



GAME INFO



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EASTERN LEAGUE CHAMPIONS 2010

DIVISION CHAMPIONS 2004, 2010

PLAYOFF APPEARANCES 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2010, 2015, 2016

PLAYERS TO MLB 139

April 23, 2017 -- Game #16, Road Game #10
Altoona Curve (9-6) vs. Akron RubberDucks (6-9)
RHP Yeudy Garcia (0-1, 9.64) vs. RHP Travis Banwart (0-1, 9.00)
2:05 p.m. | Canal Park | Akron, Ohio
Radio -- WKMC 1370 | TV -- MiLB.TV



BATTING AVG.: .241 (9th)
TEAM HR: 12 (T-5th)
WALKS: 59 (2nd)
STRIKEOUTS: 123 (5th)
TEAM ERA: 4.74 (11th)
WALKS: 48 (T-8th)
STRIKEOUTS: 100 (T-10th)
0 -- EL Rank

BATTING AVG.: .254 (4th)
TEAM HR: 9 (T-7th)
WALKS: 47 (9th)
STRIKEOUTS: 113 (8th)
TEAM ERA: 2.84 (2nd)
WALKS: 48 (T-8th)
STRIKEOUTS: 103 (9th)
0 -- EL Rank



UPCOMING GAMES & PITCHING PROBABLES

Mon., April 22 at Erie 6:35 p.m. RHP Alex McRae (2-0, 2.16) vs. RHP Myles Jaye (0-1, 3.38)
Tues., April 23 at Erie 6:35 p.m. RHP J.T. Brubaker (1-1, 4.76) vs. LHP Tyler Alexander (0-2, 5.93)
Wed., April 24 at Erie 12:05 p.m. RHP Tanner Anderson (1-1, 2.20) vs. RHP Artie Lewicki (1-1, 7.43)
Thurs., April 25 OFF DAY

YESTERDAY: The Curve lost to the RubberDucks, 3-2, in 11 innings with a walk-off single by Joe Sever. The Curve took a 1-0 lead in the first with a bases-loaded walk by Connor Joe, and he clubbed his first homer of the year in the third to extend the advantage to 2-0. Akron scored a run in the third and tied the score in the sixth after Austin Coley was called for a balk. The loss marked the first time the Curve have dropped back-to-back games this season and the team's first series loss.

TONIGHT: The Curve continue the six-game road trip with the finale of three games at Canal Park against the Akron RubberDucks. The Curve swept the RubberDucks in three games last Thursday-Saturday, the first Altoona sweep of Akron since 2010. The two teams clashed in last season's Western Division Series, with Akron winning the best-of-five set, 3-1, and moving on to win the Eastern League title.

FOR ALTOONA: Right-hander **Yeudy Garcia** makes his third start for the Curve. Last time out, he pitched four innings and allowed three earned runs (five total) in a loss against Erie on Monday. In his Double-A debut at Richmond on April 12, Garcia was lifted after throwing 30 pitches in the first inning, recording two outs and allowed two runs on one hit and two walks. He spent last year with the A-Adv. Bradenton Marauders, where he went 6-8 with a 2.76 ERA in 26 games (25 starts) and averaged a strikeout per inning. In 2015, Garcia went 12-5 with a 2.10 EAR for the Single-A West Virginia Power and was named the Pittsburgh Pirates Minor League Pitcher of the Year. Garcia enters 2017 as the Pirates' No. 12 prospect on MLB.com and *Baseball America's* No. 16 Pirates prospect. *For more on Garcia, see page two.*

FOR AKRON: Right-hander Travis Banwart makes his second start of the season and third overall appearance for the RubberDucks. Last time out, he pitched two scoreless relief innings against the Curve last Saturday. He made a start against Bowie on April 9 and was charged with a loss after allowing six earned runs in four innings. Banwart is in his first season in the United States since 2014, when he pitched at Triple-A with Columbus. He spent the last three years pitching in Korea, where he went 20-17 with a 4.92 ERA in 50 starts and one relief outing. Banwart was drafted by the Oakland Athletics in the fourth round in 2007.

RISPROBLEMS: The Curve are hitting .215 (28/130) with runners in scoring position so far this year and .182 (2/12) with runners in scoring position and two outs. Over the last six games, the Curve are hitting .160 (8/50) with runners in scoring position and .067 (3/45) when excluding Wednesday's 8-3 win over Erie.

EDWINNING: 2016 E.L. All-Star Edwin Espinal leads the team with 10 RBIs. He has come through with some clutch hits already this season, supplying a go-ahead single in the sixth inning on Tuesday that lifted the Curve to a win against Erie, and driving another go-ahead hit on Wednesday in a win over the SeaWolves. He hit a two-run homer last Saturday that supplied the only offense in 2-1 win over Akron. **He has the fourth-best strikeout rate in the league (13.75 TPA/SO).**

KRAMERICA INDUSTRIES: Curve second baseman **Kevin Kramer** is off to a hot start, hitting .378 (17/45) through his first 13 games, eighth-best in the league, including three home runs. He had two homers on April 13 in the Curve's home opener, including a go-ahead blast in the eighth inning. A second-round pick out of UCLA in 2013, **Kramer is currently second in the Eastern League with a .517 on-base percentage and fifth with a .667 slugging percentage. His 10-game hit streak to begin the season was snapped on Tuesday, but he has reached base in all 13 games he has played to begin the season.**

HELLO, NEWMAN: Shortstop **Kevin Newman** is the top-ranked prospect on this year's Curve roster, rated at No. 4 in the Pirates organization by both MLB.com and *Baseball America*. He made his Double-A debut with the Curve last season and led the Pirates' organization with a .320 overall batting average in his first full professional season, including a .288 mark with the Curve in 61 games. Newman was selected in the first round of the 2015 MLB Draft out of the University of Arizona. **Newman is currently on a season-best six-game hitting streak and has at least one hit in 11 of his 13 games played this year.**

DU-RAP IT UP: Altoona closer **Montana DuRapau** finished second in the Eastern League with 22 saves last year, tied for fourth-most in Curve history. It was tied for the second-most for a Curve pitcher in a season since 2007, behind only 24 by Noah Krol in 2011. He finished last season first in the EL with 43 games finished and fourth with 50 appearances. DuRapau picked up a save Tuesday and sits in third place on the Curve's all-time saves list with 26, trailing only Matt Peterson (29, 2003-06) and Brandon Knight (27, 2006). **DuRapau is tied for the E.L. lead with four saves.**

ON THE ROAD TRIP	
Games	2
Record	0-2
Average	.211 (16/76)
Runs/Runs Per Game	4/2.0
Home Runs	2
RISP	.067 (1/15)
Errors	0
ERA	2.89 (6 ER/18.2 IP)
Starter W-L	0-1
Starter ERA	3.86 (5 ER/11.2 IP)
Reliever W-L	0-1
Reliever ERA	1.29 (1 ER/7.0 IP)
Saves/Opps	0/1

ROSTER: The 2017 Curve roster has 11 players that have worn an Altoona uniform prior to this season. 14 are playing at the Double-A level for the first time in their careers. There are 13 pitchers and 13 position players on the Curve roster. 25 of the 26 players were originally signed or drafted by the Pirates, with the lone exception being catcher Zane Chavez. 24 players have played with only the Pirates organization in their professional careers (RHP Buddy Borden spent time in the Tampa Bay organization).

PROSPECT WATCH: The Curve roster currently features four of MLB.com's Top 30 Pirates Prospects: **Kevin Newman (4), Yeudy Garcia (13), Brandon Waddell (17) and Kevin Kramer (21)**. The same four players are also ranked in *Baseball America's* Top 30 Pittsburgh prospects list: Newman (4), Garcia (16), Waddell (17) and Kramer (21). B.A. also named Newman as the organization's "Best Hitter for Average" and Waddell as having the "Best Changeup."

2017 E.L. WESTERN STANDINGS

Team	W-L	PCT	GB	Today
Altoona	9-6	.600	--	@ AKR
Erie	8-6	.571	0.5	v. BIN
Bowie	9-7	.563	0.5	@ HAR
Harrisburg	8-7	.533	1.0	v. BOW
Akron	6-9	.400	3.0	v. ALT
Richmond	6-9	.400	3.0	v. REA

2017 E.L. EASTERN STANDINGS

Team	W-L	PCT	GB	Today
Portland	8-5	.615	--	v. TRN
Trenton	9-6	.600	--	@ POR
Binghamton	6-7	.462	2.0	@ ERI
Reading	6-7	.462	2.0	@ RIC
Hartford	6-9	.400	3.0	@ NHM
New Hamp.	6-9	.400	3.0	v. HFD

2017 CURVE AT A GLANCE

Overall Record..... 9-6
Home..... 5-1
Road..... 4-5

Place (E.L. Western) 1st
Games Ahead/Behind +0.5

Streak..... L2
Last 5 3-2
Last 10..... 6-4

2017 vs. Akron 3-2
at Altoona 0-2
at Akron..... 3-0
All-time vs. Akron..... 172-212
at Altoona 102-100
at Akron..... 71-112

'17 Home Attendance..... 22,929
Home Openings..... 6
Average Attendance..... 3,822

BROADCAST INFORMATION



Trey Wilson, Nate Bowen and Max Gun will call the action of the 2017 season on the flagship of the Curve, News Talk 1240, WRTA in Altoona. Pregame coverage begins 15 min. before all games. The Curve can also be heard on the following affiliate stations for selected games:
- WKMC-AM 1370 AM in Roaring Spring
- WTRN-AM 1340 in Tyrone
- WTRN-FM 100.7 in Tyrone
- WWGE 1400 AM in Ebensburg
- Online streaming at AltoonaCurve.com provided by TuneIn Radio
- Via the TuneIn Radio App and the MiLB First Pitch App

TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER



RHP YEUDY GARCIA



#38

HEIGHT: 6-3 WEIGHT: 204 B/T: R/R EXP: 4 YR

BORN: OCTOBER 6, 1992 (24) IN SABANA YUGUA, D.R.
RESIDES: PUEBLA VIEJO, D.R.
ACQUIRED: INTERNATIONAL FREE AGENT - 2013

GAME-BY-GAME

DATE	OPP	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	LEFT GM	RESULT
4/11	at Richmond	--	0.2	1	2	2	2	1	Runner on, two out	L, 4-3 (10)
4/17	Erie	L, (0-1)	4.0	7	5	3	1	3	After fourth, down 5-1	L, 7-1
4/23	at Akron									

Bold - Career High
Italics - Relief outing

GARCIA CAREER STATISTICS

YR	CLUB	W-L	ERA	G/GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
14	DSL Pirates	4-3	2.41	13/13	0	0	0	59.2	50	23	16	0	20	47
15	West Virginia (A)	12-5	2.10	30/21	0	0	1	124.1	92	36	29	4	41	112
16	Bradenton (A+)	6-8	2.76	26/25	1	0	1	127.1	122	53	39	7	53	127
17	Altoona (AA)	0-1	9.64	2/2	0	0	0	4.2	8	7	5	3	3	4
MiLB Totals (4 seasons)		22-17	2.53	71/61	1	0	2	316	272	119	89	14	118	290

CURRENT NOTES

2017 NOTES

Made Double-A debut on 4/11 @ RIC and was removed after throwing 30 pitches and recording two outs, allowing two hits and one walk, including a two-run homer by Miguel Gomez...Suffered first loss of the season on 4/17 v. ERI after allowing five runs (three earned) in four innings

2016 NOTES

Ranked second in the Florida State League in strikeouts (127), fifth in ERA (2.76), tied first first in games started (25), fifth in batting average (.250) among starters and first in K/9.0 IP (8.83)... Ranked third among Pirates minor leaguers in strikeouts (127)...Went 0-2 with a 5.40 ERA in four April starts...Went 1-2 with a 1.55 (5 ER/29 IP) in six outings (five starts) in May...Named FSL Pitcher of the Week for 5/23-5/29...Recorded career-best 10 strikeouts on 8/27 @ AUG...Entered season ranked as the Pirates' No. 12 prospect on MLB.com and No. 16 by *Baseball America*

ALTOONA CURVE STARTER BREAKDOWN

PLAYER	LAST START	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	RESULT	STARTS	TEAM RECORD
Tanner Anderson (R)	4/21 @ AKR	L (1)	5.2	4	3	3	0	4	3	L, 3-2	3	2-1
J.T. Brubaker (R)	4/19 v. ERI	--	5.2	7	3	3	0	2	4	W, 8-3	3	2-1
Austin Coley (R)	4/22 @ AKR	--	6.0	4	2	2	0	1	3	L 3-2 (11)	3	2-1
Yeudy Garcia (R)	4/17 v. ERI	L (1)	4.0	7	5	3	1	1	3	L, 7-1	2	0-2
Alex McRae (R)	4/18 v. ERI	--	5.2	5	3	3	0	2	0	W, 6-3	3	3-0
Brandon Waddell (L)	4/8 @ HAR (G1)	L (1)	4.0	3	4	4	1	1	5	L, 6-4	1	0-1

SEASON TOTALS	W	L	G	CG	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	ERA
	4	4	15	0	74.0	75	35	31	6	31	54	3.77

2017 HIGHS

IP: 4.0, 4/17 v. ERI
K's: 3, 4/17 v. ERI
BB's: 2, 4/11 @ RIC
Hits: 7, 4/17 v. ERI
Runs: 5, 4/17 v. ERI

CAREER HIGHS

IP: 7.0, 6/25/16 @ CHA
K's: 10, 8/27/16 @ AUG
BB: 5, 3x, last - 7/27/16 @ STL
Hits: 9, 2x, last - 4/10/16 v. FTM
Runs: 6, 8/7/16 @ STL

RUNS ALLOWED BY INNING (STARTS)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
4	1	0	2	--	--	--	--	--	--

GARCIA CAREER NOTES

Signed by the Pittsburgh Pirates as an international free agent on October 12, 2013...Attended college in the Dominican Republic before signing in 2013 at age 20...Named a 2014 DSL Mid-Season All-Star in professional debut year... Named a 2015 South Atlantic League Mid-Season and Post-Season All-Star, MiLB.com SAL Player of the Month (7/15), South Atlantic League Most Outstanding Pitcher, South Atlantic League best RHP and 2015 Pittsburgh Pirates Minor League Pitcher of the Year...Went 11-3 with a 2.04 ERA as a starting pitcher in 2015...Went 8-0 with a 1.71 ERA (11 ER/68.1) in 14 outings (13 starts) after the all-star break... Led SAL in ERA...Opponents hit .204 against him in 2015... Ranked as *Baseball America's* No. 9 SAL prospect in 2015... Ranked second among Pirates MiLB pitchers in ERA (2.10) and third in strikeouts (112) in 2015...Finished tied for second in SAL in wins (12), second in batting average against (.204), third in WHIP (1.07) and fifth in strikeouts

GARCIA VS. AKRON

Date	H/R	Dec	IP	H	R/ER	K/BB	---	ERA
4/17	R							

AKRON VS. GARCIA

Batter	AVG	HR	RBI	BB	K	---
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SEASON SPLITS/MISC. STATS

	W-L	ERA	G/GS	IP	R/ER	K/BB
Home	0-1	6.75	1/1	4.0	5/3	3/1
Road	0-0	27.00	1/1	0.2	2/2	1/2
Day	--	--	--	--	--	--
Night	--	9.64	2/2	4.2	7/5	4/3
April	--	9.64	2/2	4.2	7/5	4/3
Pre-ASG	--	9.64	2/2	4.2	7/5	4/3

STARTING PITCHER RUN SUPPORT

Pitcher	GS	Team Runs	R/Start	Quality Starts
Anderson	3	6	2.0	--
Brubaker	3	15	5.0	1
Coley	3	10	3.3	1
Garcia	2	4	2.0	--
McRae	3	15	5.0	1
Waddell	1	4	4.0	--

PITCHER NOTES

ALTOONA CURVE BULLPEN BREAKDOWN

PLAYER	LAST OUTING	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	GMS	SV/SVO	INH/STR.	1ST BATTER RET.
B. Borden	4/14 v. AKR	--	6.0	3	0	0	0	1	5	3	--	--	3/3
A. Coley	4/18 v. ERI	H (1)	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	--	--	--
M. DuRapau	4/22 @ AKR	--	2.0	0	0	0	0	2	2	6	4/4	--	3/6
S. Keselica	4/15 v. AKR	H (1)	7.2	2	0	0	0	1	7	3	--	4/4	3/3
J. Kuchno	4/22 @ AKR	L (1)	0.2	2	1	1	0	1	1	5	--	--	3/5
J. Lakind	4/22 @ AKR	--	2.0	2	0	0	0	0	2	4	1/1	4/4	2/4
M. Rosario	4/21 @ AKR	BS (1)	1.1	1	0	0	0	2	0	4	0/1	3/1	2/4
T. Scioneaux	4/21 @ AKR	--	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	--	3/1	4/5
C. Simpson	4/11 @ RIC	L (1)	0.2	2	2	2	0	1	1	1	0/1	--	1/1
SEASON TOTALS	W	L	G	SV/SO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	ERA	
	4	2	14	4/6	56.0	43	12	11	0	16	44	1.77	

#29 Buddy Borden (@Budreaux_The5th)

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 6-3/215

LAST OUTING:	4/14 v. AKR	MOST K:	2, 2x, last 4/14 v. AKR	SAVE OPPS:	-- (--%)
LONG OUTING (PEN):	3.0 IP, 4/10 @ RIC	MOST BB:	1, 4/14 v. AKR	INHERITED/STRANDED:	--/-- (--%)
LAST WIN:	--			FIRST BATTER RETIRED %:	3/3
LAST SAVE:	--			CURVE RECORD WHEN PITCHING:	3-0
LAST HR ALLOWED:	--			ACQ: MiLB FA - 2016	

- 2017 NOTES: Made Curve debut on 4/8 @ HAR (2) working one inning to finish 5-1 Curve win...Pitched three scoreless innings in 12-inning win on 4/10...Pitched two scoreless innings on 4/14 v. AKR in 5-4 win

- CAREER NOTES: Selected in the 7th round of the 2013 MLB Draft by the Pittsburgh Pirates out of University of Nevada

- Las Vegas...Named Mountain West Conference Co-Pitcher of Year in 2013...Went 8-2 with a 2.59 ERA in 15 starts as a junior

in 2013, including one complete game...Made professional debut in 2013 with short-season Jamestown, going 0-0 with a 1.08 ERA in six games (three starts)...After pitching for Single-A West Virginia in 2014, he was traded to the Tampa Bay Rays for Sean Rodriguez during the offseason and pitched for the A-Adv. Charlotte Stone Crabs in 2015...Went 9-7 with a 2.97 ERA in 28 games (17 starts)...Began 2016 season with Double-A Montgomery...Appeared in just 14 games before being released by the club...Signed by the Pirates as a MiLB free agent on 6/27/16...Reported to Bradenton where he went 1-6 with a 7.23 ERA in 13 games (12 starts)...For more on Borden, see Page 18 of the Curve Media Guide

LAST THREE APP.					
DATE	W/L	IP	H	R/ER	K/BB
4/14 v. AKR	--	2.0	1	0/0	2/1
4/10 @ RIC	--	3.0	2	0/0	2/0
4/8 @ HAR (2)	--	1.0	0	0/0	1/0

#17 Austin Coley (@AustinColey)

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 6-3/203

LAST OUTING:	4/18 v. ERI	MOST K:	--	SAVE OPPS:	-- (--%)
LONG OUTING (PEN):	1.0, 4/18 v. ERI	MOST BB:	--	INHERITED/STRANDED:	--/-- (--%)
LAST WIN:	--			FIRST BATTER RETIRED %:	1/1 (100%)
LAST SAVE:	--			CURVE RECORD WHEN PITCHING:	1-0
LAST HR ALLOWED:	--			ACQ: 8th Rd. - 2014 (Belmont)	

- 2017 NOTES: Made 'pen debut on 4.18 v. ERI, tossed one scoreless inning

- CAREER NOTES: Selected in the 8th round of the 2014 MLB Draft by the Pittsburgh Pirates out of Belmont University...Set

school record with 13 strikeouts against Mercer on 2/28/14...Second highest draft selection in Belmont history behind former

Bruin closer Blake Owen (6th round to Baltimore in 2005)...Made professional debut in 2014 with short-season Jamestown, going

0-2 with a 5.23 ERA in eight starts...Won 16 games for Single-A West Virginia in 2015, going 16-6 with a 3.66 ERA in 27 starts...

