



**POSTGAME NOTES**  
**NEW YORK YANKEES (53-26) vs. BOSTON RED SOX (55-28)**  
**FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 2018**



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| <b>BOSTON RED SOX</b>   | 1 | 6  | 0 | 6   | 0      |
| <b>NEW YORK YANKEES</b> | 8 | 11 | 0 | 3   | 1      |

**STARTING TIME:** 7:09 p.m.

**GAME-TIME TEMPERATURE:** 90 degrees

**WINNING PITCHER:** CC Sabathia (5-3)

**LOSING PITCHER:** Eduardo Rodriguez (9-3)

**SAVE:** None

**TIME OF GAME:** 2:41

**PAID ATTENDANCE:** 47,120 (Sellout #12)

**PITCH COUNTS (Total Pitches/Strikes):**

**Yankees:** CC Sabathia (97/62)

**Red Sox:** Eduardo Rodriguez (95/55)

**HOME RUNS (2018 TOTAL / INNING / RUNNERS ON BASE / OUTS / COUNT / PITCHER / SCORE AFTER HR)**

**YANKEES**

Miguel Andújar (#12 / 4<sup>th</sup> / 1 on / 1 out / 0-1 / Rodriguez / NYY 4 – BOS 0)  
 Greg Bird (#4 / 4<sup>th</sup> / 0 on / 1 out / 3-2 / Rodriguez / NYY 5 – BOS 0)  
 Aaron Judge (#21 / 7<sup>th</sup> / 1 on / 1 out / 3-2 / Haley / NYY 7 – BOS 1)  
 Greg Bird (#5 / 8<sup>th</sup> / 0 on / 2 out / 3-2 / Haley / NYY 8 – BOS 1)

**RED SOX**

None

**NEW YORK YANKEES NOTES**

- The Yankees are 1-0 to begin their six-game homestand and have won three of their last four games on the heels of a season-long three-game losing streak...are 27G over .500, 1G shy of their season high.
  - At 53-26 (.671), own the Majors' best record...marks the latest in a season they had sole possession of MLB's best record since the end of play on 7/27/12 (.606, 60-39).
  - Are a Major League-best 37-4 (.902) when scoring first this season.
  - Are 30-11 (.732) at Yankee Stadium, the Majors' best winning percentage and most home wins...are 25-6 in the Bronx since 4/21.
  - Are 4-3 against the Red Sox this season, including a 3-1 mark at home...since the start of 2017, the Yankees are 9-5 vs. the Red Sox at Yankee Stadium.
  - Are a Major-League best 34-5 (.872) when their starting pitcher tosses at least 6.0IP.
  - Have won each of their last seven games vs. left-handed starting pitchers (since 5/25), and are a Major League-best 19-5 (.792) when they face a left-handed starter in 2018.
- LHP CC Sabathia** (7.0IP, 6H, 1ER, 1BB, 5K, 1HP) started and recorded the win... is 3-1 with a 2.54 ERA (49.2IP, 14ER) in his first nine home starts of 2018...has allowed one-or-zero runs in five of those nine starts.
  - Since the start of 2017, is 12-0 with a 2.47 ERA (105.2IP, 29ER) in 18 regular season starts following a Yankees loss.
  - Is 5-0 with a 1.95 ERA (37.0IP, 8ER) in six starts vs. the Red Sox since the beginning of 2017...has allowed one-or-zero runs in seven of his last 11 starts against the Red Sox (since 8/6/15).
  - Tonight marked his 242nd career win, surpassing Herb Pennock (241) for sole possession of 54th place on Baseball's all-time wins list...also surpassed Pennock for sole possession of 13th place on the all-time wins list among left-handed pitchers.
- 2B Gleyber Torres** (2-for-3, 1R, 1RBI) recorded his first career triple in the first inning...is hitting .345 (20-for-58) with 3 doubles, 1 triple and 4HR vs. left-handed pitchers.
  - Is 6-for-12 (.500) with 3R, 1 triple, 1RBI and 2BB in four games vs. the Red Sox.
- 3B Miguel Andújar** (3-for-4, 3RBI) hit a two-run home run in the fourth inning...has recorded 39 extra-base hits in 74 career games, third-most in Yankees history through 74 career games (Joe DiMaggio-54XBH, Bob Meusel-46XBH).
  - Has 12HR this season...is the fifth Yankees rookie to hit at least 10 home runs before the All-Star break, joining Aaron Judge (30HR in 2017), Gleyber Torres (14HR this season), Joe DiMaggio (11HR in 1936) and Nick Johnson (11HR in 2002)—credit: *Elias*...joins Torres as the first Yankees rookies with at least 10HR before the All-Star break in the same season (first team to do so since the 2016 Dodgers: Corey Seager-17, Trayce Thomson-13).
- 1B Greg Bird** (2-for-4) recorded his second career multi-HR game with solo home runs in the fourth and eighth innings (also 2HR on 8/19/15 vs. Minnesota)...of his 19 hits this season, 12 have gone for extra bases (6 doubles, 1 triple, 5HR).
- RF Aaron Judge** (1-for-4) extended his on-base streak to 16 games with a two-run home run in the seventh...is batting .305/.400/.542 (18-for-59) with 10R, 5 doubles, 3HR, 9RBI and 10BB during the stretch (since 6/12).
  - Is hitting .356/.481/.726 (52-for-146) with 35R, 12 doubles, 14HR, 40RBI and 36BB in 41 games at home in 2018.

