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TAMPA BAY RAYS (43-44) at NEW YORK METS (35-49)

LH Blake Snell (11-4, 2.24) vs. LH Steven Matz (4-5, 3.46)

Saturday, July 7, 2018 • **First Pitch:** 4:10 p.m. • **Location:** Citi Field • **TV:** FOX Sports Sun • **Radio:** WDAE 620 AM, WLCC 760 AM (Sp.)
Game No.: 88 (43-44) • **Road Game No.:** 48 (20-27) • **All-Time Game No.:** 3,326 (1543-1782) • **All-Time Road Game No.:** 1,665 (698-966)
March: 1-2 • **April:** 12-12 • **May:** 15-13 • **June:** 13-14 • **July:** 2-3 • **AL East:** 18-19 • **AL Central:** 9-3 • **AL West:** 13-12 • **Interleague:** 3-10

UPCOMING PROBABLE PITCHERS & BROADCAST SCHEDULE

Upcoming Games	Time (ET)	Probable Starting Pitchers (Rays vs. Opp.)	TV & Radio
Sun., 7/8 at NYM	1:10 p.m.	RH Nathan Eovaldi (2-3, 3.92) vs. RH Chris Flexen (0-1, 10.80)	FOX Sports Sun, WDAE 620 AM, WLCC 760 AM (Sp.)

MEDICAL MATTERS—RH **Jake Faria** (left oblique strain) is scheduled to begin a rehab assignment with Class-A Charlotte tonight, going 2 IP or throwing 35 pitches at Clearwater (Phillies)...Manager **Kevin Cash** announced yesterday that RH **Chris Archer** (left abdominal strain) will start on Mon vs. DET, when the Rays open a 3-game series with the Tigers.

RAY MATTER—Yesterday the Rays lost in walk-off fashion for the sixth time and second time on this road trip...their 6 walk-off losses are tied with the Mets and Indians for 2nd-most in the majors behind the Twins (9)...the Rays are 1-3 in their last 4 games on the heels of an 8-1 stretch.

- + Yesterday the Rays were held to 1 run or fewer in a second consecutive game and 21st time this season, 2nd-most in the majors to the Orioles (23)...their only run was a **Willy Adames** solo homer.
- + The Rays are 9-4 in their last 13 games since June 22.
- + Since April 18, the Rays have gone 39-31 (.557) to improve from 4-13, which tied for the worst 17-game start in franchise history...their plus-34 run differential over this span is 5th in the AL.
- + Today is the fifth game of a 6-game road trip against a pair of NL East teams: Miami (1-2) and New York (0-1)...the Rays are 3-14 in their last 17 road games, and they haven't won a series on the road since May 28-31 at OAK, going 0-5 in series play since then.
- + Last night, **Adam Kolarek** became the 16th rookie and the 27th pitcher used by the Rays this season, 2nd-most in the majors behind the Angels (29)...this is already tied for 2nd-most in a single season in franchise history behind 2017 (30).

GRAND FINALE—Last night the Rays lost on a walk-off grand slam by **José Bautista** with 2 outs in the 9th inning...it was the fourth grand slam allowed by the Rays this season, tied for 5th-most in the majors...it was the second walk-off grand slam in the majors this season, following CHC **Jason Heyward** on June 6 vs. PHI...it was the ninth time in franchise history the Rays lost on a walk-off grand slam, first since July 7, 2015 vs. KC (G1)...since their inaugural game, the Rays have allowed more walk-off grand slams than any other team in baseball (Mets, 6), while the Rays and Giants are the only two teams in the majors that haven't hit one.

- + Since 2015, the Rays have hit three walk-off home runs, tied for fewest in the majors (D-backs)...during that span, they have yielded 15 walk-off home runs, tied for most in the majors (Indians).
- + Two times last night the Rays had a runner at third base with less than 2 outs and did not score: 1st and 9th innings...they also had a runner at 3rd with 2 outs in the 2nd and 8th and did not score.
- + Last night the Rays used RH **Hunter Wood** as a pinch-runner, the second time this road trip they used a pitcher to do so (RH **Nathan Eovaldi** on Tues at MIA)...it was the 10th time in club history they used a pitcher as a pinch-runner—the first of these instances was current Mets skipper **Mickey Callaway** on Aug 4, 1999 at SEA.

ON THE OFFENSIVE—The Rays have scored 1 run in their last 18 innings...this is the sixth time this season they have scored 1 run or fewer in consecutive games, though they haven't done this in three straight games since April 13-15, 2016 vs. CLE/CWS (3)...the Rays have been blanked in 30 of their last 32 innings at the plate, starting with the 3rd inning on Tues at MIA, having scored only in the 5th inning last night at NYM (**Willy Adames** solo homer) and the 16th inning on Tues at MIA (5 runs).

- + The Rays are 10-5 over their last 15 games despite averaging 3.4 runs per game...27 of the 51 runs over this span have come in three of the wins; they are averaging 2.0 runs in the other 12 games...the Rays have been held to 3 runs or fewer in 10 of their last 15 games, 2 runs or fewer in 8 games and 1 run or fewer in 5 games.
- + Seven of their last 12 wins have come on 3 runs or fewer, while only three of their first 31 wins of the season came in this fashion.
- + The Rays are 28-1 (.966) when scoring at least 5 runs this season.
- + The Rays have hit only 3 HR in their last 9 games since June 26...they have hit 76 HR this season, 5th-fewest in the majors and 3rd-fewest in the AL...only 33.7 pct. of the club's runs this season have scored via the home run, 3rd-lowest rate in the majors, compared to a club-record 48.0 pct. last season.

RAYS vs. METS—The Rays are 9-13 (.409) all-time against the Mets (5-7 at home, 4-6 on the road)...this series is the first meeting between the clubs since Aug 7-9, 2015 at Tropicana Field, and first on the road since June 19-21, 2009—though the Rays did play at Citi Field last season, with the

relocation of the Sep 11-13 home series against the Yankees due to the arrival of Hurricane Irma in Florida...the Rays haven't lost a road series to the Mets since June 2-4, 2000, when they went 1-2 and the losses in that series came against opposing starters **Glendon Rusch** and **Al Leiter**.

INTERLEAGUE INTRIGUE—The Rays are 3-10 in interleague play this season (2-5 at home, 1-5 on the road), 3rd-worst winning pct. in the majors and 2nd-worst in the AL to the Tigers (1-9)...the Rays would need to win out in interleague play to avoid only their second losing interleague record since 2008 (7-11 in 2010)...the Rays are 113-90 (.557) in interleague play since 2008—5th-best in the majors—and 187-194 all-time.

- + The NL is 89-75 (.543) in interleague play this season, but the AL has won each of the last 14 season series.

COMMON BOND—Five former Rays players have gone on to manage major league teams and three of those were hired this past offseason: NYM **Mickey Callaway** (1999, 2001), WAS **Dave Martinez** (1998-2000) and PHI **Gabe Kapler** (2009-10)...the others are Rays Manager **Kevin Cash** (2005) and former White Sox/Marlins Manager **Ozzie Guillén** (2000)...Cash and Callaway were on the Indians coaching staff together from 2013-14.

LIGHTEN UP—The Rays are 1-3 thus far in a stretch of 16 consecutive games from July 2-22 against teams currently under .500, as well as 29 of 35 games through Aug 12...this season, the Rays are 22-12 (.647) against teams currently below .500 and 21-32 (.396) against teams currently .500 or better...the start of this road trip ended a stretch of 16 straight games against the Yankees, Nationals, and Astros—all postseason teams from a year ago—and they went 10-6 over that span...from May 28-July 1, 29 of the club's 32 games were against teams that are currently .500 or better.

HOW THE RAYS HAVE FARED (BY OPPOSING WIN PCT.)

	less than .500	.500+
Runs/Game	4.59	3.38
Batting Avg.	.272	.234
On-Base Pct.	.350	.301
Slugging Pct.	.411	.362
ERA	3.75	3.52
WHIP	1.19	1.18
Record	22-12	21-32
1-Run Games	7-5	9-16

CLOSE SHAVES—42.5 pct. of Rays games have been decided by 1 run, compared to 27.6 pct. of games in the majors...the Rays are 16-21 (.432) in 1-run games, including 6-2 in their last eight 1-run games...the 37 1-run games are tied with the Mariners for most in the majors and the 21 1-run losses are most in the majors, ahead of the White Sox (18)...73.6 pct. of Rays games have either been wins or 1-run losses...47.7 pct. of their losses have come by one run, 2nd-highest rate in the majors (Astros, 51.6 pct.).