Went 12-10 with a 4.65 ERA for Bradenton in 2016...Has started 60/61 career games, but will begin the 2017 season in the bullpen...For more on Coley, see Page 21 of the Curve Media Guide

LAST THREE APP.					
DATE	W/L	IP	H	R/ER	K/BB
4/18 v. ERI	--	1.0	0	0/0	0/0
--	--	--	--	--	--
--	--	--	--	--	--

#36 Montana DuRapau (@DuRapauMontana)

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 5-11/175

LAST OUTING:	4/18 v. ERI	MOST K:	2, 4/13 @ v. AKR	SAVE OPPS:	3/3 (100%)
LONG OUTING (PEN):	2.0 IP, 4/10 @ RIC	MOST BB:	1, 2x, last - 4/15 v. AKR	INHERITED/STRANDED:	--/-- (--%)
LAST WIN:	4/10 @ RIC			FIRST BATTER RETIRED %:	3/4 (75%)
LAST SAVE:	4/18 v. ERI			CURVE RECORD WHEN PITCHING:	5-0
LAST HR ALLOWED:	--			ACQ: 32rd Rd - 2014 (Bethune-Cookman)	

- CURRENT NOTES: Tied for E.L. lead with four saves

- 2017 NOTES: Made first appearance on Opening Day (4/7 @ HAR) and earned first save of the season...Earned first win on

4/10 @ RIC...Nailed down his second save on 4/13 v. AKR in the home opener...Secured his third save on 4/15 v. AKR

- CAREER NOTES: Selected in the 32nd round of the 2014 MLB Draft by the Pittsburgh Pirates out of Bethune-Cookman...

Named first-team All-MEAC in junior season in 2013 while taking over as the number one starter in the weekend rotation...Went

25-15 with a 3.19 in 66 collegiate games during four-year career at Bethune-Cookman...Made professional debut in 2014 with

short-season Jamestown, going 3-2 with a 2.21 ERA in 15 games (11 starts)...Played 2016 with Altoona and led Pirates organization with 22 saves...Tied for fourth-

most saves in Curve history...For more on DuRapau, see Page 26 of the Curve Media Guide

LAST THREE APP.					
DATE	W/L	IP	H	R/ER	K/BB
4/18 v. ERI	S(4)	1.0	2	0/0	0/0
4/15 v. AKR	S(3)	1.0	1	1/1	1/1
4/13 v. AKR	S(2)	1.0	1	0/0	2/0

#39 Sean Keselica

Bats: Left Throws: Left

Ht/Wt: 6-2/205

LAST OUTING:	4/15 v. AKR	MOST K:	3, 2x, last - 4/11 @ RIC	SAVE OPPS:	-- (--%)
LONG OUTING (PEN):	3.1 IP, 4/11 @ RIC	MOST BB:	1, 4/8 @ HAR (2)	INHERITED/STRANDED:	4/4 (100%)
LAST WIN:	4/8 @ HAR (2)			FIRST BATTER RETIRED %:	3/3 (100%)
LAST SAVE:	--			CURVE RECORD WHEN PITCHING:	2-1
LAST HR ALLOWED:	--			ACQ: 33rd Rd. - 2015 (Virginia Tech)	

- 2017 NOTES: Earned a win in Double-A debut on 4/8 @ HAR (2) working two innings...Pitched 3.1 scoreless @ HAR on 4/11...Earned first hold of the season on 4/15 v. AKR, helping secure the win and sweep of the RubberDucks

- CAREER NOTES: Selected in the 33rd round of the 2015 MLB Draft by the Pittsburgh Pirates out of Virginia Tech University...

Was both a position player and pitcher in college, hitting .307 with five home runs and 31 RBI during sophomore season...Has

won a championship in each of his first two professional seasons (2015 with West Virginia Black Bears and 2016 with Bradenton

Marauders)...Went 2-1 with a 1.41 ERA in 24 games for the West Virginia Power last season before joining Bradenton for their

playoff run...For more on Keselica, see Page 38 of the Curve Media Guide

LAST THREE APP.					
DATE	W/L	IP	H	R/ER	K/BB
4/15 v. AKR	H (1)	2.1	0	0/0	1/0
4/11 @ RIC	--	3.1	2	0/0	3/0
4/8 @ HAR (1)	W	2.0	0	0/0	3/1

#52 John Kuchno

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 6-5/210

LAST OUTING:	4/17 v. ERI	MOST K:	2, 4/7 @ HAR	SAVE OPPS:	-- (--%)
LONG OUTING (PEN):	3.0 IP, 4/12 @ RIC	MOST BB:	--	INHERITED/STRANDED:	2/0 (100%)
LAST WIN:	--			FIRST BATTER RETIRED %:	2/4 (50%)
LAST SAVE:	--			CURVE RECORD WHEN PITCHING:	2-2
LAST HR ALLOWED:	--			ACQ: 18th Rd - 2012 (Ohio State)	

- 2017 NOTES: Pitched three shutout innings on 4/12 @ RIC, in Altoona's first shutout of the season

- CAREER NOTES: Selected in the 18th round of the 2012 MLB Draft by the Pittsburgh Pirates out of The Ohio State...Named

All-Academic Big Ten in 2011...Made pro debut on 8/25 with short-season State College...Struck out career-high nine batters on

5/29/13 with Class-A West Virginia against Greensboro...Pitched in ten games for the Curve in 2016 before being promoted to

Triple-A Indianapolis where he appeared in 28 games (two starts) and went 1-4 with a 5.22 ERA

LAST THREE APP.					
DATE	W/L	IP	H	R/ER	K/BB
4/17 v. ERI	--	2.0	4	2/1	0/0
4/12 @ RIC	--	3.0	1	0/0	4/0
4/9 @ HAR	--	1.0	2	2/2	0/1

PITCHER NOTES

#30 Jared Lakind

Bats: Left Throws: Left

Ht/Wt: 6-2/195

LAST OUTING: 4/18 v. ERI
LONG OUTING (PEN): 2.0 IP, 4/11 @ RIC
LAST WIN: --
LAST SAVE: 4/14 v. AKR
LAST HR ALLOWED: --

MOST K: 2, 4/11 @ RIC
MOST BB: 1, 2x, last - 4/11 @ RIC

SAVE OPPS: 1/1 (100%)
INHERITED/STRANDED: 4/4 (100%)
FIRST BATTER RETIRED %: 3/4 (75%)
CURVE RECORD WHEN PITCHING: 2-2
ACQ: 23rd Rd - 2010 (Cypress Woods (Texas) High School)

- **2017 NOTES:** Made season debut on 4/9 @ HAR, tossed 1.2 scoreless innings...Pitched two scoreless innings on 4/11 @ RIC... Earned first save of the season on 4/14 v. AKR...Came in to strand bases loaded v. ERI on 4/18

- **CAREER NOTES:** Selected in the 23rd round of the 2010 MLB Draft by the Pittsburgh Pirates out of Cypress Woods High School in Texas...Spent first three professional seasons with the Pirates as a first baseman before transitioning to pitching in Spring Training of 2013...Pitched for Team Israel in the 2017 World Baseball Classic...Spent all of 2016 in Double-A Altoona, where he went 5-1 with a 2.59 ERA in 47 games in relief...**For more on Lakind, see Page 40 of the Curve Media Guide**

LAST THREE APP.

DATE	W/L	IP	H	R/ER	K/BB
4/18 v. ERI	--	0.1	0	0/0	0/0
4/14 v. AKR	S(1)	1.0	1	0/0	1/0
4/11 @ RIC	--	2.0	0	0/0	2/1

#35 Miguel Rosario

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 6-0/190

LAST OUTING: 4/21 @ AKR
LONG OUTING (PEN): 3.0 IP, 4/11 @ RIC
LAST WIN: --
LAST SAVE: --
LAST HR ALLOWED: --

MOST K: 2, 2x, last - 4/17 v. ERI
MOST BB: 2, 4/21 @ AKR

SAVE OPPS: 0/1 (0%)
INHERITED/STRANDED: 3/1 (33%)
FIRST BATTER RETIRED %: 2/4 (50%)
CURVE RECORD WHEN PITCHING: 0-4
ACQ: Intl FA - December 11, 2011 (Dominican Republic)

- **2017 NOTES:** Made 2017 debut on 4/8 @ HAR (1) and allowed two runs in the fifth...Tossed three scoreless innings on 4/11 @ RIC...Pitched three scoreless innings on 4/17 v. ERI

- **CAREER NOTES:** Signed with the Pittsburgh Pirates as an international free agent on December 11, 2011...Made pro debut on 8/20/12 with DSL Pirates against the DSL Red Sox...Spent 2013 with the GCL Pirates, finishing with a 1-1 record and a 3.61 ERA over 15 appearances...Went 14 straight appearances in 2014 without collecting a loss with Jamestown...Split time in 2015 with West Virginia and Bradenton, appearing in a total of 38 games...Spent 2016 between Bradenton and Altoona, appeared in 23 games for the Curve, going 2-2 with a 1.87 ERA in 33.2 IP...**For More on Rosario, see Page 50 of the Curve Media Guide.**

LAST THREE APP.

