



2018 CLEVELAND INDIANS ROSTER



2018 MAJOR LEAGUE ROSTER (4/8)

Manager: Terry Francona (77) Coaches: Sandy Alomar, Jr. (15 - 1st Base), Scott Atchison (48-Bullpen), Brad Mills (2 - Bench/OF), Victor Rodríguez (60-Asst. Hitting), Mike Sarbaugh (16 - INF/3B Base), Ty Van Burkleo (29 - Hitting), Carl Willis (51-Pitching)

ALPHABETICAL (25)	
15	Sandy Alomar 1B Base/Catchers Coach
37	Cody Allen RHP
17	Yonder Alonso 1B
48	Scott Atchison Bullpen Coach
87	Mike Barnett Replay Coordinator
47	Trevor Bauer RHP
46	Matt Belisle RHP
23	Michael Brantley OF
86	Mark Budzinski Major League Coach
64	Armando Camacaro Bullpen Catcher
59	Carlos Carrasco RHP
52	Mike Clevinger RHP
26	Rajai Davis OF
10	Edwin Encarnacion 1B/DH
77	Terry Francona Manager
7	Yan Gomes C
44	Nick Goody RHP
9	Erik Gonzalez INF
6	Brandon Guyer OF
22	Jason Kipnis 2B
28	Corey Kluber RHP
12	Francisco Lindor INF
34	Zach McAllister RHP
24	Andrew Miller LHP
2	Brad Mills Bench Coach
30	Tyler Naquin OF
49	Tyler Olson LHP
61	Dan Otero RHP
82	Ricky Pacione Bullpen Catcher
55	Roberto Pérez C
11	José Ramírez INF
60	Victor Rodríguez Asst Hitting Coach
16	Mike Sarbaugh 3B Base/Infield Coach
85	Brian Sweeney Major League Coach
43	Josh Tomlin RHP
29	Ty Van Burkleo Hitting Coach
51	Carl Willis Pitching Coach
4	Bradley Zimmer OF
56	Cody Anderson (60-day DL) RHP
8	Lonnie Chisenhall (10-day DL) OF
54	Ryan Merritt (10-day DL) LHP
31	Danny Salazar (10-day DL) RHP
39	Gio Urshela (10-day DL) INF
53	Greg Allen (AAA Columbus) OF
73	Willi Castro (AA Akron) INF
75	Yu Chang (AAA Columbus) INF
36	Yandy Diaz (AAA Columbus) INF
71	Eric Haase (AAA Columbus) C
Jack Leathersich (AAA Columbus) LHP	
27	Francisco Mejia (AAA Columbus) C
72	Julian Merryweather (DL AAA Columbus) RHP
74	Shawn Morimando (AAA Columbus) LHP
76	Adam Plutko (AAA Columbus) RHP
66	Eric Stamets (DL AAA Columbus) INF

