



COLORADO ROCKIES SPRING TRAINING GAME NOTES

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COLORADO ROCKIES (5-7-1) vs. CINCINNATI REDS (4-9-1)

Thursday, March 8, 2018 • Salt River Fields • Scottsdale, Ariz. • 1:10 p.m.

Game #14 • Home Record: 2-4 • Road Record: 3-3-1

LHP Kyle Freeland (0-1, 9.00) vs. RHP Luis Castillo (0-1, 1.93)

COLORADO ROCKIES SPRING TRAINING LAST 10 SEASONS

Year	Record
2017	16-15-2
2016	15-13-4
2015	16-16-2
2014	15-14-4
2013	16-15
2012	17-15-1
2011	20-11-1
2010	17-13-3
2009	17-17-1
2008	14-12

SENIOR CIRCUIT SENIORS: The Colorado Rockies face the Cincinnati Reds this afternoon at Salt River Fields, the second of three consecutive home games for Colorado ... left-handed pitcher Kyle Freeland will make his third start of the Spring, and will be opposed by right-hander Luis Castillo ... right-handed reliever Bryan Shaw is scheduled to make his second Cactus League appearance.

RANGE ROVER: The Rockies beat the Rangers 5-4 yesterday at Salt River Fields ... Antonio Senzatela pitched four innings and allowed one run on four hits with no walks and four strikeouts ... Nolan Arenado, DJ LeMahieu and Trevor Story each went 2-for-3 at the plate ... Charlie Blackmon hit his second home run of the Spring.

CLEVELANDROX: Colorado will once again play at Salt River Fields tomorrow in a 1:10 p.m. game against the Cleveland Indians ... right-hander Jon Gray will make his third start of Spring ... he will be opposed by right-hander Corey Kluber.

BADGER STATE: The Rockies host the Wisconsin Badgers women's softball team today ... Lauren Foster, the daughter of pitching coach Steve Foster, is a freshman infielder on the team ... the club, currently on a three-game winning streak, is in town as part of the Wildcat Invitational tournament.

SOUND FAMILIAR?: The Rockies have played five consecutive one-run games, going 2-3 over that span ... they have played six one-run games this Spring and have had 10 games decided by three runs or less, including one tie ... in 2017, the Rockies went 21-14 in one-run games, the second-best record in MLB.

ON THE BACKFIELD: The Rockies played their first B-game yesterday and beat the Los Angeles Angels 11-4 ... outfielder Yonathan Daza went 3-for-5 ... catcher Tony Wolters went 2-for-2 with two doubles and two RBI ... outfielder David Dahl went 2-for-4 ... infielder Brian Mundell went 2-for-3 with a home run ... pitcher's lines:
RHP Chad Bettis: 4.0 IP, 5 H, 4 ER, 0 BB, 5 SO
LHP Mike Dunn: 1.0 IP, 1 H, 1 BB, 2 SO
LHP Jake McGee: 1.0 IP, 3 SO
RHP Brooks Pounders: 1.0 IP, 2 SO
RHP Jesus Tinoco: 1.0 IP, 1 SO

CARRY A BIG STICK: Through 13 games so far this Spring, the Rockies are batting .295 (138-for-468) with 23 doubles, five triples, 21 home runs, 34 walks and 111 strikeouts ... the 16 stolen bases are the most in the Cactus League ... Trevor Story is batting .467 (7-for-15) with four doubles, two triples, one home run, three walks and four strikeouts ... DJ LeMahieu is batting .444 (8-for-18) with two doubles ... Ryan McMahon leads the club with 12 hits, including three doubles and one home run ... seven different players lead the club with two home runs.

THE PEN IS MIGHTY: Both Jairo Díaz (3.0 IP, 0 H, 1 BB, 4 SO) and Adam Ottavino (4.0 IP, 2 H, 3 BB, 3 SO) have yet to allow a run this Spring.

TRAINING ROOM: Outfielder Gerardo Parra, who underwent surgery prior to camp to remove the broken hook of the hamate bone in his right hand, took live batting practice yesterday ... infielder Shawn O'Malley fractured a metacarpal in his left hand last Friday while making a diving play at second base ... infielder Pat Valaika and right-hander Carlos Estévez each have a left oblique strain.

TV ON THE RADIO: AT&T SportsNet will broadcast its next game this Sunday vs. the Dodgers ... KOA NewsRadio 850 AM/94.1 FM returns to the air on Saturday at Milwaukee.