DATE	W/L	IP	H	R/ER	K/BB
4/21 @ AKR	BS	1.1	1	0/0	0/2
4/17 v. ERI	--	3.0	4	0/0	2/0
4/11 @ RIC	--	3.0	3	0/0	1/0

#18 Tate Scioneux

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 6-1/200

LAST OUTING: 4/21 @ AKR
LONG OUTING (PEN): 2.2 IP, 4/13 v. AKR
LAST WIN: 4/18 v. ERI
LAST SAVE: --
LAST HR ALLOWED: --

MOST K: 3, 4/10 @ RIC
MOST BB: 1, 2x, last 4/13 v. AKR

SAVE OPPS: 0/1 (0%)
INHERITED/STRANDED: 3/1 (33%)
FIRST BATTER RETIRED %: 4/5 (80%)
CURVE RECORD WHEN PITCHING: 4-1
ACQ: 39th Rd - 2015 (Southeastern Louisiana)

- **2017 NOTES:** Made Double-A debut on 4/7 @ HAR and pitched two scoreless innings...6.2 straight scoreless innings...Earned first win of the season on 4/13 v. AKR...Earned win in back-to-back outings after beating ERI on 4/18

- **CAREER NOTES:** Selected in the 39th round of the 2015 MLB Draft by the Pittsburgh Pirates out of Southeastern Louisiana University...Named First Team All-Southland Conference and tossed three consecutive shutouts during senior season in 2015... Made pro debut on 7/28/15 with short-season West Virginia...Pitched in seven games for Single-A West Virginia in 2016 before being promoted to Bradenton for the rest of the season, appearing in 32 games and going 4-3 with a 3.06 ERA for the Marauders...**For more on Scioneux, see Page 52 of the Curve Media Guide**

LAST THREE APP.

DATE	W/L	IP	H	R/ER	K/BB
4/21 @ AKR	--	1.0	0	0/0	1/0
4/18 v. ERI	W(2)	1.0	3	0/0	1/0
4/13 v. AKR	W(1)	2.2	2	0/0	1/1

SHUTOUTS BY CURVE

1

Date	Score	Hits	Pitcher(s)
4/12 @ RIC	4-0	5	A. McRae, J. Kuchno

SHUTOUTS BY OPPONENTS

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Date	Score	Hits	Pitcher(s)
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CATCHER'S BOX

5-13 (38.5%)

Player	Caught	Attempts	Percent	Last Caught Stealing
Z. Chavez	3	8	37.5%	4/14 v. AKR
T. Morales	2	5	40%	4/17 v. ERI

ERRORS BY POSITION (OUTFIELD ASSISTS)

9 E (.984)

Left Field		Center Field		Right Field	
Player	E (A)	Player	E (A)	Player	E (A)
E. Escobar	0 (0)	E. Escobar	0 (0)	E. Escobar	0 (0)
J. Luplow	1 (1)	P. Reyes	0 (0)	C. Joe	0 (0)
		M. Suchy	0 (0)	M. Suchy	1 (0)
		Shortstop		Second Base	
		Player	E	Player	E
		K. Newman	1	K. Kramer	0
		P. Reyes	0	P. Reyes	0
		Catcher		First Base	
		Player	E (PB)	Player	E
		Z. Chavez	1 (2)	E. Espinal	0
		T. Morales	2 (0)	C. Joe	0
		Third Base			
		Player	E		
		E. Espinal	0		
		W. Mathisen	1		
		C. Simpson	0		

POSITION PLAYER NOTES

#10 Zane Chavez (@ZaneChavez)

Bats: Left Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 5-10/200

CURRENT HIT STREAK: --

LONGEST HIT STREAK: 2 games, 4/14-4/18

STARTS (POSITION): C (6)

STARTS (ORDER): -- 8th (2), 7th (4)

LAST HR: --

PINCH-HITTING: --

MULTI-HIT GAMES: --

ACQ: MiLB FA - 2011

- **2017 NOTES:** Threw out two of three attempting base-stealers on 4/9 @ HAR...Picked up first hit and RBI of the season on 4/14 v. AKR
 - **CAREER NOTES:** Signed by the Pirates as a minor league free agent on December 22, 2016, after playing independent league baseball last season, and a total of six years overall...Attended Fallbrook Union (Calif.) High School near San Diego, which also produced Cincinnati Reds pitcher Mike Leake and Washington pitcher Matt Chico...Played 70 games for the Laredo Lemurs and hit .260 with six home runs and 38 RBI, while throwing out 35% of base stealing attempts in 2016...Last played affiliated baseball in 2014 as a member of the Baltimore Orioles organization...Put together a career-best 11-game hitting steak from 8-15-14-8-26-14...**For more on Chavez, see Page 20 of the Curve Media Guide**

#3 Christopher Diaz (@cdiaz2)

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 5-10/180

CURRENT HIT STREAK: 1 game, 4/22-pres.

LONGEST HIT STREAK: 1 game, 4-22-pres.

STARTS (POSITION): 2B (1)

STARTS (ORDER): 9th (1)

LAST HR: --

PINCH-HITTING: --

MULTI-HIT GAMES: --

ACQ: 11th Rd. - 2012 (N.C. State)

- **2017 NOTES:** Transferred from Extended Spring Training to Altoona on 4/19...Made 2017 debut on 4/22 @ AKR and reached base three times (1/3, 2 BB)
 - **CAREER NOTES:** Selected by the Pittsburgh Pirates in the 11th round of the 2012 draft out of North Carolina State University...Teammates at N.C. State with Trea Turner and Carlos Rodon...Was an All-ACC First-Team selection in 2012, after he finished second in the ACC in hits (84) and sixth in RBIs (50)...Spent 2016 with Altoona...Drove in a career-high four RBIs on 4/18 @ HAR...Played in 79 games with the Curve in 2016...Posted a season-high .264 average in June...Played 2015 season in Bradenton...Hit .248 in 96 games...Spent 2014 season with the West Virginia Power...Appeared in 82 games and compiled a career-high 10-game hitting streak from 7/6-7/15...**For more on Diaz, see Page 24 of the Curve Media Guide**

#13 Elvis Escobar

Bats: Left Throws: Left

Ht/Wt: 5-7/182

CURRENT HIT STREAK: 2 games, 4/19-pres.

LONGEST HIT STREAK: 2 games, 3x, last - 4/19-pres.

STARTS (POSITION): -- LF (2), CF (6), RF (1)

STARTS (ORDER): -- 2nd (1), 7th (2), 8th (2), 9th (4)

LAST HR: --

PINCH-HITTING: (0/1) .000

MULTI-HIT GAMES: 2

ACQ: Intl FA - July 21, 2011 (Venezuela)

- **2017 NOTES:** Notched three hits on 4/11 @ RIC...Has played all three outfield positions this season...**Has six hits over his last four games...**Drove in a run with a sac fly on 4/18 v. ERI
 - **CAREER NOTES:** Signed as an international free agent by the Pirates in 2011 from Venezuela...Made professional debut on 6/18/12 with the GCL Pirates against the GCL Blue Jays, going 2-for-3 with three runs scored and two RBI...Hit first career home run on 7/23 @ GCL Blue Jays...Went 4-for-4 with two runs scored and two RBI on 8/4/12 @ GCL Blue Jays...Spent all of 2013 with short-season Jamestown, hitting .268 with one home run and 23 RBI...Split time in 2014 with Jamestown and Single-A West Virginia, combining to hit .237 with three home runs and 38 RBI...Hit career-best .296 in 2015 with Power, hitting five home runs and driving in a career-best 64 runs...Began the 2016 season in Bradenton where he played in 92 games before being promoted to Altoona...Hit .241 in 29 games with the Curve with two home runs and seven RBI in 2016...Hit a triple in the third inning on 8/12 v. Reading, setting a new franchise record with the team's 51st triple of the season...**For more on Escobar, see Page 28 of the Curve Media Guide**

#14 Edwin Espinal

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 6-1/245

CURRENT HIT STREAK: 1 game, 4/22-pres.

LONGEST HIT STREAK: 8 games, 4/10-4/19

STARTS (POSITION): 1B (9), 3B (1), DH (3)

STARTS (ORDER): 4th (13)

LAST HR: --

PINCH-HITTING: --

MULTI-HIT GAMES: 7

ACQ: Intl FA - April 18, 2011 (D.R.)

- **CURRENT NOTES:** **Has the fourth-best strikeout rate in the league (13.75TPA/SO)...Currently holds a 15-game hitting streak in home games at PNG Field, dating back to 8/13/16**
 - **2017 NOTES:** Hit first home run of the season in win on 4/15 v. AKR, a two-run shot that lifted the Curve to a 2-1 win...Had go-ahead RBI single in win on 4/18 v. ERI...Had go-ahead RBI double in win on 4/18 v. ERI...Went on an eight-game hit streak from 4/10-4/19 with six multi-hit games and eight RBIs
 - **CAREER NOTES:** Finished third on the Curve and tenth in the Pirates organization with 56 RBIs in 2016...Named a 2016 Eastern League All-Star with Altoona...Hit a walk-off homer for the Curve in the 12th inning on 8/3/16 v. RIC...Added a walk-off sac fly in the 10th inning the following night...**For more on Escobar, see Page 29 of the Curve Media Guide**

#6 Connor Joe (@cojoooo_619)

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 6-0/212

CURRENT HIT STREAK: 3 games, 4/18-pres.

