

Minor League Report








MINNESOTA TWINS



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Minnesota Twins Minor League Report Tuesday, September 11, 2018

Team	Level	Record	Yesterday's Scores	Streak/Last 10
 Rochester Red Wings	Triple-A	**64-76; 19.0 GB 4th in International League North	Season has ended	No Playoffs
 Chattanooga Lookouts	Double-A	**29-39; 12.0 GB 5th in Southern League North	Season has ended	No Playoffs
 Fort Myers Miracle	High-A	**40-29; - - -GB T-1 st in Fla. State League South	W, 8-5 at Daytona	FSL Championship: (3-1)
 C. Rapids Kernels	Low-A	**45-25; +4.0 GB 1st in Midwest League Eastern	L, 0-2 vs. Peoria	MWL Semifinal (0-2)
 Elizabethton Twins	Rookie	**39-27; +7.0 G 1st in App. League West	W, 2-1 vs. Princeton	App Championship (2-0)
 GCL Twins	Rookie	**32-24; 1.5 GB 3rd in GCL South	Season has ended	No Playoffs
 DSL Twins	DSL	**50-22; 1.0 GB 2 nd in DSL South	Season Has ended	No Playoffs

International League North

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Lehigh Valley IronPigs	84	56	.600	-	43-27	41-29	57-32	W1	7-3
Scranton/Wilkes-Barre RailRiders	73	65	.529	10.0	39-29	34-36	48-41	W2	6-4
Pawtucket Red Sox	66	73	.475	17.5	34-35	32-38	40-49	L2	5-5
Rochester Red Wings	64	76	.457	20.0	29-41	35-35	44-45	L1	5-5
Syracuse Chiefs	64	76	.457	20.0	35-35	29-41	40-49	W4	7-3
Buffalo Bisons	61	77	.442	22.0	33-35	28-42	38-51	L11	0-10

International League South

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Durham Bulls	79	60	.568	-	40-30	39-30	39-29	W1	7-3
Gwinnett Stripers	70	69	.504	9.0	40-29	30-40	35-33	L1	6-4
Norfolk Tides	69	71	.493	10.5	36-34	33-37	31-38	L1	2-8
Charlotte Knights	64	75	.460	15.0	34-36	30-39	32-37	W1	5-5

International League West

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Toledo Mud Hens	73	66	.525	-	36-34	37-32	37-32	L1	7-3
Columbus Clippers	73	67	.521	0.5	40-30	33-37	35-34	W1	4-6
Indianapolis Indians	73	67	.521	0.5	40-30	33-37	36-33	W1	4-6
Louisville Bats	61	76	.445	11.0	32-38	29-38	30-39	L1	5-5

SECOND HALF STANDINGS

Southern League North

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Montgomery Biscuits	42	28	.600	-	18-17	24-11	22-18	L1	8-2
Jackson Generals	36	34	.514	6.0	19-16	17-18	25-25	L1	6-4
Birmingham Barons	34	36	.486	8.0	16-19	18-17	25-21	W2	4-6
Tennessee Smokies	31	37	.456	10.0	17-16	14-21	23-24	W1	3-7
Chattanooga Lookouts	29	39	.426	12.0	16-19	13-20	13-20	W1	5-5

Southern League South

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Biloxi Shuckers	40	30	.571	-	24-11	16-19	21-19	L2	5-5
Pensacola Blue Wahoos	39	30	.565	0.5	22-13	17-17	24-20	L1	6-4
Mississippi Braves	38	30	.559	1.0	21-13	17-17	22-22	W1	6-4
Mobile BayBears	29	39	.426	10.0	13-20	16-19	21-21	W1	3-7
Jacksonville Jumbo Shrimp	27	42	.391	12.5	12-23	15-19	19-25	L1	4-6

OVERALL STANDINGS

Southern League North

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Montgomery Biscuits	79	61	.564	-	34-36	45-25	44-36	L1	8-2
Jackson Generals	75	64	.540	3.5	39-31	36-33	45-45	L1	6-4
Tennessee Smokies	67	71	.486	11.0	33-35	34-36	43-44	W1	3-7
Birmingham Barons	66	72	.478	12.0	33-36	33-36	45-45	W2	4-6
Chattanooga Lookouts	65	72	.474	12.5	36-34	29-38	35-42	W1	5-5