BACKFIELDS: Minor League games will begin on March 15, with Triple-A and Double-A players traveling to Oakland ... the Triple-A and Double-A squads will host Oakland on the Salt River Fields backfields on March 16.

IS IT OPENING DAY YET?: The Rockies will open the regular season March 29 with the first game of a three-game series at Arizona with first pitch set for 7:10 p.m. MT ... the Rockies will play their home opener on Friday, April 6 against the Atlanta Braves to begin a three-game series ... tickets to the home opener are available by purchasing a mini-plan or season ticket package ... for ticket information, call (303) 762-5437 or visit www.rockies.com/tickets.

BULLETIN BOARD: Current roster and schedule information is available from the Communications office adjacent to the clubhouse entrance ... online Spring Training information as well as daily video content is available at rockiespressbox.com.

MEDIA SCHEDULE: Rockies Manager Bud Black is available to the media at approximately 9:30 a.m. each day in his office (subject to change) ... this time is variable depending on meetings and other obligations, so expect a member of the Communications department to alert media in the media work rooms ... Black will also be available for a brief (less than five-minute) recap outside the Rockies dugout after each game, home and road ... Colorado's clubhouse is open to media from 7:30-8:30 a.m. (clubhouse media times subject to change without prior notice) ... during Spring Training games, the Rockies clubhouse opens for interviews when the Colorado starting pitcher is announced as available to the media.

UPCOMING PITCHING PROBABLES

Friday, March 9 vs. CLE • 1:10 p.m.

RHP Jon Gray vs. RHP Corey Kluber

COL: LHP Harrison Musgrave, RHP Scott Oberg, LHP Zac Rosscup, RHP Jairo Díaz

CLE: LHP Andrew Miller, RHP Nick Goody, RHP Matt Belisle, RHP Alexi Ogando, RHP Ben Taylor, RHP Neil Ramirez

Saturday, March 10 at MIL • 1:05 p.m.

LHP Tyler Anderson vs. LHP Brent Suter

COL: RHP Yency Almonte, RHP Bryan Shaw, LHP Chris Rusin

MIL: LHP Josh Hader, RHP Corey Knebel, RHP Matt Albers, RHP Oliver Drake

INNINGS BY POSITION

Catcher: Iannetta (25.0), Wolters (25.0), Murphy (20.0), Bemboom (17.0), Vázquez (16.0), Nuñez (7.0), Rabago (5.0)

First Base: McMahon (43.0), Mundell (34.0), Patterson (23.0), Desmond (15.0)

Second Base: LeMahieu (32.0), O'Malley (27.1), Rodgers (26.0), Hampson (15.0), Castro (9.2), Phillips (5.0)

Third Base: Arenado (39.0), Castro (27.0), McMahon (16.0), Gibson (9.0), Fuentes (6.0), Phillips (5.0), Valaika (5.0), Hampson (3.0), Welker (3.0), O'Malley (2.0)

Shortstop: Story (33.0), Rodgers (31.0), Hampson (28.0), Castro (13.0), O'Malley (4.0), Valaika (4.0), George (2.0)

Left Field: Dahl (31.0), Tapia (31.0), Hilliard (12.0), Tauchman (11.0), Cuevas (10.0), Daza (7.0), Desmond (5.0), Abreu (3.0), Patterson (3.0), Jones (2.0)

Center Field: Blackmon (26.0), Daza (25.0), Tapia (24.0), Cuevas (16.0), Dahl (15.0), Tauchman (8.0), Linkous (1.0)

Right Field: Tauchman (34.0), Hilliard (25.0), Patterson (21.0), Daza (10.0), Dahl (9.0), Tapia (6.0), Cuevas (5.0), White (3.0), Weeks (2.0)

STARTS BY POSITION

Includes all Cactus League games

C: Iannetta (6), Wolters (4), Murphy (3)

1B: McMahon (7), Desmond (4), Patterson (2)

2B: LeMahieu (7), O'Malley (4), Rodgers (2)

3B: Arenado (9), McMahon (2), Castro (1), Valaika (1)

SS: Story (7), Castro (2), Hampson (2), Rodgers (1), Valaika (1)

Left Field: Dahl (5), Tapia (5), Tauchman (2), Desmond (1)

Center Field: Blackmon (6), Tapia (4), Dahl (3)

Right Field: Tauchman (6), Dahl (2), Patterson (2), Cuevas (1), Hilliard (1), Tapia (1)

