

# Pregame Notes

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## TAMPA BAY RAYS (28-30) at WASHINGTON NATIONALS (33-25)

RH Nathan Eovaldi (1-0, 0.00) vs. RH Max Scherzer (9-1, 1.92)

Tuesday, June 5, 2018 • **First Pitch:** 7:05 p.m. • **Location:** Nationals Park • **TV:** FOX Sports Sun • **Radio:** WDAE 620 AM, WGES 680 AM (Sp.)  
**Game No.:** 59 (28-30) • **Away Game No.:** 35 (17-17) • **All-Time Game No.:** 3,297 (1528-1768) • **All-Time Away Game No.:** 1,652 (695-956)

### UPCOMING PROBABLE PITCHERS & BROADCAST SCHEDULE

| Upcoming Games   | Time (ET) | Probable Starting Pitchers (Rays vs. Opp.) | TV & Radio                                     |
|------------------|-----------|--|--|
| Wed., 6/6 at WAS | 1:05 p.m. | TBD vs. RH Tanner Roark (2-5, 3.38)        | FOX Sports Sun, WDAE 620 AM, WGES 680 AM (Sp.) |

**ROSTER MOVES**—Yesterday the Rays reinstated RH **Yonny Chirinos** (right forearm strain) from the 10-day DL and optioned him to Triple-A Durham...today the Rays placed RH **Chris Archer** (left abdominal strain) on the 10-day DL, retroactive to June 3, and recalled RH **Diego Castillo** from Durham...this is the first DL stint of Archer's career...since June 1, 2013—the date he was recalled to the majors for good—he leads the majors with 169 starts, ahead of DET/WAS **Max Scherzer** (164).

- + Castillo will wear No. 63 and will be making his major league debut...he was 0-1 with a 1.03 ERA (26.1-IP, 3-ER), 4 saves, 32 SO and .167 opp avg. (15-for-90) in 19 apps for Durham.

**RAY MATTER**—The Rays have lost four consecutive games on the heels of a 5-game winning streak...this is the fourth time this season the Rays have gone on a losing streak of 4 games or longer, as they lost eight straight from March 30–April 8, five straight from May 6-12 and four straight from April 11-15...the Rays have held a lead at the conclusion of only four of 40 innings during this losing streak, which has brought them from a season-high 2 games over .500 to 28-30...the Rays have played 58 games and have been .500 or below at the conclusion of 54 of those games.

- + On Sun at SEA, the Rays allowed 2 runs in the 8th inning to lose, 2-1...it was the third time this season they lost when leading after 7 innings (24-3), following April 8 at BOS and April 11 at CWS...it was the 13th time they went on to lose a game after holding a lead.
- + The Rays are 6-5 over their last 11 games, 12-8 (.600) over their last 20 games (since May 14, tied for 4th-best in the AL) and 24-17 (.585) over their last 41 games (since April 18, 5th-best in the AL).
- + Entering tonight's game, the Rays are 7-4 in series openers on the road and 7-2 in their last nine series openers on the road.

**HOT AND COLD**—The Rays have arguably been the streakiest team in all of baseball, as they are the only team in the majors with *multiple* 5-game winning streaks and 5-game losing streaks this season...last season, their longest winning streak was 4 games (four times) and longest losing streak was 5 games (once)...the Rays, Astros and Yankees are the only teams in the majors with three separate winning streaks of at least 5 games...in comparison, the Rays had one 5-game winning streak over the previous three seasons and it came in **Kevin Cash's** first month on the job.

**THROUGH THE WRINGER**—The Rays are in the middle of a stretch of 25 of 28 games from June 1–July 1 against teams currently positioned to make the postseason, the only exception a 3-game series from June 11-13 vs. TOR...this includes 7 games apiece against the Mariners, Yankees and Astros, who lead the AL West and hold the top two AL Wild Card positions, respectively, and 4 games against the Nationals, who hold the second NL Wild Card spot...the Rays are 10-21 (.323) against teams currently .500 or better and 18-9 (.667) against teams currently below .500.

- + In the 3-game series against the Mariners, the Rays were swept for the fifth time this season and for the third time in a series of 3 games or more...they have lost 9 straight games at Safeco Field.
- + The Rays are in the middle of a stretch of 40 games in 41 days from May 11–June 20 and they have gone 13-11 thus far.

**DOES NOT COMPUTE**—On Sun at SEA, the Rays lost for the ninth team this season when allowing 2 runs or fewer, most in the majors when doing so...the Rays are 9-9 when yielding 2 runs or fewer, while the rest of the majors is a combined 472-81 (.854) in these games...the single-season club record for losses when yielding 2 runs or fewer is 12 in 2012.

- + On Sun at SEA, the Rays lost despite a season-high 16 SO...it was the first time they lost a game on 16 SO or more since May 21, 2017 vs. NYY (17)...it was the 12th time in club history they lost with at least 16 SO and the fifth time excluding extra-inning games.
- + The Rays have played 23 games decided by 1 run, 2nd-most in the majors to the Mariners (27)...they are 9-14 (.391) in 1-run games, and their 14 losses are tied with the White Sox for most in the majors.
- + Since 2015, the Rays have yielded 14 walk-off home runs, tied with the Indians for most in the majors, and during that same span they have hit two walk-off homers, fewest in the majors.

**SNELL-ZILLA**—On Sun at SEA, **Blake Snell**, who was born in Seattle, pitched in front of family and friends and against his childhood idol, **Félix Hernández**...it was the first start of his career at Safeco Field, and he did not allow a run in 6 IP...he finished with 12 SO, the third time in his career he reached double digits, and one shy of a career high (13, Oct

1, 2017 vs. BAL)...he struck out his first seven batters faced, tying an AL record (also CWS **Joe Cowley** on May 28, 1986 at TEX and CWS **Carlos Rodón** on Sep 30, 2016 vs. MIN) and one shy of tying a modern major league record...he broke the Rays record for consecutive strikeouts to start a game (**Scott Kazmir**, 5 on Aug 25, 2007 vs. OAK) and tied the Rays record for consecutive strikeouts at any point in a game (also **Chris Archer** on Sep 11, 2015 vs. BOS and **Andy Sonnanstine** on June 10, 2007 at FLA)...Snell extended his active streak to 19.2 IP without allowing an earned run...he became the first Ray to make three straight starts without allowing an earned run since **Jake Odorizzi** from July 22–Aug 3, 2016.

**ROAD RAYGE**—The Rays have lost four consecutive road games for the first time since May 1-12 at DET/BAL (0-4) and for the first time within the same road trip since April 3-8 at NYY/BOS (0-5)...this road losing streak follows a 9-1 stretch on the road spanning two trips from May 14-30.

- + The Rays have played a major-league-most 34 games on the road...by the conclusion of this trip, they will have played 36 road games and 24 home games...the Rays are 17-17 on the road, including 17-12 since April 9, compared to 11-13 at home...this is the last of four straight 3-city road trips to start the season—the first time in club history the Rays have made four consecutive three-city trips.

**RAYS vs. NATIONALS**—The Rays are 13-12 all-time against the franchise (8-5 vs. Nationals, 5-7 vs. Expos)...the Rays are 4-4 all-time in the nation's capital: 3-2 at Nationals Park and 1-2 at RFK Stadium...this series will be the first meetings between the clubs since June 15-18, 2015, when the Rays went 1-1 at home and 2-0 on the road...the two teams will meet four times this season, as the Nationals visit St. Pete from June 25-26.

- + This is the first time in club history the Rays have visited Washington state and Washington, D.C. on the same road trip...they are the first team to do that since the Angels last Aug 10-16.
- + **Wilson Ramos** is the only current Ray to have previously played for the Nationals...he will be facing the Nationals for the first time since signing with the Rays as a free agent on Dec 12, 2016...Ramos leads AL catchers with 53 hits, and ranks 2nd among major league catchers behind SF **Buster Posey** (55).

**INTERLEAGUE INTRIGUE**—Tonight is the Rays sixth of 20 interleague games this season...they are 0-5 so far, all at home, their longest losing streak in interleague play since April 13–June 10, 2014 (6)...this is the third time in franchise history the Rays have started the season winless through at least 5 games in interleague play, following 1999 (0-7) and 2005 (0-8)...the Rays went 11-9 in interleague play last season and have only one losing interleague record in 10 seasons of the "Rays" era (7-11 in 2010)...they are 110-85 (.564) since 2008—5th-best in the majors—and 184-189 all-time...the NL is 47-35 (.573) 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...among them are Rays Manager **Kevin Cash** (played for Rays in 2005) and Nationals skipper **Dave Martinez** (1998-2000), who was on the Rays coaching staff from 2007-14...the others are former White Sox/Marlins Manager **Ozzie Guillén** (2000), Mets skipper **Mickey Callaway** (1999, 2001) and Phillies Manager **Gabe Kapler** (2009-10).

