017 vs. Kansas City: at Kansas City: --

Career vs. Kansas City: --

Career vs. Kansas City: at Home: --

Career vs. Kansas City at Kansas City: --

**BATTER-PITCHER MATCH-UPS**

Jorge vs. the Royals							Hammel vs. the Twins						
PLAYER	AVG	AB	H	HR	BB	SO	PLAYER	AVG	AB	H	HR	BB	SO
Has never faced a member of the Royals													
							Mauer	.278	18	5	1	3	1
							Castro	.182	11	2	0	3	3
							Dozier	.182	11	2	1	0	3
							Escobar	.143	7	1	0	1	4
							Grossman	.200	5	1	1	0	0
							Vargas	.200	5	1	0	0	1
							Buxton	.250	4	1	0	1	0
							Kepler	.750	4	3	0	1	0
							Polanco	.500	4	2	0	1	0
							Sano	.500	4	2	1	1	1
							Rosario	.333	3	1	0	1	1
							Adrianza	.000	1	0	0	1	1

**TOMORROW'S STARTER - LHP HECTOR SANTIAGO [SEASON: 4-7, 5.37 ERA ; CAREER: 40-45, 3.97 ERA]**

Santiago will be making his second start since returning from the 10-day disabled list on June 27 (left shoulder strain)...suffered the loss in his last start on June 27 at Boston, allowing two runs in 2.0 innings...has lost five straight starts and six straight games overall...has a 9.51 ERA (23.2 IP, 25 ER) in his last six starts...is 1-0, 3.60 ERA (10.0 IP, 4 ER) in two starts vs. Kansas City this season...last faced the Royals on May 19, allowing three runs in 5.0 innings...is 3-3, 3.93 ERA (66.1 IP, 29 ER) in 17 appearances (11 starts) vs. the Royals in his career...is 2-1, 3.73 ERA (31.1 IP, 13 ER) in eight career appearances (5 starts) at Kauffman Stadium.





TEAM BULLPEN NOTES

⊕ Since June 14, the Twins bullpen has the lowest ERA (2.57) in the AL (next Cleveland - 2.65), and 3rd lowest in MLB (Arizona - 1.83; San Diego - 2.13).  
 ⊕ Twins bullpen has a 4.81 ERA (276.2 IP, 148 ER) this season, which ranks 13th among AL teams...the 'pen has allowed a .272 opponent average with 105 walks and 220 strikeouts.

**MATT BELISLE - RHP #9**  
 Height: 6-3 Weight: 230 B/T: R/R Age: 37 (6/6/80 in Austin, TX) Obtained: Signed as free agent, 2/2/17  
 Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 3.38 (2.2 IP, ER) Series at KC: - - vs. Left: .222 vs. Right: .298

⊕ 33 appearances in 2017...25 outings without an earned run (25.2 IP)...allowed all 22 earned runs in 8 of the 32 outings (4.2 IP).  
 ⊕ Twins mark his sixth organization (Atlanta 1999-03, Cincinnati 2003-08, Colorado 2009-14, St. Louis 2015, Washington 2016).  
 ⊕ Combined to go 0-1, 2.04 (53.0 IP, 12 ER) with seven walks and 38 K in 46 games between Washington, Syracuse, Harrisburg in 2016.  
 ⊕ Posted a 1.53 ERA (29.1 IP, 5 ER) with four walks and 20 strikeouts from July 7, 2016 through the end of the season.  
 ⊕ Posted career-career bests in ERA (1.76), hits-per-9.0 IP (8.41) and walks-per-9.0 IP (1.37).

RECENT APPEARANCES									
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	
6/27 at BOS	ND	2.0	2	3	0	1	1	1	
6/26 at BOS	ND	0.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	
6/24 at CLE	BS3	0.2	2	1	1	0	0	0	
6/22 vs. CWS	ND	1.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
6/20 vs. CWS	H12	1.1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
6/17-1 vs. CLE	ND	2.0	3	1	0	0	0	1	
6/14 vs. SEA	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	2	
6/11 at SF	BS2/L1.0.2	4	4	4	0	0	1	0	

**BUDDY BOSHERS - LHP #62**  
 Height: 6-3 Weight: 205 B/T: L/L Age: 29 (5/9/88 in Huntsville, AL) Obtained: Signed as minor league free agent, 12/14/15  
 Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 2.70 (3.1 IP, ER) Series at KC: - - vs. Left: .208 vs. Right: .271

⊕ In last 6 road appearances has allowed one run in 7.1 innings pitched, two walks with four strikeouts.  
 ⊕ Recalled prior to 5/30 game (Rucinski optioned)...is 2nd stint with Twins in 2017.  
 ⊕ Has a 4.38 ERA (12.1 IP, 6 ER) with three walks and 12 strikeouts in 14 outings with Triple-A Rochester this season...in nine appearances since option 5/2 had a 3.12 ERA (8.2 IP, 3 ER) with two walks and nine strikeouts for the Red Wings.  
 ⊕ Spent 2015 in the Independent Atlantic League with Somerset and was named the Atlantic League Reliever of the Year.  
 ⊕ Was drafted by the Angels in the 4th round in 2008...made his major league debut in 2013 with Los Angeles.

RECENT APPEARANCES									
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	
6/29 at BOS	ND	0.2	3	1	1	0	1	0	
6/26 at BOS	ND	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	0	
6/25 at CLE	ND	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
6/22 vs. CWS	ND	2.0	4	2	2	0	1	3	
6/17 vs. CLE	ND	2.0	2	1	1	0	1	1	
6/14 vs. SEA	ND	1.0	2	1	0	0	0	1	
6/12 vs. SEA	ND	2.0	2	0	0	0	0	1	
6/11 at SF	H1	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2	
6/6 at SEA	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	

**TYLER DUFFEY - RHP #56**  
 Height: 6-3 Weight: 222 B/T: R/R Age: 26 (12/27/90 in Houston, TX) Drafted: 5th round, 2012 Draft  
 Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 2.08 (4.1 IP, ER) Series at KC: - - vs. Left: .207 vs. Right: .233

⊕ Has 15 appearances of 1.1+ IP, posting a 1.82 ERA (29.2 IP, 6 ER) with 3 HR, 4 BB, 32 K.  
 ⊕ Has a 1.37 ERA (19.2 IP, 3 ER) in 13 road appearances this season...13 of his 16 earned runs allowed have come at home in 2017.  
 ⊕ Has 36 career starts, all with the Twins (2015-16)...is 14-13, 5.42 ERA (191.0 IP, 115 ER) with 52 walks and 167 K as a starter.  
 ⊕ Made his first career Opening Day roster...started 2016 at Triple-A Rochester.  
 ⊕ 5th round selection by the Twins in the 2012 First-Year Player Draft...was reliever at Rice from 2010-12 posting a 3.06 ERA in 92 outings.

RECENT APPEARANCES									
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	
6/28 at BOS	ND	1.0	1	1	1	0	2	1	
6/24 at CLE	ND	1.1	0	0	0	0	0	1	
6/23 at CLE	ND	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	3	
6/18 vs. CLE	ND	0.2	2	1	1	0	1	2	
6/17-2 vs. CLE	ND	1.1	3	3	3	1	1	2	
6/13 vs. SEA	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1	
6/10 at SF	H6	1.2	0	0	0	0	0	0	
6/7 at SEA	H5	2.1	1	1	1	1	0	2	

**TREVOR HILDENBERGER - RHP #39**  
 Height: 6-2 Weight: 211 B/T: R/R Age: 26 (12/15/90 in San Jose, CA) Drafted: 22nd Round, 2014 Draft  
 Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (3.0 IP) Series at KC: - - vs. Left: .167 vs. Right: .200

⊕ Made his major league debut with 1.0 scoreless IP 6/23...struckout 1st batter faced...was 6th Twin to make MLB debut this season.  
 ⊕ Career minor league record of 9-11, 1.57 ERA (171.2 IP, 30 ER) with 26 walks and 200 strikeouts in 124 relief outings.  
 ⊕ Selected by Twins in 22nd round of 2014 draft out of Cal, first Twin from 2014 draft to make majors...climbed minors quickly spending 2014 in GCL/E-Town, 2015 in Cedar Rapids/Ft. Myers, 2016 in Ft. Myers/Chattanooga and 2017 in Rochester.

