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Game 2, Home 2 (0-1) Cincinnati Reds (0-1) RHP Edinson Volquez (NR)

New York Mets (1-0) RHP Mike Pelfrey (NR) Wednesday, April 8, 2009 **Great American Ball Park**

PROBABLE STARTING PITCHERS

Wed vs NYM: RHP Edinson Volquez vs RHP Mike Pelfrey wlw radio/fso, 7:10 Thu vs NYM: RHP Bronson Arroyo vs LHP Oliver Perez wlw radio, 12:35 Fri vs Pit: RHP Johnny Cueto vs RHP Jeff Karstens wlw radio/fso, 7:10 Sat vs Pit: RHP Micah Owings vs LHP Paul Maholm (0-0, 1.35) wlw radio/fso, 1:10 Sun vs Pit: RHP Aaron Harang (0-1, 1.80) vs RHP lan Snell (0-1, 13.50) wlw radio/fso, 1:10

Today's Milestone

His next appearance will be the 900th of Jerry Hairston Jr.'s career. **TONIGHT'S GAME**: Is Game 2 (0-1) of a 3-game series vs **Jay Horwitz'** Mets (0-1) and Game 2 (0-1) of a 6-game homestand to open the season that also includes **Jim Trdinich's** Pirates (Fri-Sun)...following this homestand the Reds

embark on their longest road trip of the season, an 11-day, 10-game jaunt to Mil (3g), Hou (off day, 4g) and Chi (3g). TEAM PHOTO: At 4:00 p.m. today the Reds will take the team photo that will be given free to the first 40,000 fans

attending the Fri, 4/24 night game against the Braves, courtesy of SmarTravel...with a donation of \$2,525 to the Reds Community Fund, Harry Brown of Cincinnati placed the winning bid in the online auction to have his photo taken

with the team... Harry will receive an autgraphed print of that special photo and a pair of RCF polo shirts...the giveaway

on 4/24 will include the photo taken with Reds uniformed personnel only. **ONLINE CHAT**: Reds Vice President and Assistant General Manager **Bob Miller** will participate in an online chat at reds.com Friday at 11:00 a.m. ET...fans can log on and post their questions beginning at 8:00 a.m. on Friday.

CIVIL RIGHTS GAME: At Great American Ball Park on Sat, 6/20 the Reds and Chicago White Sox will meet in the Civil Rights Game, the first time the contest will be played during the regular season...the weekend's festivities will include a roundtable discussion at the National Underground Railroad Freedom Center's Harriet Tubman Theater (Fri, 6/19, 4:00 p.m.), a luncheon at Duke Energy Center honoring the 3 winners of Major League Baseball's Beacon Awards (Sat, 6/20, 11:30 a.m.) and a Youth Summit at Fountain Square downtown (Sat, 6/20, 4:00 p.m.)...the luncheon on 6/20 will honor Beacon of Hope winner Bill Cosby, Beacon of Life winner Hank Aaron and Beacon of Change winner Muhammad Ali.

VOTE NOW: Through 4/30, fans can vote online at reds.com to decide which Reds pitcher will have a 2009 bobblehead...the Fans Choice Bobblehead will be given to the first 30,000 fans on Sat, 7/18 vs Mil and is part of a collectible set of 4 bobbleheads that also features Joey Votto (Sat, 5/9 StL), Jay Bruce (Sat, 7/4 vs StL) and Brandon Phillips (Sat, 8/15 vs Wsh).

NON-ROSTER INVITEES: The Opening Day roster includes a pair of non-roster invitees, **OF Darnell McDonald** and OF Laynce Nix...the club's most recent Opening Day rosters included 5 non-roster invitees last season (RHP Johnny Cueto, RHP Mike Lincoln, LHP Kent Mercker, C Paul Bako, OF Corey Patterson), 1 in 2007 (RHP Victor Santos), 1 in 2006 (IF Andy Abad) and 2 in 2005 (IF Rich Aurilia, 1B Jacob Cruz).

FINISHED STRONG: In 2008 the Reds won 7 of their last 10 series (3-0 vs SF, 1-2 vs Pit, 2-1 vs Chi, 2-1 at Mil, 2-1 at Ari, 2-1 vs StL, 2-1 vs Mil, 1-0 vs Fla, 1-2 at Hou, 0-3 at StL).

DOT, DOT, DOT....: Dusty Baker finished the 2008 season with 1,236 wins as a manager, tied with Joe Cronin for 34th on that all-time list...at 74-88 the Reds in 2008 were 2 wins better than in 2007 (72-90)...last season went 46-46 (.500) vs opponents with records at or above .500 and 28-42 (.400) vs opponents with records below .500...during the 2007 and 2008 seasons combined, the Reds went 88-92 (.489) vs opponents with records at or above .500 and 58-86 (.403) vs opponents with records below .500.

KKKKKKKKKK: In 2008, for the first time in franchise history 4 Reds pitchers recorded at least 150 strikeouts in the same season (Edinson Volquez 206, Bronson Arroyo 163, Johnny Cueto 158, Aaron Harang 153).

THE ROTATION: RHP Edinson Volquez (33g, 32gs, 17-6, 3.21), RHP Bronson Arroyo (34gs, 15-11, 4.77), RHP Aaron Harang (30g, 29gs, 6-17, 4.78) and RHP Johnny Cueto (31gs, 9-14, 4.81) each made at least **25 starts** and produced an **ERA below 5.00**...that Reds quartet became the first to finish with 25 starts and ERAs below 5.00 since . 1992, when it was accomplished by RHP Tim Belcher (34gs, 15-14, 3.91), LHP Chris Hammond (26gs, 7-10, 4.21), RHP Jose Rijo (33gs, 15-10, 2.56) and LHP Greg Swindell (30gs, 12-8, 2.70)...the '92 Reds finished 90-72.

