



# GAME INFO



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**EASTERN LEAGUE CHAMPIONS**  
2010, 2017

**DIVISION CHAMPIONS**  
2004, 2010, 2017

**PLAYOFF APPEARANCES**  
2003, 2004, 2005, 2006,  
2010, 2015, 2016, 2017

**PLAYERS TO MLB**  
145



**BATTING AVG.:** .239 (6th)  
**TEAM HR:** 8 (11th)  
**WALKS:** 62 (T-10th)  
**STRIKEOUTS:** 137 (11th)  
**TEAM ERA:** 3.00 (3rd)  
**WALKS:** 62 (9th)  
**STRIKEOUTS:** 148 (11th)  
(I) -- El. Rank

**April 28, 2018 -- Game #19, Road Game #8**  
**Altoona Curve (9-9) vs. Harrisburg Senators (8-11)**  
**RHP Mitch Keller (2-0, 1.93) vs. RHP Brady Dragmire (1-0, 3.63)**  
**6 p.m. | FNB Field | Harrisburg, Pa.**  
**Radio -- Talk Radio 98.5 FM & Curve Radio Network | TV -- MiLB.TV**

**BATTING AVG.:** .224 (10th)  
**TEAM HR:** 13 (T-5th)  
**WALKS:** 79 (2nd)  
**STRIKEOUTS:** 176 (T-4th)  
**TEAM ERA:** 4.02 (11th)  
**WALKS:** 56 (11th)  
**STRIKEOUTS:** 162 (6th)  
(I) -- El. Rank



## UPCOMING GAMES & PITCHING PROBABLES

Sun., April 29 at Harrisburg 1:30 p.m. LHP Taylor Hearn (0-2, 3.45) RHP Jefry Rodriguez (1-2, 3.00)  
Mon., April 30 at Richmond 6:35 p.m. RHP J.T. Brubaker (1-1, 1.57) vs. RHP Jordan Johnson (2-2, 3.22)  
Tues., May 1 at Richmond 6:35 p.m. RHP Dario Agrazal (1-0, 1.46) vs. LHP Matt Gage (0-2, 3.18)  
Wed., May 2 at Richmond 10:35 a.m. LHP Brandon Waddell (0-0, 1.88) vs. TBD

**YESTERDAY:** The Curve lost for the seventh time in the last ten games with a 2-1 defeat at Harrisburg. The Senators scored the go-ahead run in the eighth on a fly ball dropped in center field by Jason Martin. Curve starter Brandon Waddell worked 6.1 innings and allowed one run on two hits with four walks and five strikeouts. The Curve took a 1-0 lead in the third on a solo homer by Christian Kelley. The Senators evened the score in the seventh on an RBI hit by Zach Collier. Altoona was held to three hits in the game.

**TONIGHT:** The 20th Season of Altoona Curve Baseball, presented by Stuckey Subaru, continues at FNB Field on City Island as the Curve face the Harrisburg Senators, Double-A affiliate of the Harrisburg Senators in the second of three games. The Curve and Senators split a rain-shortened, two-game series in Altoona on April 10 and 11.

**THE CURVE:** After opening the season with a 6-2 record, Altoona has lost seven of the last ten games. The Curve dropped three of four at Akron, lost two of three at home against Richmond and split a rain-shortened, two-game series at home against Erie. The Curve pitchers have a 1.09 combined WHIP, the best in the Eastern League, and hold the league's third-best ERA at 3.00.

**THE SENATORS:** Harrisburg ended a five-game losing streak with a 4-2 win against Trenton on Wednesday. The Senators enter the series tied for last in the Western Division and have the Eastern League's second-highest team ERA at 4.02. The team has lost nine of its last 12 games overall.

**FOR ALTOONA:** Right-hander **Mitch Keller** takes the mound for his fourth start of the season. Last time out, he worked seven innings for the first time this year and allowed a season-high three runs in a win against Richmond on Saturday with seven strikeouts. Keller is ranked tenth in the league with a 1.93 ERA. Including his last regular-season start of 2017, two post-season starts and his three starts in 2018, Keller is 5-0 with a 1.32 ERA (6 ER/41.0 IP) across his last six outings. Last year, he was named the Eastern League Postseason Most Valuable Player after pitching a complete-game, one-hit shutout in Game 1 of the Western Division Series at Bowie and working 7.1 innings with two runs allowed in the Curve's clinching Game 3 win over Trenton in the Eastern League Championship Series. He entered 2018 ranked as the top prospect in the Pirates organization by MLB.com and Baseball America. He is also MLB.com's No. 15 overall prospect and the No. 5 RHP prospect, as well as B.A.'s No. 12 overall prospect. He was also a Florida State League All-Star in 2017, going 6-3 with a 3.14 ERA in 15 starts with Bradenton and made six regular-season starts with Altoona, going 2-2 with a 3.12 ERA.

**FOR HARRISBURG:** Right-hander **Brady Dragmire** makes his fifth start of the year for the Senators and second against the Curve. Last time out, he worked 4.2 innings and allowed a season-high five earned runs in a no-decision at Hartford on Sunday. He picked up a win in Altoona on April 11 after holding the Curve scoreless over six innings. Dragmire was drafted by the Blue Jays in the 17th round in 2011. Following the 2016 season, he was involved in a back-and-forth waiver claim battle between the Pirates and Rangers before ending up in the Texas organization to begin the 2017 season. He was released in June and signed by the Nationals, closing out the year with the Senators, where he went 5-1 with 3.13 ERA in 18 outing (five starts).

**LATE LOSSES:** The Curve have lost seven of the last ten games, with the losses coming by an average final score of 4.6 to 2.4 (17-32 total runs). The go-ahead runs have scored against the Curve in the seventh inning or later in five of the seven losses. The Curve have held a lead at some point in five of those seven games lost. For the season, the Curve have allowed the go-ahead run to score in the seventh inning or later in six of nine total losses.

**THE STARTING LINE:** Curve starting pitchers have combined to go 4-3 with a 1.95 ERA (23 ER/106.0 IP) over the first 18 games of the 2018 season. Over the last 33 regular-season games dating back to August 20, 2017, Curve starters have combined to go 11-6 with a 2.09 ERA (47 ER/202.1 IP). Including the Curve's six postseason games in 2017, Curve starters are 17-6 with a 2.01 ERA (55 ER/245.2 IP) over the last 39 games.

**WORKING DEEP:** Altoona was the only team in Double-A to have its starting pitchers work at least five innings in every game this year prior to Sunday's outing by **Taylor Hearn**. Through the first 18 games of the season, Curve starters have combined for 106.0 innings, averaging 5.9 innings per game. The starters have worked 7.0 innings three times, 6.2 innings once, 6.1 innings once, 6.0 innings six times, 5.2 innings twice, 5.0 innings four times and 4.2 innings once.

**MARTIN MAKING STRIDES:** Outfielder **Jason Martin** was activated on April 10 and went 0-for-8 with five strikeouts in his first two games with Altoona. Since then, he has hit .395 (17/43) over 12 games with a homer, five doubles, three triples, five RBIs, six walks and 11 runs scored. Last Saturday, he hit his first Double-A homer and finished a triple shy of the cycle. He was walked seven times in the last six games. Martin is ranked tenth in the league with a .333 batting average, third with a .608 slugging percentage, fifth with a .414 on-base percentage and tied for first with three triples. Martin was picked up by the Pirates along with 3B Colin Moran, RHP Joe Musgrove and RHP Michael Feliz in a trade that sent RHP Gerrit Cole to the Astros on January 13.

**COLE TRAIN:** Over his last 34 games dating back to August 17, 2017, **Cole Tucker** is hitting .318 (41/129) with nine doubles, three triples, two homers, 18 RBIs and 22 walks.

**WY NOT:** Infielder **Wyatt Mathisen** is hitting .438 through his nine games played this season, has worked nine walks and been hit by a pitch twice, posting a .655 on-base percentage. He has added three doubles and one triple in his 16 at-bats. Over his last three games since April 21, he has reached base in nine consecutive plate appearances (3-for-3, two singles, triple, three walks, three HBP). Mathisen was the starting third baseman in the 2017 Eastern League All-Star Game for the Western Division, but has played exclusively at first base and second base this season.

**THE SUMMER OF GEORGE:** After missing the start of the season with a hamstring strain, **Jordan George** was activated on April 20. So far, he has collected six singles in his four starts over his last 13 at-bats. Last year, George hit .302 over 99 games with Bradenton and Altoona.

**ALEMAIS-ING:** Infielder **Stephen Alemais** had his eight-game hit streak snapped with an 0-for-3 outing on Friday night, which was tied for the longest streak in the Eastern League. For the season, Alemais has hit safely in 14 of his 17 games.

**LOOKING FOR RELIEF:** The Curve bullpen has combined for a 4.98 ERA (31 ER/56.0 IP) this season with five blown saves, and a 1-5 record with a 6.34 ERA (23 ER/30.2 IP) and five blown saves over the last 11 games.

**PROSPECT WATCH:** The Curve roster features ten of MLB.com's Top 30 Pirates prospects: **Mitch Keller** (1), **Ke'Bryan Hayes** (4), **Cole Tucker** (5), **Bryan Reynolds** (6), **Taylor Hearn** (11), **Will Craig** (18), **Stephen Alemais** (20), **Jason Martin** (22), **Brandon Waddell** (27) and **Dario Agrazal** (29). The roster also features eight of Baseball America's Top 30 Pirates prospects: Keller (1), Hayes (4), Tucker (6), Hearn (9), Waddell (19), Craig (24), Alemais (28) and Agrazal (30). Reynolds was ranked by B.A. as the Giants' No. 5 prospect prior to being traded to Pittsburgh. B.A. also rated Tucker as "Fastest Baserunner," Keller as having the "Best Fastball," Best Curveball" and "Best Control," Waddell as having the "Best Changeup," **Christian Kelley** as the "Best Defensive Catcher," and Hayes as "Best Defensive Infielder." Keller is ranked by B.A. as the No. 12 prospect in baseball and the No. 15 overall prospect by MLB.com, as well as MLB.com's No. 5 overall RHP.

## 2018 E.L. WESTERN STANDINGS

Team	W-L	PCT	GB	Today
Richmond	12-8	.600	--	vs. HFD
Bowie	11-8	.579	0.5	@ AKR
Akron	10-10	.500	2.0	vs. BOW
<b>Altoona</b>	<b>9-9</b>	<b>.500</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>@ HAR</b>
Harrisburg	8-11	.421	3.5	vs. ALT
Erie	7-12	.368	4.5	vs. BIN

## 2018 E.L. EASTERN STANDINGS

Team	W-L	PCT	GB	Today
New Hamp.	13-6	.684	--	vs. TRN
Trenton	11-9	.550	2.5	@ NH
Hartford	11-9	.550	2.5	@ RIC
Binghamton	9-9	.500	3.5	@ ERI
Reading	8-12	.400	5.5	@ POR
Portland	6-12	.333	6.5	vs. REA

## 2018 CURVE AT A GLANCE

Overall Record	9-9
Home	6-5
Road	3-4

Place (E.L. Western) ..... T-3rd  
Games Ahead/Behind ..... -2.0

Streak ..... L2  
Last 5 ..... 2-3  
Last 10 ..... 3-7

2018 vs. Harrisburg ..... 1-2  
at Altoona ..... 1-1  
at Harrisburg ..... 0-1  
All-time vs. Harrisburg ..... 186-160  
at Altoona ..... 104-65  
at Harrisburg ..... 82-95

'18 Home Attendance ..... 37,518  
Home Openings ..... 11  
Average Attendance ..... 3,411

## BROADCAST INFORMATION



Trey Wilson, Nate Bowen and Garrett Mansfield will call the action of the 2018 season on the flagship of the Curve, Talk Radio 98.5 FM/1240 AM 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 1370 AM in Roaring Spring
- WPHB 1260 AM in Centre County
- 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

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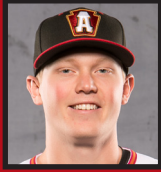


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## ON THE ROAD TRIP

Games	1
Record	0-1
Average	.100 (3/30)
Runs/Runs Per Game	1/1.0
Home Runs	1
RISP	.000 (0/5)
Errors	1
ERA	2.25 (2 ER/8.0 IP)
Starter W-L	0-0
Starter ERA	1.42 (1 ER/6.1 IP)
Reliever W-L	0-1
Reliever ERA	5.40 (1 ER/1.2 IP)
Saves/Opps	0/1

# TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER



**RHP MITCH KELLER** @mkeller11 #35  
**HEIGHT:** 6-3 **WEIGHT:** 208 **B/T:** R/R **EXP:** 5 YR  
**BORN:** APRIL 4, 1996 (21) IN CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA  
**RESIDES:** CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA  
**ACQUIRED:** 2ND ROUND - 2014 (XAVIER (IOWA) HS)

## 2018 HIGHS

IP: 7.0, 4/21 vs. RIC  
 K's: 8, 4/8 vs. AKR  
 BB's: 3, 4/21 vs. RIC  
 Hits: 6, 4/21 vs. RIC  
 Runs: 3, 4/21 vs. RIC