**MINOR MATTERS**—Class-A Charlotte 1B **Nate Lowe** has been named the Florida State League Player of the Month for May...he hit .356/.442/.611 (32-for-90) in 24 games in May, and led the league in hits, extra-base hits (13) and OPS (1.053), ranked 2nd in runs (21), total bases (55), doubles (8), home runs (5), RBI (19) and slugging pct. and ranked 3rd in avg. and on-base pct...Lowe, 22, was also the FSL Player of the Month for April...he was selected in the 13th round of the 2016 June Draft.

**ON THE CLOCK**—Major League Baseball's First-Year Player Draft continues with Rounds 3-10 this afternoon and Rounds 11-40 tomorrow...last night the Rays made five selections on the first day, tied with the Royals for month in the majors...their first selection, No. 16 overall, was high school lefty **Matthew Liberatore**, who was ranked by *Baseball America* as the No. 2 overall player in this year's draft...among their other selections were USF righthander **Shane McClanahan** (No. 31) and two-way player **Tanner Dodson** (No. 71 overall), a center fielder and right-handed pitcher out of the University of California.

## TONIGHT'S STARTER: RH NATHAN EOVALDI (1-0, 0.00 ERA)

### CAREER MLB BREAKDOWN

| YEAR          | W         | L         | ERA         | G          | GS         | IP           | H          | R          | ER         | BB         | SO         | HR        |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|------------|------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|
| 2016          | 9         | 8         | 4.76        | 24         | 21         | 124.2        | 123        | 66         | 66         | 40         | 97         | 23        |
| 2017          | 1         | 0         | 0.00        | 1          | 1          | 6.0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 1          | 4          | 0         |
| <b>Career</b> | <b>39</b> | <b>46</b> | <b>4.18</b> | <b>135</b> | <b>128</b> | <b>745.0</b> | <b>782</b> | <b>362</b> | <b>346</b> | <b>240</b> | <b>543</b> | <b>66</b> |

**LAST START**—On Wed at OAK, his only baserunner allowed in 6 IP was a 1st-inning, 1-out walk, and after that he retired his next 17 BF...appeared in his first major league game since Aug 10, 2016 at BOS (with NYY), going 657 days in between...did not allow a hit in 6 IP, matching the longest no-hit bid of his career (April 25, 2016 at TEX)...only one other time has a Rays pitcher finished an outing having gone at least 6 IP without allowing a hit: **Matt Garza's** no-hitter on July 26, 2010 vs. DET (9 IP)...it remains one of six times this season that a pitcher was removed with a no-hitter in tact through at least 6 IP...his line: W, 6 IP, 0 H, 0 R, 1 BB, 4 SO, 70 pit, 46 str.

+ Was his first win since July 24, 2016 vs. SF (with NYY)...became the fourth pitcher to go at least 6 IP without allowing a run in his Rays debut, following **Nate Karns** in 2014, **Dwight Gooden** in 2000 and **Steve Trachsel** in 2000.

### PITCHERS TO START IN MAJORS AFTER TWO TOMMY JOHN SURGERIES

| PITCHER            | T.J. YEARS | GS AFTER | PITCHER            | T.J. YEARS | GS AFTER |
|--------------------|------------|----------|--------------------|------------|----------|
| LH Chris Capuano   | 2002, 2008 | 109      | RH Victor Zambrano | 1996, 2006 | 4        |
| RH Tyler Chatwood  | 2006, 2013 | 63       | RH Shawn Hill      | 2004, 2009 | 4        |
| RH Kris Medlen     | 2010, 2014 | 16       | RH Brandon Beachy  | 2012, 2014 | 2        |
| LH Hong-Chih Kuo   | 2000, 2003 | 14       | RH Daniel Hudson   | 2012, 2013 | 1        |
| LH Randy Wolf      | 2005, 2012 | 11       | LH Cory Luebke     | 2012, 2014 | 1        |
| RH Darren Dreifort | 1995, 2001 | 10       | RH Nathan Eovaldi  | 2007, 2016 | 1        |

**THE COMEBACK**—His season debut was his first major league game since Aug 10, 2016 at BOS (with NYY), which he exited due to right elbow discomfort after a clean 1st inning...among his Yankees teammates who played in that game were since-retired **Mark Teixeira**, **Alex Rodríguez** and current teammate **Rob Refsnyder**...he became the 35th player to pitch in the majors after two Tommy John surgeries, and only the 12th pitcher to start a major league game after doing so (see chart above).

+ Of those previous 11 players to start a game after two Tommy John surgeries, only six made more than 4 starts and only two made more than 20 starts.

+ He is the fourth to pitch for the Rays after multiple Tommy John surgeries, following **Lance Carter** (two), **Al Reyes** (two) and **Jonny Venters** (three), and first to start a game for them...he is the fourth pitcher to return to the majors this season after multiple Tommy John surgeries, following Venters, WAS **Tim Collins** and CWS **Jace Fry**...Eovaldi underwent Tommy John surgeries on Aug 19, 2016 (**Dr. Christopher Ahmad** at New York-Presbyterian Hospital) and as a high school junior on May 27, 2007 (**Dr. David Lintner**).

**SNYDER SAYS**—Pitching coach **Kyle Snyder** said this about Eovaldi's return: "It's going to be a huge accomplishment for him, but it's going to be something felt throughout the clubhouse. He's probably one of the hardest workers I've ever seen from me being a player and a coach at this point."

+ Nathan signed with the Rays as a free agent in February 2017 due in part to the club's reputation in handling pitchers recovering from Tommy John surgery...he achieved his goal of being physically ready to return by the end of 2017, pitching on rehab assignment in both the Southern League and International League Finals last September...the Rays exercised his 2018 club option.

**THE SETBACK**—Originally was tabbed by Manager **Kevin Cash** on March 15 to start the fourth game of this season, but was placed on the disabled list the day before Opening Day...on March 30, he underwent arthroscopic surgery to remove loose bodies in his right elbow, performed by **Dr. Koco Eaton** in St. Petersburg...totaled four rehab starts between Class-A Charlotte and Triple-A Durham.

**vs. WASHINGTON**—Is 2-4 with a 5.12 ERA (51-IP, 29-ER) in 9 career starts against the Nationals and 1-2 with a 4.18 ERA in 4 starts at Nationals Park...last faced them on June 10, 2015 at home (with NYY), yielding 3 R/ER in 7 IP in the no-decision...yielded an RBI double to **Denard Span** in the 3rd inning and solo homer to **Danny Espinosa** in the 5th...allowed a leadoff single in the 8th inning and was replaced, but the runner came around to score.

+ Is 3-8 with a 5.84 ERA (101.2-IP, 66-ER) in 19 career starts in interleague play...is a career .079 (11-for-140) hitter, all singles, with 14 sac bunts.

**NASTY FACTOR**—Averaged 96.9 mph on his 32 fastballs thrown in his first start, according to MLB StatCast, and his max velocity was 98.7 mph...in 2016, averaged 97.1 mph on his fastball according to FanGraphs, the 2nd-hardest in the majors (min. 100 IP) behind NYM **Noah Syndergaard** (98.0)...PITCHf/x clocked him with 36 pitches of at least 100 mph that year, topping out at 101.4 mph...in 2015, he was clocked as high as 102.4 mph, a mark reached by only CIN **Aroldis Chapman** that season.

**HOMETOWN HERO**—Grew up in Alvin, Texas, and the city's claim to fame is Hall of Famer **Nolan Ryan**, whose name and likeness are ubiquitous...although the two attended the same high school, he had never met Ryan until 2016, when the Yankees visited the Astros...Ryan once sent him a signed baseball during spring training congratulating him on his achievements.

