



# TORONTO BLUE JAYS™

## POST GAME NOTES for Saturday, June 09, 2018 BALTIMORE ORIOLES (19-44) at TORONTO BLUE JAYS (29-35)

	<b>R</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>LOB</b>
<b>BALTIMORE</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>TORONTO</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>10</b>

**WP: Axford (1-0)      LP: Givens (0-2)      SAVE: NA**

### BLUE JAYS NOTES:

- Improved to 5-0 in walk-off games and 7-1 in extra-inning contests...Are now 7-7 in one-run games...Have won three straight games for the first time since April 29-May 1...Have won 3 straight at home and are now 15-19 at Rogers Centre...Won a series for the 2<sup>nd</sup> time in their last 12 sets (now 2-8-2)...Won a home series for the first time since taking all 3 vs. KC on April 17 (2) and 18...This afternoon, claimed RHP Preston Guilmet off waivers from the Cardinals (RHP Deck McGuire - DFA to make room on the 40-man roster).
- AARON SANCHEZ** threw a season-high 101 pitches (59 strikes)...Allowed 2 runs on 6 hits over 6.1 innings, his 2<sup>nd</sup> longest outing of the season (8.0 IP on 4/10 at BAL)...Struck out 5 batters and walked 4...Came into today with 38-BB, 3<sup>rd</sup> most in AL (Lynn-40, Giolito-39).
- LUKE MAILE** ended the game in the 10<sup>th</sup> inning with a walk-off, bases-loaded walk...Was his 3<sup>rd</sup> career walk-off (all this season), also with a 10<sup>th</sup> single vs. KC on April 17 (2) and a 12<sup>th</sup>-inning HR vs. BOS on May 11.
- RANDAL GRICHUK** put the Jays ahead, 3-2, in the 7<sup>th</sup> inning with a solo home run...Was his 5<sup>th</sup> HR of the season and the 3<sup>rd</sup> in his last 5 games...Has homered in back-to-back games for the first time since a 3G streak last season, from Aug. 30-Sept. 1...Was his 21<sup>st</sup> go-ahead HR, his 2<sup>nd</sup> in as many days...Has 7 hits over his last 5 games, 6 of which have gone for extra bases (3-2B, 3-HR).
- YANGERVIS SOLARTE** started as leadoff batter for the 1<sup>st</sup> time this season...Opened the scoring with an RBI single in the 3<sup>rd</sup> inning...Was his team-leading 37<sup>th</sup> RBI...Also doubled in the 6<sup>th</sup> inning for his 18<sup>th</sup> multi-hit game, tied with Pillar for the team lead.
- TEOSCAR HERNADEZ** doubled and drove in a run...Since joining the Jays' big-league roster on 9/1/17, leads the team in triples (5), HR (17) and RBI (47)...Has had 29 of his 50 hits go for extra bases (58.0%)...Came into today with a 57.1 XBH%, 5<sup>th</sup> highest in the Majors.
- KEVIN PILLAR** bunted for 1 of his 2 singles...Is tied with Solarte for the club lead in multi-hit games (18).
- GIO URSHELA** had a trio of singles for his 1<sup>st</sup> multi-hit game as a Blue Jay (last: 9/20/17 at LAA) and his 2<sup>nd</sup> career three-hit effort (8/4/15 at LAA).
- AARON LOUP** pitched in his 348<sup>th</sup> career game, surpassing Scott Downs (347) for 8<sup>th</sup> most games by a Blue Jays pitcher (7<sup>th</sup>: Jim Clancy-352).
- JOHN AXFORD** notched his 1<sup>st</sup> win as a Blue Jay with 2.0 scoreless innings of relief (1H, 2BB, 1K)...Now at 501.1 IP and 521 games played, becomes the 7<sup>th</sup> Canadian-born pitcher all-time to record 500+ IP and 500+ GP.