## CAREER HIGHS

IP: 7.0, 9x, last - 4/21 vs. RIC  
 K's: 11, 9/1/17 v. HAR  
 BB: 5, 2x, last - 7/15/17 @ DUN  
 Hits: 10, 2x, last - 4/22/16 @ LEX  
 Runs: 7, 2x, last - 7/15/17 @ DUN

## RUNS ALLOWED BY INNING

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

## KELLER CAREER NOTES

Mitch Thomas Keller...Attended Xavier High School in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, the same school that produced outfielder Ryan Sweeney...Was ranked as the No. 1 baseball prospect in the state of Iowa and ranked No. 31 of all prospects nationally by Perfect Game...Central All Region 1st Team his senior year in 2014...Added nearly 10 mph to his fastball between his junior and senior seasons...3.7 GPA throughout high school...Was committed to play collegiately at the University of North Carolina, but decided to forgo his scholarship after signing with the Pirates after the team selected him in the 2nd round of the 2014 draft...Named as having the "Best Curveball" in the Pirates organization by Baseball America entering the 2017 season...Older brother Jon Keller is a right-handed pitcher in the Baltimore Orioles organization and played in the Eastern League for Bowie in 2015-17...Currently ranked by MLB.com as the Pirates' No. 2 prospect, No. 22 overall prospect and No. 6 RHP prospect

## KELLER VS. HARRISBURG --, -- ERA

Date	H/R	Dec	IP	H	R/ER	K/BB
4/28	R					

## HARRISBURG VS. KELLER ---

Batter	AVG	HR	RBI	BB	K
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TOTALS	---	--	--	--	--
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## GAME-BY-GAME

DATE	OPP	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	LEFT GM	RESULT
4/8	Akron	W (1)	6.0	2	0	0	2	8	After 6th, Curve leading 4-0	W, 4-0
4/16	at Akron	--	5.2	3	1	1	2	5	In 6th, Tied 1-1	L, 4-1
4/21	Richmond	W (2)	7.0	6	3	3	3	7	After 7th, Curve leading 7-3	W, 7-6
4/28	at Harrisburg									

**Bold - Career High**  
*Italics - Relief outing*

## KELLER CAREER STATISTICS

YR	CLUB	W-L	ERA	G/GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
14	GCL Pirates (Rk.)	0-0	1.98	9/8	0	0	0	27.1	19	8	6	0	13	29
15	Bristol (Adv.-Rk.)	0-3	5.49	6/6	0	0	0	19.2	25	18	12	1	16	25
16	West Virginia (A)	8-5	2.46	23/23	0	0	0	124.1	96	36	34	4	18	131
	Bradenton (A+)	1-0	0.00	1/1	0	0	0	6.00	5	0	0	0	1	7
17	West Virginia (A-)	0-0	0.00	2/2	0	0	0	4.00	2	0	0	0	1	7
	Bradenton (A+)	6-3	3.14	15/15	0	0	0	77.1	57	29	27	5	20	64
	Altoona (AA)	2-2	3.12	6/6	0	0	0	34.2	25	14	12	2	11	45
18	Altoona (AA)	2-0	1.93	3/3	0	0	0	18.2	11	4	4	2	7	20
<b>MLB Totals (5 seasons)</b>		<b>19-13</b>	<b>2.74</b>	<b>65/64</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>312.0</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>328</b>

## CURRENT NOTES

Enters this year ranked as the Pirates' top prospect by MLB.com and Baseball America...Including final 2017 regular-season start, two postseason starts and two 2018 starts, Keller is 5-0 with a 1.32 ERA (6 ER/41 IP) over his last six Double-A starts...Keller is currently ranked tenth in the E.L. with a 1.93 ERA...His 1.93 ERA is seventh-best among pitchers in the Pirates' minor league system

## 2018 NOTES

Made 2018 debut on 4/8 vs. AKR and pitched six scoreless innings with eight strikeouts in a combined shutout with Tate Scioneaux and Geoff Hartlieb...Worked 5.2 innings and allowed one earned run in no-decision on 4/16 @ AKR, lowering season ERA to 0.77, which was ranked tied for fourth in the Eastern League at the time...Set new season high and matched regular-season career high with seven innings pitched on 4/21 vs. RIC and allowed season-high three runs in second win

## 2017 NOTES

Began season with A-Adv. Bradenton...Allowed five runs in the third inning of season debut on 4/8 v. CHA in no-decision...Picked up first win of the year on 4/13 @ TAM, allowing one run over six innings...Set season high with nine strikeouts on 4/30 @ CHA, pitching seven scoreless innings...Matched season high with nine strikeouts on 5/5 v. DUN, pitching seven scoreless innings for second straight start and holding Blue Jays to two hits...Did not allow any runs for third straight start on 5/10 @ JUP but was removed with two outs in the fifth inning...Pitched one inning on 5/16 @ DBT and removed early...Placed on the disabled list on 5/26 (retro to 5/24)...Pitched two rehab starts for short-season West Virginia Black Bears...Returned to Marauders on 6/29 v. DUN and pitched four scoreless innings...Allowed season-worst seven runs over 3.1 innings, setting season high in hits allowed (eight) and tying career-worst five walks...Pitched six scoreless, one-hit innings on 6/20 v. FTM...Matched season and career high with seven innings pitched on 7/25 @ STL...Promoted to Double-A Altoona on 8/5...Made Double-A debut on 8/6 @ TRN and allowed two runs in the fifth inning in no-decision...Pitched first game double-header on 8/12 v. TRN and allowed two runs in the sixth inning with two outs in no-decision with nine strikeouts...Picked up first Double-A loss on 8/17 @ POR after allowing two runs over six innings for the third straight start and added eight strikeouts as Curve were shut out 2-0...Allowed a Double-A high four earned runs in his last outing in loss on 8/27 v. BOW...Recorded a career-high 11 strikeouts over six scoreless innings in a win on 9/1 v. HAR in last regular-season start becoming first Curve pitcher to record 11 or more strikeouts in a start since Tyler Glasnow in July 2015, the 11th all-time outing for a Curve pitcher with 11 or more strikeouts...Threw 90 pitches and faced the minimum in a nine-inning, complete-game shutout over the Baysox in Game 1 of the Western Division Series on 9/7 with one hit, two walks and four strikeouts, the first time a Curve pitcher has faced the minimum in a complete game and the longest outing of Keller's career...Pitched Game 3 of the 2017 Eastern League Championship Series on 9/14 v. TRN and allowed two runs in 7.1 IP as the Curve won the EL title

## SEASON SPLITS/MISC. STATS

	W-L	ERA	G/GS	IP	R/ER	K/BB
Home	2-0	2.08	2/2	13.0	3/3	15/5
Road	0-0	1.59	1/1	5.2	1/1	5/2
Day	2-0	1.93	3/3	18.2	4/4	20/7
Night	0-0	1.59	1/1	5.2	1/1	5/2
April	2-0	1.93	3/3	18.2	4/4	20/7
Pre-ASG	2-0	1.93	3/3	18.2	4/4	20/7

## SEASON SPLITS/MISC. STATS

Pitcher	GS	Team Runs	R/Start	Quality Starts
Agrazal	4	20	5.0	3
Brubaker	4	16	4.0	2
Hearn	3	8	2.7	1
Keller	3	12	4.0	2
Waddell	4	14	3.5	3

## ALTOONA CURVE STARTER BREAKDOWN

PLAYER	LAST START	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	RESULT	STARTS	TEAM RECORD
Dario Agrazal (R)	4/25 vs. ERI	--	6.2	7	3	2	0	0	4	L, 9-6 (10)	4	2-2
J.T. Brubaker (R)	4/23 vs. ERI	W (1)	7.0	3	0	0	0	0	6	W, 7-0	4	2-2
Taylor Hearn (L)	4/22 vs. RIC	L (2)	4.2	6	5	5	1	2	5	L, 5-4	3	1-2
Mitch Keller (R)	4/22 vs. RIC	W (2)	7.0	6	3	3	0	3	7	W, 7-6	3	2-1
Brandon Waddell (L)	4/27 @ HAR	--	6.1	2	1	1	0	4	5	L, 2-1	4	2-2

SEASON TOTALS	W	L	G	CG	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	ERA
	4	3	18	0	106.0	69	28	23	3	29	95	1.95



# 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.
Jake Brentz (L)	4/25 vs. ERI	BS (1)	0.1	1	1	1	1	0	1	5	0/1	--	2/5 (40%)
Yeudy Garcia (R)	4/27 @ HAR	BS (1), L (1)	1.0	2	1	1	0	2	0	6	2/3	4/3	4/6 (67%)
Geoff Hartlieb (R)	4/23 vs. ERI	--	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	2/3	--	4/6 (67%)
Bret Helton (R)	4/25 vs. ERI	L (2)	2.0	2	3	2	1	1	0	5	--	2/2	3/5 (60%)
Sean Keselica (L)	4/25 vs. ERI	H (2)	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	--	1/1	5/6 (83%)
Jesus Liranzo (R)	4/23 vs. ERI	--	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	3	3	--	3/2	3/3 (100%)
Tate Scioneaux (R)	4/27 @ HAR	--	0.2	0	0	0	0	1	1	6	0/1	2/1	4/6 (67%)
Logan Sendelbach (R)	4/25 vs. ERI	H (1)	0.2	2	2	2	1	0	0	6	0/2	1/1	5/6 (83%)
Sam Street (R)	4/14 @ ERI	S (1)	1.0	2	1	0	0	0	1	3	1/1	3/1	0/3 (0%)
<b>SEASON TOTALS</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>SV/SO</b>	<b>IP</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>ER</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>BB</b>	<b>SO</b>	<b>ERA</b>	
	5	6	18	5/11	56.0	45	35	31	6	34	53	4.98	

### #28 Jake Brentz

Bats: Left Throws: Left

Ht/Wt: 6-2/199

<b>LAST OUTING:</b> 4/25 vs. ERI	<b>MOST K:</b> 3, 4/22 vs. RIC	<b>SAVE OPPS:</b> 0/1
<b>LONG OUTING (PEN):</b> 2.0, 4/22 vs. RIC	<b>MOST BB:</b> 5, 4/16 @ AKR	<b>INHERITED/STRANDED:</b> --
<b>LAST WIN:</b> 4/11/17 (BRD @ STL)	<b>SCORELESS STREAK:</b> 0.1, 4/25-pres.	<b>FIRST BATTER RETIRED %:</b> 2/5 (40%)
<b>LAST SAVE:</b> 5/9/17 (BRD @ JUP)	<b>LONG SCORELESS STK:</b> 2.0, 4/22	<b>CURVE RECORD WHEN PITCHING:</b> 0-5
<b>LAST HR ALLOWED:</b> 4/25/18 (ALT vs. ERI) (J. Lester)	<b>EXTRA-INNING UER:</b> --	<b>ACQUIRED:</b> Trade (2016) - SEA

#### - CURRENT NOTES:

- **2018 NOTES:** Made 2018 debut on 4/6 vs. AKR and walked four, leading to four earned runs...Fired two hitless frames and struck out three batters on 4/22 vs. RIC

- **CAREER NOTES:** Mostly played as an outfielder in high school career...Attended 2012 WWBA World Championships as a pitcher...Spent 2013 baseball season with Perfect Game Iowa Spring Wood Scout League...Committed to play at the University of Missouri-Columbia before being drafted by the Blue Jays in the 11th round in 2013...Traded by the Blue Jays to the Seattle Mariners with LHP Nick Wells and LHP Rob Rasmussen for RHP Mark Lowe on July 31, 2015...Traded by the Mariners to the Pirates with RHP Pedro Vasquez for RHP Arquimedes Caminero on as a player to be named later (trade completed on September 1, 2016)...Played with Altoona in 2017 and posted a 1.07 ERA (1 ER/8.2 IP) over his final seven appearances of the season...**For more on Brentz, see Page 27 of the Curve Media Guide**

#### LAST THREE APP.

DATE	W/L	IP	H	R/ER	K/BB
4/25 V. ERI	BS (1)	0.1	1	1/1	1/0
4/22 V. RIC	--	2.0	0	0/0	3/0
4/16 @ AKR	L (1)	0.1	0	3/3	0/5

### #17 Yeudy Garcia

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 6-2/220

<b>LAST OUTING:</b> 4/27 @ HAR	<b>MOST K:</b> 3, 4/6 vs. AKR	<b>SAVE OPPS:</b> 2/3
<b>LONG OUTING (PEN):</b> 1.1, 2x, last - 4/21 vs. RIC	<b>MOST BB:</b> 2, 2x, last - 4/27 @ HAR	<b>INHERITED/STRANDED:</b> 4/3
<b>LAST WIN:</b> 8/9/17 (ALT v. REA)	<b>SCORELESS STREAK:</b> --	<b>FIRST BATTER RETIRED %:</b> 4/6 (67%)
<b>LAST SAVE:</b> 4/21/18 (ALT vs. RIC)	<b>LONG SCORELESS STK:</b> 5.1, 4/6-4/27	<b>CURVE RECORD WHEN PITCHING:</b> 3-3
<b>LAST HR ALLOWED:</b> 8/27/17 (ALT @ BOW) (A. Rodriguez)	<b>EXTRA-INNING UER:</b> --	<b>ACQUIRED:</b> International FA (2013)

