

FRESNO GRIZZLIES GAME NOTES - 4/7/08



TRIPLE-A PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE AFFILIATE OF THE SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS

FRESNO GRIZZLIES (1-2) @ TACOMA RAINIERS (2-1)
APRIL 7, 2008 - 7:00 PM PST
CHENEY STADIUM (9,600)
RHP VICTOR SANTOS (0-0, 0.00) vs RHP JOE WOERMAN (0-0, 0.00)

UPCOMING GAMES AND PITCHING PROBABLES

Tuesday, April 8, 2008	@TACOMA	7:00 PM	RHP Nick Pereira (0-0, 0.00)	vs	LHP Ryan Feierabend (1-0, 0.00)
Wednesday, April 9, 2008	@TACOMA	7:00 PM	RHP Matt Palmer (0-1, 4.50)	vs	RHP R.A. Dickey (0-1, 3.86)
Thursday, April 10, 2008	@TACOMA	7:00 PM	RHP Julio Mateo (0-1, 9.00)	vs	LHP Sean White (0-0, 0.00)
Friday, April 11, 2008	TUCSON	7:05 PM	LHP Patrick Misch (1-0, 1.50)	vs	TBA
Saturday, April 12, 2008	TUCSON	7:05 PM	RHP Victor Santos (0-0, 0.00)	vs	TBA

GRIZZLIES BY THE NUMBERS

Overall Record	1-2
Home.....	0-0
Road.....	1-2
vs. TAC ('08)	0-0
vs. TAC (all-time)	41-57
Longest W Streak.....	1 (4/6 -)
Logest L Streak.....	2 (4/3 - 4/6)
Last 5 Games	1-2
Last 10 Games	1-2
Place (PacSouth Div).....	t1st
Games Back.....	----
2007 Home Att.....	N/A
2007 Average.....	N/A
PCL Rank.....	N/A

LAST TIME OUT....The Grizzlies won their first game of the 2008 season in decisive fashion with a 9-1 victory over the Portland Beavers on Sunday afternoon in the finale of their rain-shortened, three-game series at PGE Park....Pat Misch scattered three hits and allowed a single run over 6.0 strong innings of work....Justin Leone led the Grizzlies offense with his second home run of the season in the 3rd inning....nine Grizzlies had hits in the ballgame....Clay Timpner drove in three runs for Fresno, and Jake Wald scored a pair of runs in his first game of the season.

THE RAINIERS....finished the 2007 season with a record of 68-76, the 12th best record in the Pacific Coast League, good for 3rd place in the Pacific North Division....are managed by Daren Brown in his second season in Tacoma, and eighth in the Seattle organization overall....feature 2007 PCL MVP Wladimir Balentien....enter Monday's game with the PCL's best team ERA (1.44)....took two-of-three games from Sacramento to open the season....hold a 73-54 advantage in the all-time series with Fresno.

ONE-SIDED: Since the Grizzlies inception in 1998, they have played at least 8 games per season with Tacoma. In the first ten years of the franchise, Fresno has never won the season series with the Rainiers, coming closest in 1999, 2004, and 2007 when they split the series.

LOPSIDED: Sunday's eight-run victory over Portland was the largest margin of victory for the Grizzlies since 6/29/07 when they defeated Sacramento 13-4 at Raley Field.

WELCOME BACK: This week's series in Tacoma is a homecoming of sorts for three Grizzlies. Pitchers Jesse Foppert and Julio Mateo, and 3B Justin Leone all performe for the Rainiers in the recent past. Leone hit 28 home runs in 155 games stretched over the 2004 and 2005 seasons. Foppert pitched for the Rainiers in 2005 and 2006 while Mateo was 3-1 with a 0.79 ERA in 24 relief appearances for Tacoma last season.

POWER OUTAGE: Entering Monday's action, Tacoma's pitchers are the only staff in the league that has yet to allow a home run.

TRANSACTION: Effective on Monday, RHP Nick Pereira was added to the Grizzlies roster from Extended Spring Training. Pereira spent the second half of 2006 in Fresno, but spent all of 2007 with Double-A Connecticut. To make room on the roster for Pereira, IF Julio Cordido was assigned to Extended Spring Training.

TODAY'S OPPONENT: *RHP Joe Woerman (24, 6'3, 200)* was drafted by Seattle in the 11th Round of the 2003 Draft out of San Diego City College. He spent the entire 2007 campaign with West Tenn (AA-Southern), leading the Diamond Jaxx in strikeouts and wins, and was honored by the Mariners as West Tenn's Pitcher of the Year. Last season was Woerman's first in the rotation since 2004, after he was used primarily out of the bullpen in 2005 and 2006. He responded well enough to be named a Southern League All-Star during the summer. 2008 will be Woerman's first in Triple-A, but he did make three relief appearances with Tacoma during the 2005 season. The Edmonds, WA native, was on the provisional roster for the Netherlands for the 2006 World Baseball Classic. Woerman was added to the Mariners' 40-man roster in November of 2007.