- + The Rays are on pace for 39 1-run losses, which hasn't been done since the 1992 Dodgers (40) or by an AL club since the 1968 White Sox (44)...the club record for 1-run losses in a season is 30 (2015).
- + The Rays have played six 1-0 games this season, most in the majors and already tied for their 2nd-most in a single season (2014, 10).
- + Since 2016, the Rays are 50-72 (.410) in 1-run games.

FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH—16 rookies have already appeared in a game for the Rays, tied with the Angels for most in the AL and one shy of the Marlins (17) for most in the majors...the club record for rookies used in an entire season is 18 (2015)...only twice before have the Rays used even 12 rookies prior to the All-Star break: 2015 (16) and 1998 (12).

- + 12 players on the active roster have less than 2 years of major league service time, including 9 players with less than 1 year...the average age of the Rays active roster is 27 years, 7 months.

STAY THIRSTY, MY FRIENDS—The Rays haven't thrown a complete game since **Matt Andriese** on May 14, 2016 vs. OAK, the longest drought in AL history and 3rd-longest in major league history, according to the Elias Sports Bureau, behind the Marlins (480) from June 4, 2014-June 2, 2017 and Brewers (407) from April 6, 2011-July 8, 2013...since then:

- + the Rays have played 377 games
- + the longest outing for a Rays starting pitcher is 8 IP (eight times)
- + a Rays starter has pitched into the 9th inning only once: **Alex Cobb** on July 21, 2017 vs. TEX (double, homer and was replaced)
- + the Rays have had 9 CG thrown against them
- + the Indians have recorded a majors-most 15 CG, while six pitchers have thrown at least 5 CG, led by CLE **Corey Kluber** (8)

TODAY'S STARTER: LH BLAKE SNELL (11-4, 2.24 ERA)

CAREER MLB BREAKDOWN

YEAR	W	L	ERA	G	GS	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR
2017	5	7	4.04	24	24	129.1	113	65	58	59	119	15
2018	11	4	2.24	18	18	108.2	69	29	27	41	123	12
Career	22	19	3.30	61	61	327.0	275	138	120	151	340	32

LAST START—On Sun vs. HOU, went 7.1 IP, matching the longest start of his career, and his only run allowed was a 7th-inning solo homer by **Evan Gattis**, snapping his scoreless streak at 17 IP, the longest by a Ray this season...reached double-digit strikeouts for the fifth time in his career, fourth time this season and for a second consecutive start...retired 14 in a row at one point, until a 5th-inning single by **Max Stassi**...his only walk allowed was the last batter faced...was replaced with 1 out and the bases loaded in the 8th inning, and **Diego Castillo** got a strikeout and groundout to escape the jam...his line: W, 7.1 IP, 4 H, 1 R, 1 BB, 10 SO, 1 HR, 100 pit, 66 str.

CANT TOUCH THIS—Is 3-0 with a 0.84 ERA (21.1-IP, 2-ER) in his last 3 starts...has gone at least 7 IP in three consecutive starts for the first time in his career, and is the first Ray to go at least 7 IP and allow 1 run or fewer in three straight starts since **Chris Archer** from May 27–June 7, 2015 (3)...only two Rays have ever done that in four straight: **David Price** from July 24–Aug 9, 2013 and **James Shields**, twice in 2011.

- + Has gone at least 7 IP in nine of his last 26 starts dating back to Aug 20, 2017 vs. SEA, compared to only once in the first 35 starts of his career.
- + Today he has a chance to become the first Ray with double-digit strikeouts in three consecutive starts since **Chris Archer** in 2015...with a win today, he would also tie the longest winning streak of his career.
- + Since May 18, is 7-1 with a 1.43 ERA (56.2-IP, 9-ER) in 9 starts...is the major league leader in ERA over that span, ahead of NYM **Jacob deGrom** (1.77).

LEADERBOARDS—Ranks 3rd in the AL with a 2.24 ERA, behind NYY **Luis Severino** (1.98) and HOU **Justin Verlander** (2.15)...also ranks among AL leaders in wins (11, 3rd), opp avg. (.179, 1st), WHIP (1.01, 8th) and wild pitches (11, 2nd)...is averaging a career-high 95.5 mph on his fastball, 6th in the AL and tied for 1st among major league lefties...13.6 pct. of his total pitches are swings and misses, 3rd in the AL.

- + His 11 wins are tied for 3rd in club history before the All-Star break behind **Matt Moore** (13) in 2013 and **David Price** (12) in 2010.

WHEN HE'S ON—Has yielded 2 runs or fewer in 15 starts, tied with WAS **Max Scherzer** for most in the majors, and most in the AL ahead of Verlander/Severino/Sale (14)...has allowed 2 runs or fewer in eight of his last 9 starts...his 15 starts of 2 runs or fewer are the most by a Ray since **Jake Odorizzi** (21) in 2016.

- + Has allowed 1 run or fewer in 11 starts, tied with ATL **Mike Foltynewicz** and NYM **Jacob deGrom** for most in the majors, and most in the AL ahead of Verlander and Sale (10)...has allowed 1 run or fewer in three consecutive starts and in six of his last 8 starts.
- + Four times this season he has allowed 2 runs or fewer and not gotten the win, and three times he has allowed 1 run or fewer without the win.

INTERLEAGUE—Has never faced the Mets...has gone 4-2 with a 2.03 ERA (53.1-IP, 12-ER) in 9 starts in his career in interleague play...has yielded 2 runs or fewer in eight of the 9 starts, 1 run or fewer in 6 starts and 0 runs in 4 starts...his only IL start of 3 runs or more was June 28, 2017 at PIT (6).

HOME vs. ROAD—His 5 wins on the road are tied for 6th in the AL, and has pitched to a 3.47 ERA (57-IP, 22-ER) in 10 starts on the road this season and 4.16 ERA (160-IP, 74-ER) in 32 starts on the road in his career...is 3-1 with a 2.08 ERA (30.1-IP, 7-ER) in his last 5 starts on the road.

- + Dating back to Sep 12, 2017, has allowed 1 ER or fewer in 11 consecutive home starts, tied for the longest such streak in the AL (and tied for the 2nd-longest such streak in the majors) since 1913—when earned runs were officially kept in both leagues—according to the Elias Sports Bureau.

2018 SPLITS

SPLIT	W	L	ERA	G	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Home	6	1	0.87	8	51.2	32	6	5	13	51
Road	5	3	3.47	10	57.0	37	23	22	28	72
March	0	0	0.00	1	5.2	3	0	0	2	2
April	4	1	3.00	5	30.0	20	10	10	9	39
May	3	2	2.60	6	34.2	24	11	10	12	35
June	3	1	1.74	5	31.0	18	7	6	17	37
July	1	0	1.23	1	7.1	4	1	1	1	10
August	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
September	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

SPLITS vs. METS

SPLIT	W	L	ERA	G	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2018	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
2017	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Career	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
on Road	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

2018 SPLITS vs. BATTERS

SPLIT	AB	H	AVG	2B	3B	HR	BB	SO	TB	PA
vs. LHB	89	11	.124	3	0	1	6	32	17	96
vs. RHB	296	58	.196	13	1	11	35	91	106	334

SEASON & CAREER HIGHS

2018	CAREER
7.1, 2x-last 7/1 vs. HOU	IP 7.1, 2x-last 7/1/18 vs. HOU
7, 6/9 vs. SEA	H 10, 5/8/17 vs. KC
5, 2x-last 5/13 at BAL	R 6, 3x-last 9/6/17 vs. MIN
5, 2x-last 5/13 at BAL	ER 6, 3x-last 9/6/17 vs. MIN
7, 6/19 at HOU	BB 7, 6/19/18 at HOU
12, 6/3 at SEA	SO 13, 10/1/17 vs. BAL
3, 5/13 at BAL	HR 3, 5/13/18 at BAL
--	CG --
--	SHO --
4G, 2x-last 5/18 - 6/9	Win Streak 4G, 3x-last 5/18/18 - 6/9/18
2G, 5/8 - 5/13	Loss Streak 6G, 4/6/17 - 7/24/17

