



TORONTO BLUE JAYS

Spring Training Game Notes

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Toronto Blue Jays vs. Philadelphia Phillies March 8, 2020 - Dunedin, FL First Pitch: 1:07 p.m.

Game #15, Home #7 (3-2-1), Toronto Blue Jays (6-6-2) vs. Philadelphia Phillies (11-4-1)

PROBABLE PITCHING MATCHUPS: (All Times Eastern)

Today's Probable Starters: 1:07 pm...RHP Matt Shoemaker vs. RHP Vince Velasquez...SN590

Monday, March 9, 2020 vs. Tampa Bay Rays, 1:07 pm...LHP Hyun Jin Ryu vs. LHP Blake Snell...SN590

Monday, March 9, 2020 at Pittsburgh Pirates, 1:05 pm...LHP Anthony Kay vs. RHP Mitch Keller

Spring Training 2020:

The 2020 Spring Training season is Toronto's 44th in Dunedin... The Blue Jays have trained in Dunedin since their inaugural 1977 season...Of the 30 MLB clubs, only three teams have been in their current Spring Training city longer than Toronto (DET, PHI, PIT), and Toronto is the only team to have played in the same stadium for all of their home Spring Training games.

The 2020 schedule includes 34 spring contests in Florida, consisting of 16 home games, including a game vs. the Canada Jr. team (March 12), and 16 away games...The final two Spring Training games will be played against the Yankees in Montreal from March 23-24.

Toronto has four split-squad dates, occurring on February 25 (vs. NYY/at PHI), March 9 (vs. TB/at PIT), March 12 (vs. CAN Jr./at PIT) and March 15 (vs. NYY/at DET).

On Your Dial:

All Blue Jays Spring Training games will be broadcast on either BlueJays.com or SN590, excluding split-squad away games.

TV Time:

16 Spring Training games are scheduled to be televised or simulcasted on Sportsnet or SNET1...Toronto's next televised game is Saturday, March 9 at PIT (SNET/SNET1).

Last Time Out:

The Blue Jays couldn't end a the three-game losing streak yesterday, falling 5-2 to the Red Sox in Fort Meyers...Eight different Blue Jays recorded a hit in the game, but the team collectively went 1-for-12 with runners in scoring position, leaving nine men on base...Travis Shaw belted his first home run of the spring in the 4th inning, which was his second RBI of Spring Training...Three of the nine hits for Toronto went for extra-bases while the Red Sox grabbed six extra-base hits out of nine...Nate Pearson continued his success on the mound not allowing a hit in two innings and striking out a trio of batters...Control was a problem for the entire staff as six Boston batters were walked in the contest compared to just one for the Blue Jays.

Today's Starter:

RHP Matt Shoemaker makes his second start of Spring Training and his second at home...In his first outing on March 2 since coming back from an ACL injury Shoemaker gave up one hit and struck out five in 2.2 scoreless innings.

Who's In the Pen:

Today's probable pitchers available out of the bullpen are: RHP A.J. Cole, LHP Thomas Pannone, RHP Ty Tice, RHP Jordan Romano, RHP Wilmer Font, RHP Justin Miller, RHP Hector Perez, RHP Jake Petricka and RHP Bryan Baker.

Roster Breakdown:

Toronto currently has 65 players at Major League camp (25-NR), carrying 36 pitchers (12-NR), six catchers (4-NR), 14 infielders (7-NR) and nine outfielders (2-NR).

Heating Up in Spring:

Joe Panik has recorded a hit or drawn a walk in eight of his last 12 plate appearances, driving in four runs with two home runs and scoring five runs in the same span...Currently holds a slash line of .333/.471/.833.

Danny Jansen leads the team in home runs, belting a home run in back-to-back games earlier this week...The catcher has driven in six runs so far this spring, driving in at least one run in each of the last three games...The 25-year-old leads the team in batting average at .455 (min. 5 AB), going 5-for-11 with three walks and no strikeouts (.571 OBP).