LONGEST HIT STREAK: 4 games, 4/7-4/9

STARTS (POSITION): 1B (6), RF (2), DH (3)

STARTS (ORDER): 3rd (1), 4th (1), 5th (7), 6th (2)

LAST HR: --

PINCH-HITTING: (3/3) 1.000

MULTI-HIT GAMES: --

ACQ: 1st Rd. CBA - 2014 (U of San Diego)

- **CURRENT NOTES:** **3-for-3 as a pinch-hitter**
 - **2017 NOTES:** Opened season on a four-game hitting streak...Hit first Double-A homer on 4/22 @ AKR
 - **CAREER NOTES:** Selected by the Pittsburgh Pirates in the 1st Round CBA draft in 2014 after playing collage ball at the University of San Diego...High school teammates with fellow Curve player Kevin Newman (the two lived a two-minute drive apart growing up)...College teammates at USD with Cubs third baseman Kris Bryant...Named to WCC All-Freshman team after hitting .262 in 40 starts at first base...Batted .367 and hit a career-high nine home runs; drove in a career-best 51 runs, which led the WCC...Named West Coast Conference Player of the Year in 2014 as a junior...Injured his back after being drafted and sat out the remainder of the 2014 season...Made pro debut with Single-A West Virginia in 2015, hitting .245 in 80 games...Played for Bradenton in 2016, where he hit .277 with five home runs and 52 RBI in 107 games...Was the team's primary third baseman, the only position he played in 2016 after playing catcher in college, being drafted as an outfielder and playing first base in 2015...**For more on Joe, see page 36 of the Curve Media Guide**

#37 Kevin Kramer (@Kevin_Kramer7)

Bats: Left Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 6-1/190

CURRENT HIT STREAK: 1 game, 4/22-pres.

LONGEST HIT STREAK: 10 games, 4/7-4/17

STARTS (POSITION): 2B (12), DH (1)

STARTS (ORDER): 3rd (13)

LAST HR: 4/13 v. AKR

PINCH-HITTING: --

MULTI-HIT GAMES: 4

ACQ: 2nd Rd. - 2015 (UCLA)

- **CURRENT NOTES:** **Hitting .378, eighth-best in the Eastern League...Second in Eastern League with a .517 on-base percentage and fifth with a .667 slugging percentage...Currently on a 13-game on-base streak to open his season, the longest for the Curve so far this year**
 - **2017 NOTES:** Hit first Double-A home run on 4/8 @ HAR (1), a three-run shot...Was hit by a pitch three times and walked once on 4/18 v. ERI...Notched first multi-home run game on 4/13 v. AKR, both solo shots, including go-ahead blast in 8th inning to secure win...Went on a ten-game hitting streak to open the season from 4/7-4/17
 - **CAREER NOTES:** Selected by the Pittsburgh Pirates in the 2nd Round of the 2015 draft out of UCLA...Won the College World Series with the Bruins as a sophomore in 2013, after hitting three home runs and 42 RBI in 66 games...Missed entire 2014 season with a torn labrum but returned in 2015 to hit .323 with seven home runs and 34 RBI for UCLA...Made pro debut with short-season West Virginia on 6/19/15, going 1-for-4 with an RBI...Was promoted to Single-A West Virginia by the end of the 2015 season...Spent 2016 campaign with Bradenton, where he hit .277 with four home runs and 57 RBI in 118 games...Served as the team's primary second baseman...Led Florida State League second baseman in fielding percentage (.983)...**For more on Kramer, see Page 39 of the Curve Media Guide**

POSITION PLAYER NOTES

#23 Jordan Luplow (@J_Luppp)	Bats: Right Throws: Right	Ht/Wt: 6-0/199
CURRENT HIT STREAK: -- LONGEST HIT STREAK: 4 games, 4/8 -4/11 STARTS (POSITION): LF (13) STARTS (ORDER): 3rd (1), 4th (2), 5th (4), 6th (6)		LAST HR: 4/11 @ RIC PINCH-HITTING: 0/1 MULTI-HIT GAMES: 3 ACQ: 3rd Rd. - 2014 (Fresno State)
<p>- 2017 NOTES: Knocked a two-run double on 4/9 @ HAR...Had a four-game hitting streak from 4/8-4/11...Clubbed two HR (solo) on 4/11 @ RIC...Had first multi-homer game of the season for Curve</p> <p>- CAREER NOTES: Selected by the Pittsburgh Pirates in the 3rd round of the 2014 draft out of Fresno State...Named Mountain West Player of the Year and First-Team all Mountain West as a junior in 2013...Named one of 21 semifinalists for the Golden Spikes award, which recognizes amateur baseball's top player...Made pro debut for short-season Jamestown in 2014...Played in 62 games for the Jammers and registered 17 outfield assists...Spent 2015 season with Single-A West Virginia where he hit .264 with 12 home runs and 67 RBI with the Power in 106 games...Played with Bradenton in 2016 and appeared in 104 games, batting .254 with 10 home runs and 54 RBI...Played in left field after spending the previous year at third base...For more on Luplow, see Page 42 of the Curve Media Guide</p>		
#5 Wyatt Mathisen (@wmathisen_4)	Bats: Right Throws: Right	Ht/Wt: 6-1/241
CURRENT HIT STREAK: 1 game, 4/22-pres. LONGEST HIT STREAK: 5 games, 4/8 (2)-4/14 STARTS (POSITION): 3B (9) STARTS (ORDER): 6th (2), 7th (3), 8th (4)		LAST HR: -- PINCH-HITTING: (0/2), BB, HBP, K MULTI-HIT GAMES: 2 ACQ: 2nd Rd. - 2012 (Calallen (Texas) HS)
<p>- 2017 NOTES: Had first multi-hit game of the season on 4/10 @ RIC...Had season-high five-game hit streak snapped on 4/14...Has two multi-hit games</p> <p>- CAREER NOTES: Selected by the Pittsburgh Pirates in the second round of the 2012 draft out of Calallen (Texas) High School...Batted .433 with 13 home runs and 40 RBI during senior season in 2012...Had committed to University of Texas prior to signing with the Pirates...Was drafted as a catcher and ranked as the top high school catcher prospect, 25th-best position player and 47th-best overall prospect by <i>Baseball America</i> prior to the 2012 draft...Made pro debut with GCL Pirates on 6/18/12...Hit first career home run on 8/20/12 against GCL Braves...Limited to 48 total games in 2013 with a shoulder injury...Converted from catcher to third base prior to the 2014 season...Spent 2015 with Bradenton where he played in a career-most 118 games, hitting .263 with four home runs and 34 RBI...Repeated Bradenton in 2016, but did not appear in a game until June due to a shoulder injury that limited him to just 36 games...For more on Mathisen, see Page 44 of the Curve Media Guide</p>		
#49 Tomas Morales	Bats: Right Throws: Right	Ht/Wt: 6-3/190
CURRENT HIT STREAK: 3 games, 4/17-pres. LONGEST HIT STREAK: 3 games, 4/17-pres. STARTS (POSITION): C (8) STARTS (ORDER): 8th (5), 9th (3)		LAST HR: -- PINCH-HITTING: -- MULTI-HIT GAMES: 1 ACQ: Intl FA - July 21, 2011 (Venezuela)
<p>- 2017 NOTES:</p> <p>- CAREER NOTES: Signed as an international free agent by the Pittsburgh Pirates on July 21, 2011...Made professional debut on 7/23/11 with VSL Pirates @ VSL Seattle...Played first professional game stateside on 6/28/13 with GCL Pirates @ GCL Astros...Hit career-best .301 in 26 games with Bristol Pirates in 2015 and threw out 28% of base stealers, which was the best on the team...Began 2016 season with Bradenton...Appeared in 22 games for the Marauders and was promoted to Altoona in two separate stints...Hit first career home run on 8/21 @ NH, a pinch-hit blast...The following day he also had a pinch-hit home run...Stroked a pinch-hit RBI triple on 8/21 vs. BIN...For more on Morales, see page 47 of the Curve media guide</p>		
#19 Kevin Newman (@OfficialKBN)	Bats: Right Throws: Right	Ht/Wt: 6-1/180
CURRENT HIT STREAK: 6 games, 4/15-pres. LONGEST HIT STREAK: 6 games, 4/15-pres. STARTS (POSITION): SS (13) STARTS (ORDER): 1st (13)		LAST HR: -- PINCH-HITTING: -- MULTI-HIT GAMES: 5 ACQ: 1st Rd. - 2015 (Arizona)
<p>- CURRENT NOTES: Has at least one hit in 11 of his first 13 games</p> <p>- 2017 NOTES: Hit safely in first five games...Had three hits on Opening Night</p> <p>- CAREER NOTES: Selected in the first round (19th overall) by the Pirates out of the University of Arizona in 2015...Started at shortstop in all 165 games in Arizona career...Made professional debut on 6/19/15 with the West Virginia Black Bears vs. Mahoning Valley...Recorded first professional hit in his debut...Hit first home run on 7/17/15 vs. State College...Stole three bases on 7/22 vs. Brooklyn...Promoted to Single-A West Virginia on 8/9/15...Spent 2016 seasons between Bradenton and Altoona...Hit .366 in 41 games for the Marauders (hit safely in 34 of his first 41 games) and batted .288 in 61 games with the Curve...Led all Pirates minor leaguers with a combined .320 batting average in 2016...Compiled a career-best 17-game hitting streak from 6/21-7/9, the seventh-longest in the Eastern League in 2016 and the seventh-longest in Curve franchise history...For more on Newman, see Page 48 of the Curve Media Guide</p>		
#27 Pablo Reyes	Bats: Right Throws: Right	Ht/Wt: 5-10/162
CURRENT HIT STREAK: 1 game, 4/22-pres. LONGEST HIT STREAK: 3 games, 2x, last 4/10-4/13. STARTS (POSITION): 2B (2), SS (2), CF (8) STARTS (ORDER): 1st (2), 2nd (10)		LAST HR: 4/8 @ HAR (G2) PINCH-HITTING: (0/1) .000 MULTI-HIT GAMES: 2 ACQ: Intl. FA - April 5, 2012 (D.R.)
<p>- 2017 NOTES: Hit safely in four of five games to start the season...Has played CF, SS and 2B this season...Drove in winning run in 12th inning on 4/10 @ RIC</p> <p>- CAREER NOTES: Signed as an international free agent by the Pirates on April 5, 2012 out of the Dominican Republic...Younger brother, Samuel Reyes, signed with the Pirates as a right-handed pitcher on July 2, 2016...Made pro debut on 6/2/12 as an 18-year-old in the Dominican Summer League...Was brought state-side in 2014 and spent the season with Rookie-level Bristol, where he hit .272 and was the team's primary second baseman...Played with Single-A West Virginia in 2015...Launched a career-high 12 home runs for the Power, and stole a career-best 27 bases in 37 attempts...Led the South Atlantic League in games (103)...Played for Bradenton in 2016...Played second base, short stop, center field and third base...Hit .410 in 20 August games...Played winter ball for Leones del Escogido in the Dominican Republic, hit .333 with two doubles and three RBI in 21 games...For more on Reyes, see Page 49 of Curve Media Guide</p>		