2018 GAME LOG

GAME	DEC	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	HB	WP	P/K	FINAL	OPP.	LEFT
3/30 vs. BOS	--	0.00	5.2	3	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	84/49	L, 0-1	Price	tied, 0-0
4/4 at NYY	L-1	5.00	3.1	4	5	5	3	5	2	0	0	90/54	L, 2-7	Severino	down, 4-1
4/10 at CWS	W-1	3.60	6.0	1	1	1	5	10	0	1	1	114/62	W, 6-5	Fulmer	up, 5-1
4/16 vs. TEX	W-2	2.95	6.1	5	1	1	0	9	1	0	0	103/68	W, 8-4	Pérez	up, 8-1
4/21 vs. MIN	W-3	2.54	7.0	5	1	1	0	6	0	0	0	100/68	W, 10-1	Gibson	up, 7-1
4/27 at BOS	W-4	2.52	7.1	5	2	2	1	9	0	0	0	104/68	W, 4-3	Pomeranz	up, 4-2
5/2 at DET	--	2.55	6.2	5	2	2	1	4	1	0	0	86/57	L, 2-3 (12)	Fulmer	tied, 2-2
5/8 vs. ATL	L-2	2.40	6.1	4	1	1	2	5	1	0	0	105/65	L, 0-1	Newcomb	down, 1-0
5/13 at BAL	L-3	3.12	3.1	6	5	5	2	3	3	0	1	73/43	L, 1-17	Bundy	down, 4-0
5/18 at LAA	W-5	3.07	6.2	4	2	2	3	8	0	2	2	114/70	W, 8-3	Tropeano	up, 7-2
5/23 vs. BOS	W-6	2.78	6.0	3	0	0	2	8	0	0	0	101/63	W, 6-3	Porcello	up, 6-0
5/28 at OAK	W-7	2.56	5.2	2	1	0	2	7	0	0	1	97/62	W, 4-3	Gossett	up, 3-1
6/3 at SEA	--	2.36	6.0	2	0	0	0	12	0	0	1	100/66	L, 1-2	Hernández	up, 1-0
6/9 vs. SEA	W-8	2.30	6.0	7	2	1	2	1	1	1	2	95/60	W, 7-3	Hernández	up, 6-2
6/14 at NYY	L-4	2.58	5.0	5	4	4	4	8	2	0	1	105/57	L, 3-4	Germán	down, 4-2
6/19 at HOU	W-9	2.48	7.0	3	1	1	7	6	0	0	1	102/57	W, 2-1	Verlander	up, 2-1
6/25 vs. WAS	W-10	2.31	7.0	1	0	0	4	10	0	0	0	103/63	W, 11-0	Gonzalez	up, 11-0
7/1 vs. HOU	W-11	2.24	7.1	4	1	1	1	10	1	0	1	100/66	W, 3-2	Morton	up, 2-1

TOMORROW'S STARTER: RH NATHAN EOVALDI (2-3, 3.92 ERA)

LAST START—On Mon at MIA, faced his former team and allowed a 2nd-inning RBI double to **Miguel Rojas** and 5th-inning solo homer to **J.T. Realmuto**, but took no decision after the Rays tied it in the 9th...yielded 8 hits, tying his season high (also June 15 at NYY)...it was only his second start at Marlins Park after being traded from Miami to the Yankees, following June 16, 2015...his line: ND, 6 IP, 8 H, 2 R, 1 BB, 5 SO, 1 HR, 93 pit, 67 str.

THE LONG BALL—Eight of his 9 HR allowed this season have come with the bases empty; the only one with runner(s) on base was on June 10 vs. SEA (**Mike Zunino**, 2-run)...ten of his 18 runs allowed (55.6 pct.) have

scored via the home run...min. 40 IP, his 1.96 HR/9 IP ratio is 6th-highest in the AL...has allowed multiple homers in 2 starts this season, including back-to-back-to-back homers on June 20 at HOU.

vs. NEW YORK—Is 1-4 with a 5.01 ERA (50.1-IP, 28-ER) in 9 starts against the Mets, having faced them twice with the Dodgers and seven times with the Marlins, but hasn't pitched against them since Aug 4, 2016 at Marlins Park (L, 7-IP, 4-R/ER)...is 1-1 with a 4.61 ERA (13.2-IP, 7-ER) in 3 starts at Citi Field (last Sep 16, 2014), with starts of 1, 0 and 6 R/ER.

#16 KEVIN CASH, MANAGER

- + Is in his fourth season as Rays manager...at age 40, is the majors' youngest active skipper—5 months younger than SD **Andy Green**.
- + His last ejection was July 18, 2017 at OAK, his seventh ejection as Rays manager...his 7 ejections are tied for 4th in franchise history.
- + Is the sixth Tampa-born manager in major league history, and second to manage the Rays...that list includes Hall of Famers **Al Lopez** and **Tony La Russa**, **Lou Piniella**, **Dave Miley** and **John Hart**.

- + Played 12 professional seasons as a catcher, incl. parts of eight seasons in the majors (2002-10) and two years (2005-06) in the Rays org.
- + Played in the 1989 Little League World Series (Tampa Northside LL), 1999 College World Series (Florida State) and earned World Series rings in 2007 (Red Sox) and 2009 (Yankees).