Southern League South

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Biloxi Shuckers	81	59	.579	-	47-23	34-36	47-38	L2	5-5
Pensacola Blue Wahoos	69	68	.504	10.5	37-33	32-35	46-41	L1	6-4
Mississippi Braves	67	71	.486	13.0	36-33	31-38	40-49	W1	6-4
Mobile BayBears	66	70	.485	13.0	31-35	35-35	43-39	W1	3-7
Jacksonville Jumbo Shrimp	55	82	.401	24.5	27-41	28-41	34-43	L1	4-6

**Fort Myers Miracle (3-1) 8, Daytona Tortugas (1-3) 5
September 10, 2018**

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Fort Myers	0	0	5	0	3	0	0	0	0	8	9	2
Daytona	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	5	5	1

Fort Myers	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB	AVG
Lewis, SS	4	1	1	0	1	0	0	.294
Kirilloff, RF	5	1	1	0	0	0	3	.222
Miranda, 3B	4	2	1	1	1	0	1	.412
Blankenhorn, 2B	3	2	1	1	0	0	1	.538
Hamilton, C	3	0	1	1	1	0	4	.333
Costello, 1B	4	1	2	3	0	1	3	.267
Carrier, DH	4	0	1	2	0	1	1	.143
Contreras, LF	4	0	0	0	0	1	2	.000
Whitefield, CF	4	1	1	0	0	2	0	.200
Colina, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Phillips, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Lujan, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	35	8	9	8	3	5	15	.276

Daytona	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB	AVG
Fairchild, RF	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	.071
Trammell, CF	3	0	0	0	1	1	2	.154
Hawkins, C, LF	4	0	0	0	0	2	1	.250
Stephenson, T, C	3	1	1	0	1	0	1	.455
Isabel, DH	4	1	1	2	0	1	1	.125
Yari, 1B	3	1	0	0	1	2	1	.143
Bell, 3B	3	1	1	0	1	0	2	.429
Ventura, R, 2B	3	1	1	0	1	0	1	.273
Rodriguez, A, SS	4	0	1	1	0	0	4	.267
Moss, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Boyles, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Hunter, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Thompson, C, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	32	5	5	3	5	6	15	.238

BATTING

2B: Kirilloff (2, Boyles); Hamilton (1, Hunter).
HR: Costello (1, 3rd inning off Moss, 2 on, 2 out).
TB: Lewis; Kirilloff 2; Whitefield; Carrier; Hamilton 2; Miranda; Costello 5; Blankenhorn.
RBI: Miranda (5); Blankenhorn (4); Costello 3 (4); Hamilton (3); Carrier 2 (2).
2-out RBI: Costello 3; Carrier 2.
Runners left in scoring position, 2 out: Blankenhorn; Costello.
SAC: Blankenhorn.
Team RISP: 4-for-10.
Team LOB: 4.

BATTING

HR: Isabel (1, 8th inning off Phillips, 1 on, 1 out).
TB: Isabel 4; Stephenson, T; Bell; Ventura, R; Rodriguez, A.
RBI: Rodriguez, A (4); Isabel 2 (2).
Runners left in scoring position, 2 out: Trammell.
GIDP: Bell; Fairchild.
Team RISP: 0-for-3.
Team LOB: 5.

FIELDING

E: Boyles (1, fielding).

BASERUNNING

CS: Hamilton (1, 2nd base by Moss/Stephenson, T).

FIELDING

E: Blankenhorn (2, fielding); Lewis (1, throw).
DP: 2 (Blankenhorn-Costello 2).

Fort Myers	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	ERA
Colina (W, 1-0)	6.2	2	3	0	4	6	0	0.00
Phillips	1.1	2	2	2	1	0	1	13.50
Lujan (S, 1)	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
Totals	9.0	5	5	2	5	6	1	2.57

Daytona	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	ERA
Moss (L, 0-1)	3.0	6	5	5	2	1	1	15.00
Boyles	2.0	2	3	1	1	0	0	4.50
Hunter	3.0	1	0	0	0	4	0	0.00
Thompson, C	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.50
Totals	9.0	9	8	6	3	5	1	4.50

Game Scores: Colina 65; Moss 22.

Balk: Moss.

