



TORONTO BLUE JAYS

Spring Training Game Notes

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Toronto Blue Jays vs. Pittsburgh Pirates March 2, 2020 - Dunedin, FL First Pitch: 1:07 p.m.

Game #10, Home #5 (2-1-1), Toronto Blue Jays (5-2-2) at Pittsburgh Pirates (2-7-1)

PROBABLE PITCHING MATCHUPS: (All Times Eastern)

Today's Home Probable Starters: 1:07 pm...RHP Matt Shoemaker vs. RHP Mitch Keller..SN590
Wednesday, March 4, 2020 at Tampa Bay Rays, 1:05 pm...TBA vs.TBA...SN590

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 Sunday, March 4 at TB (SNET/SNET1).

Last Time Out:

The Blue Jays last game was highlighted by an offensive explosion, pushing across nine runs in an eventual 13-9 loss to the Pirates...Bo Bichette and Vladimir Guerrero Jr. each belted their first home runs of Spring Training, and it was Bichette's first two RBI of spring...Altogether, the Blue Jays hit five home runs...It marked the second game with the Blue Jays hitting four or more home runs, the other coming against the Phillies on February 24...The offense recorded 12 hits in the game with nine of them going for extra-bases, and six different Blue Jays picked up at least one RBI in the game...The pitching was not spectacular in the contest but Nate Pearson stood out in his second appearance going two hitless innings while striking out three batters in a game for the second time this spring.

Today's Starter:

RHP Matt Shoemaker makes his first start of Spring Training and his first appearance since a torn ACL put him on the IL back on April 21st...Prior to the injury, Shoemaker had gone 3-0 in five starts with a 1.57 ERA and 0.87 WHIP to begin 2019.

Who's In the Pen:

Today's probable pitchers available out of the bullpen are: RHP Trent Thornton, RHP Patrick Murphy, RHP Rafael Dolis, RHP Sean Reid-Foley, LHP Marc Rzepczynski, RHP Bryan Baker, RHP Anthony Bass, LHP Travis Bergen, RHP Ty Tice, and RHP Hector Perez.

Roster Breakdown:

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

Off to a Hot Start:

Santiago Espinal has reached base in each of his first five games played and is currently on a three-game hitting streak... Espinal hit the first home run at the newly renovated TD Ballpark and has a total of three extra-base hits...He currently has a .571/.667/1.286 slash line to begin Spring Training

Rowdy Tellez is tied for second in the Grapefruit League in RBI at six, along with three others...Tellez is also tied with Billy McKinney for the team lead in hits (5) and total bases (10)... He has recorded a hit in three of his last four games games, and has had his last three hits go for extra-bases.

Teoscar Hernandez and Kevin Smith have come through with runners on base to start the spring...Smith sits T-6th in the GL with five RBI...Hernandez has driven in three runs across his last three at bats.

Domi-NATE:

RHP Nate Pearson has not allowed a hit through his first three innings of Spring Training...Pearson now leads the team in strikeouts with six, and has yet to issue a walk as he has faced the minimum in his two appearances.

As the 2nd-ranked right-handed pitching prospect by MLB.com, Pearson hit 100 on the radar gun in Bradenton twice during his outing...He finished last season in Triple-A with a career-high 101.2 innings with 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.

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						
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	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						

Spring Training Roster

Pitchers:

- #22.....Chase Anderson
- #50.....PhillippeAumont*
- #81.....Bryan Baker*
- #52.....Anthony Bass
- #79.....Travis Bergen*
- #56.....Ryan Borucki
- #36.....A.J. Cole
- #41.....RafaelDolis
- #38.....RyanDull
- #63.....WilmerFont
- #43.....SamGaviglio
- #51.....KenGiles
- #69.....Thomas Hatch
- #47.....Anthony Kay
- #65.....Elvis Luciano
- #67.....JulianMerryweather
- #60.....JustinMiller*
- #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.....MarcRzepczynski*
- #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.....CavanBiggio
- #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
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	0.000	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0.000	0.000	0.000	5	0	0	0	0
Alford, A	TOR	0.143	7	14	2	2	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	10	3	0	0.143	0.286	0.429	14	0	0	0	0
Bichette, B	TOR	0.125	6	16	2	2	5	0	0	1	2	1	0	2	0	0	0.176	0.313	0.489	17	0	0	0	0
Biggio, C	TOR	0.273	6	11	2	3	4	1	0	0	1	4	0	2	1	0	0.467	0.364	0.830	15	0	0	0	0
Burns, A	TOR	0.333	6	9	1	3	4	1	0	0	3	0	0	2	0	0	0.400	0.444	0.844	10	0	0	1	0
Cantwell, P	TOR	0.333	2	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0.500	0.333	0.833	4	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
De Los Santos, 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
Drury, B	TOR	0.125	4	8	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0.222	0.250	0.472	9	0	0	0	1
Espinal, S	TOR	0.571	5	7	5	4	9	2	0	1	2	2	0	2	0	1	0.667	1.286	1.952	9	0	0	0	0
Fisher, D	TOR	0.250	5	12	0	3	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0.250	0.333	0.583	12	0	0	0	0
Grichuk, R	TOR	0.200	5	10	2	2	3	1	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0.333	0.300	0.633	12	0	0	0	0
Guerrero Jr., V	TOR	0.286	6	14	2	4	7	0	0	1	2	1	0	3	1	0	0.333	0.500	0.833	15	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	0.000	4	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0.000	0.000	0.000	11	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	0.500	4	6	2	3	6	0	0	1	3	3	0	0	0	0	0.667	1.000	1.667	9	0	0	0	0
Joseph, C	TOR	0.250	4	8	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0.250	0.250	0.500	8	0	0	0	0
Kirk, A	TOR	0.500	4	4	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0.667	0.500	1.167	6	0	0	0	0
Kivlehan, P	TOR	0.273	7	11	2	3	6	0	0	1	2	1	0	4	0	1	0.308	0.545	0.853	13	0	1	0	0
Knight, N	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
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	0.111	4	9	1	1	4	0	0	1	1	0	0	4	0	0	0.111	0.444	0.556	9	0	0	0	1
McKinney, B	TOR	0.417	6	12	4	5	10	2	0	1	1	2	0	3	0	0	0.500	0.833	1.333	14	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	0.182	6	11	1	2	3	1	0	0	2	0	0	4	0	1	0.182	0.273	0.455	11	0	0	0	0
Panik, J	TOR	0.429	4	7	3	3	6	0	0	1	3	3	0	2	0	0	0.545	0.857	1.403	11	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	0.091	5	11	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	7	0	0	0.167	0.182	0.348	12	0	0	0	0
Smith, K	TOR	0.300	7	10	1	3	6	0	0	1	5	3	0	3	0	0	0.429	0.600	1.029	14	0	1	0	0
Tejada, R	TOR	0.167	4	6	2	1	4	0	0	1	2	1	0	1	0	0	0.286	0.667	0.952	7	0	0	0	0
Tellez, R	TOR	0.417	5	12	1	5	10	2	0	1	6	1	0	4	0	0	0.462	0.833	1.295	13	0	0	0	0
Vicuña, K	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
Wall, F	TOR	0.500	5	8	3	4	9	0	1	1	2	1	0	1	1	0	0.500	1.125	1.625	10	0	1	0	0
Warmoth, L	TOR	0.182	6	11	2	2	4	0	1	0	0	1	0	3	0	1	0.250	0.364	0.614	12	0	0	0	0
Young, C	TOR	0.000	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0.000	0.000	0.000	4	0	0	0	0
TOR		0.253	9	297	48	75	142	18	5	13	45	34	0	87	7	4	0.327	0.478	0.805	336	0	4	1	5

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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	16.88	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.2	5	6	5	0	0	4	0	1	0.417	0	0	0	18
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	4.50	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2.0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	2	0.167	0	0	0	7
Bergen, T	TOR	0	0	0.00	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1.2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.286	0	0	0	7
Cole, A	TOR	1	0	0.00	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	3.0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0.200	0	0	0	11
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	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.250	0	0	0	4
Dull, R	TOR	0	0	3.86	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2.1	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	0.333	0	0	0	9
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	4.50	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2.0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	2	0.143	0	0	0	7
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	7.71	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2.1	1	2	2	0	0	3	0	2	0.125	0	0	0	11
Kay, A	TOR	1	0	4.50	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.0	5	2	2	0	0	1	0	5	0.313	0	0	0	18
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	16.20	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.2	3	3	3	0	0	2	0	3	0.375	0	0	0	10
Miller, J	TOR	0	0	0.00	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2.2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.125	0	0	0	8
Moran, B	TOR	0	0	0.00	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.000	0	0	0	6
Murphy, P	TOR	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.000	0	0	0	3
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	5.40	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.2	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0.500	0	0	0	10
Pearson, N	TOR	0	0	0.00	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0.000	0	0	0	9
Perez, H	TOR	0	0	4.50	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2.0	1	1	1	0									