POSITION PLAYER NOTES

#7 Chase Simpson (@chaser31025)

Bats: Switch Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 6-2/199

CURRENT HIT STREAK: 3 games, 4/18-pres.

LONGEST HIT STREAK: 3 games, 4/18-pres.

STARTS (POSITION): 1B (1), 3B (5), DH (1)

STARTS (ORDER): 5th (3), 6th (2), 7th (1), 8th (1)

LAST HR: 4/21 @ AKR (N. Pasquale)

PINCH-HITTING: (0/1) .000

MULTI-HIT GAMES: 1

ACQ: 14th Rd - 2014 (Wichita State)

- **2017 NOTES:** Came in to pitch on 4/11 @ RIC and picked up loss, allowing walk-off single in tenth inning...Drove in first run with an RBI double v. ERI on 4/18... Hit first Double-A homer on 4/21 @ AKR

- **CAREER NOTES:** Selected in the 14th round of the 2014 MLB Draft by the Pittsburgh Pirates out of Wichita State...Played with Tampa Bay prospect Casey Gillaspie at Wichita State...Began college career at Weatherford College in Texas, and then transferred to Oklahoma before finishing his college career at Wichita...Made pro debut with short-season Jamestown, appeared in 55 games as the team's primary third baseman...Clubbed his first career home run in just his third career game against Williamsport on 6/17/14...Spent 2015 season with Single-A West Virginia...Split time between third base, first base and designated hitter...Hit .322 in 20 games in April...Tallied a career-best six RBI on 8/5/15 against Greenville...Selected as a South Atlantic League All-Star and played in a career-high 117 games in 2015...Played 2016 season in Bradenton...Played mostly first base and designated hitter...Batted .235 with eight home runs and 47 RBI in 84 games for the Marauders...**For more on Simpson, see Page 53 of the Curve Media Guide**

#25 Michael Suchy

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 6-3/252

CURRENT HIT STREAK: 2 games, 4/19-pres.

LONGEST HIT STREAK: 4 games, 2x, last - 4/10-4/13

STARTS (POSITION): CF (1), RF (11)

STARTS (ORDER): 2nd (4), 5th (1), 6th (3), 7th (4),

LAST HR: --

PINCH-HITTING: --

MULTI-HIT GAMES: 3

ACQ: 5th Rd. - 2014 (Florida Gulf Coast)

- **2017 NOTES:** Hit safely in seven of first eight games to start the year...Played CF for the first time on 4/10 @ RIC...Notched first RBI on sac fly on 4/13 v. AKR

- **CAREER NOTES:** Selected in the 5th round of the 2014 MLB Draft by the Pittsburgh Pirates out of Florida Gulf Coast...Earned Atlantic Sun All-Conference first team honors after 2014 season...Was second-highest draft pick in school history behind Chris Sale (13th overall in 2010)...Played for short-season Jamestown after being drafted in 2014, played in 66 games...Spent 2015 with Single-A West Virginia, where he hit .275 with ten home runs and 76 RBI in a career-high 124 games...Ranked second in the South Atlantic League in RBI in 2015...Spent 2016 with Bradenton, where he played in 115 games...Batted .246 with seven home runs and 47 RBI...Went 3-for-4 with a home run and four RBI vs. Fort Myers on 6/27/16...**For more on Suchy, see Page 55 of the Curve Media Guide**

BATTERS BREAKDOWN

PLAYER	MULTI-HIT GAMES					MULTI-RBI GAMES					HOME RUN BREAKDOWN					
	TOT	2H	3H	4H	5+	TOT	2BI	3BI	4BI	5+BI	TOT	2R	3R	GS	PH	LAST
Zane Chavez	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Elvis Escobar	3	2	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Edwin Espinal	7	6	1	--	--	4	4	--	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	4/15 v. AKR
Connor Joe	6	--	--	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	4/22 @ AKR
Kevin Kramer	4	3	1	--	--	2	1	1	--	--	3	--	1	--	--	4/13 v. AKR
Jordan Luplow	3	3	--	--	--	2	2	--	--	--	2	--	--	--	--	4/11 @ RIC
Wyatt Mathisen	3	3	--	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Tomas Morales	1	1	--	--	--	2	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Kevin Newman	5	4	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pablo Reyes	2	2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	4/8 @ HAR (G2)
Chase Simpson	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	4/21 @ AKR
Michael Suchy	3	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Totals	40	28	4	--	--	12	10	2	--	--	8	1	1	--	--	

PINCH HITTERS

PLAYER	STATISTICS	LAST PINCH-HIT APP.
E. Escobar	0/1	4/7 @ HAR
C. Joe	3/3	4/11 @ RIC
J. Luplow	0/1	4/21 @ AKR
W. Mathisen	0/1, BB, HBP, K	4/21 @ AKR
P. Reyes	0/1	4/9 @ HAR
C. Simpson	0/1	4/7 @ HAR

Totals: .375 (3/8), BB, HBP, K

PITCHERS AT THE PLATE

PLAYER	AVG	HR	RBI	R	BB	SO	SAC	LAST PA
T. Anderson	.500 (1/2)	--	--	--	--	--	--	4/10 @ RIC
B. Borden	.000 (0/1)	--	--	--	--	1	--	4/10 @ RIC
J. Brubaker	.000 (0/2)	--	--	--	--	1	--	4/9 @ HAR
A. Coley	.000 (0/2)	--	--	--	--	1	--	4/8 @ HAR
S. Keselica	.000 (0/3)	--	--	--	--	2	--	4/11 @ RIC
J. Kuchno	.000 (0/1)	--	--	--	--	1	--	4/12 @ RIC
M. Rosario	.000 (0/1)	--	--	--	--	1	--	4/11 @ RIC
T. Scioneaux	.000 (0/1)	--	--	--	--	1	--	4/10 @ RIC
A. McRae	.000 (0/4)	--	--	--	1	--	--	4/12 @ RIC
B. Waddell	.000 (0/1)	--	--	--	--	1	--	4/8 @ HAR

Totals .055 (1/18) -- -- -- 1 9 --

OFFENSE BY INNING

INNING	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10+	TOTALS
CURVE	12	5	7	6	2	12	4	4	0	2	54
OPPONENT	9	3	2	7	5	13	0	4	1	3	47

EJECTIONS

PLAYER/COACH	DATE	UMPIRE	REASON
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HOME-ROAD STATS

Home (5-1)			
Average:	.269	Home Runs:	3
Runs Per Game:	4.1	Stolen Bases:	1
Doubles:	12	Walks:	19
Triples:	2	Strikeouts:	24

Road (4-5)			
Average:	.245	Home Runs:	6
Runs Per Game:	3.2	Stolen Bases:	3
Doubles:	15	Walks:	28
Triples:	1	Strikeouts:	89

RECORD BREAKDOWNS/HIGHS & LOWS

RECORD BREAKDOWN

	TOTAL	HOME	ROAD
Overall Record	9-6	5-1	4-5
vs. Western Division	9-6	5-1	4-5
vs. Eastern Division	--	--	--
Day Games	1-2	1-0	0-2
Night Games	8-4	4-1	4-3
Day Game After Night	0-2	--	0-2
Curve Score 1st	8-1	4-0	4-1
Opponent Scores 1st	1-5	1-1	0-4
Come From Behind Wins	2	2	--
vs. RH Starters	6-4	3-0	3-4
vs. LH Starters	3-2	2-1	1-1
Curve Starter 6.0 + IP	2-1	1-0	1-1
Curve Starter 7.0 + IP	--	--	--
Curve Starter 8.0 + IP	--	--	--
When Hitting a HR	3-4	2-0	1-4
When Not Hitting a HR	6-2	3-1	3-1
Outhit Opponent	5-4	2-0	3-4
Equal # of Hits	2-0	1-0	1-0
Outhit by Opponent	2-2	2-1	0-1
Commit 0 Errors	5-4	2-0	3-4
Commit 1 Error	2-1	2-0	0-1
Commit 2+ Errors	2-1	1-1	1-0
Leading After 7th	8-0	5-0	3-0
Trailing After 7th	0-3	0-1	0-2
Tied After 7th	2-2	1-0	1-2
Leading After 8th	8-0	5-0	3-0
Trailing After 8th	0-3	0-1	0-2
Tied After 8th	1-2	--	1-2
Extra-Inning Games	1-2	--	1-2
Games Played on Same Day	1-1	--	1-1
Series Record	3-1-1	2-0	1-1-1
One-Run Games	4-3	3-0	1-3
Two-Run Games	1-1	--	1-1
3+Run Games	4-2	2-1	2-1
Shutout Record	1-0	--	1-0
April Record	9-6	5-1	4-5
May Record	--	--	--
June Record	--	--	--
July Record	--	--	--
August Record	--	--	--
September Record	--	--	--
Monday Record	1-1	0-1	1-0
Tuesday Record	1-1	1-0	0-1
Wednesday Record	2-0	1-0	1-0
Thursday Record	1-0	1-0	--
Friday Record	2-1	1-0	1-1
Saturday Record	2-2	1-0	1-2
Sunday Record	0-1	--	0-1
1st Game of Series	3-2	1-1	2-1
Last Game of Series	3-1	2-0	1-1
Rubber Game of Series	2-0	1-0	1-0
Getaway Day	1-1	--	1-1

