



# SPRING TRAINING GAME NOTES

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## MIAMI MARLINS (7-4-2)

(RHP José Ureña; 2-0, 0.00)

at

## ST. LOUIS CARDINALS (5-6-2)

(RHP Carlos Martínez; 0-0, 6.75)

ROGER DEAN CHEVROLET STADIUM, JUPITER, FL

Thursday, March 8, 2018 – 1:05 p.m.

Broadcasts: MLB.com audio



**TODAY'S GAME:** The Marlins will be the visiting team for today's contest against the Cardinals, the third of seven meetings between the clubs this Spring. Miami is 1-0-1 against the Redbirds thus far.

**TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER:** Right-hander **José Ureña** gets his third start of the Spring today. He has posted identical lines of 2.0 scoreless innings, one hit, one walk, and two strikeouts in each of his starts thus far (Feb. 26 vs. Houston and March 3 vs. the Mets). He will be followed by southpaw **Caleb Smith**, who has allowed just one hit and struck out four over 4.0 scoreless innings in two appearances. Also, right-handers **Junichi Tazawa** and **Brad Ziegler** are scheduled to make their Grapefruit League debuts today.

**MINOR LEAGUE CALL-UP:** The Marlins added OF **John Silviano** (#94) from Minor League camp for today's game.

**BETTER LATE THAN NEVER:** The Marlins scored all of their runs over the final three innings of a 7-6 win over the Houston Astros yesterday in West Palm Beach. **Lewis Brinson** (2b, bb), **Starlin Castro**, **Isaac Galloway** (2b, 3b, 2 rbi), and **Peter Mooney** (r, rbi) all turned in two-hit games for Miami. Trailing 2-0, the Fish scored four times in the seventh, sparked by back-to-back doubles from **Scott Van Slyke** and **JB Shuck** to open the frame. Houston tied the game at 5-5 in the eighth, but Miami pushed two across in the ninth on Galloway's double. **Pablo López** celebrated his birthday with his third scoreless/multi-strikeout outing of the Spring (2.0 ip, 2 h, 3 so).

**CURRENT ROSTER:** Miami has 66 players currently in Major League camp, including the full 40-man roster and 26 non-roster invitees. There are 36 pitchers in camp: 24 from the 40-man roster, and 12 NRIs. There are 28 right-handed pitchers (16 40-man and 12 NRIs) and eight left-handed pitchers, all on the 40-man. The Club is also carrying seven catchers (three NRIs), 14 infielders (seven NRIs), and nine outfielders (four NRIs).

**STOCKING THE FISH FARM:** The Marlins entered Spring Training with 28 players in Major League camp who were not in the organization at the end of last season, including 10 players on the 40-man roster. Each day, a new face in the franchise will be spotlighted. Today's player is right-handed pitcher **Nick Neidert**, who was acquired from Seattle in December. Neidert was selected in the second round of the 2015 First-Year Player Draft out of Peachtree Ridge HS (GA) by the Mariners. He went 0-2 with a 1.53 ERA in 11 starts with the AZL Mariners in 2015, and followed that up with 7-3, 2.57 marks in 19 starts with Single-A Clinton in 2016, earning Class A All-Star honors from *Baseball America*. Neidert opened 2017 with Single-A Modesto, going 10-3 with 2.76 ERA in 19 starts and was named a *MiLB.com* Organization All-Star, *Baseball America* High Class A All-Star, California League Pitcher of the Year, and a league mid-season and post-season All-Star.

**ROSTER ODDS AND ENDS:** The oldest player in Major League camp for Miami is reliever **Brad Ziegler** (38, born 10/10/1979)... the youngest is right-handed starter **Nick Neidert** (21, born 11/20/1996)...there are six players in camp listed at or over 6-feet, 5-inches in height last season, led by **Tayron Guerrero** at 6-foot-7 and followed by **James Needy** (6-6), **Garrett Cooper** (6-6), **Jacob Turner** (6-6), **Lewis Brinson** (6-5), and **Ben Meyer** (6-5)... the shortest player in camp is **Peter Mooney** (5-6)... there are four Florida natives in camp (Brinson, **Brian Ellington**, **Justin Nicolino**, and Mooney)... there are 24 players who hail from outside the United States, the most coming from the Dominican Republic (9)... Twelve players currently in camp were drafted by the Marlins, 27 were free agent signings, 22 were acquired via trade, two via waivers, and three in the Rule 5 Draft.