Lourdes Knows:

Lourdes Gurriel Jr. leads the Blue Jays in hits (6) and doubles (3), and is on a three-game hitting streak...Gurriel has raised his average from .077 to .333 over the last four games and has recorded a hit in each of his last six at-bats.

Domi-NATE:

RHP Nate Pearson has not allowed a hit through his five three innings of Spring Training...Pearson leads the team in strikeouts with nine, compared to just two walks and holds a 0.40 WHIP to start the spring.

As the 2nd-ranked right-handed pitching prospect by MLB.com, Pearson hit 100 on the radar gun during his last couple of outings...He finished last season in Triple-A with a career-high 101.2 innings, including 119 strikeouts, a 2.30 ERA, and a .179 opponent average in 25 starts.

Recent Transactions:

Feb 24: LHP Marc Rzepczynski signed a Minor League contract and invited to Spring Training.
Feb 11: RHP Jake Petricka signed a Minor League contract and invited to Spring Training.
Feb. 8: Designated 2B Breyvic Valera for assignment and signed free agent RHP Rafael Dolis.

Spring Training Roster

Pitchers:

- #22.....Chase Anderson
- #50.....Phillippe Aumont*
- #81.....Bryan Baker*
- #52.....Anthony Bass
- #79.....Travis Bergen*
- #56.....Ryan Borucki
- #36.....A.J. Cole
- #41.....Rafael Dolis
- #38.....Ryan Dull
- #63.....Wilmer Font
- #43.....Sam Gaviglio
- #51.....Ken Giles
- #69.....Thomas Hatch
- #47.....Anthony Kay
- #65.....Elvis Luciano
- #67.....Julian Merryweather
- #60.....Justin Miller*
- #48.....Bryan Moran*
- #66.....Patrick Murphy
- #45.....Thomas Pannone
- #71.....Nate Pearson*
- #64.....Hector Perez
- #58.....Jake Petricka*
- #54.....Sean Reid-Foley
- #14.....Tanner Roark
- #68.....Jordan Romano
- #99.....Hyu-Jin Ryu
- #20.....Marc Rzepczynski*
- #34.....Matt Shoemaker
- #83.....Kirby Sneed*
- #57.....Trent Thornton
- #73.....Ty Tice*
- #62.....Jacob Waguespack
- #1.....Shun Yamaguchi
- #35.....T.J. Zeuch

Catchers:

- #76.....Riley Adams*
- #70.....Patrick Cantwell*
- #9.....Danny Jansen
- #7.....Caleb Joseph*
- #85.....Alejandro Kirk*
- #10.....Reese McGuire

Infielders:

- #11.....Bo Bichette
- #8.....Cavan Biggio
- #75.....Andy Burns*
- #3.....Brandon Drury
- #72.....Santiago Espinal
- #27.....Vladimir Guerrero Jr.
- #46.....Patrick Kivlehan*
- #84.....Nash Knight*
- #2.....Joe Panik*
- #6.....Travis Shaw
- #78.....Kevin Smith*
- #44.....Rowdy Tellez
- #80.....Logan Warmoth*

Outfielders:

- #30.....Anthony Alford
- #49.....Jonathan Davis
- #23.....Derek Fisher
- #15.....Randal Grichuk
- #13.....Lourdes Gurriel Jr.
- #37.....Teoscar Hernandez
- #28.....Billy McKinney
- #77.....Josh Palacios*
- #82.....Forrest Wall*

* Non-Roster Invitee

2020 SPRING TRAINING SCHEDULE

All times are ET. Teams, Dates and Times subject to change.

