



TORONTO BLUE JAYS

Spring Training Game Notes

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Toronto Blue Jays vs. Atlanta Braves

February 24, 2020 - Dunedin, FL

First Pitch: 1:07 p.m.

Game #3, Home #1 (0-0-0), Toronto Blue Jays (1-0-1) vs. Atlanta (1-1-0)

PROBABLE PITCHING MATCHUPS: (All Times Eastern)

Today's Probable Starters: RHP Shun Yamaguchi vs. LHP Max Fried...SN590

Tuesday, February 25 vs. New York Yankees, 1:07 pm...RHP Nate Pearson vs. RHP Luis Cessa...SN590

Tuesday, February 25 at Philadelphia Phillies, 1:05 pm...RHP Chase Anderson vs. RHP Jake Arrieta

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 SNET...Toronto's next televised game is Friday, February 28 at DET (SNET).

Last Time Out:

The Blue Jays rallied back from a four-run deficit through the first five innings yesterday, as the game eventually ended in a 5-5 tie with the Twins...The offense came alive in the 6th inning as three runs crossed the plate courtesy of a Joe Panik sac fly and a two-run single by Rowdy Tellez...Andy Burns added a run in the 7th, making it two games in a row with an RBI to tie for the team lead in RBI with Tellez...RHP Jacob Waguespack and RHP Thomas Hatch highlighted the pitching staff, striking out two batters each in their combined two innings of work...Collectively the staff kept the Twins to 1-for-7 with runners in scoring position and stranded five runners on bases.

Today's Starter:

Shun Yamaguchi makes his first appearance in the majors after spending the last 14 seasons in the Nippon Professional Baseball League in Japan...Yamaguchi finished the 2019 season in the Japanese Central League with a 2.91 ERA over 170.0 innings of work...His 188 strikeouts and 15 wins both led the league.

Who's In the Pen:

Today's probable pitchers available out of the bullpen are: RHP Ken Giles, RHP Anthony Bass, RHP Wilmer Font, RHP Ty Tice, RHP Hector Perez, RHP Bryan Baker, LHP Brian Moran, RHP Conor Fisk, RHP Vinny Nittoli and LHP Jake Fishman.

Roster Breakdown:

Toronto currently has 64 players at Major League camp (24-NR) and are carrying 35 pitchers (11-NR), six catchers (4-NR), 14 infielders (7-NR) and nine outfielders (2-NR).

Thank you Tony:

The Toronto Blue Jays are wearing black arm bands today and have placed No. 1 on the center-field fence to acknowledge the passing of Tony Fernandez, one of our club's most celebrated and respected players...The shortstop is the all-time franchise leader in games played (1,450), hits (1,583) and triples (72)... He is enshrined forever in Blue Jays history on the Level of Excellence at Rogers Centre.

It's Correlation Day:

Bo Bichette led the team in AVG (.410), SLG (.795), and OPS (1.260) last Spring Training (min. 10 AB)...Bichette began his regular season Major League career with an 11-game hitting streak, the longest in team history to begin a career, and included in the stretch was a nine-game doubles streak, which is the longest streak in MLB history.

C Danny Jansen played 86.0 innings behind the plate during Spring Training in 2019, finishing with a .989 fielding percentage while throwing out three attempted stolen bases...In the regular season, Jansen finished with a .995 fielding percentage, threw out 19 attempted stolen bases, and was named a Rawlings Gold Glove finalist at the end of the year.

Asian Influences:

Five Blue Jays currently on the Spring Training roster (Anthony Bass, Andy Burns, Rafael Dolis, Hyun-Jin Ryu, Shun Yamaguchi) have played in either the Korean Baseball Organization or the Nippon Professional Baseball League... Four of the five players have been added to the organization over the offseason (Burns in 2019).

Recent Transactions:

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.