IBB: Miranda (by Boyles).

Pitches-strikes: Colina 99-60; Phillips 23-15; Lujan 10-7; Moss 47-30; Boyles 20-14; Hunter 48-31; Thompson, C 9-6.

Groundouts-flyouts: Colina 10-3; Phillips 2-1; Lujan 1-1; Moss 1-5; Boyles 3-1; Hunter 2-2; Thompson, C 2-0.

Batters faced: Colina 28; Phillips 6; Lujan 3; Moss 16; Boyles 10; Hunter 10; Thompson, C 3.

Inherited runners-scored: Phillips 1-0.

Umpires: HP: Matt Carlyon. 1B: Sam Burch. 2B: Mark Stewart. 3B: Mike Carroll.

Weather: 82 degrees, overcast.

Wind: 7 mph, R to L.

First pitch: 7:04 PM.

T: 2:26.

Att: 869.

Venue: Jackie Robinson Ballpark.

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FSL Playoffs:

TEX Semifinals

Clearwater 7, Daytona 6
Final (Clearwater
Leads Series 1-
0)

Fort Myers 3, Palm
Beach 1 (Fort Myers
Leads Series 1-
0)
Final

Daytona 6, Clearwater 5 (Series Tied 1-
Final 1)
Fort Myers 3, Palm
Beach 1 (Fort Myers
Final Wins Series 2-0)

Daytona 5, Clearwater 3 (Daytona Wins
Final Series 2-1)

Fort Myers 3, Daytona 1
Final (Fort Myers
Leads Series 1-
0)

Fort Myers 12, Daytona 2
Final (Fort Myers
Leads Series 2-
0)

Daytona 6, Fort Myers 2
Final (Fort Myers
Leads Series 2-
1)

Fort Myers 8, Daytona 5
Final (Fort Myers
Wins Series 3-1)

September 4

W - Russ, Addison (1-0, 0.00), L - Diaz, Carlos (0-1, 9.00)

W - Cutura, Andro (1-0, 1.29), L - Walsh, Jake (0-1, 5.40)

September 5

W - Hunter, Brian (1-0, 0.00), L - Requena, Alejandro (0-1, 20.25)

W - Phillips, Alex (1-0, 0.00), L - Oxnevad, Ian (0-1, 3.86)

September 6

W - Diaz, Carlos (1-1, 4.50), L - Bettencourt, Trevor (0-1, 23.14)

TEX Championship Series September 7

W - Barnes, Charlie (1-0, 0.00), L - Naughton, Packy (0-1, 3.86)

September 8

W - Jax, Griffin (1-0, 2.70), L - Canelon, Kevin (0-1, *.**)

September 9

W - Antone, Tejay (1-0, 4.76), L - Graterol, Brusdar (0-1, 3.60)

September 10

W - Colina, Edwar (1-0, 0.00), L - Moss, Scott (0-1, 10.29)

Fort Myers Miracle

As of 09/10/2018 09:33 PM EDT

W-L Record: 3-1

GI ---GAMES BY POSITION---

BATTERS	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS	SF	SAC	HBP	DP	1B	2B	3B	SS	OF	C	E
* Blankenhorn, Travis	.538	4	13	5	7	1	0	0	4	2	0	1	0	0	.600	.615	1.215	0	1	0	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	2
Carrier, Shane	.143	2	7	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	.143	.143	.286	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
* Contreras, Mark	.000	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	.125	.000	.125	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
* Costello, Ryan	.267	4	15	2	4	0	0	1	4	1	0	2	0	0	.313	.467	.779	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	1
* De La Trinidad, Ernie	.000	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
* Grzelakowski, Taylor	.250	2	8	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	.250	.375	.625	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hamilton, Caleb	.333	3	9	2	3	1	0	0	3	3	0	1	1	1	.500	.444	.944	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
* Kirilloff, Alex	.222	4	18	4	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	.222	.333	.556	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0
Lewis, Royce	.294	4	17	5	5	0	0	3	5	1	0	0	0	0	.333	.824	1.157	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	0	1
Miranda, Jose	.412	4	17	4	7	3	0	1	5	1	1	1	0	0	.444	.765	1.209	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	0	0
* Rinn, Robby	.250	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	.250	.250	.500	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
* Rortvedt, Ben	.000	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	.500	.000	.500	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Whitefield, Aaron	.200	4	15	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	.200	.267	.467	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0
Total-All Batters	.276	4	134	25	37	9	0	5	25	10	1	22	1	1	.329	.455	.784	1	1	1	5							4

