

Celebrating Their 12th Season in Sarasota

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2009 Spring Training Cincinnati Reds (8-6) RHP Micah Owings (1-0, 1.69) at

Minnesota Twins (8-4) LHP Francisco Liriano (0-0, 2.00) Friday, March 13, 2009 Hammond Stadium, Ft. Myers, FL

RED HOTS

World Baseball Classic Rosters
Joey VottoCanada
Edinson Volquez Dominican Republic
Johnny Cueto Dominican Republic
Willy Taveras Dominican Republic
Pedro Viola Dominican Republic
Jerry Hairston Jr Mexico
Ramon HernandezVenezuela
Ramon RamirezVenezuela
Yen-Wen Kuo, IFChinese Taipei
Alexander Smit, LHNetherlands
Juan Carlos Sulbaran, RHNetherlands
Mario Soto, pitching coach DR
Tomas Vera, athletic trainerVenezuela
Jim Stoeckel, b'pen coachNetherlands
Rob Butcher, media relations USA

Spring Fever

The Reds posted a winning record in each of the last 5 springs (18-16 in 2004, 17-15 in 2005, 22-11 in 2006, 18-12 in 2007, 17-15-1 in 2008).

40-Man Roster

New In 2009 Gone From 2008 RHP Carlos Fisher RHP Jon Adkins IF Juan Francisco LHP Jeremy Affeldt C Ramon Hernandez C Paul Bako RHP Matt Belisle RHP Sam LeCure LHP Matt Maloney IF Jolbert Cabrera **RHP Robert Manuel** RHP Josh Fogg LHP Arthur Rhodes IF/OF Ryan Freel OF Willy Taveras LHP Bobby Livingston RHP Gary Majewski I HP Kent Mercker OF Corey Patterson LHP Tyler Pelland *LHP Adam Pettyjohn IF Andy Phillips C Javier Valentin

* 2009 spring training invitee 2008 Team Awards

Joey Votto	Most Valuable Player
Edinson Volquez	Outstanding Pitcher
Aaron Harang	Good Guy Award

Tenured Reds

2003-08	
1998, 2005-08	3 5 years
2005-08	
2006-08	
2006-08	3 years
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Supplemental Bios

See the Reds' staff for media guide bios for non-roster invitees **OF Jacque Jones** and 1B/OF Daryle Ward.

Counting The Crowd Listed below are Ed Smith Stadium's attendance figures since the Reds relocated from Plant City to Sarasota in 1998:

2009 25,211 6 dates 4,202 avg
2008 90,489 17 dates 5,323 avg
2007 87,344 15 dates 5,823 avg
2006 84,411 16 dates 5,276 avg
2005 90,012 16 dates 5,626 avg
2004 81,586 17 dates 4,799 avg
2003 68,310 15 dates 4,554 avg
2002 70,332 16 dates 4,396 avg
2001 74,410 15 dates 4,961 avg
2000 89,410 15 dates 5,961 avg
1999 60,539 15 dates 4,036 avg
1998 46,391 16 dates 2,899 avg

PROBABLE STARTING PITCHERS

Fri at Min: RHP Micah Owings (1-0, 1.69) vs LHP Francisco Liriano (0-0, 2.00) 7:05 RHP Bronson Arroyo (0-0, 5.06) vs LHP Scott Kazmir (0-0, 4.50) 700 WLW Radio 1:05 Sat vs TB: Sun at Tor: RHP Nick Masset (0-2, 6.75) vs TBA 700 WLW Radio 1:05 **OFF DAY** Mon: Tue at Phi: RHP Homer Bailey (0-0, 0.90) vs TBA 1:05 Wed at TB: RHP Aaron Harang (1-1, 4.35) vs TBA 1:0<u>5</u>

TODAY'S GAME: Is the third game of the Reds' 4 spring training games vs the Twins...they play again in Sarasota's Ed Smith Stadium on 3/26 (7:05)...on 2/26 the Reds lost 10-4 vs Twins...on 3/6 the Twins beat the Reds 3-0.

RECENT REDS: 2B Brandon Phillips has hit safely in all 10 of his games (10-22, .455, 7r, 5 2b)...RHP Homer Bailey allowed just 1r over his 10ip (4g/2gs, 1bb, 8k)...1B Joey Votto has hit safely in his last 3 spring training games (6-8, .750, 2hr, 3rbi)...LHP Bill Bray Sat at Tor made his spring debut (1ip, 1h)...he's been bothered by left shoulder stiffness...SS Alex Gonzalez on 3/4 vs NED made his spring debut and has hit safely in 3 of 5g he's played...on Tue in Tampa he played in the field (SS) for the first time this spring and went 0-2 against the Yankees...Gonzalez missed the entire 2008 season with a compression fracture of his left knee...on 7/7/08 he had season-ending micro fracture surgery and didn't play in a spring training game or in a regular season game...3b Edwin Encarnacion Wed at NYY started and played 5 innings (0-2, 2k), his first game since last 3/4 vs NED...he's been bothered by a sore left wrist...RHP Micah Owings allowed 2r on 5h over his 10.2ip (3gs, 2bb, 12k)...C Ryan Hanigan has 6 hits in his last 7ab (4r, 1hr, 2rbi) and is 9-for-17 in 9 games overall.