RISING STARS: In 2008, OF Jay Bruce, 1B Joey Votto and RHP Johnny Cueto ranked among the National League rookie leaders in almost every statistical category... Cueto led NL rookie pitchers in strikeouts (158), while Votto ranked first in hitting (.297), hits (156), HR (24), total bases (266), multi-hit games (42), on-base percentage (.368) and slugging percentage (.506)...**Votto** (24hr, 84rbi) and **Bruce** (21hr, 52rbi) became the first pair of Reds rookies ever to produce more than 13 home runs each in the same season...the Reds were the only team in the Major Leagues this season to have 2 rookies with as many as 21hr each...Votto hit 23 of his 24 homers as a first baseman, a new club record for HR by a rookie at that position (Ted Kluszewski, 12hr, 1948).

REDS AT GREAT AMERICAN BALL PARK (0-1, .000): In 2008, at 43-38 the Reds established a new Great American Ball Park record for victories in a season...went 12-11-3 in their 26 home series..in 6 seasons at GABP are 241-246-1 (35-46 in 2003, 40-41 in 2004, 42-39-1 in 2005, 42-39 in 2006, 39-42 in 2007, 43-38 in 2008).

REDS ON THE ROAD (31-50, .383): Last season the Reds went 8-16-2 in their 26 road series...produced 3 winning road trips: from 6/20-6/29 went 5-4 at NYY/Tor/Cle, from 8/12-8/14 went 2-1 at Pit and from 9/8-9/14 went 4-2 at Mil/ Ari...dating back to 2006, the Reds have produced a losing record in 23 of their last 28 road trips.

IN THE STANDINGS (2): The Reds have spent the following days alone or tied at each position in the National League Central Division standings: FIRST - 0, SECOND - 0, THIRD - 0, FOURTH - 1, FIFTH - 1, SIXTH - 0...have spent 0 days above, 0 days at and 2 days below .500.

REDS vs METS: Reds are 294-249 all-time vs the Mets, including 0-1 this season and 3-4 last season...at Great American Ball Park: Reds are 8-12, including 0-1 this season and 2-2 last season...at Shea Stadium: Reds went 126-131, including 1-2 last season... last Mets sweep: at Cin: 4/28-4/29, 1997 (2g); 7/4-7/6, 2003 (3g).

RED HOTS

Opening Day Roster New in '09

Returning Gone Arroyo, P Herrera, P Affeldt, P Burton, P Masset, P Coffey, P Owings, P Cordero, P Fogg, P Rhodes, P Mercker, P Cueto, P Harang, P Hanigan, C Bako, C Lincoln, P Hernandez, C Valentin, C Volquez, P Gonzalez, SS Castro, IF Weathers, P Janish, IF Hatteberg, IF Bruce, OF Encarn,, IF Keppinger, IF Phillips, IF Dickerson, OF Dunn, OF Hairston, OF Freel, OF Votto, 1B McDonald, OF Griffey, OF Nix, OF Hopper, OF Taveras, OF Pattersn, OF Gonzalez was on 2008 Opening Day disabled list

Top 10 Crowds at GABP

Opening Day 2005 vs NYM	. 42,794
Opening Day 2007 vs Cubs	. 42,720
Opening Day 2006 vs Cubs	
Opening Day 2008 vs D'Backs	. 42,498
7/28/07 vs Cubs ('70s Night)	. 42,365
Opening Day 2003 vs Pit	. 42,343
6/5/03 vs NYY	. 42,282
Opening Day 2009 vs Mets	. 42,177
Opening Day 2004 vs Cubs	. 42,122
6/4/03 vs NYY	. 42,082

2008 NL Central Standings

ream	VV		PCt.	GB
Cubs	97	64	.602	-
Brewers	90	72	.556	7.5
Astros	86	75	.534	11.0
Cardinals	86	76	.531	11.5
REDS	74	88	.457	23.5
Pirates	67	95	.414	30.5

In 2008, at 74-88 (.457) the Reds finished below .500 for the eighth consecutive season...is their longest stretch of sub-.500 finishes since 1945-55, when they failed to reach the even mark in 11 straight years... haven't finished .500 since 2000, when Jack McKeon's club went 85-77 (.525).

Home Runs By Ballpark, 2003-08

U.S. Cellular Field	. 1,381
Great American Ball Park	. 1,367
Rangers Park In Arlington	. 1,240
Coors Field	. 1,148
Yankee Stadium	. 1,147
Wrigley Field	. 1,142
Miller Park	. 1,131
Minute Maid Park	. 1,117
GABP opened in 2003	

GABP Highlights

3/28/03.....1st game (3-1 loss vs Cle) 4/4/03..... Sosa's 500th HR 6/3/03......Yankees named Jeter captain 7/20/03.....Bagwell's 400th HR 10/3/04 vs Pit..... Larkin's final game 9/3/07.....PMartinez' 3,000th strikeout 9/28/07.....Cubs clinch NL Central

Wins By Managers

1.	Connie Mack	3,731
3.	Tony LaRussa	2,462
4.	Bobby Cox	2,329
7.	Joe Torre	2,152
14.	Lou Piniella	1,701
26.	Jim Leyland	1,326
33.	Bill Rigney	1,239
34.	DUSTY BAKER	1,236
	Joe Cronin	

RHP

Last 10 Starts By Reds Pitchers er bb hr Pitcher Notes h Mon vs NYM L, 1-2 (Reds 3h) Harang

Date

Last Pitched: Thu vs the Pirates in the Reds' final game at Sarasota's Ed Smith Stadium...received no decision in the 6-5 loss (3.2ip, 5h, 3r, 2er. 3bb. 4k).