#	PITCHERS (12/3)	B	T	HT.	WT.	BORN	BIRTHPLACE
37	Allen, Cody	R	R	6-1	210	11/20/88	Orlando, FL
47	Bauer, Trevor	R	R	6-1	190	1/17/91	North Hollywood, CA
46	Belisle, Matt	R	R	6-3	230	6/6/80	Austin, TX
59	Carrasco, Carlos	R	R	6-3	212	3/21/87	Barquisimeto, VZ
82	Clevinger, Mike	R	R	6-4	202	12/21/90	Jacksonville, FL
44	Goody, Nick	R	R	5-11	195	7/6/91	Orlando, FL
28	Kluber, Corey	R	R	6-4	215	4/10/86	Birmingham, AL
34	McAllister, Zach	R	R	6-6	240	12/8/87	Chillicothe, IL
24	Miller, Andrew	L	L	6-7	205	5/21/85	Gainesville, FL
49	Olson, Tyler	L	L	6-3	195	10/2/89	Spokane, WA
61	Otero, Dan	R	R	6-3	215	2/19/85	Miami, FL
43	Tomlin, Josh	R	R	6-1	190	10/19/84	Tyler, TX
56	Anderson, Cody (60DL)	R	R	6-4	235	9/14/90	Quincy, CA
54	Merritt, Ryan (10DL)	L	L	6-0	170	2/21/92	McKinney, TX
31	Salazar, Danny (10DL)	L	R	6-0	190	1/11/90	Santo Domingo, DR
Leathersich, Jack	L	L	5-11	205	7/14/90	Beverly, MA	
72	Merryweather, Julian	R	R	6-4	200	10/14/91	Berkeley, CA
74	Morimando, Shawn	L	L	5-11	195	11/20/92	Virginia Beach, VA
76	Plutko, Adam	R	R	6-3	200	10/3/91	Upland, CA
#	CATCHERS (2)	B	T	HT.	WT.	BORN	BIRTHPLACE
7	Gomes, Yan	R	R	6-2	215	7/19/87	Sao Paulo, Brazil
55	Pérez, Roberto	R	R	5-11	225	12/23/88	Mayaguez, PR
71	Haase, Eric	R	R	5-10	180	12/18/92	Detroit, MI
27	Mejia, Francisco	S	R	5-10	175	10/27/95	Bani, DR
#	INFIELDERS (6/1)	B	T	HT.	WT.	BORN	BIRTHPLACE
17	Alonso, Yonder	L	R	6-1	225	4/8/87	La Habana, Cuba
10	Encarnacion, Edwin	R	R	6-1	230	1/7/83	La Romana, DR
9	González, Erik	R	R	6-2	175	8/31/91	Puerto Plata, DR
22	Kipnis, Jason	L	R	5-11	190	4/3/87	Northbrook, IL
12	Lindor, Francisco	S	R	5-11	190	11/14/93	Caguas, PR
11	Ramírez, José	S	R	5-9	165	9/17/92	Bani, DR
39	Urshela, Gio (10DL)	R	R	6-0	215	10/11/91	Cartagena, CO
73	Castro, Willi	S	R	6-1	170	4/24/97	Rio Piedras, PR
75	Chang, Yu	R	R	6-1	180	8/18/95	Taitung, Taiwan
36	Diaz, Yandy	R	R	6-2	190	8/8/91	Sagua la Grande, Cuba
66	Stamets, Eric	R	R	6-0	190	9/25/91	Dublin, OH
#	OUTFIELDERS (5/1)	B	T	HT.	WT.	BORN	BIRTHPLACE
23	Brantley, Michael	L	L	6-2	200	5/15/87	Bellevue, WA
26	Davis, Rajai	R	R	5-10	195	10/19/80	Norwich, CT
6	Guyer, Brandon	R	R	6-2	200	1/28/86	West Chester, PA
30	Naquin, Tyler	L	R	6-2	190	4/24/91	Iola, TX
4	Zimmer, Bradley	L	R	6-5	220	11/27/92	San Francisco, CA
8	Chisenhall, Lonnie (10DL)	L	R	6-2	190	10/4/88	Morehead City, NC
53	Allen, Greg	S	R	6-0	180	3/15/93	San Diego, CA

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Players in gray are not on the Major League Roster (40-man roster is at 40)

(PL) Paternity List

DISABLED LIST (5)	DL INFO	INJURY	PLACED ON DL	ELIGIBLE
RHP Cody Anderson	60-day DL	rehab, R elbow surgery	March 29	May 28
OF Lonnie Chisenhall	10-day DL	R calf strain	April 8	April 18
LHP Ryan Merritt	10-day DL	L knee sprain	March 26	April 5
RHP Danny Salazar	10-day DL	R rotator cuff tendinitis(shoulder)	March 26	April 5
INF Gio Urshela	10-day DL	R hamstring strain	March 26	April 5

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE FOR CURRENT ROSTER		
Lonnie CHISENHALL (CHIZ-in-hall)	Gio URSHELA (urr-SHELL-ahh)	Yandy DIAZ (YAHN-dee)
Yan GOMES (GOHM-ss)	Tyler NAQUIN (NAY-quinn)	Adam PLUTKO (plett-koh)
Daniel Anthony OTERO (oh-TEAR-oh)	Jason KIPNIS (KIP-niss)	Eric STAYMETS (STAY-metz)
Rick PACIONE (pass-E-own)		

HEAD ATHLETIC TRAINER: James Quinlan ASST. ATHLETIC TRAINERS: Jeff Desjardins, Michael Salazar STRENGTH AND CONDITIONING COACH: Joe Kessler TEAM PHYSICIAN: Mark Schickendantz
 DIRECTOR, TEAM TRAVEL: Mike Seghi DIRECTOR, BASEBALL INFORMATION: Bart Swain HOME CLUBHOUSE/EQUIPMENT MANAGER: Tony Amato

2018 TRANSACTIONS

JANUARY 22 Signed free agents **C JACK MURPHY** and **LHP ADAM WILK** to Minor League contracts with non-roster invitations to Major League spring training camp.

