



GAME NOTES

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POSTGAME NOTES

CINCINNATI REDS (58-78) VS. ST. LOUIS CARDINALS (76-60) SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2018

INNINGS - 9	R	H	E	STARTING PITCHER	PITCHES/STRIKES	PITCHER OF RECORD	REC.
Cincinnati	6	7	0	Luke Weaver	83/47	W Michael Lorenzen	(2-1)
St. Louis	4	9	0	Anthony DeSclafani	72/42	L Bud Norris	(3-4)
						SV Raisel Iglesias	(25)

FIRST PITCH
1:15 PM

GAMETIME WEATHER
88° - Partly Cloudy

TIME OF GAME
3:44

ATTENDANCE
45,743

SELLOUT
#21

HOME RUNS

TM	PLAYER	NO.	INN.	TYPE	COUNT	OUTS	PITCHER	DISTANCE	EXIT SPEED	CAREER HR
	Eugenio Suárez	31	10	2-Run	1-0	1	Bud Norris	408 FT.	109 MPH	95th
	Brandon Dixon	4	10	Solo	1-2	1	Bud Norris	385 FT.	103 MPH	4th

CARDINALS NOTES

- LUKE WEAVER** made his 25th start (28th app.) of the season, third start against the Reds in 2018 (1-0) and fifth career start (6th app.) vs. the Cardinals (3-0)...is looking for his single-season high eighth win...is making his 50th career appearance today...last start was 8/16 vs. WSH, has made three relief appearances since...walked five batters and was the 3rd start this season he's walked five or more batters.
- YADIER MOLINA** tied **BOB BOONE** for 15th all-time in hits among catchers (1,838), hitting a single in the 1st inning.
- MATT CARPENTER** has reached base safely in 15 straight games vs. the Reds...intentionally walked for the 14th and 15th time this season, moving to 2nd-most in the NL...was second time this season with two intentional walks (August 3 at Pittsburgh).
- GREG GARCIA** tallied his first multi-hit game since 8/12 at KC...has 14 RBI this season with 6 vs. CIN...4th bunt hit of the season...stole his 3rd base of the season, a new season high.
- HARRISON BADER** recorded his 16th infield hit with his game-tying RBI in the 8th inning, tying **KOLTEN WONG** for most on the team.
- TYLER WEBB** has not been scored upon in eight appearances with the Cardinals covering 10.0 innings.
- THE CARDINALS** broke a streak of winning 10 series in a row (since July 27), tying a franchise record...the last time St. Louis lost a series was to Cincinnati at the Great American Ball Park (July 23-25)...finished 12-7 against the Reds this season, and have won the season series against the Reds in every season since 2012...allowed back-to-back home runs for the third time this season, and first since June 27 vs. Cleveland...allowed back-to-back home runs in extra innings for the fifth time in franchise history, and first since August 20, 2001 at Cincinnati in a 5-4 loss (**TODD WALKER** and **KELLY STINNETT** off **ANDY BENES**)...drop to 7-7 in extra-inning play.

REDS NOTES

- ANTHONY DESCLAFANI** made his 16th start of the season, third start against the Cardinals in 2018 (1-1) and ninth start (10th app.) vs. the Cardinals in his career (5-2)...was his second shortest start of the season (shortest: 3.1 IP at STL 7/15)...
- JOEY VOTTO** has reached base safely in 15 straight games vs. the Cardinals...tallied two walks for the 18th game this season and first since 8/2 at Washington.
- BILLY HAMILTON** tied his career high with two doubles for the fifth time.
- SCOOTER GENNETT** has three straight multi-hit games and four straight multi-hit games vs. the Cardinals...hit safely in 15-of-19 games vs. STL this season.
- EUGENIO SUÁREZ** has reached base safely in 12 straight games vs. the Cardinals with 13 RBI over that period...has an RBI in 6 straight games vs. the Cardinals...has an RBI in four straight games overall...his extra-inning home run was the first of his career.
- THE REDS** hit back-to-back home runs for the fifth time this season, and only the 8th time in extra innings...the last time was June 21, 2010 at Oakland in a 6-4 win by **JOEY VOTTO** and **SCOTT ROLEN** in the 10th inning (off **CEDRICK BOWERS**)...move to 7-11 in extra-inning play.