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PITCHERS	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	SVO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	BK	WP	GO/AO	DP	WHIP	AVG	AB	TBF	SF	GF	HLD
* Barnes, Charlie	1-0	0.00	1	1	0	0	0	0	6.2	7	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	1.17	1	1.20	.280	25	26	0	0	0
Colina, Edwar	1-0	0.00	1	1	0	0	0	0	6.2	2	3	0	0	0	4	0	6	0	0	2.50	0	0.90	.083	24	28	0	0	0
Davis, Colton	0-0	27.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	2	3	3	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0.00	0	4.00	.400	5	7	0	1	0
Graterol, Brusdar	0-1	3.60	1	1	0	0	0	0	5.0	7	2	2	0	0	1	0	6	0	1	1.50	0	1.60	.350	20	21	0	0	0
Jax, Griffin	1-0	2.70	1	1	0	0	0	0	6.2	6	2	2	1	0	1	0	6	0	0	1.17	1	1.05	.240	25	26	0	0	0
Lujan, Hector	0-0	0.00	1	0	0	0	1	1	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.00	1	1.00	.333	3	3	0	1	0
* Marnon, Kevin	0-0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	2.1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0.50	1	0.86	.143	7	8	0	1	0
Mason, Ryan	0-0	4.50	1	0	0	0	0	0	2.0	2	1	1	0	1	1	1	3	0	0	2.00	1	1.50	.286	7	9	0	0	0
* Moran, Jovani	0-0	0.00	1	0	0	0	1	1	2.1	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	6	0	0		0	0.86	.111	9	11	0	1	0
Phillips, Alex	0-0	13.50	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.1	2	2	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2.00	1	2.25	.400	5	6	0	0	0
Total-All Pitchers	3-1	2.57	4	4	0	0	2	2	35.0	31	14	10	2	2	13	1	35	0	1	1.43	6	1.26	.238	130		0	4	0

KEY: * - lefthanded hitter/pitcher, # - switch hitter

MWL Playoffs:

Peoria 3, Quad Cities 0
Final
Bowling
Green 4, Lansing 3
Final
Cedar Rapids @ Beloit,
PPD: Rain
(Rescheduled for:
September 6)
West Michigan 6, Great
Lakes 0
Final
(Peoria Leads Series 1-0)
(Bowling Green Leads Series 1-0)
(Series Tied -)(West Michigan Leads Series 1-0)

Peoria 7, Quad Cities 2
Final
Bowling
Green 4, Lansing 3
Final
West Michigan 2, Great
Lakes 1
Final
Cedar Rapids 10, Beloit 1
Final
(Peoria Wins Series 2-0)
(Bowling Green Wins Series 2-0)
(West Michigan Wins Series 2-0)
(Cedar Rapids Leads Series 1-0)
(Cedar Rapids Wins Series 2-0)

Bowling Green 6, West
Michigan 5
Final
Peoria 5, Cedar Rapids 3
Final
(Bowling Green Leads Series 1-0)
(Peoria Leads Series 1-0)

Bowling Green 3, West
Michigan 1
Final
(Bowling Green Wins Series 2-0)

Peoria 5, Cedar Rapids 0
Final
(Peoria Wins Series 2-0)

September 5

W - Oviedo, Johan (1-0, 0.00), L - Sandoval, Edgardo (0-1, 4.50)

W - Seelinger, Matt (1-0, 0.00), L - Shannon, Matt (0-1, 9.00)

Duran, Jhoan (0-0, --) vs. Poche', Jared (0-0, --)

W - Bass, Brad (1-0, 0.00), L - Carrillo, Gerardo (0-1, 6.75)

September 6

W - Prendergast, Zach (1-0, 0.00), L - Castellanos, Humberto (0-1, 27.00)

W - Romero, Tommy (1-0, 1.29), L - Spraker, Graham (0-1, 3.86)

W - Lescher, Billy (1-0, 0.00), L - Nunez, Darien (0-1, 10.80)