### ORIOLES NOTES:

- Are now 3-3 in extra-inning affairs...Fall to 9-26 on the road for a .257 win% (30<sup>th</sup> in MLB)...Are now 9-19 vs. AL East opponents for the lowest divisional win% within the AL East (.321).
- KEVIN GAUSMAN** allowed 3 runs on 9 hits over 6.2 innings...Struck out 6 batter without allowing a walk...Has not issued a free pass in back-to-back starts...In his 15 career starts vs. Toronto, now has 9 quality starts and 6-3 record with a 3.28 ERA (34 ER/93.1 IP).
- CHANCE SISCO** drove in the O's 1<sup>st</sup> run, via a double in the 7<sup>th</sup> inning...Was his 16<sup>th</sup> RBI of the season and the 20<sup>th</sup> of his career...Went 2-for-4 with a walk for his first multi-hit performance since 5/11 vs. TB.
- ADAM JONES** tied the game, 2-2, in the 7<sup>th</sup> with an RBI single...Finished the day 2-for-4 with a walk...Has hit .341 (42-for-123) with 6-2B, 6-HR and 13-RBI over his last 30 games.
- DANNY VALENCIA** went 2-for-4 on a pair of singles and a walk...Has gone 31-for-89 (.348) with 3-2B, 1-3B, 4-HR and 12-RBI over his last 26 contests...All 9 of his multi-hit efforts have come over that span.
- JACE PEDERSON** singled and drew 2 walks...Reached base 3 times in a game for the 1<sup>st</sup> time in 2018.

### Game at a Glance

First Pitch ..... 1:08 pm  
 Last Pitch ..... 4:27 pm  
**Game Time: ..... 3:19**

Weather ..... 20°C/68°F  
 Wind ..... S, 9km/6mph

**Attendance: ..... 34,643**  
 Rogers Centre Average: ..... 27,902  
 Rogers Centre Total: ..... 920,773  
 Home Record ..... 15-19  
 Homestand ..... 3-2  
 vs. BAL (Season) ..... 5-1  
 vs. BAL (Series) ..... 3-0  
 vs. RHS/LHS ..... 21-18/8-17  
 1-run ..... 7-7  
 Extra Innings ..... 7-1  
 Come From Behind Wins ..... 14  
 Dome Open ..... 4-6  
 Dome Closed ..... 11-13  
 Dome Open/Closed ..... 0-0

<b>HOME RUNS</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>Outs</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Field</b>	<b>Count</b>	<b>Off</b>	<b>Inning</b>	<b>Score before</b>
Grichuk	5	0	1R	LCF	0-0	Gausman	7 <sup>th</sup>	2-2

**UPCOMING PROBABLE PITCHING MATCHUPS: (All Times Eastern)**

Sunday, June 10 vs. Baltimore Orioles, 1:07 pm...RHP Alex Cobb (2-7, 6.19) vs. RHP Marco Estrada (2-6, 5.29)

**Toronto Blue Jays 4, Baltimore Orioles 3****June 9, 2018****Orioles starting lineup:**

Jace Peterson (RF), Adam Jones (CF), Manny Machado (SS), Danny Valencia (3B), Pedro Alvarez (1B), Jonathan Schoop (2B), Mark Trumbo (DH), Trey Mancini (LF), Chance Sisco (C), Kevin Gausman (P),

**Blue Jays starting lineup:**

Yangervis Solarte (2B), Teoscar Hernandez (LF), Justin Smoak (1B), Kendrys Morales (DH), Kevin Pillar (CF), Randal Grichuk (RF), Luke Maile (C), Aledmys Diaz (SS), Gio Urshela (3B), Aaron Sanchez (P),

**Umpires** -- Will Little (HP), Ted Barrett (1B), Lance Barksdale (2B), Tom Woodring (3B), (LF), (RF).

**Gametime Weather:** 68 degrees, Partly Cloudy.

**Wind:** 6 MPH, Out To CF.

First pitch by A. Sanchez at 01:08 PM local time.

Orioles 1st (Orioles 0, Blue Jays 0) -- J. Peterson lines out to K. Pillar. A. Jones strikes out swinging. M. Machado lines out to T. Hernandez.  
(0 Runs, 0 Hits, 0 Errors, 0 LOB)

Blue Jays 1st (Orioles 0, Blue Jays 0) -- Y. Solarte strikes out swinging. T. Hernandez strikes out swinging. J. Smoak grounds out, J. Schoop to P. Alvarez.  
(0 Runs, 0 Hits, 0 Errors, 0 LOB)

Orioles 2nd (Orioles 0, Blue Jays 0) -- D. Valencia singles to third base. P. Alvarez ground bunts into a force out, A. Sanchez to A. Diaz, D. Valencia out at 2nd. J. Schoop grounds out, G. Urshela to J. Smoak, P. Alvarez to 2nd. M. Trumbo grounds out, Y. Solarte to J. Smoak.  
(0 Runs, 1 Hits, 0 Errors, 1 LOB)