DH: Murphy (3), Patterson (3), Desmond (1), McMahon (1), Mundell (1), Tauchman (1), Valaika (1), Wolters (1)

MISCELLANEOUS

Record: 5-7-1 **Day:** 4-7-1

Home: 2-4 **Night:** 1-0

Away: 3-3-1 **vs. NL:** 3-4-1

vs. AL: 2-3

2018 ATTENDANCE

HOME ROAD

Total: 44,672 **Total:** 40,400

Avg: 7,445 **Avg:** 5,771

Large: 9,294 **Large:** 10,167

TODAY'S SCHEDULED ROCKIES PITCHERS

Kyle Freeland, LHP - #21: Made his Major League debut in 2017 and was on the roster the entire season, tying for first among Major League rookies with 11 wins ... also ranked third in innings pitched (156.0), fifth in ERA (4.10, min. 15 starts) and seventh in strikeouts (107) ... his 4.10 ERA was the fourth-lowest by a rookie in franchise history ... pitched 8.1 no-hit innings on July 9 vs. Chicago-AL, the longest no-hit bid in Denver in franchise history and the second-longest in any ballpark in franchise history ... Colorado's first-round pick (eighth overall) in the 2014 First-Year Player Draft out of the University of Evansville ... born in Denver and graduated from Thomas Jefferson High School.

	W-L	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2018 Cactus League	0-1	9.00	5.0	8	5	5	1	4
2017 COLORADO	11-11	4.10	156.0	169	78	71	63	107

Ryan Castellani, RHP - #86: Attending his second Major League Spring Training... led his league in innings pitched and strikeouts in both 2016 with High-A Modesto and 2017 with Double-A Hartford ... was named a *Baseball America* High Class A All-Star and a California League Mid-Season All-Star in 2016 ... ranked by *Baseball America* as the sixth overall prospect in the Rockies organization ... selected by Colorado in the second round of the 2014 First-Year Player Draft out of Brophy College Preparatory in Phoenix.

	W-L	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2018 Cactus League	0-1	40.50	0.2	5	3	3	1	0
2017 Hartford	9-12	4.81	157.1	163	94	84	47	132

Bryan Shaw, RHP - #29: Signed by the Rockies to a three-year contract, Dec. 15, 2017 ... made 79 relief appearances with Cleveland in 2017, tied for the most in the Major Leagues ... among American League relievers, finished first in games, seventh in relief innings and fourth in holds while setting career-highs in innings pitched and saves ... has made at least 70 appearances in five consecutive seasons ... since 2013, his 378 appearances are the most in the Majors ... in 19 career postseason appearances, has gone 2-1 with a 2.45 ERA (22.0 IP, 6 ER).

	W-L	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2018 Cactus League	0-0	9.00	1.0	2	1	1	1	1
2017 CLEVELAND	4-6	3.52	76.2	71	36	30	22	73

Jerry Vasto, LHP - #83: Attending his second Major League Spring Training in 2018 ... made 41 relief appearances with Triple-A Albuquerque in 2017, going 3-3 with a 6.88 ERA (53.2 IP, 41 ER) ... was a Mid-Season All-Star in the South Atlantic League in 2015 and the California League in 2016 ... selected by the Rockies in the 24th round of the 2014 First-Year Player Draft out of Felician College in Rutherford, N.J.

	W-L	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2018 Cactus League	0-0	2.25	4.0	3	2	1	1	3
2017 Albuquerque	3-3	6.88	53.2	66	41	41	24	62

Shane Broyles, RHP - #70: Attending his second Major League Spring Training ... was named a MiLB.com Organization All-Star, as well as a Double-A Eastern League Mid-Season and Post-Season All-Star in 2017 after going 3-1 with 21 saves and a 1.84 ERA (53.2 IP, 11 ER) for Double-A Hartford ... his 21 saves were the sixth-most in the Minor Leagues and the most in the Rockies organization ... transitioned to the bullpen in 2014 and was named a MiLB.com Organization All-Star that year ... originally selected by the Rockies in the 14th round of the 2012 First-Year Player Draft out of Texas Tech.