W - Duran, Jhoan (1-0, 1.50), L - Poche', Jared (0-1, 15.43)

September 7

W - Dobnak, Randy (1-0, 0.00), L - Andueza, Ivan (0-1, 3.86)

TEX Semifinals September 8

W - Linares, Resly (1-0, 3.18), L - Kirby, Chance (0-1, 5.40)

W - Whitley, Kodi (1-0, 0.00), L - Martinez, Jose (0-1, 27.00)

September 9

W - Campbell, Paul (1-0, 1.29), L - Rodriguez, Elvin (0-1, 4.50)

W - Dahlberg, Jake (1-0, 0.00), L - Enlow, Blayne (0-1, 15.00)

Appalachian League East

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Princeton Rays	44	22	.667	-	27-10	17-12	28-10	W4	8-2
Bluefield Blue Jays	42	26	.618	3.0	23-11	19-15	22-16	W2	6-4
Danville Braves	33	35	.485	12.0	18-17	15-18	18-20	W1	3-7
Pulaski Yankees	32	36	.471	13.0	17-17	15-19	17-19	W1	3-7
Burlington Royals	25	43	.368	20.0	12-21	13-22	9-29	L2	7-3

Appalachian League West

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Elizabethton Twins	39	27	.591	-	19-13	20-14	25-13	L1	8-2
Kingsport Mets	33	35	.485	7.0	19-15	14-20	21-17	L2	4-6
Bristol Pirates	31	37	.456	9.0	17-16	14-21	15-21	L1	3-7
Johnson City Cardinals	31	37	.456	9.0	13-20	18-17	17-21	W2	5-5
Greeneville Reds	28	40	.412	12.0	12-21	16-19	16-22	L4	3-7

Playoffs:

TEX Semifinals

Matchup	Series Status	Date	Result
Bluefield 12, Princeton 7 Final	(Bluefield Leads Series 1-0)	August 31	W - Medina, Nicolas (1-0, 0.00), L - Baz, Shane (0-1, 33.75)
Elizabethton 7, Kingsport 3 Final	(Elizabethton Leads Series 1-0)	August 31	W - Winder, Josh (1-0, 1.50), L - Taveras, Willy (0-1, 4.50)
Princeton 7, Bluefield 3 Final	(Series Tied 1-1)	September 1	W - Moore, Steffon (1-0, 4.50), L - Galva, Claudio (0-1, 8.10)
Kingsport 7, Elizabethton 6 Final	(Series Tied 1-1)	September 1	W - Hickey, Mitch (1-0, 10.80), L - Funderburk, Kody (0-1, 6.23)
Princeton 6, Bluefield 5 Final	(Princeton Wins Series 2-1)	September 2	W - German, Francisco (1-0, 0.00), L - Wilson, Brad (0-1, 0.00)
Elizabethton 5, Kingsport 2 Final	(Elizabethton Wins Series 2-1)	September 2	W - Rapp, Brian (1-0, 2.45), L - Nunez, Dedniel (0-1, 6.23)
TEX Championship Series			
Elizabethton 7, Princeton 4 Final	(Elizabethton Leads Series 1-0)	September 4	W - Schulfer, Austin (1-0, 5.14), L - Sanchez, Rodolfo (0-1, 10.80)
Elizabethton 2, Princeton 1 Final	(Elizabethton Wins Series 2-0)	September 5	W - Palm, Tyler (1-0, 0.00), L - Moore, Steffon (1-1, 4.91)

Gulf Coast League East

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
GCL Cardinals	40	16	.714	-	18-10	22-6	40-16	W8	9-1
GCL Astros	27	28	.491	12.5	15-12	12-16	27-28	L2	3-7
GCL Marlins	25	31	.446	15.0	14-14	11-17	25-31	W1	7-3
GCL Mets	24	31	.436	15.5	12-16	12-15	24-31	W1	4-6
GCL Nationals	23	33	.411	17.0	12-16	11-17	23-33	L5	2-8

Gulf Coast League Northeast

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
GCL Phillies East	30	24	.556	-	17-10	13-14	16-5	L2	5-5
GCL Tigers East	26	28	.481	4.0	12-15	14-13	9-11	W2	5-5
GCL Braves	22	32	.407	8.0	7-20	15-12	10-11	L2	3-7
GCL Yankees East	19	35	.352	11.0	11-16	8-19	6-14	W1	5-5