Blue Jays 2nd (Orioles 0, Blue Jays 0) -- K. Morales doubles to left field. K. Pillar bunt singles to first base, K. Morales to 3rd. R. Grichuk strikes out swinging and K. Pillar caught stealing 2nd, C. Sisco to J. Schoop. L. Maile lines out to K. Gausman.  
(0 Runs, 2 Hits, 0 Errors, 1 LOB)

Orioles 3rd (Orioles 0, Blue Jays 0) -- T. Mancini strikes out swinging. C. Sisco pops out to G. Urshela. J. Peterson walks. A. Jones walks, J. Peterson to 2nd. M. Machado pops out to J. Smoak.  
(0 Runs, 0 Hits, 0 Errors, 2 LOB)

Blue Jays 3rd (Blue Jays 1, Orioles 0) -- A. Diaz singles up the middle. G. Urshela singles to shortstop, A. Diaz to 3rd. Y. Solarte singles through the hole at shortstop, A. Diaz scores; G. Urshela to 2nd. T. Hernandez grounds into a force out, M. Machado to J. Schoop, G. Urshela to 3rd; Y. Solarte out at 2nd. J. Smoak grounds into double play, J. Schoop to M. Machado to P. Alvarez, T. Hernandez out at 2nd.  
(1 Runs, 3 Hits, 0 Errors, 1 LOB)

Orioles 4th (Blue Jays 1, Orioles 0) -- D. Valencia walks. P. Alvarez struck out looking. J. Schoop grounds into double play, J. Smoak to A. Diaz to J. Smoak, D. Valencia out at 2nd.  
(0 Runs, 0 Hits, 0 Errors, 0 LOB)

Blue Jays 4th (Blue Jays 1, Orioles 0) -- K. Morales grounds out, K. Gausman to P. Alvarez. K. Pillar grounds out, K. Gausman to P. Alvarez. R. Grichuk grounds out, D. Valencia to P. Alvarez.  
(0 Runs, 0 Hits, 0 Errors, 0 LOB)

Orioles 5th (Blue Jays 1, Orioles 0) -- M. Trumbo grounds out, A. Diaz to J. Smoak. T. Mancini strikes out swinging. C. Sisco singles to deep shortstop. J. Peterson singles through the hole at second base, C. Sisco to 2nd. A. Jones flies out to T. Hernandez.  
(0 Runs, 2 Hits, 0 Errors, 2 LOB)

Blue Jays 5th (Blue Jays 1, Orioles 0) -- L. Maile grounds out, D. Valencia to P. Alvarez. A. Diaz grounds out, D. Valencia to P. Alvarez. G. Urshela pops out to P. Alvarez.  
(0 Runs, 0 Hits, 0 Errors, 0 LOB)

Orioles 6th (Blue Jays 1, Orioles 0) -- M. Machado strikes out swinging. D. Valencia singles to left field. P. Alvarez grounds into a force out, Y. Solarte to G. Urshela, D. Valencia out at 2nd. J. Schoop lines out to R. Grichuk.  
(0 Runs, 1 Hits, 0 Errors, 1 LOB)

Blue Jays 6th (Blue Jays 2, Orioles 0) -- Y. Solarte doubles to left field. T. Hernandez doubles through the hole at shortstop, Y. Solarte scores. J. Smoak strikes out swinging. K. Morales strikes out swinging. K. Pillar strikes out swinging.

(1 Runs, 2 Hits, 0 Errors, 1 LOB)

Orioles 7th (Orioles 2, Blue Jays 2) -- M. Trumbo lines out to K. Pillar. T. Mancini singles to right-center field. C. Sisco doubles to right-center field, T. Mancini scores; C. Sisco to 3rd on the throw. J. Peterson walks. Pitcher Change: D. Barnes replaces A. Sanchez. A. Jones singles through the hole at second base, C. Sisco scores; J. Peterson to 2nd. M. Machado struck out looking. D. Valencia grounds into a force out, A. Diaz to Y. Solarte, A. Jones out at 2nd.

(2 Runs, 3 Hits, 0 Errors, 2 LOB)

Blue Jays 7th (Blue Jays 3, Orioles 2) -- R. Grichuk hits a home run to left-center field on a 0-0 pitch. L. Maile pops out to M. Machado. A. Diaz grounds out, D. Valencia to P. Alvarez. G. Urshela singles up the middle. Pitcher Change: R. Bleier replaces K. Gausman. Y. Solarte flies out to J. Peterson.