	W-L	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2018 Cactus League	0-0	2.70	3.1	4	1	1	1	3
2017 Hartford	3-1	1.84	53.2	36	15	11	16	78
Albuquerque	0-0	0.00	1.0	0	0	0	0	0

James Farris, RHP - #63: Attending his second Major League Spring Training ... made a career-high 48 relief appearances between Double-A Hartford and Triple-A Albuquerque in 2017 ... in 17 relief appearances with Hartford to begin the season, logged nine saves in 10 opportunities with a 1.45 ERA (18.2 IP, 3 ER), two walks and 28 strikeouts ... promoted to Albuquerque on May 31 ... posted a 2.82 ERA (22.1 IP, 7 ER) in 18 appearances after the Triple-A All-Star break ... acquired via trade from the Chicago Cubs in exchange for RHP Eddie Butler, Feb. 1, 2017 ... was originally drafted by the Cubs in the ninth round of the 2014 First-Year Player Draft out of the University of Arizona.

	W-L	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2018 Cactus League	0-0	3.00	3.0	3	1	1	1	5
2017 Hartford	0-0	1.45	18.2	14	4	3	2	28
Albuquerque	1-3	4.62	39.0	37	22	20	15	41

2018 SPRING TRAINING DAY-BY-DAY

Game	Date	Opponent	Time / Result / Score	Record	Rockies POR	Opp. POR	Save	Attendance
1	2/23	ARIZONA	L, 6-7 (10)	0-1	Pierpont (0-1)	Payamps (1-0)	Hagens (1)	7,682
2	2/24	at Cincinnati	W, 11-4	1-1	Howard (1-0)	Reed (0-1)	None	2,936
3	2/25	at Texas	L, 2-4	1-2	Senzatela (0-1)	Rodriguez (1-0)	Loewen (1)	3,877
4	2/26	at Arizona	L, 4-7	1-3	Freeland (0-1)	Shiple (1-0)	None	5,292
5	2/27	LOS ANGELES-AL	L, 2-5	1-4	Gray (0-1)	Shoemaker (1-0)	Jewell (1)	4,239
6	2/28	at Arizona	W, 9-3	2-4	Almonte (1-0)	Hirano (0-1)	House (1)	5,799
7	3/1	at Chicago-NL	T, 2-2	2-4-1	None	None	None	10,167
8	3/2	ARIZONA	W, 15-6	3-4-1	Senzatela (1-1)	Blazek (0-1)	None	8,876
9	3/3	MILWAUKEE	L, 5-6	3-5-1	Castellani (0-1)	Archer (2-0)	Wilkerson	8,909
10	3/4	at Los Angeles-AL	L, 6-7	3-6-1	Rosscup (0-1)	Barria (1-1)	Campos (1)	7,243
11	3/5	CHICAGO-NL	L, 4-5	3-7-1	Almonte (1-1)	Hancock (1-0)	De La Cruz (2)	9,294
12	3/6	at Seattle	W, 3-2	4-7-1	Márquez (1-0)	Leake (0-1)	Jemiola (1)	5,086
13	3/7	TEXAS	W, 5-4	5-7-1	Senzatela (2-1)	Blackburn (1-1)	Oberg (1)	5,672
14	3/8	CINCINNATI	1:10 p.m.					
15	3/9	CLEVELAND	1:10 p.m.					
16	3/10	at Milwaukee	1:05 p.m.		News Radio KOA 850 AM/94.1 FM			
17	3/11	LOS ANGELES-NL	1:10 p.m.		AT&T SportsNet / News Radio KOA 850 AM/94.1 FM			
18	3/12	at Arizona	1:10 p.m.					
19	3/13	SEATTLE	1:10 p.m.		AT&T SportsNet			
20	3/14	at Los Angeles-NL	7:05 p.m.		News Radio KOA 850 AM/94.1 FM			
21	3/15	LOS ANGELES-AL	1:10 p.m.					
22	3/16	at Los Angeles-AL	1:10 p.m.					
23	3/17	at Milwaukee	1:05 p.m.		News Radio KOA 850 AM/94.1 FM			
24	3/18	SAN FRANCISCO	1:10 p.m.		News Radio KOA 850 AM/94.1 FM			
25	3/19	at Texas	6:05 p.m.		News Radio KOA 850 AM/94.1 FM			
26	3/20	MILWAUKEE	1:10 p.m.					
27	3/22	at Oakland	1:05 p.m.					
28	3/23	CINCINNATI	1:10 p.m.		AT&T SportsNet			
29	3/24	at Chicago-NL	7:05 p.m.		News Radio KOA 850 AM/94.1 FM			
30	3/25	ARIZONA	1:10 p.m.		AT&T SportsNet / News Radio KOA 850 AM/94.1 FM			
31	3/27	SEATTLE	12:10 p.m.		AT&T SportsNet			