#### - CURRENT NOTES:

- **2018 NOTES:** Tied for fifth in the Eastern League with two holds...Holds a 2.90 ERA (10 ER/31 IP) in 21 outings since moving into a full-time relief role in July 2017

- **2018 NOTES:** Picked up a hold in 2018 debut on 4/6 vs. AKR...Earned second hold on 4/10 vs. HAR after stranding bases loaded in 8th...Recorded his first save of the season on 4/19 @ AKR after a scoreless tenth inning and stranding the 'Ducks free runner at third base

- **CAREER NOTES:** Signed by the Pirates as an international free agent on 10/12/13...Spent professional debut season with the DSL Pirates in 2014...Had a breakout season with the Single-A West Virginia Power in 2015, leading the South Atlantic League with a 2.10 ERA while going 12-5...Named as the Pirates' Minor League Pitcher of the Year in 2015 and the ninth-best prospect in the South Atlantic League by Baseball America...Spent all of 2016 with A-Adv. Bradenton Marauders, working as a starter for 25 of his 26 outings...Ranked second in the Florida State League in 2016 with 127 strikeouts and fifth with a 2.76 ERA...Began 2017 in the starting rotation for Double-A Altoona...Went 2-5 with a 6.50 ERA in 11 starts in 2017...Moved to the bullpen full-time in early-July and posted a 2.96 ERA (8 ER/24.1 IP) and added three saves over final 15 relief outings...Ranked as the Pirates No. 26 prospect by Baseball America entering the 2018 season...**For more on Garcia, see Page 34 of the Curve Media Guide**

#### LAST THREE APP.

DATE	W/L	IP	H	R/ER	K/BB
4/27 @ HAR	L (1)	1.0	2	1/1	0/2
4/21 V. RIC	S (2)	1.1	1	0/0	0/1
4/19 @ AKR	S (1)	1.0	0	0/0	1/0

### #29 Geoff Hartlieb

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 6-4/241

<b>LAST OUTING:</b> 4/23 vs. ERI	<b>MOST K:</b> 4, 4/14 @ ERI	<b>SAVE OPPS:</b> 2/3
<b>LONG OUTING (PEN):</b> 2.0, 2x, last - 4/19 @ AKR	<b>MOST BB:</b> 1, 4/5 vs. AKR	<b>INHERITED/STRANDED:</b> --
<b>LAST WIN:</b> 4/19/18 (ALT @ AKR)	<b>SCORELESS STREAK:</b> 2.2, 4/19-pres.	<b>FIRST BATTER RETIRED %:</b> 4/6 (67%)
<b>LAST SAVE:</b> 4/10/18 (ALT vs. HAR)	<b>LONG SCORELESS STK:</b> 2.2, 4/19-pres.	<b>CURVE RECORD WHEN PITCHING:</b> 6-0
<b>LAST HR ALLOWED:</b> 8/4/17 (BRD @ FLO) (A. Salazar)	<b>EXTRA-INNING UER:</b> 1	<b>ACQUIRED:</b> 29th Round (2016) - Lindenwood Uni.

#### - CURRENT NOTES:

- **2018 NOTES:** Made Double-A debut on Opening Day (4/5 vs. AKR) and picked up first save after allowing two runs in one inning...Worked first scoreless outing on 4/8 v. AKR to close out 4-0 shutout win...Earned second save in 4-3 win on 4/10 vs. HAR after allowing one run...Picked up first Double-A win after working 9th and 10th innings on 4/14 @ ERI

- **CAREER NOTES:** Original drafted in the 37th round in 2015 by the New York Mets out of Lindenwood University but did not sign...Drafted by the Pirates in the 29th round in 2016 out of Lindenwood University...Attended Highland (Ill.) High School, where earned all-state honors in 2011 and 2012 in basketball...Attended Quincy University as a basketball player in 2013, where he played 24 games as a freshman and scored 43 points for the Hawks...Transferred to NCAA DII Lindenwood University in 2014 to play baseball...Went 5-15 with a 6.68 ERA in his college career...Pitched for the rookie-level Bristol Pirates in 2016, where he worked a 10.7 K/9 in August...Began 2017 with Single-A West Virginia Power, where he went 1-0 with a 0.77 ERA in seven April outings...Did not allow an earned run in six June outing (10.0 IP, 5 H, 5 BB, 24 SO)...Worked 17 scoreless outings out of 20 total appearances...Promoted to A-Adv. Bradenton on 6/24/17 and did not allow an earned run in five of first six outings...Closed season with five straight scoreless outings spanning six innings...Ranked fifth in the Pirates' system in 2017 with nine total saves...**For more on Hartlieb, see Page 36 of the Curve Media Guide**

#### LAST THREE APP.

DATE	W/L	IP	H	R/ER	K/BB
4/23 V. ERI	--	1.0	0	0/0	1/0
4/19 @ AKR	W (1)	2.0	1	1/1	2/0
4/14 @ ERI	W (1)	2.0	1	1/0	4/0

### #50 Bret Helton

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 6-3/223

<b>LAST OUTING:</b> 4/25 vs. RIC	<b>MOST K:</b> 1, 2x, last - 4/11 vs. HAR	<b>SAVE OPPS:</b> --
<b>LONG OUTING (PEN):</b> 2.1, 4/7 vs. AKR	<b>MOST BB:</b> 2, 4/20 vs. RIC	<b>INHERITED/STRANDED:</b> 2/2
<b>LAST WIN:</b> 4/7/18 (ALT vs. AKR)	<b>SCORELESS STREAK:</b> 0.2, 4/25-pres.	<b>FIRST BATTER RETIRED %:</b> 3/5 (60%)
<b>LAST SAVE:</b> --	<b>LONG SCORELESS STK:</b> 5.0, 4/7-4/17	<b>CURVE RECORD WHEN PITCHING:</b> 1-4
<b>LAST HR ALLOWED:</b> 4/25/18 (ALT vs. ERI) (D. Ficociello)	<b>EXTRA-INNING UER:</b> 1	<b>ACQUIRED:</b> 9th Round (2015) - University of Utah

#### - CURRENT NOTES:

- **2018 NOTES:** Made Double-A debut on 4/7 vs. AKR in relief, threw 2.1 scoreless innings and earned the winning decision

- **CAREER NOTES:** Drafted by the Pirates in the ninth round by the Pirates in 2015 out of the University of Utah...Attended Cheyenne Mountain High School in Colorado Springs, Colo., where he was a two-time all-state selection...Won 2011 Colorado 4A state championship...Also honorable mention all-state quarterback selection as a senior in 2012...Two-way player during first two seasons at the University of Utah, working as an outfielder and a designated hitter...Went 4-12 with a 5.68 ERA in 50 games during three-year college career...Spent 2015 season with short-season West Virginia Black Bears, where he earned his first professional win on 7/10/15 @ LOW...Worked in starting rotation for Single-A West Virginia Power in 2016, where he tied for the team lead in wins (8) and ranked second in strikeouts (101)...Spent all of 2017 with A-Adv. Bradenton, splitting time between the bullpen and starting rotation...Posted a 3.05 ERA as a starter and went 5-2 with a 2.54 ERA in the second half...Led the Florida State League in winning percentage (.727), third in BAA (.255) and fourth in WHIP (1.26)...**For more on Helton, see Page 40 of the Curve Media Guide**

#### LAST THREE APP.

DATE	W/L	IP	H	R/ER	K/BB
4/25 V. ERI	L (2)	2.0	2	3/2	0/1
4/20 V. RIC	L (1)	1.0	3	3/3	0/2
4/17 @ AKR	--	1.0	2	1/1	0/1

### #39 Sean Keselica

Bats: Left Throws: Left

Ht/Wt: 6-2/200

<b>LAST OUTING:</b> 4/25 vs. ERI	<b>MOST K:</b> 2, 2x, last - 4/13 @ ERI	<b>SAVE OPPS:</b> --
<b>LONG OUTING (PEN):</b> 2.0, 4/13 @ ERI	<b>MOST BB:</b> 2, 2x, last - 4/21 vs. RIC	<b>INHERITED/STRANDED:</b> 1/1
<b>LAST WIN:</b> 4/5/18 (ALT vs. AKR)	<b>SCORELESS STREAK:</b> 0.1, 4/25-pres.	<b>FIRST BATTER RETIRED %:</b> 5/6 (83%)
<b>LAST SAVE:</b> 7/26/17 (ALT @ REA)	<b>LONG SCORELESS STK:</b> 5.2, 4/5-4/21	<b>CURVE RECORD WHEN PITCHING:</b> 4-2
<b>LAST HR ALLOWED:</b> 4/21/18 (ALT vs. RIC) (J. Sands)	<b>EXTRA-INNING UER:</b> --	<b>ACQUIRED:</b> 33rd Round (2015) - Virginia Tech

#### - CURRENT NOTES:

- **2018 NOTES:** Tied for fifth in the Eastern League with two holds

- **2018 NOTES:** Picked up Opening Day win on 4/5 vs. AKR with a scoreless eighth inning...Struck out two in a scoreless ninth inning to close out 5-1 win on 4/7 vs. AKR...Pitched two scoreless innings with two strikeouts on 4/13 @ ERI and picked up first hold

- **CAREER NOTES:** Drafted by the Pittsburgh Pirates in the 33rd round in 2015 out of Virginia Tech...Played first base, left field, right field and designated hitter during four-year career with the Hokies...Went 10-10 with a 4.05 ERA in 40 collegiate pitching appearances and hit .294 with five homers and 92 RBIs in 190 games (166 starts)...Spent entire 2015 season with short-season West Virginia Black Bears, where he earned his first professional win on 8/9/15 @ WIL with three scoreless innings...Began 2016 season in late-May with Single-A West Virginia Power Worked eight straight scoreless outings (15.1 IP) from 5/27-6/24/16...Promoted to A-Adv. Bradenton on 8/30 and pitched with the Marauders in the postseason...Spent all of 2017 with Double-A Altoona...Held hitters to .087 BAA in April, best in the Eastern League...Went 4-1 with a 1.88 ERA in first 25 games (three starts) before the All-Star Break and 0-1 with a 7.71 ERA in 17 outings after the break...Ranked first on the team and second in the E.L. with 11 holds...Second on team and sixth in E.L. with 42 games pitched...**For more on Keselica, see Page 48 of the Curve Media Guide**

#### LAST THREE APP.

DATE	W/L	IP	H	R/ER	K/BB
4/25 V. ERI	H (2)	0.1	0	0/0	1/0
4/21 V. RIC	--	0.2	2	3/3	1/2
4/17 @ AKR	--	1.0	0	0/0	0/2

# PITCHER NOTES

## #19 Jesus Liranzo

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 6-2/175

**LAST OUTING:** 4/23 vs. ERI  
**LONG OUTING (PEN):** 2.0, 4/20 vs. RIC  
**LAST WIN:** 9/3/17 (BOW @ RIC)  
**LAST SAVE:** 5/30/17 (BOW vs. ERI)  
**LAST HR ALLOWED:** 8/16/17 (BOW @ REA) (J. Tromp)

**MOST K:** 3, 2x, last - 4/23 vs. ERI  
**MOST BB:** 1, 4/23 vs. ERI  
**SCORELESS STREAK:** 3.2, 4/16-pres.  
**LONG SCORELESS STK:** 3.2, 4/16-pres.  
**EXTRA-INNING UER:** --

**SAVE OPPS:** --  
**INHERITED/STRANDED:** 3/2  
**FIRST BATTER RETIRED %:** 3/3 (100%)  
**CURVE RECORD WHEN PITCHING:** 1-2  
**ACQUIRED:** Waivers (2018) - Los Angeles (NL)

**- CURRENT NOTES:**

- **2018 NOTES:** Made Pirates organization debut on 4/16 @ AKR with the bases loaded and threw a perfect two-thirds of an inning...Struck out three over two hitless innings in home debut for the Curve on 4/20 vs. RIC

- **CAREER NOTES:** Claimed off waivers by the Pirates on 4/5/2018 from the Los Angeles Dodgers and is a member of the 40-man roster...Traded to the Dodgers from the Baltimore Orioles on 4/2/2018 in exchange for LHP Luis Ysla...Originally signed as an international free agent by the Atlanta Braves in on 5/4/2012...Signed by Baltimore on 7/6/2013...Released by the Braves in June 2013 and made Orioles organization debut on 7/13 vs. DSL Braves...Missed 2014 season due to elbow surgery...Rehabbed with DSL Orioles in 2015...Made U.S. debut in 2016 with Single-A Delmarva on 5/22 @ LWD...Held South Atlantic League hitters to a .109 batting average and a 1.05 ERA over 16 outings and fanned 46 in 32.1 innings...Promoted to Double-A Bowie on 7/29/16 and made Double-A debut on 7/29 @ AKR...Did not surrender a hit and struck out six over his first four appearances with the Baysox that spanned six innings...Made 27 total appearances in 2016, all in relief, with a 1-1 record and 1.87 ERA...Added to the Orioles 40-man roster after the 2016 season to protect himself from Rule 5 draft...Spent all of 2017 with the Bowie Baysox and set career-best numbers with 31 appearances, 65 innings pitched and 75 strikeouts...Tied career-high with six strikeouts in a pair of three-inning outings on 7/5 vs. Hartford and 8/28 vs. Trenton...Made 12 starts for Bowie in 2017, none longer than three innings...Participated in the Arizona Fall League after the 2016 and 2017 seasons...Rated as the Orioles No. 19 prospect according to *Baseball America* entering the 2018 season

**LAST THREE APP.**

DATE	W/L	IP	H	R/ER	K/BB
4/23 V. ERI	--	1.0	1	0/0	3/1
4/20 V. RIC	--	2.0	0	0/0	3/0
4/16 @ AKR	--	0.2	0	0/0	0/0

## #18 Tate Scioneaux

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 6-1/223

**LAST OUTING:** 4/27 @ HAR  
**LONG OUTING (PEN):** 2.0, 2x, last - 4/13 @ ERI  
**LAST WIN:** 7/8/17 (ALT @ AKR)  
**LAST SAVE:** 8/21/17 (ALT @ HFD)  
**LAST HR ALLOWED:** 4/6/18 (ALT vs. AKR) (B. Bradley)

**MOST K:** 4, 4/13 @ ERI  
**MOST BB:** --  
**SCORELESS STREAK:** 2.0, 4/18-pres.  
**LONG SCORELESS STK:** 5.1, 4/6-4/18  
**EXTRA-INNING UER:** --

**SAVE OPPS:** 0/1  
**INHERITED/STRANDED:** 2/1  
**FIRST BATTER RETIRED %:** 4/6 (57%)  
**CURVE RECORD WHEN PITCHING:** 2-4  
**ACQUIRED:** 39th Round (2015) - Southeastern La.