**CELEBRATING 25 YEARS:** The Marlins are celebrating their 25th Anniversary throughout the 2018 Championship Season. The main feature of the slate of events will be the 25th Anniversary Weekend Celebration from June 8-10, when Miami plays San Diego at Marlins Park. The team will wear commemorative throwback teal pinstripe uniforms for all three games. Marlins Park will also turn back the clock on pricing that weekend, with \$4 Vista Level tickets for all three games – the same price as an adult general admission ticket for Opening Day in 1993. The weekend will also feature an exclusive 25th Anniversary bobblehead gift for Season Ticket Members. Additional details, including alumni appearances and a fan generated art project to be commissioned at Marlins Park, will be announced at a later date. The team will also recognize moments from the inaugural 1993 season during each 2018 home game.

**A NEW DAY:** The Miami Marlins organization enters 2018 under new ownership, led by Chairman & Principal Owner **Bruce Sherman** and Chief Executive Officer & Owner **Derek Jeter**. The ownership group, the fourth in Club history, took control of the organization on October 2 after receiving unanimous approval from Major League Owners to acquire the team. The group's first major Baseball Operations hire was **Gary Denbo**, who was named Vice President of Scouting & Player Development. Denbo has worked to greatly expand the Marlins' scouting and analytics departments, making several new hires. On the business side, **Chip Bowers** was named President of Business Operations on February 12. Bowers comes to Miami from the defending NBA champion Golden State Warriors, where in his five years as Chief Marketing Officer the organization was named Sports Team of the Year by *SportsBusiness Journal* twice (2014 and 2016).

**EXPANDING PIPELINE:** Miami's *MLB.com* top 30 prospect list has been drastically reshaped in the last seven months, as the list now includes 13 players acquired in that time. Twelve of the 30 are in camp with the Marlins this spring, led by the top three: **Lewis Brinson\*** (acquired in Christian Yelich trade with Milwaukee), **Monte Harrison\*** (Milwaukee), and **Sandy Alcántara\*** (acquired in Marcell Ozuna trade with St. Louis). Other offseason acquisitions to make it into the top 30 are **Jorge Guzman** (acquired in Giancarlo Stanton trade with Yankees), **Magneuris Sierra\*** (#7; from St. Louis), **Isan Diaz\*** (#9; from Milwaukee), **Nick Neidert\*** (#10; from Seattle), **Merandy Gonzalez\*** (#13; from Mets), **Brayan Hernández** (#15; from Seattle), **Christopher Torres** (#17; from Seattle), **Zac Gallen\*** (#18; from St. Louis), **Brandon Miller** (#28; from Seattle), and **Pablo López\*** (#30; from Seattle). (\*MLB camp)

**YOUR RADIO HOME FOR MARLINS' BASEBALL:** Once again in 2018 the Marlins home on the radio dial will be WINZ 940 AM, which will broadcast all 162 games in the regular season and 15 Spring Training contests. In addition, all 162 regular season and 15 Spring Training games can be heard on 940's partner station, 94.9 HD2 in 2018. Hall of Fame broadcaster Dave Van Horn and Glenn Geffner will return to the broadcast booth for their 11th season together. For all Spanish listeners, Yiky Quintana will call all 162 regular season games on WAQI 710 AM with José Luis Nápoles joining him for home contests. In addition to select games on the Marlins Radio Network, fans will also have the opportunity to listen to 16 games exclusively on *MLB.com*.

**FOX SPORTS FLORIDA BROADCAST INFORMATION:** All 162 Marlins' games will be shown on TV in 2018, including 158 on FOX Sports Florida, all of which will be available in HD. The campaign kicks off at Marlins Park against the Cubs on March 29th at 12:40 p.m., when the Marlins will throw the very first pitch of Major League Baseball's 2018 Championship Season. It will mark the debut of new FOX Sports Florida play-by-play announcer Paul Severino, who moves into the Marlins' booth after seven seasons as a play-by-play announcer and studio host for MLB Network. He will call all the action alongside former Marlins' outfielder Todd Hollandsworth; they will be joined throughout the season by Craig Minervini and Jessica Blaylock. All home games produced on FOX Sports Florida will be broadcast with SAP.