Gulf Coast League Northwest

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
GCL Tigers West	37	16	.698	-	19-7	18-9	18-8	W4	8-2
GCL Phillies West	30	24	.556	7.5	18-9	12-15	11-15	L1	6-4
GCL Pirates	27	25	.519	9.5	14-13	13-12	13-13	L1	7-3
GCL Yankees West	25	27	.481	11.5	13-12	12-15	14-11	L1	5-5
GCL Blue Jays	24	29	.453	13.0	13-14	11-15	9-18	W1	2-8

Gulf Coast League South

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
GCL Red Sox	33	22	.600	-	19-8	14-14	33-22	L2	6-4
GCL Rays	33	23	.589	0.5	17-11	16-12	33-23	W3	7-3
GCL Twins	32	24	.571	1.5	19-9	13-15	32-24	W2	6-4
GCL Orioles	13	42	.236	20.0	9-19	4-23	13-42	L10	0-10

Dominican Summer League South

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
DSL Cardinals Blue	51	21	.708	-	27-9	24-12	51-21	L1	8-2
DSL Twins	50	22	.694	1.0	26-10	24-12	50-22	W1	7-3
DSL Mets1	47	25	.653	4.0	27-9	20-16	47-25	W2	7-3
DSL Nationals	36	36	.500	15.0	20-16	16-20	36-36	W1	5-5
DSL Phillies Red	31	40	.437	19.5	20-16	11-24	31-40	L1	5-5
DSL Yankees	29	42	.408	21.5	15-20	14-22	29-42	W3	5-5
DSL Rockies	22	50	.306	29.0	10-26	12-24	22-50	L5	2-8
DSL Angels	21	51	.292	30.0	14-22	7-29	21-51	L6	1-9

Minor League Clips

Fort Myers wins Florida State League title

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Behind hot hitting from Royce Lewis, Travis Blankenhorn and Jose Miranda, the Fort Myers Miracle, the Class A Advanced affiliate of the Minnesota Twins, capped a dominant run through the Florida State League playoffs with an 8-5 win over the Daytona Tortugas in Game 4 of the Florida State League Finals on Monday night. The title is the Miracle's first since 2014.

Though a pair of errors in the second inning plated three unearned runs for the Tortugas, an affiliate of the Cincinnati Reds, the Miracle answered with a five-run third behind RBI singles from Blankenhorn and Miranda, followed by a three-run homer from Ryan Costello. A leadoff double by Twins No. 2 prospect Alex Kirilloff (No. 30 overall) sparked a three-run rally in the fifth that gave Fort Myers all the insurance runs it would need.

Lewis, the Twins' No. 1 prospect (No. 10 overall), went 1-for-4 with a run in the clinching victory. The 19-year-old shortstop, the No. 1 selection in the 2017 MLB Draft, hit safely in every game of the series. While he was 5-for-17 in the four games, three of those hits were homers, and he drove in five runs.

Miranda, the 20-year-old third baseman ranked No. 29 in the Twins' system, also collected hits in every game, including two-hit games in each of the first three contests, to wrap up the series with three doubles and a homer. Blankenhorn led all hitters with a .538 average following a pair of three-hit games.

Despite the series loss for the Tortugas, catcher Tyler Stephenson, the Reds' No. 6 prospect and former first-round Draft selection, went 5-for-11 with a homer, a double and four walks as his .455 average led Daytona hitters in the series.

It was the second title won by the Miracle as part of the Twins organization, and the seventh overall for the club -- it won five championships in the 1960s and '70s while affiliated with the Baltimore Orioles.

Costello powers Miracle to FSL title

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On the last day of the regular season, Class A Advanced Fort Myers needed a win and a loss by Charlotte to secure a spot in the postseason. The squad edged Clearwater, 2-1, and after the Fire Frogs rallied past the Stone Crabs, 5-2, the Miracle were headed to the playoffs.

Seven games later -- behind a go-ahead three-run roundtripper from Ryan Costello -- Fort Myers wrapped up its second Florida State League title in five years with an 8-5 victory over Daytona in Game 4 of the circuit's Championship Series on Monday at Jackie Robinson Ballpark.