2008 vs TACOMA		
4/7	Cheney Stad.	7:00
4/8	Cheney Stad.	7:00
4/9	Cheney Stad.	7:00
4/10	Cheney Stad.	7:00
4/15	Chukchansi	7:05
4/16	Chukchansi	7:05
4/17	Chukchansi	7:05
4/18	Chukchansi	7:05
5/27	Chukchansi	7:05
5/28	Chukchansi	7:05
5/29	Chukchansi	7:05
5/30	Chukchansi	7:05
6/5	Cheney Stad.	7:00
6/6	Cheney Stad.	7:00
6/7	Cheney Stad.	7:00
6/8	Cheney Stad.	1:30

TODAY'S GRIZZLIES STARTER

----- VICTOR SANTOS -- #46 -- RHP -----

HEIGHT: 6'2
WEIGHT: 205
BORN: October 2, 1976
ACQUIRED: Signed as a free agent, 2008

BATS: RIGHT
THROWS: RIGHT
RESIDES: West Patterson, NJ

GRIZZLIES 2008 RECORD WHEN HE STARTS:

RUN SUPPORT:

CAREER...31-year-old right-hander signed minor league contract with Giants over winter and comes to camp as non-roster invite...has spent majority of last 7 seasons in big leagues, compiling lifetime 23-48 record with 5.21 ERA in 186 ML games (87 starts)

2007 SEASON...combined to make 36 big league appearances (3 starts) with Reds and Orioles...was dealt to Baltimore for cash considerations Sept. 7....pitched in 5 contests (3 starts) with Escogido in Dominican Winter League...

2006...was selected by Pittsburgh in Rule V Draft, and went 5-9 with 5.70 ERA in 25 games (19 starts) for Pirates...**2002...**was traded from Tigers to Rockies March 25...ranked 3rd in Pacific Coast League with 134 strikeouts...recorded 1st ML hit Sept. 22 vs. Arizona, single off Miguel Batista...**2001...**was named Tigers Rookie of Year by Detroit Sports Broadcasters Association...made ML debut April 9 at Minnesota, allowing 3 unearned runs in 2.1 innings.....**2000...**pitched in just 4 games with trio of Detroit's minor league clubs due to right elbow injury...underwent arthroscopic surgery Oct. 12...**1995...**made professional debut with Tigers' club in Dominican Summer League, going 7-5 with 3.72 ERA in 15 games (12 starts)...

PERSONAL...graduated from Passaic (NJ) High School, where he played baseball...married (Greisy)...son (Alexander)...daughter (Jada)...

2008 SEASON HIGHS & LOWS

IP:
R:
ER:
H:
K:
BB:
HR:

2008 FRESNO APPEARANCES

DATE	OPP	SCORE	DEC	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K	HR
4/8	@TAC										

VICTOR IRVING SANTOS

Year	Club	W-L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SH	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	SO	WP	BK
1995	DSL-Tigers	7-5	3.72	15	12	3	2	0	77.1	88	46	32	4	1	18	75	11	1
1996	Lakeland	2-2	2.22	5	4	0	0	0	28.1	19	11	7	2	4	9	25	2	0
	GCL-Tigers	3-2	1.98	9	9	0	0	0	50.0	44	12	11	1	7	13	39	3	0
1997	Lakeland	10-5	3.23	26	26	4	2	0	145.0	136	74	52	10	6	59	108	12	1
1998	Lakeland	5-2	2.51	16	15	0	0	1	100.1	88	38	28	9	3	24	74	3	0
	Toledo	1-2	11.05	5	3	0	0	0	14.2	24	22	18	5	1	10	12	0	0
	Jacksonville	4-2	4.17	6	6	0	0	0	36.2	40	20	17	2	1	15	37	1	0
1999	Jacksonville	12-6	3.49	28	28	2	1	0	173.0	150	86	67	16	7	58	146	3	0
2000	GCL-Tigers	0-0	0.00	1	1	0	0	0	3.0	2	1	0	0	0	2	5	0	0
	Lakeland	1-0	0.00	1	1	0	0	0	5.0	5	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0
	Toledo	0-1	11.37	2	2	0	0	0	6.1	7	8	8	4	0	6	2	0	0
2001	Detroit	2-2	3.30	33	7	0	0	0	76.1	62	33	28	9	3	49	52	0	0
	Toledo	2-1	6.37	6	6	0	0	0	35.1	50	27	25	6	1	12	22	0	0
2002	Colorado Springs	4-9	5.72	21	21	1	1	0	118.0	147	81	75	17	4	43	134	5	0
	Colorado	0-4	10.38	24	2	0	0	0	26.0	41	30	30	3	0	22	25	2	0
2003	Oklahoma	5-4	3.41	20	16	1	1	1	108.1	112	54	41	6	2	35	65	2	0
	Texas	0-2	7.01	8	4	0	0	0	25.2	29	21	20	5	1	16	15	0	0
2004	Indianapolis	0-0	3.48	3	3	0	0	0	10.1	12	4	4	1	0	4	11	0	0
	Milwaukee	11-12	4.97	31	28	0	0	0	154.0	169	95	85	18	7	57	115	2	1
2005	Milwaukee	4-13	4.57	29	24	1	0	0	141.2	153	87	72	20	5	60	89	7	0
2006	Pittsburgh	5-9	5.70	25	19	0	0	0	115.1	150	80	73	16	4	42	81	5	0
	Indianapolis	1-0	0.00	1	1	0	0	0	5.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2007	Cincinnati	1-4	5.14	32	0	0	0	0	49.0	51	28	28	10	2	23	44	2	0
	Louisville	1-1	1.11	8	4	0	0	0	24.1	24	6	3	1	1	5	15	1	0
	Baltimore	0-2	8.16	4	3	0	0	0	14.1	20	13	13	5	1	10	4	1	0
Minor Totals		58-42	3.71	173	158	11	7	2	941.0	949	490	388	84	38	314	774	43	2
M.L. Totals		23-48	5.21	186	87	1	0	0	602.1	675	387	349	86	23	279	425	19	1