DATE	LOCATION	VERSUS	TIME	Radio/TV	W/L	Score	Record	Win	Loss	Save
2/22/20	Tampa	@NYY	1:05 PM	SN590	W	2-1	1-0	Cole	Tropeano	Petricka
2/23/20	Fort Myers	@MIN	1:05 PM	SN590	T	5-5	1-0-1			
2/24/20	Dunedin	ATL	1:07 PM	bluejays.com	W	4-3	2-0-1	Giles	Anderson	Baker
2/25/20	Clearwater	@PHI (SS)	1:05 PM		W	13-6	3-0-1	Anderson	Arrieta	
2/25/20	Dunedin	NYY (SS)	1:07 PM	bluejays.com	L	1-4	3-1-1	Kriske	Aumont	Alvarez
2/26/20	Dunedin	DET	1:07 PM	bluejays.com	Canceled					
2/27/20	Dunedin	MIN	1:07 PM	bluejays.com	T	3-3	3-1-2			
2/28/20	Lakeland	@DET	1:05 PM	bluejays.com	W	5-4	4-1-2	Kay	Nova	Petricka
2/29/20	Dunedin	PHI	1:07 PM	SN590	W	6-5	5-1-2	Romano	Rosso	Cole
3/1/20	Bradenton	@PIT	1:05 PM	SN590	L	9-13	5-2-2	Musgrove	Anderson	
3/2/20	Dunedin	PIT	1:07 PM	bluejays.com	W	4-0	6-2-2	Shoemaker	Keller	
3/4/20	Port Charlotte	@TB	1:05 PM	bluejays.com	L	5-9	6-3-2	Glasnow	Kay	
3/5/20	Clearwater	@PHI	1:05 PM	bluejays.com	L	3-5	6-4-2	Irvin	Yamaguchi	Davis
3/6/20	Dunedin	PIT	1:07 PM	bluejays.com	L	13-19	6-5-2	Jerez	Zeuch	
3/7/20	Fort Myers	@BOS	1:05 PM	SN590	L	2-5	6-6-2	Eovaldi	Thornton	Leyer
3/8/20	Dunedin	PHI	1:07 PM	SN590						
3/9/20	Bradenton	@PIT (SS)	1:05 PM							
3/9/20	Dunedin	TB (SS)	1:07 PM	bluejays.com						
3/10/20	Tampa	@NYY	1:05 PM	bluejays.com						
3/11/20	Dunedin	BAL	1:07 PM	bluejays.com						
3/12/20	Bradenton	@PIT	1:05 PM							
3/12/20	Dunedin	CAN Jr.	1:07 PM	bluejays.com						
3/13/20	Sarasota	@BAL	1:05 PM	bluejays.com						
3/14/20	Dunedin	TB	1:07 PM	SN590/Sportsnet						
3/15/20	Lakeland	@DET (SS)	1:05 PM							
3/15/20	Dunedin	NYY (SS)	1:07 PM	SN590						
3/17/20	Clearwater	@PHI	1:05 PM	bluejays.com						
3/18/20	Fort Myers	BOS	1:07 PM	bluejays.com						
3/19/20	Port Charlotte	@TB	1:05 PM	bluejays.com						
3/20/20	Dunedin	PHI	6:07 PM	bluejays.com						
3/21/20	Dunedin	DET	1:07 PM	SN590/Sportsnet						
3/22/20	Venice	@ATL	1:05 PM	SN590/Sportsnet						
3/23/20	MONTREAL	7:07 PM	7:07 PM	SN590/Sportsnet						
3/24/20	MONTREAL	7:07 PM	7:07 PM	SN590/Sportsnet						

