



POSTGAME NOTES

Saturday, April 7, 2018

Chicago Cubs (4-4) vs. Milwaukee Brewers (5-4)



	R	H	E	LOB
Cubs	5	8	0	9
Brewers	2	4	2	4

Winning Pitcher: RHP Pedro Strop (2-0)
 Losing Pitcher: RHP Jacob Barnes (0-1)
 Save: RHP Brandon Morrow (1)

Time of Game: 3:26
 First Pitch: 3:05 p.m.
 Temp: 64 Inside/31 Outside
 Roof/Panels: Closed/Closed

TODAY'S WINNER



Average - 34,371

Today's Attendance - 43,331

Season Total - 206,226

Home Runs

Batter (#)	Pitcher	Inning	Count	Type	Distance (Ft)	Exit Velocity (mph)	Location
Eric Thames (3)	RHP Yu Darvish	4th	3-2	Solo	411	107	RF
Kris Bryant (2)	RHP Zach Davies	6th	3-2	Solo	407	109	LF

Cubs Notes

Ⓢ **RHP Yu Darvish** made his second start of the season.....now has a 5.23 ERA (10.1ip, 6er) on the season.....made his second career start against the Brewers, also 8/27/17 with Los Angeles-NL at Dodger Stadium (L, 5ip, 3er).....threw first-pitch strikes to 18 of 21 batters faced (85.7%), the highest percentage in a game in his career, according to FanGraphs (prev. 80.0%, three times).

Ⓢ **3B Kris Bryant** recorded the first hit for either team, an infield single leading off the fourth inning.....tied his season high with 3 hits, also 3/30 at Miami.....recorded his first triple since 8/7/17 at San Francisco.....has reached base safely in all 8 games this season.....since the start of 2017, has hit .471 (24-for-51) against the Brewers at Miller Park compared to .233 (7-for-30) at Wrigley Field.

Ⓢ **CF Ian Happ** delivered the game-winning hit with a 2-run single in the ninth inning.....was his first career game-winning hit in the ninth inning or later and third career game-winning hit in the seventh inning or later, first since 9/29/17 vs. Cincinnati (3-run home run in 8th).....is now 5-for-10 with 1 home run and 12 RBI in his career with the bases loaded.

Ⓢ **The Cubs** improve to 20-9 at Miller Park since 7/30/15.....won for the first time when trailing entering the ninth inning since 9/21/17 at Milwaukee (trailed 3-2, won 5-3 in 10 innings).

Brewers Notes

Ⓢ **RHP Zach Davies** made his second start of the season.....finished 1 strikeout shy of his career high (9, three times).....is now 0-1 with a 5.40 ERA (11.2ip, 7er) this season.....is now 5-4 with a 3.68 ERA (66ip, 27er) in 11 career starts against the Cubs, including 1-3 with a 3.32 ERA (38ip, 14er) in 6 career starts at Miller Park

Ⓢ **Davies** has thrown 5 consecutive quality starts against the Cubs, going 2-1 with a 2.45 ERA (33ip, 9er) during that span.....joins Jimmy Nelson (4/7/17) as the only Brewers pitchers to limit the Cubs to 1 earned run or fewer and strike out 8 or more batters in a game since the start of 2016.

Ⓢ **1B Eric Thames** has homered in back-to-back games for the 11th time in his career, first since 9/12-9/15, 2017 (3 games).....since joining the Brewers last season, 23 of his 34 home runs have come at Miller Park and 21 have been solo homers.

Ⓢ **PH Eric Sogard** collected his first hit of the season in the eighth inning, a double to right.....was the last remaining Brewers position player without a hit this season.

Next Game - Sunday, April 8 vs. Chicago Cubs - 1:10 PM CST
 RHP Chase Anderson (0-0, 3.60) vs. LHP José Quintana (0-1, 9.00)

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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Chi Cubs	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	5	8	0
Milwaukee	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	4	2

Chi Cubs	AVG	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A
Happ, I, CF	.179	5	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	3	3	0
Bryant, 3B-1B	.364	3	1	3	0	1	1	1	2	0	1	0
Schwarber, LF	.200	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Strop, P	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
b-Lester, PH	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Morrow, P	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Contreras, C	.250	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	13	0
La Stella, 2B-3B	.364	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Caratini, 1B	.200	4	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	6	0
1-Russell, PR-SS	.308	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Heyward, RF	.208	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0
Baez, Ja, SS-2B	.154	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3
Darvish, P	.000	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
a-Almora Jr., PH	.167	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Duensing, P	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cishek, P	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Zobrist, LF	.333	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	.223	33	5	8	1	1	1	5	7	9	27	6

a-Grounded into a double play for Darvish in the 7th. b-Hit a sacrifice bunt for Strop in the 9th.
 1-Ran for Caratini in the 9th.