RECENT APPEARANCES									
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	
6/27 at BOS	ND	2.0	1	0	0	0	2	2	
6/23 at CLE	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1	

**PHIL HUGHES - RHP #45**  
 Height: 6-5 Weight: 238 B/T: R/R Age: 31 (6/24/86 in Mission Viejo, CA) Obtained: Signed as free agent, 12/5/13  
 Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.2 IP) Series at KC: - - vs. Left: .354 vs. Right: .272

⊕ Returned from rehab at Triple-A Rochester and reinstated from DL 6/28...missed 35 games on the DL with right arm soreness...made 3 appearances with Rochester on his rehab assignment, posting a 3.00 ERA (3.0 IP, ER) with 3 hits, 2 BB, 1 K.  
 ⊕ In 54 career relief appearances has a record of 6-2, 2.14 ERA (63.0 IP, 15 ER) with 3 saves (6 opps), 18 walks and 75 strikeouts...since 2013 has just 5 relief outings (6.2 IP, 6 ER, 8.10 ERA).  
 ⊕ Has 7 career relief outings of 2.0+ IP, including a career-high 3.2 relief IP 6/10/09 at BOS...2.30 ERA (15.2 IP, 4 ER) in those 7.

RECENT APPEARANCES									
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	
6/30 at BOS	ND	1.2	1	0	0	0	0	2	

**BRANDON KINTZLER - RHP #27**  
 Height: 6-0 Weight: 190 B/T: R/R Age: 32 (8/1/84 in Las Vegas, NV) Obtained: Signed as minor league free agent, 12/15/15  
 Roadtrip: 0-0-2, 0.00 (3.0 IP) Series at KC: - - vs. Left: .220 vs. Right: .258

⊕ 2nd in AL, and 3rd in MLB, converting 21 of 24 save opps (Kimbrel)...since start of 2016 is 38-for-44 in save opportunities.  
 ⊕ 2nd Twin since 2010 to convert 20-plus saves pre-ASG (Perkins 2013-15, Rauch 2010).  
 ⊕ Righties are 2-for-last-15 vs. Kintzler...13 of 17 hits allowed by righties this season have been singles.  
 ⊕ Earned a five-out save 5/11 at CWS, the fifth save of his career going more than 1.0 inning.  
 ⊕ In 2004, served as manager at a Cold Stone Creamery owned by his sister, Amy...worked in front office of independent Winnipeg Goldeyes in 2008 offseason, selling tickets...during the 2009 offseason, worked as a limo driver for the Wynn Hotel in Las Vegas.  
 ⊕ Went 17-for-20 in save opportunities in 2016...issued eight walks, tied for third fewest in baseball (minimum 50.9 IP)...posted an ERA of 1.85 (24.1 IP, 5 ER) in 24 road games, compared to 4.20 (30.0 IP, 14 ER) in 30 home games...led Twins in 2016 with 17 saves.

RECENT APPEARANCES									
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	
6/28 at BOS	S21	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1	
6/25 at CLE	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
6/24 at CLE	S20	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
6/21 vs. CWS	S19	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1	
6/20 vs. CWS	S18	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
6/18 vs. CLE	ND	1.0	1	1	1	0	0	1	
6/15 vs. SEA	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
6/10 at SF	S17	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
6/8 at SEA	S16	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2	
6/7 at SEA	BS3/L1.0.2	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	
6/4 at LAA	S15	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	

**RYAN PRESSLY - RHP #57**  
 Height: 6-3 Weight: 210 B/T: R/R Age: 27 (12/15/88 in Dallas, TX) Obtained: Rule 5 Draft from Boston, 12/6/12  
 Roadtrip: - - Series at KC: - - vs. Left: .355 vs. Right: .218

⊕ Has an active 8.0 scoreless inning streak over last 10 appearances vs. the Royals since 8/13/16...in that span has allowed seven hits and one walk while striking out six.  
 ⊕ Recalled 7/1...was optioned to Triple-A Rochester June 17...made 4 appearances for the Red Wings since option, posting a 1.50 ERA (6.0 IP, 1 ER) with three hits, three walks and eight strikeouts...7 outings for Red Wings in 2017 with a 0.90 ERA (10.0 IP, 1 ER).  
 ⊕ Struckout 5 batters in 2.0 IP 5/18 vs. COL, the 6th Twin to strikeout 5 in 2.0 IP or less and first since Joe Nathan (5/23/06).  
 ⊕ Led Twins in games (72) and holds (14) and tied for third in wins (6) in 2016.

RECENT APPEARANCES									
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	
6/16 vs. CLE	ND	2.0	1	0	0	0	0	2	
6/13 vs. SEA	ND	2.0	1	1	1	0	0	1	
5/31 vs. HOU	ND	0.0	1	2	2	1	1	0	
5/29 vs. HOU	ND	0.1	3	5	5	0	1	0	
5/28 vs. TB	ND	1.1	0	0	0	0	1	3	
5/26 vs. TB	ND	1.1	2	1	1	1	0	1	
5/24 at BAL	H4	0.2	0	0	0	0	1	0	
5/18-1 vs. COL	ND	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	5	
5/11 at CWS	W1	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	3	

**TAYLOR ROGERS - LHP #55**  
 Height: 6-3 Weight: 170 B/T: L/L Age: 26 (12/17/90 in Littleton, CO) Drafted: 11th round, 2012 Draft  
 Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (3.2 IP) Series at KC: - - vs. Left: .257 vs. Right: .239

⊕ Has an active 11.0 scoreless inning streak since 6/4, which is 8th longest in the AL...5th longest scoreless streak by a Twin in 2017...has allowed just seven hits, two walks and struckout seven in 10 appearances during the streak.  
 ⊕ 17 holds in 2017 are tied second in all of baseball behind only Adam Ottavino.  
 ⊕ Last season, ranked 5th among AL rookies in games (57), 1st among left-handers...tied for 9th in games among all AL lefties.  
 ⊕ 7th on Twins all-time games list for rookies (57 in '16)...4th among LHPs (J. Mijares, '09 - 71; G. Wayne, '89 - 60; L. Whitehouse, '83 - 60).  
 ⊕ Held left-handed hitters to a .202 (17-for-84) average and right-handers to a .291 (46-for-158) average with Twins last season.  
 ⊕ Originally selected in the 11th round of the 2012 First-Year Player Draft by the Twins out of the University of Kentucky.  
 ⊕ Twin brother, Tyler, is a right-handed pitcher in the Giants system playing at Triple-A Sacramento...if Tyler makes MLB debut (not on 40-man roster) would be 10th set of twins in MLB history to play in majors at the same time.

