



POSTGAME NOTES
NEW YORK YANKEES (91-57) vs. TORONTO BLUE JAYS (66-82)
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2018

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TORONTO BLUE JAYS	8	16	0	8	1
NEW YORK YANKEES	7	8	1	10	1

STARTING TIME: 4:08 p.m.

GAME-TIME TEMPERATURE: 82 degrees

WINNING PITCHER: Sean Reid-Foley (2-3)

LOSING PITCHER: CC Sabathia (7-7)

SAVE: Ken Giles (21)

TIME OF GAME: 3:54

PAID ATTENDANCE: 43,130

PITCH COUNTS (Total Pitches/Strikes):

Yankees: CC Sabathia (50/37)

Blue Jays: Sean Reid-Foley (92/55)

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

YANKEES

Didi Gregorius (#25 / 6th / 0 on / 0 out / 1-2 / Petricka / TOR 5 – NYY 1)
 Giancarlo Stanton (#34 / 7th / 0 on / 0 out / 0-0 / Tepera / TOR 8 – NYY 2)
 Didi Gregorius (#26 / 7th / 0 on / 1 out / 1-2 / Barnes / TOR 8 – NYY 3)
 Miguel Andújar (#24 / 7th / 3 on / 2 out / 0-0 / Clippard / TOR 8 – NYY 7)

BLUE JAYS

Randal Grichuk (#22 / 2nd / 0 on / 0 out / 0-0 / Sabathia / TOR 1 – NYY 0)
 Randal Grichuk (#23 / 3rd / 0 on / 1 out / 1-2 / Sabathia / TOR 4 – NYY 0)
 Kevin Pillar (#13 / 3rd / 0 on / 1 out / 2-2 / Sabathia / TOR 5 – NYY 0)