VS. EASTERN LEAGUE OPPONENTS

	TOTAL	HOME	ROAD
vs. Akron	3-2	3-0	0-2
vs. Binghamton	--	--	--
vs. Bowie	--	--	--
vs. Erie	2-1	2-1	--
vs. Harrisburg	2-2	--	2-2
vs. Hartford	--	--	--
vs. New Hampshire	--	--	--
vs. Portland	--	--	--
vs. Reading	--	--	--
vs. Richmond	2-1	--	2-1
vs. Trenton	--	--	--
TOTALS	9-6	5-1	4-5

2017 STREAKS/OFFENSIVE SUPERLATIVES

10+ GAME HITTING STREAKS
Kevin Kramer, 10 games, 4/7-4/17.

15+ GAME ON-BASE STREAKS
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MULTI-HOMER GAMES
Jordan Luplow (2 HR), 4/11 @ RIC
Kevin Kramer (2 HR), 4/13 v. AKR

BACK-TO-BACK HOME RUNS
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WALK-OFF WINNERS
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FIRST-INNING LEADOFF HOME RUNS
Pablo Reyes, 4/8 @ HAR

2017 SEASON HIGHS/LOWS

TEAM MISCELLANEOUS	
LONGEST WINNING STREAK	4, 4/12 @ RIC-4/15 v. AKR
LONGEST LOSING STREAK	2, 5x, 4-21-pres.
LARGEST MARGIN OF VICTORY	5, 4/19 v. ERI
LARGEST MARGIN OF DEFEAT	6, 4/17 v. ERI
LARGEST SHUTOUT WIN	4, 4/12 @ RIC
LARGEST SHUTOUT LOSS	--
LONGEST GAME, TIME	3:23, 2x, last - 4/11 @ RIC
LONGEST 9-INNING GAME TIME	2:57, 4/7 @ HAR
SHORTEST 9-INNING GAME TIME	2:14, 4/15 v. AKR
LONGEST 7-INNING GAME TIME	2:19, 4/8 @ HAR (G1)
SHORTEST 7-INNING GAME TIME	2:11, 4/8 @ HAR (G2)
LONGEST GAME, INNINGS	12, 4/10 @ RIC
LONGEST HOME GAME, INNINGS	--
LONGEST ROAD GAME, INNINGS	12, 4/10 @ RIC
LARGEST CROWD, HOME	7,313, 4/13 v. AKR
SMALLEST CROWD, HOME	2,144, 4/19 v. ERI
LARGEST CROWD, ROAD	5,021, 4/11 @ HAR
SMALLEST CROWD, ROAD	2,454, 4/7 @ HAR
MOST ERRORS	2, 3x, last - 4/17 v. ERI
MOST ERRORS BY OPPONENT	5, 4/7 @ HAR
MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITHOUT AN ERROR	2, many times, last - 4/20-pres.
MOST LOB	15, 4/11 @ RIC
FEWEST LOB	5, 4x, last - 4/19 v. ERI

TEAM BATTING

MOST RUNS	8, 4/19 v. ERI
MOST RUNS, INNING	3, 3x, last - 4/19 v. ERI
MOST HITS	13, 4/11 @ RIC
MOST HITS, INNING	4, 2x, 4/19 v. ERI
MOST HOME RUNS, GAME	2, 2x, last - 4/13 v. AKR
MOST HOME RUNS, INNING	1, many times
MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH A HOME RUN	2, 2x, last - 4/21-pres.
MOST DOUBLES, GAME	3, 4x, last - 4/18 v. ERI
MOST TRIPLES, GAME	1, 3x, last - 4/14 v. AKR
MOST EXTRA-BASE HITS	5, 2x, last - 4/14 v. AKR
MOST STOLEN BASES	1, 4x, last - 4/22 @ AKR
MOST STRIKEOUTS, 9-INNING GAME	15, 4/12 @ RIC
MOST STRIKEOUTS, ALL GAMES	15, 4/12 @ RIC
MOST WALKS, ALL GAMES	8, 4/14 v. AKR

TEAM PITCHING

MOST RUNS ALLOWED	7, 4/17 v. ERI
MOST RUNS ALLOWED, INNING	4, 4/8 @ HAR (G1)
MOST HITS ALLOWED	15, 4/17 v. ERI
MOST HITS ALLOWED, INNING	3, 5x, last - 4/19 v. ERI
MOST HOME RUNS ALLOWED	2, 4/17 v. ERI
MOST HOME RUNS ALLOWED, INNING	1, many times
MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES ALLOWING A HOME RUN	1, many times
MOST STRIKEOUTS, 9-INNING GAME	14, 4/7 @ HAR
MOST STRIKEOUTS, ALL GAMES	14, 4/7 @ HAR
MOST BASES ON BALLS	6, 4/22 @ AKR
MOST EXTRA-BASE HITS ALLOWED	3, 4x, last - 4/17 v. ERI

INDIVIDUAL BATTING

MOST RUNS SCORED	3, Edwin Espinal, 4/19 v. ERI
MOST HITS	3, 3x, last - Kevin Kramer, 4/13 v. AKR
MOST EXTRA-BASE HITS	2, 2x, last - Kevin Kramer, 4/14 v. AKR
MOST DOUBLES	2, Kevin Kramer, 4/14 v. AKR
MOST TRIPLES	1, many times
MOST HOME RUNS	2, 2x, last - Kevin Kramer, 4/13 v. AKR
MOST TOTAL BASES	9, Kevin Kramer, 4/13 v. AKR
MOST RBI	3, Kevin Kramer, 4/8 @ HAR (G1)
MOST STOLEN BASES	1, many times
MOST BASES ON BALLS	2, 2x, last - Pablo Reyes 4/14 v. AKR
MOST STRIKEOUTS	4, Connor Joe, 4/12 @ RIC
LONGEST HITTING STREAK	10, Kevin Kramer, 4/7-4/17
LONGEST ON-BASE STREAK	13, Kevin Kramer, 4/7-pres.
LONGEST RBI STREAK	3 games, Kevin Kramer, 4/12-4/14

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

MOST INNINGS PITCHED, STARTER	6.0, several, last - 4/22 @ AKR
MOST INNINGS PITCHED, RELIEVER	3.0, several, last - 4/17 v. ERI
MOST HITS ALLOWED, STARTER	8, J.T. Brubaker, 4/9 @ HAR
MOST HITS ALLOWED, RELIEVER	3, several, last - 4/11 @ RIC
MOST STRIKEOUTS, STARTER	9, Alex McRae, 4/7 @ HAR
MOST STRIKEOUTS, RELIEVER	4, several, last - 4/17 v. ERI
MOST BASES ON BALLS, STARTER	4, 3x, last - Tanner Anderson, 4/21 @ AKR
MOST BASES ON BALLS, RELIEVER	2, Miguel Rosario, 4/21 @ AKR
MOST EARNED RUNS ALLOWED, STARTER	4, 2x, last - J.T. Brubaker, 4/9 @ HAR
MOST EARNED RUNS ALLOWED, RELIEVER	2, many times
MOST CONSECUTIVE SCORELESS IP	14.1, Alex McRae, 4/7-4/19

MISCELLANEOUS STATS

2017 STARTS BY POSITION

Player	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH
Chavez	7	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Diaz	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--
Escobar	--	--	--	--	--	2	6	1	--
Espinal	--	8	--	1	--	--	--	--	3
Joe	--	6	--	--	--	--	--	2	3
Kramer	--	--	12	--	--	--	--	--	1
Luplow	--	--	--	--	--	13	--	--	--
Mathisen	--	--	--	9	--	--	--	--	--
Morales	8	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Newman	--	--	--	--	13	--	--	--	--
Reyes	--	2	--	2	--	8	--	--	--
Simpson	--	1	--	5	--	--	--	--	1
Suchy	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	12	--

2017 STARTS BY BATTING ORDER

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
Chavez	--	--	--	--	--	--	4	3	--
Diaz	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1
Escobar	--	1	--	--	--	--	2	2	4
Espinal	--	--	--	12	--	--	--	--	--
Joe	--	--	1	1	7	2	--	--	--
Kramer	--	--	13	--	--	--	--	--	--
Luplow	--	--	1	2	4	6	--	--	--
Mathisen	--	--	--	--	--	2	3	4	--
Morales	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5	3
Newman	13	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Reyes	2	10	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Simpson	--	--	--	--	3	2	1	1	--
Suchy	--	4	--	--	1	3	5	--	--

ERRORLESS STREAKS

Player	Active Strk.	Last Error	Longest Streak
Chavez	2	4/14 v. AKR	4
Diaz	1	--	1
Escobar	10	--	10
Espinal	10	--	10
Joe	8	--	8
Kramer	12	--	12
Luplow	13	--	12
Mathisen	1	4/19 v. ERI	9
Morales	6	4/10 @ RIC	6
Newman	11	4/8 @ HAR	11
Reyes	13	--	13
Simpson	6	--	6
Suchy	5	4/13 v. AKR	6

OUTFIELD ASSISTS

1

Player	Total	Last Assist
Jordan Luplow	1	4/15 v. AKR

THE LAST TIME...