BATTING

2B: Caratini (1, Davies).
3B: Bryant (1, Jeffress).
HR: Bryant (2, 6th inning off Davies, 0 on, 0 out).
RBI: Bryant (6); Zobrist (2); Happ, I 2 (3); Lester (1).
SAC: Lester (off Barnes, J).
GIDP: Almora Jr..
Team RISP: 2-for-9.
Team LOB: 9.

BASERUNNING

CS: Bryant (1, 2nd base by Davies/Bandy).

Milwaukee	AVG	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A
Cain, L, CF	.270	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0
Thames, 1B	.240	4	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	2	3	1
Braun, LF	.179	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	2	0
Shaw, T, 3B	.289	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Santana, Do, RF	.276	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Villar, 2B	.290	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	3
Arcia, SS	.148	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	0
Bandy, C	.111	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	10	1
Davies, P	.000	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1
Drake, P	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jeffress, P	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jennings, Da, P	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
a-Sogard, PH	.077	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Barnes, J, P	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hoover, P	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	.245	30	2	4	1	0	1	2	1	13	27	7

a-Doubled for Jennings, Da in the 8th.

BATTING

2B: Sogard (1, Cishek).
HR: Thames (3, 4th inning off Darvish, 0 on, 0 out).
RBI: Thames (5); Cain, L (5).
SF: Cain, L (off Strop).
Team RISP: 0-for-2.
Team LOB: 4.

FIELDING

E: Arcia (2); Shaw, T (2).
DP: (Shaw, T-Villar-Thames).

Chi Cubs	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	BF
Darvish	5.23	6.0	2	1	1	1	9	1	21
Duensing	0.00	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Cishek	1.69	1.0	1	1	1	0	1	0	5
Strop (W, 2-0)	0.00	0.2	0	0	0	0	1	0	2
Morrow (S, 1)	0.00	1.0	1	0	0	0	2	0	4
Totals	2.88	9.0	4	2	2	1	13	1	33

Milwaukee	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	BF
Davies	5.40	6.0	4	1	1	3	8	1	24
Drake	1.59	1.1	0	0	0	1	1	0	4
Jeffress	1.69	0.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Jennings, Da	1.69	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Barnes, J (BS, 1)(L, 0-1)	2.70	0.2	3	4	2	2	0	0	8
Hoover	0.00	0.1	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
Totals	4.07	9.0	8	5	3	7	9	1	41

Jeffress pitched to 1 batter in the 8th.

Team ER: off Chi Cubs 2, off Milwaukee 3.

BB: off Darvish (Braun); off Davies 3 (Bryant, Baez, Ja, Schwarber); Drake (Heyward); Barnes, J 2 (Heyward, Bryant); Hoover (Contreras).

IBB: off Barnes, J 1 (Bryant).

SO: by Darvish 9 (Thames, Santana, Do, Davies, Braun, Shaw, T, Arcia, Bandy, Davies, Braun); Cishek (Arcia); Strop (Thames); Morrow 2 (Braun, Villar); by Davies 8 (Happ, I, Schwarber, Contreras, Darvish, Happ, I, Contreras, Darvish, Caratini); Drake (Happ, I).

WP: Darvish.

HB: Bandy (by Cishek).

Pitches-strikes: Darvish 94-59; Duensing 3-3; Cishek 19-10; Strop 6-4; Morrow 17-13; Davies 101-61; Drake 15-8; Jeffress 3-2; Jennings, Da 11-6; Barnes, J 24-16; Hoover 12-6.

Inherited runners-scored: Strop 2-1; Jennings, Da 1-0; Hoover 2-0.

Umpires: HP: Chris Conroy. 1B: Fieldin Culbreth. 2B: Brian O'Nora. 3B: Chad Whitson.

Official Scorer: Tim O'Driscoll.

Weather: 64 degrees, roof closed.

Wind: 0 mph, None.

First pitch: 3:05 PM.

T: 3:26.

Att: 43,331.

Venue: Miller Park.