2008 REGULAR SEASON RECORDS, HIGHS, ETC

ASSORTED RECORDS

	TOT	H	A		W-L-T		W-L
vs. Pac. South Div	0-0	0-0	0-0	vs. RHP (starter)	0-1	Walk-Off Victories	0-0
vs. Las Vegas	0-0	0-0	0-0	vs. LHP (starter)	1-1	Series Openers	0-1
vs. Sacramento	0-0	0-0	0-0	Day	1-0	Rubber Matches	0-0
vs. Tucson	0-0	0-0	0-0	Night	0-2	Series Finals	1-0
vs. Pac. North Div	1-2	0-0	1-2	High-Water Mark	1-2 (4/6)	After Off-Days	0-1
vs. Col. Springs	0-0	0-0	0-0	Low -Water Mark	0-2 (4/4)	April	1-2
vs. Portland	1-2	0-0	1-2	Extra Innings	0-0	May	0-0
vs. Salt Lake	0-0	0-0	0-0	Shutouts	0-0	June	0-0
vs. Tacoma	0-0	0-0	0-0	One-Run Games	0-0	July	0-0
vs. Am. South Div	0-0	0-0	0-0	Three or Less	0-0	August	0-0
vs. Albuquerque	0-0	0-0	0-0	Four or More	1-2	September	0-0
vs. New Orleans	0-0	0-0	0-0	Scoring First	1-0	DH Swp/Swpt/Split	0/0/0
vs. Oklahoma	0-0	0-0	0-0	Opp. Scores First	0-2	Series W-L-T	0-1-0
vs. Round Rock	0-0	0-0	0-0	Trailing after 5	0-2	Series Swp/Swpt	0/0
vs. Am. North Div	0-0	0-0	0-0	Leading after 5	1-0	With DH (vs. AL Aff.)	0-0
vs. Iowa	0-0	0-0	0-0	Tied after 5	0-0	Without DH (vs. NL Aff.)	1-2
vs. Memphis	0-0	0-0	0-0	Trailing after 7	0-2		
vs. Nashville	0-0	0-0	0-0	Leading after 7	1-0		
vs. Omaha	0-0	0-0	0-0				
vs. Pacific Conf.	1-2	0-0	1-2				
vs. American Conf.	0-0	0-0	0-0				

SCORE BY INNING											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11+
GRIZZLIES	0	3	1	0	1	2	1	3	3	0	0
OPPONENT	0	2	3	0	2	1	2	5	0	0	0