Spring Training: Went 2-0, 1.19 in his 5 starts and 1 relief appearance... didn't allow a run until his 17th inning.

World Baseball Classic: Started the Dominican Republic's first game and suffered the 3-2 loss to the Netherlands (3ip, 2h, 3r, 0er, 2bb, 3k, 58 pitches)...in the first inning allowed 3 unearned runs on 2 hits, 2 errors, 1 walk and 1 wild pitch.

2008 Awards: In his first full season in the Major Leagues was the Reds' lone All-Star and won the Johnny Vander Meer Award as the staff's Most Outstanding Pitcher.

League Leader: For most of the first half of last season led the Maior Leagues in ERA and finished the season ranked among the NL leaders in that category (8th) plus wins (17, T3rd), strikeouts (206, T2nd), walks (93, 4th), opponents' BA (.232, 5th), winning percentage (.739, T3rd), strikeouts per 9 innings (9.5, 2nd), ERA on the road (2.43, 2nd) and ERA in the day (2.21, 4th)...despite his ranking among the NL leaders in most pitching categories didn't receive a single Cy Young Award vote.

Team Leader: Last season led the Reds' staff in victories (17), ERA (3.21) and strikeouts (206) and with 196.0 innings pitched finished second on the club to Bronson Arroyo's 200ip...his 206 strikeouts tied for the most by a pitcher in his first season with the Reds (Gary Nolan, 1967)...also led the pitching staff with 20 quality starts.

Stingy: Last season, in 20 of his 32 starts allowed 2 earned runs or fewer and in 24 of his 32 starts allowed 3 earned runs or fewer...didn't allow more than 1 earned run in any of his first 8 starts, tying the Major League record for most starts to begin a season without allowing more than 1 earned run...his ERA didn't rise above 2.00 until his 17th appearance (2.08) and didn't rise above 3.00 until his 28th appearance (3.04)...in his 32 starts the Reds (74-88, .457) went 21-11 (.645)...in 2 of the 11 losses he started Reds batters were shut out, in 2 more they scored 1 run and in 3 others they lost in extra innings

17 Wins: Last season went 10-2, 1.71 in his first 16 apps and 7-4, 4.63 in his last 17 apps...3 times was the victim of blown saves...his 17 victories were the most by a Reds pitcher since LHP Pete Schourek in 1995 (18-7), the most by a Reds righthander since Mario Soto in 1984 (18-7), the most by a pitcher in his first season with the Reds since Danny Jackson in 1988 (23 wins) and the most by a righthander in his first season with the Reds since Joey Jay in 1961 (21 wins).

KKKKKKKKKK: Six times last season recorded at least 10 strikeouts, the most 10k apps in a season by a Reds pitcher since Mario Soto had six 10-strikeout games in 1983...in 3 other starts finished with 9 strikeouts.

Tool Box: In Baseball America's Best Tools issue at the end of last season ranked third in the National League in the categories of Best Fastball (Tim Lincecum 1st, Ben Sheets 2nd) and Best Changeup (Johan Santana 1st, Cole Hamels 2nd)

Career Highs: Innings: 7.1, 9/23/08 at Hou; Hits: 9 (2x), 9/25/06 at Ana & 8/5/08 vs Mil: Runs: 8. 9/4/05 at KC: Earned Runs: 8. 9/4/05 at KC Walks: 6 (3x), last on 9/18/08 vs StL; Strikeouts: 13, 9/3/08 vs Pit; HR allowed: 2 (6x), last on 9/8/08 at Mil (Kendall 2-run, Hardy solo).

Starting Pitcher **Edinson Volquez**

			Volque	z' 2009	spring	traini	ng appe	arance	S		
date	opp.	dec	rec	era	ip	h	r-er	bb	so	hr	result
2/25	at TB	-	-	0.00	3.0	2	-	1	3	-	W, 7-0
3/13*	at Min	-	-	0.00	3.0	1	-	-	2	-	W, 1-0
3/18	at TB	-	-	0.00	3.0	6	-	2	2	-	L, 3-7
3/23	vs Tor	W	1-0	0.00	5.0	4	-	2	5	-	W, 3-0
3/28	at TB	W	2-0	0.47	5.0	4	1-1	4	3	-	W, 5-1
Thu	vs Pit	-	-	1.19	3.2	5	3-2	3	4	-	L, 5-6
Spring Training Totals 2-0 1.19 22.2 22 4-3 12 19 0 6g, 4 * In relief, Spring opponents hit .262									6g, 5gs		