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Chicago Cubs 5, Milwaukee Brewers 2

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Cubs starting lineup:

Ian Happ (CF), Kris Bryant (3B), Kyle Schwarber (LF), Willson Contreras (C), Tommy La Stella (2B), Victor Caratini (1B), Jason Heyward (RF), Javier Baez (SS), Yu Darvish (P),

Brewers starting lineup:

Lorenzo Cain (CF), Eric Thames (1B), Ryan Braun (LF), Travis Shaw (3B), Domingo Santana (RF), Jonathan Villar (2B), Orlando Arcia (SS), Jett Bandy (C), Zach Davies (P),

Umpires -- Chris Conroy (HP), Fieldin Culbreth (1B), Brian O'Nora (2B), Chad Whitson (3B), (LF), (RF).

Gametime Weather: 64 degrees, Roof Closed.

Wind: 0 MPH, None.

First pitch by Z. Davies at 03:05 PM local time.

Cubs 1st (Cubs 0, Brewers 0) -- I. Happ strikes out swinging. K. Bryant walks. K. Schwarber strikes out swinging. W. Contreras struck out looking.

(0 Runs, 0 Hits, 0 Errors, 1 LOB)

Brewers 1st (Cubs 0, Brewers 0) -- L. Cain flies out to J. Heyward. E. Thames struck out looking. R. Braun walks. With T. Shaw batting, wild pitch by Y. Darvish, R. Braun to 2nd. T. Shaw pops out to K. Bryant.

(0 Runs, 0 Hits, 0 Errors, 1 LOB)

Cubs 2nd (Cubs 0, Brewers 0) -- T. La Stella grounds out, J. Villar to E. Thames. V. Caratini grounds out, J. Villar to E. Thames. J. Heyward flies out to L. Cain.

(0 Runs, 0 Hits, 0 Errors, 0 LOB)

Brewers 2nd (Cubs 0, Brewers 0) -- D. Santana strikes out swinging. J. Villar grounds out, J. Baez to V. Caratini. O. Arcia flies out to I. Happ.

(0 Runs, 0 Hits, 0 Errors, 0 LOB)

Cubs 3rd (Cubs 0, Brewers 0) -- J. Baez flies out to L. Cain. Y. Darvish struck out looking. I. Happ strikes out swinging.

(0 Runs, 0 Hits, 0 Errors, 0 LOB)

Brewers 3rd (Cubs 0, Brewers 0) -- J. Bandy flies out to I. Happ. Z. Davies struck out looking. L. Cain grounds out, J. Baez to V. Caratini.

(0 Runs, 0 Hits, 0 Errors, 0 LOB)

Cubs 4th (Cubs 0, Brewers 0) -- K. Bryant singles to pitcher. K. Schwarber lines out to L. Cain. With W. Contreras batting, K. Bryant caught stealing 2nd base, J. Bandy to J. Villar. W. Contreras strikes out swinging.

(0 Runs, 1 Hits, 0 Errors, 0 LOB)

Brewers 4th (Brewers 1, Cubs 0) -- E. Thames hits a home run to right field on a 3-2 pitch. R. Braun strikes out swinging. T. Shaw strikes out swinging. D. Santana singles through the hole at shortstop. J.

Villar flies out to I. Happ.

(1 Runs, 2 Hits, 0 Errors, 1 LOB)

Cubs 5th (Brewers 1, Cubs 0) -- T. La Stella singles to right field. V. Caratini doubles to right field, T. La Stella to 3rd. Cubs challenged (tag play), call on the field was upheld: J. Heyward reaches on a fielder's choice out, Z. Davies to J. Bandy, T. La Stella out at home, V. Caratini to 3rd. J. Baez walks, J. Heyward to 2nd. Y. Darvish strikes out swinging. I. Happ pops out to O. Arcia.

(0 Runs, 2 Hits, 0 Errors, 3 LOB)

Brewers 5th (Brewers 1, Cubs 0) -- O. Arcia strikes out swinging. J. Bandy strikes out swinging. Z. Davies struck out looking.

(0 Runs, 0 Hits, 0 Errors, 0 LOB)

Cubs 6th (Cubs 1, Brewers 1) -- K. Bryant hits a home run to left field on a 3-2 pitch. K. Schwarber walks. W. Contreras flies out to R. Braun. T. La Stella pops out to O. Arcia. V. Caratini strikes out swinging.