### 2018 GAME LOG

| GAME        | DEC | ERA  | IP  | H | R | ER | BB | SO | HR | HB | WP | P/K   | FINAL  | OPP.   | LEFT    |
|-------------|-----|------|-----|---|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|-------|--------|--------|---------|
| 5/30 at OAK | W-1 | 0.00 | 6.0 | 0 | 0 | 0  | 1  | 4  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 70/46 | W, 6-0 | Manaea | up, 4-0 |

### 2018 GAME LOG (MINORS)

| GAME         | DEC | ERA   | IP  | H  | R | ER | BB | SO | HR | HB | WP | P/K   | FINAL      | OPP.    | LEFT      |
|--------------|-----|-------|-----|----|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|-------|------------|---------|-----------|
| 5/4 vs. BRD  | --  | 9.00  | 1.0 | 2  | 1 | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 17/13 | L, 1-5     | Marvel  | tied, 1-1 |
| 5/9 at FTM   | --  | 6.00  | 2.0 | 2  | 1 | 1  | 0  | 3  | 1  | 0  | 0  | 32/22 | L, 6-7     | Barnes  | tied, 1-1 |
| 5/18 vs. JUP | --  | 4.50  | 3.0 | 2  | 1 | 1  | 0  | 4  | 1  | 0  | 0  | 47/35 | W, 7-1     | Castano | up, 5-1   |
| 5/23 at GWN  | L-1 | 18.00 | 4.0 | 10 | 8 | 8  | 0  | 6  | 1  | 0  | 0  | 71/50 | L, 3-9 (7) | Parsons | down, 8-0 |

## #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).

Pronunciation: ee-VAUL-dee

### 2018 SPLITS

| SPLIT     | W  | L  | ERA  | G  | IP  | H  | R  | ER | BB | SO |
|-----------|----|----|------|----|-----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Home      | -- | -- | --   | -- | --  | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Road      | 1  | 0  | 0.00 | 1  | 6.0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1  | 4  |
| March     | -- | -- | --   | -- | --  | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| April     | -- | -- | --   | -- | --  | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| May       | 1  | 0  | 0.00 | 1  | 6.0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1  | 4  |
| June      | -- | -- | --   | -- | --  | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| July      | -- | -- | --   | -- | --  | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| August    | -- | -- | --   | -- | --  | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| September | -- | -- | --   | -- | --  | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |

### SPLITS vs. NATIONALS

| SPLIT   | W  | L  | ERA  | G  | IP   | H  | R  | ER | BB | SO |
|---------|----|----|------|----|------|----|----|----|----|----|
| 2018    | -- | -- | --   | -- | --   | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 2017    | -- | -- | --   | -- | --   | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Career  | 2  | 4  | 5.12 | 9  | 51.0 | 59 | 29 | 29 | 14 | 39 |
| on Road | 1  | 2  | 4.18 | 4  | 23.2 | 26 | 11 | 11 | 7  | 21 |

### 2018 SPLITS vs. BATTERS

| SPLIT   | AB | H | AVG  | 2B | 3B | HR | BB | SO | TB | PA |
|---------|----|---|------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| vs. LHB | 9  | 0 | .000 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1  | 0  | 9  |
| vs. RHB | 9  | 0 | .000 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1  | 3  | 0  | 10 |

### SEASON & CAREER HIGHS

| 2018               | CAREER                            |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 6.0, 5/30 at OAK   | IP 8.0, 7x-last 5/7/16 vs. BOS    |
| --                 | H 12, 8/16/13 vs. SF              |
| --                 | R 11, 8/16/13 vs. SF              |
| --                 | ER 9, 8/16/13 vs. SF              |
| 1, 5/30 at OAK     | BB 6, 8/8/12 at NYM               |
| 4, 5/30 at OAK     | SO 10, 5/5/14 vs. NYM             |
| --                 | HR 4, 6/26/16 vs. MIN             |
| --                 | CG --                             |
| --                 | SHO --                            |
| 1G, 5/30 - Current | Win Streak 9G, 6/20/15 - 8/30/15  |
| --                 | Loss Streak 8G, 8/13/14 - 9/27/14 |



## RAYS HITTER NOTES

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|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|---------------------|
| <b>#21 CHRISTIAN ARROYO • INF</b> | <b>Pronunciation:</b> ah-ROY-yoh | <b>2018:</b> .313/.421/.438 • 0 HR • 4 RBI • 0 SB |                     |
| Sun at SEA: 0-1 (PH in 7th)       | SEA Series: 1-3, BB              | Trip: 3-15, 2B, RBI, BB                           | vs. LH: .313 (5-16) |
| Last HR: 5/5/17 at CIN            | Current Hitting Streak: 0-for-1  | RISP: .429 (3-7)                                  | vs. RH: .313 (5-16) |

- + Has appeared in 11 games and made 10 starts (5-3B, 4-2B, 1-DH) since his recall from Triple-A Durham on May 16, his first stint this season.
- + Six of his 10 starts have come against opposing left-handed starters, but all 4 RBI have come off right-handed pitching...has reached in 16 of his 38 PA this season for a .421 OBP...according to Stats LLC, his 10 hits include four to pull side, two up the middle and four to the opposite field.
- + Batting .238/.360/.333 (5-for-21) with the bases empty, compared to .455/.538/.636 (5-for-11) with runners on and .429/.500/.571 (3-for-7) with RISP.
- + Born in Tampa and went to Hernando HS, reaching the state semifinals in 2011...was acquired from the Giants in the Evan Longoria trade.

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| <b>#44 C.J. CRON • 1B</b> | <b>Pronunciation:</b> krohn     | <b>2018:</b> .264/.329/.467 • 12 HR • 32 RBI • 1 SB |                             |
| Sun at SEA: 0-2, HBP      | SEA Series: 2-12                | Trip: 7-28, 2B, HR, 2-RBI, 2-BB, 3-R                | vs. LH: .313 (21-67), 4-HR  |
| Last HR: 5/29/18 at OAK   | Current Hitting Streak: 0-for-7 | RISP: .185 (10-54)                                  | vs. RH: .244 (39-160), 8-HR |

- + Left Sunday's game with a right forearm contusion, sustained on a 5th-inning hit by pitch (against Félix Hernández)...X-rays were negative.
- + Batting .190/.301/.286 (12-for-63) with 3 2B, 1 HR and 5 RBI in his last 16 games (all starts) since May 18 to lower his season avg. from .293 to .264.
- + Has 17 multi-hit games, tied with Matt Duffy for the team lead...his 17 multi-hit games already match his total from last season in 100 games.
- + His 12 HR are five more than any other Ray (Gómez/Ramos) and only four shy of tying a career high...last season, he didn't reach 12 HR until Aug 29 vs. OAK in the Angels 133rd game...is on pace for 34 HR, which would shatter his previous career high (16 in 2015, 2016 and 2017).
- + Has appeared in 57 games and made 56 starts (32-DH, 24-1B)...his 32 starts at designated hitter are his most since 2015 with the Angels (46).

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| <b>#5 MATT DUFFY • INF</b>   | <b>Pronunciation:</b> duh-fee   | <b>2018:</b> .308/.351/.390 • 2 HR • 16 RBI • 2 SB |                             |
| Sun at SEA: 0-3, HBP         | SEA Series: 3-11, RBI, BB, R    | Trip: 7-25, RBI, BB, R                             | vs. LH: .173 (9-52)         |
| Last HR: 5/12/18 at BAL (G1) | Current Hitting Streak: 0-for-7 | RISP: .333 (13-39)                                 | vs. RH: .367 (44-120), 2-HR |

- + Ranks 12th in the AL with a .308 avg. ...his last 13 hits have been singles, as his last extra-base hit was May 20 at LAA (double, Shohei Ohtani).
- + Min. 100 AB, his .367 avg. (44-for-120) vs. RHP leads the majors, ahead of BOS Mookie Betts (.358), but is batting .173 (9-for-52) vs. LHP.
- + Since returning from the 10-day DL (right hamstring strain) on April 27, is batting .330/.377/.411 (37-for-112) with 6 2B, 1 HR and 9 RBI.
- + On Fri at SEA, delivered a game-tying hit in the 9th inning or later for the second time in his career (also April 16, 2015 vs. ARI, 10th inning).
- + Both of his homers and 12 of his 16 RBI have come on the road, but is hitting for a higher avg. at home (.328) than on the road (.296).
- + Has appeared in 43 games, all starts (42-3B, 1-DH)...has made 6 errors in 116 chances for a .948 fielding pct., 3rd-lowest in the AL at third base.

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| <b>#10 JOHNNY FIELD • OF</b> | <b>Pronunciation:</b> field            | <b>2018:</b> .255/.288/.472 • 6 HR • 11 RBI • 3 SB |                            |
| Sun at SEA: 1-4              | SEA Series: 3-11, HR, RBI, R           | Trip: 6-27, 2B, 2-HR, 3-RBI, 3-R                   | vs. LH: .326 (14-43), 3-HR |
| Last HR: 6/1/18 at SEA       | Current Hitting Streak: 1G (.250, 1-4) | RISP: .138 (4-29)                                  | vs. RH: .206 (13-63), 3-HR |

- + Batting .158/.179/.342 (6-for-38) with 1 2B, 2 HR and 3 RBI over his last 11 games (10 starts)...this stretch has lowered his season avg. from .309.
- + His 6 HR are tied for 4th on the team despite 106 AB, 11th on the club...his 6 HR are tied for 3rd among AL rookies behind NYY Gleyber Torres (10) and NYY Tyler Austin (8)...on Fri at SEA, had a homer and stolen base in the same game for the second time this road trip (also May 30 at OAK).
- + Batting .138 (4-for-29) with RISP, but is 2-for-his-last-22 after a 2-for-7 start...batting .326 (14-for-43) vs. LHP, compared to .206 (13-for-63) vs. RHP.
- + Has appeared in 34 games and made 28 starts (12-RF, 8-CF, 8-LF) since his selection from Triple-A Durham on April 13.