### TODAY'S PITCHING LINEUP

RHP José Ureña  
LHP Caleb Smith  
RHP Junichi Tazawa  
RHP Brad Ziegler  
RHP Alex Wimmers  
LHP Miguel Del Pozo

### TOMORROW'S MEDIA SCHEDULE

CLUBHOUSE OPEN 7-7:45  
MANAGER AVAILABILITY 9:30  
RED SOX VS. MARLINS 1:05  
CLUBHOUSE REOPENS AS STARTERS EXIT GAME

### UPCOMING STARTERS

DATE	TIME (ET)	OPPONENT	MARLINS STARTER	OPPONENT STARTER	BROADCASTS
Friday, March 9	1:05 p.m.	vs. Boston	RHP Dan Straily (0-0, 0.00)	LHP Chris Sale (0-0, ---)	MLB.com audio
Saturday, March 10	1:05 p.m.	at St. Louis	RHP Elieser Hernandez (0-0, 3.86)	-	FSFL/WAQI/MLB.com

**TODAY'S AVAILABLE PITCHERS - 2017 STATISTICS/2018 SPRING DAY-BY-DAY**

RHP JOSÉ UREÑA (2017)														
CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	WP	BK
MIAMI	14-7	3.82	34	28	0	169.2	152	77	72	26	64	113	5	1
2018 SPRING DAY-BY-DAY														
DATE	OPP.	DEC.	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO						
2/26	HOU	W(1-0)	2.0	1	0	0	1	2						
3/3	NYM	W(2-0)	2.0	1	0	0	1	2						
RHP CALEB SMITH (2017)														
CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	WP	BK
Trenton	0-0	3.38	1	0	0	2.2	1	1	1	1	3	5	0	0
Scranton/WB	9-1	2.39	18	17	0	98.0	75	34	26	7	28	97	2	0
YANKEES	0-1	7.71	9	2	0	18.2	21	16	16	4	10	18	1	0
2018 SPRING DAY-BY-DAY														
DATE	OPP.	DEC.	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO						
2/26	HOU	-	2.0	1	0	0	2	2						
3/3	NYM	-	2.0	0	0	0	0	2						
RHP JUNICHI TAZAWA (2017)														
CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	WP	BK
Jupiter	0-0	0.00	1	1	0	2.0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Jacksonville	0-1	18.00	3	0	0	2.0	5	4	4	1	0	5	0	0
New Orleans	0-0	0.00	1	0	1	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
MIAMI	3-5	5.69	55	0	0	55.1	55	35	35	8	22	38	2	0
RHP BRAD ZIEGLER (2017)														
CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	WP	BK
GCL Marlins	0-0	0.00	1	1	0	1.0	2	1	0	0	1	2	0	0
Jupiter	0-0	0.00	1	1	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
MIAMI	1-4	4.79	53	0	10	47.0	57	29	25	1	16	26	1	0

RHP ALEX WIMMERS (2017)														
CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	WP	BK
MINNESOTA	0-0	4.91	6	0	0	7.1	8	4	4	2	8	7	0	0
Rochester	7-3	3.23	34	0	7	47.1	33	17	17	5	11	48	2	0
2018 SPRING DAY-BY-DAY														
DATE	OPP.	DEC.	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO						
2/23	STL	W(1-0)	1.0	0	1	0	1	1						
2/27	at WSH	-	1.0	1	0	0	0	0						
3/1	at NYM	-	0.1	0	0	0	0	0						
LHP MIGUEL DEL POZO (2017)														
CLUB	W-L	ERA	G	GS	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	WP	BK
GCL Marlins	0-0	0.00	2	2	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
Greensboro	0-0	0.00	3	0	1	3	3	0	0	0	0	4	0	0
Jupiter	2-0	0.54	12	0	0	16.2	12	3	1	0	5	17	1	0
Jacksonville	1-0	2.25	5	0	0	4	3	1	1	0	5	3	0	1
2018 SPRING DAY-BY-DAY														
DATE	OPP.	DEC.	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO						
2/25	at NYM	-	0.2	0	0	0	0	0						
2/28	WSH	S(1)	1.0	1	0	0	0	0						
3/3	NYM	-	1.0	1	0	0	0	0						

**2017 OFFSEASON/2018 SPRING TRANSACTIONS**

**MARCH**  
3 Reassigned RHP Jordan Yamamoto to Minor League camp

**FEBRUARY**  
23 Reassigned LHP Mike Kickham and C Sharif Othman to Minor League camp.  
21 Signed OF Cameron Maybin to one-year contract.  
17 Signed INF Eric Campbell to Minor League contract.  
15 Outrighted RHP Severino Gonzalez to Triple-A New Orleans.

**JANUARY**  
25 Acquired OF Lewis Brinson, OF Monte Harrison, INF Isan Diaz, and RHP Jordan Yamamoto from Milwaukee in exchange for OF Christian Yelich.  
17 Signed INF Jonathan Rodríguez to Minor League contract.  
12 Signed RHP Jumbo Díaz and OF Scott Van Slyke to Minor League contracts.  
9 Signed RHP Tyler Cloyd to Minor League contract.  
4 Signed LHP Mike Kickham to Minor League contract.