(1 Runs, 1 Hits, 0 Errors, 1 LOB)

Brewers 6th (Cubs 1, Brewers 1) -- L. Cain grounds out, T. La Stella to V. Caratini. E. Thames grounds out, T. La Stella to V. Caratini. R. Braun struck out looking.

(0 Runs, 0 Hits, 0 Errors, 0 LOB)

Cubs 7th (Cubs 1, Brewers 1) -- Pitcher Change: O. Drake replaces Z. Davies, batting 9th. J. Heyward walks. J. Baez pops out to J. Villar. Offensive Substitution: Pinch hitter A. Almora Jr. replaces Y. Darvish. A. Almora Jr. grounds into double play, T. Shaw to J. Villar to E. Thames, J. Heyward out at 2nd.

(0 Runs, 0 Hits, 0 Errors, 0 LOB)

Brewers 7th (Cubs 1, Brewers 1) -- Pitcher Change: B. Duensing replaces Y. Darvish, batting 9th. T. Shaw grounds out, J. Baez to V. Caratini. Pitcher Change: S. Cishek replaces B. Duensing, batting 9th. D. Santana pops out to T. La Stella. J. Villar grounds out, S. Cishek to V. Caratini.

(0 Runs, 0 Hits, 0 Errors, 0 LOB)

Cubs 8th (Cubs 1, Brewers 1) -- I. Happ strikes out swinging. Pitcher Change: J. Jeffress replaces O. Drake, batting 9th. K. Bryant triples to right-center field. Pitcher Change: D. Jennings replaces J. Jeffress, batting 9th. K. Schwarber lines out to O. Arcia. W. Contreras lines out to R. Braun.

(0 Runs, 1 Hits, 0 Errors, 1 LOB)

Brewers 8th (Brewers 2, Cubs 1) -- O. Arcia strikes out swinging. J. Bandy hit by pitch. Offensive Substitution: Pinch hitter E. Sogard replaces D. Jennings. E. Sogard doubles to right field, J. Bandy to 3rd. Defensive Substitution: B. Zobrist replaces pitcher S. Cishek, batting 9th, playing left field. Pitcher Change: P. Strop replaces S. Cishek, batting 3rd. L. Cain out on a sacrifice fly to J. Heyward, J. Bandy scores; E. Sogard to 3rd. E. Thames strikes out swinging.

(1 Runs, 1 Hits, 0 Errors, 1 LOB)

Cubs 9th (Cubs 5, Brewers 2) -- Pitcher Change: J. Barnes replaces D. Jennings, batting 9th. T. La Stella pops out to O. Arcia. V. Caratini singles to shortstop, V. Caratini advances to 2nd on throwing error by O. Arcia. Offensive Substitution: Pinch runner A. Russell replaces V. Caratini. J. Heyward walks. J. Baez reaches on force attempt, fielding error by T. Shaw, A. Russell to 3rd; J. Heyward to 2nd. B. Zobrist singles to shallow right field, A. Russell scores; J. Heyward to 3rd; J. Baez to 2nd. I. Happ singles to left-center field, J. Heyward scores; J. Baez scores; B. Zobrist to 3rd; I. Happ to 2nd on the throw. J. Barnes intentionally walks K. Bryant. Offensive Substitution: Pinch hitter J. Lester replaces P.

Strop. J. Lester out on a sacrifice bunt, E. Thames to J. Villar, B. Zobrist scores; I. Happ to 3rd; K. Bryant to 2nd. Pitcher Change: J. Hoover replaces J. Barnes, batting 9th. W. Contreras walks. T. La Stella pops out to J. Hoover in foul territory.

(4 Runs, 3 Hits, 2 Errors, 3 LOB)

Brewers 9th (Cubs 5, Brewers 2) -- Defensive switch from 3rd to 1st for K. Bryant. Defensive switch from 2nd to 3rd for T. La Stella. A. Russell remains in the game as the shortstop. Defensive switch from shortstop to 2nd for J. Baez. Pitcher Change: B. Morrow replaces P. Strop, batting 3rd. R. Braun struck out looking. T. Shaw singles through the hole at second base. D. Santana pops out to A. Russell. J. Villar strikes out swinging.

(0 Runs, 1 Hits, 0 Errors, 1 LOB)

Final: Cubs 5, Brewers 2

WP: Pedro Strop (2-0).

LP: Jacob Barnes (0-1).

SV: Brandon Morrow (1).

Time: 3:26.

Attendance: 43331.

Official Scorer: Tim O'Driscoll.