RECENT APPEARANCES									
DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	
6/28 at BOS	H17	1.1	0	0	0	0	0	2	
6/24 at CLE	W4	1.1	1	0	0	0	1	2	
6/23 at CLE	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
6/20 vs. CWS	H16	1.0	2	0	0	0	0	1	
6/18 vs. CLE	ND	1.1	0	0	0	0	0	1	
6/17-2 vs. CLE	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	
6/13 vs. SEA	ND	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
6/8 at SEA	H15	1.0	2	0	0	0	0	0	
6/7 at SEA	H14	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	0	
6/4 at LAA	H13	0.1	0	0	0	0	1	0	
6/1 at LAA	W3	1.0	2	1	1	1	0	1	
5/28 vs. TB	ND	1.0	2	0	0	0	0	1	
5/27 vs. TB	W2	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	



**BYRON BUXTON - OF #25**  
 Height: 6-2 Weight: 189 B/T: R/R Age: 23 (12/19/93 in Baxley, GA)  
 2017 Average: .195 Streak: 0-6, BB Series at KC: 0-2, BB  
 Roadtrip: 2-24, RBI, 2 BB, r HR (4): Solo (4)

- Ⓢ Batting .162 (11-for-68) in 23 career games vs. KC... .077 (2-for-26) vs. KC in 2017.
- Ⓢ Leads Twins in stolen bases with 13.
- Ⓢ Hit .287 (29-for-101) with six doubles, two triples, nine home runs, 22 RBI, 24 runs scored and 10 walks in 29 September/October games; 24 runs scored led the AL, nine home runs were tied for seventh, and 22 RBI ranked 10th.
- Ⓢ Given 2016 Jim Kaat Award for Twins Defensive Player of the Year as voted on by the Twin Cities Chapter of the BBWAA...4 errors in 249 total chances in 2016.
- Ⓢ 2nd overall pick in 2012, behind Houston's Carlos Correa.

**JASON CASTRO - C #21**  
 Height: 6-3 Weight: 212 B/T: L/R Age: 29 (6/18/87 in Castro Valley, CA)  
 2017 Average: .217 Streak: 0-4 Series at KC: 0-4  
 Roadtrip: 3-20, 2 2B, 3 RBI, 3 BB, r HR (6): Solo (5), 2-Run (1)

- Ⓢ Career average of .284 (29-for-102) vs. KC... .271 (13-for-48) at Kauffman.
- Ⓢ Tied career-high with 4 hits 6/13 vs. SEA as Twins collected franchise best 28 hits.
- Ⓢ Snapped 11-game hit-streak 6/11...was longest streak since career-high 12-game streak from 7/31-8/14/2013...was the 2nd longest by Twin in 2017 (Rosario - 15).
- Ⓢ Signed 3-year contract with the Twins on 11/30/16...spent 8 seasons in Houston org.
- Ⓢ Finished 2016 first among AL catchers in triples (3), second in walks (43), fifth in on-base percentage (.309) and tied for fifth in doubles (16).
- Ⓢ Named finalist for AL Gold Glove Award as catcher in 2015.

**BRIAN DOZIER - 2B #2**  
 Height: 5-11 Weight: 198 B/T: R/R Age: 30 (5/15/87 in Tupelo, MS)  
 2017 Average: .249 Streak: 3g, 3-8, 2B Series at KC: 1-4  
 Roadtrip: 9-33, 2 2B, HR, 3 RBI, BB, 2 r HR (13): Solo (10), 2-run (2), ITP (1)

- Ⓢ .339 (21-for-62) vs. lefties this season... .393 (11-for-28) in last 11 vs. LHPs.
- Ⓢ Batting .242 (80-for-331) lifetime vs. KC...hit in 5 straight vs. KC...has a hit in 8 of 9 games vs. KC in 2017, batting .268 (11-for-41)...3-for-last-24 at Kauffman.
- Ⓢ Hitting .260 on the road this season compared to .239 at home.
- Ⓢ Finished 2016 tied for third in baseball in home runs (42) with Khris Davis and Edwin Encarnacion, trailing Mark Trumbo (47) and Nelson Cruz (43); became just the second Twin to ever finish among top three in any season (Killebrew, 6 times: 1961-64, '66 and '69)...joined Killebrew as only Twins in history with 40-plus HR.
- Ⓢ Finished with 40 home runs as second baseman (2 as designated hitter), tied with Ryne Sandberg (1990) for third most in baseball history at the position, trailing Davey Johnson (1973) and Rogers Hornsby (1922), who each hit 42.
- Ⓢ 130 career HR are 13th in Twins history, next: Mauer (134)...leads Twins in games (542), hits (533), runs (354), 2B (124), HR (106), RBI (282), walks (247) since 2014.
- Ⓢ First career inside-the-park homer 4/16 vs. CWS of Shields...52nd in MN history.
- Ⓢ Tied for lead on Twins all-time list in leadoff HR (20) with Jacque Jones...last leadoff HR: 4/12/17 at DET off Fulmer.

**EDUARDO ESCOBAR - INF #5**  
 Height: 5-10 Weight: 185 B/T: S/R Age: 28 (1/5/89 in Villa de Cura, VZ)  
 2017 Average: .275 Streak: 3g, 3-12, HR, RBI, BB Series at KC: 1-4  
 Roadtrip: 4-28, HR, RBI, BB HR (8): Solo (3), 2-run (3), 3-run (2)

- Ⓢ .283 (49-for-173) career average vs. KC... .313 (25-for-80) at Kauffman...hit in 6 straight here, batting .400 (8-for-20).
- Ⓢ Has 7 multi-hit games in last 20 starts...4 HR, 10 RBI in last 17 starts.
- Ⓢ Tied career-high with 5 hits 6/13 vs. SEA.
- Ⓢ Career-long 9-game hit-streak 6/13-22, batting .472 (17-for-36) with 4 2B, 2 HR.
- Ⓢ Hitting .314 (22-for-70) vs. lefties and .250 (28-for-112) vs. righties in 2017... batting .345 (10-for-29) in his last 14 games vs. lefties.
- Ⓢ Played catcher for the first time in his career on June 6 at Seattle, doing so in the 8th inning...only position he has not played in career is first base (has pitched).
- Ⓢ Given 2016 Carl R. Pohlad for Outstanding Community Service...visits under privileged schools and provides tickets and BP passes to select students.

**CHRIS GIMENEZ - C #38**  
 Height: 6-2 Weight: 230 B/T: R/R Age: 34 (12/27/82 in Gilroy, CA)  
 2017 Average: .207 Streak: 0-3 Series at KC: --  
 Roadtrip: 2-10, 2 HR, 2 RBI, 2 r HR (5): Solo (4), 3-run (1)

- Ⓢ Hit 5th HR of 2017 6/26 at BOS, tying his career-high (5 in 2015 with TEX).
- Ⓢ Batting .205 (18-for-88) with 3 2B, 5 HR, 9 RBI, 16 BB in 28 starts this season.
- Ⓢ Twins are 5th org (CLE 2004-10, '14, '16; SEA 2011; TB 2012-13; TEX 2014-16).
- Ⓢ Made 9th career relief pitching appearance, and 6th of 2017, with 1.0 IP 6/22 vs. CWS...career 8.00 ERA (9.0 IP, 8 ER) with 1 K and no walks as pitcher.
- Ⓢ Hometown of Gilroy, CA is considered the "Garlic Capital of the World."
- Ⓢ First career multi-HR game 6/15 vs. SEA, came in his 319th career game.
- Ⓢ Hit .232 (55-for-237) in 103 games the last two seasons between Texas and Cleveland...the teams had a combined 62-41 record in those games.

**ROBBIE GROSSMAN - OF #36**  
 Height: 6-0 Weight: 215 B/T: S/L Age: 27 (9/16/89 in San Diego, CA)  
 2017 Average: .250 Streak: 1g, 1-4, 2B Series at KC: --  
 Roadtrip: 3-13, 2B, RBI, BB HR (6): Solo (3), 2-run (3)

- Ⓢ Hitting .321 (9-for-28) in last 8 road games.
- Ⓢ In 56 starts this season is batting .251 (49-for-195) with 10 2B, 6 HR, 21 RBI... has reached safely in 46 of his 56 starts.
- Ⓢ Owns a .383 on-base percentage, the 5th-highest mark in the AL.
- Ⓢ Set single-season career-highs in 2016 in hits (93), doubles (19), home runs (11) and runs (49) and tied career-high in walks (55).
- Ⓢ Originally acquired by Twins, signing as minor league free agent, 5/16/16.