Thu	vs Pit	-	-	1.19	3.2	5	3-2	3	4	-	L, 5-6
	Training Tota		2-0	1.19	22.2	22	4-3	12	19	0	6g, 5gs
* In relie	f, Spring opponent	s hit .262									
				Volque	z' 2008	appea	arances				
date	opp.	dec	rec	era	ip	h	r-er	bb	SO	hr	result
4/6	vs Phi	W	1-0	1.69	5.1	5	1-1	2	8	-	W, 8-2
4/11	at Pit	-	-	0.87	5.0	3	-	3	1	-	L, 0-1
4/17	at Chi	W	2-0	1.17	5.0	4	1-1	4	7	-	W, 9-2
4/22	vs LAD	W	3-0	1.21	*7.0	3	1-1	4	7	-	W, 8-1
4/27	at SF	W	4-0	1.23	*7.0	5	1-1	3	10	-	W, 10-1
April T	otals		4-0	1.23	29.1	20	4-4	16	33	0	5g, 5gs
5/2	at Atl	L	4-1	1.27	6.0	4	2-1	2	9	1	L, 0-2
5/7	vs Chi	W	5-1	1.06	*7.0	4	-	*6	10	-	W, 9-0
5/13	vs Fla	W	6-1	1.12	6.0	7	1-1	2	5	-	W, 5-3
5/18	vs Cle	W	7-1	1.33	6.0	4	2-2	4	5	1	W, 6-4
5/23	at SD	(bs)	-	1.34	6.0	2	1-1	2	12	-	W, 3-2
5/25#	at SD	Ĺ	7-2	1.31	1.2	1	3-0	1	2	1	L, 9-12 (18)
5/30	vs Atl	(bs)	-	1.46	6.0	5	2-2	3	7	_	W, 3-2 (11)
May To	otals		3-2	1.63	38.2	27	11-7	20	50	3	7g, 6gs
6/4	at Phi	W	8-2	1.32	*7.0	2	-	2	8	-	W, 2-0
6/9	at Fla	W	9-2	1.56	6.0	3	3-3	5	5	_	W, 9-4
6/14	vs Bos	-	-	1.64	*7.0	7	3-2	1	9	_	L, 4-6 (10)
6/20	at NYY	W	10-2	1.71	*7.0	7	2-2	1	5	_	W, 4-2
6/26	at Tor	L	10-3	2.08	4.1	6	7-5	3	-	1	L, 1-7
June 1			3-1	3.45	31.1	25	15-12	12	27	1	5g, 5gs
7/1	vs Pit	-	-	2.24	5.1	7	3-3	3	3		L, 5-6 (11)
7/6	vs Wsh	W	11-3	2.36	6.0	5	3-3	3	3	_	W, 6-5
7/12	at Mil	W	12-3	2.29	*7.0	6	2-1	2	10	1	W, 8-2
	If Totals		12-3	2.29	117.2	90	38-30	56	126	5	20g, 19gs
7/20	vs NYM			2.49	5.0	8	4-4	3	3	1	L, 5-7 (10)
7/25	vs Col	L	12-4	2.77	4.0	7	5-5	2	5	2	L, 2-7
7/30	at Hou	W	13-4	2.71	6.1	6	5-1	1	5	2	W, 9-5
July To			3-1	4.54	33.2	39	22-17	14	29	6	6g, 6gs
8/5	vs Mil	L	13-5	2.93	5.0	9	5-5	1	2	<u> </u>	L, 1-8
8/12	at Pit	W	14-5	2.86	6.2	5	1-1	3	5	_	W, 5-1
8/17	vs StL	W	15-5	2.73	7.0	3		4	4	_	W, 7-3
8/23	at Col	(bs)	-	2.80	6.0	6	3-3	3	5	_	L, 6-7
8/29	vs SF	W	16-5	3.04	5.1	8	6-6	3	6	_	W, 11-7
	t Totals		3-1	4.50	30.0	31	15-15	14	22	0	5g, 5gs
9/3	vs Pit		-	3.12	7.0	6	4-4	1	*13	<u> </u>	L, 5-6
9/8	at Mil	_	_	3.23	5.2	5	4-4	3	10	2	W, 5-4
9/13	at Ari	_	_	3.22	6.+	5	2-2	*6	8	-	W, 3-2 (10)
9/18	vs StL	L	16-6	3.29	7.0	3	4-4	*6	5	1	L, 4-5
9/23	at Hou	W	17-6	3.21	*7.1	6	1-1	1	9	1	W, 2-1
	alf Totals		5-3	4.60	78.1	77	44-40	37	80	9	13g, 13gs
2008 T			17-6	3.21	196.0	167	82-70	93	206	14	33g, 32gs
	League Totals		20-17	4.37	276.0	278	150-134	135	261	28	53g, 49gs
	r at GABP	,	8-3	4.03	96.0	91	44-43	48	95	5	16g, 16gs
	r at Home		10-8	4.65	139.1	145	76-72	71	122	12	27g, 25gs
	on the Road		10-9	4.08	136.2	133	74-62	64	139	16	26g, 24gs
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	Volquez' career appearances vs Mets										
date	орр.	dec	rec	era	ip	h	r-er	bb	so	hr	result
7/20/08	vs NYM	-	-	7.20	5.0	8	4-4	3	3	1	L, 5-7 (10)
Career vs	Mets		0-0	7.20	5.0	8	4-4	3	3	1	1g, 1gs
Career at	Citi Field					-			-		

In relief, * Career high, (bs) Victim of blown save

				ı	Mets b	atter	s vs Volquez						
	Avg	Н	AB	HR	RBI	K	l i	Avg	Н	AB	HR	RBI	K
Anderson	.333	1	3	0	0	1	Delgado	1.000	2	2	0	0	0
Beltran	.333	1	3	0	1	0	Reyes	1.000	3	3	0	0	0
Castro	.333	1	3	1	2	0	Wright	.000	0	1	0	1	0
Cora	333	1	3	0	0	0	`						

Tomorrow's Starter: Bronson Arroyo

Last Pitched: Fri vs Reds minor leaguers in a Futures Game at Five County Stadium in Zebulon, North Carolina...suffered the 12-4 loss (3ip, 7h, 6er, 2bb, 4k, 51 pitches)...in the first inning allowed 3 runs on 3 hits, including a 2-run HR by Yonder Alonso...allowed 3 more runs in the third on Juan Francisco's unusual inside-the-park HR during which LF Chris Dickerson fell into the stands

2008 Season: Was the only member of the Reds' rotation to make every scheduled start...for the third straight season led the staff in starts (34) and for the second time in 3 years led the club in innings pitched (200.0)...for the fourth straight season recorded at least 32 starts and 200 innings...his 18 quality starts and careerhigh 15 wins were second on the staff to All-Star Edinson Volquez' 17 victories and 20 quality apps...3 times was the victim of blown saves...tied for the National League lead in starts (34)...in his 34 starts the Reds went 18-16 and scored 172 runs (5.06 r/g)...was 1 of only 5 Reds pitchers to participate in more winning games than losing games (Jared Burton, Francisco Cordero, Edinson Volquez, David Weathers).