2008 GRIZZLIES TEAM HIGHS

Most Runs (Game)	9 (4/6 @ POR)	Longest Winning Streak	1 (4/6 - current)
Most Runs Allowed (Game)	8 (4/3 @ POR)	Longest Losing Streak	2 (4/3 - 4/5)
Most Runs (Inning)	3 (Last: 8th, 4/6 @ POR)	Most Batters in an Inning	8 (9th, 4/3 @ POR)
Most Runs Allowed (Inning)	5 (8th, 4/3 @ POR)	Most Batters in an Inning (OPP)	8 (8th, 4/3 @ POR)
Most Hits (Game)	12 (4/6 @ POR)	Shortest Game	2:34 (4/3 @ POR)
Most Hits Allowed (Game)	11 (4/3 @ POR)	Shortest Game (9 innings)	2:34 (4/3 @ POR)
Most Hits (Inning)	5 (9th, 4/3 @ POR)	Longest Game	2:49 (4/6 @ POR)
Most Hits Allowed (Inning)	4 (8th, 4/3 @POR)	Longest Game (9 innings)	2:49 (4/6 @ POR)
Most HRs (Game)	1 (Last: 4/6 @ POR)	Largest Margin of Victory	8 (4/6 @ POR)
Most HRs Allowed (Game)	2 (Last: 4/4 @POR)	Largest Margin of Defeat	5 (4/4 @ POR)
Most HRs (Inning)	1 (Many)	Biggest Comeback Win	
Most HRs Allowed (Inning)	1 (Many)	Biggest Blown Lead	
Most Errors	1 (Twice, Last: 4/4 @ POR)	Last Series Sweep	
Most Errors (Opponent)	3 (4/6 @ POR)	Last Series Swept	

2008 INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

OFFENSIVE		PITCHING/DEFENSE	
ABs	6 (Timpner, 4/6 @ POR)	IP	6.0 (Misch, 4/6 @ POR)
Hits	2 (Many)	Scoreless IP Streak	5.1 (Misch, 4/6 - current)
Total Bases	6 (Leone, 4/6 @ POR)	Cur. Scoreless Streak	5.1 (Misch, 4/6 - current)
2B	1 (Many)	Hits	6 (Mateo, 4/4 @ POR)
3B	0	Runs	5 (Mateo, 4/4 @ POR)
HR	1 (Many)	Earned Runs	5 (Mateo, 4/4 @ POR)
RBI	3 (Timpner, 4/6 @ POR)	BBs	3 (Last: Misch, 4/6 @ POR)
R	2 (Wald, 4/6 @ POR)	K (start)	5 (Palmer, 4/3 @ POR)
Hitting Streak	3 games (Many, 4/3 - current)	K (relief)	3 (Sadler, 4/4 @ POR)
Current Hit Streak	3 games (Many, 4/3 - current)	E	1 (Many)
SB	1 (Bowker, 4/6 @ POR)	Double Plays	3 (4/3 @ POR)
BB	2 (McClain, 4/6 @ POR)	Runners CS	2 (Jennings, 4/6 @ POR)
K	2 (Many)	Opponent SB	1 (4/3 @ POR)

FRESNO GRIZZLIES PITCHERS

2008 STARTERS: 1-2, 4.80 era, 3 g, 15.0 ip, 13 h, 8 r, 8 er, 7 bb, 13 k, 3 hr

2008 BULLPEN: 0-0, 0 sv, 0 bs, 4.50 era, 10.0 ip, 11 h, 7 r, 5 er, 6 bb, 10 k, IR-3, IRStrand-0 (0%)

VINNIE CHULK (RHP) -- #17 -- Age: 29 2006, Trade (TOR), St. Thomas U. (FL)

LAST OUTING: 4/6 @ POR (GS, n/d, 1.0 ip, 0r, 0h, 0bb, 1k)
RECAP: Started game, pitched one inning, in second rehab appearance
LAST WIN: **LONGEST OUTING:** 1.0ip (twice)
MOST K's: 1 (4/6 @ POR) **MOST BB's:**
vs. RH: .333 **vs. LH:** .333 **w/RISP:** .000
INH/STRANDED: **SAVES:**
LAST HR ALLOWED:

LAST 5 OUTINGS

- 4/6 @ POR (GS, n/d, 1.0 ip, 0r, 0h, 0bb, 1k)
- 4/4 @ POR (GS, n/d, 1.0 ip, 2h, 0r, 0bb, 0k)
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CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 9th professional season
- * Ended 2007 on DL with circulatory problem in right arm
- * Acquired (w/ S. Hillenbrand) in trade that sent J. Accardo to TOR
- * 2005: Led AL in stranding inherited runners (33-of37, 89.2%)
- * Veteran has racked up 217 ML appearances with TOR and SF

GENO ESPINELI (LHP) -- #21 -- Age: 25 2004, 14th Round Selection, Texas Christian U.