"It feels great, man," said Costello, who was acquired from the Mariners in a trade on July 30 and assigned to the Miracle on Aug. 1. A lot of hard work went into this. I've only been here for a month, but from what I understood, the first half was a struggle. So having the chance to come out here and make a difference has been great. But we came out on that last day knowing we had to win the game just to put ourselves in a position to have a chance. We knew if Charlotte won, it was over. But it's baseball, so you never know what's going to happen. We got the 'W,' and then sure enough, Florida pulled out a win and we were pumped."

After surviving the decisive Game 3 of the semifinals round against the Threshers, Fort Myers took a 2-0 series lead -- outscoring the Tortugas, 15-3, through the first two games of the Finals. Daytona avoided a sweep with a 6-2 victory in Game 3 on Sunday.

The Miracle collected nine hits in the final game and committed a pair of errors that led to three runs for the Tortugas in the second inning.

Costello's blast capped Fort Myers' five-run frame in the third. The 22-year-old turned on an inside fastball from No. 18 Reds prospect Scott Moss (0-1) and deposited it over the wall in right field. The dinger scored 18th-ranked Twins prospect Travis Blankenhorn and No. 29 Jose Miranda -- who each collected an RBI base knock in the frame.

"He was a lefty, and he had a running two-seam fastball that he was trying to bust me in with and I kept biting," said Costello, whose long ball was his first career postseason extra-base hit. "So once I fell behind, 1-2, I was just trying to stay short and battle and put together a good AB. And sure enough, I put a good swing on a ball and it left the yard."

Right-hander Edwar Colina (1-0) yielded three unearned runs on a pair of hits with four walks and six punchouts for the Miracle. Righty Hector Lujan worked around a one-out single by Cincinnati's 23rd-ranked prospect Alfredo Rodriguez in the ninth by getting No. 11 Stuart Fairchild to ground into a series-ending 4-4-3 double play.

"It was out of our control," Costello said. "We really didn't know we were going to be in the playoffs until the very last moment, so that we were here, it just made us feel like we had to make something happen."

Top-ranked Twins prospect Royce Lewis went 1-for-4 with a walk and a run scored. MLB.com's No. 10 overall prospect finished the Finals 5-for-17 with three homers, five RBIs and five runs. He collected at least one hit in every game.

Minnesota's No. 2 prospect Alex Kirilloff was 1-for-5 with a double and a run scored. The 30th-ranked prospect in baseball went 4-for-18 with two doubles and scored four times in the Championship Series.

Ibanel Isabel, who finished the regular season tied with Triple-A Las Vegas' Peter Alonso for the Minor League lead in homers with 36, smacked a two-run dinger for Daytona in the eighth.

Ryan Costello's homer leads Fort Myers Miracle to Florida State League title
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DAYTONA BEACH -- The Fort Myers Miracle have won their second Florida State League title in five years.

Ryan Costello hit a three-run home run in the third inning, leading the Miracle to an 8-5 win over the Daytona Tortugas on Monday for a 3-1 series victory.

The home run by Costello gave the Miracle a 5-3 lead and capped a five-run inning for Fort Myers. Earlier in the inning, Jose Miranda and Travis Blankenhorn hit RBI singles.

The Miracle later tacked on three runs in the fifth when Alex Kirilloff scored on a ground out and Shane Carrier hit a two-run single to secure the victory.

Fort Myers right-hander Edwar Colina (1-1) picked up a quality start and the win after allowing three runs on just two hits over 6 $\frac{2}{3}$ innings. Opposing starter Scott Moss (15-5) took the loss after allowing five runs and six hits over three innings. Hector Lujan recorded his fifth save of the season.

This is Fort Myers manager Ramon Borrego's first season. The Miracle won the title in 2014 under manager Doug Mientkiewicz.

Area sports notes: Southern League honors Lookouts' Andrew Zito
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Chattanooga Lookouts vice president Andrew Zito was named outstanding employee of the year when the Southern League announced Monday its executive awards for 2018. According to the league release, Zito was honored "for his fantastic work with regards to the Lookouts' ticketing and group sales effort" and for "a terrific job of continuing to make the Lookouts part of the fabric within Chattanooga's local community." Specifically mentioned in that latter aspect was his United Way's Emerging Leaders United board membership.