RAYS HITTER NOTES

#1 WILLY ADAMES • INF				2018: .231/.282/.372 • 3 HR • 8 RBI • 1 SB	
Fri at NYM: 1-4, HR, RBI, R, E6	MIA Series: 2-7	Stand: 7-23, 2B, HR, 4-RBI, 3-BB, 2-R	vs. LH: .231 (6-26), 1-HR		
Last HR: 7/6/18 at NYM	Current Hitting Streak: 1G (.250, 1-4)	RISP: .200 (4-20)	vs. RH: .231 (12-52), 2-HR		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Batting .294/.351/.500 (10-for-34) with 1 2B, 2 HR and 5 RBI over his last 11 games (10 starts), increasing his season avg. from .182 to .231. + His 3 HR have come off three former All-Stars: BOS Chris Sale, NYY Sonny Gray and NYM Jacob deGrom...his last 2 HR have come with 2 strikes. + Has appeared in 23 games and made 22 starts (16-SS, 6-2B)...all 3 errors have come at shortstop; has a .949 fielding pct. there and 1.000 at second. + On May 22 vs. BOS, became the fifth Ray to homer in his major league debut and the first since Brandon Guyer on May 6, 2011 at BAL. + Recalled on June 11 for his second stint (also May 22-24)...entered the season ranked by <i>Baseball America</i> as the No. 19 prospect in the minors. 					
#9 JAKE BAUERS • 1B/OF				2018: .232/.360/.421 • 2 HR • 9 RBI • 1 SB	
Fri at NYM: 0-4	MIA Series: 2-13, 2B, 2-RBI, 2-R	Stand: 8-30, 2-2B, 3B, HR, 4-RBI, 8-BB, 5-R	vs. LH: .346 (9-26), 1-HR		
Last HR: 6/24/18 vs. NYY	Current Hitting Streak: 0-for-8	RISP: .278 (5-18)	vs. RH: .188 (13-69), 1-HR		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Batting .097/.243/.129 (3-for-31) with 1 2B and 3 RBI over his last 9 games (8 starts), lowering his avg. from .297 to .232 and OBP from .416 to .360. + On Tues at MIA, hit a go-ahead, 2-run double in the 16th inning...at 22 years, 270 days, he became the youngest player with a go-ahead hit that late in a game since PIT Barry Bonds on April 20, 1986 at CHC, according to Stats LLC...it was a suspended game and completed on Aug 11, 1986. + Has appeared in 27 games and made 26 starts (22-1B, 3-DH, 1-LF)...the Rays are 15-11 in his 26 starts, including 12-4 in his 16 starts at home. + Among his season highlights is a 12th-inning, walk-off homer off Chasen Shreve on June 24 vs. NYY and a 4-hit game on June 25 vs. WAS. + Entered this season ranked by <i>Baseball America</i> as the No. 45 overall prospect in the minors...helped lead the Bulls to the Governors' Cup and Triple-A Championship last season, when he ranked among IL leaders in runs (79, 1st), walks (78, 2nd) and on-base pct. (.368, 5th). 					
#44 C.J. CRON • 1B				2018: .239/.316/.442 • 16 HR • 39 RBI • 1 SB	
Fri at NYM: 0-0, BB (PH in 5th)	MIA Series: 4-9, 2-2B, RBI	Stand: 4-22, 2B, RBI, BB, 2-R	vs. LH: .270 (24-89), 5-HR		
Last HR: 6/19/18 at HOU	Current Hitting Streak: 1G (.250, 1-4)	RISP: .164 (12-73)	vs. RH: .226 (48-212), 11-HR		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Batting .286/.355/.393 (8-for-28) with 3 2B in his last 9 games (7 starts)...in his previous 9 games (all starts), hit .034/.194/.138 (1-for-29) with 1 HR. + On Mon at MIA, his 3 hits were his most since Sep 5, 2017 at OAK (3, with LAA)...hit a game-tying, RBI double with 2 outs in the 9th inning, the fourth time in his career he recorded a game-tying hit in the 9th inning or later and first since Sep 2, 2017 at TEX (2-run homer in the 9th). + His 16 HR are tied for his career high (2015, 2016, 2017)...is one of two Rays players with double-digit homers, along with Wilson Ramos (12). + Has been hit by pitch 14 times, most in the majors...has struck out in 30 of his last 54 AB, incl. multiple strikeouts in 10 of his last 17 starts. + Has appeared in 80 games and made 77 starts (46-DH, 31-1B)...his 46 starts at designated hitter are tied for his career high (2015, with LAA). 					
#5 MATT DUFFY • INF				2018: .310/.356/.413 • 4 HR • 25 RBI • 6 SB	
Fri at NYM: 0-4, E5	MIA Series: 2-12, BB, 2-R	Stand: 12-35, 2B, 3-RBI, 3-BB, 4-R	vs. LH: .244 (19-78), 1-HR		
Last HR: 6/16/18 at NYY	Current Hitting Streak: 0-for-7	RISP: .300 (18-60)	vs. RH: .335 (68-203), 3-HR		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Ranks 7th in the AL with a .310 avg. ...batting .125/.222/.125 (2-for-16) on the road trip on the heels of a career-long 10-game hitting streak. + Hit .302 in April, .314 in May and .340 in June, the only player in the majors to hit for a .300 avg. of better in all three of those months. + Min. 100 AB, his .335 avg. (68-for-203) vs. RHP ranks 4th in the majors and 2nd in the AL...is also 7-for-his-last-13 against left-handed pitching. + On Sun vs. HOU, recorded a go-ahead, 2-run single in the 7th inning, turning a 1-0 deficit into a 2-1 lead...it was the third time this season he delivered a go-ahead hit in the 7th inning or later, following April 5 at BOS (solo homer, 8th inning) and June 13 vs. TOR (walk-off single, 9th inn.). + Has a team-high 27 multi-hit games this season, ahead of Wilson Ramos (19), and a team-high 9 games with 3+ hits, ahead of Ramos/Smith (5). + Has appeared in 71 games and made 70 starts (65-3B, 5-DH)...since May 14, has recorded a .983 fielding pct. in 37 games at third base. 					
#10 JOHNNY FIELD • OF				2018: .215/.256/.374 • 6 HR • 14 RBI • 4 SB	
Fri at NYM: 0-1 (PH in 3rd)	MIA Series: 1-8	Stand: 1-7, 2-BB	vs. LH: .263 (15-57), 3-HR		
Last HR: 6/1/18 at SEA	Current Hitting Streak: 0-for-2	RISP: .132 (5-38)	vs. RH: .189 (20-106), 3-HR		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Is 2-for-his-last-31...since May 23 vs. BOS, is batting .147/.190/.253 (14-for-95) with 2 HR and 6 RBI in 36 games (24 starts) to drop from .309 to .215. + With Kevin Kiermaier on the 60-day DL, he started 38 of the team's 57 games (66.7 pct.)...since his return, has started 3 of the team's 15 games. + Twice this season has recorded a home run and stolen base in the same game...the only other Ray to do that this season is C.J. Cron (once). + Has appeared in 59 games and made 42 starts (17-LF, 16-RF, 9-CF) since his selection from Triple-A Durham on April 13. 					
#27 CARLOS GÓMEZ • OF				2018: .195/.273/.323 • 7 HR • 17 RBI • 5 SB	
Fri at NYM: 0-0, HBP, SB (PH in 8th)	MIA Series: 0-9	Stand: 7-22, 2B, 2-RBI, 2-BB, 2-R	vs. LH: .189 (14-74), 2-HR		
Last HR: 6/1/18 at SEA	Current Hitting Streak: 0-for-10	RISP: .207 (12-58)	vs. RH: .198 (35-177), 5-HR		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Made his major league debut with the Mets in 2007, appearing in 58 games, and was part of the trade for Johan Santana in February 2008. + Batting .125 (3-for-24) in his last 9 games (6 starts) on the heels of an 8-game stretch from June 14-24 where he hit .370/.452/.481 (10-for-27). + His .195 avg. would be the lowest in franchise history among qualifiers...for an entire season, the lowest qualifying avg. is Peña (.196) in 2010. + Batting .317 (13-for-41) with 3 2B, 3 HR and 6 RBI when putting the first pitch in play...in all other counts, he is batting .171 (36-for-210). + Has appeared in 71 games and made 66 starts (59-RF, 4-DH, 3-CF)...since the start of 2013, no other player in the majors can match his combination of 96 HR and 127 SB...is one of seven active players with at least 100 HR and 200 SB in his career, according to Baseball Reference. 					
#11 ADEINY HECHAVARRIA • SS				2018: .262/.286/.343 • 3 HR • 20 RBI • 0 SB	
Fri at NYM: DNP	MIA Series: 3-10, 2B, 2-RBI, R	Stand: 1-18, HR, 2-RBI, BB, 4-R	vs. LH: .365 (19-52)		
Last HR: 6/24/18 vs. NYY	Current Hitting Streak: 1G (.375, 3-8)	RISP: .286 (10-35)	vs. RH: .217 (26-120), 3-HR		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Hasn't played since Tues at MIA, when his 3 hits tied a season high (3rd time, last June 17 at NYY)...snapped a 0-for-19 with a 2nd-inning double. + Batting .225/.233/.350 (9-for-40) with 2 2B, 1 HR, 4 RBI and 1 BB in 11 games (10 starts) since being reinstated from the 10-day DL on June 17. + Since being acquired by the Rays on June 26, 2017, his .989 fielding pct. ranks 2nd among major league shortstops to PHI/SD Freddy Galvis (.992). + Batting .304 (24-for-79) with runners on base, compared to .226 (21-for-93) with the bases empty...batting .287 (29-for-101) on the road. + Has appeared in 47 games and made 46 starts, all at shortstop...has 10 HR in 468 PA with the Rays compared to 13 HR in 2,265 PA with Miami. 					
#39 KEVIN KIERMAIER • CF				2018: .147/.243/.235 • 1 HR • 5 RBI • 5 SB	
Fri at NYM: 1-4, 2B, OF Asst.	MIA Series: 1-16, BB, R	Stand: 6-30, 3B, HR, 4-RBI, 7-BB, 6-R	vs. LH: .103 (3-29), 1-HR		
Last HR: 6/25/18 vs. WAS	Current Hitting Streak: 1G (.250, 1-4)	RISP: .087 (2-23)	vs. RH: .164 (12-73)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Batting .136/.239/.237 (8-for-59) with 1 2B, 1 3B, 1 HR, 4 RBI and 4 SB in 15 games (14 starts) since being reinstated from the 60-day DL on June 19. + His last multi-hit game was before his stint on the disabled list, on April 14 vs. PHI...his last multi-hit game on the road was Sep 26, 2017 at NYY. + Has a pair of outfield assists on the road trip...on Tues at MIA, threw out Brian Anderson at home; yesterday at NYM, got Wilmer Flores at home. + On June 25 vs. WAS, tied his career high with 4 RBI, coming on the second grand slam of his career, off Gio Gonzalez in the 2nd inning. + Has appeared in 27 games and made 26 starts, all in center field, including 8 starts against lefty starters...since 2015, leads the majors with 87 Defensive Runs Saved, ahead of ATL/LAA Andrelton Simmons (85)...has achieved this despite missing significant time in each of the last three seasons. 					
#40 WILSON RAMOS • C				2018: .287/.339/.463 • 12 HR • 45 RBI • 0 SB	
Fri at NYM: 0-3, BB	MIA Series: 3-10, 2B, HR, 2-RBI, 2-BB, 2-R	Stand: 9-29, 2B, 2-HR, 7-RBI, BB, 2-R	vs. LH: .321 (25-78), 4-HR		
Last HR: 7/3/18 at MIA	Current Hitting Streak: 0-for-5	RISP: .348 (24-69)	vs. RH: .274 (52-190), 8-HR		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Batting .306/.386/.532 (19-for-62) in his last 18 games (16 starts)...has hit 3 HR in his last 9 games (8 starts), incl. a multi-HR game, June 25 vs. WAS. + His 77 hits are most among AL catchers, 18 hits more than 2nd-place OAK Jonathan Lucroy (59)...is tied for 3rd among AL catchers with 12 HR. + His 12 HR are a club record for a catcher before the All-Star break, and is only two shy of the club record for a catcher in an entire season. + Has hit cleanup as the starting catcher in 36 games...prior to this season, the Rays had started a catcher at cleanup only 16 times in club history. + His 17 GDP are tied for most in the majors...since his Rays debut on June 24, 2017, his 28 GDP are the most in the majors (KC Salvador Perez, 27). + Has appeared in 72 games and made 68 starts (63-C, 5-DH)...since June 7, has thrown out 50.0 pct. of attempted base stealers (4-SB, 4-CS). 					
#28 DANIEL ROBERTSON • INF				2018: .265/.391/.419 • 7 HR • 22 RBI • 1 SB	
Fri at NYM: 1-3, HBP, CS	MIA Series: 4-12, 2-2B, 2-RBI, 3-BB, 2-R	Stand: 7-25, 2-2B, RBI, 3-BB, 4-R	vs. LH: .250 (16-64), 3-HR		
Last HR: 6/7/18 vs. SEA	Current Hitting Streak: 1G (.333, 1-3)	RISP: .204 (10-49)	vs. RH: .272 (41-151), 4-HR		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Min. 200 PA, his .391 OBP is 8th in the AL...despite a stint on the disabled list, has 39 BB including 13 BB to 11 SO against left-handed pitching. + Batting .300/.417/.400 (12-for-40) with 4 2B, 3 RBI and 6 BB in 11 games (all starts) since being reinstated from the 10-day DL on June 22 vs. NYY. + On Tues at MIA, reached six times to tie the club record, joining Ben Zobrist on July 20, 2012 vs. SEA and José Cruz Jr. on June 24, 2004 at TOR. + Has 15 multi-hit games, compared to 9 multi-hit games all of last season...his 7 HR and 22 RBI both already pass his totals from last season. + Since April 30, is batting .229/.343/.346 (35-for-153) with 6 2B, 4 HR and 14 RBI in 45 games (42 starts), compared to .355/.500/.597 before that. + Has appeared in 66 games and made 62 starts (25-2B, 24-SS, 9-3B, 2-DH, 2-LF)...dating back to the end of last year, has handled his last 154 chances at second base without committing an error...in his career, has made 1 error in 230 chances at second base for a .996 fielding pct. 					