NEW YORK YANKEES NOTES

- The Yankees fell to 1-1 on their final regular season homestand... are 7-9 in their last 16G but are 16-11 in their last 27G...are 34G over .500, 2G below their season-high watermark.
 - Fell to 13-5 vs. Toronto this season (7-2 at home, 6-3 at Toronto)...are still their most wins vs. an opponent in a single season since going 14-5 vs. Toronto in 2013...are 10-2 in the last 12 meetings (since 4/21)...snapped their six-game winning streak vs. the Blue Jays, their longest streak in the series since a 10-game winning streak from 4/25-8/22/13...also snapped their six-game winning streak over Toronto at Yankee Stadium.
- SS Didi Gregorius** (2-for-4, 2R, 2HR, 2RBI, 1BB) recorded his sixth career multi-HR game and his fifth of the season with solo home runs in the sixth and seventh (last: 8/2 at Boston-2HR)...his seventh-inning HR marked his 26th of the season, establishing a new career high and the Yankees single-season HR record for a shortstop (25HR in 2017)...only three other Yankees middle INFs (min. 50% G at 2B/SS) have hit 25HR in a season: 2B Robinson Canó (5x: 2009-13), 2B Joe Gordon (3x: 1938-40), 2B Alfonso Soriano (2x: 2002-03).
 - His 2HR game marked the Yankees' MLB-leading 22nd multi-HR game of 2018...are two shy of the Major League record of 24, held by the 1961 Yankees and 1966 Braves...Gregorius is one of 10 different Yankees to record a multi- HR game...entering today's game, only four other Major League players had recorded at least five multi-HR games this season (also Khris Davis-6, Francisco Lindor-6, Manny Machado-6, Trevor Story-5).
 - Since returning from the D.L., all 6H are extra-base hits (1 double, 1 triple, 4HR)...in his last 5G, is 6-for-19 with 7R, 1 double, 1 triple, 4HR, 9RBI 3BB and 1HP.
 - Has homered in consecutive games for the second time this season (also 4G from 4/22-25)...has 3HR in his last two games and 4HR in his last 4G.
- 1B Luke Voit** (1-for-4, 1R, 1BB) is batting .271/.386/.563 (13-for-48) with 10R, 2 doubles, 4HR, 8RBI, 8BB and 1HP during his 14-game on-base streak (since 8/30).
- 2B Gleyber Torres** (2-for-4, 1R, 1 double, 1HP) has hit safely in each of his last 13 home games (since 8/16), batting .457/.528/.696 (21-for-46) with 9R, 2 doubles, 3HR, 12RBI, 6BB, 1HP and 1SB in those games...marks the longest home hitting streak by a Yankee this season...marked just his third multi-hit game of September (13G).
 - Has recorded back-to-back multi-hit games for the first time since doing so in three straight games from 8/29-31.
- DH Giancarlo Stanton** (1-for-5, 1R, 1HR, 1RBI) hit a solo HR in the seventh inning, snapping a season-long 12-game stretch without a HR.
- Yankees relievers** have recorded 668K this season, the second-most by a bullpen in Major League history (2018 Tampa Bay Rays entered today with 668K).
- PH/DH Miguel Andújar** (1-for-1, 1R, 1HR, 4RBI, 1BB) hit his second career grand slam in the seventh inning (also 6/5 at Toronto)...is only the fifth rookie in franchise history to hit multiple grand slams in a season, joining Shane Spencer (three in 1998), Russ Derry (two in 1945), Yogi Berra (two in 1947) and Hideki Matsui (two in 2003).
 - His seven-game hitting streak is tied for the longest of his career (fourth time)...is batting .370/.414/.556 (10-for-27) with 3R, 2 doubles, 1HR, 7RBI, 1HP and 1BB over that span.
 - Has 66XBH this season, third-most in a season by a rookie in Yankees history behind Joe DiMaggio (88 in 1936) and Aaron Judge (79 in 2017).
 - Has 68XBH in 141G, tied for the third-most XBH through 141G in Yankees history (Joe DiMaggio-88XBH, Bob Meusel-70XBH, Gary Sánchez-68XBH).
- RHP Dellin Betances** (1.0IP, 1H, 1K) has at least 1K in an AL-record 40 consecutive relief appearances (since 5/29)...is the third-longest streak in Major League history, behind Cincinnati's Aroldis Chapman (49, 8/21/13-8/13/14) and Milwaukee's Corey Knebel (46, 10/2/16-7/15/17)...has recorded at least 1K in 58-of-60 games this season.
 - Has reached 60 appearances for the fifth straight season (since 2014)
- LHP CC Sabathia** (2.1IP, 7H, 5ER, 0BB, 2K, 3HR, 1WP) started and took the loss...marked his shortest start of the season and his shortest since 7/4/17 vs. Toronto (also 2.2IP)...tied his season high with 3HR (also 4/6 vs. Baltimore).
 - Today marked his 536th career start, tying Mike Mussina for 33rd place on the all-time starts list.

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- **RHP Chad Green** (2.1P, 3H, 3K) tossed 2.1 scoreless innings...has posted a 0.57 ERA (15.2IP, 1ER) over his last 11 games (since 8/13).
 - Marked his 100th career relief appearance...with his 1.91 ERA (146.1IP, 31ER) out of the bullpen, is one of four active pitchers with at least 100 relief appearances have a career relief ERA under 2.00: Zach Britton (1.83), Craig Kimbrel (1.85) and Richard Bleier (1.97).
- **CF Aaron Hicks** (0-for-3, 2BB) leads the Majors with 44BB since the All-Star break (50 games).
- **Yankees batters** have hit a Major League-leading 240HR...is tied for the fifth-highest single-season total in franchise history...are on pace to hit 263HR (the MLB record is 264HR by Seattle in 1997)...have hit 26HR in their last 12 *home* games.
- **Triple-A Scranton/Wilkes-Barre** lost Saturday's winner-take-all Game 5 of the Governor's Cup Championship Series, falling 6-2 "at" Durham... the entire series was played in Pennsylvania due to Hurricane Florence, and the RailRiders played as the road team for the final three games...**DH Mike Ford** drove in eight of the 12 total runs the RailRiders scored over the five games, batting .294 (5-for-17) with 3HR, 8RBI, 2BB and a .350 OBP.