**- CURRENT NOTES:**

- **2018 NOTES:** Struck out season-high four over two scoreless innings on 4/13 @ ERI

- **CAREER NOTES:** Drafted by the Pirates in the 39th round (1,177th overall) in 2015 out of Southeastern Louisiana University...Went 10-3 with a 0.55 ERA as a senior at Riverside Academy...Ranks third in Southeastern Louisiana University history with 20 wins and 260 strikeouts...Named as the Southland Conference's tenth-best prospect entering the 2015 draft by *Baseball America*...Spent 2015 season with short-season West Virginia Black Bears and made 10 relief appearances, holding opposing hitters to a .198 BAA...Began 2016 with Single-A West Virginia Power and went 3-for-3 in save tries...Promoted to A-Adv. Bradenton on 5/3 and held a 0.63 ERA in first 14 IP through May...Spent all of 2017 with Double-A Altoona...Named Curve's "Fireman of the Year" after tying team lead with 14 saves...Ranked first in Pirates organization with 47 games pitched and tied for second with 14 saves...Posted fourth-lowest BAA (.219) among E.L. relievers, fifth with 14 saves and second-lowest ERA (2.39) among all pitchers with at least 80 IP...Struck out the side in order in the ninth on 9/14/17 vs. TRN in Game 3 of the Eastern League Championship Series to close out 4-2 win and Curve's second E.L. title...**For more on Scioneaux, see Page 60 of the Curve Media Guide**

**LAST THREE APP.**

DATE	W/L	IP	H	R/ER	K/BB
4/27 @ HAR	--	0.2	0	0/0	1/1
4/22 V. RIC	--	1.0	0	0/0	1/0
4/18 @ AKR	--	1.0	2	1/1	0/0

## #36 Logan Sendelbach

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 6-3/189

**LAST OUTING:** 4/25 vs. ERI  
**LONG OUTING (PEN):** 2.0, 3x, last - 4/14 @ ERI  
**LAST WIN:** 4/10/18 (ALT vs. HAR)  
**LAST SAVE:** 7/23/17 (BRD vs. CLR)  
**LAST HR ALLOWED:** 4/25/18 (ALT vs. ERI) (G. Quintana)

**MOST K:** 3, 4/14 @ ERI  
**MOST BB:** 3, 4/10 vs. HAR  
**SCORELESS STREAK:** --  
**LONG SCORELESS STK:** 3.2, 4/5-4/10  
**EXTRA-INNING UER:** --

**SAVE OPPS:** 0/2 (0%)  
**INHERITED/STRANDED:** 1/1  
**FIRST BATTER RETIRED %:** 5/6 (83%)  
**CURVE RECORD WHEN PITCHING:** 3-3  
**ACQUIRED:** 10th Round (2015) - Tiffin University

**- CURRENT NOTES:**

- **2018 NOTES:** Made Double-A debut on Opening Day (4/5 vs. AKR) and tossed two scoreless innings with two strikeouts...Picked up first Double-A win on 4/10 vs. HAR (2.0 IP, 0 H, 1 R, 0 ER, 3 BB, 1 SO)...Hit with blown save after surrendering 2-1 lead in 7th on 4/14 @ ARK

- **CAREER NOTES:** Drafted in the tenth round by the Pirates in 2015 out of Tiffin University...First Tiffin University player ever selected in the MLB Draft...Spent 2015 with rookie-level Bristol, primarily as a starter...Spent 2016 season with Single-A West Virginia Power, where he went 2-0 with a 1.32 ERA in five April starts...Ranked fourth among SAL pitchers in fewest baserunners per nine innings (10.40)...Spent all of 2017 with A-Adv. Bradenton, where he made 11 starts and 20 relief appearances...Went 1-1 with a 1.15 ERA in 20 relief outings and 4-5 with a 5.51 ERA in 11 starts...**For more on Sendelbach, see Page 61 of the Curve Media Guide**

**LAST THREE APP.**

DATE	W/L	IP	H	R/ER	K/BB
4/25 V. ERI	H(1)	0.2	2	2/2	0/0
4/22 V. RIC	--	1.1	1	0/0	1/1
4/18 @ AKR	L(1)	1.0	3	2/2	0/0

## SHUTOUTS BY CURVE

2

Date	Score	Hits	Pitcher(s)
4/8 vs. AKR	4-0	3	M. Keller, T. Scioneaux, G. Hartlieb
4/23 vs. ERI	7-0	4	J.T. Brubaker, J. Liranzo, G. Hartlieb

## SHUTOUTS BY OPPONENTS

1

Date	Score	Hits	Pitcher(s)
4/17 @ AKR	2-0	4	S. Bieber, M. Brown

## CATCHER'S BOX

11-28 (39.3%)

Player	Caught	Attempts	Percent	Last Caught Stealing
C. Kelley	11	25	44.0	4/25 vs. ERI
J. Williams	0	3	0.00	--

## ERRORS BY POSITION (OUTFIELD ASSISTS)

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Left Field		Center Field		Right Field	
Player	E (A)	Player	E (A)	Player	E (A)
Escobar	0 (0)	Martin	1 (0)	Hill	0 (0)
Hill	0 (0)	Reyes	1 (0)	Reynolds	1 (1)
Martin	1 (0)	Reynolds	0 (0)	Escobar	0 (0)
George	0 (0)	Escobar	0 (0)		
				Second Base	
				Player	E
				Alemais	2
				Reyes	0
				Mathisen	0
				First Base	
				Player	E
				Craig	2
				Mathisen	0
				George	0
Shortstop		Catcher			
Player	E	Player	E (PB)		
Tucker	2	Kelley	1 (1)		
Alemais	0	Williams	0 (0)		
Third Base					
Player	E				
Hayes	1				
Mathisen	0				

# POSITION PLAYER NOTES

## #2 Stephen Alemais

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 5-11 / 193

**CURRENT HIT STREAK:** --  
**LONGEST HIT STREAK:** 8 games, 4/17-4/25  
**STARTS (POSITION):** 2B (14), SS (3)  
**STARTS (ORDER):** 1st (1), 2nd (14), 7th (1), 8th (1)

**CURRENT ON-BASE STREAK:** --  
**LONG ON-BASE STREAK:** 8 games, 4/17-4/25

**LAST HR:** 8/17/17 (BRD vs. DBT) (J. Ehret)  
**PINCH-HITTING:** --  
**MULTI-HIT GAMES:** 5  
**ACQ:** 3rd Round (2016) - Tulane

- **CURRENT NOTES:** Leads E.L. second baseman with 45 assists and 67 total chances...Ranked tenth in Pirates system with .292 batting average...11-game hitting streak at PNG Field is the longest among E.L. hitters in their home ballpark this season  
- **2018 NOTES:** Picked up first Double-A hit, a game-tying single in the eighth, on Opening Day (4/5 vs. AKR)...Opened season with a six-game hit streak from 4/5-4/11  
- **CAREER NOTES:** Drafted by the Pirates in the third round in 2016 out of Tulane University, where he led the Green Wave in batting average, hits and stolen bases during his sophomore and junior seasons in 2015 and 2016...Hit .293 with 31 doubles, six triples, three homer runs 69 RBIs and 57 stolen bases in three-year collegiate career...Began professional career in 2016 with the short-season West Virginia Black Bears...Promoted to Single-A West Virginia Power for final 11 games of 2016 season...Began 2017 with Single-A West Virginia...Placed on 7-day disabled list on 5/19/17 with torn thumb ligament that required surgery...Activated on 7/4/17...Promoted to A-Adv. Bradenton on 7/20, where he hit .317 over his final 30 games of the season...Entered 2018 ranked as the Pirates' No. 28 prospect by *Baseball America*...**For more on Alemais, see Page 23 of the Curve Media Guide**

## #25 Will Craig

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 6-2 / 223

**CURRENT HIT STREAK:** --  
**LONGEST HIT STREAK:** 4 games, 4/7-4/11  
**STARTS (POSITION):** 1B (14), DH (1)  
**STARTS (ORDER):** 3rd (11), 4th (3), 5th (1)

**CURRENT ON-BASE STREAK:** --  
**LONG ON-BASE STREAK:** 9 games, 4/7-4/19

**LAST HR:** 4/10/18 (ALT vs. HAR) (K. Fleck)  
**PINCH-HITTING:** (0/1)  
**MULTI-HIT GAMES:** 2  
**ACQ:** 1st Round (2016) - Wake Forest

- **CURRENT NOTES:** Ranks tied for ninth in the E.L. and tied for third in the Pirates organization with three home runs...12 RBIs are tied for seventh-most in the Eastern League and ranks fifth in the Pirates organization  
- **2018 NOTES:** Hit go-ahead, three-run home run in 6th inning on 4/7 vs. AKR for first Double-A homer and lifted Curve to 5-1 win...Homered in three straight games between 4/7-4/10 including a go-ahead, three-run inside-the-park home run in the seventh inning on 4/10 vs. HAR in a 4-3 win for the Curve  
- **CAREER NOTES:** Drafted by the Pirates in the first round (22nd overall) in 2016 out of Wake Forest University...Attended Science Hill High School in Johnson City, Tenn., where he was a three-time all-conference selection and Big 8 Conference Player of the Year in 2012...Played three seasons at Wake Forest, where he was named ACC Player of the Year in 2016...Two-way player for the Demon Deacons...Made professional debut in 2016 with short-season West Virginia Black Bears and had more walks (41) than strikeouts (37) for the season...Spent all of 2017 with A-Adv. Bradenton, where he posted a .349 average against LHPs...2017 Florida State League Mid-Season All-Star...**For more on Craig, see Page 30 of the Curve Media Guide**

## #13 Elvis Escobar

Bats: Left Throws: Left

Ht/Wt: 5-8 / 181

**CURRENT HIT STREAK:** --  
**LONGEST HIT STREAK:** 2 games, 2x, last - 4/23-4/25  
**STARTS (POSITION):** LF (2), RF (10), CF (2)  
**STARTS (ORDER):** 6th (3), 7th (4), 8th (7)

**CURRENT ON-BASE STREAK:** --  
**LONG ON-BASE STREAK:** 2 games, 4x, last - 4/23-4/25

**LAST HR:** 7/19/17 (ALT vs. HBG) (M. Crownover)  
**PINCH-HITTING:** (0/3), K  
**MULTI-HIT GAMES:** 1  
**ACQ:** International FA (2011)

- **CURRENT NOTES:**  
- **2018 NOTES:** Hit go-ahead, three-run triple in win on 4/13 @ ERI  
- **CAREER NOTES:** Signed by the Pirates as an international free agent on July 2, 2011...Played in the GCL in 2012 at age 17, where he hit .324 with a homer and seven RBIs in the month of August...Entered 2014 rated by *Baseball America* as the Pirates No. 25 prospect...Selected as a South Atlantic League Mid-Season All-Star in 2015 with the West Virginia Power...Joined the Curve on 8/2/16...Spent all of 2017 on Altoona roster...Tied franchise record with five hits in a single game on 6/20/17 vs. TRN...Delivered a walk-off single on 8/12/17 vs. TRN (1) and followed the next day with a walk-off single in the tenth to again beat Trenton...Drove in three runs in Game 2 of the 2017 ELDS on 9/8/17 @ BOW...Drove in two runs in Game 2 of the 2017 ELCS on 9/13/17 @ TRN...Led 2017 Curve with 30 multi-hit games and 117 games played...**For more on Escobar, see Page 32 of the Curve Media Guide**