	Arroyo's 2009 spring training "A" appearances										
date	opp.	dec	rec	era	ip	h	r-er	bb	SO	hr	result
2/27	vs Phi	-	-	4.50	2.0	2	1-1	1	-	-	W, 10-3
3/9	at Phi	-	-	5.06	3.1	3	2-2	1	2	2	W, 8-4
3/14	vs TB	L	0-1	5.40	4.2	4	3-3	1	4	1	L, 1-3
3/19	vs Bos	L	0-2	6.00	5.0	3	4-4	4	4	2	L, 1-9
3/29	vs TB	L	0-3	5.95	4.2	14	10-3	2	3	-	L, 2-11
	Training To		0-3	5.95	19.2	26	20-13	9	13	5	5g, 5gs

			Arro	yo's car	eer app	earan	ces vs M	ets			
date	opp.	dec	rec	era	ip	h	r-er	bb	so	hr	result
6/23/00^	at NYM	L	0-1	30.38	2.2	9	*10-9*	3	3	1	L, 2-12
10/2/01^	at NYM	W	1-1	7.71	*9.0	5	1-1	3	3	1	W, 10-1
6/19/06	at NYM	W	2-1	5.23	*9.0	7	2-2	1	5	1	W, 4-2
7/20/06	vs NYM	-	-	4.40	8.0	6	2-2	-	8	2	L, 2-4 (10)
7/12/07	at NYM	L	2-2	4.29	7.0	8	3-3	1	3	2	L, 2-3
5/10/08	at NYM	W	3-2	3.71	8.0	4	1-1	2	9	-	W, 7-1
7/18/08	vs NYM	W	4-2	3.48	8.0	4	2-2	1	4	-	W, 5-2
Career vs	Mets		4-2	3.48	51.2	43	21-20	11	35	7	7g, 7gs
Career at Shea Stadium ^ Pitching for Pit, * Career highs			3-2	4.04	35.2	33	17-16	10	23	5	5g, 5gs

ON THE MOUND

Reds Starters & Relievers

opp era cg sho/sv ab bb so hr avg 1.80 Starters 5.0 333 21 3 1 13 Relievers 2.25 .154

		en Totals, Etc.		
Pitcher	1st Batter Retired	Inherited Runners/ Scored	Saves/ Opps	Team Record
	Retireu	Scoreu	Opps	Record
Bronson Arroyo, R	-	-	-	-
Jared Burton, R	-	-	-	-
Francisco Cordero, R	1-1	-	-	0-1
Johnny Cueto, R	-	-	-	-
Aaron Harang, R	-	-	-	0-1
Daniel Ray Herrera, L	1-1	-	-	0-1
Mike Lincoln, R	0-1	2-0	-	0-1
Nick Masset, R	-	-	-	-
Micah Owings, R	-	-	-	-
Arthur Rhodes, L	1-1	-	-	0-1
Edinson Volquez, R	-	-	-	-
David Weathers, R	1-1	-	-	0-1
TOTALS	4-5	2-0	-	0-1

Reds Pitchers: In the last 11g of spring beginning 3/22 posted a 2.51era...allowed just 2 home runs after 3/21, including a 9-game stretch near the end of camp in which they didn't allow a homer (3/22-3/31, 79.2ip)...last season ranked 13th in the National League in team ERA (4.55) and first in HR allowed (201; Hou 2nd, 197)...for the fourth time in the 7 years tied the franchise record for fewest complete games in a season (2cg, 2001, 2002, 2005, 2008).

Reds Starters: In the last 11g of spring training beginning 3/22 posted a 2.08era...last season, among National League starting rotations ranked first in home runs allowed (142; Wsh 2nd, 133) and 14th in ERA (4.97)...made 54 starts of 5.0 innings or fewer, including 20-66 starts after the All-Star break...made 23 starts of 4.0 innings or fewer. including 11-66 starts after the All-Star break...pitched into the eighth inning 8 times and into the ninth twice...last season produced 78 quality starts (Volquez 20, Arroyo 18, Harang 17, Cueto 14, Fogg 3, Ramirez 3, Bailey 2, Belisle 1)...the Reds went 56-22 in those quality starts (.718).

Reds Relievers: In the last 11g of spring training beginning 3/22 posted a 3.12era... last season, with a 3.81 bullpen ERA ranked third in the National League...Francisco Cordero established a new club record with 63 games finished (62, Tom Hume in 1980, Jeff Shaw in 1997)...converted their first 7 saves opps, 27 of their last 48 save opps and each of their last 5 save opps...the Reds' bullpen didn't blow a save until the 41st game, on 5/14...was the last bullpen in the Major Leagues to blow a save...suffered 2 blown saves in their first 50g of the season but then in the 51st contest, on 5/25 at SD, suffered 3 blown saves in the 18-inning, 12-9 loss...in that loss to the Padres recorded 17 strikeouts in 13.1 innings, both 2008 season single-game highs.

