



POSTGAME NOTES
NEW YORK YANKEES (50-22) vs. SEATTLE MARINERS (46-29)
THURSDAY, JUNE 21, 2018



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SEATTLE MARINERS	3	9	0	7	0
NEW YORK YANKEES	4	8	0	8	3

STARTING TIME: 1:09 p.m.

GAME-TIME TEMPERATURE: 80 degrees

WINNING PITCHER: Luis Severino (11-2)

LOSING PITCHER: James Paxton (6-2)

SAVE: Aroldis Chapman (22)

TIME OF GAME: 2:51

PAID ATTENDANCE: 46,658 (Sellout #11)

PITCH COUNTS (Total Pitches/Strikes):

Yankees: Luis Severino (107/70)

Mariners: James Paxton (107/61)

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

YANKEES

Aaron Judge (#19/ 1st / 1 on / 0 out / 3-2 / Paxton / NYY 2 – SEA 0)

Miguel Andújar (#10/ 1st / 1 on / 2 out / 1-0 / Paxton / NYY 4 – SEA 0)

MARINERS

Kyle Seager (#13 / 2nd / 1 on / 0 out / 1-1 / Severino / NYY 4 – SEA 2)

NEW YORK YANKEES NOTES

- The Yankees have won four straight games and are 15-4 in June... **at 50-22 (.694), are a season-high 28 games over .500**...in the last 65 seasons (since 1954), is the second-earliest they have reached the mark (41-13 in 1998).
 - Are the second Major League team to reach 50 wins this season (Houston, 50-26, idle today)...in the last 65 seasons (since 1954), is the second-fastest Yankees club to 50 wins (50-17 in 1998).
 - Are 41-13 since 4/21, their best 54-game stretch since also going 41-13 from 6/26-8/22/98.
 - Are 17-4 in their last 21 games (since 5/29).
 - Are 29-11 (.725) at Yankee Stadium, the Majors' best winning percentage and most home wins...are 24-6 in the Bronx since 4/21.
 - Recorded their ninth series sweep of the season, their first in a series of at least 3G since 5/4-6 vs. Cleveland (3-0)...was their first home sweep of Seattle since sweeping a pair of 3G series in 2008 (5/2-4/08 and 5/23-25/08)...are 16-6 in 22 games vs. AL West opponents this season.
- **Yankees batters** scored all 4R in the first inning...were more first-inning runs than they had scored in the first inning of their previous 18G (3R).
 - Have hit multiple HRs in 13-of-18 games since 6/2 (32HR).
- **RF Aaron Judge** (1-for-3, 1BB) hit a two-run HR in the first, his 19th of the season, to regain the team lead in HRs (broke a tie with Stanton-18)...is batting .359/.486/.718 (51-for-142) with 34R, 12 doubles, 13HR, 38RBI and 36BB in 40 games at Yankee Stadium this season.
- **DH Miguel Andújar** (1-for-3, 1BB) hit a two-run HR in the first, his 10th of the season.
 - Is the fifth Yankees rookie to hit 10HR 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 10HR before the break in the same season (first team to do so since the 2016 Dodgers: Seager-17, Trayce Thompson-13).
 - Is batting .295/.348/.639 (18-for-61) with 8R, 6 doubles, 5HR and 14RBI in 17 games in June.
- **CF Clint Frazier** (2-for-4, 1R) collected his first multi-hit game of the season...has hit safely in all 6G *with an at-bat* this season, the longest hitting streak of his career...marked his first career start in the leadoff spot.
 - Has scored runs in each of his first 7G this season...is tied for the third-longest run-scoring streak to start a season by a Yankee since 1908: Babe Ruth (first 13G in 1931), Derek Jeter (first 8G in 1999), Bernie Williams (first 7G in 2003)...is tied for the Majors' longest season-opening runs streak since 2008 (Cincinnati's Shin-Soo Choo, first 7G in 2013; Toronto's Marco Scutaro, first 7G in 2009)...is his longest career run streak.
- **RHP Luis Severino** (5.2IP, 8H, 3ER, 1BB, 5K, 1HR, 1HP) started and earned his 11th win, joining Cleveland's Corey Kluber (11-3) atop the Major League wins leaderboard...his 5K matched a season low (5/25 vs. Los Angeles-AL)...his 8H tied a season high (third time)...the two-run HR allowed to Kyle Seager was his sixth in 104.2IP this season...had his streak of starts with 2R-or-fewer snapped at five.
 - The Yankees won his 13th consecutive home start, the team's longest winning streak in one pitcher's home starts since winning 16 consecutive David Cone home starts from 8/17/97-8/27/98.
- **RHP Dellin Betances** (1.0IP, 2K) threw a scoreless eighth...has tossed 1.0 scoreless inning in each of his last 12 appearances since 5/27 (12.0IP, 1H, 7BB, 22K, 2HP)...ties his career-best streak of scoreless appearances with at least 1.0IP...leads AL relievers with a 16.36 K/9.0IP ratio (60K/33.0IP).
 - Pinch-runner Guillermo Heredia was caught stealing to end the eighth, Betances' second CS this season (also 3/31 at Toronto)...has 10SB and 2CS this season.
- **LHP Aroldis Chapman** (1.0IP, 1BB, 1K) converted his 22nd save of the season (in 23 chances), tying Craig Kimbrel for the second-most saves in the Majors (Seattle's Edwin Díaz, 27)...has tossed 10.1 scoreless innings (3H, 4BB, 16K, 1HP) over his 11 June appearances.
- **Yankees pitchers** have allowed 3R-or-fewer in 13 of their last 15 games.
 - **Yankees relievers** threw 3.1 scoreless innings (1H, 2BB, 4K) and have a 0.71 ERA (50.2IP, 4ER) in 17 games since 6/4.
- Drew their 11th sellout in 40 gates at Yankee Stadium in 2018...have recorded sellouts in four of their last five home games.