TORONTO BLUE JAYS

- The Blue Jays snapped their four-game losing streak...are 6-13 in their last 19 games (since 8/26).
 - Improved to 24-41 vs. the AL East...have won just twice in their last 11 games vs. AL East opponents.
 - Are 5-13 vs. the Yankees this season...are 2-7 at Yankee Stadium in 2018 and are 6-15 in their last 21 matchups in the Bronx (since 9/5/16).
 - Marked just their 15th win in a game against a left-handed starter this season.
- **RHP Sean Reid-Foley** (5.0IP, 2H, 0ER, 4BB, 10K) started and earned the win in the first scoreless start of his career...has 32K in five starts, surpassing LHP Marc Rzepczynski (30) for most ever by a Blue Jay through his first five career starts...is the second Blue Jays rookie pitcher with multiple 10K games in the same season (also 10K on 9/2 at Miami), joining Scott Richmond (two in 2009).
 - Is the second Blue Jays rookie to strike out at least 10 batters in a game against the Yankees, joining Dave Bush (11K on 10/1/04 in Toronto).
- **Toronto pitchers** have allowed at least 7R in each of their last five games at Yankee Stadium.
 - **Blue Jays relievers** combined to allow 7ER and 4HR in 4.0IP (6H, 4BB, 6K).
- **RHP Ken Giles** (1.1IP, 2K) earned his 21st save in as many chances this season...marked his first save of more than 1.0 inning since 8/31/17 vs. Texas w/ Houston (2.0IP).
- **RF Randal Grichuk** (3-for-5, 3R, 1 double, 2HR, 2RBI) hit solo HRs in the second and third innings, collecting his fifth career multi-HR game and third of the season (first since 9/8 vs. Cleveland).
 - **Grichuk's** third-inning HR was the first of back-to-back HRs with **CF Kevin Pillar** (2-for-4, 2R, 1HR, 1RBI, 1BB)...marked the Blue Jays' seventh set of back-to-back HRs this season and first since 9/8 vs. Cleveland (fifth inning, Grichuk and Rowdy Tellez).
- **3B Aledmys Díaz** (2-for-4, 3RBI) tied his season high in RBI, driving in multiple runs for just the third time in his last 19 games (since 8/26)...was just his third multi-hit game over the same span.
- **Manager John Gibbons** and **C Luke Maile** (not playing) were ejected by HP umpire Roberto Ortiz in the bottom of the second inning...for Gibbons, it was his seventh ejection of the season and third in a game against the Yankees this season (also 7/7 at Rogers Centre and 8/19 at Yankee Stadium).

UPCOMING PROBABLE STARTING PITCHERS

Date	Opponent	Probable Pitchers	Time-ET	TV
Sun., 9/16	vs. Toronto	RHP Lance Lynn (9-10, 5.01) vs. LHP Thomas Pannone (2-1, 4.13)	1:05 p.m.	YES
Mon., 9/17	Off Day			
Tues., 9/18	vs. Boston	LHP J.A. Happ (16-6, 3.75) vs. RHP Nathan Eovaldi (5-7, 4.22)	1:05 p.m.	WPIX/MLBN/FB
Wed., 9/19	vs. Boston	RHP Luis Severino (17-8, 3.46) vs. LHP David Price (15-6, 3.42)	7:05 p.m.	YES/ESPN
Thurs., 9/20	vs. Boston	RHP Masahiro Tanaka (12-5, 3.47) vs. LHP Eduardo Rodriguez (12-4, 3.53)	7:05 p.m.	YES/MLBN

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