(1 Runs, 2 Hits, 0 Errors, 1 LOB)

Orioles 8th (Orioles 3, Blue Jays 3) -- Pitcher Change: A. Loup replaces D. Barnes. Offensive Substitution: Pinch hitter C. Gentry replaces P. Alvarez. C. Gentry grounds out, Y. Solarte to J. Smoak. Pitcher Change: J. Biagini replaces A. Loup. J. Schoop hit by pitch. M. Trumbo reaches on throwing error by J. Biagini, J. Schoop to 2nd. Pitcher Change: T. Clippard replaces J. Biagini. T. Mancini walks, J. Schoop to 3rd; M. Trumbo to 2nd. C. Sisco strikes out swinging. With J. Peterson batting, wild pitch by T. Clippard, J. Schoop scores; M. Trumbo to 3rd; T. Mancini to 2nd. J. Peterson strikes out swinging.

(1 Runs, 0 Hits, 1 Errors, 2 LOB)

Blue Jays 8th (Orioles 3, Blue Jays 3) -- Defensive switch from right field to left field for J. Peterson. C. Gentry remains in the game as the right fielder. Defensive switch from left field to 1st for T. Mancini. Pitcher Change: M. Castro replaces R. Bleier. T. Hernandez pops out to C. Sisco in foul territory. J. Smoak walks. K. Morales flies out to A. Jones. K. Pillar singles to center field, J. Smoak to 2nd. R. Grichuk flies out to A. Jones.

(0 Runs, 1 Hits, 0 Errors, 2 LOB)

Orioles 9th (Orioles 3, Blue Jays 3) -- Pitcher Change: J. Axford replaces T. Clippard. A. Jones singles to right field. With M. Machado batting, wild pitch by J. Axford, A. Jones to 2nd. J. Axford intentionally walks M. Machado. D. Valencia lines out to R. Grichuk, A. Jones to 3rd. With C. Gentry batting, M. Machado advances to 2nd on defensive indifference. C. Gentry reaches on a fielder's choice out, A. Diaz to L. Maile, A. Jones out at home, M. Machado to 3rd. J. Schoop grounds out, Y. Solarte to J. Smoak.

(0 Runs, 1 Hits, 0 Errors, 2 LOB)

Blue Jays 9th (Orioles 3, Blue Jays 3) -- L. Maile grounds out, M. Machado to T. Mancini. A. Diaz lines out to D. Valencia. G. Urshela singles to deep shortstop. Y. Solarte pops out to D. Valencia.

(0 Runs, 1 Hits, 0 Errors, 1 LOB)

Orioles 10th (Orioles 3, Blue Jays 3) -- M. Trumbo flies out to K. Pillar. T. Mancini strikes out swinging. C. Sisco walks. J. Peterson grounds out, Y. Solarte to J. Smoak.

(0 Runs, 0 Hits, 0 Errors, 1 LOB)

Blue Jays 10th (Blue Jays 4, Orioles 3) -- Pitcher Change: M. Givens replaces M. Castro. T. Hernandez strikes out on foul tip. J. Smoak walks. K. Morales singles through the hole at second base, J. Smoak to 2nd. K. Pillar flies out to A. Jones. R. Grichuk hit by pitch, J. Smoak to 3rd; K. Morales to 2nd. L. Maile walks, J. Smoak scores; K. Morales to 3rd; R. Grichuk to 2nd.

(1 Runs, 1 Hits, 0 Errors, 3 LOB)

**Final:** Blue Jays 4, Orioles 3

**WP:** John Axford (1-0).

**LP:** Mychal Givens (0-2).

**Time:** 3:19.

**Attendance:** 34643.

**Official Scorer:** Howard Starkman.

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**June 9, 2018**

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	H	E
<b>Baltimore</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	3	8	0
<b>Toronto</b>	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	4	12	1

Two out when winning run scored.

<b>Baltimore</b>	<b>AVG</b>	<b>AB</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>2B</b>	<b>3B</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>RBI</b>	<b>BB</b>	<b>SO</b>	<b>PO</b>	<b>A</b>
Peterson, J, RF-LF	.181	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	0
Jones, A, CF	.285	4	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	1	3	0
Machado, SS	.311	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	2	3
Valencia, 3B	.286	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	4
Alvarez, P, 1B	.190	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	9	0
a-Gentry, PH-RF	.232	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schoop, J, 2B	.219	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Trumbo, DH	.272	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mancini, LF-1B	.228	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	1	0
Sisco, C	.215	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	1	1	8	1
Gausman, P	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Bleier, P	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Castro, M, P	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Givens, P	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>.228</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>12</b>

a-Grounded out for Alvarez, P in the 8th.