**MAX KEPLER - OF #26**  
 Height: 6-4 Weight: 220 B/T: L/L Age: 24 (2/10/93 in Berlin, Germany)  
 2017 Average: .243 Streak: 0-6, BB Series at KC: 0-2, BB  
 Roadtrip: 3-22, 2B, HR, 3 RBI, BB, 3 r HR (9): Solo (4), 2-run (4), 3-run (1)

- Ⓢ Hitting .286 (10-for-35) with 2 2B, HR, 4 RBI vs. KC in 2017...has a hit in 11 of last 12 vs. the Royals since 9/27/16, batting .289 (13-for-45) in that span.
- Ⓢ AL Rookie Ranks in 2016: 42 walks (1st), 63 RBI (2nd), 39 XBH (2nd), 17 HR (3rd), 52 R (T-3rd), 168 TB (4th), 20 2B (T-4th).
- Ⓢ 17 HR in 2016 were ninth among all-time Twins rookies, 63 RBI are 10th most.
- Ⓢ Hit 3 HR 8/1/16; one of 7 Twins (Allison, Killebrew, Oliva, Morneau, Dozier, Rosario).
- Ⓢ Originally signed by the Twins in July of 2009 from Berlin...one of 43 German-born players to play Major League Baseball entering 2017...speaks fluent German.

**JOE MAUER - 1B #7**  
 Height: 6-5 Weight: 225 B/T: L/R Age: 34 (4/19/83 in St. Paul, MN)  
 2017 Average: .286 Streak: 0-3, BB Series at KC: 0-3, BB  
 Roadtrip: 10-27, 3 2B, RBI, 3 BB, SB, 3 r HR (4): Solo (2), 2-run (2)

- Ⓢ Batting .314 (218-for-694) lifetime vs. KC... .323 (108-for-334) at Kauffman...1-for-last-23 at Kauffman since 8/18/16 (7 games).
- Ⓢ .346 (28-for-81) in 22 May games, .225 in 21 April games, .287 in 25 June games.
- Ⓢ Hit first career walk-off home run 5/5 vs. BOS (6,010th career at-bat).
- Ⓢ 2017 is 13th Opening Day, tying Killebrew for most in club history.
- Ⓢ Ranked 9th in AL in walks (79) in 2016...ranks 7th among actives in walks.
- Ⓢ Hitting .286 in career vs. LHP, 5th best AVG among active LHB's...5-for-last-15 (.333) in his last 6 games vs. left-handed pitchers.
- Ⓢ Ranks on Twins all-time list (since 1961): 2nd in 2B (382) and walks (849), 3rd in average (.308), 4th in hits (1899) and runs (919), 5th in games (1659), 6th in total bases (2739) and RBI (834), 10th in HR (134), and 13th in triples (28)...needs 18 hits to tie Oliva for 3rd, 26 RBI to tie Morneau for 5th, 17 games to tie Oliva for 4th.

**JORGE POLANCO - INF #11**  
 Height: 5-11 Weight: 198 B/T: S/R Age: 23 (7/5/93 in S.Pedro de Macoris, DR)  
 2017 Average: .242 Streak: 0-4 Series at KC: 0-4  
 Roadtrip: 5-30, 2 2B, HR, 4 RBI, BB, 2 r HR (3): Solo (2), 2-run (1)

- Ⓢ Has a hit in 6 of last 8 games, batting .276 (8-for-29) with 2 2B, HR, 4 RBI.
- Ⓢ From July 30 through end of season, ranked 3rd among AL rookies in hits (63), 4th in games (56) and batting average (.288), and T5th in doubles (12) and RBI (23).
- Ⓢ Hit .309 (21-for-68) vs. LHP in 2016, and .271 (48-for-177) vs. RHP.
- Ⓢ Combined to hit .279 (150-for-538) with 29 doubles, 10 triples, 13 homers, 56 runs and nine stolen bases in 144 games between Rochester and Minnesota in 2016.

**EDDIE ROSARIO - OF #20**  
 Height: 6-0 Weight: 180 B/T: L/R Age: 25 (9/28/91 in Guayama, PR)  
 2017 Average: .276 Streak: 0-7, BB Series at KC: 0-4  
 Roadtrip: 7-22, 2B, HR, 2 RBI, BB, 4 r HR (10): Solo (7), 2-run (2), 3-run (1)

- Ⓢ .226 (26-for-115) lifetime vs. KC...0-for-last-14 vs. KC...batting .226 (14-for-62) in 17 career games at Kauffman.
- Ⓢ 3 HR 6/13; 7th Twin to do so (Allison, Killebrew, Oliva, Morneau, Dozier, Kepler)... first 3-HR game by a 9-hole hitter in MLB since Trot Nixon in 1999 for the Rangers.
- Ⓢ Hit 9 of his 10 HR in 2017 at Target Field...all 10 vs. right-handed pitchers.
- Ⓢ Snapped 15 game hit-streak with 0-for-3 on 5/6...was career-long passing 8-game streak from 5/24-6/3/15.
- Ⓢ Played for Puerto Rico in WBC, hitting .316 (6-for-19), 2 2B, 3B, 5 RBI in 6 games.
- Ⓢ Combined to hit .285 (141-for-495) with 31 doubles, 17 home runs and 57 RBI in 133 games between Rochester and Minnesota.

**MIGUEL SANÓ - INF #22**  
 Height: 6-4 Weight: 262 B/T: R/R Age: 24 (5/11/93 in S.Pedro de Macoris, DR)  
 2017 Average: .270 Streak: 1g, 1-3, RBI, BB Series at KC: 1-3, RBI, BB  
 Roadtrip: 2-21, 2B, 2 RBI, 3 BB, 2 r HR (18): Solo (7), 2-run (8), 3-run (3)

- Ⓢ Was named a participant in the 2017 Home Run Derby 6/29...will become the 7th Twin to partake and first since Dozier in 2014...only winner: Morneau, 2008.
- Ⓢ 1st in AL third baseman voting with 1,550,240 votes ahead of Ramirez (1,341,076) and Donaldson (1,191,244) in the 5th and final ASG balloting update 6/26.
- Ⓢ Snapped a season-long 9-game hitting streak 6/9...was the second-longest streak of his career (10 games from 7/5-7/19/16)
- Ⓢ AL Player of the Week 5/1...hit .524 (11-for-21), 2B, 3 HR, 11 RBI in 5 games.
- Ⓢ Hit 7 HR in April, 3rd time to have 7-plus home runs in a single month (also: 9-Aug '15, 8-May '16)...fastest Twin to 10 HR (32 g) since Puckett (12 in 1987).
- Ⓢ Hit .200 (10-for-50) with 2 2B, 3B, 4 HR in 18 spring games...2nd consecutive Opening Day roster, first as third baseman (2016 as RF).
- Ⓢ Hit 124 HR between 4 levels of the Twins org. from 2012-16, averaging 31 per season.
- Ⓢ Last season, ranked second on club in home runs (25) and RBI (66), third in runs (57), and tied for third in doubles (22).
- Ⓢ Set Twins single-season record for K (178) last season, which was T4th in the AL.