Toronto Blue Jays 2020 Spring Training Hitting Stats																										
Player	Team	AVG	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	OBP	SLG	OPS	PA	SAC	SF	HBP	GIDP		
Abbadessa, D	TOR	----	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	----	----	0.000	0	0	0	0	0		
Adams, R	TOR	0.286	6	7	0	2	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0.286	0.571	0.857	7	0	0	0	0		
Alford, A	TOR	0.150	10	20	3	3	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	12	4	0	0.150	0.250	0.400	20	0	0	0	0		
Bichette, B	TOR	0.250	8	20	4	5	10	0	1	1	5	2	0	2	1	0	0.348	0.500	0.848	23	0	0	1	0		
Biggio, C	TOR	0.211	9	19	3	4	5	1	0	0	1	4	0	4	2	0	0.348	0.263	0.611	23	0	0	0	0		
Burns, A	TOR	0.294	11	17	3	5	7	2	0	0	3	0	0	4	0	0	0.333	0.412	0.745	18	0	0	1	0		
Cantwell, P	TOR	0.200	3	5	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0.333	0.200	0.533	6	0	0	0	1		
Clemens, K	TOR	0.500	1	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0.500	0.500	1.000	2	0	0	0	0		
Conine, G	TOR	0.250	3	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0.250	0.250	0.500	4	0	0	0	0		
Davis, J	TOR	0.167	3	6	2	1	4	0	0	1	3	1	0	4	1	0	0.375	0.667	1.042	8	0	0	1	0		
De Los Santos, L	TOR	0.000	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0.000	0.000	0.000	3	0	0	0	0		
Drury, B	TOR	0.188	7	16	1	3	4	1	0	0	1	1	0	4	0	0	0.235	0.250	0.485	17	0	0	0	1		
Espinal, S	TOR	0.286	8	14	5	4	9	2	0	1	2	2	0	5	0	1	0.375	0.643	1.018	16	0	0	0	0		
Fisher, D	TOR	0.300	9	20	2	6	8	2	0	0	1	2	0	4	1	0	0.364	0.400	0.764	22	0	0	0	0		
Grichuk, R	TOR	0.235	8	17	4	4	8	1	0	1	4	4	0	3	0	0	0.381	0.471	0.852	21	0	0	0	0		
Guerrero Jr., V	TOR	0.286	9	21	4	6	12	0	0	2	3	2	0	5	1	0	0.348	0.571	0.919	23	0	0	0	1		
Guerrero, G	TOR	0.250	3	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0.400	0.250	0.650	5	0	0	0	0		
Gurriel Jr., L	TOR	0.333	7	18	1	6	9	3	0	0	1	1	0	3	0	0	0.368	0.500	0.868	19	0	0	0	1		
Hernández, T	TOR	0.214	6	14	0	3	6	1	1	0	3	1	0	3	1	0	0.267	0.429	0.695	15	0	0	0	0		
Jansen, D	TOR	0.455	6	11	4	5	11	0	0	2	6	3	0	0	0	0	0.571	1.000	1.571	14	0	0	0	1		
Joseph, C	TOR	0.267	7	15	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0.267	0.267	0.533	15	0	0	0	0		
Kirk, A	TOR	0.333	6	6	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0.556	0.333	0.889	9	0	0	0	0		
Kivlehan, P	TOR	0.267	11	15	3	4	10	0	0	2	4	2	0	5	0	1	0.333	0.667	1.000	18	0	1	0	0		
Knight, N	TOR	0.000	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0.000	0.000	0.000	5	0	0	0	0		
Lopez, O	TOR	0.667	1	3	2	2	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.667	1.333	2.000	3	0	0	0	0		
Lundquist, B	TOR	0.400	3	5	1	2	3	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0.400	0.600	1.000	5	0	0	0	0		
McGuire, R	TOR	0.154	6	13	1	2	6	1	0	1	2	0	0	6	0	0	0.154	0.462	0.615	13	0	0	0	1		
McKinney, B	TOR	0.278	8	18	4	5	10	2	0	1	1	2	0	6	0	0	0.350	0.556	0.906	20	0	0	0	0		
Moreno, G	TOR	0.000	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0.000	0.000	0.000	2	0	0	0	0		
Noda, R	TOR	0.500	2	2	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0.667	1.000	1.667	3	0	0	0	0		
Orimoloye, D	TOR	0.000	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0.000	0.000	0.000	2	0	0	0	0		
Palacios, J	TOR	0.118	11	17	2	2	3	1	0	0	2	1	0	6	1	1	0.167	0.176	0.343	18	0	0	0	0		
Panik, J	TOR	0.333	6	12	5	4	10	0	0	2	5	4	0	2	0	0	0.471	0.833	1.304	17	0	1	0	0		
Pruitt, R	TOR	0.500	3	4	1	2	7	0	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0.500	1.750	2.250	4	0	0	0	0		
Shaw, T	TOR	0.158	8	19	1	3	7	1	0	1	2	2	0	11	0	0	0.238	0.368	0.607	21	0	0	0	0		
Smith, K	TOR	0.167	12	18	1	3	6	0	0	1	5	3	0	7	0	0	0.273	0.333	0.606	22	0	1	0	0		