Altoona scored 10 or more runs (game) 13, 8/29/16 v. Binghamton
 Altoona scored 10 or more runs (inning) 10, 8/7/10 at Harrisburg
 Altoona scored 15 or more runs (game) 18, 7/21/15 v. Erie (G1)**
 Opponent scored 10 or more runs (game) 12, 8/19/16 at New Hampshire
 Opponent scored 10 or more runs (inning)
 Opponent scored 15 or more runs (game) 15, 6/3/14 vs. Binghamton

Altoona collected 20+ hits in a game 24, 7/21/15 v. Erie (G1)*

Opponent collected 20+ hits in a game 22, 5/26/13 vs. Richmond

Altoona hits an inside-the-park HR Alex Dickerson, 4/7/13 at Erie
 Altoona hits a walk-off HR Edwin Espinal, solo home run, 8/3/16 v. Richmond
 Altoona hits a pinch-hit HR Tomas Morales, 8/22/16 at Harrisburg
 Altoona hits a grand slam Jonathan Schwind, 8/17/16 @ Portland (G2)
 Altoona hits back-to-back HRs Stetson Allie/Tomas Morales, 8/22/16 at Harrisburg
 Altoona hits leadoff HR to start game Pablo Reyes, 4/8/17 @ Harrisburg
 Altoona pitcher hits a HR Tim Alderson, 7/1/10 at Reading

Opponent hits an inside-the-park HR Nick Noonan, 5/3/10 at Richmond
 Opponent hits a walk-off HR Matt Skole, 4/10/15 at Harrisburg
 Opponent hits a pinch-hit HR Art Charles, 6/11/15 at Reading
 Opponent hits a grand slam Mike Papi, 7/5/16 @ Akron
 Opponent hits back-to-back HRs Dylan Cozens/Rhys Hoskins, 6/10/16 @ Reading
 Opponent hits leadoff HR to start game Nick Williams, 8/24/15 v. Reading

Altoona batter hits for the cycle 4/9/13, Andrew Lambo at Akron
 Altoona batter records 5+ hits in a game 5, 13x, last - Stetson Allie, 6/27/16 v. ERI**
 Altoona batter has 5+ RBI in a game 7, Erich Weiss, 8/21/16 at New Hampshire

Opponent batter hits for the cycle Lou Montanez, 8/1/08 vs. Bowie
 Opponent batter records 5+ hits in a game Juan Perez, 4/20/12 vs. Richmond
 Opponent batter has 5+ RBI in a game 6, Dylan Cozens, 6/11/16 at Reading

Altoona threw a no-hitter (9 IP) N/A
 Altoona threw a no-hitter (9 IP) (combined)
 E. Hollingsworth/J. Townsend/J. Ramos/R. Beckman, 7/25/13 at New Hampshire
 Altoona threw a no-hitter (7 IP) (combined) N/A

Opponent threw a no-hitter (9 IP) Giovanni Soto, 7/15/12 at Akron
 Opponent threw a no-hitter (9 IP) (combined)
 D. Crouthers/A. Mitchell/J. Sequea, 8/19/04 vs. Bowie
 Opponent threw a no-hitter (7 IP) (combined)
 C. James/C. Kimball/Z. Zinicola, 6/10/10 vs. Harrisburg (2)

Altoona threw a complete-game shutout (9 IP) Adrian Sampson, 7/18/14 vs. Bowie
 Altoona threw a complete-game shutout (7 IP) Matt Benedict, 7/8/15 at Erie
 Altoona threw back-to-back shutouts (team) 8/25-26/2012 vs. Richmond

Opponent threw a complete-game shutout (9 IP) Drew VerHagen, 7/6/13 vs. Erie
 Opponent threw a complete-game shutout (7 IP) Kelvin Marte, 7/17/15 at Richmond
 Opponent threw back-to-back shutouts 5/30-5/31/2014 vs. New Hampshire

Altoona wins in last at bat Stetson Allie RBI double (10th), 2-0, 9/5/16 at Richmond
 Opponent wins in last at bat R. Jones, walk-off grand slam (9th), 9/3/16 at Richmond
 Altoona pitcher strikes out:
 10 Tyler Glasnow, 7/22/15 vs. ERI (G1)
 11 Justin Wilson, 8/14/10 vs. New Hampshire
 12+ 12, Tyler Glasnow, 7/27/15 @ AKR

Opponent pitcher strikes out:
 10 P.J. Walters, 5/31/14 vs. New Hampshire
 11 Taylor Rogers, 6/25/14 vs. New Britain
 12+ 12, 6/3/15, Bryan Evans vs. New Britain
 Altoona turns a triple play Chase d'Arnaud/Matt Hague (6-3), 5/27/10 at Akron
 Opponent turns a triple play Clint Frazier/Eric Stamets/Joe Sever (9-3-6), 4/12/16 vs. Akron

* - Franchise Record
 ** - Tied Franchise Record

ALTOONA CURVE COACHING STAFF

Michael Ryan Manager (1st Season)	Bryan Hickerson Pitching Coach	Kevin Riggs Hitting Coach	Greg Picart Coach	Justin Ahrens Athletic Trainer	Joe Schlesinger Strength Coach
Career Record: 289-275 2017 w/ ALT: 9-6	1st season 3rd overall	3rd season 11th overall	1st season 4th overall	1st season 8th overall	1st season 5th overall
Ryan returns to Altoona after serving as a coach for the Curve in 2012. He spent the past four seasons as a manager in the Pirates organization, leading the Bradenton Marauders the last two years and the West Virginia Power the two before that. He steered Bradenton to a 70-66 record in 2016, including winning the Florida State League championship. Ryan was drafted in the fifth round by the Minnesota Twins in 1996, and he went on to play 15 professional seasons, including five in the majors.	Hickerson joins the Altoona staff in 2017 for his first year in the Pirates' organization. He has spent the last 18 years working in ministry, mostly in the context of professional baseball and the military. A left-handed pitcher, Hickerson was drafted by the Twins in the seventh round in 1986. He played a total of five major league seasons with the Giants, Cubs and Rockies. After his playing days, Hickerson served as a pitching coach in the Giants organization in 1997 & 1998.	2017 marks Riggs' third year as the Altoona hitting coach, and his third year in the Pirates' organization. Riggs spent eight seasons coaching in the Rockies' organization, and has some managerial experience, serving as the skipper for the Double-A Tulsa Drillers for two seasons (2013-2014). As a player, Riggs was drafted by Cincinnati in the 28th round in 1990 out of East Carolina, reaching Double-A. He ended his career by playing one season in China, where he was the league MVP in 1998.	Picart joins the Curve for his first season as a coach. He played for Altoona in parts of two seasons from 2011-2012, appearing in 71 games. He was drafted in the 23rd round of the 2003 MLB draft by the Pirates out of Miami Dade College. With the Curve, in 2011, Picart hit .218 with one home run and 14 RBIs in 56 games. He closed out his playing career with Altoona in 2012, playing 15 games, along with one game for Triple-A Indianapolis.	In his sixth season as a member of the Pittsburgh organization, Ahrens joins Altoona for the first time in 2017. He spent the last two years in Bradenton, where he was named Florida State League Athletic Trainer of the Year in 2016. He spent each the last four seasons on the same staff as manager Michael Ryan. Ahrens received a bachelor's degree in athletic training from Carroll University in 2011, and a master's degree in kinesiology from Fresno Pacific University in 2016.	Schlesinger joins the Curve for his first season, after making stops at Jamestown, West Virginia, and Bradenton within the Pittsburgh system. Prior to joining the Pirates, he served as the strength and conditioning graduate assistant at Duquesne University from 2012-2014. Schlesinger graduated from Toledo with a degree in exercise science in 2011 and completed his master's degree of science in sports leadership at Duquesne in 2014.

2017 GAME-BY-GAME

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT	REC	PLACE	G (+/-)	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	TIME	GT TEMP	ATT.
8/11	Trenton	7 p.m.									
8/12	Trenton	6 p.m.									
8/13	Trenton	6 p.m.									
8/15	at Portland	7 p.m.									
8/16	at Portland	6 p.m.									
8/17	at Portland	12 p.m.									
8/18	at New Hampshire	7:05 p.m.									
8/19	at New Hampshire	7:05 p.m.									
8/20	at New Hampshire	1:35 p.m.									
8/21	at Hartford	7:05 p.m.									
8/22	at Hartford	7:05 p.m.									
8/23	at Hartford	7:05 p.m.									
8/24	Bowie	6 p.m.									
8/25	Bowie	6 p.m.									
8/26	Bowie	6 p.m.									
8/27	Bowie	6 p.m.									
8/28	at Richmond	6:35 p.m.									
8/29	at Richmond	6:35 p.m.									
8/30	at Richmond	6:35 p.m.									
8/31	at Richmond	6:35 p.m.									
9/1	Harrisburg	6 p.m.									
9/2	Harrisburg	6 p.m.									
9/3	Harrisburg	6 p.m.									
9/4	Harrisburg	12 p.m.									

TRANSACTIONS

April

April 5	Pittsburgh Pirates announce 25-man Curve roster
April 17	LHP Brandon Waddell placed on 7-day DL (left forearm strain) retro to 4/14
April 19	INF Christopher Diaz transferred from Extended Spring Training to Double-A Altoona

2017 MLB DEBUTS BY CURVE ALUMNI

April 14	OF Willy Garcia (2014-15 Curve) Chicago (AL) at Minnesota
April 18	1B/OF Jose Osuna (2015-16 Curve) Pittsburgh at St. Louis

UNIVERSITY ORTHOPEDICS INJURY REPORT

Player	Injury	Placed (Retro)	Reinstated	Player	Injury	Placed (Retro)	Reinstated
Brandon Waddell	Left forearm strain	4/18 (4/14)	--	--	--	--	--