**KENNYS VARGAS - INF #19**  
 Height: 6-5 Weight: 275 B/T: S/R Age: 26 (8/1/90 in Canovanas, PR)  
 2017 Average: .236 Streak: 1g, 1-3 Series at KC: --  
 Roadtrip: 1-13, BB HR (7): Solo (3), 2-run (2), 3-run (2)

- Ⓢ Since 4/23 (1st recall) has 7 HR, 26 RBI in 40 games.
- Ⓢ Hit .258 (23-for-89) with 5 HR, 19 RBI before being sent down to Rochester 5/29.
- Ⓢ Combined to hit .197 (13-for-66) with 2 2B, 3B and 2 HR in two stints (19 games) with Rochester this season...hit .136 (3-for-22) with 2B, HR and 3 RBI in his most recent stint (7 games).
- Ⓢ Combined to hit .232 (112-for-482) with 27 doubles, 25 home runs and 78 RBI in 143 games between Rochester and Minnesota last season.
- Ⓢ 2nd career pinch-hit HR with game-tying 9th inning shot 5/19 vs. KC.

PLAYER	MULTI		SEASON		LAST HOME RUN		LAST GRAND SLAM		TWINS HOME RUN DATA			
	HIT	RBI	HIT-STREAK	HITS	DATE	OPP.	ON PITCHER	AB	DATE	OPP.		
Buxton	8	2	3, 2x	3, 2x	6/14/17	vs. SEA	0	Gaviglio	49	9/4/16	vs. CWS	1
Castro	8	6	11, 5/22-6/9	4	6/8/17	at SEA	0	Bergman	55	8/3/15	at TEX	3
Dozier	19	6	10, 5/19-29	3, 2x	6/24/17	at CLE	0	Allen	25	....	...	0
Escobar	11	8	9, 6/13-22	5	6/27/17	at BOS	0	Abad	8	....	...	0
Gimenez	3	1	3, 6/10-16	2, 3x	6/26/17	at BOS	0	Sale	5	....	...	0
Grossman	15	6	4, 4/15-18	3	6/2/17	at LAA	1	Ramirez	71	....	...	0
Kepler	16	9	9, 5/29-6/7	3, 2x	6/28/17	at BOS	1	Porcello	6	7/10/16	at TEX	1
Mauer	16	8	10, 5/9-22	4, 2x	6/2/17	at LAA	1	Ramirez	85	9/1/12	at KC	3
Polanco	13	6	6, 5/28-6/2	4	6/23/17	at CLE	1	Bauer	29	....	...	0
Rosario	15	3	15, 4/17-5/5	4	6/25/17	at CLE	0	Tomlin	16	9/2/15	vs. CWS	0
Sanó	18	15	9, 5/28-6/8	4	6/21/17	vs. CWS	0	Holmberg	26	....	...	0
Vargas	7	7	7, 5/19-27	4	6/20/17	vs. CWS	2	Holland	21	....	...	0

MULTI-HOMER GAMES	WALK-OFF
• Dozier, 5/2 vs. OAK (2)	• 1, Mauer 5/5 vs. BOS (Barnes)
• Rosario, 6/13 vs. SEA (3)	
• Gimenez, 6/15 vs. SEA (2)	
BACK-TO-BACK	INSIDE-THE-PARK
• Buxton/Dozier, 5/2 vs. OAK	• 1, Dozier 4/16 vs. CWS (Shields)
• Rosario/Dozier, 6/13 vs. SEA	
RUNNERS ON	GRAND SLAM
• Solo - 54 // 2-run - 29 // 3-run - 10 // Grand Slam - 0	• None





MISC. HIGHS AND LOWS	
Most Runs, Game (Team)	20, 6/13 vs. SEA
Most Runs, Inning (Team)	7, 4x, last (7th inning), 6/13 vs. SEA
Most Hits, Game (Team)	28, 6/13 vs. SEA
Most Hits, Inning (Team)	8, 2x, last (7th inning), 6/13 vs. SEA
Longest Hitting Streak (Individual)	15, Rosario 4/17-5/5
Consecutive Hits (Individual)	5, 2x, last Escobar, 6/13
Consecutive Hitless At-Bats (Individual)	15, Sanó, 5/23-28
Most Runs Allowed (Team)	17, 2x, last 5/31 vs. HOU
Most Runs Allowed, Inning (Team)	11, (8th inning) 5/29 vs. HOU
Most Hits Allowed (Team)	19, 2x, last 6/12 vs. SEA
Most Hits Allowed, Inning (Team)	8, (8th inning) 5/29 vs. HOU
Pitchers Used (Team)	9, 5/28 vs. TB
Cons. Batters Retired (Team)	18, 4/15 vs. CWS
Scoreless Innings Streak (Team)	18, 4/14-16
Most Runs, Starter	9, Mejia, 6/12 vs. SEA
Most Home Runs, Starter	4, Santana, 5/7 vs. BOS
Most Walks, Starter	5, 3x, last Mejia 6/24 at CLE
Most Strikeouts, Starter	11, Berrios, 5/18 vs. COL
Most Strikeouts, Pitchers (Team)	17, 5/28 vs. TB
Most Walks, Pitchers (Team)	9, 2x, last 5/28 vs. TB
Most Cons. Scoreless Innings (Individual)	22, Santana, 4/9 - 4/20
Most Cons. Batters Retired (Individual)	21, Santana, 4/15 - 4/20
Longest Game, Innings	15, 5/28 vs. TB
Longest Game, Time (9 Inn.)	4:00, 4/22 vs. DET
Longest Game, Time (X Inn.)	6:26, 5/28 vs. TB
Fastest Game, Time	2:23, 5/23 at BAL
Largest Margin, Victory	8, 4/5 vs. KC
Largest Margin, Loss	13, 6/13 vs. SEA
Largest Home Attendance	39,615, 4/3 vs. KC
Home Sellouts	1, 4/3 vs. KC

SCORE BY INNING											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	EXTRA	TOTAL
<b>TWINS</b>	45	34	45	41	53	44	40	30	15	2	349
<b>OPPONENT</b>	41	44	57	58	37	50	27	40	45	5	404

DISABLED LIST						
PLAYER	INJURY	DATE ON	RETRO	DATE OFF	GAMES MISSED	
Trevor May*	Torn Right Ulnar Collateral Ligament	3/11			78	
Ryan O'Rourke*	Torn Left Ulnar Collateral Ligament	3/30			78	
Ehire Adrianza	Right Oblique Strain	3/30		5/5	26	
Glen Perkins*	Left Posterior Shoulder Strain	4/2			78	
Justin Haley	Right Biceps Tendinitis	4/22		5/7	11	
Phil Hughes	Right Arm Soreness	5/22		6/28	35	
Justin Haley	Right Shoulder Soreness	5/28			32	
Hector Santiago	Left Shoulder Strain	6/7		6/27	20	
Ehire Adrianza	Abdominal Issues	6/22			8	
Craig Breslow	Left Thoracic Rib Soreness	6/28			3	

**BOLD** indicates currently on DL  
\*60-day DL

EJECTIONS			
DATE	PLAYER/MGR/CH	UMPIRE	REASON
4/20 vs. Cleveland	Paul Molitor	Alan Porter	Arguing balls and strikes
4/22 vs. Detroit	Miguel Sanó	Jordan Baker	Contact with James McCann

	STARTS BY POSITION								
	C	1B	2B	SS	3B	LF	CF	RF	DH
Buxton							67		
Castro	53								
Dozier			73						
Escobar			3	7	23				11
Gimenez	25	2			1				
Grossman					14		18	24	
Kepler						7	57	1	
Mauer		58						5	
Polanco				60					
Rosario					59	4	1	1	
Sanó		3			54			13	
Vargas		15						20	
Other			2	11	1	4		2	

	STARTS BY BATTING ORDER								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Buxton			4				6	18	39
Castro					4	18	11	12	8
Dozier	73								
Escobar		6		1	9	19	7	1	
Gimenez					1	3	16	6	2
Grossman	3	25	4	14	10				1
Kepler		13	2	18	22	4	2	1	2
Mauer	1	26	18	16	2				
Polanco	1	8	1	2	6	18	20	4	
Rosario					2	10	15	28	10
Sanó			47	20	3				
Vargas		1	8	19	5	2			
Other								8	15