## #24 Jordan George

Bats: Switch Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 6-1 / 199

**CURRENT HIT STREAK:** 4 games, 4/21-pres.  
**LONGEST HIT STREAK:** 4 games, 4/21-pres.  
**STARTS (POSITION):** 1B (1), DH (1), LF (1)  
**STARTS (ORDER):** 4th (1), 5th (2)

**CURRENT ON-BASE STREAK:** 4 games, 4/21-pres.  
**LONG ON-BASE STREAK:** 4 games, 4/21-pres.

**LAST HR:** 7/29/17 (ALT vs. TRN) (D. Camarena)  
**PINCH-HITTING:** (1/2)  
**MULTI-HIT GAMES:** 1  
**ACQ:** 35th Round (2015) - Arkansas State University

- **CURRENT NOTES:** Over his last ten starts with the Curve dating back to 8/25/17, hitting .350 (14/40) with two three-hit games  
- **2018 NOTES:** Began season in Pirates extended spring training and assigned to Double-A Altoona on 4/20...Went 3-for-4 with an RBI in first start of the season on 4/21 vs. RIC  
- **CAREER NOTES:** Drafted by the Pirates in the 35th round (1,057th overall) in the 2015 draft out of Arkansas State...Finished college career with a 74-game on-base streak between 2014-15 at Arkansas State that spanned 55 games during his senior season and also led the nation with a .548 on-base percentage...Attended high school at Greene County Tech and was a three-time all-state selection in Arkansas...With rookie-level Bristol in 2015, reached base in 27 of 29 games played...Hit .324 for Single-A West Virginia Power in 2016 after a promotion from short-season West Virginia Black Bears to finish season with a .300 batting average...Began 2017 season with A-Adv. Bradenton...Recorded the second-longest hitting streak of the season in the Florida State League with 19 games from 7/1-7/13 and hit .368 (28/76) over that stretch...Also had a 23-game on-base streak from 7/1 until his promotion to Double-A Altoona...Made Double-A debut on 7/29 vs. Trenton and hit a two-run homer for his first Double-A hit...Hit safely in 22 of 30 regular-season games with the Curve and finished the season third in the Pirates minor league system with a .302 overall batting average...Appeared in all six playoff games for the 2017 E.L. champs and went 3-for-19 in the playoffs...**For more on George, see Page 35 of the Curve Media Guide**

## #10 Ke'Bryan Hayes

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 5-11 / 195

**CURRENT HIT STREAK:** --  
**LONGEST HIT STREAK:** 4 games, 4/11-4/16  
**STARTS (POSITION):** 3B (17)  
**STARTS (ORDER):** 2nd (2), 3rd (3), 5th (1), 6th (11)

**CURRENT ON-BASE STREAK:** --  
**LONG ON-BASE STREAK:** 4 games, 4/11-4/16

**LAST HR:** 7/27/17 (BRD @ STL) (C. Missigman)  
**PINCH-HITTING:** (0/1)  
**MULTI-HIT GAMES:** 5  
**ACQ:** 1st Round (2015) - Concordia Lutheran (Texas) HS

- **CURRENT NOTES:** Leads E.L. third baseman with six double plays...Began season hitting .050 (1/20) over first five games but is batting .319 (15/47) over last 13 games with five multi-hit performances  
- **2018 NOTES:** First Double-A hit and two RBIs on the same swing on 4/6 vs. AKR...Went 3-for-4 with a triple on 4/11 vs. HAR  
- **CAREER NOTES:** Drafted by the Pirates in the first round (32nd overall) in 2015...Perfect Game All-American and Texas All-Region first-team selection in 2015 season season after hitting .436 with 27 RBIs...Helped lead his team to the 2015 TAPPS state title with a game-winning, go-ahead RBI single in the sixth inning of the clinching game...Played for the USA Junior National Team in 2014...Had committed to play for the University of Tennessee before signing with the Pirates...Selected as a South Atlantic League Mid-Season All-Star in 2016 with the West Virginia Power...Missed final six weeks in 2016 after suffering a back strain and later a cracked rib...Spent 2017 with A-Adv. Bradenton, where he was named a Florida State League Mid-Season All-Star, an MiLB.com Pirates Organizational All-Star and won the 2017 Rawlings MiLB Gold Glove Award as the top defensive third baseman in the minors...Ranked second in the Pirates' system with 27 stolen bases...Rated by *Baseball America* as the "Best Defensive Infielder" in the Pirates' system entering 2018...**For more on Hayes, see Page 37 of the Curve Media Guide**

## #53 Logan Hill

Bats: Right Throws: Right

Ht/Wt: 6-3 / 225

**CURRENT HIT STREAK:** --  
**LONGEST HIT STREAK:** 2 games, 2x, last - 4/22-4/25  
**STARTS (POSITION):** DH (5), LF (8), RF (2)  
**STARTS (ORDER):** 4th (13), 5th (1), 6th (1)

**CURRENT ON-BASE STREAK:** --  
**LONG ON-BASE STREAK:** 4 games, 4/16-4/20

**LAST HR:** 4/25/18 (ALT vs. RIC) (J. Thompson)  
**PINCH-HITTING:** --  
**MULTI-HIT GAMES:** 1  
**ACQ:** 25th Round (2015) - Troy University

- **CURRENT NOTES:** Ranked second in the Eastern League with 28 strikeouts  
- **2018 NOTES:** Hit go-ahead, three-run home run in the 8th inning on 4/5 vs. AKR to lift Curve to a 6-3 Opening Day win...Went on a 19-game on-base streak from 7/6/17-4/6/18, which was the second-longest active streak in the league at the time, during which he hit .286 with two homers and nine RBIs  
- **CAREER NOTES:** Drafted by the Pirates in the 25th round in 2015 out of Troy University...Attended Washington High School in Pensacola, Fla....Began college career at Jefferson Davis Community College in Brewton, Ala., where he was a two-time all-conference selection and named to the NJCAA National Team after sophomore season in 2014...Played junior season at Troy University and ranked in the top ten in the Sun Belt in batting average (.354), hits (73), RBIs (42), stolen bases (13), slugging percentage (.549) and on-base percentage (.440)...Began professional career with short-season West Virginia Black Bears in 2015 and finished ninth in the league in average (.297) and third in homers (7)...Named NYPL Player of the Month in July 2015 and was a 2015 New York-Penn League Mid-Season All-Star...Spent most of 2016 with the Single-A West Virginia Power and tied for second on the team with 11 home runs...Began 2017 with A-Adv. Bradenton and was selected as a Florida State League Mid-Season and Post-Season All-Star...Led FSL with 16 homers at time of promotion to Double-A...Hit by a pitch on 7/26/17 @ REA that broke his hand and ended his season...Played for Glendale in the Arizona Fall League...**For more on Hill, see Page 41 of the Curve Media Guide**



# POSITION PLAYER NOTES

## #14 Bralin Jackson Bats: Right Throws: Left Ht/Wt: 6-2/183

**CURRENT HIT STREAK:** 1 game, 4/23-pres. **CURRENT ON-BASE STREAK:** 1 game, 4/23-pres. **LAST HR:** 7/1/17 (CHA @ BRD) (S. Tarpley)  
**LONGEST HIT STREAK:** 1 game, 4/23-pres. **LONG ON-BASE STREAK:** 1 game, 4/23-pres. **PINCH-HITTING:** --  
**STARTS (POSITION):** RF (2) **MULTI-HIT GAMES:** 1  
**STARTS (ORDER):** 7th (1), 8th (1) **ACQ:** MiLB Free Agent (2017)

- **CURRENT NOTES:**  
- **2018 NOTES:** Began season in Pirates extended spring training and assigned to Double-A Altoona on 4/20...Made Double-A on 4/20 vs. RIC as the starting right fielder and went 0-for-4 at the plate...First Double-A RBI on first Double-A hit in the second inning on 4/23 vs. ERI and collected a second hit in the eighth  
- **CAREER NOTES:** Drafted by the Tampa Bay Rays in the fifth round in 2012 out of Raytown South (Mo.) High School...Played five seasons in the Rays system...2014 New York-Penn League All-Star as a member of the Hudson Valley Renegades with a career-best .274 batting average...Spent the 2015 season with the Single-A Bowling Green Hot Rods and hit a career-high 19 doubles and 41 RBIs...In 2016, played with A-Adv. Charlotte Stone Crabs in the Florida State League and homered in his first at-bat...Released by the Rays following the 2016 season...Played in the independent Frontier League for the Washington Wild Things...Led Washington with 16 home runs and 76 RBIs...Frontier League All-Star Game MVP last July after he went 2-for-4 with a two-run double...*For more on Jackson, see Page 44 of the Curve Media Guide*

## #49 Christian Kelley Bats: Right Throws: Right Ht/Wt: 5-10/190

**CURRENT HIT STREAK:** 4 games, 4/21-pres. **CURRENT ON-BASE STREAK:** 6 games, 4/18-pres. **LAST HR:** 4/27/18 (ALT @ HAR) (W. Estevez)  
**LONGEST HIT STREAK:** 4 games, 4/21-pres. **LONG ON-BASE STREAK:** 6 games, 4/18-pres. **PINCH-HITTING:** --  
**STARTS (POSITION):** C (13) **MULTI-HIT GAMES:** 4  
**STARTS (ORDER):** 8th (5), 9th (8) **ACQ:** 11th Round (2015) - Cal Poly Pomona

- **CURRENT NOTES:** 11 runners caught-stealing is the best total among Eastern League catchers and tied for the most opponent steal attempts (25)...44% caught-stealing percentage is second-best in the E.L....Batting .533 (8/15) with three multi-hit games, one homer and 6 RBIs in last four games  
- **2018 NOTES:** Picked up Double-A hits in 2-for-4 performance on 4/6 vs. AKR...Threw out two base-stealing attempts on 4/10 vs. HAR...Recorded first Double-A RBI on 4/18 @ AKR, a go-ahead RBI-single in a 4-2 Curve loss...Hit first Double-A home run on 4/22 vs. RIC on a two-run blast during a 3-for-4 afternoon with three RBIs  
- **CAREER NOTES:** Drafted by the Pirates in the 11th round in 2015 out of Cal Poly Pomona...Hit .341 as a draft-eligible sophomore in 2015 at California Polytechnic State University, Pomona...Started professional career with short-season West Virginia Black Bears in 2015, where he led NYPL catchers in games (53), total chances (442), putouts (382), assists (52) and double plays (7)...Began 2016 with Single-A West Virginia Power and joined A-Adv. Bradenton on 8/10 for the remainder of the season as part of the Marauders' championship run...Spent all of 2017 with A-Adv. Bradenton...2017 Florida State League Mid-Season All-Star and starting catcher in FSL All-Star Game...Led FSL catchers in games caught (89), total chances (757), putouts (653) and assists (97)...Rated by *Baseball America* as the "Best Defensive Catcher" in the Pirates system entering 2018...*For more on Kelley, see Page 47 of the Curve Media Guide*

## #23 Jason Martin Bats: Left Throws: Right Ht/Wt: 5-10/185

**CURRENT HIT STREAK:** 5 games, 4/21-pres. **CURRENT ON-BASE STREAK:** 8 games, 4/18-pres. **LAST HR:** 4/21/18 (ALT vs. RIC) (C. Taylor)  
**LONGEST HIT STREAK:** 5 games, 4/21-pres. **LONG ON-BASE STREAK:** 8 games, 4/18-pres. **PINCH-HITTING:** --  
**STARTS (POSITION):** LF (6), CF (8) **MULTI-HIT GAMES:** 5  
**STARTS (ORDER):** 2nd (1), 3rd (4), 5th (9) **ACQ:** Trade (HOU) - 2018

- **CURRENT NOTES:** Doubled in five straight games...Hitting .395 (17/43) over last 12 games with three triples, one homer, five doubles, 11 runs scored and five multi-hit games...Tied for the Eastern League lead with three triples...Ranked tenth in the Eastern League and fourth in the Pirates organization with .333 batting average...608 slugging percentage is third-best in Eastern League and .414 on-base percentage is ranked fifth in E.L.  
- **2018 NOTES:** Made Pirates organization debut on 4/10 vs. HAR and went 0-for-4 with three strikeouts...Went 3-for-4 with a triple and scored two runs on 4/13 @ ERI...Hit go-ahead triple in the 11th and then scored in 5-4 win on 4/14 @ ERI...Hit first home run in Pirates organization on 4/21 vs. RIC and went 3-for-4 with a walk, three runs scored and a double, missing a triple for the cycle  
- **CAREER NOTES:** Drafted in the eighth round by the Astros in 2013 out of Orange Lutheran (Calif.) High School...Traded to the Pittsburgh Pirates on January 13, 2018 with INF Colin Moran, RHP Joe Musgrove and RHP Michael Feliz for RHP Gerrit Cole...Entered 2018 rated as the Astros' No. 19 prospect by *Baseball America* and the Pirates' No. 22 prospect by MLB.com...Played with A-Adv. Lancaster in 2016 and finished with 23 home runs, the most in the Houston organization and third-most in the California League...Began 2017 with A-Adv. Buies Creek...Promoted to Double-A Corpus Christi on 5/30/17 for the remainder of the season and finished the year with a combined 18 home runs and 66 RBIs between the two stops...*For more on Martin, see Page 51 of the Curve Media Guide*

