



# GAME NOTES

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### POSTGAME NOTES

#### LOS ANGELES DODGERS (82-67) VS. ST. LOUIS CARDINALS (81-68) SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2018

INNINGS - 9	R	H	E	STARTING PITCHER	PITCHES/STRIKES	PITCHER OF RECORD	REC.
Los Angeles	17	16	0	Rich Hill	84/51	<b>W</b> Rich Hill	(9-5)
St. Louis	4	5	1	John Gant	75/50	<b>L</b> John Gant	(7-6)
						<b>SV</b>	

**FIRST PITCH**  
12:07 PM

**GAMETIME WEATHER**  
88° - Sunny

**TIME OF GAME**  
3:32

**ATTENDANCE**  
45,481

**SELLOUT**  
#23

#### HOME RUNS

TM	PLAYER	NO.	INN.	TYPE	COUNT	OUTS	PITCHER	DISTANCE	EXIT SPEED	CAREER HR
	Manny Machado	35	1	2-Run	0-0	1	John Gant	399 FT.	104 MPH	173rd
	Yasiel Puig	19	4	Solo	0-0	0	John Gant	423 FT.	109 MPH	104th
	Patrick Wisdom	4	4	Grand Slam	0-2	1	Rich Hill	427 FT.	107 MPH	4th
	Yasiel Puig	20	5	3-Run	2-1	1	Mike Mayers	397 FT.	114 MPH	105th
	Yasiel Puig	21	8	3-Run	0-2	1	Luke Weaver	397 FT.	114 MPH	106th
	Cody Bellinger	23	9	3-Run	1-2	2	Luke Weaver	411 FT.	105 MPH	62nd

### CARDINALS NOTES

- JOHN GANT** made his 17th start (24th app.) of the season, first start against the Dodgers in 2018 and first start (3rd app.) in his career (0-1)... allowed six runs, his most since surrendering six runs at PIT (8/3).
- PATRICK WISDOM** hit his first career grand slam and the 5th grand slam hit by the Cardinals in 2018...hit his home run into Big Mac Land.
- MARCELL OZUNA** walked for the first time since 8/20 at LAD, a span of 13 games.
- LUKE WEAVER** allowed seven runs in a relief appearance, the most by a Cardinals relief pitcher since **MICHAEL WACHA** was hit for seven runs in relief vs. CIN (9/26/16).
- THE CARDINALS** matched their longest losing streak of the season with four games, last done June 27-July 1...surrendered 17 runs, their season-high (largest margin of defeat at 13 runs) and double-digit runs for the 6th time this season; most runs allowed to the Dodgers since a 17-11 loss on 4/26/1959 at Sportsman's Park...have allowed a single-game high five home runs (last: 6/17/2017 at BAL - 5 HR) and eight home runs over their last three games vs. the Dodgers; 11 in the six games of this current homestand.

### DODGERS NOTES

- RICH HILL** made his 22nd start (23rd app.) of the season, first against the Cardinals in 2018 (1-0) and seventh career start (8th app.) vs. the Cardinals (3-1)...his first career appearance vs. the Cardinals was 13 years ago today in relief as a member of the Cubs at Wrigley Field...surrendered his 4th career grand slam to **PATRICK WISDOM** and first since 2007 (8/11/2007) to **JAMEY CARROLL** (COL) at Wrigley Field; all four slams have been on two-strike counts...has allowed four runs in each of his last three starts and has earned the win in all three...has struck out seven or more batters in six straight starts.
- MANNY MACHADO** recorded his 500th and 501st career RBI on a two-run home run in the 1st inning...has 95 or more RBI in each of his last three seasons but has yet to collect 100...has homered twice with five RBI in his last three games after not homering in his first 10 games in September with only two RBI...has hit 11 home runs with the Dodgers since acquisition on July 18, leading the club in that category over that span.
- YASIEL PUIG** hit a career-high three home runs, the first Dodgers player with three home runs in a game since **COREY SEAGER** hit three vs. NYM (6/20/17)...his seven RBI were also a career-high and most since **AUSTIN BARNES** (6/30/17 at SD)...has five home runs in his last two games...became the 9th player in Dodgers history to have back-to-back multi-HR games (Last: **CODY BELLINGER** 6/11-13/2017)...has six home runs in the month of September surpassing his total of four from a year ago...13 of his 21 home runs this season have been solo...has back-to-back 20 HR seasons...has homered in consecutive games for the 5th time this season...has three straight three-hit games in his last three starts (9-12, .750).

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**LA** **CODY BELLINGER** posted a career-high 6 RBI and tied his career-high with three runs scored...hit a go-ahead (17th go-ahead RBI) two-RBI single in the 5th inning, marking his first RBI since 9/7 to COL; first multi-RBI game since 8/24 vs. SD.

**LA** **JUSTIN TURNER** rapped out three hits for the 7th game this season...13th game with multiple runs.

**LA** **JOC PEDERSON** collected his 7th three-hit game of the season and first since 7/24 at PHI.

**LA** **MAX MUNCY** set a single-game high with four walks, most by a Dodger since **CHRIS TAYLOR** drew four on 5/2/17 vs. SF...drew his 100th career walk in the 1st inning...has multiple walks in 14 games this season...has hit safely in five straight games (4-12, .333).

**LA** **BRIAN DOZIER** doubled in the 9th inning, was his 2nd hit in the month of September after entering the game 1-for-29

**LA** **THE DODGERS** had two players record 6 or more RBI in a Major League game for the first time since the San Francisco Giants did against the Dodgers at Dodger Stadium in a 19-3 win on 9/14/2013 as **HUNTER PENCE** (7 RBI) and **BRANDON BELT** (6 RBI)...it was the first time the Dodgers accomplished the feat since June 12, 1949 when **GIL HODGES** (8 RBI) and **BILLY COX** (6 RBI) did in a 20-7 win over Cincinnati at Ebbets Field... have homered in 23 straight games extending their MLB record this season and one shy of their club record of 24 with in Brooklyn during the 1953 season (June 18-July 10)...have hit five or more home runs in a game for the 7th game this season...the 13-run win was their 3rd-largest win margin this season...tallied double-digit hits for the 54th game this season (43-11)...lead the National League with 212 home runs this season...allowed their second grand slam this season (6/26 vs. CHI; **JAVIER BÁEZ** off **EDWARD PARADES**).