JANUARY 26 Signed free agent **RHP PRESTON CLAIBORNE** to a Minor League contract with a non-roster invitation to Major League spring training camp.

FEBRUARY 8 Signed free agent **RHP STEPHEN FIFE** to a Minor League contract with a non-roster invitation to Major League spring training camp.

FEBRUARY 15 Signed free agent **C RYAN HANIGAN** to a Minor League contract with a non-roster invitation to Major League spring training camp.

FEBRUARY 18 Signed free agent **OF RAJAI DAVIS** to a Minor League contract with a non-roster invitation to Major League spring training camp.

FEBRUARY 22 Signed free agent **RHP CARLOS TORRES** to a Minor League contract with a non-roster invitation to Major League spring training camp.

FEBRUARY 25 Signed free agent **RHP MATT BELISLE** to a Minor League contract with a non-roster invitation to Major League spring training camp...Claimed **RHP BEN TAYLOR** off waivers from the Boston Red Sox...Placed **RHP CODY ANDERSON** on the 60-day Disabled List (rehabilitation, right elbow surgery).

FEBRUARY 28 Signed free agent **1B MIKE NAPOLI** to a Minor League contract with a non-roster invitation to Major League spring training camp.

MARCH 9 Optioned **INF WILLI CASTRO** and **INF YU CHANG** to AA Akron...Reassigned **RHP COLE SULSER**, **INF NELLIE RODRIGUEZ** and **LHP ROBERT ZARATE** to Minor League camp.

MARCH 12 Optioned **OF ABRAHAM ALMONTE**, **C FRANCISCO MEJÍA**, **RHP JULIAN MERRYWEATHER**, **LHP SHAWN MORIMANDO** and **RHP ADAM PLUTKO** to AAA Columbus...Reassigned **RHP LOUIS HEAD**, **RHP JOSH MARTIN**, **LHP ADAM WILK** and **INF BOBBY BRADLEY** to Minor League camp.

MARCH 19 Optioned **INF YANDY DIAZ**, **C ERIC HAASE** and **INF ERIC STAMETS** to AAA Columbus...Reassigned **OF BRANDON BARNES**, **RHP PRESTON CLAIBORNE**, **RHP STEPHEN FIFE**, **RHP CAM HILL**, **RHP NEIL RAMIREZ** and **INF RICHIE SHAFER** to Minor League camp...Released **C RYAN HANIGAN** and **OF MELVIN UPTON, JR.**

MARCH 22 Optioned **OF GREG ALLEN** and **RHP BEN TAYLOR** to AAA Columbus.... Reassigned **RHP ALEXI OGANDO** to Minor League camp...Released **INF MIKE NAPOLI**.

MARCH 24 Re-signed **INF MIKE NAPOLI** to a Minor League contract (assigned to AAA Columbus roster)...Released **RHP CARLOS TORRES**.

MARCH 27 Claimed **LHP JACK LEATHERSICH** from the Pittsburgh Pirates and optioned him to AAA Columbus...Traded **OF ROB REFSNYDER** to the Tampa Bay Rays for cash considerations...Received **RHP JORDAN MILBRATH** (December 2017 Rule V Selection) from the Pittsburgh Pirates and assigned him to AAA Columbus...Signed free agent **INF ADAM RO-SALES** to a Minor League contract and assigned him to the Columbus roster.

MARCH 29 Placed **OF MICHAEL BRANTLEY** (rehab, right ankle surgery), **LHP RYAN MERRITT** (left knee sprain), **RHP DANNY SALAZAR** (right shoulder rotator cuff tendinitis) and **INF GIO URSHELA** (right hamstring strain) on the 10-day Disabled List, retroactive to March 26...Purchased the contracts of **RHP MATT BELISLE** & **OF RAJAI DAVIS** from Triple-A Columbus. ...Designated **OF ABRAHAM ALMONTE** and **RHP BEN TAYLOR** for assignment (Almonte claimed by the KC Royals and Taylor outrighted to AAA Columbus on 4/2)...Reassigned **LHP JEFF BELIVEAU**, **INF DREW MAGGI**, **RHP EVAN MARSHALL**, **C JACK MURPHY** and **1B MIKE NAPOLI** to Minor League camp.

APRIL 6 Activated **OF MICHAEL BRANTLEY** from the 10-day Disabled List... Optioned **OF TYLER NAQUIN** to AAA Columbus.

APRIL 8 Recalled **OF TYLER NAQUIN** from AAA Columbus...Placed **OF LONNIE CHISENHALL** on the 10-day Disabled List with a right calf strain.