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| <b>#27 CARLOS GÓMEZ • OF</b> | <b>Pronunciation:</b> gomez     | <b>2018:</b> .187/.261/.357 • 7 HR • 13 RBI • 4 SB |                             |
| Sun at SEA: 0-4              | SEA Series: 1-11, HR, RBI, R    | Trip: 2-20, 3B, HR, RBI, 2-BB, 2-R                 | vs. LH: .182 (10-55), 2-HR  |
| Last HR: 6/1/18 at SEA       | Current Hitting Streak: 0-for-9 | RISP: .211 (8-38)                                  | vs. RH: .190 (22-116), 5-HR |

- + Batting .115/.303/.423 (3-for-26) with 1 3B, 2 HR, 2 RBI, 4 BB, 2 SO and 3 HBP in 8 games (all starts) since he was reinstated from the 10-day DL.
- + His 7 HR are tied with Wilson Ramos for 2nd on the team...on Fri at SEA, was the front end of back-to-back homers with Johnny Field in the 5th.
- + His .187 avg. is 2nd-lowest among AL qualifiers, but his 7 Defensive Runs Saved in right field are tied for most in the AL at his position.
- + Batting .313 (10-for-32) with 1 2B, 3 HR and 5 RBI when putting the first pitch in play...in all other counts, is batting .158 (22-for-139).
- + Has appeared in 45 games and made 44 starts (39-RF, 3-CF, 2-DH)...since the start of 2013, no other player in the majors can match his combination of 96 HR and 126 SB...is one of seven active players with at least 100 HR and 200 SB in his career, according to Baseball Reference.

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| <b>#13 BRAD MILLER • INF</b>     | <b>Pronunciation:</b> miller           | <b>2018:</b> .238/.308/.404 • 5 HR • 19 RBI • 0 SB |                             |
| Sun at SEA: 1-3, 2B, RBI, BB, E3 | SEA Series: 1-8, 2B, RBI, BB           | Trip: 3-17, 2B, RBI, 2-BB                          | vs. LH: .242 (8-33), 1-HR   |
| Last HR: 5/27/18 vs. BAL         | Current Hitting Streak: 1G (.333, 1-3) | RISP: .176 (6-34)                                  | vs. RH: .237 (28-118), 4-HR |

- + On Sun at SEA, hit an RBI double off Félix Hernández in the 4th inning accounted for the Rays only run...was his only hit of the series.
- + Batting .257 (19-for-74) with 5 2B, 2 HR and 7 RBI over his last 21 games (18 starts) dating back to May 13, compared to a .221 avg. before that.
- + Over the last two seasons, is batting .213 (104-for-489) with only 14 HR, compared to a .243 avg. (133-for-548) with 30 HR in the 2016 season.
- + On May 27 vs. BAL, his 3 RBI were his most since Sep 30, 2017 vs. BAL (3)...hit the second leadoff homer of his career (also Aug 13, 2013 at TB, with SEA, off Chris Archer)...it hit the D-ring catwalk, the fourth fair ball to hit any catwalk this season and the third homer, all of them off the D-ring.
- + Has appeared in 46 games with 37 starts (34-1B, 2-DH, 1-2B)...last season, made 87 starts at second base and 9 starts as the designated hitter.

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| <b>#40 WILSON RAMOS • C</b> | <b>Pronunciation:</b> RAH-mos          | <b>2018:</b> .301/.346/.466 • 7 HR • 29 RBI • 0 SB |                             |
| Sun at SEA: DNP             | SEA Series: 1-10, 2B, RBI              | Trip: 5-21, 2-2B, HR, 4-RBI, 2-BB, 3-R             | vs. LH: .309 (17-55), 2-HR  |
| Last HR: 5/29/18 at OAK     | Current Hitting Streak: 1G (.250, 1-4) | RISP: .367 (18-49)                                 | vs. RH: .298 (36-121), 5-HR |

- + Spent parts of seven seasons with the Nationals (2010-16)...was an NL All-Star and won the NL Silver Slugger Award for catchers in 2016.
- + Has hit safely in 12 of his last 13 games, batting .360/.407/.600 (18-for-50) with 3 HR and 11 RBI...on Fri at SEA, snapped an 11-game hitting streak.
- + Ranks 2nd among major league catchers with 53 hits to SF Buster Posey (55)...his 29 RBI rank 3rd among AL catchers and 7 HR are tied for 5th.
- + Was batting .115 (3-for-26) through his first 7 games this season...since then, has hit .333 (50-for-150) which ranks 5th in the AL since April 9.
- + His 11 GDP are tied for 2nd in the majors...since his Rays debut last June 24, his 22 GDP are tied for most in the majors with LAA Albert Pujols.
- + Has appeared in 46 games and made 45 starts (40-C, 5-DH)...is 0-for-18 throwing out base stealers, and is 0-for-his-last-22 since Sep 16, 2017.

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| <b>#8 ROB REFSNYDER • INF/OF</b> | <b>Pronunciation:</b> REHF-sny-der     | <b>2018:</b> .200/.358/.338 • 2 HR • 5 RBI • 0 SB |                           |
| Sun at SEA: DNP                  | SEA Series: 1-3                        | Trip: 2-12, HR, 3-RBI, R                          | vs. LH: .171 (7-41), 2-HR |
| Last HR: 5/30/18 at OAK          | Current Hitting Streak: 1G (.333, 1-3) | RISP: .150 (3-20)                                 | vs. RH: .250 (6-24)       |

- + Batting .292/.433/.500 (7-for-24) with 2 2B, 1 HR, 4 RBI and 6 BB over his last 8 games (all starts) on the heels of a 1-for-16 skid.
- + On Wed at OAK, hit the fourth homer of his career and second this season (April 27 at BOS)...it was his first with 2 runners (or more) on base.
- + Has walked in 19.5 pct. of his plate appearances this season, highest in the majors (min. 50 PA)...has 11 BB vs. LHP, tied for 4th in the AL.
- + Has appeared in 31 games and made 25 starts (15-LF, 7-DH, 3-RF), including 19 starts vs. LHP...only made 4 starts in the outfield last season.

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| <b>#28 DANIEL ROBERTSON • INF</b> | <b>Pronunciation:</b> robertson         | <b>2018:</b> .272/.405/.437 • 6 HR • 17 RBI • 1 SB |                             |
| Sun at SEA: 2-4, R                | SEA Series: 5-12, BB, R                 | Trip: 8-28, HR, RBI, 2-BB, 3-R                     | vs. LH: .260 (13-50), 3-HR  |
| Last HR: 5/29/18 at OAK           | Current Hitting Streak: 3G (.417, 5-12) | RISP: .216 (8-37)                                  | vs. RH: .278 (30-108), 3-HR |

- + Min. 150 PA, his .405 OBP ranks 3rd in the AL...his career-high 32 BB rank 7th in the AL and his 12 BB vs. LHP rank 3rd in the AL.
- + Batting .306/.375/.417 (11-for-36) with 1 2B, 1 HR, 1 RBI and 3 BB over his last 9 games (all starts) since May 26, including multiple hits in 4 games.
- + Hit .355/.500/.597 (22-for-62) in his first 21 games (20 starts) this season through April 29...since then, is batting .219/.339/.333 (21-for-96).
- + Has 13 multi-hit games, compared to 9 multi-hit games all of last season...his 6 HR pass last year's total (5), and his 17 RBI are two shy of 2017.
- + Has appeared in 50 games with 46 starts (19-SS, 17-2B, 8-3B, 2-DH)...in addition to these positions, played 2 innings at first base on April 8 at BOS.
- + In his career, has made 1 error in 196 chances at second base for a .995 fielding pct. ...has handled his last 120 chances there without an error.