RAYS HITTER NOTES (cont'd).

#0 MALLEX SMITH • OF	2018: .275/.339/.375 • 1 HR • 18 RBI • 15 SB		
Fri at NYM: 1-4, 3B Last HR: 7/1/18 vs. HOU	MIA Series: 2-2, RBI, BB Current Hitting Streak: 3G (.500, 5-10)	Stand: 4-20, 2B, HR, RBI, BB, 2-R RISP: .283 (15-53)	vs. LH: .271 (13-48) vs. RH: .276 (56-203), 1-HR
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Batting .500/.545/1.000 (5-for-10) in 5 games (3 starts) since the calendar flipped to July, compared to .237/.284/.303 (18-for-76) in June. + Batting .218/.277/.296 (31-for-142) in 45 games (36 starts) on the road and .349/.418/.477 (38-for-109) in 35 games (32 starts) at Tropicana Field. + His 15 SB are tied for 8th in the AL and are tied for the most by a Ray before the All-Star break since 2012...his 7 CS are tied for most in the AL. + On Sun vs. HOU, his 8th-inning solo homer off Brad Peacock was his first since July 21, 2017 vs. TEX...it snapped a 356 AB homerless drought, which was the longest active streak in the majors (excluding pitchers)...was the sixth homer of his career and third in two seasons with the Rays. + Has appeared in 80 games and made 68 starts (49-CF, 10-LF, 9-RF)...his 5 errors are tied for the 3rd-most among major league outfielders. 			

#45 JESÚS SUCRE • C	2018: .235/.284/.259 • 0 HR • 7 RBI • 1 SB		
Fri at NYM: 0-0 (def. rep.) Last HR: 9/24/17 at BAL	Pronunciation: heh-SOOS SUE-cray MIA Series: 1-2, BB, 0.1-IP Current Hitting Streak: 4G (.556, 5-9)	Stand: 4-7, 2B, 2-RBI, BB, R RISP: .227 (5-22)	vs. LH: .143 (4-28) vs. RH: .283 (15-53)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Has hit safely in four consecutive games, increasing his season avg. from .194 to .235...has gone 96 AB since his last homer on Sep 24, 2017 at BAL. + On Tues at MIA, made his fourth career pitching app and second with the Rays...was the first time a Rays position player pitched with the lead. + Batting .170/.200/.191 (8-for-47) in 20 games (14 starts) on the road, compared to .324/.395/.353 (11-for-34) in 13 games (10 starts) at Tropicana Field. + Has appeared in 33 games and made 24 starts at catcher...has thrown out 26.3 pct. of base stealers this season and 28.1 pct. in his career. 			

#18 JOEY WENDLE • INF	2018: .269/.313/.347 • 2 HR • 21 RBI • 7 SB		
Fri at NYM: 1-4 Last HR: 5/29/18 at OAK	MIA Series: 3-7, 2-BB Current Hitting Streak: 7G (.360, 9-25)	Stand: 5-25, RBI, 2-R RISP: .161 (10-62)	vs. LH: .267 (8-30) vs. RH: .269 (57-212), 2-HR
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Batting .360/.414/.360 (9-for-25) in his last 8 games (7 starts) after a 0-for-17 drought...is one shy of tying the longest hitting streak of his career. + Since May 31, 23 of his 24 hits have been singles, the only exception a 4th-inning double on June 19 at HOU...his last 10 hits have been singles. + Batting .305/.349/.397 (43-for-141) in 40 games (34 starts) on the road, compared to .218/.265/.277 (22-for-101) in 33 games (24 starts) at home. + Ranks 2nd among AL rookies with 65 hits, behind NYY Miguel Andújar (80)...his 65 hits are the most by a Rays rookie before the All-Star break since Evan Longoria (84) in 2008...also ranks among AL rookie leaders in triples (3, tied for 1st) and steals (7, tied for 1st). + Has appeared in 73 games and made 58 starts (45-2B, 7-LF, 4-3B, 1-SS), all against right-handed starters. 			

RAYS BULLPEN NOTES

#46 JOSÉ ALVARADO • LH	2018: 0-3-3 • 2.78 ERA • 38 G		
Last App: 7/6 at NYM (0.2-IP, 0-H, 0-R, 0-BB, 1-SO, 11-pit)	Pronunciation: al-vuh-RAH-doh Long Relief App: 1.2, 4x-last 6/12 vs. TOR Last Win, Loss & Save: Win-none, Loss-6/10/18 vs. SEA, Save-7/3/18 at MIA	Saves-Opps: 3-5 IR-RS: 30-7	vs. LH: .229 (11-48), 1-HR vs. RH: .185 (15-81)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Yesterday at NYM, faced three batters in the 8th inning (error, flyout, strikeout) and was replaced...on Tues at MIA, recorded his third save. + His last 5 apps have been scoreless...has pitched to a 1.08 ERA (8.1-IP, 1-ER) over his last 11 apps since June 12, but has 6 BB to 8 SO since then. + Has only allowed 2 HR in 65.1 IP in his career, coming against TOR Russell Martin (solo) last season and Kyle Seager (2-run) on June 10 vs. SEA. + His avg. fastball velocity this season is 97.5 mph, according to StatCast, and his max velocity is 100.3 mph in his outing on April 28 at BOS. + On June 26 vs. WAS, became the first pitcher to also appear at first base in a 9-inning game since MIL Chuck Crim on June 6, 1989 at TOR. 			

#35 MATT ANDRIESE • RH	2018: 1-3-0 • 3.71 ERA • 23 G • 4 GS		
Last App: 7/4 at MIA (GS, 2.0-IP, 1-H, 0-R, 2-BB, 3-SO, 36-pit)	Pronunciation: ann-DREESE Long Relief App: 3.2, 6/13 vs. TOR Last Win, Loss & Save: Win-5/16/18 at KC, Loss-6/1/18 at SEA, Save-8/28/17 at KC	Saves-Opps: 0-0 IR-RS: 9-3	vs. LH: .182 (14-77), 1-HR vs. RH: .271 (32-118), 4-HR
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + On Wed at MIA, made his fourth start of the season and went 2 IP...stranded the bases loaded in the 1st inning and pitched a perfect 2nd inn. + Has pitched to a 4.86 ERA (16.2-IP, 9-ER) and .277 opp avg. (18-for-65) in 7 apps (2 starts) since the start of June to increase his ERA from 3.15. + Against teams currently under .500, is 1-1 with a 0.84 ERA (21.1-IP, 2-ER) in 10 apps (2 starts), compared to a 5.76 ERA (29.2-IP, 19-ER) otherwise. + Has gone at least 2 IP in 14 of his 19 relief apps this season...twice this year has been on the mound for a walk-off loss (last June 1 at SEA). 			