**BATTING**

**2B:** Sisco (7, Sanchez, Aa).

**RBI:** Sisco (16); Jones, A (29).

**GIDP:** Schoop, J.

**Team RISP:** 1-for-11.

**Team LOB:** 13.

**FIELDING**

**DP:** 2 (Sisco-Schoop, J; Schoop, J-Machado-Alvarez, P).

<b>Toronto</b>	<b>AVG</b>	<b>AB</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>2B</b>	<b>3B</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>RBI</b>	<b>BB</b>	<b>SO</b>	<b>PO</b>	<b>A</b>
Solarte, 2B	.249	5	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	5
Hernandez, T, LF	.256	5	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	2	2	0
Smoak, 1B	.240	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	8	1
Morales, K, DH	.206	5	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Pillar, CF	.264	5	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0
Grichuk, RF	.157	4	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	0
Maile, C	.253	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	10	0
Diaz, SS	.233	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4
Urshela, 3B	.222	4	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1
Sanchez, Aa, P	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Barnes, D, P	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Loup, P	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Biagini, P	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clippard, P	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Axford, P	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>.230</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>12</b>

**BATTING**

**2B:** Morales, K (7, Gausman); Solarte (13, Gausman); Hernandez, T (15, Gausman).

**HR:** Grichuk (5, 7th inning off Gausman, 0 on, 0 out).

**RBI:** Solarte (37); Hernandez, T (27); Grichuk (14); Maile (16).

**GIDP:** Smoak.

**Team RISP:** 3-for-12.

**Team LOB:** 10.

**BASERUNNING**

**CS:** Pillar (1, 2nd base by Gausman/Sisco).

**FIELDING**

**E:** Biagini (1).

**DP:** (Smoak-Diaz-Smoak).

<b>Baltimore</b>	<b>ERA</b>	<b>IP</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>ER</b>	<b>BB</b>	<b>SO</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>BF</b>
Gausman	4.58	6.2	9	3	3	0	6	1	27
Bleier	2.03	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Castro, M	2.84	2.0	2	0	0	1	0	0	9
Givens (L, 0-2)	3.98	0.2	1	1	1	2	1	0	6
<b>Totals</b>	<b>4.84</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>43</b>

Toronto	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	BF
Sanchez, Aa	4.33	6.1	6	2	2	4	5	0	28
Barnes, D (BS, 2)	4.18	0.2	1	0	0	0	1	0	3
Loup	3.86	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Biagini	8.28	0.0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
Clippard (BS, 3)	3.45	0.2	0	0	0	1	2	0	3
Axford (W, 1-0)	3.52	2.0	1	0	0	2	1	0	9
<b>Totals</b>	<b>4.59</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>46</b>

Biagini pitched to 2 batters in the 8th.

**Team ER:** off Baltimore 4, off Toronto 2.

**BB:** off Castro, M (Smoak); Givens 2 (Smoak, Maile); off Sanchez, Aa 4 (Peterson, J, Jones, A, Valencia, Peterson, J); Clippard (Mancini); Axford 2 (Machado, Sisco).

**IBB:** off Axford 1 (Machado).

**SO:** by Gausman 6 (Solarte, Hernandez, T, Grichuk, Smoak, Morales, K, Pillar); Givens (Hernandez, T); by Sanchez, Aa 5 (Jones, A, Mancini, Alvarez, P, Mancini, Machado); Barnes, D (Machado); Clippard 2 (Sisco, Peterson, J); Axford (Mancini).

**WP:** Clippard; Axford.

**HB:** Schoop, J (by Biagini); Grichuk (by Givens).

**Pitches-strikes:** Gausman 93-65; Bleier 3-2; Castro, M 34-24; Givens 20-9; Sanchez, Aa 101-59; Barnes, D 9-6; Loup 6-3; Biagini 6-5; Clippard 16-8; Axford 37-21.

**Inherited runners-scored:** Bleier 1-0; Barnes, D 2-1; Clippard 2-1.

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**Official Scorer:** Howard Starkman.

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**T:** 3:19.

**Att:** 34,643.

**Venue:** Rogers Centre.

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