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- **Yankees pitchers** have held Red Sox batters to a .122 BA (11-for-90) with RISP in 14 games vs. Boston at Yankee Stadium since the start of 2017, including a 4-for-27 mark this season.
  - Over their last 27 games (since 5/29), Yankees pitchers have held opponents to a .168 BA (33-for-197) with RISP.
- **Yankees relievers** tossed 2.0 perfect innings (3K)...have held opponents scoreless in 18-of-24 games since 6/4, posting a 0.84 ERA (75.1IP, 7ER).
- **Yankees batters** hit back-to-back home runs in the fourth inning (Andújar and Bird), marking the sixth set of back-to-back homers by the Yankees this season (last: Stanton and Sánchez on 6/16 vs. Tampa Bay – fifth inning).
- Tonight's paid attendance of 47,120 was the Yankees' highest of the season...marked their 12th sellout in 41 gates at Yankee Stadium in 2018...recorded 13 sellouts in 2017 and did not record their 12<sup>th</sup> sellout until 9/2 vs. Boston (home game #66)...have recorded sellouts in five of their last six home games.
- Today's first-pitch temperature of 90° F matched the hottest for a game at Yankee Stadium this season (also 6/17 vs. Tampa Bay).

### BOSTON RED SOX NOTES

- The Red Sox started their nine-game road trip with a loss and snapped their four-game winning streak...fell to 28-16 on the road this season, but are 2-5 in their last seven road games...are now 1-3 in the Bronx this season and 3-4 vs. the Yankees this season...are 5-13 in their last 18 games at Yankee Stadium (since 7/17/16)...are now 10-13 when hitting OHR this season.
  - Fell to 33-16 when their starter completes at least 6.0IP...fell to 6-11 when allowing multiple home runs.
- **Red Sox pitchers** have allowed double-digit hits in four of their last seven games...allowed a season-high tying 4HR (second time, also on 4/28 vs. Tampa Bay).
- **LHP Eduardo Rodriguez** (6.0IP, 7H, 5ER, 2BB, 2K, 2HR) started and took the loss...tied his season high with 5ER (third time, also on 5/5 at Texas and 4/30 vs. Kansas City)...recorded just 2K, tying a season low (second time, also on 6/23 vs. Seattle)...is 0-2 with a 8.10 ERA (10.0IP, 9ER) in his last two starts after going 6-0 with a 2.29 ERA (35.1IP, 9ER) in his previous six starts...has taken losses in back-to-back starts for just the third time in his career and the first time since losing two straight starts from 8/26-9/5/17.
  - Gave up multiple home runs for just the second time this season (also 3HR on 5/5 at Texas).
  - Snapped his seven-start unbeaten streak *on the road* (since 9/23/17)...was 5-0 with a 2.93 ERA (43.0IP, 14ER) over the span.
  - Suffered his first loss when completing at least 6.0IP since 8/26/17...fell to 23-4 in 41 career starts when tossing at least 6.0 innings.
  - Is now winless in his last six starts vs. the Yankees, going 0-2 with a 4.31 ERA (31.1IP, 15ER)...in 11 career starts vs. the Yankees is 4-3 with a 3.16 ERA (62.2IP, 22ER).
- **1B Steve Pearce** (2-for-4, 1 double, 1K) made his Red Sox debut and recorded his sixth multi-hit game of the season...in 25 career games *as a visitor* at Yankee Stadium, is hitting .333 (26-for-78)...has now appeared in a game for each AL East team in his career.
- **LF Andrew Benintendi** (1-for-3, 1 double, 1RBI, 1BB, 2K, 1SB) drove in Boston's sole run with a two-out double...is hitting .368/.461/.676 (25-for-68) with 7 doubles, 4 triples, 2HR, 38RBI and 16BB with runners in scoring position this season...registered his 14<sup>th</sup> steal of the season and second in his last three games.
- **RF Mookie Betts** (2-for-4, 1R, 1 double, 1SB) stole his team-leading 15<sup>th</sup> base of the season...added his 25<sup>th</sup> multi-hit game of the season...his 62R lead the team...the Red Sox fell to 32-9 when he scores a run.
- **Boston baserunners** stole two bases tonight (Betts/Benintendi)...have 62 team stolen bases this season, the second most in the AL and third most in the Majors...have been successful in a Major League-best 82.7% of stolen base attempts.

### UPCOMING PROBABLE STARTING PITCHERS

| Date       | Opponent   | Probable Pitchers  | Time-ET   | TV   |
|------------|------------|--|-----------|------|
| Sat., 6/30 | vs. Boston | RHP Sonny Gray (5-5, 4.93) vs. LHP Chris Sale (7-4, 2.56)      | 7:15 p.m. | FOX  |
| Sun., 7/1  | vs. Boston | RHP Luis Severino (12-2, 2.10) vs. LHP David Price (9-5, 3.66) | 8:05 p.m. | ESPN |

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