51 JARED BURTON, rhp 12g, 0-1, 4.50 in spring training

In his last 7 spring training apps posted a 1.35era (6.2ip, 1er)...from 7/19-9/1 of last season missed 39g while on the 15-day disabled list with a strained right latissimus muscle...in 11 apps after he was reinstated posted a 7.84era (10.1ip, 9er, 3hr), raising ERA from 2.23...in the 27 apps prior to his disabling had posted a 0.85era (31.2ip, 3er)...13 times threw more than 1.0 inning and 8 times threw 2.0 innings...his careerhigh 5-game winning streak (4/20-9/8) tied Arrovo for the longest by a Reds pitcher in 2008

Date Opp Dec IΡ н R ER BB SO HR TP Game Score

48 FRANCISCO CORDERO, rhp 10g, 0-1, 12.10 in spring training

In his last 4 spring training apps posted a 2.45era...with 211 career saves ranks 35th on that all-time list, just 5 saves behind Dave Smith for 34th, 6 behind Gregg Olson and 7 behind Gene Garber...in the last 5 seasons has averaged 70 apps, 37 saves, 70 innings and 81 strikeouts...last season established a club record for games finished (63)...on 9/26/08 had season-ending arthroscopic surgery to remove a bone spur in his right foot...among National League pitching leaders ranked T4th with 34 saves and second with a new club record 63 games finished (62, Tom Hume in 1980, Jeff Shaw in 1997)...converted 34 of his 40 save opps, including each of his last 14 chances... suffered his last blown save on 7/21 vs SD...recorded a save in each of his last 3 apps and in 7 of his last 8 apps...produced at least 30 saves for the fourth time in his career... recorded all 34 of the bullpen's saves.

Dec Game ΙP Score R ER BB SO vs NYM 1 Mon 1 1-2 10 20

52 DANIEL RAY HERRERA, Ihp 10g, 0-0, 0.00 (10ip, 0r) in spring training

Features a screwball...in spring training retired 26 of the 30 batters he faced (3h, 1e), including a spring-best streak of 17 straight...last season, in his Major League debut apps during 3 stints with the Reds...made 1 appearance while on the roster from 6/3-6/4, another while on the roster from 6/10-6/13 and then 5 more following the International League playoffs...made 57 apps at Chattanooga and Louisville (7-4-6, 2.72, 72.2ip, 59h, 17bb, 60k).

Opp G Game ΙP Date Score Dec н R FR BB SO HR TP Mon 0.2

57 MIKE LINCOLN, rhp

12g, 0-1, 2.84 in spring training

On Fri will celebrate his 34th birthday...in his last 8 spring training apps posted a 2.25era. last season posted a 4.48era in a career-high 64 apps...was a candidate for National League Comeback Player of the Year...did not play professionally for 3 full seasons from 2005-07 while recovering from 7/13/04 "Tommy John" surgery....in 2008 made 12 apps of at least 2.0 innings and 21 apps of more than 1.0 inning.

Game Opp Score Dec ΙP H R ER BB SO HR TP vs NYM 1 0.1 L. 1-2

40 NICK MASSET, rhp

9g, 3gs, 0-3, 5.06 in spring training

Last name is pronounced MASS-it...last season didn't pitch after 9/8 because of a sore right pectoral muscle...with the WSox and Reds combined to finish 2-0, 3.92 in 41 relief apps and 1 start...began the season with Chi and went 1-0, 4.63 with 1 save in 1 start and 31 relief apps before he was traded to the Reds on 7/31, along with IF Danny Richar, in exchange for OF Ken Griffey Jr..

Game Орр Score ΙP H R ER BB SO HR TP

53 ARTHUR RHODES, Ihp

8g, 0-0, 5.63 in spring training

On 12/12 was signed to a 2-year contract through the 2010 season...didn't allow a run in his last 6 spring training apps (6ip, 3h)...with 714 career apps over 16 Major League seasons is tied with Eric Plunk for 73rd on that all-time list...from 1996-2001 made 20 playoff apps for the Orioles and Mariners, last season, in his first action since 2006 combined to finish 4-1, 2.04 with 2 saves in 61 relief apps for the Mariners and Marlins... opposing lefthanded batters hit just .167.

Opp G vs NYM 1 Game Score Dec ΙP Н R ER BB SO HR TP 1 0 L, 1-2

25 DAVID WEATHERS, rhp 11g, 0-0, 4.09 in spring trainingDidn't allow a run in his last 3 spring training apps (3ip)...with 896 career apps ranks third among active pitchers and 22nd all-time, just 2g behind Jim Kaat, 3g behind Sparky Lyle and 10g behind Cy Young...over the last 9 seasons (2000-08) has led all Major League pitchers with 645 apps (3.32era, 708ip, 261er)...in 3 consecutive seasons from 2005-07 led the Reds' pitching staff in saves and games finished...last season recorded at least 63 apps for the 10th consecutive season and at least 70 apps for the sixth time in his career...in his last 36 apps of the season posted a 2.45era and in his last 44 apps posted a 2.60era...from 4/20-5/4 was on the 15-day disabled list with ulnar nerve irritation in his right elbow...posted a 4.91era in 8 apps before he went on the DL and a 3.05era in 64 apps after he came off the DL.

Орр Game Score Dec R ER BB vs NYM 1 L, 1-2 10

REDS WHEN THEY... Score First: Lead After 7 Innings0-0 Hit At Least 1 HR......0-0 Steal At Least 1 Base..... Steal No Bases.....0-1 Opponent Scores First......0-1 Tied After 7 Innings0-0 Hit No HR0-1 Out-Hit Opp./Even 0-0 Out-Hit By Opponent 0-1 Trail After 7 Innings0-1 Score At Least 3 runs......0-0 1-Run Games 0-1 Lead After 8 Innings0-0 Score Fewer Than 3 runs......0-1 Extra-Inning Games.....0-0 Tied After 8 Innings0-0 Decided in Last At-Bat.....0-0 Come-From-Behind Wins 0 Commit An Error.....0-1 Commit No Errors......0-0 Trail After 8 Innings0-1 Walkoff Wins & Losses......0-0 Losses After Leading.....