WE ARE THE WORLD: In yesterday's World Baseball Classic action, Mexico lost to Cuba 16-4...Jerry Hairston Jr. did not play.

SLAM-TASTIC!: The Reds lead all Spring Training clubs with 5 grand slams (Valaika 3/9 at Phi, McDonald 3/5 vs Pit, Gomes 3/3 at Bos, Tatum 3/1 vs NYY, Hairston 2/25 at TB)...the Mets have 3 and the Cubs have 2 grand slams.

ON THE HILL: Relievers available in the Reds bullpen today are RHP Edinson Volquez and RHP Mike Lincoln.

WIND BLOWING OUT: On 3/1 vs NYY the Reds hit 5 homers, the most in a spring training game since they hit 5 on 3/7/03 at Pit...they haven't hit more than 5 since 3/22/01 vs Tor when they hit 7 bombs...the Redlegs went deep 4 times in Mon's 8-4 win over the Phillies at Clearwater.

REDS NEWS NETWORK: Today (3:30-4:00) the Reds News Network will provide uplinks 3 times per week for 3 weeks...uplink dates are: Fri, 3/13 (3:30 to 4:00); Mon, 3/16 (3:30 to 4:00); Wed, 3/18 (3:30 to 4:00); and Fri, 3/20 (3:30 to 4:00)...the coordinates for 8 of the 9 transmissions are AMC 5 transponder KO8 slot A, uplink frequency 14212.500 vertical, downlink frequency 11912.500 horizontal, allocated bandwidth 9 MHZ, Audio Sub carriers full program, compression rate 4:2:0, FEC- 3/4, symbol rate 6.646 / 9 MHZ....please note these coordinates changes for Fri, 3/6 only: AMC 5 Transponder KO8 slot C, uplink frequency 14230.500 vertical, downlink frequency 11930.500 horizontal (all other information remains the same)...RNN contacts are Jennifer Berger at jberger@reds.com and Kent Weaver at kweaver3@fuse.net (cell 513-702-2138).

WBC: The second round begins in Miami on Sat; Netherlands vs Venezuela and United States vs Puerto Rico and in San Diego on Sun; Japan vs Cuba and Mexico vs Korea...the semifinals are Sat, 3/21 & Sun, 3/22 and the final on Mon, 3/23, all at Dodger Stadium...ticket information and the complete schedule can be found at www.WorldBaseballClassic.

SPRING TRAINING ROSTER: The Reds began spring training camp with 63 players, including 29 pitchers, 8 catchers, 16 infielders, 10 outfielders and 23 non-roster invitees...most recently, the club invited to Major League camp 65 (2008), 57 (2007), 63 (2006), 55 (2005), 56 (2004), 64 (2003), 70 (2002), 58 (2001), 72 (2000) and 54 (1999) players.

<u>OUT OF OPTIONS</u>: The following players on the 40-man roster do not have options: **RHP Bronson Arroyo**, **RHP** Francisco Cordero, IF/OF Jeff Keppinger, RHP Mike Lincoln, RHP Nick Masset, 2B Brandon Phillips, LHP Arthur Rhodes and RHP David Weathers

REDS ON TV: Reds television rightsholder FOX Sports Ohio will broadcast 3 spring training games, including 3/19 vs Red Sox at Sarasota (7:05 p.m. ET), 3/20 vs Astros at Kissimmee (live at 1:05, replayed at 7:00) and 3/21 vs Pirates at Sarasota (1:05)...Reds Season Preview '09, hosted by George Grande and Jeff Piecoro, will air on 3/31 at 10:00 p.m. and will be replayed on 4/1 (6:30), 4/2 (7:00), 4/4 (7:00) and 4/5 (8:00)...the Emmy-Award winning Reds Live pregame show returns in 2009 with popular hosts Piecoro and Jim Day...the pre-game show will air half an hour prior to each of FOX Sports Ohio's regular-season telecasts.

OPENING DAY STARTER: If **RHP Aaron Harang** is tabbed the Opening Day starter (vs NYM, 1:10pm), he would become the first Reds pitcher to start 4 consecutive Opening Day games since **RHP Jose Rijo** had the honors in 4 straight seasons from 1992-95...the only other Reds pitchers to make at least 3 consecutive Opening Day starts are Pete Donohue (5 straight, 1923-27), Si Johnson (3, 1932-34) and Mario Soto (5, 1982-86)...Soto holds the franchise record for most Opening Day starts (6).

GOING GREEN AT THE ED: Fans can park for half price at Ed Smith Stadium lots for Reds spring training games if their vehicles have at least 4 people...regular parking is \$10 per vehicle but just \$5 if at least 4 fans car pool.

DANDY DOMINICAN: Reds prospect **3B Juan Francisco** established a Dominican Winter League regular season record for home runs by a lefthanded batter with 12...he shattered the mark held by Rafael Batista, who hit 8 homers during the 1974-75 DWL regular season...including the playoffs, in 62 apps and 246 at bats for Gigantes del Cibao Francisco hit .350 with 14 doubles, 2 triples, 18 HR, 55rbi and 52 runs scored.