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						
2/25/20	Clearwater	@PHI (SS)	1:05 PM							
2/25/20	Dunedin	NYY (SS)	1:07 PM	bluejays.com						
2/26/20	Dunedin	DET	1:07 PM	bluejays.com						
2/27/20	Dunedin	MIN	1:07 PM	bluejays.com						
2/28/20	Lakeland	@DET	1:05 PM	bluejays.com						
2/29/20	Dunedin	PHI	1:07 PM	SN590						
3/1/20	Bradenton	@PIT	1:05 PM	SN590						
3/2/20	Dunedin	PIT	1:07 PM	bluejays.com						
3/4/20	Port Charlotte	@TB	1:05 PM	bluejays.com						
3/5/20	Clearwater	@PHI	1:05 PM	bluejays.com						
3/6/20	Dunedin	PIT	1:07 PM	bluejays.com						
3/7/20	Fort Myers	@BOS	1:05 PM	SN590						
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							
3/23/20	MONTREAL	7:07 PM	7:07 PM	SN590/Sportsnet						
3/24/20	MONTREAL	7:07 PM	7:07 PM	SN590/Sportsnet						

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
- #34.....Matt Shoemaker
- #83.....Kirby Snead*
- #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

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
Adams, R	TOR	0.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000	0.000	1	0	0	0	0
Alford, A	TOR	0.200	2	5	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	0.200	0.200	0.400	5	0	0	0	0
Bichette, B	TOR	0.000	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000	0.000	2	0	0	0	0
Biggio, C	TOR	0.500	1	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0.500	0.500	1.000	2	0	0	0	0
Burns, A	TOR	0.667	2	3	1	2	3	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0.750	1.000	1.750	4	0	0	1	0
Drury, B	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
Espinal, S	TOR	0.500	1	2	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0.500	1.000	1.500	2	0	0	0	0
Fisher, D	TOR	0.400	2	5	0	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.400	0.600	1.000	5	0	0	0	0
Grichuk, R	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
Guerrero Jr., V	TOR	0.000	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000	0.000	2	0	0	0	0
Gurriel Jr., L	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
Hernández, T	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
Jansen, D	TOR	0.000	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000	0.000	2	0	0	0	0
Joseph, C	TOR	0.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000	0.000	1	0	0	0	0
Kirk, A	TOR	0.333	2	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0.500	0.333	0.833	4	0	0	0	0
Kivlehan, P	TOR	0.333	2	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0.500	0.333	0.833	4	0	0	0	0
McGuire, R	TOR	0.000	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0.000	0.000	0.000	2	0	0	0	0
McKinney, B	TOR	0.000	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0.500	0.000	0.500	2	0	0	0	0
Palacios, J	TOR	0.250	2	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0.250	0.250	0.500	4	0	0	0	0
Panik, J	TOR	0.000	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0.000	0.000	0.000	3	0	1	0	0
Shaw, T	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
Smith, K	TOR	0.000	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0.250	0.000	0.250	4	0	0	0	0
Tejada, R	TOR	0.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0.500	0.000	0.500	2	0	0	0	0
Tellez, R	TOR	0.500	2	4	0	2	2	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	0.600	0.500	1.100	5	0	0	0	0
Wall, F	TOR	0.500	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0.500	0.500	1.000	4	0	1	0	0
Warmoth, L	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
Young, C	TOR	0.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.000	0.000	1	0	0	0	0
TOR		0.206	2	63	7	13	16	3	0	0	6	7	0	20	4	1	0.288	0.254	0.542	73	0	2	1	0

Toronto Blue Jays 2020 Spring Training Pitching Stats

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
Aumont, P	TOR	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.250	0	0	0	4
Cole, A	TOR	1	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.000	0	0	0	3
Diaz, Y	TOR	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.000	0	0	0	3
Dull, R	TOR	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.333	0	0	0	3
Gaviglio, S	TOR	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.250	1	0	0	4
Hatch, T	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
Kay, A	TOR	0	0	9.00	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.0	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	0.375	0	0	0	9
Miller, J	TOR	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0	0	3
Moran, B	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	9.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0.500	0	0	0	6
Petricka, J	TOR	0	0	9.00	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1.0	1	1	1	1	0	2	0	1	0.250	0	0	0	6
Reid-Foley, S	TOR	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.200	0	0	0	5
Romano, J	TOR	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.000	0	0	0	3
Snead, K	TOR	0	0	9.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1.0	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0.333	0	0	1	4
Thornton, T	TOR	0	0	0.00	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0.000	0	0	0	7
Waguespack, J	TOR	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0.000	0	0	0	4
TOR		1	0	2.50	2	2	0	0	2	4	1	2	18.0	12	6	5	2	0	5	0	16	0.188	1	0	1	70