## #5 Wyatt Mathisen Bats: Right Throws: Right Ht/Wt: 6-0/211

**CURRENT HIT STREAK:** 2 game, 4/21-pres. **CURRENT ON-BASE STREAK:** 9 games, 4/8-pres. **LAST HR:** 8/11/17 (ALT vs. TRN) (B. Koerner)  
**LONGEST HIT STREAK:** 4 games, 4/8-4/19 **LONG ON-BASE STREAK:** 9 games, 4/8-pres. **PINCH-HITTING:** (0/0), BB  
**STARTS (POSITION):** 1B (3), DH (1), 2B (1), 3B (1) **MULTI-HIT GAMES:** 2  
**STARTS (ORDER):** 6th (1), 7th (3), 8th (2) **ACQ:** 2nd Round (2012) - Calallen (Texas) HS

- **CURRENT NOTES:** Reached base in all nine games played and has four extra-base hits...Reached base in nine consecutive plate appearances dating back to 4/21 vs. RIC  
- **2018 NOTES:** Started at first base for second time in career on 4/14 @ ERI  
- **CAREER NOTES:** Drafted by the Pirates in the second round in 2012 as a catcher...Named a GCL Post-Season All-Star after debut season in 2012 and named fifth-best GCL prospect by *Baseball America*...Missed most of 2013 with labrum injury...Converted from catcher to third baseman for 2014 season...Led all Florida State League third basemen with a .946 fielding percentage while playing for the Bradenton Marauders in 2015...Missed start of 2016 season with shoulder injury...Spent all of 2017 with Double-A Altoona...2017 Eastern League Mid-Season All-Star and starting third baseman in the EL All-Star Game in New Hampshire...Tied franchise record with five hits in a single game on 8/3/17 vs. ERI...Hit a two-run home run in Game 3 of the Western Division Series on 9/9/17 vs. BOW...*For more on Mathisen, see Page 52 of the Curve Media Guide*

## #24 Bryan Reynolds Bats: Switch Throws: Right Ht/Wt: 6-3/205

**CURRENT HIT STREAK:** 3 games, 4/6-pres. **CURRENT ON-BASE STREAK:** 3 games, 4/6-pres. **LAST HR:** 9/3/17 (SJ @ STK) (K. Friedrichs)  
**LONGEST HIT STREAK:** 3 games, 4/6-pres. **LONG ON-BASE STREAK:** 3 games, 4/6-pres. **PINCH-HITTING:** --  
**STARTS (POSITION):** RF (3), CF (1) **MULTI-HIT GAMES:** --  
**STARTS (ORDER):** 5th (4) **ACQ:** Trade (SF) - 2018

- **CURRENT NOTES:**  
- **2018 NOTES:** Notched first Double-A hit, a double, on 4/6 vs. AKR...Placed on the 7-day DL on 4/10 for a left wrist sprain  
- **CAREER NOTES:** Drafted by the San Francisco Giants in the second round in 2016 out of Vanderbilt...Traded by the Giants to the Pirates on January 15, 2018 along with RHP Kyle Crick and "future considerations" for OF Andrew McCutchen...Attended Brentwood High School in Tennessee, where he was a first-team all-state selection as a junior in 2012...Led Vanderbilt with a .338 batting average as a freshman during Commodores' College World Series national championship run in 2014...Hit .329 overall in three seasons at Vanderbilt with 22 home runs, including 13 as a junior in 2016...Began professional career in 2016 with short-season Salem-Keizer and was named a *Baseball America* Short-Season All-Star...Joined A-Adv. San Jose on 9/6/16 for California League playoffs...Spent 2017 with San Jose and led the team with a .312 batting average, 72 runs scored and tripled nine times...Selected as a California League Mid-Season All-Star...Played for the U.S. team in the 2017 MLB All-Star Futures Game in Miami and walked in only plate appearance off the bench...2017 MiLB.com Giants Organization All-Star...Ranked as No. 5 Giants prospect by *Baseball America* and No. 6 Pirates prospect by MLB.com entering 2018...*For more on Reynolds, see Page 58 of the Curve Media Guide*

# POSITION PLAYER NOTES

## #3 Cole Tucker Bats: Switch Throws: Right Ht/Wt: 6-3/200

**CURRENT HIT STREAK:** -- **CURRENT ON-BASE STREAK:** -- **LAST HR:** 9/3/17 (ALT vs. HAR) (T. Collins)  
**LONGEST HIT STREAK:** 6 games, 4/8-4/17 **LONG ON-BASE STREAK:** 9 games, 4/5-4/17 **PINCH-HITTING:** --  
**STARTS (POSITION):** SS (15), DH (2) **MULTI-HIT GAMES:** 5  
**STARTS (ORDER):** 1st (17) **ACQ:** 1st Round (2014) - Mountain Pointe (Ariz.) HS

**- CURRENT NOTES:**  
**- 2018 NOTES:** Had a 25-game on-base streak between 8/19/17-4/16/18, which was the second-longest streak in the league during that period, during which he hit .365 (35/96) with seven doubles, three triples, two home runs, 17 RBIs and 18 runs scored...Knocked the go-ahead and eventual winning run in the 10th inning on 4/19 @ AKR on an RBI, infield single  
**- CAREER NOTES:** Drafted by the Pirates in the first round (24th overall) in 2014 out of Mountain Pointe High School in Phoenix, Ariz....Had committed to play at the University of Arizona before signing with the Pirates...Named Perfect Game Second-Team All-American in 2014...Played for Team USA in the 2013 18U Baseball World Cup in Taiwan and won gold medal...Spent 2014 in the GCL and ranked second in the league with 39 runs scored...Named No. 11 GCL prospect by *Baseball America*...Spent 2015 with Single-A West Virginia Power and played 73 games before missing all of August with a shoulder injury...Ranked fifth in the Pirates system with 25 stolen bases in 2015...Named a 2015 MiLB.com Pirates Organization All-Star...Named No. 15 prospect in South Atlantic League by *Baseball America*...Started 2016 with Single-A West Virginia in May after missing start of season recovering from shoulder surgery...Promoted to A-Adv. Bradenton on 5/28/16...Returned to Bradenton to open 2017 season was named a Florida State League Mid-Season All-Star...Named No. 9 Florida State League prospect by *Baseball America*...Promoted to Altoona on 7/20/17...Hit .348 with four doubles, two triples, 12 RBIs and 13 walks over final 17 games in 2017 with Altoona...Went 3-for-5 with two doubles in Game 1 of the 2017 ELDS on 9/7 @ BOW...Fractured left hand in Game 2 of ELDS on 9/8 @ BOW and missed remainder of the postseason...Led Pirates system with 47 total stolen bases in 2017...Ranked by *Baseball America* as the No. 6 Pirates prospect and by MLB.com as the No. 5 Pirates prospect entering 2018...**For more on Tucker, see Page 66 of the Curve Media Guide**

## #6 Jackson Williams Bats: Right Throws: Right Ht/Wt: 6-3/200

**CURRENT HIT STREAK:** 1 game, 4/23-pres. **CURRENT ON-BASE STREAK:** 1 game, 4/23-pres. **LAST HR:** 6/23/17 (IND @ LOU) (R. Stephenson)  
**LONGEST HIT STREAK:** 2 games, 4/7-4/13 **LONG ON-BASE STREAK:** 3 games, 4/7-4/17 **PINCH-HITTING:** --  
**STARTS (POSITION):** C (5) **MULTI-HIT GAMES:** --  
**STARTS (ORDER):** 9th (5) **ACQ:** MiLB FA (2017)

**- CURRENT NOTES:**  
**- 2018 NOTES:**  
**- CAREER NOTES:** Signed by the Pirates as a minor league free agent in 2017...Originally drafted by the San Francisco Giants in the first round in 2007 out of the University of Oklahoma...Ranked by *Baseball America* as the Giants No. 18 prospect in 2008 and No. 16 Giants prospect in 2009...First played in the Eastern League in 2009 in the Connecticut Defenders' final season and in 2010 during the Richmond Flying Squirrels' first season...Signed as a minor league free agent with the Colorado Rockies in 2014...Made MLB debut with the Rockies on 6/27/14 and appeared in seven total major league games...Claimed on waiver by the Angels and then traded back to the Giants on 3/17/15...Played entire 2015 minor league season with Richmond before earning a September call-up to the Giants...Played seven games with San Francisco...Signed a minor league contract with the Rockies on 11/10/15...Starting catcher for Hartford Yard Goats' inaugural game on 4/7 in Richmond, a home game for Hartford while awaiting its new stadium's completion...Signed with the Pirates as a minor league free agent prior to the start of the 2017 season...Began year in extended spring training before joining Altoona on 4/28...Hit safely in each of his first six games with Altoona...Split 2017 between Altoona and Triple-A Indianapolis...**For more on Williams, see Page 69 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
Stephen Alemais	5	5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Will Craig	2	2	--	--	--	4	1	3	--	--	3	1	2	--	--	4/10 vs. HAR
Elvis Escobar	1	1	--	--	--	2	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Jordan George	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Ke'Bryan Hayes	5	3	2	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Logan Hill	1	1	--	--	--	3	1	2	--	--	2	--	2	--	--	4/25 vs. ERI
Bralin Jackson	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Christian Kelley	4	3	1	--	--	1	--	1	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	4/22 vs. RIC
Kevin Krause	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Jason Martin	5	3	2	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	4/21 vs. RIC
Wyatt Mathisen	2	2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pablo Reyes	2	2	--	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bryan Reynolds	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Cole Tucker	5	5	--	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Jackson Williams	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pitchers	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Totals	34	28	6	--	--	14	7	7	--	--	7	3	4	--	--	

## PINCH HITTERS

PLAYER	STATISTICS	LAST PINCH-HIT APP.
W. Craig	0/1	4/21 vs. RIC
E. Escobar	0/3, K	4/20 vs. RIC
J. George	1/2	4/22 vs. RIC
K. Hayes	0/1, K	4/22 vs. RIC
K. Krause	0/0, BB	4/10 vs. HAR
W. Mathisen	0/0, BB	4/11 vs. HAR
Totals:	.143 (1/7), 2 BB, 2 K	

## PITCHERS AT THE PLATE

PLAYER	AVG	HR	RBI	R	BB	SO	SAC	LAST PA
J.T. Brubaker	.000 (0/1)	--	--	--	--	1	--	4/11 vs. HAR
T. Hearn	.000 (0/3)	--	--	--	--	1	--	4/22 vs. RIC
M. Keller	.000 (0/1)	--	--	--	1	--	--	4/21 vs. RIC
B. Waddell	.500 (1/2)	--	--	1	2	--	--	4/27 @ HAR
Totals	.143 (1/7)	--	--	1	3	2	--	

## OFFENSE BY INNING

INNING	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10+	TOTALS
<b>CURVE</b>	5	11	5	10	7	7	11	10	0	4	70
<b>OPPONENT</b>	5	8	1	2	6	3	15	13	5	5	62

## EJECTIONS

PLAYER/COACH	DATE	UMPIRE	REASON
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## HOME-ROAD STATS

Home (6-5)		
Average:	.264	Home Runs: 7
Runs Per Game:	4.8	Stolen Bases: 5
Doubles:	18	Walks: 37
Triples:	6	Strikeouts: 77
Road (3-4)		
Average:	.198	Home Runs: 1
Runs Per Game:	2.4	Stolen Bases: 2
Doubles:	7	Walks: 25
Triples:	4	Strikeouts: 60

# RECORD BREAKDOWNS/HIGHS & LOWS

## RECORD BREAKDOWN

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

## VS. EASTERN LEAGUE OPPONENTS

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

## 2018 STREAKS/OFFENSIVE SUPERLATIVES

### 10+ GAME HITTING STREAKS

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### 15+ GAME ON-BASE STREAKS

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### MULTI-HOMER GAMES

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### BACK-TO-BACK HOME RUNS

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### WALK-OFF WINNERS

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### FIRST-INNING LEADOFF HOME RUNS

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## 2018 SEASON HIGHS/LOWS

### TEAM MISCELLANEOUS

LONGEST WINNING STREAK.....	3, 4/7-4/10
LONGEST LOSING STREAK.....	3, 4/16-4/18
LARGEST MARGIN OF VICTORY.....	7, 4/23 vs. ERI
LARGEST MARGIN OF DEFEAT.....	3, 3x, last - 4/25 vs. ERI
LARGEST SHUTOUT WIN.....	7, 4/23 vs. ERI
LARGEST SHUTOUT LOSS.....	2, 4/17 @ AKR
LONGEST GAME, TIME.....	3:18, 4/13 @ ERI
LONGEST 9-INNING GAME TIME.....	3:05, 4/5 vs. AKR
SHORTEST 9-INNING GAME TIME.....	2:19, 4/18 @ AKR
LONGEST 7-INNING GAME TIME.....	--
SHORTEST 7-INNING GAME TIME.....	--
LONGEST GAME, INNINGS.....	11, 4/13 @ ERI
LONGEST HOME GAME, INNINGS.....	10, 4/25 vs. ERI
LONGEST ROAD GAME, INNINGS.....	11, 4/13 @ ERI
LARGEST CROWD, HOME.....	5,208, 4/22 vs. RIC
SMALLEST CROWD, HOME.....	2,362, 4/23 vs. ERI
LARGEST CROWD, ROAD.....	4,105, 4/13 @ ERI
SMALLEST CROWD, ROAD.....	1,182, 4/14 @ ERI
MOST ERRORS.....	2, 3x, last - 4/10 vs. HAR
MOST ERRORS BY OPPONENT.....	5, 4/6 vs. AKR
MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITHOUT AN ERROR.....	3, 3x, last - 4/20-4/24
MOST LOB.....	13, 2x, last - 4/21 vs. RIC
FEWEST LOB.....	3, 4/5 vs. AKR