LAST OUTING: 4/3 @ POR (n/d, 2.0ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 bb, 1 k)
RECAP: Entered 1-2 game in 5th, hit 1st batter with pitch but faced min. of 6
LAST WIN: **LONGEST OUTING:** 2.0ip (4/3 @ POR)
MOST K's: 1 (4/3 @ POR) **MOST BB's:**
vs. RH: .000 **vs. LH:** .000 **w/RISP:** .----
INH/STRANDED: **SAVES:**
LAST HR ALLOWED:

LAST 5 OUTINGS

- 4/3 @ POR (n/d, 2.0ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 bb, 1 k)
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CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 5th professional season
- * 2007 Eastern League All-Star with Connecticut
- * Pitched exclusively out of the bullpen for first three seasons
- * Previously pitched with Fresno at end of 2005 season (12 app.)
- * Split college career between U. of Texas and TCU

JESSE FOPPERT (RHP) -- #34 -- Age: 27 2007, Minor League Free Agent, U. of San Francisco

LAST OUTING: 4/4 @ POR (n/d, 1.0ip, 0h, 0r, 1bb, 1k)
RECAP: Entered 1-6 game in 8th, issued 2-out BB, stranded runner
LAST WIN: **LONGEST OUTING:** 1.0ip (4/4 @ POR)
MOST K's: 1 (4/4 @ POR) **MOST BB's:** 1 (4/4 @ POR)
vs. RH: .000 **vs. LH:** .000 **w/RISP:** .-----
INH/STRANDED: **SAVES:**
LAST HR ALLOWED:

LAST 5 OUTINGS

- 4/4 @ POR (n/d, 1.0ip, 0h, 0r, 1bb, 1k)
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4/4/08: Made first appearance for FRE since 7/26/05

CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 8th professional season
- * Originally drafted by SF in the 2nd Round of the 2001 Draft
- * Made 27 appearances (23gs) for SF between 2003-2005
- * Underwent Tommy John surgery in 2003
- * Pitched just 11.1 innings combined in 2006 and 2007
- * Named top prospect in PCL in 2002 after just 14 games with FRE

BARTOLOME FORTUNATO (RHP) -- #28 -- Age: 33 2007, Minor League Free Agent, Dominican Republic

LAST OUTING: 4/3 @ POR (n/d, 0.1ip, 2 h, 2 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 0 k)
RECAP: Entered 1-3 game with bases loaded in 8th, allowed 3R-2B, WP, RBI-1B
LAST WIN: **LONGEST OUTING:** 0.1ip (4/3 @ POR)
MOST K's: **MOST BB's:**
vs. RH: .667 **vs. LH:** .---- **w/RISP:** 1.000
INH/STRANDED: 3/0 **SAVES:**
LAST HR ALLOWED:

LAST 5 OUTINGS

- 4/3 @ POR (n/d, 0.1ip, 2 h, 2 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 0 k)
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CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 12th professional season
- * Missed entire 2007 season due to Tommy John surgery
- * Has thrown just 19.2 innings since the end of the 2004 season
- * Has made 20 Major League appearances with TB and NYM
- * Began professional career with TB as an outfielder
- * Originally traded to NYM in deal that sent Scott Kazmir to TB

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KEVIN GRYBOSKI (RHP) -- #48 -- Age: 34
2008, Minor League Free Agent, Wilkes U.

LAST OUTING: 4/6 @ POR (n/d, 1.0ip, 1h, 0r, 1bb, 1k)
RECAP: Entered 9-1 game in 8th, first two batters reached but were stranded
LAST WIN: **LONGEST OUTING:** 1.0ip (4/6 @ POR)
MOST K's: 1 (4/6 @ POR) **MOST BB's:** 1 (4/6 @ POR)
vs. RH: .000 **vs. LH:** .500 **w/RISP:** .000
INH/STRANDED: **SAVES:**
LAST HR ALLOWED:

LAST 5 OUTINGS

- 4/6 @ POR (n/d, 1.0ip, 1h, 0r, 1bb, 1k)
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CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 14th professional season
- * Has made 238 Major League appearances with ATL and WAS
- * Made three appearances with ATL in 2002 NLDS against SF
- * Giants are his sixth professional organization
- * Originally drafted by Seattle in the 16th Round of the 1995 Draft
- * Has previously pitched in PCL with TAC, OKC, and NOZ

ALEX HINSHAW (LHP) -- #12 -- Age: 25
2005, 15th Round Selection, San Diego State U.

LAST OUTING: 4/6 @ POR (GF, n/d, 1.0ip, 0h, 0r, 0bb, 2k)
RECAP: Entered 9-1 game in 9th, retired side in order (L8, K, K)
LAST WIN: **LONGEST OUTING:** 1.0ip (4/6 @ POR)
MOST K's: 2 (4/6 @ POR) **MOST BB's:**
vs. RH: .000 **vs. LH:** .000 **w/RISP:** .-----
INH/STRANDED: **SAVES:**
LAST HR ALLOWED:

LAST 5 OUTINGS

- 4/6 @ POR (GF, n/d, 1.0ip, 0h, 0r, 0bb, 2k)
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CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 4th professional season
- * 2007 Eastern League All-Star with Connecticut
- * Held EL hitters to a .155 AVG, and held lefties to a .119 AVG
- * 2006 California League All-Star with San Jose
- * Was drafted by SF in 2000 (R28) and 2002 (R29) but did not sign

