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- With 26 steals in 32 attempts, the Reds have the best stolen base percentage in the National League (.813) and second-best in the Major Leagues behind the Angels (.868, 33sb, 5cs) and Yankees (.824, 28sb, 6cs).

16 TUCKER BARNHART, c Road Trip: 6-27, 2rbi, 3r

- In his last 20 apps beginning 5/6 is hitting .296, raising his BA from .224 and including 7 multi-hit games (24-81, 5 2b, 1 3b, 1hr, 8rbi).
- Made each of his last 8 starts batting second, his first career starts at that position in the order (10-37, .270, 1 2b, 2rbi)...his 8 starts batting second are the most by a Reds catcher in that spot since Smokey Burgess made 8 starts in 1956...Burgess made 56 starts batting second in 1955.
- From 5/7-5/14 produced at least 1 extra-base hit in 6 consecutive apps (11-23, .478, 4 2b, 1 3b, 1hr, 6rbi, .870slg, .520obp)...was the longest active streak in the Major Leagues when snapped and the longest extra-base hit streak by a Reds batter since Jay Bruce's 7-game streak from 6/20-6/26, 2014.
- In 2017 became only the third catcher in Reds history to win a Rawlings Gold Glove Award for defensive excellence, joining Johnny Edwards (1963, 1964) and 10-time winner Johnny Bench (1968-1977).

2 ALEX BLANDINO, inf Road Trip: 6g, 1gs at SS, 1gs at 2B, 1-12, 1 2b, 1r

- Ranks among the National League rookie leaders in batting average, on-base percentage and slugging percentage.
- In his last 17 apps is hitting .300, raising BA from .230 (9-30, 3 2b, 3rbi).
- Since a 1-for-17 start is hitting .297 (22-74, .378obp), including a career-high 7-game hitting streak from 4/20-4/29.
- Has made 21 starts (10gs at 3B, 8gs at 2B, 3gs at SS)...started each of the Reds' last 2 games at Ari, at SS on Tue and at 2B on Wed.
- On 4/10 at Phi made his Major League debut with a start at 3B (0-3).
- Began the season at Class AAA Louisville, where he made 3 starts at 3B before he was promoted (0-8, 3r, 2bb, 2hbp, 1sb)...along with RHP Zack Weiss was recalled from Louisville on 4/9, when OF Scott Schebler and 3B Eugenio Suárez went on the 10-day disabled list.
- In March 2016 played for Team Nicaragua in the World Baseball Classic qualifier in Mexicali, Mexico...his father was born in Nicaragua.

38 CURT CASALI, c Road Trip: 1gs, 2-3, solo HR, 1bb

- His media guide bio is available on the home page at www.redspressbox.com.
- Sat at SD started in his first Major League appearance of the season...in the second inning homered off Eric Lauer to become the first player to homer in his first Reds plate appearance since Adam Duval did it on 8/31/15 at Cubs (off Justin Grimm).
- Thursday was acquired from the Rays for cash considerations...Friday was promoted to the 25-man roster, replacing C Tony Cruz (optioned to Louisville).
- Prior to this season had made 161 Major League apps, all for the Rays (30g in 2014, 38g in 2015, 84g in 2016, 9g in 2017)...including this season (1-2), in his career has thrown out 31% (27-88) of attempted base stealers.
- On 1/18 was signed by the Rangers to a minor league contract...on 3/21 was released...on 3/22 was signed by the Rays to a minor league contract...prior to his trade to the Reds spent the season at Class AAA Durham (28g, .274, 5 2b, 4hr, 20rbi).