### TEAM BATTING

MOST RUNS.....	7, 2x, last - 4/23 vs. ERI
MOST RUNS, INNING.....	6, 4/5 vs. AKR (8th inning)
MOST HITS.....	14, 4/21 vs. RIC
MOST HITS, INNING.....	4, 2x, last - 4/13 @ ERI (4th inning)
MOST HOME RUNS, GAME.....	1, 8x, last - 4/27 @ HAR
MOST HOME RUNS, INNING.....	1, 8x, last - 4/27 @ HAR (3rd inning)
MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH A HOME RUN.....	3, 4/7-4/10
MOST DOUBLES, GAME.....	3, 3x, last - 4/25 vs. ERI
MOST TRIPLES, GAME.....	2, 4/25 vs. ERI
MOST EXTRA-BASE HITS.....	6, 4/25 vs. ERI
MOST STOLEN BASES.....	1, 7x, last - 4/14 @ ERI
MOST STRIKEOUTS, 9-INNING GAME.....	12, 4/5 vs. AKR
MOST STRIKEOUTS, ALL GAMES.....	13, 4/14 @ ERI
MOST WALKS, ALL GAMES.....	6, 4/13 @ ERI

### TEAM PITCHING

MOST RUNS ALLOWED.....	9, 4/25 vs. ERI
MOST RUNS ALLOWED, INNING.....	4, 4/6 vs. AKR (7th inning)
MOST HITS ALLOWED.....	12, 4/25 vs. ERI
MOST HITS ALLOWED, INNING.....	3, 7x, last - 4/27 vs. HAR (7th inning)
MOST HOME RUNS ALLOWED.....	3, 2x, last - 4/25 vs. ERI
MOST HOME RUNS ALLOWED, INNING.....	1, 11x, last - 4/25 vs. ERI (10th inning)
MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES ALLOWING A HOME RUN.....	3, 4/20-4/22
MOST STRIKEOUTS, 9-INNING GAME.....	12, 4/5 vs. AKR
MOST STRIKEOUTS, ALL GAMES.....	14, 4/14 @ ERI
MOST BASES ON BALLS.....	8, 2x, last - 4/10 vs. HAR
MOST EXTRA-BASE HITS ALLOWED.....	4, 3x, last - 4/25 vs. ERI

### INDIVIDUAL BATTING

MOST RUNS SCORED.....	3, Jason Martin, 4/21 vs. RIC
MOST HITS.....	3, 6x, last - Christian Kelley, 4/22 vs. RIC
MOST EXTRA-BASE HITS.....	2, Jason Martin, 4/21 vs. RIC
MOST DOUBLES.....	1, several
MOST TRIPLES.....	1, 10x, last - Stephen Alemais and Elvis Escobar, 4/25 vs. ERI
MOST HOME RUNS.....	1, 8x, last - Christian Kelley, 4/27 vs. HAR
MOST TOTAL BASES.....	7, Jason Martin, 4/21 vs. RIC
MOST RBI.....	3, 6x, last - Logan Hill, 4/25 vs. ERI
MOST STOLEN BASES.....	1, several
MOST BASES ON BALLS.....	2, 9x, last - Cole Tucker and Will Craig, 4/25 vs. ERI
MOST STRIKEOUTS.....	3, 7x, last - Will Craig, 4/27 @ HAR
LONGEST HITTING STREAK.....	8, Stephen Alemais, 4/17-4/25
LONGEST ON-BASE STREAK.....	9, C. Tucker, 4/5-4/16, W. Craig, 4/7-4/19 and W. Mathisen, 4/8-pres.
LONGEST RBI STREAK.....	4, Christian Kelley, 4/21-pres.

### INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

MOST INNINGS PITCHED, STARTER.....	7.0, 3x, last - J.T. Brubaker, 4/23 vs. ERI
MOST INNINGS PITCHED, RELIEVER.....	2.1, Bret Helton, 4/7 vs. AKR
MOST HITS ALLOWED, STARTER.....	7, Dario Agrazal, 4/25 vs. ERI
MOST HITS ALLOWED, RELIEVER.....	3, 3x, last - Bret Helton, 4/20 vs. RIC
MOST STRIKEOUTS, STARTER.....	8, 3x, last - J.T. Brubaker vs. 4/18 @ AKR
MOST STRIKEOUTS, RELIEVER.....	4, 2x, last - Geoff Hartlieb, 4/14 @ ERI
MOST BASES ON BALLS, STARTER.....	4, Brandon Waddell, 4/27 @ HAR
MOST BASES ON BALLS, RELIEVER.....	5, Jake Brentz, 4/16 @ AKR
MOST EARNED RUNS ALLOWED, STARTER.....	3, 2x, last - Mitch Keller, 4/21 vs. RIC
MOST EARNED RUNS ALLOWED, RELIEVER.....	4, Jake Brentz, 4/6 vs. AKR
MOST CONSECUTIVE SCORELESS IP.....	13.2, Dario Agrazal, 4/13-4/25



# MISCELLANEOUS STATS

## 2018 STARTS BY POSITION

Player	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH
Alemais	--	--	14	--	3	--	--	--	--
Craig	--	14	--	--	--	--	--	1	--
Escobar	--	--	--	--	2	2	10	--	--
George	--	1	--	--	--	1	--	1	--
Hayes	--	--	--	17	--	--	--	--	--
Hill	--	--	--	--	9	--	2	5	--
Jackson	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	--	--
Kelley	13	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Krause	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--
Martin	--	--	--	--	6	8	--	--	--
Mathisen	--	3	1	1	--	--	--	1	--
Reyes	--	--	3	--	--	7	--	2	--
Reynolds	--	--	--	--	--	1	3	--	--
Tucker	--	--	--	--	15	--	--	2	--
Williams	5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

## 2018 STARTS BY BATTING ORDER

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
Alemais	1	14	--	--	--	--	1	1	--
Craig	--	--	11	3	1	--	--	--	--
Escobar	--	--	--	--	--	3	4	7	--
George	--	--	--	1	2	--	--	--	--
Hayes	--	2	3	1	--	11	--	--	--
Hill	--	--	--	13	2	1	--	--	--
Jackson	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	1	--
Kelley	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5	8
Krause	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--
Martin	--	1	4	--	9	--	--	--	--
Mathisen	--	--	--	--	1	3	2	--	--
Reyes	--	1	--	--	--	2	9	--	--
Reynolds	--	--	--	--	4	--	--	--	--
Tucker	17	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Williams	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	4
Pitchers	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	6

## ERRORLESS STREAKS

Player	Active Strk.	Last Error	Longest Streak
Alemais	1	4/25 vs. ERI	14
Craig	12	4/7 vs. AKR	12
Escobar	15	--	15
George	2	--	2
Hayes	8	4/16 @ AKR	8
Hill	11	--	11
Jackson	2	--	2
Kelley	9	4/10 vs. HAR	9
Krause	1	--	1
Martin	--	4/27 @ HAR	12
Mathisen	8	--	8
Reyes	4	4/13 @ ERI	5
Reynolds	1	4/7 vs. AKR	2
Tucker	4	4/20 vs. RIC	6
Williams	5	--	5

## OUTFIELD ASSISTS

Player	Total	Last Assist
Bryan Reynolds	1	4/5 vs. AKR

## THE LAST TIME...

Altoona scored 10 or more runs (game) ..... 10, 8/3/17 vs. Erie  
 Altoona scored 10 or more runs (inning) ..... 10, 8/7/10 at Harrisburg  
 Altoona scored 15 or more runs (game) ..... 18, 7/21/15 vs. Erie (G1)\*\*  
 Opponent scored 10 or more runs (game) ..... 11, 7/1/17 vs. Erie  
 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 vs. Erie (G1)\*

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

Altoona hits an inside-the-park HR ..... Will Craig, 4/10/18 vs. Harrisburg  
 Altoona hits a walk-off HR ..... Mitchell Tolman, 3-run home run, 9/4/17 vs. Harrisburg  
 Altoona hits a pinch-hit HR ..... Jonathan Schwind, 8/9/17 vs. Reading  
 Altoona hits a grand slam ..... Jonathan Schwind, 8/17/16 at Portland (G2)  
 Altoona hits back-to-back HRs ..... Stetson Allie/Tomas Morales, 8/22/16 at Harrisburg  
 Altoona hits leadoff HR to start game ..... Kevin Newman, 6/28/17 at Bowie  
 Altoona pitcher hits a HR ..... Alex McRae, 4/30/17 vs. Harrisburg

Opponent hits an inside-the-park HR ..... Nick Noonan, 5/3/10 at Richmond  
 Opponent hits a walk-off HR ..... Rashad Crawford, 8/6/17 at Trenton  
 Opponent hits a pinch-hit HR ..... Art Charles, 6/11/15 at Reading  
 Opponent hits a grand slam ..... Aderlin Rodriguez, 8/27/17 vs. Bowie  
 Opponent hits back-to-back HRs ..... Dylan Cozens/Rhys Hoskins, 6/10/16 at Reading  
 Opponent hits leadoff HR to start game ..... Nick Williams, 8/24/15 vs. Reading

Altoona batter hits for the cycle ..... 4/9/13, Andrew Lambo at Akron  
 Altoona batter records 5+ hits in a game ..... 5, 15x, last - Wyatt Mathisen, 8/3/17 vs. Erie  
 Altoona batter has 5+ RBI in a game ..... 5, Jin-De Jhang, 8/3/17 vs. Erie

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, Aderlin Rodriguez, 8/27/17 vs. Bowie

Altoona threw a no-hitter (9 IP) (one pitcher) ..... 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) ..... Mitch Keller, 9/7/17 at 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 ..... Cole Tucker, RBI single (10th), 4/19 at Akron  
 Opponent wins in last at bat ..... Kelvin Gutierrez, sacrifice fly (8th), 2-1, 4/27/18 at Harrisburg  
 Altoona pitcher strikes out:  
 10 ..... J.T. Brubaker, 6/13/17 vs. Portland  
 11 ..... Mitch Keller, 9/1/17 vs. Harrisburg  
 12+ ..... 12, Tyler Glasnow, 7/27/15 at Akron

Opponent pitcher strikes out:  
 10 ..... P.J. Walters, 5/31/14 vs. New Hampshire  
 11 ..... Nate Reed, 8/30/17 at Richmond  
 12+ ..... 12, Bryan Evans, 6/3/15 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 (2nd Season)

**Career Record:** 363-344  
**w/ ALT:** 83-75

Ryan returns to Altoona after leading the Curve to the Eastern League title in 2017. He also served as a coach for the Curve in 2012. He is in his sixth season as a manager in the Pirates organization, leading the Bradenton Marauders from 2015-16 and the West Virginia Power from 2014-15. 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.

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**Bryan Hickerson**  
 Pitching Coach

**2nd season**  
**4th overall**

Hickerson returns to the Altoona staff after overseeing strong group of Curve pitchers in 2017 for his first year in the Pirates organization. He spent the previous 18 years working in ministry, mostly in the context of professional baseball and the military. A left-handed pitcher as a player, 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.

**Keoni De Renne**  
 Hitting Coach

**1st season**  
**6th overall**

De Renne joins the Curve in 2018 for his sixth season overall working in the Pittsburgh minor league system and his fifth as a hitting coach. He managed the Pirates' affiliate in the Dominican Summer League in 2013 to a 46-26 record. He joined Michael Ryan's staff as the hitting coach for the West Virginia Power from 2014-15 and spent each of the last three seasons with the Bradenton Marauders. As a player, De Renne was drafted by the Atlanta Braves in the 12th round in 2000 out of the University of Arizona and played 11 professional seasons.

**Stephen Morales**  
 Coach

**1st season**  
**6th overall**

Morales joins the Curve for his first season working in the Pirates organization. He spent the last five seasons as a coach with the Indios de Mayagüez of the Liga de Béisbol Profesional Roberto Clemente (Roberto Clemente Professional Baseball League) in Puerto Rico, working mostly with catchers, including major leaguers Martin Maldonado, Roberto Perez, Christian Vazquez, Rafael Lopez and Rene Rivera. As a player, Morales was drafted in the 23rd round in 1996 by the Florida Marlins and played 15 total professional seasons.



**Justin Ahrens**  
 Athletic Trainer

**2nd season**  
**9th overall**

In his seventh season as a member of the Pittsburgh organization, Ahrens returns to Altoona for a second season in 2018. He spent two years in Bradenton from 2015-16, where he was named Florida State League Athletic Trainer of the Year in 2016. He spent each of the last five 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.

**Joe Schlesinger**  
 Strength Coach

**2nd season**  
**6th overall**

Schlesinger returns to the Curve for his second 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.