JULIO MATEO (RHP) -- #45 -- Age: 30
2008, Minor League Free Agent, Dominican Republic

LAST OUTING: 4/4 @ POR (L, 5.0ip, 6h, 5r, 5er, 1bb, 4k, 2hr)
RECAP: Entered 0-0 game in 2nd, allowed 3rd and 6th inning homers in L
LAST WIN: **LONGEST OUTING:** 5.0ip (4/4 @ POR)
MOST K's: 4 (4/4 @ POR) **MOST BB's:** 1 (4/4 @ POR)
vs. RH: .500 **vs. LH:** .111 **w/RISP:** 1.000
INH/STRANDED: **SAVES:**
LAST HR ALLOWED: 4/4 @ POR (Ambres, 0 on, 1 out)

LAST 5 OUTINGS

- 4/4 @ POR (L, 5.0ip, 6h, 5r, 5er, 1bb, 4k, 2hr)
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CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 13th professional season
- * Most of last six seasons spent in Major Leagues with Seattle
- * Has compiled a 3.68 ERA in 219 Major League appearances
- * Traded from SEA to PHI on 7/31/07 for IF Jesus Merchan
- * Originally signed as an International FA by SEA in 1996

RANDY MESSENGER (RHP) -- #50 -- Age: 26
2007, Trade (FLA), Sparks H.S (NV)

LAST OUTING: 4/3 @ POR (n/d, 1.2 ip, 5 h, 4 r, 4 er, 2 bb, 0 k)
RECAP: Entered 1-2 game in 7th, departed with bases-loaded in 8th, all scored
LAST WIN: **LONGEST OUTING:** 1.2ip (4/3 @ POR)
MOST K's: **MOST BB's:** 2 (4/3 @ POR)
vs. RH: .600 **vs. LH:** .500 **w/RISP:** .000
INH/STRANDED: **SAVES:**
LAST HR ALLOWED: 4/3 @ POR (Ambres, 0 on, 0 out)

LAST 5 OUTINGS

- 4/3 @ POR (n/d, 1.2 ip, 5 h, 4 r, 4 er, 2 bb, 0 k)
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CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 10th professional season
- * Acquired via trade with FLA for Armando Benitez on 5/31/07
- * Has made 148 Major League appearances with FLA and SF
- * Collected first ML hit on 6/22/05 against Carlos Zambrano (CHC)
- * Originally selected by FLA in the 11th Round of the 1999 Draft

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PATRICK MISCH (LHP) -- #16 -- Age: 26 2003, 7th Round Selection, Western Michigan U.

LAST OUTING: 4/6 @ POR (W, 6.0ip, 1h, 1r, 1er, 3bb, 4k)
RECAP: Entered 3-0 game in 2nd, allowed only run in 2nd in 1st win of '08
LAST WIN: 4/6 @ POR **LONGEST OUTING:** 6.0ip (4/5 @ POR)
MOST K's: 4 (4/6 @ POR) **MOST BB's:** 3 (4/6 @ POR)
vs. RH: .143 **vs. LH:** .200 **w/RISP:** .000
INH/STRANDED: **SAVES:**
LAST HR ALLOWED:

LAST 5 OUTINGS

- 4/6 @ POR (W, 6.0ip, 1h, 1r, 1er, 3bb, 4k)
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3/26/08: Started Grizzlies win vs. SF (n/d, GS, 5.0ip, 4h, 1r, 0er, 1bb, 1k)

CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 6th professional season
- * Ranked by Baseball America as the #22 prospect in SF system
- * Started for Giants (vs. SD) on day when Barry Bonds hit HR #755
- * Has made 19 appearances (4gs) for SF over last two seasons
- * Originally committed to Miami (OH) to play soccer

MATT PALMER (RHP) -- #49 -- Age: 29 2002, 31st Round Selection, Southwest Missouri State

LAST OUTING: 4/3 @ POR (GS, L, 4.0ip, 2r, 2er, 3bb, 5k, hr)
RECAP: Allowed leadoff solo-HR in 2nd, RBI-1B in 3rd in Opening Day loss
LAST WIN: **LONGEST OUTING:** 4.0ip (4/3 @ POR)
MOST K's: 5 (4/3 @ POR) **MOST BB's:** 3 (4/3 @ POR)
vs. RH: .200 **vs. LH:** .400 **w/RISP:** .333
INH/STRANDED: **SAVES:**
LAST HR ALLOWED: 4/3 @ POR (Hundley, 0 on, 0 out)