OUTFIELD ASSISTS	
Byron Buxton	4
Max Kepler	3
Eddie Rosario	2
Danny Santana	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>

GAME-WINNING RBI			
Joe Mauer	7	Max Kepler	3
Brian Dozier	6	Eduardo Escobar	2
Kennys Vargas	6	Byron Buxton	1
Miguel Sano	5	Robbie Grossman	1
Jason Castro	4	Jorge Polanco	1
Eddie Rosario	4		

LAST TIME IT HAPPENED

FOR THE TWINS	AGAINST THE TWINS
<p><b>HITTING:</b></p> <p><b>Hit for the Cycle:</b> Cuddyer, 5/22/09 vs. MIL (10 all-time)</p> <p><b>Grand Slam:</b> Buxton, 9/4/16 vs. CWS (2 as a team in 2016)</p> <p><b>Inside-the-Park Home Run:</b> Dozier, 4/16 vs. CWS (1 as a team in 2017)</p> <p><b>Pinch-Hit Home Run:</b> Vargas, 5/19/17 vs. KC (2 as a team in 2017)</p> <p><b>Pinch-Hit Grand Slam:</b> LeCroy, (9th inning), 5/19/04 at TOR</p> <p><b>Five-Hit Game:</b> Escobar, 6/13/17 vs. SEA (1 in 2017)</p> <p><b>Six-Hit Game:</b> Puckett, 5/23/91 vs. TEX (2 all-time, both Puckett)</p> <p><b>Two Hits, One Inning:</b> Castro, 7th inning, 6/13/17 vs. SEA (2 as a team in 2017)</p> <p><b>Two Home Runs, One Inning:</b> Cuddyer, 8/23/09 at KC (1 all-time)</p> <p><b>Two-Home Run Game:</b> C. Gimenez, 6/15/17 vs. SEA (2 as a team in 2017 and 1 3-HR game)</p> <p><b>Three-Home Run Game:</b> E. Rosario, 6/13/17 vs. SEA (7 all-time)</p> <p><b>Back-to-Back Home Runs:</b> Rosario/Dozier, 6/13/17 vs. SEA (1 as a team in 2017)</p> <p><b>Three Consecutive Home Runs:</b> Dozier/Plouffe/Kepler, 6/26/16 at NYY (1 as a team in 2016)</p> <p><b>Three Home Runs, One Inning:</b> Dozier/Plouffe/Kepler, 6/26/16 at NYY (1 as a team in 2016)</p> <p><b>Four Home Runs, One Inning:</b> Mack/Puckett/Hrbek/Bush, 5/2/92 at NYY</p> <p><b>Walk-off Home Run:</b> Mauer, 9th inning, 5/5/17 vs. BOS (1 as a team in 2017)</p> <p><b>Leadoff Home Run:</b> Dozier, 4/12/17 at DET (1 as a team in 2017)</p> <p><b>Consecutive Home Runs to Leadoff Game:</b> E. Nunez/B. Dozier, 5/25/16 vs. KC</p> <p><b>Last Pitcher to Hit Home Run:</b> Jim Kaat, 6/11/72 at CLE</p> <p><b>PITCHING (complete games only for low-hit games):</b></p> <p><b>No-Hitter:</b> Liriano, 5/3/11 at CWS (6 all-time)</p> <p><b>One-Hitter:</b> E. Santana, 4/15/17 vs. CWS (14 all-time)</p> <p><b>Two-Hitter:</b> E. Santana, 5/24/17 at BAL (43 all-time)</p> <p><b>10+ Innings Pitched:</b> Radke (10.0 innings), 9/21/97 vs. MIL</p> <p><b>10+ Strikeouts:</b> 11, Berrios, 5/18/17 vs. COL (1 as a team in 2017)</p> <p><b>Complete Game Shutout:</b> E. Santana, 3x, last 6/9/17 at SF</p> <p><b>Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories:</b> Mays/Silva, 5/19-20/05 vs. TOR/vs. MIL</p> <p><b>Back-to-Back Shutouts:</b> 6/2/13 vs. SEA - 6/4/13 at KC (2 games, 10-0 and 3-0)</p> <p><b>Four Strikeouts in an Inning:</b> T. Duffey, 5/8/16 at CWS (7th inning)</p> <p><b>MISCELLANEOUS:</b></p> <p><b>Triple Play:</b> Sanó/Dozier/Mauer, 6/1/17 at LAA (J. Marte hitting)</p> <p><b>Position Player Pitching:</b> C. Gimenez, 4x, last 6/6/17 at SEA (4 as a team in 2017)</p> <p><b>Three or more Steals, One Game:</b> D. Mastroianni (3), 7/5/12 at DET</p> <p><b>Steal of Home:</b> C. Thomas, 8/2/13 vs. HOU</p> <p><b>Pure Steal of Home:</b> R. Becker, 9/27/97 at CLE</p> <p><b>Home Run in First ML At-Bat:</b> E. Rosario, 5/6/15 vs. OAK (1st PA, 1st pitch)</p>	<p><b>HITTING:</b></p> <p><b>Hit for the Cycle:</b> Beltre, 8/24/12 at TEX (5 all-time)</p> <p><b>Grand Slam:</b> A. Pujols, 6/3/17 at LAA (3 allowed in 2017)</p> <p><b>Inside-the-Park Home Run:</b> J. McCann, 4/29/15 vs. DET</p> <p><b>Pinch-Hit Home Run:</b> V. Martinez, 9/22/16 vs. DET (3 allowed in 2016)</p> <p><b>Pinch-Hit Grand Slam:</b> J. Sands, 8/8/15 at CLE (1 allowed in 2015)</p> <p><b>Five-Hit Game:</b> D. Pedroia, 7/21/16 at BOS (2 allowed in 2016)</p> <p><b>Six-Hit Game:</b> J. Segura, 5/28/13 at MIL (3 allowed all-time)</p> <p><b>Two Hits, One Inning:</b> G. Springer, 7th inning (HR, 1B) 5/31/17 vs. HOU (3 allowed in 2017)</p> <p><b>Two Home Runs, One Inning:</b> Nilsson, 5/17/96 vs. MIL</p> <p><b>Two-Home Run Game:</b> E. Encarnacion, 6/18/17 vs. CLE (11 allowed in 2017)</p> <p><b>Three-Home Run Game:</b> J. Donaldson, 8/28/16 at TOR (1 allowed in 2016)</p> <p><b>Back-to-Back Home Runs:</b> A. Garcia/M. Davidson 6/21/17 vs. CWS (7 allowed in 2017)</p> <p><b>Three Consecutive Home Runs:</b> Jones/Castilla/Franco, 6/11/02 vs. ATL</p> <p><b>Three Home Runs, One Inning:</b> Martinez/Infante/Jackson, 9/24/13 vs. DET</p> <p><b>Four Home Runs, One Inning:</b> Everett/O'Leary/Varitek/Burkhardt, 7/3/00 vs. BOS</p> <p><b>Walk-off Home Run:</b> M. Zunino, 9th inning, 6/7/17 at SEA (1 allowed in 2017)</p> <p><b>Leadoff Home Run:</b> Kipnis, 5/14/17 at CLE (1 allowed in 2017)</p> <p><b>Consecutive Home Runs to Leadoff Game:</b> J. Bautista/J. Donaldson, 5/22/16 vs. TOR</p> <p><b>Last Pitcher to Hit Home Run:</b> Scott Karl, 6/11/99 at MIL</p> <p><b>PITCHING (complete games only for low-hit games):</b></p> <p><b>No-Hitter:</b> Weaver, 5/2/12 at LAA (5 all-time)</p> <p><b>One-Hitter:</b> Kluber, 8/14/15 vs. CLE (23 all-time)</p> <p><b>Two-Hitter:</b> Halladay, 5/29/05 at TOR (49 all-time)</p> <p><b>10+ Innings Pitched:</b> Fernandez (10.0 innings), 10/1/95 at CHC</p> <p><b>10+ Strikeouts:</b> 13, C. Kluber, 6/24/17, at CLE (3 times in 2017)</p> <p><b>Complete Game Shutout:</b> Arrieta, 6/21/15 vs. CHC (2 in 2015)</p> <p><b>Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories:</b> Williams/Weaver, 5/1-2/12 at LAA</p> <p><b>Back-to-Back Shutouts:</b> 4/6/13 - 4/8/2015 (2 games, 0-4 and 0-11)</p> <p><b>Four Strikeouts in an Inning:</b> F. Hernandez, 6/30/10 vs. SEA (8th inning)</p> <p><b>MISCELLANEOUS:</b></p> <p><b>Triple Play:</b> Donaldson/Rosales/Carter, 8/21/12 at OAK (Plouffe hitting)</p> <p><b>Position Player Pitching:</b> Ruiz, 6/13/17</p> <p><b>Three or more Steals, One Game:</b> B. Hamilton (4), 6/29/15 at CIN</p> <p><b>Steal of Home:</b> B. Daubach, 4/27/03 at CHC</p> <p><b>Pure Steal of Home:</b> S. Green, 5/26/00 vs. TEX</p> <p><b>Home Run in First ML At-Bat:</b> C. Richard, 7/17/00 vs. STL</p>