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| <b>#0 MALLEX SMITH • OF</b> | <b>Pronunciation:</b> mallex    | <b>2018:</b> .269/.338/.354 • 0 HR • 12 RBI • 11 SB |                       |
| Sun at SEA: 0-3, SAC        | SEA Series: 1-10                | Trip: 3-26, 2B, RBI                                 | vs. LH: .270 (10-37)  |
| Last HR: 7/21/17 vs. TEX    | Current Hitting Streak: 0-for-9 | RISP: .282 (11-39)                                  | vs. RH: .268 (37-138) |

- + Batting .198/.263/.279 (17-for-86) with 5 2B, 1 3B and 7 RBI in 26 games (21 starts) since May 6 to lower his season avg. from .337 to .269.
- + Ranks among AL leaders in infield hits (14, 2nd), bunt hits (3, tied for 4th), triples (3, tied for 5th), stolen bases (11, 7th) and caught stealing (6, 1st).
- + Last homered on July 21, 2017 vs. TEX...has gone 287 AB since then, the longest active drought in the majors excluding pitchers.
- + On May 28 at OAK, his 13th-inning single drove in the only run and was his second career go-ahead hit in extras (also April 17, 2016 at MIA).
- + Against LHP, is 1-for-his-last-16 and 4-for-his-last-31 since a 6-for-6 start to the season...entered this season batting .165 (15-for-91) vs. LHP.
- + Has appeared in 53 games and made 45 starts (35-CF, 6-LF, 4-RF)...his 5 errors are tied for the most among major league outfielders.

## RAYS HITTER NOTES (cont'd).

| #45 JESÚS SUCRE • C  | Pronunciation: heh-SOOS SUE-cray                          | 2018: .215/.246/.231 • 0 HR • 4 RBI • 1 SB |   |
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| Sun at SEA: 1-3<br>Last HR: 9/24/17 at BAL   | SEA Series: 1-6<br>Current Hitting Streak: 1G (.333, 1-3) | Trip: 3-15<br>RISP: .211 (4-19)            | vs. LH: .125 (3-24)<br>vs. RH: .268 (11-41) |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>+ Batting .125/.167/.125 (5-for-40) with 1 RBI over his last 13 games (11 starts) since April 29...for the season, 13 of his 14 hits have been singles.</li> <li>+ Has appeared in 21 games and made 18 starts at catcher...has thrown out 25.0 pct. of base stealers this season and 27.9 pct. in his career.</li> <li>+ Batting .304/.360/.304 (7-for-23) in 7 games (6 starts) at Tropicana Field, compared to .167/.182/.190 (7-for-42) in 14 games (12 starts) on the road.</li> <li>+ On May 28 at OAK, went 2-for-5, threw out a potential base stealer in the 4th and threw out the lead runner at third on a bunt attempt in the 9th.</li> </ul> |   |  |   |

| #18 JOEY WENDLE • INF   |  |   | 2018: .283/.333/.396 • 2 HR • 14 RBI • 5 SB        |
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| Sun at SEA: 0-4<br>Last HR: 5/29/18 at OAK  | SEA Series: 1-10, BB, R<br>Current Hitting Streak: 0-for-5 | Trip: 6-23, 2B, HR, RBI, BB, 3-R<br>RISP: .163 (7-43) | vs. LH: .318 (7-22)<br>vs. RH: .277 (38-137), 2-HR |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>+ Batting .296/.338/.380 (21-for-71) over his last 19 games (16 starts)...on Sun at SEA, snapped a streak of hitting safely in eight straight starts.</li> <li>+ According to FanGraphs, has 5 Defensive Runs Saved in 346.1 innings at second base, tied with LAA Ian Kinsler for 1st in the AL at his position.</li> <li>+ Ranks among AL rookie leaders in hits (45, 2nd), multi-hit games (12, 2nd), triples (3, tied for 1st) walks (12, 4th) and stolen bases (5, tied for 1st).</li> <li>+ Has appeared in 47 games and made 37 starts (36-2B, 1-3B), all against right-handed starters...has played 2 innings at shortstop off the bench.</li> </ul> |  |   |  |

## RAYS BULLPEN NOTES

| #46 JOSÉ ALVARADO • LH  | Pronunciation: al-vuh-RAH-doh  | 2018: 0-2-1 • 2.84 ERA • 25 G  |   |
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| Last App: 6/3 at SEA (BS/L, 1.0-IP, 2-H, 2-R, 1-ER, 1-BB, 3-SO, 21-pit)   | Long Relief App: 1.2, 3x-last 6/1 at SEA<br>Last Win, Loss & Save: Win-none, Loss-6/3/18 at SEA, Save-4/30/18 at DET | Saves-Opps: 1-3<br>IR-RS: 19-5 | vs. LH: .189 (7-37)<br>vs. RH: .196 (10-51) |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>+ On Sun at SEA, took his second loss of the season...allowed a game-tying single to Denard Span (unearned) and go-ahead single to Dee Gordon.</li> <li>+ Has allowed run(s) in three of his last 6 apps, pitching to a 4.15 ERA (8.2-IP, 4-ER) over this stretch, after a run of eight consecutive scoreless apps.</li> <li>+ Is 0-1 with a 2.04 ERA (17.2-IP, 4-ER) in 17 apps on the road...in comparison, is 0-1 with a 4.70 ERA (7.2-IP, 4-ER) in 8 apps at Tropicana Field.</li> <li>+ His avg. fastball velocity this season is 97.9 mph, according to StatCast, and his max velocity is 100.3 mph in his outing on April 28 at BOS.</li> </ul> |  |                                |   |

| #35 MATT ANDRIESE • RH  | Pronunciation: ann-DREESE   | 2018: 1-3-0 • 3.31 ERA • 17 G • 2 GS |  |
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| Last App: 6/1 at SEA (L, 1.0-IP, 2-H, 1-R, 0-BB, 1-SO, 1-HR, 20-pit)  | Long Relief App: 3.0, 2x-last 5/28 at OAK<br>Last Win, Loss & Save: Win-5/17/18 at KC, Loss-6/1/18 at SEA, Save-8/28/17 at KC | Saves-Opps: 0-0<br>IR-RS: 5-2        | vs. LH: .200 (11-55), 2-HR<br>vs. RH: .241 (19-79), 2-HR |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>+ On Fri at SEA, yielded a walk-off homer to Mitch Haniger in the 13th, the fourth time in his career he was on the mound for a walk-off loss.</li> <li>+ Over his last 12 apps (2 starts) since April 21, is 1-3 with a 1.69 ERA (26.2-IP, 5-ER) and 26 SO...this stretch has lowered his ERA from 8.31 to 3.31.</li> <li>+ In addition to starts of 3.1 IP and 3 IP, has gone at least 2 IP in 10 of 15 relief apps...six of his 10 relief apps of 2 IP or more have been scoreless.</li> <li>+ In his career, has gone 3-7 with a 3.60 ERA (85-IP, 34-ER) in his 43 relief apps and 14-14 with a 4.47 ERA (229.2-IP, 114-ER) in his 46 starts.</li> </ul> |   |                                      |  |

| #63 DIEGO CASTILLO • RH  |  |                               | Triple-A: 0-1-4 • 1.03 ERA • 19 G |
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| Last App: --   | Long Relief App: --<br>Last Win, Loss & Save: Win-none, Loss-none, Save-none | Saves-Opps: 0-0<br>IR-RS: 0-0 | vs. LH: --<br>vs. RH: --          |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>+ Recalled from Triple-A Durham today and will be making his major league debut...had a 1.03 ERA (26.1-IP, 3-ER) and 32 SO in 19 apps for Durham.</li> <li>+ Split last season between Double-A Montgomery and Durham, earning a June 3 promotion...combined to go 4-5 with a 2.76 ERA (71.2-IP, 22-ER) and 15 saves in 51 apps (1 start) between the two levels...named Minor League Reliever of the Year by the Rays Baseball Operations department.</li> <li>+ Ranked by <i>Baseball America</i> as the No. 29 prospect in the Rays system entering the season...BA noted he has touched 101 mph with his fastball.</li> <li>+ Diego is known to cook for his teammates...he learned to cook as a 10-year-old by watching his mother in the kitchen...he once shared his special family recipe of chicken, rice and plantains in a November 2016 cooking video on the Rays Twitter account.</li> </ul> |  |                               |                                   |

| #62 WILMER FONT • RH  |   |                               | 2018: 0-2-0 • 10.71 ERA • 13 G                           |
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| Last App: 6/2 at SEA (1.1-IP, 2-H, 1-R, 2-BB, 0-SO, 1-HR, 40-pit)   | Long Relief App: 4.1, 4/2 at ARI<br>Last Win, Loss & Save: Win-none, Loss-4/7/18 at SF, Save-none | Saves-Opps: 0-1<br>IR-RS: 0-0 | vs. LH: .400 (14-35), 5-HR<br>vs. RH: .333 (20-60), 6-HR |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>+ On Sat at SEA, yielded a solo homer to Ryon Healy leading off the 6th inning, his first batter faced...needed 40 pitches to record four outs.</li> <li>+ Has made 13 apps this season between the Dodgers (6), Athletics (4) and Rays (3)...has yielded at least 1 run in nine of his 13 apps this season.</li> <li>+ Is 0-0 with a 2.25 ERA (4-IP, 1-ER, 1-HR) in 3 apps since joining the Rays...was 0-2 with a 12.71 ERA (17-IP, 24-ER, 10-HR) in 10 apps before it.</li> <li>+ Has allowed 11 HR, most among major league relievers...22 of his 25 runs allowed have scored via the home run (7 solo, one 2-run, two 3-run).</li> <li>+ Was the Pacific Coast League Pitcher of the Year last season, going 10-8 with a 3.48 ERA (134.1-IP, 51-ER) and a league-leading 178 SO.</li> </ul> |   |                               |  |