LAST 5 OUTINGS

- 4/3 @ POR (GS, L, 4.0ip, 2r, 2er, 3bb, 5k, hr)
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CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 7th professional season
- * Made 40 starts (44app) for FRE in 2006 and 2007
- * Spent first four professional seasons primarily as a reliever
- * 2006: Pitched for Scottsdale in Arizona Fall League
- * 2003: SAL Rolands Relief Man of the Year (5-0, 1.20era, 25sv)

NICK PEREIRA (RHP) -- #22 -- Age: 25 2005, 10th Round Selection, U. of San Francisco

LAST OUTING:
RECAP:
LAST WIN: **LONGEST OUTING:**
MOST K's: **MOST BB's:**
vs. RH: **vs. LH:** **w/RISP:**
INH/STRANDED: **SAVES:**
LAST HR ALLOWED:

LAST 5 OUTINGS

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CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 4th professional season
- * Ranked by Baseball America as the #16 prospect in SF system
- * Previously made 15 starts for FRE in 2006 (4-3, 5.92era)
- * 2007: Ranked 3rd in Eastern League in K and 4th in ERA
- * 2006: Represented SF in All-Star Future's Game in PIT

BILLY SADLER (RHP) -- #40 -- Age: 26 2003, 6th Round Selection, Louisiana State U.

LAST OUTING: 4/4 @ POR (n/d, 1.0ip, 1h, 1r, 0er, 2bb, 3k)
RECAP: Entered 1-5 game in 7th, loaded bases, allowed UER, struck out side
LAST WIN: **LONGEST OUTING:** 1.0ip (4/4 @ POR)
MOST K's: 3 (4/4 @ POR) **MOST BB's:** 2 (4/4 @ POR)
vs. RH: .333 **vs. LH:** .000 **w/RISP:** .000
INH/STRANDED: **SAVES:**
LAST HR ALLOWED:

LAST 5 OUTINGS

- 4/4 @ POR (n/d, 1.0ip, 1h, 1r, 0er, 2bb, 3k)
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3/26/08: Earned win in relief vs. SF (W, 1.0ip, 0h, 0r, 1bb, 0k)

CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 6th professional season
- * Made 5 appearances with Giants in 2006
- * Was ranked by Baseball America as #10 SF prospect before 2007
- * Has held opponents to .187 average over MILB career
- * College teammate of SF closer Brian Wilson at LSU

FRESNO GRIZZLIES PITCHERS

VICTOR SANTOS (RHP) -- #46 -- Age: 31
2008, Minor League Free Agent, Passaic H.S. (NJ)

LAST OUTING:

RECAP:

LAST WIN:

LONGEST OUTING:

MOST K's:

MOST BB's:

vs. RH:

vs. LH:

w/RISP:

INH/STRANDED:

SAVES:

LAST HR ALLOWED:

LAST 5 OUTINGS

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CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 14th professional season
- * Made 36 Major League appearances in 2007 with BAL and CIN
- * Has made 186 Major League appearances with 7 organizations
- * Previously pitched in PCL with LOU, OKC, and CS
- * Originally signed as a non-drafted FA by DET in 1995

FRESNO GRIZZLIES HITTERS

BRIAN HORWITZ (OF) -- #14 -- Age: 25
2004, Non-Drafted Free Agent, U. of California-Berkeley

LAST NIGHT: 0-5, R, 2K	SERIES:	
vs. RHP: .400	vs. LHP: .000	w/RISP: .000
HITTING STREAK:		
LONGEST HITTING STREAK: 1 game		
MULTI-HIT GAMES: 1 (Last: 4/4 @ POR)		
LAST HR:		
AS PH:		

CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 5th professional season
- * Ranked by Baseball America as #29 prospect in SF system
- * Career .322 hitter in 381 Minor League games (1362ab)
- * Has ranekd up 168bb against just 165k in career
- * Won batting titles in first two pro seasons (NWL, SAL)

TODD JENNINGS (C) -- #23 -- Age: 26
2003, 2nd Round Selection, Long Beach State U.

LAST NIGHT: 1-3, R, BB	SERIES:	
vs. RHP: .-----	vs. LHP: .-----	w/RISP: .-----
HITTING STREAK: 1 game (4/6 - current)		
LONGEST HITTING STREAK: 1 game (4/6 - current)		
MULTI-HIT GAMES:		
LAST HR:		
AS PH:		

CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 6th professional season
- * Appeared in 22 games with FRE during 2007 season
- * Played majority of 2005 season with SJ at 2B and 3B
- * 2003: Northwest League All-Star with Salem-Keizer
- * Three-time non-roster invitee to Giants spring training

JUSTIN LEONE (IF) -- #7 -- Age: 31
2006, Minor League Free Agent, St. Martin's College (WA)

