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Detroit Tigers (6-4-1) at New York Mets (3-7-1)

Monday, March 5, 2018 • First Data Field, Port St. Lucie, FL • 1:10 p.m. ET

RHP Mike Fiers (1-0, 0.00) vs. RHP Matt Harvey (0-0, 4.50)

TV: MLB.TV • Radio: None

NUMERICAL ROSTER

1	José Iglesias	INF
8	Mikie Mahtook	OF
9	Nicholas Castellanos	OF
12	Leonys Martin	OF
13	Mike Gerber	OF
14	Alexi Amarista	INF
17	Grayson Greiner	C
18	Dawel Lugo	INF
19	Travis Wood	LHP
21	JaCoby Jones	OF
22	Victor Reyes	OF
24	Miguel Cabrera	INF
26	Zac Reininger	RHP
27	Jordan Zimmermann	RHP
28	Brayan Peña	C
30	Alex Wilson	RHP
31	Ryan Carpenter	LHP
32	Michael Fulmer	RHP
33	Derek Norris	C
34	James McCann	C
36	Blaine Hardy	LHP
37	Jim Adduci	OF
38	Francisco Liriano	LHP
40	Sergio Alcántara	INF
41	Victor Martinez	DH
44	Daniel Norris	LHP
45	Buck Farmer	RHP
46	Jeimer Candelario	INF
48	Matthew Boyd	LHP
49	Dixon Machado	INF
50	Mike Fiers	RHP
51	Johnny Barbato	RHP
53	Warwick Saupold	RHP
54	Drew VerHagen	RHP
55	John Hicks	C
56	Spencer Turnbull	RHP
57	Artie Lewicki	RHP
60	Gerson Moreno	RHP
61	Shane Greene	RHP
62	Sandy Baez	RHP
64	Chad Bell	LHP
65	Gregory Soto	LHP
66	Eduardo Jimenez	RHP
67	Enrique Burgos	RHP
68	Daniel Stumpf	LHP
70	Harold Castro	INF
71	Kevin Comer	RHP
72	Dominic Ficociello	INF
73	Jason Krizan	OF
74	Edwin Espinal	INF
76	Niko Goodrum	INF
77	Joe Jiménez	RHP
78	Chad Huffman	OF
79	Mark Montgomery	RHP
80	Ronny Rodriguez	INF
81	Pete Kozma	INF
82	Kody Eaves	INF
83	Arvicent Perez	C
84	Jake Rogers	C

RECENT RESULTS: The Tigers dropped a 6-2 decision to the Washington Nationals on Sunday afternoon at the FITTEAM Ballpark of the Palm Beaches in West Palm Beach. Jim Adduci was a perfect 2x2 at the plate with a RBI, while Jeimer Candelario was 1x3 with a triple and a RBI. Alex Wilson started for Detroit and suffered the loss, giving up three runs on five hits with two walks and four strikeouts in 2.2 innings. Enrique Burgos, Eduardo Jimenez, Joe Jiménez and Gerson Moreno each pitched a scoreless inning out of the bullpen. The Tigers continue their Grapefruit League schedule today as they face the New York Mets in Port St. Lucie.

TIGERS TIDBITS: The Tigers lead all Grapefruit League teams with a .277 batting average, while they rank second with 15 home runs and a .452 slugging percentage and fourth with a .347 on-base percentage... Detroit ranks third among Grapefruit League pitching staffs with 97 strikeouts and fourth with a .235 opponents batting average...Miguel Cabrera has hit safely in five of the seven games he has played in this spring and is hitting .375 (6x16) with a double and four RBI...Niko Goodrum ranks tied for sixth in the Grapefruit League with three doubles.

IN THE PIPELINE: Nine of the Tigers Top 30 prospects, according to MLB Pipeline, are currently in Major League camp. The top prospects currently in big league camp include: catcher Jake Rogers (#5, acquired in Justin Verlander trade with Houston), lefthanded pitcher Gregory Soto (#8, signed as a non-drafted free agent in 2012), outfielder Mike Gerber (#11, selected in 15th round of 2014 MLB Draft), infielder Dawel Lugo (#12, acquired in J.D. Martinez trade with Arizona), outfielder Victor Reyes (#18, selected in 2017 Rule 5 Draft from Arizona), righthanded pitcher Sandy Baez (#21, signed as a non-drafted free agent in 2011), infielder Sergio Alcántara (#26, acquired in J.D. Martinez trade with Arizona), righthanded pitcher Gerson Moreno (#29, signed as a non-drafted free agent in 2012) and infielder Kody Eaves (#30, acquired in Jeffrey Marte trade with Los Angeles (AL)).

FOUR MINOR LEAGUERS JOIN TIGERS FOR TODAY'S GAME: Righthanded pitchers Alfred Gutierrez (#94), Zac Houston (#86), Fernando Perez (#87) and Paul Voelker (#85) will join the Tigers for today's game.