**DECEMBER**  
20 Outrighted LHP Hunter Cervenka to Triple-A New Orleans.  
15 Signed RHP Alex Wimmers, INF Crislian Adames, and OF Rafael Ortega to Minor League contracts.  
14 Designated LHP Hunter Cervenka for assignment; acquired RHP Sandy Alcantara,

OF Magneuris Sierra, RHP Zac Gallen, and LHP Daniel Castano from St. Louis in exchange for OF Marcell Ozuna; selected RHP Eliaser Hernandez from Houston in first round of MLB phase of Rule 5 Draft; selected RHP Brett Graves from Oakland in second round of MLB phase of Rule 5 Draft; acquired C B.J. Lopez from Arizona in first round of Triple-A phase of Rule 5 Draft; acquired C Sharif Othman from New York-AL in second round of Triple-A phase of Rule 5 Draft; acquired INF Will Allen III from Detroit in third round of Triple-A phase of Rule 5 Draft; acquired RHP Brandon Barker in fourth round of Triple-A phase of Rule 5 Draft.  
13 Released RHP Edinson Volquez.  
11 Acquired INF Starlin Castro, RHP Jorge Guzman, and INF José Devers from New York-AL in exchange for OF Giancarlo Stanton and cash considerations.  
7 Acquired RHP Nick Neidert, INF Christopher Torres, and RHP Robert Dugger from Seattle in exchange for OF Dee Gordon.

**NOVEMBER**  
20 Acquired LHP Caleb Smith and INF Garrett Cooper from New York-AL in exchange for RHP Michael King and international bonus pool money; selected the contracts of OF Braxton Lee and RHP James Needy from Double-A Jacksonville; selected the contracts of RHP Pablo López and Merandy Gonzalez from Single-A Jupiter.  
3 OF Ichiro Suzuki elected free agency; C Chad Wallach claimed off waivers from Cincinnati.

**2018 SPRING DAY-BY-DAY**

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT/TIME	RECORD	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	ATTND. (SPRING)	
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Feb. 23</b>	<b>ST. LOUIS</b>	<b>W,6-4</b>	<b>1-0</b>	<b>Wimmers (1-0)</b>	<b>Schafer</b>	<b>Guerra (1)</b>	<b>3,613</b>	
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Feb. 24</b>	<b>WASHINGTON</b>	<b>W,3-2</b>	<b>2-0</b>	<b>Guerrero (1-0)</b>	<b>Harper</b>	<b>M. Gonzalez (1)</b>	<b>2,559 (6,172)</b>	
Sunday	Feb. 25	at New York Mets	L,3-10	2-1	Gsellman	Cloyd (0-1)	-	4,151	
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Feb. 26</b>	<b>HOUSTON</b>	<b>W,11-0</b>	<b>3-1</b>	<b>Ureña (1-0)</b>	<b>Martens</b>	-	<b>2,183 (8,355)</b>	
Tuesday	Feb. 27	at Washington	T, 2-2	3-1-1	-	-	-	2,499	
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Feb. 28</b>	<b>WASHINGTON</b>	<b>W,3-1</b>	<b>4-1-1</b>	<b>Despaigne (1-0)</b>	<b>Roark</b>	<b>Del Pozo (1)</b>	<b>1,987 (10,342)</b>	
Thursday	March 1	at New York Mets	W,3-2	5-1-1	Graves (1-0)	Lugo	-	3,285	
Friday	March 2	at Detroit	L,3-8	5-2-1	Boyd	Gallen (0-1)	-	4,768	
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>March 3</b>	<b>NEW YORK METS</b>	<b>W,1-0</b>	<b>6-2-1</b>	<b>Ureña (2-0)</b>	<b>Syndergaard</b>	<b>Steckenrider (1)</b>	<b>4,371 (14,713)</b>	
Sunday	March 4	at Atlanta	L,2-5	6-3-1	Blair	Conley (0-1)	Jackson	5,414	
Monday	March 5	at Houston	L,3-5	6-4-1	Harris	Despaigne (1-1)	Valdez	2,807	
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>March 6</b>	<b>ST. LOUIS</b>	<b>T,4-4</b>	<b>6-4-2</b>	-	-	-	<b>3,206 (17,919)</b>	
Wednesday	March 7	at Houston	W,7-6	7-4-2	Mazza (1-0)	Ferrell	Guerra (2)	2,647	
Thursday	March 8	at St. Louis	1:05 p.m.	MLB.com audio					
<b>Friday</b>	<b>March 9</b>	<b>BOSTON RED SOX</b>	<b>1:05 p.m.</b>	MLB.com audio					
Saturday	March 10	at St. Louis	1:05 p.m.	MLB.com audio, WAQI 710 AM (Spanish), FOX Sports Florida					
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>March 11</b>	<b>NEW YORK YANKEES</b>	<b>1:05 p.m.</b>	MLB.com audio, WAQI 710 AM (Spanish)					
<b>Monday</b>	<b>March 12</b>	<b>OFF DAY</b>							
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>March 13</b>	<b>ST. LOUIS</b>	<b>1:05 p.m.</b>	<b>WINZ 940 AM (English)</b>					
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>March 14</b>	<b>NEW YORK METS</b>	<b>1:05 p.m.</b>	<b>WINZ 940 AM (English)</b>					
Thursday	March 15	at New York Mets	1:10 p.m.	MLB.com audio					
Friday	March 16	at St. Louis	1:05 p.m.	MLB.com audio, FOX Sports Florida					
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>March 17</b>	<b>HOUSTON</b>	<b>1:05 p.m.</b>	<b>MLB.com audio, WAQI 710 AM (Spanish)</b>					
Sunday	March 18	at New York Yankees	1:05 p.m.	MLB.com audio, WAQI 710 AM (Spanish), FOX Sports Florida					
<b>Monday</b>	<b>March 19</b>	<b>WASHINGTON</b>	<b>1:05 p.m.</b>	<b>WINZ 940 AM (English)</b>					
Tuesday	March 20	at Washington	1:05 p.m.	WINZ 940 AM (English)					
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>March 21</b>	<b>ST. LOUIS</b>	<b>1:05 p.m.</b>	<b>WINZ 940 AM (English)</b>					
Thursday	March 22	at Houston	1:05 p.m.	WINZ 940 AM (English)					
<b>Friday</b>	<b>March 23</b>	<b>WASHINGTON</b>	<b>7:05 p.m.</b>	<b>MLB.com audio, FOX Sports Florida</b>					
Saturday	March 24	at Washington	1:05 p.m.	WINZ 940 AM (English), WAQI 710 AM (Spanish)					
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>March 25</b>	<b>HOUSTON (ss)</b>	<b>1:05 p.m.</b>	<b>WINZ 940 AM (English), WAQI 710 AM (Spanish), FOX Sports Florida</b>					
		at New York Mets (ss)	12:10 p.m.	-					
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>March 27</b>	<b>University of Miami</b>	<b>3:10 p.m.</b>	MLB.com audio					