2017 TARGET FIELD WEATHER DELAYS AND POSTPONEMENTS

DATE	DELAYED/PPD	NOTES
4/14 vs. Chicago-AL	Delayed	Delayed 36 minutes before the start of the game due to inclement weather. First pitch was scheduled for 7:10 pm and game started at 7:46 pm.
4/14 vs. Cleveland	Postponed	Postponed prior to the start of the game due to inclement weather. Makeup scheduled for night game of split day-night doubleheader at 7:10 on June 17.
5/17 vs. Colorado	Postponed	Postponed prior to the start of the game due to inclement weather. Makeup scheduled for night game of split day-night doubleheader at 6:10 on May 18.
5/20 vs. Kansas City	Postponed	Postponed prior to the start of the game due to inclement weather. Makeup scheduled for traditional doubleheader starting at 1:10 pm on May 21.
5/29 vs. Houston	Delayed	Delayed 10 minutes in the top of the 8th inning due to rain.
5/17 vs. Cleveland	Delayed	Delayed 1:15 in the top of the 5th inning due to rain.
6/22 vs. Chicago-AL	Delayed	Delayed 4:50 before the start of the game due to inclement weather. First pitch was schedule for 12:10 pm and game started at 5:00 pm.

\*\* Target Field has experienced 36 delayed games and 18 postponed games in the park's history (since 2010). Longest delay: 4:50. \*\*