#63 DIEGO CASTILLO • RH	2018: 1-0-0 • 1.50 ERA • 13 G		
Last App: 7/6 at NYM (2.0-IP, 1-H, 0-R, 0-BB, 2-SO, 21-pit)	Long Relief App: 2.0, 4x-last 7/6 at NYM Last Win, Loss & Save: Win-6/13/18 vs. TOR, Loss-none, Save-none	Saves-Opps: 0-0 IR-RS: 8-2	vs. LH: .174 (4-23) vs. RH: .154 (6-39), 1-HR
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Yesterday at NYM, inherited 1-on, 0-out in the 6th inning, and allowed a Todd Frazier double with a 8-4-2 out at home, and pitched a perfect 7th. + Has entered with the Rays tied or ahead in all 13 apps this season...has gone 1.1 IP or longer in seven of his 13 apps, and 1.2 IP or longer six times. + Has limited opponents to a .161 avg. (10-for-62) this season...opponents are batting .050 (1-for-20) against him when they are behind in the count. + Recorded multiple strikeouts in the first 5 apps of his career, all as a reliever...was the first AL reliever to do that since TEX Neftalí Feliz in 2009. + Recalled from Triple-A Durham on June 5...went 0-1 with a 1.03 ERA (26.1-IP, 3-ER), 4 saves, 32 SO and .167 opp avg. in 19 apps for the Bulls. 			

#36 ANDREW KITTREDGE • RH	2018: 1-2-0 • 9.72 ERA • 13 G • 3 GS		
Last App: 5/13 at BAL (0.0-IP, 6-H, 6-R, 1-BB, 0-SO, 1-HR, 24-pit)	Pronunciation: KIT-rij Long Relief App: 2.1, 4/5 at BOS Last Win, Loss & Save: Win-4/25/18 at BAL, Loss-4/5/18 at BAL, Save-none	Saves-Opps: 0-0 IR-RS: 3-3	vs. LH: .174 (4-23) vs. RH: .440 (22-50), 3-HR
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Recalled from Triple-A Durham on Wednesday for his second stint with the Rays (also Opening Day-May 13)...after his option, he went 2-0 with a 2.86 ERA (28.1-IP, 11-R/9-ER) and .227 opp avg. (25-for-110) in 13 apps (1 starts) for the Bulls, and 10 of his 13 apps there were 2 IP or longer. + Last pitched in the majors on May 13 at BAL, entering with 1-on, 1-out in the 4th inning...all 7 BF reached base and six came around to score. + In his 10 relief apps, is 1-1 with a 14.46 ERA (9.1-IP, 15-ER, 5-BB, 8-SO, 2-HR) and opponents are batting .413/.471/.609 (19-for-46) against him. 			

#56 ADAM KOLAREK • LH	2018: 0-0-0 • 0.00 ERA • 1 G		
Last App: 7/6 at NYM (1.0-IP, 1-H, 0-R, 0-BB, 1-SO, 10-pit)	Pronunciation: koh-LAIR-ick Long Relief App: 1.0, 7/6 at NYM Last Win, Loss & Save: Win-7/18/17 at OAK, Loss-none, Save-none	Saves-Opps: 0-0 IR-RS: 0-0	vs. LH: .500 (1-2) vs. RH: .000 (0-2)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Yesterday at NYM, made his season debut and pitched a perfect 5th, but was replaced after allowing a leadoff single in the 6th...selected from Triple-A Durham prior to the game, replacing Ryan Weber (optioned) on the active roster and Jeremy Hazelbaker (DFA) on the 40-man roster. + Went 4-1 with a 1.70 ERA (42.1-IP, 8-R/ER), 3 saves and 50 SO in 29 apps (1 start) for the Bulls...held lefties to a .113 avg. (7-for-62) with 1 2B. + Made his major league debut with the Rays last season, making 12 apps over two stints in the majors...was outrighted off the 40-man roster after the season and re-signed to a minor league contract on Nov 6...was selected by the Mets in the 11th round of the 2010 June Draft. 			

#52 CHAZ ROE • RH	2018: 1-2-1 • 3.60 ERA • 41 G		
Last App: 7/6 at NYM (L, 1.0-IP, 2-H, 4-R, 2-BB, 0-SO, 1-HR, 15-pit)	Long Relief App: 2.0, 6/17 at NYY Last Win, Loss & Save: Win-6/17/18 at NYY, Loss-7/6/18 at NYM, Save-6/9/18 vs. SEA	Saves-Opps: 1-1 IR-RS: 21-4	vs. LH: .174 (4-23), 1-HR vs. RH: .202 (20-99), 3-HR
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Yesterday at NYM, yielded a walk-off grand slam to José Bautista in the 9th inning...his 4 runs allowed matched a career high (also Aug 28, 2016 at SF, with ATL), compared to 1 run allowed in his previous 18 apps spanning 17.2 IP from May 19-July 3...it was the first time in his career he was on the mound for a walk-off loss, and the first walk-off grand slam allowed by the Rays since Brad Boxberger allowed one on July 7, 2015 at KC (G1). + Five of his last 6 apps since June 23 vs. NYY have been scoreless, and 17 of his last 19 apps since May 19 at LAA have been scoreless. + According to FanGraphs, has thrown his slider for 37.3 pct. of his pitches over his last 13 apps, compared to 53.9 pct. in his first 28 apps. + The Rays are his 10th major league organization since being selected in the 2005 June Draft...also played independent ball in 2012. 			

#54 SERGIO ROMO • RH	2018: 1-2-8 • 4.34 ERA • 40 G • 5 GS		
Last App: 7/3 at MIA (2.0-IP, 2-H, 0-R, 0-BB, 2-SO, 42-pit)	Long Relief App: 2.0, 3x-last 7/3 at MIA Last Win, Loss & Save: Win-5/12/18 at BAL (G2), Loss-6/18/18 at HOU, Save-7/11/18 vs. HOU	Saves-Opps: 8-12 IR-RS: 19-9	vs. LH: .239 (11-46), 1-HR vs. RH: .253 (24-95), 4-HR
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + On Tues at MIA, his 42 pitches were the 2nd-most of his career, behind Sep 2, 2008 at COL (46, with SF)...pitched the 10th and 11th innings. + Has pitched to a 1.69 ERA (16-IP, 3-ER) in 16 apps (1 start) since the beginning of June...this stretch has lowered his ERA from 6.33 to 4.34. + Has 92 saves in his career, while the rest of the Rays active roster has combined for 8 saves...all 8 saves this season have come since May 29. + His combination of starts (5) and saves (8) has been unmatched by an AL pitcher since SEA Brandon Morrow (5 starts, 10 saves) in 2008. + Has pitched to a 2.95 ERA (21.1-IP, 7-ER) in 21 apps (3 starts) on the road, compared to a 6.19 ERA (16-IP, 11-ER, 4-HR) in 19 apps (2 starts) at home. 			

#61 HUNTER WOOD • RH	2018: 0-0-0 • 2.84 ERA • 3 G		
Last App: 7/4 at MIA (1.0-IP, 1-H, 1-R, 0-BB, 2-SO, 1-HR, 22-pit)	Long Relief App: 3.0, 7/3 at MIA Last Win, Loss & Save: Win-none, Loss-none, Save-none	Saves-Opps: 0-0 IR-RS: 0-0	vs. LH: .250 (3-12), 1-HR vs. RH: .167 (2-12)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + On Wed at MIA, allowed a 1-out, solo homer to JT Riddle in the 8th inning, the first allowed in his career...threw 22 pitches to 4 BF in the inn. + On Tues at MIA, made his second app of the season and retired his first 8 BF before a 2-out walk in the 8th...seven of his 9 outs were groundouts. + Was recalled from Triple-A Durham on June 30 for his third stint with the Rays this season; did not appear in a game in his second stint. + Was 2-2 with a 3.00 ERA (42-IP, 14-ER) in 24 apps (2 starts) with the Bulls, incl. a 1.75 ERA (25.2-IP, 5-ER) in 14 apps (1 start) since his last option...has spent parts of the last two seasons with the Bulls, and is 5-3 with a 3.78 ERA (95.1-IP, 40-ER) and 110 SO in his career at the Triple-A level. 			