LAST NIGHT: 2-5, 2B, HR, R, RBI	SERIES:	
vs. RHP: .250	vs. LHP: .400	w/RISP: .000
HITTING STREAK: 3 games (4/3 - current)		
LONGEST HITTING STREAK: 3 games (4/3 - current)		
MULTI-HIT GAMES: 1 (Last: 4/6@ POR)		
LAST HR: 4/6 @ POR (vs. C. Ramos, 0 on, 0 out)		
AS PH:		

CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 10th professional season
- * Only Giants farmhand to post 20hr/20sb in 2007
- * Veteran of 103 Major League games with SEA and SD
- * 2003: Texas League Player of the Year
- * 2003: Seattle Minor League Player of the Year
- * Originally drafted by SEA in 13th Round of 1999 Draft

SCOTT McCLAIN (IF) -- #43 -- Age: 35
2006, Minor League Free Agent, Atascadero H.S. (CA)

LAST NIGHT: 1-3, R, 2RBI, 2BB	SERIES:	
vs. RHP: .286	vs. LHP: .000	w/RISP: .500
HITTING STREAK: 1 game (4/6 - current)		
LONGEST HITTING STREAK: 1 game (4/3)		
MULTI-HIT GAMES:		
LAST HR:		
AS PH:		

CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 19th professional season
- * Active career Minor League home run leader (262)
- * Played four professional seasons with Seibu in Japan
- * 2006: Pacific Coast League MVP while with Sacramento
- * Previously appeared in PCL with SAC, IOWA, and CS
- * Turned down USC football scholarship to sign with BAL in 1990

FRESNO GRIZZLIES HITTERS

IVAN OCHOA (IF) -- #15 -- Age: 25
2006, Minor League Free Agent, Venezuela

LAST NIGHT: 0-0 (PR)	SERIES:	
vs. RHP: .000	vs. LHP: .000	w/RISP: .000
HITTING STREAK:		
LONGEST HITTING STREAK:		
MULTI-HIT GAMES:		
LAST HR:		
AS PH:		

3/26/08: Drove in GW-run with 7th inning 2B vs. SF off of Barry Zito

CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 9th professional season
- * Spent first seven pro seasons in CLE organization
- * Injury plagued 2007 was first pro season without double-digit SB
- * 2004: Named by BA as Best Defensive Shortstop in Carolina Lg.
- * Non-Roster invitee to Giants spring training in 2007 and 2008

NATE SCHIERHOLTZ (OF) -- #19 -- Age: 24
2003, 2nd Round Selection, Chabot College (CA)

LAST NIGHT: 1-1, 2B	SERIES:	
vs. RHP: .333	vs. LHP: .000	w/RISP: 1.000
HITTING STREAK: 1 game (4/6 - current)		
LONGEST HITTING STREAK: 1 game		
MULTI-HIT GAMES:		
LAST HR:		
AS PH: 1-1, 2B		

CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 6th professional season
- * Ranked by Baseball America as #4 prospect in SF system
- * 2007: USA Today's SF Organizational Player of the Year
- * Hit .304 (34-112) with San Francisco in 39 games at end of 2007
- * Limetime .306 hitter in 528 Minor League games
- * Graduated from same high school as Giants RF Randy Winn

CLAY TIMPNER (OF) -- #8 -- Age: 24
2004, 4th Round Selection, U. of Central Florida

LAST NIGHT: 1-6, 3RBI	SERIES:	
vs. RHP: .333	vs. LHP: .200	w/RISP: .500
HITTING STREAK: 3 games (4/3 - current)		
LONGEST HITTING STREAK: 3 games (4/3 - current)		
MULTI-HIT GAMES: 1 (Last: 4/4 @ POR)		
LAST HR:		
AS PH:		

CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 5th professional season
- * 2008 marked 4th consecutive trip to Giants ML spring training
- * 2007: Matched career high with 39 RBI for FRE
- * 2005 California League All-Star
- * 2004 Northwest League All-Star

JAKE WALD (IF) -- #6 -- Age: 27
2002, 11th Round Selection, George Washington U.

LAST NIGHT: 2-4, 2B, 2R, RBI, BB	SERIES:	
vs. RHP: .500	vs. LHP: .500	w/RISP: .500
HITTING STREAK: 1 game (4/6 - current)		
LONGEST HITTING STREAK: 1 game (4/6 - current)		
MULTI-HIT GAMES: 1 (Last: 4/6 @ POR)		
LAST HR:		
AS PH:		

CAREER NOTES

- * Begins his 7th professional season
- * 2007: Tied career-high with 11 SB for Connecticut
- * Two-time non-roster invitee to Giants spring training
- * *Remember the Titans* based on his high school in VA

2008 FRESNO GRIZZLIES TRANSACTIONS

4/4	ADD	RHP Vinnie Chulk on MLB Rehab Assignment
4/6	ADD	RHP Nick Pereira from Extended Spring
4/6	DELETE	IF Julio Cordido to Extended Spring