| #38 VIDAL NUÑO • LH  | Pronunciation: vee-DAHL NOON-yoh  | 2018: 1-0-0 • 3.00 ERA • 4 G  |   |
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| Last App: 5/31 at OAK (1.0-IP, 1-H, 2-R, 1-BB, 0-SO, 1-HR, 17-pit)   | Long Relief App: 3.0, 5/27 vs. BAL<br>Last Win, Loss & Save: Win-5/27/18 vs. BAL, Loss-5/12/17 at KC, Save-none | Saves-Opps: 0-0<br>IR-RS: 3-3 | vs. LH: .143 (1-7), 1-HR<br>vs. RH: .214 (3-14) |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>+ On Thurs at OAK, yielded a 2-run homer to Matt Joyce in the 8th inning, his first allowed to a lefty since April 28, 2017 at NYY (Ellsbury).</li> <li>+ Has yielded 6 BB in his 4 apps spanning 6 IP...in comparison, yielded only 3 BB in 40.1 IP with Triple-A Durham prior to his selection.</li> <li>+ On May 27 vs. BAL, recorded his first win since June 20, 2016 vs. CWS...allowed 3 inherited runners to score but did not allow a run of his own.</li> <li>+ Selected from Triple-A Durham on May 23, replacing Jake Faria...went 3-1 with a 3.57 ERA (40.1-IP, 16-ER) in 8 apps (7 starts) for the Bulls.</li> <li>+ Has gone 6-21 (.222) with a 4.24 ERA in 140 apps (42 starts) in the majors...his winning pct. is the lowest among active pitchers (min. 20 decisions).</li> </ul> |   |                               |   |

| #52 CHAZ ROE • RH   |   |                                | 2018: 0-1-0 • 3.80 ERA • 28 G                           |
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| Last App: 6/3 at SEA (0.2-IP, 0-H, 0-R, 0-BB, 1-SO, 7-pit)  | Long Relief App: 1.1, 2x-last 6/1 at SEA<br>Last Win, Loss & Save: Win-9/12/16 vs. MIA, Loss-3/30/18 vs. BOS, Save-none | Saves-Opps: 0-0<br>IR-RS: 16-4 | vs. LH: .154 (2-13), 1-HR<br>vs. RH: .234 (15-64), 2-HR |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>+ On Sun at SEA, retired both batters faced (both righties) to start the 7th inn. and was replaced...on Fri at SEA, went 1.1 IP to match a season high.</li> <li>+ Has made a team-leading 28 apps, ahead of Alvarado/Romo (25)...his last 6 apps spanning 5 IP have been scoreless, as have eight of his last 9 apps.</li> <li>+ Has entered with the Rays tied or ahead in 23 of his 28 apps this season...has entered in the 7th inning or later in 20 of his 28 apps.</li> <li>+ According to FanGraphs, has thrown his slider for 53.9 pct. of total pitches this season...has thrown it 44.6 pct. of the time in his career.</li> <li>+ The Rays are his 10th major league organization since being selected in the 2005 June Draft...also played independent ball in 2012.</li> </ul> |   |                                |   |

| #54 SERGIO ROMO • RH  |  |                                | 2018: 1-1-1 • 5.96 ERA • 25 G • 5 GS                     |
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| Last App: 6/1 at SEA (GS, 1.1-IP, 0-H, 0-R, 1-BB, 0-SO, 25-pit)   | Long Relief App: 2.0, 4/29 at BOS<br>Last Win, Loss & Save: Win-5/12/18 at BAL (G2), Loss-5/25/18 vs. BAL, Save-5/29/18 at OAK | Saves-Opps: 1-4<br>IR-RS: 14-8 | vs. LH: .333 (10-30), 1-HR<br>vs. RH: .246 (15-61), 3-HR |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>+ On Fri at SEA, made the fifth start of his career, all coming since May 19...retired his first 4 BF on groundouts, then walked his final batter faced.</li> <li>+ Is 0-1-1 with a 13.50 ERA (4-IP, 6-ER) over his last 5 apps (3 starts) since May 25...this comes on the heels of six consecutive scoreless apps.</li> <li>+ On Tues at OAK, yielded 2 runs in the 9th inning but recorded his first save since Oct 1, 2016 vs. LAD (with SF), going 604 days in between.</li> <li>+ Has pitched to a 2.65 ERA (17-IP, 5-ER) in 16 apps (3 starts) on the road, compared to a 15.88 ERA (5.2-IP, 10-ER, 3-HR) in 9 apps (2 starts) at home.</li> <li>+ Has gone 1.0, 1.1, 0.2, 0.1 and 1.1 IP in his 5 starts, with 3, 6, 5, 4 and 5 BF in those starts, respectively...has allowed 4 ER in 4.2 IP as a starter.</li> </ul> |  |                                |  |

| #55 RYNE STANEK • RH   | Pronunciation: STAN-ik   | 2018: 1-1-0 • 3.97 ERA • 10 G • 2 GS |  |
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| Last App: 6/2 at SEA (1.2-IP, 0-H, 0-R, 0-BB, 1-SO, 15-pit)  | Long Relief App: 1.2, 2x-last 5/28 at OAK<br>Last Win, Loss & Save: Win-5/28/18 at OAK, Loss-5/31/18 at OAK, Save-none | Saves-Opps: 0-0<br>IR-RS: 4-3        | vs. LH: .071 (1-14)<br>vs. RH: .192 (5-26), 2-HR |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>+ On Sat at SEA, retired all 5 BF...stranded an inherited runner with two flyouts in the 7th inning, and threw only 10 pitches for a perfect 8th.</li> <li>+ Five of his last 6 apps (2 starts) have been scoreless...has yielded 2 runs in 7.2 IP over this span, bringing his season ERA from 7.36 to 3.97.</li> <li>+ His avg. fastball velocity this season is 98.4 mph, according to StatCast, and his max velocity is 100.5 mph in his start on May 26 vs. BAL.</li> <li>+ Had a 1.86 ERA (9.2-IP, 2-ER) and 17 SO in 10 apps for Triple-A Durham...recalled on May 19 for his second stint this season (also May 5-12).</li> </ul> |  |                                      |  |

| #49 JONNY VENTERS • LH   |   |                               | 2018: 1-0-1 • 0.87 ERA • 14 G                    |
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| Last App: 6/3 at SEA (0.1-IP, 0-H, 0-R, 0-BB, 0-SO, 3-pit)   | Long Relief App: 1.2, 5/18 at LAA<br>Last Win, Loss & Save: Win-5/15/18 at KC, Loss-9/10/12 at MIL, Save-5/28/18 at OAK | Saves-Opps: 1-1<br>IR-RS: 5-0 | vs. LH: .059 (1-17), 1-HR<br>vs. RH: .167 (3-18) |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>+ On Sun at SEA, got a Kyle Seager groundout for the final out of the 7th, his ninth straight scoreless app...hasn't allowed a hit in his last 5 apps.</li> <li>+ Min. 10 apps, his 0.87 ERA ranks 3rd in the AL behind KC Kelvin Herrera (0.79) and OAK Lou Trivino (0.82)...has allowed 1 run in his 10.1 IP.</li> <li>+ His avg. fastball velocity is 92.5 mph, according to FanGraphs, compared to 94.5 mph in his three previous seasons in the majors (2010-12).</li> <li>+ Underwent Tommy John surgery in 2005, 2013 and 2014--and in 2016, he underwent an additional "half-Tommy John"...upon further review, FanGraphs notes he is the second pitcher to ever return to the majors after three Tommy John surgeries, following Jason Istringhausen.</li> </ul> |   |                               |  |