RAY'S PITCHING BY THE NUMBERS

Table with 10 columns: W-L-S, G, ERA, IP, H, ER, BB, SO, HR. Rows include Totals, Starters, Relievers, Home, Road, and months from March to September.

LAST HOME RUN & PLAYER SEASON HIGHS

Table with 4 columns: LAST HR, OFF, '18 MOST HITS GAME, '18 MOST RBI GAME. Lists players like Adames, Bauers, Cron, etc.

RAY'S BY THE NUMBERS

Table with 3 columns: Current streak, Current Record, Home Record, Day/Night, Grass/Turf, vs. East, vs. Central, vs. West, vs. National League, vs. RH/LH starters, Series W-L-T (home).

RUN SUPPORT FOR STARTING PITCHERS

Table with 7 columns: PITCHER, STARTS, RUNS, RUNS/START, RUNS/9-IP, CLUB RECORD, QUALITY. Lists pitchers like Andriese, Archer, Banda, etc.

RAY'S SEASON HIGHS

Table with 2 columns: TEAM BATTING and INDIVIDUAL BATTING. Lists various batting stats like longest win streak, most runs, etc.

HOME RUN HIGHLIGHTS

Table with 2 columns: Grand Slams (2), Back-to-Back (1), Back-to-Back-to-Back (1), 2-HR games (3), 3-HR games (-), Pinch-hit (-), Walk-off (1), Lead-off (3), Inside-the-park (1).

RUNS BY INNING

Table with 12 columns: Inning (1-9, X), Total. Shows runs scored in each inning by opponent and Tampa Bay.

HOME RUNS

Table with 6 columns: 1R, 2R, 3R, GS, TOTAL. Lists players like Cron, Ramos, Gómez, Robertson, etc.

CATWALKS

- List of catwalks with Date, Batter, and Play Description. Examples include April 16 vs. TEX and April 17 vs. TEX.

WALK-OFF WINS

- List of walk-off wins with Date, Batter, Pitcher, Outcome, and Play Description. Examples include April 20 vs. MIN and April 22 vs. MIN.

WALK-OFF LOSSES

- List of walk-off losses with Date, Batter, Pitcher, Outcome, and Play Description. Examples include April 5 at BOS and May 2 at DET.

CATCHERS

Table with 4 columns: PCT, CS, ATT. Lists catchers Ramos and Sucre.

INSTANT REPLAY

Table with 4 columns: Rays, Opp, Umpires. Lists overturned, stand, and confirmed calls.

MISC.

Game-Tying & Go-Ahead RBI: Cron (19), Duffy (14), Ramos (12), Miller (9), Span (8), Bauers (5), Gómez (5), Robertson (5), Smith (5), Wendle (5), Field (3), Adames (2), Hechavarria (2)
2-Out RBI: Ramos (22), Cron (15), Span (11), Robertson (9), Smith (9), Duffy (8), Hechavarria (7), Miller (7), Wendle (6), Field (5), Arroyo (4), Gómez (4), Sucre (4), Adames (3), Bauers (3), Kiermaier (1), Nuño (1)
Outfield Assists (16): Field (4), Gómez (4), RRefsnyder (3), Kiermaier (2), Span (2), Smith (1)
Bunt Singles (10): Gómez (3), Smith (3), Field (1), Kiermaier (1), Miller (1), Span (1)
Ejections (1): Smith-1 (6/5 at WAS, 8th inn.)
Batted Around (8): 3/29 vs. BOS (8th inn., 10 batters), 4/16 vs. TEX (2nd inn., 10 batters), 4/25 at BAL (5th inn., 9 batters), 5/15 at KC (1st inn., 9 batters), 5/18 at LAA (3rd inn., 9 batters), 5/27 vs. BAL (3rd inn., 12 batters), 6/25 vs. WAS (2nd inn., 10 batters), 7/3 at MIA (16th inn., 9 batters)

RECENT TRANSACTIONS (SINCE OPENING DAY)

OPENING DAY ROSTER

PITCHERS (12): LH José Alvarado, RH Matt Andriese, RH Chris Archer, RH Yonny Chirinos, RH Alex Colomé, RH Jake Faria, RH Andrew Kittredge, RH Austin Pruitt, RH Chaz Roe, RH Sergio Romo, LH Blake Snell, LH Ryan Yarbrough

CATCHERS (2): Wilson Ramos, Jesús Sucre

INFIELDERS (6): C.J. Cron, Matt Duffy, Adeiny Hechavarria, Brad Miller, Daniel Robertson, Joey Wendle

OUTFIELDERS (5): Carlos Gómez, Kevin Kiermaier, Rob Refsnyder, Mallex Smith, Denard Span

10-DAY DL (2): RH José De León, RH Nathan Eovaldi

APRIL

- 9 Placed INF **Brad Miller** (left groin strain) on the 10-day DL; selected RH **Ryan Weber** from Durham.
- 10 Transferred RH **José De León** (Tommy John surgery) to the 60-day DL; acquired OF **Jeremy Hazelbaker** from the Arizona Diamondbacks for cash considerations and optioned him to Durham.
- 12 Optioned RH **Ryan Weber** to Durham; added OF **Johnny Field** to the taxi squad.
- 13 Designated RH **Ryan Weber** for assignment; selected OF **Johnny Field** from Durham.
- 16 Placed OF **Kevin Kiermaier** (torn ligament in right thumb) on the 10-day DL; recalled RH **Chih-Wei Hu** from Durham.
- 17 Placed INF **Matt Duffy** (right hamstring strain) on the 10-day DL; transferred OF **Kevin Kiermaier** (torn ligament in right thumb) to the 60-day DL; optioned RH **Chih-Wei Hu** to Durham; recalled RH **Hunter Wood** from Durham; selected INF/OF **Brandon Snyder** from Durham.
- 20 Reinstated INF **Brad Miller** (left groin strain) from the 10-day DL; designated INF/OF **Brandon Snyder** for assignment.
- 25 Optioned RH **Hunter Wood** to Durham; selected LH **Jonny Venters** from Durham.
- 27 Optioned RH **Austin Pruitt** to Durham; reinstated INF **Matt Duffy** (right hamstring strain) from the 10-day DL.
- 29 Optioned LH **Ryan Yarbrough** to Durham; recalled RH **Chih-Wei Hu** from Durham.

MAY

- 1 Placed RH **Yonny Chirinos** (right forearm strain) on the 10-day DL, retroactive to April 29; recalled LH **Ryan Yarbrough** from Durham.
- 4 Optioned RH **Chih-Wei Hu** to Durham; recalled RH **Ryne Stanek** from Durham.
- 11 Added LH **Anthony Banda** to the taxi squad.
- 12 Added LH **Anthony Banda** from Durham per MLB's 26th Man Rule.
- 13 Returned LH **Anthony Banda** to Durham per MLB's 26th Man Rule; optioned RH **Ryne Stanek** to Durham; recalled RH **Austin Pruitt** from Durham.
- 14 Optioned RH **Andrew Kittredge** to Durham; recalled RH **Hunter Wood** from Durham; added LH **Anthony Banda** to the taxi squad.
- 15 Optioned RH **Hunter Wood** to Durham; recalled LH **Anthony Banda** from Durham.
- 16 Placed OF **Carlos Gómez** (right groin strain) on the 10-day DL; recalled INF **Christian Arroyo** from Durham.
- 19 Placed SS **Adeiny Hechavarria** (right hamstring strain) on the 10-day DL, retroactive to May 18; recalled RH **Ryne Stanek** from Durham.

- 22 Placed INF **Joey Wendle** on the paternity list; recalled INF **Willy Adames** from Durham.
- 23 Transferred RH **Nathan Eovaldi** (arthroscopic surgery, right elbow) to the 60-day DL; placed RH **Jake Faria** (left oblique strain) on the 10-day DL; selected LH **Vidal Nuño** from Durham.
- 25 Optioned INF **Willy Adames** to Durham; reinstated INF **Joey Wendle** from the paternity list.
- 25 Acquired minor league RH **Andrew Moore** and minor league RH **Tommy Romero** from the Seattle Mariners for RH **Alex Colomé** and OF **Denard Span**; acquired RH **Wilmer Font** from the Oakland Athletics in exchange for minor league RH **Peter Bayer**.
- 26 Reinstated OF **Carlos Gómez** (right groin strain) from the 10-day DL; added RH **Wilmer Font** to the active roster.
- 27 Optioned RH **Anthony Banda** to Durham; recalled RH **Jaime Schultz** from Durham.
- 30 Transferred RH **Jake Faria** (left oblique strain) to the 60-day DL; optioned RH **Jaime Schultz** to Durham; reinstated RH **Nathan Eovaldi** (arthroscopic surgery, right elbow) from the 60-day DL.