REDS IN THE FIELD

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Phillips	.350	28	80	5		Taveras6/13 at WSox
Taveras	.276	21	76	0	4	Votto9/28 at StL (1)
Votto	.250	8	32	1	5	
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Gonzalez	_	_	*	_	0	Leadoff Homers (0)
Hairston	_	_	*_	_	0	NoneNone
Hanigan	*_		_	_	0	
Hernande		*	_	_	0	Walkoff Homers (0)
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McDonald	-	*		-	0	
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REDS BATTERS: In the National League last season ranked last in team hits and batting (.247) and 12th in runs scored...pinch hitters ranked ninth in hitting (.231, 5hr, 39rbi)... ranked 14th in team fielding percentage (.981) and third in errors (114).

32 JAY BRUCE, of 24g, .300, 3hr, 13rbi, 1sb in spring training

Is on his first Opening Day roster...just turned 22 years old on Fri...during spring training led the club in total bases (29, tied w/ Dickerson) and RBI (13)...in his last 13 spring games hit .368 (14-38, 2hr, 9rbi) and produced 6rbi in his last 5g...last season, in his Major League debut finished fourth among rookies in voting for the National League's Jackie Robinson Award and was a TOPPS Major League All-Star...made 108 apps and 103 starts...after Ken Griffey Jr. was traded on 7/31 started in RF in 49 of the Reds' last 53g of the season...didn't join the club until 5/27...after the All-Star break led the club in HR (15)...in August led all National League rookies in HR (7)...hit 13-game hitting streak from 7/27-8/9 and his 12-game streak from 7/9-7/23 were the 2 longest streaks by a National League rookie last season...led all NL rookie outfielders in assists (8) and ranked among the rookie leaders in HR (21, 3rd), RBI (52, 4th), multi-hit games (26, 5th), runs (63, 4th), hits (105, 5th), total bases (187, 4th), doubles (17, 6th), on-base percentge (.314, 10th), slugging percentage (.453, 4th)...on 5/27 was promoted from Louisville (49g, .364, 9 2b, 5 3b, 10hr, 37rbi, 8sb).

Game Position AB R 2B 3B HR RBI BB SO SB Date Mon vs NYM RF - 5

21 CHRIS DICKERSON, of

24g, .323, 2hr, 6rbi, 6sb in spring training

Is on his first Opening Day roster...on Fri will celebrate his 27th birthday...during spring training led the club in at bats (62), hits (20), total bases (29, tied w/ Bruce) and stolen bases (6)...in his last 17 spring games hit .340 (16-47)...last season, on 8/12 was promoted from Louisville to take the roster spot vacated by Adam Dunn, who was traded to the Diamondbacks...from 8/12-9/6 started 22 of the Reds' next 23g but then was slowed by a stress fracture in his posterior left ankle...made just 3 starts after 9/6 and made his last appearance of the season as a pinch hitter on 9/18 vs StL...a CT scan on 9/22 revealed the stress fracture and on 9/26 had surgery to remove a piece of bone related to that injury (Dr. Timothy Kremchek)...in August led the Reds in doubles (7) and stolen bases (5)...in 97g for the Bats hit .287 (16 2b, 9 3b, 11hr, 53rbi, 26sb) and played all 3 outfield positions.

Date Орр Position AB R H 2B 3B HR RBI BB SO SB Game vs NYM 1 PH, CF Mon

28 EDWIN ENCARNACION, 3b

16g, .209, 2hr, 6rbi, 1sb in spring training During spring training was bothered by a sore right shoulder and appeared in just 4 of

the Reds' last 11 "A game" exhibitions...last season produced 26 homers in 146 apps, both career highs...ranked second on the club in home runs behind Adam Dunn's 32. Game Position ΑB R H 2B 3B HR RBI BB SO SB Date vs NYM Mon 3B - 6

2 ALEX GONZALEZ, ss

10g, .250, 1rbi in spring training

Spent the 2008 season on the disabled list with a compression fracture in his left knee this spring hit safely in 6 of his 10 apps but didn't play in an "A" game after 3/23, when he suffered a strained right hamstring.

AB H 2B 3B HR RBI BB SO SB Date QqQ Game Position R vs NYM SS - 8

15 JERRY HAIRSTON JR., inf/of 8g, .111, 1hr, 7rbi in spring training

His next appearance will be the 900th of his career...played for Mexico in the World Baseball Classic...last season missed 44g during 3 stints on the disabled list (broken left thumb, strained right hamstring twice)...played 2B (7g), 3B (1g), SS (34g), LF (24g), CF (17g) and RF (12g)...the Reds went 25-19 when he led off...on 4/21 was promoted from Louisville (14g, .421).

Date Opp Game Position AB R H 2B 3B HR RBI BB SO SB LF - 1 vs NYM 1 Mon

29 RYAN HANIGAN, c

23g, .385, 2hr, 8rbi in spring training

Is on his first Opening Day roster...is bothered by an irritation in his rib cage...during spring training led the club in hitting (.385)...last season, was promoted on 8/10 and started 25 of the Reds' last 44g of last season...caught both of the staff's complete games (Arroyo's 2-1 win, 8/26 at Hou & Harang's 3-0 win, 9/17 vs StL)...was an International League mid-season and post-season All-Star at Louisville (75g, .324, 4hr, 35rbi)...in Baseball America's Best Tools issue was rated the defensive catcher in the IL.