4 BRANDON DIXON, inf/of Road Trip: 6g, 1gs in RF, 1-4, 1bb, 1r

- On 5/22 was promoted from Louisville to fill the roster spot vacated by IF/OF Rosell Herrera, who was optioned to Louisville...that night vs Pit pinch hit in his Major League debut (P9 off Jameson Taillon).
- Was the fifth Reds player to make his Major League debut this season (IF Alex Blandino, RHP Tanner Rainey, RHP Zack Weiss, IF/OF Rosell Herrera).
- In the 5-4 win on 5/24 vs Pit made his first start, played 1B and produced the first 3 hits of his Major League career (2 singles, 1 double)...made his only other start in the 6-5 win on 5/26 at Col (0-2, 1bb, 1r).
- Began the season at Louisville (37g, .326, 12 2b, 1 3b, 4hr, 14tbi, 8st)...played 1B (11g), 2B (6g), 3B (4g), LF (10g) and RF (2g).
- When promoted on 5/22, among the International League leaders ranked fifth in both hitting and slugging percentage (.527) and T5th in stolen bases.
- During spring training hit .326 in 27 apps and 7 starts (1 2b, 4hr, 10rbi, 4sb).

23 ADAM DUVAL, lf Road Trip: 8g, 5gs in LF, 4-24, 1 2b, 1hr, 8rbi

- Twice in his last 4 starts produced 4 RBI, including his second career grand slam (off Patrick Corbin) in Wed's 7-4 win at Col.
- Beginning with the 2016 season is 1 of only 3 Major League players to produce at least 77 doubles, 74 HR and 234 RBI (Nolan Arenado, Manny Machado).
- Has 19 extra-base hits...is trying to join Hall of Famer Frank Robinson as the only players in Reds history to produce at least 70 extra-base hits in 3 straight seasons.
- Has made 5 apps this season and 38 apps in his career at 1B...has made 24 career starts at that position, including 2 starts at 1B this season (4/12 vs StL, 5/15 at SF).
- In the ninth inning of the 10-inning, 2-1 win on 5/9 vs NYM entered the game as a defensive replacement in LF, then led off the bottom of the 10th with his first career walkoff HR (off AJ Ramos).
- In 2016 was a National League All-Star and in each of the 2016 and 2017 seasons was a finalist for the Rawlings Gold Glove Award.

4 SCOOTER GENNETT, 2b Road Trip: 14-31 (.452), 2 2b, 2hr, 5rbi

- In 198 career apps for the Reds is hitting .309 (36 2b, 3 3b, 38hr, 136rbi).
- Was the National League Player of the Month for May and twice that month's NL Player of the Week...in May produced 8 HR and 24 RBI...in June 2017 produced 9 HR and 24 RBI...since RBI became an official statistic in 1920, is the only Reds second baseman ever to record at least 8 HR and 24 RBI in a calendar month.
- Most of this week has led the National League in hitting...no Reds batter has led the NL in batting average since Pete Rose hit .338 in 1973...the list of Reds batters who led the league in hitting is on media guide page 397.
- Ranks among the National League leaders in hitting, total bases, hits, slugging percentage, multi-hit games, RBI, extra-base hits and on-base percentage.
- In his last 23 apps beginning 5/7 is hitting .413, including 12 multi-hit games and raising BA from .282 (38-92, 6 2b, 9hr, 25rbi).
- Beginning 5/7 ranks among the Major League leaders in hits, HR, RBI, batting average, slugging percentage and on-base percentage.
- Played in 57 of the Reds' 59 games, off only on 5/9 vs NYM and 5/13 at LA and including 51 starts...from 4/30-5/4 missed 4 starts with inflammation in his right shoulder but pinch hit in each game.
- In May became the first Reds player to win the National League Player of the Month Award since Jay Bruce in May 2011...twice in a 3-week span that month won the NL Player of the Week Award (5/7-5/13, 5/21-5/27), the first Reds player to win the weekly award twice in a season since Bruce in 2012 and the first Reds player to win it twice in the same month since Dave Parker in May 1985.
- Was born in Cincinnati and lived in nearby Lebanon until he was 9 years old, when his family moved to Sarasota.