THE POWER OF TRADITION: Spring training guest instructors include Joe Morgan (2/16-2/18), Johnny Bench (3/3-3/7), Lee May (3/1-3/7), Doug Flynn (3/4-3/10), Jack Billingham (3/4-3/11), Greg Vaughn (3/17-3/24), Cesar Geronimo (3/18-3/25) and Jim Maloney (3/18-3/25).

RETIRED NUMBERS: The numbers of retired Reds uniform jerseys are mounted on the front of the Ed Smith Stadium press box: 1 Fred Hutchinson, 5 Johnny Bench, 8 Joe Morgan, 10 Sparky Anderson, 13 David Concepcion, 18 Ted Kluszewski, 20 Frank Robinson, 24 Tony Perez and 42 Jackie Robinson.



CINCINNATI REDS 2009 SPRING TRAINING SCHEDULE & RESULTS



<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	Result	Winner/Loser/Save	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Date</u>	Opponent		ner/Loser/Save	Attendance
Wed, 2/25	at Rays	W, 7-0	Cueto/Choate	6,028	Tue, 3/17	at Phillies	Clearwater		1:05
Thu, 2/26	vs TWINS	L, 4-10	Guerrier/Cordero	3,199	Wed, 3/18	at Rays	Charlotte County		1:05
Fri, 2/27	vs PHILLIES	W, 10-3	Thompson/Carpenter	4,223	Thu, 3/19	vs RED SOX	SARASOTA		FOX Sports Ohio, 7:05
Sat, 2/28	at Red Sox	L, 5-16	Buchholz/Masset	<u>7,395</u>	Fri, 3/20	at Astros	Kissimmee		FOX Sports Ohio, 1:05
Sun, 3/1	vs YANKEES	W, 13-11	Jukich/Garcia/Smith	6,345	Sat, 3/21	vs PIRATES	SARASOTA	700 WLW Radio,	FOX Sports Ohio, 1:05
Mon, 3/2	at Pirates	L, 1-2	Uviedo/Roenicke/Meel	2,841	Sun, 3/22	at Pirates	Bradenton		700 WLW Radio, 1:05
Tue, 3/3	at Red Sox	W, 9-8	Owings/Ramirez/Fishe	r 7,621	Mon, 3/23	vs BLUE JAYS	SARASOTA		1:05
Wed, 3/4	vs NETHERLANDS	W, 4-3 (10)	Herrera/VanDriel	1,258	Tue, 3/24	OFF DAY			
Thu, 3/5	vs PIRATES	W, 10-6 (10)	Roenicke/Uviedo	3,640	Wed, 3/25	vs RED SOX	SARASOTA		1:05
Fri, 3/6	at Twins	L, 0-3	Perkins/Harang/Breslo	w 7,767	Thu, 3/26	vs TWINS	SARASOTA		7:05
Sat. 3/7	at Blue Jays	L, 2-7	Romero/Burton	4,551	Fri, 3/27	at Yankees	Tampa		700 WLW Radio, 7:15
Sun, 3/8	vs BLUE JAYS	W, 6-5 (10)	Kennard/Perez	3,915	Sat, 3/28	at Rays	Charlotte County		700 WLW Radio, 1:05
Mon, 3/9	at Phillies	W, 8-4	Jukich/Lehr	7,278	Sun, 3/29	vs RAYS	SARASOTA		700 WLW Radio, 1:05
Tue, 3/10	at Yankees	L, 7-1	Chamberlain/Masset	10,295	Mon, 3/30	at Pirates	Bradenton		700 WLW Radio, 1:05
Wed, 3/11	vs ASTROS	W, 8-2	Harang/Fulchino	3,889	Tue, 3/31	vs YANKEES	SARASOTA		700 WLW Radio, 1:05
Thu, 3/12	OFF DAY	,			Wed, 4/1	at Astros	Kissimmee		700 WLW Radio, 1:05
Fri, 3/13	at Twins	Fort Myers		7:05	Thu, 4/2	vs PIRATES	SARASOTA		700 WLW Radio, 1:05
Sat, 3/14	vs RAYS	SARASOTA		700 WLW Radio, 1:05	Fri, 4/3	Futures Game	Five County Stadius	m in Zebulon, NC	700 WLW Radio, 6:05
Sun, 3/15	at Blue Jays	Dunedin		700 WLW Radio, 1:05	Sat, 4/4	Futures Game	Fifth Third Field in [Dayton, OH	700 WLW Radio, 3:05
Mon, 3/16	OFF DAY							•	
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REDS PITCHERS IN SPRING TRAINING

DATE

Tue 3/5 3/2 2/28

OPP

at NYY vs Pit at Pit

at Bos

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Reds Starters & Relievers														
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Starters	2-3	3.45	14	0	0	44.1	48	170	18	17	8	28	4	.282
Relievers	6-3	6.72	14	0	1-7	77.2	109	336	66	58	24	58	13	.324

DAY-BY-DAYS FOR PITCHERS REMAINING IN CAMP (* indicates start)

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