Date	Opp.	Score	W/L	Rcd.	Pos.	GA/GB	Daily Attendance	Total Hm Att.	Date	Winner/Loser/Save
<b>APRIL (12-11) Batting: .242 (186-for-770) Pitching: 11-12-8, 3.93 ERA (204.0 IP, 89 ER)</b>										
3	-----KC	7-1	W	1-0	T1st	--	39,615*	39,615	1	Santana/Strahm
4	-----OFF DAY									
5	-----KC	9-1	W	2-0	2nd	-0.5	15,171	54,786	2	Santiago/Kennedy
6	-----KC	5-3	W	3-0	T1st	--	16,078	70,864	3	Rogers/Minor/Kintzler
7	-----at CWS	3-1	W	4-0	1st	+1.0	14,004			Hughes/Holland/Kintzler
8	-----at CWS	2-6	L	4-1	1st	+0.5	23,024			González/Mejía
9	-----at CWS	4-1	W	5-1	1st	+1.0	25,074			Santana/Quintana/Kintzler
10	-----OFF DAY									
11	-----at DET	1-2	L	5-2	T1st	--	21,237			Boyd/Santiago/Rodríguez
12	-----at DET	3-5	L	5-3	2nd	-1.0	23,738			Fulmer/Gibson/Wilson
13	-----at DET	11-5	W	6-3	T1st	--	22,573			Hughes/Zimmermann/Haley
14	-----CWS	1-2	L	6-4	2nd	-1.0	18,466	89,330	4	Jennings/Pressly/Robertson
15	-----CWS	6-0	W	7-4	T1st	--	25,938	115,268	5	Santana/Quintana
16	-----CWS	1-3	L	7-5	2nd	-1.0	19,511	134,779	6	Jones/Pressly/Robertson
17	-----CLE	1-3	L	7-6	2nd	-1.5	16,961	151,740	7	Salazar/Gibson/Allen
18	-----CLE	4-11	L	7-7	T3rd	-1.5	16,553	168,293	8	Tomlin/Hughes
19	-----CLE									-- Postponed - Rain -- Scheduled makeup DH June 17 --
20	-----CLE	7-8	L	7-8	T4th	-1.0	17,339	185,632	9	Bauer/Duffey
21	-----DET	6-3	W	8-8	T2nd	-1.0	22,647	208,279	10	Santiago/Verlander/Kintzler
22	-----DET	4-5	L	8-9	3rd	-2.0	25,719	233,998	11	Hardy/Tomlin/Rodríguez
23	-----DET	4-13	L	8-10	4th	-2.0	26,713	260,711	12	Fulmer/Gibson
24	-----at TEX	3-2	W	9-10	4th	-1.5	19,027			Hughes/Perez/Kintzler
25	-----at TEX	8-1	W	10-10	4th	-1.5	20,568			Santana/Cashner
26	-----at TEX	3-14	L	10-11	2nd	-1.5	22,365			Hamels/Rogers
27	-----OFF DAY									
28	-----at KC	6-4	W	11-11	T3rd	-2.0	27,911			Breslow/Soria/Kintzler
29	-----at KC									-- Postponed - Rain - Game rescheduled for July 1 --
30	-----at KC	7-5	W	12-11	3rd	-1.5	32,685			Hughes/Hammel/Kintzler
<b>MAY (14-12) Batting: .260 (236-for-908) Pitching: 14-12-6, 5.25 (240.0 IP, 140 ER)</b>										
1	-----OFF DAY									
2	-----OAK	9-1	W	13-11	T2nd	-0.5	18,930	279,641	13	Santana/Gray
3	-----OAK	7-4	W	14-11	T1st	--	18,658	298,299	14	Santiago/Graveman
4	-----OAK	5-8	L	14-12	2nd	-0.5	19,247	317,546	15	Cotton/Gibson/Casilla
5	-----BOS	4-3	W	15-12	1st	+0.5	28,707	346,253	16	Kintzler/Barnes
6	-----BOS	1-11	L	15-13	2nd	-0.5	30,859	377,112	17	Porcello/Tepesch
7	-----BOS	6-17	L	15-14	2nd	-1.0	31,763	408,875	18	Sale/Santana
8	-----OFF DAY									
9	-----at CWS	7-2	W	16-14	2nd	-1.0	14,498			Santiago/Pelfrey
10	-----at CWS									-- Postponed - Rain - Game rescheduled for August 21 --
11	-----at CWS	7-6	W	17-14	T1st	--	16,084			Pressly/Holland/Kintzler
12	-----at CLE	1-0	W	18-14	1st	+1.0	24,452			Santana/Tomlin/Kintzler
13	-----at CLE	4-1	W	19-14	1st	+2.0	28,379			Berrios/Clevinger/Kintzler
14	-----at CLE	3-8	L	19-15	1st	+1.0	23,099			Bauer/Santiago
15	-----OFF DAY									
16	-----COL	3-7	L	19-16	1st	+0.5	24,295	433,170	19	Freeland/Hughes/Holland
17	-----COL									-- Postponed - Rain - Game rescheduled for DH May 18 --
18	-----COL	1-5	L	19-17	T1st	--	20,603	453,773	20	Márquez/Santana/Holland
19	-----COL&	2-0	W	20-17	1st	+1.0	17,140	470,913	21	Berrios/Chatwood/Kintzler
20	-----KC	4-3	W	21-17	1st	+1.0	23,553	494,466	22	Kintzler/Albuquerque
21	-----KC									-- Postponed - Rain - Game rescheduled for DH May 21 --
22	-----KC&&	4-6	L	21-18						Minor/Hughes/Herrera
23	-----at BAL	14-7	W	23-18	1st	+1.0	12,882	522,318	24	Mejía/Kennedy
24	-----at BAL	2-0	W	24-18	1st	+1.0	13,294			Gibson/Wilson
25	-----at BAL	4-3	W	25-18	1st	+2.0	32,267			Santana/Bundy
26	-----OFF DAY									Berrios/Tilman/Kintzler
27	-----TB	2-5	L	25-19	1st	+2.0	20,949	543,267	25	Archer/Santiago/Colomé
28	-----TB	5-3	W	26-19	1st	+3.0	27,531	570,798xx	26	Rogers/Hunter/Kintzler
29	-----TB	6-8	L	26-20	1st	+2.0	28,951	599,749	27	Colomé/Santiago/Ramírez
30	-----HOU	8-16	L	26-21	1st	+1.0	24,472	624,221	28	Jankowski/Breslow
31	-----HOU	2-7	L	26-22	T1st	--	22,616	646,837	29	Fiers/Berrios
32	-----HOU	6-17	L	26-23	T1st	--	25,593	672,430	30	Feliz/Santiago
<b>JUNE (14-15) Batting: .243 (241-for-990) Pitching: 14-15-8, 5.02 (253.2 IP, 142 ER)</b>										
1	-----at LAA	4-2	W	27-23	T1st	--	33,426			Rogers/Alvarez/Kintzler
2	-----at LAA	11-5	W	28-23	1st	+1.0	39,042			Gibson/Ramirez
3	-----at LAA	2-7	L	28-24	1st	+1.0	40,236			Shoemaker/Santana
4	-----at LAA	3-2	W	29-24	1st	+1.0	39,701			Berrios/Nolasco/Kintzler
5	-----OFF DAY									
6	-----at SEA	3-12	L	29-25	1st	+1.0	18,166			Santiago/Paxton
7	-----at SEA	5-6	L	29-26	1st	+1.0	15,732			Diaz/Kintzler
8	-----at SEA	2-1	W	30-26	1st	+1.5	15,621			Gibson/Bergman/Kintzler
9	-----at SF	4-0	W	31-26	1st	+1.5	41,046			Santana/Moore
10	-----at SF	3-2	W	32-26	1st	+2.5	41,255			Berrios/Samardžija/Kintzler
11	-----at SF	8-13	L	32-27	1st	+1.5	41,321			Osich/Belisle
12	-----SEA	3-14	L	32-28	1st	+1.0	16,996	689,426	31	Gallardo/Mejía
13	-----SEA	20-7	W	33-28	1st	+2.0	17,922	707,348	32	Gibson/Bergman
14	-----SEA	4-6	L	33-29	1st	+2.0	22,283	729,631	33	Gaviglio/Santana/Diaz
15	-----SEA	6-2	W	34-29	1st	+2.0	24,464	754,095	34	Berrios/Miranda
16	-----CLE	1-8	L	34-30	1st	+1.0	30,563	784,658	35	Carrasco/Turley
17	-----CLE	3-9	L	34-31	T1st	--	24,010			McAllister/Wilk
18	-----CLE#	2-6	L	34-32	2nd	-1.0	21,371	830,039	37	Goody/Mejía
19	-----CLE	2-5	L	34-33	2nd	-2.0	35,039	865,078	38	Bauer/Gibson/Miller
20	-----OFF DAY									
21	-----CWS	9-7	W	35-33	2nd	-1.5	26,095	891,173	39	Santana/Holland/Kintzler
22	-----CWS	4-2	W	36-33	2nd	-1.5	33,316	924,489	40	Berrios/Holmberg/Kintzler
23	-----CWS	0-9	L	36-34	2nd	-2.5	27,684	953,173	41	Quintana/Turley
24	-----at CLE	5-0	W	37-34	2nd	-1.5	31,725			Mejía/Bauer
25	-----at CLE	4-2	W	38-34	2nd	-0.5	33,111			Rogers/Allen/Kintzler
26	-----at CLE	4-0	W	39-34	1st	+0.5	29,672			Santana/Tomlin
27	-----at BOS	1-4	L	39-35	2nd	-0.5	37,172			Sale/Berrios/Kimbrel
28	-----at BOS	2-9	L	39-36	2nd	-0.5	36,804			Pomeranz/Santiago
29	-----at BOS	4-1	W	40-36	2nd	-0.5	37,487			Mejía/Porcello/Kintzler
30	-----at BOS	3-6	L	40-37	2nd	-1.5	37,445			Price/Gibson/Kimbrel
31	-----at KC	1-8	L	40-38	2nd	-2.0	34,332			Vargas/Santana
<b>JULY (- - -) Batting: .--- (- -for- -) Pitching: - - - - - , - - - (- - IP, - ER)</b>										
1	-----at KC	1:15 PM								FSN/TIBN
2	-----at KC#	7:35 PM								FSN/TIBN
3	-----at KC	1:15 PM								FSN/TIBN
4	-----LAA	7:10 PM								FSN/TIBN Postgame fireworks salute to America
5	-----LAA	1:10 PM								FSN/TIBN Independence Day
6	-----LAA	7:10 PM								FSN/TIBN
7	-----BAL	7:10 PM								FSN/TIBN
8	-----BAL	7:10 PM								FSN/TIBN Fireworks Friday
9	-----BAL	1:10 PM								FSN/TIBN 1st 20,000 Twins Cap #2
10	-----BAL	1:10 PM								FSN/TIBN 1st 10,000 kids (14 & under) Twins Bat and Ball Set
11	-----ALL STAR BREAK									
12	-----ALL STAR BREAK									
13	-----ALL STAR BREAK									
14	-----at HOU	7:10 PM								FSN/TIBN
15	-----at HOU	6:10 PM								FSN/TIBN
16	-----at HOU	1:10 PM								FSN/TIBN

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<b>JULY (- - -) Batting: .--- (- -for- -) Pitching: - - - - - , - - - (- - IP, - ER)</b>										
17	-----NYY	7:10 PM								ESPN/FSN/TIBN
18	-----NYY	7:10 PM								FSN/TIBN 1st 7,500 Twins Beach Towel
19	-----NYY	12:10 PM								FSN/TIBN
20	-----OFF DAY									
21	-----DET	7:10 PM								FSN/TIBN 1987 WS Championship Reunion Weekend
22	-----DET	6:10 PM								FSN/TIBN 30th Army of '87 WS Champs 1st 10,000 (21+) Twins 1987 WS Stein
23	-----DET	1:10 PM								FSN/TIBN Armed Forces Appreciation Day
24	-----at LAD	9:10 PM								FSN/TIBN
25	-----at LAD	9:10 PM								FSN/TIBN
26	-----at LAD	9:10 PM								FSN/TIBN
27	-----OFF DAY									
28	-----at OAK	9:05 PM								FSN/TIBN
29	-----at OAK	8:05 PM								FSN/TIBN
30	-----at OAK	3:0								