Tejada, R	TOR	0.182	7	11	3	2	8	0	0	2	5	2	0	2	0	1	0.308	0.727	1.035	13	0	0	0	0		
Tellez, R	TOR	0.263	8	19	2	5	10	2	0	1	6	1	0	9	0	0	0.364	0.526	0.890	22	0	0	2	0		
Vicuña, K	TOR	0.000	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.500	0.000	0.500	2	0	0	1	0		
Wall, F	TOR	0.313	10	16	5	5	11	1	1	1	2	1	0	3	3	0	0.333	0.688	1.021	18	0	1	0	1		
Warmoth, L	TOR	0.111	10	18	2	2	4	0	1	0	0	2	0	7	0	1	0.200	0.222	0.422	20	0	0	0	0		
Young, C	TOR	0.000	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0.000	0.000	0.000	5	0	0	0	0		
TOR		0.239	14	464	75	111	213	27	6	21	71	49	0	145	15	5	0.317	0.459	0.776	523	0	4	6	7		
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Player	Team	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	GF	HLD	SV	SVO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	AVG	WP	BK	GIDP	TBF
Anderson, C	TOR	1	1	17.47	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	5.2	12	12	11	3	0	6	0	2	0.462	0	0	2	34
Aumont, P	TOR	0	1	9.00	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3.0	3	3	3	0	0	1	0	5	0.250	1	0	0	13
Baker, B	TOR	0	0	4.50	2	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	2.0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	2	0.143	0	0	0	7
Bass, A	TOR	0	0	5.40	4	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	3.1	4	2	2	1	1	0	0	2	0.308	0	0	0	14
Bergen, T	TOR	0	0	0.00	4	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	3.1	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	5	0.231	0	0	0	15
Cole, A	TOR	1	0	0.00	4	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	4.0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0.154	0	0	0	14
Diaz, Y	TOR	0	0	0.00	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0.000	0	0	0	9
Dolis, R	TOR	0	0	0.00	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0.143	0	0	0	8
Dull, R	TOR	0	0	27.00	4	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2.1	7	7	7	2	1	1	0	3	0.538	1	0	0	15
Fisk, C	TOR	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.000	0	0	0	1
Font, W	TOR	0	0	9.00	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3.0	3	3	3	0	0	2	0	2	0.273	0	0	1	13
Gaviglio, S	TOR	0	0	0.00	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.300	1	0	1	10
Giles, K	TOR	1	0	3.00	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	3.0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	3	0.100	0	0	0	10
Harris, H	TOR	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.000	0	0	0	3
Hatch, T	TOR	0	0	5.40	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3.1	1	2	2	0	0	3	0	4	0.091	0	0	0	14
Kay, A	TOR	1	1	12.46	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.1	6	6	6	0	0	5	0	5	0.333	0	0	0	24
Luciano, E	TOR	0	0	0.00	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.143	0	0	0	7
McClelland, J	TOR	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.250	0	0	0	4
Merryweather, J	TOR	0	0	13.50	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.2	5	4	4	0	0	2	0	4	0.385	0	0	0	15
Miller, J	TOR	0	0	0.00	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	3.2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0.091	0	0	0	12
Moran, B	TOR	0	0	6.75	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4.0	3	3	3	0	1	2	0	5	0.214	0	0	1	17
Murphy, P	TOR	0	0	11.57	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.1	4	4	3	0	0	1	0	5	0.333	0	0	0	13
Nittoli, V	TOR	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.000	0	0	0	3
Pannone, T	TOR	0	0	3.38	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.2	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0.429	0	0	0	14
Pearson, N	TOR	0	0	0.00	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5.0													