**RAYS PITCHING BY THE NUMBERS**

|                  | W-L-S    | G  | ERA  | IP    | H   | ER  | BB  | SO  | HR |
|------------------|----------|----|------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|
| <b>Totals</b>    | 28-30-15 | 58 | 3.89 | 520.1 | 442 | 225 | 182 | 492 | 59 |
| <b>Starters</b>  | 15-16-0  | 58 | 3.90 | 270.0 | 225 | 117 | 93  | 258 | 30 |
| <b>Relievers</b> | 13-14-15 | 58 | 3.88 | 250.1 | 217 | 108 | 89  | 234 | 29 |
| <b>Home</b>      | 11-13-5  | 24 | 3.32 | 217.0 | 174 | 80  | 67  | 199 | 21 |
| <b>Road</b>      | 17-17-10 | 34 | 4.30 | 303.1 | 268 | 145 | 115 | 293 | 38 |
| <b>March</b>     | 1-2-1    | 3  | 2.33 | 27.0  | 22  | 7   | 10  | 17  | 2  |
| <b>April</b>     | 12-12-5  | 24 | 4.85 | 213.1 | 209 | 115 | 84  | 217 | 25 |
| <b>May</b>       | 15-13-9  | 28 | 3.39 | 252.0 | 187 | 95  | 80  | 227 | 30 |
| <b>June</b>      | 0-3-0    | 3  | 2.57 | 28.0  | 24  | 8   | 8   | 31  | 2  |
| <b>July</b>      | --       | -- | --   | --    | --  | --  | --  | --  | -- |
| <b>August</b>    | --       | -- | --   | --    | --  | --  | --  | --  | -- |
| <b>September</b> | --       | -- | --   | --    | --  | --  | --  | --  | -- |

**LAST HOME RUN & PLAYER SEASON HIGHS**

|                  | LAST HR         | OFF     | '18 MOST HITS GAME      | '18 MOST RBI GAME      |
|------------------|-----------------|---------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| <b>Arroyo</b>    | 5/5/17 at CIN   | Arroyo  | 2, 3x-last 5/27 vs. BAL | 2, 5/27 vs. BAL        |
| <b>Cron</b>      | 5/29/18 at OAK  | Gossett | 2, 16x-last 6/1 at SEA  | 4, 4/21 vs. MIN        |
| <b>Duffy</b>     | 5/12/18 at BAL  | Hess    | 4, 4/28 at BOS          | 3, 5/12 at BAL         |
| <b>Field</b>     | 6/1/18 at SEA   | Leake   | 3, 2x-last 5/17 at LAA  | 3, 4/28 at BOS         |
| <b>Gómez</b>     | 6/1/18 at SEA   | Leake   | 3, 5/6 vs. TOR          | 2, 2x-last 5/11 at BAL |
| <b>Miller</b>    | 5/27/18 vs. BAL | Gausman | 3, 5/18 at LAA          | 3, 5/27 vs. BAL        |
| <b>Ramos</b>     | 5/29/18 at OAK  | Gossett | 3, 4x-last 5/24 vs. BOS | 3, 2x-last 5/18 at LAA |
| <b>Refsnyder</b> | 5/30/18 at OAK  | Manaea  | 2, 2x-last 5/26 vs. BAL | 3, 5/30 at OAK         |
| <b>Robertson</b> | 5/29/18 at OAK  | Dull    | 4, 4/22 vs. MIN         | 4, 5/19/18 at LAA      |
| <b>Smith</b>     | 7/21/17 vs. TEX | Darvish | 4, 2x-last 4/16 vs. TEX | 3, 5/12 at BAL         |
| <b>Sucre</b>     | 9/24/17 at BAL  | Tillman | 3, 4/22 vs. MIN         | 1, 4x-last 5/15 at KC  |
| <b>Wendle</b>    | 5/29/18 at OAK  | Gossett | 3, 4x-last 5/31 at OAK  | 2, 4/25 at BAL         |

**RAYS BY THE NUMBERS**

|  |   |   |
|--|---|---|
| <b>Current Streak:</b> L4              | <b>When commit error:</b> 11-12           | <b>Hit homer:</b> 20-12                       |
| <b>Current Record:</b> 28-30           | <b>Ahead after 6-7-8:</b> 25-4/25-3/23-1  | <b>Hit multiple homers:</b> 14-1              |
| <b>Home/Road:</b> 11-13/17-17          | <b>Behind after 6-7-8:</b> 1-21/0-22/0-24 | <b>Score first:</b> 21-12                     |
| <b>Day/Night:</b> 9-15/19-15           | <b>Tied after 6-7-8:</b> 2-6/3-5/4        | <b>Score 5 or more:</b> 22-1                  |
| <b>Grass/Turf:</b> 17-17/11-13         | <b>1-run games:</b> 9-14                  | <b>Score less than 5:</b> 6-29                |
| <b>vs. East:</b> 11-16                 | <b>2-run games:</b> 6-3                   | <b>Outhit opponents:</b> 21-12                |
| <b>vs. Central:</b> 9-3                | <b>Extra innings:</b> 2-3                 | <b>Outhit by opponents:</b> 6-15              |
| <b>vs. West:</b> 8-6                   | <b>Win in last at-bat:</b> 5              | <b>Collect 10 or more hits:</b> 21-5          |
| <b>vs. National League:</b> 0-5        | <b>Come-from-behind wins:</b> 7           | <b>Opp. 10 or more hits:</b> 3-8              |
| <b>vs. RH/LH starters:</b> 18-20/10-10 | <b>Opp. come-from-behind wins:</b> 12     | <b>Wearing white/gray/navy:</b> 8-9/11-14/6-4 |
| <b>Series W-L-T (home):</b> 4-4-0      | <b>Series W-L-T (road):</b> 6-5-0         | <b>Wearing light blue/other:</b> 0-2/3-1      |

**RUN SUPPORT FOR STARTING PITCHERS**

| PITCHER          | STARTS | RUNS | RUNS/START | RUNS/9-IP | CLUB RECORD | QUALITY |
|------------------|--------|------|------------|-----------|-------------|---------|
| <b>Andriese</b>  | 2      | 6    | 3.00       | 9.95      | 1-1         | 0       |
| <b>Archer</b>    | 13     | 32   | 2.46       | 3.89      | 6-7         | 6       |
| <b>Banda</b>     | 1      | 5    | 5.00       | 9.00      | 1-0         | 0       |
| <b>Chirinos</b>  | 5      | 6    | 1.20       | 3.18      | 2-3         | 0       |
| <b>Eovaldi</b>   | 1      | 4    | 4.00       | 6.00      | 1-0         | 1       |
| <b>Faria</b>     | 10     | 25   | 2.50       | 4.72      | 5-5         | 2       |
| <b>Kittredge</b> | 3      | 1    | 0.33       | 2.45      | 1-2         | 0       |
| <b>Romo</b>      | 5      | 4    | 0.80       | 7.71      | 2-3         | 0       |
| <b>Snell</b>     | 13     | 44   | 3.38       | 5.19      | 7-6         | 9       |
| <b>Staneck</b>   | 2      | 2    | 1.00       | 6.00      | 1-1         | 0       |
| <b>Yarbrough</b> | 3      | 5    | 1.67       | 3.07      | 1-2         | 0       |