2018 TIGERS TICKETS: Fans looking to secure tickets to the best games this upcoming season can do so now by purchasing customizable ticket packages, including the six and 20-game flex plans. Flex plans start as low as \$110 and fans can choose the games and seats they want. Plans that include an Opening Day ticket start as low as \$15 per game. For complete 2018 season ticket information, visit tigers.com/seasons or call (313) 471-BALL (2255).

Individual game tickets for the 2018 season are currently on sale. Tickets start as low as \$12. Secure tickets to a summer of historic celebrations that will showcase the great tradition of Detroit Tigers baseball. Individual game tickets can be purchased at the Comerica Park Box Office on Witherell Street, online at tigers.com, or by calling 866-66-TIGER (844437).

TODAY'S TIGERS PITCHERS

#50 RHP Mike Fiers – (1-0, 0.00)

2018 Spring: Fiers will make his second start of Spring Training today at New York (NL)...Last pitched on Tuesday at Philadelphia and earned the win, tossing 2.0 shutout innings with one hit allowed and one walk.

2017 Season: Appeared in 29 games, including 28 as a starter, in 2017 for the Houston Astros, posting a 8-10 record with a 5.22 ERA (153.1IP/89ER) and 146 strikeouts...Finished the season with 153.1 innings pitched, marking the third consecutive season he has thrown 150.0-or-more innings...Struck out a season-high 11 batters on July 16 vs. Minnesota, marking his first double-digit strikeout performance since May 2, 2015 vs. Chicago (NL).

#44 LHP Daniel Norris – (0-0, 9.00)

2018 Spring: Norris will make his second appearance of Spring Training today at New York (NL)...Pitched 2.0 innings on Wednesday at New York (AL), allowing two runs on two hits with two strikeouts.

2017 Season: Established career highs with 22 appearances, 101.2 innings pitched and 86 strikeouts, and posted a 5-8 record with a 5.31 ERA (101.2IP/60ER) and 86 strikeouts...Allowed four earned runs on April 20 at Tampa Bay, snapping his streak of allowing three earned runs-or-less at 21 consecutive starts...also took the loss in the game at Tampa Bay, which was Norris' first loss in 17 road starts to begin his career...the streak of 16 road starts without a loss to start his career was tied with Todd Wellemeyer and Larry Jensen for the second-longest streak since 1913...Recorded the 200th strikeout of his Major League career on September 13 at Cleveland.

#45 RHP Buck Farmer – (0-0, 0.00)

2018 Spring: Farmer will make his third Grapefruit League appearance today at New York (NL)...Worked a scoreless inning with two walks and a strikeout on Thursday vs. Atlanta.

2017 Season: Compiled a 5-5 record with a 6.75 ERA (48.0IP/36ER) and 49 strikeouts over 11 starts with the Tigers...Picked up his first Major League win in his 2017 Tigers debut in the second game of the doubleheader on May 27 at Chicago (AL), throwing 6.1 shutout innings with three hits allowed, two walks and a career-high 11 strikeouts.

#61 RHP Shane Greene – (0-0, 0.00)

2018 Spring: Greene will make his third appearance of Spring Training today at New York (NL)...Struck out two in a scoreless inning on Friday vs. Miami.

2017 Season: Appeared in a career-high 71 games with Detroit in 2017, posting a 4-3 record with nine saves and a 2.66 ERA (67.2IP/20ER)...Ranked tied for sixth in the American League with 71 appearances...Allowed only nine of the 47 runners he inherited to score and finished second in the American League with a 19.1 inherited runners scored percentage (min. 40 inherited runners)...Did not allow a run in a career-long 16.1 consecutive innings from July 1-August 12, a span that stretched 18 games.

METS ALSO SCHEDULED TO PITCH: RHP Jeury Familia, RHP AJ Ramos, RHP Paul Sewald, RHP Jacob Rhamé, RHP Drew Smith

UPCOMING SCHEDULE AND PITCHING MATCHUPS

DATE	OPPONENT	GAME TIME	TIGERS PITCHERS	OPPONENT PITCHERS
Tuesday	New York (AL)	1:05 p.m.	TBA	LHP Jordan Montgomery
Wednesday	Toronto	1:05 p.m.	LHP Matthew Boyd	TBA