6 BILLY HAMILTON, cf Road Trip: 7-29, 1 3b, 1rbi, 2sb

- In his last 3 apps is 1-for-11 following a 5-game hitting streak during which he hit .333 to raise his BA from .199 to .213 (6-18, 1 3b, 1rbi).
- Has made 9 starts batting leadoff, 1 start batting eighth (4/2 vs Chi) and a team-high 40 starts batting ninth...has made 29 straight starts batting ninth since he last led off on 4/26 vs Atl.
- Since his debut on 9/3/13 leads all Major League players in steals with 253, sixth on the Reds' all-time list since 1898...Reds Hall of Famer Eric Davis is fifth at 270.
- If he reaches 60 stolen bases in 2018 will become the first player in Major League history to steal at least 10 bases in each of his first 6 seasons while establishing a career high in each of those 6 years...is tied with Jose Reyes, Cesar Cedeno and Bert Campaneris as the only players to do it in 5 straight years.
- On 5/26 at Coors Field was timed at 10.39 seconds from home plate to third base, the quickest triple since Statcast started tracking in 2015.

9 JOSÉ PERAZA, ss Road Trip: 11-29 (.379), 2 2b, 4rbi, 1sb, 4r

- Accent mark on the "e" in José.
- Among National League shortstop leaders in hits trails only Wsh's Trea Turner and SF's Brandon Crawford.
- Has a 6-game hitting streak (11-25, .440, 2 2b, 4rbi, 1sb), including 4 multi-hit games.
- In his second plate appearance last night struck out for the first time since 5/22, snapping a streak of 40 plate apps without a strikeout...was his second his second-longest streak of the season (43pa w/out a K, 4/15-4/25).
- Started at SS in 55 of the Reds' 59 games and has appeared in 57 games.
- In the batting order hit first (13gs), second (29gs), seventh (11gs) and eighth (2gs, 4/1 vs Wsh, 4/7 at Pit).
- Received consideration for the National League Player of the Week Award for 4/23-4/29, won by teammate Joey Votto...in 7g that week hit .441 with 2 HR and 5 RBI (.618slg, .457obp).

43 SCOTT SCHEBLER, of Road Trip: 6-25, 2hr, 4rbi, 3bb, 3hbp, 5r

- Has a 3-game hitting streak (5-11, .455, 2hr, 3rbi, 3r).
- Hit .320 through April (3hr, 11rbi) and .200 in May (3hr, 9rbi).
- Has made a team-high 28 starts in RF, 8 starts in CF and 1 start at DH...last started in CF on 5/24 vs Pit.
- On 4/23 vs Atl made his sixth career start batting leadoff, just his second the last 2 seasons in that spot in the order...in 2017, made his only start batting leadoff on 9/21/17 vs StL.
- On 5/14 at SF fell a triple shy of becoming the sixth Reds batter to hit for the cycle... Eric Davis was the last Reds batter to do it (6/2/89 vs SD).
- Made his third straight Opening Day roster.
- From 4/9-4/19 missed 10 games (1-9) while on the 10-day disabled list with a right ulnar nerve contusion...suffered the injury in the third game of the season, when he was hit on the right elbow by a Sean Doolittle pitch.