**RAYS SEASON HIGHS**

| TEAM BATTING                    | INDIVIDUAL BATTING                |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Longest win streak              | 8, 4/18-4/28                      |
| Longest losing streak           | 8, 3/30-4/8                       |
| Most runs game, TB              | 12, 4/28 at BOS                   |
| Most runs game, Opp             | 17, 5/13 at BAL                   |
| Most runs, inn, TB              | 6, 2x-last 5/27 vs. BAL (3rd)     |
| Most runs, inn, Opp             | 7, 5/13 at BAL (4th)              |
| Most hits, game, TB             | 18, 4/28 at BOS                   |
| Most hits, game, Opp            | 19, 5/13 at BAL                   |
| Most hits, inn, TB              | 5, 7x-last 5/27 vs. BAL (3rd)     |
| Most hits, inn, Opp             | 7, 4/8 at BOS (8th)               |
| Most doubles, game, TB          | 5, 4/25 at BAL                    |
| Most doubles, game, Opp         | 5, 4/27 at BOS                    |
| Most HR, game, TB               | 4, 2x-last 5/29 at OAK            |
| Most HR, game, Opp              | 4, 2x-last 5/13 at BAL            |
| Most x-base hits, game, TB      | 8, 4/28 at BOS                    |
| Most x-base hits, game, Opp     | 8, 5/13 at BAL                    |
| Most stolen bases, game, TB     | 3, 2x-last 5/5 vs. TOR            |
| Most stolen bases, game, Opp    | 3, 2x-last 5/20 at LAA            |
| Most walks, game, TB            | 10, 4/10 at CWS                   |
| Most walks, game, Opp           | 8, 5/20 at LAA                    |
| Most strikeouts, game, TB       | 16, 6/1 at SEA                    |
| Most strikeouts, game, Opp      | 16, 6/3 at SEA                    |
| Most LOB, game, TB              | 14, 4/10 at CWS                   |
| Most LOB, game, Opp             | 12, 4/9 at CWS                    |
| Most errors, game, TB           | 3, 5/29 at OAK                    |
| Most errors, game, Opp          | 4, 5/30 at OAK                    |
| Longest game, time              | 4:16, 6/1 at SEA                  |
| Longest game, time (9 inn.)     | 3:52, 4/28 at BOS                 |
| Most runs, game, TB             | 3, 3x-last Span, 5/24 vs. BOS     |
| Most runs, game, Opp            | 4, Choo, 4/17 vs. TEX             |
| Most hits, game, TB             | 4, 4x-last Duffy, 4/28 at BOS     |
| Most hits, game, Opp            | 4, 3x-last Valencia, 5/13 at BAL  |
| Most 2B, game, TB               | 2, 3x-last Smith, 5/12 at BAL     |
| Most 2B, game, Opp              | 2, 7x-last Machado, 5/13 at BAL   |
| Most HR, game, TB               | 2, 2x-last Ramos, 5/18 at LAA     |
| Most HR, game, Opp              | 2, 3x-last Rickard, 5/13 at BAL   |
| Most RBI, game, TB              | 4, 2x-last Robertson, 5/19 at LAA |
| Most RBI, game, Opp             | 8, Gregorius, 4/3 at NYY          |
| Most x-base hits, game, TB      | 3, 2x-last Smith 5/12 at BAL      |
| Most x-base hits, game, Opp     | 3, Gregorius, 4/3 at NYY          |
| Most steals, game, TB           | 2, 2x-last Span, 5/13 at BAL      |
| Most steals, game, Opp          | 2, 4x-last Gordon, 6/2 at SEA     |
| Hitting Streak                  | 18, Ramos, 4/14-5/13              |
| <b>TEAM/INDIVIDUAL PITCHING</b> |                                   |
| Most SO, TB Starter             | 12, Snell, 6/3 at SEA             |
| Most SO, Opp Starter            | 9, 4x-last Price, 5/23 vs. BOS    |
| Most SO, TB Reliever            | 9, Yarbrough, 5/31 at OAK         |
| Most IP, TB Reliever            | 7.0, Yarbrough, 5/25 vs. BAL      |
| Most walks, game, TB            | 5, 2x-last Snell, 4/10 at CWS     |
| Most walks, game, Opp           | 6, Fulmer, 4/10 at CWS            |
| Most SO, Team, TB               | 16, 6/3 at SEA                    |
| Most walks, Team, TB            | 8, 2x-last 5/20 at LAA            |
| Low-Hit Game                    | 1, 5/30 at OAK                    |
| Consecutive Scoreless IP        | 14.1, Chirinos, 4/1-4/16          |
| Shortest game, time             | 2:27, 5/12 at BAL                 |
| Shortest game, time (9 inn.)    | 2:27, 5/12 at BAL                 |

**HOME RUN HIGHLIGHTS**

|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>Grand Slams (1):</b> Robertson, 5/19 at LAA (Heaney)                   | <b>Pinch-hit (-):</b> --                              |
| <b>Back-to-Back (1):</b> Gómez/Field, 6/1 at SEA (Leake)                  | <b>Walk-off (1):</b> Gómez, 4/22 vs. MIN (Reed)       |
| <b>Back-to-Back-to-Back (1):</b> Cron/Wendle/Ramos, 5/29 at OAK (Gossett) | <b>Lead-off (2):</b> Span, 4/15 vs. PHI (Lively)      |
| <b>2-HR games (2):</b> Cron, 4/21 vs. MIN (Gibson/Moya)                   | Miller, 5/27 vs. BAL (Gausman)                        |
| <b>3-HR games (-):</b> Ramos, 5/18 at LAA (Tropeano/Bedrosian)            | <b>Inside-the-park (1):</b> Span, 4/28 at BOS (Price) |

**RUNS BY INNING**

|                  | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  | 9  | X | Total |
|------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|-------|
| <b>Opponent</b>  | 20 | 32 | 30 | 20 | 26 | 19 | 28 | 40 | 23 | 3 | 242   |
| <b>Tampa Bay</b> | 32 | 25 | 38 | 18 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 33 | 24 | 2 | 238   |

**MISC.**

**Game-Tying & Go-Ahead RBI:** Cron (16), Duffy (9), Miller (9), Span (8), Ramos (7), Robertson (5), Gómez (4), Wendle (4), Field (3), Smith (3)  
**2-Out RBI:** Ramos (14), Cron (11), Span (11), Hechavarria (7), Robertson (7), Smith (6), Miller (5), Arroyo (3), Duffy (3), Wendle (3), Field (2), Gómez (2), Sucre (2), Kiermaier (1)  
**Outfield Assists (8):** Field (2), Gómez (2), Span (2), Refsnyder (1), Smith (1)  
**Bunt Singles (8):** Smith (3), Gómez (2), Field (1), Miller (1), Span (1)  
**Ejections (0):** --  
**Batted Around (6):** 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)

**HOME RUNS**

|                    | 1R        | 2R        | 3R       | GS       | TOTAL     |
|--------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| <b>Cron</b>        | 6         | 6         |          |          | 12        |
| <b>Gómez</b>       | 6         | 1         |          |          | 7         |
| <b>Ramos</b>       | 3         | 4         |          |          | 7         |
| <b>Field</b>       | 4         | 1         | 1        |          | 6         |
| <b>Robertson</b>   | 5         |           |          | 1        | 6         |
| <b>Miller</b>      | 4         | 1         |          |          | 5         |
| <b>Span</b>        | 1         | 3         |          |          | 4         |
| <b>Duffy</b>       |           | 1         | 1        |          | 2         |
| <b>Hechavarria</b> | 1         |           | 1        |          | 2         |
| <b>Refsnyder</b>   | 1         |           | 1        |          | 2         |
| <b>Wendle</b>      | 2         |           |          |          | 2         |
| <b>Adames</b>      | 1         |           |          |          | 1         |
| <b>Kiermaier</b>   |           |           |          |          |           |
| <b>Smith</b>       |           |           |          |          |           |
| <b>Sucre</b>       |           |           |          |          |           |
| <b>TOTALS</b>      | <b>34</b> | <b>17</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>56</b> |

**CATWALKS**

- + Date:** April 16 vs. TEX **Batter:** Joey Gallo  
**Play Description:** Home run off D-ring catwalk in center field (430 feet)...off Blake Snell (4th inning).
- + Date:** April 17 vs. TEX **Batter:** Shin-Soo Choo  
**Play Description:** Home run off D-ring catwalk in right-center (446 feet)...off Yonny Chirinos (6th inning).
- + Date:** May 22 vs. BOS **Batter:** Sandy Leon  
**Play Description:** Single off B-ring catwalk in right field off Ryne Stanek (9th inning).
- + Date:** May 27 vs. BAL **Batter:** Brad Miller  
**Play Description:** Home run off D-ring catwalk in right (436 feet)...off Kevin Gausman (1st inning).

**WALK-OFF WINS**

- + Date:** April 20 vs. MIN **Batter:** Denard Span  
**Outcome:** W 8-7 (10) **Pitcher:** Zach Duke  
**Play Description:** Runner scored from second on E1
- + Date:** April 22 vs. MIN **Batter:** Carlos Gómez  
**Outcome:** W 8-6 **Pitcher:** Addison Reed  
**Play Description:** 2-run home run to left

**WALK-OFF LOSSES**

- + Date:** April 5 at BOS **Batter:** Hanley Ramírez  
**Outcome:** L 2-3 (12) **Pitcher:** Ryan Yarbrough  
**Play Description:** Bases-loaded single to right
- + Date:** May 2 at DET **Batter:** John Hicks  
**Outcome:** L 2-3 (12) **Pitcher:** Matt Andriese  
**Play Description:** Bunt single to first
- + Date:** June 1 at SEA **Batter:** Mitch Haniger  
**Outcome:** L 3-4 (13) **Pitcher:** Matt Andriese  
**Play Description:** Home run to right-center field

**CATCHERS**

|               | PCT         | CS       | ATT       |
|---------------|-------------|----------|-----------|
| <b>Ramos</b>  | .000        | 0        | 18        |
| <b>Sucre</b>  | .250        | 4        | 16        |
| <b>TOTALS</b> | <b>.118</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>34</b> |

**INSTANT REPLAY**

|                  | Runs      | Opp       | Umpires  |
|------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|
| <b>Overtuned</b> | 7         | 6         | 0        |
| <b>Stand</b>     | 5         | 6         | 1        |
| <b>Confirmed</b> | 3         | 3         | 1        |
| <b>TOTALS</b>    | <b>15</b> | <b>15</b> | <b>2</b> |