JUNE

- 4 Reinstated RH **Yonny Chirinos** (right forearm strain) from the 10-day DL, optioned him to Durham.
- 5 Placed RH **Chris Archer** (left abdominal strain) on the 10-day DL, retroactive to June 3; recalled RH **Diego Castillo** from Durham.
- 7 Designated INF **Brad Miller** for assignment; recalled 1B/OF **Jake Bauers** from Durham.
- 10 Acquired 1B **Ji-Man Choi** from the Milwaukee Brewers for INF **Brad Miller**; optioned him to Durham.
- 11 Placed INF **Daniel Robertson** (left hamstring strain) on the 10-day DL; recalled INF **Willy Adames** from Durham.
- 17 Placed INF **Christian Arroyo** (left oblique strain) on the 10-day DL, retroactive to June 16; reinstated SS **Adeiny Hechavarria** (right hamstring strain) from the 10-day DL.
- 19 Designated OF **Rob Refsnyder** for assignment; reinstated OF **Kevin Kiermaier** (torn ligament in right thumb) from the 60-day DL.
- 22 Optioned RH **Austin Pruitt** to Durham; reinstated INF **Daniel Robertson** (left hamstring strain) from the 10-day DL.
- 22 Placed LH **Jonny Venters** (right hamstring strain) on the 10-day DL; recalled RH **Austin Pruitt** from Durham.
- 30 Placed RH **Wilmer Font** (right lat strain) on the 10-day DL; recalled RH **Hunter Wood** from Durham.

JULY

- 4 Transferred RH **Wilmer Font** (right lat strain) to the 60-day DL; placed LH **Vidal Nuño** (right hamstring strain) on the 10-day DL; optioned RH **Austin Pruitt** to Durham; recalled RH **Andrew Kittredge** from Durham; selected RH **Ryan Weber** from Durham.
- 5 Optioned RH **Ryan Weber** to Durham.
- 6 Designated OF **Jeremy Hazelbaker** for assignment; selected LH **Adam Kolarek** from Durham.

RAYS ON THE DISABLED LIST (7)

POS.	PLAYER	DL	INJURY	DATE ON	RETRO	FIRST DATE OFF	GMS MISSED	RECORD
RHP	Chris Archer	10-day	Left abdominal strain	June 5	June 3	June 13	30	15-15
INF	Christian Arroyo	10-day	Left oblique strain	June 17	June 16	June 26	18	11-7
RHP	José De León	60-day	Tommy John surgery	March 28	--	May 28	87	43-44
RHP	Jake Faria	60-day	Left oblique strain	May 23	--	July 22	41	21-20
RHP	Wilmer Font	60-day	Right lat strain	June 30	--	Aug 30	6	3-3
LHP	Vidal Nuño	10-day	Right hamstring strain	July 4	--	July 14	2	0-2
LHP	Jonny Venters	10-day	Right hamstring strain	June 25	--	July 5	10	6-4

Others (Games Missed): RH **Yonny Chirinos** (31, right forearm strain, 15-16), INF **Matt Duffy** (7, right hamstring strain, 6-1), RH **Nathan Eovaldi** (53, arthroscopic surgery, right elbow, 27-26), OF **Carlos Gómez** (9, right groin strain, 5-4), SS **Adeiny Hechavarria** (28, right hamstring strain, 11-17), OF **Kevin Kiermaier** (57, torn ligament in right thumb, 30-27), INF **Brad Miller** (9, left groin strain, 4-5), INF **Daniel Robertson** (10, left hamstring strain, 5-5)

W-L BY POSITION (STARTS)

W-L BY BATTING ORDER (STARTS)

	W-L BY POSITION (STARTS)										W-L BY BATTING ORDER (STARTS)								
	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	6TH	7TH	8TH	9TH
Adames			3-2		7-9								1-1	2-3	1-3	1-1	1-2	4-1	
Arroyo			4-4	4-3					1-0					2-0	3-1	2-2	2-4		
Bauers		12-9				0-1		2-1		5-4	7-4			1-1	1-2				
Cron		15-16						23-23			23-22	0-1	10-13	1-1	3-2	1-0			
Duffy				29-36				2-2		8-8	9-3	8-9	2-3	4-10	0-5				
Field						6-11	6-3	7-9		0-1				0-1	0-2	3-2	5-15	11-12	
Gómez							2-1	28-30	2-2	0-1	0-2	12-10		2-1	1-4	9-8	7-7	0-1	
Hechavarria					24-21					2-1	1-2			2-1	4-3	5-6	2-3	8-5	
Kiermaier							9-16			8-6	1-9	0-2							
Miller									2-0	3-1			7-8	5-2	3-8	0-1			
Ramos	33-31		15-19	1-1					2-3			4-3	21-19	3-8	1-0	5-3	0-1		
Refsnyder						10-11		1-2	5-2					1-0	1-1	1-4	4-4	9-6	
Robertson			15-10	7-2	11-13	1-1		1-1	1-1	3-7	1-1	2-2	1-0	13-6	6-2	5-2	2-4	1-3	
Smith						1-8	25-25	6-2		1-4	0-1			0-1	7-3	8-11	16-11	1-4	
Snyder				1-1											0-1		1-0		
Span						18-11			1-5	16-16	2-3				3-0	0-1			
Sucre	10-13														1-0	1-3	1-3	7-7	
Wendle			19-27	1-2	0-1	6-1				1-0	2-0	8-12	1-1	6-10	8-6	0-1	0-1	0-1	

RAYS HITTERS vs. METS

PLAYER	2018										CAREER									
	G	AB	H	HR	RBI	BB	SO	AVG	OBP		G	AB	H	HR	RBI	BB	SO	AVG	OBP	
Adames	1	4	1	1	1	0	2	.250	.250		1	4	1	1	1	0	2	.250	.250	
Bauers	1	4	0	0	0	0	1	.000	.000		1	4	0	0	0	0	1	.000	.000	
Cron	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	-	1.000		4	8	3	1	4	2	2	.375	.500	
Duffy	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000		13	46	8	1	2	4	4	.174	.255	
Field	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	.000	.000		1	1	0	0	0	0	1	.000	.000	
Gómez	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	1.000		34	106	32	2	10	10	26	.302	.388	
Hechavarria	1	4	1	0	0	0	2	.250	.250		65	220	48	1	18	14	41	.218	.263	
Kiermaier	1	3	0	0	0	1	1	.000	.250		4	12	3	0	2	0	2	.250	.250	
Ramos	1	3	1	0	0	0	1	.333	.500		71	253	73	12	57	13	47	.289	.320	
Robertson	1	4	1	0	0	0	1	.250	.250		1	3	1	0	0	0	1	.333	.500	
Smith	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	-		12	32	5	1	2	1	8	.156	.229	
Sucre	1	4	1	0	0	0	0	.250	.250		2	2	0	0	0	0	1	.500	.000	
Wendle	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		1	4	1	0	0	0	0	.250	.250	

RAYS PITCHERS vs. METS

PLAYER	2018										CAREER									
	W	L	SV	IP	H	ER	SO	ERA	AVG		W	L	SV	IP	H	ER	SO	ERA	AVG	
Alvarado	0	0	0	0.2	0	0	1	0.00	.000		0	0	0	0.2	0	0	1	0.00	.000	
Andriese	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Castillo	0	0	0	2.0	1	0	2	0.00	.167		0	0	0	2.0	1	0	2	0.00	.167	
Eovaldi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		1	4	0	50.1	49	28	37	5.01	.253	
Kittredge	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kolarek	0	0	0	1.0	1	0	1	0.00	.250		0	0	0	1.0	1	0	1	0.00	.250	
Roe	0	1	0	1.0	2	4	0	36.00	.500		1	1	0	7.0	8	8	5	10.29	.320	
Romo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		3	6	3	16.1	23	15	20	8.27	.324	
Snell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stanek	0	0	0	2.0	1	0	4	0.00	.143		0	0	0	2.0	1	0	4	0.00	.143	
Wood	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yarbrough	0	0	0	2.0	1	0	3	0.00	.125		0	0	0	2.0	1	0	3	0.00	.125	