7 EUGENIO SUÁREZ, inf Road Trip: 11-29 (.379), 1 2b, 2hr, 5rbi, 7r

- First name is pronounced Ay-you-hay-nee-oh...accent mark on the "a" in Suárez.
- Last night went 0-for-3 with a walk, snapping a 4-game hitting streak during which he hit .563 to raise his season BA from .274 to .305 (9-16, 1 2b, 1hr, 3rbi, .813slg, .632obp)...in his last 11 apps is hitting .366 (15-41, 3 2b, 3hr, 11rbi).
- In May led the Major Leagues in RBI (29) while ranking T3rd in both extra-base hits (15) and HR (8)...since RBI became an official statistic in 1920, is the only Reds third baseman ever to record at least 8 HR and 29 RBI in a calendar month.
- Missed 16 games in April but still ranks among the National League leaders in RBI...no Reds batter has led the NL in RBI since Dave Parker drove in 125 runs in 1985...the list of Reds batters who led the league in RBI is on media guide page 397.
- Tied the franchise record for most RBI by a Reds player in his first 20 games of a season (25)...played in his 20th game on 5/8 vs NYM and produced 4 RBI to give him 25 on the season...George Crowe (1958), Vada Pinson (1962) and Ken Griffey Jr. (2006) each produced 25 RBI in his first 20 games of those respective seasons.
- From 4/9-4/25 was disabled with a fractured right thumb...suffered the injury on 4/8 at Pit, when he was hit by a Jameson Taillon pitch...missed 16 games (3-13).
- On 3/16 signed a 7-year contract extension through the 2024 season with a club option for 2025...following last season was eligible for arbitration for the first time while under team control through 2020.

19 JOEY VOTTO, 1b Road Trip: 12-31 (.387), 2 2b, 5bb, 5r

- In his last 2 apps is 1-for-6 (3bb) following a 7-game hitting streak during which he hit .387 (12-31, 3 2b, .441obp)...produced his last RBI on 5/16 at SF.
- Reached base safely in 50 of his 58 apps, including each of his last 12 apps beginning 5/20 (15-44, .341, 3 2b, 7bb).
- Beginning 5/22 struck out just twice in his last 43 plate apps, including a streak of 28 plate apps without a strikeout snapped in the eighth inning on Tue at Ari.
- In the Reds' 59 games has made 58 apps and 56 starts...missed his 3 starts on 4/12 vs StL, 5/15 at SF and 5/24 vs Pit...missed his only full game on 4/12 vs StL, snapping at 202 games his streaks of consecutive games played and consecutive games started...prior to that 4/12 day off, had appeared in and started every Reds game since he was given the day off at StL on 9/2/16, when Ivan De Jesus Jr. played 1B...during his 202-games started streak played 1,733.1 of the Reds' 1,782.1 innings in the field (97%)...was the longest games started streak by a Reds player since Pete Rose started 370 consecutive games from 1973-1976.
- On 5/18 vs Cubs made his 29th career start batting cleanup (0-3, 1bb), his first appearance there since he hit fourth in both games of a DH on 5/15/14 vs SD.
- On 4/17 at Mil reached 1,000 walks in 1,446 apps, the fourth-fewest games to 1,000 walks in National League history.
- Pete Rose (1,210) is the only other player in Reds history with at least 1,000 walks... Miguel Cabrera and Albert Pujols are the only other active players in the Major Leagues with at least 1,600 hits and 1,000 walks.
- From 4/23-4/29 was the NL Player of the Week, his fifth career weekly award.
- Is approaching 1,500 career apps (1,488)...if he plays every day will reach that milestone on Sun, 6/17 at Pit.

33 JESSE WINKER, of Road Trip: 3gs in LF, 2g as PH, 0-11, 5bb

- Leads National League rookies in walks and outfield assists (3, tied) while ranking among the rookie leaders in on-base percentage, hits and multi-hit games...among all NL batters ranks among the leaders in hitting with RISP (.345).
- In his last 13 apps is 5-for-36 (.139).
- Has made 23 starts in RF, second on the team to Scott Schebler's 28 starts, 15 starts in LF and 1 start at DH...leads the team with 32 starts batting leadoff...on 4/12 vs StL, with Votto off, made his only career start batting third in the order.
- His career-high 9-game hitting streak from 4/18-4/27 ranks as the longest by a Reds batter this season.
- Made his first Opening Day roster...was 1 of 5 rookies on the Opening Day roster (RHP Tyler Mahle, RHP Jackson Stephens, RHP Zack Weiss, OF Phillip Ervin).
- Was the Reds' Opening Day starter in LF...batted leadoff.