Date Opp Game Position AB R H 2B 3B HR RBI BB SO SB

Opp

55 RAMON HERNANDEZ, c

11g, .217, 1hr, 2rbi in spring training

Played for Venezuela in the World Baseball Classic...hit safely in 4 of his last 6 spring training apps (4-13, .308)...during the Winter Meetings was acquired from the Orioles for Ryan Freel and minor league IF Justin Turner and IF Brandon Waring...in 2008 was the Orioles' Opening Day catcher and started 119g.

Position AB Н 2B 3B HR RBI BB SO SB Date Game R vs NYM 1 Mon C - 7 4

7 PAUL JANISH, inf

27g, .235, 4rbi in spring training

Last name is pronounced YAH-nish...is on his first Opening Day roster...during spring training led the club in apps (27)...last season, in his Major League debut had 38 apps, including 18 starts at SS, during 2 stints with the Reds (5/14-6/25, 9/9-remainder of the

season)... at Louisville appeared in 92g (.252, 7hr, 42rbi). Date Opp Game Position AB R H 2B 3 Position 3B HR RBI BB SO SB

16 DARNELL McDONALD, of

26g, .300, 1hr, 10rbi, 3sb in spring training In his 12th professional season is on his first Opening Day roster...on 12/2 was signed to a minor league contract...during spring training ranked among the club leaders in apps (26), hitting (.300), doubles (4), RBI (10) and stolen bases (3)...originally was a first-round draft piock of the Orioles in the 1997 draft (26th overall)...at Rochester was selected to play in the Triple-A All-Star Game.

Date H 2B 3B HR RBI BB SO SB Game Position AB Opp R vs NYM CF - 2 3

17 LAYNCE NIX, of

25g, .226, 2hr, 5rbi, 1sb in spring training

On 12/16 was signed to a minor league contract...during spring training ranked among the club leaders in apps (25) and doubles (4)...spent most of the 2008 season at Class AAA Nashville, where he led his club in HR (23).

H 2B 3B Date Opp Game Position AB Ŕ HR RBI BB SO SB vs NYM 1 PН

4 BRANDON PHILLIPS, 2b

22g, .283, 0hr, 4rbi, 3sb in spring training

Opened spring training with a team-high 10-game hitting streak...last season won the Rawlings Gold Glove Award for National League second basemen and the Bill James Handbook's Fielding Bible Award...missed the last 17g of last season after suffering a broken right index finger on 9/9 at Mil...on 9/12 had surgery to insert 2 pins into that finger...for the second consecutive season led National League second basemen in fielding percentage (.990, 7e, 706tc)...led the team in multi-hit games (45), stolen bases (23), run scored (80) and triples (7) and ranked T6th in the NL in triples.

Opp vs NYM AB BB SO SB Date Game Position R H 2B 3B HR RBI 2B - 4

3 WILLY TAVERAS, of

16g, .250, 2rbi, 3sb in spring training

Missed Opening Day because of the flu...on 12/27 was signed by the Reds to a 2-year contract through the 2010 season...hit safely in 10 of his 12 spring training apps after returning from the World Baseball Classic (10-34, .294)...from 3/14-3/29 produced a 9-game hitting streak, the second-longest by a Reds batter this spring (Phillips, 10g)... in 2008 led the Major Leagues with 68 stolen bases and a .907 stolen base percentage (68-75)...was the highest stolen base percentage by a Major League player, with a minimum of 60sb, since those statistics have been compiled (since 1920)...since becoming a regular player in 2005, his 168 steals are fifth-most in the majors...over the last 4 seasons leads the majors with 207 infield hits and 110 bunt hits. Date Opp Game Position AB R H 2B 3B HR RBI

BB SO SB

19 JOEY VOTTO, 1b

20g, .314, 3hr, 11rbi, 2sb in spring training

Last name is pronounced VAH-toe...played for Canada in the World Baseball Classic and hit .556 (second among all WBC players) with a 1.111 slugging percentage (third best)...in his last 5 spring training apps went 6-for-13 (.462, 2rbi)...is rated 25th on the list of top Major League players under the age of 30 by noted baseball historian Bill James...in 2008 finished second in the National League Rookie of the Year Award voting, was a finalist for a Players Choice Award in the category of Outstanding NL Rookie, was a TOPPS Major League Rookie All-Star and in a unanimous vote of the local chapter of the BBWAA received the Ernie Lombardi Award as the Reds' MVP...in September 2008 received the NL Rookie of the Month Award presented by Gillette... led NL rookies in hitting (.297), hits (156), HR (24), total bases (266), multi-hit games (42), on-base percentage (.368) and slugging percentage (.506) and ranked second in RBI (84), runs scored (69), doubles (32) and extra-base hits (59)...among all NL batters ranked fourth with a .317ba in day games...ranked eighth among all NL first basemen in fielding percentage (.991, 11e, 1197tc) and established a club record for first basemen with 136 assists (135, Frank McCormick, 1944)...led the Reds in games (151), hitting, hits, total bases, doubles and RBI...became the first player in franchise history to produce at least 20 homers and 30 doubles in his rookie season...also led the club with 18g of at least 3 hits, the most by any rookie in the Major Leagues...hit 23 of his 24 homers as a first baseman, a new franchise record for home runs by a rookie at that position (Ted Kluszewski, 12hr, 1948) and the second-most by any rookie in Reds history (Frank Robinson, 38hr, 1956)...his 84rbi were the third-most in Reds history by a rookie (Frank McCormick, 106rbi, 1938 & Jim Greengrass, 100rbi, 1953).

Орр Game Position AB R H 2B 3B HR RBI BB SO SB vs NYM 1 1B - 3