2018 Tigers Spring Training Schedule

Date	Opponent	Result	Winner	Loser	Save	Attendance
February 22	Florida Southern	W, 6-1	Comer	Langford	---	3,126
February 23	at New York (AL)	L, 3-1	Hale	Sodders	Gallegos	10,129
February 24	Toronto	W, 5-4	Zimmermann	Rowley	Russell	6,922
February 25	Pittsburgh	T, 8-8	---	---	---	4,729
	at Toronto	W, 6-3	Boyd	Sanchez	Saupold	3,963
February 26	at Baltimore	W, 8-6	Barbato	Gausman	Voelker	5,760
February 27	at Philadelphia	W, 11-6	Fiers	Eickhoff	---	4,365
February 28	at New York (AL)	W, 9-6	Montgomery	King	Castro	8,727
March 1	Atlanta	L, 5-2	Jackson	Moreno	Morris	4,576
March 2	Miami	W, 8-3	Boyd	Gallen	---	4,768
March 3	Tampa Bay	L, 7-4	De León	Soto	Gibaut	6,482
March 4	at Washington	L, 6-2	Gonzalez	Wilson	---	4,481
March 5	at New York (NL)					
March 6	New York (AL)					
March 7	Toronto					
March 8	at Pittsburgh					
March 9	New York (NL)					
March 10	at Toronto					
March 11	Atlanta					
March 12	Washington					
March 13	at New York (AL)					
March 15	at Atlanta					
March 16	Philadelphia					
March 17	New York (AL)					
March 18	at Tampa Bay					
March 19	Baltimore					
March 20	New York (AL)					
March 21	at Atlanta					
March 22	at Philadelphia					
March 23	at Atlanta					
March 24	Philadelphia					
March 25	Atlanta					
March 26	Tampa Bay					
March 27	at Tampa Bay					

Record: 6-4-1 Home: 2-2-1 Road: 4-2 vs. AL: 4-2 vs. NL: 2-2-1 "B" Games: 1-0

2018 SPRING BATTING STATS

Includes games of Sunday, March 4, 2018
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NAME	BA	SLG	OBP	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HBP	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	GDP	Pinch Hit					
																						E	AB	H	HR	RBI	
Adduci	.438	.813	.500	9	16	3	7	13	0	0	2	5	0	0	0	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
S. Alcántara	.357	.357	.412	9	14	2	5	5	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	2				
Amarista	.133	.267	.133	6	15	1	2	4	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1					
Athmann	1.000	1.000	1.000	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Cabrera	.375	.438	.353	7	16	1	6	7	1	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0				
Cameron	.500	.500	.500	1	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Candelario	.313	.750	.450	8	16	3	5	12	2	1	1	2	0	0	0	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0				
Castellanos	.400	1.133	.471	7	15	4	6	17	0	1	3	7	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0				
H. Castro	.100	.100	.182	7	10	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Eaves	.286	.286	.444	6	7	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Espinal	.188	.375	.278	7	16	1	3	6	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Ficoiello	.286	.571	.444	6	7	2	2	4	2	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0				
Gerber	.231	.385	.286	8	13	0	3	5	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Gibson	.000	.000	.500	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Goodrum	.412	.941	.421	9	17	5	7	16	3	0	2	4	0	1	0	1	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Greiner	.333	.333	.429	5	6	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Hicks	.176	.353	.222	7	17	1	3	6	0	0	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	7	0	0	1	0	0				
Huffman	.133	.333	.188	8	15	1	2	5	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	4	1	1	1
Iglesias	.250	.333	.438	6	12	6	3	4	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0				
Jones	.385	.538	.429	6	13	2	5	7	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	1	0	0	0				
Kozma	.167	.167	.444	6	6	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	
Krizan	.143	.571	.333	4	7	2	1	4	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0				
Lugo	.222	.222	.364	5	9	2	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	0
Machado	.250	.250	.250	6	16	4	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Mahtook	.364	.364	.500	6	11	3	4	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	3	1	0	0	0	0				
Martin	.263	.263	.300	7	19	3	5	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	1	0	0				
Martinez	.267	.667	.313	6	15	3	4	10	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0				
McCann	.200	.300	.200	4	10	0	2	3	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	2	0	0				
De. Norris	.429	.857	.429	4	7	2	3	6	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0				
Fena	.286	.286	.286	4	7	0	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	1
A. Perez	1.000	1.000	1.000	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Finero	1.000	1.000	1.000	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Reyes	.133	.133	.235	9	15	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	1				
Robson	.000	.000	.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0				
Rodriguez	.316	.421	.316	9	19	2	6	8	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0
Jake Rogers	.167	.167	.167	6	6	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	1				
Stewart	.667	.667	.600	2	3	3	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0				
TEAM	.277	.452	.347	11	383	64	106	173	16	3	15	62	0	4	5	38	0	75	8	2	10	9	19	5	1	2	
OPPONENTS	.235	.420	.337	11	371	57	87	156	23	2	14	52	0	3	9	50	0	97	9	2	5	9	15	6	0	0	

2018 SPRING TRAINING TRANSACTIONS

DATE	TRANSACTION
February 23	Signed LHP Francisco Liriano as a free agent; designated LHP Jairo Labourt for assignment
March 3	Reassigned RHP's Victor Alcántara, Alex Faedo and Paul Voelker to Minor League camp