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SEATTLE MARINERS NOTES

- The Mariners have lost four straight games...fell to 0-3 on their 11-day, 10-game road trip...suffered their first sweep on the road this season and first since 9/15-17/17 at Houston...was their first time being swept in the current Yankee Stadium and the first time being swept in the Bronx since 5/23-25/08...despite the loss, are still 21-15 on the road this season...fell to 14-19 when their starter does not complete at least 6.0IP...are now 10-7 vs. the AL East this season.
- **LHP James Paxton** (5.0IP, 7H, 4R, 3BB, 9K, 2HR, 1WP) recorded nine-of-15 outs via strikeout...gave up two home runs today, tying his career high (sixth time, last on 3/31/18 vs. Cleveland)...snapped his streak of five consecutive quality starts on the *road* (since 4/26 at Cleveland)...was his first career start vs. the Yankees.
 - Recorded 9K-or-more for the sixth time this season, tied for the fourth-most such starts in the Majors this season.
 - Gave up two first-inning home runs today...was just the third time in his career allowing multiple home runs in a single inning (also on 6/1/16 at San Diego, Wil Myers/Adam Rosales and 4/8/14 vs. Los Angeles-AL, Albert Pujols/David Freese)...has given up four first-inning home runs this season, his highest total of any single inning.
 - Is 0-1 with a 12.27 ERA (7.1IP, 10ER) in his last two starts...had gone 5-0 with a 1.98 ERA (63.2IP, 14ER) in his previous nine starts this season.
- **3B Kyle Seager** (2-for-4, 1R, 1HR, 2RBI, 1K) hit his first home run and had his first multi-hit game since 6/10 at Tampa Bay...10 of his 13 home runs have come on the road this season and 104 of his 166 career home runs have come on the road.
- **DH Nelson Cruz** (2-for-3, 2R, 1BB, 1K) tied a season high with 2R today (third time, last on 6/11 vs. Los Angeles-AL)...has scored a run in four straight games...has raised his batting average 35 points (from .219 to .254) since 5/28 and is hitting .317 (26-for-82) with 16R, 10HR, 20RBI and 11BB over the stretch...is hitting .294 (32-for-109) on the road this season, compared to just .218 (26-for-119) at home this season.
- **2B Dee Gordon** (1-for-4, 1K) has hit safely in nine straight games, hitting .385 (15-for-39) over the stretch.
- **1B Ryon Healy** (1-for-2, 1BB, 1HP) has hit safely in his eight of his last 10 games and is batting .382 (13-for-34) over the span.
- **C Mike Zunino** (1-for-3, 1BB) snapped an 0-for-11 streak with his fifth-inning double.
- **Seattle relievers** threw 3.0 scoreless innings, allowing just one hit...had allowed 10ER over 8.1IP in their previous three games.

UPCOMING PROBABLE STARTING PITCHERS

Date	Opponent	Probable Pitchers	Time-ET	TV
Fri., 6/22	at Tampa Bay	LHP CC Sabathia (4-2, 3.30) vs. RHP Ryne Stanek (1-1, 2.21)	7:10 p.m.	WPIX
Sat., 6/23	at Tampa Bay	RHP Sonny Gray (5-4, 4.89) vs. RHP Wilmer Font (0-1, 5.87 in AL)	4:10 p.m.	FS1
Sun., 6/24	at Tampa Bay	RHP Domingo Germán (2-4, 4.77) vs. LHP Blake Snell (9-4, 2.48)	1:10 p.m.	YES

On the Radio: All games carried by WFAN-AM 660/101.9FM and the Yankees Radio Network; Spanish on WADO 1280-AM and YES Network in SAP