All times are ET and subject to change

HOME GAMES IN BOLD

(ss) - split squad

**PRONUNCIATION GUIDE**

#	Player/Coach	Pos.	#	Player/Coach	Pos.
26	Cristhian Adames (Ä-däh-mes)	INF	89	Chris Mazza (Mäh-zä)	RHP
22	Sandy Alcantara (äl-KÄHN-tä-rä)	RHP	4	Frank Menechino (MEN-eh-KÉ-no)	CCH
46	Kyle Barraclough (Bear-claw)	RHP	86	Ben Meyer (My-er)	RHP
41	Justin Bour (Boar)	INF	87	Nick Neidert (NI-dirt)	RHP
13	Starlin (STAR-lynn) Castro	INF	6	Mike Pagliarulo (Pag-lee-ah-rue-loh)	CCH
54	Wei-Yin (WAY-in) Chen	LHP	14	Martín (Mar-teen) Prado	INF
32	Derek Dietrich (DÉE-trick)	OF	60	J.T. Realmuto (Reel-mue-toe)	C
43	Odrisamer (Oh-drees-ah-mer) Despaigne (Des-pahn-yay)	RHP	2	Yadiel (YAH-dē-äl) Rivera	INF
91	Isan (Ë-sahn) Díaz	INF	55	Drew Rucinski (RöÖ-chin-skēë)	RHP
66	Jarlín (Har-lin) García	LHP	34	Magneuris (Mag-NEW-rees) Sierra	OF
12	Johnny Giavotella (Gēë-Ä-vö-TELL-ä)	INF	25	Junichi (Jue-Nee-chi) Tazawa	RHP
40	Javy (Hah-vee) Guerra (Gher-ra)	RHP	18	Tomás (Toe-mäs) Telis (tèll-èéz)	C
72	Tayron (TIE-rahn) Guerrero	RHP	62	José Ureña (öÖ-REH-nya)	RHP
93	Monte (Mön-TÄY) Harrison	OF	81	Rodrigo Vígil (Vih-HEEL)	C
57	Eliaser (Eh-lōe-eh-ser) Hernandez	RHP	29	Brad Ziegler (Zig-ler)	RHP