# 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT	REC	PLACE	G (+/-)	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	TIME	GT TEMP	ATT.
4/5	Akron	W, 6-5	1-0	T-1st	--	<b>Sean Keselica (1-0)</b>	Agenis Angula (0-1)	<b>Geoff Hartlieb (1)</b>	2:29	41	5,024
4/6	Akron	L, 7-6	1-1	T-2nd	-1.0	Leandro Linares (1-0)	<b>Tate Scioneaux (0-1)</b>	--	3:05	57	2,592
4/7	Akron	W, 5-1	2-1	T-2nd	-1.0	<b>Bret Helton (1-0)</b>	Michael Peoples (0-1)--	--	2:26	35	3,331
4/8	Akron	W, 4-0	3-1	T-1st	--	<b>Mitch Keller (1-0)</b>	Sean Brady (0-1)	--	2:25	34	2,784
4/9	Harrisburg	-- PPD: INCLEMENT WEATHER - RESCHEDULED TO JUNE 26 --									
4/10	Harrisburg	W, 4-3	4-1	1st	+0.5	<b>L. Sendelbach (1-0)</b>	Kaleb Fleck (1-1)	<b>Geoff Hartlieb (2)</b>	2:34	41	2,577
4/11	Harrisburg	L, 2-1	4-2	2nd	-0.5	Brady Dragmire (1-0)	<b>J.T. Brubaker (0-1)</b>	Derek Self (2)	2:25	50	2,538
4/13	at Erie	W, 6-2	5-2	1st	+0.5	<b>Dario Agrazal (1-0)</b>	Spencer Turnbull (0-1)	--	2:45	51	4,105
4/14	at Erie	W, 5-4 (11)	6-2	1st	+0.5	<b>Geoff Hartlieb (1-0)</b>	Mark Ecker (0-2)	--	3:13	37	1,182
4/15	at Erie	-- PPD: INCLEMENT WEATHER - RESCHEDULED TO JUNE 23 --									
4/16	at Akron	L, 4-1	6-3	2nd	-1.0	Dominic DeMasi (1-0)	<b>Jake Brentz (0-1)</b>	--	2:29	36	1,725
4/17	at Akron	L, 2-0	6-4	2nd	-2.0	Shane Bieber (2-0)	<b>Taylor Hearn (0-1)</b>	Mitch Brown (2)	2:20	33	1,523
4/18	at Akron	L, 4-2	6-5	3rd	-3.0	Leandro Linares (2-1)	<b>L. Sendelbach (1-1)</b>	Luke Eubank (1)	2:19	49	1,764
4/19	at Akron	W, 2-1 (10)	7-5	2nd	-2.0	<b>Geoff Hartlieb (1-0)</b>	Jordan Milbrath (0-1)	<b>Yeudy Garcia (1)</b>	2:21	47	2,032
4/20	Richmond	L, 6-3	7-6	3rd	-3.0	Dusten Knight (1-0)	<b>Bret Helton (1-1)</b>	Caleb Simpson (4)	2:37	53	2,393
4/21	Richmond	W, 7-6	8-6	3rd	-2.0	<b>Mitch Keller (2-0)</b>	Cory Taylor (2-1)	<b>Yeudy Garcia (2)</b>	3:00	58	4,641
4/22	Richmond	L, 5-4	8-7	3rd	-3.0	Shaun Anderson (3-1)	<b>Taylor Hearn (0-2)</b>	Caleb Simpson (5)	2:53	60	5,208
4/23	Erie	W, 7-0	9-7	3rd	-2.0	<b>J.T. Brubaker (1-1)</b>	Beau Burrows (1-2)	--	2:20	67	2,362
4/24	Erie	-- PPD: INCLEMENT WEATHER - RESCHEDULED TO MAY 4 --									
4/25	Erie	L, 9-6 (10)	9-8	3rd	-2.0	Mark Ecker (1-2)	<b>Bret Helton (1-2)</b>	John Schreiber (3)	3:02	49	4,068
4/27	at Harrisburg	L, 2-1	9-9	T-3rd	-2.0	Logan Darnell (2-0)	<b>Yeudy Garcia (0-1)</b>	Austen Williams (1)	2:24	60	3,264
4/28	at Harrisburg	6 p.m.									
4/29	at Harrisburg	1:30 p.m.									
4/30	at Richmond	6:35 p.m.									
5/1	at Richmond	6:35 p.m.									
5/2	at Richmond	10:35 a.m.									
5/3	Erie	6 p.m.									
5/4	Erie	DH (TBD)									
5/5	Erie	4 p.m.									
5/6	Erie	2 p.m.									
5/7	Bowie	6 p.m.									
5/8	Bowie	6 p.m.									
5/9	Bowie	10:30 a.m.									
5/10	at Reading	6:45 p.m.									
5/11	at Reading	7:15 p.m.									
5/12	at Reading	6:15 p.m.									
5/13	at Reading	2:15 p.m.									
5/14	Richmond	6 p.m.									
5/15	Richmond	6 p.m.									
5/16	Richmond	6 p.m.									
5/17	Portland	6 p.m.									
5/18	Portland	6 p.m.									
5/19	Portland	6 p.m.									
5/20	Portland	2 p.m.									
5/22	at Bowie	6:35 p.m.									
5/23	at Bowie	6:35 p.m.									
5/24	at Bowie	11:05 a.m.									
5/25	at Harrisburg	7 p.m.									
5/26	at Harrisburg	6 p.m.									
5/27	at Harrisburg	6:30 p.m.									
5/28	at Harrisburg	Noon									
5/29	Akron	6 p.m.									
5/30	Akron	6 p.m.									
5/31	Akron	10:30 a.m.									
6/1	at Hartford	7:05 p.m.									
6/2	at Hartford	6:05 p.m.									
6/3	at Hartford	1:05 p.m.									
6/5	Reading	7 p.m.									
6/6	Reading	7 p.m.									
6/7	Reading	7 p.m.									
6/8	Hartford	7 p.m.									
6/9	Hartford	6 p.m.									
6/10	Hartford	2 p.m.									
6/12	at Binghamton	6:35 p.m.									
6/13	at Binghamton	6:35 p.m.									
6/14	at Binghamton	10:35 a.m.									
6/15	New Hampshire	7 p.m.									
6/16	New Hampshire	6 p.m.									
6/17	New Hampshire	6 p.m.									
6/19	at Richmond	6:35 p.m.									
6/20	at Richmond	6:35 p.m.									
6/21	at Richmond	6:35 p.m.									
6/22	at Erie	7:05 p.m.									
6/23	at Erie	DH (4:35 p.m.)									
6/24	at Erie	1:35 p.m.									
6/25	Harrisburg	7 p.m.									
6/26	Harrisburg	DH (TBD)									
6/27	Harrisburg	7 p.m.									
6/28	Harrisburg	7 p.m.									
6/29	at Akron	7:05 p.m.									
6/30	at Akron	7:05 p.m.									
7/1	at Akron	2:05 p.m.									
7/2	at Akron	7:05 p.m.									
7/3	at Akron	7:05 p.m.									
7/4	Trenton	7 p.m.									
7/5	Trenton	7 p.m.									
7/6	Trenton	7 p.m.									
7/7	Trenton	6 p.m.									
7/8	Trenton	2 p.m.									
7/12	at Erie	7:05 p.m.									
7/13	at Erie	7:05 p.m.									
7/14	at Erie	7:05 p.m.									
7/15	at Erie	1:35 p.m.									
7/16	Bowie	7 p.m.									
7/17	Bowie	7 p.m.									
7/18	Bowie	Noon									
7/19	at Reading	7:15 p.m.									
7/20	at Reading	7:15 p.m.									
7/21	at Reading	6:45 p.m.									
7/22	at Reading	5:15 p.m.									
7/23	at Akron	7:05 p.m.									
7/24	at Akron	7:05 p.m.									
7/25	at Akron	12:05 p.m.									
7/26	Binghamton	7 p.m.									
7/27	Binghamton	7 p.m.									
7/28	Binghamton	6 p.m.									
7/29	Binghamton	2 p.m.									
7/31	at Harrisburg	6:30 p.m.									
8/1	at Harrisburg	6:30 p.m.									
8/2	at Harrisburg	7 p.m.									
8/3	Akron	7 p.m.									
8/4	Akron	6 p.m.									
8/5	Akron	6 p.m.									

# 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT	REC	PLACE	G (+/-)	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	TIME	GT TEMP	ATT.
8/7	at Trenton	7 p.m.									
8/8	at Trenton	Noon									
8/9	at Trenton	7 p.m.									
8/10	Erie	7 p.m.									
8/11	Erie	6 p.m.									
8/12	Erie	6 p.m.									
8/14	at New Hampshire	7:05 p.m.									
8/15	at New Hampshire	7:05 p.m.									
8/16	at New Hampshire	7:05 p.m.									
8/17	at Portland	7 p.m.									
8/18	at Portland	6 p.m.									
8/19	at Portland	1 p.m.									
8/20	at Binghamton	6:35 p.m.									
8/21	at Binghamton	6:35 p.m.									
8/22	Harrisburg	6 p.m.									
8/23	Harrisburg	6 p.m.									
8/24	Richmond	6 p.m.									
8/25	Richmond	6 p.m.									
8/26	Richmond	6 p.m.									
8/27	Trenton	6 p.m.									
8/28	Trenton	6 p.m.									
8/29	Trenton	6 p.m.									
8/30	Trenton	6 p.m.									
8/31	at Bowie	7:05 p.m.									
9/1	at Bowie	6:35 p.m.									
9/2	at Bowie	1:35 p.m.									
9/3	at Bowie	1:35 p.m.									

## TRANSACTIONS

**April**

April 5 Pittsburgh Pirates announce 25-man Altoona Curve roster

April 8 RHP **Jesus Liranzo** assigned to Double-A Altoona  
RHP **Jesus Liranzo** placed on the 7-day disabled list (left ankle sprain)

April 10 OF **Bryan Reynolds** placed on the 7-day disabled list (left wrist sprain) retro to 4/9  
OF **Jason Martin** assigned to Double-A Altoona from short-season West Virginia

April 16 RHP **Jesus Liranzo** reinstated from 7-day disabled list  
RHP **Sam Street** assigned to short-season West Virginia from Double-A Altoona

April 20 INF/OF **Pablo Reyes** promoted to Triple-A Indianapolis  
OF **Kevin Krause** released  
OF/1B **Jordan George** assigned to Double-A Altoona from short-season West Virginia Black Bears  
OF **Bralin Jackson** assigned to Double-A Altoona from short-season West Virginia Black Bears

## UNIVERSITY ORTHOPEDICS INJURY REPORT

Player	Injury	Placed (Retro)	Reinstated	Player	Injury	Placed (Retro)	Reinstated
RHP Jesus Liranzo	Left ankle sprain	4/8	4/16				
OF Bryan Reynolds	Left wrist sprain	4/10 (retro 4/9)	--				

## PIRATES ORGANIZATIONAL REPORT

MLB/Pittsburgh (14-11)	AAA/Indianapolis (9-8)	Adv.-A/Bradenton (12-9)	Class-A/West Va. (11-10)	SS-A/West Va. (0-0)	Rookie/Bristol (0-0)
<b>Yesterday:</b> W, 1-0 vs. DET <b>W:</b> Felipe Vazquez (1-0) <b>L:</b> Alex Wilson (0-3) <b>S:</b> -- The Pirates and Tigers played an entire three-game series within a span of 24 hours due to a double-header Wednesday and a day game Thursday. The Pirates received eight scoreless frames from Ivan Nova and Corey Dickerson hit a walk-off, solo homer.	<b>Yesterday:</b> OFF <b>W:</b> -- <b>L:</b> -- <b>S:</b> -- The Tribe were off on Thursday following a 10-inning loss against Syracuse. Indianapolis is currently in second place, three-and-a-half behind Toledo, in the International League West.	<b>Yesterday:</b> W, 4-3 @ JUP <b>W:</b> Matt Eckelman (2-0) <b>L:</b> Parker Bugg (0-1) <b>S:</b> -- Albert Baur's two-run homer in the top of the ninth lifted the Marauders over the Hammerheads in Jupiter. Baur scored three of Bradenton's four runs and went 3-for-4 on the day.	<b>Yesterday:</b> W, 10-8 vs. ROM <b>W:</b> Blake Cederlind (2-2) <b>L:</b> Drew Harrington (1-1) <b>S:</b> Jacob Taylor (2) Mason Martin hit his fourth homer as part of a six-run third for the Power but the Braves took a 7-6 lead in the sixth. The Power pushed four across in the late innings with homers by Deon Stafford and a go-ahead, three-run shot by Ryan Puerifoy in the eighth.	<b>Yesterday:</b> -- <b>W:</b> -- <b>L:</b> -- <b>S:</b> --	<b>Yesterday:</b> -- <b>W:</b> -- <b>L:</b> -- <b>S:</b> --
<b>Today:</b> 7:05 p.m. vs. STL	<b>Today:</b> 7:15 p.m. @ COL	<b>Today:</b> 6:30 p.m. @ JUP	<b>Today:</b> 7:05 a.m. @ LEX	<b>Season starts June 15</b>	<b>Season starts June 19</b>